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### DISPLAYS ARE MANY.

#### Large Area of Northwest Represented At Spokane Fair.

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 1.—Quick to grasp the extraordinary opportunity for exploiting the resources of their communities and the tributary country, commercial and horticultural organizations in various parts of Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Washington and British Columbia, have arranged to install district displays at the third National Apple Show in Spokane, November 14 to 19, and at the exposition in the First Regiment Armory, Chicago, November 28 to December 4. It is generally believed that these enterprises offer the best opportunity yet presented to interest capital for investment and development purposes in the Northwest.

Ben H. Rice, secretary and manager of the third National Apple show, declares that no other community publicity plan, originated in the Pacific Northwest, has attracted such wide attention or aroused so much interest as the one to send representative exhibits of Western apples to Chicago. He said:

"Districts where the growers formerly felt they did not produce enough apples to warrant making a showing, have engaged space this year, because the crop gives promise of being an unusually large one and the 'live wires' in the various communities see the opportunity for exploitation to thousands of eastern people who cannot attend the apple show in Spokane, but who will visit the exhibition in Chicago, the center of a population of 14,000,000, within a radius of 150 miles."

The Western Apple show at Missoula has made a contract for space and will bring over a representative exhibit after the close of the Montana show.

The Commercial Club of Albany, Ore., is uniting with the management of the Albany Apple fair, and the organizations are actively at work in selecting fruit to provide a fine exhibit.

The Fruit Growers Union of Latah county, Idaho, is taking the lead in preparing a representative display, which will show what the northern part of the Gem state offers.

The Commercial Club of Walla Walla, Wash., has united with the Fruit Growers' association and preliminary work is under way with sufficient funds and fruit pledged.

North Yakima, Wash., has had a committee at work for some time planning for a display, also exhibits in the various commercial contests, including the carload classes at the Spokane show.

White Salmon Valley Development League of White Salmon, Wash., has taken liberal space and will reproduce the design of the huge salmon,

which was a big feature at the 1908 show in Spokane.

The commissioners of Kittitas county have appointed \$1,000 of county funds and placed the same at the disposal of the promoters, and the Ellensburg chamber of commerce.

A federation of commercial clubs, including a score of towns, all of which will contribute a proportionate amount to the expense incidental to making the display, has been formed in Stevens county, Wash. C. J. Scurlock will select the fruit and have charge of the arrangements of the booths in Spokane and Chicago. A fund of \$2,500 has been raised and more is in sight.

Other fruit growing sections which have contracted for district displays or made reservations, are: Prosser, Wash.; Sunnyside, Wash.; Eureka, Mont.; Lewiston, Idaho; Hood River, Ore.; Boise, Idaho; Wenatchee, Wash.; Klickitat county; Spokane Valley; Republic or Ferry county, Wash.; Kennewick, Wash.; Kelowna, B. C.; Lyle, Wash.; Medford, Ore., and Spokane county.

In addition to these exhibits the National Apple show will display a half dozen of the representative carloads besides all prize winners in the 10-box, five-box, three box, single box, limited exhibits and other fancy booths.

### A MEXICAN FIRE BRIGADE.

#### Leisurely Way They Fight the Flames at Matamoros.

It might be thought that such an exciting thing as a fire would startle the Mexicans out of their habitual indolence, but such is not the case.

The alarm of a fire at Matamoros, Coahuila, Mexico, was given by the discharge of numerous pistols and guns, says a writer in the Wide World Magazine, and hastened to the scene, thinking at first that a battle was raging.

After a long interval, during which the people watched the fire with interest, chattering among themselves meanwhile, there appeared placidly trundling along the road the Matamoros equivalent of a fire engine, a barrell rolling along the ground, drawn by a reluctant burro.

A swivel pin in each end of the keg permitted it to roll freely, and ropes attached it to the animal. Behind walked the fire brigade, a solitary peon, bearing a bucket. Arrived at the scene of the conflagration, the water in the barrel was poured into buckets and hauled to the roof of an adjacent house, whence it was funged on to the flames.

Everybody was greatly excited. The calmest thing of all was the fire, which burned steadily on till there was nothing left to consume. Then as the spectacle was over the people dispersed. Every one was satisfied except perhaps the unfortunate owner of the house that had been destroyed.

### A LAND OF LEISURE.

#### The People of Guatemala Like to Take Things Easy.

Just as Spain is the land of "mama na," Guatemala has been called the land of "no hay." These words mean "there is none," and one bears them wherever one goes. If the people do not want to bother, declares N. Winter in "Guatemala and Her People of Today," that will be their invariable answer.

You might go up to a house where the yard was full of chickens, the woman engaged in making tortillas and fruit trees loaded with fruit in the yard and yet have a conversation about like the following:

"Have you any meat?"  
"No hay" (pronounced eye).  
"Have you any eggs?"  
"No hay."  
"Have you a house?"  
"No hay."

In such a case the best way to do is to enter the house and hunt round for yourself and blandly order the woman to prepare whatever you chance to find. Then, if you leave a small sum of money with her on departing, she will not take any offense, but will politely thank you.

Time is the only thing which they seem to be well supplied. It is equally hard to get anything done, for unless the party is willing to do the work requested he will find some plausible excuse. An American traveling across the country a few years ago found it necessary to have his horse shod at one of the small towns. There were three blacksmiths in the town. Of these one was sick, but had supplies, a second had no nails and the third no charcoal. As there was no leading among the craft the horse could not be shod.

### Bill Lange's Long Hit.

In an article in "Batting" in the American Magazine Hugh S. Fullerton describes as follows the longest hit ever recorded:

"Lange, who was of the middle ages of the game, made a hit in Cincinnati which is regarded by many as the longest hit ever made. The ball cleared the center field fence, which was on top of a high embankment, called across Western avenue, went through the window of a saloon and was found behind the bar. The hit made a fortune for the saloon, as big crowds went to see the ball on exhibition."

### BURKETT IN BIG LEAGUE.

#### Former Great Infielder Slated to Manage St. Louis Browns.

Jesse C. Burkett, the greatest baseball general that the New England league ever had, in that he has won four successive pennants for Worcester, is going to quit as a minor league baseball manager. Burkett made this very plain in an interview recently. For several weeks there has been an inside story going the rounds of the New England league landing Burkett with a berth in the major leagues as a manager as the result of his phenomenal work in Worcester.

When asked if he is considering an offer to manage either the Cincinnati Nationals or the St. Louis Americans Burkett said, "Won't be in Worcester."

This is taken as an excellent hint by Burkett's closest friends that the former major leaguer will succeed Jack O'Connor as manager of the St. Louis Browns.

Burkett signed with Worcester in 1908 after purchasing his own release from the Boston Red Sox, to which club he was traded for Outfielder Stone and a cash consideration. Entering the New England league, Burkett rapidly pushed himself forward as a great baseball general. One of the first players developed by Burkett was Harry Lord, the Red Sox's third baseman and captain. Burkett has developed a host of other players who are now doing brilliant work in the majors.

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"At the Seventh Baptist All This Week Big Program" would attract them. The pastor could remark with pride: "Attendance? Why, we packed them." Man wants, as we've been often told, But little here below. He'd rush to church if he could see A first class picture show. —Spokane Spokesman-Review.

Don't sit round and talk about how much work you have to do and then wonder why in the name of sense you don't get more done.



It is nice to be praised, but don't let your own affairs cover the whole field of your vision if you expect to be popular or get any good out of association.

The baseball season being on hand, the average family man doesn't care what happens to his lawn.

There are plenty of people who know better, but the trouble with them is they are no doers.

You may admire the person who has a slick way of getting out of a thing, but experience often shows you that it is dangerous to be much in his company.

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