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SCIENCE WINS VICTORY OVER SUGAR BEET BLIGHT—

ONE of the things which has caused the rapid advance of civilization is the fact that science can generally find a way when other means fail. A good example of this can be found in the case of sugar beets. A few years ago the sugar beet industry faced possible extinction, due to the ravages of the white fly. Crops were very uncertain, with one good crop followed by several poor yields and sometimes entire failures.

But plant scientists came to the rescue. They experimented for years and finally perfected the blight resistant sugar beet which is defeating the white fly and re-establishing the sugar beet industry in the mountain states. The Amalgamated Sugar company and the U. S. department experimenters are today growing 25 to 30 different varieties of beets—testing, watching results and perfecting strains of beets with fly resisting qualities, and at the same time breeding a type of beet with high sugar content.

In a test plot near Buhl, Idaho eight rows of the old type beets were planted between the new resistant strain of beets. These old type rows are uniformly blighted by the white fly, the tops shriveled and the beets are useless commercially. On either side of these failures are luxuriantly topped resistant beets. The resistant beets are said to have within one or two per cent the sugar content of the old style, to yield as many tons to the acre as the old style and to produce a sure crop as far as blight is concerned.

As a result of this advancement in seed culture, beets are again taking their place as a major crop in western irrigated agriculture. However less than 25 per cent of the sugar consumed in the United States is produced domestically, which means the acreage of beets can be increased several times over, and still the market will not be glutted. Beet acreage should be increased, and farmers, business men and laboring men are pleased with the successful beet crop in the Nyssa section this year, which means that many more hundreds of acres will be planted to this profitable crop next spring.

A beet growing community means fine, well improved country homes; well kept fields; increased valuation and money in circulation. Experts say the beet sugar industry has a potential buying power of \$100,000,000 annually and can be expanded to \$500,000,000 per year. There are approximately 46,823 farms growing sugar beets with 747,135 acres harvested last fall. Colorado has the largest acreage with 140,664, followed by Michigan, California, Nebraska, Montana, Idaho, Ohio, Wyoming and Utah.

NYSSA CROPS AS COMPARED WITH NORTHERN CALIFORNIA—

AT the risk of being tiresome, we should like to say a few words about a recent trip that took us through the northern half of California, including the famous Sacramento valley. For much of the distance there was growing crops on both sides of the road, but in our humble opinion, none of the crops could compare with those growing around Nyssa. Sugar beets looked poorer, hay shocks were smaller and farther apart, corn was shorter and the land looked dry. We came back more than ever sold on Nyssa as a great agricultural country.

COMMENTS BY CLARK WOOD

The chap who has been sentenced on several counts, after a long trial, knows how it is to have settled convictions.

The millenium will have arrived when a presidential candidate make a speech acceptable to the opposition.

Governor Landon might have less difficulty in carrying the election if he did not also have to carry Hearst.

Squirts FROM THE LINOTYPE

By John E. Public

A new wrinkle in fire fighting is being developed by the forest service in Washington. In the remote wilderness areas of the Washington Cascade Range which cannot be reached economically by roads; and access by trail after fire has been discovered often requires many weary hours, the government will use seaplanes. These planes will carry four or five fire fighters and land on some nearby lake in a hurry, thus catching most fires while they are small. On account of the less rugged terrain in the Oregon mountains and consequent accessibility by roads, plane service thus far has been limited to the Washington district.

It isn't always those who discover a gold mine who make the money. Out in the little desert Nevada town of Jumbo is George Austin, postmaster of the town. He bought the Jumbo mine a few months ago from a discoverer, G. C. Staggs, for \$10,000. Since that time Austin and his family have been working the mine and panning out sufficient ore to net them \$500 a day. Recently they refused an offer of a quarter million for their ten thousand investment. Staggs sadly says that "the next time won't find me asleep."

Information from the Oregon State College is to the effect that the honey crop in Oregon is about normal this year. Eastern states report honey crops far below normal in most sections, which is expected to create a much stronger demand for Oregon honey this year.

The 1937 market outlook for animal products is comparatively favorable for most items, with the prospective supply smaller than in 1936, according to the current Agricultural Situation and Outlook report issued by L. R. Beithaupt, extension agricultural economist at Oregon State college.

The market outlook for dairy products is especially good, as the demand is growing stronger while the per capita supply of milk will probably be somewhat smaller during the next few years than during the immediate past. Indications are for some reduction in cow numbers by next January, and further improvement in factory payrolls, which should result in continued favorable prices.

Church News

M. E. COMMUNITY CHURCH

Necia E. Buck, W. C. T. U. speaker of note, will give an illustrated talk during the regular church hour. Mrs. Buck is said to have an inspiring personality, a strong message and knows how to deliver it. She will speak at the young people's meeting in the evening.



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LATERAL CONTRACT NEAR HOMEDALE UP FOR BID

Bids will be opened September 4th at 10 o'clock in Ontario on an excavation job on Succor creek division of the Owyhee project, the work being located near Homedale. The principal item is 86,100 cubic yards of all classes of excavation for laterals.

GIRL SCOUTS TO PICNIC IN CALDWELL

Next Monday morning at 11 o'clock the Nyssa Girl Scouts will meet at the Dick Tensen home and from there will go to Caldwell where they will join the Kolony troop in a picnic at the park.

Let Journal Ads Tell Your Story!

OPINIONS BY OUR READERS

Submitted by readers of The Journal and the opinions may or may not agree with the policy of The Journal. You are invited to send in your ideas on current questions.

WHAT P. M. WARREN SAYS—

Well, I am very glad the farmers are doing good, as Mr. Schafer says. I do hope he is right, as I believe the farmers have had the hard end for several years and if swapping presidents has made the change, why not swap again and maybe another swap would do better, as I do not think there is much difference in the last two presidents. I believe a handful of flour would make them look like twins.

Yours Truly,
P. M. WARREN

NEWS OF RECORD Real Estate Transfers Recorded

Ernest Kelsey to Rodger Anderson, Lots 1 and 2, Eldredge Add. to Vale. 1 7 36. \$18. (Q C Deed)

Julia E. Maxwell et al to I P Hart E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec 25-19-41. 8, 6, 36. \$20000.

E. L. Johnson et ux to Marcus J Pinney, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 8-21-46. 7, 18, 36. \$10.

Alice Shaw Johnson et vir to Marcus J Pinney, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 30, 17, 47. 7 17 36. \$10.

A F Boyer et ux to Ray D Boyer Lot 11, Block 16; Lots 18, 19 and 20, Block 254, Ontario; W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and part of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec 2-18-46. 5, 12, 1927. \$1.

Russell C. Kelley et ux to Chas C Riley, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec 23; and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 28-21-41. 8, 11, 36. \$1.

R M Horn et ux to Beatrice P Mayo, portions of Lots 5, 6, and 7, Block 19 Vale; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 20-30-44; part of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 20430-44; part of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 17-30-44; Lots 6 and 7, Block 61, Greens Add. to Nyssa. 8, 17, 36. \$10.

William Scott et ux to L J Montgomery E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 19-18-47. 9, 28, 34. \$350.

Ernamaliber Holding Co. to L J Montgomery, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 19 18, 47. 5 22 36. \$10

Robt D Lytle et al to Mary J Donahue N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 26-17-44. 8, 15, 36. \$608.75

John D Thomas et ux to Walter

Shimp et al Lots 18, 19, and 20, Block 202 Ontario 8-19-36. \$1.

L B. Frye et ux to Walter Shimp et al N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 10-18-47. 3, 21, 36 \$450.

L Belle Lees et vir to Fred Brinnon, Lots 16, 17, 18; Block 173 Ontario, 3 25 31. \$500.

Fred Brinnon to Earl Blackaby Lots 16, 17, and 18, Block 173, Ontario. 8 19 36. \$1.

R. N. Harvey et ux to Coast Land Co S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 1-31-41. 7, 30, 36 \$59.

J. D. Oxman et ux to J W Judy SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 10-16-43. 7, 7, 36. \$1

Roderick MacArthur to United States easement for telephone line over Sec 22-19-37. 3, 11, 35. \$1. Q C Deed

Malheur County to United States tracts of lands in Sections 21, 15, 11, 3 and 17, 18 44; Sec. 15-16-43; and Sec. 2-17-43. 3, 3, 34. \$1. Q C Deed

Malheur County to United States easement to construct telephone line over or along county road between Juntura and Beulah. 1, 10, 34. \$1. (Q C Deed)

L. E. Hammack et al to United States, tract of land in Sec. 9-16-43. 5, 14, 34. \$1. Q C Deed

Robert M. Duncan et ux to Charles Horn, Lots 11 and 12, Block 5, Hadleys 2nd add to Vale. 8, 20 36. \$10

Mrs. John Metcalf et vir to Mrs. Clara Grannis N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 26-17-44. 8, 14, 36. 51. Q C Deed.

John Grannis et ux to Mrs. Clara Grannis, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 26-17-44. 8, 19, 36. \$1. Q C Deed.

Ralph Grannis et ux to Mrs. Clara Grannis N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 26-17-44. 8, 13, 36. \$1. Q C Deed

Mrs. Clara Grannis to Roy L Grannis et al S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 26-17-44. 8 20 36. \$1. Q C Deed.

Marriage Licenses Issued
Raymond Thos. Sager and Crete Marie Foster 8, 21, 36.

Wilbur Edwin Shook and Gladys Irene Pederson 8, 21, 36.

James Albert Bailey and Mary Louise St. Arnaud. 8 21, 36.

Nelson Kneeland Ordway and Ernestine Johnson, 8, 22 36.

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Recent estimates1000
Elevation2186

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Nyssa Public Schools

Superintendent Leo Hollenberg

Facts About Owyhee Project

Cost of Owyhee Dam\$6,000,000
7 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles of Tunnel\$4,000,000
Siphons, canals, etc.\$3,000,000
Owyhee dam storage capacity.....
715,000 acre feet
Height of dam520 feet
From lowest point of foundation
to top.
Leading project city, Nyssa, Oregon
Elevation of land2,250 to 2,500
Acres in Owyhee project, 100,000 acres
Principal productshay,
corn, dairying, stock raising,
grains, potatoes, clover seed, peas,
lettuce, onions and carrots.

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