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LODGE DIRECTORY.

PROBA LODGE NO. 51, K. of P.—Meets every Friday evening at 7:30 in their hall. Sojourning brothers cordially invited. G. W. Anderson, Sec. D. S. Yocco, C. C. K. of R. and S.

LILLIAN TEMPLE NO. 17, R. S.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8:30 in K. of P. hall. Sojourning sisters cordially invited. Mrs. Lily Maupers, Sec. Mrs. E. H. Hoag, C.

TAYLOR LODGE, A. F. & A. M.—Meets every first and third Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m. W. M. Barnett, Sec. V. C. Brock, W. M.

W. T. AHERMAN POST NO. 4, G. A. R.—Meets first Saturday in each month. Visiting brethren invited. R. F. Pike, Adj. Com.

GOLDEN SHEAF CHAPTER, O. E. S. NO. 46.—Meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday evening. Anna Edgington, W. M. M. A.

WASCO ASSEMBLY NO. 78, U. A. M.—Meets every Monday evening in K. of P. hall. H. H. Walker, Sec. Alfred Dwyer, M. A.

FRIDAY, APR. 6, 1934.

Spring is here. Roses are in bloom. Gardening is now in order. The hills are looking green. County court convened Wednesday. Farmers are nearly through seeding. Seed oats for sale by N. W. Thompson. Carl Peetz made a trip to The Dalles Monday. Try a glass of pure apple cider at Holder's. Geo. Brock of Wasco was in Moro last Friday. Ob. King of Grass Valley was in the city Monday. Lawrence Moore and Drue Barnum are having the mumps. W. O. Hadley has been fencing his residence lot this week. Billy Weigans was in from his Rutledge ranch Wednesday. Supt. W. H. Ragsdale and Dr. L. D. Idlemann visited The Dalles Monday. All foot's day is past but some people are the same every day. Mrs. Ob. King of Grass Valley is seriously ill with spinal meningitis. C. N. McCaleb, Prof. Peery and ye editor spent Saturday on the John Day. George Ramey of Rufus was a pleasant caller at our sanctum on Tuesday. Dr. Edgington of Wasco was visiting Dr. Hartley in Moro the first of the week. C. N. McCaleb commenced a term of school last Monday in the Wheat district. D. A. Kelsay of Rutledge passed through Moro Sunday on his way home from The Dalles. Lou Ziegler has been delegated by Dr. Hartley to herd the chickens off her sweet-pea garden. B. F. Hoover was up from Wasco Monday. He is thinking some of starting his brick yard soon. J. M. Bartlett sold his residence property to W. J. Martin and departed last Saturday for Idaho. A. V. Underwood, of the Sherman County Nursery, delivered a fine lot of trees in Moro and Grass Valley this week. Mealer & Sanford have sold their hardware stock to Mr. Filoon, who has opened a full-fledged hardware store in Moro. The new pump house for the Moro Water Company is now completed and the pumps have been moved into it from the foundry. The Commercial Club is having a suite of rooms finished under the opera house. The officers of the organization are F. E. Brown, president; A. C. Sanford, treasurer; I. J. Keffler, secretary.

For China oranges and lemons call at Holders confectionery store the only place in town where they are kept. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Filoon arrived from The Dalles Monday evening with the intention of becoming citizens of Moro. Mr. Filoon having engaged in the hardware business. May the enterprise meet with success is the wish of the Republic. The April Fool party given by the ladies of the W. C. T. U. at the opera hall on the evening of April 1st was a most enjoyable gathering. Instrumental music, songs, and recitations comprised the principal features of the evening, though the crowning event was a splendid supper consisting of table linen and plate. The Moro Concert Band as it is now organized is made up as follows: C. C. Peery, Solo Bass cornet. C. D. Nickelson, Solo Bass cornet. P. O. DeMoss, 1st Bb. Cornet. Harry Brown, Solo Alto. W. Raymond, 2nd Alto. C. N. McCaleb, 2nd Alto. Dick Bowen, 1st Tenor. W. A. Wallis, 2nd Tenor. Dolph Heydt, Baritone. Wilbur Martin, Bb. Bass. G. E. Kellogg, Eb. Tuba. Elvin Barnum, Tenor Drum. Ned Florer, Bass Drum.

Moro City Election. Citizens of Moro cast their first vote for a municipal government Monday, April 3d, and as a result of their ballots the following officers were elected, the total cast being 86: Mayor—W. H. Moore. Councilmen for one year—S. S. Hayes, G. Brock and A. C. Sanford. Councilmen for two years—Wm. Holder, H. A. Moore and J. M. Parry. Treasurer—F. H. Meader. The city recorder and Marshall will be appointed by the council.

Probate Court. Hon. Judge Fulton disposed of probate business this week as follows: Report of O. P. King administrator, de bonis non, of J. P. King estate; examined and placed on file. Report of O. P. King, guardian of estate of Nettie Getrude and John Earl King, minors; examined and placed on file. Report of O. P. Ring, administrator of Presley King estate; examined and placed on file. Report of Louis Schadewitz, administrator of Kinnick estate; examined and placed on file. Final account of C. W. Moore, administrator of Joseph Elliott estate; approved and administrator discharged. Mrs. Emma Wilder, executrix of Michael King estate; examined and matter continued until July term.

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What Poultry Manure Will Do. Marcus M. Wood of Webster, Mass., sends us a copy of the Webster Times containing a mention of a mammoth Valparaiso squash grown by him, and now on exhibition in a store in Webster. The squash measures 6 feet 5 1/2 inches in circumference and weighs 116 pounds. Mr. Wood writes: "Hundreds came to see the squash in my field, and in the store window it attracts crowds. I have another which weighs 75 pounds, and many slightly smaller. My garden is a wonder in fertility, and no fertilizer has been used on it in the past four years excepting the manure from about 150 hens. This year I had seven one horse loads."

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NATURAL SIZE.

Don't Make the Mistake of Getting Birds Too Big.

We were shown a letter the other day, says Farm Poultry, in which the writer inquired about cockerels "that give promise of making overweight cocks. I must get the weight of my birds up a little, as the majority of buyers want heavy weights," and not long ago we saw a letter from a party who wanted a White Wyandotte cockerel that weighed 8 1/2 pounds, which is the standard weight of White Wyandotte cocks, and a full pound above the standard weight for cockerels.

We believe the desire for "heavy weights" (or overweight birds) is an error and should be discouraged. In getting the overweight we get big, coarse framed, rangy birds that are slow maturing and make sluggish laying birds and are poor property generally. Take the first egg as an example. The writer of that letter has been breeding for eggs for several years, and has built up a strain of Barred Plymouth Rocks that lay 180 eggs apiece within a year of reaching laying maturity. In doing that he finds that his birds have fallen off a fraction in size, which is perfectly natural, because it is the generally "fine" type of bird that is the great layer. Will not he be better off if he preserves the great laying characteristics of his stock, even if they are off a fraction in size, than to breed back toward the big, coarse, rangy type, and so sacrifice the great laying qualities of his stock? We believe so.

The Barred Plymouth Rock fowl of standard weight is a little above the standard market weight, 7 1/2 pounds. The weight for the hens is 7 1/2 pounds, and a fowl that dresses 5 to 5 1/2 pounds sells quickest, the average buyer giving the preference, other things being equal, to birds that weigh 10 to 11 pounds to the pair; hence Plymouth Rocks can be off in size and be the better market bird. If by being a fraction off in size we get the fine boned and fine bodied bird that is the great layer, there is a very substantial gain to her credit.

There is still another point to be considered, and that is that the big, coarse birds carry a considerably greater proportion of waste (bone frame) to meat, and the shrewd buyer appreciates that fact. We don't eat the bones of a fowl. It is the meat we buy from them, and the "fine" boned birds are worth more per pound than the big boned, "coarse" birds because they carry more meat in proportion to bone. This fact should be better understood, and as the fine boned type of bird is the better layer and better for market that is the type of bird to breed.

Care of Poultry.

The unsanitary condition of the poultry house often allows serious diseases to spread among the fowls, and for this reason, if for no other, the buildings, nests and yards should be kept as clean as possible. The droppings should be removed from the houses every day, and to facilitate the work there should be no unnecessary fixtures. The roosting boards should be two feet from the floor and placed so that they may be removed easily. In my own poultry house I have slots at either side, in which the ends of the roosting boards rest. One objection to this arrangement is that the slots may harbor lice, but if kerosene or lime is applied plentifully the lice will cause no trouble. Each day, when I have removed the droppings from the houses, I scatter lime or ashes on the floor, roosts, etc. The houses should frequently be whitewashed inside and outside, fresh straw placed in the nests, and that which is removed burned or placed on the manure heap. In winter a shed of any desired size, under which the fowls may be fed in stormy weather, is a necessity. To obtain the best results in egg production some green food must be provided. Cabbages and beets are inexpensive and give good results. —Nat. S. Green in Land and a Living.

Wisdom in Selection.

What selection can do for a flock is shown by the experience of Wyckoff of New York state, who, by selecting the best layers among his flock of Leghorns for several years got his whole flock of 600 up to an average of 196 eggs per hen a year. This is an extremely high average for so many hens on one farm. It means better than an egg every other day for every hen the year round. Not only in spring and summer, but through the molting season, through the dead of winter and through the times when hens naturally take for sitting or for raising their brood, even for a small flock, the record would be unusually good. No amount of care with ordinary fowls would make them do as well on a large scale. Here is an object lesson which tends to show that breeding and selection will get us for hens what the same agencies have done for other kinds of live stock.—Massachusetts Poultryman.

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WASCO NEWS

Johnnie Potter is sick this week with the mumps. Will Armsworthy of Arlington visited in the city this week. Jonah Barnett has moved his store to the Draper building.

Mrs. Oliver Powell of Moro visited this city Wednesday. A. H. Kenedy of the Wasco News has a severe attack of laprippe.

The Columbia Packing Co. has moved into the Woolley building. Mrs. John Marshall of Goldendale is visiting her sister Miss Nan Thompson.

Mr. E. Buffum visited his mother in Walla Walla from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mrs. W. M. Barnett is doing a rushing business with her millinery. She sold twenty-five hats last Saturday.

John Raburn and family who live near Portland are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raburn of Biglow this week.

The teachers and pupils of the Wasco school are very busy reviewing for the examination which will take place in about two weeks.

Mrs. Berrian and the family of Mrs. L. Clark attended the funeral of Mrs. Clark's sister, Mrs. John Wood, the wife of Rev. Wood of The Dalles, Sunday.

Mrs. Wood's sister and two sons who have been visiting her for some time returned to their home in Iowa last Tuesday. They were accompanied by Biggs by Mrs. James Woods and Mrs. Pinkerton.

E. F. Hoover, a brother of B. F., accompanied by his family, arrived in Wasco from Laporte, Ind., last week and spent several days visiting before going to Portland, where they will probably reside.

Curry combs from 5 cents up at Henry Krause's in Wasco.

WASCO BUSINESS BREVITIES. For a bargain in a good—conch see J. A. Ellis, he has something new, just proof.

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