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JOURNAL'S DAILY TIPS ON MARKETS

By Everding & Farrell. Receipts of chickens of all sorts have been large the past week, especially springs and values have weakened somewhat.

There is a good demand for all the hens the market can get, but the large stocks of springs have not moved with considerable difficulty.

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CATTLE MARKET IS IMPROVING

Better Demand Shown in Local Yards for Stock but Price Holds Same.

NO HOGS COME INTO YARDS DURING DAY

Market Firmer but Packers Are Now Unwilling to Pay More Than Present Figures as They Say They Can Land Nebraska Stock Here.

Portland Union Stockyards, Aug. 10.—Livestock receipts: Hogs, 200; Cattle, 200; Sheep, 200.

Chicago Market Slow—Cattle Strong and Sheep Steady. Chicago, Aug. 10.—Livestock receipts: Cattle, 1,500; Sheep, 1,000.

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CHICAGO WHEAT SUFFERS ANOTHER DECLINE

Despite Better Liverpool and Bullish Reports Market Loses a Quarter to Three Eighths.

RELATIVE WHEAT VALUES. September, 74 1/2; October, 74 1/2; November, 74 1/2; December, 74 1/2; May, 74 1/2.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET. Liverpool, Aug. 10.—Official prices: Wheat, 48 1/2; Corn, 48 1/2.

ARGENTINE GRAIN SHIPMENTS. Chicago, Aug. 10.—Grain shipments: Wheat, 1,374,000; Corn, 2,810,000.

COMMANDER TANNER REACHES MINNEAPOLIS

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 10.—Arrangements are complete to entertain the Grand Army of the Republic next week.

POLICY-HOLDERS WANT REAL MUTUALIZATION. New York, Aug. 10.—The international policy-holders' committee has started a vigorous campaign to secure the actual mutualization of life insurance companies.

NEGRO ON SCAFFOLD DENOUNCES JUDGE. Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 10.—Earl Fletcher, a negro, was hanged here today for killing a fellow convict in the prison.

SUFFRAGISTS ARE TO GATHER IN HOLLAND. Copenhagen, Aug. 10.—The woman suffragists will meet next in 1908 in Holland.

MARKET IS HIGHER DESPITE MONEY

New York Stocks Advance During the Day With Trading Not Quite So Active.

HARRIMAN ISSUES ARE AMONG THE LEADERS

Southern Pacific One and an Eighth and Union Pacific One and Three Eighths Higher—New York Central Same Amount Higher.

Amalgamated Copper, 10 1/2; American Locomotive, 10 1/2; American Sugar, 10 1/2.

Wall Street, New York, Aug. 10.—Although money rates were crowded around 4 1/2 per cent the stock market was bullish today.

Amalgamated Copper, 10 1/2; American Locomotive, 10 1/2; American Sugar, 10 1/2.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT BONDS. New York, Aug. 10.—Government bonds: Two, registered, 100 1/2; Three, registered, 100 1/2.

PORTLAND BANK STATEMENT. Clearings, \$705,664.49; Balances, \$9,231.10.

NEW YORK SILVER MARKET. New York, Aug. 10.—Silver market, 60 1/2.

LIVERPOOL COTTON LOWER. Liverpool, Aug. 10.—Cotton futures closed 1/2 to 3/4 points lower.

THREE PRISONERS ESCAPE FROM NEVADA PRISON

Dig Through Walls of Penitentiary—Bloodhounds on Trail.

RENO, Nev., Aug. 10.—Petro Felizo, serving a life term for murder in Esmeralda county; Guy Vernon, serving two years for Elko county, and William Blackwell, serving 10 years for robbery in Elko county, all desperate men, dug through the walls of the Nevada penitentiary at Carson at midnight and escaped.

CHESTER MASON IS ARRESTED AT SALEM

Salem, Or., Aug. 10.—Chester O. D. Mason was landed in the county jail this evening. It seems that his wife, Nettie Mason, began divorce proceedings against him in Baker county and that the papers to be served on the defendant were sent here, as it was known he was residing in Salem.

DEPUTIES TO GUARD SPRINGFIELD LYNCHERS

Springfield, Mo., Aug. 10.—The sheriff today swore in 30 more deputies to aid during the trials of the men indicted for lynching. The state officials will confer with Governor Folk as to the advisability of sending the militia.

SECOND INDICTMENT FOR STANDARD OIL

Standard Oil Company, 100 1/2; American Locomotive, 10 1/2; American Sugar, 10 1/2.

POO AND WOMEN COMPROMISED

Many Letters From Oregon Metropolis Found Among Effects of Murdered Hypnotist.

DEMANDED AND GOT COIN FROM ADMIRERS

Nothing Found to Explain Why He Was Killed, Unless Woman Discovered Real Character and Shot Him in Jealous Fit.

Enrollment, Aug. 10.—Hundreds of letters from all parts of the country have been found among the effects of John T. Mahon, manager of the Ideal Yeast & Biscuit company, who was shot and instantly killed by Mrs. Lola Reed Tuesday night, who then committed suicide.

Some of the letters from Portland, Ore., were extremely incriminating in their contents and if made public would compromise a number of supposedly respected women and cause no end of scandal in the northern metropolis.

No motive has yet been found for the murder and suicide, but it is presumed that Mrs. Reed, who has been Mahon's companion for several years, discovered his real character and baseness and in indignation shot him, and in despair killed herself.

Mrs. Lola Reed was 25 years old, handsome and well known. The tragedy was enacted at the home of Luella Cool Walker, one of the best-known women practitioners of dentistry in the west, at Thirtieth and Washington streets.

For several days past Mrs. Reed had been making her home with Dr. Walker, having recently returned from a trip to Camp Meeker, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Forrest Mitchell.

Shortly after 9 o'clock Tuesday evening Dr. Walker was conversing in the parlor of her home with Mrs. Galloway, the address of a local religious weekly, when Mrs. Reed and Mahon entered the parlor and into the room in the rear.

A few seconds later two sharp reports rang out. The two women in the parlor were startled by the reports, but agreed that they had probably been made by one of the automobiles that are so often in the neighborhood.

Shocking Sight. As they entered the room a shocking sight greeted their eyes. Lying prostrate at the foot of a table, Mahon held still grasping the portable receiver of the telephone which he had been using, lay the body of Mahon. Close to his body lay that of Mrs. Reed, and between them lay a pool of blood. Both were dead when Dr. Cool bent over them to search for signs of life.

The deed was done by the woman, the police being convinced, by the nature of the wounds and the fact that Mahon left hand still clutched the telephone receiver in a viselike grip. The pistol ball had entered his right temple and gone straight through his head, bringing instant death. The bullet that ended Mrs. Reed's life was evidently discharged from the revolver when held close to the right side of her neck, the ball having gone upward and to the left.

PIONEER OF DALLES DIES IN NEW YORK

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) The Dalles, Or., Aug. 10.—The death of Mrs. Thomas Smith in New York last Tuesday removes from life one of the pioneer residents of The Dalles.

She was the widow of the late Thomas Smith and was a resident of this city over 40 years. Her husband was formerly proprietor of the Empire hotel in this city, later of the Cosmopolitan, and at one time manager of the Occidental in Portland and of the Chamoketa in Salem.

Mrs. Smith was aged about 65 years and had three daughters, the oldest of whom is the wife of H. M. Beall, vice-president of the First National bank of The Dalles.

The remains will be shipped to this city, where they will be buried beside those of her husband in the Catholic cemetery.

BOLTING TEAMSTERS HAVE ORGANIZATION

Chicago, Aug. 10.—The bolting teamsters today organized the United Teamsters of America, adopted a constitution and declared that their parent organization had accepted their demands for mental rights. The morning session of the original teamsters' convention was peaceable.

AFTER A HARD DAY'S WORK

If there is any one class of young people that needs encouragement and educational advantages, it is those working in shops and factories. Our evening school is conducted for such persons and offers the highest class of instruction.

BRANCHES TAUGHT: BOOKKEEPING, SHORTHAND, TYPEWRITING, VOUCHER ACCOUNTING, BANKING.

ENROLL NOW. CATALOGUE. BEHNKE-WALKER THE LEADING BUSINESS COLLEGE

Ability demands recognition. Miss Clara Louise Marye, a graduate of the Holmes Business College, starts for China this week, all traveling expenses paid, to accept a position with a large lumber importing firm at Hongkong.

Miss Marye is a young woman of character and fine business ability. Faithfulness and technical knowledge have finally won for her an enviable distinction, and she is kind enough to attribute to the Holmes Business College credit for having equipped her with one of those necessary requisites.

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