TODAY'S MARKETS

Oregon Producers Are After Dealers Who Persist in Knocking the Quality of Oregon Eggs to Sell Eastern Stock.

BERRY SUGAR 10 CENTS OFF

Price of This Grade and Fruit Out at Same Figure as Granulated.

Wholesale market features:
Berry sugar is lower.
Cool weather affects fruits.
Asparagus supplies small.
First gooseberries are in.
Lettuce market is hit hard.
High prices on garlic.
Red onions are weak.
Eggs are firm but unchanged.
Enormous meat receipts.
Salmon is very scarce.
Shad almost given away.
Car seedling oranges arrives.
New chittim bark coming.

Berry Sugar Is Lower.

California & Hawaiian Sugar Refining company announces a reduction of 10 cents per hundred pounds in the price of berry sugar, which puts the price at the same figure as rules on regular dry granulated. This is the price that berry formerly sold at a short time ago, the advance of 10 cents above granulated at that time being due entirely to the unusual demand for the finer grinding. The Western Sugar Refining company and the Honolulu Plantation company are quoting the same change. Today's price on berry or fruit sugar stands at $6.45 per hundred pounds.

Looks Like 5-Cent Beans.

The market on beans is so firm at this time that prices can scarcely be held at $4.75 for large and small whites very much longer. Five-cent beans are now predicted by local handlers because of the unusually heavy demand now coming to California from the east and the very small available supplies to tide the trade over until the new crop is ready for the market.

Along with the bean market rice prices are showing unusual strength and at primary points several late advances in value have been announced because of the nominal holdings. Even these small stocks are in hands that are able to hold until able to command higher values.

First Seedling Oranges Arrive.

The first car of seedling oranges to enter this market the present season rolled in this morning. Supplies were in excellent shape and are finding a demand around $3 a box.

Navel oranges are frimer, but prices are not showing any change.

Strawberry market is steadier again with best quality being held at $1.65 on California fruit and 10@15c a box on local product.

Supplies of garlic in the local market are still very scant and prices are holding stiff at 20@25c a pound, according to quality.

Red onions are somewhat weak because of disappointing quality, but high prices are still easily obtained on Bermudas because of good quality.

Lettuce market has been hit hard during the past few days owing to the very heavy supplies and the competition from outdoor-grown stock. Sales as low as 75c today.

Shad Almost Given Away.

So heavy have become the arrivals of shad from the Columbia river during the past few days that even at the low prices that have ruled supplies are increasing in dealers' hands and another drop of ½c is reported today.

According to the wholesale fish trade the season for Willamette river salmon is about over. At the present time the run is very small. Reports from the lower river tell the same story. Prices stiff in consequence.

Brief Notes of the Trade.

New-peel chittim or cascara bark is arriving in the local market in small lots and is finding a demand at 3@3½c a pound, the latter for large lots. For old bark the market here is 4c.

Eggs are holding firm at unchanged values despite the efforts of eastern handlers here to run down the quality and therefore the demand.

Chicken market is steady at former prices.

Dressed meats are in heavy supply and prices on all grades are just holding their own. Country-dressed mutton is not so anxiously sought at this time because of poor handling. Price rules around 8@9c a pound.

The sale of hops at Grants Pass is reported at the former level of values. Best grades show healthiest tone.

Cool weather is affecting the sale of fruits in general.

A shipment of Florida tomatoes arrived in this morning in green condition. Generally quoted at $3@3.50 a crate.

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

Grain, Flour and Hay.

WHEAT—Board of Trade—Club, 89c; bluestem, 91c; red, 86½c; Willamette valley, 89c bushel.

FLOUR—Eastern Oregon patents 4.65; straights, $3.85; exports, $3.45@$3.60; valley, $4.45; graham, ¼s, $4.15; whole wheat, $4.40; rye, 50s, $5.50; bales $5.

MILLSTUFFS—Board of trade—Bran, $26; middlings, $30.50; shorts, $27@28.50; chop, $27.50 per ton.

HAY—Producers' price—Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy $15; ordinary, $12.50@13; eastern Oregon, $16@17; mixed, $10@10.50; clover, $10@12; grain, (—); cheat, (—); alfalfa, $11@12.

BARLEY—Board of Trade—Feed, $24.50; rolled, $27@28; brewing, $26.

OATS—Board of Trade—No. 1 white, $27.50@28; gray, $27 per ton.

CHITTIM BARK—Nominal.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—Delivery f. o. b. Portland; sweet cream, 22½c; sour, 20½c lb.

BUTTER—Extra creamery, 24c; fancy, 22½c; ordinary, 20@21¼c; store, 18c.

EGGS—Extra fancy, candied, 18@18½c.

CHEESE—Full cream, flats, 14@14½c; half skimmed, 13c lb; Young Americas, 15½c per lb; California Young Americas, 15c; flats, 14c lb.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 14@14½c lb; fancy hens, 14½@15c; roosters, old, 10c per lb; fryers, 20@25c lb; broilers, 20@25c lb; geese, old, 8@9c lb; turkeys, alive, 15@17c per lb; dressed, 19@20c lb; squabs, $2.50 dozen; pigeons, $1.25 dozen; dressed poultry, 1@1½c per lb. higher.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—1907 crop, first prime, 5½c; prime, 4½c; medium to prime, 4c; medium, 3@4c lb; 1906 crop, ½@1½c lb; contracts, 1908, 8@8½c lb.

WOOL—1908—Willamette valley, 12@12½c.

MOHAIR—1908—Nominal, 18c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 12@13c lb; green, 4@5c; calves, green, 5@7c; kips, 5c lb; bulls, green salt, 2½@3½c lb.

SHEEPSKINS—Shearing, 10@15c 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.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Select, 75c, selling; buying, Willamette valley, 45@50c; eastern Multnomah and Clackamas, 50@55c per cwt; sweets, 3¾@4c; new potatoes, 3c.

ONIONS—Bermuda, $2.50 per 50 lb crate; 5 crate lots, $2.40 per crate; California red, $3 per cwt; garlic, 25c lb.

APPLES—Select, $3; fancy, $2.25@2.50; choice, $2.00; ordinary, $1.50.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $3.00@$3.50; bananas, 5½c per lb; crated, 6c; lemons, $3@3.75 box; grapefruit, $2.50@3.50; pineapples, $4.50@5.50 doz; strawberries, California, $1.25@1.65 per 15-box crate; Oregon, 10@15c box.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new Oregon, 12½c bunch; beets, $1.00 sack; parsnips, 85c@$1; cabbage, $1.50@2; tomatoes, Florida, $4.00@4.50; Mexican, $2.50@2.75; beans, 11@12c; cauliflower, Oregon, (—) per doz; peas, Oregon, 7@8c; California, 5@6c; horseradish, 8@10c lb; artichokes, 50@75c doz; green onions, 12½c doz; peppers, bell, 25c; Chile, 15c lb; hothouse lettuce, 75c@$1.25 box; head lettuce, 25@30c doz; cucumbers, hothouse, local, $1@1.50 doz; radishes, 15c doz. bunches; rhubarb, Oregon, 2½; celery, (——); cranberries, eastern, $9@10.50; sprouts, 8c lb; asparagus, Oregon, 70@75c doz bunches; Walla Walla $1@1.25 box; spinach, 80@85c box; gooseberries, 15c.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California & Hawaiian Refinery—Cube, $6.80; powdered, $6.65; berry, $6.45; dry granulated, $6.45; XXX granulated, $6.45; conf. A., $6.45; extra B., $6.0C; golden G., $6.60; D., yellow, $5.75; beet granulated, $6.35; barrels, 15c; half barrels, 30c; boxes, 55c advance on sack oasis.

(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.)

HONEY—$3.60 per crate.

COFFEE—Package brands, $16.50.

SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, $11.00 per ton; 50s, $11.50; table, dairy 50s, $16.50; 100s, $16.00; bales, $2.35; 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 ton.

than car lots. Car lots at special prices subject to fluctuations.)

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5½@5¾c; New Orleans, head, 7¾c; Ajax, (—); Creole, 5¾c.

BEANS—Small white, $4.75; large white, $4.75; pink, $3.85; bayou, $3.85; Limas, $5.86; Mexican reds, (—).

NUTS—Peanuts, Jumbo, 7c per lb; Virginia, 6¾c per lb; roasted, 9c per lb; Japanese, 6¼@6½c; roasted, 8½c per lb; walnuts, California, 16c 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.

DRESSED MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 8c lb; ordinary, 7@7½c; large, 5@6c; veal, extra, 7½@8c per lb; ordinary, 7c per lb; heavy, 6½@7c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb; spring lamb, with pelts, 10c; without pelts, 11@14c.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs., 15c per lb.; 14 to 16 lbs., 14½c per lb.; 18 to 20 lbs., 14½c; breakfast bacon, 14@22c per lb; picnics, 10c per lb; cottage roll, 11c lb; regular short clears smoked, 11½c per lb; unsmoked, 10½c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 10½c; smoked, 11½c; Union butts, 10 to 13c lb; unsmoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 13c per lb; clear bellies, unsmoked, 13c per lb; smoked, 14c per lb; shoulders, 11c per lb; pickled tongues, 70c each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 12⅝c per lb; 5s, 12⅞c per lb; 50-lb tins, 12½c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 11⅜c per lb; 5s, 11⅝c per lb; compound, 10s, 8⅜c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 12½c lb; flounders, 6c lb; halibut, 5@6c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, chinook, 9c per lb; steelhead, 7c per lb; herrings, 5c per lb; soles, 7c per 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, 6@7c per lb; sturgeon, 12½c lb; black cod, 7½c lb; crabs, $1.00@1.50 doz; shad, 2½c; roe shad, 6c; shad roe, 12½c lb.

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, 13c; standard, 11½c; sisal, 9½c; I. B. sisal, 8¾c.

Coal Oils—

	Iron Bbls.	Cases.	Wood Bbls.
Water White	10½c	.....	14½c
Pearl Oil	.....	18 c	.....
Head Light	12½c	19½c	.....
Eocene	.....	21 c	.....
Special W. W.	14 c	.....	18 c
Elaine	.....	28 c	.....
Extra Star	.....	21 c	.....

Gasoline—

	Iron Bbls.	Cases.
V. M. and P. Naphtha	12½c	19½c
Red Crown Gasoline	15½c	22½c
Motor Gasoline	15½c	22½c
86 per cent Gasoline	30 c	37½c
No. 1 Engine Distillate	9 c	16 c

BENZINE—86 deg., cases, 19½c per gal; iron bbls, 12½c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 72c per gal; wood bbls, 69c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls 49c; cases 55c; boiled, bbls 51c; cases 57c a gal; lots of 250 gallons 1c less.

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

WIRE NAILS—Present basis at $3.15.

GOOSEBERRY FIXINGS AGAIN ON THE LIST

Gooseberry pie and other fixings that can be brought together with gooseberries as the principal feature are again given a place of prominence in the menus. The first gooseberries of the season to enter the Portland market came in today and were quoted at 15c a pound at wholesale, an unusually high figure even for first arrivals.

DIME IS OFFERED FOR VALLEY WOOLS

It has been many a year since Willamette valley wool sold as low as 10c a pound, but recent sales here have been between that figure and 12c. Valley wools are getting coarser and coarser each season because producers find it more convenient to breed for the mutton market rather than for the fleece. The recent sale in London in which prices ruled 10c lower has caused a quieter tone to rule, although business in wools has not yet reached a fair degree of activity this season.

WOOL INTERESTS DO NOT FIND AGREEMENT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Payette, Ida., May 14.—Not for years has there been the stagnation in the wool markets that prevails this spring. It is the middle of May, but not a pound of wool has been sold and there is no certain prospect that a pound will be sold for a good many weeks. Evidences of a great fight between the buyers and the sellers are seen only in the inactivity on both sides. If the wool does not begin to move very soon at somewhere near satisfactory prices to both sides a good many of the growers in this part of the state will make preparations for storing their fleeces until such time as they can realize for them what they believe they should have. Neither the sellers nor the growers are making advances. The inactivity of the buyers is attributed to the fact that during the two previous years they did not realize as much as expected from their contracts, so this year they are wary about making contracts and much prefer to handle the wools on commission.

Usually at this time the roads leading into Payette are crowded with big freight wagons loaded with wool on the way to warehouses, whence they would be shipped to eastern buyers. This year but a few straggling wagons have come in.

POTATOES 15 CENTS HIGHER

Market Is Up Because of Demand—Journal's Predictions Fulfilled.

The prediction of The Journal that every car of marketable potatoes in Oregon would find a demand this season at better prices has been fully confirmed, according to Sam Broadus, a local handler and shipper.

"The market is 10 to 15c higher than a week ago and orders are pouring in from California and Arizona at a lively rate. In fact we have more orders for potatoes than we can confirm at present.

"This shows that The Journal was right in telling the farmers a week or so ago not to feed their potatoes to the hogs because there would be a demand for all of them at good prices. I believe that we will not have enough to go around."

SHEEP LOOKING SICK WITH HEAVY SUPPLIES

Market Is Unchanged for Day but Trade Expects Prices Will Go Lower.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	....	480	2,435
1907	122	600	1,476
1906	14	122	500
1905	....	...	...

Portland Union Stockyards, May 14.—Much weakness is shown in the sheep market at this time. Receipts are quite heavy for the day, consisting of 2,435 head compared with 1,476 for this day a year ago and 500 head two years ago. The market looks sick and the trade is now freely predicting a decline in values. No change today.

No hogs arrived for the day and that market is firm at unchanged values.

Cattle are firm with good arrivals, prices maintained.

A year ago today the heavy run of sheep caused a drop of 25c. Other lines were easy at unchanged values.

Official yard values today:

Hogs—Best stuff, $6.25@6.35; China fats, $6@6.25; feeders, $5@5.25.

Cattle—Fancy eastern Oregon steers, $5; medium, $4@4.50; best cows, $3.50@3.75; bulls, $2.50@3; stags, $3@4.

Sheep (sheared)—Best wethers, $4.75@5; spring lambs, weighing 75 pounds, $5.75@6; ewes, $4.25@4.50; mixed, $4.50@4.75.

Hogs Turn Weak.

Chicago, May 14.—Hogs, 28,000; cattle, 6,000; sheep, 8,000. Hogs are weak at yesterday's close. Left over yesterday, 7,500. Mixed, $5.25@5.57½; heavy, $5.40@5.55; rough, $5.20@5.35; light, $5.25@5.55. Cattle steady. Sheep steady.

Kansas City, May 14.—Hogs, 17,000; cattle, 5,000; sheep, 4,000.

Omaha, May 14.—Hogs, 8,000; cattle, 2,100; sheep, 4,000.

Latest News of Oregon Crops

Cool weather is interfering with the growth of asparagus in Oregon and receipts in this market have been unusually small of late. Higher prices than usual the rule.

Advices just received from the hop sections state that the yards are in poor shape generally, owing to the continuance of very cool weather. The yards present an appearance that does not argue well for the size of the coming crops. Warm weather is badly needed throughout the hop sections. It is stated that the vines are at present about three weeks behind the usual growth.

Strawberries are rotting on the plants owing to the lack of sunshine and although receipts of Oregon berries are slightly increased, growers now state this this year's crop will not come up to early expectations.

Dr. H. F. McCormack of Eugene states in the Daily Register of that city that better reports are now coming regarding the Italian prune crop. Many who thought their crop ruined a week ago are now talking of a full production. According to Mr. McCormack there will be at least a 40 per cent crop of Italians and a full crop of French and silver prunes. The apple crop indications point to an immense production. The peach, pear and plum crops will be larger than in any recent season, according to indications.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, May 14.—The bay section of California was visited early this morning by heavy showers. Reports from the interior show that Santa Rosa and the lower end of Sacramento valley have also received good drenchings. The weather bureau forecasts showers this afternoon and tonight. The present rain is doing a general good, although there will be a little damage to hay and berries.

PRODUCE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Oregon Potatoes Are 15c Higher—Red Onions Take Another Drop.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, May 14.—Butter (per pound)—California fresh: Extras, 23½c; firsts, 22½c; seconds, 22c; packing, No. 1, 20c; do No. 2, 19c.

Eggs (per dozen)—California fresh, including cases: Extras, 20½c; firsts, 19c; seconds, 16½c; thirds, 16c.

New Cheese (per pound)—California flats, fancy, 11½c; firsts, 11c; seconds, 10½c; California Young America, fancy, 13½c; firsts, 13c; storage, eastern fancy, New York, 16c; New York, 14c.

Potatoes (per cental)—Oregon Burbanks, $1.00@1.25; river whites, fancy, 40@85c; new potatoes, $1.25@1.75 per cental; sweet potatoes, $3.50 per cental.

Onions—Bermudas, $1.50@1.60 per crate; Australian browns, $4.00@4.50 per crate; red onions, $1.00@1.25.

Oranges (per box)—Navels, fancy, $2.75@3.00; tangerines, $1.50@2.00.

Northwest Bank Statement.

PORTLAND.

Clearings today	$ 907,882.96
Year ago	1,027,615.65
Balances today	46,324.23
Year ago	115,234.23

SEATTLE.

Clearings	$1,472,588
Balances	177,478

TACOMA.

Clearings	$631,267
Balances	46,295

Northwest Crop Weather.

Western Oregon and western Washington—Cloudy with probably showers tonight and Friday; variable winds, mostly westerly.

Eastern Oregon, eastern Washington and Idaho—Cloudy with possibly showers tonight and Friday.

MAY'S FRIENDS APPEAR AGAIN

Story of Lion and Lamb Is Repeated Today in the Chicago Wheat Pit.

CHICAGO WHEAT VALUES.

	Open.	Close.	May 13.	Gain.
May	100⅞	102¼	100½	1⅝
July	90	90⅝	89⅞	⅝
Sept.	87	87	86⅝	¼

Chicago, May 14.—In a trap which they themselves sprung, the sellers of May wheat received a shock today that will cause them to lose the sleep of several nights. It was merely the repitition of the old story of bull and bear with lion and lamb features added. The wheat market opened slow and closed very strong with May option 1⅝c above the final of yesterday.

Short covering formed the principal reason for today's advance in the May options and this helped other deliveries to assume an upright position for the day. At the close July was advanced ⅝c and September ¼c. Liverpool was weak at the start with a loss of ⅛d for the July but later in the day a considerable amount of short covering there put July to 7s 7½d, where it closed ⅛d above the final figures of yesterday.

Range by Downing-Hopkins company:

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	100⅞	102¼	100⅝	102¼
July	90	90⅝	89⅛	90⅝
Sept.	87	87¼	86	87

CORN.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	64¾	65⅞	64⅝	65⅝
Sept.	63⅝	64⅜	63⅝	63⅞

OATS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	45¼	45⅝	45⅜	45⅝
Sept.	37½	37¾	37⅜	37⅝

MESS PORK.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	1347	1372	1360	1340
Sept.	1372	1347	1335	1365

BLUESTEM IS HIGHER.

Premium of 1c Allowed for Wheat Here With None Offered.

There is an enormous demand for oats at this time and for gray a premium of $1 a ton was offered on the board of trade today. Millstuffs were firmer because of the advance of 50c a ton today on bran and shorts in San Francisco. Barley was firmer but unchanged.

An advance of 1c a bushel was offered for 200 tons of bluestem wheat here today with none offering at 92c. The demand at this time is from California.

Receipts of produce for the 24 hours ending 11 a. m. today were:

Thirty-five boxes asparagus, 107 boxes butter, 55 boxes cherries, 50 coops chickens, 130 cases eggs, 78 hogs, 46 mutton, 44 sacks peas, 5 boxes peas, 164 veal, 1,291 crates strawberries, 5 packages beef, 65 crates tomatoes, 1 crate turkeys, 4 boxes dressed poultry, 6 sacks vegetables, 25 crates pineapples, 94 cases lemons.

GRAIN IN SAN FRANCISCO.

San Francisco, May 14.—Merchants Exchange prices:

Wheat—May, $1.66½; December, $1.57.

Barley—May, $1.48; December, $1.32½.

Cash wheat—White Walla Walla, $1.70; red Russian, $1.67½; turkey red, $1.75; bluestem, $1.73¾.

Cash barley—No. 1 bright, $1.50; brewing, $1.60.

Cash oats—No. 1 white, $1.55.

Millstuffs—Bran, $31.50; middlings, $34; shorts, $32.50 per ton.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

Liverpool, May 14.—July wheat opened at 7s 6½d, closed at 7s 7½d, a net gain of ½d over yesterday.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

Tacoma, May 14.—Wheat—Export, club, 86c; bluestem, 88c; red, 84c.

COPPER STOCKS IN LEAD OF THE ADVANCE

New York, May 14.—Stock market records were again broken today, with Anaconda Mining the leading feature. For the day Anaconda shows a net gain of 3¼ points, closing stiffly at the high mark for the session at 44¾. Sales for the day were the heaviest since October, 1,061,300 shares being traded in up to 2 p. m.

Leading features closed with the following net gains today: Union Pacific, 1¼; Northern Pacific, 1⅝; St. Paul, ⅞, Amalgamated Copper 2¼; American Smelter, 1⅞; Anaconda Mining, 3¼; U. S. Steel preferred, ⅜; American Sugar, 1⅝; Southern Pacific, 1½; Reading, 2¼ points.

By the action of today's market the high points for this movement were broken by Union Pacific, Northern Pacific, Reading, American Smelter, Amalgamated and Anaconda Copper, Sugar, St. Paul and U. S. Steel.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co.:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Copper	66	68¼	66	68¼
Sugar	129	130⅞	129	130⅝
Colo. F. & I.	29⅝	29⅞	29¼	29½
Brooklyn	50¼	50⅝	50⅛	51
People's Gas	92	92⅛	91⅞	91⅞
U. S. Steel, c	37½	38⅛	37⅛	38⅛
do pfd.	102	102⅝	101⅞	102¼
Atchison	82¼	83⅜	82⅛	83⅜
B. & O.	92	92	91	91⅝
Can. Pacific	160⅞	160⅞	159¼	160
Erie	20⅝	20⅞	20¼	20¾
L. & N.	108½	109⅞	108½	109
Mo. Pacific	51⅝	51⅝	50⅝	51¼
Pennsylvania	120⅝	121⅛	120½	121⅛
Reading	114⅞	116⅞	114⅜	116⅜
Rock Island	19⅝	19⅞	18⅞	19
S. Pacific	86½	87⅛	86⅛	86⅞
St. Paul	133¾	135⅜	133⅜	134¼
U. Pacific	142½	143⅜	142⅛	143¼
Wabash pfd	23⅛	23⅜	23⅛	23⅜
Am. Smelter	76⅛	77⅜	76	77⅝
N. Y. Cen.	105⅞	106½	105⅝	105⅞
Nor. Pac.	136⅝	138	136⅛	137⅝
Anaconda	42¼	45⅛	42⅛	45⅛
So. Ry.	18⅝	18⅝	18	18⅝
Great Nor.	131⅝	.....	.....	131¼
R. I. pfd	40	.....	.....	39⅞
Ches. & Ohio	43½	44⅞	43¼	43⅝
Smelter pfd	99⅝	100	99¼	99⅛
Am. Loco.	50½	.....	.....	50½
Cotton oil	30	.....	.....	31¼
Ontario	41⅞	.....	.....	41⅞
Am. Woolens	22	.....	.....	22½
Soo c	111⅝	113	111½	112⅝
Central Leather	.....	.....	.....	26⅝
Fed. Smelter	.....	.....	.....	75½
Norfolk	.....	.....	.....	71⅝
Metropolitan	.....	.....	.....	27
Soo pfd	.....	.....	.....	125

Total sales, 1,289,000 shares.

Money—High, 2 per cent; low, 1½ per cent; close 1½ per cent.

Today's Metal Market.

New York, May 14.—Metal prices: Copper—Lake, 12⅝@13¼c; electrolytic, 12½@12⅝c; castings, 12¼@12⅝c.

Yukon Gold Shares.

New York, May 14.—Yukon Gold, 4⅝.

BASKET WEAVER IS BLUEBEARD

Believed German Murdered Ten People, Including Wife and Three Sons.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Berlin, May 14.—The arrest at Grossromstadt of a basket-maker named Koch for the murder of his wife has led to startling revelations, which suggest that the man is a veritable Bluebeard.

Koch is suspected of having killed several other women. He has already confessed to the murder of his former housekeeper, a woman named Elise. He had cut up her body, burned the pieces, and buried the bones. This method of crime concealment was also adopted in the case of his wife.

A woman named Schmidt disappeared from Neustadt in October, 1905, and Frau Fuss was also missing from July of last year. It is now alleged that there is evidence from Weimar connecting Koch with the disappearance of these women.

In the basket-maker's garden at Obdrndorf human bones were found, and, after further digging, the complete body of a woman was brought to light.

The police believe that Koch is the perpetrator of nine other murders, including those of two former wives, a son and three house-keepers.

U. R. FRANCHISE ON WHITE HOUSE ROAD

Multnomah county is to receive $500 per year for the franchise of the United Railways on the White House road until $6,250 is paid, or until 1921, and $250 per year after that, according to the tentative agreement reached with the members of the county court.

Other concessions granted to the county include the privilege of hauling rock at 2 1-3 cents per yard per mile for county road work, either on that road or on the Linnton road, where the company also asks a franchise, and the agreement to widen the White House road to 80 feet where it is less than that width.

The company agrees to build on the east 20 feet of the road, and where its construction work encroaches on the county's macadam, to restore the roadway to as good a condition as before. The franchise covers the right to build to the county limits. It follows in the main lines of the proposition published at the time the application was presented.

M'MONAGLE BROUGHT BACK TO FACE WOOD

Detective Pat Maloney arrived from Los Angeles last night with C. A. McMonagle, arrested in that city on a charge of larceny by bailee of $1,000 from Clinton A. Wood of Portland. McMonagle was at once taken to the city jail, where he is now confined. His bond will be fixed at either $1,500 or $2,000. Attorney A. E. Clark will represent McMonagle. He will have a hearing in Judge Cameron's court tomorrow morning.

Wood alleges in his charge against McMonagle that the latter sold him some stock in the Western Underwriters Insurance company, of which McMonagle is president; that he gave McMonagle a check for $1,000, and that soon after McMonagle left the city without notifying him.

DIVORCED WIFE CAUSES SNAPP'S ARREST

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Ashland, Or., May 14.—Dr. George W. Snapp was arrested here last evening on a charge of embezzlement of $1,900 belonging to his divorced wife in Portland, who is his accuser.

Detective Howell left here this morning for Portland with the prisoner.

Dr. Snapp came here from Portland a few weeks ago and bought property in Ashland.

SPOKANE MINING EXCHANGE.

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

Spokane, May 14.—Official prices:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ajax	..	13
Alameda	3⅛	4
Alhambra	8	...
Alberta Coal & Coke	14	25
Am. Commander	...	5¼
Bell	5	9
Bullion	4⅝	5¼
Chas. Dickens	7	14
Can. Cons Smelter	70	76
Copper King	2⅞	3¼
Dominion Copper	130	175
Evolution	2¼	2⅝
Echo	1¼	2
Gertie	3	3⅜
Granby Smelter	85	...
Happy Day	2	3
Holden Gold & Cop.	3	6
Humming Bird	3	6
Hypotheek	1	1½
Idaho Giant	4⅝	5¼
International C. & C.	52	54
Kendall	120	131
Lucky Calumet	12½	20
Missoula Copper	9⅝	10¼
Mineral Farm	1	1½
Moonlight	2¾	4¼
Nabob	3⅜	3⅞
Nine Mile	...	2
O. K. Cons.	1	1½
Oom Paul	4½	6
Panhandle Smelter	4⅝	4⅞
Park Copper	1	2
Rambler-Cariboo	23	27
Reindeer	2½	3½
Rex (16 to 1)	8½	11
Sonora	5	6½
Snowshoe	6	9
Snowstorm	176	177
Sullivan	⅝	1
Sullivan Bonds	...	50
Stewart	86	92
Tamarack & Ches.	85	...
Wonder	1⅞	2¼

Sales—1,000 Nabob, at 3⅝c; 1,000 Panhandle, at 4½c; 1,000 Panhandle, at 4⅝c; 1,000 Panhandle, at 4¾c; 1,000 Ambergris, at 13c.

NEVADA MINING STOCKS.

San Francisco, May 14.—Noon closing prices:

GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Sandstorm 30c, Red Top Ext. 13c, Columbia Mt. 18c, Jumbo Ext. 32c, Silver Pick 19c, Black Butte Ext. 1c, Atlanta 22c, Great Bend 32c, Florence $3.62½, Diam. B. B. Cons. 18c, Comb. Fraction 57c, F. Mohawk 15c, Red Hill 23c, Lou Dillon 4c, Yellow Tiger 9c, Yellow Rose 1c, Col. Mt. Ext. 2c, Goldf. Cons. $5.65.

BULLFROG DISTRICT.

Lige Harris 1c.

TONOPAH DISTRICT.

Ton. Nevada $7.65, Ton. Montana $1.52½, MacNamara 26c, Ton. Belmont $1.05, Ton. North Star 1c, Jim Butler 26c.

MANHATTAN DISTRICT.

Little Joe 1c, Granny 6c, Jumping Jack 4c.

SCATTERED DISTRICTS.

Nevada Hills $2.10, Pittsburg Silver Peak $1.20, Eagles' Nest 12c.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

(Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.)

Boston, May 14.—Official bid prices:

Adventure	2	Old Dom.	37½
Allouez	27¼	Osceola	89½
Atlantic	655	Shannon	13¼
Cop. Range	71⅝	Tamarack	58¼
Daly West	9½	Victoria	3½
Dom. Cop.	1⅝	Winona	5⅝
C. Ely	8½	Wolverine	133¾
Gold Hill	⅝	Butte Coals	25¼
Greene	9⅛	Trinity	13½
Michigan	10⅝	Parrot	21⅝
Mohawk	52⅝	Nippissing	6⅝
Nev. Cons.	12⅜	Mass.	2⅝
No. Butte	64	United	6⅝
Giroux	3⅝		

M'MINNVILLE GETS GRANGE

Organization Opposes Proposed Changes in State Initiative Law.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Eugene, Or., May 14.—McMinnville was chosen as the place of the next meeting of the state grange at this morning's session. There was an invitation from Corvallis, also, McMinnville winning by a vote of 41 to 15.

This morning's session was devoted principally to the hearing of the executive committee's report. A portion of Master Buxton's report recommending that several changes be made in the initiative law that had been referred to the executive committee, was brought up in the report today. The changes suggested by Master Buxton were as follows: No bill should be initiated until after being introduced in the legislature, making it unlawful to allow remuneration for securing signatures to petitions, requiring a majority vote to pass an amendment to the constitution.

A motion was made to strike out this portion of the report. The discussion following brought out the sentiment that the grange is opposed to any changes in the law at present.

It was voted to refer that portion of the master's report back to the executive committee to report on two years hence.

A resolution for appropriation of $500 for defending the initiative law was passed at last night's session. A resolution favoring the lower Columbia fish bill was also passed.

SEEK VOTES BY HOUSE TO HOUSE CANVASS

Clackamas Democratic Candidates Working With Fine-Toothed Comb.

Democratic candidates of Clackamas county are conducting a whirlwind campaign. Six office-seekers are making a house-to-house canvass of the county, and every evening a rally is held in some district. The candidates are going about in buggies and on horseback.

At Sandy last evening one of the most enthusiastic meetings yet held brought out a big crowd. Robert B. Beatie, who is running for reelection to the office of sheriff, was greeted with a perfect hurricane of applause when he said he was a Statement No. 1 man. Other speakers met with as warm a reception every time they mentioned Statement No. 1.

O. B. Eby of Oregon City spoke on the issues of the campaign. Many Republicans were present at the meeting, and they were as liberal with their applause as were the Democrats.

The men who are engaged in this unique campaign are J. E. Jack, candidate for county assessor, T. J. Meyers for coroner, J. W. Smith for county commissioner, Robert B. Beatie for sheriff, L. W. Robbins for the legislature, and A. King Wilson, who is making Statement No. 1 his strong campaign material in the race for joint representative to the legislature.

ROOSEVELT ASSISTS TUBERCULOSIS FIGHT

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, May 14.—President Roosevelt has been elected president of the international tuberculosis congress, which weets here in October. In his letter of acceptance the president says:

"I will gladly serve, but when I find it impossible for me to attend meetings I shall deputize Secretary Cortelyou to represent me. The importance of the crusade is inestimable when it is realized that the disease costs 200,000 lives annually in the United States and 2,000,000 in the world. Rapid application of the science of stamping out tuberculosis depends on the promptness of inculcating new doctrines. Such a crusade brings hope to thousands who were previously despairing. The joining of the nations of the world in the fight is a step toward universal brotherhood."

BOTH M'KEES ARE GRANTED DIVORCE

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Paris, May 14.—The famous McKee divorce suit which has been attracting so much attention here for several days was finally disposed of today when the court granted decrees to both Hart McKee, the Pittsburg millionaire, and his beautiful wife, formerly Mrs. Hugh Tevis.

After Mrs. McKee had started divorce proceedings against her husband, he filed a countersuit. The court ruled that the costs of the hearing must be divided between and gave Hugh Tevis, McKee's stepson, into the custody of Mrs. McKee.

LARGE INHERITANCE TAX PAID TO STATE

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., May 14.—The second largest inheritance tax ever paid into the state treasury was received yesterday. It was the tax on the estate of Amanda Reed of Multnomah county, appraised at a valuation of $1,385,919.89. The tax was $7,141.40. The largest tax paid was on the estate of Henry Weinhard, which amounted to $15,248.54. The appraised value of the Weinhard estate was but $1,381,967.22, but was left in a lump sum, while the Reed estate was divided among a large number of beneficiaries.

TRUST COMPANY FILES DEED OF ASSIGNMENT

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Cleveland, May 14.—The local financial world was given a surprise this morning when the Reserve Trust company, regarded as one of the strongest in the city, filed a deed of assignment to the Superior Savings & Trust company. The assets and liabilities are $2,700,000. It is stated that the depositors will be paid in full.

CHERRY FAIR WILL BE HELD AT DALLES

(United Press Leased Wire.)

The Dalles, Or., May 14.—The midsummer meeting of the State Horticultural society and cherry fair will be held at The Dalles June 30 to July 2, inclusive. Prizes will be offered for various exhibits of cherries, and there will be a program each day. R. H. Webber, A. E. Lake and G. E. Saunders, the committee, are now badly engaged in making the arrangements.

Commencement at Dallas.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Dallas, Or., May 14.—The commencement season at Dallas college this year will open June 5 and continue to June 10. The following compose the graduating class: Lillian Ladora McVicker, Nola Evelyn Goad, Elmer Clyde Strayer, Ada Florence Oatfield and Almeda Josephine Fu—.

YAQUINA CREW SAVES TWO MEN

Gasoline Launch Unable to Cross Bar in Storm and Owners Are Rescued.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Newport, Or., May 14.—N. Anderson and L. H. Payne while navigating a gasoline launch from Siletz bay to Yaquina, found a stormy passage while off the bar at Newport. They were unable to get in on account of the storm. The life-saving crew went out and took the men in and anchored the launch at the outside buoy.

INDIANS ALLOWED TO SELL THEIR LAND

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, May 14.—The senate passed the bill removing the restrictions from the sale of land in the eastern district of Oklahoma, owned by whites, freemen, Indians of quarter blood or less, and permitting Indians less than full blood to sell all their lands except homesteads.

The bill places all the lands of full-blood Indians in the hands of Secretary of the Interior Garfield. Seven million acres are affected.

BOATS FROM ASTORIA.

Effort Being Made to Secure Special Train When Fleet Comes.

Negotiations are on for running one or more special trains from this city to Astoria Wednesday morning, May 20, in order to give the people here a better opportunity of seeing the fleet than could be offered were the ocean going craft that are to meet the fleet to leave here Tuesday night.

The steamboatmen and railroad officials have been in consultation several times concerning the proposition, and a definite answer will likely be given this afternoon. The steamboatmen are also conferring with the local inspectors for permission to carry more passengers than ordinarily allowed.

The North Pacific Steamship company has decided to send the steamer Roanoke from Astoria instead of from this port to meet the fleet, so that those buying tickets will take the train to Astoria and board the steamer there. They can return to Portland that night. Similar arrangements are being made by the California & Oregon Coast Steamship company, which plans having the Alliance and the Nome City carry excursionists over the bar.

By having the trains leave here at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning they would reach Astoria at 10:30, giving the people ample time to board the steamers and make the run over the bar to meet the fleet and return in time to catch the evening train to Portland.

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