

Rainfall Hits Strawberry Production

QUIET TRADING TONE IN OREGON MARKET FOR EGGS

Weakness in California Butter Trade Continues a Factor Against Prompt Movement.

killed calves and prices are a trifle easy at the late price reduction. In the market for country killed lamb trading, while of liberal volume, is quiet in spots with more or less weakness in the price. There is an extreme of a dime in this market. Others down to 8c. Hogs are steady with an extreme of 6 1/2c lb. for best light blockers. Owing to the rainfall in northwest strawberry sections, receipts here for the day were scant with practically

the only quotable lot in volume from Kennewick. These sold to retailers mostly \$2.50 for 24c. Local stock sold \$2.00 to \$2.75 according to quality. Californian were in a slightly better position as a result of the northwest shortage. Price of new California yellow onions is slipping with increased offerings. Sales were shown during the day down to \$1.50 per 50 lb. bag. Wax are unchanged to lower. Old Oregon are practically off the market.

Plenty of salmon is now being offered by the traps of the north and the trailers off the Oregon-Washington coast. Prices appear unchanged. Halibut is steady to firmer for medium.

Notes of wholesale trading: Another carload Imperial canis due with previous lots selling well within the price range. California carrots are more plentiful and down to \$3 crate. Market is demoralized for eastern sweets or jams with sales spreading \$1.25 to \$1.75 crate. Cherries are being offered 12 1/2 @ 15c lb. for California blacks. Home grown lettuce has absorbed 90 per cent of the market and promises to take hold during the coming week. New Dallas peas are being offered with quality at 5c lb.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

CHICAGO WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
May	55 1/2	57 1/4	55 1/2	57 1/4
July (old)	57 1/2 @ 58	59	57 1/2	58 1/2 @ 59
July (new)	57 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/4
Sept. (old)	59 1/2 @ 60	60 1/2	59 1/2 @ 60	60 1/2 @ 61
Sept. (new)	59 1/2 @ 60	60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
Dec.	62 1/2 @ 63	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/4 @ 64

PORTLAND WHEAT				
	Open	High	Low	Close
May	51 1/2	51 1/4	50 1/2	50 1/4
July	58	58	58	58
Sept.	56	56	56	56
Dec.	59	59	59	59

CHICAGO CORN				
	Open	High	Low	Close
May	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
July	32 1/2 @ 33	33 1/2	32 1/2	33 @ 33 1/2
Sept.	35	35	35	35 1/2
Dec.	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/4

PORTLAND, May 20 (P) — Weakness in the butter trade in California continues a factor against prompt movement of local and other northwest surpluses. Make of butter as practically all Pacific northwest points continues in excess of recent weeks with increased offerings from outside points as well as Portland churning. Butterfat values are inclined to ease off too. There remains a very quiet trading tone in the market for eggs here with no change in quoted figures of either private or co-operative distributors. Receipts continue heavy. Demand for chickens at current values is fully sufficient to keep the trade cleaned up daily according to leaders. The call persists most in the cheaper priced sorts. Market is well stocked with country

LOCAL POLLS TO CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK

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unusually heavy the keenest interest in the election appeared in various local issues, while national and state contests drew comparatively little attention. The voters went to the polls to select 13 Republican national delegates and 10 Democratic delegates, each group to be pledged to support the party nominee at the national convention. Republican and Democratic nominees to the senate post held by Senator Frederick Steiwer were to be chosen at today's election, and the three congressional positions were at issue. General Charles H. Martin, congressman from the third district (Multnomah county) was unopposed for the Democratic nomination, but a group of Republicans were after the nomination for their party. The non-partisan judicial ticket drew general wide attention, with two supreme court positions at stake, and the general ticket of circuit court judges to be selected. Three state offices in the contest were secretary of state, state treasurer and attorney general.

In Portland the proposed recall of Mayor George L. Baker and City Commissioner John M. Mann, on charges of negligence and inefficiency, overshadowed all other issues in interest.

Appeal Issued To Killers, Handlers

PORTLAND, Ore., May 20 (P) — Chief factor in livestock trade at the moment is the open appeal of killers and handlers alike for the country to withhold supplies of everything but top quality sheep and lambs from the market, the Journal said today. Unless this is done, they say, there may be no bottom at all to prices in this division and present low record values may look high within the future.

63 GUARDSMEN TO LEAVE FOR CAMP

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make up the camp. La Grande is in the Second Battalion of the 186th Infantry and during the period from June 14 to June 22, will devote its activities to close order drill, extended order drill, interior guard duty, bayonet combat, tent pitching and display of equipment, guard and police duty, combat principles, squad to company, scouting and patrolling, riot duty, defense against hostile aircraft, musketry. Regimental parades will be held three times during the camp, brigade field inspection will be an event of June 18, brigade tactical inspection will be held on June 22, and on June 23, one squad from each rifle company will take part in the fire combat problem. The field meeting will be held on June 24; June 25 will be devoted to preparation and participation in the combat demonstration and review. The companies will break camp, bivouac and be paid on June 27, and on June 28 will start the return to their home stations.

Deluded A pessimist often is an optimist who thought he could get something for nothing.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

17 Killed, 356 Hurt in Oregon In April, Report

SALEM, May 20 (P) — Seventeen persons were killed and 356 others were injured in a total of 1833 traffic accidents in Oregon during the month of April, according to a report prepared here today by Charles P. Pray, superintendent of state police. There were 297 arrests for violation of the traffic regulations on the state highways, with fines aggregating \$4607. Warnings were issued in 14,637 cases. Arrests in the general law enforcement division of the state police department numbered 490. There were 64 acquittals, with 3 cases now pending in the courts. Fines imposed in these cases aggregated \$12,482.10. A total of 197 accidents on the highways during May were due to faulty signals, while in 176 cases the drivers were exceeding the speed limit. Cutting corners was responsible for 113 accidents. Twenty-three persons arrested by the state police during April were turned over to other law enforcement divisions of the state and government. Six of these arrests involved robbery, three larceny and two fraud.

LA GRANDE RETAIL MARKETS

Vegetables	
Radishes, 3 bunches	10c
Spinach, lb.	5c
Parley, bunch	8c
Cabbage, lb.	9c
New wax onions, 2 lbs.	35c
Turnips, 1 bunch	10c
Asparagus, 2 lbs.	15c
Lettuce, Imperial	5 @ 10c
Garlic, lb.	35c
Green peppers, lb.	30c
Carrot bunch	10c
Potatoes, 12 lbs.	15c
Potatoes, sack	90c
Onions, 3 bunches	10c
Tomatoes, Mexican, lb.	20c
Hot house, lb.	35c
Artichokes	25c
Eggplant, lb.	15c
New peas, 3 lbs.	25c
New potatoes, 3 lbs.	25c
Fruit	
Cantaloupes, 2 for	35c
Bananas, lb.	8c
Apples, box	50c @ 83
Lemons, doz.	40c
Oranges, doz.	10 @ 50c
Dry prunes, 30 to 40 size, 4 lbs.	25c
Strawberries, box	10c
Dairy	
Butter, creamery, lb.	25c
Cheese, lb.	15 @ 25c
Honey, comb	20c
Cottage cheese, lb.	20c
Eggs	
Fresh extras, doz.	12 1/2c
Mediums, doz.	10c
Mixed, doz.	8c
Flour	
Hard Federation, 49 lbs.	\$1.25
Per barrel	4.75
Soft wheat, bbl.	4.00
Meat	
Beef botl, lb.	8c
Pot roast, lb.	12 1/2 @ 15c
Chops and steaks, lb.	15 @ 20c
Hamburger, lb.	17c
Ham, lb.	17c
Fish	
Salmon, lb. (fresh)	20c
Halibut, lb. (fresh)	20c
Poultry	
Light hens, lb.	25c
Spring, lb.	25c

less than at this time last year. Unfilled orders declined 9,613,000 feet from the previous week. WOOL MARKET BOSTON, May 20 (P) — The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow: "The suggestions recently made at a New York meeting of various representatives of the wool textile industry, by a man prominent in the councils of the farm board co-operative, that the National Wool Marketing corporation and the federal farm board would welcome the counsel and aid of the wool merchants in rehabilitating the wool market and relieving the wool growers has resulted in several conferences this past week between members of the wool trade and the co-operative and finally had led President Robert L. Turnbull of the Boston Wool Trade association to go to Washington to confer with the federal farm board in the matter. "Just how far the set up and conditions under which the National Wool Marketing corporation is laboring at the present time will permit the wool merchants to co-operate for the relief of the growers and the infusion of confidence to the entire industry is a matter very much open to discussion and the outcome is a matter of opinion at the present moment. "In the local market business is practically negligible and prices still a matter of guesswork, in the absence of sales. In the west, some life has been injected into the situation by the purchase for account of Boston merchants of some four million lbs. of Texas 12 months wool at an aver-

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PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., May 20 (P) — Cattle 100 calves 20, fairly steady for quality stuff. Steers 600 to 900 pounds, medium \$5.00 @ \$8.00, common \$4.00 @ \$5.00; 900 to 1100 lbs. good \$6.00 @ \$7.00, medium \$5.00 @ \$5.50, common \$4.00 @ \$5.00; 1100-1300 lbs. good \$6.00 @ \$6.50, medium \$4.75 @ \$6.00. Heifers 550-850 lbs. good \$5.50 @ \$6.50, medium \$4.50 @ \$5.50, common \$3.50 @ \$4.50. Cows, good \$4.50 @ \$5.00, common and medium \$2.75 @ \$4.50, low cutter and culler \$1.50 @ \$2.75. Bulls (yearlings excluded) good and choice (beef) \$3.50 @ \$4.00, cutter, common and medium \$2.50 @ \$3.50. Vealers (milk fed) good and choice \$5.00 @ \$5.50, medium \$3.50 @ \$5.00, cull and common \$2.00 @ \$3.50. Calves 250-500 lbs. good and choice \$3.50 @ \$5.00, common and medium \$3.00 @ \$3.50. Hogs 600, including 218 direct; 15c higher. Light lights 140-160 lbs. good and choice \$3.15 @ \$4.00; lightweights 100-180 lbs. good and choice \$3.00 @ \$4.00; 180-200 lbs. good and choice \$3.75 @ \$4.00; medium weight 200-220 lbs. good and choice \$3.15 @ \$4.00; 220-250 lbs. good and choice \$3.00 @ \$3.85; heavyweights 250-290 lbs. good and choice \$2.85 @ \$3.75; 290-350 lbs. good and choice \$2.75 @ \$3.65. Packing sows 275 to 500 pounds medium and good \$2.25 @ \$2.75; feeder-stockers 70-130 lbs. good and choice \$2.75 @ \$3.00. Sheep and lambs 500, including 186 direct top price barely maintained. Lambs 90 pounds down, good and choice \$4.50 @ \$5.00, medium \$3.50 @ \$4.50, all weights, common \$2.50 @ \$3.50; yearling wethers 90-110 lbs. medium to choice \$2.00 @ \$3.00 @ \$1.50, 120-150 lbs. medium to choice \$1.00 @ \$1.25, all weights, cull to common 50c @ \$1.00.

SUGAR AND FLOUR

PORTLAND, May 20 (P) — Sugar—Cane, granulated \$4.05 100 lbs.; beet \$3.80. Domestic flour — Selling price delivered: patent 49s \$5.50; do 98s \$5.30; bakers' bluestem \$4.10; soft wheat pastry flour \$3.40 @ \$3.60; Montana hard wheat patent \$5.00 @ \$5.20; rye \$4.40 @ \$4.60.

LUMBER REPORT

SEATTLE, May 20 (P) — Current new business of 216 identical lumber mills reporting to the West Coast Lumbermen's association for the week ending May 14 was 7.4 per cent over production and shipments were 21.9 per cent over production, the association said today. Operations at a 24 per cent volume as compared with 45.6 per cent a year ago was shown by 321 mills. They operated at 24 per cent of capacity the previous week also. Inventories, 144 mills reported, declined 9,000,000 feet from the week ending May 7 and are 18.2 per cent

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