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**SUBJECT: UNPROCESSED PROSSER RECORDS UA92-38**

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The following are my notes concerning contents of the 13 Prosser Ag. Experiment Station records. Of the 13 boxes, only 5 are described in detail here. I temporarily labeled these boxes 1-5. The other boxes are unlabeled and I only list their contents in a very general way. Five series are evident: Station business records; Columbia Basin committee files; Numbered cereal(oats, barley, corn) project reports; entomology research reports; and photographs.

*dates - records c. 1940-1965  
photos c. 1905-1960s*

**\*\*\* indicate items of special interest.\*\***

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**UA92-38 Prosser Records**

**BOX 1: Project records and correspondence of C. Stanberry and J. Jacobs mid-1940s through 1965.**

**Corn Hybrid 1940**

**1946 Correspondence to J. Jacobs**

**Cereal Project Correspondence to C. Stanberry**

**Cereal Corr. to J. Jacobs**

**1950 Crop Recommendations**

**Forage Crops**

**Irrigation Branches Expt. 1947**

**Publications**

**Informal Requests 1948**

**Work Plans 1948-50**

**Land Allocations**

**Budget**

**News Stories**

**Soil and H2O Conserv. Projects 1960 (Colo)**

**\*\*Project Corr. 1963-65 - Jan. 10, 1966 references to Clore's reports #1617, 1621, 1628.**

**Project reports 1959-65 (3 files)**

**\*\*Project #552 \_ responses of concord grapes to cultural practices, 1951-1960.**

**Project Reports 1959-1961**

**Project Reports--gives numbers and titles from 1891 -1952**

**Project Reports--1949-1953**

*5 boxes of 13*

**BOX 2: Columbia Basin Projects, 1949-1955**

Columbia Basin  
Committee 1951  
USDA Comm.1949  
Nat. Reclaim. Assoc. 1950  
USDA Field Comm.  
Agency Comm. Meeting  
USDA Council  
Station Circulars  
Cattlemen's Assoc.  
Dairy  
Corn (3 files, 1950)  
Oats  
Forage  
Barley  
Columbia Basin Task Force Reports  
Interagency Comm. 1954-55

**BOX 3: Pest Control 1956-7**

Project Reports  
Mint Crops and Pest Control  
Mint Insects  
Corn  
Earworm  
Insects  
Bees  
Alfalfa  
Bean Virus  
Chalcids  
Mites

**BOX 4: Business Records**

\*\*1955 Loyalty Act Oaths (and Strikes)  
State Contracts  
\*\*Yakima Fruit Growers Assoc.  
Feeding Contracts  
\*\*Hop Producers  
Wool Growers  
Insurance  
Current State Contracts c. 1950

**BOX 5: PHOTOGRAPHS!!!!!!!**

Prosser photographs going back to 1920s, black and white and negatives. No grapes though. Photos of fruit crops, classes held at the station, station personnel and aerial photographs.

**Box 5: Photographs cont'd**

**PROSSER RECORDS**

**Also sheep records 1949-51 in this box ???**

**Manilla Folders with photographs and negatives sorted by decade, 1920s-1960s.**

**Book: "SOILS" includes ledger of sample charts and their progress for 1951.**

**Hausenbuiller Field Book, #2(ranch?) c. 1953. Soil Survey notes**

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**The rest of the boxes contain the files concerned with the following general topics:**

**Alkali Bees**

**Soil survey records**

**Mite Survey Book**

**Cash Journals C. 1920**

**Entomology Reports, research and bulletins**

**1950s Farm Development reports**