

## LIVESTOCK JUDGING FIELD DAY EVENT

### DEMONSTRATION BY CLUB BOYS

More than 100 people attended the dairy field day program at the Umatilla Field Station last Saturday to participate in the judging contest and hear the speakers from the state department of agriculture and the state college.

Jay T. Pierson, assistant county agent, stressed the need of a pasture improvement program, not only for farmers but for 4-H club projects. H. K. Dean, superintendent of the station, pointed out the various feed rations which had been proven by use at the station and directed a tour through the dairy barns explaining the various methods used.

Eugene Rugg and Joe Cooney gave a demonstration on "Safety-Keep Bull Pen" which had been arranged and directed by Mr. Pierson. The boys used a miniature bull pen for demonstration. The demonstration stressed the necessity of retaining a bull or herd sire for at least four years in order that production may be determined when his daughter comes into production. Many bulls are sold for beef after the second year because they become vicious, but by the use of such a bull pen as was demonstrated safety is assured to owner and attendants. Demonstrations carried out along these lines are comparatively new and was very interesting. The lumber used in the miniature pen was furnished by the Grange Cooperative.

Walter A. Holt, county agent from Pendleton, acted as chairman for the afternoon program. He introduced A. W. Metzger of the State Department of Agriculture, who explained the milk and cream grading law.

Mr. Metzger stated that when this law went into effect the report went out that the department had employed 500 cream graders over the state, when in reality only four men had been employed. This came about through the licensing of many buttermakers and cream testers in the individual plants who aid in raising the grade of cream in their own plants after passing an examination.

The law, Mr. Metzger stated, effects only factory milk and cream. There has been a marked improvement in the grade of dairy products since the law's enactment. Metzger urged that farmers and dairymen give the law a fair trial and cooperate with all local plants.

I. R. Jones, Dairy Husbandman, Oregon Experiment Station, gave a resume of results of experiments conducted at the station. Feed rations and breeding are of major importance he said.

G. A. Brown, manager of Interstate Associated Creameries, told of the importance of marketing to 4-H club work in connection with cooperative marketing. He gave valuable marketing information, and touched upon the subject of freight rates.

Roger Morse, Extension Dairyman of Oregon Experiment Station, brought out the purposes and results of a long time dairy breeding program. He stated that through planned breeding the present-day cow produced three times as much milk as she did before the program was developed. This was brought about because a sound breeding program furnished a way in which dairymen may meet competition. This was done by maintaining a sound health program in the dairy herd; by carrying a sound testing program; and by proper interpretation of the records kept from these tests. Mr. Morse stated that the dairy herd testing association had operated for the past nine years consistently and the dairy farmer who followed these records, weeding the culls, had improved his herd.

Here again Mr. Morse pointed out that the sire should not tear down the herd but they should be the son of a proven sire and dam. One of the weaknesses in the program, he said, was that the cows did not produce long enough to pay for bringing her into production. A cow should produce more than four years to give paying results.

### Awards Made.

Livestock judging and crops identification contests were open to both adult and 4-H club boys and girls. The Milton-Freewater boys and girls walked away with the majority of the prizes in the junior group with first prize going to Bob Burggraf, who was presented with a halter; James Parent, second, a cream can; and Charles Kik of Hermiston, third prize, an open pail.

J. Bryant Fletcher of Hermiston, won a bag of dairy feed as first prize in the adult group. L. C. Dyer, second prize of a covered milk pail, and third prize to John Campbell, which was a cream can strainer.

These prizes were offered by the Umatilla Cooperative Creamery and the Umatilla Project Farm Bureau, and presented by Jay T. Pierson, assistant county agent.

Ralph Neil, the only boy present from Morrow county, won fourth in the judging contest.

### East End Reentered.

A large group of clubbers from the east end of Umatilla county were

## COUSIN OF J. M. NORTON PASSES

David Crockett Duvall, cousin of J. M. Norton, former resident of Hermiston, and now of Mt. Vernon, Or., passed away in Pendleton Monday, August 16, at the age of 45 years. Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. from the Echo Methodist church, with Folsom's of Pendleton in charge, and burial at Echo. C. Warner, pastor of the Hermiston Union church, officiated. Pallbearers were Ed Ditty, Neil Melville, Sloan Thomson, Gaylord Madison, Roy Smith and Ed Liesegang.

Duvall was born in Gowen, Mo., September 4, 1892, and joined the Baptist church when a boy. He came to Oregon in 1915, and married Viola Schmidt, December 8, 1921, who, with two children, Alvin and Helen, survive. One son, Harold, died in infancy. Others who survive are his mother, Mrs. Mary Duvall and two brothers, Donald and Melvin of St. Joseph, Mo. and one brother, Harry Duvall, of Lexington.

He farmed for several years at Alpine, in Morrow county, and with his family moved to Nyssa, Or., eight years ago, where he was active in community affairs.

At the funeral service Miss Opal Stockard and Mrs. C. Warner sang, "Shall We Gather at the River," and "He Leadeth Me," and Dan Lindsay sang "The Old Rugged Cross." Both were accompanied by Mrs. Chas. Duvall of Hermiston.

### License Examiner Coming.

C. M. Bentley, examiner of operators and chauffeurs, will be in Hermiston Saturday, August 21 at the city library between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., respectively, according to a recent announcement released from the Secretary of State's office. All those wishing permits or licenses to drive cars are asked to get in touch with Mr. Bentley during these hours.

### Students Register Early.

W. G. Kersbergen, superintendent of schools for Hermiston, has requested that all high school students call at the high school building the week before school on September 7th, and complete registration. Mr. Kersbergen will be at the school in the mornings during that week.

### COY-HUXOLL

Miss Lorraine Mae Huxoll and Charles Edward Coy were united in marriage Sunday, August 15th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huxoll, west of Hermiston. Miss Betty Huxoll and Virgil Krause of Stanfield were the attendants. C. Warner, pastor of the Union church, read the vows.

### BOARDMAN

By Maryetta Thomas

Mr. Alt purchased a new truck at The Dalles Friday and wrecked it while bringing it home. It was repaired at Hood River and brought to Boardman.

Mr. Bates left Saturday for Longview where he will visit for a few days.

Maxine Ballenger of The Dalles is a guest of Miss Janet Gorham.

Clara Mae Dillon returned from Seattle this week where she has been visiting her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Norcoskie returned Friday from the coast where they have been visiting.

The Grange gave a farewell party Saturday night honoring the Blacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Black and family left for Corvallis where they will make their future home.

Wilma Myers was in Boardman Friday evening and attended a surprise party given in honor of Ralph, Bill and Naoma Black. It was given at the home of Marietta Thomas with thirty present to enjoy games and refreshments.

Mrs. McCutchen left Monday for a short vacation to Yaholt where she will visit her sister.

Grace Gupton returned from The Dalles Thursday.

Mary Chaffee, who is employed at Heppner, returned home Wednesday and is leaving this Friday for Seaside on a vacation.

Mrs. I. Anderson had her tonsils removed at Hermiston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Messenger and daughter Lois left Friday morning for Spokane where they will spend a week's vacation.

Buster Rands took Black's furniture to Corvallis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hankins left Wednesday for Burns where they will live.

Lena Rose and Betty McKenzie arrived Thursday and are visitors of Virginia Compton.

Jess Cox was taken to the hospital at Hermiston Wednesday and was returned to Stanfield Thursday. He will return to Boardman about Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Percie Rake and baby returned Friday from Walla Walla where they have been visiting Ray Brown's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller and children left Thursday for Crater Lake.

H. B. Thomas and Mr. Porter made a business trip to Heppner Friday.

Howard Packard is the new school bus driver for the west end, taking Dave Johnston's place.

Mrs. Maude Kobow is hired to teach in the upper grades.

## RUBY MC MILLAN BUYS STYLE SHOP

Mrs. Ruby McMillan has purchased The Style Shop from Miss Jessie Brierley and took over the ladies' ready-to-wear shop Tuesday morning. Final transactions were completed Tuesday. Miss Brierley released the shop because her time would be devoted to the variety store she purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Guy Amsberry last week.

Mrs. McMillan has lived in Hermiston for a number of years and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Scott. She taught school at Hereford, Ore., near Baker, last year and has spent most of the summer here. Mrs. McMillan taught school before her marriage and went into that profession again after the death of her husband three years ago.

## GOOD HORSE RACES ASSURED AT FAIR

The plans for races at the fair have been developed into ten events for Friday and Saturday afternoons. As first announced a quarter mile track would be ready but work is going on for completion of a full half mile track with several half mile races.

In addition to half mile races will be several quarter mile events, saddle horse races and a contest of Shetland ponies. A number of good race horses will be entered and the committee in charge promises interesting entertainment on the new track.

## FLOY ATTEBURY SUNDAY BRIDE

Miss Floy Attebury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Attebury, became the bride of Dayton Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harris of Hermiston, at a quiet wedding ceremony Sunday afternoon August 15, at the First Christian church in Pendleton, Ore. Rev. A. F. Vanslyke read the vows.

The bride was lovely in a grey sport suit with blue accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations.

Only members of the immediate family and close friends were present. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Emory.

The young couple are making their home in the teacherage of Minnehaha school for the present, following a short trip into the mountains near LaGrande.

## VACATIONS; MANY OTHER NEWS ITEMS

By Maryetta Thomas

Dick Upham, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Upham for the past month, left Tuesday for Cathlamet, Wn., where he will be employed in the technical department for the Crown Willamette Paper Mills Co. Upham is a graduate of the forestry department in Oregon State college and for the past two years has been stationed at Walker, Minnesota, in the Cass Lake National Forest.

Miss Florence Udey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Udey of Columbia district, who has been working in the office of the Neighbors of Woodcraft in Portland, for the past three years, recently took a position as comptometer operator for the Western Pine Lumber Co. She graduated from the comptometer night school June 1st after attending during the winter.

Mrs. Olga Dymmel of 12556 West Phalalia, Detroit, Mich., was in the hospital a short while Monday for treatment of minor injuries received when the car in which she was riding left the highway and turned over a few miles below Umatilla. Mr. and Mrs. Dymmel and their two sons were returning home after a vacation trip on the coast. Other occupants of the car escaped without injury.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Warner and daughter Patsy and son Glenn left Wednesday evening for Grangeville, Idaho, where they formerly lived, to visit friends for several days. They will then visit at the home of Mrs. Warner's mother in Spokane, Wn., returning to Hermiston Saturday, August 28th. Mr. Warner is pastor of the Hermiston Union church and Wallace Patrick of Eugene will fill the pulpit next Sunday. Evening services will be dismissed that day to allow the young people to attend a union meeting at Emigrant Springs.

Mrs. Ellen Hill Hasbrouk of St. Petersburg, Alaska, formerly a teacher of English in the Hermiston high school for several years, spent Tuesday in Hermiston. With her were her two children and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pollard, and two children. Pollard is a retired English irrigation engineer and he and Mrs. Pollard have spent many years in India. They are now on their way to California. Mrs. Hasbrouk will soon return to Alaska where she is a teacher of English in the St. Petersburg schools. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Haneline.

Guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Morgan from Monday until Wednesday afternoon were

## MRS. JAMES TODD DISTRICT PRESIDENT

Mrs. James Todd was named president of District No. 6 for the American Legion Auxiliary at the state convention in Albany last week, to replace Mrs. Effie Ritehey of Milton who has served for the past two years.

Delegates to the convention from the local Post and Auxiliary were O. K. Mudge, James Todd, retiring District Commander, Mrs. James Todd, Mrs. O. K. Mudge, president of the local Unit, and J. E. Hallyburton who also attended sessions during the convention.

## SILVER JUBILEE EDITION

A silver jubilee fair edition will be issued next week by the Herald to include important information concerning the approaching fair and also much about earlier fairs.

For the past 25 years the fair has been held in the fall to bring together a display of the products grown on this project. Watch for this edition and bring in any information of special interest you may have about former fairs.

## C. J. DURFEY MARRIES SPOKANE GIRL

Announcements were received this week of the marriage of Miss Anne Caletta Kubel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kubel of Spokane, Wn., to Charles Jarvis Durfey of Hermiston, on Sunday, August 15. The young couple will be home to friends at the Hotel Hermiston after September 1st. Mrs. Durfey taught in the grade school here three years ago and is well known by many in this community. Mr. Durfey is owner and manager of the Hotel Hermiston, having made his home here for years.

## Minimum Rate One Dollar.

The board of directors of the Umatilla Electric Cooperative has fixed the minimum rate of charge for electricity to rural users at one dollar. This was under authority given the cooperative by its contract with the National Rural Electrification administration. The REA required that no minimum rate exceed two and one-half dollars and permitted the local board to fix the minimum at less. The rate of one dollar is designated to enable all farmer members to have electric lights in their homes.

## Farm Bureau Warehouse.

Sixteen men are employed in the construction of the new mill and warehouse addition to the plant of the Farm Bureau Cooperative of Hermiston. The excavation and concrete foundation work of the mill is finished. Forms for the warehouse foundation are now being filled with concrete. The dirt and gravel taken from the basement of the mill has been transferred to fill the space under the floor of the warehouse. This will soon be leveled to a height of about four feet, in which the floor of concrete will be laid. The basement of the mill is 26x46 and that of the warehouse 50x60.

## Co-op. Service Station Addition.

An addition is being made to the Cooperative Service Station to allow space for oil storage and equipment for washing and polishing cars. The addition will have a 20 foot front on First street and will be 30 feet deep, making the entire structure with a 50 foot frontage.

## Weather Report.

| Date      | Max. | Min. |
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| August 12 | 101  | 51   |
| August 13 | 95   | 52   |
| August 14 | 79   | 52   |
| August 15 | 80   | 40   |
| August 16 | 90   | 42   |
| August 17 | 98   | 48   |
| August 18 | 97   | 54   |

Precipitation was .01.

## Reid To Honolulu.

Howard Reid, Jr., son of J. H. Reid of Columbia district, has been transferred by the U. S. Army Engineers to Honolulu for an indefinite period. Reid has been employed in the engineers' offices in Portland for the past three years, taking the position almost immediately following his graduation from the University of Washington. Reid arrived at his home here Monday night and left again today for Seattle and then to San Francisco and Honolulu.

## School Bus to Idaho.

O. O. Felthouse has completed placing a school bus body on a Dodge chassis for school District No. 11 at Weiser, Idaho, and the bus was delivered Sunday by a man from that district. Mr. Felthouse has constructed all the school busses on his routes in the Hermiston district which have a reputation for sturdiness and safety devices. He also conducts a sand and gravel business here.

## TEACHING STAFF ANNOUNCED

The teaching staff for the grade and high school for the coming year has been announced by Supt. W. G. Kersbergen. Three new teachers have been added to the high school staff and one to the grade school staff.

School will start Tuesday, September 7th, if satisfactory to the grade school board and the Columbia school, as voted by members of the high school board recently.

Members of the high school staff are: Esther Sibert, commercial; Lavina May Lynch, English; Dorothy Griffin, home economics, is a graduate of U. of O. and her home is in Portland; Helen Peterson, mathematics and music, graduate of Willamette University; G. C. Humphreys of Pendleton, orchestra and band; and Frank W. O'Neil, manual training and science, and athletic coach.

Grade school staff members are: Myrtle Burnett of Pendleton, who taught in Pilot Rock last year, first grade; Mary Petri second; Margaret Kirk, third; Blanche Harmon, fourth; Marie Salmi, fifth; Nora Johnston, Alma Greaves and L. G. Burrell, departmental work in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

## FAIR QUEEN NOMINEES

Virginia Wells and Edith Peterson are the two nominees from the Hermiston district who will run for queen of the Umatilla Project Fair at the final queen dance Saturday, August 28th. Other nominees from Echo, Stanfield and Umatilla will be present at the queen election dance.

Other ballots cast were for Frances Dawson, 920; Helen Jendrzewski, 835; Floy Attebury, 75; Velda Geer, 40; Jane Jackson, 150; Marie Skovbo, 60; and Irene Dyer, 90.

A list of candidates will be published in the Herald next week.

## GLENN C. WADE COMING AUGUST 24

A change has been made in the date of the Townsend club meeting as announced last week when Glenn C. Wade, district manager, will be the speaker, to Tuesday, August 24. Mr. Wade is an able talker and is well posted on matters pertaining to the organization and the public is invited to attend the meeting, to be held in the Union church.

The regular Townsend club meeting was held Tuesday evening with a good crowd present. The auctioning of lunch boxes and a program of varied numbers was enjoyed after the business meeting.

A program is being arranged for the meeting August 24th and refreshments will be served. The public is invited to attend.

## LIST OF APPLIANCES APPROVED BY EHFA

Listed below are the types of appliances approved for financing by Electric Home and Farm Authority and the maximum contract periods applicable to their purchase individually or in combinations:

1. Refrigerator, range, water heater, water pump, milk cooler, cream separator, farm motor, clothes drier, purchased individually—36 months.
2. Any combination of appliances listed in No. 1—48 months.
3. Washing machine or vacuum cleaner, purchased individually or in combination—24 months.
4. Washing machine or vacuum cleaner, purchased in combination with any one appliance listed in No. 1—36 months.
5. Washing machine or vacuum cleaner, purchased in combination with any two appliances listed in No. 1—48 months.
6. Dishwasher—18 months.
7. Waste disposal unit—12 months.
8. Bottle cooler (minimum down payment 10 per cent)—24 months.
9. Milking machine (minimum down payment 10 per cent)—30 months.
10. Radio (priced at \$100 or less)—12 months. Radio (priced over \$100, minimum down payment 10 per cent, 90 per cent advance)—18 months.

Only those manufacturers' products which have been approved by Electric Home and Farm Authority are eligible for financing.

## STANFIELD ON RADIO PROGRAM

Representing the City of Stanfield in the dedication ceremonies of the new KGW broadcasting station tower in Portland Saturday were the Sagebrush Wranglers sponsored by the Stanfield Commercial club, and composed of George McDermitt, Don Refvem, Billy Penney, Raymond Meade and Raymond Beebe.

The boys were accompanied to Portland by Mrs. R. G. Penney, M. Refvem, Mrs. S. Thorsen, Miss Blanche Thorsen and Clyde Kennison. For their performance they were dressed in white shirt and trousers and cowboy hats, and represented the only small town in Oregon appearing on the program.

The announcer commented on the wry smile of Stanfield and the song sung by the boys which was compiled by Harry Wessell of Stanfield. The boys stayed at the Imperial hotel, visited Jantzen Beach, and were entertained by members of the Rose City Motorcycle club.

## ANNUAL TURKEY TOUR IN SEVENTH YEAR

### GROWERS STUDY NEW METHODS

The annual turkey tour program will start promptly at 9:30 o'clock Saturday at the Umatilla Field Station with H. K. Dean, superintendent of the station, giving the results of work carried on in connection with turkey problems.

The turkey tour is in its seventh year and is sponsored by the Eastern Oregon Turkey Growers' association with headquarters in Hermiston, as a means of promoting new methods in turkey brooding, ranging, and feeding. The interested growers visit other turkey farms, study breeding methods and thus profit by other's experiences.

From the experiment station they will journey to the A. E. Benschel farm where method of handling turkeys will be shown. The next stop will be at the H. B. Darling farm where growers will have an opportunity of seeing a fair size flock consisting of large type market birds. From there the group will go to Columbia park to enjoy a basket dinner. Each family will furnish their own basket dinner and table service. Free turkey, ice cream and coffee will be served.

Men interested in the promotion of the turkey industry will give talks on the afternoon program. Herbert Byers, general manager of the Northwest Turkey Growers' association of Salt Lake City, will give the principal address.

N. L. Bennion, extension poultryman from Oregon State college, who was recently appointed poultry specialist filling the vacancy left by H. E. Cosby, who is now head of the poultry department, will discuss turkey production problems in Oregon.

J. C. Leedy, field manager of the Oregon Turkey Cooperatives, who is well known to local turkey growers, will discuss the association problems.

John Jendrzewski, president of the local association, will preside at the afternoon meeting.

Two of three musical numbers have also been scheduled for the program to be given by Miss Edna Ott and Donald DeMoss. A 4-H club demonstration team will give their work.

A. E. Benschel will have charge of the sports program which will be a soft ball game between the leans and fat turkey growers. The fats are out after the scalps this year.