

Cranberry Growing Is Oregon Industry

Cranberries are one of the most tempting delicacies on the market this near Thanksgiving time and they go well with any meat.

Perhaps few in this locality when they buy and serve cranberries think of them as a choice Oregon crop. But they are grown extensively in the marshy places near the beach and especially near Astoria where J. S. Dellinger has extensive cranberry marshes.

Mr. Dellinger is publisher of the Morning Astorian and grows cranberries as a side issue at Dellmoor. All who go by auto from Astoria to Seaside must have noticed this extensive cranberry marsh along the highway.

The Outlook acknowledges the receipt from its newspaper friend at Astoria of a fine two-pound sample of these Dellmoor cranberries. They are large, well colored, choice berries and will add color and flavor to the Thanksgiving dinner. This also gives the Outlook a chance to tell its readers something about cranberry growing in Oregon.

Mr. Dellinger says his company is the largest grower of cranberries in the northwest. They are experimenting this year on selling direct to the customer, cutting out to a certain extent the middleman. Whether it can be worked out or not remains to be seen, but Mr. Dellinger is a firm believer in getting the products of the land to the consumer at as low a price as possible, thereby increasing consumption, and hopes to work it out on this line.

Cranberries this year, on account of such a large surplus of other fruit, are selling at the lowest figure in 10 years, the price for a bushel of cranberries delivered from Dellmoor marsh to any place in Oregon and Washington is \$4. However, the industry is in fair shape. In fact, at present prices there is a profit left to the grower where the production is on a large scale.

The Dellmoor cranberry marshes, located in the northwest corner of the state, can be designated as one of the show places of Oregon. There are 40 acres planted to the red berries, 30 acres of which are now in full bearing. It takes five years to bring a marsh into full bearing. This year the crop harvested at Dellmoor was over 9000 bushels, about a trainload of berries. The banner acre yielded 750 bushels. Four acres on the project gave a net return of 2634 bushels. This was on a section of the marsh over 12 years old.

Growing cranberries cannot be called a poor man's game. According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture it is the most highly specialized of any farm product grown. It costs about \$1500 per acre by the time you get your first crop. You have everything to fight that the ordinary fruit raiser has to go up against with a lot of extra thrown in. Owing to the nature of the low-lying ground on which cranberries are produced Jack Frost is the biggest enemy that the cranberry grower has to face. Frost is fought by flooding the marshes where it is possible to get water. In fact, a marsh without a plentiful supply of water is a very poor proposition. Smudging is being resorted to but this work has not been carried far enough at Dellmoor to know whether it will be successful or not.

A large amount of capital has been invested in this industry in the northwest in the past 15 years. Like other new enterprises owing to lack of experience, cost of upkeep and neglect many of the plantings have deteriorated and a great deal of money has been lost. On the other hand, cranberry fields that have been scientifically handled, like Dellmoor, have proved to be a fine investment. The marshes at Dellmoor during the summer months are a beautiful sight and the public generally is always made welcome.

In order to help out this industry Oregon people should demand Oregon-grown cranberries of their grocery.

Oregon Cow Makes Notable Record
A fine record has been completed by St. Mawes Susette of M. L. P., a mature Jersey cow in the herd of M. J. Gibson of Gresham. Susette was tested for 365 days, and in that time she produced 788.07 lbs. of fat and 13890 lbs. of milk. Her milk, therefore, averaged 5.67 per cent butterfat for the test. In her best month her yield reached 103.37 lbs. of fat. When tested as a yearling this cow yielded 508.52 lbs. of fat and 8356 lbs. of milk in 365 days. Her dam is St. Mawes Beauty's Gertie, a cow which has a record of 719.67 lbs. of fat.

GRAPE VINES.
Plant in November. Wordens, Concord, Niagaras are money-makers. Try them. Prices reasonable. Harold Oberg, Craig road, fourth house north of Barr road.—Adv. tf

BORING

The regular church services will be held next Sunday. They are, preaching at 10 o'clock by the Rev. E. W. Withnell and Sunday school at 11, under the supervision of Lester Boring. There are classes for all. The Bible study class will meet in the evening at 7:30, and the Boy Scouts will hold their regular meeting on Monday evening. All arrangements are completed for the Ladies Aid bazaar and entertainment on Saturday evening, November 20.

The Boring community club held a special meeting at the schoolhouse Tuesday evening for the purpose of making arrangements for having a floor put into the school play shed. A committee was appointed to meet with the school board to make plans for same. A meeting of the school board has been called for Monday evening, November 22.

Ernest Wilson met with a severe accident about 5:30 Tuesday evening when the motorcycle which he was riding collided with a lumber truck near Peterson's corner. His hand was severely hurt and the bones of his fingers broken. Ray Naas took him to Gresham for medical treatment.

Mrs. C. L. Gregson fell on Tuesday and dislocated her knee.

Alfred Sloop's new home west of Boring is rapidly being pushed to a finish.

What might have been a very serious accident but resulted in doing only a small amount of damage, occurred Sunday when a thoughtless young man dropped a match into an abandoned gasoline tank. It exploded, wrecking the tank and costing the young man \$25.

COTTRELL

The pupils of the grade school as well as the Sandy high school students enjoyed a two days' vacation last week on account of the Clackamas county teachers' institute held in Oregon City. Over 400 teachers of the county attended. J. D. Orr, principal of Sandy high school, was one of the delegates elected to the Oregon state teachers' association.

V. A. Mendenhall of Boring gave a radio concert over the store Saturday night and demonstrated a 5-tube Fada radio. Mr. Mendenhall is the authorized Fada and Atwater-Kent radio dealer at Boring.

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Epworth League services will begin at 8 o'clock and the pastor will preach an evangelistic sermon at this time. This will conclude the win-my-chum campaign. Beginning at 8 o'clock on Monday evening and continuing through the week, adult members of the church will conduct a win-my-neighbor campaign. Two or more members will have charge of the service each evening, also special music will be rendered at these services. All are invited to attend.

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