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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1906.

COURT CONDON. NO. 54. F. OF A. MEETS Mondays evening of each month in Armory Hall lodge room. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us. A warm welcome awaits you.
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W. B. KINSELY, Clerk. W. F. ALLEN, Consul Commander

The year just past has been one of the most prosperous years the farmers of this country have ever known. The value of the farms, including live stock, is estimated by the Secretary of Agriculture at the inconceivable figure of \$6,694,000,000.00, nearly half a billion more than last year and over two billion more than in 1899. An increase of 44 per cent in seven years is cause enough for thanksgiving. Over a million farmers who were debtors ten years ago, trying to pay the interest on mortgages on their farms are now looking for investments for their money. The exports of farm products, in spite of increased consumption at home, have grown to \$976,000,000. In spite of the injurious statements printed about the packing houses the figures for exports of packing house products exceed \$200,000,000 for the first time. The balance of trade in favor of the American farmer, that is, the excess of exportations of American agricultural products over imports, of the same character, was for last year \$433,000,000, as against \$85,000 for all other classes of exports and imports. Taking the last 17 years together the balance in favor of the American farmer is over six billion dollars, while the balance against the other American producers combined amounts to nearly half a billion. The increased prosperity of the farmer has enabled him to make himself still richer by developing land which was wholly or partially unproductive because of lack of money. Alluvial land has been reclaimed, marshes have been drained, the proper seeds or plants have been bought for special soils. Rocky slopes have been planted with fruit trees and leguminous plants on sandy soil. Arid and semi-arid soil has been irrigated. Improvements have not been halted by lack of cash. At the same time farm life has been made less monotonous by the introduction of the telephone everywhere and by the trolley and rural free delivery in the more thickly settled districts. The Department of Agriculture has done much to stimulate this growth of prosperity. It has introduced a winter wheat which bears five bushels an acre more than the old kind and a winter barley which bears 50 per cent more than spring barley. It has found that the camphor tree flourishes in Florida on land where the orange orchards have been de-

stroyed by frost, and that date palms will grow successfully in Arizona. The alkali lands can now be successfully reclaimed, promising new development to Utah and states similarly situated, while a way to inoculate soils for leguminous crops has been found even more successful than the one hitherto used. The farm is the strength of the nation, and the city dweller wishes the farmer a long continuance of the present prosperity. As long as the farmer has work for the unemployed of the cities and money to buy the products of the factories, the cities share in the good things of life. When the crops are poor and the farmer is hard up the factories must close and the workmen out of a job look in vain to the farm for a chance to share in the harvest.

The contest for the presidency of the Oregon State Senate is waxing warm. Senator Hodson of Multnomah county and Senator Haines of Washington county seem to be the bell wethers in the race for the honor. Each of these law makers have a strong following and the prospect of an early settlement of the contest is not exceedingly bright.

According to Monday's Oregonian Senator Wheelon of Wasco county has three satellites in the Upper House of the State Legislature and the name of Senator Bowerman of this district is mentioned as one of them.

A bill providing for a state banking law and for the creation of a state bank inspector is being drafted by a committee from the state association of bankers. Its object is to secure state supervision of all private banks for the purpose of protecting depositors. It is rather strange that a law of this sort was not enacted years ago. Oregon is far behind her sister states in the matter of a state banking law and had such a law been passed before the panic of '92 and '93 it would have perhaps saved many a dollar for people who were unfortunate enough to have a bank account in that time of financial unrest.

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