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County Fair Helps All

It is only by comparison that we find out which is the better of several articles. Very frequently when we are doing a thing or growing a crop we get to thinking that it is just about the best of its kind. That is a fine spirit and is

very essential for success. The county fair is the best place to decide these questions. If you have some good grain, good stock, good vegetables or other crops, bring them to the fair and compare them with what the other fellow has.

The fair is a part of the community life and is conducted for the upbuilding of the community, county and state. It gives an inspiration to the people to produce better and use better methods and gives the visitor an opportunity to see the possibilities in production of the section.

Many visitors attend the county fair each year who are here looking up the possibilities of the country. Let us do justice, make a good exhibit of our best products and join together in making the 1919 Sherman county fair the best in history.

What makes man great? Come to the Presbyterian church next Sunday at 8 p. m. and consider the question. The screen is to be used to show it in its real light.

Sale of Shorthorn Cattle.

The stage is now practically all set for the Tenth Annual Sherman County Fair to be held at the local grounds on October 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th. Workmen have been busy a large part of the summer putting the buildings in condition, and, with their new glossy coat of paint, are now ready for the exhibits which are beginning to come in larger numbers each day.

To accommodate the many who wanted to exhibit their pure bred cattle a new large building has been built this season for this exclusive purpose and in this building the last morning of the fair, Saturday, will be held the first sale of registered pure bred Shorthorns ever offered at auction in central north Oregon. The stock offered and the sale itself will be entirely under the control of the Pacific Northwest Shorthorn Breeders' Association and that fact alone is sufficient to guarantee only the best on sale. Catalogues are now to be had from C. C. Calkins, county fair secretary, and show an offering of nine Shorthorn bulls and eight Shorthorn cows.

The auction sale of pure bred Shorthorn cattle is the direct result of many farmers organizing a series of inter-locking county Shorthorn breeders' associations last spring and will ultimately result in giving Sherman county as good a name as a producer of Shorthorn cattle as it now enjoys among the better class of horse buyers as a producer of Belgian draft horses.

**Report for Moro High School
Sept. 30, 1919**

Ronald Payne, Lenora Ramsey, Reporters

The annual Student Body election was held Monday, Sept. 22. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mark Henkle, president; Bessie Andersen, vice-president; Evelyn Ragsdale, secretary; George Ellsworth, treasurer; Dale Lusk, sergeant-at-arms; Ronald Payne and Lenora Ramsey, high school reporters.

The Senior class of 1920 have organized with Mark Henkle as president; Raymond Henrichs, vice-president; Frances Andersen, secretary; Lenora Ramsey, treasurer; Clarence Bourhill, sergeant-at-arms; Miss Howard, senior advisor. Blue and gold were chosen as class colors. A committee was appointed to select class pins.

The Junior class held their first meeting last Tuesday for the purpose of organizing and electing officers for the year. The following officers were elected: Leota Calbreath, president; Willard Urquhart, vice-president; Naomi Young, secretary-treasurer; Otis Messinger, sergeant-at-arms; Greeta Freeman, class reporter; Miss Rice, class adviser. Maroon and gold were chosen as class colors and a committee appointed to attend to the selection and ordering of caps in class colors.

A reception in honor of the Freshmen was given by the Senior class Friday evening last in the school auditorium. The Seniors decorated the room in the class colors. The main feature of the evening was Freshmen initiation. After that was finished the evening was spent in playing games. A good time was reported by all.

A good football team has been organized with Mr. Hill as coach and George Ellsworth as manager. The boys are now practicing at the fair grounds and expect to have a schedule for games arranged before long.

The Senior class for 1919 started a new fad for following senior classes by buying a bill board and presenting it to the High School. It is now placed in the hall and all school announcements and posters will be placed on it.

At the Sophomore class meeting Sept. 23, the following officers were elected: Alida Douma, president; Gwendolyn Reese, vice-president; Helen Morris, secretary; Ray Messinger, sergeant-at-arms.

On the last week of the school year of 1919 the "to be" Freshman class of 1920 held a meeting and elected the following officers: Edmund Stephens, president; Opal Powell, vice-president; Marjorie Ginn, secretary; Roscoe Moore, treasurer. Miss Albee was elected class mother.

Next Week Be a Booster

There are enough people in Sherman county to bring to the Sherman County Fair next week the real community boosting spirit. Let all put their best effort into and back of the plans of the officers of the Tenth Annual County Fair and make it the best ever. It isn't an individual matter of showing up the other fellow, but it is a good means of showing up the combined efforts of all the people of the county. Let all who are able bring an exhibit to the fair and all go in to win, with the feeling that each has the best exhibit in whatever article is offered, but don't belittle the exhibit of the other fellow if the judges should happen to decide otherwise.

Be a booster and boost for your county fair; let all say and think that it is the best in the state; the indications are that the entries will be many and well worth the time to critically examine them.

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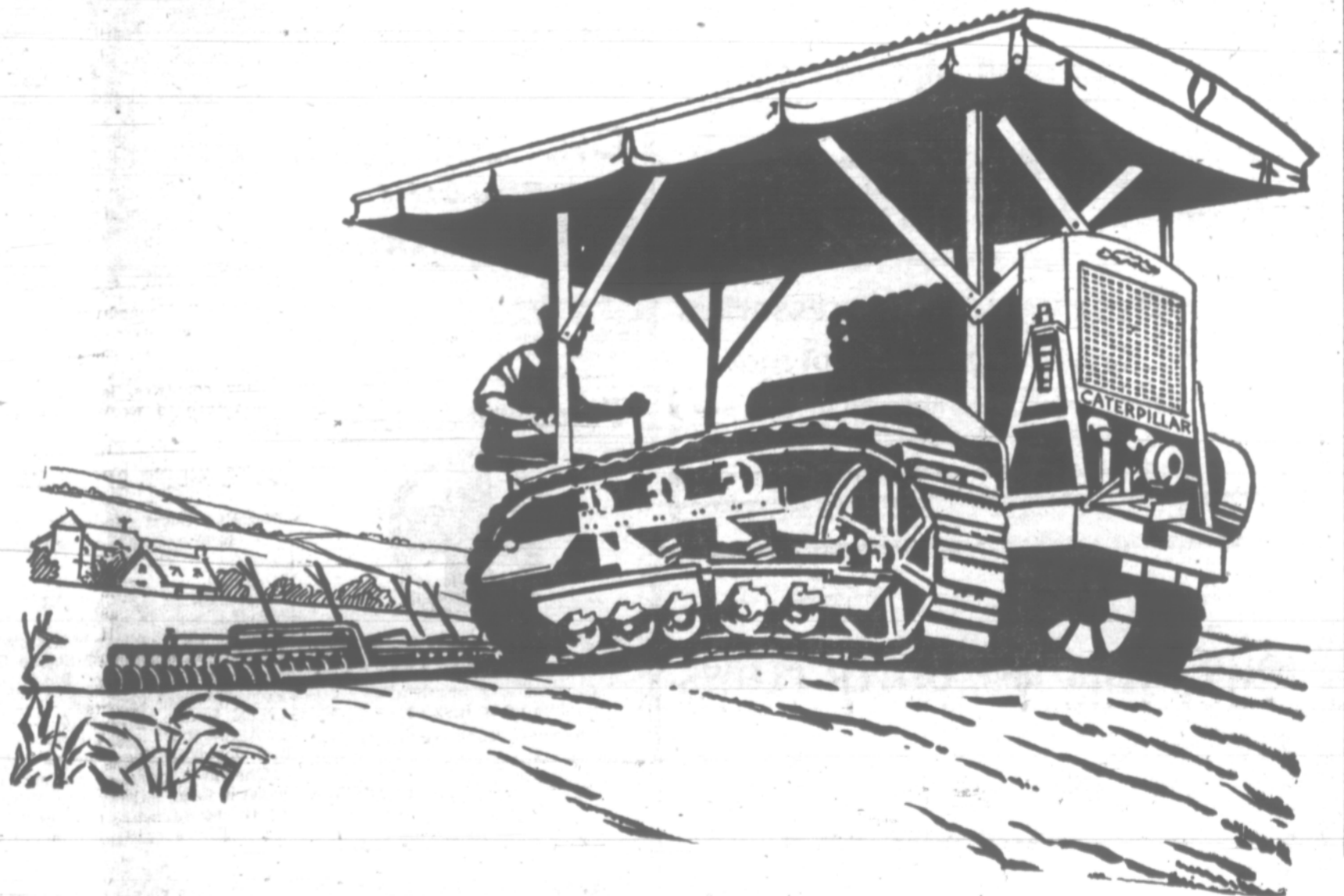
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