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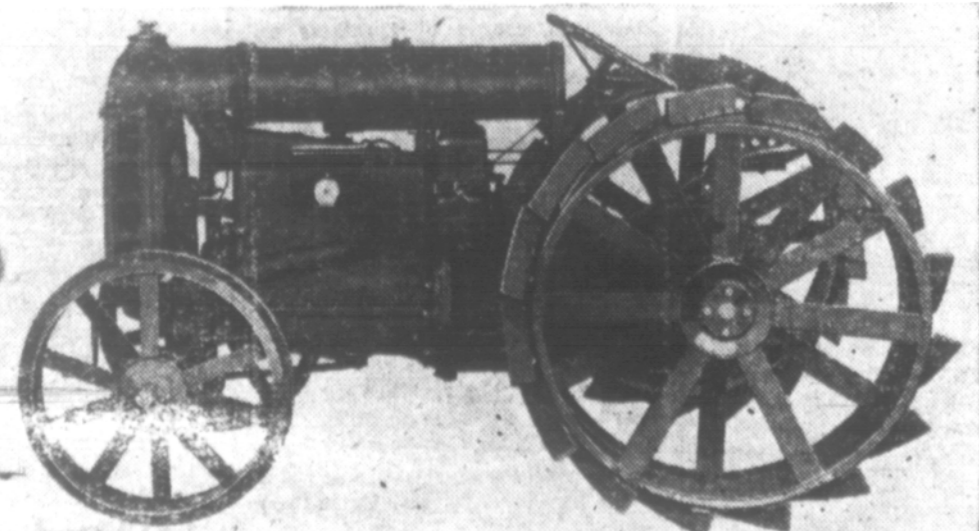
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The Observer.

MORO, OREGON.

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Official Paper for Sherman County.

Four Successful Local School Fairs

Four Local School Fairs were held throughout the county during the last week in April. The exhibits at the Wasco fair on April 27th were well arranged in the different rooms. Four rural schools exhibited and pupils from two of them, Rufus and Locust Grove, spent a part of the day in Wasco. Rufus boys and girls brought a well prepared garden and sewing exhibit. The Rufus sewing club is one of the six 100 per cent clubs in the county. First prize winners in each Industrial Club project at Wasco were:

Sewing, Doris Payne, Rufus school; Sewing, division II, Etta Miller, Moody school; Gardening, Harold Payne, Rufus school; Potato raising, Joseph Miller, Moody school; Sheep raising, Inez Fridley, Emigrant Springs school; Poultry, Janette Medler, Emigrant Springs school.

April 28th the Moro school auditorium was well filled with exhibits from the Moro school and the adjacent outside rural schools. Every rural school in the Moro division was represented and six of the number attended the fair. Those winning first place in the Industrial Club projects were:

Sewing, Mildred Stober, Gorman school; Cookery, Norma Powell, Erskine school.

At Grass Valley on the 29th the Michigan school exhibited their work with the work from the Grass Valley school. The first prize winners are given below and, with the exception of the first named, all being from the Grass Valley school:

Sewing, Laura Newcomb, Michigan school; Cookery, Lucile Taylor; Poultry, Delmar Baker; Pig raising, Don O'Leary; Gardening, Wilber James; Potato raising, Dick O'Brien; Calf raising, Tom O'Brien.

An unusual event in connection with the Kent Local Fair was an auction sale of the exhibits made by the Cookery Club. The members plan to increase the \$18 realized to \$30 and use the money to send one of their number to the boys and girls summer school at Corvallis. Those winning first place at Kent were:

Poultry, Estel Hartley; Sewing, division I, Fay Howell; Sewing, division II, Glenna Dellinger.

Both rural schools in the Kent division were well represented. The Manual Training and Domestic Science and Art exhibit in the Wasco Moro, and Grass Valley school exhibits, where these subjects are taught, deserves special mention.

Patrons of the schools showed their interest by visiting the fairs and were enthusiastic in their expressions of approval and praise of the work being accomplished.

The past week shows that an unusual record has been made in Industrial Club Work this spring. Already six standard clubs have finished their work 100 per cent strong. The aim of the boys and girls is to have just such work a record for the county. With this standard already set the prospects for reaching that aim are very encouraging. Mr. Seymour, the State Club Leader, talked to practically every

club member in the county and found all of them working to finish. His visit made the children more determined than ever to keep up the 100 per cent record.

At the Local Teachers' Institute, held in Grass Valley Saturday, May 1st, Mr. Seymour and Superintendent Casavan, of Clackamas county, discussed the educational millage measures that are to come before the people on May 21st. The teachers and patrons present clearly understood the needs and value of these measures.

The Michigan Industrial Club held their Achievement Day meeting and program before those present at the Teachers' Institute. The manner in which they conducted their meeting showed plainly the value of organized club work.

Notes From DeMoss Springs

R. C. Harris made a flying trip to Portland last week on business.

Mrs. Bert Bush, sister to Mrs. W. L. Dillinger, was a DeMoss visitor last week.

Mrs. Andersen, mother of Mrs. L. C. Roberts, has returned to her home in California.

Mrs. Peter Schamel of Grass Valley, was a visitor at the Earl Brown home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McPherson and Frank Brown were visitors at the home of their brother, Earl Brown.

Ben Hicks and family are now living at the Rice farm and the house they did live in is now occupied by Aron Noyse.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kaseberg and Mr. and Mrs. Armsworthy of Wasco, were Sunday visitors at the Messinger farm home.

Rev. Gregg, pastor of the Christian church at Wasco, will preach in the DeMoss school house May 16th at 12 o'clock noon. All are invited.

DeMoss school was well represented at the local try-out and contest held in Moro last Friday. Homer DeMoss and Harry McDonald won several points in running and jumping; Evelyn Christiansen won first place in the speaking contest, and Rosemary Walker third in the "C" division; Chester Peetz third in the "B" division.

Dr. Freeze wishes us to state that there is no truth in the report that he will discontinue his professional work in Sherman county but to the contrary will install a complete lens grinding plant as soon as the 24-hour electric service is installed in Sherman county. In this way he can give a four week service to his patients and give better service in adjusting and repair of broken glasses. 18th year of practice. 7th year in Sherman county.

Construction work may be expected to start soon on the new 24-hour electric power line to be built in the county this summer. It has been decided to terminate the high tension line at the L. L. Peetz farm, three miles west of Moro, and to bring the line into Sherman county direct from Dufur in place of from Shearer Bridge. A difference of \$65,000 in construction costs helped decide the matter.

A large delegation from Rufus was in Moro Wednesday in attendance at County Court, asking that a bridge washed out last winter be replaced so that wheat hauling be not interfered with this season. Rufus people generally get what they ask for and this was no exception.

Knew His Allment.

"You're looking miserable, Subbuba. Why don't you ask a doctor what ails you?" "I know what ails me—quick consumption." "You don't mean it?" "I do. I have to bolt my breakfast in two gulps to catch the train, and my lunch in two more to get back to the office."—Boston Transcript.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the county court of the state of Oregon for Sherman county.

In the matter of the estate of Archie McDermid, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned under and by virtue of the last will and testament of Archie McDermid, deceased, will on and after Saturday, the 22d day of May, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day at the law office of Bright & Bryant in Moro, Oregon, proceed to sell at private sale for part cash and the balance on time, subject to the confirmation of the court, the following described real estate situated within the said county and state, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of section 27, southeast quarter of section 28, and the northwest quarter of section 33, all in township one north, range seventeen east of the Willamette meridian, together with the tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereunto belonging and appertaining.

The terms of the sale are Fifteen Thousand Dollars cash in hand at time of sale and the balance to be paid on or before the 15th day of October, 1920, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum with a first mortgage back upon the premises to secure the payment of the balance of the purchase price.

Dated this at Moro, Oregon, this 23rd day of April, 1920.

Geo. B. Bourhill,
Executor of the Estate of Archie McDermid, deceased.
Bright & Bryant, Attorneys for estate.

Political Notices

To the Voters of Sherman County

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff for Sherman County, Oregon, at the Republican Primary nominating election, to be held on May 21, 1920. If nominated and elected, I pledge to give my best and careful attention to the duties of the office.

HUGH CHRISMAN

To the Voters of Sherman County

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Assessor for Sherman County, Oregon, at the Republican primary nominating election to be held on May 21st, 1920. If nominated and elected I pledge to give my best and careful attention, in the future as in the past, to the business conduct of this office.

OTTO PEETZ

To the Voters of Sherman County

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county clerk for Sherman county, Oregon, at the democratic primary nominating election to be held on May 21, 1920.

If nominated and elected I will give my careful attention to the duties of the office.

MARY L. HOSKINSON.

To the Voters of Sherman County

I will be a candidate at the republican primary election to be held on 21st May 1920, for the office of county treasurer. If elected to this office I will fulfill the duties thereof to the best of my ability.

GEORGE B. BOURHILL.

To the Voters of Sherman County

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the office of County School Superintendent of Sherman County, Oregon, at the Democratic Primary nominating election to be held May 21, 1920.

If elected, I will endeavor to work to the best interests of the schools of the county.

GRACE L. MAY.

Candidate for Sheriff

In voting for J. M. Yocom for the republican nomination for sheriff all voters can be fully assured that if I am nominated and elected they will have a competent and efficient officer and one that at all times will give the duties of his office close and efficient supervision and personally attend to proper and strict law enforcement. This is not merely a statement of facts, but a pledge as well.

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