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CAPTURED.
All people of eastern Multnomah and Clackamas counties will breathe a little easier and feel their lives and property are safer now that the bandit who has been recently operating in this section has been caught.

The reason he gave for adopting the bandit life was that he was hard up and had to do something to support his family. He got away with the first job or two and then the way seemed easy. But last night's attempt at Troutdale proved his undoing. He was bold, slow and talkative.

But he might even at that have again gotten away if several Troutdale citizens had not been fearless and alert and gone after him.

There may be other bandits in the making but they will hesitate to tackle a job in Troutdale. Both counties owe a vote of thanks to the captors.

GRESHAM FARMERS.
There must be an unusually progressive set of farmers around Gresham. They refuse to let the manufacturers influence them to make a fight on the children of America. At a recent convention where 500 were assembled, they almost unanimously endorsed the child labor legislation.

A most unfair campaign is being made. The truth has been misrepresented to the farmers and many of them do not see it and will not see it until it is too late. The child labor bill will help the farmers. No congress ever did or ever will prohibit children from laboring on the farms. In fact they will be encouraged to do outdoor work just as they should be. There never will be a more drastic labor law passed in America than the one in Oregon today, and we submit that it is unfair for Oregon citizens, who have everything they need in the way of legislation, to join in to keep the children of other states in the sweatshops. It is an awful responsibility to assume.—The Oregon Statesman.

MRS. GENTRY COMMENDS PROGRESS OF GRESHAM
Mrs. Alta Gentry, who last year was parish secretary of the Powell Valley circuit of the Methodist church and is at present attending the Kimball theological school at Salem, writes the Outlook a commendatory letter and sends a clipping from the Oregon Statesman which will be found elsewhere in this issue.

The Statesman editorially commends the action taken at the farmer-granger meeting here Saturday in passing practically unanimously a resolution favoring the child-labor amendment.

Mrs. Gentry, who knows this section and its people well, commends its general progressiveness. She says: "When I hear these men talk of rural churches and rural conditions of various kinds, I'm proud of the progress of the Gresham and eastern Multnomah section.

"I think it is a wonderfully progressive neighborhood and from my observation and study believe it is due to the combined leadership of rural-minded, far-visioned pastors, an aggressive and capable county agent and a first-class club leader, plus a sympathetic press. Perhaps I should add also a fair degree of cooperation between these organizations.

"To make eastern Multnomah farm life ideal is only to carry out the work commenced with an even more unified program and wholehearted cooperation."

Gas Company Makes Improvements.
Employees of the Portland Gas & Coke company were busily engaged Tuesday and Wednesday in putting in new gaskets into the gas main connection joints along north Main street. Their work was to extend only to the Section Line road where there is smaller pipe which does not require any gaskets, being connected by a screw pipe union.

Ordinarily the gaskets have to be replaced every ten years to prevent unnecessary leakage, but at this time the company is obviating the necessity of ever having to dig through to the main pipe again by installing lead gaskets in place of the rubber ones which have formerly been in use.

The crew of ten men can replace from 40 to 50 gaskets in a day. They are obliged to remove the dirt to a depth of four feet each time a new gasket is installed. The face of the workman who does the changing of the gaskets under ground is protected by a gas mask and he is supplied with fresh air constantly by means of a hand-operated bellows pumping the oxygen to him through a hose.

The work was interesting to a number of spectators who were on hand to offer suggestions and gain information.

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POWELL VALLEY
Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Hiatt drove up from Phoenix, Oregon, Monday for an indefinite visit at the home of Mrs. Hiatt's mother, Mrs. Minnie Nystrom.

At the recent election of officers of the Luther League the following were re-elected for the coming year: S. M. Staffenson, president; Mrs. Albert Palmblad, vice president; Tanny Staffenson, secretary; Harold Gustafson, treasurer.

The Sunday school of the Mission church meets every Sunday at 10 o'clock, with August Peterson as superintendent. Next Sunday the pastor will preach from the words, "The Righteous Shall Live By Faith." In the evening he will use the theme of "The Unwearied God." The confirmation class will meet at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. A series of revival services will begin February 1 to continue two weeks, conducted by the Rev. Walford Westlund, of Tacoma, Washington.

J. T. Lundbom has returned from Emanuel hospital where he has been undergoing treatment for dropsical ailments from which he has been a sufferer for considerable length of time.

Charley Peterson has been in Emanuel hospital for the past week for examination by means of the X-ray to determine the nature of an illness which has been troubling him for the past few months.

Troutdale Young People Wed.
A wedding of much interest to the young people of Troutdale and surrounding community was that of Ernest Peterson, Jr., and Miss Alberta Pye, who were married Wednesday, January 21, very quietly in Portland. The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pye, of Troutdale, and for the past year has been employed at the central library in Portland. She completed her eighth grade work in Troutdale, later attending night school in the city, after which she secured a position at the library which, she is said to have filled very acceptably.

Mr. Peterson is the only son of Ernest Peterson, Sr., and is a prosperous young farmer of exemplary habits. He has erected a new house on his ranch on Staggerweed mountain, two and a half miles southeast of Troutdale, where the young people will begin housekeeping at once.

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HAY RECOMMENDATIONS.
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2. Grimm alfalfa only should be used and it should always be inoculated.

3. If a dairy farmer must buy part of his feed, it will usually be cheaper in proportion to its feeding value than is the case with grain. Hay is also cheaper to produce per acre than grain, due to the smaller outlay in equipment and the avoidance of threshing costs.

4. A crop of grain hay seldom pays. Vetch and oats or clover will produce more hay of better quality.


OATS AND BARLEY.
1. THE SITUATION.
Oats are the leading cereal crop of the county, with 4,500 acres in 1923. The average yield is 40 bushels per acre. Barley averages about 36 bushels per acre with an acreage of only 500. Although oats yield a few more bushels than barley, the latter averages 440 pounds more of grain per acre due to its heavier weight per bushel.

Barley is a superior feed to oats when fed with alfalfa, clover, or vetch hay. It's only drawback is the necessity for grinding it. Its good qualities are better appreciated in California and east of the Cascades where in many counties oats are practically an unknown feed.

It is usually necessary to grow some grain in crop rotations, but under conditions here it will usually be impossible to figure any profit from it. On oats for example, the cost of production will exceed \$50 per acre and the average price will be only about 45 cents per bushel. This will make it necessary to grow over 100 bushels per acre to get cost of production, which is an impossible situation.

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NEW WATER SYSTEM FOR SANDY IS COMPLETED
The new gravity water system which has been put in for the city of Sandy at a cost of approximately \$25,000, is practically complete and it is expected that the water will be turned on some time this week. Ninety users within the city have been connected up with the system and about 15 others outside the city have signed up for water and will be supplied as soon as meters can be installed. The water is pure and cold, coming as it does out of the rocks in a gushing spring which, it is estimated, will be sufficient to supply a city of 30,000 people. This spring is the head of Badger creek and only a small portion is diverted to supply the needs of Sandy at present.

The city owns 20 acres including the spring, six miles east of the city. A 3-inch pipe line brings the water to a storage tank a mile from the city limits. From there 5 1/2-inch mains are used. The water will come to the users at a pressure of about 72 pounds to the square inch. The 20 acres were purchased from Mr. Brownell of the Portland Nursery company at a cost of \$2,000. The pipe line follows the Mt. Hood Loop road for almost the entire length and already there are prospects of many new settlers who are being attracted, not only by the beauty of the location but by the possibility of getting a supply of pure running water. Several business houses and residences for the city of Sandy are being planned for the near future.

The following recently elected officers of Sandy grange were installed at a joint ceremony at Gresham last Saturday, January 17: A. C. Thomas, master; Willard Bosholt, overseer; Mrs. Malar, lecturer; Louis Hanneberg, steward; P. Stone, assistant steward; Mrs. Douglass, chaplain; A. J. Morrison, treasurer; Mrs. Viola Harper, secretary; J. M. Thomas, gate keeper; Mrs. Perret, Ceres; Annelise Thies, Pomona; Mrs. Stone, Flora; Mrs. Sutherland, lady assistant steward; Mrs. Thies, musician. The executive committee consists of Mrs. A. W. Bell, L. Hanneberg and W. Bosholt. The legislative committee consists of Anton Malar, A. J. Morrison and A. C. Thomas.

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