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STATE MARKET COUNCIL FOR FARMERS ORGANIZED

Plans Made to Assist New Organizations
for Selling Produce.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, June 20.—Preliminary organization of what will be known as the Oregon Cooperative council, was effected at the close of the conference on cooperative marketing in connection with Farmers' week. The organization was to be completed in room 402 Corbett building, Portland, Monday afternoon. It is predicted that the organization will do much toward furthering Oregon marketing enterprises. The temporary chairman is Dr. Hector MacPherson, director of the bureau of organization and markets at the college, and the temporary secretary, U. L. Upson, manager of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry producers.

The council expects to coordinate the cooperative work in Oregon and map out a general program which can be carried out by all enterprises interested in cooperation. It will assist new associations in making the right kind of a start. Many of them in the past have been formed in a hurry without sufficient funds and with incompetent management.

Aside from these men the council will consist of the following: George A. Mahfield, president of the State Farm Bureau; C. E. Spence, manager of the Oregon State Grange; A. Shumway, president of the Farmers' union; Robert Paulsen, manager of the Oregon Growers Cooperative association; J. D. Mickler, representative of the Oregon Dairyman's league; H. A. Ward, manager of the Oregon Wool and Mohair Growers Cooperative association; V. H. Smith, manager of the Oregon Grain Growers association; the manager of the Oregon Meat Growers' association; a representative of the Oregon Hay Growers' association; Paul V. Maris, extension director of the college; E. F. Valle, chairman of the agricultural committee of the Portland chamber of commerce; a representative of the State Bankers' association; and a representative of any other cooperative association now in existence or any that may subsequently be organized.

SWIFT-COPENHAGEN.

The marriage of Miss Ethel Copenhagen to Mr. H. L. Copenhagen, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Copenhagen, in this city on last Sunday, Rev. E. L. Moore, pastor of the Federated church, performing the ceremony in the presence of the relatives and a few invited friends of the contracting parties.

The bride, who is a graduate of the Heppner high school as well as of Montana state normal, has been teaching in the Hardman school during the past year, and is engaged to teach there again the coming year.

The groom is a well known young man of Hardman, son of Mrs. J. L. Swift of that place, and the young people will be at home to their many friends at Hardman after August 1st.

The young couple were the recipients of a number of beautiful wedding gifts, among them being a set of blue bird dishes, set of Community knives and forks and spoons and a silver tea set. A wedding breakfast was served following which the young people left on the train for a two weeks honeymoon.

Carl Yount, lone wheatbuyer, was in Heppner on Friday. Mr. Yount buys for one of the leading exporting firms and while here he stated that the price would be \$1.10 for wheat, July delivery. The same price was being offered by local buyers at the time, and while the market is not steady, there seems to be a general feeling that the price will be \$1.10 or better for the coming crop.

Parkers Mill People Will Celebrate July 2, 3 and 4

This office printed posters this week announcing a three-day celebration at Parkers Mill, beginning July 2. The program will include baseball games every day between Heppner and Monmouth teams, horse racing, bucking contests, barrel racing, foot racing and many other outdoor sports. There will also be an 8-round boxing match between Jake Dexter and Clarence Bauman of Heppner and two orchestras will furnish plenty of music for the dancing and other festivities. Parkers Mill is a fine place for a few days out-of-door and no doubt a very great number will take advantage of the good time that is being prepared for them during the three days of celebration.

We'll Rock Dutton Every Time.

From Wednesday's Greenbacker we learn that Judge Dutton is still on the job at the Imperial lobby, and as usual is boasting for Heppner. This time he is called upon to praise the beauty of the Heppner girls when someone is singing the praises of Clara Kimball Young, the movie star, and though we have never seen Clara in the flesh, we are willing to back the Judge's judgment on this point every time. Hear what he says:

Heppner girls should sit up and take notice. W. P. Dutton, who thinks Heppner the greatest town in the world, but who lives most of the time in the lobby of the Imperial, is probably the most loyal citizen of Morrow county metropolis. No matter what other towns may have, Mr. Dutton is always ready to assert that Heppner has something just as good. Clara Kimball Young, the motion picture queen, is at the Imperial and she passed through the lobby where Mr. Dutton could get a good "close-up" view. "Clara," observed someone, "is certainly a good looking girl." Mr. Dutton was there with the come-back instantly. "Oh Heppner," said he, "there's lots of girls just as good looking as she is—and better looking." No. Dutton is not letting political office in Heppner.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Sunday, June 26, 1921.

We feed our bodies 21 times a week, but we are hungry or thirst. Then we do not throw our souls a home once a week at least, even if it doesn't seem hungry. The poor thing may be too weak from starvation to make its wants known. The church service is the place to find food for the soul. The usual services will be held Sunday. Bible school at ten o'clock. Communion and report of the Baker convention immediately following. Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock and preaching service at 8. You are invited.

LIVINGSTONE, Minister.

George Strand and wife, Ben Burroughs and wife and Miss Pitman were Portland visitors in Heppner Sunday and registered at Hotel Patrick. Messrs. Strand and Burroughs are business men of Pendleton and Miss Pitman is a reporter on the staff of the East Oregonian. They motored on to Ione in the afternoon and took in the ball game between Condon and Ione.

Spencer Akers and wife took a trip over to the new Venaila county mining district in the vicinity of Echo the past week, and they each filed a location. Samples of rock brought home by Mr. Akers show strong in both silver and gold.

Mrs. F. A. McMenamin returned Thursday evening from a two weeks visit in Spokane, Tacoma and Portland. She attended the graduation of her brother from the University of Spokane.

County Agent Hunt returned yesterday from Corvallis where he has been attending Farmers' week and participating in the numerous conferences held at Corvallis during that time.



FRANK CLIFFORD EVANS

Frank C. Evans was born October 5, 1886 in Morgan county, Ohio, near the little town of Stockport. He died at his home about six miles north of Heppner at an early hour on Friday, June 17, 1921, after an illness of forty-eight hours. The apparent cause of death being heart trouble.

He came to Oregon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Evans, in 1892, the family remaining that winter at and purchased the present home on northeast of Lexington. Later they disposed of their holdings on the hills and purchased the present home on Willow creek about six miles north of Heppner, where Frank later took a homestead and has always resided, being associated with his father and brothers in running the two places.

On October 1, 1913, he was married to Miss Rose Hammond, of Cuba, New York, and together they have made a nice, comfortable home on the homestead near the residence of Mr. Evans' parents.

Mr. Evans was taken suddenly ill on last Wednesday night, and it was not determined just what his trouble was. He had the very best of attention by physician, relatives and friends and it was not so serious. He died very suddenly at about 1:30 Friday morning, his demise being unexpected and coming as a great shock to his family and friends.

Funeral services were held at the home of his parents at 10 o'clock on Monday, Rev. E. L. Moore, pastor of the Federated church of Heppner delivering a short sermon that was full of words of comfort to the bereaved ones.

A quartette consisting of Mrs. Frank Evans, Mrs. W. O. Backus, Walter Crawford and M. D. Clark, assisted by Mrs. Roy Miesdine at the piano, sang appropriate hymns, Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Bayless also singing a beautiful duet. Many neighbors and friends that had known the deceased for the greater part of his life were present to manifest the esteem in which the young man was held, and there were many beautiful floral offerings.

The remains were laid to rest in the Masonic cemetery at Heppner immediately following the services at the home.

Frank C. Evans grew up in our midst, was an industrious, honest and upright citizen, well respected by all who knew him. He has always been associated in the farming business with his father, along with the other brothers, and his sudden departure has caused great sadness to come over them in this breaking of the family circle.

Relatives from a distance present for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Evans and son John of Walla Walla, Fred M. Evans and wife and Mrs. Mattie Sheets, aunt of Marion Evans, of Prosser, and Mrs. Olen Yocum of Portland.

Besides the widow, Mrs. Rose Evans, he is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Evans and three brothers, George, Walter and Earl Evans.

Dr. Chick reports that Henry Smith of this city, whom he operated on early Tuesday for appendicitis, is doing fine and will be out of the hospital in due course of time. The young son of I. R. Chabaud was also operated on for the removal of tonsils and a couple of children of F. R. Brown had tonsils and adenoids removed. These the doctor states are all doing well.

Mrs. T. J. Humphreys and daughters, Miss Letta and Evelyn, and Mrs. E. R. Huston and daughter, Elizabeth, left by auto Wednesday morning for the Willamette valley, expecting to be gone for a few weeks. The former will visit relatives at Hillsboro and other points thereabouts and Mrs. Huston and daughter will go on to Albany.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Marion Evans, has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County, administrator of the estate of Frank C. Evans, deceased, and has duly qualified as such administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby required to present the same, with the proper vouchers as required by law, to the said administrator at his home South of Lexington, Oregon, or at the law office of Joe J. Nye, at Heppner, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated and first published this 22nd day of June, 1921.

MARION EVANS, Administrator.

LARGE PERCENT U. OF O. GRADUATES EARN WAY

University of Oregon, Eugene, June 17, 1921.—Of the 230 students who are graduating this year from the University of Oregon, eighty per cent have earned more than a third of their own way during four years of study, according to statements made by members of the class this week. Twenty per cent have been entirely self-supporting.

Many and interesting are the jobs which have yielded an income to these young men and women while they studied. The list reads like a catalogue of the world's work: logging camps, ship yards, fishing grounds, saw mills, highway construction, harvest fields, farms, warehouses, and the forest service—all have been the sources of pay checks carefully saved during the summer to pay school expenses in the winter. Dishwashing, moving, lawns, putting in wood cooking, waiting on tables, sweeping floors, have been homely tasks willingly and even eagerly performed by the young men and women wearing caps and gowns on the campus this week.

A graduate from Klamath Falls tells how he got up at four o'clock in the morning to do janitor work. A girl from Washington worked for salmon in the Columbia. Another girl has been a cook for harvest hands. Two young men were sailors on a ship. Another was foreman of a 5000-acre farm. A girl carried the mail and earned 25 per cent of her own way. Still another girl worked at a soda fountain.

These 230 young men and women upon graduation are almost as varied as the tasks by which they earned their way. A large number will be high school teachers. Several will teach in colleges. Some will practice law. Others will take up medicine. Many will continue their studies for higher degrees. A few have been ordained as ministers and will preach. Banks, life insurance, foreign trade, the diplomatic service, architecture, farms, engineering, music, newspapers, publishing houses, literature, aerial forest patrol, nursing, library work, laboratories, shipping offices, art stores, and many of those who are graduating from the University of Oregon on June 20.

School Grounds Are Fenced.

Directors Hill and Kirk were down from Dist. 24 on Tuesday to interview Superintendent regarding some work they have been doing. They report that they have now placed the school grounds of the district under good fence, the building has been painted on the outside and should have been painted on the inside as well as they had contracted for this additional work to be done but the man on the job has vanished. The barn is repaired also, and a complete water system put in the building which conveys good spring water from a near-by spring. The district is now ready to hire a good teacher and guarantees that she will be very comfortably situated to carry on her work.

Dr. and Mrs. N. E. Winward, Norton and Charlotte, Mrs. Leach, sister of Dr. Winward, of Eugene, and Dr. A. K. Higgs of Portland constitute a company of tourists traveling by auto and out for their summer vacation, which arrived at Heppner last evening. They will remain over here for a day and then continue on their way to Yellowstone National Park. They expect to be out for about a month.

Scott Bryant, a young man who has been at work for the county on the River creek market road, was brought to town on Friday in a very critical condition. On Saturday he was operated on by Dr. McMurdy for ruptured appendix and obstruction of the bowels, and for a time it was feared he would not recover. At present, however, he is doing well with every prospect of full recovery.

W. R. Irwin and family and Mrs. Stephen Irwin departed this morning for the beach at Rockaway where they have summer cottages and will remain until the first of September. Mr. Irwin expects to return to Heppner after an absence of a week or so.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kenny of Monmouth were visiting with relatives at Heppner several days during the past week.

GOOD PAYING BUSINESS FOR SALE.—Best reasons for selling. For particulars, address Box 28, city.

Bert Bowker is up from Portland and enjoying a visit with his many old time friends in Heppner town.

State Farm Bureau Holds Meeting at Corvallis

Oscar Keithley of Eight Mile, president of the Morrow County Farm Bureau and a member of the executive committee of the State Farm Bureau, spent Wednesday and Thursday at Corvallis attending the marketing conference and State Farm Bureau meeting. In addition to the routine business of the organization, the executive committee had to pass upon the possibility of a State Farm Bureau exchange. The carrying on of the membership campaign will be during the autumn months.

They also assisted materially in the establishment of the Oregon Co-operative council.

These are conservative men who are going about the handling of business of the State Farm Bureau in a conservative way and at the present time feel more interested in seeing the co-operative organizations already launched upon a high road to business success than in the promotion of new organizations at this time.

CARD OF THANKS.

We want to thank our many friends and neighbors who so kindly helped us in our sorrow, and especially the train crew on the branch for their accommodations.

Mrs. Frank C. Evans
Mr. and Mrs. Marion Evans
and family.

Annual School Election.

The annual election for School District No. 1, was held on Monday afternoon, with a light vote out. C. E. Woodson was elected director for three years to succeed himself and Vawter Crawford was re-elected clerk for one year. The report of the clerk was read and accepted, and following the election the meeting adjourned.

George J. Currin and his son, Hugh Currin of Pilot Rock, were in Heppner for a short time on Monday, driving over from the Currin ranch to look after a little business in this city. George has been visiting at the home of his son for the past two weeks and was on his way home at Gresham. The crop conditions about Pilot Rock were the very best so reports Mr. Hugh Currin.

J. W. Osborn, H. J. Streeter and Cecil Abell were all at Arlington visitors on Friday.

Mrs. J. E. Crabtree and children of Dethlefs Hill were visiting in Cecil on Tuesday.

Miss Georgia Summers of The Last Camp spent Tuesday visiting with Miss Doris Logan at Fairview.

J. J. McIntire's new residence is now finished and the family are busy moving into their new home.

Jack Hynd of Buttefly Flats shipped a carload of fine fat mutton for the Portland market on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zepheth Logan from their ranch, Mountain View, were calling on their Cecil friends on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hardesty and family of Morgan were visiting at the home of Henry J. Streeter at Cecil on Sunday.

Deil Ward of Heppner who has been visiting at the home of Karl Farnsworth made a short stay in Cecil on Friday.

A number of young people from Cecil took in the big dance at Morgan on Saturday, all reporting having had a good time.

Herbert Sommerfeldt who has been spending his vacation around the Cecil hay fields returned to his home in Portland on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Krebs of The Last Camp left on Friday for a couple of weeks vacation which will be spent in the mountains.

A band of sheep belonging to Mrs. P. Parley of The Willows passed through Cecil on Saturday on their way to summer range.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkes who have been assisting Ed Melton at The Lookout during the hay making returned to Heppner on Wednesday.

Dr. Chick was calling from Heppner on Thursday to attend Mr. Jenks who was taken suddenly ill at the home of Karl Farnsworth at Ione.

Robert Lowe student of Benson Polytechnic school, Portland, arrived at his home in Cecil on Wednesday where he will spend his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Yocum and Mr. and Mrs. Frank from Morgan made a short call in Cecil on Sunday on their return journey from Unadilla and Irigon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hendrickson and daughter, Miss Mildred, of Strawberry ranch, were callers on Mrs. Jack Hynd at Buttefly Flats on Wednesday.

Messrs. Morgan, Palmatier, and Yocum from Morgan were business men in Cecil on Tuesday in connection with an arbitration case in the vicinity.

Oregon Haggan Packing company is going ahead with their work on the highway and expect to move the rock crusher, etc., to Morgan in a short time.

Haymaking is almost through in the Cecil vicinity. The hay is very light on most of the ranches. Haymakers were stopped on Saturday by heavy rain.

Messrs. Herb Hynd, John Krebs, and Russell Shaw, also Messrs. A. C. and V. M. Hynd were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hendrickson at Strawberry ranch on Sunday.

Highway Commissioner W. B. Barratt of Heppner and daughter, Miss Helen from O. A. C. Corvallis, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hynd at Buttefly Flats on Wednesday.

Condon is preparing a big celebration which is being given under the auspices of the American Legion post of that city. Mr. Frank McMenamin of this city has been chosen as the orator of the day and will deliver the chief address on the patriotic program.

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WM. HAYLOR PATENTS STEERING MECHANISM

Local Man Perfects Invention of Steering Device and Receives Patent.

Wm. Haylor of this city is the inventor of a front wheel steering mechanism for motor vehicles, and his application, which has been pending before the U. S. patent office for the past couple of years has been allowed, according to instruction received by Mr. Haylor from Thomas E. Robertson, commissioner of patents at Washington, D. C. Mr. Haylor is accordingly much pleased over his success thus far, and he no doubt has an invention that will prove of much value and be a money maker for the inventor.

This invention relates to steering mechanism for front wheels of motor vehicles and the primary object of the invention is to provide means whereby the pivot point of each front wheel is directly in alignment with the vertical axis of the wheel, whereby a perfect pivot action of the wheels will be had when turning and eliminates the present method of having the steering or pivot joints inside of the front wheels, which permits undue wear of the tires in turning and strains on the steering gear.

The invention also provides an improved hub for steering wheels, and an especial improvement in the construction of the stop axle for spindle so as to provide a guard for the same and an additional support for the wheel in case the spindle is broken.

Other improvements are also found in the specifications, and Mr. Haylor feels that he has perfected an invention that will prove to be a great step forward in the improvement of steering apparatus for motor vehicles. He expects it to be adopted by leading manufacturers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith, of the Hodson ranch came to Heppner yesterday afternoon, and this morning Mr. Smith was taken to the Moore hospital where he was operated on for appendicitis by Dr. Chick. Mr. Smith was taken suddenly ill with the ailment and it was decided that an operation was necessary to bring prompt relief.

James M. Hart, accompanied by his son, came from Portland yesterday. Mr. Hart, who was recently the manager of Hotel Patrick here, has not yet decided just where he will locate, though he is considering taking a position with a leading hotel in Walla Walla.

FOR SALE—One 15 x 36 J. I. Case separator; used 4 years. One Case tractor, 20-40; used 2 years. Machine in number one shape. Will sell on a year's time on good note. Price \$1499. ARTHUR W. DYKSTRA, Halsey, Ore. 31.

O. T. Ferguson, who farms the McCarty place out beyond Sand Hollow, left some samples of his forty-fold and Turkey Red wheat at this office the first of the week. He is expecting to begin harvest very shortly and his wheat will yield heavily.

Mrs. Frank Ingleman of Ione, who has been quite ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Livingstone in this city for the past two weeks and under the care of a physician, is reported to be improving and will soon be able to return home.

I have for sale, or will trade in on light used car, one Vaughn Portable drag saw outfit, nearly new. THEODORE BECK, Eight Mile, Ore. Phone 2321.

W. P. Mahoney, cashier of the First National Bank, arrived home from Portland last evening. He has been absent in the city for several days on business.

FOR SALE—20 head of mules, good size, broke to work; one good tractor engine. Terms to right parties.

Al Henriksen, alfalfa raiser and stock man of Cecil, was doing business in Heppner Tuesday.

MEET "UNCLE JOHN", FOLKS



Dr. J. J. Gaines
(Uncle John)

Of the few men in America today who are writing human interest, homey poetry, Dr. John J. Gaines is excelled by none. The quantity, musical, full of the human tone, disdainful of the "highbrow," they strike the responsive chord that is so charming to the ears of the great mass of American people today.

This is the man and this is the poetry that has been engaged to interest and entertain our readers through the Autocaster service, in which this newspaper holds an exclusive franchise. We will, therefore, publish a poem, or prose poem, by Dr. Gaines regularly during the next year. Watch for it.

Dr. Gaines ("Uncle John") resides and thrives at Excelsior Springs, Mo., which he describes as "bein' as high to the center of the earth as you can drive a stake."

Unlike other well-known newspaper poets, Dr. Gaines is country made, country bred, and continues in the country town life. Our readers will soon realize that he is one of them—a plain American citizen.

See Page 4 for "Uncle John's" First Poem.

Official WAR FILMS

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Children 15c; Adults 50c

Evening Prices: Children 35c; Adults 50c.

DANCE AT FAIR PAVILION AFTER SHOW