

### County Farmers Will Attend This Showing

Coos county farmers who are interested in better crops for bench and hill land will have an opportunity of viewing Subterranean Clover, the fescues and other legumes and grasses, growing under these conditions at the Bob Geaney farm on the Cunningham road joining the County Farm near Coquille, next Saturday, June 30, at 1:30 p. m., according to George H. Jenkins, County Agricultural Agent.

The Geaney farm is one of two in Coos county on which fertilizer trials have been in progress for a number of years, using materials furnished by the TVA through the Extension Service. Vern Chenoweth, Assistant Extension Specialist in soils at OSC, will explain fertilizer trials which have been conducted on these plantings for a number of years. One hill seeded to Subterranean Clover and grasses has produced a high carrying capacity for dairy cattle and sheep. Both the crop and fertilizer trials will be viewed and discussed at the meeting and all farm operators who are interested are urged to attend.

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### Marketing Ass'n Getting Truck Ready

The new truck and trailer which was purchased by producers to haul livestock to market and haul hay, grain, and other farm supplies on the return trip, will be ready to operate soon after July 1, according to George Jenkins, county agricultural agent, who has been working closely with the board of directors of the Marketing Association in securing authorization from the ODT to purchase this equipment and developing plans for financing it.

A modern rack is now being constructed on the new Diamond T truck under the supervision of Leland Peterson, one of the directors of the organization. When completed this equipment will provide transportation for approximately 250 average size market lambs and from 23 to 25 head of cattle. It will haul to South San Francisco, to North Portland or to any other market where price quotations indicate the graded net return to the grower. The cost of hauling will be 55¢ per mile from the loading point to destination and this is expected to amount to approximately 1 1/4¢ per pound to haul to South San Francisco or 1/2¢ per pound to North Portland, according to members of the board of directors.

All the livestock and other cargo hauled will be fully covered by insurance and any death losses which occur enroute are expected to be paid for from a fund which will be carried by the association for that purpose.

The purchase of this equipment has been made possible through subscriptions, ranging in amounts from \$25.00 to \$150.00 from a large number of producers, who are interested in improving the market outlet for livestock and reducing the freight rate on hay, grain and other farm supplies. These subscriptions will be represented by certificates of equity which will bear 5% interest, and will be repaid to the producer after a period of time. Other subscriptions are solicited from producers and they will make it possible to reduce the bank loan more rapidly. They may be left or mailed to the County Agent's office or handed to any of the directors of the Marketing Association, who are: R. H. Christensen, Bullards Rd., Coquille, President; Bob Geaney, Coquille, Secretary-Treasurer; Leland Peterson, Coquille; A. O. Rogers, Coos River; L. W. Lund, Gaylord; Joe Nilsen, Langlois, and R. G. McKenzie, Port Orford.

The success of this marketing program and the extent to which it will be of value to producers will depend to a large extent on growers keeping the board of directors informed as to the number and kind of livestock they will have to ship at different times. Letters are being mailed to most of the producers with a card on which they are requested to list this information and return to the County Agent's office; those who do not receive them may send the information on a post card or through a letter. It is expected that the truck will start hauling lambs about the first of July and will operate steadily through the summer and fall months, finishing up on dairy cattle during the winter. Jack Seeber, Emergency Food Production Assistant, in the County Agent's office, will serve the Marketing Association as a field representative on a temporary basis until a permanent manager is employed.

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### Fairview News

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Parker, formerly of Fairview and now at Stevenson, Wash., came in unexpectedly Monday for a few days' visit. They stayed Monday night at the L. L. Buoy home and called on several of the families in the valley.

Visiting at the Ed Isaacson and R. M. Noah homes Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Delison Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Higgins and Everett Higgins and daughter. They live at Broadbent. Delison Higgins is a brother of Mrs. Noah and Mrs. Isaacson.

Mrs. Lois Hunt and three children and Mrs. Edith Kiley, the former Edith Hunt, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Ruth Baines. They are from Medford. Mrs. Kiley expects to return to her home after the 4th of July but Mrs. Hunt's stay is indefinite. They are former residents of the valley and own the former Clarence Hatcher home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford and family left early Monday morning for Free-water, Ore., having sold their farm to Mr. and Mrs. Davis, of Medford. At Grange, last Saturday night the Alford family was honored by a short program, presented with a gift and Mrs. Stillwell served sandwiches, maple bars and coffee.

A statement erroneously made last week was that of Ivy Frye buying the Alford farm. It was purchased by the Davises of Medford but, at the time of writing, Ivy Frye thought he was buying it and so informed this correspondent.

The Ladies of the church are glad to report such a successful food sale last Friday at Parks' grocery and wish to thank all who purchased and also Mrs. Parks who so kindly wants to do her part by letting the sale be

conducted at her store.

Shelba Stratton has been visiting relatives at Port Orford.

Mrs. Phillip Jensen has been on the sick list, having a sore throat which has been making the rounds in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrissey, of Marshfield, visited Sunday at the Ady Parks home. They are an elderly couple and greatly enjoy a visit in Fairview valley.

Speaking last Sunday morning at the church at 9:30 until 10:30 was Miss Eunice Munger, daughter of Rev. W. R. Munger of Coquille, who came in her father's place last Sunday, accompanied by her sister, Joyce. All who heard Miss Munger enjoyed the service and agree she is a wonderful speaker and evangelist. Rev. Liston Parrish is to deliver the sermon next Sunday morning from 9:30 until 10:30.

A beautiful baptismal service was held Sunday afternoon at the covered bridge near the Hatcher ranch, when a large congregation of the Assembly of God Church of Coquille came out with their candidates for baptism. Rev. Mr. Munger read the command from the New Testament and several songs were sung. There were five persons baptized from Coquille and two from this valley, the latter being Mrs. Bonnie Buoy and Mrs. Hazel Benham. Those present in the gathering from the valley were: Mesdames R. J. Holverstott, Russell Stillwell, R. M. Noah, Amanda Johnson, her grandson, Merle Boone; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hatcher.

Thursday of last week Karen Benham was hostess at a birthday party, she being seven years old that day. Several lovely gifts were received. Ice cream and a birthday cake were served, soda pop to the children and tea to the ladies. Those invited were Dorene Frye, Bonnie Ellen Noah, Lorene Holverstott, Dennis Buoy, Betty and Butch Hill, Mrs. L. L.

Buoy, Mrs. R. J. Holverstott and Mrs. Russell Stillwell. Those invited but unable to attend were Shelba Stratton, Mrs. Phillip Jensen and three sons, Mrs. Fay Holverstott and son, Billy.

The Young People's choir practice will be held as usual Friday evening at 7:30 at the Fay Holverstott home. All young people are cordially invited to attend. There is to be a lively game played and refreshments served, besides the practice.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henagin, formerly of this valley but now of Coquille, received a long distance call from their son, Irwin, in the army, that he had landed at Newport News, Virginia, and expected to be here in Coquille on furlough the first of next week. He has served in the Pacific many long months and came home by way of Panama Canal. His many friends will be glad to see him again.

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