

SMITH RIVER

Club Takes Tour, Sunday

Del Norte County 4-H clubs tour was held last Sunday, as representatives from Klamath, Crescent City, Fort Dick and of this place accompanied by leaders, parents and Farm Advisor Walt Feig of Eureka, were on the tour, visiting the various homes of the members to view their projects. The last stop on the tour was the Sarina ranch at Smith River to look at Bobby Sarina's purebred Jersey heifers to exhibit at the fair.

A picnic and pot luck lunch was held at the Dr. Fine Memorial bridge above Smith River, Sunday with plenty of ice cream provided by Del Norte Co-operative Creamery. Farm Advisor Feig instructed the boys and girls to get their entry blanks and record books in by Aug. 1.

Other Smith River Items

Mrs. Miriam Barnsa is enjoying a visit with her sister, Mrs. Ed Johnston of Pond Creek, Oklahoma. This is Mrs. Johnston's first visit to the northern part of the state.

Mrs. A. C. Thompson and Mrs. Laura Vincent of Harbor, accompanied by Mrs. Lucy Jamison of Oakand, who has been a guest at the Thompson home, were visiting friends here Friday. Mrs. Jamison is a former resident of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wells are parents of a 7 lb. 11½ oz. son, born at Seaside hospital on July 20. The young man has been named Donald Gordon.

the counters hold squash, green zucchini, artichokes, and broccoli. Red cabbages are for the Scandinavians; and the Brussel sprouts and cabbage for the English.

But the January seed catalog is a challenge to us gardeners. Marty happy hours are spent, thumbing through, admiring illustrations, and making out the order. We must try this, and this and this! Something new? If we can meet the growing needs, it finds its way to our table.

Swiss chard is a member of the beet family. It was mentioned by Aristotle in 350 B. C., and by the Chinese in the seventh century. It still grows wild in the Canary Islands; in Iran; about the seacoasts of Egypt, and the Caspian sea.

Broccoli is related to the cauliflower family. The Italian name "broccoli" translated means sprouts.

Much of our artichoke crop is yearly canned and exported to South America.

The Mayan civilization was founded on maize, or corn as we call it. From Canada to Peru, among the Indians, there are many beautiful legends and religious dances woven about the civilization of maize.

Spinach comes to us from the Arabs who cultivated it in North Africa many centuries ago. Spinach salad isn't a new dish. The Armenians have made that delightfully refreshing dish for so many years.

Tomatoes were first thought to be poisonous. Called love apples, they were grown as an ornamental plant. Potatoes were raised by the Incas and taken to Spain by the first Spanish explorers.

Radishes are one of the earliest recorded vegetables. The Chinese have been eating them since before the dawn of our history.

Peas have been found in Egyptian tombs and were probably an ingredient in the mess of pottage Jacob gave to Esau.

Turnips, which are essentially a cool weather crop, grow well in England. Carrots were possibly first developed in Holland. They were introduced into England about the beginning of the 16th century. For years, they were used mainly in soups and stews, but the carrot has recently come into his own as a vegetable because of the high sugar—mineral—and vitamin content. It is sometimes used as a coloring agent.

As I prepare the vegetables for dinner I think of hands of other lands doing the same thing. There are bridges across the gulf of speech and dress which separate us from other nationalities. Food likes are one.

Down Smith River way is Mrs. Robert Maris who enjoys trying new flowers and plants in her garden. Blooming in her greenhouse now is an Amazon lily, a native of South America. The Amazon lily (Eucharis grandiflora) is rather difficult to grow here. So this is something of an achievement and a bloom horticulturists will want to stop in and see.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cucksee and daughters, Patsy, Tamera and Janice, of Los Angeles, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bell at Carpenterville. Mr. Cucksee is a city fireman at Los Angeles.

LOCAL NEWS

Among those members of the local Seventh-Day Adventists to attend the General Conference of that church at San Francisco, the past two weeks, are Mr. and Mrs. Willard Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roderick, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graham, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Shirey, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bolin and daughter Betti, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher, Mrs. Geo. Funk, Mrs. Flo Schmitt, Mrs. Cecil Watt and Leo VanDolson. This is a world conference with delegates from almost all the nations of the world. There were over 21000 persons present on the last Sabbath, and it took three large auditoriums to hold the congregation.

Stock of the Redfield Grocery is being moved across the street to Hotel Brookings building, until Lyle Redfield is able to complete his new building, adjacent to the Kruger building.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ginther and children spent a recent week-end at their home here, from Corvallis where Mr. Ginther is taking up specialized shop work at summer school.

Mrs. Ida Hubbell and daughter Mrs. Nellie Rodehaver had as week-end guests, Mrs. Hubbell's three nieces, Mrs. George Brooks of Lewiston, Calif., Mrs. Beryl Miller, her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Monti, of San Rafael, Calif.

Miss Jessie Stratton of Rochester, N. Y., and Miss Emily Day of Washington, D. C. were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hoffeldt.

Chetco Community Library board is sponsoring a cake and pie sale at Brookings Market Saturday, August 5, to raise funds for library work, as the money is about exhausted. Additional expense is being incurred since the library has no home, so funds are sorely needed. The library board met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Albert Joy, 12 were present for pot luck dinner, and the meeting.

Theodore Tamba of San Francisco visited his mother here for a short time last week. He had come to Crescent City to represent a client in a legal case, and of course, came to Harbor to visit his mother, while that near to her.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Masset are proud grandparents of a 7 lb. 10 oz. granddaughter, Rita Jo,

born to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dan L. Masset at Kamath Falls, July 19. Mrs. Masset is in Klamath Falls for a few weeks to visit their children and their families.

Mrs. Henrietta Dill spent last week at Portland in connection with matters concerning members of the Curry County Indian Affairs Association. She met the new Indian agent for this part of Oregon and looked up old records to help establish the relationship of various local families when the roll is taken for the distribution of the claim which has been allowed by the Court of Claims, but hasn't been passed by Congress as yet.

Mrs. Verne Hanscam and two sons are enjoying a visit at Grants Pass with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Welch, for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Palmer of Portland spent the past week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jordan are parents of a 7 lb. 3 oz. daughter, born at Seaside hospital on Friday. The young miss has been named Shirley Florence.

Use these columns—it pays!

Realty Transfers

Con Devore, owner of property and building known as the "Old Mess-hall," has been leased it to Cecil James, local hauling trucker, who purchased the Task Freight Lines.

Several million feet of timber on the Kruger ranch, owned by Fairhurst Lumber Co. has been purchased by Frank Weils, well known west coast operator.

Walter Jones' house, north of Brookings, has been purchased by Don C. Huffman, who is now planning extensive remodeling. All these sales were handled by C. O. & L. L. Leonard Real Estate Agency.

"Classified Ads"

For Sale: About half acre and comfortable livable garage and utility with stationary tubs and electric water heater. See Guy Faris, city. 22-3*

For Sale: 90-lb. anvil, \$18.00; garden tractor with plow, disc and cultivators, \$25.00; 50 lbs. No. 8 bean wire, \$5; 18x20x12" porcelain tub, \$18.00; 12-tube RCA cabinet radio, \$20.00. See Charles E. Low, across from the Community church. 22tf.

Along Azaiea Row

By B. Miller

A friend came, bringing Swiss chard from her garden. We recently shared broccoli, a gift home-grown, too! I thought back to my childhood as I prepared these delicious vegetables.

They were never seen on our dining table. I do not think my parents knew anything about them.

Our tastes are becoming more universal. Particularly so, when we grow our own ingredients.

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