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| Boxed Candy 25c to \$3
Attractively Wrapped | Cedar Chests \$1.50 to \$2
Filled with Stationery. |
| Five Year Diaries \$1.00
Genuine Leather Covers
Colors: Red, Brown and Black. | GIFTS for the LADY |
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| Klenzo Shaving Sets .. 65c
Attractive Boxes
Contains Shaving Cream, Lotion,
and Styptic. | Double Compact .. \$1.85
Extremely Rich Looking. |
| Yardley's Men's Set \$2.85
Has Shaving Bowl, Lotion and
Talcum Powder. | Purse Perfume \$1.15 |
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Zipper Currency Pocket.
Genuine Leather. | Yardley's .. 45c to 85c
Lavender |
| Military Brush Sets \$2.25
Unconditionally Guaranteed. | Bath Powder 69c to \$1.50
Fragrant Odors.
Large Attractive Boxes. |
| Eveready Flashlights .. 59c to \$2
Chromium and Black.
Has all the latest features. | MANICURE SETS |
| | Roll-ups \$1.25 to \$2.25 |
| | Bakelite Boxes 50c to \$1 |
| | Wooden Boxes \$1.00 |
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Perfume and .. \$1.65
Atomizer |
- WE HAVE A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF XMAS CARDS. Assorted boxes of cards 50c to \$1.00**
- Come in and look at our Gifts! A small deposit lays away any of our gifts for you.

POULTRY

IMPROPER CARE OF EGGS MEANS LOSS

Cool Storage Room Needed in Summer Time.

By H. H. Alp, Poultry Extension Specialist, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.—WNU Service.

Complaints of consumers about the low quality of eggs sometimes offered for sale during summer months can often be traced to careless management on the part of people handling the eggs after they leave the farm. Poor quality eggs tend to reduce purchases by housewives, and this in turn lowers the prices and profits received by both farmers and dealers. Thus with the arrival of warm weather, greater care should be taken in handling eggs as a truly perishable product.

Too commonly eggs are held in the back room of a store which also serves as storage space for various items, some of which should never be in the same room with eggs. This room during the summer months will frequently have a temperature high enough to start the incubation of fertile eggs.

Another criticism in this connection is that often the small country buying stations do not have satisfactory places to hold a product as perishable as eggs.

In one instance last summer, when the prevailing temperature was about 90 degrees Fahrenheit, there was a produce house consisting of a large room covered by a sheet metal roof. In this room poultry was being fed and eggs stored until time for delivery to the next buyer. Regardless of how good the quality of those eggs when originally received by this dealer, they would quickly deteriorate under such conditions.

The level of egg prices depends a good deal on consumer demand, and this fact makes it important to maintain quality if the maximum returns to be gained by both the farmer who cares for the flock and the dealer and merchant who handle the eggs between producer and consumer.

WITH FARMERS AROUND THE STATE

Can Grow and Dry Corn Cheaply.

CORVALLIS — Willamette valley farmers, by using early maturing strains of field corn, can grow the corn, dry it and get it on the market several weeks ahead of corn shipped in from the corn belt, says W. S. Averill, Benton county agent. Studies made by the Oregon Experiment station staff show that corn can be artificially dried for approximately half the cost of shipping from the corn belt, Averill points out. In a number of instances, prune, hop and walnut driers are being used to dry corn at a very nominal cost, and growers are putting their corn on the market in time to be used for finishing turkeys.

"Hopper" Egg Deposits Heavy.

KLAMATH FALLS—Because a recent check-up showed heavy grasshopper egg deposits on the east side of the lake in the Upper Klamath marsh country, plans are being made to put additional turkeys in small bunches on the hatching grounds early in 1936, says County Agent C. A. Henderson. For this purpose the local brooding plant has been enlarged and a foundation flock of hens and toms has been obtained, with the idea of hatching local eggs early enough to be able to put turkeys on the grasshopper ranges in May rather than in July, as has been necessary in the past.

"Unemployed Books" Put to Work.

CORVALLIS—The problem of "unemployment" among library books is being partially solved here through a plan inaugurated by Miss Lucy M. Lewis, state college librarian and director of libraries for the entire state system. Miss Lewis adapted the old traveling library

WE ARE COMING UNCLE SAMMY

Composed by Mr. P. E. Hall, and sung before the Hermiston Townsend Club, December 19th, 1935.

Dear Uncle Sam, we're here tonight to sing to you a song. And if you'll listen in awhile, we'll not detain you long. You look so badly, Uncle Sam, we're sure you must be sick. We'll have to call the doctor in and call him mighty quick. We're coming Uncle Sammy, we're coming right along.

We're coming with the doctor, Sam, we know there's something wrong. For he has tried your temperature and made a diagnose, And soon will tell you what is wrong and fix you up a dose. The remedy is simple, Sam, with few ingredients, An ounce of good sound judgment and two grains of common sense.

And stir it all together in a pint of Townsend Plan, And take the whole dose, Sammy, just as quickly as you can. We're coming, Uncle Sammy, and we feel we're almost here, The wheels of progress humming while the workers loudly cheer, For they are working all the time, John, Jerry, Bill and Bob.

The Townsend Plan has brot the cash to give them all a job. We're tired, Sam, of that New Deal, it's just a rattle trap, To take from us our hard earned cash to give the other chap. And if you won't consent, dear Sam, this rattle trap to fix, We'll kindly wipe it off the slate in nineteen thirty-six.

We're coming, Uncle Sammy, we're coming right along, We're coming with the remedy ten hundred thousand strong. We're now, dear Uncle Sam, a strong united band, To keep the stars and stripes unfurled and floating o'er this land. You use too many letters, Sam, too many N'S and D's, And A.A.A. and C.C.C., and X. Y. Z. You've used the alphabet all up so we would love to see The slate wiped right off nice and clean, then use A. A. R. P. We're coming, Uncle Sammy, and it won't be very long, 'Till all the shops will be open and working good and strong.

Just making things the people need and have the cash to buy, If you would open up your heart to heed the Townsend cry, We're growing tired now, Uncle Sam, with three score years of toil, A working hard from morn till night a tilling of the soil, To feel you pat us on the back, and bid us shout and sing,

While you turn around and sell us out to money lords and kings. We're coming, Uncle Sammy, we are coming right along. And if you take the remedy, you'll soon be going strong. But if you still refuse to take the antidote, We'll have to hold your nose, dear Sam, and pour it down your throat.

plan to the uses of all college halls, fraternities and sororities. All such organizations may now take out a "shelf of books" and keep them in the reading room for odd-times reading by students. Students report much more reading of worth while but "unrequired" books when they are close at hand. Meanwhile, the library remains crowded with those using books required in their courses.

Will Feed Sheep Small Grains.

LAKEVIEW—Five Lake county sheep men are planning to cooperate with County Agent Victor W. Johnson in testing out the advisability of feeding small grains to their sheep bands on the desert this winter instead of the usual corn. With small grains such as barley and oats selling locally for \$15 to \$20 a ton, and No. 2 yellow corn costing about \$45 a ton laid down at Lakeview, a substantial saving in feed costs could be made if the plan is effective, it is pointed out.

Sun Porch Will Benefit Growing Young Chicks

A sun porch attached to the brooder house is a most valuable improvement to have. For the little chicks to have a clean place, one absolutely free from disease germs and parasites, to roam during fair weather, is invaluable, says a poultryman in Wallace's Farmer. They may occupy the brooder house until the cockerels are sold as broilers, after which the pullets can be transferred to summer shelter on the range, away from contaminated ground. These sun porches must be thoroughly cleaned once every year. That is, six or eight inches of the dirt should be removed from the floor after the pullets are taken to the range, and fresh sand or gravel added, ready for the next year's chicks. When such precautions are taken and fresh, clean range is supplied each year, loss from disease and parasites will be reduced to a minimum.

Sun parlors may be built the same size as the brooder house, surrounded by wire netting high enough so the birds will not fly out. This adds expense, but it contributes greatly to the health of the young birds, and the extra sunshine which they get while exercising in these parlors promotes rapid growth.

Solves Green Feed Problem

Sprouted oats or barley will easily solve the green feed problem for the back-yard poultry keeper with a small-sized flock. The simplest and possibly one of the best ways to provide for them is to level off a small piece of ground, place the grains to be sprouted directly on the soil and cover them with a piece of burlap or gunny sack kept continually moist. When the grain has sprouted one-quarter to one-half inch it is ready to feed. The length of time required to sprout will of course depend upon the weather. If small particles of dirt adhere to the sprouts when fed, no harm, but rather benefit, results. By preparing small plots each day, a constant supply can be maintained.

The Plymouth Rock

Plymouth Rock is the name applied to a type of poultry originated in the United States as a result of cross-breeding and selection for the purpose of attaining certain characteristics of formation, color or utility. This general type has been subdivided into several varieties within the breed which are known as Barred Plymouth Rocks, or Barred Rocks; Buff Rocks, Partridge Rocks, Silver Pencilled Rocks, all of which have been recognized by the American Standard of Perfection.

Table Scraps as Food

Poultry keepers, who have small flocks in confinement to provide eggs for the table, can profitably use scraps from the table if these materials are handled in the right way. No salty foods should be given, nor any moldy food of any kind. Bread or crusts are often dangerous to poultry unless first baked crisp in a hot oven to break down the starch cells which set up fatty tissue. Potato peelings, also waste vegetables, may be boiled along with meat scraps.

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POPCORN	WALNUTS
3 "It Pops" Pounds 25c	2 Soft Shell Pounds 35c
PEANUTS	SYRUP
2 Roasted Jumbo Pounds 25c	1/2 Sleepy Hollow Gallon 59c
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2 Lbs. 29c	9 Lb. Sack 53c
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