TIME ARRIVES TO

TIDY FLOWER BEDS

Floral Society President Gives

Pointers on Care

of Plants.

As this is the passing of an un-

usually severe winter and outdoor

plants have suffered somewhat from

the cold and ice which broke many

of them down, there has been a great deal of inquir; regarding what dam-age has resulted and what means

The Portland Floral society de-

cided at its last meeting that for the

public benefit it would give some

brief items of advice, and the follow-

ing has been issued by S. W. Walker,

is bringing to the mind of many

home owners the necessity for giving immediate attention to their

gardens and lawns and naturally they wish to do this in the most ef-

Roses Little Hurt. "Recent examinations show that

cxtent, and only those which were

broken by the ice have been seriously hurt. The damage to shade trees and ornamentals has been considerable and they will require careful

pruning to shape them up again to the best advantage. We would advise that the services of a competent

landscape gardener be engaged for this work as a poor job will result

"The ice storm in some ways

"It is also a good time to divide

and reset perennials which have the

habit of forming clumps and it is a good time to renew anything in the

line of perennials which have run

The present spell of fine weather

will best remedy it.

president of the society.

fective way

in lasting damage.

# POWERS, NEW TOWN, HAS RAPID GROWTH

Railroad Into Coos Bay Country Opens Up Excellent Dairying District.

500 EMPLOYED IN WOODS

Extension of Logging Road Under Way and Wonderful Future for Rich Territory Is Predicted by Addison Bennett.

BY ADDISON BENNETT. POWERS, Coos County, Oregon, Feb.

FOWERS, Coos County, Oregon. Feb. 24.—Here we are in a brand new town, which is a hum-dinger of a place, considering that it is not yet on the published maps of Oregon.

But before telling about Powers let me tell who "we" are and how we got here. My last letter left us at Marshfield, and there we lost two of the party, Messrs. Delaney and Hindmarsh. So the party now consists of Messrs. Scott. Ormandy and Miller, of the Southern Pacific Company, and the writer. We left Marshfield this morning over the line belonging to the Southern Pacific Company, which runs south about 26 miles to Myrtle Point, but operates from that place to Powers. but operates from that place to Powers, a distance of about 20 miles, over a road built and belonging to the Smith-Powers Logging Company, which is a sister corporation to the C. A. Smith mill at Marshfield.

mill at Marshfield.

At Myrtle Point we were joined by A. H. Powers, the manager of the logging company. He is the man responsible for the railroad, and to say that he built a good road would be a mild statement, for it is an A1 road in every respect—heavy steel, well bailasted, all white codar ties and a grade in no place exceeding one-half of 1 in no place exceeding one-half of per cent and no sharp curves.

Country Is Admired.

Leaving Myrtle Point we passed through one of the finest farming sections in Oregon, which is mostly de-voted to dairying. At the first station, Broadbent, five miles south of Myrtle Point, we found a new cheese factory in successful operation. On every hand were cows and hogs, and many men and teams at work in the fields plowing. Surely, it was one idyllic picture after another, showing prosperity a

The road follows the south fork of the Coquille River, which runs down into Curry County, and Powers is only six miles north of the county line. Arriving here we were taken in charge by Mr. Powers, who explained that about 20 miles of logging roads now diverge from this point, and men are constantly at work on new construction. Within a year or two the 28 miles will mount up to perhaps 100

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Bank in Operation.

To go a step further I will give the names of the business houses. It is guite a long list, but I think the seeker for information will be pleased to read it: The Powers Bank, J. D. Goss, president; E. J. Loney, cashier; the Hub. H. Brown. postmaster: water office. Clothing and Shoe Store; postoffice, G. electric light office; W. K. Wiseman, furniture and hardware; Clark & Spelling, general store; Ed Liddell, butcher shop; Samuel Lonely, haker; Lockhart & Parsons, drugs; G. W. Craig, hotel; Robert Wyatt, hotel and restaurant; L. C. Cochran, poolhall, barber shop and rooming-house; B. F. Mattes, pool-hall; Pioneer Theater, movies; Baptist Church, G. Lercy Hall, pastor; F. W. Bertram, Jeweler; Clance Moon, now erecting building for jewelry store; D. H. Savage, plumber; C. M. Maupin, shoes; J. D. Culver, stationery, confectionery, news stand and agent of The Oregonian; Frank Strouther, shoe-maker—and please excuse any missed.

### MANY KINDS OF RHEU-MATISM, ONE SURE MODE OF TREATMENT

Whether your trouble is Sciatica, Lumbago or the dreaded Articular Rheumatism, the answer is the same. Tou must treat it through the blood.
That is the only way to rid the system of uric acid, purify the blood and revitalize the nerves. If the blood is freed from impurities Rheumatism must go. This, in short, is the knowledge of the the blood to the the blood to the the blood of the Seculibing. The child came running gained by the laboratories of the S. S. S. Co. These tests have been made for fifty years. They know what Rheumatism is. They know that S. S. S., the remarkable blood tonic, which they originated, will relieve you of Rheuma-tism. The recovery of thousands of sufferers by the use of S. S. S. is proof that you can be relieved. S. S. S. is a blood tonic—a puriffer that restores the

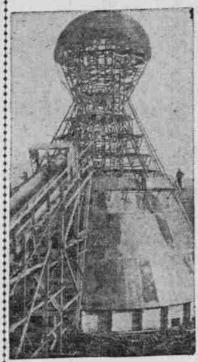
ment and does not need one, has a fine water supply of purest mountain water, a good electric light service generated by a plant in town; many blocks of plank sidewalk, heavy plank curbs and several blocks of paved streets. The town is well up in the fastness of the mountains, on the banks of the south fork of the Coquille, with mountains around it from 800 to 3500 feet high, and in the heart of one of the greatest timber belts in Oregon, 35 per cent of which is Port Orford cedar. Don't forget that—35 per cent of the logs now going out are cut into lumber, some of which is worth \$100 for each 1000 feet.

WIVES AT PARTY VICTIMS

some of Paving Material Plentiful. Paving Material Plentiful.

I did not count the buildings, for that would be quite a job and take a long time. But there are about 40 large structures, and all in good construction. As to "paved streets," it can safely be said that Powers occupies a unique position. There are millions of tons of cement gravel in the south fork. When placed on a street this

REFUSE BURNER IS COM-PLETED AT BOOTH-KELLY MILL AT SPRINGFIELD.



"Tower of Babel" Type of Con-struction Is Used.

SPRINGFIELD, Or., Feb. 28 .-SPRINGFIELD, Or., Feb. 25.—

(Special.)—A refuse burner of a new type was completed and put into use by the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company here this week, replacing a burner of the brick-lined type, which, after causing much trouble because of the lines felling out was abandoned

much trouble because of the in-ing falling out, was abandoned last December.

The new burner is of lighter iron and depends on the cold air coming in all around the base of the cone in keeping the metal cool. This burner is 75 feet in diameter and 85 feet to the top of the spark arrester, while the old burner was 25 feet in diameter and 110 feet high.

onery, news stand and agent of The With the exception of the Sudden & With the exception of the Sudden & Christensen mill, which has been in continuous operation, litigation of one form or another has kept the local mills tied up since the Summer of 1917. Moore Company has been lying idle under an injunction obtained by the Coach estate, whose timber they were logging, and the lower river properties of the Johnson Company have been under the trusteeship of Robert Dollar.

With Daughter at Aberdeen.

Mother Starts to Scrub Floor.

EUGENE, Or., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—
As the result of being scalded with hot water containing concentrated lye, Ethel Ream, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ream, died last night.

Saturday Mrs. Ream had placed a bucket containing the lye solution upon the kitchen floor, preparatory to

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Saturday Mrs. Ream had placed a bucket containing the lye solution upon the kitchen floor, preparatory to scrubbing. The child came running from another room and tripped over the bucket, which was overturned as she fell, its contents passing over her body.

Shingle Mill Purchased.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 28 .- (Special.)—Ed Rogers, who formerly op-erated a saloon in Tenino, and August Dahlin, millwright for the Capital blood, and makes it pure as it was before it became poisoned with impurities. S. S. S. gives it strength to drive
out these impurities—and with them
the Rheumatism. Get S. S. S. at your
druggist's. If you need special advice,
write Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

WIVES AT PARTY VICTIMS

Seattle Women Have Quiet Hous Affair, All Dolled Up in Male Relatives' Attire-Big Patrolman Chases Them Home.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 25.—(Special.)
—Patrolman C. V. Harvey is in bad to-day, as the result of the discovery of a raid he made Saturday night on a Capitol Hill home.

itel Hill home.

A certain Seattle woman, whose husband is in the South on a business trip, arranged the party for her girl friends, and they came with the understanding that the lesser halves of their households should be conspicuous by their absence. Furthermore they were told, very quietly, to wear "brother or hubby's other suit," or his glad evening raiment.

And they did.

It was such a successful party that it would not have broken up until after midnight. But there was Harvey.

after midnight. But there was Harvey. Along about 10:20 o'clock or thereabouts, when the marshmallows were almost done to a turn and the giggles were growing in volume, a knock was heard at the front door.

"Who is there?" screamed a brighteyed little matron, who wore Uncle Jimmy's tuxedo with an individuality.

"Wee! let's hide," came from a dozen others, and there was a scurrying to cover as the hostess slipped a dressing gown over her masculine attire and in trembling approached the door.

"What's all this disturbance?" rumbled the deep voice of the helmeted Harvey, as he strode into the parlor.

"You folks are disturbing all the neighbors and this rumpus must stop. I hate to do this, but if this gang don't clear out inside of five minutes I'll call the wagon."

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And Harvey clumped down the steps and was gone. Less than five minutes later the guests, with startled faces and indignant looks, were moving homewards in taxis and private autos.

Something was said about Patrolman C. V. Harvey being the most unpopular man in town. This is wrong, for the disgruntled husbands "framed" the raid, and when the women learn the facts Harvey won't be raised in favor to any great extent, but his bid for unpopularity will be shared by a score of staid business men. staid business men.
For the official list see Lieutenant
Hans Damm, central precinct station.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS OFFICER DISCUSSES PREPAREDNESS.

SCALDING LYE KILLS CHILD

Little One Trips Over Bucket as

W. A. Stitt, city passenger agent for the Denver & Rio Grande, is back from a visit to Aberdeen, Wash., a much prouder, richer and happier man.

Mrs. Stitt preceded him to Aberdeen

Road Near Centralia Repaired. CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—The road leading up the Lincoln Creek Valley from Centralia, one of the most important leading into the city, is being improved by the Lewis County Commissioners. One layer of coarse gravel is being laid with a sufacing of finer material. Three miles have been completed beyond Lincoln and it is expected another will be constructed this Summer. CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 28 .- (Spe-

New discoveries of petroleum have been made in Argentina.

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Mutual Creamery Company Portland, Oregon

Agriculture and Trades Will Be Taught Near Gresham.

MONEY IS PUT UP HERE

Albert Cleveland Place of 65 Acres Is Leased-Plan Does Not Contemplate Charity-20 Youths Can Be Entered Now.

The Albert Cleveland farm, located ear Gresham, has been leased by a corporation of prominent Portland men, and the 65 acres comprising the farm and will be used as an experiment station for normal boys, where they will be admitted and given ample op-

will be admitted and given ample op-portunity to learn all the details of modern agriculture.

The first steps for initiating the Junior Agricultural College and Trades School were taken by H. E. Fairchild, one of the founders of the Pisgah Home, Mr. Fairchild interested R. M. Burlay a local attorney C. A. Wood-

oot of the economic evil is what should be sought for and destroyed." Mr. Burley declares that the reason there are so many men incompetent is due to the lack of proper fundamental training, and if there is any possibility to substitute some modern training that will take the place of the old apprenticeship, that institution is worth while.

Ween W. Patton and Patton ell and the recently-organized Young Men's Club whereby the former will erect a building on Pearl street, back of the postoffice, to be used as a club room by the latter.

The plans for the new structure call the plans for the new structure the plans for the new structure. ticeship, that institution is worth while.

of the agricultural school is yet a matter of conjecture. Officers of the corporation have a number of men in view, but no definite selection will be made for a few days.

The plan that the officers have in mind is the ultimate extension of the school to include all the trades. Equipment and buildings will be added to those already on the grounds as rapidly as is possible. There will be a regular discipline exercised by the head of the school, who will at once assume charge of the instruction and discipline of his charges.

It is also the hope of the men who have the active management of the school to incorporate methods of self-government, and in that respect the institution will resemble the George Junior Republic, of New York, that has become of National note. It will also be similar to the Thompson Island

also be similar to the Thompson Island Farm and Trade School, located near

Courses beside agriculture and animal husbandry that will be included as soon as possible will be black-smithing, forestry, public hygiene, en-

NEWBERG TRYING TO HAVE IDLE PLANT PUT IN OPERATION.

Yard Started by Jesse Edwards 25 Years Ago Now Controlled by J. W. Bates Needs Machinery,

CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Negotiations are in progress between W. R. Patton and Edward New-

29 Vacancies Exist.

Boys who will be placed on the farm will be taken from the Juvenile Court.

Provision for at least 20 such boys can be made at the present time.

Just who will assume active charge

Experts

Read

### proved a henefit as the rain partly took out the frost. "Now is an excellent time to prune rose bushes before they have started their new growth. This pruning should be carefully and intelligently done in order to cause the bushes to grow shapely and not exhaust themselves in too much wood and foliage.

out or been killed Soil Should Be Starred. "Of course there are some soils which are too heavy to be handled

yet and a little time must be given them to dry out. We would advise the use of ashes or lime to make the soil more friable which will be found better materials for the purpose than sand, as they add somewhat to the fertility.

"Rose planting should not be de layed much longer for the sooner the bushes are in the ground the better. There are many varities of roses which are fast replacing some of the older sorts since they have been found to be of superior quality. would advise that you consult your nurserymen or florist in regard to

Now Is Time to Get Bushes.

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spring "The old-fashioned flowers are coming into use again and you will find many well known varieties in stock. Don't overlook the trailing varieties such as phlox Subulata, Arabis Alpinus, English primroses and daisies, for they are as useful and decorative as they were a gen-

eration ago. "The city beautiful idea is fast gaining ground and each one should make an effort to do his part in making the Rose City more beautiful. With a united effort this can be accomplished in such a degree that Portland will become as famous for its general floral decorations as it now is for its roses.

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