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PIG CLUB ORGANIZER VISITS HEPPNER

L. J. Allen, assistant state leader in industrial club work of the extension department of the Oregon Agricultural College, spent Monday in this city placing his work before the students of the Heppner schools. His work at the present time consists chiefly in organizing boys and girls pig clubs in Oregon, in conjunction with the Corn Clubs. It is the object of the department to have the Pig Clubs co-operate in their work with the Bureau of Animal Husbandry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, the state superintendent of public instruction, the county school superintendents, teachers and parents.

The Corn Club members are raising profitable yields of corn where it was thought impossible to grow it a few years ago, and it is hoped the importance of feeding crops to live stock on the farm may be emphasized in this Pig Club work.

It would be well if all members of Corn Clubs would enroll in the Pork Production work and thus lend a hand in the endeavor to improve the quality of swine in Oregon, and at the same time learn how to make more rapid and economical gains in hog feeding.

There will be two distinct divisions of the Pig Club project. Division I, the care and management of a brood sow and litter of pigs. Division II, the feeding and care of one or more pigs from weaning time for a period of at least four months.

OBJECTS OF THE WORK—The object of forming Pig Clubs among the boys and girls may be briefly stated as follows:

1. To stimulate an interest in swine production and to teach the boys and girls how to raise better and cheaper hogs by the use of improved blood and the growing of forage crops.
2. To increase the number of hogs raised on the farm in order that the meat for the home and that required to feed the extra farm labor may be produced instead of being bought.
3. To complement the work of the boys' and girls' Corn Clubs by showing them how they can profitably sell their corn through hogs.
4. To encourage the home curing of meats on the farm.
5. To teach the boys how to judge hogs and to select them for breeding or market purposes.
6. To encourage the growing of forage crops and discourage the use of high-priced feeds.
7. To instruct the boys and girls in a practical way in the management, feeding, sanitation, and prevention of diseases of swine, all of which information proves valuable with respect to other forms of livestock work.
8. To give the boys and girls a means of earning some money for themselves while at home.

A HEPPNER INTERVIEW

Mrs. Nibler Tells Her Experience. The following brief account of an interview with a Heppner woman over five years ago, and its sequel, will be read with keen interest by every citizen.

Mrs. M. E. Nibler, 2106 Third St., LaGrande, Ore., says: "My back ached and I had severe pains through my right side. I was all crippled up and I found it hard to do my household work. One of my relatives had used Doan's Kidney Pills and advised me to try them. Two boxes drove away the aches and pains and I have had no kidney trouble since." (Statement given May 20, 1910).

LASTING RESULTS. OVER A YEAR LATER, Mrs. Nibler said: "I have had no kidney trouble since Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of it."

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themselves while at home.

9. To instill in the boys and girls while young a love of animals which will result in their taking more interest in farm life, and to furnish them at the same time some work which will, in a practical way, give an insight into the business side of farm life and incite in them a desire to struggle for and attain success.

RULES AND REGULATIONS—

1. Any boy or girl between the ages of 9 and 18 years may become a member.
2. Each must secure at least one pig if he becomes a member of the club.
3. Each member must care for his stock in person, and keep a record of the feed given and the pasture grazed, also grow as much of the feed as possible. He must record the weight of each pig when it came into his possession and at stated intervals so as to determine the gains. The date of farrowing should also be recorded.
4. Record blanks, which will be furnished, should be filled out and certified by two disinterested persons.
5. Each member must have owned and kept a record of his pig for at least four months in order to compete for a prize.
6. The members of the club must agree to study the instructions and read the letters, circulars and bulletins sent to them.
7. Each member must, whenever possible, show their pigs at the local and county exhibit, and the winners of the county exhibit must show their pigs at the State Fair.
8. Boys and girls who wish to enter the Pig Club work but are unable to obtain brood sows or pigs will be assisted in securing suitable stock from reliable breeders in their county.

OREGON CHURCHES ARE INTERESTED

The Laymen's Missionary Convention of Oregon, to meet in Portland, February 13-16, and which is part of a nation-wide movement to arouse the energies of laymen of all evangelical churches in upwards of 80 of the leading centers of the country, will prove of importance to all the world.

As the result of Conventions held in other cities, there is much information. At St. Louis, actual gifts to the work totalled upwards of \$6000. Christ Episcopal church enrolled the largest number of delegates—113—at Cincinnati, and the Walnut Hills Baptist church enrolled its entire male membership—77.

A member of the Convention committee at Toledo requested that he be put in touch with his national denominational leaders, so that he and his wife might guarantee the support of at least five missionaries.

The ambition of Los Angeles is to secure 5000 delegates. From Minneapolis comes the information that the Lutherans are making preparations for the Convention there to a greater extent than in any other city.

Outside of Manchester, New Hampshire, 90 towns were represented at the Convention there by 426 delegates—more than one-third the total registration.

Jno. A. Goodell, Executive Secretary, 306 Y. M. C. A. Building, Portland, will be pleased to supply full particulars to all who apply that desire to attend the Oregon convention.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

There came to my place south of Heppner about 4 months ago one scrub sow, crop off left ear, swallow fork on right. Owner can have same by paying for this notice and feed bill.

Notice is further given that if above described animal is not claimed at or before the expiration of this notice, said animal will be sold according to the law pertaining to animals running at large in Morrow county.

GEO. W. SPERRY.

TO THE PUBLIC:

I beg to announce that the abstract business heretofore carried on by W. L. Smith, deceased, will be continued by his estate.

Mr. Marlon A. Loehr, who has had thirty years' experience in abstracting has taken charge of the books. Mr. Loehr has been with the Hartman Thompson Bankers of Portland for the past year and comes highly recommended, and all work turned out under his direction will be found correct and reliable.

ARTHUR SMITH, Administrator. 1mo.

Political Column.

PAID ADVERTISING.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I wish to announce to the Democratic voters of Morrow county that I will seek the nomination for the office of County Treasurer at the coming primary election to be held in May, 1916.

HANSON HUGHES.

FOR SALE—3000 Posts (in town) 10c each. PHELPS GROCERY CO.

We have taken up on our farm 3 miles below Heppner 16 head of hogs, for the most part sows and pigs. Owner may have this stock by paying all damages.

WIGHTMAN BROS.

Paying His Way.

In a rural court the old squire had made a ruling so unfair that three young lawyers at once protested against such a miscarriage of justice. The squire immediately fined each of the lawyers \$5 for contempt of court.

There was silence, and then an older lawyer walked slowly to the front of the room and deposited a \$10 bill with the clerk. He then addressed the judge as follows:

"Your Honor, I wish to state that I have twice as much contempt for this court as any man in the room."

—Youths' Companion.

Train Delayed by Cold Weather.

The local train was delayed in leaving Heppner Monday morning as a result of the engine freezing up the night before and could not be readily thawed out that morning. Sunday night registered the coldest of the season, the thermometer registering 12 below zero.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUMMONS IN FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIEN.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR MORROW COUNTY.

Nettie E. Davis, Plaintiff, vs. Thos. J. Teeters, and also all persons, firms or corporations, known or unknown, having or claiming to have, any right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to the real estate hereinafter described, or any part thereof.

To Thos. J. Teeters, the above named defendant.

In the Name of the State of Oregon: you are hereby notified that Nettie E. Davis is the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 347 issued on the 27th day of October, 1915, by the Tax Collector of the County of Morrow, State of Oregon, for the amount of Eighty four cents (\$.84), the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1911, together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of record, situated in said County and State, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Two (2), Castle Rock, Morrow County, Oregon.

You are further notified that said Nettie E. Davis has paid taxes on said premises for prior or subsequent years, with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:

Year's Tax	Date Paid	Tax Receipt No.	Amount	Rate of Interest
1912	Mar. 15, 1913	983	.15	.15
1913	Feb. 24, 1914	172	.21	.15
1914	Nov. 18, 1915	3231	.26	.15

Said Thos. J. Teeters, as the owner of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the other persons above named are hereby further notified that Nettie E. Davis will apply to the Circuit Court of the County and State aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property above described, and mentioned in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown, together with costs and accrued interest, and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named.

This summons is published by order of the Honorable C. C. Patterson, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Morrow and said order was made and dated this 27th day of November, 1915, and the date of first publication of this summons is the 2nd day of December, 1915.

All process and papers in this proceeding may be served upon the undersigned residing within the State of Oregon, at the address hereafter mentioned.

WELLS & NYS, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Address, Heppner, Oregon.

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ands In the Name of the State of Oregon: you are hereby notified that Nettie E. Davis is the holder of Certificate of Delinquency numbered 346 issued on the 27th day of October, 1915, by the Tax Collector of the County of Morrow, State of Oregon, for the amount of Fifty eight cents (\$.58), the same being the amount then due and delinquent for taxes for the year 1911 together with penalty, interest and costs thereon upon the real property assessed to you, of which you are the owner as appears of record, situated in said County and State, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Three (3) and Four (4) in Block Two (2), Castle Rock, Morrow County, Oregon.

You are further notified that said Nettie E. Davis has paid taxes on said premises for prior or subsequent years, with the rate of interest on said amounts as follows:

Year's Tax	Date Paid	Tax Receipt No.	Amount	Rate of Interest
1912	Mar. 15, 1913	982	.08	.15
1913	Feb. 24, 1914	178	.11	.15
1914	Nov. 18, 1915	3232	.14	.15

Said Chas. H. Rogers, as the owner of the legal title of the above described property as the same appears of record, and each of the other persons above named are hereby further notified that Nettie E. Davis will apply to the Circuit Court of the County and State aforesaid for a decree foreclosing the lien against the property in said certificate. And you are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day of said first publication, and defend this action or pay the amount due as above shown, together with costs and accrued interest, and in case of your failure to do so, a decree will be rendered foreclosing the lien of said taxes and costs against the land and premises above named.

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WELLS & NYS, Attorney for Plaintiff, Address, Heppner, Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, Dec. 28th, 1915. NOTICE is hereby given that Phil Higgins, of Lena, Oregon, who, on August 28th, 1911, made Homestead Entry, No. 09653, for SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 29, N 1/2 NW 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 32, T. 1 S., R. 29 E., and on April 24, 1913, made Ad. H. E. 011952, for the SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 28, SE 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 29, NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 32, Township 1 South, Range 29 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Patterson, United States Commissioner, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on the 19th day of February, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur P. Hughes, Phil Hirl, and John Keegan, all of Lena, Oregon; James Kinny, of Heppner, Oregon. F. C. BRAMWELL, Register. J 6-F 10.

NOTICE OF COUNTY MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a mass meeting of the Morrow County Farmers' Union will be held at the court house in Heppner, Oregon, on the fourth Saturday of January, that being the 22nd day of January, 1916, for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

E. R. HUSTON, President. R. W. TURNER, Secretary.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Heppner Mining Co. will be held at the office of Sam E. Van Vactor in Heppner, Oregon, on the second Tuesday in February, 1916, being the 8th day of February, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m. This meeting is for the purpose of electing officers and for the transaction of any other business that may appear.

DAN B. STALTER, President. EDGAR B. AYERS, Secretary.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MORROW COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mrs. E. M. Woolery, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the above entitled Court, his final report and account of his administration of the said estate, and that Friday, the 21st day of January, A. D., 1916, at the hour of 5 o'clock P. M. has been appointed as the time and the County Court Room in the County Court House in Heppner in said County and State, as the place for the hearing of the said report and account, the objections thereto, if any, and the settlement of the same and the granting and entering of a decree of final settlement.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, this 23rd day of December, A. D., 1915. GEO. O. WARFIELD, Administrator. Bright, Bryant & Ellis, Attorneys for Administrator. D. 23-J. 20.

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