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ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Latest Quotations in the Portland Markets.

Complete Market Reports Corrected Each Day, Giving the Wholesale Prices of Commodities, Farm Produce and Vegetables.

PORTLAND, Jan. 28.—There is a growing firmness in the potato situation. Quotations range from around a dollar per cwt for common to \$1.40 for fancy Burbanks. Dealers report plenty of potatoes still remaining in growers' hands and that the difficulty in moving does not seem to improve. The Southern market keeps strong, but for a few days there is not likely to be any strenuous effort made to induce farmers to ship in during the prevalence of the storm, even if they would accept offers made by the principal shippers.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

Wheat—Walla Walla 66@67c; valley 66@67c; blue-stem, 68@69c; red, 64@65c. Oats—White, 22.50 @ 26; gray, 24-25. Flour—Hard wheat patent, \$3.90; straight, \$3.35; graham, \$3.50; rye, \$5; whole wheat flour, \$3.75; valley flour, \$3.40@3.65; Dakota, \$5.30@5.60; Eastern rye, \$5.40; Pillsbury, \$6.20; Corvallis, \$3.70. Corn—Whole, \$26@27; cracked, \$27 @28 per ton. Barley—Brewing, \$22@22.50; feed, \$21@21.50; rolled, \$22@23. Rye—\$1.40 per cwt. Hay—Valley, timothy, \$13@14; eastern Oregon, \$15@16; clover, \$7@7.50; cheat, \$7@7.50; alfalfa, \$11.50; grain hay, \$7@8; vetch, \$7.50@8. Buckwheat—\$36 per ton. Millstuffs— Middlings, \$25.00; chop, \$15; bran, \$16.00; shorts, \$18.00. Cereal Foods—Rolled Oats, cream, 90-lb sacks, \$7.00; lower grade, \$5.50@6.50; oat meal, steel cut, 45-lb sacks, \$8.00 per bbl.; 9-lb sacks, \$4.25 per sc.

TIDE TABLE, JANUARY

Table with columns for High Water, A. M., P. M., and dates for January 1907.

Table with columns for Low Water, A. M., P. M., and dates for January 1907.

Astoria & Columbia R. River R. Co

Effective Sunday, September 9, 1906—Pacific Time.

Table with columns for time and location (Astoria, Portland, etc.) for the Astoria & Columbia River Railroad.

Oysters—Shoalwater Bay, per gal, \$2; per sack, \$4.00; Toke Point, \$1.50 per 100; Olympia, (120 lbs.) \$5; Olympia, per gallon, \$2. Clams—Hardshell, per box, \$2; razor clams, \$2 per box. Produce—Old Roosters, 9@10c; hens and springs, 14@15c; dressed, 15@16c; ducks, 13@14c; turkeys, 17@18c; dressed, 20@21c; fancy, 21@22 1-2c; geese, live, 10@11c; dressed, 12@13c; pigeons, per dozen, \$1.00@1.25; squabs, \$1.75@2. Eggs—Oregon Ranch, 32 1-2@35c; Eastern, (few in stock). Butter—Country creamery, 31@32c; city creamery, 35c; store, 15 1-2@17c; butter fat, 33 1-2 cents. Cheese—Young America, 16@16 1-2 cents; Oregon full cream, flats, 15@ 15 1-2 cents. Honey—Dark, 10 1-2@11c; amber, 12@13c; fancy white, 14@15c.

NOVEL CURE FOR COLDS.

Healing Medication That is Breathed, Giving Quick Relief.

It seems just as ridiculous to put medicine into the stomach to cure a cold in the head or lungs as it does to go out in the rain if we want to keep dry.

The fact that many people right in Astoria cough and hawk and snuffle for days and weeks after they treat a cold with the usual stomach dosing, shows how valueless are the ordinary cough and cold cures.

The right way to cure a cold in the head or a cough and irritation in the throat and lungs, is by breathing Hyomel's medicated air. Put a few drops of Hyomel in the neat pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit and breathe this healing air for a few times and immediate relief will be noted. The medication goes right to the spot where the disease germs are located and renders them harmless in the future.

At the same time the soothing and healing effects of Hyomel on the irritated mucous membrane give quick relief and the cough or cold is broken up.

The best evidence of the great value of Hyomel in curing coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles is the fact that T. F. Laurin gives an absolute guarantee with every outfit he sells, that if it does not give satisfaction, the money will be refunded.

A complete Hyomel outfit, consisting of a bottle of Hyomel, the inhaler and a medicine dropper, costs but \$1, while extra bottles of Hyomel, if needed, can be obtained for only 50c.

FOR BATTLESHIPS.

BERLIN, Jan. 28.—Following the Kaiser's victory at the polls the announcement is made that Germany will shortly have in readiness five ship-building yards, where battleships of the largest class can be constructed. At Kiel warships of 25,000 tons and 180 feet in length will be constructed.

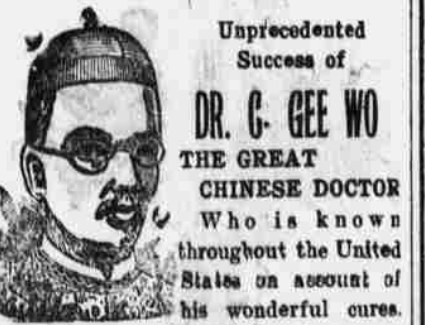
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It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds and coughing was constant both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone, and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at Chas Rogers' drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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THE LOVERS TOKEN

(Original.)

A broad open stretch of country, with here and there a clump of trees, bathed in that deep yellow afternoon sunlight peculiar to certain portions of the west. There in but one house in sight, and that a log cabin. No fence incloses it; no trees shade it. The only attempt to beautify it is a row of flowers on each side of the little stoop in its front.

From a well in the rear a young girl is carrying a watering pot to give the flowers their evening sprinkling. Her dress is a common calico, its skirt reaching only to her ankles. On her back hangs a sunbonnet, thrown off now that the sun has lost its power. Tenderly she bends over her plants which seem to raise their lips to drink in the refreshing draft. In all that landscape there is no other cultivated beauty.

So wrapt was she in her occupation that she did not hear a step behind her till it was very near; then turning, she saw a figure and a face before which the beauty of her flowers paled. Till this moment they had been her companions, her children, the only objects to love in that lonely land. Hearing a step, she turned. A handsome good natured, boyish face, with kindly blue eyes, was looking at her. Amused at her startled appearance and the pleasure she did not attempt to conceal the stranger unslung a rifle from his back and rested it on the ground. "Do you think," he asked, "that I could stay here all night?"

"I'll see." And she went into the house. When she returned to say that he could have what he wanted she found him pouring a fresh pot of water on her plants, which he had been to the well to bring. A mother seeing one feeding her hungry children could not have been more affected. Indeed, everything about the stranger tended to bring the girl under his magical influence. Whence comes this young fellow to sympathize with the one delight of her life? She neither knew nor cared. She only felt his presence.

The huntsman spent the night at her cabin. There were no rules to govern the conduct of the two, and they sat out on the stoop under the stars till the moon rose and eclipsed her heavenly sisters with his greater splendor. The man had been used to forms, but he forgot them now. Only an hour elapsed between his arrival and his first word expressing what both had felt for that whole hour.

"May I have a kiss?" he asked. He whose manner was that of a god to ask for a kiss from a daughter of the desert!

In the morning he was gone. It seemed to her that instead of the sun rising it had set. Oh, that the hunting grounds had lain near the cabin! But he had promised to return that way. She simply waited and watched an thought of him till he should come.

One morning she arose, threw open the shutter and looked out. The sun was rising, and his first soft morning rays lent to the desolate scene something like beauty. The few trees did not look so lonely, the uncovered country did not look so barren, now that the sun's light shone through mellowing mists. But if the orb of day was rising in the east the sun of the girl's heart was rising in the west. Glancing thither, she saw as lithe a figure stepping along the road. It was the young stranger, and he carried something in his arms.

When she went downstairs, there on the step sat the huntsman and near him in an earthen pot was a plant—one that she had never seen before. "When on the line of the railroad," he said, "I sent to the city for it. Had I not been waiting I would have returned earlier, for to give you one moment of happiness is worth all the game in the west."

"It is not in bloom," said the girl. "No, it will not bloom till I come again, or, rather, when it blooms again I will come."

They spent one happy day together, the stranger went on. Autumn faded into winter. A traveler stopped at the cabin one day and, seeing a name written on a bit of wood tied to the plant, asked: "Has he been here?"

"Yes." "Look out for him, little girl; he's a heart smasher. Hunts hearts as he hunts deer or antelope." The girl turned pale. "Did he give you that azalea?" asked the traveler. "Yes, when does it bloom?" "In the early spring."

From that time the girl began to wilt. It seemed when the winter was passing out and the azalea began to take on its new life that it was drawing its vigor from its mistress. Before the traveler's arrival she had not doubted that the giver would come when the plant bloomed. Now she felt that he would never come. One morning a bud opened, then

another and another, till the azalea was in full bloom emitting a rich odor. The girl's vitality flickered as a candle's flame flickers as a candle while the flowers dropped away. One evening she went out to sprinkle her plants. Carrying the water exhausted her strength. But one flower remained. She stooped to inhale its odor and fell. A strong arm raised her. Looking up, she saw the smiling face of the huntsman looking down at her.

"I'm not too late to keep my promise," he said. "There's one flower left."

"I was told," she faltered, "by one who knows you that you would not come."

"Love promises I have never kept before. The one I made to you I could not break." F. A. MITCHEL.

WORKS WONDERS.

A Wonderful Compound—Cures Piles, Eczema, Skin Itching, Skin Eruptions, Cuts and Bruises.

Doan's Ointment is the best skin treatment and the cheapest, because so little is required to cure. It cures piles after years of torture. It cures obstinate cases of eczema. It cures all skin itching, it cures skin eruptions. It heals cuts, bruises, scratches, and abrasions without leaving a scar. It cures permanently. Astoria testimony proves it.

Mrs. Helen Lewis, of 52 Astor street, Astoria, Ore., says: "Doan's Ointment proved its healing qualities several years ago when I used and told in a published statement the great relief and cure I obtained from it. I used it for a breaking out around my mouth and lips which had troubled me for a number of years, despite all I could do to get rid of it. My lips would crack and become sore when cold weather set in, and this lasted until it got warm again. I was finally induced to try Doan's Ointment, procuring it at Charles Rogers' drug store. In a short time after beginning to apply it I was cured of the annoyance and I have been entirely free from it since."

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