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Gresham News

C. S. Smith made a business trip to Portland today.

Chas. Cleveland went to the Clackamas fair at Canby today to judge the sheep and goats.

Rev. Hopkins and family are expected to arrive today.

F. A. Halliday has purchased lots and will build in Zenith addition.

Rev. Geo. F. Hopkins, of Dallas, Ore., has been appointed as pastor of the M. E. Church. Rev. Hopkins came to Oregon from South Dakota two years ago.

Mrs. Martin, of The Dalles, bought two lots in Whitehead's addition this week and will have a bungalow erected at once.

Ed. Osborn is having a building put up on his property on Main street which will be occupied by J. C. Hessel.

Dr. R. W. Erwin, of Joseph, Ore., visited T. A. Lawson the first of the week.

W. E. Wood made a business trip to Boring Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Merrill visited in Portland this week.

John Lovgren, of Powell Valley, had his barn burned last Sunday night. It is not known how the fire started. There was no insurance.

Mrs. Bachmeier attended the M. E. conference in Salem last week.

Rev. Dunlop has been appointed as pastor of the M. E. church at Cresswell, Oregon. Rev. Dunlop and family will go next week to their new charge. They have made many friends during their stay in Gresham.

MAKE THE HOME MODEL

Every one longs for a home and strives to obtain one. All desire the best comforts and luxuries. The country home, especially, could be improved. All the conveniences that the city affords can be had in the country.

In erecting a model country house many things are to be considered: Its relation to directions, the water-supply, drainage, plumbing, wiring, for electricity, heat, chimney, ventilation, nature of the soil, the arrangement of rooms, closets, stairs, the materials of construction, adorning, and painting.

The most important question is the site. A plot with a gentle slope is best. This will prevent a damp cellar, enable one to build a reservoir cheaply, and gives an opportunity to dispose of sewage. Placing the well above, and the barn and other buildings below, will prevent sewage from draining into the well. A gravelly or sandy soil, which is fertile enough to grow blue-grass and trees, is ideal. A few trees add much to the beauty and comfort. Two rows of evergreens on the north side make good shelter.

Few farmers have a water reservoir. The water is pumped by a windmill or a gasoline engine. If a gasoline engine is used it may also serve the purpose of running the dynamo for electric light. If a hot-air furnace is used it can be fitted to a water-tank to warm the water for the kitchen and bath-rooms. The well should never be placed within 200 feet of the cesspool. If the house is on a gentle slope this danger of contamination can be avoided by placing the well higher up on the slope.

The outside of the house should be neat and attractive. It should have at least three coats of paint. A veranda adds much to beauty and comfort. The Virginia creeper gives the veranda a tasteful and home-like appearance.

The yard should not be overlooked. As a rule, the lawn appears better if not fenced; a gently sloping lawn gives the best effect. Ornamental shrubs may be planted with good effect. The trees may be arranged in rows or placed irregularly so as to give the appearance of a grove. White elm, box-elder or catalpa make good shade trees. Walks should be laid where necessary, and then as direct as possible. Flower beds along the sides of the walk are very attractive.

FEEDING HAY TO HOGS.

It is only of recent years that feeding hay to hogs has become general. There have been some breeders who have made a practice of this for a good many years. The recent tests at the experiment station have shown some very important facts. For instance, every one hundred pounds of gain by hogs fattened on grain alone, the hog fed alfalfa hay makes a gain of 173 pounds, virtually making three-fourths as much from the hay as from the grain. The hogs showed a gain of 898 pounds of pork per ton of alfalfa hay fed. The same weight of grain which is worth \$1 fed separate and alone, brought \$1.40 when fed with alfalfa. This was shown by an experiment at the Kansas Experiment Station, where everything was managed carefully to make the test a valuable one. At the Nebraska Experiment Station hogs fattened on grain alone made corn worth 77 cents a bushel and when alfalfa was fed with the grain the corn brought \$1 per bushel.

They proved at the Kansas Experiment Station, when fattening hogs fed corn and alfalfa hay, 100 pounds of alfalfa hay saved 96 pounds of corn and

Mrs. C. B. Woodard is staying at Mrs. Schulta's this winter and Miss Campbell is stopping at Mrs. Elkington's.

Miss Edith Gordon, of Portland, visited Gresham friends last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Martin and daughter, Miss Olivia Martin, of The Dalles, visited Mrs. J. H. Hoss the first of the week. Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Hoss were old schoolmates.

Geo. Kenney is having a cement walk put in front of his property on Powell street, also walks are being put in by Dr. A. Thompson, and in front of the city property by the city and the blacksmith shop on the corner of Powell and Roberts avenue. These make fine improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. Cusick, of Corbett spent Saturday at the fair.

Mrs. T. J. Brand and two daughters, of Waverly, Iowa, arrived last week join Mr. Brand, who is undertaker at to R. R. Carleton's. They will make their home over the store.

Mrs. J. W. Shattuck has returned to her daughter's Mrs. Faulkner Short's in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Erickson, of Warren, Ore., came up for the fair last week.

R. R. Carleton has returned from Wisconsin, where he has been visiting.

Glenn Rusher is quite ill with the grip.

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produced 1520 pounds of pork from the alfalfa hay from each acre. Alfalfa is much the better hay for hogs, although the hay from clover or any legume makes profitable hog feed. This includes the Canadian field peas, all clovers, cow peas and peanuts. Hay and timothy, red top and similar grasses have little value as hog feed. The leaves of early cut corn fodder, cured green, and sorghum cut when the seeds are in the milk makes good hay for hogs, although not near the equal in feeding value of the hay above recommended.

The leaves of the hay is the valuable part for the hog feed, the stems are too woody and detrimental in hay for hogs. The plants should be cut when they have the most leaves on and it is then in the best feeding condition and the hay should be cured in a way to preserve the leaves as green and fresh as possible.

Where 865 pounds of grain was put on hogs per ton of hay with alfalfa cut when the first bloom appeared, only 333 pounds of grain per ton of hay could be made when the alfalfa was cut later, the late cut having lost many of its leaves before being gathered.

Fattening hogs need only a moderate quantity of hay, enough so that they will consume seven to eight pounds of leaves with each bushel of grain. Breeding hogs and growing pigs should have every day when not in pasture all the hay they will eat, and leaves only. The stems are too woody to be digested and are detrimental in the other feeds. The hay can be fed daily in shallow flat troughs. The most convenient way is to feed it in a portable rack with the stems thrown out every day, which can be fed either to cattle or horses.

The rack is made of 1x4-inch stuff; it is three feet high, six feet long and sixteen inches wide. The top is open, the ends solid and the four-inch slats have four-inch space between them. The seven inches behind the bottom of the trough is four inches deep and extends back. H. M. COTTRELL.

HUNTING AND FISHING ON RECEIPTS

Hunting or fishing upon receipts furnished by Notaries and Justices of the Peace will not be allowed in the future, according to instructions recently issued by State Board of fish and game Commissioners. Deputies all over the state have been told to arrest any hunter or fisherman who fails to show a regular fishing or hunting license in his possession, upon demand. The holder of a receipt will be treated in every way the same as though he had never made application for a license.

The reason for this action is plain. In the past, Notaries and Justices of the Peace, who have authority to collect for licenses, issue a receipt and mail the money to the County Clerk, who, in turn mails a license to the Notary or Justice, to be delivered to the applicant, have failed to do so, pocketing the money and advising the applicant that a receipt is equivalent to a license. To stop this petty grafting, Game Warden Finley insists that licenses, in the future, will be recognized as the only evidence of a right to hunt or fish.

"We have fairly complete record of Notaries and Justices who have retained money belonging to the game fund," said Warden Finley, "and they are located all over the state. These men have actually accepted money for licenses and made no returns of it, nor have they secured licenses for those who have made application. By arresting those holding merely receipts for licenses, we will shortly run down those who

have been guilty of this fraud."

It is provided by law that any Justice of the Peace or Notary in the state may receive money for the County Clerk on application for hunting or fishing licenses, and the Game Warden has no disposition to place an obstacle in the way of hunters to thus easily secure their rights. He is firm, however, in his intention to break up a practice which has proven demoralizing to many public and semi-public officials in all parts of Oregon.

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EXAMINATION FOR ASSISTANT FOREST RANGERS

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The examination will be held at National Forest headquarters in Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Idaho, Kansas, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming. No examination will be held in Michigan.

CLARK AGAINST TAFT

(Gravette, Ark., News-Herald.) Occupying as Speaker the second highest office in the land, Champ Clark has met President Taft squarely upon the issues vital to the welfare and has downed him at every corner. In this Congress he has shown his powerful executive ability, such as must be shown by the man who stands at the head of the government. Clark can command the vote of every Democrat in the country and a great following from the Insurgent ranks; their leaders have supported Clark in Congress for two years. Our political compass points true to Clark as the man.

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