

PROSPECT FOR GOOD CROPS

FARMERS FEELING GOOD OVER CROP PROSPECTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

VEGETABLES IN MARKET

Taking Place of Hop Fields to Some Extent—Price Looking Up—Market and Crop Reports.

Clackamas County farmers have occasion to feel good these days from the present indications of the crops.

In many sections of Clackamas County the hop growers have plowed up their hop yards and will plant the soil to grain and vegetable truck, as the prices that are now paid for the hops is not satisfactory.

The shearing of goats is on throughout the valley, and the shearing will be finished in nearly all of the sections by the latter part of next week.

Eggs are coming into the city market more freely, and are bringing a wholesale price of 15 cents per dozen, and there will be a big demand in the egg market Easter week, and the merchants are prepared to handle the large shipments, that may come in.

WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS

- Vegetables, Fruits, Etc. ONIONS—Oregon onions, \$3 to \$3.25 sack; potatoes 50¢ to 70¢ per 100; Los Angeles cabbage \$1.75 cr; rutabagas, 1c lb; fresh onions, 40¢ per dozen bunches; horseradish, 75¢ lb; cauliflower, 75¢ to \$1.00 per doz; sweet potatoes, 5c per lb. CELERY—50¢ dozen; hot house lettuce, \$1.25 box of 4 doz heads. GREEN PEAS—10c lb. GREEN BEANS—12 1/2c lb. PARSNIPS—1c lb. RUTABAGAS—75¢ sack. TURNIPS—75¢ sack. CARROTS—75¢ sack. KRAUT—20¢ to 25¢ gallon. HUBBARD SQUASH—45¢ to 90¢ dozen. POPCORN—Shelled, 4 1/2¢ to 5c. Butter and Eggs. Butter—Ranch, 50¢ to 60¢; creamery, 60¢ to 70¢ roll. EGGS—14c doz. HONEY—12¢ to 14¢ frame. HONEY—Strained, 7c to 9c lb. Fresh Fruits. Apples—\$1.00 to \$1.25; cranberries, \$11 per barrel. Dried Fruits. DRIED APPLES—Quartered, sundried 70¢; evaporated, 80¢ to 90¢; and evaporated and bleached, 90¢ to 100¢; prunes, 4¢ to 5¢; silver prunes, 6¢ to 6 1/2¢; pears, 11¢ to 12 1/2¢. Grain, Flour and Feed. WHEAT—95c. OATS—No. 1, white \$25 to \$26. FLOUR—Pat. hard wheat, \$4.80; valley flour, \$4.50; graham, \$3.75 to \$4.25; whole wheat, \$3.75 to \$4.25. MILLSTUFFS—Bran, \$25.00; middlings, \$32; shorts, \$30; dairy chop, \$27 to \$33. HAY—Valley timothy, No. 1, \$16 to \$18 per ton; Eastern Oregon timothy, \$17 to \$18; clover, \$11.50; cheat, \$14;

grain \$13 to \$15. Live Stock. STEERS—\$4.50 to \$5.00. HEIFERS—\$3.50 to \$4.00. Cows—\$3.00 to \$3.50. LAMBS—\$5.00 to \$5.50. MUTTON—\$4.50 to \$5.00. HOGS—\$5.50 to \$6.00. Poultry. DUCKS—Live, 17¢ to 18c. OLD HENS—11 cents per pound; young roosters 12c; old roosters, 9c; mixed chickens, 11c; spring chickens (frys) 11 to 12c pound; turkeys, fancy, 16¢ to 17c.

Dressed Meats. FRESH MEATS—Hogs, 7 and 8c per pound; veal 8 1/2c; Mutton, 9¢ to 10c; lamb (spring), 11c to 12c. HAMS—Bacon, 18c.

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS:

The only Republican State-ment No. 1 candidate for joint representative from Clackamas and Multnomah Counties is Doctor Walter C. Belt, of Sellwood.

LOCAL NOTES

Free, Free, Free, Thompson sells for less, and beautiful pictures, glass and chinaware given away free.

Miss Ethel Park left Saturday for Vancouver, Wash., where she will visit with relatives for a short time.

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Fred J. Nelson, who was taken to the St. Vincent hospital on Sunday evening is improving, and will be able to leave the hospital in a few days.

Mrs. C. G. Panel, of Portland, was in Oregon City on business Tuesday and visiting with old friends. Mrs. Panel formerly lived near Oregon City.

Mrs. J. L. Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lewis and Miss Emma Roman, were among the Clackamas county grangers who went to Milwaukie Wednesday to attend the Pomona Grange.

Dr. J. W. Thomas, the dentist of Molalla, was in Oregon City Wednesday and went to Milwaukie, where he attended the Pomona Grange. Dr. Thomas returned to his home Thursday morning.

A special Easter musical program is being arranged by Rev. T. F. Bowen, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church for the vestal choir, and are having twice-a-week rehearsals. The choir is to sing at both morning and evening services.

Fraternal Brotherhood met Wednesday night, State President Taylor and J. A. Jefferys, the well-known Portland lawyer, present. An open meeting and entertainment will be held third Wednesday in May.

R. S. Coe, candidate for nomination for county commissioner, was in Oregon City Wednesday. Mr. Coe spoke at Molalla at the meeting held in the school house at that place on Tuesday night, and on Wednesday went to Milwaukie, returning to his home in Canby on Wednesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Nicoll and son, of Portland, were in Oregon City Sunday visiting with Mrs. Nicoll's sister, Mrs. H. E. Straight. Mrs. Nicoll was formerly Miss Lulu Hopkins of Oregon City, and Mr. Nicoll is connected with the Pacific Coast Fire Extinguisher Company of Portland.

W. W. Aldredge, who was taken to the Good Samaritan hospital several weeks ago, where he underwent a surgical operation, was brought to his home in this city on Tuesday evening, and his condition has improved, and hopes are now entertained for his speedy recovery.

The Clackamas County Rose and Carnation Societies will hold an important meeting in the County Court room on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and it is requested that all members be present, and all those who are interested are cordially invited. Business of importance is to be brought up.

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Mrs. I. Wishart, who has been spending the past month with her mother, Mrs. Russell, at Corvallis, arrived in Oregon City Wednesday morning, where she is visiting at the home of Mr. Wishart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wishart, and will return to Corvallis Monday morning, where she has placed her son, Russell, in school.

W. P. Hawley and family have arrived in Oregon City this week, and have rented the Charman house on the corner of Ninth and Main street. Mrs. Charman and daughter, Miss June, have taken up their residence with Mrs. Charman's sister, Mrs. George H. Wishart on Seventh street.

Thomas Howell, the botanist of Oak Grove, was in Oregon City on business Wednesday. Mr. Howell is the well-known botanist, who spent some 20 years in compiling data for his publication on the flora of the Northwest, and which is a most valuable volume of learning. Mr. Howell ranks among the best botanists in the United States.

Horticulturists Meeting. There will be a meeting of the Clackamas County Horticultural Society held at the County Court Room in Oregon City, on Friday, April 10, at 1:30 p. m. By order of the board of control. Wm. Beard, Secretary-Treasurer.

Redland. B. E. Courtney intends to leave for Beaver Creek to cook for Cummins' saw mill.

Mrs. Robertson has arrived from Canada to her future home, which her husband has prepared for her.

The teacher of district No. 75, intends to have Arbor day exercises April 10.

Mr. Ripley has sheared part of his goats, the percentage of increase. The

increase in lambs is not as good as some years past, but the fleece is good, with probability of 13 or 14 cents per pound.

Mrs. E. Brown was visiting at her son's on Sunday.

J. Green intends to move to town in the near future.

Strom Brothers are offering their sawmill and outfit for sale. They contemplate going into the grocery business.

Mr. Brock is circulating a petition to organize a new school district, by taking portions of the Linn's Mill district, Evergreen district, Logan district and a big portion of Redland district. It would be a very nice thing if we could all have a school house in our yard, but your correspondent is of the opinion that it is better to have a district that can give from six to nine months' school, with a good teacher than to have three or four districts with possibly a third grade teacher and about three months' of school.

Another thing that parties who have signed the petition probably did not take in consideration, and that is that it will require a tax levy to help organize a new district according to equipment as the old district must make good to the new. This is certainly a step in the wrong direction, as the trend of the times is to consolidate. Should this district carry there will be three school houses within two miles of the new school house. Parties who are advocating the change had better investigate conditions at Highland, as they have just gone through the experience of a new district. The same may be said of the district on Clackamas bottom near Mr. Wilson's, in Logan.

Teazel Creek. Plenty of rain and a little sunshine; cold and disagreeable one day, spring-like the next.

The day of practical jokes is past with laughable remembrances.

Wm. Miller, who has been sick so long, is reported much worse, being now unable to talk to his many friends who call to see him.

The people of Teazel Creek are preparing for an Easter service. An appropriate program will be arranged.

Rev. Quinn and wife visited the Dickey Miller grave yard last Saturday to superintend the erection of a monument at the grave of their son, Mr. Soule, of the Woodburn marble works met them there and did the work.

Frank Melton and wife are visiting this week with Mr. Melton's parents.

We learn at this writing that Miss Ellen Kaylor is quite ill at the home of James Tibbs.

Harry Dart went to Oregon City Saturday in company with John Purghand, of Missouri Ridge.

A Moore is pruning his old orchard down to stumps. Never mind, in a year or so, Mr. Moore will have a young orchard and delicious fruit.

All are invited to attend Easter services at Teazel Creek on Easter Day.

Mark's Prairie. And still we have a little touch of winter.

Our farmers are getting anxious to put in their spring grain. Not get in a hurry, brother, there is yet plenty of time up to June.

Our school will soon be out. Miss Ritter has taught us a good school.

C. H. DYE, candidate for re-election on the Republican ticket, for the House of Representatives.

Mr. Dye was chairman of the committee on the Revision of Laws and a member of the Banking Committee, and was largely instrumental in passing the Banking Law by which the Title Guarantee & Trust Co. are to be tried for their misappropriation of the peoples' money. At a critical time in the history of the bill with one or two other members of the Banking Committee, he made a strenuous fight, and saved the bill from indefinite postponement. The people of Clackamas County would not make a mistake in his re-election. He has been tried and proved able and faithful to his trust and is entitled to a re-election at the hands of the people. He has subscribed to Statement No. 1, and wishes for an opportunity to strengthen the banking law already passed, and to assist in protecting the water rights of the state to the people. When a man has been tried and has proven himself a champion of the people's rights he should be returned, for he will be much better able to serve the people.

Mr. Dye succeeded in having the law enabling districts to unite for High School purposes and many high schools have already been established under this law. He was also opposed to extravagant appropriations and has always been an advocate of better common school and good public roads. Mr. Dye will undoubtedly succeed himself.

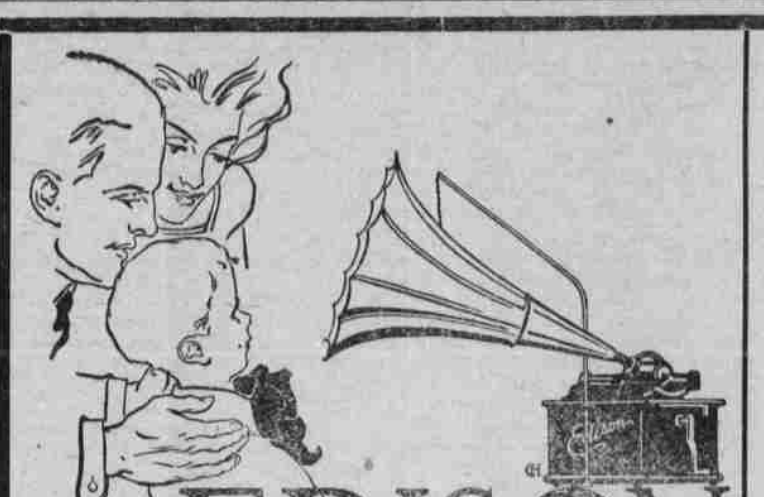
Frank and Charles Oglesby were visiting relatives at Milwaukie last week.

The petition for our new road has 93 names on it. All householders of the district in which the road is to be located.

Several of our young people attended the leap year dance given by the young ladies of Aurora last Saturday night.

Our road boss, R. W. Zimmerman, is making up some first-class roads. If we can keep him in a year or two this road district will have the best roads in the south end of the county.

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business in this burg Sunday. Mr. Clark and family have moved into Mr. Nolita's house on Duane Street.

There is a protracted meeting at the United Brothers church this week. An Evangelist from California, is assisting with the work.

Another new case of the mumps is reported at the home of Mr. Hunt on Division street.

W. W. Aldredge was brought home from the hospital Tuesday evening. He is getting better slowly.

Harmony Notes. Mr. Hodson purchased five acres of unimproved land from Mr. O. J. Roberts this week, and has commenced to fence it.

The Harmony Improvement Society will serve dinner and supper at the school house on the day of the primary election, and they will be pleased to have their friends take one or both meals with them. The proceeds will be added to its public hall fund.

The society will give an English May basket festival in May and young ladies are invited to bring baskets or boxes covered with natural flowers containing a lunch for two people, which will be auctioned. A good program will be given and admission is free.

Mr. Hankin's mother-in-law has returned to her home in the East, after a visit of several months.

Mr. Chilson has been having a walnut orchard planted.

Mr. Rosenan is planting 16 acres of potatoes this year.

New Era. The farmers are taking advantage of the fine weather and putting in their spring crops.

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Thursday and Friday of last week, and having some dental work done. Mr. Gulger, of Roseburg was a distinguished guest at the Newbury home the past week.

Several of the Republican candidates for nomination gave us some of their proposed changes in the mode of how the offices of this state

and county ought to be run, at Brown's school house last Friday night.

A fishing party consisting of about twenty-five New Britons made a raid on the "catfish" in the mill pond one night last week. Bonfires were built and a barbecue was much talked of, but the fish got a "hunch" and lurked far in the remote parts.

Mrs. Dustin was called to The Dalles on Friday of last week on account of the illness of her grandson, Lester Thompson. Mrs. Thompson and son accompanied the former's mother Mrs. Dustin home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Ivan Truesdale, of Portland, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Anthony this week.

Mr. Stauber was doing business in Salem one day last week.

A surprise party was given Miss Nettie Burgoyne Tuesday evening in honor of her 14th birthday. Cards and other games were indulged in until nearly midnight, when all departed, wishing the return of many more happy birthdays for Miss Nettie.

John Reimann has built an addition to his barn. M. Bowman did the work.

Mrs. McMillen and Mrs. McMoneys, of Portland, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. J. Burgoyne, town red the other day, but threw up the job when he had gone over his chicken house.

Lilah Dustin has been ill part of this week.

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