

NEW MEAT BOUGHT

Contracts Signed on Basis of 80 Cents for Club.

JULY SHIPMENT REQUIRED

New Crop Grain for Later Delivery Quoted at 74 to 77 Cents—Spot Demand Limited and Lower Prices Indicated.

The slackness of the demand for wheat from most of the customary buying quarters has brought prices in the local market down to the basis of 80 cents for club.

A little contracting for club has been done on the basis of 80 cents for July shipment. Dealers figure the market for later shipment on the basis of present freights and canal traffic prospects, at 74 to 77 cents.

There has also been a small amount of business done in new crop barley, contracts having been written at \$1.00 to \$1.05 for feed and \$2.00 for malting grades.

The spot barley market is most unsatisfactory. The demand is insignificant and available stocks are large.

Local receipts, in cars, were reported by the Merchants Exchange as follows: Monday 34, Tuesday 34, Wednesday 2, Thursday 2, Friday 2, Saturday 2, Sunday 2.

BUTTER TO BE HIGHER THIS MORNING

Advance of 2 1/2 Cents Will Be Made in Local Market.

City creamery butter will be advanced 2 1/2 cents a pound this morning to 27 1/2 cents for prints.

Country and dealers found it difficult to clean up at the present low quotations.

STRAWBERRY MARKET OVERSTOCKED

Four Hundred Crates of Oregon Received, California Season Ends.

The strawberry market and shaps yesterday, as the supply was excessive, in addition to fairly large receipts from California, about 400 crates of Oregon berries were brought in.

A shipment of 100 boxes of good California potatoes was condemned at the dock on account of the B. & O. train.

OREGON WOOL ON EASTERN MARKET

The staple offered on Clean Basis of 58 to 60 Cents.

New clip Western wool is making more of a showing in the Boston and New York markets in the past week about 500,000 pounds changed hands, including parcels from Oregon, Idaho, Utah, Nevada and Arizona.

OREGON APPLES IN SWEDISH MARKET

Red Fruit Is Desired by Consumers in North of Europe.

Apples from the Pacific Coast states are known in this market as 'California' or 'Oregon'; all others from the United States are designated simply as 'American apples'.

FORWARD MARKET QUOTATIONS

WHEAT—Track, club, 74 to 80c; bluestem, 72 to 74c; red, 74 to 76c; Rus. 74 to 76c; valley, 80c.

FLORIDA—Patents, \$4.50 per barrel; 100 lbs. 4.25; 200 lbs. 4.00; 300 lbs. 3.75; 400 lbs. 3.50; 500 lbs. 3.25; 600 lbs. 3.00; 700 lbs. 2.75; 800 lbs. 2.50; 900 lbs. 2.25; 1000 lbs. 2.00.

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LIST NEARLY MOTIONLESS

Liquidation of Canadian Pacific Holdings by Syndicate—Pressure Against Coalers Toward Close of Session.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Money market unchanged on the stock exchange today. Few professional traders, who usually are able to find something in a dull day's news, advanced as a plausible reason for buying or selling, retired from the field and the market was at a standstill much of the session.

United States bonds were unchanged on call. Reported by J. C. Wilson & Co., Lewis building, Portland.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes items like Allis-Chalmers, Am. Sugar, Am. Tobacco, etc.

Provisions—HAMS—10 to 12 pound, 18 1/2 to 19 1/2c; 12 to 14 pound, 18 1/2 to 19 1/2c; 14 to 18 pound, 18 1/2 to 19 1/2c.

Hops—1913 crop, prime and choice, 12 to 15c; 1914 quotations, 14c.

Wool—Valley, 18 to 20c; Eastern Oregon, 14 to 16c.

Stocks at Boston. BOSTON, May 13.—Closing quotations: Alcoa, 20 1/2; American, 15 1/2; Anaconda, 14 1/2.

Money, Exchange, Etc. NEW YORK, May 13.—Call money steady, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2c; 10 day, 2 1/2 to 3 1/2c.

Chicago Livestock Market. CHICAGO, May 13.—Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market, steady to 10c higher.

2-DAY GRANGE IS CALLED. Local District to Meet With La Center Today and Tomorrow.

RIDGEFIELD, Wash., May 13.—(Special.) The Columbia district Grange will meet with the La Center Grange, May 13 and 14, Wednesday and Thursday.

Local jobbing quotations. TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, navela, \$2.00 per box; Valencia, \$1.75 per box.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, \$1.01 to 1.25 per bushel; radishes, 17c to 20c per bushel.

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET

Prices Quoted at the Bay City on Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Lead quiet, 83.90; Copper steady, 51.00 to 52.00; Tin firm, 33.70 to 34.90.

Duluth Lined Market. DULUTH, Minn., May 13.—Lined, \$1.06; May, \$1.04; July, \$1.07.

WHEAT JUMPS THREE-QUARTERS ON HESSIAN FLY DAMAGE. Injury Done in Important District of Missouri, Illinois and Indiana.

CHICAGO, May 13.—Increased damage from Hessian fly is held to be the cause of the recent advance in wheat prices.

NEWS ABOUT RAILROADS

PASSENGER men exchanged impressions of their experiences at the regular bi-weekly luncheon of the Portland Transportation Club at the Millard Hotel.

W. W. Foster, commercial agent of the Burlington, has placed on the walls of his private office a framed portrait of I. W. Hill.

William McMurray, general passenger agent of the Northern Pacific, has gone to North Yakima and Spokane on business.

It is pretty generally believed that the Wells-Fargo and Northern Pacific will succeed in dividing the major part of the business of the United States Express Company.

Freight traffic officials of the various lines operating in the Chicago, North and West, are holding a series of meetings in the offices of the O. W. R. & N. Company.

John F. Stevens, ex-president of the North Bank, has just completed an expert report on the physical condition of the Wells-Fargo and Northern Pacific.

Both the Union Pacific and the Northern Pacific are making extensive preparations for the Northern Pacific business to Yellowstone Park.

Results obtained by the Southern Pacific in the operation of its students' courses in railroading have been so successful that the program is being broadened and extended to all important points on the system.

Ladies' Aid of Umattila Says City Councilman Got Cash. UMATTILA, Or., May 13.—(Special.)—The Ladies' Aid of Umattila made the discovery yesterday that H. Otfedal, one of the City Councilmen, and husband of the late Mrs. Otfedal, had embezzled their funds, it is said.

Invitations Extended Greater. GRANTS PASS, Or., May 13.—(Special.)—The Grants Pass Commercial Club has extended an invitation to the Greater of America to stop off and visit the Josephine County Caves on their return trip from the convalescence to be held in Los Angeles this month.

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