

LARGE MOHAIR CROP

MARKET STRONG WITH SLIGHT UPWARD TENDANCY.

This Year's Clip in Oregon Will Aggregate Nearly 40,000 Pounds—Harvest Is Over.

Salem, Ore., March 29.—The great mohair harvest of the state is over and it is estimated that the clip this year will aggregate from 350,000 to 375,000 pounds which is a slight increase over the crop of last year. The market, too, for this high grade and much demanded product has opened up well and 30 cents a pound is being paid at the present time, which is considered a high average price.

This is another of the many products in which the state of Oregon excels, the Oregon mohair being classed as the very best on the market and it commands the highest prices. It is chiefly a Willamette valley product as it is raised most extensively, almost exclusively, in Polk, Yamhill, Marion, Washington, Benton, Linn, Lane and Douglas counties. There are a few small and scattered herds of goats in Eastern Oregon, but the attention of the stockmen there is devoted principally to raising sheep and cattle rather than goats.

This is an industry which does not increase very rapidly, not so much as in the case of sheep because the goat is not as hardy an animal, especially when young, as the kids require great care and attention in raising until they arrive at a certain age, when they are more hardy than sheep. The goat industry is perhaps one of the least expensive in the state, therefore making the profits all the greater. The greater portion of the expense in raising goats is in the taking care of the kids, as they are very delicate when extremely young. About 75 per cent of the kids born are raised to maturity.

The market is strong and with a slight upward tendency. The usual annual pool of the mohair has been formed by the Polk and Yamhill county Mohair Growers' association, the aggregate holdings of these two pools amounting to about 80,000 pounds which is about the same as that of last year. This pool will be placed on the market at Dallas on April 1. They are always successful as the growers usually receive from 2 to 4 cents above the market price.

Centennial Notes.

"Hit the Trail" at the Lewis and Clark exposition, opening in Portland June 1.

Captive balloons, airships and an aerodrome will prove very interesting features of the Lewis and Clark exposition. A number of flying contests are being arranged.

Hon. Carlos Cofigny, secretary of state of Cuba, and a number of his distinguished countrymen, have announced their intention of visiting the Lewis and Clark exposition.

The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo from kidney and liver trouble. In a recent letter he says: "I was nearly dead of these complaints, and although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure dyspepsia, biliousness and kidney disease, by Wm. McBride, druggist, at 50c a bottle.

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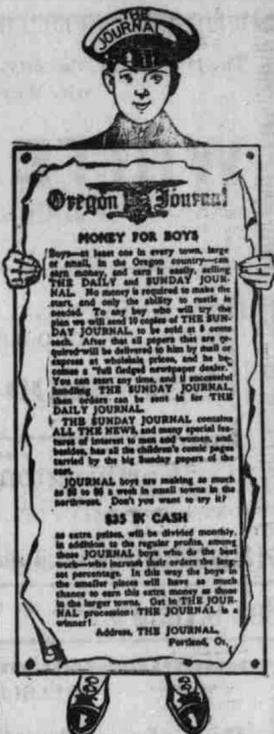
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