

OUT DOWN EXPENSES.

The people at large will hail with great satisfaction the announcement of the determination of the Administration to cut down expenses in every possible direction.

Retrenchment is or should be the order of the day, and if the Administration has the moral courage necessary to practice it, in every department of the Government, where it is practicable, it will find that the public will warmly sustain it.

A shocking accident occurred at the Jackson, Tenn. fair. During a horse-race two young ladies attempted to cross the track in front of the horses, and one of them, Miss Annie Scurlock, was struck by one of the horses and probably fatally injured.

Columbia county, W. T., says the Dayton News, is bounded on the north by the Snake river; on the east by Idaho Territory, on the south by Oregon, and the west by Walla Walla county.

"The fat woman of Milwaukee," Mrs. Russell, died while on exhibition at a fair recently. She weighed 700, and the cause of her death was the accumulation of fat about the heart.

Dr. Holland says the most precious possession that ever comes to a man in this world is a woman's heart. It would seem that he has never observed the tender care with which a man handles a meerschaum pipe that is just beginning to have a billious look around the base of the bowl.

Forget to remove a pitcher of cream from the kitchen table, and several hundred flies will tumble into it in less than forty minutes. Set the same pitcher of cream as a fly-trap, and you won't catch more than two of the insects in half a day.

A. A. Bonney, of Wasco, bought a merino buck at the State Fair from which he has since sheared a fleece weighing forty-nine pounds. The cost of the animal was \$150.

People living on Smith river, Douglas county, have petitioned for a postoffice, asking that it be established at John Cowan's and it be called Sulphur Springs.

Buena Vista Items.

Business lively. Chinese labor can be procured for \$1 per week.

The boats are carrying off a great amount of grain here at present.

Mr. Wood, who was severely injured by having a log roll over him, is fast recovering.

On last evening the star comicals exhibited at Wood's Opera House.

Mr. Joseph Smith is making preparations to build a large saw and flouring mill.

A daily call is made for tenant houses. We think it would be a good speculation for some enterprising man to build some houses.

A drift came down the Luckanute, struck the new bridge, and knocked it asunder. \$100 is offered to any man that will replace it.

A grand entertainment is contemplated to take place soon. Proceeds to go towards buying a bell for the new Academy.

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Captain Auld, of the ship City of York, has kindly consented to carry all articles intended for exhibition at the Paris exposition, free of charge.

Good lime is now offered for sale at Boise, which is taken out near Snake river on the Oregon side, opposite the mouth of the Payette. The limestone is inexhaustible and of the purest quality.

THE MARKETS.

The Wheat Market.

Quotations remain unchanged since last week. Portland advices state wheat at \$2.10 per cental; Salem buyers are paying \$1.08 1/2 per bushel, and even though the roads are horrible considerable wheat is arriving in wagons.

The two warehouses of Salem have each received about 100,000 bushels of wheat. The Salem Mills are about as last year and may take in the same amount in the harvest year, which was 200,000 bushels in the year ending July 31, 1877. The Farmers' warehouse took in 90,000 bushels last year and will probably double it the present year.

Wheat receipts are already 30,000 bushels in excess of total receipts at this place last year and considerable wheat is yet in first hands, to be hauled as soon as the roads permit. This decided increase is in the face of the fact that many persons are hauling wheat elsewhere this year who hauled to Salem last, showing healthy increase of production.

Quotations from Mark Lane Express of Monday, taken from the cable dispatch to the Oregonian, give a promising look to the English market, which remains firm notwithstanding very heavy receipts.

Restoration of peace in Europe will affect the wheat market and cause sensible decline in prices. Much as peace is to be desired from motives of humanity it is not probable that the present campaign will close the war, still that may be effected by the intervention of the Great Powers and those who hold wheat for a rise must recognize that they take the chances.

Orders for immediate shipment have, during the fall, been as high as 600 per quarter of 500 lbs., and were lately as low as 57 1/2 per quarter, and at the present time have rallied to about 58 1/2, but the decline of freights compensates for any decline in Europe offers.

California Markets.

In the San Francisco Commercial Herald of Nov. 15, we find many market and other items of interest.

Rains had blessed the State at large and farming operations were being pushed with vigor and much land under cultivation.

Sugar refiners were alarmed at the arrival of sugars from the Atlantic States and had put down prices 1c to 1 1/2c per lb. so that the sugar monopoly is not so exorbitant as it was. Cuba and crushed sugars, in large quantity, were 11 1/2c per pound and yellow coffee 9 1/2c per pound; quite a reduction.

The salmon trade was lively and prices good. Canned salmon was being received from Columbia river, Rogue river, Puget Sound, Victoria, Eureka, Cal., and the Sacramento. Total receipts from Columbia river to date were 236,821 cases; 61,000 cases had been received from all other sources.

California medium breakfast bacon was quoted 12c to 14c, clear sides 13c to 13 1/2c, Eastern hams 16c to 16 1/2c, California ditto 12c, shoulders 9c, lard 11c to 13c.

Freights and charters were dull; grain freights to Liverpool were £2, and slow at that. Six ships had cleared the first half of November, and ten more were on berth to receive cargoes. Exports say that no more than 49,000 tons of wheat remain to be shipped, and the Herald gives a list of 55,000 tons disengaged shipping, which leaves room to doubt that vessels will be on hand to take all our wheat at low freights.

Oats were very dull with free supplies from Oregon. Hay and all sorts of mill feed were in good demand at rather high prices.

Butter was plentiful and the supply so great that the "bottom had dropped out of the market." Oregon apples were freely received, quotations as follows: Choice, 75c to \$1.25 per box; common, 50c to 75c per box. Best eating pears 75c to \$1 per box; cooking pears, 40c to 60c per box. Dried apples, 4 to 6c per lb.; peaches, 7 to 8c per lb.; pears, 6 to 8c per lb.; pitted plums, 12c to 14c per lb.; prunes, 12 1/2 to 15c per lb.

European Grain Market.

London, Nov. 21.—The Mark Lane Express says the slightly firmer tone of the foreign wheat trade the past week is doubtless accounted for by the English yield turning out badly in quantity and condition. The enormous shipments from America and large amounts of wheat float, from this and other sources of supply would under ordinary circumstances restrict the demand. Inquiry has shown a decided improvement, although with the large supply pouring in it is idle to expect prices will be to any extent affected by the enhanced request. Imports of wheat into London during the past fortnight have been enormous. Monday's list showing upward of 110,000 quarters, and returns to Friday the further arrival of 78,220 quarters. The pressure to sell American wheat ship and to avoid the expense of warehousing, has tended to a decline of a shilling per quarter. Of course the large imports now arriving are considerably in excess of our immediate requirements, but from the recent tone observable in trade, it is evident that the outlook for holders is not so gloomy as so many might imagine. The course of politics is being closely watched, and this is undoubtedly a weak point as far as sellers are concerned, as a termination of the war between Turkey and Russia would set free an accumulation of grain in the Black Sea ports and bring about for a time a state of things not unlike a panic in the wheat market.

Our exports continue fair as cheap white wheat is in request to supplement deficient harvest in France. Feeding corn is quiet. There is very little alteration in value of barley, oats and maize, with fair arrivals at ports of call, the cargo trade for wheat has ruled steady at an improvement of about 6 pence per quarter. Maize has advanced to a similar extent.

The Salem Markets.

Wheat in farmers' hands \$1.08 1/2 per bushel; oats, 45c for good, less where-cleared by exposure to weather; butter, 25c; eggs, 20c per doz.; apples, 20c to 35c per bushel; potatoes, 30c to 35c per bushel; bacon, sides, 12c per lb.; hams, 12 1/2c; shoulders, 8c; lard, 12 1/2 to 14c.

W. J. Herrop pays 47 1/2 cents for good cal.

San Francisco Market.

Wheat—Shippers \$2.00 1/2—110c \$2.05 1/2 1/2. Mr. T. F. Foster, of the City of Payalpa Valley, recently shipped to Portland 1,500 pounds of tobacco, which he had raised upon his farm.

Farmers, Take Notice. PLOWS REPAIRED.

THAT OLD PLOW OF YOURS CAN BE MADE as good as new at JOHNNY KNIGHT'S Blacksmith shop, on Commercial st., below Wade's hardware store, for a small outlay of coin. Bring in your old Plows, and see if I don't do as I say. JOHNNY KNIGHT Oct 21st

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This eminent French Physician and Surgeon, and inventor of the PARIS SPIROMETER, which has given relief to thousands of sufferers in Europe and the United States, has treated successfully several hundred cases in Oregon, the most remarkable of which was that of Mr. J. C. Adkins, a well-known business citizen of Salem, who has been suffering for years with a partial paralysis of the right side, and was materially improved by a few days of Dr. Mathieu's treatment. The right side of the face and right shoulder, in which there has been a constant sensation of coldness, and the nerves partially paralyzed, have become warm and resumed their natural action and feeling. Mrs. Adkins, who has been afflicted with catarrh in the head, has been entirely cured by a few days of the Doctor's treatment.

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