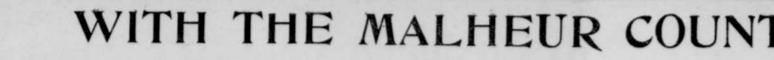
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FARM TOPICS

RENOVATING THIN PASTURE ADVISED

Seeding of Legumes May Be Solution of Problem.

By R. F. Fuelleman, Assistant in Crop Production, University of Illinois. WNU Service, Renovation of thin sods and bare

spots by means of scarification and the seeding of legumes may be the solution of the pasture problem on many farms.

Renovation is especially useful on pastures that should not be plowed or that have only small areas that are in need of attention. Such areas can be located this summer for treatment in the fall.

First step is to test the soil and apply needed limestone in the fall. Phosphates can be applied prior to scarification, which consists of tearing up the grass sod with a disc set at a sharp angle. 'The ground is then harrowed.

Usually the three dry weather legumes-alfalfa, sweet clover and red clover-are seeded along with some timothy. In most cases it Lofton and a playlet, "The Woman-will pay to firm the seed bed by less Wedding" by four boys. After rolling after the seeding. Grasses may be seeded in this process, but the prime objective of renovation is the establishment of deep rooted, drouth resistant, nitrogen gatheving legumes. Timothy is usually seeded with the legumes since it insures a greater percentage of grass during the first and second years than would ordinarily be present. After renovation it is well to manage the pasture in such a way that the legumes have an opportunity to reseed themselves.

This practice is not recommended on good pasture sods which may need only a little rest. Neither is it recommended for steep hillsides.

Hens Need Special Care During Summer Days

In summer weather, it is well to give some consideration to the hens, whether on range or in confinement, advises a poultryman in Wallaces' Farmer.

First, examine their quarters for mites. If any are present, get right after them with a good painting of the roosts with some anti-mite preparation. Hens can scarcely stand both mites and hot weather, much less lay eggs. Lice, too, should be exterminated if any are present. Another menace to the summer health of hens is the open corn crib. If a hen frequents the crib daily, she is spt to eat too much corn and to became too fat to lay, and perhaps so fat that she will drop dead. Many young peultry raisers, not notieing how their birds run to the crib, say: "I don't know what's the

L. E. Newgen stacked a large bent from 20 acres of alfalfa planted last spring with oats. Paul Ransome stacked 4 tons per acre the first cutting last spring

from alfalfa he planted in 1936. Jake Kollen also had an exceptiona yield of hay this year.

Walter Hillis and his father Dee

Hillis are stacking their 1938 seed-

ing of alfalfa which makes the sec-

ond culting on it since it was seed-

ed late last spring. Next week they

will mow 10 acres of the same seed-

GOOD HAY IN SUNSET

ing for the third time.

ELDARADO GRANGE HOLDS BOOSTER NIGHT

Approximately 150 people attend ed the Booster night program of Eldorado grange on Friday, Sept 30. 'The evening's entertainme opened with the officers drill, with officers wearing their new regalia a gift from the home economic club. The Flag was then placed and Worthy Master Floyd Howard gave a short address on the origin of the grange after which he turned the program over to the Worthy Lecturer, Bertha Boor who presented the following program: Reading of National Master Tabers address by Nina Nichols, reading by Mavis De Lamar, song by Myrtle Rose, reading by Wanda Nichols, accordian solo by Richard Lofton, playlet Ina Rose and Barbara Simmons, reading Lucy less Wedding" by four boys. After the program dancing was enjoyed and supper was served to everyone.

BUENA VISTA

C. S. Wyckoff called at the C. C. Wyckoff home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Florea, and and Ronny, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robbins were Sunday dinner guests at the H. L. Day home. The dinner being in honor of Alma Day's birthday. Lester Cleaver called in the

afternoon Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Topliff had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Goodell and family Mr. and Mrs. Jim Murphy, Mr. and night with Alma Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Day and Ronny, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Florea and Bob and Henry Day visited at the Alfred Scott home near Vale

B. F. Bratton spent last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. C. Wyckoff and family.

Loyd, George and Harold Boyles. grain are glad to see the pheasant unknown variety received when he Dwight, Dean and Burl Wyckoff at- season opened and would like very lifted a tool box Sunday evening. tended a party at the Bert Bratton much to see year round open season em Saturday evening on them.

Sunday night and Monday at the Corpse of the United States army Henry Day home.

Friday

Mr.and Mrs. Alva Goodell attend-lough and is staying with his bro-ed Booster night at the Oregon ther. Paul Gilbert who makes his Trail grange Wednesday.



MALHEUR COUNTY GRANGE CALENDAR

Boulevard Grange meets second and fourth Thursdays at 8:00 m. Frank Sherwood, Master.

Big Bend meets first and third Tuesdays at 8:00 p. m. H. R. Hatch, Master.

Vale Grange meets first and third Friday at 8:00 p. m. Ed Charles, Master.

Oregon Slope Grange meets first and third Thursdays at 8:30 p. m. James Danielson, Master.

Harper-Westfall Grange meets second and fourth Fridays at 8:00 p. m. Charles Belgarde, Master. Arock Grange meets second and fourth Saturday at 8:00 p. m. Ted Hon, Master.

Wild Rose Grange meets second and fourth Saturdays at 8:00 p. m. Arthur Antrium, Master.

Eldorado Grange meets second and fourth Fridays at 8:00 p. m. t Ironside. Floyd Howard, Master.

Snake River Grange meets first and third Tuesdays at 8:00 p. m. Mr. Parkinsen, Master. Kingman Kolony Grange meets second and fourth Mondays at 8:00 p. m. Mr. Anderson, Master.

Oregon Trail Grange meets second and fourth Wednesdays at 8:30 p. m. John Stamm, Master. Willowcreek Grange meets second and fourth Fridays at 8:00 p. m.

I. O. N. Grange meets first and third Fridays at 8:00 p. m. Noeman Mackenzie, Master. Jamieson Grange meets the first and third Wednesday of each month at 8:30 p. m. Ray Garrison, Master,

Tressa Ditty.

Nampa Saturday.

day

Tom Goodier of Adrian.

here when his assignment is ended Ercil Goodell spent Monday night in San Francisco next year. at the L. E. Topliff home.

Roger called at the A. P. Goodell brother John Vanderpool. ome Sunday evening Ed Mortenson was lucky in bring-Ercil Goodell and L. E. Topliff

Mr. Goodell going to Nebraska and

Sunday.

from her illness and will be able visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. school soon to go

poured for hisbasement.

called at the Damon Savage home Saturday night

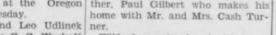
SUNSET VALLEY

Farmers with corn and other late a bite from a polsonous insect of

Wilfred Gilbert of the Medical

stationed at San Francisco arrived Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wyckoff and here Sunday for a six weeks fur-

Oscar Bratton and Leo Udlinek ner.



are theirs for many more years of happy active life together. Apple Valley held a reception for the teachers of Apple Valley school on Thursday evening at the school house. Many parents were present to meet the faculty. A short program was presented as follows: Song, America by the audience, Mrs. Lora Altig gave a humorous reading. Mrs. Poage sang "Forgot ten" Miss Hicks at the plano, Miss Anderson played a piano solo, Miss Anderson and Miss Hickey and Mr. Rupert and Mr. Ferguson and Ruth Burkes put on a funny skit, a due by Bonita Leigh and Velma Gray accompanied by Mrs. Leigh at the piano, Mr. Boston gave a talk on co-operation and Mr. Leigh welcomed the teachers. A song by the group concluded the program. Refreshments were served. Miss Underkofler was unable to attend but Mrs. W. W. Ballinger of Chaunte, her sister Mrs. Porter, who taught Mr.and Mrs. James Stephens and Kas., is visiting at the home of her in her place, was present. An hour or so was spent visiting. A vote given

by the group was in favor of reing home a deer last week from organizing the P. T. A. at Apple Valley. The ladies who sponsored the reception deserve the thanks of Miss Elizabeth Atkeson of Dillon, the community for a pleasant evening

> Mr. and Mrs. Levi Stephens went to Boise Saturday morning and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. Meltvedt.

Ralph Stephens has purchased a The Lester Kendall family were truck Sunday guests at the Ralph Gee Mr and Mrs Forrest Whistler and Mr and Mrs Melvin Hathaway en-

The Leslie Ditty and John Case joyed a fishing trip north of Mesa families, Miss Elizabeth Atkeson recently Mr and Mrs Ashby were visitors

ner guests at the C. A. Ditty home. in Caldwell Sunday Miss Yulah Vertrees and Miss Jake Kollen visited neighbors

Monday advocating better co-op- Virginia Schultz of Boise Busines eration among the farmers. We university spent the week end at hope he says plenty and makes it their homes in Apple Valley Bert and Lee Gibson of Caldwell convincing for that is what we need.

were attenting to business in this community the past week George Bailey sewed wood at the Andrew Ellerbrock and R S Mc-

Intyre places Saturday heavy showers Sunday The Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wolfe were in caught much alfalfa and red clover seed in the shock

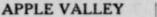
Mr. and Mrs. John Vanderpool. Lettuce fields are looking very Vern Wilson and A. R. Roberts at- good; if no more hot days come a tended to business in Vale Saturgood crop is expected Miss Milderd Fisher spent Sun-

Miss Hazel Huffman and brother day in Boise The Bob Edison family have mov-Charles of Owyhee visited Saturday at the A. R. Roberts home. ed to a place north of Parma.

John Case is suffering with a sev-

erely swollen hand and arm due to

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sparks Mr. and Mrs. Ora Newgen of Wilder were Sunday guests at the L. E. and baby aind Mrs. J. L. Sparks Newgen home. While there, they went to Boise on business Friday.



McCollum Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hicks celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. S. dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mil-Caldwell.

ler., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gee and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gee and son were guests. Mr. Hicks is quite active for Sunday his age but his sight and hearing are failing; however his memory is fine and Sunday he felt real well. Johnson. Mrs. Hicks is as jolly as ever, enjoys

doing her work and does a plenty but gets a lot of real pleasure out of doing it. Apple Valley can truly be proud of this fine couple and the best wishes of the entire community

PHONE 113



EVERY now and then a poultry raiser walks in and reports that his hens aren't doing so good in egg production. We switch them to Purina Layena, the complete laying feed, or Purina Lay Chow, the supplement to go with home grown grain, and in a short time those poultry raisers are back telling

ery were dinner guests of Mrs. Ida | Mrs. Poage has been elected superintendent of the Methodist Sun-Mr.and Mrs. Cedric Caldwell and day school here and Mrs. F. D. Mil-

family and Mr. and Mrs. Conley ler is secretary. Wilson and daughter were Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones and Mildred Leigh visited Milton Leigh Mr. Ray, Mr. Turner and Mr. Mil- in Wilder Monday.

ler went fishing at Owyhee dam We are glad to report that Bobby Vertrees, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Conley Wilson spent Emil Vertrees is steadily improving, Saturday night with Mrs. Glen He is at the Dixon Nursing Hon.e

in Nyssa.





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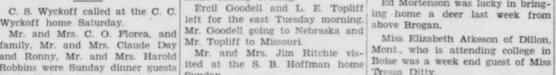
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ging a basement.

Irvin and Edward Topliff, Ray,

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Scott spent

spent Sunday at the C. C. Wyckoff ' Wilfred expects of make his home



Eris Jamison is much improved Mrs. 'Ira Chadd and daughters,

C. C. Wyckoff has the cement Leone Kuskee spent Wednesday home in Apple Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jin Murphy, Mr. Mrs. L. E. Tophil canet and Mrs. Alva Goodell and family, Mr. E. L. Jamison home Wednesday. Mrs. L. E. Topliff called at the and Jim Atkeson were Sunday din-Mr. and Mrs. James Stephens

Fred and Joe Stephens are dig-



In summer, some grief is caused by the broody hen. If not broken up immediately, broodiness almost always ruins a good layer. She will hold to the nest without laying, and will dwindle in size until weak. Some poultry raisers simply gather up their broody hens and sell them. But, if what a culler once said at one farm is true, that policy is unwise. He said, "Your hens have almost culled themselves. The best ones have gone to sitting."

matter with my hens; they are dy-

tng so!" Their grandmothers prob-

ably could tell them that the trouble

To break up broodiness, place the hens in a slat-bottomed coop so that the pir can circulate under it. Offer the birds plenty of mash and fresh water.

Hog Cholera

Cholera is to hogs what blackhead is to turkeys, except that hog growers are luckier than turkey growers in that one can vaccinate against hog cholera, whereaes this cannot be done for turkeys, advises a writer in the Missouri Farmer. Blackhead can be prevented by an operationthe blind intestines can be tied off almost entirely, which prevents the cecal worms from gaining access to these pouches, but the operation is both expensive and risky and is therefore impractical. Strict sanitation will prevent blackhead, however-sanitation and a balanced ration-which is also the case with nearly all discases.

Dogs Used to Turn Spits

Small dogs, resembling dachshunds and called turnspits, were used in old times to turn the spits or jacks upon which meat was roasted before an open fire. The dog traveled in a small treadmill geared to the spit.

Customs of the Persians

Persia is only a small southern province of Iran, now the country's official name. One-fourth the population is wandering tribesmen. All officials and students must wear Persian-made cloth to encourage the country's textile industry. Formerly it was a custom for Persian mothers to dress their little boys as girls and girls as boys-just for the fun of it.



Star Robinson was a dinner guest Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wolfe and children visited Sunday afternoon Lake Bodimer of N Jake Bodimer of Nyssa

at the Fred Lervig home near Parand Friday, both men went to Boise on busine

Oscar Ellerbrock with a repre sentative of Michael, Brady, and were Dorothy and Verla Wolfe and Swanson went to Council early Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Oland Reed and motored to Roswell Friday for children and Miss Opal Montgom-

see the difference Purina makes. Their hens are doing better. Stop in and let us show you the egg records of many poultry raisers around here who are getting ahead feeding Purina Laying Chows!

> AL THOMPSON & SON FEED-GRAIN-FUEL PHONE 26

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