

Start the New Year Right

Decide right now to make 1921 a winner with your stock and poultry. Here are two simple rules that it will pay you to follow:

1. BUY FEED OF HIGHEST QUALITY.

Such as:



**SCRATCHFOOD
EGG PRODUCER
DAIRY FEED
CALF MEAL**

2. BUY WHERE PRICES ARE RIGHT, AND WHERE YOU RECEIVE THE MAXIMUM IN SERVICE AND COURTESY, like the

BAKER FUEL COMPANY

7th and Columbia Sts.

Branch Stores:

**BOWEN & LEPPER, East Fourth Street
WESTSIDE GROCERY, 1008 Page Street.
LOG CABIN GROCERY, Tumwater.**

FARM BUREAU PREXY HUSKS CORN AND TALKS MARKETING



R. Howard, aside from being national president of the American Farm Bureau Federation is first and last a farmer. On his 180-acre farm in Marshalltown, near Clemons, he passed long enough recently from husking 80 to 90 bushels of corn to make a big 200-acre field, to turn over his organization with its 100,000 and a half members—many of them practical and active farmers—planned to solve the farmers' distribution problems through commodity marketing. Their plans are for even distribution of all foodstuffs over the 12 months of the year by holding it in farmer-owned storage, instead of harvest time glutting of the market as at present. "The farmer wants only the cost of production plus a reasonable profit," says Howard.

OBITUARY

MRS. J. G. SAMS PASSES AWAY.

The death of Mrs. Anna Sams, wife of J. G. Sams, deputy county assessor, comes as a great loss to this community, where Mrs. Sams has made her home for many years and has a host of friends and acquaintances. Mrs. Sams passed away at the family home at 1122 Adams street Friday morning after a brief illness. As her death was quite unexpected, it came as a great shock to her many friends here. Her daughter, Miss Mary Jane Sams, who has been attending the University of California and was home for her Christmas vacation, was at her mother's bedside when the end came.

Mrs. Sams is survived by her husband, a son and daughter in Kansas City, Missouri, and a son, County Commissioner J. C. Sams, and daughter, Miss Mary Jane Sams of this city.

Before coming to Olympia Mrs. Sams made her home in Kansas City. Since her residence here she has been an active worker in the Central Baptist church.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Central Baptist church, with Rev. C. T. Goodsell officiating. Interment was made in the Masonic cemetery.

Pallbearers were J. T. Otis, B. F. Littlejohn, Fred Dunham, Melvin House, Frank Clem and A. L. Hunter.

George E. Brainard, aged 84, well known pioneer of Thurston county, dropped dead in the roadway while on his way from his home near Spurgeon Creek to a meeting of the Spurgeon Creek Grange Monday, Dec. 20. Death was due to heart failure. The body was brought to Jesse T. Mills undertaking parlors from which the funeral was held at 11 o'clock Friday morning. Interment at the Masonic cemetery.

The deceased made his home in this county for 35 years. He is survived by one son, Clarence, of Thurston county and three daughters, Mrs. James Girard, and Mrs. C. W. Littlejohn and Mrs. Edward Drewery.

Earl Peters, an Indian child four years of age, died on Christmas day at Mud Bay. He was born on April 18, 1916. He is survived by his father, Joseph Peters, his mother, Mollie Peters, and several brothers and sisters. He was buried Tuesday morning at McLane.

Mrs. Elmira Josephine Cameron, Mrs. Elmira Josephine Cameron died December 27 at 1202 Dickinson avenue. She was born October 19, 1840, at Craton, Iowa, and had been a resident of this city for two years. She is survived by five sons, James M. F., Clyde J., Walter P., Allen E., and Donald M. Cameron, and one daughter, Mrs. Florence Herndon.

C. A. COUPLIN RESIGNS STATE SENATORSHIP

Governor Hart Issues Writ for Special Election to Be Held in Whitman County on January 7.

Governor Louis F. Hart has received by wire the resignation of C. A. Couplin, state senator-elect from the ninth senatorial district of Whitman county. Senator-elect Couplin resigns to accept an appointment with the United States public health service. He makes his home in Palouse.

Governor Hart announced that a writ of election would be issued today for a special election to be held Friday, January 7, to fill the vacancy.

JUDGE NATHAN PORTER DIES CHRISTMAS DAY

Was Past Grand Master Masonic Lodges of Washington, Treasurer for 25 Years.

Judge Nathan S. Porter, aged 86, passed away at his home on Main street at 8:15 o'clock Christmas day after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 1 o'clock in the afternoon under the auspices of the grand lodge at the Masonic Temple in this city. It is expected that Grand Master James H. Begg of Seattle will preside at the services.

Judge Porter was a pioneer resident of Olympia. He was Past Grand Master of the Masonic Lodges of the State of Washington and for more than a quarter of a century grand treasurer of that order. He is survived by his widow, and son Alva.

Judge Porter was born near Ithaca, New York, on May 24, 1834 and while still very young moved with his family to Ohio, where he secured his education in the Sandusky high school and at Republic Academy. When he became 19 years of age he left Ohio for the Pacific Coast, settling in Placerville, Calif. in 1853. Later he removed to San Francisco where he engaged in photographic work with H. W. Bradley. While engaged in business at that place he studied law in the evenings. In 1859 he became a school teacher and followed that occupation for two years.

He was grand master of the Masonic lodges of Washington in 1888 and served continuously as grand treasurer of that order for more than a quarter of a century. The Council Journal of the territor-

ial legislature of 1871 shows that Mr. Porter was elected chief clerk pro tem and later on, October 1871, the legislature in joint session elected him territorial auditor for a term of two years. While serving in that capacity he continued his law studies in the office of Governor Elisha P. Ferry. He was admitted to the bar and continued from then on, the practice of his chosen profession.

DAIRY PROJECT LEADERS MARK THIRD NEW YEAR DAY

F. W. Kehrl, Dairy Extension Specialist With State College, Obtained for Meeting.

The Farm Bureau will have the counsel of F. W. Kehrl, extension specialist in dairying with the state college, at the initial meeting of the project leaders in dairying to be held on Monday afternoon, January 3, in the courthouse, according to E. B. Stookey, county agent. At first Mr. Kehrl had, through an oversight, not been invited to Thurston county date by the state college, but a later arrangement makes it possible to cover Pierce and Thurston counties on the same day.

Mr. Kehrl has especially requested, according to Mr. Stookey, that the community project leaders get as definite a count as possible of the number of herds that would come into a cow testing association, and also the number of cows in each herd. The different communities have already set 70 herds in the association as their goal. Up to date 297 cows have been signed up for the association, and it takes 600 cows to form an association.

Miss Martha Floe, teacher at the Washington school, will spend the holidays at her home in Everett, and Miss Nell Minnick of the Garfield school will visit her parents in Bellingham until New Year's day.

City News

HENRY WALLACE WILL REPRESENT FARM INTERESTS IN NEW CABINET

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Henry Cantwell Wallace of Des Moines, Iowa, editor and publisher of Wallace's Farmer, one of the largest Western farm publications, has been selected by President-elect Harding to be secretary of agriculture in the next administration, so it is announced here today.

Wallace's appointment was arranged for in the last few days. He is at present preparing his business affairs so that he may leave for Washington in March. Curiously enough, Wallace will succeed his friend and neighbor, Edwin T. Meredith, the present secretary of agriculture, who is also an editor and publisher of a large farm publication, Successful Farming, and who also makes his home at Des Moines, Iowa.

CHRISTMAS TREE PARTY REGALES COWLING HOME

One of the most pleasant evenings of the season was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Cowling at 408 East 8th street when everybody enjoyed themselves at a Christmas tree party. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Cowling and family, Mrs. Cowling's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Getty of Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. C. Newman and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Cline and family, and Miss V. Hill of Port Orchard. Mr. and Mrs. Getty expects to accompany their daughters, Mrs. Cline and Mrs. Newman to Port Orchard to spend the New Years after which they will return to Olympia for the rest of the winter.

CITY MAKES OFFICIAL CANVAS OF ELECTION

An official canvas was completed this week by the city council on the total vote of the recent election for city officials. The following totals were reported:

- For mayor, Bowen, 612; Helsler, 106.
- For attorney, Bigelow, 678.
- For clerk, Dohm, 682.
- For treasurer, Smith, 700.
- For councilman-at-large, Wright, 682.
- For councilman, Second ward, Forstell, 50.
- For councilman, Fourth ward, Haycox, 106.
- For councilman, Sixth ward, Chaplin, 103; Madsen, 20.

Rowes Give Family Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rowe entertained with a family dinner party Christmas day at their home on West Thirteenth street. Covers were laid for their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Rowe of Portland, their son, J. T. Rowe of Kaniston, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunbar of this city, Miss Jo Rowe of Seattle, and their granddaughter, Virginia Rowe.

TRIANGULAR PERFORMANCE MYSTIFIES LOCAL POLICE

Frank Van Deever, whose roof is the top of his hat; Sam Turner, a guest at Bayview hotel, and a soldier from Camp Lewis, working in a

triangle last week set the local police dizzy. Turner complained to the police that he had been robbed of \$120 while sleeping in his Ford car parked on Washington street. Van Deever and the soldier had been seen by an officer trying to start the Ford, and when questioned said that they intended to take Turner home.

After Turner got the sleep rubbed out of his eyes he explained the occurrence with the statement that they were trying to take the soldier back to Camp Lewis. In order to break up the mysterious game the police held Van Deever on a charge of vagrancy.

ELEVEN MEN PASS FEDERAL CITIZENSHIP EXAMINATIONS

Citizenship was given eleven men of foreign birth at the regular federal examinations for naturalization given by Paul B. Phillips, deputy to John Speed Smith of Seattle, United States naturalization examiner. The examinations were held before Judge John M. Wilson in the Thurston county superior court. Four applicants were continued until a latter hearing and one was dismissed because his witness failed to qualify.

Those continued until the next hearing were: Michael Distanfano, of Yelm, from Italy; Austin Sitten, from Canada; John Ostergard, Rochester, from Finland; Carl Tarlinand Theiland, Union Mills, from Sweden; Charles Peterson, Olympia, from Finland.

Those admitted were: John Berf Wick, Olympia, from Canada; Albert McBride, Nisqually, from Canada; Edwin Selmar Hansen, Olympia, from Denmark; Herman Wanschers, Olympia, from Holland; Moses Gardner, Yelm, from Canada; Charles Sorenson, Olympia, from Denmark; Wilfred Phillips, Olympia, from Canada; Axtel Hansen, Rochester, from Sweden; John Carlson, Rochester, from Sweden.

John Carlson and Axtel Hansen were admitted to citizenship on their service records.

LELA ROBINSON AND RAYMOND PERRING MARRY CHRISTMAS DAY

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Perring, when their son Ray was united in marriage to Miss Lela Robinson. Rev. Edmonds performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate family. Miss Neta Perring was the bride's only attendant, while Norman Perring attended his brother as best man. Following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Perring left for Yakima.

CITY COUNCIL PAYS EVERY EMPLOYEE BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Every employe of the city of Olympia was able to celebrate Christmas in the proper way, for the money to do so was forthcoming.

The city council Tuesday night authorized City Clerk Hiram Dohm to issue December pay warrants on Friday evening according to prevailing custom in past years.

Rainier Telephone Office Robbed.

The Wilcox telephone office at Rainier was held up at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening by an unmasked robber who made his escape with \$25. He carefully searched the three men in the office taking their money, but did not take any jewelry. He left the office without saying a word to

the three astonished men whom he robbed.

The victims described the robber as six feet tall and about 25 years old. He used a 45 caliber automatic army revolver and wore a green cap, checked makinau and yellow pants. None of the men had ever seen the robber before.

Wiggins Family Move to Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallan Wiggins and little son Paul left this week for Salem, Oregon, to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins leave behind a host of friends who greatly regret their departure. Mrs. Wiggins will be remembered as Miss Dolly Parkhurst of this city before her marriage two years ago.

OVERHEAD POLE LINE SERVING ELECTRICITY TO WESTSIDE COMPLETED

Light and power troubles of the Westside will be abolished after tomorrow night, according to the statement from the office of the Olympia Light & Power company.

Wednesday the temporary underwater conduit service along the new bridge will be changed to an overhead pole line service and this, it is said by the company, will mean that troubles will be over with and uninterrupted service assured.

The lines for the new service have been strung on the poles which have been driven across the Des Chutes waterway during the past month, according to permission from the United States war department and approved by the city council of this city. All that remains to be done is the making of connections at both ends. This work will be completed Wednesday, when light and power service to the Westside will be shut off between the hours of 9 and 11 o'clock in the morning and 1 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The company's full line crew will be used for the work, in order that the job will be completed by dark.

Officials of the company claim that the new overhead service will remove the light and power wires from any menace of breaks. The present underwater line, they state, is constantly subject to slides or other unforeseen circumstances which might come up in the progress of the construction work on the new bridge.

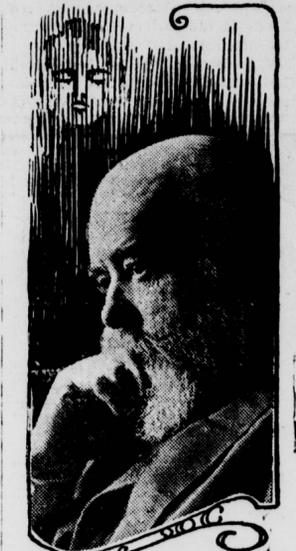
MAYNARDS HAVE CHRISTMAS FAMILY DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Maynard of East Union street entertained with a family dinner party Christmas day. The dinner table was prettily decorated with a miniature Christmas tree, greenery and holly berries. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Maynard, Dr. and Mrs. N. J. Redpath and children, Katherine and Nat; Mr. and Mrs. George Sibley and children, Charlotte and George Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Maynard and son, Charles.

HALLAN WIGGINS RECEIVES BEAUTIFUL BRIEF CASE

As a token of their esteem the fellow workers of Hallan Wiggins, assistant rate expert of the state public service commission, presented him with a beautiful leather brief and document case. Mr. Wiggins left this week for Salem, Oregon, where he will take up his duties as rate expert for the Oregon state public commission.

SPIRITUALISM CHIEF TOPIC IN U. S. NOW



America is very much interested in psychic discussions and experiments at present. Ever since the war this subject has been the chief topic and interest. As a result, Sir Oliver Lodge of England, admitted to be one of the greatest authorities, is to tour the United States lecturing in collegiate and general courses. In the language of the people it is "spiritualism," but with the more intellectual psychic taking the place of the old-time "medium" and explaining all from a purely scientific standpoint.

SPORT CLOTHES TEACH COMFORT IN TOGS



Sport clothes have done one thing for American women. It has taught them that comfort in clothes is a great asset. The leather coat shown here is trimmed in possum and worn with a plaid skirt. Leathers and suedes in shades and tones are shown.