

The Daily Market Report

PORTLAND, Oct. 15.—Another consignment of Oregon apples destined for the Far East will leave Portland for Vladivostok, Siberia, within a few days. The fruit, which will be Hood River stock altogether, is now being packed for shipment at the store of W. B. Glafke & Co., and probably will be dispatched about the end of this week. It will go to the Sound by rail and will there be transferred to steamer for the Orient.

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; straights, \$3.95@4.20; exports, \$3.70; Valley, \$4.45; 1-4 sack graham, \$4.40; whole wheat, \$4.65; rye, \$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, 14@15; full cream triplets, 14@15c; Young America, 15@16c; cream brick, 20c; Swiss block, 18c; Limburger, 20c.

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

Eggs—Extras, 31@32c; firsts, 28@29c; seconds, 23@26c; thirds, 26@27c. pound higher; ducks, 12@15c; geese, 8@10c; turkeys, 18c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Potatoes—Buying prices, 80@90c per hundred; sweets, 2@2 1/2 per pound.

Fresh Fruits—Oranges, \$3.75@4.50; lemons, \$3.00@3.50; blackberries, 75@90c crate; new figs, \$1 per crate; peaches, 25@85c per crate; plums, 25@40c per crate; watermelons, 3-4c pound; grapes, 60c@85c per crate.

pears, 50@51.00 per box; prunes, 30@40c per crate.

Meats and Provisions.

Dress Meats—Hogs, fancy, 8@8 1/2c; cents; ordinary, 6@7c; large, 5c; veal, extra, 8c@8 1/2c; ordinary, 6@7c; heavy, 5c; mutton, fancy, 8@9c.

Lard—Kettle leaf, 10s, 15c; do 5s, 15c; do 50-lb. tins, 14 1/2c; steam rendered, 10s, 13 1/2c; do 5s, 14 1/2c; compound 10s, 8c.

Hams—10-12 lbs., 17c; 14-16 lbs., 16 1/2c; 18-20 lbs., 16c.

Bacon—Breakfast, 17@24c; picnics, 10c; cottage roll, 12c; regular short clears, smoked, 12c; do un-smoked, 11c; Un. B., 10c@13c lb.; smoked, 15c; unsmoked, 14c; clear bellies, unsmoked, 13 1/2c; smoked, 14 1/2c; shoulders, 12c.

Vegetables—Turnips, \$1.25 sack; beets, \$1.75; parsnips, \$1.25; cabbage, \$1.50@2.00; head lettuce, 20@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, 25@50c per crate; cantaloupes, 40@75c per crate; corn, 75c@85c per sack.

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

Apples—California new, \$1@1.25; Oregon, 75c@85c.

Onions—Buying prices, 90c@85c per hundred; garlic, 12@15c per pound.

ROBBERS' QUOTATIONS.

Sugar, Coffee, Etc.

Sugar (sack basis)—D. C., \$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).

Turpentine—In cases, 63c; in wood barrels, 61c; in iron barrels, 59c; in 10-case lots, 62c.

Lead—Strictly pure white lead, in ton lots, 7 1/2c; 500-lb. lots, 8c less; less than 500c lbs., 8 1/2c; red lead and litharge, 1c higher than white.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$6.35; Southern Japan, \$5.75@6; broken, 4 1/2c head; fancy, \$7@7.75.

Coffee—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, fancy 25@28c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Arbuckle, \$16.50 cwt.; Lion, \$15.75 cwt.; Colombia coffee, 14c lb.; Salvador, 11 1/2@14c.

Salt—Bales of 75-2s, bale, \$2.25; bales of 60-3s, bale, \$2.25; bales of

THE ACT OF DYING.

Reasons For Believing That It is an Easy Matter.

The mere ultimate process of dying may be a relatively easy matter. Any person who has been long ill probably suffers more on any given day of his life than he will suffer in the act of departing from his body. It is probable that a broken hope, a delirious fever, a disordered vital organ, may cause more anguish than the final struggle. I have my doubts whether the last pang is as bad as it seems, declares Elizabeth Stuart Phelps in Harper's Bazar. We are told by surgeons that chloroformed patients may give apparent evidence of acute agonies which they do not feel. Death itself is often an anesthetic so merciful that what people call "living trouble" is obviously a worse matter.

I, for instance, who have never fainted and never been anesthetized in my life, have twice become from serious causes unconscious for a short time, and I have often wished that I could make over to some reciting soul whose name has been heard ringing upon the last roll call the unspeakable comfort which that brief experience has given me. There was no pang, no terror, no time, no chance, for either. One seemed to glide gently and swiftly down a warm abyss, flower scented, grass grown, safe and beneficent, into unutterable content. One melted into peace. One drifted into ecstasy beside which the deepest joys of consciousness are poor, pale things.

HIS THREE WIVES.

They Were All in One Picture, but Did Not Stay There.

Allan Cunningham in his "Lives of British Painters" tells a story of Copley, the father of Lord Chancellor Lyndhurst, which reveals what a portrait painter endures from the vanity and eccentricity of his sitters.

A certain man had himself, his wife and seven children painted by Copley in a family piece.

"It wants but one thing," said the man on seeing the finished picture, "and that is the portrait of my first wife. This one is my second."

"But," replied the artist, "she is dead. What can I do? She must come in as an angel."

"Oh, no; no angels for me. She must come in as a woman."

The portrait was added, but several months elapsed before the man again called at Copley's studio, and when he did a strange lady held out to his arm.

"I must have another sketch from your hand, Copley," said he. "An accident befell my second wife. This lady is my third, and she has come to have her likeness included in the family picture."

The painter introduced the likeness of wife No. 3, and the man expressed himself satisfied with the portraits of his three spouses. But the lady remonstrated. Never was such a thing heard of. Her predecessors must go. The artist painted them out. Then the man disputed the price. Copley sued him, and his son, the future Lord Lyndhurst, signalled his call to the bar by gaining his father's cause.

No Limit.

Gunner—She's a very progressive young lady. She is going to enter the field of journalism and start a paper.

Guyer—Yes, and she is going to call it the Humor. Don't you think that is rather an unusual name?

Gunner—Not at all. When a rumor is started by a woman it always gains a wonderful circulation.—Chicago News.

The Colliers and Amen.

I once witnessed a phase of prompt evolution of practical and of devotional religion in Scotch sheep dogs on a communion Sabbath among the mountains. The churchyard was crowded with shepherds, accompanied by their dogs, which lay quietly asleep at the feet of their masters. The sermon was finished, the psalm had been sung, the final prayer was being offered, and there was no sign of impatience, but the moment the benediction commenced the devotional doggies all roused themselves, and before the "Amen" they were in marching order.—Newman Hall—An Autobiography.

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Coal Oil—Union and pearl and astral oil, cases, 18 1/2c per gallon; water white, iron barrels, 11c; cocene and extra star, cases, 21c; headlight oil, cases, 19 1/2c; iron barrels, 13c; elaine, cases, 28c.

Linseed Oil—Raw, 5-barrel lots, 5 1/2c; 1-barrel lots, 5 3/4c; in case, 6 1/2c; boiled, 5-barrel lots, 5 1/2c; 1-barrel lots, 5 3/4c; in cases, 6 1/2c.

Gasoline—Union and Red Crown, bbls., 15 1/2c; cases, 23c. Motor, bbls., 16 1/2c; cases, 23 1/2c. 86 degrees, bbls., 30c; cases, 37 1/2c. Engine Distillate, bbls., 9c; cases, 16c.

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