Jackson County Tourists Apply For 73 Passports; Follow Nation-Wide Trend

Jackson county people are boarding ship and plane for foreign places in greater numbers than ever before. County clerk's records reveal 73 passport applications had been received up to Aug 10 this year.

The passport business in the clerk's office is going at an unprecedented rate as local people are keeping up with the nationwide trend to more and more travel. It is estimated that U. S. tourists last year spent $3,500,000,000 in foreign countries exclusive of transportation to and from. This year's figure is expected to top that.

Many Travel Reasons

Jackson county clerk's office reported that reasons compelling folks from "pear valley" to travel are many. Some are wives who will join their servicemen-husbands at military bases. Several are missionaries, and still others are students with scholarships to study at foreign universities.

But the great majority are just tourists—people on vacation to see what they can of the world.

For a United States citizen to leave, all that is required is a passport, for which application is made at the county clerk's desk.

First, the government wants to know place and time of birth, and names of parents. Proof may me a birth certificate, baptismal certificate, or an affidavit of a qualified person.

Photographs Necessary

Two snapshots of the applicant, about two inches square and taken with in the past six months, are necessary.

The complete form takes about 20 minutes to fill out and must be signed by a witness who has known the applicant at least two years.

A naturalized citizen must show naturalization papers.

Passports may be obtained in several forms—single, man and wife together, man and wife separate, or the "large, friendly" size, whole family together.

For a $10 fee, the county clerk will mail the application to the Department of State, Passports Division, Washington, D. C.

The passport should be back and ready for use within three weeks. It is good for two years, and can be renewed once for $5.

After the passport is obtained, the average traveler will have little difficulty. In Europe especially, the most popular area in summer months, restrictions are at a minimum.

Upon arrival at a foreign point, the tourist must pass customs, immigration, and public health checks.

Customs Restrictions

Customs in Europe generally restrict amounts of tobacco, alcohol and film taken duty free into a country. For instance, a typical regulation, Great Britain's law states:

"Duty free imports include one pound of tobacco products, two bottles of spirits (opened), one half pint of perfume or cologne, a reasonable amount of films or movie films under 35 mm. Personal effects free."

Most nations limit the quantity of their own currency one may take into the country, but there are no restraints on other —especially United States— money.

Returning Travelers

Returning to the U. S., the traveler must again pass customs, immigration, and public health stations. Those who have done it say it's a longer and harder job to get through U. S. customs than at any other point on the journey. It often takes two hours, where in many countries, the wayfarer need never stop walking from the time he sets foot on foreign soil.

United States customs allow each person (children included) worth of merchandise duty free, bought new while away. This allows for minor exceptions, all listed in the pamphlet included with each passport the government issues.

The World Health Organization, agency of the United Nations, is making great strides toward standardizing health regulations. In the future, it is hoped on form showing vaccinations and vital information will serve for every nation.

This, in brief, is the "official" part of an out-of-country journey. Further information about passports is available at the county clerk's desk. The travel agent, which in Medford is located in the Jackson hotel lobby, may answer queries about other regulations.

Don't forget to leave a note for the milk.

Hearing on Petition From Kenwood School District August 26

A public hearing will be held in the Jackson county court room at 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 26, on a petition submitted to the school district boundary board that a section of Kenwood district be placed in the Lone Pine district.

The petition, signed by 56 property owners, asks that the area of Kenwood district generally west of Crater Lake ave. to Corona ave. and north of Roberts rd. to Crater Lake highway be annexed to the Lone Pine district. Children from the area have been attending Lone Pine school for several years on a tuition basis.

Notices Sent Out

Alf B. Mekvold, county superintendent of schools, said notices have been sent to residents of the area, and attempts are being made to contact others not available by mail.

Kenwood district is one of two suspended districts in the county which are required by law to be annexed to one or more adjoining districts operating standard schools. Kenwood and Dewey districts send children to surrounding districts on a tuition basis because neither district operates a school.

Under a 1953 law, the district boundary board is required to dispose of suspended districts if the district ceases to maintain and operate a public school for two years from any annual school meeting, or suspends school for more than two successive years without approval of the State Board of Education.

Disposition Postponed

Disposition of Jackson county's two suspended districts was surveyed in 1953, but because of a court case to test validity of the two-year term, disposition has been postponed. Two years have lapsed since the law became effective.

Members of the county boundary board are Mekvold, County Judge Rodney Keating, and County Commissioners Chester Wendt and L. G. (Shy) Mortland.

County Agencies List Nurseries for Working Mothers

Mothers helping with Rogue Valley's pear harvest are often faced with a problem of finding nurseries where their children may receive adequate care during working hours.

With the pear harvest underway, and expected to be in full swing by late this week, mothers may wish to leave children during working hours only, or find families to care for their children both day and nights during the harvest. Both types of care are available in the area.

Approved by State Board

The Medford Day Nursery school, 325 East Jackson st., is the only day nursery approved by the state board of health, according to Dr. A. Erin Merkel, Jackson county health officer. The nursery has facilities for about 30 children, whose mothers wish to leave them during working hours only.

For those who wish to have their children stay with a family during the harvest season, there are about 42 homes in the county certified by the Jackson county public welfare department, and about eight of them are now caring for children.

Certified homes for children must maintain county sanitary standards, have adequate cross ventilation in bedrooms and follow limitations on the number of children sleeping in one bed. Several other items are considered before the department certifies families to care for children on a temporary basis.

Information concerning day-night homes for children may be obtained from the county welfare department in the Leverette building. T. N. Tibbutt, child welfare supervisor, pointed out that parents are expected to help finance their children cared for in foster homes if reasonably possible.

Siskiyou School Board Accepts Bid on Building

Yreka — A low bid of $188,000 was accepted by trustees of the Siskiyou Joint Union high school district recently for the first portion of the new Tulelake high school. Louis Kowolowski Construction company entered the bid.

The $188,000 estimate includes building eight classroom units at a new school site adjacent to the Tulelake fair grounds.

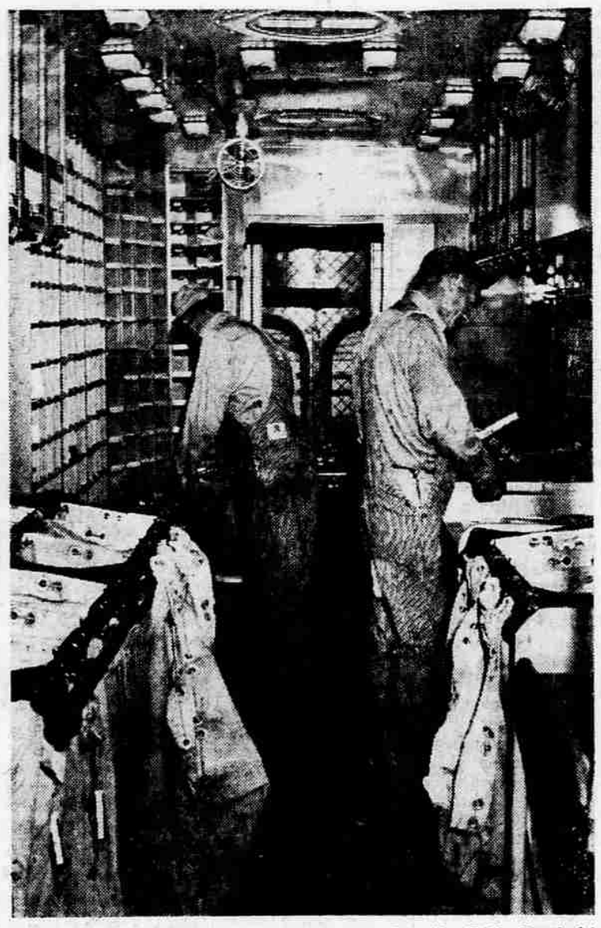
Princeton, Ill. — (U.P.)—Josephine Klinger won a divorce from her husband and possession of all household items except one. Judge Louis A. Zearing ruled that Klinger could keep the television set.

Services Tuesday For Ralph Foster

Ashland — Funeral services for Ralph A. Foster, 58 Bush st., Ashland, who died at his home at the age of 69 Saturday morning, will be held Tuesday Aug. 23, at 10 a.m. The Rev. Wendel Herbison, assisted by the Rev. Don Whitney, Central Point, will officiate at the rites in Litwiller's Mountain View Chapel in Ashland. Entombment will be at the Rest Haven Mausoleum.

The deceased is survived by his wife, Lena A.; three children, Malcom E., Honey Lake, Wendel, Calif., Mrs. Ruth J. Horning, Portland, and Ralph, Jr., Ashland; and six grandchildren.

Mr. Foster was born Jan 3, 1886, at Rufhill, Mo. He married Lena A. Covington in Twin Falls, Ida., April 10, 1916. He operated a Union service station in Ashland for 10 years and a grocery store in Central Point for five. He returned to Ashland in February of this year. Mr. Foster was a member of the First Christian church of Ashland and the Elks Lodge 944.



SERVICE SWITCHED — R. E. Ogle and Oroville Bell, Portland, sort mail in one of the Southern Pacific express trucks now serving the Medford-Portland route. Mail transport was changed from train to truck Aug. 6, speeding service considerably. Trucks are here at 7:10 a.m. every day, leave for Portland at 8 p.m., and arrive there at 7:15 a.m. —(Brainerd photo)

Magazine Features Sustained Yield Plan

A "logging for permanency" plan, in operation at the Elk Lumber company for several years, was featured in a recent issue of The Timberman, lumber journal published in Portland.

The journal describes the plan originated by George Flanagan, company vice president, and Truman Collins, principal director. Essence of the idea is to put the company on a perpetuity, or sustained yield, basis.

Forestry Graduates

The company is unique in that all its key personnel are forestry graduates.

George Flanagan is an alumnus of the college of forestry, University of Washington. Herb Sampert, production manager, Sam Taylor, woods manager, Roy Elmgren, forester in charge of logging, and Robert Vincent, logging engineer, graduated from the school of forestry, Oregon State College.

Larry Solin, land acquisition, and John Gartman, resident forester at Prospect, both went through the New York State college of forestry.

Elk has been active in a land acquisition program over a period of years. In addition to its original holdings, the company has added various age groups of timber and cutover lands.

Cutover areas have seldom been clear cut when located in a region growing mixed varieties of pine and fir.

During the past two years, Elk has been selling logs retrieved from its new salvage work. The objectives of the salvage plan is to remove all dead and dying trees, bug kill, and those of high risk.

In the future, this will become a part of a high risk thinning and stand improvement program. Eight contract operators handle salvage operations for Elk.

Growth plots, another phase of the perpetuity plan, are now being laid out. These provide the key to the entire sustained yield idea. They will determine exactly the yearly growth increase of the company's timberlands on various class sites.

Compute Sustained Yield

From the 100 plots now being located, the company forester will be able to compute the full sustained yield capacity of present and possible future timber holdings. The estimate will serve as a basis from which to build the manufacturing facilities for the permanent program.

An integral part of the Elk operation is the shop set up. These facilities service some 90 pieces of equipment. Head mechanic Ed Pathman is in charge of welding and automotive work; Don Elliot heads maintenance department, Walter Cummings supervises electrical work, and Tom Winniford, Jr., handles radio maintenance.

Baby Found Injured By Hit-Run Driver

Portland —(U.P.)—An 18-month-old girl was found unconscious and critically injured on a street in front of her Aloha home Friday—apparently the victim of a hit-run driver.

Marilyne Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Powell, was taken to Good Samaritan hospital with head injuries after being discovered by a neighbor, Mrs. J. F. Teller.

Washington county deputy sheriff Roy Larson said the only clues to the accident were 48-foot skidmarks left by the car.

Recognition Given Two Mongold Cows

Two registered Jersey cows in the La Pine Jersey Farm herd, owned by W. D. Mongold, Route 1, Box 1, Eagle Point, have received special recognition for their outstanding production records made on Herd Improvement Registry test.

Sylvan Royal Dell produced 9,497 pounds milk containing 543 pounds butterfat at 10 years and 5 months of age, and La Pine Sparkling Gloria produced 9,321 pounds milk containing 603 pounds butterfat at the age of 3 years and 7 months.

The official tests were made under the supervision of Oregon State college for the American Jersey Cattle club, Columbus, O.

$22,129 Worth of Stock Sold At 1955 County Fair Auction

The annual livestock auction at the Jackson county 4-H, FFA auction was held Friday night at the fairgrounds with $22,129.25 worth of swine, sheep, beef and poultry being sold.

The average price paid for sheep was 23.8 cents per pound, and sales totaled $2,093.35. The average price per pound for swine was 28 cents, or a total sale price of $3,600.15, while, beef, which totaled 57,115 ponnds, brought an average of 28.8 cents per pound. Total sales for beef was $16,423.25.

Following are sales, including exhibitor, class, weight, total price and purchaser:

Exhibitor, Class, Weight, Price, Purchaser

POULTRY

Mary Daniels, Westside, Champion White Rock, 25, 12.50, Veltie Biles.

MARKET LAMBS

Jerry Joy, Bellview, Grand Champion Hampshire, 120, $61.20, Big Y; Mildred Gail, Gold Hill, Res. Champion Southdown, 80, $40, Groceteria (Medford); Nancy Lusk, Bellview, Suffolk, 80, $24, Grange Co-Op Central Pt.; Karen Nelson, Roxy Ann, Corriedale, 105, $26.25, Groceteria (Medford); Linda Gibson, Howard, Suffolk, 110, $25.30, Mr. M. D. McCeary; Sandra Reich, Oak Grove, Columbia, 105, $22.05, Farmer Pack Co.; Gwen Krouse Applegate, Hampshire, 105, $22.05, Veltie Biles; Grace Gail, Gold Hill, Southdown, 80, $24, Monarch Feed & Seed; Marsha Belknap, Oak Grove, Suffolk, 85, $20.40, Eastside Market; Ronald Daugherty, Fern Valley, Corriedale, 80, $20, Roy Bolz; Ursula Bates, Oak Grove, Suffolk, 100, $24, Dr. Lemery; Barbara Reich, Oak Grove, Columbia, 95, $19.95, Groceteria, Med.); Allen Joy, Bellview, Hampshire, 120, $25.20, Eastside Abattoir; Lois Biles, Gold Hill, Southdown, 75, $23.25, Gail's Mkt.; Tom Tumpin, Oak Grove, Suffolk, 90, $25.30, Don Anderson; Evelyn Niedermeyer, Westside, Corriedale, 95, $19.95, Groceteria (Med.); Pat Gillette, Bellview, Suffolk, 100, $21, Dale's Mkt. (C.P.); Steve Smith, S.W. Medford, Columbia, 85, $18.70, Safeway; Julia Joy, Bellview, Hampshire, 110, $23.10, Dale's Mkt. C. Pt.; Terry Gail, Gold Hill, Southdown, 85, $23.80, Dr. Lemery; Susan Wright, Oak Grove, Suffolk, 90, $31.50, Dr. Faland; Marvin Gibson, Applegate, Corriedale, 100, $20, Safeway; Jim Thomas, Oak Grove, Suffolk, 115, $23, Stan Morgan; Jim Smith, Gold Hill, Columbia, 90, $21.60, Gail's Mkt., Rogue River; Fay Chapman, Valleyview, Hampshire, 100, $24, Ernie Bolz; Larry Eskew, Gold Hill, Southdown, 95, $22.80; Gails Mkt. (Gold Hill); Betty Kerr, Bellview, Suffolk, 100, $21.60, Grange Co-op, C. Pt.; John Clogston, Oak Grove, Corriedale, 95, $22.80, Mann's Dept.; Charlene Peterson, Bellview, Suffolk, 110, $25.30, Independent Mkt., Ashland; Joyce Kerr, Bellview, Hampshire, 125, $27.25, Walt Gardner; Marie Jones, Gold Hill, Southdown, 95, $19.95, Gails Mkt., Gold Hill; Marilyn Buerkle, Bellview, Suffolk, 80, $16.80, Plaza Meat Mkt.; Virginia Daugherty, Fern Valley, Corriedale, 80, $17.60, Groceteria; Cathy Herberger, Gold Hill, Suffolk, 95, $21.85, Eastside Mkt, Medford; Ardith Chapman, Valleyview, Hampshire, 115, $27.60, Leonard Halfhill; David Carter, Gold Hill, Southdown, 90, $18.90, Big Y; Edith Ann Williamson, Bellview, Suffolk, 90, $22.50, Eastside Abattoir; Jeff Fowler, Fern Valley, Corriedale, 105, $21, Safeway; Gary Winetrout, Oak Grove, Suffolk, 115, $24.15, C. A. Winetrout; Jim Berg, Gold Hill, Hampshire, 95, $24.70, Mrs. C. E. Brown; Mel Dailey, Bellview, Southdown, 85, $17.85, Boulevard Mkt., Ashland; Carrol Myers, Gold Hill, Suffolk, 75, $18, Oakdale Mkt.; Roma Shafer, Prospect, Corriedale, 80, $18.40 Groceteria; Russel Frink, Central Point, Suffolk, 110, $26.40, Faber's Mkt.; Douglas Robertson, Gold Hill, Hampshire, 90, $19.80, Safeway; Jim Biles, Gold Hill, Southdown, 95, $22.80, Wallace Ragsdale; Nancy Barnes, Westside, Suffolk, 75, $17.25; Leonard Kunzman, C. Pt.; Phillip Krouse, Applegate, Corriedale, 85, $17, Big Y; Jim Frink, Central Point, Suffolk, 100, $28, Faber's Mkt.; Vervia Beman, Gold Hill, Hampshire, 165, $14.30, Stan Morgan; Earl Bowen, Gold Hill, Southdown, 75, $17.25, Eastside Mkt.; Craig Wright, Oak Grove, Suffolk, 75, $30, Monarch Feed and Seed; Renee Johnson, Fern Valley, Corriedale, 85, $20.40, Sharon Williams; Cathy Halley, Prospect, Suffolk, 100, $24, Mr. Wallin; Albert Myers, Gold Hill, Southdown, 60, $13.20, Mr. Darland; Norman Ditsworth, Wagner Creek, Suffolk, 80, $20, L. Halfhill; Truman Elmore, Applegate, Corriedale, 75, $17.25, Midway Meat; Rodger Hockersmith, Oak Grove Suffolk, 100, $23, Big Y; Francis Krouse, Applegate, Corriedale, 75, $18, Big Y; Joan Drager, Bellview, Southdown, 60, $18, Fred Bayliss; Tommy Perdue, Antelope, Suffolk, 85, $19.55, Phalen Nelson; Charles Elmore, Applegate, Corriedale, 65, $14.95, Henry Enders; Cynthia Holtgrave, Bellview, Suffolk, 95, $22.80, Eastside Mkt, Medford; Mike Elmore, Applegate, Corriedale, 75, $18.75, Birds Mkt., Applegate; Russel Elmore, Applegate, Corriedale, 75, $15.75, Safeway.

PEN OF THREE

Grace Gail, Gold Hill, Grand Champion Southdown, 280, $67.20, Kerr Mkt., Ashland; Mildred Gail, Gold Hill, Res. Champion, Southdown, 235, $54.05, Medford Meat; Nancy Lusk, Bellview, Suffolk, 295, $64.90, Eastside Mkt., Medford; Marvin Gibson, Applegate, Corriedale, 275, $57.75, Medford Meat; Ronald Reich, Oak Grove, Columbia, 295, $59, Big Y; Lois Biles, Gold Hill, Southdown, 295, $59, Big Y; Susan Wright, Oak Grove, Suffolk, 230, $52.90, Big Y; Jim Thomas, Oak Grove, Corriedale, 290, $63.80, Groceteria; Cathy Herberger, Gold Hill, Suffolk, 255, $58.65, Big Y; Joan Drager, Bellview, Suffolk, 210, $50.40, Oakdale; Vervia Beman, Gold Hill, Suffolk, 230, $50.60, Safeway.

SWINE

David Carter, Gold Hill, Grand Champion, Berkshire, 240, $120, Groceteria; Betty Ann Higday, Antelope, Tamworth, 180, $72, Big Y; Richard Russell, Central Point, Berkshire, 155, $46.50, Henry Owens; Russell Elmore, Applegate, Poland China, 185, $46.25, Medford Meat; Winston Foley, Westside, Duroc, 165, $41.25, Norfield Shoe Store; Lois Biles, Gold Hill, Berkshire, 230, $52.90, Grange Co-op (C.P.); Don Higday, Antelope, Duroc, 175, $43.75, Medford F. and Seed; Willie Debrick, Central Point, Berkshire, 180, $46.80, Faber's Farmers Supply; Truman Elmore, Applegate, Poland China, 195, $46.80, Farmer's Pack; John Foley, Westside, Duroc, 160, $41.60, Dr. Lemery; Jim Biles, Gold Hill, Berkshire, 215, $53.75, Osteopathic Hosp.; Velma Peile, Upper Rogue, Tamworth, 190, $53.20, Norfield Shoe St.; Mike Elmore, Applegate Poland China, 185, $48.10, Dr. Bartels; Allen Barnes, Westside, Duroc, 180, $46.80, Groceteria; Jim Frink, Central Point, Berkshire, 190, $49.40, Faber's Market; Melvin Smith, Sams Valley, Berkshire, 215, $53.75, Midway Feed; Robert Peile, Upper Rogue, Tamworth, 220, $63.80, Big Y; Stanley Smith, Applegate, Poland China, 195, $62.40, Monarch F. and Seed; Judy Gebhard, Central Point, Berkshire, 170, $49.30, Faber's Market; Arthur Gardener, Antelope, Duroc 235, $63.45, Mr. Messell; William German, Central Point, Berkshire, 215, $53.75, Dale's Market; Henry Connor, Upper Rogue, Tamworth, 190, $57, Big Y; Gary Smith, Applegate, Poland China, 180, $64.80, Samson's F. and Seed; Henry Scott, Valleyview, Berkshire, 170, $47.60, Groceteria; Bob Hayes, Antelope, Duroc, 180, $54, Samson's F. and Seed; Cathy Herberger, Gold Hill, Berkshire, 200, $58, Merton Bradshaw; Darrell Daniels, Westside, Berkshire, 195, $58.50, Henry Owens, (Ruch); Charley Elmore, Applegate, Poland China, 180, $50.40, Hunter and Best Sawmill; Leon Small, Valleyview, Berkshire, 190, $53.20, Courtesy Chev.; Leroy Priest, Gold Hill, Berkshire, 210, $60.90, Gail's Market (Rogue R.), Norman Dye, Bellview, Duroc, 165, $51.80, Sherwin Williams P.; Harlena Coffman, Antelope, Berkshire, 160, $49.60, Edith Bohnert; Russell Frink, Central Point, Berkshire, 210, $65.10, Midway Meat; Mark Cochran, Antelope, Chester White, 140, $43.40, Midway Feed; Marilee Smith, Sams Valley, Berkshire, 195, $62.40, Fredenburg Orchards; Kenny Stewart Bellview, Berkshire, 165, $52.80, Henry Enders; Charlene Peterson, Bellview, Duroc, 170, $52.70, Mr. Williamson; James Scott, Valleyview, Berkshire, 200 $58, East Side Abbatoir (Ashland); Freddy Jossy, Antelope, Berkshire, 160, $56, Martin Heitkamp; James Cochran, Antelope, Berkshire, 195, $64.35, M & M Dept. St.; Dale Peterson, Bellview, Duroc, 165, $52.80, Sam Hurst; Bill Hubbard, Antelope, Poland China, 120, $36, Mutual of Omaha; Sharon Coffman, Antelope, Berkshire, 160, $49.60, Wallace Ragsdale; Jeff Anhorn, Central Point, Berkshire, 195, $72.15, Faber's Market; Jim Simms, Applegate, Poland China, 145, $40.60, Dupray Engraving; Lee Gossett, Central Point, Berkshire, 180, $63, Dale's Market, (C.P.); Steve Stewart, Bellview, Berkshire, 200, $78, Independent Meat (Ashland); Joanna Malloroy, Antelope, Berkshire, 175, $61.25, Leonard Bradshaw.

PENS OF THREE

Gary Smith, Applegate, Grand Champion Poland China, 535, $144.45, Groceteria; James Cochran, Antelope, Yorkshire, 410, $90.20, Bolz Bros.; Bob Hayes, Antelope, Duroc, 510, $117.30, Medford Meat; Robert Peile Upper Rogue, Tamworth, 500, $145, Mr. Wallin; Truman Elmore, Applegate, Poland China, 435, $95.70, Mr. Messall; Charles Elmore, Applegate, Poland China, 425, $93.50, Bolz Bros.; Mike Elmore, Applegate, Poland China, 360, $82.80, Bolz Bros.; Billy Hubbard, Antelope, Poland China, 385, $80.85, Bolz Bros.; Russell Elmore, Applegate, Poland China, 385, $80.85, Bolz Bros.

BEEF

David Woolfolk, Antelope, Grand Champion, Hereford, 965, $579, Groceteria; Linda Malloroy, Antelope, Res. Champion Angus, 960, $345.60, Al Littrell; David Christenson, Applegate, Shorthorn, 900, $315, Dr. Ruhter; Jim Estramado, Gold Hill, Hereford, 980, $294, Monarch F. and Seed; Donald Anderson, Antelope, Hereford, 900, $261, Rogue Valley State Bank; Carol von der Hellen, Oak Grove, Hereford, 795, $222.60, East Side Market (Medford); Martin Heitkamp, Antelope, Hereford, 935, $243.10, Oakdale; Judy Leekey, Upper Rogue, Angus, 920, $276, Big Y; Mildred Gail, Gold Hill, Shorthorn, 980, $264.60, Medford Meat; Annette Drager, Bellview, Hereford, 1140, $307.80, Norfield Shoes; Judy Bradshaw, Antelope, Hereford, 900, $315, Groceteria; Connie Fehige, Bellview, Hereford, 690, $207, Kerr Meat Co.; Tessie Ragsdale, Antelope, Hereford, 920, $266.80, Deaver Tractor Co.; Lucy Gardner, Antelope, Hereford, 905, $244.35, Groceteria; Grace Gail, Gold Hill, Shorthorn, 860, $232.20, Big Y; Bob Taylor, Antelope, Hereford, 1090, $283.40, Western Thrift; Roxy Sisemore, Bellview, Hereford, 860, $240.80, Ashland Elks; Joan Drager, Bellview, Hereford, 725, $188.50, East Side Abbatoir, (Ashland); Nancy Lusk, Bellview, Hereford, 910, $263.90, Kerr Market; Bob Hayes, Antelope, Angus, 945, $236.25, Big Y; Jim Christenson, Applegate, Shorthorn, 730, $204.40, Groceteria; Phillip Krouse, Applegate, Hereford, 1020, $316.20, Hunter & Best Sawmill; Virginia Sisemore, Bellview, Hereford, 870, $234.90, Parkview Dept. St., (Ashland); Joyce Kerr, Bellview, Hereford, 655, $176.85, Ashland Elks; Ray Bitterling, Antelope, Hereford, 930, $279, Medford Corp.; Art Gardner, Antelope, Angus, 1000, $270., Groceteria; Leon Small, Valleyview, Hereford, 1130, $293.80, East Side Market (Ashland); Donna Mays, Bellview, Hereford, 850, $263.50, Faber's Market (C.P.); Nancy Redhead, Ruch, Hereford, 800, $216, Mr. Winetrout; 920, $257.60, Ashland Elks; Dianna John James, Valleyview, Hereford, Gardner, Antelope, Angus, 925, $259, Groceteria; Bill Anhorn, Central Point, Hereford, 995, $308.45, Dale's Market (C.P.); Dale Smith, Central Point, Hereford, 860, $223.60, Medford Meat; Chip Buffington, Oak Grove, Hereford, 740, $222, Arrowhead Ranch; Fred Jossy, Antelope, Hereford, 945, $264.60, Medford F. & Seed; Danny Gilman, Westside, Angus, 830, $224.10, Big Y; Jean Estramado, Gold Hill, Hereford, 995, $288.55, A & H Logging Co.; Ken Bitterling, Antelope, Hereford, 885, $247.80, Rogue Valley State Bank; John Cox, Upper Rogue, Hereford, 785, $204.10, Stan Morgan; Henry Scott, Valleyview, Hereford, 940, $263.20, Mann's Dept.; Truman Elmore, Applegate, Angus, 840, $226.80, East Side Market (Medford); Henry Connor, Upper Rogue, Hereford, 1010, $272.70, Groceteria; Francis Krouse, Applegate, Hereford, 855, $230.85, Oakdale; Betty Kerr, Valleyview, Hereford, 765, $214.20, Plaza Meat Market (Ash.); Alice Wolfolk, Antelope, Hereford, 970, 261.90, Safeway; Charley Elmore, Applegate, Angus, 810, $202.50, Big Y; Kenny Stewart, Bellview, Shorthorn, 855, $256.50, Independent Meat, (Ashland); Vern Harper, Antelope, Hereford, 1120, $302.40, Groceteria; James Scott, Valleyview, Hereford, 905, $253.40, Big Y; Erma Penwell, Gold Hill, Hereford, 810, $218.70, Big Y; Charlotte Bush, Antelope, Hereford, 935, $261.80, Big Y; Patsy Charley, Central Point, Hereford, 1020, $295.80, Faber's Market (C.P.); Monte Cook, Fern Valley, Hereford, 850, $238, Boulevard Market; Jimmy Simms, Applegate, Hereford, 705, $204.45, Grange Co-op; Shirley Dunlap, Ruch, Hereford, 975, $292.50, Groceteria; Jim Conger, Central Point, Hereford, 1000, $290, Hubbard Bros.; Ron Reich, Oak Grove, Hereford, 885, $256.65, Safeway; Ira Connor, Upper Rogue, Hereford, 815, $220.05, Oakdale; Robert Peile, Upper Rogue, Hereford, 920, $266.80, Safeway; Mary Leckey, Upper Rogue, Hereford, 980, $303.80, Dr. Bartels, Bill Charley, Central Point, Hereford, 840, $243.50, Big Y; Velma Peile, Upper Rogue, Hereford, 840, $252, Safeway.

FEEDER STEERS

George Lucas, Antelope, Hereford, 740, $148, Medford Meat; Fred Lucas, Antelope, Hereford, 585, $105.30, Stan Morgan.

Tool Co. Opens Sales, Service Agency Here

The Mall Tool company of Chicago has announced the appointment of Fourth Street Motor Sales, 404 East Fourth st., as a Mall dealer and service agency for the local area.

The new agency maintains a complete stock of tools and spare parts. Fourth Street Motor Sales offers free saw demonstrations, literature, and answers all questions concerning Mall tools.

Juneau, Alaska —(U.P.) — The Alaska Resource Development Board said Saturday the Federal Census Bureau had estimated Alaska's average population at 208,000, an increase of 3,000 over the preceeding year's estimate.

Kenneth Bigham Top Winner FFA Events During Week at Annual Jackson County Fair

Kenneth Bigham, recent winner of the "Better Farming" contest for southwest Oregon was the top winner in this week's Future Farmers of America judging for the county 4-H and FFA fair.

Bigham garnered four championships and six first places in the fair contests.

FFA farm shop and crop exhibits were judged on the Danish system, in which a standard is set and all exhibits are measured against it. Under this system, exhibits do not compete against each other.

All those competing in the FFA events are members of the Crater High chapter in Central Point.

Complete FFA results included:

Beef showmanship: (Beginners) Joe Shelton, first; Bob Lichti, second; Gary DeGarmo, third. (Experienced) Ken Bigham, first; Lyle Bigham, second; Bob Eldon, third; Clifford Bigham, fourth; Craig Cochran, fifth; Norman Barnes, sixth. Champion, Ken Bigham.

Beef: Junior and senior champion, Ken Bigham. Grand champion, aged cow, Ken Bigham. (Junior heifer calf) Norman Barnes, first; Craig Cochran, second; Clifford Bigham, third; Bob Eldon, fourth. (Junior yearling heifer) Ken Bigham, first; Ken Bigham, second; Bob Lichti, third; Lyle Bigham, fourth; Bob Eldon, fifth; Craig Cochran, sixth. (Grade) Joe Shelton, first; Richard Morris, second. (Junior bull calves) Ken Bigham, first; Richard Morris, second; Clifford Bigham, third, Ken Bigham, fourth. (Senior bull calves) Norman Barnes, second. (Cow and own calf) Ken Bigham, first; Clifford Bigham, second; Clifford Bigham, third; Norman Barnes, fourth; Richard Morris, fifth; Ken Bigham, sixth; Bob Eldon, seventh; Norman Barnes, eighth; Craig Cochran, ninth. (Two-year-old cow) Clifford Bigham, first; Clifford Bigham, second; Gary DeGarmo, third; Richard Morris, fourth; Craig Cochran, fifth; Bob Eldon, sixth; Norman Barnes, seventh; Ken Bigham, eighth. (Aged cow) Ken Bigham, first; Norman Barnes, second; Craig Cochran, third.

Farm show: (Heavy stock trailer) Billy Ryan, first; Clifford Bigham, first; David Parker, second; Johnny Greb, third. (Tractor carrier) Ralph Simon, first. (Irrigation pipe trailer) Jack German, first. (Cattle feeder) Norman Barnes, second. (Metal feeder trough) Bill Ryan, second. (Metal water trough) Donn Johnson, first.

Dairy Showmanship: Ralph Simon, first; Donn Johnson, second; Neal Roberts, third; Lee Gossett, fourth; Ronnie Harrison, fifth; Morton Gosset, sixth; John German, seventh; Joe Shelton, eighth, Jon Frederick, ninth.

Crop exhibits: (Alfalfa) Bob Eldon, 6 acres, first. Richard Morris, 4 acres, second. (Oats and peas) Norman Barnes, 7 acres, first; David Mack, 10 acres, second. (Oats) Dale Smith, 10 acres, first; John Greb, 12 acres, second. (Oats and vetch) Lyle Bigham, 7½ acres, first; Clifford Bigham, 11 acres, second; Ken Bigham, 10 acres, third. (Grain-oats) Ken Bigham, 11 acres, first; Clifford Bigham, 11 acres, second; Bob Eldon, 6 acres, third; Gerald Hall, 12 acres, fourth; Dale Smith, 10 acres, sixth. (Grain-wheat) Jim Estremado, 10 acres, first; Gerald Hall, 6 acres, second. (Grain-barley) Dale Smith, 10 acres, first; Donn Johnson, 6 acres, second.

Vegetables: (Danish) Bill Parker, ¼ acre, first. (Hubbard squash) Bill Parker, ¼ acres, first. (Acorn squash) Bill Parker, ¼ acre, second. (Strawberries) Ralph Simon, 3 acres, first. (Tomatoes) Bill Parker, ¼ acre, first. (Onions) Leon Branson, 1 acre, first. (Tomatoes) Bob Eldon, ½ acres, second. (Potatoes) Leon Branson, 2 acres, first. (Sweet corn) Bob Eldon, 1½ acres, second; Richard Morris, 1 acre, third. (Field corn) Joe Shelton, ¼ acre, first.

Poultry: (Pen of three Parmenter pullets) Neal Roberts, first. (Pen of two Parmenter pullets and cockerel) Neal Roberts, first. (Pen of three white leghorn pullets) Lyle Bigham, first. (Pen of three white rock pullets) Lyle Bigham, first.

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