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## NEW BOOKS

- CALIFORNIA AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION. Ground Water in California: the present state of our knowledge, by Patricia McBride Bartz. 67 p. Berkeley, Calif., 1949. (Giannini foundation. Ground water studies No. 1)
- CALIFORNIA. DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS. DIV. OF WATER RESOURCES. Alternative Plans for Control of Floods in Upper Sacramento Valley. 217 p. Sacramento, 1948.
- CALIFORNIA. LEGISLATURE. JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON WATER PROBLEMS. Water Problems of the State of California. 233 p. Sacramento, 1949. 292 C122R
- CRAIG, GEORGE A. & MAGUIRE, WILLIAM P. The California Pine Region Forest Handbook. 193 p. Sacramento, Calif. Div. of forestry, 1949.
- HANNA, MARK. Public Speaking Without Fear and Trembling. 166 p. N. Y., Macmillan, 1949. 145.2 H192

"Mr. Hanna shows what vital things interest human beings the world over, and how to use those vital elements in a speech. He explains what kinds of words bore people, and what words are power and fire. He tells how to get a smash beginning, how to gather information and how to put that information together to make a fascinating talk. He includes the main in-

Ingredients for success in delivering the speech once it has been prepared. This book ... will appeal ... to all members of the great public who want to learn how to meet an audience with pleasure and self-confidence."

INGRAM, K. C. Winning Your Way With People. 258 p. N. Y., McGraw-Hill, 1949. 140 In4

"Why do some people get things done so easily? What is the secret of their magic-like touch in dealing with other people? Can we learn it and use it in our every day lives? Mr. Ingram answers these important questions. He describes, with numerous stories and examples, the methods of understanding yourself in relation to others. He puts modern psychology and the findings of the world's great teachers in terms of a simple philosophy of personal action. His suggestions for getting your ideas across to other people, for working harmoniously with people, point up how you can gain maximum effectiveness in dealing with others in your everyday life."

The author is Assistant to the President of the Southern Pacific Railroad, dealing with public and employee relations.

JENSEN, LLOYD B. Meat and Meat Foods; processing and preservation from meat plant to consumer. 218 p. N. Y., Ronald Press, 1949. 50 J45

"The purpose of this book is to explain in non-technical language the processes that bring meats and meat products into the consumer's kitchen in sanitary and appetizing condition; and which have made meat one of the safest as well as the most nutritious of foods.

"Chemists, physicists, bacteriologists, veterinary scientists, engineers, and operating men in meat plants have all contributed to our knowledge of the complex changes that occur in the processing of meats. Their observations and research findings, however, are scattered through scores of technical journals and books, and the aim here is to present a summary of the facts discovered which have practical and informative value for those readers who need a working knowledge of the subject".

LEOPOLD, ALDO. A Sand County Almanac and sketches here and there. 226 p. N. Y., Oxford Univ. Press, 1949. 409 L552

"There are two kinds of people: those who can live without wild things and those who cannot. These essays are the experiences and dilemmas of one who cannot'. So wrote Aldo Leopold in the introduction to this collection of his writing, ranging from a brief description of a wild flower to a philosophical discussion of land conservation.

"Aldo Leopold, one of the world's great naturalists, was a leader in the conservation movement. He also had the ability to express in words of exceptional beauty his appreciation of the way of life of all wild things. In this book have been gathered the best of what might well be called his prose poems".

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MASEFIELD, GEOFFREY BUSSELL. A Handbook of Tropical Agriculture. 196 p. Oxford, Clarendon Press, 1949. 38 M37

"As the title implies, this book is designed as a practical handbook on agriculture in the tropics, for farmer, businessman, or administrator. For the first time in recent years, simple facts and figures on crops and livestock are combined under one cover for easy reference. The first of four sections is a general survey of soils, implements, irrigation, and some economic aspects. Tropical crops - cereals, oil plants, fruits, vegetables, fibers, rubber, tobacco and such - are described in the second part, while the third deals with agricultural diseases and pests. The fourth section considers the livestock situation in the equatorial belt, with chapters on cattle types and management, dairying, small stock, minor farm animals, and pasture management."

Foreign Agriculture, Aug. 1949

MRAK, E. M. & STEWART, GEORGE F. ed. Advances in Food Research. vol. 2. 558 p. N. Y., Academic Press, 1949. 389 M87 v.2

Partial contents: Thermobacteriology as applied to food processing; The pharmacology of DDT; Chemistry of fruit and vegetable flavors; Histological changes induced in fruits and vegetables by processing; Spray drying of foods.

NATIONAL CHINCHILLA BREEDERS OF AMERICA, INC. The National Guide to Chinchilla Breeding. Salt Lake City, Utah, 1949.

POST, KENNETH. Florist Crop Production and Marketing; the application of scientific facts to the production and marketing of florist cut flowers, potted plants and bulbs grown in the greenhouse or in the field. 891 p. N. Y., Orange Judd Pub. Co., 1949. 96.04 P84

This complete guide and reference is directed to the commercial producer but the variety of information could also be useful to the owner of a few potted plants or bulbs. A splendid book.

SNYDER, LLEWELLYN R. Essential Business Mathematics. 434 p. N. Y., Gregg Pub. Co., 1947. 325 Sn9

"The essential purpose of this textbook is to provide knowledge and skill in the computation of practical financial problems of a business, civic, and personal nature. No attempt has been made to provide an all-inclusive study of the various topics presented. The material has been so prepared that it should form a sound basis for either subsequent or concurrent courses in accounting, investments, business finance, money and banking, insurance, retailing, real estate, statistics, and related business subjects"

THORNE, DAVID WYNNE. Irrigated Soils; their fertility and management. 288 p. Philadelphia, Blakiston Co., 1949. 56.7 T393

The authors "assume that the reader has an elementary knowledge of botany, chemistry, mathematics, and physics, and that he is familiar with such concepts as pH, base exchange, and the physical properties of soil".

They "believe the book will be useful not only in college courses dealing with irrigation and the management of irrigated soils, but also as a refer-

ence and guide to those giving technical advice to farmers on the management of irrigated soils. County agents, and field workers for the Soil Conservation Service, the Bureau of Reclamation, and other agencies in irrigated regions have been asking for information of this type".

TRELEASE, SAM F. & BEATH, ORVILLE A. Selenium: its geological occurrence and its biological effects in relation to botany, chemistry, agriculture, nutrition, and medicine. 292 p. N. Y.; Pub. by the authors, 1949.  
391 T71

"The rare and little known element selenium became the subject of immediate interest and intensive research when it was discovered to be the cause of a serious and frequently fatal disease of livestock. Investigations showed that selenium is absorbed from some soils by food and grazing plants in sufficient amounts to make them highly poisonous to animals. Cereal grains and hay grown on certain seleniferous soils cause serious losses of livestock; and native forage plants that accumulate selenium take a heavy toll of cattle and sheep on the ranges of fifteen western states. The selenium problem is of special importance because of the possibility of human injury from consumption of grains, vegetables, eggs, dairy products, and meat from seleniferous areas...".

U. S. CONGRESS. HOUSE. SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS. Hearings ... Department of Agriculture Appropriations for 1951. 4 parts. Washington, D. C., 1950.

Please specify the part in which you are interested.

U. S. FOREST SERVICE. Woody-Plant Seed Manual. 416 p. 1948. (USDA Misc. Pub. No. 654)

U. S. PRODUCTION & MARKETING ADM. Marketing Frozen Foods; facilities and methods. 175 p. Washington, D. C., 1949.

#### SELECTED PAMPHLETS.

##### GARDENING

- Growing strawberries in the home garden. 15 p. 1949. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 151) 100 C12E No. 151
- Home vegetable gardening. 31 p. 1948. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 26 rev.) 100 C12E No. 26
- Ridding the garden of common pests. 39 p. 1948. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 146) 100 C12E No. 146
- Rose culture in California. 37 p. 1948. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 148) 100 C12E No. 148

##### LIVESTOCK. FEEDING

- Comparison of methods of supplying phosphorus to range cattle. 22 p. 1949. (USDA Tech. Bul. No. 981) 1 Ag84Te No. 981
- Feed for chickens. 30 p. 1949. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 159) 100 C12E
- Feeding for milk production. 59 p. 1949. (Oreg. Agr. Expt. Sta. Bul. No. 464) 100 Or3(b) No. 464
- Feeding wheat to livestock. 8 p. 1949. (Oreg. Agr. Col. Ext. Bul. No. 695) 100 Or3EB No. 695

Hay rack and feed trough for weaner calves and yearlings. 13 p. 1948. (Nov. Agr. Expt. Sta. Bul. No. 178) 100 N41S(b) No. 178  
Once-a-day versus twice-a-day feeding for dairy cows. 7 p. 1949. (USDA cir. No. 830) 1 Ag84C No. 830

### MANAGEMENT

Work simplification as exemplified by the work simplification program of the U. S. Bureau of the Budget. 49 p. 1945. (Public Administration Service. Publication No. 91)  
Appraisal and control of duplicating service: management bulletin, by U. S. Bureau of the Budget. 44 p. 1949. 151.28 M31

### SEEDING

A preliminary guide for range reseeding in Arizona and New Mexico. 12 p. 1949. (Southwestern forest & range expt. sta. Research report No. 7) 1.9622 S3R31  
Preliminary report - the Cochran airplane seeding experiment. 36 p. 1949. (Oregon. State bd. of forestry. Research bul. No. 2) 99.9 Or32R

### SOIL CONSERVATION

Dust storms come from the poorer lands. 8 p. 1949. (USDA Leaflet No. 260) 1 Ag84L No. 260  
Grasses and legumes for soil conservation in the Pacific Northwest. 56 p. 1949. (USDA Misc. Pub. No. 678) 1 Ag84M No. 678  
Streambank plantings for erosion control in the Northeast. 8 p. 1949. (USDA Leaflet No. 258) 1 Ag84L No. 258  
Technical skill for soil and water conservation. 14 p. 1949. (USDA PA-86) 1 Ag84Pro No. 86

### SOIL INOCULATION

Inoculation of legumes. 8 p. 1947. (Idaho. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 101) 100 Id1E No. 101  
Legume inoculation: what it is; what it does. 20 p. 1948. (USDA Farmers' bul. No. 2003) 1 Ag84F No. 2003

### TANNIN

Some basic information regarding tannins and tannin-yielding crops. 112 p. 1948. USDA Off. of foreign agr. relations. 1.943 Sc52  
Tannin content and other characteristics of native sumac in relation to its value as a commercial source of tannin. 76 p. 1949. (USDA Tech. Bul. No. 986) 1 Ag84Te No. 986

### WATER

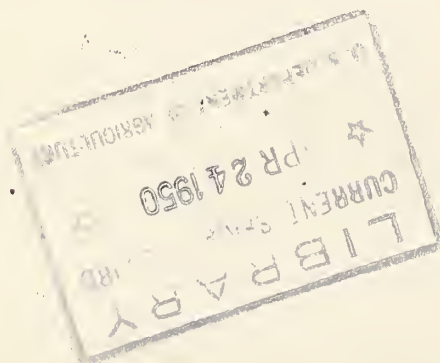
Annual report, San Diego county water authority. Library has 1946 & 1948  
Consumptive use of water rates in the Upper Colorado River basin (provisional), by Harry F. Blaney and Wayne D. Criddle. 50 p. SCS, Div. of Irrig., 1948.  
Evapo-transpiration. Summary of paper presented at the Soil and water conservation meeting, Pasadena, 1944, by Harry F. Blaney. 8 p.  
Normalcy tests of precipitation and frequency studies of runoff on small watersheds. 24 p. 1949. (USDA Tech. bul. No. 985) 1 Ag84Te No. 985

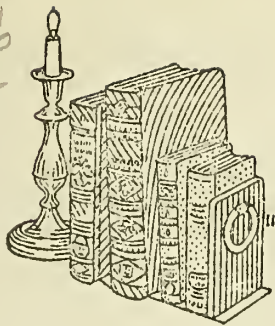
- Rainfall interception by chaparral in California, by E. L. Hamilton & P. B. Rowo.  
43 p. Calif. State Div. of forestry, 1949.
- Report of the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, fiscal year  
July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949. 124 p. Los Angeles, Calif., 1949.  
292 M56
- Review of the 1947-48 water year in southern California. 15 p. U. S. Geological  
survey, Los Angeles, Calif., 1949. (water bulletin)
- Snow surveys for forecasting stream flow in western Nevada. 120 p. (Nov. Agr.  
Expt. Sta. Bul. No. 184) 1949. 100 N4LS No. 184
- South coastal basin investigations - overdraft on ground water basins. 256 p.  
1947. (Calif. Div. of water resources. Bul. No. 53) 292.9 C12B No. 53

#### WOOD PRESERVATION

- Poles and fence posts for Oregon farms. 23 p. 1947. (Oreg. Agr. Col. Ext.  
Bul. No. 681) 100 Or3EB No. 681
- Preservative treatment of Virginia's fence posts. 26 p. 1949. Richmond, Va.,  
Dept. of conservation & development.
- Prevention of deterioration in stored southern hardwood logs. 6 p. Southern  
forest & range expt. sta., 1949.
- Service life of treated and untreated fence posts. 22 p. 1949. (Oreg. forest  
products lab. Progress report No. 2) 99.9 Or3522P

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## NEW BOOKS

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF AGRONOMY. *Advances in Agronomy*. v.1. 439 p. N. Y., Academic Press, 1949.

"Agronomic science, as other branches of science and technology, has made many and rapid advances in recent years. The pressure of specialization, however, makes it difficult for those in professional positions to keep even reasonably well informed of the newer developments in fields other than their own. 'Advances in Agronomy' has as its objective the survey and review of recent developments in the field; it presents a coherent treatment of that which is new against the background of established information."

Ten articles are presented here, each written by specialists for their professional colleagues, but so written as to be intelligible to the average agronomist as well as to the specialist. The central theme of the initial volume is soil-crop relationships. It is the first of a regular annual series of volumes that will, in due course, cover the entire field of agronomy. As such, they will be indispensable to all who are interested in any aspect of the science."

CALIF. DIV. OF WATER RESOURCES. *Flood Flows and Stages in Sacramento and Northern San Joaquin Valleys, 1946-1948*. 186 p. Sacramento, Calif., Sept. 1948.

CALIF. SENATE. *California's Fish and Game Program. Report to the Wildlife Conservation Board, by Seth Gordon*. 246 p. Sacramento, Calif., 1950.

"The 1947 Legislature diverted \$9,000,000 due the State from horse racing operations, from the General Fund to the Wildlife Restoration Fund, and at that session adopted an act known as the Wildlife Conservation Act of 1947, creating a special board ~~to administer the fund and develop a program of conservation and recreation essential to the welfare of the State.~~"

This is the report of Mr. Seth Gordon who was engaged to plan and carry into execution California's program.

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The Library does not have them for distribution

DURUZ, WILLIS PIERRE. The Principles of Nursery Management. 125 p. N. Y., De la Marc, 1950. 90.21 D93

This book is a guide for students and beginners as well as an aid to those already engaged in nursery business. In general common phrasing is used rather than scientific terminology. The material is arranged to present the general procedure in a modern nursery and the logic behind the operation. The author has spent much of his life on the West Coast and has degrees from the University of California and Stanford. He has had extensive teaching experience.

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS. Efficient Use of Fertilizers. 182 p. Washington, D. C., 1949. (Agricultural Studies No. 9)  
28 F73 No. 9

"The efficient use of manures and fertilizers is one of the most important technical factors in food production. This monograph deals with the subject especially for agricultural administrators and advisers who work with farmers and farm organizations. It is not an exhaustive treatise for technicians. Nor is it a detailed handbook of complete recommendations for particular local areas. Rather, it has a different purpose from either of these - the purpose of helping agricultural administrators and advisers all over the world to spread the available knowledge about fertilizers and their use for crop production. .."

KLOSE, NELSON. America's Crop Heritage; the history of foreign plant introduction by the Federal Government. 156 p. Ames, Iowa State College Press, 1950.  
30.9 K69

The general reader will find here the origin of familiar agricultural crops; the student can use it as a text in agricultural history. It is the author's hope "that it will afford an insight into the ancient process of cultural transference - the contribution of other ages and countries to America". David Fairchild has written the introduction.

Schultz, Theodore W. Production and Welfare of Agriculture. 225 p. N. Y., Macmillan Co., 1949. 281.12 Sch82Pr

"In this book I endeavor, in a series of studies of American agricultural policy, to untangle the economic strands of that policy. I try to isolate and make explicit the objectives that have guided policy since World War I, and to indicate in this connection the stress that has been placed upon equality for agriculture, income, prices and upon the family farm as a social and economic institution. I undertake the task of determining whether these are meaningful objectives for policy and in doing so consider briefly a more comprehensive formulation of social action in order to classify and identify the economic aspects of policy. Two basic policy objectives having important economic content emerge. One of these pertains to the allocation of resources where the focus is upon efficiency in production and the other to the personal distribution of income where certain ideas with regard to social efficiency are clearly in the foreground. The social task of achieving an efficient allocation of resources and also that of attaining less inequality in the personal distribution of income are both viewed as problems in welfare.

From the Author's Preface.



SOIL SCIENCE SOCIETY OF AMERICA. Proceedings, 1948. 587 p. Madison, Wis., 1949. 56.9 So3 v.13

U. S. BUREAU OF RECLAMATION. Central Valley Basin: a comprehensive departmental report on the development of the water and related resources of the Central Valley Basin, and comments from the State of California and Federal agencies. 431 p. Washington, D. C., Aug. 1949. (Senate document)

U. S. BUREAU OF STANDARDS. Care and Repair of the House. 209 p. Washington, D.C. 1949. (N BS Circular 489)

The attractiveness of a home, and the pride and satisfaction derived from it, depend a great deal on the way the home is maintained. This bulletin offers simple directions for dealing with leaky faucets, doors that stick, reroofing, walls that need repair, refinishing floors, and many other minor repairs and alterations.

U. S. OFFICE OF DOMESTIC COMMERCE. National Associations of the United States. 634 p. Washington, D. C., 1949. 157.55 N212

Although this book is For Reference Only many of you may be interested to know about this "directory and review of the services and accomplishments of trade associations, professional societies, labor unions, farm cooperatives, chambers of commerce, better business bureaus, and other organizations which play a prominent part in American life".

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DID YOU MISS THESE?

These books are back on our shelves again. All have been enormously popular.

BARRETT, THOMAS J. Harnessing the Earthworm. 184 p. Boston, Bruce Humphries, 1947. 436 B272H

BROWN, H. P. & PANSHIN, A. J. Textbook of Wood Technology. V.1. Structure, Identification, Defects, and Uses of the Commercial Woods of the United States. 652 p. N. Y., McGraw-Hill, 1949. 99.79 B81T

BROWN, NELSON COURTLAND. Logging: the principles of harvesting timber in the United States and Canada. 418 p. N. Y., Wiley, 1949. 99.76 B81Log

DUNHAM, WAYLAND A. It's a date. 156 p. Pasadena, Publication Press, 1948. 93.43 D92

GILBERT, FRANK A. Mineral Nutrition of Plants and Animals. 131 p. Norman, Univ. of Oklahoma Press, 1948. 395. G373

GLEISINGER, EGON. The Coming Age of Wood. 279 p. N. Y., Simon & Schuster, 1949. 99.75 G48

GRAHAM, EDWARD H. & VAN DERSAL, WM. R. Wildlife for America: the study of wildlife conservation. 109 p. N. Y., Oxford Univ. Press, 1949. 412.9 G76

HINDS, MAURICE. In Search of a Future, Persia, Egypt, Iraq and Palestine. 273 p. N. Y., Doubleday, 1949. 280.165 H58

HINDS, GEORGE & BLISS. Sierra-Nevada Lakes. 383 p. N. Y., Bobbs-Merrill, 1949. 158 H59

HOPKINS, JOHN A. & HEADY, EARL O. Farm Records; 3d ed. 303 p. Ames, Iowa State College Press, 1949. 30.6 H77F Ed.3

- HOWARD, LOUISE E. The Earth's Green Carpet. 258 p. Emmaus, Pa., Rodale Press, 1947. 30 H83
- LAURIE, ALEXANDER & KIPLINGER, D. C. Commercial Flower Forcing: the fundamentals and their application to the culture of greenhouse crops; 5th ed. 550 p. Philadelphia, Blakiston Co., 1948. 90.13 L37
- MCDUGALL, WALTER BYRON. Plant Ecology; 4th ed. 234 p. Philadelphia, Lea & Febiger, 1949. 463.8 M142
- MORRISON, FRANK B. Feeds and Feeding: a handbook for the student and stockman; 21st ed. 1207 p. Ithaca, Morrison Pub. Co., 1949. 389.7 M833
- NILES, MARY CUSHING HOWARD. Middle Management: the job of the junior administrator. Rev. ed. 274 p. N. Y., Harper, 1949. 249.3 N59
- OOSTING, HENRY J. The Study of Plant Communities. 389 p. San Francisco, W. H. Freeman Co., 1948. 463.8 Oo92
- PARPART, ARTHUR K. The Chemistry and Physiology of Growth. 293 p. Princeton Univ Press, 1949. 442 P242
- RODALE, J. K. The Organic Front. 199 p. Emmaus, Pa., Rodale Press, 1948. 56.6 R610
- SELF, MARGARET CABELL. The Horseman's Encyclopedia. 519 p. N. Y., Barnes, 1946. 42 So4H
- SHEAT, WILFRED G. Propagation of Trees, Shrubs, and Conifers. 479 p. London, Macmillan, 1948. 90.11 Sh3
- SHOEMAKER, JAMES. Vegetable Growing. 506 p. N. Y., Wiley, 1947. 91.15 Sh7
- TRIPPENSEE, REUBEN EDWIN. Wildlife Management: upland game and general principles. 477 p. N. Y., McGraw-Hill, 1948. (American forestry series) 411.2 T73
- VAUGHAN, LAWRENCE M. & HARDIN, LOWELL S. Farm Work Simplification. 145 p. N. Y., Wiley, 1949. 283 V46
- WILKINSON, ALBERT EDMUND. The Encyclopedia of Fruits, Berries and Nuts & How to grow them. 271 p. Philadelphia, Blakiston Co., 1945. 93.21 W65

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SELECTED PAMPHLETS

DAIRYING

- Bacteriophage and flavor problems in cultured milk products. 7 p. 1950. (Oreg. Agr. Expt. Sta. Cir. of Inform. No. 480) 100 Or3C No. 480
- Dairy farm management in California. 42 p. 1949. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 156) 100 C12E No. 156
- Fly control on dairy cattle and in dairy barns. 12 p. 1950. (USDA Leaflet No. 283) 1 Ag84L No. 283
- Quaternary and cleaner-sanitizers in the dairy industry. 8 p. 1950. (Oreg. Agr. Expt. Sta. Cir. of Inform. No. 481) 100 Or3C No. 481
- Testing milk and cream. 16 p. 1949. (Calif. Agr. Expt. Sta. Cir. No. 340 rev.)

FLORICULTURE

- Camellia culture in California. 23 p. 1950. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. 164) 100 C12E No. 164
- Camellia Flower blight. 3 p. 1950. (Oreg. Agr. Expt. Sta. Cir. of Inform. No. 474) 100 Or3C No. 474
- Growing begonias in California. 41 p. 1950. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 162) 100 C12E No. 162

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## FORESTRY

- Direct-seeding experiments in the southern coastal region of British Columbia, 1923-1949. 45 p. 1949. (B. C. Forest service. Tech. Bul. No. 31)  
99.9 B77P No. 31
- Forest fire-danger measurement in the Eastern United States. 68 p. 1949.  
(USDA Agr. Handbook No. 1) 1 Ag84ah No. 1
- Forestry in Germany, present and prospective, by C. A. Schenk. 42 p. 1948.  
99.66 Sch2
- Forty years of western forestry, by Western forestry & conservation assoc.  
64 p. 1949.
- Lumber dry kilns and their operation, by A. J. Panshin. 70 p. 1949. (Mich.  
Agr. Expt. Sta. Spec. Bul. No. 359) 100 M58SB No. 359
- Ponderosa pine bibliography. 74 p. 1950. (Northern Rocky Mountain Forest &  
Range Expt. Sta. Station Paper No. 22) 1.9 F76 M815S No. 22
- Selected bibliography on forest surveys with aerial photos. 4 p. 1949.  
1.9622 P2Se4
- Yield of Douglas fir in the Pacific Northwest. 74 p. 1949. (USDA Tech. Bul.  
No. 201 rev.) 1 Ag84Tc No. 201

## FUR FARMING

- Chinchilla raising. 7 p. 1950. (USDA Leaflet No. No. 266) 1 Ag84L No. 266
- Fur farming possibilities. 9 p. 1950. (USDA Leaflet No. 267) 1 Ag84L No. 267
- Handbook on rabbit raising. 67 p. 1950. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 161)  
100 C12E No. 161

## HOME MANAGEMENT

- The breakfast meal in relation to blood-sugar values. 24 p. 1949. (USDA  
Cir. No. 827) 1 Ag84C No. 827
- Cheese in your meals. 1950. (USDA Leaflet No. 262) 1 Ag84L No. 282
- Egg dishes for any meal. 16 p. 1948. (USDA Leaflet No. 261) 1 Ag84L No. 261
- Family fare: food management and recipes. 96 p. 1950. (USDA Home & garden  
Bul. No. 1) 1 Ag84Hg
- Guiding family spending. 26 p. 1949. (USDA Misc. Pub. No. 661) 1 Ag84M No. 661
- A home freezer you can build. 10 p. 1950. (Oreg. Agr. Expt. Sta. Cir. of  
Inform. No. 475) 100 Or3C No. 475
- How to use whole and nonfat dry milk. 32 p. (USDA Leaflet No. 275) 1 Ag84L
- Posture in housework. 23 p. 1949. (USDA AIS No. 83) 1 Ag84Ai No. 83
- Recipes for evaporated apple rings. 12 p. 1950. (USDA Leaflet No. 263)  
1 Ag84L No. 263
- Re-upholstering a chair at home. 46 p. 1950. (Oreg. Agr. Col. Ext. Bul.  
No. 698) 100 Or3EB No. 698
- Shopper's coat. 4 p. 1950. (USDA Leaflet No. 271) 1 Ag84L No. 271
- Turkey on the table ... the year round. 21 p. 1950. (USDA Farmers' Bul.  
No. 2011 rev.) 1 Ag84F No. 211

## HORSES

- How to select a sound horse. 22 p. 1949. (USDA Farmers' Bul. No. 779 rev.)  
1 Ag84F No. 779
- Performance of Morgan horses under saddle. 36 p. 1950. (USDA Cir. No. 824)  
1 Ag84C No. 824

## HYDROPONICS

Water-culture method for growing plants without soil. 32 p. 1950. (Calif. Agr. Expt. Sta. Cir. No. 347 rev.) 100 C12S No. 347

## RODENT CONTROL

Control of field rodents in California. 50 p. 1949. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 138 rev.) 100 C12E No. 138  
Control of rats and mice. 37 p. 1948. (Calif. Agr. Col. Ext. Cir. No. 142) 100 C12E No. 142

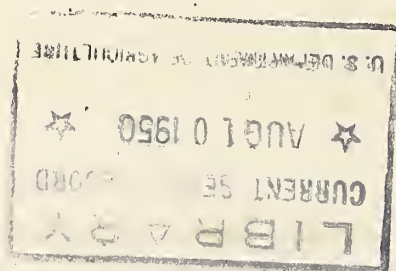
## SPECIALTY CROPS

Oregon's specialty field and drug crops, 1915-1948. 14 p. 1949. (Oreg. Agr. Col. Ext. Bul. No. 696) 100 Or3EB No. 696  
Production of drug and condiment plants. 99 p. 1948. (USDA Farmers' Bul. No. 1999) 1 Ag84F No. 1999

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## NEW BOOKS

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"Nine printings of Lady Balfour's The Living Soil have been brought out in England since it was first published in 1943; it is now established as a scientific classic in soil biology and fertility relationships. This edition, the first in the U. S., is completely revised and up to date."

BROEL, ALBERT. Frog Raising. 152 p. Detroit, Marlboro House, 1943. 415 B78

Discusses the history, commercial possibilities, habits and behavior, locale, breeding, feeding and marketing of frogs.

BROMFIELD, LOUIS. Out of the Earth. 305 p. N. Y., Harper, 1950. 31.3 B780

"Louis Bromfield makes such a good case for his methods of research as almost to persuade one that the experiment stations have the wrong approach to the study of soils, plants, animals, and man. Of course, Bromfield is an intelligent man, and he reads, travels, and talks to many persons in the course of a year, most of whom apparently come to visit him. As a result of his many contacts he is becoming an increasingly well-informed man, and this book shows it. Thus he no longer advocates throwing away the mold-board plow, eliminating the corn crop, farming with <sup>out</sup> fertilizers, specializing in earthworm production, or doing a lot of other things that passing fancies suggest, but he puts each of these in its proper place. And he raises some very embarrassing questions for agricultural scientists to ponder, such as his method of curing cattle of Bang's disease. All of this is set down in print in such an attractive manner that the reader finds himself entranced by the good earth as Bromfield portrays it."

Soil Science, Aug. 1950

CLAWSON, MARION. The Western Range and Livestock Industry. 401 p. N. Y., McGraw-Hill, 1950. (American forestry series) 40 C57

"The objective of this distinctive new book is to analyze and describe the range livestock industry from an economic viewpoint. The author draws upon his 20 years of professional work and 40 years of living in the rangelivestock region in considering the following points: the physical environment upon which the industry is closely dependent, the ownership and management of the extensive areas of land which the industry uses, the economic prob-

lems of ranch organization and operation, credit for the industry, and the factors affecting demand for, and supply of, range livestock products..."

Quoted from the book jacket

FORMAN, JONATHAN, ed. Water and Man: a study in ecology. 408 p. Columbus, Ohio, Friends of the land, 1950.

"Water and Man is the invaluable record of what was said when nearly a score of top-light authorities on the subject of water and its relation to Man's life and work upon this Planet, were brought from all parts of the country by Friends of the Land, to address their Eighth Annual Conference on Conservation, Nutrition and Health.

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HARDY, MARTHA. Tatoosh. 239 p. N. Y., Macmillan, 1946. 145 H22

Now you can read how a "lady lookout" lives week after week in a goldfish bowl on some prominent peak in the mountains. Although the author emphasizes the amusing details of her life spotting forest fires she develops a strong case for fire prevention and forest conservation.

HARVEY, ATHELSTAN GEORGE. Douglas of the fir: a biography of David Douglas, botanist. 290 p. Cambridge, Mass., Harvard Univ. Press, 1947. 120 D74H

"A noble tree, the world's greatest producer of structural timber, was named in honor of David Douglas who, in his short life-span of thirty-five years, made more contributions to modern horticulture than any other single individual. This is a biography of David Douglas intrepid explorer and naturalist whose travels extended throughout the Columbia River territory and across the continent to Hudson Bay and included California, the Sandwich Islands, New Caledonia and Hawaii".

American Forests, May 1948

PANSHIN, ALEXIS JOHN. Forest Products, their sources, production, and utilization. 549 p. N. Y., McGraw-Hill, 1950. 99.75 P19

"Employing a practical yet technical approach, this text is a broad introductory treatise which presents in concise form information on the origin, methods of conversion, and utilization of the principal primary and secondary forest products in America, as well as those from other parts of the world that are important in the American economy. Technical phases of manufacturing are treated without undue emphasis on minute technical and production details."

Quoted from the book jacket

PICTON, LIONEL JAMES. Nutrition and the Soil. 374 p. N. Y., Devin-Adair Co., 1949. 56.6 P58

"The soil as a milestone on the road to health is the theme of this book. The volume is based on the author's experience in private practice and in public health work and on reported experiences of other doctors in Europe,

Asia and elsewhere. The school to which Dr. Picton belongs reasons that good health depends upon good nutrition; good nutrition depends upon the quality of food we eat; the quality of our food in turn depends primarily upon the quality of the soil in which it is grown. Unfortunately, the book, while pointing out the value of organic and natural manures, does not properly credit the value of commercial fertilizer."

Fertilizer Review, July-Sept. 1949

SAMMIS, JOHN LANGLEY: Cheese Making: a book for practical cheesemakers, factory patrons, agricultural colleges and dairy schools. 12th ed. rev. 333 p. Madison, Wis., Cheese Maker Book Co., 1948. 44 D35C

The title is self-explanatory. The book is divided into two sections, Part I - General facts for cheesemakers, Part II - Cheese varieties, their classification and manufacture.

SAUNDERSON, MONT HARRIS. Western Land and Water Use. 217 p. Norman, Univ. of Oklahoma Press, 1950. 282.003 Sa8

"For the years before the opening until now, the West has been looked upon as a land of wide-open spaces and plenty. But with the tremendous growth of population west of the Mississippi during and after the war years, this Promised Land today faces problems at least as serious as those of the congested East - problems of how best to husband its land and water resources in the interest of its own future and the nation's economy. For the West is a vast and arid land, limited as the humid East will never be, by sparse rainfall ... The chief concern of any corrective program, asserts Mr. Saunderson, must be the protection of water reserves - the prevention of a too rapid runoff and the consequent sedimentation of reservoirs ..."

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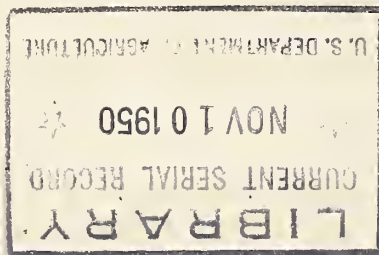
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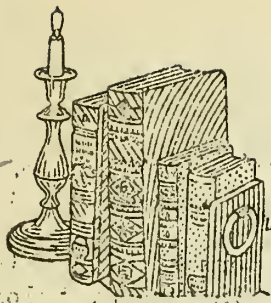
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Science, Apr. 21, 1950

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Reviewed by Fred Cronemiller, FS

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YEAGER, WILLARD HAYES. Effective Speaking for Every Occasion. 444 p. N. Y., Prentice-Hall, 1940. 145.2 Y3

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