

DRIED FRUIT TRADE Prunes Will Open at Last Year's Prices.

LARGE CROP IN THIS STATE Excitement in Peaches and Apricots—Unconfirmed Rumors of Corners—Already Expected—Local Production Quotations.

The indications are that the prune market will open this season at last year's prices. This is the opinion of the local trade.

COAL OIL—Peanut or astral oil, barrels, 25c per gallon; white oil, iron barrels, 12c per barrel.

LIVESTOCK MARKET Receipts and Retail Prices at Portland Union Stockyards.

Hopping Under Way. SALEM, Aug. 31.—(Special.)—Hopping began in a large number of yards in this vicinity today.

GRAIN, FLOUR, FEED, ETC. Some selling of wheat is still reported in reports from the west.

BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY, ETC. The egg market has opened strongly at 20 cents and is likely to continue so.

VEGETABLES, FRUIT, ETC. Rogue River watermelons are scarce, as the crop is short and much of the output is going direct to interior points.

GRAIN AND STOCKS. CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,000. Market, 10c higher. Texas, 100c; Western, 90c.

STOCKS. Atchison 1.800; 57 1/2; 64 1/2; 94 1/2. Baltimore & Ohio 1.500; 83 1/2; 90 1/2; 100 1/2.

COFFEES, TEAS, SUGARS, ETC. COFFEE—Mocha, 25c; Java, 26c; Sumatra, 27c.

MEATS AND PROVISIONS. BEEF—Small, 6c; large, 6 1/2c per pound.

THE MAKESHOW OF STRENGTH ON STOCK EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—There was a considerable growth in the volume of business in the stock exchange today and a show of strength which was quite imposing.

Money, Exchange, Etc. LONDON, Aug. 31.—Silver, steady; 26 1/2 per cent.

Bank Clearings. Portland 4,834,560; 3,435,505. Seattle 738,524; 148,880.

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Dowling, Hopkins & Co. WHEAT AND STOCK BROKERS. Established 1893. Room 4, Ground Floor. Chamber of Commerce.

FOR PORTLAND ACCOUNT. GRAPES, QUINCES, POMEGRANES AND LEMONS TAKEN AT FRISCO. Grain Markets Dull and Easter-Potatoes Inactive—Butter Firm for Fancy Grades.

Receipts of fresh fruits were light, but the supply was ample for requirements, as local trade was dull and shipping orders moderate.

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UNITED STATES COTTON MARKET. NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—"Ireland has crossed the turning line into a newer and better civilization," says ex-Lord Mayor Valentin Dillon of Dublin.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The cotton market closed firm at 74 1/2 points. Mid-cotton steady; middling upland, 21 1/2c.

Want to Be Reinstated. NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Formal application for reinstatement to the New York Stock Exchange was made by Talbot J. Taylor & Co.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE. OREGON SHORT LINE AND UNION PACIFIC. 3 TRAINS TO THE EAST DAILY.

EAST VIA SOUTHERN PACIFIC. BETTER DAYS FOR IRELAND. Ex-Lord Mayor Predicts a New Era Now That the Land Bill is Passed.

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TIME CARD OF TRAINS. PORTLAND.

S. S. "Ohio" SAILS FROM SEATTLE ON OR ABOUT SEPTEMBER 2. None and St. Michael.