

# Annual Flower Show Planned October 3-4 in Woodburn

## HOME GROWING QUALIFICATION

Judging to be Private; Sixteen Different Sections Are Announced

WOODBURN, Sept. 26.—The annual flower show will be held in Woodburn, October 3 and 4, in the Gov building at the corner of Front and Garfield streets. Rules for the flower show were announced by the committee this week and read as follows:

1. Any person may exhibit, but flowers must be grown by the exhibitor.
2. Exhibitors must furnish their own containers.
3. Exhibitors can enter only one entry in each class.
4. All entries must be in by 10 a. m., October 3.
5. Judging will be private, and no one may be present.

Section I.—Asters: (a) annual; (1) best vase; (2) best vase of six blooms; (3) Perennial, best basket.

Section II.—Chrysanthemums: (1) best blooms; (2) best vase, six blooms of one variety; (3) best basket, 12 or more blooms.

Section III.—Cosmos, best vase, any quantity. Section IV.—Dahlias: (a) cactus; (1) best blooms; (2) best vase; (3) best basket; (b) decorative; (1) best bloom; (2) best vase; (3) best basket; (c) Peony; (1) best bloom; (2) best vase; (3) best basket; (d) Pompon; (1) best bloom; (2) best vase; (3) best basket. Largest individual dahlia exhibited.

Section V.—Delphinium: (1) best vase; (2) best basket. Section VI.—Gladioli: (1) best spike; (2) best basket, 12 or more blooms of one variety; (3) best basket, containing 12 or more separate varieties labeled.

Section VII.—Marigolds: (a) African; (1) best bloom; (2) best vase; (b) French; (1) best vase, 12 or more blooms.

Section VIII.—Nasturtiums, best bowl.

Section IX.—Pansies, best bowl and largest pansy.

Section X.—Phlox, best vase.

Section XI.—Roses: (1) best bloom; (2) best vase, six blooms one variety; (3) best vase, 12 blooms one variety.

Section XII.—Sweet William, best vase.

Section XIII.—Water plants, best bowl.

Section XIV.—Zinnias: (1) best bloom; (2) best vase, six blooms; (3) best basket, 12 blooms or more.

Section XV.—Miscellaneous: (1) best vase; (2) best basket.

Section XVI.—Mixed flowers: (1) best vase; (2) best basket. A sweepstakes prize will be given for the best flower in the show.

## 24 STUDENTS START AT SANTIAM SCHOOL

NORTH SANTIAM, Sept. 26.—School opened here Monday with an enrollment of 29. More will come later as several are away picking berries and prunes. There is a beginner's class of eight.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves and children Lois and Dwight of Jewell, Ore., were weekend visitors at the home of Mrs. Reeves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bond.

Dr. Henry Visits  
D. Henry of West Salem, accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Christine Dodge of Peach, Wash., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Keithley, Sunday both Mr. Henry and Mrs. Dodge were former residents of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hammer returned Wednesday from Paisley, Ore., where they went deer hunting. They brought two deer home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Guberson of Olympia, Wash., a daughter of C. L. Young, were recent guests at her father's home.

## Woodburn High Grad Gets \$50 Scholar Award

WOODBURN, Sept. 26.—John Kallak, 1927 graduate of Woodburn high school, has received a \$50 scholarship fund for English from Pacific university, Kallak, who is a sophomore at the university, will return to school about October 1.

## Tobie Tells of Trip to New York

STAYTON, Sept. 26.—Prof. H. E. Tobie was the principal speaker at the Lions club meeting Wednesday. His talk on his trip east and his studies at Columbia university was very much appreciated. Mrs. Lyman, accompanied by Mrs. H. A. Beauchamp sang.

## Yes, sir! she Get's her Deer

STAYTON, Sept. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hammer have just returned from a few days' hunting in the Lakeview country. Each brought back a mule deer. Mr. Hammer's was a four-point and Mrs. Hammer's a three-point. They are leaving shortly for southern Oregon on another hunting trip.

## HO! CITY DADS I RATE FIRE RATE CUT PROMISED CITY

Mr. Woodburn is Told to Pay Bills Pronto BATH SHORTAGE FACED

WOODBURN, Sept. 26.—One hundred and ten Woodburn families faced the possibility of either going without a bath or adding their lures to the city's funds Thursday morning.

Woodburn's city dads want more money in the city's coffers, so when they met last Tuesday night the water commissioner, Mr. Soules, was given a list of 110 delinquent water users and was also ordered to shut off their water supply if they didn't become more generous.

The water users didn't do their duty, but Mr. Soules wasn't a bit hushful, and as a result, many Woodburn families were unable to water the family cat Thursday morning.

Over \$300 worth of delinquent water bills were on the city recorder's books Wednesday night. By Thursday night only \$150 was unpaid.

## 136 STUDENTS AT VALSETZ OPENING

V. D. Jackson, Corvallis, Handling High School Instruction

VALSETZ, Sept. 26.—School opened with about 136 children enrolling.

V. D. Jackson of Corvallis is principal and is teaching high school.

Mrs. Clara Thompson is critic teacher for the seventh and eighth grades.

Miss Nena Dallas, critic teacher of fourth, fifth and sixth grades. Mrs. George March, second and third grades. Mrs. Pearl Brown is critic teacher for the first grade.

W. D. Barnett returned from Portland Sunday evening. He was spending the weekend with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Julia Grot returned from Portland last week, where she was visiting her dentist.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brooks and soon Douglas, motored to Salem Saturday and returned the same evening.

## Bean Yield Very Large, At Jefferson

JEFFERSON, Sept. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Fellows and family, who have been living on D. M. Burnett's ranch, near the north city limits of Jefferson, moved their household goods to Mr. Wilson's ranch, two miles north of Marion.

Fellows will drive back and forth every day, to look after the remainder of the bean harvest. The bean vines, on his three acre patch, are just loaded with young beans, and if Jack Frost keeps away, Fellows will still harvest an huge quantity of beans. He will also be busy digging the root crop in his truck garden on Burnett place, which he had leased the past year.

## Hunters on Deer Quest

JEFFERSON, Sept. 26.—The rains of the past few days, together with the outlook for further rain, will make deer hunting better by going away with the dry condition of the forests.

Several local deer hunters left for the hills Wednesday to try their luck at getting some venison. In the party were William Skelton, Chester Miller, A. W. Brown and D. Y. Hamill.

## Lyle Shelton is New Owner of Kmotras Ranch

SCIO, Sept. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Shelton have purchased the farm owned by A. Kmotras, two miles west of Scio, and will take possession in about two weeks. Mr. Kmotras going to Scio.

## Second Crop of Clover Still in Field, Report

CENTRAL HOWELL, Sept. 25.—There are a number of fields of second crop clover to be threshed for seed. The rainy cloudy weather has interfered with the threshing and many are hoping for a week of good weather soon which would enable them to save this crop.

## Stayton to Have Band is Report

STAYTON, Sept. 26.—According to rumors about town Stayton is to have a band. It will be under the auspices of Knights of Columbus. Bert Stevens, well known band leader of the Albany Legion band, is said to have been engaged to direct the Stayton band.

## J. C. APPLEWHITE IN THE HOSPITAL

Kingwood Family Visits Relative who is ill in Portland

KINGWOOD, Sept. 26.—A. L. Applewhite spent a day in Portland recently where he visited his brother, John C. Applewhite who has been a patient in Vincent's hospital for the past few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. John C. Applewhite were guests of the A. L. Applewhite family during the summer and went from there to Neakowin where Mr. Applewhite hoped to recover from a serious illness but was later taken to the Portland hospital. His health is now considerably improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner and son, Thomas Osburn and Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Osburn of Hopmere visited in Corvallis. The occasion honored the birthday of Mrs. Bittner's nephew, Chandler Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Andyk of Multnomah are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Blevins at the state fair camp grounds where the four are spending the week together.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Waltman of Silverton were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Applewhite.

Guests for the evening Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Finley were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Thomas, their daughter Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ward, Mrs. M. Patrick, all of Portland and Mrs. Ona Cox of Oregon City.

Mrs. Rollin Beaver is teacher of mathematics this year at Leslie Junior high school. She taught the last two years at Parrish Junior.

## 70 PUPILS ENROLL AT CENTRAL HOWELL

CENTRAL HOWELL, Sept. 26.—School started Monday with nearly 70 pupils enrolled. Mrs. Mable Martin is principal and Mrs. Nell Hilliker primary teacher.

School was dismissed Wednesday to allow those who wished to attend the fair.

James Lichty and Henry Rudolph are janitors this year. Mrs. Alice Binegar spent several days last week with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Binegar in Polk county.

## Insurance Group Agent is Sued by Insurance Office

WOODBURN, Sept. 26.—The Oregon Auto insurance company, claiming that \$716 worth of premiums accumulated by their former agent here, John Stone, has filed suit in circuit court in Salem. The plaintiff claims the sum is for unpaid premiums that Stone was to have handled.

Miss Elma Doris Havemann and Cecil Espy have returned to Eugene to resume their studies at the University of Oregon. Both are sophomores.

## Woodburn lad Goes to Rush Week, U. of O.

WOODBURN, Sept. 26.—Carl Hande attended the rush week at the University of Oregon the last few days. Mrs. Keld Connell, Mrs. Hande's sister-in-law, is visiting while Mrs. Hande is gone. Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith, Mrs. Hande and Mrs. Connell motored to Eugene Friday evening to return with Mrs. Hande.

An eight pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Weissensfels early Wednesday morning. Weissensfels live a few miles southwest of Woodburn.

## Cannery cut to Go in Booklet For Woodburn

WOODBURN, Sept. 26.—Paul Mills, secretary of the Woodburn chamber of commerce received a request from "Oregon Business" for a cut of the Ray-Brown cannery. The cut, which was used in a Woodburn community booster pamphlet, will be printed on the cover pages of the magazine.

William Ledtke left Friday for the Hood River district, where he will pick apples for about 20 days.

## Normal Goes Out of Movies

MONMOUTH, Sept. 26.—Due to the difficulty encountered in obtaining desirable silent picture attractions, the Yecum committee of the Oregon Normal school will not offer this attraction as heretofore at the school.

It will be regretted by many movie-fans in town, as the normal school features were carefully censored and of a uniformly high standard.

## FIRE RATE CUT PROMISED CITY

\$1800 Fire Truck at Woodburn Thought to Have Paved way

WOODBURN, Sept. 26.—Assurance that fire insurance rates on Woodburn property will be cut was given this week when City Recorder George Beach received a communication from the Oregon Insured Rating bureau which spoke favorably of a substantial reduction, although no definite terms were stated in the letter. No definite date for the reduction to come into effect were given.

Upon purchase of the new \$1800 fire truck, new safety principles have been exercised by the city in order to gain lower fire insurance ratings. Homer Todd has been sleeping at the fire station for nearly a month. It is Todd's duty to answer all night calls sent in by telephone. If they are not telephoned in he is to in every way attempt to find the location of the fires and other information he is able to learn. He is also required to start the motor of the fire truck and otherwise get things in readiness when a night call comes in, so the firemen will have everything in readiness to answer the call. Todd is to be on duty at the station from early in the morning till 6 o'clock in the evening.

The old fire truck has been retained and new equipment has been bought for it, so it will be a valuable reserve. The fire board was ordered to paint the old truck at the last meeting of the city council.

Although no calls from outside the city have come in, Woodburn's fire company has adopted a policy of helping residents outside the city as much as possible in case of a fire.

## KINGWOOD PEOPLE AT HOOD RIVER

KINGWOOD, Sept. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Sizemore, Mr. and Mrs. John Sizemore and Will Morris have gone to Hood River where they will work through the apple picking season.

Guests at the S. A. LaRaut home are Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Smith, all of Oakland, Oregon; Rev. and Mrs. Harry R. Neat formerly of Lodi, Calif. The Neats are now living at Eugene where Mr. Neat has a pastorate. Additional guests of the La Raut's for the last few days of fair week are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Settles.

## POLK BOOTH IS ATTRACTIVE

Mrs. A. E. Utley in Charge Of Display That Demands Attention

BRUSH COLLEGE, September 26.—The Polk county booth at the state fair was well planned and particular attention was given to minute details by Mrs. A. E. Utley of Brush College, who has been in charge of arrangements for Polk county for three successive years.

Polk county farmers generously donated apples, pears, melons, dried and green pears and vegetables of all varieties which grow so profitably here to make this one of the most attractive booths at the fair.

A conventional diamond design was carried out in the decorations. The word "Polk" encircled heads of oats, white and red wheat, buckwheat and stalks of vetch arranged in a symmetrical diamond pattern formed the background of the booth.

Honey Attractive  
The honey display was cleverly arranged and was illuminated to show the beautiful colors of the light and dark honey as well as honey in the comb. This display was furnished by H. M. Mead, "bee man of Polk county."

Another feature which attracted attention was an artistically arranged miniature lily pool and

## FRUIT HARVEST IN FULL SWING

Popcorn Parent-Teacher Group too Busy to Meet In September

ORCHARD HEIGHTS, Sept. 26.—Patrons of Popcorn school being so busy harvesting prunes and other fall fruits, no parent-teacher meeting will be held this month. The first meeting of the year will be held the evening of October 17.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hayre who live on the John Sykes farm have a booth this year at the state fair where they sell produce from their farm.

Mrs. J. O. Vincent of Los Angeles was a visitor from Tuesday until Thursday at the L. Gries home. She went from here to Brownville where she will visit friends before returning to California. Her son Rex is an electrician in Los Angeles. The Vincent family lived in this neighborhood some years ago and Rex was a pupil at Mountain View school.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chapman were Misses Agnes and Alice Kruger, their brother, Carl Kruger and Miss Evelyn Martin, all of Portland.

## FAIRFIELD GRANGE TAKES 4 MEMBERS

GERVAIS, Sept. 26.—Fairfield Grange held an interesting meeting at its hall Wednesday night with a good attendance of the members. Four candidates were taken into the grange: Joseph Rubens, Raymond Seguin and Mr. and Mrs. Allenback.

Plans were discussed for entertaining Pomona Grange at Gervais about the middle of October. It was decided to hold a social meeting once a month in addition to the regular monthly meetings, and the subject of giving a play to add to the finances of the lodge was talked. After the meeting a delicious lunch was served.

## CENTRAL HOWELL, Sept. 26

—Mrs. Carl Brand spent a week at Broomer's Lake springs recently. She stayed at the same place a month in the spring.

# We'd Like to Know... What Kind of Newspapers the Cavemen Read?

We haven't a copy of the Cavemen Gazette in our files. If we did, we guess there would be the usual "Human interest" stories.

Caveman Smith would be in trouble for heaving a big rock at Caveman Jones, who had swiped Smith's stone club. Baby Jones, meanwhile, had made her entrance into the world and the news had been carefully chronicled. Perhaps the cavemen didn't have newspapers. Perhaps they used only some tablets and crude marks. But they were interested in the doings of one another. That's human nature... that's life.

The Statesman makes no secret about the facts that it considers the local news the backbone of its news columns. Each day... every day... a thorough going search is made of all news sources in Salem so Statesman readers may have a complete report of the day's events.

A news book is kept—in it advance dates of happenings are recorded. Reporters are "assigned" to various "stories."

The courthouse is scoured daily for news... the justice of the peace is made a constant news source... from the school and colleges come daily reports... industrial news is a regular source for reader interest, whether it's a birth at the hospital or the story of a death from a mortuary... the daily news... carefully covered... is first and best in The Statesman.

Two years ago The Statesman improved its coverage of local news. Mr. Curtis, able sports writer, concentrated on that field. Miss Genevieve Morgan took schools and health center work as her specialty. Steve Mergler made the city hall his pet hobby. To Madeline Callin went the rural news coverage and markets and produce news in Salem. Olive Doak watched for every society item and wrote interesting theatre reviews and told the stories of men and women who have accomplished things in Salem. Constantly The Statesman has improved its local coverage of news.

## TIPS..... from Leaders

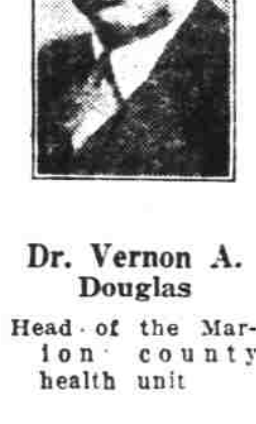
From a score of men in prominent positions in Salem each day come news "tips" and news stories which make The Statesman's coverage complete in Salem district.

The reporters call on these sources daily and thus keep closely in touch with the events going on in the city.

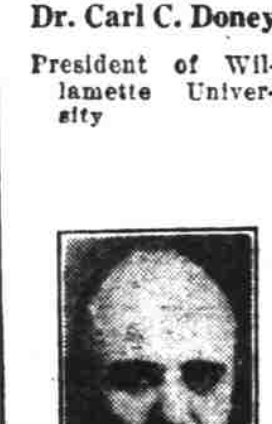
A few of these community leaders are:



George C. Hug  
Superintendent of Salem's public school system



Dr. Vernon A. Douglas  
Head of the Marion county health unit



Dr. Carl C. Doney  
President of Willamette University



Brazier C. Small  
Justice of the Peace of the Salem district

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