

FRUIT DISPLAY BEATS RECORDS

Annual Exhibit of Oregon Horticultural Society to Open Tuesday.

With nearly 500 boxes of Oregon's finest apples on display, and with a large supply of dried fruit, vegetables, pears besides, the twenty-fourth annual apple show and convention of the Oregon State Horticultural Society will open Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock in the auditorium of the Meier & Frank company's annex.

This meeting, the twenty-fourth held by the society, is being planned upon as the biggest of them all. The fruit display will be bigger and it is expected higher classed than ever before. The program arranged for the meeting will be participated in by some of the foremost horticulturists in the state.

President H. C. Sawtell, of the Oregon State Horticultural Society arrived in Portland Friday evening. He immediately stepped into the harness, and with Secretary F. W. Powers is planning to make the show a big success. Men are working in the auditorium today getting the exhibiting spaces in shape, and Monday afternoon the fruit will be placed on display.

The program of the convention follows:

Tuesday Morning at 9 o'clock.
Business session, reports of officers and committees.
"Life and Work of Cyrus Hoskins," J. H. Rees, Springbrook.
"Horticultural Reminiscences," Dr. J. B. Cardwell, Portland.
"The Oregon State Horticultural Society," H. M. Williamson, secretary state board of horticulture.
"Some Problems in Market Gardening," Professor Arthur G. B. Bouquet, Oregon Agricultural college.
"Improvement of Rural Conditions," A. J. Mason, Hood River.

Tuesday Afternoon at 2 o'clock.
"Walnut Growing in the Willamette Valley," Fred Groner, Hillsboro.
"Oregon Walnuts," Thomas Prince, Duane.

"Horticulture and the Agricultural College," President W. J. Kerr, Oregon Agricultural college.
"The Oregon State Board of Horticulture," Honorable W. K. Newell, president state board of horticulture.
"Cherry Growing in Oregon," Miss Clara Welch, Troutdale.

Tuesday Evening at 8 o'clock.
Through the invitation of the Apple Culture club of the Y. M. C. A., this lecture will be held in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. (first floor), Sixth and Taylor streets.
"Apple Scab and Its Control," (stereopticon-lecture) Dean A. B. Cordery, Oregon Agricultural college.

Wednesday Morning at 9 o'clock.
"The Prune in Western Oregon," A. C. Goodrich, Yamhill.
"The Prune Industry from the Packer's Standpoint," J. T. Brumfield, Portland.

"Apples in the Lewis River Valley," Dr. C. H. Chapman, of the "Oregonian."
Wednesday Afternoon at 2 o'clock.
Address, Honorable J. L. Carter, Hood River.
"Grape Growing in the Pacific North-

FRITZ KREISLER WILL PLAY RETURN ENGAGEMENT HERE



Fritz Kreisler.

The announcement just made that the eminent violinist, Fritz Kreisler, will play a return recital here next Friday afternoon at the Bungalow Theatre is a bit of news that will delight all his vast army of admirers here. At his first recital here last Thursday evening, Kreisler met with overwhelming success and was greeted by a capacity house, and there have been so many inquiries from music students and teachers for a second chance to hear this great artist that the second recital has just been arranged. The program which Kreisler will present will undoubtedly be one of his fascinating stu-

dies in delight, and will afford the opportunity of hearing him in entirely different selections.

The recital will be at the Bungalow theatre Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock and the seat sale will open at the Bungalow Wednesday morning.

There has never in years been an artist here who met with so much acclaim and interest, for Kreisler is not alone a great violin genius, but he is a man of brain and a student whose strong and charming personality alone would win for him many friends. The return recital will be under the direction of Lois Steers-Wynn Oman.

State Horticultural society and of the Oregon State Dairy association. In the club parlors, seventh and eighth floors, Fifth and Oak streets.

John Philip Sousa has volunteered his services to again lead the monster band at the annual concert of Boston Musicians' Protective union 9, A. F. of L., February 6. The concert band will be composed of 400 members of the union.

SAYS HAMILTON HAD OTHER NAME

Furniture Dealer Sold Alleged Embezzler Goods Under Name of Moore.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Olympia, Wash., Dec. 4.—That Ortis Hamilton, the prisoner at the bar, is the man who came to his house and bargained for some furniture under the name of Frank Moore, was the positive statement of Attorney J. W. Carr of Bremerton, who was put on the stand by the state this afternoon at the trial of Ortis Hamilton, former adjutant general of Washington, who is charged with larceny by embezzlement.

Hamilton only smiled while Carr told the court and jury how Hamilton had passed himself off as a rich Alaskan copper miner, and how he had been accompanied by a woman and a little girl, introducing them as his wife and daughter. The woman is supposed to be Hazel Moore, the affiant in the case, and the girl Hazel's little daughter.

The defense will seek to prove that Hamilton has a "double." Carr also identified certain checks that Hamilton gave him in payment for the furniture. When Hamilton saw Carr in the corridor of the courthouse Friday he nearly broke down, as he did not suppose the state would be able to find him.

SENSATION TO FOLLOW ARREST

Texas Political Circles Agog at Arrest of Prison Official.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Dallas, Tex., Dec. 4.—Sensation is stirring political circles of Texas, following the arrest of Major T. J. Durham, assistant superintendent of the Texas penitentiary, on indictment for murder, due to alleged brutality to prisoners for which he is held responsible. The specific instance in the indictment is the alleged flogging of a convict by Major Durham himself, which is claimed to have caused the convict's death.

Major Durham was arrested at Ruak and taken to Hillsboro to answer the indictment. Major Durham is prominent socially, politically and in business circles in Texas. His arrest and indictment came as a surprise. Members of the investigating committee say they have not yet finished their work. Further sensations are expected and the charge against Durham is believed to be but a link in a chain of indictments about to come.

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NO SURPLUS OF LOGS IN RIVER

Mills Will Require All on Hand Before the Winter Is Over.

As a result of light operations, during the past several weeks in the logging camps along the Columbia river and its tributaries, largely because of the inclement weather, there are now no more saw logs in sight than will be after the holidays. In case of the snow remaining long on the ground, it is feared quite possible there will be a scarcity of logs in early spring.

Reports from the camps down the river are to the effect that only about 15 per cent are running at this time, and the snow fall of yesterday, it is expected, will stimulate the exodus of the men still in the woods to the city, whether they would stop their steps anyway as the holidays draw closer. With the men leaving, it will become necessary to close the camps in operation.

The recent freshet was instrumental to a certain extent in reducing the surplus of a few weeks ago, but the mills have been calling for more logs than was expected early in the fall when the lumber business was not nearly as brisk as at present.

So far there has been no disposition on the part of the loggers to advance prices, but it is reported that the market is firm and that a large number of the logs in rafts down the river are already sold.

VALLEY MEN BUY MANY FRUIT TREES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Richland, Or., Dec. 4.—In the last 60 days C. E. Logsdien, representing the Washington nursery at Toppenish, Wash., has sold enough apple trees in Eagle and Pine Valleys to plant 500 acres. The varieties mostly selected are Spitzbergers, Newtown Pippins and Winter Bananas. The largest order was said to be a concern financed by W. M. Ladd, of Portland. This company will set 60 acres to Spitzbergers on its large fruit ranch three miles north of Newburg.

An effort is being made by the fruit-growers of this section to have a competent fruit inspector appointed and have the laws enforced in regard to spraying and caring for the orchards. The various fruit pests are not so numerous here as in some other sections of the northwest.

Forty Acres Bring \$14,000.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Richland, Or., Dec. 4.—Dr. C. E. Luttner, of Walla Walla, closed a deal this week with the Eagle Valley Development Company for 40 acres of land two miles northeast of Richland. The price was \$14,000, which includes a perpetual water right. A force of men is clearing the land of sagebrush, and as soon as spring opens the entire tract will be set out in yellow Newtowns and Spitzbergers.

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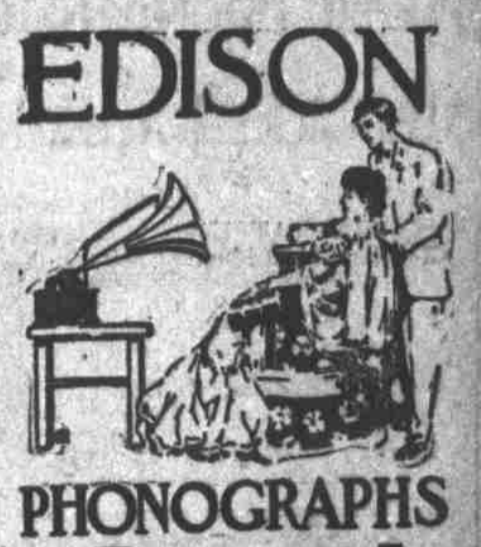
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Cost new \$400, our price now \$225.

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Cost new \$325, our price now \$255.

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This piano new \$250, our price now \$145.

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