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MCCOOK BOTTLING WORKS
PHONE 423

ADDITIONAL PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. DeMay left this morning on No. 9, for Denver.

Miss Peryl Folsom of Lincoln is in the city, guest of Miss Cadman.

Mr. and Mrs. Deabenderfer arrived home, Sunday, from their vacation.

Mrs. Wm. Culley of Liberty, is the guest of Mrs. M. S. Jimerson this week.

Mrs. Saladen and children returned yesterday from visiting in Red Cloud.

Harry Edwards expects to remain in St. Joseph, Mo., for a couple of months.

D. L. McBride is out on his bi-monthly preaching tour in Chase county this week.

Mrs. Wm. Culley of Liberty, Neb., is a guest this week of D. L. McBride and family.

Mrs. Fred Munden went down to Lincoln Wednesday night on 10, to enjoy the big picnic.

Mrs. Roy Cadman went down to Wilcox, Nebraska, last evening, on a visit to her parents.

Elmer Kay, deputy clerk of the district court, is in Atwood, Kansas, for the rest of the week.

C. A. Leach was called to Lincoln last night on 10, by news of the serious illness of his mother.

Messrs. R. D. Rodgers and C. A. Rodgers returned to the ranch near Haigler, yesterday on No. 13.

Mrs. J. C. Stone left on No. 10 Wednesday evening for Spencer, Iowa, on a visit of a few days.

James Powell was down from Haigler, yesterday, on business and greeting friends of the olden times.

Miss Alice Bennett of Omaha is visiting McCook friends, en route home from a visit to relatives in Denver.

Miss Grace Weybright departed Tuesday, for Brighton, Colorado, to be present at the wedding of her brother Guy, this evening.

Mrs. Ira E. Converse and Evelyn left Wednesday evening on 10, for Des Moines, Iowa, on a visit of ten days to her sister Mrs. W. E. Sayers.

Miss Ruth King of Minden, who has been visiting Mrs. Marie Bronson for a short while, left on train No. 10, Tuesday evening, for her home.

Misses Ethel and Gladys Rozell arrived home last Saturday evening on train 10, from visiting their sister Mrs. John C. Clark at Wray, Colo.

Miss Edna Waite gave a morning kensington this morning to a company of over a score of young lady and young married friends.

Miss Lillian Provance departed last evening on No. 10, for her home in Baltimore. Her sister, Mrs. J. M. Trammell, accompanied her as far as Chicago.

Ralph C. Breckenridge, a well known Omaha lawyer, had business before Judge Orr in chambers yesterday. While here, he enjoyed a visit to "Deacon" Morlan's fruit ranch.

Mrs. Frank Harris arrived in the city this morning and will be a guest of Mrs. A. Campbell. Mrs. Harris has been east and is on her way to her home in Colorado City, Colorado.

Mrs. W. B. Beattie and sister, Miss Jessie Sherman, both of Maynard, Iowa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stansberry over Sunday. They are old time Iowa friends on their way home from a visit in the west.

Serious Runaway Accident.

Messrs. C. F. and H. F. Pade were involved in a serious runaway, about noon today. They had just hitched up the delivery horse to the regular firm delivery wagon and were driving down the alley in rear of the old electric light plant, when the horse commenced running. Down the alley a little farther on the wagon collided with a light or telephone pole. Both father and son were thrown out, the father being severely injured. Herman was also injured, but was able to get up and walk to the store. Father Pade received a severe scalp wound and was badly shaken up by the fall, which his advanced age makes the more serious.

We are exclusive agents in McCook for the Ladies' Home Journal patterns, and any styles you see pictured and described in this paper can be found among our stock of patterns.

H. C. CLAPP.

Hon. James Wilson, secretary of Agriculture, will address the farmers of Nebraska on "Reciprocity," at the state fair, September 5. Owing to the fact that this is a subject of moment in the affairs of the nation and will be one of the leading political issues in the coming campaign, a great gathering may be expected.

DANBURY.

Mrs. C. A. Gentry and three children of Wray, Colo., were Danbury visitors Friday and Saturday.

O. B. Woods, George Thomas and Roy Clarke were McCook visitors Monday.

We received a good two-inch rain Sunday afternoon.

Joe Dolph, Sam Dolph and Ben Smiley were McCook pilgrims on Monday.

Edna Henton and two little sisters were Saturday night visitors with the McDonald girls.

The C. E. social was held at Harvey Creaman's.

The band held an ice cream and cake "doings" in the band hall Saturday night in honor of its second year.

Arthur Wood, a brother to Perry Johnson, visited him a few days last week.

Mrs. J. L. Sims is among the sick list this week.

Bert Roberts came in Sunday from Dresden, Kansas, where he works in a livery barn.

The livery barn at Wilsonville, Kansas, was struck by lightning Friday night and burned to the ground.

Miss Claire Pined was a visitor in this burg Saturday.

Mrs. M. M. Maek of West Chicago, Ill., is here visiting her daughter Rida and her parents.

There were twelve sacks of mail for Danbury Friday.

Miss Eva Yates came home on Tuesday after an extended visit with relatives at Hendley.

Three loads of merchandise were hauled across from Indianola last week.

Mrs. Minnie Ressler came in from Hendley Tuesday on a visit with her mother.

Will Yates and wife were Hendley visitors from Tuesday until Saturday.

Orville Becktel of Indianola visited a few days at this place last week.

The McDonald girls are entertaining some young ladies from Beaver City this week.

FIFTY BUSHELS OF WHEAT PER ACRE AT EXPERIMENT STATION

Farmer Can Increase Income by Increasing Amount of Work on the Land--Deep Plowing is Urged at Least Once a Year.

By E. G. Montgomery, Department of Experimental Agronomy, University of Nebraska.

THE 1911 crop of winter wheat at the Nebraska Experiment Station has just been threshed. The different varieties of wheat have yielded from forty-six to fifty-six bushels per acre, with an average of a little better than fifty bushels. This brings up the five-year average for the best wheats at the experiment station at about forty-three bushels to the acre, and the five-year average for all wheats will be in the neighborhood of forty bushels.

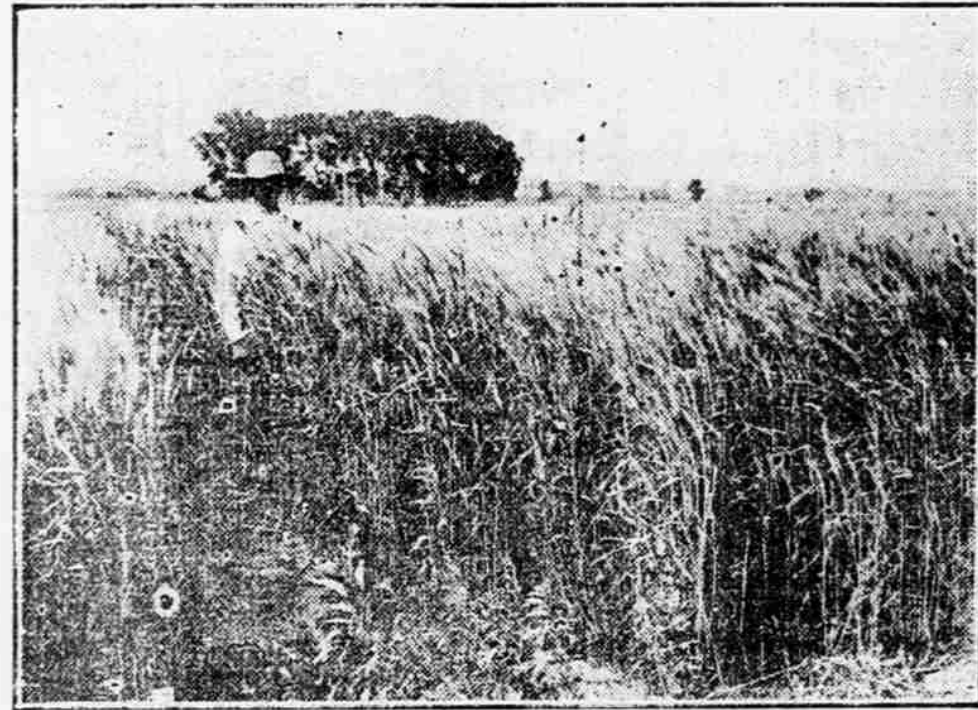


WHEAT FIELD, UNIVERSITY FARM, 1911--YIELD FIFTY BUSHELS PER ACRE.

The land on which the experimental wheat is growing is upland, of about average fertility, and has been sown to either grass or alfalfa some time within the past fifteen years. The 1911 crop was raised on land, part of which was seeded in Bromo grass in 1907 and broken up in 1908, and part

is not necessary for a man to double the area of his farm in order to double his yields. In these days of high priced farms, in case a man cannot buy additional land, he can increase his income, however, by simply increasing the amount of work on the land he already has.

The system advocated is to soil



ONE OF THE NEW HYBRID WHEATS PRODUCED BY CROSSING TURKEY RED AND BIG FRAME.

of the land was seeded down in Bromo grass in 1908 and broken up in 1908. Both fields were heavily manured while in grass and have had a light dressing of manure since breaking up. Also very deep plowing is practiced. Four large horses are used on the plow and it is not intended to plow

down every year a certain portion of his land, probably equal to about one-tenth of the total area, and at the same time break up each year an equal amount. If possible, manure at least one-tenth of the farm each year and practice deep plowing at least once a year.

If a patch of alfalfa is to be planted this fall, now is the time the ground should be in preparation. Weeds will not be so troublesome this year as usual. The surface should be well broken up. If crows are on the field now, it will be in good shape to work up when they are harvested. Heavy manuring is the safest way to help the plants to start. Do not depend on plowing and working into shape in a few days, for then the loose layer underneath will not become sufficiently settled for alfalfa.

In experiments conducted at the Missouri College of Agriculture, it was found that in every case a beef animal could be given a better finish by feeding a ration supplemented with some protein concentrate. The gains made were also more uniform than with a straight corn ration. Linseed meal or some such concentrate was found to pay for itself in small quantities.

The man who would succeed at raising good live stock must be willing to pay the price. He must be watchful, and careful, and must study his cattle and his feeds. Scrub animals will mostly take care of themselves, but good stock requires businesslike handling.

We say mean things about the rich man's son who lights his cigarette with a five-dollar bill. But that isn't nearly so bad as burning a strawpile. The cattle may not like to eat the straw, but the land wants it.

Every farmer has it in his power to make his farm better and his soil richer every year. At the same time his profits will increase. This is not fancy, but is based on results.

About the most expensive investment any farmer makes is in poor seed. Weeds are easy to get started, but difficult to kill out. Much of the poor seed on the market is full of weed seeds, some of them the worst possible. There is on record one case where a lot of dodder seed was deliberately put in the bottom of a sack of first class clover seed. The dodder would soon take the profits out of the clover, once it started growing in the field. Every man owes it to himself to get seed from reliable dealers. The still surer way, especially if seed is to be purchased in large quantity, is to get a small sample of the seed before purchasing and have it tested.

Present prices of horses, regulated by supply and demand, do not seem to indicate a decreasing profit from this business. The relative profit accruing from this class of animals, as compared with cattle or other live stock on the farm, is a good argument for its importance. The percentage of good horses in this country today is greater than ever before, yet there is considerable room for improvement.

Farm work is not so hard but that most of it can be performed by either brood mares or horses and mules that are too young to sell at the best advantage. For this reason, the farm should be the place of production and development of high class animals.

It is poor economy to starve a growing horse to save feed, for there is no other class of animals on the farm that will return bigger profits if properly fed and developed than good horses.

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MARION.

Arrangements are being made for the annual picnic of the Sunday school association to be held here Wednesday, August 30.

The Marion business men crossed bats with a pretty stiff team here one day last week and came out victorious. Score 13 to 4.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Dayton on Wednesday, August 9, a daughter. Mother and child doing fine.

Miss Lena Sanders and Mrs. J. H. Wicks and daughter attended M. E. quarterly conference at Lebanon one day last week.

Miss Bessie Moss from near Cedar Bluffs and Miss Mabel Traxler of Oberlin visited at the John Sines home recently.

R. W. Green, from northeast of Danbury, and nephews Dr. S. R. Butler of Exeter and Lee Roberts of Friend, Neb., were sightseers in town one day last week.

A man from Morlan's ranch near McCook was in town Tuesday with a load of plums.

Mrs. Bartholomew and children were visitors at Lebanon the first of the week.

Word from Rev. Richards of Holdrege states that he and his family are spending their vacation in Steamboat Springs, Colo.

Mrs. J. W. Ambler and son Ted returned to their home southeast of town after a week's visit with her mother Mrs. Plumb.

Irving Brown from near Cedar Bluffs, was a business visitor in town one day recently. He contemplates moving to one of Geo. B. Morgan's places near Danbury next year.

R. O. DeMay made his weekly visit here last Tuesday.

Powell & Nilsson have one six gang plow running with a traction engine and three gangs with teams getting ground ready to put in fall wheat. They expect to put in between 800 and 1000 acres.

We are informed that E. B. Stilgebauer formerly of these parts, was operated on for rupture at a hospital in Los Angeles, Cal., July 29th, and has been quite low, but is reported better.

Mrs. John Hughes and daughter of Lincoln arrived here Saturday for a visit with her sisters, Mrs. Sanders north of town, and Mrs. Yeates of Fairview.

A Mr. Richards and wife of

Sheridan county, Kan., are here visiting at R. S. Sanders. Mrs. Richards is a sister of Mrs. Sanders. They report terrops very poor in that country.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. John Braun and family visited at Mike Schneider's Sunday.

Mrs. John Plaff had her shoulder dislocated by a mule crowding her against the partition. She is getting along nicely at this writing.

Charley Remisher of Hayes Center is the guest of the Braun boys this week.

Miss Mary Schmidt visited with Mrs. Bertner last Monday.

Miss Kate Braun is working for Mrs. Arch McKillip.

Miss Mabel Schlick is working for Mrs. Plaff.

Joe Lechlitner visited at M. E. Kimberling's Sunday.

Advertised List.

The following letters and cards remain uncalled for at the post office.

Letters--

Ballard, Mrs. Dr. J. B.; Cawley, Mr. Boyd; Carter, C.; Collins, Mr. S. W.; Kitz, Connie; Mack, Miss Nettie.

Cards--

DeLette, Mr. Ed.; Drath, Mr. Edward; Ecker, Miss Lizzie; (2); Nichols, Miss Gladys; Rohson, Mrs. Finn; Wood, Mr. E. K.

When calling for these, please say they were advertised.

LON CONE, Postmaster.

Marriage Licenses.

Robert T. Jones, (33); Mary Edith Gidley, (21), both of Creston, Iowa. Married August 14th, by the county judge.

William F. DeMay, (27), Denver; Iva M. Gatewood, (21). McCook.

Roy R. Clark, (24), Arcadia, Neb.; Bessie Osborne, (27), Lebanon, Neb. Married August 15 by the county judge.

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