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### NEEDED—A GOOD COUNTY FAIR

Morrow county needs a good county fair, a modern county fair, a county fair that will be a source of pleasure, pride and profit to every resident of the county.

Perhaps no other county in Oregon has greater need for an A No. 1, strictly first water, really Simon-pure county fair than Morrow county because perhaps no other county has within her boundaries such potential possibilities for early growth and development.

With all due respect to the pioneer stockmen and wheat farmers of the county, it may be said that the stock and farming industries in Morrow county are yet in their infancy. True in the early days when the bunch-grass waved in the breezes and the flocks and herds rustled their living the year around, it was a great stock country, but after a few years the free range gave out and an occasional severe winter put a crimp in the stock business from which it required years to recover.

The same was true of the early farming operations. The wonderfully cheap but fertile soil, so easily cultivated, was a boon to the old-time homesteader, but 40 cent wheat and a lone haul to market encouraged lax farming methods and after a few years of "volunteer" crops the farmer found that he had a hard row to hoe and that about the only two things he was quite sure of were regular taxes and frequent crop failures.

But times have changed. Today the stockman prepares himself for winter by raising or buying plenty of feed and the farmer also guards against the wrath to come by deep plowing, thorough cultivation, and every other method yet known that will conserve the moisture in his soil, and insure his rather high priced land to bring forth abundant crops with each succeeding season.

Stock and farming industries are the basis of all wealth in this county and while we have learned much of better methods in the past few years there is yet much more that can be

learned which will insure still greater returns for the capital invested and the labor expended in these great industries.

A good county fair, an efficient, well managed county fair, a county fair that has for its object the up-building of the stock and farming industries in all their varied branches, is a sort of annual clearing house for modern ideas. It offers an inducement for every farmer, every breeder, every boy or girl member of a school pig or chicken club to make an honest effort to produce a pig or a chicken, a colt or a calf or a sample of wheat or stool of alfalfa a little better than his neighbor has produced and such friendly rivalry can not help but build up the particular line of industry in which he is interested.

Every added dollar of value to the annual production of the county's farms and ranges is of monetary value to every resident of the county whether he be farmer, stockman, merchant, lawyer or laborer. If the farmer and stockman has money in the bank and in his pocket we will all benefit in some direct or indirect way. These are a few of the reasons why Morrow county needs a good county fair.

But there are other advantages. A really good county fair that the people are interested in and take pleasure in attending has a social and an educational side that is worth while. Sports are made a feature at all really good county fairs in these later days and good, clean sport is about as important to most human beings as is any other interest.

According to present plans the new Morrow county fair will make racing a feature and will offer as good attractions in that line as are now offered at the Oregon state fair and other pretentious institutions. Then there will be strictly educational exhibits and features as well as fine music, brilliant oratory and many other things that go to make fair week a truly festival time.

The committee in charge of organization of the new fair has decided that a capital stock of \$25,000 is necessary to make the Morrow coun-

ty fair a really good fair and these gentlemen who are giving of their time and energy in the promotion of this really worth while institution are out this week carrying on a campaign for selling this stock. Of the amount it has been agreed between a number of representative business men of Heppner and representative farmers and business men of other parts of the county that one-half of the stock shall be taken in the Heppner district and the remainder in the balance of the county. The outside men say that their quota is as good as raised and it is now up to Heppner to make good her part and make it good quick. In a direct way many business institutions in Heppner will benefit more than any other people in the county. In an indirect way Heppner will benefit with the rest of the county.

This is a matter in which every resident of Heppner should take pride in helping with a substantial stock subscription. The burden should not be left, as it too often has been left, to a few liberal minded business men on Main street. Every property owner should take what stock he can afford because in so doing he is helping the county in which he is making or has made his money.

A burden evenly distributed is not a burden. Let all put a shoulder to the wheel and help make this the best county fair in Oregon.

Place orders for Easter lilies with Don Cass. Phone 524. 47-48

Max Rogers, well known Heppner boy, came in Saturday evening from Corvallis to spend the spring vacation with Heppner friends. Max is a student at O. A. C.

Mrs. Lena Snell Shurte, who was called to Arlington early last week by the sudden death of a relative, returned to her home Friday evening. After attending the funeral of her niece at Arlington, Mrs. Shurte went on to Portland where she attended the conference of county managers of the Salvation Army drive campaign. She says the meeting was well attended and a most inspiring gathering.

Sheriff George McDuffee has announced that he will be a candidate for the republican nomination for sheriff at the coming May primaries. Mr. McDuffee has been twice elected to the office and is now filling out an unexpired term caused by the resignation of E. M. Shutt several months ago. Mr. McDuffee has made an efficient sheriff during his former terms and stands well among the voters of his party.

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### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. Tash, of Goldendale, Washington, is here visiting his son, Fred, and other relatives and friends.

**FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING**—Remodelling and Ladies Tailoring. Mrs. Curren, Church street. 37tf

Baldwin & Brown, local carpenters are putting a new roof on Roy V. White's residence this week.

**WANTED**—Respectable woman as housekeeper and cook on small ranch. Call or address this office. 41tf  
Judge Phelps left for his home in Pendleton Thursday morning after holding a special term of circuit court here.

Mrs. Oscar Borg left Wednesday morning for San Francisco, where she will spend a couple of months visiting friends.

**FOR SALE**—White Plymouth Rock Cockerels. Phone 44F3 or address John Pieper, Lexington, Oregon. 45-47pd

Harold Cohn, manager of the McRoberts-Cohn Auto Co., reports the sale recently of 7-passenger Studebaker cars to Peter Farley and P. A. Anderson.

Frank Parker, who formerly lived here, but who moved to Walla Walla two or three years ago, has returned to Heppner expecting to locate here permanently.

**WANTED**—Work during the afternoon at 50 cents an hour. Address Mrs. Lizzie Nelson, Heppner. Phone 735. 46-47

A fine daughter was born to the wife of Ralph Cecil, of Spray, at Mrs. Aiken's maternity home in east Heppner last Thursday evening, March 18. Mother and child are reported doing well.

W. P. Mahoney, S. W. Spencer, Walter Moore and W. O. Hill drove over to Condon Friday to attend a conference of bankers of Morrow and Gilliam counties in session in the Wheat City.

Judge R. R. Butler, who was here attending court last week and who was the principal speaker at the St. Patrick's day dinner Wednesday evening returned to his home at The Dalles Thursday morning.

**FOR SALE**—Fifteen head of good registered Jacks. Will take mule colts from these Jacks at \$100 each in part or full payment for these Jacks. B. F. SWAGGART, Lexington, Oregon. 41tf

Mr. Moore, who recently bought the Floyd Thomas dwelling on Centre street from Roy V. White, is improving the property with an addition to the rear of the building as well as a new porch on the front.

George W. Milholland, local manager of Standard Oil, returned from Portland Wednesday evening after an absence of five weeks. Mr. Milholland was under treatment while in Portland for a form of eye trouble and returns somewhat improved.

**EGGS FOR HATCHING**—From Standard Bred Single Comb Red Rhode Island Red, Bred to Lay, Bred to Win and Bred to Pay. \$2.00 per 15, postage paid. 10 per cent off for incubator settings of 100 or more. Write, or phone 44F1-2. A. W. Gammell, Lexington, Ore. 41tf

Lee Castwell met with serious injuries Wednesday morning while at work on the roof of a building on the Peter Farley ranch. He slipped on the frosty boards and in falling struck on the hammer in his belt in such a way that two ribs were broken. He will be laid up for some time.



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