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A Pleasure to Show Goods

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Ladies' Ready To Wear

LITTLE TOP IS OFFERED YARDS

Portland Stock Yards, Dec. 12.—(Special)—While there continues a favorable trend in the local market for tip-top quality cattle, there was practically nothing of that class offering at the week's opening at North Portland yesterday. One load of stuff was weighed in at \$7.55, but this was purchased in Idaho prior to shipment and was therefore not a market fac-

tor. General tops are quoted at \$7.25 to \$7.50 in the steer division.

Market for hogs is steady at North Portland with a rather liberal run over Sunday. Sales of top stuff were shown during the morning at \$9.75 with the bulk of the good quality around \$9.60. This is substantially the same as last week.

While there was a good demand for offerings, only a handful of mutton and lambs came forward to the North Portland yards over night. With the sale of a lot of Willamette valley lambs at \$9.60, the market here was easily lifted a dime, but it is believed that superior quality east of the mountain stuff would bring more, if available.

Sugar—Cane or fruit, \$8.50 sack, cash; \$8.90 30 days' time.

Fruit

Cranberries, 20c quart.
Bananas—35c and 40c dozen.
Oranges—35c and 60c.
Lemons—40c.

Vegetables, Miscellaneous

Brussel Sprouts—20c
Celery (California)—15, 2 for 25.
Sweet Potatoes—6c per lb.
Potatoes—2 1-4 and 2 1-2 cents.
Cauliflower—15c, 20c, 25c
New Cabbage—4c
Green Onions—6c per bunch, 3 for 10c.

Honey—20c.
Parsley—5c a bunch.
Dry Onions—5c.
Beans—White, 15.
Beans—Colored, 12 1-2c.
Green Peppers—15c.

Butter and Eggs

Butter—Fancy creamery 50c lb. roll and 95c 2-lb roll.
Ranch Butter—40c lb, 80c 2-lb roll.
Eggs—50c.

Chickens and Fowl

Hens—22c retail, dressed.
Ducks—Dressed, 16c.
Turkeys—28c and 30c.
Geese—Dressed, 16c
Hens—Dressed, 16c.
Spring Chicken—18c.
Bluestem Flour—\$2.15.
Royal Patent—\$2.10.
Jersey Cream—\$2.10.
Best of the Best (patent)—\$2.10.
Invincible—\$2.15.

Cattle.

(La Grande Prices.)

Prime light steers.....\$6.00@6.25
Prime heavy steers..... 6.30@6.50
Good light steers..... 5.25@5.50
Common cows..... 2.00@3.00
Bulls..... 3.00@3.25
Prime light veal calves... 6.00@8.00

Sheep.

Select spring lambs..... 8.50@8.60
Best yearlings..... 7.00@7.50

Hogs.

Prime light weights..... 8.50@8.55
Rough and heavy..... 7.00@7.60
Medium weights..... 7.75@8.60
Good light weights..... 8.00@8.15

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OLD PAPERS—For sale at The Observer office, 25 cents a bundle.

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FOR SALE—Mistletoe, 5 lbs. parcel post, prepaid, \$1.50. Claire D. Burgoyne, Riddle, Ore. 12-11-1f

FOR SALE—One 4 and one 5 room house; will sell on terms or trade outside property or livestock. Address XX, care Observer.—Adv. D.—12-7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13pd. W. 12-22 pd.

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FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Chain wood. Phone Black 1642.—Adv. 11-28-1f.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING.

Chimney cleaning, stove and furnace repairing. M. Sweet, 1102 Cedar street, phone Red 882.—Adv. 11-10-1f.

FOR SALE—Printing.

FOR RENT SIGNS.—For sale at The Observer office.

FARM SALE BILLS—Get prices on farm sale bills at The Observer office.

STRAYED.

LOST—A Heifer Calf, one and one-half years old, light Jersey, branded Lazy S on left shoulder. Phone Farmers 20X. 12-5-1f

LOST—Pair of nose glasses, in case, Saturday night. Finder please return to this office. 12-11-3t

STRAYED—One black mare, 7 years old, branded Quarter-Circle on left stifle, white stripe in face, four white feet. Reward. Phone Red 3901. 12-11-1f

STRAYED—Red Durham bull, branded C on left hip, under bit in right ear. Reward for recovery. J. A. Holman, La Grande, F. D. 2. 11-12-13-15-pd

WANTED—2 girls to wait on table. American Restaurant, Depot St. 12-11-1f

WANTED—A top buggy. Call Farmer 64 after 6:30 p. m. 12-11-3t

Dying, Urges Purchase of Red Cross Seals

Only a few hours before his death from tuberculosis a man in Arizona wrote a letter to a California editor from which the following significant extracts are quoted:

"Anything that will encourage and help the Anti-Tuberculosis society in its fight is of great importance to any community, and the fact that nearly all of the money collected from the sale of little Red Cross seals is spent in the community where the stamps are sold should make it doubly interesting to every one.

"It is not in Belgium or the Far East alone that relief is badly needed, but right here at home in our beloved America. Here in the state of Arizona thousands of dollars are needed every year to carry on this relief work. In the little town of P., not over 1000 miles away from our doorstep, you can see some pitiful cases, cases where the father of two

or three little children lies day after day in poorly furnished quarters, perhaps amid unsanitary surroundings waiting for his health and strength to return, while the wife and mother works and strives to make things more comfortable for the afflicted one. In many of the cases the income has been entirely cut off for some time and the family merely exist on what little the wife can earn by washing and sewing and on what the charitable societies are able to give them.

"And there is not the slightest doubt that such conditions are duplicated right at home and everywhere. Ask those who have in charge the spending of this money if there is likely to be enough to relieve one-half of the suffering from tuberculosis among the poor. The answer will be, not one-half or even one-quarter enough to provide the actual necessities.

"So when your readers are wrapping their Christmas packages let

them place a few of these little red stamps on each package and think of the help they are giving these poor ones. Let them think what Christmas must be like for the little ones in these homes and then think what Christmas may be like next year if the parent through proper care and thought has been restored to health again."

Why The Observer is popular—it prints the world's news today, while it is news.

DON'T KISS HER TOO MUCH BOYS
SAYS CAT GIRL



Miss Louise Gebhardt Cann.
(Special Correspondence.)

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 12.—Here, you fellows that don't kiss your wife a dozen times a day—you've a defender at last!

You're perfectly right not to be too kissiferous, says Miss Louise Gebhardt Cann, author, artist and futurist.

"A dull woman possibly may have to be caressed and babied continuously," says Miss Cann, "but the woman who does things in the world, the woman of spirit, and mettle, will grow irritable under too much affection!"

Miss Cann is the model for "The Blue Cat," a painting by Tapaka, a Japanese artist of Seattle, which created a fury of controversy because it was said to imply a deprecation of womanhood.

Tanaka maintains that all charming women are "like cats," and Miss Cann upholds this fancy in all seriousness.

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