

# FISHING SEASON TO OPEN APRIL 5

All Tributaries of McKenzie Below Blue River Closed; Mohawk Only Exception

Fishing season will open in Oregon on April 5, ten days earlier than usual it was decided Monday at a meeting of the State Game commission in Portland. The season will close on November 15, just 15 days earlier than usual. Decision to advance the fishing season was reached after a number of requests for the earlier opening had been received from all parts of the state. Both the local Lions club and the Rod and Gun club urged the early opening.

The commission also decided to close all tributary streams of the McKenzie below Blue river to fishing with the lone exception of the Mohawk river.

The action of the commission does not open all areas to fishing on April 5. It is presumed that the later opening dates in various lakes and streams of the state will be retained or modified in accordance with the new open season.

Fishing license or the combination hunting and fishing license are now on sale at Wright and Sons hardware store in Springfield.

The placing of a large assortment of fishing equipment in all ranges of prices in the hardware company window Tuesday assured local people of the approaching season. Many persons have been standing before the window studying the equipment which will be in use this season.

## CIVIC CLUB TO SPONSOR ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW

Preliminary Plans for Exhibition Made Tuesday; Annual Plant and Bulb Exchange Held

Plans for the annual rose show and flower display of the Civic club were discussed Tuesday at the monthly meeting of the organization held at the home of Mrs. Meda Catching. A potluck luncheon was held at this meeting which was also the annual plant and bulb exchange of the club.

The group visited several flower gardens in the city during the day. The early spring this year makes it necessary to advance the date for the flower show as these plants will be blooming much earlier than usual. The exact date will not be announced for some time.

## SCHOOL LEADERS FORM GROUP FOR SALES TAX

A temporary organization of school workers to organize a campaign in support of the sales tax was formed in Eugene Saturday when F. H. Young, Portland campaign manager for the Oregon School Relief and Property Tax Reduction League, met with them at the County School Superintendent's office Saturday.

## MISSIONARY GROUPS HAVE JOINT MEETING

Members of the Senior Missionary society of the Christian church and of the Hattie Mitchell society held a joint meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ren Hollister. Mina Peterson reported on World Fellowship meeting she attended at McMinnville and Miss Uldine Gartin sang a solo. Mrs. Ella Lombard was leader of the program. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

## METHODISTS TO HEAR "HAPPIER WAY OF LIFE"

"A Happier Way of Life" will be the subject at the morning worship service at the Methodist church Sunday morning. The choir will sing special music, "The King of Love, My Shepherd Is" by Shelly, and "There is a Green Hill Far Away" by Gunod.

## QUARTET TO SING AT CHURCH ON SUNDAY

The mixed quartet from the Christian church in Eugene will sing at the morning services at the Springfield Christian church Sunday it was announced today by Rev. Veltie Pruitt, pastor. Melvin Traxler will speak on "Looking Un-to Jesus." For the evening service Rev. Ren Hollister will deliver the sermon.

## HUNTLY HEADS VETS GROUP IN EUGENE

Major M. B. Huntly of Springfield has been elected Commander of Eugene Post No. 3, D. A. V. This is an organization of veterans who have been disabled during service.

## Official Portrait of President Roosevelt



NEW YORK. . . The official portrait of President Roosevelt which is to hang in the White House has been approved. It is shown above in the studio of Mrs. Ellen Emmet Rand, who has worked on the painting since August of 1933. This is the portrait which failed to be approved when it showed the President smiling. It was changed and has now been approved by Mrs. Roosevelt.

## Now Hunted



CHICAGO. . . A nationwide search is under way for Louis W. Grober, (above) former purchasing agent for the Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co., who is alleged to have defrauded his employers of approximately \$500,000.

## RESIDENT OF MOHAWK DIES AT HOME TUESDAY

Funeral Services for Mrs. Sarah A. Tallman Set for Friday; Interment at Marcola

Mrs. Sarah A. Tallman, resident of the Mohawk valley for the past 44 years died late Tuesday evening at the home of her son, Ustle Tallman.

She was born in Crawford county, Arkansas on April 3, 1854 and moved to Troy, Kansas when three years old. Ten years later she went to Beloit, Kansas, and in 1876 she was married to David Mercer who died three months after their marriage.

On December 31, 1882 she was married to James L. Tallman and they came to Oregon in 1888, living in Eugene for a short while before moving up on the Mohawk. Survivors include the son, and one daughter, Mrs. Charles C. Hayden, also a Mohawk resident. She was a member of the Christian church since she was 13.

Funeral services will be held from the Poole-Gray-Bartholomew chapel in Springfield Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Norman Workman will officiate, and interment will be made in the Marcola cemetery.

## ARMORY COMPLETION IS ASSURED THIS WEEK

Improvement work on Springfield streets under CWA funds will be brought to a close this week when remaining funds appropriated for this project will have been exhausted it was announced today by Lum F. Anderson, local supervisor.

Work will continue on the alley project for some time and considerable more work will be accomplished in this manner. Largest of the projects remaining unfinished in Springfield is that of the Armory. Workmen this week placed the windows and hung the front doors of the building and it is now locked up at night. The plastering of the lower floor was completed this week, and carpenters have started nailing the plywood on the ceiling.

Instructions received this week call for the finishing of the entire building, both upstairs and down.

## Upper Willamette

The Lane county Christian Endeavor annual convention will be held at the Pleasant Hill Christian church Saturday. There will be a basket dinner at noon and a banquet in the evening.

The Home Economics club of the Trent, Dexter and Pleasant Hill communities met at the home of Mrs. C. E. Jordan Wednesday of last week and completed the sewing project on which they had been working. The next project to be taken up will be "Home Craft." The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Guistina. The making of hooked rugs will be demonstrated at the meeting.

Word has been received of the birth of an eight pound baby girl named "Karen Jane" to Mr. and Mrs. Kay Olsen of Portland. Kay Olsen formerly lived at Trent and graduated from the Pleasant Hill high school.

## Now Dunking Dates



PALM SPRINGS. . . They pick fresh desert dates and dunk them in hitherto forbidden beverages and eat them as appetizers in the smart set here. Ruth Holly is shown bringing in freshly picked dates for the dunking process.

## Lincoln School Notes

Members of the S-twos of the Lincoln school will publish a newspaper on Friday of this week. The previous issue of the paper was put out by the S-one group.

A program is being prepared by the members of the school to be presented at the Lincoln school on Friday, March 30. The program will consist of an operetta "Peter Rabbit" by the lower grades, and a two-act play, "The Arctic Architects" by the junior high grades as well as several other features.

A girls baseball team has been organized under the leadership of Lulu Johnson who has been elected captain. Miss Thelma Sweeney is acting as coach. Members of the team are Fern Miller and June Burkhardt, catchers; Lulu Johnson, pitcher; Wyetta Spriggs, first base; Wilma Williams, second base; Alice Logan, third base; Valera Koch and Iyl Keeler, short stops; June Burkhardt, Fern Miller, Fern Cornell, and Nora Lanning, fielders.

The eighth grade boys team played the seventh grade team in a practice game Monday night. Captain of the eighth grade boys is Wilbur McPherson. His players are Pete Taylor, Robert McChesney, Bill Martin, obert Keenen, Billy Burnett, Emil Uchtyll, Dudley Westlake, Laverne McPherson, Henry Chace, LeRoy Garvin and Arthur McChesney.

Several new pupils have entered classes at the Lincoln school. Among these are Perry Bishop and Merdith Ebbert in the eighth grade; Donald Ebbert in the seventh; Ardeth Ebert in the third and Marian Ebbert in the first grade.

Minstrel Member 'III— Mrs. Roland Mosher is ill at her home. It is uncertain whether the Minstrel show of the Christian church can be given at Thurston Monday night as she is in the cast.

## Thurston

The young peoples Sunday school class held a business and social meeting with Miss Jessie Beals last Wednesday evening. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Jordan.

The Bridge club met with Mrs. Needham last Friday evening. Mrs. Ira Gray was called to Yakima, Washington, several days ago by the seriousness illness of her father, returned home last Monday. Her father, Mr. Kumn, passed away last Thursday, his funeral was held last Saturday.

Rev. E. V. Stivers was ill and unable to fill his pulpit here last Sunday. William Platt gave a very interesting talk following Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baugh and family motored to Junction City last Sunday and visited Mrs. Baugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Calvert.

# This Week in WASHINGTON

BY RADFORD MOSELY

Washington, Mar. 15.—Summing up the results of President Roosevelt's first year in office, the general feeling here is that it has been about an even break between the administration and the depression. If the government hasn't succeeded in licking hard times, neither has that big bad wolf got the administration licked. And that, these observers point out, is all to the good, because the underlying causes of the depression, at home and abroad, have pretty nearly ceased to function, while the government still has plenty of weapons left in its arsenal. There are a lot more experiments that can be tried.

One of the most important of these, in view of many, is that of giving the president power to alter the tariff schedules at will. This appeals not only to those who favor tariff reduction but to those who believe that it is a sign that the administration has come around definitely to the realization that the depression is not a local affair but world-wide, and that it has its roots in international conditions.

Wallace, Clear Thinker  
There has been a good deal of uneasiness over what seemed like moves toward a policy of narrow nationalism in the United States just at a time when several of the other nations of the world were beginning to abandon their nationalistic policies. Some of the most vocal of the president's advisers have been outspoken in their advocacy of building a wall around the United States and proceeding to try to straighten our affairs out as if there were not other people in the world but us.

It is regarded here as a victory for the sane and well-considered analysis of our situation by Henry Wallace, secretary of agriculture, whose reputation for having the clearest, most logical and best informed mind in the whole administration group is growing. In his widely-circulated article, "America Must Choose," Mr. Wallace pointed out that Nationalism, pursued to its logical conclusion, could lead only to either Fascism or Communism. He did not think America was ready for either. Internationalism, he agreed, has its dangers, as has any other policy.

If America were to continue in its international relations on the principal that other nations must buy our goods but we would not buy any of theirs then we would be laying up plenty trouble for ourselves and destroying all the foreign markets, on which so much of our income from natural products, farm products and factory products depends.

Wallace's conclusion is that the nation should follow a middle-of-the-road policy, neither wholly nationalistic nor wholly internationalistic. And that, his admirers say, is what Mr. Roosevelt has in mind in asking Congress for authority to elevate or reduce tariff schedules by executive order without having to submit them to revision by congress nor wait upon the slow "studies" by the tariff board necessary under the existing law.

The Roosevelt Courage  
Mr. Roosevelt's friends call this the greatest display of courage he has given yet. For there is no political topic which carries so much dynamite in itself as the tariff. More than one administration has been wrecked on the tariff rocks. One promising candidate for the presidency, General Winfield Scott Hancock, who ran on the Democratic ticket against General Garfield in 1880, probably would have been elected had he not incurred the hostility of eastern manufacturers by his perfectly truthful but politically tactless statement that "the tariff is a local issue."

It is just because the tariff is a local issue that it is so dangerous. It can stir up more sectional animosity than anything else in politics. There is nothing for which the average congressman will fight so bitterly as for tariff protection for the industries of his home district, for not only votes but campaign funds depend upon his record in that respect more than in any other particular.

There is a pretty general agreement among Republicans as well as Democrats that the tariff increases provided in the two tariff laws enacted by the Republicans in 1921 and 1930, ran the import duties on most of the list up to unworkable peaks, and by inciting other nations to set up defenses against American aggression in their markets, while shutting them off from our markets, had a great deal to do with prolonging the situation precipitated by the crisis of 1929.

Tariff to the Front  
Now Mr. Roosevelt has bravely brought the tariff right up to the front of politics again. By all the rules of logic and economics this complicated subject certainly ought to be administered by the Executive, either by the President single-handed or by a commission responsible directly to him, and under rules of his making, rather than responsible to congress and its restrictions. But whether the present congress will be able to resist the

## New N. E. A. Head



CLEVELAND. . . Edison E. Oberholtzer, Superintendent of Houston, Tex., schools, is the new president of the National Educational Association. He was born at Patricksburg, Ind. and is 54 years old.

local pressure from the back home interests who don't want an equitable tariff, nor reduced tariff rates, nor anything that might conceivably benefit all the people if it is going to hurt their own pocket-books.

If Congress does grant this power to President Roosevelt it will have put into his hands the most useful of all weapons with which to carry on the fight against Old Man Depression. And if it does not give him what he asks for it will be the first time it has denied him anything, and there, again, the majority of the members of both houses are likely to face repercussions from back home—and there's a general election coming on next November!

Your correspondent's best guess, therefore, is that Mr. Roosevelt will get what he asks for.

## THREE-C COMMANDER TO TAKE MONTH'S VACATION

Major Charles H. Corlett, former commander of the Eugene C. C. district, will leave Thursday morning for a month's vacation in Oklahoma and New Mexico before proceeding for Washington, D. C. to report for duty on the war department general staff corps.

Major Corlett has been granted a month's leave effective Thursday. He and Mrs. Corlett will visit relatives in Oklahoma and then spend some time on their ranch in New Mexico. They will leave April 17 from San Francisco on an army transport for New York.

## BAPTISTS LIST SERVICES AT CHURCH ON SUNDAY

Rev. R. E. Rolens will speak on the subject, "In the Shadow of the Cross" at the 11 o'clock service at the Baptist church Sunday morning. His evening service topic at 7:30 will be "Twice Born Men." The B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:30 in the evening, and the Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

## EARLY PLANT SAMPLES WANTED FOR U. OF O.

University Naturalist Making Collection of Early Season Plant Growth

The early spring which Oregon has enjoyed, a season advanced at least two months over the average, has not only been a source of enjoyment to lovers of the outdoors, but is a matter of great scientific importance as well. It was declared here by L. F. Henderson, curator of the University of Oregon herbarium. It is of utmost importance that data as complete, and Professor Henderson has called on interested people in every section of Oregon to aid him in this work.

Future Use Foreseen  
The university for many years has maintained an herbarium, in which have been preserved thousands of plants, with accurate records of when they were taken. By using information obtained from these records Professor Henderson was able to point out the extreme earliness of this spring. Now he wants to make as complete as possible the collection of early flowers and plants for this year, so that in years to come this material may be used by research students and others.

Persons in any part of the state notice early blooming plants or flowers are urged to send them to Professor Henderson, in care of the university. If these amateur botanists desire any information on their findings, this will be supplied by Professor Henderson on request.

## Earliest of 60 Springs

Professor Henderson has been collecting plants and observing conditions in this part of the country for 60 years, and states that this is by far the earliest spring of his experience. He is spending much of his time collecting specimens in Lane county, with the assistance of Sidney King, staff writer for the Eugene Register-Guard. Cooperation of people in this county, as well as out over the entire state, will be necessary, however, if the collection is to be made as complete as is desired.

## TWO INJURED AS CARS COLLIDE IN EUGENE

Mrs. Carl Steen, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Pollard, and Mrs. E. Mannaugh, sister-in-law of W. A. Taylor, were both badly shaken up and received minor bruises Wednesday afternoon in an auto accident at Eleventh and High streets in Eugene. Their car turned over in the accident which also involved the automobile being driven by Dodd Miller.

Baby Born—Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jones are the parents of a baby boy born to them at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vest on North Fifth street Wednesday evening, March 14, 1934.

# G. E. NEET DIES AFTER ILLNESS

Native of Lane County Passes Monday at Winberry; Funeral Held Wednesday

A long illness finally claimed Charles Norman Neet when he died at his home near Winberry Monday evening. Mr. Neet was a native of Oregon having been born at Lowell on February 6, 1893. He had resided at Winberry for the past 12 years.

On September 15, 1914 he was married to Miss Fay Menthony of Eugene, who survives him as do the following: three sons, Ronald, Verlin and Albert all at home; his mother, Mrs. Margaret Coburn of Signal; one brother, Leon Neet of Halfway, Oregon; and two sisters, Mrs. Maude T. Glaspy of Eugene and Mrs. Edith Eaton of Signal.

He was a member and elder of the Bible Standard church at Lowell.

At his request graveside services were held Wednesday at Mt. Vernon cemetery. Rev. Arthur Gray and Rev. Harry R. Neat officiated. The Poole - Gray - Bartholomew chapel had charge of the funeral.

## LUMBER PRODUCTION DROPS; ORDERS UP

Seattle, Wn., March 15.—A total of 574 down and operating mills in Oregon and Washington which reported to the West Coast Lumbermen's Association for the week ending March 3, produced 90,152,563 board feet of lumber. This was a decrease of approximately 200,000 feet under the preceding week. The average production of this group of sawmills in 1934 has been 78,917,292 feet; during the same period in 1933 their weekly average was 54,297,830 feet.

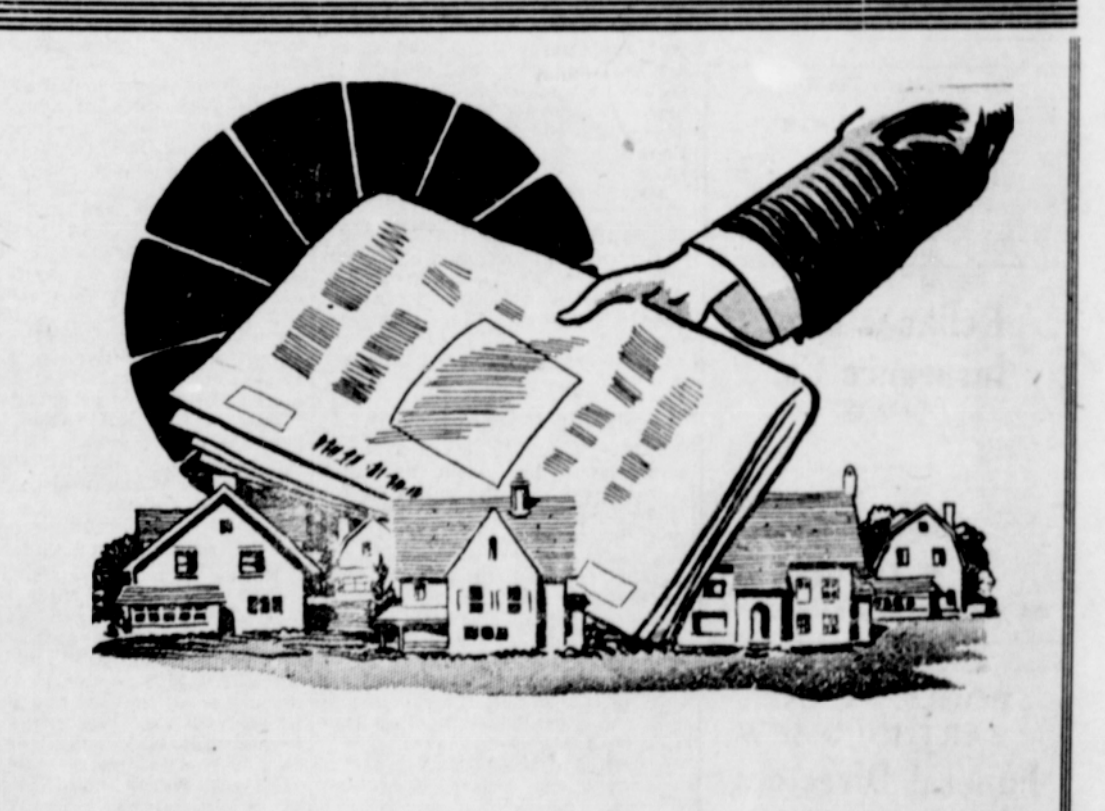
The new business reported last week 565 mills was 98,368,725 board feet against a production of 89,986,019 feet and shipments of 91,668,002 feet. Their shipments were over production by 1.9 percent and their current sales were over production by 9.3 percent. The orders booked last week by this group of identical mills were over the preceding week by 15,500,000 feet or 18.7 percent.

The unfilled order file at these mills stood at 367,259,623 board feet, approximately the same as the week before.

The aggregate inventories of 130 mills are 4.1 percent more than at this time last year.

In Hospital—Harry Hones of Jasper was admitted as a patient at the Eugene hospital the first of the week.

Marcola Man Here—F. J. Wald of Marcola was a business visitor in Springfield Tuesday.



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