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Today's Roundup

By MALCOLM EPLEY
KLAMATH'S status as a basic agricultural production area is impressively shown in the 1944 production and value figures for the basin announced a few days ago by Charles A. Henderson, Klamath county agent.



EPLEY

Breaking it down, the agent showed that crop values for the year reached \$18,277,900, or roughly three times the livestock return of \$5,539,000.

Now, let us go back 20 years and see what were the relative incomes of these two departments of agricultural activity.

In 1926, the total income from livestock was \$3,320,000, and that from crops, \$1,585,000. The same relative figures are shown in the 1924 report.

It should be pointed out, however, that livestock values have not decreased since the middle 'twenties. Livestock income has gained rather steadily, but the spectacular increase in crop returns has taken that figure far ahead.

Significant

THESE statistics are especially significant at this time when the importance of water to Klamath basin economy is in the limelight in connection with the proposed Central Valleys diversion scheme.

This enormous increase in crop production and returns has been accomplished with the use of water. Without irrigation development, this would have remained essentially a livestock region, and total agricultural returns, of

course, would be far less than those currently reported.

Future crop development in the Klamath basin injects an uncertain factor in attempts to determine the amount of water this basin will need to realize its maximum destiny as an agricultural area.

Any project that commits any portion of our water to somebody else is therefore a matter of most serious concern to us.

The War Today

By DeWITT MacKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

IF General Eisenhower isn't on the verge of flinging a mighty offensive against the German Rhineland defenses, he certainly is giving a most convincing imitation of a man with such intention.

The Hitlerite spokesmen say there's no doubt the storm is about to break. The whole allied front is throbbing with inquisition. Allied fighting men stand on or inside the German frontier along a 160-mile line, from Roermond in the north to war-blasted Saarbrücken in the south.

On the northern flank the British second army and General Simpson's U. S. ninth army, having recently improved their positions, are poised for action. Below them General Hodges' U. S. first army and General Patton's hell-raising third are smashing into the German Siegfried defenses in what could be restricted operations but look like preliminaries to a big drive.

Bad Time of Year

ALL this presents an intriguing military anomaly. It runs counter to what one would expect under normal conditions, because this is a bad time of year for a major assault.

Looking across at the eastern front we see a similar phenomenon. There the Muscovites would, under normal circumstances, have paused when they reached the strong German defenses along the River Oder. The red forces are entitled to a breather after their terrific race across the snow-bound plains of Poland. Their greatly extended communications surely could do with an overhauling. Now would be a good time to consolidate their positions, and complete ironing out their northern and southern flanks.

Menace to Berlin

BUT the red armies are continuing their onslaught all along the line. Already they've established several bridgeheads across the Oder, and have created a special track to Berlin in the heavily fortified Kustrin-Frankfurt sector directly east of the capital. There's no sign that they figure on slackening in their fierce drive.

Thus we see both eastern and western allies going against procedure in every-day warfare. They're doing it by agreement. Why?

The answer is that a crucial emergency has arisen. The Hitlerites are showing striking weakness in both theaters. The line of the Oder isn't holding the way we had been led to expect. In the west Nazi Marshal Von Rundstedt's badly mauled forces have been so depleted by casualties in the battle of the Belgian bulge that he's giving ground all along the west wall.

SIDE GLANCES



"Well, Bub, I guess putting it on my van comes next to broadcasting it!"

Market Quotations

Table with columns for various commodities like American Can, Am Cap & Pkt, Am Tel & Tel, etc.

steadily; good and choice barrows and stags (60 lbs. up \$14.75; ceiling price; few 140-160 lbs. \$14.25-14.75; mostly weathers \$14.00; complete clearance. Salable cattle 3500; total 3500; salable calves 200; total 200; fed steers and heifers 100; total 100; weight \$14.75; very little change in other killing classes but market more or less a peddling affair on eastern railroads; top \$16.75; paid for mixed steers and heifers; next highest \$16.40; bulk \$14.75-15.75; best heifers \$15.00; cows and bulls steady; vealers unchanged at \$13.50; down; good, when commission, house liquidation developed at mid-session today. Live and fat week at \$11.50-15.00; mostly fleshy feeders to \$13.50.

WHEAT
CHICAGO, Feb. 8 (AP)—Grain futures, weak from the start, suffered additional losses when commission house liquidation developed at mid-session today. The demand was limited in all pits and analysts said the markets had been weakened technically by the broad short covering movement of the last two weeks. The break uncovered stop-loss orders which accelerated the sell-off. At the finish wheat was 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 cts lower than yesterday's close. May \$1.17 1/2. Corn was off 1 to 1 1/2 cts. May \$1.11 1/2. Rye was 3 to 3 1/2 cts lower. May \$1.12-1.13 1/2. Barley was off 1/4 to 1/2 cts. May \$1.10 1/2.

Courthouse Records
THURSDAY MATRIMONY
HENKE-BUCHANAN. Ernest Frederick Henke, 25, USMC, native of Canada, resident of Portland, Oregon; Eva Lois Buchanan, 24, beautician, native of Oregon, resident of Medford, Oregon.

Potatoes
CHICAGO, Feb. 8 (AP)—Potatoes arrivals 39, on track 72; total U. S. shipments 993; old stock; offerings very light; demand exceeds available track offerings; market strong; new stock; nothing available today's market; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs, U. S. No. 1, \$3.49; Commercial, \$3.84; Wisconsin Chipewas, U. S. No. 1, \$3.09.

LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND, Feb. 8 (AP)—Salable cattle 200; total 225; calves salable and total 50; market active, fully steady; few medium to good light steers \$14.00; light cutters down to \$8.50; good to choice grades available to \$18.50; common light steers \$10.00; light cutters down to \$8.50; medium to good grades \$14.00; cutters down to \$7.50; canner and cutter cows \$8.50; shelly cows down to \$3.50 and below; fat dairy 1750 cows \$3.50-11.00; medium to good butts \$10.00-12.25; common butts down to \$8.50; good to choice vealers \$12.50-15.00; odd head to \$15.50; common to good down to \$9.00. Salable hogs 150; total 750; market active, steady; good to choice 170-270 lbs. \$14.75; few light lights \$14.50-15.00; 400 lb. butchers at \$14.50; good hogs largely \$14.00; good to choice feeder pigs salable to \$15.50; specialty lot 100 lbs. late Wednesday \$10.00. Salable sheep 250; total 375; market strong to cutters higher; one lot good to choice 88 lb. fed woolled lambs \$15.50; few good to choice truckers \$13.25; good yearlings \$12.00; good to choice ewes \$7.50; culls down to \$3.25.

CHICAGO, Feb. 8 (AP)—Salable hogs 8000; total 11,500; active, generally

Berliners Strip for Action



In response to Nazi demands for clothing for the Volksturm, German civilians are giving every spare garment in their already meager erazt wardrobes, according to caption on radio photo above, received through a neutral source. Nazi officials are sorting out clothes "donated" by Berliners. Sign at left means "People's Offering."

4500 RESCUED
LONDON, Feb. 8 (AP)—The red army has rescued 4500 persons held in a Nazi death camp at Brzeszcz, 35 miles southeast of Krakow, the Moscow radio said today.

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Sinatra Sent For Further Observation

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 8 (AP)—Frank Sinatra, idol of the bobby soxers, was sent to Governor's island for "further observation" today after completing his second physical examination for military service at the Sussex avenue armory.

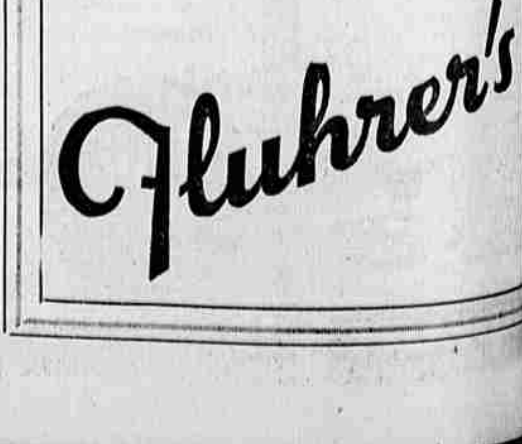
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VALENTINE PARTY SET FOR MILITARY

Enlisted men and their wives are invited to a valentine party at the First Presbyterian church, 6th and Pine, on Friday, February 9, at 8 p. m.

It has been thought that these couples might desire to form some kind of a social group to make use of the remodeled and redecorated room in the church basement, which is now available. During the evening, such plans will be discussed.

Those in charge of the arrangements are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd A. Young, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Stone, and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hitchcock.

Any couple interested in attending this party should contact the church office, 7311, not later than noon on Friday.

Klamath's Yesterdays

From the files—40 years ago and 10 years ago.

From the Klamath Republican February 2, 1905
The Wi-Ne-Ma, new boat, is now afloat on Upper Klamath lake. The day was fine for the impressive christening ceremonies.

From the Klamath Herald February 8, 1935
People of Tulelake have prepared an extensive program of work for CCC and PWA agencies, including better approach roads to the Lava Beds monument, drilling of a deep well for water, and a city sewage system.

Cascade

The weather here, although mild for January, is rainy and snowy. About 12 inches of new snow has fallen and the level is now 28 inches. Intermittent rains have diminished the snow. Mrs. Bennie Benson has returned to Cascade Summit after spending almost a month in Oakridge and Eugene, where she has received medical attention.

Fourth of Property Returns On File

Approximately one fourth of the anticipated returns on the personal property reports were on file late Thursday in the county assessor's office. Those receiving the forms were asked to file the 1945 reports at the earliest possible time. The deadline is March 2, Assessor Newton B. Nelson stated.

Either was not put to any practical use until 1842, although it was discovered in the 18th century.

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WEATHER

Wednesday, February 7, 1945
Max. Min. Precip.
Eugene 40 30 .57
Klamath Falls 51 37 .57
Sacramento 42 Trace
North Bend 53 52 .00
Portland 56 55 .00
Medford 58 56 .00
Reno 83 44 Trace
San Francisco 61 49 .03
Seattle 57 49 1.04

Washington and Oregon—Light showers today and tonight. Colder, clearing tomorrow.

Northern California—Cloudy today and tonight with occasional rain as far south as Sacramento and San Francisco. Friday partly cloudy with scattered showers. Mild temperatures.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PETITION TO VACATE PORTIONS OF STREETS
Notice is hereby undersigned, will at a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon, on the 15th day of February, 1945, present to the Council a petition praying for the vacation of portions of the streets in the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon, described as follows, to-wit: That portion of Nelson Street (commonly referred to as Upham Street) which is bounded as follows: to-wit: commencing at the Southeast corner of Lot 6 in Block 39 in Hillside Addition to City of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and thence running South to Northeast corner of Lot 1 in Block Hot Springs Addition to City of Klamath Falls, Oregon; thence East along said North line of said Lot 1; thence North to South line of said Lot 6 in Block 39 of Hillside Addition to City of Klamath Falls, Oregon; thence East along said South line of said Lot 6 to point of beginning; also That portion of Johnson Street lying between Canby Street and Nelson Street (commonly referred to as Upham Street).

GUSTAVA IRENE FOSTER HERBERT C. HEMMINGSEN LOILA MAE HANSEN BERTHA M. GEIGER ROY ELTON BAKER LUCILE BAKER FRANCES DENNIS EVERETT R. DENNIS J. 25; F. 1-8-15-22; No. 22.
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR KLAMATH COUNTY
IN RE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE E. PATTERSON Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that I have been appointed Executor of the Last Will and Testament and estate of George E. Patterson, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them with the proper vouchers to me at the office of John Irwin, 128 North 4th Street, Klamath Falls, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice of February, 1945.
JESSE E. PATTERSON, Executor of the above estate. F. 8-15-22; M. 1—No. 33.

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