

SILVER CUPS FOR BEST BIRDS

POULTRY ASSOCIATION WILL AWARD NUMEROUS PRIZES.

Chicken Fanciers and Commercial Club Join in Preparation for Big Show in December.

Not less than nine, and possibly as many as fifteen silver cups will be offered for prize-winning exhibits at the next annual poultry show, to be held in Dallas on December 17, 18, 19 and 20 of this year.

At a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Polk County Poultry Association, Saturday afternoon, it was found that sufficient money had been subscribed to insure cups for the following breeds: Barred Rocks, White Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, White Leghorns, Brown Leghorns and Blue Andalusians.

C. L. Crider, of Dallas, offers a cup for the highest scoring pen exhibited by a member. The cup for the best male Andalusian will be the gift of M. Calbreath, of Monmouth. Nine cups have been pledged to date and several committees are yet to be named.

Will Select Cups This Week.
All members of committees are requested to meet at Shepherd's jewelry store in this city Saturday, May 25, at 2:30 p. m., at which time the cups will be ordered. This early selection is made in order that cuts of the metal may be prepared for use in all the various matters to be sent out by the association.

It was also decided at Saturday's meeting to pay the traveling expenses of Professor Alfred G. Lunn, member of the Oregon Agricultural College faculty, who will favor the association with an illustrated lecture and demonstrate the best method of raising and preparing fowls for market.

It is the intention of the Polk County Poultry association to hold an exhibition that will prove our appreciation of the assistance given us by the Commercial club and citizens of Dallas," said Mrs. Winnie Braden, secretary of the association, yesterday. Soliciting for advertising will begin this week, as we wish to secure a list from each business firm in Dallas for the business directory to be issued in connection with our catalogue.

DALLAS SCHOOL NOW STANDARD

Has Pennant For Excellence of Grade Work.

The Dallas public school, the largest in Polk county, and therefore deserving of a great deal of credit for the painstaking work of the different teachers in bringing all of the grades up to standard, has recently attained an average, and will be presented with the standard pennant. Through the efforts of the following teachers the school has become standard: Mrs. Sarah Morrison, Misses Maud and Gertrude Pollow, Alice Grant, Edna Coad, Edna Morrison, Alta Savan and Mrs. Plank.

The school board comprises: C. G. Hall, B. H. McCallon, U. S. Loughery, directors, Tracy Staats, clerk, and Walter I. Ford, superintendent.

Other county schools recently attaining "standard" honors are: Airlee (District No. 16)—George T. Bremer, Dora Murdock, Mary Murdock, teachers; J. Ulrich, John Wier, William Shewey, Percy Hadley, members of school board.

Five Grove (District No. 48)—Miss Emma Hoppe, teacher; Bert Thompson, C. Applegate, W. T. Turner, J. Madison, members of school board.
Red Prairie (District No. 6)—Miss Bertha VanPatten, teacher; George Bremer, E. P. Farmer, C. C. Hansen, members of school board.

The Country Life movement throughout the state is making headway. The idea is growing and it is expected to interest 75,000 children in the work. C. H. Lane, representing the Department of Agriculture, has been in the state during the past week, giving practical talks on the subject. It looks like the plan to make Oregon soil produce everything needed to feed Oregon people will succeed.

O'Reilly's Ability Recognized.

A. L. O'Reilly, who has been since honored by being taken from the principalship of a school and named as a school supervisor in another county, has had remarkable success through his efforts at establishing the home-credit plan in his school. He was the originator of the plan in Oregon. He has been teaching at Spring Valley, Polk county, and recently the Lane County Educational board decided to make him supervisor of schools in that county.—Portland Oregonian.

Pine Tar and Honey

Have been used for generations in treating coughs. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey contains both combined with other valuable ingredients. Look for the bell on the bottle. Be sure you get Dr. Bell's. Sold by Stafrin.

BUYS FRESH MEAT FOR LIONS

Contracting Agent of Big Circus Makes Heavy Purchases.

William Haines, contracting agent of the Sells-Floto circus, is in town today. Mr. Haines has come in advance of the show in order that supplies necessary for their engagement here, which is on Thursday, May 30, shall be ready to be delivered just as soon as the first section of this popular circus makes its appearance.

It would be repeating an old story now to endorse the Sells-Floto people as among the very best purveyors of attractive amusements visiting this city. For many years they have been coming back to us with an attraction more important in every way than those which preceded it. For the last three years they have adopted the policy of cutting the regular price in half, while at the same time they have augmented and strengthened their show from every standpoint.

Mr. Haines promises that this season the performance of the Sells-Floto circus will in every way be worthy. Many new and startling features have been added to the program, among them some which have been imported from Europe at considerable expense.

The prices this year will remain as formerly Twenty-five cents admits to the circus and menagerie in its entirety.

Death of Mrs. Hibbard.

Mrs. E. H. Hibbard died at her home in Dallas last Sunday, after an illness of over a year of dropsy and heart trouble. The funeral was held on Monday at 2:30 p. m., at the family home, Rev. D. M. Metzger officiating. Interment took place in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. The pallbearers were W. H. Boals, C. Campbell, H. S. Butz, J. B. Nunn, Elmer Gilliam and T. D. Phillips.

Mrs. Hibbard was born November 26, 1845, at Mimfield, New Brunswick. She was married to E. H. Hibbard in St. Paul, Minnesota, about 42 years ago, and in 1891 they moved from St. Paul to Oregon, where they have since resided. Mr. Hibbard died several years ago. Six out of eight children survive them: Mrs. E. C. Hoover, of Roseburg; Mrs. C. D. Long, of Lincoln, Neb.; Percy, Hattie and Amy Hibbard, of Dallas.

Mrs. Hibbard was a loving mother, a devoted wife, and a steadfast friend. She gave her long life to the work of doing for others, rather than for herself, and her death is mourned by all who knew her.

CLUB WOMEN WILL DINE

Will Entertain Guests at Cafeteria

Dinner on Evening of Tuesday.

June 4; Committees Named.

A cafeteria dinner in the new armory will be the principal feature of the June meeting of the Dallas Woman's club, plans for which were discussed by the members of the social committee at the home of its chairman, Mrs. J. G. VanOrsdel, Thursday afternoon.

The meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, June 4, and will be strictly a social affair. The club members, each with a guest, preferably a man, will dine at the armory in cafeteria style, from 6 to 8 o'clock. The Dallas band will furnish musical numbers and the dinner will be followed by an impromptu program.

Each club woman is expected to bring four plates, two forks, two spoons, two cups and saucers, and two napkins. These will provide the necessary equipment for each couple. The four sections of the club will each serve a course of the meal.

Members appointed to solicit funds and food for the dinner are: Miss Edith Starbuck, Mrs. C. Stafrin, Miss Hallie Coad, Mrs. Eugene Hayler, Mrs. George Gerlinger.

The decorating committee is as follows: Mrs. B. Casey, Mrs. E. M. Smith, Mrs. H. C. Eakin, Mrs. Furch Black, Mrs. John Allgood, Mrs. I. L. Smith, Mrs. V. C. Staats, Mrs. John Miller, Misses Roberta McCaillon, Sadie Lynn, Edna Morrison, Mrs. D. P. Patterson, Mrs. J. E. Sibley, Mrs. C. B. Sundberg, Mrs. John Sweeney, Mrs. W. W. Johnson, Mrs. C. L. Barnes.

Standing Committees Named.

Mrs. George T. Gerlinger, president; of the Dallas Woman's club, has announced the following standing committees for the ensuing year: Program Committee—Mrs. H. B. Coper, Mrs. L. D. Brown, Miss Edna Morrison.
Social Committee—Mrs. J. G. VanOrsdel, Mrs. John Castle, Mrs. Edgar Miles.
Auditing Committee—Mrs. H. C. Eakin, Mrs. D. C. Coulter, Mrs. W. L. Soehren.
Educational Committee—Mrs. B. Casey, Mrs. I. L. Smith, Mrs. Tracy Staats.

New Democratic Newspaper.

The Oregon Messenger will be the name of the Democratic weekly which is to be started in Salem about June 1, by James E. Godfrey and A. M. Dairymple. The paper will support Champ Clark for the presidency, and a likeness of Mr. Clark will appear on the cover page of the first issue of the periodical.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

(Too late for last week.)

Mr. Thompson has sold his place to Mr. Chapman.

Miss Bernice and Clarence Adams and Glenn Southwick spent Saturday evening at Mr. Grice's.

J. R. Chapman has gone back to Portland.

Mr. Tanner, who bought part of the Vogt place, has moved out.

Charles Adams has returned from the mountains, where he has been for about a month.

Miss Marian Fox has gone to Fullerton, California, to spend the summer with her sister.

Robert Adams visited Amos Plummer Saturday.

AIRLIE

H. L. Fenton, of Dallas, was on a business visit in our town Friday. He was receiving mahar.

John W. Orr, of Rickreall, was a caller in town Saturday.

Mrs. J. O. Staats was thrown from a buggy Sunday evening while attending the ball game, but was uninjured.

W. S. Alcorn and F. M. Shuck are attending court this week as witnesses.

R. Hall, of Buena Vista, visited his sister, Miss Nettie Hall, our telephone operator, this week.

J. C. Turner made a business trip to Independence Monday.

There was a good attendance at the ball game Sunday. Score 10 to 6 in favor of Airlee.

Earl Brown had his cart smashed Sunday evening in a runaway. He was not hurt.

A. C. Miller, of Albany, was a business caller in town Monday.

C. A. Clem is building a storage room for produce.

Dr. Fisher and J. H. Bones went to Kings Valley Monday on business.

J. L. Condron and Frank Gilliam, of Pedee, were in town Tuesday evening.

Bert Conn has sold his farm and will go to Chehalis, Washington, soon.

Bert Crowley, of Independence, was in town today.

There's A Reason

For the large and increasing sale of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. When in the need of a cough medicine try it and you will know the reason. Sold by Conrad Stafrin.

WE MUST APOLOGIZE

THE response by the Buying Public who appreciate high-grade merchandise at the prices we are selling, completely swamped us, we were therefore short handed, which caused many to be improperly served and many to go away unwaited upon---however we are prepared now, more help has been put on and we promise proper and attentive service to everyone.

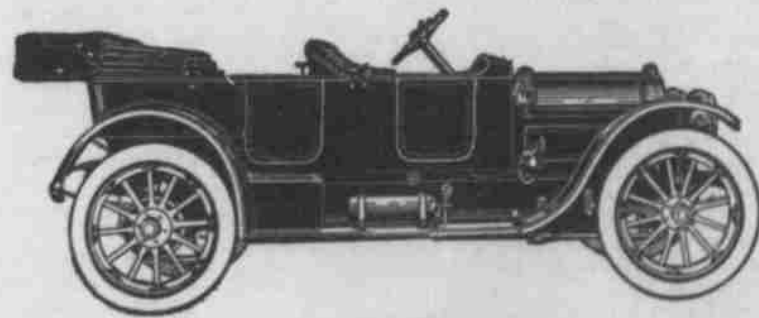
The Prices remain as low as originally advertised. Reductions from 10 to 25 per cent on everything in the store, and although hundreds have taken advantage of our unusual offerings this time of the year, the variety in all lines is still large and we can still suit and fit nearly everyone.

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