

TRANSACTIONS IN THE WORLD OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE

BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR OREGON HOPS

A. J. Luce Says They Can Make Any Price.

Situation for 1902 Crop Entirely in Their Hands—Contracts Are Too Low.

According to prominent hop authorities the price of the 1902 crop of hops is in the hands of the Oregon growers...

FRONT STREET, May 21.—A. J. Luce, one of the most prominent hop authorities of the country, writing from New York, says: "The hop market looks decidedly better and the world's crop does not look any too flattering at this time..."

Oregon Growers Hold Key. "The growers of the State of Oregon hold the key as to what the future quotations on the 1902 stock will be..."

Expect High Hop Prices. "I dare not give at this time what I think the prices will reach before the end of the present season..."

Local Hops Are Strong. "The reports of large damage to the growing hops throughout the Valley..."

Regular Line Arrived from San Francisco late last night and this morning the usual large string of trucks were kept busy transporting the assorted cargo of small fruits and mixed vegetables...

Half Holiday on Front Street. The commission houses closed their doors promptly at 12 o'clock today in honor of the visit of the President.

Shortage in Tomatoes. The larger canneries have not yet made a price on future tomatoes of the 1902 crop...

Eggs Again Climb. Egg prices on the climb again and today the quotations will range from 17 to 17 1/2 cents a dozen.

The Poultry Demand. The poultry demand during the week was pretty strong with receipts about the average...

Much Ado in Packed Meats. The week in the packed meat market was lively with quotations ranging with each change in the moon...

Quiet in Fresh Meats. The fresh meat markets on Front street are quiet with the receipts of receipts and quotations are up to the top notch.

Portland Wholesale Prices. Grain, Flour and Feed. Wheat—Falls Walla, 72c; bluestem, 77c; Valley, 74c.

Hops, Wool and Hides. Hops—20c for choice, 1902 contracts, 15c. Wool—Nominal Valley, 15c; Eastern Oregon, 14c; Mohair, 18c; short wool, 22c; medium wool, 20c; long wool, 20c.

Eggs and Poultry. Butter—Oregon creamery, 23 1/2c; dairy, 20c; store, 17c. Eggs—Fresh Oregon, 17c; California, 18c; Young American, 18 1/2c; Eastern, 18 1/2c.

Greeneries, Hops, Etc. Sugar—White, 8 1/2c; granulated, 8 7/8c; extra, 8 3/4c; Golden C, 8 1/2c; barrels, 10c; 100 lb. cask, 9c; for cash, 10c; maple, 14c.

Cattle in Slow Arrivals and Sale. Sheep Market Shows Weakness. CHICAGO, May 21.—The receipts of live stock in the principal live stock centers of the country today were:

What Shall We Have for Dessert? This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O.

OREGON STOCKMEN ARE BUYING CATTLE

Large Shipment of Stock Made to Northwest.

Buyer for Seattle Packing House Strikes Snag at Kansas City—Quarantine the Cause.

(Journal Special Service.) KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 21.—One of the features of the cattle business recently was the shipment of a trainload of Shorthorn breeding cattle to the Far Northwest.

Local sheep receipts last week show an increase of 4,000 compared with a week ago, and are 20,000 greater than the supply received a year ago.

Seattle Packers Struck Hard. The agent of Seattle, Wash., packers ran up against a hard snag here last week. The situation is interesting to the Northwest.

Interviews with the railroad company and the quarantine officials in nothing. For an entire week these cattle, worth an average of \$35 each, were held in the Kansas City stockyards.

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CHICAGO WHEAT IS MORE ACTIVE

Liver, Though, Shows a Weakness.

Corn is Spirited on the Continent—Early Planted is in Good Stand.

(Logan & Bryan's Daily Grain Letter to Bolten & Ruyter & Co.) Chicago, May 21.—Wheat—Liverpool, 4 1/2c; Paris and Antwerp, 4 1/2c.

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ARMOUR IS PROUD OVER ESTIMATED CONSUMPTION

A. I. Valentine of the Armour Company Talks.

Consumption Slightly Over the Supply—A Bull Year Predicted in Wheat.

(By special permission of Bolten, De Ruyter & Co.) CHICAGO, May 21.—The Record-Herald says: "The wheat crop situation, says A. I. Valentine of Armour Co., suggests a racehorse that had just been edged in a very promising condition, but which had gotten just a little off edge and is in a rather questionable condition."

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GRANTS PASS VOTES FOR FREE LIBRARY

Carnegie Will Now Donate Ten Thousand Dollars for the Building.

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Weather Forecast. Oregon—Fair tonight and Friday; light frost tonight; westerly winds. Washington—Fair tonight and Friday; frost tonight; westerly winds. Idaho—Fair tonight and Friday; occasional showers tonight; southerly breeze tonight north and west portions. If you have not seen the Pacific Ocean make the trip next Sunday, with the Pacific Coast Line of Security. Round trip to Seattle \$1.