

LATE SUMMER RETARDS CROPS

WARM WEATHER WILL
MAKE GOOD LOSS.

Early Growth Nipped by Cold, and
Germination Is Checked, Agricultural
Report Shows—Sun-
flowers Withstand Frosts.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
Farm crops in Deschutes county are fully two weeks behind this spring, according to a report made by the county agriculturist following a survey of conditions throughout the county. The unusually cold spring and unfavorable growing weather have held back the growing of the hay crop, the report states, while seeds of all kinds have been slow to germinate. At this time, however, the alfalfa in practically all sections of the county is growing rapidly, and plenty of warm weather from now on may largely obviate the retarding effects of a late season, it is believed.

Toll Taken by Frosts.
Recent frosts nipped the tender crops quite generally over the county, although many localities escaped without any harm done. Alfalfa showed effects from the frost, and the yield from the first cutting may be materially lessened. Small grains and gardens suffered the worst effects. Crops just coming up were laid to the ground, and garden plants in various stages of growth were badly touched in most localities. The spring wheat and oats that were killed in many places were in the fields just up, while the fields of earlier planting were not so hard hit. In many sections the rye crops were lost. The later rye that was still in the boot was unhurt. The farmers that lost their early rye cut it for hay and will secure a crop of third class hay, and in all probability a second crop will come from the stubble if the cutting was done soon enough after the frost, the agriculturist's report mentions.

The cold, strong winds that have been associated with the frosts are responsible for as much damage as the frost, for they have laid several fields flat.

Sunflowers Hardy.
A number of farmers have planted sunflower seed this spring, and one farmer who had sunflowers a foot high at the time of the freeze states that they were not touched, although practically all of his other crops were more or less injured. One field that was just coming up was turned black. The farmers who secured sunflower seed early have good stands, as the first seed brought into the county was first class seed. However, some of the last seed shipped in has been worthless. It is coarse hulled, light and weak. Many of the fields planted with it did not average three plants to the acre. This poor seed was brought into the county as a last resort to answer the large demand.

Farm Labor Scarce.
The labor situation is not encouraging, the report points out, and many farmers have had to abandon plans for clearing and leveling more land, as it seems utterly impossible to secure steady help. Almost every farm is working short handed at the present time. Haying time will be here soon, and prospects for an influx of hay hands are not bright. Indications are that there will be no improvement on the labor shortage inside a year at least.

Helped Her Little Girl.
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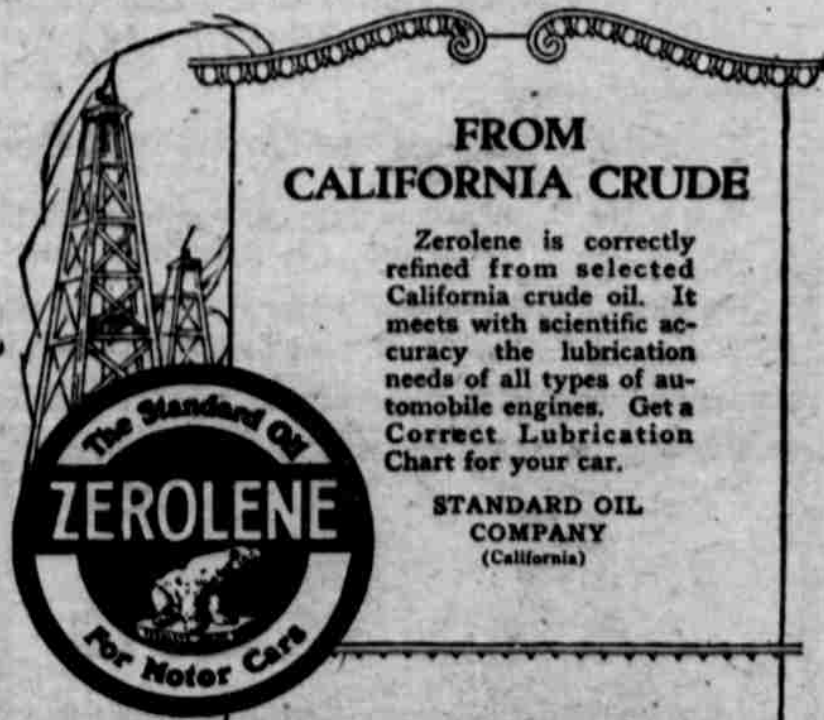
(From Saturday's Daily.)
For the first time in the history of the Deschutes National forest pigeons will be used as the carriers of official messages next week, when a number of the birds will be taken by William Sproat of the forest service to Elk lake. By air line the lake is only about 30 miles from Bend, but by road it is double the distance, while telephone communication is not available.

Mr. Sproat has been training the homing pigeons secured early in the spring for several months and will rely on them to keep him in touch with headquarters in Bend.

THIRTY DAYS GIVEN FOR JAIL BREAKING

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
Two months after he had left Bend, Oliver Erickson was picked up yesterday afternoon by Officer Frank L. Kulp and brought before Judge Peoples on a charge of jail breaking. Thirty days were added to the 20 days which still remained for him to serve at the time of his departure from the jail.

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(From Monday's Daily.)
Fire of unknown origin destroyed, early this morning, the Red Rock sawmill, four miles northwest of Bend, the property of Theodore Twest, and under lease to Charles Orweiler. The loss is estimated at about \$5000.

The mill, which had a daily output of 18,000 feet, will be immediately rebuilt, a mile west of the former site. The plant would have been moved within 30 days' time, according to plans which had been previously determined on.

FINDS BEND BEST OF WESTERN TOWNS

(From Tuesday's Daily.)
Another testimonial as to the progressiveness of Bend was given today by N. H. Gilbert, who returned to this city yesterday after an auto trip through California. Mr. Gilbert declared that there is more life in Bend than in any of the towns he visited during his tour.

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WOULD INCREASE MINIMUM
LENGTH OF TROUT WHICH
MAY BE KEPT BY ANGLERS.

(From Saturday's Daily.)
That the size limit of fish which may be taken from the Deschutes and from the Central Oregon lakes may be raised from six to eight inches, was indicated last night when the members of the Bend Rod and Gun club, in special session, voted to favor such a change. It was suggested that the smaller trout might be protected by information being given out as to the proper method of removing them from the hook, so that they can live after being returned to the water. This should be done, it was emphasized, by wetting the hand before touching the fish, if possible, disengaging the trout while still under water. Otherwise, it was pointed out, the dry fingers, touching the skin of the fish removes the protecting layer of slime, and blood poisoning frequently results. The practice of snapping little fish off the line, or of snapping them loose, was severely condemned.

A new committee on membership was appointed, which it is expected will solicit all sections of the city and mills, within the next few days. Although the membership is already large many who have been asked to join have shown reluctance on account of the size of the annual fee, \$3, and because of this it was decided to reduce the amount to \$1.50. The work of the committee it is believed, will be virtually completed by next Friday when a special meeting will be held.

The appointment of a publicity committee was authorized, while a special committee composed of Al. Edwards and R. A. Ward was named to confer with the directors of the Bend Amateur Athletic club in regard to affiliating with that organization without further limiting the qualifications for membership now recognized by the sportsmen.

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cooperating with the forest service in the matter of building a bridge across the Deschutes at Crane Prairie to replace the aerial ferry now used, and J. A. Eastes and D. H. Peoples were chosen as the committee to confer with Supervisor N. G. Jacobson on this subject.

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A SENSIBLE BUSINESS PROPOSITION.

If at any time you feel impelled to send an order for merchandise to any of the retail mail order houses we are going to ask, just as a matter of fairness to your home merchant, that you give us a chance to figure on it. If we can't meet or beat the price and give you more satisfactory service and save you time then we shall not at all blame you if you send the order to the mail order man.

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Whisky Term.

The mixture called 100 per cent proof is less than 50 per cent of spirits. The volume of water is about 57.10. The origin of the term "proof spirit" is interesting. Formerly it was customary to test the strength of spirits by pouring a sample on gunpowder. If, when a light was applied, the alcohol burned away and left the powder so damp that it could not be set on fire the spirit was declared to be under-proof. A sample just strong enough to ignite the powder was called proof.

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