

# AUCTIONS WIN BETTER PRICES

Companies Try to Squeeze Extra Nickel

## BUYERS GET BENEFIT

California and Florida orange growers are competitors in the markets of the Eastern cities of the United States. California ships oranges throughout the year. Florida oranges are on the market from October to July. Florida oranges, during their season, are fully as popular with the trade as are the oranges from the Poppy State, because they are more juicy. Florida oranges are objected to by some because they contain seeds.

In the large Eastern cities both the oranges from the Pacific and Atlantic coasts are sold through the public sales system of the auction companies. In New York the rivalry between the representatives of the two exchanges is paralleled, when rival auction companies handle fruit from the different sections. A rotation of offerings is the rule.

The Florida growers were wiped off the map in 1895 by the freeze of that year, which not only killed the fruit, but the trees as well. It took them eight years to grow new trees. For several years they have been back in the market giving the California growers the keenest of competition.

Alabama is endeavoring to break into the orange producing business. That state, as well as Texas, raises the inferior Japanese orange, but has not yet become a factor in the markets of Eastern cities.

Not only is there rivalry found between sections of the country, but also between the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, which ships 60 per cent, or approximately 30,000 cars of oranges and lemons per year, and the independent companies of California. Rival auction companies fight it out each morning to force a nickel or so more out of the trade than the other has succeeded in doing.

**McELHENY ADVISES AUCTION**

"The tremendous crop of apples produced in North America last year, found an expression through the English auction system in a third greater consumption of American apples than at satisfactory prices, than in all of Europe during the previous 12 months," stated V. K. McElheny, Jr., President of the American Fruit and Produce Auction Association, in New York recently.

"The box apple business of the Northwest is suffering because of lack of channels through which the consumer can be reached. In the great population centers, the box apple shipper needs the flexibility of the auction system. There should be more dealers handling box apples."

"Since bananas have been sold regularly and systematically at auction, the number of wholesale dealers in this fruit has increased several fold."

## 1245 CUT-RATE STORES BUY AUCTION FRUITS

Investigation has just revealed that there are 1245 cut-rate grocery stores in Philadelphia. Of the companies operating cut-rate grocery stores, the Aeme Tea Company is the pioneer. It has the largest number, owning 412 in all.

The cut-rate store movement which began in Philadelphia a number of years ago and which is now spreading over the United States has as its aim the reduction of the cost of consumption by the buying of supplies direct from the manufacturers and fruit auctions.

The cut-rate grocery stores have a "buyer" at each of the daily fruit auctions and in this way procure their fruit direct from the grower. By cutting out the middleman's profit, the cut-rate stores are able to undersell those who buy through jobbers.

The cut-rate stores make a specialty of lemons, oranges and other fruits that are sold at the fruit auctions, but do not deal extensively in apples because apples mainly are now marketed by jobbers from their stores and not through the public auction sales.

### Citation.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the matter of the Estate of Joseph Walter, Deceased.

To Emilie Walter, widow of Joseph Walter, deceased; Emilie Walter, Richard Walter, Lillian Walter, Eva Walter, Paloma Walter, Joseph Walter, Virginia Walter and Julius Walter, children of said deceased, and to all other unknown heirs and devisees of said deceased:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You and each of you are hereby notified that G. C. McAllister, administrator of the estate of Joseph Walter, deceased, has filed a petition in the County Court of Jackson County Oregon, praying that he be licensed to sell Lots Nine and Ten of Mathew's Addition to the City of Ashland, said county, belonging to said estate, and you are further hereby required to appear at the County Court Room in said county, on the 26th day of November, 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Done in Jacksonville, Oregon, this 14th day of October, 1915.

F. L. TOUVELLE, Judge.

**And They Called Him "Bonehead."**

"My namesake, Heine Wagner of the Boston Red Sox, told me a story of how he endured a good roasting for being a 'bonehead' on a really bright play," said John (Honus) Wagner. "Heine was on second base, and they had a hit and run play on. He started for third, but instantly saw a soft liner going square into the shortstop's hands. Unable to get back, Heine stood still and let the ball hit him.

"The crowd hooted and jeered, and one Boston paper roasted Wagner and hailed him as 'the worst bit of ivory in the business.' They didn't realize that Heine's quick thinking had averted a double play. In getting hit he prevented the catch from being made and a double play resulting from a toss to second. As it was, the batter was protected and credited with a base hit. The batter, thanks to Heine's quick bit of thinking, scored the winning run, but for days Heine walked around facing charges of being a 'bonehead.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

**Dried Apples.**

Peel, core and slice the apples. Place them on platters, wooden trays or any other convenient receptacle and place them in the sunshine. Take them in at night and during rains. It is impossible to secure good dried fruit unless they are protected from moisture. Protect them from flies and other insects with netting and place them out of the dust as far as possible. Continue the drying until the fruit has lost more than half its weight. If necessary it may be placed in the oven for two or three hours at the end. Tie the dried fruit in paper sacks, using a double thickness if thin skin sacks are used, and suspend them from the ceiling of the driest room available. When ready to use the dried fruit wash it well, soak it for six hours or longer and throw away the liquid drained off. Then cook the fruit for several hours at a temperature slightly below the boiling point.—Mothers' Magazine.

**Cancer Conditions.**

Explaining why such substances as soot, arsenic, tobacco, petroleum and some aniline dyes produce cancer, Dr. H. C. Ross of the Lister Institute, London, writes to Nature "that the terms 'industrial cancer,' 'smoker's cancer,' 'sweeper's cancer,' 'arsenic cancer,' etc.—namely, the diseases caused by the commodities mentioned—refer in reality only to a predisposition to the disease. The commodities themselves do not actually cause cancer. They merely render the tissues prone to it, which seems to occur in a specific manner. The commodities always in the first instance produce cell proliferation, usually in the nature of a warty growth, and it is not until an open ulcer has appeared, generally at the base of the wart, that malignancy supervenes."

**A Pastry Complexion.**

After a busy day of golfing and an evening of automobiling Jane's skin was irritated from the combined effects of sun and wind, so she liberally "cold creamed" her face and hands and settled herself for a good night's rest.

In a few minutes her face began to feel stiff and drawn. "At last," she thought, "the expected has happened. I have paralysis."

Her nervousness increased when her fingers became unmanageable and her skin began to crack and snap.

She hastily turned on the light and found her face alarmingly waxey and shiny. "What could be the cause?"

Finally she rushed for the tube of cold cream. It was labeled "Library Paste."—Youth's Companion.

**They Liked the Story.**

Conn Doyle related this anecdote to show how a good story can delight simple minded folk:

In a remote village the blacksmith had got hold of an old copy of a successful novel. In the long evenings he used to read it aloud to the villagers, who fairly revelled in it and listened it out patiently to the end. At length, when the happy turn of fortune arrived which brings the hero and heroine together and sets them living long and happily according to the most approved rules, the villagers were so delighted at the happy ending that they rushed off to procure the church keys and rang a merry peal, as they were wont to do when a member of their



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### Special School Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the legal voters of School District No. 1, of Jackson County, State of Oregon, that a SPECIAL SCHOOL MEETING of said District will be held at School House, on the 25th day of October, 1915, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The purposes for which the money to be raised by this levy shall be expended, are shown by the following itemized budget which is hereby made a part of this notice:

Teachers' salaries	\$4500
Apparatus, such as maps, chalk, erasers, stoves, or curtains	60
Library books	50
Repairs of school houses out-buildings or fences	250
Janitor	570
Janitor's supplies	60
Fuel	300
Light	25
Clerk's salary	75
Postage and stationery	10
Manual training and domestic art equipment	300
High school equipment	150
Interest on warrants	960
One bond and interest on same	525
Water assessments	90
Insurance	210
Clerk's bond	15

Dated this 8th day of October, 1915.

GEO. LAUNSPACH, Chairman Board of Directors.

### Notice of Final Settlement.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the matter of the estate of Mary W. Shapleigh, Deceased.

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of Jackson County, State of Oregon, the final account of his administration of the estate of Mary W. Shapleigh, deceased, and that said court has fixed Saturday, November 13th 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M. of said day, at the court room of said court at the county court house in Jacksonville, Jackson County, State of Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of objections to said final account and for settlement of said estate.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified and required to make or file their objections to said final account, if any they have, on or before the time aforesaid, fixed for the hearing and settlement thereof.

Date of this notice and of the first publication thereof is October 29th, 1915.

F. W. SHAPLEIGH, Administrator of the Estate of Mary W. Shapleigh, Deceased.

### Jacksonville City Budget For 1916.

(Estimate of Expenditures)

Marshal's salary	\$600.00
Recorder's fees	200.00
Treasurer's fees	250.00
Supplies for Treasurer and Recorder	20.00
Supplies for Water System	100.00
Water Supt. & Sexton salary	400.00
Road and Bridge repairs	200.00
Light Bills	700.00
Miscellaneous	130.00
Total for current expenses	\$2600.00
To apply on warrant debt	1000.00
Total required for General Fund	\$3600.00
Water Bond Interest Fund, \$30,000 Issue	1800.00
Water Bond Interest Fund, \$15,000 Issue	825.00
Water Bond Sinking Fund	1900.00
Total amt revenue required	\$7,225.00
Proposed Levy	mill's
General Fund	8
Water Bond Interest \$30,000 Issue	7 1/2
Water Bond Interest, \$15,000 Issue	3 1/2
Water Bond Sinking Fund	4
Total levy required	23

The amount raised by the 1915 levy of 15 mills together with the cash income of the City, raised approximately \$7500.00. The heavy increase in the levy is due to the loss of \$1200.00 cash income annually and to the assessed valuation of the city dropping from \$325,000 to \$275,000. The levy for the General Fund is estimated with an allowance for \$1500. cash income.

The City Council will make the levy November 1st, 1915.

LESLIE W. STANSELL, City Recorder.

### Summons.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF JACKSON.

Lillie Frances Furrey, Plaintiff, -vs- W. Arthur Furrey, Defendant.

To W. Arthur Furrey, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause, on or before six weeks from the day of the first publication of this summons, which first publication is made on the 2nd day of October, 1915. You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint within the time specified, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, to-wit:

For a decree of divorce forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for an order restoring to plaintiff her maiden name, to-wit: Lillie Frances Potter, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is served upon you by publication, in compliance with an order of the Hon. F. M. Calkins, Judge of the above entitled Court, made and entered on the 1st day of September, 1915, directing that said summons be published once a week for six consecutive weeks, in the Jacksonville Post, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, printed and published at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon.

Date of the first publication of this summons is October 2nd 1915.

J. A. LEMERY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

### Summons.

IN THE JUSTICE'S COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ASHLAND, JACKSON COUNTY, STATE OF OREGON.

A. V. Stewart, Plaintiff, -vs- James Howard, Defendant.

To James Howard, the above named defendant:

You are hereby notified that in pursuance of an order made and entered in the above entitled cause and Court on the 11th day of September, 1915, you are required to answer the complaint filed in said cause within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: within six weeks from the 25th day of September 1915, and that if you fail to so answer the plaintiff will apply for the relief demanded in said complaint and will take judgment for the sum of \$53.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 6% per annum from the 15th day of July, 1915, and will ask for an order to sell a certain wood saw, belonging to you and attached herein, to satisfy said judgment and costs and disbursements herein.

L. J. TREFREN, Justice of the Peace.

### Notice To Creditors.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

In the matter of the last will and testament of Samuel Joseph Torrence, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given all parties having claims against the Estate of Samuel Joseph Torrence, deceased, that they are required to present the same, duly verified and with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned at 843 "B" Street, Ashland, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: within six months from the 16th day of October, 1915.

MARY A. TORRENCE, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Samuel Joseph Torrence, Deceased.

Present conditions indicate that North Bend mills will operate all winter.

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**Change in Southern Pacific Time Table.**

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**NORTH BOUND TRAINS.**

14 Portland Passenger	8:20 A.M.
16 Oregon Express	5:20 P.M.
12 Shasta Limited	2:17 A.M.

Extra fare train.

**SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.**

13 California Express	10:45 A.M.
15 San Francisco Express	4:00 P.M.
11 Shasta Limited	3:20 A.M.

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