

JUDGE LOVETT'S HIGH LAND PRICES

Head of Union Pacific System Says Oregon Holders Too Greedy for State's Good.

WAR BENEFIT IS SCOUTED

Railroad Magnate in Portland on Inspection Trip Intimates That There Will Be Little Building Done This Year.

Portland, Aug. 25.—(Special.)—Judge Lovett, chairman of the executive committee of the Union Pacific system, at the Hotel Portland yesterday, said that every opportunity will be taken to buy the full value of the lands if they were improved.

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MARKET ON HIGHER BASIS

Growers Base Hopes of High Prices on Strong Demand for American Hops by Europe Because of War.

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ENGLAND SAID TO BE BUYING AMERICAN FLOUR AND EUROPEAN CROP ESTIMATE IS REDUCED. Is absolute satisfaction on the part of the depositor.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—All Board of Trade markets except corn, which was heavily influenced by rains in the southwest, scored further advances today.

AUSTRALIA TAHITI AND NEW ZEALAND. Round Trip Rates. First-class to Tahiti \$125.00 to Wellington \$187.00 to Sydney \$300.00.

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000 bushels red fire sold at 87c; red Russian, 82c bid, 88 1/2 asked; forty-fold, 37c bid, 39c asked. Merchants Exchange prices for August-September wheat sold as follows: Barley—No. 1 white, 42 1/2 bid, 42 1/2 asked; No. 2 white, 39 1/2 bid, 39 1/2 asked; No. 1 feed, 109 tons sold at \$21.50; No. 2 feed, 250 tons sold at \$21.50.

Local jobbing quotations: RICE—No. 1 Japan, 5 1/2 @ 5 1/2; Southern, 5 1/2 @ 5 1/2; Island, 5 1/2 @ 5 1/2. HONEY—Choice, \$3.00 @ 3.75 per case. BUTTER—Waukena, 14 1/2 @ 15 per pound; Eureka, 15 @ 15 1/2 per pound; Alameda, 14 1/2 @ 15 per pound; etc.

Believing that the present European war, if continued, will have the result of preventing the export of hops from this country and will result rather in the destruction of the beer industry abroad than in an increased demand for hops from the United States, the firm of Lillenthal Bros., Inc., of New York, writes The Oregonian, giving statistics to support its optimistic view.

Local jobbing quotations: TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, \$1.75 @ 1.90 per box; lemons, \$2.00 @ 2.25 per box; guavas, \$1.50 @ 1.75 per box; grapefruit, \$2.00 @ 2.25 per box. LOCAL PRODUCE—Apples, \$1.50 @ 1.75 per box; pears, \$1.50 @ 1.75 per box; peaches, \$1.50 @ 1.75 per box; etc.

Local jobbing quotations: WOOL—No. 1, 20 @ 20; No. 2, 18 @ 18; No. 3, 16 @ 16; No. 4, 14 @ 14; No. 5, 12 @ 12; No. 6, 10 @ 10; No. 7, 8 @ 8; No. 8, 6 @ 6; No. 9, 4 @ 4; No. 10, 2 @ 2.

The English consumption of the Continental crop was enormous and strongly pointed to a continuing a creating a demand for the 1915 crop, after allowing for export to England, calculating that a proportion of 450,000 cwt. will be taken of the total crop.

Local jobbing quotations: LARD—Tierce basis: Pure, 12 @ 13; compound, 11 @ 12. BACON—No. 1, 14 @ 15; No. 2, 13 @ 14; No. 3, 12 @ 13; No. 4, 11 @ 12; No. 5, 10 @ 11; No. 6, 9 @ 10; No. 7, 8 @ 9; No. 8, 7 @ 8; No. 9, 6 @ 7; No. 10, 5 @ 6.

Local jobbing quotations: HOPS—1914 crop, nominal, 1914 contracts, 14 @ 15; 1915 crop, 12 @ 13; 1916 crop, 10 @ 11; 1917 crop, 8 @ 9; 1918 crop, 6 @ 7; 1919 crop, 4 @ 5; 1920 crop, 2 @ 3.

Local jobbing quotations: BUTTER—Waukena, 14 1/2 @ 15 per pound; Eureka, 15 @ 15 1/2 per pound; Alameda, 14 1/2 @ 15 per pound; etc.

Local jobbing quotations: WHEAT—No. 1, 1.25 @ 1.26; No. 2, 1.15 @ 1.16; No. 3, 1.05 @ 1.06; No. 4, 0.95 @ 0.96; No. 5, 0.85 @ 0.86; No. 6, 0.75 @ 0.76; No. 7, 0.65 @ 0.66; No. 8, 0.55 @ 0.56; No. 9, 0.45 @ 0.46; No. 10, 0.35 @ 0.36.

Local jobbing quotations: CORN—No. 1, 42 @ 43; No. 2, 40 @ 41; No. 3, 38 @ 39; No. 4, 36 @ 37; No. 5, 34 @ 35; No. 6, 32 @ 33; No. 7, 30 @ 31; No. 8, 28 @ 29; No. 9, 26 @ 27; No. 10, 24 @ 25.

Local jobbing quotations: OATS—No. 1, 24 @ 25; No. 2, 22 @ 23; No. 3, 20 @ 21; No. 4, 18 @ 19; No. 5, 16 @ 17; No. 6, 14 @ 15; No. 7, 12 @ 13; No. 8, 10 @ 11; No. 9, 8 @ 9; No. 10, 6 @ 7.

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