

# FFA And 4-H Youths Sign For Contest

Dozens of 4-Hers and Future Farmers have signed up for the stock horse competition to be held at the Grand National Junior Livestock exposition at the San Francisco Cow Palace, March 20 to 25.

Teen-agers are putting their trained western stock horses through their paces by actually working cattle in the arena will be one of a score of special features of the show.

Because this competition has proved so popular with the youngsters, elimination trials will be held to narrow down the list of two classes of eight horses each for the FFA entries and one class of eight horses for the 4-H. The first class of FFA entries will compete in the arena on Saturday afternoon, the 4-H class at the Sunday morning and the second class of FFA on Sunday evening.

On Monday evening the three top contestants in each class will compete in a stake event to choose the top horse and hand in each youth group, FFA and 4-H.

All mounts entered will be paraded whether they have been eliminated in the competition or not. Particulars regarding conditions of horses, points upon which men, horses and cattle will be judged in the working competition will be explained to 4-Hers by Francis Skinner, county club agent, A. E. Street, Main FFA advisor and Vern Hemstreet, Tulakee FFA advisor.

The names of youngsters from the Klamath basin planning to attend the exposition and participate in competitions will be announced this week.

# Skating Parties

Two skating parties are in the Girl Scout news this week. One was a successful event on Monday afternoon, when the Hiawatha and Inter-mediate of the Altamont district met at Skateland for a free period of fun. The occasion was in honor of all the Girl Scouts who had turned in their money from the cookie sale, and the attendance of 145 girls indicates a successful sale.

Mrs. Charles Wamstad, leader of Fairview troop 26, announces that her Girl Scouts are sponsoring a skating party for all Girl Scouts of grade school age on Monday, March 15, at Skateland, from 6:30 to 8:30 in the evening. The admission charge of 25 cents will be used by the troop to help defray their camp expenses this summer.

The recent Wednesday swimming class was again filled to capacity, according to members of the regular registration and instruction staff who were in charge of the program. Out of the attendance of 150 Girl Scouts and Camp Fire Girls, 25 were present for the first time. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, March 24.

# Four Alturas Men File For Council

ALTURAS, March 6—Four candidates filed for the three seats to be filled as city councilmen at the city election April 13.

Two, Leo Glesler and Phillip Golden, are incumbents, and the other two are Harry Pinner, owner of a lumber yard and Joe Surmeier, manager of a department store. The office is for the four-year term.

Ed Elliott, city clerk, has filed for re-election. He will have no opposition.

# Girl Scout News

The week of March 8 to 12 will be a big one in the lives of Klamath Girl Scouts, because they will be joining with more than a million members of their organization throughout the nation to celebrate the 36th birthday of Girl Scouting. On March 12, 1912, there were 12 Girl Scouts in the United States—all of them living in Savannah, Ga. Mrs. Juliette Gordon Low, inspired by the formation of the Boy Scout organization the year before, foresaw a similar movement among girls, and guided the troops that sprang up after the organization of her first group of 12 girls until the nationwide organization was chartered. Mrs. Low was truly a friend of girls. Without any organized backing, with limited personal funds, no longer young, and handicapped by deafness, she started the first troop and worked diligently until her death in 1927.

**Scout Dinner**

The Klamath Falls observance of this occasion will begin with a dinner on March 8 for all adults interested in Girl Scouting. Sponsored by the public relations committee, the dinner will be held at the Methodist church at 6:30, and neighborhood chairmen are contacting troop leaders and assistant leaders in their neighborhood. Invitations have also gone out to troop committee members, troop sponsoring committees, and other adults who have shown an active interest in Scouting.

Invitations include both husband and wife, and since the guests are to be seated in small neighborhood groups the dinner will provide a wonderful opportunity for meeting people in our city who have a deep interest in the progress of Girl Scouting. A short after-dinner program will be opened by Mayor Ed Ostendorf, and words of welcome will be spoken by Mrs. Marjorie Kafer, from Seattle, Wash., who is the field director for this region; and by Mrs. Scott Davis, regional committee member from Medford. Phil Hitchcock will speak on "Our Responsibility to the Youth of Klamath Falls," and a short movie showing a Girl Scout troop in action will be shown.

**Friday Program**

The next item of importance in the birthday week will be an inspirational program for all Girl Scouts and interested adults to be held on Friday, March 12, at 7:30 p.m. at the Fremont school auditorium. The theme will be "International Friendship" and the program will feature songs, dances and skits from many countries.

Closing the birthday week in an appropriate way, on Sunday, March 14, will be a Scouts' Own program under the direction of Miss Hazel Morrison. This event will present the true ideals of Scouting, and stress the Girl Scout promise and laws, helping all who attend to realize the significance and importance of the Girl Scout organization.

**Distribute Posters**

Several Girl Scouts have been exceedingly busy with community service work lately. Helping to distribute Easter seal posters to stores all over the city were the following girls: Joan Estes, Jackie Lou Ackerman, Nancy Dingler, Doris Dingman, Faye Marshall and Mary Ann Munson, all from Mrs. Gilbert Walter's troop 23. From troop 30, led by Mrs. Kit Johnson, were Linetta Montgomery, Berle Montgomery, Joan Pomeroy, and Zoe Johnson. Betty Juckeland, Susan Peak, Marsha Mills, Susanne Listoe, Sheila Adler and Karen Porter represented troop 31, which has Mrs. F. W. Peak as leader. Also helping in the poster distribution were Helen Olson, Sharon Owens, Patricia Brown, Roddie Campbell, Shirley Sutterfield, Emerence Loutens and Patricia Herlinger from Margaret Kopia's troop 83.

**Office Workers**

On Friday, March 27, the girls in the forest green uniform helped at the Red Cross office in sorting and packaging supplies to be used in the city-wide fund solicitation. From Mrs. Peak's troop were Carolyn Sue Heilbroner, Jeanne Condrey, Nancy Warren, Kate Browning, Shirley Oliver and Lois Snyder. On Saturday morning, the following girls from Mrs. Johnson's troop volun-

# LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, March 6 (AP-USA)—Salable hogs 300 (estimated); total 3300; compared week ago; all weights butchers 75-125 higher, most up on weights over 200 lb.; sows 2.00 higher.

Salable cattle 300 (estimated); compared week ago; fat steers scaling 1200 lb. upward but early ad- vance but still mostly 1.00 higher, canners, cutters and common cows reached record high price levels; bulls strong to 25 higher; vealers 50-1.00 higher; bulk good to low-choice fed steers and yearlings 25.00-30.00, fairly sizable supply choice steers 30.25-32.00; best price on big weight steers 30.25 for choice 1400 lb. weights; good 13-40 lb. heavies 27.00, top 32.50 for high-choice 1187 lb. fed steers, most medium to low-choice steers 23.00-25.25; good and choice heifers 24.50-28.00, top 28.50, common and medium heifers 20.00-24.00; good beef cows 21.50-23.00, common and medium cows 18.00-21.00; most good medium weight and heavy sausage bulls 22.50-23.00; good and choice vealers 25.00-28.00; feeding steers strong to 30 higher, medium and good 600-800 lb. weights 21.00-23.25, choice yearlings to 25.00.

Salable sheep 100 (estimated); compared week ago; slaughter lamb trade active on most days with prices working 75-1.00 higher on two early sessions and generally steady from mid-week on; small supply ewes steady to 50 higher; bulk good and choice woolled lambs 22.00-25, medium and good woolskins 19.00-21.50, good and choice 125-lb. heavies down to 20.00; few decks good and choice lambs 30. 1 to fall short pelts; 19.75-21.00; bulk common to good ewes 11.50-12.50.

# Czechs Won't Devalue Money

PRAGUE, March 6 (AP)—Czechoslovakia will nationalize her foreign trade but will not devalue currency to set up a special trade dollar value, the minister of foreign trade said today.

The communist minister, Antonin Gregor, reiterated his hope that Czechoslovakia could continue to do business with the western countries—defined as those countries lacking a planned economy, no matter what their location.

He announced new trade agreements are underway with Norway and Belgium and said agreements with France and Switzerland have been temporarily extended.

Foreign import and export agents probably will have to deal with government agencies here rather than with individuals, Gregor told a news conference. He said Czechoslovakia plans to step up exports to 45 per cent with the eastern or planned economy nations and to set the rest of her trade with other nations.

# Cairo Paper Hints At New US Plan

CAIRO, Egypt, March 6 (AP)—The widely circulated weekly newspaper Akhbar El Yom quotes an "informed source" in Washington today as saying Mideastern countries "soon will benefit from a plan similar to the Marshall plan for Europe." The dispatch describes the information as the "first official confirmation."

# SOC Classes To End March 15

Classes will end at Southern Oregon college for the winter term on Monday, March 15, to be followed by final examinations on the 16th, 17th and 18th.

Pre-registration for the spring term for SOC students will take place during the week of March 8 to 13. Regular registration for the spring term will take place on Monday, March 22, with classes beginning on the 23rd.

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