SHEEP PROFIT ON **IRRIGATED FARMS**

U.S. Department Bulletin No. 1051 Gives Hints About Proper Handling of Small Flocks.

Sheep keeping in the irrigated regions of the northwest might be made a source of profit by many more far mers. Numerous farmers throughout the northwestern irrigated districts have found it a profitable business for a number of years, and have gained experience which should be of benefit to other owners of irrigated

Methods of handling and feeding sheep as practiced on 12 representative farms, large and small, in various parts of the northwest, have been studied in detail. On most of these farms sheep husbandry is combined with some other major enterprise, such as dairying, hog raising, orcharding, or raising sugar beets, but a few of the farmers specialize in sheep. It is believed that one or more of these 12 farmers has come in contact with practically every difficulty that is likely to confront the sheep grower on irrigated lands in the northwest. In most cases they have found some means of avoiding. or at least mitigating the difficulties.

Special atention is given to methods of establishing pasture grasses and pasture supplements, as pasture is one of the most serious problems of introducing sheep on an irrigated farm. Possibilities are pointed out with the range sheep industry. The farmer who expects to grow grade sheep may be able to buy his ewes from the range more advantageously bred sheep may find an excellent market among range men for his ram lambs. A profitable combination between irrigation farmers and range men is frequently possible, the sheep being run on the range during the summer and fall, brought to the farm at the beginning of winter and kept there until after lambing time in the

The conclusion is reached that there are many irrigated farms thruout the northwest on which small flocks of sheep could be kept with profit if given proper care. The prement outlook for the sheep business appears to warrant further expansion and there seems to be no reason why many farmers should not keep small flocks. Facts regarding the handling of sheep on small irrigated tracts are brought out in U. S. Department of Agriculture Bulletin No. 1651.

Lakeview Sheep Men

Two auto loads of local sheep owners made a trip to Harney county Sast week for the purpose of measuring hay, and also to look over the desert. They report the feed in the selves elesert is better this season than they the lead all others will fall in line have seen it for many years, which is good news to sheep owners in gen- with a will to achieve every goal for ness, are as well acquainted as we wral.-Lakeview Examiner.

AROUND THE WORLD WITH THE AMERICAN RED CROSS. Public Health Nursing.



In the midst of its multifarious war duties the American Red Cross did not neglect its obligations to the civilian population at home. Throughout the conflict it maintained its Bureau of Public Health Nursing, instruction in first aid, home nursing and sanitation, and disaster rollef. Particularly in their work for the babies was effort by public health nurses important. The accompanying photograph shows a Red Cross public health nurse instructing a mother in the proper preparation of the baby's diet,

Few Minutes Each Day Is Little to Give

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> hardly know your own home. Then a few minutes each day and you will have many new conveniences in the kitchen, and the pantry, and in the basement. And your wife, who makes home attractive for you. will know that you are mindful of

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> It will turn reproach into admiration, and adversity into prosperity. It will do all this, and more.

A few minutes each day is such in the infancy of its consummation.

give a few minutes each day to the or social, but practical and material upbuilding of the community, to the and it has always remained so. advancement of the material interests of the municipality.

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thing to form right here among our-

Cincinnati Neighborhood Believes in Getting Closer

There is a district in Cincinnati where the inhabitants have developed a peculiar ambition. They want for combining farm sheep growing in possibilities for the future of this to be like villagers, and to know each other by their first names all over the neighborhood.

This is not a brain storm on their keep the rubbish out of your yard, part. It is not the odetrine of some new thought school. They have realized that all members of a commun-

This condition is possible without individuals.

In each neighborhood there are generally a few physicians. Also a few people with specialized mechanical ability. There are women whohave developed themselves beyond the average at cookery, and other domestic sciences. And no neighborhood can get all there is out of itself, unless it knows what it has for distribution.

This Cincinnati neighborhood began its local inventory of people by enlisting the services of a woman who knew a large number of people in the district. It was made her bus-iness to get them acquainted—in a tactful way, without the use of bale little thing to give, but the possibil- hooks. The experiment succeeded in ities of its future are so pregnant a remarkable manner, and the comwith results as to be beyond compute | munity has enjoyed a neighborly life the last two years. The purpo Every citizen of this town could of the scheme was not sentimental

In large cities like Cincinnati, where it only rarely that any one A Minute Club would be a good knows more than one or two people on the same block a consummation like this is real achievement. Which inclines one to ask whether we in And if a few loyal citizens will take Burns, who have no excuse for aloofshould be with one another.

TEDDY, JUNIOR



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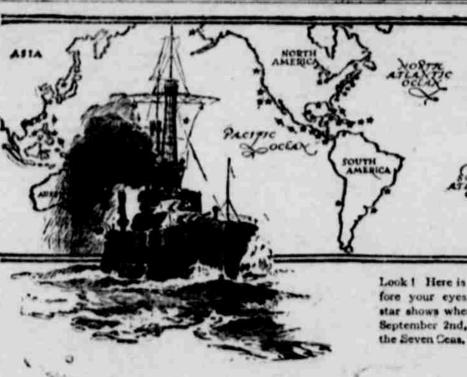


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