

Farm & Garden.

One firm in Holland sends each week to English markets from seventy to ninety tons of artificial butter.

The present annual yield of flaxseed in the United States is estimated at 2,600,000 bushels, and of the flax 38,000,000 pounds.

English feeders often add ten pounds of linseed oil cake per day to the usual rations of meal, roots and hay, in finishing off well grown bullocks.

It is said that an acre of grass will make 200 pounds of beef; while an acre of corn, that requires continuous labor, at double the cost, will do but little more.

Prof. C. V. Riley expresses the opinion that the Rocky Mountain locust will become less and less an evil in the valley of the Red River, in proportion as the country is settled.

Pigs like a warm, dry bed and change of food. When in confinement and fed largely upon meal a few small lumps of coal cinders or charcoal, are eagerly crunched and aid the work of the stomach.

H. J. Chamberlain of Williams County, Texas, had an exhibition at the Atlantic Fair, a very fine Merino buck fleece that weighed 41 1/2 pounds. There is a possibility that the fleece represented two years' growth.

With the soil in good order, old pastures are preferable to those more nutritious grasses, which will produce richer milk, better-flavored butter and cheese, as well as much fatter stock.

The successful farmer will keep every animal in a growing condition, even if he has to buy the necessary food. The poor farmer will permit his animals to struggle through the winter on as little food as possible, and come out "Spring poor."

Mr. Hoover of Ohio reports having found tilage a substitute for irrigation in his farm experiments. In a very dry season, several years ago, he kept the cultivator constantly running until August, and raised 562 bushels of raspberries on four acres of land.

Experimenting with mongrel fowls in these days is very unsatisfactory business at best. When there is such an abundance of prime stock to commence with it is just as cheap to breed and feed the best kind of poultry at the outset as it is to keep poor trash.

Cabbages are cheap and plenty in Germany, whence many thousand heads are now being imported into New York city. Owing to the cost of transportation, the import duty and the profits of the dealers there, foreign cabbages are selling at \$20 to \$25 per hundred.

Farmers should remember that weas are among the most voracious eaters of insects of any of our birds. It has been claimed that a single pair would carry off to their young about a thousand insects per day, the greatest part of which were injurious to vegetation.

The irrigation of large tracts of land in some of the southern counties of California has produced material disease to such an alarming extent as to present a serious problem in connection with the further settlement of that region. It is settled fact that no system of irrigation is complete without a comprehensive plan of drainage.

Mr. Watts of South Carolina reports having a female Angora goat that throughout the season gives 4 quarts of milk daily, and of a quality equal in richness with that of any Jersey cow on his farm. He also says an Angora goat will thrive where a cow will starve, and six goats will subsist well in a pasture which would only afford sufficient nourishment for one cow.

A fine pair of oxen sent recently from the Winship Hill Farm, Westminister, Mass., weighed, when dressed, 2373 pounds. The two animals differed in weight but twenty-six pounds. They were purchased last May, and, while doing all the work on the farm, gained over 600 pounds in seven months. Last year Mr. Handel Winship sold a pair of oxen which weighed alive upwards of four thousand two hundred pounds.

Economy in the dairy is of special importance, because the price at which dairy products can be afforded materially affects the amount of consumption. In order to carry on a dairy farm with the greatest economy and the best results, it must carry good natural grass land. A first-class pasture and a moderate area well adapted to soiling, with an abundance of good, clean water, will help to cheapen the cost, and raise the quality of the production.

The influence of the mechanical operations of agriculture upon the fertility of the soil, however imperfectly the earthy particles may be mixed in the process, is remarkable, and of ten marvellous. Observing farmers everywhere sustain this theory. One farmer who took some land that was badly out of condition and full of weeds, followed every acre, taking care to allow time between each plowing for the germination of the weed seeds. The result was, he grew a crop of wheat averaging 44 bushels to the acre. His other crops upon this farm were in like proportion.

King of the Blood is not a "cure-all," but in all disorders attributable to impurity of blood and its defective circulation, nothing equals its effect. See advertisement.

TEMPERANCE DEPARTMENT.

Women's Christian Temperance Union

HORACE GREENE, once said: "Show me a man who can be safely trusted to sell alcoholic drinks in any community and I will show you a white blackbird."

The Kansas papers have a funny look now. An election for county officers is close at hand and the papers are filled with arguments and certificates to prove that the candidates who are anxious for success were strong friends and champions of the prohibitory amendment. It is the temperance fellow whose vote is sought after there.

An Eastern paper says practical business men are quick to see the advantages and disadvantages connected with an enterprise. The Pullman Car Company is becoming owner and builder of a village near Chicago for its large number of workmen, has made it the law that no liquor shop shall ever be opened in the place. They know that man cannot do good work and drink bad whiskey.

We live in one of the prettiest cities in the State of Oregon. It has every facility for growth and advancement and is blessed with a class of citizens far above mediocrity; yet its principal streets are lined with saloons and the foul monster Drunkenness is rampant everywhere. Hoodlums, the stepping stone to crime and dissipation, faces us on all sides, telling too plainly that there is work to do for women, as men are evidently becoming too engrossed in business to think of assisting in preventing drunkenness and raising those who are fallen. Let us put our hands to the plow, and if we cannot make laws, we can at least see that those we have are enforced.

"To thine own self be true and it must follow as the day unto the night that thou canst be false to no man." Nothing truer was ever said by Shakespeare. Can the man who squanders his money on strong drink be true to himself? No. Nor can he be true to anyone else. The very nature of his dissipation precludes the possibility of faithfulness to anybody. Diluted senses beget blunted consciences, and then how can it be expected that the man whose nature has become corrupted, is to be relied upon. It cannot. As you would not trust the drunken engineer with the throttle valve, so you would not trust the merchant with the yard stick or the druggist with the mortar. If men would seek the confidence of those around them they should live a strict life of sobriety and thus be true to themselves and the world around them.

THE SAFE KIND OF WINE.

An amusing incident was related by Dr. Carroll, of Newburg, in the course of a temperance lecture recently. He said that Mr. J. B. Gough went to Oxford, England, to lecture on temperance, and the college undergraduates sent one of their number to the platform to argue the question. He, with much self-confidence, made a finished argument for liquor drinking, based on Christ's changing the water into wine at the wedding feast. His comrades cheered him to the echo, and thought his arguments unanswerable, and Gough was twitted for his defeat. "Young men," said he, "I admit that your champion has forestalled me. He has said for me just what I came here to charge you to do. Drink all the wine you can find that is made entirely out of water!"

WHAT A LICENSE MEANS.

Look now at the ordination of a candidate for the ministry of rum. He stands before the city fathers. He is called to seal rum: he sees the evidence within him. A congenial brother of the same communion recommends him to the extent of a thousand dollars. He is looked over. He will do. He pays his money; for the ministry can be bought. He puts his hand upon that devil's document, a rumseller's license, and he goes out regularly set apart by the ordination which means this:

"Take thou authority to tempt men."

"Take thou authority to change them into beasts."

"Take thou authority to stain the streets with their blood."

"Take thou authority to desolate homes, to break hearts, to ruin souls."

"Take thou authority to mark your way through the world with all wickedness and when you stand before the Eternal Judge—just show him this license."—New Era.

Final Settlement.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Archibald M. Jones deceased has filed his final account for final settlement in the matter of said estate, in the County Court for Linn county Oregon, and on Saturday the 11th day of March A. D. 1882 at the hour of 10 o'clock in forenoon of said day has been set by said court for the hearing of objections to said account and for the final settlement of said estate.

R. A. IRVINE, Administrator.

Strahan and Blyen, attys.

Church Directory.

Y. P. C. A.—Meets at their rooms in Foster's brick building on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 o'clock, and on Sabbath afternoons at 4. Business meetings are held on the evening of the second Monday in each month. Everybody invited to attend.

U. P. CHURCH.—Preaching every Sabbath, at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M., by Rev. F. G. Irvine, D. D., Sabbath School at 2:30 P. M. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.—Preaching on Sabbath at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath School 12:15. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—Services every Sabbath at St. Paul's M. E. Church, South, at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 12:15 P. M. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

M. E. CHURCH.—Preaching every Sabbath at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Song service in the evening before sermon. Sabbath School at 12:15 P. M. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Services every Sunday morning at 11 A. M., evening at 7 1/2 P. M. Holy Communion every Sunday morning at 9:45 A. M. Wednesday 7:30 P. M. Robt. L. Stevens, pastor.

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280 acres on Narrow Gauge road, 11 miles from Albany at 5 miles from Seba, and 7 1/2 miles from Jefferson. 125 acres good farming land, 75 acres in cultivation; remainder in timber and brush; house 18x24, 2 1/2 stories high, 6 feet wide, all 16x25; good barn 22x34 with 14 foot shed on one side; good fences and water. Terms \$3000 cash down or \$2000 down, and balance on 2 to 3 years time, secured by mortgage.

190 acres 3/4 of a mile west of Albany; 100 acres in cultivation and 90 acres oak and ash timber, good wood land; all under fence, board and rail, some good and 1/2 mile and 7 acres in orchard, apples, mostly pears; good soil; 20 bushels wheat per acre on average; good two story frame house, plastered, 6 rooms, built in 1878, and cost \$2,000; good barn, 28x40 and two sheds; well arranged for farm purposes. Terms, \$5000, 2 years time on \$6000.

150 acres 1 1/2 miles west of Tangent, 100 acres in cultivation; all new land, clean and in good order; good two story house, 8 rooms, nearly new and in good condition; good barn 20x30; fine young orchard, 100 plum and plum trees, fair apple orchard; fences in good order; plenty of water; good timber; good soil; very rich, black soil and very productive. Price \$2500, 25 cash and balance on time.

100 acres and a half mile northeast of Albany; 15 acres in wheat, rest in fair pasture, mostly good timber, mostly fenced. Price \$1500, terms easy.

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Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of W. H. McKnight, dec'd., has filed his final account as such administrator, in the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, and by order of said court, Saturday the 11th day of February, 1882, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, has been set for the hearing of objections to said account and the settlement thereof. Any person interested in said estate is hereby notified to appear and file his or her objections to said final account, on or before said day.

W. H. MCKNIGHT, Jr., Administrator.

Final Settlement.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Geo. B. Pollard, deceased, has filed his final account for settlement of said estate in the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, and said court has appointed Tuesday, the 7th day of March, 1882, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the hearing of objections to said account and the settlement thereof.

W. M. KINDER, Administrator.

Notice of Appointment of Executors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have this day been appointed executors of the last will and testament of I. M. Cooper, deceased, by the County Court in and for the County of Linn, State of Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate will present them properly verified to one of the executors within six months of this date.

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