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An Answer Will Come

President Eisenhower early this week faced up to one of the most important decisions he has yet had to make—the acceptance or rejection of the farm bill. He rejected the answer that Congress had given because he felt that the bill given to him didn't answer anything. He was in one of those situations where, "he was damned if he did and damned if he didn't."

In this country the farm problem is of course uppermost in the minds of most, and from what we can determine, many farmers, though they don't like the way things are going, seem to feel that probably a veto was for the best. The bill didn't solve any problems. Some indicate that "all is lost" for this year, but we can't quite go along with that feeling for we think the President, in his Monday night talk on radio and television, handed the problem right back to Congress, where it belongs, and along with it, gave them the suggestion of a solution.

Ike had previously asked for the Soil Bank

idea and Congress approved it in the recent bill, only they cluttered it up so badly with other ideas that it would have been entirely ineffective. In his talk he asked for it again with the additional provision that it be made partially effective on this year's crop by giving farmers one-half of the soil bank benefits if they sign up for the program. The idea is in keeping with the administration's overall program and in addition offers help for the current crop year—something the Congress-passed bill did not do.

Whether the soil bank is the ultimate answer to the farm problem, we certainly cannot say, yet it approaches the question from a logical angle and is the best long-range idea yet developed by either Republicans or Democrats. The bill has been tossed back to Congress and we look for it to come up with some acceptable bill either during the remainder of the present session or if necessary, at a special session later in the year. However it may come, we think some answer to the farm problem will be found. It is our number one problem within the country and it can't be ignored for another year.

From The County Agent's Office

By N. C. Anderson

The Squaw Butte-Harney experiment station near Burns has just announced that they have a position open for herdsman. The herdsman would have the responsibility of the care and management of the cattle herd and the keeping of livestock records on all animals not involved in detailed specific experiments. He would also assist the research staff in care and record keeping on detailed experiments. They wish a man with either no family or a small family of pre-school age. Anyone interested should contact superintendent, W. E. Sawyer at the experiment station.

Kenneth Peck, Lexington farmer, has just farrowed out three sows in farrowing crates using the plans developed by Oregon State College. Kenneth says that the crates work well and cut down a big portion of the risk of sows laying on little pigs. He thinks that it is necessary to be with them at farrowing time though, even with the use of farrowing crates. Kenneth Simouse, Ione, has used the farrowing crates for three or four years and is very well pleased with the results at farrowing time.

Several farmers have, in the past week, applied Dalapon to small acreages of stubble in experimenting with chemical summer fallow. Rates of application vary but the common rate is five pounds per acre. A quart of 3.34 pound material 24-D is being added to the Dalapon for broadleaf weed control. In an effort to get information additional to the effect on cheatgrass, volunteer grain, and broadleaf control, experiments were set up this week at the Gar Swanson and Kenneth Peck ranches to sample soil moisture and nitrogen content of the sprayed stubble, compared to that worked in the regular summer fallow method. Soil moisture samples were taken soon after plowing and the application of the chemical, and will be followed up with sampling during the year. Ni-

trogen content of the two types of summer fallow will be determined before seeding time. Details are being worked out now in cooperation with Farm Chemicals, Athena, and Inland Chemical of Heppner in an experiment using various rates of Dalapon applied with various volumes of water.

Kenneth and L. A. Palmer recently sold their yearling steers which were fed on barley and alfalfa hay this past winter. The barley and hay fed, was raised on the farm and Kenneth believes was marketed to very good advantage through the steers. The steers averaged 745 pounds the day they were sold. The calves were taken to the salesyard a couple of days before being sold and the selling weight, compared to that when delivered, was approximately a 25 pound shrink. The steers made at least a 250 pound gain from weaning time. The steers were fed approximately 125 days. They were fed no more than seven pounds of barley per day at their peak consumption and about ten pounds of hay. High market price of \$18.10 per hundred, low \$17.20.

A recent announcement was to the effect that there will be no 4-H sale at the Pacific International Livestock Exposition at Portland in 1956. The 4-H and FFA livestock will be sold in the stockyard through a sales program worked out with the commission firms of the North Portland yards. It is believed that the educational experience for the young people in this type of marketing will be greatly improved over the previous sales method.

An interesting and educational two days were spent last week at the North Portland Stockyards and Swift and Company plant. During the two days Eastern Oregon agents had the opportunity to grade live animals (cows, heifers, steers, lambs, swine) and to follow these through to the packing plant to compare live

animal grades with process grades of USDA meat inspectors. College veterinarians, E. M. Dickenson, Herb Muth and Paul H. Allen discussed livestock diseases and parasites in a round table discussion during the afternoon. One-half day was spent with representatives of the state department of agriculture in discussing the meat inspection program brand inspection, testing and care of scales and brucellosis control work.

Three dairy heifer calves from the Tillamook Dairy Herd Improvement Association were received this week by Kenneth Palmer, Lexington, and by John and Nancy Cleveland. Two of the calves were Guernseys, one Holstein. They are from excellent producing cows and were selected from heifers kept by Tillamook dairymen as replacement stock. These should add to the other good producing Tillamook cows and heifers in Morrow county.

The 4-H Clubs of Ione have invited 4-H members and their parents from other communities in the county to their 4-H Club Sunday services at the Community church in Ione on April 22. 4-H Club Sunday has been observed in Ione for several years and has won itself quite a recognition throughout Oregon. 4-H Club members plan and present the church services on this Sunday.

A livestock tour and judging contest held last Sunday afternoon amongst members of the Buttercreek Junction Livestock club was an outstanding event. Approximately thirty-five club members and parents took part in the tour. The judging contest was held at the William J. Doherty ranch, using fat steers being fed as projects by Bernard and Billy Doherty. Control of grubs was discussed at the Dan Blewett ranch with Jack Lieualen's two fat steers. Also visiting during the day were sheep, swine and beef projects carried by Gene, Larry, and Robert Campbell, sheep projects carried by Phyllis Nelson and Billie Gottschalk and beef projects carried by Sandra and Carlene Rhea.

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From Files of the Gazette Times April 22, 1926
Hepner may have night train service in the near future in place of the present day service, if action now being taken by the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company results favorably.

Contract for the new Ferguson garage building has been let to Harry Johnson, Henry Crump and Ed Bucknum, local contractors, and work will start immediately.

Ed Gonty, Jr. has the biggest fish catch to his credit yet presented to the Peoples Hardware company for measurement in the fish pole contest being conducted by them.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Munkers with their three children, Vernon, Archie and Leonard, arrived by auto from Salem Monday afternoon.

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as Administrator De Bonis non of the estate of Walter W. Luckman, deceased, has filed his final account and report in said estate with the Clerk of this Court and that the Judge thereof has fixed Monday, the 14th day of May, 1956, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., as the time, in the County Courtroom in Heppner, Oregon as the place for hearing objections to said final account and settlement thereof.

B. D. Fancher,
Administrator, de bonis non,
P. W. Mahoney
Attorney for Administrator,
de bonis non
Heppner, Oregon

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING
Estate No. 1,317
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MORROW COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of PHILLIP S. GRIFFIN, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed her Final Account and Report in the above entitled matter and the Court has fixed Tuesday, the 24th day of April, 1956, at the hour of 10:00 A. M. of said day as the time, and the County Court Room in the County Court House at Heppner, Morrow County, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections, if any, to said Final Account and Report and for the final settlement thereof.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, this 20th day of March, 1956.
JESSIE M. GRIFFIN,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Phillip S. Griffin, Deceased
PETERSON, CLARK & PETERSON
Attorneys for the Executrix
2-6c

NOTICE OF SCHOOL ELECTION UPON QUESTION OF INCREASING TAX LEVY OVER AMOUNT LIMITED BY SECTION 11, ARTICLE XI, STATE CONSTITUTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in School Districts 10, 25, 35c, 40, 1 c, and 12 of Morrow County, state of Oregon, on May 14, 1956. The election will begin at 2 p. m. and will be held in the school house in each of said component districts. The purpose of submitting to the legal voters of said district the question of increasing the tax levy for the fiscal year 1956-1957 over the amount limited by section 11, article XI, of the Constitution of Oregon.

The reasons for increasing such levy are:

The low tax base due to the fact that some districts lost their base entirely and others could only be increased by the legal, allowed 6% per year. There have been increased costs in maintaining new buildings erected and needed repairs. Increases in teachers' salaries, high cost of supplies and equipment, and re-

pairs to some of our older buildings.
The total base of all Districts in Morrow County Rural School District is \$145,353.72.
The amount of tax, in excess of 6% limitation, proposed to be levied for said fiscal year is \$285,809.25.
Dated this 19th day of April, 1956.
Attest:
JACK C. FLUG,
District Clerk
ALONZO HENDERSON,
Chairman, Board of Directors
617c

EQUALIZATION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday May 1, 1956, at 7:30 p. m. the Directors of the West Extension Irrigation District, acting as a Board of Equalization, will meet at their office in Irrigon, Oregon, to review and correct the annual assessment for the period from July 1, 1956 to June 30, 1957, levied by the Board of Directors April 14, 1956. In the meantime the assessment roll is on file at the District office for the inspection by all persons affected by said levy.
MRS. A. C. HOUGHTON,
Secretary
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NOTICE OF MEETING OF COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, May 14th, 1956, the Board of Equalization of the County of Morrow, Oregon, will meet at the County Courthouse in Heppner, Oregon, to publicly examine the assessment rolls for said County of Morrow, for the year 1956-1957, and to correct all errors in valuation, description, or qualities of land, lots or other property assessed by the assessor.

The ratio between assessed and true cash value determined by the Assessor pursuant to ORS 309.028 is 21 percent.
It shall be the duty of the persons interested to appear at the time and place appointed. Peti-

tions for adjustment of assessments must be filed with the Board of Equalization not later than the end of the first week that Board is in session.
HARRY DINGES,
Assessor
County of Morrow
6-8c

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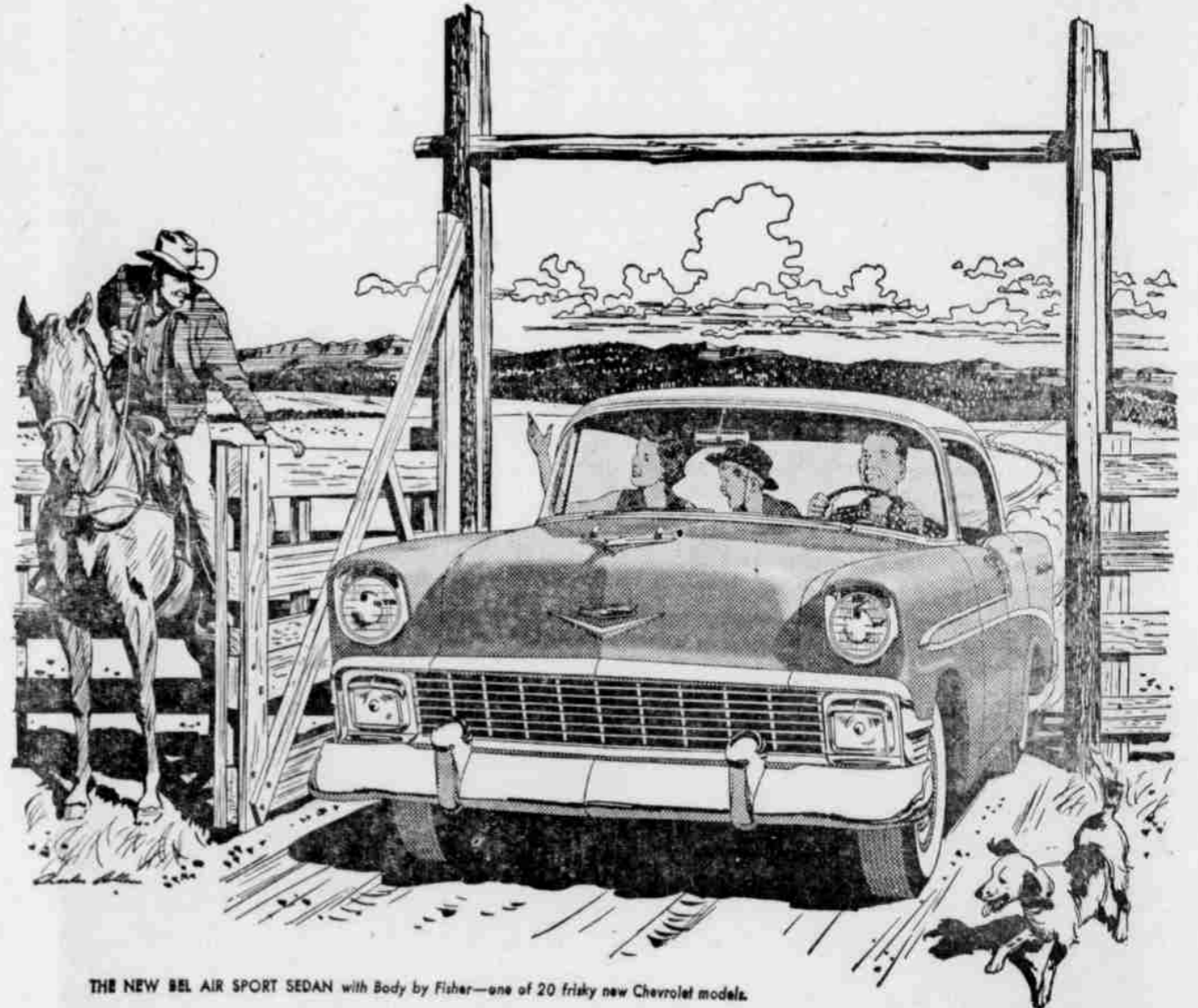
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John Payne, Skip Homeier, Mona Freeman, Lee J. Cobb in a very good western drama in color

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