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IS BAD WEATHER FOR HOPS

Mould Shows in Many Yards, but Crop is Good

A Few Warm Sunshiney days will Destroy the Lice, and Stop Spread of Mould

The Oregon hop crop, one of the most valuable in years, is in danger, as a result of the extremely unfavorable weather conditions of the past few days, and, unless an early change occurs, hundreds of thousands of dollars will be lost to the growers of the Willamette valley between now and picking, which ought to begin within the next two weeks, and even earlier than that.

Hops were getting along nicely, and the outlook for a valuable crop was exceedingly good until within the past few days. Weather conditions were favorable, there were few lice, and mould was practically unknown, and with the exception of a few yards that were threatened with the English pest, the red spider, nothing threatened the hop growers of the Willamette valley, and many growers were beginning to figure on their profits for the year's work. But they had left one thing out of their calculations, and that was the Oregon mist. During the past few days showers have fallen, and suddenly the hop yards are beginning to show mould. This is not confined to any one section or to isolated yards, as was the case with the red spider; on the contrary, mould has appeared throughout the length and breadth of the valley, some yards, of course, suffering more than others, and complaints of the blight are pretty general. Only those yards that were thoroughly and intelligently sprayed show an absence of the blight, but these protected fields might be said to be in the minority, and there is grave danger of a wholesale shrinking of values in the hop crop of the state.

"Conditions are as bad as they were in 1897," said a large grower last evening, "and if the weather does not settle soon, a large portion of the Oregon crop will be badly injured if not ruined."

This is a general feeling among hop men here, and bright sunshine is earnestly longed for by all interested in this most valuable and important industry. Hot weather will kill the lice, but mould, once in the hops, is there to stay, as it is almost impossible to eradicate it after it once attacks the crop to any extent.

All the local dealers and the growers residing in this city spent yesterday in visiting the yards about Salem, and their anxiety cannot be hidden, though it is claimed that should the weather settle soon and the rains and clouds be followed by bright sunlight, the damage would not be very keen, and their anxiety cannot be hid.

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BUSY HOUSEWIVES.

Per-na a Prompt and Permanent Cure for Nervousness.



MRS. LULU LARMER.

Mrs. Lulu Larmer, Stoughton, Wis., says: "For two years I suffered with nervous trouble and stomach disorders until it seemed that there was nothing to me but a bundle of nerves."

"I was very irritable, could not sleep, rest or compose myself, and was certainly unfit to take care of a household. I took nerve tonics and pills without benefit. When I began taking Peruna I grew steadily better, my nerves grew stronger, my rest was no longer fitful, and to-day I consider myself in perfect health and strength."

"My recovery was slow but sure, but I persevered and was rewarded by perfect health."—Mrs. Lulu Larmer.

Mrs. Anna B. Fleharty, recent Superintendent of the W. C. T. U. headquarters, at Galesburg, Ill., was for ten years one of the leading women there. Her husband, when living, was first President of the Nebraska Wesleyan University at Lincoln, Neb.

In a letter written from 401 Sixty-seventh street, W., Chicago, Ill., she says: "I would not be without Peruna for ten times its cost."—Mrs. Anna B. Fleharty.

"Summer Catarrh," a book written by Dr. Hartman on the subject of the nervous disturbances peculiar to summer, sent free to any address by The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

the hop industry suffered a heavy blow, even if the most favorable conditions should ensue now.

Picking of early hops has commenced in some of the yards of the northern part of the county and on Howell prairie, and in some of the yards it is expected that this crop will all be gathered by the end of this week.

In some of the larger Howell prairie yards the picking of the late crop will begin early next week and pickers engaged for this work have been advised to hold themselves in readiness to move out Sunday or Monday to prepare their camps for their sojourn in the yards.

In the Silverton neighborhood picking will begin the last of this week, as growers are fearful lest mould should do them damage if they delay. The indications today are for improved weather conditions soon, and if these set in, the damage will be less pronounced than was feared and the growers coming from the country this morning say there is not as much cause for alarm as is manifested here.

First Hop Shipment.

The first hops of the 1903 crop to be shipped from this state left Eugene last evening for New York. The lot consisted of 35 bales of Fuglies, grown by Wm. Smede, near Eugene and was purchased by Jos. Harris, of Salem, Oregon, representative for Benjamin Schwartz & Sons, of New York, and the hops were shipped to that firm's New York house. The price paid for the lot was 22 cents per pound.

Trib for sale by all druggists.

A NATURAL RESULT.

It is very reasonable to suppose if the foundation of a structure was removed that the building itself is bound to come down. This same principle can be applied to disease. Take a medicine into the system that will remove the cause of sickness, and the illness leaves of itself. Dyspepsia, indigestion, sick-headache and biliousness have their foundation in stomach disorders. Remove this weakness and the other symptoms are no more. There is one cure for all this that all druggists sell for 25c per box, it is called Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills. They get right at the beginning of these diseases and make the cure by taking away the cause of it. We will send a small box free by mail, or a large box on receipt of 25c. Address Dr. Bosan's Co., Philadelphia, Pa. For sale at... Stone's Drug Stores, 4

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NEW TODAY

Dr. J. H. Brewer, physician and surgeon, Office Gray block, Office phone No. 91. Residence phone No. 1221.

Found—An overcoat and a ladies' coat with pocket book. See A. H. Damon.

For Trade—A 1902 Ford spring wagon in good repair for road. Call on F. X. Aldrich. 8-26-03

TO TAKE OREGON TRADE

All Southeastern Oregon Tributary to California

The Railroad will Soon be Pushed From Madeline to Lakeview and Burns

In speaking of the contemplated railroad extension of the several routes into Central and Eastern Oregon, the Oregon Journal has the following to say relative to the extension of the N. O. O. Ry., from Madeline, the present terminus, to Lakeview:

The mysterious railroad enterprise that concerns Oregon and Portland is the line that has already been constructed from the Central Pacific northward to Madeline, Nev., and that is making toward Lakeview. So much is known. It inevitably will drain from the interior trade to the Central Pacific, which means that it will be diverted to San Francisco. This is trade that belongs by every law of land configuration and commercial prestige to Portland. Historically, because of the region involved being in Oregon, for the reason that it is contiguous to the Columbia Valley's drainage of watersheds for the most part, Portland is entitled to hold the business of Harney, Lake and contiguous counties, business territory that will be invaded by the completion of the Madeline line to Lakeview.

This road is really the one menace to Portland's commercial interests. It may well cause the cheek of Portland's loyal lovers to pale with fear of its consequences. "Whose road is it?" is a question that is pertinent at this time. If, as is claimed, it is being built by a New York banking house, to develop country wherein the concern owns mines and timber, that does not relieve the situation. These New York bankers might evolve an ambition to do some larger railroading, and it might be extended to a connection with the S. P. or O. R. & N., but if the control chance to be in the hands of people hostile to Portland, it would give San Francisco the advantage in every respect, and Portland would suffer immeasurably.

It is declared that this road is not a Harrison project. Competent authority so asserted the other day. Accepting the statement, it is in order for Portland to learn exactly who is behind it, and whether or not the projectors will be likely to carry out what appears to be inevitable—the subtraction from Portland's commerce of a considerable volume of business; in fact, perhaps, the very absorption of Central Oregon's trade by San Francisco.

But, the weakness of Portland's position is that business men here appear not to know the truth about all of these projects. There is not evident a systematic course of inquiry and a means of organizing the protest against so-called opposition to the commercial interests of this city. There has been mostly "holer," without proper action by leading people to get at the facts.

Of all railroad projects now on foot, that Madeline line is easily the most serious menace to Portland's future, unless appearances are deceitful. It holds the possibility of actually invading Portland's legitimate home country, hauling to the Bay city every ounce of goods to be used by the people within a region that is all in Oregon, excepting a fringe around the northern and eastern sides.

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Ladies' \$2.50 French Silk Mercorized Black Undershirts sale price \$1.49
500 yards best Calicoes, yd. 33c
50 Wool Dress Goods, 40 inches wide, splendid cloth, yd. 25c
\$1.25 Black Peau de Soie Silk, best quality, yd. 69c
7 1/2 Lace Striped Curtain Scrim, 36 inches wide, yd. 4c
85c Angora Blankets, good heavy quality, pair 48c
Ladies' 75c Black Stockings, silk finish, 3 pairs for 25c mer goods.

75c Calico Wrappers, sale price.....
Ladies' \$1.50 Convert Cloth Dress Skirts, best made, sale price.....
75c Crash Skirts, well made, fancy trimmed, sale price.....
Ladies' \$2.50 Rainy-Day Skirts, made of heavy woven goods, price.....
200-yd. Spool Thread, sale price.....
Best Black Darning Cotton, ball.....
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Hop Market.

Hops—17@18c.

Potatoes, Vegetables, Etc.

New potatoes—50c.

New onions—2c per pound.

Watermelons—1 1/4c per pound.

Wood, Fence Posts, Etc.

Big fir—\$4.00.

Second-growth—\$3.50.

Arb—\$3.00 to \$3.75.

Body oak—\$4.50.

Pole oak—\$4.00.

Cedar Posts—10c.

Hides, Pelts and Furs.

Green Hides, No. 1—1@7c.

Green Hides, No. 2—2@5c.

Calf Skins—4 to 5c.

Sheep—75c.

Goat Skins—25c to \$1.00.

Grain and Flour.

Wheat—73c.

Oats—25c.

Barley—\$17 per ton.

Flour—Wholesale, \$3.65.

Live Stock Market.

Steers—2 1/4c.

Cows—2 1/4c.

Sheep—\$1.50.

Dressed veal—6 1/2c.

Hogs—5 1/4c.

Mutton—2c per pound.

Veal—6@6 1/2c.

Hay, Feed, Etc.

Baled cheat—\$5@9.

Baled clover—\$8@9.

Brass—\$21.

Shorts—\$22.

Creamery and Dairy Products.

Good dairy butter—15@20c.

Creamery butter—23 1/2c.

Cream—separator skimmed.

Com. Creamery, 24c, minus freight.

Portland Market.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 77@79c.

Wheat—Valley, 80c.

Flour—Portland, best grade, \$3.65@3.85; Graham, \$3.35@3.75.

Oats—Choice White, \$1.07 1/2c.

Barley—Feed, \$20@21 per ton rolled, \$21@21.50.

Millstuf—Bran, \$22.

Hay—Timothy, \$14.

Onions—New, \$1.15@1.25 per sack.

Potatoes—75@80c per sack.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, 18 1/2@19 per dozen.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, 11 1/2@12c per pound; spring, 14@14 1/2c.

Turkeys, live, 10@12c.

Mutton—Gross, 5@5 1/2c.

Hogs—Gross, 7 1/2c.

Beef, Gross, 6@7c.

Veal—8c per pound.

Hops—1902 crop 20c.

Wool—Valley, 17@18c; Eastern Oregon, 12@15c; Mohair, 35@37 1/2c.

Hides—dry, 16 pounds an. upward 15 to 15 1/2.

Butter—Best dairy, nominal; fancy creamery, 20@22 1/2c; store, 16@17c.

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