**Activities:**
- Applying surround and Diatect
- Picking peaches
- Selling peaches at the:
  - Fayetteville Square Farmers’ Market on Saturdays
  - Fayetteville Farmers’ Market at the Botanical Garden on Sundays

**Observations or Predicted Pest Management Practices:**
- Japanese beetle emerged in mid June and have been causing some foliar damage to apple trees for the first time in orchard history (imported pest).
  - Stephen applied Surround kaolin clay as a white-wash (Fig. 1 B) to the organic apple block to minimize Japanese beetle feeding damage to foliage and fruit and plum curculio feeding damage to fruit.
- John applied Diatect (0.5% pyrethrin + silicon dioxide or diatomaceous earth) to apple trees for suppressing plum curculio feeding (Fig. 1 C).
- Since these recent soil drenching rains in early July, green June beetles have been emerging from the soil, mating and beginning to mass attack ripening fruit.

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Fig. 1. Stephen (A) selling the first Red haven peaches of the season at the Farmers’ Market at the Botanical Garden and (B) Surround kaolin clay white-washed on apple trees and (C) close up of clay coating.