

At Home On The Farm With The City Cousin

I was sauntering down the street about a year ago and along came my old friend, Jack Weaver, leading a big work mule.

"Where you gain, Jack, leading that mule right through the middle of town?" I asked him.

"I'm takin' him over to the dentist to get his teeth fixed," he calmly replied.

Now I've always had a lot of respect for Jack Weaver—folks say he's one of the best farmers in Eagle Creek county—but I knew that even if our dentist had gone mad and turned to grindin' mule's teeth, the animal would have to have an appointment like everybody else and probably have to stand in line for hours, to boot.

"This I want to see!" I says to Jack, and we walked down the street together, us and the mule. Pretty soon, we found ourselves at the edge of the school yard where farmers from all over the area had gathered with their horses and mules.

"A workstock clinic," Jack informed me as if I already knew. "The State College Extension Service holds these early in the year all over North Carolina. Bert here's gonna get a dental inspection," he added solemnly.

I got around to talkin' to the licensed veterinarian, who gave it to me straight. "The horse's mouth is so constructed that its teeth wear off irregularly," he told me, "and if this isn't corrected, the animal can't chew properly, and digestive upsets develop." Then he went on to tell me how the clinics provide free examination, treatment for bots, dental work, and other such

Sought Home Beyond The Grave



DISTRAUGHT BECAUSE she could not find a home for herself and her 6-month-old daughter, Mrs. Barbara McGlynn, 19, Los Angeles, attempted suicide. Even the cheap hotel rooms in which she had been living with her husband, William McGlynn, former paratrooper, were closed to her after the baby was born. Recently they were forced to separate because of the housing problem. (International)

Vocational Agriculture Teachers Urged To Start School Forests

Each of the 454 teachers of vocational agriculture has been urged by Roy H. Thomas, state supervisor of Vocational Agriculture, to select and start a forestry demonstration plot at his school. The purpose of the school forest, according to Mr. Thomas, is to teach proper woodland management.

A law enacted by the General Assembly of 1945 makes it possible for county boards of education to acquire tracts of land for school forests, a bulletin entitled, "Practical Forest Management in Vocational Agriculture Schools" which contains an outline for teaching forest management and the law on procuring school forests has been sent to each teacher of agriculture by W. K. Beichler, State Forester.

There are a number of success-

care at special prices. So, I thought it was about time I checked up on the 1947 clinics. I hustled out to State College and put the question up to Leland Case, in charge of Extension Animal Husbandry there, and he said, sure enough, it was just about time for them again.

"We're scheduling clinics in 67 counties during January," he told me, "and urging every farmer who has workstock in poor condition to check with his county agent on the time and place."

If a team's gonna have what it takes to do heavy spring work, I guess now's a good time to take out a little "hospitalization insurance."

STATE COLLEGE HINTS TO FARM HOMEMAKER

By VERA STANTON Assistant State Agent

Eaten as-is for a dessert or snack, apples spare the cook and the sugar bowl. Apples are a versatile fruit, being good cooked with meat or vegetables, or mixed in salad, used in pastry, quick breads, and cake for desserts.

The built-in sweetness of fall pears and apples can be an aid to homemakers in stretching the sugar budget as they are about 10 per cent sugar. The simplest way to make the most of natural pear and apple sweetness is to eat them out of hand. But for variety, home economists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture suggest that we try them in salads dressed with cheese. Split a pear and fill the center with Roquefort cheese thinned with a little cream. Dress up apples with cottage or cream cheese mixed with chopped chives. For a note of color, add nuts, carrot strips, or green peppers to the salad, or use grapes or raisins to lend it even greater sweetness.

Sour cream dressing makes another tasty companion for pears and apples. Plain cooked dressing is also good with fruit salad.

For cooked dishes, apples and pears need a little extra sweetening. When available, corn syrup, honey or molasses may be substituted for sugar, measure for measure. Or try one of these sugar-saving tricks: When baking pears or apples, stuff the centers with dates or raisins. This adds sweetness, and only about 1 teaspoon sugar will be needed for each piece of fruit.

For a side dish that satisfies the sweet tooth at small cost in sugar, scallop apples or pears with sweet potatoes. Dot each layer with fat, and sprinkle with just a little sugar or brush with honey.

For glazed pears or apples, quarter the fruit and bake with a little water until partially cooked. Then spread with bright-colored jelly, and continue baking until fruit is tender with a shiny surface.

Full school forests in operation in the State at the present time, Mr. Thomas stated further.

Tenderloin is the tenderest meat cut.

Smokey Says.



A forest fire does not affect you! Nonsense! Do higher prices pinch? Shortages cause inconveniences? If there were no more wood tomorrow, could you get along without it and still say the fire that destroyed it did not affect you? Timber is a resource that cannot be built in a day. The damage of one careless match can cause losses which cannot be replaced in a hundred years!

Darrington, Wash. News

By G. W. CLAYTON

Well, here we come again. Hope you good friends down there enjoy our chatter from here. Everytime we get our paper we just sit down and read it through. Even compare prices in the ads and find them about the same as here.

We had our Christmas program here on December 22 and it was fine. Plenty of treats for all the children.

Of course Mr. and Mrs. Breedlove were here. We folks here in Darrington surely like them. We think he is the best preacher here since Harve Stansberry was here years ago. By the way, I haven't told you folks about his son Ralph, wife and two sons of Glenville visiting them not long ago. They came the Central route and returned the Southern route. They left Glenville November 9th and arrived at Monroe, Wash. November 14. They left here December 4 and arrived home December 12. Pretty good time. They seemed to like our country and of course will come back.

I think all the men, women, and children for miles around were in town today; the men signing up for their rocking chair checks and the women shopping, for this is the Monday before Christmas.

We surely thank all our good friends from home for the nice Christmas cards.

We expect all of our children home for Christmas. They all live here in Darrington but two. Mrs. Bert Havter lives in Seattle and our youngest son, Robert, works for Sears Roebuck in Seattle.

Our snow is almost gone, and we are having some nice weather now.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole Ensley are having Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones and all the Claytons are having dinner with their daughter, Mrs. Dixie Hackson.

Well friends, Mrs. Clayton and I wish the Herald staff and all its readers a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Winter is an ideal time to check over farm machinery that must be in shape before spring.

Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

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January 13, 1947

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All Property Owners and Taxpayers in Jackson County are required to return to the List-Takers for Taxation for the year 1947 all Real Estate, Personal Property, Etc., which each shall own on the First Day of January.

All male persons between the ages of 21-50 are required to list their polls during the same time.

All persons who own property and fail to list it and all who are liable for Poll Tax and fail to give in their Property and Poll will be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

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Cashiers, Mrs. Hortense Bryson		Savannah.....	Verlin C. Buchanan
Cullowhee	Earl Sutton	Scotts Ck., Mrs. Allen Sutton	
Dillsboro	Mrs. P. W. Kincaid	Sylva.....	N.....
Green Creek.....	G. L. Green	Webster.....	Miss Myrtle Davis
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