

# Local Happenings

Mrs. J. D. Watkins and Mrs. Bert Grigsby of Medford spent the day Tuesday as guests of Mrs. George Clemens.

Ellis Gleason of Seattle, who has spent the past week in Central Point visiting his brother Eldon and family, left Monday for his home.

Mrs. M. F. Young and children spent Armistice day at Cottage Grove visiting with Mr. Young's relatives and many friends.

The Woman's Relief Corps will meet Saturday, November 21, and all those having a birthday in October, November and December will be honored with a party following the lodge session.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Howell of Griffin Creek were business visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. L. M. Sweet of Beagle returned from California Sunday, where she was called to care for a sick daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pence and son, Junior, of Klamath Falls (were visiting in the valley Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Morrison, who have a farm on Rogue River a few miles above the Modoc orchards, were trading in Central Point Saturday, and reported the loss one night last week of sixteen large turkeys, the work of one lone coyote. This is the second loss they have had this season. They raised 600 turkeys this season, and are among the best average flocks in the valley. As the turkeys were ready for market, large and fat, this represents quite a monetary loss.

Mrs. Belle Davis of Medford visited her daughter, Mrs. William Musty of this city and attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Carr came up from Wilderville Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Carr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sheley made a trip to Klamath Falls last Friday and spent the day with Ivan Gainer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wilson of Grants Pass spent their vacation last week at the farm home of Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sheley, near Talent.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jacobs came over from Klamath Falls and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Al Hermanson and while here Mr. Jacobs purchased one of Mr. Hermanson's pedigreed Boston bull pups.

Ross Kline and Ed Dutton, successful turkey raisers on a large scale of the Eagle Point district, were here Monday looking for turkey pickers.

The first shipment of Thanksgiving turkeys were dressed and packed at Al Hermanson's for the Half Moon company Monday and shipped by express. Ed Bellows was the shipper.

Mrs. Earl Leever entertained at luncheon Friday, Mrs. Eldon Gleason, Mrs. Al Hermanson and Mrs. E. C. Faber.

John Smith and wife of Gold Hill were transacting business in this city Monday. Mr. Smith is county road overseer.

Earl Weaver of Sams Valley, former business man of this city, was transacting business with our merchants Monday.

A. W. Walker, proprietor of Walker's dance hall, has purchased the building adjoining his hall, recently occupied by Myrtle's Coffee Shop. Mr. Walker has not yet stated just what purpose the building will be used for, but it is quite certain some substantial improvements will be made.

Earl Case, of the Beagle district, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Case is a hunter and acted as guide for Joe Hesse, of Beswick, Calif., who recently came here for a bear hunt. The party had ten hounds, and one bear was killed on Bybee Creek.

Ike Pratt could eat no fat. His wife could eat no lean; Because they squandered all their coin.

On Oil and Gasoline. —Contributed

## STORY OF WILD LIFE TOLD FOR OUR READERS

By ERNEST L. CROCKATT, Educational Department, Oregon State Game Commission.

Raising of streams, lakes, fields and forests to the ideal for fishing and hunting as rapidly as humanly possible, is the purpose of the Oregon State Game Commission as announced in a 27-page brochure just released for publication. "To Make Oregon Famous for Fun" is the heading of the statement, which reads, "To develop Oregon's wild life to the utmost, knowing no limits in its endeavors save those of science and good economics."

The program outlined involves the expenditure of \$5,000,000 in the next ten years. This income is anticipated from the increasing sales of hunters' and anglers' licenses.

More than 40,000,000 of Oregon's 62,000,000 acres are non-tillable, the report says, "and in this magnificent paradise nature has provided exceptional food and shelter for abundant wild life." In order that all guesswork might be eliminated in the program, the commission has launched a stream and lake survey to secure the real fact basis for fish planting, the first ever to be started in any state, and will follow the same procedure on game food and cover so that scientific game management may make Oregon the outstanding wild life state of the Union.

The personnel of the commission is: Marshall N. Dana, Portland, chairman; M. F. Corrigan, McMinnville; Carl D. Silven, Baker; Dr. J. C. Vandeventer, Bend; and Dr. Irving Vining, Ashland.

### Fish and Game Big Asset

Figures of the U. S. Biological Survey are quoted to prove a present annual income value of \$20,000,000 from Oregon's wild life and the commission declares that "Oregon's wild life should be at least a \$100,000 asset." An estimated average annual income of \$500,000 from hunters' and anglers' licenses and other licenses and fines, during the next ten years, is to be expended to secure the "saturation point in fish and game. The program is being organized and conducted in accordance with the best known business procedure in combination with practical experience and ability in fish and game propagation, distribution and protection. This program is not something to be realized only after long delay, but its effects are to be seen at once in more fish in the streams and more game in the uplands. The best talent, both world-wide and re-

sional, has been engaged. Every element of operation based upon any other consideration than fitness has been discarded," the report declares.

### Many Agencies Co-Operating

Avoidance of duplication in official and citizen activity, and co-operative action has been secured by the commission, which acknowledges the agencies now co-operating in the program as follows: U. S. Biological Survey, U. S. Bureau of Fisheries, U. S. Forest Service, Oregon Fish Commission, Oregon State Engineer, Oregon State Board of Health, Oregon's educational institutions, Oregon public school officials, Oregon State Teachers' Association, Oregon State Chamber of Commerce, Portland Chamber of Commerce, Research Division of E. I. DuPont de Nemours Co., sportsmen's organizations, Boy Scouts, Campfire Girls and private citizens.

### Need for Scientific Basis

Need for accurate information for efficient stocking of fish and game is pointed out, and the work of making stream and lake, food and cover, migratory bird and game surveys has been started, says the bulletin. "It is useless to plant fish by the millions if the planting does not mean the fish will mature and furnish an abundance of sport. The commission is not interested in how many are planted, but in how many will be caught by the sportsmen each year." Speaking of the food and cover and game surveys, the bulletin says, "It has been found that much more knowledge of food and cover conditions is necessary than has been available in the past, so that useless work may not be launched."

### Propagation Program Given

"Over a period of the next ten years, the hatchery department plans to liberate, in round figures, a total of 272,000,000 trout from four to six inches in length." The report shows that the annual release starts this year at 20,000,000 trout and increases to 38,000,000 by 1940. The liberation of larger trout is stressed in the statement.

Intensification of the game farm program is also outlined. The holding pen plan for Chinese pheasants, developed for the first time by Oregon, is cited as successful. This plan is for the farms to produce the young chicks and then place them in pens provided over the state by the sportsmen's organizations, where they are held until after the fall shooting season. The commission pays for

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H. F. PRAEPT, Prop.

to support the program as an integral part of the plan "To Make Oregon Famous for Fun," closes the report.

### Law Enforcement Discussed

Firm handling of the screening and fish ladder problem as well as stream pollution is indicated in the bulletin. "Having due regard for industrial and city growth, the commission nevertheless feels it must proceed with an aggressive program of law enforcement in this situation."

The new game law enforcement arrangement is treated in the bulletin, which says: "The commission feels sure that the game laws will be strictly and sanely enforced."

An inexpensive but far-reaching educational program has been launched by the commission "to keep the citizens of Oregon properly advised of the work being done and more particularly the sportsmen whose license funds compose the major part of the commission's income. In addition to maintaining contacts with all agencies which touch the program, and in addition to proper appreciation of the services of the press, a plan is already well under way to draft and incorporate in the public school curriculum a textbook on Big Game and Nature."

A short statement of the serious financial condition of the commission, due to fallure of many sportsmen to purchase licenses this season, and an appeal to citizens generally

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Italian infantry is to be mounted on bicycles, but what's to prevent the enemy from laying down a barrage of tanks?

## Bank Your Money

THIS advice is the culmination of centuries of civilization. Saving has proven a boon to mankind. Yet, there are still many people who spend their entire incomes. Live well, yes, but live wisely too. Save a part of your income each week. Make it part of one day a week to make a deposit in this bank. Those days add up into happy years.

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## SCHOOL NOTES

By ELIZABETH FLEISCHER  
The KennelEllis studio and Mail Tribune have made a very good offer to the juniors and seniors. They offer to take individual pictures of each junior and senior free. They will be published in the Mail Tribune, together with a sketch about the school. Inasmuch as these picture cuts can be used in the annual of the school will be saved considerable money.

A ring salesman visited school Tuesday and displayed his goods to the juniors who are trying to select a class ring.

Miss Katherine Blood and Miss Lavella Shirley will go to their respective homes in Eugene and Corvallis to spend Thanksgiving.

Miss Lottie Franklin will go to Portland for Thanksgiving. She will attend a young people's convention while there.

Mrs. Murphy will go to Ashland and Mr. Amick will go to Grants Pass to spend Thanksgiving with their mothers.

Interclass basketball games for the boys are being played off this week. The first games were played Monday night between the juniors and sophomores and between the seniors and freshmen. The seniors and freshmen were victorious. On Wednesday night the seniors defeated the sophomores and the freshmen defeated the juniors in two lively games. Tonight the freshmen play the juniors. These games promise to be very interesting and friends of the school are invited to attend.

On Wednesday, Nov. 25, at one o'clock, the home economics II class will give a style show. The skit is entitled "Just Looking." There will be other features in this program. The boys will give a burlesque of the girls' Style Show and the girls' glee club will give a very clever comedy skit.

Any friend of the school is welcome to attend.

The juniors are glad to welcome into their class Charles Murphy, son of Mrs. Bessie Murphy. He has formerly attended Columbia University at Portland and Oregon School of Technology.

Victor Kess has just been registered in the freshman class. He comes from South Bend, Indiana.

A unique class was organized last

week with the total registration of twenty. It is a poster making class with Mrs. Ross as the instructor. The class meets once a week on Thursdays, the sixth period. The purpose of the class is to make posters for the school and outside organizations whenever posters are desired.

A series of assembly programs is being planned by the student body. These programs are to be given Friday afternoons by the various organizations. It is the aim to have as large a number of students as possible take part in the various programs.

Ping Pong is the latest thing in high school. Two tables have been built and placed in the upper halls and the game is furnishing a welcome diversion these rainy days. The latest reports from the tournament show J. Jones, G. Brown and A. Ayers still in the girls' singles and L. Hedgepeth, E. Shaver and R. Martin in the boys' singles. The boys' doubles have not as yet been played although the teams have been chosen.

All the children in the Central Point schools will be given a chance to have the Schick test, free. This test is to determine immunity to diphtheria, thereby telling whether a child should be immunized or not. As the test will not be given the child without the consent of his parents, all parents are urged to sign the slips, which will be sent home by their children, in the affirmative. This is an opportunity which should not be passed up.

A new series of programs is being planned by the grades. These will be given every two weeks on the first and third Fridays of the month in the high school auditorium between three and four o'clock. The programs are to start after Christmas. The grades will be divided into groups of four, the first four and the last four, and these groups will take turns in presenting the programs.

The 23rd of December will be Open House at the high school. A Christmas program will be given and afterwards the teachers will be in their rooms. The parents are asked to visit the rooms and examine the exhibits.

DON'T MISS

## Faber's Christmas Eve Party

December 24, 6:30 P. M.

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