

PRUNE PRICES RESTORE HOPE

Best Outlook in Years In Quantity Makes Growers Feel Better

With the best crop in three years in sight and prices promising to range higher than in any good crop season since 1920, the Oregon prune is about to come into its own once more.

The price of 7 1/2 cents quoted recently will mean, if it does not go higher as has been rumored in the last few days, that most growers will receive an average of about 5 1/2 cents, because the heavy crop means smaller prunes, and the 7 1/2 cent quotation is based on the 30-35 size.

But, says Max Gehlar, who is authority for the above estimate, the outlook in general is that prunes will "cash in" this year. Harvesting costs 3 to 3 1/2 cents a pound, so the grower will receive about 60 cents a bushel above the cost of harvesting.

Under these conditions, prunes are estimated to be worth \$500 an acre.

Crop Somewhat Spotted
The crop this year is slightly spotted, with prunes hanging like grapes from the branches in some sections; in fact the trees are too full. Elsewhere they are not so heavy. But the crop will be far heavier than that of 1927 or that of 1928; not quite up to the 1928 crop in volume.

Prices received by the growers for prunes have fluctuated widely. Before the war they occasionally reached seven cents. During the war, the government commandeered the crop at a ten cent price, and in 1919 they reached the peak, 20 cents.

Then came the "calamity year" 1920, in which 13 cent contracts were signed but the quality was poor and large quantities were sold for as low as 1 1/2 and two cents. Improvement has been noted since that time, especially in the last two years when the crops were light.

AMITY BALL TEAM IS LOSER TO WILLAMINA

AMITY, June 26.—The Amity baseball team journeyed to Willamina Sunday afternoon and met defeat by a score of 9 to 11 in Willamina's favor. This was not a league game.

Next Sunday Amity will play Yamhill on the local diamond. Both Yamhill and Amity are tied for the county league championship.

The Camp Fire girls went to Yamhill river Sunday. Several of the girls went swimming. Their supper consisted of roasted weenies, marshmallows and punch. Later in the evening five of the girls biked home.

The state oiling crew stopped over night in Amity on their way to Willamina Friday night. They intended to start Monday oiling

Hollywood Stars Stunned By Fall While Trying Out Horses For Mollala Fete

While practicing one of their stunts for the Mollala Buckaroo July 2, 3, 4, Art and Sid Seals, the Hollywood movie stars, came nearly under a physician's care. Two of the worst and most dangerous bucking horses in the game, "Terrible Larry" and "Kicking Tom" refused to be ridden. After several attempts to get these bad equines to obey, a start was made but it became almost disastrous to the Seal brothers when both of them were thrown with terrific force and landed just a few feet from the concrete base of the grandstand.

The men were stunned by the fall for quite a while but after being helped to their feet by L. M. Mastero, fire chief of Mollala, they seemed none the worse for the experience. Sid Seals on being interviewed said, "These are the meanest in the business but we will ride them at the show if it takes all day."

Rodeo Horses Wild Ones
It is said that Mollala has the most uncontrollable of rodeo horses ever seen in a wild west show and as a side line, some mighty bad steers.

July 2 will open the fifth annual buckaroo given by the firemen. The mayor and the city council are acting as a committee for all out of town visitors. There is plenty of parking space in Mollala

the highway from Willamina.

The Evangelists services conducted by James Earl Ladd are being well attended. These meetings will continue until the last of this month.

as it is off the highway and all space is free. It is estimated that fully 15,000 people will be in the grandstands July 2 when Henry Collins, president of the Pendleton round up, presents Governor Patterson with the big sombrero which will make the chief executive a real buckaroo.

GOVERNOR CHOOSES RIVER COMMITTEE

Governor Patterson Wednesday appointed five members of the committee authorized at the 1929 legislative session to investigate the possibilities of water transportation on the Columbia river.

The governor's appointees include Dr. Clark-Black, Portland, president of the Columbia Valley association; W. W. Harrah, Pendleton; L. Barnum, The Dalles; James A. Akey, Pendleton; and Chris Schmidt, Astoria. Senate members of the committee are J. E. Bennett and Henry L. Corbett, Portland, and Jay Upton, Bend. House members are John B. McCourt and Niel Malarkey, Portland; E. O. Potter, Eugene; F. W. Settlemyer, Salem, and G. R. Metzger, St. Helens.

The committee was created under senate concurrent resolution 14. The committee will report its findings to the next legislature.

BANCROFT STARS IN NEW ELSINORE FILM

"Thunderbolt" Mystery of Compelling Interest; End at Sing Sing

Opening at the Elsinore theater today, and continuing for three days is George Bancroft's latest all-talking production "Thunderbolt." This picture comes to Salem audiences, direct from its record-breaking engagement at the Portland theater.

"Thunderbolt" is said to be one of the best mystery productions of gang-life yet produced, and critics have said this picture surpasses two previous Bancroft successes, "Underworld" and "The Wolf of Wall Street."

In his latest picture, Bancroft has a role which is admirably fitted for his talents. The story vivifies the dramatic incidents that cross the narrow horizon every day. Opening in the intriguing atmosphere of Harlem's black metropolis, where Bancroft as a fearful death dealer sways the lives and destinies of hundreds of human beings, it swings to the awe-inspiring setting of Sing Sing's death row, where the final exciting climax in the most exciting drama are enacted.

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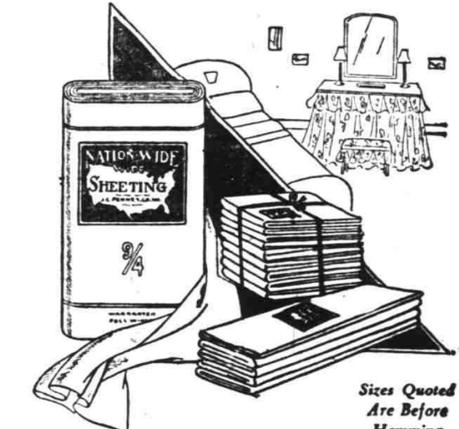


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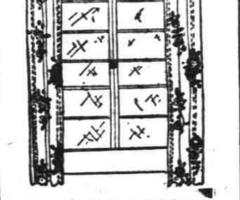
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