SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD REPORTS GOOD CROP OUTLOOK

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NEW POTATOES ARE STEADIER WITH OLD STOCKS OUT MARTS

Practically Nothing Is Now Available for Shipment of the 1916 Production; New Stock Holding Well at 4½c at 5c a Pound.

With the practical withdrawal of old potatoes from the leading markets of the country, there is a steadier tone shown for new stock at leading centers, even though increased supplies are shown from the earlier producing sections.

Along Front street new potatoes are selling at 4½ to 5c a pound generally for the day with white stock in lugs and garnets in sacks at the lower price and garnets in lugs at 5c a pound.

There is still a rather fair call for old potatoes from the middle west and the southwest but the local trade has quit shipping and no additional carloads can now go forward without incurring too much expense in assembling.

The new potato crop in Oregon is looking well, but is very late. There will be no early stock from local sections and acre for acre the crop will not be as heavy as a year ago although with the increased area the total production will be somewhat heavier.

LARGE HALIBUT IS SCARCE

While there are quite fair supplies of small sized halibut coming from off the Oregon coast, large sizes are scarce and prices remain high. Practically all the boats operating in this vicinity are fishing off Flattery.

STRAWBERRY MARKET LOWER

Lower prices were again named for strawberries on the East Side Farmers' market, when sales were generally reported at $1.20@1.40, although late in the day some business was done to $1. Along the street sales were at $1.00@1.50.

VEAL MARKET IS ERRATIC

While in some instances sales of country killed calves were better along the street during the last 24 hours, and were made up to 15c, some of the receivers were unable to secure over 14½c. Hogs held steady.

THREE CARS CANTS ARRIVE

Three carloads of cantaloupes were reported in for the local trade during the day, the entire lot coming from California. The market continues to reflect an easier tone, with further shading of values.

EGG MARKET JUST STEADY

Market for eggs is just about steady along the street, with no further change indicated in prices.

Chickens continue slow around former prices.

Butter market also steady, with prices generally maintained.

BRIEF NOTES OF THE TRADE

Wire nails show an advance of 50c a keg for the day.

Gooseberries are selling well at 3 to 5c a pound.

Merced tomatoes in good demand around $1.90@2.15 for best.

Fresh salmon market remains firm, with shipments from Puget Sound, Southern Oregon and California.

California cabbage is holding steady here at 5c for the best.

SHIPPERS' WEATHER NOTICE

Weather bureau advises: Protect shipments during the next 48 hours as far north as Seattle against maximum temperatures of about 70 degrees, northeast to Spokane, 84 degrees; southeast to Boise, 84 degrees, south to Ashland, 88 degrees. Maximum temperature at Portland tomorrow about 76 degrees.

JOBBING PRICES IN PORTLAND

These prices are those at which wholsalers sell to retailers, except as otherwise stated.

Dairy Products

BUTTER — Creamery, prints in paraffine wrappers, extras, 35c; prime firsts, 34½c; firsts, 35½c; cubes, 1c less; cartons, 1c advance.

BUTTERFAT — Portland delivery — No. 1 cream, 38c.

EGGS—Selling price: Case count, 30c per dozen; buying price, 20@30c; selling price, candled, 22@33c.

LIVE POULTRY — Hens, heavy Plymouth Rocks, 15c per lb.; ordinary chickens, 14c per lb.; stags, 13c per lb.; broilers, 1½@2c per lb.; turkeys, 20@21c per lb.; dressed, fancy, 26@28c per lb.; culls, 20@24c; squabs, $2.00 per dozen; geese, live (—); Pekin ducks, young, 26c per lb.; Indian Runners, old ducks, 17c per lb.; pigeons, $1.25 per dozen.

CHEESE — Selling price: Fresh Oregon fancy full cream triplets, 25@26c; Young America, 27@28c. Price to jobbers, flats, 23½@24c; Young America, 25c, f. o. b.; cream brick, 24@26c. Limburger, 31@32c; block Swiss, 34@35c.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $4.50@3.65 box; bananas, 5½c per lb.; lemons, $4.50@5.50; California grapefruit, $3.00@3.50; Florida, $6.00@7.00; pears, $1.40@2.00; cantaloupes, Crenes, $3.50@3.75; standard, 4.25; special, $2.75; flats, $1.75; watermelons, 3½@4c per lb.; cherries, 7@12½c lb.; apricots, $1.75 @2.00 per crate; peaches, $1.75; plums, $2.00. BERRIES—Strawberries: Local $1.00@1.50; blackberries, $2.00; loganberries, $1.50; gooseberries, 3@5c per lb.

APPLES—Local, $2.50@3.25, according to quality.

ONIONS—California, new red, $1.75; yellow, $1.85.

POTATOES—Selling price, table stock, local, $1.50. Buying price, ordinary shipping, $2.75; new potatoes, 4½@5c.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, $2.00 per sack; carrots, $3.00 sack; beets, $3.00 sack; parsnips, $2.50@ sack; cabbage, California, 2c lb.; green onions, 25c dozen bunches; peppers, 40c lb.; head lettuce, $1.75@2.00 per crate; celery, $5.00 per crate, artichokes, 90@$1.10; cucumbers, $2.00@1.00 per dozen; tomatoes, Mississippi, $1.75@$2.00 crate; egg plant, 20c lb.; string beans, 10@15c; rhubarb, 2@3c per lb.; peas, 6½@7c per lb.; cauliflower, local, (—) per dozen; asparagus, $1.00@1.10 per dozen bunches.

Meats, Fish and Provisions

DRESSED MEATS—Selling price, country killed best hogs, 19@19½c per lb.; ordinary, 18c per lb.; best veals, 14½@15c per lb.; ordinary veals, 12@13½c; heavy, 11@11½c; goat, 4@6c; lambs, 16@17c per lb.; mutton, 12½@15c; beef, 9c per lb.

SMOKED MEATS—Hams, 29@29c per lb.; breakfast bacon, 21@27c; picnics, 22c; cottage roll, 26c; short clears, 25@27c; Oregon experts, smoked, 27c per lb.

LARD—Kettle rendered tierces, 24½c lb.; standard, 23½c; lard compound, 18½c.

OYSTERS—Olympia, gallon, $3.50; canned, eastern, 55c per can, $6.50 per dozen; eastern in shell, $1.60 per 100; eastern oysters, per gallon, solid pack, $2.75.

FISH—Dressed flounders, 7c; Chinook salmon, 10c; perch, 10c; soles, 6c; flounders, 6c, salmon trout, 22c per lb.; halibut, 11c per lb.; black cod, 9c; herring, 6c; razor clams, 20c dozen; hard shell, 4c lb.; $2.75 box.

CRABS—Large, $2.50; medium, $1.75 dozen.

Groceries

SUGAR—Cube, $9.15; powdered, $8.85; fruit or berry, $8.25; Honolulu, $8.20; beet, $8.05; dry granulated, $8.25; D Yellow, $7.90.

HONEY—New, $3.00@3.25 per case.

RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 7½c; New Orleans head, 9c; blue rose, 8½c.

SALT—Coarse, half ground, 100s, $12.40 per ton; 50s, $13.25; table dairy, 50s, $17.25; 100s, $16.75; bales, $2.40; fancy table and dairy, $23.00; lump rock, $29.00 per ton.

BEANS — Small white, 17c; large white, 16½c per lb.; pink, 14c; limas, 17½c; bayous, 18½c; red, 14c.

Hops, Wool and Hides

HOPS—Nominal; buying price, 1916 crop, ordinary, 56@6c; selected, 6c; contracts, 10c per lb.

WOOL—Willamette valley coarse Cotswold, 59@61c lb.; medium Shropshire, 60@63c; fine, 58@60c; Eastern Oregon, 52@61c.

HIDES—Salted hides, 25 lbs. and up, 20c; salted stags, 50 lbs. and up, 15c; green and salted kip, 15 lbs. 22c; green and salted calf skins up to 15 lbs., 32c; green hides, 25 lbs. and up, 18c; green stags, 50 lbs. and up, 13½c; dry hides, 35c; salt hides, 25c; dry horse hides, $1.00@2.50; salt horse hides, $3.00@5.00; horse hair, 30c; dry long wool pelts, 35@35c; dry short wool pelts, 25c; dry sheep shearings each, 10@25c; salted sheep shearings, each, 25@50c; salted long wool pelts, each, $1.50@1.00; salted short wool pelts, each, 50c@1.00.

TALLOW—No. 1, 14c; No. 2, 12c; grease, 6@8c per lb.

CHITTUM OR CASCARA BARK — Buying price, per car lots, 6½@7c per lb.

MOHAIR—1917, 60@61c.

Rope, Paints, Oils

ROPE—Sisal, dark, 22c; white, 22½c per lb.; standard Manila, 30c.

LINSEED — Raw, bbls., $1.32 per gallon; kettle boiled, bbls., $1.34; raw, cases, $1.39; boiled, cases, $1.41 per gallon; lots of 250 gallons.

COAL OIL—Water white, in drums and iron barrels, 10c per gallon.

WHITE LEAD — Ton lots, 14c lb.; 500 lbs., 14½c.

TURPENTINE—Tanks, 62c; cases, 69c; 10 case lots, 1c less.

GASOLINE—Basis price, 20½c per gallon; distillate, 10½c per gallon.

Willamette Valley Crops In Very Good Condition

Excellent crop prospects in the Willamette valley and Southern Oregon are forecast by the report issued by H. A. Hinshaw, general freight agent of the Southern Pacific. The report from various stations shows:

Newberg—Small grains making good growth. Hay is being cut and making an average yield. Potatoes and beans made a decided improvement during the week. All fruits making good progress. Prunes will show about 25 per cent decrease as compared with last year, which was an abnormal crop.

Medford—Pears, apples and peaches growing rapidly; thinning of fruit is in progress. Sugar beets are growing rapidly and indications are there will be a good yield. Fall grain in very good condition; spring grain is in need of rain. Hops show an increased acreage. Beans, tomatoes and potatoes continue making good progress.

Salem—Past week has been warm and favorable to growing crops, small grains and hay making good progress. Latter is now being cut. Potatoes, onions and beans growing rapidly. All fruits continue in good condition, and with present weather conditions will continue to improve rapidly.

Ashland—Wheat, oats and barley are just heading and in good condition. Hay is being harvested and yielding a good crop. Apples, peaches and pears making splendid growth and there will be a heavy crop.

Roseburg—Past week has been favorable for all crops. Apples and pears will make about normal yield. Prunes are making good progress. Beans, potatoes and other crops looking fine.

Eugene—Warm weather prevailing during past week with slight showers, which has aided the growth of all crops. Hay is being harvested and yielding good crop. Beans, potatoes and fruit continue in good condition.

Valley Hay Weak; Trade Is Slow but Interior Is Firm

Central Oregon Demand From Feeders Excellent; Up to $15 Is Paid for Alfalfa.

NORTHWEST GRAIN RECEIPTS

	Wheat.	Barley.	Flr.	Oats.	Hay.
	Cars.				
Portland, Tues..	....	....	....	....	....
Year ago.....	6	3	2	7	3
Season to date..	6,904	287	1520	2331	2623
Year ago.....	10,463	1527	1968	1133	2561
Tacoma, Mon....	23	....	....	....	9
Year ago.....	14	....	1	....	7
Season to date..	7,504	132	....	818	2144
Year ago.....	7,222	528	....	437	2222
Seattle, Mon....	15	....	....	5	8
Year ago.....	8	1	2	10	20
Season to date..	5,586	366	1810	1282	4035
Year ago.....	8,012	1368	2133	1145	4306

There was little change in wheat prices at any point in the country during the early trading as compared with Monday. Trade at Pacific northwest points is limited, and consists of very small lots, and generally of milling wheat.

The market for hay is rather badly depressed at the moment. But little demand is indicated just now. There is quite a fair volume of old crop hay offering, and growers are showing a disposition to contract the new crop for early delivery at Willamette valley points.

On the other hand there is a rather strong tone in the hay situation at interior Oregon points, as high as $15 a ton being offered in the stack for alfalfa in Gilliam county by entire feeders.

Local stocks of hay are rather liberal, and shading of prices is generally indicated.

Broomhall cabled from Liverpool:

Liverpool wheat dull and easy, arrivals liberal, export offers free. Corn firm, good general demand, Argentine continental absorption. Oats dull and steady, arrivals liberal, but spot demand better. Flour easier, with more liberal local mill offers and free arrivals foreign wheat.

WHEAT—Bluestem, $2.45; club, $2.30@2.32; footfold, $2.31@2.33; red Russian, $2.30 per bushel, tidewater track delivery.

OATS—No. 1 feed, $46.00 per ton, tidewater track delivery.

BARLEY—No. 1 feed, $45.00 per ton.

FLOUR—Selling price: Patent, $11.80; Willamette valley, $11.10; local straight, $11.00@11.40; bakers local, $11.00@11.40; Montana spring, $12.00@12.80; exports, $9.10; whole wheat, $12.00; graham, $11.80; rye flour, $1.75 per barrel.

HAY—Buying price, new crop, Willamette timothy, fancy, $27.00@28.00; Eastern Oregon-Washington fancy timothy, $30.00; alfalfa, $18.00; valley vetch, $18.00; cheat, $18.00; clover, $16.00.

GRAIN SACKS—Nominal, No. 1 Calcutta, 13½c; 1½c less for lots; less amounts higher.

MILLSTUFFS—Selling price: Bran, $35.00 @36.00; shorts, $38.00@39.00; middlings, $47 per ton.

ROLLED OATS—Per ton, $54.00.

ROLLED BARLEY—Per ton, $51.00@52.00.

CORN—Whole, $72; cracked, $73 per ton.

Big Bend Prospect For Wheat Is Good; Prunes Look Poor

W. C. Wilkes, assistant general freight and passenger agent of the S., P. & S., is also optimistic regarding crop conditions in the interior. He has the following report of the Big Bend from Waldo G. Paine, general freight and passenger agent of the S., P. & S. railway at Spokane:

"Big Bend crop conditions are improving steadily. Weather is warm enough for growth. No hot winds so far. Will need a rain shortly, and if forthcoming spring grain will yield 25 to 30 bushels. Account late seeding fields free of weeds. Good increase in spring acreage. Hay and grass crop above par. Everyone optimistic."

The agent of the S., P. & S. railway at Vancouver, Wash., says:

"Prune crop does not look promising. Growers say about one half quantity picked last year. Late rains and unfavorable weather conditions probably accounts for brown rot which has shown up badly in majority of orchards. No increase in acreage bearing and few contracts made. Poor crop of cherries, and strawberry crop also short this season. More acreage has been planted to potatoes and vegetables than ever before. Although planted late are looking good, and some still planting."

BANK STATEMENT OF COAST

Portland Banks		
Clearings—	This week.	Year ago.
Monday	$ 2,859,695.08	$ 1,823,754.71
Tuesday	2,808,633.83	1,786,573.55

Seattle Banks	
Clearings	$ 3,862,360.00
Balances	466,405.00

Spokane Banks	
Clearings	$ 802,615.00
Balances	100,262.00

San Francisco Banks	
Clearings	$14,229,806.00

Los Angeles Banks	
Clearings	$ 4,934,938.00
Clearings	$ 495,971.00
Balances	101,745.00

DAIRY PRODUCE ON THE COAST

Seattle Market

Seattle, June 26.—(U. P.)—Butter—Native Washington creamery, cube, 38c; do brick, 39c; fresh California, cube, 38c; do brick, 38c.

Eggs—Select ranch, 36@37c.

Cheese—Oregon triplets, 27c; Wisconsin triplets, 28c; do twins, 28c; Young America, 28c.

San Francisco Market

San Francisco, Cal., June 26. — (U. P.:) — Butter—Extras, 39½c; prime firsts, 38c.

Eggs—Extras, 30½c; extra firsts, 29½c; extra pullets, 28½c; extra firsts, pullets, 27c.

Cheese—California flats, fancy, 20c; firsts, 19½c.

Los Angeles Market

Los Angeles, June 26.—(P. N. S.)—Butter—Per pound, 36c.

Eggs—Per dozen, 31c.

Kansas Harvest to Start

Great Bend, Kan., June 26.—Wheat harvest in this part of the state will start in earnest in the next two or three days, and will continue in full blast for the next three weeks.

Barton county's wheat crop will be about two fifths of what it has been in years when a good crop was harvested.

Money and Exchange

New York, June 26.—(U. P.)—Money on call, 6 per cent; six months, 5½%; commercial paper, 5½ per cent; bar silver, London, 39⅝d, New York, 78c; demand sterling, $4.75⅝.

Crop Prospects Responsible for a Cut in Corn Price

Chicago Market Starts Weak and Lower; Coarse Grains Show a Like Condition.

By Joseph F. Pritchard

Chicago, June 26.—(I. N. S.)—The entire grain list was lower today, the buying power being of a half hearted kind and those who were short backed away from the offerings even on a decline. Losses were shown of 1c for wheat, 2½@3½c for corn, ½@½c for oats and 30@75c for hog products. Cash business here was small at 5000 bushels of wheat, 15,000 bushels of corn and 135,000 bushels of oats. In addition to the above sales of oats there were 500,000 bushels sold to exporters over night. Export clearances of flour and wheat as wheat today were 688,000 bushels; no corn and 393,000 bushels of oats. New flour was offered for August delivery at prices $1.00@2.50 per barrel below the current rates.

Chicago, June 26.—(U. P.)—Heavy selling, influenced by favorable weather conditions over the corn belt, sent that grain down 1½ to 2c today at the opening. July opened unc 1½c at $1.50, but later dropped to $1.48. September opened at $1.47⅝, off ⅜c, later losing 1⅜c. December was ½c lower at the opening, later losing 1⅜c to $1.08⅝. The wheat market was unusually dull. There were no sales in July until an hour after the opening, when it was quoted at $2.10, the same as yesterday's close. It remained at that figure. September opened unchanged at $1.85, continuing at that figure.

Oats was generally lower, in sympathy with corn. July opened ⅛c off at 62⅜c, but subsequently gained ⅛c. September opened at 53c, down ⅛c, later losing ⅛c. December opened ⅛c off at 54⅛c, later going to 54½c.

Provisions were lower on a dull and lower hog market.

Range of Chicago prices as furnished by the United Press:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT				
July	210	210	209	209
September	185	187	185⅛	184
CORN				
July	150	152	154⅛	155
September	147⅝	148	145	146⅞
December	110	110	106⅝	107⅝
OATS				
July	62⅝	63	62⅛	62⅞
September	53	53	52½	52⅝
December	54⅝	54⅝	54⅛	54½
PORK				
July	....	....	....	3900
September	3940	3950	3900	3920
LARD				
July	2162	2162	2110	2110
September	2170	2170	2130	2135
RIBS				
July	2170	2170	2140	2140
September	2185	2185	2135	2135

DEFERRED OPTIONS RISE IN N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, June 26.—The tone was firm at the opening of the cotton market today. July was down 11 points, but other months advanced 13 to 22 points.

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

Month—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	2621	2688	2619	2663
March	2641	2700	2637	2681
May	2634	2705	2631	2692
July	2683	2751	2683	2735
August	....	2615	2615	2608
September	2600	2667	2600	2657
October	2590	2670	2590	2644
December	2617	2683	2612	2656

The market closed steady at a net advance of 60 to 72 points.

PORTLAND DAIRY EXCHANGE

Prices between dealers:

BUTTER							Week
Cubes—	Tues.	Mon.	Sat.	Fri.	Thur.	Wed.	ago.
Extras	35½	35½	35½	35½	35½	35½	35¾
Prime firsts	35	35	35	35	35	35	34½
Dairy	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
Current receipts ...	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
EGGS							
Oregon triplets ...	22½	23	23	23	23	23	23
CHEESE							

San Francisco Grain Market

San Francisco, June 26.—Barley calls:

	June 16.— Open.	Close.	June 15. Close.
July	190B	197A	200B
December	190	187	193
May	197A	197A	202

Barley sales: 600 tons December.

Wheat—Per cental—New Sonora, $3.35@3.50, f. o. b. interior shipping point; northern club and Red Russian, nominal; do bluestem, $4.60@4.65.

Barley—Per cental—New feed, $2.15@2.20. Oats—White, $2.40@2.45.

POTATOES ALONG THE COAST

Seattle Market

Seattle, June 25.—(U. P.)—Onions—Australia, 4½c; wax, $2.25; California red, 2c; crystal white, crate, $1.75.

Potatoes — Yakima Gems, $90.00; seed, $80.00; locals, $75.00@80.00 per ton.

San Francisco Market

San Francisco, June 26.—(U. P.)—Onions—New Stockton red, 90c@$1.00 per sack on the wharf; do yellow, 90c@$1.00.

New potatoes—Per pound, 2@2½c; Garnets, 3c, f. o. b. Colma.

New York Metal Market

New York, June 26.—Metal prices:

Spelter—Quiet. June and July, 9½c; later deliveries, 9½c.

Tin—Easy. Spot, 61½@62½c.

Lead—Dull. June, 11⅝@11⅞c; July and August, 11⅝@11⅞c.

Copper—Quiet. Spot, nominal, 34c; early July, 33c; late July and August, 32@32½c; September, 30½@30⅝; last quarter, 30c.

American Wheat Options

	July.	Sept.
Duluth	244	.....
Winnipeg	*196	.....
Minneapolis	203	180
Kansas City	191	182⅞
St. Louis	203	183

*October.

In the Courts

Oregon City, Or., June 26.—Alleging desertion, Alma Woodcox asks the circuit court for a divorce from Wallace L. Woodcox, and also the custody and care of the two minor children, one aged 14 years and the other 7 years, and $25 a month for their care. The couple were married at Harvey, Ill., March 10, 1902.

Kathryn I. Boone Monday began suit in the circuit court for a divorce from Benjamin E. Boone, alleging cruelty. The Boones were married in Seattle March 6, 1915.

Lillie C. Schroeder and Minnie C. Schlickeiser, sisters, Monday were awarded a judgment and decree of foreclosure against M. T. Duffy in the sum of $1200, with interest, on a lot in Maywood, this county.

Pea Canning Time Is Here; Supplies Big and Price Low

Sales Along Street Down to 2½c Pound; Too Much Coming to Clean Up on Street.

Pea canning time is here and it is up to the housewife to secure her supplies at this time. Not only can the best quality be obtained just now but values are down close to bottom figures.

First class home grown peas are now arriving and they are being freely offered in the wholesale trade at 2½@3c a pound.

So liberal are supplies offering from The Dalles that the trade is completely blocked and it may be necessary to dump offerings unless the housewife gets busy and looks after her winter's requirements.

With home grown peas arriving and these freshly picked on the day marketed, there is very little call for supplies even from such a short distance as The Dalles and other Columbia river points.

The canneries are now about to start on their season's pea operations and as soon as general work is started supplies on the market will be less liberal.

AMERICAN LIVESTOCK PRICES

Chicago, June 26.—Hogs opened weak to 5@10c lower, with no indication as to how the market will finish, a heavy stale stock of trash being a handicap. Choice heavyweights were quotable up to $15.00, but there were few sales above $15.50, and considerable light mixed stuff sold below $15.00. Cattle were strong at 10@15c advances for the week. Live muttons were slow at 25@50c declines from the high spot last week.

Denver Hogs $15.55

Denver, June 26.—(U. P.)—Cattle—Receipts 700. Strong. Steers, $10.00@12.75; cows and heifers, $8.00@10.25; stockers and feeders, $8.00@9.25; calves, $12.00@13.50.

Hogs—Receipts 2300. 10c lower. Top, $15.55; bulk, $15.00@15.40.

Sheep—Receipts 4800. Steady. Ewes, $9.50 @10.00; lambs, $15.00@15.50.

Omaha Hogs $15.50

Omaha, Neb., June 26.—Cattle — Receipts 6000, weaker. Beeves, $10.50@13.75; cows and heifers, $6.00@11.50; stockers and feeders, $7.00@11.00; calves, $10.00@14.50.

Hogs—Receipts 12,000. 5@10c lower; mixed, $14.85@15.40; good and choice heavy, $15.10 @15.50; rough heavy, $14.85@15.10; light, $14.60@15.30; bulk, $15.00@15.25.

Sheep—Receipts 3200. Steady. Wethers, $10.00 @11.00; yearlings, $12.00@13.50; western lambs, $15.00@16.50; spring lambs, $16.50@18.05.

Seattle Hogs $15.75

Seattle, June 26.—(U. P.)—Cattle—Receipts 296, steady. Prime light steers, $15.05@15.75; medium to choice, $15.40@15.50; smooth heavies, $14.90@15.50; rough heavies, $14.40@14.70; pigs, $14.40@14.70.

Cattle—Receipts 127, steady. Best steers, $10.00@10.25; medium to choice, $9.25@9.50; common to medium, $6.50@8.00; best cows, $8.00@8.50; common to medium cows, $6.00@7.50; bulls, $4.00@7.00; calves, $6.00@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts none, steady. Lambs, $13.00 @13.50; yearlings, $12.50@12.75; ewes, $10.00 @11.00; wethers, $12.00@12.50.

Kansas City Hogs $15.80

Kansas City, Mo., June 26.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle—Receipts 13,000, slow, steady to unevenly lower. Steers, $10.00@12.35; cows and heifers, $6.00@12.75; stockers and feeders, $5.50@10.00; calves, $5.00@14.00.

Hogs—Receipts 16,000, steady to 10c lower. Top, $15.80; bulk, $14.75@15.70; heavies, $15.60@15.80; mediums, $15.50@15.70; lights, $14.60@15.35.

Sheep—Receipts 7000, 25@75c lower; lambs, $17.50@18.25; ewes, $9.00@10.00; wethers, $10.00@12.25.

Chicago Hogs $15.90

Chicago, June 26.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs—Receipts 12,000, 5c higher. Mixed and butchers, $14.60@14.85; good heavy, $15.25@15.90; rough, $14.30@15.20; light, $14.80@15.50; pigs, $12.00@14.15; bulk, $14.90@15.25.

Cattle—Receipts 4200, steady. Beeves, $8.90 @13.90; cows and heifers, $6.25@14.50; stockers and feeders, $7.50@10.15; Texans, $10.75@12.50; calves, $13.00@15.65.

Sheep—Receipts 7000, steady; native and western, $6.75@11.75; lambs, $12.75@18.25.

New York Sugar and Coffee

New York, June 26.—(U. P.)—Coffee—Spot. No. 7 Rio, 10c; No. 4 Santos, 10¾c.

Sugar—Centrifugal, $6.02.

Clarke Realty Transfers

Vancouver, Wash., June 26.—Real estate transfers were filed for record with the county auditor Monday as follows: Henry C. Burgess to Charles A. Oslund, the north half of south half of northwest quarter of northwestquarter of section 9, township 2 north, range 3 east, $450; William A. Woolf to Roy B. Woolf, 16 acres in section 33, township 3 north, range 1 east, $10; William A. Woolf to Elsie O. Woolf Galbraith, 10 acres in section 32, township 3 north, range 1 east, $10; Columbia Aerie No. 253, Fraternal Order of Eagles to Emma L. Rochester, lot 5, block 66 in Vancouver, west of Main street, $10; Henry B. Miller to Alice M. McIntyre, lot 16, block 5, Moody & Rothrock's addition to Vancouver, $10.

Dance for Red Cross

Vancouver, Wash., June 26.—The total amount of the pledges for the Red Cross has not been ascertained as yet. Reports are coming in fast and the committee are busy checking up the subscriptions.

At the Elks' benefit dance last night $71.50 was raised and turned over to the Red Cross fund.

All who are interested in the Red Cross work are requested to meet at the Chamber of Commerce rooms tonight for the purpose of arranging for refreshment booths for the Fourth of July for the benefit of the Red Cross fund. Reports of the work done by all the auxiliaries in the county will be read tonight at this meeting.

Vancouver in Brief

Vancouver, Wash., June 26.—Marie Templeton, alias Marie Dillon, 15 years old, was picked up by the police last evening. She had run away from her home at The Dalles and was returned there today by boat.

Miss Gertrude Bartlett of Dallas, Texas, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Lulu McCoy and Mrs. Caroline F. Clark, 508 West Tenth street. She reached here last night and will remain for an indefinite time.

Petitions Are Filed

Vancouver, Wash., June 26.—A petition has been filed asking that the will of S. H. Miller, who died June 8, 1917, be admitted to probate. The estate is valued at about $750.

Alex A. Higdon has filed a petition asking that the will of Eliza A. Higdon be admitted to probate. Mrs. Higdon died June 17, 1917. The estate is valued at close to $4000.

Mills Nearly Ready

Chehalis, Wash., June 26.—The new mill on the Fleetwood place near Shanghai, owned by F. H. Green, is nearly completed, and will be ready for cutting shingles soon after the Fourth of July. He is making the machinery from his old mill at Carrolls to the new plant, and will have a well equipped plant. He expects to hire a truck to move the shingles to the car, as there is a good road from Carrolls to the mill.

Chehalis Slacker Arrested

Chehalis, Wash., June 26.—William Phillips was today arrested in a logging camp by Sheriff Berry, charged with failing to register at the recent registration of eligibles for army duty. Deputy United States Marshal Secrist took Phillips to Tacoma to answer to the federal grand jury.

CATTLE MARKET NOW MIXED, WITH QUALITY STUFF IN GOOD CALL

Finished Heavy Stuff in Best Demand, But Light Steers That Are Fat Would Sell Well; Poor Stuff Neglected; Lambs Are Lowered.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.
Tuesday	129	103	12	251
Monday	1343	1400	51	860
Saturday	92	31	2	318
Friday	425	118	6	578
Thursday	107	342	14	870
Wednesday	227	198	12	1388
Week ago.....	149	133	8	328
Year ago.....	216	23	5	....
Two years ago.....	....	80	..	....
Three years ago...	155	9	..	426
Four years ago.....	704	146	13	843

Only three loads of livestock entered the yards at North Portland over night following the rather fair supplies of Monday.

Trend of the cattle trade is rather badly mixed. There is an exceptionally good call for fat steers. While the demand is best for heavy stuff, light steers of quality are finding favor. On the other hand, the market is really slick so far as light unfinished stuff is concerned. Offerings of this character are neglected by buyers, who scarcely care to take hold at lower prices.

General cattle market range:

Best beef steers	$10.25@10.50
Good beef steers	10.00@10.15
Best beef cows	8.00@8.50
Ordinary good cows	7.00@7.50
Best heifers	8.75@9.00
Bulls	5.00@7.50
Calves	6.00@8.50
Stockers and feeders	6.00@7.00

Hog Market Satisfactory

It is a satisfactory trend all through the swine trade at North Portland, although there was little stock available for the market at the opening of the day's business. Total run over night was but 129 head.

While $15.60 was obtained for hogs on Monday, the lot that brought that price was of exceptional figure. In fact, the quality is better than is generally quoted here, and would be placed in the extra fancy class. Good hogs at this time are quoted firm at $15.40@15.50, which is substantially the same as Monday for similar stock.

General hog range:

Prime light	$15.40@15.50
Prime heavy	15.25@15.40
Pigs	12.00@12.25

Lamb Market Lower

With a much better movement of sheep and lambs expected from the country, there is less bullishness indicated in this branch of the North Portland trade. Top lambs are quoted here around $12.00@12.75 for the day, this being a decline of 25 to 50c from previous figures. For mutton the demand is good for yearlings around $9.50@9.75, with old wethers around $9.00 for extreme tops. Good average top quality light ewes are in steady demand around $8.25@8.50, and it would not be surprising if $9.00 was obtained for suitable quality.

General mutton and lamb market:

Valley spring lambs	$12.00@12.50
Eastern Oregon spring lambs.....	12.50@12.75
Shorn yearlings	9.50@ 9.75
Old wethers	8.50@ 9.00
Shorn ewes	7.00@ 9.00

Tuesday Livestock Shippers.

Cattle—George Kohlhagen, Roseburg, 1 load. Sheep—W. I. Dickson, Roseburg, 1 load.

Mixed stuff—M. M. Hoctor, Goldendale, Wash., 1 load cattle, calves and hogs.

Comparative statement of receipts:

	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Month to date.	4,678	467	9,819	14,077
Same 1916....	5,567	869	23,271	18,961
Gain 1917.....	98	....	....	....
Loss 1917.....	....	402	13,452	4,874
Year to date..	39,833	2,840	112,098	53,850
Same 1916....	31,707	1,929	164,197	71,606
Gain 1917.....	8,126	411	....	....
Loss 1917.....	....	....	51,499	17,245

Monday Afternoon Sales

STEERS

No.	Ave. lbs.	Price.
4 steers	1048	$8.50
8 steers	1060	8.50
1 steer	1380	8.50
1 steer	1010	8.50
1 steer	730	7.50
1 steer	790	7.35
28 steers	875	7.85
12 steers	897	7.85
6 steers	590	7.00
20 steers	918	6.75
COWS.		
1 cow	1060	$6.00
1 cow	1160	7.00
8 cows	980	6.00
1 cow	1100	6.00
20 cows	802	7.00
9 cows	797	7.00
2 cows	1035	7.50
8 cows	863	7.50
1 cow	1170	9.00
BULLS.		
1 bull	1290	$7.00
HOGS.		
71 hogs	150	$15.00
22 hogs	196	15.40
26 hogs	141	14.25
8 hogs	184	15.40
LAMBS.		
22 lambs	66	$12.75
18 lambs	69	12.75
87 lambs	66	12.75
67 lambs	64	12.75
EWES.		
8 ewes	128	$7.00
12 ewes	123	8.25
18 ewes	94	8.00
YEARLINGS.		
7 yearlings	80	$9.00
19 yearlings	93	9.00
WETHERS.		
236 wethers	95	$9.50
8 wethers	116	9.75

Tuesday Morning Sales.

STEERS

No.	Ave. lbs.	Price
21 steers	1179	$ 9.75
15 steers	870	9.25
8 steers	1503	8.00
COWS		
1 cow	1020	$