Butter Market Strong; Tone Of Eggs Unsettled

PORTLAND, Apr. 17 (AP) — Wholesale butter market opened strong on top grades and steady on lower grades today. Despite larger receipts this week, demand was such that some dealers were forced to offer slight premiums for 91 score butter to fill requirements.

Tone of the wholesale egg market continued weak and unsettled by excessive supplies of under grades while closely candled eggs brought premiums from dealers buying in the country.

Weariness continued to rule the country dressed meat trade due to continued supplies above demand and dealers were advising country producers to hold back shipments a few days with good prospect of a firmer or higher market. Quotations were barely steady.

Good call for poultry lines continued and the poultry market was steady. Dealers pointed out that country holdings of market poultry in the Portland trade territory are lighter than usual this year and prices to producers should be, and three or four years ago would have been, 3 or 4 cents above the present level, were it not for depressing factor not formerly existent, which is the almost continual shipment of poultry to Portland from Puget Sound producing sections where the poultry cooperative movement has grown largely in recent years and turned to Portland, among other places, for a major market outlet. Result has been depressed price levels here, despite tendencies to shortages in the local field.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Apr. 17 (AP) — Butter: steady, quotations unchanged.

Eggs: unsettled, unchanged.

Country meats: easy, unchanged.

Milk (butterfat), mohair, nuts, cascara bark, hops, poultry, onions, potatoes, wool and hay steady and unchanged.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

LIVERPOOL, Apr. 17 (AP) — Wheat close: May 65⅝; July 67⅝; October 70⅛.

BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO, Apr. 17 (AP) — Butterfat f. o. b. San Francisco 24c.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT

	Open	High	Low	Close
May (old)	.83⅛@¼	.83¼	.83@.83⅛	.83@.83⅛
(new)	.84¼	.84¼	.84	.84
July	.64¼@½	.65	.63⅞	.64¼@⅜
Sept.	.63¾@.64	.64⅛	.63⅝	.63¾@⅞
Dec.	.66¾@.67	.68⅜	.66½	.67⅛@¼

PORTLAND WHEAT

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	.68	.68	.68	.68
July	.57¼	.57½	.57¼	.57½
Sept.	.57¼	.57¼	.57	.57¼

WOOL PRICES

BOSTON, Apr. 17 (AP) — The Commercial Bulletin of Boston will say tomorrow:

"The week has been quiet in wool, although there has been a little piecing-out demand for almost everything, but more especially for medium wools. Prices are generally steady, although in some descriptions slightly favoring the buyer.

"The foreign primary markets are steady for the most part, although a slightly easier tone is expected at London.

"In the west, operations have let down considerably and buyers appear to be rather less keen than they were, the upward tendency in prices having been checked.

"The manufacturing position appears to be healthy, although the recent buying movement has tapered off to the point where purchases are largely of a piecing-out nature.

"Mohair is rather slow here. Texas has been cleared of the spring clip at prices which averaged close to 22 cents for adult hair."

The bulletin will publish the following quotations:

Scoured basis: Oregon—Fine and f. m. staple 60-62; fine and f. m. Fr. combing 58-60; fine and f. m. clothing 54-56; valley No. 1, 52-53.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Apr. 17 (AP) — (U. S. D. A.)—Hogs 20,000; mostly steady; spots weak to 10 cents lower; bulk 140-210 lbs. $7.75@$7.90; top $7.95; 220-320 lbs. $7.10@$7.75.

Cattle 2,000; calves 1,000; selected vealers up to $9.00; slaughter cattle and vealers: steers, good and choice 600-900 lbs. $7.75@$10.00; 900-1100 lbs. $7.50@$9.75; vealers (milk fed) good and choice $7.50@$8.50.

Sheep 12,000; strictly choice light weights to outsiders early $10.00@$10.15; lambs 90 lbs. down, good and choice $9.25@$10.00; medium $8.35@$9.25; 91-100 lbs. medium to choice $8.00@$9.85; all weights, common $6.75@$8.35; ewes 90-150 lbs. medium to choice $3.25@$4.50; all weights, cull and common $1.75@$3.50.

SUGAR AND FLOUR

PORTLAND, Apr. 17 (AP) — Sugar: steady; (sacked basis) cane, fruit or berry $4.80 per cwt.; beet sugar $4.60 per cwt.

Flour: steady; (city delivery prices) family patents, 49s $4.60; whole wheat, 49s $4.60; graham, 49s $4.60; bakers' hard wheat, 98s 5.20; bakers' bluestem patents, 98s 5.30; pastry flour, 98s $4.50.

PORTLAND CASH

PORTLAND, Ore., Apr. 17 (AP)—Cash wheat: Big Bend bluestem 68c.

Soft white 68c.

Western white 68c.

Hard winter 65c.

Northern spring 65c.

Western red 65c.

Oats: No. 2-38 lb. white $20.50.

Today's car receipts: wheat 28; flour 8; corn 6; oats 1; hay 2.

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200 EASTERN OREGON BOYS, GIRLS COMING

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of which are being given in Class A in the awarding of which only the group events will be counted. One is to be awarded by the Adler Music company to the school with the greatest aggregate number of points; while the other is to be awarded by the La Grande municipal band to the winning band. Arrangements are being made for presenting a cup to Class B.

The La Grande Neighborhood club will present the cup to the winners of Class C; while Miss Peterson is presenting a sweepstakes cup to any school in any class having the greatest number of points in both solo and group events.

Only one entrant from each school is allowed to enter each solo event, and preliminary eliminations have been held at all of the entering schools during the past weeks.

Baseball Today

AMERICAN LEAGUE

No games scheduled today.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis-Cincinnati, postponed, wet grounds.

Pittsburgh at Chicago, clear.

No other games scheduled.

Auburn Auto Drop Unsettles Market

NEW YORK, Apr. 17 (AP) — A drop of more than $20 a share in Auburn auto, recent bull favorite, was an unsettling development in today's stock market, and the list sold off substantially in the last hour of trading.

The market had worked a little higher in the first hour, but a slow decline soon set in, and gained momentum toward the close. U. S. Steel declined more than $1.50 to another minimum price since 1927.

Drill Team Will Attend Session In Portland, Ore.

About 25 members of the Women's Benefit association are to leave here Sunday for Portland to attend the state convention of the association at the Multnomah hotel beginning April 20. All reviews in Oregon will be represented, and among the honored guests are to be Mrs. Bina West Miller, of Port Huron, Mich., supreme president, who will be at the convention for the first time in years, and Mrs. Katherine Bowen, of Seattle, state field director of Washington.

Among La Grande's delegation are to be Mrs. J. E. Reynolds, local president and official delegate; Mrs. Ida Charlton, acting captain of the drill team, and district deputy; Mrs. J. G. Stitzinger, musician; and 16 members of the drill team. The drill team will put on the flower fund work during the convention and stage a fancy drill on Monday evening. A feature of the convention will be the 6 o'clock banquet at the Multnomah hotel Monday evening.

Members of the drill team who plan to go are Mrs. Callie Spencer, Mrs. Pearl Enterline, Miss Gladys Owen, Mrs. Mildred Slusher, Mrs. Audrey Coleman, Mrs. Abbie Thomas, Mrs. Dollie Buchanan, Mrs. Zella Lyon, Mrs. Gertrude Maxam, Mrs. Eva Koyle, Mrs. Margaret Graham, Mrs. Mamie Hughes, Mrs. Alberta Kennedy, Mrs. Helen Dial, Mrs. Helen Davis and Mrs. Inez Rippey.

Mrs. George Hillman and Mrs. J. P. Pike are also visitors at the convention. The greater number of those who attend plan to return to La Grande Wednesday evening and Thursday morning.

New Spuds And Green Peas On Local Markets

The season of new potatoes and green peas is here and local merchants will have both in the future, shipped to La Grande from California, they say. Peas are selling at 15 cents a pound, while new potatoes are two pounds for 25 cents.

Green peas and new potatoes prepared together are one of the old-fashioned dishes which still mark springtime as gala season as far as food is concerned.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS

Sugar, 100-lb. sack	$5.70
Vegetables	
N. Gem potatoes, lb.	1½c
Sack	$1.15
Parsley, bunch	5c
Cabbage, lb.	5c
Yellow onions, lb.	2c
Cucumbers	25c
Cauliflower, lb.	12c
Turnips, bunch	10c
Parsnips, lb.	3c
Lettuce, head	10@15c
Garlic, lb.	35c
Spinach, lb.	5c
Green pepper, lb.	35c
Carrots, bunch	10c
Yams, lb.	10c
Tomatoes, lb.	25c
Rhubarb, 3 lbs.	25c
New potatoes, 2 lbs.	25c
Green peas, lb.	15c
Asparagus, lb.	25c
Green Peas, 2 lbs.	25c
Onions, 3 bunches	10c
Fruit	
Florida grapefruit, 3 for	20c@25c
Bananas, lb.	10c
Apples, box	50c@$3.00
Lemons, doz.	39c
Oranges, doz.	25@85c
Dry prunes, 30 to 40 size, 2 lbs.	25c
Strawberries, box	30c
Dairy	
Butter, creamery, lb. 27c, 2 lbs.	55c
Cheese, lb.	29@35c
Honey, comb	25c
Cottage cheese, lb.	20c
Eggs	
Ucocos, doz.	18c
Fresh extras, doz.	15@17c
Medium, doz.	13c
Mixed, doz.	15c
Flour	
Hard Federation, 49 lbs.	$1.25
Per barrel	4.75
Soft wheat, bbl.	4.00
Meat	
Beef boil lb.	15c
Pot roast, lb.	15@17c
Chops and steaks, bl.	22@30c
Mincemeat, 2 lbs.	35c
Sausage, lb.	22c
Hamberger, lb.	20c
Ham, lb.	23c
Fish	
Salmon, lb. (fresh)	40c
Halibut, lb. (fresh)	40c
Poultry	
Spring, lb.	20@30c
Heavy hens, lb	28c
Light hens, lb.	25c

Clearing Ground For Creamery at Union This Week

By Mrs. L. Z. Terrall
(Observer Correspondent)

UNION, Ore. (Special)—Lew Bideler, G. I. Hess and T. B. Johnson attended the directors' meeting of the Farmers' Cooperative creamery held in Payette recently. Lew Bideler has been awarded the contract for the plumbing work of the new creamery. Some work has been done in clearing the ground and it is expected that the work of building will be started next week.

Norma Fortier is coming over from Boardman on Saturday to visit over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fortier.

The home economics girls of the high school, under the direction of Miss Helen Hulac, served a dinner Tuesday noon to the members of the visiting and home debating squads and their coaches. Miss Carter accompanied her team, Robert Graham and Cloid Cochrum, from Ontario, and Miss Helen Schaper had charge of the local team, Dora Crouter and Barton Conner.

The home economics classes are planning a tea to be given for their mothers at an early date.

It took C. L. Cadwell about ten days to decide that an injury sustained at the ranch while feeding cattle was anything more than a badly bruised foot. An X-ray picture taken at Hot Lake on Wednesday revealed a couple of broken toes and the injured members were promptly placed in a cast.

Gracia Haggerty and Louene Hutchinson left for Eugene in the early morning hours Wednesday to attend the April Frolic which is one of the annual social events of the university.

Lowell Hutchinson is spending the week under the doctor's care at Hot Lake. He was kicked by a horse some time ago but did not realize the seriousness of the injury until recently.

Logan Le Page, of Red Bluff, Cal., came to Union Tuesday for an indefinite stay. He is a friend of the Cheney family.

Mrs. Carl Hooper Allen, of Canfield, Ida., is a guest this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jones, of Lewiston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Littler over the weekend. He is owner of the Northern Fruit company warehouse and storage plant.

The monthly meeting of the Methodist Ladies' Aid society was held at the church Wednesday afternoon with 17 members present. The chief business of the day was the planning for the religious play "The Feast of Belshazzar" which is to be given at the gymnasium on May 2. This play was given in La Grande in the winter and has proven popular in other places where it has been put on. The hostesses, Mrs. Edith Phy, Mrs. L. N. Ward and Mrs. Viola Parker served a lunch at the close of the business hour.

Those who attended the meeting of the study club of the American Association of University Women at Mrs. Campbell's home Tuesday evening were Mrs. Vogel, Mrs. Rees, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Cock, Mrs. Conklin, Mrs. Griggs, Miss Busick, Miss Clark, Miss Schaper, Miss Pugh and Mrs. Terrall. Books reviewed during the evening were Joan Lowell's "Cradle of the Deep," Thomas Williamson's "Hunky," Selma Lagerlof's "The Ring of the Lowenskolds," and Lorna Rea's "Rachel Moon." The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hal Rees on Tuesday.

At the weekly noon luncheon of the commercial club three representatives—Oscar Warnock, Harley Richardson and Harold Boone—from the La Grande chamber of commerce were present and each gave some pointers on the civic work done by that organization. They stressed particularly the importance of increasing the summer tourist trade and suggested means of advertising this section of the country. Dr. Thistlewaite also attended the meeting.

ALFONSO HOPES HE MAY RETURN TO THE THRONE

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in England, where because his wife is an English princess he probably would be accepted as a member of the British royal family. Alfonso is wealthy and may go where he wishes.

It is Alfonso's position, as made clear by the Duke of Miranda, who accompanied him on his trip into exile, that he has not abdicated, but has merely suspended the royal prerogativeu ntil elections in June, when the people will decide whether they want him back or wish a republic.

In days gone by in discussing with friends the possibility of revolutionary upheaval in Spain, he has commented that his people are volatile, and change their favorites quickly. Those to whom he talked thus believe he is convinced that he may return to Spain some time with unimpaired popularity.

Elizabeth, queen of the Belgians, who came here yesterday from Brussels to be at the side of Queen Victoria in her hour of need, had a brief chat with Alfonso and Victoria this morning and then departed for Brussels. She found the Spanish royalities in their dining room at breakfast.

Three Speak On Religion In The Economic Process

ATLANTA, Ga., April 17 (AP) — A Catholic, a Jew, and a protestant laid aside their theological differences here Wednesday night to agree that wealth must be more equitably distributed if economic ills are to be avoided. They spoke at the annual convention of Religious Education association.

Father Michael Kenny, of Spring Hill college, Ala., cited that 96 per cent of the country's wealth is concentrated in the hands of 20 per cent of the population. He suggested that the Federal Council of Churches would have done better to advocate a more general sharing of wealth instead of birth control.

Rabbi Samuel H. Goldenson, of Pittsburgh, said modern economic life is now organized so that personal values are neglected. He specifically mentioned "neglecting to tell the truth in advertising," and said that the business world should adopt as its motto "let the seller beware" instead of "let the buyer beware."

Dr. Harry Ward, professor of social ethics at the Union Theological Seminary, New York, stated that "Unless economic forces can be brought into harmony with the ideals acknowledged in religion, art, and science, western civilization cannot escape tearing itself asunder."

The theme of all the speakers was "religion in the economic process."

GYM LAWN AT COVE PLANTED; ADD SHRUBBERY

By Mrs. A. G. Conklin
(Observer Corresvondent)

COVE, Ore. (Special)—The lawn in front of the gymnasium is being planted to grass and a nice addition of shrubbery has been set out. The street in front of the school is to be gravelled with a parking place of gravel. Heretofore there has been a little irrigation water that has overflowed, keeping the parking in front of the school continually muddy. The city has ordered a change made and the water will be carried off before it reaches the school and emptied in the creek.

The honor roll for the high school for the last six weeks as furnished by C. G. Springer, principal, is as follows: no grade below 2, Charles Fisher, Harold Blank, Ruth White and Lavon Koger; average of 2, Clara Roberts, Alda Blank, Bob Hunter, Bobby Duncan; mentioned for good work, Frances Comstock, Lloyd Mills, Louise Anderson.

The junior class will present its annual entertainment Friday evening, consisting of music, short plays and other features. Heretofore the junior class has presented its annual vaudeville but this year's entertainment differs in character.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Koger, who have been spending the winter in California returned home Monday. Mr. Koger became quite ill the evening of his return and a physician was called.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bell came home Monday. They went to California in November visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lang Bell, Dr. and Mrs. Kellogg and Miss May Bell. They came north about two weeks ago and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Robinson, of Yakima, Wash. While there Mrs. Roy Bell suffered an attack of flu and they were unable to come home until this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Davis and small daughter, Carolyn, of Union, were in Cove Wednesday afternoon.

Indian Is Paroled On New Evidence

FOLSOM PRISON, Cal., Apr. 17 (AP) —Manuel Chapolio, who insists he is 105 years old despite prison records showing him 84, was en route to Barstow Depot in the Mojave yesterday to find his aged wife, after serving 14 years here for murder.

Manuel, Mojave desert Indian, killed a man for molesting his wife in 1917. Unknown by authorities the official interpreter at his trial was a relative of the slain man. Chapolio's conviction was speedily voted and, when authorities learned recently of the interpreter's connection, his parole was as speedily granted as his conviction.

He told Parole Officer Ed Whyte that his wife is more than 100 years old and said he was sure he would find her selling trinkets to tourists at Barstow Depot on the Mojave.

In prison Manuel was the champion marble shooter and in his pocket was a handsome cigaret holder made by convicts from abalone shell as a token of his prowess at marbles.

Mayor Killed By Unknown Assassin

PINEWOOD, S. C., April 17 (AP)—Mayor C. Clyde Geddings, of Pinewood was killed Wednesday night by an unidentified assailant who fired a shot through a window of his home.

The mayor's crusades against prohibition law violators may have been the motive, police said.

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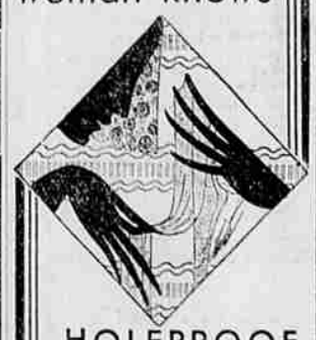
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