

April 19, 1954

The Washington County Fair Board Met at the Commercial Bank of Oregon all members being present, also a large delegation representing various interests as follows:

For Garden Club Building:

Miss Verna Stalder, Cedar Mill Garden Club Floral Dept.
Rt. 3, Box 232, Portland 1, Oregon
Mrs. R. M. Hibert, Cedar Mills Garden Club
9200 N. W. Leahy Rd., Portland 1, Oregon
Mrs. A. L. Fisher, Gaston, Rt. 1,
Publicity Chairman for Garden Room
Mrs. Frank R. Young, Building chairman
Mrs. Payton Reid, 480 S. W. Douglas, Beaverton, Oregon
Cedar Hills Garden Club
Mrs. C. A. Walters, 7707 S. W. Brentwood, Ave., Portland 1,
Chairman- Com. for Garden Room

Representatives from Veterans of Foreign Wars-

Mrs. Fred Anderson
Mrs. Don Becker
Mrs. Glenn Conrad -

who were interested in community Club House project. A letter was read from the Auxiliary of Martin J. Ryan post Veterans of Foreign Wars and a check of \$50.00 accepted to be put in a Club Room project.

Suggestion was made that the V. F. W. Auxiliary be appointed as a committee to contact other clubs to assist in raising funds for a club building. Their members attending said they would first have to get permission from their organization so they would report back.

The following questions and answers concerning the building were given:

Mrs. George Jacobson department supervisor for Home Economics Dept., asked if it would not be possible to have glass cases for displaying articles in that department.

Margaret VanLoo and Milford Reed from the 4-H department of the Extension Service were present with information concerning their departments.

Mr. Cletus Chapelle of 7018 N. Greenwich, Portland, Oregon, was spokesman for group representing Horseshoe pitchers asking for cash awards and trophies as set up in letter attached hereto- This matter was tabled until the next regular meeting in May. - Otto A. Johnson, 10607 S. E. Sherman Ave., Milwaukie, Oregon, to be notified of decision.

A letter was read by Mr. Abts from Stephen C. Monroe, Lt. Colonel, Presidio of San Francisco, Headquarters Sixth Army accepting invitation to bring the 6th Army Pipe Band to appear at the fair August 25 and 26.

The following bills upon motion by Abts and seconded by Sahnaw and carried, were allowed:

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| C. M. Willingham - March 8-13 - | 60.00 | |
| " " March 15-20 | 60.00 | 5.00 car exp. |
| " " March 22-27 | 60.00 | 5.00 car exp. |
| " " March 29- | | |
| April 3 | 60.00 | " " " |
| " " April 5-10 | 56.50 | " " " |
| " " April 12-17 | 60.00 | 5.00 " " " |
| Ben Faber Electric -rep. water heater - | 25.00 | |
| Portland General Electric | 29.15 | |
| Portland Gas & Coke Co., | 3.98 | |
| Commercial Bank of Oregon -Int. to 3-30-54 | 113.75 | |
| Tualatin Valley Cooperative | 17.70 | |
| Lester Ireland & Co. | 10.98 | |

There being no further business the same stood adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary E. Hadley, Sec.

1. What is the proposition made by Timber Structures and the Fair Board to the Garden Clubs?
2. Why are the Garden Clubs asked to help finance a building? *lack of funds*
3. How and when will we (the clubs) know what plan of construction is decided on between Timber Structures and the Fair Board and the cost of such construction, material and labor.
4. Are we to assume that funds raised by the individual garden clubs constitute free will offering to the Fair Association without legal responsibility by either the clubs or their representatives or members of this committee? *yes*
5. If not - what responsibility rests on whom? - Under what circumstances? *Fair Bd*
5.a.
6. There are approximately 350 Garden Club members in this county, and a dollar per capita per year (assuming that each member would do this) would not raise very much money, therefore special projects would have to be planned, other than the projects they normally have to balance their budget. With this in mind, could the financing by the clubs be spread out over a period of 2 or 3 years, starting with 1954 as the first year of donating toward this bldg? *yes*
7. By what name would this building be known? This building would be the property of the Wash. County Fair Assn., would it not, and open to the general public for exhibits? *Special bldg or some name other than "Garden Club Bldg"*
yes
8. Would this building be available to the Garden Clubs at any time during the year, for flower shows, if desired, and without charge? (with the exception of County Fair week, of course.) *yes*
9. Would this building ever be used for the exhibit of dogs, cats, rabbits, goats, poultry or cattle? (We have in mind the protection of table tops and cutting up of the dirt floor with hooves, etc.) *yes*

Saturday, August 28

- 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Home economics demonstrations (Exhibit Building)
- 9:00 a.m. - Dollar Dinner (Exhibit Building)
- 9:00 a.m. - Dairy exhibits judged
- 9:00 a.m. - Rabbit judging contest
- 10:00 a.m. - Rabbit exhibits judged
- 3:00 p.m. - Calf Manna showing

Sunday, August 29

- 1:00 p.m. - Tractor Driving contest
- 2:30 p.m. - Presentation of Special Awards (4-H and FFA)
- 4:00 p.m. - Livestock exhibits may be checked out
- All exhibits other than livestock checked out

TENTATIVE 4-H CLUB PROGRAM

Washington County Fair
August 23-29, 1954

Monday, August 23

8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Receive all exhibits in home economics.

Tuesday, August 24

8:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. - Receive all exhibits in agriculture (except flowers)

8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. - Canning contest. (Exhibit Building)

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Home economics exhibits judged.

Wednesday, August 25

8:30 a.m.

- All floral arrangements entered by 9:00 a.m.

8:30 a.m.

- All agriculture exhibits in place

9:00 a.m.

- Agriculture exhibits judged:

Woodworking

Forestry

Leather Craft

Electric

Entomology

Flowers

9:00 a.m.

- Dollar Dinner contest (Exhibit Building)

9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

- Home economics exhibits judged

9:00 a.m.

- Agriculture demonstrations

9:30 a.m.

- Garden and Crops judging contest

10:30 a.m.

- Garden and Crops exhibits judged

1:00 p.m.

- Poultry and judging contest

2:00 p.m.

- Poultry exhibits judged

Thursday, August 26

8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. - Cake Baking contest (Exhibit Building)

9:00 a.m.

- Home economics exhibits judged

9:00 a.m.

- Dairy Showmanship contest

Friday, August 27

9:00 a.m.

- Dollar Dinner contest (Exhibit Building)

9:00 a.m.

- Livestock judging contest (4-H and FFA)

1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

- Home economics demonstrations (Exhibit Building)

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

- Home economics judging contests (Exhibit Building)

1:00 p.m.

- Swine Showmanship

1:45 p.m.

- Sheep Showmanship

2:30 p.m.

- Beef Showmanship

3:15 p.m.

- Swine classes judged

4:00 p.m.

- Sheep classes judged

4:30 p.m.

- Beef classes judged

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. - Style Revue judging (Exhibit Building)

9:00 a.m.

Clothing I and II

9:45 a.m.

Clothing III

10:30 a.m.

Clothing IV and V

11:00 a.m.

Knitting

7:30 p.m.

- Public Style Revue