OATS AND SHEEP.

By Mr. J. T. Pridham.

To the agricultural section, Mr. J. T. Pridham, New South Wales, lectured on oats and sheep.

He stated that, in view of the fact that wheat yields were lower than in previous years, the feeding value of oats and sheep was of prime importance. He pointed out the importance of the oat crop, and the utilization of excess wheat.

Tests made in Victoria showed the crop was of great importance in the production of wool. The amount of wheat and other crops that could be grown depended on the amount of oats grown. The utilization of excess wheat was of great importance to the economy of the state.

Oats and sheep are essential to the production of wool. The amount of oats and sheep required is proportional to the amount of wheat grown. The crop is of great importance to the economy of the state.

There is a need to increase the oat crop to meet the demand for sheep. This can be done by the establishment of new oat varieties that will meet the requirements of the farmers.