CARLOADS OF BANANAS ARRIVE IN TIME TO FILL THE IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Threatened Shortage Is Narrowly Averted; Oranges Included in Receipts From California This Morning; Eggs Move Slowly.

- Bananas and oranges arrive.
- Salmon scarce and higher.
- Eggs moving slowly.
- Butter and cheese steady.
- Dressed pork steady.
- Dressed veal in demand.
- Poultry steady.

Business opened in good shape on Front street this morning, with indications favorable for activity in all lines during the week. The only dullness noted this morning was the egg market, which has been dragging more or less for several days. A year ago egg quotations were lower than today by several cents, and there is some possibility of a decline, although some dealers do not regard this as probable. At any rate the market shows some weakness at prevailing quotations, ranging from 40 to 42½ cents for the best candled Oregon stock.

SALMON SCARCE

Wholesale fish dealers report salmon scarce and higher, the wholesale price today being 10 cents for silversides and 12 cents for steelheads. And it is said that even at these prices there is less profit than a few days ago when the quotations were 9 and 10 cents. The change in the situation is attributed to the big demand for fish to supply the freezing establishments who are paying big prices.

POULTRY STEADY

While some stock was carried over from Saturday, the poultry market was started steady this morning, with young birds at 12 cents. The supply of ducks is about equal to the demand, and there are some live geese and turkeys in the market. A few dressed turkeys, too, are to be had on the street.

BANANAS AND ORANGES

A few carloads of bananas and oranges arrived on Front street this morning. The arrival of bananas was timely because the supply was rapidly running low. The stock was in very good shape. The oranges were of the navel variety. Japanese oranges have been arriving here for several days.

FORECAST FOR SHIPPERS

Protect shipments as far north as Seattle against minimum temperatures of about 40 degrees; northeast to Spokane, 28 degrees; southeast to Boise, 24 degrees; south to Siskiyou, 28 degrees. Minimum temperature at Portland tonight, about 40 degrees.

PORTLAND JOBBING PRICES

These prices are those at which wholesalers sell to retailers, except as otherwise stated:

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER—Nominal; extra creamery, cubes and tubs, 35½c; prints, 36½@37c; dairy, 23@24c.

EGGS—Nominal—Candled local extras, 40@42½c; ordinary, candled, 40c; spot buying price, loss off, 40c f. o. b. Portland; best eastern, 32c; ordinary, 27@28c; seconds, $3.00@3.50 case.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 13c; springs, 12c; geese, 10@11c; Pekin ducks, 12@13½c; Indian runners, 12c; turkeys, 18@20c; dressed, 20@23c; pigeons, old, $1; young, $2.00@2.50 dozen.

GAME—Jackrabbits, $2.00@2.25 per doz.; wild geese, $5 doz.

BUTTER FAT—Producers' price, for Portland delivery, per lb., 36½c.

CHEESE—Nominal; fresh Oregon fancy, full cream, twins and triplets, 19c; daisies, 19½c; Young America, 20½c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRESH FRUITS—New navel oranges, $2.50@3.50; bananas, 5@6c lb.; lemons, $6.75@6.50; limes, $1 per 100; grapefruit, $5.00; pineapples, 5c lb.; pears, $1.50 box; grapes, baskets, 15c; crates, $1.00@1.10; cranberries, local, $9.75 per bbl.; eastern, $10.50@11.00.

APPLES—75c@$2.25; cooking, 50@60c box.

POTATOES — Selling price: Extra choice, 75c; choice, 65c; ordinary, 60c per central; buying price, carloads, 40@50c country points; sweets, $1.85@2.00 per central.

ONIONS—$1.15@1.25; association selling price, 75c cental, f. o. b. shipping points; California onions, 80@90c; garlic, 7½@8c.

VEGETABLES—New turnips, 60@75c; new beets, $1.00; carrots, 60@75c per sack; parsnips, $1@1.25 sack; cabbage, $1.00@1.25; tomatoes, per box, $1.50; lugs, $1.10@1.25; string beans, 8@10c; green onions, 10c dozen bunches; peppers, bell, 3@4c lb.; head lettuce, $1.85@2.00 dozen bunches; celery, 40@75c dozen; egg plant, 8@9c lb.; peas, 10c lb.; cauliflower, 50@75c; rhubarb, $1.25 box.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

DRESSED MEATS—Country killed: Veals, fancy, 10@10½c; ordinary, 9½@10c; rough and heavy, 8@9c; fancy veal, 13½c; ordinary, 12½c; poor, 11c; lambs, 10@10½c; mutton, 7@8c; goats, 3@4c; beef, 7@10c.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Hams, 18@19c; breakfast bacon, 15@28c; boiled ham, 27½c; picnics, 13c; cottage, 18c.

MEATS—Packing house—Steer, No. 1 stock, 12c; cows, No. 1 stock, 11c; ewes, 9½c; wethers, 10½c; lambs, 11½c; pork, loins, 17½c.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon (—); per 100 lb. sack, (—); Olympia, per gallon, $3.25; per 100 lb. sack, $9; canned, eastern, 55c can; $6.50 doz; eastern in shell, $1.75@2 per 100; razor clams, $2@2.25 box.

FISH—Nominal—Rock cod, 10c lb.; dressed flounders, 7c; halibut, 7@11c; striped bass, 20c; catfish, 12c; salmon, 10@12½c; soles, 7c lb.; shrimps, 12½c; perch, 8c lb.; tomcod, 8c lb.; lobsters, 20c lb.; herrings, (—); black bass, 20c; sturgeon, 12½c; silver smelt, 7c; black cod, 7c; eastern oysters, full measure, solid pack, $3 per gallon.

LARD—Tierces, 15c lb.; compound, tierces, 10c.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

WOOL—Willamette valley, coarse Cotswold, 19@20c lb.; medium Shropshire, 21c; choice fancy lots 22c per lb.; eastern Oregon, 14@20c, according to shrinkage.

HOPS—Producers' price—1912, 10@18c; according to quality.

MOHAIR—1912, 32½c lb.

CHITTIM OR CASCARA BARK—1912 nominal, car lots 5½c; less car lots, 5c lb.; 1912 bark, car lots, 6c; less car lots, 5½c lb.

HIDES—Dry hides, 20@21c; green, 9½@10c; salted hides, 10½@11c; bulls, green salt, 7@7½c; kids, 12½c; calves, dry, 24@24½c; calf skins, salted or green, 17@20c; green hides, 1@1½c less than salted; sheep pelts, salted, $1; dry, 12@12½c lb.

Groceries.

RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 5½@5¾c; No. 2, 4½c; New Orleans head, 5¾@7c; creole, 5¼c.

SUGAR—Cube, $6.15; powdered, $6.00; fruit or berry, $5.85; best, $5.55; dry granulated, $5.75; D yellow, $5.05. (Above quotations are 30 days net cash.)

BEANS—Small white, 5½c; large white, 5c; pink, 5c; bayou, 4½c; limas, 8¾c; reds, 5c.

SALT—Coarse, half grounds 100s $8.50 per ton; 50s, $9.00; table dairy, 50s, $18; 100s, $17; bales, $2.20; extra fine barrels, 2s, 5s and 10s, $4.00@5.00; lump rock $20.50 per ton.

HONEY—New, $2.75 per case.

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 8c per lb.; 100 lb. lots, 8c per lb.; less lots, 8½c per lb.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls., 50c gal.; kettle boiled, bbls., 52c gal.; raw cases, 55c; boiled, cases, 57c gal.; lots of 250 gallons 1c less; oil cake meal, $44 per ton.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 73c; wood barrels, 70c; iron barrels, 66c per gallon; 10 case lots, 72c.

OIL MEAL—Carload lots $37.50; less than carload lots $40 per ton.

PRIZES FOR MILK AND CREAM GIVEN INSTEAD OF FOR DAIRY BUTTER

President of Oregon Dairy Association Explains Changes That Dairy Industry Is Undergoing Here as Well as in Other Sections.

Albany, Dec. 2.—M. S. Shrock, president of the Oregon Dairy association, has issued a statement in connection with the forthcoming dairymen's convention, to be held at Albany, explaining why it has been decided not to conduct a scoring contest for dairy butter. Mr. Shrock says:

"The executive committee of the Dairymen's association has decided not to conduct a scoring contest for dairy butter at the coming convention to be held at Albany, December 19-20, but instead the association will offer special prizes for milk and cream.

"Dairy butter is a small factor in dairying nowadays, as practically all the butter is manufactured in the large creameries and is known as creamery butter. This latter comes under the management of the Butter and Cheesemakers' association, and they are preparing for a larger number of exhibits than ever before.

"Under the present methods the dairyman's work is to produce milk or cream for the factory or for direct consumption. His skill is shown by the quality of the raw product he produces, and since present day practices have taken away from him the task of making the finished product, his natural pride should be to produce the very best milk or cream possible. To stimulate the work of improving the raw product the scoring contest of milk and cream has been arranged, the details of which, together with the prizes offered, will be announced soon.

"It is a lamentable fact that at the recent dairy show, held at the Union Stockyards, Portland, where prizes were also offered for milk and cream as well as for other dairy products, not a single sample of milk or cream was entered by any Oregon dairyman. This may be acounted for by the fact that it was new, it being the first scoring contest of milk and cream ever held in the state. I sincerely hope the results at the coming convention will be different and that we may have samples of both milk and cream from every dairy community in the state.

"Rules and announcement of prizes offered will be published in the various farm papers in time for the contest, but to make doubly sure that you will be informed write at once to the secretary, F. L. Kent, Corvallis, Or., and ask for particulars. Mr. Kent is arranging the details now, and will have finished by the time this gets into print."

BULK OF POTATOES AT WOODBURN HARVESTED

(Special to The Journal.)

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 2.—Growers of potatoes throughout this section have been working hard to complete harvesting their crops during the past two weeks, and although prospects for remunerative prices are far from encouraging, the major portion of the crop is now housed or in pits.

Much of the stock has been taken out of the soil while it was still too wet, and as a result additional labor will be required to put the potatoes in shape to pass inspection of buyers. A nominal amount of business is reported at prices ranging from 40c to 45c a hundred to the growers, according to quality.

Reports that the tubers lack keeping qualities and will not hold up for any length of time are unconfirmed in this locality, and barring an occasional showing of blight, the quality of the potatoes is fully up to standard.

GRAIN AT CHICAGO

Market Shows New Strength With Advance of Fraction.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—The wheat market was quiet today, with no elements to cause any great fluctuation or active transactions. It showed some renewed strength, however, in that quotations advanced a fraction during the day.

The Argentine harvest is on, and weather is favorable. In some parts there was claims of 10 per cent damage from rain and hail the last few days, which is equal to 15,000,000 bushels. This kept shorts nervous and induced a number of the largest professionals to cover at the finish, the belief being that prices are low enough for the present to buy on breaks.

Winter wheat reports are generally favorable. The Oklahoma report given out late Saturday made the condition 87.8 against 77 last year, and the acreage is 6.46 per cent less. The government report, with the acreage and condition of winter wheat, will be given out December 9 at 1:15 p. m., Chicago time.

Sentiment among corn traders veered to the bull side, and the close found a number of them long, while a few of the largest operators are bearish and short. Weather conditions were favorable for husking and curing the crop and the quality has improved so that local elevator people are making contract corn and have little trouble in doing it, as the quality is unusually good. Cash business has improved and more corn has been sold for July-February shipment than the trade knows of. Reports from Iowa say that the cribs are full and farmers will sell their supplies, although they are getting only 33 to 35 cents.

Range of Chicago prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke company, 216-217 Board of Trade building:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	
WHEAT.					
Dec.	83⅞	84⅛	83¾	84	B
May	89¾	90	89½	90	A
July	87⅝	87⅞	87½	87¾	B
CORN.					
Dec.	47¾	48¼	47⅝	48¼	A
May	48⅛	48⅝	47⅞	48⅝	A
July	49⅛	49¼	48⅞	49¼	A
OATS.					
Dec.	30⅝	31¾	30⅝	31¾	B
May	32⅛	32¾	32⅛	32¾	A
July	32⅞	32⅞	32¾	32¾	
PORK.					
Jan.	1917	1940	1912	1937	
May	1855	1870	1852	1870	
LARD.					
Dec.	1082	1100	1082	1100	
Jan.	1057	1067	1052	1065	
May	1015	1025	1012	1025	A
RIBS.					
Jan.	1025	1030	1025	1020	
May	987	997	985	997	A

NORTHWEST BANK STATEMENT

Portland Banks.

Clearings today $2,207,202.86

Seattle Banks.

Clearings today $2,448,728.00

Tacoma Banks.

Clearings today $752,717.00

Plans Los Angeles-Frisco Flight.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, Dec. 2.—Aviator Horace Kearney has announced today that he will fly to San Francisco from Los Angeles carrying a passenger. Plans for the flight are being made but no date has been fixed.

HEAVY RUN OF HOGS AT NORTH PORTLAND YARDS THIS MORNING

Few Sales Reported Up to Noon Today; Cattle Are Steady at South Omaha While Hogs Are Lower and Sheep Strong.

At the Yards.

Heavy run of hogs today at North Portland.

At South Omaha the hog market was 10c to 15c lower today.

Sheep at South Omaha, steady to strong; cattle steady to lower.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.
Monday	1713	229	4	1041
Saturday	227	86	..	210
Friday	392	60	..	1372
Thursday—Holiday				
Wednesday	576	4	9	245
Tuesday	1219	24	..	248
Week ago	1035	821	2	1239
Year ago	362	223	..	....
2 yrs. ago	386	460	113	786

The run of hogs at the North Portland yards was heavier today than any single day of last week and considerably heavier than a week ago. Few sales were reported this morning, but indications are that the market will be about steady. A few cattle sales this morning indicated the market about steady.

North Portland cattle range:

Heavy feed steers	$ 7.00
Choice steers	6.90
Common steers	6.75
Fancy cows	6.25
Ordinary light cows	6.00
Fancy light cows	5.50
Heavy calves	5.00@6.50
Best bulls	4.00@4.75
Ordinary bulls	4.00@4.25

North Portland hog market range:

Best light	$7.90
Medium light	7.85
Best heavy	7.80
Medium heavy	7.75
Heavy	7.70

While receipts of sheep and lambs have not been overly heavy, enough are coming forward to supply the demand, and the market is steady.

General mutton market:

Best east mountain lambs	$5.85@6.00
Good east mountain lambs	5.50@5.75
Best Willamette valley lambs	5.75@5.85
Good Willamette valley lambs	5.35@5.50
Poor lambs	4.50
Best yearlings	4.85
Ordinary wethers	4.25@4.50
Fancy ewes	3.95@4.00
Good ordinary ewes	3.85

Today's Shippers.

Lee Richardson, Lyle, Wash., hogs, 1 car; L. B. St. Clair, Ridgefield, Wash., cattle, 1 car; C. E. Luke, Canby, hogs, 1 car; Hugh Cummings, Halsey, hogs, 1 car; Lind & Van Ausdel, Filer, Idaho, hogs, 1 car; John Kaner, Rexburg, Idaho, cattle, 1 car; C. E. Stanford, Peekaboo, Idaho, hogs, 1 car; J. B. Bodine, St. Anthony, cattle and calves, 2 cars; E. E. Stoefel, Rupert, Idaho, hogs, 2 cars; J. Y. Rich, Nampa, Idaho, cattle, 3 cars; Idaho Irrigation company, Ridgefield, Idaho, hogs, 1 car; A. J. Buchet, Tanner, Wash., hogs, 1 car; W. J. Rummins, Pomeroy, Wash., hogs, 1 car; C. C. Clark, Arlington, hogs, 1 car; O. B. Jones, Huntington, hogs, 1 car; Walter A. Gover, Roblnett, hogs, 1 car; W. W. Cooper, Union Junction, cattle and calves, 1 car; American Sugar company, Union Junction, hogs, 1 car; S. W. Miles, Lostine, hogs, 2 cars; Union Meat company, Enterprise, sheep, 2 cars; J. W. Powers, Wallowa, hogs, 1 car; Charles Hunter, Wallowa, cattle, calves and hogs, 1 car; E. L. Wiley, Wallowa, hogs, 1 car; C. B. Bonner, Joseph, hogs, 1 car; McCulley & Rumble, Joseph, sheep, 2 cars.

Disposition of Livestock.

Following were the purchases at North Portland during the week ended Saturday, November 30. Those of the Union Meat company included the stock purchased at country points:

	Cat.	Clvs.	Hogs.	Sh'p.
Union Meat Co.	2038	40	7066	14,727
Frank L. Smith	256	..	667	338
M. J. Gill Co.	239	..	....	840
Adams Bros.	....	..	....	1,333
Ray Fairchild	184	17	818	387
Sterrett-Oberlee	146	5	147	289
Misc. Portland	45	5	....	819
Misc. Oregon	476	12	858	2,770
Carstens Pkg. Co.	28	..	3293	529
Frye & Co.	5	1	3352	.....
James Henry	335	..	725	.....
Tacoma Meat Co.	107	1	....	.....
Misc. Wash.	843	56	507	833
Fedders, Oregon	234	1	....	.....
People's Market	27	..	....	.....
Totals	4963	138	16433	21,865

Monday Morning Sales.

STEERS.

Buyer.	No.	Ave. lbs.	Price.
M. J. Gill	7	935	$6.50
M. J. Gill	8	1146	7.00
COWS.			
M. J. Gill	12	966	$5.75
BULLS.			
Sharkey Com. Co.	1	1140	$4.35
HEIFERS.			
Sharkey Com. Co.	14	737	$5.75

OMAHA LIVESTOCK

Omaha, Dec. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 9100. Market steady to lower; steers, $8.25@9.75; cows and heifers, $5.50@7.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,400. Market 10@15c lower; price, $7.60@7.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000. Market steady to strong; yearlings, $5.35@6.25; wethers, $4.25@4.75; lambs, $7.35@7.75; ewes, $4.25@4.40.

New York Cotton Market.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Jan.	1255	1260	1237	1238@40
Feb.	....	....	....	1240@43
Mar.	1265	1269	1246	1247@48
Apr.	....	....	....	1238
May	1253	1260	1238	1238@39
June	....	....	....	1235@38
July	1254	1256	1234	1233@35
Sep.	....	....	....	1223@25
Oct.	1175	1180	1165	1180@84
Nov.	....	....	....	1165@67
Dec.	1242	1243	1223	1225@27

NEW MILL AT ASHLAND HAS LARGE CAPACITY

Ashland, Or., Dec. 2.—The new mill of Morton & Son is now in running order. The mill at present comprises a barley and feed roll, one of the largest of its kind in southern Oregon, a mill for grinding corn meal and graham flour, a corn sheller and a corn meal bolt. The machinery is driven by an electric motor furnished with current from the municipal light plant. The new firm is handling flour in carload lots and has sufficient storage room to permit of storing large quantities of flour for the various merchants, and also handles hay and feed of all kinds.

NEW BRANCH POSTAL STATION AUTHORIZED

The postoffice department has authorized the installation of a new postal station, a branch of the central Portland office, in the Woodard-Clarke drug store. The new station will be open December 16, and will be located in the basement, with W. F. Woodward, the clerk, in charge. The station will be for the selling of stamps, money orders and a general registry business.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

COMPARED WITH LAST YEAR, LOCAL GRAIN RECEIPTS ARE HEAVY

English and French Country Markets Are in Steady Condition; Chicago Market Is Quiet, Closing a Fraction Higher.

PORTLAND GRAIN RECEIPTS.

	Cars				
	Wheat.	Bar.	Fir.	Oats.	Hay.
Monday	115	29	12	27	13
Year ago	69	1	20	9	63
Season to date	9267	1183	1034	822	1007
Year ago	6498	239	1237	790	1599

English country markets steady.
French country markets steady.

Wheat continues arriving here at a lively rate from the interior for shipment, the quantity so far recorded being almost one third greater than up to the corresponding time last year. Barley receipts for the season so far are greatly in excess of those of last year, and as for oats, receipts have been a little less than 100 cars in excess of the number received here up till this date a year ago. Receipts of hay are lighter here by about 500 cars than up to this time last year. Dealers, however, say that the supply is equal to the demand for the present. A falling off in hay receipts is attributed to some extent to the car shortage, every available car being pressed into service to handle grain shipments to tidewater.

Portland grain and hay markets:

WHEAT—New crop, producers' prices, track basis: Club, 77c; bluestem, 80@81c; red Russian, 75c; forty-fold, 77c; Turkey red, 77c; Willamette valley, 77c.

BARLEY — Producers' prices, track basis: Feed, $21@26; brewing, $28@29; rolled, $26.50.

OATS—Producers' prices, track basis: No. 1 milling, $27; white, $26@26.50 ton.

FLOUR—Selling price: Patent, $4.10@4.30; Willamette valley, $4.20; local straight, $3.70@3.90; export, $3.50@3.70; bakers, $4.10@4.30 barrel.

HAY—Producers' prices: Willamette valley timothy, fancy, $15; ordinary, $14.50; eastern Oregon-Idaho fancy timothy, $16.50; alfalfa, $11.50@12; vetch and oats, $12; cheat, $10.50.

MILLSTUFFS—Selling price: Bran, $21.50; middlings, $29@31; shorts, $23.50 ton.

DECEMBER PROMISES IMPROVED MARKET

New York, Dec. 2.—The best authorities look for a slightly more active market during December, with a tendency toward increasing firmness. One of the leaders on the conservative side made the prediction Friday that movements would assume great breadth immediately after the new year and that values then would begin to reflect the enormous crops, great industrial activity, increased railroad earnings and the business expansion which are being recorded in the current commercial reports.

Range of New Rork prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade building:

Description—	Open	High	Low	Bid
Amal. Cop. Co.	85⅛	85¼	83⅞	83⅞
Am. C. & F., c.	59⅝	59⅝	59½	59
Am. Can, c.	41¼	41⅝	39⅝	39¾
do pfd.	124⅛	124½	123½	123
Am. Cot. Oil, c.	58⅛	59¼	58⅛	58⅛
Am. Loco., c.	46½	46½	46¼	46
Am. Sugar, c.	....	....	....	119⅛
Am. Smelt., c.	79⅝	79⅝	78½	78¾
do pfd.	106½	106⅝	106½	106
Anaconda M. Co.	43¼	43¾	43	42¾
Am. Woolen, c.	22¼	22¼	21¾	22
Atchison, c.	107½	107½	107	107
do pfd.	102	102	101⅞	101⅞
Balti. & Ohio, c.	106⅝	107	106	106
Beet Sugar	55⅞	57	55⅞	56½
Brooklyn R. T.	93	93	91⅞	92
Canadian Pac., c.	266¼	266⅞	265½	265½
Cent. Leather	29⅞	30¼	29⅝	29½
Chi. & Gt. W., c.	17¾	17¾	17½	17½
do pfd.	33½	33½	33¼	33½
Chi. M. & St. P.	115¾	115⅞	114	114⅞
C. & N. W.	138½	138½	137½	137½
Ches. & Ohio	82⅝	82⅞	81⅞	82½
Col. F. & I., c.	36	36	35½	35½
Cons. Gas	142½	142¾	142¼	142⅛
Corn Products, c	16½	16½	16¼	16¼
Del. & Hudson	....	....	....	166
D. & R. G., c.	22	22	21¾	21¾
do pfd	....	....	....	39⅝
Erie, c	34½	34⅝	34¼	34⅞
do 2d pfd	....	....	....	42
do 1st pfd	51½	51½	51¼	51
Gen. Electric	185	187	185	185
G. Nor., ore lands	45¾	46	45⅝	45¾
do pfd	138⅝	138½	137½	137½
Illinois Central	127¼	127¼	127	127
Int. Harvester	....	....	....	119¾
Int. Met., c.	19⅝	20	19¼	19¾
do pfd	65¼	65⅝	64¾	64⅞
Lehigh Valley	175½	175½	173¾	174
K. C. Southern	....	....	....	28
L. & N.	146	146½	145½	145½
M. S. P. & S.S.M.	142	142	141⅝	141¾
Mo., K. & T., c.	28¼	28¾	28¼	28
do pfd.	....	....	....	62
Mo. Pacific	44	44¼	43½	43¾
Natl. Lead	....	....	....	60
Nev. Cons.	23	23	22¾	22¾
N. Y. Central	114⅝	114⅝	114	114
N. Y., O. & W.	34	34	33¾	33⅞
Norf. & W., c.	114¼	114½	114	114⅛
No. American	83	83	82½	82¼
No. Pacific, c.	125¼	125¼	124⅛	124⅝
P. M. S. S. Co.	35	35	34⅞	34⅞
Penn. Railway	123⅝	123⅝	123	123
P. G., L. & C. Co.	116	116	115¼	115¼
P. Steel Car, c.	....	....	....	37
do pfd.	....	....	....	101
Reading, c.	172⅝	172⅝	170¾	171¼
do 2d pfd.	....	....	....	94¼
do 1st pfd.	90	90	89½	89½
Rep. I. & S., c.	28	28⅝	28	27¾
do pfd.	89¾	89¾	89	89
Rock Island, c.	26	26	25¼	25¼
do pfd	48¼	48½	47	47
South. Pac., c.	110¾	111¼	108¾	109⅝
South. R'y., c.	29¾	29¾	29¼	29¼
do pfd	81½	81½	81	81
Texas & Pacific	....	....	....	23½
T., S. L. & W., c	....	....	....	12
U. P., c.	171	171⅞	169	170
do pfd	91	96½	90¾	93¾
U. S. Rubber, c.	66¾	67¾	66¼	66½
U. S. Steel Co.	74⅛	74½	73⅞	73¾
do pfd.	111¼	111⅞	111¼	111½
Utah Copper	63½	63⅞	63¼	63⅛
Va. Chemical	46¾	46¾	46¼	46⅛
Wabash, c.	....	....	....	4⅛
W. U. T.	78¾	78⅞	78¾	78¾
West'house Elec.	83	83	82	81½
Wis. Cen., c.	....	....	....	57¼

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PREFERS POOR GIRL TO COUNTESS, SAYS ANDY

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Dec. 2.—"I would rather have my nephew marry a working girl than a countess," said Andrew Carnegie at the St. Andrew's dinner at the Waldorf when told that William C. Carnegie had married Miss Ada Belle of Pittsburg. It was reported here that the bride was a "poor working girl," though this was denied in Pittsburg.

"I do not know this young lady, but I have every confidence in my nephew's judgment and I am sure he has won a prize," said the Laird of Skibo. "If she is a good girl, an American working girl will make a better wife than any other girl in the world."

SUBMIT NAMES FOR LABOR COMMISSION

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, Dec. 2.—The names of John C. Lennon, treasurer of the American Federation of Labor, and James O'Connell, first vice president, were mitted to President Taft by Samuel Gompers, president, and Frank Morrison, secretary of the A. F. of L., as suggested labor members of the new industrial commission. John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, who conferred with President Taft Friday, is believed to be President Taft's choice for the third member.

The nine members of the commission, three chosen by labor, three by employers and three by the president, will be named next week.

40 CASES OF TYPHOID WORRY OREGON CITY

(Special to The Journal.)

Oregon City, Or., Dec. 2.—According to Dr. J. W. Norris, city health officer, there are about 40 cases of typhoid in Oregon City. While most of the cases are in the lighter stages and are of a mild nature, the condition was regarded as serious enough for the city health board to issue a statement urging the citizens to use nothing but boiled city water. There have been no fatalities. Samples of the city water have been sent away for analysis, but many believe the dreaded germs are lurking in some other source. The town has one of the best filter plants in the state, which has always maintained a high degree of purity for the city's supply.

But a tip doesn't always come to the man who waits.

OREGON ELECTRIC FILES NEW TARIFF; NEW RATE LAW MAKES IT INVALID

First Formal Conflict Comes as Result of Perplexing Initiative Measure.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., Dec. 2. — The inevitable clash between the state railroad commission and the railroad companies of Oregon was precipitated today when the Oregon Electric attempted to file a new freight tariff not in conformity with the Medford freight rate bill, passed by initiative vote of the people at the recent election. The new tariff contained the existing rates of the Oregon Electric, but in addition showed rates over the company's extension from Albany to Eugene. The commission refused to file it and is returning it to the company with notification that it does not conform with the Medford rate bill, which so far has puzzled all rate experts.

As this measure has been in effect since election day, every railroad that has shipped a carload of freight in violation of the act is subject to a fine of $100 for each carload. This especially pertains to shipments of groceries, as there is remarkable reductions in rates on this class of carload shipments.

In order to enforce the new law or get it into the courts for interpretation, it is likely the railroad commission will at once ascertain what carload shipments have been made contrary to the new rates and bring a grist of suits. At the rate of $100 per carload, if the fines should be collected, they would amount to a tidy sum.

Rate experts here declare that the railroad companies are almost helpless in trying to make freight tariffs in conformity with the new law, as they declare it is practically impossible, but at the same time the railroad commission is taking a determined stand to attempt to enforce the law.

The legislature may repeal the measure.

"DYSPEPSIA CURE" PUT ON PORCH; BOYS EAT IT

Vancouver, Wash., Dec. 2.—A distributor of patent medicines passed the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Limber, 1111 Main street, a few days ago and tossed a package of sugar coated tablets onto the porch. The two little Limber boys, 2½ and 1 year old, respectively, wert playing on the porch and when Mrs. Limber appeared later the children were devouring the last of the pellets. Dr. Chalmers was summoned and administered an emetic, which undoubtedly saved the lives of the children. The package was labeled "Dyspepsia Cure."

REAL LIFE TRILBY IS WONDER OF DOCTORS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 2. — Physicians and nerve specialists are much interested in the peculiar case of 14-year-old Margaret Varley, who, while in a state of coma, sings like a prima donna but who in her normal state cannot sing at all.

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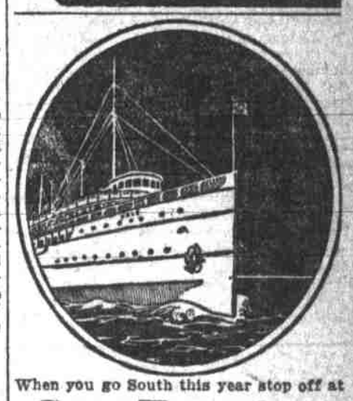

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