

# The Daily Market Report

PORTLAND, April 22.—Dealers report a slow but steady improvement in the condition of the potato market, the result of a slightly better demand in the south, and offers of as high as \$1.50 a hundred to the growers for strictly fancy stock are being made. Some shipments are going south, probably a dozen to 20 cars a week on the average, but the trade in spuds is not quite as active as usual at this time of the year, mainly because of the bullish attitude of the growers.

Receipts of butter from the outside continue light, a total of 226 packages being brought in today, according to the Board of Trade, and the market holds steady to firm at the prices that have ruled for a week. City creamery men report current make cleaning up well and the demand appears to be sufficient to take all the California and country butter coming this way.

The expected break in cheese seems to be a little slow in coming. Despite the recent heavier arrivals from the Coast, there is no surplus in the local trade and the outside demand continues strong. As a result prices are well maintained.

Egg receipts continue fairly large, but all that come are readily taken up, the surplus daily going into the hands of storage men and to the Sound markets, and the chances are that the market from this time on will show an advancing tendency, unless meantime there should be a decline in the East such as to permit of shipments to the Coast. The time has come when all local products have to be carefully candled, for storage and the regular trade, and dealers say that the percentage that now has to be thrown out is such as to be something of a factor in the market.

The Willamette and Clackamas rivers are now yielding plenty of salmon for the local trade, and the chances are that there will be no further shortage of that fish between now and the opening of the season on the Columbia, May 1. No changes in salmon prices were announced today, but the market was a shade easier than for some time past. The supply of other fish generally was adequate. Halibut is coming in freely from the north and no change from the low prices of the past two weeks is expected soon.

## WHOLESALE PRICES.

Grain, Flour, Hay, Etc.  
Wheat—Track prices: Club, \$1.18; blue-stem, \$1.25@1.27; turkey red, \$1.15; red Russian, \$1.12; Valley, \$1.10.  
Flour—Patents, \$6.05; straight, \$4.80@5.20; exports, \$4.70; Valley, \$5.60; 1 1/4 sack graham, \$5.60; whole wheat, \$5.80; rye, \$5.50.

Barley—Feed, \$3.20@3.30; rolled, \$3.40@3.50.  
Oats—No. 1 white, \$4.00@4.10; gray, \$3.80@3.90.  
Hay—Track prices: Timothy—Wil-

lamette Valley, \$15@16; Eastern Oregon, fancy \$18@19; mixed \$16@17.50; alfalfa, \$12; clover, \$12; grain hay, \$13@14.  
Millstuffs—Brain, \$25@26; middlings, \$31.50; shorts, \$28@29; chop, \$20@25.

## Meats and Provisions.

Hams—10-12 lbs. 15c; 14-16 lbs. 15c; 18-20 lbs. 15c.  
Dressed Meats—Hogs, fancy, 9c@9c; ordinary 7c@8c; large 6c; veal, extra, 9c@10c; ordinary 8c@9c; heavy 7c; mutton, fancy 6c@7c.  
Bacon—Breakfast 17c@21c; picnic 10c@11c; cottage roll, 11c; reg. short clear, smoked 13c; do unsmoked 12c; clear backs, unsmoked 12c; do smoked 13c; shoulders, 11c.  
Lard—Kettle leaf, 10c, 15c; do 5s, 15-18c; do 50-lb. tins, 14c; steam rendered, 10c, 14c; do, 5s, 13-7-8c; compound, 10s, 9-14c.

## Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter—City creamery, extras, 27c@28c; fancy outside creamery, 25c@26c; store, 18c@20c per pound.  
Cheese—Full cream twins, 17c@17c; full cream triplets, 17c@17c; Young America, 18c; cream brick, 20c; Swiss block, 20c; Limburger, 18c@20c.

Eggs—Select Oregon, 22c@23c.  
Poultry—Mixed chickens, 15c@15c; fancy hens, 16c@16c; roosters, old 11c@11c; broilers, 25c@26c; dressed poultry 1c per pound higher; ducks, live, 20c@21c; geese, live, 9c@10c; turkeys, live, 17c@19c; dressed, 20c@22c.

Apples—Best, \$2@2.50 a box; common, \$1.25@1.75.

## Fruits and Vegetables.

Fresh Fruits—Oranges, \$2.50@3.00; tangerines, \$1.25@1.50 box; lemons \$1.50@4.00; grapes, Spanish Malagas, \$6@7 per crate; bananas, \$1@6c per pound; strawberries, \$1.50@2 crate.

Vegetables—Cabbage \$4@4.50; hot-house lettuce, \$1.25 per box; cucumbers, \$1.25@1.50 per dozen; celery, \$3.50@5.50 per crate; artichokes, 80c per doz; peas, 60c@7c per pound; tomatoes, Mexican \$1@1.75; Florida, \$3.25@3.50 crate; peppers, \$1.75 per box; cauliflower, \$1.50 crate; asparagus, 5c@8c lb.; rhubarb, 2c@4c lb.  
Potatoes—Buying prices, \$1.40@1.50 per hundred; sweets, \$2.50@3.  
Onions—Buying prices, \$2@2.25 fresh steelheads, 8c; Chinook, 9c.

## Oysters, Clams and Fish.

Oysters—Shoalwater Bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per sack, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.90 per 100; Olympia (120 pounds), \$6; Olympia, per gallon, \$2.25.  
Fish—Halibut, 6c pound; black bass, 20c; striped bass, 18c; herring, 5c; flounders, 6c; catfish, 9c; shrimp, 12c; tom cod, 8c; perch, 6c; sturgeon, 12c; sea trout, 15c; salmon, fresh steelheads, 8c; Chinook, 9c; frozen salmon, 8c pound.  
Clams—Little neck, per box, \$2.50; razor clams, \$2 per box; crabs, \$1@1.50 per dozen.  
Canned Salmon—Columbia River, 1-pound tins, \$2.00; 2-lb. tins, \$3.00; fancy, 1-lb. flats, \$2.15; 1-lb. flats, \$1.25; fancy, 1-lb. ovals, \$2.75; Alaska tins, pink 95c, red \$1.40; nominal, 2s. tins, \$2.10.

## Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Wool—Eastern Oregon contracts, 16c@18c per pound; Valley, 18c@19c.  
Hops—1909 contracts, 10c; 1908 crop, 7c@7c; 1907 crop, 3c.  
Mohair—Choice, 23c@24c.  
Cascara Sagrada (chittim bark)—5c@6c per pound.  
Oregon Grapenut—Per 100 lbs., \$3@5.  
Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 16c@17c; stags and bulls, 5c; kip, 10c@11c; calf, 14c@19c; green stock, 1c per pound less; sheepskins, shearlings, 25c@30c; short wool, 50c@60c; medium and long wool, according to quality, 75c@81c; dry horses, 50c@1.50; dry colts, 25c; angora, 80c@1.50; goat, common, 10c@20c.

## PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

Weber & Rush are preparing a burlesque for next summer, entitled "Teddy's Trip to Africa."  
Willard Holcomb has dramatized "St. Elmo" for Vaughn Glazer. The piece is to be tried out in Detroit shortly.  
Rida Johnson Young was recently elected one of the directors of the Society of American Dramatists and Composers.  
William A. Brady has a play for Frank Worthing, entitled "The Doctor." It is from the pen of C. N. Barrett, of Cincinnati.  
Cohan & Harris intend to star Julian Eltinge next season. George M. Cohan will probably furnish the vehicle, which will be a musical comedy, "The Ghost Breakers," a new play by Paul Dickey and Charles W. Goddard, has been purchased for production by Henry B. Harris and will soon be tried.  
George Fuller Golden will star under the management of Cohan & Harris next season. He will be seen

in a three-act comedy, which he wrote for his own use.

A brand new musical comedy entitled "Lasso Land" is to be brought out by the Shuberts either early this summer or at the opening of the coming fall season.

Maude Adams will probably present "What Every Woman Knows" on tour next season, owing to the great demand for her appearance in that play from cities outside of New York. Lillian Russell will close her season late in June. Miss Russell will spend the summer on Long Island, rusticating, and will begin her season in "The Widow's Mite" early in September.

James Callahan, who at one time was one of the star pitchers of the Chicago baseball club, is at present an actor and plays an important part in Richard Carle's "A Boy and a Girl" company.

Producer and Manager A. H. Woods has secured the rights to a drama entitled "The Cat." The play is from the pen of George W. Ward and is said to be quite novel in theme. The title role is that of a conscienceless woman.

Liebler & Co. are out with the statement that "Miss Philura," by Henry Blossom, a four-act comedy of New England life, will be produced by them early next season. In its theme is found a pronounced advocacy of Christian Science.

Eddie Foy and Victor Moore have made arrangements to appear next month in vaudeville under the direction of William Morris. Mr. Foy will appear in "Hamlet by Freight," and Mr. Moore in a new version of the old skit, "Change Your Act."

Thomas Buchanan, author of "A Woman's Way", in which Grace George is starring this season, has decided to become an actor and will join the company in "A Gentleman from Mississippi." He will have the role of the Washington correspondent.

Charles Frohman has cabled to his New York office that he has obtained the English and American rights of a new four-act play, "The Great Mrs. Alloway", by Douglas Murray. The scene of the play is laid in London and it is there that Mr. Frohman will produce it next season. It will probably not be seen in the United States until later in the season.

## SPRING GOLF TOURNEY.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., April 22.—The annual spring amateur golf tournament of the Lakewood Country Club began today under auspicious conditions, and will continue through the remainder of this week.

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## Notice.

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THOMAS DEALEY, City Treasurer.

Astoria, Or., April 22, 1909.

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

### NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

ization—Notice is hereby given that special assessment roll No. 189, made for the purpose of improving the alleyway running through blocks 2, 3, 4 and 5, in Adair's Port of Upper Astoria, from the west line of 38th street to the intersection with 42nd street, has been filed with the auditor and police judge of the city of Astoria and numbered special assessment roll number 189 and that the committee on streets and public ways has been appointed a committee of the council to sit with the Board of Assessors to examine, correct and equalize the same, and that Saturday the 8th day of May, A. D. 1909, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., in the Council Chambers in the City Hall, has been fixed as the time and place for the meeting of said Board of Equalization. All objections to said assessment must be presented in writing.

OLOF ANDERSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.  
Dated April 21, 1909. ...

### NOTICE TO RE-ESTABLISH GRADE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to re-establish the grade on Fourteenth street from the south line of Jerome avenue to the south line of Lexington avenue, so that the grade when so re-established will be at the following elevations above the base of grades as established by ordinance No. 71 of the City of Astoria, to-wit:

At the south line of Jerome avenue at 209 feet above the base of grades; at the north line of Lexington avenue at 238 feet above the base of grades; at the south line of Lexington avenue at 242 feet above the base of grades; that between the points above designated the grade shall be upon an even and gradual slope.

By order of the Common Council.  
OLOF ANDERSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.  
Dated April 21, 1909. ...

### NOTICE TO IMPROVE STREET.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to improve Irving avenue from the east line of 14th street to the west line of 15th street, by grading the same to the proper sub-grade and macadamizing the same with crushed rock from gutter to gutter to a thickness of 9 inches throughout, and the construction of cement sidewalks with park spaces, curb and gutters on both sides of the street, excepting the sidewalk, curb and gutter in front of lot 12 in block 20 which is exempt.

That the costs and expenses of constructing said improvement shall be defrayed by special assessment upon the lots, lands and premises so benefited by the same, which said lots, lands and premises are included in the special assessment district including all lots, lands and premises so benefited, to-wit:

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By order of the Common Council.  
OLOF ANDERSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria.  
Dated April 21, 1909. ...

### NOTICE OF MEETING.

IN REGARD TO ADAIR DRAIN—To the committee on streets and public ways of the common council of the City of Astoria, city officials, and to all persons interested, PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a meeting will be held in the messhouse at McGreggor's Mill on Saturday, April 24th at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of discussing the Adair Drain question, and adopting a plan whereby the affected district may be properly drained. The presence of all persons is earnestly requested. By order of A. M. Smith, Mayor of the City of Astoria.

Attest:  
OLOF ANDERSON, Auditor and Police Judge.

Notice.  
There is money in the general fund to pay all warrants endorsed prior to the first day of June, 1908. Interest will cease after this date.  
THOMAS DEALEY, City Treasurer.  
Astoria, Or., April 12, 1909.

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