FARMERS ADVISED TO PURCHASE ALFALFA SEED

The County Agent advises farmers to purchase their alfalfa seed as soon as possible and to be careful about the variety or strain they use.

The Maryland Experiment Station has conducted some variety tests showing that some of the strains are not particularly adapted to Maryland conditions.

Recently there have been a number of inquiries relative to the use of Argentine alfalfa in the county. The Experiment Station test shows that approximately half of the plants of Argentine seed winter killed in comparison with 40 per cent winter killed of Kansas; 30 per cent Oklahoma; 8 per cent on Grinm and none on Cossack; Arizone-Chilean 95 per cent killed.

Special care should be taken not to purchase seed from irrigated sections or from the warmer sections of the U.S. as the plants from this seed do not seem to be able to resist the freezing and thawing on the Eastern Shore.

With the shortage of adapted strains and the probable use of Argentine seed, the Extension Agronomist, Magruder, recommends that a mixture, using some red clover and timothy along with the Argentine alfalfa is good assurance of a stand.

These figures based on one years tests can be used as a fair indication of what might be expected from the various varieties of seed available.

LIEUT. ROY L. JAMES KILLED IN ACTION

A telegram received by his wife from the War Department Monday disclosed that First Lieut. Roy L. James was killed in action in Germany on February 2nd. He had been overseas since last July and had seen action in Holland and Belgium, as a member of the 504th Division, Paratroop Infantry.

Lieut. James was born in Cambridge and was a graduate of the Cambridge High School. He enlisted in August, 1942 and was sent to the Officers Candidate School at Fort Benning, Georgia. After graduating as a second lieutenant, he was transferred to New Orleans. After a three months' stay there, he joined the paratroopers and was sent back to Fort Benning for paratrooper training.

Lieut. James is survived by his widow, the former Miss Jeanette Dise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Dise of Easton, to whom he was married in 1940. He also is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. James, and two sisters, Mrs. L. W. Haley of Cambridge and Mrs. Leroy Overton of Salisbury.

GUERNSEY MEETING IN CENTREVILLE NEXT MONDAY

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their dairy livestock programs. This contemplated plan approaches the problem from a practical viewpoint: in other words, from the dollars and cents angle. It will make possible the ownership of good stock by all qualified 4-H and FFA boys and help teach them how to get the best practical results from a good herd, as well as ho wto build up a good herd.

The special door prize to be awarded will be a text book that has gained national recognition and is of interest to every cattle breeder, the title being, "Heredity In Dairy Cattle" by that well known authority on the subject, Dr. Russ.

In addition to the above, an elaborate program has been planned for this meeting. Refreshments will be served.

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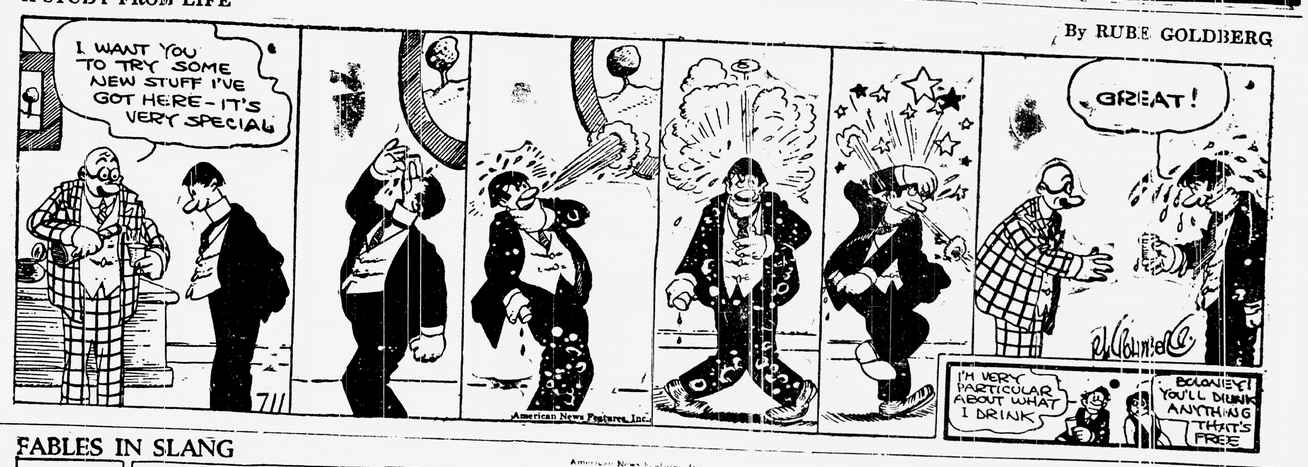

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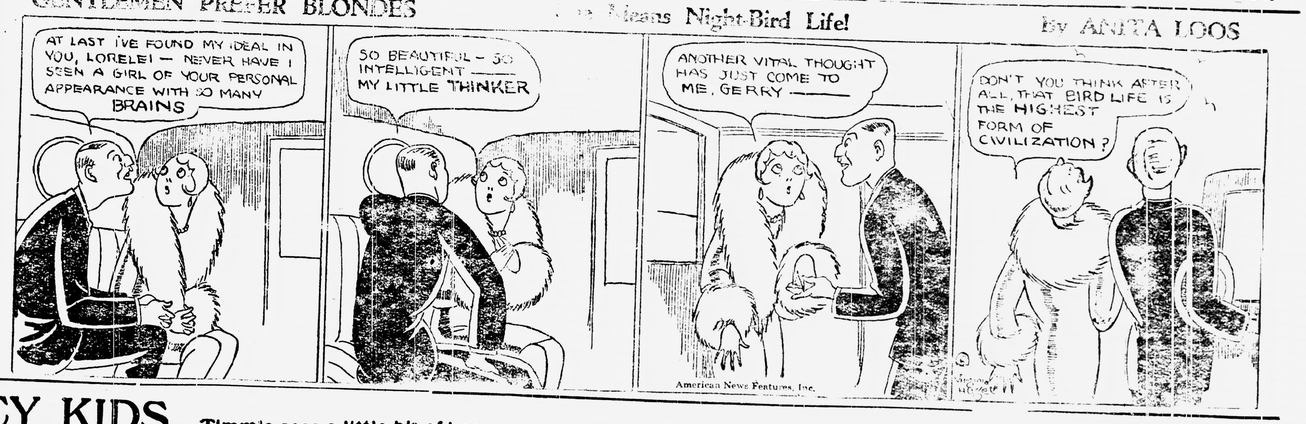

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