

BLACK MINORCAS RAISED ON BIG SCALE BY PANKEY

CENTRAL POINT, Mar. 30.—Thos. Pankey is building a chicken house in which he will house his thoroughbred stock. Mr. Pankey is going to feature the Black Minorca of a special grade. They will be of blooded stock, laying from 250 to 300 eggs a year, it is said, surpassing all other grades. Unlike other chickens that lay good for only a year or more, these lay from three to four years. They can also be used for the table. He is also going to raise Black Jersey, not well known in these parts. He uses these only for eating as they are of a heavier type, averaging from ten pounds to as high as fifteen to twenty. Mr. Pankey is starting on a small scale, but no doubt will as soon as possible have a large chicken ranch.

A company headed by "Sourdough Charley," presented an entertainment in the F & E theatre Wednesday evening. "Sourdough Charley" gave a lecture concerning the life in Alaska. The address was very interesting, and was appreciated by the large audience. He also displayed a mammoth used in muzzling and pulling with other dogs the sled thru the Alaskan snows, many furs, totem poles and items of dress were displayed. No advance in prices was made, making the program worth twice the price of admission.

Many country people were in evidence Monday evening attending the country store. Several of them succeeded in winning prizes of a very useful nature. All went away satisfied whether they were lucky or not.

The management has succeeded in getting a very good program for the week. They will present tonight Ruth Roland in "The Timber Queen" and "Lonesome Corners." For Saturday night they will present Theodore Roberts and Milton Sills in "Miss Lulu Betts." On Sunday and Monday, April 1st and 2d, "All Night" will be shown starring Rodolph Valentino, and the following two nights Lillian Gish and Wallace Reid in "The Fatal Wedding."

A tennis tournament is being carried on at the local high school, the students entering in same. No doubt the keenest rivalry will be between the junior and senior classes. Both possess some very good talent. The contest being carried on the elimination system, or the "survival of the fittest."

Miss Viola Hughes arrived in this city Tuesday afternoon from Butte Falls to visit Miss Kathleen Sells. Ira Dawson, former resident of this city, arrived from the hills where he has been carrying on the occupation of woodchopper. He is stopping at J. G. H. Smith's place in this city.

Mrs. H. E. Adams of Oklahoma, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. F. W. Seaborn of this city for the past two months left Monday morning for California where she will visit her brother living there.

Harry Dubs and Ernest Kelly are now employed at the Millionaire mine near Gold Hill.

Jesse Richardson has rented the store building formerly occupied by Rev. Lovejoy, who carried on revival meetings for a short time.

J. W. Chambers of this city left for Klamath Falls where he will be employed on the highway near Fort Klamath. He left with two teams and does not expect to be back till next winter.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold another of their good food sales tomorrow morning. They have succeeded in procuring Mr. Weaver's store to hold the sale. All the food will be home baked so the public can rest assured that the food is of the best.

Bert Roedel is now taking a course in the Medford Business college.

Miss Lorena Law is visiting her friends and relatives in this community for the week-end. She was a former student at the high school but is now attending the high school at Butte Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Picket and son Bruce motored to Corvallis where Bruce is attending school. Mr. and Mrs. Picket after stopping in Corvallis resumed their journey to Portland where they are now sojourning for a brief time.

Miss Edith Jacobs is now the proud owner of a new Star sedan, which she bought last week. It seems rather unusual to see her driving an automobile.

The "Peerless Four" will present another one of their popular dances tonight. They have added a feature to their repertoire.

Archie Parker is now employed at Wimer as engine man in Reichstein's saw mill. He left for his post Wednesday morning.

Joseph Boswell was a visitor with his family last Thursday for a brief time. His business was so pressing in Hornbrook, Calif., that it was impossible for him to stay longer.

The photograph that has for so long adorned the show window will at last be awarded. On Saturday evening the person holding the lucky key that will open the lock will be given the photograph which is of a very good quality. Keys for the lock were given with each one dollar purchase. A large number were given out.

Miss Evangeline Hansen was hostess at a party given in honor of her fifteenth birthday Saturday evening. Many of her schoolmates were present to enjoy the evening. The time was passed by games, songs, etc. Refreshments were served to all present, who regretted that Miss Hansen's birthday came only once a year.

Miss Hazel Tetherow is now the proud possessor of a new Star roadster which she acquired a short time ago.

The many friends of Malcolm Wright, formerly of this city and principal of the high school, will be sorry to learn that he had the misfortune of having his nose broken. During the opening of the baseball season at Gold Hill, between the school of that city and of Sams Valley, a foul ball descended on his face, breaking his nose in three places.

The dances at the Oregon Dancing Academy are being well attended by townsfolk and others not residing here. Dances to which the public are invited are given every Tuesday and Thursday, the other nights being reserved for private lessons.

Mrs. Roen and cousin Mrs. Gagher of Laverne, Minnesota, arrived in this city Thursday. They are now visiting at the home of Mrs. Gearhart. Their arrival was a surprise to her.

Charley Painter of the Willow Springs district, moved with his family into Central Point Wednesday.

Mr. Casbeer left for Klamath Falls where he will be employed.

Mrs. Anne W. Penfield is Philadelphia's richest woman, her personal property being assessed at nearly \$10,000,000.

FARMER-LABOR PARTY TO MEET CHICAGO, JULY

CHICAGO, March 29.—(By the Associated Press)—National committee of the farmer-labor party, by a mail vote completed today, authorized the calling of a national convention in Chicago, July 3, at which efforts will be made to organize a coalition of all labor, farmer, socialist and other independent political groups.

Invitations are to be sent to the woman's party, league of women voters, national non-partisan league, socialist party, committee of 43, all-state federations of labor, all international labor unions, labor parties of various states, and hundreds of other separate organizations, asking them to appoint delegates clothed with authority to take such steps as are necessary to bring about a political coalition for the 1924 presidential campaign.

The aim of the convention will be, Secretary Jay Brown of the farmer-labor party said, to secure agreement among the separate groups on one candidate on national and state organizations.

Advertising for Charley. WALLA WALLA, Wash., March 29.—The Walla Walla Ministerial Union, it became known today, has passed resolutions protesting against the showing here of a moving picture featuring Charlie Chaplin, on account of the charges that the picture ridicules the clergy.

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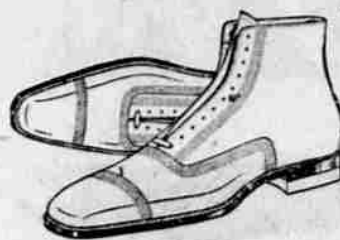
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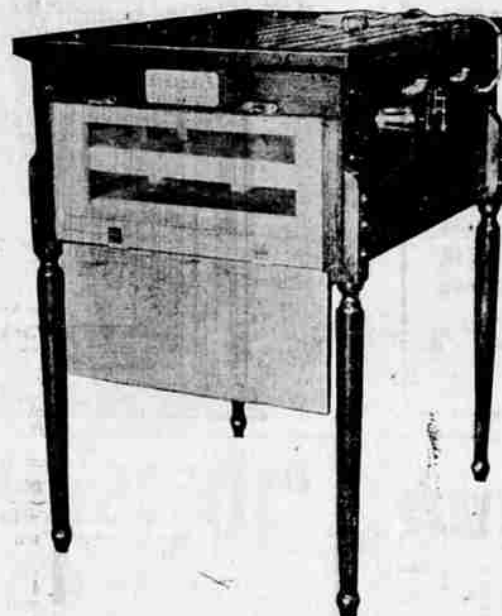
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