

MARKET REVIEW

WHEAT IN LOCAL MARKET FEELS IMPETUS OF WAR NEWS AND CHICAGO EXCITEMENT

Portland Market Has Advanced Several Cents With Corresponding Increase in Strength in Salem—Oat Market Firm and Potatoes Stronger With Good Demand.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

As has been expected, the wheat market has become stronger as the result of the war in the Orient. While the local and Portland markets are not affected directly by the wars and rumors of wars, yet this is the direct cause of the advance in English markets. In Chicago, most of the wild buying, and wide fluctuations of the market in the wheat pit was caused by the war influences, and assisted by the Armour corner. In the local market the price now quoted for export is 72 cents, which is equitable with the quotations at tide water, which are 82 cents. Rumors are current of higher prices being paid, and some small mills are bidding up in order to secure wheat, as the desired article is rather scarce at present.

The advance in price is having very little effect on sales as few of the farmers are still holding their crops. The great portion of the grain was sold early in the year when 75 cents was the ruling price, and when the market began to strengthen last week and the first of this week, the few remaining holders hastened to sell, so the advance really benefits the farmers very little, although the few holders are smiling to think they refused to sell when the market was weak.

The Commercial Review of Portland, Oregon, in its issue of February 25, contains an able review of the wheat conditions of that port, and also of the entire world, and what may reasonably be expected. It follows:

Portland Trade.

The European markets made a sudden advance towards the latter part of last week, that our markets cheerfully responded to, and our exports raised their limits with great alacrity, and several vessels were chartered for United Kingdom loading. We have repeatedly stated in these columns that when Europe would show any activity in export prices, we would advance ours, and that our exporters would not be far behind and give the growers the full benefit of the rise. This has been demonstrated. Quotations for club range from 77 to 78 cents; bluestem, 82 cents to 83 cents, and valley, 81 to 82 cents. This sudden rise did not dislodge as much wheat as many expected, but some very fair sized parcels passed into the hands of buyers. There is considerable wheat owned by the shipping interests for export use, and in view of the better prices, some of our vessels, as better prices can be secured from country millers, who are in need of grain where there is no stock to be had. In the Nez Perces country, where fully 1,000,000 bushels yet remain, farmers can be happy. About two months ago the cable of the tramway broke and the same was laid up until a new cable was secured. This has prevented the sale and shipment of wheat. The cable arrived last week, and now farmers are feeling elated over the better prices and express belief that the delay in the disabling of the tramway is likely to prove a source of great profit. Conservative estimates of the grain still in the Nez Perces and Camas prairie, including the grain in the warehouse at Culdesac, Sweetwater, at points along the Clearwater Short Line, and at the heads of the three tramways at Summit, Nez Perce and above Koskia, with grain in the farm granaries, will not fall short of 2,000,000 bushels. Of this at least 80 per cent is wheat. Crop reports from Eastern Oregon and Washington are of a very flattering nature. There has been an unusually heavy rainfall this winter, the wheat belt is in excellent condition for plowing and a great amount of winter farming is being done. Plowing is now progressing more or less all over the two states, and some seeding has been done. Winter wheat is doing very well and the outlook at present indicates an excellent crop. While the growth has not been stronger than usual, there has been but little cold weather and the ground has been soaked with an abundance of moisture since last fall.

Oats Are Firm.

The oat market remains quiet, locally, although there is more demand at present than was the case a few weeks ago. The market may be said to be firm at 32 cents to the farmer. While large stocks are still being held in reserve by farmers, the warehouses of the valley are comparatively empty, and when wheat is wanted by dealers, they are compelled to hustle for it. The condition of the Portland market follows:

A good demand exists for this article and prices have been advanced again this week another 50 cents per ton for a choice article. Sales have been made quite freely at quotations, and many sellers are willing to let go. Receipts here are accumulating one by one for the cargo for the steamer during the week completed, her cargo and left for California, where the balance of her cargo will be loaded. There are rumors of orders coming from the Orient, but so far we have been unable to trace an order received. We quote whites \$23 and grays \$22 per ton.

Potatoes Stronger.

The potato trade, which has been lively all the season, has improved the last few days on account of an increasing demand for Oregon stock on San Francisco and the interior states of Arizona and New Mexico, where the market has been good, and large shipments have been made from this city and Portland. The greater portion of the stock has sold for from 32 to 40 cents, but the market has now strengthened so that for choice potatoes the grower is able to realize 45 cents per bushel.

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AND TURNER SIDE LOST.

High School Literary Society Has a Spelling Contest For the Treats.

The high school literary held its regular meeting last evening. It attended to the business on hand, then proceeded with a spelling match. There was much interest manifested in the result as they had agreed that the losing side should treat the side that won.

The two leaders were Miss Myrtle Taylor and Mr. Rex Turner. After a victorious fight Miss Taylor's side came off victorious with one remaining speller, Miss Lucille Cox, on the floor. Mr. Turner's side decided to give the winning side a social. The meeting then adjourned to meet next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MORE PAID OVER

SHERIFF COLBATH MAKES SECOND TAX TRANSFER TO MARION COUNTY TREASURY

Largest Portion Credited to State and County Fund, While Schools Also Receive Good Share—\$20,000 Paid to State and Over \$55,000 Still Owing—No Rebate After March 15.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Sheriff B. B. Colbath has made another turn over of taxes collected on the 1903 roll, the amount placed into the hands of County Treasurer Richardson by the second transfer being \$12,487.45. This makes a total of \$38,552.64, of the 1903 taxes so far paid into the Marion county treasury, \$20,000 of which has been remitted to State Treasurer Moore, as part payment of the county's portion of the state taxes. There is still owing to the state a balance of \$55,187, which will be paid over as fast as the money is collected and turned into the treasury by Sheriff Colbath. There yet remains \$153,640.36 due the county from last year's assessment, a large portion of which will no doubt have been received for by the sheriff when the time limit of the 3 per cent rebate privilege expires on March 15.

Of the amount turned over to the county treasury in the second transfer, \$6,264.86 was credited to the state and county fund, \$3,132.43 to the state school fund, \$929.51 to the Salem city and city road fund, \$912.73 to school district No. 24, and \$620.97 represented road tax.

DESERT OF RUINS

RETAIL DRY GOODS QUARTER OF ROCHESTER, N. Y., SWEEP BY FIRE.

Three of Five Large Department Stores Are Destroyed By the Conflagration and Total Loss Will Reach \$3,000,000—Twenty-five Hundred Persons Are Thrown Out of Employment.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 26.—At sunset tonight ten engines were pouring streams of water on the ruins of most of the retail dry goods quarter of Rochester. Three of the five department stores in Rochester were consumed in today's fire, which caused a loss of more than \$3,000,000. (The Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Company, the largest retail store, in Rochester, was destroyed.)

It is said that 2500 persons were thrown out of work by the fire. The burned region lies on the north side of Main street, between St. Paul street and Clinton avenue. The fire started in the store of the Rochester Dry Goods Company and worked west. No one was injured except Assistant Chief Frank A. Jaynes, who was struck by a flying nozzle.

A \$15,000 Blaze.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 26.—A fire of unknown origin broke out in the Angle iron shed of the Newport News Shipbuilding Company's plant tonight and destroyed the building. The loss is \$15,000.

We Are All Familiar

with the deep, hoarse bark, grimly called "a grave-yard cough." It is the cry of the tortured lungs for mercy. Give them mercy in the form of Allen's Lung Balm, so highly esteemed that it is recommended even in the earlier stages of consumption. In the later stages mortal skill is unavailing. Nobody can afford to neglect a cold.

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WILL BE DONE

COURT STREET PROPERTY OWNERS TAKE STEPS TO HAVE THOROUGHFARE OPENED

Only Obstacle in Way Is Interest of Minor Children in Unopened Portion of Street and It Will Be Necessary to Go Into Court to Have Matters Properly Adjusted.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

A number of the owners of property abutting on Court street met with the council committee on streets at the police court room in the city hall last evening for the purpose of considering the matter of opening Court street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. This matter has been agitated for a long time, no definite results, however, having ever been accomplished, but the machinery has now been put into motion that promises to bring about the desired end.

Court street is open clear through to the east boundary line of the city, with the exception of the one block between the streets named above. This strip of unopened street is owned by the city and two minor heirs of the Mrs. C. H. Hall estate, the city owning one-third, and the minors two-thirds interest. The property abutting on either side of this strip is owned by other parties, all of whom desire the street opened. In fact, there is no objection to the opening of the thoroughfare, but it will be necessary to have a guardian appointed for the minor heirs in order to make all proceedings in the matter legal.

After thoroughly discussing the condition of affairs a committee consisting of Robert Wiggins, H. Poble and C. O. Constable was appointed to ascertain the cost of instituting proceedings in court to have the interest of the minors properly taken care of, and also to gain such information as would help to expedite matters, relative to the opening of the street.

The subject of street improvement

was brought to the asylum by Sheriff R. S. Hatten and Deputy G. A. Hall, of Ranier.

Brother Dickey's Philosophy.

It may be, after all, that Satan rules the weather; but one thing is certain—he never lets the winter get close enough to freeze it over!

Dar's lots er Solomon's dat got a fine reputation for wisdom, but de most er hem has been dead too long ter talk 'bout.

De worl' might be better, an de worl' might be wusser. It's my opinion that de bes' thing we kin do is ter tank de Lawd we in it, en keep de fire chuncked.

De man what always do de very bes' what he kin, is soon couns'er ter de angels, en his home ain't fur from whar dey live at.

ARE ALL SECURE

INSURANCE COMPANIES OPERATING IN OREGON NOT CRIPPLED BY BALTIMORE FIRE

Insurance Law of Oregon Requires That All Companies Doing Business in the State Must Make a Deposit of \$50,000 and This Practically Insures Their Responsibility.

A private letter, written in his official capacity, by Secretary of State Dunbar, to an interested party in California sets forth many of the great virtues of the state insurance law which many people of the state, it is safe to say are not aware of, and these particular virtues are of such a nature as to make them very appreciable and shows that nothing of importance was overlooked when the law was being framed.

This party who wrote Mr. Dunbar from California, for information it seems has some property in Oregon, over the insurance of which he is concerned, asks Mr. Dunbar if the serious losses of the insurance companies on account of the great Baltimore fire,

CHAPTER TWO

COUNCIL MAKES INITIAL EFFORT TO STRAIGHTEN OUT ORDINANCE ENFORCEMENT MUDDLE.

Bill for Ordinance Introduced at Special Meeting Last Evening Defining Duties of City Marshal—Chief Gibson Not Satisfied and Says He Wants Protection.

Upon a petition signed by a majority of the aldermen, Mayor Waters called a special meeting of the city council which was held at the chambers in the city hall at 7:30 o'clock last evening, and, as stated by the petition, was for the special purpose of introducing a bill for an ordinance to define the duties of the marshal of the city of Salem. The mayor, recorder, and eleven aldermen were present, some of the latter, however, having received no official notice of the meeting, but hearing from an outside source that a call had been issued made it a point to be present.

The text of the new bill, which carries with it the repeal of the old ordinance defining the duties of the marshal, is as follows:

"The marshal shall execute all process directed to him by recorder; take charge of the city pound, council chamber and city prison; safely keep and provide suitable food, bedding and medical attendance for prisoners confined therein; assign policemen under his control to convenient districts within the city, giving them such advice and instruction from time to time as the exercises of the service may

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LEGAL NOTICES.

MONTHLY SCHOOL REPORT.

The following is a report of school district No. 54 for the month ending February 26, 1904.

Number of days taught, 19. Number of pupils enrolled, 29. Average daily attendance, 24. Whole number days attendance, 470. Number days absence, 76. Number of times late, 4. Number of pupils on roll of honor, 6. The following are names of pupils on roll of honor: Chas. Luthy, Helen Luthy, Charlie Menane, Herbert Humphreys, Harold Humphreys, Dolphie Humphreys. The following named pupils received perfect in spelling during the month: Bertha Doerfler, Herbert Humphreys, Harold Humphreys, Sylvester Doerfler, Dolphie Humphreys, Harry Humphreys, Vernon Patton, Harry Patton.

EVELYN A. NASH, Teacher.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that in the matter of the estate of Robert H. Finch, deceased, the undersigned administrator of the said estate has filed his final account and petitioned the court for final settlement and distribution of the said estate of Robert H. Finch, deceased, in the county court of Marion county, state of Oregon; and that Thursday, the 21st day of March, A. D. 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m. of the said day, at the county court room in the city of Salem, in the said county of Marion and state of Oregon, has been fixed as the time and place for the hearing of objections to the said final account and a settlement thereof. All persons interested are hereby notified to present their objections to the said final account, if any there be, at the said place on or before the above date for final settlement.

Dated this 29th day of February, A. D. 1904.

JEFFERSON MYERS, Administrator of the estate of Robert H. Finch, Deceased.

ALONG THE RIVER FRONT.

The Large Amount of Snow in Mountains May Melt Off in a Rush—Steamers Disabled.

Notwithstanding the almost steady downpour of rain of the past three days, during which time 1.52 inches of rain fell, the river barely held its own, and last night was slowly falling, resting at that time 14.1 feet above low water mark. River men of authority expected to see high water and they would not have been disappointed had not the temperature been below 45 degrees the entire time, and in the mountains and even the low foothills snow was falling heavily, and piling up from ten to twenty feet deep. With these conditions in view, men interested in property along the low lands are quaking for fear of high water to follow. Rain has been falling a large portion of the time since the beginning of the month, and in the mountains a corresponding amount of snow, and the valley is now almost at the mercy of the elements. If the snow is melted gradually there will be no danger, but if warm weather should be accompanied by even light rains conditions would be favorable for a record-breaking flood, such as none wants to see. Capt. Ppong of the Pomona yesterday reported that the river had fallen two feet at Corvallis.

Last Friday night the steamer Altona coming up the river met with a strange mishap at about 8 o'clock in the evening, while about twelve miles below Salem. Drift wood became entangled in the wheel and rudder so that neither could be operated, and as she was at the time in the middle of the stream, and the water very swift at the high stage, a landing could not be effected, and for an hour and five minutes the steamer drifted helplessly down stream, at the mercy of the current, until the drift could be removed from the wheel and steering headway maintained. Luckily the steamer remained near the center of the channel and no damage whatever was done.

Saturday evening the steamer Pomona brought to the city a new shaft which is now being put into the disabled steamer Grey Eagle. The Grey Eagle is lying at the lower dock in this city, and has for several days been helpless, since the accident by which the wheel shaft was broken. She will soon be in commission again, towing logs and hauling cordwood for the Oregon city paper mills.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Leabo, of Portland, were in the city Sunday, to attend the funeral of the late Arthur C. Lawrence, and returned to Portland yesterday.

Chas. Bier spent Sunday with friends in Portland, returning home yesterday morning.

Mrs. C. B. Shelton went to Portland yesterday afternoon for an over night visit with relatives.

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was also brought up during the meeting, and a motion was made and carried to the effect that the chairman of the Court street pavement committee be requested to call a meeting of the committee to be held on Friday evening of next week, at 7 o'clock, in order to give the committee an opportunity to report.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved," writes Mrs. W. Watkins, of Pleasant City, O. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He is now sound and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for coughs, colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed by Dan J. Fry, Druggist. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

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Are All Against Him?

Last night Jacob Hill, an insane patient, was brought to the asylum from Columbia City, Columbia county. The patient is 34 years of age, a native of Germany, and a laborer by occupation. He is of a morbid disposition, and imagines all mankind is plotting against him. He easily becomes angry, and a few days ago attacked a crowd of men, and after chasing them a long distance, was with difficulty restrained from committing murder. He has never before been confined in the asylum, but served a term in the Wisconsin penitentiary for robbing a railway car. He

will have any effect upon their responsibilities in paying such losses as might at any time occur in this or any other state. Mr. Dunbar, in answering the letter, states first, that the Maryland insurance companies, who were the heaviest losers in the Baltimore conflagration, do not do any business in this state and all of those that do did not suffer to such an extent as to be unable to meet any loss which they may suffer in this state, as they all have a large enough surplus fund to more than meet their loss in the Baltimore fire.

Furthermore, the Secretary says, before any insurance company is allowed to do business in the state of Oregon, and here is where the principal virtue of the Oregon law comes in, is required to deposit the sum of \$50,000 in the state treasury as a guarantee of responsibility. No matter how serious the loss of any of these companies may have been in the Baltimore or any other fire, the \$50,000 still remains in the Oregon treasury and cannot be touched by such companies, so that any loss which might occur in this state in the meantime would be fully covered and insured by this deposit. Then again, the Secretary says, if a company can afford to make a deposit of this large amount, of which they have no use whatever, they may certainly be regarded as being financially responsible to meet any loss which might occur in Oregon.

Rev. E. D. Hornschuch, of the German Evangelical church, went to Chemawa yesterday afternoon, and last evening held religious services at the Indian School.

J. W. Woodford, who was in the city city Sunday to attend the funeral of his brother traveler, the late Arthur C. Lawrence, returned to Portland yesterday afternoon.

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require; attend the sessions of the council and the sittings of the recorder's court; and arrest and make complaint against all persons violating city ordinances; pay over all moneys collected by him for the city at least once a week, take a duplicate receipt for the same and file the original with the recorder immediately thereafter; and in the discharge of his duties he shall exercise the powers conferred upon him as will best preserve the peace and subserve the interests of the city."

In commenting upon the action of the council after the meeting, Chief of Police Gibson said that as far as he could see the passing of this new bill would not help matters in particular, as the ordinance failed to give him the assurance asked for. "I stand ready and willing," said the chief, "to enforce the ordinances of the city, the moment I receive official assurance from the council that the city will protect me in case of suit resulting from the proper enforcement of her ordinances."

"My duties, as an officer, are defined in the old ordinance, but what I desire to know is: Will the council stand at my back if I do my duty? Until I receive such assurance, I propose to take no chances."

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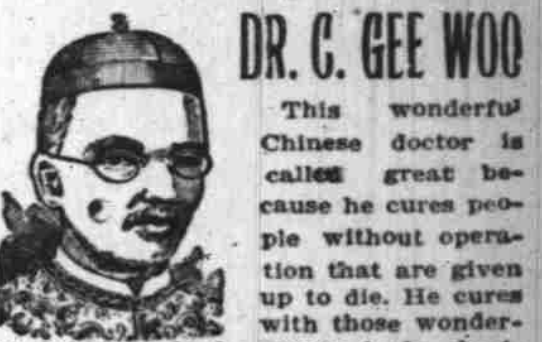
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