FARMER'S CORNER

Helpful Articles regarding Agriculture, Horticulture, and Poultry and Stock Raising, Gathered from Far and Near.

We will gladly publish your favorite Method or Recipe for the benefi of our other readers.

McLOUGHLIN TRACT NAMED.

In memory of the father of the Spread more or less thinly over the grand old state of Oregon, the new months from June to October may be townsite which has sprung up on the found the vacation time of the Ameriwest side of the Willamete river here can people. is to be called McLoughlin. The pro- draw liberally or sparingly upon this any action that may be proposed in moters have been working for some allotment, the most of us—perhaps 80 this respect. They will not give up time on the plat and have now competed the surveying and have now completed the surveying and have now completed the surveying and laying out a few days, possibly a few weeks, out of the blocks and streets, and the same of the heart of summer for a little a hard fight, and in this the farmers will extend along the west bank of private recuperative tomp with our are already showing marked evidence. the river for nearly a mile toward portland, and will also run back on the nili for some distance. The location is unusually beautiful and commands a magnificent view of the sur- take it this summer he may survive; rounding country, with mountains always in view. It is expected the lots and acreage will be put onto the mar and acreage will be put onto the mar but, eventually, his work will of eventually and either abolished of eventually and either abolished of eventually and either abolished of eventual free delivery. ket at an early date. Numerous inquir- tell on him to the extent of packing of rural free delivery. ies have been made and reservations him off to some winter resort for six asked so that it appears that many weeks, on five hours' notice, right in residences will make their appearance the busy season, at the peremptory in that section in the next few months, demand of his physician. So that, The new electric line on the west side after all, his hard-headed resolution gram is being contemplated in the to Portland will skirt the tract and to take no vacation does not turn out near future, there have been open everything points to a very lively set- to be business economy. Vacation is for the purpose of rest,

no rest, comparatively speaking

without a change of scene and condi

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Upand down the Pacific Coast are great

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HARVEST TIME IN THE WEST.

Harvest is on all over the West as hese lines are being penned. The ness man, the most important change nually by putting rural from the field; smoke is a change of surroundings, which under the contract system. sues fragrantly from the chimneys of also includes a change of elevation, barrs where the hops are curing; and of the two, the latter is the more the hay mows are packed to bursting; important. If you have been living in is large as life, and a stream of fruit make your escape to the mountains. and berry pickers flows endlessly over The air in the mountains is different ever, that the months of summer are he is. not able to compass them. Timher, And now one other direction as to gress. for instance, is a crop which is har how to take this medicine: After you Mer vested up and down the Pacific Coast have your vacation planned, and have wealth each year. Since we are under the hecessity of callin it by some name we may as well call the salmon return at the end of, say, two weeks season a harvest. It runs for most of any little think that has considered that it public sentiment is aroused gagainst abolishing rural free delivery, efforts toward that direction may be postponed until the following year, or possibly longer. season a harvest. It runs for most of the year, resulting in millions of dollars of wealth. Likewise in the output of a score of our natural resources | weeks off under favorable conditions, the harvest runs on perennially. But easily minimize, or laugh into insig-it is the musical clickety-click of the nificance, or banish altogether. So be mower, the rattle of the self-binder, economical, and take a vacaton! learned to associate in our minds with the crop-gathering period. These constitute our real harvest time, and this is the kind of harvest in the midst of which we now are, here in the West.

would gainly be paid for a cure of many people who are crippled with rhematism, yet if they only knew it, they can be cared by a few bottles of Ba lard's Snow Liniment, and the

HOW THE WEST KEEPS GROWING price is on'y 25c, 50c and \$1 per bottle. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

A remarkable and unexpected showing is that made by the passenger de partment of the Northern Pacific Rail-road, to the effect that the passenger in the wooded regions of the West. business for the first six months of the present year exceeded perceptibly that for the first six months of 1909! The of restless people preparing land for movement into the West during the occupancy. Each year the hillsides to be dealt with at the polls. first part of last year was abnormally are a tangle of slashings, accumulated Those Congressional candidates who large, and much of the movement was during the past winter's work. In are disposed to treat the subject light-attributed to the Alaska Yukon-Fucific August this slashing is burned to by and who will not pledge support Exposition at Seattle.

The exposition served smoky skies, dim, pale-blue horizons, many people here, doubtless, but the movement is far from having spent its hemlock—a red sun by day, and by Those who came out for the night great, red lights looming against purpose of seeing the exposition found the sky. Sometimes these fires break so much else in this part of the world bounds and go racing for miles to make the trip attractive that they have been busy telling their friends about it ever since. There seems no reason to doubt that the Pacific Coast arisen at dawn with their fortunes in is to have an unusually large share of roaring conflagrations. tourist travel this year.

Aside from this, there is even a greater rush than usual of the homeseekers, of those who are coming to the West with the itention of remaining permanently, provided that they find things to suit them and openings for ocupation. There have been many thousands who have preceded them in this search, and, as a rule, they have found the conditions which they were looking for and have become part of the permanent population. All those who come properly equipped will do applying the property equipped will do The opportunities in this country are innumerable and they cover such a great variety of things that no one can fail to find what he seeks.

It is clear that the whole Pacific West is to receive a great accession to its population in 1910.

FISHING IN THE WEST.

All down the line, good, old reliable so phenomenally plentiful and prolific the Chamber of Commerce in Port-that the fishing industry which today land of any county in the State. Alcenters in Puget Sound has become a ready Clackamas has taken the lead staple, progressive asset of the Pacific by having the first exhibit upon the Coast, ranking with its lumber, its table. Mr. Wight, the processor, ahgrain, its petroleum, its precious met-als, its fruit—in all of which the West leads the world, leads the world! nounced one day this week that Clack-amas County will be the first to have the newly processed fruit in the

It is one of the strangest "mysteries large jars, on the table and ready for of the sea" that, practically without the inspection of the hundreds of planting, utterly without tilling, many visitors that daily view the exhibits. kind should have been harvesting un told "crops" of fish for food year after year since the first seine was cast. And that now, with all the centuries of the world's fishing behind us, here in the glorious waters of the United States' Pacific Coast, in its vast ocean, in all its bays and sounds and inlets, and up all its tributaries, from the mighty Columbia to the most insignificant regular that trickles its noisy Crawford peaches: Geo. W. Waldron. kind should have been harvesting unnificant rvulet that trickles its noisy Crawford peaches; Geo. W. Waldronway from the snow-capped mountains house apples are famous for taking down to the salty seas, should abound the silver cups at the Clackamas the most abundant hordes of the staple varieties of food fish that any part crab apples also.

The Clackamas County table needs ly recurring "crop" that Western fish-ermen (provided, of course, with the approved modern equipment) simply Also the table should have some by being on hand, are permitted to grains and grasses.

Leave your exhibits with the secing volume of Western products, to the value of thirty-five or forty million Club rooms, Masonic building, Oregon dollars a year, take the salmon, the halibut, the cod and the herring, the oysters, the crabs and the clams, etc. Summer Vacation etc., etc., not forgetting, of course, the shrimps and the whales, as all are fish and all of these and many, many more crowding to the "nets" of the

fishermen of the West. Fish are fish, but Western fish canned, cured, salted, packed-on the rocky shores of Alaska, upon the dully golden-sheeny banks of the majestic Columbia, on the placid, Shashta-risen Shoes for the price of one Sacramento, and along the fir-fringed edges of romantic Puget Sound-are staple delicacies of nutriment now de manded and found upon the tables of the peoples of earth.

FARMERS OF COUNTRY THOROUGHLY ROUSED

Plan to Abolish R. F, R. Gets Storm of Protest from All Parts of Country

The farmers of the country are thoroughly aroused over the proposed Congress and the Postoffice • Corrected to a series of the Department to place all of the routes of the rural free delivery service un der the contract system, or what is known as the star route mail service. Those enjoying the conveniences and acation time of the Ameri-Whether we are able to in their efforts to thwart, if possible,

Not only is R. F. D. News receiving many protests, but Senators and mempers of the House in practically every State are being importuned by farmers through word or letter to use their nfluence and power of vote to stop

While there has been no official announcement made as yet by the Postoffice Department or the postal committee of Congress that such a pro near future, there have been open statements made by leaders in both parties in Congress that the change is bound to come at a time not far off, for the sake of economy. It is and rest means a change. There can estimated that a saving of something over \$6,000,000 could be effected annually by putting rural free delivery

The plans are being secretly guarded by those who have them in prepara-FOR SALE—100 acres, 45 in cultiva tion, and no official announcement is the potato man is abroad in the land, the valley, close to sea level, then expected to be made public until after the coming Congressional elec tions this Fall. Probably no informa the country. It has been a goodly year for crops. Our people are pros-it is rarified; in the wooded districts the will be given cut on the subject until Congress reconvenes next Deperous and every one has reason to a great many reasons why "Major cember, and it will then come out in the happy. The volume and variety of Ozone" in the position of recombers and it will then come out in the West are so great, however, the position of the president's message of recombers the West are so great, however, and there are until Congress reconvenes next Dependency of the providence of the President's message of recombers the West are so great, however, and there are until Congress reconvenes next Dependency of the providence of the providence of the president's message of recombers and in the annual report. of the Postmaster General to Con-

Members of Congress who have dis cussed the subject are of the belief unceasingly, yielding more than one really gotten on the way, forget your hundred and fifty millions dollars of business. Tell it to go clear to the...

> could not afford to disregard an earnest appeal of the 20,000,000 or more people, who would be materially affected by any interference with the rural mail service

In the various Congressional campaigns now under way the proposed abolishment of rural free delivery is being made one of the principal is-Farmers are worked up to a high pitch of feeling in the matter, and candidates for Congress are bein compelled to give their faithful promise, if elected, that they will use their personal influence and vote to defeat any interference with the pres ent rural delivery service. They declare their intention to keep close watch on Congressmen as to their atbelts of timber; also a great number titude on this proposed legislation

clear the land for homes. Results— this campaign may look for a slump of votes in every rural voting precinct a pungent smell of burning fir and this Fall. The farmers are in earnest about this matter. They feel that their personal interests are in jeopardy, and will not rest quietly until the question is positively settled. Already in many sections of the country preparation is being made to petition Congress and President Taft next Winter. It is expected that these protests will far exceed in number any organized remon

strance ever sent to Washington. To keep your health sound; to avoid the ills of advancing years; to con-serve your physical forces for a ripe and healthful old age, guard your kid-ners by taking Foley's Kidney Rem-edy, Long Drug Co. Not a member of the House and Senate are telling their rural constituents that they have no knowledge of any plan on foot to substitute rural delivery with the contract system. Ignorance of the internal workings of Congress is indeed a poor ex cuse for any member in either the It has been some time since we have House or Senate to plead. Men who heard directly from the oil excite-ment, however, the officials, of the lead in national affairs are always posted on legislation under considera tion or what is expected to be proenthusiastic over the prospects, they are now down about five or six hunposed from time to time, and are ever alert to the interest their people may have directly or indirectly.

The Congressional Record gives evidence of the fact that the question where from 800 to a 1000 reet, the well is located on Mr. Vierhus farm, of abolishing rural free delivery about six miles East of Oregon City, placing that service under the contract system for economy sake was in the House during consideration of the annual appropria-tion bill last Spring. Furthermore, the subject received some considera Prosperity is with the West. Even It is very probable that Clackamas the fishes of the Western waters are County will have the best exhibit in offices and Postroads when it was preparing the bill. On the other hand, the subject has been one of conversation among officials and employes in the Postoffice Department. They make no secret of the fact that the Postmaster General is making a thorough investigation in the workings of rura delivery and the star route mail ser vice, with a view to consolidating the two services into one.

On July 1, last, by order of the Postmaster General, the star route division, which has always been un-While it is claimed the consolidation was effected in the interest of economy, it is at the same time admitted economy by placing rural free delivery under the contract system in the

At the present time there are nearly 42,000 rural delivery routes now in operation throughout the States and territories. The number of star routes now under contract are in the neighborhood of 7,900.

During the past year or two the Postoffice Department has strongly evidenced its hostility toward an exension of the rural delivery service. During the fiscal year ending June 0, 1909, there was a "saving" of \$225,-00 by the Department in the rural delivery appropriation. It was shown in the Postmaster General's report nade to Congress last Winter that his amount had been unexpended for service and was turned back into

the Treasury. When the House was discussing the appropriation making provision for rural delivery last Spring members

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almost p IN THE SALE compounded.

Farm Wanted.

The undersigned wants to rent a m of not less than 40 acres in cultivation, and not more than 8 or 10 piles from market. Will rent on Address, M. R. RIGDEN, Milwaukie, Clackamas Co., Oregon. H D 1, Box 63 A

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erences. Rent on shares, Address no chances.

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tion, 80 rods from Oregon City limits, good building and water. For particulars, address Chas, Horning, Oregon City Rt. N. 8

FOR SALE-21/2 acre tract under high state of cultivation with n twenty-minute walk of Court House 14 acre in strawberries put out this spring Four room bungalow, fine well of water, an exceptionally fine place for raising chickens, twenty young fruit trees. For particulars call on or address Swafford and Freytag, Oregon City Oregon.

SALE-Two young Jersey cows; one soon fresh; the other next January, Price \$45 each. Chas. Horning, Oregon City, Rtoute 3.

HOMESEEKERS SHOULD INVES TIGATE—40 acres, 15 in crop, fine timber, 5 cows, some are just fresh, 4 young stock New wagon and harness. 2 rood horses Cream separator, Family creeard, Good well All kinds of farm implements. Good creeked, Blacksmith ments, Good orchard, Blacksmith shop with all kinds of tools, A new large house (worth \$1500), near school and church, on good road; cream route. All for only \$4600; good terms. Address Courier, Ore-

WANTED-Position as stenographe and typewriter, by experienced young lady. Call or write "stenocare of Oregon City

LOST-A gold beaded necklace, in the Baptist church last Sunday. Address Paul Ellings, or return to Courier. Reward if returned.

If you are considering the purchase of any manufactured aticle, see me about it first. It is my business to put you in touch with first class and reliable manufacturers who wish to deal directly with the consumer or user, H. Y. MILLER, 216 Seventh Street, Oregon City, Oregon.

WANTED-100 cords four-foot wood at the Masonic Temple, Oregon City, Inquire of Wm. Beard, Ore-gon City,

BUY FROM OWNER-Who must sell, 33 acres, located in a good section; 10 acres in cultivation; balance in good timber; good house, barn, 2 hen houses, 75 fruit trees, good spring and running water; all fenced. Price, \$2,000. Address Courier office.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A Liquor License. Notice is hereby given that I will, at the next regular meeting of the city council, apply for a license to sell liquor, at my place of bus ness, Weinhard Heer Hall, for a period of three months. A. MATHEIS.

Voters must register before September 15th or they will not be able to vote at the primaries-Do not delay. In former years you could " swear your vote in ", but such is not the case at the primaries. If you are not registered - - you can not vote.

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Eggs-26c. Asparagus-5c Ib. Rhubarb-2c lb. Green Onious-40c doz. bunches. New potatoes-1c a lb.

Cured meats-best country bacon, Hams-country, 19c to 20c. Lettuce-box 4 doz, \$1.20. Honey-15c lb.

Garlie-8c lb. Cabbage-40e doz Lard 20c 15 Retall Market. Steaks-best round, 15c lb; shoul-

der 12½c; sirloin, 15c; porter house 15c to 17c; loins, 15c. Pork chops-16c to 20c Mutton chops—12 c to 15c. Veal steaks—15c to 18c. Sausages-wenies 15c; pork 15c; iverwurst 10c; blood 12½; hamburg-

r 121/2; headcheese 10c per lb. Shoulder-16c; fresh side pork 18c

Pickled pig's feet-12c lb. Ham gausage—15c lb Halibut-12%c. Beef, boil—8@10c. Mutton—9@15c. Pork—15@17c. Veal—12%@17c. Sausage-15c. Hamburger steak-121/2c. Poultry-Old hens, 14c to 20c; oosters, 1214c; ducks, 13c. Dried fish-Salmon, fancy 20c lb. Pickled Salmon-10@12%c lb. Herring-Sc 1b. Salmon-121/2c.

Black Cod-12%c. Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. Wholesale buying prices. Oregon City Commission Co. Grain—Wheat, 80c bu.; oats \$24 per ton; barley \$28 per ton; vetch sion stuff, \$11 per M. seed 4c lb; clover seed, prime red, Green beaus 5c no

12c; alsike, fancy, 10c. cheat \$15.00; timothy \$18.00; grain hay \$18.00; alfalfa, selling at \$22 per Straw-fancy bright, \$5.00.

Sacks-burlap, new 71/2c; seconds, 6½c. Twine—best, 15c skein, Mill feed—Bran \$27.00 per ton;

shorts, country, \$30.00; city, \$28.00;

middlings, \$25.00; rolled barley \$33.00. Vegetable Oysters-40c doz. bunch- chop. \$25@30; alfalfa meal, \$25.00; cracked corn. \$38.50.

Grass seed-Timothy 6@7c lb, Kentucky bluegrass 20c; orchard 17@18c; red clover 15c; alsike, 16c; English Rye grass, 10c; alfalfa seed, 20c.

Flour-best valley, \$5.55 bbl; hard wheat, \$6.00 bbl; best graham, \$7.00 Seeley's Best Hard Wheat, \$6.10 bbl. Vegetables and Fruits. Fresh Fruits—Buying.

Apples-fancy packed \$1.25 Nom Prunes—Italian: Best dried 50 to 60 count, at 2½@3c; Petite, 2@2½c.

Onions-\$2.00 per cwt. Beans-little white,5c to 6c; brown,

Sack vegetables, carrots, turnips, Potatoes-best fancy, 40c per cwt;

ordinary, 35c. Cascara bark, best dried 3c to 4c; slightly off color, 2c to 3c. Oregon Grape root, 2@3c lb.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc. Hides—green cow, 6c to 7c; steer, 7c; calf, 13c; salt 1c more; best dry 15c to 16c.

Hops, 1908 crop, prime, 12c, 1909, 14c to 16c, Wool—20c to 21c. Mohair—24@26c.

Stock, Live Weight,
Best steers, \$4 to 4.50; fair to good, \$5.00 to \$5.50; strictly good cows, \$3.50 to \$4; fair to good, \$3.25 to \$4.00; calves, light, \$5.50 to \$6.00; heavy, \$4.00 to \$5.00; spayed heifers, \$4 to \$4.25; bulls, \$3.00 to \$3.50; best wethers, \$4.00 to \$4.50; fair to good, \$5.00 to \$5.50; best lambs, \$5.00 to \$5.50, top hogs, \$10.25; fair to god, \$9.00 to \$9.50. Ewes, \$3.50 to \$4.00.

Fuel, Oils, Lumber, Etc. Coal—Best Mendota sacked, \$8.00 per ton. Richmond, \$14.00. Wood—Ist growth fir, \$4.00 cord; 2d growth, \$3.75 cord; hard, mixed, \$5.00; stove-wood, \$2.00 load.

Kerosene-pure, 30c gal.; common 20c.; 5 gal., 85c. Lumber A1 grade, rough, \$20 per M. Second, \$15; common \$11. Flooring, \$28; Celling, \$22, Rustic, \$28; Dimin-

Green beans-5c per lb. Green peas-21/2c per lb. Carrots-40c doz. bunches. Turnips-40c doz. bunches. Cucumbers-25c doz. Summer squash-30c to 50c per doz. Green apples-2c 1b. Royal Ann cherries—7c lb. Black Republicans—4c lb. Pie cherries—6c lb. Logan berries—\$1,00 crate. Red raspberries-\$1.20 crate.

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