

GENERAL MARKET REPORT

Good Shipments of Prunes and Some Potatoes Moving

Telegraphic Reports on Eastern and Western Markets At Close Today

The hop market is firm and prices are steady, with good demand. Quotations in local circles, for the grades of hops available, are from 26 to 28 cents a pound, though there are some options, expiring next Monday, at 30 cents. These are between dealers, and it is impossible to say whether they will accept when the options expire. There is more or less trading among dealers, but the sales of hops on the part of growers are few and far between, for the reason that the crops left in growers' hands are few. Dealers are looking forward to still further advances in the market.

The Grain Market.

Bryant & Pennell are getting considerable wheat at 77 cents, and some buckwheat. Farmers are holding back oats and barley in hopes of a raise. Oats readily brings \$20 a ton and barley \$21.

The Potato Market.

The local market is weak and top-heavy. Frisco buyers were here the past week to boost prices. There are heavy holders of California stock booming prices to get out at a profit. Local buyers are offering from 30 to 40 cents. Extra fancy bring 40 cents, and shipments are made freely to Texas, Arizona and California.

Prunes Going East.

Tillson & Co. shipped two carloads today, and are sending out a great many prunes to Canada and the East. Italians, 40s to 50s, net the grower 3 cents, but some sell lower. No French or Petties are selling here, but would bring more.

H. S. Gile, of the Prune Growers' Association, returned from California this morning, and has little encouragement to offer the growers. Some shipments are being made, and the association has sent Bruce Cunningham

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WHEAT MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Wheat 96½¢ @ 95½¢. Corn, 53½¢ @ 54.

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Wanted Potatoes We Want

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- Early Rose Potatoes.
- Early Jackson Potatoes.
- Peerless Potatoes.
- Garnett Hill Potatoes.

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East to try to sell direct to the retailers in small lots. That is believed to be a solution of the blockade. There is some market for prunes at present on the association plan, and sales on a 2½¢ basis are made from time to time.

Capital City Mills Quotations.
Bryant & Pennell, Props.
Wheat—77c.
Buckwheat—80c.

Poultry—at Steiner's Market.
Chickens—8@10c.
Eggs—Per dozen, 22c.
Turkeys—12½@15c.
Ducks—10c.

Hop Market.
Hops—19@22c.
Potatoes, Vegetables, Etc.
Potatoes—35c.
Onions—1½c.

Dried Fruits.

Peaches—10c.
Apricots—10c.
Apples—10c.
Petite prunes—4c.
Italian prunes—5c.

Wood, Fence Posts, Etc.

Second growth—\$5.50.
Ash—\$2.00 to \$3.75.
Grub oak—\$3.50.
Cedar posts—12½c.

Hides, Fats and Furs.

Green Hides, No. 1—5c.
Green Hides, No. 2—4c.
Calf Skins—4@5c.
Sheep—75c.
Goat Skins—25c to \$1.00.

Grain and Flour.

Wheat, Salem Flouring Mills, export value, 70c.
Oats—\$1.10 per cwt.
Barley—\$1.19 per ton.
Flour—Wholesale, \$3.60.

Live Stock Market.

Steers—3¼@3½c.
Cows—3c.
Sheep—2½c.
Dressed veal—6½c.
Dressed hogs—6c.
Live hogs—4½c.
Mutton—2½c per pound.

Hay, Feed, Etc.

Baled cheat—\$10.
Baled clover—\$19.
Bran—\$21.
Shorts—\$22.

Creamery and Dairy Products.

Good dairy butter—20@25c.
Cream butter—30c.
Cream—separators skimmed, at Com. Creamery, 30c, net.

Don't Miss It.

Prof. Jameson will give a lecture Sunday night at 7:30 in the hall over Harritt & Lawrence's grocery store. The subject will be "Occult Science." 2-11-3t

Carnations and Violets

Other cut flowers to be had at the Avenue greenhouse. Carl Ruef, proprietor. Phone 2591 black. 2-10-3t

There is a movement on foot to annex about one-third of Grant county to Baker.

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DYNAMITE FIEND ABOARD

Of Steamer Majestic With a Horrible Name

Had Stuff in His Trunk and Three Detonators in His Inside Pockets

Liverpool, Feb. 12.—A dynamite plot of unusual importance has been discovered, and there are indications of an extended conspiracy against the government. Customs officers, in searching luggage of Austrian immigrants here today, on arrival of the cases from the steamer Majestic, discovered an 18-pound package of dynamite in the bottom of a trunk. The owner gave his name as Ivan Sjubanovic, and was promptly arrested. When his person was searched three detonators were found hidden in his clothing. He claimed to be traveling from Carlsbad, Germany. He was remanded until February 20th, when he will be examined on a charge of conspiracy. Ivan's purpose of carrying these explosives is unknown, but officers of the Majestic realize that the steamer has been in deadly peril during the entire trip.

MARK HANNA FAILING FAST

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tire family are gathered at the bedside.

Washington, Feb. 12.—At 4:15 p. m., M. P. Hanna, the senator's brother, rushed out of the room and began sending telegrams to relatives. The attendant summoned him excitedly back to the sick room, saying his counsel was needed. Chairman Dick was just called into the room. Carter is now applying heroic remedies.

Oxygen arrived at 4:05. Carter is applying it. Hanna has lost consciousness. His heart is barely beating. Unless he shall respond quickly the end, it is feared, is very near. General Dick, of Ohio; Representatives Payne, of New York; Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, have just arrived on the run, and are now waiting in the ante-room.

At 4 o'clock Hanna had a sinking spell, accompanied by alarming increase of temperature. Carter applied restoratives without effect. Hanna's condition is now extremely critical. Carriages were sent on the run for oxygen. Another was sent to the depot to meet Dr. Osler, of Baltimore, who was sent for earlier in the day. A hurry call has been sent for Dr. Rixey. Relatives of the senator not in the city have been telephoned for by long distance Restoratives, applied by Carter, brought down the temperature, but otherwise the patient didn't respond to the treatment. Saline injections and nitro-glycerine are being given at this hour.

At 4:30 p. m. Hanna's heart has nearly stopped beating. It is barely fluttering; temperature reduced about one degree. All effort is now bent to restoring heart regularity. His breathing is only surface breathing. He did not respond to oxygen. Drs. Medill and McCormick, of Chicago, have been telephoned for.

Secretary Dover sent a message to a number of inquiries as to the unexpected change for the worse. His condition is critical. Dover was asked if this was the beginning of the end, and answered, "I am afraid it is." It is stated now that the relapse was caused by a movement of the bowels.

Slight Improvement.

At 4:40 heart action is a trifle steadier, and the breathing seems deeper. A very slight improvement is announced.

At 4:45 the senator's brother came down into the Arlington office, and said: "The senator's case is desperate, but not hopeless. He is responding slightly to oxygen treatment, and his breathing is taking a deeper hold." Secretary Dover has telephoned Roosevelt that the patient's condition is critical.

Telegraphic Briefs.

Rome, Feb. 12.—Dr. DeCosta, an Episcopalian clergyman, who forsook the faith when Dr. Briggs was admitted, and was afterward ordained a Catholic priest, is dying.

Boston, Feb. 12.—From Portland to Newport there is no open port. All are ice-bound, the worst in 30 years.

ANOTHER TRANSPORT DESTROYED

Russian Loss That Was Not First Reported

Efforts to Save the Survivors of the Great Sea Battle of Chemulpo

London, Feb. 12.—Hayashi has received a telegram from Tokio saying that all the survivors of the Russian cruisers Variag and Korietz and the transport Hungari, which were demolished at Chemulpo Tuesday, have been taken aboard the British, French and Italian warships, which happened to be in the harbor at the time of the engagement. Pabloff, the Russian minister at Seoul, is reported to have asked the American minister, Allen, to convey the survivors to Shanghai or Chee Foo on board two American transports, which are now anchored in Chemulpo. A proposal was also made by the French charge d'affairs at Seoul to the Japanese minister to take them to Chee Foo by the French cruiser Pascal, on parole and their promise not to again participate in the present war. The telegram says the Japanese minister has been instructed to consent to either of these proposals on condition that the survivors be sent to Shanghai, and that Russia agrees that the men not allowed to go north of there in the present war. It is a fact the Hungari was also demolished at Chemulpo, but hitherto it has not been reported.

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