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CALF SHIPMENTS UNDER QUARANTINE

Total of 465 Calves Shipped at Close of Season From County

CAPTURE FAIR PRIZES

Outlook for Next Year Seems Very Bright for Marketing Local Stock

The calf season for the cow testing association was brought to a successful close last week. According to County Agent W. D. Pine there have not been very many more calves shipped this year than last but the orders have been plentiful and a large number were never accepted. The county agent states that there were orders for 1,000 more head if they had been available.

At the close of this year's season 465 head of association calves were shipped. This number of calves represents \$4,417.50 paid to members of the association. Additional to this considerable sum was brought to Tillamook county which was used in crating, feeding and in other work necessary in handling these calves. A large number of the dairymen in the county this year who are not in the association took advantage of this proposition and purchased calves direct from the herds of the members. Approximately 100 calves were sold in this manner. This would bring the total value of the association calves sold to \$5,967.50.

Shipping destinations for these calves have been for the most part southern Oregon points. Eighty-five head were shipped to Klamath Falls and orders for 50 additional head were returned on account of the foot and mouth disease, not being able to pass through California. This makes the third year that the association has handled its own calves. Although the association has increased in stock enrolled over 200 per cent in the past three years they never have yet been able to fill the orders that were available. One shipment of six head was made to Grass Valley, California. The following week an order for 30 head came to the county agent's office, but at that time calves were not available and the order later had to be cancelled on account of the quarantine.

At the Klamath county fair last year the association gave a prize to the boy or girl making the best showing with a cow testing association calf. In this class there were thirty-five calves, all of which had been shipped by the Tillamook county association. A similar prize list was offered an accepted in other localities. Mr. Pine states that the outlook for next year shows greater prospects than ever before. California will need cattle; in fact they have already inquired as to the number of head that Tillamook will be able to supply when the quarantine is lifted.

LOCAL LEGION POST MEETS HERE FRIDAY

Tillamook Post of the American Legion will hold a meeting at the Armory next Friday evening, July 11. Blanks for the federal adjusted compensation have been received and quite a number are expected to be made out at that meeting, for there will be someone present then to help the ex-service men prepare their applications. The auxiliary will furnish a feed for the occasion.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED RECENTLY

The following marriage licenses were issued from the county recorder's office this week: Martin J. Smith and Mary J. Painton, Garibaldi; Kenneth E. Warren and Opal Duerfelt, Bay City.

TRAFFIC VIOLATORS STILL PAY COUNTY

One Jury Case Fails to Bring Verdict of Guilty to Accused in Traffic Case

Unadulterated zeal still characterizes the work of the county traffic officers, for this week several more violators of traffic laws were caught and haled before Justice E. W. Stanley for punishment.

L. H. Spight, part owner of the Tillamook Herald, was caught speeding and fined \$10 and costs. T. A. Sutherland and Fred Poorman were also fined this amount for speeding. H. F. Goff was fined \$5 and costs for unlawful operation of an automobile. E. M. Clinton was found not guilty by a jury before justice court on a charge of unlawful operation of an automobile. This case grew out of a collision between Clinton's machine and another at the Lamb corner, south of this city.

FISH CLUB LUNCHEON HELD HERE MONDAY

The local fish club enjoyed a big trout feed on Monday evening at the guild hall, at which about fifty men were present. The trout used for the banquet were caught by eight members of the club, and the entire menu was prepared by the personal of the organization. At a short business meeting it was decided to request the state game protective association to plant bass in some of the fishing waters of the county. This will afford an additional element to the already varied phases of sportmanship in the county and is a very commendable action.

A suggestion to procure a suitable button to be worn by the club members will probably be carried out at an early date. Every one says they surely enjoyed the trout feed.

FENCE STRADDLED BY AUTOMOBILE

Friday night Hardy Elliff, driving a car for Mr. Smith of Tillamook had rather an unusual accident. The car headed for the railing of a small bridge on the highway near Pleasant Valley. It straddled the rail and skidded on top of it for about twenty feet, then toppled over, back into the road. The driver escaped with nothing more than a few bumps and scratches, and the car will be in good order with a few repairs.

WOMAN IS INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

Mrs. C. J. Hicox, of Pleasant Valley met with rather a serious accident last Saturday evening when her car turned over while making the turn at Lamb's corner south of town. The woman suffered a broken nose and rather severe lacerations of the face and hands. She was treated at Boals' hospital until she was sufficiently recovered to return to her home.

PROHIBITION LAW ENTANGLES TWO

B. Blackwell, who gave his name as B. Brady, and Dan Rulli were arrested by a force from the sheriff's office last Monday night having been found operating an illicit still in the vicinity of the old Yellow Fir mill south of the city. They were fined \$600 each and given 90 days in jail. Their still was of about 30 gallons capacity.

GOLDEN ROD DAIRY NOW CORPORATION

The Golden Rod Dairy of this city has filed papers for incorporation with the corporation commissioner at Salem. The incorporators are Erwin Harrison, Zella Harrison and Geo. P. Winslow.

JETTY ROAD PROJECT BEING CONSTRUCTED

Contract This Year Calls Only for Grading of Roadway

BEGUN DURING WAR

Finishing of Road to be a Great Convenience to People of North End of County

After a considerable period of contention and some misunderstanding and trouble between the county, state and the railroad company, work has finally started on the Brighton-Jetty Creek stretch of the Roosevelt highway, which, when completed, will see the entire road open through Tillamook from Clatsop to Lincoln counties.

This project was actively begun during the late war, when a number of prominent citizens of the Oregon coast counties put their shoulders to the wheel and finally got the proper amount of support necessary to make the road a success. The government was induced to get behind the road will an appropriation on account of its having a military value.

Recently the General Contracting company of Portland was given a contract to finish the work and this week the work was commenced. The contract as given allows only for the grading, and this is the biggest part of the work. Finishing of the road will be made through another contract and probably will not be done for another year or two. It has been estimated (Continued on page 8)

ELK DECORATIONS TO COVER STREETS

Special Materials to Dress Up City Blocks for Convention Next Month

Decoration of the city in preparation for the Elks convention which is to be held in Tillamook on August 14, 15 and 16, will begin about August 6. The American decorating company of Portland have contracted for the work. This firm are first class decorators, having given entire satisfaction to the committees in charge of the Portland rose festival, for the last several years. Decorations will extend along ten blocks, with three lines of decorations across each street. These lines will consist of five streamers each, of special Elks material. Three entrances to the city, south, north and east will be ornamented with especially designed arches. The armory and Elk's hall will be decorated as well as all of the store fronts along the streets.

FOREST PROTECTION IS BEING STRESSED

W. J. Frost, G. W. Frost and E. Frazier were arrested one day last week for unlawfully leaving a camp fire burning. They were placed under arrest by A. A. Segertise, state fire warden working this district, for the lumbermen's fire protective association.

Carl Nelson, of the Whitney lumber company was placed under arrest one day last week for unlawful operation of a donkey engine. He was fined \$25 and costs for not having provided proper fire protection apparatus.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alva Williams, a ten pound boy, on June 29.

BEACH, MOUNTAIN, LAY CLAIM TO DAY

Beach Resorts Preparing for Crowds of Pleasure-Seekers

CELEBRATIONS COSTLY

People Tire of Old Style Celebrations and Look for Something to Give Variety

If it doesn't rain today—and the prospects are that it will not—Tillamook county and its guests from the Willamette valley will celebrate the anniversary of Independence day in outing style, at the beaches and mountains. At least the beach resort people are preparing for the crowds, and the mountains are always prepared.

Tillamook city decided to pass up a Fourth celebration this year on account of the heavy financial drain which will be caused by two conventions in this city, which are scheduled to take place within the next two months. These celebrations and conventions cost money, too much is enough, so outside resorts will have things their own way this year. It has been considered well for one other reason also, that is the possibility of tiring people with old style celebrations every year; most of them want a change and will patronize any kind of affair which is a little different from the last.

So sunburn, picnic lunches, and sea bathing will probably take the place of running races and climbing the greased pole today.

KIWANIS LUNCHEON IS WELL ATTENDED

A Hundred Members and Guests Present at Weekly Affair of Club

Wednesday noon at the weekly Kiwanis club luncheon a very beneficial and enjoyable session was held. About 100 people were present including several visitors. This meeting marked the close of the contest that has been in progress for some time. Several members of the Tillamook county creamery association were present as guests and W. H. Christenson, president of the association, whose home is at Oretown, represented the dairymen in a few words of appreciation and general commendation for the business men of Tillamook county in their hearty spirit of cooperation with the dairymen. President Fred Beltz of the club responded with a few words that showed that Kiwanis was always willing to help solve any problems that the dairymen wished to be helped with. At the meeting next Wednesday H. T. Botts, who returned Tuesday evening from a trip during which he attended the national Kiwanis convention at Denver, will give what promises to be a very interesting talk on international Kiwanism.

FIREMEN PICNIC ON WILSON RIVER

A number of the members of the fire department and their friends picniced up the Wilson river Tuesday evening. Canoe riding and games helped to pass the evening. Roasted venison and coffee made over a camp fire sharpened appetites and a plentiful supper rapidly disappeared.

Those in the picnic party were Chief Coates and daughters Margaret and Agnes, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Case and daughter Geraldine, Ted Fritz, Casey Burke, Lillian Groat, Evelyn Gland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, Lucille Buckner, Anne Wade, Eddie Bade, James Watson, George Coats, D. A. DiFiore and Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomas Coates.

ELKS BANDSMEN FURNISHING MUSIC

The 29 piece band of the Tillamook Elks lodge No. 14437 have given the people of Tillamook city three very highly enjoyable open air concerts, the last one being last Friday evening. The next one of these will probably not be until July 18, on account of holidays and rehearsals. The thirty instruments are in the hands of real musicians, and by the time of the Elks convention here in August Mr. Bowers expects them to be as good or better than any of the bands present at that time. The personnel of the band follows:

Director, Arthur Bowers; cornets, L. D. Rayle, Don Simms, E. E. Hoffman, Godfrey Larson, Archie Pye; clarinets, George Chaffee, Elmer Sorber, Carlisle Stranahan; saxophone, J. Merrel Smith; horns, William Pykenen, Abe Simmons, John Zumstein, Earl Leach; tenor, W. F. Robinson; baritone, George Coats, Alfred Coats, A. J. Mapes; trombones, R. A. Patterson, E. J. Schelling, C. A. McGhee, Clarence Coe, J. E. Berry; basses, Ira W. White, E. W. Hutton, Fred Mellinger; drums John M. Burkhardt, Paris Lamar, Harvey W. Parker.

TRASK RIVER ROAD CAUSES ACCIDENT

C. E. Brownlee, driver for L. A. Barrick transfer company, made a trip up Trask river to haul a load of chipped bark. On the road back with the heavy load the team could not make the steep grade and the wagon started back, taking the team, driver and all over the 100 feet embankment. No serious injury was done. The transfer company went out to get the unfortunate parties Wednesday morning. The accident occurred during lunch.

MAY RECORD MONTH IN CREAMERY ASS'N

Steady Increase is Noted in Production Over Past Years

BIG CHECKS WERE FEW

Reports Are Heard by Directors in Regular Monthly Meeting of Association

Reports from the office of the Tillamook County Creamery association state that the month of May, this year, had the highest production in the history of the organization. A total of 9,873,584 pounds of milk was delivered during this period to the twenty-four factories now operating for the association. The Elwood factory was destroyed by fire in April. Cheese to the amount of 1,088,590 was manufactured and the finished product sold for \$266,077.05, f. o. b. Tillamook. The total number of boxes for last May was 14,596, as compared to 14,111 for the same period last year, and 13,348 in 1922.

Interesting figures in this connection were gleaned from old files of the Headlight for May, 1909, fifteen years ago. Total production for that date was 1,768,841 pounds of cheese from 3,575,695 pounds of milk, bringing in an income of \$55,023. Fifteen factories were in operation then, the highest producing of which were Tillamook, Maple Leaf and Fairview.

At that time there were about ten dairymen in the county getting monthly checks of over \$500; now there are over one hundred getting these checks. In May 1909 the three highest milk checks were M. W. Harrison \$854.77; E. and A. Marolf \$826.98; and Mrs. A. L. Donaldson \$758.36.

The above comparison gives some idea of the growth of the dairy industry in Tillamook county for the past fifteen years and is of interest to old-timers of this section.

The directors of the creamery association met last Wednesday and heard the report of Inspector Fred Christensen, which showed that there were 41,682 triplets, 16,930 loaf and 480 longhorns made during May. Of these 657 triplets and 162 loaf were seconds. Dairy Inspector D. R. Tinnerstet also made his report for the month.

D. M. Botsford, member of the advertising firm handling the association's publicity, was present and delivered a talk on advertising. After the meeting the directors to the number of 21 attended a Kiwanis dinner.


OVERHEAD ROADWAY IN CONSTRUCTION

The overhead railroad crossing at the new bridge on the Wheeler Nehalem road is being completed as rapidly as possible by the contractors, the Portland Bridging company. It is expected to be completed by July 15. On the dike that is being built on this same road the county forces are progressing rapidly. The crew is working on the Ed Lindsey road expects to finish its work before the rains set in. Good progress is being made on the Roosevelt highway-God's Valley road that leaves the Roosevelt highway about two miles south of the Clatsop county line. This road is to be six miles long but will be completed only to the summit, a distance about half way to God's Valley.

MID-YEAR LICENSES ARE GOING FAST

Wednesday evening the number of half rate automobile licenses authorized since the first of the month was 58 being issued from the local sheriff's office Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet Thursday July 10th at the home of Mrs. Ginn with Mrs. Faxon leader.



THE FOURTH OF JULY

To the sages who spoke, to the heroes who bled,
To the day and the deed, strike the harpstrings of glory!
Let the song of the ransomed remember the dead,
And the tongue of the eloquent hal-low the story!
O'er the bones of the bold
Be the story long told,
And on fame's golden tablets their triumphs enrolled.
Who on freedom's green hills freedom's banner unfurled,
And the beacon-fire raised that gave light to the world!

They are gone—mighty men!—and they sleep in their fame:
Shall we forget them? Oh, never! no, never!
Let our sons learn from us to embalm each great name,
And the anthem send down—"Independence forever!"
Wake, wake, heart and tongue!
Keep the theme ever young;
Let their deeds thru the long line of ages be sung,
Who on freedom's green hills freedom's banner unfurled,
And the beacon-fire raised that gave light to the world!

—Chas. Sprague.

Where liberty dwells, there is my country.
—Benj. Franklin