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KILLING FLIES.

This is the season of the year when swatting of flies is a part of every day life. There are other ways to get rid of them, and it is worth while to try things that have proven the test. The University of Oregon has been making some tests that are quite interesting.

A fermenting mash that any Albany householder can make in a few minutes at five cents less expense proved to be the best fly bait. The following five baits were put into competition:

No. 1.—Ordinary table syrup, the kind used for waffles and pancakes.
No. 2.—Decayed banana.
No. 3.—Salmon from a can; the salmon had been exposed to the sun.

No. 4.—Crab that had been left in the sun until decay had begun extensively.

No. 5.—A mash made of bran, mixed very wet with waste potato water and skimmed milk, sweetened with molasses (brown sugar will do), and containing plenty of active yeast so that it had fermented furiously.

These five preparations were put into five traps and the traps were set out side by side at a Eugene fly headquarters. The results after 20 minutes' exposure of the traps were as follows:

No. 1.—Four flies.
No. 2.—Ten flies.
No. 3.—Twelve flies.
No. 4.—Thirty-nine flies.
No. 5.—Two hundred and twenty flies.

All models were the same except one. The capture of 285 flies in 20 minutes is at the rate of about one every five seconds.

"I think a properly constructed trap baited with the fermenting mash described will catch every hungry house fly within a city block if the day is warm and sunny and the fly can get to the trap readily," said Dr. Dodge.

"Honey mixed with this bait adds to the cost and probably does not make it better. There are baits that will draw flies more readily than even this mash, but they are too offensive to describe and too dangerous to use; the discharges from open sores of animals are one. The character of these affinities show how great a menace to mankind the housefly really is."

The fact that the bran mash drew six flies to every one caught by the decaying crab and 18 to every one caught by the stale salmon does not necessarily rule either of these last named baits out. The place of experiment was near a slaughter house where the flies were glutted with animal food and turned gladly to the pleasant variety afforded by the mash. In a competition in a city block where animal food is scarce, the catches might be more even, but Dr. Dodge considers the mash the best general bait under almost any circumstances.

"Flies love variety," said Dr. Dodge. "In a brewery, a trap should be baited with milk; in a dairy, with beer."

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The housefly, or typhoid fly, is most strongly attracted by rich, liquid or semi-liquid food. The housefly is not a bloodsucker and has no teeth with which to bite solid food.

MISFITS

Pretty close to another salesday. Next will be the biggest yet. Senator Lane—will probably be on the rostrum.

The first Cunard steamer was the Britannia, finished just 75 years ago today. One of its successors, that ends the same, has just been the center of a pack of trouble.

Most people do not learn lasting lessons either from prosperity or adversity.

Let other people judge. We have too many faults of our own.

Some things in the world of an opaque character are luminously transparent.

The man who can please everybody is an object worth seeing.

The submarine is a devilish implement of war, soulless, unrelenting, brutal.

The following, scribbled on a fly leaf opened by the Misfit man, tells his own story:

"If ever there should be a flood, Hither you should fly.
For if all the world should be submerged
This book would still be dry."

As a matter of fact, though, a book that seems dry to one person is directly the opposite to another. Any way a few dry books are needed with the trash of the day.

A loyal American people are back of President Wilson, with absolute faith in his judgment and integrity.

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**"THELMA" NEXT TUESDAY
AT THE OPERAHOUSE**

The play of "Thelma" is dramatized from Marie Corelli's famous story of the Land of Midnight Sun, a wholesome novel read in all civilized countries. If you have read the book will be surprised to see how well it has been dramatized so that the important characters seem to step from the book and are surrounded by the atmosphere of Norway and England.

See the Echo cave, the Midnight Sun, the Rainbow of Death, and the Burning Viking boat in which the Bondie makes his last sea voyage.

The Norway scenery and electrical effects will be the same that Richardson and Talbert used in the cities in the east, and the costumes are appropriate.

The parts are being played by local talent and under the direction of Harlin Talbert and the company has been rehearsing every night at the Opera House for some time and a finished performance seldom seen by amateurs is assured.

The prices are within reach of all and from indications there will be a goodly crowd so tickets had better be secured in advance.

See add in this paper for places to buy tickets and watch for heralds and programs.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Directors of School District No. 77, Stayton, Oregon, until 7 p. m., May 18th, 1915, for the erection and completion of a High School building, according to plans and specifications prepared by Charles H. Burgraff, architect, Albany, Oregon. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to "School District No. 77, Stayton, Oregon," for the sum of \$200.00, as a guarantee that the contractor will furnish an approved bond equal to 50 per cent of the contract within ten days after awarding the contract.

All bids must be made out on blank proposals for the same. Bids furnished upon application by the clerk or architect. Plans and specifications may be seen at Clerk's office, Stayton, at T. M. Barr's Store, or at the architect's office, Albany.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
By order of School Board No. 77, Stayton, Oregon.
CHAS. H. BURGRAFF, Architect.

Albany, Oregon. m14-15-17-18-19

'THELMA'

OPERA HOUSE
Tuesday, May 18th

Auspices L. O. O. M. No. 859
Direction Harlin Talbert
LOCAL TALENT

First floor 50c, 35c; Balcony 25c;
Gallery 15c

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**Real Estate
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**E. C. Meade, Optometrist****Advertisement for Sewer Construction.**

Sealed bids will be received by the Council of the City of Albany, Oregon, until 7:30 o'clock p. m., May 26, 1915, for the construction of an eight inch lateral sewer beginning at the manhole in Oak Street sewer between Water and First Streets in the City of Albany, Oregon, and running thence westerly across Oak Streets and through the center of Block 8 of Hackleman's Third Addition to the City of Albany, Oregon, and to within 40 feet of the east line of Sherman Street in the City of Albany, Oregon, a distance of 272 feet.

Said sewer construction to be made in accordance with the charter and ordinances of the City of Albany and the plans, specifications and estimates of the City Engineer on file in the office of the Recorder, where plans may be seen and specifications and estimates obtained.

Bids will be opened at 8:00 o'clock p. m., May 26, 1915.

No proposal or bid will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check payable to the City of Albany in an amount equal to five per cent of the aggregate bid to be forfeited as fixed and liquidated damages in case the bidder neglects or refuses to enter into a contract and provide an approved bond in the sum of \$100.00 for the faithful performance of the work within ten days after notification of awarding of contract to such bidder.

All bids must be made with a view of completing the construction of said sewer prior to the 1st day of August, 1915, under a liquidated penalty of \$2.50 for each day of delay beyond that period.

All bids should be addressed to "Recorder of the City of Albany," marked "Proposal for the construction of lateral sewer in Block 8 of Hackleman's Third Addition to City of Albany."

By order of the Council.
F. E. VAN TASSEL,
Recorder of the City of Albany.
m14-26.

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FOR SALE

LOTS FOR SALE—As follows: Three near the corner of 8th and Main, four near corner of 7th and Sherman, 18 in Hackleman Park addition corner of 8th and Cleveland, 20 in the Epauline addition corner 13th and Thurston, half block corner Front and Cleveland. Two story house, nine rooms, corner 8th and Sherman. Lots all near public schools. All high, dry, and well drained. Both phones, T. F. Hackleman. F23May23

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A 10 million timber claim in Douglas county for city property or good farm land. Home 1143. 116tf

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Ground floor office or shop room, Democrat building near new p. o. Call at Democrat office.

FOR RENT—A modern 4-roomed apartment; also a fire proof store room. Enquire of Burgraff, 118 Second St. m31tf

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FOR SALE—Small tract, well improved, close in. Will sell on installment plan. Inquire at Democrat office. m14tf

FOR RENT CHEAP—Nine room house, bath, hot and cold water, electric lights and well located. See Oregon Title & Land Credit Co. F12tf

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Notice—Expert auto repairing and light machine work. Hub City auto shop, 2nd and Calapooia. Earle McIntosh, Bell phone 20-R.

LOST—Necklace, garnets all around. Pendant. Reward. Return Democrat office. m12tf

UMBRELLA—With bone handle, left at residence of D. P. Mason. m15-18

WANTED—Girl at the Orange confectionary, Corvallis, Ore. Home phone 1198. m15-18

FOUND—A pair of black kid gloves on 4th street. The lady who owns them may call at this office, describe gloves and pay for this ad. m13-17

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