

NEW HOPS WANTED

Stronger Demand for 1914 Oregon Contracts.

FIFTEEN CENTS IS PAID Spot Market Quiet in This State.

Offer for Large Block of Sacramento Turned Down by Grower—Crop Prospects Good.

Interest in 1914 hops is growing. There is an active demand for the coming Oregon crop and a number of dealers have their agents in the country trying to make contracts.

Crop prospects are good in Oregon, so far as can be seen at this early date. The growth of the plant is irregular, but on the whole it is making a good stand.

CARLOAD OF STRAWBERRIES COMING First Important Shipment of Season Will Reach Portland Tuesday.

Another Result of Tariff Change Americans Purchase Wool in Northwestern Canada.

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THE BEST GOOD Business Sentiment Reflects Promising Crop Outlook.

BANK CLEARINGS GAIN More Activity Also Reported in South—Current Eastern Movement of the Merchandise Still Somewhat Below Normal.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Dun's review tomorrow will say: Current movement of merchandise continues somewhat below normal, particularly in the East; in the West and South there is more activity and business sentiment is quite confident.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Bar silver steady, 22 1/2 cents; gold, 100 cents; short gold, 1 1/4 per cent; three months, 10-10 1/2 per cent.

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Big News Offense Taking of Speculative Profits Weakens Wheat.

LESS IS HEARD OF PESTS Plentiful Rains in Kansas Are Aid to Bears—Corn Shorts in Panic Cover at Advance—Oats Traders Are Bullish.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Profits taking by speculative holders of wheat developed here more than an offset today to stories of green wheat in Oklahoma. Accordingly the market closed weak at the same level as last night.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Call money steady, 1 1/2 per cent; ruling rate, 1 1/2 per cent; time loans, week, 60 days, 2 1/2 per cent; 90 days, 2 1/2 per cent; six months, 3 per cent.

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LADD & TILTON BANK

Capital and Surplus \$2,000,000 Commercial and Savings Deposits

LA LOZANNE Compagnie Generale Transatlantique. Direct Line to Havre-France (France). France (New) Wed., April 8.

8-HOUR LAW IN ISSUE

ATTORNEY ADMITS CLIENT VIO-LATED LAW ON CITY JOB. Every Enterprise in Country Would Be Affected, He Said, if Act Is Taken To Its Logical Conclusion.

On motion yesterday of Attorney C. A. Bell, who is anxious to further consider the far-reaching effects of certain provisions of the Oregon eight-hour law, the case against B. C. Ball, manager of the Willamette Iron & Steel Works, charged with requiring employees to work more than eight hours a day and 48 hours a week on public work, was continued 15 days.

REGISTRATION FIGURE LOW

With Only Four Weeks Left Elections Are Urged to Hurry.

Registration continues to drop with the result that only 25 voters registered yesterday. There were 232 men and 162 women enrolled, bringing the total for the county to 55,295.

BOY TRAPS 157 FLEES

ROY SMITH TAKES DAY'S HONORS IN SWATTING CAMPAIGN.

Yesterday's individual honors, in the fly campaign, went to Roy Smith, of the Stephens school, 14 years old, who caught 147 flies and to Lawrence Kerns, 9 years old, who rushed into headquarters in the morning with 1140 flies, and rushed away again to look after his traps, failing to leave any address. These were the two largest individual catches reported, and many of the schoolboys which heads are in giving out instructions for tallying, have failed to report so far.

Only One Explain Out Against William Kardynskys.

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FORECASTS: Portland and vicinity—Showers, southerly wind. Oregon and Washington—Showers west, increasing in cloudiness, followed by showers east. Idaho—Increasing cloudiness, followed by showers.

THE WEATHER. STATIONS. Maximum Minimum Wind Direction State of Weather.

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TAHITI AND NEW ZEALAND Round Trip Rates: 1st class to Tahiti \$125, Special Price \$100, Sydney \$90.

TO SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES AND SAN DIEGO. ROANOKE WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8. COGS BAY AND EUREKA S. S. ALLIANCE FRIDAY, APRIL 10.

ARGENTINE LAMPPOST & HOT LINE. And all Brazilian Ports. New and Fast 12,000 ton passenger steamer from San Francisco to Santos, Brazil, every Saturday.

COGS BAY LINE STEAMSHIP BREAKWATER. Sails from Alhambra Dock, S. A. M. Wednesday, April 8, 1914. Freight received until 10:00 P. M. Saturday, April 4.

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