

# Del Norte County Fair Promises To Be Greatest; Set August 21 To 24

## Exhibits Already Registered Exceed All Previous Records; Many New Features Are Added To This Event

CRESCENT CITY — The biggest fair in the history of Del Norte County will be held August 21 to 24. According to Bob McClure, secretary-manager, all indications so far point to the fair in excess of all expectations. More entries have been received to date than any other year. A large tent has been rented to house many of the exhibits, forced out of the exhibit buildings at the grounds.

Livestock entries have been pouring in for the past month, with exceptionally heavy entries in the cattle classes. On exhibition will be herds of Aberdeen-Angus, Herefords, Ayrshires, Holsteins, Milking Shorthorns, Jerseys, Guernseys and Brown Swiss.

Swine entries have been accepted for the first time since 1941. Entries in this class are expected to exceed 150.

The sheep classes will also be well filled, as will poultry and rabbit departments.

This year Del Norte county fair is offering \$55,000 in premiums in all divisions, which have already exceeded any year in the history.

The flower show will be outstanding this year, with entries expected to more than triple last year's big showing. In addition to the sections usually provided for in the flower show, prizes will be offered for the first time, for a floriculture booth. There will be six booths entered for competition. There will also be an exhibit of wild flowers of the county.

Entries in domestic arts and domestic science departments are heavy, Mr. McClure said. There will also be an exhibit of commercial products. There will be, new this year, a recording device where anyone may make a record of his voice. Educational and entertaining movies will be running at all times. Special equipment for this is being brought from Hollywood.

Del Norte County fair made a real "scoop" when it made arrangements to have an open air art show. Mrs. Jehanne Bietry-Salinger, the California art peddler, is starting on a nation-wide tour, and will be at Crescent City. She will display hundreds of works of art during the three-day fair. Her show will open on August 21.

A two-day horse show will be held the afternoons of August 23 and 24. This will begin at 1 p. m. and between events there will be thrilling wagon races, saddle races and novelty horse races. In addition to the rides and shows, the carnival also has a gigantic "free act" which will be shown all during the fair.

Night shows will be presented for the first time. This outstanding stage production will be presented in front of the grandstand building at 8 p. m. This show has a circus theme with clowns, jugglers, acrobats, high acts, and all other things that go to make up a thrilling circus. This will be presented Aug. 21, 22 and 23.

At 8 p. m., Aug. 24, one of the

outstanding entertainment features in America will be presented in front of the grandstand. This is Chief Cushing's "Thrill Show." It will be remembered that Chief Cushing is the man, who a few months ago, leaped off Golden Gate Bridge at San Francisco, and lived to tell it. This show will feature crashing automobiles, rolling them, driving off ramps with cars and motorcycles, driving through fire and topped off with a high wire act 171 feet above the ground. The young lady who performs this act works with no safety net or safety devices. She actually will be 17 stories above the earth.

Advertising concerning this event may be seen elsewhere in this issue.

### Local News Items

Mrs. Kathryn Smith of Hood River, former superintendent of schools in Curry county, was in this area last week, on business, and to visit friends. Mrs. Smith is now assistant superintendent and supervisor of Hood River Co. School District, which is a county unit organization. She said she enjoyed her work and likes Hood River county very much, but misses her Curry county friends.

Mrs. Blanche Haskin of Santa Barbara, Calif., arrived by bus last Monday to meet her daughter, Mrs. Kathryn Smith. They left Tuesday by automobile to visit several of the national parks and national monuments of the west.

Lynn Hampton, newly-elected principal of the local schools, who has been in the area the past week, left late Saturday to visit his family at Salem. The family will move here soon and will occupy one of the Harry Z. Smith houses in Harbor.

A group of fifteen lily growers were entertained at an Aug. 4, luncheon by Harry Sharp, at Eureka. Among those present from this area were Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Lundeen, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Low and Tom and Obie Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern M... were called to Seattle last... by the death of Mr. M... sister, Mrs. Cecil Burley... Mrs. Flossie Buchanan... of the B. & B. Cafe, because of the high-climbing food prices announces she will change hours from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. every day except Tuesday, when the cafe is closed. She will be specialized only in short orders until further notice.

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Meeting of Board of Directors of Dist. No. 17 is the first Tuesday of each month.

Every Monday evening, 7:30 Boy Scout meeting at Odd Fellows hall. Scouts urged to be present at all meetings.

Every first and third Wednesday of month, Post 966, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Auxiliary Sidney Croft Lodge, A. F. & A. M. meets each second and fourth Friday of the month at the Odd Fellows hall. Visiting Masons are welcome.

Every Wednesday night at 7:30 Mutual Improvement Association, Harbor School. Old and young are invited to come.

Every Thursday evening, I. O. O. F. meets at the Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting Odd Fellows are welcomed.

Cub Scouts meet every Monday at 4:00 p. m. at Mrs. Widney's home on Easy Street, and at Mrs. Ruth Redfield in Brookings.

Second and fourth Tuesdays of each month, at I. O. O. F. hall, Topaz Rebekah lodge. Members urged to attend, and visitors always welcome.

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