

TIME NOT WASTED SEEING THE "RIVALS"

A woman of taste and refinement witnessing a performance of "The Rivals" as presented by Joseph William W. Jefferson, was overheard to say: "This has been a profitable evening," and then she asked resentfully, "Why don't we see more of them?"

Her remark, it is believed, voiced sentiments of nearly every person in the large audience that had witnessed Richard Brinsley Sheridan's comedy with every evidence of delighted enjoyment. The message of the play may seem to us antiquated in expression and certain of the characters may impress as old-fashioned, but the wit, because it is genuine, is keen, and the humor of the situations, by reason of the skillful ease with which they are created, has lost none of its power to amuse and gladden.

Not only the eye is gratified by witnessing one of those "old-fashioned" comedies—but the mind, too,

is roused and entertained and the auditor departs feeling that he has been not only diverted and amused but refreshed and invigorated. Such an evening is, in truth, profitable, for the recreation that is one of the chief ends of theater-going has been obtained and the mental faculties have not been left unused, or, what is more damaging, been dulled by inanity and worse. Why we do not have more of them is a text requiring too far reaching treatment to receive attention here even if it were desirable. Managers, players and public are each in part to blame for the infrequency of such evenings of profit, but it is doubtful if the chief portion of such blame can with justice be laid to the door of the public.

If the theater-going public of this city desire to spend a "profitable evening" they should not fail to see "The Rivals" when it is presented by Joseph and William Jefferson at the Grand opera house tonight.

THE MARKETS

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.
San Francisco, Oct. 29.—Wheat, No. 1 California club, per cental, \$1.67 1/2 @ 1.70; California white milling, \$1.75 @ 1.80; northern, bluestem, \$1.72 1/2 @ 1.77 1/2; off grades wheat, \$1.50 @ 1.60; Reds, \$1.62 1/2 @ 1.67 1/2.

Barley, feed barley, \$1.35 @ 1.40; common to fair, \$1.25 @ 1.30; brewing at San Francisco, nominal at, \$1.45 @ 1.55; Chevalier, \$1.50 @ 1.60, according to quality.

Eggs—Per dozen, California fresh, including cases, extras, 55c; firsts, 47c; seconds, 27 1/2c; thirds, 23c; Eastern selected, 27c; firsts, 25c; seconds, 22 1/2c; storage, California extra, 31c; firsts, 28c; Eastern storage, extra, 26 1/2c; firsts, 25c.

Butter—Per pound, California extras, 31c; firsts, 28c; seconds, 23c; thirds, 20c; Eastern extras, 27c; ladies, extras, 22c; firsts, 21c; picked, No. 1, 23 1/2c; storage, California extras, 26 1/2c.

New cheese—Per pound, California flats, fancy, 12 1/2c; firsts, 12c; seconds, 10 1/2c; California Young America fancy, 14 1/2c; firsts, 13c; Eastern New York Cheddars, fancy, 17c; Oregon flats, fancy, 13c; do Young America fancy, 14 1/2c; California storage, fancy, flats, 12c.

Potatoes—Per cental, River whites (sacks) fancy, 70 @ 85c; poor, 50 @ 65; Salinas Burbanks, \$1.25 @ 1.55; Oregon Burbanks, \$1.25 @ 1.35; Early Rose, 75 @ 85c; sweet potatoes to the trade, sacks, \$1.50; crates, \$1.75.

Onions—Per sack, Yellow, 70 @ 75; Brown Australian, 65 @ 70c.

Oranges—Per box, Valencia \$2 @ 3.50.

PORTLAND MARKETS
Grain, Flour Feed, Etc.

Portland, Or., Oct. 30.—Barley, feed, \$26 @ 26.50 per ton; rolled \$27.50 @ 28.50; brewing \$26.50.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$31 @ 31.50 per ton; gray, \$30 @ 30.50.

Wheat—Club, 89c per bushel; 40-fold, 90c; Five, 89c; bluestem, 94c; valley, 90c; Red Russian, 86c.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$26.50 per ton; middlings, \$33; shorts, country \$31; city, \$30; U. S. mill chop, \$22.

Hay—Timothy, Willamette valley \$14 per ton; Willamette valley, ordinary, \$11; eastern Oregon, \$16.50; @ 17.50; mixed, \$13; clover, \$9; alfalfa, \$14; alfalfa meal, \$19.

Vegetables and Fruit.
Fresh fruit—Apples, new, 60c @ 62c per box; peaches, 70 @ 85c per box; pears, 75c @ 1.25 per box; grapes, 75 @ 1.25 per crate; local Concordas, 10 @ 15c per half-bushel basket; cranberries, \$10.50 per barrel; huckleberries, 9 @ 10c.

Dairy and Country Produce.
Butter—City creamery, extra, 34 @ 35c per pound; fancy, 32 1/2 @ 35c; store, 17 @ 20c.

Eggs—Oregon select, 38 @ 40c; Eastern, 27 @ 32 1/2c per doz.

Poultry—Hens, 12 1/2 @ 13c; spring, 12 1/2 @ 13c; ducks, old, 12 @ 13 1/2c; young, 14 @ 15c; turkeys, old, 16 @ 18c.

Cheese—Fancy cream twins, 15c per pound; full cream triplets, 15c; full cream young America, 16c.

Veal—Extra, 8 1/2 @ 9c per pound; ordinary, 7 @ 7 1/2c; heavy, 5.

Pork—Fancy, 7c per pound; large, 5 1/2 @ 6c.

Miscellany.
Hops—Oregon, 1908, 7 @ 8 1/2c per lb., 1907, 3 @ 4c.

Wool—Eastern Oregon, average best, 10 @ 14c per lb., according to shrinkage; valley, 15 @ 16c.

Mohair—Choice, 18c per lb.
Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 13 @ 15c per lb.; dry kip, No. 1, 13c lb.; dry calfskins, 16c lb.; salted hides, 6 1/2 @ 8c lb.; salted calfskins, 12 @ 13c lb.; green, 1c less.

SALEM MARKET.
Local Wholesale Market.
Eggs—35c.
Butter—Creamery 36c.
Hens—10c; young chickens, 10c.
Local wheat—86c.
Oats—42c.
Barley—\$24.50.
Flour—Hard wheat, \$5; valley, \$4.25.

Hay—Cheat, \$11; clover, \$9 per ton; timothy, \$12 @ 13.
Onions—\$1.25 cwt.
Hops—1907 crop, 5 @ 6c.
Cascara Bark—2 1/2 @ 3c.
Mohair—18c.

Retail Market.
Oats—\$1.45.
Wheat—\$1.05.
Eggs—40c.
Butter—Country, 32 1/2c; creamery, 40c.
Flour—Valley, \$1.25 per sack; hard wheat, \$1.40 @ 1.45.
Bran—95c per sack, \$31 per ton; shorts, \$1.35 per sack.

Livestock.
Stock hogs—\$4.50.
Steers—3 1/2c.
Veal—5 @ 7c.
Cows—\$3 @ 3.50.

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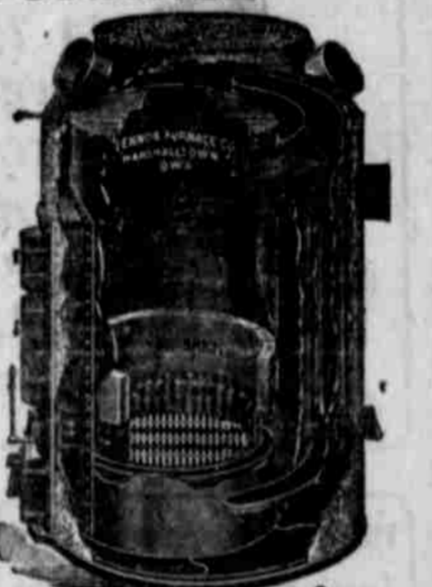
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