

Spring Weather Is Enjoyed By Kamela People

By Mrs. Bertie Riggs (Observer Correspondent)

KAMELA (Special) — Kamela still has nice weather. The sun has shone brightly every day for over a week and the bare ground can be seen in several places.

Herbert Casteel was a visitor at the home of his mother at Kamela Saturday, leaving for Meacham Sunday.



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where he will be employed, working on the highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis and Marie Davis were guests at the Ralph Riggs' home Sunday, driving from Pendleton to enjoy the skiing while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greives and children spent Sunday in La Grande visiting Mrs. Greives' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Evans.

Denver Charlton returned to Kamela from Portland Sunday. Mrs. Charlton is expected to return within a few days.

Charles Reed, who has been employed at Kamela for several days, has returned to La Grande.

Guy Tameria drove to La Grande on business Monday.

Fred Barnes and daughter, Melody, were Meacham visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tameria spent Saturday in La Grande shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Friendly Barnes and daughter, Melody, spent Monday in La Grande.

Gail Hamlen, Jack Nickschinke and Alta Smith drove to La Grande Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Piersall and daughter, Ann, of Meacham, were Kamela visitors on Sunday.

Maxine Muriel and Erna Jeanne Casteel, of Pilot Rock, and Thelma Casteel, of Meacham, spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Bernice Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burton and son, Karlee, drove to Baker Friday for a visit. They returned to Kamela Monday.

Mrs. Gray and granddaughter, of Cove, furnished music for the services held by Rev. Howard Smith Friday and Sunday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Brown and son, Dickie, liked to Meacham Monday evening.

Jack Nickschinke, Alta Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Denison drove to Pendleton Sunday evening.

H. O. Bruffy, of La Grande, took the place of Operator Burton at Kamela for three days.

George Williams, traveling engineer, spent Monday at Kamela on business.

Mrs. H. J. Horstman has been confined to her home here because of illness.

Herschel Horstman was a visitor in La Grande Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burton drove to La Grande on business Tuesday.

Miss Wilda O'Neil, of Perry, has been spending several days at Kamela at the H. J. Horstman home.

Fireman William Weiss, of La Grande, is working here at present.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Feb. 5 (U. S. D. A.)—Hogs \$7.00; 10-15 cents higher; slow at advance; bulk 140-200 lbs. \$7.85 to \$8.00; top \$8.00; 210-320 lbs. \$6.65 to \$7.75.

Cattle 7,000; calves 2,000; better grade steady to strong; early top \$11.25; short very slow weak market on the stock; slaughter cattle and vealers; steers, good and choice 600-900 lbs. \$9.00 to \$12.50; vealers (milk fed) good and choice \$8.00 to \$10.00.

Sheep 12,000; steady to shade lower; lambs 90 lbs. down, good and choice \$6.00 to \$9.00; 90-100 lbs. medium to choice \$6.50 to \$8.00; ewes 90-150 lbs. medium to choice \$3.25 to \$4.75.

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MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT				
Mar. (old)	Open	High	Low	Close
(new)	.79 1/4	.79 1/4	.79 1/4	.79 1/4
May (old)	.81 1/4	.81 1/4	.81 1/4	.81 1/4
(new)	.82 1/4	.82 1/4	.82 1/4	.82 1/4
July	.87 1/4	.87 1/4	.87 1/4	.87 1/4
Sept.	.90 1/4	.90 1/4	.90 1/4	.90 1/4

PORTLAND WHEAT				
May	Open	High	Low	Close
July	.68	.68	.68	.68
Sept.	.62	.62	.62	.62

Butter Remains Firm; Eggs Are Weak Locally

Butter remains firm on the local markets, while eggs are weak, selling at 25 cents a dozen, according to local merchants today.

Spring chickens are becoming more scarce than ever, meat producers say, but they are still selling at prices ranging from 20 to 30 cents a pound. Hamsters went down two cents from the former price of 22 cents a pound to 20 cents, while smelt is becoming more plentiful and is now going at four pounds for 25 cents.

Other prices on the local markets remain practically the same today.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS

Sugar, 100-lb. sack	\$5.90
N. Gem potatoes, lb.	1 1/2
Parsley, bunch	15c
Cabbage, lb.	15c
Yellow onions, lb.	25c
Cucumbers, lb.	25c
Cauliflower, lb.	15c
Celery hearts, bunch	20c
Turnips, bunch	10c
Parsnips, lb.	10c
Brussels sprouts, lb.	20c
Garlic, lb.	25c
Spinach, lb.	10c
Green pepper, lb.	35c
Squash, lb.	5c
Carrots, bunch	10c
Sweet potatoes, 3 lbs.	15c
Tomatoes, lb.	15c
Rhubarb, lb.	15c
New potatoes, 3 lbs.	30c
Green beans, lb.	30c

Butter And Eggs Unchanged Today

PORTLAND, Feb. 5 (A) — Butter and egg markets opened unchanged as to prices and tone today.

Wholesale egg trade opened nervously under influence of continued liberal fresh receipts. Sales to retailers was of fair volume though some transactions were forced at shaded prices.

Wholesale butter opened with inquiry active for all grades. Volume of receipts were reported slightly increased but dealers were inclined to hold back stocks on prospect of shipping south should California prices go higher, as the character of the market there suggests.

Government market news service reported on the fresh fruit and vegetable trade as follows:

Trading in most fruit and vegetable commodities is being maintained on an even, uneventful price-level, with principal commodities witnessing little or no variation during the past week or two. Lettuce, potatoes, onions, cauliflower, apples, and the local vegetables are all in very stable position.

Bears Take Poke At Stock Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 5 (A) — Bears took a poke at the stock market today, but it refused to stay down.

The gradual advance of the past three days was interrupted by an abrupt decline of 2 to 5 points, but bears tried to take their profits in the last hour, the list came back rapidly, regaining about half its loss.

In fact, bears found the market as contrary to their expectations as bulls found it tricky about advancing.

The list closed with a heavy tone, irregularly lower, however. Sales aggregated 1,600,000 shares.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Feb. 5 (A) — Butter: active, quotations unchanged.

Eggs: nervous, quotations unchanged.

Milk (butterfat), poultry, country meats, onions, potatoes, wool, nuts, hay, cranberries and hops steady and unchanged.

PORTLAND, Feb. 5 (A) — Flour: steady; (city delivery prices) family, patents, 49s \$4.00; whole wheat, 49s \$4.70; graham, 49s \$4.00; bakers' hard wheat, 98s \$5.20; bakers' bluestem patents, 98s \$5.30; pastry flour, 98s \$4.50.

PORTLAND CASH

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 5 (A) — Cash wheat: No. 2, 38c; bluestem 60c. Soft white 60c. Western white 60c. Hard winter 60c. Spring 60c. Western red 60c. Oats: No. 2, 38c; white \$2.00. Today's car receipts: wheat 75; barley 1; flour 2; corn 1; oats 2; hay 1.

APPOINT RECIPIERS

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 5 (A) — Chancellor Wolcott Wednesday appointed John Biggs Jr. and Alexander F. Critchfield, both of Wilmington, as receivers for the Richfield Oil company of California.

Appointments were made on application by counsel for A. Hicks Lawrence, a stock holder who last week filed a receivership bill against the Richfield company, alleging insolvency.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Feb. 5 (A) — Cattle 20, calves 10, steady. Steers 600-900 lbs. good \$8.25 to \$8.75; medium \$7.25 to \$8.25; common \$6.25 to \$7.50; 900-1100 lbs. good \$8.25 to \$8.75; medium \$7.50 to \$8.50; common \$6.25 to \$7.25; 1100-1300 pounds good \$8.00 to \$11.50; medium \$7.25 to \$8.25. Heifers 500-850 lbs. good \$7.50 to \$8.25; medium \$6.50 to \$7.50; common \$5.50 to \$6.50. Cows, good \$6.25 to \$6.75; common and medium \$5.00 to \$6.50. Low cutter and cutter \$2.50 to \$5.00. Bulls (yearlings excluded) \$5.00 to \$5.75; cutter common and medium \$3.50 to \$5.00; vealers milk fed \$10.00 to \$11.50; medium \$8.50 to \$10.00; cull and common \$5.50 to \$6.50. Calves 250-500 lbs. good and choice \$9.50 to \$10.50; common and medium \$5.00 to \$8.50.

Hogs: 1150, including 671 direct or on contract; looks steady. (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded). Light lights 140-180 pounds \$7.75 to \$8.75. Light weight 160-180 pounds \$8.50 to \$9.75; 180-200 lbs. \$9.50 to \$9.75. Medium weight 200-220 lbs. \$7.75 to \$8.75; 220-250 lbs. \$7.50 to \$8.50. Heavy weights 250-280 lbs. \$7.25 to \$8.25; 280-350 lbs. \$6.00 to \$7.50. Packing sows 275-300 lbs. \$8.50 to \$7.75. Feeder and stocker pigs 70-120 lbs. \$2.75 to \$10.00.

Sheep 125, talking steady. Lambs 90 lbs. down good and choice \$6.75 to \$7.25; medium \$5.50 to \$6.75; all weights, common \$4.50 to \$5.50. Yearling wethers 90-110 lbs. medium to choice \$4.00 to \$5.50. Ewes 90-120 lbs. \$2.50 to \$3.50; 120-150 lbs. \$2.25 to \$3.25; all weights, cull and common \$1.50 to \$2.25.



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First Days of Next Senate to Bring Tests of Strength on Party Control

Editor's Note: This is the second of three stories by Kirk Simpson, veteran Associated Press staff writer in Washington, analyzing unique aspects of the next congress—the only congress in the nation's history with close party line-ups in both the house and senate.

WASHINGTON (A)—As the count stands today, 46 Republicans, 47 Democrats and one Farmer-Laborite are entitled to answer "here" when Vice President Curtis pounds his gavel to start the first full roll call of the senate in the seventy-second congress.

Exactly when that will be is uncertain. Which party will control is doubtful, despite an apparent Republican absolute majority of one. That margin rests on the power of the vice president to vote to break a tie.

There may be only 46 Democrats for the next year, Governor Long of Louisiana, senator-elect, has formally communicated his purpose not to take his seat until his state term expires in 1932.

Or there may be a further outbreak of Republican irregularity sufficient to shift the balance the other way.

There has been no political reorganization of the senate since the special session of the 68th congress in May, 1919. That followed the elections of 1918 in which the republicans won a senate majority of two.

As a continuing body, the senate has no organizing session at the opening of each new congress as the house does. There was a substantial Republican majority in the house of the 68th congress; and no irregularities in the senate so classified. When the senate convened, May 2, Senator Lodge, Republican and up to that day minority leader, offered a resolution to establish formally Republican control of the senate. It named Senator Cummins of Iowa, Republican, as president pro tempore.

Republican side who will sit in the new congress and has a background of party irregularity even on organizational issues. He is Schall, the blind senator from Minnesota.

Many irregularities in 1917: Schall was a member of the house, politically chased as a progressive, when the war congress, the sixty-fifth, was organized in a special session in April, 1917.

There were 212 Republicans, 209 Democrats, eight Progressives or other scattering and six vacancies when the house convened. The Minnesota member was the first speaker recognized by the clerk of the house, presiding until organization was accomplished. Schall urged "that Progressive Democrat Champ Clark" of Missouri for reelection as speaker.

On inquiry by the clerk, he formally nominated Clark, although saying he had no right to do so but to explain his vote on the speakership.

Clark was elected, 217 to 205 for Mann of Illinois, Republican, nominated by Lenroot, Wisconsin. Lenroot received two votes, Gillet of Massachusetts two, and two members did not vote.

The senate has had even closer party balances to contend with than it will know in the seventy-second congress. In the forty-seventh congress, the Garfield-Arthur administration, it was tied, 37 Democrats, 37 Republicans and two independents.

In that congress, as in the seventy-first, about to pass into history, the republicans relied for legislative power on a house majority, an overall margin of 11 votes. The Democrats, relying similarly on a senate majority of eight votes overall in the sixty-fifth congress.

But never before have both houses been faced simultaneously with a one vote party margin as they will be in the 72nd congress.

Never before has a congress as a whole been shadowed from the start with such utter doubt as to what its voting line-up may be on every issue.

OVERNIGHT NEWS—ed pg. ST. PAUL, Minn.—Lower house of Minnesota legislature passes bill repealing newspaper suppression law.

SEATTLE—Ruth Garrison, poison lover slayer of Mrs. Douglas Stone, is released from insane asylum.

WILLIE KAMM MAY FIGURE IN EXCHANGE

CHICAGO, Feb. 5 (A)—The name of Willie Kamm is still on the Chicago White Sox roster, but reports persist that it won't be there when the American league championship season opens.

Manager Donie Bush will be in Chicago tomorrow or Friday and it is expected he will go back to work on a proposed trade with Cleveland, in which Kamm, who cost the Sox \$100,000, would be exchanged for First Baseman Lew Fonseca. The Sox's chances for obtaining Fonseca, however, appear to depend on whether the Indians talk Dick Morgan, who played first base last season when Fonseca was injured, into signing.

Bush was said to have been dissatisfied with Kamm's work last season, and has intimated that Chalmers Clesell, whose purchase price was \$125,000, and who has not functioned up to standard either at second base or short stop, will be tried at third.

ITALIAN KING SAYS FRANCE OWNS ISLAND

PARIS, Feb. 5 (A)—After twenty-two years the king of Italy, Victor Emmanuel, agreed upon by France and Mexico as an arbiter to determine ownership of tiny, desolate, Clipperton Rock, Pacific ocean island, has found against Mexico and awarded the island to France.

His decision, filed at the Quai D'Orsay, rules that the Mexican government, which has kept a small garrison of men there since 1897, must quit the island and surrender sovereignty to the French government.

Clipperton Rock lies 870 miles off the west coast of Mexico in latitude 10 north, and its sole importance, it appears now, is that eventually it might be used as a seaplane base. It is of coral structure, and low except for one point, 170 feet high. It enclosed a lagoon.