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IT'S FAIR TIME

The county fair is the only thing Sherman Countians do together. There are other county-wide enterprises but none draw enough attention or attendance to be called truly representative of the entire county. The high school is a county institution but grade school are not and there are many who have no one in high school.

So, for those who wish to participate in a countywide endeavor the county fair is the only thing available. Fortunately it is possible to take part in a fair and very easy. All one has to do is go and look on. The things to be seen are familiar things. Wheat and beef will be prominent and natives of Sherman County know something about both, information they acquired through their pores if in or other way.

A knowledge of cooking or canning is not necessary to the enjoyment of a display of the result of those arts. We do not have to reach a very old age before being able to imagine the taste of a cake by seeing it and even bees smell flowers with enjoyment. It brings pleasure to see pretty and useful objects and some can be seen no other place than at a county fair.

This is the week to go to the fair. Put on warm and comfortable clothes and spend the day talking and watching.

WHAT TO DO

Newspapers, magazines and the little information bulletins are full of advice about what to do in case of inflation and the advice is enough alike to be reassuring—that is, that it is correct. Lately some of them are talking about what to do in case of a depression.

It is bad enough to have to prepare for one kind of economic change, but two—and opposite ones—at the same time is too much.

What we ask, are these writers thinking about? Is it that the big appropriations made for new arms to enable us to fight a ground war in addition to our now accepted ability to fight a nuclear war are so big that we may run out of money and find ourselves in a depression instead of an inflation? Is it that there is lack of confidence in the money handling ability of the government?

The total result is certainly not much better than no advice at all and amounts to no more than the word given to a youthful poker player in a strange town. "Play your cards close to your belly."

The gist of it is that real property is a good thing to have which is axiomatic because grandpa came west to get some of it; that stocks are good because they will be up with inflation like property; that cash is wonderful, but gives no profit.

All these amount to a repetition of old wisdom that everyone should know in order to save his first dollar. We are led to the belief that no one knows what is going to happen but that it may be drastically different than what we have.

WHAT KIND OF POOR?

The new president of the University of Oregon, Arthur S. Flemming, is reported to have said that we must take care of the poor, not only in this country but the world, if we are to be Christian. Outside the fact that his theory is a strong argument for the heathen state, there are other factors of it that need investigation.

If the speaker means by poor those who are temporarily unfortunate because of bad luck or no fault of their own, or children as yet incapable of caring for themselves we go along in the spirit of charity long taught to Americans who are a generous people.

But there are other kinds of poor and some of these become poorer when given aid. The poor in spirit are not helped by gifts,

merely pauperized, made smug and arrogant because they live without effort of their own. Aid to them does no good to anyone.

There are the poor in ability, who, either from poor education, small ability or some other cause, cannot earn a living. This may be the class of many foreign peoples. There is an opportunity to help them, but not by subsidizing their rulers with big cars, fine houses and expense accounts. We've done too much of that.

Poor is a word of too many connotations to be used in such a fashion. There are all kinds of poor, some deserving of aid and some deserving some strong treatment.

About the County

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Gilder were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McKee at Hood River.

Last Friday, the Rev. Larry Eddings, pastor of the Methodist church, accompanied by Richard Skiles, Clyde Fridley and Vernon Root, drove to Salem, where they attended a Methodist laymen's assembly at Willamette U. Enroute home following a banquet or Saturday night, Rev. Eddings began having severe abdominal pains. By the time the men reached Cascade Locks, he was in such pain he was unable to continue driving his car, and was rushed to The Dalles hospital, where he underwent an emergency appendectomy about midnight. He was reported resting easy the first of the week, and hopes to be home in a few days. Richard Skiles, assisted by Clyde Fridley, conducted the worship service on Sunday at the Wasco church.

Sixteen members of Annie Fulton chapter No. 124 OES, drove to Condon Saturday evening to attend a reception honoring Florence Jaeger, Asso. Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Oregon. Those making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Root, WM & WP of Annie Fulton Chapter, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Belshee and Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Kasberg, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Harland McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. William Broughton, Mrs. Harry Van Gilder, Mrs. Keith McDonald and Mrs. Idah Everett.

Mrs. Albert Derr was called to La Grande on Tuesday to attend the funeral of a brother in law, Frank Owens, who was killed in a logging accident near Santos, Idaho, last Friday.

Sunday, Sept. 17, has been set as Rally Day at the Wasco M. E. church. The first meeting of the WSCS will be Sept. 20 at 1:45.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Royse and Mrs. Augusta Royse, drove to Arlington for dinner Sunday, then took a leisurely drive on to Condon before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weatherford and Grant, Frank and Cherie of Olex went to Corvallis Saturday to be overnight guests of Mrs. Weatherford's sister, Mrs. Wilson Foote and family. Bob Weatherford spent the night with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fox. Sunday the Weatherfords went to a 50th wedding anniversary dinner of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Weatherford. About 50 relatives and friends were present.

Lupine Rebekah Lodge No. 114
Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome.
Mary Brackett, N. G.
Helen Martin, Secretary

Taylor Lodge A. F. & A. M.
Wasco, Meets the first Tuesday of each month.
Visiting brethren welcome.
Harland McDonald, W. M.
Vernon Root, Secretary

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Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings each month. Visiting members cordially invited to meet with us.
Max Belshe, W. M.
Irving Hart, Secretary

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 Haines, N. G.
Leo Watkins, Secretary

Bethlehem Chapter No. 78 O. E. S.
Meets every second Thursday each month. Visiting members invited. Moro, Ore.
Edna Paulson, W. M.
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tives attended the dinner Sunday which was at Mark's son Harrison Weatherford's home. Mr. and Mrs. George Fox and grandson were dinner guests Sunday at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Fox. The younger Foxes are making their home at the ranch and Mrs. James Fox is a second grade teacher at Rufus school.

Lt. Col. Franklin Everett and family came Sunday to visit his brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cantrall leaving on Monday. They had just returned to the States after spending four years in Brazil as an Air Corp Advisory officer. He will be stationed in South Carolina.

Mrs. Jim Rodda and children of The Dalles spent Sunday here visiting her aunts Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cantrall.

There will be a layette shower for Mrs. Einar Helgestad given by the Women's Mission society to be held at the Grass Valley Baptist church Wednesday, Sept. 26 at 2 p. m. Everyone is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Morgan and family of Condon spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cox.

CALL FOR BIDS

The clerk of Sherman County Marie Hoskinson, will receive sealed bids until September 27, 1961 at 5:00 p. m. for: Wooded garage building on Lot 1 Block 2, Henarville Addition to City of Grass Valley (to be received in 20 days) Steel bridge at Lonerock in Grass Valley canyon, with wooden deck, (to be removed in 30 days); 1-1952 GMC Suburban; 1-1950 GMC half-ton pickup; The County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Sherman County Court
46-8c

Dr. Otis G. Perkins

Optometrist
49 E. 2nd St.
Tel. CY-6362 The Dalles, Ore.

Electric power was off in the center of Moro Wednesday morning when the sign advertising the Sherman County Fair wrapped around the wires and shorted them resulting in a blown fuse. Del Freidline was in Kent and had to return before service was restored.

County Ramblin's

1961 USDA YEARBOOK
The story of seeds is the story of agricultural progress in the U. S. This is the theme of SEEDS, 1961 Year book of Agriculture, recently published by USDA.

SEEDS describes the vast improvements that have been made in the production, processing, marketing, and utilization of seeds-improvements that make it

possible for our increasing population to enjoy a bountiful and continuing supply of food and other farm products. The 1961 yearbook is the latest in a series that dates back to 1849, when the Commissioner of Patents prepared the first annual report of his agency's work in agriculture.

SEEDS contains 75 chapters and 47 pages of photographs, contributed by 128 scientists and technicians of USDA, State universities and agricultural experiment stations, and the seed industry. Topics discussed include the history and life processes of seeds, introduction and improvement of seeds for cropland, forests, and ornamental plantings, how seeds are produced, processed and marketed, and economic trends in

seed production and utilization. The yearbook is written for farmers, gardeners, seedmen, students and others interested in the production of high-yielding, high-quality seeds and crops. SEEDS is available for \$2 from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C.

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L & E Paint Shop: Interior and exterior Decorating — Spray Painting. ED 3-2273 Grass Valley. 42-tfn.

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, brick faced house, daylight basement, built-in kitchen appliances (stove, oven, garbage disposal, D-washer) wall to wall carpet, 2 fireplaces, recreation room, laundry room, patio, all landscaped, storage in garage. Call Wasco GI 2-5210. 37-tfn.

WINK-GOLDENDALE SALES Yard, Goldendale, Wash., has an auction every Friday at one o'clock. We have the market if you have the livestock. Guaranteed top prices. Frank Wink 33c-tfn.

FOR SALE: Metal Clarinet. \$50. Made by Holton, Elkhorn, Wis. B. O. Stark, Kent, ED 3-2288. 46-8c

FOR SALE: Used electric stove, water heater, refrigerator. Ivan Kirkelle, Moro. 41-tfn.

FOR Agricultural loans see FLBA of The Dalles and the Mid-Columbia PCA, 4th & Court Sts. CPpress 6-2468. tfn.

CUSTOM SLAUGHTERING by appointment only. Custom curing. Meat cutting, wrapping, sharp freeze. Kenny's Market, Grass Valley. Call ED 3-2345 for appointment. 23-tfn.

LIVESTOCK Men - Do it yourself - "Anchor Brand" Animals. Health Products, penicillin, and instruments are available at your Co-op Oil and Supply at The Dalles. 20c tfn.

STATE WIDE PAINT CO. complete painting and decorating service, spray or brush. Phone CY 6-3977 or CY 6-5293, 1205 E. 12th St. Vern Campbell and Jack Nell, The Dalles, Or. 38tfn.

FOR SALE: Mobile home on Don King's lot. Box 342 JO 5-3284. Moro. 46 pd.

SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALE, SEPTEMBER 23, SATURDAY, 12:00 P. M. Our Special Feeder Sales Benefit Both the Producer and the Buyer. Give More Buyers an Opportunity to Bid on Your Cattle - Consign Them To: The Dalles Livestock Commission, Inc., Ed Coles, Mgr. Cy 6-4513 or CY 6-4672. 46c

FOR SALE: Clarinet, good for students. Used one year. \$75. Grass Valley ED 3-2280. 46-7c

LEGAL NOTICES

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
Project No. Ore. 61-C901-A11
School District No. 3, Sherman County, Oregon

Owner
Separate sealed bids for construction of An Addition and Remodeling to Rufus Elementary School will be received by the Clerk of School District No. 3, Sherman County, at the office of the Clerk at Rufus Elementary School, Rufus, Oregon, until 8:00 o'clock P. M. (Pacific Standard Time) Thursday, September 28, 1961, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond and Performance Bond may be examined in the office of Annand & Boone, Architects, located at 3933 S. W. Kelly Avenue, Portland, Oregon, and copies may be obtained there upon payment of \$50.00 for each set. Any successful bidder, upon returning such set promptly and in good condition, will be refunded his payment, and any non-bidder upon so returning such a set will be refunded \$25.00.

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Mrs. Jean Brown, Clerk
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