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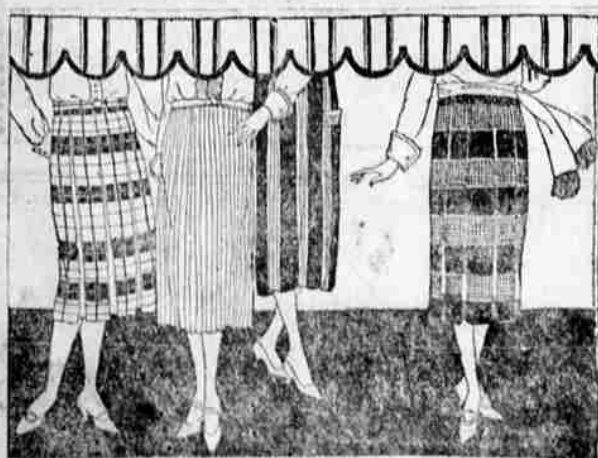
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A Paramount Artercraft Picture

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NEW

PLAID SKIRTS

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A noticeable showing of Wooden Plaid Skirts arrived this morning. They are over graceful styles, some plain, others plaid. Each one an exceptional value at this price.

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POULTRY

DIFFERENT BREEDS OF HENS

and Minor Breeds Are Best for Eggs, but Also for Meat and Poultry.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Chickens, for convenience may be classified as egg breeds, meat breeds, general purpose breeds, and fancy or ornamental breeds.

The egg breeds include the small or medium-sized fowls which are very active, quick to mature, producers of white-shelled eggs, usually consistent or at best but poor layers, and rather poor mothers, say poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. The varieties of Leghorns and Minoras are good representatives of this class. Because they are poor sitters some other breed, or at least a few other fowls, should be kept if natural methods of incubation are to be employed. On account of their early maturity it is not uncommon for individuals of the egg breeds to begin laying at the age of four and one-half months. These breeds do not fatten as readily under ordinary conditions as the larger and less active breeds and are rather sensitive to low temperature because of their large combs and wattles.

The largest fowls, represented in the meat class, are especially suitable for the production of large roasters. They are slow and somewhat sluggish in movement, have little desire for foraging, are easily confined by low fences, rather slow to mature, persist in sitting, and rather indifferent layers of brown-shelled eggs. Many poultrymen, however, are getting very fair egg yields from them. The Brahmas, Langshans and Cochins may be mentioned as belonging to this class.

The general purpose breeds include fowls which are of fair size and which will also produce a good quantity of brown-shelled eggs, making them especially adapted to the person wishing a supply of both eggs and meat. As one has to make frequent sales of flesh in the shape of surplus cockerels and hens, the carcasses as well as egg production should be considered. The general purpose breeds are usually good sitters and good mothers. They have medium-sized combs and wattles and endure cold weather well. They



Ideal Condition for Hen Flock Is Free Range.

occupy a medium position between the egg and meat breeds as to size, egg production, and docility. The Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds and Orpingtons are good representatives of this class.

DESTROY STICK-TIGHT FLEAS

It Is Necessary to Clean and Spray Houses and Runs as Well as Treat the Fowls.

"Stick-tight" fleas breed in the cracks and crevices of brood and poultry houses; also in dry animal or vegetable refuse, but will not breed in damp or wet places; therefore, to get rid of them it is necessary to clean and spray the houses and runs thoroughly as well as treat the birds, say poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Grease the comb and wattles of the fowls and chicks with a preparation of kerosene and lard—one part kerosene to three parts of lard—being very careful not to use too much of the mixture or get any of it in the birds' eyes or on other places where it is not necessary, as it may cause injury if used too freely.

Clean and spray the combs and wattles thoroughly the same as for poultry nits; also wet or spray the yards or runs, especially any dry soil about the poultry houses, such as dirt floors or the ground underneath a board floor, with a solution of salt and water, which helps to keep the ground moist and prevents the fleas from breeding.

PROPER MATING OF TURKEYS

Fifteen Hens to One Vigorous Tom Is About Right—Males Will Fight Fiercely.

Fifteen turkey hens can safely be mated to a vigorous tom. If 25 or 30 hens are kept, 250 toms should be allowed to run with them at the same time, but one should be confined one day and the other the next. When two toms are allowed to run together during the mating season they fight fiercely and the stronger does practically all the mating.

Life and Death.

Just because you think life is too good living is no sign that death will be worth dying.

Many a train of thought enters the mind.

FEW LOCAL PEOPLE APPLY

During the months of January, February, and March, 97 permits to appropriate water were issued by the State Engineer, Percy A. Cypper. These permits cover the irrigation of approximately 6500 acres of land, the development of 20,000 horsepower, and the construction of 100 miles of canal at an estimated total construction cost amounting to \$1,400,000. During this period seven reservoir permits were issued covering the storage of 1405 acre feet of water at an estimated construction cost of approximately \$22,000.

Among the most important developments contemplated are:
The construction of the municipal water supply system by the City of Molalla, which contemplates the expenditure of \$45,000.00 in securing water supply from Trout creek.

The City of Walla Walla, Wash., contemplates the extension of its pipe lines on Mill Creek in Umatilla county, Oregon, to secure water above the present intake at an estimated expenditure of \$92,000.00.

E. G. Favell, of Lakeview, Oregon, contemplates the development of the hot springs located near Lakeview for domestic, medicinal, and heating purposes, at an estimated cost of \$10,000.00.

The Ontario-Nyssa Irrigation company, of Ontario, contemplates the appropriation of additional water from the Snake river for the irrigation of 926 acres of land.

The Deer Creek Lumber Company, of Minam, Oregon, secured permit to appropriate water from Deer Creek and a reservoir for fluming lumber at an estimated cost of \$6,000.00.

The Rogue River Valley Canal Company, of Medford, in connection with the work being done for the Medford Irrigation District, have appropriated water from Little Butte Creek for the irrigation of 2828 acres of new land. This construction is now under way.

Messrs. J. B. Godman and A. L. Schaffler, of Dexter, Oregon, have secured permit for the appropriation of water from Lost Creek in Lane County for fluming lumber and for the irrigation of 339 acres of land at an estimated cost of \$25,000.00.

MAY AMEND LA FOLLETTE'S SEAMANS ACT

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announcement from all the other lines which were led by the D and C boats that they have also abandoned their lines. This leaves the Mack Inac and northern resorts without service and many of the cities of Northern Michigan face a real disaster with the summer tourist and resort traffic cut off. More than forty of the Chambers of Commerce of Michigan held a joint indignation meeting in Detroit the other day and their representatives are now ready to start the war to a finish on the LaFollette law, which they contend is the real cause of the suspension of all steamship service to the resorts. This is but the starting point and shipping men and merchants of the Middle West are going to back up the proposition, to say nothing of the ship owners of the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific coasts. They contend that there is no chance for American shipping to compete with the merchant ships of the world as long as that law remains for the differential forced against the American ships to overcome.

Law Is Expensive
In congress in both houses there is a growing sentiment that the law is both expensive, harmful and without economic justification. Some of the senators will call attention to the fact that seamen crossing the Pacific on merchant vessels of the United States insist on their rights and collect their full pay and allowances in Japanese or other ports and that after returning and spending their wages they appeal to the United States consuls and are un-

der this same law returned to the United States at government expense as indigent seamen.
Andrew Furness, the head of the Seamen's union, is coming on from San Francisco to make the fight of his life for the opposition to the LaFollette act keeps on in volume and speed his organization is determined to be wiped out or to agree to accept some radical changes in this measure.

BALL SCHEDULE IS COMPLETED

Season Will Close End of July—Union and Baker County Teams Comprise League

The Valley League baseball team, which opened its season April 17, will play games every Sunday until the end of July, the closing game being scheduled for July 26. The teams are all from Union and Baker counties and some excellent ball material is expected to be developed during the summer. The schedule for the season is as follows:

BAKER: At Baker Apr. 17; at Keating May 22; at North Powder June 12; at Union May 12; at Cove June 22; at La Grande July 17 and at Imbler July 3.

HAINES: At Baker June 5; at Keating April 24; at North Powder May 29; at Union July 3; at Cove July 19; at June 19; at Imbler July 3.

KEATING: At Baker July 10; at Haines June 12; at North Powder April 17; at Union June 26; at Cove

May 1; at La Grande May 15 and at Imbler May 25.

NORTH POWDER: At Baker April 24; at Haines July 17; at Keating June 5; at Union May 22; at Cove May 5; at La Grande June 26; at Imbler June 19.

UNION: At Baker June 19; at Haines May 15; at Keating May 8; at North Powder July 19; at Cove May 29; at La Grande April 24 and at Imbler June 5.

COVE: At Baker May 8; at Haines May 22; at Keating June 19; at North Powder July 3; at Union July 17; at La Grande June 5 and at Imbler April 24.

LA GRANDE: At Baker May 29; at Haines May 12; at Keating July 3; at North Powder May 8; at Union June 12; at Cove April 17; at Imbler July 10.

IMBLER: At Baker May 15; at Haines June 26; at Keating July 17; at North Powder May 12; at Union April 17; at Cove June 12; at La Grande May 22.

SEAT SALE OPENS TUESDAY

NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC IS COMING SATURDAY

Word Received Here War Tax Must be Paid on Tickets—Concert to be at Tabernacle

A late ruling of the internal revenue tax department exempting symphony orchestras from war tax will not apply on the New York Philharmonic orchestra if it was def-

initely determined today. A recent ruling exempts philharmonic and symphonies, in fact the Los Angeles Philharmonic which is to tour the coast this Spring gets under the exemption while the New Yorkers who come here, had their tour arranged before the ruling and therefore come under the tax.

The question of the local tax was undecided until this morning, considerable telegraphic letter writing and telegraphing with the department resulting until the knowledge that the New York Philharmonic is not exempt.

The tax is 10 per cent which must be collected from the purchaser under the law.

Seat sale opens Tuesday. Tomorrow morning the seat sale begins for the Saturday night concert. Once more the public is reminded that all grades of seats from one dollar up are reservable. The mail orders now on hand will not make serious inroads on the higher priced seats and there will be a liberal number of \$2.00 seats left. The sale begins at 10 a. m. tomorrow and the first to come get the first choice, naturally.

KNOX PEACE RESOLUTION IS FAVORED

WASHINGTON, Apr. 25.—The Knox peace resolution was adopted favorably today by the senate foreign relations committee. A few democratic members voted no, and indicated that they would carry the fight to the senate floor.

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