

COUNTY EXHIBIT WANTED AT FAIR

Many Eastern People To See Displays; Fairgrounds Improved For Show

County exhibits of most counties in the state are wanted at the 1935 74th annual Oregon state fair opening at Salem August 31 and closing September 7 according to Solon T. White, new state director of agriculture who is managing his first state fair this year.

In writing to the counties, White stated:

"This year will be an especially good one to show our Eastern and Mid-western friends just what we have.

"We pledge you our full and complete support in any exhibit you may bring and extend a sincere and cordial invitation to you and your county.

"If it is convenient, will you please let us know within the next few days as to whether or not you can be here. We want you."

Premium lists were delivered to fair headquarters this week and mailing will be started at once to those who have requested the booklets.

A large sunken flower garden has been constructed in the center of the Agriculture building on the first floor. A large fountain has been installed and plans are to make the flower display one of the fair show places.

Fences are being repaired around the grounds and a temporary ticket office arrangement is being constructed at the Main entrance through the park grounds. Beauty is being considered as well as utility in the work going on.

The race track is being gone over again, following the auto races, so that it will be in fine shape for fast horse racing during the fair. Now paint for the buildings needing it, whitewashing of the fences and other decorative work is now in the process of being accomplished.

INCREASE SEEN IN COW PRICES

California To Need Many Replacements; Heifer Growing Proving Profitable

With the price of dairy cows rapidly returning to a more profitable basis, interest in raising heifers is increasing throughout the state. It is estimated that because of the tuberculosis eradication campaign in California, as many as 150,000 head of dairy cows and heifers will be needed there for replacements in the next couple of years.

Practically all Oregon dairymen raise some heifers, but their costs for raising them and the returns from them vary widely, a study made by Oregon experiment station shows. The average dairymen, as a matter of fact, shows a higher cost of production of heifers than the market price of cows, the detailed survey reveals, although only about half of such total costs are in cash outlay.

Start With Good Stock

"The largest item of expense in raising heifers is, of course, feed costs, but a very heavy expense beyond that come from death and culling losses," says H. E. Selby, farm management specialist at O. S. C., who was in charge of the detailed study. "On 216 farms that had no death or culling loss, the average cost of raising heifers to freshening was nearly 50 per cent less than on 98 farms which had a death and culling loss of 25 per cent or more.

"A certain amount of culling is necessary, but it is being greatly reduced by many dairymen who do careful culling of the calves before starting to raise them and then who use careful methods so as to reduce death loss to a minimum.

Feed Costs the Same

"It costs very little more to raise a good heifer than a poor one," Mr. Selby continued. "The slight extra cost of raising good heifers comes chiefly from a higher birth value, while the returns from raising good heifers are far ahead of ordinary ones."

In this connection Selby points out that a good bull is a good investment from the standpoint of the value of the calves alone. The birth value of calves from bulls worth \$200 or more was just four times the value where bulls worth \$100 or less were used.

A supply of skimmed milk is of importance in reducing the cost of raising heifers, the survey showed, as whole milk is the most costly part of the feed. Good pasture is also an important factor in reducing the cost of production. Station Bulletin 324, giving full details of the study, with many other suggestions for reducing costs, may be had free.

Iowa People Here—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Louk of Garfield, Iowa are here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Louk. Mr. Louk is a brother of Fred Louk and is treasurer of the county in which he lives. They spent Tuesday visiting with friends in Corvallis.

CHANGES URGED IN BANKING ACT

Business Men and Bankers Agree in Objecting to Political Control Over Banks

AMENDMENTS SUGGESTED

Political Domination of Federal Reserve Board Declared to Be Undesirable for Depositors as Well as Their Banks.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Business men and bankers alike who have appeared before committees of Congress to present views regarding the Banking Act of 1935 have found common cause for criticism in those provisions which they agree would create the means for undesirable political control over the Federal Reserve System and thereby over individual banks throughout the United States. They have made the point that this undesirable condition would affect depositors in banks even more than the banks themselves.

This view has been stressed in criticisms by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, and the question of partisan control over banking was the central theme of a statement presented by R. S. Hecht, President of the American Bankers Association, who appeared before the Senate Sub-Committee on Banking and Currency hearings here. Mr. Hecht declared that his organization is actuated by a desire to be helpful to Congress "in enacting effective and workable banking legislation in the interest of all our people." He said in part:

"It is finally decided that it is necessary to carry this legislation through at this session, we are strongly of the opinion that special care should be taken to keep our credit control and banking mechanism free from any sort of political considerations.

"In making this statement I do not wish to appear to question the propriety of the Government's exerting a certain amount of control over banking operations so far as they affect the nation's currency and general monetary policy. Nor do we object to broad powers of supervision over the operation of our banking institutions because of the semi-public responsibilities they carry. But when it comes to such matters as the granting of credit and the making of investments by our banks, these are questions of business policies that surely should not be under the sole control of a board so constituted as to be dependent upon partisan or political considerations under any administration.

The Basis of Sound Credit

"The real conditions that create the necessity for the expansion or contraction of credit arise from the needs of agriculture, industry and trade themselves, wholly independent of the administrative policies of the party which happens to be in power. We feel that the financial requirements of the nation's business constitute a continuing economic process that is not related to political changes. The fundamental principles of sound credit do not vary with variations in public thought. All experience teaches that the quality of credit is sound only so long as it is based purely on the requirements of sound business. It is not sound when any other considerations or motives enter into its composition.

"The Banking Act would centralize in the Federal Reserve Board at Washington means aimed to control the supply of money in the country, which term includes the sum total of currency in circulation and demand deposits in the banks which become current through checks. The powers which it is proposed to give the Board are intended to enable it to influence the quantity of this deposit money through open market operations, the discount rate and reserve requirements.

The Need for Independence

"That is the reason why we are so strongly in favor of making the Federal Reserve Board a body of such independence and prestige that it would be definitely removed from all political thought, influence and dictation. Its members should be free to study and to act in accordance with the needs and conditions of agriculture, industry and trade. The policies of the board should have no reference to the politics or the changes in politics of the national administration.

"In our studies of the bank bill, we have been strongly impressed with the fact that it would set up a situation under which the Federal Reserve Board and its policies might be subject to control from the political administration of the country. In saying this I do not charge that it is the intention of the present administration to bring about any undue control over the nation's banking mechanism. The point is that if the bill passed as now proposed, opportunity for control would be there for the use of the present or whatever future administration might be in power.

"Our criticisms of the bill are not aimed, therefore, at the motives of

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Retta M. Templeton, Executrix of the Estate of J. C. Templeton, deceased, has filed her Final Report and Account as such Executrix with the Clerk of the County Court of Lane County, Oregon; and that Saturday, the 17th day of August 1935 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, in the County Court Room of the Court House at Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, has been set by the Hon. Fred Fisk, Judge of said Court, as the time and place of hearing objections to the same, if any there are, and for the final settlement of said estate.

RETTA M. TEMPLETON, Executrix.

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the present administration, but they are wholly impersonal and non-political and are aimed entirely at the basic principles involved.

Desirable Changes Proposed
Careful study by his organization, Mr. Hecht said, had resulted in a number of suggestions for constructive revisions in the bill which he submitted to Congress. On the other hand, he declared that many of the changes proposed by the act in existing laws "are of a constructive nature and should have the support of bankers, if the method of appointment and tenure of office of the members of the Federal Reserve Board, in whose hands it is planned to concentrate greater power than ever before, could be so altered as to insure, as far as possible, the absolute independence of the Board from partisan or political considerations." He added:

Supreme Court of Banking
"Since the passage of the Federal Reserve Act over 29 years ago, opinion in Congress and among bankers has been striving towards the ideal of making the Federal Reserve Board a body of such independence and prestige that it might be described as the Supreme Court of Finance and Banking. We believe



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there is greater need now than ever before for realizing this ideal."

Mr. Hecht emphasized that it is "the genuine desire of the banking fraternity to be helpful and constructive in making suggestions in connection with this pending legislation. The changes we are urging are we believe essential to the continued independence of the Federal Reserve System."

"We have made it clear that we do not object to a measure of public control in the national interest for proper coordination of our manifold credit operations," he said, "and we do not believe the sponsors of the legislation desire any political domination over these activities through our Federal Reserve System.

"Under such circumstances we feel that our recommendations should be favorably acted upon because they would enable the reconstructed Federal Reserve Board to function freely as a nonpolitical body actuated only by the dictates of sound financial and economic policies conceived in the interest of all of our people.

"The adoption of our suggestions would both place operation of the Federal Reserve System wholly and distinctly apart from the fluctuations and vicissitudes of political conditions and free from undue influence by banking opinion only. Such a solution would thus have a stabilizing and confidence inspiring effect on the entire business situation."

LANE COUNTY RECEIVES CHECK FROM O. & C. FUND

Lane county received a check for \$57,588.93 this week from Washington, as 60 percent of the total amount due from the Oregon and California land-grant fund for the year 1933. A total of \$95,981.55 had been certified as the total amount due the county for the entire year.

Money received from this fund is intended to compensate the counties for tax funds which they lost when a large part of their areas were included in the national forest areas and taken from the tax rolls.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office has assured the county that the balance of the fund due will be paid the county when money is available.

TOWNSEND CLUB MEETS AT TAYLOR HALL FRIDAY

Members of the Springfield Townsend club will meet at Taylor hall Friday evening, July 19, for a social evening. A pie social will be held. Each person is to bring his own cup, and the ladies are asked to bring pies. A small charge for refreshments will be made.

PARTY GIVEN FRIDAY FOR ROBERT WATSON

Bob Watson, on leave of absence from the United States navy, was guest of honor at a party given Friday evening at the Cornell home north of Springfield. About 22 young people were invited.

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TOWN AND VICINITY

Gets New Car—W. K. Barnell is driving a new Ford V-8 coupe as manager of the Mountain States Power company office here.

Returns Here—Ole Peterson has returned to Springfield from Phoenix, Arizona where he spent the past year.

Home from Oklahoma—A. J. Schmetzky has returned from Oklahoma where he was called to attend the funeral of a brother.

Attends Meeting—Thelmer J. Nelson spent the weekend in Salem attending the Lutheran Brotherhood conference.

Waiterville People Here—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Page and Mrs. Elizabeth Page of Waiterville were visitors in Springfield Saturday.

Home from Yachats—Elton Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Thomas of Yachats, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Myers near Hayden bridge.

Visiting Mother—Kenneth DeLassus is here this week from San Francisco visiting with his mother, Mrs. Riley Snodgrass and other relatives.

Back from Arizona—Mrs. P. C. Scott and children, Myrtle, Hazel, and Jimmy, have returned from Phoenix, Arizona where they spent the winter.

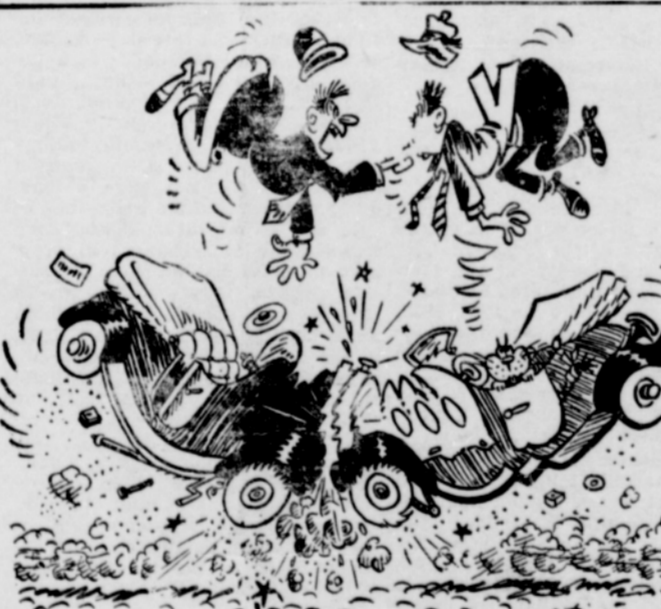
Visits on Coast—John Nelson drove down the Coast highway to North Bend Sunday. He made the trip by way of Drain and Scottsburg.

Gets Furlough—Verne Gerber is here from San Diego visiting with Mrs. Gerber and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gerber. He is on a 15-day leave from duty in the United States navy.

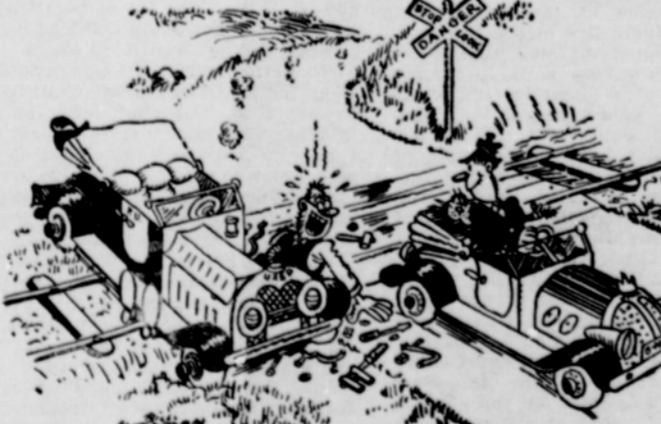
Return to Idaho—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Pyne, and Mrs. Fay Utterback of Hazelton, Idaho, will leave today for their homes after visiting for the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Pyne in Springfield. W. A. Pyne is the father and Mrs. Utterback a sister of Elmer Pyne.

Coast Weather Fine—Persons spending the week-end on the coast reported the weather ideal Sunday with very moderate temperature. Among those at the Newport beaches were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Louk and daughter, Mary Ann and Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lock of Iowa.

SOME AUTO SUGGESTIONS



Idiot—I had the right of way and you know it!



Whatcha staring at—can't a guy stop and fix his car?



Why don'tcha look where you're going!

Bill Holman, the widely-known cartoonist, has given some suggestions for the prevention of automobile accidents. His advice, appearing in a new booklet on the traffic problem published by the Travelers Insurance Company, is as follows:

Check the wheel—make sure that a loose nut isn't holding it.

Be sure the gas in the motor is sitting beside you.

Don't race trains to crossings. If it's a tie you lose.

For jaywalkers every year is leap year.

Be sure the only crank in the car is in the tool box.

A pedestrian is a man who missed the payments on his car.

If you must have a blowout have it at home.

A bird at the wheel is worth two in the ambulance.

Beware of green drivers on red lights.

In California—Mrs. Leota Rodenbough left Saturday for San Francisco.

Visitors at Bend—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Myers and daughter, Lois, visited friends in Bend Sunday.

Leaves for Seattle—Robert Richardson is leaving this week for Seattle.

Grove Man Here—Verne Smith of Cottage Grove was a visitor in Springfield Tuesday.

Visits Parents—Mrs. Lynn Chesire was here Monday visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Johns.

Brother Visits—Glen Privat of Seattle stopped here Monday to visit his brother, Edward Privat, while enroute to Medford.

Nebraska Folk Here—Mr. and Mrs. George Sweeney and son, Jerry of Ravenna, Nebraska, are here visiting with relatives.

Mother Visits Here—Mrs. E. W. Strong of Monmouth is here visiting at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Barnell.

California Folk Here—Mr. and Mrs. Shaw and daughter, Virginia Lee of Van Nuys, California, arrived here last week-end to visit at the H. W. Horrell home.

Fishing Good—Floyd Hilliker, H. Schaffenberg, Donald Toomb and Dodd Miller spent the week-end fishing near Bend. They reported good catches.

Visiting Parents—Mrs. Charles Wilson of Independence was here over the week-end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bates.

Cuts Finger in Car Door—Betty Simmons, niece of Mrs. Susie Hinson, who is spending the summer here, caught her finger in a car door Friday and cut it so badly that several stitches had to be taken at the office of a local physician.

Attend Convention—Mr. and Sam Richmond and daughter, Helene, accompanied Rev. and Mrs. I. G. Shaw to Roseburg this week for the annual convention of the Spanish-American War veterans and their auxiliary. Rev. Shaw was one of the official speakers Sunday. The convention closed yesterday.

Visitors Leave—Mr. and Mrs. E. Norman Page and son, Edwin, of Norman, Oklahoma, left Monday to continue their tour of the Western United States after visiting here with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Page, for several days. They had visited Mexico, the San Diego Exposition and other places before coming here. They were to visit the Yellowstone park and other places on their homeward journey. Mr. Page is affiliated with the University at Norman. His son is a student at the school.

Upper Willamette

The annual Trent Picnic was held at the picnic grounds at Trent last Saturday. A program was given in the morning and sports and a baseball game held in the afternoon.

Zona Peterson of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pete Roberts of Pleasant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller who live on the former Lattin ranch are in Seattle where Mr. Miller is in a sanitarium. Mr. and Mrs. Carrothers are taking care of their ranch.

The Pleasant Hill woman's club will meet with Mrs. C. E. Jordan Wednesday and do quilting.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hutson and family who have been living on the Heigel ranch have purchased the 50 acre tract of land adjoining the McKenzie ranch here, known as part of the old Mathews place. They plan to build soon.

CALL FOR WARRANTS

Notice is hereby given that School District No. 19 in Lane county, Oregon, will pay at the office of clerk of said district, all warrants to and including 4189, dated February 22, 1935. Interest ceases July 19, 1935.

SEVERT JACOBSON, Clerk.

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PLUMBERS UNDER BOARD OF HEALTH

Development Of Sanitation Traced During History Of Mankind In Country

When a plumber comes to your home after August 12, demand that he show you his certificate of competency says the Oregon State Board of Health. This is your assurance of safe, sanitary plumbing installations by competent mechanics, and value you have every right to expect for your money. The certificate of competency is for your protection.

In commenting on the new state law which placed the jurisdiction over plumbing regulations in the state of Oregon under the Health Board, the following statement is made:

Plumbing May Be Dangerous
Plumbing is essentially a health measure, but unless it is installed by skilled men with a thorough knowledge of the principles of sanitation, it may easily become a menace to the life and health of the people instead of a source of pleasure and comfort.

The past twenty-five years have witnessed a great change in the plumbing industry. Now the comparatively low cost of fixtures and installations have placed good plumbing within the reach of all. There is hardly a farm house that cannot boast of a modern bathroom, kitchen and laundry. Less than twenty years ago, a bath room mentioned in a for-rent advertisement in paper was considered a drawing card.

Sanitation Need Grows
Stressing the need for sanitation and plumbing in modern times the statement continues:

When our primitive forefathers roamed singly or in small groups over the land, they had no need to worry about sanitation. But as the need of companionship and mutual protection developed, they gathered into tribes, so family life began. Even then they could pick up their possessions when the camp site became unbearable and move to a new location. But as the tribes became larger this was no longer feasible. They conceived a desire for permanent homes and possessions. In time cities were built. Then water supplies and sewage disposal became a serious problem. With enormous labor, water systems and canals were constructed. Baths were dedicated to the Gods, and became the meeting places for the patricians.

Turning back the pages of history, we find efforts to improve sanitation closely follow on the heels of civilization. Human excrement and urine are the deadliest enemies known to mankind; when the natural laws of sanitation are not observed, scourges and pestilence follow. The Black Death of London and the amoebic dysentery epidemic of Chicago are sisters under the skin.

McKenzie Valley

Glenn Dunbar of Los Angeles is visiting his sister, Dorothy Dunbar, at Leaburg for a few weeks.

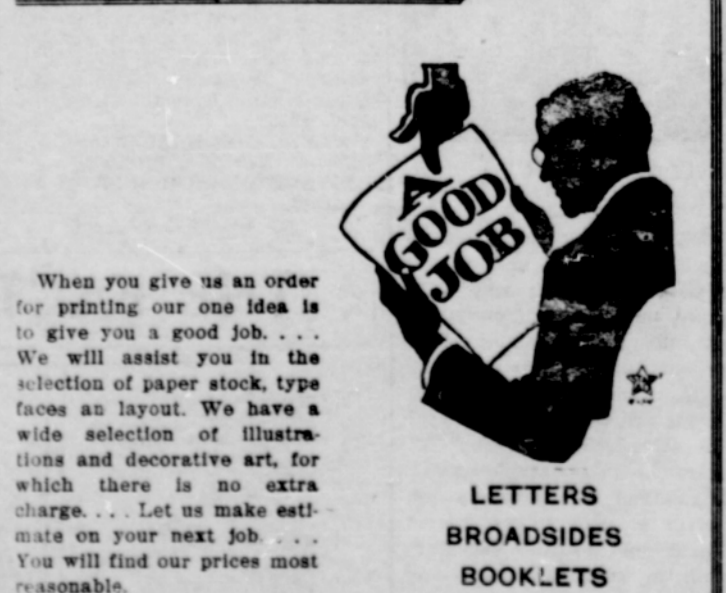
Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bittle were the families of Mr. and Mrs. George Mansfield, Long Beach, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Curtis, San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Guthrie have returned to McKenzie Bridge to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie (Elsie Miller) were married about ten days ago at Vancouver, Wn. A group of friends gathered and gave them a noisy welcome at their homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and Shirley of Leaburg, and Mr. Williams' brother, Don, California, enjoyed a trip through several of the Oregon and California national parks.

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