

Top Score Cube Butter Up Cent; Butterfat Gains

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 2 (AP) — Advance of 1c lb. in top score cube butter on the produce exchange for the week's initial session was not unexpected. In view of the general betterment in the undertone of the trade, the advance appeared due. Two lower scores were up 1/2 c lb. each.

While in spots makers reported that their burning was holding up rather well, the general showing was less favorable. The latest advance in the price of butter places cubes at 20c for extras compared with 21c lb., the highest since April 1.

Butterfat price is up 1c lb. along with the advance in top score butter. General trading continues to reflect strength in the market for eggs with prices well maintained here. Strength is shown in increasing volume in spots of the eastern trade.

Good demand is showing in the market for live chickens here with all sorts in call but with the best demand for broilers.

While no change is showing in the price list, heavy weight calves are showing more or less neglect along the wholesale way. All other country killed meats reflect equal supply and demand.

Peaches continue to show lower prices. Further weakness with lower prices are showing for tomatoes. Not only are local supplies running rapidly but Walla Walla and even California have been crowding consignments on the local trade.

Practical disappearance of a carload market for head lettuce in the Pacific northwest has not only forced new low price levels here but supplies are not in some instances bringing more than the cost of crates and labor of packing.

Corn market continues steady with quality still scarce. Calory prices are held low locally; rollets to the east are selling practically at transportation and packing cost.

Cantaloupes are again slightly lower with the northwest movement to market gaining. Apricots are very dull and inclined to rule weaker.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 2 (AP) — Cattle 40, calves 10. Steers 600 to 900 lbs. medium \$4.50 to \$6.00. Common \$2.50 to \$4.50; 900-1100 lbs. medium \$4.50 to \$6.00, common \$2.50 to \$4.50; 1100-1300 lbs. medium \$4.25 to \$5.75; heifers 550-850 lbs. medium \$3.50 to \$5.00, common \$2.25 to \$3.50. Cows, common and medium \$2.00 to \$3.50, low cutter and cutter \$1.00 to \$2.00. Bulls (yearlings excluded) good and choice (beef) \$2.75 to \$3.25, cutter, common and medium \$1.75 to \$2.75. Vealers, milk fed, good and choice \$4.50 to \$5.00, medium \$3.50 to \$4.50, cull and common \$2.00 to \$3.50. Calves 250-500 lbs. good and choice \$3.50 to \$4.50, common and medium \$2.00 to \$3.50.

Hogs 200; steady. Light lights 140 to 160 pounds good and choice \$4.00 to \$5.00; light weights 160-180 lbs. good and choice \$4.75 to \$5.00, 180-200 lbs. good and choice \$4.75 to \$5.00, medium weight 200-220 lbs. good and choice \$4.00 to \$5.00, 220-280 lbs. good and choice \$3.85 to \$4.75; heavy weights 250-290 lbs. good and choice \$3.75 to \$4.65, 290-350 lbs. good and choice \$3.75 to \$4.65; packing sows 275-500 lbs. medium and good \$3.00 to \$3.75. Feeders-stockers 70-130 lbs. good and choice \$3.50 to \$4.00. Sheep and lambs 800; steady.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

Table with market news for Chicago Wheat, Portland Wheat, and Chicago Corn. Columns include Open, High, Low, Close for various dates.

Lamb 90 lbs. down, good and choice \$4.00 to \$4.25, medium \$3.25 to \$4.00, all weights, common \$2.50 to \$3.25; yearling wethers 90-110 lbs. medium to choice \$1.25 to \$2.75. Ewes 120 lbs. medium to choice \$1.00 to \$1.50, 120-150 lbs. medium to choice \$1.50 to \$1.25, all weights, cull to common 50 to 75c.

OMAHA SHEEP — (U. S. D. A.) — Sheep 6,000; lambs strong to 25c higher; other classes steady; bulk range lambs \$5.75 to \$6.00; light ewes up to \$1.75.

WEARS RHUBARB LEAVES EVANSTON, Ill., Aug. 2 (AP) — Police Sergeant Benjamin Hanke blinked. He didn't know whether he could believe his eyes. He had never before seen anyone wearing rhubarb leaves. But a second glance convinced the sergeant that John L. Tucker, who said he came here from Memphis, Mo., to spend his vacation, was wearing nothing less than rhubarb leaves in lieu of pants. Tucker explained he gathered the leaves and made himself a skirt after holding them, angered because he had had no money, relieved him of his trousers and his car.

Gambler's Throw by Eustace L. Adams

He anticipated a flood of questions, but the girl turned without a word, and entered the living room. He followed, blinking in the sudden change from darkness to light.

"What, what?" Ashwood's voice, suave and genial, greeted them. "Don't tell us that you are tired of the moonlight already?" Jerry had the grace to blush, hating himself for it. Nancy, however, met the cripple's eyes unabashed.

"Please don't lose your sophistication, Mr. Ashwood," Lucci protested. "When you are ingenious, you lose much of your charm." Emory whooped in glee.

"Touched!" he laughed gaily. "Unless you can counter that thrust, Ashie, you'll lose my respect!" "Emory," confessed Ashwood sadly, "a rapierlike cut from a beautiful woman never fails to render me defenseless." Turning to Mr. Titherington, he said placatingly, "I'm sorry, sir, that we cannot continue our conversation upon religion. I'm sure you are anxious to retire."

Mr. Titherington twisted his black ribbon, inflated his chest importantly and then, remembering where he was, exhaled violently, rose, bowed and retired in some confusion.

"Emory, would you care to inspect our defenses in a little midnight stroll?" suggested the cripple, pushing himself to his feet. "I am minded to see what the Rollos boys are doing on the beach." Emory rose with alacrity and the two went out into the night. The room seemed very empty. Jerry hastily seized the opportunity to tell Stevens what he had overheard in the hangar. The detective received the news in silence. Then, looking mildly at Nancy, he advised her to retire to her room, to remain fully clothed and to await developments.

Nancy smiled at them both and disappeared. "Wish I was sure things wouldn't start for an hour or two," Stevens observed. "I'd like to take a little nap. Let's see, now, where is everybody?" "Hamilton, Mallory, Martin and Nancy in their rooms," Jerry counted them off on his fingers. "Lucci may be in his room, too, by this time. Emory and Ashwood out. You and I here. That's all."

"Uh, huh." The old man, his hands clasped over one knee, considered the problem. "I'd sort of been counting on the fellow who likes to cut throats contributing his gun to us. If we knew who he was, we might persuade him.

"Do you know," Stevens continued, "this double-crossing idea of one-shot's will help us. If Lucci breaks out, we've got the guards to expecting a fight and a lot of confusion. They aren't going to shoot down everyone they see running around outside like they would on a nice quiet night. That'll give us a chance for our white alley."

"As soon as Emory comes back, let's scout along the hall to see if Lucci is in his room," suggested Jerry, longing for the action to begin. "Why wait? At least we know where he is. It's just as well for him to be guarding us against a flank attack from Lumpy."

"Let's go," snapped the pilot. "Stick 'em up. I'm covering you," says a voice out of the darkness on Monday.

ALICEL PERSONALS

By Mrs. Carl Fuller (Observer Correspondent) ALICEL (Special)—Frank McKennon had the misfortune to lose one of his best work horses a few days ago. As Mr. McKennon only had four work animals it is quite a loss to him.

Gene Becker Jr. went to Portland Saturday for a visit with friends. Mrs. Gertie Stewart recently lost a good cow from alfalfa blight. The cow had gotten onto the right of way near Mrs. Frievald's place.

Miss Jeanne Mathews, of Baker, who spent some time visiting relatives near Alicel, has returned to her home and her sister, Lomabelle, is here visiting now.

Mrs. Belle German, who has been visiting in Walla Walla for a week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Mitchell, has returned to her home. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trill, of La Grande, were visitors at the Workman home near Alicel Sunday.

Miss Joyce McPherson, of La Grande, spent the weekend with her friends, Irma and Irene Clark. Enoch Johnson, Claude Woodell and George McDonald all began competing in this neighborhood on Monday.

Dickie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fuller, is recovering nicely from a tonsil operation which was performed last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fuller, of Alicel, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ritter, of La Grande, enjoyed a picnic Sunday at Langdon lake.

Stallard Enters Race for Congress

of Portland, filed his certificate of nomination today for representative in congress from the third district. Stallard was nominated in Portland June 28 by an assembly. He will run independent and the words after his name stating the principles on which he will run will be "Established industries; democracy—Independent."

Stallard will oppose Charles Martin, Democrat incumbent and Homer D. Angell, Republican nominee.

Eddie Meister, Cleveland golf prodigy, has been taking lessons from Wilfred Reid, Detroit, who once taught Bobby Jones and Joyce Wethers.

Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes solutions for yesterday's puzzle.

Large grid for the daily crossword puzzle with numbers 1 through 75.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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BUTTERFAT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2 (AP)—Butterfat f. o. b. San Francisco 22c.

PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 2 (AP) — Butter—Prints 92 score or better 23 1/2c; standards 21 1/2c. Butterfat — Direct to shippers: station 15-16c, Portland delivery prices 17 1/2c. Hops — Nominal, 1931, 12 @ 12 1/2c lb.; contracts 1932, 12c lb. Eggs, live, poultry and country meats unchanged. Mohair, nuts, casaca bark, onions, potatoes, new potatoes, strawberries, wool and hay quotations unchanged.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Aug. 2 (AP) — (U. S. D. A.) — Hogs 10,000; moderately active, steady to 10c higher; good to choice 180-220 lbs. \$4.25 to \$5.00; top \$5.00; packing sows \$3.25 to \$3.75. Cattle 5,000; sprinkling strictly good and choice medium weight and weight steers steady \$8.75 to \$9.50; stockers weak; light heifer and mixed yearlings and she stock steady, slow; vealers active, steady to strong \$6.00 to \$7.00. Sheep 10,000; choice lambs 10 1/2c higher; other grades and classes strong; good and native lambs \$6.00 to \$6.25; native throwouts \$3.50 to \$4.00; fat ewes \$1.50 to \$2.25.

LOST

LOST—Several keys on Ring, Reward. Return to P. O. 8-1-2 t.

LOST — Dark leather purse with handles, containing bank book and money. Reward, 1606-0th St., Mrs. Anthony. 8-2-1 t.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS A Song of Praise!



IF OSCAR'S NOT INVENTING US ABOUT THIS INVENTION OF HIS, WHY DOESN'T HE SHOW IT TO US? YEAH... THAT'S WHAT I SAY! LET'S MAKE HIM SHOW UP, OR SHUT UP!!

WHY, IT ISN'T QUITE READY... SOON'S I GET IT DONE YOU'LL SEE IT... THE WHOLE WORLD WILL WANT A SEE IT, TOO!!

JUST IMAGINE WHAT A WONDERFUL THING I'M DOIN' FOR THE WORLD RIGHT NOW... PEOPLE HAVEN'T MUCH MONEY, AN' MY INVENTION WILL BE A LIFE SAVER FOR EVERYBODY!!

THIS MOTORLESS AUTO, OR WE'LL PUT IT DOWN AS SO MUCH HOOEY!!

THINK OF AN AUTO THAT DOESN'T NEED GAS, OR OIL... NO MACHINERY TO NEAR OUT... NOTHING TO GET OUT OF 'WHACK... AN' WON'T COST MUCH MORE THAN A BICYCLE!!

AN' BEST OF ALL... OSCAR PLETZENBAUM, OF SHADYSIDE, IS THE GREAT INVENTOR!!



THE NEW FANGLES (Mom'n Pop) We All Fall!

I REALLY DIDN'T NEED A NEW HAT BUT IT WAS SUCH A BARGAIN, AND THE SALES WOMAN HAD SO MANY ARGUMENTS THAT, BEFORE I KNEW IT, SHE'D SOLD IT TO ME. YOU HAVEN'T ANY SALES RESISTANCE—YOU'RE A SORRY, YOU'D BUY AN ICE CREAM CONE IN A BLIZZARD, YOU GOTTA BE TOUGH, LIKE I AM. WHO ON EARTH IS AT THE DOOR? CHICK'S BEEN GABBING FOR FIFTEEN MINUTES.

GEE, SUGAR, LOOK AT THE BARGAIN I GOT FOR THREE DUCKS!! GREAT GRIEF!! ONLY THREE DOLLARS!! WOW! IF I EVER GO INTO THE GOLD-BACK BUSINESS, YOU'LL BE MY FIRST CUSTOMER!!



"Of course we don't," kind Scouty said. "We're very glad to go ahead until the job is finished. Then, perhaps, we'll have some fun." "My motto is, don't start a task that you can't finish. All I ask is that you let us play a while as soon as we are done." Just then there came a sudden

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The TINYMITES STORY BY HAL COCHRAN PICTURES BY JOE KING 1932 BY NEA SERVICE INC. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF. (READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE) SAID Duncy, "This giraffe is fine. I only wish that it was mine. I think that I could ride on it and, gee, that would be fun." "Just look! I've blown it way up high. It's fat enough to make it safe. In fact, it is so plump I do not think that it could run." This made the old balloon man smile and he replied, "Well, after while, we'll see what that giraffe can do. Right now we all must work." "You've been a big help, bless your souls, in finding balloons with just little holes. I have enough wind left, I'm sure, so bring it on right now." He blew the cow up nice and big and then exclaimed, "Have you a pig? If so, let someone ride on that. 'Twill be a sight to see." The man replied, "Why sure, my son. You'll see a lot before we're done. In fact, I've animals enough for a menagerie." (Copyright, 1932, NEA Service Inc.) (The Tinies plan a trip in the next story.)

Comic strip panel showing characters talking about a motorless auto and a bargain.