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New Service For Dairymen Offered

Douglas Flour Mills Engages Expert in Cow Testing to Accommodate Customers.

A new free service for dairy feed customers of the Douglas Flour Mills was announced today by Al Bashford, owner-manager. Mr. Bashford stated that he has employed Joseph Porter, who is widely experienced in general dairy field work and cow testing, to give free aid to customers on dairy problems.

Mr. Porter, a resident of Hinesburg for the past three years, has been engaged in dairy field work in eastern states and California for many years. Mr. Bashford reports he now is engaged in the installation of testing equipment at the local mill and his services will be available at any time upon request.

"It feels no more to keep a good cow than a poor one," Mr. Bashford declared. "It is our purpose in providing this new service to help our customers in building up their dairy herds to a point where increased production will improve profits. There is a good opportunity now for an increase in dairy herds, as a result of new outlets provided by the cheese factory soon to be opened, and it is our hope that we can take a part in the improvement of the dairy industry in Douglas county."

The service, he states, will be provided without cost to all regular customers of the Douglas Mills, and will be made available to other dairymen at a small fee.

In addition to the new service being provided at the local mill, Mr. Bashford announces that a complete grain and seed cleaning machine is being installed in the Oakland plant. The building is being enlarged and remodeled, and the most modern equipment obtainable is being installed to clean all grains and seeds handled through that branch.

Thrips Attack Western Oregon Prune Orchards

SALEM, April 15.—(UPI)—Prune thrips have struck severely in many western Oregon prune orchards as a result of the open winter and the interference of fre-

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quent showers with spraying operations. Horticulturist C. A. Cole of the state department of agriculture reported today.

Cole also said a blossom blight had done extensive damage to many cherry trees.

CREAM CODE

SALEM, Ore., April 15.—(UPI)—Coffee cream served in Oregon restaurants must contain at least 18 per cent butterfat, a W. Metzger, foods and dairies division chief of the state department of agriculture, has warned.

Cream containing less than the legal amount of butterfat may be used, Metzger said, only when signs are displayed stating the butterfat deficiency.

Night Chicken Theft in Colorado Grand Larceny

PUEBLO, Colo.—(UPI)—Stealing chickens in a case of grand larceny in Colorado, regardless of the value of the poultry, if the theft occurs at night. If the theft is taken place in daylight the general larceny law applies, and it stipulates the value of any stolen property must exceed \$20; otherwise it's a case of petty larceny.

The quick in the Colorado law was necessary recently after officers solved a chicken-stealing case by following a trail of feathers from coop to lost.

and looking forward to a good time at Glengary.

According to E. A. Britton, county club agent, all club members expecting to carry Chinese pheasant projects should be sending in their names and tell what preparations already are made for the raising of the birds.

This year the Douglas county quota of eggs is to be 2000, which is approximately one-third of those received last year. No one is to be given any eggs for setting unless they can qualify with the proper coops and pens. Eggs will be given according to the capacity of pens and feed.

Summer Session Dates for 4-H Set at O. S. C.

June 10 to 21 are the dates (packed for the annual 4-H club summer session at Oregon State college, when close to 2000 4-H club members and leaders are expected on the campus for a two weeks' session of combined class work and recreation.

An increased number of scholarships have been offered throughout the state the past year by various civic and farmers' organizations, and business concerns. All first prize winners of last year's state fair will also be included in those who have won free scholarships.

Mrs. Minnie Eddings Passes Away at Eugene

According to word received here, Mrs. Minnie Eddings, formerly of Gold Hill and Roseburg, died at the home of her son, Glenn W. Eddings, at Eugene, Wednesday. Funeral services were held at Gold Hill Saturday. Mrs. Eddings was the widow of the late Norb Eddings, pioneer-era stage driver, well known in this city.

Theta Rho Club to Meet—Alpha Zeta Theta Rho Girls club will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall.

News of 4-H CLUBS

The 4-H Club Marketing day program, sponsored by the Roseburg chamber of commerce, was a real success Saturday. There were 323 persons fed at the lunch at noon and 202 who attended the shows. This seems to be the largest group entertained on Marketing day.

All the lunch materials were supplied free of charge by Roseburg merchants and prepared by the members of the 4-H Local Leaders association. The milk, Coca Cola, and orange aids were all supplied by local Roseburg dairies. Half of the group attended the Indian theatre and the other half the Rose theatre, as guests of the local theatre management.

The marketing members visited 17 different places of interest to them. Of course, not every member could visit all 17 during the forenoon, but the time was evenly divided by the 17 different places of interest so that some groups could visit each one.

The Kiwanis club is taking its program and guests to the Fred Weatherly arena, at Long Prairie Tuesday evening. The meeting will be held in the Long Prairie school where the arena holds its regular meetings. Long Prairie people are expected to have out a big group.

On Wednesday evening of this week livestock clubs within driving distance of Roseburg will hold a joint meeting at the Women's club building in Garden valley. A good program of sound pictures has been prepared for the evening. These deal chiefly with Western livestock, there is one on corn titles of the pictures are: "Live stock and Man and, Wool From Fleeces to Fabrics, Tall Cows and Chance to Lose." The program is open to parents and friends of club members as well as the active livestock members. No admission is to be charged.

On Thursday evening the "Coca Cola" entertainers go to Glengary to put on a program for the Glen gary community club, which organization is raising funds for 444 child scholarships. The group is expected to take a full program

Milk Control Act Results Studied

Withdrawals Ordered Affect Douglas County Except Roseburg and Coast Area.

Research work on the operation of the present milk control law in the state of Oregon has been carried on in nearly every county of the state with resultant adjustment of past uniform regulations to conform more nearly to local requirements, say Dr. D. B. DeLoach, agricultural economist in the agricultural experiment station at Oregon State college.

The work is being carried on under a cooperative arrangement with the milk control board and under provisions of the milk control law which provide for such research work to be carried on by the experiment station.

The procedure in the past year has been to have investigators go into each county, or larger areas where possible, and study the local conditions in milk control. Facts developed are recorded in a formal report to the milk control board, which then calls a public hearing in the county. Reports based on these investigations have been made to the board for 26 counties. The board has in turn held hearings in 20 counties, as of April 1. New orders based on the findings of the investigation and facts brought out at the hearings have been issued in 21 counties.

These orders included complete withdrawal by the board from eastern Oregon. It was considered that the continued operation of the control law in those counties was not justified, as none had cities of any considerable size. Other factors brought about withdrawal from Llan county.

In addition, the board has withdrawn from all parts of Crook county except Prineville, Douglas county, and Wasco county except The Dalles. In other counties where new orders have been issued, effort has been made to bring the regulations of the board conform more nearly to local custom, in some instances the minimum price for sale to consumers has been lowered and provision made for quantity discounts which had not previously been allowed. In other places the permitted butterfat content for a given price has been adjusted to local custom.

Roseburg Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Alva Perdue, and Mrs. Mandia Widrig were also Roseburg visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Worthington were Sunday visitors at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Condray, at Azalea.

Ray Hampton of the Roseburg office of the forest service has been supervising fire training at the South Umpqua Falls CCC camp recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hill were Dixonville visitors Monday afternoon. They were accompanied when they returned by Mr. Hill's mother, Mrs. W. G. Hill, who will remain here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ulam, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Clark and daughter, Sharon, and Miss Henrietta Ulam were among those shopping and visiting in Roseburg Saturday.

Cecil Connor, Ira Brock, Harley Gunion and Ed Perdue have returned to their work near Tiller following a week-end visit to their respective homes.

Mrs. Baker of Grants Pass, who was called to Tiller the first of last week by the very serious illness of her son, Clarence Baker, has returned to her home. Mr. Baker, who is employed at the South Umpqua Falls CCC camp, and who has been suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia, is reported to be much improved.

Mrs. Walter Hutchinson and her daughters, Miss Gem and Miss Wilthea, and her son, John, attended the theatre in Roseburg Monday evening. They were accompanied to Roseburg by Mrs. Lenora Erickson and her daughter, Carla, who returned to their home there following a visit at the Hutchinson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Houston and their family, who have been making their home for some time in what was formerly the Oak Knoll school house on upper Days creek, have moved to Prospect where Mr. Houston is employed.

The caterpillar tractor owned by C. C. Hill and his son, Carl M. Hill, which was recently equipped as a bulldozer, was taken to the "Mother Lode" mine on upper Crook creek Monday morning, by Bud Gaultke and Carl Hill. It will be used there for work on the mining properties which are being developed by a Portland syndicate.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright had as their guests at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Loffer and son, Buckley, of Canyonville, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Higgins.

Mrs. Fritz Snyder and children, Richard and Barbara, were Myrtle Creek visitors Wednesday afternoon.

M. M. Nelson has recently been at Tiller in connection with the sale of timber from national forest lands and also to inspect the projects being carried out by the South Umpqua Falls CCC camp. One of the most recent of these to be completed is the bridge across Dumont creek on the South Umpqua road, approximately midway between Tiller and Camp Comfort. Construction work is to start immediately on a bridge across Elk creek, the site being just east of the Tiller ranger station. This

Around the County

Days Creek

DAYS CREEK, April 13.—Mrs. John Ulam returned Friday evening from Chico, Calif., where she had been spending some time at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Nicholas. During her absence her daughter, Henrietta, was a guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ulam.

Clayton Mather, who has been visiting at the home of his brother, Irvin Mather, and his sister, Mrs. Frank Woonster, for several days returned to Canas Valley Saturday. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mather and Charles Mather who returned home late Saturday evening.

Miss Mable Moore and Wayne Smith attended the theatre in Myrtle Creek Saturday. They also visited at the home of Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smith on South Myrtle.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moore were attending to business matters in

will prove to be of great value, especially in fire seasons, in making the Callahan and surrounding territory much more easily approached.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Perdue and son, Johnny, and Mrs. Mandia Widrig went to Roseburg Saturday to attend the show.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Poole and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen were Roseburg visitors Monday. While there they attended a very lovely dinner in honor of Mr. Poole's seventy-eighth birthday anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. John Runyon being hosts at the affair which was enjoyed at the Rose hotel.

Lieut. Ivan I. Hawes, junior officer at the South Umpqua Falls CCC camp recently left for San Francisco, where he will be stationed at the army headquarters for a month's detail.

The Bland Mountain Hillbillies went to Canyonville last Friday evening to assist in a program given at the community hall for 4-H scholarship funds. Among those attending from Days Creek were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ayers, Mrs. Dean Snyder, Mrs. Joe Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brock, Mrs. Fritz Snyder, Mrs. Mandia Widrig, Walter Hutchinson, Miss Mary Gross, Miss Gem and Miss Wilthea Hutchinson, Miss Marjorie Church, Miss Beas Clough, Miss Marie Sutton, Miss Dorothy Kelly, Miss Dolly Widrig, Miss Edna Mae Poole, Miss Hilda Montgomery, Barbara and Richard Snyder, Elmer, Ira and Johnny Sutton, A. E. Moore, Jack Gaultke, Nick Raehor, Wilbur White, Ophir Perdue, Jimmy Ward, Johnny Peck, J. J. Ratchor and John Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Culbertson of Glendale were visiting friends here Monday. They were dinner guests at the M. K. Dean while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Worthington were calling on friends and attending to business matters in Canyonville Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Moore and daughter, Miss Mable, and son, Merrill, were Roseburg visitors Friday. They were joined in Canyonville by Miss Florence Moore who accompanied them.

Many local people attended open house at the South Umpqua Falls CCC camp Sunday. Though the weather was not ideal, those attending report an interesting and enjoyable day. Among those going were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Connor and daughter, Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Dean, Mrs. Joe Allen, Mrs. Guy Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lewis Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cook, Mrs. Harry Nourse, Mrs. Nourse, Mrs. Walter Hutchinson, Mrs. John Montgomery, a daughter, Marda, and son, Jack, Miss Gem and Miss Wilthea Hutchinson, Miss Hilda Montgomery, Miss Irene Bertrand, Miss Beas Clough, Miss Mildred and Miss Geraldine Spore, Miss Susie Crispin, Miss Dorothy Kelly, Miss Maria Sutton, Miss Violeta Goin, Miss Dolly Widrig, Miss Marjorie Church, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ward, Art, Bill, Jimmy and Allen Ward, Arthur Ward, Raymond Spore, Gus Lapp, John Deant, Lyle Spore, James Kelly and Frank Deantman.

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