

SMUTLESS GRAIN and SCABLESS POTATOES

Will Help Solve the Food Question

The parasitic diseases of grains, potatoes, etc., are due to spores or germs planted with the seed. An efficient means of prevention is the treatment of all seeds with a

Solution of Formaldehyde

One pound of formaldehyde of standard strength added to forty-five gallons of water is sufficient to treat seventy to eighty bushels of wheat or corn, and fifty to sixty bushels of oats or barley. Potatoes may also be inexpensively treated. We have a guaranteed full-strength formaldehyde. For those who prefer it, we can, supply Blue Stone for grains and Corrosive Sublimite for potatoes.



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Town and Vicinity

Alvin Price of Marcola was in town Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Green of Donna were in this city Monday.

Reliable remedies right reasonable—Rexall.

Mrs. Cofer of Wendling was in town Monday on business.

John Madren of Cottage Grove was in Springfield Sunday.

Best Shoe Repairing at WOLF & MILLER.

Wm. Garret of Corvallis was in Springfield for the week-end.

Byron Neet of this city spent last week end in Portland visiting friends.

Mrs. Uhl, NuBone Corseteere will make her headquarters at Mrs. Thompson's Milliner Store every Saturday, beginning March 9th.

W. C. Myers of Hayden Bridge was in Springfield Monday on business.

W. T. Cornelius of Goshen was in town on business yesterday.

For the best bread on earth, eat Eggmann's bread.

The Springfield Feed company unloaded a car of poultry supplies Monday.

J. W. Keyes of the Eugene Power plant at Waterville was in town Monday on business.

First-Class shoe repairing at the W. A. HALL Shoe Store.

Mrs. Francis Dowdy was taken to the local hospital yesterday for treatment for nervousness.

George Musselman of Portland was registered at the Springfield Hotel Friday.

Be sure and try a St. Patrick's Special at Ketel's Fountain.

D. W. Sturges went to Portland Tuesday on business connected with the draft board.

Oris Wilkinson of Camas, Washington was registered at the Springfield Hotel Monday.

See us for Field Grains, Clover Seed Land Plaster, etc. Grain Cleaning, Rolling and Grinding at our Warehouse Springfield Feed Co.

S. B. Huston, who is a candidate for the nomination of United States senator was in Springfield yesterday.

The Springfield Mill and Elevator company shipped a car load of flour east Saturday.

J. R. Snyder of Leona, Oregon arrived in this city Tuesday to visit with his sister Mrs. George Catching. He left yesterday for Coquille to visit another sister, Mrs. F. C. Pernley, who lives there.

Ben F. West of Salem was in this city yesterday. He is a candidate for nomination of State treasurer.

Bakery lunch—Sausa, Sandwiches, Coffee or Tea, at Eggmann's.

Mrs. Jap Hills returned to her home at Oak Ridge Monday after an extended visit with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Stiffer of Portland are in this city visiting Mrs. Stiffer's parents Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lybarger.

Anybody having good Hoover Recipes please leave with O. B. Kessey at Commercial State Bank.

Dr. S. A. Danford delivered an address yesterday at the County Sunday school convention at Yarnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Adams of Penza were in Springfield Wednesday on business. They returned home today.

See the auto eye tester at Peery's.

The Pacific Auto company delivered to the Springfield Feed company, Tuesday morning a new one ton Maxwell auto truck.

Sidney Hubbard, of Denver, Colorado, was in Springfield a few days ago visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Swarts.

Be sure and try a St. Patrick's Special at Ketel's Fountain.

C. E. Swarts of this city was in Portland Monday and Tuesday on business for the Swarts & Washburne firm.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Signor moved to Eugene the first of this week, so that Mr. Signor could be nearer his work in the car shops there.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a St. Patrick's ten cent tea on Friday afternoon in the church parlors. Every body is invited.

Those visiting the Elite hotel this week are Ella Scholes, Portland; W. L. Dunham, Albany; Silas Keeney, Jess Wilton and Bryon Garrett of Portland.

Particular people prefer purchasing perfectly pure potent pills, powders, potions, plasters, patents, pens, paper, and pleasing perfumes at Peery's Painstaking Pill Parlor.

W. L. Goodell and family moved Tuesday to the Dr. Young ranch two miles south of Eugene, on Eugene R. F. D. No. 3. They came here from Junction City the first of the year.

\$100 Reward, \$100
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lamberty and daughter Charlotte, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lamberty, all of Albany, visited with their mother Mrs. N. A. Rowe of this city, Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Hager and Mrs. A. C. Chase of Creswell motored to Springfield this afternoon.

Robert McKey of this city has taken a position as elevator boy in the Cokerline and Wetherbee building in Eugene.

Fit your own eyes with spectacles at Peery's.

District Superintendent James Moore will preach at the Methodist church here both Sunday morning and evening. There will be a special communion service in the morning.

John L. Bryan, of Springfield entered a plea of guilty of assault before Justice Wells of Eugene Monday, and was assessed a fine of five dollars.

Smith Mountjoy and Thomas A. Billings of this city have purchased new Harley-Davidson motorcycles which are electrically equipped.

For St. Patrick's Day, get your order in early for Ice Cream, Candies, and Pastry, Eggmann's Candy Kitchen and Bakery.

Jahn Yate of Torsville, Ohio spent yesterday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Richmond. This is Mr. Yate's first visit to the coast. He is an old friend of the Richmonds.

Mrs. N. A. Ashworth has received word that her son, Sidney L. Ashworth has arrived safely "overseas." He is with Co. C, 7th battalion, 20th engineers, A. E. F. Via New York.

Mrs. Ed Ninnis and son from Tredwell, Alaska arrived here the first of the week and are living on a farm near the Mt. Vernon school house, east of this city.

Miss Eva Hughes, a reporter for the Albany Daily Democrat, arrived in this city Saturday to visit with her sister Mrs. W. R. Dawson, who lives here.

Three twelve foot marble slabs were received by the Eggmann Candy Kitchen and Bakery on Saturday to be used in the construction of the new soda fountain.

Dr. James Moore of Eugene in the Methodist church in Springfield next Sunday, morning and evening.

The official board of the Methodist church held a short business meeting Tuesday evening but dismissed early in order to attend the services at the Baptist church. Only the regular monthly business was transacted and the monthly bills allowed.

Miss Estella Martin of this city, who has been employed in the AX Billy department store in Eugene, has accepted a position in the Golden Rule store there. She began her new duties this morning.

We offer you the largest stock of Poultry Supplies in Lane county. Let us help you to figure out a way to make your flock more profitable to you. Springfield Feed Co.

Guests at the Springfield hotel this week are John Madren, Cottage Grove; G. W. Hickson; A. W. Smith; Wm C. Garrett; Oris Wilkinson, Camas, Wash.; T. E. Whittaker, Thurston; John Innis, Addie Pnerstreet, Portland; Archie Willard, Creswell; Jack Harris; Ed Black; and Jack Bean.

Robert Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Mann who live north of this city passed through Eugene this morning on his way to a training camp in the South. He enlisted recently in the aviation service.

Don't miss Dr. James Moore of Eugene at the Methodist church in Springfield next Sunday, morning and evening. Those who heard him when here last fall will remember his great sermon on the Bible, and will want to hear him again on a "Patriotic" theme. Special music. adv.

Mrs. Homer Davis of Eugene was in this city yesterday visiting friends and relatives.

Musical Concertos
What Are They? The Greatest Musical Compositions Written and Played by the Masters

The Pacific Conservatory of Music of Eugene has the undisputed record of producing pupils who are proficient in concertos after two years of training.

Eminent instructors say they have never heard of such a thing.

During the existence of the Pacific Conservatory of Eugene the past seven years it is the only school of music in Lane county that has turned out pupils that play concertos.

Concertos are for the masters in music, other schools will tell you, and not for the ordinary music student. The Pacific Conservatory believes that Concertos are for every person who has talent for music and this school produces them after two years of training.

One pupil of the Pacific Conservatory Robert Haney who has only taken two years plays four concertos in one evening's program and is now studying his fifth.

Robert Haney will appear in a recital at Eugene April 15th to which the public will be cordially invited. The proof of the music is in the production. Come and hear him.

It costs no more to take training at the Pacific Conservatory than at other schools, but pupils finish up in much less time. In choosing a school why not choose the best, especially when it costs no more than the inferior kind.

Pacific Conservatory of Music
731 Willamette Street.
Eugene, Oregon adv.

Tuscania Victim Writes Mother
Dr. Shannon L. Van Valzah Describes Scenes of U-Boat Disaster

Mrs. A. B. Van Valzah of this city this morning received a letter from her son Dr. Shannon L. Van Valzah first lieutenant, commanding a unit, who was on the Tuscania when it was torpedoed off the Irish coast a few weeks ago. The following is the letter in part:

I was quite sick in the boat. Had Grippe and an awfully sore throat for 3 days before we were struck. At the time I was in my berth asleep. I was fully dressed and ready for any emergency so when I heard the report and all the glass flying and felt the shudder of the ship, I put on my life belt and made for the boat station.

Everything went smoothly for a while. The ship listed toward the side, struck but that was all. She did not sink rapidly and Reader and 3 of our men and myself stuck together.

After about an hour and a half, one of the torpedo boats came alongside and took off several hundred men. Many had gone in life boats and were later picked up by trawlers.

We didn't get away on the first T. B. so waited about a half hour longer when a 2nd came along side and all the rest on board went on her. A third stood off and picked up lots of men on rafts and in boats.

We were then taken into the coast towns and kept for the remainder of the night. I couldn't speak above a whisper so layed low the next day and felt much better.

Then we started and never stayed more than 36 hours in any one place until we got here. This is a Rest Camp. I have grown steadily better so that now I am O. K. I eat like a pig and feel fine. All of my men are here and O. K. They all went off in complete uniform and we saved all our records so we have not suffered at all except as to change of underwear and shirts which we get from English stock. The only thing wrong is that we had to leave all our personal effects on board. I don't mind that tho as I got away with my life and can always get more.

I lost about \$500 worth of stuff at the very highest figure while many lost \$1000 or even more. What I get now will cost me not more than \$200 and I'll have plenty and will be able to move it well. As it is used up I can get more and never have so much that any of it is in my way."

2ND QUARTERLY MEETING
At the Methodist Church Next Sunday in Springfield

Dr. James Moore of Eugene, the District Superintendent of the Methodist church will preach next Sunday morning and evening in the Methodist church. It is the occasion of the Second Quarterly meeting and is a rare chance to hear one of the greatest preachers in Oregon. adv.

Red Cross Benefit Social
A social will be given at the W. O. W. hall Wednesday evening March 20 under the Auspices of the United Artists. Each lady please bring a lunch for two which will be auctioned. Hot coffee will be served. A good program including some very excellent readings from Bible University students. Everybody is invited, come and make this a success, as the proceeds go to the Red Cross. adv.

DUNTLEY VACUUM SWEEPER
ONLY \$7.50

Ask these ladies of Springfield about their Machines: Mesdames Carl Fischer, H. M. Stewart, Geo. Barnes, W. N. Long, D. W. Roof, Dr. Mortensen, Dr. Richmond, J. W. Coffin, J. M. Withrow, and J. C. Dimm.

There are about 400 delighted owners in Eugene.
J. O. McCrady, Agent, Eugene Phone 884-J.

ROBERT BURNS Lodge, No. 75, A. M. F., Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Valvurnal and Symbolic Free Masons meets first and third Friday evening in W. O. W. hall. Visiting brothers welcome.
P. A. Johnson Secretary. Chas. Kingswell R. W. M.

No. 8941 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE **FIRST NATIONAL BANK** At Springfield, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business on March 4, 1918.

RESOURCES		
1. a Loans and discounts (except those shown in b and c)		\$111,675.73
Total loans		111,675.73
2. Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured, \$1,252.52		1,252.52
5. U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds of 1917):		
a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	6,250.00	6,250.00
6. Liberty loan bonds:		
a Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2 per cent and 4 per cent unpledged	5,500.00	5,500.00
7. Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S. bonds):		
b Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits	4,500.00	
c Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	36,890.87	41,390.87
9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		850.00
10. a Value of banking house	3,082.61	
b Equity in banking house		5,082.61
11. Furniture and fixtures		2,300.00
12. Real estate owned other than banking house		10,250.99
13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		15,097.13
15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		46,091.41
18. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 16):		4,813.30
Total of items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	50,919.71	
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		312.50
Total		\$253,782.11
LIABILITIES		
24. Capital stock paid in		\$25,000.00
25. Surplus fund		3,500.00
26. a Undivided profit	4,528.08	
b Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	1,945.65	2,582.43
30. Circulating notes outstanding		6,250.00
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
34. Individual deposits subject to check		132,569.57
35. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		36,039.71
37. Cashier's checks outstanding		331.28
Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, and 41	168,940.56	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice and postal savings):		
42. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		44,557.33
44. Postal savings deposits		2,841.79
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 42, 43, 44, and 45	47,399.12	
53. a Cash Letters of Credit and Travelers' Checks outstanding	100.00	100.00
Total		\$253,782.11

State of Oregon, County of Lane—SS.
I, D. S. BEALS, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
D. S. BEALS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 13th day of March, 1918.
FRANK A. DE PUE, Notary Public
My commission expires Jan. 13, 1920.
L. K. PAGE, J. F. SMITH, CHAS. L. SCOTT, Directors.

Spring Furniture Arriving
We Are Daily Receiving Shipments of
Spring Furniture

And you will find our store full of beautiful Bed-Room and Dining Room Suits, Floor Coverings, in all the standard sizes, Draperies, Ranges, etc.

Don't wait until you begin your spring house cleaning to make your selection BUT DO IT NOW while you have so many patterns to choose from. We can lay them aside and deliver when wanted.

Come in and let us figure with you, whether your wants are large or small for we can save you money on anything in the housefurnishing line.

USE OUR "EXCHANGE DEPARTMENT"
If you have furniture that does not suit or you want something better we will take it and allow you a liberal price for it in exchange for new.

BRAUER & CONLEY
Cor. 9th and Oak Eugene, Oregon

SELZ
Ladies' Fine Shoes at reasonable prices at the home of good shoes.

The W. A. HALL Shoe Store
Main Between Fourth and Fifth

Also First-Class Shoe Repairing