

The Daily Market Report

PORTLAND, Oct. 2.—The United States soldiers in the Philippine Islands will eat Oregon turkey at their Thanksgiving dinner this year. A consignment of 25,000 pounds of the birds, dressed, furnished to the government by the Union Meat Company, left the city for San Francisco today. At the Bay City the birds will be loaded on a transporting leaving there for Manila, October 5.

An interesting fact in this connection is that the government commissary officials, not knowing that Oregon has in recent years become one of the leading states in the production of Thanksgiving material, made efforts in several sections of the east and middle west, and in California as well, to get the supply of the birds required for the soldiers' Thanksgiving dinner before looking over the Oregon field. But there was no sufficient supply available in the other states, for the reason that the 1908 birds were too young.

Flour, Grain and Feed.

Wheat—Choice milling sorts. Track prices: Club, 88c; bluestem, 92c; turkey red, 91c; Valley, 90c. Export prices, standard quality: Club, 88c; bluestem, 92c; turkey red, 91c; red Russian, 85c.

Barley—Feed, \$25.50; rolled, \$27.28; brewing, \$27.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$30.00; gray, \$29.

Flour—Patents, \$4.70; straight, \$3.95@4.20; exports, \$3.70; Valley \$4.45; 1-4 sack Graham, \$4.40; whole wheat, \$4.65; ryh, \$5.50.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$26.50; middlings, \$33.00; shorts, country, \$31.00; shorts, city, \$30.00; chop, \$22@27.50.

Hay—Timothy: Willamette Valley fancy, \$14.50; do, ordinary, \$11.00; Eastern Oregon, \$16.50; mixed, \$18; alfalfa, \$11.

Butte, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter—Extras, 34 cents; fancy, 32c; choice, 30c; store, 18c.

Cheese—Full cream twins, 14c@15c; full cream, triplets, 14c@15c; Young America, 15c@16c; cream brick, 20c; Swiss block, 18c; Limburger, 20c.

Poultry—Mixed chickens, 12c@13c; fancy hens, 13c@14c; roosters, old, 8c@9c; broilers, 14c@14c; turkeys, 18c.

Eggs—Extras, 31c@32c; firsts, 28c@29c; seconds, 23c@26c; thirds, 16c@22c.

Meats and Provisions.

Dress Meats—Hogs, fancy, 8c@8c; cents, ordinary, 6c@7c; large, 5c; veal, extra, 8c@8c; ordinary, 6c@7c; heavy, 5c; mutton, fancy, 8c@9c.

Lard—Kettle leaf, 10c, 15c; do 5s, 15c; do 50-lb. tins, 14c; steam rendered, 10c, 13c; do 5s, 14c; compound 10s, 8c.

Hams—10-12 lbs., 17c; 14-16 lbs., 16c; 18-20 lbs., 16c.

Bacon—Breakfast, 17c@24c; picnics, 10c; cottage roll, 12c; regular short clears, smoked, 12c; do unsmoked, 11c; Un. B., 10c@13c lb.; smoked, 15c; unsmoked, 14c; clear bellies, unsmoked, 13c; smoked, 14c; shoulders, 12c.

Vegetables—Turnips, \$1.25 sack; beets, \$1.75; parsnips, \$1.25; cabbage, \$1.50@2.00; head lettuce, 20c@25c; cucumbers, 75c@85c per box; celery, 75c@85c per dozen; artichokes, 60c dozen; beans, 8c pound; egg-plant,

\$1@1.25 per crate; tomatoes, 25c@50c per crate; cantaloupes, 40c@75c per crate; corn, 75c@\$1 sack.

Onion—California red, \$1.25; garlic, 12c@15c.

Apples—California new, \$1@1.25; Oregon, 75c@1.25.

Onions—Buying prices, 90c@\$1 per hundred garlic, 12c@15c per pound.

JOBBER'S QUOTATIONS.

Sugar, Coffee, Etc.

Sugar (sack basis)—D. G., \$6.05; beet, \$5.85; Golden C., \$5.45; extra C., \$5.55; powdered, \$6.15; fruit or berry sugar, \$6.05; boxes, 55c cwt. advance over sack basis (less 1-4c if paid for in 15 days).

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$6.35; Southern Japan, \$5.75@6; broken, 4c head; fancy, \$7@7.75.

Coffee—Mocha, 24c@28c; Java, fancy 25c@28c; Java, good, 20c@24c; Java, ordinary, 17c@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18c@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16c@18c; Arabucke, 16.50 cwt.; Lion, \$15.75 cwt.; Colombia coffee, 14c lb.; Salvador, 11c@14c.

Salt—Bales of 75-2s, bale, \$2.25; bales of 60-3s, bale, \$2.25; bales of 40-4s, bale, \$2.25; bales of 15-10s, bale, \$2.25; bags, 50s, fine, ton; 15; bags 50c; genuine Liverpool ton, \$17; bags, 50c, 1/2-ground \$13.50; 100s, ton, \$13.00; R. S. V. P., 20 5-lb. cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 3-lb. cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool, lump, per ton, \$20.

Raisins—Loose muscatels, 3-crown, 7 cents; 4-crown, 7c; bleached, seedless Sultanas, 9c@12c; unbleached seedless Sultanas, 6c cents; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, \$2.00; 2-crown, \$1.75.

Nuts—Walnuts, 15c@17c pound; filberts, 1c; Brazilia, 16c; pecans, 14c@20c; hickory, 10c; Virginia row peanuts, 8 cents; chestnuts, Italian 10c, Ohio 25c; cocoanuts, dozen, 90c@\$1; pine nuts, 10c@12c pound.

Dried Fruits—Apples, 8c per lb; peaches, 10c@12c; pears, 11c@14c; Italian prunes, 5c@6c; California figs, white, in sacks, 7c per pound; black, 6c@7c; bricks, 75c@2.25 per box; Smyrna, 16c@17c per pound; dates, Persian, 6c@7c pound.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops—New Oregon, 7c@8c pound; 1907, 2c@4c; 1906, 1c@1c.

Wool—Valley, 14c@15c lb.; coarse, 12c@13c; Eastern Oregon, 8c@16c, as to shrinkage.

Mohair—Choice, 18c@19c pound.

Casaca Sagrada (chittim bark)—4c@5c per pound.

Oregon Grapenoot—Per 100 pounds \$3@5.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 14c lb.; dry kip, No. 1, 13c; dry salted, one-third less; dry calf, 15c lb.; salted steers, 7c@8c lb.; salted cows, 6c lb.; stags and bulls, 4c lb.; kip, 6c lb.; calf, 10c@11c lb.; green stock, 1c less; sheepskins; shearings, 10c@25c; short wool, 30c@40c; medium and long wool, according to quality, 50c@90c; dry horses, 50c@\$1.50; dry colt, 25c; angora, 80c@\$1; goat, common, 10c@20c.

Oysters, Clams and Fish.

Oysters—Shoalwater Bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.60 per 100; Olympias (120 lbs.), \$6; Olympias, per gallon, \$2.25.

Fish—Halibut, 7c lb.; black cod, 7c@8c; black bass, 20c; bass, 18c; herring, 5c; flounders, 6c; catfish, 11c; shrimp, 12c; perch, 7c; sturgeon, 12c; sea trout, 15c; tom cod, 10c; salmon, fresh, 6c@7c.

Canned Salmon—Columbia River, 1 pound talls, \$2.10; 2-lb. talls, \$3.00; fancy, 1-lb. flats, \$2.25; 1-lb. flats, \$1.40; fancy, 1-lb. ovals, \$2.75; Alaska talls, pink, 95c; red, \$1.40; nominal, 2s, talls, \$2.10.

Clams—Little neck, per box, \$2.50; razor clams, \$2 per box.

Oils, Lead, Etc.

Benzine—V. M. and P. and Union Naptha, cases, 20c; iron barrels,

LABOR LEGISLATION

Republican States Have Been Liberal in Legislation for Labor.

Democratic States Have Done Little to Make Labor Conditions Better Within Their Bounds.

It is a fact that every important step for the benefit of American labor has been taken either by a Republican Congress and administration, or by the Legislature of a Republican State, of course with the consent, and sometimes by the advice, of the State executive. Democratic Congresses have been notably negligent in this respect, and Democratic States have either done nothing to make labor conditions better within their bounds, or have slowly and reluctantly followed at a distance in the trail of Republican reforms.

State Legislation.

The States have control of labor legislation within their respective bounds, federal authority being confined, so far as labor is concerned, to the District of Columbia and the territories, federal reservations and federal public works. The story of labor legislation shows that nearly all labor reforms originated in Republican States, and at the present day the Republicans are far ahead of the Democrats in the enactment and enforcement of laws for the welfare of men and women and children who work for a living. Twenty-six out of thirty Republican States have labor bureaus, and only seven out of sixteen Democratic States have similar bureaus, without which labor laws are often dead letters. Twenty-three Republican States have factory inspectors to see to the enforcement of the factory laws. Only six Democratic States have factory inspection services. Fifteen States—thirteen Republican and two Democratic—have free employment agencies. Eighteen States have laws on their statute books prohibiting labor on government works or public contracts for more than eight hours a day. Of these States sixteen are Republican and two Democratic. Four Republican States and one Democratic State have laws declaring eight hours to be a legal working day in the absence of a contract. Twenty-seven States prohibit the employment of children under fourteen years of age in factories. Of these twenty-three are Republican and four are Democratic States. Laws limiting the hours of the employment of children in factories or stores have been enacted in twenty-four Republican and thirteen Democratic States. Eighteen Republican and ten Democratic States prohibit night work by children. Twelve Republican and three Democratic States prohibit the employment of children in operating dangerous machinery or cleaning machinery in motion. Fifteen Republican and six Democratic States limit the hours of labor of women. It should be noted that twelve of the Republican States which limit women's hours of labor have factory inspectors to see that the law is obeyed, while only three of the Democratic States make such provision. In twenty-three Republican and ten Democratic States employers are required by law to provide seats for female workers.

Twelve States have enacted legislation intended to effect the extinction of the sweatshop system, with its degrading and revolting accessories. Of these twelve States ten are Republican and two Democratic. Seventeen Republican and five Democratic States have laws requiring the payment of wages weekly or fortnightly, or, in some instances, prohibiting a longer period than one month between pay days.

Trade Union Labels.

Fourteen Republican States and only one Democratic State—Nevada—have laws in force prohibiting employers from discharging persons on account of membership in labor organizations, or from compelling persons to agree not to become members of labor organizations as a condition of securing employment or continuing in their employ. Forty States have passed laws allowing trade unions to adopt labels or trademarks to be used to designate products of the labor of their members, and prohibiting the counterfeiting of the use of such labels or trade-marks by unauthorized persons. Of these States twenty-eight are Republican and twelve are Democratic.

The foregoing presents for consideration by intelligent, patriotic labor substantial facts and figures taken from the statute books of the several States. No platitude can upset them. They prove the records of the Republican party and of the Democracy on the labor issue, and they must convince every reasonable reader that the Reoub-

WOMAN'S BACKACHE



The back is the mainspring of woman's organism. It quickly calls attention to trouble by aching. It tells, with other symptoms, such as nervousness, headache, pains in the loins, weight in the lower part of the body, that a woman's feminine organism needs immediate attention.

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can party has not only brought American labor up to its present honorable standard, but that labor can look only to the Republican party for assurance of protection and prosperity in the future.

Would Restrain Unlawful Trusts. Mr. Bryan asks me what I would do with the trusts. I answer that I would restrain unlawful trusts with all the efficiency of injunctive process and would punish with all the severity of criminal prosecution every attempt on the part of aggregated capital to suppress competition.—Hon. Wm. H. Taft, at Columbus, Ohio.

Short Memory. "My wife," growled Hadley, "is the most forgetful woman." "Indeed!" queried his friend politely. "Yes. She can never remember in the morning where I left my pipe the night before."—Philadelphia Press.

Make yourself a sheep and the wolves will eat you.—Italian Proverb.

Coal Oil—Union and pearl and astral oil, cases, 18c per gallon; water white, iron barrels, 11c; cocene and extra star, cases, 21c; headlight oil, cases, 19c; iron barrels, 13c; Elaine, cases, 28c.

Lead—Strictly pure white lead, in ton lots, 7c; 500-lb. lots, 8c less; less than 500 lbs., 8c; red lead and litharge, 1c higher than white.

Linseed Oil—Raw, 5-barrel lots, 54c; 1-barrel lots, 55c; in case, 61c; boiled, 5-barrel lots, 56c; 1-barrel lots, 57c; in cases, 63c.

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Table with columns for High Water, Low Water, and tide times for October 1908 and October 1909. Includes dates and times in h.m. and ft.