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PEACH PLUM CROP HEAVY

COVE SENDS OUT THREE CARLOADS THIS WEEK.

Prune Crop Discussed—Cove Orchards Paying Well.

Sove, Ore., Aug. 26.—(Special)—The harvesting of the peach plum crop which was at its height a week ago, is now ended, over three carloads of fruit having been shipped out of Cove. Excellent prices have been obtained for the fruit, and all things that come from Cove orchards have therefore been remunerative to the owners thus far this year.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 25.—Is there real danger in getting the price of a product of the farm too high? The question has been asked on numerous occasions and there have been various answers. Just now much interest is manifest in the market for dried prunes.

The dried fruit market is entirely apart from the trade in the fresh product and the uses of the two products are in no way similar. The trade that will pay an extremely high price for a fresh prune will absolutely refuse to have a dried prune at any price. Then again there are consumers of the dried product who will not care the slightest for the fresh fruit.

The extreme high prices received some time ago by the Northwestern Fruit Exchange of this city for the Miles Canyon crop of fresh prunes at an Idaho point, have attracted considerable attention, not only in the fresh fruit trade, but in the dried product market. Prices in effect for fresh prunes have been unusually favorable and while in a measure the dried product is selling unusually high, still the advantage thus far has been with the fresh fruit so far as returns to the grower are concerned.

It has been demonstrated time and time again that there is a closer limit to the price that consumers will pay for dried fruits than for the fresh product, although at first glance the advantage should be with the former. During recent seasons the price of dried prunes reached such a height that, consumption was cut at least a quarter from the normal. This season with the highest price for over 16 years in effect, the demand is very likely to show a further decrease.

What is likely to happen in the prune trade has been demonstrated in many other lines. When the price of canned asparagus reached an extreme or prohibitive figure, the public's appetite began to wane. The result was that even with a very short pack, there was a carryover. The same was shown where the price of apples went so high. The public quickly changed its appetite and last year's disastrous season was the result. When potatoes go to an extreme mark all handlers can easily see the lessened requirements of the trade. The same is true of most lines and there is no doubt that prunes will prove no exception. Prune men are therefore, keeping their ears to the ground to discover when the price has probably reached its full limit.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Notice is hereby given that the county board of equalization for Union county, Oregon, will attend at the court house, La Grande, on Monday, September 8, 1913, and publicly examine the assignment roll, correct all errors in valuation, descriptions or qualities of land, lots or other property, as assessed by the county assessor, and it shall be the duty of all persons interested to appear at the time and place given.

All persons having grievances regarding the 1913 assessment may appear before such board and present their affidavits containing grounds for complaint. All such affidavits must be presented during the first week of the meeting of the board.

U. G. COUCH,
Assessor for Union County.
Adv. 8-18 9-8.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Fresh ranch eggs—30c.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 40 cents 1 lb. roll; 2 lb. roll 75.
Ranch butter—1 lb. roll 30c; 2 lb. roll 65c.

Flour, Hay, Feed, Etc.

Wild Hay—(retail)—\$12.00.
Timothy—\$15.00@16.00.
Alfalfa hay—\$13.00 (retail).
Oats—\$1.40 per cwt.
Bran—\$1.15 per cwt.
Rolled oats—\$1.50 per cwt.
Rolled barley—\$1.30.
Blue Stem flour—\$1.40.
Patent—\$1.30.
Snowdrift—\$1.40 sack.
Sea Foam—\$1.20.
Elkhorn flour—\$1.40.

Vegetables and Miscellaneous.

Celery—2 for 25c.
Onions—\$2.50 cwt., small lots 2 1-2c.
Young onions—3 for 10c.
New potatoes—2c.
Beans—White 1-1c; Lima, 10 cents.
Cabbage—3c lb.
Young turnips—5c; 3@10c.
Cucumbers—field, 5c; 3 for 10.
Fresh tomatoes—10c; \$1.15 per box.
Stringbeans—3 for 25c.
Green corn—20c a dozen.
Sweet potatoes—3 lbs. 25c.

Fruit, Etc.

Cherries (home grown)—5c lb.
Peaches—\$1.25 per box.
Blackberries—\$2.25 per crate, dew-berries—10c; blackcaps, 2 for 25c.
Cantaloupes—10c, 3 @ 25c.
Watermelons—3c.
Grapes (malaga)—15c.
Lemons—45 and 60c.
Green apples (home grown) 4c lb.
Oranges—35-50-60c.
Bananas—40c per doz.
Sugar—Fruit sugar, retail (cash) \$6.00; same grade 30 days, \$6.40.
Beet sugar—Cash \$5.80; thirty days \$6.20.

Honey—20c. 3 lbs. for 50c.

Cattle.

Steers, prime, \$7.00@7.35; good to choice, \$6.50; common to fair, \$4.00@6.00; cows, top, \$6.00 fair to good, \$5.00@5.50; bulls, \$3.50 @5.00; stags, \$4.00@5.00; calves choice, \$7.00@8.00.

Sheep.

Top weathers, \$3.35; fair to good, \$2.25@2.75; ewes, best, \$2.50@3.75; fair to good, \$1.50@2.00 yearling lambs, best, \$4.50@5.00.

Hogs.

Best, \$7.50@7.85; common to good \$6.80@7.00.

Chickens.

Spring friers—30c retail dressed.
Hens—18c retail.

Meat Cuts—Retail.

Neck boils 12 1-2 to 15c; brisket points 12 1-2c; soup bones 6 to 8c; platen 12 1-2c; sho. pot roast 18c; arm cuts 18c; 1st cuts sho. steak 15c; good cuts sho. steak 18c; prime ribs 16 to 20c; wholesale 16, retail 20c; flank boil 12 1-2c; kidneys 8c; kidney sue 12c; sirloin steak 20 to 22c; tenderloin steaks 25c; T-Bone steaks 25c; rump roasts 18c; round steak 20c; hind quarter steers 16c; hind quarter cows 16c; front quarter steers 14c; front quarter cows 13c; hog, half dressed 13c; pork loin chops 20c; pork loin whole 16c; comb pork 14c; shoulder pork, whole 18c; link and bulk sausage 15c; hamburger 15c; steer loins 18c; cow loins 17c; mutton legs 18c; mutton rib chops 20c; mutton loin chops 20c; mutton at sho. 15c; mutton stew 12 1-2c; whole mutton 14c; half mutton 14c; veal round steak 25c; veal loin cuts 25c; veal rib chops 20c; veal sho. steak 20c; veal stew 15c; half veal 16c; smoked ham, whole 22c; brk. bacon, light 25c; brk. bacon sliced 30c; salt pork 18c; sliced ham 25 to 28c; boiled hams 28c; boiled ham sliced 40c; smoked shoulder 15c; lard 16c; liver 6 to 8c; tongue 15c; hearts 8c; salmon 20c; halibut 18c; smelt 10c.

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WHEAT HOLDS STEADY TONE

BLUE STEM STILL COMMANDS 70 CENTS.

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Wheat maintains an even tone locally. Considerable quantities are moved daily by the Island City buyers, and prices remain about the same. Blue stem, best variety, commands 70 cents, and the price ranges down to 65 the same as it did with the beginning of wheat buying. The quantity of wheat moved seems to have no material effect on the price.

Big Wheat Sales Made.

Pendleton, Aug. 26.—More than a million bushels of wheat changed hands in Pendleton last Saturday, according to the estimates of the buyers. The jumping of the price from 68 to 70 cents brought many farmers to the city, all eager to close at the price for which they have been holding. All of the buyers got all they could handle at one time and as a result, the market is quiet today. Most of the local agents have not received quotations today though they estimate that the price is still the same.

France Agrees on Mother's Pension.

Paris, Aug. 25.—Final details of the mothers' pension law were agreed upon today by the cabinet after a report submitted by the minister of the interior and the minister of labor. During the period of repose made compulsory by the new law, the government will allow a pension to all mothers who work, from 10 cents to 30 cents per day until the child is born. In case the mother nurses the baby her pension will be increased 10 cents per day.

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