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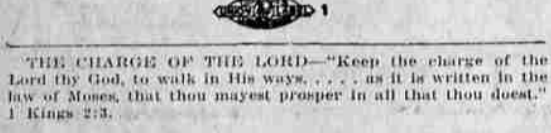
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THE CHARGE OF THE LORD—"Keep the charge of the Lord thy God, to walk in His ways, . . . as it is written in the law of Moses, that thou mayest prosper in all that thou doest." 1 Kings 2:3.



Even Chicago's gunmen laid off for a day to give the queen a nice reception.

There are as many ways of interpreting a liquor vote as there are of skinning a cat.

A bridge in Medford, Ore., is found to be resting on piers of gold quartz. Gold makes a better basis for currency than for bridges. First thing we know, they'll be singing, "Medford bridge is falling down."

After we have abolished the direct primary, as we're being urged to do nowadays, why not go right ahead and abolish the direct election, letting select groups of politicians choose all our public officials? That's what they would like to do.

FIRST AMERICAN CATHEDRAL
We are rapidly getting acquainted, nowadays, with a lot of American pioneers formerly overlooked or disregarded. The latest revelation brings truly remarkable news of one of the famous old Norse explorers, Eric the Red.

It was long known that Eric had headed a colony of Norsemen who settled in Greenland and had explored a large part of the Atlantic coast, but the extent of the Greenland settlement was not realized. Dr. Norland, who has been conducting archeological researches in that forbidding northern land, has returned to Copenhagen with an account of a regular city built by those old Norsemen at Ivigo. He has discovered the foundation of a large cathedral and many other buildings, among them a bishop's palace of red sandstone that is said to have covered five and a half acres.

Think of a Christian cathedral in America in the twelfth century. We shall have to revise some of our historical ideas and give due credit to pioneers far earlier and more daring than our own New England and Virginian settlers.

WHEN LABOR FAILS LABOR
The great British coal strike is over. The miners are going back to work at less pay and longer hours. They have lost the strike after seven months' fighting. It is a major labor disaster.

Why did those miners lose? It is not a complete answer to say, as many are saying, "because their employers had greater resources and influence." The government, too, failed to stand by the miners as they expected, but that does not tell all the story. Why were the mine owners able to maintain their position, and why did the government virtually side with them instead of the miners?

Evidently because the union workmen in the mines were not supported by the union workmen in other industries. The labor bond broke. Class consciousness and class interest failed to stand the strain, because the workers in transportation, steel and other industries found that the coal strike crippled their own industries and threw them out of work, so that they could not help the miners if they wanted to.

So the miners' strike failed for much the same reason that the general strike called in their behalf failed. It meant general suicide for British industry. It meant general starvation for British workmen, who are the largest social class and nearest to the edge of want.

Never was there a better example of the fact that a big labor strike is a strike against labor no less than against capital. Labor, which can endure such a war less than capital, should be even more zealous than capital in seeking ways to avoid such disastrous struggles.

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TURKEY PRICES
45¢ WHOLESALE

New Peak Reached in the Portland Market—Less Than 1925

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 23 (AP)—Turkey prices have reached 45c a pound in the Portland market wholesale. This is the extreme top, although the bulk of sales Monday and Tuesday morning for choice birds was at 44c. Even so, this price is not up to last year's highest quotation, which was 47c.

Retail dealers held off buying for the Thanksgiving trade until Monday afternoon. Buying was more pronounced this morning, and by evening all dealers will have been well stocked. Outside orders to California and Puget Sound points have been filled and now Portland and nearby retailers are receiving attention.

Heavy arrival of turkeys from Southern and Eastern Oregon again today may have some influence on prices. It is not improbable that prices to retailers may weaken a few points by tomorrow. A large part of the continuing demand waits until the last minute before buying.

Inferior quality turkeys are selling down as low as 20c a pound by Portland wholesalers. Poultry prices were steady. Chickens, ducks and geese were plentiful in the Portland market. Quality generally is high. Butter prices were higher, eggs leading with a 2c advance. Eggs were a full cent higher.

Wheat Unsettled After Early Slump

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 (By The Associated Press).—Starting at 3c decline to 1/2c advance wheat underwent a moderate general downturn. Corn, oats and provisions also were easier, corn opening unchanged to 1/4c off and subsequently showing losses all around. Wheat closed unsettled, 1/2 to 1 1/2c lower; corn at 1/2c off to 1 1/2c up; oats, 1/2 to 3/4c down, and provisions varying from 25c decline to 5c advance.

PORTLAND PRODUCE
PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 23 (AP)—Eggs 1c higher. Current receipts, 41c; fresh mediums, 35c; fresh standard firsts, 42c; fresh standard extras, 46c; undersized, 28c.

Butter 2c higher. Extra cubes, city, 43 1/2c; standards, 42c; prime firsts, 40c; firsts, 37c; prints, 46c; cartons, 47c.

Milk steady. Best churning cream, 44 1/2c per pound net, shippers' track in zone 1. Cream delivered Portland, 46 1/2c per pound. Raw milk (4 per cent), \$2.25 cwt. L. O. B. Portland.

Poultry steady; (less 1 per cent commission); heavy hens, 25 1/2c; light, 19 1/2c; springs, 22 1/2c; Pekin white ducks, 24c; colored, 19 1/2c; turkeys, 18 1/2c; 3 1/2c dressed, 42 1/2c.

Potatoes steady, \$1.50 1/2c. Onions steady; local, 75c 1/2c; Walla Walla, 90c 1/2c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23 (AP)—Butterfat, l. o. b. San Francisco, 49 1/2c 50c.

Markets

CHICAGO GRAIN
Wheat—Open High Low Close
Dec. 135 1/4 136 1/4 134 1/4 135 1/4
May 138 1/4 139 1/4 137 1/4 137 1/4
July 132 1/4 131 131 1/4

PORTLAND WHEAT
PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 23 (AP)—Wheat—BBB hard white, hard white, blue stem, Laart, soft white, western white, \$1.35; federation, hard winter, \$1.34; northern spring, \$1.33; western red, \$1.22.

CHICAGO CASH
CHICAGO, Nov. 23 (AP)—Cash: Wheat—No. 2 hard, \$1.37; No. 3 northern spring, \$1.37. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 73 1/2c; No. 2 white, 73 1/2c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 41 1/4c 41 1/2c; No. 4 white, 35 1/2c 41c. Rye not quoted. Barley—55 1/2c 55c. Timothy seed—\$4.75 56.25. Clover seed—\$27.50 54.50. Lard—\$11.92. Ribs—\$13.00. Boilers—\$15.25.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT
LIVERPOOL, Nov. 23 (AP)—Close wheat unchanged to 1d higher; Dec. 11s, 4d; March 10s, 7 1/2d; May 10s, 4d.

Bulls Still In Power; Stocks Show Strength

NEW YORK, Nov. 23 (AP)—Resumption of the upward movement of prices in today's stock market was featured by a series of bullish demonstrations in special issues, which give promise of favorable dividend action in the near future or hold prospects of unusually heavy holiday business.

Apprehension over the earnings and dividend outlook for New York canners and Moon Motors undoubtedly inspired further liquidation of those stocks which sent them to new low levels for the year.

On the other hand, Studebaker was marked up at least 2 points above yesterday's final quotation and some of the other automotive shares moved up a point or so. Heaviness of Baldwin did not dampen bullish enthusiasm for other equipments, American Brake Shoe and Foundry, Westinghouse Air Brake and General American Tank Car Exchange bringing at least 2 points.

Commercial Solvents "B" extended its gain to 8 points by early afternoon and dozens of other issues were pushed up a point or two.

The closing was strong. New high levels were established by an assortment of public utility and industrial issues in the final hour. Commercial Solvents "B" rose over 11 points and gains of 5 to 5 points were recorded by South Porto Rico sugar, Manilla sugar preferred, National Dairy Products, United Fruit and International Match preferred. Total sales approximated 1,600,000 shares.

FRISCO FRUIT
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23 (AP)—Federal State Market News Service.—Apples, boxes, Delicious, \$2.50 1/2 3.00; fancy, \$2.15 1/2 2.50.

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LA GRANDE WHOLESALE MARKETS

Poultry (live weight).
Heavy spring chickens—23c lb.
Light spring chickens—20c lb.
Heavy hens—20c lb.
Light hens—12 1/2c 16c lb.
Medium hens—16c lb.
Light hens—14c lb.
Stags—8c lb.
No. 1 live turkeys—30c lb.

Flour.
Hard Federation (hard wheat)—\$7.60 bbl.
Soft wheat—\$7.40 bbl.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS
Dairy.
Lard—10 lbs. \$1.75; 5 lbs. 90c.
Butter, creamery—50c 1/2 1.00.
Eggs—50 1/2 55c doz.
Cheese—35 1/2 40c a pound.
Honey, comb—30c lb.

Vegetables.
Potatoes—9 lbs. 25c.
Cauliflower—15 1/2 20c.
Celery hearts—20c.
Sweet potatoes—4 lbs. for 25c.
California turnips—10c bunch.
Walla Walla turnips—2 for 15c.
California beets—6c lb.
Spinach—10c lb.
California carrots—10c bunch.
Parsley—10c bunch.
Cabbage 2 1/2 4 1/2c lb.
Walla Walla onions—4c lb.
Green peppers—20c lb.
Lettuce—10 1/2 15c head.
California tomatoes—18c lb. 2 for 35c.
Parsnips—5c lb.
Pumpkin—3c lb.
Celery—15c bunch; 2 for 25c.
Hot-house cucumbers—20c.
Squash—4 1/2 6c lb.

Fruits.

Artichokes—20c each.
Brussel Sprouts—20c lb.
Apples—4c lb.
Cranberries—20c lb.
Bananas—15c lb.
Lemons—40c doz.
Oranges—60 to 80c doz.
Tokay grapes—15c lb.

Sugar.
Cane sugar—\$6.75 7.00.
Flour.
Soft wheat—\$8.20 bbl.
Hard Federation—\$8.40 bbl.

Meats and Fish.
Beef holt—10 1/2 12 1/2c lb.
Cheops and steaks—25c lb.
Salmon (strictly fresh)—30c lb.
Haddock—35c lb.

Gasoline.
Gasoline, regular, retail — 23c gal.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 23 (AP)—Cattle and calves, sheep and lambs nominally steady; no receipts; unchanged.
Hogs nominally steady; no receipts. Slaughter pigs, 90 to 130 pounds, medium, good and choice, \$11.50 12.15; others much less.

NEW YORK FRUIT

NEW YORK, Nov. 23 (AP)—Evaporated apples steady; prunes quiet; apricots firm; slabs, 20 1/2 21c; choice 22 1/2 24c; extra choice, 14 1/2 15 1/2c.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 (AP)—U. S. Department of Agriculture.—Hogs—45,000; market fairly active, 10 to 15c lower than Monday's average; top, \$11.75 paid for several loads; bulk 240 pounds down, \$11.40 11.65.

CALL FOR BIDS
Street Improvement
Sealed bids will be received by the commission of the city of La Grande, Oregon, for the construction of the improvement in Street Improvement District No. 161, within the city of La Grande, Oregon, according to the plans and specifications of the said improvement district 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. December 1st, 1926, at the commission room in the city building at La Grande, Oregon, and must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of 10 per cent of the amount bid as a guarantee of the acceptance and completion of a contract if awarded.

The commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the commission, November 17th, 1926.
J. E. STEARNS,
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