The Conditions Are Ideal in the Salem District for Building Up a Tremendous Seed Growing Industry to Supply Home and General Needs in this Important Line

many had applied to leading in demand by eastern people.

could do no better than establish supplying seed potatoes to the civ-

In connection with seed grow- grows elsewhere does well here,

ing, the possibilities of plant and certainly no country can growing as a side line has wonder- eclipse this in producing mam-

ful possibilities. Even if one is moth beets, squash, beans, cab-

the mild winters make it possible | First, of course, in importance, to grow such flowers as those first is the fact that we have the soil

bury bells, pansies and foxgloves, class goods and transportation fa-

the spring. Then, too, the demand commerce. Then we have the peo-

for many of our native shrubs is ple who know how to produce

cities at holiday time for decora- that is Market, or rather putting

not equipped with a greenhouse, bage and broccoli.

seedsmen only to learn that as

early as August contracts had

a seed trade of their own.

THE REASONS WHY THE WILLAMETTE VALLEY IS GOOD FOR SEED PRODUCTION SCIENTIFICALLY EXPLAINED BY PROF. HYSLOP OF THE OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

The Winter Conditions Are Mild; There Is a Long, Cool, Moist Growing Season in the Spring to Produce Plump Seed; There is a Fine, Dry Harvest Period for Putting the Crops Away With Good Color and Without Injury.

We are glad to provide material eastern states.

of this sort for you and could probably put it in a little better drained soils, Red clover is the fornia and some other states. Owhape if you gave us a little more ime for it. Very truly, -G. R. HYSLOP,

improved seed oats.

· More than 25,000 acres of wheat have been certified in eastern

Oregon this year. clover, yetch, grass, wheat, oats

the barley seed production.

There need be no fear of over producing clover seed in the Willamette valley. G.R.H.

The Article of Prof Hyslop disease or by lodging, and the laws. various wheat characters are very than in most other sections of the true for oats, barley, vetch, clover

and grass seed.

Willamette valley clover seed clover. has for years been recognized beand its freedom from dodder.

in the line of grass seed producindustry when farmers become acquainted with it.

The reasons why the Willamette valley is good for seed production are: 1 The winter conditions are mild. 2. There is a long, cool, moist growing season in the spring to produce plump seed. 3. There is a fine, dry harvest period for putting the crops away with good

color and without injury. There is a good local demand for good pure strains of. White Winter, Rink, Foise, Blue Chaff Club, Defiance and Huston wheat. . While there is a pretty good supply of the latter available, there are so many fields of the other varieties that are being grown mixed that it is really difficult to secure good seed. There have been only a few acres of wheat oats or barley certified by the College in western Oregon, as compared with thousands of acers certified in easteern Oregon each year. The general quality of eastern Oregon wheat is much freer from mixture than the average run of the western Oregon product, probably because there have been too few specialists in seed wheat production. Seed barley and seed oats have received some what more attention, and it is possible in most cases to get good seed of the leading varieties of oats and barley without encountering a large amount of mixture. There is opportunity in western

Oregon for seed wheat growers. One of the big assets of western Oregon is the clover seed industry. Both Red clover and Alsike clover have given good yields and there is nearly always a good market in the eastern states for all of the surplus seed.

The advantage of the clover seed crop as a business is that it vegetation to take on new life and provides a good deal of pasture a second growth or second crop of for stock and makes a cash yield the vegetable instead of cured that compares favorably with that | seed. of other crops. It will stand railway transportation for long dis-

Where it is practically impossi. The dryness of our summers dur-

ble to ship oats or barrey or hay good second growth. . I am attaching article on seed to the states east of the Rockies, growing in the Willamette valley, clover seed has a sufficient value try in the state is the growing of

best seed crop. For the soils that ing to high seed costs and attacks Professor of Farm Crops: of Linn, Lane and Benton coun- doubtedly it will come back again, P. S .- C. D. Nairn, Amity, Ore- ties and in the French and Howm, is a successful producer of ell prairie districts in Marion tory crops for most years. county and other section where

Red clover.

such that wheat is rarely ever lost marketing of the seed into other by winter killing, by insects, by states having fairly drastic seed that state.

much more strongly emphasized many cases contains so much of land conditions, is being multithese two weeds that are difficult plied and if it continues to prove United States. This seems equally to separate that a considerable satisfactory will be released from amount of weedy seed is produced. the Experiment Station in about This weedy seed is objectionable, another year. The wheat, oats and barley of as it hurts our reputation and this district are usually plump and market. It is verey difficult and Tangier peas, which will probably well filled and are of excellent expensive to completely separate find a use in the Northwest for these weed seeds from the good silage purposes.

coloring, its good germination, to pasture it back or clip it back do well and produce good plump While not much has been done seed crop. In some of the years seed of the Willamette valley has where there is a rather rainy much to commend it when comtion in the Willamette valley, it June, a crop of hay may be har pared with grass harvested in a presents possibilities for a large vested and there is sufficient sec- section of rainy summers. and growth to produce good seed. With Alsike, the first crop must Professor of Farm Crops, Oregon be utilized, as it does not make a | Agricultural College.

Trees and Shrubs.

rieties, for exactly opposite condi-

tions prevent us from curing late

seed. It is the warm, gentle, and

springlike weather, with rain after

a period of dryness, that causes

However these varieties may be

duplicated by earlier ones and so

complete our vegetable alphabet.

FROM A TO Z WE CAN PRODUCE ALL

It Only Remains for the Marketing End of the Industry

Another important seed indusas per your request of August 11. that it may be transported to the common of "Oregon vetch" and who has such fine pictures and dethe new kinds of vetch. "Oregon On the fairly mellow and well vetch" is sold extensively in Caliare flatter and heavier and not so of aphids, the acreage has been well drained as in certain sections decreasing for some time, but unas it is one of the very satisfac-

The Oregon Experiment Station Howard Waggoner, Harry As- the land is inclined to be some- has introduced several new bahr, O. M. Pate, J. H. Wilson what wet, the Alsike clover is the a business in the valley. Purple and W. L. Locke of Corvallis are better of the two. Usually it is vetch, Hungarian vetch and Tansuccessful growers of Purple a little surer in seeding than is gier peas, and last year, through the efforts of the Station, a num-It is important that the clover ber of farmers secured contracts seed crop be harvested as prompt- for growing Purple vetch seed for ly as possible; that if it is not the California citrus growers. The Oregon Experiment Station threshed promptly that it be These, for the most part, have at Corvallis is experimenting with stacked up to avoid loss and injury turned out in a very satisfactory by wetting and staining. Our rep- manner and the growing of Purple utation as a clover seed producing vetch appears to be established as state is good, but it is becoming a business in the Valley. Purple very important for us to use seed vetch seems only adapted to the of Red clover that is free from soils that are well drained, and it buckhorn and plantain and lots of usually does best with medium Alsike clover seed that are free early fall planting. It is used as Government experts have stated from sorrel. These weeds are in- a cover crop in the orchards and that the Willamette Valley is an creasing very rapidly in various vineyards of California, and, beideal place for wheat breeding sections of the state and are cause of its rapid early growth in work, since climatic conditions are causing some difficulty in the the winter and spring, is very much desired by the orchardist of

> Hungarian vetch, a new one The seed offered for sale in that is rather adapted to white

This is likely to be true also of

Of the grasses, Rye grass, Or-Probably the surest way of get- chard grass, Creeping Bent grass, Meadow Fescue and several others in the spring and take only the seed. The fine, plump, bright grass -G. R. HYSLOP,

scriptions in his catalogue. The could collect, classify, advertise rhododendron and the laurel, and market what our valley can been the clovers; the Willamette sword ferns and dogwood are all so abundantly produce.

large extent, and it is capable of great expansion, with the right marketing conditions.

The farmers down that way ing.

The country around Aurora and have also been growing poppy proven the best fertilizer and land Woodburn and Hubbard, in nor- seed for the trade, contracting builder that it is possible to obthern Marion county, has long with the Portland seed houses. grown a great many onion sets | The familiarity of many of the

Great Possibilities

ilized world. Every kind that

for the market. Prior to 1918, residents of that part of the Sa-Hubbard shipped an average of a lem district with the production million pounds a year of onion of these essential things would be a real asset in the organization This industry, with the grow- of a co-operative association for ing also of onion seed, is carried the building up of a big seed if he is going to keep his land on in that territory now to a industry here; as the knowing how in other lines would be of great use in such an undertak-

SALEM HAS THE LARGEST BULB FARM THIS SIDE OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER nels of trade. "Eastren Oregon is now producing large amounts of alfalfa

Perhaps It Is the Largset in the Whole United States, and if Not It Aspires to Be, and Also the Best-A Million or More Tulip Bulbs This Year-The Gladi- place in the United States where oli Are Now in Bloom-Salem Is the Gladiolus City.

(Salem has the largest bulb prietors of Salem's great bulb farm west of the Mississippi riv- farm. The editor asked W. C. hemisphere. Its proprietors, while on the advantages of Salem as a to be certain that it is the best. They are getting ready to market a million or more tulip bulbs. THE SEEDS IN THE WHOLE CATALOGUE

gladioli are now in bloom, holding aloft their flaming torches of beauty at the bulb farm a haif end of the Willamette river gladiolus is Salem's official flow- offending." tion-Much Interest in Our Native Flowers and er. Salem is the Gladiolus City;

the "Glad" City, for short. Dibble & Franklin are the pro-

er; possible the largest in the Dibble to contribute something to United States or in the western this number of The Statesman having the western urge to mak? seed center, and the following is it the biggest, are more anxious the generous response to this request:) Statement of the Growers.

.It has been taken for granted this year's growth. They have in the United States until recently also the narcissus bulbs in con- that the so-called Holland bulb siderable quantities, and they are could not be grown here comgrowing gladiolus bulbs. Their mercially, nor anywhere except

And so we have gone on importing \$2,000,000 worth annumile out from the Polk county ally and growing some \$25,000 to Be Given Proper Form, With Capital or Coopera- bridge, on the Wallace road. The not the "head and front of our And this despite the fact that

(Continued on page 4)

RAISE SEVERAL VARIETIES OF NUTS AND FRUITS FOR THE SUREST SUCCESS

That Is, if You Produce Each One in Commercial Quan- is gone into in a commercial way. tities-There Are Many Advantages in This Method, Which Are Plainly Set Out by a Man Who Has experts pronounce it the best sec-Made a Study of the Subject and Who Practices vegetables What He Preaches.

the firm of Pearcy Bros., who particular crop. plant and develop fruit, nut and However it developed that, de-

the Oregon building, Salem.)

to give his attention to several

(Knight Pearcy, a member of buy equipment to handle each

berry farms, writes the following spite his superior skill and excel- of eastern Oregon grow a very for this issue of The Statesman. lent equipment, the apple grower high grade potato that brings a The office of Pearcy Bros. is in often found himself with a short large premium for seed purposes. crop of fruit due to frost or other A few years ago the tendency causes, and the prune specialist and growers are getting into the among fruit growers was to spe- found that, even though he could business of raising certified stock way, and, on soil that has not cialize. We had apple specialists, grow more pounds of fruit per and in a few years will be able been worn out with successive pear specialists, loganberry spe- acre than could his neighbor who to supply a large trade with excialists and specialists in other diversified his crops, still untime- ceptionally fine seed potatoes. lines of fruit growing. The the- ly rains would crack his fruit as ory was that the fellow who de- badly as that of his neighbor. The have been planting large acreages poses, but much of Oregon's crop voted his full time to the study cherry grower likewise found that with the special purpose of supfinds its way to eastern growers of apple growing and who he had his good and bad years plying the California demand, equipped himself to handle apples and the peach man and the logan- which insists on Oregon grown Many vegetable and flower exclusively would be able to pro- berry man found that frosts or stock, if it is possible to obtain duce this fruit better and more hot spells or labor shortages any, and is willing to pay a good cheaply than the fellow who had would often destroy the profits premium over other sections for

friends in the large cities contain different crops and who had to (Continued on page 4) HALF TO THREE-QUARTERS OF MILLION DOLLARS FOR OUR CROP OF CLOVER SEED

This Is the Only Section of the United States Where It Has Proven Profitable to Grow Vetches for Seed, and We Have Here the Natural Conditions for a pecial attention to improving the Great Seed Industry.

seed center:

section of the United States where

Our dry summer and fall weather makes this a favored section Returning to the subject of for producing many varieties of teen made for the following year, seed, there should be some mengarden and flower seeds. so that those having seed on hand tion made of the possibilities of

From a Seed Authority. Harley O. White, of the wellknown firm of D. A. White & Sons, feedmen and seedsmen, Saiem, in the course of an interview by a Statesman reporter yesterday, spoke substantially as fol-

"Oregen has been known usumentioned, namely the Canter- and the climate to produce first ally as a grower of field seeds, especially of clover, aifalfa and during winter and have for sale cilities that reach from the most vetches, but grows to perfection fine bedding clumps of them in humble hamlet to the centers of many kinds of seeds.

"I might mention that in various parts of the state there have very great, and the Oregon grape, these things, and there remains been grown and are now grown now shipped by carlots to eastern but the final step to be taken and many varieties of garden seeds, especially cabbage, kale, carrots, tive purposes and our wild sweet- the grower in touch with the buy- turnips, rutabagas, cauliflower, briar brings 75 cents to the man er who will finance the market- broccoli, radishes, peas, beans,

> valley producing the finest clover seed grown in the United States. "The varieties grown in the

valley are the medium red and alsike clover, with some White Dutch clover in a small way. "The crop of clover seed has

usually brought annually hundreds of thousands of dollars to the farmers, not to speak of the larger crops made possible by the growing of clover which alone has

Good Crop This Year.

high prices of grains, clover was the usually dry summers, adapt CONTINUOUS SUPLY. somewhat neglected during the war; but the up to date farmer realizes that he must grow clover in condition to pay him.

"This year, the clover crop is good. We will ship from this district 75 to 85 cars of clover seed this year; the prices are 10 to 14 cents a pound; and so there will be \$500,000 to \$750,000 of new money paid to our farmers, for this product alone, which will be quite a stimulus in all the channels of trade.

seed, and the next few years willshow a large increase in this very valuable crop as the new districts are developed. An Exclusive Field.

"Western Oregon is the only this year are bright. it has proven profitable to grow for seed, and the seed has been shipped all over this country from Oregon in the last few part of the nut orchards of Yam-

"California has been depending entirely on our crop for her supply, and a number of cars have gone to New York, Maryland. Texas and various points to supply the needs of these localities.

"Vetch has the same fertilizer values to land as clover, and as a cover crop is not excelled by any other green crop.

"A new vetch, originating in Europe, called the Purple vetch, is being used in California, mosty for fertilizing purposes, and Willamette valley farmers are growing the seed for the California people; about 100 acres being worth. Certainly the bulb was in this clover this year in the Salem district.

"Timothy is not grown in the valley for seed, but in various parts of eastern Oregon is proving a profitable crop.

"Sweet clover is also being grown in the same section and has been a big money maker.

"The different coast counties have soil and climate suitable for growing the various root crops, like carrots, turnips, rutabagas and radishes and produce a large crop of the very finest seed, and will in a short time supply large amounts—as soon as the business "This section now is growing

cabbage and cauliflower seed, and tion of the United States for these

"Several of the large seed houses have been growing garden seeds in the valley under contract, and with good results. Certified Potato Seed.

Both the valleys of western Oregon and the irrigated sections "Quite a number of farmers

"Recently a few large dealers our potatoes.

"The Oregon Agricultural college is doing a great deal to encourage this branch of the seed industry, and directions are freely given-and that institution has developed a system of potato seed certification which is bound to add much wealth to Oregon for seed potatoes sold, to say nothing of vastly increasing the production of potatoes in this state. Pays to Select Seed

"Many growers are now realizing that it pays to select their grain and corn, and are paying es-

"It has been usually the custom to sow any old grain that they might have and never even clean out the weeds, but they find that it pays them to select the finest grain that they can obtain in their fields and have it well graded and cleaned.

"From a number of tests that I have known of, the farmers doing so have been able to increase (Continued on page 4)

GREAT AND A PROFITABLE SEED INDUSTRY MAY BE BUILT UP HERE

Luther J. Chapin, Former Agriculturist for Marion County, Says the Natural Conditions Obtaining in This Section Warrant the Production Here of Flower and Garden Seeds as Well as Grain and Grass Seeds in Large Quantities.

Luther J. Chapin is one of the this locality to the production of best posted men in this section on high priced flower and garden our possibilitines in the production of crops of all kinds. He was edge of this specialized line of formerly agriculturist of Marion agriculture, the Willamette valley "The most valuable crop has county. As chairman of the agri- offers a great opportunity, as the cultural committee of the Salem manufacturing concerns and the Commercial club, he keeps in wholesale and retail seed houses touch with every section of our of this immediate locality require farming districts. In an interview annually many tons of such seeds

> "Seed growing is an industry which has not been given the gladly use local grown seed if it prominence which the natural con- were available. ditions obtaining in this section

To any one who has a knowlsolicited by a Statesman reporter as beans, peas, spinach, onion, yesterday, Mr. Chapin spoke as carrot, turnips, cabbage, pumpkin,

squash, etc. "And these concerns would

"In fact, I feel certain that warrant. The Willamette valley CONTRACTS COULD BE SEis well adapted to the production CURED in advance for the total of high class seeds, not only of the requirements of these, concerns, more common farm crops, or However this may be, the whole grains, but also of flower and country needs and will use seeds garden seeds. The various types such as are produced here, The "On account of the extreme found in a very limited area, and UME and the assurance of a

BUMPER CROP OF WALNUTS WILL BE HARVESTED IN THIS DISTRICT

This Will Give an Impetus to More Planting, Which It Should—The Walnut Enthusiasts of the Western Walnut Association to Have Their Regular Tour

The prospects of a very large | He also had a good crop last year, walnut crop in the Salem district It is an interesting fact that in all knight and Harry Pearcy of tract and tracts which had the Pearcy Bros., Salem, contractvery same climatic conditions to turists, took a run through one orchard has a heavy one. Should Yield More. hill and Washington counties last

Knight Pearcy says: "Our ton week. They found that the trees to the acre average in the Salem which are being taken care of are prune belt is too low. In other recovering from the effects of the sections they are doing better. In big freeze of winter before last Washington county and in Dougin nice shape, in those sections las county the better orchards run where the freeze hit. They think two tons with considerable reguthere will be a revival of interest larity, and some of our Salem orin walnut growing after this har- chards do the same, Most of the vest. The effects of the freeze rest should, with an improvement caused a slackening of planting, in handling."

but it will probably increase again The annual summer tour of the now, although a little more care Western Walnut association will In the Chas. Trunk orchard at take place Sept. 1 and 2 this year, Dundee they found a beautiful The present plans include Salem crop. He will harvest perhaps as one of the towns on the tour, 25 tons of nuts this year. Here, with a good chance that the night too, they found the only real crop will be spent here. On this tour of prunes which they have seen usually 15 to 30 auto loads of this year. On a twenty-acre tract enthusiasts spend two days visitof nine-year-old trees he will har- ing the best orchards in the vest close to two tons per acre. country.

OREGON MOHAIR GOAT ASSOCIATION SECRETARY APPRECIATES STATESMAN

will be taken in selecting sites.

to my attention since becoming the goat business from time to secretary of this association that time. Would you be interested you published a special edition of in getting original first hand aryour paper on March 20, 1920, levoted to the Angora goat indus- ticles from me once in a while?

tention of the other newspapers dustry.

"A goat on every acre of brush" of the state to your action and is the slogan of the Oregon Mo- suggest that they do likewise. I hair Goat association, of which Richard G. Scott of Sherwood, Oregon, is secretary. Under date the brush of August 7, Mr. Scott wrote as which now encumbers a large proportion of our farms. I am hop-"Oregon Statesman, Salem, Or- ing that you will make it a point Gentlemen: It has come to give your readers news about

The Salem Slogan editor wishes 'You are certainly to be con- to thank Mr. Scott and to say gratulated in thus giving publici- that The Statesman will be glad ty to one of the most important to continue to publish all the in-kinds of livestock, and the least teresting and helpful matter it appreciated. I shall call the at- can get in regard to the goat in-

SEEDS

We buy and sell all kinds of seeds grown in this state having a large wholesale trade as well as a good retail business.

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We give especial attention to Seed Grains, Clover seed, Vetch seed, and the different Grass seeds as well as a full line of Garden seeds.

Send for list when in the market as you will find it to your interest to do so. All seeds are thoroughly recleaned and graded and comply with the various State Seed laws of the different states.

D. A. WHITE & SONS

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Sept. 22.

DATES OF SLOGANS IN DAILY STATESMAN (In Twice-a-Week Statesman Following Day) Loganberries, Oct. 7. Drug garden, May 5.

Prunes, Oct. 14. Dairying, Oct. 21. Flax, Oct. 28. Filberts, Nov. 4. Walnuts, Nov. 11. Strawberries, Nov. 18. Apples, Nov. 25. Raspherries, Dec. 2. Mint, Dec. 9. Great cows, Dec. 16 Blackberries, Dec. 23. Cherries, Dec. 30.

Pears, Jan. 6, 1921. Gooseberries and Currants, Jan. Corn, Jan. 20. Celery, Jan. 27. Spinach, Feb. 3. Onions, Feb. 10. Potatoes, Feb. 17. Mining, March 3. Goats, March 10. Paved highways, March 24. Broccoli, Marcr 31. Silos, April 7. Legumes, April 14. Asparagus, April 21. Grapes, April 28.

Sugar beets, May 12. Sorghum, May 19. Cabbage, May 26. Land, June 9.

Cucumbers, July 7. Hogs, July 14. bulbs, July 21.

Sheep, Aug. 4. Seeds, Aug. 18. Livestock, Aug. 25. Automotive Industry, Sept. 1.

Poultry and Pet Stock, June 2. Dehydration, June 16.

Hops. June 23. Wholesale and Jobbing, June City Beautiful, flowers and

National Advertising, Aug. 11.

Paper Mill, Sept. 29.

Schools, July 28.

Grain and Grain Products, Sept. 8. Manufacturing, Sept. 15. Woodworking and other things,

(Back copies of Salem Slogan editions of The Daily Oregon about the preparation of seed for the price being from 10 to 14 California wants all the certification and the property of the price being from 10 to 14 California wants all the certification and the price being from 10 to 14 California wants all the certification and the price being from 10 to 14 California wants all the certification of seed for market, but most of them were cents a pound; and this will bring fied potato seed our farmers can seed and there is a demand for seed and the price being from 10 to 14 California wants all the certification of seed for market, but most of them were cents a pound; and this will bring fied potato seed our farmers can seed and the certification of seed for market, but most of them were cents a pound; and this will bring fied potato seed our farmers can seed for seed fo

(The following very well writ-|ing the months of July and Auten article was furnished for this gust are Oregon's greatest asset Salem slogan issue by Miss Ella when it comes to maturing seeds McMunn, Route 8, Salem, Oregon, of grains, grasses, vegetables and who has given a great deal of flowers, for rain, even in small study and cae tro the native Ore- quantities upon a partially ripened gon trees and shrubs and flow- seed pod, would result in the pod opening and scattering the seed to Beginning with "A" for arti- the four winds, while, with carechoke or asparagus, clear down ful cultivation and fertilization of through all the vegetable king- the soil, there is always sufficient

dom to "Z" for Zinnia, there is not moisture for the roots to enable a fruit, flower or vegetable in the the plant to form seed. With sweet peas, poppies, panentire seed catalogue that we cannot raise in the Willamette valley, sies, Canterbury bells, daisies, foxand except with the late maturing gloves and scores of other flowers, varieties, are also enabled to raise we might easily lead the world. eed. But it must not be thought owing to the fact that these seeds that a bitter, biting winter sets in | may be planted in the autumn and early and stops growth on late va- grow throughout the winter, being ready for a glorious burst of

bloom in the spring and a full crop of seeds in July. Grains and grasses, such as wheat, oats, barley, rye, vetch, timothy, canary grass and hemp may also be planted in the fall and thus receive many weeks of moisture to start them on their grain crops, the kernels are large. plump and numerous, so that no grains are imported for seed pur-

seeds are annually brought here from other states, for the sole reason that the catalogs of our much prettier pictures of meions and corn and roses than we have in our western catalogs, and, having a well-established business and fat pocketbooks from the industry, they advertise in the leading periodicals during the gray days of January, clear on to the time of planting. Their methods are correct and we would do well to imitate them, but the expense of such an undertaking cannot be borne by a single individual, so that the beginning must be small or it must be co-operative.

by the writer last sumer in the Oregon Statesman and Pacific on the Homestead of native herbs, and growing, something like 30 letters were received from persons ving in Oregon, Washington and

There Is Much Interest

Following a series of articles

Here are some of the high | the channels of trade here. lights of the Salem district as a | Western · Oregon is the only California, all asking additional information. A few inquired 85 cars of clover seed this year: vetches for seed.