

LARGER FRUIT CROP SACRAMENTO VALLEY

Reports as to This Year's Fruit Crop
Is Very Flattering—20 Per Cent
Increase in Output Expected.

SACRAMENTO, April 9.—Reports from all sections of the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys are, without exception, favorable to excellent fruit crops. The time is practically past in the Sacramento valley when late frost can do any appreciable damage to the fruit crop, and now there is nothing to fear from the weather other than a protracted cold rain, accompanied by high winds.

A representative of the Pioneer Fruit company says: "The season thus far presents a most excellent outlook. From indications at present it leads us to believe that the fruit crop in all lines will be from 20 to 25 per cent greater than last year. Weather conditions have been right, been, in fact, of the made-to-order kind for good crops and excellent quality."

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G. L. Boone, 533 Grape street, Medford, Or., says: "The public statement I gave in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills in September, 1907, still holds good. I recommend this remedy in the hope of bringing it to the attention of other kidney sufferers. I was in bad shape with rheumatism at one time, and despite all my efforts I was unable to get relief from pain and stiffness in the small of my back. My kidneys were also out of order and sometimes I had to get up at night to pass the secretions from these organs. When I had about given up hope of being cured, someone told me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I did so, procuring a supply at Haskins' drug store. I soon found that the claims made for them were true, for I had not used them long before my rheumatism began to disappear. As I continued taking this remedy, I steadily grew better and the contents of eight boxes restored me to good health."

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ONE CREDITABLE PAPER BEATS TWO POOR ONES

(Central Point Herald)

The Dawson Printing company of Medford, has been attacked by the sheriff on a suit to obtain judgment for several hundred dollars' worth of paper and supplies furnished by the Blake-McFall company. The Dawson company jumped into a field already represented in the printing line, without capital, bought their plant on a shoestring proposition, cut prices to get business and—went the route. It is reported that L. C. Branson, a recent arrival from Tonopah, Nevada, is trying to secure possession of the Dawson plant, with the intention of starting another daily newspaper in Medford. It is not probable that Medford business men will encourage the scheme. It is but recently that a combination of the Mail Tribune was affected in that city, the result of which is a high class daily newspaper, the Mail Tribune now being published there.

Any town is better off with one newspaper well supported, able to pay its bills every month and to get out a creditable paper than it is with two or more insolvent propositions trying to do business on a starvation basis. Too often personal grudges and personal spite enter into such propositions to the detriment of the best interests of the community.

HALLEY'S COMET TAKEN, BUT WITHOUT ITS TAIL

PASADENA, Cal., April 9.—Photographs of Halley's comet were taken last night at the Carnegie observatory on Mount Wilson.

It was stated today that the plates probably will show the astral wanderer without its traditional tail, the lenses being unable to record the gaseous appendage because of a poor background.

No further observations will be taken from the Carnegie observatory, it was announced, until the comet approaches close enough for the scientists to make an attempt to analyze into its component parts.

LAW BARRING NEGROES FROM VOTE TO COURT

Governor of Maryland Will Have
Measure Tested Which Indicates
He Will Refuse to Sign the Bill.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 9.—Governor Crother's announcement today to the effect that he intends to leave the Digge's negro disfranchisement bill tested by the courts is taken by politicians to indicate that he does not intend to sign the bill. The disfranchisement bill was passed by the legislature a few days ago.

The passage of the bill met with the approval of the majority of white voters and the press of the state commented favorably upon its passage and urged that the governor sign it immediately.

BARTRUM SAYS "YAWNING, BUT NOT ENTIRELY AWAKE"

In a recent speech at Portland, in a meeting of forestry officials, Forest Supervisor S. C. Bartrum said among other things: "Probably there is no country in the world that can excel Oregon in the production of lumber—not lumber, but slumber. The conditions, climatic and otherwise, appear to be favorable to the fullest enjoyment of that delightful and peaceful repose, sleep, at any season of the year. The inhabitants have been susceptible to its apparent irresistible influences and tranquility. A violent stage of awakening, however, is at hand. Some are actually sitting up and stretching; some are sitting up, yawning and rubbing their eyes; some have not arisen, but are soon to awake, while others will never awake to the realization of the stupendous resources of this state. Reflect for a moment—can you realize that the Oregon forests contain more than 350,000,000,000 feet of merchantable timber, or one-sixth of the total stand of the United States? At the present stumpage value it is worth \$500,000,000, as a resource and as taxable property. If it was manufactured into lumber it would bring in the markets of the world today about \$5,000,000,000. This enormous amount partly represents the wealth of this vast crop of timber already grown and ready to harvest."

Heney Off to Europe.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8.—Francis J. Heney, graft prosecutor at San Francisco and recently in charge of the prosecution of ex-Representative Binger Hermann at Portland, Or., appeared at the White House today to discuss the Pacific coast land frauds prosecution.

It was intimated that at Heney's suggestion the government will decide not to drop the prosecution of the Hermann cases following the re-

cent failure of the government to secure a conviction.

Heney and Mrs. Heney will leave here today for Europe.

He admitted that possibly he might meet Colonel Theodore Roosevelt while abroad, but said that the meeting was not the object of his voyage.

Advertised Letter List.

The following letters remain un-called for at the postoffice at Medford, Or., Wednesday, April 6:

C. J. Culbertson, A. C. De Bard, Frank M. Dowden, Mrs. Charles Dunlap, R. D. Earl, Arthur Eastman, L. H. Florence, Mrs. Ida Flesher, Mrs. M. S. Helms, L. F. Jackson, Johnnie Jones, Harry Lovell, Charley Marvin, William Mountain, Fred Moore, Ore Norris, Chas. E. Nickles, Ovidia Nelson, Mrs. Oscar Osborn, George Pierce, Ethel Roberts, River Orchards Syndicate, Herbert G. Sparks, Fred Sherer, C. J. Stammoyhan, G. Sheringham, Dora Smith, W. J. Stanley, Fred Thompson, William Kemper West, J. F. Webster.

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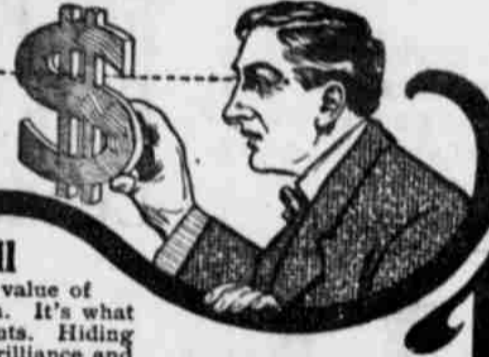
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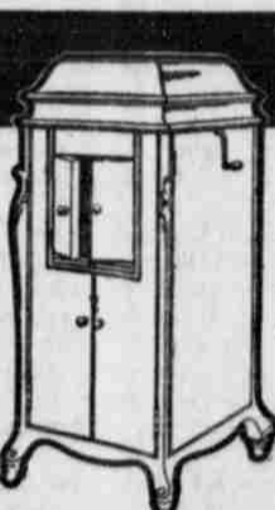
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