OVER THE VALLEY

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Comes For Visit—
Mrs. Lyda Jasper arrived this week from her home at Weiser, Idaho, for a visit with her three sisters in the valley, Mrs. Jim McKinnis, Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Dennison.

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Change Aid Date—
The meeting of the Alicel Ladies Aid society has been set ahead one day and will be held at the home of Mrs. Lowell tomorrow, Wednesday, instead of on Thursday. This is a very important meeting as it is time for election of officers and also final reports of committees working on the county convention, the 17th, are to be given.

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To Have Trip—
Taking advantage of the two days of vacation in the county schools the last of this week, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wright and their daughter, Geraldine, of the lower Cove road, plan to leave for an auto trip to Melba, Idaho, where they will visit at the home of Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ansell Comstock.

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Sunday Guests—
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Thatcher and son were up from Haines Sunday visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKinnis, near Summerville. Miss Frances McKinnis, who is teaching near Vale, was also at home for the weekend. They timed their visit to take in the annual pheasant feed.

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Called to Union—
Mr. and Mrs. John Dahlstrom and daughter, of Moss Chapel, were in Union last week, called by the illness of Mrs. Dahlstrom's sister, Miss Lola Scott, who had an operation for appendicitis and was quite ill for several days.

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Have Fine Orchestra—
Mrs. Louie Standley, of the Iowa district, is the director of the orchestra of which the Pleasant Grove grange is quite proud. The personnel of the organization is as follows: piano, Ava Woodell, clarinet, Mildred Standley; violin, Mrs. Ina Rhodes; saxophone, Dale Standley; cornet, Bernard Towll; trombone, Glenn Henderson; assistant pianist, Gaston Scion. The orchestra is planning to practice Wednesday evening, anticipating the play to be given at the grange hall Friday evening by the grangers coming over from Wolf Creek.

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Go to Hood River—
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carnes, of Moss Chapel, were called to Hood River last Thursday by the death of Mr. Carnes' mother.

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Visits Mother—
Mrs. A. La Rocque, of lower Cove, was in Baker a part of last week visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Troy.

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Returns From Hospital—
Mrs. Neil Kight was taken to her home in lower Cove Wednesday, having sufficiently recovered from her recent operation for appendicitis performed in La Grande.

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Visit Relatives—
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall drove into the valley from their home in Haines Sunday and visited with her brother, Henry Maurer, at lower Cove.

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Move to La Grande—
Mr. and Mrs. Orin Wagoner and family, who have lived for years in the Iowa district, have finished moving into La Grande where they will reside temporarily.

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Visit Sunday—
Attorney and Mrs. Ed Blodgett, of Nyssa, Oregon, were guests Sunday at the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Daniel, at the Cove.

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Aid on Thursday—
The Island City Ladies Aid society is to meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ray Blokland.

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Receives Scholarship—
Mrs. Jeanette Tuttle, of near Rhinehart, is quite elated, and justly so, over word which she received concerning her granddaughter, Miss Valgene Tuttle, well known over the valley. The clipping which Mrs. Tuttle received read as follows:

"Miss Valgene Tuttle has been elected to a scholarship by the faculty at the University of Washington, according to word received here by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Tuttle. Miss Tuttle will spend part of her time teaching at the university and will continue her studies for hours for a master's degree. Miss Tuttle is a graduate of the Weatherwax high school and received her bachelor's degree from the University of Washington last June."

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Return to Weston—
The Misses Eva and Edna Led, better returned Sunday evening to their school work at Weston after a weekend visit at their home near Alicel. They were accompanied home by their friend, Miss Rita Thomas, of Weston.

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Day at Muddy Creek—
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker drove to Muddy Creek Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Daniel.

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Down From Flats—
Mr. and Mrs. Emil Miller, of Cricket Flat, drove down Sunday and were guests at the pheasant feed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hibbert.

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Visits Mother—
Clark Colver, of The Dalles, was in the valley recently, having been called by the serious illness of his mother, who lives at the Lindsey home in the Grange Hall neighborhood. Mrs. Colver was critically ill for a few days but is much better now and was able to attend the grange fair, where she received a magnificent basket of flowers for being the oldest exhibitor.

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Countrywomen's Club—
The Countrywomen's club will resume its meetings next Friday afternoon when it will be entertained by Mrs. Arthur Golden and Mrs. Mattie Golden at the home of the latter in La Grande.

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Weekend Guests—
Miss Helen Hulac, domestic science instructor at the Union High school, was a guest over the weekend at the home of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bidwell, at Island City. Miss Pauline Hood, also a teacher at Union, was in Island City Friday evening for the P. E. O. meeting.

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Have New Daughter—
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vogel, of near Union, are announcing the birth of a baby daughter, born to them September 28. The babe has been given the name Nelda Jean.

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On Business Trip—
Ernie Miller, of lower Cove, has gone to Canada on a ten day business trip.

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Some Alibi—
Readers of this page will remember there was considerable mystery connected with the shooting of three deer by Hugh Huron, of Brooks Lane, county agent Harry Avery, of Island City, and Luther Hindman, of Cricket Flat, two years ago. The incident was variously reported, but it was very generally believed that Mr. Hindman had fed the bucks all summer and then had them hog-tied for his two guests, who claimed that they had gotten their deer the morning of the first day of the open season, and before breakfast. Mr. Avery has gone, Mr. Huron is on a hunting expedition up in the Starkey section this week, so it has remained for Mr. Hindman to do his hunting alone. He went last week but came home empty-handed. His reason for lack of fortune, he has just made known. He claims that Mrs. Reed Hibberd, the first woman in the county to bag a deer this season, according to reports, got his deer. If that be the case then Mr. Hindman picked a small animal for his winter's meat. Mrs. Hibberd saw four bucks but had a series of misfortunes, though she was successful in bringing down the fifth. We are expecting to hear very soon that Mr. Hindman has come in with at least a seven-pointer.

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Goes on Expedition—
John Dahlstrom, of Moss Chapel, has gone down into the North Powder country to hunt for a few days.

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Sunday Visitors—
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roesland, of La Grande, drove out to Will Wright's Sunday and spent the day at the Wright home.

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Have Large School—
There were 56 in attendance at the Sunday school held each week at the lower Cove school, last Sunday. Mrs. G. M. Gray is superintendent of the school which is in a very flourishing condition. During the special meetings held some time ago, 23 members of this school were converted and given the rite of baptism.

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Visits Relatives—
Mrs. J. O. Rutter and son, of Baker, were recent visitors at the Arch McNeill home. Mr. McNeill and Mrs. Rutter being brother and sister. Mr. Rutter is a patient at the Hot Lake Sanatorium.

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Returns Home—
Mrs. Charles Gray returned Saturday night to her home on lower Cove after having visited in La Grande. Mrs. Gray is very much better from her recent severe illness of a week. Her daughter, Mrs. Orville Wright, of La Grande, was her guest Sunday.

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Pledges—
It was no surprise to her friends when Miss Marie Ledbetter, of Alicel, pledged Delta Phi Saturday at Willamette university. "Auntie Ric" was only following in the footsteps of all of her sisters, who were active members of that local sorority during their college days. Miss Helene Price is a member of the same social group.

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Have Big Crowds—
Big crowds were reported at the Apple Jack Gulch on both Friday and Saturday evenings. This is the annual celebration staged by the American Legion post at Imbler, the proceeds being used for charitable purposes at Christmas time.

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On Hunting Expedition—
Roy Lay and John Mitchell, of Cove, started on a hunting expedition upon Snake river the first of the week, expecting to be gone several days.

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At Becker's—
Mrs. Claude Lynch, of Island City, was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Becker, on lower Cove.

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Visits in Washington—
Mrs. Frank Elem, of lower Cove, has gone up into Washington state where she is visiting among relatives.

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Change in Program—
On account of ill health, J. W. Crites, from the office at the state superintendent of public instruction, has been obliged to cancel all of his engagements and consequently will be unable to attend the Tri-county Teachers' Institute to be held at the Eastern Oregon Normal Thursday and Friday of this week. Mr. Crites had expected to meet with all the school directors and clerks and give them information concerning and help with the new methods of keeping records and making reports. His inability to come is very deeply regretted. Such school officials are asked by county superintendent E. A. Sayre to meet Superintendent C. A. Howard next Friday at 11:15 when questions will be answered, etc., etc. There will be no school over the county during the two days of the institute.

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To Give Play—
Members of the Wolf Creek grange who appeared recently in the play "Bashful Mr. Bobbs," will give the play this Friday evening at Pleasant Grove grange and on Saturday evening at the Blue Mt. grange. The public is invited.

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Visit Friend—
Mr. and Mrs. A. A. LaViers, of near Summerville, drove to Grange Hall Saturday and visited with their many friends there while taking in the Blue Mt. fair.

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The Pheasant Feed—
If one were to take a text from which to write an account of the annual pheasant feed held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hibberd near Rhinehart, it would be something like this, "And they did all eat and were filled; and they took up of the fragments that remained, twelve baskets full." The only difficulty would be that all ate and were more than filled, and also the 12 baskets full which remained were food fit for the gods. Well, this is an annual event, started some dozen or so years ago by a group of old time families out in the neighborhood of Summerville and Imbler and it has been held every year since, unless one year was skipped—we are not quite sure. But each year the clan gathers and if they have not been fortunate enough in getting pheasants then fried chicken is substituted. This year there were both, and in what quantities! And what cooks there are out in that neighborhood! The menu consisted of pheasant, chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, baked beans, salads of every kind and description, all kinds of pickles, jams, jellies, relishes, wonderful cakes and hot pies, especially pumpkin with whipped cream, and coffee. Hot rolls and butter didn't figure at all. It was all delightfully informal and the company draped themselves all over the house and the spacious yard during the several hours required to consume even the mere samples of the array of food.

Those who shared in the feed Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKinnis and children, Catherine, Keith and Frances, of Summerville; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thatcher and son, of Haines; Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKinnis, of Summerville; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Huron and son, Bobbie, and Miss Anne Brooks, of Brooks Lane; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hindman and three children and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Miller and Miss Ruth Hensley, of Cricket Flat; Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Appleby, Miss Alice Klippel and Miss Mabel Morton, of La Grande; Mr. and Mrs. George Hill and two sons and Mrs. McNette, Mrs. Jeanette Tuttle, of Willowdale; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Knight and two children and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Duncan and son, of Rhinehart; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Golding, of Alicel; Mrs. Glenn Patten, son and daughter; Mrs. Brugger, Wm. F. Wade and Arnold Waelty, of Elgin; J. McKeal and daughter, Mrs. Mary Wood, of Kansas City, Missouri; Miss Ruth Prior, Imbler; Dick Hibberd, C. R. Hibberd and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hibberd and daughter, Shirley. Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hibberd made excellent host and hostess and Shirley, the tiny daughter, contributed no little to the entertainment of the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill and their twin sons will entertain the crowd next year.

A SEASONABLE RECIPE

Delicious Apple Pie
One cup milk or cream.
One-half cup sugar.
One tablespoon flour.
Two egg yolks.
Two large apples.

Mix the milk, sugar, flour and egg yolks thoroughly. Line a pie tin with pastry and add the apples cut fine. Cover with milk mixture. Place strips of pastry, cut thin, over the pie in lattice fashion and bake until apples are tender. Remove from the oven and place half a marshmallow in each square. Set back in the oven to brown. This is a very delicious pie.

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Receive Checks For Sale Of Hogs At Fair

County agriculturist Wray Lawrence has received the checks from the proper persons from the sale of the hogs which were exhibited at the recent state fair by the members of the Wolf Creek Pig club. This group of young people down near North Powder have become very active in club work during the last two years and have made considerable progress. This year their judging team was highest in the county and when sent to the state fair made a very creditable showing. Their entries also were very good, and consisted of several head of Chester White hogs.

The animals were all sold for 10¾ cents per pound and the individual checks were as follows:

Virginia Nice, 214 lbs.	$23.00
Charles Nice, 200 lbs.	21.50
Forrest Bowman, 208 lbs.	22.36
Quentin Bowman, 225 lbs.	24.19
Owen Gorham, 224 lbs.	24.08
Olive Gorham, 250 lbs.	26.88

This club is determined to do even better work next year.

BLUE MT. GRANGE STAGES TWO-DAY FAIR SUCCESSFULLY

For the first time since 1923, the members of Blue Mt. Grange put on a fair at their grange hall, Thursday and Friday of last week, as a benefit for their new building fund. Considering the weather and other circumstances which interfered somewhat with the attendance, the fair was pronounced quite a success and this organization will have a nice addition to the special fund. Mrs. Sara Anson was chairman of the committees arranging the enterprise and all worked faithfully for the project.

Miss Iona Harriman, domestic science instructor at the La Grande High school, judged the fancy work, children's work and canned fruits and vegetables, while county agriculturist Wray Lawrence judged the livestock, poultry, fruits and vegetables. Frank Bidwell judged the grains. A partial list of the prize winners together with the donors of the special prizes is given herewith:

Special Prizes

Best farm display—A. E. Hug, $5 from Falk's.

Second farm display—Sara Anson, $3 cash from Stevens-Van Engelen Co.

Best display of cooking—Mrs. L. Standley, picture from Hugg Paint shop.

Largest display of fancy work—Mrs. J. B. Lindsey—one year's subscription to the Evening Observer.

Second largest display of fancy work—Mrs. Laura Taylor, one year's subscription for the District News.

Best display of pillow slips—Juanita Spencer Willcock, box stationery from La Grande Book Co.

Best luncheon and buffet set—Mrs. Sara Golden, vase from Melville Hardware store.

Best display of fancy work made by oldest woman—Mrs. Nellie Colver, basket of flowers from Rohan's flower shop.

Best display of canned fruits and vegetables—Tina Gekeler, electric iron from the Eastern Oregon Light and Power Co.

Best display of jams and jellies—Mrs. Lucile Hamann, built-in ironing board from Van Patten Lumber Co.

Best display of fruits—Charles Gekeler, $3 cash from the Chamber of Commerce.

Single entries on canned fruits and vegetables—Mrs. Anr Huffman, Mrs. Edith Gekeler, Mrs. Susie Williamson, Mrs. A. P. Davis, Mrs. John Hamann and Mrs. Walter Pierce, butter from Blue Mountain creamery and from the manufacturers of the Golden Glow and the Meadow Harvest brands.

General display of grain—Frank Wright, auto clock given by Perkins Motor Co.

Second on general display—Clarence Carlow, paper from Blue Mountain garage.

Largest display of rye—George Salisbury, shirt from Westenhaver's.

Best bushel of wheat—Frank Wright, $2.50 from Reynolds' store.

Geese—Mrs. Frank Wright, flour from Kiddle Milling Co.

Turkeys—Mrs. Tom Macomb, ham from Grande Ronde Meat Co.

Jersey Giant chickens—Mrs. R. A. Masterton, flour from Kiddle Milling Co.

Rhode Island Red chickens—Mrs. George Salisbury, large bag of oyster shell from the McClay grocery.

White Wyandotte chickens—Mrs. Bert Grout, flour from Kiddle Milling Co.

Plymouth Rock chickens—Mrs. Frank Wright, coffee from MacMarr's.

White Leghorn chickens—Mrs. O. C. Fleshman, coffee from MacMarr's.

Charlie Anson received a sack of calf meal from Broomfield and Richardson for the best Guernsey bull calf.

Mt. Emily Lumber company donated the lumber for the pens and tables; the Home Lumber company furnished the paper and the La Grande Electric company donated the wires, globes, fixtures, etc. to light the barn and grounds. The ice cream was donated by the Blue Mountain creamery.

Special Prizes on Children's Work

Cash donated by J. A. Nice and by La Grande banks—$5 from La Grande National and $3 from the United States National—was divided among the school children for their displays on art work.

Display of paintings—Clara Morris, $3 in trade from the J. H. Peare and Son jewelry store.

General display of sheep—Delbert Grout, prize from New York store.

Display of guineas—Tommy Macomb, flashligh tfrom Red Cross Drug Co.

Rambouillet sheep — Delbert Grout, camera from L. & L. Drug Co.

Blackface sheep—Tommy Macomb, watch from Moon's Drug store.

Child's farm display — Louise Hug, fountain pen from Birnie's Jewelry store.

First on airplane—Lee Spencer, First Aid kit from Glass Drug Co.

Second on airplane — Robert Spencer, knife from Gilbert Hardware Co.

Girl's quilt—Helen Gekeler, silk lingerie from C. J. Brier Co.

Display of fancy work—Clara Morris, stamped goods from Forty-nine Cent Store.

Fancy work by girl under 12—Marjorie Fleshman, a Red Cross outfit from J. C. Penney store.

Sewing by girl under 12—Elmira Dodson, dress goods by J. C. Penney store.

Display of printing—Maurice Gekeler, bill fold by Jack Allen Supply Co.

Holstein calf—Lester Robinson, sack of calf meal from Broomfield and Richardson.

List of Entries Which Received Ribbons as Premiums

Fancy Work

First Premiums

Bead flowers—Mrs. J. B. Lindsey.
Booties—Mrs. J. B. Lindsey.
Bead necklaces—Mrs. Emigh.
Mats—Mrs. O. C. Fleshman.
Table runner—Mrs. William Taylor.
Centerpiece—Mrs. Tina Gekeler.
Lunch cloth—Mrs. Arthur Golden.
Doilie—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Centerpiece—Mrs. J. B. Lindsey.
Dresser scarf—Mrs. Frank Wright.
Pillow slips—Juanita Spencer Willcock.
Baby pillow—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Dresser scarf—Lucile Hamann.
Silk quilt—Mrs. C. W. Bond.
Crazy quilt—Mrs. R. A. Masterton.
Pieced quilt — Mrs. John Hamann.
Bed spread—Mrs. Sara Anson.
Pieced quilt—Mrs. Colver.
Slippers—Mrs. John Hamann.
Crochet rug—Mrs. Colver.
Slip—Mrs. Sara Anson.
Old quilt—Mrs. Frank Wright.
Tea towel — Juanita Spencer Willcock.

Second Premiums

Embroidered doilie—Tina Gekeler.
Mats—Tina Gekeler.
Neck scarf—Mrs. George Salisbury.
Pillow slips and scarf—Mrs. William Taylor.
Dresser scarf—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Lunch set—Mrs. Tina Gekeler.
Centerpiece—Mrs. George Salisbury.
Plastic embroidery pillow—Juanita Spencer Willcock.
Tea towel — Juanita Spencer Willcock.
New quilt—Mrs. J. B. Lindsey.
Rug—Mrs. Colver.
Old quilt—Mrs. William Taylor.

Canned Fruits and Vegetables

First Premiums

Peaches—Lucile Hamann.
Black cherries—Lucile Hamann.
Royal Ann cherries—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Huckleberries—Lucile Hamann.
Raspberries—Lucile Hamann.
Gooseberries—Lucile Hamann.
Sour cherries—Lucile Hamann.
Tomatoes—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Corn on the cob——Lucile Hamann.
Beets—Lucile Hamann.
Whole string beans—Lucile Hamann.
Broken string beans—Lucile Hamann.
Catsup—Mrs. John Hamann.
Chili sauce—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Pickles—Mrs. L. Standley.

Second

Black cherries—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Peaches—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Royal cherries—Mrs. John Hamann.
White beans—Mrs. John Hamann.
Catsup—Lucile Hamann.

Poultry

First Premiums

White Wyandottes—Mrs. Bert Grout.
Rhode Island Red chickens—Mrs. George Salisbury.
Partridge Rock chickens—Mrs. R. A. Masterton.
Black Giant chickens—Mrs. R. A. Masterton.
Turkeys—Mrs. Tom Macomb.
Geese—Mrs. Frank Wright.
Richardson.
White Leghorn chickens—Mrs. O. C. Fleshman.
Barred Rocks — Mrs. Frank Wright.
Guinea hen and brood—Mrs. Tom Macomb.

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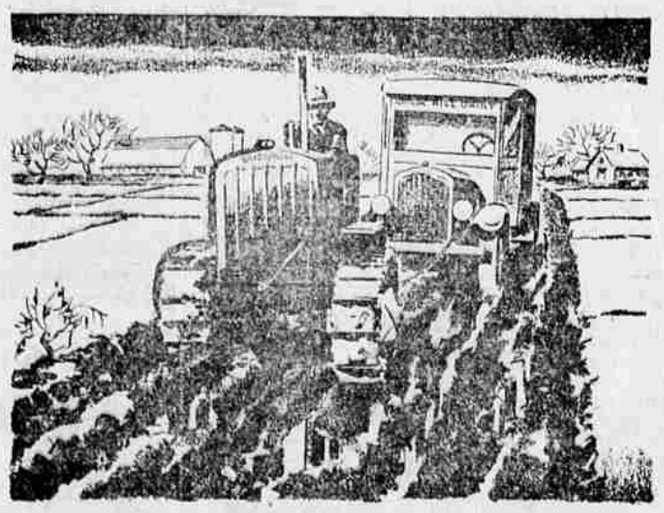

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