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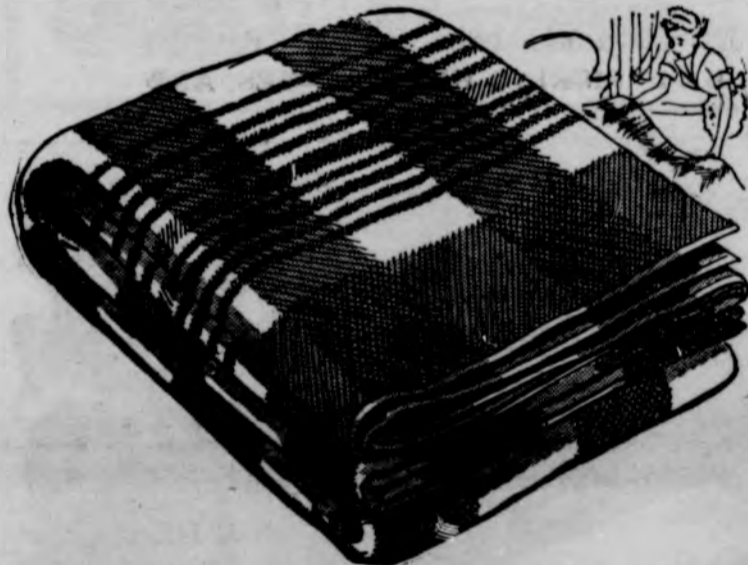
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**STANFIELD NEWS**

*By Mrs. Rose Hedrick*  
Jimmy Nudo, seaman first class, arrived Sunday night from Portland to visit his sister, Mrs. Howard Hedrick, and to greet his many friends and relate his many experiences in his trip around the world and 16 months of service along with Carl Mollsted, who also is here on furlough and will return to service October 2.  
Jack Rice and Bobby Ableman will go to Spokane the end of the week for examination and expects to enter naval training at Farragut, Idaho.  
Glenn Norton, superintendent of the city schools here, reports the enrollment on the increase. In the first eight grades there are 236 and 61 more in the high school. There are two classes in band under the direct-

ion of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon. Six-man football is in full swing with 16 signed up. Billie Miller has been elected captain and the team will have a practice game at Echo Tuesday night and a scheduled game at Ione on Friday, September 24.  
Charles Huxoll is here on furlough from a camp in Arkansas to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huxoll.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Logue and family, who have been here the past two years, moved their household goods to Portland Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laurence and son Melvin of Portland were week end visitors here.  
Miss Estlier Fredrecksan returned last week to Seattle to work after spending the summer here with her eight grades there are 236 and 61 more in the high school. There are two classes in band under the direct-

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sion unit had 20 out to their first meeting and a full year's work was outlined for the group and presented by the president, Mrs. George Campbell, aided by Mrs. Dorothy McPhetridge, secretary. Eight sewing machines have been promised for the meeting on October 23, which will be conducted by Mrs. Myrtle Carter. Sewing machine repair, will be discussed at the all day session with lunch at noon.

The first meeting of the Stanfield Women's Study club this fall was held at the home of their president, Mrs. C. E. Fisk. Mrs. William Reeves will give the current events and Mrs. J. M. Richards will review the play, Springtime with Henry.

Mrs. Andy Cleghorn suffered a bad fall at her home a week ago and is now confined to her home.  
Kenneth Beebe drove to Celilo Sunday, bringing back salmon for his wife to can. Mrs. Roy Duncan put 30 pounds in the locker.

Victor Davis, who terminated at the U.O.D. a week ago, is using his leisure time catching trout out of the drain ditch and each day has obtained his limit.

Mrs. Fred Shelton and Mrs. Earl Phelps and Caroline are taking a vacation at Hiway Springs this week.  
Mrs. Jake Rueber returned Sunday night from a week's visit in Portland.

(Too late for last week)

Loren Miller and Kenneth Gregory left last Saturday night for Fort Douglas training center near Salt Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Meyers and son Rene will travel for a while to benefit the condition of Rene's health. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duncan are making definite repairs to their home purchased last year. Larry Dewing also has given his home the second coat of white paint. L. E. Hughes is putting in a shower bath and is having their home completely modernized.

Mrs. Lowell Caplinger and son Dicky spent the first of the week at the H. L. Hedrick home.

On September 7 at the Hermiston hospital a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson. This is their seventh child, two are in school.

On September 8th at the LaGrande hospital a girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Norton. Mrs. Norton and nine year old son and baby will be at home by October 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Russell and son left Monday for the latter's home in Weatherford, Texas, where Mr. Russell expects to enter the army.

The Trail Dusters enjoyed the hospitality of the Kistners at their farm home on September fifth.

Mrs. Emma Harkey arrived Tuesday afternoon for an extended stay at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Hedrick. She has been with her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Cunningham, for the past six years, in Wyoming, Colorado, Alabama and in California, and feels that Stanfield is still the friendliest spot.

Carl Mollsted, seaman first class, arrived from New York City on September 14, and will enjoy his furlough here with his mother and sister, Mrs. Martha Mollsted and Mildred Mollsted. Jimmy Nudo who entered the navy 15 months ago with Carl is on furlough at the home of his mother, Elizabeth Saltillo in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bliss enjoyed the visit of Mrs. Laird of Pasco over the week end. She is employed by the Dupont Co. and her husband, Mrs. Bliss' youngest brother, is in the service at the Pasco naval base.

Karl Krause if the Pasco base visited his parents in Stanfield last week end.

Henry Potenski has completed his harvest work and visited his mother, Nanny Potenski, last week end.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this method of thanking the good people of Hermiston, Hanby's camp, my friends at the box factory, his fellow workers and everyone for their kindness and sympathy in the loss of our dear husband, father and grandfather. May God bless each and everyone of you. Thank you for the beautiful flowers.

Mrs. P. C. Short and Wanda,  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finch and Children,  
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Shoemaker and Children.



**Wilting Method for Silage Is Suggested**

Experiment, Extreme Care Needed to Make It Work

By C. W. BENDER  
(Professor Dairy Husbandry, Rutgers University.)

In view of the high price of molasses and the scarcity of phosphoric acid for preserving silage, the wilting method of ensiling legumes, grasses and cereals—a method requiring practically no preservatives—sounds good.

The wilting method will work, but it also takes experimental control and extreme care to make it work.

**Moisture Content Excess.**

Farmers experienced at making grass silage know that mold accumulations, caused by air pockets or air leakage in the silo, often occur



even when the silo is filled with material having a moisture content of 72 to 78 per cent.

Yet materials with this amount of moisture pack more readily and develop more pressure than grasses with lower moisture content, and the wilting method calls for wilting down the green material to a moisture content of only 65 to 68 per cent. Thus there is a greater danger of mold when the wilting method is used.

Secondly, some type of apparatus is necessary to determine the exact moisture content of the green material.

How long it takes to wilt the material down to the proper moisture content cannot be determined in advance. One thing is certain: There will be many delays in filling the silo, thus increasing the danger of mold and high temperatures, both of which tend to destroy nutrients.

**Fill Silo Three-Fourths.**

The silo must be filled more than three-fourths full with wilted green material within two days. The material must be evenly distributed and well tramped. Filling should be continued on the third day, using high moisture grasses or legumes to which a preservative has been added so that sufficient pressure is generated to exclude the air from the partially wilted mass. Delays in filling beyond this period may ruin the silage, a fact which has been learned by many farmers.

Furthermore, the wilting of a green crop destroys carotene. The longer the period of wilt the more carotene is lost, an important consideration in producing milk of excellent quality.

**Trap That Hornfly**

Dairy cows will not produce at maximum when infested with hornflies.

The flies cause loss in milk production because they suck cows' blood, and their annoyance often causes cattle to refuse to graze. Hence, they do not get their fill of grass which is the best milk producer, and it takes a part of the feed which otherwise would go to production of milk to replace the blood.

Some investigators claim that during seasons of abundance hornflies are responsible for losses of one-quarter to one-half of the normal milk production. Moreover, annoyance by the flies during milking might lead to contamination of the milk with consequent lowering of its quality.

Sprays, which many dairymen use, will keep flies off cattle during milking and for an hour or more afterward. But this does not prevent loss in milk production. However, a cattle fly trap used as a gateway to and from water, feed, or other frequented places, has been found effective for the control of hornflies on many dairies, farms and ranches.

**Farm Notes**

Hens that have started to lay have a large, moist vent and a soft pliable abdomen.

New York ranks fourth to Texas, Wisconsin, and Missouri in the egg-drying industry, with 18 million pounds produced in five plants.

Goats respond well to good pasturage if the land is reasonably dry. They also do well on rough ground if enough feed is present.

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**P. I. TO HOLD 4-H AND OPEN EXHIBIT OF FAT LIVESTOCK**

For the second year the Pacific International Livestock exposition has arranged a fat stock show for Portland October 6, 7 and 8, which will be held in the North Portland stickyards and will be confined entirely to stock which will be sold immediately following the show.

While the bulk of the exhibitors are expected to be 4-H club members, there are also extensive open classes for regular livestock producers. Last year about 175 4-H club members from Oregon and Washington exhibited at the show, according to L. J. Allen, assistant state club leader for Oregon and in charge of livestock clubs.

The club members this year will have dormitory quarters in the top floor of the Livestock Exchange building, operated by the Portland Union Stockyards company. The 4-H activities, however, will be centered in Camp Plummer, which will be under the general supervision of H. C. Seymour, state club leader in Oregon.

The first forenoon of the show will be devoted to livestock judging, with contestants limited to those club members who are exhibiting, while in the afternoon showmanship and fitting contests will be held. Official judging of exhibits will be done the second day, followed by the annual auction sale, starting at 10 o'clock on the third day.

"Sandy" Keith of Spokane is auctioneer. The judging committee this year consists of Alec McDonald, University of California at Davis, cattle; C. W. Hickman, University of Idaho, hogs, and O. M. Nelson, Oregon State college, sheep. E. L. Potter, O.S.C., is superintendent of the 4-H fat stock judging contests, and R. L. Clark of Portland is superintendent of the fat stock show and auction sale.

While the regular Pacific International has to be discontinued during

the war, this fat stock show allows for the continuation of an educational program, particularly for club members, without in any way increasing transportation of livestock, as they have to be marketed anyhow, says Allen. The club members are contributing well to the food-for-victory program and deserve this encouragement, he says.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, has been appointed administratrix of the Estate of Olin Ritchie, deceased, in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present such claims, duly verified with proper vouchers attached, to the undersigned at the office of Raley, Kilkenny & Raley, at 101 S. E. Byers Avenue, Pendleton, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice, the same being dated and published for the first time this 9th day of September, 1943.

GENEVIEVE RITCHIE, As Administratrix of the Estate of Olin Ritchie, Deceased.  
RALEY, KILKENNY & RALEY  
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