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## MARKET REPORTS BY WIRE

### BAY CITY MARKET

QUOTATIONS ON PRODUCE AT SAN FRANCISCO AND PORTLAND—LOCAL MARKET CORRECTED UP TO DATE—

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Apr. 21.—Wheat—No. 1 California club, per cental, \$1.57 1/2 @ 1.65; white milling club, \$1.62 1/2 @ 1.67 1/2; white Australian, \$1.70 @ 1.72 1/2; northern bluestem, \$1.62 1/2 @ 1.67 1/2; southern club, \$1.57 1/2 @ 1.62 1/2; inferior grades of wheat, \$1.35 @ 1.50. Barley—No. 1 feed, \$1.35 @ 1.40, with some fancy at \$1.42 1/2; common to fair, \$1.27 1/2 @ 1.32 1/2; brewing as San Francisco, \$1.42 1/2 @ 1.47 1/2; brewing and shipping at Port Costa, \$1.40 @ 1.45; Chevalier, \$1.65 @ 1.85, according to quality. Butter—Fresh California extras, 22 1/2 c; 4ths, 22c; seconds, 20 1/2 c; packing No. 1, 19c; No. 2, 18c. Eggs—Per dozen, California fresh, including extras, 31 1/2 c; firsts, 19c; seconds, 17 1/2 c; thirds, 16c; dirties, No. 1, 17 1/2 c; dirties, No. 2, 17c. Cheese—Per pound, California flats, fancy, 11 1/2 c; firsts, 11c; seconds, 10 1/2 c; California Young America, fancy, 13 1/2 c; firsts, 12c. Storage—Eastern fancy New York 17c; Oregon 14c. Potatoes—Per cental, Lompoc, \$1.10 @ 1.20; Oregon burbanks, 85c @ \$1.05; river whites, fancy, 40 @ 85c; early rose, \$1.25 @ 1.35; river reds, \$1.35 @ 1.40; sweet potatoes, 4c per lb.; new potatoes, 2 1/2 @ 3 1/2 c per lb. Onions—Eastern red, nominal; Bermuda, \$2.00 @ 2.25; per crate; Australian brown, \$5.00 @ 5.50; per crate. Oranges—Per box, navels, fancy, \$2.25 @ 2.50; choice, \$1.75 @ 2.25; standards, \$1.50 @ 2.00; Tangerines, \$1.50 @ 2.00.

The Cattle Market. (United Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, April 21.—Receipts—Hogs, 10,000; cattle, 2,000; sheep, 14,000. Hogs opened 5 @ 10c lower than yesterday. Left over yesterday, 14,300. Mixed, \$5.50 @ 5.85; heavy, \$5.70 @ 5.85; rough, \$5.35 @ 5.50; light, \$5.40 @ 5.50; Cattle strong; sheep steady.

Kansas City, Mo., April 21.—Receipts—Hogs, 9,000; cattle, 6,000; sheep, 5,000.

Omaha, Neb., April 21.—Receipts—Hogs, 6,500; cattle, 2,800; sheep, 4,000.

SALEM MARKET. Local Wholesale Market. Eggs—14c. Butter—Creamery, 27 1/2 c. Cows—\$3 @ 3.50. Hens—11c; mixed chickens, 10c. Local wheat—\$2 @ 85c. Oats—85c. Barley—\$2.

Flour—Hard wheat, \$4.50 @ 4.80; valley, \$4.00. Hay—Cheat, \$13 @ 14; clover, \$10 @ 2 per ton; timothy, \$14 @ 15. Onions—3 1/2 c. Hops—1907 crop, 4 @ 4 1/2 c. Cascara Bark—3 to 3 1/2 c. Mhair—20c. Retail Market. Oats—\$1.45 @ 1.50 per cwt. Wheat—\$1.00. Rolled barley—\$31. Eggs—16c. Butter—Country, 30c; creamery, 30c. Flour—Valley, \$1.20 per sack; hard wheat, \$1.40 @ \$1.50. Bran—90c per sack; \$30.00 per ton; shorts, \$1.25 per sack. Hay—Cheat, \$16 @ 17; clover, \$15; cheat, 85c; clover, 75c per cwt. Oranges—\$2.50 @ 2.50. Livestock. Hogs—Fat, \$5.50. Stock hogs—\$4.50. Steers—Tops, \$3.50; fair, \$2.75 @ \$3.00. Veal—6 @ 8c. Tropical Fruits. Bananas—\$6.00. Oranges—\$2.40 @ 2.50. Lemons—\$3.50 @ 4.50. Portland Market. Wheat—Club, 84c; valley, 80 @ 85c; bluestem, 87c. Poultry—Hens, 14 @ 14 1/2 c; ducks, 15 @ 16c; pigeons, old, \$1 per dozen. Millstuff—Bran, \$24. Hay—Timothy, valley, \$7.50; alfalfa, \$12 @ 12.50. Vetch—\$14. 1-4 of Pound a Week. at least, is what a young baby ought to gain in weight. Does yours? If not there's something wrong with its digestion. Give it McGee's Baby Blixir and it will begin gaining at once. Cures stomach and bowel troubles, aids digestion, stops fretfulness, good for teething babies. Price 25c and 50c. Sold by all dealers.

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GREATEST RECEPTION IN HISTORY OF PACIFIC COAST TO BE GIVEN FLEET UPON ITS ARRIVAL.

The crowning event in the world-famous voyage of the American battleship fleet will be the rousing reception it received in San Francisco from the hour the sixteen big men-of-war plough through the Golden Gate on May 5th until the close of the grand review on May 8th, every moment will be filled with stirring and historic events.

The Southern Pacific Company lines in Oregon will make a low round trip rate for this occasion from Salem to San Francisco of \$25. Sale dates, May 2, 3 and 4. Final return limit is 29 days. Details will allow ample time to see in detail the rebuilding of the great city of San Francisco. To visit the many points of interest in and around the Bay City and make side trips at pleasure in Southern California. Call on any agents for descriptive matter of California, make sleeping car reservation in advance.

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## HOT LAKE MUD TO MUCH FOR JOE DAY

Nearly every one in Oregon knows or has heard of Joe Day, the Portland detective, and all-round character. Joe visited Baker City a few days ago. He spent a time at Hot Lake. On his return to Portland The Telegram quotes him as follows: "None of the mud in mine," spluttered Joe. "Not much; good clean water will do me awfully yet, betcherlife. Old rheumatiz'll have to tie my old carcase into a pretty crooked pretzel before they can make a monkey of me like they did out of a lot of those fellows I saw up there at the lake. "You'd a died to see them damp-hoop greenhorns take to that mud. Say, they went to it like a blind duck chasing a pollywog, and I'm a son of a gun if they didn't think that it done them good. "You know I went up there twisted in my joints like that old feller you see on the label of a horse liniment bottle, and every move I made hurt like losing a hand at heart solo. Sometimes I had it so that my arms and legs stood out like the signboard, on a country cross road, but none of the medicated mud and fire clay for mine. "The baths were out of sight. I never took so many in my life and, so he'p me, the water up there was hotter than the hinges of—say, where is that place the ex-lectives go to?—and the first time that big yaboo of a rubber threw me into a tub I yelled—"how I yelled! I've read about cooking saints in boiled oil, but that Eastern Oregon water would make boiled oil look like a skating rink. And I want to tell you that when I got out of that!—\*\*\* tub I looked like one of them side orders of Baron Schenk's crawfish. Talk about a lobster. If there'd been any mayonnaise dressing around there I'd been taken for a cannibal's breakfast. "The next time I asked 'em to cool that water down about 4000 degrees and I got along better, and, b—!, the baths were worse'n the rheumaties for the first week but all at once I began to feel better and I threw the old cane away. "But, what I was going to tell you about was the mud baths. A gang of these suckers up there did not think no more of sprawling around in that ooze than nothing. They must have lived in Seattle and had to cross the street everytime they went outdoors, the way they liked it. I didn't know what they done to them mudlarks until I asked one of the victims who had a ?!?!\* of a case of bum joints. He had inflammatory, muscular and sciatic all at once. Honest fact, that feller told me that at night when they got through with the rest of the junk—they called it treatment—they rolled 'em up like clam fritters in a jacket of soft mud—what do you think of that?—gave 'em mud nightshirts about six inches thick and stuffed 'em into a hot room and let 'em bake. When they were done brown they put 'em to bed. "In the morning the rubber would come along with a hammer, hit 'em two or three times and the mud shirt would fall off. That was the alarm clock and it was time to get up." "No, sir, no mud for mine."

## AN OLD TIME EXAMPLE SYSTEM GONE FOREVER

A few years ago there was a man in Baker that had been prominent in political affairs and speaking about the election of United States senators, told of the part that he played or attempted to play, at one time, when there was a dead lock. He said that he found there was no prospect of the candidate whom the Southern Pacific railroad had bought being elected, so he went to San Francisco and called at the company's headquarters and informed them that there was no show for their man to secure the election but that he could have the election for \$20,000 and that he would be their man and do their bidding in the senate. The company did not think their case hopeless and would not buy him. Their man, however, as legitimate and honorable as it was, had offered to sell a male instead of himself. But it was not himself alone but all the people of Oregon were to be sold to the Southern Pacific railroad company for a consideration of \$20,000. In relating this incident he seemed utterly devoid of all sense of shame for what he proposed doing. Yet in his dealings with his fellow-men in ordinary business he was fairly honorable. Such was the influence of the former system of graft and bribery that men who engaged in such business lost all sense of honor and honesty when promoting such schemes. The same grafters and political profligates are now trying to restore the old system by defeating the masses of the people in their effort to have an honest election of United States senators as provided for in Statement No. 1. Some well meaning voters may be led astray by the specious plea of maintaining the integrity of the party, but one who holds the honor of his party sacred can never consent to have it again made the tool of grafters. I. H.

## \$9,500,000 IS VALUE OF OREGON SHEEP

Governor Chamberlain has received from Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture at Washington, assurances that the department will co-operate with the state sheep commission of Oregon during the coming year in an effort to eradicate sheep scab in the state. Some idea of the importance of the sheep breeding and woolgrowing industry of Oregon may be gained by the report of Secretary Smythe of the board of sheep commissioners and Sheep Inspector Wm. H. Lytle, just filed with Governor Chamberlain, covering the appropriation of the sheep commission and the results obtained under the law enacted by the last legislature for the eradication of infectious diseases of the sheep. According to this report Oregon had in 1907, 1,800,000 sheep, shearing age and 1,000,000 lambs of an aggregate approximate value of \$9,500,000. Wool clip of the state amounted to 15,300,000 pounds, of the value of \$3,121,200. The average weight of fleeces was 8.5 pounds, which is the equal of any state in the union. We exported 250,000 sheep and lambs during the year 1907 and most of the latter were mutton for immediate slaughter and fine rams and ewes for breeding purposes and does not include the stocks trailed into the state from bordering states for grazing purposes.

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## HUNDRED PERSONS HOMELESS

San Francisco, April 21.—Homes are being provided today for 100 persons whose apartments were destroyed in a fire which attacked four three and four story apartment houses in Buchanan street. John Macey and his wife, Annie, were nearly suffocated in their home on the top floor of one of the buildings. The smoke from the fire, cries of the firemen failed to arouse them and when the building was almost enveloped in flames they were found asleep by firemen, who faced death in making the rescue, and carried to the Central Emergency hospital. A few minutes after the fire originated in a garage it swept along Buchanan street. Fanned by a strong wind, the flames leaped beyond the reach of the firemen and were soon eating their way through the apartment buildings. The occupants of the structure, half clad, rushed to the street. The fire was roaring menacingly when it was discovered that Macey and his wife were not among the ones who had escaped. The rescue followed.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by all druggists.

## DECISION AGAINST GAMBLING

(United Press Leased Wire.) Olympia, Wash., April 21.—Any gambling game whether conducted in a public or in a private place, when it is run for gain, is unlawful, according to a decision of the supreme court handed down in the appeal of Charles Preston, who was arrested, found guilty and fined for conducting a gambling resort in Walla Walla. Preston ran a roulette wheel in the basement of a building and while the game was on, kept the doors locked. He was charged with conducting and carrying on a gambling game. He made his appeal on the ground that while it constituted a felony to run an open gambling game when the game was conducted behind closed doors it was only a misdemeanor.

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