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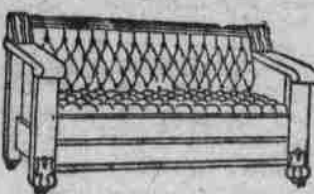
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THE MARKETS

The following prices for fruits and vegetables are those asked by the wholesaler of the retailer, and not what is paid to the producer.

There is a downward tendency in general products and commission men believe the high notch of prices has been reached.

Wheat \$1.15@1.20, Oats new 42c, Rolled barley \$40, Bran \$23.50, Shorts per ton \$32, Hay, clover \$12@13, Hay, cheat \$11, Hay, vetch \$12, Hay, timothy \$10.

Butterfat \$38, Creamery butter per pound 40c, Country butter 28@32c.

Eggs and Poultry Eggs, case count, cash 32c, Eggs, trade 34c, Hens, pound 12c@14c, Hens, old, per pound 10c@12c, Turkeys, live 18@21c, Turkeys, dressed 22@25c, Ducks, live 12@14c, Geese, live 11@12c.

Pork, Veal and Mutton Pork, dressed 12 1/2@13c, Pork, on foot 8 1/2c, Spring lambs 8@9c, Veal, according to quality 10@12 1/2c, Steers 6-6 1/2c, Cows 4 1/2-5c, Hogs 5-5 1/2c, Wethers 5c@7c.

Figs and Dates Figs, 35 lb. oz. \$2.75, Black figs 9c, White figs 10c, Golden dates 15c.

Vegetables Cabbage 2c, String garlin 10@12 1/2c, Potatoes, sweet 4 1/2c, Potatoes, per 100 pounds \$1.25@1.50, Green onions 40c, Artichokes \$1, Lettuce, California, crate \$2.25, Onions \$5.00, Celery 75@90c, Cauliflower \$2.25, Parsnips, carrots and beets \$1.25, Corn husks, lb. 12 1/2c.

Fruits Apples 50c@81, Oranges, navel \$2.75, Oranges, Japanee \$1.25, Lemons, per box \$7.50@14.00, Bananas, pound 5c, California grape fruit \$3.50.

Florida grape fruit \$5.00, Pineapple 9c, Honey \$2.50, Cranberries \$12.00.

Retail Prices Sugar, cane \$7.95, Sugar, beet \$7.75, Creamery butter 45c, Flour, hard wheat \$2.00@2.40, Flour, valley \$1.90@2.05.

PORTLAND MARKET

Portland, Or., Jan. 6. Wheat, club \$1.54, Red Russian \$1.50, Bluestem \$1.62, Fortyfold \$1.57, Oats, No. 1 white feed \$32.75, Barley, feed \$39, Hogs, best live \$10.30, Prime steers \$8.50, Fancy cows \$7.50, Calves \$7, Spring lambs \$11, Butter, city creamery 38c, Eggs, selected local ex. 35@38c, Hens 17@18c, Broilers 18c@20c, Geese 12c.

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SAY PEACE NOTE IS

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The administration says it is not now considering a change in its policy of neutrality. But, experts say, there is no mistaking the purpose in the back of administration minds as to the future and as to bringing Germany into line with these threats.

The entente reply to the Wilson note was expected today. Just when it would be released was problematical.

TICKER REPORTS

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not try to get in personal touch with Curtis, but had merely written him asking him to furnish facts. Wood said he had received many similar anonymous letters since the resolutions were introduced.

Both the Wall Street Journal and Financial America will be asked to produce all their ticker news reports and private messages during the period of several days before and after the note was sent.

Market Fluctuated But Prices Are Lower

New York, Jan. 6.—The New York Evening Sun financial review today said:

will be ordered to produce all messages sent by both papers during that time. Representative Gardner, Massachusetts, asked that President Wilson, Secretary Tamm, Secretary of State Lansing, white house and state department employes and officials of American embassies abroad be questioned.

As the day's proceedings closed it was believed a general leak investigation by the house would follow. The resolution of Representative Wood, Indiana, asking investigation of Thomas W. Lawson's charge against house members, was lost sight of. Under Wood's resolution, the committee could recommend a general investigation but must determine whether Thomas W. Lawson's statements regarding the leak questioned the integrity of the house. A substitute resolution is expected to be introduced Monday.

The committee decided to start hearings at 9:30 a. m. Monday and continue throughout the day.

Blames Embassy Employes. Representative Harrison insisted he believed embassy employes of financial reporters were responsible for the leak.

Many embassy employes, Gardner agreed, get small salaries and are subjected to great temptation. One of them, he said, might sell 10 shares of steel. That would suffice to give a tip to Wall Street if there were a pre-arranged signal.

Gardner explained his fight for an investigation was because he wanted this man Lawson to "put up or shut up."

Representative Campbell said in cross examination of Representative Wood he thought Lawson was the principal guilty by the leak and had traded 300,000 shares of steel.

The meeting ended, congressionally, with flashlight photographs of the committee. All was well until Chairman Henry started to fall backwards in his chair off the platform and saved himself by grabbing Representative Garrett's chair. Garrett substituted for Henry. He ended almost loquaciously tangled on the floor a foot below the platform, the photographer said it wouldn't show in the picture.

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Today's short session of the stock market attracted little more than nominal interest. There was a fairly heavy amount of short covering in the week end settlement of accounts which carried prices upward one to two points or more, but the trading was almost wholly professional. The traders discussed the outlook for peace, the Kaiser's address to his soldiers, the endorsement of the president's quest for terms in the amended resolution and the determination of Mr. Wilson not to send another note to the belligerents until he had received the reply of the entente powers, which is expected momentarily. These things left the whole question of peace very much in the air and the uncertainty was not relieved by the conference of the premier and ministers of the allies at

DISCOVERY MAY LEAD TO CONTROL OF CANCER

Scientist Says Tethelin Will Make Human Family Larger

Berkeley, Cal., Jan. 6.—The secret of how to make a short man tall and a tall man taller is within the grasp of science, according to Dr. T. B. Robertson, of the University of California, in a statement today. Announcement has been made of the Bio-Chemistry department of the university, that tethelin, the substance which controls growth has been isolated. This substance, a fluid, is declared to be in the pituitary body at the base of the brain and the scientists believe that by retarding or accelerating its action it may ultimately be possible to control human stature.

One important phase of the university's announcement is the fact that experiments have demonstrated that tethelin accelerates greatly the growth of cancer. Dr. Robertson believes that, ultimately a process will be found for controlling the functions of the substance in cancer and thus possibly effecting a control over the dread disease.

THE OLD, OLD STORY

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of Pocastello, Idaho, and of meeting the defendant about three weeks later. Their acquaintanceship drifted along for about three years when she said Gardner began to pay her more attention and began to ask her to go places. She told of her promising to become his wife when she became of age and how they planned to go to live on a homestead he was taking up. She admitted her parents did not like Gardner, but she would not go with him until she was of age.

The events took place between the last of May and the Fourth of July, 1915, that culminated in the birth of the child in March, 1916, and the present suit for \$20,000 damages. She told how she worked in the Salem steam laundry at the collar mangle until the day before her child was born and stated she has not worked since, and that she has been trying to be a good mother to her baby.

Samuel Shaffer was called next and told of how little he really knew about his daughter. He admitted he did not know anything about her condition until he heard the baby cry. The mother was also called and testified that she was not informed as to her daughter's condition until she was asked to get a doctor.

Miss Shaffer declared that Gardner induced her to submit to his embraces because of reiterated promises of their marriage, and that if anything serious resulted he would stand by her. She said that after the Fourth of July, 1915 Gardner went to the coast to take up his homestead and that when he returned the latter part of September of that year she told him of her condition. He then wanted to take her down to Portland where everything could be 'fixed' so no one would know anything about it. This she says she flatly refused to consent to saying that she would 'see it through if she had to go alone.' Finding that his attitude was not what he promised, when he called up on the telephone one day in October, 1915, and asked for her, she told him she was 'done.'

Defendant's Version. Earl Gardner, defendant, took the witness stand this morning in his own behalf and told his story. He declared that his meetings with Fannie Shaffer became more and more frequent in the spring of 1915 and that after the season when band concerts began, he took her to them. He denied the first instance cited by Miss Shaffer and asserted that instead of her seducing him it was she who seduced him and caused him to fall from virtue.

He testified that, on the second instance, which took place down by the river in North Salem in the vicinity of the poor farm, that she asked him to tell stories, whether off-color or not. He asserted she was willing to accept his advances and was of the opinion that it was not wrong "if they were not caught or no harm came from it."

Regarding the Fourth of July incident, the testimony developed a discrepancy. She declared the last instance took place on that date and he said it was on July 12, 1915. This was refuted by a postal card introduced as evidence bearing the post mark of Florence, July 9, telling that he was going to another town. The card was sent to Fannie by Earl Gardner and showed conclusively that he was not in Salem at that time, when he asserted he was here.

It was brought out in the argument of Attorney Carey Martin, who with Attorney Winslow, is conducting the case for the plaintiff, that a woman named Stone who was a friend of the Gardner, came to Salem and on pretense of using the Shaffer telephone entered the Shaffer home and tried to get Fannie Shaffer to make some statement that could clear Earl Gardner of responsibility in the case.

Sentiment however, on the floor of the stock exchange was cheerful. This was reflected in the better undertone of prices, although in the second hour the support which the operations of the shorts had given was withdrawn to a large extent and prices eased off. United States Steel opened ten thousand shares at 112 and 112 1/2, reacted to 111 5/8, touched 113 subsequently and then again sold off fractionally. This represented the movements of the whole industrial list.

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TEUTONS CAPTURE

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peace offered by Germany, but refused.

No Truth in Story. Berlin, via Sayville wireless, Jan. 6. "Absolutely untrue," was the denial registered by the press bureau today in a report published in foreign newspapers that a woman and a 13-year-old boy had been recently shot as spies in Kameln, Belgium.

The statement said no boy of this age had been sentenced. A woman had been sentenced to death on conclusive evidence but was pardoned.

Capture Five Towns. Berlin, via Sayville wireless, Jan. 6. Capture of Rimniceni, Tartaria, Olamances, Gallina and Maxineu, in Rumania and penetration of German vanguards to the Sereth river line, was announced by the war office today.

85 Were Drowned. London, Jan. 6.—Losses in the torpedoing of the transport Ivernia, formerly the Cunard liner, totaled 85 of the rank and file, the admiralty announced today. The original estimate of those lost was 150.

British Attack at Night. Berlin, Jan. 6.—A British night attack near Serre and north of the Aisne and the Somme entered into the German advanced trenches, today's official statement reported from the western front.

Russians Make Gain. Berlin, via wireless to Sayville, L. L. Jan. 6.—Entry of Russian forces into a German position across a space about the width of that held by a battalion between the east coast and the road from Miiau to Riga was reported in today's official statements. The attacks came violent artillery preparation and were made by fresh forces, following yesterday's unsuccessful attempts to advance.

WEDDINGS AT SILVERTON A quiet wedding was solemnized on the last day of the old year when Miss Selma Geline Evens, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Evens, became the bride of Mr. Selmer Oscar Ness, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ness. The Synod Lutheran church, where the ceremony took place, was tastefully decorated in green and white. A beautiful arch of green ivy interspersed with numerous white wedding bells was suspended in front of the altar and shed its benediction on the young bridal couple.

At 2 o'clock, to the tune of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Miss Arlyn Wolf, the groom, attended by Mr. Eddie Evens, and the bride attended by Miss Esther Ness, marched to the altar where Rev. A. O. White pronounced the wedding ceremony. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white tulle over net trimmed in Silver cloth and carried a shower bouquet of roses and hyacinths and her full tulle veil was caught in a wreath of hyacinths. The bride's maid wore a gown of pink crepe de chine and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom and his best man wore the conventional black.

Before the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the Evens home of which the following partook: Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Evens, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ness, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ness, Mr. Eddie Evens, Miss Mable Evens, Miss Esther Ness, and the bride and groom. The dining room was decorated in pink and white and the dining table was fragrant with pink carnations.

Smith-Pederson. Miss Thora Pederson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. N. Pederson, of Santa Barbara, Cal., former residents of this city and Martin E. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith of this city, were married at the St. Francis hotel, in San Francisco, Cal., Wednesday, December 27, at 5:30 in the evening. The happy couple returned to this city Tuesday morning where they are to reside. Mrs. Smith was a guest of Mrs. Class Bentson in this city about one year ago and it was at this time that Mr. Smith, for the first time met his bride. Mr. Smith is engaged in the jewelry business with his father and has a very promising business career before him.

Cooley-Johnson. Miss Ida M. Johnson, whose parents live a short distance north of this city, and Sam S. Cooley, of this city, were quietly married at Vancouver, Wash., just before Christmas and have returned to make their home where they are well known and have many friends. Mr. Cooley is in the employ of the Silver Falls Timber company on the logging engine. The happy couple have taken up their residence in part of the house on Oak street occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. DeSpain.—Silverton Appeal.

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TO ASK LEGISLATORS TO ADVERTISE STATE

Want \$25,000 a Year Spent in Inducing Tourists to Visit Northwest

The legislature to meet in Salem next Monday noon will be asked for an appropriation of \$25,000 per annum for two years to put on a gigantic advertising campaign to attract tourists to the northwest. And the legislature of Washington will be asked to do the same. Today the Northwest Tourist association is in session in Portland with delegates from British Columbia, Washington and Oregon. Salem is represented by Ivan G. McDaniel, manager of the Commercial club. The object of the association is to combine the scenic resources of British Columbia, Washington and Oregon in one great trip for the summer tourist, and to advertise them to the world. California advertises and receives about \$2,000,000,000 every year from tourists and Colorado about \$50,000,000. Now that the interstate commerce commission has prohibited the roads out of Chicago from discriminating against the northwest in tourist rates, there is a chance of getting some of the summer tourist travel. The bill to be introduced in the legislature provides that all the money appropriated shall be used for advertising and that the governor shall appoint two men to approve bills as well as to direct the work. Heretofore, the railroads out of Chicago and St. Louis required tourists to pay an extra \$17.50 for the privilege of returning home by the northwest, although the mileage is about 300 miles.

ALLIES CONFER

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British public opinion holds there could be no better answer to German peace proffers than the Rome conference, stating today with a professed purpose to obtain greater unity of effort in waging the war henceforth. According to the British view, the conference also develops utter failure of Germany's scheme to create dissension among the allies through her peace proposals.

The dove of peace may have a hard time to keep up her reputation for neutrality. We hear snering remarks about a "German peace."

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