

TEACHERS' COLUMN

All communications intended for this column should be sent in to the editor not later than Monday of each week. Teachers will please remember that this column is what you make it, and that the co-operation of all is necessary to its success.

H. G. STARKWEATHER, Editor,
Milwaukee, Oregon.

The teachers of Milwaukee school are preparing suitable literary exercises for the time when they will enter their new school building which will probably be about February 12. They have been delayed some time on account of the accident to one of the flies which blew down during a recent storm.

Park Place teachers are enjoying a short vacation while their building is being repaired.

TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION.

The teachers' association meeting at West Oregon City Saturday was largely attended by the teachers from all parts of the county, and the excellent addresses and talks were of much profit to all teachers present.

The regular semi-annual election of officers was ordered with the following result: County School Supt. Gibson president, Prof. J. W. Gray vice-president, Fannie G. Porter secretary, A. C. Strange treasurer, Prof. H. S. Starkweather editor.

The program of the day was as follows: Method of teaching grammar was the subject assigned to Prof. H. G. Starkweather who treated it in an able manner. Mr. Starkweather gave his actual experience in the school room. He believes in cultivating originality of thought, and making his pupils spend special time on the important parts of this branch.

Prof. L. T. Vincent's talk on "Object Lessons" was quite entertaining and instructive. The speaker said that all school work when possible should be illustrated by object lessons. Association then adjourned.

During the noon hour an ample basket lunch was spread which was discussed with evident satisfaction by the members of the association and their friends.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

An address on "Physiology" by Prof. W. H. Powell was attentively listened to by the audience. Physiology is the science of self. When one understands himself, he is prepared to understand others, said the speaker. Showing that it is necessary that all teachers should have a thorough knowledge of this much neglected branch of education.

A comic recitation was next given by Miss Ada Moehnke.

Misses Ana Baird and Winnie Graham favored the audience with a duet.

Miss Gertrude Finley handled the subject of "Primary Language Work." She would teach it by telling the little ones short stories, and having them reproduce them orally or as written exercises. She would also introduce clay modeling to a limited extent.

The audience was then electrified by a masterly recitation delivered by W. G. Beattie.

The subject of "Preparing a Course of Study for Country Schools" was briefly alluded to by Superintendent Gibson but he would not press it at present on account of hard times.

Next on the program was an address on "School Discipline" by Prof. H. S. Strange. The Professor in his well-known, able and entertaining manner treated the subject exhaustively. The subject was treated under three heads, organization, discipline and instruction. The weight of his address was principally devoted to the subject of discipline. Good order must be maintained. Kindness, justice and firmness being the three principal agents by which that indispensable end is to be accomplished.

Miss Lewelling then favored the audience with a choice solo.

An invitation from the Willamette railroad company to make a trip over their road to the site of the town of Willamette Falls was accepted and the trip proved a very enjoyable one.

Next meeting of association will be held at Barlow.

FANNIE G. PORTER,
Secretary.

Surprise and Presentation.

A pleasant surprise occurred last Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Olds, on Falls View. The members and friends of the Epworth league of the M. E. church, in this city, presented them with a handsome set of dishes as a token of their esteem, after which supper was served and a general good time was enjoyed by all. They left at a late hour wishing the young couple long life and much happiness.

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CURING A NERVOUS CRANK.

Treatment Employed in Restoring a Well Man Who Imagined He Was Ill.

On the east side lives a physician whose success in the treatment of nervous disorders has brought him, rather against his own wishes, considerable practice among a class whom he describes as "nervous cranks." One of these patients, a man of large means, had caused no end of trouble to the doctor, who, seeing that the case was purely one of mental idiosyncrasy, was unwilling to prescribe a course of drugging or other injurious treatment. The man insisted that his nervous system was completely unstrung and that the physician should take his case in hand.

"There you can see how nervous I am," said the patient one day, in the doctor's office, as he picked up an incandescent electric light bulb from an adjoining table. "Look at that. See how that carbon coil inside of the bulb vibrates and trembles from my nervousness!"

"Very well," replied the physician, determined now to deal with the case in another way, "you are more nervous than I supposed, but I think I can fetch you out all right in five or six weeks."

An assortment of bogus pills and potions was given to the patient, and he was placed under a rigid rule for sleep, diet, baths and exercise. His physical health, which had been excellent to begin with, improved steadily; but his nervous condition, as indicated by the fluctuations of the incandescent bulb, which he found conveniently at hand every time he visited the doctor's office showed little or no trace of mending.

One day, however, near the end of the fourth week, the patient, upon taking the bulb from its accustomed place and holding it up to the light, was surprised to find that the vibrations of the carbon were almost nothing. Beaming with new hopefulness, he called the physician's attention to the fact. The latter was surprised and delighted. The patient tested himself with the bulb in his right hand, then changed it to his left and then repeated the operation, always with the same gratifying result. The treatment had done its work. He felt like a well man. He was satisfied from the first that those pills would fix him.

"He sailed for Europe the other day," remarked the physician, "and as he is to remain abroad for five years I guess there is no danger of his learning how I cured him. He was so taken with the idea of testing the condition of his nervous system by the vibrations of the carbon in that electric light bulb that I humored his fancy. After three or four weeks of careful living, and when he had put himself into first class physical condition, I simply changed the bulbs for him. For the ordinary bulb containing a carbon coil I substituted one that I had made with a fine coil of oxidized silver wire closely resembling the other and which was so stiff that it was capable of almost no vibration when the bulb was held in the patient's hand. He took it, saw that the vibrations had ceased and concluded that he was cured."

"In some way, perhaps by accident or when in condition of mental excitement, he had noticed the trembling of the carbon in a bulb when held in the hand, and had instantly made up his mind that he was suffering from nervous disorder. He insisted upon using the same means in testing his progress toward recovery that had first persuaded him that he was ill, and was so compelled to acquiesce and treat him from that basis. He had evidently had little experience with these bulbs. Ordinary tests and observation would have shown him that no man, however sound, can hold an incandescent bulb in his unsupported hand so steadily that the carbon inside of it will not vibrate."—New York Herald.

Street Cars Run by Natural Gas.

The cars are of the ordinary size, but are constructed entirely of natural gas pipes, ranging in size from six inches down. These hollow tubes are neatly carved, so that to the average observer the fact that they are built of such material is not noticed. These pipes are heavily charged with gas, and with the aid of a boiler and the engines at work beneath the floor it is said a run of 30 miles can be made without refilling the tubes. A speed can be obtained equal to that of cars run by the electric method. It said that one of the latter will cost \$6,000 for its construction, while a gas car can be made for \$2,000. Either artificial or natural gas can be used as the propelling power. It is further asserted by its inventor that to operate it a day of 12 hours will cost but \$1.14, while the expense of running an electric car for the same period will be \$6.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

The Stupid Husband of a Noted Singer.

Catalani's husband, a handsome Frenchman, was even more unintellectual than his wife—he was stupid. Once, having found the pitch of the piano too high, she said after the rehearsal to her husband: "The piano is too high. Will you see that it is made lower before the concert?"

When the evening came, Catalani was annoyed to find that the piano had not been altered. Her husband sent for the carpenter, who declared that he had sawed off two inches from each leg, as he had been ordered to do. "Surely it can't be too high now, my dear!" said the stupid husband soothingly.—Youth's Companion.

The City and the Country Dude.

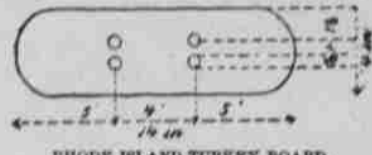
A city dude seldom does anything worth chronicling, for he is universally regarded as empty headed, incapable of even arousing genuine curiosity. But a country dude—well, he is pretty certain to be interesting. Here is a specimen: A Buckfield young man recently tried to lift his carriage out of the mud while standing on the axle to save soul.



SHINGLING TURKEYS.

A Plan Adopted in Some Sections For Confining These Birds.

With other interesting information furnished by Mr. Samuel Cushman of the Rhode Island experiment station in his turkey bulletin is that concerning "shingling" or "boarding" turkeys. This consists in fastening across the shoulders of the bird by soft cords, tapes or strips of cloth a thin board or shingle

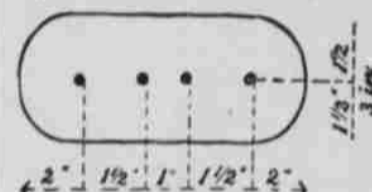


RHODE ISLAND TURKEY BOARD.

in which holes are bored. When of the proper shape and the holes are in the right place, if the cords are not tied too tight they may be worn 12 months without injury to the turkey.

By this method they may be confined to one field as easily as sheep. This is better and surer than clipping one wing. The only objection to it is that turkeys thus hampered are almost at the mercy of dogs. When the board is first adjusted, the turkeys try to free themselves, but they usually accept the situation in less than an hour and do not seem to mind it afterward. Various shaped boards are used. The diagrams show two styles and give the dimensions.

The strings are usually on the top of the board. In fastening the western style the string is passed down through one hole in front of the wing close to the body and around under the wing and up



WESTERN STYLE OF BOARD.

through the other hole and is tied on top of the board. A Mr. Barbee uses a board 10 inches long and 5 inches wide and fastens the strings under the wings. An ordinary shingle is strong enough for most hens, but large gobblers require something stronger, and light barrel staves are often used. In those that Mr. Cushman has seen three-eighth inch auger holes were used. Some use a large gimlet for making the holes.

Items on Wintering Bees.

At the last North American beekeepers' convention a paper on "Wintering Bees on Summer Stands" was read by Mr. G. R. Pierce of Blairtown, Pa., as reported by Country Gentleman. The gist of this was that winter losses are caused by the combined influence of cold and the lack of food. His advice was to give most thorough protection.

Following Mr. Blair's paper came one by Mr. George E. Hilton of Michigan. He called attention to the difference in localities regarding the honey that is produced late in the season. Some of it is unfit for winter food for bees. It seems to be lacking in the elements that furnish a wax secretion, and the honey is left uncapped. Such honey causes death to the confined bees.

He advised those living in such localities to save out combs of well ripened honey early in the season and exchange them for the combs of poor "stuff" after honey gathering was over in the fall. The combs of "stuff," as he called it, might be used in the spring, when the bees were breeding rapidly and could fly. Mr. Hilton preferred chaff hives. He covered the bees in winter with a blanket, over which was a cushion filled with chaff. He was very successful, but admitted that his location "was to blame for it."

After Mr. Hilton's paper came one by Mr. Charles Dadant of Illinois. The conditions of successful wintering of bees, as set forth in his paper, may be summed up as follows: A sufficient number of bees, especially young bees; a sufficient quantity of food of the best quality; a well closed hive, with absorbents above to remove the dampness caused by the breath of the bees and abundant protection.

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In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clatsop.

In the matter of the estate of Reuben Root, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned executor of the estate of Reuben Root, deceased, has filed his final report and account as such executor in the county court of Clatsop county, state of Oregon, and that Wednesday, the 28th day of February, A. D. 1894, at ten o'clock A. M. at said county court has been fixed and appointed as the time and place for the settlement of said final report and account, and the hearing and determining of any and all objections thereto.

J. W. ROOTS,
Ex'r of the estate of Reuben Root, dec'd.

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In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to cite Melania Amanda Teeter, Mary Graves, David B. Pope, Ernest F. Pope, Daniel E. Pope, Hardie M. A. Pope, and Clarence F. Pope, heirs and devisees of said David Williams, and to all other unknown heirs or devisees, if any such there be, to be and appear in the County Court of the state of Oregon for the county of Clatsop, at the court room thereof at the court house in Oregon City, in the said county of Clatsop, on Monday, the 27th day of March, A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any exist why an order of sale should not be made as prayed for in the petition of the administrator of said estate of certain lands to said estate belonging, to pay claims against said estate, expenses of administration and taxes, which petition is now on file in said Court, and in which petition the land asked to be sold is described as follows, to wit:

The north half of the south west quarter of section ten in township four, south, range one east, in the district of land subject to sale at Oregon City, Oregon, containing eighty acres. Also, the following described tract: the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter of section ten in township four, south, range one east, containing 40 acres, more or less, being in all one hundred and twenty acres, more or less.

Witness the Honorable John W. Meldrum, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Clatsop, this 20th day of January, 1894. JOHN W. MELDRUM,
County Judge.

I, Geo. F. Horton, County Clerk of the above-named county and state, and Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county of Clatsop and state of Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing copy of citation has been by me compared with the original, and that it is a correct and true copy of the whole of such original citation, as the same appears on file in my office and in my care and custody. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand (Seal) and affixed the seal of said Court this 28th day of January, A. D. 1894.

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