

TODAY'S MARKETS

HOP QUALITY SHOWS BETTER

Latest Reports From the Yards Say Some Improve - Others Much Worse.

Latest market features: Hop quality better than expected. Street condition alarms street.

Reports received from the hop fields of the valley and especially the west side are expected up to this time.

Most of the yards which were thought to be slightly affected by mold and vermin have turned out to be in perfect shape.

According to Mr. Mitchell his yards are much better than first believed - the quality being the best in the yard.

Dealers are playing a waiting game in the market, but no late sales being reported.

Complain on Street Condition. While front street dealers are very anxious to have that thoroughfare improved, they are up in arms over the action of the Portland General Electric company in tearing up the east side.

Grapes Are Further Glutted. The grape market is glutted worse than ever today owing to the arrival of two more cars from California.

Several fears of bananas arrived in this morning in bad condition, further increasing the complaint commission row has had against the banana trust for the past two years.

Cheese Market Is Lower. A lower range of values is today shown in the cheese market.

Grain, Flour and Feed. GRAIN BAGS - Calcutta, 9c, large lots; small lots, 9 1/2c.

WHEAT - New - Club, 82c; red Russian, 79c; bluestem, 84c; valley, 82c.

BARLEY - New - Feed, 22.50@22.00 per ton; rolled, 24.50@25.00; brewing, 23.50@24.00.

OATS - New - Procured - price - No. 1 white, 24.00 per ton; gray, 23.00.

FLOUR - Straight, 4.25; export, 4.30; valley, 4.30@4.40; Graham, 5 1/2c; whole wheat, 4.40; rye, 5 1/2c; 25.00@26.00.

MILLSTUFFS - Bran, 17.00 per ton; middlings, 22.00; shorts, country, 20c; city, 19c; chop, 18.00@21.00.

BUTTER - Fat - S. O. B. Portland - Sweet cream, 3 1/2c; sour, 3 1/4c.

CHEESE - New - Full cream, flats, 15@16c; per lb. - American, 17.50 per lb.; eastern, 17.4c.

Everyone is Picking Their Hops Because of the Promise of the Short Sellers that Prices Would Pay.

LIVERPOOL IS LOWER TODAY

Wheat Market in Chicago Sustains a Loss With Foreign Slump.

Northwest Crop Weather. Western Oregon and Western Washington - Fair tonight; Tuesday day; cooler except near coast; northerly winds.

CHICAGO WHEAT VALUES. Sept. 9, 1907. Sept. 8, 1907. Sept. 7, 1907.

Chicago, Sept. 9. - Although the wheat market started strong and at higher prices today's trading was bearish.

The government crop figures to be given out tomorrow at an hour earlier than usual will make the first approximate after the harvest estimate of the wheat crop of the United States for 1907.

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Call money closed 5 1/2 @ 6 per cent. Total sales for today, \$18,500 shares.

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OFF GRADE HOGS DROP IN PRICE

Value is Cut 25 to 50c Today - Good Hogs Wanted at Top - Lambs Better.

LOCAL LIVESTOCK RUN. Hogs, Cattle, Sheep. Today. 285. 830. 234.

Portland Union Stockyards, Sept. 9. - Just why the hog producers of Oregon will year after year persist in shipping a product to market before it is ready is a mystery to the livestock trade.

For first-class finished hogs a good demand is now ruling in the local yards. Receipts of this character are small and the best stuff readily picked up by packers at \$6.75@7.

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ADVANCE IN FREIGHT COSTS WHEAT GROWERS MUCH MONEY

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GRAND RONDE APPLES SOLD TO KANSAS CITY

La Grande, Or., Sept. 9. - A contract for the sale of more than 60,000 boxes of Grand Ronde apples at \$1.40 per box has been concluded between E. Z. Carbine of Grand Ronde valley and C. E. Walker of Kansas City.

U. S. Government Bonds. New York, Sept. 9. - Government bonds market today. Bid. Asked.

Portland Bank Statement. Clearings today \$1,290,484.00. Balances today \$130,522,232.00.

New York Cotton Market. Open. High. Low. Close. Sept. 7, 1907. Sept. 8, 1907. Sept. 9, 1907.

Liverpool Grain Market. Liverpool, Sept. 9. - Official prices: Liverpool, WHEAT.

Big Make of Cheese. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Tillamook, Or., Sept. 9. - The Nehalem cheese factory will manufacture this season something over 30,000 pounds of cheese.

Most Wheat Is Sold. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Athens, Or., Sept. 9. - Practically all the harvesting in the vicinity of Athens is completed, and much of the wheat about here has been sold, though much is being held for higher prices.

What Is a Weak Man? No man is stronger than his weakest part - Few men have perfect strength.

DR. TAYLOR The Leading Specialist. If I were asked to point out a man in full and perfect strength I would not look for one with the largest muscles, the strongest frame, nor the abtest in physical endurance.

Weakness Wrecks Men's Lives. Many a youth of splendid promise has failed because of some weakness the nature of which made him delay seeking medical aid until it had become serious, and greatly injured his life's opportunities.

Get the Best Treatment First. I have been treating Men, and men only, for nearly 25 years. I have an established reputation in Portland, which I hold as a priceless asset.

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Weakness. Functional weakness in men is in reality a comparatively simple ailment, and is but a symptom of local disorder, a state of chronic inflammation of the prostate gland.

Contracted Diseases. I have reduced the time required for curing contracted disorders about one half. This is an important achievement. It replaces danger with safety.

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EXAMINATION FREE. I offer not only FREE Consultation and Advice, but of every case that comes to me I will make a Careful Examination and Diagnosis without charge.

ST. LOUIS MEDICAL AND SURGICAL DISPENSARY

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EGGS SUPPLIES ARE SMALLEST IN STREET

"Eggs were never so scarce as at this time. The market is in the best possible shape and all shipments now command the top figures. Local eggs are always better than those from the east."

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Teeth Without Plates. A SPECIALTY. FROM UNTIL SEPTEMBER 15. Silver Filling, \$1.00. Gold and Platinum Alloy Fillings, \$1.50.

Chicago Dental Parlor. N. W. Cor. Sixth and Washington Sts. The largest and best equipped dental establishment in the northwest.

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