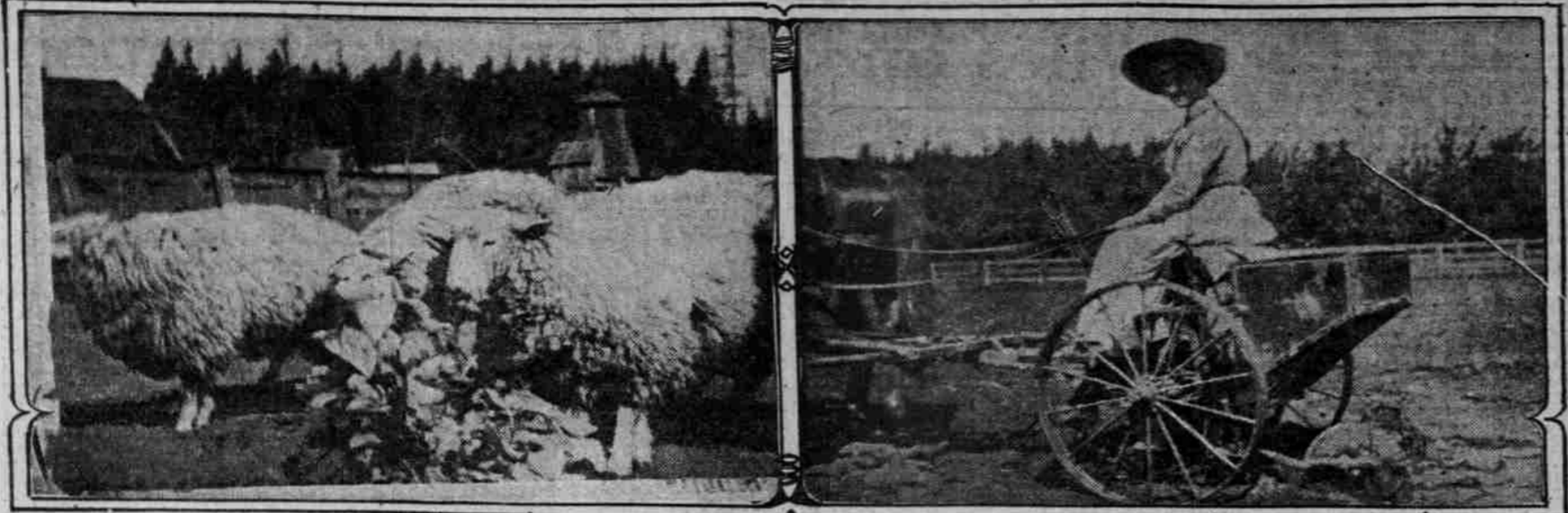


Young Woman Runs Stock and Fruit Farm Near City

Miss Clara L. Webb Manages Her Broad Acres Personally, and Has Raised Prize-Winning Cattle, Sheep and Swine, as Well as Small Fruit—Story of How She Does It.



LINCOLNS ENJOYING KALE

MISS CLARA WEBB TAKING A TURN ON THE POTATO PLANTER

"PLEASE excuse my patent leather shoes," my fair guide remarked as she stepped from the corral into the granary and dived into a bin to procure some barley for the big, beautiful Lincoln sheep which stood grouped about the yard, staring affectionately and expectantly at their mistress.

The patent leathers, which happened to be substantial rubber boots, were very much bespattered with mud. "You see," continued the young woman, "when I am on the farm I must do as the farmers do, at least as far as my wearing apparel is concerned. I am into everything; pig-pens, sheep-pens, horse stables, and plowed ground; when I see that my foreman needs a helping hand, I assist him, and dirt is never an obstacle. It's all clean dirt."



MR. SMITH THE FOREMAN AND ONE OF TRED MERRILL'S DONKEYS



GEN. SHAFTERS' FAVORITE HORSE



PRIZE YEARLING LINCOLN RAM

YEARLINGS HEADED FOR THE STATE FAIR

but mine are pure-blooded, and they deserve attention according to their rank. Fine Herd of Swine.

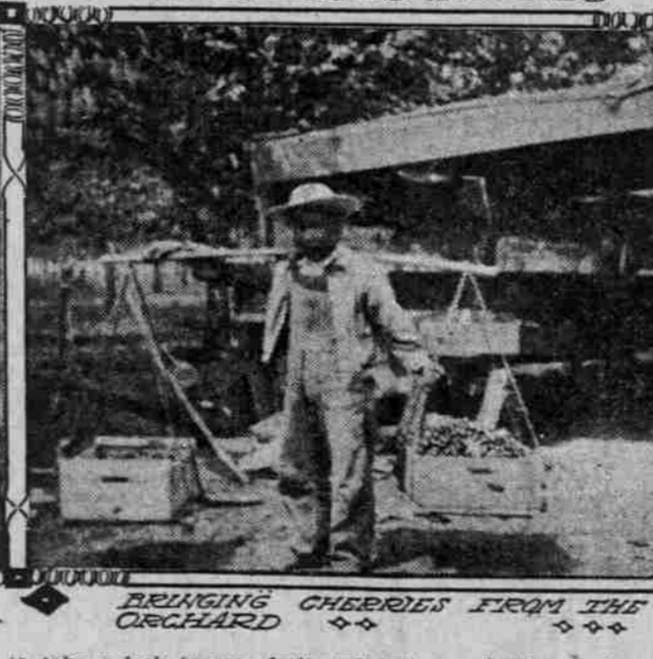
The Webb farm has about 75 blooded Poland China hogs. They are all in excellent condition and there is not a runt in the drove. Miss Webb pointed out to me in particular one two-year-old boar which won the blue ribbon at the Pacific National Show in Portland last year, and which, I was told, could be brought to 700 pounds for exhibiting purposes. This is only one of many ribbon winners which the drove contains.

"The sheep on the farm, over 100 in number, are pure-blooded Lincolns and it is doubtful if a finer band could be found anywhere in the United States. They have the best of pasturage and dry, sanitary sheds for shelter and are perfectly free from any signs of the diseases ordinarily prevalent among the sheep in this climate.

"I suppose you make a handsome profit from your sheep?" I ventured to ask. "Yes," was the answer, "they are very prolific and they all shear from 10 to 15 pounds of the finest quality of wool. I shipped a carload of rams to Pendleton last fall and they were sold without difficulty. On the range they are very anxious to secure blooded stock for breeding purposes."



CLARA BEHIND THE SWEET PEAS MAKES A PLEASING PICTURE



BRINGING CHERRIES FROM THE ORCHARD

ram, from a spring at the bottom of a hill just over the north edge of the farm. This source has been very satisfactory. The farm was laid out systematically. It is divided into 14-acre tracts, each tract being used for some particular purpose; one for pasture, one for hay, another for fruit, etc. Near the center of the farm is a lot containing a grove of large fir trees, which fits as a sort of hub into the arrangement of fields, and which can be very conveniently utilized in the care of the stock.

The foreman, C. M. Smith, renders very valuable assistance in the management, and Miss Webb speaks very highly of him. One other man is also regularly employed during the winter. But the famed orchard of Lambert cherries! That is the principal item of interest in connection with this thrifty farm. The owner takes great pride in it, and well she may, for this orchard of 10 acres, containing 1200 trees, yields her a larger income than all the crops of any two or three of the adjoining farms put together. And just to prove that she considers it a paying proposition, she is now setting out another 10 acres of the same variety. She says that she wants more cherries, so that she can ship them in carload lots back to New York and secure fancy prices. "Why," she said, "I can secure 40 cents per pound in New York, the express charge being 10 cents per pound under refrigeration. Last Summer the bulk of the crop was hauled to Portland and sold there.

and one has but to take a look to see that she has been very successful. The farm was laid out systematically. It is divided into 14-acre tracts, each tract being used for some particular purpose; one for pasture, one for hay, another for fruit, etc. Near the center of the farm is a lot containing a grove of large fir trees, which fits as a sort of hub into the arrangement of fields, and which can be very conveniently utilized in the care of the stock.

"The cherries average," she said, "three and one-half inches in circumference, and several have been found to measure as much as four and one-half inches." Medals! Why, the intrinsic value of the cups which she has won at the exposition and many other prizes at the various exhibitions, medals were received at the Pan-American Exposition, and the Lewis and Clark Fair, and she expects to win again this year at the Seattle

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Exposition. At Salem, on account of the fact that she has taken the first and second prizes each time for several consecutive seasons, she has been warned that after the next time she will not be allowed to compete again, because other cherry growers must have a chance or they will refuse to exhibit their cherries. The orchard has been in bearing seven years. During the last five years the successive yields for the 10 acres have been 4 tons, 9 tons, 18 tons, 20 tons and 40 tons, respectively. Now just stop and figure a minute. Wouldn't you like to have been the recipient of the income which the owner has realized from that orchard? If the same ground had been planted to potatoes, what would have been the profit? And still the Webb orchard is the only one of its kind in Multnomah County, where there are other tracts of land just as well suited for the growth of cherry trees. Of course it is well to consider that a large part of the success Miss Webb has had is due to her good management and to the fact that she has kept her orchard in first-class condition.

And this farm is owned and managed by a woman who knows refinement, is highly educated, has inherited wealth, has

traveled extensively, is a musician, a fine conversationalist and a public speaker. She is well posted on current events and almost everything worth talking about. She could be a first-class journalist and in fact she has had considerable experience in that kind of work. She was for some time an able assistant to Dr. Brougher at the White Temple. She was successful at one time as an ad writer for Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Company, and at that vocation could earn a good salary. In any manner of business dealings, Miss Webb is "there with the goods," to put it strongly, and could manage anything from a sand bank to a corner in wheat.

Easiest Thing in the World to Make Cake if One Knows How

Lilian Tingle Begins New Series of Articles on Subject of Entrancing Interest to Most Young Brides.

Cake Lesson No. 1.
By LILIAN TINGLE.
If I had abundance of time and leisure—which I fear will not be for me until the day comes when "I shall rest, and, faith, we shall need it." I should like to do some research work in connection with psychology of cake-making.

Why is it, for instance, that the amateur immature cook almost invariably tries her "luck" first with this class of compound?
Why, if you talk recipes, can every woman give you a new one, even the loveliest cake you ever ate, even though she never made a loaf of bread in her life and has only the most vague ideas about the regulation and temperatures of ovens?

Why do these "new" cakes, when good, resemble so closely, except possibly in shape and decoration, the cakes of our grandmothers?
Who buys all the books and booklets on the subject of cake-making, and why?
Further, considering the fact that cake-making is really not a particularly difficult art, and that so many people appear to be interested in it, where do all the bad, or poor, or characterless cakes come from; and who eats them; why?

These are mysteries too deep for mere superficial study, and must therefore wait. But here is another question, which reached me recently, and can more easily be answered: "don't you tell us something about cake-baking in your articles in the Oregonian?" I have kept all you wrote about bread and have done pretty well with that; but my husband (there is something in the way these two words are written that suggests pride in an admirable article, somewhat recently acquired—but, of course, this is only a guess) "is very fond of cake, and I have not had much luck with mine. Will you not publish some good, reliable recipes?"

The answers are: (1) Because, dear madam, I did not know you wished anything of the kind. (2) With pleasure, but general principles are more important than "recipes," so suppose we consider those first and try to reduce the question of "luck" to a minimum.

First, the ingredients. All cakes are a mixture of some or all of the following: (1) eggs, (2) sweetening, (3) flour, (4) shortening, (5) wetting, (6) leavening, (7) flavoring.

Stomach Blood and Liver Troubles

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