WORLD'S MARKETS TODAY

HAVE YOU ANY FANCY SPUDS?

If You Have You Can Get Fancy Prices From Alaska Merchants.

For the next three weeks Oregon farmers can get fancy prices for fancy potatoes. Alaska is supplied at this season of the year and Front street is [illegible] with letters asking if the demand can be supplied from Portland. If there are enough spuds of the quality desired here in this state, local potatoes will be given the preference over those from Salinas, Cal., which is also in the market for a slice of the Alaska trade.

Dealers of the north[illegible] prefer to pay more money and get smoother stock, as they find this cheaper in the long run. When the potato is not selected in uniform sizes the loss by peeling and transportation damages amounts to more than the extra price paid for evenly sorted sizes.

The crop of spuds this year is below the average in quantity and quality, and farmers who can supply marketable potatoes will command good prices. From $1.10 to $1.25 can be secured for the next three weeks until the warehouses of the far north have shipped enough to last over the long winter.

Walla Walla Onions Higher.

Produce houses in Walla Walla have advanced the price of onions 15 cents, but quotations on the street here remain unchanged though very firm.

Tomatoes Scarce.

Tomatoes are very scarce owing to the cool and rainy weather. Last week nearly all the White Salmon tomatoes ripened and the market will be pretty well cleaned up by the first of next week. The price will probably go up by 10 per cent.

Front street prices follow:

Grain, Flour and Hay.

WHEAT—Buying price, new—Track, Portland—Club, 85c; bluestem, 90, red, 80.

FLOUR—Selling price—Eastern Oregon patents, $4.85; straights, $4.05@4.55, exports, $3.40@3.60; valley, $4.45; graham, ¼s, $4.40; whole wheat, $4.65; rye, 5s, $5.50; bales, $3.

MILLSTUFFS—Selling price — Bran, $26; middlings, $30.50; shorts, $28@28.50; chop, $21@29 per ton.

BARLEY—Feed, $25.50; rolled, $27.50@28.50; brewing, $27.

OATS—No. 1 white, $27.50; gray, $27 per ton.

HAY—Producers' price—Old timothy, Willamette valley, fancy, $13@13.50; ordinary, $12.50@13; eastern Oregon, $16@17; mixed, $10@10.50; clover, $8@9; grain, $11@12; cheat, $11; alfalfa, $9@10.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—Delivery f. o. b. Portland—Sweet cream, 25½c, sour, 26c per lb.

BUTTER—Extra creamery, 27½c; fancy, 26c; ordinary, 25c; store, 16@17c.

EGGS—Eastern, 18@21c; firsts, 23@24c.

CHEESE—Full cream, flats, triplets and daisies, 14½c; Young Americas, 15½c.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 12½c lb; fancy hens, 12½c; roosters, old, 9c; fryers, 14c; broilers, 15c; geese, spring, 14c; turkeys, alive, 17c; spring ducks, 13@15c lb; pigeons, $1.25 doz.; dressed poultry, 1@1½c lb higher.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—1907 crop, first prime, 5c; prime, 4½c; medium to prime, 3@4c; medium, 2½c lb; 1908 crop, 2@3½c lb; contracts, 9c.

WOOL—1908—Willamette valley, 13@15c.

MOHAIR—1907—Nominal, 18½@19c.

SHEEPSKINS—Shearing, 10@15c each; short wool, 25@40c; medium wool, 50c@$1 each; long wool, 75c@$1.25 each.

HIDES—Dry hides, 13@14c lb; green, 5@6c; calves, green, 8@10c; kips, 5@7c lb; bulls, green salt, 4c lb.

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

CITTEM BARK—3@4c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

ONIONS—California, $1.25; Walla Walla, $1.25 per sack; garlic, 15c lb.

POTATOES—New, selling, $1.10@1.25; buying, 85@90c per cwt.

APPLES—New, $1.00.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $4.00@4.50; bananas, 5½c per lb, crated, 6c; lemons, $[illegible] per box; grapefruit, $4@4.50; pineapples, Hawaiian, $3@3.50 doz.; cantaloupes, $[illegible]; apricots, 75c@$1; blackberries, $1.50; peaches, 85c@$1; pears, $1.00@1.25; grapes, $1.50; raspberries, $1.00@1.10; loganberries, 90c@$1.00; cherries, Royal Ann, 5c; Lamberts and Bings, fancy, $2 box; watermelons, $1.50@1.75 cwt.; currants, $1.50 crate.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new Oregon, 20c; beets, 20c; carrots, $1.50 sack; parsnips, 85c@$1; cabbage, $2.25; tomatoes, 75c@$1.00 box; beans, 7c; cauliflower, California, crate, $1.75@2.00; peas, Oregon, 3½@5c; horseradish, 8@10c; artichokes, (—) doz; green onions, 15c per doz; peppers, bell, 8c; Chile, (—); head lettuce, 25@30c doz; cucumbers, local, 20c@40c doz; radishes 15c doz bunches; celery, 75c@$1.25; gooseberries, 5c; eggplant 6@8c; green corn, 20c@30c doz.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California & Hawaiian Refinery—Cube, $6.60; powdered, $6.45; berry, $6.25; dry granulated, $6.25; XXX granulated, $6.15; conf. A, $6.25; extra B, $5.80; golden G, $6.30; D, yellow, $5.55; beet granulated, $6.05; barrels, 15c; half barrels, 30c; boxes, 55c advance on sack basis.

(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.)

HONEY—New, 15c per lb.

COFFEE—Package brands, $16.50.

SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, $11.00 per ton; 50s, $11.50; table, dairy, 50s, $16.50; 10s, $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.

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

BEANS—Small white, $4.75; large white, $4.75; pink, $3.85; bayou, $3.85; Limas, $5.85; Mexican reds, (—).

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

DRESSED MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 7½@8c lb; ordinary, 6c; large, [illegible]; veal, extra, 9c per lb; ordinary, 8@8½c per lb; heavy, 7½c per lb; mutton, fancy, 7@7½c per lb; spring lamb, 7@7½c lb.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 14 lbs, 17c per lb; breakfast bacon, 15@23½c lb; picnics, 11c per lb; cottage roll, 12c lb; regular short clears, smoked, 12½c lb; backs, smoked, 12½c lb; smoked short clears, 13½c; bacon bellies, smoked, 12½c lb; shoulders, 12c per lb; pickled tongues, 70c each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 14c per lb; 5s, 14¼c per lb; 50-lb tins, 13½c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 13c per lb; 5s, 13¼c per lb; compound, 10s, 9¼c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 12½c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 5c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, Chinook, 9c lb; bluebacks, 8c lb; steelhead, 8c lb; herrings, 5c lb; soles, 7c per lb; shrimp, 10c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomcod, 11c per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 20c per dozen; sturgeon, 12½c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelt, 7c per lb; black cod, 7½c lb; crabs, $1.00@1.50 dozen; shad, 1½c; 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; $7.00 dozen; eastern in shell, $1.75 per 100.

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

Paints, Coal, Oil, Etc.

ROPE—Pure Manila, 11¾c; standard, 11c; sisal, 8½c; L. H. sisal, 8¾c.

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

TURPENTINE—In cases, 79c per gal; wood bbls, 69c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls, 56c; cases, 58c; boiled, bbls, 55c; cases, 61c a gal; lots of 250 gallons, 1c less; oil cake meal, $34 ton.

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

WIRE NAILS—Present basis, $2.45.

Latest News of Oregon Crops

Oregon—Fair tonight and Sunday; westerly winds.

Washington—Fair tonight and Sunday except showers extreme northwest portion; westerly winds.

Idaho—Fair tonight and Sunday.

Showers Delay Crops.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Walla Walla, Wash., Aug. 15.—Showers today and yesterday have stopped harvest for the time being and the streets are filled with idle men. The grain is not, as yet, suffering on account of the rain, but farmers are expressing considerable alarm over the result, should the rains continue.

Harvest is about half over, according to the most reliable reports. Grain has begun to come into the warehouses in good shape, although the selling is slow, on account of the difficulty of determining a price, the buyers claiming the Portland quotations are too high and out of proportion with Chicago marks.

Smut has caused no less than a dozen explosions this summer, resulting in the loss of as many threshing machines and a large amount of grain. Fire insurance companies report this the worst year in their history for grain risks in this locality.

Cherry Season Closing.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

La Grande, Or., Aug. 15.—The cherry season is closing in Grand Ronde valley this week and it has been one of the most successful years for cherry growers in the history of Union county. Fourteen carloads will have been shipped out of this city during the season; five cars from Union and two from Alicel besides immense quantities which have been sent out by express.

WEEKLY STATEMENT OF N.Y. ASSOCIATED BANKS

The Journal will hereafter make a regular feature of the associated banks statement for the Saturday report.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Aug. 15.—The weekly statement of the associated banks issued today shows the following changes:

Reserve on all deposits, decrease, $1,605,650.

Reserve on deposits, other than United States deposits, decrease, $1,608,659.

Loans, increase, $14,392,000.

Specie, increase, $1,811,200.

Legal tenders, increase, $993,100.

Deposits, increase, $17,411,800.

Circulation, decrease, $305,800.

Total loans, $1,290,012,800.

The surplus of the banks is $59,924,525, as against $9,294,075 last year and $17,101,500 two years ago. The percentage of actual reserve held by the banks is 29.43, an increase of .08 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain.

San Francisco, Aug. 15.—Wheat—No. 1 California club, per cental, $1.62½@1.67½; northern bluestem, $1.70@1.72½; northern club, $1.62½@1.65; inferior grades of wheat, $1.40@1.55.

Barley.

Barley—Feed barley, $1.35@1.40; common to fair, $1.35@1.35; brewing, at San Francisco, nominal at $1.45@1.55; chevalier, $1.50@1.60, according to quality.

Eggs.

Per dozen, California fresh, including cases, Extras, 36½c; firsts, 32½c; seconds, 26½c; eastern selected, 22c; eastern firsts, 25c; eastern seconds, 23c; thirds, 21c; storage, 28½c.

Butter.

Per pound, California fresh: Extras, 27c; firsts, 26c; seconds, 25c; thirds, 20c; packing No. 1, 20½c; packing No. 2, 19c.

New Chese.

Per pound: California flats, fancy, 11½c; firsts, 10½c; seconds, 10½c; California Young America, fancy, 13c; firsts, 12½c; eastern Oregon fancy, 13c; eastern Oregon Young America fancy, 14½c.

Potatoes.

Per cental: River whites, sacks, fancy, 75c@$1.00; poor, 50@75c; Salinas Burbanks, $1.25@1.75; early rose, 75@85c; sweet potatoes, 2½@3½c per pound.

Onions.

Per sack: Yellow, 75c@$1.00.

Oranges.

Per box: Valencias, $2.50@4.00.

Boston Copper Closing.

Boston, Aug. 15.—Quotations furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.: Closing, Ely [illegible]; Greene [illegible]; Allouez [illegible]; Calumet & Hecla 670; [illegible]; Franklyn 11½; Greene Cananea 11; Mohawk 65½; North Butte 79¾; Old Dominion 50½; Parrott 25¾; Tamarack [illegible]; Trinity [illegible]; Globe 4¾; S & P [illegible]; [illegible]; Calumet & Arizona [illegible]; Copper Range 77; Michigan 12; Nevada Cons 14¾; Osceola 107; Quincy 94; Shannon 14½; United Mining 45; Utah [illegible]; Yukon 4½.

Northwest Bank Statement.

PORTLAND.

Clearings today	$ 870,432.11
Year ago	1,170,795.41
Balances today	141,662.[illegible]
Year ago	136,695.88

SEATTLE.

Clearings today	$1,274,154.00
Balances today	115,401.00

TACOMA.

Clearings today	$ 645,612.00
Balances today	35,932.00

New York Cotton.

New York, Aug. 15.—Quotations by Overbeck & Cooke Co.:

	Open	High	Low	Close
January	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	902
February				904
March	[illegible]	[illegible]	905	908
August	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
September	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
October	915	[illegible]	910	914
November				904
December	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	906

Chicago Cash Sales.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—No. 2 Red, 94½@95c; No. 3 Red, 93½@94c; No. 2 hard, 94@96c; No. 3 hard, 93@94½c; No. 1 N. S., nothing. Cash corn: No. 2 white, 78½c; No. 2 yellow, 78c; No. 3 white, 78c; No. 4 white, 77c; No. 3 yellow, 78½@79c.

Liverpool Grain Closing.

Liverpool, Aug. 15.—Wheat, unchanged to ⅛d lower; corn, ⅛d higher. September wheat, 7s [illegible]d; December wheat, 7s 3¼d. September corn, 5s 10d.

CENT DECLINE IS UNJUSTIFIED

Pit Traders in Effort to Grab Fresh Supplies Tumble Prices.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Heavy selling by Armour, Gamble and other big speculators forced the price of September wheat down a cent and more on today's market. Weak wires from abroad, coupled with the usual week's profit taking also had a tendency to lower quotations.

There is nothing, however, in the reports to justify the slide this morning and it is stated on good authority that the selling by pit speculators is merely a blind to corral a fresh supply and unload on a rising market next week. If this is true, the traders did not gain anything because there was a well defined inclination on the part of grain holders to keep on holding.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Quotations furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.:

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT.				
Sept.	93½	94⅛	93⅛	93A
Dec.	95¾	95¼	94⅞	94⅞B
May	101	100⅞	99⅞	99B
CORN.				
Sept.	76⅞	76¾	75½	75¾
Dec.	64¾	64½	63¾	63¾B
May	63	63⅛	62⅝	62¾
OATS.				
Sept.	46¾	46⅞	47¼	45⅞
Dec.	46¾	47⅛	46⅝	46⅝
May	49¼	49⅝	48⅝	49⅛
PORK.				
Sept.	1505	1510	1500	1507
Oct.	1520	1522	1515	1522
Jan.	1610	1610	1592	1607
LARD.				
Sept.	930	930	930	920B
Oct.	940	942	937	940
Jan.	920	920	915	917
RIBS.				
Sept.	870	872	870	870
Oct.	880	880	880	880
Jan.	810	812	807	810

TODAY'S PRICES ON EASTERN STOCK MART

New York, Aug. 15.—Stock quotations furnished by Overbeck & Cooke company:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Copper Co.	76	76⅞	74⅝	76
Am. Car & Fdy., c.	40⅛	40¼	39⅞	49
do pfd	102	102½	102	102
Am. Cotton Oil, c.	34	34	33⅞	33⅞
Am. Loco., c.	56½	56½	55½	55¾
Am. Sugar, c.	133½	134	133½	133⅞
Am. Smelter, c.	92½	94	90¼	90⅞
do pfd	106¼	107	106	105¼
Anaconda M. Co.	45¾	46	45	46⅛
Am. Woolen, c.	26	26	25½	25½
Atchison, c.	86¾	87½	86⅜	87¼
do pfd	95	95	94½	94½
Balt. & Ohio, c.	92⅝	93	92½	92¾
do pfd				81
Brooklyn R. T.	51¼	52	51¼	52
Can. Pacific, c.	169	169⅜	168½	169¼
Cent. Leather, c.	28½	28⅝	28	28½
C. & Gt. W., c.				6½
C., M. & St. P.	143⅞	144⅝	143⅛	144¼
C. & N. W., c.	159¼	159½	159	159
C. & O.	41⅝	42¾	41⅝	41½
C. F. & I., c.	32⅞	33¼	32⅞	32⅞
Col. So., c.	32⅞	33½	32¾	32⅞
do 2d pfd	53¼	53¾	53¼	53
do 1st pfd	62	62½	62	62
Corn Prod., c.	19¾	19¼	18⅞	18⅞
do preferred				76
Del. & Hudson				168
D. & R. G., c.	26	26½	26	26
do preferred				66½
Erie, c.	22½	22⅞	22½	22¾
do 2d pfd				28½
do 1st pfd	38	38½	38	38⅜
Gt. Nor., pfd	136½	137	136	136⅝
Illinois Central	136¾	137	136	136
L. & N.	108	108½	108	108½
Manhat. Ry				138
Mex. Cent. Ry				16
M., K. & T., c.	30¾	31	30¾	31
do preferred				63½
Distillers	35¾	36	35½	35½
Ore Lands	66¼	66¼	65⅛	65⅞
Mo. Pacific	55¼	56	54⅞	55¼
National Lead	85	86¼	84½	84¾
N. Y. Central	106	106⅜	105⅞	106⅜
N. Y., O. & W.	41½	42	41½	41⅞
N. & W., c.	74	74	73	73½
do pfd				79
N. American	63⅝	63⅜	61½	61½
N. Pacific, c.	142½	143¼	142¼	143
Pac. M. S. Co.	24½	24½	24¼	24½
Penn. Railway	124⅛	125¼	123⅞	124¼
P. G. L. & C. Co.	95	95¾	95	95¾
Pr. Steel Car, c.	33¾	34½	33¾	33¾
do pfd				95
Reading, c.	123½	124¾	122⅞	123⅞
do 2d pfd	86	86¼	86	86⅛
Rep. I. & S., c.	22	22½	21¾	22
do pfd	78	78	76½	76¼
Rock Island, c.	17¾	16¼	15⅝	16¼
do pfd	33	33¼	32⅞	32¾
S. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	26	26¾	26	26
do 1st pfd				48
St. L. & S. W., c.	18	18	17½	17½
do pfd				38½
South. Pac., c.	93½	94⅞	93½	94⅞
do pfd	118	118	117½	117½
Southern Ry., c.	18¾	19	18¾	19
do pfd	48½	49	48½	48½
Texas & Pacific	24¾	25	24½	24¾
T., St. L. & W.	26½	26½	26	26
do pfd				55
Union Pac., c.	154⅞	155½	154⅛	155
do pfd	85	85⅜	85	85
U. S. R., c.	33	32¾	32¾	33
do pfd				99½
U. S. Steel Co., c.	44⅞	45⅛	44	44½
do pfd	108½	108¾	108¼	108¾
Wabash, c.				12½
do pfd	26¼	26½	26	26
West. U. Tel.	56¾	56¾	55¾	56
W. & L. E.				22
do pfd	42¼	42½	42	42⅞
Wisconsin Central				8½
Westinghouse	[illegible]	[illegible]	68¼	68
[illegible]				42½

Total sales, [illegible] shares.

United States Government Bonds.

New York, Aug. 15.—Quotations by Overbeck & Cooke Co.:

	Bid.	Ask.
Twos, registered, 1930	104¼	104
do coupon	103¾	104
Threes, registered, 1908	100¾	101¼
do small	100¾	
Fours, registered, 1925	121¼	121¾
do coupon	121¼	122¾

Portland Livestock Market.

Portland, Aug. 15.—Receipts today—Horses, 50; sheep, 750; cattle, 50.

Official and kyard prices today:

Hogs—Best stuff, $6.75; blockers and China fats, $6@6.50; stockers and feeders, $5@5.50.

Cattle—Select eastern Oregon steers, $4; medium, $3@3.75; stockers and feeders, $2@3.25; medium steers, $3.50@3.75; best cows and heifers, $3; medium cows, $2.50@2.75; stags, $2.50; bulls, $2@2.50.

Sheep—Best wethers, $3.25; spring lambs, $4.25; straight ewes, $2.25@2.75; mixed lot, $2.

Veal—Choice young calves, $5.00; heavier and rough, $3.50@4.

Chicago Stockyards Receipts.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Estimated stock yards receipts:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Chicago	8,000	1,000	2,000
Omaha	3,200	100	

Hogs opened 15 cents higher. Left over yesterday 2,200, mixed $6@6.65, heavy $6.40@6.65, rough $6@6.25, light $6@6.47½. Cattle, steady. Sheep, strong.

MILLERS PAY HIGH PRICES

Minneapolis Is Short of Wheat and Jump of Ten Cents Takes Place.

Minneapolis, Aug. 15.—Stocks of wheat are decreased to about 600,000 bushels. This is the lightest in many years and the mills are paying 10 cents over September quotations for wheat to arrive in 15 days. There seems to be a tightening of September wheat all around. In 3[illegible] stocks decreased 95,000 bushels this week.

LISTLESS BIDDING ON LOCAL WHEAT MARKET

There was nothing doing today in the wheat pit. The prices [illegible] early in the week and the low point was reached Friday and Saturday, [illegible] bids for September going to 85.

PORTLAND BOARD OF TRADE RECEIPTS.

Portland, Aug. 15.—Receipts today:

Wheat	25 cars	5,267 sacks
Barley	[illegible]	610 sacks
Flour	[illegible]	2,575 sacks
Oats	5 cars	182 sacks
Hay	13 cars	408 bales

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT.				
Sept.	88 B			88 B
Dec.	89 B			89 B
OATS.				
Sept.	.120 B	.125 B	.125 B	.125 B
Dec.	.125 B	.132½ B	.125 B	.132 B
		(140 B)		(140 B)
BARLEY.				
Sept.	.117½ B			.117½ B
Dec.	.120 B			.120 B

Primary Movements.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Wheat, 775,000 bushels against 856,000 bushels last year. Corn, 375,000 bushels against 450,000 bushels. Shipments of wheat, 501,000 bushels against 455,000 bushels. Corn, 257,000 bushels against 231,000 bushels. Clearances: Wheat, 481,000 bushels; corn, 2,000 bushels; flour, 19,000 bushels; wheat and flour, 570,000 bushels.

San Francisco Additional.

San Francisco, Aug. 15.—Walla Walla, $1.66¼; red, $1.63⅝; Turkey, $1.72@1.76; bluestem, $1.72½; barley, December, $1.36⅛. Others unchanged.

New York and Other Markets.

New York, Aug. 15.—Wheat closed $1.01⅝ here; 93½c at St. Louis; 87½c at Kansas City; $1.02½ at Minneapolis.

PROMINENT MASON PASSES AWAY

R. B. Walker Succumbs to Complication of Disorders in North Pacific Sanitarium.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Oregon City, Aug. 15.—R. B. Walker, 65 years of age, formerly an old and well known resident of this city, died this morning at the North Pacific sanitarium, where he had been for some time past, suffering from an attack of complicated disorders. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Ellen Beth Cheney of San Francisco and Mrs. Ernest Harrington of Portland.

His remains will be brought here for interment, under the auspices of the Masonic lodge of this city, of which he was an old and esteemed member. Funeral arrangements will be made this evening.

HUSBAND SAYS WIFE WAS CRUEL

Frank Clark Commences Suit for Divorce Against Sophronia—Maltreated Him.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Oregon City, Aug. 15.—Frank Clark yesterday commenced suit for divorce against Sophronia Clark. He alleges cruelty and infidelity. They were married October 9, 1904. In December he avers, the defendant began to show a disposition to leave home and associate with men and women of questionable character, neglecting her household duties.

Until November 26, when he left her, she continually maltreated him, he alleges, and was cross and abusive.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF WEDDING IS MADE

Miss Sadie Tolpolar and A. A. Price Will Be Joined in Marriage Tomorrow.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Oregon City, Aug. 15.—The [illegible] of Miss Sadie Tolpolar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Tolpolar of [illegible] street, to A. A. Price [illegible] announced to take place [illegible] at the residence of the parents [illegible]. The contracting [illegible] are well and favorably known [illegible] and they have the best wishes [illegible] who know them.

Demented Man Caught.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Oregon City, Aug. 15.—H. [illegible] of this city was arrested [illegible] information sworn to by [illegible] and will be examined [illegible] court this afternoon. [illegible] demented man who has been [illegible] about the hills near [illegible] for the past few days.

Catholics Observe Day.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Oregon City, Aug. 15.—Today being a feast day of the Catholic church, the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary was observed in St. John's church. A low mass was celebrated at 6 and a high mass at 9 o'clock this morning, Father Hillebrand officiating.

Funeral Is Held.

Oregon City, Aug. 15.—The funeral of the late Mrs. W. W. Quinn will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, from her late residence at Canemah. Rev. Father Hillebrand officiating. Interment in Canemah cemetery.

OUCH! THE JUDGE HE STINGS US

Divorce Hearing Brings Forth Court's Opinion of Newspaper Men.

Testimony in a divorce case of a newspaper man who made a large salary and got drunk on his proceeds disturbed the solemnity of the circuit court this morning. Judge Morrow manifested keen interest in this branch of the testimony.

After the sister of Mrs. Ada Miller Brown, the plaintiff, had testified that the man in the case made a good salary the court inquired as to his occupation.

"He was a newspaper man," answered the witness.

"And what did Brown do with this large income as a newspaper man?" inquired the court.

"He drank it up," was the laconic answer.

"Unusual for a newspaper man," observed Judge Morrow [illegible] that shook the judicial shoulders [illegible] his remark with skepticism.

Mrs. Brown testified that she was married to Frederick Emery Brown in September, 1903. Soon after [illegible] he began drinking to excess, she said. They were living in San Francisco, and when Brown came home he would [illegible] lie in a stupor for hours. Judge Morrow decided that the wife's complaint was well grounded and granted her a decree, with permission to resume her maiden name, Ada Miller.

Testimony was heard yesterday afternoon in the case of Mercy A. Wheeler against Ira E. Wheeler. They were married in September, 1897, in Washington county and she charged that he deserted her in May, 1907. Judge Morrow withheld his decision to clear up some of the legal questions involved.

BLACKBIRD'S MUSIC PAYS FOR HIS GRUB

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Santa Cruz, Cal., Aug. 15.—Farmers who declare that robins, meadowlarks and blackbirds do more harm to the grain fields than be recompensed for by their "music," will have to make their own fight to have the birds taken from the list protected by law, at the next session of the state legislature. This was decided today by the California Game & Fish association, which debated the question at length and decided that these birds made enough music to justify their immunity from slaughter. There was some question as to the quality of music made by the blackbird, but the motion lost by a big vote.

The association passed a resolution to call on the next legislature to provide a license for fishermen as is required of hunters in this state.

GOT COLD DEAL, SUES RAILROAD FOR ICE

Alleging that the railroad company failed to re-ice the car in which a shipment of poultry and butter was made from Kansas, W. N. Daniels, doing business as the La Grande Creamery company, has sued the Northern Pacific for $1,135 damages. He says that on arrival the shipment gave forth an odor that shocked his olfactory nerves. The poultry was too tender for consumption in Oregon and the butter was infected by the same unspeakable smell.

The shipment was made from Concordia, Kan., in August, 1907, consisting of 239 boxes of butter and 37 boxes of poultry, the gross weight being 24,700 pounds. He alleges a specific agreement with the company that the shipment should be cared for en route.

MAYOR INNOCENTLY HELPS CRIMINAL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Walla Walla, Wash., Aug. 15.—Shooting to attract help to stop the man he was pursuing, Deputy Sheriff Jack Moore of Caldwell, Idaho, was yesterday stopped by Mayor Eugene Tausick, who thought the officer was trying to kill the man, and the fugitive almost escaped. When the mayor intercepted the officer, the criminal, George Odell, ran into a barn, doubled back and walked quietly through the crowd and into a clothing store. While buying a collar he was nabbed by Chief of Police Mike Davis. Odell was wanted at Caldwell for embezzlement and larceny. He was taken back yesterday afternoon.

Rev. Winter in Pulpit.

Rev. A. A. Winter, pastor of the first United Evangelical church, East Tenth and Sherman streets, will be in his pulpit tomorrow after a month's illness with the smallpox. The quarantine of Dr. Winter and his family was lifted from the parsonage Monday last and during the week the premises have been undergoing a series of fumigation and overhauling. During the morning service tomorrow there will be an address by the pastor, one by William S. Winter, a cousin of the pastor, who is on his way to take charge of the [illegible] work of the mission department of the church in China, and Mrs. McAlister, president of the Missionary society. There will be no services in the evening.

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The above is a photo of a cherry limb full of Royal Ann cherries grown on a tree in Lebanon. A. Connett and his daughter, Mrs. Lewis, are holding the limb. The limb and cherries weigh 22 pounds.

WHITE, YELLOW AND BLACK RACES ALL MIXED IN FIGHT OVER CHILD

White, black and yellow races were [illegible] in the juvenile court [illegible] when Mrs. Bernice Keyes [illegible] to appear to be heard [illegible] that she had abused a [illegible] child. Mrs. Keyes is [illegible] and [illegible] was a negress [illegible] named Mrs. [illegible].

Mrs. Keyes said the child was born to her in [illegible] by a former husband [illegible] said the little one is the [illegible] of a deceased brother of Mrs. Keyes [illegible] of the colored woman's story was confirmed by other evidence. Mrs. Keyes [illegible] protested against her child being taken from her on the complaint of a dark-skinned woman, and declared she had never, never struck her little darling. One eye witness, also a colored woman, told of having seen the baby knocked down, and Judge Gantenbein was convinced that Mrs. Keyes had abused the infant.

The baby was ordered committed to the baby home. Mrs. Keyes thereupon declared that she would appeal, and said she had plenty of money to fight the case to the end, although only the day before she had represented that she was penniless. She says her Chinese husband sends her gold from Alaska. All parties live near each other on Flanders street.

GARNISHEE STOCK OF STEVENS' MILL

Unsuccessful in their attempt to attach enough ready money or real estate owned by T. M. Stevens to satisfy the amount of the claim against him made by his first wife, Mrs. Louise Powell-Stevens, deputy sheriffs have served notice on the T. M. Stevens company and the Portland Rice Milling company, notifying them that the capital stock in the two concerns owned by T. M. Stevens would be garnisheed. No reply has yet been made to the notification of garnishment sent out by the sheriff.

Former Judge Thomas O'Day, who is Mr. Stevens' counsel, will be back from his vacation at Seaside today and it is expected will file Mr. Stevens' answer to the charges made by Mrs. Powell-Stevens some time Monday. That they will be interesting is the general opinion of those who have followed the case. It is expected that Mr. Stevens will allege that he was never married to Louise Powell, and that her conduct after their years of living together was such as to justify him in leaving her and marrying Lillian Monk, the singer.

After That Cash Register.

The National Cash Register company has begun suit in the circuit court against Constable Lou Wagner to recover a cash register seized by the officer in an attachment case and for $50 damages for unlawfully retaining possession.

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