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NOTES BY THE WAYSIDE

(By John J. Inskip, County) The following article by Wilbur W. Burkhardt is timely and to the point. We recommend it to farmers and to the many hate urbanites who call us complaining. The lot next to us

belongs to an absentee. It is growing up to thistles and seeding the whole neighborhood. What can we do about it? Quote—Let take a look at the weed situation once again to clear up many false impressions floating about the state. Some counties have weed control districts in operation for the purpose of controlling some specific weed. Weed

Fried Shrimp Add The Seashore Touch To Summer Suppers



The answer to every homemaker's prayer, during these hot, muggy Summer months, are recipes which offer delectable menu variations, yet are quick, easy and require little hot-stove cooking. One such recipe is for French Fried Shrimp, a tasty dish which will please the entire family. And, you'll enjoy its preparation, too, for only three ingredients are needed—the shrimp and eggs and Corn Flakes for the crunchy crumb coating. Served with an assortment of chilled relishes and crisp potato chips, they add a touch of seashore to a breezy Summer supper.

FRENCH FRIED SHRIMP

4 cups Kellogg's Corn Flakes 3 cups cleaned jumbo shrimp
2 eggs, slightly beaten
Crush Corn Flakes into fine crumbs. Dip shrimp in eggs, then in Corn Flakes crumbs. Fry in deep fat (365° F.) until golden brown or brown in small amount of fat. Drain on absorbent paper. Serve with chili sauce or tartar sauce.

control districts come about as a result of residents within a county circulating a petition for signatures of property owners. Signed petitions are presented to the county court, which in turn determines whether or not a majority of land owners in the county or special named portion of the county have signed the petition. If a majority has signed, the court then declares the county or subdivision a weed control district provides the necessary amount of money to carry out the compulsory program named in the original petition. Those not named cannot be placed under compulsory control until a second petition is circulated for the purpose of adding other noxious weeds. Again the weeds to be added must be named.

"Once the area is declared a weed control district, the Oregon laws pertaining to weed control districts are in effect. Violation of the law can result in fine or imprisonment. The violator or a person who may simply neglect, forget, or otherwise fail to prevent the weeds from forming seed, is subject to further action by the court, which consists of an order being issued to have the weeds destroyed and the property owner presented with a statement of costs which he must pay. Failure to pay the costs of a weed destruction job results in the costs being made a lien against the property and collected through property tax procedure.

"Counties having weed control districts which may involve only a part of the county or the entire county have weed supervisors or inspectors appointed to work in the field to enforce the law. Persons appointed as weed inspectors by the county court are by law given the authority to enter all lands both public and private in carrying out their duties. When a supervisor finds weeds have not been cut, sprayed or otherwise treated to prevent their formation of seeds and spread, he issues an official "Notice to Eradicate" and specifies the time limit for getting the weeds put out of the picture.

"All goes well if the property owner gets rid of the weeds within the specified time limit.

but there is going to be trouble ahead for the person who ignores the official notice. Certain natural elements may delay a farmer or land owner and these delays, over which the owner has no control, are taken into consideration. Only in cases of extreme weather or unusual handicap can the supervisor extend the time deadline by which the owner must remove the weed population. In most instances the weed inspectors are not long fanged creatures full of hunger for the person who cannot kill all the weeds the law requires in his particular area. On the contrary they are individuals who have a job to do and they feel that they should be as helpful as possible in getting the job done. They go to considerable trouble to keep informed on the latest and most effective measures that a land owner can use. Too often they are given a cold shoulder by the property owner because he resents someone telling him what jobs must be done. The weed supervisor, then is a fellow with two roles. He is employed to make certain that the weeds he is sent after are not left to go to seed and he is given the task of telling the land owner the most practical method of getting rid of the weed.

"Contrary to widespread belief, the county agents are not in anyway responsible for operation of weed control districts. They have no authority to enter any law enforcement operation. The county agents in counties where weed control districts operate are often asked to participate as advisors. Their advice is confined to control recommendations and preparing material to explain the use of a new method or chemical that has just been discovered. They work for the landowner's interest in holding the costs as low as possible and yet getting the best results from the operation. Some of them serve as secretaries for the weed control committee but have no official voice in administration of the program. Often they are the ones who prepare the special information on control measures that the weed inspectors furnish to land owners when they call on them." Unquote.

Note: In Clackamas County the whole area is in a weed control district for control of tansy ragwort. Dock Hunt is the weed inspector. He has had budgetary problems and has been forced to spread his operations pretty thin like. Wash-

ington County is divided into 4 districts for tansy ragwort control with an inspector in charge of each district. The county does not provide equipment for spraying, privately owned lands.

Control of hayfever ragweed presents a different problem. Here the State Department of Agriculture by a special act of the legislature has charge of control for the entire state. So far as is known the only hay fever raved infestation lies in the Springwater area.

LUMBER PRICES TAKE SHARP UPWARD TURN

A flurry of green Fir dimension trading brought mill prices sharply upward last week, according to Crow's Lumber Market News Service of Portland. A fairly healthy demand from some sections of the country, coupled with loss of production due to mill vacation shut downs, was responsible for the stronger market, Crow's said.

Mill prices reacted first in green Sid & Btr dimension and studs with a gain of \$1 to \$2 per thousand in these items. Low grade dimension, which weakened gradually during June, was described as steady in price this week with a somewhat better volume of sales. Green Fir boards have risen for the fourth straight week, partially reflecting the rise in Douglas Fir plywood sheathing, which is often used for the same purpose as boards. Killed-dried dimension is firm with a sizable amount of production in this category also being lost each week due to vacation shut downs.

The Douglas Fir plywood market, at the \$72 index price, is not overly active, according to Crow's but there is sufficient volume of new business coming in to absorb the limited production. Sheathing prices have leveled off after a steady rise for six weeks or more.

Cecil B DeMille in a commencement address at Brigham Young University: "We can't break the Ten Commandments; we can only break ourselves against them."

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