

WHEAT MARKET

Consumers Seem to Be Awakening to the Situation.

NOT EASY MATTER TO BUY

Revival of the Eastern and European Demand, Though Small, Gives a Better Undertone to the Market.

More Eastern orders for wheat are said to be on hand now than has been the case for several weeks. Many of them are at 7 and 8 cents, but the buyers do not find it an easy matter to fill them.

Taken altogether the market can be said to have a healthier undertone and it seemingly would not take much to start the ball rolling.

A report from Carlton stated that John Carmichael was operating in that section and had bought 125 bales from Halchroft & Perkins at 7 1/2 cents and had made offers on two or three other lots.

The Washington market is also displaying more activity, particularly in the Yakima section, where the Maple Hill Company sold 300 bales at 7 cents, 140 bales to Isaac Pincus & Sons and 200 bales to Guy Grafon.

The latest issue of the Waterbury Times says of the New York crop: "The rains and few pleasant days of the past week have done much toward boosting the crop vines along but they still lack considerable what they need to be at this date."

EGG MARKET BECOMES TOP HEAVY

Receipts Too Large for the Demand and Stocks Accumulate.

The egg market was top heavy yesterday. There was some outside demand and a few lots were taken, but the movement was not sufficient to prevent supplies from accumulating.

POULTRY IS IN GOOD SUPPLY

Butcher firms with an active Northern and storage demand, the latter keeping the market cleaner up.

STRAWBERRIES ARE IN FAIR SUPPLY

Hood Rivers Decline to 45 Per Crate—Fees From Mt. Faber.

A fair quantity of Oregon strawberries were on hand yesterday and sold at a range of 17 1/2 to 20 cents per pound for the general line of offerings.

FLOUR WILL ADVANCE NEXT WEEK

Local Prices Will Be From 15 to 25 Cents Per Barrel Higher.

The local flour market will advance early in the coming week, the rise being from 15 to 25 cents per barrel.

VEGETABLES ARE IN FAIR SUPPLY

Butter is firm with a moderate supply of California vegetables, mostly peas, of the telephone variety, which sold well at 5 cents.

Bank Clearings.

Portland 1,801,000; Seattle 1,207,728; Tacoma 40,902; Spokane 883,184.

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