

State College Hints To Farm Homemakers

NO MOTHS NEED APPLY

A closet which can be set aside for storage only is in luck when it comes to protecting woolen garments from the clothes moth. Better yet is a closet in the attic, built large enough to hold not only clothing but also upholstered furniture not in use. Such closets should be well stocked with flake naphthalene.

To control moths in a storage closet, advise entomologists, brush all clothing thoroughly, clean the closet thoroughly, and seal all cracks in the plaster and about the baseboards with crack fillers. See that doorframes are equipped with rubber or moth-proofed felt gaskets, against which the door can be shut tight at all points.

On the top shelf of the closet, or in muslin bags hung from hooks, put one pound of either flake naphthalene or paradichlorobenzene crystals. The fumes given off by the slow evaporation of the crystals quickly stop moth larvae from feeding, and ultimately kill

the larvae, if the fumes are retained long enough in proper concentration. To maintain such concentration, make sure that the closet is perfectly tight, and that it has a tight-fitting door which is kept closed except for the brief times when clothing is being put in or taken out.

Paper garment bags have no value in themselves for killing moths. However, if clothing free from moths is put into an unbroken garment bag that is tightly closed and sealed, the paper will keep moths out indefinitely. Once the moths get into the bags, either with clothing or through breaks in the paper or at the fastenings, of course damage will result. An added precaution is to put a cupful of paradichlorobenzene crystals in the bag before sealing it. As the entomologists remind us, smell of cedar or pine oil in a garment bag does not trouble the clothes moth, nor does printer's ink on newspapers.

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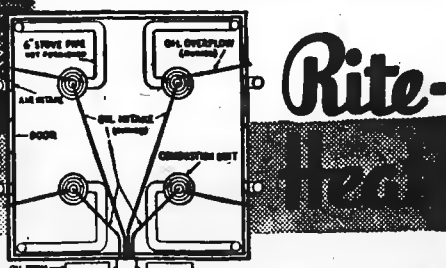
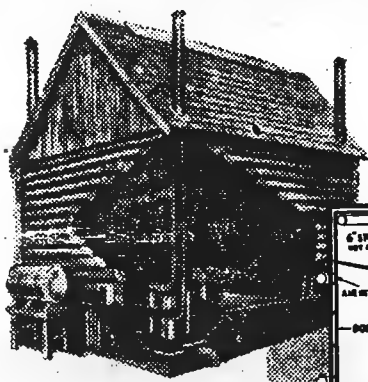


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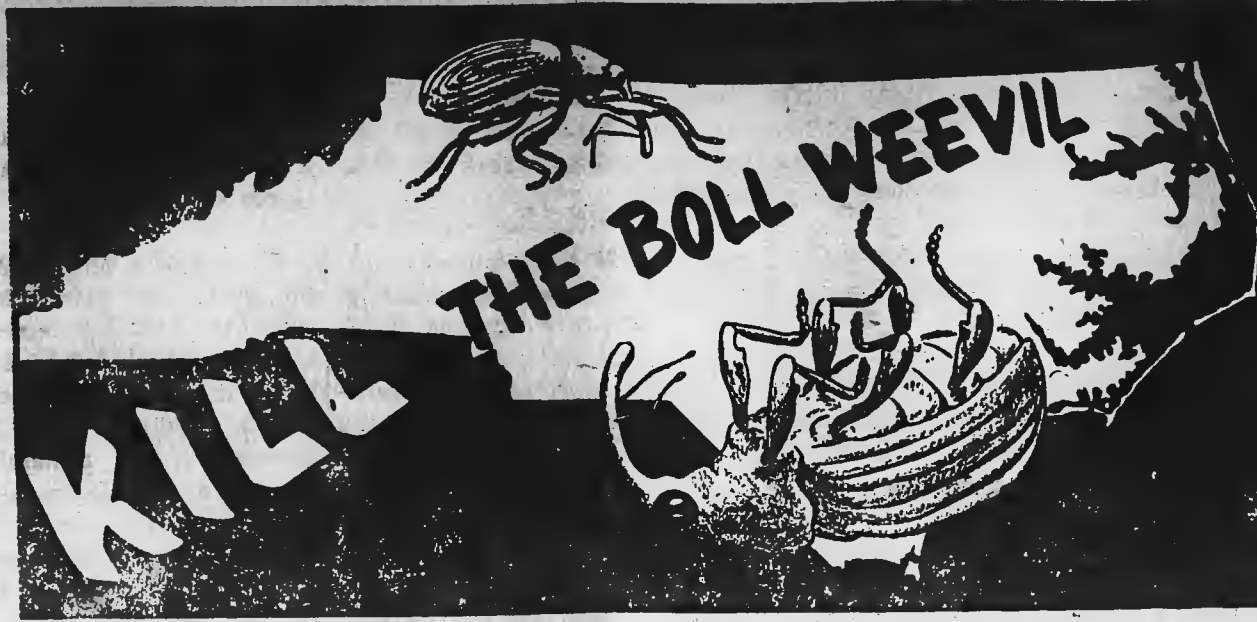
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May 21	2
May 28	2
June 4	4
June 11	19
June 18	107

COTTON DUST

B. H. C. 3-5-40 or 3-5-0 or 3-0-0

TOXAPHENE 20-40 or 20-0

ALDRIN 2 1/2-5-0

2 1/2-5-0

COTTON SPRAY

80% LIQUID TOXAPHENE

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