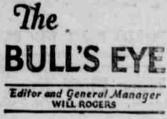
LEXINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Finnegan who are enroute from Seattle to their home in Escanaba, Michigan, spent a few days recently with wr. and Mr. S. S. Strodtman. Mrs. Finnegen ss Mrs. Strodt nan's sister.







Improving on History

I just finished hearing a Politician, one of the Washington Boys, talk on Abraham Lincoln. The only thing I could picture in common between him and Lincoln was that they had both been in Washington. When a Politician aint talking about himself he is talking about Lincoln. Lincoln has had more Public men speak of his good qualities, and fewer copy any of them, than any man America ever produced. His famous address was only about two hundred words long. No Politician has ever been able to even copy his briefness. In fact that is the last one of his qualities that they would try to copy. Lincoln said more in those 200 words than has been said in the entire City of Washington in the last 10 years, and here is a quality that no historian or speaker lias ever brought out before. At the completion of the Gettysburg speech, he wisely refused one of Grant's Cigars, and borrowed a tack of "Bull" Durham from an Ex Southern private, rolled his own, got on his Mule and went back to Washington.

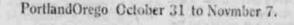


ABERDEEN.ANCUS STEER "QUEENMERE MTH" Grand Champic m Pacific International Live Rock Exposition, 1924. Gred, fed and exhibited by Concurse and Battles, Yakima, Wash

At the Pacific international Lives from the packer to the retailer. Farthstock Exposition to be held in Port- er down in the refrigerator, will be land this year. October 31st to Noverre shown the regular wholesale cats of ber 7th, it is proposed to give a densory meal country well in the trade. These stration which will carry out the fact too, will carry their proper pricing as regards the various grades. Assisting in this work will be the Finally, in a counter will be seen

Department of Agriculture, colleges of all the retail cats from these various Oregon and the Pacific slope, packing packing-house lots; they in turn showhouse people, stoch and officials and ing exactly what a choice cut from the commission men, and retatlers as well, choicest animal should sell for, bear. Chehnis, Wash, arrived Friday, Six to eight live animals, nicely better ing in mind all the time that the over the article it on Seth Reisers. Conded down and property cared for, will head in the retail store is just as be graded from prime to common, and much, pound for pound, on a common over the head of each will be potted animal as it is on a choice one. the price on fort at which its kine is selling in the stock yards that week. Stration will not be to prove that the Directly back of them, in a refrigera- rotations are getting too little or too tor, will be shown carcasses from ant- much for their ment, but rather to mals of a similar lot. These car- show the relative value of prime as casses will also show the selling price compared with common meat.

Pacific International Live Stock EXPOSITION





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LEXINGTON ECHOES

On last Friday evening the the Bibe School leaders of the Church of Bhrist # rraanged a pleasant party for its members and friends. The party was held in the gui | rooms of the church. A dlightful supper was seaved at aix o'clock followed by various until sight o'clock when goodnights brought to a close one of the most enjoyadle fevenings spent by toe Bible School stu lents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Philips will wave this week for an indefinite aty in Po tland.

Bert Thumberg and Gus John are boing some painling over at Sang Hollow,

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Alexander and daugh or, Miss Florence, of by anto, 1 om Seth Bridge, Can ida, for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Freb Kelly, Mr.'and Mrs. Alexander are the parents of Mrs. Kelly,

W, wiriz, Tum - A Lum audion business at the Lexington yard on Filday of last week. Carl Werner and Tom Barnett

motored to Pendleton on Tueschy and returned Friday.

Granbma Booher left Wednesay of last week for Heppuer from whence she went for a vis it at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Boymer on Hinton Creek, Gradoma's daughter, Mrs. Nettie Growe, left some days previously for her home in Armstrong, B. C.

Dr. Haylor of Portland, eye Specialist, will be in Heppner on Getober 25 and 24.

THE BANKER-EDUCATOR PLAN TO **PROMOTE BETTER AGRICULTURE**

By D. H. OTIS, Agricultural Director, American Bankers Association

Whenever bankers desire to promote actively agricultural

improvement in their communities, the state agricultural colleges

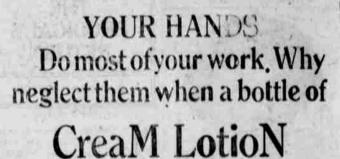


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stand ready to show them the way and to give expert assistance. The purpose of this article is to illustrate the way in which the colleges are getting in contact with the banks, and the kind of assistance they render,

As soon as the college has a list of the banks in the state desiring to adopt plans to aid agriculture as indicated by project blanks sent out to all the banks in the state, by the State Bankers Asso-ciation Agricultural Committee, it gives practical suggestions to each banker on the list as to what he can do to stimulate, organize, and conduct the

work in the particular project he has selected. Then either a department selected. Then either a department suggestions are the more valuable specialist from the college or the they are to the banker. Following are



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county agent gets in personal touch with the banker to ansist him in an advisory capacity.

Samples of the project outlines are given below to illustrate the details of the procedure the college takes in accompliahing its plan.

College Provides Expert Advisers In counties with no county agent list of the banks desiring to carry on a project is sent to a specialist at the state college, according to the project listed. For instance, the banks desir ing to carry on the farm accountproject are assigned to the farm management specialist, those desiring to carry on the legume project to the agronomy specialist, those interested In boys' and girls' club work to the futtor extension specialist, and so forth

In counties that do have a county . name a list of the banks and the proj ects in which each is interested i tout to him with a request that he ge In touch with the bankers and helt them in regard to the various projects The next step by the college in to write to each banker on the list send ing him project outlines and informing him that the county agent or specialist from the college will get in touch with him. If there is no agent in the county this letter reads as follows:

Union State Bank,

Backeyille Gantlemen-You will find enclosed a brief owither of the farm accounts project in which you have indicated your friteress to your Note Agricultural 'Commitse and to the Agricultural Commission of the American Institute Association. Institute Agricultural the pleased to indicated. We have asked him to get in teach with you. Director, Agricultural Extension.

The lotter to bankers in counties that do have a county agent informs thom that he will get in touch with them

Suggests Things the Banker Can Do. The project outlines sent to each banker give specific suggestions as to the things he can do to organize the work in his project, and the part the work in his project, and the part he can take in carrying out the work. way for constructive work by the The more simple and concrete these bankers in banker-farmer projects.

samples of such project outlines;

Farm Accounts . Project

Farm Accounts.Project 1. Banker can select group of farmers who can and should undertake the work of farm account. 3. Armase with county acount or spe-cialist from agricultural college for first meeting of the group and select as account hosts. 4. As in initiation relative to entering ac-counts and other data property. 4. Act as or select leader for the group. 5. Assist in checking inventories as a means of securing Individual financial statement at close of the year.

Boys' and Girls' Club Work

Boys' and Girls' Club Work L. The basker can arrange with the county agent or the apecialist of the ageri-cultural college for organizing a duk. 2. Flan to present various types of duk work at the next meeting and perfect the organization of a local club. 3. Basker may act as local leader of the club. 4. Cooperate with county agent or spe-chillst in annual "Achievement Day." 6. Basker may offer prizes for club work or otherwise assist in financing same.

Legume Project

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county agent or specialist from the agricounty agent or specialist from the agricounty agent of specialist from the agricounty specialist. 2. Arreater for meeting of interested
farmers with county agents, speccalist. 3. A this meeting county agents, speccalist. 3. At this meeting county agents, speccalist. (a) Value of crop. (b) Read apply and varieties, (c) Methods of handling the crop. (d) Lies and disposition of grop. 4. Flan with county agent or specialist
meetings and demonstrations on plots or
fields. 5. Secure shibits for community of
county fat. Cow Testing Associations

Cow Testing Associations

Cow Testing Associations 1. The banker can arrange with county agent or speciality from agricultural col-legs for meeting of interested group of farmers in the community for the purpos-of organizing a cow testing association. 2. Bankor may alt as leader, and with county agent or speciality plan to visit prospecifies farmers who may join the association. 3. Organizes for work and assist in se-string testing equipment and other ma-terials whenever necessary. 4. Call meetings particularity to discuss association business and hold pionles or tours.

association to the sound of the special of the special of the special strange for C. T. A. booth at community or county fair giving testing demonstrations and explaining work of

This constitutes the preliminary

