

Bangs Disease On The Run, Reports At Meeting Friday Show

Reports submitted to the county court by the County Veterinarians, Drs. R. N. Crawford of Coquille and W. D. Morgan of Coos Bay, show that 520 herds of dairy cattle, including 6619 cows were tested for Bang's disease and tuberculosis between July 1 and October 31 of this year. These reports also show that 1049 calves were vaccinated in 124 different herds during the same period.

These reports were discussed at the last meeting of the Coos county Bang's Disease Control committee which was held in the Coos Bay Mutual Creamery Friday night, November 7, and it was of particular interest to this group and the county court that of the total number of cattle tested during the first four months of this fiscal year, only 23 reactors to

Bang's disease were found in four different herds. While this does not necessarily represent a true cross section of the entire county, it was considered by the committee to indicate that many Coos county herds are free from either of these diseases and that some areas within the county may be entirely free.

According to the reports submitted, 266 herds were tested by Dr. Crawford in the Coquille Valley and 254 herds by Dr. Morgan in the Coos Bay area, indicating a fairly equal distribution of tested herds throughout the county.

Calfood vaccination, an important factor in the control program, is being practiced in 124 different herds, according to the reports, and this

service will be available to all dairymen in the future on request, according to action taken by the committee.

Testing of herds on an area basis is recognized as a means of conserving on time and travel and the veterinarians were requested to test all herds in each community as near the same time as possible. While the law governing the testing program provides that all bulls and heifers over six months of age be tested, it was recognized by the committee that this may not always be possible, but that dairymen, especially in infested areas, are urged to have bulls and heifers confined and ready for the test when the veterinarian arrives to do the work.

To facilitate the testing program,

dairymen in the area from Cedar Point to Coaledo and down the North Bank road to Riverton who request it, were authorized by the county court, on recommendation from the committee, to have their herds tested this year by Dr. Morgan, who normally handles the work in the northern part of the county.

Since the state law governing the testing program provides that the work be done by a county veterinarian officially appointed and working under bond, it was pointed out that all testing must be done by county veterinarians except where authorization has been given in advance by the committee and county court to have the work done by a private practitioner. One member of the

committee was requested at the meeting to contact a dairymen who requested authorization to have his testing done by a private practitioner and obtain information pertaining to the case which will be considered and acted upon at the next meeting of the committee.

In line with an opinion received from the state director of agriculture to the effect that it would not be legal to spend public money for veterinary services or indemnity for testing beef cattle unless a court order be issued officially including such cattle in the program, the committee took action calling for the circulation of a petition which will request the county court to issue an order bringing beef cattle under the program.

This will make it necessary that all beef cattle on the valley lands adjoining dairy herds be tested and handled the same as dairy cattle. It is not expected to make it necessary that beef cattle on the hill ranges be tested.

In order that each dairymen, the county court, and the veterinarian, will have a complete record of the testing of each herd, a committee was requested to prepare forms to be signed by the dairymen when the testing is done showing the number of cattle of each description that he owns, the number that were tested, and any remarks made regarding the service rendered either by the dairymen or the veterinarian doing the testing.



REASON ENOUGH—That's what lots of the disc buyers say about the reason they like Skinnay Ennis' records for they also get to hear charming Carmene, sultry lovely who really wows them with her vocalizing. Appearing here Wednesday, Nov. 26th, the day before Thanksgiving, at 9 o'clock with the Ennis orchestra in the Coquille Community building under the auspices of Hode Caughell. Carmene is scheduled for a full repertoire of numbers during the evening.

Eagles Leader To Be Here Tonight

In an important meeting for the Eagles and Eagles Auxiliary of the local Aerie, A. C. Lucas, Klamath Falls, state head of the Fraternal order, will be at the Coquille Eagles lodge tonight (Thursday) Nov. 13th, it was announced today by President Earl F. Dalrymple.

An initiation of new members will also be held.

A large delegation of Eagles from Coos Bay, Reedsport, and other towns will be guests, it is expected, at the Coquille Aeris' meeting.

Will Compete For Pepsi-Cola Grants

Competing for the annual Pepsi-Cola scholarships will be Betty Preussler, Joanne Savage, Chuck Hanna, and Julius Jepson, it was announced by Principal Ernest James of the Coquille high school today.

These seniors received the vote of the senior class last Wednesday. The Pepsi-Cola scholarship grants the winner or winners, \$25.00 monthly during their college career plus transportation to any college or university in the United States.

Royal Arch Masons To Meet Here

A meeting of the Royal Arch Masons will be held in the Masonic Temple in Coquille next Tuesday night, Nov. 18th, starting at 8 p. m., it was announced today by Stewart Norton.

"Treasures For Pleasure" Is Slogan Of Girl Scouts European Gift Sending Program

Girl Scouts and Brownies of the Coquille area are busy this month assembling toys and food for the national Girl Scout project of "Treasures for Pleasure," the name chosen by national Scout headquarters for the gifts which will be sent by troop members of this country to Girl Scouts and Girl Guides in Western Europe, and the Philippines.

Each troop is selecting the country to which it plans to send gifts. Troop 5, whose leaders are Mrs. Allen Smith and Mrs. George Fromm, has elected to send its packages to the Philippines, and Troop 11, whose leaders are Mrs. Amzy Mintonyve and Mrs. Frank Gould, has chosen to send presents to France.

Toys, such as jumping ropes, jacks, rag dolls, rubber balls, scrap books and picture books; and food, such as hard candy, cocoa, tinned cookies, canned milk, raisins, prunes, or other dried fruits and canned meats, will be included in the packages.

Donations of the above mentioned items will be accepted by the leaders and troop members in order that Coquille Scouts may contribute as much Christmas cheer as possible to the

Lily, Rhododendron Blooming Here

The rest of the state of Oregon hasn't a thing on Coquille, and particularly the sun-caressed acres of Sanford Heights, says Mrs. Floyd Brockway, who came in to The Sentinel today with evidence of the "early" spring weather.

Rhododendrons and Calla lilies are in bloom at Mrs. Brockway's, and they're full-bloomed beautiful flowers, too. The rhododendron has been in bloom for three months she said.

Court Members To Attend Sessions

Judge L. D. Felsheim, Fred Kruse and F. C. True, members of the County court, will spend next week in Portland, where they will attend the annual conference of the association of Oregon counties to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the Multnomah county court house.

Previous to the conference they will also attend meeting of the O. & C. legislative committee and the interim road committee.

Judge Felsheim is a member of the public lands committee and the O. & C. land committee, while Mr. Kruse is on the taxation committee.

Roadmaster Robb Attends Salem Meeting

For the purpose of studying the road situation in the state, a group of engineers appointed as advisory committee to the interim legislative committee, are meeting with the legislative representatives in Salem this week. Roadmaster F. A. Robb of Coquille, as a member of the advisory committee, is attending the meeting.

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Thanksgiving Service Planned By Churches

The churches of Coquille will join forces in arranging for a union Thanksgiving service to be held in the Methodist church on the evening of Wednesday, November 26. It was decided at a meeting of the local ministers' organization held on Monday evening.

Mayor Biegger To Talk To Lions

The low-down on present surveys and estimates on a fill or a bridge over either Henry Street or Elliott Street will be given the Lions club today at noon in the Hotel Coquille when Mayor David Biegger tells all of the present data now in hand at the city offices.

Long a controversial subject—whether or not to build a fill or a bridge—whether to put it over Henry street or Elliott Street, Mayor Biegger will present surveys of both streets.

The surveys were made for fills only which would cost approximately \$50,000 for the total project.

They were made at the request of the city planning commission by the office of the city manager at a reported cost of around \$300.00 apiece. Five proponents of the Henry street crossing were present at the city council meeting Tuesday night, Nov. 3rd, and were shown the same material Mayor Biegger will present.

In 1927 the present Henry street bridge was reconstructed at a total bond cost of around \$12,000. Costs today are considerably higher.

The city planning commission has recommended to the council that Elliott street be chosen as making the most satisfactory fill site. No action will be taken, however, until all facts are in and a poll of opinion is gathered.

San Diego Theft Suspect Grabbed

Emory K. McLean, 37, former San Diego cafe and cardroom operator, was nabbed here Friday night by a state police officer.

Detective Mort Geer of San Diego said the man will be extradited for California officials and was one of four men sought in a recent \$21,000 safecracking job at the Walker's Department store in that city.

New Tax Will Hit Workers' Pocket

A new tax in the form of the one per cent withholding tax from gross wages, salaries, or other emoluments will be deducted by all employers on and after Jan. 1st, 1948, it was said today by state tax officials.

Money earned in December, 1947, but not received until January, 1948, is also subject to the one per cent withholding tax. The tax is designed to collect at the source similar to the federal withholding tax.

It will mean a new entry on your books, and a new deduction for all workers.

Methodist Young People Raise Funds

To finance the sending of two delegates to the Methodist Youth conference in Cleveland, Dec. 29 to Jan. 2, the Youth People's organization of the Coquille church have raised fifty dollars to date. Schemes to further increase the fund are being undertaken. The young people will take over the janitor work at the Methodist church for one month, as one means of adding to their fund.

The delegates chosen to attend the nation-wide conference are Pattie Shaw and Rose Marie Pearl.

To Corvallis — Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Rackieff expect to attend the homecoming at Oregon State college on Saturday, November 14.



FRIENDS—Just friends, but oh what friends, are Jim Oden and Susan Wasson when they appear in the Senior class play, "Junior Miss," Friday evening, Nov. 21st. Directing publicity for the play is Marie Soward. Other committee members are George Domenighini and Neil Hagg. Stage settings: Daisy Hill, programs: Sally Bonney, tickets: Helen Hekam and Dorothy Wersh, make-up.



JUNIOR MISS—The high school hilarious comedy which will be given Friday night, Nov. 21st, in the high school gymnasium under the auspices of the senior class will feature Susan Wasson and Correen Molthau as a pair of lively teen-age scamps who cause lots of merriment. The play is directed by Vivian Plummer, talented high school music and dramatics director.



State Commander Jack Maris, Canyonville, and department officers of the American Legion of Oregon and its official members of the Auxiliary will visit various districts in eastern Oregon for conference with local post heads November 17 to 24. Commander Maris, state adjutant Tom Collins, recently returned from a late October meeting at national headquarters in Indianapolis where the national commander and state commanders and others planned the Legion program for the year ahead. Commander Maris' party is scheduled to be in Coquille on November 24, according to Commander Earl Carroll of Post 36.

Methodist Men's Meeting In M. P.

A district meeting of the Men's Brotherhood of the Methodist church is to be held in Myrtle Point on the evening of Nov. 17, according to Rev. Lawrence Guderian. This is to take the form of a dinner meeting.

New Highway Plans Brighten With Easements Being Secured By Highway Commission Men

The oft debated, oft cursed, and always questionable subject of a new modern highway from Marshfield to Coquille to replace the present obsolete curves on 101 brightened up this week with the announcement by R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, that rights-of-way were being secured for five miles of construction from Delmar to China Camp.

The men who are now in Coos Bay and are on the job this week were assigned to the task upon the final completion of engineering surveys.

Commissioner Ben Chandler of Coos Bay has a preliminary sketch showing the improvements between Delmar and China Camp. However before formal announcement is made a few minor corrections will be added, he said. The general plan, however, has had commission approval.

Surveys by the engineers on the other two ends of the highway will be completed soon, and it is expected that right-of-way men will be at work soon on those areas. The speed of acquiring such rights-of-way will determine the construction period, highway officials said.

McDonald To Talk At Credit Meeting

N. P. McDonald, executive secretary of the Coquille Retail Credit association, will be one of the main speakers on the program of the two-day session of Credit Granters of the Oregon-Columbia Regional district No. 10 of the National Retail Credit association. The meeting is set for Nov. 15 and 16th in the Multnomah hotel, Portland.

McDonald will speak on "Public Relations and Advertising," as the first talker on the program Saturday, Nov. 15th.

Also attending from Coquille will be L. V. Barklow of Pacific Feed and Seed, Donald Farr of Farr and Elwood's, and Adeline Neff of the Coquille Credit Bureau.

Dance, Vodvil Show Set Nov. 22

First dress rehearsal for the Active club "Vaudeville Show" will be held in the Community building on Thursday, November 20, according to Irene Cedarquist, director.

Practically all of the costumes are ready and all of the dancing routines are shaping up in good form to insure everyone some real entertainment on November 22, the date of the show.

Mrs. Cedarquist is in complete charge of the show and the Active club is handling the advertising and promotion of the show. Advance tickets are on sale now and may be purchased from any member of the Active club. According to reports available at this time, a large crowd will be on hand.

The Active club committee is working with the Lions club on a special attraction to follow the show, but as yet nothing definite has been worked out.

Returns From Illinois—Peter DeGeeter returned on Tuesday from a three weeks' trip to Illinois. In East Moline, Ill., he attended the golden wedding celebration of his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. John DeGeeter, and was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Rene Covents.

"Junior Miss," Famous Broadway Comedy Selected As Senior Class Production

"Junior Miss," the hilarious and ever-popular Broadway comedy in three acts will be the dramatic selection of the senior class of the Coquille high school, it was announced today by Miss Vivian Plummer, high school dramatics director. Date for the comedy will be Friday, Nov. 21st. The play will be presented in the high school gymnasium and leads will be taken by Susan Wasson who plays the part of Judy Graves; Preston Willis in the part of Harry Graves; Clinton Pearl as Joe; Marion Moore

as Grace Graves; Bonnie Zwicker as Hilda; Doris Willard as Lois Graves; Correen Molthau as Puffy Adams; Chuck Hanna as J. B. Curtis; Rose Pearl as Ellen; Darrell Crossler as Willis Reynolds; Jim Bellmore, Bob Kuenzli, Ed Crookwell and Jim Oden. The play written by Jerome Chodorou and Joseph Fields is based on a book by Sally Benson, popular novelist on teen-age subjects. The play is a Christmas comedy.