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A potato is a potato this fall, with retail prices hanging around \$1.40 per bushel now and the prospects good that seed potatoes no larger than banty eggs will fetch \$2 or more per bushel by next April.

In spite of the popular superstition that a brown shelled egg is "richer" than a white shelled, chemical analyses of the contents of the two do not reveal any difference in quality. It is merely a notion, but nevertheless the brown egg will fetch a higher price in some localities and white eggs in others.

If the job has not been already done it will be a good idea soon to go through the bush fruit patch and cut out the old canes. This will tend to make the new canes thrifter and harder and will simplify the work of covering the canes for the winter if one's latitude is such that this work needs to be done. The brush and litter from the patch should be burned.

Now and then one moves into a neighborhood where the soil is good, crops are fine and climate endurable, but where one just can't get along with his neighbors and is in a rumple with some of them most of the time. Where one hasn't a pocketbook long enough to buy such neighbors out and they show no disposition to sell to other folks and move away the sensible thing is for the aggrieved party to sell and move to a more agreeable neighborhood.

The city of Denver adopted some five years ago a free tree distribution policy that might well be followed by other municipalities that would like the growing of handsome shade trees encouraged in their bounds. April 9 was tree distribution day in Denver this year, and close to 17,000 young maple, elm and poplar trees were disposed of. The forestry department has kept tab on these tree plantings and reports that, while but 60 per cent of the trees given out in 1906 lived, of those distributed in 1909 82 per cent lived. The trees for the distribution of the present year cost \$5,000, and it is expected that a still larger amount will be spent for the trees which are to be given away next season.

The harvesting of the apple crop in the Iowa orchard in which the writer has had an interest for several years was a simple matter this season. From the same but older trees from which we gathered more than 900 barrels of fine fruit two years ago there were picked this fall, a few days ago, a couple of quarts of runty fruit. We have the consolation of knowing that the harvest expense was not burdensome and that hundreds of orchardists in the area visited by the freeze last spring when the trees were almost fared no better. Smudge pots would have been of no avail, for in the latitude the cold spell was not a spring frost, but a February blizzard, with all of its frills.

The terrapin scale, closely allied in both appearance and habit and the injury which inflicts to the San Jose or Chinese scale, is quite generally distributed over the east half of the United States. Like the latter, it is imported, coming from Europe, its original home, on nursery stock. The most valuable parasitic aid in keeping the pest in check is a small four winged fly. Somewhat strangely, the lime-sulphur wash, so effective in keeping the San Jose scale in check is worthless when used for the terrapin scale. Experiments which have been made show that the only effective spray is the kerosene emulsion made after the usual formula and applied under good pressure as a fine spray.

One of the few orchardists in the upper Mississippi-Missouri valley region who will this year market a crop of apples is C. E. Miner, in Fremont, the southwest county of Iowa. The value of the crop, which has been gathered within the past few days, is placed at close to \$10,000. He has this yield not by chance, but because he adopted western methods of orchard care and precaution and last spring smudged his orchard with crude petroleum in fire pots designed for the purpose. Last April during the memorable freeze a thousand oil pots were kept blazing in this orchard, and things were a-drip in the orchard while the thermometer registered as low as 22 degrees Fahrenheit outside. This cost a nice sum of money, but it was worth the petroleum, the returns in apple sales compensating for the outlay many times over. This man's success in the instance cited is just another example of what can be accomplished where determination and intelligence are combined to effect the accomplishment of a given object.

The fact needs emphasizing frequently that all of this effort by cereal specialists along the line of developing more prolific types of grain is of little use unless along with it go instruction and practice which will keep up the fertility of the soil so that it can produce the extra yields of grain without depletion. On any other basis increased yields of grain can mean only an accelerated exhaustion of the soil.

The refined city dweller who is too respectable to go to the polls on election day because he "does not want to associate with the kind of men who gather there" is, if anything, a little worse traitor to the country of which he is a citizen and the free institutions of which he is a beneficiary than the farmer who is so busy he "can't spare the time to vote this year." However, the important thing to remember is that both are traitors and should be viewed as such by all right thinking people.

Dairy Maid of Pinehurst is the name of the champion three-year-old cow of the world. In a year's milking test which closed a short time ago she gave 14,600 pounds of milk, which contained 860 pounds of butter fat, or the equivalent of 1,632 pounds of commercial butter. The cow was on exhibition at some of the big state fairs and was admired by thousands. She is a Guernsey of large size, beautiful color and splendid dairy type conformation and belongs to W. W. Marsh of Waterloo, Ia.

The day is not here yet, but it will be ere long, when the only accepted method of handling the farm manures will be storing them carefully under a covered shed with a concave cement floor, which will not only prevent their leaching in the rain, but will catch and hold all the liquid ingredients. With fresh manure worth by actual crop growing test \$2.25 per ton and with more than half this value lost under the prevalent method of handling, a saner method for conserving this important by product of the farm would seem to be demanded.

Along with the very commendable policy of storing the barn full of fodder for the stock and the cellar full of fruit and vegetables for physical cheer during the long winter months, it is a very excellent idea to provide a good supply of mental provender for the library table in the shape of popular periodicals and several wholesome books. Suited to their respective tastes and ages, there should be found in these something for the boys and girls, for the soberer parent and for grandpa and grandma, if the home is still graced with their presence. It will cost a few dollars thus fitly to provide for the mental needs, but no money put in around the place in the way of winter supplies will have a more wholesome effect or be more enjoyed.

At a branch experiment station which the Oregon Agricultural college expects to establish at Gold Ray, in southern Oregon, a line of work which will receive special attention will be given to ascertaining the effects of electricity upon plant life. Tests along this line which have been conducted in two or three European countries have been attended with considerable success, it being found that electricity applied from a network of wires overhead to an orchard or garden increased not only the size and amount of sugar contained in fruit and vegetables, but hastened their maturity as well. There is abundant water power at the point in Oregon mentioned, and the proprietors of the electric plant there have offered the state land, electricity and water power for such an experimental tract.

A few nights ago a few sheep near where the writer lives were raided by a bunch of neighborhood curs, and next morning thirteen of the innocents were found dead and a dozen badly injured. Of course if the owner of these sheep can prove whose dogs they were who did this killing he can compel them to foot the bill of damages. If not he'll have to charge it to profit and loss. This lust for blood in the average canine is natural enough perhaps, for it tells of the wild dog or wolf ancestry of the modern dog family and of a time when their whole bill of fare consisted of the blood and flesh of the wild animals which they ran to earth. This sheep killing streak in dogs has its parallel among humankind in the barbarian instinct which crops out now and then in mobs bent on lynching or mandarin droves of bipeds that will hack a notorious criminal's scaffold or coffin to pieces for grim souvenirs.

A number of people who visited the national corn show at Omaha two years ago had a taste of the alfalfa meal cookies and cakes which were on exhibition in the Nebraska headquarters. Now comes the Texas experiment station in bulletin No. 128 with the suggestion that finely ground cottonseed meal may in the near future be used extensively as a protein furnishing ration in place of meat, eggs, cheese, beans, peas, etc. Experiments have been made along this line, and biscuits, cakes, cookies and bread have been made of a flour mixture containing one part of cottonseed meal to four parts of wheat. These products are palatable and are of a yellowish brown color, just as the alfalfa meal products were of a light olive green. It is estimated that a pound of protein from cottonseed meal costs but one-twentieth of a pound of protein got from meat, while three ounces of cottonseed meal—the maximum ration recommended for an adult—furnishes as much protein as would be supplied in six ounces of meat, an average day's ration.

Notice of Administration.

Notice is hereby given, that by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Coos, Jeanie R. Timmons was duly appointed executrix of the estate of Crossman Timmons, deceased, and that letters testamentary were duly issued, and to the said Jeanie R. Timmons on the 18th day of November, 1910; and that she is now qualified and acting, therefore all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers to the said executrix at Bandon, Oregon, within six months from the 20th day of December, 1910, the date of the final publication of this notice.

JEANIE R. TIMMONS,
Executrix of the Estate of Crossman
33-15T Timmons, deceased.
GEO. P. TOPPING, Att'y for the Estate.

Notice of Administration.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Coos, Lettie J. Jenkins was duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Anna M. Bigne, deceased, and that letters testamentary were duly issued to the said Lettie J. Jenkins on the 18th day of November, 1910, and that she is now qualified and acting, therefore all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers to the said administratrix, at Bandon, Oregon, within six months from the 20th day of December, 1910, the date of the final publication of this notice.

LETTIE J. JENKINS,
Administratrix of the Estate of Anna
33-15T M. Bigne, deceased.
GEO. P. TOPPING, Att'y for the Estate.

Sheriff's Sale of Real Property

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an Execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Coos, on the 14th day of November, 1910, in a certain cause wherein Dennis Donovan is plaintiff and Lorenzo Anselmo, Alma Anselmo, H. D. Gerkin, Mary Gerkin, wife of H. D. Gerkin, George Gehrig, Brautino Agostino, Adam Pershbaker, G. T. Treadgold, George W. Williams, Carrie E. Williams, Mary T. Carpenter, Elbert Dyer, and A. Bruno are Defendants, being case number 2914 of said Court and commanding me to sell the hereinafter described real property to satisfy the sum of \$916.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 22nd day of September, 1910, an attorney fee of \$120.00 and costs taxed at \$20.40 due Plaintiff, and the sum of \$2460.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 22nd day of September, 1910, an attorney fee of \$200.00 and costs taxed at \$15.00 due the Defendant, George Gehrig and the sum of \$1320.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 22nd day of September, 1910, an attorney fee of \$140.00 and costs taxed at \$15.00 due the Defendant, Adam Pershbaker. I WILL ON WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of JANUARY, 1911, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the County Court House in the City of Coquille Coos County, Ore., offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, all of the right, title and interest of the Defendants, Lorenzo Anselmo and Alma Anselmo, in and to the following described real property, to-wit: Lots Ten and Eleven and Twelve the East One-half of Lot Thirteen and the West Three Feet of Lot Nine along the East side of lot Ten all in Block number Five in the Woolen Mill addition to the Town (now City) of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon, according to the plat of said addition as the same appears on file and of record in the office of the county clerk of Coos County. And lot Eight and that part of lot Nine not mentioned above in said block Five of Woolen Mill addition to the Town (now City) of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon.

Dated this 25th day of November, 1910.
W. W. WAGE,
Sheriff of Coos County, Oregon
By C. A. GAGE, Deputy. 57-15t
Geo. P. Topping and C. R. Barrow, Attorneys for Execution Creditors.

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