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THE FRUIT OUTLOOK.

A General Survey of Present Conditions in the Northwest.

A correspondent writing from Salem, Or., in regard to the fruit outlook in the Northwest, says:

All are looking anxiously to see the fruit trees of our wide reigon pass through the ordeal of springtime, for that is the critical period with orchards. It is not often that any severe injury is done in the fall and winter, and if fruit trees are in good condition at the middle of May there is no reason to fear harm while the fruit is being perfected.

The past fall was exceptional in respect to damage done, for the heavy freeze that occurred late in November was quite disastrous in many localities. While this is no doubt true, it will not be possible to trace the extent of the injury until the growing season comes, for while in the dormant state it cannot easily be known how much harm was done.

It was said at the time that the Italian prune was especially affected, which appears to have been true at The Dalles region; also at Hood River. Mr. D. J. Cooper, of Wasco county, told me that much harm had been done in that district. He thought it was chiefly due to overmuch and too late cultivation and irrigation, for he says he had noticed that where there was light cultivation and irrigation was not continued late, the wood ripened early and trees are all right.

Mr. E. L. Smith, of Hood River, who is a very close observer, says much harm was done in that country to young apple trees, and the Spitzenbergs were especially suffering, the heavy freeze having in many instances, killed the tops, as it occurred when the sap was flowing. In many cases the bark had split on the trunk, but he doubted if the damage would all show until spring came.

Mr. Smith thought the excessive rainfall in the mountains made it worse there than out in the open country. The Hood river valley is in the very heart of the Cascade range, and when there were light rains west of the ranges, there was constant, heavy rain there last fall, and the effect was to keep the sap flowing and the trees growing. At the time the freeze came, late in November, the leaves were all on and held their dark green color, so the effect of the cold snap was more disastrous than if it had occurred in a normal season, as the sap was frozen, and much tender young wood was killed. We expected to hear of harm done wherever people had plowed or cutivated late, and so kept sap flowing but conditions at Hood River were exceptional, and the damage seems to have been general.

There seems to have been damage done in many parts of the country. Clark county, Wash., was said at the time to have suffered loss in the Italian prune, which is planted largely there. As to orchards in this valley (the Willamette), it is not probable that much harm was done where they had not too much and too late cultivation. People had to learn that there can be too much of a good thing. There has been too much pruning, as well as too much cultivation. What is needed is to assist nature, not to take the job too much out of her hands. Only a few days before that freeze, one of those very enthusiastic orchard men told me he had kept on plowing and cultivating up to date. I asked him where he would be when a freeze came, and thought of him the first thing when it did come.

I hear of some damage (to Italian prunes especially) done to orchards near here on prairie land, and to some extent in the hills. The Oregon Land Company has 3,000 acres of trees on high hill land a few miles south of Salem, that they cultivated late, and I hear some harm was done there. The lesson to fruitgrowers is that there is a time when trees should mature their wood, as well as their fruit, and if we ignore the laws of nature, we are apt to pay heavily for it. A gentleman who is engaged in fruitgrowing reports that he was in Southern Idaho after the freeze, and young orchards along Snake river were almost destroyed by it. They were, no doubt, forcing growth by irrigation, and overdid it; so suffer as a cosequence. It was a warm November up to the freeze, and the change came suddenly and was disastrous.

While this must be true of many, it is safe to say that the older orchards of the Pacific Northwest are in good condition to produce well, and that we may hope for the largest yield for the season of 1897 that ever was known. The short crop of 1896 leaves the trees well rested, and with vigorous growth of fruit buds. We are almost at the end of March, and yet the trees are not in bloom, when they often are in full bloom before this time. There is more danger from late spring rains than from winter freezes. If we have a late bloom time, and no cold rains later, we may look for an exceptional fruit year all over this Western Oregon, as well as the Indland Empire. We have had so much to learn that it has been a school of experience up to date, and henceforth we should reap some of the practical results.

The Bill Killed.

Springfield, Ill., March 29.—The senate anti-department store bill came up in the house today on first reading, and was ordered laid on the table. This action practically kills the measure.

The Case of Butler.

San Francisco, March 29.—United States Marshal Baldwin has received the mandate ordering him to deliver the Australian murderer, Butler, to agents of the British government. Two men will watch the murderer day and night until he sails April 1 for Australia. The Australian detectives fear he may commit suicide.

Five years penal servitude was the sentence imposed recently on a bicycle thief in England.

WEEKLY MARKET LETTER.

Downing, Hopkins & Company's Review of Trade.

Trading in wheat this week has not been widespread, but to a great extent was confined within the ranks of the professionals, who are considerably worked up over the increasing amount of bad crop news. St. Louis appears to be the center of the disturbance and has been persistently loading the wries with stories of great harm done. Many traders have been disinclined to give the reports much attention, and in fact have only arched their eyebrows when brought to their notice. Many of those who have been loathe to acknowledge these stories are now changing front and think there must be some fire where there is so much smoke. The country at large, though, is only buying wheat sparingly, but St. Louis professionals appear to be taking hold liberally, and are pinning their faith in the reliability of crop damage in the Southwest. This is just the time of year for a genuine crop scare, and, with the weather conditions as they are, damage tales will multiply instead of diminish.

Statistics are, of course, just as favorable for an advance as at any time recently; in fact more so. Visible stocks are decreasing and the world's stocks are steadily diminishing. The world's shipments are running from 3,000,000 to 3,500,000 bushels below the weekly requirements of the United Kingdom and the continent, but for all that, foreigners are not alarmed over the outlook. They are certainly not taking the wheat from this country in such quantities as one would expect under the circumstances. Cables are merely fractional in quoting changes on the other side. Exports of wheat and flour from both coasts for the week are 100,000 busheis more than last week, and exceed those for the same week in 1896 by about 5,000 bushels. We have had war scares of the opera bouffe order, but war seems to be just as distant as ever.

There has been a fair amount of trading in the corn market this week and speculation has been brisker. Wheat no longer exerts much of an influence upon values.

Market Quotations.

Portland, Or., April 2, 1897.

Flour—Portland, Salem, Cascadia and Dayton, $4.10; Benton county and White Lily, $4.10; graham, $3.40; superfine, $2.75 per barrel.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 76@77c; Valley, 79c per bushel.

Oats—Choice white, 42@44c per bushel; choice gray, 36@38c.

Hay—Timothy, $13.00@13.50 per ton; clover, $11.00@12.00; wheat and oat, $9.00@11.00 per ton.

Barley—Feed barley, $17.50 per ton; brewing, $18@19.

Millstuffs — Bran, $14.50; shorts, $16.50; middlings, $26.

Butter—Creamery, 45@50c; dairy, 30@40c; store, 17½@30c per roll.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 50@65c; Garnet Chilies, 65@75c; Early Rose, 80@90c per sack; sweets, $3.00 per cental for Merced; new potatoes, 6½c per pound.

Onions—$2.00@2.25 per cental.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, $3.00@3.50; geese, $4.00@5.00; turkeys, live, 11@12c; ducks, $4.00@4.50 per dozen.

Eggs—Oregon, 9½c per dozen.

Cheese — Oregon, 12½c; Young America, 13½c per pound.

Wool—Valley, 11c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 7@9c.

Hops—9@10c per pound.

Beef—Gross, top steers, $2.00@3.50; cows, $2.25@3.00; dressed beef, 4@6c per pound.

Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, $3.50@3.75; dressed mutton, 6c per pound.

Hogs—Gross, choice, heavy, $4.00@4.25; light and feeders, $2.50@3.00; dressed $4.50@5.00 per cwt.

Seattle, Wash., April 2, 1897.

Wheat—Chicken feed, $27 per ton.

Oats—Choice, $23@24 per ton.

Barley—Rolled or ground, $20 per ton.

Corn—Whole, $19 per ton; cracked, $19@20; feed meal, $19@20.

Flour—(Jobbing)—Patent excellent, $5.00; Novelty A, $4.60; California brands, $5.35; Dakota, $5.65; patent, $6.40.

Millstuffs—Bran, $14.00 per ton; shorts, $18.

Feed—Chopped feed, $18.00 per ton; middlings, $22; oilcake meal, $30.

Hay—Puget sound, per ton, $10.00; Eastern Washington, $14.

Butter — Fancy native creamery, brick, 26c; select, 24c; tubs, 23c; ranch, 15@17.

Cheese—Native Washington, 12½c.

Vegetables—Potatoes, per ton, $16.50@18; parsnips, per sack, 75c; beets, per sack, 60c; turnips, per sack, 60c; rutabagas, per sack, 50c; carrots, per sack, 40@50c; cabbage, per 100 lbs, $1.50; onions, per 100 lbs, $2.90.

Sweet potatoes—Per 100 lbs, $4.00.

Poultry—Chickens, live, per pound, hens, 10@11c; ducks, $6@6.50; dressed turkeys, 15c.

Eggs—Fresh ranch, 11½@12c.

Fresh Meats—Choice dressed beef, steers, 7c; cows, 6½c; mutton, sheep, 9c per pound; lamb, 5c; pork, 6c per pound; veal, small, 8c.

Fresh Fish — Halibut, 4½@6c; salmon, 5@6c; salmon trout, 7@10c; flounders and soles, 3@4c.

Provisions—Hams, large, 11½; hams, small, 11¾c; breakfast bacon, 10c; dry salt sides, 6¼c per pound.

San Francisco, April 2, 1897.

Potatoes—Salinas Burbanks, 90c@$1.10; Early Rose, 65@75c; River Burbanks, 50@75c; sweets, $1.25@1.75 per cental.

Onions—$1.75@2.25 per cental.

Eggs—Ranch, 10½@12c per dozen.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 13½c; do seconds, 12½@13c; fancy dairy, 12@12½c; seconds, 11@12c.

Cheese—Fancy mild, new, 6½@7c; fair to good, 5½@6c; Young America, 7@8c; Eastern, 14@14½c.

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Paine's Celery Compound Prevents Nervous Breakdown.

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Persons who make it their business to get the most effective remedy to be had are sure to carry home Paine's celery compound. No other remedy is capable of cleansing the blood, nourishing the nerves and regulating the bowels and digestive organs like Paine's celery compound.

If you are troubled at all by rheumatism, neuralgia, headaches or sleeplessness, even if these attacks come only now and then, now is the time to purify the system of them. Don't procrastinate and dally till frightened into doing something when you find the task of getting well has asumed desperate proportions.

Paine's celery compound will cure kidney trouble, heart palpitation and disordered liver accurately, intelligently and permanently when other remedies only raise hopes that are never fulfilled.

Paine's celery compound, which owes its origin to the most distinguished physician and investigator this country ever produced, Prof. Edward E. Phelps, M. D., LL.D., of Dartmouth college, has been publicly indorsed among medical experts as the only spring remedy in any sense entitled to that name.

It can be said without fear of contradiction that no other remedy can truthfully refer to men and women so responsible, so trustworthy, so convincing, because of their straighforward, enthusiastic and easily-verified testimonials in praise of Paine's celery compound.

It is foolish to take poor health "philosophically" these spring days. There is no reason why anyone should sit hands in lap, and submit to headaches, poor appetite, continual tired feeling or constipation. If every disheartened invalid will go right at getting well by using Paine's celery compound, that person will be astonished and delighted with the quickness with which this wonderful remedy is able to call a halt to wasting diseases, diseases of debility and a "run-down" condition.

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(Signed.) Florence H. Dangerfield,
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