

CONFERENCE GROUPS MAKE REPORTS

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state is the increase of poultry diseases. The poultry industry in Oregon was valued in excess of \$10,000,000 for the year 1924.

It is recommended that the Multnomah County Agricultural Economic conference endorse the bill sponsored by the Oregon Poultrymen's association, and Pacific Cooperative Poultry Producers association, to secure a small appropriation from the state legislature to carry on this work.

12. Repeal Cold Storage Law.

The poultrymen believe that the consumption of eggs is materially reduced by the present cold storage egg law.

Fruits, vegetables, meats, dairy products, etc., that are held in cold storage are not required to be offered for sale under a cold storage sign.

There are only two classes of eggs: namely, "fresh" and "cold storage." The present law is not enforced and admittedly cannot be enforced under present conditions.

The poultry commodity group hereby endorses the efforts of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry Producers association to have the legislature repeal the present cold storage egg law and pass instead a law requiring that eggs be sold according to size and quality.

(Signed) A. H. DOWSETT, Chairman.

Report of Farm Crops Group.

POTATOES.

I. GENERAL SITUATION.

1. Importance in County.

Table with 4 columns: Year, Acres, Yield per Acre, Bushels Grown. Rows for years 1889 to 1923.

It is seen that the potato acreage increased steadily up to 1920 and has declined slightly since then.

2. Average Yields Are High.

Table with 2 columns: Location, Yield Per Acre. Rows for Multnomah county, Oregon, and United States.

Multnomah county has a marked advantage in yield per acre over most potato sections of the United States and over most other sections of Oregon.

3. Net Prices Average High, Comparatively.

The average price for potatoes in Portland is about the same over a period of years as that in the eastern potato consuming centers.

4. Crop Market in Portland and California.

About 100 carloads per year go from this county to California. The balance is used in Portland.

California could use over 1000 carloads of seed if reliable seed could be obtained in the same communities year after year.

California is virtually the only outside market existing at present, due to freight charges of over \$1.00 per hundred to middle western and eastern points.

Th big bulk of the crop (80 to 85 per cent) is marketed in Portland, partly to wholesalers and partly to retailers.

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ROCKWOOD

Sunday school will begin at 10 a. m. Sunday at the Rockwood community church. Epworth League will be conducted at 6:45 in the evening.

An entertainment, "The Musical Cops," will be given at the Rockwood community church Tuesday evening, at 7:45.

FAIRVIEW

The following officers of the Fairview grange were installed in office last Saturday at the joint installation ceremonies which were conducted at the high school gymnasium at Gresham.

The Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will convene at 10 a. m. Epworth League will be held at 6:30 in the evening, followed by preaching by the Rev. C. B. May.

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CORBETT

The play, "Miss Somebody Else," given by the student body of Columbian high school Friday evening, was well attended.

Mrs. Ethel Stewart, who is engaged in secretarial duties in the senate at Salem, was home for a few days, as the legislature adjourned from Thursday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kimbley are now residents of the Hurlburt district. They have bought acreage near the schoolhouse.

Clifford Reed came down from Corvallis to spend the week end with home folks.

Mrs. M. E. Reed returned to Portland Saturday after a two weeks' visit among her children here.

The Misses Joy Crockett and Pauline Rickli attended a teachers' meeting in Portland Saturday.

Kenneth Kincaid came home last week to spend a fortnight with his mother and sisters. Kenneth is in the navy. At present his ship is at Bremerton.

Mrs. C. E. Smith is recovering from a very severe attack of grip.

Miss Arlie Kincaid came up from Mollala Friday evening for two days visit with her mother and sisters and her brother, Kenneth.

The Sandy creamery is paying 45 cents at the creamery and 43 cents on the route for butterfat.—Adv.

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BRIEF SEASON OF GRAND OPERA COMING



ALICE GENTLE

Well known favorite in "Carmen" and "Tosca," by the San Carlo Opera Company, January 29, 30, 31.



GAETANO TOMMASINI

Dramatic Tenor, San Carlo Grand Opera Company, next week.

Lovers of the opera residing in Portland and suburbs, which includes Gresham and vicinity, are offered an exceptionally attractive though brief season of grand opera at the public auditorium next week, January 29, 30 and 31.

The company comes with new voices and personalities and old favorites. There is a galaxy of famous stars in its role of principals and with increased numerical strength, vivid stage settings and lighting effects.

Fortune Gallo has been especially fortunate this season in obtaining stars of international note for his leading roles.

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will have its Portland preview Friday night, with Manuel Salazar and Anna Roselle singing the leading roles; "Madame Butterfly," the matinee offering Saturday with Miura in the title role, and Onofrei that of "Pinkerton," and "Il Trovatore," favorite of the Verdi operas, as the final offering on Saturday night, with Blanca Saroya and Salazar in the leading roles.

The choruses are larger than ever this season, while the orchestra, under the baton of the eminent maestro, Fulgenzio Guerrieri, will give all possible effect to the colorful music of the various scores.

An interesting relic recently shown was the life insurance policy issued September 20, 1844, to Daniel Webster. It was for \$5,000 which was considered a large sum in those days and carried a premium of \$293.

But Webster did not go into the wilds west of the Mississippi. He never had much use for that country. The idea of the insurance company in imposing the limitations was that smallpox was likely to be epidemic in the large cities, while the Indians were the hazard of the west.

Webster was also advised that if he died in a duel, was hanged or killed in a raid upon any city or Indian tribe there would not be any money for the widow.

Stutz—What did Violet do when you told her that you liked to drive with one hand? Studebaker—She gave me an apple.—Medley.

LUSTED

A number of friends and relatives surprised Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Klinski Saturday evening at their home near the Lusted school, as they will leave soon for their new location on the Chase farm near Gillis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Morgan came down from McMinnville to spend the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sester. Mrs. Morgan has been in charge of the office of the Morgan Brothers Trucking service at McMinnville since her marriage and, as a result of the close application to her duties, her health of late has been much impaired.

POWELL VALLEY

At the annual election of officers of the Luther League Sunday evening at the Lutheran church, the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year: S. M. Staffenson, president; Mrs. Albert Gustafson, vice president; Tanny Staffenson, secretary; Harold Gustafson, treasurer.

Mrs. J. A. Liedfors has returned from a Portland hospital where she spent a few days for examination and treatment.

Nickerson's Jellied Chicken. Try it fricasseed or in salad. A whole hen in every jar. Phone Gresham 725.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, constable for Multnomah District, Multnomah county, Oregon, will sell at public sale on Saturday, January 24, at 2 p. m., at George Page's store, on the Base Line road, the following articles.

One 5-pound sack salt, 3 cans milk, 2-oz. bottle vanilla, 1 dust pan, 1 tea kettle, 1 skillet, 1 coffee pot, 1 wash basin, 1 stove lifter, 1 wash board, 400 pounds coal, 1 double bitted axe, 1 5-gal. oil can, 1 large granite pan, 1 broom, 1 dipper, 1 dish pan, 1 rolling pin, 2 aluminum kettles, 1 cake turner, 1 sauce pan, 5 lbs. lard, 3 china plates, 1 large platter, 3 pot tops, 3 lbs. coffee, 3 china saucers, 5 boxes 2-oz. spices, 2 lbs. boxes spaghetti, 3 granite milk cans, 5 boxes matches, 1 9-lb. sack flour, 1 Howard piano, 2 stands, 2 boxes household goods, 2 flower baskets, 2 pictures, 1 trunk.

M. M. SQUIRE, Constable.

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AH! HERE COMES TH' LITTLE WEASEL I'M GOING TO GIVE HIM A GOOD SCARE

BOOOOOO

FER TH' LOVA UNCLE MIKE WHO TH' HECK ARE YOU?

BOOOOO I AM TH' DEVIL

TH' DEVIL WHY I MARRIED YOUR SISTER

FROM POP'S PEN GATHER YER WITS TO-GETHER FOLKS AN' SEE IF YER KIN GUESS WAT THIS IS. PAUL HAD IT BEHIND, LUKE HAD IT BEFORE, EDDIE NEVER HAD IT. SEE THIS SPACE NEXT WEEK. Pop