

CITY PAYS HOMAGE TO LUSCIOUS APPLE

Portland and Vicinity Use 2,835,000 to Adam's One in Lively Day.

MUTS DISTRIBUTE BOXES

Day's Celebration Begins in Schools Where Juveniles Eat Cores and All—Wards of 26 Homes Remembered—Displays Huge.

That little apple tree raid of Father Adam in the Garden of Eden fades into puny insignificance in comparison with the "stunts" pulled off yesterday by his descendants in Portland in observance of annual Apple Day.

Apples tempting one to gastronomical fall loomed in every corner of the city; there was the great display of the O. W. R. & N. at the Yeon building, with apple dishes in scores of forms; 30,000 apples were distributed among the pupils of the public schools; 10,000 apples were donated to charitable institutions by the Muts; apples were given away to customers at scores of business houses and amusement places in the city; there was the great apple-eating contest among the newboys at Sixth and Alder streets; apple menus shone in all the hotels and the dining cars and thousands upon thousands of men, women and children munched apples in every quarter of the city from the market of Franklin street and the front-street wholesale district to the corner grocery furthest north, southeast or west in any direction in Portland.

Great Movement Results. The stimulation of the movement of the present apple crop that has already resulted from the Apple Day movement, has been tremendous, said A. Malboeur, of the North Pacific Fruit Distributors. "If the producers and dealers will continue to push along the movement that has started thus auspiciously, there will be great results accomplished in the next few weeks."

Thousands of Apples Eaten. This does not take into consideration the many thousands of apples that came into the city markets from other sources, besides through the wholesale houses. And when one begins to carry out his estimates and figures on these also, he begins to have a better appreciation of what a plucker Father Adam was in the Garden grabbing a lone Ben Davis apple from the tree, in comparison with the people of Portland and vicinity when they once got their appetites thoroughly turned loose on the present apple crop.

Apple Menus Prepared. In the domestic science departments and at the women's school of trades the celebration of Apple Day took the form of preparation of elaborate menus of apple dishes. The Rotary Club, at its luncheon at the Benson hotel, gave attention to the day, and last night the Transportation Club gave apples to the guests at its dance at the Multnomah hotel. The Baker Theater, the Elbernia Savings Bank and numerous other houses about the city gave away apples to their patrons all day. Apples were featured in the menus at the Elbernia, at all the hotels and on dining cars.

City's Wards Remembered. Besides the apple-eating contest, the Muts distributed 10,000 apples among wards of various charitable institutions about the city. This work was carried on under the direction of the "Phil-up" committee, consisting of Phil Bates, Phil Metchan, Jr., and Phil Grossmeyer. Following are the institutions to which the Order of Muts distributed the apples, from the Commercial Club: Associated Charities, Waverley Baby Home, Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, Children's Home, Florence Crittenton Home, Good Samaritan Hospital, Neighborhood Home, Portland Commons, Louise Home, Albertina Kerr Nursery, People's Institute, Pisgah Home, Salvation Army, Industrial Home, Salvation Army Rescue Home, St. Vincent's Hospital, Visiting Nurses' Association, Volunteers of America East Side Home, Volunteers of America West Side Home, Fruit and Flower Mission Day Nursery, East Side; Fruit and Flower Mission Day Nursery, West Side; Home for the Aged, Fraternity House, Campfire Girls, Scouting House, Catholic Women's League and Young Women's Christian Association.

Automobiles Are Lent. In addition to these, dozens of poor families were supplied independently. Seven automobiles were donated during the forenoon for the delivery of the means of delivery of the apples having no means of delivery of their own. Speakers at the various schools were: E. E. Haney, Chapman and Davis; J. C. English, Zittel, Hays, Heston, C. A. Dana, Shattuck; Leo Fried, Marshall, the worth, Colonel R. A. Miller, Holman, C. M. Stevens, Terwilliger; R. C. Wilson, A. King Wilson, Sellwert, Brookwell; D. C. Lewis, Arleta and Hoffmann; R. D. Carpenter, Leck; Franklin T. Griffith, Lincoln High; Charles L. E. Robert, Richmond and Clinton Kelly; C. C. Holt, Holladay; C. A. Mal-

boeur, Peninsular and Portsmouth; N. G. Pike, Eastmoreland and Woodstock; G. Winstock, Franklin High; J. E. Werlein, Lewis and Woodmere; D. N. Moesssahn, Kern; C. C. Chapman, Washington High; N. G. Pike, Sunnyside; C. A. Malboeur, Jefferson High; Rev. H. T. Cash, Montavilla; Estes Snedecor, Fulton Park and Multnomah; Marshall, N. Dana, Hawthorne; H. R. Hayek, Woodlawn and Kenton; Fred Spoerl, Vernon and Kennedy; Phil S. Bates, Albina Homestead and Thompson; M. R. Cummings, Hudson; C. A. Malboeur, Girls' School of Trades; W. F. Woodward, Irvington; Fred Lewis, Tabor and Fernwood; Charles L. E. Robert, Glencoe; P. H. Whitfield, Oakley Green and Highland; Judge Munly, St. Mary's Catholic School; John Manning, Columbia University; Professor Ogburn, Christian Brothers Business College.

320 Boxes Donated. In all 320 boxes of apples were contributed at the Commercial Club for free Apple Day distribution. The number 50 were for distribution at the charitable institutions by the Muts, and 270 were given to the pupils at the public schools. Those who furnished the apples and their donations were: W. B. Glafke Company, 20 boxes; Bell & Co., 20 boxes; Page & Son, 15 boxes; Dryer, Bollen Company, 15 boxes; Pearson-Page Company, 25 boxes; Levy & Spiegel, 10 boxes; Lewis & Co., 10 boxes; Walgren Fruit Company, 25 boxes; Ben Levy & Co., 5 boxes; Lima & Co., 5 boxes; Hood River Apple-growers' Union, 20 boxes; Western Fruit Exchange, 10 boxes; Western Oregon Fruit Distributors, donated by: Ashland, 10 boxes; Roseburg, 20 boxes; Astoria, 20 boxes; Columbia County, 17 boxes; Underwood, 20 boxes; Portland office, 8 boxes; Lowndale Orchards, 10 boxes; C. C. Chapman, 3 boxes.

LINE'S TRADE DOUBLED SUMNER VALLEY REPORTS SHOW BIG INCREASE SINCE 1910. Lumber Tonnage Alone Reaches 170,087 Mark—Freight Revenue Leads With Remarkable Gain.

BAKER, Or., Oct. 20.—(Special).—Amazing growth in the last four years in the output of the territory served by the Sumner Valley Railroad is indicated by the company's annual report to the Interstate Commerce Commission, and shows the output of this report shows the railroad company handled last year more than double the amount of freight handled in 1910. The tonnage for the year ended June 30, 1910, was 82,500 tons, for the year ended June 30, 1914, was 161,751.

In virtually every line this great increase has been manifest. Following is the tonnage for the principal commodities carried over the line for 1913-14 and for 1909-10: 1913-14 1909-10 Grain, flour and mill products 1,407 1,325 Hay 1,235 1,235 Total agriculture 2,642 2,560 Lumber 2,478 1,485 Ore 94,000 30,000 Lumber 2,478 1,485 Total 100,000 30,000 Manufactures 1,528 47 Menus 4,419 A striking feature of the report is the great proportion of logs and lumber to the total amount of freight carried by the company. The output of the forests amounts to 174,087 tons. This great increase in business has likewise increased the annual payroll of the company from \$29,927 in 1910 to \$48,118, there now being 201 on the payroll, as opposed to 116 in 1910. The passenger business also increased materially, from 30,805 passengers carried in 1909-10 to 32,444 in 1913-14. The passenger revenues increased also from \$28,546 to \$43,891.92, while the total revenue from passenger trains increased from \$49,122 to \$53,779.17, the difference in passenger revenues and passenger train revenue being made up by receipts from excess baggage, express and mail. The greatest increase in the company's receipts, however, is the freight revenue last year, there being taken in \$251,870.32, as opposed to \$122,290.93. The total operating revenue for the company last year short \$216,237.46, and for 1909-10 was \$174,254.09.

INSPECTION IS LAUDED

CIVIC LEAGUE COMMITTEE FINDS RESTAURANTS IMPROVED. Recommendations Made That Power Be Given Health Department to Close Places Ignoring Suggestions. That inspection of restaurants, as conducted by the inspection division of the City Health Department, has done and is still doing much good, is the substance of a report prepared by a committee of the Oregon Civic League, comprising Mrs. E. B. Colwell and Mrs. A. C. Newell, following an extensive investigation of the restaurants in the city. The report of the committee recommends that more power be given the inspectors and that the inspection work be extended.

ROAD WORK PRAISE LOUD

Letter From Sauvie Island Resident Surprises Commissioners. County Commissioners received a surprise yesterday when they read a letter from A. F. Bernard, of the Island Holstein Farm, located on Sauvie Island, in which the board was thanked for the good work done on the roads of the island. Complaints are usually the communications received and the commissioners had from time to time a reversal of the usual order. Mr. Bernard said the good road work being done has proved a great encouragement to residents of the district, and will be of much benefit to the farming and dairy interests of that section. The last communication the Commissioners had from Sauvie Island was an unsigned letter in which an indignant protest was made against the ferry service from Burlington. It was stated that it was necessary for patrons of the ferry to shout their lungs out in order to attract the attention of the ferryman. The matter was referred to County Superintendent Welch, of bridges and ferries, and conditions have been improved in that respect.

Attempt to Kill Self Fails. R. H. Davis, a sheepman of Chicago, attempted to commit suicide in the Panama Saloon, at Third and Alder streets, Monday night by cutting his throat and his wrists. Despondency, he said, prompted the attempt. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital, and will recover.

Special 25c Lunch Served in the Basement From 11:30 to 2:30 Daily—Prompt Service—Soda Fountain in the Basement Your Shoes Shined in the Basement for Wednesday Only, 5c—Manicuring and Hairdressing Parlors on the Second Floor

Velvet Ribbons 1/2 Price In the Basement Excellent quality satin-back velvet Ribbons in widths from No. 1 to No. 9. Shown in a great variety of the wanted colors. On 1/2 Price sale Wednesday at

Olds, Wortman & King Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods Pacific Phone Marshall 4800 Home Phone A 6231



Basement "50-Special-Sales" Today Double Trading Stamps Today With All Basement Cash Purchases!

\$7.50 Up to \$10 Dresses Special \$4.95 Basement—These handsome Dresses will sell quickly at this price, for they are most unusual bargains. Attractive styles for afternoon and evening wear of good quality nets, trimmed with girdles, silks, etc. Also dresses of wool serges in models for street wear. Dresses like these ordinarily sell at \$7.50 up to \$10.00. Priced for Wednesday at low price of, choice, \$4.95

\$15.00 to \$25.00 Dresses Special \$8.98 Basement—There are exactly 50 of these stylish Dresses—a special lot closed out to us at big reductions and underpriced for Wednesday's selling at half and less standard worth. Dainty styles for evening wear of nets, chiffons, silks, etc. in beautiful rich colors. All are effectively trimmed. Dresses selling formerly at \$15.00 to \$25.00. Priced special for today's \$8.98 selling at only, your choice for \$8.98

\$15.00 to \$18.00 Coats Special \$9.98 Basement—300 women's and misses' smart new Winter Coats comprise this phenomenal offering. This season's newest and best styles in short, medium and full length models. Made of splendid quality materials and handsomely tailored. Shown in the most wanted Fall and Winter colors and in a complete line of sizes. Standard \$15.00 to \$18.00 Coats \$9.98 on sale Wednesday at low price

Women's Kimono 98c Women's Long Flannel Kimonos of extra heavy quality. Good patterns. Attractive colors.

\$5 Dress Skirts \$2.98 Women's Stylish New Fall Skirts of plain white, with fancy mixtures. Complete range of all sizes.

\$2 House Dresses 98c Many attractive new models in this lot. Gingham and percales in light and dark colors. Worth \$2.

\$10.00 Raincoats \$5.95 Women's Raincoats of fine quality rubberized materials and poplins. Full line of all sizes.

\$1 Night Gowns 79c Women's Extra Heavy Outing Flannel Nightgowns in neat patterns and colors. Full range of sizes.

New \$1 Corsets 59c Four splendid models to select from. Very satisfactory for general wear. All sizes up to 30.

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Bungalow Aprons 49c Women's Bungalow Aprons in 60-inch length. Light in color or dark. Choose from. All sizes up to 30. See these.

\$15-\$35 Suits \$10.95 Basement—A stirring Wednesday sale of women's and misses' Suits—260 of them in this lot—excellent plain tailored models very desirable for general wear. Well lined, perfectly tailored and nicely finished. All sizes for women and misses. Regular \$15 to \$35 Suits now at \$10.95

\$1.25 Union Suits 79c Basement—Special one-day sale of women's Union Suits in good Winter weight. High neck, long sleeves and ankle-length styles, correctly shaped and perfect fitting. We have these in a full assortment of all sizes. Standard \$1.25 Union Suits on sale for Wednesday at the very low price of only, each 79c

Art Pieces Only \$1.69 Basement—Manufacturer's sample line of 300 beautiful hand-embroidered pieces—pillow tops, scarfs, towels, neckwear, children's Dresses, etc., etc. Exquisite articles for holiday gifts. Pieces in this great assortment which would sell ordinarily up to \$7.50. Your choice Wednesday for only \$1.69

18c Flannellettes 11c Mill ends Flannellettes for kimonos, dressing accoues, etc. 15c to 18c grades, special 11c a yard.

Large Comforters 98c Full-Size Comforters covered with good grade silk or fine and filled with cotton. Good dark colors.

65c Wool Serge 48c 36-inch Pure Wool Serge in black and colors.

Lining Satins 63c 36-inch Lining Satins of excellent heavy quality. Colors black, cream, gray and tan. See quality.

Silk Poplins at 48c a Yard Basement—New shipment of 100 pieces beautiful Silk Poplins. Full assortment of the season's popular shades, also in black and white. Heavy weight and lustreous finish. Will not slip and will give most satisfactory wear. Full 24 inches wide, on special sale today 48c at the low price of, the yard 48c

Girls' Coats, Special, \$4.95 Basement—Splendid serviceable Coats for children's school wear. Scores of handsome new models in belted and other popular styles. Winter-weight materials in plain and fancy weaves. All stylishly cut and nicely trimmed. Sizes from 6 to 14 years. Coats worth up to \$12.50. Special today only \$4.95

Great Sale Sample Gowns Basement—Manufacturer's sample line of Women's Flannellette Gowns to be disposed of today at actual manufacturer's cost. Come in the morning if you want to share in this great bargain. The lot is limited. Only one of a kind. Plain white or stripes. The \$2.25 prices range from 37 1/2c to \$2.25

Men's \$8 Raincoats \$5.95 Basement—Wise men will come early today and choose one of these splendid Coats. Good heavy-weight materials, in serviceable shades of tan. Cut full and long and rainproof. Very desirable garments for general wear. Shown in sizes 38 to 44. Standard \$8.00 Coats. Special \$5.95

Women's Rubbers 59c Women's Storm Rubbers in medium or low heel. Complete range of all sizes. Special 59c pair.

Vacuum Cleaners \$3.29 Golden Rod Vacuum Cleaners, easy to operate and no parts to break. \$5.99 grade \$3.29.

50c Underwear 37 1/2c Women's Heavy Winter Weight Ribbed Vests and Pants, full line of all sizes.

Men's Umbrellas 98c Good Full-Size Umbrellas, with strong steel frames, rain-proof cover, plain, fancy handles.

\$1.75 Umbrellas \$1.29 500 Women's Umbrellas, strong and durable, with rain and sun-proof tops, fancy handles.

10c Kerchiefs 5c Women's Plain or Fancy Handkerchiefs of fine, attractive patterns. Regular 12c grade. Special, each 5c

Dress Gingham 9c Mill ends of beautiful new Gingham in stripes, checks, plaids, etc. Regular 12c grade. Yard, 9c

Couch Covers 98c Heavy Tapestry Couch Covers in size 2 1/2 x 1 1/2 yards, rich colors and good patterns. At 98c each.

Women's Shoes \$1.98 Basement—Come in today and supply your Shoe needs at lowest prices. Hundreds of pairs of Women's Shoes in all popular styles and wanted leathers in button or lace. Complete range of sizes and widths. On special sale today, the pair \$1.98

1200 Pairs Boys', Girls' Shoes \$1.69

Boys' 85c Pants 49c Boys' Knickerbockers of corduroy and tweeds, made of good heavy grade. Sizes 8 to 16, 75c to 85c grades.

50c to \$1 Shirts 33c Boys' Sample Shirts in various styles, made of percales and madras. Some a little soiled.

Boys' Raincoats \$3.48 Boys' Raincoats of dependable quality, sizes from 4 to 14 years. Regular \$5.99 coats at \$3.48.

Men's 75c Gloves 49c Men's Heavy Gauntlet Gloves of pigskin, standard 75c quality on sale at special, 49c pair.

\$1.50 Union Suits 98c Men's Winter Weight Union Suits with closed crotch. Sizes 38 to 44. Standard \$1.50 grade at 98c.

Wash Suitings 11c Texaloid Cotton Suitings, mill ends in many attractive patterns. Extra heavy and very durable.

10c Torchon Lace 5c Linen Torchon Lace in narrow or wide edges and all patterns, standard 10c grade, 5c yard.

10c Toilet Paper 5c Limit 30 rolls to a customer. No phone orders. Standard 10c grade at 5c roll.

Sale of Gray Enameled Ware In the Basement Wednesday

2-quart Covered Kettles at 25c 14-quart Dish Pans at only 37c 3-quart Covered Kettles at 30c 17-quart Dish Pans at only 45c 12-quart Covered Kettles at 75c 9 1/2 Deep Bread Pans at 16c 3-quart Sauce Pans at only 30c 10 1/2 Deep Bread Pans now 18c 1-quart Lipped Kettles for 12c Gray Enam. Wash Basins 12c 1-quart Lipped Sauce Pans 12c 1-quart Measures on sale at 15c 1 1/2 Lipped Kettles for only 14c 2-quart Coffee Pots now at 35c 2-qt. Kettles or Sauce Pans 17c 2-quart Tea Pots on sale at 35c 3-qt. Lip. Kettles, S. Pans 20c 12-quart Galvanized Pails at 16c 4-qt. Kettles or Sauce Pans 22c 12-quart Galvanized Pails at 20c 1-quart Double Boilers at 35c 14-quart Galvanized Pails at 25c 2-quart Double Boilers at 60c Double Stamps With Purchases

Center Circle Specials Today—1st Flr.

Boys' and girls' Guaranteed Hose—priced special, the pair for 15c Girl's heavy fleeced-lined Union Suits, special, each, for only 50c Children's imported Stuttgart Underwear now at HALF PRICE.

Special Sale Notions at Main Flr. Bargain Circle

Clark's and Coat's Spool Cotton, Special, 57c Doz. Spools \$4.00 Dress Form and Stand, Special Today Only \$2.75

Large spools Corticelli Sewing Silk, in black, white and colors. Regular 50c size. Special, the spool, 35c 10c Cube Pins, in assorted colors, on special sale now for only 5c 15c Dressmakers' Pins, put up in one-fourth pound boxes, at 10c 25c Sleeve Protectors now at 15c 10c Skirt Markers on sale at 5c 65c Combination Folding Coat and Pants Hangers now on sale at 25c 15c Sanitary Belts now for 10c 25c Hair Curlers on sale at 18c 5c Hair Wavers on sale at 2 1/2c 10c Folding Drinking Cups at 7c 25c Sanitary Aprons now at 18c Regular 10c Trousers Hangers 5c 50c Naid Bolero Shields at 35c

\$1 Naid Brassieres at only 83c 15c Women's Supporters at 10c 10c Wire Coat Hangers now 7c 5c Wire or Wood Hangers at 3c 5c Bust Forms, special at \$1.69 15c Child's Hose Supporters 10c 5c Basting Cotton, the spool, 4c 10c Spool Silk, assorted, at 7c 2 1/2c Darning Cotton, 45-yard, 1c 10c Combs, in assorted styles, at 10c 20c Dress Weights, the yard, 15c 5c Common Pins, 2 pkgs. for 5c 10c Bone Hair Pins, the box, 7c 10c Mother's Ironing Wax at 5c 25c Stiekerei Braids, the bolt, 15c 25c Frilled Elastic, the yard, 15c 1c "Victoria" Plaiters only 25c Regular 5c Stocking Darners 3c

Regular 5c Removable Collar Supporters on sale now at only 2 1/2c 5c Safety Pins, in assorted sizes, white only, on sale now at 2 1/2c 25c Machine Oil, large size, 15c 10c Stocking Protectors at 10c 10c Shoe Trees on sale now at 7c 8c Regular 10c Curling Irons at 7c 1c Pin Cushion and Pin Holder combined on sale now at only 25c 35c Scissors, assorted sizes, 18c Pearl Buttons, fresh or salt water, Sizes 14 to 24. Regular price, 10c the dozen. Special, the dozen, 5c Hair Nets, with or without elastic. All colors. Special, five for 10c 25c Skirt Markers on sale at 19c 10c Featherbone, special, yd., 8c

STEALING CANOE CHARGED

Barney Kramer, of Favorite Boat-house, Arrested on Larceny Charge.

Barney Kramer, proprietor of the Favorite Boat-house, was arrested by Captain Moore on a charge of larceny yesterday proffered by Charles Bowe and Ralph Herr, owners of a canoe which they alleged Kramer forcibly took from them.

According to information lodged against Kramer by the two young men, the canoeists, in company with Charles

CRAG, WAS PADDLING DOWN THE RIVER

opposite the Favorite Boat-house. They alleged that the accused came out to the center of the river in a motorboat and took the canoe away from them. As the young men were dressed in bathing suits, they were forced to take a cold walk up the river to where their street clothes were cached.

Kramer says he took the canoe for security for a bill he alleges the young men accrued at his boat-house. When Kramer learned that a warrant was out for his arrest, he came to the police station and gave himself up to Captain Moore.

A full-grown elephant can carry three tons on its back.

BIDDER'S TIME EXTENDED

Week Given W. H. Dean to Make Payment in Phone Company Deal.

W. H. Dean, of White Salmon, Wash., will have a week longer in which to qualify as a bidder for the property of the Northwestern Long-Distance Telephone Company. He was allowed that time by Judge Bean yesterday in which to produce \$20,000, and will have three

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more. These sums, together with \$5000 already paid by him will be the initial payment on the property. Mr. Dean's bid for the property is \$100,000, the balance of \$80,000 to be paid over a term of years.

The Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, following the Government's dissolution suit against it last Spring, was ordered to sell the Northwestern Telephone Company property to persons not interested in any way with the Pacific or its affiliated companies.

Mr. Dean is the only known bidder. His friends say he will have no difficulty in making the payments.