

Caution Urged Poultry Raisers Worming Flocks

(By L. E. Francis, Assistant County Agent)

This is the season of the year when poultrymen are urged, from many sources, to worm their flock of pullets before they are put in the laying house. There is no more inexcusable poultry management practice today than that of the promiscuous worming of chickens. Worming is a necessary procedure in the event of an infestation of parasitic worms, but on the whole, far more damage has been done to poultry flocks by worming than has ever been done by the worms themselves.

It should be determined from competent authority whether a flock has worms, and the kind of worms, then treat for the specific parasite. Chickens generally have some worms, and any spectacular worm medicine salesman can autopsy birds and prove that worms are there.

Poultrymen shouldn't be misled by such a fact because a few worms are not going to hurt the chickens and a badly worm-infested bird or flock, which needs worming, is outstandingly conspicuous, and readily recognized.

There are several reasons why promiscuous worming is sheer folly. In the first place vermifuges are a poison. In the second place parasitic worms are highly resistant to surrounding conditions and, consequently, a vermifuge has to be very strong in order to be effective, and it is inevitable that it will do some damage to the birds even to the point of being fatal.

Finally there are several parasitic worms which can infest poultry, and the control measures for each are different. Consequently, one worm treatment isn't going to be "a safeguard against all worm infestation" as such practices are frequently advertised. Poultrymen shouldn't find it hard to decide between the easy and inexpensive sound management practice of leaving his birds alone, and the expensive, risky, and unnecessary practice of worming.

Hayward

(By Vivian Hudson)

Mr. Shelton and children returned from Sand Point, Idaho, Saturday morning.

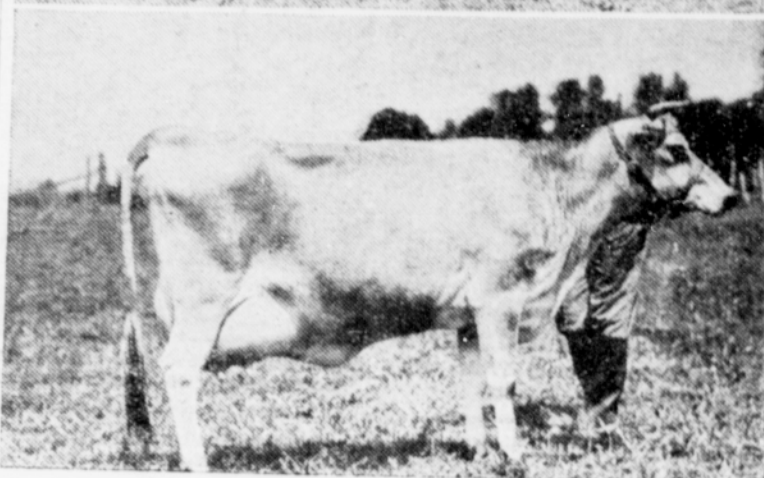
Miss Helen Stegmann is staying with her sister, Mrs. Al Shadon, who has just returned from the hospital.

John Heisler and Howard Johnson of Gales Creek have made a new road for Harrison Heisler to truck logs.

Mrs. Minnie Owens has received word of the birth of a great-granddaughter, Loretta Virginia Ostbol, of Seattle, Wash.

Hillsboro Argus contains all the news of Hillsboro and the surrounding communities. Read it and keep informed on what is happening at home.

HUGE LIVESTOCK ENTRIES FOR FAIR



Here's a sample of Oregon's pureblood cattle, hundreds of heads of which will help fill the livestock barns at the 76th Oregon state fair in Salem September 6 to 12. These cows are from the L. A. Hulbert registered Jersey herd at Independence. The group shows first senior get of sire at the fair in 1935 and 1936, all daughters of Sybil's Ashburn Baronet, a silver, gold and medal of merit bull shipped to Minnesota for \$3,250 in 1935 and in themselves representing three world records. Below, Sybil Lad's Marjorie May, not yet two-year-olds but already more bag than cow and a world record prospect.

Local Man Best Kiss Estimator

When it comes to kisses-in-a-barrel Clay Freeman, Hillsboro, proved himself champion. The contest, in which he was winner, involved the number of candy kisses in a barrel shipped to Hillsboro Pharmacy.

Hundreds of estimates were made. Harry Bates, manager said, but Freeman was the nearest. The barrel contained 8646 pieces of candy and Freeman estimated the contents at 8641.

Shrubs Tested at Hermiston

HERMISTON—More than 200 species of ornamental plants and shrubs are being tested on the Umatilla branch experiment station in actual use as plantings around the buildings. They are being watched primarily for hardiness, as many of the ordinary plantings common to Oregon will not survive the occasional severe winter temperatures of this region. The plants have been growing now for several years and are of an age when their general characteristics may be seen by visitors to the station.

Mountain Travel

In traveling through mountainous country remember this simple rule: Use the same gear going down a hill as you used in going up it, warns the Oregon State Motor association.

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Sisters Meet at Blooming After 42 Years

(By Mrs. J. F. Kamna)

BLOOMING—Mrs. Ida Meyer and family have as their guests Mrs. Mary Bickmeyer and Mrs. Minnie Meyer, both sisters of Mrs. Meyer. Mrs. Clara Grunke, a sister-in-law, and two nephews, John Ridke and Gustave Meyer, all of Minnesota. The sisters have not seen each other for 42 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mauer and niece and Chris Mauer are vacationing at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooper visited relatives in Seattle the past week.

Little Bobbie Krahmer spent the past week in Portland visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burki.

Church services will again start at the regular time at 10 o'clock and Sunday school at 9:45. All children are heartily invited to attend the

classes which start the fall term Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Burki, Miss Mildred Krahmer and Arthur Gurske made a trip to Bonneville Sunday.

Rev. Hinrichs and family left Friday to return here, after spending six weeks visiting in the east.

Portland Lawyers Open Aloha Office

A new law office has been opened at Aloha by Kneeland & Ganoe, attorneys, Portland, who are occupying space with State Senator E. L. Ross, in his real estate and insurance office.

Kneeland will be in the office regularly Wednesday afternoons each week, and otherwise by appointments made through Ross.

Millen F. Kneeland and James H. Ganoe, whose home office is in the Weatherly building, Portland, have been in partnership in Portland for a number of years.

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