

Sci.—Wheat, 84 cents.

Wm Vance and W T Hearst and wives of Albany attended the funeral in this city last Saturday.

Green Coffey, wife and baby returned Friday from a week's visit at Albany.

From Hon R H Irvine who dropped into our sanctum Wednesday we learn that his field of wheat of 60 acres, averaged 34½ bushels per acre, that of J Santhor, 22 acres, 34; Frank Thayer, 34; Jacob Huber, 30; and T P Goodman 30. These fields, Mr Irvine informs us, are not much above the average crops being fine all through this section.

Self Praise.

Self praise is no recommendation, but there are times when one must permit a person to tell the truth about himself. When what he says is supported by the testimony of others no reasonable man will doubt his word. Now, to say that Alcock's German Plasters are the only genuine and reliable porous plaster made is not self praise in the slightest degree. They have stood the test for over thirty years, and in proof of their merits it is only necessary to call attention to the cures they have effected and to the voluntary testimonials of those who have used them.

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The State Association of the Congregational church of Oregon will meet in this city September the 29th.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, OREGON.

Notice is hereby given that as authorized and provided by an act of the legislature of Oregon, entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Albany, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," filed in the office of the secretary of the state of Oregon, February 18th, 1891, and also as provided by ordinance No 217, of said city of Albany, the Common Council of the City of Albany, Oregon, will issue and dispose of bonds of said city at par value, to the amount of \$75,000 in denominations of \$500, payable 20 years after date of issue, with interest thereon at the rate of (6) six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. Sealed proposals for the purchase of said bonds will be received by the treasurer of said city until the hour of 2 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, the 1st day of September, 1891, at which time the proposals submitted will be opened and considered, and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder therefor. The city treasurer hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Albany, Oregon, July 30th, 1891.

H. FARWELL,
City Treasurer.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO whom it may concern, that bids will be received by the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, at the office of the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, up to 12 o'clock noon Wednesday, September 9th, 1891, for the construction of a county bridge across Thomas creek, at Hann crossing, in Linn county, Oregon, said bridge to be of the following dimensions, to wit: Main span to be 100 feet in length 16 feet wide in the clear, and 18 feet above low water mark, each end of main span to rest upon eight solid oak piles. North approach to be 76 feet long, 16 feet wide in the clear, and protected by banisters. South approach to be 16 feet long, 16 feet wide in the clear, and protected by banisters. No bid will be considered unless accompanied with plans and specifications, and a per cent of bid in cash or certified check.

The county reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

N P PAYNE,
County Clerk.

By B M PAYNE, Deputy.

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FACTS ABOUT THE TEA WE DRINK.

But few people know that there is such a thing as sun-dried tea in existence, and fewer have seen it. But there is, and it is of all teas the sweetest, purest, and most fragrant. You ask at once how it is that it is not offered for sale and that you know nothing of it. That is answered easily; but it is necessary to present first a few details. The public only knows two general classes, viz., the green and the black teas.

Green Teas.

Few people know that the bright bluish-green color of the ordinary teas exposed in the windows is not the natural color. Unpleasant as the fact may be, it is nevertheless artificial; Prussian blue, silica, gypsum, plumbago, and other unhealthful mineral colors being used for this purpose. The effect is twofold. It not only makes the tea a bright, shiny, attractive green, but also permits the use of "off-color" and worthless teas, which, once under the green cloak, are readily worked off as a good quality of tea. The horrible coloring practice even admits of the use of foreign substances, and the English government, which looks closer into the genuineness of its staples than ours, has in some of the alleged "finest" of teas found red lead, straw, fragments of snuffing, rice-husks, and willow leaves. In fact, it is openly stated by an English authority that hundreds of thousands of pounds of sloe, ash, and willow leaves are annually imported as tea, which without the coloring process would be impossible. They report tea as one of the most notoriously adulterated articles of commerce. The temptation to make sweepings and bad tea into a merchantable product with a few cents' worth of green coloring matter is too strong to withstand, and the worthlessness of the trash that often finds its way to this market labeled "New Crop," "Best Quality," "Green Tea," etc., would simply astound the public if revealed, to say nothing of the unhealthfulness of the Prussian blue, plumbago, gypsum, and the other mineral colors that are employed.

Black Teas.

The basket and pan-dried Japan teas, as well as the China teas that may be included under the general heading of "black teas," get their color from the firing or roasting process, but mineral coloring matter is also frequently used to give a certain desired commercial appearance. The firing and the coloring, as in the green teas, largely conceal the identity of the tea, and permits the use of the very cheapest teas, to argue nothing for the deteriorating effect of excessive firing, which must be resorted to when a very cheap product is used and an extreme color desired.

Beech's Tea (Sun-dried).

Concerning sun-dried teas the people of the Pacific Coast have heard but little and know less, although it is extensively used where it is known and understood. We are told that when tea is so poor it cannot be sold at home or safely shipped to the English markets, it is shipped to America; that we will drink anything. That may possibly be one of the reasons we have not been offered sun-dried teas. They were good enough to send elsewhere.

The sun-dried teas being sun-cured, no coloring matter is used, hence nothing but pure tea leaves can be employed; for unadorned by manipulation or coloring, all attempts at adulteration or the introduction of foreign leaves or material would be bold and glaring. That it is, therefore, sweeter and far more fragrant than the artificially colored green teas and the manipulated basket or pan-dried teas, you hardly need be told. That it is more healthful than the mineral-colored teas, is also apparent. That it is more expensive, is also true; and that is another reason you have never seen it. There is not so much profit in it as there is in the cheap adulterated and colored teas.

About the Cost of Teas.

According to the custom-house reports, the amount of tea received at San Francisco last year (1890) was 6,840,137 pounds, and the value \$35,420, or a fraction over 12¢ per pound. The consumer, of which the reader was one, paid for that tea the way from 60¢ to \$1 per pound. In other words, for that \$35,420 worth of tea the consumer paid between four and five millions of dollars. There are your enormous profits, and there you will probably find the chief reason why most of you never heard of a sun-dried tea. As the sun-dried teas have no mark, they are compelled to be absolutely pure and of better quality than the artificially colored and manipulated teas. Hence the margins on them are smaller, and many dealers don't care about handling them, and you know nothing about them. But it is the object of this article to tell you where you can get them, and what to ask for, and all about them.

"Beech's Tea."

"Beech's Tea," guaranteed to be the pure sun-cured leaves, is now offered to the people of the Pacific Coast. It will be a revelation to you. You doubtless never saw any natural leaf. Have your grocer break open a package. It will be found in color to be just between the artificially colored green and the black teas, and the drawn tea presents a clear, brilliant canary color, of delightful fragrance. It is offered to the people at 60¢ per pound, the same price that many artificially colored teas are sold for. But its guaranteed purity makes it more economical to use; for a less quantity, say about twenty grains, is required per cup. As there are 7,000 grains to a pound, there will be seen to be between three and four hundred cups to the pound, or at the rate of about one-fifth of a cent per cup. Its economy is therefore manifest. It is put up in one-pound packages only, in patent airtight and moisture-proof parchment, with the trade-mark that is found at the bottom of this article plainly printed on the package. It is sold in this form for two reasons; one is, that the original strength and aroma is preserved; and second, there can be no deception, which would be quite possible if it were sold in bulk, without the name and trade-mark attached.

Caution.

Recollect that the margin of profit is so much smaller on Beech's pure sun-dried tea than on the artificially colored teas that you won't get it if by any other name that can be put off on you. Ask for

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"Pure As Childhood"

If your grocer does not have it, he will get it for you. Price 60¢ per pound. The above trade-mark and price is plainly printed on each package.

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12:30 P. M. Lv	12:30 P. M. Lv	12:30 P. M. Lv	12:30 P. M. Lv	12:30 P. M. Lv
5:40 P. M. Lv	5:40 P. M. Lv	5:40 P. M. Lv	5:40 P. M. Lv	5:40 P. M. Lv

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South	Portland	Albany	North
5:00 P. M. Lv	5:00 P. M. Lv	5:00 P. M. Lv	5:00 P. M. Lv
9:00 P. M. Lv	9:00 P. M. Lv	9:00 P. M. Lv	9:00 P. M. Lv

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7:30 A. M. Lv	7:30 A. M. Lv	7:30 A. M. Lv	7:30 A. M. Lv
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