

FARM NEWS

Weed Control Interest Need For Success

BAKER, Ore., March 17, (UP)—A group of 45 Baker county farmers who attended a recent county weed conference sponsored by County Agent P. T. Fortner, agreed that compulsory weed control measures are not economically sound and that the only solution to the weed problem in the county lies in development of voluntary and individual interest in the question.

The organization of small voluntary weed control districts limited to about a section in which neighbors would cooperate by adopting approved weed control practices on their farms was approved. Such a plan would involve the signing of an agreement and the adopting of a weed control program covering a period of years by each farm owner on the section.

A survey of the weed situation conducted by Fortner showed that Baker county has 20 bad weeds, the five worst of which are Canada thistle, quack grass, white top, fan weed and morning glory. Clean summer fallow, coupled with another smother crop, was recommended as the best means of control.

The weed conference also brought out the fact that white top is a much more serious weed than Canada thistle in Baker county, and steps were taken to have each community represented at the conference make a survey for infestation of this pest.

Crested Wheat Grass Is Tried In Lake County

LAKEVIEW, Ore., March 17, (UP)—Two Lake county stockmen, Stanley Hanson of Union district and Walter Leehman of the Idaho district, recently obtained some crested wheat grass for trial under dry land conditions.

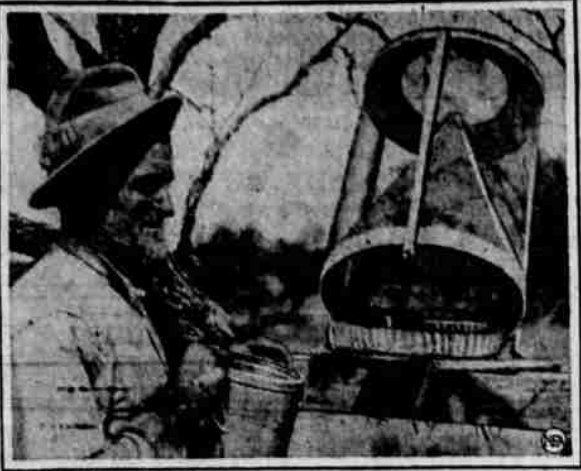
Each of these men own range land which can economically be seeded to this grass if a local supply can be established.

A POOR YEAR

According to the North Carolina State college extension service, farmers of that state received \$42,760,250 less money during 1936 than they did in 1935. Last year the net farm income was about \$62,000,000, as compared with \$104,470,000 in 1935.

NEW SPRING WHEAT
A new spring wheat, "progress," developed by the University of Wisconsin, is becoming popular with state farmers because it is highly resistant to the fusarium scab and black stem rust.

Fly Trap Ridding State Of Deadliest Cattle Pest



Bob Chapman of Brady, Tex., sets up a screw-worm fly trap on his ranch.

By NEA Service

BRADY, Tex., March 17.—A special fly trap to catch the deadliest of all livestock scourges, the screw-worm fly, is being used with considerable success by Texas ranchmen.

This fly, which ranges throughout this state, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona and southern California, is sure death to cattle. It attacks. It lays its eggs in a bruise or wound of the animal. These eggs hatch and the screw-worm bores into the animal, killing it within a short time unless rapid treatment is administered. The eradication of this fly has

long been a problem. The fly trap now in use seems to be a partial solution. It is conically shaped and made of screen wire. It is placed in a shady nook of a tree.

The flies are lured by means of a piece of rotting meat placed into a metal container under the trap. After feeding on the bait the fly ascends into the trap, lured to its doom by a stream of light which shines from above through the lid of the contraption.

As many as 100,000 flies are caught by a single trap in one season.

also expected that an insecticidal plant industry will be developed on the islands to supply this product to the United States.

The National Forest reservation commission has approved the purchase of 254,022 acres for national forests. The authorized purchase cover 290 tracts in 26 units lying in 9 states east of the Great Plains. The purchase involves an obligation of \$1,186,159.

Transplant your sugar beets for an increased yield. The U. S. Department of Agriculture finds that such a procedure results in an increase from one to eight tons an acre. The department's circular 156-C describes the method of transplanting.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture, after extensive experiments, has found that copper carbonate is most satisfactory for controlling smut in wheat. Copper chloride and copper oxychloride control smut, but are too corrosive for general use in drills, it has been found.

Good Turkey Year Forecast By Economist

SALEM, Ore., March 17, (UP)—Prospects for a successful year for turkey producers throughout the west in 1937 are seen by L. E. Kline, economist of the Nevada Agricultural Extension service.

Kline cites factors considered favorable to a good year. Stocks on hand January 1 of this year, he said, were the lowest since 1917 and imports which last year amounted to only 2 per cent of the United States production, were expected to be low again.

He warned producers against too rapid expansion without due consideration to extension of market demands. However, he feels that this season growers should have fair prices and an eager demand.

Flax Seed And Artichokes Tried

HEPPNER, Ore., March 17, (UP)—Several Morrow county farmers are trying out flax for seed and artichokes in hope of finding a profitable crop to replace wheat in the dry-farming regions.

County Agent C. W. Smith, who arranged the demonstration trials, said that both of these crops were tried out in the foothill sections of the county many years ago with satisfactory results. The seed flax, if successful, will be used as a cash crop, and the artichokes will be grown for hog and dairy cow feeds.

TRIES EXPERIMENT
CORVALLIS, Ore., March 17, (UP)—W. L. Powell of Kiger Island is trying out applications of sodium chlorate to kill maple stumps, according to C. R. Briggs, county agent.

COSTLY PEST
The U. S. department of agriculture estimates that the annual loss of the corn growers of the country due to the corn earworm is \$40,000,000.

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Landplaster Alfalfa Effect Tried in State

DALLAS, Ore., March 17, (UP)—In an attempt to discover whether landplaster applied to alfalfa will give results similar to those obtained from applying superphosphate, six Polk county farmers are cooperating with County Agent J. R. Beck this year in establishing demonstration trials with these materials.

Superphosphate increased alfalfa yields on three farms in the county last year as much as 200 per cent, and it was hoped that landplaster would give similar returns with lower costs.

Superphosphate On Potatoes Is Called Big Aid

ST. HELENS, Ore., March 17, (UP)—As a result of successful trials carried on in Columbia county during the past few years using superphosphate on potatoes and root crops, several tons of this material have been ordered for farmers of the county this year by County Agent George A. Nelson.

A combination of barnyard manure, lime and superphosphate seems to give maximum results on these crops as well as on legumes, Nelson says.

The veterinary field is one profession that is not crowded, and Dr. John R. Mohler, chief of the bureau of animal industry, U. S. department of agriculture, says there is a promising future in it.

Peru is the oldest petroleum producing country in South America, and petroleum is its most important mineral product.

MAUDE FILSON HAS BIRTHDAY

MRS. O. O. WINGFIELD

TENNANT, Calif., March 17, (Special)—Little Miss Maude Ann Filson celebrated her sixth birthday Saturday by entertaining about twenty of her little girl and boy friends at the Filson home on C street. The little folks played games out of doors, the weather being fine after which Mrs. Filson assisted by her niece Gertrude Parker served refreshments of ice cream and birthday cake, the favors being all-day suckers trimmed up with frills to look like little dolls. Miss Maude Ann received many pretty and useful gifts.

Mrs. F. B. Willbanks entertained the Tennant Lady Klubs club on Wednesday afternoon at her home on A street. After the business of the club was attended to the ladies enjoyed an hour of bridge, after which Mrs. Willbanks served refreshments of cake and frozen parfait. Those who enjoyed the afternoon were Mesdames C. W. Murphy, R. B. Hawkins, S. C. Pennell, F. M. Willbanks, Dale Beeson and F. B. Willbanks.

Mrs. P. M. Filson entertained the afternoon bridge club Thursday afternoon at her home on C street, two tables being in play. Mrs. Filson served refreshments of chocolate cream pie and coffee. Those at the club were Mesdames F. B. Willbanks, S. C. Pennell, I. W. Reddington, Robert Caster, Dale Beeson, C. E. Kingsley, Geo. Murphy and F. M. Filson.

Born, Sunday March 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Jose Gouyale, a son.

Mrs. John Dollarhide and son Morris spent the week end at Klamath Falls, Ore.

Mrs. J. H. McMichael left the first of the week for a few days

visit with friends at Dunsmuir, Calif.

Mr. Floyd Nolte, who has been away for some months returned to camp Sunday to resume his work at Camp one, Modoc.

Mrs. C. A. Marshall and son Russell of Malin, Ore., Miss Clara Oppenud, Miss Regina Diskin and Earl Diskin of Klamath Falls, Ore., spent the week end in camp visiting friends.

Mrs. E. D. McDonald, son Wayne McDonald and daughter, Mrs. J. E. Borgina, motored to Klamath Falls, Ore., Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Sheppard have purchased a fine new Hupmobile car of which they are justly proud.

HENLEY P. T. A. MEETING HELD

Mrs. E. A. Hamilton

HENLEY, Ore., March 17, (Special)—The Henley meeting of the P. T. A. was held at the Henley Grade school Tuesday afternoon, March 16. The regular business meeting was dispensed with. The program for the afternoon was in the charge of Mrs. C. S. Thompson with Art as the subject. A short skit was put on by the grade school, followed by an illustrated talk on Art by Rev. Wire of Klamath Falls. The next meeting the fathers as well as the mothers are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served by a special committee. The election of officers will also be elected for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Storm and son left for their home near Chico, Calif., Thursday. Mr. Storm has been a prominent dairyman of this county for the

past years, handling only registered Holstein cattle.

Mrs. Ira Orem and son Harry have been quite ill with the flu for the past week, but are feeling better at the present time.

Miss Elizabeth Hess, who is attending Mayer and Walker business college at Portland, Ore., visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hess of Pine Grove over the week-end.

Irwin Campbell and Lawrence Campbell motored to Langell Valley and returned with a Fordson tractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Johnson called at the Sam Inman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kuntz have been quite ill with the flu for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Birch called on his brother, Nick Birch, and his family who reside near Malin, Sunday.

Mrs. Clai Haley, Mrs. B. H. Hamilton, Mrs. V. P. Myers with a delegation of ladies from Merrill and Klamath Falls attended the convention of the R. N. A. at Ashland, Saturday, March 7.

Miss Mary McComb visited at the home of her father, V. A. McComb Monday.

Mrs. Cecil Cheyne is ill with a bad case of flu at the Cheyne ranch home.

Mr. Snow of Klamath Falls called at the B. H. Hamilton home Thursday.

Neva Hamilton was absent from school Thursday on account of illness.

"The Junior Class play entitled 'Blundering Billy' will be given at the Henley Gym March 27.

WASHINGTON, March 17, (AP)—The recess appointment of Judge James Alger Fee of Pendleton, Ore., as the second federal judge for Oregon, was urged on President Hoover today by Senators McNary and Steiwer.

Judge Fee of the Umatilla county circuit court, was nominated before congress adjourned, but a senate filibuster prevented confirmation.

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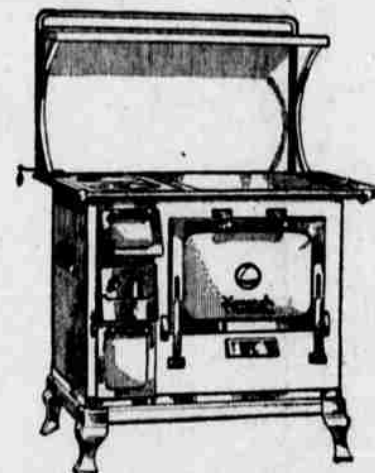
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