

Lane County Farmers Union News

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FARMERS TO GROW FLAX SEED IN THIS DISTRICT

Flax seed growing promises to become an industry in this district as a result of a visit of E. H. Smith, field representative of the Portland Linsseed Oil works, who was the office of County Agent O. S. Fletcher this week. The Portland plant has a capacity of half a million bushels of flax seed a year, and as only 5000 bushels are raised in the state, an effort is being made to induce farmers to raise flax seed for the Portland consumption.

The proposed crop is not fibre flax such as is grown at Salem and discussed as an industry, but is a finer and more remunerative crop, it is said. The Portland company will pay \$2.52 per bushel or 41.2 cents a pound or will give in exchange 37 pounds of linseed meal for every bushel of seed at one-half the price per pound that the company pays for flax.

Mr. Smith pointed out the opportunity for Oregon growers in the fact that two and a half million bushels of flax are used on the coast every year.

Among farmers who considered growing flax and tentatively decided to do so were Cal M. Young of Willamette and S. A. Paanuk and T. E. Stehno of this district.

Anniversary Is Held

The home of Mrs. W. A. Hemenway was the scene Sunday of the celebration of the 79th birthday of Mrs. Hemenway's aunt, Mrs. Mary Miller of Eugene. Thirty relatives, including all of Mrs. Miller's living children, were present.

Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Read and children, Dannie and Maluta, of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. William Miller and little daughter, of Eugene; Mrs. Frankie Callison and daughters Ruby, Ida and Harriet and son Dugald, also of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knowles of Pleasant Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McBee of near Springfield; Mrs. Lydia Gault Reel of Springfield; Mr. and Mrs. C. Stevens and baby of Camp Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook of Dexter; and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hemenway and children, Margaret, Kathryn, Elizabeth, Read and James. Mr. and Mrs. DeLure Hemenway of Cottage Grove called during the afternoon.

FOR SALE—Carbon paper in large sheets, 26x39 inches, suitable for making tracings. The News Office

Notice

WHEREAS in chapter 127, general laws of Oregon, enacted in 1919, it is declared to be the duty of every person, firm, co-partnership, company and corporation owning, leasing, occupying, possessing or having charge of or dominion over any land, place, building, structure, wharf, pier or dock which is infested with ground squirrels and other noxious rodents or predatory animals, or as soon as the presence of the same shall come to his, their or its knowledge, at once to proceed and to continue in good faith to exterminate and destroy such rodents by poisoning, trapping or other appropriate and effective means; and

WHEREAS gray digger, ground squirrels (*Citellus douglasii*) are noxious rodents in Lane County, Oregon;

Now therefore, all of such persons, firms, co-partnerships, corporations and companies owning or having dominion over land in said Lane County, Oregon, are hereby required to take steps to exterminate said gray digger ground squirrels (*Citellus douglasii*) within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice. If such steps are not taken, a person or persons appointed by the county court of said Lane County will enter upon said lands and proceed to exterminate said gray digger ground squirrels (*Citellus douglasii*) and the cost of said extermination will be levied against said lands.

The county agricultural agent hereby designates Monday, March 29th, as a day to be known as "squirrel poisoning day" throughout the said Lane County, and it is hereby recommended that poisoned barley, as prepared by the undersigned and representatives of the Bureau of Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture, be used for the purpose of such extermination. Such poisoned barley may be secured from the undersigned at his office in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, at approximately the cost of preparation.

Date of first publication of this notice March 4, 1926.

(Signed) O. S. FLETCHER,
County Agricultural Agent.

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OFFICERS OF LANE COUNTY FARMERS' UNION

- C. W. Allen, Vada, President.
- W. I. Seals, Eugene, Vice-President.
- Betty M. Kappauf, Cottage Grove, Secretary-Treasurer.
- Walter Morgan, Creswell, Conductor.
- H. H. Smith, Eugene, Doorkeeper.
- O. L. Clement, Waterville, Chaplain.

PROF. PARSONS TO SPEAK TO BROTHERHOOD MEETING

Professor Philip A. Parsons of the University of Oregon will be the speaker at the meeting of the Methodist brotherhood to be held at the church Monday evening. The topic will be "Some Aspects of Problems of Crime." The meeting will be held at 8:45, with a dinner preceding the talk. Men and their wives have been invited.

Nose Is Fractured.

The 12-year-old daughter of Sam Putnam of Deerhorn was brought to Springfield yesterday for treatment, following an accident in which her nose was fractured when struck by a baseball at the Deerhorn school. Although broken, the nose was not out of place, the local physician who treated her, reported.

GREENHOUSE PLANTS NOW NEED TO BE REPOTTED

Oregon house plants and greenhouse plants may be repotted any time this month. Although some plants do well if not repotted for 2 years, most of them need it now.

To repot them, hold the pot, with the plant in it, upside down and in the right hand. Knock the top of the pot on a shelf or ledge, holding the plant between the fingers of the other hand and just above the earth ball. When the earth ball falls out, remove as much soil as possible without breaking the roots.

Repot in the same size pot or one an inch larger, suggests Andrew Laing, superintendent of the college greenhouses. The finger tips, a pencil or a small stick may be used in firming the soil. If the plant is firm well, especially around the roots. It will not be so much affected by the change.

FOR SALE

Seed Corn, Minnesota Number 13 Dent, 18 years in Lane County, 65 bushels to acre last 3 years.

Killed Dried.

At Farmers Union store, Springfield, or Eugene, or at my place on McKenzie. Geo. W. Neff A22

CALL AND SEE Dr. N. W. Emery on prices on plate and other work

WILLAMETTE

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey and daughter, recent arrivals from Schuyler, Nebr., were the inspiration for a family reunion Sunday at the home of Mrs. Jay Fish (Mr. Bailey's sister), when about forty relatives and friends gathered together to welcome them to Oregon. After the family dinner the time was spent visiting. Those who enjoyed the event were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey and daughter of Schuyler, Nebr., Mr. and Mrs. Patten and family of Wendling, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bailey of Wendling, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bailey of Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson of Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and daughter, Doretha, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bouart of Junction City, Mr. Mounts, Mr. Charles Bailey, the Cheshire family of Cheshire, and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Fish and daughters, Alma, Charline, and Florence Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey will reside on a farm near Coburg.

Virginia Chase missed several days of school on account of flu.

The Sunshine club will have a silver tea at the home of Mrs. A. W. Ferree Friday afternoon.

Mr. Collingwood of Norfolk, Nebr., has purchased the two-acre tract owned and occupied by the C. R. Scott family since August. The Scotts will give the possession immediately.

A. H. Fish of Salem, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. G. R. Fish, who is ill in the Eugene hospital.

Mr. Guy Patten of Wendling is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Jay Fish, and taking medical treatment in Eugene.

Miss Ethel Cogswell has been ill for several days.

Clayton Kirkland of Chase Gardens left for Spokane, Wash., Sunday afternoon, where he is attending the florists convention. He will return

WILLAMETTE

Wednesday. Mrs. Luan Stephens of Springfield spent Saturday at the home of her son, W. H. Anderson.

Mrs. L. Bragg of Portland spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Anderson, returning to Portland Monday.

Mrs. A. C. Travis entertained her daughter, Mrs. W. J. and four young ladies of Tillamook at the dinner Saturday evening. While here Mrs. Morrow chaperoned the four young ladies who were sent as delegates from Tillamook to the Girls' conference which was held at the University of Oregon last week. The party returned to Tillamook Sunday.

UPPER WILLAMETTE

The members of the Christian Endeavors held a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Hays at Pleasant Hill Friday night, March 12.

In honor of his birthday which was March 19, a number of high school young folks met at the home of Paul Harden on Saturday night, March 13. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Dora Harden and Mrs. Jesse Carruthers. Those present were the Misses Gladys and Violet Inman, Beatie Fogles, Nina Dilley, Frances Parks, Mary Harding, Ollie Monson, Hazel Kull and the Messrs Leroy Inman, Harold Dilley, Paul Harden Clarence Monson, Howard Kull, Donald Kahler, Jerry Kahler, and Lyman Tinker.

Chester Wheeler son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wheeler of Trent, has been forced to give up his work at O. A. C. on account of his eyes. He has gone to Portland for medical advice.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Phelps and two children, Robert and Evelyn, motored to Swiss Home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dodge and children left Pleasant Hill Friday for their

THURSTON NOTES

Mrs. Platt from Leaburg spent Wednesday with her son, Walter and family.

John William from Cottage Grove motored over to Thurston Wednesday night.

The Ladies Aid gave a picnic social

at the church last Friday evening. The proceeds amounted to \$17.85.

Mrs. Cunn from near Salem visited the latter part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Ira Gray.

Ira Gray, who has been in Portland serving on the federal jury, returned to his home here Friday evening.

The Sunday school is arranging a program for Easter Sunday. Mrs. Edna Yarnell and Mrs. Jessie Edmiston are in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spencer from Springfield motored out to Thurston Monday evening and visited friends.

Theda Rhodes spent the weekend in Springfield with her aunt, Mrs. M. J. McKlin.

There was a party given Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Henson in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Harrington, who are leaving for Klamath Falls in a few days.

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