34,000 WINE GRAPE CUTTINGS INSPECTED

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Growers in Fertile De Luz Valley Are Increasing Their Vineyards

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Oceanside, March 22.—That there is something doing in the planting of wine grapes in the fertile little De. Luz valley, a few miles north of Oceanside, on the Fallbrook branch of the Santa Fe railway, is indicated by the fact that Deputy County Hortenitural ... Commissioner Armitage this morning inspected 34,000 grape cuttings shipped here by the Italian Vineyard company to Baptiste Ferro, the transfer being made here for the De Luz country. De Luz valley produces some of the best muscat grapes and raisins in the state. The cuttings, however, are for wine grapes, which it is claimed will do equally as well in the valley.

Mr. Armitage, who is stationed hore to keep tab on all the trees, citrus and deciduous, shipped in to the Oceanside, Fallbrook and Escendido countries, says that the shipments to all these places are large. More than 5000 peach trees have been sent into the Fallbrook section the past ten days. Many of them are intended for the Palomares ranch, which is being developed and placed upon the market.

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