

CROPS HERE ARE ABOVE AVERAGE

Oregon Production Average is Normal; National Situation Weakest in 50 Years

The season of 1933 has been the least favorable for crop production nationally in 50 years, though Oregon shines in comparison with conditions about normal despite shortages in some crops. This is shown in the current report on the agricultural situation issued by the agricultural extension service at Oregon State college. Low yields are in prospect for most crops in the country, with acreage in some cases reduced.

Hay Crop Poorest on Record
The general condition of pastures in the United States is the poorest on record. Hay production is expected to be more than 100 per cent below average. The feed grain supply of the country may be as much as 20 per cent smaller than a year ago, with the oats crop especially short. Flax seed production is expected to be less than one-half of average. Potato production was forecast on July 1 as about 14 per cent less than last year.

A record small crop of wheat is in prospect, the estimate being approximately 500 million bushels compared with 726 million last year and the 1928-1932 average of 855 million. With a carryover of 360 million bushels and expected domestic use and export of around 660 million, a carryover next July 1 of 200 million bushels seems likely. Outside the United States, the world supply of wheat, considering both the new crop and the record carryover, appears to be about the same as a year ago.

Both Incomes and Costs Mount
The general trend of prices for farm products has been upward during recent weeks, according to the circular. The cost of commodities purchased by farmers has also increased somewhat. In June, the government index of prices paid by farmers was 103 per cent of the pre-war level with farm prices at 64, giving an index of purchasing power of 62. The purchasing power of farm products still averages probably less than two-thirds of pre-war parity, despite the advance in prices for some commodities, the report says.

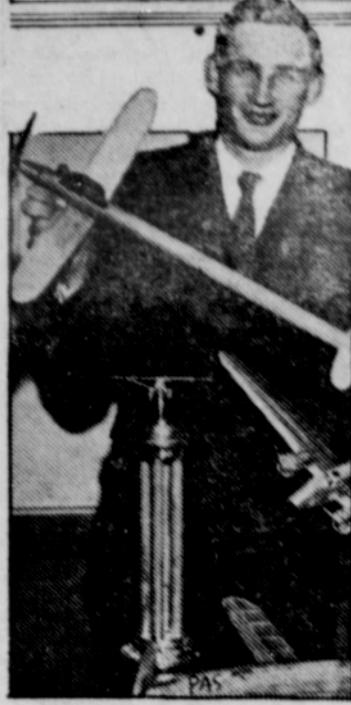
CONTESTS FOR FOUR-H CANNERS ANNOUNCED

Lane county club members will be eligible to compete in 3 special national contests just announced by the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club work. Trips to the national club Congress at Chicago as well as trophies will be awarded to winners in the different contests.

The national 4-H club leadership contest for the boy and girl having the outstanding record in leadership and the national 4-H Club Achievement contest for the outstanding record of work done both carry with them a trip to the Club Congress.

Gold filled medals of honor will be awarded to county winners in the following national contests: Thos. E. Wilson Meat Animal Project contest, Montgomery Ward & Co., girls record contest, Chicago Mail Order Co. Style Dress Revue,

Model Plane Record



Robert Pekelma, of Chicago, won the national model airplane championship for 1933 in the tournament staged at the Chicago Municipal Airport in conjunction with World Fair events. One of his model planes achieved a new world speed record of 662.

Kerr Glass Co., Canning Achievement Contest, Nelson Knitting Corn Project Achievement contest. County winners in the different contests will be selected as far as possible at the Lane county 4-H fair August 24-25-26. County winners will compete at the club contests at the State Fair for trips to the club congress and to the 4-H Club Summer school.

Young club members in this vicinity have won prizes in previous years with their exhibits.

Upper Willamette

A number of friends gave a charivari for Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johns Monday at midnight at the home of Mr. John's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Johns of Pleasant Hill. Floyd Johns was married in Salem to Miss Edna Snyder at the home of the bride's parents on Saturday, July 29, at 9:30 a. m. Donald Kabler a friend of the groom acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Johns of Pleasant Hill attended the wedding. The bridal couple will make their home at Meadowview where Mr. Johns works for Harry Schreck.

Douglas Kabler has gone east to the Chicago World's fair. He is working his way trucking, etc., from city to city. Last heard from he was in Kansas City.

Miss Irma Laird has returned from an extended trip through the east and a visit at the Chicago fair. She is visiting her parents at Pleasant Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher and son, Billy of Winona lake are also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Laird. Mrs. Gallagher was formerly Miss Frieda Laird.

Myrna Laird has returned from a visit with relatives at Toledo, Oregon.

Miss Mildred Swift is spending a week at Portland with her aunt. Tonsils Out—Howard Montgomery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rube Montgomery, of Leaburg, had his tonsils and adenoids removed Wednesday at the office of a Springfield physician.



DETECTIVE . . . on rural clues The chief of police of Pittsfield sneered when Garret Troy of West Stockbridge, deputy sheriff of Berkshire, asked for a search-warrant for the home of a respected citizen of Pittsfield. No county sheriff could tell the Pittsfield police anything about detective work. It was ridiculous to suspect a hard-working citizen, anyway.

"Only one car went along the road past the house that was robbed," said Troy. "The marks in the snow showed that it had two new rear tires of a peculiar tread design. I've followed those tracks to Pittsfield and I'll show you where the car is parked in front of this man's house."

The skeptical police chief sent a man with the sheriff. They got into the house and found more than \$2000 worth of the stolen property. The robber and his accomplices pleaded guilty in court.

That is only one of a dozen cases in which Sheriff Troy has proved himself a better detective than you often find outside of story books.

EFFICIENCY . . . in town affairs Three years ago the city of Fall River, Mass., was bankrupt. It could not pay the interest on the city debt, couldn't pay salaries. The courts appointed a receiver for the city, who cleaned out the deadwood and set out to balance the city's budget.

Several hundred persons who had been on the city payroll without doing any work were dismissed. A campaign against dirt and disorder was begun. In spite of the closing down of textile mills, throwing thousands out of work, means were found to keep the home people busy at something, if only cleaning up the town. Fall River people began to feel a new pride in their city. Now the cotton mills have started up again, but even before that Fall River had got on its feet, merely because a few energetic citizens were determined to bring it back.

There's hardly a community in America that isn't in need of a thorough municipal housecleaning.

EDUCATION . . . too cheap A movement has been started—I don't know how far it will get—to abolish free education in some of the publicly-supported colleges.

To me that seems like a sound idea. College education has become too cheap. It is so cheap that it is not regarded as valuable by a good many of those who get it for nothing.

I would be the last to put an obstacle in the way of any boy or girl of outstanding ability, but the older I get the more I am convinced that the duty of government to provide free education at the expense of the taxpayers ends about high school time.

The truly able and ambitious will get the education they seek despite all obstacles.

FOOLISHNESS . . . in laws Nothing could be more foolish than trying to prescribe rules which must be followed literally by those who come after us.

A hundred years ago some charitable-minded ladies collected a fund to provide red flannel underwear for poor students at Andover Theological Seminary. For many years no students have needed or wanted that sort of underwear, and the fund has been accumulating until it is now \$12,000. It took a court order to authorize the trustees to spend the income for other assist-

SUMMONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR LANE COUNTY

Jens S. Scott, Minnie M. Scott, Willard L. Cochran, L. Maurie Cochran and C. I. Anderson, Plaintiffs,

vs.
L. Z. McVay, John Dewey Campbell, Lois J. Campbell, Unknown heirs of Daniel McVay, deceased, Myrtle H. Adams, R. Jerry Adams, Alfred F. Walker, Halden Walker, Mrs. Halden Walker, Also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right title estate lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

To L. Z. McVay, Unknown heirs of Daniel McVay, deceased, Alfred F. Walker, Halden Walker, Mrs. Halden Walker, Also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear or answer for want thereof the plaintiffs will take a decree against you quieting the title to the following described real property:

Lots one, four and five of Brooklyn as platted and of record in Lane County, Oregon, and that each of you be decreed to have no right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to the aforesaid premises or any part thereof.

The order directing the service of this summons by the publication thereof is dated August 2nd, 1933 and directs publication once each for four successive weeks and the date of the first publication of this summons is August 3rd, 1933.

C. A. WINTERMEIER, Attorney for plaintiffs, Residence, Eugene, Oregon.

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AT THE COLONIAL



Guy Kibbee never even misses his watch as he looks into the eyes of Joan Blondell, one of the "wise" show girls in "Gold Diggers of 1933," Warner Bros. sensational musical hit which comes first run to the Colonial for a week starting with a midnight preview Saturday night at 11 p. m.

Beauty Goes to Work



Miss Lois Delander, the Miss America beauty winner of 1927, now graces a wearing apparel department saleslady in a Chicago department shop at the World Fair,

ance to poor students.

When this "Samaritan Fund" was established everybody wore red flannel underwear. The good ladies assumed that everybody would always wear them.

When the Constitution of the United States was adopted the statesmen of that day assumed that conditions would always be what they were then. We've had to change the Constitution twenty times, and to make new interpretations of its old provisions a hundred times.

RELIGION . . . not wholesale

The revival of interest in religion is one of the most striking developments of the past few years. I know of many groups of people young and old, rich and poor, who are holding frequent meetings for the discussion and study of religion in its broad sense, and finding new meanings to life as a result of their discussions.

Foremost among the new religious movements is what is called the "Oxford Group Movement," or "Buchmanism," from its originator, The Rev. Frank Buchman, who started the first meetings at Oxford, England, twelve years ago. It is not a new sect or church, but an effort to bring back into the lives of people of all denominations the truth of Christianity as a guiding rule of life.

Elderly Lady Ill

Mrs. Belle Spang was seriously ill at her home on "A" street this morning.

GOLD DIGGERS COME TO COLONIAL SATURDAY

Catchy Dances and New Song Hits Feature Big Film Spectacle Booked for Entire Week

"Gold Diggers of 1933," Warner Bros.' all-star, dramatic musical spectacle, said to be even greater than "42nd Street," as the most lavish entertainment of the decade, opens first run Saturday night at 11 p. m. at the Colonial in Eugene. It will then remain at the Colonial for a week.

"A fitting sequel to the sensational popular picture '42nd Street' which started new styles in screen fare, 'Gold Diggers of 1933' according to Hollywood information exceeds its great predecessor in beauty, in catchy tunes and 'whistling' music, and in its story values.

The names of Warren Williams, Joan Blondell, Ruby Keeler (Mrs. Al Jolson) who sprang to screen fame over night in "42nd Street"; Dick Powell, Aline MacMahon, Guy Kibbee, Ginger Rogers and Ned Sparks head the superlative cast.

"Gold Diggers of 1933" is a "back of the back-stage" story, a dramatic and amusing insight into the lives and loves of the people primarily responsible for the staging of a great New York show. It is an intensely human story climaxed by a triumphant and spectacular "show" in which choruses of 200 picked beauties are lavishly displayed in dance ensembles.

It is the story of three gold digging show girls into whose capable hands the problem of finding an "angel" for the show that will give them employment and opportunity, is entrusted. The tricks and trades behind many a Broadway success, are disclosed in a whirlwind of exciting incident and amusing situations. The song writing selen of a proud family eventually involves both his severely proper older brother and the family lawyer in the intricacies of showmanship.

The fundamental principle of Buchmanism is the power of the Holy Spirit to purge the soul of sin, which follows upon confession and repentance. I have attended several of the meetings and many of my friends have, to my knowledge, benefited greatly by them.

WHEAT ACREAGE ALLOTMENT SET

Wheat Benefit Payments Are Fixed by Administration; Cash Available This Fall

Official allotment to counties of the United States of the number of bushels of wheat on which benefit payments will be made under the wheat adjustment program of the farm act, shows that Lane county has been allotted 130,777 bushels of the total 11,450,585 bushels allotted to Oregon.

Notification of the allotments, the basis on which they were arrived at, and definite word as to the amount of payment to be made to contract signers this fall, have all been sent to the agricultural extension service at Oregon State college, which is in charge of the educational campaign in connection with the wheat plan.

Figure is Proportionate
Allotment of 130,777 bushels to this county was arrived at by taking 54 per cent of the five-year average production here from 1928 to 1932. This percentage is figured to be the proportion of the average United States crop that will go into domestic human consumption and hence will pay the processing tax used to finance benefit payments.

Farmers who sign the government contracts will receive individual allotments on a similar basis. The allotment to this county or to any individual grower does not mean that that is all he is supposed to raise. It merely means that on that amount only will he receive the extra benefit payments designated to compensate him for reducing acreage and to give him a fair "parity price" for that portion of the crop.

First Payment in Fall
Definite announcement is also made that 20 cents a bushel cash benefit payments will be made this fall as soon as the details of contract signing are completed. The remainder of the payment, announced as from 8 to 10 cents a bushel, will be made next spring after acreage reduction is accomplished. Definite decision on the amount of acreage reduction to be required

is expected to be announced the first week in August. New assurance is given that it will not exceed 20 per cent. A late development is the possible use of a small fraction of the processing tax receipts to finance exports of wheat, particularly from the Pacific north west, as a means of relieving the present surplus stocks and thus bring northwest market prices into more normal relation to Chicago prices and prevent possible flooding of eastern markets with western wheat. The list of Oregon counties wheat.

Thurston

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grant and family have been enjoying a visit with his aunt, Mrs. John Grant from Sydney, Australia. She is on her way to Canada.

About 25 young people of the Neighborhood went to the home of Miss Beulah Meinig last Thursday and gave her a surprise in honor of her birthday.

Miss Hazel Edmiston spent the week-end at her uncle's, Andra Calvert west of Junction City.

Mrs. Rosa Patton from Portland spent the first of the week at the Weaver home here. She is a aunt to Mrs. Weaver.

Mrs. Howell from California is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Hill.

Vern Stone from San Francisco arrived Sunday and spent Monday at the home of his grandfather, A. W. Weaver, he left Tuesday for Seattle.

Clifford Weaver and his mother, Mrs. A. W. Weaver, and Mrs. Mary McElroy from Salem left last Sunday for California to visit relatives in Berkeley and San Francisco.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County, Administrator of the estate of MAY BOYLES, Deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, properly verified and with the vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at the law office of Gordon S. Wells, Miner Building, Eugene, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication hereof.

Date of first publication hereof is August 3rd, 1933.
JOSEPH ACHESON, Administrator of the Estate of May Boyles, Deceased.
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- McKenzie Blend 49 Lbs. 1.25
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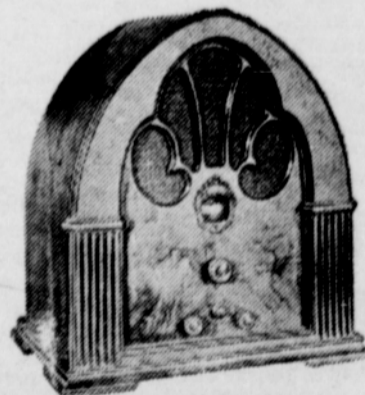
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