

Marketing Found Major Work of County Agents

Any idea that the chief activity of county agricultural agents is to "make two blades of grass grow where one grew before" is not borne out by the annual report of F. L. Ballard, state county agent leader, which shows that one of the major services of the agents in 1932 was in finding markets for the "one blade" already being produced.

Eleven county agents were active in aiding dairy marketing by organizing milk producer associations or extending the territory and membership of cooperative creameries. Ballard's report shows. Fourteen county agents assisted in turkey marketing, the most outstanding development being organization of a state sales agency for the local cooperatives.

Wallawa county saw the most extensive work in livestock marketing, where the county agent is secretary of the association which marketed 20,000 hogs, 12,073 cattle and 9897 sheep cooperatively during the year. Ten other agents assisted in livestock marketing work.

Fruit and vegetable marketing was furthered by 12 county agents, an outstanding example being the organization of public markets in Union county in cooperation with county granges. In Malheur county 26,000 pounds of Grimm alfalfa seed, mostly certified through the agents' office, brought growers at least \$1000 more than if it had not been certified.

LEXINGTON

(Continued from First Page) mother, Mrs. Ted McMillan. The railroad company has made arrangements for Mrs. Emma Breshers to handle express during the months when there is no station agent here.

Among Lexington people who attended the basketball game at Ione Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ingles, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Ingles, Veri Ingles, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jackson and Kenneth and Marcella. The Lexington boys lost the game by a small margin.

Miss Beulah Petyjohn of Morgan has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Marion Palmer. Born, Sunday, February 19, to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Edwards, an eight pound son. Both mother and baby are reported to be doing well.

Six weeks' examinations are being given at the school this week. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Burchell were Mr. Burchell's two brothers, C. O. Burchell of Corvallis and H. N. Burchell of Portland.

Lexington Grange will give a dance Saturday night, March 4. A delegation of Rebekahs from San Souci lodge at Heppner attended the meeting of the local lodge Tuesday evening. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed with refreshments later.

The H. E. club of Lexington Grange is sponsoring a public card party on Thursday evening, March 2. The charge will be 15c each or 25c a couple. Lunch will be served at midnight.

On Saturday evening the Lexington town girls' basketball team played a fast and furious game with the Heppner team on the local floor. The score was 11-9 in Lexington's favor. The line-up for Lexington were: Lucille Beymer and Vera Breshers, forwards; Peggy Warner and Beulah Pettyjohn, centers; Ruth Dinges and Geneva Palmer, guards; Gwen Evans and Eva Wilcox, subs.

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(Continued from First Page) and pleasure trip to the metropolis. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dick and two sons of Heppner were Sunday dinner guests at the Bert Mason home. Mrs. Inez V. Glaisyer of Coquille, associate grand conductress, and acting as deputy for the worthy grand matron of the order of the Eastern Star will be in Ione March 9 for the purpose of instruction and inspection.

Evangelistic meetings are soon to begin in Pentecostal mission on Main street. Mrs. John Turner of Heppner was in town the first of the week helping to care for her mother, Mrs. Frank Engelman, who is quite ill. Matt Halvorsen received serious injuries Saturday evening when he was hit by an automobile driven by F. H. Miller, Willow creek rancher. Mr. Halvorsen was walking on the highway not far from the Gus Johnson home. A chilly wind was blowing and he had his coat collar well up around his ears

and thus failed to hear the approaching car until it was beside him. In his fright Mr. Halvorsen jumped toward the car, instead of away. He was thrown to the road and with such force that he was unconscious for some time. He received a badly sprained right leg, had bruises on the head and face and a deep cut across the nose. He was taken to Heppner in the Miller car, where his wounds were dressed by a physician. At present he is being cared for in the Walter Eubanks home in Ione. Mr. Miller was driving slowly when the accident happened and Mr. Halvorsen feels that he was the one at fault. He has been not walking, as he should have been, on the left-hand side of the road.

PERSONAL PROPERTY SALE. A. W. Dykstra, executor of the last will and testament of George W. Dykstra, deceased, will be in Heppner for a few days, during which time he will offer at private sale personal property belonging to the estate and consisting of wagons, horses, sidehill plow, harrow, mower, rake, also some household furniture. Mr. Dykstra will be at Heppner. If interested, see him, or drop him a card here. 1t.

FLAMING ARROWS TO LEAD. The Flaming Arrow patrol met February 21 in the reference room of the high school. They made plans for leading the troop at the next meeting which will be February 22. They are going to work on some project work Wednesday down at the Episcopal church yard. They planned a hike for next Saturday if the weather permits.

DEGREE OF HONOR NOTICE. Kate J. Young lodge, Degree of Honor Prof. Assn., meets Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 7:30 p. m., at I. O. O. F. hall. There will be inspection by Lois A. Eiser, regional director for Oregon and Washington. All members are urged to be present. Clara Beamer, secretary.

The man who thinks that the world owes him a living fails to realize what he owes the world.

LEGISLATURESPEEDS WORK AS END NEARS

(Continued from First Page) on a number of bills affecting the interest rate on small loans, commonly called "Loan Shark" measures. These interest-rate bills came up as a special order of business at 10 o'clock this morning and were finally disposed of at 3:30 this afternoon, after the house had gone into the committee of the whole to amend two of them, then voted down the amended bills, leaving the interest rate on the small loan companies and automobile finance companies unaffected at 3 percent per month for loans in amount from \$30 to \$300, while decreasing the broker's interest rate from 3 percent to 2 1/2 percent a month. The state charges a special license for the purpose of doing this type of finance business which was upheld by the winning side as an economic service, and condemned by the minority as being nothing more nor less than legalized usury.

One of the loan bills, a regulatory measure, was passed. It gives the state banking department certain powers over the small loan companies and provides for the making of reports to this department. The state charges a special license for the purpose of doing this type of finance business which was upheld by the winning side as an economic service, and condemned by the minority as being nothing more nor less than legalized usury.

A readjustment of salaries of county office holders of Morrow county is sought in a bill introduced this week by Representative Snell and Turner, and now in the hands of the house counties and cities committee. This bill was introduced along with salary readjustment bills for Gilliam, Sherman and Wheeler counties in answer to strong demands from tax conservation and equalization bodies of the several counties, and their passage will be pushed in event a general bill having for its purpose the readjustment of salaries of county officers in all counties of the state on the basis of population, area and valuation, fails to meet with the approval of the legislature and governor.

A doubtful sentiment prevails concerning the fate of the general bill, as attempts of this nature before have met with failure. It is intended in this bill to put into effect a system of salaries similar to that now in effect in the state of Washington. The local salary bills introduced for the four counties of the 22nd representative district would put the new salaries in effect for only two years, allowing the old salaries to revert after January 1, 1935, in case conditions prevailing at that time shall have reached a more normal position. The new salaries for Morrow county officials provided for in the Snell-Turner bill are: clerk \$1800, sheriff \$1600, judge \$1250, treasurer \$1000, assessor \$1250 and school superintendent \$1500 per annum; commissioners, \$4 a day for each day in attendance upon county court and 6 cents a mile for each mile necessarily traveled in reaching and returning home from a session of court. One deputy for the clerk's office, and such deputies as the sheriff and assessor may need are provided for at the discretion of the county court at salaries stipulated by that body.

A new departure in the warehousing business, intended to give the farmer further protection for his grain and at the same time enable him to realize money on his crop easier than is possible at the present time, is the purpose of a new bill presented before the agricultural committee of the house Saturday. Copied after the Montana law, this bill provides for the sealing of grain in storage on farms by the state department of agriculture and the issuance thereof of negotiable certificates.

At Heppner CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST. JOEL R. BENTON, Minister. Mrs. J. O. Turner, Director of Music. Bible School, 9:45 A. M. Morning Worship, 11 o'clock. Senior and Junior C. E., 6:30 o'clock. Evening Worship, 7:30 o'clock. Choir rehearsal, Wed. at 7:30 P. M. Church Night, Thurs. at 7:30 P. M.

If We Had No Trials. "No chastening for the present seemeth to be joyous, but grievous; nevertheless afterward it yieldeth the peaceable fruit of righteousness unto them which are exercised thereby." Hebrews 12-11. If we had no trials? If all thru life, we were able to take the easy, lazy, line of least resistance? What sort of human beings would we turn out to be? Well, here is the answer to this question:

A naturalist walking thru the woods one day saw a cocoon clinging to a twig. He broke off the little branch and after they cocooned home that he might watch the caterpillar develop into a butterfly. He placed the cocoon under a glass where he could watch its movements daily. After two or three days he observed that there were movements within sufficient to break the shell slightly. The movements increased until a small crevice was made, thru which he could see that variegated spots were appearing on the caterpillar. As the shell opened, day after day, he discovered that wings were beginning to develop. Then the struggles of the little creature became more and more violent. Sometimes it even seemed to be in convulsions of pain, in its efforts to be free. This aroused the sympathy of the naturalist so much that he decided to help the struggling little prisoner to make its escape. So he took scissors and cut away the shell. The butterfly crawled out. BUT IT NEVER FLEW! In relieving its struggles he had stopped its development.

Here is a timely and pertinent parable which teaches us the significance of life's conflicts and struggles. We sometimes bitterly complain of these things when in reality they are the making of us. If we had no trials, no hardships; if we always lived in ease and comfort, we could never develop into strong men and women, and we would never know the meaning of a vigorous and victorious life. Christ and Christianity are the energizing and stabilizing factors thru which and by which we may grow to strong, virile, Christian manhood and womanhood in just such times as these. There is no other way. Do you have a Church home? If not, come and worship with us. Attend our Bible School. It is alive and interesting and growing. Come and have a part with us in the inspiring services of worship. For the coming Lord's Day the sermon topics are: For the morning, "Forgetting to Take Bread." And for the evening service, "Appearance and Reality."

4-H CLUB NEWS

The 4-H Handwork sewing club met at Mrs. Baldwin's Monday, February 13. The girls present were Betty Rankin, Eileen Sperry and Earline Farris. The girls were very busy working on their pillows. —Earline Farris, reporter.

Hardman Club News. All the members, the leader and officers were present at one of the most interesting meetings of the year, held at the school house Monday morning, Feb. 20, from 10:30 to 12:00. Arrangements for our Mother's tea, which will be an event of March 4, were completed. It was decided that the tea would be held at the high school auditorium, and that we would serve cake, sandwiches, chocolate and tea. Mrs. Stephens is going to make the table decorations and supervise the decoration of the room. The color scheme will be yellow and green.

The entertainment committee, consisting of Nellie Beakman, Loye Johnson and Loes Ashbaugh, have worked out the following program: Three club songs, a demonstration of making a vegetable salad by Muri Farness and Delsie Beakman, two club yells, three lively games, the club motto, the club pledge. Loes and Edna Stephens are to serve the sandwiches and cake. Charlotte Adams and Neva Beakman were appointed to serve the tea, and Dolly the sugar and cream. Lucille Farness was appointed to tell how to prepare a well balanced meal. The assignment was made by Mrs. Stephens. Everyone enjoyed a few games and singing songs before adjournment. The next meeting will be at 10:00 the morning of March 4.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank all those who so kindly ministered to us during our bereavement in the death of our mother, Lettie A. Forbes; your aid and sympathy in this hour shall always be remembered. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Clark and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Becket and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Des Georges and Family, Franklin H. Forbes. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Holcomb and daughters Bonny Lou and Pat, visited over Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Crawford. Mr. Holcomb being a cousin of Mrs. Crawford. They were on their way to Umatilla where Mr. Holcomb was interested in some road machinery in operation on the Wallula cutoff.

Oregon Co-op. Council Now Strong Federation

The Oregon Cooperative council is now the organized voice of 40 Oregon cooperative marketing associations or public agencies interested in promoting cooperative marketing, as the result of three more additions to the membership admitted at the recent annual meeting in Portland. The new organizations joining are Willamette Cherry Growers Inc., Salem; Oregon Cooperatives, Inc., Portland; and North Pacific Cannery and Packers, Inc., Portland. Glenn B. Marsh of Hood River was elected president for another two-year term, and Ray Glatt, Woodburn, was advanced to first vice-president. E. A. McCormick, Eugene, was elected second vice-president, while George Gatlin, Oregon State college, was re-elected secretary-treasurer. The council considered many questions vital to Oregon agriculture, but was sparing of its resolutions, preferring to pass but few and on subjects of which members of the council have special knowledge. It heard Marshall Dana of Portland in an address vigorously opposing the "Buy America" idea which he said is a movement of prejudice sure to bring reprisals damaging to Oregon which gets more than \$4 for products sold abroad for every one spent for foreign goods at present. He offered "Sell Oregon" as a better slogan.

W. C. T. U. NOTES

MARY A. NOTSON, Reporter. Rev. Mark A. Matthews of Seattle, in discussing the liquor question, says: "We are in the midst of an increasingly fierce battle, the battle of alcohol versus national welfare. The forces of righteousness have been waging a warfare in this country against the insidious and deadly foe, alcoholic beverages, for more than one hundred years. We finally wrote the prohibition amendment into our Constitution. The alcoholic forces of the country have always been law-breaking, law-defying, law-repudiating, and law-repudiating forces. General George Washington, our first president, threatened to send an army to Pennsylvania to suppress the violations caused by alcoholic beverages. At other times, and in other states, force has been used to make the people realize their responsibility to law, and to realize that the alcoholic forces were law-defying, law-repudiating forces.

The reason why those who advocate manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages are so defiant is the love of money. If it were possible to take away from the manufacture and distribution of alcoholic beverages the possibility of revenue, the agitation for liquor would be almost negligible. Men are willing to sell their souls for a dollar. They are willing to defy the Constitution for revenue. They are willing to manufacture and sell the deadly poison of alcohol, knowing at the time that they are injuring the lives of men and women, boys and girls, but they are willing to do it for "filthy lucre." "They (the wets) forget that in the days when alcohol occupied the throne in America we were burying 75,000 men and women in this country every year as a result of the use of intoxicating beverages. They forget that alcohol made the hearthstone cold, robbed the tables of food, stripped the wardrobes of clothing, and left families hungry, cold, and starving. They forget that desolation, distress, poverty, disgrace, and illness were the fruits of the unlimited sale and use of alcoholic beverages. They forget that children were deprived of an education, and were robbed of love, care and protection of fathers. They forget that alcohol wrecked the homes, stained the judicial bench and the robes of the judiciary, corrupted legislation, bribed public officials, ruined city governments, and left in its path sorrow, disgrace, and death. "They know that they are perjurying themselves when they say that prohibition has not benefited the country. The savings deposit banks of the country have increased their deposits billions of dollars since prohibition. The comforts and conveniences of life are now much more commonly enjoyed by the wage earners."

RHEA CREEK GRANGE NEWS.

By VELMA HUSTON. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Worden entertained with a turkey dinner last Friday night in compliment to the Misses Florence Becket and Dorothy Worden whose birthdays occurred this month. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. John Bergstrom and Caroline and Gerald Bergstrom, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Becket and two daughters, Florence and Norma Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Worden and children, Wilbur, Doris and Dorothy. Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Robison are spending the week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bartholomew at Pine City. The winter has been a mild one as far as Mrs. E. E. Rugg is concerned as she has almost finished her spring house cleaning. She has renovated and redecorated her house from top to bottom. I think she should give a party and invite all of us, don't you? The last week's weather has been quite disagreeable for the lambing which is fully under way at Clyde Wright's and at the Wright Bros. The regular meeting of the H. E. club will be held Thursday, February 23, at the hall. All members are asked to be present. Saturday, February 25, is the big night. A free dance and 40c chicken supper will be served that night by the ladies of the H. E. club at Rhea Creek Grange hall. Music by Gorgier brothers. Everyone is invited.

The FAMILY DOCTOR JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

"HEART DISEASE"

A man who belonged to his country has passed—Calvin Coolidge, Former Presidents always belong to America in common. Politics does not alter ownership. Mr. Coolidge was ours. Scientific physicians may well ponder on death that comes before it ought to be due; Mr. Coolidge was too young to have died. But, there was a mighty insistent CAUSE, which physicians should be alert to discover. I cannot believe that the distinguished patient was not warned in plenty of time to have averted the tragedy. Was it tobacco? My own experience contradicts that verdict. I am seventy-one and I have smoked excessively, I feel sure, but not with any menacing symptoms. Was it indolent habits and over-eating? Some say it was "acute indigestion." I don't believe acute indigestion alone ever killed anybody. Thousands—millions of children have it—relieved by simply evacuating the digestive canal.

If Mr. Coolidge died of genuine heart disease, it must have been a blocking of the coronary arteries—due for the most part to influenza—maybe an attack of mild severity, years ago. Such a thing could be I admit. But, the patient would have been warned in plenty of time by insidious, creeping attacks of SHORT BREATH ON EXERCISE. I have never contacted a case that was not—and I have seen many. I lost two aged people with acute influenza last week. One past 80, the other 70. It is one of the most virile poisons known—and not well-known at that. It was more likely a case of over-indulgence in highly-seasoned food that disrupted an artery of the brain, that took Mr. Coolidge; one does not have to be a glutton to die of such a condition. He was temperate. I wonder if he ate his chief meal at six o'clock? He who will eventually win plays the game on the square.

Trade and Employment EXCHANGE (Printed without charge. Discontinued on notice.) To trade for chickens, 1 brooder, 300-egg capacity, automatic; has been used, Rood Ekkeberry, Morgan. To trade—Hampshire boar for male hog. Wm. Kummerland, Lexington. For Trade—Bourbon Red turkey hens for what have you. Daisy Butler, Cecil. Two new type Superior tractor drills to trade for anything I can use. O. W. Cutsforth, Lexington. To trade, 24 sacks, about 55 bushels, certified Bluestem seed wheat, for other white wheat, on basis of one bu. Bluestem for 1 1/2 bu. other variety. Oscar Peterson, Ione, Or. 800 watt, 32 volt, Delco light plant to trade for wheat, or what have you. F. P. Leicht, Irrigon. A 32 volt Delco all electric radio to trade for wheat, or what have you. F. P. Leicht, Irrigon. To trade, a 125-lb. boar pig for another of different stock. Frank Wilkinson, Heppner. Chester White boar; will trade for what have you. Also 2-bottom, 16-in. adjustable P. & O. gang plow, for milk cow. Sam Turner, Heppner. To trade, lumber, roofing paper, pipe, brick, etc., for what have you? H. A. Schulz, Heppner. Two radio battery sets and three phonographs for trade. Max Schulz, Heppner. To trade, all steel horsepower hay press for wheat or cows. Adolph Skoubo, Boardman. Chas. Bartholomew of Pine City has Federation wheat to trade for other wheat on basis of 1 1/2 bu of other varieties for 1 bu. Federation. Address, Echo, Ore. Team of horses, weight 1500 lbs. each; also fresh milk cows, to exchange for wheat or beef cattle. Sterling Fryrear, Heppner. Guernsey bull for cows or another young Guernsey bull. S. J. Devine, Lexington. 1929 Whippet 6 automobile, for what have you? Mrs. Hilma Anderson, Heppner. Warford transmission to trade for 30-30 rifle. W. H. Tucker, Lexington. Shingles, lumber, 4-horse cut-away disc, Jenkin's stacker, and two buckrakes for cows and wheat. F. L. Brown, Boardman. Bourbon Red toms and hens to trade for wood. Daisy Butler, Wilcox, Ore. Nettle Gem potatoes for wheat. A. P. Ayers, Boardman. Frying turkeys to trade for wheat. Daisy Butler, Wilcox, Ore. Weanling pigs for wheat. Rufus Pieper, Lexington. Cows for horses, apples for potatoes, hogs for potatoes. R. B. Rice, Lexington. Bronze toms and B. J. giant cockerels for sale or trade, until Nov. 18. Floyd Worden, Heppner. Yearling Durham bull to trade for sheep, pigs, or wheat. F. S. Parker, Heppner.

Children Need Egg a Day Say Nutrition Specialists

An egg a day for the younger members of the family at least is a desirable standard to adopt, according to food specialists. Now that egg prices are on the south slope of the annual decline such a standard may readily be maintained even from the summer purses, they believe. Eggs are rich in protein needed for growth and repair of muscle, bone and blood. They contain iron, phosphorus and a small amount of calcium in usable form, and in addition are rich in vitamins A, B and D. "Serve Eggs" is the title of a four-page leaflet available from the home economics extension office at Corvallis. It contains numerous recipes and suggestions for utilizing eggs in custards, souffles, omelets, salads and sandwiches.

Resolutions of Respect.

God knows the way, He holds the key, He guideth with unerring hand; Sometime with tearless eye we'll see And then, up there, we'll understand. They are not lost in the distant worlds above, They are our nearest link in God's own love. In Memory of Lucy Harbison, who died February 5, 1933, at Orenco, Oregon. The Angel of Death has entered our midst and we are called to

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mourn the loss of a faithful friend and co-worker. Our tears are mingled with yours, your sorrows are ours. May the gloom of the sorrowing ones be dispelled by the promise: "I am the Resurrection and the Life, sayeth the Lord; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live, and he that liveth and believeth in me shall never die." Resolved: That the Charter of Saphire Rebekah Lodge No. 163, I. O. O. F. of Morgan, Oregon, in testimony of our loss be draped for the allotted time and that we tender the family our deepest sympathy in their affliction, and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family. ZOE BAUERNEFELD, ECHO PALMATEER, EDNA LINN, Committee.

Star Theater

Fri. and Sat., Feb. 24-25: Pathe News — Comedy LEE TRACY and GLOHIA STUART in PRIVATE JONES The proceeds from this show go to the Relief Committee. Come and help.

Sun. and Mon., Feb. 26-27: Pathe News — Comedy IRENE DUNNE in NO OTHER WOMAN With Charles Bickford, Gwili Andree and Eric Linden This story is down to earth—its characters are like the human beings we rub elbows with.

Tues., Wed. and Thurs., Feb. 28-Mar. 1-2: Comedy — Strange As It Seems THE MUMMY With BORIS KARLOFF, DAVID MANNERS, ZITA JOHANN We are all rather tired of Horror pictures. "The Mummy" is weird, not the kind that will spoil your night's sleep but more, a highly imaginative romance.