

# Poultry Supplies

- CHICK FEED
- OIL MEAL
- GROUND BONE
- OYSTER SHELL
- FEED OF ALL KINDS

## J. Pardee

THE GROCER  
417 G Street

### FRUITDALE

Harrison Thomson spent Saturday on the Thomson place.

Mrs. Florene Brietmayer is spending several days visiting with her mother, Mrs. Heyer.

J. H. Harris has been on the sick list for several days.

Last Thursday the Thimble club was delightfully entertained at "Seven Oaks," guests of Mrs. Alonzo Jones.

E. L. Churchill, Mrs. Churchill and Miss Mildred were out to call on Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Bosmon. They were accompanied by Miss Hall.

Supervisor Jones has the road around the Coutant place almost completed from the Bywater corner to Rock Creek. A substantial bridge has been constructed and after a little more grading has been done to reduce the grade near the bridge the road will be ready for travel. That portion of the road from the creek to the Bosmon corner will not be opened at present, but instead the old Jewett mine road will be used.

John Stanbrough is back at work after an unfortunate scald by upsetting a pan of boiling water.

Mr. Hoag is much improved in health, after suffering from ulcer of the throat.

Riverside Farm was the scene of a splendid party last Saturday evening, in which time the spacious house rang with the laughter of the neighbors and friends, who had gathered at the bidding of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hamilton, although sickness kept a number away there were a large number present. Music and games passed several hours. Mrs. Hamilton served a delicious lunch.

A. W. McCalvy and family have moved into the house on the upper Jones place. Mr. McCalvy will work for Mr. Jones.

A petition is being circulated asking the County Court to extend the new Fruitdale road on the division lines between the Underwood and Bosmon places and also between the Sharp and Helme places. This change, when made, will be a great improvement.

Mrs. Bertha Grift is visiting in town this week.

### MURPHY

Everyone is taking advantage of this beautiful spring weather, and are busy making gardens, setting out orchards and vineyards, and very generally improving their farms.

Supervisor Gilmore is doing some much-needed road work a short distance east of Murphy. This particular piece of road has long been a source of annoyance to the traveling public, who will rejoice to see the improvement now being made.

Rev. Mr. Clema, of Wilderville, preached an interesting sermon to an attentive audience Sunday at Murphy school house, and in the evening preached at New Hope. Mr. Clema will preach at Murphy again on the evening of Sunday, the 27th.

Surveyor Hall, of Grants Pass, has been running off some lines for W. G. White, J. W. Gilmore and the Hayes Brothers, Floyd Winant, of New Hope, is working for J. W. Russell.

Mr. Vedder has recently cleared the stumps off several acres of land, and is setting it out to peach trees. This tract of land is an ideal one for peaches as it has a southern slope, and is shielded from the north winds by the mountain.

W. J. Russell is having a tract of land cleared of stumps and will seed the land to alfalfa.

Mr. H. Egger, foreman of the Madrona property, has several men at work setting out orchards and generally improving the property.

The party, who bonded H. L. Reed's farm, having failed to take the farm on account of illness, Mr.

Reed is very busy clearing land and otherwise improving the place, and now has a very beautiful home.

Wood Jeter has contracted to dig several hundred rods of ditch for C. E. Selle &, and has several men at work on same. We understand he will finish his contract this week, after which Mr. Jeter will take his men and assist Mr. George Flint in setting out grape vines for a time.

We believe the most skeptical ones in regard to the railroads not going to be built, have at last given up and say they "guess" the promoters mean to build the road. The only worry is for fear it will spoil somebody's alfalfa patch or go through the door yard.

### CITY COUNCIL HOLDS AN IMPORTANT MEETING

The city council met in regular session Thursday evening at the council chambers, six members being present. The meeting was an unusually important session in view of the fact that many street petitions were under consideration along with other matters vital to the city's welfare. The petition of W. H. Ryan et al asking to construct a sewer in block 11, H. B. Miller and Company's addition, for a distance of 470 feet, was referred to the sewer committee.

A petition signed by L. Nelland et al asking for a continuation of sewer, block 10, H. B. Miller and Company addition, extending same 25 feet into block J, Judson addition, in all the distance of 375 feet, referred to sewer committee.

A petition signed by N. H. Sheen et al, asking that a light be established on D street, 140 feet west on Seventh street, referred to light committee.

Motion accepting the resignation of Street Commissioner Gillilan was brought before the council and duly accepted. At this time the Gillilan contract of last year for certain street work was taken up for discussion.

Street Commissioner reported favorably on petition of Frank Fetsch to pave alley in block 48 with bitulphite pavement and City Engineer was instructed to furnish necessary plans, estimates, etc.

Petition of Scott Hamilton et al relative to the opening of Madrona street from 10th to 11th streets was referred back to petitioners for more definite data as to the grading of streets.

Street Commissioner reported favorably on the petition of R. W. Clarke et al to improve 6th street from the north side of B to Evelyn with bituminous macadam paving 56 feet wide, including curbs for one block north of B street including intersection of A and from north side of A to Evelyn avenue 36 feet wide, including curb. The city engineer was instructed to furnish necessary figures and estimates.

Street Commissioner reported favorably on petition of A. L. Edgerton et al for improvement of 3d street with bituminous macadam from the center with its intersection with Evelyn avenue to C street. City engineer instructed to give specifications and figures.

Petition of M. E. Butler et al to improve L street from the east side of 6th to east side of 12th by having same paved with suitable macadam was referred back to petitioners for more definite information.

The petition of Grant Orme et al to extend the sewer from 4th street one block west to end of alley was reported on favorably and the engineer was instructed to attend to his part of the work.

The sewer committee reported favorably on the petition of Joseph Musa et al for a sewer in block 12 H. B. Miller and Co.'s addition to extend from the present dead end along the alley about 320 feet.

A report was received from the fire and water committee in which they recommended that an ordinance be drawn covering all public halls, skating rinks, theaters and all other public buildings and hotels with regard to fire escapes and public safety.

It was moved that on Tuesdays and Fridays, which are street sweeping days owners of automobiles must be prepared to move their machines so as not to interfere with the sweeping of streets. There being no further business the council adjourned.

### SECOND DEGREE MURDER AGAINST MRS. MELBER

ALBANY, N. Y., Mar. 16.—The jury returned a verdict of murder in the second degree against Mrs. Edith Melber for having administered poison to her little son.

### HOLY ROLLERS EMIGRATE FROM SEATTLE TO ISLAND

SEATTLE, Mar. 16.—Tom Gourley, formerly chief of detectives of Kansas City, but for the past few months leader of the so-called Holy Rollers, has shaken the Seattle dust from his feet. His flock of 175 men, women and children clambered aboard a scow and three launches, bound for Lopez Island, in the straits of Juan de Fuca, yesterday. Today the only member left at the colony in Ballard is Mrs. Gourley, who is guarding household goods.

The scow and launches pulled out from shore, Gourley and his converts chanted a hymn, while Mrs. Gourley stood on the beach with her arms above her head. The departure was not without cause. For several weeks aspirants for leadership denounced Gourley as a false prophet. Two of these, Jones and Brown, succeeded in weaning several converts from the flock. Before leaving Seattle Gourley gathered his flock in conference and compelled them to pay every bill they owed.

### \$10,000,000 TO BE IN PLANTS NEAR SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Mar. 16.—According to a statement today by James A. Moore, president of the Western Steel corporation, more than \$10,000,000 will be invested in that company's plants near Seattle.

This money will be used, Moore says, in extending operations in the steel mills at Irondale and New Westminister, B. C. The statement from Mr. Moore was received here by cable, his assistants making the big deal public today.

### NEW YORK DEADLOCK STILL REMAINS UNBROKEN

ALBANY, N. Y., Mar. 16.—The counting of the 50th ballot in the voting for a United States senator today showed that the deadlock remained unbroken.

"Even if we take 50 more ballots," said Senator Roosevelt, leader of the insurgents, "our attitude will remain unshaken. We are ready to confer at any time regarding a compromise, but we will never support Sheehan."

### COAL FOUND NEAR SALEM

SALEM, Ore., Mar. 16.—Discovery of what are declared to be bona fide coal deposits on a small tract on the Roberts ranch, about a mile west of Salem, in Polk county, set the town agog today. The discovery was made this morning by men employed on the H. P. Chase drilling machine.

They were seeking for water. At a depth of 36 feet the first coal vein was found. This vein was thin, being but five or six inches thick, but was well defined.

At a depth of 44 feet, a deeper vein was struck, but the coal was broken up and apparently scattered. The quality is declared to be excellent and the indications point to a discovery of some magnitude.

H. P. Chase said tonight that the coal deposits discovered west of the river were found after drilling through sandstone rock. He says that while the present veins discovered are small, the indications are excellent and that endeavors will be immediately made to determine just the extent of the deposits and the value of the find.

### COLD WAVE SWEEPS EAST

WASHINGTON, Mar. 16.—A cold wave is prevalent all along the Atlantic coast from Eastport, Me., to Cape Hatteras, having traveled eastward from the great lakes, where zero temperature ruled yesterday.

In Duluth, Minn., the temperature was 5 below zero last night, having fallen 70 degrees in 18 hours. At Virginia, Minn., where the men killed in the cave-in of an iron mine were being dug out, work had to be suspended because the ice and snow were caked hard with the frost. At St. Paul the temperature was one above zero and the wind blew 60 miles an hour. Devils Lake, N. D., reported two below; Wainipeg, six below, and Prince Arthur eight below. The forecast is for continued cold today and tonight.

### TILMAN DOES NOT EXPECT TO RECOVER

AUGUSTA, Ga., Mar. 16.—That he considers the stroke which caused his collapse will be the beginning of the end was admitted by Senator Tillman of South Carolina. Tillman said he was certain he would not recover.

"I find that my old strength is gone, and I expect the end at any time," said Tillman.

### GRANTS PASS WEATHER

Following is a summary of the weather observation at Grants Pass. Following is a summary of the weather observation at Grants Pass for the month of February, 1911.

	TEMPERATURE			Prec. Ina.
	Max.	Min.	Range	
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4	44	33	11	
5	46	36	10	.11
6	46	30	16	
7	47	26	20	
8	47	26	21	
9	43	27	16	.03
10	49	36	13	.23
11	49	31	18	.15
12	49	28	21	.12
13	45	32	13	.41
14	44	28	16	.01
15	46	23	23	
16	51	25	26	
17	57	37	20	.01
18	54	29	25	
19	51	26	25	
20	55	22	33	
21	58	22	36	
22	55	22	33	
23	55	21	34	
24	48	22	26	
25	47	30	17	.11
26	42	21	21	
27	50	20	30	
28	55	26	29	

Summary: Mean temperature, 38 degrees; maximum temperature, 58 degrees; date 21. Minimum temperature, 20 degrees; date 27. Total precipitation, 162 inches; total snow-fall, 4 1/2 inches. Clear, 10 days; partly cloudy, 7; cloudy 11 days. Direction, southwest.

### NO FURTHER CUTS SAYS PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 16.—There will be no further cuts in steamship rates between Los Angeles and San Francisco as far as the Pacific Navigation company is concerned, according to an announcement by the officials of that company. Following a conference here, Captain Goodall decided that the present rate of \$8.35 retained by his company was cheap enough.

We will make no effort to make the San Francisco-Portland company's rate of \$6.35," said Goodall. "Our service from San Francisco is four hours faster than the opposition and that time difference ought to be worth the two dollars difference."

### BALFOUR SAYS ENGLAND'S POLICY IS NIGGARDLY

LONDON, Mar. 15.—The government's naval policy was attacked tonight in the house of commons by Arthur Balfour in a lengthy argument for larger appropriations.

"England's supremacy," Balfour said, "is threatened as a result of the government's niggardly policy. The situation is very grave. If the present plans are carried out England's naval strength by 1913 will be only equal to that of the combined fleets of the powers in the triple alliance."

Arthur Lee said that England should build six dreadnaughts annually without regard to the naval programs of other nations.

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Referring to the projected treaty, Balfour said: "I hope we may take President Taft's words as representing the general feeling, not only of the government but of the people of the United States. It is pleasant to believe that the time is coming when the two great countries may refer all their differences to arbitration."

"If the government succeeds in carrying out its agreement it will find no heartier supporters than the conservatives, who have always supported measures for the good of the empire."

### HASKELL REPLIES TO ROOSEVELT'S CRITICISM

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Mar. 16.—Replying to Colonel Roosevelt's criticism of the Oklahoma constitution, former Governor C. N. Haskell said today: "Roosevelt is one of the few men combining all the qualities of the ass and the jackass. There is no single provision in the Oklahoma constitution that bribegivers or special interests would pay a quarter for. In Roosevelt's seven years as chief executive there was no single official act which bribegivers would have prevented. Roosevelt is a dead one. Why waste time on him?"

### CANADIANS WANT ALASKA

VICTORIA, B. C., Mar. 16.—"There will continue to be dissatisfaction until the American authorities realize that the only salvation for Alaska lies in her annexation to Canada," said Duff Pattullo, a well known merchant of Prince Rupert. Mr. Pattullo said that during the winter hundreds of Alaskans who had come to Prince Rupert expressed disgust with the condition of affairs in the territory. Such rigid conservation plans are being carried out, they said, that old-timers can't make

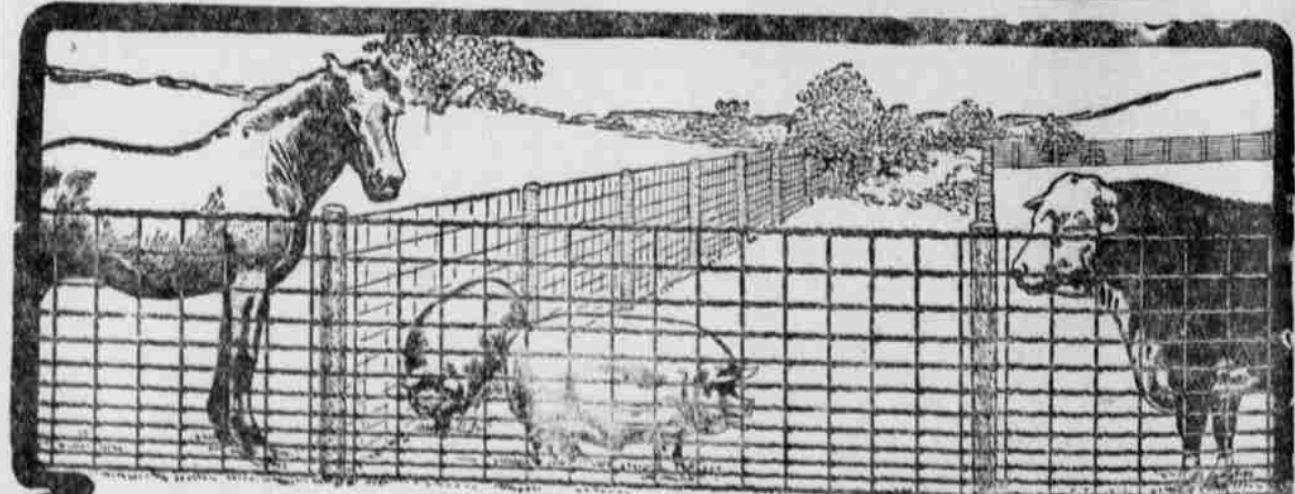
a living, and are moving away. "I am told that the country is in a state of unrest and the people want the Canadian flag," continued Mr. Pattullo.

### 324,000 DIVORCES GRANTED IN THE UNITED STATES

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 16.—A resolution calling upon congress for an amendment to the federal constitution for the regulation of marriage and divorce laws to insure the maintenance of the family was adopted today by the national marriage and divorce commission of California in meeting here. Figures were presented to show that from 1900 to 1906 there were 324,000 divorces in the United States, affecting the welfare of more than 100,000 children.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Ore., March 13, 1911. Notice is hereby given that Florence DeBar, whose postoffice address is 189 E. 11th street, Eugene Oregon, did, on the 11th day of June, 1910, file in this office Sworn Statement and application No. 06376, to purchase the N 1/4 NE 1/4 and SE 1/4 NE 1/4, section 14, township 37 S., range 5 west Willamette Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and act amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisal, and that pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised \$610.00, the timber estimated 1,160,000 board feet at 50 cents per M, and the land \$30.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 26th day of May, 1911, before W. W. Calkins, United States Commissioner, at Eugene Oregon. Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest, at any time before payment issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry. BENJAMIN F. JONES, Register



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