

WHAT DEALERS SAY OF LOCAL MARKETS

WANT COMPLAINTS ABOUT WEIGHTS

Local Shippers Claim There is Too Much Shrinkage in San Francisco.

ALMOST A TON LOST ON POTATOES SENT THERE

Between Portland and the Bay City Stocks Lose Over Five Pounds to the Sack, While to Other Cities Loss is Smaller.

Principal market features today: Stop potato assignment trade. Oregon apple trade with certain growers. Wheat and flour hold steady. Eggs are beginning to freeze. Little dressed meat arriving.

STOP POTATO ASSIGNMENT TRADE.

Of late potato producers of Oregon have been breaking away from the assignment trade. There has been considerable friction between the local shippers and California receivers regarding weights. The local shippers claim that their stocks arrive in the Bay city they are not given credit for all they send.

POTATOES AND ONIONS DULL.

Through no fault of the demand, both the potato and the onion market show a very dull tone today. The longer buying is due entirely to present weather conditions.

OREGON APPLES MAKE HIT IN ORIENT.

Every steamer which leaves this port for the Orient takes more apples than the preceding one. The Oregon steamer has made a hit in the Orient and almost every variety grown here is used there.

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By Sherk, Gaze & Graham. On account of the unprecedented cold weather the market has been in a peculiar condition. Eggs have temporarily advanced and we do not look for a change for a few days after the weather moderates.

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THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE and TELEGRAPH COMPANY

First Mortgage and Collateral Trust 5 per cent Sinking Fund 30-Year Gold Bonds. Dated January 2, 1907. Interest January 2 and July 2. Due January 2, 1937.

These bonds cover the entire property of the company operating the extensive Bell telephone system in California, Oregon, and Washington, with branches into adjacent states.

A large portion of the proceeds of these bonds will be used in improving the systems in Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, and Spokane.

We offer \$3,000,000 of the above bonds for public subscription at 102 1/2 and accrued interest. Subscriptions will be received up to and including January 21, 1907.

MESSRS. LADD & TILTON AND THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK.

N. W. HALSEY & CO., Bankers

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New York. Philadelphia. Chicago.

MUCH ICE BUT NO BLOCKADE

Bull Run Water Can Flow Into Pipe Line Without Interference.

HEAVY SNOWFALL ON THE WATER RESERVATION

Big Highland Main Cannot Be Filled Although Completed, as the Pressure is Low and There is No Water to Spare.

No danger of a shortage in Portland's water supply need be apprehended on account of the flow of ice at the head works on Bull Run river.

Mr. Dodge said the fall of snow at the head works was heavy and extended down into the lower country.

Mr. Keyser said that owing to the present waste of water the stream from Bull Run will not be turned into the great Highland main for a few days.

"It would take two or three days to fill the main, and we cannot spare the water at present," he said this morning.

"We are expected to fill the main with spare water and we have none to spare. Today the east side is consuming 8,500,000 gallons daily.

"The waste on the west side is not so great as on the east side, but there are millions of gallons of the supply of 23,000,000 gallons daily unaccounted for.

We have 13 inspectors out looking for householders who are wasting water in order to save plumbers' bills, and whenever a person is found committing the offense his water is turned off without notice.

"Our pressure today, due to the prevention of waste, is greater than yesterday. Our pressure yesterday was 15 pounds greater than Monday.

If the fire on the east side yesterday had occurred the day before when pressure through the back yard after the shot was fired, it was ascertained by Klein that two suspicious characters had been seen at the corner of Tenth and Hoyt streets just before the shooting.

The barracks and officers' quarters on the east coast of Samar were destroyed. No estimate of the damage of property has yet been made.

The storm was the worst that has occurred within the last 10 years. Communication with Leyte and Samar has been cut off for the past six days and only messengers-particulars of the storm were received today.

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BANISHED CROWN PRINCESS

The evening performance of the curtain will be that of 'Cripple Creek' and the matinee performance at 2 o'clock. Seat sale opens next Saturday.

Richard Harding Davis is author of "Ransom's Fall" which the Baker theatre company is giving this week, and his long experience at giving one of the greatest of war correspondents makes it quite likely that he has drawn pretty nearly correct pictures of the society and of army life. The play is full of snap and ginger and the stage settings most realistic.

"How Baxter Butted In." "How Baxter Butted In" is the suggestive title of the lively farce the Baker company will present all next week, starting Sunday matinee. This is a real musical comedy besides one of the most laughable and exciting plots there will be a number of clever specialties introduced.

"At Cripple Creek" Popular. "At Cripple Creek" which is at the Empire theatre, without doubt one of the most popular of all the State plays that have visited Portland from season to season. This is the second visit of this great western play, filling like people are going to the Empire to see it in large numbers.

"The Midnight Flyer" Coming. A play with sensational scenic effects in "The Midnight Flyer" which comes to the Empire theatre Sunday matinee as next week's attraction. It includes the grand illuminated scenes, "Brooklyn at Sea," "The Mammoth Ship Sinks," "The Realistic Shipwreck," "The Storm at Sea," "The Andromeda Mountains in Winter" and the thrilling "Railroad Scams."

"Sapho" at Lyric. "Sapho" the most talked-of play of the age, is the attraction presented this week by the Lyric theatre. This is the first time that this noted drama has been produced at Lyric prices. Sarah Bernhardt and other great dramatic actresses have played "Sapho" at Grand, which bills Wanda Howard as portraying this week at the Lyric.

"Humbog" at Star. For a real high visit the Star theatre this week and witness a performance of the Allen "Humbog." By long odds this is the funniest farce ever given in the Star theatre. The play has a plot, which consists of an unlimited number of complications, and each new situation brings forth another snafu.

Gymnasts at Grand. Vanderville de Luxe is advertised by the management of the Grand and the show this week is the most magnificent ever given in the Grand. Two of the greatest acrobatic troupes in the world will present their talents in the Grand. The first time that the great acrobatic troupe of the Grand, which bills Wanda Howard as portraying this week at the Lyric.

Olga Nethersole as "Sapho." Portland theatre-goers may consider themselves fortunate in the fact that the distinguished English artist, Olga Nethersole, will pay a visit to the Lyric theatre during the next three days of the coming week. This will be her first visit to this city. For her opening performance and for the two performances on Wednesday she will present Olga Nethersole's version of Alphonse Daudet's "Sapho." The bill for Thursday evening that Olga Nethersole will present is Arthur W. Pinero's distinctive English society play, "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray." The great star appearing as Paula Tanqueray. These bills will furnish our theatre-goers an opportunity to observe the versatility of this fine artist. For

Borah Elected Senator. (Journal Special Service.) Boise, Idaho, Jan. 16.—The legislature senate today to succeed Dubois.

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