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to the extent of holding stock in them or being responsible for their obligations, yet it is true that there is a real value in

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and we are glad to belong to that group of banks operating under both State and Federal supervision.



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This tot is a fix! There is only one way of escape. Daddy sees this and calls:-

"Drop your load and turn back to me. I'll save you!"

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You can't "get by" with your load of sin and you can't escape with your load of sin, so DROP IT and turn and flee to JESUS!

He's just back of you, saying—Except you repent (turn) you shall perish! Luke 13:3.

The "except" of God is the only basis of reception with God!

Who are you to dare to differ with God!

Come to the Christian and Missionary Alliance

GOSPEL TABERNACLE

11 a. m. Sermon. When God says, "Except,"
8 p. m. Subject. The Millennium, or the arrival of the King of Kings.

Ask the man who has heard the previous lectures of this series. He'll tell you to come—to be sure to see this one. Singing you'll enjoy! Everybody welcome!

Big - BARGAIN - Big

Next Saturday - One Day Only

GIFT PACKAGES OF PERFUME, TOILET WATER, COLD CREAM AND BATH SALTS, ALSO INCENSE BURNERS

These packages are put up in very rich and attractive gift boxes and range in price from \$1.50 to \$3.50 each. On Saturday we are going to offer these packages for sale in groups of three for each \$1.00

In other words you can get \$6.50 worth of merchandise for \$3.00. The prices quoted above are regular list prices on one of the best known standard lines of toilet goods. If you don't care to buy, come and see a real bargain.

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The following relatives were here last week to attend the funeral services for Miss Electa Cannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cannon: Mrs. Jennie Whittaker, of Sand Point, Ida; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cannon, of Coeur d'Alene, Ida.; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cannon, of Millwaukie, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wagoner, of Puyallup, Wash.

G. W. Talley, who has been in Portland the past two years, has returned to the valley and is again with C. A. Reed on the latter's East Side orchard place. Mr. Talley, who will be remembered for his efforts to grow cotton plants here several years ago, says he plans on locating in Hood River, purchasing a home.

NATION'S APPLE CROP IS LARGE

LARGE TONNAGE IN EVERY SECTION

Pacific Northwest Crop is Extraordinary Heavy—Shippers in Annual Convention This Week

Reports carried this week in the annual apple edition of The Packer, leading fruit trade paper of the country, indicate that the yield of apples in every section of the United States and Canada will be large this year. The tendency in the domestic market seems to be toward a steady feeding of consumption, the apple market may move off in such a way that growers will reap a profit from their tonnage.

The brightest spot on the horizon for the Hood River district is the fact that the European and United Kingdom apple crops this year are very light, and the demand, it seems, will be good for Hood River export fruit. Hood River is the best established of all districts in the export trade.

Speaking of the barrel states, the Packer said:

Indications at this writing are that there will be a somewhat larger crop of commercial apples in the area between the Atlantic ocean and the Rocky mountains, the territory generally termed the barrel apple district of the United States. It is true that all of the commercial growing districts in this territory do not show an increase, for some of the important sections will have fewer apples than last year, but when the entire crop is averaged up, reports to The Packer compiled for this special edition of the paper indicate more fruit than last year. The percentage of increase is hard to determine. It looks at this time as if it will be between 15 and 20 per cent, but it is now only the beginning of August, and a lot can happen between now and apple barreling time. Dry weather would likely cut down the present forecast, but if weather conditions continue favorable over the entire territory, when the hundreds of reports are taken into consideration, it appears as if the crop will turn out everything the growers expect at this writing.

Generally speaking, the middle Atlantic states in the eastern section of the country are showing the largest increase in the barrel apple territory. This particularly applies to Virginia, West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Maryland, which states were damaged last year by adverse weather conditions. These three states promise a big increase over last year. The largest gain showing up in Virginia, the most important state in the east insofar as apple production is concerned, with the single exception of New York, which has always been the largest apple producing state. As a matter of fact, the government forecast is that Virginia will show three-fourths of the total not increase in the barrel apple states. Virtually all of the reports coming in from the north and west also indicate an increase and it looks as if the state will generally have a good crop, compared with a short production last year. West Virginia also will have a larger crop and there will be an increase in the barrel apple crop. Going into the northern Atlantic states, New York, which is the largest or second largest apple-growing state in the Union (depending upon the crop in Washington), will have a good crop this year. The forecast for New York is 51 report a larger crop than last year, 53 a reduced output and 29 a crop of the same proportion as 1925. It seems as if western New York is not quite up to last year but there is a big crop in sight. Pennsylvania expects a considerable increase over last year, virtually every report coming from that state speaking of a larger crop. Maine will show a lighter yield and the balance of the New England states will not show a large variation either way from what was produced last year.

Another big apple crop is in prospect in western New York. It follows close on the heels of the 1925 crop, the largest crop since the war and considerably exceeding the big 1922 crop. This comes as something of a surprise. As nearly as apple production can be standardized, there is ordinarily a gap of a year or two at least between big crops. Apparently then, the normal rule of thumb has been upset by the prospect of a 1926 crop of somewhere between 4,500,000 and 5,000,000 barrels. The crop is late. It started to take shape about June 1, instead of May 15 as usual. The season has been backward all along and the crop has lost still more time. A good deal may happen between now and picking time to put a different aspect on prospects. The crop may fall below the low figure and there is the chance that it may rise above the highest limits. Some go so far as to predict a bigger crop than in 1925, but that appears hardly warranted.

Now the rule of thumb referred to has not been as much at first as appears. The general situation stacks up after this fashion. The 1925 crop ran heavily to late fruit. In making up the total commercial movement, the proportion of early fruit was about negligible. Probably less than 10 per cent of the movement covered it. Some place it as low as five per cent. In any event it was small.

The 1926 crop now on the trees presents a marked contrast. There is a very heavy early crop. The late crop is relatively light as compared with last season. It is of course impossible accurately to estimate the proportion of the coming crop that will be early. It is probably conservative, though, to guess it at two or three times the commercial early crop of 1925.

Coming back to the crop in general, both early and late, it is possible enough that the total yield will be larger than last season. However, this is not the equivalent of forecasting that the commercial crop, so-called, or that part which goes into packages, including bushels and barrels, will be larger. The 1925 apple crop was practically all produced in the lake shore belt skirting the south side of Lake Ontario. This is the intensive apple section in the western New York district and where the bulk of the commercial crop is regularly grown. However, to the

south and extending to the state line are numerous orchards in which the crop is given relatively little care. In reality it is taken more or less incidental. A substantial part of the yield from such orchards are sold to evaporators, canning factories and the like. However, in estimating the total crop, products from all orchards are included. As to be inferred, the crop on these inland orchards and in the "Southern tier" as the section fronting on the state line is sometimes designated, was light in 1925.

The crop is rather spotty. More in particular, orchards which bore heavily last season, are for most part light. This applies particularly to the older orchards where with less vitality, the trees were unable to grow fruit buds for the succeeding season at the same time they matured a crop of fruit. The exception to this is the younger orchards, as intimated, which had a fair crop last season, and now are fairly well loaded. In a small way this general condition applies to single trees in an orchard as well as to orchards in a section.

There is a vast difference between the condition of the Canadian apple crop at present and the condition at the time last year and it looks as though the condition may have a good harvest. A report issued by the Canadian Department of Agriculture says the present conditions point to a yield 105 per cent of 1925. The total estimated yield is placed at 3,525,500 barrels. In British Columbia conditions are most promising and growers are expecting the largest yield on record there. The government estimates the British Columbia output for 1926 at 3,525,500 barrels.

Increased yields as compared with last year are promised in Quebec and the maritime provinces, with the exception of Ontario where the yield is expected to be lighter than last year's. Ontario's crop is estimated at 774,000 barrels. Quebec should have 77,000 barrels according to reports of government agents who have been checking up on the situation. The crop in New Brunswick is estimated at 40,000 barrels and that of Nova Scotia at 978,750. The British Columbia crop, if it continues in good form, is expected to break the record chalked up by the bumper crop produced in 1923. If it rides on to a good finish, avoiding the untimely frosts which came to orchards in the summer months it should amount under the wire 195,000 boxes ahead of the 1923 crop. It is now rated at 120 per cent of last year, and has been (Continued on last page)

SWIM EXHIBITION AT KOBERG SUNDAY

It is anticipated that a record crowd will be present at Koberg beach Sunday to see the Red Devils of the Portland Natatorium in a demonstration of fancy diving and swimming. This organization is declared the best in the northwest. Their exhibition Sunday, it is expected, will attract large crowds from the lakes and other mid-Columbia points. The full program of the swimming and diving features is as follows:

The 2 1/2 somersault from 18-foot board, the 1 1/2 back somersault from 18-foot board, the 1 1/2 back somersault from 4-foot board, the jackknife full twist, the 1 1/2 back somersault with half twist, the flying Dutchman. Swimming—50-yard race, using American crawl, 100-yard race, using American crawl; demonstration of the back crawl. Two super stunts, "The Disappearance of Old Dobin" and "The Battle of the Monitor and Merrimac" will be given.

The visitors will give demonstrations of all the common dives. Fletcher's Cowboy band, from Pendleton, will be present and furnish music.

CITY AUTHORITIES VISIT COLD SPRING

All members of the city council, accompanied by Mayor Bennett, City Recorder Howe and City Manager Clark, visited the Cold Spring on Sunday to inspect the Lake branch of Hood river last week to inspect Cold Springs, on which the city has filed as a prospective source of water supply. The springs there are declared by those who have visited them to be the best and most reliable water supply in the Hood river watershed. It will require a long pipeline to bring the water here, and it is likely that the municipal authorities will authorize a survey in the near future, in order that definite data may be secured for future plans of an enlarged municipal water system.

At present Hood River secures an adequate supply of water from Tucker springs and other small sources six miles south of the city. During the mid-summer months, however, water is not sufficient for the full irrigation of lawns and gardens.

TOWN FOOTBALL BEING PROPOSED

It plans now under way here come to materialization this city will have a professional football team this fall. Allen Hart, who managed the city's pennant-winning baseball team the past summer, says that a number of college players are ready to sign up. John J. Garrigus, who was formerly coach at the Hood River high school and who was a football player at Pacific university, will play and coach the team. Mr. Hart says that Coach Garber of the high school welcomes the proposal as practice games with the town team will be of benefit to his men.

Boothe Flips Old Coin

B. F. Boothe, Avalon Way orchardist, Monday exhibited in the city an English copper coin, which he picked out of an irrigation ditch, bearing the date, 1790. Above the date appears the head of George III. On the reverse side is a coat of arms and around the edge of the coin appears the letters: "N. C. R. & Co.—D. G. I. Rex—D. B. I. R. M." Local bankers and numismatists did not recognize the coin, but think it a special issue of some chartered company.

BRIDGE ROAD BEING BUILT

UNDERWOOD CONTRACTORS BEGIN

Notice Estate Donates Right of Way for New Road to Interstate Bridge Detour Necessary

Crews of Hazard & Underwood, Stevenson, Wash., contractors, have started work on the first unit of a new road which will connect the Columbia River highway with the Interstate bridge across the Columbia river. The men are now working in tough cement gravel, which requires numerous small blasts. Series of explosions are fired at intervals along the right-of-way. The new road, the location of which was in controversy throughout the winter and early spring, will pass under the O. W. R. & N. track just east of the old boat landing road. The right of way for the new route was donated to the county by Mrs. F. H. Butler.

During construction of the new highway traffic to and from the bridge is being detoured over an old road that leaves the Columbia River highway at its intersection with the Mount Hood Loop highway. The old road necessitates a grade crossing over the O. W. R. & N. tracks, but a watchman is kept there to direct traffic. The detour will be necessary for about six weeks.

CITIZENS MAY APPEAL IN ROAD CASE

Residents of the Pine Grove district have stated that they plan on appealing to the State Highway commission to prevent the expenditure of unmet road funds on the proposed Whiskey creek lateral of the Mount Hood Loop highway. The Pine Grove citizens declare that they are opposed to such expenditure because the road will be on a grade slightly in excess of seven per cent.

"Unless the county can give us a five per cent grade now," said A. J. Shamba, spokesman for those protesting action of the court in placing the lateral road on a greater gradient, "we would prefer that the road plans be held until sufficient funds are available."

The county recently advertised for bids on the seven per cent road, the cost of which will be about \$100,000. A single bid was received, but no award was made, the matter being held in abeyance. Tentative estimates on the proposed five per cent grade place the cost at \$20,000.

MAGINIS IN CHARGE OF PAVING WORK

The B. C. Segdell Co. Thursday began grading preparatory to laying concrete paving from Fourth to Thirteenth street on Columbia street. The work will be rushed in order that the paving may be ready for apple hauling. The receiving warehouse of the Apple Growers Association is located at the foot of Fifth street on Columbia, and a heavy traffic passes over the thoroughfare during fruit harvest.

J. P. Maginis, here in charge of the construction work, stated that the construction company, which will also lay concrete paving on State street, will have 35 men engaged on the work.

FRANK MORSE BUYS OUT LEON FOUST

Frank Morse last week purchased from Leon Foust the latter's interest in the Heights Tire shop, thus becoming sole owner of the popular business. Mr. Foust is visiting relatives and friends in Astoria and expects later to go to Salem to locate.

Following the sale last week, a number of Mr. Morse's friends gathered and gave him a surprise peanut party. Mr. Morse furnished a finishing course with an oyster stew.

MR. AND MRS. POOLEY BUILDING NEW HOME

Walter Carl, Portland contractor, has started work constructing a 20-room, two-story house for Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Pooley. The new home, which will be one of the best in the valley, will overlook the Hood River gorge. Magnificent views of both Hood and Mount Adams will be obtainable from the residence.

The new residence will be of Colonial type.

Legionnaires Praise Marshfield

"Marshfield folk have had experience in greeting convention crowds," said Don McLeod, commander of the local Legion post, "and they certainly won the hearts of all legionnaires by their hospitality."

"Every event at Marshfield went off on scheduled time. There was no hitch in anything. The big crowd was cared for admirably. There were 3,000 to 4,000 visitors present."

"The only light developed in the convention was over the resolution proposing abandonment of the 1927 national convention in Paris. While the entire delegations expressed favor of the sentiment of the resolution, they were divided on its wording and its adoption at the present time."

"While our drum and bugle corps did not play in the convention, we would have been heard from if the applause of the crowd had anything to do with it. Hood River isn't trying to raise an alibi. We lacked numbers. Our quota was so small as to get us out of the awards. It is hoped that by another year the drum and bugle corps may be divided into classes, whereby the corps of large numbers will not be in competition with the smaller ones."

Dr. J. W. Sifton and Geo. E. Wilber were elected as Oregon delegates to the national convention.

Leon W. Bentley and family have been on a vacation at Rockaway beach.