

PROGRESS IS MADE SEEKING NEW BERRY

Past Year's Breeding at Experiment Station is Encouraging

Results of this year's work in strawberry breeding at the Oregon State college experiment station are highly encouraging to those who have been endeavoring to get Oregon growers better commercial preserving and canning strawberry varieties, reports George F. Waldo, U.S.D.A. specialist working in cooperation with the Oregon station.

Farmers who visited the berry plots this year during the various field days saw more than 5000 seedling plants that had never before fruited, and saw hundreds of others held over from previous years for further testing.

Waldo now reports that from those that fruited this year for the first time he was able to select 94 that showed enough promise for continued testing. To hold its place as an important canning and preserving center in the strawberry industry, Oregon needs a variety that is better than the Marshall for the preserving trade, and one that is better in some respects than either the Ettersburg or the Corvallis for the canning trade, says E. H. Wiegand, head of the work in horticultural products at O.S.C.

For commercial preserving the trade demands a bright red berry of medium size with bright yellow seeds. One of the U.S.D.A. crosses has these characteristics but is unsuited otherwise for this region. It is now being used in further crossing, and seedlings from it crossed with Redheart this year were exceptionally promising, Waldo reports.

Before the specialists will recommend a new variety for distribution they test it for six or

seven years to make sure as to its vigor, productivity, freedom from disease and other characteristics aside from the color, flavor, size and general nature of the fruit itself.

Results on this year's irrigation tests are not complete but general observation showed a considerable increase in yield with irrigation and revealed that the matted row yielded more than the hill system with irrigation.

THURSTON NAMED TO COUNCIL POST

JEFFERSON, July 12.—The city council met Tuesday night, with Mayor Edna B. Allen in the chair. Mayor Allen reported that the state highway department would see that a sign is placed at the intersection of main street and the highway, or some way be provided to slow down traffic in order to prevent so many accidents.

There has been much controversy as to what was rust in the city water, and tests have been made which showed that the water from the well is chemically pure. It was decided that this rust must be coming from the mains. One of the members of the council offered to pay for having ballots printed, these to be distributed among water users, and a straw vote will be taken to get the opinion of the people in this matter.

Thrashing to Open in Suver District in About 2 Weeks

SUVER, July 12.—Grain harvesting is coming along fine. Thrashing will be started in about two weeks.

Mrs. Anna Brown is spending two weeks with her son, Earl Brown and family, of Airie. Joe James is in Portland consulting a physician concerning a cancer. Miss Theoda Condon of Toledo is visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Blair Douglas and family. Mrs. Richards of Albany is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Countryman. Vera Covey is visiting her grandparents at Shedd.

Dates of Festival for Hops Changed to End of August

INDEPENDENCE, July 12.—The coming hop festival was the topic of discussion at the last meeting of the season for the chamber of commerce. The date of the festival was changed to August 30, 31 and September 1. Reports on the popularity contest were favorable. Approximately 35 candidates have entered.

BOYS ASSIGNED TO SQUADS FOR CAMP

Fine Start Made by Youths at "Y" Outing Site Along Pacific

By JIM SEHON
Y. M. C. A. CAMP, Oceanside, July 12.—All of the 41 boys attending the first camp session at the "Y" camp site near Oceanside had arrived by 9:15 Tuesday morning. While waiting for the baggage to arrive most of the boys went surf bathing. Just before

dinner the squads were assigned the boys were put in the following squads:

Squad one: Monty Jones, leader; Fred Gruver, Bill Laughlin, Bill Cray, Ray Page, Ray Bassett, Bob Johnson, Wallace Witwer, Norman Hinges, Ed Mything, Don Rice.

Squad two: Joe Herabberger, leader; Cliff Niles, Bill Sehon, Jim Sehon, Winsel Acton, Malcolm McCallum, Don Wegner, Richard Goebel, Jack Hayes, Everett Price, Glen Smith.

Squad three: Loman Ney, leader; Bertie Gaisner, Hans Nichols, Austin Wilson, Jack Nelson, Ralph Yocom, Ray Yocom, Dale Bates, Reed Nelson, Vernon Knouff, Malcolm Johnstead.

Squad four: Bob Brownell, Fritz Nichols, Cecil Queseth, Bill Blackley, Joe Law, Bob Findley,

Frank Page, Bob Schafer, Darryl Drorborough, Bennie Kerber, Henry Johnson.

After dinner the boys fixed their tents and made their beds. Following supper a campfire was built on the beach during the campfire a general introduction was made each boy standing and giving his name and telling what he expected to get out of camp. Everybody slept well and even the leaders overslept and awoke to a beautiful day. On today's program is a hike to Oceanside.

CLUB IS INVITED

RICKEY, June 11.—The Rickey community club has received an invitation to attend the Oregon Builders' picnic at Hazel Green Sunday. There will be no admission.

MONMOUTH LODGE HAS INSTALLATION

MONMOUTH, July 12.—Agate Rebekah lodge of Monmouth installed officers for the ensuing year at their recent regular meeting. The district deputy president, Mrs. Claude Boothby of Monmouth, officiated. Following are the new officers: Velma Smith, P.M.; Julia Stockholm, N.G.; Anna Mathany, V.G.; Mina Cornelius, secretary; Nellie Deming, treasurer; Ethel Moreland, warden; Ira Hamar, conductress; Nellie Powell, I.G.; Anna Herron, O.G.; Alta Rogers, R.S.N.G.; Marion

Chambers, L.S.N.G.; Oral Edwards, R.S.V.G.; Mabel Staats, L.S.V.G.; Minnie Price, chaplain; Susie Stanton, musician.

Velma Smith, retiring past noble grand; Julia Stockholm, incoming noble grand; Allie Butler, C.D.S., and Willard Bressler, who entertains at the club meetings with his violin were remembered with flowers presented by Mrs. T. J. Edwards. Supper was served.

Mrs. Christenson, state president of the Rebekah association, will visit the group at the regular meeting in a fortnight.

P. T. Barnum's original Siamese twins married sisters in the backwoods of Wilkes county, North Carolina, and many of their descendants live in that section now.

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