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State Grange Deputies for 1877

Table listing deputies for various counties including Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, and Washington Territory.

Meeting of Subordinate Granges

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PROTECTION OF SALMON.

The following is a copy of the bill introduced in the legislature of Washington Territory to regulate the taking of salmon in the Columbia river and tributaries:

SECTION 1. Be it enacted, etc. It shall be unlawful between the fifteenth day of April and the fifteenth day of July of any year, for any person or persons in any manner to capture salmon in the said Columbia river or any of its tributaries, for the purpose of sale or commerce, between the hours of six o'clock in the morning of Saturday of any week and six o'clock in the morning of Tuesday of the ensuing week. It shall be unlawful also for any person or persons to purchase salmon so unlawfully captured.

SECTION 2. For the purposes of this act, any fish trap, or other like device, shall be maintained open between the Saturday and Tuesday aforesaid, and the owner or occupant of such trap or device shall see that they are empty of salmon on each of the aforesaid Tuesday mornings.

SECTION 3. The provisions of this act shall not apply to Indians in the Indian country of this territory.

SECTION 4. Any person violating any of the foregoing provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined in any sum not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars or imprisoned in the county jail not exceeding thirty days, or both, in the court, and shall pay into the county treasury double the value of the fish so unlawfully captured, for the benefit of the school fund of said county, to be apportioned among the school districts of the county as are other school funds.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force when a like law shall be made and in force in the State of Oregon.

PREPARING FOR NEXT YEAR.

We are informed that quite an amount of wheat in shocks, during the long rainy weather just closed, has been dried out and threshed, and a fair proportion of it will make stock feed. This will save much of good wheat which is often chopped for feed. There never was a better time here, or the ground in a finer condition for plowing and sowing than now.

It seems that our friends in California had no rains to trouble them up to the 10th inst. If we could have divided rains with them, and we had some of their fine, clear weather during and before the State Fair, both would have been benefitted. But we must put up with our lot. From past experience it is to be hoped that a large acreage of Fall wheat will be sown in the valley this Fall. All should remember that much depends on deep plowing, much harrowing and thorough draining of the Fall wheat lands. This fine weather may yet last for a month to come.

SPECIAL REPORTS.

As our old friend and correspondent, Uncle Davy Newsom, is preparing a special report upon many prominent articles on exhibition at our late State Fair (especially those which came too late, on account of bad weather for fair competition) for publication in the annual reports of the Society, he deems it expedient, as Superintendent of the Miscellaneous Division, to draft an outline of the report for our paper, which will appear time to time. Many exhibitors will therefore, be greatly benefitted by having their articles on exhibition accurately described and their merits set forth. Proprietors of such articles or their agents would do well to address Uncle Davy Newsom and give an accurate description of their articles entered in the Miscellaneous Division.

BEFORE MARRIAGE.

Lovers' quarrels arise from different causes; sometimes from mere intensity of affection making undue exactions, and at others from causes which, properly understood and appreciated, would warn the parties of the impossibility of their ever living happily together.

For instance, a young man who is engaged finds his affianced very jealous. Whenever they meet other ladies in society, she treats him with great coolness. This chills his ardor, and makes him discontented, so much so that he is in doubt about marrying her at all. He has, in fact, come to the conclusion that if he believed she would treat him after marriage in the same way that she does now he would never marry her.

As a general proposition, it may be laid down that persons will not change essentially after marriage. A belief that they would has been the cause of countless unhappy marriages. They will be just the same after as before, and, if anything, a little more likely to give way to strong natural proclivities, or peculiarities of temper. If you would not marry a young woman, provided you believe she would continue to be as she is now, without any marked change in her disposition, then you do a perilous thing to marry her at all. The same rule, on the other hand, ap-

plies to the young men. Many and many a girl has made shipwreck of her happiness for life by marrying a young man in the confidence that after marrying she would wield such an influence over him as to reform his wild habits. She finds her influence diminished rather than increased after they are married, and disappointment, disagreements and misery necessarily follow. Marry no one with whom, without any change of character, you are not satisfied. Never marry a man in hopes of reforming him, that part of the programme has long since been decided a failure.

ADORNMENT.

"It was one of those pretty houses, surrounded by shrubbery and flowers, about which almost every passer remarked, 'O how I should like to live in that pretty house!'" Such is the description of a house we have in our mind's eye, and it could be true of almost every farm-house in the land, did the occupants only will it so. A few flowers, a little grass and a few shrubs, all well cared for at a trifling expense of money or labor, and the thing is done. A little care each day would keep everything neat and in order and a little thought each week would regulate that care to the best advantage. We do not live in this world for ourselves alone; but for the whole world. Upon this principle, we know a woman who always keeps a light in the front rooms of her house every winter night because, as she says, "we not only have the warm glow of it ourselves; but to every passer-by it gives out a cheerful message which produces in his imagination a picture of comfort and happiness within. So it is with the adornments around the house. They not only give enjoyment to their possessors, but to everyone who passes they send a message of thrift, refinement and happiness; which should alone be sufficient compensation for the little labor and expense they cost.

We remember once of passing through a little village in which almost every house was surrounded with flowers, vines and shrubs, and which left upon our mind an ineffaceable impression. Though nearly twenty years have passed since then, we still think of it frequently with pleasure. Could the occupants of those pretty villages places only know of this, they would doubtless feel repaid for all their trouble. In all your calculations on the profits of your crops, by all means fail not to include your crop of household adornments. The profits on your grain may be lasting, probably will not; but the profits on your pure God-given pleasures, though not counted in dollars and cents, can never vanish.

GENTLE WORDS.

There is a magic power in gentle words, the potency of which few natures are so leary as wholly to resist. Would you have your home a cheerful, hallowed spot, within which may be found that peace and happiness and joy which the world denieth to its votaries? Let no harsh words be uttered within its walls.

Speak gently to the wearied husband, who, with anxious brow, returns from the perplexities of his daily avocations; and let him in his turn speak gently to the care-worn woman and wife; who, amid her never-ending round of little duties, find rest and encouragement in the sympathy of him who loves. Speak gently to the wayward child; and a pleasant smile and a word will often restore good humor and playfulness. Speak gently to the day-laborer who lightens your daily toil; kind words insure respect, while the angry rebuke provokes impertinence and dislike. Speak gently to the aged; many are the trials through which they have passed, and now in a little while they will be missed from their accustomed places; the spirit will have passed to its rest. The remembrance of an unkind word will then bring with it a bitter sting.

THE RIGHT MAN.

The State Agricultural Society did a wise act when it elected Hon. M. Wilkins, of Lane county, President for the ensuing year. The Society has no better friend, and there is no one who has done more to build up and advance the organization and the agricultural interests of our State. He is a man of excellent judgment, a most successful and practical farmer, and a man of unblemished character. He has held the position for two or three years before. His election this time shows that he has the full confidence and esteem of the Society. When he was elected before, the Society was heavily in debt. He finds it so this time, and while he may not be able to extricate it from its present financial embarrassments in one year, as the debt, so we are informed, amounts to about \$18,000, we feel confident he will before the Society will trust its affairs to the management of other hands. We say unhesitatingly, that Hon. M. Wilkins is the right man in the right place, and we congratulate the Society that he has consented to serve it again in the position which he has honored before.—[Portland Standard.

OFFICE SECRETS.

An exchange says: "A properly conducted printing office is as much a secret society as a Masonic Lodge. The printers are not under any oath of secrecy, but always feel themselves as truly in honor bound to keep secrets as though they had been put through triple oaths. An employee in a printing office, as such, would not only be scorned by the brethren of the craft, but would lose his position in the office. We make the statement because it sometimes happens that a communication appears in news papers under an assumed signature, which excites comment, and various persons try to find the author. Let all be saved the trouble of questioning the employee and attaches of a printing office. They are know nothings on such points as these. Of such matters they have eyes and ears, but no mouth, and if they fail to observe this rule, let them be put down as dishonorable members of the craft."

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W. J. Herren, Esq., has purchased the pretty cottage residence of L. F. Williams, situated on the bank of the river one block below the Farmers' warehouse. The price paid was \$2,000.

Sentenced.

James Wilson and Wm. Marshall were brought in court this morning for sentence. They got three years each in the State Penitentiary.

Very Desirable Property for Sale.

Ninety-three acres of land on Salem Prairie, near the Fair Ground, will be sold at a great bargain to a cash purchaser. For terms and other information inquire of S. A. Clarke, at the FARMER office, Salem.

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