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Want Ads.

WHEN IT COMES TO untiring sellers, finders and traders, an Observer Want Ad can't be beat. It works overtime on straight-time pay. Rates, one cent per word per issue --no ad less than 25 cents.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT--A new four-room modern cottage. Red 921. 1-15tf

FOR RENT FURNISHED

FOR RENT--Furnished rooms heated, with or without board. Only one block from postoffice. Mrs. E. C. Tuckey, 906 Washington. 12-30-tf

FOR RENT--Housekeeping rooms, 1307 Pennsylvania avenue. Mollie Noyes. 1-15tf

FOR RENT--Furnished apartments, modern and close-in, finest in city. Inquire Darland Apartments, Apt. 4, Depot street, or phone Red 1452. 1-16-tf

FOR SALE--Real Estate

FOR SALE--Ten acres, all kinds of fruit. Address Observer. 1-2-31pd

FOR SALE--Sweet apple cider, 25c a gal. Phone Black 381. 1-19-4t

FOR SALE--Wood

FOR SALE--Chain wood. Phone Black 1642--Adv. 11-28-tf

DRESSMAKING

RELIABLE DRESSMAKING--Will call, plan, design and fit work in your home. Phone Black 3512. 1-6tf

TO EXCHANGE--Real Estate

TO EXCHANGE--A good modern six-room cottage, two lots, lights, city water, bath, etc.; well located for ten acres improved, not over two miles out. Will pay difference. Price must be reasonable. Address W., care Observer. 1-16-5tpd

FOR SALE--Printing.

Complaints, affidavits and legal blanks of every description for sale at The Observer, 1710 Sixth street.

Names Track for Gulling

In honor of Jake Gulling, the O-W R and N. company has named a 3000 foot passing track 25 miles from La Grande on the Joseph branch. Jake Gulling was a conductor on the Joseph branch for a number of years.

FARM SALE BILLS--Get prices on farm sale bills at The Observer office.

Notice.

A light Jersey cow about six years old came to my place about forty days ago. She is branded a quarter circle R on the right hip, a crop and a swallow fork in the right ear and a swallow fork in the left ear. Owner can have same by proving claims and paying expenses.

1-11-14tpd

L. B. CARTER, Cove, Oregon.

RETAIL APPLES GOOD COOKING 60c EATING APPLES 90c Fancy Roman Beauties, solid pack, per box \$1.50 We still have a few fat Chickens for sale.

SMITH PRODUCE AND STORAGE Phone Main 734

"Puff! Puff!" Says Mary Pickford, And the Shiny Nose Is Gone



As has been prominently inscribed somewhere in the annals of life, "Girls will be girls." Hence Mary Pickford, though she is the most popular lass in the country--aye, in the world--is but a girl. Naturally she is in constant fear of the shiny nose, and more so than the average girl, for an unpowdered nose does not show up well on the screen.

Mary is now a Scotch lass. From

the banks of the Ganges to the wind blown fields of Scotch heather is a long journey, but it is a trip that Miss Pickford has taken in the interval between "Less Than the Dust," her initial Arterraft production, and "The Pride of the Clan." Girls of many nations have been portrayed by "Little Mary," but her Scotch characterization is expected to prove the greatest of them all.

PROPER DIMENSIONS OF IDEAL HENHOUSE

There are as many types of chicken houses as there are of poultry raisers, and but few of these houses approach the ideal, asserts N. L. Harris, superintendent of the poultry plant, Kansas State Agricultural college.

The ideal chicken house should be at least twenty feet long and eighteen feet wide. The height should be such as will be convenient to the operator, about nine feet in front and not less than four feet at the back. With a house of these dimensions there will be no frozen combs even in severe winter weather. Frozen combs usually result from keeping poultry in small houses.

There is no question that cement is the best floor for poultry houses, since such a floor is sanitary, vermin proof and easily cleaned.

The manner of lighting and ventilating a poultry house is always important, in the opinion of Mr. Harris. Too



Now that the show season is here poultrymen with good fowls should enter a pair of birds if they think their stock worthy. At least visit a show and learn what kind of birds win prizes. The two single comb White Leghorns here shown were prize winners last fall.

much glass raises the temperature in the day and permits rapid radiation at night. The resulting wide variation of day and night temperatures is always injurious to the health of the fowls.

Probably the best means of providing adequate light and ventilation is to have two windows in the south side of the building with a cloth curtain between. During stormy days, while the curtain is closed, the windows will provide sufficient light, and the curtains will allow sufficient ventilation without permitting drafts.

RARE VOLUME IS FOUND.

De Solis' Book Published in 1587 Turns Up In Philadelphia. A copy of the "Conquista de Nueva Espana," by Antonio de Solis, published in 1587, was found in a stack of old books sent to the Bucks County Historical society of Pennsylvania by an unidentified donor, according to an announcement made by Warren S. Ely, librarian of the society. A copy of this work was recently sold in London for \$15,000.

You Can Help Stop The Paper Famine

Dear Reader:--The other day we wrote in this box telling you why and how you should help stop the paper famine in the United States by saving rags and waste paper.

You can sell them to the junk man. Save clean white cotton or linen rags and clean unbleached cotton and linen rags. Scraps and small pieces are as good as big ones. Shirts, table damasks, toweling, cotton and linen dress goods are fine. Also soiled white rags, both new and used and colored cloths that are bleachable, but keep blacks, reds, maroons and dark browns separate from this pile. In fact keep all these classifications separated.

Aside from this, put all other rags, too poor in quality for any of these classifications, in a pile by themselves. Don't put in any of these bundles rags that are excessively greasy or have rubber in them. Nor any corsets, rubber cloths of any kind, or suspenders. Put clean black rags in a separate pile. This includes socks. Woolen rags of all kinds are valuable. We'll tell about paper next.

Skates on Ice From Rinehart to Elgin

Although the feat has been performed by several during past year, it remained for Lynn Hill to make the trip from Rinehart (Willow Creek) to Elgin via Grande Ronde river on ice skates during the year of 1917. Lynn did not encounter any serious impediments and removed his skates on the banks of the river at the William Hill farm on the southern limits of Elgin within 40 minutes after leaving his home, a distance of at least five miles. At Riffles, where the river had frozen but a few inches he was compelled to hug the bank, but otherwise maintained his course near the center of the stream. On the return trip he placed the skates in his pocket and boarded the O-W. R. & N.--Elgin Recorder.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Miss Viola Benham underwent an operation Friday at the Grande Ronde Hospital for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely.

Miss Frieda Graham was brought in Friday for an operation at the hospital. Her condition at present is very favorable.

Quiet Along Plesses Deroys. Paris, Jan. 22.--(United Press)--It was announced today that violent artillerying was going on near Plesses Deroys. Elsewhere on the front it is very quiet.

Wedding invitations, announcements and calling cards printed at the Observer Job Printing Department. 18-28-tf

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PAULINE LEDERLE, Sommer Hotel Bldg.

ADDITIONAL PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bell of Wallowa are in the city. Mr. Bell is here on business connected with the grain, livestock and wool business.

Henry J. MacCaffery spent the week-end in Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fletcher of La Fayette are guests at the Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Taylor of La Grande are at the Multnomah.

Martin King is a La Grande arrival at the Portland.--Oregon Journal, Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sargent, who were married here January 13 by Rev. Ford, are enjoying their honeymoon visit to Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Sargent will live here where Mr. Sargent is employed as brakeman for the O-W. The bride, nee Miss Helen Ruckman, is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ruckman and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ruckman of La Grande.

BUTTER LABELS--For sale at The Observer office.

POULTRY PICKINGS.

The fowls should be in winter quarters now, as it is a good plan to house them before they begin to lay.

It isn't a matter of a particular breed. There are a dozen breeds of fowls that can be depended upon for high economic values if rightly handled.

Have the poultry house floor well covered with litter. This may be rye straw, shredded corn-stalks or wood shavings.

Feed about three pounds of succulent feed to twenty hens daily. Sprouted oats, cabbage or mangel wurtzel are excellent feeds of this sort.

Do not allow hens out of the house when there is snow on the ground.

The Best Hen. The hens that consume large quantities of feed and have good appetites should be selected in preference to those with small appetites. The hen that does not eat freely cannot provide sufficient material for maintenance and production.

Our Want Ads bring results.