

AMATEUR FLORISTS WILL CONVE- IN SPOKANE CONVENTION SOON

Spokane, Wash., May 25.—Preliminary plans are being made to invite professional and amateur florists and gardeners in every state and province on this continent to exhibit five or more flowers and plants at the first all American floral festival in Spokane the second week of September. John W. Duncan, superintendent of city parks, formerly of Boston, has charge of the arrangements, and supporting the general committee are the Spokane Horticultural society, the Spokane Chamber of Commerce and allied organizations and the various industrial, commercial and women's associations of the city.

While the full details have not yet been worked out, it is expected there will be a series of competitions on a large number of flower varieties for substantial prizes and trophies, though the primary object is to assemble the largest number of widely assorted specimens of floriculture yet shown at an exposition in America. There will be no charge of any kind, either for entry or admission to the exposition, the entire expenses of the organization being borne by the organizations identified with the novel enterprise.

It is purposed to show the progress that has been made in the culture of flowers and ornamental plants during the last quarter century, and a feature will be made of old fashioned flowers. Another department is to be devoted to the work of children, the aim being to encourage the growing generation in the love for the art

beautiful. Attention will also be given to floral freaks.

"We believe that the floral festival can be made a greater success than was the national apple show, originated in Spokane," said Mr. Duncan. "One thing is it offers greater possibilities and more opportunities for a truly representative exposition. Every lover of flowers will be interested and we should have exhibits from thousands of cities, towns and settlements all over the country."

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MARKET REPORTS

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Roller Barley—\$1.85 per cwt.
Cattle, Hogs and Poultry.

Cows—4c
Steers—\$5.00 to \$5.75.

Sheep—4c.
Light hogs—\$7.00.
Heavy hogs—\$6.00.

Chickens—Hens, 13c; old roosters 11c.

Ducks—Live weight, 12½c.
Geese, live weight 10c.

Fruits.

Home grown apples—\$1.00 to \$1.50 per box. Grade establishes price.
Oranges 40c to 50c.
Bananas—40c per doz.

Vegetables and Miscellaneous.
Potatoes—Per cwt., \$1.50
New potatoes—10c lb.

Spinach—5 lbs for 25c
Hot house green onions—5c bunch for 10c.

Celery—Per bunch 15c, two for 25c.
Beans—White, 2 1/2c; 1 lb, 10 cents
Rhubarb—5c.

Onions—\$3.00 per cwt.
New Cabbage—6c.

Sugar—cane, cash price \$635; 30 days' time, \$675 per cwt.; beet sugar, cash price, \$625; 30 days' time \$675.

Hot house cucumbers—20c.
Green peas—10c.
Green Asparagus 10c.

Notice to Contractors and Landscape Gardeners.

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ARTHUR WILLIAMS,
School Clerk.

5-25-6t

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