

STEIWER BACKS FARM AID PLAN

Efforts to Cripple Co-operative Work in Agriculture to Meet State Opposition

Declaring that Oregon's future depends on its ability to keep its agriculture abreast of scientific developments in order to compete with other regions, Senator Frederick Steiwer has expressed a determination to fight hard if necessary to prevent the crippling of the co-operative federal-state research work now under way at Oregon State college experiment station.

Senator Steiwer recently inspected this work at the experiment station before returning to Washington for the opening of the short session of congress. He said he was greatly impressed with the importance and quality of the work carried on there.

Many problems that are of more than state importance are being investigated in Oregon through a co-operative arrangement whereby the federal government of agriculture furnishes the trained specialists while the college supplies equipment, land and laboratory space. Steiwer viewed personally.

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Hugh Lansbery Climbs Mt. Lassen

Steep Slopes Surmounted by Springfield Man; More People Use Trails in Parks

Mr. Hugh Lansbery of Springfield on his recent visit to Lassen Volcanic National Park in northern California climbed the steep sides of Lassen Peak, the only recently active volcano in the continental United States. This information was obtained from the register that has been located all summer on the very topmost pinnacle of this volcanic mountain, and recently brought down by park rangers in order that a count of the number of persons climbing Lassen could be made.

Results from this count indicate that there is a distinct tendency on the part of persons visiting this park to use the trails and do more hiking. Whereas last year only 6 percent of the park visitors entering over the Lassen Peak Loop Highway climbed Lassen Peak and registered, this past season saw over 14 percent making the climb.

This tendency on the part of the visiting public is welcomed by the Park Service officials, who feel that the very best way to fully see and enjoy this, and other National Parks, is by hiking or horseback. To this end, trails are rapidly being improved and constructed here. The Lassen Peak trail, which takes off from the scenic loop highway, a paved and standard first class road, is an example of the type of trails now being constructed in our national parks. It is 2 1/2 miles in length, four feet wide, of a grade not exceeding 15 percent, and costing the Government \$10,000 to construct. It has been found that it takes the average visitor from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 hours to make the ascent on this trail, and although all agree that the climb takes plenty of energy, none regret the trip or lack enthusiasm over it on their return.

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McKenzie Valley

Thanksgiving gatherings and family reunions were numerous here the past week.

Among these were Mr. and Mrs. William Hucka, who had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hucka, and children of Fall Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. George Willian entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Page, Mr. and Mrs. Osmer Stacy, Carolyn and Janet Stacy, Mrs. Carolina Stacy at Thanksgiving dinner.

Mrs. Gina Momb and Mrs. John Holm had several invited guests for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carter were host and hostess to a group of 11 including Mrs. Paralee Gibson, Mrs. Pleasant Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carter and family, Mrs. Frank Moore and Angeline Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ayers' list of Thanksgiving guests included Mrs. Ayers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Laporte of Eugene and aunt, Miss Laporte of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Slaven's guest list included Mrs. Arch Johnson, three grandchildren, who are her houseguests, Hudson Fountain, J. W. Fountain and son, Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Rauch and family of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Rauch of Eugene were Thanksgiving guests at the J. S. and Walter Rauch homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Rennie Koozer's Thanksgiving guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Del Benson and children, Mrs. John McNutt, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wearin and children, Mrs. John Stormont and son, Ivan, W. R. White. In addition 32 friends of the family joined in surprising Mr. Koozer in the evening in celebration of his birthday. Mr. Koozer who is working near Newport was home just the one day.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wearin entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Jennings and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Devor and Joe Devor, Jr.

Mrs. J. W. Fountain accompanied Robert and Lucille Millican to Drews, Oregon for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Schwering, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Easton, Gail Easton and Jay Schwering, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Montgomery and son, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Schwering and Gloria Schwering were among those attending a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Irwin in Eugene, from the McKenzie valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Millican and daughter, Dorothy, were guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Jennings have moved to the Chas. Sylvester property they purchased a few weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester have moved to Springfield to make their home. Mr. Sylvester has operated a service station and small store at Waltherville the last few years.

A Thanksgiving dance was held at the W. R. White home.

The sum of \$10.75 was raised last night at a program given by the Doerhorn P. T. A. Proceeds will be used for a Christmas tree and program in the community.

Mrs. Leland Shrode was given a shower at her home Wednesday. Twelve guests were present and brought many beautiful and useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Shrode are the parents of a baby born recently.

A free program after which a bazaar will be held and refreshments sold will be held at the Leaburg Church Friday evening. Funds raised will go to the church maintenance fund.



TOWN AND VICINITY

Yakima Man Here—C. M. Jaybell, farmer of Yakima, Washington, was a visitor in Springfield Sunday.

Visits at Waltherville—Miss Ann McGookin spent Sunday visiting with friends at Waltherville.

Leaburg Man Here—John Wilts of Leaburg was a business visitor in Springfield on Friday.

Sister Dies—John Cassidy received word here Friday of the death of a sister in New York.

Business Visitor—J. J. Cabe of Cedar Flat was a business visitor in Springfield Saturday.

Wedding Man Here—Seth Byers of Weedling was a visitor in Springfield Saturday.

Vida Man Here—W. C. Allen, Vida farmer, was a business visitor in Springfield Saturday.

In from Blue River—Charles Grubing of Blue River was a business visitor in Springfield Saturday.

Jasper People Here—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Forum of Jasper were visitors in Springfield Monday.

Mother Visiting Here—Mrs. W. H. Riddell of Detroit is here visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Wilson.

Ill With Influenza—Miss Irene Jeter, nurse in Dr. W. N. Dow's dental office, has been ill this week with the influenza.

Has Operation—M. E. Mulvey of Coburg underwent an operation at the Pacific Christian hospital Monday.

At Grants Pass—Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Rebban spent the first half of the week at Grants Pass where they have property interests.

Oakridge Man Here—T. C. Maxwell of Oakridge was a business visitor in Springfield Monday. He was registered at the Springfield hotel while in the city.

Returns Wednesday—Miss Eva Miller returned yesterday from Klamath Falls. She was injured in an automobile-train accident in Eugene a few weeks ago.

Salem Man Here—Alvin J. Cross of Salem was in Springfield Saturday looking after business matters in the interest of the World War Veterans' state aid commission.

Visit in Portland—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson and son, Mac, are spending the week in Portland visiting at the home of Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis McLean.

Visitors from Corvallis—Mr. and Mrs. John McCready and Mrs. Ike Struble of Corvallis were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Moyer. Mr. and Mrs. McCready are parents of Mrs. Moyer.

Has Operation—W. C. Myers submitted to a minor operation at the Pacific Christian hospital in Eugene last Thursday morning. He is reported to be getting along nicely now.

Endeavor Plans Told—Sterling Cash, president of the Lane county Christian Endeavor union spoke at the meeting of the local group at the Christian church Sunday evening. He explained the plans which are being made to entertain the state rally to be held in Eugene next April.

Legion Plans for Dance Saturday

First Social Event on Thanksgiving Day Successful; New Music is Planned

The success with which the Thanksgiving dance was greeted at the Thurston hall last Thursday night has resulted in plans for another even better dance to be staged there Saturday of this week, according to J. M. Larson, finance officer of the Springfield American Legion post, sponsors of the dances.

The Thanksgiving day dance was the first of the season to be held by the local group. Others will be announced at intervals during the winter months. An entirely different orchestra will provide the music Saturday night.

Jensen Forced Into Achiu Bout

Unsportsmanship Last Week Cause Commissioners to Withhold Earnings Friday

Will Thor (Thunder God) Jensen from Elkton behave himself in the ring this evening when he goes after Walter Achiu again or will he continue his same rough tactics? Many people are wondering and it is sure that a large crowd will be present to see what happens.

Jensen is under a kind of police discipline being administered by the Eugene Wrestling commission. Last week he became unmanageable in the ring and after ripping off Harry Elliott's trousers, continued his activities outside of the bounds of the ropes. The commissioners demanded that he demonstrate that he can wrestle clean and that he meet Achiu again this week. It being contended that the Chinaman lost the match unfairly. Jensen's purse last week was held back until after the match tonight. He has not reacted favorably to this but has agreed to the match and ought to be well-prepared for a hard contest tonight.

Billy (Roughhouse) Coggins of Tacoma will meet Kid Fenton of Edmonton, Canada, in the 45-minute special event. Fenton is a newcomer but Coggins was here before in a match with George Pete.

Lincoln School Notes

The play "The Pilgrims and their Journeys" will be presented at the assembly period Friday by the boys and girls in the second division of the 8-B grade.

Girls in the junior high school are now taking regular gymnasium work each Monday and Wednesday. Their classes are held at the high school gymnasium at eleven o'clock.

Girls of the eighth grade cooking club and the girls glee club held a candy sale at the school Wednesday noon. Proceeds will be used in paying for song books for the junior high school.

Listen on the radio between 8 and 8:30 Thursday evening. The school will broadcast a program over station KORE in Eugene.

Upper Willamette

The Homecoming for Pleasant Hill high school was held Friday night in the Pleasant Hill gymnasium. There were three games of basketball. The high school girls defeated the alumni girls by a score of 47 to 5. After a hard tussle the alumni boys defeated the high school team by a score of 27 to 23. After these two games were played the boys of '31 played the boys of '29 defeating them in a very rough game by the score of 24 to 21. Refreshments were then served to all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dent and family of Roseburg, Oregon spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Phelps.

There were several parties during the Thanksgiving week-end. The Intermediate Endeavor gave a hard time party at the home of Miss Nancy Barnum. All the young folks came dressed in old time clothes.

Miss Rosalie A. Parker of Dexter entertained four couples of young folks at a card party at her home Saturday night.

Miss Myrna Laird entertained Saturday evening at cards. Her guests were four couples of young folks.

Nearly a half million football fans attended fifteen games on a recent Saturday. Sixty-five thousand saw the University of Pittsburgh defeat Notre Dame.

An economy drive at Colby College compelled the football team to use a hat for a ball in its drills before a recent game.

In his first year as manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, Max Carey fined and suspended more players than Wilbert Robinson did in 14 years.

TURKEYS END THISTLES ON SILVERTON FARM

A unique but apparently effective method of eradicating Canada thistles has been developed here by Mrs. W. L. Dunagan who first plants corn over the thistle patch and then turns turkeys in it late in the summer. The thistles are cut off twice late in the summer, then when the turkeys go in they nip off every weed shoot as it emerges from the ground. The method was reported to G. R. Hyslop, head of farm crops at Oregon State college, who says it holds interesting possibilities as a variation of the clean cultivation method of eradication.

Waltherville Has New Grange head

Arthur Frazee Chosen Master at Annual Election Meeting Held Friday Evening

Arthur Frazee was elected master; and Kenneth Jennings overseer of the Waltherville grange when that organization elected new officers Friday evening. Leland Shrode is the new secretary-treasurer.

Other officers chosen are Miss Emma Goddard, secessa; Mrs. Clement, Pomona representative; Miss Grant, flora; Mrs. Frazee, chaplain; Mrs. Frank Page, lecturer; Hugh Goddard, steward; Mrs. Becker, lady steward; and Mr. Grant, S. J. Goddard, and Mr. Clement, members of the executive committee.

Waltherville is the youngest grange organization in the county having been organized less than one year.

FRUIT, NUT MEN MEET IN SALEM DECEMBER 6

Many interesting projects and problems to be discussed by experts at meeting.

The annual meeting of the Western Nut Growers association will be held in Salem, December 6 and 7, and the annual meeting of the State Horticultural society, December 7, 8 and 9, both meetings at the Salem Chamber of Commerce.

Senator Sam Brown of Marion county who has 29 acres of filberts, will discuss the growing of Barcelona filberts.

Fred Groner, pioneer English walnut grower of Hillsboro will show films of a trip to Europe last summer and tell how Europeans grow walnuts. Mr. Groner manages 400 acres of walnuts.

Electric hotbeds will be demonstrated and discussed. It has been said that hens have been fooled by extra light, why not seeds and plants by extra heat?

The development of size and quality prunes and cherries are also on the program for the three-day meeting.

Every interested person is invited to attend the meetings. No membership are required for attendance.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS

The semi-annual teachers' examinations will be held at the County Court room commencing Wednesday, December 21st at 9:00 o'clock A. M. and lasting until the 23rd.

Teachers who are planning to take the entire examinations of several subjects for exemption, kindly notify us and we will send you a schedule when the subjects will be given.

E. J. MOORE, Co. School Supt. (D 1-8-15)

LOW DEMAND IS FACTOR IN SLUMP

O. A. C. Economist Blames Decline in Buying Power for Low Price Levels

Both the general level of farm prices and the index of factory payrolls in the United States have declined 60 percent since October, 1929, according to the monthly summary of the trend of demand, prices and costs of farm products just released by the agricultural extension service.

In commenting on this fact, L. R. Brothaupt, college extension economist, said, "The decline in the purchasing power of consumers appears to be much more of a reason for the great decline in farm prices than the slight changes which have occurred in the total supply of farm products from year to year."

The report points out that more than the usual seasonal increase has occurred since August in industrial production, factory employment and payrolls, and in general business activity. On the other hand all of the gains made in the general level of wholesale prices from June to September have been lost and the general level of farm prices has declined over 5 percent since mid-September.

Farm Purchases Start Down

The position of Federal Reserve member banks to make loans has continued to improve, but actual bank loans outside of New York City, and New York commercial in interest rates, have continued to decline.

Some encouragement is to be had because the decline in farm prices has been partly offset by lower prices for commodities bought by farmers. However, the cost of producing farm products has not declined nearly as much as farm income, says the report.

The index of Oregon farm prices was given at 45 percent of the average level from 1926 to 1930, with the United States average at 42. Compared with the pre-war level of farm prices, the index for the whole country was 59 percent. The index of prices paid by farmers was 107 percent of pre-war compared with 122 a year ago and 153 as the average from 1926 to 1930.

BE SURE OF MUSHROOMS BEFORE EATING, ADVICE

"There just isn't any such universal mushroom rule," is the answer that H. P. Barsa, head of the botany department at Oregon State college, has to give to the many inquiries this fall wanting to know how they can distinguish the edible from the poisonous mushrooms.

"I think the best plan is to depend on somebody in your locality who really knows mushrooms to teach you to recognize certain edible kinds," says Professor Barsa. "There is no bulletin or publication to help the Pacific coast mushroom collector."

"There are hundreds of kinds that are not poisonous but it is unsafe to eat mushrooms unless one knows the particular kind gathered is safe, and can identify it positively among other sorts. If that is not possible the safest thing is to let them alone."

In defeating the University of Rochester by a score of 6 to 0, Hobart College football team won its second victory in 33 starts.

Thurston

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mathews entertained the Gray family, Mrs. Mathews' folks, for Thanksgiving dinner. Guests numbered 28. Those coming from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Lum Mays and Frank Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray and family from Signal, Mrs. Alberta Davenport and three daughters from Lowell, and Miss Lois Mathews from Toledo.

Last Friday evening the teachers, Misses Hazel Edmiston and Helen Elyer, and students of Mt. Vernon school gave a dedication program in honor of the new addition and remodeling and repainting of the school building.

Arch Shough who is working at Bend spent the week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell have returned from a trip to Portland and Salem visiting their children Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Endicott and Mr. and Mrs. Belmont Russell.

Miss Ella Baugh motored to Corvallis with friends last Thursday and spent the day.

School Meeting Set — Regular monthly meeting of the school board for December will be held Monday night.

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CALL FOR WARRANTS

NOTICE is hereby given that School District No. 18, in Lane County, Oregon, will pay at the office of clerk of said district, all warrants to and including 2429, dated September 30, 1932. Interest ceases after December 3, 1932. C. F. BARBER, Clerk.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed his Final Account as ADMINISTRATOR of the Estate of Raleigh C. Roney, deceased, in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County, and that said Court has fixed Monday, the 2nd day of January, 1933, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., in the County Court Room of the Court House of Lane County, Oregon, in Eugene, Oregon, as the date, time and place for the hearing of said Final Account and of objections thereto, and for the final settlement of said estate.

L. N. RONEY, Administrator of the Estate of Raleigh C. Roney, Deceased.

POTTER & BAILEY, Attorneys for Administrator. (D 1-8-15-23-33)

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