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I am now booking orders for day old chicks, hatched right, from Tanager strain S. C. White Leghorns, culled by latest methods. C. A. Puckett, Canyonville, Oregon.

### COOKED FOOD SALE.

The ladies of the New Idea club, of Edenlow, will hold a food sale in the building next to the Roseburg National bank, Saturday, January 21st, beginning at 9:30. All proceeds will go toward making the last payment on the play shed belonging to the Laurelcreek school. Excellent pies, cakes, cookies, doughnuts, baked beans, salads, bread, rolls, etc., will be on sale.

Only one piece of curtain marquisette left, at 25c per yard while it lasts. Bell Millinery.

## Small Shot Strike Occupants of Car

SUTHERLIN, Ore., Jan. 20.—While returning from Oakland last Monday night, a car in which Mr. and Mrs. T. Fred Fisher, of Sutherlin, were riding was fired on near the south limits of Oakland, and a BB shot which penetrated the curtain of the car embedded itself in Mrs. Fisher's chin, necessitating the service of a physician for its removal on her arrival in Sutherlin. A shot was also fired at another Sutherlin car, a short distance ahead of Mr. Fisher's, containing Kenneth Lake and Hanson and Earl Smith. Both the latter were hit by shot on their arms and shoulders, but owing to the fact that they were wearing heavy overcoats, the shot did not penetrate the flesh. Unless the perpetrators of this outrage are apprehended and handed what is coming to them, it is very probable that there will be a shortage of Sutherlin people at future entertainments in Oakland.

Ladies' silk gloves, all shades, reg. \$1.50 values, for \$1. The Kayser gloves. Bell Millinery.

## Diphtheria Breaks Out at Sutherlin

An epidemic of diphtheria is gaining headway in the Sutherlin schools, according to County Health Officer Wade, who spent yesterday at the school obtaining cultures from the throats of the pupils to ascertain the carriers of the disease.

Diphtheria is peculiar in the fact that a person may carry the disease to others and yet be perfectly well. Dr. Wade states, in this way the germs are carried to others while the carrier is not located and continues to spread the infection. Yesterday Dr. Wade took "smears" from the throats of each of the children. In this procedure the throat is swabbed and the swab marked and sent to the State Board of Health where a test is made to determine the nature of the germs found in the throat. In the event of diphtheria germs being found, the pupils are placed in quarantine. Already five cases and two suspected carriers have been located by this method, Dr. Wade says.

Suspects are treated with anti-diphtheria serum which will prevent them taking the disease for a time. The physician hopes to continue the schools as it is much easier to keep the children under observation in this manner.

Outside of Roseburg there is no smallpox in the county except a few isolated cases, Dr. Wade says, although there is a light epidemic of scarlet fever at Riddle.

### MARRIED WEDNESDAY

Roland J. Letson of Drain and Miss Eva M. Thiel of Sutherlin were married at Roseburg Wednesday, January 18th, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. C. H. Hillton. Only immediate relatives were present.

Mrs. Letson was the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Thiel of Sutherlin. She graduated from the Oakland high school with the class of 1919 and later attended the University of Oregon for two years.

Mr. Letson is a native of Douglas county. He served two years with the over-seas veterans and is well known resident of Drain.

After a short honeymoon trip to Portland they will go to Drain where Mr. Letson is employed with the Warren Construction company.

They have many friends who extend to them their sincere wishes for happiness and prosperity in their matrimonial life. XX.

Just a row more Misses' fibre silk bloomers. Regular \$1.10 for 50c. Opportunity to save. Bell Millinery.

### TEN MILE AND VICINITY

Quite a number of our citizens are afflicted with colds and gripes.

James Sprague and daughter, Dorothy, and M. L. Bushnell were Roseburg visitors Friday.

Mrs. Robert Hill and daughter, Mildred, who have been quite sick with influenza are reported as improving. Dr. Melvin is in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Swift visited at the M. L. Bushnell home Sunday.

Ivan Swift, who is suffering with blood poison in his hand is reported some better. He is in Roseburg under the care of Dr. Stewart.

Rev. Strouds preached an interesting sermon at Ten Mile Sunday.

Neil Ollivant who has been quite sick is reported better. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Herb Wells, who underwent a sojourn operation at Moscow, Idaho, a short time ago, is improving nicely.

The Olliva Sewing and Canning Club have Mrs. Earl Ollivant for club leader. Mrs. Ollivant has been very successful as a leader, and the girls have done some wonderful work under her leadership.

Mrs. Henry Bushnell who has been in poor health for some time is reported as no better, we are sorry to say.

Some of the owners of the land through which the new highway runs are preparing to fence in the near future. XX.

## Changes Made In Motor Laws

Many new clauses appear in the new motor vehicle laws, according to Inspector J. J. McMahon, of the state motor vehicle department, who is here during the auto show. Mr. McMahon will be here until Saturday night and will be glad to explain any section of the law to motor drivers.

Mr. McMahon says: "Every track operating for hire

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outside of the city limits of incorporated cities and towns must pay 50 cents per inch for every inch or fraction thereof of the total tire bearing surface, in addition to the regular fees prescribed by law, and again: "Every car carrying passengers for hire, which is termed a motor bus, must pay \$4 for each 20 inches of seating space."  
Operators of cars must have 1921 plates on their machines until the new license plates are received. Anyone found operating a car without having applied for licenses after Jan. 20 will be taken into court. Everyone hired to drive a motor vehicle must have a chauffeur license, whether the car be for hire or not. This ruling applies to delivery cars of retail merchants. All cars operating for hire are referred to the public service commission regarding bonds to be furnished.

Mr. McMahon stated that he was going to enforce the dimming law more rigidly than before. Also that regarding horse-drawn vehicles not equipped with a light at night. Speed on trucks is to be determined on tire width.

### PLUMBING NOTICE.

All persons who are now installing, or may hereafter install, plumbing of any nature in the city of Roseburg, are hereby notified that the same MUST be done in accordance with Ordinance No. 363. The person desiring to install such plumbing must secure from the undersigned a permit therefor and no such work will be permitted to be connected with a sewer until same has been approved. Anyone violating any of the provisions of this ordinance are subject to fine. For further information either phone 293 or call on the undersigned at No. 117 North Jackson street, in the Maxwell Garage.

G. D. RANDOLPH,  
Plumbing Inspector.

### BARNACLES LONG A MYSTERY

Up to a Comparatively Few Years Ago the Small Creatures Were Wrongly Classified.

So indefinite and hazy were the results of investigation in its case that until a very few years ago the barnacle was classed with the molluscs, although it is really a crustacean. It is developed from free-swimming larvae and attaches itself to rocks or timbers, which it never leaves again unless torn off by force.

There prevailed during the Middle ages a curious superstition that the barnacle was the egg of a migratory goose, the eggs being attached to the branches of trees that overhung the water. Not until it was found that the bird had its nesting place in the Arctic regions and came South during the polar winter was this fiction disproved. But the bird is still known as the barnacle goose.

The barnacle also attaches itself to living organisms, one of its favorite lodging places being the huge bulk of the whale. Sometimes, it is contended, it ventures even into the jaws of the big mammal. It is one of the paradoxes of nature that the leviathan of the deep is utterly powerless to cope with the small crustacean, which, at its largest size, when within the shell, is about as big as a chestnut. It is believed that whales sometimes try themselves against ships in their attempts to rid themselves of their unwelcome tenants.

### Some Compensation.

An official of a large corporation, which had made a rather poor earnings report, commented with satisfaction on the fact that competing companies had had considerably larger deficits.

"We can derive some consolation from this," he said, and went on:

"It reminds me of the story of the man who was traveling through the West Virginia mountains and, approaching a poor cottage, saw three boys, two of whom were sobbing loudly while the smallest seemed not to have a care in the world. At the door of the cottage, the father of the boys stood, gun in hand, and the stranger inquired the source of the sorrow of the two older boys.

"Waal, stranger," said the mountaineer, "it was this way: Today is the birthday of my youngest kid. I didn't have any money to buy him a birthday present so I licked his two brothers."—Wall Street Journal.

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### FAMOUS OLD ESTATES PASS

Time's Changes Wreak Havoc With Some of the Finest Places Known to English History.

Historic estates of England are still being sold under the auctioneer's hammer. One notable example is the sale of the Bradgate estate, in the heart of the Charnwood forest district of Leicestershire, formerly owned by the seventh earl of Stamford and Warrington which was the birthplace of the ill-fated Lady Jane Grey, the old hall, which was destroyed by fire, having been built by her grandfather, Thomas Grey, second marquis of Dorset. It includes the ruins of the ancient Unverscroft priory. The priory was founded by Robert Blanchmains, earl of Leicester, in the reign of Henry II for Augustinian hermits, and the priors became persons of great importance, with evidently strong sporting proclivities, for it is said "they kept their hounds and hawks; they employed a ranger, a huntsman, and a falconer; they had seven woodmen constantly employed in cutting firewood for the house; they brewed ten quarters of malt weekly; they kept open house for all visitors and wayfarers and maintained all the poor in the surrounding parishes."

### Teacher of Writing Complains.

The writing teacher sighed. "Yes, writing is a hard subject," she said. "The difficulty lies in the changing of systems. It is not as bad just now as it was a few years ago, but there was a time when a child began to write by learning the vertical system, changed to a slanting style, changing to a flowing style, etc. By the time he finished school his writing was a conglomerate of all styles, and very unsatisfactory."

"Even now a child seldom is taught the same style of writing straight through the grades and junior high school. He gets discouraged and so does the teacher. Another discouragement is that when a pupil graduates from school he reverts to his own particular style of writing, no matter how well he has been taught."—Springfield Editor.

Sunda Light is orchestra night at the Christian church.