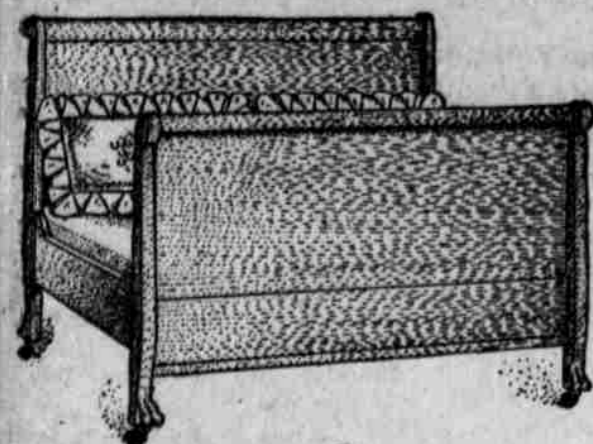
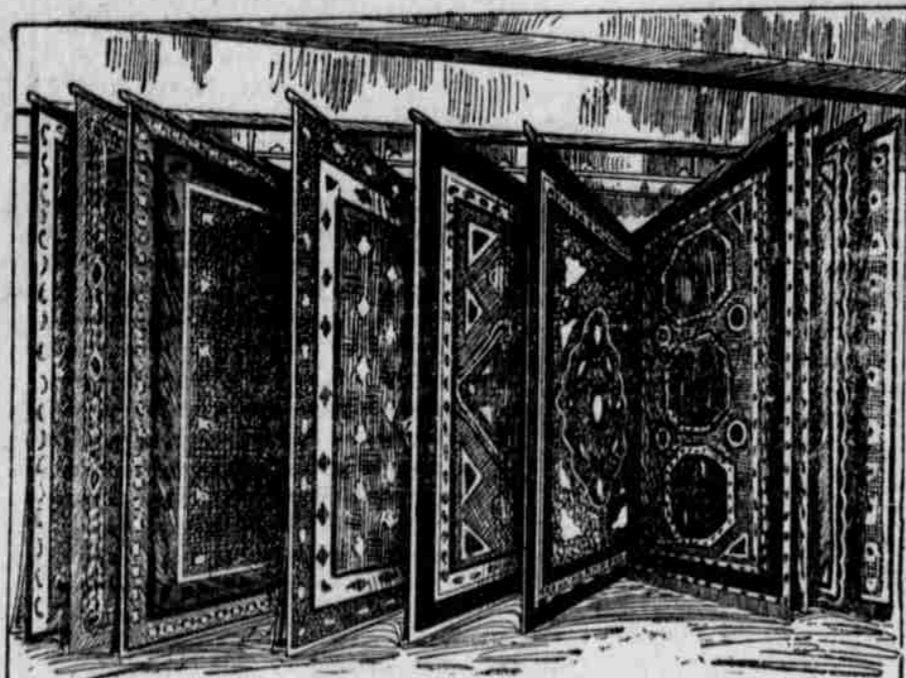


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## SUNSHINE INSURES HARVEST

Willamette Valley is Verily a Land Flowing With Milk and Honey

The sudden advent of summer weather and the cessation of the steady spring rains have made the prospects for splendid crops in the Willamette valley a certainty. It would require something unprecedented and entirely unforeseen to retard any of the staple products of the valley. The traditional oldest inhabitant cannot remember when wheat looked better than it does at present. The acreage is large and so far there has not been the slightest indication of rust or of the presence of the aphid. It is safe to say wheat crop is all made and only awaits the harvesting.

The same may be truly said of the hop crop. Notwithstanding that low prices have been the rule for a while, so much money has been invested in the large hop yards that as much care is being taken with the hops as in years when big prices were expected. Hops in the Willamette valley never looked better at this time of year. The growers have been all the time steadily cleaning up their yards and improving conditions, so that the crop may be harvested this fall more easily and cheaper than ever before. There yet remains one cultivation and one training before the crop matures.

The 1906 strawberry crop is now almost a thing of the past. A few late berries will be brought to the market during this week, but next Saturday will probably see the finish. The strawberry crop was not large this year, but the fruit was of an excellent quality and ripened evenly. On the whole the strawberry growers made money this year.

The Logan berries are now at their zenith. This berry, as is very well known, is yet almost in the experimental stage, but it is proving an unqualified success. The season for this delicious berry has been an ideal one and the yield will be enormous. The demand for Logan berries had to be created, but it was an easy thing to do. All the surplus of this variety in Marion and Polk counties will be taken care of at the cannery of the Salem Mutual people. It is believed that by next year there will be a steady demand for this berry and that the prices paid next year will make this the most profitable berry to grow.

The continued rains kept the early cherry crop down. The yield was small in most localities and the quality of the fruit was not the best. But the sunshine came in time to make the late cherries, Royal Anns, etc., a big success.

The State Horticultural society will hold a meeting in Salem, July 6 and 7, and in connection with this meeting there will be a cherry exhibit. This will be a good thing for the cherry growers of the valley and there is no doubt that there will be displayed at this time the best exhibit of cherries ever shown in the state.

The Salem Mutual cannery is buying all the cherries that can be secured and the cherry industry is coming to be one of the biggest things for the valley farmers.

Now that there seems to be no longer any danger of continued rains, cutting hay will be engaged in on an extensive scale. The steady rains of two weeks ago caused some of the rankest growth of grass to fall down, but the hay crop is very heavy. It is believed that the yield will be far above the average.

L. M. Gilbert, the Rosedale prune grower, says that the outlook for a good output of prunes is fair. It is a little early to prognosticate as to the extensiveness of the crop, which, however, bids fair to be larger than last year's. The prunes are beginning to drop from the trees and it is hoped by the growers that many will drop so as to give the remaining ones all the nourishment that the tree can give. It is generally believed that the prune crop will be such as to amply tax the driers to their full capacity.

The garden truck in that locality is growing fine and hops are looking well. Oliver Boers, when seen by a Journal representative, reiterated the statement made by others in the same locality that the hops looked good and were thriving splendidly. The grain in that neighborhood is growing fine, but it seems that worms are working on the barley from the roots, causing the plants to dry up. While the damage to the barley fields has reached no great proportions yet, there is some cause of alarm for fear the barley crop, which is one of the best ever seen in these parts, will be seriously damaged.

F. O. Johnson, of the Hazelgreen neighborhood, states that the voice of the mowing machine is heard in that vicinity. The farmers in that part of the county have been experimenting by sowing a little vetch with the cheat and appear to be quite satisfied with the results. The combination of vetch and cheat gives a heavier crop and will prove a better feed, for mixed feed is preferable to straight.

The clover yield will be much larger than a year ago. Harvey Walker, in the same neighborhood, has seventy acres of clover, the finest human eyes ever beheld.

W. A. Mumpers, of Labish Meadows, reports the crops in that vicinity looking fine. That section is most productive in cheat hay and the yield will be large and of good quality. The clover is unusually heavy.

It is generally believed that the present hot weather will be beneficial to the oats and wheat crops, in that the damage done by the Hessian fly will be materially removed. The fly obhors the sun and the hot weather will rid the fields of the insects that might have found lodgment there.

At Hayesville the cherry crop is immense.

George Hooper, a prominent farmer in the Waldo Hills states that farmers in that neighborhood are beginning to cut mesquite and clover hay. The vetch crop in that region is particularly heavy, in fact it is a tremendous crop. In some parts the vetch is over six feet, and is of good quality, too. The prune driers in that neighborhood will handle the immense prune crop with difficulty. Other fruits are doing well. The cutting of the cheat hay will begin in a couple of weeks.

W. H. Egan, of the Brooks neighborhood, reports that wheat and oats are growing rapidly and looking well. Hops are of good color and are growing fast. Clover is now being harvested, and represents a good crop. Apples, prunes and other fruits are in excellent condition.

### Deadly Serpent Bites.

Are as common in India as are stomach and liver disorders with us. For the latter, however, there is a sure remedy. Electric Bitters, the great restorative medicine, of which S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "They restored my wife to perfect health after years of suffering with dyspepsia and a chronically torpid liver." Electric Bitters cure chills and fever, malaria, biliousness, lame back, kidney troubles and bladder disorders. Sold only on guaranteed by J. C. Perry, druggist, Salem, Or. Price, 50c.

### Fish Got Drunk.

At Frankfort, Ky., last week a flake stand in a large distillery broke and over 13,000 gallons of pure whisky were turned into Benson creek, and the farmers living along the banks of the stream gathered in baskets and caught with their hands thousands of live fish. In droves they came to the surface of the water, sported around and cut capers. They seemed to be about three sheets in the wind, and disported themselves in the most unfinny manner. The fish got drunk.—Exchange.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces, such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Are the sort that make money for the man who runs them, and for the farmer whose hay they bale. Fine firm bales of even weight in the most rapid time, is what they want.

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McCormick mowers have the elements of strength, weight and durability that the toughest grass demands. Use your privilege of looking around a bit, when you get ready to buy, and you'll find by comparison that there's nothing in the same class.

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And everything needed to rig up substantially for taking care of your hay. Call and inspect our power press, glad to show you.

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Remember the Elks' Skidoo June 30, July 2-3-4.

### X-RAYS

A cursory examination of the Christian names of the modern young ladies shows that they are nearly all "Ya's".

The President did not stutter when it came to signing the bill giving him \$25,000 a year for traveling expenses. He signed it at sight. Teddy is not afraid to express his convictions.

Strange that those preachers in Portland, who paint in glowing words the joys of immortality, and the beauty of the next world, are making such strenuous efforts to stay on earth for a hundred years.

Ensign Storey, now of the Salvation Army, lost his voice years ago, because, as he says, he rejected a call from God. After 14 months he consecrated himself to the service of God, and his voice was at once restored. Since that time the ensign has been writing and singing his own songs, which prove the truth of the old saying "God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform," and also his punishments to inflict.

### A Strong Sermon.

Rev. William Worthington, of Seaside, Washington, occupied the pulpit of the First Congregational church last evening, and preached a strong sermon on "Things Fundamental in Our Religion." The speaker held that it is the positive side of man's religion that should be foremost; it is what a man believes that counts, not the things he doubts.

Rev. Worthington will again preach next Sunday both morning and evening. He is here as a supply for the Congregational pulpit, and may eventually be called permanently. He made a good impression last evening.

### Laying Ties.

A crew is at work laying ties on the temporary track of the Willamette Valley Traction Company in North Salem, in preparation for the building of the much-talked-of line to Portland.

**CHOICE MEATS**—We kill and cure our own meats, hang them in our ice house, where they are cared for at the proper time; therefore we can assure you that you get good, fresh meat. Try a leg of spring lamb for dinner. You will be pleased.

### STEAKS, VEAL CUTLETS, ROAST BEEF

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**New Incorporations.** During the past week the following corporations have filed their papers in the state house:

United Placer Mines Company; principal office, Portland, Or.; capital stock, \$1,000,000; incorporators, R. H. Bond, M. S. Hart and Chas. P. Wright.  
Kola Neis Hop Company; principal office, Albany, Or.; capital stock, \$10,000; incorporators, Kola Neis, Harry Schlosser and O. O. McClellan.  
American Adjustment Company; principal office, Portland, Or.; capital stock, \$25,000; incorporators, C. H. Farrington, E. E. Farrington and F. H. Whitfield.

East Side Slabwood Company; principal office, Portland, Or.; capital stock, \$10,000; incorporators, M. B. Wakeman, Joseph A. Hill and U. S. Howland.  
Withrow-Melhaase Company; principal office, Klamath Falls, Or.; capital stock, \$25,000; incorporators, Charles H. Withrow, Fred Melhaase and Gus Melhaase.

Everett, Kyle & Epperly; principal office, Lebanon, Or.; capital stock, \$25,000; incorporators, H. G. Grant, Robt. Kyle, G. A. Epperly.

Portland Fuel Co.; principal office, Portland, Or.; capital stock, \$50,000; incorporators, G. A. Steel, J. E. Schold and F. E. Cameron.

Williams Avenue Plating Mill; principal office, Portland, Or.; capital stock, \$5000; incorporators, A. S. Ellis, G. G. Eaton and Frank F. Freeman.

### Have You a Cough?

A dose of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will relieve it. Have you a cold?

Try it for whooping cough, for asthma, consumption, for bronchitis. Mrs. Joe McGrath, 327 E. 1st street, Hutchinson, Kan., writes: "I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my family for five years, and find it the most palatable medicine I ever used. For sale by D. J. Fry.

## State News

The Eugene-Florence stage line has changed hands.

The city of Vale is to have a light and water system.

It is alleged that some of the Eugene women voted illegally for school director, and a contest is talked of.

J. D. French, The Dalles banker, and one of the best as well as the best-known men in the state, and a pioneer, is seriously ill.

Malheur county has a bumper crop of alfalfa this year, and it is expected that from four to six tons will be averaged to the acre.

Vale is going to celebrate the Fourth of July with great festivities. Hon. Lionel B. Webster, of Portland, will deliver the address.

The Booth-Kelly sawmills at Springfield are making some large improvements. They have installed a 300-horse power engine and some large blowers.

The town of Dufur, in Wasco county, has been permitted by the government to get its water supply from the Cascade reserve, and it will have the very purest of mountain water.

Two men went over Celilo falls Saturday about noon and were drowned. They were crossing in a small boat, and evidently lost an oar. They were so near across that, as they passed Toffe's fish wheel, the workmen tried to throw them a line, but failed. They stood up in the boat as it went over. The boat turned over and the men were seen no more.

### Death from Lockjaw

Never follows an injury dressed with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its antiseptic and healing properties prevent blood poisoning. Chas. Oswald, merchant, of Bensselaersville, N. Y., writes: "It cured Seth Burch, of this place, of the ugliest sore on his neck I ever saw." Cures cuts, wounds, burns, and sores. 25c at J. C. Perry's drug store.