

March Rainfall Totals 7.25 Inches

March proverbially went in like a lamb and went out like a lion. It was not until the seventh day of the month here that a dry spell which began February 12 ended. But during the remainder of March a total of 7.25 inches of rain fell. During the first part of February 4.90 inches was recorded by Ed Sessman at his station atop Corey Hill. March minimum and maximum temperatures were both lower than those of February—the minimums being 19 and 21; and the maximums, 61 and 64 degrees. The 61 degree temperature occurred on March 3, while the 19 degree reading was on March 10.

It is interesting to note that a total of 7.29 inches of rain fell in February and March of 1942, while the total for the similar period this year is 12.15 inches. Highest and lowest temperatures in February of last year were 55 and 20 degrees, while '42 March figures were 72 and 24. This March's 31 days were described in the record as follows: 6 clear, 4 partly-cloudy and 21 cloudy. Eighteen nights were freezing.

Trout Season Due To Open Saturday

The angling season for trout not less than six inches in length opens Saturday, April 17, in all counties of the state except ten. The opening date is May 15 in Lake county and May 1 in Baker, Grant, Harney, Klamath, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wheeler and Malheur counties.

The trout bag limit is 15 fish or 15 pounds and 1 fish in any one day but not to exceed 30 fish or 30 pounds and 2 fish in any seven consecutive days or in possession at any one time.

Exceptions to the general season and limit are to be found listed in the 1943 synopsis of angling regulations published by the Oregon state game commission and now available at all license agencies.

Card Mailing Urged

Especially of interest to Vernonia fishermen are the following two special seasons:

That part of the Nehalem river and its tributaries from its confluence with Rock creek near Vernonia upstream to its confluence with Wolf creek, has open season for trout, steelhead and salmon from June 1 to October 21, inclusive. During the remainder of the year said portion of this stream is closed to all angling for trout, steelhead and salmon, regardless of size.

That part of Rock creek (a tributary of Nehalem river) above the deadline approximately 200 feet below the Keasey dam, has open season for trout, steelhead and salmon from June 1 to October 21 inclusive. It is closed during the remainder of the year as is the section of the Nehalem mentioned above.

The game commission again urges anglers to cooperate by reporting the results of each fishing trip on the special orange colored "Catch Report Cards" that are being distributed by license agencies, sporting goods stores, fishing lodges and boat concessions. For each fishing trip made a card should be filled out and mailed to the game commission even if no fish are caught. Information gathered from these cards will help determine the results of past fish planting programs as well as the future policy.

Inductee Handling Explained to Boys

Walter Patrae, petty officer—specialist 1/c of the Portland navy recruiting station, was at the high school Thursday afternoon, April 8 and explained to the boys the steps through which they will go at the time of their induction into the service. He also enlightened the fellows as to which of the services—army, navy, marine corps, Seabees and coast guard—they would possibly or probably be inducted. Mr. Patrae's talk was based on a chart which he explained as he spoke.

Thriller on Slate For Friday Night

Thrills, chills, breathtaking happenings and suspense are assured those who attend "Tiger House," senior class play to be presented at 8:00 p.m. this Friday night, April 16 at the Washington grade school. When presented elsewhere, this play proved to be one of the most satisfying thrillers and gripping and fascinating to the audience. Chief charm of the play has been described as the cruel Tiger theme, the lighted lamp in a painting and the rain effects.

Betty Olson stars as Erma Lowdit, heiress of the estate "Mystery Manor." Other students cast in the play are: Lois Harmon, Mary Katherine Norris (The Mystery Woman), Robert Kent, Arthur

Tousley, Kathleen Tomlin, Lynn Brady (Yami), Calvin Sasse, Carolyn Romtvedt and Carrol Keasey. Miss Esther Willers is director. Following the play the junior class will give a dance in the high school gym. Dancing will be from 10:00 to 12:00 o'clock.

Bible Prophecy Lecturer's Topic

Rev. Nicholas Pirolo, D. D., of Chicago, Illinois, who visited Europe just prior to the present crisis and who is the author of several books on current developments, will speak at the Assembly of God church in a series of meetings beginning April 20 at 7:30 p.m. and to continue to April 25 inclusive.

He promises to speak frankly and candidly on the character and general ambitions of dictatorships in their relationship with the Roman church system, of Hitler and the Jews and of underlying conditions which prevail in Europe at the present time. He will speak of the world's political and religious situation from the prophetic viewpoint showing its spiritual background and application.

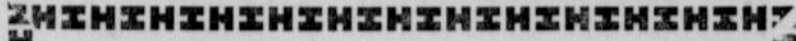
While in Italy Mr. Pirolo addressed large audiences in Rome in a series of meetings conducted there and also visited Mussolini's "Mostra" (Fascist Exposition) at Rome. The speaker declares that he will unveil secret causes of the situation which exists in Europe.

Rev. Clayton E. Beish, pastor of the Assembly of God church, extends a cordial invitation to all.

Mary Kate Norris To Be May Queen

Mary Katherine Norris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Norris, was chosen by the boys of the high school to reign as queen over the annual May Day festival, scheduled for Friday, April 30. The election was held Wednesday of last week, following the selec-

tion of three senior girls by the senior class as queen candidates. Betty Olson and Lesta Christensen defeated queen candidates, will be senior princesses. To complete her court, Mary Katherine chose two princesses from each class. They are: juniors—Beverly Bassett Turner and Jonnibel Hatfield, sophomores—Tommy Lou Holcomb and Dorothy Sasse, and freshmen—Stella Bellingham and Jackie Rollins.



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SAFEWAY Homemakers' Guide

Everything you need to make Spring housecleaning easier!

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| Sunbrite Cleanser 2 cans 9c | Lava Soap-for soiled hands bar 7c |
| Soil-Off Instant Cleaner qt. 60c | Su-Purb Soap-gran. 24-oz box 19c |
| Sal Soda-softens water 2 1/2 lb 8c | White Magic Soap-gran 22 oz 23c |
| Melo Cleaner-dissolve dirt 2lb 23c | Granulated Soap-Peet's med 23c |
| Bon Ami Powder-Deluxe can 19c | Oxydol Soap 24-oz pkg 23c |
| Windex-window cleaner 20 oz 29c | |
| Saniflush-for toilet bowls can 20c | |
| Johnson's Wax-pint 59c | |
| Household Brooms each 76c | |
| White Magic Bleach 1/2 gallon 17c | |
| Purex Gentle Bleach 1/2 gal 23c | |
| Palmolive Soap 3 bars 20c | |

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- Asparagus lb. 18c**
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| APPLES Fancy Winesaps lb. 12c | 10 Tomato Juice No. 2 can 10c |
| GRAPEFRUIT-Calif seedless lb 6c | Libby's |
| TOMATOES-Mexican fancy lb 23c | 4 Grapefruit Juice No. 2 can 13c |
| CARROTS-Clip-top lb. 8c | Town House |
| NEW POTATOES-Bliss lb. 7c | 6 Rancho Soups 3 cans 19c |
| | Assorted-10 1/2-oz cans |
| | 3R Crab Meat No 1/2 can 40c |
| | Bumble Bee |
| | 16 Peas No. 2 can 12c |
| | Gardenside |
| | 14 Cut Beans No. 2 can 13c |
| | Rayeroft |
| | 14 Whole Kernel Corn No 2 14c |
| | Butter Kernel |
| | 14 Asparagus No 2 can 29c |
| | Del Monte Spears |
| | 21 Pears No 2 1/2 can 25c |
| | Red Tag Choice |
| | Bread 1 1/2-lb loaf 12c |
| | Julia Lee Wright's |
| | Ceretana Oats 9-lb bag 39c |
| | Quick or Regular |
| | Oats-Reg or Quick lg pkg 21c |
| | Morning Glory |
| | Pancake Flour 40-oz pkg 15c |
| | Suzanna |
| | 15R Shortening 3-lb glass 64c |
| | Royal Satin |
| | 15R Shortening 3-lb size 71c |
| | Crisco-Snowdrift-Spry |
| | 5R Margarine 1-lb pkg 25c |
| | Nucoa |
| | 5R Margarine 1-lb pkg 23c |
| | Dalewood-vitamins added |
| | 16R Cheese 2 lb 76c |
| | Shefford American, Pimiento |

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MEAT—Our Fighters Need It—Our Allies Need It—Our Workers Need It—MAKE EVERY POUND COUNT

- Points Per lb.
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| 8 PORK CHOPS lb. 42c |
| 7 PORK STEAK lb. 39c |
| 6 PORK SHOULDER ROAST lb. 34c |
| 7 SKINNED HAM-Armour Star lb 41c |
| FRESH LING COD lb. 35c |
| SLICED HALIBUT lb 35c |
| TURKEYBURGER lb 49c |

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HOW TO TEACH A YOUNG BRIDE!

OUR NEW NEIGHBOR IS A BRAND NEW BRIDE! SHE'S GOT A LOT OF THINGS TO LEARN. LET'S HELP HER!

(ISN'T SHE CUTE!) OH, MRS. BRIGGS—WE ARE GOING SHOPPING—CAN WE GIVE YOU A LIFT?

OH, THANK YOU, BUT WILL YOU BE NEAR A SAFEWAY? I ALWAYS BUY PRODUCE BY WEIGHT.

MY GOODNESS! YOU ALREADY KNOW THE IMPORTANCE OF BUYING YOUR PRODUCE BY WEIGHT?

OH YES, I'VE BEEN SHOPPING AT SAFEWAY FOR YEARS—YOU SEE, I USED TO SHOP FOR MOTHER, AND NOW—WELL, BUYING THAT WONDERFUL PRODUCE BY THE POUND SO AS TO GET THE RIGHT AMOUNT IS A HABIT OF MINE!

...AND WE WERE GOING TO HELP HER! OH, I'VE BEEN SHOPPING AT SAFEWAY FOR YEARS! SHE SAID WHY I JUST ABOUT FELL OVER!

THAT GAL IS SO PRACTICAL! WE'D BETTER KEEP OUR EYES OPEN. I'LL BET SHE COULD SHOW US A THING OR TWO!

Safeway Homemakers' Bureau JULIA LEE WRIGHT, Dir.