

Over The Valley

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BIG FARM PICNIC IS STAGED RECENTLY AT EXPERIMENT STATION

Several hundred people attended the picnic held yesterday, all day, at the Eastern Oregon Experiment station near Union and were guests of the genial superintendent, Robert Withycombe. The occasion was the joint picnic held by the Union county Pomona grange and the Union County Dairy Herd association. This is an extremely busy time of year for a picnic of farmer folks, but it seemed to be the only time it could be arranged, and as it was, the attendance was very good all day, and much larger in the afternoon.

The morning was devoted to inspection of the farm. There is always much to interest there. Not all are interested in the same project but there is one or more to attract practically everyone in a large company. For a good many years the women were neglected, outside of those who were interested in cows and sheep and hogs and grain. But now things have changed and the first one of a very fine poultry department is the thing the women want to see first of all. The morning was very

profitable. Then came the dinner. To one who has never attended a picnic at the station a good description of the setting is impossible, and to those who have been there it is unnecessary. Suffice it to say that as usual, the tables were spread under the trees at the farther end of the station in a dining room, while the program was given in the nearer end. And was beautiful yesterday and today, though to be truthful not overly chilly. The dinner was indecipherable for the country folk came with hampers just full of good things, and these were supplemented by ice cream and hot coffee furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Withycombe, and served by them with the assistance of attaches of the experiment station.

The program in the afternoon was presided over by acting county agriculturist, Wray Lawrence, opening with the singing of America by the entire company lead by LaNita Gaskill. Pearson with Mrs. Edith Phy at the piano. Mr. Lawrence after a few introductory remarks called for Mr.

Withycombe who welcomed his large company of visitors in a happy fashion, explaining at the same time some of the work, or lines of work undertaken at the present time. After a beautiful solo, with an encore, by Mrs. Edith Phy, playing her own accompaniment, George I. Palmer, master of the state grange of Oregon was introduced and made a very interesting talk on the work of the grange which he described as being 64 years of age and having a million members, the largest organization in the state of Oregon. He spoke of its purposes and its accomplishments which he declared to be worthy the support of every farmer in the state. While the farm relief bill, as recently passed is not by any means ideal, nor what might be desired, Mr. Palmer expressed himself as being glad of its passage inasmuch as it was a beginning. He spoke also of the debtors bill.

Little Miss Helen Davis of Union gave a splendid musical reading, with Mrs. Phy at the piano. Mr. Palmer then introduced as the second speaker, Dr. Phy spoke as president of the Union county Dairy Herd Improvement association, pointing out the value of the organization which he represented, something of the growth of the dairy industry in this valley, and also something of its possibilities.

Mrs. Morton Davis of Union, accompanied by Mrs. Phy furnished a beautiful vocal solo and she, too, was recalled for a second song. N. C. Jamison, dairy specialist from the state college at Corvallis was introduced as the main speaker of the program. Naturally, Mr. Jamison spoke on the dairy end

of the farming game. He called attention to the fact that for some time there has been an increase in this industry of one to two per cent annually. This, he stated, was not, however, making any surplus. A billion pounds of milk are being imported annually. Mr. Jamison stated and being on an import basis it is possible to keep up the tariff and prices. Mr. Jamison went on into a very thorough discussion of the dairy situation, of its problems. He was heard with great interest, because dairying is growing rapidly in this valley and those who are going in to it on a larger scale are anxious and eager for all the help and assistance possible. Mr. Jamison's was a very practical talk and touched problems which Union county men are intensely interested in.

The meeting adjourned after Mr. Jamison had finished speaking, but the company did not disperse for some time, but rather remained and visited.



OFFICE CAT
By Junius

Professor: Why are the summer days longer than the winter days?
Tenderfoot: Because the heat expands them.

Most of the fire in the modern girl's eye is quenched by the water on her brain.
After all, a hunk of maple sugar is the result of some poor sap getting hard boiled.
"That's a pretty bad cold you have, old man. What are you doing for it?"
"To-day I'm doing what Jones told me to do. It's Simpson's day to-morrow, and Saturday is

Brown's day. If I'm not better by Sunday, and if I'm still alive, I shall try your remedy. Write it down on this card, will you?"
"Why didn't you send your man to mend my electric bell?"
"I did, madam, but no one rang three times and got no answer my man decided there was nobody home."

And then there is the absent-minded professor who held an egg in his hand and boiled his watch.

Education is free but the books to get it front don't seem to know it.

Smith: "Would you advise me to marry a beautiful girl of a sensible girl?"
Brown: "I'm afraid you'll never be able to marry either, old man."

Smith: "Why not?"
Brown: "Well, a beautiful girl could do better, and a sensible

girl would know better."
"Mother, if I get married when I grow up, will I get a husband like my old man?"
"Why, yes dear."
"And if I don't get married will I be an old maid like Aunt Susie?"
"Yes, dear."

"Well, all I gotta say is, that it's a pretty tough world for us wimmin, isn't it, mother?"

Facts are stubborn things but not so stubborn as men who won't accept them.

"Can you get board at the place where you live?"
"I'll say you can—bored still?"

They rope off the aisles at a wedding so the bride-groom can't get away.

Phyllis (yawning): "Well what shall we do this evening?"
Aunt: "Let's think hard."
"N. let's do something you can do, too."

A woman is a person who will not wait her turn in the barber shop.
Taught People Thrift
While the savings bank idea originated in England and Scotland it took firmer hold here than anywhere. The government handles most of the savings in England and in many of the Continental countries.

Spelling Varied
The Old Testament was written in the Arabic and older Hebrew. The New Testament in the later Hebrew and possibly to some extent in Greek. This accounts for the difference in spelling in the translations.

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