

## Nu Acres— 4-Hers Attend Judging Class At Grange Hall

By Farmerettes Club

Ten girls and several mothers attended a 4-H judging class held at the Grange hall last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Lowell Dalley assisted the leaders, Mrs. Keck and Mrs. Shaw with the instruction.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans attended the Pomona Grange picnic at Payette park Sunday afternoon.

Jesse Fry was fortunate to escape with minor injuries when he was bumped by a car while riding his bike on the highway last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans, Freda and Roy spent Friday and Saturday fishing on Deadwood river.

Mrs. Woodrow Seuell of Connel, Wash. visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Robert Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Thompson and Gary and Lloyd Cutlers fished at Sage Hen reservoir one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smit were guests at the Jake Groot home in Nyssa Wednesday afternoon.

Visitors at the Harold Wall home Friday were his sister, Miss Velma Wall of Brainard, Minn. and his mother, Mrs. Martha Wall of Nampa. Sunday they attended a picnic in Nampa in honor of the visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burt of Boise visited at the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnson and at the Eggert Oft home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Conner and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ballard and family in Fruitland Tuesday evening.

Patsy Hawks, Ronnie Debban and Linda Boles are attending 4-H camp at McCall this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Raines of Gary, Ind., visited briefly at the Paul Russell home last week. Mr. Raines and Mr. Russell are cousins.

Douglas Hislop has been walking on crutches this week because of a foot infection.

Visitors at the Sylvan Talbot home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Belton Hatch of Lima, Mont., Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rice of Nampa and Mr. and Mrs. Valdo Talbot and children of Ontario.

**Picnic at Emigrant Park**

Mr. and Mrs. George Pulsipher, Lela and Jesse drove to Emigrant Springs park Sunday for a picnic. They were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. George Grossman of Easton, Wash. Mrs. Grossman and children returned with her parents for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Haggerty of Mountain Home visited Sunday evening at the George Pulsipher home. Mrs. Haggerty will remain for a visit.

## Co. Agent Offers Fair Booth Book

"Planning a Community Fair Booth" is a new publication available at the county extension agent's office in Ontario, according to Extensionist Edna Mae Wimsatt.

Organizations planning booths for this year's fair will find information on planning a booth in a step by step fashion. This includes information on stopping the viewer, holding his attention and giving him a lasting impression. There are ideas on design, color, unity and simplicity along with ideas for building a booth and the various materials that may be required.

This bulletin "Planning a Community Fair Booth" was published cooperatively by Oregon State college, Washington State and the University of Idaho, due to many requests for help on planning fair booths.

Mrs. James Hartman and Nuby visited Mrs. Sales in Fruitland Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Pearl Richard returned to her home Monday after undergoing surgery in a Boise hospital.

Members of Mrs. Shaw's 4-H Cooking club entertained their parents at a picnic at the Oft home Wednesday evening. There were 15 present.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Jenkins of Ogden, Utah visited his mother, Mrs. G. E. Pulsipher and other relatives from Tuesday until Thursday. Wednesday evening Mrs. Pulsipher had the pleasure of having all of her eight children and nine grandchildren together when they had a family picnic at the Richard Jenkins home near Fruitland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin and family attended a dinner at the Don Wilson home near Nyssa Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Turner and family of New Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Martin of Nyssa were dinner guests at the Harley Sager home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Keck and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Keck Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Conley and two daughters of Los Angeles arrived Tuesday to be with Leo Conley who is a patient at Malheur Memorial hospital. Leo is recovering from injuries received when gored by a bull last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans, Roy and Freda attended a birthday celebration for Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. Ira Tish of Greenleaf Thursday evening.

Misses Martha and Janet Fredrickson of Richland, aWsh. were overnight guests Thursday of their aunt, Mrs. Eggert Oft.

Curtis and Kevin Beus stayed at the G. E. Pulsipher home Sunday while their parents, Mr. and

## Labor Reports, Taxes Hit By Farm Bureau

The mid-summer resolutions conference of the Oregon Farm Bureau finished discussion on proposed resolutions for membership study at Bend Aug. 1. Results of the organization's study committees showed a general skepticism for government programs involving use of tax money and proposed increases in taxes.

The committee on transportation suggested the following change in the present Farm Bureau stand on the highway use tax. "Although the matching funds program for highway construction proposed by the federal government sounds attractive, we feel that it would be inequitable to increase the gas tax or use tax to raise additional money. We feel that there is a possible source of money available if our lined or made more efficient."

### Migratory Labor

The committee on farm labor voiced concern over the migrant labor problem in Oregon and the distortion of facts on the problem as portrayed in recent Portland news stories. The state department of labor was also criticized for the manner in which recent surveys have been conducted. It was the consensus of the committee that "farmers should be on investigating committees surveying the migrant problem in Oregon and that survey teams should receive the far-highway department was streamer's permission before interviewing employees on the farmer's private property."

### Commodity Recommendations

Oregon commodity commissions figured strongly in the commodity action of the mid-summer Farm Bureau conference. The committee strongly recommended that Oregon commodity commission members be elected by the commodity producers and that terms of office be staggered with a definite limit on the tenure of office. The committee also recommended retention of the requirement for a two-thirds majority vote to form a commission.

A total of 150 farmers from 30

Mrs. Clair Beus went to McCall for a picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Rood of Echo avenue are the parents of a daughter, Katie Elizabeth, born Aug. 9 at St. Alphonsus hospital in Boise.

Ivan Wilson of Ontario visited his sister, Mrs. Robert Shaw Saturday.

The Fruitland MYF enjoyed a ball game at the Grange hall. Refreshments were served later at the Cecil Evans home.

## Out-of-Oregon Livestock Shippers Urged to Assist

The state department of agriculture is contacting all "for hire livestock carriers" in the state urging their full cooperation with brand inspection activity and laws.

The department is furnishing carriers with a complete list of all Oregon brand inspectors so they may know who is the closest brand inspector when they load livestock for large out-of-state shipments.

The department is making a thorough effort to inform carriers of the livestock brand inspection program so the carriers may avoid the inconvenience and time loss of having animals unloaded for brand inspection.

The carriers' situation will be materially improved, according to Henry A. Matschiner, supervising livestock officer, if they will themselves make it a point to help advise shippers of the inspection requirements.

He pointed out that in the past few years the department has expanded its inspection services throughout the state to the point where it is now able to offer on-the-ranch brand inspection for all large shipments going outside of Oregon.

Various livestock groups and associations have urged the department to refuse to issue brand inspection on loaded livestock or between the hours of sunset and sunrise. Matschiner advised the carriers.

Oregon counties attended the mid-summer parley. The committees met to study and recommend action for membership study prior to the center and county policy making meetings this fall. Final resolutions on the many subjects discussed will be taken to the annual meeting by county voting delegates in November.

## State Dairy Law Changes Slated By Committee

The state department of agriculture's dairy relations advisory committee agreed that a number of changes are needed in Oregon's dairy laws at a meeting held last week in Salem.

Committee members said they felt the present definition of milk under the fluid milk act is inadequate and should be amended. They also agreed that changes in the law are needed to enable the department to set up standards of identity, including labeling requirements, for milk products.

Changes in the Oregon breed law submitted by representatives of the dairy breed association were approved with minor clarifications.

Basically, the recommended revisions call for a new standard of identification for breed herds and licensing of producers and distributors using the breed name in the sale of their products.

Each establishment selling ice cream, rather than each company, should be licensed by the department, the committee recommended. A proposed bill which would allow farm milk truck drivers to sample milk for bacteriological analysis by the department was unanimously approved.

The committee recommended that the department draft a bill which would make it illegal to haul milk in bulk containers unless the equipment and procedures conformed to the milk transportation requirements of the present dairy regulations. Committee members, who represent Oregon Dairy Industries, Oregon Dairy Producers and Northwest Retail Ice Cream Manufacturers, will take these suggested changes back to their parent organizations for their study and approval.

## LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Arnone and daughter, Lynda of Magna, Utah, are house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bingham this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Anderson and family of Hazelton, Ida., were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brower.

Mrs. Clyde Schurr and Mrs. Charles McClure and daughter, Nancy, of Caldwell visited Wednesday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cochran.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cruson and family left Saturday for a week's vacation at Zim's plunge near New Meadows.

Raymond Bergam, who has spent the past two weeks at reserve camp in Yakima, Wash., left there Saturday for Corvallis, Ore., where he will visit relatives. He will return home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brower attended an MIA convention in Boise Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fox were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Malloy at the Chuck wagon supper Thursday at the William Schireman home.

Airman 3 c Frank Handley, stationed at Mountain Home and Airman 3 c Albert Hendricks of Baker were weekend house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glade Chadwick.

Sandra Lewis and Peggy Yost returned Sunday after a week's visit in Jordan Valley with Mr. and Mrs. Julian Calzacorta.

## Grain Warehouse Regulations Set By State Dept.

Modified regulations governing the operation, licensing and maintenance of bonded public warehouses, particularly those storing grain, in Oregon were put into effect July 25 by the state department of agriculture.

The new regulations require that storage facilities must be adequate to protect commodities from the elements, rodents, birds and injurious vermin. Windows and other openings used for ventilation must be permanently screened.

Warehouse interiors must be kept free of all rodents and birds and reasonably free of dust and live infestations of injurious insects. Breeding places for rodents—walls, old machinery, garbage and other debris—must be eliminated from warehouse grounds.

Stocks of grain on hand must at least cover the quantity, class and quality of obligations outstanding under receipts, scale tickets, load slips or other evidence of deposit. Grain processed or packaged for sale as seed is excluded.

Warehouseman must post a chart of bins and permanent bins for bulk storage must be permanently numbered or lettered.

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