

4-H Projects Grow And Get More Study

Oregon's 4-H membership jumped more than 6 percent this year, according to Burton S. Hutton, state 4-H club leader. Membership of 4-H boys and girls this year totaled 26,120 compared to

24,526 in 1953. Hutton pointed out that project enrollment figures also show an increase of 2680—from 32,970 to 35,656. The number of clubs also went up from 3238 to 3402.

Biggest gain was in clothing projects. Including knitting, the clothing numbers were 7787 in 1953 and 8896 this year. The knit-

ting membership alone came close to doubling itself, going from 531 members to 978.

Among the projects that attracted lesser numbers were safety, fish conservation, mineralogy, bird study, soil and water conservation, pigeons, pheasants, mink, dog training, science demonstration and folk dancing.

Grain Production Of State Given

The total output of wheat in Oregon for 1954 has now been estimated at a little less than 26 million bushels. This is down 22 percent from a year ago. The output for the Pacific Northwest at nearly 102 million bushels is 23 percent smaller than the 1953 crop. Nationally, the total wheat crops is estimated at a little over 959 million bushels. This is down 18 percent compared to last year's crop.

Oregon's barley crop at 18.7 million bushels was up 68 percent from the 1953 crop. The output of barley this year in the three Pacific Northwest states was over 57 million bushels. This is 2.2 times larger than last year's crop. Nationally, the 1954 barley crop is the second largest of record at 367 million bushels. This is up 52 percent from last year's production.

The nation's output of corn on October 1 was estimated 2,950 million bushels. This is down about 7 percent from last year's harvested crop. It's also about 4 percent below average. Corn production in the three Pacific Northwest states is running larger than a year ago. Oregon's corn production is up 17 percent.

Farm stocks of corn on October 1 for the nation were up 9 percent from a year ago.

Leo Watkins, Laurence Funk, Harold Engberg, Bill White, Arlet Rhinehart, the honor guest and the hostesses.

Wasco Tuesday Study club met October 19 at the home of Mrs. Tom Jacobsen. Mrs. Floyd Haines was co-hostess for the afternoon. For the program Mrs. Oral Gosson told about her trip east to Nebraska. Mrs. Winegar was elected to membership in the club. Plans

for the club part of the teachers' reception were made.

Saturday guests of Mrs. Leo Watkins were Mrs. Criel, her sister Mrs. Junil Clark and Mrs. Bill

White. Each guest pays the hostess whatever they wish for brunch and then it is all put into a fund for the benefit of the church.

WE ADVOCATE THE FOLLOWING ROAD PROGRAM:

1. Keep purchases of road machinery to a minimum consistent with efficiency.

A. Put as much of the tax dollar as possible into roads.

2. Use the machinery we now have to the fullest extent practical.

A. Run two shifts on graders in Spring when conditions are right for grading when sufficient help can be secured.

B. Run the Crusher as much as possible.

1. Continue to rock rural roads until everyone in the County has a year around road to town.

2. Concentrate on permanent improvements to our worn out market roads, bringing them up to a standard sufficiently good to oil.

a. Improve alignment where needed.

b. Improve drainage where needed.

c. Provide sufficient base.

d. Build more concrete culverts.

3. Better control of both annual and noxious weeds on County roads.

A. Spraying program.

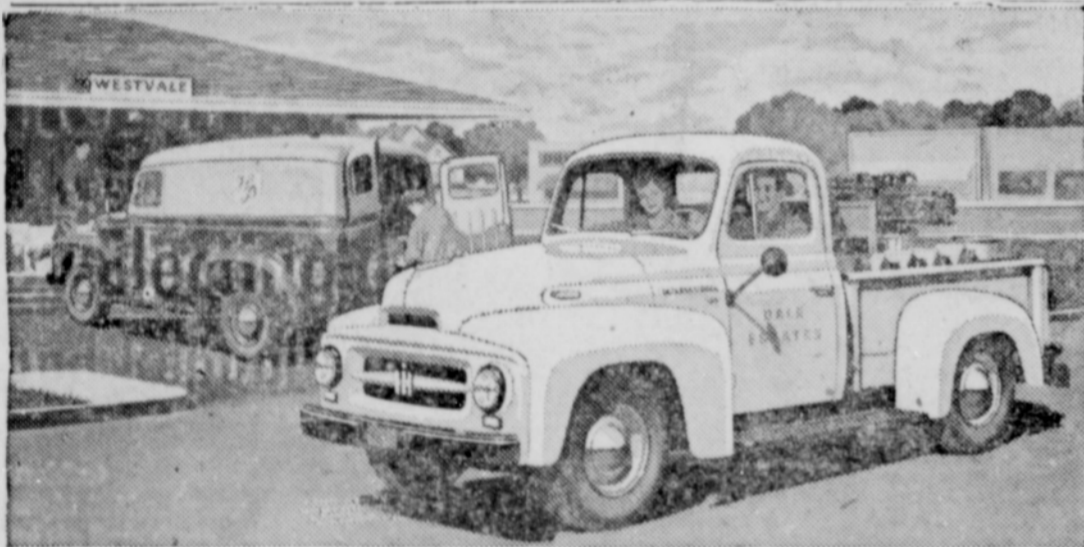
B. Request State Highway and railway to do the same.

If more money is needed for the road program than can be raised under the 6% limitation, the additional funds needed for the program desired will be presented to the budget committee for their approval. If they approve, and the request for funds is granted, the people will be asked to exceed the 3% limitation to that extent. In this manner the bookkeeping work can be greatly reduced and road costs can be more easily determined, than where a special tax is voted.

Road construction money shall be spent in each section of the county as equitably as feasible.

Vernon I. Miller
C. F. Kuypers

Paid political advertisement by the Sherman County Democratic Central committee, Wynona Wilson, Chairman.



NOW! Your best buy *Automatically!*

Light-duty INTERNATIONAL Trucks with **AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION**

Now INTERNATIONAL light-duty models give you new economy, efficiency and driving ease — automatically.

The newest, finest automatic transmission offers extra pulling power for smooth, fast starts under load. And its direct gear drive in high assures the economy of a conventional transmission — with the same "solid" feel, absence of slippage and sensation of high engine speed, plus engine aid for downhill braking.

This new automatic transmission is available at slight extra cost in all light-duty models. New overdrive transmis-

Your trade-in may cover the down payment. Ask about our convenient terms.

sion also available for ONE HUNDRED and R-110 models.

Come in and let us give you all the reasons why a new INTERNATIONAL light-duty truck with automatic transmission is *automatically* your best truck buy.

Saves You Money — Many Ways

- Provides the effort-saving, engine-saving, fuel-saving advantages of correctly-timed automatic shifting—plus the added economy of direct gear drive in high.

- Reduces engine, transmission, drive-line and tire wear through smooth, properly timed shifting. Eliminates clutch and clutch servicing. Cuts maintenance costs.

- Saves time in traffic due to simpler, easier driving. Less driving effort means greater safety.

J. K. MCKEAN COMPANY
MORO, OREGON



Wasco News

Mrs. Joe Drinkard

The Wasco Church of Christ Dorcas society is having a traveling brunch program. The hostess calls one person who in turn calls enough more to make a carload and the guests are required to go as they are when the call is made. Friday morning Mrs. Merlin Shields, Mrs. W. D. Watkins, Mrs. Leo Watkins and Mrs. Vaughn Criel were guests of Mrs. Arthur Van Gilder.

Members present were Mrs. Leo Watkins, Mrs. Ernest Shull, Mrs. Bill White, Mrs. Cliff Fridley, Mrs. Charlie Decker, Mrs. Roe Decker, Mrs. Raymond VanGilder, Mrs. Jacobsen's mother Mrs. Ed Olsen of The Dalles.

The Wasco Tillicum club met at the Lawrence Funk home October 21. Enjoying the afternoon was a guest Mrs. Harold Engberg and members Mesdames James Maddox, Lee Dehler, Sam Brock, Harry VanGilder, George Harris, and high scorer Mrs. Paul Patrick and consolation winner Mrs. Norma Everett.

The October meeting of the Dorcas society was held at the home of Mrs. Virgil Brock with Mrs. Sam Brock co-hostess. Halloween decorations were used in the rooms. After the general business meeting pumpkin pie and coffee were served to Mrs. Leo Watkins, Mrs. Guy Andrews, Mrs. Arthur VanGilder, Mrs. Merlin Shields, Mrs. Harold Engberg, Mrs. Tom Striker, Mrs. W. D. Watkins and Mrs. Lawrence Funk.

The Rebekah lodge No. 127 met in regular session Wednesday, October 13 at the usual place with 18 members present. During the meeting two applications for memberships were voted on and accepted. Mrs. Flossie Haines to come in by transfer and Mrs. Ruth Fields, a new member.

Each member was asked to tell where he or she had started to school. It was very interesting.

After the meeting was over and refreshments had been served, John DeMoss showed movie pictures of their annual trip to Arizona. Also pictures taken on a trip to Florida, the Oregon coast and up near Bremerton, Washington.

Mrs. Jerry Barnett was guest of honor at a stork shower given her by Mrs. Guy Andrews, Mrs. Arthur Van Gilder and Mrs. Merlin Shields at the Shields' home.

The gifts were placed on a table with a blue and white umbrella and a small cradle. A guessing game was played and the winner Mrs. Elmer Hill assisted the guest of honor as she opened her gifts. Refreshments of ice cream, cookies in the shape of a crib and stork were served. The nut cups were tiny cradles and baskets with umbrellas. Present were Mesdames Owen Barnett, Tom Striker, Elmer Hill, Virgil Larimore, Alvin Rich, Bob Nisbet, Clyde Fridley.

HALLOWEEN DANCE

Wasco High School
OCTOBER 30

Beechler's Be Bops

Dancing 9 to 1

50¢ a couple

1.00 for stags

Sponsored by
Wasco High School

DUNLAP AGENCY

Insurance

Phone 251

Grass, Valley, Oregon

'7' WON'T WORK

here's why

- Interferes with Oregon's program to conserve and maintain the salmon resource.
- Would idle more than 1800 fishermen and \$11,680,000 equipment.
- Closes every Oregon coastal port south of Astoria to commercial salmon fishermen.
- Grabs for a few a resource that belongs to all the people of Oregon.

VOTE 7 X NO

Paid Ad—Oregon Salmon Conservation League
Frank E. Moore, Chairman, Route 1, Box 200, Bandon, Oregon

Tired of Promises?

Elect

Robert V. Rolfe
County Commissioner

Native Sherman Countian
Wheat and Stock Farmer
Veteran of World War II
Graduate of Oregon State College

Paid Political Ad by Sherman County Republican Central Committee, Dorothea Moore, chairman

AL ULLMAN WINNING HIS FIGHT TO SAVE AND DEVELOP YOUR RIVERS, RANCHES AND RESOURCES!

Farm Income Crisis Demands Immediate Action; Ullman Fights Against Return to Hooverism; Ullman Election Last Chance to Save Resources from Give-Away

AL ULLMAN CALLS FOR FARM ACTION

Anti-farmer policies of the administration must be reversed to restore farm and ranch stability. Al Ullman will work to bring creative leadership into farm price support program. He will work for more producers participating in a program geared to family-farm needs. Aggressive surplus disposal is part of his plan to increase farm buying power.

AL ULLMAN VETERAN RIVER DEVELOPMENT FIGHTER

A vote for Al Ullman is a vote for full river development NOW. Al Ullman will fight for you at Hells Canyon and John Day; for low-cost power to open the gates to new industry, more jobs and payrolls, more business on every Main Street. Al Ullman has waged a courageous 5-year battle to save your rivers. He will carry the fight to Congress.

AL ULLMAN KNOWS RESOURCES

Present policies are concentrating Eastern Oregon resources in hands of a few special interests. Two years more will be too late to stop this give-away and exploitation. Al Ullman will fight to protect your forests, lands and resources from monopoly control, and put them to use for all the people.



AL ULLMAN LEADS FIGHT FOR MORE FREE ENTERPRISE

Al Ullman's fight is for the working man, farmers and small businessmen, for more free competitive enterprise, more capital investment attracted by low-cost power, more jobs, more payrolls, more farm markets, more opportunities for young people.

Al Ullman has two college degrees in government, is an overseas veteran of World War II, has a wife and three children, is a successful businessman. EASTERN OREGON NEEDS HIS EXPERIENCE, VISION AND LEADERSHIP IN CONGRESS.

WIN WITH **AL ULLMAN** for CONGRESS DEMOCRAT

Political Advertisement—Ullman for Congress Committee, Harry Higgins, Chairman, The Dalles, Oregon