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FARM BUREAU EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE HEARS REPORTS

Will Urge Congressmen to Vote For Hersman Bill

At the monthly meeting of the Executive Committee of the New Castle County Farm Bureau held the evening of September 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Dickey, of Stanton, County Agent R. O. Bausman and County Club Leader Agnes P. Medill, reported on the progress of the work during the month, and project leaders discussed projects completed and those proposed.

After calling the meeting to order President Frank Yearsley called for the report of the County Agent. In commenting on the farm bureau exhibit at the State Fair, Mr. Bausman stated that the exhibit was designed with the purpose of setting before the farmers of the county, in an attractive and emphatic manner, the most important project which the farm bureau had been pushing during the year. He stated further that during the month a carload of pure bred Holstein cows, averaging 1400 lbs. in weight had been purchased and distributed at cost among the farmers of the county through the co-operation of local banks. The attendance at the annual meetings of the two cow testing associations held in conjunction with the district shows of the Boys' and Girls' Pure Bred Cattle Club, although not large, was gratifying. The addresses by Dr. H. Hayward, of Delaware College, and Mr. J. C. McDowell, of the U. S. Dairy Department, and the Boys' and Girls' Heifer Shows were very interesting features of the two meetings.

Due to the splendid showing made by the boys in the dairy cattle judging contest at the State Fair it was proposed that a judging team be sent to the National Dairy Show to be held in Chicago in October to enter the national boys' judging contest, but upon receipt of the rules of the contest it was found that boys from Delaware were not eligible this year, but would be next year. A team will doubtless be trained and sent next year.

In reporting the meeting of the State Bankers' Association, Mr. M. O. Pence stated that the bankers of Delaware are behind the county farm bureaus and that they have guaranteed an appropriation to aid in financing a farmers' short course which will probably be held at Delaware College this winter.

A motion was made and carried that the secretary be instructed to write to the Delaware Senators and Representatives, urging them to vote for the Hersman Bill, which exempts farmers from criminal prosecution under the Clayton anti-trust law.

Red Men Have Quiet Home-Coming

The best of weather for an outdoor gathering favored the annual Home-coming at Red Men's grove on Saturday. Early in the morning a brilliant poster done in the national colors bade a cordial welcome to the visiting tribesmen and their families, who began to arrive before lunch time. Tables had been spread under the trees and here joyous reunions were held while they awaited the others who could not come until afternoon.

Officials of the order from Wilmington had planned the exercises and expected with a large delegation from that place to arrive here in trucks early in the afternoon. They were to be escorted to the grounds by the Banchoha Band. These turned out a man, but when the appointed hour for the arrival of the Wilmington delegation arrived they failed to put in an appearance. The band marched to the grounds and relieved the tedium of the waiting by playing patriotic and other airs. The younger members of the order and the pa-pooes played ball, tag, and other games. About 3 o'clock a few Wilmingtonians came by train and stated that owing to a hitch in the matter of securing conveyance the others would be unable to attend. Those already on the ground made the best of the situation and threw themselves wholeheartedly into the sports.

Man yof the visitors inspected the house and grounds and were lavish in their praises of the splendid condition in which things are kept and of the comforts which are provided for the residents of the home.

WHAT IS THE BEST VARIETY OF WHEAT FOR SEEDING?

Bearded Variety More Resistant to Disease and Weather Changes Says Agronomist

The result of growing a large number of varieties of wheat at the Delaware Station during the past 12 years has shown some interesting facts with reference to the performance of bearded versus smooth varieties of wheat. It has been found that the bearded wheats have a tendency to tiller more freely than the smooth. At the same time the bearded wheats as a group have yielded as an average for the twelve years between three to four bushels more than the smooth wheats. This is largely due to the less variation in yield from year to year with bearded varieties. It seems that the smooth wheats are more sensitive to more unfavorable conditions of culture or season, than are the bearded. This has been noted for some time past in the study of varieties of wheat which were grown the same year on fertilized and unfertilized land. This season the results secured by farmers throughout the state indicate that the bearded wheats were more resistant to disease and were less effected by the unfavorable weather conditions than were the smooth. It is not to be supposed that the smooth wheats will not yield as well, or sometimes a little better than some of the bearded wheats, under extremely favorable conditions. This year on the fertility plots the quality of the smooth wheats was badly affected in almost every instance except where the proper balance of fertilizer was used.

The bearded variety was far less effected in the size of kernel than Leap Prolific, the smooth variety. The same general trend was noted in the samples of wheat secured from various farms in the state this season. Often in the same field the bearded wheat would produce plump, sound kernels, while the smooth wheats were small or badly shriveled.

Smooth wheats will generally do well on land that is fertile, that is, provided with the proper balance of plant food. If nitrogen is in excess the quality of the grain will be more effected than a bearded variety under the same conditions. As a result of close observation and study the Station recommends the following varieties of bearded wheat as most satisfactory for Delaware conditions:

Dietz Amber	Red Wonder
Gypsy	Reliable
Mediterranean	Rudy

The smooth varieties which have given best results are:

Currell Prolific	Leap Prolific
Harvest King	Poole

A menace to a good yield of high quality wheat is the presence of "bunt" or "stinking smut." This fungus disease can be easily controlled if the proper measures are taken to treat the seed. If the grain is carefully screened and fanned and given the formalin treatment the chances for a large yield of prime quality are greatly increased. The following method is used for combating stinking smut:

Spread the seed on a clean floor or canvas and sprinkle with a solution of one pound (pint) of formalin to fifty gallons of water until thoroughly moist, but not wet enough to drip. Stir the seed repeatedly to distribute the moisture evenly, then shovel into a pile and cover with sacks or canvas for two hours. Spread in a thin layer to dry, stirring frequently. Sacks, drills, or other receptacles should be disinfected with the same solution before filling with the treated seed.

One pound (pint) of formalin when made up with water, will treat forty to fifty bushels of wheat. A. E. GRANTHAM, Agronomist, Del. Experiment Station, Newark, Delaware.

Have Community Meeting to Discuss Code.

A community meeting was held in the auditorium at Lewes Friday evening in the interest of the School Code. Miss Leah Burton presided and Pierre S. duPont of Kennett, discussed almost every phase of the code and urged the people to give it a trial for at least one year and see what the effects would be.

Dr. Odell spoke on Child Welfare. A number of local people changed their views in reference to the School Code after having attended the meeting. The house was packed and a great many farmers were in attendance.

Engagement Announced.

Mrs. Frances Scott, of Lewisville, Pa., has announced the marriage of her daughter, Margaret Frances, to J. Robinson Simmons, of this city, August 16. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons will be at home after today at 1315 duPont street.

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his office with his story. Death facing him, his only thought was to get his copy to the city desk—and he did. That sort of thing is not rare in the newspaper world, but its recognition is less usual than it ought to be.—Rocky Mountain News.

There is nothing like fun, is there? I haven't any myself, but I do like it in others. O, we need it! We need all the counterweights we can muster to

PUBLIC SALE

The household goods of Mrs. Wm. Brown will be sold on Saturday, Sept. 27th, 1919 at 1 o'clock, at her residence on West Main St., Newark, Del.

1 bed room suit, Walnut bed and bureau, Single bed enamel, Sewing machine, Dining stand, Dining room table, Side board, Parlor suit three pieces, Bookcase and desk combined, Couch, 6 Rocking chairs, 5 small tables, Mattresses, Carpets, 2 lamps, pictures, dishes, bric-a-brac, cooking utensils, silverware, wash tubs, crib, baby coach, cot, draperies, jars and jelly glasses. Lot of other articles too numerous to mention.

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9-3-21-pd.

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9-10-2t

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2-t

FOR SALE—Bedroom suit complete, rug 9x12, ice box, 17 yards of linoleum (was never laid), kitchen table, 100 piece set of dishes, white enamel bed complete with mattress, springs and pillows.

All of the above articles were purchased a month ago from the Wilmington Furniture Co. and were used very little.

Apply at the New Store, Opera House Building.

9-17-1-t

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8-20-tf.

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10-23-1yr-pd.