AROUND THE FARMBY DON COIN WALROD COUNTY Extension Agent

Columbia county sheep growers will be interested to know that they will be able to receive assistance hereafter whenever they have difficulties with predators. This assistance can be obtained by notifying our office whenever losses occur or when- cases this dying has been the reever predators are seen in the area.

This arrangement for assistance in predator control has been worked out by members of the Columbia County Court in cooperation with a committee of the Columbia County Livestock Association and a committee of the Columbia County Farm Bureau.' Members of various Granges also discussed this matter in their meetings and gave the program their support. S. H. Hansen and Mel Smith, representatives for the predator control branch of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, met with the county folks to work out a program of control for the coming year.

Some of the folks who spent considerable time discussing, planning, and working on the program of predator control are: George and John Poysky; Roy Engbretson; Jess Lewis; Ronald Hein, Warren; George Cowles, Rainier; and Loren Johnson, Scappoose. Many others also worked on the problem.

Farrell West will be serving Columbia county as trapper. Farrell has a good reputation as a trapper, and folks who have used his service report that they have been well pleased with the work that he does. Funds to pay for the predator control program are provided by the county, through the county court and budget committee, by the state through the State Game Commission, and the federal government through the Fish and Wildlife Service.

Funds provided are not quite adequate to keep West working the entire year, but according to agreement he will be available all year long to do trouble-shooting whenever predators cause difficulty.

In addition to trouble-shooting when predators move in, West will maintain trap lines, and, even more important, he will conduct * a poisoning campaign during the winter season. This poisoning campaign will be closely controlled and will be limited to areas that are uninhabited or frequented by men or livestock. A small amount of poisoning was carried on in this and other counties last year and apparently will be a big success. Special poisons such as 1080 (sodium fluoracetate) and special techniques are used to protect fur bearing animals and attract only coyotes.

BLACK PEPPER

"Why are fir trees dying," is a question that has come to us rather frequently lately. Upon examination we find that these trees have started dying at the top and the condition gradually extends downward. In almost all sult of the working of the Douglas fir bark beetle.

We do not have a satisfactory means of control of this pest, but, if it is desirable to try to save the tree, cutting the tops out to a point below where the tree is dying may save it.

The tops of such trees that are cut off and any trees that are dying and not to be kept should be removed and burned so that the beetles are completely desto other trees.

Tree Recognition Leaflets Available on Request

Thirty species of trees common to Oregon are identified with drawings and brief descriptions in a one-page leaflet just published by Oregon State college extension service. A handy reference guide for outings or for distribution to visitors, the leaflet may also be used as a quiz sheet for study groups.

Copies of extension circular 567, "Oregon Tree Quiz-Key," are available from county exten sion agents or from the Oregon State college clerical exchange.

Automobile manufacturers have discovered that nearly 50% of those persons who think they want to buy the less expensive troyed. Otherwise they may move models wind up buying the best car in the line.

Jersey Club **Plans Picnic**

Plans are taking shape for the Jersey Club picnic to be held at Tom Herzog's place in Warren on Saturday, July 17, starting at 10:30 a.m. with a farm tour. This program, which is sponsored by the Columbia County Jersey Club, will include a slipping and fitting demonstration and dairy showmanship instructions, led by Don Anderson. Also, a dairy judging contest with the vocational agriculture instructors in charge, and a de-horning demonstration by Don Walrod, Columbia County Extension Agent, us-

ing an electric de-horner. All FFA and 4-H members are invited to this field day, which will offer excellent opportunities to get help on fitting and show-

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manship as well as practicing judging. There will be prizes for winners in the judging contest. Everyone should bring their own lunch. Ice cream will be furnished to all who attend.

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The sheep industry in Columbia county has a considerable potential-much greater than it is at the present time. Our climate and location makes many parts of the county ideal for the production of early spring lambs. Many of our farm are small but could be well adopted to a small farm flock of ewes. Feeder lambsnot in the usual feed lot - have worked out very well for folks on the bottom lands at Clatskanie and Rainier.

Many folks have said that they have either tried to raise lambs or would like to but because of the predator situation, they did not feel that it would be a profitable venture. From past experience, we feel that this will no longer be an obstacle now that a trapper is available to do troubleshooting and to work on predators moving down from the high country.

4-H Club Members Told to Register Now for Tour

The second annual 4-H home economics tour to Portland is scheduled for Thursday, July 15, according to Mrs. Margaret Allyn, home agent.

Places to be visited include the Nabisco Company, Oregon Worsted Mill, Foundation Worsted Mill and KOIN-TV Studios.

Any club members enrolled in a home economics club is eligible to attend. Lunch will be eaten at one of the parks.

All those going must register with the county extension office by Saturday, July 10.

Clearing the rear ledge helps prevent injuries in automobile accident. Safety experts agree that many injuries could have been prevented in accidents if the ledge had been cleared off and a sudden stop had not catapulted objects into the back of the driver's head.

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