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THE SCEPTRE OF GRACE—"The Sceptre shall not depart from Judah, nor a lawyer from between his feet, until Shiloh comes; and unto him shall the gathering of the people be." Gen. 49:10.

OUR POULTRY IS SOUND

There is a poultry boom on in the Salem district, and it is sound; it is based on actual outstanding advantages. Last year A. G. Lunn, professor of poultry husbandry at the Oregon Agricultural College, broadcasted these statements in an address over the radio:

"No where in the United States has such rapid progress been made in increasing the egg production of the hen as on the Pacific Coast, and especially in the Northwest—

"And some of the greatest laying strains in the world have been produced right at our doors."

This progress is more manifest this year, and the Oregon cooperative egg and poultry producing association did three times as much business last year as the year before, and will this year at least double its business of last year.

The Slogan editor has for years been saying this is the best poultry country in the world. It is. Though his voice for a long time was a lone one, as of one crying in the wilderness, now the very best authorities believe this, and are not ashamed to say it.

People smiled a while back when the Slogan man talked about Salem becoming a Petaluma—plus. They smile no longer; the knowing ones—

In fact, they see a tremendous poultry boom coming. Our baby chick men cannot get enough suitable eggs now for their business, to supply their demands. They want more and more.

The 200 egg hen was a myth a short while ago. Today we have here in this district the 200 egg flock average, and the 300 egg individual; and going higher. Up to 335 now; unofficial records of several breeds still higher.

The first 300 egg hen in the world was produced in the Salem district; at the Oregon Agricultural College.

The first flock of 13 hens in the world to produce 300 or more eggs each in a year were bred at the Oregon asylum for the insane, at Salem; pronounced by the then (1922) greatest poultry authority living as the best 13 hens in all history.

The first 335 Leghorn hen in the world was bred and is owned in the Salem district; the record being made at the Western Washington Experiment Station at Puyallup, the breeder and owner being H. M. Leathers of Woodland, Wash., near Vancouver and Kelso, in what amounts to an extension of the Willamette valley. This world's greatest hen is Lady Jewel, a White Leghorn. She produced more than 600 eggs in two years—

And long-distance strains are now being developed in this district with greater success than is attending such efforts elsewhere in all poultrydom.

That this is the best poultry district in the world is evident from the above—

And from the further fact that our breeders have been repeatedly making world records in laying contests against all comers—

And it is not to be wondered at that these facts are bringing about a poultry boom in the Salem district.

We can compete in the big eastern markets with any of our competitors. We are doing so now. We are actually receiving for our Oregon eggs 10 to 15 cents a dozen higher prices than the prices paid for eggs from the Middle West.

But we could compete if we received no higher prices.

How is this?

Because we produce a hen that lays eggs for a longer time, and that lays more eggs in the year, and we feed her at less cost than she could be fed elsewhere in this country, and weather conditions are such that we require less capital investment per hen here, and less overhead cost—

So we can turn out eggs at a greater profit than any other section of this country.

Thus our poultry boom is fully justified. It cannot become too wild a boom. It will stand up in the most rigid and searching investigation of the facts of our natural advantages.

Salem will become the greatest poultry center in the world, if she will push the industry.

Poultry goes with fruit growing. It is an important part of our five story farming; of intensified agriculture; of the diversified cultivation of the soil. The poultry industry is capable of making all other lines of production more solidly prosperous. It is the duty of every one in any way interested in this city and section to help speed up the poultry boom. It is one of the biggest developments that is taking place here.

Let the poultry industry here go even to the proportions it has attained in Petaluma, around \$20,000,000 a year, and we will be able to adopt the slogan of one of Florida's boom cities:

"Salem is the home address of Prosperity."

EDUCATORS SECURED

The list announced today by Dr. Alexander C. Roberts, dean of the summer school, includes R. B. Stewart, professor of history at Corpus Christi college, Oxford, who is said to be one of the world's leading historians.

Who's Who In Salem Debate

A ticket selling campaign to raise funds to meet expenses in the constitutional debate between Salem, Massachusetts and Salem, Oregon, is being conducted by high school students and business men who see outstanding advertising value in the contest.

That readers may know more of these student speakers, a short biography of each will be printed here in alphabetical order.—(Editorial Note).

CLARK DURHAM Junior School Debate Squad '26.

IS CAST IN MOVIE

Seth R. Brown, first vice-president of the International Typographical Union, who will appear in the cast of "His Brother's Keeper," the Typographical Union motion picture, scheduled for exhibition at the Oregon theater, here, soon, in connection with the regular features, has been a stalwart trade union leader on the Pacific coast for many years.

When elected to his present office Mr. Brown was president of the California State Federation of Labor, fighting the radical movements that constantly assail unionism in the far West. Mr. Brown began his career as a labor leader when he was elected president of the Grand Rapids (Mich.) Typographical Union in 1908.



Seth R. Brown

Later he removed to Los Angeles, Cal., where he became president of the International Typographical Union there, serving for ten years. He was president of the Los Angeles Central Labor Council for five years. Mr. Brown first engaged in international union affairs as a trustee of the Union Printers Home in Colorado Springs, Colo. He is now in charge of the International Bureau of Arbitration.

Stayton

Members of the Stayton grange who were in attendance at the joint meeting of the Marion and Polk county Pomona grange held in Dallas last week report an instructive meeting and general good time. An excellent program was given for the pleasure of the visiting members and a fine dinner provided. Those going from the local grange are Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Siegmund, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Dillard, Mr. and Mrs. Del Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hulep, Miss Ella Williams, master of the local grange, Joe Etzel and Chris Giebler, Louis Young and wife and Miss Ella Williams official visiting committee of Salem Turner and North Howell granges enjoyed a pleasant evening recently when they visited the Maceley organization.

Central Point—Bonds are voted, for new high school building.

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LARGE CROWDS SEE LON CHANEY DRAMA

"The Black Bird," Latest Film by Master Character Artist, at Heilig

Lon Chaney will close at the Heilig theater in his latest picture, "The Black Bird." Your character may be judged by the kind of weather you like. Your handwriting, your name, your birth date—all these mediums have been used to determine character, but Renee Adoree, now playing the leading role in "The Black Bird," says that your character can be analyzed by the kind of weather you like.

"If you like sunshiny days," says Miss Adoree, "you are a very normal sort of person and can be depended upon in any situation. The person who likes rain is apt to be moody and of an unhappy disposition."

Bits For Breakfast

Let's crow a bit—

Told you so; that a poultry boom was coming—

Had to, because this is the best poultry country in the world, and you can't head off that kind of an advantage.

And the poultry boom can't get too big, here. The business will not be overdone, because it is growing only about as fast as the increasing demands of a growing population.

Oregon eggs go right past the great poultry districts between here and New York, and sell in the big city markets at enough higher prices than theirs to pay the difference in freight, and then some. That's what quality and good merchandising do. And our breeders are raising the quality at the time, too.

There is money in pigeons; squabs. Read what one of the big men in that line in this section says about it. The demand for squabs will grow all the time.

Poultry keeping pays a larger income on a smaller capital investment than any other branch of agriculture, says the expert. Now is a mighty good time to get into the poultry industry here. But every day in the future, far off the days ahead of us, will be a good time.

Salem is going to out Petaluma. And when she gets to that point Salem will be the home address of Prosperity.

If you have an idea that the poultry industry is not booming in the Salem district, drive out on any road in Marion county, or in Polk, Yamhill, Clackamas, Benton or Linn, and see the many splendid new flocks of White Leghorns and other breeds of fowls on the hundreds and hundreds of small tracts and farms. It's coming. Salem is to be the Petaluma of Oregon, and there is no other development that is taking place this is likely quickly to add so much growth and prosperity of this city and this district.

LAST TIMES TODAY and SATURDAY MATINEE

Why Was He Called The Black Bird?



LON CHANEY The BLACK BIRD

MATINEE 25c Lower Floor 35c EVENING 35c Lower Floor 50c Children 10c anytime

HAROLD WINDUS on the Kimball

HEILIG

Coming Sunday "HAVOC" A drama of war-torn women and one of the greatest pictures of the year



"Bobbed Hair" at the Oregon

"Bobbed Hair," a tale of love and locks, is to be shown at the Oregon theatre today, opening with the matinee at 2 o'clock. Four picture stars, Marie Prevost, Kenneth Harlan, Louise Fazenda and John Roche, have the principal parts in one of the most imposing casts of any recent picture.

TIME IS GRANTED YAKIMA, Feb. 24.—Mayor W. B. Dudley tonight said the city would not grant a preferential 60-day time extension to the Seattle syndicate of bond houses, which today refused to purchase the city's \$1,050,000 water revenue bonds. The bond houses asked for the extension in refusing the bonds. Buy a Want Ad—It Pays Big

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An event of keenest interest to those in need of a davenport for their home—whether they need it now or contemplate purchasing one at some future time. Every davenport offered this week is of highest character—new styles and coverings—luxuriously comfortable—pieces that will give you years of service. Below we feature a few of the many values offered:

LUXURIOUS OVERSTUFFED MOHAIR DAVENPORT
An outstanding value of the entire sale—mohair upholstered all around—hardwood frame—loose cushion spring filled seats and spring back..... **\$136.50**
\$17.50 CASH — \$3.00 WEEK

MOHAIR DAVENPORT WITH REVERSE CUSHIONS
Think of it! An all Mohair upholstered Overstuffed Davenport with spring filled, loose cushion seats, reversed in pretty Tapestry, now..... **\$141.50**
\$20.00 CASH — \$3.00 WEEK

OVERSTUFFED JACQUARD VELOUR DAVENPORT
A comfortable, shaped back style—upholstered in a very good grade of Jacquard Velour—a davenport that will be very well adapted to any home, now..... **\$81.50**
\$10.00 CASH — \$2.50 WEEK

TAPESTRY DAVENPORT WITH REVERSE CUSHIONS
For those who prefer Tapestry upholstery this number will find immediate favor. Loose, spring filled cushion seats—spring back—with pretty reverse on cushions..... **\$77.50**
\$10.00 CASH — \$2.50 WEEK

DENIM DAVENPORT WITH REVERSE CUSHIONS
A very substantial and comfortable piece—full hardwood frame—spring back and spring-filled loose cushion seats reversed in Tapestry. Unusual value at..... **\$67.50**
\$10.00 CASH — \$2.50 WEEK

OVERSTUFFED BOUDOIR CHAIRS IN DENIM
Dainty number for the Chamber—Overstuffed styles—upholstered in a good grade of Striped Denim—Now..... **\$19.75**
\$4.00 CASH — \$1.00 WEEK

\$6.75 RUSH SEAT BREAKFAST CHAIRS \$3.95
"Hoosier" Breakfast Chairs—very sturdily made—all hardwood finished in gray enamel—with hand woven rush seats. Delightful numbers for kitchen or breakfast nook.

\$225 "BRIDGE-BEACH" COMBINATION RANGE \$167.50
Very latest style "Bridge-Beach" Combination Wood and Coal and Gas Range. Good as new—used only as demonstrator in our window. A wonderful value for anyone in need of a range.

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