

Cattle Show Lures Top Utah Entries

Richmond Meet Officials Draft Program

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RICHMOND, Cache County—Preparations were being completed Monday for one of northern Utah's outstanding celebrations—the twenty-eighth annual Richmond Black and White dairy show to be held Thursday.

Governor Herbert B. Maw has been invited to join the many state agricultural leaders who will attend the show, and exhibitors are busy fitting outstanding specimens of dairy cattle which have given Cache valley a national agricultural reputation, reported Roy C. Funk, show chairman.

From 150 to 200 Holstein-Friesian cattle from Cache valley, the Ogden area and southern Idaho are expected to be entered in the purebred and grade classes, Mr. Funk said.

Judge for the purebreds will be Professor J. B. Fitch, chief of the dairy husbandry division of the University of Minnesota and one of the nation's outstanding judges of "black and white" cattle. Lloyd Hunsaker, Piute county agent, will be judge of the grade animals.

Competition will be keen, Mr. Funk said, for the grand champion cow title won last year by Posch Marathon Reese, a high-producing purebred owned by Roy Thain of Eenson.

Another title which will be eagerly sought is the new premier breeder's award offered for the first time this year by the Utah State Holstein-Friesian association. This trophy will go to the dairyman who was breeder of the animals, not necessarily owned by him, which win the most points in competition.

The Utah Industrial school at Ogden, which already has entered 15 animals, is expected to be a leading contender for this trophy.

Horse owners are training teams in preparation for the annual pulling contests, one of the most popular features of the show, Mr. Funk reported. This event will begin at 4 p. m. and will be continued for two weight classes.

C. N. Vickers, new western fieldman for the Holstein-Friesian Association of America, will be one of the national dairy leaders attending the show.

USAC Schedules Award Fete

LOGAN—Announcement of the 12 seniors who will comprise next year's Alpha Sigma Nu honorary fraternity at Utah State Agricultural college, and presentation of the Blue Key fraternity's underclassman award will be features of Wednesday's senior assembly at U. S. A. C.

A freshman or sophomore of the college, who has distinguished himself in scholarship and extra-curricular work, will receive the Blue Key award from President Jack Anderson of Tremonton.

Will Reign Over Festival



Miss Margaret Shelton, "strawberry blond" queen of the naval supply depot at Clearfield, who'll be queen of Ogden Pioneer Days celebration.

Ogden Pioneer Fete Crown Goes to Navy Depot Entry

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OGDEN—Selection of Margaret Shelton, "strawberry blond" queen of the naval supply depot at Clearfield, as queen of Ogden's 1943 Pioneer days celebration, which will be conducted July 21 to 24, was completed Sunday by a committee of five military and two civilian judges.

Miss Shelton is a graduate of East high school in Salt Lake City.

She was selected from the field of five finalists, all queens of their respective military and naval installations, at a program in the Ogden municipal stadium. Judges were Lewis V. Trueman, judge of the Second judicial district court; George S. Eccles, Ogden financier and civic leader; Captain Omar D. Conger, supply officer in command of the naval supply depot at Clearfield; Colonel Robert M. Hardaway, commanding officer of Bushnell general hospital at Brigham City; Colonel Frederick D. Lynch, officer in command of the army air base at Hill field; Colonel Roy D. Burdick of the Utah quartermaster depot, and Major W. A. Ernst of the Ogden arsenal.

The distinction for Miss Shelton climaxed a series of personal victories. First she was chosen to represent the public works department of the naval depot to compete with candidates from eight other departments for the honor of depot queen. Her selection from the field of nine candidates for the intradepot honor qualified her to compete with the queens of the four other installations, all of whom were selected from large

fields of contestants either by popular ballot or by committees of judges.

Candidates were selected for physical attractiveness, personality and horsemanship.

Price Charge Faces Eight Carbon Stores

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PRICE—Civil complaints were filed in Seventh district court here Monday against eight grocery stores in Carbon county for allegedly selling merchandise above the O. P. A. ceiling price regulations.

The complaints were signed by Duane Frandsen, attorney for the O. P. A. in the Salt Lake office, before District Judge Fred W. Keller. Injunctions enjoining the eight firms from selling above price ceilings were asked in the complaints. Names of the firms will be made known at a preliminary hearing set for Monday, court attaches said.

According to Mr. Frandsen, a number of complaints on stores breaking price regulations were received from Carbon county last November, after which letters of warning were sent out. In February an investigation was made and eight stores were found in violation of the regulations.

Officials Set Strawberry Fete on May 28

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PLEASANT GROVE—May 28 was tentatively set Monday by chamber of commerce officials as the date for the twenty-second annual Strawberry day here, it was announced by Ertman Christensen, president of the chamber and general chairman of the celebration.

The festival is being held earlier than usual this year, Mr. Christensen said, as berry growers of the area have reported that this year's crop probably will be at its peak the last of the month. The celebration will center around a patriotic theme.

Two miniature parades will be featured, one in the morning and one in the evening. Mr. Christensen said the entertainment will include a military revue and that bond and stamp booths will be built.

Blanding Man Dies After Fall Into Tank

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BLANDING—Funeral services were conducted in the Blanding LDS ward chapel Saturday for Asa Laws, 32, who died Friday morning at the Grand county hospital of burns suffered a day previous when he fell into a leach tank at the Blanding mill. Burial was in the Blanding cemetery.

Mr. Laws was working a night shift when the accident occurred. Ross Fillerup, another worker, said he heard Mr. Laws' screams and rushed to his aid. The injured man was taken to the hospital at Moab.

Mr. Laws was born in Mexico May 8, 1910. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Marie Black Laws; a son and daughter, Dwight and Theda Laws, his parents, and four brothers, all of Blanding.

Japanese Hold Ogden Seaman

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OGDEN—George DeWitt Stoddard, seaman first class in the U. S. navy and son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Stoddard of 557 Cook street, who has been listed both as dead and missing in action since February, 1942, is now officially reported to be a prisoner of war at Hakodate camp, L. I., by the International Red Cross.

Seaman Stoddard took part in some of the naval battles of the Java area. Word of his internment came through Red Cross channels from Tokyo.

WELLSVILLE, Cache County—Preston P. (Prep) Gunnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gunnell of Wellsville, previously reported missing in action in north Africa, is a German prisoner of war, his parents have been informed.

Private First Class Gunnell was reported by the war department on March 10 as missing in action since February 20. The new telegram from the adjutant general said a report has just been received through the International Red Cross that he is a prisoner of the Germans.

Crickets Near Farm Areas

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LOGAN—The danger of Mormon crickets in Utah, especially in the Kanosh area of Millard county, was described Monday by Dr. G. F. Knowlton, associate entomologist of the Utah agriculture experiment station.

Dr. Knowlton, state leader in grasshopper and Mormon cricket control, Millard County Agent George Wornham and Federal Entomologist Walter E. Peay worked with five farmers of the Kanosh area the past week end and made a preliminary survey of the outbreak. They scattered 400 pounds of bran-sodium fluosulfate wet bait over the nearest infested areas as part of their work.

An examination of the menacing outbreak revealed millions of Mormon crickets to be advancing on the cultivated areas, the largest part of the horde being just across the highway from the nearest farms.

Board Refuses Slayer's Plea

BOISE, Idaho (AP)—The Idaho pardons board Monday voted, 2 to 1, to deny the application for freedom of Duncan M. Johnston, former Twin Falls mayor, who is serving a life sentence in the state prison for the slaying of George Olson, Salt Lake City jewelry salesman.

Governor Bottolfsen and Attorney General Bert H. Miller voted against the pardon, and Secretary of State George H. Curtis voted for it. The vote followed presentation of a plea in Johnston's behalf by Pete Leguineche, Boise attorney, and Mrs. C. E. Merrill of Fairfield, a friend of Johnston.

Driver Gets Retrial on Drunk Charge

Ralph D. Wightman, 43, 314 Edith avenue, accused drunken driver who was convicted Friday when he failed to appear for trial, Monday was granted a new trial by Police Judge Wilford Moyle Barton when the court was informed of a misunderstanding concerning the trial date.

The new trial was scheduled for May 25. Wightman was arrested April 4 in the 1000 block on West North Temple street after a minor accident, police reported.

Fifteen motorists were fined or forfeited bail on charges of failing to appear before the court within five days after receiving traffic tickets. Their names and penalties imposed were: Donald C. Nesley of 955 West North Temple street, \$20; Charles C. Oliver of 830 East Seventeenth South street, Russell B. Bean of 50 L street, Joe Charles Diano of 603 Seventh East street and Richard F. Nicket of 2492 East Sixty-second South street, \$15 each; Lavaun Tait of 1195 South Second West street, Christie S. Solomon of 291 E street, E. W. Johnson of 1817 South Main street, John A. Astill of 2419 Sixth East street, Marcelles Bills of 1637 Sherman avenue, William Alden Hoagland of 423 Fifth East street, Victor K. Cummings of 1208 Thirteenth East street, Allen Edlund of 136 East Burton avenue, Reed T. Ewing of 4480 Highland street, and Dale M. Crossland of 2484 Ninth East street, \$5 each.

Other cases in court were: Speeding—Milinda Rickers of 2397 Seventh East street, charge dismissed; Nephi Lowther of 122 West Fourth South street, Frank Lee Cain of 1917 Twelfth East street and George M. Beird of 904 East First South street, fined or forfeited \$10 each.

Ignoring stop signs—Charles T. Ashley of 350 South Seventh West street, fined \$15 on charges of ignoring a stop sign and driving without a driver's license; L. E. Brown of 139 East South Temple street, George Berryman of 544 Denver street, Arvilla Beal of 6180 South State street, William W. Crawford of 1843 Claybourne avenue, C. R. Wintersteen of 161 North State street, Ernest J. Hirschert of 242 East First South street and Alice G. King of RFD No. 6, fined or forfeited \$10; and Eva Mary Young of 145 Third East street, forfeited \$5.

Ignoring traffic signals—James Matsumura of 112 West First South street, fined \$11; E. Moll of 609 East Third South street, George M. McMillan of 352 East Forty-eighth South street, Wilfred J. Larsen of 773 West Eighth South street, Friedl Pfeifer of 1370 Military way, D. C. Young of Murray, Sergeant James E. Bachand of Kearns, Inez Hart of 154 Garden avenue, Nelson L. Richards of 2168 Nineteenth East street and Royal D. Clark of Montpelier, Idaho, fined or forfeited \$10 each; V. R. Jefferson of 2641 Beverly street and Earl Gardner of 142 East Fifth South street, forfeited \$5 each.

Salt Lake Catholic Women Elect Council Leaders

Mrs. P. J. O'Carroll, general chairman of arrangements for the annual meeting of the Salt Lake Diocesan Council of Catholic Women and prominent in Catholic women's affairs in recent years, was elected president of the council at the annual meeting Monday at the Hotel Utah.

Mrs. O'Carroll succeeds Mrs. George F. Egan.

The meeting, attended by approximately 200 Catholic women from many sections of the state, was featured by addresses by the Most Rev. Robert J. Armstrong, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Sacramento, Cal., and by the Most Rev. Duane G. Hunt, bishop of the Salt Lake diocese.

Stresses Prayer
 Bishop Armstrong declared that prayer had been instrumental in rescue of Eddie Rickenbacker and his companions who were adrift for 22 days in the south Pacific. A similar spirit during the days of ancient Israel, the bishop said, made the Israelites unbeatable so long as they obeyed the Lord's commands.

He recommended that mothers endeavor in their homes to return to fundamental virtues and sacrifices and abandon the materialistic viewpoint which had characterized prewar America.

Bishop Hunt discussed various parish assignments, told that the Rt. Rev. A. F. Giovannoni now is caring for spiritual needs of 1,800 Italian prisoners of war near Ogden, and announced that the Rev. Bernard Hubbard, "The Glacier Priest" would come to Salt Lake City June 11 to lecture and show new motion pictures on Alaska. Father Hubbard's lecture will be given in Kingsbury hall.

A third speaker, Morris V. Murphy of Kansas City, Mo., regional supervisor for the National Catholic Community service, described support mothers may give to USO clubs, building morale so essential to victory.

Other Officers
 Other officers of the diocesan council elected are: Mrs. J. F. Campbell of Ogden, first vice president; Mrs. Harold Hartwell of Park City, second vice president; Mrs. Lew Sadar of Midvale, third vice president; Mrs. Lillie Heddon of Provo, fourth vice president; Mrs. W. H. Muth of Murray, treasurer, and Mrs. Nora McCormack of Eureka, recording secretary.

The annual meeting was opened Monday morning at the Cathedral of the Madeleine, when participants in the attended mass celebrated by the Rt. Rev. Patrick F. Kennedy, chancellor of the diocese. Officers and other representatives gave reports at an afternoon session following the luncheon meeting addressed by the two bishops and Mr. Murphy.

Republicans Meet
 Plans for an intensive organization program will be discussed by the Salt Lake county Republican committee and chairman of legislative districts at a meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in the Newhouse hotel.

The meeting was called by County Chairman Vernon Romney.

Chemist Puts Compound To New Uses

"Through a series of mistakes and by keeping our eyes open, we at Purdue found a practical use for an old compound," is the way Dr. Henry B. Hass, head of the chemistry department at Purdue university, explained how he and his colleagues happened upon new uses for nitroparaffins.

Professor Hass, suffering from a severe cold, rested at University of Utah's clinic Monday prior to addressing a meeting of the Utah section of the American Chemical society on "Recent Developments in the Nitroparaffins," and sniffed at a benzidine inhaler.

"This," he said, holding up the benzidine, "was made out of nitroparaffins."

"We allocated the compound for practical war uses such as making a new kind of army raincoat without rubber; it can be used as a wetting down agent, and can be used in making floor wax and insecticide," the professor pointed out.

As a result of Dr. Hass' discoveries, a factory is operating at Peoria, Ill., and producing the above mentioned products.

Dr. G. Victor Beard, instructor in chemistry at U. of U., and secretary and treasurer of the Utah section of the A. C. S., explained that Professor Hass' lecture was generally for chemical instructors and was technical from the layman's standpoint. The public was invited to the lecture, conducted at university's chemistry building.



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Expert Scans Utah Streams

Rudolph G. Kasel of Washington, D. C., chief of the surface water division of the United States geological survey, began a personal study Monday of the northern Utah rivers and creeks, the stream gauge records and snow reservoir water storage.

Mr. Kasel, who will spend two or three days in Salt Lake City with the local engineers before proceeding to Arizona, said the records here indicate that the water supply from surface streams in northern Utah will be about normal for 1943.

He explained that, while the geological survey is purely a service to make maps and reports on land and resources, the evidence given by the survey engineers is generally the deciding factor in determining the action of congress and administrative bodies on reclamation matters.

Work on Utah projects, which has been suspended, will not be resumed until the military authorities say that water here is needed more than steel, he said.

Thieves Get \$16

Burglars entered the home of A. L. Johnson, 2025 Windsor street, Sunday night and stole \$16 in silver, police reported Monday. The thieves forced a lock on a rear door to enter the house.

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