### We Stand the Test.

Our safe was attacked by des; e ate men early the morning of January 9th. who forced an entrance to the bank and attacked the safe with nitro glycerine but were unable to loosen even the fisst door.

A New Screw, round Door Safe is being installed in the bank and we are in better shape than ever to guard your funds. It is well to deposit often and regular and take no chances with the

As soon as you have deposited with us your money is covered by insurance

agains: Hold-up or Robbery.

A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT.

J. M. SHORT, Pres. G. W. KENNEY, V-Pres. A. MEYERS, Cash'r

## The First State Bank

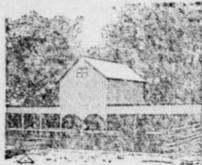
Transacts a General Banking Business, Loans Money on Good Security, Sells Drafts and Travelers Checks.

Available any piece in the United States or any of the Foreign Countries Sells Real Estate, Cashes Checks, Sells Steamship and Railway Tickets, Buys and Sells Mortgages, Notes and Road Checks. Writes Fire Ins.

FEED LOTS.

Brick Paved Yards With Shelter Give Satisfaction,

Muddy feed lots are an unprofitable as well as disagreeable feature in cattle feeding, especially when no provision is made for shelter. In a sum-



BRICK PAVED FEED LOT. mary of repiles to a circular of inquiry regarding the methods followed by practical feeders compiled by H. W. Mumford and L. D. Hall of the Illinois experiment station the question of muddy feed lots was considered. Notwithstanding the fact that the disadvantages of mud and dirt were recognized, only thirty-six of the 500 and more cattle feeders who furnished information on this point reported definite provisions against such conditions. Of these ten have the surface of feed lots paved or otherwise artificially covered and fifteen use rock, gravel, cinders, bricks, planks, corncobs or sawdust alone and in combination in various parts of the lot-for instance, about the feed troughs, water tanks, sheds or gates.

Ten of the correspondents state that they have made the lots dry enough for feeding purposes by a tile drain, while two report that the yards have een graded and the mud and manuremoved by means of dirt scrapers. Several of those who use coal cinders for filling the muddy portion of the lot state that care must be taken to keep them covered with straw, cornstalks or other bedding material in order to avoid injury to the feet.

The first cut shows a brick paved feed lot, with convenient shelter, water and feeding arrangements. ed to accommodate about fifty cattle. which has given satisfaction. The payement is 24 by 80 feet and is made of brick laid flat on six inches of gravel packed until solid. The curbing consists of curbstones eighteen inches wide and three inches thick set edgewise. Feed bunks were placed in the shed. The shelter consists of a building 20 by 26 feet, with two wings, both 20 by 30 feet. The upper floor of the middle position is used for storing dry corn fodder, which can be conveniently cut and fed through an open shaft to the feeding bunk below

The second cut is a feed bunk, with platforms for use in a muddy lot, which is inexpensive and has proved satisfactory. Platforms of the sample described were 16 by 6 feet and were



PEED BANKS FOR MUDDY LOTS. [There are three advantages in the floors. The feeder always has a dry place to walk when putting in feed; the cattle

REPAIR WURK.

are out of the mud and not in a strained or cramped position while feeding; by having the floors six feet wide all wast-ed feed and droppings fall upon the floor, and the hogs get all before it is

made of two lnch bridge plank cut six feet long. The feed bunks were made in the usual way, two feet six inches high, three feet wide and sixteen feet

Winter Protection For Orchards.

One of the most important points in preparing bearing apple trees for win- their home at Oneonta, after a few days ter, in my opinion, is to remove all visit with relatives here. rubbish that may afford shelter for mice or other vermin, says a writer in American Agriculturist. B. sure there are no declivities at the immediate base of the tree. A slight mounding is good. At all events leave no hollows the first of the week on business. that will hold water to freeze at times of sudden falls in temperature, thereby greatly damaging trees. If mice or rabbits are feared, protect with wire sizes, roll around an old broomstick or any round object to give it a circular shape, the stick removed, and the wire will spring around the trunk and hold itself in place. See that all drains are

Economic Position of Farmers. A matter of great importance in its bearing upon the increased value of farm lands is the new economic independence of farmers, fundamentally growing out of their improved financial condition. Farmers now occupy a strong economic position, founded apon the tendency of the consumption Business college. some important products to increase faster than population does and upon the tendency of the desires for these products to increase faster than River. the production does, so that with respect to these products consumption is

Pruning Trees.

close upon the heels of production.

Deciduous trees may be pruned at any time after freezing weather sets of the branches. Landscape gardeners, as a rule, leave the pruning of trees and shrubs until February. Care should be taken to cover all large wounds with gws tar or linseed oil

If a man with instinct were to meet a woman with logic they doubtless would immediately swap characteristics without waiting for the formality of an introduction.

A woman who would guarantee satisfaction in the training of busbands would satisfy a modern want.



Very few people are troubled with a conscience that is working overtime when the street car conductor misses

## FAIRVIEW

FAIRVIEW, Ore., Jan. 8, 1907-At the last meeting of the grange held on January 2, the regular annual installation of officers took place. Mrs. J. H. Shattuck of Gresham, assisted by Mrs. F. H. Crane of Rockwood, installed the new officers. Mrs. Adaline Axtell and Mrs. T. J. Crute were initiated. C. Shepard was elected assistant steward h place of Wm. Byers. Mrs. Julia Snover, retiring secre ary and son Oral of Portland, J. H. Shattuck and wife of Gresham, F. H. Crane and wife of Rockwood and D. W. McKay of Melrose were present. The following program was rendered: Recitation, Miss Myrtle Jenkins; solo, Mrs. Julia Asheraft; discus. cussion, "The weevil in beans," by several members; reading, Miss Ethel Heslin; solo, E. E. Heslin. The grange business on Monday. is taking on new activity. The new officers are faithfully performing their

here on Sunday, looking over the right- of hogs and cattle from Idaho. of-way for the new Troutdale-St. John's

and one-half horse power steam engine for use in raising heavy timbers for the construction of the brick building.

Frank Ellison has opened up a livery stable in Fairview. Miss Crandall has returned to her

duties as nurse at Hood River, after several days visit with relatives here.

Lee Shaw and family have returned to

Mrs. Clark of Portland, has moved

daughter, Mrs. J. T. Stillion. C. S. Smith of The Dalles was here

Mrs. H. Shaw and children have been visiting relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Dick Anderson and children have netting. Cut with shears into proper returned from visiting friends at Pleas-

> Allie May has resigned his position with Fox & Co., and has gone to San Sunday in the metropolis. Francisco. Milton Fox is assisting his brother in the store now.

Prayer services are being held in the Presbyterian church every evening this

Lewis and Cedric Stone and Sylvester Hall have returned to their school work at Corvallis, Earl Tegart, Elbert Stone and Chester Barnenberg to the Portland Academy and Miss Susie Hali to Holmes

Frank Ellison has returned from visiting relatives at The Dalles and Hood

Wm. Byers and wife will be missed in Fairview, but our loss is Gresham's gain

H. W. Mathison, A. L. Stone, W. T. Scott, Mrs. Frank Jarvis, Mrs. A. F. Snow, Miss Margery Dustin, Miss Ethel in, when the sap will all have run out Heslin and Mrs. J. Luscher were recent Portland visitors.

Miss Zella Lewis of Portland was a recent guest of Miss Susie Hall.

Miss Julis Snover and son Oral of paint to prevent decay.-Country Gen- Portland were visiting friends here the latter part of the week.

Needs Tending To.

Uncle Sam may be obliged to take the powder trust over his knee and fondle it lovingly with a shingle.

Just because it sees him spending money recklessly for canals, lead pencils, ink wells and such necessary articles the powder trust thinks that the uncle under discussion has a lot of money that he doesn't know what to do with, and it proceeds to put up the price in a way that would cause an iceman to blush

Linowing that Uncle Sam was one of its best customers, it would watch for him and every time it saw him coming would put up the price a few notches. Then, if he walked by without purchasing, the price would be still higher when he came back.

So if you hear a loud report some morning in the direction of the powder trust, followed by a big puff of smoke. do not be startled. It will only be Uncle Samuel having a little choice

The hair that he hasn't got is always calling attention to the baldheaded

Some women seem to preserve their complexion very well, while others succeed only in pickeling it.

We know a woman by the company she avoids.

Most hired girls are remembered for the things that they did not do.

HORSESHOEING Particular people bring their horses to us because they know they will be shed right.

JAMES H. LATHAM, Troutdale, Or.

### Rummage Sale.

Of all odds and ends in the Store. MUST GO! Must have room for our well-bought, well-selected Stock of Spring and Summer Goods which will soon

TROUTDALE, OREGON

begin to arrive.

S. S. Logan,

## PASTURAGE

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FOR HORSES AND CATTLE

Best of Feed all the year. Good Winter Pasturage. Shelter.

Call on or write

J. L. HICLKIN, TROUTDALE,

#### was adopted favoring the imperative mandate, or the right of the people to

Mrs. Friedthal, of Portland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fox recently. L. Helming was in the metroplis on asking the repeal of the law allowing

T. Raizer has returned and is working for the Union Meat Company.

Union Meat Company is very busy A party of O. R. & N. officials were having just received twenty-five cars

Elmer Mickley, of Portland, visited his brother Dan Mickley and family on C. C. Vaughn has purchased a two Sunday.

Mr. Admson and family have moved to Portland.

Wm Bennett, of Portland, was here on business Sunday.

R. Latourell has returned from a week's visit to Latourell Falls.

Mrs. L. Helming is on the sick list Mrs. Dan Griffeth and Mrs. Edna Hubbard was in the city on the 4th.

his attack of gout and rheumatism. Mrs. Coleman is recovering from an nesday in April. here and will reside at the home of her

attack of rheumatism. Mrs. Lou Harlow went to Portland Monday to visit her mether.

James Hillyard is working the roads, clearing out the landslides caused by the heavy rains.

The M. E. church is holding a revival this week.

Judge Fred Harlow and family spent

## **GRANGE NOTES**

ESTACADA, Ore., Jan. 10, 1907 .- The Clackamas County District Pomona grange met in the hall of Garfield grange

The Garfield grange held a short special meeting to confer the 3d. and 4th. degrees on Rachel Davis and Virgil

About 110 members were present and

all were very enthusiastic. A resolution recall their officers for malfiasance in office or omission of duty.

A resolution was unamiously adopted . the swearing in of voters on election day by six free holders. This has proven such a source of fraud that there was no opposition whatever to the resolution.

A motion was adopted approving the . Main Street move to employ convict labor on the

public highways. E. C. Huffman and R. W. Gill of Russellville grange were visiting mem-

A good program was rendered in the evening, the following taking part, Mrs M. K. Irvin, original poem; Mrs. Sadie Anders, recitation; W. H. Holder, his- WILL tory of Garfield grange; F. M. Gill, comic essay; R. W. Gill, stump speech, encored and responded with the "Mur- TROUTDALE, OREGON.

der of the Potato Bug." A class of seventeen was initiated into the fifth degree.

Merchant Logan is improving after | The next Pomona will meet at Logan with Harfing grange the second Wed-



"Senator Hayseed is doing a new electioneering stunt."

"What is It?" "Going about the country making speeches and giving to each man in the audience a package of seeds warranted every package to raise a mort-

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Troutdale, Ore

## W. F. GREER, Steam Wood Saw

MAKE TRIP TO ANY LO-CALITY FOR 20 CORDS.

### Vote Was By Secret Ballot.

We received a pleasant visit from Mr. Roy Gibbs this week, who called our attention to the fact that the vote taken by the new city council a week ago last Wednesday night on the question of how the council felt as to a closed or an open town, was not on an open vote as recorded in the Herald but was taken by secret ballott resulting with six votes in favor of Sunday observance and one vote against it. It is therefore undecided as to who cast the vote for an open town

## PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of St. John' Eastern Washington, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Archie Cornutt and

Clarence Cathey and Jack Jones have returned from their visit in Southern Oregon. They said the snow was about six inches deep at Riddles and Cow creek higher than it has been for years.

# TROUTDALE.

# FAIRVIEW.

Your Little Child can Trade as Safely as you. We Give no Due Bills, We Pay Cash.

WE PAY the Higest Market Price for Butter and Eggs.

A Dollar Saved Is as Good as Two Earned The Largest Stock

**Patent** Medicines

and Assortment of

Multnomah County

We make it our business to help you save dollars In purchasing from us you save something on everything you buy. If you watch these small savings yon will notice a nice little sum at the end of the month and a goodly sized sum at the end of the year. Start the New Year right by trading with us.

guarantee satisfaction to every cus-tomer. We are back of our guarantee and stake our reputation of 15 years of continued business in this community.

We will

Every Day is Market Day with us.

## NOTICE!

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The undersigned has bought the

WORDEN BLACKSMITH SHOP

From A. Fox and has arranged to open up in connection therewith a

FIRST - CLASS HARNESS SHOP Where I shall be prepared to do any and all kinds of HARNESS REPAIRING, CARRIAGE TRIMMING.

L. E. GOTHAM, Prop.

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STILL IN THE RING And busier every day.

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