HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Rice pudding sweetened with brown sugar will have a very rich flavor.

A weak tea made from plug tobacco will overcome insects on house plants.

Good dusters are washed often, dipped in kerosene and dried in the open air.

Even when the material has to be bought, home canning is often profitable.

White oilcloth is an economical and attractive covering for the kitchen table.

It is better for the loaf pans to be narrow. This will insure thorough baking.

Baked apples are delicious served with drawn butter, flavored and sweetened.

A little alum in the water used for washing perspiring hands and feet will alleviate any unpleasantness.

Get a hand pumice stone, which comes with a small handle attached, at smallwears counter in department store.

A little methylated spirit used to moisten the polishing paste for brass and copper goods will keep them from tarnishing for quite a long time.

White lead is one of the few elements that resist both heat and water. Apply thinly to the edges of the broken pieces of crockery, press them tight together and set aside to dry.

To dry a woolen sweater so it will not lose its proportions, shape it while it is wet and lay it flat on a folded Turkish towel. A vest should be hung on a coat hanger.

All white leathers, excepting kid, are best cleaned with soap and water. Use a stiff nail brush and plenty of soap and water. After the shoe is scrubbed rinse off the soap and put the shoes on a stretcher and dry in the sun.

GRAIN VARIETIES FOR POULTRY RATIONS

Oats are often fed to poultry for variety, but are not well liked unless hulled, the hulls being tough and rather indigestible. Hulled oats, on the other hand, are relished by the poultry and are excellent for producing eggs. When they can be obtained at a reasonable price in comparison with other grains, they may be fed quite largely.

Barley does not seem to be greatly relished by hens, but may be used to give variety to the grain ration. It has a little more protein than corn and a little less than oats.

Buckwheat is quite well liked by fowls, but is not widely fed. It may be fed to vary the ration. Buckwheat middlings are rich in protein and make a good mixture with corn meal.

Rye is not fed largely, and does not seem to be much relished by the poultry. It is supposed to cause bowel trouble when fed freely.

A member of parliament had emptied the room with an interminable speech. Looking around at the empty benches, he remarked to a bored friend, "I am speaking to posterity."

"If you go on like this," growled the friend, "you will see your audience before you."

Summer Complaint

During the hot weather of the summer months some member of almost every family is likely to be troubled with an unnatural looseness of the bowels, and it is of the greatest importance that this be treated promptly, which can only be done when the medicine is kept at hand. Mrs. F. F. Scott, Scottsville, N. Y., states, "I firse used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy as much as five years ago. At that time I had a severe attack of summer complaint and was suffering intense pain. One dose relieved me. Other members of my family have since used it with like results."

MONSTROUS IDEA IN GERMAN MIND

Anything Praiseworthy if for Prussia's Gain

This I have seen. I could not believe it unless I had seen it through and through. For several weeks I lived with it; I went all about it and back of it; inside and out of it was shown to me—until finally I came to realize that the incredible was true. It is monstrous, it is unthinkable, but it exists. It is the Prussian system.—F. C. Walcott.

At a conference of field men of the United States food administration held in Washington, F. C. Walcott pictured conditions as he had found them in the countries invaded by German arms. Mr. Walcott served with Mr. Hoover on the Belgium relief commission when this nation was attempting to feed the starving civilian population of Belgium, Poland and northern France. In his address he had pictured such conditions as he said he could not believe unless he had seen the situation through and through, and had lived with it for weeks. He showed these terrible conditions to be the result of deliberate plans on the part of official Germany, and in summing up he said:

"Such is the German mind as it was disclosed to me in several weeks' contact with officers of the staff. Treaties are scraps of paper, if they hinder German aims. Treachery is condoned and praised, if it falls in with German interest. Men, lands, countries are German prizes. Populations are to be destroyed or enslaved so Germany may gain. Women are Germany's prey, children are spoils of war. God gave Germany the Hohenzollern and together they are destined to rule Europe and, eventually, the world—thus reasons the kaiser.

"Coolly, deliberately, officers of the German staff, permeated by this monstrous philosophy, discuss the denationalization of peoples, the destruction of nations, the undoing of other civilizations, for Germany's account.

"In all the world such a thing has never been. The human mind has never conceived the like. Even among barbarians, the thing would be incredible. The mind can scarcely grasp the fact that these things are proposed and done by a modern government professedly a Christian government in the family of civilized nations.

"This system has got to be rooted out. If it takes everything in the world, if it takes everyone of us, this abomination must be overthrown. It must be ended or the world is not worth living in. No matter how long it takes, no matter how much it costs, we must endure to the end with agonized France, with imperiled Britain, with shattered Belgium, with shaken Russia.

"We must hope that Germany will have a new birth as Russia is being reborn. We must pray, as we fight against the evil that is in Germany, that the good which is in Germany may somehow prevail. We must trust that in the end a Germany really great with the strength of a wonderful race may find its place as one of the brotherhood of nations in the new world that is to be.

"The responsibility of success or failure rests now upon our shoulders; the eyes of the world are anxiously watching us. Are we going to be able to rise to the emergency, throw off our inefficiency, and prove that democracy is safe for the world?"

In the above statement Mr. Walcott has described a condition that must be changed if America, if the world, is to remain a "fit place to live in." And the only way by which this change can be effected is the defeat of German arms in this war. Nothing good, nothing but evil, can come out of Germany, so long as the German people are controlled by a military autocracy, and the German people cannot be made to realize this until this autocracy is crushed. The spirit of militarism that has made of the Germans a robber and a murder nation must be utterly crushed if the world is to remain free, and to accomplish this those of us who cannot fight in France must lend our support to our men who are fighting for us.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of the Person and Estate of Harry Cloninger, a Minor.

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the County of Columbia, State of Oregon, duly given and made on the 27th day of July, 1918, in the above entitled estate, Cordelia Cloninger, guardian of the person and estate of Harry Cloninger, a minor, will sell on or after Saturday the 14th day of September, 1918, in the County of Columbia, State of Oregon, to the highest and best bidder and upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned at private sale, subject to confirmation by said County Court, the following described real property belonging to the estate of said minor:

A strip of land 60 feet in width, and described as beginning at the intersection of the county road with the westerly boundary of the right-of-way of the Northern Pacific R. R., where an iron bar has been set in the survey of the Cloninger estate, and running thence northerly along the said westerly boundary of said right-of-way 1014 feet to an iron pipe set in the north boundary of said Cloninger estate; thence westerly along the north boundary of said Cloninger land 63 feet; thence southerly and parallel to the railroad right-of-way 1014 feet, more or less, to the center of the County road, thence following said road easterly to the point of beginning, containing 1.39 acres and being in Section 36, Tp. 4 N., R. 2 West of the Willamette Meridian, in Columbia County, State of Oregon.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash upon delivery of the deed of said guardian and after confirmation of sale by said County Court.

Bids and offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of W. A. Harris, St. Helens, Oregon, attorney for said guardian, or may be delivered to said guardian personally, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

Dated, August 13, 1918.

CORDELIA CLONINGER,
Guardian of the Person and Estate of Harry Cloninger, a minor.
W. A. Harris, St. Helens, Ore.
Attorney for Guardian.
First publication Aug 16, 1918.
Last publication, Sept. 13, 1918.

NOTICE OF SALE

State of Oregon, County of Multnomah.

In the County Court—In Probate. No. 7906.

In re Estate of Jacob Franklin Maybach, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah, duly made and entered in the above entitled estate on the 29th day of November, 1916, as modified May 22, 1918, the undersigned administratrix of said estate will, from and after Monday, the 16th day of September, 1918, proceed to sell at private sale in one parcel, for cash and credit, to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the said Court, all of the following property of the said estate situated in the County of Columbia and State of Oregon, to-wit: Lots one (1) and two (2) and the south half of the northeast quarter (S½NE¼) of Section six (6), and Lots three (3), four (4), and five (5) and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter (SE¼NW¼) of Section six (6) in Township three (3) north, range two (2) West of Willamette Meridian, containing three hundred and fourteen (314) acres more or less, according to the United States government surveys, said premises being the north half (N½) of said Section six (6), together with the dower estate of Nettie Maybach as widow of said decedent therein.

Terms of sale, six thousand dollars ($6000) cash, balance of bid payable in equal installments due July 1, 1919, January 1 and July 1, 1920 and January 1, 1921, with interest on deferred payments at six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, evidenced by promissory notes of the purchaser, secured by first mortgage on said premises, with privilege to the purchaser of logging such eighty (80) acres thereof on making each deferred payment as may hereinafter be agreed upon and confirmed by the Court.

Bids will be received at my residence, 1681 Westanna Street in the City of Portland, County of Multnomah and State of Oregon, or at the office of my attorney, Thad W. Vreeland, 1020 Chamber of Commerce Building in said city.

Dated, Portland, Oregon, August 15, 1918.

NETTIE MAYBACH,
Administratrix.
THAD W. VREELAND,
Attorney for Administratrix,
1020 Chamber of Commerce,
Portland, Oregon.
First publication, August 16th, 1918
Last publication, Sept. 13th, 1918.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

For Columbia County, Oregon

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization for Columbia County, Oregon, will attend at the Court House in St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, on the second Monday in September, (Monday, September 9th) 1918, and publically examine the assessment roll for said year, and correct all errors in valuations, descriptions or qualities of lands, lots or other property assessed by the Assessor; and it shall be the duty of persons interested to appear. Petitions or applications for the reduction of a particular assessment shall be made in writing, verified by the oath of the applicant or his attorney, and be filed with the Board within fifteen days from the time it is by law required to meet; and any petition or application not so made, verified and filed shall not be considered or acted upon by the Board.

C. W. BLAKESLEY,
35-38 Assessor

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NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT—MARIE ROSE MOREL ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administratrix with will annexed of the estate of Marie Rose Morel, deceased, has filed her final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, and that Saturday, September 14, 1918, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., of said day and the Court Room of said Court at St. Helens, Oregon, have been appointed by said Court as the time and place for hearing objections thereto and the settlement thereof.

Dated and first published, August 16, 1918.

LOUISE M. ANLIKER,
Administratrix with Will Annexed.
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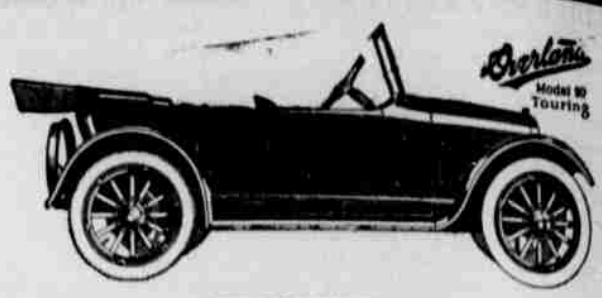

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