



ONE WAY TO DO IT—Saving lots of time and limb is this automatic spud bulking machine in use on the Osborne Brothers place at Macdoel. It follows a two-row digger. The machine was built by Bean Manufacturing Co.

Crowley New Union Staffer

George Crowley, a graduate research assistant in the farms crop department at Oregon State College has been added to the staff of the Eastern Oregon Branch livestock experiment station at Union

according to R. M. Alexander, assistant director of the OSC experiment station.

Crowley received his B.S. degree from OSC in 1951. He then received the George R. Hyslop fellowship and now has completed requirements for his masters degree, which he expects to receive in June.

The addition of Crowley to the staff at Union is in line with a continued emphasis on grass seed production, forage production, and fertility program that the station has been conducting.

Oregon's smallest incorporated city is Westfall, a "two-woman" town, located in Malheur county near Vale northwest of U.S. Highway 20.

Four-H News

LET'S COOK CLUB

The Club was organized Sept. 16 with 16 members. Officers were elected as follows: Helen Scherer, president; Bobby Scherer, vice president; Joyce Farmer, secretary; Warren Bohrakoff, news reporter; Marilyn Eaken and Loretta Sander, song leaders. Sept. 30th we had a good meeting. We made cookies and suppleauce and they were very good.

Sept. 17th the 2nd-year Cooking members made cake. There are three boys and four girls in this group. The boys made chocolate cake and the girls made prune cake. Refreshments were served and the meeting was adjourned.

Warren Bohrakoff

KCLMA Ships 308 Sheep

The Klamath County Livestock Marketing Association shipped 308 head of sheep and 36 steers in recent shipments southbound, according to Mgr. Chuck Warren.

The sheep belonged to Alfred Carlson, Merrill Howard Hathaway, Bly and George Chambers, Spring Lake.

The steers were consigned by Earl Kerns from his Fort Klamath place.

Warren reported cheaper grades of cattle are finding a difficult market, though top grades are still moving along. The next shipment for Farm Bureau members has been set for Oct. 23 for cattle and Oct. 25 for sheep.

Skinner Goes To Corvallis

Francis Skinner, Klamath County 4-H Agent who is to accompany Oregon's delegation to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago, is in Corvallis this week helping select delegates for the trek.

Skinner and Miss Dorothy Newton, Portland, were selected as chaperones because of past service.

Detroit Lake which is now forming behind Detroit Dam on the North Santiam River, Ore., will be 2.5 miles long when the water rises to the top of the dam.

Fort Klamath

BY MYRTLE WIMER

Spending the weekend here with her parents was Audrey Varoun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Varoun. She is staying in Klamath Falls with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fowler while attending KUHS.

Visiting last week at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Denton and son Delbert at the Denton ranch was a group of friends, including Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bell and daughter Kathy, San Francisco, and Mrs. Myrtle Martin, Arcata, Calif.

Mrs. Denton and Mrs. Eva Pritchett made a trip to Mitchell, last week, visiting there with Mrs. Pritchett's daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Dick Young and Diane Bechtel, the latter accompanying her grandmother back to Fort Klamath. Mrs. Young has been ill for some time, but is reported to be considerably improved. She and her husband lived in Fort Klamath for some time before moving to Mitchell, and is well-known here.

Mrs. Katherine Nichols, Susanville, has been spending the summer and fall at the home of various old friends here, and is now visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Gordon, following a stay with Mrs. Myrtle Denton. She is a Wood River Valley pioneer and a resident of many years before moving to Susanville to make her winter home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbott. Not until snow flies will she leave for Susanville, and all her old friends here will look forward to the beloved pioneer ma'am next summer.

The local 1952 Community Chest campaign drive is getting underway, with Donald P. Veatch, logging superintendent of the Modoc Lumber Company, heading the workers here as captain of the following crew: to canvass the north and south end of the valley, Mrs. William Brewer and Mrs. Raymond S. Loosley, respectively, to solicit west of town, the business district and residents of Fort Klamath proper, Mrs. Frank Strahan, Mrs. Jerry Sismore, Mrs. Donald P. Veatch and Mrs. Harold Wimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood W. Maloney are proud parents of a

fine baby boy, born Oct. 13, at Klamath Valley Hospital in Klamath Falls. The new arrival is their first child, and weighed seven pounds eight ounces at birth. The proud papa is U. S. Forest Service ranger stationed for the season at the 7-Mile guard station west of here. The name chosen for the precious mite has not yet been learned.

On Oct. 9, Mrs. Harry Orem entertained members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church, ladies convening at the Orem home south of here. During the short business session conducted by the president of the society, Mrs. Richard H. Wilson, tentative plans were discussed for a forthcoming silver tea, to be sponsored by members of the group, of which definite details will be announced at a later date.

At the close of the meeting, those present heard the last in a series of talks on South America given by the guest speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. Paul Herron, member of the church group at Chiloquin.

Serving of refreshments rounded out the enjoyable afternoon, the following being present: Mrs. Martha Yeager, Mrs. Richard H. Wilson, Mrs. Bert Gray, Mrs. Merle Hampton, Mrs. Stewart Nicholson, Mrs. Frank Edwards, Mrs. William Brewer, Mrs. Raymond S. Loosley, all of Fort Klamath; Mrs. G. Elmyr Echlin and Mrs. Paul Herron, Chiloquin; the hostess, Mrs. Harry Orem, her two little children, son Gary and daughter Anne.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strahan left Oct. 11, for Canyon City, where they attended the wedding of his

piece, Joan Strahan, who became the bride of William Rugger at an 8 p.m. ceremony performed at the Presbyterian Church in Canyon City. The Strahans returned here Sunday evening.

Also attending a wedding but going south instead of north were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wimer, Mr. and Mrs. James Van Wormer and son Douglas. The latter left Friday, spending the night as houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wheeler at Dunsmuir, going on next day to their destination, Red Bluff, Calif. Going to Red Bluff Saturday evening were the Wimers, and all were on hand Sunday for the wedding of their son, Donald Wimer, who exchanged nuptial vows with Liliya Slonyas of Red Bluff and Fort Klamath at a 3:30 p.m. ceremony performed by Rev. Charles Nahusen, pastor, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Red Bluff, in the presence of a gathering of close friends and relatives of the young couple. Following a reception at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Slonyas, the bridal pair left on a week's honeymoon trip to the coast.

Original intention of the other Fort Klamathites was to return home Sunday evening, but the young couple stayed over until the following day in order to visit at Project City with old friends, Mrs. Florence Vaughn and son, Charles

(Bugs) Johnson, and to view Shasta Dam, 10 miles north of Redding, interspersed with a few personal observations and comments, here is some factual information on the mammoth project, taken from literature received at the Vista house close by the Shasta dam; the giant Shasta Dam is the first major structure of the Central Valley Project, and spans the Sacramento river at the great Central Valley's northernmost tip. It is the world's second highest dam, the highest being Grand Coulee in Washington state. Sacramento river waters are stored here for use downstream and for transfer into the San Joaquin valley. Its functions are to control floods, aid river navigation and generate power. The mammoth structure is 602 feet high, and contains six million cubic feet of concrete. Over its spillway, floodwater drops 480 feet, nearly three times the height of renowned Niagara Falls in New York State.

Shasta reservoir is the largest man made lake in California, creating 355 miles of beautiful scenic shoreline and on its 47 square mile lake surface boating, swimming and fishing are all available. The powerhouse of Shasta Dam operates five huge generators of 75,000 kilowatt capacity, each, in addition to two local service units. We were taken down in the

spacious, 65-passenger elevator to see the inner workings of the project, with a courteous uniformed guide explaining everything to the group, and it was truly an impressive sight to see these giant machines in action.

Central Valley is 500 miles long and 50 miles wide, covering 18 California counties, including 83 cities and towns and supports 1,500,000 people; however, the fertile land and water of the valley are only half-developed, with more than 3,000,000 additional acres of promising land unirrigated at the present time.

While primarily an irrigation project, Shasta dam has a second important use—that of developing electric power which not only lessens irrigation water costs to farmers but also offers strong inducement to location of new industries in the valley, and affords a great boon to farmers who utilize the power in their pumps, milking machines, etc., in the agricultural area.

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