

The People's Store

Dress Ideas

This is pattern week at our store and to assist the ladies of La Grande and vicinity in the use of patterns we are giving a **Pattern Free** to each lady caller and offering without charge the services of our dressmaker to assist in explaining the use of these patterns, the selection of materials, trimmings, etc.

Below are a few suggestions on

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CHINESE EGG NOT POPULAR

UNINVITING TO LOOK AT AND EASILY DETECTED.

Ruse to Transfer to Oregon Crates Does Not Fool Dealers.

Chinese eggs are not proving popular in coast states. Over 90,000,000 bacteria were reported to have been found by Washington state food inspectors in a single egg from China. The entire shipment was refused permission to sell in the markets of that state.

The same class of eggs are being brought to Portland; in fact by the very same interests. The Chinese eggs are easily discovered, for they resemble the American product but little. They are of intensely brown color and with some showing of reddish hue.

Not only is the Chinese egg uninviting to look upon, but it is of very small size and perhaps two of them would contain as much food as one local fresh egg. Owing to the long distance that the Chinese eggs must be brought from rural districts with their lack of up to date transportation facilities, it is quite natural that the supplies should come to this country in poor condition.

Not are the eggs only said to be small, of uninviting appearance and showing a lack of freshness; but food officials of several sections have declared them to be unwholesome.

The matter has been taken up by the Portland bureau and a careful examination of the supplies is being made.

It has been reported that some of the stock has been transferred from the export cases in which they arrived into Oregon cases. No matter in what packages the eggs come they can easily be distinguished by the dark brown color with its tinge of red.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 40 cents, 1-lb roll; 75 cents, 2-lb roll.
 Ranch butter—1 lb. roll 35c; 2 lb. roll 65c.

FRESH RANCH EGGS—35c.

VEGETABLES AND MISCELLANEOUS.
 Onions—5c lb. (small lots.)
 Potatoes—1c.
 Lettuce (hothouse)—30c lb.; head, 10c.

Cauliflower—20@25c.
 Rhubarb—20c.
 Spinach—3lbs, 25c.
 Brussel Sprouts—20c lb.
 Squashes and Pumpkins—out of the market.

Celery—10c and 2@25c.
 Beans—White, 8 1-3c; Lima, 10c.
 Cabbage—5c.
 Sweet Potatoes—5 lbs for 25c.
 Chili peppers—40c.
 Honey—20c. 3 lbs for 50c.
 Sugar—Cane or fruit, \$5.25 a sack, cash. \$5.85 for 30 days; Beet sugar \$5.05 cash, \$5.45 for 30 days.

FRUIT.
 Apples—\$1.00@1.75.
 Dates—15c and 20c package.
 Figs—5c and 10c package.
 Lemons—35@40c.
 Bananas—40c per doz.
 Cranberries—20c per qt., 3 for 50c.
 Oranges—25@50c per doz.
 Grapefruit—15c

FLOUR, HAY, FEED, ETC.
 Blue Stem flour—\$1.40.
 Patent—\$1.30.
 Snowdrift—\$1.45 sack.
 Sea Foam—\$1.20.
 Barley—\$1.07 1/4.
 Timothy—(to producer) \$12.00.
 Alfalfa hay—(to producer) \$8.50@ \$9.00 f. o. b. cars, baled.
 Oats—(to producer) 95c@1.00.
 Bran—\$1.15 per cwt.
 Rolled oats—\$1.45 per cwt.
 Rolled barley—\$1.35
 Wild hay—(to producer) \$8 baled.

CATTLE.
 Best steers, (grain fed.)—\$8.25@ \$7.00.
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 Cows, top—\$5.00@5.85.
 Cows, medium—\$5.65@5.95.
 Calves—\$7@8.
 Bulls, fancy—\$3.50@4.75.

HOGS.
 Best—\$6.60@6.85.
 Common to good—\$6.00@6.50.
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 Sheep—Top wethers, \$3.25@4.85.
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