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SALEM AS THE CRUDE DRUG CENTER OF THE
COUNTRY
A good deal of water has run down the Willamette sin
the matter of the crude drug garden was broached by th
Statesman a year ago-
For instance, there has come a boom in the mint indus try, since it has been so
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can raise the highest quality mint in the world; yielding th
largest menthol content; producing the most pounds to th acre; refining the highest quality of peppermint oil known hese are certainly ine advantages that cause the present activity in the industry to continue indef
initely. The Oregon Mint Growers Cooperative Association
is now organized and active, and this association has in con templation the putting up of a refinery, in order to bette And, by all means, Salem should have this refinery, an would fix Salem as the center of the coming great American mint industry.
So much
Cacara sagrada, the "sac bark" of the Spanis will be maintained if the owners of the cheap lands in the out of the way districts will plant the trees, which we must
come to, and which is now being done in British Columbia.
 one of our farms. Prof. A. Ziefle, dean of the School of Phar can produce crude drugs at one-tenth the says this district the yield that they can be in Michigan and Minnesota. That
is abroad and most encouraging stand drug gardens of this country are in those states. Prof. Ziefle has for several years recommended the establishment of a drug garden at the College, and this will no doubt be done, and by all means ought to be done, in orde
to show definitely to our farmers what a great resource they have; what new money crops they
the trade with its crude drugs. We should, more and more, do the things and raise the things we can do and raise best; better than other countries And crude drugs are undoubtedly in this class, and there-
fore too much cannot be said, nor too fore too much cannot be said, nor too much done, towards
pushing this coming great industry, with Salem its marketpushing this coming great industry, with Salem its marketcenter


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