

Raise Rabbits Say Department Experts

Easy To Raise And Cost Less Than Any Other Kind Of Meat—Form Excellent Food And Can Be Kept Almost Anywhere

Rabbits, which have proved a valuable source of food in Europe during the present war, may well be raised more extensively in America by way of reduction of the drain on the ordinary meat supply, according to biologists of the United States Department of Agriculture. The business of growing rabbits, the specialists point out, can be carried on by youths and adults not engaged in military or other national service, or in regular industrial employment. The animals may be raised in back yards of cities and towns as well as on farms.

The Belgian hare, says a statement by the department, breeds rapidly, matures quickly, and produces a palatable and highly nutritious meat. The cost of production is less than that of any other meat, not excepting poultry. The supply can be greatly increased within a few months without requiring space that may be needed for the production of crops. Practical experience has demonstrated that rabbit meat can be produced in unlimited quantities at a cost of about 6 cents a pound, and by utilizing lawn cuttings and other vegetation that would otherwise be wasted the cost can be made even lower.

The Belgian and Flemish giant rabbits are recommended for meat production, as the ordinary tame rabbit is smaller and develops more slowly. Stock of Belgian hares may be bought from breeders in nearly all the States at \$1 to \$3 each. They may occasionally be had from pet-stock dealers. Fancy pedigreed stock is not required for meat production.

Rabbits are easily kept. They eat hay, grass, lawn cuttings, and green vegetation of many kinds. Females should be allowed to breed when 8 or 10 months old, and during the year should raise four litters of about six young each. Well fed, the young reach marketable size when 3 to 4 months old and average from 5 to 6 pounds live weight.

The department has published a bulletin on raising rabbits which will be helpful to those who wish to engage in this pursuit.

Draft Registration Is Cheerfully Made

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interpreters for the different precincts, made by the registration board consisting of Sheriff Crowell, County Clerk Kaese, Dr. William Osmer, and County Attorney Bevins, proved to be most admirable. In practically every instance the work was handled intelligently and quickly so that very shortly after the closing hour (9 p. m.), the returns had been telephoned in from all precincts. Even Molokai had reported by wireless at 10 o'clock.

Lanai proved the only exception, through no fault, however, of the registrars but through the breaking down of a launch in mid-channel which was carrying the returns to Lahaina where they could be telephoned to Wailuku. It finally came to hand about 1 o'clock Wednesday morning.

No Unwillingness

Not the slightest evidence of unwillingness to register has been reported from any section. On the other hand in many of the precincts men stood in line for hours awaiting their turn, and did it with the greatest cheerfulness. The police believe that the few to be rounded up were ignorant of requirements rather than intentionally trying to evade the draft. These are now being picked up here and there and being registered by the County Clerk.

Jail After Tuesday

But those who have not been registered by next Tuesday face serving a year in jail if they are discovered, with no alternative of a fine. As soon as the list of those registered can be compiled, it is to be published conspicuously all over the county, and those within the age limit whose names do not appear, are likely to find themselves in serious trouble.

Board Still Busy

The registration board has had a busy time for the past two or three weeks, and its work is not yet done. Upon receipt of the registration cards from the various precincts, on Wednesday the board immediately had to get busy tabulating the results and checking up errors. With the exception of five precincts wherein the registrars got halled up on their instructions, necessitating a complete recount, the work in the precincts was carefully and completely done.

The board has requisitioned the Wailuku Town Hall for its work, and all day Wednesday and Thursday the entire police force was impressed in the tabulation work, while yesterday St. Anthony's school turned over to the board eleven members of Brother Frank's champion penmanship class, and these boys have been ever since making duplicates of the registration cards to be forwarded to Washington. The boys who have volunteered for this work, and who will get nothing but thanks for their services are—Ah Sang Chong, Ah Yee Wong, John Vasconcellos, James W. Heau, Arnold Vasconcellos, Ah Cho Wong, Robert L. Heau, Edmund Hart, St. Elmo Hart, Ah Chen Jim, and Henry Shim.

It is hoped to have the work completed by tonight in order that the full reports may be sent to headquarters in Honolulu.

What The Other Girl Thought.

"Why, Helen, I think eleven proposals in one week is positively immodest."—Life.

Normal School In National Forests

Californians Finding Wider Uses For Great Wilderness Of Country—Camp Sites And Power Projects In No Wise Conflict

Summer School In The National Forest SAN FRANCISCO, July 25—A request has been made by the Fresno Summer Normal School to the officers of the Sierra National Forest for more land on which to construct school buildings. The Normal School, which has a tract of twenty acres rented from the Government on the shores of Huntington Lake in the Sierra National Forest, has a large attendance this summer, and the officers of the schools expect the attendance to increase yearly.

This school, in the High Sierras, is said to be the only normal school on a National Forest in the country. It offers a regular six weeks course every summer in normal work, as well as courses in woodcraft and general forestry subjects. The students of this school also have the opportunity of combining a vacation in the mountains with their regular school courses. Lectures from time to time by Forest officers on forestry subjects are a feature of the class work. The students also visit nearby ranger stations and timber sale operations to study National Forest administration and protective work.

Near the school is a summer resort with hotels, stores, a restaurant, billiard, and cottages, all on land rented from the Government. For the use of the summer residents the Forest Service has installed a water system consisting of tank and pipe line. Across the lake from the settlement the city of Fresno has leased a site of 15 acres for a municipal camp similar to the camp established on the Angeles National Forest by the city of Los Angeles.

Huntington Lake is about 60 miles east of Fresno in the High Sierras, and was formed by the damming of Big Creek for power development purposes. Water diverted from this lake develops the power for Los Angeles, 250 miles away. Hydro-electric power, the Forest officers say, is one of the greatest resources of the National Forests. Power plants in the forests of California during the past season developed 272,420 hp., and permits have been issued for the use of other sites which will produce 470,000 hp.

Delay Explained
What are you doing there Ellen?
Excuse me, miss, but my apron caught in the door.
But you left the room ten minutes ago!

Yes, miss, but I only just found it out.—The Passing Show.

Urgent
The Doctor—"Mrs. Brown has sent for me to go and see her boy, and I must go at once."
His Wife—"What is the matter with the boy?"

The Doctor—"I do not know, but Mrs. Brown has a book on what to do before the doctor comes, and I must hurry up before she does it."—Christian Register.
Time, you old idiot!"—Washington Star.

TELEGRAPH NEWS OF THE WEEK

PETROGRAD, July 31—Slavs make stand, throw back pursuing Teutons and recapture a number of lost positions.

LONDON, July 31—British losses during the month of July were 75,831 men, including 2502 officers.

American destroyers pursue submarine which sunk steamer and attacked second. Diver forced to flee.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS, July 31—British secure victory at surprisingly low cost. In one section British charged Germans through own barrage to prevent foe escaping. Six divisions of Bavarian veterans who were sent in to reinforce Germans, shared fate. Balance became demoralized. Germans are now countering at junction of French and British lines.

WASHINGTON, July 31—Representative Alexander introduces bill for suspension of the coastwise law during war.

LONDON, July 31—Statement of Michealis and Czernin dominates news. Editorially regarded as weak and lacks references to Belgium's and Serbia's future status, and regarded as excluding credence of desire for real peace. Austrian talk without an accompanying undertaking to evacuate and restore conquered territory is declared to be nearly an aim to delay America's preparation.

NEW YORK, July 31—Johnson, tennis doubles champion, commissioned as naval ensign in reserves.

Haiti expects to export 90,000,000 pounds of sugar to America. This is 3 times estimate.

WASHINGTON, July 31—National prohibition debate opens. Shephard leading advocate, Shafroth for Underwood opposes. Two-third vote required for passage.

Senate financiers discussing increasing war tax to \$2,000,000,000. Final action postponed. Indicated that incomes of individuals and corporations over \$200,000 bear blunt, with additional boose levy and possible half cent pound consumption tax on sugar.

BERLIN, July 31—Russians making stand on the Zbrocz river.

WASHINGTON, July 31—Fletcher instructed to advise Carranza of existence of plot made between German agents in the United States and Mexico. Believed Mexico will soon investigate activities of certain German representatives.

Seventy-two thousand nine hundred and fourteen apply for admission to officers camp. Sixteen thousand placed. Expected to place several thousand more.

NEW YORK, July 31—Russians in East Galicia stop retreat. Teutons invading Bukowina through Suchawa valley in Rumania. Russians advancing steadily. Crown Prince made surprise attack against Petain. Each broke down. British raid trenches at Bombacitzge. German artillery more active at Armentieries.

WASHINGTON, July 31—New press regulations will be severe, due to portion of press publishing news unauthorized and claiming misunderstanding. Creel says this excuse is exhausted and that regulations are necessary.

LONDON, July 31—Balfour tells commons he doubts wisdom of British announcing war aim. British entered unselfishly and not for indemnities and is still unselfish. Want to help France reconquer and shall fight until Germany is made powerless and free peace assured to Europe. Impossible German peace means future war. Peace which Britain and America can endorse would lead to permanent settlement and provide security never thought possible before. Germany must work out her own salvation, then perhaps Germany will be added to those nations which before war were unable to see how war of this sort could be provoked by any single community. When Germany comes to level of America and England in that respect, would soon hope that peace be forever established.

HONOLULU, July 31—Mineral Products to incorporate in Hawaii. Share for share assessed 25 cent and officers reelected. Merchandise licenses in Honolulu are \$71,250 against \$84,050 in 1916.

Farm anthrax herd moved to new location. Purchased by board, disinfected and loaded into drays for transportation.

Governor requests no action regarding Forbe's salary, until he receives letter with expected resignation.

LOS ANGELES, July 30—Harrison Grey Ottis dead of heart disease at breakfast table.

WASHINGTON, July 30—President favors single administrator of food control.

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Hens, lb. 33 to 35
Turkeys, lb. 45
Ducks, Musc. 30 to 33
Ducks, Pekin 30 to 33

VEGETABLES AND PRODUCE.

Beans, string, green 04½
Beans, string, wax 05
Beans, Lima in pod 03½
Beans, Maui red 12.00
Beans, Calico, cwt. 10.00 to 12.00
Beans, small white None
Peas, dry ls. cwt. None
Beets, doz. bunches 30
Carrots, doz. bunches 40
Cabbage, cwt. 3.00 to 3.50
Corn, sweet 100 cars None
Corn, Haw. lg. yel. 75 to 80
Corn, Haw. small, yel. None
Rice, Jap. seed, cwt. 6.50
Rice, Haw. seed, cwt. 7.00
Peanuts, lg. lb. 08 to 10
Peanuts, ms. 10 to 12
Green peppers, bell 06
Green peppers, chili 05
Potatoes, Is. I. 2.25 to 2.50
Potatoes sweet cwt. 1.40 to 1.50
Potatoes sweet red 1.60
Taro, cwt. 1.00 to 1.25
Taro, bunch 15
Tomatoes 03
Green peas, lb. None
Cucumber, doz. 50 to 75
Pumpkins, lb. 02

FRUITS.

Bananas, Chinese, Bu. 20 to 30
Bananas, Cooking bu. 1.00 to 1.25
Figs, 100 90 to 1.00
Limes, 100 75 to 1.00
Grapes, Isabella, lb. 04 to 50
Pineapples, cwt. 1.25 to 1.50
Papaia, lb. 01½
Strawberries None

LIVESTOCK.

Beef, cattle, and sheep are not bought at live weight. They are slaughtered and paid for on a dressed weight basis.

DRESSED MEATS.

Beef, lb. 13½ to 14
Veal, lb. 14
Mutton, lb. 18
Pork, lb. 20 to 23

HIDES, Wet Salted.

Steer, No. 1, lb. 20
Steer, No. 2, lb. 18
Steer, hair slip 18
Kips, lb. 20 to 22
Goat, white 20 to 30

FEED.

The following are prices on feed, f. o. b. Honolulu:

Corn, sm. yel. ton 83.00
Corn, lg. yel. ton 82.00 to 85.00
Corn cracked ton 84.00 to 86.00
Bran ton 45.00 to 45.50
Barley ton 53.00 to 55.00
Scratch food ton 85.00 to 87.50
Oats, ton 59.00 to 60.00
Wheat ton 87.50 to 90.00
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Hay, wheat 35.00 to 39.00
Hay, Alfalfa 38.00

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Stated meetings will be held at Masonic Hall, Kahului, on the first Saturday night of each month at 7:30 P. M.

Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.
H. K. DUNCAN, R. W. M.
W. A. ROBBINS, Secretary.

ALOHA LODGE NO. 3 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.



Regular meetings will be held at the Knights of Pythias Hall, Wailuku, on the second and fourth Friday of each month.

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