

STATE CORN SHOW OFFERS SUBSTANTIAL CASH PREMIUMS

Splendid Opportunity To Advertise Corn Seed and Agricultural Possibilities

The second annual Oregon State Corn Show will be held in Portland in connection with the International Livestock Exposition this year, November 2 to 12. Good cash premiums are offered for both ten and hundred ear exhibits of yellow or white dent corn and for ten ear exhibits of other kinds of dent corn and for ten ear exhibits of flint corn. The premiums range from \$10.00 for first on ten ear exhibits to \$4.00 for third place on the same class. First place on one hundred ear exhibits brings \$25.00 and third place \$10.00. In addition there is a sweepstakes of \$50.00 for the best ten ears of any variety.

This show will be viewed by tens of thousands of people from all over the Northwest and many from eastern states. It offers Malheur county a rare opportunity to place one of its products on display in a way to attract widespread attention to the agricultural possibilities of this section. That we can more than hold our own with the rest of the state when it comes to corn shows was demonstrated last year when farmers of this county working with the county agent carried off every prize offered for Eastern Oregon irrigated corn except one.

Premium lists, entry blanks and shipping tags may be secured from county agent Brethaupt. All entries must be made before November 1 and the corn shipped before that date. The corn may be shipped, prepaid, direct to Winsie Braden, Exhibit Agent, Pacific Livestock Exposition, North Portland, Oregon, and entry blanks mailed to the same person at room 104, Oregon Bldg. or they may be delivered to the county agent at Ontario, who will make the entries and ship the corn without expense to the exhibitor.

Those in charge of the show are looking for a still better exhibit from this county than last year. It is up to the corn growers to see that they are not disappointed, for in so doing they will not only certainly win some cash premiums and some ribbons, but will bring to themselves many inquiries for seed corn. This was demonstrated last year as there were more inquiries received for seed corn than could be filled, particularly by the farmers whose corn won first places.

OREGON CATTLE SHOW UP NEARLY TUBERCULAR FREE

Tests by College Extension, State Veterinarians and U. S. Bureau, Proves 99 Per Cent Sound

"Proclaim Oregon a bovine paradise—about 99 per cent of the more than 10,000 cattle so far tested for tuberculosis are free of the dread disease."

Such is the preliminary word that goes out from the state college extension service which, in connection with the livestock men the state livestock sanitary board and the federal bureau of animal industry, is carrying on a campaign to clean up the state and as far as possible establish a state-wide cattle district for production of beef and milk and for market of purebred stock tubercular free.

Several tubercular-free areas have already been established reports E. B. Pitts, directing the work in Oregon as the representative of the ex-

tenation service. The largest of these is Clatsop county. Several other counties are engaged in the clean-up on a county-wide basis and can soon be declared disease-free.

In Polk county 1921 cattle were tested with 31 reactors. In Linn county 3998 tested with only 14 reactors—a remarkable showing, declares Professor Pitts. In Deschutes county 15 out of 257 reacted. Of the first 500 tested in Crook county not a reactor was found.

This is said to be a fine tribute to Oregon cattle raising conditions. In the eastern states a much higher percentage are diseased, in one state as high as 17 per cent. At this rate Oregon would have had 1700 diseased out of the 10,000 instead of 100 actually found.

"Elimination of the disease will have an important bearing on the future of the cattle industry in Oregon," Professor Pitts asserted.

EASTERN GROWERS PLAN TO BEAT WESTERN FRUIT

Coast Pruning, Spraying and Pack Methods To Be Followed To Recapture Local Market

Mid-west and eastern orchardists are planning to follow the Pacific coast practices in growing and marketing their fruits in an attempt to recapture their own markets now largely held by the far-west trade. They are telling themselves that if they prune to get better size and color in their fruit, spray to keep down insects and diseases, pick fruit tenderly to keep it free of bruises, and then put it up in attractive box packs which are held in cold storage "with enough moisture to prevent shriveling," they can out the western product because of the advantage they have in transportation charges.

This does not mean that the coast growers are bound to lose the markets, thinks W. S. Brown, chief of horticulture at O. A. C. Experiment Station. Superior climatic conditions make for a certainty of crop much above that of the eastern conditions, and also lend a high color and fine quality that are truly distinctive. The industry is a business in itself here, while in the more eastern districts it is only a side-line that will not get the study and attention it receives here.

Western men have a big advantage in the cost of containers. Professor Brown points out. Nearness to box lumber mills enables the western grower to buy good boxes at 12 to 16 cents, whereas the eastern growers paid as high as \$1.50 per barrel of three bushels capacity last year.

With a further reduction in freight rates by rail to eastern points, and increasing shipments through the canal to European markets the Pacific coast growers may expect to find outlets for their surplus high grade fruits. No other kind should be sent.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the people of Ontario, and especially the members of the Methodist Church, for the many attentions and kindnesses during the illness and death of my beloved brother, Adolph L. Hasemann.

Emil Hasemann, Payette, Idaho.

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms in private home. 47f.

LOST—\$5.00 gold piece, dated 1824. Was in leather match box. The owner prizes this piece very highly and offers a reward of \$10 to the finder. Leave at Argus office.

ADRIAN NEWS

Peter Christensen of Adrian has moved his household equipment to an island above the Adrian bridge, where he will make preparation to raise garden truck next year.

E. F. Pratt, better known as "Daddy Pratt" expects to bring his cattle down from Ironside to this vicinity about November ninth where he will feed them during the winter.

Word was received Sunday night of the sudden death of Fred Wilson in the Caldwell hospital. Acute appendicitis was the cause of death. Funeral service were held in Caldwell at three o'clock, Wednesday, October 19. Among those who attended from this vicinity were: His sister, Mrs. Lena Pinkston, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McGinnis and sons Willie, Donald and Vernon.

Master Johnny Glascock will not be apprehended for tardiness in the future because of the speedy race horse which he borrowed from Frank Doyle to ride to school.

Cecil Smith is expected to begin in the first year high school at Kingman Colony next Monday, Oct. 23.

Mary and Gladys McGinnis were guests at the Gus Schweizer home last week.

Mrs. W. Gruver and her brother, Bob Driscoll were Parma visitors Wednesday.

William Peutz, Lynn Kykar and Carl Schweizer are planning a deer hunt above Ulny, Oregon. They intend to start Friday evening and will visit an old time friend, George Smith, formerly of Owyhee, before returning home.

"Spud digging" is in order on a number of farms in this vicinity. About the average yield is reported.

Mr. Beaumont is busy putting up his third crop of alfalfa hay. Mr. Overstreet is also cutting his alfalfa seed.

The upper room of the Kingman Colony school has lately divided into two divisions and will hold an oratorical contest soon.

T. T. Elliott and sons Ray and Lloyd, returned Wednesday from Cairo where they have been working in the apples.

Miss Thelma McCreary has two new violin pupils, Miss Mildred DeBord and Miss Mary McGinnis.

The K. K. H. S. is anticipating a thriving orchestra as a number of students have a talent in music.

SAVE MONEY BY PROPER STORAGE OF POTATO CROP

Thousands of Dollars Lost Each Year in Oregon Because of Lack of Adequate Facilities

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis. Thousands of dollars are lost each year in Oregon because of careless or improper methods of storing potatoes. It is well to plan early for a suitable storeroom for the potato crop.

Use of a cellar is suggested. It should be made in a dry or well drained place and should be built underground. The walls should be brick, concrete, or stone. The ceiling should be plastered if a dead air space between the plaster and the floor. Apertures through which to empty the potatoes should be left at intervals in the sides of the wall. It is well to have a driveway thru the center with the bins on each side.

Ventilation and temperature are the most important considerations in building a storeroom. 35 to 40 degrees is a good temperature. If possible air should be lead thru a deep underground drain-tile into the cellar. Its length should be sufficient to warm the air a little in winter. The outside end of the tile should be covered to prevent the entrance of vermin. A ventilator on the roof will remove warm air.

A raised board floor should be in each bin with a ventilator running from it up through the tubers at intervals. Have double doors at the entrance and the shoots. The room should be kept dark. A reliable thermometer should always hang in the cellar. If the temperature gets too low use an ordinary oil stove. It is folly to have potatoes freeze to save a gallon of kerosene.

IN BANKRUPTCY

In the District Court of the United States, For the District of Oregon In the matter of Geo. W. Wayt, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Geo. W. Wayt, of Ontario, in the County of Malheur and district aforesaid:

Notice is hereby given, that on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1921 the said Geo. W. Wayt was duly adjudicated a bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the City Hall in Ontario, Oregon, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1921 at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Ontario, Oregon, October 22nd, 1921. CLAY M. STEARNS, Referee in Bankruptcy.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the ladies of Ontario, especially Mrs. Ida Linzy, Mrs. Rose, Mrs. G. A. Pogue and others for the lovely flowers contributed for the funeral of John Q. Adams. We also wish to thank Carrie Hodgson for the many kindnesses shown our brother during his last illness.

Elizabeth Schluppe, E. W. Adams, Charles Adams, James T. Adams.

LOCAL PERSONALS

Mrs. Frank Morfitt and children of Melba, Idaho, were visiting Mrs. Morfitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Purcell this week.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. J. T. McNulty, Wednesday, November 2.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Escue announce the arrival of a nine pound baby girl at their home October 22.

Claude Proaps of Portland, Oregon was in Ontario Monday visiting old friends.

G. W. Lattig, I. I. Culbertson, L. E. Brown, and J. H. Simpson, the Road Committee of Dead Ox Flat, were in town Monday and called on Judge E. H. Test.

J. Smith who has been in Burns for the past two weeks returned to Ontario Monday.

Mrs. Carl Jonsson, who recently left Ontario for California on account of her poor health sent the Argus instructions this week, to have her paper sent there, as she likes to hear what the people of Ontario are doing. Mrs. Jonsson is in much better health and is very much pleased with the California climate.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Riley of Boise Idaho were Sunday visitors in Ontario.

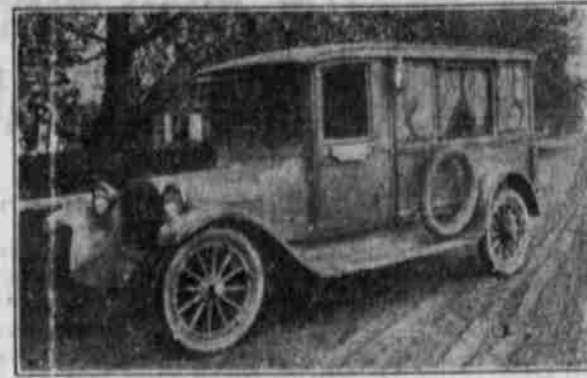
Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Hale of Boise Idaho were visiting in Ontario Friday and Saturday with Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Moon.

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