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FRUIT NOTES

The fruitgrowers' meeting to be held at Grants Pass, next Saturday, should be well attended. It is only by concerted action, all pulling together all the time, that the industry can be brought up to the high standard the growers all desire. When once Rogue River fruit becomes well known over this and other countries for being as near perfect as it is possible for it to become, then will the growers receive big returns from their labors. But that Utopia has not yet been reached and may be some distance off. However, there's no telling how much good can be accomplished by such gatherings as the one to be held in this city, tomorrow afternoon.

One, two or three fruit growers can not give fame to a section as a fruit producing country. The success of these two or three show what can be done and therefore their example is valuable. However, before any section becomes known as a producer of fine fruits, there have to be many growers who can produce fine fruit. Much missionary work must be done. Men must be taught how to grow the best of fruit. They must be induced to try the best plan after having been taught. They must have the law behind them with its penalty for putting infected fruit upon the market. More than all this, public sentiment must be educated so that it will be a disgrace for a man to put upon the market fruit which will belie the brand of the community. As has been said, all this requires much missionary work.

With an ax as a weapon, County Fruit Inspector Armstrong of Marion county has begun a new battle against San Jose scale. The campaign will be waged persistently and without fear or favor. The first attack made was upon a 20-acre orchard at Turner, known as the O. G. Cole orchard. The trees are 50 years old and have been badly neglected, with the result that the tops are tangled, moss-grown and diseased. All kinds of pests have found a favorite breeding place there for years. Mr. Armstrong has given repeated notice without avail, and at last hired a gang of men with axes and felled the trees. The season for winter spraying is now nearing the close and Mr. Armstrong intends making a general campaign against orchards that have not been sprayed. In the past many owners of diseased fruit trees have declared their intention to spray their trees and have promised to do it "after awhile," but the promises were not kept. With such growers, Mr. Armstrong will parley no longer, but will strictly enforce the law, making it his duty to destroy the trees. Thousands of neglected trees will be brought to the ground within the next 30 days, much to the improvement of conditions under which the fruit industry is developing.

Shipments of fruit for the season of 1907 from the Rogue River Valley exceeded 400 cars, according to records of the Southern Pacific, states C. A. Malboen, district freight agent for Harriman lines in Oregon. The shipments show an increase of over 100 per cent. The crop was a record-breaking one at record-breaking prices. Probably two-thirds of the cars contained apples and a third pears. But the increased tonnage will again be increased this year in still greater proportion, for a still greater quantity of young trees come into bearing. From 800 to 1000 cars of apples and pears will be shipped out of the Rogue River valley this season, and each year will see the tonnage nearly doubled, for from 5000 to 7000 acres of trees come into bearing each year.

These open-winter days afford a splendid opportunity for trimming the small trees. Among raspberries remove the dead wood and cut the laterals back the length of a foot. If the bushes were not cut in July to induce branching, then the top third should be cut off. The blackberry rows should have about the same treatment. If the currant bushes have grown too thick, cut away half or two-thirds of the old wood. In every case select the eldest stalks to remove. Leave the bushes open, and spare only the most thrifty of the new shoots to take the place a year or two hence of the present bearing wood. This also applies to the gooseberry. It is better to trim the grape vines now than later in the season. Two main stems from one foot is enough to allow to remain to be trained up in fan shape. If the new shoots have made vigorous growth out of all but about 18 inches.

That the Oregon apple is supreme

in every section of the world has been noted time and time again. It now transpires that not only are they in better demand than those from other sections but the price is actually three times as high as the best eastern product and over twice as high as apples grown anywhere else in the world.

In London the Oregon Yellow Newtown takes front rank on every occasion the price of all other apples being governed at all times by the value of the product from this state. The lead in price is always maintained—but sometimes is greater than at other periods. If Oregon apples are scarce they sell correspondingly higher no matter how great the stocks grown in other sections of the world. London appetites always pay tribute to the worth of the Oregon apple; this tribute being shown in a substantial manner. News has just been received here that the best Oregon Yellow Newtowns recently sold in London at 18 shillings per box for the ordinary run of first quality while the best Maine quality sells at that same price per barrel. For best California apples the London market is 10 shillings per box.

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Special Rates From Grants Pass.

On account of the 3th 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.

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Applications for Grazing Permits.

NOTICE is hereby given that all applications for permits to graze cattle, horses and sheep within the SISKIYOU, ASHLAND and that portion of KLAMATH NATIONAL FOREST, north of summit of Siskiyou Mountains, during the season of 1908, must be filed in my office at Grants Pass, Oregon, on or before March 10, 1908. (No grazing permits on original Ashland Forest.)

Full information in regard to the grazing fees to be charged, and blank forms to be used in making application, will be furnished upon request. Milton J. Anderson, Supervisor. 1-31-08

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A succession of colds or a protracted cold is almost certain to end in chronic catarrh, from which few persons ever wholly recover. Give every cold the attention it deserves and you may avoid this disagreeable disease. How can you cure a cold? Why not try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy? It is highly recommended. Mrs. M. White, of Butler, Tenn., says: "Several years ago I was bothered with my throat and lungs. Someone told me of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I began using it and it relieved me at once. Now my throat and lungs are sound and well." For sale by M. Clemens.

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THE GOAT MEN

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Directors, Sales Manager, Superintendent of Shows, or Superintendent of Registration. He shall be custodian of all deeds, papers and other instruments of writing belonging to this Association.

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys due the Association and to pay out all funds on the order or check of the president, vice-president or manager, when countersigned by the secretary, and to keep a correct account of all financial matters pertaining to the Association. He shall give bonds in amount considered ample if the Board of Directors so require.

Sec. 6. The Board of Directors shall have general supervision over the affairs of this Association, and of its other officers, and the Board shall have power to fill any vacancy that may occur in any of the offices of this Association to hold until the next annual election. All business transactions of this Association shall be under the direct control of the Board of Directors and they shall have power to call for reports at any time from any of the other officers of this Association. The Board shall appoint a sales manager, a superintendent of show, and a superintendent of registration and employ such agents as may be necessary to properly carry on the business of this Association, and they shall fix the compensation of such officers and employees as may be paid a salary. The Board shall make such rules and regulations as may best serve the interests of this Association in marketing mohair and in the other undertakings and transactions that may be engaged in. The Board of Directors shall hold regular meetings on the first Saturdays in February, May, August and November in each year. Special meetings may be held at such times as the Board may choose on a call of the president, or on the written request of three members of the Board to the President, the secretary to serve notice by mail or telephone to all members of the Board of such meetings. A quorum for a meeting of the Board of Directors shall consist of three members, but a less number may meet and adjourn from time to time.

Sec. 7. The Manager shall be appointed by the Board of Directors to serve until the next annual meeting, but he may be removed at any time that the Board so orders. The manager may hold any other office in this Association, discharging the duties of both. He shall attend to all purchasing and sales made by this Association and subject to approval or not by the board of directors. He shall have charge of all warehouses and other property of the Association and hire and superintend all employees, and supervise the grading, baling and shipping of mohair. He shall be paid by a commission to be filed by the board of directors on all sales and purchases made by him for the Association, said commission to be paid on the closing of each deal.

Sec. 8. The Superintendent of Registration shall be appointed by the Board of Directors to serve until the next annual meeting, but he may be removed at any time the Board so orders. His duties shall be to supervise the registering of Angora goats within Southern Oregon, and he may hold any other office in the Association discharging the duties of both. The amount of fees that he shall be paid will be fixed by the Board of Directors.

Sec. 9. The Superintendent of show shall be appointed by the Board of Directors to serve for the Angora goat show for the current year, but he may be removed at any time the Board of Directors so orders. His duties shall be to have supervision of the annual Angora goat show held by this Association, working in connection with such committees as the Board of Directors may appoint to assist in handling the show. The amount of such salary he may be paid shall be fixed by the Board of Directors. And he may hold any other office with this Association.

ARTICLE VI

Sec. 1. The annual meeting of this Association shall be held in the city of Grants Pass on the first Saturday in February at the hour to be named by the president in the call for the meeting. At this meeting the secretary and the treasurer shall each make a full report in writing on all matters pertaining to their offices. Election of officers shall be held at this meeting.

Sec. 2. The president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer shall be elected for a term of one year, while the directors shall be elected for a term of three years. At the first election held under this constitution three directors shall be elected for one year, three directors for two years and three directors for three years that all may not go out of office at one time. The treasurer shall give

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ARTICLE VII

Sec. 1. Special meetings of this Association may be called by the president, or by written request of three directors or of 10 members of the Association to the president. Notice of such special meetings and also of annual meetings and of meetings of the board of directors, shall be by postal card, one mailed to each member by the secretary.

Sec. 2. A quorum for any regular or special meeting of this Association shall consist of 11 members, but a less number may meet and adjourn from time to time until a quorum is obtained or final adjournment had. A quorum for a meeting of the board of directors shall consist of three directors.

ARTICLE VIII

Sec. 1. This Association, through its board of directors, shall have exclusive and unqualified power to market all mohair for shipment by members. A contract shall be required between each breeder and the board of directors at the time such breeder is admitted to membership, and this contract shall be in force so long as the breeder is a member of this Association.

ARTICLE IX

Sec. 1. The board of directors shall have power to provide the necessary means for carrying out the purposes for which this Association is formed by fixing reasonable charges and commissions for the services rendered by this Association to its members and customers. The board of directors shall have power to borrow money and to enter into other financial obligations binding this Association. All notes and other evidences of indebtedness and all contracts shall be signed on the part of this Association by both president and secretary.

ARTICLE X

Sec. 1. This constitution may be amended at any annual meeting by a two-thirds affirmative vote of the members present, or at a special meeting provided a notice in writing stating the proposed amendment has been filed with the secretary not less than 30 days prior to said special meeting.

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Atlanta, Ga., \$51.65; Detroit, \$43.50; St. Louis, \$35.50; Council Bluffs, \$30; Boston, Mass., \$54.45; Indianapolis, \$40.15; Springfield, Ill., \$36; Chicago, \$38; Memphis, \$39.65; Washington, \$53.25; Omaha, \$39; Cleveland, O., \$44.75; New York, \$55; Kansas City, \$30; St. Paul, \$39; Columbus, \$43.60; Oklahoma, \$33.45; St. Joe, 30; Sioux City, \$30; Peoria, \$36.00; Atchison, \$30.

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