
Cycle

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about the cover: These 1933 photographs depict agricultural engineering, (top) a blacksmithing class, and (bottom) a motors class. Photos courtesy of Northwest Experiment Station archives.

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