

Bare Facts From Bear Creek

"The Column that's Different"
(By Lana Leneve)

Senator Wayne Morse of Oregon had something to offer concerning the doings of the O. F. A. each day for thirty days at Washington, D. C. We can see nothing remarkable about his tirade concerning them over a period of mere thirty days. Most of the housewives of America have the senator from Oregon faded by a mile. Half of our boys home on furlough from the armed forces are not given a third enough gas with which to enjoy themselves. A lad that has been away for months fighting for his country and many of them suffering wounds as well, we believe, upon his return home for a furlough, should be given ample gas coupons in order to allow him to visit friends and relatives, go fishing, or even out of the county if he so desires. High government officials and clergymen are allowed all the gas they need, so why shouldn't our fighting men also? If it meant cutting down on the pleasure gas of civilians, or even along industrial lines, we still believe those boys who are fighting and giving their all for America should be allowed sufficient gas to enjoy themselves to the fullest while home for a short, or long furlough, which ever the case may be. No sacrifice we may make in order to furnish them pleasure while here, can begin to compensate them for what they have already faced and upon returning to battle will face again. Surely a little extra gas given such lads for a little extra pleasure while back home, is a small enough gesture to ask in order to show them appreciation for their life giving efforts in behalf of America. Personally, we feel that they should be given all the gas they desire, just as long as it is used for their own pleasure.

While taking a short stroll the other morning and absorbing some of the sunshine so long denied us while abed, a car drew up alongside us bearing a Texas license plate. Two young ladies occupied the front seat. Incidentally, the car was headed south. The lady at the wheel inquired if we knew where she could secure a road map. Upon being informed that they were a scarce article those days, she said she was slightly confused regarding the towns of this county and had been searching for one in particular as she wished to consult the chamber of commerce of that town. And of

course the town was Marshfield that she was searching for. We asked her if they had come down the coast through North Bend. Yes, they had. So therefore, they had passed through Marshfield, now masquerading under the name of Coos Bay, without being aware of the fact. This is only one case of many and there is no doubt of the fact that Coos Bay will always be known as Marshfield to the most of the people of Southwestern Oregon and will forever prove a source of annoyance and confusion to people from other states. But it looks as though that city may always be identified by "the white elephant" on North Broadway.

Johnny Martin of this district is the real hard luck kid, so far as accidents are concerned. Not so long ago he fell from the roof of his house, which he was repairing, bruising and skinning himself up considerably. A short time later he suffered broken ribs from an accident on the farm. This was followed shortly by being jolted from a wagon which was attached to a runaway team. This resulted in a good bump on the head that almost broke his neck. And just recently he was sporting a black eye and a swollen face as a result of being kicked by a cow.

One of our best old time friends, Cap Laird, called upon us awhile back. Cap has been a resident of California for many years now but still retains a soft spot in his heart for his native soil—Oregon. His visit with us was enjoyed to the fullest, the only trouble being that it was much too short. He derived a big kick out of visiting his many old time friends in this county. Cap, always a husky lad, has advanced to the proportions of a Jack Dempsey—Joe Louis—Jess Willard combination, weighing round 238 solid pounds of good nature. His old sense of humor which made him so popular in the olden days, was still apparent and it was indeed a delightful visit we enjoyed together. It is indeed refreshing to meet old friends such as Cap Laird, for a friendship such as his is something to be treasured and forever warms the cockles of the heart.

The arrival and departure of various boys of the armed forces have been chronicled in other columns, so we are not mentioning them this issue. We wish them all the luck in the world.

"Don't Be Saps—Deport The Japs." Since writing the above concerning gas for service men we have been informed that special allotments are being given them. If true, then our compliments for once, at least to the O. P. A.

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Fairview News

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Chezem and family visited last week-end at the home of his mother in Eugene and visiting at the Chezem home here now is Mrs. Chezem's nephew, who returned home with her after a visit to his home in Oakland.

Mrs. Russell Stillwell is taking treatments in Coquille for an ailment in her back.

Ivyl Frye went to Portland Sunday to see about purchasing a school bus for grade school children.

Mrs. Russell Hill and children recently returned from Grants Pass, where her mother is quite ill.

The young folks of the Assembly of God Church of Coquille will hold a meeting at the church next Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. The public is urged to attend.

Visiting at the Frank Schragg and Evelyn Carlson homes are their mother and sister.

At the Noah Buoy "homes last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Noah and family, of Sweet Home. They came to see a physician about a skin disorder their baby has.

Visiting last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Noah, was Mrs. Lou Langenberg, of Sweet Home, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jensen and their children spent last week at Dellwood.

Mrs. Helen Michaels, daughter, Helen, of Chiloquin, and Paul Carlsson, M-N-1/c, of Klamath Falls, who visited several days at the home of Mrs. Sophia Tosten, left for their homes last Friday.

The H.E.C. served refreshments at Grange last Saturday night.

The three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Jensen are very ill with whooping cough.

Fragments of Fact and Fancy

The war is over! The American nation is at peace with the whole world. Our enemies have been humbled and disarmed. The Lord has given victory into our hands.

It is hard to realize that the fighting is over, that no longer does the war demand the sacrifice of the flower of our youth and the fruit of our labor.

We look backward and remember the shock of Pearl Harbor and our helpless rage that any foreign conqueror dared set foot on Guam and the Philippines. Then events brought the realities of war closer home. The blackout was enforced and routes for evacuation of civilians from the coastal areas were designated.

Rumors, whether true or false, placed enemy submarines along our beloved beaches where in peaceful days we had hunted the Japanese glass float ball. We did know, however, that a tanker was torpedoed close by and the survivors landed at a port just south of us but the report of finding a rubber boat on the beach and the capture by the coast guard of four Japanese ready to fire our forests was never verified.

A few of the bombs which fell on our coast in the early days of the war were heard of by the general public but most of them were as hush-hush as the Japanese balloons of this summer. When censorship is lifted in a day or two many startling tales may be told.

As in the past we have been delivered from many dangers so to the future we look and thank God that "our boys" will be coming home as soon as it is possible and that no longer will they be pitting their lives against those of our enemies. This is the thought of those who yield to wild exultation and noisy celebration; they realize that had the war continued some who will now return would not have done so otherwise.

Peace has come to America and, if we as a people can remain as united for our common welfare as we have been in the war days, then its problems can be met with assurance and good will one toward another will prevail.

Our joy that the guns are silenced, that combat fights are over, that bombing missions are no more, that joy is tempered by the memory of those who gave their lives that we might live in liberty and freedom; also by the thoughts of the bereaved mothers and fathers, whose sons will not return. Sorrow is their portion in this day of victory.

One anguished mother wrote to us: "Pray for me that I do not lose my faith in the goodness of God."

Pre-School Meeting For Teachers Here Sept. 1

On Saturday, September 1, there will be a pre-school meet for rural teachers in the circuit court rooms of the county court house, beginning at 9:00 a. m. This meeting will be on the teachers' own time; so that no teacher is obliged to come but each one will derive much benefit from the planned program if transportation is available.

Martha Mulkey Purdy expressed the belief that the percentage of attendance will be high. For the last two years no such meetings have been held, due to the fact that there were so many returned teachers, that the time was spent in a four-day training school, instead. This year, many more attended summer school and state institution; so there will be no four-day pre-school training.

At the scheduled meeting, Mrs. Florence Beardsley, superintendent of Elementary Education of the State Department of Education, will offer help on the next text books adopted and on the course of study. Most schools in Coos county are beginning Monday, September 3, or Tuesday, September 4.

Circuit Court Cases

Aug. 8—Wynona Belle Fanner vs. Robert Thomas Fanner. Suit for divorce.

Aug. 9—Donna S. Cody vs. Thomas P. Cody. Suit for divorce.

Aug. 10—Evelyn Norris vs. Roy A. Norris. Suit for divorce.

Aug. 10—Carmen Wiggs vs. Leonard P. Wiggs. Suit for divorce.

Aug. 13—Harry Rogers vs. Howard and Doris Irwin, et al.

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4-H Club Members On Judging Tour

A group of forty 4-H Club members and leaders attended a live-stock judging tour last Monday. A large bus, owned by Al Baker of Myrtle Point, furnished the transportation. L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader, was the guest instructor and handled most of the judging classes. The tour was planned by Al Geiss, assistant county agent.

The bus picked up club members between Myrtle Point and the Coos Bay Mutual Creamery in Coos Bay. The F. F. Cornell ranch, south of Charleston, was visited in the forenoon. Classes in purebred Hereford cattle and purebred Romney sheep were judged by the members. After noon, the group went to the Brookmead dairy where Hutton O'Conner, ranch foreman, had two classes of Holsteins and two classes of Guernseys all ready to be judged.

The group stopped at the John Milton farm on Coos River where a demonstration on fitting a calf for the fair was presented by Mr. Geiss. The calf's head and neck were clipped and the horns were scraped with glass and sanded down with emery cloth and sandpaper and polished with sweet oil and pumice stone. A part of the calf was washed with soap and water in the demonstration.

The tour ended at Dr. Bennett's hog feeding farm. Dr. Bennett showed the members the system and equipment he used to feed about five hundred head of hogs, and a class in hog judging was arranged.

It is a rare opportunity in Coos county to find beef, sheep, dairy, and hogs all in one area and especially of such excellent quality. Mr. Allen stated that it is worth coming half way across the state to see the kind of stock that these members were fortunate enough to see and judge.

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Arago News Items

H. E. Watkins went to Portland last week on business. He returned home Thursday and his father, B. B. Watkins, who has been living at Portland for quite a number of years, came home with him. Mrs. T. L. Cripe and small daughter, Patty, came in with Mr. Watkins for a short visit with relatives in Coos county. Mrs. Cripe is a niece of Mr. Watkins.

Darrell and Norman Holycross, of Langlois, visited friends in Arago several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Roberts returned home from Ashland last week. Mrs. Roberts had been attending summer school there and since returning home has been nursing Mrs. Corda Lewellen at the Mast hospital in Myrtle Point. She reports that Mrs. Lewellen was a little better at the time of this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lewellen, who have been at Myrtle Point, visited at the home of Mrs. Lewellen's sister, Mrs. Frank Burbank last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dority, of North Bend, visited at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, over the week-end. Dennis Mason went home with them for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Anderson became the proud parents of an 8½ pound baby boy, born to them Monday. Both mother and babe are getting along nicely.

Darwin Gulstrom was a Sunday dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Peterson.

O. B. Aydelotte has rented the Ben Moomaw ranch and has moved into the Arago community. Mr. Arthur July, of Norway, has been helping him with the ranch work the past week.

Mrs. Chas. Griffith and children were Arago visitors last Tuesday.

Gene Young, of the Merchant Marines, and George Albertson, of the Navy, were Arago visitors last week. Both were former residents of Arago.

Misses Nola Crawford and Glenda Lillie and George Albertson were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Evans.

Mrs. A. B. Crawford, Thelma and Nola, Mrs. Lee Kellison and Bobby and Miss Glenda Lillie made a business trip to Coos Bay last Thursday.

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