

Most State Crop Land Now Under AAA

Seventy-one per cent of Oregon's total crop acreage was represented in work sheets under the 1936 agricultural conservation program, while 93 per cent is represented in work sheets this year, according to a statistical summary issued by N. C. Donaldson, secretary of the state committee. Nationally there was 67 per cent of the total crop land in the United States actually covered by application for grants under the 1936 program, the annual report of R. H. Tolley, administrator, shows.

Oregon had 14,209 actual applications for grants among approximately three million such applications in the country as a whole. The national report shows that soil building practices were carried out on approximately 53 million acres of land during 1936, exclusive of western range practices.

The program is described in Administrator Tolley's report as "designed to conserve and improve the productivity of the nation's farm land by encouraging shifts from soil depleting to soil conserving crops, and by the use of sound soil building practices. The extent to which such changes were effected in Oregon is shown in the statistical summary issued by Donaldson.

In Oregon, for example, more than 40,000 acres of new seedings of perennial non-irrigated grasses were made, of which 23,000 were in eastern Oregon and 17,000 in western Oregon. In western Oregon alone more than 51,000 acres were seeded to non-irrigated alfalfa and red clover. East of the mountains trashy summer fallow methods were carried out on approximately 111,000 acres. In the state as a whole the shift from soil depleting crops amounted to 13.5 per cent among those participating in the program.

AGRICULTURE HELD

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Increased return of a cent a pound, and similar results have been obtained in other commodities. There remains room for much more work in this respect, Beck said.

Before taking his present position, Beck was county agent in Polk county, and he cited a large increase in income there brought about through the organization of a Jersey breeders' association through which the quality of dairy stock was built up immensely, and which resulted in a demand in eastern states for breeding cattle from the section at good prices.

Other club visitors included Chas. W. Smith, former county agent and former club president, now assistant state county agent leader; Paul A. Sayre and A. A. Lesseg, members of Rose City Lions club of Portland, and Dallas Jacobson, local Union Oil company agent.

The club passed a resolution sponsored by the Springfield chamber of commerce looking to preservation of natural beauties along highways of the state, and recommending that the forest service be empowered to trade public domain timber lands for private timber lands along the highways to insure such preservation.

The club named F. W. Turner, Marvin Dixon and R. C. Banister as its Rodeo float committee.

YOUTHFUL WORKERS

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strations and the best show ever is expected. The good wool and wheat crops this year also assure an exceptionally fine class of exhibits.

Space for the Browning Amusement company carnival was assured this week when the city council again gave use of the city lot beside the Standard Oil service station for the purpose.

EXAMINER COMING SATURDAY

C. M. Bentley, examiner of operators and chauffeurs, from the office of Earl Snell, secretary of state, will be at the courthouse in Heppner, Saturday, August 7, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. All those wishing permits or licenses to drive cars are asked to get in touch with Mr. Bentley at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Craber were business visitors in the city for a few hours Tuesday from their farm home near Hardman.

At Heppner CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST.
ALVIN KLEINFELDT, Pastor
Bible School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Services 11:00 a. m.
C. E. Society 6:30 p. m.
Evening Services 7:30 p. m.
Choir Practice, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Midweek Service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

Those who stay away from church because Sunday is the only day they have for recreation, would have no day at all for recreation if it were not for those who go to church. Show your gratitude Sunday. Worshipful services morning and evening.

THE ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Pastor, E. D. Greeley
The annual Fellowship meeting of the Eastern District of Oregon, Assembly of God, will be held Monday at the local church on K street. Visiting ministers from Ontario, Baker, LaGrande, Pendleton will be present. Rev. Lester Carlsen, presbyter of La Grande, will be in charge of the services held at 10:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to these services.

BURGLARY REPORTED

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Howard is reported to have been entered by an unknown man wearing tennis shoes Saturday evening a short while before closing time at the stores. Mr. and Mrs. Howard were both at the J. C. Penney store where Mr. Howard is manager, and Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Howard's mother, was alone in the house. Hearing the man in another room, Mrs. Armstrong screamed and scared him away. Tracks beside the house revealed that he was wearing tennis shoes. No articles were missed.

OBSERVES 85TH BIRTHDAY

The 85th birthday of Mrs. Florence E. Gay was incentive for a party at her home in north Heppner Monday afternoon when a number of friends and neighbors assisted in the observance. Present besides Mrs. Gay were her daughter, Mrs. Wm. French, Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Young, Mrs. L. W. Briggs, Mrs. Rosa Eskelson, Mrs. Chas. Miller, Mrs. Wm. LeTrace and Mrs. Kathryn Slocum.

LIGHTNING KILLS HORSE

A belated report from the lightning storm of last week comes from the J. G. Barratt Sand Hollow ranch where a horse is believed to have been killed by a lightning stroke. The dead animal was found outside the pasture fence without any mark indicating nature of death, which is said to happen many times where animals are killed by lightning.

NATIVE SON PASSES

Fred Mulkey, 50, a native of this city, died at La Grande Friday, according to report in the daily press. Funeral services were held yesterday at Long Creek where the family home was made for many years and where several surviving relatives reside. Overtaxing the heart while fighting fire was believed to have contributed to his death.

INJURY BELIEVED BITE

Bobby Mollahan has been suffering this week from a swollen leg, believed to have been caused by an insect or snake bite. He was accompanying his father through some brush when he felt something strike him, but the nature of the varmint was undiscovered. The injury was considerably painful and a physician's services were called for.

4-H CLUB NEWS

Members of the Heppner 4-H club met yesterday at the club room. Miss Moyer handed out papers to Peggy Tamblyn and Claudine Drake concerning the demonstration they are to give at the fair and also at the next meeting. Work assignments were also handed out. Refreshments were served.

CONDUCTS COURT SESSION


Judge Carl Hendricks of Fossil sat on the local circuit court bench for a short session at the courthouse Monday, while Judge Sweek is on vacation. J. S. Beckwith, veteran court reporter from Pendleton, was here also. Proceedings were in law and equity cases.

MISSION SOCIETY TO MEET

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet on Tuesday, August 10, at 2:30

p. m. in the basement of the church. All members are asked to be present and to bring their mite box offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Phelps returned last Thursday evening from Portland where they went the Monday before on business.



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3 LBS. 50c
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COFFEE, Dependable 2 Lbs. 49c, 4 Lb. tin 95c
SALMON, 8 oz. fancy pink, tin 10c
CEREAL DEAL All for 35c
 2 Large CORN FLAKES, 1 KRUMBLES, 1 PEP, 1 SHOPPING BAG
COCOA Mothers 2 lb. tin 18c
PINEAPPLE . . . 2 No. 2 1/2 tins 39c
 Broken Slice
JELL-WELL 4 Pkgs. 18c
 Assorted Flavors
SOAP, A-Plus Toilet spec. 6 for 25c
SALT, 2 lb. Shaker 3 for 25c
 SODA, 16 oz. A. & H.; STARCH, 16 oz. CORN
COFFEE, Nob Hill 2 lbs. 47c
FLOUR, Harvest Bossom, Sk. \$1.55
BEANS, Small Whites . . . 5 lbs. 45c
LUNCHEON SETS 3 Pkgs. 25c
 4 FORKS, 4 SPOONS, 4 PLATES, 4 NAPKINS to Package
VANILLA, Westag imit. . 4 oz. 9c
 8 OZ. BOTTLE 15c
ORANGE JUICE 2 for 29c
 Tall tins Golden Poppy
PORK and BEANS 6 for 49c
 16 oz. Van Camps
Hot Sauce . . 25c | Flavorade . . 25c
 6 TINS 6 PKGS.
DOG FOOD, Playfair . . . 4 tins 25c

MILK
Maximum or Federal
Case \$3.45
3 Tins 22c

SUGAR
100 LBS.
\$5.59
 10 LB. CLOTH BAG
59c

Shortening
8 Lbs. . 98c
LARD
8 Lbs. \$1.45

CORN -- PEAS
No 2 tins
TOMATOES
No. 2 1/2 tins
 CASE \$2.59
2 Tins 23c

● Fresh Produce
FRI.-SAT. ONLY
CORN DOZ. 25c
GRAPES . . 2 Lbs. 25c
BU. VEGETABLES 3c
Potatoes, 50 Lbs. 89c
 10 LBS. 19c
Tomatoes, Crate 73c
 No. 1's

● CANNING NEEDS
JELLS RITE 2 FOR 25c
JIFFY SEALS PKG. 10c
KERR LIDS DOZ. 10c

MARSHMALLOWS Per Lb. 15c
SYRUP, Sleepy Hollow . . . 5 Lbs. 75c
FLOUR, Kitchen Craft . . Sack \$1.83
PICKLES, No. 2 1/2 Dills . . . 2 for 29c
WAX PAPER, 40 ft. rolls Roll 7c
MACARONI, elbo cut 5 Lbs. 33c
RICE, Blue Rose Head . . . 5 Lbs. 35c
SOAP, 24 oz. pkg. White King . 25c
BEER, Br. Der., Case \$2.55, 4 tins 45c
OATS Albers' Roseware lge. pkg. 29c
Mayonnaise Salad Dressing, Qt. 39c
GRAPEFRUIT fancy 2 No. 2 tins 25c

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