

HOPS ARE OF GOOD QUALITY

Oregon Crop Is Picked and Shows Up Better Generally Than Was Expected.

ESTIMATES OF THE YIELD

Very Little Mold Appears and Richness Exceeds That of Previous Years—Market Is Slow in Opening.

Hoppicking in Oregon came to an end yesterday, except in a few of the smaller yards. The yield turned out to be about what was expected as regards quantity, but in quality there was an agreeable surprise.

not much exceed 200,000 bales, and with the past growth of the beer industry to figure upon, the consumption will be about 250,000 bales.

Foreign Crops Are Short.

Two years ago, when the English crop was 238,000 cwt., this country sent about 90,000 bales across the Atlantic.

YAKIMA CROP SHORT.

Yield Will Be 13 Per Cent Less Than Estimated.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Sept. 23.—(Special)—The Yakima Valley hop crop will fall short about 15 per cent of the estimated yield placed upon it by some of the leading hop dealers this summer.

Growers Holding for Advance. OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 29.—(Special)—The principal part of the Clackamas

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BEAUTIFUL FOUNTAINS FOR PORTLAND STREETS



Subscriptions to provide two more beautiful fountains for the streets of Portland have just been secured by W. T. Shanahan, corresponding secretary of the Oregon Humane Society.

started when picking began changed the order of things, and for a time it looked as if a large portion of the crop would be ruined.

County hop crop that was not involved in contracts ranging from 8 to 13 cents, is being held by the growers for an advance in the present quotation, which ranges from 17 to 18 cents here.

Connecticut in Commission.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The Connecticut, the only first-class battleship ever built in a yard owned by the United States Government, was put in commission this morning at the Brooklyn Navy-Yard.

Statement From H. L. Hart. "The statements that mold prevails all over the state are grossly exaggerated," said Mr. Hart yesterday.



Morphy's Last Day at the Oaks.

Morphy, "The Man Who Sings to Beat the Band," has certainly proven one of the best attractions that "The Oaks" have had.

There will be a special bill this afternoon and night at the vaudeville theater.

The change in the weather could not keep the people away from "The Oaks" the past week, and as the season is drawing to a close, the attendance increases daily.

WILL HURRY WORK

Contractor Bennett Agrees to Complete Public Schools.

WILL TAKE THREE MONTHS

Contractor to Tear Out Unsatisfactory Work and Rebuild According to Specifications. School Board Meets.

In response to the ultimatum issued by the Board of Education, J. E. Bennett, the contractor, agreed last night to complete the school buildings which he holds under contract, without further delay.

Bennett Not Alone to Blame. Not all the blame for inferior construction was placed upon Contractor Bennett in the report.

FREE HAND DRAWING

H. F. Wentz, pupil of Du Mond, Chase, Bridgeman, and student of the New York Art Students' League, has the freehand cartoon lines well and Mr. Wentz is an exceptionally inspiring and capable instructor.

REDUCED ROUND-TRIP RATE.

Low Rate Made by O. R. & N. to Chicago and St. Louis. Account annual convention American Bankers' Association, to be held at St. Louis, October 15 to 19.

SEEKS LOCK TOLLS

State Has Portland General Electric in Court.

TENTH OF NET EARNINGS

No Remittance for Collections From 1874 to 1904 at Oregon City Passage Around Willamette Falls.

Rigler Sides With Fleischner.

Superintendent Rigler was called upon to decide this important point and sided with Mr. Fleischner.

Superintendent Rigler reported the following appointments and changes of teachers, which were confirmed: Martha Pickard, seventh grade, Portlanoth; Jessie McGregor, fourth grade, Portlanoth; Annie Overholzer, second grade, Woodlawn; Julia Sears, first and second grades, Arleta; Minnie Pound, second and third grades, Arleta; Olive S. Rodlum, fourth grade, Arleta; Grace Reeves, Holman; Mabel Lewis, Sellwood; Grace Jeansing, Sunnyside; Helen Lightner, South Mount Labor; Annie Chalmers, transferred from Woodlawn to Chapman; Judith Gulesian, transferred from Chapman to Couch.

Mr. Fleischner called attention of the board to complaint which has been received against the water supply at the Fulton Park School. The water in the well at the school is not good, and Bull Run water is not available.

Court Notes.

William McCallig, the chauffeur of the automobile that ran down and killed Ellis Korlitz, the 11-year-old boy, about two months ago, entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of manslaughter.

In the State Circuit Court yesterday Sieman Ferenc, alias Joe Smith, found guilty of larceny in having stolen \$2 from a room in Fine's Hotel several months ago, was sentenced to three years in the State Penitentiary at Salem.

SAFERS LOSE AT FOOTBALL

By the score of 7 to 1 the Portland Association football team defeated a picked team from the British steamers Visigoth and Elaine and the British ship Gaigate.

'Freezeout' Players Arrested.

J. W. Staats, R. Oatman and William

by W. S. Elliott, Samuel L. Elliott and W. T. Elliott, the latter ex-City Engineer of Portland. The other day the Elliotts brought an injunction proceeding in the same court to restrain the Pence Company from crossing their lands with its flume.

Bar Association Meets. Announcement that an important meeting of the Multnomah Bar Association would be held at the Courthouse last night had the effect of attracting more than 50 prominent lawyers to Department No. 1 of the State Circuit Court.

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