

TODAY'S MARKETS

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SPRING CHICKS FLYING HIGHER

Real Article Sometimes Brings as High as 40c a Pound—Hops Down.

Front street features: Spring chickens very high. Poultry market is steady.

Record prices have again been reached by the spring chicken market.

Clean Eggs at 20 Cents. The egg market is showing a disposition to weaken on every occasion.

Salmon Market is Lower. As was forecast in this report during the past week, there was a reduction in the price of fresh salmon today.

Local Onion Men Lower Views. Local onion growers are lowering their price views and those who were eagerly holding for \$2.50 are now willing to let go at \$2.25 to \$4.

Vegetable Market is Good. There is a very good tone in the local vegetable market. Recent receipts have been small and demand has been good.

Wheat Market is Steady and Unchanged. Nothing doing in flour. Dressed meats are in eager demand.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. Butter prices sell at the following prices. Street paid shippers are less regular commissions.

GRAIN BAGS—Caltica, 9c; large lots, small lots, 9 1/2c. WHEAT—Track prices—Club, 80c; red, 78c; bluestem, 82c; valley, 80c.

GRAIN—Wheat, 83c; cracked, 83c; rolled, 82c; barley, 82c; rye, 82c; oats, 82c.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. BUTTER—Extra, fancy, 34c; choice, 33c; ordinary, 32c; best storage, 27c; 30c; second grade, 25c; more, 20c a pound.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 12c; 13c; 14c; fancy hens, 13c; 14c; broilers, 20c; old, 10c; fryers, 20c; 1/2 grown, 20c; turkeys, 15c; 16c; 17c; ducks, 15c; 16c; 17c; geese, 15c; 16c; 17c; pigs, 15c; 16c; 17c.

JAPANESE ONIONS INVADING THE COAST. As was predicted by The Journal over a month ago, Japanese onions have made their appearance in the Pacific coast markets.

TRY TO ESTABLISH A NEW MINING EXCHANGE. Another effort will be made to establish a mining stock exchange in Portland.

Boston Copper Market. (Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.) Boston, Feb. 24.—Official prices: Boston Cop. ... 18 1/2c; Butte Conia ... 18 1/2c; C. B. ... 18 1/2c; ...

POULTRY TONE QUITE GOOD AND STEADY

"There is a good and steady tone in the local chicken market. While receipts have been quite good, there has been sufficient demand to keep the market in good shape and prices have been generally maintained.

Wheat Jumps Suddenly in Price and Shorts Are Caught in a Trap. Chicago, Feb. 24.—Further evidence of the heavily oversold condition of wheat was amply displayed in the trading in this and other markets today.

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Wheat and other markets were dull with a fractional advance in the former and about unchanged quotations in the latter, as compared with Friday's closing.

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COEUR D'ALENE LIST IS QUOTED GENERALLY HIGHER—SNOWSTORM LOWER.

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 24.—There is a great revival of interest in mining shares and stocks in the Coeur d'Alene group, and they are generally more eagerly sought.

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With R. P. Scherwin, vice-president and general manager of the San Francisco and Portland Steamship company, Assistant to the Vice-President Frey and O. L. Blair, general freight agent and passengers for this trip the new steamer Rose City is making a fast trip and should be in Portland by 8 o'clock tonight.

The Rose City left San Francisco two hours ahead of the North Pacific Steamship company's Koonoke from San Francisco, and has proven that she is the fastest of the San Francisco liners.

It was reported at the offices of the San Francisco and Portland Steamship company officials that no special significance further than an inspection of the Portland offices and headquarters of the company.

WEATHER BUREAU CRIPPLED. All but One of Force Is Suffering With the Grip.

Six out of the seven employees of the United States weather bureau have been unable to be at the office because of severe cases of grip during the past week. The latest victim is Edward A. Heals, head of the Portland district, who is at home sick today.

TRICOLOR IN HARBOR. Norwegian Steamship Will Carry Lumber to the Orient.

The Norwegian steamship Tricolor, a vessel new to Portland, reached the Eastern and Western mills at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Nainamo and will load lumber for the Orient.

REPAIR CABLES. Broken Strands Under River Are Being Spliced.

Two worn out cables under the Willamette river are being hauled out by the Portland Electric company, one from under the Morrison bridge and one from under the Burnside bridge.

RUSH WORK ON INSTITUTE. New Seamen's Building Will Be a Handsome Structure.

Construction work on the new Seamen's Institute for Vancouver, B. C., is progressing rapidly, according to Rev. A. Bernays, chaplain of the local institute, who has just returned from Vancouver.

MARINE NOTES. Astoria, Feb. 24.—Arrived down at 3 a. m.—Norwegian steamer Haida, arrived at 8:15 a. m.—Steamer Johan Paulsen, from Portland.

Along the Waterfront. The British bark Alexander Black left Columbia dock No. 2 at 1 o'clock this afternoon for Queenstown with a cargo consisting of 499 bushels of wheat, valued at \$38,150.

DO NOT WANT MORE ARMORIES. Grangers Say Numerous Contracts Would Finally Result in Grafting.

(Called Press Leased Wire.) Salem, Or., Feb. 24.—The state grangers today filed arguments against the "free pass" bill and the appropriation of \$25,000 for four years for the establishment of armories throughout the state.

OFFICES IN. Merchants Trust Building SIXTH AND WASHINGTON.

BEST LOCATION IN CITY. MODERN EQUIPMENT THROUGHOUT. FOR ROOMS APPLY TO Merchants Savings & Trust Company 247 WASHINGTON STREET.

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(Called Press Leased Wire.) Guadaluajara, Mexico, Feb. 24.—S. M. Felton, president of the Mexican Central railway, and Colonel Eneas Randolph, head of the Harriman lines in Arizona and Mexico, have had a conference here.

Harriman is said to be endeavoring to prevent the merger of the Mexican Central with the present government roads, and it is understood that Harriman influence placed Felton at the head of the Central system.

The steamer Nome City, loading wheat at Columbia No. 2, will go to Portland tomorrow to complete her cargo with lumber for San Francisco.

THE STEAMER HANAIEL LEFT SAN FRANCISCO FEBRUARY 15, the date originally expected that Harriman will secure control of the Central.

THE WHISTLING BUOY OFF THE MOUTH OF THE COLUMBIA RIVER has been reported as out of order to the lighthouse department.

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6 ACRES, good cultivation but no buildings, near to carline, 2 1/2 miles from R. R. station, good buildings; only \$2,000; cash. Write for particulars.

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Good soil, 4 blocks to car, 50 acres; reasonable good terms. Also 1/2 and 1/4 acre in city limits; easy payments; \$2,000; cash. Write A-274, care Journal.

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I can deliver for a few days one of the best family hotels or apartment houses in the city, 100 feet on third, close in; \$12,000; easy terms; I can show you 20 per cent net in this if you improve.

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331 Chamber of Commerce.

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CARD OF THANKS

WE DESIRE TO THANK THE friends and neighbors for their kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, WILLIAM J. NETHERTON, Wesley B. Netherston.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Frederick Greenwald, 26, 300 North Seventh street; Freda, 24, 1111 C. O. Scheirman, 25, Endicott, Washington; Kate Alt, 21, 185 Seventeenth street; Otto K. Kleinberg, 24, 18 North Thirtieth street; Julia Ubrich, 21, Fred S. Alyn, 24, 1268 East Taylor street; Ed. Frances Prince, 19.

Wedding cards—The best, 100 for \$1. Alvin B. Hawk, 144 2d st.

Toneth & Co., Sorbets, for flowers at 223 4th st.

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Full dress suits for rent, all sizes, Unique Tailoring Co., 309 Stark st.

Max M. Smith, Supt., 155 4th st., opp. Meier & Frank's, Main 1214.

BIRTHS

MOORE—February 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore, a son, 8 1/2 lbs., 5 1/2 inches, a daughter.