

PROSPECTS OF THE HOP MARKET

Poor Crop Prospects for the Coming Year Would Be of Benefit to Prices.

SHORTS MAY YET SUFFER

No Material Change of Values Is Looked For Unless Some Unforeseen Event Occurs—Farmers Are Still Holders.

Table with 3 columns: Position of American Hop Crop, Region, Sold, Unsold.

The close of the first week in December with no pronounced movement in the hop market bears out the surmise made last month that the November flurry was solely due to the operations of the short interest and that the bulk of the year's business of the hop sellers is now in the hands of the long interest.

What the Table Shows. The foregoing table is not presented as accurate, but it is as near as can be figured out at this time.

Rumors and Sales. Yesterday's market was full of rumors of various deals, but they could not be verified.

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The effort of Grace Taggart's attorneys culminated in a sensational scene. Twenty affidavits were filed in support of the reasons for a new trial, many of them reflecting upon Judge Eason.

How Phoenix Won the Fight for Future Congresses and Then Lost to Denver.

MINING CONGRESS WORK

J. FRANK WATSON BACK FROM EL PASO MEETING.

Mr. Watson reports a very interesting and well attended series of meetings in El Paso, Tex., where he has been attending the National Mining Congress.

During the congress the people of Juárez, neighboring Mexican city, invited the delegates to a dinner at the hotel and the training which they receive in evading the maddest bulls is many times the price of the ticket.

PROCEDURE AGAINST RYAN

May Be Indicted and Is Subject to Fine or Imprisonment.

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Another Slash in Prices on Cravenettes, as We Are Bound to Turn This Stock Into Cash

Don't Fail to Come at Once and Be Convinced

Men's and Boys' Rubber Coats and Caps: actual value \$4.99.

Men's and Women's Raincoats, box and double-breasted styles, all colors; actual value \$7.99.

Men's Cravenettes. Worn instead of overcoats by the swiftest dresser in rain or sun.

Regular \$15.99 values. Quite an assortment to select from.

Regular \$29.99 values. Never before has a value of this kind sold for so little money.

Regular \$32.99 and \$35.99 value. Made of the finest cravenette cloths.

MAIL ORDERS promptly filled on receipt of postal or express order.

Goodyear Raincoat Co.

109 Third Street, Formerly Occupied by Portland Trust Co., bet. Wash. and Stark

MARTIN TO FRONT

Would License All Food Supply Companies.

BRINGS BILL INTO HOUSE

South Dakota Representative Makes Party Leaders Stand Aghast by Introduction of Radical Plan to Control Interstate Traffic.

To Sell Transport Zafiro.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The Navy Department has decided to sell the transport Zafiro, which is now at the Puget Sound naval station.

Collides With Freight Steamer.

PLYMOUTH, England, Dec. 8.—Forty-seven persons on board the American Line steamer Plymouth, which left New York, Dec. 2, had an exciting half hour landing here today.

Marine Notes.

Domestic and Foreign Ports.

ASTORIA, Or., Dec. 9.—Condition of the bar at 5 P. M. smooth; wind east; weather cloudy.

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COLLECT BAR BILLS

Job Proposed for Uncle Sam in Venezuela.

IF CASTRO WILL CONSENT

Roosevelt Proposes United States Act as Receiver of Customs Revenue and Distribute Among All the Creditors.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—(Special)—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Efforts are being made to remove the Venezuelan question from the agenda of politics through an arrangement which would be agreeable to the governments of all countries interested.

SEVERE SENTENCE ON TWO BRUTES

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—(Special)—A jury in Judge Honore's court today found James McGarry and Frank Dillon guilty of assault and sentenced them to 15 years in the State Prison.

SAYS OWNERSHIP IS FAILURE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Professor Frank H. Roberts of the University of Denver, was presented to the President today by Representative Roberts returned within a few days from an extended trip to Europe.

COURT STAYS GERMAN HAND

American Law Aids Teuton Boy Accused of Desertion.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The American law was upheld today in a clash with German authorities over the extradition of a deserter.

TWO HOSPITALS

Two more cases of Bright's Disease that recovered after the treatment in hospitals had been reported in San Francisco.

Another case is that of Mr. T. J. Mulroy, of 215 E. 1st St., San Francisco.

Bright's Disease and Diabetes are curable in 85 per cent of all cases by Fulton's Discovery.

When to suspect Bright's Disease—weakness of one or both eyes, puffiness of the face, dropsy, kidney troubles after the third month; urine may show sediment, falling a violet; drowsiness; one or more of these.