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SILVIES AND BLITZEN RIVERS has its source in the spurs of the ly excelled. And as a Blue mountains, south of the John lakes. These rivers and their nu- the best in the market. The merous tributaries have their water whole valley.

LAKES HARNEY AND MALHEUR overflow. Being situated on a level 15 feet. plain, and having low shores, these value to farmers is inestimable.

ways of farm houses about sunrise, onable rates. distant objects, towns, farms, mounfather, or mother from sister.

THE SOIL AND CLIMATE terpart of that of Umatilla county, competition between them. ands a ready home market at 5 ment of a cents a pound-\$3.00 per bushel. Qats and barley grow equally well, in Harney valley, where there are

WITHOUT IRRIGATION. In winter the weather is cold but which will bring the administrapleasant, the usual effect of alti- tion of affairs pertaining to this tude being tempered by the gentle great valley within easy access of chinook in an article next week the from the West Shore.] The snowand supply moisture that is not pass directly through Harney valand supply moisture that is not ley, and after that what more is defurnished by rains. In summer ley, and after that what more is defurnished by rains. In summer ley, and after that what more is defurnished by rains. A boy named Henry Miller, ly blowing, which tends to keep agreeable weather, no matter how warm it gets, and nights cool enough procure homes will be the first to down to dagger point, hunted up ment of pupils a chief object of his to make covering desirable-in fact, reap the harvest of the forehanded. one can skep under cover comfort- for the fact is self-evident. The inably the year round.

TIMBER .- SAW-MILLS. There is no timber in the valley, except along the water courses, there being a light growth of birch and unusually large, heavy growth cated among the pineries, and the north and south. It contains the is a great family educator, and no lumber, which is of the best quali- well-known Harney valley. ty, sells much cheaper than in the East. The

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size, "mealiness" and flavor.

SMALL FRUITS, berries, gooseberries, grapes, etc., the President.-East Oregonian. will, from what evidence we have A Railroad, County Seat and Land been able to gather the past year, be a success, as the native plants are hardy and good bearers.

FRUIT TREES planted freely by farmers this May 5th. spring; the settings of last fall survived the severest winter that Har- commence the publication of a GRANT COUNTY NOMINEES. nev valley, in fact East Oregon ever daily .- Scout.

witnessed. As an AGRICULTURAL region it will be readily seen that lands of Lake county. and their tributaries. The former the valley offers inducements rare-

STOCK-RAISING Day river, flows a general southerly country, it cannot be surpassed, course, passing down the center of since its water, grass and salubri-Harney valley and empties into ous climate takes horses, cattle, lakes Harney and Malheur. It is sheep and hogs throughout the year a rapidly flowing stream, about 80 (from January 1 to December 31) sengers killed, 70 injured, most miles long, and contains every kind without grain or any other than of fish, including the salmon trout wild grass feeding, and, where the and other varieties of game fish. winter is milder than common, The Dunder and Blitzen river, or stock looks better in early spring destroyed by fire May 11th; loss "Blitzen," as it is shortened by than in Eastern localities where \$5,000, partially insured. common usage, is about 50 miles they are grain-fed during the winin length, flows in a northerly di-ter; and the texture and flavor of rection and also empties into the the meats compare favorably with tiful, and the cannery and Tenino

INCREASE IN POPULATION sheds within the county, and the during the past three years has been taineer. lakes having no outlet, serve to fur- rapid, and is of that most desirable produces the best of grain, stock Hunt is now a resident of another cover an area of more than 150 and living. The houses and barns state. square miles, and are connected by are generally frame; corrals and It is said the snow is rapidly a channel about 20 yards wide and other enclosures, rail, and fencing melting in the Cascades, and it is 200 yards long. They receive the wire; abundant water supplies from thought travel across the mountains waters of both Silvies and Blitzen wells of fine living water which is will begin in a few weeks .- Ochoco rivers but have no outlet and never reached at a uniform depth of 6 to Review.

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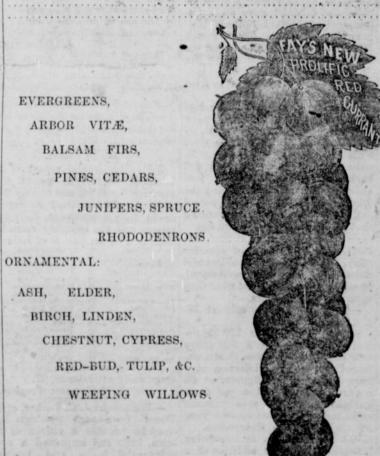
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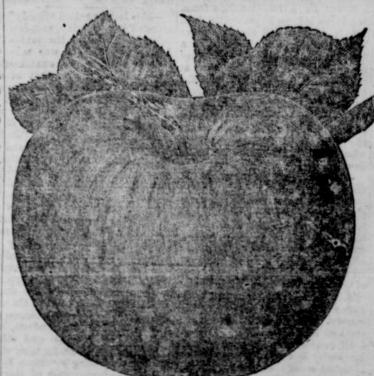
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