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MUST OPEN GATEWAY

Roads Ordered to Sell Tickets to East and West via Portland.

NORTHERN PACIFIC WILL FIGHT

Objects to Joint Traffic With Harriman Lines, Which Are Required to Make Like Concessions.

Washington, May 22.—The first decision in the Portland gateway case is in favor of opening, but this is only the beginning of what promises to be a long contest. In a decision rendered by Mr. Prouty the Interstate Commerce commission today ordered the Harriman lines and the Northern Pacific to join in the sale of through tickets and the through checking of baggage between Eastern and Pacific coast points via Portland. Chairman Knapp and E. E. Clark dissent from the decision.

The commission sustains the complaint against the Northern Pacific for refusing to sell through tickets via Portland to points on the Union Pacific and Chicago & Northwestern, including Omaha, Kansas City and Chicago, and sustains also the complaint against the Chicago & Northwestern, Union Pacific, Oregon Short Line and Oregon Navigation company for refusing to sell through tickets via Portland to points in Washington.

By the terms of the decision, which is highly important to the traveling public and to the Western and Northwestern railroads, the Northern Pacific, the Union Paciific lines and the Chicago & Northwestern railway are ordered to join in the sale of through passenger tickets between Seattle and other points in the Pacific Northwest and Eastern destinations, via Portland, Or., and to accord through facilities, like the checking of baggage, over this route.

The commission found in the present case that a substantial part of the entire body of travelers moving between these points in the Northwest and Eastern destinations reasonably desire to travel via Portland, and that therefore the commission has jurisdiction to open that gateway.

It is also held that public interest requires that this gateway shall be opened; but that the terms under which that service is rendered should be just as between the carriers themselves. The commission was also of the opinion that the through rates via Portland should be the same as those in effect via the Northern Pacific and its present connections, but no opinion is expressed touching a division of these rates.

The decision orders first, that the Middle West lines complained of and the Northern Pacific shall establish before July 1, 1909, and maintain in force thereafter for not less than two years, through routes and joint rates between Chicago, Council Bluffs and Colorado common points via Portland and points in Washington between Portland and Seattle, including the latter, the joint rates to be the same as the joint rates contemporaneously in effect between said points via the Northern Pacific and its connections.

Second, the carriers named are ordered to establish before July 1, joint rates and through routes for passengers and baggage from points on the Northern Pacific via Portland to Omaha, Kansas City, Chicago and other Union Pacific and Chicago & Northwestern points.

It is understood authoritatively that it is the intention of the Northern Pacific, in connection perhaps with other roads, to seek an injunction restraining the commission from putting its order into effect. Should such an injunction be granted, it would prevent the enforcement of the order during the period of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle, as it is estimated that it would require many months for the courts finally to determine the case on its merits.

Kermit Hero of Beaters.

Nairobi, British East Africa, May 22.—Theodore Roosevelt and his son Kermit are having good hunting luck on the Juja ranch of George McMillan. Their bag includes a water buck, an impalk and other varieties of antelope. The expedition has now a total of 60 specimens, representing 20 different species. Mr. Roosevelt has killed a python. Kermit, on a recent trip, despatched a leopard at a distance of six paces. The animal already had mauled a beater, and was charging Kermit when killed.

Two Unions to Unite.

Spokane, May 22.—"It is probable that working agreements will be made by the Western Federation of Miners and the United Mineworkers of America," stated C. H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, who is here tonight. "It is not probable that they will unite, as their fields of usefulness are different. In spite of all reports, the next convention of the Federation will show that it is stronger than ever."

Explosion Fires Forest.

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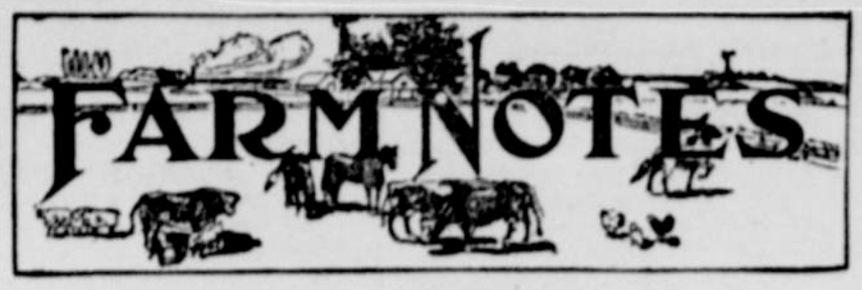
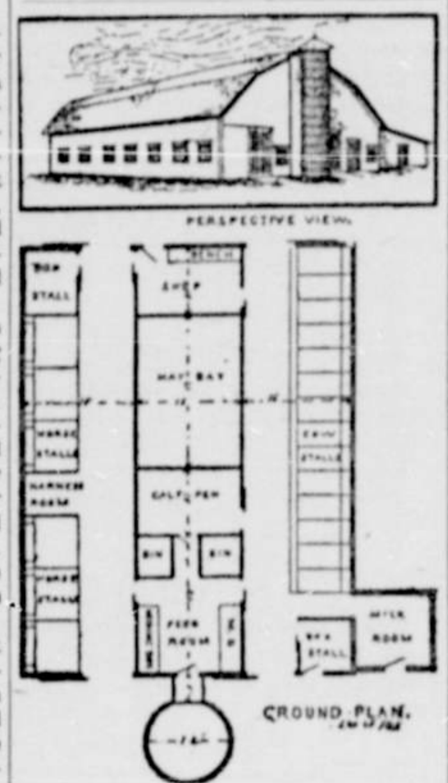


Barn for Mixed Farming.

The farmer who can so adjust his work that he may dispense with the help of one man is lucky indeed, but many a farmer has done so by simply changing his system of feeding and caring for the stock; also by so disposing of the grain and hay that instead of hauling many tons of it to market it is fed on the farm, and the beef, pork, butter, cheese, etc., sold. This allows the farmer to restore to the ground at least a part of the fertility in the shape of manure.

The barn plan shown herewith in the two illustrations, the ground plan and the perspective view, is so arranged that one man may feed and care for the stock in a short time. As shown on the floor plan, the barn will accommodate fourteen cows, twelve horses, has box stalls for both the



GOOD BARN PLAN.

cows and horses, also a large calf pen. The installation of manure carriers and hay fork is very easy, and these will soon pay for themselves in the labor saved. A feature of the barn not to be overlooked is the arrangement of the feed room and silo. The four-foot chute extends the entire length of the silo, and has small windows for light, a tight door below separating same from the feed room to keep out dust and odors. The silage is dropped down this chute, and from there shovelled to the mixing boxes—one for the cows and one for the horses. There are two bins in the feed room and two more may be located on the floor above and connected by small spouts for drawing off the grain. These spouts may be located directly over the mixing boxes. All hay is supposed to be fed from above, one hay chute being provided for each two stalls.

The milk room being located as it is, the milk may be taken to it at once. In this room should be located the separator; also plenty of clean water; if possible running water should be provided. The shop is a very necessary room, and it will save many small repair bills. In it may be stored the nails, bolts, etc. In the horse barn the harness room is located in the center, which makes it handy to all parts of the same. The two box stalls provide room for both male animals as well as sick and ailing ones.

The hay bay is supposed to be open clear to the roof. However, some farmers may wish to arrange this space different. The partition separating the cows from the center section is boarded or plastered up tight, except the calf pen, to separate the cows from any odors, dust or dirt from the other animals. The box stalls, however, in both the cow and horse barn are so constructed that the inmates may have a good view of the other animals. They like company, and will do better if they can see their neighbors.

The floors of the cow stable, the milk room, feed room and silo are of cement, the gutter being formed in the floor and having a four-inch drain at the rear leading to the manure pit. The stalls are made to fit both long and short cows. The first stall in front is four feet wide and five feet long. The rear stall is three feet six inches wide and four feet eight inches long. The stalls then slope from front to the rear, each stall being slightly shorter. Stalls are now constructed in so many different ways that it is hardly worth while to mention them, every cow man having his own views of the matter. However, it is wise to so build them that the stall may be easily cleaned and washed. This construction will comply with all sanitary requirements of inspectors. The floor of the horse stable may be of cement or clay.

The location, the local supply of materials, etc., will of course govern to a certain extent the material entering the construction of any building, and, in fact, all buildings. The barn as shown is twelve feet to the eaves and thirty-eight feet to the peak; the silo is thirty-eight or forty feet high.

The barn should, of course, have a good foundation of stone, brick or cement. On many farms it has been the practice to build a small shed here and there and the stock is scattered all over the farm. This causes an unnecessary lot of labor to care for them; also an unsightly appearance to the surroundings. In constructing a barn of this sort it will not be necessary to do all the work before the same may be used, but a portion of it may be left until time and perhaps your purse will allow it to be finished. —Wallace's Farmer.

Feeding of Eggs.

Hens will not refuse to lay providing the conditons which surround them are favorable for egg production. Of course, a hen cannot keep on laying all the time, nor will some hens lay even for a majority of the time, but the farmer who provides the correct conditions of housing, feeding and general management will find that he will not be entirely without eggs at any time of the year. Of course, it is not the hen's nature to lay at this time of the year; but if she is comfortably housed and well fed, the farmer will find that the hen after all really has little sentiment as to just which season she shall produce her eggs.

Getting eggs is not entirely a matter of feeding, yet if we feed correctly the hens will not have that as an actual obstacle to laying. Maturity and vigor are two important things in the hens that are to be heavy winter layers. Keep the hens in a thrifty, vigorous condition, and be sure and feed a variety. These things count for a great deal toward success. Corn, oats and wheat are the three principal grain feeds, but there are others that may well be fed by way of variety and the meat and green stuff in some form should never be neglected. Give any kind of meat scraps or prepared meat foods, as it pays. Try to keep the hens under conditions as near like those in existence at spring time as you can, and you will not suffer severely from an egg famine. This is nothing impossible, and briefly, only means comfortable housing, a variety of feeds, green stuff and meat scraps, and sanitary quarters.—Agricultural Epitomist.

Destruction by Rats.

There are those who declare that nothing is created in vain, and that rats and mice are in some way a benefit to mankind. It is hard to see just how. The statistician of the Agricultural Bureau at Washington computes that the[illegible] $15,000,000 damage a [illegible] money damage, [illegible]noyance. As [illegible] the world [illegible] skin[illegible]

Small Temporary Smokehouse.

If one butchers only once a year, says a correspondent of Farm and Home, it is not necessary to build an expensive smokehouse, for almost as good

SMALL BUT EFFECTIVE SMOKEHOUSE.

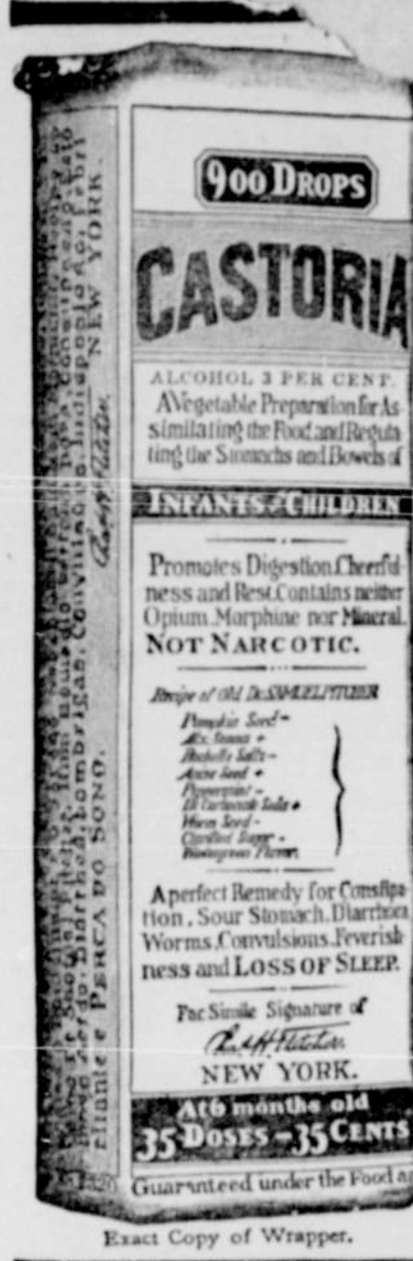
results can be obtained from a device such as the one shown herewith. It is made by taking both ends out of a barrel and mounting it upon a box or above a fireplace in the ground. The meat to be smoked is hung from the sticks laid across the top of the barrel, the fire built underneath and the lid put on.

To Increase Fruit Yield.

One orchardist is said to have increased the yield of his orchard from fifteen to 250 bushels in the following manner: He reduced the tops of the trees one-fourth; then in the fall he plowed between the trees. After manuring well he planted corn, beans and pumpkins, and harvested a nice crop of each. The next spring he repeated the same form of cultivation, and that year, in addition to the good crops of corn, beans and pumpkins, harvested seventy bushels of good apples. The next spring he manured for the third time and planted potatoes, which did not do well, but he harvested 250 bushels of fine apples from the orchard.

Champion Butter Cow Dead.

Pedro's Estalla, champion butter cow [illegible] the world, with a record of 712 [illegible]elve months, was killed [illegible] at the Missouri Agricul[illegible]arm.



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