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OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Assembled for Information of Our Readers.

The 7,489,338 feet of lumber and logs exported from Coos Bay in December brought the year's business to 101,408,942 feet for the year 1928.

The Hult sawmill and planer shed at Lowell were destroyed by fire early Saturday morning. The loss was quite heavy, but the mill will be rebuilt at once.

There are now 30 members of the Coos County Egg association with an aggregate ownership of 12,000 hens, a considerable increase in the last few months.

Schools in the Umapine district of Umatilla county have been closed and all public gatherings prohibited, several cases of scarlet fever being reported.

Dates for the annual state convention of the Elks' lodge, which will be held in Klamath Falls this year, were

set for July 17, 18, 19 and 20 by the Klamath lodge.

The Terminal Ice & Cold Storage company has started construction of a \$31,900 building at Salem which, when completed, will double the company's capacity.

Operating with trucks equipped with miniature derricks, cattle rustlers are inflicting heavy losses on central Oregon stockmen, according to information from Bend.

The state highway commission has awarded a contract to the W. H. Fackett company of Boise, Idaho, for grading 15.5 miles of the Central Oregon highway for \$102,325.

William M. Payton, who farms near Wingville in Baker county, suffered a \$3000 loss last week when fire destroyed his poultry houses and burned more than 500 laying hens.

Roy E. Cannon, Multnomah county superintendent of schools, was elected president of the Oregon County School Superintendents' association at its annual convention held in Salem.

Jail records at Klamath Falls reveal that 534 prisoners have been jailed during the year 1928, a record year in the history of the city. In 1927 469 prisoners were incarcerated.

Morgan News

Mrs. J. F. HARDESTY

C. C. Hutchcroft and H. O. Ely were in Heppner attending to business matters last Wednesday. The Grange held another meeting in the I. O. O. F. hall at Morgan Friday night.

Morgan received a fine rain on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and children spent the day with Mr. Clayton's parents at Morgan on Wednesday.

N. E. Pettyjohn and sons were hauling wood last week.

Mrs. Bert Palmateer, Dorris and Ted returned from the Valley last Sunday. Bert drove to Arlington to meet them.

School began again Monday with Mrs. Martin Bauernfeind as teacher. Mrs. Seely is keeping for Mrs. Bauernfeind while she is teaching.

Friends of Herschel Townsend are sorry to learn that he is sick with pneumonia at The Dalles.

Rood Eckleberry took Bob Lowe's place on the road while Bob went to take Harold Townsend to see his brother.

Mrs. George Mahoney returned from Portland and Salem on the Monday train.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Christopherson and daughter Margery visited with Mrs. Seely Saturday night.

John Nash went to Rhea Sidling to visit his daughter and family last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bauernfeind were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Hardesty, Sunday evening.

The Cecil storekeeper and postmaster were calling in Morgan last week.

Howard Hardesty was calling in Cecil last week.

I. R. ROBISON
GOOD TOOLS & MACHINERY
in the hands of good mechanics are necessary to make your car run LIKE NEW.
MACHINE SHOP

THE MARKETS

Portland

Wheat—Big Bend bluestem, hard white, \$1.47; soft white, western white, hard winter, \$1.14; northern spring, \$1.09; western red, \$1.11.

Hay—Alfalfa, \$22.50@23 ton; valley timothy, \$17@17.50; eastern Oregon timothy, \$21.50@22; clover, \$17@17.50; oat, \$16@17; oats and vetch hay, \$13@18.50.

Butterfat—50@52c.
Eggs—Ranch, 30@36c.
Cattle—Steers, good, \$11@12.
Hogs—Medium to choice, \$8.00@9.25.

Lambs—Good to choice, \$13@14.

Seattle
Wheat—Soft white, western white, \$1.15; hard winter, northern spring, bulk Montana No. 1, \$1.09; western red, \$1.11; Big Bend bluestem, \$1.47.

Hay—Alfalfa, \$22; timothy, \$28.
Butterfat—52c.
Eggs—Ranch, 35@37c.
Cattle—Prime steers, \$11.50@12.
Hogs—Prime, \$9.50@9.65.
Lambs—Choice, \$11.50@12.

Spokane
Hogs—Good and choice, \$9.35.
Cattle—Good, \$11@12.

Raymond Moore, 29, garage employe, was dead and his nephew Clyde Moore, 23, was in custody after a wild flight through the hills as a result of the discharge of a rifle in the hands of the nephew during a tussle with the uncle. The shooting occurred at Radio park, 15 miles from Grants Pass.

Local Happenings

Trapping appears to be more this season than for a number of years past. We note among those bringing in the furry spoils from hill and stream, Harold Ahalt, Cleo Drake, and Harry Yarnell. Even Jack Rabbit pelts seem to be worth something.

We learn through the columns of the East Oregonian of the marriage, at Stephenson, Jan. 2, of Miss Mary Fletcher to C. J. Calandra of Hood River. The young people were in Ione Wednesday for a brief visit with the bride's relatives here. Thursday evening they returned to Hood River, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright and small sons of Baker, left Ione Tuesday night after a visit with Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Grabill.

Paul Lovell, of Estacada was in Ione for a short time last week attending to business matters.

Dwight Misene, whose address is now 1042 Siskiyou St. Portland has been the victim of a severe attack of "flu", but is now on the highroad to recovery.

Mrs. O. L. Forbes has taken up her residence with her daughter Thelma, at Corvallis, where she

What is home without a Goodrich hot water bottle?
—Bullard's Pharmacy.

Local Odd Fellows and Rebekahs held a joint installation last Saturday.

Ernest Heliker and family who have been suffering with influenza are reported to be on the road to recovery.

There will be a sale of horses to satisfy a pasture bill, on Saturday, Jan. 12, at the Nickola-Thompson place [Ralph Akers ranch] John Michelbook will conduct the sale.

CUT DEBT \$726,603,316

Balance in General Fund on Last Day of Year Just Ended \$269,543,963.

Washington, D. C.—A reduction of nearly three-quarters of a billion dollars in the gross indebtedness of the United States during the last year was reported by the treasury, which issued figures to show that the debt had dropped \$183,657,742 during the month of December.

The gross debt December 31, 1927, amounted to \$18,036,352,451, while last December 31 it totaled \$17,309,740,135, a decrease of \$726,603,316. November 30 the debt was \$17,493,408,877.

The balance in the general fund the last day of the year was \$269,543,963, while the month previous it had amounted to only \$91,028,728.

FOR SALE

One John Deere tractor, practically new.

John Michelbook
Ione, Oregon.

WANTED

YOUNG CALVES
Durhams preferred.

JOHN MICHELBOOK
Ione, Oregon.

See Swanson for Insurance.

Wanted: Millions of Jack Rabbit, domestic rabbit, and other raw furs. Highest prices. Vaucauda Fur Co., 2151 Western Ave, Seattle, Wash.

Clark & Linn
Carpenter Work, Painting, Paper Hanging and General Repair Work.
Ione, Oregon.

WILHELM MIKLAS



Wilhelm Miklas, who has succeeded Dr. Michael Hainisch as president of the republic of Austria. He is a member of the Clerical party and formerly was a school teacher.

ALLOTMENT RECEIVED BY OREGON HARBORS

Washington, D. C.—A total of \$1,269,490, including \$690,500 for improvement and \$668,990 for maintenance, will be allotted to rivers and harbors handling Oregon commerce from the \$59,900,000 river and harbor item included in the war department bill reported to the house. Those figures include \$240,500 for improvement and \$62,500 for maintenance of the harbor at Crescent City, Cal., which will provide an important water outlet for southwestern Oregon.

The Oregon allotments approved by the chief of engineers include \$355,000 for improvement of the Umpqua river and \$600 for improvement of Tillamook bay and harbor.

The war department bill also will make available \$490,000 for additional construction at Fort Lewis, Wash., bringing the total amount appropriated and authorized for the building program there to \$2,242,000.

Foolish Charity

To treat a poor wretch with a bottle of Burgundy, and fill his snuff-box, is like giving a pair of lined ruffles to a man that has never a shirt on his back.—Brown.

Fishes' Eyes a Tit-Bit

Fish eyes are considered a table delicacy in the West Indies and boiled salmon eyes, which resemble large blueberries, are a favorite dish in eastern Asia.

POMONA GRANGE MEETS AT IONE

REPORTS SHOW STEADY GROWTH OF GRANGES

Morrow County Pomona Grange held its regular quarterly meeting in Ione, Oregon on Saturday, January 5.

Reports from various subordinate granges showed that there has been a steady increase in membership during the past quarter in four granges.

The Home Economics Clubs have been active in holding clothing meetings and nutrition meetings under the leadership of specialists of the Oregon State Agricultural College, in the various communities. It was the turn of Willows Grange to furnish the dinner, which they did by supplying a bountiful feast.

The afternoon was taken up by the lecturers as follows:
Song: Star Spangled Banner, Grange.

Recitation: A Hearty Greeting, Mrs. Ingram, Umatilla Co.

Reading: Uncle Josh Jines the Grange, Mr. Garringer.
Piano Solo, Mrs. Roy Lieuallen.

Reading: The Henpecked Coon, Roy Lieuallen.

Duet: In the Harbor of Home Sweet Home, Mrs. O. C. Stevens and Miss Ruth Roe.

Reading: Yacob Setting a Hen, Mrs. Miur.

Talk: Rev. W. W. Head.

Reading, Lizzie's Announcement of Her Engagement: Mrs. Ganger.

Address: Butter Substitutes, M. S. Shrock of Milwaukee.

In the evening the Willows Degree Team, consisting of Junior members, initiated a class of 21 in the 5th degree. It is the custom in Morrow county for the entertaining grange to exemplify the degree work and much credit is due the Willows grange because the majority of its members on the degree team were young folks ranging from 15 to 20 years of age.

Nine members of White Eagle Grange of Umatilla County were present, contributed entertaining
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Closeout Bargains

In taking annual inventory I find many short ends of good staple merchandise which will be closed out at real bargain prices. Overcoats, Men's and Boy's Suits will go at wholesale cost.

Visit our bargain counter and you will find something to interest you.

BERT MASON
IONE, OREGON

RED & WHITE SPECIALS FOR JANUARY 12-14

- Serv-us Coffee - - - -1 lb. for 47ct.
- Original Shredded Wheat - - 2 for 21ct.
- Beechnut Spaghetti 3 for 41ct.
- Servus Y. C. Peaches, 2 1/2, - 2 for 57ct.
- Red & White Oleomargarine, 1 for 22ct.
- Serv-us Catsup 1 for 23ct.
- Cane Sugar - - - - 7 for 47ct.
- Tomatoes in Puree 2 1/2s 3 for 44ct.
- Solid Pack Tomatoes, 2 1/2s, 3 for 57ct.

Bristow & Johnson
IONE, OREGON.