

..... LATHROP, Frank Waldo, 1888- An article on Seaman
 ; A. Knapp and his service to southern farmers, read in Yale
 ; Univ. Library, caused him to enter the N. Y. State Col-
 CUT : lege of Ag. In New York, after graduation in 1914, he
 : taught voc. ag. at Canandaigua; and next became a member
 : of the original staff at Schoharie State School of Ag.,
 where he taught farm mgt., soils, crops, and poultry
 keeping, and served as 4-H county club leader. In 1919, George A. Works
 urged him to do graduate work. Received the first Cornell Ph.D. in ag.
 ed. in 1922. Teacher trainer at Univ. of Minn., 1921-1929. Since 1929,
 Specialist in Ag. Ed. (Research), U. S. Office of Education. Major ob-
 jective: to improve ag. ed. by research, with particular regard to es-
 tablishment of young men in profitable farming and as worthy citizens
 in their communities. Secretary of National Committee on Standards for
 Voc. Ed. in Ag. Represented U. S. Office of Education in Victory Farm
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 "Hist. Ag. Ed." invaluable. In all public duties, wise, watchful,
 and tireless. Generous. Appreciative. Known and respected, coast
 to coast, for his alert support of high endeavor and for his profession-
 al integrity. -- Rufus W. Stimson.

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