

ONION MARKET IN BAD SHAPE LACK OF CATTLE SEND PRICE HIGHER STEEL OUTLOOK CAUSES WORRY FOR MANY DAYS DULLEST TRADE FOR MANY DAYS

None Want to Buy and the Stocks are Rotting While Growers are Holding.

TODAY'S WHOLESALE MARKETS. Onion market in bad shape. Potatoes holding firm.

Onion Market in Bad Shape. The local onion situation is badly demoralized and the same condition exists elsewhere on the coast.

Growers Still Have Hopes. To the holding growers the hope still clings that the present clouds retain a silvery lining and practically most of the dealers are of the opinion that onions will do better later in the season.

California Butter Threatens. The very liberal shipments of California and eastern butter in this direction of late threatens the high price of the local product now in effect.

Apples are Quoted Steadier. There is a steadier tone in the local egg situation owing to the very good outside demand.

Brief Notes of Wholesale Trade. Halibut is down to 7c a pound today, a drop of 1c since yesterday.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. BUTTER—Extra creamery, 36c; fancy, 37c.

WE WILL PAY AS FOLLOWS: Dressed Pork, any size, 10c; Dressed Veal, under 130 lbs., 10c.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN. Friday Hogs, Cattle, Sheep. Thursday 100 100 850.

Portland Union Stockyards, March 18.—It was another day making three in succession that no cattle were received in the local market for sale.

Not only is the trade showing a good demand for top stuff but even ordinary grade of steers would now find welcome although it is not at all the strength it was a few days ago.

Sheep Coming From the Valley. There was quite a good run of sheep in the yards during the 24 hours, a total of 225 head being received.

Fruits and Vegetables. FRUIT—ORANGES—new average, 42¢ to 45¢ per box.

BOARD OF TRADE RECEIPTS. Wheat, Barley, Oats, Hay, Flour. Friday 4 3 7 1,200.

PRODUCE IN SAN FRANCISCO. San Francisco, March 19.—Eggs, per dozen, California, 18¢.

Portland Produce Receipts. Receipts of produce by boat, rail and express for the 24 hours up to 11:30 a. m.

SEATTLE PRODUCE MARKET. (United Press Licensed Wire.) Seattle, March 19.—Butter, per pound.

Stock Market Is Very Quiet With Small Changes—Close Fairly Steady.

New York, March 19.—The stock market opened mixed but showed a general recovery later in the day.

Chicago Wheat Market Has a Very Narrow Spread of Prices During Session. Chicago, March 19.—The total range in the price of May wheat today was 1/4c from start to finish.

Range of Chicago prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co. WHEAT. Open, High, Low, Close.

DESCRIPTION. Am. Copper 68 69 67 68 68 68.

News Gossip of Finance. New Oregon Corporations. Salem, Or., March 18.—Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of secretary of state as follows:

United States Government Bonds. New York, March 19.—Official bid prices: Date Bid. Ask.

London Silver Market. London, March 19.—Silver, 23 1/2.

Portland Banks. Clearings today \$1,244,924.29.

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PRICES OF WHEAT AT THE WORLD'S CENTERS. Portland, May Option, \$1.08 3/4.

ELEVENTH STREET LINE TO DEPOT. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Vancouver, Wash., March 19.—According to the present plans of the Vancouver Traction company.

MRS. DAN SHANNON BANKERS IN THE PULPIT. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Vancouver, Wash., March 19.—A deviation from the rule was taken yesterday at the tabernacle.

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