

EASTER EGGS FOR 25C?

PRODUCERS THINK SUCH IS A
LIKELY GUESS.

Eggs Down to 25c Generally — Few
Other Changes Seen.

Except for the regular and uniform charge of 25 cents all over town for eggs retail, the present week opens but little different to last week. The weak condition of the egg market drove one or two stores down to 25 cents about the middle of last week and before Saturday night all stores were disposing of the commodity at that price. While the merchants know not if the great flood of eggs will continue until Easter, the general belief among the egg producers is that La Grande will enjoy 25 cent eggs during Easter. Other commodities of trade continue to run at an even tenor, the depreciation in the general run of shipped-in vegetables being noticeable as the time nears for early spring vegetables to substitute for the poorer grades.

The local market quotations are:

Flour, Feed and Grain.

Wild Hay—(retail)—\$12.00.

Timothy—\$15.00@16.00.

Alfalfa hay—\$12.00 (retail).

Shorts—\$1.45 per cwt.

Oats—\$1.50 per cwt.

Barley—\$1.25 per cwt.

Roller Oats—\$1.50 per cwt.

Roller barley—\$1.45 cwt.

Blue Stem flour—\$1.40 sac.

Patent—\$1.30 sack.

White Quarts—\$1.40 sack.

Snowdrift—\$1.40 sack.

Fruit, Etc.

Home grown apples—75c@1.00 a box.

Oranges—25c@30c.

Bananas—40c per doz.

Pineapple—20c and 25c, size.

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Grape fruit—10c@15c.
Vegetables and Miscellaneous.
Onions—\$2.00 cwt, small 10's 2 1/2c lb.

Potatoes—50c per cwt.
Beans—White, 1-3c; Lima, 10 cents.
Radishes—2 bunches 15c.
Cabbage—8c.

Celery—15c bunch straight. (Fruit and crown 10c.)

Honey—25c. 3 lbs. for 50c.
Sweet potatoes—5c per lb.
Green peppers—20c lb.
Squash—2 1/2c lb.
Turnips—2 1/2c lb.

Eggs and Butter.
Fresh ranch eggs—25c@30c.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 45 cents. 1 lb. roll; 2 lb. roll, 85c.

Ranch butter—1 lb. roll 35c; 2 lb. roll 65c@70c.

Cattle
Heavy fed steers—\$6.85@7.00.
Choice—\$6.55 cwt.

Common—\$6.60@6.75 cwt.
Fancy cows—\$6.60@6.75 cwt.
Fancy light cows—\$6.75 cwt.

Heavy calves—\$4.00@5.50 cwt.
Fancy light calves—\$8.00 cwt.

Hogs.
Heavy hogs—\$6.65@6.75 cwt.
Best heavy hogs—\$7.00@7.20.

Medium light hogs—\$6.55 cwt.
Best light hogs—\$6.65 cwt.

Sheep.
Best lambs—\$6.25 cwt.
Ordinary lambs—\$6.00@6.15 cwt.

Poor lambs—\$4.00 cwt.
Best yearlings—\$5.25 cwt.
Yearlings—\$4.80 cwt.

Ewes—\$4.00@4.25.
Poultry and Miscellaneous.
Ducks—Dressed 18c.

Geese—Dressed 18c.

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PALMER JCT. NEWS MENTION

NEW TIME KEEPER AT CAMP NO.
FOUR ARRIVES.

Personals and Various News Items
From Lumber Camps.

Palmer Junction, March 3.—(Special)—Mrs. Benjamin Rafter and children and Miss Eileen Pearce of La Grande visited here from Thursday to Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. McPherson and sister, Miss Agnes Carpenter, went to Elgin this week.

Mrs. J. C. Shockley and Mrs. Wm. Cash of Elgin spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. F. McPherson, returning to Elgin Tuesday evening.

Claude Stapleton of Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, arrived here last Thursday. He will be the timekeeper at Camp No. 1 in place of Vera West, who is leaving tonight.

Ed Byers, Stephen Mosier, Jack Hays and J. Cassidy are leaving tonight.

Mrs. F. Boyd is going to Elgin this evening.

Miss Orissa Fischer came down from Elgin this morning to visit with friends at Camp No. 1.

A BURGLAR EPISODE

By ESTHER VANDEVEER

I was educated for a trained nurse. One of the doctors who recommended me was Alexis Fisher. I stood first on his list of nurses, and I have known him to pay me what I would be earning in order to have me disengaged when he expected to need me for a special case.

One day Dr. Fisher sent me to nurse a nervous old lady who was very ill. She was very rich, and, although the doctor was as diligent with a poor patient as a rich one, he made his income out of the latter, never charging those whom he knew were very poor. He told me that my patient, Miss Bartow, must not meet with any shock, for there was a heart complication in her case, and even the violent slamming of a door might cause her death.

Imagine my horror at having burglars in the house with my patient. About midnight I was going from her room to my own when a dazzling light was flashed in my eyes. I was impelled to run somewhere, but the memory that it was my duty to prevent any one causing Miss Bartow's death prevented me.

I stood still while this was passing through my mind and when I had nerved myself walked toward where I had seen the light, near the head of the staircase. I leaned over the banister and waited. In another moment the light was flashed again. Then I said:

"There is a sick lady up here at the point of death. Stay downstairs, and I will go down and turn over what valuables I can find."

"All right," said a man's voice.

"Come down."

He flashed his light on me, and I went down the stairs, feeling that he might shoot me as I walked or stab me when I reached him. He went down into the hall (backward) and when I reached it ordered me to go into the dining room, and there he lighted the gas. I saw a short, thick-set man, masked, who said to me:

"Now, what have you got?"

Miss Bartow had been used to taking the silver upstairs, and I had not been able to quiet her before settling for the night until I had brought it up to her and put it in a closet in her room, where she was used to keeping it. Had it been in any other room I would have turned it over to the burglar at once. As it was, I was obliged to plan.

To gain time I opened the sideboard as though I expected to find it there, then told the burglar that it was upstairs in the sick chamber.

He didn't believe me and, placing the cold muzzle of a revolver on my ear, said that if I didn't produce some valuables he would kill me. I was so terrified that I told him I would get some jewelry at once, but since Miss Bartow had both silver and jewelry in her room I could do nothing. Finally desperation steamed me, and I reiterated what I had said, telling him that to remove anything from that room would inform the sick woman that there was a burglar in the house and that would give her a shock from which she would die.

"Go and get it," he said, but at once reconsidered. "Where's your telephone?" he asked.

"In there," I said and pointed to an instrument in the hall. He went to it and looked at it. Then ordered me to bring him the valuables, saying that if I was not back in four minutes he would get there himself and kill every one in the room.

A great hope sprang up in my breast. Miss Bartow, who was very timid, had always had a telephone instrument beside her bed. I had begged her to permit me to move it into the closet, and when the doctor commanded she consented. I told the burglar that I would bring him the valuables if he would

only go away on getting them and went upstairs. He followed me with a flashlight till I had gone into the room, but could not very well follow me further without going in with me.

I went straight to the closet, shut the door and called "Police!" several times, giving the location.

As I came out Miss Bartow, who had been asleep, awakened and asked for water. I went out and found the burglar waiting at the door. He had heard the call for water, but seeing me empty handed, seemed to be in doubt whether to order me back, go in the room himself or let me get the water. Perhaps he preferred not to make a disturbance; perhaps he believed my story about the invalid's condition. He ordered me to "hurry up," and, going into the bathroom, I drew a glass of water and took it into the sickroom.

I dreaded for my patient the coming of the police and the disturbance and what would follow. I must take an awful risk. Going out into the hall, I beckoned the man to follow me a short distance from the sickroom and said:

"There's a telephone in the closet in there, and I have called the police."

He went down the stairs three or four steps at a time and out of the house. When the police arrived I told them of the invalid and that the bird had flown.

Miss Bartow got up again, but not for long. She died shortly after the burglar episode and left me \$50,000. Dr. Fisher was so well pleased with my handling of the case that he asked me to become his permanent partner. I accepted his offer and was glad to leave my work as nurse.

B. B. NUTTER



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