

## From The County Agent's Office

**By N. C. Anderson**  
County fairs are completed with both the North Morrow Fair and Morrow County Fair and Rodeo a success again. Exhibits were fewer in number in some classes while livestock and poultry were about the same as last year.

It is interesting to watch the progress being made in agriculture in the county and there is no better way than to watch the quality of products exhibited from year to year. By comparison I believe all will agree that this was true of the exhibits of this year's affairs.

Livestock exhibits were perhaps the most outstanding in this respect. Fat and breeding animals whether exhibited by 4-H, FFA or in open class show the results of constant selecting for better quality. The bulls exhibited were outstanding with these to go into other herds as sires to further improve quality. Fat steers exhibited by 4-H members showed that these boys and girls know how to balance a ration and finish out an animal. This was shown by the fact that 16 fat steers, five graded prime, seven choice and four good. All but one of these top steers were picked from herds of Morrow County ranchers.

With county fair out of the way, vacations over and children back to school, thoughts turn to seeding of fall wheat for the 1952 crop. While the majority of farmers wait for rain before seeding many are now well along with seeding operations. These early seedings are mainly Elmar, Elgin and Golden varieties as they can be safely seeded in late August

and early September while some of our varieties like Rex and Orfed yield better if planted later.

Field demonstrations are established each year by the County Agent cooperating with farmers with the hopes of gathering some information on varieties and yields that will be of help to our farmers. This year one variety test nursery was harvested, grown at the Frank Anderson farm. Varieties, test weight and yields are given:

Orfed, test wt. 61.5, yield 35.1; Rio-Rex-Cheyenne, test wt. 61.5, yield 33.4; Golden, test wt. 58.0, yield 33.2; Orfed-Turkey-Florence x Elgin, test wt. 59.5, yield 33.0; Brevor, test wt. 60.0, yield 31.9; Orfed x Hybrid 1, test wt. 60.5, yield 31.4; Blackhull x Oro, test wt. 61.0, yield 29.8; Rex, test wt. 59.0, yield 28.4; Rio, test wt. 62.0, yield 27.8; Karkof, test wt. 59.5, yield 26.6; Elmar, test wt. 59.0, yield 25.7; Alicel x Oro P-57, test wt. 61.0, yield 25.3; Elgin, test wt. 59.5, yield 25.3; Rio-Rex x Athena, test wt. 57.5, yield 25.2; Alicel x Oro P-3, test wt. 61.0, yield 21.1.

September and October are good months to spray, dip or dust sheep for controlling ticks. If the flock is cleaned up in the fall, there will be no ticks present to go to lambs next spring. It is on young lambs that ticks cause much of their damage. DDT, methoxychlor or rotonone will give good control, are safe insecticides, reasonable in price and readily available.

As a dip, use 4 pounds of 50 percent wettable DDT or methoxychlor powder or 8 ounces of 5 percent rotonone to 100 gallons

## Horse Show Winners

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The halter classes were held Friday morning near the Wrangler barn with a large number of highly competitive entries. Dewey Thompson of Moro did a splendid job of judging but he explained it was most difficult to judge a breed against a breed.

Colts in 1951, Ralph Beamer, Newt O'Hara, Ralph Beamer.

Yearlings in 1950, Eb Hughes, Archie Murchison, Merlyn Robinson.

Two year olds in 1949, Silver Star Ranch, Merlyn Robinson.

Stallions, Merlyn Robinson, Ralph Taylor, Bill Smethurst.

Mares, Altha Kirk, Merle Becker, Ralph Beamer.

Geldings, Fred Mankins, Bonnie Barratt, Archie Murchison.

Mares and produce, Arch Murchison, Merlyn Robinson, Newt O'Hara.

Get of sire, Ralph Beamer, Merlyn Robinson, Merlyn Robinson.

Grand champion Stallion, Merlyn Robinson.

Grand champion Mare, Ralph Beamer.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Out Patients—  
C. E. Lynch, Heppner; Don Boag, Portland; Marianne Huber, Heppner; Robert Campbell, Heppner; Ethel Latrace, Heppner.

Medical—  
Addie Patterson, Heppner; Renea Thomson, Monument; Percy Cox, Monument; Mrs. Wayne Anderson, Heppner; Micheal Fitzpatrick, Ione; Mary Lou Swaggart, Ritter.

Major Surgery—  
Walter Williams, Monument; Lee Hoover, Fossil.

Minor Surgery—  
Mrs. Naomi Matthews, Heppner; Carl Linn, Ione; Beverly Rippee, Heppner; Zeilpha Justus, Heppner; Renea Thomson, Monument; Mary Lou Swaggart, Ritter; Percy Cox, Monument.

of water.  
For spraying, use 8 pounds of 50 percent wettable DDT or methoxychlor powder to 100 gallons of water. For best results when spraying, cover as much of the animal as possible.

Dusting is a new method that is becoming popular in many states where sheep are grown in numbers. Oregon has done some dusting on a commercial scale and such a duster is available for commercial work here in Morrow County. It is best used after shearing for best penetration. If only a few head are to be treated for ticks, reasonably good results can be obtained by dusting with a 10 percent DDT dust. Rub the dust into the fleece thoroughly.

**B. F. Forsythe Superintendent Hood River School**  
Ben Forsythe, father of Mrs. L. Edwin Dick, Jr., and former superintendent of the Ione school, is principal of the new Union high school in Hood River county. Mr. Forsythe has 19 teachers under him and an enrollment of 300 pupils.

Mr. Forsythe taught in Cascade Locks last winter.

George Corwin, former superintendent of the Heppner schools, is the new county superintendent of Hood River county.

Mr. and Mrs. Corwin were in Heppner one day of the Morrow County Fair and Rodeo.

**Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webb** of Walla Walla are visiting the Howard Cleavelands. They are Mrs. Cleavelands parents.

**Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ruggles** and Connie and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ruggles were in Pendleton Saturday to attend the Pinkerton-Raymond wedding. At the reception which followed at the Vet Club rooms, Connie Ruggles assisted in serving.

**Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haas** of North Bend, Oregon and two sons were brief visitors in Heppner Tuesday.

**Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ruggles** of Wasco, parents of C. A. Ruggles, are here to work their ranch for most of the winter.

**Connie Ruggles left Sunday** to enter Whitman College at Walla Walla.

**Darlene (Bunkie) Wayne** left Monday for Portland where she will work.

**Glen McLachlin went to Portland** Sunday to have the cast on his arm changed.

**Mr. and Mrs. Kilkenny of Pendleton** were house guests of the F. W. Mahoneys over the weekend.

**Mr. and Mrs. Bud (Ralph) Boyd** and four sons of Portland were Rodeo house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans. Bud is the son of Tom and Annie Boyd formerly of Heppner. Tom Boyd was night watchman when Heppner had a daily passenger train.

**Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown** have returned home from a two weeks vacation spent touring Wallowa Lake, Yellowstone Park, Glacier National Park, Bryce and Grand Canyons. Driving through Fallon, Nevada they called the Jack O'Connors and learned that they are happily settled and happy in their new home.

**Mr. and Mrs. Jack Loyd** had as their guest for the week-end Orville McCormach of Pendleton. On Sunday Mrs. Loyd's two sisters were here, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hales of Pendleton and Miss Irmalee Tureman and Lowell Ernst of John Day.

**Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Cox** have as their guests for two weeks his son and family, 1st Lt. Lemoin Cox and Mrs. Cox and daughter, Lynda Lee of Los Angeles. He has been in the Maine Division for 15 years and is a veteran of the Korean campaign. Also guests at the Cox home were Mrs. Cox's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolver (Marie Scrivner) of Kennewick, Washington, who visited over the week end.

**Ida Lee Chapel, daughter** of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Chapel of Hardman and one of this year's fair and rodeo princesses registered Monday at St. Joseph's Academy at Pendleton.

**Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chapel** of Madras were week-end rodeo visitors at the Blaine Chapel home at Hardman.

**Mr. and Mrs. Roy (Rusty) Orwick** have moved to Condon after spending the week-end in Heppner attending the Morrow County Fair and Rodeo. The Orwicks have purchased a cafe in Condon and have redecorated the front of the building and are open for business. They brought their son, James Orwick, over with them and he left for Whitman college in Walla Walla.

**Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barratt** and Mrs. Cyrene Barratt of Corvallis were visitors in Heppner for the Fair and Rodeo.

**R. H. Zinter of Spokane** was a visitor in Heppner this week.

**C. J. D. BAUMAN**  
Administrator of the Estate of MINNIE ALBERT, deceased.  
**B. D. FANCHER**  
Attorney for the Administrator Heppner, Oregon. 25-4tp

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Morrow County executor of the estate of May Burn-

side, deceased, and all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned executor with proper vouchers, at the law office of Jos. J. Nys, at Heppner, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published this 13th day of September, 1951.  
L. J. BURNSIDE, executor  
26-5tc

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