

OREGON'S WHEAT PROBLEMS OUTLINED IN SERIES OF NEWSPAPER ARTICLES

(Editor's Note: Upon the prosperity of the wheat farmer largely depends the prosperity of this section of Oregon. The AAA farm program has been offered as a means of aiding prosperity, and wheat farmers of Morrow county are cooperating with it in the belief that it will help bring better times. This is the first of six articles by the Morrow County Agricultural Conservation association explaining this aim of the 1939 farm program.)

In China, the poor man's food is rice. In Ireland, it is the potato. In the United States, it is bread. No matter how little money a man has in this country, almost always he can get enough bread to eat.

This shows the dependency of this nation upon the wheat grower, for bread baskets are filled first of all when shopping is being done.

When the Agricultural Adjustment administration was set up this fact was recognized, and an important place was given wheat. It is shared only by corn and cotton.

The AAA farm program recognizes that the wheat farmer plays such an important part in the life of the nation that his prosperity must be kept intact. And the program has found him very willing to cooperate with his neighbors in attempting to bring back this prosperity.

In the state of Oregon, 45,000 far-

mers are cooperating in the farm program. Here in Morrow county, six hundred farmers are taking part. Their one aim is to place farming on a level whereby it enjoys a fair and proper income.

In 1938, Morrow county produced approximately 2,000,000 bushels of wheat. Oregon produced 23½ million bushels of wheat. The nation produced 931 million bushels.

One might think that Oregon farmers could easily get rid of their wheat since it is such a small part of the nation's total production. But the nation has a surplus, and Oregon's crop only adds to that surplus.

People of this nation use 700 million bushels of wheat a year. Last year they grew 931 million bushels. Once they could get foreign nations to take the remainder, but now other countries are trying desperately to be self-sufficient.

If wheat farmers are to prosper, either new markets must be found or they must keep production down so they don't raise more than they can sell. The AAA wheat program's big aim is that of solving this problem.

Local Typist High At District Meet

Striking her Underwood at the rate of 61 words a minute, Frances McCarty of Heppner scored high with 96 in the amateur division of the high school typing contest at Arlington Tuesday last week, though Condon took honors for the high team score. Miss McCarty's 61 words a minute set a new record for eastern Oregon.

Marian Harris, Virginia Weimer, Vesta McCarty and Dorothy Nelson scored 358 points for Condon, while Miss McCarty, Cora Scott, Shirley Wilson and Alvina Casebeer with 319 placed third for Heppner. Arlington came second with 325 points, scored by Mary Roberts, Mary Campbell, Virginia Campbell and Iola Hlvaka.

Virginia Weimer of Condon came first for novices in individual scoring with 90, writing 59.8 words per minute. Marian Harris, Condon, 88.2, and Cora Scott, Heppner, 80.1, were second and third place novices.

Virginia Herd, Arlington, 89.1, was second amateur scorer; Dorothy Nelson of Condon, 87, was third, and Thelma Nelson of Ione, 86.3, was fourth.

Mrs. Lucy Rodgers of Morrow county schools and Mrs. Florah Schroeder of Gilliam county schools were in attendance. Shirley Smith, typing instructor at Heppner, assisted Martha Hill with the contest and Charles Peterson conducted and acted as judge.

Winning teams will be awarded banners and plaques, while individual high scorers will be given ribbons.

Sample of Queen's Frock on Display Here

One of the frocks to be worn by Queen Elizabeth of England when she visits the United States soon will be of light sheer woolen material, made in the U. S. and presented to her by National Wool Growers association. A sample of the material was received this week by Mrs. Ralph I. Thompson, president Oregon Wool Growers auxiliary, and is on display at Humphreys Drug store. A similar gift of material made in England from Australian, New Zealand and South African wools is being made to Mrs. Roosevelt, wife of the president, by empire growers.

"We believe that the graciousness of the queen and Mrs. Roosevelt in recognizing the value of the wool industry to their respective countries and the fine quality of its product for women's wear will do much to advance the use of wool by American women, especially light weight materials for summer dresses," wrote F. R. Marshall, national secretary, in the letter to Mrs. Thompson accompanying the sample.

Local D. of H. Has Part at The Dalles

Heppner lodge, Degree of Honor, participated in the first spring convention for eastern Oregon at The Dalles yesterday when its 16 officers conducted opening ceremonies for the district lodge session in the evening. Mrs. Clara Beamer of this city, state past president, gave a talk at the afternoon session on service features of the lodge policies.

Headline speakers were Kate S. Holmes, national secretary from St. Paul, and Lois Geiser, national usher and regional director from Battle Ground, Wash. Lodges of eastern Oregon, as far south as Klamath Falls, were represented.

Those attending from here included Mary McMurtry, pres.; Julia Hill, first vice-pres.; Gladys Conner, second vice-pres.; Clara Beamer, sec.; Gladys Jones, Margaret Sherer, Zella Dufault, Ida Osborn, Reba Grabill, Susie Rynnion, Alice Rasmus, Alice Gentry, Ida Daniels, Nina Burkenbine, Ellen Moore. They arrived home at an early hour this morning.

19 Shooters Visit Local Traps Sunday

One of the biggest days for the season at Heppner Rod and Gun club traps occurred Sunday when 19 shooters tried marksmanship. A team score of 73 was recorded in the day's participation in the Oregonian telegraphic trapshoot, individual members with scores being Luke Bibby 25, C. C. Carmichael 24, John Lane 24. All shooters with targets broken from number shot at were:

Luke Bibby 49-50, R. Jackson 66-75, V. Kane 44-50, E. Moore 22-25, O. Padberg 19-25, J. Lane 47-50, H. E. Warner 23-25, E. Smith 21-25, P. W. Mahoney 73-75, E. O. Ferguson 39-50, C. C. Carmichael 48-50, A. D. McMurdo 92-100, Chuck Schriever 16-25, Tom Hottman 21-25, Ed Kelly 21-25, Ray Massey 23-25, Vic Johnson 45-75, Bert Kane 31-50, Wm. Harlow 31-50.

Average Size of Deer Told by Ranger

The local forest service office weighed and took horn measurements on 117 deer killed in the local district last season, from which findings are reported by F. F. Wehmeyer, ranger, as follows:

Two-pointers comprised 47.01 per cent of the kill, numbering 55, averaging 108 pounds, antler spread averaging 11.14 inches, and diameter of horn .78 inch.

Three-pointers, 28.20 pct., numbered 33, weighed 149, antler spread 17.82 inches, horn diameter 1.18.

For-pointers, 19.65 pct., numbered 23, weighed 185, antler spread 20.06 inches, horn diameter 1.42 inch.

Five-pointers, 5.14 pct., numbered 6, weighed 216, antler spread 22.80 inches, horn diameter 1.48 inch.

At Heppner CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible School 9:45 a. m.
C. E. Society 6:30 p. m.
Choir Practice, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
Midweek Service, Thursday 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH
REV. R. C. YOUNG, Pastor
Sunday: Bible School 9:45 A. M.
Worship Service 11:00 A. M.
Epworth League 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P. M.
Tuesday: Boys' Club 7:00 P. M.
2nd Tuesday, Missionary Meeting 2:30 P. M.
Wednesday: Choir Practice 7:30 P. M.
1st Wednesday, Ladies Aid Business and Social Meeting 2:30 P. M.
All other Wednesdays: Sewing Group meets.
Thursday: Prayer Meeting 7:30 P. M.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.
The Rev. Mr. Wissenbach of Pendleton will hold evening services at All Saints church Sunday evening, April 30, at 7:30. The Rev. Mr. Tyner of St. Luke's church, Minneapolis, Minn., a very fine speaker, will preach. The young people are asked to attend this service in a body.

THE ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Tuesday, 7:45 p. m., Bible Study.
Thursday, 7:45 p. m., Preaching service.
Sunday, 9:45 a. m., Bible school.
11 a. m., Preaching service.
7:45 p. m., Revival service.
Come to this Sunday evening meeting. Sermon by the pastor: "Who's Your Doctor?"
Lively singing, interesting sermons. Welcome.

Church Services Set For Masonic Lodge

In honor of the 150th anniversary of the inauguration of George Washington as president of the United States, special services will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday morning at 11. Members of the local Masonic lodge are expected to attend in a body. This service, coming at the end of a year's celebration of the sesqui-centennial celebration of the adoption of the Constitution, will feature George Washington as a church man and moral leader. Rev. R. C. Young will deliver the address and all interested are urged to attend.

PUPILS GIVE RECITAL
Mrs. J. O. Turner presented her piano pupils in recital at her home on Church street last Saturday evening, with a large group of parents and friends in attendance. Miss Patricia Dooley sang as an added feature of an enjoyable program. Pupils

The Season's CHOICEST
VEGETABLES and FRUITS
Now Feature Our Menus
New Fountain Larger Lunch Counter New Booths
Contributions taken for **CHINESE RELIEF SOCIETY** and official receipt given
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presented were Frances and Shirley Wilkinson, Billy Jones, Betty Marie Coxen, Mildred Carlson, Marjorie Peterson, Mary Lou Ferguson, Jean Turner. Mrs. Turner served refreshments.

CHAPTER TO MEET
Ruth chapter 32, Order of Eastern Star, will meet for regular lodge session at Masonic hall tomorrow evening, announces Mrs. Faye Ferguson, worthy matron.

Lexington United Church
Rev. C. F. Trimble, Pastor
Sunday school at Christian church at 10. Christian Endeavor at

Congregational church at 7 p. m. An old fashioned sing will be held at the Congregational church at 8 p. m. Miss Kathryn Scharf of Ione will be the pianist and Miss Diane Trimble, daughter of Rev. C. F. Trimble, will lead the congregational singing. Besides the congregational singing there will be specials. The entire evening will be spent in singing.

Ione United Church
Rev. C. F. Trimble, Pastor
Sunday school at 10. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor at 11. The Masons of Ione and vicinity will attend this service.

SAFEWAY
Salad Days

• APRIL 28-29-MAY 1

SUGAR Pure Cane **10** LB. CLOTH BAG **55c**

SANDWICH SPREAD Lunch Box Qt. **39c**

FLOUR Kitchen Craft 49 LB. BAG **\$1.23**

PEAS Inland Valley No. 2 tins **3 FOR 25c**

PORK & BEANS Phillips NO. 2½ TIN **10c**

Fresh Produce

ASPARAGUS 2 lbs. 15c
CELERY, large Utah Bunch 15c
RHUBARB, Red strawberry 5 lbs. 14c
GR. ONIONS, Sweet and Crisp 2 Bu. 5c
TOMATOES, repack dark red lb. 19c
GRAPEFRUIT, in shopping bag Doz. 39c
RADISHES, Crisp, Fresh 3 Bu. 10c
BANANAS, Golden yellow 3 lbs. 25c
CARROTS, large bunches 3 for 17c

PINEAPPLE 3 Tins 33c
Large 14 oz. tin Sliced or Crushed

SALAD DRESSING, Cascade, Qt. 25c
MAYONNAISE, Piedmont Qt. 35c
COFFEE, Airway 3 Lbs. 39c
Grapefruit or Tomato JUICE, Tin 19c
46 oz. tin

SHRIMP 3 Tins 33c
5 oz. tin Ready to Eat brand

OYSTERS 3 Tins 33c
5 oz. tin Blue Plate

TUNA FLAKES 3 for 33c
Elcampo, large 7 oz. tins

CRACKERS, Snowflakes, 2 lb. box 29c

SOAP Bar 5c
Jergens Toilet
Peanut Butter 2 lb. jar 27c
Real Roast
NAPKINS .. 80 Count 10c
Zee Brand
PICKLES, 25 oz. jar 25c
Sweet
Wax Paper 125 ft. roll 17c
GRAPEFRUIT, Tin 10c
Bruce's No. 2 tin
TEA, Black, Lb. Pkg. 55c
Canterbury
COFFEE 2 Lbs. 45c
Edwards
MILK 6 Tall Tins 39c
Federal
SUPURB 2 Pkgs. 39c
Granulated Soap
PRESERVES 2 lb. jar 35c
Kerr's
COFFEE 2 Lbs. 39c
Nob Hill

NU-MADE
Real Mayonnaise for Better Salads
Pint... 23c
Quart. 39c