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IT TAKES ORGANIZATION TO SELL APPLES

Attempts of Individuals to Get Good Prices Almost Universally Have Failed.

Spokane, Wash., Apr. 6. — That most of the attempts of independent apple growers to personally market their crops in the Middle West this season fizzled in a most dismal manner is the statement of Sam G. Campbell of Hood River, who returned to the Northwest after spending the last six months in and about Omaha and Kansas City. Mr. Campbell is chief inspector for the North Pacific Fruit Distributors. His headquarters for the shipping season were at Omaha

but his duties took him throughout Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas.

"From numerous experiences that I have witnessed in the Middle West this year, I have concluded that the grower is running a mighty slim chance of getting out with a whole skin when he starts East with a carload or more of his own apples to market," declared Mr. Campbell. "The story is usually a sad one."

"I am familiar with the case of a car of Rome Beauties which was shipped from the Northwest—good apples, too. This car had an even 20 days demurrage charge against it. Finally the man who owned it unloaded 150 boxes and put them in an empty store building to save the apples from freezing and himself from further expense. He tried to sell 'direct' from the open door of a truck car, after peddling circulars about the town."

"I went around to the car to see how it worked out. Not a buyer showed up, and the owner was standing in a foot of snow thumping himself to keep warm beside a platform on which he had set a few open boxes. This happened in a town of 14,000 people, where, incidentally, Northwestern apples were on sale in the stores at reasonable prices."

"Another instance—and I personally knew this man—a grower from one of the principal northwestern fruit districts took a car to Omaha. After plodding from pillar to post, trying to find jobbers and dealers who would buy, his task made harder by the fact that he was unacquainted and unfamiliar with the ropes, he finally sold to a broker for 12 1-2 cents less than the same fruit from the same district was getting in that market at that time. The trade regards these personally conducted side-door apple tours as 'easy pickings.'"

"But the loss does not fall alone upon the independent grower. When a car sells at 12 1-2 cents below the market, all other apples are hit for a certain time."

"My observation of market conditions in the Middle West convinced me that had the North Pacific Fruit Distributors controlled 80 per cent of the tonnage of the Pacific Northwest our apples would have been sold at much less expense than they have been and would have returned the grower as much as 25 cents a box more than he will receive—this, in the face of the fact that general conditions throughout the country were not as auspicious this year as they might have been. And 25 cents a box

means a lot to the growers, especially in a year like the present."

"The middle west has been dull during the past season. The trade of country merchants has been almost dead because the roads have been practically impassable. That in itself will account for many carloads of apples not being sold in the rural communities."

RIVERSIDE ITEMS AND PERSONALS OF INTEREST

Mrs. Wm. Caldwell has had a serious attack of tonsillitis. She is some better but still confined to her bed.
Mrs. F. E. Church, Mrs. Lawrence Edholm, and Miss Bertha Beck were in Albany Thursday to attend the sale at the Young store.

Geo. Atkeson was in town on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindstrom and daughter were attending the big sale Thursday.

Mrs. Beeman returned from Salem Thursday.

The Thursday club was postponed on account of the illness of Mrs. Caldwell with whom it was to meet.

Mrs. Clarence Beeman entertained Saturday evening. Cards and dancing were the diversions. A dainty lunch was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Church, Mr. and Mrs. L. Edward Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beeman, Mildred McMahon and Master Harold Church.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Miller and daughter Golden were Albany visitors Tuesday.

Several of the Riverside people attended Western Star grange Saturday.

The young people of the Sunday school met at the home of Wm. Laubner to sing Saturday evening.

There was a good crowd out to church to listen to the excellent Easter sermon delivered by Rev. Maurer.

PERSONAL MENTION FROM SHELburn.

Shelburn, Or., April 5.—(Special to Democrat.)—Norman Long of Scio was in the vicinity of Shelburn last week buying hogs.

There were three across the coun-

try hikers camped near Shelburn last Thursday night.

Ben Gooch and wife of Mt. Angel were here last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Bond.

James Smith is visiting relatives in Albany at present.

Mr. Peterson of Stayton spent Sunday with friends near Shelburn.

W. H. McLain made a business trip to Willamina last week.

Mrs. Claud Churchill and Leta Sanders were week end visitors at the home of Don Ray.

Dr. Prill was called to the home of Frank Bryant Saturday. Mrs. Bryant having a very bad finger caused from a splinter.

Mrs. A. Shanks spent Sunday at

the home of her mother, Mrs. Trolinger.

The ball game played between West Stayton and Shelburn Sunday was decided in favor of the Stayton team.

There was quite a crowd at the Catholic church Sunday.

Inez Hiron entertained a number of friends from Scio and Jefferson Easter Sunday.

Ernest McCrey spent Sunday at Shelburn.

Mrs. Al Blatchford visited her parents at Portland Saturday and Sunday.

Ernest Brant will begin hauling ties to Shelburn this week.

Mr. Bonds died at his home in

Shelburn last Tuesday, at the age of 78. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn his death.

Safety First—

Riley Waller returned down the road this morning to fix some more telephone lines. The company is introducing the cross-arm system, paying special attention to safety—first, about which so much is being heard.

Miss Margerie Rowe, one of Prof. Palmer's students, went to Portland this morning. Miss Rowe's home is in Junction.

Dortoby Angel left this morning for Salem on a visit.

Planting Time



The Albany Nurseries with offices at the First National Bank Building has just received a carload of choice nursery stock.

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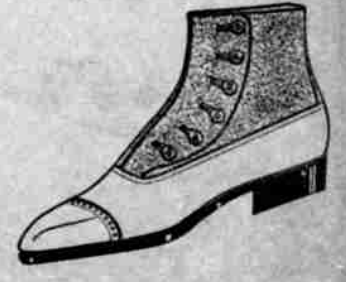
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