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OUR GRADES are much higher than our prices and the stock we carry, together with our source of supply, and our facilities for giving you what you want, when you want it are the points to which we attribute our success

BIG PINES LUMBER COMPANY

YAKIMA NURSERY STOCK IN BIG GROVE

10,000 More Trees Bought By West-
erlund From Hoover, Making a
Total of 70,000.

J. A. Westerlund of the Western Oregon Orchards company, owners of the largest fruit orchard in the northwest, has closed a contract with L. E. Hoover of the Yakima Valley Nurseries for 10,000 apple and pear trees for planting next winter, when approximately 200 additional acres will be set to fruit, making a total of 1240 acres in orchard.

Mr. Hoover has now sold practically 70,000 fruit trees to Mr. Westerlund, nearly all of those planted in the immense orchard. The thrifty, healthy condition of the trees speak for the quality of stock supplied by the big nursery. The bulk of the orchard is in choice varieties of ap-

ples and pears, but there are an abundance of cherry, peach, walnut, chestnut and other varieties of fruit and nuts.

The business of the Yakima Valley nursery has grown to such dimensions in the Rogue River valley through Mr. Hoover's efforts that a large nursery will be started here to supply local demands. For this purpose a tract of land under the new Ray irrigation system at Tola has been secured and a tract of land near Eagle Point purchased, and next autumn will see an extensive nursery under way.

\$19,000 FOR 20 ACRES OF 4-YEAR-OLD APPLE ORCHARD

S. Swanson of Omaha last week purchased 20 acres of orchard at Hood River, paying \$19,000, a remarkable price, as the trees were only 4 years old. They were Newtons and Spitzenbergs.

Mr. Swanson is a friend of J. A. Westerlund, who owns the large 1000-acre orchard near this city. The property purchased by Mr. Swanson was a part of the famous Van Horn tract in Hood River.

CONTROL IN LAND COMPANY IS SOLD

Minneapolis Firm Purchases Sutherlin Land Tract—Will Offer Tracts for Sale.

Umpqua Valley News: What was without doubt the largest and most important real estate deal to be consummated in this city for years materialized Friday afternoon, when Frank Waite disposed of his holdings in the Sutherlin Land & Water company to the Luce Land company. The consideration is said to have been approximately \$350,000. The purchasers are said to be among the largest colonization concerns in the world, having operated extensively throughout the United States. E. L. Meyers, state senator of Nebraska, and M. C. Miller of Minneapolis represented the company in the deal, having spent the last two weeks in this vicinity.

The land involved in the transaction represents 64 per cent of the stock in the Sutherlin Land & Water company, thus giving the new buyers the controlling interest. The remainder of the stock is divided between J. W. Perkins and Edward Andrews. Mr. Waite still retains his home tract, comprising about 3000 acres of valuable fruit land.

As yet the purchasers have not made public their intentions, but from indications it is safe to assert that they will be the means of bringing hundreds of newcomers to this section.

TORTURED FOR MONEY SHE DID NOT POSSESS

WILKES-BARRE, June 8.—Mrs. Mary McDade, an aged woman of Kingston, near here, was tortured this morning by robbers in the belief that she had a large sum of money hidden.

Mrs. McDade lives alone, and the robbers evidently got into the house about midnight. She assured them that all the money she had was 55 cents, and this she gave them. Then the torture began and lasted almost an hour. They twisted her fingers and thumbs, breaking one of her thumbs; pulled her tongue and tore it partly off, pulled out her hair, kicked and struck and pinched her, and finally left her unconscious.

Neighbors found her still unconscious this morning, and her condition is now precarious. State constabulary are searching for the robbers.

CITY NOTICES. RESOLUTION

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Medford, Oregon, that it is the intention of the city council to lay a four-inch water main on Ross Avenue between and west of Fourth street and to assess the cost thereof on the property fronting on said portion of said street in proportion to the frontage of said property.

The City Council will meet at the council chamber in the city hall in said city on June 22, 1909, at 7:30 p. m., at which time all protests against the laying of said water main and the assessment of the cost thereof on the property fronting on said portion of said street will be heard.

The foregoing resolution was passed on the 4th day of June, 1909, by city council of the City of Medford by the following vote: Merrick aye, Welch aye, Wortman aye, Eifert aye, Demmer aye, Emerick aye. Approved June 5th, 1909.

W. H. CANON, Mayor.
Attest: BENJAMIN M. COLLINS, Recorder.

RESOLUTION
Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Medford, Oregon, that it is the intention of the city council to lay a water main on North Peach street between West Main street and West Fourth street, and to assess the cost thereof on the property fronting on said portion of said street in proportion to the frontage of said property.

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RESOLUTION
Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Medford, Oregon, that it is the intention of the city council to lay a six-inch water main on Central Avenue from end of present main to South corporation boundary line, and to assess the cost thereof on the property fronting on said portion of said street in proportion to the frontage of said property.

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Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Medford, Oregon, that it is the intention of the city council to lay a four-inch water main on Fir street South from Twelfth street to South boundary and to assess the cost thereof on the property fronting on said portion of said street in proportion to the frontage of said property.

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RESOLUTION
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RESOLUTION
Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Medford, Oregon, that it is the intention of the city council to lay a six-inch water main on street running from intersection of Clark street west and corporation boundary south to Jackson street throughout its length, and to assess the cost thereon on the property fronting on said portion of said street in proportion to the frontage of said property.

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