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FRUIT NOTES

"This weather is certainly just what we need for this time of the year," remarked one prominent Josephine county orchardist to the Courier newsgatherer, who resumed thusly: "Yes, this cold spell comes just at the right time and it means that our fruit will this season be held back a bit and then it will not get caught by any late frost that may happen along. And, say, do you know, I believe that we are going to have the best fruit crop, both as to quality as well as to quantity we have had for many a day. It is going to be a regular bumper crop, as the saying goes, or I miss my guess."

Here's an item from the Gold Hill News, which indicate very plainly the interest that is being taken up that way in the fruitgrowing industry: "The people of Sams Valley are beginning to realize the value of their farming land, as a fruit growing soil, and now almost every body in that section is planting an orchard. Apples, peaches, pears and nuts are being planted all over the valley and within a few years Sams Valley will be one of the best fruit producing sections in the state of Oregon. Henry Holst is planting 10 acres of walnuts and 30 acres of apples. Max Schultz is planting 400 apple and pear trees. Mr. Stoner is planting 25 acres of apples and pears. Fitzgerald Bros. are planting 100 peach and pear trees, and Wm. Glover is planting 400 apple trees. The people of this locality should feel pleased to see the number of small orchards that are being planted all over this section of Jackson County as it means the opening of an industry that has for years stood in the background among our people and is one that will bring into our community thousands of dollars every year."

"How long do you suppose it will be before people will be complaining that lands suitable for orchards in his locality are held at too high a price?" queried one observing horticulturist. He then proceeded to tell what he had observed. For instance, during the past year many fine pieces of orchard land have more than doubled in price, for they had actually sold for that. He was not drawing upon his imagination, but merely stating facts. He predicts a veritable "boom" in fruit growing lands hereabouts, in the near future and says that the day for securing real cheap land in this part of the state is a thing of the past.

County Commissioner Joshua Patterson, who was in town Tuesday, said the reports that he had sold his farm and orchards a few miles north of Ashland for \$50,000 was incorrect, though California parties have recently had covetous designs upon the property. Mr. Patterson has, besides his farm holdings, 120 acres of fine young apple orchard. Half of the orchard is in 4-year-old trees and the other half of it is 5-year-old Yellow Newtons and Spitzenberg predominating. The 5-year old trees give promise of a good yield of fruit this season and the 4-year-old trees also promise to come into bearing this season and return a fair yield.—Ashland Tidings.

H. O. Bateham, is another addition to the Hood River colony that is becoming quite numerous in Josephine county and these gentlemen are all progressive, experienced horticulturists and make quite a valuable addition to the fruitgrowers of this section. Mr. Bateham has already purchased 70 acres of the Wine tract and will proceed to secure a grubbing outfit and clear the place of all shrubbery and trees, at once. He paid \$40 per acre for the land which one party informed the reporter he believed would be worth many times that inside of a very short period of time. He will proceed to plant the land to apples and pears and will have some grapes. Mr. Bateham spent sometime looking over this region last fall, and now he comes back with his family, ready to settle down and make this his future abiding place, as he is well pleased with the soil, climate and people. Mr. Bateham formerly conducted the Columbia Nursery, at Hood River and also possessed a very fine orchard of his own, but that rigid climate was a bit too much for him and hence his removal to this milder climate. He has secured a house on North 9th street, where he will reside for the present.

Potash is the chief fertilizer to be applied to the fruit trees, particularly after they come into bearing. Potash may be had in wood, ash and muriate of potash. It is most commonly used in the latter form. An annual application of potash should be made upon bearing orchards 500 pounds to the acre.

It is claimed by best authorities that an acre of apple trees in 20 years counting 10 crops of fruit in that period will consume 1300 pounds of nitrogen 310 pounds phosphoric acid and .895 pounds of potash. To restore the potash alone would require more than 21 tons of high 1 to 2 pecks; millet one quarter bushel orchard-grass 2 quarts; white clover 4 quarts; wheat one half bushel; broom corn one-half bushel corn broadcast 4 bushels; potatoes 10 to 15 bushels; rutabagas three-fourths pound mixed lawn grass one-half bushel corn in hills 4 to 8 quarts corn in drills 2 to 3 bushels; rye 1 1/2 to 2 bushels wheat 1 1/2 to 2 bushels.

Among the apple offerings on Front street says the Telegram, were a lot of Hood Rivers, which were received late last week. They are for the most part Ortleya, Red Cheeks and New-own Pippins, and they are held at prices ranging from \$3 to \$5 a box. Stocks generally on the street are held at \$1.25 to \$2.50 with a good demand.

"Talking about the increase in orchard land values, did you know that Prof. Turner has already refused \$100 per acre for that 80-acre Hamlin tract he bought only a few weeks ago at \$35.50 per acre?" was the inquiry made by one fruit grower. He predicts that said land will be worth all of \$1000 per acre within the next five or six years and he thinks that he has already abundant reason for the "faith that is within him."

Experience everywhere teaches that an orchard will live longer, bear better and be more profitable for being well cultivated and enriched. The experiment stations have tried both methods and have collected opinions from the best fruit growers in their sections, and the verdict in almost every case is that cultivation is necessary for healthy trees and first-class fruit.

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Special Rates From Grants Pass.
On account of the 5th annual convention Western Retail Lumbermen's Association at Tacoma, February 27th, 28th and 29th. Tickets will be sold at Grants Pass on the certificate plan, to Tacoma, entitling holders to return at one-third fare from Tacoma, having paid full fare going. Further particulars at the depot. 1-24-11

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No Deceit.
Mother—Jack, when I gave you and Ella each an orange, you both promised not to eat them until after dinner. Is it possible you have deceived me? Little Jack—No, ma'am. I ate Ella's and she ate mine.—Chicago News.

Women in Japan.
A Japanese saying runs: "Woman is an unmanageable creature; flatter her, she is elated; thrash her, she weepeth; kill her, her spirit haunts you."
We would suggest that the best remedy is to love her.—Japan Times.

Worm and Dry to Stay Well.

Now is the time when the doctors get busy, and the patient medicine manufacturers reap the harvest, unless great care is taken to dress warmly and peek the feet dry. This is the advice of an old eminent authority, who says that Rheumatism and Kidney trouble weather is here and also tells what to do in case of an attack.

Get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Mix by shaking in a bottle an take a teaspoonful after meals an at bedtime.

Just try this simple home made mixture at the first sign of Rheumatism or if your back aches or you feel that the kidneys are not acting just right. This is said to be a splendid kidney regulator, and almost certain remedy for all forms of Rheumatism, which is caused by uric acid in the blood, which the kidneys fail to filter out. Anyone can easily prepare this at home and at small cost.

Druggists in this town and vicinity, when shown the prescription, stated that they can either supply these ingredients, or, if our readers prefer, they will compound the mixture for them.

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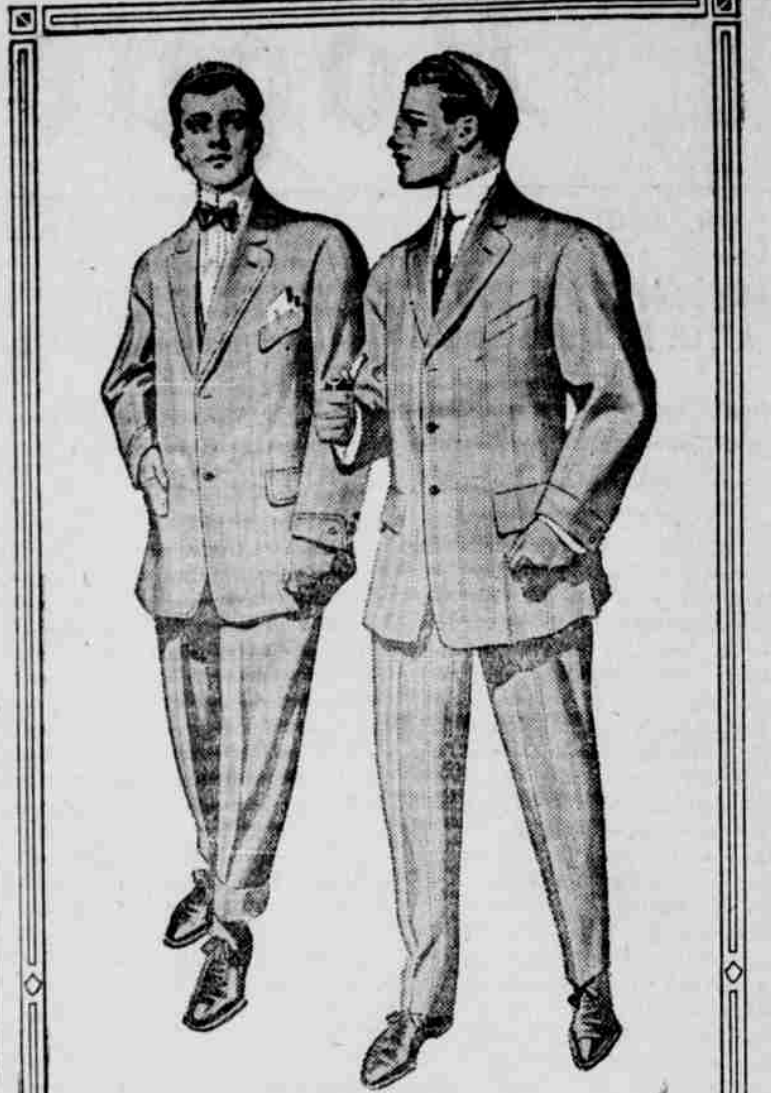
W. C. T. U. NOTES

The W. C. T. U. held its regular session last Friday at the home of Mrs. Weidman. In spite of inclement weather, a goodly number were present. A medal contest was arranged to take place in the near future. Mrs. Spaulding, superintendent of Purity in Literature and Art conducted the program. A solo by Miss Wilna Gilkey was sung in a pleasing manner and the paper by Mrs. Graham was followed by a discussion in which all agreed that greater vigilance is required to guard against the impure in literature in our public schools, the suggestive post card and other things of like nature. The cheap books for sale in our city may work untold evil if put into the hands of our children. Even the toys (?) on sale at some counters are a disgrace and the dealers ought to be dealt with according to law. Mrs. Graham said in part:

"Man is a gregarious animal and a lover of the approbation of his fellows; and being also naturally imitative he takes to himself such qualities as, to him, seem pleasing or desirable in others. This is most frequently done unconsciously and when continued becomes part of the receiver. In short, this giving and taking is simply our spiritual commerce carried on in our spiritual commonwealth. He that brings to this mart the greatest quantity of the most desirable quality gives out to his willing compatriots the greatest amount of character building food. Hence personal influence. Now personal influence is the most vital of all factors that go to make our spiritual environment. It does not always come to us directly, but as the workman necessarily and unavoidably stamps his own individuality upon his work, it may reach us from the ends of the earth long after his body has ceased to exist, and the two most potent means of preserving and spreading this power is found in Art and Literature!"

"What grandeur those terms call up Art, some say, is the copying of nature, but I assure you, it is infinitely more, for there is always that inevitable personality of the worker plus the whole realm of suggestion which coupled with the sculptor's tools or painter's brush in the hands of a master can bring to our vision the joys of heaven or the anguish of remorse. Suggestion enters largely into the work of the great masters, and how nobly most of them have used it. But if you have seen copies of some of Dore's pictures, you will remember how unpleasantly it may be used. But his manner of using it is not to be compared in power for evil to its use by thousands of our cheap workers of the present day; for they do not make the leaves of trees to suggest harpies and roots and vines to suggest serpents as a warning to evil doers, but they take all the subtlest forms and rarest tints and make them visions of beauty fit to the unwary, while, in suggestion they are utterly vile. It is by this power of suggestion that we must learn to judge all pictures. No matter how fine the workmanship, nor how sacred the subject, if it does not ring true on this point, discard it—if in your power, destroy it."

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pupils high ideals of literature and art. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served and a delightful social hour followed.

The Medal contest under the efficient training of Mrs. Earl Ingles will take place about the 20th inst.

This medal contest work is highly commendable in that the young may teach the principles for which our Union stands. Let every body interested in a pure, clean entertainment come and encourage this development of local talent. Watch for the date.

Don't forget the Medal contest, March 20, at Redmen hall.

In consideration of Purity in Literature and Art, the Oregon law, Section 1870, provides that any person who shall import, print, publish, sell, lend, give away, distribute or show, or have in his possession with that intent, any obscene or indecent book, paper, picture, or any article, or instrument of indecent or immoral use, or who shall print or publish any such book, papers or pictures, or who shall advertise the same, or shall sell, lend, give, or show to any minor child, any publication principally made up of criminal news, police reports or stories of deeds of bloodshed, lust, or crime, or who shall exhibit in any public or other place which may be in the view of any minor child any of the publications or articles hereinbefore mentioned, upon conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary not less than one year nor more than three years, or by a fine not less than \$500 nor more than \$1500.

Press Correspondent.
Redmen Hall, March 20th, Medal contest.