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Alfalfa Is The King Of Crops

Experts Unanimously Declare That as Hay This Plant Cannot be Equaled

Spokane, Wash., Sept.—"Alfalfa will make two blades of grass grow in the Inland Empire where but one now grows," states Professor Perry G. Holden, the famous Iowa agriculturist, who will head a four-weeks alfalfa campaign in this section commencing September 24.

In a communication to the Spokane Chamber of Commerce, Professor Holden speaks enthusiastically of his coming work in the Inland Empire, adding:

"It is very difficult for us to undertake a new thing or grow a new crop, even though we know from experience of others that it is profitable. We are inclined to go along in the old way. We need jogging to awaken us to the great opportunities around us. We see others growing alfalfa and making money but we fail to profit by experience."

"A. P. Grout, of Winchester, Illinois, who has grown alfalfa for twenty years, says 'Alfalfa will pay 6 per cent interest on \$1,000 an acre land, it is equal to wheat bran as stock feed; one acre of alfalfa is equal to six acres of timothy; where corn will net \$15.80 per acre, alfalfa will net \$50 per acre. Every farmer should grow some alfalfa.'

"Joseph Wing, of Ohio 'Alfalfa will pay any farmer 6 per cent or \$500 an acre land.'

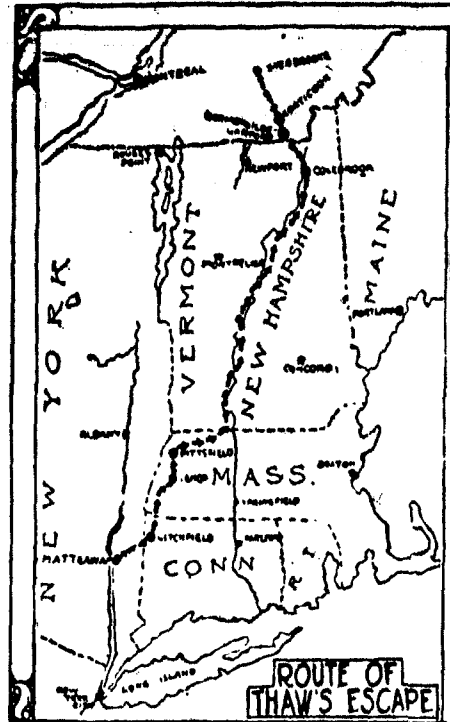
"Remember alfalfa can be grown on the Inland Empire farms. It is no more difficult to grow than clover and is more hardy when once established. It adapts itself to all kinds and conditions of soil and climate. Alfalfa produces three and sometimes four crops in the corn. Alfalfa can be fed to all kinds of farm animals and has no superior as a hog pasture.

"As hay alfalfa has no equal, it is rich in protein, the very thing in which our corn and most other crops are deficient. It, therefore, balances up the ration and will save the purchase of high priced foods. No piece of ground on the farm will bring greater profits than the five or ten acres put into alfalfa, provided the work is done properly and a good stand secured."

C. B. Kegley Palous, Wash., master of the state grange, told members of the chamber of commerce committee in charge of the Holden campaign that the farmers would welcome Professor Holden and his party, and that nowhere would the Iowa corn alfalfa expert find more openminded farmers than in the Inland Empire.

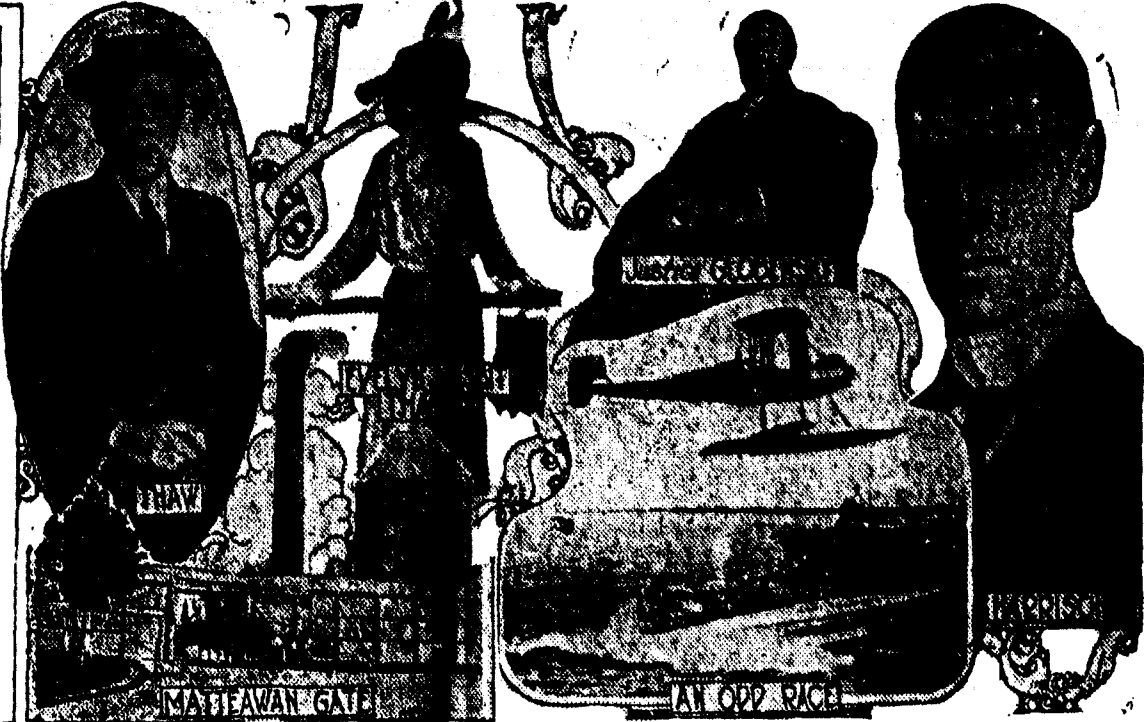
"I consider this campaign one of the most important ever undertaken in the Pacific Northwest," stated Mr. Kegley, "and I am certain the vast majority of farmers will welcome advice from an expert of such well proven qualifications as Professor Holden. The campaign means not only more alfalfa, more hogs and more dairying, but it means also the building up and rejuvenating of soil long impoverished by the one crop system, as alfalfa gives back to the soil eight or ten times as much nitrogen as was there before. Alfalfa is one of the easiest things to grow, is one of the hardest, and, when marketed in hogs, beef and milk, is one of the best avenues to wealth I know of."

Remember.
"Wills is so sensitive."
"Buddy?"
"Exceedingly so. When papa kicked him down the steps the last time he didn't call again for three weeks."
—Chicago.



News Snapshots Of the Week

whisked away in an auto by confederates. The map shows the route he took. Francis Burton Harrison, representative in congress from New York, was appointed governor general of the Philippines. The first race between a hydroaeroplane and a motorboat in America took place at Chicago, when Glen Martin's water bird beat the fast motorboat Baby Bellanca.



Girl Will Fly At State Fair

Helena, Montana, September—2 1913. (Special). The outdoor free attractions of Montana State Fair will be featured this year by the world's youngest aviatrix, Miss Katherine Stinson, known as the 'school girl flier' and one of the few iron nerved girls who have taken up flying as a profession. Montana has seen many aviators, some of them Montana boys who have learned and perfected the art of flying heavier-than-air machines, but never has there been a woman who has propelled her own machine in this State.

Katherine Stinson flies in a \$5,000 Wright bi-plane and will bring a special machine for the Montana altitude, her contract positively assuring two daily flights. She is registered as an International Pilot License flier, number 148, and her age as recorded on the license is twenty, making her the youngest female air navigator in the world. She is dauntless, daring death-defying, and will soar twice each day over the Fair ground track enclosure, which has been pronounced by air experts as the most ideally located aviation field in the west.

Besides daily aviation flights the outdoor attractions include the best wild west features ever pulled off in the state, seven platform vaudeville acts from the Orpheum Circuit, and three of Montana's best bands; the Boston and Montana Band of Butte, the Black Eagle Band of Great Falls, and the Gateway City Band of Livingston. These features will take place between the races, at which the best blooded horses in the northwest will run on the safest, fastest, and best mile-track in the west.

Picnic at C-D Ranch

A delightful picnic was held at the C-D ranch last Sunday, the occasion being the birthday of Mr. Woodworth. An enjoyable time was spent fishing along the banks of the Big Hole river, after which a delicious lunch was served. Besides the honor guest and his wife there were present: Messrs. and Mesdames F. A. Hazelbaker, W. A. Armitage, C. W. Francis; Mesdames T. B. Taylor, Lizzie Armstrong, Bertie Howard, T. J. Murray; Misses Bessie Douglas and Montana Murray; Messrs. O. J. Woodworth, Maurice Murray, Walter Stewart and George Woodworth, Jr.

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Jackson Celebration Is A Huge Success

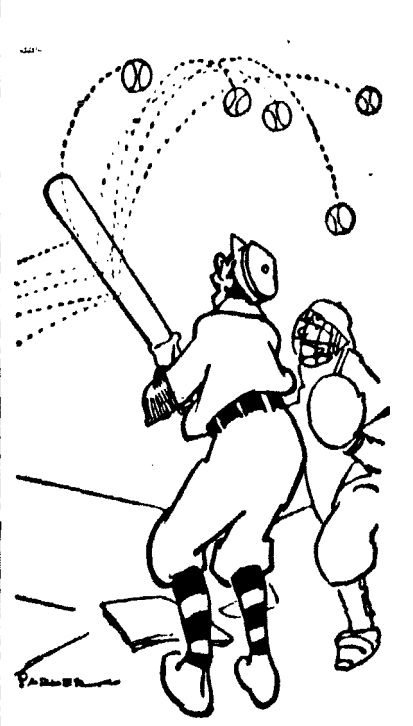
Glorious Weather Attracted a Large Crowd to the Little Town up the Valley Where an Enjoyable Day was Spent

One of the most successful harvest celebrations in the history of the little town took place at Jackson last Friday. The weather was ideal and a large crowd was in attendance, a goodly number making the trip from Wisdom.

The entertainment committee had provided an excellent program, which was carried out without a hitch. The following is a synopsis

THE LINEUP

Wisdom Phillips	1b	Jackson Merritt
Otis Franks	2b	Enderley McGraith
Davis Stroud	3b	Cannon Red
Knudsen Francis	ss	McGraw Robinson
Arbor Price	lf	Baker Boyer



Happy Had Holes In His Bat

of the events and the winners: Free for all horse race—1st, Jardine's Silver; 2nd, Francis' Rocket. Saddle horse race—C. W. Francis' brown gelding; 2nd, Peterson horse.



The Umpire Got In Bad

Boys' Race—1st Elmer Sage; 2nd, Fred Nelson. The star attraction was, of



Baker On The Warpath

100 Yds. Dash—1st, Dan Pen-dergast; 2nd, Bob O'Connell.

Profits Of Automobile Making

Just ten years ago the manufacture of a popular priced automobile was begun in Detroit at the recent birthday party of the corporation a cash dividend of \$10,000,000 was declared on the capital stock of \$2,000,000. The people who were fortunate enough to begin with this company have enjoyed profits that make the gains of railroads and public service promoters look like genteel poverty. It is not likely that this dividend represented the surplus of the company by any means for it is now doubling the size of the factory for the purpose of putting out next year 350,000 cars. In case the demand slackens it will be possible for this concern to stimulate consumption by still further reducing the price. A net profit of only \$10 a car would yield profits of \$3,500,000 a year, or more than 150 per cent. Some money has been lost in the automobile business, but a whole flock new millionaires have been created by the development of the industry.

Ranchers Lose Horses

Dr. Wm J. Butler, state veterinarian, and E. D. Nash, his chief assistant, are in the basin to investigate the cause of the death of several of the Canfield horses. The company has lost seven horses and one colt within the past ten days. The loss is supposed to be occasioned by some kind of poisoning, but the doctors have so far been unable to determine the exact nature of it. Chas. Ralston has also lost half a dozen valuable horses recently from a similar cause.

Visitors From Ronan

Jeff Edmondson and two daughters, Misses Bertha and Alice, motored in from their home at Ronan on a visit to A. T. Barry and family. Mr. Edmondson has discarded his team for a more rapid mode of travel.

victory of July. However, they were doomed to disappointment, for the Jacksonites jumped into the lead at the start, and kept it until the end of the seven-innings game, and thoroughly deserved their 8 to 4 victory. Naturally, a good many bonehead plays were made, for neither team had had any practice, and the game was devoid of anything that might be termed spectacular. An enjoyable dance terminated the day's festivities.

Enjoyable Picnic At Big Flume

Site of Big Engineering Feat is Visited by a Merry Crowd—Battle Ground Inspected

The big steel flume of the Trail Creek Water Co., one of the neatest pieces of engineering in the state, was the scene of an enjoyable picnic last Sunday afternoon. The affair had been gotten up by the members of the company, who are about to see the completion of their labors on the immense undertaking.

These energetic young citizens have done something for themselves and the Big Hole basin that will be a lasting monument to their energy and pluck, and the benefits to this section accruing from the irrigation and cultivation of west side bench lands will be inestimable. They have a right to be proud of their achievement.

The big ditch is rapidly nearing completion and next spring will see a steady stream of water flowing through the giant flume and spreading itself on the rich bench lands that for so many years have been good for nothing but pasture. There is a little water running through the flume now, just enough to prove that the big structure will answer its intended purpose.

After a delicious outdoor lunch, supplied by the ladies of the party, who were ably assisted in the work of catering to the hungry by our old friend, Shorty Jarrett, one of the best cooks in the basin, the majority of the company betook themselves to the Big Hole battleground, where several pictures of the group were taken.

It was here that General Gibbons, with 17 officers and 138 men of the 7th U. S. Infantry, assisted by some 30 odd citizens, surprised and fought all day, Aug. 9, 1877, a superior force of Nez-Perce Indians. More than one-third of his command were killed and wounded. A skull, found on the scene, was photographed along with the group.

On the return to the Trail Creek camp, where a large tent had been erected for the accommodation of the party, the remainder of the lunch was demolished, and the homeward trip begun. It was an enjoyable outing and will long live in memory. Those present were:

Messrs. and Mesdames C. E. Farnsworth and children, of Anaconda, Robt. H. Jones, Fred Nelson, E. M. Smith, Arthur Keas, H. S. Armitage, Ray Shaw, George Parsons, W. J. Tope, Gus Swanson and M. M. Moss; Misses Laura Edmondson, Nettie Watson, Ruth Smith and Julia Delaine; Messrs. R. Hathaway, Wilmer J. Smith, Arthur and Lester Barry, Jay Shaw, Dresden Shields, Wilmer Smith, A. L. Phillips, W. A. Mast, M. J. Robinson and THE BREEZES' editor.

We Get Results

THE BREEZES never carried so much local advertising as it does at present. Not only the merchants and ranchers of the basin, but those on the outside, recognize its value as an advertising medium. The manner of its conduct might not tickle the aesthetic palate of the Colonel, but we sure get results—Queen Sabe?

Chas. L. Lawrence was in Wednesday from Bristol for the first time since the Fourth.