

FARM CALENDAR

January:
19-20 — Seed Processors Short Course, 8 a.m., OSC, Corvallis.
23—Pear Growers annual meeting, Medford.
24—Peach Growers annual meeting, Medford.
25-27—Four-H Club Leaders annual conference, OSC, Corvallis.

February:
2-3-4—Oregon 4-H Club Conference, "Know Your State Government," Marion Hotel and State Capitol, Salem.
6-7-8-9-10—The Seafood Story — Information school on Catching, Care, Processing, and Preparation of Seafoods, Coos Bay—Feb. 6, Quantity and Family Buyers and Users of Seafoods; Eugene—Feb. 7, Quantity Buyers and Users of Seafood; Eugene—Feb. 8, Family Buyers and Users of Seafood; Portland—Feb. 9, Quantity Buyers and Users of Seafood; Portland—Feb. 10, Family Buyers and Users of Seafood.

7-8—Fifth annual Oregon Ornamental Short Course, OSC, Corvallis.

7-9 — Oregon Dairy Industries Golden Anniversary Short Course and Convention.
17-18-19—Oregon Home Economics Association Communications Workshop, Village Green, Cottage Grove.

24-25—Oregon Swine Producers and Umatilla County Gilt sale, Swine carcass show and Type Conference, Hermiston.

March:
4-11 — National 4-H Week. Theme: "Learn, Live, and Serve Through 4-H."

16-17 — Four-H Club Tractor Tour, Portland.

April:
14-15—Oregon Home Economics Association, Gearhart.
24-25-27—The Seafood Story, Pendleton—April 24; The Dalles — April 25; Newport—April 27.

May:
18 — Oregon Wheat Growers League, Executive Committee Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Pendleton.

June:
4-5-6-7—Oregon Wheat Growers League Junior Livestock Show, Seufert Bldg., The Dalles.
8-10—Bend 4-H Stock Show, Bend Ball Park.

27-29—Twelfth annual Fertilizer Conference of the Pacific Northwest, Marion Hotel, Salem.

July:
23-30 — National Farm Safety Week.

August:
1-6 — Deschutes County Fair, Deschutes County Fairgrounds, Redmond. (4-H Horse Day, Aug. 1).

24-25-26-27—Wasco County Fair, W. E. Hunt Park (Fairgrounds), Tygh Valley.

September:
1-9—Oregon State Fair, Salem.
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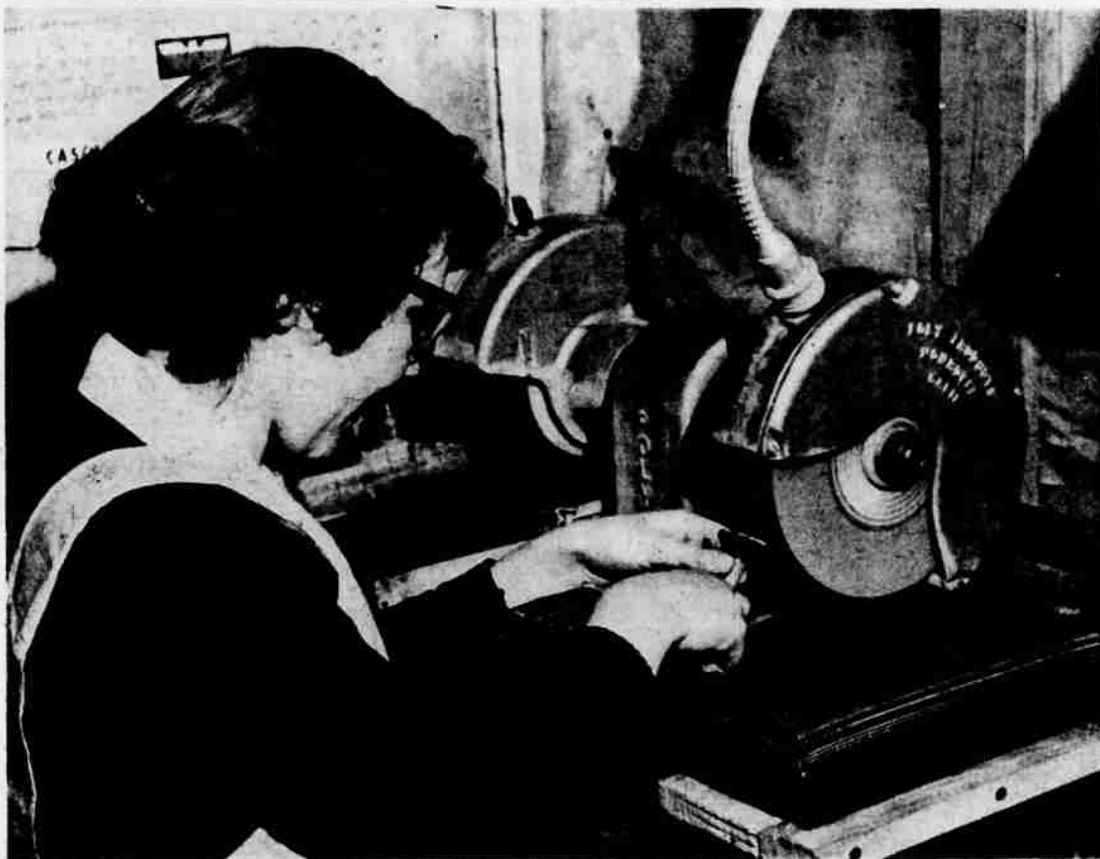
October:
14-21—Pacific International Livestock Exposition, North Portland (4-H Club Exhibit Oct. 14-18).

November:
8-10—Oregon Association of Soil Conservation Districts, Klamath Falls.

16-17—Oregon State Horticultural Society annual meeting, Oregon State College, Corvallis.

December:
11-12—Annual meeting Agricultural Cooperative Council of Oregon, Multnomah Hotel, Portland.

Rock Hounds Turn Rocks To Jewelry



ROSE ANN McCLURE, 9, shows her skill at shaping stones into jewelry at the Harry Wood rock shop. Water is fed onto the grinding stone from an overhead tank.

Patient work is necessary to get the desired shape and luster.



BOB McCLURE, secretary of the Klamath Mineral Club, shows a slab cut with a diamond impregnated saw from a rock. Patterns traced on the slab can be cut out to the desired shape for the finished stone.

RECOMMEND FRIED FISH

LONDON (UPI) — An eight-man government commission, after studying the ailing British fishing industry for three years, today recommended that Britons eat more fried fish.

The committee said too much boiled or steamed fish was being served in institutions, including schools, and children were likely to acquire early a distaste for it.

Police Raid

SALEM (AP) — State police would get a 12 per cent salary increase under a bill introduced in the Senate today by Sens. Al Flegel, D-Roseburg, and Anthony Yturri, R-Ontario.

It has been estimated that one square mile of ocean floor could yield up to 4,000 tons of iron.

GOOD ENOUGH

LONDON (AP) — That trusty old American aerial packhorse—the C47—is still good enough for Britain's Queen Elizabeth, who will use two of the World War II vintage planes during her state visit to Nepal next month. The C47s are the biggest planes that can land on Katmandu's short runways.

In one recent year French gourmets ate 600 million snails.

matter of FACT



Merry Christmas wasn't always so merry here in America. Pilgrims were stern and Christmas feasting didn't fit into their views of Christian life. Christmas was a day for work unless it fell on Sunday. Even then there was no merrymaking. If you went ahead and had fun anyway you could be fined five shillings for your folly.

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Thieves Steal Empty Houses Piece By Piece

KANSAS CITY, Kan. (AP)—Police here are looking for thieves who steal abandoned houses—brick by brick, board by board.

Among several city-condemned properties which have vanished piece by piece were two apartment buildings.

The thieves take anything that can be knocked loose, including bathroom fixtures and kitchen sinks.