

Apply Science To Farm Says Grain Executive

SPOKANE (AP) — The executive vice president of the National Grain and Feed Dealers Assn. said here that "it is time to apply science to agriculture's good instead of leaving it as the football of politics."

Speaking with newsmen as he arrived to attend the Northwest Grain Dealers Assn. convention here, Ray B. Bowden of Washington, D.C. said:

"Both political parties agree that farm legislation this year has been so highly colored by politics that it has been impossible to arrive at any logical, long term solution of what is commonly called the American farm program."

Bowden said the solution of the nation's farm problems lies with scientists, not with politicians.

Some 700 delegates from Oregon, Washington and Idaho were on hand for the two-day convention, which got under way Friday.



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Wheat Ranchers Challenge Rule On Allotments

YAKIMA (AP) — Four East Moxee wheat ranchers here have challenged in a U.S. District Court suit, the validity of regulations laid down by the U.S. Department of Agriculture to determine wheat acreage allotments.

The four wheat farmers, Charles L. Marley, Victor Weitz, P. E. Griswold and Everett E. Christian, said the regulations do not validly interpret the Agriculture Adjustment Act in that they give no consideration to the total number of tillable acres a farmer has.

Attorneys for the four ranchers, claiming that the act specifies that the acreage should be considered, asked the court to set aside a ruling made by the State Board of Review for the State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

The state board had confirmed the 1956 wheat acreage allotments established by the Yakima County ASC committee, which the ranchers claimed were too small.

U.S. District Judge Sam Driver withheld an opinion pending a study of arguments presented by attorneys for the four ranchers and the Agriculture Department.

PFC McGillis Weekends At Recreation Center

PFC Jack E. McGillis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGillis, Neal Lany, Myrtle Creek, recently spent a weekend at the Army's recreation center at Garmisch in Germany.



with the... Garden Clubs

The Spuria Iris doesn't seem to be so well known as some of the other Iris varieties, but they are nice to have in the garden as they bloom so much later than the other varieties. Some of the older varieties include the gold-banded Iris (Iris Ochroleuca), with its huge tall stemmed creamy blooms, with a yellow patch on the falls. Others of this group, of smaller stature in blue and purple are Mrs. A. W. Tait, a pale blue and Lord Wolseley, a deeper blue. Finer new varieties are being added from time to time. These Iris grow so tall, they can be planted in the back of the perennial border.

Rhododendrons are becoming ever more popular on the West Coast. The climate seems to suit them so well. Most rhododendrons are evergreen and, by careful selection, you can have them in bloom from December into August.

They make ideal companions for oaks and dogwoods. In general, they require acid, organic soils, protection from wind and light, high shade. As their roots grow near the surface of the soil, they should be kept cool and moist with a good mulch. Most rhododendrons will accept extremes in temperature but will not tolerate drought. There are a lot of recent introductions but Mrs. G. W. Leak and Loderi Venus are still good picks; unknown warrior and David are among the best reds, and Loderi's White still holds top place.

Town And Country

The Roseburg Town and Country Garden Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. on June 25 at the home of Mrs. J. R. Daugherty with Mrs. Robert Burton and Mrs. Ward Cummings as co-hostesses.

To get to the Daugherty residence: Turn off Highway 99 at Highway 42 at Winston and drive to the Civil Bend Road, first paved street. Turn right and go to Sherry Street to the second house.

Installation of officers, roll call, suggestions for program topics for next year; convention and county chairman reports will be given; arrangements by Mrs. Powers, Mrs. Daugherty and Mrs. Norris.

Camas Valley Garden Club
New committee chairmen have been appointed by the new president of the Camas Valley Garden Club. Mrs. Banks, outgoing president, opened the meeting. The meeting was then turned over to Mrs. Dick Munch, the new president.

many's Bavarian Alps

McGillis is a supply specialist in Headquarters Company of the 11th Airborne Division in Germany. He entered the Army in January 1954 and completed basic training at Fort Ord, Calif., and arrived in Europe last, March. McGillis attended Myrtle Creek High School.

Committee chairmen are: scrapbook — Josie Cloughton and Anna Martindale; yearbook — Welcome Combs; birds — Ruby Moore; wildflower — Ruth Wiley; handicraft — Hazel Thrush; firebox — Esther Pryor; telephone — Norah Denn, Mable Salice and Esther Pryor; conservation — Dell Wheeler and Mary Smith; Pacific homes and gardens — Winnie Brown; roadside — Marion Moody and Carol Busch; publicity — Hazel Thrush; finance — Helely Nelson and Mae Jones; flower show — Marion Banks, Ruth Wiley and Hazel Thrush; horticulture — Margaret Crouch; program planning — Marion Banks; funeral sprays — Norah Boyle; historian — Bertha Parrott.

The motto chosen for the year is, "Give us the patience to bear the things we cannot change, the courage to change the things we cannot bear."

The Camas lily was chosen as the club flower and the Douglas fir as the club tree. Mrs. Winnie Brown gave a talk on digging, care and storage of spring bulbs. The meeting was then adjourned.

Good Earth Garden Club

The next meeting of the Good Earth Garden Club will be on July 9 at the home of Mrs. Betty Fite in North Roseburg at 1 p.m.

The program theme will be landscaping. Roll call will be made by giving or naming some dried plant or material.

At the last meeting at the home of Mrs. Alda Brumback on the South Deer Creek Road, the meeting was called to order by President Clara Baldwin. Fifteen were present. Mrs. Lulu Neves read an article on compost piles.

An entry was prepared by the club members of the Sutherlin Flower Show which was held June 8 and 9.

Names were also drawn for secret pals.

Rainbow Garden Club
The next meeting of the Rainbow Garden Club of Winston-Dillard is scheduled Tuesday at Mack Brown Park near Umpqua, according to correspondent Rosa Heinbach.

Mrs. Esther Cooper of Umpqua will be hostess. Mrs. Neva Conrad will furnish trout for a "fish fry." All members wishing to attend have been asked to meet at 10 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Decia Taylor in Winston.

The next regular meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. Marion Harryman on Kent Creek near Dillard Tuesday, July 10, at 1 p.m.

Entertaining at the last meeting was Mrs. Blanche Tipton, at whose home the meeting was held. Installation of newly-elected officers was the highlight of the afternoon's program. Mrs. Esther Cooper conducted the ceremony. Installed were Mrs. Nancy Linna, president; Mrs. Conrad, vice president; Mrs. Taylor, secretary. Mrs. Mayme Manslow presented each officer and publicity chairman, Mrs. Rosa Heinbach, corsages during the ceremony.

A letter was read from Richard Turley, county fair manager, who commended the club for its booth at the recent Pageant of Progress at the fairgrounds. The blue ribbon won for an entry in the flower arrangement class was presented to the scrapbook chairman for the new book.

The club voted to rejoin the Federation of Garden Clubs. It was invited by Mrs. Linna to participate in the Roseburg Rose Show, which being sponsored by the Roseburg Rose Society Tuesday, June 26, at the Episcopal parish hall. Mrs. Linna said that all garden clubs and individuals are invited to bring arrangements built around roses.

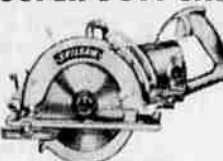
Refreshments were served.

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County Fair Again To Be Highlighted By Sheep Dog Trials At Fairgrounds

One of the highlights of the 1956 Douglas County Fair will be the fourth annual county sheep dog trials. A total \$210 in prizes will be given at the trials this year, according to Fair Manager Richard Turley.

Turley said the purpose of the trials is to show sheep raisers in the county the advantage of owning a working sheep dog, as well as

to provide entertainment to fairgoers.

He urged any person owning a working sheep dog to take part in the contest. He said an owner should not hold back because he doesn't have a so-called "professional" dog.

He listed these rules for the contest:

1. A maximum of eight dogs will

be accepted, with preference to dogs entered in previous years. The contest is open to any working sheep dogs and no entry fees will be charged.

2. A dog must bring the sheep from the corner of the arena, run them through a gate and then pen them.

3. Dogs will work with approximately five sheep. None of the

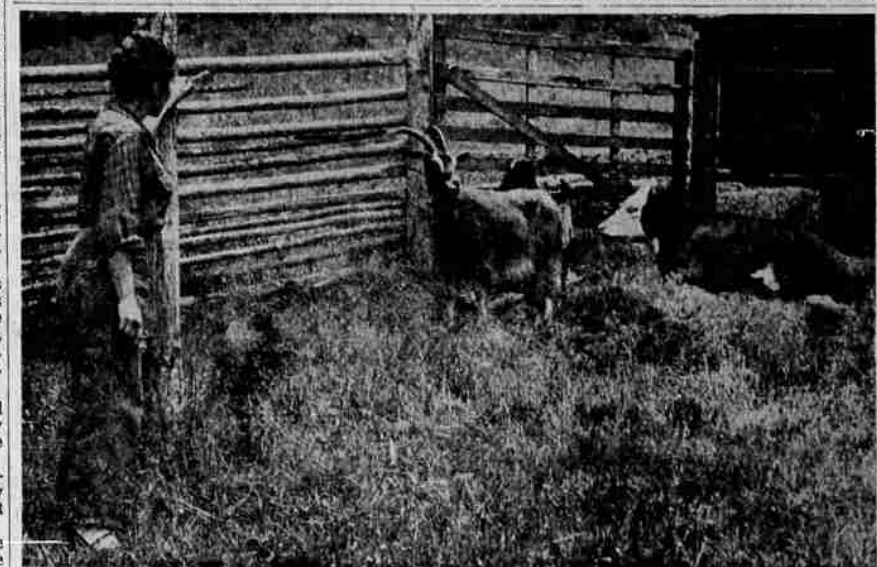
sheep will be used twice, but they will be of the same general characteristics.

4. Owner or handler may assist a dog in any way he desires, but it will be taken into account in judging. Excess assistance will count against the handler.

5. Judging by the three judges will be based on: (1) Judgment of the dog, (2) obedience of signals from handler, (3) time to pen sheep and (4) assistance from handler. Time limit will be 12 minutes.

6. Entries will be closed Aug. 20. They should be addressed to Turley at P.O. Box 750, Roseburg. Cash prizes will be given in this order: First \$80, second \$50, third \$40, fourth \$30, fifth \$20, and sixth \$10.

The trials will be on Aug. 24, midway during fair activities. The fair itself runs from Aug. 22 to 26.



GRAND NANNY—The goat in the picture recently gave birth to three kids. That in itself isn't so unique, but the fact that Nanny is 19 years old is a bit unusual. The calf in the picture has been adopted by Nanny as sort of a step-kid in addition to her natural maternal duties. She belongs to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Griffith of Olalla. (Paul Jenkins photo).

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