

VINELAND WEATHER.

Storms of high wind, furious rain and deep snows and raging rivers, are reported from all over the west coast, and from the foot hills and plateaus of the Inland Empire, from the Palouse, the Big Bend and all the high prairies. Yet in the warm sheltered Vineland, down in Lewiston valley the weather is still mild (Nov. 20). There has been no snow, though we can see it on the distant hills all around. We have had plenty of rain and cloudy weather, but out-door work has not been stopped except for a few hours at a time. This morning we picked fresh roses and pansies in the gardens. Yet this is an unusually cold and wet autumn. We usually find rose buds in January and February. In four years the severest cold has been three and one-half degrees below zero. I could not endure the harsh climate of the East, but here have been well and strong all the time.

Perhaps it will interest your readers to know that one Vinelander, Mr. C. C. Gregg, grew fine sweet potatoes that paid him at the rate of \$504 per acre. Another one, A. J. Sherborn, raised two tons of onions on one-eighth of an acre, worth at present at the rate of \$580 per acre, and the price in the spring is always a half to three or four times higher. White potatoes pay \$200 per acre. These crops are grown among the young trees, and are an effectual answer to the query as to what one can grow while the orchards are maturing. Peanuts have been tried this year with success and will be largely grown next season. The young peach, cherry, pear, plum and other trees have made a strong growth this first year of three to six and eight feet. Our grape vines have made a strong growth, and in several instances have borne good bunches of fruit, though only set last spring. E. R. WINDUS, Secretary Vineland Horticultural Society.

Evaporated vegetables have become quite an important feature of our seaport markets. Quotations are such that a good profit is given to those who are preparing them. At present potatoes are selling for, in 25-pound tins, 16c per pound; potatoes, sliced, in 25-pound bixes, 16c; potatoes, granulated, 25-pound tins, 16c; onions, 25-pound tins, are quoted at 40c; onions, one-pound paper packages, 40c; assorted soup vegetables, one-pound paper packages, 36c.

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