

### Information on Successful Growing of Alfalfa Is Given; No Important Changes Made in Recommendations

It would seem rather unnecessary to send out any further information about alfalfa, but mistakes made in planting last year and numerous inquiries coming to the office requires that additional information be sent out.

No important changes have been made in the recommendations for seeding alfalfa in Washington county.

The following pertinent points are followed by successful alfalfa growers in this county.

Naturally well drained and open subsoil type of soils are the better alfalfa lands. It is not recommended that alfalfa be seeded on the drained lands. Roots are apt to close the drains.

Alfalfa succeeds best and comes into full yield earlier on soils which have had barnyard manure, or lime, applied within two or three years previous to seeding alfalfa. Worn-out or partially depleted soils are slow to give returns with alfalfa.

Only the Grimm variety is recommended. Grimm seed can be purchased from reliable dealers who are careful about the purchase of their seed.

Alfalfa in Washington county and in fact many unirrigated sections should be seeded alone. Many failures with alfalfa in Washington county have been caused by seeding with grain crops.

Seed about corn planting time, from the middle of to the latter part of May. Inoculate the seed with artificial cultures. The cost is small and one cannot afford to take the chance without inoculating. Pure cultures can be secured of the bacteriology department of the Oregon Agricultural college, Corvallis, Oregon.

Use 8 to 10 pounds of seed when drilled, and 12 or more pounds of proven seed when broadcasted. Power drills often seed too deep. So use caution accordingly.

Land on which alfalfa is to be broadcasted is often rolled with a culti-packer. This operation leaves the soil in small ridges. The seed falls between the ridges and is then covered by going over the ground with a spike toothed harrow with the teeth set back.

Broadcast inoculated alfalfa seed on a cloudy day, or before sunrise, or after sunset, to keep the direct rays of the sun from destroying the nitrifying bacteria given to the seed by inoculation.

**Tribute to Country Press**  
The smaller newspapers of the country are the most important newspapers, and, incidentally, in proportion to their circulation, their advertising results are the biggest, and their advertising rates are the smallest in the country. They are read through from end to end. Every copy of circulation means an entire family, not a family that lives in one room with a can opener, but a family that owns its own house, and land around it, at least ninety times out of a hundred; a family that buys everything, from the roof on the house to the cement on the cellar floor; from the hat on mother's head to the shoes on the boys' feet. The service that their publishers render to the public is,

in my opinion, the most important service rendered by any class of citizens in the United States. The country editors are distributors of information; they reach the minds of the boys that leave the farms, and they are the nation's mental police force," says Arthur Brisbane.

After half a century in the publication of newspapers, daily and weekly, the writer can endorse the opinion of Arthur Brisbane that the country paper is read from end to end, and the advertisements are of special interest. Where a hundred read all that is in the home weekly, only one in that one hundred peruses all that is in the big city daily paper that comes to them. Large foreign advertisers are also becoming cognizant of the fact that space in country weekly and smaller city daily papers is of real value to them; that they can gain more at less cost, at the same time securing as much combined circulation with a certainty that their advertisements will be read by all.—Woodburn, Ore., Weekly Independent, April 12.

**This Goes for the Girls, Too!**  
Dig a deep grave  
For Herman McNighty,  
He's the guy  
That says "All righty."

### Oversize Eggs a Common Practice

E. L. Kraus of Farmington has a White Leghorn hen that makes a practice of laying eggs that afford a mark for the rest of the hens to shoot at. One is on display in the Argus window that measures 7 1/2 by 6 inches. This hen also laid one other this week nearly as large and four others all oversize.

### Star Cars Purchased By Portland Police

"To successfully combat crime police of today must be equipped with speedy, carefree transportation. Portland police have assured themselves such transportation by the purchase recently of 15 Durant-Star roadsters," says A. H. Wilcox of the local Star agency.

"The 15 Durant-Star cars purchased by the Portland police department were only selected after the officers of the law were fully decided that these cars were exceptionally well-fitted for police duty."

**Card of Thanks**  
We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and sympathy extended during our recent bereavement, the illness and obsequies of the late J. T. Crews, and especially for the beautiful flowers. We also wish to sincerely thank the members of the M. W. A. lodge for courtesies extended.  
Mrs. Anna Crews and Family.

### Picnic Dinner Is Held For School

Laurel, May 31.—Laurel school closed Tuesday with a picnic dinner in the community hall. Plans had been made for an outdoor affair, but the weather did not permit. Thelma Mulloy and Coral Chisholm were the graduates this year. Ina Stevens and Howard Helm passed the state examination in geography. Helen Rutschman, Lillie Brown, Viola and Earl Demmin passed in physiology and Oregon history. Lorraine Demmin, Helen Rutschman and Earl Tews will receive diplomas for perfect attendance during the school year.

Walter Schmidt and Ted Rutschman motored to Montesano, Wash., Saturday, and returned Monday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Louie Carow of Hillsboro. They visited the John Schmidt family. Mr. Schmidt is Mrs. Carow's brother and Walter's uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cooley of Salem motored over Sunday to attend the Sunday school convention and visit with old friends. They were accompanied by Mrs. Cooley's sister, Mrs. C. Matlock, who recently arrived from California for a visit. She says California cannot compare with Oregon in scenery and flowers.

Mrs. E. C. Mulloy, who was injured in an automobile accident on the highway between Beaverton and Hillsboro a week ago Sunday, is

improving and will soon be able to go home. She has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. W. N. Hawthorn, of Hillsboro.

There will be a baseball game between the Laurel boys and Kinton next Sunday on the Laurel diamond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Strange moved from here to Multnomah last week. Rev. Strange will still serve this church with services the second and fourth Sundays of each month.

To keep curtains clean when the windows are open, snap clothespins decorated to match the curtains are handy for pinning them back.

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## THRIFT GROCERS

**SEASONABLE FEATURES!**  
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Read over the items listed below and note the number which are particularly suitable to the menu at this time.

**Thrift Features for Saturday and Monday — June 2 and 4**

Take Advantage of These Low Prices on this Old Wheat Flour

<b>FLOUR</b>		
CONVOY — The Guaranteed Hardwheat Blend—	49-lb Bag	<b>\$1.79</b>
CROWN — The Unbleached Family Patent—	49-lb Bag	<b>\$1.95</b>
REX FLOUR — The Genuine Eastern Hardwheat—	49-lb Bag	<b>\$2.14</b>

<b>Oregon Milk</b>	Freshly Evaporated—Tall Tins—	<b>25c</b>
	Three Cans for	
<b>Mazola Oil</b>	For Salads or Cooking—	<b>43c</b>
	Quart Tin for	
<b>Tuna Fish</b>	Flakes—1/2s—Fine for Salads or Sandwiches—Two cans for	<b>25c</b>
<b>Pineapples</b>	Broken Slices—Golden Fruit, packed like whole slices; No. 2 1/2 tins; 3 cans.	<b>55c</b>

<b>Del Monte Peaches</b>	Yellow clings in heavy syrup—	<b>45c</b>
	No. 2 1/2 tins; 2 cans.	
<b>Baking Powder</b>	Crescent—	<b>33c</b>
	1-lb tin	
<b>Purex</b>	The master bleacher and water softener—Big 32-oz. bottle—	<b>45c</b>
	2 for	
<b>Blueing or Ammonia</b>	Large bottle—	<b>15c</b>
	2 bottles	
<b>Soap</b>	White Wonder—	<b>33c</b>
	10 bars	
<b>Matches</b>	Buffalo Brand; Easy striking—	<b>19c</b>
	Strong sticks; carton, 6 boxes.	
<b>Fly Killer</b>	Black Flag—Sure death to flies—1/2-pint tin	<b>15c</b>
<b>Ripe Olives</b>	Lindsay's—No. 1 Tin—	<b>29c</b>
	2 cans	
<b>Pork and Beans</b>	Van Camp's—Medium size—	<b>49c</b>
	6 cans	

<b>Tree Tea</b>	Black or Green—	<b>35c</b>
	1/2-lb package	
<b>Certo</b>	Sure Jell; no failures with your jellies when you use Certo—	<b>55c</b>
	2 Bottles	
<b>Wax Paper</b>	15-sheet Luncheon Rolls—	<b>25c</b>
	10 rolls	
<b>Deviled Meat</b>	1/4s—the handy can for quick lunches and sandwiches—	<b>25c</b>
	6 cans	
<b>Cheese</b>	Brookfield—Pimento, Brick, American or Swiss, in Sanitary Packages; 1/2-lb package.	<b>22c</b>
<b>Mustard</b>	Rogers' Prepared—Big 7-oz. jar; 2 for	<b>19c</b>
<b>Sweet Pickles</b>	Fine flavor; contain no alum—	<b>33c</b>
	large 27-oz. jar	
<b>Thrift Coffee</b>	Our Economical High Quality Coffee—Economic because it takes so little—Ground fresh to your order—	<b>\$1.37</b>
	One pound. Three pounds	

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#### Saturday Safeway Savings

<b>Sugar</b>	<b>Certo</b>	<b>Jar Rubbers</b>
Best Cane	For Jell Making	Extra Heavy
16 Lbs. <b>\$1.00</b>	1 Bottle <b>27c</b>	4 Dozen <b>25c</b>

<b>Corn Starch</b>	<b>Coffee</b>	<b>Fig Bars</b>
Amazo Brand	Safeway Blend	Fresh Baked
3 Packages <b>25c</b>	The finest you can buy Sold only in bulk	A real value at
	1 Pound <b>47c</b>	2 Pounds <b>25c</b>
<b>Pineapple</b>	<b>3 Lbs. \$1.39</b>	<b>Grape Juice</b>
Broken Slice		Church's
No. 2 1/2 tins, each <b>75c</b>		The popular beverage
		Pint bottle <b>23c</b>
<b>Malt Syrup</b>	<b>Hot Cake Flour</b>	<b>Rinso</b>
Buckeye	Big K Brand	A real favorite among Soap Powders
100 percent pure Hopped Ready Made	8 Pounds <b>49c</b>	Large size <b>23c</b>
2 1/2-lb tin, each <b>63c</b>		<b>Matches</b>
	<b>Soap</b>	Strike Anywhere
<b>White Wonder</b>	10 Bars <b>35c</b>	Carton—
		6 boxes <b>19c</b>
<b>Lettuce</b>	<b>Cantaloupes</b>	<b>Lemons</b>
Large Heads	Extra Fancy	Sunkist
2 For <b>9c</b>	3 For <b>25c</b>	1 Dozen <b>39c</b>

**Unusual Savings in Roasts for Saturday at Safeway Market**

<b>Fancy Shoulder</b>	<b>Steer Beef</b>	<b>Pot Roasts</b>
<b>Pork Roast</b>	Per pound <b>19c</b>	Per pound <b>19c</b>
Per Pound <b>19c</b>	Shoulder cuts from young steer beef	
Young grain-fed pork		
<b>Sugar Cured Ham</b>	Best Grade	<b>Pure Lard</b>
Per pound <b>25c</b>		In Bulk
Whole or Half Ham		2 pounds <b>29c</b>
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