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30-YEAR-OLD UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT

When President Hoover first turned his attention to the problem of law observance and enforcement one of the men called to the White House for consultation was the 30-year-old dean of the Yale university law school, Dr. Robert Maynard Hutchins. In spite of his comparative youth, Dr. Hutchins had gained an enviable reputation for administrative ability, for knowledge of the law and government, for sound judgment in the social sciences, for a broad vision and broad education and interests.

Now the board of trustees of the University of Chicago, one of the foremost and richest universities in America, announce the appointment of Dr. Hutchins as president of the institution beginning July 1. The report of his election carried the following comment, which is a significant tribute to the qualities of leadership and administration in American youth as well as a tribute to the foresight of the university's trustees:

"Selection of Dr. Hutchins by unanimous choice of the faculty-trustee committee was in line with the announced intention of the trustees to name as president a man with wide administrative experience who at the same time was young. The trustees felt that in view of an elaborate expansion program, calling for the expenditure over a period of years of many millions of dollars, the university needed not only a scholar, but a successful administrator whose comparative youth would insure continued direction of the school's affairs over a considerable length of time.

" 'Probably Dr. Hutchins' experience in administration has been greater than that of either Dr. William Rainey Harper, the university's first president, or of Dr. Eliot of Harvard when, at the age of 35, each began his distinguished leadership, said Harold H. Swift, president of the board of trustees."

Ten years ago Dr. Hutchins was a youth of twenty, a member of that "younger generation" that produced the "flapper" and on whom was focused the attention of its elders with frankly expressed fear that modern youth was degenerating in ability and in moral fibre. Yet that same younger generation has produced the youngest major university president in this country, a presidential advisor, a dean of one of the foremost law schools. And Dr. Hutchins is but one of many young men in America who have attained leadership of national importance the last few years.

Older men of outstanding success in every activity of life are saying today, more and more, the thing that the trustees of the University of Chicago have done. They are as keenly concerned about selecting men of ability as ever before, but they are recognizing at the same time the qualities of enthusiasm and energy and optimism peculiar to youth—and are enlisting the men with those qualities for the really big jobs of the nation.

Youth is not so much a matter of years as it is a point of view. Hoover is young in viewpoint and the country is fortunate that he is also young enough in years to permit eight years of service before the hand of time slows down his energies. When he was thirty he was a mining engineer of international reputation. Other big men had recognized his bigness, as have the trustees of the University of Chicago recognized Dr. Hutchins, and both saw the opportunity to profit by utilization of youth.

For the youth of today in his teens or early twenties the appointment of Dr. Hutchins to a high place in the educational world should serve as an inspiration. Youth is no longer a handicap if a man has ability and ambition. Competence is the vital thing. There are innumerable big jobs waiting for the young man who can qualify.

ABE MARTIN

Th' Mexican rebels have made Gen. Escobar president, but ever'buddy was so out o' breath that ther wuz no speeches. The question is, what's to become of Mr. Gann?

Mystery Truck Supplies Gas Men In Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 29 (AP)—An element of mystery entered Portland's gasoline price war today. A large red truck, unidentified by any trade-marks or inscriptions, made the rounds today, filling tanks of gasoline dealers who have torn up their contracts with the large oil distributors. A. T. Kurtz, president of the Portland Retail Gasoline Dealers' Protective association, said the nameless red truck will sell to all those who have revolted.

Many service station operators here have destroyed the contracts, declaring the major oil companies have been selling to commercial accounts and to farmers at a rate from four to two cents lower than that charged the filling stations.

A fleet of five gasoline trucks invaded the field yesterday from Seattle, Kurtz said. The Seattle owner of the trucks notified Kurtz that he was ready to start dispensing gasoline to any or all Portland dealers. The name of the company supplying the fuel was not given, nor was the location of the source of supply.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Apr. 29 (AP)—U. S. Department of Agriculture—Hogs: 60,000; 10@20c lower; top $11.65; better grade hogs scaling 160-300 lbs., $11.35@11.60; butchers, medium to choice, 250-300 lbs., $11.15@11.55; 130-160 lbs., $10.50@11.60.

Cattle: 17,000; calves: 5,000; steady; bulls 10@15c higher up to $10.50; slaughter classes, steers, 1300-1500 lbs., $13.50@14.90; 950-1100 lbs., $13.75@15; fed yearlings, 750-950 lbs., $13.50@15; vealers, $14@16.50.

Sheep: 15,000; opening weak to 25c lower; shorn lambs $15.40@15.65; fat wooled ewes $1 down, California spring lambs unsold; following prices shorn basis only, lambs, good and choice, 92 lbs. down, $14.75@16; medium, $14.25@15; medium to choice, 92-100 lbs., $13.75@15.65; ewes, medium to choice, 150 lbs. down, $8@10.

La GRANDE WHOLESALE MARKETS

Springs—18@25c lb.
Heavy hens—16c lb
Light hens—14c lb.
Stags—8c lb.

Flour.

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

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS

Dairy.

Butter, creamery — 50c; 2 lbs. 95c.
Eggs—25c.
Cheese—30c lb.
Honey—Comb, 25c lb.

Vegetables

Potatoes—$1.00 cwt.
Artichoke—20c.
Parsley—5c bunch.
Cabbage—6c lb.
Cauliflower—15c lb
Grapefruit, Florida—2 for 25c.
Lettuce—2 heads 25c.
Yellow onions—6c lb.
Carrots—10c bunch; 3 for 25c.
Beets—10c a bunch.
Parsnips—5c lb.
Turnips—10c a bunch.
Celery—15c and 25c.
Green peppers—30c lb.
Rutabagas—5c lb.
Green Onions—5c.
Radish—2 for 15c.
Green Peas—2 lbs. 25c.
Green Beans—25c.
Rhubarb—4 lbs. 25c.

Fruits

Jonathan apples—$1.00 box.
Bananas—12½c lb.
Lemons—40c doz.
Oranges—35c@1.00 doz

Sugar

Cane sugar—$6.80.

Flour

Soft wheat—$8.40 bbl.
Hard federation—$8.40 bbl

Poultry

Hens—30@32c lb.

Meats and Fish

Beef loin—20@22c lb.
Chops and steaks—45c lb.
Salmon—30c lb.
Halibut—30c lb.
Rabbits—25c lb.
Cod—25c lb.

Gasoline

Gasoline, regular, retail, 26c gal.

The lights went out on the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor the other night. However, no rum boats were reported to have lost the way.

Butter And Egg Market Remains On Level Plane

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 29 (AP)—Monday found butter and eggs undisturbed at Friday's quotations. The week-end demand took care of all surplus.

Several changes took place in poultry and fresh meat prices. Hens were higher at 26 to 27c; 1½ lb. broilers were plentiful at 22 to 24c and colored broilers, over 1½ lbs., were offered at 28 to 30c.

Choice lambs, packed killed, were lower at 25 to 28c, while spring lambs were selling at 30 to 32c, not a high price for this time.

In vegetables, celery, tomatoes and cabbage were still firm and tending higher.

Strawberries were getting cheaper. A crate of 15 cups was bringing $3.25 wholesale.

Hothouse cucumbers, green peas, green beans, new potatoes, local rhubarb and local spinach were abundant and fairly cheap.

The larger grades of oranges were still going up.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 29 (AP)—Cattle and calves: Active; steers 25 to 50c higher, she stock steady to 50c higher. Receipts: Cattle 940, calves 60.

Steers (1100-1200 lbs). good, $12@13.75; do (950-1100 lbs.), good, $12.75@13.15, do (800 and up), medium, $10.75@12; do common, $9@10.75. Heifers (850 lbs. down) good, $11.25@11.50; do common, $9.25@11.25. Cows, good, $10.25@10.50; do common to medium, $8@10.25; do low cutters, $6@8. Bulls (yearlings excluded), good beef, $8@9; do cutter to medium, $7@8. Calves (500 lbs. down), medium to choice, $10@12.50; do cull to common, $8@10. Vealers (milk fed), good to choice, $13.50@14.50; do medium, $12@13.50, do cull to common, $9@12.

Hogs: Fairly active; receipts 3410, including 179 through and 320 on contract.

Heavy weight (250-350 lbs.), medium to choice, $10@10.75; medium weight (200-250 lbs.), medium to choice, $10.75@11.75, light weight (160-200 lbs.), medium to choice, $11.75@11.85; light lights (130-160 lbs.), medium to choice, $10.75@11.75; packing sows (rough and smooth), $8@9.25. Slaughter pigs (80-130 lbs.), medium to choice $10@11; feeder and stocker pigs (70-130 lbs.), medium to choice, $9.50@10.50. (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded in above quotations.)

Sheep and lambs: Quotably steady. Receipts, sheep 15. (Following quotations except on spring lambs, on shorn basis):

Lambs, spring good to choice, $14@15; do (84-92 lbs.), good to choice, $13.50@14.25; do medium to choice (92-100 lbs.), $10.50@14.25; do (all weights, cull to common), $9@10.50. Yearling wethers (110 lbs. down), medium to choice, $8@11. Ewes (120 lbs. down), medium to choice, $6.50@8.50; do (all weights), cull to common, $3@5.50.

FRISCO FRUIT

SAN FRANCISCO, Apr. 29 (AP)—Federal-State Market News Service—Apples: California Newtown Pippins, fancy cold storage 4-tier, $1.50@3; 3½-tier, $1.85@2.25; 4½-tier, $1.20@1.50.

Washington Winesaps, XF, $2.25@2.75; fancy, $2.20@2.40. Roms Beauties, large fancy, $2@2.25; small to medium, $2.75@3; small, $1.75.

Oregon: Newtowns, XF $2.50@3, fancy, $2@2.50. Arkansas Blacks, XF $2.40-2.50, fancy, $2.15@2.25.

Pears: Lake County packed winter Nells, $3@3.50 per box. Oregon: D'Anjous, $4@4.25.

BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO, Apr. 29 (AP)—Butterfat f. o. b. San Francisco, 49c.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
May	1.11⅝@1.11⅝	1.12⅝	1.11½	1.12 @1.12⅛
July	1.16½@1.16⅝	1.17⅜	1.16⅛	1.16⅝@1.16⅝
Sept	1.20½@1.20⅝	1.21	1.20	1.20½@1.20⅝
Dec.	1.24½@1.24⅝	1.25⅛	1.24⅛	1.24⅝@1.24⅞

PORTLAND WHEAT

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 29 (AP)—Wheat: Big Bend bluestem, hard white, $1.39; soft white, $1.14; western white, $1.14; hard winter, $1.12; northern spring, $1.13; western red, $1.12.

Oats: No. 2, 38 lb. white, $37.50.

Today's car receipts: Wheat 25, barley 2, flour 11, corn 2, hay 5 oats 3.

CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, Apr. 29 (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.13@1.14; No. 3 northern spring, $1.05¼@1.07.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 90c; No. 3 white, 90½c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 49c; sample grade, 41@42c.

Rye—No sales.

Barley—53@70c.

Timothy seed—$4.40@5.00.

Clover seed—$20.00@28.00.

Stocks Unsettled In Wall Street

NEW YORK, Apr. 29 (AP)—Extreme nervousness over the credit situation brought about further unsettlement in today's stock market. Prices in a long list of standard industrials broke 1 to nearly 10 points in the early trading but strong buying support appeared in the early afternoon and part of the losses were reduced and a few wiped out, in the general rally which started at that time.

Call money renewed at 12 per cent, the highest opening figure since Apr. 2, and advanced to 15 when it became apparent that the demand for funds exceeded the supply.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 29 (AP)—Wholesale prices—

Butter—Portland dairy exchange net wholesale prices (cubes): Extras 43c; standards 42½c; prime firsts 42½c; firsts 42c. Creamery prices: Prints 3c over cube standards.

Eggs—Steady. Portland dairy exchange (net basis): Fresh standard extras 28c; fresh standard firsts 27c; fresh medium extras 25c; fresh medium firsts 24½c. Prices to retailers 1@3c over exchange prices.

Milk—Steady. Raw milk (4 per cent), $2.55 cwt. delivered Portland less 1 per cent. Butterfat: station 42c; track 43c; delivered at Portland 45c.

Poultry—Higher. Buying prices: Alive heavy hens over 4½ lbs., 26@27c; medium hens, 3½ to 4½ lbs., 23c; light under 3½ lbs., 20@21c; broilers 1½ lbs., 22@24c; colored broilers over 1½ lbs., 28@30c. Ducks, peking, 30c; colored ducks, 18@20c. Turkeys, No. 1 hens, 30@31c; toms, 33@34c; capons, 36@38c.

Onions—Per cwt.: Oregon fancy, $4@4.25; boilers, $2.75@3.

Potatoes—Per cwt.: Gems, No. 1 grade, $1.40@1.50; fancy gems, $1.40@1.50.

Wool—Eastern Oregon, 25@30c lbs.; valley, 30@35c.

Hay—Buying prices: Eastern Oregon timothy, $21.50@22; do valley, $17@17.50; alfalfa, $22.50@23; clover, $17@17.50; oat hay, $18@18.50; straw, $8 ton. Selling prices $2 ton more.

ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

ZAGREB, Crotia, Apr. 29 (AP)—Because Josephine Baker, American negro dancer, rejected his protestations of love, Alexius Groh, a young engineer, stabbed himself in the chest at the dancer's feet in the theater exit here last night. Doctors hope to save him. Josephine continues to dance.

Wheat Irregular As Week Begins

CHICAGO, Apr. 29 (AP)—Opening unchanged to ⅜c off, wheat sagged a little more and then scored a general advance. Corn and oats were also firmer, with corn starting ¼c lower to ⅝c up, and subsequently showing gains all around. Provisions tended downward.

Wheat closed irregular, ¼c net decline to ⅝c advance, corn ⅜c off to ½c up, oats varying from ¼c setback to ½@⅝c gain and provisions unchanged to a drop of 20c.

NEW YORK FRUIT

NEW YORK, Apr. 29 (AP)—Evaporated apples steady; choice 14@14½c; fancy, 15@16c.

Prunes steady: California 5@10¼c; Oregon 10½@15c.

Apricots steady; standard 13@15c; choice 15@18c; extra choice 21@22c.

Peaches steady; standard 9½@10c; choice 9¾@10¼c; extra choice 10½c.

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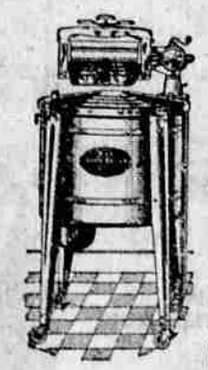

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