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HoseSpecial
23cBlack, Brown, Tan
and GreyWestern Inc.
The Store for MenSuspect Suicide
In Portland Case

PORTLAND, Ore., May 18 (AP)—Death of John M. Casey, 62, vice president of Ira F. Powers Furniture company, late yesterday occurred under circumstances that indicated suicide, Deputy Coroner Snook reported today.

Casey's body was found in a washroom opposite his office in the store. The coroner's deputy said he hanged himself with a narrow belt taken from a sewing machine.

10 Years Ago
Today

Miss Lorraine Staley and Miss Irma Geddes left for Portland last night.

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BERRIES SCARCE
IN PRODUCE MARTSome Black Tartarian
Cherries in Evidence—
Lamb's Are Weak

PORTLAND, Ore., May 18 (AP)—Strawberries were practically absent by noon today, with all good offerings eagerly sought. California berries sold readily at \$2.50 per 20-cup crate, while locals met with good demand around \$4.50.

Some Black Tartarian cherries were in evidence and brought \$2.50 per 5-pound box.

On the poultry market conditions were little changed today except for an advance of a cent to 21c in the quotation in light leghorn hens. Broilers continue to come in moderate quantities just sufficient to meet active demand.

Lamb continued very weak on the country dressed meat market, and supplies were much greater than could be absorbed by local consumers. Springers sold all the way from 23 to 27c, while fall lambs were as low as 20c and below. Other classes of meats were fairly steady.

WOOL REPORT

BORTON, May 18 (AP)—The Commercial Bulletin tomorrow will say:

"The market is stronger for wool everywhere. Buying in the west proceeds steadily and most of the far western states are practically cleared of the new clip, while in the bright wool states the new clip movement is proceeding more or less steadily. In the east the market is slightly weaker, though still below the parity of western prices, with the demand somewhat spotty."

"Foreign markets are all firm and lining up with the stronger tendency in London, where prices on almost all descriptions are now back to parity, with closing rates of the previous series."

"The manufacturing position is still somewhat different but slowly prices on various lines of goods are being advanced and the outlook is more promising than for some time."

"Mohair is still rather quiet. The new Cape clip of adult hair moves steadily, with America buying more or less freely."

The Commercial Bulletin will publish the following wool quotations tomorrow:

Oregon: Fine and P. M. staple, \$1.15; 1.18; fine and P. M. clothing, \$1.16; 1.19; valley No. 1, \$1.08; 1.10.

Mohair: Original bag average 12 months, Oregon, 70¢; 72¢.

Graded stock: First combing, 85¢; 90¢; good curding, 55¢; 60¢.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO GRAIN				
Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
May	148 1/2 @ 148 3/4	148 3/4	147 1/2	147 3/4 @ 147 1/2
July	149 1/2 @ 150 1/4	149 1/4	148 1/2	149 1/4 @ 149 1/2
Sept.	150 @ 150 1/2	150 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2 @ 150

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Close wheat:

LIVERPOOL, May 18 (AP)—

May 109 3/4 3/4

July 109 3/4 3/4

Sept. 111 3/4 3/4

PORTLAND WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore., May 18 (AP)—

Wheat—BBB hard white, \$1.54;

soft white, western white, \$1.42 1/2;

hard winter, western red, \$1.35;

northern spring, \$1.36.

Oats—No. 2, 56 lb., white feed, \$1.45.

Today's car receipts—Wheat 20;

flour 21; corn 51; oats 2.

CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, May 18 (AP)—Wheat

No. 2 mixed, \$1.52 1/4.

Corn—No. 3 mixed, \$1.02 1/2; No. 2 yellow, \$1.07 1/2 @ 1.08.

Oats—No. 2 white, 68 1/2 @ 72c.

Rye not quoted.

Barley—90¢ @ 1.02.

Timothy seed—\$4.45 @ 4.55.

Clover seed—\$19 @ 20.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore., May 18 (AP)—

Wholesale prices: Butter steady.

Portland dairy exchange net whole-

sale prices: Cubes, extras 42c;

standards 41c; prime firsts 40 1/2c;

firsts 39 1/2c. Creamery prices:

Prints 2c over cube standards.

Eggs steady: Portland dairy ex-

change, net basis: Fresh standard

extras 26c; fresh standard firsts

24c; fresh medium extras 23 1/2c;

fresh medium firsts 21 1/2c. Prices

to retailers 1 to 3c over exchange

prices.

Hay steady. Buying prices: East-

ern Oregon timothy \$20.50 @ 21; do

valley, \$19 @ 19.50; alfalfa \$19 @

19.50; oat hay \$15.50 @ 16; straw

\$9.50 per ton. Selling prices \$2

a ton more.

Casearia bark steady, 7c per lb.

Oregon grape root 1 1/4c.

Hops steady: 1927 crop, 23c;

1928 crop 18 1/2 @ 18 1/2c; contract,

Fuggles 20c.

Hides to the farmer:

Milk steady: raw (4 per cent)

\$2.30 cwt. f. o. b. Portland. Butter-

fat steady, 40c; 41c track; 43 1/4 @

f. o. b. Portland.

Poultry: Light hens higher at

23c a lb.; light 18 1/2 @ 21c; broilers

23 1/2 @ 28c; pekin white ducks 27c;

colored nominal.

Ontario steady: local \$1.75 @ 2.25

per cwt.

Potatoes steady, 75¢ @ 1.25 per

sack.

Wool steady: Eastern Oregon 23

80c; valley medium 45c; coarse

53c per lb.

Mohair steady: long staple 60c;

kid 70c.

BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18 (AP)—

Butterfat f. o. b. San Francisco,

40 1/2c.

Export Buying
Sends Wheat Up
2 Cents Today

CHICAGO, May 18 (AP)—Big export buying, and estimated at 2,000,000 bushels gave a quick upward swing to the wheat market today. It was said that all wheat offered overnight to Europe had been accepted. Opening 1 1/2 to 3 1/2c higher, wheat subsequently held nearer to the initial range. Corn, oats and provisions, as well as cattle starting 1/4 to 1 1/2c up, but then reacting somewhat.

Wheat closed unsettled, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2c net higher, corn 1/4 to 1/2c off, oats 1/4 to 1/2c up and provisions varying from 10c decline to an equal advance.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., May 18 (AP)—

Cattle and calves steady. Re-

ceipts: cattle 40; calves 25.

Steers 1100 to 1300 lbs., good \$11.25

@ 12.50; do 950 to 1000 lbs., good,

\$11.50 @ 12.50; do 800 up, medium,

\$9.75 @ 11.50; do common, \$8.25 @

9.75; heifers 850 lbs. down, good,

\$10.50 @ 11; do common to medium,

\$8.75 @ 10.50; cows, good, \$9.25 @

9.75; do common to medium, \$8.25 @

do low cut, \$6.75; bulls, year-

lings excluded, good beef, \$7 @ 7.50;

calves, 600 lbs. down, medium to

choice, \$8.50 @ 10.50; calf to com-

mon, \$6.50 @ 8.50; vealers, milk fed,

good to choice, \$12 @ 14; do me-

dium, \$11 @ 12; do calf to com-

mon, \$7.50 @ 11.

Hogs 15 to 250 lbs.; receipts

605, including 225 direct. Heavy-

weight, 250 to 350 lbs., medium to

choice, \$8.75 @ 10; medium weight,

200 to 250 lbs., medium to choice,

\$9.25 @ 10.50; light weight, 150 to

200 lbs., medium to choice, \$11.35

@ 10.50; light lights, 130 to 150

lbs., medium to choice, \$9.25 @

10.25; packing sows, rough and

smooth, \$6.75 @ 7.75; slaughter-

pigs, 50 to 100 lbs., medium to

choice, \$8.75 @ 9.50.

Sheep and lambs, no trading;

quotations down \$1 all around.

Lambs, 84 lbs. down, good to choice

\$12.50 @ 13; do 92 lbs. down, me-

dium \$11.50 @ 12.50; do, all weights

cull to common, \$9.50 @ 11.50; year-

ling wethers, 110 lbs. down, me-

dium to choice, \$7.50 @ 9; ewes,

120 lbs. down, medium to choice,

\$5.90 @ 6; do 120 to 150 lbs., me-

dium to choice, \$4.90 @ 5.90; do, all weights,

cull to common, \$2.90 @ 4.

POULTRY

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18 (AP)—

Broilers: Leghorn, 1 to 1 1/2 lbs.,

26 1/2 @ 28c; 1 to 1 1/2 lbs., 31 1/2 @ 32c.

Pullets: Leghorn, 2 lbs., 36 1/2 @ 38c;

2 1/2 to 2 3/4 lbs., 36 1/2 @ 38c; colored,

2 1/2 to 2 3/4 lbs., 40 @ 42c.

Leghorn hens, 3 1/2 lbs. and over,

23 1/2 @ 24c.

NEW YORK FRUIT

NEW YORK, May 18 (AP)—

Fruit and hops steady.

LA GRANDE WHOLESALE MARKETS

Poultry (live weight)

Spring—16 1/2 @ 18 lb.

Heavy hens—14 1/2 @ 16 lb.

Light hens—10 lb.

Stags—8c lb.

Flour

Hard Federation (hard wheat)

—\$7.60 bbl.

Soft wheat—\$7.40 bbl.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS

Dairy

Butter, creamery—47c; 2 lbs. 40c

Eggs—23c a doz.

Cheese—33 1/2 @ 40c a pound

Honey, comb—25c lb.

Vegetables

Potatoes—1 1/2c lb.; 1 1/2 @ 1.25 per

cwt.

New potatoes—2 lbs. for 25c.

Green Peas—15c lb.; 2 for 25c.

String beans—25c lb.

Mexican tomatoes—20c lb.

Parsley—5c bunch.

New Texas cabbage—10c lb.

Wax onions—2 lbs. 25c.

Lettuce—10c head.

Endives—15c; 2 for 25c.

Rhubarb—4 lbs. 50c.

Yellow onions—5c lb.

Radishes—5c bunch.

Squash—6c lb.

Hot-house cucumbers—20c each.

Bunch carrots—10c bunch.

Bunch beets—10c bunch.

Red cabbage—10c lb.

Turnips—10c—2 for 25c.

Celeriac—25c bunch.

Asparagus—10c lb.

Green onions—5c bunch.

Parsnips—5c lb.

Brussels sprouts—25c lb.

Rutabagas—5c lb.

New Walla Walla spinach—4 lbs. 25c.

Artichokes—20c each.

Fruits

Apples—Jonathan, Rome, Belle-

flowers, \$1.00 box.

Strawberries—2 for 45c.

Bananas—10c lb.

Persimmons—2 for 25c.

Lemons—40c doz.

Oranges—50 1/2 @ 70c doz.

Florida grapefruit—Med. size, 2

for 25c; large, 3 for 25c.

Florida grapefruit—20c each.

Sugar

Cane sugar—\$7.14.

Flour

Soft wheat—\$8.40 bbl.

Hard Federation—\$8.40 bbl.

Poultry

Spring fries—28.20c lb.

Hens—25 1/2 @ 26c lb.

Meats and Fish

Beef—12 1/2 @ 13c.

Chops and steaks—50c lb.

Salmon (strictly fresh)—25c lb.

Halibut—20c lb.

Cod—25c lb.

Gasoline

Gasoline, regular, retails, 26c.

A sign on a hot-dog stand in

Anderson, Ind., reads thus: We sell

beer here because there's no

beer near.

Close Steady In
Stock Exchange

NEW YORK, May 18 (AP)—The stock market, which has been moving upward for several months in seeming disregard of outside news developments, finally yielded today to general selling presumably inspired by marked tightening of credit facilities. Speculators for the advance did not give up without a struggle, however, marking up about a dozen industries to new high levels after the first batch of overnight selling orders had been absorbed, a few of the gains ranging from five to nearly 12 points.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, May 18 (AP)—U. S.

Department of Agriculture—Hogs

—12,000 mostly 19 to 20c higher;

top \$10.10 paid for choice around

220 lbs. weight; butchers, medium

to choice, 250 to 350 lbs., \$9.35 @

9.90; 200 to 250 lbs., \$9.50 @ 10.50.

Cattle—1500; steady, strong mar-

ket on all classes except bulks;

slaughter classes, steers, good and

choice, 1300 to 1500 lbs., \$13.25 @

15; 1100 to 1300 lbs., \$13.25 @ 15;

950 to 1100 lbs., \$12.90 @ 15; veal-

ers, milk fed, good and choice, \$12.50

@ 16; medium, \$11 @ 12.50.

Sheep—11,000; all slaughter

classes active, steady to strong;

slaughter classes, spring lambs,

good and choice, \$17.25 @ 18.25;

medium, \$15.75 @ 17.25; lambs,

good and choice, 92 to 100 lbs.,

\$13.65 @ 15; ewes, medium to choice

150 lbs. down, \$8.25 @ 9.

Nationalists Are
Approaching Peking

SHANGHAI, China, May 18 (AP)—

The nationalists were approach-

ing nearer Peking