

Local Cattle Market Active

HERMISTON — Demand was broad and very active as better quality cattle were consigned at the Hermiston livestock auction Friday, Delbert Anson, manager of the sale, reports. Consigned were 274 cattle compared with 281 the previous Friday, 78 hogs compared with 217, and 169 sheep compared with 76.

Prices were generally steady, heifer calves selling at \$17.10 cwt. and veal bringing \$18.50 cwt. Canner-cutter cows were up 85c at \$17.10 cwt., and shells up 60c at \$8 cwt., and ewes up \$1.20 at \$6.90 cwt. Feeder lambs made up most of the sheep consigned, selling at a top of \$12.50 cwt.

Particularly in demand for next Friday are top quality feeder steers and better quality, fatter grass heifers weighing 800 to 900 pounds.

Those receiving top prices Friday included from Hermiston, C. L. Hunt, who sold 3 sows weighing 1340 lbs. for \$12.40 cwt.; Raymond Wood, a 940 lb. whiteface heifer, \$18.10 cwt.; Edna Mulkens an 820 lb. Holstein cow, \$10.75 cwt.; and E. A. Westermeyer, a 1330 lb. whiteface bull, \$14.30 cwt.; Armin Pratt, Stanfield, 5 fat hogs, 1010 lbs., \$17.35 cwt.; C. N. Weltvine, Echo, a 475 lb. Hereford veal calf, \$18.50 cwt.; C. W. MacFaul, Irrigon, 7 ewes, 955 lbs., \$6.90 cwt.; William Pairiea, Walla Walla, a 970 lb. feeder steer, \$19.10 cwt.; Clifton Kirk, Weston, 3 Angus heifers, 1640 lbs., \$17.10 cwt.; and W. E. Brock, Touchet, Wash., 11 feeder lambs, 1005 lbs., \$15.20.

Calves: Baby calves 7.50-18.00 hd.; weaner calves, steer calves 17.10-18.90 cwt.; heifer calves 15.75-17.10 cwt.; veal 16.75-18.50 cwt.

Steers: Stocker steers 15.75-16.90 cwt.; feeder steers 17.25-19.10 cwt.; no fat slaughter steers; fat heifers 15.90-18.10 cwt.

Cows: Dairy cows 102.50-152.50 hd.; dairy heifers 10.75-13.30 cwt.; no stock cows.

Slaughter Cows: Commercial 12.75-15.00 cwt.; utility 11.25-12.30 cwt.; canner cutter 8.40-10.75 cwt.; shells 6.50-8.00 cwt.; bulls 12.75-14.80 cwt.

Hogs: Weaner pigs 6.75-10.00 hd.; feeder pigs 15.50-17.10 cwt.; fat hogs 16.50-17.35 cwt.; sows 10.50-12.40 cwt.; boars 4.50-8.90 cwt.

Sheep: Feeder lambs 13.10-15.20 cwt.; no fat lambs; ewes 1.25-6.90 cwt.; bucks 1.25-3.00 cwt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gonty had as their guests over the weekend, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gonty of The Dalles.

WILL DO—ironing in your home and will baby sit by day. Mrs. Ada Cannon, No. 8 Court St. 20p

Heppner FFA Chapter Plans For Projects

The Heppner F. F. A. chapter held their regular meeting in the agricultural building Tuesday, August 9.

They discussed the idea of leasing the kitchen at the fair grounds or feeding out some steers or pigs as a source of income for the chapter. They decided that the kitchen would be too much trouble for a chapter as small as theirs and decided feeding out some steers and hogs would be best.

The livestock judging team, consisting of Eddie Brosnan, Steve Green and Roy Hughes will compete at the Umatilla County Fair which is being held August 18-20.

The boys were encouraged to enter the livestock judging contest at the Morrow County Fair, to compete for the plaque sponsored by the Morrow County Grain Growers, Inc. It will be given to the high judge of the Heppner chapter. There will also be a banner for the high F. F. A. livestock judge at the fair. Any member of the Blue Mountain district can compete for this award.

CAPITAL PARADE

(Continued from Page 7) meeting in Portland last week. Congresswoman Edith S. Green and Mrs. Richard L. Neuberger, wife of Oregon's Junior U. S. Senator, will be principal speakers at a national organizational meeting of women Democrats of the Northwest at Spokane, October 14-15.

IT MADE NEWS For most state workers it has become standard practice to stretch their 15-minute "coffee breaks" to 25 or 30 minutes.

So, of course it made front page news when a group of motor vehicle department employees came in the Capitol restaurant one day this week with an alarm clock, placed it in the center of the table, ordered and enjoyed their coffee and promptly arose when the alarm clock went off in 15 minutes and went back to work.

NIGHT RAIDERS A rash of Rye grass seed thievery spread over Linn county and into Lane and Marion counties during the first week of August. The going market price is \$7.50 a sack.

Eighty sacks of the seed disappeared from the farm fields of Earl Manning which was the largest loss reported.

The seed growers began laying in wait in their fields with guns Saturday night.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Elvira McDonald were Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald and Neil, The Dalles. Accompanied by Mrs. Ella Bleakman, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McDonald and Monte McDonald they spent Sunday fishing on Rock Creek.

Umatilla Fair to Go On Despite Loss of Buildings by Fire

The Umatilla county fair at Hermiston August 17-20 will be bigger and better than ever, was the word this week from fair board members who are making frantic efforts to replace the five fair buildings burned to the ground last Monday.

All but two of seven major buildings went up in flames, but it was reported today (Thursday) that through the help of Umatilla county and Ordinance, numerous metal buildings have been made available for fair use.

The fair program opens Saturday night with the crowning of queen Terry Hill of Helix.

Welfare Aid

Continued from Page 1 pended for medical care of recipients of all the categories of aid. Aid to dependent children grants decreased only \$127 and a decrease of \$577 in aid to the blind was due to the closing of the only grant in that program in October. General assistance, including foster care, decreased \$581.98 primarily due to the fact that no children were in need of foster home care during the past year.

It was noted that the total approved budget for the 54-55 period was \$81,467.00 compared to the total \$65,455.98 expenditures, representing a difference of \$16,011.02.

Administrative costs increased only \$101.13. The increasing costs of medical treatment and the fact that the program for aid to the permanent and totally disabled is still relatively new, appear to be the important factors in the consideration of the expenditures for public assistance in the county, Myrick pointed out.

The commission includes members of the county court, Garnet Barratt, chairman and county judge, Ralph Thompson, Heppner, and Russell Miller, Boardman, commissioners, J. O. Hager and Charles Jones, Heppner, Mrs. Ernest Heliker, Ione, and Mrs. Vernon Munkers, Lexington.

DIVORCES GRANTED

Judge William Wells granted divorces in circuit court Monday morning to Virginia Snow from William Snow, Ione, and was granted the custody of the children and support payments; to Nina Noland from Cleve Noland Heppner, with Mrs. Nolan awarded custody of the children and support payments and to Kenneth Akers from Maysell Akers, Ione.

HOSPITAL NEWS

New Arrivals—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunn, Fossil, a 7 lb. 12 oz. girl born Aug. 7, named Mickey Alicia.

Medical—Alvin Sawyer, Condon; Larry Bellenbrock, Heppner, dismissed; James Laney, Lexington, dismissed; Eddie Struthers, Condon, dismissed; Ernest Hunt, Heppner; Homer Bowman, Kinzua; Ceceila Worlein, Kinzua; Stanley Stanek, Parkdale, Oregon; Margaret Gaarsland, Ione; Victor Robert Rietmann, Ione, dismissed.

Minor Surgery—Lucille Weems, Spray, dismissed; Mary Wright, Heppner, dismissed; Charlene Wizner, Boardman.

Major Surgery—Elmer Kennedy, Condon; Virginia Kelson, Kinzua.

Out-Patients — Richard Hayes, Condon; Russell O'Donnell, Heppner; Beulah Ogletree, Heppner.

COUNTY SCHOOLS TO OPEN SEPTEMBER 6

All schools in the county will open Sept. 6, Jack C. Flug, county school superintendent, has announced. Teaching staffs are almost complete with only two or three vacancies remaining in the county, he said.

SPECIAL LEXINGTON SCHOOL MEETING

A special meeting of the Lexington school patrons will be held at the school house Tuesday August 23 at 8:00 p. m. All interested members of the community are invited to attend.

The meeting is for the purpose of discussing and preparing plans for possible shop and home economics classes in the Lexington school.

LOCAL RANCHER ON MAGAZINE COVER

Cover picture for the August 1 issue of the Oregon Farmer is of Paul Brown, Heppner wheat rancher, who was the county conservation man for the year for 1954. The farm magazine is also issued as the Washington, Idaho and Utah Farmer in each respective state.

POTLUCK BEING PLANNED

Friends are making tentative plans for a potluck dinner on the court house lawn, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Harley Anderson, during Mrs. Anderson's visit here from Mesa, Arizona.

She is expected to arrive in Heppner about August 15.

Local News In Brief

Jack C. Flug, county school superintendent, attended a workshop for all county superintendents in the state at the University of Oregon, Eugene, July 25-30. Following the workshop Mr. and Mrs. Flug visited in Reedsport at the homes of their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pitcher and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hathaway.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Jones and daughter, Miss Loma Mae Jones, Portland, and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grabeal, Dayton, Wash., left last week for a vacation in Washington, D. C., New York, and Toronto, Canada where they will attend a Disciples of Christ world convention.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Anderson left Friday for Pasco where Mr. Anderson's father, who has been visiting here, took the train for his home in North Dakota. The Anderson's continued on to Hillsboro to pick up their daughters, Connie and Carol Ann who have been vacationing at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Yackley.

Mrs. Warren Boyd, (Lorena Meadows) of San Francisco, who is a former Heppner resident, is a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hager. She will remain for a week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bedford, daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Bedford and granddaughter Julie Bedford attended the First National bank picnic Sunday at Emigrant Springs Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farra and family returned Monday evening from a weeks vacation to the Oregon coast. In Portland they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beardsley. Mr. Beardsley is recovering from an injury to his hand caused when he caught it in a saw.

The Rev. Lester D. Boulden left this week for Sacramento, Calif., where he will attend a pastor's school at the College of Pacific during the remainder of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parrish of Lake Grove, near Portland visited last weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parrish.

CIVIC LEAGUE MEETING IS CHANGED

The regular meeting of the Heppner Civic League has been postponed from August 15 until Monday August 22.



"Poor Clarence since he made all that money, he's been carrying the weight of the world around on his stomach!"

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bedford

last Thursday were their daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. W. Bedford and daughters Julia and Jill of California, the latter's mother, Mrs. Alfred Jensen, her sister, Miss Ruth Jensen and aunt, Miss Katherine Cropsey, Bickleton, Wash. Miss Jensen has been employed by the air force in Weisbaden, Germany as a teacher for service dependents the past four years and will leave the end of August for Madrid, Spain where she will teach next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Young and children left this week for a vacation in Los Angeles, Calif. They were accompanied by their recent houseguests, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Young, and his sisters, Mrs. Norman Gaugh and son and Miss Lorita Young, all of Maryville, Mo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Penland were in Baker on Saturday and Madras on Sunday where Penland assisted with the district meetings of the Oregon Newspaper Publishers Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Graham and daughter Helen, Janice Beamer and Mrs. Raymond Ferguson left Sunday for a few days in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lowden, Centralia, Wash., visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Doolittle last week. Doolittle and Lowden were fellow employees in Centralia in 1916.

Judge and Mrs. Garnet Barratt left Tuesday for Salem on business. They expect to be gone until the first of next week.

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