

EUROPEAN DEMAND FOR OATS IS SHOWING INCREASE ON COAST

POTATO QUARANTINE BELIEVED TO BE THE ONLY SOLUTION FOR BEST QUALITY HOP MARKET HAS A STRONG TONE HERE

Stated That Even U. S. Department of Agriculture is in Favor of Keeping the Southern Stock Out; Discriminate Against Oregon.

Latest reports from California seem to have justified local produce interests in asking that a quarantine be established against the sale of potatoes from that state in this or other Pacific northwest markets.

At first it was generally believed that the ravages of the tuber moth were confined to but a few growing sections of California, but recent reports from there indicate that few sections are exempt.

While 30c is still being obtained generally for candied fresh ranch eggs, the market is weaker.

CHICKEN MARKET IS GOOD While there were somewhat better sales in the market generally for the last 24 hours, the market is holding rather well.

VEALS ARE NOT SO FIRM While some of the trade is reporting sales of veal at 12c to 13c a pound, the bulk of the business in No. 1 quality is today shown around 12c.

SMELT PRICES ARE HIGHER Market for Columbia river smelt showed a strong tone this morning, with lack of additional supplies from where the market is held.

CELERY MARKET IS FIRMER With a better feeling in the south there is a demand for celery in the local market.

BUTTER MARKET IS WEAK Market for creamery butter continues to show weakness and in some quarters further shading of prices is reported.

SHIPPERS' WEATHER NOTICE The weather bureau sends the following notice to shippers: Protect shipments as far north as Seattle.

JOBBER PRICES OF PORTLAND These prices are those at which wholesalers sell to retailers, except as stated.

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FOREIGNERS GRAB UP OATS AND MARKET IS MORE EXCITED HERE

No. 1 Feed Is Finding Eager Bids of \$34.50 Per Ton, Tidewater Basis; Liberal Sales of Barley Made to European Interests.

WHEAT CARGOES HIGHER London, Jan. 13.—Wheat cargoes on passage 74d bid.

It is now confirmed that one sale of 12,000 tons of oats has been made by a local firm for shipment from Puget sound next month to Europe.

Advices from the interior state that cereal growers there are not at all inclined to sell just now, and no business consequence is reported.

Wheat market is firm in the interior, but not enough business is shown to quote. On the basis of Portland delivery today club wheat is easily worth \$3.00.

U. S. Government Bonds New York, Jan. 13.—Government bonds registered, 87.

Seattle Daily Produce. Seattle, Jan. 13.—Eggs—Select ranch, 31c; extra Aprils, 28c.

Foreign Exchange Rates. Merchants' National bank quotes foreign exchange rates as follows:

New York Sugar and Coffee. New York, Jan. 13.—Sugar—Centrifugal, 4.07; molasses, 1.30.

Foreign Demand Is Cause of Sharp Rise in Price of Wheat Chicago, Jan. 13.—Foreign demand for wheat and the forced covering of short sales, resulted in a closing advance of 2 1/2c a bushel in the May, and 1 1/2c in the July option today.

Range of Chicago prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade building.

NEVADA MINING QUOTATIONS (Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.) San Francisco, Jan. 13.—Nevada stocks.

WESTERN BANK STATEMENT Clearings, Bonds, Cotton, Grain, etc. \$26,217 Board of Trade Building.

PURE CARBON BRICKS ALL HEAT NO ASH Omaha Cattle Active. (Special to The Journal.) Omaha, Jan. 13.—Cattle, 3600.

Annual Number an Authority. The annual financial review of the New York Evening Post with its 50 pages brimming full of information.

HOLD CLOVER SEED FOR HIGHER PRICES BEANISH FEATURE; PRICES ARE LOWERED

Willamette Valley Authority Makes Claim That Fully \$100,000 Worth of Stock Is Sold Here; Fears Growers Will Be Hurt.

The market for clover seed is reported in rather poor condition, with prices tending lower.

It is reported that the clover seed in the hands of farmers of Willamette valley, after careful examination of the different sections we find that there is not less than \$100,000 worth of seed at the present prices.

Canadian Pacific Strong and Higher New York Trade New York, Jan. 13.—Canadian Pacific was one of the few strong issues on the stock market today.

Range of New York prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade building.

San Francisco Grain Market. San Francisco, Jan. 13.—Barley sales. Open. Close. Jan. 12.

Denver Hogs \$6.85. (Special to The Journal.) Denver, Jan. 13.—Cattle—1000.

Various Wheat Markets. Kansas City Wheat closed: May, \$1.33 1/2; July, \$1.19 1/2.

Paris Wheat Market. Paris, Jan. 13.—Wheat closed 1 1/2 higher.

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LOCAL BUSINESS NEWS

School of Commerce of Oregon State University Is Gathering Vast Amount of Commercial Data Valuable to Needs of Trade.

NORTH BANK PLACES BIG TIMBER ORDERS

Box Shooks Survey Complete. H. B. Miller, director of the school of commerce at the University of Oregon, has just completed a survey of the box shooks trade.

Milwaukie Bank Has Gain. According to a statement issued by the First State bank of Milwaukie, that institution has made a substantial gain.

City Will Aid Home. The Plisgah Home to be established at Seaplace for homeless men is to receive help from the city.

Agree to Waive Objections. In a waiver filed with the city council this morning, property owners along Union avenue by Bryant street to Columbia boulevard agree to waive their objections.

To Establish New Camp. The city council this morning authorized a contract with Harriet B. Kilbin for 1000 cords of wood near Beaverton.

TRAFFIC ORDINANCE NEXT After several months of delay the city council is to be asked Friday to take action on the revised traffic ordinance.

Objections to Improvement. Owing to the objections to the acceptance of the improvement of Legion avenue and other streets adjoining on Portland Heights, the ordinance is postponed.

Steps Provide Pensions. Preliminary steps for the creation of a fund for the pensioning and relief of the members of the bureau of police were taken at a meeting of Mayor Albee, City Attorney La Roche, City Auditor Barbur, Chief of Police Clark and Senior Captain of Police Moore.

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LUMBERMENS NATIONAL BANK Capital and Surplus \$1,200,000. Fifth and Stark Sts. On Savings 4%.