

POULTRY SHOW FOR COUNTY IN JANUARY PLAN

The suggestion that Medford hold a poultry show during the month of January next has met with prompt and enthusiastic approval by all who are interested in poultry and the improvement of poultry stock generally throughout the valley. Not only those who raise poultry, but persons of observation who realize that something should be done to stimulate interest in that industry in Jackson county, favor it without exception.

The plan will be to make the show essentially educational, both in the matter of improving the stock in order to obtain the best possible results by poultry raisers and in the effort to create a better market for the larger output of the poultry yards.

This can be done most effectively by concert of action under a common understanding of methods between those interested, both in the production and in the work of establishing the market. It will serve to overcome the embarrassments of the haphazard system—if it may be called a system—now extant in this valley.

Features of the Show

The plan suggested is to give poultry raisers abundant time to prepare their stock for exhibit, to obtain speakers on popular poultry subjects from various sections of the state, to secure the services of expert incubator managers who will explain in detail the best and most economical uses of the various makes of incubators and brooders in relation to the production of healthy chicks with the minimum of loss and, in a general and specific way, to teach the beginners how to make poultry pay.

It will stimulate interest in the industry as no other equally inexpensive method may do. It will teach the value of the best breeds, how to maintain the choicest strains and the important difference between the fancy family of premium producers and the scrub breeds. It will serve to overcome the prejudice commonly existing against so-called "fancy poultry" breeding—for it will show that the fancy chicken is, after all, only the best chicken in the matter of yielding profit, and that anything less than that is a scrub.

Poultry From East to Coast

San Francisco, which is a greedy market for all of our poultry farm products, now ships from six to ten carloads of poultry from the east every week. Isn't that an anomalous condition, when we consider that one of the best informed and most practical poultry authorities in the state declares that Rogue River valley is one of the choicest regions on the continent for raising healthy chickens that produce the maximum yield of eggs in a year? He cites the fact that every essential condition in poultry production exists here in prime form—and it is his official business to know, for he is connected with the agricultural college at Corvallis and chicken raising is his specialty.

T. J. Gardner, head of the Medford Poultry company, and one of the best informed men in the state on "poultry from the pen to the market," declares that Rogue River valley should easily reap the profit on the shipment of at least one carload of fine poultry a week from this point, and declares that he will do his utmost to make the proposed poultry show a ringing success from every point of vantage.

Poultry on Every Farm

"If our farmers would only keep account of the expense of maintaining a flock of chickens and turkeys, numbering from 100 to 500 to each farm throughout the year, and then note the proceeds of sales therefrom, comparing the income to the outgo, there would be a poultry yard, well kept and carefully handled as to breed and strain, on every farm," said Mr. Gardner, in discussing the matter with a Mail Tribune man this morning. "What our farmers need is a little technical instruction, combined with practical demonstration of results, and the best, most economical and effective way to give it is in the annual poultry show that has become so popular and meritorious throughout the several states. Every district of consequence has its annual meeting of poultry people and exhibit of their stock, together with figures of profit and loss, and the reason why. That gives the show an educational feature that can't be duplicated any other way so simply, practically and usefully."

The matter of making preliminary arrangements for the poultry show is being taken up enthusiastically by those interested, including the business houses of the city and the industrial enterprises of several points in the valley, all of whom have been interested to the extent of expressing a readiness to give attractive premiums for best exhibits, ranging from goods and merchandise to real cash. Everyone approached insists that it must be made a "go" and a success.

FINAL CAMPAIGN UNDER WAY TO SECURE FACTORY

The committees having charge of the work of securing subscriptions of acreage for sugar beets in the various districts in the valley cannot report the aggregate area covered by subscriptions to date, because those who are out with the lists have not yet reported fully to them, but the work is being carried on vigorously, many farmers having been found who have recently become enthusiastically interested in the proposed enterprise through having obtained more definite information as to the value of it to the farmers of the valley, as well as to every business interest in it.

Talent and Central Point appear to be the most aggressive localities in the matter of securing results. The farmers in those districts have quit asking unimportant questions about the matter and have got down to the problems of soil and water. Reports are not so definite from Grants Pass, but it is known that the committees there are smiling over the prospect of excellent results.

A Busy Week Anticipated

Altogether, the work seems to have been rounded up for a vigorous week, beginning with today, and it is confidently believed that at the end of this period a definite forecast of the situation may be made.

Farmers, as well as others, realize that we must have industrial enterprises in the valley to turn out the finished products from our raw materials if we ever hope to enjoy that degree of prosperity which our abundant resources promise. The latter, however, must be developed properly and fully—and it is up to the farmers to do that, so far as products of the farm go. Without the co-operation of the farmers with those who furnish the market for what they produce, there can be no organized system of vitalizing that market. In fact, there will be no market—except a sort of catch-as-catch-can proposition, the too general dependence on which has already made our rural districts poor. And they will continue to be poor as long as they depend on that haphazard method of business.

FRENCH BATTLE FOR TAHURE TO RULE CHAMPAGNE

PARIS, Nov. 1, 2:30 p. m.—Fighting continued last night in the vicinity of Butte de Tahure without any material change in the relative positions of the combatants, according to the announcement given out this afternoon by the French war office. The French troops took 100 more prisoners.

The text of the communication follows:

"In the Champagne district the fighting continued last night in the region of Butte de Paure, but without any change in the respective positions of the combatants. We took more than 100 unwounded prisoners.

"Army of the east: Certain detachments of Bulgarian troops which were in occupation of Istip undertook on October 27 a movement of reconnaissance against Krivolak. This movement was retired from in front of our advance.

"In the sector of Krivolak there have been engagements between patrols and an intermittent cannonading, while in the sector to the north of Rabrovo a violent cannonading has been heard in the direction of Veles."

RENEW ADJUSTMENT LUSITANIA CASE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Negotiations between Germany and the United States regarding the sinking of the liner Lusitania and other questions pending between the two nations will be resumed when Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, will call upon Secretary Lansing at the state department. The question of indemnity for Americans lost in the sinking of the *Aralie* still is unsettled and probably will be taken up.

SUFFRAGE ISSUE IN PENNSYLVANIA VOTE

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 1.—Women suffragists who are asking the men of Pennsylvania to give women the right to vote made their final appeal today, more than 200 meetings having been arranged for in different parts of the city.

Several twelve-hour mass meetings without intermission were in progress in the business district today, the women speakers attracting large crowds. Organizations opposed to equal suffrage were also active today, but their meetings were not so numerous.

Release Kidnaped Briton

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 1.—Ernest K. Ayton, British subject, recently kidnaped by Mexican soldiers at Guajuco, Durango, has been released, according to a message received by the acting British diplomatic agent here today. The fate of the priest kidnaped with Ayton is unknown.

GERMANS OBJECT ENGLISH GUIDING TRADE OF CHINESE

BERLIN, Nov. 1 (by wireless to Sayville).—German authorities are commenting on the attempts of Great Britain to restrict trade of Dutch shippers with China, says the Overseas News agency. "These authorities state that the British government intends to boycott German firms in China. When the war began Great Britain forbade trade with Germany, later with German firms in neutral European countries, and finally with Germans in China. Thus Germans all over the world are affected. This means that neutral powers are forced to yield to British despotism."

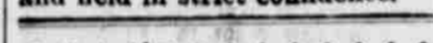
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Britain forbade trade with Germany, later with German firms in neutral European countries, and finally with Germans in China. Thus Germans all over the world are affected. This means that neutral powers are forced to yield to British despotism. "The British aim to apply the same measures to all other neutral shipping lines, including those between North and South America. Neutral exporters who have been trading for decades with German importers will lose connections with their customers, and exporting concerns under British control will rob them of their business."

VON BUELOW VISIT TO SPAIN A MYTH

MADRID, Nov. 1, via Paris.—Premier Dato said today he had no official information concerning the report that Prince Von Buelow, former German chancellor, would come to Madrid to present to King Alfonso an outline of conditions on which

Germany might be willing to consider peace negotiations.

The Overseas News agency of Berlin made denial yesterday of the report that Prince Von Buelow had been entrusted with propositions of peace negotiations.

LONDON, Nov. 1, 5:00 p. m.—The bodies of three men taken from a small boat bearing the name Wolfe were landed today at Cromarty, Scotland. It is assumed the Swedish bark Wolfe, of 1013 tons, had been sunk in the North sea.

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