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Deputy Assessors Appointed

Assessor LaFollette has as signed his deputies as follows: Allen Willcoxon will have the west central district, which includes Redmond, Bend, Powell Buttes, etc. H. Earl Cross will have the south eastern part of the county. W. R. Cook the north-western portion. This will include Madras. R. S. Goff will have Kutcher and contiguous territory. Poe LaFollette will have the McKay; H. E. Reynolds the Paulina country, and W. D. Moffit the northeastern part of the county.—Prineville Review.

Before you kick the other fellow for not bringing home the borrowed mail go down to the barn and see if his borrowed ax stands behind the door.—Farm Journal.

### ONE CROP FOLLY.

The evils of one crop agriculture are not to be measured in the immediate present, but in our declining years or when we turn over a wornout farm to our children. The vast cotton fields of the south and the wheat fields of the north and west bear mute but emphatic witness of the suicidal policy of adhering to but one crop.—Kansas Farmer.

### Grade Seed Grain Early.

Do not wait until spring to clean and grade your seed grain. Do it now, while you have plenty of grain at hand from which to select. The best twenty-five bushels of grain out of a hundred bushels are worth much more for seed than is the grain that can be cleaned from a much smaller amount in the spring. The cost of thus cleaning and grading the grain is very slight, and it enables one to have heavy, plump seed grain at very little outlay.—Exchange.

### Fertilizer For Dahlias.

Any good commercial fertilizer rich in ammonia and phosphoric acid and liberally supplied with potash will suit dahlias, but the best results are obtained by using it in connection with manure. Prepare the ground as you would for corn. When the plants are flowering freely a handful of top dressing to each plant and four parts bone-meal to one part nitrate of soda will be very helpful.—Rural New Yorker.

## HILL TO REMAIN AS PRESIDENT OF ROAD

Will Push Development Work on Recently Acquired Oregon Land

"It is the intention of L. W. Hill to give personal attention to the development of Oregon through the Oregon & Western Colonization Company, of which he secured control recently," said Carl R. Gray, president of the North Bank and the Hill lines in Oregon, upon his return yesterday from a ten days' stay at St. Paul and Chicago, where he conferred with heads of the various Hill roads. "Although Mr. Hill probably will be more active than ever in bringing settlers to the state, now that he has a controlling interest in 800,000 acres of undeveloped land," said Mr. Gray. "I know positively that he has no intention of resigning the presidency of the Great Northern very soon. So long as he remains in that position it would be somewhat inconvenient for me to succeed him, however much my newspaper friends may insist that I am slated for that office."

"More than three months ago Mr. Gray promised his friends in St. Paul that whenever he gets ready to leave the Great Northern he will give them at least six months' notice in advance. That notice is still forthcoming. Outside of the newspaper columns I have never been advised that I am expected to succeed Mr. Hill."

And Mr. Gray added further that he was glad that no change was expected, in as much as he was deeply interested in the development work going on in this state at present.

### Convenient Grain Box.

Take a dry goods box, about fifteen inches deep, eighteen inches wide and two and a half feet long. Saw a rectangular hole in one end large enough to receive the grain and hinge a cover, A, over it. Next saw a hole about three feet by four inches in the front, B, making the bottom cut slightly rounded. Cut a piece of tin about three and one-half inches wide for a chute, C, curve it to fit the cut at the bottom of B and nail in place. Nail two small strips of wood, D, with a groove in the edge of each, to the box, so that a door, E, will slide up and down easily.

Make the door of a thin piece of board and round it at the bottom so as to fit snugly on the chute. By raising the door the grain will run out into a measure. Screw the box to the wall in the barn in a convenient place about three feet from the floor.—Farm and Fireside.

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HARDLY one person in a million realizes what the modern newspaper represents. The wireless, the cable, the telegraph, the telephone, the electric light, the railroad, the printing press, the typewriter, the linotype, the wood pulp machine and a hundred other agencies are called on by the newspaper.

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## Farm and Garden

### THE SOY BEAN.

"Greatest Crop Ever Introduced," Says Enthusiastic Tennessee Farmer.

Describing his success with soy beans for enriching the land and producing abundant nutritious feed, a Tennessee farmer writes thus to the Southern Field:

"I grow the Mammoth Yellow variety, planting in rows thirty-six inches apart and cultivating about the same as corn. I cut with a mower when ripe and allow them to lie on the ground for a couple of days. After being in shock for ten days they are hauled to the shed and thrashed. We con-



Photo by Long Island agricultural experiment station.

### SOY BEANS.

sider the bean straw after the beans are thrashed as fully equal to timothy or redtop for a feed for cattle.

"For late summer pasture I sow with a wheat drill about one and a half bushels to the acre. I am now feeding beef cattle and hogs on soy beans, and my dairy animals are producing more milk than ever before on a bean ration. Of course other feeds are mixed with the bean, as soyas are rather rich when fed alone."

"The Mammoth Yellow grows here from three to five feet high, according to cultivation, and yields thirty bushels of seed per acre, which will bring around \$3 to \$3.50 per bushel. There is no finer improver of the soil than the soy bean. I have tried many other legumes, but none has given such uniformly high quality of hay and returned such large amounts of nitrogen to the soil. I consider the soy bean the greatest crop ever introduced into this part of the country both as a money crop and as a soil improver."

About \$100,000 worth of soy bean oil was shipped in 1910 from Manchuria to the United States against almost none the year before. From Hull, England, shipments in 1910 of soy bean oil to the United States amounted to \$140,000. This was crushed from the Manchurian beans. Considerable shipments of soy bean oil were also made in 1910 from Kobe, Japan, to the United States.

### TWO SIDES OF ONE PROBLEM.

It is not enough to raise crops and live stock. They must be marketed. When you come to doing this how much easier it is to sell if these crops or stock are of high quality and how much better prices are realized. It really costs but little more to raise good stuff than it does to raise poor, and good stuff sells itself.

### Uncle Sam Imports Potatoes.

It would seem that a great country like the United States might be able to raise enough potatoes for its own use, but in 1910 our crop amounted to 338,811,000 bushels, and we imported 1,632,081 bushels. Our crop of 1911 was only 73.8 per cent of the crop of 1910, while the British Isles have had a very short crop, though Germany has had an abundance.

### Condemned Cattle.

More than 50,000,000 animals were inspected in the last fiscal year by the United States bureau of animal industry, and more than 1,000,000 carcasses or parts thereof were condemned as unfit for food, according to the annual report of Dr. A. D. Melvin, head of the bureau. Tuberculosis was the cause of most of the condemnations.

### Where Cranberries Come From.

The cranberry is a special crop that has been grown on a commercial scale largely in three sections of the country—the Cape Cod district in Massachusetts, the New Jersey district and central Wisconsin. Small marshes in other sections have been reclaimed, but these three districts produce the major part of the commercial crop.

### THE WISE FARMER.

There was a man in our town, And he was wondrous wise, He knew that if he wanted crops He'd have to fertilize.

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