



MUSKRAT HOUSE on Tule Lake. Wild game birds find nesting conditions favorable on the houses. Muskrats keep marsh areas open for birds when they feed on stalks of bullrushes and cattails.

### Hutton Replaces Allen In 4-H; Home Ec Changes

New state leaders for Oregon's 25,000 4-H club boys and girls and nearly 15,000 members of home economics extension units throughout the state were recently approved by the state board of high education.

Burton Hutton, state 4-H agent for the past four years and a member of the Oregon State college extension staff for 12 years, will become state 4-H leader Sept. 1. He will succeed L. H. "Doc" Allen who has submitted his resignation effective Sept. 1. Allen has been on the OSC 4-H staff for 37 years.

### Coveted Award Goes to OSC

OREGON STATE COLLEGE — Outstanding research in dairy bacteriology, including significant cheese making, has brought the annual OSC Sigma Xi award to Dr. Paul R. Elliker, acting chairman of the Oregon State college bacteriology department and experiment station bacteriologist.

Dr. Elliker has been named as honorary lecturer for 1952 for the national science society. This is considered as the most coveted science award made on the campus.

**VD RATE REDUCED**  
HEIDELBERG, Germany (AP) — Venereal disease, once the U. S. Army's biggest headache in Germany, has been reduced to an almost "inconsequential" problem, Army authorities say. The rate of infection has dropped steadily until today it is only 20 per cent of the 1946 rate.

**NEW RUNWAY**  
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in Multnomah, Umatilla and Marion counties. A native of Chehalis, Wash., she graduated from College of Puget Sound and received a masters degree from Oregon State college. She has also taken graduate work at Cornell and Columbia universities.



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