



Salem, Friday, Mar. 2, 1877.

OUR NINTH VOLUME.

The WILLAMETTE FARMER has entered upon the ninth year of its publication...

We commence the ninth year of publication with fairer prospects than ever before.

A Board of Immigration.

ED. WILLAMETTE FARMER: After congratulating you, and the farmers of our State in general...

Shall the influx of immigration into our State for the next few years be so utilized...

Can stationary and letter stamps be obtained free of charge to reply to the scores of enquiries that have to be, and are now being answered every week?

WEATHERFORD & Co.—These steady advertisers and reliable business men have a full stock of all drugs and medicines...

A Tour among the Cattle Men of Oregon.

ED. FARMER: I have had an extended tour around our valley purchasing beef cattle...

I will lay before your readers some important facts concerning cattle. The first lot I looked at was in Polk county upon the farm of Mr. John Wiles...

Mr. A. W. CHEEVER Editor of the New England Farmer, in that paper of Nov. 11th, advises all Dairymen to use

I called upon Mr. Geo. Milligan, living near where the military road enters the mountains; he is feeding 100 good cattle and has a grand stock and stalls for each one with drop gates at the end of the stall after a steer enters...

I also found a lot fed by Mr. Walker Young, near Eugene, still fed, and I take pleasure in saying they are handled the best of any I have found in my travels...

By a decision of the Supreme Court of Dakota, McCall, the murderer of "Wild Bill," is to be hanged March 1st.

GERMAN SERVICE.—Rev. J. GARDNER, D.D., from Portland, will preach in the German language next Sunday in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church...

A colony of Russians have purchased \$20,000 worth of farming land in Jefferson Co., Nebraska.

\$55 & \$77 a Week to Agents; \$10 Outfit Free P. O. VICKERY, Augusta, Maine.

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JOHN W. GILBERT. SALEM, March 2.

NOTICE.

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To Color Butter.

MR. A. W. CHEEVER Editor of the New England Farmer, in that paper of Nov. 11th, advises all Dairymen to use

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