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WHEN AND WHAT APPLES TO EAT

My experience for the past six months in Montana and Dakota, says E. T. Benson, a well known apple man in the Spokesman Review, has caused me to realize more than ever what a loss it is to the growers from a marketing standpoint to have the consuming public not to know the kind of apples they want to eat during the different seasons.

I stepped up to a fruit stand in Helena the early part of October and asked the proprietor where he got his apples.

"From the state of Washington, sir; the finest apples on earth."

He had the right dope from a marketing standpoint, and when I asked him the variety of his best looking apples, I found that he was posted all right as to the name—he had it off the box—and answered promptly:

"Wolf River."

I asked him if they were good to eat, and he assured me they were, so I got even with him by buying an apple and making him eat a part of it. He took just one bite and so did I.

Now, everyone who knows anything at all about apples, knows that a Wolf River is not fit to eat at any time of

the year. It has not even the keeping qualities, which is the only redeeming characteristic of the Ben Davis, in addition to its great productiveness. What on earth a Wolf River is planted for, why it endures anybody's orchard, why any nurseryman will propagate it, are conundrums to me.

At that particular season the Snow, King, Fall Pippin, Jonathan and several other good fall apples were at their best, and yet between Spokane and St. Paul I think I saw Jonathan only three times during the entire season, but was confronted in the hotels and fruit stands with Ben Davis and other low grade apples at every point.

During the summer season I was hungry for Bartlett pears. I got Bartlett in Montana perhaps half a dozen times the entire season. The worthless Reifer occupied the fruit stands and was in evidence at the hotels and restaurants under the name of Bartlett for weeks and weeks.

About a week ago I was on a dining car of the C. M. & St. P. railway and noticed "fresh fruit" as an item on the card, and ordered it. I got an apple and an orange. I asked the dining car conductor how he happened to get that particular variety at that time of the year—November 30.

It was an Alexander, a very good apple in August or early September, but a very poor apple for winter. He said with much enthusiasm, that he had built up quite a reputation for his car for baked apples of this variety, and that he wired in for "Alexander" every time. There was a man catering to the public, ordering his own supplies and anxious to please his customers. Because the Alexander was appreciated in August and September, he thought it was "the apple" to buy, and kept on getting it just as long as there was an old box in any cold storage house he could reach.

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Gave Fine Entertainment

The entertainment given at the Opera House Friday evening for the benefit of the Hood River Humane Society was not as largely attended as the good work which the society is endeavoring to do, merits the program arranged for the occasion was a good one. The numbers were all well rendered and delighted those who heard them. The entertainment was opened by an address by E. H. Hartwig, president of the society, who outlined its work and told of the needs of the organization and what it was accomplishing. Following this Miss Alberta Stetson gave a piano solo, "La Rameaux," by Legtuch, with fine expression and technique. A competitive elocutionary contest was the next number on the program and was participated in by Miss Eva Yates, Miss Eva Wilkerson, Miss Gretchen Calkins, Miss Vera Williams, Raymond Early and Donald Allen. The recitations were all of superior merit, the judges who were J. Van Seice, Randy, C. F. Waldo, and A. C. Stuten being considerable difficulty in awarding the prize. The decision was finally given to Raymond Early whose subject was Balzac's "A Passion in the Desert," and was handled by the young man with rare ability. The vocal number on the program was given by Miss Florence Hanna, accompanied by Miss Gladys Hartley. In fine voice, Miss Hanna sang Dorothy Foster's exquisite little ballad "Rose in the Bud," with a charm that was all too sweet and too short to suit the audience which insisted on getting more but failed in the attempt. With Mrs. H. L. Dumble as accompanist, Mr. William Chandler gave a number, the violin that he had no room for doubt as to the talent of this young violinist. His execution was little short of perfect and the tones of the instrument under his almost masterly handling were full, round, and expressive of the theme of his selection.

Miss Stetson then gave Paderewsky's Minuet, for the piano, faultlessly and the program was concluded by a reading from Victor Hugo's "Les Miserables," given by Miss Louise Goddard who selected the scene portraying the visit of Jean Valjean to the bishop after his liberation from the galleys. Mrs. Goddard's portrayal of this incident in this great book was dramatic, eloquent, and finished.

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Canby Post Elects Officers.

The regular meeting of Canby Post Department of Oregon, G. A. R., was

held Saturday and the following officers elected for the ensuing year: Commander, F. Dietz; senior vice commander, Geo. P. Crowell; junior vice commander, F. C. Waldo; quartermaster, John A. Wilson; officer of the day, L. H. Nichols; chaplain, T. J. Canby; officer of the guard, Frank Noble; representative to state encampment, Geo. P. Crowell, S. Copple; alternates, L. H. Nichols, C. F. Waldo.

It is stated by Col. S. F. Hlythe, department commander for the state of Oregon, that in the 22 years the local post has been in existence it has had 21 past commanders all of whom are living but one, Judge Henry who died in California last year. Considering the age of most of the veterans who have occupied the position their longevity is thought to be remarkable.

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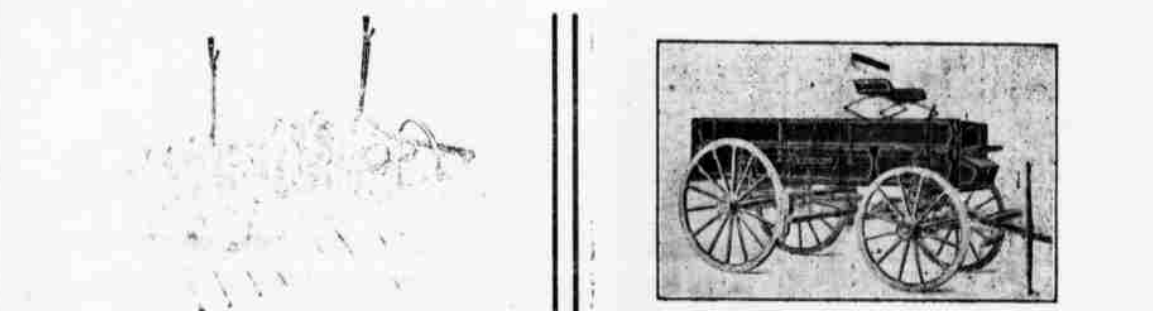
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Loans and Discounts.....	\$347,820.38
Bonds, O. R. & N. 3s.....	25,000.00
Office Fixtures and Furniture.....	4,076.50
Cash on Hand and in Other Banks.....	97,127.57
Total.....	\$474,024.45

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Earned Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	27,722.45
Deposits.....	396,302.00
Total.....	474,024.45

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