

Small Fruit Problems Being Solved at OSC

Effect of irrigation on berries, control of spittle bugs, and methods of pruning and training brambles drew interested attention of farmers and agricultural leaders from Oregon and western Washington who attended the annual small fruits day at Corvallis, sponsored by the horticultural department of the experiment station.

The recent hot, dry weather caused sharp difference between the irrigated and non-irrigated strawberries seen by the visitors. Exact comparative yields had not been obtained, but ordinary observation showed that in many instances the supplemental water had been the making of the crop.

Spittle bugs can be controlled at reasonable expense if attacked early enough with one of a number of effective dusts thoroughly applied, it was shown. A number of growers present reported satisfactory control with hydrated lime, with nicotine dust and with the new commercial dusts using derris derivatives as their poison base. Two well-timed, thorough applications have given good control in heavily infested patches, it was reported.

Comparative results of various methods of pruning red raspberries have not yet been obtained, as this is only the second year of a five-year experiment, but the visitors viewed the present variations in growth and fruiting habits caused by the different treatments. The plan of pinching off the tops of the new canes about two feet from the ground, thus forcing branching, appears promising, Dr. W. S. Brown reported.

A new method of inspecting comparative appearance and quality of new strawberries was tried this year when George Waldo, federal small fruits specialist, had 50 boxes of berries, all different kinds, arranged and labeled for the visitors to see and sample. A number of promising crosses were in the group plants of which will be saved for further study.

The importance of keeping planting stock, of the Marshall particularly, free from virus diseases was explained by Dr. S. M. Zeller, plant pathologist. He explained the methods now being used in developing certified planting stock. Among the visitors were many Smith-Hughes teachers of agriculture from western Washington.

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Ancient History

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From the Gold Hill News
of June 11, 1910.

As a result of Monday evening's council meeting, water users who are in arrears in their rents have been notified by Manager Reed of the Oregon Water and Power company, that unless they get square before the 1st prox. they will be deprived of their supply of aqua pura.

Phoenix was the easiest kind of elder-down for the Gold Hill baseball team last Sunday. It was a case of being outplayed for the boys from the village with the mythological title. They couldn't hit Jarvis when hits meant runs, and they fell down at critical stages and allowed Gold Hill to score. The game ended 9 to 1 in favor of the home town lads.

The ceremony of driving of the first spike on the new line of railway which the Gold Hill Railroad and Lumber company is building up Kanes creek will take place Monday, in accordance with a decision reached late yesterday by company officials.

A gold ingot weighing forty ounces and valued at about \$700 was brought in from the Grey Eagle mine Monday by Manager Van Houten. It was the result of three weeks milling and represents only about half of the values that have been taken from the rock.

W. H. Rhoten came up from Yreka, near where he has a promising quartz property, and visited with old friends in Gold Hill Monday and Tuesday. He is six feet ten, and one of the famous family of Kanes creek pocket-hunters, all of whom are several inches over six feet in height.

Unlicensed Insurance Representatives Sought

Representatives of the Pacific International Health association of San Francisco are reported to be actively soliciting business in Oregon, according to the office of Hugh H. Earle, Insurance Commissioner. The Pacific International Health association is not licensed to do an insurance business in this state and any personal solicitation is unlawful. Commissioner Earle states that a warrant has been sworn out for the arrest of one representative and anyone having information which will lead to the apprehension of others should contact the state police or insurance commissioner.

AMETHYST REBEKAH LODGE 97. Meets every Wednesday night at the O. O. F. Hall, Gold Hill, Oregon. Bertha Coy, noble grand. Belle Smith, vice grand. Madge Dorman, secretary. Lucy Mee, treasurer.

GOLD HILL CHAPTER W. R. C. Meets twice a month on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at their Club rooms in the City Hall. Grace Stone, president. Lucy Disimini, secretary. Ella Patrick, treasurer.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE NOTICE. Christian Science services are held each Sunday morning at eleven o'clock in the building across from the Odd Fellows hall. Everyone is welcome.

Over the State

Salem Boy Drowns in Swimming Stunt

Attempting to swim under water for a distance of 100 feet caused the drowning of Marvin Kelso, 21-year-old Salem youth last Thursday.

Sheridan Lumber Mill Burns Last Week

Last week the F. S. Yorks lumber mill and stored lumber at Sheridan went up in flames with an estimated loss of \$20,000. One million feet of lumber was burned. Forty men were employed at the mill.

Dryness Caused Fire Hazard in Forests

Continued dry weather has brought about an earlier than usual fire hazard to the forests of Oregon, according to State Forester Lynn F. Cronmiller. The first serious fire of the season was reported in Polk county last week when a considerable amount of timber was burned. About 100 forest fire fighters were sent there to check the blaze. Continuation of the present warm weather will result in the closing of three million acres of forest land in western Oregon, the state forester said.

Paralyzed Gold Beach Man Found in Brush

Robert Foster, well known Gold Beach resident, was found last week lying in the brush near his home suffering from a paralytic stroke. Indications were that the man had been lying helpless in the brush for about three days before he was found.

Dog Poisoner Active in Lakeview Area

A heartless dog poisoner was busy in Lakeview during the past week and a number of pets of residents of that city were killed. The aged pet of the A. B. Wilson family known as "Pal" to nearly everyone, was among the victims. Citizens were aroused by the result and police are working on the case.

Large Gymnasium Being Built at LaGrande School

Excavation work for the new \$107,000 gymnasium at LaGrande for Eastern Oregon Normal school was started last week. The building is expected to be ready for use by fall.

Governor Martin Now a Caveman

Governor Charles H. Martin was initiated into the membership of the Oregon Covenants, Grants Pass booster club last week when the cavemen descended upon the governor's office while on their way to the Rose Festival in Portland. The membership card was presented by Chief Big Horn Charles Cooley, accompanied by more than a dozen Cavemen. Cooley invited the governor to visit the caves this summer when he will be put through the ritual.

CORRECTION

In a recent issue an item in this paper concerning the arrest of Daniel Biles for drunken driving, stated that Biles had been reported by his son-in-law, Byron Ward. This was incorrect, however, according to Judge Reed and state police, who reported the arrest was made while on the regular parole along the highway.

Special Electric Range Offer Ends June 15

One of the most successful electric range campaigns in the history of the local power company is rapidly drawing to a close, the final date having been announced as Saturday, June 15. The campaign featured the popular Crawford automatic range in the latest flat-top model at a price said to be the lowest on record for a modern, fully-equipped range of this type. This special offer coming at a time when every housewife is interested in a cool, clean, convenient method of cooking proved most opportune and many sales have resulted.

"We are highly pleased with the outcome of this campaign" stated, J. C. Thompson, local manager of the California Oregon Power company, today, "and we feel that much of its success is due to the effective advertising which we carried in the local newspapers. The remarkably low price and terms have made it possible for many of our customers to purchase a high

grade, electric range, equipped with every modern feature and to enjoy the benefits of our low, combination cooking rate. The special price was only possible because these ranges were contracted for last fall. Bought at today's prices, we shall have to sell them at an increase of over 50 per cent. Inasmuch as there are only a few of these special ranges left, we are urging our local customers to place their orders at once if they wish to take advantage of this exceptional opportunity."

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of School District No. 57 of Jackson County, State of Oregon, that the ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING of said District will be held at the school house; to begin at the hour of 2:00 o'clock p. m. on the third Monday of June, being the 17th day of June, A. D. 1935.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing one director for a term of three years and one district clerk for a term of one year and the transaction of business usual at such meeting.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1935.

ATTEST:

BERTHA COY, District Clerk.
A. A. WALKER, Chairman Board of Directors. June 6-13

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION REPUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S. LAND OFFICE at Roseburg, Oregon, May 15th, 1935

NOTICE is hereby given that Mrs. Minnie M. Byerly of Gold Hill, Oregon, who, on March 17th, 1932, made Homestead entry Serial No. 019743, for Lot 1 and the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 35, Township 36S., Range 4W., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Victor A. Tengwald, U. S. Commissioner, at Medford, Oregon, on the 26th day of June, 1935.

Claimant names as witnesses: Mr. H. F. Drake, Mr. H. D. Force, Mr. Paul Thompson, and Mr. Arthur E. Gorham all of Gold Hill, Oregon. WILLIAM H. CANON Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, U. S. LAND OFFICE at Roseburg, Oregon, June 6th, 1935

NOTICE is hereby given that Edwin Shipley of Gold Hill, Oregon, who, on July 27th, 1928, made homestead entry Serial No. 018078, for the N $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 8, Township 36S., Range 3W., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before G. R. Carter, Clerk of County Court, at Medford, Oregon, on the 17th day of July, 1935.

Claimant names as witnesses: Earl Croft, W. S. Campbell, Grant Powell and Perry Waite all of Gold Hill, Oregon. WILLIAM H. CANON, Register.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

BY VIRTUE of an execution in foreclosure duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Jackson, to me directed and dated on the 7th day of June, 1935, in a certain suit therein, wherein Jackson County Building and Loan Association, an Oregon building and loan corporation, as plaintiff, recovered a judgment against the defendants, Edwin M. White and Flora A. White, husband and wife, for the sum of \$1692.02, which includes principal, interest, insurance and taxes, plus \$150.00 attorney's fees, plus \$5.00 for continuation of abstract of title, plus plaintiff's costs and disbursements taxed at \$15.15, together with interest on said judgment at the rate of 8.4 per cent per annum from the date of the decree, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the Clerk's office of said Court in said

County on the 20th day of May, 1935.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the terms of said execution, I will, on the 20th day of July, 1935, at 10 o'clock, a. m. at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Medford, Jackson County, Oregon, offer for sale and will sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, to satisfy said judgment, together with the costs of this sale, subject to redemption as provided by law, all of the right, title and interest that the defendants herein, Arthur L. Coggins and May G. Coggins, husband and wife; Edwin M. White and Flora A. White, husband and wife; also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to the real estate described in the complaint herein, had on the 10th day of January, 1931, or now have, in and to the following described property, situated in the County of Jackson, State of Oregon, to-wit:

Lot number four (4) in Block number two (2) in Newtown Addition to the City of Medford, Oregon, according to the official plat thereof, now of record.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1935.

SYD L. BROWN, Sheriff of Jackson County, Oregon.

By HOWARD GAULT, Deputy.

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DO YOU KNOW THAT:

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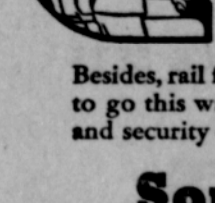
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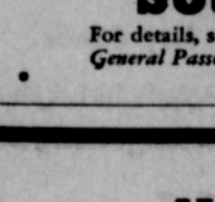
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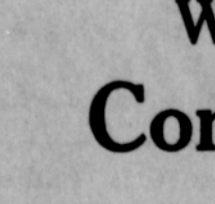
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