

NOT MANY OREGON HOPS LEFT IN GROWERS' CONTROL.

Country Produce Markets Good. There were no changes of importance in country produce yesterday.

Bank Clearings. Clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

Portland, \$1,244,571; Astoria, \$185,000; Tillamook, \$17,710; Clatsop, \$48,220; Spokane, \$43,000; 16,122.

THE SAME IN CALIFORNIA

Big Dealers, for Some Reason, Buy Up Nearly All of the Pacific Coast Output Even Before It Is Harvested.

Interesting times are promised in the Pacific Coast hop market this fall. From the way the hops have been gobbled up by buyers at this early stage of the game, it looks as if it will be more of a dealers' market than anything else.

No one denies that the bulk of the Pacific Coast growth of 1908 is in dealers' control, but what object the buyers have in view in thus cornering the production cannot, of course, be stated.

There is abundant proof of the fact that buying operations for hops are being picked up on an enormous scale. Every hop man who has been in the country in the last few weeks has found this out.

Some reports of contracting are still coming in, but, aside from Poggies, there have been no sales yet of hops in bulk.

It is not possible, said Herman Klaber, that Western hop growers are producing 3000 bales. The Yakima crop is figured there at 4000 to 5000, but it places it at 6000 to 7000 bales.

Klaber, Wolf & Netter's London office, received yesterday, said: "There is no change in crop or market. Demand is only for choice."

Harry E. V. Dolan, of Salem, recently appointed Oregon representative of the Herst Company, of London, which is headed by Baron Louis von Herst, was in the city yesterday.

Receipts for the day were 100 cars wheat, 14 cars oats, 4 cars barley and 13 cars hay. The range of values was as follows:

WHEAT. Open, High, Low, Close. Sept. 1.30, 1.34, 1.31, 1.32 1/2. Dec. 1.45, 1.48, 1.45, 1.46 1/2.

Receipts of Peaches are Lighter. But Front Street is Still Overstocked with Peaches and Apples.

Receipts of peaches were not so heavy yesterday as they have been recently and the street was enabled to clean up fairly well.

Receipts of Apples are Increasing and the Market is Again Weakening.

Weekly Grain Statistics. The weekly grain statistics of the Merchants Exchange follow:

Receipts of Produce. Produce receipts reported by the Board of Trade: 822 boxes apples, 12 boxes crab-apples, 8 boxes berries, 23 crates cantaloupes, 24 crates cucumbers, 4 crates celeris, 15 boxes clams, 3 boxes crawfish, 450 cases chesnuts, 205 crates onions, 2 boxes egg plant, 27 boxes fruit, 25 boxes fish, 453 crates

WEAK POINTS IN THE ENTIRE MARKET.

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Such support was accorded when prices opened at sharp decline in response to the interpretation placed on the Maine election by the business community.

Another cause of disappointment in the return of Harriman to his office was that the much discussed plan was not immediately forthcoming.

One obvious reason for weakness in Great Northern, which was not discussed on the stock exchange, was the fact that its \$60,000,000 of new stock comes into its rights to dividends for the first time.

The price of copper was reduced at the New York metal exchange. Bonds were quoted in the produce market.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS. Sales, High, Low, Bid, Ask. Am. Copper, 100, 38 1/2, 38, 38 1/2.

Am. Steel, 100, 20 1/2, 20, 20 1/2. Am. Locomotive, 100, 10 1/2, 10, 10 1/2.

Am. Sugar, 100, 15 1/2, 15, 15 1/2. Am. Tobacco, 100, 12 1/2, 12, 12 1/2.

Am. Cotton, 100, 18 1/2, 18, 18 1/2. Am. Oil, 100, 14 1/2, 14, 14 1/2.

Am. Rubber, 100, 11 1/2, 11, 11 1/2. Am. Paper, 100, 13 1/2, 13, 13 1/2.

Am. Glass, 100, 16 1/2, 16, 16 1/2. Am. Brick, 100, 12 1/2, 12, 12 1/2.

Am. Cement, 100, 14 1/2, 14, 14 1/2. Am. Lime, 100, 11 1/2, 11, 11 1/2.

Am. Iron, 100, 13 1/2, 13, 13 1/2. Am. Coal, 100, 12 1/2, 12, 12 1/2.

Am. Wheat, 100, 1.32, 1.31, 1.32 1/2. Am. Oats, 100, 1.45, 1.44, 1.46 1/2.

Am. Barley, 100, 1.27, 1.26, 1.27 1/2. Am. Hay, 100, 1.29, 1.28, 1.29 1/2.

MILLERS SEEKING WHEAT OFFERS OF 94 CENTS AT SEATTLE ARE REFUSED.

Potatoes Decline Under Heavy Receipts - Better Inquiry for Fruit. Egg Orders From Nome.

SEATTLE, Sept. 15.—(Special.)—Some idea of how busy the market is on wheat may be obtained from the fact that 94 cents was asked for bluestem on the 15th.

While fruit receipts are much heavier this week, 20 cars arriving today, such heavy receipts were unexpected and prices dropped.

While fruit receipts were heavy, under an active demand stocks were fairly well cleaned up tonight. There was no very marked recovery.

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO. Prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City Markets. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—The following prices were quoted in the produce market.

Wheat—No. 1, 1.04; No. 2, 1.03; No. 3, 1.02. Oats—No. 1, 1.15; No. 2, 1.14; No. 3, 1.13.

Barley—No. 1, 1.25; No. 2, 1.24; No. 3, 1.23. Hay—No. 1, 1.35; No. 2, 1.34; No. 3, 1.33.

Apples—No. 1, 1.45; No. 2, 1.44; No. 3, 1.43. Peaches—No. 1, 1.55; No. 2, 1.54; No. 3, 1.53.

Cucumbers—No. 1, 1.65; No. 2, 1.64; No. 3, 1.63. Celery—No. 1, 1.75; No. 2, 1.74; No. 3, 1.73.

Carrots—No. 1, 1.85; No. 2, 1.84; No. 3, 1.83. Potatoes—No. 1, 1.95; No. 2, 1.94; No. 3, 1.93.

Onions—No. 1, 2.05; No. 2, 2.04; No. 3, 2.03. Beans—No. 1, 2.15; No. 2, 2.14; No. 3, 2.13.

Lentils—No. 1, 2.25; No. 2, 2.24; No. 3, 2.23. Peas—No. 1, 2.35; No. 2, 2.34; No. 3, 2.33.

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ADVICE IS EASY

Wheat Prices Climb on Moderate Buying. Firm Close at Chicago.

September Touches a New Record. Price for the Crop—Offerings Are Light—Hog Cholera Reports Affect Corn.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—September wheat's rise, not only created a new record for the crop, but equalled the former record reached in December and fell short of the high market for May deliveries by only 1-8-10-10c.

This narrowing of the cash and near-delivery prices was a prominent consideration in the speculative deals of the day. It required only moderate buying to stiffen prices.

Wheat prices were not so firm as they were a few days ago. The market was quiet and unchanged, with quotations ranging from 4 to 4 1/2 for the California crop and from 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 for Oregon grain.

Barley prices were dull with choice quoted at 84¢ and 85¢ extra choice at 84¢ and fancy at 83¢.

Hay prices were unchanged, with quotations ranging from 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 for the California crop and from 1 1/4 to 1 3/4 for Oregon grain.

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