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PORTLAND MARKETS

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PORTLAND, Jan. 30.—Poultry stocks today generally were light, and at the same time the demand was far from strong. What business was done for the most part on yesterday's prices, save in the case of ducks, which today are reported slightly weaker, selling at 15 to 16 cents a pound.

Grain, Flour, Feed.
Wheat—Club, 83c; Valley, 85c; blue-stem, 85c; red Russian, 81c.
Oats—Producers' prices: White, 28c; gray, 27c.
Hay—Valley timothy, \$18@19; Eastern Oregon, \$20@22; clover, \$13; cheat, \$13; alfalfa, \$13; grain hay, \$14@15.
Millfeed—City bran, 25c; country bran, 24c; shorts, \$24.50; country shorts, 22c; chop, 18c; middlings, 22c.
Flour—Hard wheat, patent, \$4.95; straight, \$4.40; graham, \$4.50; rye, 85c; whole-wheat flour, \$4.75; Valley flour, \$4.40; Dakota, \$4.40@6.00; Eastern rye, \$4.50; Pillsbury, 87c; Corvallis, \$4.40.
Rye—\$1.25@1.30 per cwt.
Grain Bags—Domestic, 8c; Calcutta, 9c.
Corn—Whole, 32c; cracked, 33c per ton.
Buckwheat—\$26 per ton.
Barley—Producers' prices: Brewing, \$28.50; feed, 27c; rolled, \$30@31.
Cereal Foods—Rolled oats, cream, 90-lb. sacks, 88c; lower grade, \$4.50@7.50; oatmeal, steel cut, 49-lb. sacks, \$8.50; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmeal (ground), 49-lb. sacks, \$8.50 per bbl.; 9-lb. sacks, \$4.50 per bale; split peas, \$4.25 per 100-lb. sacks; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25; pearl barley, \$4.50 per 100 lbs.; 25-lb. boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-lb. sacks, \$5.20 bbl.

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A MEMORABLE TRAGEDY.

It Grew Out of the Last Great Slave Auction in This Country.
The last great slave auction held in this country occurred just a year and a half before the war—in October, 1859—at the race track in Savannah. The slaves were the property of Pierce Butler, a picturesque and prominent figure at that day in Philadelphia society, who is today only remembered as having been the husband of Fanny Kemble, the actress, reader and author. His family name was Meade, but he inherited a fortune in lands and slaves from his grandfather, Major Pierce Butler of South Carolina, on condition that he should take the latter's name.
Butler's inveterate passion for gambling got him into financial difficulties. It is said that he lost \$20,000 on a single hand—four deuces against four kings held by his opponent.
Finally, to meet his losses, Butler was forced to sell his slaves. There were 988 of them in all. The sale took two days and netted \$303,850. Butler had chosen a good time to sell. A year later his negroes would not have been worth a dollar a head. But the sale would have been more profitable had it not been announced as one of the conditions that no division of families would be permitted; hence in order to secure a good slave buyers often had to take with them infirm or aged relatives. Out of this limitation grew a memorable tragedy. Tom Pate, a well-known Vicksburg trader, bought at the sale a man, his two sisters and his wife, with the guarantee that they should not be separated. Disregarding this, Pate sold the sisters, one to Pav Somers, a brother trader, and the other to a resident of St. Louis. What legal rights a negro had in the south were well protected. Somers was told of the guarantee, and he sent the girl back to Pate and demanded his money. A quarrel was the result, and Somers was shot dead. Ten days later his nephew killed Pate and died from wounds received. The feud was kept up until every male bearing the name of Pate was wiped out, and then the war liberated the sisters.—New York Herald.

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Coal Oil—Pearl and astral oil, cases 15 1/2 per gallon; water white, iron barrels, 11 1/2c; cocene and extra star, cases, 2 1/2c; headlight oil, cases, 19 1/2c; iron barrels, 12 1/2c; Elaine, cases, 28c.

Fruits.
Domestic Fruits—Apples, fancy, \$1.50 @22 box; good, 75c@1.25 box; pears, 50c@1.50 box; cranberries, 88c@11 per barrel.
Tropical Fruits—Lemons, \$3.50@5.00 box; oranges, new navels, \$2.25@2.75 box; grape-fruit, \$4.25 box; bananas, 5c lb.; crates, 5 1/2 lb.; pomegranates, 2c crate; tangerines, 2c box; pineapples, \$4@5 dozen.
Dried Fruits—Apples, 9c@10c per lb.; apricots, 16c@19c; peaches, 11c@13c; pears, 11 1/2c@14c; Italian prunes, 2 1/2c@3c; California figs, white, in sacks, 5c@6c per lb.; black, 4 1/2c@5c; bricks, 75c@8.25 per box; Smyrna, 1 1/4@2c per lb.; dates, Persian, 6 1/2c@7c per lb.

Butter—Country creamery, 30c@35c; city creamery, 35c@37c; store, 19c@20c; butter fat, 33 1/2c@36c.
Eggs—Ranch, candled, 30c@32c.
Cheese—Young America, 18c; Oregon full cream, flats, 17c.
Honey—Dary, 10 1/2c@11c; amber, 12c@13c; fancy white, 14c@15c.
Poultry—Old roosters, 9c@10c lb.; hens, 13c@14c lb.; dressed stock, 2c@2c higher than live; ducks, 14c@15c lb.; turkeys, live, 16c@17c lb.; dressed, 18c@20c lb.; geese, live, 9c@10c lb.; pigeons, old, \$1.00 per dozen; squabs, 2c@3 per dozen.

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JANUARY, 1908.				JANUARY, 1908.			
High Water.	A. M.	P. M.		Low Water.	A. M.	P. M.	
Date	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	Date	h.m.	ft.	h.m.
Wednesday	1:10:25	9.0	11:50	C.9	Wednesday	4:18	2.1
Thursday	2:11:15	9.5	12:55	1.4	Thursday	5:15	3.3
Friday	3:04:37	10.1	2:03	2.9	Friday	6:12	4.5
Saturday	4:1:32	10.7	3:10	4.4	Saturday	7:06	5.7
SUNDAY	5:2:30	11.3	4:17	5.9	SUNDAY	8:00	7.0
Monday	6:3:54	11.9	5:24	7.4	Monday	8:52	8.2
Tuesday	7:3:54	12.5	6:31	8.9	Tuesday	9:40	9.4
Wednesday	8:4:38	13.1	7:38	10.4	Wednesday	10:30	10.6
Thursday	9:5:28	13.7	8:45	11.9	Thursday	11:20	11.8
Friday	10:6:20	14.3	9:52	13.4	Friday	12:12	12.0
Saturday	11:7:15	14.9	10:59	14.9	Saturday	1:05	12.2
SUNDAY	12:8:10	15.5	12:06	16.4	SUNDAY	1:55	12.5
Monday	13:9:05	16.1	1:13	17.9	Monday	2:42	13.0
Tuesday	14:9:56	16.7	2:20	19.4	Tuesday	3:30	13.5
Wednesday	15:10:44	17.3	3:27	20.9	Wednesday	4:18	14.0
Thursday	16:11:26	17.9	4:34	22.4	Thursday	5:05	14.5
Friday	17:12:05	18.5	5:41	23.9	Friday	5:52	15.0
Saturday	18:1:30	19.1	6:48	25.4	Saturday	6:38	15.5
SUNDAY	19:2:02	19.7	7:55	26.9	SUNDAY	7:24	16.0
Monday	20:3:22	20.3	9:02	28.4	Monday	8:10	16.5
Tuesday	21:3:00	20.9	10:09	29.9	Tuesday	8:55	17.0
Wednesday	22:3:25	21.5	11:16	31.4	Wednesday	9:40	17.5
Thursday	23:3:55	22.1	12:23	32.9	Thursday	10:25	18.0
Friday	24:4:30	22.7	1:30	34.4	Friday	11:10	18.5
Saturday	25:5:10	23.3	2:37	35.9	Saturday	11:55	19.0
SUNDAY	26:6:00	23.9	3:44	37.4	SUNDAY	12:40	19.5
Monday	27:6:56	24.5	4:51	38.9	Monday	1:25	20.0
Tuesday	28:7:58	25.1	5:58	40.4	Tuesday	2:10	20.5
Wednesday	29:8:00	25.7	7:05	41.9	Wednesday	2:55	21.0
Thursday	30:10:00	26.3	8:12	43.4	Thursday	3:40	21.5
Friday					Friday	4:25	22.0

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