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Indian Ballplayer Frozen to Death

PENDLETON, Dec. 30 (AP).—Louis Van Pelt, 27, Chinaman, was frozen to death while on a hunting expedition in the Blue Mountains. His body was brought to a local undertaker's parlor this afternoon. He wandered away from his friends and became confused with directions. It is thought Van Pelt played second base for the reservation Indian baseball team in the Blue Mountain league last season.

Extension of the Korean railway system around the entire coast and across from Pusan to the upper reaches of the Yalu is planned by the Governor General.



Peacock

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VAN PETTEN LUMBER CO. Phone Main 732 for Service.

POULTRY MARKET FIRM, FEW SOLD

Asking Stiff Prices for Few Birds Offered over Counters

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30 (AP).—Poultry receipts have practically stopped in the local market since the Christmas rush and not enough stock is coming now to take care of even the limited demand. Consequently the market is very firm, especially on heavy fowl, and dealers are asking stiff prices.

Most of the growers killed their birds for Thanksgiving and Christmas trade and then stopped shipping. This leaves the local market bare for the two or three weeks following Christmas.

There is a moderate call today from hotels and restaurants for large fancy turkeys, with nothing available along the streets. Fancy turkeys this morning would bring 47 to 48 cents easily if offered.

No Ducks, Geese. The few turkeys being offered along the street are limited to small and No. 2 birds that bring anywhere from 40 to 43 cents.

Ducks and geese are entirely absent. Heavy live hens moving well at 28 cents with light hens at 26 to 27 cents.

Weakness in the local butter market is further emphasized by a decline in top grade cubes. On the exchange today extras dropped a cent to 47 cents and standards a half cent to 46 1/2 cents. Lower grade cubes were unchanged. Print and butterfat prices continue steady.

Current receipt eggs are a deal lower in the local market with a liberal increase in arrivals. Current receipts are now posted at 56 cents. No change was made in grade stocks. Country dressed meats are higher with the limited arrivals now hardly sufficient for this market's requirements. Top hogs are firm at 17 cents, with extreme sales reported at a fraction more. Top calves readily bring 16 1/2 cents and in a few isolated districts as high as 17 cents.

Onions Firm. Onion market continues firm with buyers offering \$1.50 to \$1.75 for U. S. No. 1 stock.

Potato market is still reported slow and uncertain with only a limited business passing at country prices. Buyers not paying over \$1.40 and few above \$1.25, with sacks furnished.

As for the harbor in Wisconsin who also is cornered we can only suggest the sign: "Inquiries for the Bald."



I am not a prophet but I predict there will be less cars on the road the first of the year.

Our carload of coal has arrived in the city and will be spotted off the car. 10c per cwt. of ton delivered off the car. We have orders from people who are waiting. Farmers can weigh their coal on our Fairbanks scales.

A man lost his hat down in Sugar Addition. The wind took it right straight up and zig-zag and he was unable to find it.

We have a lot of No. 3 grade 2 1/2c that are suitable for chicken houses and would do even for studying for common folks. Very reasonably priced.

We have the big jump Royal at \$12.50 per ton delivered.

Claude C. Pratt Lumber Co. "The Poor Man's Friend" Near Foundry. Phone Main 218 No Sunday Business.

Crimson Captain



Charles Pratt will be the first Harvard football captain under the new regime at the Cambridge institution. Pratt will not have to worry about the Princeton game, always a danger for Harvard captains, since athletic relations have been severed between the two.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30 (AP).—Eggs—Current receipts down 1c; market weak. Current receipts: 55c; fresh medium, 53c; fresh standard firsts, 56c; fresh standard extras, 58c; under 50c.

Butter—Cube butter, 52c; to be lower. Extra cubes, city, 47c; standard, 45c; prime firsts, 48c; firsts, 41c; prints, 52c; cartons, 55c.

Milk steady. Best creaming cream, 51c; 52c per pound net, shipped in zone 1. Cream delivered Portland, 44c; 55c per pound. Raw milk (4 per cent), 22c; 24c; 26c; 28c; 30c; 32c; 34c; 36c; 38c; 40c; 42c; 44c; 46c; 48c; 50c; 52c; 54c; 56c; 58c; 60c; 62c; 64c; 66c; 68c; 70c; 72c; 74c; 76c; 78c; 80c; 82c; 84c; 86c; 88c; 90c; 92c; 94c; 96c; 98c; 100c.

Poultry firm and higher, scarce. Heavy hens, 26c; light, 20c; springs, 21c; 22c; broilers, 26c; 28c; Pekin white ducks, 26c; colored, 20c; 21c; turkeys, live, 50c; dressed, 45c; 48c.

Onions firm, higher; local, \$1.50 to \$1.75. Potatoes steady, \$1.25 to \$1.40.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Dec. 30 (AP).—U. S. Department of Agriculture. Hogs—47,000; active, mostly 100 to 150; heavier than Wednesday's average; light better grade hogs, 150 to 300 pounds, \$11.50 to \$11.60; culls, top, \$11.60.

Cattle—2,000; 600 steers trade 15 to 25c higher; best fed steers, \$11.75; bulk, \$8.75 to \$10.00; stock strong to 25c higher; heifers getting up; choice shipper calves, \$14.50 to \$15.00; vealers steady.

Sheep—17,000; fat, strong lambs opening strong to around 25c higher than Wednesday's early trade or strong at Wednesday's full advance; early bulk would bring, \$12.50 to \$12.75; asking around \$12.50 for choice medium weights; choice fed clipped lambs, held around \$12.00; culls strong at \$9.00 to \$9.50; sheep steady; fat ewes, \$5.00 to \$6.50; best held higher; feeding lambs strong; bulk combed feeders, \$11.00 to \$11.75; holding best above \$12.25; Wednesday's late trade strong to 20c higher than early; choice medium weight shipping lambs at day's top, \$12.25; fed clipped lambs, \$11.75.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30 (AP).—Cattle nominally steady; no receipts. Hogs nominally steady; receipts 155 (on contract). Sheep steady; receipts 240.

STAGGED AND ROBBED

ROSBURG, Ore., Dec. 30 (AP).—E. E. Proffitt, of Redmond, Wash., who was found unconscious last night on the Oak street bridge and taken to the Mercy hospital, recovered consciousness today and told of having been stung and robbed. He said that his assailants, who were in an automobile, attacked him about three blocks from where he was found and after robbing him of \$5 and two rings, threw him out of the car at the bridge.

In the Orank's "blowing" cave, in which the temperature stays around 40 degrees Fahrenheit, is used by the fruit growers of the vicinity as a mammoth storage plant.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	136 1/2	138 1/2	136 1/2	138 1/2
May	138 1/2	140 1/2	138 1/2	140 1/2
July	140 1/2	142 1/2	140 1/2	142 1/2

LIVERPOOL WHEAT. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 30 (AP).—Close wheat 5d lower to 1 1/4d higher; Dec. 11s, 1 1/4d; March 10s, 5 1/2d; May 10s, 3 1/2d.

PORTLAND WHEAT. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 30 (AP).—Wheat—BBB hard white, hard white bluestem, hard, federation, soft white, western white, \$1.33; northern spring, \$1.32; hard winter, \$1.31; western red, \$1.29. Today's car receipts—Wheat, 26; barley, 4; flour, 2; corn, 4; oats, 2; hay, 4.

CHICAGO CASH. CHICAGO, Dec. 30 (AP).—Cash: Wheat—No. 4 red, \$1.32; No. 2 hard, \$1.31 1/2. Corn—No. 4 mixed, 64 1/2¢; No. 2 white, 70 1/2¢. Oats—No. 2 white, 48 1/2¢; No. 2 white, 45 1/2¢ to 48¢. Rye—No. 2, 60 1/2¢. Timothy seed—\$5.00 to \$5.75. Clover seed—\$25.00 to \$25.50. Lard—\$14.25. Hides—\$17.25.

Chicago Wheat Prices Climb to A Higher Level

CHICAGO, Dec. 30 (By the Associated Press).—Opening 1/4 to 3/8 higher, Chicago wheat prices soon showed moderate further gains. Corn and oats were also firmer, corn starting at 1/4 to 1/2 up and later climbing a little more. Provisions tended to sag. Wheat closed firm, 1/2 to 2 1/2¢ net higher. Corn 1/4 to 1 1/2¢ up. Oats at 1/2 to 1/4¢ advance, and provisions varying from 7c decline to a rise of 1c.

BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30 (AP).—Butterfat c.o.b. San Francisco, 52 1/2¢ to 53c.

LA GRANDE WHOLESALE MARKETS

Poultry (live weight). Heavy broilers—14c lb. Light broilers—13c lb. Heavy hens—14c lb. Light hens—12c to 14c lb. Stags—8c lb. No. 1 live turkeys—32c lb. Flour. Hard Federation (hard wheat)—\$7.00 bbl. Soft wheat—\$7.40 bbl.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS

Lard—10 lb. \$1.70; 5 lb. 85c. Butter, creamery—50c lb. Eggs—50¢ doz. Cheese—35¢ 40c a pound. Honey, comb—50c lb. Vegetables. Potatoes—9 lb. 25c. Cauliflower—13 1/2¢ doz. Celery hearts—20c. Sweet potatoes—4 lbs. for 25c. Turnips—6c lb. Spinach—10c lb. Carrots—4c lb. Parsley—10c bunch. Cabbage—5c lb. Walla Walla onions—4c lb. Green peppers—25c lb. Lettuce—10c 15c head. California tomatoes—15c lb. 2 for 25c. Parsnips—5c lb. Celery—15c bunch; 2 for 25c. Fruits. Artichokes—20c each. Apples—4c lb. Cranberries—15c 18c lb. Bananas—15c lb. Lemons—40c doz. Oranges—40c, 50c and 60c doz. Tokay grapes—15c lb. Sugar. Cane sugar—46.50 to 47.25. Flour. Soft wheat—\$8.20 bbl. Hard Federation—\$8.40 bbl. Poultry. Turkeys—45c lb. Ducks—30c lb. Geese—25c lb. Chickens—30c lb. Meats and Fish. Beef—10c 12 1/2c lb. Chops and steaks—25c lb. Salmon (strictly fresh)—25c lb. Halibut—35c lb. Gasoline. Gasoline, regular, retail—24c.

Bulls Continue Stock Operations

NEW YORK, Dec. 30 (AP).—Heavy selling broke out in the last 15 minutes of trading in the stock gains of one to two points which had been established earlier, and drove several influential industrial to the lowest prices of the day. American Smelting was forced nearly four points under yesterday's final quotation and sharp inroads were made in various high priced issues.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30 (By the Associated Press).—Speculative confidence in the stock market apparently was restored by yesterday's sharp rise in prices which was resumed today under the leadership of the high grade railroad shares although the usual year-end shifting of speculative accounts imparted some irregularity to the industrial group. Ralls attracted a strong investment demand under the leadership of Atchafalpa, which moved over three points to around 17 1/2. Union Pacific, Nickel Plate, Chicago and Northwestern and Texas and Pacific also recorded good gains.

The closing was firm; several low priced rails, the sugars and a varied assortment of specialties were bought at much higher prices in the last hour of trading. Hudson Motors and Allied Chemical were the strongest of the better known industrials. South Porto Rico Sugar moved up five points and Wheeling and Lake Erie preferred 3 1/2. Great Western Sugar, Wheeling and Lake Erie common and Western Maryland second preferred advanced 2 to 2 1/2 points. Approximate sales were 1,500,000 shares.

POULTRY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30 (AP).—U. S. Bureau Agricultural Economics—Turkeys—Young, 40c; 42c; dressed No. 1, 50c; 51c lb.; hens, \$1.50 to 1.60; 1.70.

NEW YORK FRUIT

NEW YORK, Dec. 30 (AP).—Evaporated apples quiet. Prunes steady. Apricots firm. Peaches quiet.

In the Island of Hao, a French possession in the mid-Pacific, rats serve as mediums of exchange and with a sufficient number a man can buy a wife.

An oyster containing a \$500 pearl was fished up for a Scottish river by a girl who was searching for a ball that had fallen into the water.

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L. H. BEAMWELL, Cashier.

Dandruff and falling out of the hair stopped in few days by using our "Gomide" and "Dandruff Radiator." 75c a bottle only at Silverthorn-Wright's Family Drug Store. 12-27-27

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H. E. COOLIDGE, Cashier.

Today's question: What has become of the old-fashioned divorce?

Unafraid



While J. B. Matthews, assistant U. S. prohibition administrator for the Gulf states, was absent for a week on the ram schooner Arlene J. this woman—Mrs. Matthews—refused to worry. She says she had a daily vision of him telling her he was safe—so when he finally sent a wire from Vera Cruz, she wasn't at all surprised.

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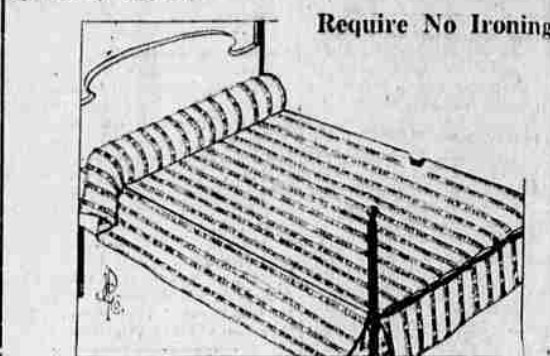
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\$16,000,000 Is Sought to Help Vets' Hospital

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30 (AP).—A veterans' hospital construction program calling for an appropriation of \$16,000,000 for new structures or additions to existing ones is asked in a bill drawn up by Chairman Johnson of the house veterans' committee.

It would authorize 5000 additional beds, and with a few exceptions they would be used for world war veterans suffering with mental disorders. The measure follows recommendations made at the Philadelphia American Legion convention.

"The additional hospital facilities," Johnson said today, "have been found necessary because the number of former service men suffering from mental diseases attributed to the war has increased at the rate of 1,000 a year for the past four years. Under special treatment the government may be able to cure a substantial number of these but existing hospital facilities are not able to meet demands placed upon them."

The new hospitals, or additions, with the requested appropriation include: American Lake, Wash., 100 beds, \$150,000, and Walla Walla, Wash., 100 beds.

Archery, a comparatively new sport in Kansas, has made a big hit at both the University of Wichita and Friends university.

On some of the large ranches in Wyoming it is estimated that 15 per cent of the cattle are sold in a year.

Vandeville is 100 years old, says a headline. Well, well! God bless the mothers-in-law, after all, God bless them!

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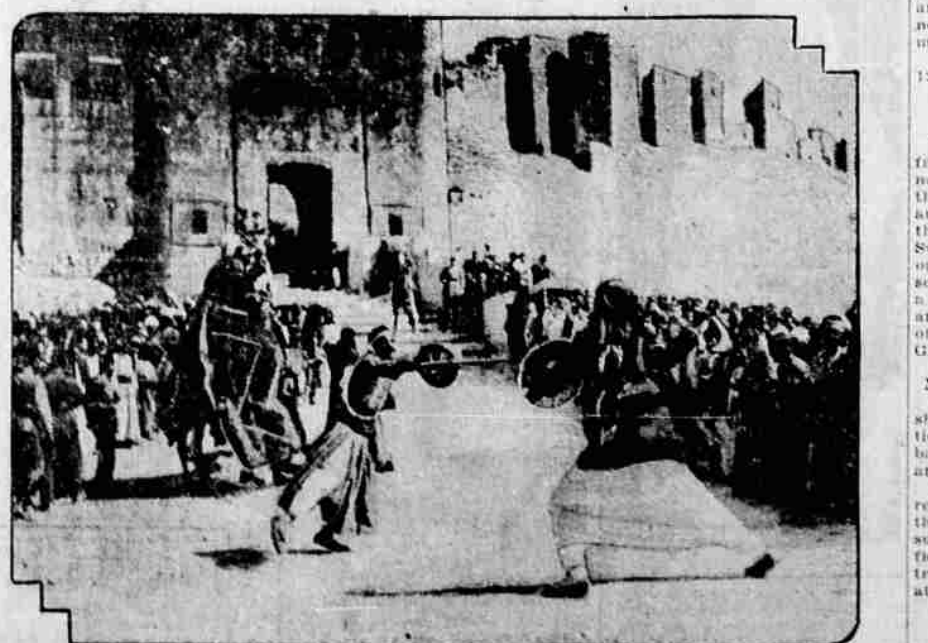
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