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RICKREALL—Kitchen improvement has proved fascinating work to a Rickreall homemaker who tells how she made her kitchen work easier with no money outlay.

"My kitchen is an old one with a pantry," she says. "Fortunately the pantry is on a line with the 'walk' in front of the sink and stove so I moved the work table into the pantry. I took down all the old wide shelves and had narrower ones put in at more convenient places, also added some 'built ins.' Then I painted up and now have a more convenient and a cheerier place to work in, all at the cost of a very little lumber and paint. Also, I put a cold cupboard on the back porch. There I keep vegetables, apples and the like. Left overs and milk are placed in the cold cupboard in the pantry."

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Drinking in Colleges.

"R. T. Crane, millionaire iron manufacturer, made public today an arraignment of the big universities of the country," reports the Des Moines Register. "He charges an alarming prevalence of drinking and gambling among the students. . . . Of the students at Harvard, 90 per cent drink in their freshman year, 95 per cent of them in their senior year . . ."

Isn't prohibition awful!

As it happens, we are quoting from the Register of September 11, 1911, just 20 years ago.

Speak-easy.

"B. A. B.," New York City.—The earliest record we have of the use of this word is to be found in "The Voice," of New York, for November 14, 1889. In that issue, the following occurs: "Hundreds of unlicensed dealers in both cities continued to run under the names of clubs and speak-easies." This shows that the practise of maintaining clubs and speak-easies, where the illicit selling of liquor took place, is by no means modern.

The term is not to be found in Bartlett's "Americanisms," Clapin's "Dictionary of American Slang," or Farmer and Henley's "Slang and Its Analogs," unabridged edition.

Why, Of Course!

The National Farm Journal—In our state of Pensylvania, where a 3-cent gasoline sales tax has long been in force, they have been bootlegging gasoline on a huge scale. $15,000,000 in taxes has been lost, if we may belive the estimates, and even though the Highway Department now maintains a patrol boat to try to stop smuggling of gas into the port of Philadelphia, bootlegging continues.

But of course we know what to do about it. A law that can't be enforced must be repealed, so we will just repeal the gasoline tax law altogether, and everything will be lovely.

SLOW DAIRY PASTURES KEEP PRODUCTION DOWN.

Most backward early spring pastures in eight years, taking the country as a whole, served to keep butter production early in April below the volume indicated by the greater number of cows being milked, says the Oregon State college extension service in the weekly market review. Storing butter is below normal for the season with operators encertain what course to take.

Pacific coast production is down about 10 per cent and eastern production about 4 per cent as a result of the slow-starting pastures added to curtailment of supplementary feeding caused by financial considerations, says the report. The condition of pastures in states where cows are normally on pastures by April 1 is substantially below that in any of the previous eight years for which records are available.

Although Oregon dairy pastures are slower than average, future prospects are favorable because of a plentiful moisture supply. The condition throughout the country is most serious in those areas affected by drought last summer.

Milk production per cow in the United States on April 1 was about 5 per cent lower than on that date in any of the last four years, and some lower than in any April since 1925. Milk production per cow normally increases 5 to 8 per cent between March 1 and April 1, but this year only 1½ per cent increase was shown.

April storage holdings in the United States indicate a reduction of 50 per cent from a year ago, and about 25 per cent from the five-year average for April 1. The general attitude of receivers for the past 10 days has been somewhat uncertain with all anxious to keep floors cleared. Some were inclined to store top quality butter while others reduced prices to move the goods.

IRRIGON NEWS

Mrs. Henry Wier who has been visiting relatives at Baker for some time returned Thursday. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Pauline Westman.

Mrs. R. E. Williams returned from Walla Walla Saturday. Her daughter, Mrs. Stegmiller of Walla Walla brought her home and will visit her brother, Roscoe Williams and family a few days.

Robert Walpole, a 1931 graduate of the Irrigon high school, and who won first in the trombone solo contest in April of last year, went to Pendleton last week where he featured at the Rivoli theatre several nights. He has signed up with an orchestra in Pendleton.

Friends of Frank Beavert will be glad to know he is recovering rapidly from the two operations he underwent recently at the veterans hospital in Portland.

Mrs. Amy Collins and Miss Leola Benefiel were shopping in Pendleton Saturday night.

County Agent Chas. Smith, Geo. Bleakman, Mr. Crawford of the Heppner Gazette and Mr. Simpson, all of Heppner, were businesss visitors in the vicinity Saturday.

A shower was given at the home of Mrs. Batie Rand Tuesday, honoring her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harvey Warner. A number of guests were present and Mrs. Warner received many beautiful presents.

A banquet was given at the high school Saturday night for the Irrigon band members. It was followed by a dance.

Ralph and Otto Benefiel and Adran Allen were Hermiston visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Blanche Watkins spent several days here last week visiting friends and attending to business affairs.

Bill Frank of Walla Walla visited in the Williams home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Isom were Pendleton visitors Tuesday.

COLUMBIA NEWS NOTES

Mrs. W. A. Mikesell was a dinner guest at the Baxter Hutchison home Tuesday.

Harry Pelkey, baby daughter and his niece of California arrived at the L. Hammer home last week. Mr. Pelkey returned to California leaving his baby and niece with Mrs. Hammer. His niece will stay with Mrs. Hammer and help her take car of the children.

E. J. Allen was a business visitor at the Joe Udey home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Sykes and Mr. and Mrs. John Mansfield were dinner guests at the John Jenderjewski home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Joe Udey and Florence were visitors at the William Fredrickson home in Stanfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Arthur have moved from the Rogers place to the Stanfield ranch near the drainage ditch.

Mrs. Morris took the Columbia track meet winners to Pendleton.

Francis Dawson gave a party Saturday for a group of her school friends.

A quilting party was given at the Ben Jones home Friday by the auxiliary for the Parkers, whose home was recently destroyed by fire. Two quilts were made. A pot-luck dinner was given for those present.

L. Hammer was a business visitor in Portland over the week end.

Mrs. Solson was a business visitor in Pendleton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCray and family have bought part of the W. W. Felthouse ranch on which Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker have been living.

The members of the high school orchestra from Columbia that entertained the Commercial Club were: Fern Lindner, Edna Ott, Lois Hutchison, Thelma Norquist, and Nina Rhae McCulley.

The Columbia school volley ball team will play against the Cold Springs team.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON.

For the County of Umatilla

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SAMUEL R. OLDAKER, DECEASED,

To Virginia F. Jonte, Emma R. Staltz, Mary C. Oldaker, J. S. Oldaker, Jessie S. Jenkins, Annie Treman, and all other persons interested in said estate.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You are hereby commanded to appear in the County Court, of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Umatilla, at the Court House in the City of Pendleton, Oregon, on the 4th day of June, 1932, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M., of said day, to show cause, if any exists, why an order should not be made authorizing F. B. Swayze, administrator, with will annexed, of the estate of Samuel R. Oldaker, deceased, to sell the real property of said estate described as follows to-wit:-

Tract 1—Lot 3 in Block 1, in the City of Hermiston as located in the NE¼ SE¼ Section 10, Twp. 4, North Range 28, E. W. M., Tract 2— The SW¼ SE¼, Section 32, Twp. 5, North Range 29, E. W. M.; and Tract 3— The W½ NW¼ NW¼ SE¼, Section 10, Twp. 4, North Range 28, E. W. M.,

in separate tracts, at private sale for cash in hand to the highest bidder.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court affixed this 20th day of April, 1932.

E. B. CASTEEL,
County Clerk.
By Mary Millsop, Deputy.
(April 21—May 19)

OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

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

THE MARKETS

Portland

Wheat — Big Bend bluestem, hard winter, 73c; soft white and western white, 63½c; hard winter, northern spring and western red, 61½c.

Hay—Buying prices, f. o. b. Portland; Alfalfa $16; oats and vetch, $15.

Butterfat—Pound 13@15c.

Eggs—Ranch, 11@12c.

Hogs—Good to choice,$3.75@4.50.

Cattle—Choice steers, $6.25@7.

Lambs—Spring, $6@6.50.

Seattle

Wheat—Soft white, western white, 63c; hard winter, western red, 62c; northern spring, 64c; bluestem, 71c.

Eggs—Ranch, 13@15c.

Butterfat—Pound 17c.

Hogs—Good to choice, $4.60@4.70.

Cattle—Choice steers, $6@7.

Sheep—Spring lambs, $6.25@7.

Spokane

Cattle—Steers, good, $6@6.50.

Hogs—Good to choice, $4@4.25.

Lambs—Good to choice, $5.50@6.

Four Portlanders lost their lives at the mouth of Nehalem bay when their rowboat was swamped by heavy seas.

Complaints have been made to the Jackson county court against an epidemic of garbage dumping in country districts.

Quantities of garden seed adaptable to the Astoria region are being distributed there to unemployed persons desiring to plant gardens in vacant lots.

A marked revival of mining interest is shown in the Rogue River valley. Mills are receiving orders for tunnel-bracing timbers and for mine buildings.

A protest against the proposed leasing of bay lands for oyster beds has been made to the state fish commission by a delegation from the Siletz Bay district.

After listening to charges of extravagance in every division of local government 100 citizens of Eugene have organized the Lane County Tax Conservation league.

The 23d annual strawberry fair at Lebanon will be held this year during the first week in June. Following the custom of many years the fair will be on the streets of Lebanon.

Operators of small logging camps in the Seaside district will appeal to the state highway commission against its recent order regarding the use of the highways of logging trucks.

The new Gervais city hall and auditorium is nearing completion and at the dedication in May a big afternoon and evening program with a dinner, dance and cards will be staged.

An Oregon pioneer of 1850, Mary Nachand Himler, and her 64-year-old son, Henry C. Himler, died at their homes in Park Place. Their deaths occurred exactly 12 hours apart.

A special exhibit of Yamhill county products to be shown at the national convention of the American Legion in Portland is being prepared by the Yamhill County Chamber of Commerce.

Seniors of Pendleton high school have decided to economize on graduation dresses and suits this year. A limit of 50 cents has been placed on corsages and it is possible that these will be eliminated.

Construction of the warehouse that will serve as a pivotal point for the newly organized Columbia River Navigation company and the Mid-Columbia Motor Freight company is under way in basin No. 2 of the Celilo canal.

Construction was begun last week on the new four-lane bridge across the mouth of the Clackamas river at Gladstone. The bridge, when completed, will form a link in the super-highway between Oregon City and Portland.

Members of the Klamath Indian tribe have received $196,200 in payments made by the government. The payments were made to 1308 enrolled tribal members, who received $150 each in the first semi-annual payment for 1932.

With the snow practically gone from the ranch land in Umatilla county between Ukiah and the north fork of the John Day river, spring farm work is starting. In other sections of the county spring wheat seeding is practically completed.

Unusually deep snows of last winter have made it difficult for deer to survive and many have perished, according to the report of Stanley G. Jewett, predatory animal and rodent control leader with the United States biological survey.

It is not generally known that corn can be planted in the spring of the year and harvested in the spring of the following year. Recently A. C. Ford of Ferrydale, near Grants Pass, harvested quite a crop that was planted last season.

WITH FARMERS AROUND THE STATE

ROSEBURG — Creep feeding of lambs has proved very successful this spring on the farm of L. E. Thompson of Umpqua, where periodic weightings of the lambs are recorded and an accurate cost of feed purchased kept, reports J. C. Leedy, county agent. A wether lamb weighing 46½ pounds March 4 weighed 61 pounds March 25, a gain of 14½ pounds in 21 days. A ewe lamb gained 11 pounds in the same period. Total feed cost for 73 lambs creep fed up to March 31 was $6.38. Feeding was started with a few of the early lambs January 15.

HILLSBORO—Low prices and the necessity of producing good yields of forage per acre and of providing green pastures during the dry summer months are factors causing more and more dairymen of Washington county to turn their attention to alfalfa, says County Agent W. F. Cyrus.

TILLAMOOK — The Tillamook county herd improvement association has been re-organized for another year with 1170 cows signed up, according to County Agent C. H. Bergstrom. The tester for the association will also cooperate with Mr. Bergstrom and these members of the association this year in obtaining tester records of all herd sires to assist in placing better bred bulls on the farms and locating proven sires with a view to keeping such animals in the county.

DALLAS—Eldon Frink of Polk county is thoroughly "sold" on the idea of irrigation of red clover for seed production. One and one-half acres of irrigated land on his farm last season produced as much red clover seed as was produced on the remaining 4½ acres in the same field, Mr. Frink said in a recent report to J. R. Beck, county agent.

EUGENE—A demonstration on the control of Canada thistles with dry sodium chlorate has been started on the farm of Nora Pitney, near Junction City, in cooperation with O. S. Fletcher, county agent. A plot containing about three square rods has been treated at the rate of three pounds of chemical per square rod.

HOOD RIVER—Mice have been doing considerable damage to orchards in Hood River county this year, according to A. L. Marble, county agent. Among the most severe cases of injury was that reported on one ranch in the Oak Grove district where 15 to 20 year old trees were completely girdled from 6 to 15 inches on the trunk and larger roots making bridge grafting necessary to save them. No cultivation had been done on this orchard in the past two years.

ONTARIO—The potato acreage of Malheur county will be materially increased this year, particularly the acreage of Bliss Triumphs. Most of this variety will be planted with seed grown last year by P. Tensen of Nyssa from certified Montana grown seed. The acid mercury dip treatment has been recommended by County Agent R. G. Larsen and will probably be put in general use in Malheur county this year.

HILLSBORO— Fifteen Washington county dairymen have 355 cows entered in herd improvement associations this year for the purpose of obtaining butterfat records and feed costs on individual cows. Of these, 13 are in the Yamhill-Washington county association, and two are enrolled in the Columbia county association, according to records in the county agent's office.

HILLSBORO—H. R. Findley is among the Washington county farmers cooperating with W. F. Cyrus, county agent, in fertilizer trials on spinach, which is being grown as a cannery crop under contract with Ray-Maling company of Hillsboro. Good yields are imperative of the crop is to be grown successfully, Mr. Cyrus says, and recommends use of soil that is in a good state of fertility, supplemented with a commercial fertilizer carrying relatively large amounts of nitrogen.

KLAMATH FALLS— Many dairy farmers have not yet learned the value of a dairy herd improvement association, but here are some who have. A number of the members of the Klamath association have found themselves unable to continue testing this year. The 11 dairymen left after reorganization found they had only enough work to keep a tester busy half time, so in order to keep the association going they have arranged to employ him on their farms at regular wages during the other two weeks each month.

BAKER — The second 1000 pounds of squirrel poison has been mixed and distributed to Baker county farmers this season, by P. T. Fortner, county agent.

CORVALLIS—Benton county orchardists are finding that the new cover crop disks do just as good a job of cultivating in the orchard as a plow, and do it a good deal cheaper, says C. R. Briggs, county agent. Comparisons of plowed and disked orchards as to moisture content have shown no advantage either way.

THE DALLES—Five Wasco county farmers have arranged complete commercial fertilizer trials on their farms, cooperating with County Agent W. Wray Lawrence to determine the best types of fertilizers for production of spinach and garden peas under Wasco county conditions. Special spinach and pea fertilizers are also being tried. Farmers cooperating in these trials are C. E. Anderson, Roy Johnson, J. W. Shafer and Fred Cyphers of Thompson's Addition, and William Byers of Fifteen Mile.

DALLAS—The 10,750 acres of italian prunes growing in Polk county are likely to produce bigger and better fruit this year because of the excellent job of pruning that most of the growers are doing, according to J. R. Beck, county agent, who has had occasion to visit many of these orchards recently as well as in past years. Chief reasons for this, Mr. Beck says, are the low labor costs and the increasing realization on the part of the growers that there is more money in fewer and larger prunes, which can be obtained by the "thinning out" type of pruning.

OREGON CITY—Rock Creek community women reported definite accomplishments at the conclusion of the weight control project conduced by the home economics extension service under the supervision of Thelma Gaylord, home demonstration agent. Three overweight individuals lost from 6 to 21 pounds and five underweight gained from 2 to 7½ pounds as a result of following recommended food practices.

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