

# Grand Champion Tops First Annual Lamb Auction

The 4-H grand champion Suffolk market lamb owned by Kathy Zapell, Talent, took the top prize of \$1.39 a pound from North's Chuck Wagon as buyer in the first annual 4-H and FFA lamb auction Saturday night at the Jackson county fairgrounds.

**4-H CHAMPION**  
Kathy Zapell, Talent. 4-H champion, choice Suffolk, 42.30 North's Chuck Wagon; Dan Mainwaring, Crater; FFA champion, choice Southdown, 41.75; Tex. Reserve Champion, choice Southdown cross, 40 cents; Rogue Valley auction, Dan Barton, Eagle Point, FFA reserve champion, choice Suffolk, 41 cents; Dreyfus, Mantoro.

**4-H PRIME**  
Central Point, 50 cents; Dr. Thomas Tinsley, Mary Anne Cantrill, Ruch, 50 cents; Groceries, Nancy Carroll, Eagle Point, 42 cents; Tinsley, Marie Jones, Gold Hill, 42 cents; Groceries.

**4-H HIGH**  
Hampshire — Jean Reynolds, Sius-Q, 40 cents; Dreyfus, Mantoro, 40 cents.  
**SOUTHDOWN CROSS** — Carol Foote, Central Point, 37 1/2 cents; Faber Super Market, 37 1/2 cents; Faber Super Market, Nancy Day, Wagner Valley, 40 cents; Groceries, Renee Johnson, Wagner Valley, 47 cents; North's Chuck Wagon, 43 cents; Daugherty, Wagner Valley, 43 cents; Grange Co-op, 40 cents.  
**SHROPSHIRE** — Carol Burrell, Eagle Point, 41 cents; Don Stathos in insurance, 41 cents.

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Central Point, 40 cents; Groceries, Donna Hammond, Westside, 52 cents; Faber Super Market, Carolyn Barnes, Westside, 44 cents; Gibson Saddle, Frank L. Owenby, Central Point, 42 cents; Tom Thumb Market, Mike Owenby, Central Point, 40 cents; Midway Meat company, Jo Schweitzer, Sius-Q, 42 1/2 cents; Hubbard Wray, Dennis Hoffbaur, Wagner Valley, 40 cents; Medford Feed and Seed, Southdown, 40 cents; Don Gall, Gold Hill, 53 cents; Bob Bever, Dawn Merckel, Ruch, 72 1/2 cents; Pine Lumber company, Peggy Martin, Gold Hill, 45 cents; Tom Thumb Market, Frank Hooper, Sius-Q, 45 cents; White House Market, Janet Lee, Westside, 61 1/2 cents; Wrange Co-op, Kathy Schroeder, Westside, 53 cents; Bill Bigham, Dana Morris, Phoenix, 45 cents; Groceries, Dave Wylie, Sius-Q, 42 1/2 cents; B and B Auction, Linda Faber, Westside, 80 cents; Groceries, Dan Schaefer, Southdown, 42 1/2 cents; Bill Duhamme, Nina Morris, Phoenix, 43 cents; Grange Co-op.

**HAMPSHIRE** — Archie Albrich, Sius-Q, 42 1/2 cents; Dr. E. V. Meyerding, 41 cents; North's Chuck Wagon, 35 cents; Don Stathos in insurance, Robert Lynch, Sius-Q, 41 cents; North's Chuck Wagon, Gene Fowler, Applegate, 37 cents; Hubbard Wray, Bill Bagley, Talent, 45 cents; Reter, Ruch, 40 cents; Dorset Cross — Cynthia Holtgrave, Sius-Q, 43 cents; Purucker; Patricia Jones, Medford, 40 cents; Moore Steel company.

**COLUMBIA** — Larry Tinker, Ashland, 40 cents; Farmers Packing company.  
**HAMPSHIRE-SOUTHDOWN** — Denise Balog, Sius-Q, 42 1/2 cents; Independent Meat company, Patty Zapell, Talent, 35 cents; Farmers Packing company.  
**SUFFOLK** — Southdown — Sue Cornutt, Central Point, 35 cents; Howard Fruit Truck company.  
**FFA GOOD**  
Shropshire — Darrell Dowell, Eagle Point, 43 cents; Cascade Market.  
**SUFFOLK** — Gordon DeHass, Eagle Point, 47 1/2 cents; North's Chuck Wagon; Ross Conger, Crater; 43 cents; Don Faber; Clint Gibson, Crater, 30 cents; Faber's Super Market.  
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Suffolk Cross — Sharon Boettcher, Ashland, 40 cents.

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**SUFFOLK** — Horace Webster, Eagle Point, 45 cents; Big Y Market; Judy Boettcher, Ashland, 47 1/2 cents; Dr. Meyerding; Del Robertson, Eagle Point, 41 cents; North's Chuck Wagon; Dave Schweitzer, Sius-Q, 45 cents; Groceries; Marilyn Lathrop, Antelope, 42 1/2 cents; Big Y Market; Susan Moeze, Eagle Point, 36 cents; Farmers Packing company; Lewis Lathrop, Antelope, 47 cents; Faber's Super Market; Frank Schweitzer, Sius-Q, 40 cents; Eagle Farm and Garden Store; Greg Lathrop, Antelope, 60 cents; Farmers Packing company; Steve Moeze, Eagle Point, 50 cents; Town and Country Market; Donna Barton, Antelope, 43 cents; Midway Meat company; John Schweitzer, Sius-Q, 40 cents; Clayton Charley; Wayne Debrick; David, Frank, and George, Sius-Q; Market; Mary Weiburn, Wagner Valley, 50 cents; Rogue Valley Auction, 50 cents.  
**SOUTHDOWN CROSS** — Doug Day, Talent, 52 1/2 cents; Talent Cafe; David, Frank, and George, Sius-Q, 40 cents; Dr. Brandt Bartels.  
**HAMPSHIRE CROSS** — Errol Coffman, Antelope, 47 1/2 cents; Big Y Market; Debbie Marsh, Wagner Valley, 37 1/2 cents; Independent Market.  
**HAMPSHIRE** — Marilyn Wittingham, Ruch, 42 1/2 cents; Reter Fruit company; Geor. Fowler; Applegate, 37 1/2 cents; Cascade Market; Mary Debrick; Eagle Point, 42 1/2 cents; Medford Meat company; Mitchell Burrell, Wagner Valley, 40 cents; North's Chuck Wagon; Corriedale — Marilyn Marsh, Wagner Valley, 41 cents; Groceries; Fene Bryder; Jacksonville, 53 cents; Dr. Bill Blackstone.  
**SHROPSHIRE** — Frank Dowell, Eagle Point, 40 cents; Town and Country Market; Bryan Dowell, Eagle Point, 52 1/2 cents; Crystal Meat Market; Bruce Dowell, Eagle Point, 47 1/2 cents; Town and Country Market; Brennan Wilson, Eagle Point, 41 cents; Town and Country Market.  
**ROMNEY** — Southdowns — Jim Shepherd, Central Point, 43 cents; Faber Fuel company; John Shepherd, Central Point, 43 cents; Petehn and Purdy Construction company.  
**CHEVOLT** — Susan Harper, Lake Creek, 35 cents; Western Lumber Shropshire — Suffolk, Mandy, 32 1/2 cents; Western Lumber Shropshire — Suffolk, Mandy, 32 1/2 cents; North's Chuck Wagon.

# Kathy Zapell Wins Sheep Showmanship

Kathy Zapell, Talent, took champion sheep showman rosette besides the champion market lamb ribbon this week end at the first annual Jackson county 4-H and FFA lamb and wool show and sale.

**SHEEP SHOWMANSHIP**  
Champion — Showman — Kathy Zapell, Talent.  
**SOUTHDOWN** — Hampshire — Mary Anne Cantrill, Ruch; 1st, Janet Lee, Central Point; 2nd, Carol Foote, Central Point; 3rd, Sue Cornutt, Central Point; 4th, Steve Chapman, Wagner Valley; 5th, Nora Hayes, Eagle Point; 6th, and Vicki Caldwell, Central Point; 7th.  
**SOUTHDOWN** — Don Gall, Gold Hill; 1st, Kathy Schroeder, Central Point; 2nd, Renee Johnson, Wagner Valley; 3rd, Nancy Carro, Central Point; 4th, Marie Jones, Gold Hill; 5th, Dale West, Antelope; 6th, Peggy Martin, Gold Hill; 7th.  
**OTHER BREEDS**  
Advanced Class 1 — Cynthia Holtgrave, Sius-Q; 2nd, Sharon Boettcher, Valley View; 3rd, Patricia Jones, Medford; 4th, Greg Lathrop, Antelope; 5th, Class 2 — Kathy Zapell, Wagner Valley; 1st, Dennis Hoffbaur, Wagner Valley; 2nd, Horace Webster, Antelope; 3rd, Marilyn Lathrop, Antelope; 4th; Susan Harper, Lake Creek; 5th.  
**SOUTHDOWN, HAMPSHIRE**  
Intermediate — Dawn Merckel, Valley View; 1st, John Shepherd, Central Point; 2nd, Mark Wright, Westside; 3rd, Glenda Daugherty, Medford; 4th; Nena Morris, Wagner Valley; 5th; Dana Morris, Wagner Valley; 6th; Mary Kennedy, Eagle Point; 7th; Frank Dowell, Wagner Valley; 8th; Mitch Burrell, Wagner Valley; 9th; Bruce Dowell, Eagle Point; 10th.  
**OTHER BREEDS**  
Class 1 — James Shephard, Central Point; 1st, John Shepherd, Central Point; 2nd, Kathy Zapell, Wagner Valley; 3rd, Robert Lynch, Sius-Q; 4th; Darlene Balog, Sius-Q; 5th; Carol Burrell, Eagle Point; 6th; Marilyn Lathrop, Antelope; 7th; Doug Day, Medford; 8th; James Anhorn, Central Point; 10th.  
**Class 2** — Larry Tinker, Sius-Q; 1st, Darrell Bohner, Central Point; 2nd, Maria Van Middlerworth, Central Point; 3rd, Lewis Lathrop, Antelope; 4th; Judy Boettcher, Valley View; 5th; Frank Owenby, Central Point; 6th; Donna Barton, Antelope; 7th; Bryan Dowell, Eagle Point; 8th; Richard Fichtner, Medford; 9th; Georgena Hatfield, Central Point; 10th.  
**ALL BREEDS**  
Beginning Class 1 — Jean Reynolds, Sius-Q; 1st, David Wylie, Ashland; 2nd, Linda Faber, Central Point; 3rd, Heidi Hooper, Sius-Q; 4th; Denise Balog, Ashland; 5th; Pene Bryden, Ruch; 6th; Marcia Sample, Ruch; 7th; Retha Sample, Jacksonville; 8th; Debbie Marsh, Medford; 9th; and David Logan, Medford; 10th.  
**Class 2** — Mary Williamson, Central Point; 1st, Mary Weiburn, Medford; 2nd, Kathy McGinnis, Medford; 3rd; Karen McGinnis, Medford; 4th; Joe Schweitzer, Ashland; 5th; Dave Schweitzer, Ashland.

# Vaccination Urged For Beef Herds

As of June 1, no beef herds were in quarantine with brucellosis, County Agent Earle Jossy said today. One herd was in quarantine that date with tuberculosis, he added. All beef cattle should be vaccinated when they are four months to a year old, he said. All stockmen wishing to get their calves vaccinated should call their state or local veterinarian. Arrangements should be made ahead of time so the vaccination can be given when cattle are being handled such as for branding. Most of the feeder calves sold at local auctions go to California so must be vaccinated and proof of vaccination must be available.

# Bend Couple Found Dead in Car Wreck

Sisters —**UPI**—A young couple from Bend were found dead in their wrecked car Monday but a small baby survived the accident. The victims were Keith Doyle Rice, 20, and his wife, Glenda Rae, 19. A passing motorist discovered the car about three miles west of here shortly after 5 a.m. The vehicle had struck a pine tree. The baby, which apparently was not seriously hurt, was taken to a Redmond hospital. State police said the accident apparently occurred early Monday and that the young woman was behind the wheel. The car was headed east.

# FARM Woodlot Facts

By **DICK OLSON**  
State Farm Forester  
The Agricultural Conservation program (ACP) is an important part of a co-ordinated effort to help farmers attain soil and water conservation objectives. The total effort includes research, education, technical assistance, cost-sharing and such in direct aids as credit.

Since its beginning in 1936, the ACP has operated as a farmer-government partnership by providing a share of the cost of approved soil and water conserving practices. A.C.P. Cost-Sharing is made available for conservation over and above what farmers would carry out with their own resources and on their own initiative. Participation in the program is voluntary and all farmers are eligible.

The ACP is developed by the ASC county and state committee in co-operation with representatives of the forest service, soil conservation service, extension service and other agricultural agencies. Those Eligible: Woodlot owners are eligible for ACP cost sharing, for timber stand improvement, tree ACP-A-7 practice covers tree planting and seeding. The B-10 practice includes thinning, removal of undesirable vegetation, and site preparation for natural re-seeding. It also includes installing erosion control measures on logging roads and trails, constructing fire breaks and constructing ponds.

To my way of thinking, woodland improvement work is real conservation of several natural resources. Webster's definition of conservation is: "A protecting from harm, loss, or from being used up." Soil, water, forest and wildlife conservation are for all people.

# Gardening Tips

By **JOHN McLOUGHLIN**  
County Agent  
Air-dry tulip bulbs in a shady spot for a few days before storing them over summer months. Keep the bulbs out of the sunlight as sunlight may crack the leathery coat surrounding the bulb. This coat is of great importance to preserve the moisture and keep the bulbs plump and hard. Store the bulbs in a single layer in a cool, airy, dry location. Trays with bottoms of hardware cloth that allow air to surround the bulbs are ideal. Replant the bulbs in late October or early November.

Rhododendrons  
Apply the final fertilizer application for this year to rhododendrons, azaleas and camellias if you have not already done so. Follow the rate of application on the commercial rhododendron and azalea fertilizer. A guide to follow when using ammonium sulfate would be to apply one-half to one pound of ammonium sulfate to 100 square feet at the first sign of growth in the spring. Follow this with a second application of one quarter to one-half pounds of ammonium sulfate a month later. This would be the amount applied now. This rate of fertilizer can be applied in a small quantity in solution. Dissolve one tablespoon of ammonium sulfate in a sprinkling can containing 12 quarts of water. Apply this solution over an area of about 13 square feet. This is the equivalent of the one-half pound rate of dry fertilizer noted above. To apply at the equivalent of the one pound rate use two tablespoons of ammonium sulfate in 12 quarts of water. To apply at the equivalent of the one-quarter pound rate

# FROM THE GROUND UP

By **BART BARTLETT**  
Everyone who is concerned with the growth of economic plants will agree that weed control is of primary importance as a cultural practice. The usual complaints against the growth of weeds in crops is they compete with the crop plants in terms of water and soil nutrients.

There is a further consideration that is as important. That is, the competitive ability of weed plants for atmospheric carbon dioxide is as important for plant growth as is soil moisture and such soil-supplied nutrients as phosphorus, nitrogen and potash.

Weed plants compete well with economic plants for this vital atmospheric gas. Therefore, they can and often do starve our economic plants for carbon dioxide. This often applies to tall plants such as corn or orchard trees. Carbon dioxide is a relatively heavy gas and reaches tree heights only as it is disseminated by wind or as a result of physical dispersion due to saturation at ground or near ground levels.

Therefore, such densely growing ground plants as morning glory can use up carbon dioxide that ultimately would have been available to pear leaves that exist at elevations from six to 18 feet or more above the soil surface. Carbon dioxide as an atmospheric nutrient may be a limiting factor to plant growth in some areas. Land leveling as a universal practice may be bad. As one sees crops growing on leveled land it appears it is a practice that may do more harm than good in moving substances. The government agencies that advocate and pay part of the cost of leveling agricultural lands should re-evaluate this practice in this area.

# Westerberg Elected To Producers Board

C. A. Chapman, Oregon City, was reelected president of the Oregon Milk Producers at their annual meeting in Salem recently. Lawrence Geraghty, Merrill, was reelected vice-president. Richard Westerberg, Ashland, was chosen as one of five members to the executive committee.

# ASHLAND 4-H CLUB WINS 1st WITH CLUB PEN OF FIVE SHEEP

Ashland Sius-Q Sheep club placed first with its club pen of five market sheep in the first annual Jackson county 4-H and FFA sheep and wool show and sale Friday at the Jackson county fairgrounds.

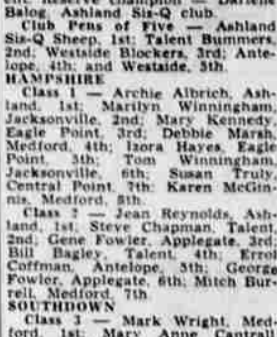
**MARKET SHEEP**  
Champion — Kathy Zapell, Talent. Reserve — Pamperly, Eugene Balog, Ashland Sius-Q club. Club Pens of Five — Ashland Sius-Q Sheep, 1st: Talent Summers, 2nd: Westside Blockers, 3rd: Antelope, 4th: and Westside, 5th.  
**HAMPSHIRE**  
Class 1 — Archie Albrich, Ashland; 1st, Marilyn Wittingham, Jacksonville; 2nd, Mary Kennedy, Eagle Point; 3rd, Debbie Marsh, Medford; 4th; Nora Hayes, Eagle Point; 5th; Susan Truby, Jacksonville; 6th; Susan Truby, Central Point; 7th; Karen McGinnis, Medford; 8th.  
Class 2 — Jean Reynolds, Ashland; 1st, Steve Chapman, Talent; 2nd, Gene Fowler, Applegate; 3rd, Bill Bagley, Talent; 4th; Errol Coffman, Antelope; 5th; George Fowler, Applegate; 6th; Mitch Burrell, Medford; 7th.  
Class 3 — Mark Wright, Medford; 1st, Mary Anne Cantrill, Jacksonville; 2nd, Nancy Carroll, Eagle Point; 3rd, Marie Jones, Gold Hill; 4th; Peggy Martin, Gold Hill; 5th; Carol Burrell, Eagle Point; 6th; Janet Lee, Medford; 7th; Kathy Schroeder, Medford; 8th; Dana Morris, Phoenix; 9th; Nena Morris, Ashland; 10th; Linda Faber, Central Point; 11th; Dean Woods, Medford; 12th; Nina Morris, Phoenix; 13th.  
Class 4 — Darlene Balog, Ashland; 1st, Steve Chapman, Talent; 2nd, Denise Balog, Ashland; 3rd; Patty Zapell, Talent; 4th; Sue Cornutt, Central Point; 5th; Susan Moeze, Johnson, Medford; 6th; Blenda Daugherty, Medford; 7th; Jim Shepherd, Central Point; 8th; James Anhorn, Central Point; 9th; 10th; 11th; 12th; 13th.  
Class 5 — Kathy Zapell, Talent; 1st, Donna Hammond, Central Point; 2nd; Frank Owenby, Central Point; 3rd, Jo Schweitzer, Ashland; 4th; Dennis Hoffbaur, Medford; 5th; Horace Webster, Eagle Point; 6th; Del Robertson, Eagle Point; 7th; Marilyn Lathrop, Central Point; 8th; Greg Lathrop, Central Point; 11th; Donna Barton, Eagle Point; 12th; 13th.  
Class 6 — Martha Van Middlerworth, Central Point; 1st, Carolyn Barnes, Medford; 2nd, Judy Boettcher, Ashland; 3rd; Dave Schweitzer, Ashland; 4th; Susan Moeze, Eagle Point; 5th; Frank S. Schweitzer, Eagle Point; 7th; John Schweitzer, Ashland; 8th; Wayne Debrick, Central Point; 9th; Marilyn Wolf, Wagner Valley; 10th; Linn Petrie, Grants Pass; 11th; 12th; 13th.  
Class 7 — Darrell Bohner, Central Point; 1st, Sharon Boettcher, Ashland; 2nd; Georgena Hatfield, Central Point; 3rd; Pat Hatfield, Medford; 4th; Mandy, 37 1/2 cents; Spike Mallory; John Hatfield, Medford, 37 cents; Dr. Tinsley, Jim Kelley, Eagle Point, 39 cents; Nash.  
**SUFFOLK** — Donna Hammond, Central Point; 1st, Joyce Gunther, Sius-Q; 2nd, Larry Tinker, Sius-Q; 3rd; Carolyn Barnes, Central Point; 4th; Georgena Hatfield, Central Point; 5th; Mary Anne Cantrill, Ruch; 6th; Patty Zapell, Wagner Valley; 7th; Kathy Zapell, Wagner Valley; 8th; Connie Morris, Central Point; 9th; Wayne Debrick, Central Point; 10th.  
**Crossbred** — Cynthia Holtgrave, Sius-Q; 1st, Mary Williamson, Central Point; 2nd, Janet Lee, Central Point; 3rd, Billy Bagley, Wagner Valley; 4th; Darlene Balog, Sius-Q; 5th; Kathy Schroeder, Medford; 6th; Carol Foote, Central Point; 7th; and Nena Morris, Phoenix; 8th.

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**Pope Paul Grooms Philadelphia Group**  
Vatican City—**UPI**—Pope Paul VI today asked 400 pilgrims from Philadelphia to carry his blessing to all U.S. Catholics and his "greetings" to non-Catholics. The pontiff received the pilgrims in the Vatican's ornate Consistorial Hall in a 15-minute audience and addressed the group in English. He assured the visitors that a solemn beatification ceremony for 19th century Philadelphia Bishop John N. Neumann would be held "as soon as possible," but did not mention a date. The original purpose of the Philadelphia pilgrimage had been to attend the beatification, which had been scheduled for June 23 in St. Peter's. The rite was automatically cancelled because of the death of Pope John XXIII and a new date still has to be set.

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