

POTATO GOOD LARGE Big Yields in All Sections of the West.

HIGH PRICES NOT LIKELY

Shipping Season in This State Will Soon Open—Quality of the Oregon Crop is Fine—Decline in Wheat.

The potato shipping season is about to open and dealers here for the first time expect a bumper crop. The quality is not expected to be heavy for some time yet.

There is a very good crop of early potatoes in Oregon and the quality is first-class. The yield of the middle planting will be out short somewhat by the dry weather that prevailed up to a few days ago.

LOCAL HOP MARKET IS INACTIVE

World's Crop Estimates of Gutermann and Hing.

The hop market continues in an inactive state. One or two small lots have been moved, but there are practically no orders on hand from the East or England.

Table with columns for Country, 1909, and 1908. Lists countries like Austria, Belgium, France, Germany, etc.

WHEAT PRICES REDUCED ONE CENT. Export Market Very Quiet—Little Doing in Oats or Barley.

The local wheat trade quoted wheat prices 1 cent lower all around yesterday. The export market is very quiet and shippers report that buyers on the other side show no interest in offerings.

WEAKER TONE IN POULTRY MARKET

Buyers Are Reluctant to Pay the Recent High Prices. There was a weaker tone in the poultry market yesterday.

LEWISTON SHIPS 400 CARS

Fruit From Snake River Valley Brings Profitable Returns. Lewiston, Idaho, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Local fruit exporters who have handled the bulk of the Lewiston Valley crop report shipments of approximately 200 carloads and before the close of the apple season an additional 200 carloads will be marketed in the cities of the Middle West and Eastern states.

PORTLAND MARKETS

GRAIN, FLOUR, FEED, ETC. WHEAT—Track prices: Bluestem, 90c; club,

MARKET IS UPSET Heavy Unloading of Reading Stock at New York.

ON THE DIVIDEND ACTION

Many Rumors Lately Circulated Prove Unfounded—Rebound in Prices Near the Close Leaves Not Changes Small.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—After making a brave start today stock speculation experienced some confusion in adjusting itself to some new considerations. The misapprehension of the movement which has centered in Reading will be given responsibility generally for the upset in the market. Heavy unloading of that stock following the declaration of only the regular quarterly dividend and a per cent dividend on the new issue of Reading stock.

SHEEP SHOW STRENGTH

FEATURE OF THE LOCAL LIVESTOCK MARKET. Quality Demanded in All Lines. Hogs and Cattle Are Steady at the Old Prices.

The market at the Union Stockyards on the whole was steady yesterday, with sheep arrivals for the past week or more have been light, which has enabled prices to be fully maintained.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for Stock Name, Sales, High, Low, and Closing. Lists various stocks like Allis-Chalmers, Am. Agricultural, etc.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Flour—Receipts, 50,045 barrels; exports, 14,242 barrels. Market quiet but firm.

GRAIN AT SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 21.—Spot quotations: Wheat—Shipping, \$1.07 1/2 to \$1.13 1/2; milling, \$1.15.

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UPTURN IN WHEAT PRICES AT CHICAGO.

SHORTS BUY SEPTEMBER

FIRM CABLES, SMALLER NORTHWESTERN RECEIPTS AND LIBERAL PURCHASES OF SPRING WHEAT CAUSE THE STRENGTH.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—Wheat was strong from start to end today, September being especially buoyant and at one time up 5 1/2c over the December option.

WHEAT

Table with columns for Month, Open, High, Low, Close. Lists months from Sept to May.

GRAIN STATISTICS

Table with columns for Grain, Receipts, Shipments. Lists wheat, barley, oats, etc.

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VISITORS FLOCK TO BAKER

Knights Templars and Fair Delegation Gathering in City. BAKER CITY, Or., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—With the annual meeting of the District Fair and the state commandery of Knights Templars to open tomorrow, Baker City presents a lively appearance.

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