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RODS—
LINES—
HOOKS—
FLIES, Etc.,

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We are also getting in the largest shipments of old favorites since the war began. These include HAWAIIAN, SAXAPHONE, good MARCHES, OLD VOCAL FAVORITES, etc. Come in and try them over.

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THE ROAD TO HAPPINESS.

You must keep well if you wish to be happy. When constipated take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. They cause a gentle movement of the bowels—adv.

Pompey's Pillar

The famous column stands in the neighborhood of Alexandria, on an eminence about 1,800 feet south of the walls. It is supposed to have been built to commemorate the conquest of Alexandria by Diocletian in 298 A. D.

Like Peanut Oils

The light and luscious of the Philippines have a regular oily odor resembling that of peanut oils. Says the American Forestry Magazine

Bon Bons.

Of course, you must all know of our fine candies. Our taffies, our chocolates and bonbons, our nut loaf candies. All made in our candy department. Also our delicious individuals, 5c each, 65c and 85c a box. All Cain at **Palace Confectionery Co.** 4-15-1f

High Class Candies.

The high class of chocolates and taffies we are selling will please the most fastidious customers. The prices we are charging for candy are most reasonable. Please drop in and let us show you.

Silverthorn's FAMILY DRUG STORE
LA GRANDE, OREGON 4-15-1f



What Do You Expect From Your Shoes?

Most Men expect comfort, good looks and long satisfactory service and that is just what you get if your shoes come from the J. C. Penney Co.

Come in, let our shoe men fit your feet with all leather shoes, that will give you the service you expect. No matter what size or what you wear, it is here for you, in shoes for work or dress.

We stand behind every pair we sell for satisfactory service.

Work Shoes \$2.49 to \$2.90
Dress Shoes \$3.98 to \$9.90

J.C. Penney Co.
312 DEPARTMENT STORES

A STORE FOR MEN.

CORN ROOT ROT CAUSE BIG LOSS

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Corn of one variety or another, is our most widely distributed cereal crop. Therefore, any single disease that takes a toll of 4 per cent is a matter for serious consideration. The United States Department of Agriculture estimates the damage done by corn root rot in 1919 at over 125,000,000 bushels. Multiplied by the average price of corn for that year, we have before us the unpleasant fact that these rots exacted a tax of over \$200,000,000.

When it is considered that one of the same organisms which causes corn root rot also causes wheat scab and that these organisms carried over on corn stubble may infect a field of wheat the next year, the seriousness increases.

Works Insidiously.

Corn root rots are among the most deceptive diseases known to agriculturists.



Preparing Rag Dolls According to the Improved Method.

future, say specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. They affect the kernels of corn in such a way that while they may germinate they often will produce sickly, diseased plants which may die in early stages or produce infected corn. These diseases weaken the plants at the lower joints, and if they come to maturity the damage is perpetuated.

It is necessary for farmers wishing to avoid corn root rot to germinate kernels from every ear of corn to be used for seed. The simplest method of making a test is by means of an improved rag-doll germinator. This, in its essential features, consists of nothing more than a broad strip of muslin backed by moistureproof filter paper. Rows of seed kernels are placed on the cloth which is rolled up and left in a warm box. The results are, of course, checked against the ears from which the kernels were taken, and only perfect, or nearly perfect, ears are kept for seed. This germinator is very simple and furnishes a practically complete test.

Bleached or unbleached muslin can be used for the rag doll. The cloth, which usually comes in a 54-inch width, is torn across into 12-inch strips, 54 inches long. Before being used the cloth is boiled, and it should be damp when the seeds are placed on it. This cloth is laid on a strip of glazed paper, a little longer than the cloth to allow folding over at the ends, fresh newspapers being placed on the table under the paper to avoid infection.

About 8 kernels are then taken from each ear and, beginning at the butt, are laid in rows across the muslin strip, so that when the strip is rolled up and placed in a germinating box the tips of the seed will be downward. The rag dolls are sprinkled twice daily, and at the end of 7 days are taken out, unrolled, and inspected. The appearance of the sprouts is a guide to the quality of the seed. If more than one seed shows signs of infection, the infected ear is thrown out. If the farmer has enough corn it is best to throw out an ear for a single bad kernel.

Destroying the Stubble.

Root rot is carried over in stubble, and every effort should be made to destroy or plow under as much stubble as possible. Increasing the fertility of the soil and crop rotation have also been found beneficial. One difficulty about rotation and stubble is that root rot affects corn and wheat and in many localities is always present on the farm. For this reason the department is anxious that rag-doll germinators be put into general and intelligent use, and the season started with clean seed.

Egg Mash Is Essential.

Without a good egg mash a hen cannot lay the maximum of eggs. She requires daily a large amount of protein in the most available form to make the white or albumen of the egg.

Water-Finder Finds Myriads.
A reader in Dorset, Vt., writes that he is a water finder. He uses a forked stick but can not explain what power causes it to point downward when he is passing over water. Not only can he locate water, but by placing a small piece of lead in the end of the stick he is able to find some when under the ground, once having a buried pipe for a target. He also locates copper, silver and lead.

Her Description.

A bright ten-year-old girl, whose father was addicted to neuritis photography, attended a trial at court the other day for a first time. This was her account of the judge's charge: "The judge made a long speech to the jury of 12 men, and then sent them to a little dark room to decide."

J.C. PENNEY COMPANY—A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION

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MODISH SPRING SUITS

Style and value are combined in these suits of Navy Serge and Tricotine. The styles are new and smart. Full silk linings, fine quality materials and perfect tailoring combine to make them the best values we have shown this season.

Sizes 16 to 44.

Prices-19.90 to 28.50

NEW DRESSES

A few new numbers have been added to our already smart showing of Crepe Silk dresses. The new numbers are afternoon dress of Georgette, bead trimmed and in the new spring shades.

Prices-19.90 to 32.50



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Buying More We Buy For Less

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FARMERS TO CO-OPERATE IN SELLING

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Mr. Shumway was regarding crop mortgages. If the farmer needs money he can still get it by securing a waiver, required by the banks, from the secretary of the association under the ordinary crop mortgage plan. Selling of gold bonds, financing by local banks and financing the terminal banks are the methods of securing money for financing the association. Mr. Shumway pointed out that many bankers believed that co-operative marketing associations increase the credits of farmers and read several letters from California and Oregon to that effect.

Buying Expense Disappears.
He also pointed out the strong organization that the organized grain dealers have and the probability that these will use their organization to fight the co-operative movement.

One of the interesting parts of the talk was a detailed explanation of how wheat is docked for grade and how the buyer blends the low grades with the high grades so that the low grades disappear when it is marketed by the large buyer.

In discussing the overhead of buying and selling wheat, he said that the ordinary wheat merchant spends nine-tenths of the overhead in buying and one-tenth in selling. As the association will have its wheat bought at the beginning of the season, this large buying expense disappears and gives the farmer an opportunity to reap an added profit because of this economy.

The co-operative marketing bill in the last session of the legislature called for more united support than any other measure during the session. Bruce Dennis told the farmers when he addressed them during the afternoon.

The bill, he said, legalizes and throws the protection of the state law around co-operative enterprises. The same as it does around big business.

C. A. Barnes, assistant district manager of the association, explained the contract in detail, calling special attention to the manner of organization.

LUTHERANS TO CELEBRATE

Dean, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis. Millions of Lutherans will this year celebrate the 400th anniversary of Luther's great confession before the Diet at Worms. The anniversary day is April 18. During the entire year, however, cognizance will be taken of the great historic event. The American Lutheran Publicity Bureau of New York, believing that all Protestants will be vitally interested, has issued the following annotated reamer: The eighteenth day of April in the year 1521, makes the end of the Middle Ages and the beginning of the Modern Era in the history of the world. On that day the emancipation of man from a long period of spiritual, intellectual and political serfdom took place, and there was given to the world that liberty of conscience, that freedom of thought, and that modern civilization which we now enjoy and which, we trust shall remain our inheritance until the end of days.

On the eighteenth day of April, 1521, Luther was on trial before the Diet at Worms; the man and his work were put to the crucial test. Shall the Bible be an open book for all, or must man submit to the authority of the church as it had been exercised by popes and councils; shall the right of private judgment be granted or denied; shall man, for his salvation, look to his own works and righteousness, or to the free grace of God in Christ; shall the priesthood be the privilege of a certain class only, or shall every believer be considered a spiritual priest; shall the yoke laid upon the intellect by the medieval system remain and become more burdensome or shall the intellect be freed and enter upon an era of new development; shall nations and peoples be tyrannized by religious and civil rulers, or shall the right of civil and religious liberty be granted? These were the great issues which Luther's answer to the question, whether or not he would recant what he had spoken and written, should decide.

Violet Cream.

Violet Cream for the hands and face. A valuable preparation that should be in every home. It is a good value at 37c. The best preparation sold by anyone we know.

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State News

The forest rangers meeting in Baker this past week-end were treated to a high jinx. A banquet was served in the high school by the domestic science class, after which a program was rendered.

Joseph Robinson, of Florence, Lane county, has been advocating the secession of Western Douglas and Lane counties and the forming of a new county with either Florence or Reedsport as the county seat.

One hundred and ten fathers and sons enjoyed the Father and Son banquet held at the Baker Y. M. C. A. Friday night.

Between four hundred and five hundred delegates from many parts of Lane county assembled in Eugene for the sixth annual convention of the Lane County Christian Endeavor union this past week-end.

The camera man for the Bathing weekly motion picture was at Salem yesterday, taking pictures of Blossom Day scenes.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

PORTLAND, Apr. 18.—The price of cattle was steady today, hogs slow and weak, sheep slow, eggs two cents lower and butter steady.

Especially If He's Fat.

"People are not apt to envy those beneath them," remarks a writer. But how about the man in the upper berth of a Pullman?—Boston Transcript.

MEMORIAL TO BE OF BRONZE

INDIANAPOLIS, April 18.—A bronze figure typifying the spirit of the American doughboy is recommended by the national memorial committee of the American Legion to be erected in Centralia, Wash., to the memory of the four regiments killed during the Armistice Day parade in 1919. The statue, the committee ruled, would be a more fitting monument than a \$100,000 memorial building proposed by former service men of Washington.

Granite headstones to insure permanent markers for the graves of American soldiers will be requested of the government to replace marble markers which are of poor quality. T. Semmes Walmaley of New Orleans, chairman of the memorials committee, announced.

FARMERS BUY ROAD BONDS

EUGENE, Apr. 18.—All the money has been subscribed by the farmers of the Crow and Hadleyville neighborhoods to purchase the Lane county bonds to pay for the new road projected to furnish a shorter route from Eugene to that valley, according to P. M. Morse, county engineer.

It is estimated that the new road will cost \$35,000 and the farmers are said to have subscribed all the way from \$1,000 to \$15,000 each.

A Man Like Yourself.

You imagine you are a pretty dandy kind of a fellow. But the chances are that if you ever met a man precisely like yourself, you wouldn't have much use for him.—Arkansas Thomas Cat.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF WESTERN GROWN SEEDS

ALFALFA SEED—
WHITE CLOVER SEED—
LAWN GRASS—
EARLY, CURLED SIMPSON LETTUCE—
WHITE ICICLE RADISHES—
LONG BRIGHT SCARLET RADISH—
EARLY WINSTAD CABBAGE—
DANISH BALD HEAD CABBAGE—
ALSO PANSY, ASTER AND SPENCER SWEET PEAS.

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PROMPT DELIVERY SERVICE.

