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COOS THE CRANBERRY QUEEN. reported from the North Inlet coun- M. A. SWEETMAN was in Coquille OUND the timbrals! Beat the try where most of the Coos Bay crantomtoms! Let the world re- berries are grown. The story is joice, for another world's authentic and was brought to town champion has been found and her and vouched for by John Hope, one of the well known ranchers of that name is Coos. She mounts the throne of victory section.

in values produced from an acre of On the McFarlin place, where the berries are being picked, there was her fertile soil.

Hood River, North Yakima and a small patch ten by sixteen feet in Medford boast of their \$1,000 and size. From this little patch six bushels of cranberries were gathered. If \$2,000 acre apple orchard lands. Douglas county cries aloud about an entire acre was covered by vines

its strawberries and cherries at \$1,- yielding at the same rate the acre would produce 1,633 bushels. The 000 to \$1,500 per acre.

Now they must all take off their berries sell for \$3 a bushel this year hats and retire to a rear seat while and this would be a yield of \$4,899. old Coos climbs upon the throne with Sometimes a higher price is commanded. It costs about \$1 a bushel a crown of cranberries, Nearly \$5,000 per acre, or to be or less to gather the berries and fur-

exact \$4,899 is the ratio of yield from nish the box for packing so the yield a patch of cranberries in Coos county, at this rate would net a clear profit

The amount seems startling, but it of \$3,270. That is better than any is absolutely authentic and the value Hood River apple orchards that have

named is conservative. The price at been reported so far. which the yield is figured, \$2.00 per The cranberry picking season is bushel, is less than the prevailing now at its heighth. All of the crop market price and the demand is al- will be gathered within another week. All hands that can be procured are ways good. Read the story in the news columns hired during picking season.

The patch cited which gave the of The Times.

enormous yield per acre was of course Here is our golden opportunity. Let us develop our cranberry especially prolific, but practically all marshes in a way that will attract of the bearing marshes are netting the attention of the outside world and as much as \$800 an acre profit. It then our other resources will prove costs nearly \$500 an acre to prepare the ground and set out the plants, but

in the neighborhood of North Inlet.

Probably not more than thirteen

J. Albert Matson was right in his the first year in bearing the crop pays enthusiastic enconium of Coos county, for the initial expense, and a good profit. She is a world beater.

And just now she wears a crown Practically all of the marshes are of cranberries.

Selah!

no less surprising.

acres are set out in cranberries, but there are scores and scores of acres WHAT WILL OREGON DO? ROM all over the country comes which are available. There is one continued reports of progress tract of 200 acres in one piece which sive victories. In Wisconsin is suitable. The land must be of a

Senator La Follette, original insur- peat formation such as an old lake gent, has been renominated for Sena. bed or any place where there is detor by a four to one vote. He has a composed vegetable matter. The soll lead of 100,000 over his opponent, must be of the spongy kind which Thus has the "old guard" of Wis. will admit of the water passing consin downed Little Bob and the through it freely. Rich bottom land will not do. principles for which he stands.

In Michigan Senator Burrows, one In addition to the necessity of havof the most tried and trusty Senators ing the certain kind of soil there must of the Aldrich-Cannon machine, has be an abundance of fresh water under been turned down by the people. If such conditions that it can be conthe Michigan Legislature obeys the trolled. The plan followed in this lowill of the people as expressed in the cality is to manage the water by primary election Burrows' seat will means of a dam. The amount of water needed on the marshes is regube filled by a progressive.

Even to conservative old New Eng- lated while the berries are growing. After the berries have been picked land has the progressive spirit extended. New Hampshire Republicans the water is turned on the marsh and tended. New Hampshire Republicans the water is thread of and are all any case of Catarrh that canno be cured be have named a progressive candidate the loose berries float and are all any case of Catarrh that canno be cured be rathered in and dried in the sun be-F. J. CHE*EY & CO., Tol do, O. for Governor. In view of what is going on else. fore being packed. The water is left where in the union what may we ex- on the plants all winter in order to pect of Oregon? This is naturally a protect them from freezing. The eranberry is a water plant and is not progressive State. Oregon was one of the very first States to break away damaged by being submerged.



Cranberries Gathered Which Yield at the Rate of \$5,-000 An Acre.

A yield at the rate of nearly \$5,000 an acre from cranberries is what is

Francisco visiting her sister, RALEIGH WATSON of Marshfield Is visiting his sister on Isthmus Inlet. FRED WILSON returned home from

Portland where he went on busi-

yesterday on business and came home in an automobile.

THOMAS SMITH of Riverton, who has been visiting Coos Bay friends, has returned to his home,

MR, and MRS, A. D. KANE and family are here from Spokane and expect to make their home here. MRS. BEN McMULLEN returned to

her home in Myrtle Point yesterday after a short visit with friends here. MISS BLANCHE TELLEFSON Is

spending a few days in Myrtle Point as the guest of her friend, Mrs. Lena Allen.

IARRY FUOG returned home to-day from Coquille where he has been doing some contract work on one. of the new buildings.

HISS MAUDE BOWRON will leave this week for Portland, where she will be a student at St. Helen's Hall for the ensuing year.

F. S. RIEBE went to Coquille yesterday on business. The Peoples' Co-Operative Company is figuring on opening another store there.

T. HARRIGAN is expected home on the Breakwater from a business trip to Portland. It is expected that Mrs. Harrigan who has been spending the summer in the East will with him.

MRS. P. M. HALL-LEWIS and son leave to-day via Drain for a three Banking house, furniture months' visit with relatives at Woodburn, Ore. Mr. Hall-Lewis Cash on hand and due said he would like to go along but he is too busy keeping tab on the infested freit.

E. P. BRILES, the well known Kentuck Inlet rancher, was a Marshfield business visitor. Mr. Briles is an ardent believer in good roads and intensely regrets the action of certain property owners that prevented putting through a road JOHN S. COKE, President, from Cooston to the Kentuck Inlet section.

CARL WALKER of this city, who was injured while working on the railroad near Drain, and who ha been ill in the hospital in Rose burg, is still quite sick. He has typhoid fever and is confined to the hospital. His sister, Mrs. Jenkins, is with him and will bring him home as soon as he is able to travel.

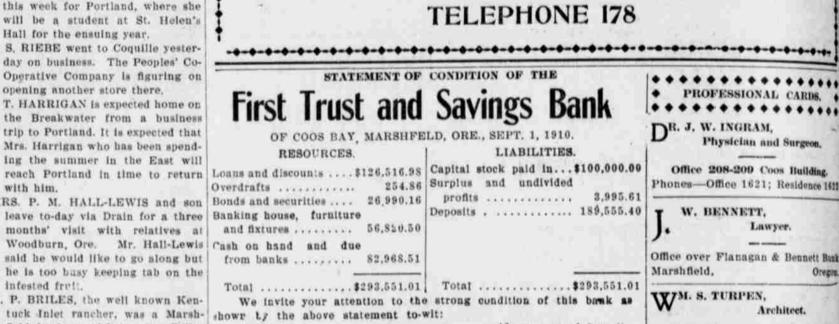
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Although it has always been refrom the old system of machine rule which always means rule in behalf garded that the water was a necessity in growing cranberries yet it is a fact of special interests. Now that Oregon has come out of the damp and that there are several little patches stinking hole of political corruption on North Slough which are not watered and which bear fine fruit. One is it to go back? The answer will be of these is on the old Vanberger given on the 24th day of this month and it is the prediction of The Times place. It was never cultivated and that when the returns are in from the not watered. The soil was moist but the patch was never given the attenprimary election the news will be sad reading for the reactionaries of this tion of the others and still it bore well, which must be taken as an in-State who are just now more specifically designated by the term assem. dication that the locality is especially suitable. There are several other slauflar cases. The high cultivation plan, however, demands the regulation of

county would be something enormous

and would at the rate of profit now

being made on the small patches,

bring hundreds of thousands of dol-

The high cost of starting a cran-

berry marsh probably has something

to do with the scarcity of the cran-

berry places. The plants themselves

do not cost much and they are no

more trouble to actually set out than

cabbage plants, but the ground must

be especially prepared. The top must

be poeled off and the ground made

absolutely level and sanded. The

first work must be properly done and

the cost it is claimed is all the way

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lars into the county every year.

BARIES AND AUTOMOBILES. the water supply. HE Kansas State Board of Although all those who have plant. Health in filing its report on ed cranberry marshes and are harvital statistics for 1909 makes vesting and growing cranberries the startling announcement that there claim big profits, there is scarcely were 2,130 fewer bables born in that anything of the acrenge planted that State last year than were born in 1908 might be. If all of the available land and lays the blame to the automofor cranberries in the North Slough bile craze. E. T. Fairchild, who has district of the county alone w just completed the school census staplanted in berries the yield of this tistics; feels very much humiliated

over the situation and relieves his mind by saying: "There is nothing better anywhere than some of the fine, fat bables play. ing around the house, and there is no more interesting happening anywhere than to watch little children studying their first books.

blyites.

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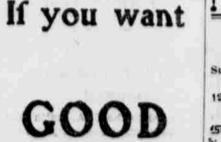
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