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LIBRARY WILL BE SECURED AT ONCE

With its usual energy, the Woman's Club, through its library committee, has formulated plans during the past few days which, it is anticipated, will see a library representing an investment of \$1000 or more installed in Hood River for county use in the near future. This supply of books will form the nucleus of the library to be installed in the new library building, when it shall have been secured, and it is planned to make it an important step toward qualifying for an appropriation from Carnegie.

The Woman's Club has secured, through its own efforts and through the special county levy for that purpose, about \$2000 for county library purposes. In order to determine how to proceed in the matter of expanding this sum, the library committee invited Miss Marvin, secretary of the state library board, to come to Hood River for consultation and she was in town the last of the week. While here a conference was held at which County Judge Culbertson, Mayor Wright and City Attorney Derby were present. It was decided to petition the city council to pass an ordinance creating a library board. This board will then undertake the expenditure of the appropriation already made. Mr. Carnegie will then be informed that Hood River has secured an available site for a library and also the necessary books for a good beginning and an appropriation will be sought. In the meantime it is proposed to open temporary quarters in order that the books may be enjoyed by the public.

COVE, ORE., APPLE GROWER SCORES THE RETAIL MEN

Karl J. Stackland of Cove, Oregon, says that it is not strange that the consumption of apples does not increase when one considers the cost to the consumer. He calls attention to the fact that with an apple crop estimated to amount to about 30,000,000 barrels last year, there was much uneasiness as to the outcome of the marketing problem. He says that some concerted action must be taken to get apples in the hands of consumers.

"It is not strange that apples are consumed in such limited quantities," continues Mr. Stackland, "when it is known that the retailers, the country over, demand a profit of from 100 to 400 per cent on the money they put into this fruit. There may be many exceptions to such exorbitant charges, but the fact is, that in by far the larger portion of the country the above figures are correct."

Orchard Pests

Some insects work on the twigs and bodies of trees; some bore into the bodies; some live on the leaves; some attack the roots and some find their home on the fruit. The San Jose scale injures the young twigs and the smooth part of the body; the same may be said of the oyster shell scale. The different kinds of borers dig their way into the body of the trees. The aphids work on the leaves. The woolly aphis works on the roots and to some extent on the twigs and leaves. Bud moths eat on the young buds. The codling moth confines its attacks to the fruit. It does the most harm to apples and to some extent to pears. Besides the damage done by insects, the fungi and bacteria do much damage in some sections to both the fruit and the trees. This is not a complete catalogue of the pests with which the fruit grower must contend, but these are the chief ones. From such an array it must be clear that the successful fruit grower must be a wide-awake man and must study these pests and know how to control them.

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ELEPHANTS ARE A FEATURE OF CIRCUS

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In teaching an elephant to stand up on his hind legs, ropes are attached to each of his forelegs and then attached to a crane high up in the air. At certain words of command they are gently hoisted in the air, leaving the elephant supporting himself on his hind legs. This has to be done sometimes as often as fifteen or sixteen times before the huge beast understands what is wanted. But after a while simply from force of habit, he begins to raise himself at the signal. It takes about fourteen men to operate the cranes.

Much the same sort of thing is done in teaching him to lie down, only in this case a rope with a slip noose is passed around his body at the small of his back, one hind foot and one fore foot are tied and moved out from under him, and then the ropes are pulled gently but firmly until he lies down.

An elephant sleeps in a peculiar manner. Nearly all lie on their sides with their trunks curled up, making a peculiar hissing noise at regular intervals, something like the sound of steam issuing from a kettle. The huge beast is not a sound sleeper. He does not take much notice of his keeper prowling around in the night, but should anything strange or unusual take place, two, small red lights appear in the elephant's head and the animal is wide awake. At the first sign of danger he trumpets shrilly. In the herd of elephants with the Al G. Barnes' Circus there are two more than 100 years old.

OYSTER SHELL LOUSE IS A NEW ORCHARD PEST

In many fruit districts oyster shell bark louse has become quite a serious pest, and must be fought by spraying. The insect can be readily recognized from its name, for the shell or scale coating of the insect is shaped exactly like an oyster shell.

At the experiment farm at Ottawa, Canada, whitewash has been found a very effective insecticide for this pest. The wash is made by using 40 pounds of lime, 40 gallons of water and eight pounds of salt. This whitewash is sprayed on the trees in autumn immediately after the leaves have fallen, and a second application of the same mixture is made as soon as the first has dried. It is claimed the salt is not absolutely necessary for the effectiveness of the whitewash, but it has the effect of making the bark appear cleaner and brighter.

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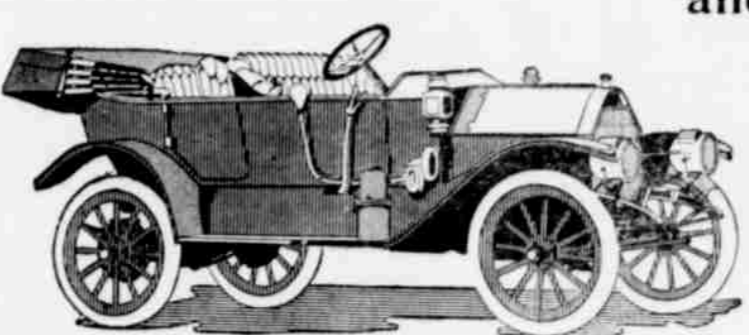
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