Pyrotol, a product left over from the world war, has been made available to farmers for land clearing purposes through the state department of agricultural engineering. The farmers have not been charged for the material but a charge for the grinding, packaging and labor, amounting to $7.90 per hundred pounds has been made. One hundred pounds of pyrotol when used on stumps and stones is equal to 140 pounds of 40½ dynamite. This blasting material has been distributed through the county agents office and about 25,000 pounds has been distributed to Kewaunee county farmers.

Blasting demonstrations have been held in several townships in the county and it has been the privilege of the county agent to demonstrate the safety measures to be followed in the use of pyrotol or dynamite.

Eight blasting demonstrations have been conducted with a total attendance of 190 farmers.

At many meetings the safe method of lighting fuse and of priming the cartridge has been demonstrated. Much information has gone direct to farmers in personal letters and also through the press and by telephone. This information will continue to be given out even though the supply of pyrotol is completely exhausted. The same methods of safety apply to dynamite.