

DISTINGUISHED PIG IS ONTARIO RESIDENT

Donald McKay Comes to Ontario Following Hide in Air Plane From La Grande To Union, where H. H. Tunny Bought Him—To Boost Fair

Ontario has a distinguished resident in Donald McKay. Donald is not, as his name might imply, an "oatmeal warrior" from the Highlands of Scotland. He obtains his distinction not on his nativity among the heather, but from his high degree of genealogical progression from a very distinguished strain of progenitors.

Donald is the prize Chester white pig that H. H. Tunny did in at the Salvation Army auction at Union Stock Show last Thursday and he is further noted for the fact that he is the first porker that ever went to market in an airplane. They carried Donald up in his skies from La Grande to Union so that he would be there on time for the sale, and H. H. Tunny made up his mind right there and then that he wanted Donald, and he ran the other bidders out of the market and won him for an even \$100.

Donald is to put in his first summer boosting for the Malheur County Fair, and other fairs too, for there is a demand for him already. Yakima wants him on exhibition at the Washington State Fair. Boise wants him at the Idaho Fair. Spokane wants him at the Inter-State Fair. His new owner has been flooded with requests to show his distinguished possession.

Mr. Tunny is arranging to show him here in Ontario, of course. He will go to Boise, but the other fairs will have to forgo the pleasure of seeing the first and only sky-high pig.

Mr. Tunny on his return from Union where he with L. R. Briethaupt, county agent and E. B. Conklin, went to boost the Malheur County Fair and to arrange for the presentation of some of the prize Union County stock at the Malheur county exhibition, was loud in his praise of the Union show.

"There was one thing that impressed me more than anything else," said Mr. Tunny, "that was the hospitality of the people of Union. They made one feel that you were at home, everyone did so with so kindly a manner that the genuineness of the courtesy was undoubted."

"The show itself was all that one could ask. There was a long list of entries in every class and the character of the exhibits was the highest. Especially in shorthorn cattle and Clydesdale horses was the show notable. Then too in the dairy breeds while not so numerous were of a very high grade."

"The people of Union appreciated the presence of so many visitors and gave them a good time. The show attracted great crowds, in one day 9,000 people paid admissions."

"Donald McKay the pig I bought is a grandson of Oregon Girl, a pig I had here in Ontario and sold three years ago. He is a good one and will be shown here in Ontario at the Fair. "We were promised by many of the Union county men that they would exhibit their stock here at the Fair this fall and I am sure they will and their presence with the co-operation of many other stock shows of this region."

GASOLINE SITUATION CALLS FOR SOLUTION

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gas from the Wyoming field, but with the additional drain on that supply it is deemed but a question of time when strenuous measures will be necessary to protect essential industries.

Pleasure Cars Out First
The Standard Oil Company has already instituted its economy program. Agent O. H. Test, under instructions from the general office of the company, stopped the sale of gas to the local garages and service stations on Monday. All gas is sold at the company's plant, and only on the following basis: as outlined by the state committee to which the matter was referred in Portland.

"That the daily gasoline ration for pleasure vehicles be not over 20 per

cent of the tank capacity when leaving the station after filling, and that the daily gasoline ration for commercial machines be not over 75 per cent of the tank capacity when leaving the station after filling.

"That except in case of absolutely necessary use, motorists be urged to leave their cars at home."

Commercial cars defined, as follows:
1. Automotive Transportation of Freight and Passengers for hire.
2. Hotel Buses, Taxicabs or Sight Seeing Vehicles, Stages.
3. Delivery and Food Conveyances, when so used.
4. Road Construction Transportation cars, when used in the discharge of Public Service.
5. Physicians' cars, Ambulances.

Irrigation Pumps Must Work
In this section one of the most essential industries, that of pumping water, must be provided; and similar treatment must be accorded from tractors, trucks for road work and other vehicles that are doing actual work. Pleasure cars should be kept in the garages where possible and used only when necessary, says the Portland committee, and in this every good citizen will agree.

How long the gasoline shortage will continue no one knows, but it is serious and demands action now. Mr. Test believes that it will be some time before the condition is relieved so far as the supply from California is concerned.
Local garage men during the first of the week started to ration their patrons but when they found they could not secure gas from Payette they discontinued doing so. They do not plan further curtailments until the situation becomes worse.

GET OWNER NOT DOG IS NEW LICENSE PLAN

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Irrigation system. Mr. Aker declared his willingness to provide one flame but that he ought not be called on to build two. The matter was not acted upon, but Mr. Aker was asked to take the matter up with the school board.

Attorney C. McGonagill asked an extension of the water mains in the west portion of the city to supply the needs of a number of residents. The water committee was instructed to investigate.

An ordinance governing the use of electric signs read but not acted upon, for in the judgment of City Recorder Stearns its provisions did not comply with the state laws. The ordinance was borrowed from Twin Falls, Idaho.

GRANGERS HAVE JOLLY TIME AT BIG SOCIAL SESSION

The Boulevard Grange had one of the notable meetings of the year at the Grange Hall last Friday night. More than 100 were present to enjoy the program which included discussions by L. R. Briethaupt, county agent, I. E. Oakes, Manager of the Owyhee Ditch; Miss Marie Wilson, county club leader, and Miss Helen Dickson, county librarian. V. V. Hicks, E. B. Conklin and others. Ice cream in large quantities disappeared at the big lunch that followed. The next meeting of the Grange will be a Farm Bureau Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan E. Oakes entertained the Vale bridge to which they belong and the Fortnightly club of Ontario at bridge last Saturday evening. Aside from matching skill at bridge the crowd enjoyed an impromptu musical program with Mrs. Dunlop of Vale presenting the solo numbers. The visitors from Vale included Messrs and Mesdames, Geo. E. Davis, C. C. Burrows, H. A. Dunlop, John Huston, Leslie Hope, Robt. D. Lytle, Mrs. Gus Wildhaber.

S-S-S-SPIRITS!

Mrs. Sidney Drew has afforded all lovers of good comedy a delightful half hour with her newest cinema production, "The Stimulating Mrs. Barton." Julian Street's delightful "After Thirty" stories supply the theme that after a man is thirty and married, the zest of an affair with "another woman" is about as exhilarating as a prohibition cocktail. John Cumberland, one of the funniest comedians of stage and screen, attempts to prove the point and succeeds in spite of his bravest efforts to be a romantic lover.

FARM DWELLERS ASK FOR BOOKS

Announcement of the "Books for Everybody" Movement Brings Letter Flood.

INFORMATIVE WORKS SOUGHT

Requests for Reading Matter Range From Volume on Drainage to Collins' "Book of the Stars."

The announcement of the creation of the American Library Association upon the "Books for Everybody" movement and still later news accounts of the activities of the organization along these lines resulted in a wide-spread appeal from residents of the rural districts of the country for books on farming. Whether the American farmer is simply evidencing his ambition to do a good job better or whether the better crops of his neighbor, who has attended an agricultural college or school, has spurred him on is a matter difficult to determine. But the fact remains the farmer is asking for books. The great majority of American farmers are either without libraries and book service or they are inadequately served.

One of the points which the American Library Association in its "Books for Everybody" movement is strongly urging is the extension of the county library system in states where enabling acts have been passed—some twenty-one in number—and the proper legislation in others which have not yet taken the step. The system, with its central library and radiating lines to stations in the remotest sections of the county, assures good books to every man, woman and child who cares to reach out a hand and grasp one.

Letters Show Need of Service.
The American Library Association is not giving its entire attention to the urban dweller, nor is it neglecting the centers of population for the rural districts and communities. It is, however, unquestionably eager to create a steady flow of informative reading to rural America. That the need for such service exists and that it is anxiously sought is evidenced in every letter of this nature received by state library commissions and by the A. L. A. A few excerpts have been selected because they seem to express most truly the needs of thousands of others.

When Lydia Carlson, whose farm is beyond Minon, Wis., asked for copies of "Productive Farm Crops," "Productive Vegetable Growing" and "Prin-

ciples of the Practice of Poultry Raising" she echoed the book needs of her neighbors. Then she revealed the fact that her eyes are not always in the furrows by asking for a copy of Collins' "Book of the Stars."

What Others Desired.

There was a pressing need behind the letter from James Dunn, who lives ten miles from Convent, La., the nearest town, which has a population of only 500 people. He asked for a copy of "Practical Farm Drainage." The task of keeping his acres dry was beyond him. Walter Williams of Osseo, Wis., wanted to know if he could make fuel alcohol from frozen potatoes and spoiled fruits, and if he could, were there any books on the subject. The requests run the whole range of farm operations. Some wish to know how to treat scale, others desire facts on hog raising. Books giving information on crop rotation are in demand.

The American Library Association is raising a \$2,000,000 fund to finance the "Books for Everybody" movement; which during the next three years will be carried on in co-operation with existing libraries and library agencies. The money is not being raised through the medium of an intensive drive but through the individual efforts of the librarians, library trustees and friends of libraries.

HOW OLD IS ADVENTURE

The whole house clattered with 'em! Auntie's spirit's, that a fake medium had helped her collect at seances.

Was it any wonder Doris rose in revolt? And she being the only sane person in the place, the crazy ones labelled her "queer" and shipped her off to a sanitarium.

Which is only the beginning! Think of Dorothy Gish—with her dander up—amuck in an insane asylum—and let your imagination do the rest.

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The News while it is News—Read The Ontario Argus.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—Will party who carried away, by mistake, black plush wrap.

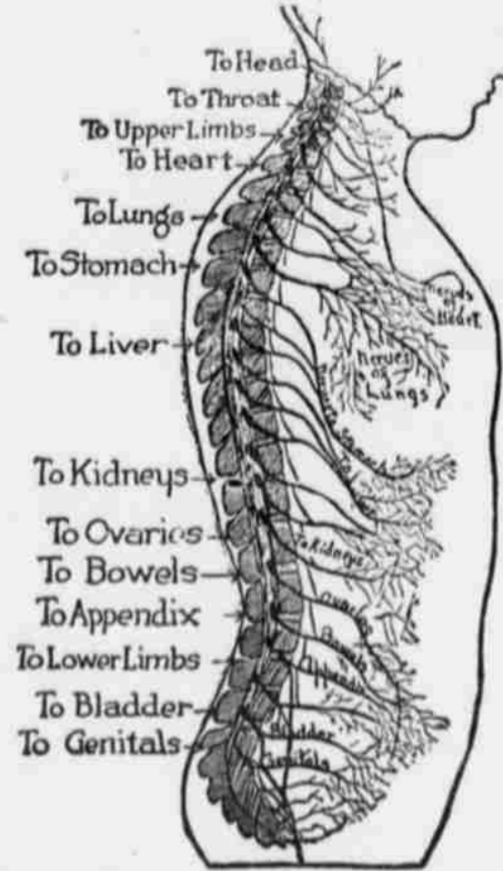
from Blue Bird Cafe, please return to Mrs. V. A. Carrigan, Gen. Del. Ontario, Oregon. 351-28-29.

FOR RENT—Summer sheep range for 2000 head of sheep, phone Cecil R. Bennett, Silver, Ore. 380-28-30

H. C. and C. E. Secoy were called to Central City Nebraska today on account of the serious illness of their mother.

LOST—Purse containing 1 key and button. Finder please leave key at Argus Office. Keep purse. Geo. McClain.

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