

Sheet erosion in Ford County, Kansas

This photograph, taken for the Soil Conservation Service, depicts sheet erosion on the farm of Robert Jones near Ford, Kansas. This type of erosion is caused by cultivating up and down a slope from left to right. According to an annotation on the back of the photograph, this damage occurred after a heavy rainstorm. Note that the right portion of the field had been contour plowed and consequently remained undamaged.

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1063, Kansas, Ford County, 5-13-40. $1\frac{1}{2}$ mi. W. Ford, Kansas
Robert Jones, Ford, Kansas
Cooperator - WF
Sheet erosion by water on wheat field
resulting from cultivating up and down
slope -- left to right. Land on the right
was chiseled on the contour at the same
time listing was done on the left. A 5"
rain brought about damage shown.
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