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APPLE MARKET HAS AN OPTIMISTIC TONE

(From the Hood River Glacier)

As the apple marketing season advances sales concerns and growers alike become more optimistic. From statements of market men the price inarks of 1910, before slumps in the prices of northwestern boxed apples prevailed, will in all probability be touched before the season is over. The prices of Hood River apples, when the general average is cast up at the end of the selling season, will probably mount higher than those of other districts because of the fact that local fruit has been stored, awaiting the settling of conditions in the principal markets. There has been no necessity to move fruit for lack of facilities to keep it.

From eight to ten carloads of Hood River apples are being shipped out daily now, according to the records of the Apple Growers Association. In addition to this Wilmer Sieg reports that he is making sales to eastern and middle western buyers and is storing the fruit for future delivery.

"From the increasing inquiries from all parts of the United States," says Mr. Sieg, "it is evident that not a box of northwestern apples of good quality will fail to bring a profitable return to the grower this year. Grading laws are being strictly adhered to, and the quality of the pack is a strong factor with buyers. The increase in price made by the North Pacific Fruit Distributors will have a salutary effect on the market."

This advance on all grades by the Distributors will add \$50,000 to \$75,000 to the value of the unsold supply in the concern's territory. A further advance in the near future is indicated.

This advance was made in spite of the fact that the eastern markets are crowded with all varieties of home grown apples.

The demand for winter apples has now run far ahead of the supply, the inquiry, particularly from the east and southeast, being keen.

The eastern trade has come to a realization that the stock of winter apples in the country is inadequate. This was hard for them to figure out, as they saw crops in the middle west the largest in history by several times. For instance, the apple yield of Iowa was six times as large as in 1914. Illinois produced a crop three times as large as last year, and Indiana had more than twice as many apples as last season. This threw the dealers off the track and they delayed their purchases until almost too late. Now orders are piling in and, with the supply dwindling, values are taking the natural course.

WILL POPULARIZE APPLE DAINTIES

Thousands of Women Will Show How to Make Pies and Dumplings.

The success of the apple industry—which is the real purpose for which Spokane each year holds the National Apple show—depends on the extent to which the people use apples in their daily diet. Realizing that the interest of the housewife is the most important factor in determining to what extent the apple shall find favor in the daily menus of the family, the seventh National Apple show undertook to increase the active interest of the women of the Pacific northwest by inaugurating a women's department. The results were immediate and extensive. There is a much wider interest in the apple industry on the part of women and the inquiries already received from housewives indicate that the home-made apple products exhibit and the cookery contests will have all the entries that the eighth National Apple show at Spokane the week of November 15 will be able to take care of.

"The women's department of the coming show will be more extensive and more interesting because of the experience gained in this work at the last show," said E. A. H. Stevenson, who will again be superintendent of this department. "Ample prizes will be offered for each class and in addition the apple show is offering \$20 in gold in a grand national jelly competition. This jelly competition is a result of the numerous entries last year in the various classes. For the first time we are offering cash prizes for apple jellies in a group.



MRS. W. G. HALL, Chairman Board of Judges, Women's Department

"For the first time there will also be an open contest in the manufacture of apple pies. Professional cooks were barred from the contests last year but this year a special contest was arranged, open to all. Here the professional pie makers will fight it out with the housewives, domestic science teachers and anyone else who wishes to enter an apple pie in any of the following classes: Apple pie made from fresh apples; apple pie made from canned apples; and apple pie made from dried apples. First prize will be \$5, second prize \$2.50, third prize \$1.50 and fourth prize \$1. This contest is expected to bring out the finest apple pies ever seen anywhere.

"The home-made by-products department will have entries for the following classes: Unflavored apple marmalade; apple marmalade spiced; unflavored crabapple jelly; unflavored preserved apples; preserved apples, whole; unflavored apple butter; apple butter spiced; pickled apples plain; pickled apples spiced; apple cider; apple vinegar; apple syrup; apple honey; apple chutney; apple jam; apple relish; apple delight; clarified apples; coddled apples; crabapple pickles; preserved crabapples; apple and quince preserves; canned apples; candied apples; dried apples; mince meat; mince mince meat; unflavored apple jelly; flavored apple jelly; apple and quince jelly; apple and mint jelly; spiced apple jelly; jelly by combining apples with some other fruit; jelly of other product made from apple core and skins; apple jelly with novel and unusual flavor.

SUNDAY CONVERTS AT OMAHA, THOUSANDS

Thirteen thousand and twenty two conversions via the "sawdust trail route" marked "Baseball Billy" Sunday's evangelistic campaign at Omaha, Neb., to say nothing about \$19,425 he cleaned up in the closing session last week free will offerings by 47,000 people.

Sunday left for his Winona Lake home to rest before starting a campaign at Syracuse, N. Y.

During the seven weeks Sunday spoke to over 800,000, while another 100,000 attended meetings conducted by members of his party, included in the 13,022 sawdust trailers were 4164 juveniles.

Notice

To holders of Mosier City Warrants: All warrants from Nos. 85 to 110 inclusive will be paid on being presented to City Treasurer. Interest on these warrants shall cease from the date of this publication, Friday, October 29, 1915. Jas E. Cole, City Treasurer.

STEINHARDT & KELLY BUYS ENTIRE CROP

A deal was consummated last Friday whereby the firm of Steinhardt & Kelly of New York, bought from the Mosier Fruit Growers association the entire crop of Spitzenberg and Yellow Newtown apples, which includes the grades of extra fancy, fancy and special. Twenty five cars will probably be shipped, divided about equally between the two varieties. According to the wishes of the buyers who have other deals pending, and do not desire to have the price paid to one district affect that of another. Detailed returns will be withheld for at least a month, stated Manager Chatfield.

"However," he added, "the prices were very satisfactory to the board of directors and certainly very encouraging. The sale was made cash f. o. b. Mosier, and the gross amount will be in the neighborhood of \$20,000. All sizes were taken according to our grading rules, from 200's and larger. This disposes of the entire crop of apples of the Mosier district with the exception of the choice grade and a few miscellaneous varieties."

The shipping of this recently purchased fruit is going on daily, at the rate of one to two cars. At the present time enough apples to make 15 carloads have been delivered at the warehouse. On Wednesday 1365 boxes were loaded in cars. Towards the windup of the hauling the shipments will not be made as fast, so that teams will be busy for the next three weeks, hauling the apples from the apple houses of the growers to the association warehouse.

At the beginning of the season the estimate of tonnage was placed at 50 carloads, whereas it will actually reach somewhat over 30 cars. The extra fancy grade will average only 20 per cent of the entire crop. Due to the extremely dry weather, this class of apples throughout the Northwest on account of the scarcity is eagerly sought. For a number of years the apple buying firm of Steinhardt & Kelly have purchased the Mosier crop. The sale was made this year through the Northwest Fruit Exchange. In paying tribute to the New York buyers, Manager Chatfield said, "It is certainly a great pleasure to do business with these people as they are a most reliable and honorable firm."

DISCUSS BOND ISSUE MEETING CALLED SOON

Mark A. Mayer, accompanied by Amos Benson, son of S. Benson, who has been made Oregon's first citizen by virtue of his active interest in the building of good roads throughout this state, who has been visiting Mr. Mayer for several days, went to The Dalles the first of the week where a conference was held with J. L. Kelly, president of the Wasco County Good Roads association, in regard to the bond issue.

There is a movement on foot now in this county to increase the amount of the bond issue from \$262,500 to \$850,000 the maximum amount allowed by law, being two per cent of the taxable property in the county. It is urged that the excess above the amount necessary to construct the highway from Mosier to Fairbanks will give that much additional for lateral roads throughout the county. The good roads officials have stated that a large amount of the surplus in excess of that needed for the highway will be expended on the Dufur and Tygh Valley grades. This is certainly liberal treatment. But this does not seem to satisfy these districts.

President Kelly will call a meeting in The Dalles, attended by one delegate from each voting precinct in Wasco county. The amount to be voted and the details will then be tentatively decided. The meeting will be called as soon as is possible after the highway engineers give their estimate of the cost of construction which will be in a few days.

It is the sincere belief of the Bulletin that if the people of Wasco county do not take advantage of this opportunity, they will never have such a chance again to have the state expend \$90,000 for work in their county, nor is Mr. Benson likely to offer to advance the money always to start work at once.

SCHOOL BUDGET

The following is an estimate of the expenditures which will be necessary for the school year 1915-1916 for School District Number 52, Wasco County, Oregon:

Teachers' salaries	\$3,195.
Apparatus, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, curtains	50.
Library books	25.
Flags	25.
Repairs of schoolhouse and out-buildings	100.
Janitor	280.
Janitor's supplies	25.
Fuel	200.
Clerk's salary	25.
Postage and stationery	15.
Interest on bonds and warrants	288.
Insurance	60.
Total	\$4,288.

Respectfully submitted, H. W. Danielson, Clerk of School District No. 52.

Nichol & Company

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J. O. BELDIN, Agent Phone 321

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