

# Eastern Clackamas News

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## SUPPORT THE SPRINGWATER FAIR

The progressive Springwater community is making preparations for the annual fair, which will be held on September 14. Such a fair as this can and will be a great benefit to Eastern Clackamas county, and it is regrettable that several of these fairs are not being held in this part of the county this fall.

The fair provides a means of the farmers getting together and comparing notes, and they each learn from the other things of utmost value to them, their business, their prosperity, and the prosperity of the community.

Such a fair as the one held at Springwater annually can be and probably is of more value to the individual of the community than the county or a larger fair, because every exhibit, every matter that is of interest and beneficial to one, is equally interesting to every individual in the community engaged in the same line of business.

We are working here under different climatic conditions from other parts of the state, the soil is different, we grow different crops in many instances made necessary by marketing conditions, and most of our problems are purely local. This is why the community fair can be made of more value to the individual of the community than can the state or national fair.

Let us encourage and aid the Springwater people in their undertaking. It is a worthy one and deserves success. The people of that community are to be congratulated upon their progressiveness.

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## CAUSES OF CRIME

In their efforts to find an explanation for the increasing prevalence of crime, many thoughtful persons have concluded that the tendency to burden the public with a growing multiplicity of laws may account for much of the lawlessness which now prevails.

Speaking before an international convention of police chiefs at Colorado Springs, Dr. Carlton Simon said: "We can limit and harass human freedom to such an extent that even the normally balanced individual feels that he is oppressed and will seek unlawful means of expressing his personality."

Through the operation of innumerable laws and the activities of government agencies employed thereunder we are restricted, inspected, spied upon, investigated and caused many unnecessary annoyances which are resented by a people who love freedom.

If more attention were paid to apprehending and punishing real criminals, while allowing greater freedom from harassment to respectable citizens, we should doubtless have a more law-abiding and happier citizenship.

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## FALLING IN LINE FOR HERBERT HOOVER

Herbert Hoover, in his acceptance speech last week, was outspoken and left no doubt in the minds of the American people as to how he stood on prohibition, farm relief, and the many other matters of public interest. Mr. Hoover did not attempt to evade any issue, and while there may be some who do not agree with him, there is going to be no beating around the bush so far as the Hoover campaign is concerned.

Interesting sidelights on the campaign are foretold in the following newspaper heads clipped from different papers during the past week:

"Mixed schools and intermarriages common under Tammany rule."

Tammany practices race equality, cries 'nigger' to whip South into line."

"Smith—wets inaugurate campaign of duplicity on liquor, negro issues."

"Organized vice under Tammany makes of New York world's worst city."

"Women will attack Governor Smith's record."

"South Carolina swings to Hoover as democratic anti-Smith clubs form."

"Smith denounced by ministers of Fort Smith, Ark."

"Wet propaganda sweeps South but can't hold the line for Smith."

The leading newspapers in Oklahoma have conceded that Hoover will carry that state by at least 50,000 majority. Out side of New York there seems to be little reason to believe that Smith will carry any of the normally republican states.

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Perhaps the governor of Mississippi is right when he says that "neither Smith nor Hoover is religious enough to alarm anybody."

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A man suing for divorce gave as a reason that he did not know his wife very well when they were married. If that is grounds for a divorce most any husband could probably get one.

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Al Smith is supposed to deliver his acceptance speech on August 22. He can save the country a lot of expense and suspense by refusing to accept the nomination, and save himself a big disappointment on the night of Nov. 6.

## WAR TIME WHEAT PRICES

Rural sections are being flooded with the charge that Herbert Hoover was on the "price fixing board" that determined the guaranteed wartime price of American wheat. The charge is false, and most of those who are busy disseminating it know it is false, says the Minneapolis Journal.

Herbert Hoover did not serve on that board, did not participate in the selection of the members, did not advise the board as to what should be a fair price, and attended none of its sessions.

A democratic congress, on July 22, 1917, passed the food control act, setting the guaranteed price of two dollars per bushel. A democratic president, on August 15, 1917, named a representative committee to agree on a fair price. Hoover had nothing to do with the selection of its twelve members.

Of these twelve men, six represented the farmers, two represented labor, two consumers in general, and two represented business. The twelve unanimously agreed on a guaranteed price of \$2.20, a price 20 cents per bushel higher than that set by a democratic congress.

The Journal asks: "Will any wheat grower, now looking back upon that \$2.20 price as unreasonably low, be so shortsighted as to vote to throw out of power the party that had nothing to do with setting the price, and to restore to power the very party that had everything to do with setting it?"

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One man does the work of ten with the bottle sealing machine recently invented by a man employed by the department of agriculture at Washington. We wonder if the device will be available to the vendors of home brew.

## COMMUNITY WATERING NOT ALLOWED THIS YEAR AT FAIR

(By R. C. Kuehner, Co. Club Leader)

The 4-H Livestock club members are not going to have the community watering trough this year.

With the new club livestock barn that has been built at the county fair grounds have come recommendations from responsible veterinarians that from the standpoint of sanitation each exhibitor should furnish his own water bucket for his own stock and the pig club members should furnish their own feed troughs.

In order to have uniform feed troughs each pig club member is urged to construct his trough according to the following directions. Take two pieces of 1x8 four feet long and nail them together in a "V" shape, next cut two pieces of 1x8 fourteen inches long. Nail these across each end flush with the bottom of the V. It is well to paint these and stencil the owners' name on the side or end.

### Donates Jersey Calf

Buxton Brothers of Molalla who raise purebred Jerseys have given the 4-H club members of Clackamas county a purebred jersey bull calf to dispose of in any manner they see fit. This donation is to assist them in paying their share of the 4-H club livestock barn at the county fair grounds at Canby.

This bull calf, which is not named yet, besides being an exceptional individual, has a good pedigree in back of him. On his sire's side he was sired by Syblo Blonde Sultan, bred by C. J. Labey, Island of Jersey, by Blondes Bright Sultan out of Imported Lions Farms Brightly, Blonds Bright Princess.

His dam, Tiddlewinks Golden Lady is out of Poets Golden, Lady of Tiddlewinks King who was out of Tozos Fern, a gold medal cow, by Tiddlewinks Raleigh, a medal of mint and a gold and silver medal bull.

This young bull given to the club members of Clackamas county is for sale by them.

Maurice and Oliver Buxton are also awarding a purebred heifer calf to the outstanding jersey calf club member at the Pacific International Livestock Exhibition in November. This award will be made on the same basis as the Hollywood Holstein calf given annually there.

### Chamber Offers Assistance

Board of directors of the Oregon City chamber of commerce are to meet with representatives of community fairs in Oregon City Tuesday, August 21, at 3 p. m., at the chamber of commerce rooms. The purpose of the meeting is to talk over the coming fairs that the chamber might co-operate. The communities that have already announced they are putting on fairs this year are Springwater, Colton, Beaver Creek and Oak Lawn.

### Buy Farm at Springwater

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Joslin have recently purchased the old Harvey Cross place at Springwater and are moving on it. The deal was made by S. E. Wooster, local realtor.

### O. E. S. Picnic

Victory chapter of the O. E. S. of Portland has invited Mountain chapter of Estacada to join them in a picnic at Grant's park on Saturday, August 25, and also on Sunday. Several from this chapter are making arrangements to be present.

## OREGON COLLEGE CO-ED NEEDS \$505 FOR YEAR

What will it cost the "sweet girl graduate" of an Oregon high school to attend college this fall?

The answer, of course, depends somewhat on the individual herself, but if she attends Oregon State College she may reasonably be expected to spend around \$505 a year, according to results of a survey reported in the current number of the Journal of Home Economics.

Furthermore, the survey shows, if she decides to attend the Sweet Briar college for women in Virginia she had better take along from \$1205 to \$1465, though if she cares to go on down to Florida State college for women she might squeeze through a year on from \$340 to \$745, depending on her standard of living.

Detailed figures for co-eds at these institutions happened to be made this year by classes in economics in these

three widely separated sections of the country. The first college named is a privately endowed, non-sectarian institution with an enrollment of about 450. The second is supported by state appropriations as is the college here in Oregon.

The study made at Oregon State represents exact accounts kept for three years by students in certain classes in home economics. Averaging these it was found that girls in college there may be expected to spend \$260 a year for board and room, \$92 for tuition, fees and dues, \$27 for books and supplies, \$26 for travel and \$100 for miscellaneous expenses including an average of \$70.16 spent for clothing while actually in school.

The study showed that the bulk of the co-ed's expenses are more or less fixed and do not vary materially. Fraternal organizations were found to exact only 4 per cent of the total, aside from board and room. Church contributions reached .9 per cent and social life 1.1 per cent.

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