

SPLENDID TRADE OUTLOOK IN ALL PARTS OF THE STATE

GOLD FLOWS IS WORK FOR THOUSANDS

Rogue River Totals Show Increase of 150 Per Cent—Sales Returns Read Like Report of the Director of the Mint.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Medford, Or., Nov. 2.—The estimated fruit crop of the Rogue River valley is shown in the following tabulation, in cars:

	Apples	Pears
Ashland	20	5
Talent	20	5
Phoenix, Voorhes, Eagle	225	125
Central Point	30	15
Gold Hill	5	5
Woodville	10	5
Granville Pass	5	2
Total cars	330	155

This record crop of fruit in the Rogue River valley at record breaking prices insures prosperity throughout this region despite rich men's panics in the east and clearing house banking elsewhere. Growers are much more worried over possible car shortage than about hard times, for most of the crop has already been sold and the problem of delivery remains to be solved to enable every fruit grower to join the automobile club, which already numbers over 60.

Conservatively estimated, Medford and adjoining country has already shipped 125 cars of pears, while the apple shipment will reach 225 cars, total 350 cars, as against 151 shipped a year ago. President Perry of the Fruit Growers' exchange places the total number of cars at 400, as do some other shippers.

Of the 485 cars needed to carry the Rogue River fruit two-thirds are needed at Medford and adjacent shippers, showing this section to be the chief fruit producing part of the valley.

The apple crop while not so heavy as that of last year, is of better quality. The fruit is larger and better colored.

The returns are just beginning to come in. Many, in fact the majority, of the growers sold their crops at the orchards, getting \$2.25 to \$2.50 for spot pippins, from \$2.00 to \$2.25 for Newtown Pippins and from \$1.50 to \$2 for other varieties, I. O. B. Medford.

Many growers are shipping to New York and London themselves.

APPLE MEN IN POOL.
Fancy Newtowns Already Shipped Expected to Net \$4 a Box.

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Medford, Or., Nov. 2.—Balfour, Guthrie & Co. have purchased the majority of the Newtown Pippins from the Rogue River valley orchards not already shipped to eastern markets, paying \$2.60 a box I. O. B. Medford for run of fruit after the cream has been shipped.

Nearly all the big growers are in a pool, which is engineered by F. H. Lewis. It is valued at \$2.50 a box, and 30 to 50 cars have been secured. Fruit from the Lewis, Burrell, Hopkins and other orchards is included, though nearly all these growers have already shipped their fancy Newtowns abroad, on which they expect to net \$4 a box. A number of other growers sold to Balfour, Guthrie and company for \$2.50, I. O. B. Medford.

The Rogue River Fruit Growers' association has received word that a car of Jonathan apples shipped to New York has grossed \$3.50 per box. H. N. Findley has heard from a car of Newtowns at New York netting \$2.75 at Medford. The fruit reached New York at the time when the financial crisis was at its height.

Shortage of cars is delaying fruit shipments though no serious delay is recorded.

IN HARRIMAN'S CELLAR.
Thirty Boxes of Spitzenbergs From Rogue River Orchard.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Medford, Or., Nov. 2.—Rogue River apples have attracted the attention of E. H. Harriman. He has purchased for family use, 30 boxes of Spitzenbergs from Tronsen and Guthrie's Eagle Point orchard for \$5 a box, I. O. B. Medford, the record price for Spitzenbergs. The apples chosen are among the finest ever grown anywhere, being large, uniform in size, and perfectly colored.

An Oakland California banker who passed by K. W. Meyer's Central Point orchard on his way to Crater Lake recently, being attracted by the beauty of his Newtown Pippins purchased 60 boxes, paying \$3 a box at the orchard, having them shipped to California.

SNOW STORM RAGES IN CASCADE RANGE
(United Press Leased Wire.)

Wenatchee, Wash., Nov. 2.—A snow storm is raging in the Cascade mountains along the line of the Great Northern and trains are having a hard time to make anything like their scheduled time. The storm is the earliest on record and the railroad was caught totally unprepared. A blizzard is sweeping through this valley.

Hood's
Sarsaparilla enjoys the distinction of being the greatest curative and preventive medicine the world has ever known. It is an all-round medicine, producing its unequalled effects by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood on which the health and strength of every organ, bone and tissue depend. Accept no substitute for Hood's, but insist on having Hood's AND ONLY HOOD'S.

Commercial Club and Other Organizations See Way Clear for Taking Care of All Railroad's "Prosperity Panic" Ex-Employees.

While thousands of men are being thrown out of employment by the arbitrary action of the Harriman railroad policies and other Wall street influences, companies are being laid that will embrace Portland and the whole state with a view to opening new opportunities for the unemployed. A movement is quietly forming that will, it is expected, bring about the inauguration of large irrigation projects, and the expenditure of public and private funds in various development undertakings that will employ thousands of men. A determined and successful effort will be made to teach Wall street manipulators that they cannot at will ignore or unmake the prosperity of Oregon.

Nervous people who are looking up reasons for saying that Oregon and the northwest will be commercially killed by the action of the Wall street money barons are not so far from the truth. Oregon flew with her own wings long ago and with less financial breeze from the east than any other state, and her wings are better today than ever before. Oregon can and will do a great deal to help along a continuation of prosperity during the coming winter and even for the next 18 months regardless of the frown or smile of Wall street.

Irrigation Work.
One of the most important avenues that can be opened to the unemployed is that of government irrigation work. It is well known that for years the reclamation service has had a small army of skilled and expensive experts in the Oregon field, looking sticks into the ground, testing soils, running levels and estimating available acreage for irrigation. The reclamation service has been looking for a long time for a large number of men who can do this work. The Klamath project is the only one of large importance started, and it has to do with much with the benefit and development of California as with Oregon. That the state of Oregon is entitled to immediate consideration from the federal government on the score of irrigation is the emphatic expression of every business man who has given the question a thought. The present emergency is the time for the government to act. The cessation of railroad construction is charged to the policies of the administration at Washington. It is up to the administration's bureau now to do everything possible to minimize the evil effects of Wall street's pernicious course. The only way open is to furnish work for the unemployed; to extend the hand of opportunity to the brave laborers whom the railroad companies have summarily dismissed.

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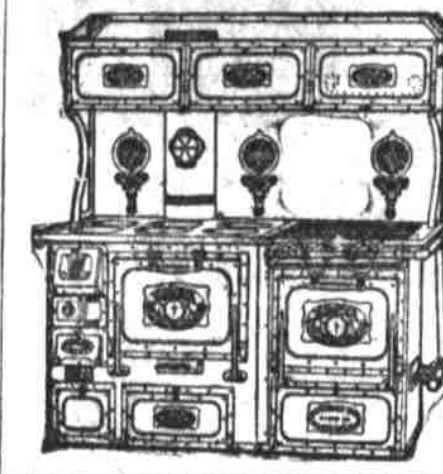
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GOVERNOR DESCRIBES SITUATION

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draft against Brown Brothers for \$10,000 payable to me in New York by that firm. On the strength of this draft I would pay cash on my draft and the institution would send the draft, in the latter instance, or the check in the former to New York and correspond to the Portland bank, because all the state banks clear their drafts and foreign exchanges through the Portland bank.

Now as soon as the draft reached the Portland bank it would give the Salem bank credit for \$10,000, and would send the draft to its correspondent in New York for collection. The New York bank in turn would go to Brown Brothers, collect the \$10,000 and cash it, and would deposit the cash account and would deposit the amount in the vault. It can be seen therefore that up to the time the New York bank collected the cash from Brown Brothers there has not been a cent of money passed from one hand to another, yet have credit and cash been in the state bank, and the institution has a credit of the same amount in its Portland correspondent, and the Portland bank is credited with the cash.

Credit in New York.
Now the \$10,000 in cash is in the vault of the New York bank, but under normal conditions would not be shipped to Portland unless especially requested. Instead, when payment to Portland was made it would be through a draft. In like manner Portland would pay cash on its draft and would draw checks against my own account for the \$10,000. No actual gold would be required, but evidences of credit would pass in the form of checks in settling the balances or other obligations.

"Suppose now," continued the governor, "turning to the present conditions, that I for any reason wanted actual cash for my account and went to the Salem bank to get it. I would give my check to the Salem bank and it would replace that amount in its vault. It would send to the Portland correspondent a request for the Portland bank to cash against its account and the Portland bank would send it. Suppose then the Portland bank wanted the money and deposited the \$10,000 in its vault and that latter institution had refused to pay it. The result would be, of course, that the Portland institution would be shy of cash and would not be able to cash the New York bank draft. If the Portland bank needed the cash to meet demands for cash the draft of the New York institution would not satisfy, and nothing but coin would do.

Crops Create Balances.
That instance multiplied by just as many times as there are individual transactions throughout the state is what has caused the present banking situation in Oregon and throughout the

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with the same week of last year. Business for Steinbach has been unusually good.

A. B. Steinbach & Co., clothiers—Business has increased 15 per cent for this week as compared to that of last year.

Oregon Shoe Store—Saturday's trade was good. The week shows an increase of about 25 per cent.

Silverfield, women's outfitters—Saturday's trade was unusually good and compares favorably with that of the same week of last year, better and the only thing required is patience and calmness until such time as New York banks open their vaults and allow the gold to flow westward again.

KNIGHT SHOE COMPANY—One of the largest day's business yesterday the firm has known for many weeks. All day long a stream of people came in to our store on Washington and Third streets to purchase shoes as if they had never heard of financial troubles.

Buffum & Peniston, men's furnishings—Our business today showed a gain of from 15 to 20 per cent over the corresponding Saturday of last year.

Business of Fifty Per Cent.
J. H. Reeves & Co., shoes—Our business shows about 50 per cent better than last year at the same date. Today has been as good a Saturday as any this month. We handled even fewer checks than usual.

Martin & Forbes, florists—About 10 per cent increase is shown in our business for October, as compared with one year ago. We have been surprised at times in our returns.

East Confectionery—Without being exact as to comparisons, can say that our business is much better than it was last year at the corresponding date.

H. Y. Eilers of Eilers Piano House—Our sales show the same percentage of increase that we have maintained each year for the past several years. The resources are here, and confidence is all that is required to restore normal conditions. In San Francisco last year we passed through the same experience of holidays following the earthquake and fire, and people will find that this is not such a great hardship as they may suppose, once they have learned how it works.

Manager Baldwin of E. F. Charlton & Co.—Business is steadily growing, but it is impossible to compare with last year, as we have changed location. In the last few days I have been sur-

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