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APPLE CROP OF 1905

Notwithstanding the unsavory odor the Jewish scriptures give to the apple, the human family regards it as one of the most luscious of fruits. Old mother earth encourages this taste of her children for big red or yellow mellow apples by filling her store house, the soil, more abundantly with the material for making apples than any other fruit, thus giving her approval of its use, and if apples are not plentiful, as a rule it is not her fault, but man's.

The Orange Judd Farmer for Nov. 1905 gives the total of the apple crop of this year in the United States at 23,495,000 barrels this is but little more than one half as much as the crop of last year which totaled in the whole 45,360,000 barrels.

In 1905 Oregon produced 400,000 barrels of apples being 160,000 barrels less than last year, in which the crop in this state was 560,000 barrels.

The apple crop being good all over the country last year Oregon produced the one eighty first part of the entire crop, and this year when the crop was light all over we raised the one fifty eighth of the entire crop.

Large as 23,495,000 barrels may appear were it equally divided among the 85,000,000 people in the United States the allotment to each would be small, less than a box of apples each. There are thousands of children in this land of plenty, who do not get to taste apples but a few times a year.

If Oregon's apple crop of 400,000 barrels were equally divided among its 420,000 people then each would get not quite a barrel but perhaps more than they would require for eating, which shows that the orchardists must look out side of Oregon for a market for all their apples.

THE MESSAGE

If nothing happens Roosevelt's message will be delivered to congress tomorrow at noon. The Observer, at no small expense, has arranged to have the full text, as soon as read, and tomorrow's issue will contain the President's statements in full, in his own words, concerning railroad rates, and his views on control of all corporations by the United States government, from which our readers can see whether he has backed down or not.

The Southern Pacific Company has begun a news bulletin service on all through overland trains. It comprises not only stock market quotations but all general news.

Our business men are taking unusual interest in the mines up Grande Ronde river. The idea seems to prevail the commercial atmosphere of this city that the coming spring will see considerable more than the usual activity.

Iceland has a record which entitles it to the respect of the nations. In ten years the number of fishing-vessels has increased from seventy to three hundred, and in twenty years the consumption of alcohol is only one-half what it was—Youth's Companion.

The output of pig iron this year in the United States is estimated at 22,500,000 tons. This production will be over twice the output of Germany and almost three times the production of Great Britain in 1904. The great demand for pig iron continues and it is probable the near future will see an advance in price.

ELECTRICITY ON FARMS

At a plowing contest held recently in one of the eastern states there was a gang of disk plows, that stirred a breadth of twenty feet of soil or forty feet each round, drawn by a traction steam engine. It did the work well. This recalls a prophecy made some eight years ago by the Observer that in the near future electricity would supplant the plow horse, and that the county roads would be lit, like city streets, by electricity, over which produce from the farms would be hauled by electricity to shipping points and loaded on cars drawn by electricity. And harvesters, threshers, plows and harrows would be run by electricity developed in the mountains miles away. The Observer now believes that we are eight years nearer that time and that it is surely coming.

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