TODAY'S MARKETS

There Is Much Danger to Onion Growers of Oregon If They Push the Price Much Beyond Present Limits.

BURSTING VALUE IN EGG MARKET

Price Again Down and Unless Weather Changes Will Go Lower.

Front street features:
Eggs are dropping fast.
Poultry market sluggish.
Cut price of creamery butter.
Dressed hogs harder to sell.
Dressed veal still in good demand.
Halibut is advanced to 10c.
Wire nails down 10c a keg.
Car celery and car cauliflower.
Oranges and bananas arrive.
Steelhead salmon coming faster.
Another good run of smelt.

Egg Prices Dropping Fast.

Eggs are being offered along Front street today by the commission trade at 27c and 27½c with receipts of a still lower figure. Receipts are still very heavy and the market is showing a disposition to drop. All interests agree that only a severe cold snap will stop the market from becoming depressed beyond redemption. Some predict 20c local ranch eggs within a week or 10 days.

Chicken market remains very slow with receipts still quite liberal. Live turkeys can scarcely be sold at any price but there was a limited call this morning for dressed stock.

Cut Price of Creamery Butter.

The creamery butter situation is getting more badly mixed every day. Two of the local makers claim they are not able to supply the demand even at the recent advance in prices but this opinion is not shared by handlers of outside product. Fancy creamery is today being offered the trade at prices that range from 32½c to 35c with only top brands moving at the latter figure. Storage butter is more depressed than ever and holders are offering supplies down as low as 25c a pound. It is stated that sales are being made at this low mark.

Dressed Hogs Harder to Sell.

Those dealers who were boosting the price of dressed hogs to an outrageous figure a week ago are now finding considerable difficulty in moving their arrivals at 7c for best stuff. From this figure the price ruled down about 1c for other grades during the past 24 hours. Dressed veals are quoted firm but the trade is not generally disposed to pay over 9c for best stuff, although a sale or two is reported at 9½c in a small way.

Steelhead Salmon Is Coming.

Local fish wholesalers report fair arrivals of steelhead salmon from the Columbia this morning. They say that arrivals are also fair in Chinooks. Prices hold the same.

Halibut is scarcer and the price has been advanced 1c to 10c a pound by the local trade.

Run of smelt is quite heavy in the Cowlitz and prices continue nominal at 2½c and 3c. Most sales at lower figure.

Oranges Are Selling Lower.

A lower range of values is quoted in the orange market. In the south a slump was shown in prices recently and this has affected the price throughout the county. For a time packers thought they would be able to hold up the price to a stiff figure but the crop was too heavy and small packers began to undersell the larger ones. This resulted in a general cut. In this market most of the sales reported today were around $1.75 and $2.00 although some were sold as high as $2.25.

A car of oranges and some bananas arrived in this morning.

A car of Los Angeles celery and a car of cauliflower from the same place were unloaded this morning. Cauliflower is in good shape and is moving at $1.85 and $2 a crate of two dozen.

Brief Notes of the Trade.

Wire nails are down 10c a keg. This puts the base price at $3.10 today.

Tanglefoot shows an advance of 20c a case for new business.

Apple market still improving in demand but prices are not moving up because of the low price of oranges.

Hops are showing heavy transactions with primes moving today at 5½c and ...

Wheat market is inclined to a faint showing of weakness today but values here are stationary.

Flour market is still dragging for export grades but local trade is fair at former quotations.

Front street sells at following prices. Prices paid shippers are less regular commissions:

Grain, Flower and Feed.

GRAIN BAGS—Calcutta, 9c; large lots; small lots, 9½c.

WHEAT—Track prices—Club, 85c; red Russian, 83c; bluestem, 87c; valley, 85c.

CORN—Whole, $32; cracked, $33 ton.

BARLEY—New—Feed, $27@$27.50 per ton; rolled, $30@$31; brewing, $29.

RYE—$1.55 per cwt.

OATS—New—Producers' price—No. 1 white $27 per ton; gray, $26@26.50.

FLOUR—Eastern Oregon patents, $4.95; straights, $4.50; exports, $3.90; valley, $4.30@4.50; graham, ¼s, $4.50; whole wheat, $4.75; rye, 50s, $5.50; bales, $3.

MILL STUFFS—Nominal—Bran, $24 ton; middlings, $29; shorts, country, $27; city, $26; chop, $19@22.

HAY—Producers' price—Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy $15; ordinary, $11; eastern Oregon, $17; mixed, $10@$10.50; clover, $10@12; grain, $10@12; cheat, $10@12.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—F. o. b. Portland—Sweet cream, 36c; sour, 34c.

BUTTER—No. 1 creamery, 37½@40c; extra fancy creamery, 35@37½c; fancy, ...c; second, 32½c; storage, 30c; store, ...c.

EGGS—Extra fancy, candled, 27@...½c; eastern storage, 18c dozen.

CHEESE—New—Full cream, flats, ...c per lb; Young Americans, 17c per ...

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 12c per pound; fancy hens 12@12½c per lb; roosters, old, 11c; fryers, 12½c lb; broilers, 12½c lb; ducks, 15c; geese, old, 11c per lb; turkeys, alive, 15c lb; dressed, 18@19c; lb; squabs, $2.50 doz; pigeons, $1.25 doz.; dressed poultry, 1@...c per lb higher; wild geese, $4@5 doz.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—1907 crop, first prime, 6@7c; prime, 5½@6c; medium to prime, 5½c; medium, 4@5c lb; 1906 crop, 1@2c lb.

WOOL—1907 clip—Valley, 16@18c; eastern Oregon, 12½@18c.

MOHAIR—29@29½c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 12@13c lb; green, ...c; calves, green, 5@7c; kips, 5c; bulls, green salt, 3@4c lb.

SHEEPSKINS—Shearing, 15c@20c each; short wool, 25c@40c; medium wool, 50c@$1 each; long wool, 75c@$1.25 each.

TALLOW—Prime, per lb, 3c@4c; No. 2 and grease, 2@2½c.

CHITTIM BARK—5c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Fancy, 60@75c selling; buying, Willamette valley, 50@55c; eastern Multnomah and Clackamas, 60@65c per cwt; sweets, 3@3½c per lb.

ONIONS—Jobbing price, $2.50; buying, spot, $1.90@2.25; garlic, 7c per lb.

APPLES—Select, $1.75@$2.00; fancy $1.50; choice, $1@1.25; ordinary, $1.00.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, new $2@2.75; bananas, 5c lb; lemons, $3@4.50; box; limes, Mexican (——) per 100; pineapples, $4@4.50 dozen; pears, fancy, $1.50@1.75; ordinary, $1 a box; tangerines, $1.50 a box; Jap oranges, 50c a box; persimmons, $1.75.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new, 50@...c sack; carrots, 50c per sack; beets, 65@75c per sack; parsnips, 85c@$1; cabbage, 85c@$1.25; tomatoes, California, $1.50; beans, 15c; cauliflower, $1.10@1.20 doz; peas, 10c; horseradish, 8c lb; artichokes, $1@1.10 doz; green onions, ...

EGGS STILL DROPPING SAYS WALTER BOLLAM

"There seems to be no low mark for egg values at this time, for quotations are dropping almost every day. The weakness is very pronounced and it will take some very cold weather to stimulate trade a bit.

"Chicken trade is sluggish and stocks are dragging everywhere with low prices still the rule."—Walter Bollam of Dryer, Bollam & Co.

15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse lettuce, $1.25@1.75 box; cucumbers, hothouse, $1.50 box; radishes, 15c doz. bunches; eggplant, 15c lb; celery, 75c@85c; cranberries, eastern, $10@11.50; sprouts, 8c per lb.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California and Hawaiian—Cube, $5.95; powdered, $5.80; berry, $5.60; dry granulated, $5.60; XXX granulated, $5.40; conf. A., $5.60; extra B., $5.10; golden G., $5.00; D. yellow, $4.90; beet granulated, $5.40; barrels, 10c; half barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c advance on sack basis.

(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.)

HONEY—$3.60 per crate.

COFFEE—Package brands, $15.88@16.63.

SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, $12.50 per ton; 50s, $14.00; table, dairy 50s, $19.00; 100s, $18.75; bales, $2.50; imported Liverpool, 50s, $20.00; 100s, $19.00; 4s, 18.00; extra fine barrels, 2s, 5s and 10s, $4.50@5.50; Liverpool lump rock, $20.50 per to; 50-lb rock, $12.50; 100s, $12.00.

(Above prices apply to sales of less than car lots. Car lots at special prices subject to fluctuations.)

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5½@5¾c; New Orleans, head, 7c; Ajax, 5c; Creole, 5¾c.

BEANS—Small white, $4.25; large white, $4.10; pink, $4.10; bayou, $3.90; Limas, $6.50; Mexican reds, 4½c.

NUTS—Peanuts, Jumbo, 6½c per lb; Virginia, 6c per lb; roasted, 8c per lb; Japanese, 5¾@6c; roasted, 7@9c per lb; walnuts, California, 18c per lb; pine nuts, 15c per lb; hickory nuts, 10c per lb; brazil nuts, 15c per lb; filberts, 15c per lb; fancy pecans, 16@20c per lb; almonds, 16c.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

FRESH MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 7c per lb; large, 7c per lb; veal, extra, 9c per lb; ordinary, 8½c per lb; heavy, 6@7½c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs., 12½c per lb; 14 to 16 lbs., 12½c per lb; 18 to 20 lbs., 12½c; breakfast bacon, 15½@22½c per lb; picnics, 9c per lb; cottage roll, 10c per lb; regular short clears, smoked, 11¾c per lb; unsmoked, 10¾c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 10¾c; smoked, 11¾c; Union butts, 10 to 13c lbs., unsmoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 13c per lb; clear bellies, unsmoked, 12½c per lb; smoked, 13½c per lb; shoulders, 10c; per lb; pickled tongues, 7oc each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 12½c per lb; 5s, 12⅝c per lb 50-lb. tins, 12c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 11½c per lb; 5s, 11⅝c per lb; compound, 10s, 8¼c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 12½c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 10c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, chinook, 12½c; ordinary fresh, 10@11c per lb; frozen, 9c; herrings, 5c lb; soles, 7c lb; shrimps, 10c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomcod, 11c per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 25c per dozen; sturgeon, 12½c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelt, 7c per lb; Columbia smelt, 2½@3c; black cod, 7½c lb; crabs, $1.00@1.50 dozen.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, $2.50; per 100-lb sack, $5.00; Olympia, per gallon, $2.40; per 100-lb sack, $6.00@6.50; Eagle, canned, 60c can; $7 dozen; eastern in shell, $1.75 per hundred.

CLAMS—Hardshell, per box, $2.40; razor clams, $2.00 per box; 10c per doz.

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

ROPE—Pure manila, 14c; standard, 12¼c; sisal, 10¼c.

COAL OIL—Water white, tanks, 12½c; case, 18½c; headlight, cases, 20c; Elane, cases, 28c; Eocene, cases, 21½c gallon.

GASOLINE—86 deg., cases, 24½c per gal; iron bbls, 18c per gal.

BENZINE—86 deg., cases, 25c per gal; iron bbls, 23c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 96c per gal; wood bbls, 93c per gal.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7¾c per lb; 500-lb lots, 8c per lb; less lots, 8¼c.

WIRE NAILS—Present basis at $3.10.

INVESTIGATING FISH TRAPS IN COLUMBIA

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Astoria, Or., Jan 22.—Secretary Rosenberg of the United Fishermen today received a letter from Colonel Roessler, U. S. engineer officer for this district, notifying him that Colonels Leach and Lockwood will be in Portland today to take up the dispute arising from the complaint of fishermen that a number of traps right above and below Point Ellice were endangering the navigation of fishermen's boats and that other traps above the Fort Columbia dock were illegally driven further out than originally permitted by the secretary of war. Colonel Roessler also states that the trapmen have been notified to be present. Secretary Rosenberg and Secretary Lorntsen of the Columbia River Fishermen's Union, left last night for Portland. Mr. Rosenberg in explanation of this matter said: "Two years ago we made complaint to Colonel Roessler that fish-traps at Point Ellice were killing fishermen, were destroying thousands of dollars' worth of nets and were interfering with the navigation to fishermen's boats."

FOREIGNERS BUYING LESS CANNED MEATS

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—The severity of the losses of foreign demand for canned meats is shown by the government totals of exports, which in 1903 were $6,850,079, as against $3,434,754 in 1906, and $2,333,586 in 1907.

However, the exports of fresh beef in 1907 were $26,151,968 as against $23,246,762 in 1905, and the exports of hams in 1907 totaled $23,529,337 as against $21,358,576. In was in the exports of fresh and pickled pork that the biggest gains in foreign sales are shown, these being $16,229,788 for 1907 as against $9,837,029 for 1904. There was a decline in the total of exports of meats, dairy products and food animals from $224,542,384 in 1906 to $208,415,946, a loss of $16,126,438. On the other hand the exports of flour increased, the total for 1906 being $58,130,251 as compared with $64,642,323 for 1907, showing that the purchasing power of foreign nations was not less in 1907 than 1906. The total exports show the same thing—$967,338,947 for 1907 as compared with $729,341,151 for 1904. It was the farmer who has scored the big increase in exports, the total of breadstuffs for 1904 being only $92,311,812 as compared with the grand total of 1907 of $204,459,443.

Northwest Crop Weather.

Western Oregon and Western Washington—Rain or snow tonight and Thursday; increasing easterly winds interior, fresh easterly gale along coast.

Eastern Oregon—Snow tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight.

Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho—Rain or snow tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight.

Southern Idaho—Increasing cloudiness tonight. Thursday rain or snow.

HOGS WEAKER BUT HOLDING

Price Is Unchanged in Local Yards—Small Arrivals Do Not Help at All.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	...	25	...
1907	...	40	223
1906	...	126	...
1905	182	155	2,222

Portland Union Stockyards, Jan. 22.—Nominal arrivals are again shown in the local stockyards. Receipts for the 24 hours had a total of but 25 head of cattle, not a single head of sheep or hogs arriving.

All lines are holding former quotations but notwithstanding the small arrivals of late, hogs are weak with prices about the same as yesterday. Cattle are steady but sheep are very firm, but quotations do not seem to be able to advance over the present list.

A year ago today all lines were firm at unchanged values:

Official yard prices:

Hogs — Best eastern Oregon, $5.25; China fats, $5.00.

Cattle—Best eastern Oregon steers, $4.00@4.25; best cows and heifers, $3.25; bulls, $1.75@2.00.

Sheep — Best wethers, $5.25@5.50; mixed and best ewes, $4.00@$4.50; lambs, $5.25@5.50.

MANY HOGS LEFT OVER.

Packers Not Buying Heavily and Eastern Price Loses Again.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 22.—Hogs, 55,000; cattle, 6,000; sheep, 18,000. Hogs are 5c lower. Left over from yesterday, 65,000. Mixed, $4.15@4.50; heavy, $4.25@4.50; rough and heavy, $4.10@4.20; light, $4.15@4.40.

Cattle—Steady to 10c lower.

Sheep—Steady.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 22.—Hogs, 30,000; cattle, 10,000; sheep, 5,000.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 22.—Hogs, 17,000; cattle, 4,000; sheep, 5,000.

PRICE OF PRODUCE IN SAN FRANCISCO

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 22.—Wheat—No. 1 California club, per cental, $1.60@1.72½; white Australian, $1.75@1.80; northern bluestem, $1.75@1.77½; northern club, $1.67½@1.70; inferior grades, $1.50@1.60.

Barley—No. 1 feed, $1.47½@1.50, with some fancy at $1.52½; common to fair, $1.40@1.47½; brewing at San Francisco, $1.55@1.60; brewing and shipping at Port Costa, $1.52½@1.57½; chevalier, $1.65@1.85.

Butter—Fresh California extras, 34½c.; firsts, 30c.; seconds, 22c. Storage—California extras, 24c; firsts, 23c; seconds, 22½c. Eastern extras, 24c.; firsts, 23½c.; seconds, 23c. Ladles, eastern, 20c.; firsts, 19c.

Eggs—Fresh, per dozen, extras, 27½c; firsts, 6½c; seconds, 24c; thirds, 22½c. Storage—California extras, 18c.; firsts, 17c.; seconds, 14c.; eastern extras, 20c.; firsts, 18c.; seconds, 14c.

New Cheese—Per pound: California flats, fancy, 15c.; firsts, 13½c.; California young America fancy, 15c.; firsts, 14c. Storage—Eastern fancy, New York, 17½c.; Oregon, 15c.

Potatoes—Per cental: Salinas Burbanks, $1@1.25; Lompocs, $1.30@1.40; Oregon Burbanks, 90@$1.20; river writes, 35@75c.; early rose, $1.10@1.30; river reds, $1.35@1.40; sweet potatoes, $2.50@2.75 per cental and $2.75 for crates.

Onions—Yellow danvers, $2.40@2.65.

Oranges—Per box: Navels, $1.25@2.25, with some fancy $2.25@2.50.

BUY SALT AT COST.

Oregon Sheepmen to Get Supplies at Mine Value.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Pendleton, Jan. 22.—According to Dan P. Smythe, secretary of the Oregon Woolgrowers' Association, the Oregon woolgrowers have purchased 50,000 shares of stock in the salt plant owned by the Idaho growers. The stock has been purchased by individual sheepmen, most of them of Umatilla county, but is for the benefit of all the members of the association, by which it is to be taken over later. By this purchase of stock Oregon sheepmen will receive 500 tons of salt annually at exactly what it costs to mine it and lay it down at its destination. At present prices this means a saving of $3 per ton. The plant is located at Ogden.

SPOKANE MINING EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by Downing-Hopkins Co., members Spokane mining exchange.)

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 22.—Official prices:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax	9	11
Alameda	3½	6
Alberta Coal & Coke	25	31
Bell	2	10
Bullion	4¼	6½
Chas. Dickens	5½	8
Canadian Cons. Smelters	60	80
Copper King	3	3⅜
Dominion Copper	230	300
Evolution	1¾	2½
Echo	2	2½
Galbraith Coal	24	28
Gertie	3⅛	...
Hecla	250	350
Happy Day	1½	3
Holden G. & C.	4	6¼
Humming Bird	5	7
Hypotheek	1	1¾
Idaho Giant	5	7
International Coal & Coke	79	86
Kendall	89	94
Lucky Calumet	13½	21
Missoula Copper	5	7
Mineral Farm	⅝	1¾
Moonlight	2¼	4
Nabob	1½	...
O. K. Cons.	1	2½
Oom Paul	6	8
Panhandle Smelt	3⅞	4¼
Park Copper	1	2¼
Rambler Cariboo	25	26
Reindeer	1¾	2½
Rex (16 to 1)	18¾	25
Sonora	¼	2½
Snowshoe	6½	9
Snowstorm	134	150
Sullivan	6	7
Sullivan Bonds	50	.....
Stewart	81	93
Tamarack & Ches.	50	100
Wonder	1	2

Sales today are: 1,000 Dickens at 7c; 500 Snowstorm at $1.33; 200 Snowstorm at $1.34; 100 Snowstorm at $1.35.

Northwest Bank Statement.

PORTLAND.

Clearings today	$759,979.98
Year ago	895,327.49
Balances today	131,975.09
Year ago	139,750.74

SEATTLE.

Clearings	$1,025,961
Balances	81,824

TACOMA.

Clearings	$ 709,639
Balances	58,050

Goldfield Mining Stocks.

San Francisco, Jan. 22. — Goldfield Consolidated, $5.80; Florence, $4.60; Atlanta, 35c.

BUYERS FORCE WHEAT LOWER

Liverpool in the Market for Supplies and Would Purchase Cheaply.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

	Open	Close	Jan. 21	Loss
May	102	102¼	102⅝	⅛
July	97¾	98⅝	98⅝	...

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Liverpool was but lukewarm at the start of today's session and did not follow the advance made here yesterday. May opened there at 7s 3d or at exactly the same point as yesterday. It closed at 7s 7¼d, or ⅛ penny under the previous final.

Foreigners are still heavy buyers in America but are not going to pay more than compelled to. Liverpool is depressing values whenever possible. Opening values here ⅝ to ¾c lower for July and May options respectively. July was stronger later in the day and regained all its loss, but the improvement on May was slight and the closing was ¼c lower.

Corn market was playing on its own hook today and did not follow the trading into her pits. There was an advance of nearly 1c at the close for May. Oats opened ⅛c lower for May and ¼c for July. It closed ⅛ to ⅜c down. Pork was weak again on lower hogs in the yards, today's trading resulting in a loss of 20c.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
May	102	102⅝	101⅝	102¼
July	97¾	98½	97½	98⅝
Corn.				
May	60⅝	61⅛	60¼	61⅝
July	59⅞	60	58⅞	60
OATS.				
May	52¼	52¼	51⅛	52
July	45⅜	...	...	45⅛
MESS PORK.				
May	1310	1310	1292	1297

Tacoma Wheat Market.

Tacoma, Jan. 22.—Wheat, export, club, 83c; blue stem, 85c.

Liverpool Wheat Lower.

Liverpool, Jan. 22.—May wheat opened at 7s 8d; closed at 7s 7¼d, ⅛d under yesterday.

Chicago Cash Barley.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Cash barley—78@93c.

CALL MONEY RATES ARE WORKING LOWER

STOCK MARKET LOSSES.

A. Smelter	¼	U. S. Steel, pfd.	⅜
Atchison	⅜	Locomotive	⅛
B. & O.	⅜	L. & N.	½
St. Paul	1	O. & W.	⅛
Colo. Fuel	⅝	Penn.	1⅛
Reading	1⅛	People's Gas	¼
U. S. Steel	⅝		

STOCK MARKET GAINS.

Amalgamated	¼	Brooklyn	⅛
Canadian	⅛	C. & O.	½
N. Y. Central	⅛	N. P.	⅛
Rock Island	⅛	U. P.	⅛
do pfd.	⅝	G. N. pfd.	¼

New York, Jan. 22.—Money rates continue to develop weakness and selling prices went down to 1¾ per cent today. The top rate for the day was 2½ per cent, but ruling sales were generally around .. per cent.

Trading in the stock market was not on such an extensive scale today, total transactions for the day reaching 653,100 shares. The market opened weak and lower, with the exception of a few issues, and lost more during the day. Harriman and Hill stocks held their own well today with fractionally advanced figures.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co.:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal Copper	49½	50⅞	48⅞	50
Am Sugar	110½	112⅝	110½	.....
Am Smelter	66	66⅞	64⅝	65¼
Anaconda M Co.	32¼	32⅝	31⅝	32
Atchison	71⅞	72⅞	71⅝	71¾
Balt & Ohio	86⅝	87	86	87
Brooklyn R T	44	45½	43⅝	44⅝
Canadian Pac	149	149	147⅝	148⅝
Central Leather	19	.....	.....	19
C. M. & St. Paul	112½	113¼	111	112⅛
Ches & Ohio	29½	29⅝	29	29½
Col Fuel	21	21	19⅝	20
Erie	15⅝	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝
Am Locomotive	38⅝	38½	38⅛	38¼
L. & Nashville	89½	98¾	98	98
Missouri Pac	43⅝	44½	43½	44
N. Y. Central	99	99⅝	98½	99
North Pac	124¼	125¾	123¼	124¼
Ont & Western	33⅝	34	33⅜	33⅝
Penns. Ry.	114⅞	115	115¼	113⅝
People's Gas	85½	85½	85	85¼
Reading Ry. c.	103	103⅞	101⅝	102½
Rock Island, c.	13⅞	14¼	13⅝	13⅞
R. I. pfd.	27⅝	.....	.....	28⅝
So. Pacific, c.	75⅛	75⅝	74⅝	75⅛
So. Railway, c.	10¼	10⅜	10⅛	10⅝
Union Pacific, c.	124	125⅛	123⅛	124¼
U. S. Steel, c.	29¼	29½	28⅞	29⅛
do pfd.	92¾	93¼	92¼	92⅝
Wabash, pfd.	16	16¼	16⅛	16
Am. Smelter, pfd.	90¼	.....	.....	90½
Norfolk	66⅝	67⅛	66⅝	66⅝
G. N. pfd.	121¼	.....	.....	121⅝

Call money opened at 2¼, high 2½, low 1¾, closed at 2. Ruling rate, 2¼. Total sales, 653,100 shares.

EASTERN ONIONS ARE NOW COMING TO COAST

The statement of The Journal that eastern onions could be and would be brought to the Pacific coast this year has been confirmed. Says Sam Broadus of this: "I brought a number of cars of eastern onions to Los Angeles the other day at $2.15 and they can be landed at any other point at this price. There is, however, some danger in bringing them out because of the cold weather, so dealers on the coast will pay a small premium over eastern figures. Much beyond the present price there is danger to the coast growers, for eastern stock can be brought in at lower figures. I bought several cars myself at $2.25."

Sixth Term in Prison.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 22.—Richard Caldwell was released from the Ohio penitentiary today, a free man for the sixth time in his life, after having completed a term of two years for robbery. Since he was 18 years old he has served practically all his life behind the bars, and seems to enjoy prison life. The prison officials expect him back again soon, although Caldwell declares that he has now had enough and intends to lead an honest life in future.

SHOOTS GOTHAM NEWSPAPER MAN

Woman Kills Frank Brady Then Herself in a Restaurant.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Jan. 22.—In the midst of scores of shoppers in Macey's dry goods store at noon today a woman, supposed to be May Roberts Clark, leaped from a table in the store's restaurant, where she was dining with Frank Brady, an advertising man, and shot him five times, instantly killing him. As the terrified diners were dashing from the large room, dropping knives, forks, napkins and even food as they ran, the murderess shot herself twice and died a few minutes later in a hospital.

There were several hundred persons dining in the place when the Clark woman stepped from the elevator and approached the table at which Brady was sitting with Frank McPherson of the Evening Telegram.

She sat down for a moment and then quickly pulled a revolver from a handbag and started to shoot. Brady had no time to defend himself. He tried to run, but fell over dead. In the panic that ensued several women were trampled upon, a few being slightly injured. The woman shot herself twice. The police say they found a second revolver in her handbag. Brady was 27 years old and the woman was three years his senior. The motive for the shooting is not known.

LITTLE GIRLS SERVE TEA TO CLUB OFFICERS

Officers of People's Institute Reelected—Class Exhibitions Very Interesting.

Members and friends of the Institute club to the number of about 150 gathered yesterday at the rooms of the People's Institute on the occasion of the third annual meeting. Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, the president, gave the address of welcome and spoke of the rapid growth of the society which three years ago was begun as an experiment, to see what could be done for the women and children of the north end. She paid a tribute to the splendid spirit shown by the volunteer workers in all departments and the abundant aid given by the willing members of the club, and also highly praised the labors of Miss Valentine Prichard, the director, whose able management has been so well demonstrated.

Mrs. William Mackenzie gave her report as secretary and Mrs. Charles Ladd, the treasurer, gave her report. These two officers, with Mrs. George Simons, chairman of the finance committee, were chosen to succeed themselves.

The report of Miss Prichard was heard with much interest as she spoke of the need for such an organization among the wage-earning people who have so little time or incentive for educational advancement or for industrial progress. She outlined the work of each department and showed how each in its own line contributes to the well-being and uplift of the women and children who have been members of the classes. There are now about 250 children in the various classes, and the mothers' club has a good attendance and is doing a progressive work.

The exhibition of work by the different classes attracted much attention from the visitors. The little housekeeper's class showed their stoves, beds neatly made up, tables set for a meal, their ironing boards and wash tubs, with which toy equipment they put into practice the lessons learned. The work of the sewing classes was shown, from the first running stitch to the more advanced work of difficult darning and mending. Even the littlest ones of the kindergarten had a representation of their labors, in the neat sand table, made into a playground with swings and games.

The exhibit of basketry and pottery done by the manual training class was much admired.

The work of the mothers' club was represented by an exhibit of their rugs and the neat little cot which they have earned and which is to be presented to Good Samaritan hospital.

A social hour was spent by the visitors. Mrs. J. Frank Watson, Mrs. H. W. Corbett, Mrs. W. B. Ayer and Miss May Failing presided at the tea tables, and the little girls of the cooking class demonstrated their ability in serving the tea and wafers.

EVANS' FLEET SAILS FROM RIO JANEIRO

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—Rear Admiral Evans' Atlantic fleet sailed for Puntas today, according to a telegram just received from the admiral.

Red Sunday Anniversary.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

St. Petersburg, Jan. 22.—Extraordinary precautions were taken by the military authorities today to prevent disturbances, this being the anniversary of "Red Sunday," when Father Gapon led a demonstration of the people that resulted in fatal riots. Orders were issued by the prefect of police forbidding people to congregate on the streets, and strong patrols wer scattered throughout the city to prevent demonstrations.

ACCUSES GRAND JURORS OF BIAS

Counsel for Treadwell Shows That Five Members Had Money in Bank.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Jan. 22.—Twelve members of the grand jury were called to testify in Judge Dunne's court this morning as to any business connection they might have had with the California Safe Deposit & Trust company, at the request of Attorney Louis Byington, who is representing James Treadwell, the indicted director of the defunct institution.

Byington called the grand jurors in an attempt to show that they were biased at the time of the indictment being filed against his client, owing to the fact that several of them had deposits in the bank at the time and thus lay the foundation for the motion to dismiss the indictments which had previously been made to Judge Dunne. All of the grand jurors testified that they had no bias in the matter and only five of them had money deposited in the trust company at the time it closed its doors. Judge Dunne continued the matter until tomorrow for decision.

William J. Bartnett, disgraced official of the defunct California Safe Deposit & Trust company, through City Physician James T. Watkins, has made application to Sheriff Dolan to be allowed to sleep on a cot in the main corridor, alleging that the continuous sight of the bars in front of him is rapidly unnerving his whole system. Dr. Watkins has recommended that the sheriff take action immediately and further states that Bartnett is so far gone that he paces up and down in the main corridor during his hours of exercise, running his fingers through his hair, clearly indicating his nervous condition.

Commenting on the situation this morning in the county jail, Sheriff Dolan agreed with Dr. Watkins that the jail is not sufficiently well heated and that during the night all the prisoners are exposed to draught, and that very few of them have escaped contracting colds.

ANTI-GUGGENHEIM BILL IN THE SENATE

(Washington Bureau of The Journal.)

Washington, Jan. 22.—Senator Penrose today introduced a bill for the Alaska Pacific Railway & Terminal company, extending to March 18, 1909, the time in which the company may file maps and complete the first part of its line from Katalla bay to the coal fields. This company has been engaged in a fight with the Guggenheims for two years past for control of the best route into Alaska. If the bill is defeated the Guggenheims will have control.

NEW MEXICO FIGHTS TO SECURE STATEHOOD

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, Jan. 22.—New Mexico will make another determined effort to break into the union as the forty-seventh state. Governor Curry has reached the city to open headquarters where literature bearing on the question of statehood for New Mexico will be distributed.

"We expect to get a vote on the question this session," said the governor today. "Judging from promises we have received I believe that the bill admitting New Mexico to statehood will pass."

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TWO DAYS' RECORD REACHES $90,000

Real Estate Activity Gives Evidence of Having Spring Fever.

Real estate transfers aggregating in value over $90,000 were filed for record Monday and Tuesday.

Among the larger transactions reported were the following: Five acres east of Mount Tabor sold to Theodore Praunn by Loyal D. Elliot at the rate of $900 an acre.

House and lot at the northeast corner of Broadway and East Water streets, purchased by William Weber from Edward J. Grahs, for $4,300.

Two-story frame residence occupying fractional lot on Rodney avenue, between Cook avenue and Fargo street, purchased by Samuel W. McIlrane from Mike Ritter; consideration, $3,500.

House and lot at Vernon sold by Olaf Kiola to Ole J. Halland, for $3,000.

Ten acres east of Gresham, purchased by F. L. Rugg from J. M. Short, for $3,000.

M. L. Holbrook sold to N. F. Noren a new residence occupying fractional lot in Smith's addition to St. Johns; consideration, $2,500.

The St. Johns Gas Light and Heat company purchased from Ben Wise a 50x100-foot tract at St. Johns for $2,000.

At Point View, north of St. Johns, Mrs. Matilda Edwards has purchased four unimproved lots from Jacob Halvorson, for $1,450.

Harry W. Hogue has sold to John Vernon a 75x100-foot residence site on Cook avenue, between Williams and Rodney avenue; consideration, $1,450.

A. D Moodies has purchased a fractional lot on East Pine street, near East Twenty-eighth street, for $1,500.

Pass on Johnson Estate.

F. W. Torgler, Thomas Palmer and William Cline, Jr., appraisers of the estate of P. K. Johnson, have reported that it is worth $9,704.

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