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COVERED MILK PAILS.

They Are Best For the Dairy, as Experiments Have Shown.

A prominent dairyman says: We have yet to meet the man who has tried a good kind of covered milk pail and who does not say that he has not thought them a great improvement over the ordinary open pail. Yet our observations on their use is to the effect that not more than eight cows out of ten use them. It would certainly be a good habit for everybody to get into to use no other kind.

It goes without saying that a closed pail will greatly reduce the impurity of ordinary milk, since the open pail catches everything descending from



UNCOVERED AND COVERED MILK PAILS.

above. Experiments have plainly brought out the advantage of covered milk pails, and, while they require somewhat more work of the person who washes the dairy utensils, no one who is interested in pure milk could consider this an argument of more than featherweight description. A good kind of pail is one in which the top fits on as a cover and the milk opening is covered with screening or is fitted with a hoop so that cheesecloth can be used for that purpose. There is little difficulty in thoroughly cleansing such a pattern of pail.

The closed pail is a subject which would seem local creameries could agitate with direct benefit to themselves. In a way much of the advice offered to the farmers in the interests of pure milk is wasted since it is impracticable but the covered milk pail is thoroughly practical. A cow is much less apt to step into it, flies are excluded and sole dependence is not placed on the separator for taking out undesirable solids.

Pail No. 1 in the illustration, from Clarence B. Lane's bulletin, is an ordinary open one, with no provision for keeping out the dust and dirt. He says it should never be used in any dairy. Pail No. 2 is a good sanitary one, with small top provided with a metal strainer. In certified dairies probably better results would be secured by leaving out the strainer. The pail would be improved if stamped from one piece of tin.

THE HORSEMAN.

The harness should be kept soft and pliable. It will not only be more comfortable to the horse, but it can be handled more easily and will last longer.

Rings in Horses.
It is hard to successfully treat ringbone after it has become firmly established upon a horse's leg. In the early stages proper shoeing will straighten the foot and relieve the strain which is the cause of the trouble. Ringbone is due to an injury to the tendons of the foot or to blows, sprains or overworking before the bones have been fully formed and hardened. It is regarded as a disease that may be transmitted by tendency.

The Brood Mare.
I never allow a mare to get too fat and feed quite sparingly for a few weeks before foaling. I have worked mares steadily to a couple of days before foaling and have put them to work just a week after and have never had a trouble result, but would advise a longer time, at least after. I never let a colt follow the mare unless she is to be out all day. I do not approve of breeding a mare every spring. Let her wean a colt and breed in the fall every other year. This is the suggestion of H. M. Daniel of Washington, who says he has successfully grown horses for fifty years.

A Remedy For Colds.
Horses are frequently troubled with coughs, colds, distemper and lung trouble, frequently attributed to dusty hay. A writer on the subject gives a prescription which he says he has used successfully for over forty years and that his father, a horse doctor of the old fashioned school, used it many years before him. He says that the remedy is perfectly safe and there is no danger from giving a little over the regular dose. The prescription is as follows: Oil pine tar, one pint; oil organum, one ounce; powdered blood root, one ounce; powdered elecampane root, one ounce. Dose, one tablespoonful from three to five times a day, placed well back of the tongue.

Legs of a Draft Horse.
The construction and set of the hind legs of a draft horse are of vital importance. A great many of the diseases to be found in these regions are largely due to the wrong set of the limbs. In a correctly constructed hind limb, viewed from the side, a line dropped from the hithermost point of the slope should strike the top of the hock and continue parallel with it until the pastern joint is reached. If the conformation of the leg be such that the lower part of the leg is thrown more under the body, thus making it more subject to a strain of the tendon of ligament just below the hock, it is termed "kicked back," and it is very likely that it will become curby.

False Economy in Feeding.
There is such a thing as false economy in feeding. If a third more expense in feeding gives you three times the profit you can easily figure out the wisdom of generous rations. Feed wisely, but not niggardly.

SELECTING THE BOAR.

Great Care Necessary in Choosing Head of the Herd.

The selection of the boar is a matter of very great importance, and I am thoroughly convinced that some farmers do not have as good success as they should and could have in raising hogs simply because they do not exercise the care necessary in selecting the male to be used in their herds, says a prominent swine breeder. The boar should be selected with even greater care than the sows, for his influence equals the combined influence of all the sows in the herd. A superior boar may be used on a herd of inferior sows with good results, but the use of an inferior boar on sows of high quality will have a disastrous outcome. The one method raises the standard of the herd; the other invariably lowers it.

A boar with the male characteristics strongly developed should be selected, preferably as a yearling or else as a pig that has been purchased at the same time as the sows and allowed to come to maturity before being used. He should have a well crested neck and a strong masculine head. His shoulders ought to be developed according to age. However, strong shoulder development in pigs under a year or eighteen months old is objectionable.

The boar should be selected to correct any defects that may be common to the sows. For example, if the sows are rather coarse in bone and loosely



A TAMWORTH BOAR.

built the boar should have high quality—fine bones, skin and hair. If the sows tend toward overbreeding and delicacy the boar should be rather rangy and strong boned.

The same indications of a good pork producing carcass that the sows require should be seen in the boar—a broad, straight, deeply fleshed back, much depth and length of sides and well developed hind quarters. The visible organs of the reproductive system should be well developed and clearly defined.

The boar should stand upon his toes, and there should not be the slightest indication of weakness in the pasterns of the young ones. In a matured boar (two or three years of age) that has seen hard service it may be expected that he will be a little down on his pasterns, but a six or eight months old pig that does not carry himself on upright pasterns is not a safe animal to select for a herd boar.

THE FEEDER.

Take particular pains in putting up the clover hay. There is no better roughage for cattle than good clover hay, but its feeding value depends entirely upon the way in which it is cured.

Feeding Salt.
Salt that remains in the barrel of meat that is clean and wholesome is in no way infected with germ life that will injure stock to which it is fed any more than other salt. Animals are sometimes poisoned on salt, but it is by reason of their being so hungry for it that they overeat of it. Thus if a person were to dump the contents of a meat barrel on the ground and cattle, horses or sheep that were hungry for salt got to it they likely would eat it to their injury.

Cowpess For Cows.
Cowpess make an excellent food for dairy cows when combined with other grain and fodder in proper proportions, but they are so highly concentrated and nitrogenous that they should be fed in moderate quantities and mixed with cut feed in bran.

Feed of the Boar.
The feed of the boar when not in service may be of a succulent nature—mainly pasture and cut green forage during the summer months and roots in winter. A boar can hardly be sustained in these alone, and some grain should be allowed to keep him in condition. This should be nitrogenous in character, consisting of mill feeds—such as shorts, middlings and bran—some oil meal and the leguminous grains, with a little corn. As the breeding season approaches the feed should be increased, so that the boar will be in good condition.

Ration For Nursing Mares.
Mares nursing foals should be given a ration that will not only increase their flow of milk, but materially enrich it. Oats and bran in equal bulk, with about one-fourth in bulk of corn added, make a good ration for a mare in milk. This should always be moistened before feeding.

Feeding the Pigs.
A prominent swine breeder says: Don't let a single apple go to waste. Every windfall will help to fit the pigs for the early market. The same is true of the waste from the vegetable garden. Don't let the weeds in the fence corners go to seed. The hogs will work them over, and many of them contain tonic properties. Utilize what is good in them and at the same time keep the premises tidy. Hogs need a change of ration. Milk is always a staple food, but give grains to make a change now and then. Give some vegetables, too, and occasionally some fruit. It all helps to give growth.

SCHOOL EXHIBIT LEADING FEATURE

Splendid Showing Made at the Fair

COUNTY HIGH STANDS FIRST

Schools From All Parts of County Enter Work—Best Effort Ever Made.

One of the greatest features of the school exhibit at the Crook County Fair was the Industrial Exhibit which was entered from the several schools. This is the first year that such an exhibit has been entered, but in the future the students will work with this end in view and we feel sure that the exhibits will be greatly improved. The first prizes in the Industrial Exhibit were awarded as follows:

- FLORAL EXHIBIT.**
Sweet Peas, Blanch Wilson, C. C. H. S.
Geraniums, Ida Chors, Prineville Public Schools.
Asters, Mabel Cook, C. C. H. S.
Pressed Wild Flowers, Emergen Young, C. C. H. S.
- VEGETABLES.**
Potatoes, Vernon Bell, C. C. H. S.
Sweet Corn, Lawrence Burmaster, Dist. 40.
Radishes, Murrel DeLoe, Dist. 40.
Beets, Georgia Cook, C. C. H. S.
Onions, Madam.
Pumpkin, Clara Kinder, Prineville Public Schools.
Cabbage, Lucille Chors, Prineville Public Schools.
Cucumbers, George Cook, C. C. H. S.
- ART.**
Pencil Drawing, Maggie Allingham, Prineville Public School.
Raffin Mat, Fern Moore, Bend.
Burnt Wood, Agnes Elliott, C. C. H. S.
Basketry, Lulu Montgomery, C. C. H. S.
Paper Cutting, Delbert Crane, Dist. 8.
Water Colors, Ethel Kidder, C. C. H. S.
- MECHANICAL.**
Bird House, Ernest Estes, Prineville Public School.
Table, Sadie Porter, Prineville Public School.
Automobile, Eward Nye, Upper Bear Creek.
- NEEDLE WORK.**
Handkerchief, Lucille Redmond, Redmond.
Crochet Work, Emergen Young, C. C. H. S.
Work Apron, Blanch Wilson, C. C. H. S.
Fancy Apron, Zeula Cornett, Prineville Public Schools.
Collection of Pennants, Clark Morse, C. C. H. S.
Shadow Embroidery, Maggie Birch, Prineville Public School.
Eyelet Embroidery, George Cook, C. C. H. S.
Lace Work, Ora Noble, Prineville Public School.
Drawn Work, Nora Stearns, C. C. H. S.
Soft Cushion, Nora Stearns, C. C. H. S.
Pie Cushion, Ora Noble, Prineville.
Quilt, Nora Stearns, C. C. H. S.
Embroidery, Wilda Nye, C. C. H. S.
- POULTRY.**
Rhode Island Reds, Clarence Rice, C. C. H. S.
Brown Leghorns, Blanch Wilson, C. C. H. S.
Plymouth Rocks, Vernon Lister, Prineville.
But Leghorns, George Stearns, Prineville.
- ANIMAL.**
Sheep, Millard Elkins, Prineville.
Fig, Elva Wilhoit, Dist. 2.
- FRUIT.**
Apples, Louise Summers, C. C. H. S.
Wonder Berry, Blanch Wilson, C. C. H. S.
- GRAIN.**
Grain, Ashwood.
- GRASS.**
Grass, Laidlaw.
- COOKING.**
Bread, George Cook, C. C. H. S.
Cake, Ida Chors, Prineville Public School.
Cakes, Agnes Elliott, C. C. H. S.
Chess Pie, Blanche Wilson, C. C. H. S.
Salad, Laura Ramsey, Prineville Public School.
Cookies, Louise Summers, C. C. H. S.
Doughnuts, Agnes Elliot, C. C. H. S.
- CANNED FRUITS.**
Jam, Louise Summers, C. C. H. S.
Jelly, Louise Summers, C. C. H. S.
Fruits, all kinds, Louise Summers, C. C. H. S.

Several of our pupils entered their exhibits in both the school and the general, and, without exception, a prize was awarded in the general exhibit. Louise Summers entered canned fruit in both exhibits and received two blue and one red ribbon. Clarence Rice received a blue ribbon on his chickens; Clark Morse received a blue ribbon on each of his cakes in the general exhibit, but lost out in the school.

The exhibits from the Teachers' Training Course were of especial merit. Although this is the first year of this course in the school the industrial and educational work was equal to that of any of the other courses in quality, if not in quantity. The paper folding raffia mats, napkin rings, picture frames and Indian baskets were very fine. The Evangeline Chart deserves special mention. The students who are taking this work will go out prepared to train the hands as well as the brain.

Athletics.
The whole week's work in running was concentrated on learning to start. The boys were divided into classes and each class practiced by itself. As soon as Mr. Evans feels that one is ready for the class alone, he is promoted.

Basket ball starts this week. We were disappointed that we were not in condition to play for the purse at the fair. Had we known it a few weeks ago, we would have been glad to enter. Belknap, our champion hundred-yard man, beat one of Bend's sprinters Saturday evening. Peg had the advantage over team to finish.

The boys are fixing up the old court room for a gymnasium. We are greatly indebted to the Board for the donation of the room.

ALPHAS.
The program for October 29, 1909, is as follows:
Inst. Solo, Vivian Hinkley.
Talk, Louise Summers.
Society Prophecy, Roy Sowther.
Impromptu, Chas. Lowther.
Recitation, Blanche Wilson.
Essay, Robert Kester.
Paper, Vernon Bell, Editor; Lee

Rowell and Amy Davenport, Ass'ts.
Reading, Clarence Bixby.

OCCROCIANS.

The following program will be given on Friday, October 29, 1909.

Song, School.
Recitation, Leola Estes.
Essay, Clarence Rice.
Impromptu, Alex Barnes.
Talk, Wilford Belknap.
Impromptu, Aaron Hoffman.
Paper, Lotta Smith, Editor; Walter Larwood and Arthur O'Neil, Ass'ts.

Classes.

Crook County ought to be justly proud of the showing made by the different schools of the county at the fair and especially of its County High School, for the exhibit showed that the work done in this school would do credit to a much larger and older institution. The work of each individual student deserves special mention but space forbids, so will simply mention the individual prize winners of the various classes and the classes that were awarded first place.

FRESHMAN.
Algebra—Class prize, Crook County High School. Individual, Maggie Cox, C. C. H. S.
English—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Fern Hall, Bend H. S.
History—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Vernou Bell, C. C. H. S.
Latin—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Verna Smith, C. C. H. S.
Physiology—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Maggie Cox, C. C. H. S.

SOPHOMORE.
English—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Ethel Kidder, C. C. H. S.
History—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Ethel Kidder, C. C. H. S.

JUNIORS.
English—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Agnes Elliott, C. C. H. S.
Latin—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Ethel Moore, C. C. H. S.
Physics—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Angeline Young, Bend H. S.
Geometry—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Lulu Montgomery, C. C. H. S.

SENIORS.
English—Class prize, Bend H. S. Nora Stearns, C. C. H. S.
History—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Edgar Barnes, C. C. H. S.
Chemistry—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Nora Stearns, C. C. H. S.
Latin—Class prize, C. C. H. S. Edgar Barnes, C. C. H. S.

Prineville Public School Wins Prizes

At the Crook County Fair, which was held last week, the Prineville Public Schools made a splendid showing in their educational exhibit. Their exhibit consisted of quality as well as quantity, each of the eight grades being represented in from one to three subjects.

While it was necessary for only 30 per cent of each class competing in any one subject to be represented, yet the Prineville Schools were represented in no subject by less than eighty per cent of the class and in many cases the work of the entire grade was exhibited. The quality of the work is shown by the fact that Prineville was awarded thirteen out of a possible sixteen 1st prizes for the best grade work as well as many individual prizes for the best work done by any one pupil in the several subjects exhibited.

The prizes awarded the Prineville Schools are as follows:

FIRST GRADE.
Language—Class prize; writing—class prize and Bernice Shipp individual prize.

SECOND GRADE.
Language—Class prize and Frank Carrol individual prize.

THIRD GRADE.
Arithmetic—Class prize.
Language—Class prize and Mildred Young individual prize.

FOURTH GRADE.
Language—Class prize and Dale Elkins individual prize.
Geography—Class prize.

FIFTH GRADE.
Language—Class prize.
Geography—Class prize.
Drawing—Class prize and Maggie Allingham individual prize.

SIXTH GRADE.
History—Golda Cleek individual prize.

SEVENTH GRADE.
History—Class prize.
Grammar—Class prize.

EIGHTH GRADE.
Geography—Class prize.

Margaret Iles Theatrical Company

The Margaret Iles theatrical company reached Prineville last Thursday evening and presented plays at the Club hall every night up to Tuesday, when they closed their engagement. This company was billed to be here Tuesday night of last week but were delayed on the road between Canyon City and this place and consequently did not show Tuesday and Wednesday nights of fair week.

This entertainment company has enjoyed a splendid patronage here and gave general satisfaction to the playgoers. There are eleven people in the company and their repertory includes many of the best popular pieces now being staged by the traveling troupes.

Dr. Gray and Gray will remain in Prineville for another week and are doing a great amount of work for many of the leading citizens of the county. Their methods are painless, strictly up to the minute, and prices reasonable. If you have dental work to be done have them examine your mouth. Rooms 11 and 15, Hotel Prineville. o21

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INSTITUTE WAS MOST SUCCESSFUL

Session Closed With Banquet Friday Eve

MRS. BELKNAP GIVEN TOKEN

Ackerman Makes Masterful Address to Assembled Educators.

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teachers and to his plea for more careful supervision of the morals of the student feel that the standards set by our State Superintendent are high but not too high, if we consider the future welfare of the nation, which is soon to be in the hands of these boys and girls in our public schools of today.

The lecture was followed by a banquet at the Hotel Prineville at which there were about eighty teachers and invited guests. During the service, which would have done credit to the Hotel Portland, the Morgan Orchestra dispensed sweet music from behind a screen of palms. The place cards were decorated with a picture of the first school house in Crook county, built in 1867, a small log cabin, and the last in 1904, a large brick and stone structure in which the County High School is housed. These were unique and appropriate, showing the wonderful strides in education during the last fifty years. Mr. Ford acted as toastmaster and, in the absence of Mayor Stewart welcomed the teachers and guests in a few appropriate words; after which Mr. J. E. Myers, of Prineville, responded to the "Irrigated Districts—Educational and Agricultural." He not only told what had been done along these lines but gave a glowing description of what might and undoubtedly would be accomplished in the near future. Mrs. Wickersham in responding for the "C. C. H. S. Training Course" emphasized the advantage of specialized training in the teaching profession. "The Press and the School" was well represented by Geo. P. Putnam, of the Portland Oregonian, as was the "Pulpit and the School" by Dr. Lewtas, of Tacoma. Mrs. H. P. Belknap in the "Home and the School," dwelt upon the relations that should exist between parent and teacher, which must be intimate and friendly, if our boys and girls are to get the best from their school life. L. R. Alderman's eulogism of the "University of Oregon" left an impression upon his hearers that will lead many to complete their education within its halls. J. N. Williamson was at home in the discussion of "Our Government." Rosa B. Parrott for the "Teachers" spoke of their work and the importance of their vocation and pictured the ideal school conditions which we could hope for but not expect until the millennium. The last toast:

"Crook County from the Standpoint of a Tenderfoot," was both interesting and entertaining. Crook county appreciates the recognition it is today receiving and Superintendent Ackerman simply voiced the sentiments of the outside world in his few remarks. This banquet is only one of the many proofs that teaching is becoming a real profession and these social functions add dignity and lend weight to the importance of the vocation. We trust that this will be the first of many such delightful functions for the teachers of Crook county.

The following resolutions were passed by the institute:

Whereas, The teachers of Crook county are assembled for the purpose of furthering and perfecting the cause of education, therefore be it

Resolved, (1) That our heartfelt gratitude be extended to our worthy Superintendent, R. A. Ford, for his untiring efforts in the cause of education; the results of which we see not only in the greater interest manifested in institute work but in the increased efficiency of our constantly growing corps of teachers. (2) That we take this opportunity of voicing our appreciation of the work of our State Superintendent, J. H. Ackerman, whose zeal in the cause of the Public Schools of Oregon has left an indelible impression upon the school system of the state and placed us in a position where we are no longer led but are leaders. Could we control his actions, we would have him continue hearing our complaints and settling our difficulties but since the Fates and Mr. Ackerman have decreed differently, the best wishes of the teachers of Crook County will always be his, no matter where he may be placed. (3) That it would be impossible to adequately thank those able instructors, Mr. L. R. Alderman of the educational department of the U. of O. who has given so many helpful suggestions in the interests and advancement of the intermediate and advanced grades. Mrs. Wickersham of the teachers training department of Crook County High School who has been especially successful in her primary work and who has won the heart of every primary teacher. Mr. Lewtas of Tacoma, who has kindly given several entertaining as well as beneficial lectures. And all of whom have willingly laid aside their own interests in the interest and advancement of the teachers and children of Crook county. (4) That the thanks of the institute be due to those whose musical talent has added so much to the success of the institute and to the pleasure of instructors, teachers and visitors. (5) That to the Methodist Church be thanked for so kindly proffering their building for the use of the teachers, and for the interest

manifested in our cause. (6) Mrs. Belknap be tendered a note of thanks for so graciously opening her home to the teachers and for the very enjoyable reception given in their honor Tuesday. Not only in this but in previous institutes the teachers have looked forward with pleasure, to the opportunities offered by Mrs. Belknap for meeting old friends and finding new ones and all will carry away with them pleasant memories and kindly feelings for Mrs. Belknap and her lovely home. (7) That the Fair Committee be heartily commended for their liberality in giving the school exhibit the desirable location in the pavillion, and for the general interest manifested in the cause of education. (8) To the people of Prineville who have so willingly opened their homes to the visiting teachers, and all others who have contributed in any way to their entertainment and pleasure be remembered in these resolutions. (9) That the school boards of Crook County be urged to co-operate with the teachers; the County Superintendent and the State Superintendent in the effort being made to better health conditions and improve the general moral, physical and intellectual surroundings of the schools of our county; that the slogan for school workers be health, thoroughness and good spelling; that rigid rules be enforced with reference to outdoor play, and that special attention be given to proper ventilation, lighting, arrangement of desks and to such other matters as may contribute to the success of teachers and pupils. (10) That appreciation be expressed for the courtesies extended by the press and that a copy of these resolutions be sent each of the newspapers of the county for publication.

Committee:
R. B. Parrott, Prineville.
Mrs. C. V. Hawley, Paulina.
Miss Nona Richardson, Bend.
Prof. E. M. Tiffany, Madras.

Notice.
All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to Mrs. d. Brown, prior to October 1, are requested to settle at once. Address all remittances to C. M. Stroud, Prineville, Or. o14

Dr. Gray & Gray, the dentists now at the Prineville, are busy from morning until night and will not be able to get away from town for another week. Parties having work to be done should call and make dates ahead. o21

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MRS. J. W. ELLIOTT.
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