

GENERAL FARM NEWS OF KLAMATH EMPIRE

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FARM PAGE



KLAMATH SHEEP MEN REAP BIG CROP OF LAMBS

Indications Point to a Total of 100,000 for this Year Spring

Klamath wool growers are elated over the large crop of lambs. Lambing of farm crops has been completed and range flock lambing is under way.

In farm flocks, lamb production has been approximately 100 per cent and in range flocks indications point to a production of between 90 per cent and 100 per cent.

This will mean—in round numbers—that Klamath's spring crop of lambs will be approximately 100,000. 20 per cent of which is included in farm flocks, and 80 per cent in range flocks. Range flocks are now on lambing ranges. Steel Swamp district, Clear lake district, Horsety district and on the Klamath Indian reservation.

Why Not Sell Purebreds?

There isn't one farmer in a hundred who doesn't know that good purebred stock would improve his herds and flocks. But to buy a purebred sire is more trouble than getting rid of quick grass.

LAND PREPARED FOR POTATOES

Wheat Sowing Is Under Way; Klamath Ranchers Are Active

Activity on Klamath farms is at a high peak. Farmers are busily preparing land for potatoes and grain.

Sowing of wheat is under way, and will be followed shortly by sowing of oats, barley and rye.

According to present indications, the wheat crop, owing to flooded conditions on Tule lake, will be below normal while the other grain crops will be correspondingly larger.

We Water Young Trees.

We find it an easy matter to carry young trees through their first hot dry summer by making a basin-shaped depression around the trunk and pouring a bucket of water into this late in the afternoon. We put some hay or straw around the trunk to retard evaporation. It doesn't require much water this way. Mrs. Irvin Pickle, Texas.

Harrowing winter wheat in spring, unless it is weedy, was profitable in results at the eastern Oregon experiment station. It reduces yield and retards ripening. If winter wheat is harrowed in spring it is best done when the soil is not badly crusted or when crust has been softened by rain.

MARTIN BROS. NOW MAKING CHICKEN FEED

Local Millers Have Plan for Putting Out Anchor Brand

As a result of the steady increase in the poultry industry in Klamath county, another industry—the manufacture of poultry feeds—has been started in Klamath Falls.

Martin Brothers, owners and operators of the Martin Brothers' mill, have recently completed the construction of a modern mill adjacent to the flour mill where their Anchor brand of poultry feed is now being manufactured on a large scale.

They have installed the latest machinery for the poultry feed business and poultry raisers who have used their Anchor products declare their flocks are showing splendid progress.

One feature of the Anchor poultry products is the fact that wherever possible, Klamath county products are used in the manufacture of the feeds.

Martin Brothers are featuring the Anchor starting mash, growing mash, egg mash, scratch and chick scratch, as well as cracked corn.

In order to obtain a Klamath product manufactured under ideal conditions, Klamath county poultry raisers should start their flocks on the Anchor starting mash and chick scratch, now that their baby chicks are leaving the brooder houses and beginning their steady and certain growth toward production.

The chicks will then become accustomed to the Anchor feeds and will thrive just that much better when they are placed on the growing mash and later on the egg mash when egg production gets under way.

A Klamath concern that makes a Klamath brand of poultry feeds will be a big aid to the industry in the county.

Rodent Control Work Postponed

Rodent control work on Klamath farms has been held up temporarily by bad weather which has sent the pests back into their subterranean homes until warmer weather.

A campaign of extermination of the pests will be waged through the county agent's office. Farmers will be asked to undertake the poisoning operations.

In event ranchers refuse to poison the pests, the county agent's office will handle the poisoning and the cost will be assessed against the ranch lands. Due notice of such action would be given.

According to word received by County Agent C. A. Henderson this morning, the Southern Pacific railroad company has promised to carry on control operations on its right of way in Klamath.

USES FOR CRANK-CASE OIL
I use waste oil from the tractor and from the automobile crank case for lubricating most farm machinery. It is too thin for engine use but where a squirt can be used about machinery it is of immense value and saves buying oil otherwise needed from time to time.

By pouring off the top oil a heavy residue remains. It put this thicker oil into a container and apply with an old broom or brush to all kinds of farm implements to keep them from rusting. It works well on plow shares harrow teeth and all outside metal parts about the farm machinery.

H. S. Pennsylvania, Farm & Fireside, April, 1927

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NEW CROPS TO BE INTRODUCED

Demonstration Work to Be Carried on in Klamath County

Plans are under way for starting the most complete and comprehensive crop demonstration work ever held in Klamath county. It was announced this morning by County Agent C. A. Henderson.

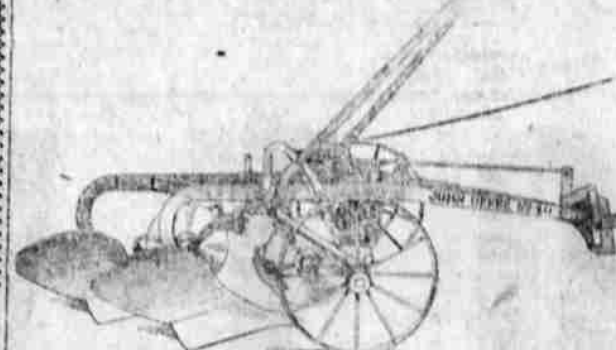
The work will be carried on through the extension service of the Oregon Agricultural college and will be supervised by Wray Lawrence, assistant county agent.

Crop demonstration will be conducted on field peas, vetch, five or six varieties of oats, forage, barley and wheat.

FARM POINTERS.

For spring sowing in eastern Oregon barley produces most grain. Marjont and Peruvian varieties have given high yields at Moro, and Trebi and Hannechen have been the highest yielding varieties at the Union station.

Markton, an early oat, has given high yields in eastern Oregon. It is immune to covered smut, and ordinarily does not have to be treated. Three-grain, golden rain and silvermine have also given high yields in sections of eastern Oregon.



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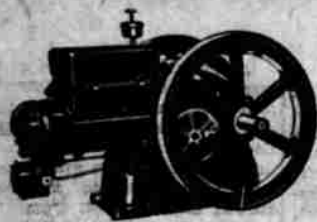
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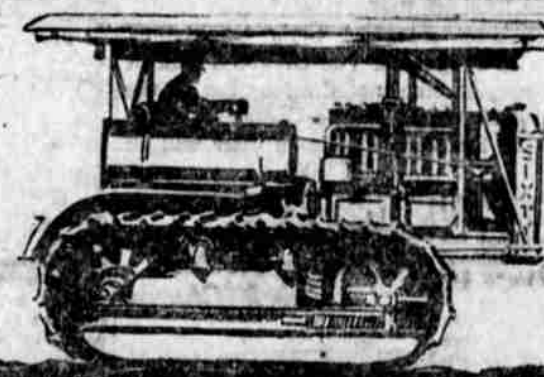
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