May Christmas Be Merry and the New Year Bright!

Westinghouse Inc.
"The Gift Store for Men"

Wheat Unsettled In Chicago Market

CHICAGO, Dec. 24 (AP)—Opening purchases to 3c lower wheat declined a little all around. Corn, oats and provisions likewise were easier, with corn moving upward to 1c net and subsequently withdrawing a slight general setback.

Wheat closed unsettled at ... the same as Saturday's final to ¼@½c lower.

Corn unchanged to ½c off.

Oats a shade to ½c down, and provisions unchanged to a ... 25c.

PORTLAND WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 24 (A.P.)—No wheat sales. Today's car receipts. Wheat ... year 18, last 5.

FURS WANTED!

Highest prices paid. Check by return mail. Alteration & Repairing & Relining. Trimmings in stock.

Furs made up ready to wear. Silver, Cross and Red Fox, Fisher, Marten, Sabel and Mink.

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Standard brands
35c to $4.00
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35c to $2.50

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STOCKS SURGING IN XMAS MARKET

General Motors Up to 197; Closing Strong With Sales 3,000,000

NEW YORK, Dec. 24 (AP)—An old fashioned "Christmas market" in which prices of many active issues moved up 3 to nearly 18 points took place on the New York stock exchange today. Buying orders were distributed over a fairly broad list of issues but buoyant activities centered principally in stocks likely to benefit by holiday trade or those in which special developments are reported to be pending next year. Trading was only moderately heavy in volume.

Call money renewed at 5 per cent and promised to be in fairly plentiful supply at that figure despite the calling of about $15,000,000 in loans. Time money rates held firm.

With the bulls in control at the price movement, General Motors in the late afternoon sold at 197, nearly 15 points above last Monday's low figure. International Harvester extended its rise to more than 20 points while Du Pont climbed 15 and National Tea 10. Gains of 5 to 8 points were registered by American Express, Gold Dust, Venadium Steel and A. M. Byers. Prairie Oil and Gas which was admitted to trading last week, declined to under sixty. The closing was strong. Sales approximated 3,000,000.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 24 (AP)—Cattle and calves steady to 50c higher; spot cows and heifers 25 to 50 cents higher; sheep steady.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO GRAIN

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat				
Dec.	114⅝	1.15	1.14½	1.14½@1.14⅝
Mar.	118⅝	1.18⅝	1.18½	1.18½@1.18⅝
May	121¼	1.22½@⅝	1.20¾	1.20¾@1.21
July	122⅝	1.22⅝	1.21⅝	1.21⅝

680, calves 50. Steers (1100-1300 lbs.) good $11.50@12.50; do (950-1100 lbs.) good 11.75@12.50; do (800 and up) medium 10.50@11.75; do common 8.00@10.50; heifers (800 lbs. down) good 10.00@10.25; do common 8.00@10.00. Cows good 8.00@8.50; do common to medium 7.00@8.00; do low cutter & cutter 6.50@7.00. Bulls (yearlings excluded) good beefs (1.25@7.75); do cutter to medium 6.50@7.25. Calves (500 lbs. down) medium to choice 8.00@11.00; do cull to common 7.50@8.00; veagers, milk-fed, good to choice 12.00@14.00; do medium 11.50@12.00; do cull to common 8.50@11.50.

Hogs—Active, selling chiefly 25 to 35 cents higher, receipts 1555, including 646 direct or through. Heavy weight (250-350 lbs.) medium to choice 7.15@8.25, medium weight (200-250 lbs.) medium to choice 8.00@8.75; light weight (160-200 lbs.) medium to choice 8.25@8.85; light lights (130-160 lbs.) medium to choice 8.25@8.75. Packing sows, rough and smooth 6.75@7.25. Slaughter pigs (100-130 lbs.) medium to choice 7.50@8.50. Feeder and stocker pigs (70-130 lbs.) medium to choice 8.25@8.90. (Sell to pay hogs and roughing pigs included in above quotations.)

Sheep and lambs—Quality steady, receipts 518. Lambs (84 lbs. down) good to choice $11.60@12; do (92 lbs. down) medium 10.00@11.60; do (all weights) cull to common 8.50@10; yearling wethers (110 lbs. down), medium to choice 8.00@10.50. Ewes (120 lbs. down) medium to choice 4.50@6.50; do (120-150 lbs.) medium to choice 5.50@6.00; do (all weights), cull to common 2.00@5.50.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 24 (AP)—Wholesale prices.

Butter—Steady. Portland dairy exchange (at wholesale prices, cubes): Extras 47½c; standards, 47c; prime firsts, 46½c; firsts, 45c. Creamery prices: Prints, 1c over cube standards.

Eggs—Steady. Portland dairy exchange (net basis): Fresh standard extras, 38½c; fresh standard firsts, 37c; fresh medium extras, 35c; fresh medium firsts, 32c; undersized, 27c. Prices to retailers, 1@3c over exchange prices.

Milk—Steady, raw milk, (4 per cent), $2.85 cwt. delivered Portland, less 1 per cent. Butterfat, station, 51c; track, 52c; delivered at Portland, 54@55c.

Poultry—Steady, turkeys cent lower. No. 1 dressed 31@32 (buying prices) — Alive, heavy hens (over 4½ pounds), 24@25c; medium hens (3½ to 4½ pounds) 20c; light (under 3½ pounds), 15c; broilers, 19@20c; fryers, dressed, No. 1, 24@25c; geese, 17@18c.

Onions—Steady, per cwt., Oregon, $2.75@4.25; yellows $2@2.50.

Potatoes—Steady, per cwt., Gem No. 1 Kinds, $1.40@1.60; centennial, 70@$1.00.

Wool—Steady. Eastern Oregon, 20@32c; Valley, 35@40c.

Hay — Steady, barely prices down.

Holiday Price Of Eggs Steady; Turks Go Lower

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 24 (AP)—Despite the fluctuations in the Chicago and New York egg markets, there was no change in the holiday price of eggs on the local market. Fresh standard extras remain at 38½ cents with other classes steady.

Butter, cheese and milk also steady.

Turkey prices took a one cent drop today, quoted 31 to 33 cents for No. 1 dressed stock. No other changes in poultry or country dressed meats.

Local cranberries were just about cleaned up. Supply was scarce to negligible on the local market, with prices quoted $6.50 to $7 per box. Grapefruit was lower, quoted mostly $4 to $4.75 with best stock at $5. Lemons $6.50 to $7.75.

There is a plentiful supply of dates. Halloed quoted 10 to 11 cents per pound, mostly 10½ cents. Fard, 12 pound boxes, at $2.25.

Cane sugar was quoted higher today at $5.75 with no change in beet sugar.

Hops were up 15 to 20 cents today, a two cent rise.

There was no change in potatoes and onions.

CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, Dec. 24 (AP)—Wheat No. 2 hard 114⅝, No. 4 northern spring 116⅝.

Corn, No. 4 mixed ...; No. 2 yellow ...

Oats, No. 2 white ...; sample ...

Eastern Oregon Hardy, $21.50@22; do Valley, $19@22.50; timothy, $22.50@23; clover, $17@17.50; alfalfa, $13@15.50; straw, $5.50 ton; selling prices $2 ton more.

COLD MOTOR SAID CAUSE OF CRASH

Four Perish in Flames When Airplane Crashes in Chattanooga, Tenn.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn. Dec. 24 (AP)—M. W. Rozar, sole survivor of an airplane tragedy near Marr Field which caused the immediate death of four persons, today attributed the accident to a cold motor which failed to gain altitude after the take off early yesterday morning.

Rozar of Chicago who is traveling representative for a Macon, Ga., firm, succeeded in extricating himself from the wreckage and crawled away from the burning plane after the gasoline tank had exploded.

Four companions on the disastrous flight over the newly established Chicago-Atlanta air mail line perished in the flames.

Victims included:

Charles H. Shield, of Louisville, Ky., pilot; Raymond D. Harris, another pilot who was making a study of the new air route; G. P. Mayer St. Elmo, Tenn., and O. L. Burnette of Chicago.

Both Mayer and Burnette were en route to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives in Atlanta and Macon, Ga., respectively.

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So go to sleep, my darlings wee,
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