1-1-1979

Contents

Department of Agriculture, Western Australia

Follow this and additional works at: https://researchlibrary.agric.wa.gov.au/journal_agriculture4

Recommended Citation
Available at: https://researchlibrary.agric.wa.gov.au/journal_agriculture4/vol20/iss1/1

This front matter is brought to you for free and open access by Research Library. It has been accepted for inclusion in Journal of the Department of Agriculture, Western Australia, Series 4 by an authorized administrator of Research Library. For more information, please contact jennifer.heathcote@agric.wa.gov.au, sandra.papenfus@agric.wa.gov.au.
IMPORTANT DISCLAIMER

This document has been obtained from DAFWA's research library website (researchlibrary.agric.wa.gov.au) which hosts DAFWA's archival research publications. Although reasonable care was taken to make the information in the document accurate at the time it was first published, DAFWA does not make any representations or warranties about its accuracy, reliability, currency, completeness or suitability for any particular purpose. It may be out of date, inaccurate or misleading or conflict with current laws, polices or practices. DAFWA has not reviewed or revised the information before making the document available from its research library website. Before using the information, you should carefully evaluate its accuracy, currency, completeness and relevance for your purposes. We recommend you also search for more recent information on DAFWA's research library website, DAFWA's main website (https://www.agric.wa.gov.au) and other appropriate websites and sources.

Information in, or referred to in, documents on DAFWA's research library website is not tailored to the circumstances of individual farms, people or businesses, and does not constitute legal, business, scientific, agricultural or farm management advice. We recommend before making any significant decisions, you obtain advice from appropriate professionals who have taken into account your individual circumstances and objectives.

The Chief Executive Officer of the Department of Agriculture and Food and the State of Western Australia and their employees and agents (collectively and individually referred to below as DAFWA) accept no liability whatsoever, by reason of negligence or otherwise, arising from any use or release of information in, or referred to in, this document, or any error, inaccuracy or omission in the information.
Contents

3 Crop varieties for 1979
   Recommendations for crop varieties for 1979, including two new wheats, a new oat and a blackleg resistant rapeseed.

7 Twenty-one hints for savings at seeding time
   A study at Kondinin gives hints on improving efficiency at seeding time.

8 Testing bulls for breeding soundness
   New tests are available to ensure bulls are fertile.

10 Lupinosis—a disease still with us
    Improved understanding of lupinosis should help control.

14 Finance for farmers
    A list of sources of finance available to farmers.

18 Symptoms and treatment of copper deficiency in wheat
    Description of an old problem which is still common in some areas.

21 Doublegee control in pastures—what is it worth?
    A recent study showed that the cost of spraying to control a heavy doublegee infestation can be recovered the same year.

24 Erosion risks with high stocking rates at Kojonup
    A pasture grazing trial at Kojonup dramatically illustrated the effects of Cyclone Alby.

25 Think twice before you treat all your cattle for lice
    A Victorian study which questions the value of treating cattle for lice.

26 Contour cultivation—cheap erosion control
    A study indicates that contour cultivation is little more expensive than ordinary cultivation.

28 Bitter pit control could save export Granny Smiths
    New treatments are available to control bitter pit which is threatening Western Australian exports of Granny Smith apples.

31 Sand dune project stabilises beach erosion
    Successful erosion control at Warnbro beach.