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LIVE SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY HELPS RURAL POPULATION

By R. C. Stewart
Community spirit and cooperative effort have instilled themselves into the very beings of the producing population in many sections of the country during the past few years.

Community spirit is becoming more and more apparent in all rural sections of the country. There is, perhaps, no other place where greater progress along this line has been made than in Western Oregon.

ALL ARE MEMBERS
Community spirit, as it is showing itself in this section, does not include only the members of the grange, the farm bureau, the Farmers' union or some sectarian group, all these and others who are affiliated with no group, are part of it.

The Riverside community near Albany offers a fine example of what a neighborhood can do, once it is started. Some six years ago a grange was organized there, which grew rapidly but failed to interest any of the people in that community.

BY COMMUNITY EFFORT
In 1921 the building was started on land donated for the purpose at a national community center. Carpenters were hired to supervise the work, but a large share of the building was done by the entire neighborhood turning out in force day after day.

home to be built, the idea has spread, and there are now many other such progress. The value of such communities of the county for the various of dairy meetings.

Discuss Problem of Dairy at Boardman
Boardman, Sept. 9.—County Agent Calkins conducted a series of community meetings of the county for the various of dairy meetings.

BIG OREGON APPLE
F. N. McWhirter of Newberg boasts of an apple known as a variety of Summer Queen which measures four and one-half inches across.

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RED POLED CATTLE WIN
Chehalis, Wash., Sept. 9.—The display of Red Polled cattle, owned by L. E. Cogswell of Chehalis, at the Grays Harbor county fair at Elma, won four first prize ribbons, two second and five thirds.

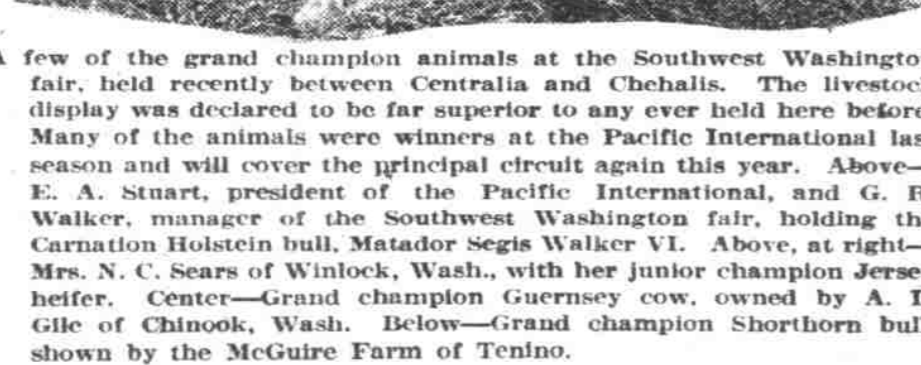
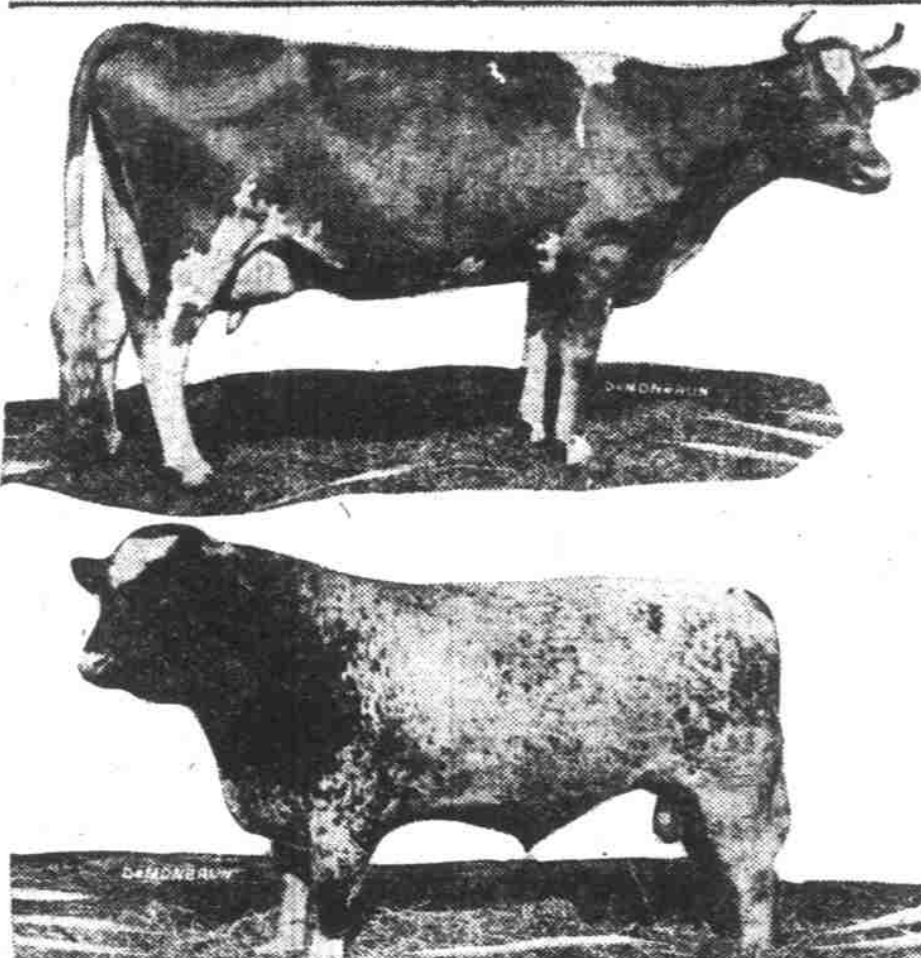
Polk and Linn to Have Soil Surveys
Eugene, Sept. 9.—That the soil survey of Lane county which the Chamber of Commerce and farmers of this section have petitioned the Oregon Agricultural college to make, will start next spring, is the assurance of W. L. Long, professor of soils of the college.

Dry Industrial Club Wins Prizes
Dryden, Wash., Sept. 9.—A grand total of 23 first prizes, 21 second prizes and four others were won by the members of the Dry Industrial club at the Southwest Washington fair, held between Chehalis and Centralia last week.

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SOME WINNERS AT SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON FAIR



A few of the grand champion animals at the Southwest Washington fair, held recently between Centralia and Chehalis.

BREEDERS TO MEET AT THE STATE FAIR

President I. E. Staples and Secretary R. A. Ward of the Oregon Pure Breed Live Stock association have completed plans for the annual meeting of the association which will be held in the auditorium at the State fair grounds during the State fair, on the evening of Wednesday, September 27.

The following evening the annual banquet of the association will be held and a number of excellent speakers have been secured for this occasion, as well as an excellent musical program.

The visiting livestock judges at the State fair will speak to the members at that time. Among those who will speak are Professor Haacker, Mr. Fuller of Wisconsin and Robert Miller of California.

CELERY INDUSTRY DEVELOPS FAST

From a crop that was a novelty and served on the tables of only a few people to an industry that has produced as many as 17,000,000 crates in a year has been the development of celery production within the memory of many people now living.

The rapid increase in the growing of the crop, methods of culture and marketing have materially changed, new diseases and pests have appeared, and a number of problems have arisen.

Celery was once a fall and winter luxury associated with turkey and cranberry sauce, but now it is eaten during the entire year and the production of "early" celery has become a big business.

Grays Harbor Fair Attendance Is Best Reported in Years

Montesano, Wash., Sept. 9.—C. H. Palmer, secretary of the twelfth annual Grays Harbor county fair, reported that the meeting was a great success. The attendance was the best in years.

The feature of the closing day was the awarding of the Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce prizes for grand champion dairy cows. In the Holstein class A. A. Seifert of Fords Prairie won.

DAIRY COMMITTEE

The chairman of all subcommittees of the National Dairy Marketing committee of 13 will meet in Chicago, September 25, according to announcement made by Richard Pattee, chairman of the committee.

COUNTY AGENTS TO MEET
The annual meeting of the National Association of County Agricultural Agents was held in Chicago, December 6.

S. O. RICE NAMED JUDGE

Astoria, Sept. 9.—S. O. Rice of the Lower Columbia dairy of Astoria, has received notification of his selection as one of the judges of dairy products at the forthcoming state fair at Salem.

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WORLD'S WHEAT CROP IS LARGE

Aggregate production of around 1,549,000,000 bushels of wheat this year for the United States, Canada, India, Algeria, Tunis, Morocco and Japan is indicated in latest estimates summarized by the United States department of agriculture.

The corn crops of Hungary, Yugoslavia and Italy need rain. In Rumania the harmful drought has been broken, and in Bulgaria corn prospects are good. In the Matamoros district of Mexico floods have damaged the crop.

Favorable conditions for root crops are reported in England, France, Germany and Norway in Hungary conditions are not so good. In Canada the prospect is for a slightly smaller yield of potatoes than last year.

Cotton prospects in Egypt and India are reported as good. The cotton crop

Aberdeen Angus Breeders First With Show Entry

Congdon & Battles of Yakima, Washington, well known Aberdeen Angus breeders, are credited with having made the first entry for the Pacific International Livestock Exposition this year. A large herd is being fitted for the show circuit by these veteran breeders who have won heavily in past seasons.

Tigard to Hold Its Community Fair October 21

A community fair will be held at Tigard, in the new school house now being completed, on October 21. Exhibits will include all kinds of livestock, farm and garden produce, fancy

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