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## Office With Al Hermanson

### MOTHER

What a medly of reactions that word brings to us whenever we see it or hear it. To everyone comes a thrill at thoughts of mother. Yes, truly, Mother is an almost inspired word. Of all earthly things, what is there that can take her place? what can force from us a greater feeling of devotion than the thoughts of a real mother?

We believe that the person who suggested Mother's day did a noble work. Not that anyone should need a special day on which to pay their respects to that greatest of all people, mother, but because it creates a greater thoughtfulness for mother upon that day and in doing that it is bound to bring greater love and greater charity into this world. It is at once a time upon which both mother and child might do some serious thinking. Even mother's might err at times and at the approach of mother's day they might take inventory of themselves and decide if they are all that a real mother should be and if not, so guide their lives that when their babe grows into man's estate he can proudly point to mother and feel all the emotions which should come when thinking of such a noble soul.

A brief review of the life of mother only tends to intensify her greatness, her devotion and her charity. She passes thru the depths of despair, faces death and deprivations, if necessary that her babes might grow to be good, righteous citizens and the greatest tribute that can be paid to any mother is to say that she was a good mother and no compensation is greater than to see her child grow into an upright man or woman.

The world has been charitable to most of its heroes. It has erected monuments and distributed medals to the valourous persons who have been marked for some great undertaking but even in the humblest home may be found an even greater martyr, an even greater hero in the person of a mother. She nurses the sick, she educates and enlightens the child, she tenderly admonishes them of what is right and what is wrong. She guides their wandering footsteps as best she can from the cradle without ever a thought of what remuneration will be hers for the trouble. She merely gives the best that is in her—the best she has, that her children may grow up to bless her in her declining years.

This is our tribute to motherhood. May the great day—Mother's day bring many blessings to every mother who lives.

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From all indication the present Republican primaries will be a great mess before it is all over with fish, cement, electricity and several other choice brands of pie all in the same huddle. We hope that out of the chaos a real political platform and a man capable of putting it in force will be chosen.

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The Mayor of New York suffered a breakdown from over work. Its no wonder our mayor gets a head ach once in a while.

## Re-Elect Ralph E. Williams



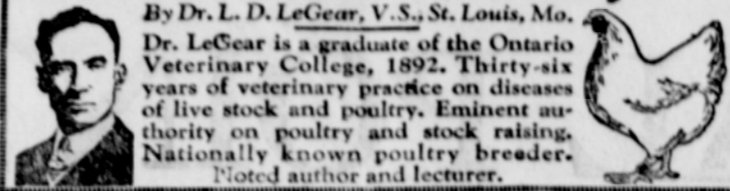
### Republican National Committeeman

For the first time in the history of the West a Western man—Ralph E. Williams of Oregon—is Vice Chairman of the Republican National Committee. During the past six months he has served as acting Chairman of the National Committee. He has given 22 years of unselfish service to Oregon, its citizens and its worthy enterprises. His service has been without salary or financial remuneration of any kind. To re-elect him means that Oregon keeps its important place in affairs of the Republican National Committee and that citizens of the state will continue to have the benefit of Mr. Williams' influence in Washington, D. C.

Vote 13X Williams, Ralph E.

Paid Adv. Citizens Committee, Mary A. Berry, Secretary  
Porter Bldg., Portland, Ore.

## How to Raise Poultry



By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V.S., St. Louis, Mo.  
Dr. LeGear is a graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, 1892. Thirty-six years of veterinary practice on diseases of live stock and poultry. Eminent authority on poultry and stock raising. Nationally known poultry breeder. Noted author and lecturer.

## Keeping Good Eggs in the Good Old Summer Time

Observance of a Few Simple Rules Insures Keeping Qualities in Summer Eggs; Reduces Losses From Eggs Spoiled Before Marketing

With an audible "Whew!" a perspiring old fellow deposited his wicker "cat in" of eggs on the store counter. "These eggs," he explained, "I lay in one good old summer time for some folks, but it sure don't do the egg business a mite of good!"

"Why, what's the trouble, Mr. Withers?" inquired the white aproned clerk.

"Well," drawled the older man, "I've got just 15 dozen eggs for you today and by rights it ought to be 20, but the darned weather just ruins 'em."

"Let your roosters run with the hens, Mr. Withers?" asked the clerk. "Sure," was the reply. "What else are you going to do with them?"

Then the young man, who happened to be recently graduated from the state agricultural college explained to his rather incredulous one-man audience that by allowing eggs to become fertilized he reduced their keeping qualities to an almost unbelievable extent. He concluded his impromptu lesson with this good advice: "If your roosters are of no special value, kill them and eat them. If you don't want to do that, pen them up until you need eggs for hatching. A rooster does more harm than good any time outside the breeding

season if allowed to run with the hens."

I think most people realize the correctness of the young clerk's statement but his advice is not followed as generally as it should be. Hens will continue to lay eggs if there isn't even a rooster in the same county. What is more, eggs produced under such conditions will keep much longer and at considerably higher temperatures than the fertile eggs that result from permitting male birds to run with the flock at all times.

A fertile egg will soon begin to show chick development if exposed to a temperature of over 70 degrees. High temperatures cause faster development and any egg will become absolutely unfit for human food within four or five days after development starts. Since temperatures even lighter than those mentioned are not uncommon during the summer months, the desirability of swatting the "rooster" at that time is very important.

By keeping eggs infertile, the difficulty of handling them is greatly reduced. Another of the rules for producing good summer eggs is to keep them clean. A dirty egg has usually been wet, and wetting destroys the natural film which protects an egg against the entry of the spores of decay. Keeping eggs from getting dirty is not nearly as difficult as it sounds. Provide plenty of clean nests; and clean them frequently. It is also advisable to keep hens indoors when the runs are wet and muddy. Should some eggs become soiled in spite of all precautions, keep them for home consumption. Do not wash them, as washed eggs spoil quickly. Gather eggs at least once or twice each day.

A cool clean place is another essential factor in keeping eggs fresh and marketable during the warm days of summer. A basement is usually cool enough but should be dry and free from objectionable odors. No matter how good your storage facilities may be, however, market your eggs often in hot weather and the hotter the weather the oftener they should be gotten out of your hands.

Bad flavors in eggs are usually more common during hot weather than at other times. They may result from mold, absorption of odors or feeding of certain materials. Eggs held in a damp musty place will develop a mold which causes an unpleasant flavor, or storing eggs near onions, cabbage, kerosene or any other substance with a strong penetrating odor may cause bad flavors.

Most of the suggestions given above might well be kept in force the entire year round. The high temperature of summer months creates special conditions, however, which make it doubly desirable to exercise every precaution to insure delivering to market only eggs that are strictly fresh and palatable. Producers who are known to deliver only the best of high grade eggs can always command a higher price and can find a ready market for their output even when others are bewailing the fact that over-production or some other ever present bugaboo has beaten their prices down.

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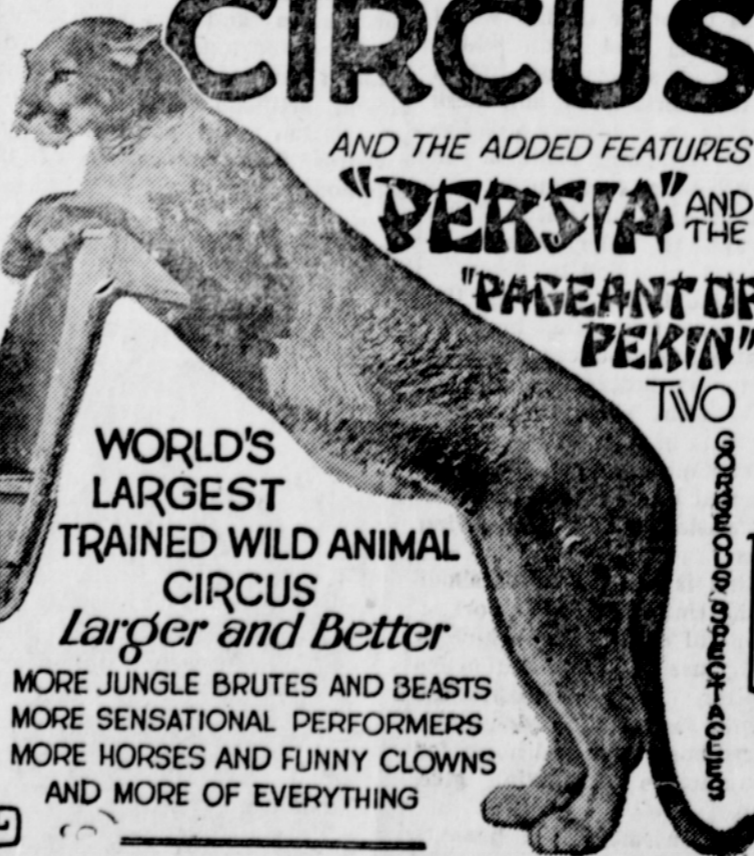
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