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WE WOULD like to thank everyone for their prayers and thoughtfulness during Mom's illness and funeral, especially the Norton County Health Dept. for their services and Dr. Glenda Maurer for her wonderful care, Jeff and Kathy Nielsen for his comforting words and for her lovely voice and to the neighbors and friends who brought food. It helped make this sad time a little easier and was greatly appreciated. The Family of Betty Gill

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Cold temperatures can cause winterkill in some wheat crops

THE NORTON TELEGRAM

With the cold temperatures, some of you may be wondering if that could have caused some problems for the wheat.

Friday, February 6, 2004

Typically when the area receives this type of weather, the soil is not as dry as it is now. Soil moisture acts as an insulating blanket around the wheat crown where the growing point is located. When there is very little moisture on the soil, the dry soil will quickly acclimate with air temperature. So when air temperature is extremely cold, this stress has more of a potential to cause damage to wheat. Fortunately, some places did have snow which also acts as insulation for the growing point. For those fields where the snow was blown off or did not have much to begin with, there is a potential for those areas of the field to have some winterkill. More than likely these areas would be the tops of terraces where the wind increased the penetration of the cold into the soil.

The next question may be the following. If I do have winterkill, how much will it affect my wheat crop? Unfortunately, as we all know the wheat is already in a fragile state with a poor root system and poor stands. This type of condition is difficult to replicate in a trial situation, but a study was completed at Garden City were the percentage of winterkill was measured for its impact on wheat yield.

According to Merle Witte, K-State agronomist in charge of the project, the percentage of winterkill loss does not result in the same percentage of yield loss.

"Growing conditions in early spring when tillering is occurring and during the grain-filling period when kernel numbers and kernel size are being determined affect the extent to which winterkill damage expresses itself." he said. "Thus, 25 percent winterkill damage in one year may not be as damaging as the same percent winterkill in another year."

Help Wanted

Swimming Pool Manager

The City of Norton is accepting applications for the position of

Swimming Pool Manager. Successful applicant will be respon-

sible for the maintenance, and general operation of the swim-

ming pool, and will provide all scheduling of personnel. Appli-

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tion to \$6.00 per hour for any work performed prior to Memo-

rial Day, and clean-up work after the pool has closed for the

season. Applications may be picked up at the City Office at 301

East Washington during normal business hours. Position open

until filled. The City of Norton is an equal opportunity employer.

About ag Brian Olson, K-State agronomist

methods were used. In the first year, the appropriate percentage of wheat of 0, 25, 50, and 75 percent of the wheat was hoed out, while in the second year, the percentage that was to be killed was replaced with spring wheat which died out over the winter. The average yield for the check treatment (0 percent winterkill) in the first year was about 59 bushels per acre. The yield for the 25 percent winterkill treatment was 55.3 bushels per acre or about a 6.5 percent yield loss. With the 50 percent winterkill treatment, the yield was 50.7 bushels per acre or about a 14 percent yield loss. For the 75 percent winterkill treatment the yield was 46.8 bushels per acre or about a 21 percent yield loss.

Average yields in the second year of the study were lower because growing conditions during grain-filling were not as good, Witte said. The check or 0 percent winterkill treatment yielded 46 bushels per acre. The 25 percent winterkill treatment yielded 39 bushels per acre or close to a 15 percent yield loss. The average yield for the 50 percent winterkill treatment was 32.5 bushels per acre (29.5 percent yield loss), and the average yield for the 75 percent winterkill treatment was 18.5 bushels per acre (59 percent yield

In addition, in both years the most severe winterkill treatment resulted in a delay in the heading date with a reduction in test weights. In the first year, there was only a small reduction in test weights, while in the second year, with less conducive growing con-To simulate winterkill, two ditions, there was a 3.5-pound-

per-bushel reduction in test weight from the 0 percent winterkill treatment to the 75 percent winterkill

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In conclusion, it is always important to remember that wheat is a survivor and has typically been written off before and has still produced a decent crop. However, this condition is just one more factor working against the wheat crop

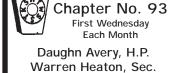
For a copy of this research, click on the Production and Pest Icon under the wheat section and download the document "Winterkilling studies with white-and red-seeded wheat" at the Web site: www.oznet.ksu.edu/agronomyblock2, or a copy can be acquired at your local extension office. Please e-mail me at bolson@oznet.ksu.edu if you have any questions or would like to see a newspaper article on a specific crop production topic.

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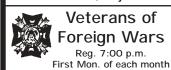


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Fourth Monday



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