LOCAL AND PERSONAL

some and be convinced."

F. E. Whitney, postoffice inspector,

mince meat is until you try it. At the slot, abound everywhere. Every McGuire Bros.*

merchant, was a Portland visitor such restaurants. At railway stations the last of the week.

spent the week end here, leaving drops of pain killer, bandages, needle, Hood River for Portland. V. E. Fosberg, formerly of this

spending the past week here.

Everett A. Brown of the Upper States Consular Report.

Valley made one of his infrequent visits to town the last of the week Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harbison have completed the harvesting of their

Hillshoro. city and now in the real estate bust. apparent, and the lawyer's friends ad-Monday while enroute to Golden-

Dr. J. F. Beaumont spent several days last week on his ranch here, stands a little cottage," he began. The doctor has shipped his extra fancy fruit to Jacob Schiff, a promi. and in the doorway stands a gray hairnent New York banker, on special

day evening for a few weeks' visit at | ed mother waiting"the F. W. Radford and A. L. Page homes before going on to California turned red. to spend the winter.

D. C., director of the horticultural rase."-Indianapolis News. field work, was a guest at the Hotel Oregon last week. He was accompanied by B. B. Pratt who is making the Northwest.

With Thanksgiving near at hand, your order. McGuire Bros.*

Ross Crane, "the artistic genius," at Helibronner Hall tomorrow tenants of the entries, having no doors not prepared for the extreme clever- ly drink in the music, but at the same ness, the versatility and rare humor time bear a wary eye upon the hats of

at McGuire Bros.*

A News adv. does the business,

Land of the Automat.

land of the automat." Automatic devices of all kinds are popular and are +++++++++++++++++++++ used for a thousand purposes. At all sold by automatic machines; at the railway stations platform tickets and suburban tickets are sold by automats; was here from Portland Friday and automat restaurants, where one can secure a glass of beer, wine or liquor, a You don't know how good our sandwich, square meal, cup of coffee, city of 15,000 or 20,000 population and W. H. Rodenblser, Upper Valley over has from one to several hundred automats sell chocolate, candy, picture Miss Hazel Holmes of Underwood post cards and even a little kit of "first thread, etc. Ten pfennigs in a slot pens the door of tollet compartments, city and now of Boring, has been felivering a towel or piece of soap. A coin in a slot obtains a cigar, a tune Give your order for corn beef to from a mechanical music box, a pair of shoe strings, a collar button, a visit-McGuire Bros., for it's the best in ing card, name plate for suit case, tells one's fortune or weight, etc.-United

Flowers and Facts.

There is an Indianapolis attorney who is known for his dignity and who rarely indulges in "flowery" oratory in erop at Odell and have returned to arguing a case. Some years ago, however, he was engaged in a murder case Charles L. Wheeler, formerly of this in which the guilt of the prisoner was ness in Portland, visited friends here vised him to be "flowery" in an effort to appeal to the sentiment of the jurors. So the attorney took his friends' advice.

"Down in the hills of old Kentucky "Around the cottage vines are clinging, ed mother waiting-

"As I was saying, down in the hills of old Kentucky stands a little cottage. Mrs. Jennie Brown and daughter, Around the cottage vines are clinging, Nellte, of LeRoy, Minn., arrived Mon- and in the doorway stands a gray hair-

The lawyer paused, and his face

"And while she is standing there waiting," be continued, "I guess we A. V. Stubenrauch of Washington, might as well discuss the facts in this

Street Crowds In Caracas. One of the features of the city of a study of the storage problems in Caracas, Venezuela, that most strongly impresses a foreigner is the rapidity with which a crowd gathers in the streets. This is best exemplified when remember we will have some very some of the many wandering musifine turkeys for our Thanksgiving clans, in whom Caracas abounds, pretrade. By ordering early you can pare to give an impromptu open air get the choice of these birds. Don't concert. Their first notes no sooner forget the place. Call 4 and place echo through the neighborhood than there gathers to listen a vast throng that almost blocks up the thoroughfare. The cobblers and all the other (Thursday) evening. Of him the to open or stairs to descend, are on Portland Journal said "We were the spot almost instanter. They eagerof Ross Crane's work. He is a gen- the musicians and no sooner do they observe the slightest indication that one is about to be taken off for the Salmon, balibut, clams and crabs purpose of taking up a collection by passing it around among the crowd than they disappear even more quickly

What a Book or a Play Must Contain to Be Attractive

By KATE DOUGLAS WIGGIN.

Author OUNG authors should write from the level of their own mind and heart without any airs, frills or poses. WRITE WHAT YOU SEE, not what you merely think would be delightful and popular nor what somebody else sees. Dig into your own little past and set down what you find there. Almost everything of value you will find HIDDEN SAFELY AWAY IN THE MEMORIES AND IMPRES-SIONS OF YOUR FIRST SIX-TEEN YEARS when the earth had the glory and freshness of a

You love, and afterward you marry. You have children. You learn how to face life and mask death. Nevertheless the mysteries of your own personality seem to have been established, graven, as it were, on the brain tissues that were growing when you were growing.

A book or play that WIELDS AN UNCONSCIOUS INFLU-ENCE is the only one that wields any influence at all. Unless morality can succeed by being attractive it might as well resign its commission, for perfunctory, mechanical goodness is not half as interesting as clever, brilliant naughtiness.

KATE DOUGLAS WIGGIN

DELIVER US FROM STODGY, NEGATIVE VIRTUE WITH NO SPICE AND NO WIT IN IT, AND NO SPONTANEITY, NO NONSENSE, NO JOY. THAT SORT OF VIRTUE NEVER WORKS MIRACLES. IN-CIDENTALLY IT BORES EVERYBODY WHO IS UNWILLINGLY EX-POSED TO IT, BUT IF ONE DOES NOT LIKE A PURPOSEFUL MO-RALITY TO STAND OUT AGGRESSIVELY IN HONEST LITERARY OR DRAMATIC WORK ONE LACKS THE FOUNDATION TO MAKE FOR RIGHTEQUENESS.

Germany might almost be called "the A PRACTICAL OBSERVATION.

A group of town lads with whom the writer is acquainted who are taking the agricultural course which was this Sauer kraut at McGuire Bros. Try postoffices stamps and post cards are fall added to their high school course have been busy at intervals during the past three weeks selecting and studying seed corn. In selecting it in the field they have found as a result of their own observation that the ears which are sufficiently advanced to pick are borne at from six to ten inches lower on the stalk than the average height of all the ears of the field. South of latitude 41.30 this matter of early maturity is not so vital, for the growing season is usually from 125 to 130 days long, and large ears have time to mature, but in territory where the season is 115 days or less the selection of early maturing corn is of great importance. If the agricultural course referred to does nothing more than bring this fact plainly to these boys and some of the farmers in the locality in which they live it will have been worth all it cost.

SMOKED THEIR CORN.

A friend who takes note of interesting things reported to the writer the other day a practice followed by corn growers in a locality in Illinois where his wife's people used to live. This consisted in storing their supply of seed corn just overhead in the village blacksmith shop, where the smoke from the forge gave it a sooty coating during the winter months. The space was divided off, each man's corn being by itself. It was found that corn cured in this place not only got dried out thoroughly and grew well, but that the smoke and soot with which it was coated kept the gophers and ground squirrels from molesting it in the spring after it was planted. So far as protection from the rodents is concerned, practically the same protection is afforded in the quite general practice of treating the seed with tar just before putting it into the planter boxes.

TWO HUNDRED PER CENT. The World's Work in a recent issue tells of the case of a New Jersey consumer who last February paid 50 cents for a dozen "strictly fresh" eggs. One of these bore the name and address of the owner of the hens which laid them, with the request that the person who finally bought them write and let him know how much he paid for them. The correspondence which followed showed that the eggs were laid in December, two months before, and that the owner of the bens received 17 cents per dozen for them. This meant that the transportation company and the middleman through whose hands the eggs passed before they got to the man who ate them added nearly 200 per cent to the price which the producer received. In view of such a hold up conspiracy as this it is no wonder that the cost of living is

\$11,000,000 WORTH OF BEANS. California's yearly output of beans brings the growers of the state in \$11,-500,000 yearly. The total output is 2,898,000 eighty pound sacks, the variety and output of the several kinds of beans being as follows: Lima beans, 1,430,000 sacks; pink beans, 770,000 sacks; small white beans, 137,500 sacks; all other varieties, 561,000 sacks. The state's production of lima per cent of the world's, the Island of Madagascar producing practically all the rest. The lima bean industry of California started in 1880 in Santa Barbara county, and today practically all of the huge output is raised in five southern counties of the state and within sixteen miles of the sea.

POTATO SCAB QUARANTINE. Acting under the authority of the law recently passed by congress giving the department of agriculture power to establish quarantine against foreign countries or individual states of the Union for the purpose of preventing the introduction of plant and insect pests, Hood River, R. D. 3. Phone For terms call Scott; 'phone 111. Secretary Wilson has issued orders 187-K. 45 probibiting the importation of fruit from the Hawaiian Islands to head off the Mediterranean fruit fly, against several European countries to check the further introduction of the white Niguma, phone 160. 45-48p. sleeping porch, bath, pantry, atpine blister and against New Foundland, England, Germany and Austro-Hungary to prevent the introduction of the potato wart disease or black scab.

A GOOD RATION

Probably no experiment station in the country has made more careful 44-47p investigation along the line of scientific poultry raising than that of the state of Maine; hence the ration for laying hens recommended by the station experts is of especial interest.

Bros., Hood River, Phone 160.

Wanted—A man with family to rooms, partly furnished, hot the time, and this consists of a mix-ture of 200 pounds of bran and 100 close to Hood River. Must have phone 32-B. pounds each of cornmeal, shorts, lin- experience and first-class recomscant amount of whole corn, wheat and oats, while clover, mangels, oyster shells and grit are also provided.

AN ORCHARD HINT.

The difficulty encountered in harvesting apples in orchards where clean cultivation is given the trees as a result of the fruit falling in the dirt may be overcome to a large extent by sowing rye the latter part of July and cutting it about two weeks before time for har vest and letting it lie as a carpet to protect the fruit.



Thanksgiving Linens AT SAVING PRICES

Good assortment of the Market's best values .--- Compare and you will give us your business. Fresh clean goods, from manufacturers of repute. No auction stuff, no "jobs," no trash. Cotton called Cotton, Linen called Linen, we bought at a saving. We know they are right---our prices save YOU money.

Look to your Linen wants Now--NOW

All Linen Damask-part Linen and Mercerized Cotton, by the yard in new attractive patterns, Napkins to match. Cloth __45c to \$3.00 per yd. Napkins \$1.25 to \$7.00 per doz. 65 inch Mercerized Table Cloth, Fleur de Lis and Thistle patterns, stripe borders_____ 50c 66 inch Linen Cloth, floral stripe pattern_____75c 68 inch Linen Cloth, Daisy pat-72 inch Heavy Linen, Nasturtium pattern \$1.25 72 inch Satin Damask, assorted patterns, dots and floral with deep border and stripe designs ____\$1.50 72 inch heavy Satin Damask, the best quality of Linen and beauti-

ful striped floral designs with

Grecian border effects \$2.50 and \$3

Exclusive Patterns Linen - Table - Sets

Cloths and Napkins to match in all pure Linen___\$5.00 to \$25.00 Set No. 143---Scroll Pattern Cloth 71x70, 22 inch Napkins to match. Set \$5.00 Same Pattern, 71x78 cloth, 24 inch Napkins Set \$7.00 No. 146---Tulip and Ribbon design, cloth 71x72, 24 inch Napkins to

match_____Set \$8.00 Same Pattern, 8x12, 24-inch Napkins

No. 147---Scroll Design, cloth 72x90, 24 inch Napkins to match, heavy Damask Pure Irish Linen_Set \$15.00 No. 152---Ivy and Clouds design, the best grade of Satin Damask, the most beautiful pattern ever put on the best of real Linen, cloth 8x10, Napkins

27 inches _____ Set \$25.00

We are prepared to supply your needs in TABLE LINEN whatever they may be, whether it is a few Napkins, or a full set, at prices to match the quality of the goods desired.

Ask to see our Beautiful Doilies, Center Pieces, and Lunch Cloths of real hand made Mexican Drawn Work on all Pure Linen.

BRAGG MERCANTILE CO.

CLASSIFIED ADS

EVERYBODY READS THE NEW'S "WANT" ADS.

EMPLOYMENT COLUMN FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

ried; Address W. B. Perkins, hour. Can hand work beat that

Wanted—Place in town by experienced Japanese janitor. Also does office cleaning. Care sale cheap. 3 chambers and a

honest, sober, on fruit farm; does not expect high wages. For par- wagon, 2 horse, suitable for ror Sale—One of the solution o

but cabable men need apply, 45-tfc Steady job all the year 'round. Address B. N. Bowman, 145

Oakdale Greenhouses — Geran-cation. Phone 114M, 11 Cascade Ave. 46-47p. bedding plants. See the roses in bloom this summer and have for Sale Cheap—One new 6 room stock reserved for Fall of next house. Lot 50x100 on 11th and stock reserved for Fall or next Spring. Plants and cut flowers Prospect streets. Phone 278M. at Franz's. Fletcher & Fletcher. Hood River.

Wanted-Experienced man wants work on ranch; mar-Wants work on ranch; mar-

tic and basement. Inquire at Wanted-Position by young man office of A. W. Onthank. 36tfc

phone 32-B.

For Sale—Stump-puller, Swend-son machine, main-cable, brush pruning—You should get your hook and anchor. Practically mons, Parkdale, Oregon. Phone not planted. Must be soil and location suitable for growing

Good business and in a good lo- 154.

46-47p

Read the News. It tells it all.

or Rent-Nice modern cottage, furnace, bath, etc. See W. J. 45-47c

Wanted - Pasture and stable dur-ing severe weather for two roak, delivered. J. J. Knapp. horses. Address X, News, or phone 3232-X. phone 218 M after 6 p. m.

or Sale--White Orpington cockerels. Kellerstrauss strain. Phone 212-M. S. J. Frank, Ava-Kline at Hood River Gas and

ost-Pocket book containing sum of money and papers. Owners name (Jacob Bowman) on pocket book. Liberal reward

For Sale One good, young milch

For Sale—Team of bay mares five years old. These horses pounds each of cornmeal, shorts, line experience and first-class recomseed meal, beef scraps and gluten mendations; must be industrious for Rent-Nelson bungalow furwell matched. I am selling bemeal. Besides this mash, there is fed and understand all about apple nished, for winter. New fur-cause I do not need two teams, five acres bearing. A bargain if orchards. Give age and experinace. Inquire on premises, 1013 Inspection invited. J. R. Put-taken soon, terms, no agents. H. ence. Will furnish house. None State street, or phone 224-K. nam, Mount Hood, Orc. Tele-P. Allen, Phone 333K. 46-49p phone 264, Odell. 45tfc

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The Evolution of Booster Bill

IX.-How Many Bill Blues Have We?

Old Bill Blue's knocking was so bad He knocked out everything he had. Then he grew wise and muttered "Stung!"
So "Booster Bill" a new song sung.

How many Bill Blues have we here Who knock and try the town to queer! If you are one, then, like Bill, pray To see the error of your way.



For he who runs his own place down Injures himself more than the town, And who to lift up does his best Lifts up his fortune with the rest.

This is the golden law: WE GET What we give out. Time pays the debt. If you shed sunshing it will fill Your own life. Be a "Booster Bill." One of the advantages of sheep is that they can be given the run of pasture later and be turned out earlier in the spring than any other stock,

One need not inquire or be told by another the time of the first killing freeze, for the fact is heralded in the air following Such a freeze in the scent of the withering corn leaves.

The reason why animals as a rule are less subject to bodily ills than human beings is because they get more exercise and fresh air and are more temperate as to eating and drinking.

LOST AND FOUND ADS

ost-Heavy gold ring with one diamond. Finder please return to F. Morrison, 1106 State street, and receive reward. 37-38c

ost-On Thursday one long-haired Persian cat; color, dark brown. Reward if returned to Captain C. P. McCann. 1tc

BUSINESS ADVERTISING

preat opportunity - Sunnyslope Fruit Farm, one mile south of Hood River Heights has for sale leading varieties of standard apple trees. I have good Jersey milk I can deliver on Hood River Heights; also ripe peaches. I can LIVE STOCK AND FOWLS mow your hay, raise or move your house. For prices phone 218K. J. T. Nealeigh.

REAL ESTATE SECTION

For Sale—At a sacrifice, 20 acres orchard land in Willow Flat district. For particulars see E. Electric Co. office.

Carm Help and Berry Pickers-The Hood River Apple Growers Union and the Davidson Fruit offered for return of same. Phone | Company have arranged with the Y. M. C. A. Industrial Employment Agency of Portland, to fur-Wanted—Jobs cutting wood or shoveling gravel. Help of this kind supplied by Niguma Bros., Hood River, Phone 160.

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Wanted—Home for winter for sale—New Jumbo stump mer, Parkdale, Ore, Phone No. 31X5 Odell.

Wanted—Home for winter for winter for sale leases of farm help, including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help, including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers, for the farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farm help. Including berry pickers and farmers and fruit growers of the sale leases of farmers and fruit growe and the calls will be promptly forwarded to us and filled. No

Wanted Belgium hare buck, telephole or write M. L. Simintees 2 to 5 years, and part pruning—rou should get your pruning done by an A-No. 1 Dee, Oregon. 45-47c

pruner. Do it now. Address Earl Prather, R. F. D. 1, Box 95

For Sale Cheap—Furniture for boarding and rooming house.

For Sale—Team and two sets of harness, hack and buggy and two dozen chickens. Phone Odeil two dozen chickens. Phone Odeil two dozen chickens. Phone Odeil two dozen chickens. ments and lowest cash For Sale---A good Jersey cow, Address Ward, care Hood River fresh first of December, Phone News.

Address Ward, care Hood River 16-48c

> or Trade-High class Portland Wanted---Cheap plug team, residence lot to exchange for mares preferred. Address inproved or unimproved Hood J. A. Hodges, R. F. D. 3, Phone River city property. Address H. T. C., care News. 44-47c