

Daily Democrat.

WEATHER REPORT.

OREGON WEATHER BUREAU. CENTRAL OFFICE, PORTLAND, OREGON. CROP-WEATHER BULLETIN NO. 25, FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUG. 29, 1891.

In western Oregon the temperature has been from 10 to 15 degrees a day above the average, the maximum ranging from 90 to 100 degrees on the 26, 27 and 28th, today has been warm but cooler. The season of extreme heat is or should be about over. No rain fell during the week, the weather has been cloudless, with fog on the coast in mornings and smoke in the interior valleys.

Wheat is all cut and much of it is threshed. In every section the yield has been above the expectations of even the most sanguine. The wheat is plump heavy and of excellent quality. Oats are heavy and as a rule are large in yield; late oats have been injured slightly by rust in parts of Marion county. The threshers will be busy for about two weeks yet. Hoppicking begins next Monday; in some sections considerable damage has been done by the lice. In other sections a good average crop will be picked. In Josephine county hop lice are not observable and no damage has been done. Fruit is ripening rapidly and is very plentiful. In Curry county the second crop of red clover is heading and the fourth crop of alfalfa has been cut.

In eastern Oregon continued hot weather, with maximum temperatures of from 90 to 105 degrees, has prevailed. No rain fell, the sky has been cloudless with smoke appearing in the atmosphere.

The weather has been slightly injurious to the corn crop, but favorable to fruit, melons and harvesting. The wheat is nearly all cut west of the Blue mountains and considerable has been threshed; all reports show that it is turning out much better than was expected.

B. S. PAGUE,
Observer, U. S. Signal Service.



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's 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 75 feet long, 16 feet wide in the clear and protected by trestles. South approach to be 16 feet long, 16 feet wide in the clear, and protected by trestles. No bid will be considered unless accompanied with plans and specifications, and a 5 per cent bid in cash or certified check.

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FACTS ABOUT THE TEA WE DRINK.

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Green Teas. Few people know that the bright bluish-green color of the ordinary tea 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 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 "best" of tea found red lead, straw, fragments of matting, 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 conceals 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 tea 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 6,540,137 pounds, and the value \$36,220, or a fraction over 10c per pound. The consumer, of which the reader was one, paid for that 12c tea all the way from 10c to \$1 per pound. In other words, for that \$36,220 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," 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 dawn tea presents a clear, brilliant canary color, of delightful fragrance. It is offered to the people at 60c 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 low quantity, say about twenty grains, is required per cup. As there are 7,680 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.

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