

TUALATIN VALLEY FARM NEWS

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"STINKING WILLY" THREATENS LIVESTOCK WITH ITS POISON

"Stinking Willy," one of the popular names given to tansy ragwort, is bursting into odorous bloom, leading to its ready identification and eradication, declares Wilbur Burkhardt, of the county agent's office. This weed is notorious for its poisonous effect on livestock.

Livestock do not intentionally eat the weed, but if it is up with hay, can accidentally take it. And while Washington county does not have flourishing stands of it, there is enough to warrant vigorous control before it gets out of hand.

Tansy ragwort blooms in an attractive yellow color, with each blossom from one-half to one inch across. The flowers grow in dense, flat-topped clusters. Leaves are flat and are attached directly to the main stem. The plant gives off a highly disagreeable odor, which also helps to identify it.

A perennial plant, its leaves look similar to that of a chrysanthemum and its stem is purplish in color. Seeds spread with the ease of thistles or dandelions. Eradication, when the plant grows in great numbers, is a difficult and costly process.

Easily confused with the noxious weed is the plant tansy, non-poisonous but fast spreading and definitely a nuisance. Burkhardt relates that from one root dug up close to St. Mary's school, near Beaverton, there were 18 stalks—all bearing flowers and, eventually, seed.

Recommended spray for tansy ragwort weed is 2-4 D or, where there is no danger of fire, sodium chlorate. This latter chemical, however, is highly inflammable, poisonous to livestock and particularly dangerous in spray form. An excellent and far safer idea is to pull up the plants, cutting the blooming tops and burning them to certainly avoid any future spreading of either tansy or tansy ragwort.

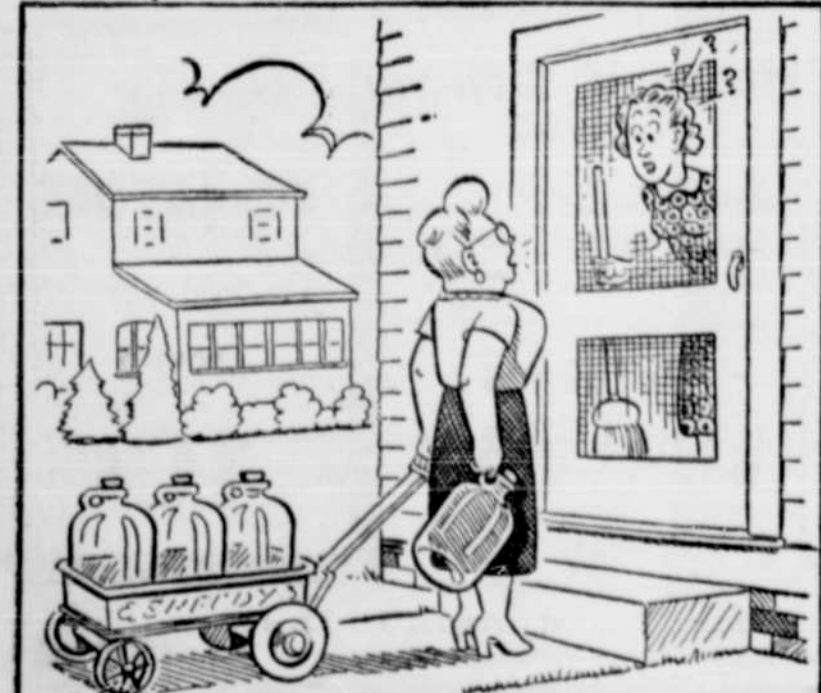
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... with one penny of electricity you can get enough heat to make a pot of coffee for a full week, on the electric stove or in the percolator?

... that the process of photosynthesis, by which plants get their green color for its leaves, is a mysterious manufacture of food values dependent upon light?

Apiary Disease Inspection Due In Tualatin Valley

With funds appropriated by the last legislature now available to inspect honeybees for the purpose of eliminating disease, particularly American foulbrood, M. A. Pierson, Route 2, Aurora has been appointed bee inspector for Clackamas, Washington, northern Marion and Yamhill counties. He is an experienced beekeeper and will cover his territory as fast as time and weather conditions permit.

A. Burr Black, state supervisor of apiary inspection for the Oregon department of agriculture, says that because inspection was held up this season until appropriated funds became available, bee disease has become serious in some localities.

He urges that beekeepers give the local inspector full cooperation in locating outbreaks of disease so the situation may be cleaned up for the protection of other bees in the area. There are no fees for inspection. However, the bees must be registered with the state.

Owners of bees not registered are subject to penalties outlined in the Oregon apiary law, which the apiary inspector is charged with enforcing.

Officials feel that with the active cooperation of beekeepers the disease of bees will be reduced to the point so bees may be kept without much danger of losing them from foulbrood.

They stress the fact that bees are needed in this section of the state to pollinate the various seed crops and tree fruits grown and that this phase of the bee industry is even more important financially to the district than the honey produced.

IN NAVY SQUADRON

Wayne E. Swagger, aviation ordnanceman, second class, U.S.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Swagger of Route 3, Beaverton, Ore., is attached to Fighter Squadron 113, based at the Naval Air Station, San Diego, Calif.

Squadron 113, composed of one of the Navy's latest types of fighter aircraft, the Grumman "Bearcats," has been on routine operations off the coast of southern California for the past several weeks.

The operations were part of the squadron's gunnery and instrument training program.

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Poultry Disease Threat Requires Vigorous Steps

Many farmers may be acquiring a false sense of security over the threat of Newcastle disease to their poultry flocks, veterinary authorities say.

"This disease has now spread to every state in the Union, and although there is less talk about it today than there was several years ago, the losses it causes are very heavy," the American Foundation of Animal Health reports. "Newcastle disease is second only to pullorum disease in the economic loss it now causes the poultry industry."

Vaccines recently developed through veterinary research are proving helpful in controlling the disease, the Foundation said, but vaccination should be considered as an aid to, not a substitute for, strict control measures. If Newcastle disease appears in a flock, all dead birds should be burned or buried, and susceptible birds should not be brought to the farm until four weeks or more after the outbreak. Farmers should also take precautions to be sure birds are obtained from sources free of the disease.

"If a flock-owner lives in an area where Newcastle disease has not yet become a serious problem, he should undertake vaccination only on the advice of his veterinarian," the Foundation said.

Aberdeen-Angus, Holstein Sales Aid Breed Lines

For dairymen, two sales of purebred cattle are being offered for the build-up of breeding lines.

First sale is at Wapato, Washington, where the Maid O'Clover ranch plans to liquidate its entire herd of 200 purebred Holsteins in a sale on September 6 and 7.

This farm has a high rating in the dairy industry for production records and showing winnings and will be the largest Holstein sale in the history of the breed.

R. E. "Rube" Every, New World Life building in Seattle, will manage the sale and is prepared to offer catalogues giving detailed records and lineage of each animal.

Buyers from nearly every state are expected to take part in the sale. Anticipating 1,000 or more visitors, Dewey Ames, farm manager, has arranged to handle room reservations in Wapato and Yakima. Charlie Adams, nationally known auctioneer of Alhambra, California, will preside in the ring.

On October 11, at the Pacific International Livestock Exposition, the finest Aberdeen-Angus sale ever conducted on the Pacific Coast is promised. About 65 of the finest Polled Blacks in six states will be shipped on consignment sale.

The consignment will include only animals good enough to show in the breeding classes on a quality basis. They will come from the herds of the West's outstanding breeders.

The sale will be preceded by a day-long judging session, which will start at 9 a. m., according to P-I general manager, Walter A. Holt, with the sale, sponsored by the Pacific Coast Aberdeen-Angus Association, beginning at 7 p. m., Tuesday, October 11.

DDT Kills Fish And Mosquitoes

According to information from Dr. H. J. Rayner, division of nutrition and disease, Oregon State Game Commission, the use of DDT and other insecticides on log ponds, streams, swamps, or other waters is very detrimental to the fish life therein.

Users of insecticides in the waters of the state should be advised of the fact that the lethal powers of such materials are not limited to insects alone. Numerous instances have been reported where trout and other salmonoid fishes, bass, crappies and bluegills have been killed as a result of an overdose of insecticides intended for mosquitoes or other insect pests.

Some persons feel that if a "little is good, a lot is better." This is definitely not true in the above instance, and it is hereby suggested that the manufacturers' specifications for minimum dosage should be closely observed.

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