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FEWER FARMERS

The agricultural conference held in Corvallis last week has served to express the ideas of hundreds of farmers and farmer advisers about the problems that face Oregon agriculture. It should be a good report. It was designed to be a goal toward which the food producers of the state will work for the next 25 years. Its success, therefore, will not be known until a major part of that time has elapsed.

It seems reasonable to believe that conditions in Oregon and the northwest may change so greatly in a quarter of a century that no planning could be done for that period.

Development of electric power, unless it is carried away from the state, should bring in industry that will require new population. A realistic foreign policy should make it possible for us to send millions of dollars worth of goods to the peoples around the Pacific. Either of these could change the picture completely and both almost surely would.

We have an advanced agriculture, especially in eastern Oregon where there is almost 13 acres of tillable land for each resident. The average in the nation is 2.7 and in the state about three.

The most efficient economy for a nation is one in which few persons are engaged in the production of food. The fewer required to adequately feed the others the better. More can then work in industry and produce new or better industrial products; also more persons can man the service trades and thus help keep the others happy.

Big wheat ranches, huge stock spreads are indications of an efficient agriculture. And we have them. Naturally a large acreage under one man should be operated as efficiently as it would be if divided. In most cases with us it is more efficient.

There are several interesting things happening in cattle production. The conference members thought that stock might well be taken to areas where pastures were easily grown for fattening. Newer methods of transportation make this possible now. All over the state farmers are getting ready to plant irrigated pastures. In Gilliam county wells are being dug for that purpose, the lake beds of southern Oregon are better adapted to that than to wheat growing. It may be that the 88 million cattle in this nation can be profitably expanded although it is now at its highest peak.

BEING OFFICIALLY BORN

Everyone knows that one has to have a birth certificate in order to qualify for many jobs, including all defense jobs. Purpose is to prove nationality. But when we read of dozens of native born Americans who have succumbed to the blandishments of communists and when we recall the excellent record of many foreign born we wonder if it is all worth while.

Being born, so far as we have been informed, is the only way to get onto this sphere. If a man is here, he was born here.

Investigation of a person's past, his background, his susceptibility to odd political patter, his economic status, his associates, his education is certainly approp. A birth certificate is an excellent place to begin such an investigation for it gives the location and the parentage and probably the correct name.

We must admit a preference for the sort of a country it used to be when a man wasn't questioned about his past but judged by how well he acted at present.

Grass Valley

(By Mrs. A. F. Balzer)

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Earl and Greg, were Sunday guests of Dick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Earl and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Keiper visited Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie McCrae of Moro.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perrigo and daughters Linda and Leslie of Leavenworth, Wn., arrived Friday night for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Bayer. He returned to Leavenworth Sunday.

John Alley came home from Washington State college at Pullman, to spend his spring vacation with his parents.

A weiner roast was held at the church by the King's Daughters, Sunday evening, followed by their regular meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Olds went to Portland Wednesday to attend to business matters.

Mrs. Jack Cooley of Eugene is here visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arzell Lemley.

Will Olds and daughter Shirley and boys of Yuba City, Cal., were here Tuesday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ziegler jr. of The Dalles spent Sunday here visiting relatives.

The skating rink reopened with Tuesday night for everyone Thursday night for adults and Saturday afternoons for the children.

Mrs. Marcus Eslinger brought a cake, ice cream and punch to school Monday afternoon for the children in the 1st and 2nd grade so they could help Rosalie celebrate her 7th birthday.

Mrs. Don Keiper, Mrs. Bud Brinkert, and Mrs. Alta Crowley have been attending the botany class in Moro on Wednesday evening.

The accordion lessons held at the school house Monday have been very well attended with 12 children taking lessons and 12 adults.

Mrs. Robert Rolfe brought a birthday cake, ice cream to the school Wednesday afternoon for the children in the 1st and 2nd grade so they could help her son Curtis celebrate his 7th anniversary which was Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bayer and children, Julia and Byron, Leslie and Linda Perrigo, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stark and daughters Lou Ann and Lorraine, Mrs. Alta Crowley and Jim McDonald spent Sunday picnicking and gathering wild flowers for Mrs. Crowley for her botany class, at the John Day river.

Mrs. Crowley came home with a sprained ankle after chasing a flower too far up a hill.

The Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Herman Zeigler with nine members present. The business of bills was taken up and a food sale at the C & C

Food Store April 12 at 2 p. m. was planned. Members will meet at the school house Thursday, April 10 to make corsages for the convention to be held in Portland.

Dairy Spray Barney's G. V.

People's Column

Dear Mr. Editor:

Ours is a free, democratic nation. Being a democracy, every citizen has privileges and responsibilities. Various freedoms and the right to vote are some of the more important privileges. Making wise use of our freedoms and using the right to vote are our more important responsibilities as citizens of the United States.

In Moro, we have the Mayor-Council type of government. This is an old type of government, but still one of the most popular if it is run the way it should be. The city of Moro has not had an election for a number of years. The council has done its best, although mostly without the support of the people. Caucuses have been held for the new election of councilmen and mayor, but for reasons unknown, the people of the community did not show up. As you know, new blood and stamina will give new ideas to any type of government, so if the people will come out in the next election and vote for city officials, our city government could be improved.

We are writing this from information we have accumulated in studying city elections. We think city government is one of the most important factors in American democracy, so let's get out and see how many people will vote in the election and not leave it up to the other person to do the voting.

Cordially yours,
The American Problems class of Moro High School

FORMER SHERMAN COUNTESS MEET

The Sherman county Ladies club met at the Malory hotel in Portland, April 7, for luncheon. Twenty ladies were in attendance to enjoy the luncheon and program. Mrs. Mae Michael and Mrs. Jessie Myers were hostesses.

FRED VON BORSTEL LEAVES FOR TRY-OUT

Fred von Borstel, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. von Borstel left Tuesday by plane from Portland for Fullerton, California, for a ten day try-out in baseball for the St. Louis Cardinals. If he makes the team he will go on to Fresno, California to play ball with the team there.

Local Bank Deposits Approach \$2 Million

Quarterly statement of condition figures released by the Sherman County branch of the First National Bank of Portland show that on March 31, 1952, deposits at the branch were \$1,930,927 and loans were \$315,880. Announcement of the totals was made by Jarrel S. Bennett, manager of the branch.

Released at the same time were comparable totals for the branch for March 31, 1951. On that date deposits were \$1,603,120 and loans were \$588,679.

Further figures show that on March 31, 1952, deposits at the First National Bank of Portland with its 46 statewide banking offices were \$533,436,827. Loans were \$277,042,952 and resources were \$578,560,387.

G. E. Ranges, Barney's G. V.

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COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE wants interview if you are interested.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL REPORT

Notice is hereby given that John M. Rolfe, as administrator with the Will annexed of the estate of Theodore M. Rolfe, deceased, has filed his final report with the clerk of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County and that said court has fixed Saturday the 3rd day of May, 1952, at the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day and the courtroom of said court in the courthouse in Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing all objections to said report and the settlement thereof.

John M. Rolfe Administrator
Carlton L. Pepper Attorney for Administrator 22-25c

NOTICE OF SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids for the purchase of Lots 10, 11, and 12, Block 2, Grass Valley, Sherman County, Oregon, will be received by the undersigned as agent for the owners until 10 o'clock a. m. April 29, 1952. All bids to be mailed or delivered to the office of Celia L. Gavin, 502 U. S. National Bank Bldg., The Dalles, Oregon.

The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Lena Gosch, Agent for Naomi Bradberry, Bessie Stevenson, Gladys Hurst and Mamie Warnock. 22-25c

Moro Lodge No. 113 I.O.O.F.
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in I.O.O.F. hall. Transient and visiting brothers are cordially invited.
Floyd Lane, N. G.
Leo Watkins, Secretary

Water Pipe Barney's G. V.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of State Representative from the 22nd Representative District comprising Gilliam, Wheeler, Sherman and Morrow counties, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary election May 16, 1952.

Robert Smith Condon, Oregon

Copper Tubings Barney's G. V.

Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 116
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H. D. Pinkerton, Secretary

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Statement of Condition
FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Portland
MARCH 31, 1952
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

RESOURCES		2%
Cash in vault and in Federal Reserve Bank	\$51,234,150.94	
Due from Banks	35,615,501.06	
Total Cash	\$86,849,652.00	
United States Government Obligations, Direct and Fully Guaranteed	162,126,135.18	
State, County and Municipal Bonds and Warrants	37,637,200.44	
Other Bonds and Securities	5,161,812.78	
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	750,000.00	
Loans and Discounts	277,042,952.06	
Accrued Interest Receivable	1,761,907.85	
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures and Safe Deposit Vaults	6,141,834.58	
Other Real Estate owned	1.00	
Customers' Liability on Accounts of Letters of Credit, Acceptances and Endorsed Bills	694,638.42	
Other Resources	394,253.40	
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$578,560,387.71	
LIABILITIES		
Capital	7,500,000.00	
Surplus	17,500,000.00	
Undivided Profits	12,268,653.17	
Total Capital Funds	\$37,268,653.17	
Reserve for possible loan losses. This reserve is to apply against any loan losses that may develop in the future; it has not been allocated to any particular loans or type of loans	2,079,816.38	
DEPOSITS { Demand	\$366,348,073.77	
{ Savings and Time	167,088,753.37	
Total Deposits	\$533,436,827.04	
Liability for Letters of Credit and as Acceptor, Endorser or Maker of Acceptances and Foreign Bills	694,638.42	
Interest Received in Advance	3,135,810.84	
Reserve for Interest, Taxes, Etc.	2,402,355.99	
Dividends Declared	300,000.00	
Other Liabilities	242,385.87	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$578,560,387.71	
FIRST NATIONAL BANK GROUP		
Composite totals for the First National Bank Group: The First National Bank of Portland and its 46 statewide banking offices and 15 affiliated banks with 18 banking offices.		
DEPOSITS		
The First National Bank of Portland and 46 Offices	\$533,436,827.04	
18 other Oregon Banking Offices in the First National Group	121,360,110.22	
Total Deposits	\$654,796,937.26	
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS		
The First National Bank of Portland and 46 Offices	\$277,042,952.06	
18 other Oregon Banking Offices in the First National Group	59,001,707.67	
Total Loans and Discounts	\$336,044,659.73	
TOTAL RESOURCES		
The First National Bank of Portland and 46 Offices	\$578,560,387.71	
18 other Oregon Banking Offices in the First National Group	131,407,737.93	
Total Resources of the 64 BANKING OFFICES in the FIRST NATIONAL BANK GROUP	\$709,968,145.64	
"LET'S BUILD OREGON TOGETHER"		
FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PORTLAND		
THERE ARE 64 BANKING OFFICES IN THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK GROUP First National Bank of Portland and its 46 statewide banking offices and 18 affiliated banks with 18 offices		