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Passage of New Homestead Bill Has Aroused New Interest in Open Lands

actual exhibit of what a state can produce, he says, to win settlers. Such a demonstration is held to be more forceful than any amount of advertising or any other form of exploitation.

Albany's Fourth of July celebration will have a double significance. Besides Independence Day enthusiasm, the coming of the Oregon Electric to Albany will figure as a cause for celebration. Surrounding communities will be invited to help in the jollification.

Oregon will have a delegation in attendance at the Northwest Development Congress at Seattle, June 5, 6, 7 and 8. Representatives have been named by the Governor and Oregon speakers have been given places on the program. Subjects of interest to the whole Northwest will be discussed.

Orders for approximately 50,000,000 feet have been placed with mills of Oregon and Washington to supply material for new equipment for the Harriman lines in this territory. The traffic officials are preparing for the new crop season by ordering 8,200 box cars and 56 cabooses to be distributed over the Union Pacific, O-W. R. & N., Southern Pacific and Oregon Short Line roads.

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### HOW TO USE STRAWBERRIES.

Delicious Recipes That May Be Easily Made.

**Strawberry Custard.**—Make a custard of one and one-half cupsful of milk, three-fourths cupful of sugar, one or two eggs, two level tablespoonfuls of cornstarch and one-half teaspoonful of vanilla. Heat milk in double boiler, then add cornstarch dissolved in a little cold milk; let come to a boil, then add eggs and sugar beaten together very light. Remove from stove and add vanilla. Have ready as many sherbet cups as you wish to serve. Take five strawberries for each cup, cut in halves, lengthwise. In the bottom of each cup place a half nut meat and arrange five pieces of your berries around it to look like petals of a flower. Now pour in the warm custard, leaving room enough to repeat the flower design on top. This may be made early in the day, as it is best served cold. A dainty and easily prepared dessert and especially economically when strawberries are not too plentiful.

**Strawberry Ice Cream.**—Two quarts of pure cream, fourteen ounces of white sugar. Mix well. Mash one pint of fresh ripe strawberries, sprinkle them with half a pound of fine sugar, let it stand about an hour, strain through a fine sieve or a cloth. If the sugar is not dissolved stir it well. Add a little water. Stir this juice into the cream and freeze.

Do not get the idea that the ordinary housekeeper cannot make these delightful desserts, such as ice cream and water ices. They are easy and when homemade are superior to those purchased at the confectioner's. Use only the best materials—pure cream, ripe natural fruits or good extracts of the same and sugar the purest. These make a perfect ice cream.

To freeze the cream pound up ice two parts, mix with one part coarse salt. Have your ice and salt as high around the outside of the freezing can as the cream reaches on the inside. Begin to stir the cream at once. Stir rapidly and constantly. This is essential to make smooth cream. If the cream is allowed to freeze to the sides of the can without being quickly removed there will surely be lumps of ice through it.

### HOW TO GET RID OF ANTS.

Fine Salt Sprinkled on Pantry Shelves a Discourager.

Air staked lime scattered around the places where ants are apt to congregate is said to be an almost certain remedy. Fine salt sprinkled on the pantry shelves and floor is also a discourager of their attentions, as also tartar emetic combined with an equal quantity of sugar. Put in a saucer with a little water to moisten, adding more if it dries away. Set where the ants are most troublesome. Bacon rinds or other fat meat placed outside on the ground or under the window or near the door where ants are wont to make their entrance will keep them away from the house. Where it is possible to find the out of door holes of the ants boiling water or kerosene poured in the fountain head will do the exterminating job in one fell swoop.

### How to Make Quick Campfire.

Drive a forked stake in the ground and upon it slant a green stick with the stub of a branch left on the upper end to hold the handle of a pot or kettle and fasten down the lower end to the ground. The bottom of pot or kettle should clear the ground two feet. Gather wood, partly shave down two or three sticks, but leave shavings on stick. Build wood around in the same way, leaving plenty of air spaces. Light shavings and you will soon have a good fire. By the time the water has boiled for tea or coffee your fire will be a mass of coals, ready for roasting, frying or broiling.

Fire With Wet Wood.—Cut off several sections of candle and light all at once. You will have a steady blaze, which will readily start your wet kindling. Dry roots make an intensely hot fire, with no smoke.

## Black Belgian Draft Stallion

FISTON D' AVERNAS [No. 4455]

SIRE, MAX [No. 11050] DAM, PELLAIN [No. 50673]

*Weight a little over ton.*  
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Stallion Registration Board  
STATE OF OREGON

License Certificate of **PURE BRED** Stallion or Jack, No 896

Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, January 16, 1912.

The pedigree of the Stallion *Fiston d'Avernas*, [No. 4455] Vol. XVI P. 695, registered in the studbook of The American Assn. of Importers & Breeders of Belgian Draft Horses. Owned by Jerry C. Southman, Madras, Crook County, Oregon. Bred by Auguste Moes of Avernas-le-Bauduin. Described as follows: Black; few white hairs in forehead.

Pedigree:  
SIRE, Max [11050] { SIRE OF SIRE, Cartouche [5682]  
DAM OF SIRE, Myrtille [7779]  
DAM, Pellaine [50673] { SIRE OF DAM, Poladin [10060]  
DAM OF DAM, Rossette d' Avernas [13555]

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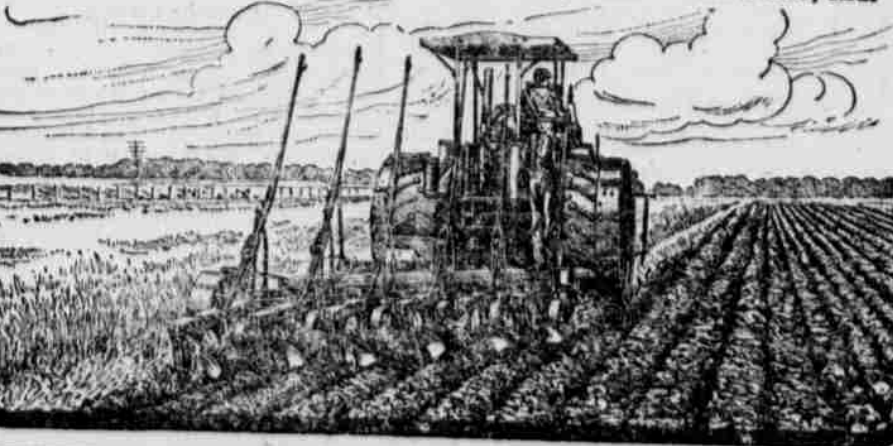
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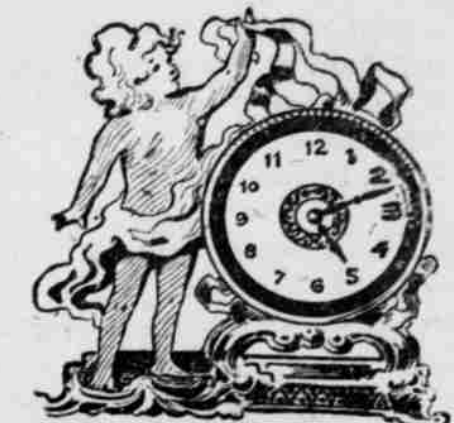
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