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GREEDY MEN IN RESTAURANTS. They are Made in Utah for Their Pies by a Pretty Waitress. "I hate a greedy man," said a pretty waitress in a restaurant on Park row.

It was while Judge Folger was secretary, said an old treasury official. "One morning an old man came in to me who was from a New England state.

Down in southwest Missouri four or five years ago a town had all arrangements made to whom 'er up on the glorious Fourth. The citizens had contributed in a liberal spirit the day was fine, and the crowd large and enthusiastic.

How an Orator Descended. In a search of skunks! interrupted Jim. The orator made a long jump, lighted down on Jim Bucks, and inside of two minutes he was in the air.

Our Commerce With Mexico. A statement just prepared by the Mexican Foreign Office showing the value of the commerce of the country with the United States for the last year has been sent to the State Department by Minister Ryan.

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MARKET REPORTS. Poultry Market (Cleaned up) Rise Looked For. TRADE IN FRUITS STILL ACTIVE. EGGS 37 to 40.

DAIRY PRODUCE. Butter, Oregon- Fancy creamery 30 Choice dairy 27 1/2 Common 24 1/2 Pickled (Gal) 18 1/2 Eastern creamery fancy 20 1/2 Cheese, Oregon full cream 14 Oregon Skins and old 15 to 16 Swiss Cheese, domestic 20 1/2 Eggs, Oregon 35 to 40 Eastern do 32 to 35 FEED. Bran per ton 115 to 120 Hay "baled" 11 to 12 1/2

FLOUR. Portland Pat. Roller, p. 100 3 7/8 Dayton do do 3 1/2 Cascadia do do 3 1/2 Country Brand 3 1/2 McMillen 3 1/2 White Lily 4 1/2 Graham 3 1/2 Rye Flour 6 1/2 FRESH FRUITS. Apples 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 Bananas, p. bunch 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 Currants 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Grapes, Cal. p. box 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Lemons, Cal. p. box 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 Oranges, Cal. p. box 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 Peaches per box 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Pears per box 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Peaches per box 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Prunes per box 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Watermelons 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 GRAIN. Barley, whole, p. ehl 80 to 90 do old 75 to 85 Oats, good, old, p. bu 35 to 40 do, new, per bu. 35 to 40 Rye, p. 100 lb nominal 1 25 to 1 30 Wheat, Valley, p. 100 lb 1 25 to 1 30 do Eastern Ore. 1 25 to 1 30 TURKEYS. Large young 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 do broilers 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Ducks, young 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 Turkeys, young, 1/2 lb 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 Geese and Pheasants 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 SEEDS. Timothy 60 to 70 Orchard Grass 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 Red Top 7 1/2 to 8 1/2 Blue Grass 7 1/2 to 8 1/2 English Ryegrass 7 1/2 to 8 1/2 Italian do 9 1/2 to 10 1/2 Australian do 7 1/2 to 8 1/2 Mesquite 7 1/2 to 8 1/2 Hungarian do 7 1/2 to 8 1/2 Mixed Lawn Grass 12 to 15 Clover Seeds. Red Clover 10 1/2 to 11 1/2 White Clover 10 1/2 to 11 1/2 Alsike Clover 10 1/2 to 11 1/2 Lucerne 9 1/2 to 10 1/2 Miscellaneous. Canary 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Flax 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 Hemp 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 Rape imported 10 Rape California 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 LUMBER-ROUGH AND DRESSED. Rough. Per M 210 to 220 Edged 12 1/2 to 13 1/2 T. & G. Sheathing 15 1/2 to 16 1/2 No. 2 flooring 18 1/2 to 19 1/2 No. 1 flooring 20 1/2 to 21 1/2 No. 1 ceiling 22 1/2 to 23 1/2 No. 1 rustic 22 1/2 to 23 1/2 Stepping 25 1/2 to 26 1/2 Over 12 inches wide (extra) 2 1/2 Lengths 10 to 12 1 1/2 1 1/2 Lath 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 Hinges, cast-iron, per 1000 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 "rod-cast, per 1000 45 00 to 50 00 WOOL. Eastern Oregon. According to shrinkage 10 to 14 Valley. Spring clip 16 to 18 Umpqua 16 to 18 "Lambe and fall" 10 to 14 VEGETABLES (Fresh). Asparagus 1/2 lb 1 1/2 Beans 1/2 lb 1 1/2 Beets 1/2 lb 1 1/2 Cabbage 1/2 lb 1 1/2 Carrots per sack 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 Celery per doz 50 Cucumbers 1/2 doz 1 1/2 Green Peas 1/2 doz 1 1/2 Lettuce 1/2 doz 1 1/2 Onions 1/2 100 lbs 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 Potatoes per 100 lbs 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 do sweets, per lb 2 1/2 Radishes per doz 1 1/2 Spinach 1 1/2 Turnips per sk 1 1/2 Tomatoes per bx 1 1/2 DRIED FRUITS. Apples sun dried 4 to 5 do factory sliced (Cal) 9 to 10 do exp. 50 lb box 9 to 10 do unbleached 9 to 10 Apricots 12 to 14 Blackberries 20 lb box 11 1/2 to 12 1/2 Cherries pitted 40 to 50 Dried peaches (imported) 80 to 90 do evaporated 18 to 20 Peas mach dried 18 to 20 Plums pitted 30 to 40 Raisins 60 to 70 Oregon Currants, etc. Currants, in box and bbl 7 1/2 to 8 1/2 Dates in boxes 10 to 11 Fard Dates, 15 lb box 11 Prunes. Oregon French Petite 6 to 6 1/2 do German 5 1/2 to 6 do Italian 5 1/2 to 6 do Silver 6 to 6 1/2 Cal French, 25 to 30 box 5 to 6

STATUESQUE ENGLISH SERVANTS. Perambulations of Dignity Under the Most Trying Circumstances. I am inclined to think the English seems to be the best in the world.

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The builders' talk a rather interesting story of a Buffalo capitalist who was pretty summarily taken down for trying to set himself up as the end of all things in whatever he undertook.

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"It is not so easy," Flynn said, pointing to the letterhead of the Boston Courier with a look of scorn. "I have had enough of it."

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