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GOOD TIME REPORTED.

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#### EDITORIAL

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL who, with a number of others,

The year just closing has been was recently buried under sixty a most strenuos one for all em- feet of dirt by a cave in at Bakployed on The Herald. Every ersfield, Cal., speaking of this one has done his or her best to rescue, said, "I know it was God bring the paper up to a high who saved me. From the very standard of journalism. Over moment I was swallowed in I fifty people have been interested saw that God was protecting me in the weekly ma'esp of the an'l knew he would save me." paper. For y-four of these are etc. Men sometimes scoff at on the toboggan slide of sin our faithful correspondents who religi n and profess to ignore have so nobly stood by their pa- the existence of a Superior Beper. It is through these loyal ing. We are glad to note therefriends that The Herald has at fore that this man, who appar- man, which way are you headed? last attained a place in nearly ently stood no more chance for The leve for loud-mouthed, vul-1100 homes in Multnomah and recovery than did his fellow com-Clackamas counties, not to speak panions who died all around him, of the many copies that are sent acknowledges his miraculos esto friends in other counties in cape to the intervention of an all Oregon and the surrounding wise God, and is willing to give gan. Better get off before it is states.

And this is not all, for the sub- from an awful death. scription list is growing at a It was with this man, as with splendid rate. There is now no many others, his faith in God question but that Beaver State that gave him hope, and strength Herald is destined to become one of mind, and purpose, to cheer of the best-known and most lib- on those employed in his rescue. erally-patronized papers in the It is this God-given faith and state. Commencing with the persistency of purpose that have first of the year the manage- led men to sacrifice all in the efment proposes to commence a fort to save and convert mancampaign for new subscriptions kind, and not only to convert, in that will be effective and far- the sense of religion, but to civilreaching. Looking to this end ize, to start men and women towe earnestly solicit the continu- ward a higher life, to instill into ance of the friendship and earn- the ignorant a love for the est support that has been so lib- beautiful, to incite the uneducaterally accorded us during the ed to seek education, and to do past year, and ask all our folk for others that which they canwhen speaking to the neighbor not do for themselves. The or the merchant, or other busi- greatest intellects of the uniness man, to mention the Beaver verse, the wisest of the world's State Herald. This costs you great men, those who have been

We would not be doing justice divine laws all should obey. to ourselves if we did not take this opportunity of thanking each and every one for their interest in The Herald, and especially do time of good cheer, has come that even with badly infested orchards Ington. our correspondends, who have Herald family indicate one of with arsenate of lead will save 85 per made it possible for us to secure the best times ever enjoyed by cent of the crop. These tests are cumaso much home news. To our our people. It was a blessed accepted as well proved by a great numfaithful fellow workers, those time. Every one felt individual- ber of tes's by experiment stations and who have stood by us rain or ly responsible for the good time individual fruit growers. Mr. G. I. Sarshine, sick or well, through thick of the neighbor, and the neigh- gent, at Hood River, this past season and thin, working many times bor's children. Ye editor, wife early in the morning and late at and little ones have shared in neglected, and in which year before last dock (water per.)

FOR DAYTON, Orespective of clean apples from an orchard previously liver points, Ash-st. River points, Ash-st. dock (water per.) night under the greatest of dis- this general good time, and how nearly every apple was wormy.—Rural advantages, always uncomplain- good it seems to be so remember- Northwest. ing, cheerful, and ever ready to is striving to achieve that success that can come only from persistent painstaking effort, through this holiday season. With the death of Geo. H. Lambergon and to the merchants and busi- Our folk are becoming very the Oregon state board of horticulture through some established and thoroughness men, who have patronized us so liberally and so well. To you, and wish for you the happiest and most prosperous year the upbuilding of the commun- health lasting over a year. of your history.

in conversation with ye editor a prosperity and that our people nully. This walnut is commercially few days ago, suggested that a will all be even better off next nut; the leading varieties are Franquette, graduated income tax, on all year than this. sums over \$5000, would be one of the simplest, least burden- The year 1906 has without some, and at the same time one doubt been the most prosperous of the most practical ways of ever experienced by the United the purchase of fruit trees in a recent nurseries cannot afford to trick their raising funds for the building States. It will go down in his- number of the California Cultivator.

tent to the state of Oregon, and to Portland and vicinity in particular. Today is the time to save, to accumulate. The opportunity is presented. Those who fail to grasp will have themselves to blame, and not others.

#### RESOLVE TO DO BETTER.

The time has again come for the most of ordinary folk to make year. The drunkard, the smoker, the morphine fiend, the cigarto resolve to do better is certainly to be pittied, and there are none so good but that they can and should aspire to be better.

ON THE TOBOGGAN SLIDE OF SIN IVER POSTOFFICE

Passions uncurbed, consciences every day warning, unheeded, the innocence of maidenly purity, the weakness of trusting, loving nature, betrayed by a kiss, a show of affection, and the devilish wiles and infamy of selfish, unbridled passion are all which invariably lead to igno niny and death, for "the wa res of sin is death." Young gar companions, the cigarette. the dice box, the saloon and its at endant evils are sure indications that you are on the tobog-God the credit for his escape too late and you are precipitated into a life of shame and death.

> We are in receipt of "Worker," a Socialist paper published at Auckland, N. Z., which speaks of Oscar Neitzer, formerly of Gresham, having presented the editor with \$25 for the furtherance of the socialist cause in that country.

## HORTIGULTURAL DEPARTMENT

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EDITED BY E. P. SMITH.

Ninety Per Cent Clean Fruit.

reports that in 1905 a practical test of efficiency of spraying for preventing the ravages of the codlin moth was made in nothing but means so much to most admired for what they have a commercial orchard of seventy acres. us. It is through this method done for the betterment of man- This orchard had become unprofitable that a number of ads. have come kind, have all acknowledged this because of the large proportion of wormy to our columns, - others have debt of gratitude, that each and apples it produced. With proper spraybeen enlarged and many have every individual owes at some obtained. A large number of different been retained only by reason time, in some way, to the guid-methods of fighting the codling moth of the fact that our folk have ing and keeping power of the were tried, and spraying with arsenate spoken a good word for their God of the world to whom all of lead gave such good results that in men owe allegiance and whose 1906 it was given a thorough test in a run down orchard of 125 acres. This SPECIAL for the East Dally. orchard was sprayed four times with arsenate of lead and 95 per cent of the fruit was clean, compared with only

Christmas, with its genuine about five per cent in previous years. and gone. Reports from The four thorough and careful sprayings PORTLAND-BIGGS LO. 8:15 A. M. 6:00 P. M.

good it seems to be so remembered. Christmas time is the celebration of a gift the gift of council, Patrons of Husbandry, a resolu do the best for their paper and bration of a gift, the gift of council, Patrons of Husbandry, a resolu for the one who in a humble way God's only son to a dying world, tion was adopted heartily favoring the rigid enforcement of the laws in relation Telephone Main 712. C. W. Stringer, to the cleansing or destruction of infest-City Ticket Agent. Wm. McMurray, and we are glad that the feeling to the cleansing or destruction of infestof gift has been so conspicious ed or diseased fruit trees.

precious to us for it is through has lost an efficient secretary, who has ly reliable nursery. them that we have been enabled labored faithfully for the upbuilding of

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#### urien, Pomeroy and Rush. Buying Fruit Trees.

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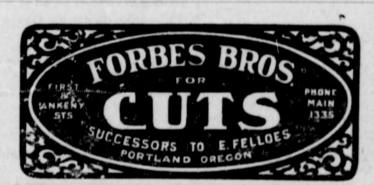
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### ORDINANCE 31.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the appropriation of two hundred and sixty-one and ninety-hundredths (201.90) dollars for the purchase of a fire-proof safe

Be it ordained by the common council of the town of Gresham:

Section 1. That there be appropriated out of the general funds of the town two hundred and sixty-one and ninety-hundredths (261,90) dollars and the same is hereby appropriated for the purchase of a fire-proof safe to be used by the town recorder for the safe keeping of the books and records of the town of Gresham. Section 2. That the recorder be and he is hereby authorized to issue a warrant of the town for the sum of two hundred and sixty-one and ninety-hund-

redths (261.90) dollars, said warrant to be issued within ten (10) days after date of delivery of said safe to the town of Gresham and its approval by the council. Adopted December 21, 1906. Approved December 21, 1906.

LEWIS SHATTUCK, Mayor.

Attest: H. L. ST. CIAIR, Recorder.

#### ORDINANCE 32.

ity with which we are glad to be The crop of the Persian walnut, discover at the end of that time that the AN ORDINANCE authorizing the appropriation of seventy (70) dollars for the purchase of street lamps.

Be it ordained by the common council of the town of Gresham:

Section 1. That there be appropriated out of the general funds of the town the sum of seventy (70) dollars and the same is hereby appropriated for the pur-Section 2. That the recorder be and he is hereby authorized to issue a war-

trader, he will find that money, time rant of the town for the sum authorized by this ordinance said warrant to be and labor have gone for naught. Rep- issued within ten (10) days after delivery of the said street lamps and their ap-

Adopted December 21, 1906. Approved December 21, 1906. LEWIS SHATTUCK, Mayor.

of county and state wagon roads. tory as the one of greatest por- Trees for planting should be obtained profitable to purchase from such firms. Attest: H. L. ST. CLAIR, Recorder