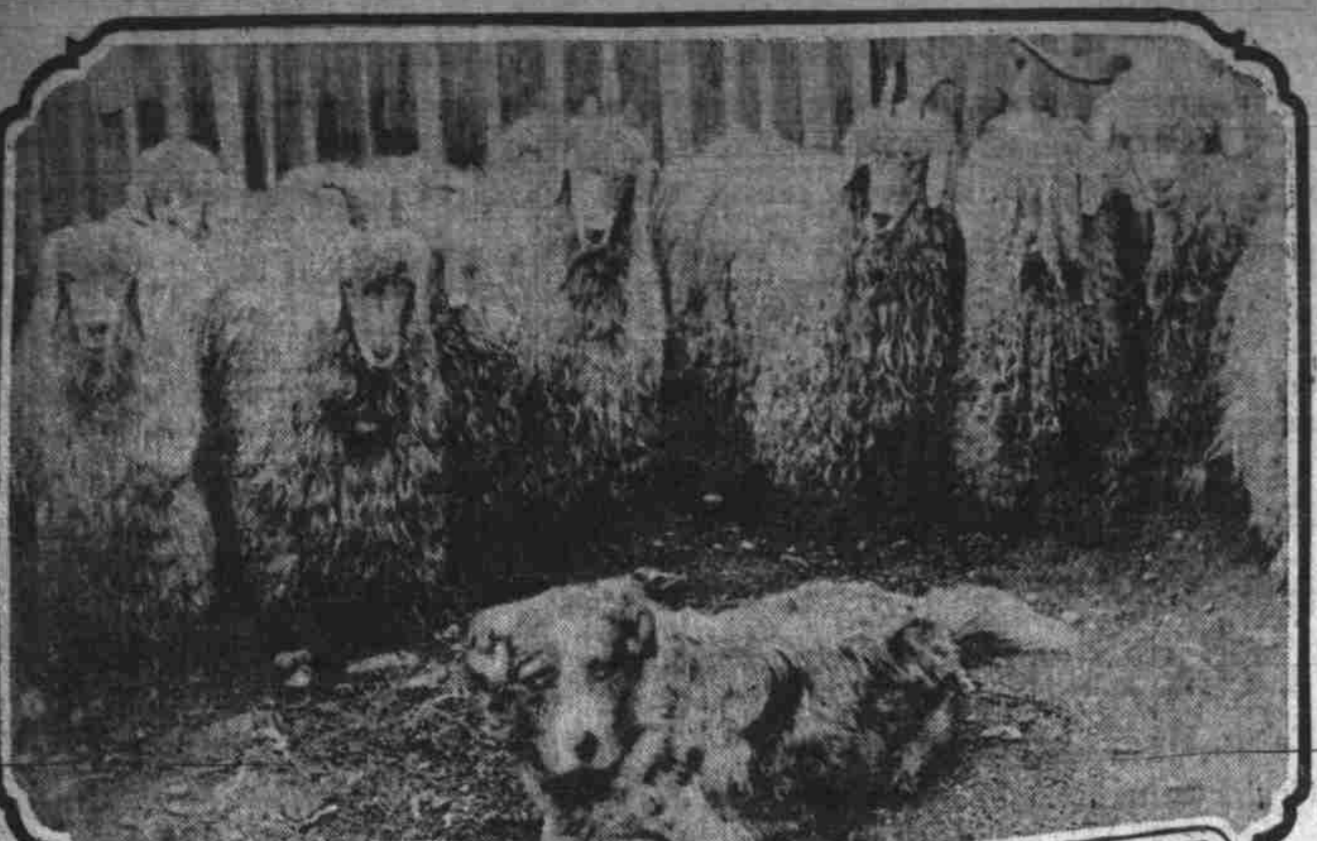


### Children of Oregon Schools Interested in Garden Contests

Prizes Numbering 314, Consisting of Cash and Animals and Fowls, Will Be Awarded at the State Fair, to Youngsters Who Do the Best Work in Soil Culture; Children Inquire About Prizes and Conditions on which They Will Be Awarded; Businessmen Contribute Freely.



In the accompanying cut animal prizes for the school children's industrial contest are shown. In the top row is "OSO", Shepherd dog, guarding a band of full blooded Angoras, belonging to Mrs. F. A. Pierce of Galesville, Or.; Oso has had full charge of this band of Angoras ever since he was a puppy. He takes them out in the morning and brings them back at night. Below is Miss Helen West riding Beauty, just after she won first prize in the Shetland show; a pen of Duroc Jerseys belonging to G. M. Harvey of Salem, and Scotch Collies, one of which is to be given by Mr. Nairn of Amity.

By Caroline Wasson Thomason.  
Salem, Or., March 2.—A great many inquiries are coming from children to State Superintendent Alderman's office regarding the prizes to be awarded at the state fair which opens September 2. In all 314 prizes will be given to the children, \$1000 in cash being furnished by the state fair board, and \$2500 worth of thorough-bred animals, and other valuable prizes being supplied by public-spirited breeders, and business men. What the children are asking is about the prizes themselves—what will they be given for, how much will they cost, what will they look like. "What is the Shetland pony going to be given for?" This question has been asked over and over by the many interested boys and girls who are planning to go into the industrial contest. Secretary of State Ben W. Olcott evidently has an insight into the inmost desires of Oregon children. He also is alive to the astounding need in Oregon for more poultry production, since only last year 204 carloads of eggs were shipped into this state (some coming all the way from China), and nearly as many carloads of dressed poultry. So Secretary Olcott has decided to encourage

the poultry production of the state by offering a Shetland pony to the child of any age who exhibits the best trio of chickens at the fair. The Shetland that Mr. Olcott expects to give is now the property of Helen West, daughter of Governor West. "Beauty," the name given by Miss Helen to her Shetland, is black, and full of "good horse sense." Another Shetland pony has been offered to the child of any age who exhibits the best sow and litter, the Union Meat company of Portland giving this prize—hoping to get boys and girls to raising-hogs. Children Are Interested. "A little girl at Galesville wrote to Superintendent Alderman that four children in her family wanted to enter the industrial contest. 'And we all want a goat prize whose hair will touch the ground. We know what they are because we have 10 head of them and we have one that has 19 inch mohair on her.' added the little lady. These four children cannot all win 'goat prizes' because only two angoras appear on the prize list, one being given for the best head of cabbage raised by a child over 12, and the other for the best head raised by a child under 12. C. H. Cannon of Turner has given the first prize for the Northwest Angora association has given the second. A Scotch collie, a foxhound and an Alredale puppy are among the other prizes. C. D. Nairn, owner of the Oregon Scotch collie kennels at the Shadland farm, Amity, brought eight pure-bred Scotch collies from Scotland 25 years ago. Since that time the best blood has been added from importations. Every one knows what a collie is, how intelligent and useful he is. Mr. Nairn will give a collie as a prize for field corn. P. A. Smith owns a high grade hound puppy that will be given to the child under 12 who makes the best exhibit of field corn in the state. Alredales are becoming very popular in America as hunting dogs. They take their name from the valley of Aire in Yorkshire, England, where they have lived for 50 years. "An Alredale knows only one master," said Max Muller, an Alredale specialist of Salem. Mr. Muller has given an Alredale to the Marlon county fair, while A. G. Raab, city superintendent of schools in North Bend, has given one for the state fair. This dog will be given to the boy under 12 who exhibits the best labor saving device. An Indian pony will be given the boy over 12 who stands first in this competition. Many Pig Prizes. There are more pig prizes than of any other one kind of animals. There are eight Poland Chinas, four Berkshires, two Duroc Jerseys, and a Hampshire. These are the gifts of Herbert Willard, Dayton; William I. Huggins, Junction City; W. E. Forberg, LaFayette; T. W. Brunk, Salem; L. R. Alderman, Dayton; C. L. Dorsey, Dayton; L. L. Paget, Gaston; W. K. Newell, Galesville; Browndale Farms, Portland; G. M. Harvey, Salem; J. M. Fruitta, Joseph; Thomas Carmichael, Gaston, and J. H. Schaap, Gervais. The first prizes for popcorn will be Jersey calves given by W. O. Morrow who owns the famous La Croix herd of A.J.C.C. Jerseys in Independence, and by Robert L. Burkhardt, who lives at Albany, and raises prize cattle at the Maple Lawn Place. Calves will also be given for the best potatoes, a beautiful Hartford being furnished by George Chandler of Baker City, and a handsome Holstein given by Thomas Carmichael of Gaston. The sheep prizes are six in number, two Southdowns, two Cotswolds, a

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### BANK OF PHILOMATH LIKELY TO PAY OUT

Superintendent of Banks Expects Dividends to Cover All Deposits.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)  
Salem, Or., March 2.—Superintendent of Banks Will Wright has filed with the circuit court of Benton county the total list of claims against the First State Bank of Philomath, which has become insolvent. The claims amount to \$44,695.37. A dividend of about 60 per cent will be paid to the depositors as soon as an order is received from the court, which will not take up the matter until the next session, the latter part of March. It is expected that more dividends will be paid. The state superintendent of banks has issued a certificate authorizing the State Bank of Imbler, in Union county, to do business. The new bank has a capital stock of \$25,000.

### PAVING, SIDEWALK, LIGHT ISSUES BESET KLAMATH

(Special to The Journal.)  
Klamath Falls, Or., March 2.—An ordinance has been introduced providing a large amount of paving for the current year in districts where the traffic is heavy. Most of the proposed paving was petitioned for by the property owners last year. The city council is also wrestling with the sidewalk question. This city has for more than two years been of sufficient population to have free delivery, but on account of the poor condition of the walks service has not been established. The council is about to adopt measures to compel sidewalks required by the postal regulations. Another problem before the city council is the matter of a new contract with the Siskiyou Light & Power company for lighting the city. It is generally realized that a better lighting system is needed. The company has submitted several propositions to the council, but no action has been taken. It is very probable a few arrangements will be made whereby the city will get better service for less money.

### COLD WEATHER HARD ON PETS IN LONDON

(By the International News Service.)  
London, March 2.—Hard frost brings anxious days for the authorities at the zoological gardens. Animals and birds which happen to be slightly "run down" are then specially liable to pneumonia and other ailments. At present the "soot" hospital is filling up and pitiful little inquests due to the severe weather are being held daily. On Friday one of the sacred cows of the herd of Myreote cattle was reported to be ill. Pneumonia was diagnosed by Mr. Peacock, the superintendent, and the patient was removed to the warm sanatorium. But little could be done to keep the cow warmly wrapped, and death ensued. In addition, monkeys, lemurs, antelopes and delicate birds have died from pneumonia, and until the frost breaks the death rate will continue to be abnormally high.

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2 pks. Lettuce, 1 Diamond Early, 1 Crisp-ette, 15c  
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2 pks. Radish, 15c  
1 doz. Early Cabbage Plants, 10c  
1 pkt. Turnip, E. Milan, 1 pkt. Peas, American Wonder, 15c  
1 lb. Onion Sets, 1 pkt. Onion, Prize-taker, 20c  
1 pkt. Beet, E. E. Egyptian, 1 pkt. Carrot, E. S. Horn, 10c  
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1 pkt. Corn, Golden West, 1 pkt. Peas, 20c  
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1 doz. Cabbage Plants, Dan. Ball Head, 10c  
1 pkt. Radish, Rose China Winter, 1 pkt. Lettuce, May King, 10c  
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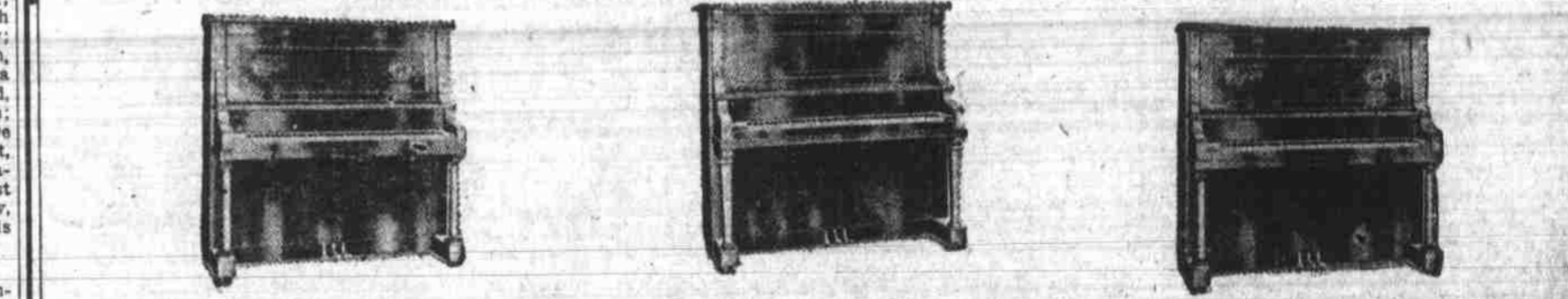
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