Federal Price Support On Seeds Proves 'Headache'

ducer.

He said the state's seed growers were threatened witt loss of markets because of acreage increases elsewhere spurred by price supports, which he called "a headache for your officers during the past year."

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Oregon, he said, now has five times as much plow land in seed crops as has any other state. The value has doubled in the past seven years, he said, and in 1950 was worth to the state's growers some \$33,000,000. The gain, he said, was 75 percent through acreage increase rather than chiefly through any price rise.

In the past year, Strome said, the league membership gained 24 percent and now totals 543. A number of objectives were gained in

ing sheep.
Rex Warren, Oregon State college specialist, told the conference that sheep aren't bothered by tansy ragwort. He suggested coastal parture land owners might shift their livestock program.

The weed is poisonous to cattle and horses. Livestock owners of coastal farmiands have been un-able to cope with the encroach-ment of the weed into their pas-

PORTLAND — (AP) — Government price suppor on seeds has been a "headache," members of the Oregon Seed Growers league were told here. Carey Strome of Junction City, Lague president, opened the convention with a condemnation of those supports as threatening Oregon's place as a leading producer. Statistical Envoy To Russia Lives Under Batch Of Restrictions WASHINGTON — (AP) — Alan G. Kirk, ambassador to Russia, says that as far as he knows Premier Statistics of the second producer.

WASHINGTON — (A) — Alan G. Kirk, ambassador to Russia, says that as far as he knows Premier Stalin is "strong, active and alert." But Kirk hastens to add, he hasn't seen Stalin since last June and then only at a distance during a Soviet ceremony. The Russian leader looked as well then, Kirk says, as he did about a year earlier during a face-to-face meeting at the Kremlin. That's the only audience Kirk has had with Stalin since he went to Moscow 18 months ago.

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In the past year, Strome said, the league membership gained 24 percent and now totals 645. A number of objectives were gained in 1950, mong them getting grades specified for malting barley.

Farmers whose fields have tansy ragwort infestations might try raising sheep.

Bet William (1950 was Moscow 18 months ago.

As a matter of fact, except for four Soviet guards, Kirk told respective 30 will be sees little of the Russian people. "Russians are not allowed to come to the embassy, so there's whether Kirk goes to a hotel or to a soccer game, they pick him up at the embassy gate and tag along. Sometimes, Kirk said, he shares cigarets with them.

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But, "Don't get the idea I'm buddies with those guys."

center, won't be roa i by Paul Jenkins).



PRODUCE DISPLAYS—Cranberries for Christmas turkey, you bet. Richard Grimes does something to a head of cabbage in the produce display at City Market. The chestnuts, front and center, won't be roasted any browner than you will be if you pull one at the Christmas dinner table.

Aside from the guards, who are supposed to be on the job for "protection." Kirk encounters other restrictions living in Moscow. For arranged by the Soviets.

By ALICE LERWILL

The regular monthly PTA meeting was held Tuesday evening, Dec. Sierra, 41, accused of shooting her 12. Plans for the Christmas treats husband last weekend, waived a

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12. Plans for the Christmas treats for the community tree were discussed, Refreshments were served by Doris Howell, Arnelle Charters, Flo Newman and Linceta Lamm.

Mrs. Stuart Williams aml Mrs. Weston Scott transacted business in Roseburg Wednesday. Mrs. Scott received medical attention.

Mrs. Doris Howell and Mrs. Flo Jewman shopped in Medford Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Kent spent Saturday in Roseburg, shopping and visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Krantz re-

Morris Pennell is now stationed at San Diego with the navy. He has been assigned to a ship and expects to be in the states for several wound. stationed at San Diego, His family has moved there with him. Dick King is stationed at Fort Ord, Calif.,

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Mrs. Charley King, Mrs. Bean Blossom and Mrs. Frank Elrod spent Friday in Medford shopping and transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Brown spent Saturday in Roseburg where Mrs. Brown received medical attention.

Mrs. William Mathews. Dale anti JoAnn. shopped in Canyonville Saturday. Saturday

Saturday,
Mr. and Mrs. Lomar Barr and
family have left for their former
home in Oklahoma to spend the
Christmas holidays.
M. and Mrs. William Howell and
family were dinner guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Rimmel in Canyonville
Saturday.

Saturday.
Charles Jackson of Drew is staying at the Louis Elliott home, while his father is in the hospital at Med-

Mr. and Mrs. George Stone and amily spent Friday shopping and transacting business in Roseburg. Mrs. Doris Howell made a gin-gerbread house of cookies and candy for the first and second grades. The unique project has at-

tracted much attention Guests at the Lance Brown home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Flick and children of Roseburg and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brown of Myrtle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Porter have as their guests, Mrs. Por-ter's pacents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schaak of Billings, Mont.

Fire Destroys City's 2 Largest Dept. Stores

SOMERSET, Ky, — (49 — This city's two largest department stores bulging with stocks of Christmas merchandise, were destroyed by fire early today.

A harber shop and a restaurant also were gutted by the flames. Unofficial estimates of tlamage

Unofficial estimates of tlamage ran as high as \$1,000,000. Destroyed were the Somerset de-partment store and the adjoining Hughes department store.

Woman Waives Hearing On Charge Of Murder

THE PALLES - (A) - Peggy preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Clenn Allen here Tuesday.

She was bound over to the grand jury without bond on a charge of manslaughter. The woman still bore the marks of a beating when she appeared in the courtroom, ac-companied by a son from a former marriage, Homer Perkins, Port-land

Killed in the shooting was Mar-iano Sierra, a railroad track walker. The woman told other railroad workers at Oakbrook of the

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Krantz recently purchased a lovely new shooting, and they called police,
home near Riddle. They plan to
move about the first of the year.
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on his return from a payday trip

Pencil Marks Balk Tests Of 100 Percent Electrical Room marks was action as a Conductor between the screens." The marks were erased. The room tested perfectly. KANSAS CITY, Kas. — (P) — Just a few pencil marks almost ruined a Boratory room desend to be electrically perfect.

Air Force Academy Postponed By House

The room was built with infinite care by Transworld Airlines. It was to be used for testing radio compasses for airlines. Such things as double layers of copper sheeting and copper screen were installed for insulation against outside electrical interfer-ence. Fillers and shields were placed on wiring. CANBY —/A!— Farmers opposed to location of proposed air force academy in this area are happier since its establishment has been postponed. But when it was finished the room failed to test perfectly.

A 13,000-acre area between Canby and Aurora was recently inspected by air force aides, one of 29 sites under consideration.

After hours of searching, elec-rical experts traced the trouble o 2 x 4 timbers separating the trical experts traced the trouble to 2 x 4 timbers separating the copper screens.

"The carpenters used lead pencils to mark the lumber in the fram work," said Master Mechanic O. A. Gentry, "The graphite in the

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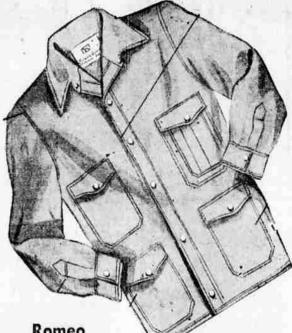
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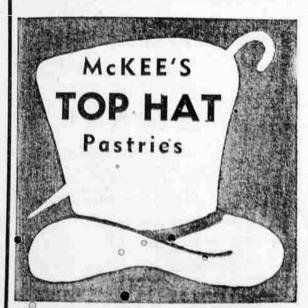


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