

sible as independence. He who wants however, have called for close attensense of the word, must seek isolati- tion to proper wraps when out of on, depend upon his own garden for doors and watchfulness of the stoves food, upon his own weaving for gar- within. No fruit hanging on the ments and upon his own building for trees, no birds singing, oh no. Sleighing shelter. If one lives amid human soclety he can be no more independent failure in the crop. It has matured than can one nation be independent wonderfully this season. It's above of another.

The complexities of civilization increase in exact ratio with the increase of comfort and this is readily lent (?) weather as the season addemonstrated by even the most sup- vances. erficial glance at the progress of other towns where the foundation of development has been established APPOINT ROAD SUPERVISORS upon clvic improvement. If it is a fact-as one man in this city claims -that independence is no better off today than it was ten years ago, it is missioners' Court last Wednesday, because the people have been slow the following were appointed road suin making the progress of the city year: possible. But when we look back District. over the record of the town a few years there must come a grain of doubt as to the correctness of the mintement. The new high school, the new churches, the new stores, the new sewer system, and the improved condition of the store buildings and residences in the city all go to prove that the city has been in a progressive way, slow, but sure. You who have been here constantly and observed the development little by little, are perhaps not as cognizant of the fact as some of us who have been absent for a few years, but it

CANNOT BE DISPUTED Independence has developed and will continue to do so. There is a spirit of progress prevalent here today that the city's welfare.

slow in reaching this vicinity, but it has come in an advanced stage, great change for the better.

is the order of the day when not too cold. The ice harvest is on and no the average per acre, and the ice men are jubilant as a result. Coasting is

indulged in to quite an extent. I will write more about our excel-

From a Would-be Oregonian.

List of Men Who Will Serve During Ensuing Year.

At the session of the County Compervisors, to serve during the ensuing

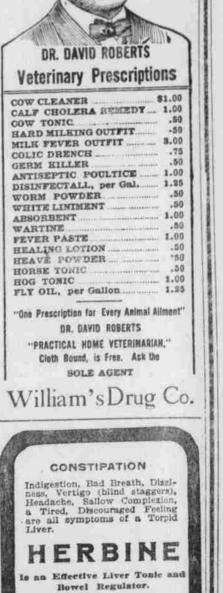
Supervisor 1.William SchaadsLeo Newbill 3.John DuignanA. J. BrownD. P. StapletonThomas Strain 9.P. T. Peterson 10.E. E. HiltibrandE. A. Pagenkopf 11.William Hoisington 12.Waldo Finn 14.A. L. Bartholomew 15.J, W. Jones 16.Henry Voth 17.Ira Hooker 19.M. N. Jones 20.A. Sampson 21.T. J. Merrick 22.

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