

Extension Staff Joins Drive For Scrap Aluminum

The extension field staff, consisting of county agents, home demonstration agents, and 4-H club agents, has been called upon by William A. Schoenfeld, director of the O. S. C. extension service to assist county defense councils in every way possible in a nation-wide aluminum gathering campaign set for the week of July 21. This request to all members of the staff followed a letter received from Dean H. Walker, acting governor, and Jerrold Owen, coordinator of the Oregon state defense council, who are directing the campaign in Oregon.

The nation-wide drive to collect old and unneeded aluminum of all kinds is to obtain additional supplies for use in production of defense equipment. Farm families, as well as those of the city, will be asked to contribute old aluminum utensils and unused aluminum parts of

any kind.

Items suggested include pots and pans, radio parts, toys, shakers, screening, old washing machine parts, picture frames, bookends, ice trays, measuring cups, camera equipment, kettles and double boilers, bottle and jar caps, refrigerator plates, electrical appliances of all sorts, and, in fact, anything made of aluminum that is no longer needed or is worn out.

Tentative plans call for visits to be made at farm homes, beginning the week of July 21, when the aluminum will be called for.

It is estimated that the collection of aluminum scrap will produce some 20 million pounds of aluminum, which will go to smelting plants, where it will be made into secondary aluminum, which will in turn release 20 million pounds of first-class aluminum for use by the airplane industry. This extra 20 million pounds is enough to provide aluminum for 2000 fighter planes.

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Sugar Beet Seed Good Specialty Under Irrigation

The production of sugar beet seed has taken its place as one of the major items in Oregon's expanding list of specialty crop enterprises, growers learned who went on the annual sugar beet field tour sponsored by the O. S. C. extension service.

Although only about four years old, the sugar beet seed enterprise is occupying about 1750 acres in Oregon this year, and will be expanded to 3500 next year, reports George Scott, manager of the West Coast Sugar Beet Seed company, which has recently moved its headquarters from Berkeley to Salem. The company has worked closely with the Oregon experiment station and extension service from the start, and employs a field man, W. F. Wiecks, who works with growers throughout the year, advising them on the production and handling methods found

best from experimental work and the experience of growers in the past.

Advance contract arrangements are necessary for all growers, and it is reported that most of next year's doubled acreage has already been signed up, although some may still be available. The county agents who took part in the annual tour pointed out the advantage of sugar beet seed production for those growers who have irrigation on suitable soil types. It provides a good irrigated cash crop, and can be profitably grown even on small acreages.

The tour concluded on the experiment station from where extensive research is under way on fertilization, rate of seeding, and spacing. The main cooperative work of the U. S. bureau of plant industry and the experiment station is now being conducted at Corvallis.

G. R. Hyslop, head of the division of plant industry at the college, emphasized the necessity of heavy fertilization for beet seed production.

The chief fertilizer elements needed are nitrogen and sulphur, although many lands in the valley require borax applications as even slight boron deficiencies are quickly reflected in a beet seed crop.

APPRECIATION

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the people who assisted in putting out the large grass fire in the north end of the county the first of the week. Their unselfish response was in large part responsible for averting further considerable damage to county and private property.

Morrow County Court,
By Bert Johnson, Judge.

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APRICOT SHERBET

2 cups cooked apricots	1 1/2 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 cup water	1/2 cup coffee cream
1/4 cup granulated sugar	2 egg whites
	1/16 teaspoon salt

1. Cook enough apricots to make two cups. 2. Force through puree strainer. 3. Add water and sugar which have been boiled ten minutes. 4. Add lemon juice. 5. Chill. 6. Pour into tray and freeze firm. 7. Remove mixture to chilled bowl and beat until light. 8. Add beaten egg whites and cream. 9. Return to tray and finish freezing. If mixture separates after it is partly frozen, remove to chilled bowl and beat again.



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