

Reindeer and Mother Goose To Parade

Santa Claus in an airplane, drawn by taxidermists' reindeer specially imported from Oregon's metropolis, will invade Hood River's streets next Saturday at 2:30. Santa will appear in a float, designed with the cooperation of Ed Lage, who will provide a tractor to which wings and propeller will be affixed, which device will tow the float.

Following the Christmas saint will be Mother Goose figures, brought from Portland. The large heads of these figures will be worn by members of Hood River's younger adult organizations, who are planning to cooperate in these Christmas festivities.

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Candy will be given to boys and girls, who are present in Hood River streets, by Santa Claus.

The program is being sponsored by the Hood River Chamber of Commerce, with business houses and local organizations cooperating.

Yakima Country Decreasing Pear Acreage

Fruit growers in the Hood River Valley were this week expressing interest in a bulletin received recently by the Hood River branch Experimental Station pertaining to a fruit tree census in the Yakima Valley.

Findings of the study indicated a marked decrease in this Washington fruit growing district in the number of bearing trees since 1920; an increase in proportion of trees in upper valleys, and concentration on Winesap and Delicious apples. Plantings of Delicious trees in the period 1931-35 have been more than enough to maintain tree numbers in the Yakima district, while in other varieties less than one half the number of new trees have been set out compared to those pulled.

The report stated that apples in Yakima constitute 40 per cent of the number of fruit trees. In the years 1935-36 a total of 128,155 trees have been pulled up, leaving a total of 1,551,402 trees of all ages.

Pears in the Yakima region are on the increase, as they are in Hood River Valley. Only 28,779 pear trees have been pulled in the two-year period, leaving a total of 1,348,599 pear trees of all ages. Of all Yakima fruit trees, 35 per cent are in pears. Bartlett's comprise 75 per cent of the pears there.

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Recipes...

Christmas Salads

On a leaf place a large size pear-half with the rounded part up, the flat side on the leaf. Cover the pear with a generous coating of Philadelphia cream cheese moistened with cream. Cut grapes into halves and place on cheese in a design to resemble a bunch of grapes. Make a stem at the top of the pear of the

leaf stem.

Another novel Christmas salad is to take pineapple slices, cover with Philadelphia cream cheese made green by adding cake coloring. Spread green cheese over pineapple

slices and take nine red-drops, putting into groups of threes as holly berries. If you care to make a red icing it is effective at the bottom of the slice of pineapple in the shape of a bow.

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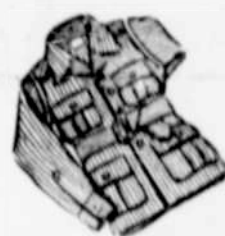
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