

Weed Control Time Here, Says Agent

Farmers and victory gardeners who expect to apply sodium chlorate this fall for the control of Canada thistles, wild morning-glory, and other perennial noxious weeds should plan to apply the chemical this month, advises O. S. Fletcher, county agent. If the chemical is not already on hand, interested people should see a dealer at once and order their sodium chlorate because no dealer is carrying a large stock on hand and if everyone tries to buy at once somebody is going to get left out, he said.

Results obtained in this county and elsewhere in Oregon over a period of years show that good kills of perennial noxious weeds can be obtained where sodium chlorate is applied dry directly to the soil in October or early in November, provided the soil has not been plowed since spring and also provided that there is not a heavy growth of weeds or other vegetation on the ground when the chemical is applied, Fletcher said.

Sodium chlorate should be applied at the rate of three pounds per square rod, or 500 pounds per acre. Where there are relatively small patches to be treated, probably the best method of applying the sodium chlorate is to broadcast it by hand. Where fairly large areas are to be treated, it is best to apply it with a sodium chlorate spreader.

The county agent has a sodium chlorate spreader that is rented to farmers at a nominal charge. Use of this spreader on fairly large patches of weeds insures an even distribution and also greatly reduces the labor and time involved in applying the chemical. People desiring further information on weed control are invited to get in touch with the county agent's office.

George Burns, 46, Takes Own Life

REDSFORD — Despondency over the recent death of his wife was reason for George Burns, 46, Redford fisherman and World War veteran, to take his own life Tuesday, Coroner Harry C. Stearns, Oakland, said today.

Burns' body, shot through the head, was found in his boat on the Umpqua river. He left instructions for his funeral, the coroner said, requesting a military funeral, and directing the disposition of his property, also, that his dog be turned over to the Coast Guard. His only known next of kin is Josephine Isabel Burns, 14, an adopted daughter. Burns was a commercial fisherman and also operated a small dairy ranch on the Umpqua river, where he has lived for many years.

The whale shark reaches a weight of 25,000 pounds and a length of 60 feet.

Tips For Tired Eyes

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RUSSIANS PUSH ON FROM SMOLENSK—Arrows indicate Russian drives along Dnieper river front, highlighted by advances west of Smolensk, with Vitebsk, Orsha and Mogilev apparently the principal objectives. Red army forces were driving Gomel from the south and east, still threatening Kiev, and had reached the Dnieper at many places south of Kiev. Shaded area is German-held.



HELD IN BABY'S DEATH—Claude L. Dexter, 46, twisted in his chair at the Los Angeles police station, where he was booked on suspicion of murder after his 16-month old son, Johnnie, had plunged to his death from the tenth floor of a hotel.

Japanese Reverses Increased by Allies

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Oct. 6. — (AP) — Australian troops have fought their way into New Guinea's Ramu valley, 60 miles from the Japanese coastal base of Madang, and the tightening American air and sea blockade in the central Solomons has increased the price the enemy is paying in ships and men to evacuate Kolombangara island.

The new successes were announced today by headquarters which also acknowledged receipt of congratulations by Gen. Douglas MacArthur from Gen. George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, for the tactics and speed which have won MacArthur new air bases in northeastern New Guinea.

WAC LEAPS TO DEATH

PHOENIX, Ariz., Oct. 6. — (AP) — A terrified woman's army corps member, identified as Esther M. Clearwater, 23, New Paltz, N. Y.,

leaped from a burning sixth-floor hotel room today to her death.

Books Arrive for School Libraries

More than 2000 books for Lane county school libraries are ready for distribution at the office of L. C. Moffitt, county school superintendent, and anyone authorized to take charge of them may have them at any time, the superintendent said Wednesday.

The books arrived several days ago and assistants at the office have been busy since wrapping them up in packages for the several districts.

These books are bought from the state library at Salem with county tax money levied at the rate of ten cents per census pupil enumerated in the districts.

Petty Officer Dead In Seattle Shooting

SEATTLE, Oct. 6. — (AP) — In a desperate break for freedom, an 18-year-old navy prisoner shot and killed a chief petty officer aboard a passenger train near the city's southern outskirts today and then leaped from the train and disappeared in a nearby swamp.

The man escaped from the train after a furious struggle with the officer, whose body tumbled from the car onto the roadbed beside the tracks. The youth was captured about an hour and a half later.

One other prisoner was shot in the leg during the struggle. He and the four other sailors being brought here from Portland were placed in the city jail.

War In Brief

By United Press
ITALY — Fifth army crosses Volturno river to cut German line above Naples; Aversa and Maddaloni captured in march toward Rome; British eighth army locked in bitter battle at Biferno river; allied planes attack Bologna and Grosseto.

EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN — British continue fight against Germans on Cos; Turkish advances say nazis recapture Leros and land on Samos in struggle for control of Aegean while British take control of Stampalia.

RUSSIA — Red army beats off German counterattacks before Gomel; indirect reports describe crossing of Dnieper river; autumn rains bog down Russian advances.

PACIFIC — Australian troops break through at Ramu river headquarters in New Guinea drive to outflank Japanese coastal bases; American planes and warships batter enemy evacuation forces in Solomons; six Japanese planes shot down at Vella Lavella and New Georgia.

WAC Brunette Killed By Blunt Instrument

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Oct. 6. — (AP) — An attractive brunette WAC lieutenant whose body was found in a wooded glen of a residential area was slain by blows with a "blunt instrument," an official said today.

The civilian officer disclosed that Lt. Naomi Kathleen Cheney, 25, Jasper, Ala., died of a basal skull fracture apparently while fighting for her life in a little clearing 60 feet into the woods from a street lined with middle class residences.

Her clothing was not disarranged, and it did not appear that she had been raped. She had been struck once on the upper left forehead and once on the right cheekbone. No trace was found of the instrument used to inflict the blows, but the official who was aiding the army in its investigation said the nature of the injuries were such that they could not have been inflicted by a fist.

Cooper Hit

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struck out. Sanders also struck out. Litwhiler also struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

SIXTH YANKEES — Crosetti smacked a ground single through short. W. Cooper tipped Metheny's bat on the first pitch and Metheny was awarded first base for interference. Johnson grounded into a fast double play. Marion to Klein to Sanders, Crosetti stopping at third. Keller filed to Musial. No runs, one hit, one error.

SEVENTH CARDS — Marion walked on five pitches. M. Cooper struck out, but Marion stole second. Klein was thrown out by Crosetti. Walker grounded to Johnson who threw to Gordon, trapping Marion. No runs, no hits, no errors.

EIGHTH, YANKEES — Dickey waited out a walk. Eiten filed to Litwhiler. Gordon sent a sinking liner to Litwhiler who made a good catch. Stainback struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

EIGHTH, CARDS — Musial filed to Stainback. W. Cooper batted high to Johnson for a single. Kurowski struck out. Sanders filed to Keller. No runs, one hit, no errors.

EIGHTH, YANKEES — Weatherly batted for Bonham and lifted a pop foul to Saunders. Crosetti was called out on strikes. Klein took Metheny's grounder. No runs, no hits, no errors.

NINTH, CARDS — John Murphy came in to pitch. Murphy walked Litwhiler. Marion bunted and forced Litwhiler at second. M. Cooper sacrificed. Klein bunted to Johnson and beat the throw for a single. Walker lined to Stainback. No runs, one hit, no errors.

NINTH, YANKEES — Johnson doubled to deep left center. Keller tripled over Litwhiler's head, scoring Johnson. Dickey lined to Klein. Eiten was thrown out. Gordon popped foul to W. Cooper. Two runs, two hits no errors.

Apple Ceiling May Rise

WASHINGTON — (AP) — An increase of approximately 34 cents on a 45-pound package will be provided by new apple ceiling prices signed by War Food Administrator Marvin Jones, Rep. Holmes (R-Wash.) reveals.

He said the OPA basic price to the grovers for 45-pound packages for October delivery, had been set at \$2.39 FOB country shipping points, with a corresponding adjustment per pound according to package weight.

Also approved, Holmes said, was a 17-cent markup to the grower for each month apples are in storage during the shipping season.

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United Head Urges Air Legislation



W. A. PATTERSON

Legislation which would bar individual domestic airlines from international transoceanic flying was urged today by W. A. Patterson, president of United Air Lines, as a means of insuring the post-war position of this nation's flag in world commerce.

He served notice, however, that if such operations were to be permitted, United would file applications for both trans-Atlantic and trans-Pacific air routes.

Patterson's views were contained in a letter addressed to members of the civil aeronautics board at Washington. The letter was seen as an answer to the agreement recently signed by 16 other domestic airlines in which they endorsed the principle of free, wide-open competition.

In formally presenting his company's viewpoint on the much-discussed subject of post-war trans-oceanic air transportation, United's president indicated that one or more U. S. companies, under private enterprise, might well be chosen as the instruments to represent this country in world air trade. He also hinted that a pooling of both airline and steamship interests might be considered.

"Our recommendation," the letter said, "is that the domestic and trans-oceanic fields be considered separate and distinct, with a realization that one entering the field of the other will contribute nothing that will strengthen our position as a nation in the field of international trade. American free enterprise in air transportation can accomplish what is desirable nationally in the field without resort to wasteful subsidy stimulation."

"Legislation to prevent individual domestic airlines from entering the international transoceanic field should be passed."

"The U. S. flag stands for sound free enterprise," Mr. Patterson wrote. "Willingness to submerge selfish ambitions so that U. S. flag aviation may take its strong and appropriate position in world affairs would seem to be a desirable national service today."

Aluminum Contract Awarded Alcoa by BPA

PORTLAND — Oct. 6. — (AP) — The Bonneville power administration announced today awarding of a contract for 3,000,000 feet of steel reinforced aluminum conductor and conductor accessories to the Aluminum Company of America, Massena, N. Y. Bonneville will pay Alcoa \$608,516 for the materials.

The conductor will be laid on the administration's second 183-mile, 230,000 volt transmission line now being constructed from Grand Coulee dam to Covington, Wash.

APPEAL TO AFL — BOSTON, Oct. 6. — (AP) — Monsignor Francis J. Haas, chairman of the President's fair employment practices committee, pleaded today with delegates to the American Federation of Labor convention to accord full union status to Negroes and other minority groups.

LOANS ON POTATOES

CORVALLIS, Oct. 6. — (AP) — Farmers now can obtain loans on No. 2 grade potatoes. Under an amendment to the potato loan program announced by the state AAA office yesterday, the loans will be made at 60 per cent of the full loan rate until Dec. 31.

PATROL BOAT LOST

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6. — (AP) — Loss of the coast guard patrol craft Wilcox in a storm off the Atlantic coast was announced today by the navy.

To establish telephone communications across an almost impassable glacier in Alaska, the glacier was "bombed" with reels of wire dropped by an Army bomber along a line staked out in the snow.

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Honeyman Out on Bond After Federal Arrest

PORTLAND, Oct. 6. — (AP) — David T. Honeyman, Portland businessman, was free on \$2,500 bond today following his arrest yesterday on a federal bench warrant charging him with "unlawfully concealing certain documents in bankruptcy estate and for making false oaths."

Honeyman, who had been indicted secretly by a grand jury, has paid \$2,750 in fines this year on two contempt of court charges for failure to turn over records of the Honeyman Hardware company in bankruptcy proceedings. He later surrendered the records.

Scoutmasters Plan Program for Winter

Specific plans for Boy Scout work in Lane county for the coming winter were laid at a special dinner meeting last night of 18 scoutmasters at the Osburn hotel.

"Nearly three fourths of all boy scout troops in the district were represented through their Scoutmasters," said Dr. J. F. Cramer, president of the boy scout council.

The most important decision was to participate in a scoutmasters' training school on Nov. 20-21. This will be the basic course in Boy Scout leadership. It was the opinion of the scoutmasters present that every effort should be made to assure a 100 per cent participation in the course. Plans were developed for a district rally for all scouts in the county, for further scout leaders' round table meetings, for a new recruiting plan and other matters.

Scoutmasters attending were B. L. Wright, Troop 11, Springfield; Dr. E. D. Furrer, Troop 12, Eugene; James Pitney, Troop 15, Junction City; Rev. E. W. Johnson, Troop 21, Lowell; Howard Dillon, Troop 26, Eugene; E. F. Boggs, Troop 40, Alvadore; Charles Neilson, Troop 54, Eugene; Clyde Quam, Troop 61, Eugene; Reuben Radabaugh, Troop 66, Eugene; Howard Needham, Troop 67, Eugene; Nathan Chaffee, Troop 101, Eugene; William Nee, Troop 103, Eugene. Also present were Dr. J. F. Cramer, president of the council; K. A. Wells, scout executive; Judson Compton, field scout executive; and Rev. Louis Scholer, area chaplain for Catholic scouts.

Fluid milk was first included in Army rations in 1933.

Germans Using New Land Torpedo

LONDON — (AP) — The Germans are using a new anti-tank land torpedo that resembles a small motor-cycle sidecar and is operated by remote control, the Moscow radio said in quoting a Tass dispatch.

The broadcast recorded by the Soviet Monitor in London said the torpedo carried about 150 pounds of explosive in its nose and had a reel of cable at the rear leading back to an operator who might be in a shelter up to 1,500 yards away. The operator guides the machine and sets off the explosive by electricity.

The Russians have found that the best defense is to cut the cable, the broadcast said.

VERONICA CUTS TIES

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 6. — (AP) — Clashing temperaments, prime source of Hollywood's domestic woes, have broken up the marriage of actress Veronica Lake and Maj. John Detlie, former art director, she announced today in disclosing she will soon for divorce. She revealed her plans on returning from battle, where Maj. Detlie is wounded with the army engineers.

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