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## GRANGES ARE DEMONSTRATING USEFULNESS

Never a year when helpful Grange participation in local community affairs has taken on more practical aspects than so far in 1927 in hundreds of rural localities scattered over the country. A short summary paragraph of some of these activities furnishes illuminating evidence of how worth while an organization the Grange really is.

In Mercer, New Jersey, Granges combined their efforts to wipe out objectionable billboards and prevent the erection of more, and already many of the highways throughout the most attractive parts of the county have been cleared up.

In Beaver county, Oklahoma, an energetic Grange agitation resulted in impaneling a grand jury at the county seat, which has made a thorough clean-up of bootleggers and all law violators who had overrun the county and which the ordinary forces of the law seemed unable to cope with.

Pennsylvania Granges are very active in preventing thieving by automobile parties, from whose depredations farmers suffered seriously last summer, and some Granges have appointed committees to take the lead in stopping the trespass.

Granges in Washington in many instances secure control of the refreshment concessions at county fairs and endeavor to raise the quality of what is sold at such stands. A specialty is made of fresh fruits and an effort to increase the sale of milk as a substitute for cheap "pop" and similar drinks formerly sold.

Other similar lines of practical Grange activity for the community welfare include the following:—offering prizes to school children for the best essays written and securing publication of the prize winning ones in local newspapers; improving sanitary conditions around school buildings and insisting upon a better grade of motor busses for transportation of school children; insisting upon proper supervision of roadside stands and in many states advocating licensing of same; using its influence to prevent the showing of objectionable movies and encouraging by the patronage of its members the presentation of high-class films; aiding telephone companies in extending their lines into remote rural districts and oftentimes inducing farmers to give rights of way, furnish poles and even assist in setting same to secure the spread of such lines; in towns where no resident physician is available combining with other groups or with other towns in taking the necessary steps to insure the location of one.

There will be a meeting of the Estacada Parent Teachers Association at the Grade School on Monday afternoon, September, 19.

Mrs. Roy E. Beck, Pres.

Services at the Full Gospel Hall are as follows:  
Bible Study Sunday morning at 10  
Preaching at 11:  
Evangelistic Service at 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30.  
Bible Study on Friday evening at 7:30, to which all are requested to bring their Bibles.

All not worshipping elsewhere are cordially invited to attend.  
J. D. and Mrs. Miller, Pastors.

Matt Glover and children visited at the Alpaugh home Monday also Rev. James Aikin Smith.

W. D. Freeman and son, Kents and family are vacationing at Crater Lake and other places of interest.

## NOTICE

W.C.T.U. women will hold a hot tonals sale Saturday the 24th at the Drug store, beginning at 10:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearson and daughter Patricia and Ellen Roberts of Portland, Ore., visited at the A. E. Alpaugh home Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Kitching and Mr. and Mrs. John Olsen of DeKalb, Illinois spent Friday at the Harry Kitching home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilcox and son William were in Vancouver Thursday where they visited the aviation field. On their way home they stopped in Portland and went on the Battle ship Oregon.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Ruth Dillon is still improving.

Mrs. F. E. Hammon is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Smith adopted a small baby boy recently.

Mrs. Nellie Walter is a guest at the J. K. Ely home this week.

Mrs. J. C. Duus is on the sick list this week.

Lola Moore leaves for Corvallis Sunday where she will attend college.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Smith were in Portland Tuesday.

Orval Douglas was a week end guest at the J. H. Denning home.

The college attendance from Estacada is larger than any previous year.

Mrs. M. E. Williams of Gresham was a guest at the Denning home Tuesday.

Roy Wilcox who has been in Eastern Oregon on business has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ausberns were callers on John Githens at Eagle Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foilet and daughter were guests over Thursday at the J. Foilet home.

Mrs. Nevels of Corvallis, mother of Mrs. C. Crofford, spent the first part of the week at the C. Crofford home.

Mrs. M. Lonsberry and daughter, Stella, were Oregon City shoppers Wednesday.

Mr. J. H. Denning is able to walk and can talk and use his arms some now. He is improving quite fast.

M. E. Woodie and family of Trout Dale were Sunday guests at his parents home, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Woodie.

Miss Doris Gardner, who has been at Normal school, is visiting her mother this week. She is going to teach at Myrtle Creek.

Ralph Ohmert is still on the sick list. He had the "flu," went back to work to soon and is bed fast with the plerusey now.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Denney spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Antelope, Oregon, visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bears and daughter were dinner guests at John Githens, of Eagle Creek, Sunday.

A number of friends called on Rev. and Mrs. Simms Monday evening to tell them good by. They left for Oklahoma Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Kiggins returned Wednesday from Seaside where they have been spending their vacation.

Mrs. E. S. Womer, Mrs. T. Ahlberg, Mrs. D. B. Eshelman and Mrs. H. C. Gohring were Portland shoppers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Ely and son Glen and Mrs. Nellie Walter returned Monday from Morgan, Oregon where they have been visiting the past week.

The Community Club, who have not been holding meetings during the summer months, will hold their regular meetings again at the band hall the last Friday in the month.

The first meeting will consist of election of officers and a speaker on flower raising will be there to deliver an address and tell how to raise and care for flowers. These meetings are of vital importance to the community and should be attended by everyone with the best interest of Estacada at heart.

Roy Scouts and manager are out every week and are building houses for camping. They have 200 acres of land in their Memorial Park. Eagle Creek runs through it. It is a beautiful play place down on the Creek. They come out in troops.

## FOUR BIG DAYS OF COUNTY FAIR AT CANBY, OREGON NEXT WEEK

### Program is the Best that Has Been Arranged in Years. Also Many Improvements Made at Fair Grounds Completed

At a meeting of the fair board Saturday in Oregon City complete details were worked out for the program of the twenty-first annual Clackamas County fair to be held at Canby September 20, 21, 22 and 23. Indications point to a good attendance for the four days of the show and the many features listed should prove of interest to all who attend.

At this meeting Jack Grenfell was appointed as sports manager. He will receive entries for the Ford and pig relay, the horseshoe pitching tournament, the boys' bicycle races and the boys' and girls' pony race. His office is in the Butler building in Oregon City. All rules governing contests are posted with him. Entries in contests for prizes will be limited to residents of Clackamas county.

The courts are being prepared for the horseshoe tournament which will attract a large number of entrants from among the ladies as well as the men. Separate contests will be held for men and ladies. Trophies to be awarded in contests will be on display sometime the coming week in the windows of the Burmeister & Anderson Co.

The fair board reports that fine progress is being made on the new grandstand which will amply take care of the increased crowds expected this year. The lower portion of the stand will be utilized to house the boys' and girls' club work exhibits.

Below is given a detailed outline of the events that will take place.

Tuesday, September 20, Children's Day, school children will be admitted free.

Tuesday  
9 a. m. all exhibits and stock barns open for inspection. Judging of exhibits starts. 4-H Livestock judging contest. Smith Hughes judging contest starts. (There will be exams from Multnomah, Columbia, and Clackamas counties in this contest.)

10 a. m. Judging of girls' sewing. 10:30 a. m. Band concert by Molalla Band, Buena Vista Boys' Band, and Oregon City Boys' Band. Judging of club livestock and poultry. Cooking demonstration by Union Cooking Club. 11, Boys' and Girls' Club parade. 11:30 a. m. Official opening of the twenty-first annual Clackamas county fair with talks by O. M. Plummer, manager of the Pacific International Livestock Exposition; Judge C. W. Kruse and others. Herman H. Chindgren, president of the county fair board, will preside.

4-H club rally. Livestock parade and demonstrations by Carus Pig Club. 12:15 p. m. 4-H club basket luncheon. 1:30 p. m. 4-H club health judging contest; winners to compete at state fair contest. Sewing demonstrations by Waluga Sewing Club. 1:15 p. m. band concert in new grandstand by three bands. 1:30 p. m. Whipper races. Four races between some of the world's champion dogs. Horse shoe pitching contest starts. 2 p. m. BBBoys' bicycle race for boys under 16. Boys to furnish own bicycles. Once around half mile track. Prizes \$5, \$4, \$3, \$2, and \$1. 2:30 p. m. Frank Zerada and his troupe in tanglepole act, in front of the grandstand at 3: p. m. Trained dog act before grandstand. 3:15 p. m. Boys' or girls' pony race, entries limited to Clackamas county. Boys or girls of 18 or under, ponies not over 14 hands. Prizes, \$15, \$10, and \$5. 3:30 p. m. Ford and pig relay race. Entry fee 50 cents. Fords to be model T, with starter and foot throttle disconnected. Three times around track changing pigs each time and coming to a complete stop each time. Prizes \$10, \$5, and \$3, daily. 4: p. m. Band concert in court. Finals in Health judging contest. Winner to receive Banner Courier cup. 7: p. m. Free trained dog act in court. Zerada and troupe. 7:45 p. m. Free moving pictures in community tent.

Friday, September 23, Greater Union of Clubs Day.

Opening of cFEBetaoinshrdlumpk 9 a. m. Opening of exhibits and stock barns. 10:30 a. m. Band concert in court. Canning demonstration by Springwater Canning Club. 11 a. m. Livestock parade. Boys' and Girls' club livestock demonstration. 11:30 a. m. Camp cooking demonstration by Springwater club. 12:30 p. m. trained dog acts and Zerada troupe in court. 1 p. m. Canning demonstration by Springwater canning club. 1:30 p. m. Band concert in grandstand. Sewing demonstration by Wilsonville sewing club. 1:30 p. m. Finals of horse shoe pitching tournament. The high man of each of the 3 preceding days will play for first, second and third prizes, consisting of cup for champion, \$8 for second and \$5 for third. 2 p. m. Whipper races. 2:30 p. m. Polo game between Portland Hunt Club and Seventh Infantry. 3:45 p. m. Ford and pig relay. Same as previous days. 4 p. m. Free trained dog act and Zerada troupe in court. 6:30 p. m. Third annual banquet and meeting of Clackamas Greater Union of Clubs in community tent. 8 to 12 p. m. Dancing.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. J. C. Whitney is papering her house.

Mrs. Whitney was on the sick list the first of the week.

Mrs. J. Moss is back from Aurora where she was picking hops.

Mrs. Ista Baurenfeind is visiting at the J. K. Ely home this week.

Mrs. James Douglas visited with Mrs. J. S. Denning last week.

Mrs. A. Brunner is able to sit in a wheel chair now.

Henry Penner and Fred Neff spent the week end in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore were in Portland visiting Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forman who have been in Eastern Oregon are returning to Estacada.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore spent from Friday until Tuesday at Clackamas lake fishing.

Mrs. C. Crofford, Mrs. Nevels and Deb Foilet were in Oregon City Monday evening.

Mr. T. Harder and Mr. and Mrs. Kiggins were at Seaside last week. They returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sparks have moved into the G. Armstrong property.

Ed Bates who has been having acute indigestion is much better at this writing.

Dr. Wells and family of Roseburg were visiting old friends in Estacada Tuesday.

Mrs. E. F. Hammon is having a two car garage built at her home. J. D. Miller pastor of the Full Gospel Hall is doing the work.

J. J. Penner and family returned Wednesday from Stettler, Alberta where they have been visiting home folks.

A good crowd attended the M. E. Church supper given by the ladies aid at the L.O.O.F. Hall Tuesday night.

Robert Manning and family have returned home from a trip to Southern Oregon and report a fine trip and a dandy time.

Mrs. A. S. Hassel and two boys have returned from the Hassel mill where they have been for the past four weeks.

School opened Monday with its usual excitement. New books, old books, and no books came the first day. The attendance is not so large due to hop picking, but many more are expected to register within the next week or ten days. The new teachers are very agreeable and we have no doubt they will be well liked by all.

Very little difficulty was encountered in registering the high school pupils, a satisfactory program having been worked out beforehand.

Much interest is being manifested in the commercial department owing to the fact that the sophomores are allowed to take commercial subjects.

The grade teachers are Miss Sherman, first; Miss Poole, second and third; Miss Hunter, third and fourth; Mrs. Gardner, fifth and sixth; Miss Beck, sixth and seventh; Miss Anderson, eighth.

The high school teachers are: W. E. Buell, Principal; Miss Samuelson, Commercial; Miss Kershner, English and Latin; Miss Anderson, English and Spanish; Mr. Mannin, Mathematics and athletics; Mr. Baker, Science; Mr. Drews, Shop work; Miss Scott, Home Economics.

## NOTICE

The partnership business, known as Lonsberry & Perry has been dissolved by mutual consent. M. Lonsberry retaining the lumber and building material business and A. H. Perry the truck and wood business.

All orders for Lumber and other building materials will be taken care of by M. Lonsberry at his office and lumber yard on Main St. All bills for same payable to him.

Orders for Wood and trucking to A. H. Perry Phone 62-2 residence.

## BUREAU OF AGRICULTURE OPENS OFFICE

A regional office to serve as a contact station between the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture, and public and private marketing and research agencies in the Pacific Northwest has been opened in the new Post Office Building, Portland, Oregon. William A. Schoenfeld, formerly assistant chief of the bureau has been placed in charge. Mr. Schoenfeld's work, being regional in character, will require that considerable time be spent in Seattle, Washington, where he will use space in the bureau's office at 505 Arctic Building.

For a number of years the bureau has maintained several local offices in the Pacific Northwest serving that important agricultural region with crop and livestock production forecasts, shipment and market price reports, fruit and vegetable inspection, and for the enforcement of the United States Grain Standards Act and the United States Warehouse Act. The new office will render further service to this region which is steadily increasing in importance as an agricultural area.

Mr. Schoenfeld will devote his attention particularly to developing and coordinating economic research work of the bureau in the States of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana. He will cooperate with state institutions, research and agricultural extension agencies, farmers' cooperative associations, chambers of commerce, and other commercial associations and civic bodies. The establishment of the office in Portland follows the establishment of a similar office in San Francisco to serve the Pacific Southwest.

Mr. Schoenfeld was formerly assistant chief of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics in charge of research, and also Chairman of the Federal Crop Reporting Board. He spent two years 1924-1926, in Europe as Agricultural Commissioner, making studies of European markets for American farm products. His experience abroad has familiarized him with the export markets of many of the products of the Northwest. He formerly worked and lived in the Mountain States, and is familiar with the farm problems in that area.

## CULLING THE EWES FLOCK BUILDS UP UNIFORM STOCK

Ewes kept for breeding purposes should be at least average in size for the breed they represent, says H. A. Lindgren, animal husbandry specialist at the Oregon State college extension service. The ewe flock is gone over carefully before breeding and those not up to standard are cut out.

A Shropshire ewe should weigh 160 pounds, a Hampshire 185, an Oxford 220, a Dorset 180 and a Merino 130, with all other breeds in proportion. The size of ewes is cut down too early breeding. It is not a good practice to breed ewes to lamb under two years of age.

"Only healthy active ewes should be kept for breeding," says Mr. Lindgren. "Listless, unthrifty ewes seldom produce good lambs. A bright pink skin is an indication of the thriftiness of the ewe. Parasites such as stomach worms, lung worms, and the like tear down the vitality of the ewe. Unless a ewe responds to parasite treatment and increased feed, do not keep her in the flock."

Constitution, a valuable asset in the ewe, is indicated by a wide deep chest and a wide sprung rib or heart girth. A weak constitution in the ewe is not associated with good thrifty lambs. Ewes that make the best mothers have a mild, bright eye, a feminine or matronly appearance, and quality as shown in the texture of the wool, size of the bone and refinement of the features.

The ram, which is in reality half of the flock, is gone over carefully to see that it is of good conformation sidered the lamb market the year before, quality of the lambs produced by the ram and whether the ram is increasing the average fleece weight of the flock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Johnson of Aurora and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson of Portland, were Sunday guests at the Dr. Rhodes home.

## NOTICE

All accounts of Yocum Lumber Co. remaining unpaid, can be paid at the Estacada State Bank.— L. M. Yocum.