

EXPERT HAS HIGH PRAISE FOR APPLES

Professor Van Deman Declares Greatest in World Are Grown in West.

HE WILL JUDGE SHOW

Eastern Man Pays Tribute to Stability of Pacific Coast Growers. No Fear of Over-Production Is Held by Culturist.

Maintaining that there never could be an over-production of apples in this country and that in the industry the North Pacific Coast led all the world, H. P. Van Deman, of Washington, D. C., dean of the apple culturists, arrived in the city yesterday after having judged the displays at the Hood River and National-Spokane shows. He will act in the same capacity for the Portland Apple Show, which opens tomorrow, continuing three days.

As a pomologist, Professor Van Deman is known all over the country, and his judgment as to the size, color and shape of the apple is accepted as decisive as are the laws of the land. He has been a student of the apple orchard since he was a young man, and he now is hovering around three-score years. His father was a noted orchardist. In the days of the professor's youth the books of his father's when he was shown as sold apples at \$2 a wagonload, back in Ohio and Pennsylvania.

"They were of the choicest winter pick," added the professor. "When I was in Hood River last week I heard some of the fruit growers complain that they were getting only \$2 a bushel, and I thought of my father's sale in 1845. The truth of the matter is that apples are too high and the common people in the East cannot afford to buy them. Washington, D. C., Newtowners sold right after I got through judging them for me, \$1.10 a box, and that is too high for the common herd of spenders in the East."

The possibility for the widening of the apple commercial field is a great deal more than the possibility of increased production. My judgment is that the price of apples will have to come down for the purchaser, and to accomplish that, the middleman will have to be brought to time in some manner, for he gets more than the producer.

Over-Production Not Feared.

I have no fears of over-production. In fact, I believe that there is no over-production of the apple of the Pacific Coast. I don't care how much you increase the apple acreage on the Coast, you cannot find too much ground to grow the high-superior grade.

The world will always consume all the apples you raise. First, because you put your conscience in the box. The Pacific Coast apple producer is the most honest man today in the apple business. He finds it is the only way to hold his trade and sell his apples.

He places his apples in a box, sends it across the miles to market, and there dispose of it. He cannot put rotten pieces on top and poor ones on the bottom, for if he does he will not sell any the second time. I remember in dealing with the New York apple growers, and I told them that if they packed their apples more honestly in their boxes, they would stand better in the market.

Of course, I hold that the apple market, and I mean by the apple market the choice apple, not the culls and the spoiled apples which should either go to the cider mill or to the stock for feeding. In the East, well, the Coast, will never produce enough to supply the growing population of this country and the world. There are vast expanses on this earth where the apple cannot grow and where the fruit is regarded as a choice delicacy. It is from these people that the demand is constant and the supply must come from the limited apple land of the north.

Small Percentage Salable.

History of the apple shows that only 14 to 15 per cent of the orchard is salable, and the balance is only fit for stock feeding. Did you ever think that the area of wheat has been increasing for a thousand years and yet wheat is not over-produced? So it is with corn. Iowa produced 300,000,000 bushels last year. No one talks of over-production in corn.

And there is poultry. Eggs are 50 cents a dozen. There are more hens in the country than ever. There are more eggs, too. Does anyone talk of over-production in eggs and chickens? Not at all. Good apples will always find a market and good price. Oregon and Washington are a small part of the world, and even by thrashing in Colorado, Idaho and a few other mountain states, you have got a very limited area. I do not care how many apple trees you plant out here, you will always find a market of value for your product, if you ship the good ones and keep the culls at home.

Out here you will always have the record for producing the best apple and the reason is very simple. You have a perfect apple climate, plenty of sunshine and just the right rain. Then your soil is of the right substance, containing sufficient volcanic ash, which seems to be particularly adapted to the feeding of the plant. No one can raise apples for the market without thinning his blossoms, spraying his trees and cultivating his soil. The apple market today is one commanding a high price. You have a virgin soil where the insect pests and tree fungus are unknown in your new fields, and it is only after your orchards become old that the pest makes its appearance. This is an additional advantage.

Newtown Is Transplanted.

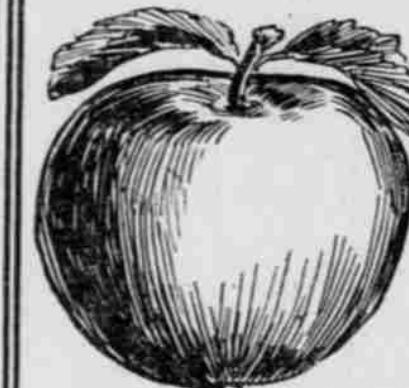
Take your Newtowners. The Newtown was originated on Long Island 100 or more years ago. Some took it over to Albemarle County, Virginia, and the people there became interested in the idea that they had the greatest apples in the world. Its fame spread everywhere, and to this day it is called the Albemarle Pippin, and yet it is only the father of your Newtown. The Pippin was brought over here and it found its greatest fame at Hood River.

Apples in the East cannot compare with your product in color, size or shape. Your climate produces an elongated apple. There is some scientific reason for that which I cannot fathom, but it is a fact that your apples have a better taste and finer shape than the Eastern apples, which is inclined to be flat. If anything, there is undoubtedly a glorious future for the Pacific Coast in the apple industry, and while it will always remain one of your lesser commodities in the matter of total amount of money produced, it will be a very important factor and

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APPLE SHOW ON TOMORROW

Exhibits Will Number More Than 3000 Boxes of Fruit.

Amid the whacking of hammers and the buzzing of saws, the two floors of the Majestic Theater building, Fifth and Washington streets, were made ready yesterday for the Portland apple show, to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week. Load after load of boxes filled with prime apples were delivered to the exhibitors, the largest amount being the Hood River supply, which arrived during the noon hour and consisted of 800 boxes of choice fruit, principally of the Newtown and Spitzenberg varieties.

It is the expectation of the Hood River exhibitors to win everything in sight so far as the awards are concerned.

The list of entries has grown until the two floors of the building will be jammed. The total number of boxes, not considering the plate displays, is estimated at 3000, which will make the show the largest of its kind in this section, except that of the National Apple Show at Spokane.

The Dufur Development League of Dufur, Or., telegraphed during the day that it had decided to increase its display from 200 boxes to 500, and this will make the Dufur exhibit second to that of Hood River. The Washington display, which is being prepared upon the rack, assigned has 150 boxes. The Mosier people arrived during the forenoon and began to assort their apples, with a view to making their display attractive. They have 300 boxes, and when the show opens, it is said, will give the Hood River apples a close shave for the first awards.

President Atwell, of Forest Grove, and Secretary Power, were on hand early, and one of the first arrivals to be received was H. E. Van Deman, of Washington, D. C., who to judge the various exhibits. He came from Hood River, where he finished his work in the show at that place on Saturday.

The exhibit committee started their work of compiling the entries in the forenoon. The committee consists of E. L. C. Atwell, president; Charles E. C. Roberts, of Lebanon, and J. O. Holt, of Eugene. They estimated last night that entries would number close to 500.

The trustees of the show and members of the State Horticultural Society arrived yesterday from the office of H. P. Van Deman, and held a meeting to consider minor details of the show.

The trustees are J. L. Carter, of Hood River; H. C. Atwell, of Forest Grove; L. T. Reynolds, of Salem, and G. R. Gaither, of Hood River. They were exceedingly pleased with the outside and predicted a large attendance from outside of the city than the show had ever drawn before.

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GIRL JAILED AS BOY

Adele Pefferle, in Male Attire, Picked as Vagrant.

LASS IS MAN-CLAD LONG

Police Seize Maid in Cleaning Shop and Give Her Time to Don Newly-Pressed Trousers.

Planned Attack Alleged.

Clad in the garb of a man, but her voice betraying her femininity, Adele Pefferle, after living in Portland in masculine disguise for three months, was arrested yesterday afternoon as a vagrant.

Sergeant Riley and Patrolmen Shaffer and Fones seized her in a cleaning establishment at Seventh and Yamhill streets, where she had called for a newly-pressed pair of trousers. She was allowed time to don the renovated apparel and marched to the police station.

While held for vagrancy, the police say the girl had planned to assault a man unknown to them, either by shooting him or by throwing acid in his face.

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Miss Adele Pefferle, Daughter of Spokane Physician, Arrested Yesterday in Male Attire.

ward him and declined to answer, referring the police to his attorney.

BRIDGE PLANS ARE READY

Proposals for Broadway Span to Be Opened December 30.

The date for the opening of bids for the construction of the bridge work for the Broadway bridge has been changed to December 30. Drafts of advertisements naming that date were prepared at the City Hall yesterday and their publication will commence Thursday. Plans and specifications may be obtained from City Engineer Morris or from Ralph Modenick, consulting engineer, Monadnock building, Chicago.

The advertisement states that each applicant for plans and specifications must accompany application with \$25, the amount to be returned when the plans and specifications have been returned in good condition. A check for 10 per cent of the gross amount must accompany each bid.

There is little danger from a cold or from an attack of the grip, except from an attack by pneumonia, and it never happens when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. This remedy has won its great reputation and extensive use among the semiaquatic curative of colds and grippe and can be relied upon with implicit confidence. For sale by all dealers.

Jointed Dolls, with paper mache body, bisque head, curly hair in four shades, movable eyes and natural eyelashes; a full 26-inch doll; special for this \$2.10 sale only.

Jointed Doll with sewed curly wig, in four shades; sleeping eyes with lashes; pretty baby face, full 19 inches tall; special sale \$2.25 only.

Jointed Doll, neatly dressed in jacket suit with hat to match; also shoes and stockings, hair in two colors; closing eyes; 18 inches tall; our best regular \$1.00 value, on special sale at low price of, each

Jointed Doll, ball-and-socket joints, natural curly hair in four colors; sleeping eyes with lashes; shoes and stockings; best quality paper mache body, \$4.50 value, etc.; best and most practical doll made \$1.25

Jointed Dolls, with natural curly hair in four colors; shoes and stockings, sleeping eyes with lashes; beautiful, lifelike face; full 30-inch doll; regular \$7 value only, each \$5.25

German Imported Dolls, ball-and-socket joints, natural curly hair, shoes and stockings; sleeping eyes with lashes; pretty baby face, full 24-inch doll; actual \$3.25 value, special at \$2.25

Jointed Dolls with flirting eyes, natural curly hair in four shades, sleeping eyes with lashes; 22-inch doll, on \$2.75 special value, each \$2.75

Rag Dolls, the kind Baby cannot break; attractive painted faces; some have hair bangs, dressed as "Sunbonnet Baby," "Baby School Girl," etc.; best and most practical doll made \$1.25

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