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## THE GAZETTE HEPPNER, OREGON

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### LOCAL MARKETS.

#### Heppner Quotations on Staples Bought and Sold Here.

##### RETAIL GROCERY PRICES.

COFFEE—Mocha and Java, best 45¢ per pound; next grade, 35¢ per pound; package coffee, Lion and Arbuckle, 6 packages for \$1.

RICE—Best head rice 10¢ per pound; next grade 6½ cents per pound.

SUGAR—Cane granulated, best 16 85¢ per sack; do 13 pounds \$1.

SALT—Coarse 65¢ per 100; 40¢ 50 pounds.

FLOUR—\$4 45¢@5 00 per barrel.

BACON—15¢@20¢ per pound.

HAMS—16¢@18¢ per pound.

COAL OIL—\$1 25¢@1 75 for 5 gallons; \$3 50 per case.

##### VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—1¢ per pound.

CABBAGE—3¢ per pound.

ONIONS—3¢ per pound.

##### FRUITS.

APPLES—Green 1¢ per pound.

BANANAS—40¢ per dozen.

LEMONS—30¢ per dozen.

ORANGES—40¢@6 1¢ per dozen.

##### LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY.

Prices paid by dealer to the producer.

CHICKENS—\$3 50 per dozen.

BUTTER—ranch, 49 and 50¢ per roll.

EGGS—30¢ per doz.

##### BEEF CATTLE, ETC.

COWS—\$1 75¢@2 00 per hundred.

STEERS—\$2 50¢@2 75 per hundred.

VEAL—Dressed, 5¢ per pound.

SHEEP—\$1 50¢@2 50.

HOGS—Live, 4¼¢@5¢; dressed, 6¼¢@7¢ per pound.

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### COST OF CARRYING MAILS.

United States Paid \$67,931,430 for the Past Fiscal Year.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The annual report of W. S. Shalerberger, Second Assistant Postmaster-General, shows that the annual rate of expenditure for all inland mail transportation service during the past fiscal year was \$67,931,430. To this is added \$2,156,653 for foreign mails.

The largest item in the postal's transportation figures are the star routes, which number 18,743, aggregating 233,392 miles, and an annual rate of expenditure of \$6,834,023; railroad routes, 3008 in number, with 196,907 mileage and an annual rate of expenditure of \$39,177,377; railway postoffice car routes, numbering 284, with an aggregate length of 52,037 miles, and an annual rate of expenditure of \$5,518,234; and railway mail service (officers and clerks) 11,444 in number, involving an expenditure of \$12,095,437. The number of miles traveled per annum by all classes of routes of mail transportation in this country, among which are the star routes, railroad routes, special office routes, mail messenger routes, etc., aggregates 505,585,526. In Hawaii, the mail and messenger service at the various ports is now so arranged as to connect mail steamers at any time whether the steamers are running on regular schedule or at irregular intervals.

To indicate the large increase in the volume of mails carried by the railroads it is pointed out that the expenditures for railroad transportation and railway postoffice cars during the four years 1902-1905, was \$42,458,146, an increase of over 17 per cent over the previous four years' period, while the revenue of the postal service was \$139,781,794, an increase of over 40 per cent over the previous four-year period.

The report says it is evidently the desire of the American people to send parcels of small average weight abroad,

and that our rates of postage favor this practice.

A good deal of building is going on in Corvallis.

Many potatoes raised on a farm near Dairy, Klamath county, weigh from 2½ to 3 pounds each.

One day last week a train of 19 cars of cattle and 3 cars of hogs left Elgin for the Troutdale stockyards.

Farmers in the vicinity of Haines raised a surplus of 25,000 pounds of fine apples, which they shipped to the mines around Sumpter.

A Medford man one day last week received a carload of trees, 100,000 in number, from the Woodburn nursery, enough to set out 1,500 acres of ground. Jackson county is going to be a world's wonder as a fruit producer.

A business men's and citizens' association designed to promote not only the material welfare and push the growth of Ashland, but also for the mental and social improvement of its membership will soon be organized.

A Lane county school district's directors have purchased a considerable library for the use of the pupils. Good idea; good investment. Reading good books will help to keep not only the children, but the men and women that they will soon become, out of mischief.

If a man is liable to commit a crime, what a fool he is to have his skin tattooed. A man arrested in Bend for assault was recognized by a deputy sheriff as a probable California murderer, for whom a reward of \$500 had been offered, and positive identification was made by figures tattooed on his arm. The deputy sheriff's good memory and close observation add \$500 to his purse.

## Morrow County, Oregon.

Morrow County is a new country, and like all other new countries, is awaiting development.

Located in the Columbia river valley, and skirted on the South with a spur of the Blue mountains, within the boundaries of Morrow county is a territory 75 miles in length by 35 miles in width, and containing 1,313,280 acres of land. Formerly stockraising was the principal industry, but lately the fertility of the land is bringing agriculture to the front. Immense wheat crops are grown with little cultivation, the soil being mixed with a volcanic ash which is very rich in wheat-producing qualities. The 1904 crop will aggregate 1,400,000 bushels, much of it from virgin soil.

Morrow county has thousands of head of sheep, horses and cattle. The wool production for 1904 was 2,500,000 pounds. Alfalfa and fruit growing are profitable industries, rapidly growing in importance. The county has also a great coal field, soon to be developed.

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