

ON THE FARM AND GARDEN

"EUREKA CLOVER" SAID TO THRIVE IN OREGON

WIDELY EXPLOITED FORAGE PLANT OF LITTLE VALUE, SAY FEDERAL EXPERTS.

Under the name "Eureka clover" there is now being advertised a forage plant for which enormous yields of green fodder are asserted, according to the Weekly News Letter of the department of agriculture. The plant in question is achillea (Polygomon sachalinense), introduced into the United States in 1893 and much exploited in 1893 and for a few years thereafter.

Sachaline is a native of the island of Sachaline, whence it obtains its common name, and from where it was first described in 1859. The plant is a hardy herbaceous perennial and spreads by stout creeping rootstocks. The stems of well-grown plants become 6 to 15 feet high and bear numerous large heart-shaped leaves. The flowers are small, greenish-white, and form in small clusters in the axils of the leaves. Seeds are produced rather sparingly.

In the advertisements of "Eureka clover" it is claimed that in western Oregon it will yield over 300 tons of green forage to the acre. In Europe it was asserted that yields of from 100 to 200 tons per acre were secured. In all cases published, however, the yield seems to have been estimated from the produce of a single plant, a method which gives results far greater than ever are realized in actual agriculture.

It is quite possible that in certain portions of the United States, such as western Oregon, sachaline may be a valuable plant to cultivate, but one should test it cautiously by first trying a few plants.

Sachaline is best propagated by pieces of the rootstock. The seeds are usually poor and difficult to germinate, but if used should be planted under very favorable conditions and the young plants set out where desired. If a single plant thrives well it will spread greatly and in time furnish rootstocks to plant a large area. From the experience of American and European investigators, however, it would seem that only in favored localities is there any likelihood of the plant proving valuable enough to cultivate for forage.

NEW DRAINAGE BULLETIN.

A new 30-page bulletin on the drainage of "white lands" and other wet lands in Oregon, has been issued by the O. A. C. experiment station and is now ready for distribution.

PEDIGREE TO FARM STOCK SAME AS GUARANTEE TO MACHINERY.

An animal is like a machine. To make a good machine requires that each part be of good material and just the right weight and strength. The good animal must have its parts developed in the right proportion to make the type desired. The adaptability of a machine and the proportioning of its parts can be largely determined by looking at it. However, the make of the machine is the guarantee as to its possessing or lacking quality. Likewise in the animal a good deal can be determined as to its type by looking at it. Its real quality, however, cannot be determined in this way. To get at this it becomes necessary to go further back. The quality was put into the animal by its parents, its grandparents, its great-grandparents, etc. This makes it important to know that all these parents had qualities that would contribute to the making of a good animal of the type wanted. A pedigree is a scheme for keeping track of the parents of an animal. It is a guarantee of what is back of the animal, of what has contributed to its make-up. It is this fact that makes the pure-bred animal valuable.

CAPONIZE THE ROOSTER.

It isn't difficult to caponize the roosters, and it pays well. A 10 pound capon can be raised on the same amount of feed and in the same time as an 8 pound rooster. The capon will sell for from 3 to 6 cents more a pound.

Even the beginner should not have more than 5 per cent of failures if directions are followed, and since most of these are the results of cutting an artery, the fowl can be immediately killed and used for food.

The operation should be made when the young roosters begin to develop combs and wattles. Heavy breeds should be caponized when they weigh 2 to 2½ pounds and light breeds when they weigh 1½ to 2 pounds.

HOGGING OFF FIELD PEAS.

Hogs on green field peas at the Eastern Oregon Branch Experiment station gained at the rate of 480 pounds of pork, valued at \$33.60, per acre. Hogs on ripe field peas produced pork at the rate of 250 pounds, valued at \$25.00 per acre. "Green peas give a somewhat better return than ripe peas," says Superintendent Robert Withycombe. Results will depend upon the yield per acre, but the foregoing figures represent pretty accurately about what may be expected from hogging off an acre of field peas under normal conditions in that section of eastern Oregon.

\$20,000 OFFER FOR TREE MASSAGE DENIED

NITRATE OF SODA ON CERTAIN SOILS WILL INCREASE FRUIT YIELD 1,000 PER CENT.

No \$20,000 or any other sum has been offered by the Oregon Agricultural college for a secret massage preparation that is said to increase the fruit yield greatly, as has been reported in the press of Oregon recently.

"It is always safe to say that the college has not endorsed any plan of this description," said Professor C. I. Lewis, when asked concerning the truth of the report. "The college experiment station has already demonstrated that the use of nitrate of soda on certain soils will increase the yield of fruit approximately one-thousand per cent."

"The Southern Oregon Experiment station at Talent has also demonstrated that the use of sulphur as a fertilizer will increase the yield of alfalfa at the rate of several hundred per cent. There is no secret about these preparations or their use and anyone interested may secure the details by writing either to a branch station or to the agricultural college at Corvallis."

CARE FOR HORSES' HOOFS.

The old saying that a horse is as good as his feet should be borne in mind by all persons who own horses. No horse can do a maximum amount of work if he has poor feet, or if his feet are good but receive improper care, points out Dr. C. W. McCampbell, assistant professor of animal husbandry in the Agricultural college of Kansas.

"The nature of the work that the horse is doing determines whether or not he should be shod," says Dr. McCampbell. "Horses working on hard roads require shoes, while, with but few exceptions, those working in the field do not need to be shod. In case the feet become dry and hard and begin to crack, attention should be given them. Most of the poor feet are due to improper care. A horse's feet should be trimmed at least every six or eight weeks. In trimming most of the work should be done with a rasp. If the nippers are used, too much of the hoof is generally cut away, while if the rasp is used only a small amount is cut away at a time and the foot can be kept level."

West Linn Wants Five-Cent Fare

The West Linn council at a meeting Wednesday night instructed the city attorney to prepare ordinances which would provide for five cent fares within the city limits and for signals at all street crossings.

The only road which would be affected is the branch of the Southern Pacific, commonly known as the Willamette Falls line, running from Willamette to Bolton. At the present time the fare from either Willamette or Bolton to the station at the west end of the suspension bridge is five cents, but from Willamette to Bolton it is 10 cents. An ordinance making it lawful to charge more than five cents to carry a passenger from any one point in the city to any other would compel a reduction.

The streetcar track at present crosses streets at several points, but the company has no warning signals. The council also outlined a general plan of street improvements. Twenty-five hundred yards of crushed rock will be put on all the recently improved streets of the town across the river this summer. The cost will be about \$4,000.

250 CHILDREN IN MONTREAL KILLED BY INTENSE HEAT

CANADIAN CITY HAS HIGHEST TEMPERATURE IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS.

STORM BREAKS IN CHICAGO AND DOES MUCH DAMAGE THROUGH CITY

Two in Peoria, Ill., Driven Insane by Heat Run Amuck, Injuring Several—Deaths Due to Infantile Paralysis Increase.

CHICAGO, July 25.—The present heat wave, which envelops all of the country excepting the Pacific coast, is proving especially severe in eastern Canada, where the people are unused to torridity.

Dispatches tonight say that more than 250 children perished in Montreal the past week from heat. The temperature there today was 95—the highest point reported in five years. In Quebec 23 children have been killed by heat since Sunday. Toronto also reports unusual heat, which has continued for nearly a week, resulting in deaths and prostrations.

Light breezes helped Chicago somewhat today, although it was hot enough for the most fastidious. Police reports show that eight persons died yesterday, last night and today from the heat, and there were several prostrations and several persons bitten by dogs. The official forecaster says there is no relief in sight for several days, but that all indications point to still hotter weather.

A terrific electric storm broke in Chicago and vicinity early this morning, doing damage in one of the suburbs, where big trees were uprooted and buildings demolished.

A bolt of lightning struck the residence of George Simons, hurling Mrs. Simons and her daughter out of bed and setting the house on fire. The unconscious woman and her daughter were rescued by neighbors.

In Peoria, Ill., a militiaman and a giant Kentuckian, visiting here, went insane from heat and ran amuck in different parts of the city, injuring a number of people. At Hagerstown,

Md., a cloudburst inundated many of the streets and caused a restaurant to collapse, killing three persons. The heat was also reflected in the epidemic of infantile paralysis. There were deaths in Illinois, Iowa and Colorado, and the epidemic has appeared in Wyoming and South Dakota, indicating its spread across the continent.

Her Left Side Hurt. No family remedy enjoys a better reputation among intelligent women than Foley Kidney Pills. Mrs. Laura Beall, Plattburg, Mo., writes: "Last April I got in bad health; my left side hurt all the time. The doctor's medicine didn't seem to do me any good. I had symptoms of Bright's disease. I took two bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and feel all right now. They quickly relieve backache, rheumatism, aches and pains in a natural way—by driving the poison out of the system. Contains no habit-forming drugs. Jones Drug Co. (Adv.)"

ALBRIGHT FINED \$10 IN PORTLAND COURT

LOCAL COUNCILMAN ARRESTED FOR RECKLESS DRIVING WHEN HE WAS DRUNK.

John F. Albright, a member of the Oregon city council who was arrested Friday afternoon on the corner of Grand avenue and Morrison street, Portland, on a charge of reckless driving by Traffic Officer Owen was fined \$10 in the Portland municipal court Saturday morning. Mayor Albee and City Commissioners Biglow and Dieck were in an automobile that followed the Oregon city councilman a mile through Portland streets. They took a personal interest in the case.

Mr. Albright was in Oregon City Saturday afternoon. He denied that he was drunk at the time of his arrest.

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Messengers M. J. Lee, G. W. White, M. P. Sailor and John Graham, were Salem visitors Friday.

The following people who were associated with the cafeteria at chautauque, returned Thursday: Messengers G. W. White, M. P. Sailor, M. T. Lee, J. Graham, W. B. Macfarlan, B. Roy Lee, C. V. Prouty, Misses Lillian and Mildred Wang, Fayette Johnson, Louise Gastrock, Lorraine Lee and Miss Graham and Mr. J. H. Houston, Wayne Gurley, Lawrence Masterton, Ed Hains and B. Roy Lee.

A party of thirteen enjoyed a picnic on the banks of the Molalla Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Prouty and son Allen, Mrs. L. Peyle, Mrs. B. Roy Lee, Misses Fayette Johnson, Hildred and Lucile Baker, Margaret Sageser, Miss Graham and Mildred Smith.

Mrs. M. P. Sailor has as her house guests Miss Gertrude Harwood and Miss Catherine Sandness of Centralia. Mr. Sandness was up from Portland to spend Sunday. Miss Harris is a cousin of Miss Sailor's.

E. E. Burgess, a son of H. I. Burgess, who lives near Harlow, has been seriously ill with pneumonia. The fever seemed to have left him Wednesday and the doctor reports the crisis passed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cory, of Salem, and Miss Ida Eberies, of Corvallis, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Braumard this last week.

Miss Mary Greby, of Stibney, S. Dakota, who has been visiting at the home of her uncle, C. Harris, left on Monday for Portland, later going to Montana.

Mrs. Wilson Evans returned Sunday from a week's visit at the home of her father in Portland.

Miss Rena Hutchinson and brother, Allen, returned Monday from Newberg where they have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Harry Garret.

Mrs. Chatham, of Seattle, was a guest of Mrs. Stewart this week.

Miss Lillian Troutland, of Portland, is a guest of Miss Bessie Snell.

Mrs. J. Fendshadler and daughter, Lottie, returned this week to their home in Elgin, Oregon, after an extended visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Benschadler.

Luther Cole, of Staten, visited with Canby friends Wednesday.

Mrs. C. O. T. Williams of Oregon City, is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Berkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Jesse, Miss Henrietta Beck and Mr. Clarence Eli spent Sunday at Willhot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Rile Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith attended the Aurora dance Saturday evening.

At a recent meeting of the I. O. O. F., No. 156, the following officers were installed by District Deputy Grand Master H. A. Dedman: T. H. Hamilton, Noble Grand; Ora Slyter, vice-grand; H. B. Evans, secretary; Carroll Clausen, financial secretary; W. H. Rair, treasurer; Warren Kendall, warden; U. S. Maple, conductor; Ralph Sivonsky, inside guardian; Wilmer Sandness, outside guardian; J. Lee Eckerson, right supporter; noble grand; Geo. Benschadler, left supporter; noble grand; H. A. Berkman, right supporter vice grand; Chas. Thomas, left supporter vice grand; C. Bowles, right scene supporter; Conrad Sannes, left scene supporter; O. R. Mack, chaplain.

H. J. Burgess and son Clifford, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Mill and children, of Portland, narrowly escaped a serious accident Tuesday evening. They had driven in Mr. Burgess' machine to Barlow to the home of E. E. Burgess, and on returning, Clifford took the wheel. He is an inexperienced driver and in turning around, ran the machine over a bank, tipping it over. Mr. Burgess, seeing the danger, jumped clear of the machine and supported it by his shoulder until the others could escape. None of the occupants were injured and only the windshield and front fender of the machine were damaged.

MOLALLA DEPARTMENT

MOLALLA, Ore., July 25.—(Special.)—From 7 to 9 Thursday evening July 20, playmates of Master Richard Glutuch, gathered at his home in honor of his twelfth birthday. The evening was spent in games, after which an abundance of refreshments was served.

Mrs. Fay, who has been ill for some time, has been quite sick recently. Her sister, of Monmouth, came to visit her, the last week.

Max Glutuch became quite lame when his horse fell upon him recently. For a day one leg could not be used, but he is improving.

Two cars of stock were shipped from the Southern Pacific depot last week. The tile drain is being laid from the Odd Fellows' hall, north. The frame work of the building is going up rapidly, while the concrete basement is well under way.

Hay that was caught by the rain had to be spread and dried after the recent showers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolf drove to Mulino Sunday.

Mrs. Behnke, baby and brother had a narrow escape recently when their horse fell suddenly, throwing mother and baby forward out of the cart. The cart stopped just as its wheel started to run upon her shoulder, before she could rise.

After making all plans to move to White Salmon recently Mr. Behnke decided that good school privileges outweighed all other temptations, so decided to remain in Molalla.

Miss Agnes Clifford was a visitor at the chautauque.

Mrs. Clifford, Molalla's postmistress, has been more or less ill lately. Mrs. Clifford has been faithful to the office for twenty years.

Bellamy Brothers, of Mulino, bought the cord wood on an eighty-acre piece of Arthur Keyler. They have some little time to take it off and are at present working on timber recently bought of Fredericks, of Liberal. They are experiencing some difficulty in getting their liberal wood hauled to the station because of the fact that every available team has something to do in the harvest at present. They expect to hire some one with a small gasoline drag-saw to do the sawing, as their wood is already contracted to the Portland Mill company.

H. W. Wagner is working on a tract of timber.

Mrs. Wagoner's son, Mr. Riffer, has patented a car door which is being used by the railroad company, with an agreement to buy out right after a year.

F. W. Spencer has a contract for getting out and driving down the Molalla river a thousand pieces of piling for O. Slyter. They are to be taken out at the water spur.

Mr. Spencer has 600 cords of pulp wood to drive. He has followed river driving for the past thirty years, of which seventeen have been spent on the Molalla river.

Mr. Tate and family have recently moved to Liberal. Mr. Tate and sons have a sawmill drag-saw and have

CONFESSION IS HINTED BUT IS NOT CONFIRMED

SAN FRANCISCO POLICE OPENLY RELATED OVER LATEST DEVELOPMENTS OF CASE.

ACCOMPLICES' NAMES SAID TO BE KNOWN; MORE ARRESTS EXPECTED

Man Now in Custody is Captured Dramatically at Stanford University Clinic and Held Incommunicado in Cell.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—The first "important" arrest in the hunt for the plotters who exploded a bomb during the San Francisco preparedness parade last Saturday, killing eight and injuring 40 persons, was made today when Chief of Police White and a squad of detectives arrested W. K. Billings, an automobile machinist, and held him incommunicado. The arrest was staged dramatically in the free clinic maintained by Stanford University in the Lane hospital, where the suspect was receiving treatment "not for a wound," the police said.

Immediately after the arrest the police announced they had made an important capture which they expected would lead to further arrests of persons connected with the bomb outrage, but further than that no details were forthcoming.

Reports that the suspect had "confessed" could not be affirmed through police channels. Billings' history and movements the police also screened with secrecy.

When Billings was safely behind the bars, the bomb bureau men and Chief White were openly elated.

Another development that the police considered highly important in their search was the discovery of a bomb shell, a duplicate of which Newton G. Potter, manager of a brazing and welding company here, told Captain Duncan Matheson, head of the bomb bureau, he had made for two men who submitted a sample to him two months ago.

Your Bowels Should Move Once a Day

A free easy movement of the bowels every day is a sign of good health. Dr. King's New Life Pills will give you a gentle laxative effect without griping and free your system of blood poisons, purify your blood, overcome constipation and have an excellent tonic effect on the entire system. Makes you feel like living. Only 25c at drugists. (Adv.)

Will Sloan's Liniment Relieve Pain? Try it on one application will prove more than a column of claims. James S. Ferguson, Phila., Pa., writes: "I have had wonderful relief since I used Sloan's Liniment on my knees. To think after all these years of pain one application gave me relief. Many thanks for what your remedy has done for me." Don't keep on suffering, apply Sloan's Liniment where your pain is and notice how quick you get relief. Penetrates without rubbing. Buy it at any Drug Store. 25c. (Adv.)

Program Editors' Session Completed

Saturday Forenoon.

9 a. m.—Talk, "Phases of Organization Work," G. Lansing Hurd, extension department, Oregon Agriculture College; talk, "How We Handle Newspaper Organizations in Washington," Wallace B. Jessup, president Washington State Press association, Bremerton; talk, "The Most Humane Way to Execute the Price-cutting Fiend who Mutilates Job Prices and Legal Publication Rates," J. O. Hamstreet, The Sun, Sheridan; talk, "Problems of Journalism," E. Hofer, Pacific Coast Manufacturer, Salem; talk, "Some Differences in City and Country Journalism," Lloyd Riches, The Standard, Stanfield; talk, "The Newspaper as a Rural Community Developer," G. J. Taylor, The Pioneer, Lathia; talk, "Is It Good Business to Install a Linotype in a One-man Office?" W. C. DePew, The Criterion, Lebanon; adjournment for luncheon.

Saturday Afternoon.

1:30 p. m.—Report of committees and their disposal; annual report of the secretary, Philip S. Bates, Pacific Northwest; Portland; talk, "Newspaper Ethics," Joseph P. Hurley, Washington County News-Times, Forest Grove; talk, "C. E. Ingalls, Daily Gazette-Times, Corvallis; talk, "Guaranteed Advertising," John E. Kratke, Daily Budget, Astoria; talk, "Why Are So Many Newspaper Offices Dirty?" E. H. Olmstead, The Mail, Stayton; talk, "Standard Uniform Cost Finding System and Its Application," John J. Johnck, F. W. Baltzer & Company, Portland; discussion of suggested topics; election of officers; adjournment.

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A. E. Voorheis, Daily Rogue River Courier, Grants Pass; talk, "The Washington Newspaper Field," Major H. W. Patton, editor The Daily Washington, Hoquiam; adjournment at 3 o'clock. Automobiles will take convention delegates and their women over the Pacific Highway to the California state line over the summit of the Siskiyou and return to Astland where a banquet will be served in Lathia Park, after which they will return to Medford.

Trips to the California state line, a banquet at Astland and a trip to Crater Lake were included in the program. The annual banquet of the association will be held at the Hotel Medford, beginning at 6:30 o'clock Saturday evening. E. B. Piper, of the Oregonian, will be among the speakers at the banquet.

Sunday morning the editors will leave Medford by automobile for Crater Lake where the afternoon, night and Monday morning will be spent. Drives to the famous pinnacles, fishing and boating on the lake will occupy the time of the editors and Sunday evening a big campfire will be built near the rim of the lake.

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Mrs. Clara Super has returned from Washington, where she spent a week visiting relatives.

Miss Heloda Blair, of Mt. Pleasant, is a guest of Miss Lily Fenney.

Horace Patch and R. Roy Lee, left this week for Hoshburg, where they are working as painters for the Southern Pacific.

Mrs. Glenn Brookings has returned from a visit of three months with relatives in Kansas and Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Wall are enjoying two weeks in their cottage at Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Evans, Miss Catherine Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Graham, drove out to Rutherford camp near Donald, Wednesday, and spend the afternoon picnicking.

Miss Judith Sandness, of Portland, is making an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Edgar Smith.

Mrs. Bair's mother, Mrs. George Knight, is residing at Bair home during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Bair, who are touring Yellowstone park. Mrs. C. A. Willis is stopping with Mrs. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patch, have returned from an extended visit with their parents, at Colfax, Washington.

E. A. Priest, for many years a resident of Canby, and proprietor of the jewelry store has sold his stock to H. S. Harvey, of Molalla. Mr. Priest purchased the business of Hall and Razor, jewelers at Clatskanie, Oregon, and took possession July 15th. Mrs. Priest and daughter Bernice, who spend the past week in Portland, left Tuesday to join Mr. Priest. Mr. and Mrs. Priest have a host of friends in Canby, who regret to see them leave.

Mrs. J. Lee Eckerson and daughter, LaVerne, Mrs. Ora Slyter and children left last week for Rockaway beach, where they will spend a month or six weeks.

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