

National Potato Letter--

Spud Picture Unchanged; Demand Slack, Shipments Slow At First Of Year

Supply
We just about had our say on supply last week. There is nothing new in the picture. Most folks have been digesting the December final crop report and trying to decide what, if anything, it may mean to the remainder of the marketing season.

Movement
As was expected, shipments fell off sharply during Christmas week, down 751 to 2916 from the 3667 of the preceding week.

Demand and Markets
Maine reports that the demand is slow improving to moderate, the market dull to firm and stronger, and prices up 15 to 20 cents at 15 cents over the floor.

Klamath Potato Growers To Meet On January 12th

By WALT JENDRZEJEWSKI
Monday, January 12, is the annual meeting date for the Klamath Potato Growers' association.

Terminal reports show Chicago demand light, the market steady to firm after strengthening, New York unsettled with firm to stronger tendency.

Miscellaneous
Maine is reported still in trouble with the power supply, with warehouses and starch factories working nights.

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Agricultural Activities Around The Klamath Basin

Rains which have washed across Oregon the first week of 1948, causing disaster in other parts of the state, have been only beneficial in Klamath basin.

With higher than normal winter temperatures now, the usual ground has been free of frost and open to absorb the soaking rains.

Growers who have not made arrangements for allotments of fertilizer should do so immediately.

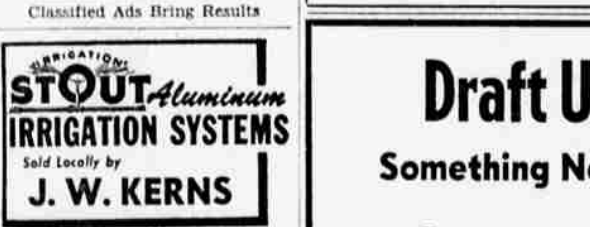
Potato seed should be purchased now before the best is all gone. Certified seed is fairly scarce and the market is strong.

Egg Grading Law Gets Backing

PORTLAND, Jan. 8 (AP)—More strict enforcement of Oregon's egg grading laws had the support today of the Oregon Poultry council.

It's A NEW YEAR

They say a leopard can't change his spots—but at least here's a new picture of an old face.



Eradication Of Cattle Grubs Ups Milk Production And Adds Weight To Beef

By JIM ELINGS
The season for the control of one of the more destructive livestock parasites, cattle grubs, is approaching.

The timing of treatment of infested animals is determined by the first appearance of grubs, in the backs of the cattle.

Rotenone is one of the best, if not the best, insecticide for cattle grub control. It can be used either as a dust, wash, spray, or dip.

Cattle shipments to winter pasture in California have begun with the change in weather in the basin.

Dan and Mable Liskey, Poe valley ranchers, have returned from an extended vacation in 1947, the last months of which were spent at Laguna Beach, Calif., enjoying swimming and golfing.

The Willard Duncans, Merrill potato ranchers, spent New Year's Eve in Reno, after which Mrs. Duncan took a train for Oakland to be with her sister, who is ill.

Tulelake homesteaders, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Lindsey, spent New Year's Eve in Klamath Falls.

Ed and Walt Stastny are in Chicago on vacation from their ranch in Malin.

TO EACH HIS OWN—For each city dweller in the United States, farmers raise an average annual crop of one-fourth acre of wheat, one-eighth acre of cotton, and three-fourths acre of corn.

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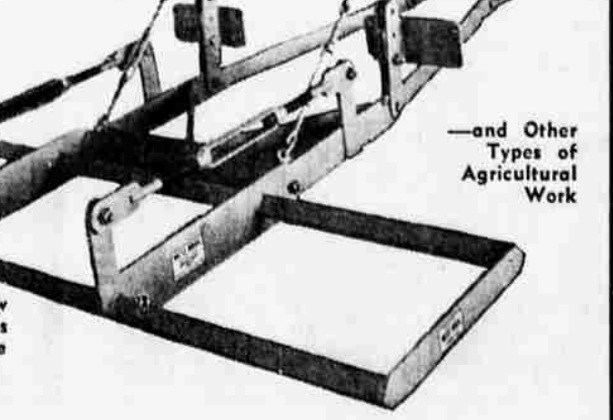
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4-H Leaders Slate January Meeting

The Klamath County 4-H Leader association will have its monthly meeting January 10 at 1:30 at the chamber of commerce, Francis A. Skinner, county club agent, announced.

Members of Mrs. Lawrence Martz' cooking club of Fairhaven will put on a demonstration for the benefit of the leaders.

January 27 to 29 has been set for the state conference of 4-H club leaders in Corvallis. Plans and arrangements for this conference will be discussed.

Election of officers, discussion of home economics judging, and livestock project work are also on the program, Skinner said.

Republicans Set Up Committees

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (AP)—Marching for the republicans national convention was virtually completed today with the naming of committees on rules, contests and convention call.

Clarence Buddington Kelland, author and national committeeman for Arizona, was named chairman of rules, Ezra Whitla, Idaho, chairman of contests, and Governor Ralph Gates of Indiana, chairman of convention call.

Chairman Carroll Reece of the national committee announced the appointments.

Footstool Class Held

The first of a series of 15 footstool workshops to be conducted by the county home extension service was held at Merrill in the Presbyterian church annex on January 5 and 6, 1948.

Special training in upholstery technique such as the lacing of webbing and tying of springs was explained by Mrs. Myrtle Carter, clothing and home furnishings specialist, from Oregon State college.

Additional information on padding, wetting and covering was given by Helen P. Stine, county home demonstration agent.

The remaining workshops will be held at Bly, Bonanza, Olene, Chiloquin and at the county experimental farm located near the airport. Visitors are welcome.

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