



4-H CLUB ACTIVITIES

By County Extension Agents

Leaders Council Meet Set

Plans for the annual 4-H Leaders rally was the main topic of discussion at the Malheur Leaders council's October meeting in Ontario last week.

The date for the rally was set for Nov. 14. Guest speaker will be Burton Hutton, state 4-H club leader from Oregon State college. Presentations of special awards and other achievement recognition will constitute the main part of the program. Details of the program will be in charge of Mrs. R. E. Anderson, Mrs. Grady Romans and Frank Hendricks.

The decorations committee includes Mrs. Pat Conger, Mrs. Bill Moore and Mrs. Harold Trenkel. The committee assignments were made by Mrs. Goldy Roberts, president of the Leaders council.

Other business of the Leaders council included reports on state fair by Mrs. Lois Hoffman, Mrs. Louise Hill and Mrs. George Hashitani; a report on the plaque for the new Adrian Memorial park and a discussion of 4-H enrollment for the coming year.

Achievement Plaques Slated
Two achievement plaques will be presented to outstanding clubs at the 4-H Leaders rally in November. These two plaques are given annually by the 4-H Leaders council.

Basis of awards consists mostly of percentage of completions, quality of work, club program and participation in 4-H and community activities. One plaque goes to a club with over 12 members and one to a club with 12 members or less.

A questionnaire is being sent to all 4-H leaders and this should be filled out and returned to the county agent's office before the first of November. This report will be used in selecting winners of the plaques. In addition to answering the questions, a story giving a complete picture of the club's activities is helpful to the selection committee.

First Club Enrolls

Enrollment for the first club of the 1958 season was received in our office several days ago. This was the Jefferson Wealth club led by Mrs. Blanche White. Officers are Marcus Stoneman, president; Doug Saito, vice president; Mary Ann Wakasugi, secretary; Kathy Wakasugi, song leader; and Donna Mae Hashitani, news reporter. There are eight members in this group.

Achievement Awards Presented

Twenty-one 4-H clubs received 4-H achievement awards at the Arook achievement meeting last Saturday. Thirteen of these received their first-year bronze pins, three their second-year certificate, two their third-year pins and three received fourth-year certificates.

First-year leader pins and certificates of community service were presented to Mrs. Helen Hammond, Tom Brigrance and John Lequerica.

The meeting was sponsored by the Arook Grange as part of their Booster night program.

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Local FFA Boys Attending Meet At Kansas City

State Farmer Larry Hickman and Chapter Farmer Dennis Spitz left Nyssa last Saturday morning on the FFA special train to take part in the National FFA convention at Kansas City, Mo., LeRoy Pulliam announced Monday. The boys will be among over 100 Oregon Association of FFA members making the trip.

Vale's Frank Yraguen and Adin Hester, Canby, will be the voting members of the delegation, although others will express their views and influence voting.

Four Oregon boys are expected to receive American Farmer degrees, highest award of achievement in the FFA. Only one boy in a thousand can attain it.

The students will stay in Kansas City to attend the opening of the American Royal Livestock show and will return by way of Omaha, Neb., where they will be guests of the Union Pacific railroad. In the past they have seen the marshalling yards of the railroad there and visited Boys' Town and other places of interest.

Peach Concentrate For New Fruit Flavor

Once again USDA researchers have come up with a new fruit concentrate. They have developed a continuous process for producing a peach puree concentrate and a frozen peach nectar. Both should be of special interest to ice cream people. This process retains the volatile peach flavor, normally lost in most processing, and it keeps its good color.

Irrigated Pasture Proves for Better Dairy Cow Rations

Irrigation in Pastures provides dairy rations.—At the University of Nebraska, tests would indicate that one acre of irrigated pasture can replace more than seven tons of feed in dairy cow rations. Too, cows on irrigated pastures produced a little more milk per day than cows in dry lot, during the four seasons when forage was 8 to 10 inches tall. Cows were moved every 8 to 14 days. However, best results were obtained from the shorter grazing periods.

If you could drive an automobile 1000 miles an hour and bring it to a dead stop in two feet, you would have an idea of what the recoil system has to do each time a turret gun is fired aboard a Navy ship.

The world-famous Navy band has a library of over 20,000 pieces to choose from and its leader conducts all concerts without a written score.

Farm and Barn News and Views

By LeRoy Pulliam

The saying, "It takes money to make money," is as true for our students of vocational agriculture as it is for the full-time farmer, the small businessman or the rich tycoon.

In some cases, if students are to have money to invest in vocational agriculture projects, they are going to have to find some source other than that of their parents to secure it.

We are very fortunate to have a bank which has officers and directors highly aware of the importance of agriculture, both locally and on a national scale. Consequently, they take a great interest in our future farmers.

Financing projects through the bank serves many objectives:

1. Help some students to get started.
2. Enable many students to carry on projects which they would not have been able to finance themselves.
3. Serve as a valuable teaching tool in teaching farm financing.
4. Aid in teaching responsibility.

5. Develop a credit reference for future use.

When a student comes to us to discuss a loan, we try to answer these questions:

1. Is the student really interested in this type of project?
2. Does it fit in with the home farm operation?
3. Is the student a good risk?
4. Will he manage the project properly?
5. Will his parents approve and cooperate to see that the best job possible is done?

If the answers to these questions are yes, the student then makes a complete budget showing every item of estimated expense and estimated income. When this is completed, the boy and we discuss the plan with his parents. After securing their approval, we are now ready to secure the loan.

Usually, we contact Ward Wieneke, to secure a time that is convenient for him, the boy and the instructor to meet. At the appointed time we go to the bank. The student is introduced to Mr. Wieneke and together they discuss the loan and budget man to man. Leonard Hewett always has time to discuss the proposed project with the boys and tells them about the many ways the bank can help them with their program.

We have covered this briefly on a local basis. The same procedure is used throughout the United States. The banking industry is interested in helping young people get started. They help boys or girls, 4-H and FFA alike.

A banker is a good man to know and here at Nyssa the bankers are very helpful in our vo ag work.

AFBC Elections Held October 7

The Adrian Farm Bureau Center met Monday evening, Oct. 7, for a special meeting in the Adrian high school Ag. building, with center chairman, Dick Krieh, conducting the meeting.

During the business meeting the nominating committee presented the names of the candidates for the center officers for the coming year. Officers elected were chairman, Lawrence Brown; vice chairman, Maurice O. Judd; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Dick Krieh; women's chairman, Mrs. Antonio Martinez. The voting delegate will be elected at a later meeting.

The speaker for the evening, county superintendent, Wm. Leggett, was introduced by county Farm Bureau delegate, Joe Hobson. Mr. Leggett explained the new proposed school reorganization plan, after which there were questions and discussion on the subject.

Other county Farm Bureau officers present besides Mr. Hobson, were county Farm Bureau chairman, Bill Moore; county Farm Bureau insurance agent, Nolan Fields and Mrs. Fields and county service to member representative Mr. Fuji, who told of some new services the Farm Bureau members may have. There were also visiting farm bureau members from other centers in the county.

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft returned home Tuesday from Hazelton, Ida., where they had been for several days visiting their son, Dick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Viers were Sunday afternoon guests at the Willis Conant home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Haney and daughter, Christie, were dinner guests Thursday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Batt in Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Miller of Woodburn, Ore., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb from Thursday until Sunday. They were here to attend the Jersey cattle sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson visited their granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Andrews in Caldwell Sunday.

Mrs. Dale Ashcraft attended the hospital auxiliary tea held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Maurice Judd.

Mrs. Jim Phifer attended a PTA executive meeting at the home of Mrs. Donald Brewer Thursday evening. Plans were formulated for the annual PTA carnival.

Tony Martinez, Jr., attended the Adrian freshman-sophomore hay ride Saturday night.

Miss Effie Laan played her clarinet with the band Friday night at the football game. It was her first appearance with the band.

Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Miller of Woodburn, Ore., Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson, Mr.

Granddaughter Born

Mrs. Gladys Mitchell announced this week the arrival of a new granddaughter, Mern Annette born to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mitchell of Portland. The Mitchells have two other daughters.

Mrs. Mitchell returned home recently after spending two weeks at her son's home.

Beaumont and Jim Phifer attended the Jersey club banquet at the East Side cafe in Ontario Friday night.

Mrs. Charlie Bowers and her daughter, Mrs. Richard Callahan of Mountain Home, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Olund in Vale Sunday.

Mrs. Delores Sharp and sons, Douglas and Ted, are spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Alzina Salter.

Mrs. Red Kreager, Mrs. Dwayne Bennett and Mrs. Fern Hatch went to Marsing Sunday evening to get a Siamese kitten.

Mrs. Mae French left Thursday evening to spend several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Halady near Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Kreager and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Bennett spent Wednesday and Thursday hunting near Durkee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Martinez and girls and Tony Martinez went to Orofino, Ida., Sunday to see George Bright on business.

Miss Sharon Slippey stayed with the Oliver Freel children Sunday while their parents went hunting.

Mrs. Dale Ashcraft and Mrs. William Toomb worked with the home economics division women of the Kingman Grange, serving lunch for the Jersey club cattle sale at the fair grounds in Ontario Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Toomb and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phifer attended the wedding of Thelma Mullins and Kenneth Toomb in Nyssa Saturday evening. Mrs. Phifer was piano accompanist for the soloist, Mrs. Stan Newman.

Al Thompson took part in the opening ceremonies for the new Nyssa Snake river bridge Saturday morning, recalling the days even before the first bridge was built.

Mrs. Tony Martinez attended a combined business meeting and baby shower for Mrs. June Hirai at the Adrian Legion hall Monday night.

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Gem Club Hears Report on Show, Views Pictures

A good crowd was present at the Washoe hall, near Payette, last Thursday night to usher in the fall season of the Snake River Gem club.

First event of the evening was a cooperative covered dish dinner. This was followed by the business meeting, at which Frank Zimmerman of Payette gave a report of the Labor day week end federation show at Tacoma, Wash. Both he and his recent bride had been judges at the event. He also presented the local club with a plaque for an earlier "best club" exhibit at Caldwell.

Adolph Schroeder gave a short talk on the geology of this immediate area and its respective ages. Then Maurice Corey showed color slides of their recent trip to Michigan and also some of the August picnic at the Clyde Curran home, taken by Club President Oscar Elliott of Payette.

Navy students who qualify for the nuclear power training program have an opportunity to work side by side with scientists, engineers and nuclear experts from the AEC and technicians from the bureau of ships.



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Monday, Oct. 21 at 1 p.m.—Frank Plegman public farm sale, located 1 mile east and 2 1/2 miles south of Nyssa on the Apple Valley road, or 3 1/2 miles northwest of Parma—Just across the road from Apple Valley school. 30 head of dairy cattle consisting of 11 Holstein and Guernsey cows, seven 2-year-old springer heifers, 3 ABS heifers, 20 months old; 9 ABS Holstein heifers from 2 to 15 months old. An outstanding herd. Dairy equipment including Surge milker. Farm machinery, poultry equipment, lots of hay, wire and other items and equipment.

Tuesday, Oct. 22 at 1 p.m.—Oren Jackson auction sale, located 2 1/2 miles east of Midvale, Ida., to cemetery corner, then 1/2 mile south. Farm equipment includes 2 tractors, combine, baler and miscellaneous. 31 head of extra good Short-horn cattle including herd sire, registered Polled Shorthorn bull, 14 cows, 6 yearling heifers, 10 yearling steers. Milking equipment, furniture, hay, miscellaneous items.

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