

### POULTRY NOTES

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#### "READY! AIM! FIRE!"

"Buzz" rose a pheasant 'o' my head. I aimed my gun to shoot him dead. When, lo, I had forgot The lead of shot.

"Whit!" flew a bird into the air. I let him have it full and fair. But, lo, it was no go. I aimed too low.

"Buzz!" whizzed a third across the glen. But I was watching scenery then. I hardly raised my head. When he had fled.

But when the next bird rose in flight I quickly glanced along the sight. I hit him in the brain. With deadly aim.

Thus some win prizes in earth's strife. While others make a mule of life. They're careless or too slow. They aim too low.

If you are seeking real renown And wish to win the victor's crown. The highest things aspire. Be "Ready! Aim! Fire!"

C. M. B.

#### WANTED - NATIONAL PHEASANT TRIES.

Time for Uncle Sam to hatch pheasants. He raises fish to restock streams and tadpoles for bully run farms, and why not beautiful pheasants for wood and field, so that once more we may sit at breakfast and shoot fat pheasants off the back fence for dinner?

Not such a big contract. Why, in 1921 Oregon turned loose thirty-six birds, and only sixteen years later her sportsmen bagged 100,000. What hunting! Makes your trigger finger jump to think of it. Makes your mouth water to think of all that juicy breast meat. Oregon, Colorado, Kansas, Illinois and other western states are being stocked mostly by individuals and gun clubs. But it's a national matter, and Uncle Sam can still run in another form and not burn his fingers. Does it pay? Well, they are ornamental, no plus ultra table birds and sell for big money. Sportsmen will gladly pay landowners for permits to engage in such magnificent sport. Brain storms will thus cease, and the festive green worm that dropped down your neck while meditating on the subtleties of nature will be gobbed for the pheasant will do the pests and thus add millions to the farmers' riches.

#### FEEDING PHEASANTS, YOUNG AND OLD.

More pheasants are fed to death than raised. After twenty-four hours feed three times daily and, contrary to superstition that birds get most of their drink from dewdrops, keep pure water before them and grit. First four days feed custard made of two best eggs stirred into pint of milk at boiling point, then boil thick. After fourth day serve as part of ration for eight weeks.

On fifth day add a little chopped lettuce and plehead oatmeal. On eighth day introduce him dried cracked wheat, split oats and occasionally a little hemp or millet. After three weeks serve minced boiled meat, using broth to wet up a crumbly barley mash. At six weeks throw in wheat and barley for supper, and they are now ready for adult ration.

Feed them greens regularly, but keep off the wet grass to avoid sprags.

Old birds in woods are only fed in winter unless food is scarce.

In confinement they are fed like chickens. They relish the following: Acorns, chestnuts, hazelnuts, beech mast, grains, seeds, roots, herbs, small fruits, cress, cabbage, lettuce, turnips, mangoes, potatoes, insects, worms, and eggs and fine cut bone.

#### MAGGOTS FOR PHEASANTS.

Where do our English kenzens get those big maggots they feed their pretty pheasants? Well, they just skin a dead horse, give the blowflies a good chance at it, and when the animal begins to get lively they bury him just deep enough for the skippers to come through to daylight when they are fat and ready.

The birds stand round and pick them off as they wiggle through.

They eat the dead horse germs too. You'll cut pheasant in London cafes after this? Can't blame you a bit.

Owners of insectivorous birds should use our meal worm plan.

Mix equal parts bran and chop, add several handfuls of leather scraps for ventilation, drop in a handful of meal worms and watch them multiply.

If wiggle worms, they are clean, yellow and fat as butter.

Our birds fly six feet high for these juicy sweetmeats, perch on our shoulders and pull our ear for more.

#### DON'TS.

Don't neglect to keep the water vases clean and full. Yes, it's easy to put off, but harder to dig chicken graves.

Don't spice chicken feed with red pepper. It is not so hot as the fiery furnace, but you would think it hotter in your stomach.

#### Horses for Sale.

A few broken and unbroken horses for sale from 1910 to 1919 in weight. For further information inquire of T. J. ROBERTS, Prineville, Ore. 8-19-1m

#### For Sale.

Household goods, Sewing Machine, Baby Buggy, one Air Tight Heater etc. MAHON TRAVIS at Templeton & Son's drug store.

#### Just Received.

Five hundred feet of Hyloplate by A. H. Lippman & Co. 8-12-1f

#### HOW TO MAKE CEMENT FLOORS.

Cement or concrete floors generally consist of two coats, the rough and finishing.

Our method is suitable for floors in general. If pressure is greater than that of poultry house floors, simply increase the thickness.

A three inch floor is sufficiently thick for a poultry plant.

The first coat, consisting of one part best cement, two of sharp sand and four of clean gravel, should be mixed thoroughly with water to the consistency required and packed and leveled on the surface prepared.

When this two and one-half inch layer has set well, sprinkle with water and apply a half inch finishing coat made of equal parts cement and sharp sand. The second coat should be perfectly smooth, for a rough floor cannot be scraped clean. For engine rooms make first layer three inches and second one.

Cement work on bare ground is seldom a success. The cement floor should be flush with the sill, and whatever is beneath it must be rammed and soaked. A loose foundation is, of course, no foundation, and if the floor is laid on dry material the moisture is absorbed from the layers and a failure results.

Our floors were laid on packed soaked and are satisfactory. All gravel and sand must be thoroughly sifted, and the concrete may be mixed on wooden platforms. Have a good current of air for drying, but keep out the rain and animals.

The work will be sufficiently hard to walk over in two days. Do not cement later than August, if the work is extensive, as it will not dry out for winter. When the cement work separates well from the sills it is dry.

#### Agents Wanted.

Agents wanted in every town for the Steel Adjustable Hames and Harness. No pads, harness or straps can be used with any kind of tug attachments. Will not gall horses or wear out. Will not corrode or rust. Price \$6 each, Ask your dealer. Write for literature. Address: NALSON WILLIAM COVART, exclusive distributors Pacific Coast States, Albany, Oregon. 8-12-1m

#### Hogs for Sale.

Pure-bred Poland-China Hogs, both sexes, for sale. Prices reasonable. Can be seen at home of J. H. GRAY, Prineville, Oregon. 7-29f

#### Milk Cows for Sale.

Two good milk cows for sale. Apply to Mod Vanderpool, Prineville, Ore. 8-18-1m

#### Deering Binder for Sale.

A 6-foot Deering binder for sale cheap at the Geo. Rodman ranch, near Culver.

#### Stock Ranch for Rent.

1120 acres in rain; 140 in pasture; 240 bottom land; 140 in alfalfa and meadow; 600 acres in grain; nearly all under free water; 300 tons of hay will be put up this year and 1000 bushels of grain; all under fence. Good house, orchard, machinery and wagons all go with the ranch. Can be rented for a term of 3 or 5 years for \$800 a year. 350 head of cattle can be had; pasture for 600 cows wintered. For further particulars address CHARLES LISTER, Prineville, Ore. 8-19-1m

#### Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Crook County.

C. A. STEVENSON, plaintiff, vs. Nettie STEVENSON, defendant.

To Nettie Stevenson, the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above court, and action, on or before the 15th day of September, 1926, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the office of the County Clerk at Prineville, Oregon, and if you fail to so answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum specified therein, to-wit: For the sum of twenty-six hundred (\$2600.00) dollars, and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is served upon you by order of the Hon. H. C. Ellis, Judge of Crook County, State of Oregon, dated the 23rd day of August, 1926, and the date of the first publication of this summons is August 25th, 1926, and the date of the last publication thereof will expire on September 10th, 1926.

W. A. BELL, Attorney for the Plaintiff.

#### Notice of Publication.

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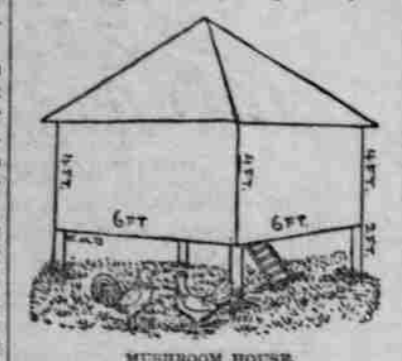
Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Ore., August 19, 1926.

Notice is hereby given that Austin Kier, of Prineville, Oregon, who, on July 7th, 1925, made Homestead, Serial No. 62323, No. 1290 for NW1/4, sec 18, T. 13 N. and SE1/4 SW1/4, SW1/4, sec 32, T. 17 N., R. 18 E., Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Warren Brown, county clerk, at his office at Prineville, Oregon, on the 28th day of September, 1926.

Claimant names as witnesses: Granville H. Nye, Manford D. Nye, John Millham and Orange F. Hodges, all of Prineville, Oregon.

C. W. MOORE, Register.



#### THE MUSHROOM HOUSE.

For best climate like California, Florida, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the canal zone the hip roof or mushroom house is excellent. It is covered with a water-proof roof, is generally six feet square, and the four foot sides may be covered with painted canvas or secking.

The house stands on two foot legs and need not be cleaned, as it is moved from place to place.

The ladder to roosts should be removed at night to avoid preying animals.

In the rainy season wire screen may inclose the bottom, and a ditch should be dug around to avoid flooding.

If desired windows and ventilators may be added. Roof in style preferred.

This is not only a cool, movable, sanitary house, but the flea that breed in the accumulated dust under fixed abodes have no hiding place.

#### FEATHERS AND EGGSHELLS.

If newspapers that waste space on fake stories of three-legged calves, hens hatching snakes and bulldogs adopting ducks would print legitimate poultry news and practical poultry information, they would be helping their readers to get more cash to pay in advance.

In preparing young roosters for roasters keep them out of the gymnasium. It matters not how much corn meal you feed, much exercise will be antifun and keep them thin as a slat.

The longest bird flight is from the isles of Perring sea to Hawaii and Fanning Islands, a distance of 2,200 miles. Birds arrive unexhausted. Perhaps they rest by floating in the air, as swimmers do in the water.

Most of the fairs are held in the moulting season when the birds are unsightly. The fair directors compel the graceful oriental dancers to don duskers and yet allow the other hens to show in full dress. Is this altogether fair?

We find the best way to feed charcoal is in soft mash. Otherwise some fowls get none, for certain birds never visit the hopper.

The way some incubator chicks get lice is easily explained. An old hen's chick gets half drowned and is slipped into the incubator for a minute to dry off. The lice crawl off the chick on to the eggs, the eggs hatch, and the lice crawl off the eggs on to the new chicks. Try it.

Secretary Wilson of the agricultural department at Washington has started a crusade against the sale of storage for fresh eggs. Thought when storage got into the Washington eggnog something would efferece.

One of our friends who set his goose at the same time we set our goose incubator left the gate open, and the hogs ate the eggs. Chickens have a mighty poor chance to escape from hungry hogs. Clean and screen that hopper.

There is no reason why state and agricultural colleges should go to Canada or England for instructors in poultry culture. If the trustees of these institutions are uninformed, we take pleasure in notifying them that their Uncle Samuel is way ahead of Johnny Bull.

#### For Irrigated Farms and Fruit Lands

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For the first time since 1861 (44 years) in such sections as the public is unable to purchase CYRUS NOBLE we will sell you direct 4 quart bottles for \$4.90. No danger of relaps; bottles-but the GENUINE CYRUS NOBLE—the best made, the best selling brand in the whole world.

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#### Subscribe for the Journal, \$1.50 a Year. County Official Paper.

#### Professional Cards.

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Attorney-at-Law  
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Office with Geo. W. Barnes  
Prineville, Oregon

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Calls answered promptly day or night  
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Drug Store  
Prineville, Oregon.

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Notice is hereby given that the administrator of the estate of Samuel B. Richey, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of said estate will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to confirmation by said County Court, on Friday, the 30th day of September, 1926, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the county courthouse in Prineville, Oregon, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Samuel B. Richey, at the time of his death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Samuel B. Richey at the time of his death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Samuel B. Richey at the time of his death, in the following described tract of land, to-wit: In the northwest quarter of section thirty in township twelve south, of range seventeen east of Willamette meridian in Crook County, Oregon.

Terms and conditions of sale: cash, gold coin of the United States.

J. H. HANER,  
Administrator of the estate of Samuel B. Richey, deceased.

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U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Ore., July 27th, 1926.

Notice is hereby given that the administrator of the estate of Andrew J. Finnegan, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of said estate, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Warren Brown, county clerk, at his office at Prineville, Oregon, on the 7th day of September, 1926.

Claimant names as witnesses: Louis Ogden and Abel Cudd of O'Neil, Ore.; Carl J. Sandquist of Prineville, Ore.; and John Ferguson of Lamona, Ore.

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Notice is hereby given that the administrator of the estate of Samuel B. Richey, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of said estate will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to confirmation by said County Court, on Friday, the 30th day of September, 1926, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the county courthouse in Prineville, Oregon, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Samuel B. Richey, at the time of his death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Samuel B. Richey at the time of his death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Samuel B. Richey at the time of his death, in the following described tract of land, to-wit: In the northwest quarter of section thirty in township twelve south, of range seventeen east of Willamette meridian in Crook County, Oregon.

Terms and conditions of sale: cash, gold coin of the United States.

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