

POLK CO. FAIR EXHIBITS GOOD

Individual Booths Attract Favorable Attention at Dallas

DALLAS, Oct. 17.—All exhibits and displays were in place for the opening of the 18th annual Polk county fair, Thursday noon. In view of the fact that the fair is a week later than usual, the exhibits of fruits, vegetables and other products are exceptionally fine. Arrangement of the seven community booths are much better than in former years. Judging of these took place Thursday afternoon.

The Mount Pisgah display is very attractive, being a reproduction in moss of the mountain, with the rear walls covered with small fir trees. Fruits, vegetables, flowers, canned fruits and nuts grown in that district are grouped around the base of the mountain.

The Suver Grange has used grains and grasses for a background, with a center exhibit of fruit and vegetable displays.

Ballston has constructed steps and pillars for their display with their exhibit grouped on the steps.

Bridgeport have a raised center featuring a model farm home and barn with miniature figures of stock etc.; fruit, nuts, wool, honey and milk make up the principal part of the exhibit.

Liberty Bell has roofed over their booth with grape leaves, grapes and apples, with a diversified display of canned and dried fruits.

The Oak Point exhibit is made entirely by the women members of their community service club and is very representative of their district with its arrangement of fruit, wool, hops, honey, vegetables and flowers.

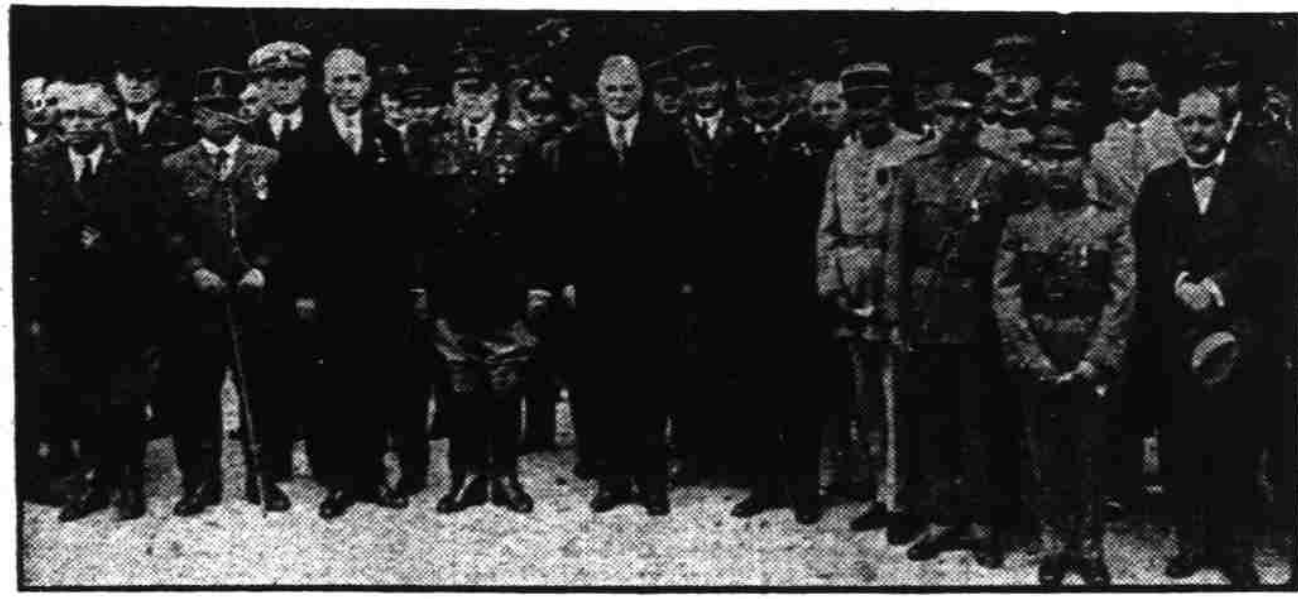
Bethel district is also represented with a display of the products of their section.

An individual display is made each year by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lee of Falls City, being entirely of products grown on their own place.

Commercial displays are to be found by the Mountain States Power company, Sterling Furniture company, Campbell Flower shop, Hollis Smith, Kerr Glass company, Crown Flour company, Dallas Creamery.

The flower display is not as good as usual due to the fact that several severe frosts during the past week killed many of the late fall flowers, such as dahlias and asters. The usual array of pies, cakes, rolls and canned fruit are to be found, and these were judged Thursday. Entries in the needlework and art divisions are about as usual, these were judged by Miss Lucy Case of Oregon State college.

MILITARY DOCTORS CALL ON PRESIDENT



President Herbert Hoover with the members of the Association of Military Physicians who are in the Capital for the 38th annual convention of the society. In the center, left to right, are: General W. H. Wilmer, president of the association; President Hoover and Colonel A. T. Clarke, surgeon general of Canada.

WOODBURN TO HAVE LEGION

Organization to be Effected October 23 is Planned Recently

WOODBURN, Oct. 17.—Plans for a local American Legion post in Woodburn have been quietly going forward and finally definite plans for organization of the post have been made. The organization will take place Thursday, October 23, according to an announcement made Wednesday.

About 60 men from about the Woodburn district have signified their intentions of joining the post and have already paid their dues and signed up for membership.

The meeting which is open to all World War veterans interested, is to be held in the Woodburn armory, starting at 8 o'clock. At that time officers will be elected and other necessary details relative to organization will be attended to. The officers will be officially installed in the future.

Guests Expected Many prominent American Legion officials from over the state and members from other posts will probably be present at the installation. Reports from the Tillamook American Legion post say that a large delegation is planning to come to Woodburn where the officers are installed. Delegates from other places in the state are also expected. The date of the installation will not be ascertained until after the Thursday night meeting.

O. G. Olson, captain of the local howitzer company, announced that refreshment will probably be served at the Thursday night meeting. At present most World War veterans around Woodburn either belong to the strong American Legion post in Salem or the post in Silverton. There is a greater majority of veterans who do not belong to the organization.

Much credit is due to G. S. Olson, a Legionnaire himself, for starting a movement for a Legion post in Woodburn. All work of petitioning the higher authorities and breaking ground for the first meeting Thursday night were attended to by him.

Local World War veterans are looking forward to making the Woodburn post a progressive one.

JEFFERSON FARM LEASED BY McCARTY

JEFFERSON, Oct. 17.—C. W. McCarthy and son, from near Silverton have leased the D. M. Burnett acreage, near the north city limits, and McCarthy is enlarging the strawberry patch, by setting out one acre more in strawberries.

C. W. McCarthy and wife will occupy the house recently vacated by O. V. Fellows and the son and his family will move to Jefferson in a short time.

SAILORS OF FUTURE IN SCHOOL

Captain Robert Huntington gives instructions to a class of cadets in the use of the sextant as the Seaman's Church Institute New York City, opens its free course of instruction in seamanship to American boys 16 years old and upward. It is hoped to prepare the boys for service in the United States Marine or on privately-operated ships.

SNOW IN MOUNTAINS

SILVERTON, Oct. 17.—Reports came down from Silver Falls Timber company camps that three inches of snow had fallen in camp the middle of the week. This is the first snow of the season. The camps are a few miles above Silverton.

GUESTS AT LINCOLN

LINCOLN, Oct. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walling and Miss Gertrude Walling of Portland were guests of their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walling, Saturday. They drove up from Portland to attend the funeral of their uncle, William Toner, who was buried in the Zena cemetery Saturday at 2:30 o'clock.

ARMISTICE DAY Plan Outlined By Legion men

Armistice day plans for Salem being made by Capital Post No. 9 include a parade followed by a public program at the courthouse square the morning of Tuesday, November 11. Commander E. M. Page of the legion said yesterday.

In the afternoon a football game will be staged and at night dancing and other entertainment will be conducted by the legion. Page said the committee arranging the observance of Armistice day would meet again next Tuesday.

Garden Club Sends Exhibit

OAK GROVE, Oct. 17.—The members of the 4H Oak Grove garden club have sent their exhibits to the county fair.

Those exhibiting are Robert Rasdale, Billy Fawk, Alfred Peterson, Virginia Peterson and Rollo Peterson. They exhibited at the state fair at Salem. Robert won sixth prize there.

Mrs. Wiesner Always Busy

Many and varied are the interests of Mrs. A. B. Wiesner, Statesman a correspondent at North H o w e l l .



First of all her home and family take a large share of her time and attention. Mr. and Mrs. Wiesner have two sons and a daughter, all of school age.

The Weisners have an extensive acreage of Et t e r b u r g strawberries and during the picking season Mrs. Wiesner spends much of her time assisting in directing the pickers and is also bookkeeper for the firm.

Many of the pickers camp in the Weisner yard during berry season and Mrs. Wiesner may be depended upon to see that they have fresh vegetables from her garden and that the babies always have plenty of fresh milk.

Helen Weisner has the distinction of being captain of the North Howell grange degree team, the first of its kind ever organized in Marion county. She is active in grange work along other lines and during the past year spent many evenings either assisting with the degree work in nearby granges or in working with her own team.

She is also special correspondent for Marion county Pomona grange for the Statesman.

Mrs. Wiesner is deeply interested in farm problems and is constantly studying ways of improving conditions of rural life.

STUDENTS JUDGE CATTLE AND SHEEP

SILVERTON, Oct. 17.—A group of Silverton Smith-Hughes students and their instructor, Warren Crabtree, motored to Corvallis Saturday and spent the day in stock judging. In the group were Eldred Williams, Dwight Foote, Clifton and Victor Hadley, Charles Smedicke, Ernest Armstrong, John Nicol, Harold Duval, Elwood Holm, and Clifford Maulding. Others will go out next week and see the Riches herd of Herefords and sheep.

MISSION GROUP Has Meeting

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SCOTTS MILLS P. T. A. ACTIVE

Plans for Winter Work is Outlined at First Fall Meeting

SCOTTS MILLS, Oct. 17.—The first P. T. A. meeting of this school year including the teachers reception was held here Thursday evening in the school gymnasium.

Mrs. Winnie Heinz, president, presided at the meeting. Committees for the winter were appointed. A place for a reading room and traveling library from the state library was discussed and left with the executive committee to see what could be done.

Plans for a general auction for raising money for the hot soup fund were made and the following committee on arrangements appointed: V. P. Heinz, manager; Levi Keills, Ivan Smith, Ellis McKieson, Mrs. Lewis Robinson and Mrs. John Lauderback. The date of the auction will be set later.

After the business session the following program was given:

Vocal solo, Miss Phyllis Mary; piano solo, Miss Margaret Coulson; vocal solo, Mildred Rich.

After the program the teachers were introduced and greeted by those present.

After the program lunch was served to more than 65 persons. Those on the refreshment committee were: Mrs. S. P. Moberg, Mrs. Joe Dale and Mrs. Cora Rich.

COUNCIL VOTES FOR HOG FUEL BURNER

SILVERTON, Oct. 17.—The purchasing of either an oil burner or hog fuel burner has been before the Silverton council for some time and at a Thursday night meeting members decided against the oil because of the cost. It was also pointed out that the installation of a hog fuel burner would permit the use of a local product for fuel. The matter of purchasing the burner was left in the hands of the house committee.

The council also voted to turn over the use of the council chamber for a club room for the firemen. In return for this the firemen will have one or two men sleep in a room at the hall. It was said that this would save from three to four minutes at each fire as the men would be right on hand to start the engine.

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MT. PISGAH WINS FIRST

Community Booth at Polk County Fair Awarded Prize

DALLAS, Oct. 17.—Results of the judging in some of the divisions of the Polk county fair are as follows: Community display premiums at the rate of \$20 for the first 66 points and \$1.00 for each additional point with 100 as the base went to Mt. Pisgah with 91.75 Suver grange 85.5; Bridgeport 78.77; Liberty Bell 75.62; Oak Point 66.75; Ballston 66.65; Bethel 66.37.

In the poultry judging first prizes went to George Cooper for black Ancoons; Henry Domes for white Holland turkeys and silver laced Wyandottes; Mrs. Fred Jennings on bronze turkeys; Wayne Hanna for Rhode Island Reds; Alfred Schroeder on brown and white leghorns; Henry Voth for light Bahamas.

J. E. Goets of Perrydale took first prizes on his exhibit of Spitzberg, Grimes Golden and Ortley apples, and second prize on Baldwins; also first prize on Bosc pears, Miles Davis of Suver took second prize on Baldwin and Ortley apple; Forrest Martin first on Rome Beauty and Charles Guy second. Floyd Senter first on Delicious and second on Kings, Fred Ewing had first on Anjou and Clairgeau pears, Mrs. T. J. Alsip, first on Comice. The blue ribbon went to G. W. Gurtiss on dried Italian grapes and to John Ediger for Franquette walnuts. L. H. McBee had first on Salway peaches and Victor Fink first for late Elbertas.

The handicraft of the school children was well displayed both in school groups and several individual exhibits.

KEIZER SCHOOL HAS GOOD LIBRARY

KEIZER, October 17.—A renovation of the Keizer school library has been taking place this past week.

Fred McCall, Mrs. Myrtle Reapley, Mrs. Ray Belzer, Mrs. Roy Nelson and Miss Ruth Rullison have been working on the books putting in new envelopes and making out new cards.

All the books have been re-listed and restamped and fitted for usefulness. Keizer has a large library and a librarian will be selected to keep the books in order.

So far it appears that Mrs. Alexander Thompson will be here to address the people Saturday evening in the interest of Julius Meier, and that some one may also be here Friday evening to represent him, when it is understood that Ed Bailey and W. A. Deicel will both be here to speak at a meeting of the brotherhood of the Methodist church and later at the fair.

It also appears that the court room has been secured for a meeting Saturday evening, October 25, when Julius Meier will be here in person, and that the democrats had also planned to have a meeting the same evening with Bailey as speaker. Whether the two meetings will be held or if they will attempt to combine them has not been learned.

So far any participation of Phil Metschan in the political scene has not been given out.

West Salem News

WEST SALEM, Oct. 17.—Immediately following the close of school Friday afternoon, Miss Hazel Bruner met the junior girls of her Sunday school class at the church and the class was organized under the name of the Royal Daughters class. Class officers were elected as follows: Dorine Baker, president; Dorothy Kaster, vice-president; Janice Wooley, secretary; Mary Rippey, treasurer. Georgia Cook and Carol Snyder are the social committee. The teacher, Miss Bruner is a student at Willamette university.

H. B. Kohler, local electrician spent three days of this week at St. Paul where he was plying his trade.

Elbert N. Tracey who died Wednesday at his home at 1170 Market street, Salem, was a son of G. H. Tracey, fuel dealer of Edgewater street, this city. "Ber" was well known here where he had many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix T. Wright, recent residents of Stayton are the new owners and occupants of the house at 1272 Franklin street, formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sebern. Mrs. Elmer Boyer also from Stayton is with the Wrights. She is a sister of Mrs. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller of Portland are living in the house owned by "Biddy" Bishop at 1353 Edgewater street.

Warren J. Filler reached West Salem Sunday after an absence of six weeks in the east. He was called to Pennsylvania by the serious illness of his mother, and visited other relatives in that state and in Ohio. He made the round trip in his car and was seven days on the way between Cleveland, Ohio and Salem. Filler is an employe of the Salem Pulp and Paper company where he does electrical work.

STAYTON P. T. A. HEARS DOUGLAS

Series of Meetings Held to Laud Candidates for Governor

STAYTON, Oct. 17.—While not so well attended as usual owing to other gatherings, the first Parent-Teacher meeting of the season was nevertheless an enthusiastic one.

Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, of Salem was the speaker of the evening, his talk being along the subject chosen by the committee for that evening, "Education for the Parenthood."

The membership contest is creating no little interest. Both team leaders, Mrs. H. G. Egleson and Harry Rowe were present and presented a list of members, both old and new, secured so far. Each new member means five points, old members one point and an additional point is to be given for attendance. The slide having the most points at the close of the contest is to be entertained by the losing side. To be a member, however, one must pay the annual dues of 50 cents.

At the close of the meeting the committee served doughnuts and cider in the D. S. room, and a social hour followed.

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4-H CLUBS ARE VERY BUSY

Stock Judging Contest at Pacific International Eagerly Awaited

DALLAS, Oct. 17.—Earl Johnson, Ernest Crook and Glen Lucas, of the Elkins calf club, spent Saturday in Corvallis at the state college with J. R. Beck, county agent, in practice work, preparatory to entering the inter-state livestock judging contest at the Pacific International livestock show. Jesse V. Johnson is the leader of this club, and the boys earned the trip through their excellent work.

The contest is scheduled for October 27, with teams from 49 counties in the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Utah and California. This is considered one of the outstanding contests in the United States, according to Mr. Beck. For several years Polk county has had a team that has placed in the top three or four but never succeeded in carrying away the honors.

Members of the 4H clubs in the county are completing a year's work and final reports are being filed with J. R. Beck and Josiah Willis. Following this the annual achievement pins will be mailed out to those completing their work by the state board of education.

The achievement pin given for the first year's work is a brown badge with a four-leaf clover in the center, about the size of a dime. For the second year it is a silver finished badge and the third year it is a cut out of a four-leaf clover. For the following three years the badges are in green and blue enamel with gold washed edges.

According to Mr. Beck, many boys and girls in the county are the proud owners of these badges. Immediately following the county fair the work of mailing out these awards will take place. Final reports must be filed to receive the badges.

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