

STRAWBERRIES ON A DECLINE

FIRST MATERIAL BREAK COMES
IN PORTLAND.

Slow Trade Results from Big Supplies of Homegrown Stuff.

Portland, May 19.—(Special).—There was a sharp break in the price of strawberries on the local market for the day. Supplies of home grown and Willamette valley stock were much increased over last week, and a slow trade resulted at the start when attempts were made to secure former prices.

Most of the best local berries sold around \$2 a crate on Front street this morning for pints.

La Grande quotations today are:
FRUIT.

Cherries, (California), 35c lb.
Strawberries, 20c, 3 for 50c.
Apples—75c@\$.175.
Oranges—25@35-50c doz.
Bananas—40c per doz.
Figs—5c and 10c package.
Lemons—35@40c.

Grapefruit—15c. 20c. 2@35c.
VEGETABLES AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Radishes—5c, 3@10c.
Tomatoes—25c per lb.
Fresh peas—2 lb.@25c.
Cabbage—6c (new).
Sugar—Cane or fruit, \$5.20 a sack, cash. \$5.45 for 30 days; Beet sugar \$5.05 cash, \$5.45 for 30 days.
Carrots—3 lbs for 10c.
Spinach—6lbs@25c.
Beans—White, 8 1-3c; Lima, 10c.
Beets—Beets 3 lbs. for 10c.
Green Onions—6c per bunch, 3@10c.
Onions—6c lb., (small lots.)
Potatoes—1c.
New Potatoes 10c, 3@25c.
Asparagus—Walla Walla, 15c 2 for 25c.
Lettuce—head, 10c.
Chili peppers—40c.
Rhubarb—4 lbs@25c. (Home grown.)
Honey—20c.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 30 cents, 1-lb roll; 60 cents, 2-lb roll.
Ranch butter—1-lb. roll, 25c; 2-lb. roll 50c.
Fresh ranch eggs, 25c.

FLOUR, HAY, FEED, ETC.

Blue Stem flour—\$1.40.
Patent—\$1.30.
Snowdrift—\$1.45 sack.
Upper Crust \$1.45.
Sea Foam—\$1.20.
Barley—\$1.07 1/2.
Timothy—(to producer) \$12.00.
Alfalfa hay—(to producer) \$3.50@ \$9.00 f. o. b. cars, baled.
Oats—(to producer) 95c@\$.100.
Bran—\$1.15 per cwt.
Rolled oats—\$1.45 per cwt.
Rolled barley—\$1.35.
Wild hay—(to producer) \$8 baled.

CHICKENS AND FOWL.

Turkeys—25c@28c, retail.
Spring fliers—22@25c, retail dressed.

HIENS—18c@20c, retail, dressed.

CATTLE.

Prime light\$6.50@6.75
Prime heavy\$6.35@6.65
Good\$6.00@6.25
Medium\$5.75@6.00
Cows, prime\$5.50@5.75
Calves\$7.00@8.00

HOGS.

Prime light\$7.25@7.35
Medium\$7.20@7.25
Rough light\$6.80@7.00
Rough heavy\$6.30@6.35

SHEEP.

Best Spring lambs\$5.75@6.25
Wool yearling wethers\$4.75@5.25
Meat Cuts—Retail.

Neck boils 12 1-2 to 15c; brisket loins 12 1-2c; soup bones, 6c to 8c; plates 12 1-2c; sho. pot roast 18c; arm cuts 18c; 1st cuts sho. steak 15c; good cuts sho. steak 18c; prime ribs 16 to 20c; wholesale 16, retail 20c; flank boil 12 1-2c; kidneys 8c; kidney stew, 12c; sirloin steak 25c; tenderloin steaks 25c; T-Bone steaks 25c; rump roasts 18c; round steak 20c; hind quarter steers 16c; hind quarter cows 15c; front quarter steers 14c front quarter cows 13c; hog, half dressed 13c; pork loin chops 20c; pork loin whole 16c; comb pork 14c; shoulder pork, whole 13c; link and bulk sausage 15c; hamburger 8c; steer loins 18c; cow loin 17c; mutton legs 18c; mutton rib chop 20c; mutton loin chop 20c; mutton steak 8; mutton stew 12 1-2c; whole mutton 14c; half mutton 14c; veal

round steak 25c; veal loin cuts 25c; veal rib chops 20c; veal sho. steak 20c; veal stew 15c; half veal 16c; smoked ham, whole 23c; brk. bacon light 25c; brk. bacon sliced 30c; salt pork 18c; sliced ham 25 to 30c; boiled hams 35c; boiled ham sliced 45c; smoked shoulder 18c; lard 16c; liver 6 to 8c; tongue 15c; hearts 8c; salmon 20c; halibut 15c; smelt 10c.

MY HEART IS BUT A LOWLY INN.

My heart is but a lowly inn
Like that of old in Bethlehem,
Where busy cares come wayfar
ing,
And vagrant fears their clamor
bring,
And traders barter silk or gem.

Yet, Lord, if through the flush-
ing night
I, too, may see thy moving
star,
And feel, as then, the air stir
With breath of frankincense and
myrrh
By pilgrim wisdom brought
from far.

And if the radiance grow and
glow
Through every mean and hum-
ble place
Till, touched by that unscathing
flame,
In penitence and tender shame
I know the Christ child's beau-
teous face.

Then shall the drowsy servitors
Straightway arise and shout
and sing.
And all my heart's poor hostelry,
Transformed by love and praise,
shall be
A palace for the newborn king!
—Mary A. P. Stansbury in Chris-
tian Advocate.

Now that the aviators have decided
to chart all the earth's air currents, the
moon and Mars alone are left the ex-
plorers.

So far there has been nothing in the
international situation to cause Sir
Thomas Lipton to suspend work on the
new Shamrock.

The czarina of Bulgaria is going to
pay us a visit. This will interest our
society ladies—the czarina may know
some new dances.

Sometimes poverty is a blessing. For
want of a quarter a New York man
was unable to use his "slot" gas meter
to commit suicide.

It is now asserted that England is
being as much misunderstood by the
American press as America used to be
by the English press.

Sitting on the floor is suggested as
a new cure for obesity. But for those
who need the cure it will be wise to
have a derrick handy.

A Chicagoan shot his wife because
she would not vote the way he did.
Now, is that an argument for or
against equal suffrage?

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt is coming to
this country for another farewell tour.
Some of us younger folks may yet live
to say goodbye to Sarah.

A Boston doctor is out in a warning
against the general use of radium by
the masses. And yet it is said doctors
have no sense of humor.

By the use of ultra violet rays a
French scientist transformed bacilli of
one disease into bacilli of another.
Here is one more chance to view with
alarm.

"No person can live properly on less
than a thousand a year" says a writer.
But some persons wouldn't live prop-
erly no matter how much or how little
they got.

A senator in the Dominion parlia-
ment seeks fame by introducing a bill
which makes it an offense either to
give or to receive a tip. Couldn't he
think of something original?

A Chicago man testified in court that
beating his wife was the only amuse-
ment he had. And yet that hard heart-
ed woman was unreasonable enough to
object. Women are strange creatures.

Another perfectly good reason for
"pure shoes" legislation is that it is so
disappointing to an arctic explorer to
bite into a boot which he bought at
cowhide prices and find that it is imi-
tation leather.

Ethnologists assert that the Indians
of ancient Peru had few bodily ail-
ments before the white man came.
History shows that the white man at
ways has a liberal assortment of dis-
eases to give away.

Want Ads

FOR SALE—Excelsior Motorcycle, 7-
10 horse power—Fully equipped.
Inquire at Red Cross Drug Store.
4-24-tf.

FOR SALE—A number of brood
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Alicel. 5-16-3t.

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TO EXCHANGE for improvements,
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FOR RENT—4-room house, close in.
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FOR RENT—New five-room bunga-
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WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished
house, any size from six rooms up.
Call Red 1081. 5-14-tf.

FOR SALE—160 acre timber land. B.
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La Grande. 5-16-tf.

WANTED—Woman for housekeeper
and general housework, family of
three. Phone Farm 78. 5-5-tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeep-
ing rooms, Phone Red. 962. 1-5tf.

FOR RENT—1512 Adams Ave., light
housekeeping rooms with bath, two
blocks from center of city. Phone
Black 3901. 3-13-tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping
rooms close in. Inquire 1707 Jef-
ferson or Phone Black 1642.
4-21-tf.

WANTED—Dressmaking and sewing
by the day. Call Mrs. Nash. Red
1022. 4-17-tf.

BARN FOR RENT—1609 Fifth St.
5-6-12c.

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