

## State Fair Commercial Exhibits Aim to Interest Home Builders

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Things of interest to home builders and furnishers continue to dominate the commercial exhibits at Oregon's state fair this week. While home appliances were almost a postwar novelty in 1947, they are still popular and comprise the majority of exhibits by Salem firms. In the buildings under that hot September sun, it becomes almost a race from heaters to home freezers, past blow torches testing insulation materials to cozy refrigerators, on for a glance at turpentine made from chinchillas raising fur right in front of you, and then right up to a breeze-stirring fan.

## Beef, Sheep Showmanship Awards Made

Mid-Willamette valley 4-H members made an emphatic showing Tuesday at the state fair beef and sheep showmanship competitions. Champion in the beef showmanship is Ed Fritts of Grass Valley, while junior champion is Gretchen Parry of Aurora. Other winners in beef showmanship in order were:

Angus (Senior)—John Grund, Dallas, Polk; Joan Julian, Tillamook; Irvin Pearson, Carlton, Yamhill.

Hereford (Senior)—Scott Fritts, Sherman county; Henry Padgham, Jackson; Richard Rayne, McMinnville, Yamhill.

Hereford (Junior)—Gretchen Parry, Aurora, Marion; Roger Pearson, Carlton, Yamhill; Stanley Schmidt, Sheridan, Polk.

Angus and Shropshire (Junior)—Carl Stevens, Hickman, Polk county; Kay Julian, Tillamook.

Senior, Southdown and Shropshire—Floyd Fox, Silverton; Charles Colgrove, Junction City, Benton; Ralph Holsapfel, Sheild, Linn.

Senior, medium wool breeds—Harvey Eiser, Turner, Marion; Carolyn Jernstedt, Carlton, Yamhill; Jo Wooddy, Lebanon, Linn.

Senior, fine and long wool breeds—Yvonne Hansen, Junction City, Lane; Carroll Johnston, Lyons, Linn.

Junior, Southdown and Shropshire—Jerry Wipper, Turner, Marion; Bobby Barnes, Monroe, Benton; Pat Hennies, Turner, Marion.

Junior, medium wool breeds—Robert Leth, Independence; Donald Stapleton, Dallas, both Polk; Ann Padgham, Medford, Jackson.

Junior, fine and long wool breeds—Patricia Ahrens, Turner, Marion; Ray Ruby, Scio, Linn; Bernard Harrison, Corvallis, Linn.

## 4 Silvertown, Salem Rabbit Entries Win

Three entries from Salem and one from Silvertown took first places Tuesday in the rabbit division of the state fair, in judging for best of breed. The winners were:

New Zealand White, Christina Summers, Portland; New Zealand Red, Stanley Marugg, Portland; Champagne d'Argent, Mt. Hood Rabbit farm, Sandy; Chinchillas, Reed's Chinchilla Robbity, Portland; Californians, Rietzen Green Mt. Rabbitry, Orchards, Wash.; Lilacs, Rietzen Rabbitry.

English Angora, J. J. Sargent, Silverton route 1; Dutch's all colors, Rhoda and Larry Landels, Portland; Himalayans, Frederickson Rabbitry, 26 Highway ave., Salem; Martens, all colors, Don Roes, Portland; Rex's all colors, Hood's Peak of Perfection Rabbitry, Portland; Roasters, Frederickson Rabbitry, Salem; Fryers, Christmas Rabbitry, Salem route 7, box 372; normal white fur, Christina Summers, Portland; normal colored fur, Christina Summers, Portland; Rex furs all colors, Hood's Peak of Perfection Rabbitry, Portland.

Haines Girl Best Baker

In the state fair's cake baking contest for 4-H clubbers, Elsie Loennig, 17, of Haines in Baker county, was winner, while Kayella Rohram, 11, Hermiston, was runner-up.

Blue awards went to Mary Johnson of Tillamook, Joan Walboin of Portland and Joan Karnis of Washington county.

Red awards were won by Beverly Rutherford of Linn, Janet Gilmore of Marion, Reva McClure of Union, Lawretta Goudy of Curry, Margaret Knights of Gilliam and Bernice Bigham of Jackson.

Umatilla Rabbit Judges Win

Umatilla county's 4-H club rabbit judging team copped the state championship in that event from a field of five county teams at the state fair Monday.

The winning team was composed of Skip and Pat Ableman and Joann Correa. Pat Ableman was also tied for high point individual winner with a total of 240 out of a possible 300 points, with Herbert Widmer, Tillamook county.

Umatilla county team was second, while Wasco and Washington counties and Portland tied for third.

of engineer for a complicated electric train setup.

On the industrial side are the displays from Cummings Machine works, Ted Kightlinger's service station equipment, the Mill Supply Corp. and Salem Steel and Supply. Ralph Bent's quonset hut is again serving as a check stand.

## County Youths Successful in Poultry Contest

Marion county youngsters placed high Tuesday in the poultry contest entries for the 4-H division of the state fair. Winners in order included:

**EGGS**  
White eggs, Yvonne Goode, Wayne Goode, William Zuver, all Marion county.

Brown eggs, Ronald Barrick, Marion; Glenn Klock, Multnomah; Mary Ann Klupenger, Yamhill.

**GEESE**  
One Goose, 1 gander — Charles Shaffer, Multnomah.

**LEGHORN**  
Single comb white, 3 pullets—Martha Harper, Brooks, Marion; Rollin Knight, Benton; Donald Rosebrook, Deschutes.

Single comb white, 1 cockerel, 2 pullets — Rollin Knight, route 4, Albany, Benton county; Wayne Goode, Yvonne Goode, both Marion.

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
Three pullets — Martha Harper, Marion; Dolores Crawford, Clackamas; Ann Roth, Douglas.

One cockerel and 2 pullets — Glenn Klock, Multnomah; Ann Roth, Douglas; Ivan Palmblad, Multnomah.

**RHODE ISLAND REDS**  
Three pullets — Wayne Boulette, Portland, third.

One cockerel, 2 pullets — Ted Armstrong, Portland, third.

**PLYMOUTH ROCKS**  
Barred or white, 3 pullets — Grace Gail, Jackson.

Barred or white, 1 cockerel, 2 pullets — Grace Gail, Jackson county; Trudy Rack, Portland.

**OTHER BREEDS**  
One cockerel, 2 pullets — Donald Kilnke, Portland.

**TURKEYS**  
All breeds, 1 young tom, 1 young hen — Gene Nygren, Linn; Dorothy Reyne, Yamhill.

**DUCKS**  
All breeds, 1 young drake, 2 young hens — Wayne Sagert, Washington; Wilbur Zuver, Washington; Walter Lawson, Yamhill.

Sixteen U.S. states prohibit marriage between white persons and an "Oriental or Mongolian," and six won't issue a license to a white person and an Indian.

## Suit to Ban Independents from Ballot Dismissed; Lawyer Asks George Neuner to Press Issue

A Marion county circuit court suit seeking to bar progressive and independent party candidates from the November election ballot was dismissed Tuesday.

Circuit Judge George Duncan ordered the case dismissed. He did so on motion of L. B. Sandblast, Portland, attorney for Royand C. Bartlett, also of Portland and plaintiff in the suit brought several weeks ago.

In seeking dismissal of the suit Sandblast demanded that Attorney General George Neuner take up the complaint and "prevent the election fraud and illegality which was brought to light." Neuner was not in his office Tuesday and a deputy said the order of dismissal had not reached the attorney general's desk.

Sandblast moved for an order of voluntary nonsuit dismissing without prejudice. The complaint sought an injunction preventing progressive or independent nominees from the ballot and from the Oregon voters' pamphlet.

Sandblast's statement Tuesday said in part:

"The cause was brought to enforce the election laws and to prevent the names of candidates from being fraudulently and illegally placed on the ballot.

"Although the district attorney for Marion county was willing to have the case tried on its merits and has filed an answer in behalf of defendant Harlan Judd, the attorney general, on behalf of the secretary of state, has filed a demurrer maintaining that plaintiff, as a citizen does not have legal capacity to sue.

"This objection . . . is well taken and it is conceded that the attorney general is the one having legal capacity to sue and not only the right but the duty to enforce the election laws of the state.

"The case properly should have been brought in the name of the state . . . on relation of George Neuner, attorney general. He having claimed this right, plaintiff now demands that the attorney general perform the duty of preventing the election fraud and illegality brought to light by the verified complaint on file in this case."

**Demurrer Candidate**  
Bartlett is a democratic candidate for congress. He brought the complaint against Secretary of State Earl T. Newberry, Marion County Clerk Harlan Judd, Multnomah county officials and about 37 progressive and independent party nominees.

The complaint contended that the candidates were not entitled to a place on the ballot and that

they were illegally nominated. Reasons given were that the party meetings were directed by democratic and republican party members and that progressive and independent party electors were not informed of the meetings.

Another election suit, involving a Salem Electric franchise proposal on the city ballot, will move ahead again Thursday when Defendants Judd and City Recorder Alfred Mundt are slated to appear in court.

## Arabian, Two Youths Lack Fish Licenses

A student from Arabia and two youths from near Portland met in Marion county district court Tuesday on charges of violating state angling laws.

Ali Abu Nimeh, an exchange student from Arabia at Pacific College at Newberg and living at Jefferson, was charged with having no angling license. He is to appear in court today for entry of plea. State police arrested him at Brietenbush lake last Sunday. He came to America from Arabia six months ago, he said.

Robert Donald Chiodo, Gresham, and Jack William Berke, Portland, both 17, were fined \$25 and court costs each on charges of exceeding the bag limit on trout. They were arrested Sunday by state police at Lower lake.

A fine of \$250 also was meted out in district court Tuesday to Jens Edwin Hamre of Boring,

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charged with driving while intoxicated. He also was fined \$15 and costs for having no operator's license. He pleaded guilty to both charges. State police arrested him on the Pacific highway several miles north of Salem last Sunday.

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