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## OREGON RANKS FIFTH

### Per Capita Wealth Exceeds Most States

Oregon is one of six states with per capita wealth in excess of \$4,000, and ranks under only the states of Wyoming, South Dakota and Iowa. The state of Nevada leads the whole country with per capita wealth of \$7,299, while the figure for Oregon is placed at \$4,374, which is in excess of Nebraska and California, the other two states in the \$4,000 class.

The total wealth of Oregon is computed \$3,775,060, and represents only its tangible, physical forms such as land and improvements, the equipment of industrial enterprises and farms, livestock, railroad and public utility land and equipment, personal property, motor and other vehicles, but excludes gold and silver coin and bullion, credits and currency.

Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, South Carolina and Arkansas are at the bottom of the list. The per capita wealth of the state of Washington is \$3,727, while that of Idaho is \$3,506. There are no eastern states in the high bracket.

### Designs on Chinese Rugs

A great many Chinese rug designs are symbolic. The "endless knot" repeated at intervals in the rug symbolizes long life. The "meander" (known to the Chinese as cloud and thunder) signifies gait, abundance and plenty.

### WANTED

To hear from owner of ranch for sale. State cash price, parties, D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

## Morgan Items

Quite a number of friends surprised Mr. L. L. Funk and family last Friday and after spending a very pleasant evening, the party broke up wishing the Funks the best of success on their new farm in Sherman County.

Miss Margaret Ely taught Miss Christiana's classes during the latter's absence Monday afternoon.

Mr. Porter has been busy at Morgan erecting a fine new chicken house and brooder house for Martin Baurenfeind.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Seeley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kunscht on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Pettyjohn called on the Funks, Saturday morning.

Mr. J. F. Hardesty and Mr. Seeley went to see Mr. Crawford, last Thursday.

Mr. Bert Palmateer and Jas. Hadesty are busy repairing the phone line.

Mr. N. Pettyjohn has been hauling barley, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ely and Mrs. W. F. Palmateer have just returned from Eagle Creek, where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ely's uncle.

While in Portland, the Elys went to see Er and Mrs. Harrison. They found Mrs. Harrison very low, but Mr. Harrison very low. The nurses however said that he had begun to improve.

Mrs. Ely also went to see Mr. T. M. Benedict who is suffering severely with bronchial rheumatism.

John Harbke, of Portland, and Fay McNabb passed through Morgan last Sunday.

## Local Happenings.

Odd Fellows of Morrow and Umatilla counties meet in annual convention at Weston on Saturday, Feb. 25th.

There will be a musical demonstration, free to the public, Tuesday evening, Feb. 28th, at Bullard's Pharmacy, from 5 to 7 P. M. Be there if you like good music.

"Dad" Griffin went to Pendleton, this Friday, on his way to Weston and the Odd Fellows convention.

Mrs. Emily McMurray celebrated her 79th birthday Saturday, Feb. 18th, at the home of Ray Robison. There were present: Mrs. Alex Thompson, Mrs. Fredrickson, Mrs. Lester Goodrich, Mrs. Margaret Low, Mrs. Jennie McMurray, Mrs. Nola Harris.

Mrs. W. W. Head who has been visiting with her family for a few days returned to Cathlamet, Wash., Tuesday morning. Mrs. Head is post master at Cathlamet.

The local chapter of the Eastern Star held a very successful good sale on Saturday last. A popular priced lunch was served also.

Miss Florence Shippy is in Ione this week visiting her mother who is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Della M. Corson, and who has been ill for some time.

Many Morrow County people have secured satisfactory eye sight service from Dr. Samuel Tyler of Bend, who will be in Heppner, March 5th and 6th at Buhn's store. Dr. Tyler makes regular trips to Heppner and guarantees his work.

### Prosperous Men Wanted

A man who has money to spend is worth money to his community.—American Magazine.

### FOR SALE

- 1 3 bottom Vulcan Plow
  - 1 2 bottom Vulcan Plow
  - 1 20 horse hitch used one season.
  - 1 8 horse string hitch.
  - 5 sets of butt chain harness, collars and halter-bridles.
- Lee Beckner, Ione, Ore.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination on the Republican party ticket for the office of sheriff of Morrow County at the primaries, May 18th, 1928.

C. J. D. Bauman

#### FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce to the voters of Morrow County that I will be a candidate for the office of sheriff on the Republican ticket, at the primaries, May 18th, 1928.

G. A. Bleakman.

### I. R. ROBISON

### PONTIAC

The most powerful six cylinder car under one thousand dollars in price and only requires a Twenty-eight Dollar LICENSE

### MACHINE SHOP

A. E. Feller, of Gooseberry, shipped a carload of horses to Hubbard, last Saturday night.

Mrs. S. A. Cunningham, of Post Falls, Idaho is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elmer Griffith, this week. Mrs. Cunningham is Dist. Deputy of Northern Idaho for the Royal Neighbors of America.

The Ione lodge of Masons held a special communication Saturday night. After the work was

Morrow County raised 2,891, 085 bushels of wheat last year.

Thomas Davidson, who is a teacher in the high school at Madras, spent Saturday and Sunday with the home folks at Ione.

The Highway to Heaven is the title of a series of sermons announced by Rev. E. L. Wood of the Christian church. The initial sermon will be delivered Sunday evening, Feb. 26

### Forerunners of Wisdom

Good sense, disciplined by experience and inspired by goodness, leads to practical wisdom.—Samuel Smiles

### Shortest Public Railway

The world's smallest public railway, a 15-inch gauge type, runs from Romney, through the famous marshes to Hythe, Kent, England. The engines, weighing about eight tons, have a speed up to 50 miles an hour with 25 coaches. The fare from one end of the line to the other, a distance of eight and a half miles, is 25 cents. A special train can be hired for \$2.75.

### Motor Philosophy

One touch of gasoline makes the whole world spin. Give a man a chassis, four tires, a soap box and a horn, and he immediately wants to become the Vanishing American. From that time on, he believes in the survival of the fittest. He has two mottoes: "Fright makes right," and "The other fellow is always wrong."—American Magazine.

### Joy in Books

Except a living man there is nothing more wonderful than a book! A message to us from the dead—from human souls we never saw, who lived, perhaps, thousands of miles away. And yet these, in those little sheets of paper, speak to us, arouse us, terrify us, teach us, comfort us, open their hearts to us as brothers.—Charles Kingsley.

### The Salute

The order which abolished hat lift among soldiers was given to the military school by Friedrich Wilhelm III in 1902. The soldier on entering a house was still expected to take off his hat, while a soldier on foot should lift his left hand horizontally to his eye, and the soldier on horseback should salute with his right hand.

### NOTICE

THE TWIN CITY FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, hereby gives notice that its Grain policies Nos. 1 to 25, serial 128, inclusive, here before furnished to its former agent, W. T. McNabb at Ione, Oregon, have become lost, and that it will not be liable for loss under said policies should they be issued by any unauthorized person assuming to be the agent of this company.

Signed: Joy Lichtenstine, Manager, Pacific department, 720, California Street, San Francisco, California.

### HUDSON-ESSEX

### SUPER-SIX

Paul G. Balsiger, Agent.

At Paul G. Balsiger's

Oregon has 28 highway parks covering 1400 acres.

The Hood River Apple Growers' Association paid \$150,000 on January sales.

Curry County wool is being sold up to 40 cents, and mohair from 40 to 53.

In 1924, Oregon had 1,404 diphtheria cases and 104 deaths; in 1927, 704 cases and only 36 deaths.

Douglas County will ship about 600 cars of broccoli this season.

### CALL FOR WARRANTS

All General Fund Warrants of Morrow County, Oregon, registered on or before Dec. 31, 1927, will be paid on presentation at the office of the County Treasurer at Heppner, Oregon, on or after March 10th, 1928, at which date interest on said warrants will cease.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, Feb. 15, 1928.

Leon W. Briggs, Co. Treas.

## SPECIAL SALE AND DISPLAY

OF THE

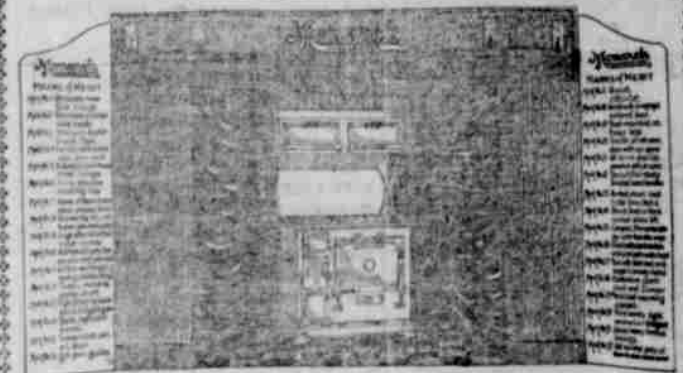
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CASE FURNITURE CO.

Heppner, Oregon

## PREPAREDNESS

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