

## ALFALFA MEAL EQUALS CORN

### New Feed for Fattening Beef Cattle

Will tend to increase packing business on the coast

"Alfalfa Meal" is the latest stock food, which it is claimed is destined to rival corn as a fat producer for beef cattle. It is asserted that in the near future, with the establishment of mills for grinding alfalfa meal, that there will be no necessity of shipping the cattle from the coast states to the east to be fattened on corn.

Heretofore Oregon and other western states have been sending thousands of head of cattle and sheep to the feeding grounds of the east. This stock, brought here in good condition, but not fat enough for the butcher, has been shipped into corn growing states where it had to be kept for a year or more before being considered fit for the markets at Chicago, Kansas City and Omaha. The idea has consequently prevailed that Oregon will do very well to raise stock, but not to fatten it. With the introduction of "Alfalfa Meal" this notion will vanish, as the meal can be produced cheaper here than corn can in the states of the Mississippi Valley.

Many of the prominent stockmen of the state have become interested in the new food, and it is believed that it will not be long before mills for grinding will be started in different parts of the state. The establishment of the big packing plants at Portland and the growth of the packing business throughout the entire coast, has necessitated the fattening of stock here, and as "necessity is the mother of invention" the "alfalfa meal" is the result.

#### NOT BUYING FOR HARRIMAN.

Mr. Ellis, who purchased the Gardner ranch yesterday, emphatically denies the report that he purchased the property for Mr. Harriman. He says that he has faith in the future of the Wood River country and is trying to interest buyers in that section. The

idea, however, that Mr. Harriman intends to invest in farm lands he considers as foolish. His denial is printed herewith.

Editor Evening Herald: If it will interest your readers, I would like to say that I bought the B. B. Gardner ranch at Fort Klamath for the firm of Albright & Ellis, and report has another guess coming when "She" thinks I bought it for anyone but the above parties. This property is for sale if anyone is willing to pay what I consider it worth, otherwise it will be improved and kept as an investment.

JOHN ELLIS

## MAY LOSE PRISONER

### Barclay's Attorney Trying to Get Him Out of Jail Before Arrival of Marshal

After the commendable work done by the sheriff and other officials, in securing evidence and the arrest of Willie Barclay for the murder of Sid Jacobs, it looks as if the Federal officials were going to allow their man to get away.

As it is a Federal case the state officers have no authority to proceed further in the case. Barclay was arrested at Alturas and is held there awaiting the arrival of an officer with a warrant for his removal. The District Attorney's office at Portland has been notified and a wire was received by Superintendent Wilson, of the Indian Reservation, stating that a United States Marshal would be sent for Barclay. The Marshal has not arrived and nothing further has been heard from the Federal officials.

It is understood that Barclay has secured an attorney and is making an effort to be released from jail. As there is no charge filed against him, the sheriff of Modoc county has no authority to hold the prisoner, and it is feared that he may be released before the Federal authorities get around to do anything. Mr. Wilson returned this afternoon to the Agency.

Before leaving he stated that if Barclay was not accused of a Federal crime, he would have authority to compel him to return to the Reservation, but as the authorities had notified him that they would attend to the case he did not feel like interfering. He wired the office at Portland but had received no reply before he left.

## NOW IT'S UP TO CITY

### Another View on Enforcement of the Local Option Law

All of the fines to be paid into the City Treasury if the Conviction is Made Before the Police Judge, Acting in the Capacity of Justice of the Peace

There seems to be considerable contention as to who is responsible for the enforcement of the Local Option law. The county officials justly argue that they were not elected as detectives and that their numerous office duties do not give them leisure to hunt for evidence, even if that were their duty. The city officials claim that they could put a stop to the blind pigs if they had the authority and were given the revenue from the fines imposed. As there seems to be such a difference of opinion on the matter, the Presenting Attorney's office was asked to furnish the law in the matter.

The following provisions in the city charter and the Local Option law are given for consideration of the public:

Sec. 55, City Charter: "The police judge has jurisdiction and authority of a justice of the peace in both civil and criminal matters within the limits of the City of Klamath Falls, and shall have the same power and jurisdiction and be subject to all general laws of the State describing the duties and rights of a justice of the peace and the mode of performing them, etc."

Sec. 17, Local Option Law: "and it is the duty of the judges of the Circuit Court and justices of the peace having jurisdiction in the premises, to see that this law is rigidly enforced."

Sec. 57, City Charter: "All fines imposed by said judge and penalties recovered, whether for violation of a city ordinance or a state law shall be paid by the police judge to the city treasurer. When acting as a justice of the peace the police judge receives extra compensation as any other justice of the peace."

In view of the above provisions of the law it would appear to be not only possible but quite essential that at least some of the city officials

should interest themselves in the enforcement of the Local Option law. The above provisions show how our city administration could get the money from the fines while the county would have to bear the expense of imprisonment and the cost of the prosecuting of cases where no conviction is obtained. It appears that the city instead of not being able to do anything really has power to act and has every advantage possible in enforcing the law without expense.

## Heavy Vote Cast For Carnival Queen

The Carnival Queen contest is on. Up to noon today a trifle over 500 votes had been cast in this city. No returns have been received from Bonanza and Merrill, as yet, but it is thought that there will be a heavy vote polled in these places before the contest is closed.

The committee wish to state that it will be impossible for them to refuse to accept ballots cast for any young lady who is eligible to enter the contest. The ballots are bought and paid for, and the manager of the contest is forced to accept them and publish the results. Some of the young ladies in this city came out and announced in the papers that they would not be a candidate for Queen. Since these announcements were published, there has been at least three hundred votes cast for these same young ladies. As the public refuses to accept these refusals, the ladies should gracefully submit and make the best of matters. It is the penalty for being popular. Some of the ladies have already reconsidered the matter and will willingly remain in the race.

The Carnival committee wish to assure the contestants that the position of Queen of the Carnival, is well worth striving for, and the lady elected to fill that position will have no cause to regret entering the contest. It is an honor, conferred by the public and should be accepted as such.

Below will be found the results of the contest, up to noon today:

Miss Marie McMillan	154
Miss Louise Sargent	77
Miss Stella Campbell	72
Miss Lyle Watson	63
Miss L. Mills	53
Miss Louise Lee	41
Miss Lillian Stitts	32
Miss Eliza Stitts	26

#### CAN RAISE TOMATOES HERE.

Frank Armstrong has a lot of fine ripe tomatoes which he raised on his place on the west side. Some specimens are now on exhibit at Tom Stephens office. Mr. Armstrong says that he only had to protect them once from the frost and that was last night. He states that he experienced no difficulty in ripening the tomatoes and expects a large crop. He has had ripe tomatoes since the last week in August.

#### IS HE THE MAN?

Identification of Alleged Forger is Incomplete.

The county officers are up against a stiff proposition in the identification of John Larrison, who is accused of having forged the name of W. O. Webb. He was arrested yesterday at one of the government camps and when brought to this city, L. Jacobs, who cashed one of the checks, was unable to identify him. He was turned loose, but today was brought to the First National Bank, where he had attempted to cash a check for \$200. Here he was identified by Cashier W. A. Delzell. Larrison stoutly denied his guilt.

After presenting the check at the First National he returned to the Exchange Stables and asked Webb

what the telephone number of the bank was, stating that he had made a draft on Portland and wanted the bank to notify him when it was cashed. Delzell wanted to know who was talking but could not understand the name given, and stated that if he wanted to do business with the bank he had better come up and transact it there. When at the bank today Larrison denied having had any conversation of this kind, but was later forced to admit it, being unable to give any reason for his action.

Unless Mr. Jacobs can identify the man there is no possibility of a charge standing against him.

## NOT ENOUGH HOUSES

### Good Investment for Capital in Constructing Modern Cottages to Rent

Never before in the history of Klamath Falls has there been such a scarcity of houses for rent as there is at this time. It is surprising the demand that there is for five and six room modern cottages with a rental of from \$15 to \$30 a month. Many people from the country who wish to spend the winter here so that their children can attend school, have been compelled, by their inability to secure accommodations, to remain on the ranch or else move to some of the valley towns.

There have been four instances of this the past week, and a number of others have had to content themselves with inferior places when they were able and anxious to rent modern houses. Even the renters, who are located permanently in the city, are unable to get the accommodations they desire, and will watch for months ahead for some place to become vacant, so as to improve home conditions.

It is claimed that residence property is one of the safest and most profitable investments now to be had in Klamath Falls. A modern house is never allowed to remain vacant and parties who have built for renting purposes, claim that they are realizing 15 to 20 per cent on their investment. An effort should be made to induce idle capital to build for this purpose, as the lack of houses is retarding the growth and development of the city to a serious extent.

#### CEMETERY IS USED AS THE PASTURE FOR CATTLE.

For the past week about thirty to forty head of cattle have been feeding in the Cemetery, tramping over the graves, knocking down the tombstones and doing other damage. The fences are down in places and it is claimed that they were cut on purpose to allow the cattle to enter. Every little while the matter of improving the cemetery has been agitated, and it certainly seems that the people of Klamath Falls should have respect enough for the departed dead to do something without further delay to protect their last resting place.

## RESERVOIRS ABOUT READY

### Will Have Abundant Water Protection

Sufficient Water for City of Ten Thousand People

Within a month or six weeks the Klamath Falls Light & Water Company will be able to store 700,000 gallons of water in its reservoirs, as the two new ones now being constructed will be ready for use by that time. The three reservoirs have the same elevation and are supplied from the same pipe, and thus will always contain an equal depth of water.

The present reservoir has a capacity of 300,000 gallons, and the one in the east end of town on the Hot Springs tract, has an equal capacity. The shingles are now being put on the roof, and as soon as this is completed the cement lining will be put in and the reservoir will be ready for water. Pipe connections are being made and it is expected that everything will be finished within the month. The reservoir being built on the west side is smaller and will have a capacity of 100,000 gallons. The men are completing the stone work and will be ready for the roof Monday. With the completion of these three reservoirs, the city will be protected by a bounteous supply of water.

When asked if the present spring would supply sufficient water for the three reservoirs, Mr. Gates, manager of the Water Company, stated that their present source was sufficient to supply a city of 10,000 people, and if it were necessary enough more springs could be uncovered in that locality to supply three times that number.

The plant can pump 600 gallons of water a minute, with the one pump they now have. This they only use about seven hours a day, but they can average 30,000 gallons an hour for the entire 24 hours without lowering the water an inch. The company is now installing a second pump and will then be able to supply 72,000 gallons an hour, if it should ever be necessary.

#### ARTHUR BENSON MARRIED.

Word has been received by Judge H. L. Benson, of the marriage of his son, Arthur, at Salem, to Miss Harriett A. McGregor, daughter of a prominent pioneer couple of Linn county. Arthur S. Benson is deputy clerk of the Supreme Court at Salem, and is also secretary of the Salem Lodge of Elks, in which capacity he has served for three successive terms. The marriage was performed Saturday evening, September 12, by Rev. H. T. Babcock, of the Presbyterian church.



## Ladies'

Newest Fall Coats  
Silk Cravenettes  
Sweaters, Pony Jackets  
Walking Skirts, Etc.

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