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Final Reports From Delayed Harvest Give the Total Crop of Three States as 63,430,000 Bushels Compared With 40,000,000 Bushels a Year Ago; Light Land Production Is Very Disappointing.

NORTHWEST WHEAT CROP

Table with columns: State, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914. Rows: Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Total.

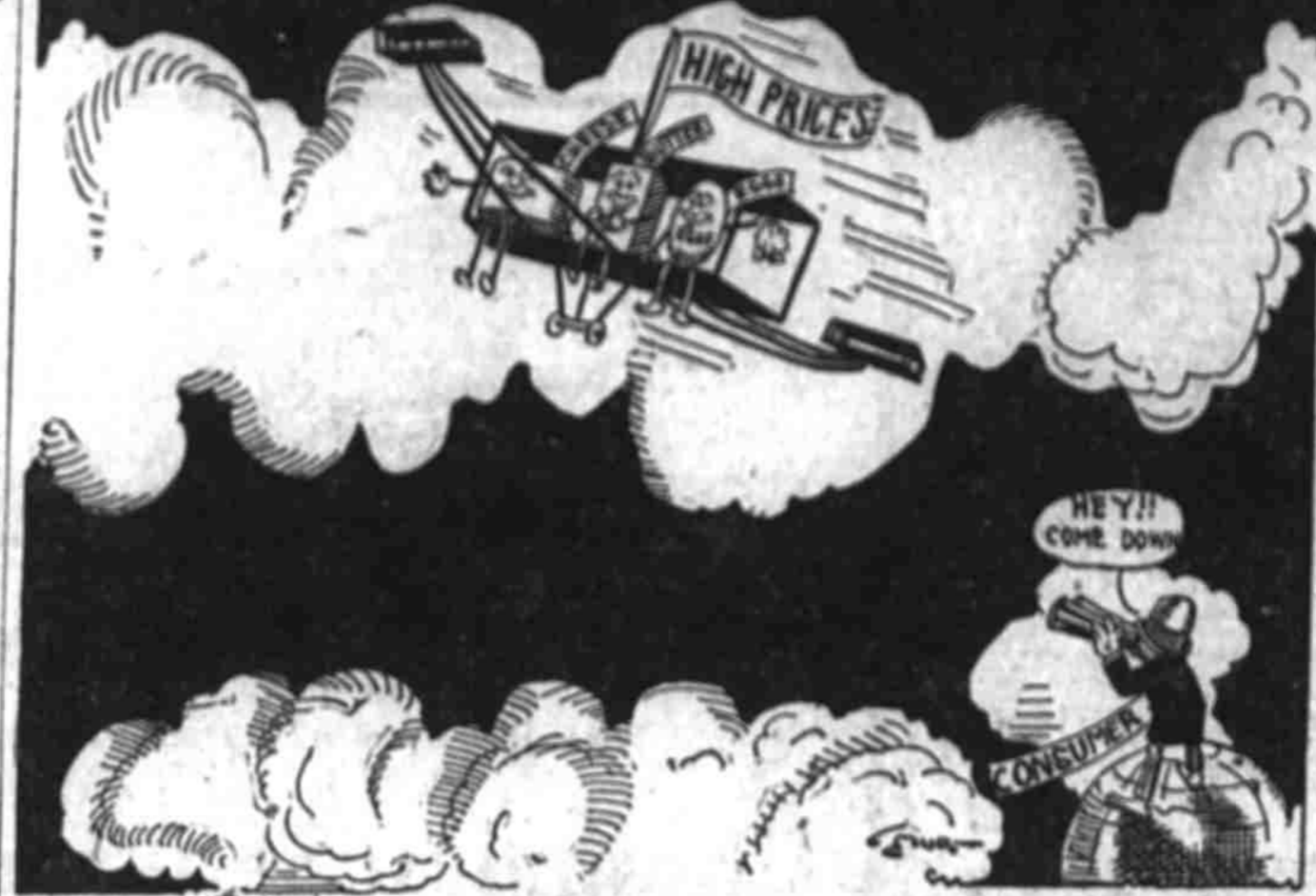
By Hyman H. Cohen. The 1911 wheat harvest in the Pacific northwest is at an end. While the major portion of the harvest has been completed for some weeks, some of the deferred districts have just finished and returns from those centers are available for the first time.

The harvest has been by far the most successful in the history of the states of Oregon, Idaho and Washington and taking the states as a unit, the final reports more than justify the reports given by The Journal previous to the close of the season.

Final reports give the total crop of wheat in the Pacific northwest at 63,430,000 bushels for 1911 while in 1912 it was 40,000,000 bushels. The completed report of the 1911 harvest in Oregon is a slightly smaller output of wheat than was previously credited. Final figures show a total of 11,700,000 bushels compared with an estimated crop on July 11 at 11,700,000 bushels.

Final returns give the state of Idaho a wheat crop of 1,000,000 bushels for 1911 compared with 1,000,000 bushels on July 11 and an actual yield of 7,000,000 bushels in 1912. The crop of Washington is given a better yield than this, but the grain trade as a rule has been of the opinion that for years the crop of that state has been a failure. Actual shipments and seed and home requirements scarcely justify the reports of the Washington crop allowed by Idaho government officials.

The wheat crop of Idaho this year is the greatest known in the state. Climatic conditions were far more favorable to the crop this year than in either 1911 or 1912. Idaho had more rain previous to the summer and had cooler weather during the hot part of the season. The other two states of the northwest had a crop for the better showing than expected.



PECULIAR CHANGE IN THE LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION

CATTLE HOLDINGS INCREASE HEAVILY DURING LAST YEAR. NUMBER OF HOGS IS 17,000 GREATER THAN ONE YEAR AGO. HALF MILLION HEAD LESS SHEEP IN STATE THAN A YEAR AGO.

ORIGON CATTLE SUPPLIES

Table with columns: 1911, 1912, 1913. Rows: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.

HOG PRODUCTION GROWING

Table with columns: Oregon, Head, 1910, 1911, 1912.

SHEEP DECREASE IS HEAVY

Table with columns: Oregon, Head, 1910, 1911, 1912.

HOOD RIVER CELERY GETS REPUTATION AS BEST IN NORTHWEST

MAV EXHAUST WOOL SUPPLY BEFORE NEW CLIP IS AVAILABLE

There has been a very serious decrease in the holdings of cattle in Oregon during the past 12 months. Estimate of holdings in the state today, as compiled by The Journal, show 605,000 head exclusive of milk cows, as compared with 680,000 head a year ago.

By Hyman H. Cohen. Within the space of a single year the number of hogs held on Oregon farms has nearly doubled and an investigation shows the same condition in Idaho with only a slight variation from this increase in Washington.

Decreasing range during the past few years has played havoc with the sheep industry in the Pacific northwest and especially in Oregon, where many former grazing grounds are being cultivated.

Famous Apple and Berry District Is Likely to Solve the Problem of Heavy Importations to This Section From Outside Sources.

Heavier Demand for Quick Delivery in Boston Market With the Mills Unable to Take Care of Call for Spot Orders.

Foreign markets are likewise showing a decline in the wool market. The volume of new business in the Boston wool market has been smarter than for some weeks past. The aggregate transfers on new deals in between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000.

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PORTLAND JOBBING PRICES

Grain, Flour and Hay. These prices are those at which wholesalers sell to retailers, except as otherwise stated. WHEAT—Producers price nominal; track delivery, club, 78¢@80¢; bluestem, 81¢@82¢; fortyfold, 80¢@81¢; Willamette valley, 78¢; red Russian, 78¢; Turkey red, 81¢.

CATTLE SALES OF WEEK

1 steer 1000 \$8.00 2 steers 1195 7.75 70 steers 1279 5.70 70 steers 1279 5.70 114 steers 1065 5.65 208 steers 1170 5.65 83 steers 1125 5.50 25 steers 1083 5.40 25 steers 1050 5.40 43 steers 1190 5.35 9 steers 1119 5.75 2 steers 1235 5.50 20 steer calves 1220 5.25 1 steer 1190 5.35 1 heifer 1220 5.35 30 heifers 1025 5.40 27 steers 1153 5.40 22 steers 1140 5.35 22 steers 1153 5.40 1 steer 1180 5.25 28 steers 1032 5.00

CHICKEN SALES OF WEEK

19 hogs 195 \$7.00 22 hogs 219 6.95 22 hogs 219 6.95 2 hogs 250 6.00 1 hog 420 6.00 96 calves 214 6.90 85 steers 216 6.90 84 steers 216 6.85 69 hogs 162 6.85 4 hogs 325 6.00 5 hogs 324 6.25 42 steers 191 7.00 42 steers 191 7.00 93 hogs 200 \$6.90 82 hogs 200 6.90 103 hogs 191 7.00 48 hogs 193 \$7.00 100 hogs 200 6.90 103 hogs 191 7.00 6 hogs 301 6.00 3 hogs 386 5.50

CHICKEN LIVESTOCK STEADY

All Lines Are Holding Unchanged; Hogs Selling at \$6.60. Chicago, Nov. 11.—Run: Hogs, 15,000; cattle, 300; sheep, 1500. Hogs are steady; left over, 2600; receipts a year ago, 11,000; mid, 15,35¢; best, 15,35¢; rough, 15,30¢; light, 15,65¢@16.45¢. Cattle, steady. Sheep, steady.

WHEAT CROP SOWN

Walla Walla, Nov. 11.—Much needed and long awaited rain and snow broke the long dry spell in the week just ended, and the wheat crop is under much more favorable circumstances than a week ago. The rain of the week was good, more than half an inch, and the ground is now in excellent shape.

Financial Gossip of Wall St.

By Preston C. Adams. (Special to The Journal.) New York, Nov. 11.—The Wall street market has recovered in part last week from the shock of filing the suit against the steel trust, but there still exists a shivering feeling in the land and no one makes for very active dealings in the speculative markets, and this is liable to continue for a good while to come.

HOPE MARKET FIRMER IN EVERY DISTRICT

By Hyman H. Cohen. (Special to The Journal.) Joseph, Or., Nov. 11.—Stockmen are busy getting all stock into winter quarters and none to soon for snow to a depth of six inches has fallen here yesterday morning. Snow of the dry kind that usually stays in this county for holiday trade and say that this trade is all ready starting, which shows that the people are not worried over the tightness of money.

INTERIOR STOCKMEN PREPARED FOR COLD

Considerable activity was shown in the local hop market yesterday. Buying was principally between dealers with Joe Harris, Catta & Linn, A. D. Velez & Co., Brown and Henry. Bents as principal operators in the Willamette valley. Prices paid ruled between 43¢@43 1/2¢ a pound.

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