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## ABE MARTIN



"I wish they had tacked a mucilage rider on the 15-cruiser bill," said Late Lord, today, as he tried to get a postage stamp to stick. Who recalls when a girl had to have some meat on her to get by?

### Government To Extend Market News on Coast

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 7 (AP)—The Bureau of Agricultural Economics has announced through its dairy and poultry products division the reported expansion shortly of its market news and grading service on the Pacific Coast.

Under the expansion program, worked out by F. H. Campbell, marketing specialist for the bureau, the service will be extended to other large Pacific Coast markets, including Los Angeles, Seattle and Portland.

Among the innovations planned are the inauguration of a daily market news report at Los Angeles, the extension of the leased wire under federal appropriation from the San Francisco office to Portland and Seattle, where market news and grading offices will be opened, and the use of radio in distributing eastern and local market information.

### MONEY UP TO 12 PER CENT IN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 7 (AP)—Alternate periods of weakness and strength characterized today's stock market, which reflected extreme nervousness over the credit situation. Call money opened at 10 per cent, the highest renewal rate since January 3, and advanced to 11 in the early afternoon. Such liquidation as appeared was only moderate in volume, indicating that such accounts were well margined.

A further advance in call money to 12 per cent failed to intimidate the pools who ran many shares vigorously upward in the late dealings. Radio hit 496 while the new stock brought 8 1/2. Western Union climbed more than ten points to 213 1/2 a record price. Advances of 4 to 6 points were made by Wright, Curtiss, Victor Talking Machine, Goodyear and National Dairy Products. The closing was strong. Sales approximated 3,500,000.

PORTLAND WHEAT  
PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 7 (AP)—Wheat: Big Bend bluestem, hard white; soft white 1.17; western white 1.17; hard winter 1.15; northern spring 1.15; western red 1.15. Oats: No. 2-38 lb. white 39.50. Today's car receipts: Wheat 52, flour 5, corn 11, hay 4.

NEW YORK FRUIT  
NEW YORK, March 7 (AP)—Dried fruit and hops, steady.

PORTLAND PRODUCE  
PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 7 (AP)—Wholesale prices: Butter, eggs, milk, poultry, onions, potatoes, wool, nuts, hay, cascaira bark, hops—all steady and unchanged.

sheep, nominal. Feeding lambs steady. Lambs, good and choice 9.25; down 16.15-17.50; medium 15.00-16.25; ewes, medium to choice 13.00; down 8.25-10.00; feeder lambs, good and choice 14.50-16.00.

CHICAGO GRAIN				
Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
Mar.	1.21 1/2 @ 1.22 1/2	1.22 1/2	1.21 1/2	1.22 1/2
May	1.20 @ 1.20 1/2	1.21 1/2	1.20 1/2	1.21 1/2
July	1.28 1/2 @ 1.29	1.30	1.28 1/2	1.29 1/2 @ 1.29 3/4
Sept.	1.30 1/2	1.31 1/2	1.30 1/2	1.31 1/2

### Eggs Tighten In Portland Mart; Poultry Is Firm

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 7 (AP)—After the unusual decline of the two previous days, the egg market tightened today and held on at Wednesday's quotations. The product is plentiful, but buyers are equally active. If this keeps up, no further recessions are expected immediately.

Butter is marking time without any show of change in prices. The poultry market is firm, with a reported scarcity of live hens. Country dressed meats are steady without change.

French endives from Montana are on the market at 80 cents a pound. Lemons continue to be firm with an upward trend.

### Wheat Firm And Higher at Close

CHICAGO, March 7 (AP)—Opening 1/4 to 1/2 higher, wheat after-ward continued to show strength. Corn, oats and provisions also were firmer, with corn starting unchanged to 1/2c up, and subsequently scoring advances all around. Wheat closed firm, 3/4c to 1 1/2c net higher, corn 3/4c to 1 1/2c up. Oats 1/2c to 3/4c advanced, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 25c.

### CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, March 7 (AP)—Wheat, No. 2, hard 1.24 1/2; No. 4 northern spring 1.17 1/2. Corn, No. 4 mixed 92 1/2; No. 3 yellow 95 1/2. Oats, No. 2 white 47 1/2; No. 4 white 45 1/2 @ 47. Rye, no sales. Barley, 60 @ 73. Timothy seed, 5.20 @ 5.80. Clover seed, 23.00 @ 31.00.

### PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 7 (AP)—Cattle and calves: Steady, receipts 20, steers (1100-1300 lbs.) good 10.50 @ 11.25; do (950-1100 lbs.), good 10.75 @ 11.50; do (800 and up), medium 11.00 @ 11.75; do (common) 8.50 @ 10.00. Hogs (850 lbs. down) good 9.75 @ 10.25; do common 8.00 @ 9.75. Cows, good 8.50 @ 9.00; do common to medium 6.75 @ 8.50; do low cutter 5.00 @ 6.75. Bulls (yearlings excluded) good beefs 7.50 @ 8.50; do cutter to medium 6.75 @ 7.50; calves (500 lbs. down) medium to choice 9.50 @ 12.00; do, cull to common 8.00 @ 9.50; vealers, (milk-fed) good to choice 13.00 @ 14.50; do medium 11.50 @ 13.00; do, cull to common 8.50 @ 11.50.

Hogs—Steady. Receipts 449, with heavy weight (250-350 lbs.) medium to choice 9.00 @ 10.25; medium weight (200-250 lbs.) medium to choice 10.25 @ 11.25; light weight (160-200 lbs.) medium to choice 11.25 @ 11.50; light lights (120-150 lbs.) medium to choice 10.25 @ 11.25; packing sows, rough and smooth 8.50 @ 9.50. Slaughter pigs (90-120 lbs.) medium to choice 9.50 @ 10.50; feeder and steifer pigs (70-120 lbs.) medium to choice 9.50 @ 10.50.

Sheep and lambs: Quotably steady. No receipts. Lambs (54 to 92 lbs. down) good to choice \$14.50; do (92-100 lbs. down) medium 12.00 @ 14.00; do (all weights) cull to common 11.00 @ 12.00; yearling wethers (150 lbs. down) medium to choice 10.00 @ 13.00; ewes (120 lbs. down) medium to choice 6.00 @ 8.00; do (120-150 lbs.) medium to choice 5.50 @ 7.50; do (all weights) cull to common 3.00 @ 5.50.

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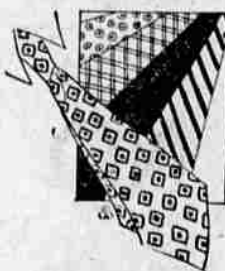
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