

Polk Farmers Lay Plans For Active Season

Dallas, Or., Dec. 22.—The annual meeting of the Polk County Farm Bureau at Dallas Saturday was marked by almost radical plans for 1923 work. Committees representing those interested in the several projects, such as rodent control, livestock improvement and others met previously and outlined work in considerable detail. The committee recommendations were received, discussed and in most cases adopted without revision. While harmony prevailed at all times there was some difference of opinion relative to ways and means for obtaining the project goals.

A feature of the livestock work is the offer soon to be made to any breeder in good standing to exchange a purchased bull calf for a scrub or grade cow in breeding service. Breeders of pure stock have pledged their support and the bureau has undertaken to place the pure bulls to the best advantage. There are no strings to the plan, the breeders donating the pure calves outright. The scrubs will be disposed of for slaughter purposes and the funds so received placed in the bureau treasury. The object is to stimulate and popularize the breeding of better cattle in this county. As stated by P. O. Powell, president of the organization and chairman of the livestock project committee, this is the first time that the plan of even exchange has been tried by a farm organization and the outcome will be watched throughout the year.

An extensive campaign for the elimination of tuberculosis in cattle is to be waged in co-operation with federal veterinarians. Tests will be made without charge and it is fully expected that Polk county will be tuberculosis-free by the close of 1923.

Two local orchard operators, Evans Evans of the Dallas, and F. C. Kwin, of the Brush College community, have signed to conduct their properties in co-operation with the agricultural college and fruit work will be centered around these places.

The poultry plants of W. J. Garner of Smithfield and Holington Bros. of Bridgerton are being operated with the poultry department of the college in the keeping of accurate cost and income records. While considerable work with poultry will be done throughout the county, full annual programs will be conducted in these communities.

To better meet the demand for pure grain for seed purposes, grain certification work is to be prosecuted with vigor.

A leading project is that of rodent control. The committee in charge of this work, made of one representative from each of the organized sections of the county, has prepared plans to extend squirrel poisoning to every infested acre. The county court is to be asked to enforce the state rodent control law and to place inspectors in the field to see that the law is observed. The law provided that after due notice the county poison the squirrels and the cost is added to the tax against the property.

Active support and strong "follow up" work was pledged for the county fair, Independence corn show and for the boys and girls club work. To better care for public health and incidental expenses the membership fee was increased to three dollars a year.

George A. Mansfield of Medford, president of the Oregon State Farm bureau, spoke at length on the necessity for concerted action by farmers and farm organizations that their rights be properly respected at Washington.

The following were elected to serve on the executive board for 1923 with officers as indicated: President, P. O. Powell, Monmouth chairman livestock project committee; vice-president, C. I. Hallock, Rickreall, organization; secretary, W. J. Garner, Dallas, poultry; treasurer, L. H. McBe, Dallas, exhibits; P. C. Kwin, Salem, fruit; Seth Paek, Rickreall, crops; C. C. Gardner, Dallas, rodent control.

Jefferson

Jefferson, Dec. 22.—Mrs. Hornsby and the children will go to Portland this week to spend the holidays with her parents.

Miss Jones, who is an instructor in music at Haysburg, has come to Jefferson to spend the Christmas season with her parents.

Miss Rowland went to Salem today where she will visit an Lillian brother.

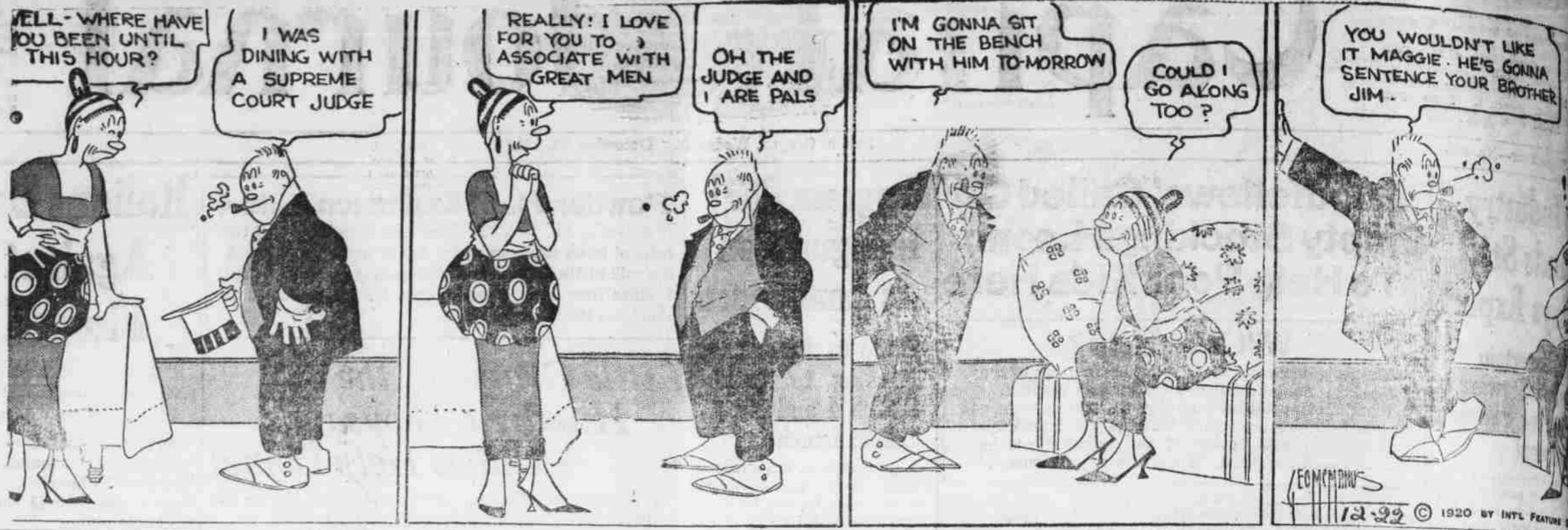
The eighth grade room of the public school will hold their Christmas activities Thursday afternoon. This includes a tree, presentation of gifts and Christmas carols by the young people.

Mr. Wheat, who met with an accident the other day, has relatives from out of town attending him. He came here from Idaho.

Mr. Kuthoff, the plumber, was in Salem Saturday and from there went to Portland, returning home Sunday afternoon. He has seen much service in the navy, was on a destroyer, helped lay mines in the Irish sea, visited Paris for twenty five days and after it all met with an accident and was laid up in a naval hospital in Boston for months. He has had some experience.

The campaign for the European

Wing Up Father—By George McManus



child sufferers was given a good start Sunday night at the union church service when Ed Smith, the banker, made the address of the evening followed by Messrs. Lockhart, Esson and Hornsby in short talks emphasizing the needs of the case. Mr. Smith, who has charge of the campaign, stated that the entire quota of \$200 asked of Jefferson might be easily raised at the service but that was not the plan. The entire community was to have a share in the life saving undertaking. Something like \$40 was handed him at the close of the meeting. The amount asked of this town will be exceeded.

A great crowd of the residents of this section is expected to throng the Masonic hall Friday night when the community Christmas program, fostered by the three churches of the town is held. Earnest preparations are being made to have this undertaking the most outstanding one of its kind in this community for many years and it is expected from the interest being taken by the participants and the public at large it will be a red letter occasion. Christmas trees, not adorn the homes of many residents and the holiday season was recognized in some of the churches last Sunday but the culmination of the Christmas spirit in a public way, will take place Friday night.

Mrs. Bum and Miss Brewer of the school staff, will spend Christmas at their homes, the former in Salem where she has resided for the past two years and the latter in Portland.

Marion Items

Marion, Dec. 22.—George Strayer who came from Rickreall, has entered the sixth grade at school. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fennell have moved into the house formerly occupied by Miss Alice Boyle and her mother.

The primary room had a three day vacation last week as their teacher, Mrs. Beers, was in Salem taking the teachers examination. Mrs. Gentry is confined to her bed with a severe attack of a gripe.

Mr. Creasy had the misfortune to lose one of his horses last Sunday night. It was in the yard, the gate was left open by some one, the animal got out and was mangled by a passing train.

Mrs. Schmidt and daughter, Charlotte, spent part of last week visiting friends and relatives at Liberty.

Archie Rankin will soon be home to spend a two weeks vacation with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Linley Pressnell will spend Christmas week with relatives in Seattle.

Mr. Arstall and Mr. Garleutt, who were employed on the section, left Thursday for their homes in Dallas.

Mrs. Inmerton and son, Sam, were called to Portland last Thursday on the account of the serious illness of a relative.

Oscar Bouck returned home Thursday from a visit in Idaho and eastern Oregon.

Miss Mae Trester left Monday for Salem where she will undergo a critical operation on her eyes at the Wilamette sanatorium.

The Marion W. O. W. went to Salem last Saturday night where they had the Salem team initiate twelve new members for them. A supper was served and a general good time was had. Fourteen dif-

ferent camps were represented at the gathering.

Violet Thomas has been sick for the past few days.

Shirley Roland, who has been ill for the past two weeks, has recovered to such an extent that he will resume his work at the office next Wednesday.

The Misses Laura, Viola and Bonnie Haeck of Portland are expected home soon to spend Christmas with their parents.

Six auto loads from here went to West Stayton last Monday night where they met with people from that place in a joint charivari on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert de Lanah. An enjoyable time was had by all.

J. L. Farlow has purchased a new sedan.

K. H. Bauman, who has been ill for some time, was taken to the Salem hospital yesterday.

Mrs. Sadler and little boy of Portland spent last Sunday with Mr. Sadler, who is in charge of the S. P. office during the sick-



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ness of Mr. Roland. Don't forget to attend the three Christmas trees next Friday. One will be given at the school at 2 p. m. and one in each of the churches in the evening.

Mt. Angel Items

Mt. Angel, Or., Dec. 22.—Mrs. R. S. George is visiting friends in Portland this week.

Miss Catherine Conner has been here from Silverton for several days visiting friends. She formerly lived in Mt. Angel.

Fred Schwab and children left a few days ago for California, where Mr. Schwab goes on business and they will also visit with his son, Geo. W. Hubbs on Coolidge street, end of the Fred Schwab Commission company.

Woodburn has no Knights of Columbus order, but there are several members of the Mt. Angel

council living there and to accommodate these members the council held a smoker in Woodburn a few nights ago. More than a score of members from Mt. Angel were present.

John Freisan, who has been employed in the S. P. station here for a number of years, is now located at Jefferson, where he has a position in the depot.

Mrs. Frank Froemel has returned to her home in Mt. Angel after a visit of several months in Kansas.

Women's Club Meets

Silverton, Ore., Dec. 22.—Carrying out the Christmas thought the Women's Social Science club held a very interesting meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Geo. W. Hubbs on Coolidge street. The program was as interesting as it was varied and appropriate for the occasion. W. W. Cooley gave a

violin solo, accompanied by Mrs. Gertrude Smith. Rev. J. A. Bennett made a short but pleasing address, "The Babe of Bethlehem." Mrs. Welch, Mrs. McCall and Mrs. Richardson sang "Silent Night." All through the meeting the Yuletide spirit was prevalent and it is said to have been one of the most pleasant meetings the club has ever held.

Busch Bakery

Silverton, Ore., Dec. 22.—John Fluhrer of Spokane, Wash., arrived in Silverton last week and has taken over the Silverton Bakery which he recently purchased from Mr. Busch of Salem. Mr. Busch purchased the business shortly after the death of E. H. Knoll and has been making it a great success. His family and all his interests are in Salem, however, and he decided to sell out and go there to live.

Deed Lost in Mail.
Silverton, Ore., Dec. 22.—In settling the estate of the late Wm. Finley, and before making a sale of the real property belonging to the estate it was necessary for the administrator to send a deed away to be signed. It seems that the deed was lost in the mail at the time of a train wreck in Hood River and it

Handkerchiefs

is necessary for the administrator to get the entire work again. Mr. Philip of Stayton, one of the heirs, was here last week after the interests.

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Large size Sweet and juicy Oranges, per dozen . . . 55c	11 pounds Whit Beans . . . 50c
Hood River Apples, per box Xmas special \$1.69	Best Salad Oil in bulk, 1 gallon \$1.55
Cranberries, per pound . . 22c	Crisco, 9 pounds \$2.20
11 pounds sugar 95c	Crisco, 6 pounds \$1.60
5 pounds best bulk Coffee 90c	Mazola Oil, 1 gallon . . . \$2.25
Cocoa in bulk per pound . . 15c	Mazola Oil, 1/2 gallon . . \$1.20
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Carnation and Borden's Milk, 4 cans 50c	MEAT
Libby's Milk, 4 cans 48c	U. S. Government Bacon, 12 pounds \$2.73
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