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The Wheat Conference.

AS AN outgrowth of the Wheat Growers Economic Conference at Moro the past week, an organization, to be known as Eastern Oregon Wheat League was perfected, and along lines that will consider the wheat growing industry as a business. It is expected that the new organization will function along all lines where the interests of the wheatraisers appear, from the selection and buying of seed wheat to the marketing of the crop.

some 250 wheat growers, besides many others whose interests are allied with them. The great assistance rendered by Oregon Agricultural college and the U. S. Department of Agriculture was the means of bringing out a quantity of facts from the data that they have been gathering for many years, and this made the conference intensely interesting.

The wheat league, in its work for the future will doubtless have in mind the question of co-operative marketing, and as it covers all of the eastern Oregon wheat counties, this problem should get a boost that will lead to far better conditions. The reduction and readjustment of freight rates will also be one of their problems and this will receive a prominent place in the work of this body.

The beneficial results of this conference at Moro will become manifest as time goes on. The farmer must take a keener interest in his business, for the raising of wheat is a business, and one of the biggest of the state. And when such an opportunity as the one just passed is presented, no wheatraiser should pass it up, for after all is said and done, the apparent failure, as a whole, of the great industry of Eastern Oregon is due to the fact that the average producer does not apply the business methods to his industry that he should, and he fails in taking advantage of the useful knowledge gained in mixing in these meetings with his co-laborers.

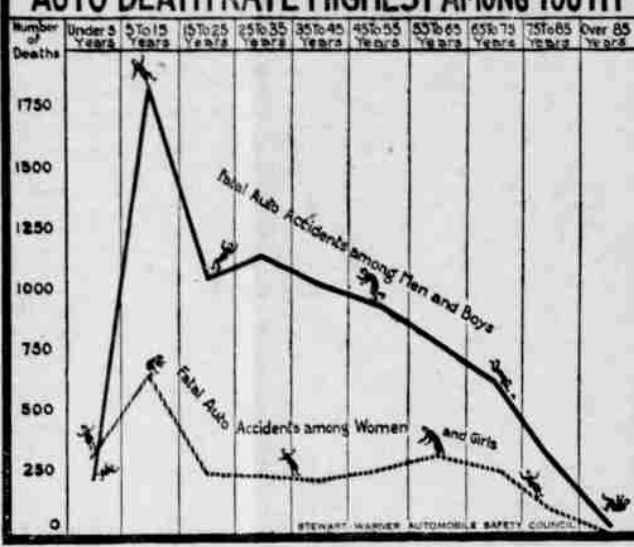
One feature that appealed to the editor of this paper as an interested onlooker, was the disposition manifested by all who took part to place the farmer in his proper position. He did not desire any particular outside help; all the wheatraiser is looking for is a chance to get his business on an equal plane with other lines of business and trade.

Some years ago, under the leadership of W. W. Smead who was at the time mayor of the city, the city fathers of Heppner undertook the improving of Main street by the application of a coat of macadam. The job was put over and it has been demonstrated by the years of use it has received, even before our Main street became a part of the state highway system and is now under their maintenance, that it was a mighty good investment. True, the city has not taken very good care of that portion of the macadam leading off of Main street and across the concrete bridge at the north end of Gale street, yet that has kept up well and can be readily restored to its former excellence.

Following along this line, the present city council is contemplating the further improvement of the principal streets of the city in this permanent manner. The plan they have in mind, so we are informed, is to begin the work of macadamizing a certain street, and as rapidly as funds are available,

YOUTH OF NATION TOPS DEATH LIST IN U. S. AUTO FATALITIES

AUTO DEATH RATE HIGHEST AMONG YOUTH



YOUTH pays the heaviest toll in annual automobile fatalities. From five to fifteen years is the period when the greatest number of fatal accidents occur, for both sexes. The chart shows the age distribution of automobile deaths for men and women as given in the latest mortality figures prepared by the government. These figures, says the Stewart Warner Safety Council for the prevention of automobile accidents, emphasize the need for more playgrounds and increased safety education among school children.

Complete statistics are not possible, as only 85 per cent of the United States keeps mortality records. About 22,000 a year is generally conceded to be the annual number of automobile fatalities. For 8,621 males known to have been killed in one year there were only a third as many women, or 2,845, in spite of the fact that the male population is only 4 per cent greater than the female.

to extend the work to other streets and in the course of time have each thoroughfare of the city improved. This will in time remove from the streets the water-holes, mudholes and ruts, the streets will be properly drained and our little city present a far better appearance in this respect. The upkeep of the macadam is slight, and the first cost will be taken care of from the surplus that accumulates in the funds for improvements of streets and alleys. The council no doubt figures that permanent improvement, though but a small portion can be made each year, is far better than the present hit and miss system. It is understood that just as soon as the city can make the proper arrangements for installing the rock crusher at the pit north of the rodeo grounds, the work of improvement will be undertaken.

A GENERAL spirit of optimism prevailed among the wheat farmers gathered at Moro the past week. In all parts of the eastern Oregon country the grain is coming along well, there has been an abundance of moisture, and the general conditions are ideal for the growing grain. The future is bright, and the most of the farmers that we talked with seem to feel that a period of genuine prosperity is ahead for the farmer, and this will, of course, prove beneficial to the business conditions all around. A few average years as to yield and price is going to bring our farmers back. There was a fine bunch of optimism at the Moro meeting.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republicans of Morrow County at the May primaries. G. A. BLEAKMAN, (Present Incumbent), Hardman, Ore. (Paid Adv.)

Municipal Improvements. SOME years ago, under the leadership of W. W. Smead who was at the time mayor of the city, the city fathers of Heppner undertook the improving of Main street by the application of a coat of macadam. The job was put over and it has been demonstrated by the years of use it has received, even before our Main street became a part of the state highway system and is now under their maintenance, that it was a mighty good investment. True, the city has not taken very good care of that portion of the macadam leading off of Main street and across the concrete bridge at the north end of Gale street, yet that has kept up well and can be readily restored to its former excellence.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed as administratrix of the Estate of Andrew Rood, Jr., deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, and that she has qualified as such by filing her bond and oath of office. All persons having claims against said estate must present them to me, duly verified as required by law, at the office of C. L. Sweek, attorney at law, in Heppner, Oregon, on or before six months from the date of first publication of this notice.

Date of first publication February 18, 1926. FRANCES W. ROOD, Administratrix.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County to me directed and delivered upon a judgment and decree and order of sale rendered in said court on the 3rd day of February, 1926, in favor of The Federal Land Bank of Spokane, a corporation, and against John L. Hoffnagle, also known as J. L. Hoffnagle, and Clara M. Hoffnagle, husband and wife; Stanfield Farm Loan Association, a corporation, and each of them, in the suit therein pending wherein said The Federal Land Bank of Spokane, a corporation is plaintiff and the said John L. Hoffnagle, also known as J. L. Hoffnagle, and Clara M. Hoffnagle, husband and wife; Stanfield Farm Loan Association, a corporation, F. T. George and E. F. Sommers are defendants for the sum of \$210 with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum since the 25th day of July, 1924, and the further sum of \$210 with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum since the 25th day of January, 1925, and the further sum of \$210 with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum since the 25th day of July, 1925, and the further sum of \$224.26 with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum from the 18th day of January, 1926, and the further sum of \$65.71 with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum since the 10th day of January, 1926, and the further sum of \$6.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum since the last day of September, 1925, and the further sum of \$5.25 with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum since September 3, 1925, and the further sum of \$400 attorneys fees in this suit and the further sum of \$23.30 as plaintiff's costs and disbursements in said suit, all of said sums less \$300 stock subscription with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum from the date of entering said decree until paid, which said decree and judgment and order of sale have been duly docketed and enrolled in the office of the Clerk of said court, and in and by said judgment, decree and order of sale it was directed that the hereinafter described real property in Umatilla County, Oregon, together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and also all of the estate, right and interest of said defendants in and to the same, be sold by the Sheriff of Umatilla County, Oregon, to satisfy said judgment and all costs.

THEREFORE, I will, on the 20th day of March, 1926, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the front door of the courthouse in the City of Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, sell all the right, title and interest which the said defendants or either of them, had on the 25th day of January, 1926, or since then have acquired or now have, in and to the following described premises situated in Morrow County, State of Oregon, to-wit: The Southwest Quarter of Section Three in Township One North of Range Twenty-eight, East of the Willamette Meridian, Morrow County, Oregon, together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining; and also all of the right, estate, title and interest of said defendants in and to the same; said lands to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the proceeds of sale to be applied in satisfaction of said execution and all costs.

DATED this 18th day of February, 1926. GEO. McDUFFEE, Sheriff of Morrow County, Oregon.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, to me directed and dated February 9th, 1926, upon a judgment, decree and order of sale rendered and entered in said Court on the 6th day of February, 1926, in favor of Mary Valentine as plaintiff and against Frank H. Burgoyne, Cecil Burgoyne, Dan Sumner, and Sadie Lewis, as defendants, for the sum of Two Thousand Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from April 7, 1925; the further sum of \$200.00 attorney's fees and \$22.00 costs and disbursements and which said decree further ordered and directed the sale of the real property mortgaged to the plaintiff to secure the payment of such judgment. I will on Monday the 15th day of March, 1926, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court house in Heppner, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the following described real property located in Lexington, Morrow County, State of Oregon, to-wit: Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, in Block One (1) of Field's Addition to the Town of Lexington, Morrow County, State of Oregon.

or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment

and accruing costs of sale. Dated at Heppner, Oregon, this 11th day of February, 1926. GEORGE McDUFFEE, Sheriff of Morrow County, Oregon.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, as administrator of the estate of Elizabeth N. Crawford, deceased, and that he has qualified by filing his oath of office and bond required by the Court. All persons having claims against said estate must present them to me, duly verified as required by law, at my office in Heppner, Oregon, on or before six months from the date of first publication of this notice. Date of first publication February 4, 1926. VAWTER CRAWFORD, Administrator.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Mathew Mollahan, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, and said court has fixed Monday, the 8th day of March, 1926, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day as the time and the County Court room in the Court House at Heppner, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections thereto, if any there be, and all persons having objections to said final account are hereby required to file the same in said court on or before the time fixed for the hearing thereof. Dated this 3rd day of February, 1926. PATRICK MOLLAHAN, Administrator.

NOTICE OF SALE OF ANIMALS.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the laws of the state of Oregon the undersigned has taken up the hereinafter described animals found running at large on his premises in Morrow County, State of Oregon, and that he will on Saturday, February 20, 1926, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m., of said day, at the Oscar Borg place in Rood canyon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand the said animals, described as follows: One bay mare mule, 2 years old, brand NR connected on left shoulder; One bay mare, 2 years old, blaze face, white feet, no visible brand, unless the same shall have been redeemed by the owner thereof. HARVEY HARSHMAN, Eight Mile, Oregon.

NOTICE OF SALE OF ANIMALS.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the laws of the State of Oregon the undersigned has taken up the hereinafter described animals, found running at large on his premises in Morrow County, State of Oregon, and that he will on Saturday, the 20th day of February, 1926, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m., of said day, at his place on Rhea creek, 11 miles south of Heppner, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand the said animals, described as follows: One red cow and red calf; no visible marks or brands on either; One red and white spotted cow, no marks or brands; unless the same shall have been redeemed by the owner thereof. JACK DE VORE, Heppner, Oregon.

NOTICE OF SALE OF ANIMALS.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the laws of the State of Oregon the undersigned has taken up the hereinafter described animals found running at large upon his premises in Morrow County, State of Oregon, and that he will on Saturday, the 13th day of February, 1926, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m., at his place (known as the Walter Rood ranch) on Heppner Flat, 8 miles west of Heppner, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the said animals, unless the same shall have been redeemed prior to that date; said animals are described as follows: One bay mare, blotch brand on left side, sorrel colt at side. One bay horse, brand T J connected on left shoulder, strip in face, about 10 years old. One bay horse, brand bar T F on right side. One small mare mule, 3 years old, blotch brand on left shoulder. One brown 2-year-old horse mule, no visible marks or brands. S. FRYREAR.

NOTICE OF SALE OF ANIMAL.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Oregon the undersigned has taken up the hereinafter described animal, found running at large on his premises in Morrow County, State of Oregon, and that he will on Saturday, the 20th day of February, 1926, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m., of said day, at his place on Little Butter creek, six miles below Lena post-office, sell the said animal to the highest bidder for cash in hand, unless the same should be redeemed by the owner thereof. The said animal is described as follows: One bay filly, weight over 900 lbs., brand cross with hind over left shoulder. ANTONE CUNHA, Lena, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FILING AMENDED FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that H. J. Biddle, administrator, of the Estate of Ivy M. Nolan, deceased, has filed his Amended Final Account with the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County; and the Court has set as the time and place for the hearing on, and settlement of said Amended Final Account, February 27th, 1926, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. All persons having objections to said Amended Final Account must file the same on or before said date of final settlement. H. J. BIDDLE, Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County administrator of the estate of Charles W. Caldwell, deceased, and that he has qualified by filing his oath of office and bond required by law, at the office of my attorney, S. E. Notson, in Heppner, Oregon, within six months from

the date of first publication of this notice, said date of first publication being the 28th day of January, 1926. M. F. CALDWELL, Administrator.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, to me directed and dated the 25th day of January, 1926, upon a judgment, decree and order of sale rendered and entered in said court on the 21st day of January, 1926, in favor of T. E. Broyles, as plaintiff, against Ambrose C. Partlow and Emma Partlow, his wife, defendants; for the sum of \$800.00, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from April 15, 1921; the further sum of \$100.00, attorney's fees; and \$45.00 costs and disbursements; said decree further ordered and directed the sale of the real property mortgaged to the plaintiff to secure the payment of such judgment. I will, on Saturday the 27th day of February, 1926, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the County Court House of Morrow County, State of Oregon, at Heppner, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real property situated in Morrow County, State of Oregon, to-wit: The West half of the East half of the Southeast quarter of Section 14, Township 4 North, Range 25 E. W. M.; or so much of said real property as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment and accruing costs of sale. Dated at Heppner, Oregon, this 25th day of January, 1926. GEORGE McDUFFEE, Sheriff of Morrow County, Oregon.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MORROW COUNTY.

Walter M. Pierce, (Thomas B. Kay and Sam) A. Koxer, as the State (Land Board of the State) of Oregon, Plaintiffs, vs. Pearl H. Condon, ad- ministratrix of the Estate of Thomas G. Condon, deceased, Pearl H. Condon, Evelyn Condon, and Dorothy Condon, Defendants. To Pearl H. Condon, administratrix of the Estate of Thomas G. Condon, deceased; Pearl H. Condon; Evelyn Condon; and Dorothy Condon, defendants. IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the amended complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before six weeks from the date of first publication of this summons; and if you fail to appear and answer or otherwise plead to said amended complaint, the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in their complaint, to-wit: For judgment against the defendant Pearl H. Condon, as administratrix of the Estate of Thomas G. Condon, deceased, for the sum of \$5,000.00, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from September 26, 1917; the further sum of \$600.00 attorney's fees and their costs and disbursements in the above entitled suit; that the plaintiff's mortgage be adjudged a first and superior lien on the following described real property, to-wit: Southeast quarter of Section 8, South half of Section 9, all of Section 16, save and except the Southeast quarter thereof; the Northwest quarter of Section 15 and the Northeast quarter of Section 22, all in Township 3 South, Range 23, E. W. M., containing 1400 acres, more or less, in Morrow County, State of Oregon; and that said mortgage be foreclosed and said premises sold in the manner provided by law and the proceeds of the sale applied to the payment of the plaintiff's judgment including attorney's fees, costs and disbursements and accruing cost of sale; and that each of the defendants above named and all persons claiming by, through or under them, or any of them be barred and foreclosed of all right, title or interest in or to said mortgaged premises and every part thereof, save the statutory right of redemption. This summons is published by virtue of an order of the Hon. R. L. Benge, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County. MADE AND ENTERED on the 25th day of January, 1926; and the date of first publication of this summons is January 28, 1926. C. L. SWECK, Attorney for Plaintiffs. Address: Heppner, Oregon.

SUMMONS.

IN THE JUSTICE COURT FOR DISTRICT NUMBER FIVE, COUNTY OF MORROW, STATE OF OREGON. Kellogg Mercantile Agency, Inc., Plaintiff, vs. H. P. Norton, Defendant. To H. P. Norton, the above named defendant: 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 Court and cause, on or before the 1st day of March, 1926, said date being more than six weeks from the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of Two Hundred Twenty (\$220.00) Dollars, together with interest thereon from the 10th day of June, 1925, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and for the further sum of \$30.00 attorney's fees, and for the costs and disbursements in this action, and will apply to the above entitled court for an order to sell the following described personal property of defendant now held under a writ of attachment and garnishment, to-wit: Two automobiles. This summons is served upon you by publication thereof once each week for six consecutive weeks in the Heppner Gazette-Times, pursuant to an order of Honorable W. A. Goodwin, Judge of the above entitled

Court, duly made and entered on the 9th day of January, 1926.

Date of first publication Jan. 14, 1926. Date of last publication Feb. 15, 1926. E. M. KELLOGG, Attorney for Plaintiff. Post office address: 640 Chamber of Commerce Building, Portland, Ore.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF AN ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF OLIN WORDEN, WHO IS SUPPOSED TO BE DEAD.

Notice is hereby given that U. G. Worden, of Orofino, State of Idaho, has applied for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Olin Worden, who, according to the petition of said U. G. Worden, has not been heard from for more than seven years and is presumed to be dead, and that on Monday, the 8th day of March, 1926, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the County Court Room in the Court House at Heppner, Oregon, the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County will hear evidence concerning the alleged absence of said Olin Worden and the circumstances and duration thereof. Date of first publication, January 21, 1926. GAY M. ANDERSON, County Clerk.

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