

CRANBERRY SUPPLY

Only Pacific Coast Berries Are on Market.

SUPERIOR GRADE THIS YEAR

Exchange Makes Fine Record in Marketing Crops Under Disadvantages—Outlook for Future.

Pacific Coast cranberries are now practically all in the hands of distributors, very few remaining in growers' hands.

Eastern cranberries are but few and far between in Pacific Coast markets.

It is but natural that the merits of a product grow as home should be doubted.

The growers have clearly demonstrated their desire at all times to treat the trade fairly and squarely.

DEMAND FOR CORN IS ACTIVE

Four Hundred Tons Are Sold at Merchants Exchange—Bales Also Moving.

The demand for corn continues active and 400 tons were sold at the Merchants Exchange yesterday.

FRANCE IS SOWING LARGER AREA

Work Pushed on Seeding of Winter Cereals; Improvement in England.

Crop conditions in Europe, according to Broomfield's cable, are:

United Kingdom—Weather has favored the gathering of the last remaining of the grain harvest.

France—Very favorable sowing conditions are now prevailing and growers are busy on the land in the liberated districts.

Italy—Sowing continues active under more favorable weather conditions.

CONSENT NO LONGER REQUIRED

Butter Prices May Be Changed Without Consulting Food Administrator.

Following its policy adopted when the armistice was signed of relinquishing as rapidly as possible without disturbing business conditions all unnecessary control over foodstuffs.

BEANS ARE FIRM AND HIGHER

Buyers Offer Quarter More to Fill Government Order for 300,000 Pounds.

There was a good demand for Oregon beans and prices were slightly higher, owing to buying to fill the Government order of 300,000 pounds.

LOW-GRADE BAILS FIRM

Little Interest Shown in Standard Issues.

Steel Closes With Gain of Over One Point; Trading Is Dull but Fairly Broad.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Rails, shipping, steel, motors and oils were the features of today's dull but fairly broad stock market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The spot coffee market was entirely unimpaired today, owing to the scarcity and irregularity of offerings.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The actual condition of the clearing house, based on the companies for the week shows that they hold \$10,016,670 reserve in excess of legal requirements.

Chicago Daily Produce. CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Butter, unchanged. Eggs—Receipts 2137 cases, unchanged.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS

Table with columns: Sales, High, Low, Last. Lists various stocks like American Beet Sugar, Am. Can, etc.

Bank Clearings.

Table with columns: Clearings, Balances. Lists bank clearings for various cities.

PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS

Table with columns: Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. Lists prices for various commodities.

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Merchandise paper, unchanged.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Money and discounts, unchanged.

BILLS ON HAND ARE INCREASED

Larger Discount Operations of Federal Reserve Banks.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Discount operations of the Federal Reserve banks this week resulted in an increase of \$45,000,000 in bills on hand.

Chicago Livestock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Hogs—Receipts 32,000, left over from yesterday, 17,000.

Omaha Livestock Market.

OMAHA, Dec. 7.—Hogs—Receipts 6700, steady.

Seattle Livestock Market.

SEATTLE, Dec. 7.—Hogs—Receipts 209, market dull.

Money Conditions Relax, but No Greater Supply of Funds Is Expected.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—President Wilson's appearance before Congress on the eve of his departure for Europe, the selection of a new Secretary of the Treasury and the disclosure of numerous auxiliary boards created by the war.

CORN MOVEMENT EXPANDS

CHICAGO MARKET IS OFF 2 3/4 CENTS AT END OF WEEK.

Arrival of Five Hundred Cars Monday Predicted; Removal of War-Time Curbs Also Is Factor.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Bears had things much their own way in the corn market today, giving chiefly to expected big receipts on Monday and Tuesday.

NAVY STORES.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 7.—Turpentine, 28 barrels; stock, 90,718 barrels.

INCREASE IN EXCESS RESERVES.

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DRIED FRUIT AT NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Evaporated apples, firm; state fancy, 10 1/2 @ 11 1/2; choice, 14 1/2 @ 15 1/2.

DULUTH LINED MARKET.

DULUTH, Dec. 7.—Lined, \$2.45 1/2.

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET

Prices Current on Eggs, Vegetables, Fresh Fruits, Etc. at Bay City.

NO SALES AT NORTH PORTLAND YARDS

Ten Loads Are Received, but Stock Is Carried Over Until Monday.

No business was transacted at the stockyards on the closing day of the week.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 7.—Barley, 56 @ 60c; flax, \$3.45 @ \$3.47 1/2.

GRAIN AT SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Flour, \$11.45 per barrel.

ORIGINS OF LIVESTOCK LOADED

Shipments to the Leading Markets of the Pacific Northwest.

For Portland: Cattle, 4; Horses, 4; Sheep, 4.

For Seattle: California, 20; Oregon, 1; Washington, 1.

For Spokane: South Dakota, 1; Montana, 1; Idaho, 1.

For Chicago: California, 20; Oregon, 1; Washington, 1.

For Omaha: California, 20; Oregon, 1; Washington, 1.

For Seattle: California, 20; Oregon, 1; Washington, 1.

For Portland: Cattle, 4; Horses, 4; Sheep, 4.

Government and Municipal Bonds

Rate Maturity Price Yield

Table listing various government and municipal bonds with columns for Rate, Maturity, Price, and Yield.

United States Government Liberty Loan Bonds

If you must SELL your Liberty Bonds, SELL to US. If you can BUY more Liberty Bonds, BUY from US.

Liberty Bonds at the Market

The closing prices of LIBERTY BONDS on the New York Stock Exchange for week ended Saturday, December 7, were as follows:

Table showing closing prices for various Liberty Bonds.

MORRIS BROTHERS, Inc.

The Premier Municipal Bond House of Oregon

309-311 STARK, BETWEEN 5TH AND 6TH (GROUND FLOOR)

UMATILLA PLANS WORK

Highway from Pendleton to Morrow County to Be Built.

CLARK, KENDALL & CO.

GOVERNMENT, MUNICIPAL AND CORPORATION BONDS

WE OWN AND OFFER FOR INVESTMENT

\$150,000 STATE OF IDAHO

4 1/2% HIGHWAY GOLD BONDS

LEGAL FOR POSTAL SAVINGS AT PAR

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Actual Value (Estimated), 1917, \$1,000,000,000

Assessed Value, 1917, 446,000,000.00

Total Bonded Debt, 2,818,000.00

Ratio of debt to assessed value less than sixty-four one-hundredths of one per cent.

PRICE 101 AND INTEREST

Yielding 4.85% to Optional Date, 4 1/2% per cent.

DECEMBER OFFERINGS

MUNICIPALS

Portland, Oregon, New Improvement, 6 1/2%

OVERBECK & COOKE CO.

Brokers, Stocks, Bonds, Cotton, Grain, Etc.

216-217 BOARD OF TRADE BLDG.

MEMBERS CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

Correspondents of Logan & Bryna, Chicago and New York.

Chicago Stock Exchange

Chicago Board of Trade

New York Cotton Exchange

New York Produce Exchange

New York Coffee Exchange

New York Sugar Exchange

Liverpool Cotton Assn.

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