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HORTICULTURISTS SPEAK

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After the sixth or eighth year they require much less attention than an apple, are practically free from blight, and do not require the skill that is needed in producing apples. A man can care for from 40 to 50 acres of walnuts, where he could care for only 10 of apples. By hard work, untiring energy, and the use of brains and skill, it is perhaps possible that better returns may be had from apples.

They should be planted about 10 to the acre. Unless staked, they should be headed very low, otherwise they will lean in every direction. After six or eight years the heads are naturally open, and they do not need much thinning or shaping.

Best Location.

On the question of the best location for walnut growing, Mr. Williamson does not agree with the majority of the Oregon authorities. He would select the best soil, regardless of location, and take chances on frost. The walnut thrives best on a rich, deep, alluvial soil, but not on low, water-soaked ground, that lacks good drainage. Where the soil is only three or four feet deep they do not do well. Before the trees are well developed, frost may cut them back to some extent, but will not materially hurt them. This, he explained, was merely offered as his opinion, and not as advice.

A grafted tree bears in four to five years, a seedling in from nine to 10, and a tree will bear from 50 to 60 pounds per year. In full maturity they will yield about 1000 pounds per acre and will be worth about $800 per acre.

Over Production.

One of the most valuable addresses was that of H. M. Williamson, on "Over Production," which was given in the afternoon and concluded the session. "Over production, as referred to by the fruit man consisted in producing more fruit than we could sell," he said. "A few years ago prune raising became popular, and they very quickly reached a state of over production—not because there were too many, but simply because the prune was then unknown in the markets of the world. In the case of cherries we have a surplus at times on the market, but it is the result of under production and not over production. If we produced more, we would be in a better shape to take care of them. We could then afford to operate pre-cooling stations, and adopt other scientific methods that would put our fruit into distant markets in perfect shape. When we have 10 times the apples that we have today, we will be in a position to secure better prices.

Over Boosting.

"There comes in every business development a stage where the professional boosters step in and take charge of it, and exaggerate it and overdo it. The simple fact that we are planting immense acreages of apple trees in the United States does not mean that we will have a corresponding increase in the production of apples. There was a greater apple boom in 1892. In 1890 there were 120 million apples trees in this country. In 1900 there were 200 million of all kinds, or 80 million more than in 1890. Between 1886 and 1892 there were a million and a half acres set out to fruit. There is no such boom now. We talk about over-planting here in the Northwest, when there is perhaps not 100,000 acres of orchard in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. Apple production did not fully reach the maximum in 1896, and we have been going back ever since. As in other lines of industry, too many people will be carried away by the boom spirit. The great bulk of the apple trees now being planted in the Northwest will not cut much figure in the production of apples.

Survival of Fittest.

"Over production is inevitable in every branch of human industry which is not limited by natural or artificial monopoly, and all progress has been made by survival of the fittest. The best orchards, the best methods, will survive when those of inferior qualities will have been driven out of the business.

"The best remedy for over production is the adoption of better methods. This is especially true of apples. In the most noted fruit county of New York there are 18 orchards with average gross sales of over $300 per acre. In the same county there are 184 common orchards whose average sales are not $50 per acre. The difference is not in the location, not in the soil, but in the men and methods.

"Growing the fruit is but one-half of the apple business. The marketing problem is as important as the producing problem. In the past, our fruit has nearly all been shipped to five large cities of the United States—New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Sales Agencies Needed.

"The time has come when we must have organized sales agencies and local organizations. More than that, we will probably find it advantageous to follow the methods of the large commercial organizations and go after trade; but perhaps it will not be necessary to continue longer than it takes to introduce our products. Selling agents will be located in every important trade center. There is much to be done before there is danger of overproduction.

"We think that because we know about 'Oregon apples' everybody else does, but the great mass of American people do not really know anything about Oregon apples today. We cannot expect them to look us up. That is not according to the methods of modern business. We must let them know what we have to sell.

"It is only idle speculation to talk of whether we may produce too much fruit in the future. We know from the past that whenever we produce a better article than our competitors do we need have no fear. A few years of extra high prices for prunes might cause heavy plantings, enough to overcrowd the market for a time, but it is not likely.

Best Varieties.

"Of cherries we produce sometimes more than the local markets can handle, and yet not enough to make it a safe proposition to ship them long distances East. It now takes about three days to get enough cherries to fill a car at Salem. Between the period of minimum output and that required to develop the business to a profitable shipping stage, there will perhaps be a period of temporary over production, but it will not last long."

As to the apples best adapted to the Willamette Valley, Mr. Williamson and Mr. Newell agreed that Grimes' Golden came first. It brings the highest price in Great Britain, and it produces a larger quantity of perfect fruit than any other apple. As a rule, only about two per cent are imperfect. Next comes the Yellow Newtown, and one of the best pollenizers for it was the Grimes' Golden, and in planting for that purpose they should not be scattered about thinly, but should be planted in solid blocks of four to six rows of each kind.

In illustrating the successful growth of the Newtowns in this valley, Mr. Williamson stated that Mr. Newell's Newtowns were practically equal to one of the five prize-winning boxes of that variety which had been brought to Washington County from the Spokane apple show last fall, and compared with the local apples.

As a class yellow apples show less scab than other kinds, and as a rule they are better flavored than the red varieties, or at least the English think so.

On motion of H. S. Butz a vote of thanks was given Mr. Newell and Mr. Williamson for the valuable instruction which they had given.

DEATH OF NOTED HOP MAN

Harry H. Pincus Succumbs Suddenly to Acute Spinal Meningitis.

Harry H. Pincus, of Tacoma, junior member of the firm of Isaac Pincus & Son, hop dealers, well-known in Polk County, died at St. Vincent's Hospital, Portland, at 5:30 p. m., Tuesday, after only two days' illness. The physicians pronounced the case acute spinal meningitis.

Harry H. Pincus was born at Stellacoom, Washington, December 25, 1875. About 15 years ago he entered the hop business with his father, Isaac Pincus, one of the pioneer dealers of the West, and his brother, James. The father retired from active business several years ago and since then the business has been conducted by the two brothers. The firm is one of the best known in the hop trade of the world. The business proved highly successful until last December, when, because of reverses, it was found necessary to put the firm into a receiver's hands, but steps were under way to reorganize the business.

Strenuous Hen.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Feb. 25.—A. L. Focter of this city has a hen which has made a remarkable record for laying large eggs. Last year she produced 40 double-yolked eggs. This year she has laid a number of large eggs, but one is a special curiosity. It has three yolks and is six and three-quarters inches in circumference in the center, and measures nearly nine inches around the long way and weighs four ounces. The hen is a cross between a Black Minorca and Buff Cochin.

You do not know what is doing in horticulture unless you read "Better Fruit." Accept the Observer's special offer.

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A commercial club has been formed at Coquille and a city hall will be built.

Sight Too Valuable

To be neglected. Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve will cure any case of sore eyes, granulated lids, opthalmia or any inflamed condition of the eyes. Painless and harmless. 25c a tube at all dealers.

A Bonanza man has a large collection of rare stamps. The George Washington stamp, issued in 1799, and that of Martha Washington in 1808, are his most cherished souvenirs, and he has been offered $100 apiece for them, says the Bulletin.

Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve

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A wooden mill man has been looking over Bend and vicinity with a view of establishing a mill there.

A Beautiful Woman

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NATURE'S WARNING.

Dallas People Must Recognize and Heed It.

Kidney ills come quietly—mysteriously.

But nature always warns you

Notice the kidney secretions.

See if the color is unhealthy—

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Doan's have done great work in this locality.

P. H. Drexler, Main street, Independence, Ore., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and I am glad to say that they have helped me. My back was very weak and I was bothered by irregular passages of the kidney secretions. Being advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, I did so and by the time I had taken the contents of three boxes, my trouble disappeared. I have not been bothered since then and consequently have no hesitation in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills to other kidney sufferers."

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Prineville expects to have its branch railroad to Lamonta completed by July 4.

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There are 99 parts exaggeration to one part truth in the stories of rabid coyotes, declares the Wallowa Chieftain.

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A Prineville man has a golden eagle, measuring seven feet from tip to tip, that he captured alive.

Help Wanted

For that cough. Get a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It is the best.

Nearly 4,000,000 feet of lumber was shipped from the Coquille via Bandon during January.

A Cough

Is a danger signal and should not be neglected. Take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey at once. It allays inflammation, stops the cough and heals the membranes.

A man near Bandon has a loganberry vine that showed a growth of 23½ feet last year.

Asthma

Is a distressing disease. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey relieve almost instantly. We guarantee it to give satisfaction.

A man and womnan were driving into Eugene before daylight; in passing through a driveway guarded by red lights, the horse became frightened, reared and backed and fell into a gas main ditch; its plunging broke the main and it was asphyxiated. A man came along and lighted a match to see what was the matter, when the whole vicinity burst into flame, providing roast horse.

Croup

Causes uneasy nights but if you will use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey it will relieve in a few minutes. There is nothing better. Guaranteed by all dealers.

Salem Journal: Oh, yes, its all right to put off getting mountain water a few years, and in the meantime lose half a million of appropriations and several state institutions and the state capital the first time an epidemic hits the town.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.

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Lv. West Salem	4:35 p. m.
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Lv. Falls City	10.15 a. m.
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