

BUY TO WORK - WORK TO BUY!

COLUMBIA EMPIRE PRODUCTS WEEK

APRIL 1 to 10

FEEDS

Manufactured by the Farm Bureau Cooperative of Hermiston are truly COLUMBIA EMPIRE PRODUCTS Produced in the Columbia Empire . . . Manufactured by local employes

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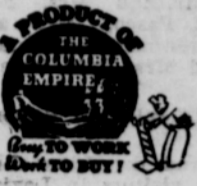
DEALERS IN-

POULTRY FEEDS - CALF MEAL DAIRY FEEDS - TURKEY FEEDS

ASK: Is It Produced in The Columbia Empire?

Farm Bureau Cooperative of Hermiston

Phone 411



TAX BASE OF OREGON CITIES

The tax base of Oregon cities, taken as a whole, increased for the current year over the past year for the first time since 1931, a report just issued by the Bureau of Municipal Research of the University of Oregon shows.

Although this total assessed valuation for 1938 is above that of 1937, it is still below that of 1936 and previous years, the report states.

The figures given in the report for Hermiston are as follows: population, 698; assessed valuation of 1937 for 1938, \$388,349; city tax levy for 1938 in mills, 16.6; amount of city tax, \$6,446.59; per capita city tax, \$10.60; county assessment ratio, 68 per cent; assessed valuation on 50 per cent basis, \$285,551; assessed value per capita on 50 per cent basis, \$470; city tax rate in mills on 50 per cent basis, 22.58.

Nine incorporated cities, all but one, Fossil, under 500 population, will get through the year with no city tax levy at all. The other eight are Antelope, Cornucopia, Granite, Juntura, Lonerock, Mitchell, Orengo and Shaniko.

Placing all cities on a uniform basis of 50 per cent, Oregon City has the lowest millage charge for cities over 5000 population. Millage on a 50 per cent basis would be 16.93, although the actual levy per capita, on the 46 per cent valuation of its county is 18.4. The lowest actual millage is claimed by Pendleton, with 13.3, but this is made on a county valuation millage rate of 68 per cent, making the uniform 50

DANCE ECHO CITY HALL Benefit of the OMAHA WOODMEN SOCIETY Camp No. 61 - Echo Sat., Apr. 2 Music by the OMAHA WOODMEN TROUBADOURS Adm. 75c couple - Extra Lad. 15c

"I have been well pleased with Vigorbilt Chicks"

Enterprise, Ore., March 18, -938.

"Vigorbilt" Poultry Farm and Hatchery Hermiston, Oregon

Dear Sir:

Would you kindly send me new price lists on your baby chicks. Please include also price list for sexed pullets 10 days old. Do you sell New Hampshire Reds or Rhode Island Red chicks? Would want cockerels either baby or 10 day old ones. Please send price list on these also. Thanks.

Mr. Edward Quinn, Rt. 1, Enterprise, Ore.

P.S.—For the last two years I have gotten chicks from Vigorbilt and can say I have been well pleased. E. Q.

PRICES IN 1938

SETTING DAYS—Monday and Thursday Each Week; Chicks Off — Wednesday and Saturday

WHITE LEGHORNS

Table listing prices for White Leghorns: White Leghorn Sexed Pullets (\$22.00 per 100), White Leghorn Sexed Pullets (107.50 per 500), White Leghorn Sexed Pullets (215.00 per 1000), Straight Run Leghorn Chicks (\$12.00 per 100), Straight Run Leghorn Chicks (50.00 per 500), Straight Run Leghorn Chicks (100.00 per 1000), Leghorn Cockerels (\$3.00 per 100), Leghorn Cockerels (12.50 per 500), Leghorn Cockerels (25.00 per 1000)

NEW HAMPSHIRE REDS

Table listing prices for New Hampshire Reds: Straight Run New Hampshire (\$12.50 per 100), Sexed Pullets Day Old (17.00 per 100), Day Old Cockerels (9.00 per 100)

RHODE ISLAND REDS

SAME PRICE AS NEW HAMPSHIRE REDS.

BROODED LEGHORN PULLETS

Table listing prices for Brooded Leghorn Pullets: 10 Day Old Leghorn Pullets (\$25.00 per 100), Four Week Leghorn Pullets (40.00 per 100), Six Week Leghorn Pullets (55.00 per 100), Eight Week Leghorn Pullets (70.00 per 100)

TURKEY POULTS—CUSTOM HATCHING HEN and TURKEY EGGS

A 10 per cent Deposit Must Accompany All Orders on Chicks. A 20 per cent Deposit Must Accompany All Orders on Turkey Poults

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"Vigorbilt" Poultry Farm and Hatchery

HERMISTON, OREGON

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per cent rate at 18.09, or second to Oregon City.

Dallas, on the uniform 50 per cent basis, rates lowest in the group of 2500-5000 population, with a millage of 15.75. Bandon, on the uniform basis, is low in the 1000-2500 class, with 5.98, and retains this position in actual millage, with 4.6 mills.

Using the 1930 population as a basis for determining the per capita tax, Bend and Oregon City, both with city manager forms of government, are low with cities of 5,000 or over population. Their per capita taxes are \$10.05 for Bend and \$11.41 for Oregon City. Dallas with \$7.04, and St. Helens with \$7.43 per capita are lowest in the 2500-5000 classification. Bandon, with only 93 cents per capita is low in the 1000 to 2500 class.

COLUMBIA By Lois Hutchison

J. H. Reid motored to Pendleton Sunday for Mrs. Reid who has been ill in St. Anthony's hospital for the past week. Miss McFarland, a registered nurse, is with her.

Leonard Blue and Vernon Wolfe arrived at the S. A. DeGarmo home Tuesday of last week from St. Francis, Kansas. They are looking for a location on the project.

Visitors at the Lester Hammer home Sunday were Mrs. Leo LaMon and daughters Juanita and Eldora of Pendleton Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lauder milk and son Elden of Hermiston.

E. J. Allen, who is on the Bel-scamper place, purchased 600 baby chicks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus McLouth and family were dinner guests at the Bud Hooker home Sunday.

Elbert Hutchison and George Grant of Pendleton were business in this district Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Harr have purchased a new electric refrigerator Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Franz, who has been in California for some time, returned to her farm last week.

Bud Hooker lost a valuable work horse last week.

Mrs. Belscamper has been quite ill the past week.

Dinner guests at the Baxter Hutchison home Sunday were Omega and Joyce Sater, Miss Myrthina Martin and Edward Shaw.

Sunday visitors at the Amanda Shaver home were Sam Conrad of Walla Walla, Wn. Mr. and Mrs. Tilford Stillings and son John of Stanfield. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shaver and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hammer of Hermiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Struthers visited relatives in Pilot Rock last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Nebraska are moving onto the Bessie Spencer place this week.

Mrs. Henry Hooker and Earl Getchell were dinner guests at the B. E. Getchell home Sunday.

Mrs. Hunt was a visitor at the B. E. Getchell home Saturday afternoon.

COYOTE DAMAGE GREATLY REDUCED

BOARDMAN (Special) — Adam Knoblock, United States predatory animal hunter for Morrow county is one of the most picturesque of the U. S. biological survey's predatory animal killers. Knoblock states that the coyote situation in Oregon is now well in hand. The predatory animal control has been established in this state for about twenty years. Prior to its establishment sheep men estimated an annual loss of 10 per cent, based on the total census of these flocks. Today figures show that the loss has been reduced to 1.1 per cent. Even with the loss all over Oregon, placed as low as 1.1 per cent. Knoblock said the sum concerned is still tremendous. As Oregon's 2,382,500 sheep and goats are valued at \$25,500,000, this would bring the annual coyote loss in money to \$281,350. It should be remembered, too, that these figures concern sheep only and that the depredation of coyotes on poultry and game birds is impossible to estimate. The coyote is nature's craftiest killer, a shrewd animal that thrives in relatively thickly populated areas. Organized warfare on the coyote, such as carried on by the federal government, is the only way to control them.

Hazel Tyler, who is working at Astoria, is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Grace Tyler, for a few days.

The biology class took a field trip Friday to the home of Adam Knoblock, government trapper, who related to them many interesting adventures.

All grade school and high school teachers have been re-hired for the coming school year, with the exception of Miss J. Bauer and J. Rothenberger, who resigned.

Virginia Compton spent the week end visiting at Hilgard with her father, who is employed at the depot.

Mrs. Lucy Rogers and Mrs. Helen Cowgill of Heppner were in Boardman last Friday looking after the 4-H club work which will be started this spring.

Vernon Root, Glen Carpenter and Mrs. R. Brown motored to La Grande over the week end.

Mrs. E. Peck and Mrs. B. Rands and their children, spent Saturday in Pendleton.

Lloyd Mallory of Portland is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. Sunstrom.

Fred Martin spent the week end at Athena visiting his parents.

Miss J. Bauer spent the week end in Pendleton visiting.

The H. E. C. club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Nick Falter. A large gathering was in attendance. Basil Cramer and his father Earl Cramer of Spokane spent Sunday visiting at the Frank Cramer home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Baker left Friday for Eugene where they are going to visit.

Virginia Compton spent Monday in Pendleton.

Warren Dillon and Mildred Ayers motored to Hermiston Monday.

Maye Fisher of La Grande is visiting with Boardman relatives.

The F.F.A. boys spent Friday in Arlington taking various tests in competition with other schools.

Mrs. V. Gregg and daughter of Battle Ground, Wn., are visiting at the home of Mrs. G. McCutchen.

B-I-U. PARISH NOTES.

H. B. Thomas, Pastor.

Boardman Community Church—Bible school 10:00 a. m.; Worship service 11:00 a. m.; No evening service; Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Marvel Gorman, president; meets first Wednesday in the month.

Irrigon Community Church—Bible school 10:00 a. m., each Sunday morning; Prayer meeting, Sunday, 7:45 p. m.; Preaching service, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.; Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Rucker, president, meets second Thursday in the month.

Umatilla Community Church—Bible school Sunday 10:00 a. m.; No morning service; Preaching service 7:30 p. m. every Sunday. Ladies Aid Mrs. J. J. Byrnes, president, meets first Thursday in the month; Missionary Society, meets fourth Thursday in the month.

There will be no special Easter service in any of the three churches.

STANFIELD

The annual congregational meeting of Hope Presbyterian church was held on Tuesday evening, March 29. A no-host seven o'clock dinner was enjoyed by about 40 people following which the regular business meeting was held. Reports were read on the year's activities of the church together with those of the Sunday school, Ladies Aid and Christian Endeavor. W. T. Reeves was re-elected as a member of the board of trustees. Rev. J. K. Griffiths was retained as pastor for the coming year. Church services will be held in the evening only. Slides were shown depicting missionary work in foreign fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shake, former Stanfield druggist, called on Stanfield friends Sunday while enroute from their home in Parkdale to Pendleton and points in Idaho.

Superintendent and Mrs. U. W. Hay and daughters spent the week end with relatives in Freewater and Pendleton. Sharon Lee Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Baker of the Meadows, is spending the week visiting relatives in and near Walla Walla. Mrs. Harle Rogers entertained the members of the bridge club at a desert bridge luncheon Tuesday afternoon. Three tables were in play with high honors being awarded to Mrs. Frank Sloan.

Mrs. Vernon Norris and infant daughter Peggy Ann, returned home Sunday from St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton.

Miss Claudia Gabriel returned to La Grande Sunday to resume her studies in the Eastern Oregon Normal.

Frank Sloan and James Hoskins were business visitors in Portland during the early part of the week.

Mrs. J. W. Sturdivant of Parkdale is visiting at the homes of her daughters Mrs. J. F. Lane and Mrs. W. G. Wallace.

The Stanfield-Echo Home Ec Unit met in the church Friday afternoon with 25 in attendance. This was the third in a series of meetings to consider line and design as it affects appropriate dress.

The Ladies Aid concluded its year's work the last of March. Mrs. G. E. Greathouse has served as president for the past two years. Newly elected officers are: Mrs. J. M. Richards, president, Mrs. E. A. Hoosier, vice president, Mrs. Troy Coleman, second vice president, Mrs. W. T. Reeves, secretary, Miss Elva Berry, treasurer. Hostesses were Mrs. Geo. Elliot and Lena Wald.

Mrs. W. G. Wallace will leave Thursday for a tour of California in company with their cousins Miss Verna Shoemaker of Hood River, Mrs. Lute Gibbs of Parkdale and Mrs. Ray McReynolds of Seattle. The party will spend the month of April visiting relatives with headquarters at Long Beach, Calif.

The Pollyannas met at the E. A. Hoosier home Wednesday afternoon. The list of officers for next year includes Mrs. Fred Thorne, president, Mrs. Frank Sloan, vice president, Ila Wallace, secretary-treasurer. During the social hour a no-host luncheon was enjoyed.

Hermiston Mercantile Cooperative FRIDAY - SATURDAY - MONDAY

PURE CANE SUGAR 100 Lbs. \$5.40

P. & G. BAR SOAP 6 for 25c NU BORA, with Shopping Bag 49c

Crescent Starch Corn or Gloss 3 For 23c

ARM & HAMMER SODA 3 for 25c

PHILLIPS SOUPS, Tomato or Veg. 2 9-oz. tins 15c

SALT 7 Lb. Bags 21c

SPERRYS WHEAT HEARTS 23c

PUFFED WHEAT 2 for 19c

Post Toasties 3 For 20c

Walla Walla Tomato Juice, No. 2 tins 3 for 25c

MATCHES 6 box carton 17c

Sun Brite Cleanser 3 Large Tins 14c

ALBERS OATS, quick or regular, 9 lb. bag 42c

HOT SAUCE 3 for 10c

Mixed Vegetables, country style No. 2 tins 2 for 19c

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Members of the order of R. R. Telegraphers held a business meeting at the N. D. Bard home Tuesday evening. Present were the operators from Pendleton to Umatilla, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hazen and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coppenthwaite of Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Campbell and J. R. Smith of Reith; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Lyon of Echo; O. K. Mudge of Hinkle; F. C. Woughter of Hermiston; T. B. Burton of Umatilla; and Kenneth Truribull of Messner.

The Red Cross first aid class will meet at the school house on Monday from seven to nine p. m., until the course is completed. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Quimby of Pendleton visited at the J. F. Lane home

Tuesday and Wednesday. The Chas. Evans family have moved from the Cotant house to the apartments over the Pastime.

James Hoskins and Frank Sloan transacted business in Arlington Thursday.



THE HERMISTON HERALD

123 PEDESTRIANS

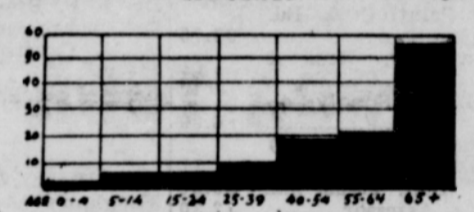
WERE KILLED IN OREGON TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS IN 1937

DATA COMPILED BY EARL SNELL, Sec'y of State

WHERE?



WHO?



WHY?

- Of the 123 pedestrians who were killed, 18 had been drinking, 17 were walking with traffic, 7 stepped from behind parked cars, 7 walked into side of moving cars, 4 had physical defects, 5 were playing in roadway.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PICTURE WERE MANY DISCOURTEOUS, RECKLESS, HEEDLESS ACTS ON THE PART OF DRIVERS INVOLVED.

HELP CUT PEDESTRIAN DEATHS!

The gravity of the pedestrian traffic problem in Oregon, illustrated in the accompanying chart, is emphasized by the fact that of 22 persons who have lost their lives in Oregon traffic accidents so far this year, 16 have been pedestrians, according to Secretary of State Earl Snell.

"Our campaign for reducing highway deaths can succeed fully only if pedestrians can be made to realize the tremendous hazard that exists, and the important part they must play in safe movement of traffic," Secretary Snell declared.

GOVERNOR MARTIN AND BONNEVILLE

The allocation by the President of funds for the construction of the Bonneville project was, in a large measure, due to the activities of General Martin while serving this State as a member of the Congress.

Declaring that the project should be administered for the best interests of all the people in the State, the Governor has, to this end, pledged himself to cooperate with the President and Administrator Ross in every way possible.

It was largely through his efforts that ship locks were included in the Bonneville project—thus making it possible for sea going vessels to take on and deliver cargoes as far up stream as The Dalles. He has never ceased his fight for the canalization of the Upper Columbia in order that the grain growers and shippers of the Inland Empire may enjoy such favorable rates as are obtained through water competition.

Pd. Adv., Re-Elect-Governor-Martin Club, 612 Railway Exchange Bldg., Portland, Ore.