

THE BEST SEASONS FOR POTATOES IN THE LOCAL SECTIONS

Extra Choice Finds a Demand at \$1.35 F. O. B. Willamette Valley Points; Southwestern Buyers Say the Price Is Too High.

There is a very firm tone in the dressed meat market along the coast, and in some instances quotations are being stretched.

For extra choice stock a number of carloads were purchased in the Willamette valley at \$1.85 per cental f. o. b. stations.

While accumulations are still showing in the chicken trade along the coast, the market is again steady.

There is a very great scarcity of local cabbage offerings in the market, and this was generally being held for slightly higher prices.

While dealers are taking hold of the small amount of wool offering prices that are practically the same as recently offered.

The first carload of rhubarb from the south is now rolling in this direction.

Weather bureau sends out the following notice to shippers: Protect shipments as far north as Seattle against minimum temperatures of about 40 degrees.

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LIVESTOCK MARKET IS PROMISING FOR THE FUTURE

Run Is Small in All Lines and There Is a Good Demand in Hogs and Sheep; Cattle Trade Is Still a Little Backward in the Yards.

In the Stockyards. North Portland—Hogs firm, cattle weak, sheep firm.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN. Wed. 188 19 24 Tue. 203 17 416 Mon. 1127 1055 36 1028 Sat. 351 337 34 421 Fri. 451 337 34 421 Thurs. 171 625 69 214 Week ago. 576 84 614

General there was no change in the livestock situation at North Portland. The trade is still congested for cattle and while there is only a limited offering for the day, killers have their immediate needs.

Those most interested in the local market are forced to go out of their way to clean up the trade with a little delay as possible.

Local interests are paying exactly the same price for swine today as they have been during the past two weeks.

At Chicago there was a loss of 5c in the price of hogs today.

CHICAGO CATTLE LOWER Market Is Off 10 Cents for the Day; Sheep Trade Is Strong. Chicago, March 6.—Run, hogs, 35,000; cattle, 17,000; sheep, 25,000.

DRESSING AND FINISHING THE FLOUR BUSINESS

Japanese Financial Disturbance Likewise Affects Trade and Only the Established Brands Are Finding Favor in the Orient.

Indian Wheat Crop. (Special Cable.) Calcutta, India, March 6.—An official report of the wheat crop of the province of Bengal shows a yield that is 100 per cent of the normal. The acreage is showing a small increase.

ARGENTINA WHEAT YIELD. (Special Cable.) Buenos Ayres, Argentina, March 6.—There was an advance of 5/16 in the wheat market today.

PRICE OF PRODUCE ALONG THE COAST. San Francisco, March 6.—Wheat—Australian \$1.25; California club, \$1.55; do milling, California club, \$1.55; do milling, bluestem, \$1.55; do club, \$1.55; do turkey red, \$1.71; do blue, \$1.71; do feed, \$1.35; do fair, \$1.35; do poor, \$1.35.

Seattle Markets. Seattle, Wash., March 6.—Butter—Washington creamery, firsts, 35¢; second, 34¢; third, 33¢; fourth, 32¢.

Los Angeles Markets. Los Angeles, Calif., March 6.—Ranch, case, 20¢; dozen, 21¢; do canned, 25¢; pulled, 18¢.

WHEAT SHORTS COVERING Price Closes 1/4 to 1/2 Cents Higher After Rather Dull Start.

Table with columns: Range of Chicago prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co. WHEAT. May 103 104 103 104 1/4 June 97 98 97 98 1/4 Sept. 93 94 93 94 1/4

DETAILS OF GREATER CITY PLAN EXPLAINED

"I am standing on a platform of old-fashioned Republican planks, and am particularly opposed to the initiative and referendum and the tenets of Socialism," said Orville Billings, candidate for the governorship of the state of Washington, this morning.

Howard M. Weed talked on the subject, "How to Beautify a City Lot," and illustrated his points with views showing the results of "beautiful lot" contests in other cities.

The association will hold a meeting at Montavilla next Monday evening under the auspices of the Montavilla board of trade.

At a meeting of the association held yesterday afternoon, Mr. Bennett was instructed to prepare a detailed report of the plans for the greater Portland idea, and he will at once instruct his Chicago office to begin the work.

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MISSISSIPPI ASSEMBLY ASKS PERCY TO RESIGN

(United Press Pressed Wire.) Jackson, Miss., March 6.—The state senate, by a vote of 28 to 13, has demanded that United States Senator Percy resign.

Following the vote in the senate, the house immediately debated the resolution and it was adopted by a vote of 66 to 38.

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PORTLAND BANK STATEMENT

Portland Banks. Clearings today \$2,745,768.80 Year ago \$2,073,573.68 Gain today \$672,195.22 Balances today \$1,017,417.41 Year ago \$1,167,757.63

Tacoma Banks. Clearings today \$710,510.00 Balances today \$5,310,000.00

New York Cotton Market. Open. High. Low. Close. January - 105 109 103 107 1/2

Veterinary Board Named. (Special to The Journal.) Salem, Ore., March 6.—Governor West has appointed three members of the state veterinary medical board.

Sharp Advance Is Made for Sheep; Hogs Are Quoted Lower. Kansas City, Mo., March 6.—Hogs, receipts, 11,000; market 6¢ lower.

Big Boom in Sheep. South Omaha Market Is 10 to 20 Cents Higher for the Day.

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