

Fertilizer Orders Being Taken by County Agent

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Fertilizers carrying available phosphorus will return increased crop yields under many Washington County conditions. Vetch, field peas, clover, alfalfa, all classified as soil conserving under the provisions of the agricultural conservation program, respond to applications of phosphate. Mixtures of grass and legumes and grass alone, especially for seed purposes, need fertilizer applications carrying a considerable percentage of available phosphorus. Grasses for pasture need not only phosphate but nitrate as well. Treble phosphate is one form of phosphate fertilizer which is satisfactory for any of the purposes just mentioned. Super phosphate carries some land-plaster but to get the benefit of the phosphate it must be applied at a season too early for satisfactory returns from the land plaster. Phosphate of any kind does not replace landplaster since it is sulphur in the latter that increases crop yield. Under ordinary practice when super phosphate is used as the source of available phosphorus for a crop it is still desirable to apply landplaster. Consequently, the use of treble phosphate as the phosphorus carrier does not make necessary the use of more or additional supplemental fertilizer. Whether the purchase of a phosphate fertilizer should be treble phosphate, super phosphate, or some combination of phosphate and nitrogen depends upon the particular crop and condition involved and upon the price of the fertilizer unit to carry out the desirable fertilization practice.

On any of these perennial crops or annual legumes, fall applications are preferable but phosphate applied in the spring is not wasted. In a rather dry spring season the crop may not benefit to an appreciable extent from phosphate applied in the late winter or early spring but it is not lost and will be available to succeeding crops.

In 1939 approximately two hundred tons of triple superphosphate were distributed by the Washington County Agricultural Conservation association as grants of aid. More of this same material is now available for delivery sometime before January 31, 1940.

This phosphate can be obtained by assignment of enough of the 1940 soil building allowance for a farm to cover the cost of \$36 per ton. The only cash outlay to the farmer ordering this material is \$1 per ton handling charge paid on delivery at the car door.

Those farmers who obtained phosphate in 1939 are eligible to submit orders for January 1940 delivery.

Phosphate obtained from this source is to be applied to such crops as clovers, alfalfa, perennial grasses, Austrian winter peas, vetch, and cover crops in orchards providing such cover crops contain Austrian winter peas or vetches in the mixture. The general recommended rate of application is one bag or one hundred pounds per acre to the crops specified above. Some specialty crops may require a different rate of application. A credit of one unit, or approximately \$1.50 per acre, is made to the soil building allowance of the farm on which this material is applied, providing the material is applied to the crops listed above. It is not necessary to obtain triple phosphate from this source to earn this credit toward the soil building allowance.

Orders are now being accepted in the County Conservation office, Court House, Hillsboro. Farmers cooperating under the 1940 program who wish to obtain some of this phosphate should submit their orders at once as a limited amount is available at the present price of \$36 per ton.

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CLAIRE KNEELAND, left, chairman of the election board of the University of Oregon Alumni association, hands Dr. Del Stanard of Eugene, Oregon, official notice of his election as president of the association. Hollis M. Johnston, Portland architect, was named vice-president.

Dr. Stanard of Eugene Named President of University Oregon Alumni

Eugene, Jan. 12. (Special)—Dr. Delbert C. Stanard of Eugene, Ore., was named president of the University of Oregon Alumni Association for 1940, it was revealed here today. Dr. Stanard led his nearest competitor by a 4 to 1 margin in the first mail election ever held by the association. Hollis M. Johnston, Portland architect, was named vice president in the same election.

Dr. Stanard will have as his first duty the appointment of 36 members of the board of governors—one from each county. Twelve of the appointees will serve for one year, 12 for three years—the Oregon alumnus representing Washington county will be one serving for three years.

Dr. Stanard graduated from the university in the class of 1914, and entered the University of Oregon medical school upon graduation. After service in the navy during the World War, Dr. Stanard completed his medical school course and was awarded his M. D. in 1921. He is a major in the Oregon National Guard and is the commanding officer of the medical detachment of the 186th. He is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity, Elks, Masons and the Lions. Mr. Johnston, the new vice president, is a prominent architect in Portland, and during the early stages of the Bonneville project was chief architect for the United States engineers and designed the town of Bonneville. At present he is vice president of the Portland Duck club, boosters of Oregon athletics.

Gadsby Furniture Co. Passing 25% Savings On to Customers

There's an old saying that: "A Dollar Saved, is a Dollar Earned." We believe it amounts to more than that. In conversation only yesterday, with Ben Gadsby, of the well known Furniture and House Furnishings firm of GADSBY'S First and Washington, Portland, we learned that this firm has just completed a \$10,000 cash purchase of high quality Living Room, Dining Room and Bedroom Sets for \$7,500; a net savings of 25%; from one of the largest manufacturers of quality furniture in the Northwest. There's a human story behind that sale and the purchase for cash.

It seems the factory, through loyalty to its large staff of workers, has kept them all working full time; although sales have been slack; and as a result has built up a tremendous surplus stock. The result was, that when Mr. Gadsby offered to lay \$7,500 cash on the line for a purchase of a \$10,000 order, the offer was immediately accepted. This meant a 25% savings, and Gadsby's are passing this 25% savings on to you.

This explains how a genuine savings of 25% can be handed down to the customers. Mr. Gadsby also states that their store contains quite some stock of last year's floor sample Living Room sets and pieces, which are to be thrown into this short time offer; and at 25% to 50% reduction. They invite you to see for yourself. Don't forget their slogan: "Gadsby always pays the freight." There is a large free parking lot right by the store, too, so you don't have to worry about parking your car. This is a convenience Gadsby has for you whenever you come to trade with them.

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Lowes Dancing Academy Opens New West Side Studio

C. W. Lowes announces the opening of a new dance studio on the second floor of the Gillette Bldg., 723 S. W. Park at corner of Yamhill. The old studio on N. E. Broadway will continue to operate for the convenience of East Side patrons. Mr. Lowes has taught dancing for 20 years and for 6 years has been prominent in Portland dancing circles. Associated with him as teachers in the new studio are Dan Freely of McMinnville, in charge of Ballet dancing, Miss Peterson, Miss Sherwood, Mr. Etter in Ballroom and Tap and Miss Helene Moore of Leedwigs in San Francisco. There are 3 rooms for private instruction and a large ballroom for class instruction built with a special floating spring floor.

Tom Goes to College

Tom C. Ammons, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ammons Sr. of Villa Ridge Service Station left last week for Oregon State College and has joined a fraternity and thinks he's going to enjoy life while acquiring his education. Tom is a 1938 graduate of the Tigard High School and is very well and favorably known in this area.

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REEDVILLE ITEMS

At a New Years dinner party, given by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Traenkel were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Zuercher and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Amacher and children of Hillsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Schild and family of Tillamook and Mr. and Mrs. W. Schmidtke of Portland.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. McGeorge were Donald Dunlap of Santa Monica, California, and Herbert Dunlap of San Luis Obispo, California.

Miss Bess Brown of Bakersfield California, who has been a guest at the Grant Brown home nearly two weeks left a few days ago for her home.

Miss Jean McLean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McLean of North Vista avenue spent the holiday vacation at home here and a few days ago left for Escalon, near Stockton, California, where she is city supervisor of music in the schools.

Mrs. V. I. Megargel of Grants Pass spent the holidays with her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McLean of north Vista avenue. She left for home a few days ago.

Miss Helen Johnson and Miss Helen Becker spent a few days of last week at Timberline Lodge. Miss Stella Holding of Portland, recently spent a couple of days as guest of Miss Elsie Nordlund of Reedville.

At a dinner party at the S. A. Becker home several days ago were about thirty relatives and these included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moffett of Ridgefield, Washington.

Mrs. David Hagg is recovering from her illness and Mrs. F. Hagg of Portland stayed with her during her illness. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baumgartner and son Jerry spent the holidays with relatives at Scio.

Mrs. James Kelley and children of Astoria who spent the holidays with relatives here, left for their home a few days ago. Warren Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Williams of this place, who entered navigation mechanics school in Virginia last May has arrived in San Diego where he will be stationed indefinitely.

Robert Brown of Milwaukie, who spent the holidays with his parents here was rushed to St. Vincent hospital Tuesday of last week for an emergency operation for appendicitis. He is said to be getting along fairly well now.

Over the holidays Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wagonblast entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Falkenhagen of Tacoma, Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Mathiesen of Portland.

Doris Harrison who suffered an attack of scarlet fever, has been out of quarantine several days and is feeling very well now.

Mrs. E. F. Gonty, was taken to a Portland hospital from her home in the Rosedale vicinity, south of Reedville, several days ago and though

Wandering Honey Bear Restored to Owners

CORNELIUS, Jan. 10 (Special)—The odyssey of Chee Chee, runaway honey bear who wandered westward, ended here Tuesday in a reunion, with the odd little animal restored to the arms of its owners, the R. E. Douglas family of near Beaverton.

Chee Chee, who resembles a monkey with a kangaroo's rudder, had been a fugitive since Saturday evening, when she ran away from the Douglas home, after being purchased in Portland.

The fuzzy little lady from the tropics finally was located residing contentedly at the Henry Jacobsmuhlen farm home, near Cornelius. There, her affectionate ways delighted her hosts, and her strange appearance defied attempts at classification.

The honey bear, or kinkajou if you prefer formality, was picked up Saturday night outside a dance hall at Aloha, a half-dozen miles from the Doug-



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