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## **ROOTS FOR** STOCK FEED

Important Suggestions For The Dairymen

#### **Beets Are Best to Plant**

**Crook County Soil and Climate Admirably Adapted For** Their Growth

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Editor Journal: The growing of roots for stock feeding is of such importance that a short article on that subject will be of interest to your stockraising subscribers, especially the dairymen.

All roots commonly used for this purpose can be successfully grown in Central Oregon on either dry or irrigated land. Irrigated land will produce a much greater yield if care is taken not to use too much water. But I have had very fine crops on dry land. Any land that beets, carrots, rutabagas or turnips.

Beets are the heaviest yielders and all things considered are perhaps the best root to grow here. The best varieties are the Large Red Mangel and the French White Sugar beet. These grow half their length or more above the ground, are very large, have few small roots to hold the dirt and are therewhen danger from heavy frosts are this country. usually costs from 30 to 50 cents when they thaw out. be thinned to eight or ten inches out them. apart in the row by the use of a garden hoe while the plants are

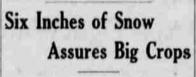


Crook

charged with circulating bad checks. He passed two or three at Bend. one at Redmond and several at The Dalles.

Crook county gets through with pointment to qualify. him Wasco will have something to say to him.

Meachem hails from Michigan were drawn on this bank. He has been in this country five months, He has a wife at Bend.



It practically snowed dollars for Crook county last Saturday night. Late risers woke up to find that six inches of the beautiful covered the will grow potatoes will also grow ground. Mrs. Baldwin, the local actions. weatherman, reports 1.40 inches of moisture for Prineville.

Reports state that there was a light snow fall in the Ben1 country, very little or none at all around Redmond, but to the north and east of Prineville there was a heavy fall. Seth Dixon reports 14 inches at the head of Juniper Canyon.

Bountiful crops for Crook county is thus practically assured. Every fore easily harvested, coming out indication points to the most prosclean. They should be planted perous year ever experienced in

times killed if caught by a severe barn, covered by hay or straw, his common school education in a then be no longer necessary, there- 20 and will hold until the general frost when in the two-leaf stage, safely most of the winter. They district school, at the completion of by saving one item of expense to election in November, 1916.

T. H. LAFOLLETT.

# T.E.J. Duffy Appointed Judge This Judicial Dist.

appointed circuit judge of the Meachem had a preliminary hearing at Bend and was bound over to Seventeenth Judicial District yesterthe grand jury in the sum of \$500. day afternoon by Governor Wythe-Not having the price he will board combe. The appointment takes with the sheriff until the March effect at once and the appointce term disposes of his case. When has ten days from the date of ap-

The appointment is for the new district which was created by an act of the legislature last week, where he says his father is con- and comprises the territory of venience to litigants and to the law nected with a bank. His checks Crook and Jefferson counties, or in event of Jefferson county being reversed by the supreme court, the original county of Crook will make up the district.

> In making the appointment the Governor qualified his action by matter of party politics should not doubtless, to a great extent, be be considered in judiciary appoint. tried directly before the court. ments and the qualifications of the

this place and has had a wide prac- and then when the regular term of judicial district. tice, especially in land matters, court convenes the district attorney The bill does not go into effect since he came to Prineville some will be prepared to try his cases until 90 days after the legislature years ago, and has proven himself a with much better and more satis- adjourns which will be about May competent attorney. He will, with- factory results, both to himself and 20. Judge Bradshaw will hold his out doubt, prove a good man for to the people of the county. appointed.

past life;

Timothy E. J. Duffy was born the law and evidence of his trial "The appointment made by Govlaw position in connection with the Multnomah county, roughly speak- apply.

Washington's Birthday Not School Holiday

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A Journal subscriber wants to know if Washington's Birthday is a legal holiday and if it were with. Founding of Order 51 Years in the law to dismiss school upon

1910 and became deputy district Oregon are as follows: Every Sunattorney. Mr. Duffy has filled the day, the first of January, the 12th office of city attorney of Prineville of February, the 22nd of February, the 30th of May, the 4th of July,

> December, and every day on which an election is held throughout the state, and every day appointed by the President of the United States, or by the Governor of this state for a public fast, thanksgiving or holi-103, Oregon School Laws.

individual and surrounding circum- in this, that hereafter the grand ing, so that the additional burden stances alone should regulate his jury may be convened by the circuit upon Crook county alone will be judge one week in advance of the negligible, if anything, as compared Mr. Duffy has been and now is regular term of court and may sit with the convenience and other the United States Commissioner at and return indictments at leisure savings by virtue of the new

last term of court in Crook county

thoroughly to prepare himself on September, January and May,

January 30, 1876, on a farm near cases and the employment of addi- ernor Wythecombe takes effect past, as the young plants are some- ing value. I have kept them in the Shakopee, Minnesota. He obtained tional counsel for his office will when the law goes into effect May

The seed can be had of any seeds- can be fed when frozen but are not which he attended the Shakopee set off the expense of the judge's Even should the supreme court man or our local merchants and nearly so valuable and are ruined High School, completing the English salary. At this time it is almost hold the organization of Jefferson course, then taught four years in impossible for the district attorney county to be invalid, the new per pound. Four to six pounds per Roots yield so enormously, can be the district schools of Minnesota. to perform all the work thrown up- judicial district created by the legacre is sufficient. They should be grown so cheaply, are of such great Attended law school at the Uni- on him at a term of court with islature will stand, then to be complanted in rows 30 inches apart so benefit to stock while being fed on versity of Minnesota and was grad- satisfaction. Still the judge is paid prised of Crook county alone, the that a horse cultivator can be used dry hay during late fall and winter uated with Hon. Vernon A. Forbes, by the state, one-third of all ex- application of the law to Jefferson to keep all weeds out. They can no stockman can afford to be with- After leaving the university held a penses of the state are paid by county only would then simply not

Grand Ball Friday Night the 12th of October, the 25th of Luna Lodge Entertained Visitors and Members in Highly **Pleasing Manner** 

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NATAL DAY

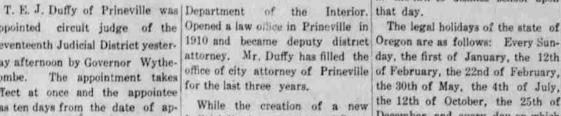
Perhaps the most thoroughly enday are legal holidays, but Febru- joyed dancing party of the season ary 12, Lincoln's birthday: Febru- was consummated last Friday night ary 22, Washington's birthday, and when Luna Lodge, Knights of receive immediate and careful at- October 12th. Columbus Day, "shall Pythias, gave their annual grand not be school holidays, but a por- ball at the Commercial Club Hall tion of each of said days shall be set in this city, in honor of the fiftystating that in his opinion the additional expense to litigants will apart and be observed in the public first anniversary of the order. The schools of the state by appropriate festivities began as early as 8:30 exercises." See section 234, page and it is estimated that fully two

hundred and fifty ladies and gentlemen were present and enjoyed every number on the program. Emblems peculiar to the order were very much in evidence; the letters, "K P," displayed on the south side of the hall, and five large United States flags, which are also emblematical of the order, were most prominent among the decorations. Morgan's three-piece orchestra rendered a program which occasionthe position to which he has been Night sessions of the court will next month. Thereafter terms of ed many favorable comments and this city is truly fortunate to cortain such talented musicians.

The Knights' punch bowl, which on valious occupious has made itself famous with its contents, was displayed near the front of the hall, where those becoming weary might rest and refresh themselves. Many

times during the evening guests were heard to remark, "The Prineville K. P.'s are some entertainers." A number of Knights and their ladies from Redmond and Bend were in attendance.

The Knights of Pythias order was founded in Washington, D. C., February 19, 1864, and the membership was at first confined to government employes. At the present time the order has a membership of 800,000 and has lodges in every state in the Union; in Cuba, Porto Rico, the Canal Zone, Canada, the Philippines and New Zealand. The original play of "Damon and Pythias" was written by John Banim and Richard Lalor Shell and was first produced in London in 1821.



judicial district comprised of Crook county and the two-months-old county of Jefferson adds a \$4000 salary to the state tax, the conofficers in the enforcement of the law will be great. The new act will mean continuous court in Crook county, where all law matters will tention. Equity cases now unsatisfactorily tried before referees at

Another convenience will result

be eliminated which will give the court will be held in Crook county Following is a brief sketch of his district attorney time within which by the new judge in the months of

small. But seed is slow to germinate and should be planted while the ground is moist. It sometimes pays to soak the seed before planting.

Next to the beet, carrots are of most value for stock of all kinds They are especially useful for feeding horses and also very desirable feed for dairy cows. The best yielding kind is the White Belgian. The Ox Heart or any of the half long kinds are good kinds to grow. Carrots are more hardy when young than beets and can be planted earlier. They can be left in the ground to be harvested as needed in winter without damage from freezing. But as they grow almost entirely in the ground and are much smaller they are more expensive to harvest.

The rutabaga is a very heavy yielder, growing to great size here. It is very hardy and is sometimes sown broadcast on new or sody land free from weeds. While not so valuable for feed as beets or carrots, it is by no means to be dispised and is greatly relished by cattle.

Any of these roots are best prepared for feeding by a root cutter which can be had of any implement dealer very cheaply. Either hand power or a small engine can be used. The roots should be dug in late fall and stored in frost-proof cellars or buried in the field in small pits. If stored in too large quantities and kept too warm they will heat and this spoils their feed-



DELEGATES ATTENDING THE OREGON CATTLE AND HORSE RAISERS' ASSOCIATION FEBRUARY 9

### Will Help the Farmers Help Themselves

A. E. Lovett, county agriculturist, will address a meeting of the farmers in the Johnson creek section next Thursday afternoon at 2:30. They are to meet in the Johnson creek schoolhouse.

The purpose of the gathering is to form a mutual co-operation league to discuss plans and compare experiences in growing grains, grasses and farm products generally in that neighborhood. The county agriculturist believes he can be of great assistance if the farmers will only turn out and make an honest effort to help themselves. This community mutual help idea has worked wonders in other places and there is no reason why the same benefits cannot be obtained here.

The county agriculturist announces that he will be at the Upper Rye Grass schoolhouse on the following day-Friday, March 5, at 2:30 p. m. A good turnout of farmers is expected.