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Wheat Higher Although Late Trading Unsettled

CHICAGO, Aug. 9. (AP).—Unexpected firmness of wheat quotations in Liverpool helped to give an early lift today to wheat values here. Strength of the corn market counted also as a bullish factor. Starting unchanged to ⅝c up, wheat soon scored an advance all around. Extremely hot weather southwest influenced corn which opened ⅛@1¼c gain and subsequently went higher. Oats were steady. Provisions slanted upward.

Wheat closed unsettled ½@¾c net higher; corn at ¾@1¼c advance; oats unchanged to ¼c up and provisions unchanged to a rise of 10 cents.

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If you can't "get away," ease the attacks with—
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Oh what a boy she makes in this colorful, fast-moving, romantic comedy. Dashing spirits—gorgeous fun—you'll hail His Royal Shyness as the greatest of screen comediennes.
Comedy --- "Watch Your Pep"

STOCK MARKET SKYROCKETING

NEW YORK, Aug. 9. (AP). — Resumption of the main upward movement of stock prices today was accompanied by a marked expansion in public participation. With speculative imagination fired by prospects of "melon cutting" by some of the large industrial corporations this fall and by increased cash disbursement on the common stocks of others and money in plentiful supply, operators working for higher prices found little difficulty in attracting a following.

Buying of the motors centered largely on General Motors which established a high record for all time around 275 as against a closing quotation of 271 last week.

Rail Stocks Up.

The Van Sweringen issues led the advance in the railroad group, "Nickel Plate" common and Chesapeake and Ohio common each moving up at least four points while Chesapeake and Ohio preferred and Pere Marquette sold 3 points above last week's final figures.

Case Threshing Machine American Radiator, H. H. Marx, Loose-Wiles Biscuit and Dupont all sold five to 10 points higher.

Close Strong.

The closing was strong. The rise gained momentum in the final hour when U. S. Steel eclipsed its previous high by a wide margin and General Motors continued to smash records by crossing 225. Net gains of 3 to 5 points were registered by a long list of representative industrials such as Mack Truck and Sloss Sheffield Steel. Total sales approximated 2,300,000 shares.

3 ESCAPE DEATH IN WOODS FIRE

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ported five new fires on Elk creek, east of Tiller, at noon today.

"These fires are absolutely of incendiary origin," Mr. Houser declared. All are quite small and we hope to have them under control by tonight. The forest service has gained control of the fire at Summit ranger station, and are sending in a crew to aid the county patrol in handling the fire on the Myrtle creek-Days creek divide, where the fire is burning near the forest boundary."

15 Families—xzdf|58585858

15 FAMILIES HOMELESS

CHICO, Cal., Aug. 9. (AP)—Fifteen families were made homeless late yesterday by a fire which destroyed the plant and property of the Magalia Lumber company 21 miles north of Chico, the fire, which started in the blacksmith shop quickly spread through the lumber yard destroying 15 houses occupied by laborers employed in the mill.

COTTON PRICES BREAK

NEW YORK, Aug. 9. (AP). — Cotton broke approximately $2.50 a bale here today following announcement of the government crop forecast which was fully 1,500,000 bales more than some of the private estimates in circulation last week.

Market News of the Day

CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat:	Open	High	Low	Close
Sept.	138½	138⅝	137½	138½
Dec.	142⅝	143	141⅝	142⅝
May	146⅝	147½	146⅝	147½

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 9. (AP). — Close wheat ½d higher; Oct. 10s 10⅛d; Dec. 10s 4⅛d.

PORTLAND WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore. Aug. 9. (AP). —Wheat: BlueStem hard white, hard white, bluestem, baart, federation, soft white, western white $1.29½; hard winter $1.24; northern spring $1.27.

Today's car receipts: Wheat 223; barley 3; flour 18; corn 21; oats 5; hay 11.

CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, Aug. 9 (AP).—Cash: Wheat No. 2 red $1.27½@1.28; No. 2 hard $1.26⅝@1.29½.

Corn No. 2 mixed 82⅝@84½c; No. 2 yellow 84⅝@84½c.

Oats No. 2 mixed 40c; No. 2 white 41½@42½c.

Rye No. 4 98c.

Barley 63@75c.

Timothy seed $6.25@6.75.

Clover seed $26.50@29.50.

Lard $15.37.

Ribs $15.30.

Bellies $18.00.

DROUTH INJURES POTATO CROP IN THE NORTHWEST

PORTLAND, Ore. Aug. 9. (AP).—Continued drouth conditions together with inroads being made by wire worms, are playing havoc with the Northwest potato crop, the Portland Telegram says today.

While there is little strictly U. S. No. 1 grade available at this time, prices show little or no improvement on account of the vast amount of ordinary potatoes offered.

Portland jobbers are generally paying around $1.25 to $1.50 for locals with offerings plentiful. There is plenty of potatoes in the northwest but jobbers look for improved market conditions this winter.

The Yakima market ranges all the way from $21 to $28 a ton but the quality is far from top grade. Due to the lack of moisture the skins are very thin and slip badly, making an ugly looking potato.

Wholesale prices along the street today range from $1.75 to $2.00 for good commercial stock.

Continued drought has stimulated the demand for hay in local markets somewhat, but prices are generally steady with offerings plenty sufficient for all requirements. Buyers today are paying the following prices delivered Portland: Eastern Oregon timothy $20 to $22 per ton; valley timothy $17 to 17.50; oats and vetch $14.50@15.00; cheat $13.00; clover $14.00; alfalfa $17.50 to $18.00; cut hay $13.00 and $7.00 to $7.50 for new straw.

Part of the glut of the California tomatoes in the local market was worked out over the week end and prices are improved this morning of good stock. Best lugs held at $1.25@1.50 "as is." supplies are still pouring in from the south keeping the market top-heavy along with the arrivals of local stock.

Piney J. H. Hale peaches from the Pennyrn orchards in California still occupy the limelight in the local market. They range in size from 25c to 65c a box and sell all the way from $1.65 to $1.75 on the smaller sizes to as high as $2.00 a box on the 35's and 40's.

Crawfords and Elbertas are plentiful and prices rule around 75 to 90 cents a box.

FRISCO FRUIT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9. (AP). Federal State Market News Service — Apples: Gravenstein fancy 4 to 4½ tier $1.00 to $1.35; box 50@85c lug. Berries: Strawberries 80@85c; fancy 75c; blackberries 20@20c drawer. Raspberries $1.20@1.50 crate.

Pears: Bartletts 60@75c box; $1.25@1.50 box; large lugs $1.00@1.25.

Plums: Germans 50@75c crate; $1.00 large lug. Wickson's Satsumas 75@$1.00 crate. Gross 75@85c crate. Bradshaws 60@65c crate.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore. Aug. 9. (AP).—Cattle slow, calves $1.00 higher; receipts cattle 2575 (258 through) calves 590. Steers, good $8.00@8.25; medium $7.00@8.00; common $6.00@7.00; canners and cutter steers $5.00@6.00; heifers common and medium $4.50@7.00; cows good $6.00@6.50; low cutters and cutters $2.00@4.25; bulls good beef (yearlings excluded) $5.00@5.75; common and medium (canners and bologna) $4.00@5.00; calves, medium to choice (milk fed excluded) $8.50@10.50; culls and common $6.00@8.50; vealers medium and choice $10.00@12.00; culls and common 6.50@10.00.

Hogs 25c lower; receipts 1495 (175 through). Heavyweight (250 to 300 lbs.) medium, good and choice $12.00@14.25; medium weights (200 to 250 lbs.) common, medium, good and choice $13.25@14.50; light weights (180 to 200 lbs.) common, medium, good and choice $14.00@14.75; light lights (130 to 160 lbs.) common, medium good and choice $14.00@15.00; packing hogs (rough and smooth) $11.00@12.00; slaughter pigs (90 to 130 lbs.), medium, good and choice $14.00@14.75; feeder and stocker pigs (70 to 130) lbs. medium, good and choice $14.00@15.50.

(Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded in above quotations.)

Sheep nominally steady; receipts 1130. Lambs, medium to choice $9.00@12.00; lambs, culls and common $5.00@10.00; yearling wethers medium to choice $7.50@10.00; ewes common to choice $4.00@5.25; culls $2.00@4.00.

Outside quotations based on best Mt. Adams, Eastern Oregon and similar type lambs. Few valley lambs selling above $10.25.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Aug. 9. (AP).—U. S. Department of Agriculture—Hogs 25,000 uneven; mostly 25@40c higher than Saturday; top $12.85, bulk 170@210 pound averages $12.50@12.75.

Cattle 15,000; generally steer trade active mostly 10@15c higher; top 25c upon desirable light yearlings and well finished heavyweights; several loads yearlings $10.50; she stock strong to 25c higher; vealers 50c lower; largely $12.00 downward to packers; outsiders upward to $13.50 and better.

Sheep 25,000; fat lambs mostly 25c lower; some lots 50c lower; early sales westerns $14.15@14.40; natives $12.75@13.90; some held at $14.60 and a few above; culls $10.00@10.25; week to 25c lower; sheep steady to weak; fat ewes mostly $6.50@7.25; few yearling wethers $11.25; indications feeding lambs around steady.

NEW YORK FRUIT

NEW YORK, Aug. 9. (AP). — Evaporated apples dull; choice 12@12½c; fancy 13½@13¾c.

Prunes steady; Californians 6½@12½c; Oregons 10⅝@11½c.

Apricots quiet; slabs 20@22c; choice 23@24c; extra choice 25@26c.

NEWEST WHEAT BELT THRIVING

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smaller does not consider himself a "big" farmer. A number of men own two or three thousand-acre tracts in different localities. Some fields run over 2000 acres; some even higher.

These fields this year are producing on an average a little better than 20 bushels to the acre. One man, with thousands of acres, expects to get about $50,000 for his crop this fall. Another is getting $20,000 for the produce from 680 acres. Still another put $2000 worth of seed on 2500 acres and netted $5,000 this year. Other similar examples could be repeated again and again.

With good wheat land, hitherto idle, selling for as low as $20 an acre, many a man has paid for his farms with one crop. Others begin by leasing their farms, buying them in a few years with the money received from the sale of the wheat they have grown.

Recently Developed.

It is only ten years since every square foot of this rich southwest was virgin soil, used only for pasturage. The development has not yet reached its limit, by any means. Probably half a million more acres are under cultivation this year than last. And there is plenty more waiting for development.

The total value of the wheat crop in this state this year will be around $185,000,000. Kansas, and all the middle west, will feel the effects.

Farm debts are being liquidated rapidly. New automobiles are replacing the weather-beaten cars that the farmers used to use. More money is being made available for schools. There is more money for roads. There is, in short, prosperity, and lots of it.

That is the new El Dorado—the land where wheat is yellow gold and the farmer is a prospector.

SANTA BARBARA, VENTURA SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKES

VENTURA, Cal. Aug. 9. (AP)—An earth tremor of three seconds duration was felt here at 3:05 o'clock last night. The shock, of sufficient force to shake crockery from closed shelves and swing chandeliers, was accompanied by a rumbling sound.

Telephone advices from Santa Barbara, 17 miles northwest of here, were to the effect that two shocks were felt in that city, one a sharp tremor at 3:05 o'clock and the other like an echo of the preceding one a few seconds later.

No damage was reported from Santa Barbara however.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9. (AP)—A severe cathquake centering about 4,500 miles in a northwesterly direction from Washington was recorded during the night on the Georgetown university seismograph. The shocks began at 10:50 p. m., eastern standard time, and ended 1:30 a. m. The maximum intensity was between 11:21 and 11:24 p. m.

French Debt Closed Incident With Chief

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fied by the respective parliaments of the countries concerned and only two or three minor agreements remain to be negotiated.

SAYS FRANCE CANT PAY

PARIS, Aug. 9. (AP)—Georges Clemenceau, France's war time premier, believes that the Franco-American debt agreement entered into at Washington between Secretary of the Treasury Mellon and M. Berenger, the French ambassador to the United States, not only cannot be carried out but that it threatens France's independence.

"The Tiger" has made an appeal to President Coolidge in an open letter requesting the American chief executive not to place the funding of war debts upon a purely commercial basis. He says the French treasury is empty and that promises of payment in the Franco-American agreement are impossible of fulfillment because they would necessitate a loan with solid security in the shape of our territorial possessions, as was the case with Turkey, and warns President Coolidge that France will never accept such a thing.

Active Volcano Found In Northern California

Klamath Falls Men Return With Story of Eruptions of Steam, Smelling Like Pitch.

KLAMATH FALLS, Aug. 9. (AP).—Discovery of an active volcano belching clouds of steam and giving forth an odor suggestive of burning pitch, was made yesterday in the weird wastes of the lava bed region of Modoc county, in Northern California.

The discovery was made by J. D. Howard, local scientist, and Elmer Anderson, local manager for Swift and company, on a week end trip to explore the little known Big Glass mountain, monument to the terrific fires of a past age which left this region a waste of pumice stone, lava and obsidian glass.

Two Feet Across.

The vent discovered by Howard and Anderson is about two feet in diameter almost perfectly circular, in an area of small loose pumice stone. Existence of a deep cavern in the rock below the vent is seen in the fact that a small crater has been formed by action of the surrounding pumice rolling down into the hole.

The vent is on the apex of a long ridge extending to the summit of Big Glass mountain, and about 500 feet down from the summit, Howard declared. It is about three and one-half miles from the nearest approach possibly by automobile and about seven and one-half miles east of Medicine Lake.

Builds Barrier.

Due to the extreme heat of the day, the men had little warning when they approached the rim of the miniature crater and to safeguard others who might visit the region the men constructed a small log barrier about it.

That the phenoma is of recent origin, perhaps coming into being since the snow went away in the spring, is Howard's belief.

"The natural contour of the country is such that the ridge would be logically followed by dozens of hunters during the deer hunting season, and some of these would certainly have noted it last fall, had it been in existence then," he declared.

"Due to the natural heat of the atmosphere in this region at this time of year, the steam is hardly noticeable, but in the fall and winter months, if the action continues, it should be visible for miles."

Smells of Pitch.

There is no suggestion of fire and no smell of sulphur about the miniature crater, Howard declared, the predominating color being that of pitch or burning oil.

At intervals of about 30 minutes there is noticeable a decided increase in the amount of steam rising from the orifice, but the entire action is noiseless both men declared.

Obituary

MRS. CHARLES THOMPSON

UNION, Ore. (Special)—The body of Mrs. Charles Thompson, who was killed in an auto accident near Arlington last Tuesday, was shipped to Union and the funeral services were held at the L. D. S. church Friday afternoon. Mrs. Thompson was formerly Miss Verda Orton and lived at Union. At the time of the accident she was on her way here to pay a surprise visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Orton.

LOUIS M. JENSEN

Louis M. Jensen, 53, who has made his home in Union county for the past 27 years, died at Lava Hot Springs Idaho, yesterday morning. Mr. Jensen, accompanied by his wife and oldest daughter, Helen, were on their way to Salt Lake City by auto, when he became ill at Lava Hot Springs. He had been ill for several weeks before, but thought that he had sufficiently recovered to make the trip.

Mr. Jensen was born May 10, 1873 in Utah. He came to Union county 27 years ago and made his home at Imbler until ten years ago when he moved to La Grande and has since lived here. During his residence in La Grande he has been employed in the retail yards of the Grande Ronde Lumber company.

He was married twice, the first time to the sister of Mrs. William Henry, of Imbler, who died 11 years ago. His second wife, Jessie M. Jensen, survives him, besides four children, Helen, Clara, Ruth and Robert.

Mr. Jensen's life was a useful one. Among his other activities he was an earnest worker in the Latter Day Saints church.

The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at his former home at Manti, Utah.

Mrs. George Stoddard and John Stoddard left this morning for that place with the three younger children to attend the funeral.

INVESTIGATION ON NEW SLANT

SOMMERVILLE, N. J., Aug. 9. (AP)—Questioning in the reopened Hall-Mills murder investigation took a new turn today with the apparent decision of state police to build anew the story of what took place on the night in September, 1922 when the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall and Mrs. Eleanor Mills, one of his choristers, were slain.

The first persons at the spot where the bodies were found, and other preliminary witnesses were brought in for questioning today. They included operators of a trolley car which took Mrs. Mills to Succasunna park where it is believed she met the minister. The two women who were standing at the end of the car line when Mrs. Mills alighted.

Edward Stryker and his niece, Mrs. Grace Edwards, living near the Phillip's farm where the bodies were found under a crab apple tree. Mrs. Edwards completed the telephone call when Raymond Schneider who found the bodies broke down while attempting to notify police.

Mrs. A. C. Feley living near the scene and who in the first investigation told of hearing shots while sitting on her front porch.

Daniel J. Wray, formerly city editor of the New Brunswick Home News, and Frank M. Delaer a reporter who were among the first to arrive at the Phillip's farm after finding of the bodies was reported, also were questioned.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore. Aug. 9. (AP).—Eggs—current receipts 27c; fresh medium 27c; fresh standard fruit 30c; do extras 36c.

Butter steady—extra cubes city 41c; standards 40½c; prime firsts 38½c; firsts 36c; prints 45c; cartons 46c.

Milk steady; best churning cream 42c per pound net shippers track in zone 1. Cream delivered Portland 44c per pound; raw milk (4 per cent) $2.25 cwt FOB Portland.

Poultry steady; (less 5 per cent commission) heavy hens 25@26c; light 15@16c; springs, white 19@20c; do colored up to 25c; young white ducks 22@23c; colored 15@17c.

Potatoes and onions slow weak; onions $1.00@1.25; potatoes $1.00@1.50 per sack.

BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9. (AP).—Butterfat FOB San Francisco 45½c.

LA GRANDE WHOLESALE MARKETS

Poultry (live weight).
Spring fries—25@30c.
Heavy hens—22c lb.
Medium hens—16c lb.
Light hens—14c lb.
Stags—8c lb.
No. 1 live turkeys—32c lb.
Flour.
Hard Federation (hard wheat) $7.60 bbl.
Soft wheat—$7.40 bbl.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS
Poultry.
Spring fries—35@38c.
Hens—25@30c.
Meats and Fish.
Beef boil—10@12½c lb.
Chops and steaks—25c lb.
Salmon (strictly fresh)—55c lb.
Halibut—32c lb.
Dairy.
Lard—10 lbs. $1.95 5 lbs. $1.00.
Butter, creamery—69c lb; $1.00 a roll.
Eggs—35@40c doz.
Cheese—35@40c doz.
Honey, comb—20c lb.
Vegetables.
New potatoes—5 lbs. 25c.
Celery hearts 25c bunch.
Wax string beans—15c lb.
Egg plant 20c lb.
Green peas—3 lbs. 25c.
Carrots—5c bunch.
Parsley—10c bunch.
Beets—2 bunches 15c.
New cabbage 5@8c lb.
Walla Walla onions—5c lb. 6 lbs. 25c.
Green onions—5c bunch.
Lettuce, home grown—15c head
Kennewick tomatoes—15c lb.
Field cucumbers—5c each.
Green corn—25c doz.
Fruits.
Kennewick, Wash., Freestone peaches—10c lb; $1.25 box.
Raspberries—15c box, 2 for 25c.
Green apples—4 lbs. 25c.
Apricots—12½c lb.
Home grown strawberries—15c box.
Bartlett Pears—10c lb.
Peach plums—5c lb.
Blackberries—2 for 25c.
Loganberries—2 boxes 25c.
Cantaloupes—10-15c.
Catabas—7c.
Watermelons—2½-3c.
Muskmelons—7c lb.
Ice Cream melons—6c.
Bananas—15c lb.
Lemons—45c doz.
Oranges—60 to $1.65 doz.
Concord grapes—5½ lbs basket 50c.
Thompson seedless grapes 20c lb.
Sugar.
Cane sugar—$8.69@7.15.
Flour.
Soft wheat—$8.20 bbl.
Hard federation—$8.40 bbl.
Gasoline.
Gasoline, regular, retail — 27c gal.
Gasoline, high test, retail—36c gal.

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We wish to express our appreciation and gratitude to our many friends for their kind offers of assistance, their sympathy and love and for the beautiful floral offerings during the loss of our loved one, Virda Orton Thompson.

MR. C. M. THOMPSON
MR. AND MRS. J. H. ORTON AND FAMILY
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August 10th last day to pay your water rent without a penalty.
8-6-3t

Carbonate of Copper and Blue Stone in any quantity at Silverthorn-Wright's family drug store.
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Practically all school books used in our La Grande schools are now on sale at Silverthorn-Wright's family drug store. 8-2-1f

A fine home-cooked hot dinner served each day at our Soda Fountain, better drop in and try it. Silverthorn-Wright's family drug store. 8-2-1f

For a limited time boxwood $2.50. Big load. C. O. D. Main 547. 7-15tf

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8-6-3t

Hemstitching, pleating, button holes, etc. Norton's Kiddy Shop. 10-14tf

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GREETINGS

for every occasion. We carry a complete line of Edgar Guest friendship cards with messages that will gladden the hearts of your friends. Always at your service. Richardson's Art and Gift shop. 2-9-1f

That new prescription of nerve tonic and builder, gives quick results. Puts "pep" into you, brings up your appetite and stops that tired feeling. Sold only by Silverthorn-Wright's family drug store. 8-2-1f

August 10th last day to pay your water rent without a penalty.
8-6-3t

School Funds now available for farm loans in Union County. See H. E. Dixon, Foley Building, La Grande, Ore. 2-16tf

CALL FOR BIDS—
SEWER IMPROVEMENT

Sealed bids will be received by the Commission of the city of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of the improvement in Sewer Improvement District Number 3-8, within the city of La Grande, Oregon, according to the plans and specifications of the said sewer improvement districts now on file in the office of the City Recorder of said city. A deposit of $5.00 will be required for set of plans and specifications which amount will be refunded if bidder is unsuccessful and returns same to this office.

Bids will be received to the hour of seven-thirty p. m. August 11th, 1926, at the commission room in the city building at La Grande Oregon, and must be accompanied by a certified check for the sum of ten per cent of the amount bid as a guarantee of the acceptance and completion of contract if awarded.

Checks will be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

The commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the commission July 28th, 1926.

J. E. STEARNS
Recorder of the city of La Grande, Oregon.
July 29-10t.

August 10th last day to pay your water rent without a penalty.
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"Gifts Reflect Thought"

It is a pleasure to buy a gift for a loved one from our extensive stock of gifts from the markets of the world. Always at your service. Richarson's Art and Gift Shop. 8-9-1f

FRENCH CAN PAY

SAN FRANCISCO—France is in a sound industrial and economic condition and is able to pay her debts to the U. S., A. P. Giannini, one of the largest financiers in California says upon his return from a three month's trip to Europe.

BORAX BILL DIES

LOS ANGELES— William (Borax) Bill Smith who won fame years ago when he drove the 20-mule borax team from San Francisco to Bangor, Maine, is dead here.

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