music of the orchestra, and amid shouts of "Happy New Year" was welcomed by Dr. O. C. Hollister and wife, Misses Matilda

Grand the many stars That glitter in the sky; But kind words and loving hearta, And hands to clasp my own, Are better than the lovliest flowers Or the brightest star that ever shone.

The daw give life to the drooping flower And eyes grow bright, and watch the ligh Of every season's opening hour-But words that breathe a tenderors. And smiles that we know are true. Are warmer than the sun's bright rays,

And gold and jewels are not the things

table and the hearth,

Items From the Columns of the

Stock owners report cattle, horses and sheep in fair condition. However there is onsiderable snow south and east of her and everything is being fed.

A few freight teams arrived here from The Dalles last week. They reported the roads in bad condition, and doubtless no more teams will go on the road until next spring.

If the Crook county stock raisers get through this winter without loss, and the prospects are fayorable that they will, a season of great prosperity may be expected this year.

place on Willow creek drifted full of snow, although six inches is the deepest snow they have had in the valleys in that section. Farther north the snow grows lighter, and

The people of this section have so often been disappointed in their hopes of seeing the O. P. road built that they will have some doubts about the reliability of the good news published this week, but it seems to come from good authority, and is worthy of some credence at least.

J. I. West, who was arrested on Uppe Deschutes on a charge of bringing mort gaged horses out of Sherman into this county, had a preliminary examination before Justice Williams, of Moro, last week, and was held in bonds of \$300 to answer before the next grand jury of Sherman county.

county was "gone in," and the stock business forever rained. The fact that Prineville butchers are getting a first-class qualtime will not bear them out in the state

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James L Syfort, John C Berry, William Courtn. William Tate, all of Hartland P O, Washington.

Purchase Application, No 186, under a Forfeiture Act of Sept 29, 1890, for the NW1 sec 1, tp 3 N, K 13 east, W M. c 3 of th

James L. Sylert,

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