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LOWER CALIFORNIA

From the Chicago Packer Los Angeles-G. W. Waterbury, a prominent fruit grower of Corona higher section, where the trees had Oak Glen apple districts and states nardino and old Gorgonio monato The Packer man he is convinced tains, their tops another mile higher that Southern California can grow in the air, while from the west the apples, the large, firm, red apple, in cool sea breezes were distinctly nocompetition with the best districts liceable. The first ranch visited was superintending the planting of 3,500 and comprised 15 acres of 12-year-old acres of young trees, is one of the trees, comprising winesaps, Romes most enthusiastic in the valley. One thousand acres of young trees, mostly of the Winesap and Rome and the props looked as though they Beauty varieties, were set out last had been working overtime. This The Journal by a person who prospring and about 1,500 acres more crop has been sold to Rivers Bros. of Los Angeles, at \$15,000, or at the will be planted this coming winter. "Where good stock has been seeured," said Mr. Waterbury, "the foreman estimates the crop at more vestigation it has been found that young trees are thrifty and, in some than 10,000 packed boxes from the the apples were sent out with the instances, have made a marvelous 12-year-old trees. The Lukens orgrowth. A few trees set out three chard showed the same results, every limb taxed to its utmost and every years ago produced two boxes of apples to the tree. King Davids, Delicious and Black Tartarian and and firmness. The color of the fruit giving credit for the quality to the Royal Ann cherries do very well was unusually good, in fact equal to section that produced them, there also. One ranch, the Peters & anything Mr. Waterbury has seen from the celebrated Washington, Or-Evans, supplies all the apples conaumed at the large tourist hotels in egon and Colorado districts. The Fruit Company, which has large in-Southern California. The soft is a red apples took several prizes for terests in the valley, it is of interest that kind of fruit at the Watsonville leep, sandy loam, with perfect drainapple show this fall. age and plenty of pure irrigating

A Basket of Goodness GROCERIES? WELL 1

water from the Sierra Madre moun-SALEM APPLES WENT tains. The elevation is 3,000 feet, with pienty of chilly weather, but GOING INTO APPLES apparently no danger of late spring fronts.'

Isaac Ford has 40 acres in full

earing trees, from which he was

taking about 800 packed boxes per

acre, and selling his fruit on the

trees. Mr. Ford has a citrus grove

at Redlands, where he spends the

winter. He stated that the present

crop was not unusual and that for

the last five years large crops of well-

matured fruit had been the rule,

Other growers made the same state-

nent and said their orchards were

bringing about \$1,000 per acre yearly.

With the opening of the Panama

anal, the apple orchards of Southern California will have to be reck-

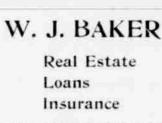
Continuing on to Oak Glen, Mr. In an article published in The Jour-Waturbury visited both an older and ual last week it was stated that and one of the best posted fruit men been set out 10 to 40 years ago at an at Salem were being sent out under apples grown in the Wallace orchard in the state, has recently returned elevation of just one mile above the a Hood River label. This, says The from a trip through the Yucalpa and sea. On one side were the San Ber- Joarnal, has been found to be incorrect. The Journal has, therefore, made a ful and complete correction of the story, as follows: "Protest was made regarding the

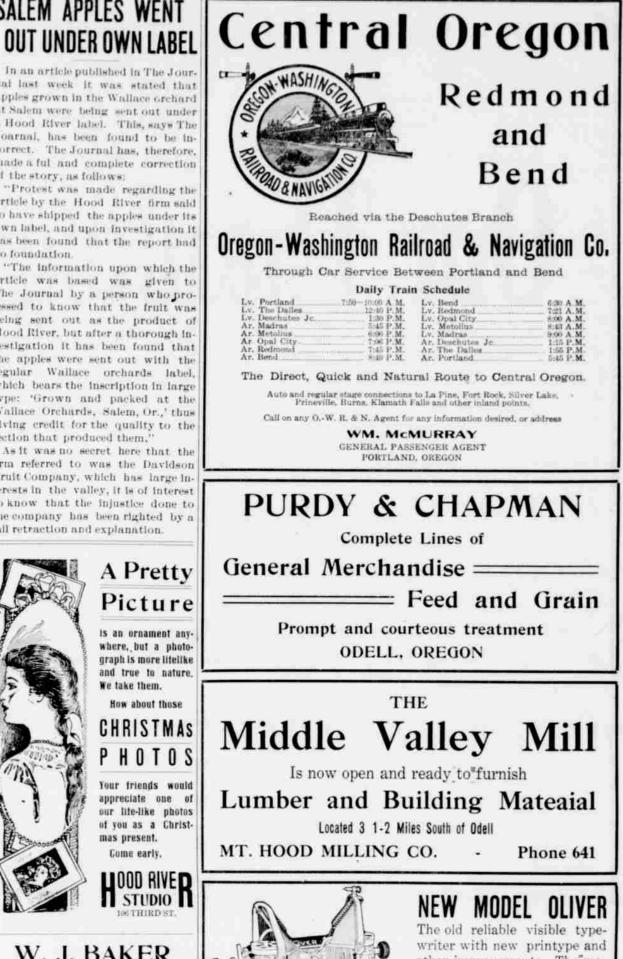
article by the Hood River firm said of this country. A. N. Dike, who is owned by Harris Bros., of Redlands, to have shipped the apples under its own label, and upon investigation it has been found that the report had and a few Winter Pearmains. More no foundation. than 15,000 props supported the fruit

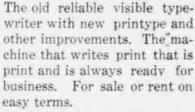
"The information upon which the article was based was given to fessed to know that the fruit was being sent out as the product of rate of \$1,000 an acre. Their packing Hood River, but after a thorough inregular Wallace orchards label, which bears the inscription in large type: 'Grown and packed at the apple almost perfect in color, size Wallace Orchards, Salem, Or.,' thus

> As it was no secret here that the firm referred to was the Davidson to know that the injustice done to the company has been righted by a full retraction and explanation.

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The Grass Valley Journal says four thousand sheep owned by S. J. Small, of Mt. Vernon, are marooned In the snow on the divide between Murderer's creek and the John Day and honest dealing. We keep river. Efforts to move them have

If the sheep are not rescued in the herders who had the sheep in charge prices. If you are not already were caught in a storm and, being dealing here, you are robbing inexperienced men, allowed the sheep

to wander half a mile from the regular trail into the canyon. The sheep have been nearly ten days without food or drink, and are reported to be eating the wool from each other's

