

BBB MARK FOR HOPS

Dealers Now Offering 18 Cents for Contracts.

TO SOME LARGE GROWERS

Kola Nels Secures 1000 Bales of 1911s for Shipment to England.

Prospects for Good Prices Were Never Better.

Unable to buy new crop hops at 18 cents, dealers are now offering 18 cents to the grower...

Kola Nels has been an extensive buyer of hops since 1893, and is understood to have filled an export order for 1000 bales of 1911 crop...

The market prospects are excellent and it would require little speculation to see that market would be on hand when the new crop is ready for delivery...

Small shipment of Florida berries arrived and sold early at \$2.75 per crate.

Apparatus is cleaning up well, except the Walla Walla shipments, which do not sell so well as the Hood River grain.

Among yesterday's receipts was an express shipment from Texas of green and wax beans, peppers and cucumbers...

Weekly foreign wheat shipments were reported by the Merchants Exchange as follows:

The wheat market is quiet, but the children market continues to weaken.

The egg market was firm and unchanged, with a steady demand and very light receipts.

Butter and cheese were steady at the old prices.

Bank Clearings. Bank clearings at the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

Portland 49,360,311; Astoria 1,227,213; Salem 1,050,333; Spokane 662,049; Kelso 186,150.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT—Track receipts, 100,000; dock, 40,000; total, 140,000.

Vegetables and Fruits. SACK VEGETABLES—Carrots, \$1.25 per 100; parsley, \$1.25 per 100.

Poultry and Country Produce. POULTRY—Live, 10 1/2 @ 11; broilers, 8 @ 9; turkeys, 20 @ 22.

Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc. DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 12 @ 15 per 100; currants, 15 @ 20 per 100.

ALL CLASSES TAKEN

Demand Is General at the Stockyards.

TO NEAR MARKET STEADY

Extreme Prices Are Not Paid, but Quality Considered, the Market Is in Good Shape—Receipts Are Fair.

The livestock market showed more activity yesterday than any day this week.

Receipts for the day were 289 cattle, 13 calves, 581 sheep, 343 hogs and 2 mules.

Shippers of the stock were Lomeneg & Shafter, Blackfoot, Idaho, 7 cars of cattle; Heine & Olinger, Nebraska, 5 cars of hogs...

Prices current on the various classes of stock at the Portland Union Stockyards were as follows:

11 cows, 21.50; 12 cows, 22.50; 13 cows, 23.50; 14 cows, 24.50; 15 cows, 25.50.

Prices current on the various classes of stock at the Portland Union Stockyards were as follows: Prime grain-fed steers, \$10.75 @ \$11.00.

PREVISIONS responded to free buying on the part of packers and shorts.

THE LEADING RECEIPTS ranged as follows: May, 1911, 1.30; 1.30; 1.30; 1.30.

CORN. May, 1911, 1.15; 1.15; 1.15; 1.15.

OATS. May, 1911, 1.10; 1.10; 1.10; 1.10.

MEAT. May, 1911, 1.10; 1.10; 1.10; 1.10.

GRAIN. May, 1911, 1.10; 1.10; 1.10; 1.10.

RECEIPTS. May, 1911, 1.10; 1.10; 1.10; 1.10.

EXPORTS. May, 1911, 1.10; 1.10; 1.10; 1.10.

MARKETS. May, 1911, 1.10; 1.10; 1.10; 1.10.

PORTLAND. May, 1911, 1.10; 1.10; 1.10; 1.10.

STOCKS. May, 1911, 1.10; 1.10; 1.10; 1.10.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Albis Coal pr., 100 27 1/2; Anaconda Copper, 100 104 1/2; Am. West Sugar, 100 42 1/2.

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