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NATIONAL APPLE SHOW OPENED

TWENTY CARLOADS ON EXHIBITION

Affair a Big Success and Thousands View Apples from Many Climes.

The Judges.

With the pressing of an electric button in the executive mansion at the nation's capital Monday at 10:30 a. m. by President Roosevelt, the labor of a large corps of workers and months of toil and care on the part of growers culminated in the opening of the first national apple show in Spokane, says a dispatch from the Spokesman Review.

Never before in the history of industry has such a display of apples been assembled, and all other fruit fairly dwindle into insignificance before this exhibition of variety and perfection. This is the consensus of opinion of those who have viewed the show in its entirety, as it will appear when opened to the public this morning.

Apples of all sizes and kinds will be seen here in the highest state of perfection and with all the advantages which expert packing can produce. There is one carload of fruit covering 1500 square feet of space, in which 8000 dark red apples of uniform size and shade spread out in one expansive slope before the eyes of the visitor. On another of the sloping racks may be seen the bizarre effects of brilliant yellows and bright reds alternating in live-box lots, while in still other places the rich Arkansas Blacks burst with a deep purple fire against a background of lighter shades.

The effect of these varieties, almost infinite in number and variations of shade, is a sight which fascinates the oldest grower as well as the novice.

The task of putting these 20 carloads of apples into place has been stupendous and every night of the last week has seen the brilliant lights of the exhibition building flooding a vast space of busy workers who could not complete their work in daylight.

To the visitors who for the first time viewed the displays Monday there appear many things that are novel. Perhaps never before has man's genius conceived so many ways of utilizing a single material in such a diversity of designs. There is the Stars and Stripes done in three colors of apples, a white salmon of true form and almost natural color, figures and devices, jars, baskets, barrels and boxes of apples, and just heaps of apples piled up in plentiful confusion.

Among some other interesting things is a display which arrived late Sunday from Luther Burbank, the famous fruit producer of Santa Rosa, Cal. This consists of 12 fruits, representing six varieties of the thornless cactus, fruits of the passion plant, rhubarb of extraordinary size, the fleshy leaves and the fibers of the cactus, and last, a plate of Northern Spy seedlings.

The display is in a show-case by itself on the main floor of the armory, where the plate exhibits are situated. A typewritten note from Burbank makes the following statement regarding this new edible cactus:

"The best fruiting varieties of these will produce on good soil in a mild climate the third year, from cuttings, 198,000 pounds per acre of delicious fruit and as much or more of forage suitable for feeding all kinds of domestic animals including poultry, hogs and stock."

"None of those so far perfected will stand more frost than the fig tree. Hardy ones are on the way and will be offered in a few years."

The armory has been provided with a high platform, where the band will play, and with a stage upon which the vaudeville performances will be executed. Around three sides are the plate exhibits of apples and a number of booths and a large number of the farmers' artists, who will here with a set of oil paintings and who will give a number of forenoon lectures during the week.

The judges selected to judge the fruit are as follows: Maxwell Smith, dominion fruit inspector, Vancouver, B. C.; P. J. O'Garra, of Washington, D. C., assistant pathologist in the bureau of plant industry of the department of agriculture; Professor John Craig, head of the department of agriculture of New York, which is in connection with Cornell university; H. M. Dunlap, president of the National Apple Growers' association, of Savoy, Ill.; R. W. Fisher, professor of horticulture at the Agricultural College of Montana, Bozeman, Mont.; Professor A. S. Beach, horticulturist for the Iowa Agricultural college at Ames, Iowa; Professor Claude L. Lewis, professor of general horticulture and pomology of the Oregon Agricultural college, Corvallis, Ore.; Professor J. K. Shinn, horticulturist of the Idaho State university at Moscow, Idaho, and Professor W. S. Ithornier, horticulturist of Washington State college at Pullman, Wash.

U-K-Tan Lunch and Sale The ladies of St. Mark's church will hold their annual Christmas sale next Saturday, December 12, at the Opera House, starting a special luncheon from 11:30 to 2 p. m. and supper from 5 to 7:30. Spaghetti with U-K-Tan sauce, French, etc. The doll booth will be in charge of Miss Failing. Mrs. Culbertson will be in charge of the refreshments.

All kinds of fancy articles, hand-made handkerchiefs, pretty aprons, bags, etc., can be found in the booth under the management of Mrs. Shepherd. Mrs. N. W. Bone and Mrs. Early will have all kinds of homemade candies for sale in their pretty booth. Beautiful water color sketches for sale of local scenery, also in the sofa.

The following program will be given in the evening. No admission charged.

Mr. Murray Kay—vocal solo. Mr. Braddock—piano selection. Mrs. E. O. Hall—solo.

Miss Bryant and Mrs. Jayne—vocal duet.

New Pastor for Hood River Rev. Dr. H. Clinton Collins, wife and daughter, Leah, have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sebecen for some time and greeting the former parishioners of Dr.

BIG INTEREST IN CITY ELECTION

TAXPAYERS' TICKET IS VICTOR.

Elect Entire Ticket Except One Candidate for Council—Vote the Largest Cast in Several Years.

The city election which was held Tuesday resulted in a large vote being cast and in a victory for the taxpayers' ticket with the exception of one member of the council. The new city officers elected are D. McDonald, mayor, and L. H. Buggins, Geo. L. Slocum and Dr. E. C. Brosius, councilmen, E. O. Blancher, for city treasurer and J. R. Nickelsen for recorder.

The interest in the election was the keenest shown in several years, the total vote cast being 339.

The vote of the candidates is as follows:

For Mayor: McDonald 190

For Councilmen: Huggins 200

Slocum 175

Brosius 161

Chapman 149

Clark 153

For Treasurer: Blancher 258

For Recorder: Nickelsen 243

There were no candidates for the Citizens ticket for the office of Recorder and City Treasurer.

The new council when organized will consist of Chas. Hall, Jos. Wright, S. W. Arnold, L. H. Buggins, Geo. L. Slocum, and E. C. Brosius. The retiring members are A. D. Moe, J. L. Herscher and A. C. Buck.

Want to Cruise County's Timber Seneca Potts as attorney for the Oregon Timber and Cruising Co., accompanied by several members of the company appeared before the county court here Monday with a proposition to take the contract to cruise and locate the timber in the new country. The company has secured contracts of this kind in several counties in the state and is said to have done the work very thoroughly and satisfactorily as well as economically.

Attended Elks' Memorial A party of Elks from Hood River went to The Dalles last Sunday to be present at the annual memorial service of the order which was held there in the Vogt theatre. Included in it were Edgar Boutton, J. Schlenker, Wm. Vogt, Ralph Lee, J. M. Hunt and Mrs. Hunt, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Derby.

The exercises were exceedingly impressive and from the opening number to the closing ceremonies, they were listened and followed closely by everyone in the large audience. The musical numbers rendered by Birgfield's orchestra and vocal solos by Miss Myrtle Mitchell, Mrs. Carlton Williams and Miss Elsie A. Garrett of Portland added greatly to the impressiveness of the service, all the singers being in very pleasing voice.

The memorial address was delivered by K. R. Butler of Condon and is said to have been very eloquent. The eulogy was given by County Judge A. J. Derby of this city and is said by those who were present to have been an eloquent and finished address.

MOSIER MAN MEETS ACCIDENTAL DEATH Roy M. Bailey who lived about a mile west of the city of Mosier was accidentally killed Monday night by the accidental discharge of a gun which he was cleaning. According to the story of Mrs. Bailey her husband had about decided to go to bed when he changed his mind and said that he would clean his gun. In taking the gun apart it is thought that the barrel, in which was a cartridge struck the floor exploding it. The ball entered the unfortunate man's neck under the chin and penetrated the spine. After endeavoring to elicit some sign of consciousness from her husband, Mrs. Bailey ran for assistance to the nearest neighbors, who summoned a doctor. On his arrival, however, he stated that Bailey's death must have been almost instantaneous. The dead man was 27 years old, and in addition to his wife and two children is survived by his mother. Mr. Bailey has been a resident of Mosier for about three years.

The funeral was held Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock.

Meeting of the "Y" The Y. W. C. T. U. which met at the home of Mrs. O. B. Hartley last Monday night, proved to be very interesting. A literary program was given by members of the "Y," and gleanings from the great National convention, which met in Denver, were read by Mrs. Hartley. The future meetings of the "Y" promise to be of the greatest interest, as they are taking up the department work which will be very helpful to those in attendance.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Geo. P. Crowell, on Monday night, December 14, at 7:30 o'clock. After a literary program there will be a debate on the subject, "Resolved that the temperance sentiment is permanent." All interested in these meetings are cordially invited to attend.

Lunch and Christmas Sale The ladies of St. Mark's church will give a lunch and hold a sale of Christmas things at the Opera House Saturday, December 12th. The lunch will be served from 12 to 2 and will be both appetizing and substantial. Many useful and ornamental little gifts suitable for presents will be on sale and Christmas shoppers are invited to attend.

Don't forget the lunch and Christmas sale to be held by the ladies of St. Mark's church Saturday, December 12th.

ASK FOR \$35,000 FOR NEARBY BOAT LANDING Having completed the details, the matter of asking for a government appropriation of \$35,000 to deepen the Columbia river channel to the south shore of the city limits, so that Hood River will have a boat landing nearby at the lowest stage of water, a memorial which was prepared by the Commercial Club and the city council will be forwarded to each Congressman and senator asking them to support the measure. Letters will also be written to the Oregon delegation in the House and Senate asking for their individual support. The memorial is as follows:

Whereas, all the railroad and steamboat traffic and commerce of the rich and prosperous Hood River Valley in the County of Wasco and State of Oregon, which Valley, where intensified farming has reached its highest stage of perfection, with a population of near eight thousand inhabitants, is the home of the world famous Hood River Apples and Strawberries, is done at and through the city of Hood River, situated on the south bank of the Columbia river; and

Whereas, the shoaling of the Columbia river in front of said city of Hood River, by freest deposit of silt and sand, has to a great extent, eliminating six varieties of the thornless cactus, fruits of the passion plant, rhubarb of extraordinary size, the fleshy leaves and the fibers of the cactus, and last, a plate of Northern Spy seedlings.

Whereas, said Hood River valley has been increased and improved during the current year, lumber, fruit and other products to the value of over \$1,500,000, as follows, to-wit:—Wood, \$800,000; lumber, \$1,000,000; strawberries, \$150,000; apples, \$180,000; other products \$20,000; and

Whereas, the land planted to fruits, especially apples, not yet bearing is more than twenty times that yielding fruits; and

Whereas, the land now being prepared for the growing of fruits indicates that the exports in the year 1915 will have reached the enormous value of \$15,000,000; and

Whereas, the scientific measurement of the volume and power of the water running in the stream of Hood River Valley, known as Hood River, shows that within a distance of ten miles above said city, said stream is capable of developing 100,000 horse-power, only a small part of which is now utilized; and

Whereas, the present and immediate prospect of development of said city and valley demands the improvement of said river channel in front of and in said city of Hood River, so that the vast and valuable commerce of said valley may have the fullest advantage of the benefits to be derived from the free and open navigation of the great Columbia river, which has been improved a short distance below said city by the construction of the Cascade Locks by the United States Government at a cost of several millions of dollars; and

Be it resolved by the Commercial Club of the city of Hood River, and Commercial Organizations and Transportation Companies and interested parties concurring, and all signing this memorial and duplicated thereof: That the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the state of Oregon be and they are hereby petitioned and memorialized to secure from the Congress of the United States an appropriation of money, properly to improve and deepen the channel of the Columbia river along and in front of the city of Hood River; and that for the purpose of expediting the inauguration of said improvement they are hereby authorized, petitioned and memorialized to procure authorization for the United States Engineers to make a survey of said locality and report a plan, if found feasible, for the improvement of the channel of the Columbia river in front of said city of Hood River for the purpose aforesaid; and be it

Resolved, further, that a copy of this memorial together with the signatures be sent to each Senator and Representative in Congress.

Adopted by the Hood River Commercial club, this 26 day of December, A. D. 1907.

Hood River Commercial Club. By H. F. Davidson, President. Attest: A. D. Moe, Secretary.

Adopted by the Common Council of the city of Hood River, this 26th day of January, D. 1908.

L. N. Blowers, Mayor of the city of Hood River. Attest: J. R. Nickelsen, Recorder.