

WITH THE MALHEUR COUNTY FARMERS

KINGMAN KOLONY 4-H CLUB

KINGMAN KOLONY — Four-H clubs in Kingman Kolony are very active these days, and have all indications of doing a much better piece of work than last year. Clubs in the home economics groups who are busy, are sewing I, III and IV, with Mrs. Charles Newbill as leader, with Mrs. Elmer Dutton acting as assistant leader. Sewing II is led by Mrs. C. W. Wilson. Cooking I, II and III with Mrs. D. L. Anderson as leader, and Miss Joy Crummett as leader, and Miss Joy Crummett as leader.

A larger canning club than last year will be led by Mrs. C. E. Elliott. But only fourth year girls who can meat will be active this winter. A few girls are taking individual work in room improvement, homemaking and rose and flower garden.

Two girls have signed up with the handicraft club, led by Walter McPartland and expect to make the boys in that club work pretty hard to do a better piece of work than they do.

The livestock and crops projects show much better promise of more to be accomplished than last year. Several of the boys in the pig club which will be led by Ted Rogers, have purchased animals which they have kept from last year.

James Nichols will lead the sheep club. More boys expect to purchase pure bred animals in this also.

The first dairy club to be carried on in Kingman will have two girls enrolled.

Boys will carry individual clubs in poultry, corn, baby beef, vegetable garden and home beautification.

The executive committee of the 4-H assembly will hold a meeting this week to make plans for another assembly program to be held in the near future. All club members and their families greatly enjoy these meetings where an afternoon's program of both social and recreational activities are carried on.

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MALHEUR COUNTY GRANGE CALENDAR

BOULEVARD GRANGE Frank Sherwood, Master 2nd. and 4th. Thursdays 8:30 p. m. Cairo	BIG BEND GRANGE H. E. Hatch, Master 1st. and 3rd. Tuesdays 8:00 p. m. Wade Schoolhouse
OREGON TRAIL GRANGE John Stam, Master 2nd. and 4th. Wednesdays 8:30 p. m. Oregon Trail Schoolhouse	VALE GRANGE C. E. Charles, Master 1st. and 3rd. Fridays 8:30 p. m. I. O. O. F. Hall Vale
OREGON SLOPE GRANGE Jim Danielson, Master 1st. and 3rd. Thursdays 8:30 p. m. Park Schoolhouse	HARPER-WESTFALL GRANGE Charles Belgrade, Master 2nd. and 4th. Fridays 8:00 p. m. Harper Schoolhouse
AROCK GRANGE Ted Hon, Master 2nd. and 4th. Saturdays 8:00 p. m. Arock	WILD ROSE GRANGE Arthur Antrim, Master 2nd. and 4th. Saturdays 8:00 p. m. West of Huntington
EL DORADO GRANGE Floyd Howard, Master 2nd. and 4th. Fridays 9:00 p. m. Ironside	SNAKE RIVER GRANGE Paul Parkinson, Master 2nd. and 4th. Tuesdays 8:00 p. m. Annex Schoolhouse
L. O. N. GRANGE Norman MacKenzie, Master 1st. and 3rd. Fridays 8:00 p. m. Sheaville	KINGMAN GRANGE D. L. Anderson, Master 2nd. and 4th. Mondays 8:00 p. m. Kingman Schoolhouse
JAMIESON GRANGE Ray Garrison, Master 1st. and 3rd. Wednesdays 8:30 p. m. Jamieson Schoolhouse	MALHEUR COUNTY POMONA GRANGE J. Edwin Johnson, Master Four times yearly (Places advertised)

CORPORAL OF PRESDALE MAKES HIT

W. E. Hite has received a letter from B. E. Cazier, of St. Anthony, Idaho, telling him how well pleased Cazier is with Corporal of Presdale, a Guernsey bull recently purchased from Hite. Cazier says that the young blooded bull is fast becoming a favorite among dairymen around St. Anthony.

YAMHILL PLANTS MORE GRASS

McMINNVILLE — More grass, particularly chewing fescue, was seeded in Yamhill county during October of this year than in all County Agent Rex Warren. Twenty-three farmers have seeded 329 1/2 acres of chewing fescue, practically all of it seeded alone. Records are being kept in regard to rate of seeding, methods of seeding, crop preceding the seeding, and stands obtained. Tall fescue and tall oat grass have also been planted, and plans are being made to seed red creeping fescue in the spring.

MANY MOISTURE TESTS MADE

THE DALLES—Continuing compilation of data carried on during the past five years in cooperation with the Moro experiment station on dry land projects, 320 moisture tests were taken during October by County Agent W. Wray Lawrence. Tests were made in nine orchards in three communities, with the idea of determining the moisture content in the soils in orchards of different ages and handled under different cultivation conditions.

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STOCK AND GRAIN MARKETS

(Editor's Note: The following market information is supplied from material obtained over the Government leased market wire in the office of the extension economist at Oregon state college. The material is in the form of a weekly summary of trends in the livestock market and is not intended to replace spot day by day market reports.)

CATTLE MARKETS

Livestock marketing in general, including cattle marketing, was light the past week because of the Thanksgiving holidays, only 2900 head of cattle having been received for the entire week.

Arrivals on Monday of this week amounted to 1800 head and found the market at North Portland active with prices generally 25c higher than last week's close. A few experimental fed steers sold at \$9.10 although the general run of fed steers brought a top of \$8.75.

At San Francisco trading was slow the first of this week as receivers were holding for \$8.75 for fed steers.

SHEEP AND LAMB MARKETS

Well finished lambs were relatively scarce last week. Prices advanced about 25c in disposing of a light run of only 2500 head for the entire week. Week end arrivals reported Monday also totaled 2500 head.

The market was steady to slightly higher than last week's close although trading was slow. Top prices reported were \$9.25 for choice trucked-in lambs. At San Francisco good to choice fed woolled lambs were being held for \$8.75 or above.

HOG MARKETS

Hog prices were about 10c lower last week despite the light offerings but the loss was more than repaid on Monday when prices opened 25c to 50c higher than last week's close. About 2550 head were received at North Portland where carload lots of light butchers sold as high as \$9.90.

WOOL MARKETS

Very little activity was reported in territory wools last week although occasional purchases were made by mills or top makers who had urgent needs. Original fine bag territory wools, running mostly to good French combing and staple lengths, brought 68c to 70c, scoured basis. Graded staple one-half blood wools moved at the same price in limited quantities.

With stocks of manufactured goods relatively small, and with prospects of improvement in consumer demand next year, the trade feels that domestic mill consumption of wool in the United States in 1939 may exceed that of 1938. This prospective increase is a strengthening influence to domestic prices. The spread between domestic and foreign prices, however, is not much less than the tariff, and unless there is some rise in foreign prices, advances in domestic prices of wool in the coming year will be limited.

Stocks of wool in this country are larger than a year ago as are stocks in most foreign importing countries, except Japan.

Made Trip to Bates—John Ostrom motored to Bates, Ore., last Friday night on business.

BIG BEND

Wade P. T. A. will meet Friday, Dec. 2 with Mrs. John Timmerman. Mrs. Dan Holly of Adrian and Mrs. Case Muntjewerff are assistant hostesses.

Miss Virginia Miller spent her vacation with her parents.

Mrs. John Mogus returned home from Westfall Sunday, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Welsh were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Welsh of Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lora Pillsbury and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller entertained the McCormicks of Boise and their house guests from Montana at a family dinner Saturday at the Pillsbury home.

Mr. and Mrs. Corritt Muntjewerff and daughter of Adrian were dinner guests Thursday in the Case Muntjewerff home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Parker and son and Miss Joyce Ashcraft of Adrian spent Thanksgiving at the E. E. Parker home.

Elton McCormick of Parma transacted business in Bend Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Miller, Virginia and Jim and Mr. and Mrs. Lora Pillsbury were Thanksgiving guests in the McCormick home in Boise.

Miss Helen Pond who has a position in Boise came down Thanksgiving to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sparks were dinner guests in the Henderson home at Emmett Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Enchus entertained at a large family dinner at their home Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris and children of Vale were out-of-community guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Parker spent Thanksgiving with the Bert LaRue family at Vale.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Phelan entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brumbach, Mrs. Rene Nightingale of Ontario, Joe Brumbach of New Plymouth and Extra Brumbach of Boise at Thanksgiving dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weir and Betty were Caldwell visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hatch and son of Adrian were guests in the E. E. Parker home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hatch entertained at a family dinner Friday.

R. L. Haworth with a crew of men spent the past week chopping hay on Owyhee.

Andy Little of Emmett spent part of last week in Bend measuring hay, he paid \$6 for what he bought.

Will Welch of Boise came for his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Welsh Saturday and on Sunday members of the family enjoyed a dinner at his home.

On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Jim Welch of Boise entertained them at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Will Sweet were Thanksgiving guests at the Wilbur Roberts home in Rosewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnston and Lee attended the football game in Boise Thanksgiving and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Thurber.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Van de Water of Wilder were guests at the R. L. Haworth home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mara of Marsing spent Thursday visiting in the Hamilton home and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Reed of Homedale were their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Prosser and family were guests in the Wilford home in Fargo Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Haworth visited her mother, Mrs. M. E. Rogers in Ontario Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hatch entertained a large group of relatives at their home Sunday.

APPLE VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Carr Barker entertained at a family dinner on Sunday. Guests were Mrs. Barker Sr., and Harry Barker, Walter Barker, Mrs. Elsie Gray and Charles and Ben Shrader.

Cecil Leigh returned Saturday from Eugene where he visited his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones and Mildred Leigh spent Thanksgiving at Caldwell and Nampa.

Leo Woods went to Boise with Dr. Mitchell, Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. J. S. Stout and Marvin went to Boise Wednesday to bring Norma home for her vacation.

Miss Yulsh Vertrees came home from Boise to spend Thanksgiving and the week end at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers went to Caldwell Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Glen Brown, who were visitors at the Zeal home.

Margene Brown of Fruitland, who is attending the Nazarene college at Nampa was a guest of Yulsh Vertrees Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Crosswhite of California who have been visiting his mother at Caldwell spent Monday with his sister, Mrs. Lennis Wilson and brother Tom.

Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cox were guests at the Troy Cooling home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McLaughlin came down from Emmett Saturday to get the rest of their household goods.

On Thanksgiving day Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Caldwell entertained their family at a dinner; those present were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Johnston and Duane, Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Caldwell Kenneth and Vernadine, Mr. and Mrs. Conley Wilson and Jeanette.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Woods and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson on Thanksgiving day. Dr. Mitchell was called Monday morning to see Mrs. Lloyd Caldwell who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher and Donald returned Friday from Susanville, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stout went to Boise Sunday and took their daughter Norma and Yulsh Vertrees to their rooming places to be ready to resume school work Monday.

VALLEY VIEW

Mrs. Gerald Goodfellow and children called at the Bratton home Tuesday. Bonnie the new baby girl is growing fine.

Lester McKenna and family spent Tuesday night at the Bert Bratton home, and left Wednesday morning for Yakima for a visit.

Gladys Bratton arrived home Tuesday evening for a visit.

Eulsh Bratton and Betty Nelson's vacation started Wednesday evening Betty spent her vacation with Eulsh.

Ruth Bratton came down from Boise Wednesday night to spend Thanksgiving and remained until Monday.

The C. C. Wyckoff family were callers at the Bratton home Thursday.

Mrs. H. E. Noah and daughter and Mr. Smith called to see Ruth

Bratton Saturday afternoon.

Chas S. Wyckoff and son arrived at their home in Kansas Saturday evening making the trip from Nyssa in 34 1/2 hours.

B. F. Bratton and Alvin Schrafer left Wednesday night for Kansas. A few friends gathered at the A. A. Bratton home Saturday evening honoring Miss Betty Nelson.

A. A. Bratton went to Vale Sunday evening.

Gerald Goodfellow is stacking clover.

Russ Cochrun and wife and Mrs. Wilbur Holcomb and son visited at the Bert Bratton home Monday afternoon.

LOWER BIG BEND

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Tremble left Monday on their honeymoon. They are going to Iowa where they will spend Christmas with his parents.

Mrs. Edna Ferris and Mrs. Wm. Turner of Weiser met with the school children and their mothers Tuesday and discussed the sale of Christmas seals.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stradley and family were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stradley and family of Arcadia.

Several from this district attended the dance at Big Bend Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Russell and family and Mrs. M. A. Bradney were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Ose Schweizer home in Sunset Valley.

The 4-H achievement program and supper was held at the school house Wednesday evening. Mr. Hauser awarded the 4-H club members their pins and also gave a talk on 4-H work.

A group of Girls Scouts met at the Jackson home Friday and worked on their handy craft.

Miss Martha Godwin who has been working in Caldwell was home for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Chaney and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Chaney and family were Thanksgiving guests at the Lynn Chaney home in Parma.

Miss Schniter, Mrs. Young and

Kie and Bill Scott were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Joseph King home.

Visit Nampa Lodge—William Hughie, a member of the Nampa I. O. O. F. lodge, accompanied by Harry Kingrey, John Thomson and C. V. Starks, were interested spectators at a regular session of the Nampa lodge last Thursday night.



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