ENGLISH-JAP COMBINATION GETS CONTROL OF GRAIN BAGS

Edited by Hyman H. Cohen

BUTTER TRADING ON WEAK BASIS

EGGS TO DROP

Because of various conditions most of the local f. o. b. buyers will not pay above 35c for current receipt eggs. Portland, on Monday, although some will pay up to 36c. At country points the price will be no higher than 34c a dozen generally, because of the expected delays in getting shipments to the city.

There is no doubting the present weakness in the butter market, despite the sharp advance quoted Friday in the San Francisco trade. That the advance there is a mere local affair and due almost entirely to the fear of the strike, is generally the verdict here.

It has been known for some days that a big creamery here was planning to force the price of butter down next Monday. Whether it will succeed or not depends upon the strength of its position and the way the other creameries accept the plan.

It is positively known that despite all of this alleged steadiness in the butter market, cubes cannot be sold even at 58c a pound for real extras. If the demand for butter was keeping pace with production, cubes would find an outlet at the price mentioned.

Those desiring special information regarding any market should write the Market Editor, Oregon Journal, enclosing stamp for reply.

EGG TRADE AWAITING STRIKE

The railroad strike is having an effect upon the egg market situation and most of the f. o. b. buyers were practically out of the trade during the day although former bids were nominally continued.

ORANGE PRICES TO BE HIGHER

Sharp advance of $1 a box is due generally in the orange market here for the coming week. To some extent the advance is due to the fact that at this time the trade is losing about 50c a box on each package sold.

VEAL SITUATION REMAINS WEAK

Situation in the market for country killed calves remains weak along the wholesale way with 23c about the extreme top price available here. In the meantime demand for dressed hogs remains firm and active.

RHUBARB MARKET IS DRAGGING

Because of the high price of sugar and the fact that rhubarb has been selling at enormous values; there is little call for the latter along Front street. Sales are slow at 7 and 9c a pound for best.

WOOL TRADE IS MARKING TIME

There continues a lack of activity in the wool trade at all western points. While it cannot be said that the market is weak; speculators are unwilling to allow the producer to set the price.

BRIEF NOTES OF PRODUCE TRADE

Carload of Mexican tomatoes here.
Local spinach very firm at $1.75 box.
Poultry situation firm at unchanged prices.
Apple market very inactive for poor stuff.
Canned milk is firmer at the latest advance.

WEATHER NOTICE FOR SHIPPERS

Protect shipments during the next 36 hours against the following minimum temperature: Going north, 38 degrees; northwest over S., P. & S. R. R., 36 degrees; east to Baker, 32 degrees, and south to Ashland, 38 degrees. Minimum temperature at Portland tomorrow about 40 degrees.

Minneapolis-Duluth Flax

Duluth, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—May, new, $4.82; old, $4.84; July, $4.69; track and arrive, $4.84.

Minneapolis, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—No. 1, $4.77@4.82; arrive, same.

Chicago Potato Market

Chicago, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Potatoes, receipts, 28 cars; Minnesota and Dakota, Ohios, $7.35@7.50.

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The MARKET BASKET

By Hyman H. Cohen

It would not be a bad idea for the consumer to purchase flour requirements for the next month or two because the present price is as low as the market will rule during the remainder of the season—and that means possibly August.

There are numbers of prices on flour in the retail shops today. Some are selling the best patent down to $3 per sack of 49 pounds. This is lower than the actual wholesale price. Other grocers are selling at $3.25, and still others are charging the full price. The difference in the price of flour at retail is due to the fact that some of the grocers have old contracts with the mills, in which they purchased supplies at much lower values than those now in effect.

Of course it is hard on the dealer who had to pay the extreme price, but the consumer who is wise will purchase supplies where she can get them the cheapest. Dealers do their buying that way.

The following prices are average ones that consumers are expected to pay retail stores. Quality noted is the average, fancy stuff being slightly higher and inferior stuff fractionally lower.

Eggs—Fresh laid, 45c per dozen; fancy fresh, 40c per dozen.

Cheese—Fancy, 40@45c per lb.

Chickens—Dressed, 55@56c per lb.; geese, dressed, 45c per lb.; turkeys, 55@56c lb.; ducks, 50c per lb.

Salmon—25@45c per lb.; halibut, 25c lb.

Flour—Best local patent, $3.45@3.50 per sack, 49 lbs.

Potatoes—Burbanks, fancy, 9@10c lb.; sweets, 10@12c per lb.

Onions—Dried, 8@8½c per lb.

WHOLESALE PRICES IN PORTLAND

These are prices retailers pay wholesalers except as otherwise noted:

Dairy Products

BUTTER—Selling price, box lots: Creamery, prime parchment wrapped, 63c per lb.; prime firsts, 61c lb.; firsts, 60@61c per lb.; smaller lots at an advance. Jobbing prices: Cube extra, 59@60c lb.; prime firsts, 59c lb.

BUTTERFAT—Portland delivery basis, 64@66c; country stations, 62@63c.

OLEOMARGARINE—Best brands, 40c; ordinary, 33⅓c; bakers, 33c; Nutmargarine, 1 lb. cartons, 32c lb.

CHEESE—Selling price: Tillamook fresh Oregon, fancy cream triplets, 35@36c lb.; Young America, 37@38c. Prices to jobbers, f. o. b. Tillamook triplets, 32c; Young America, 33c. Selling price: Cream, 1 lb. prints, 40@42c. Selling price: Block Swiss, 48@49c; limburger, 40@42c per lb.

EGGS—Buying price: Current receipts, 35@37c; candled selling price, 38c; select, 40c.

LIVE POULTRY—Selling price: Heavy hens, 38@40c; light hens, 37c; spring light, 50c per lb., heavy, 38@40c lb; old roosters, 20c; squabs, $3.00; dressed ducks, 48@50c lb.; pigeons, $1.50@2.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 35@36c lb.; dressed, 47@50c per lb.; dressed geese, 30c lb.

Fresh Vegetables and Fruit

FRESH FRUIT—Oranges, $4.00@7.00 per box, Bananas, 10½@11c lb.; lemons, $5.50@6.50 per crate; Florida grapefruit, $6.00@7.50; California, $3.50@4.00.

APPLES—Various varieties, local, $1.50@3.50.

DRIED FRUIT—Dates, Promedaries, $7.50; Fards, $4.25 per box; raisins, 3 crown loose Muscatel, 16c per lb.; figs, $3.50@5.50 box.

ONIONS—Selling price Oregon, Oregon, $7.00@7.25 per cwt.; association selling price, carload, $6.00; f. o. b. country; garlic, 50c per lb.; green onions, 50c per dozen bunches; onion sets, 17@18c per lb.

POTATOES—Selling price, Oregon, fancy, $7.50@8.50; Gems, $8.25@8.50 cwt.; buying prices, $6.75@7.50.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, $3.50 per sack; carrots, $1.75 per sack; beets, $4.50; cabbage, California, 5@7c; lettuce, $3.00@3.25 crate; cucumbers, $2.00@3.50 dozen; tomatoes, $3.50@4.00; egg plant, 35c lb.; cauliflower, $1.75@3.75; bell peppers, 50c; sprouts, 17c lb.; parsnips, $3.50 per sack; rutabagas, $3.50@3.75 cwt.; celery, $2.00 dozen; peas, 16½@17c lb.; artichokes, $1.40@1.50 dozen; asparagus, 13@16½c.

Meats and Provisions

COUNTRY MEATS—Selling price: Country hogs, 22c lb. for top blockers; heavy, 16@18c; best veal, 22@23c; heavy veal, 16@17c per lb.

SMOKED MEATS—Ham, 29@30c per lb.; breakfast bacon, 33@52c; picnics, 24@25c; cottage roll, 32c per lb.

LARD—Kettle rendered, 27½c lb.; standard, 25½c; tierce basis compound, 25¼c.

Fish and Shellfish

FRESH FISH—Salmon, fresh Chinook, 30c; frozen salmon, 12½@20c per lb.; halibut, fresh, (—); sturgeon, (—); black cod, 10@11c lb.; silver smelt, 10c lb.; kippered salmon, $2.85 per 10-lb. basket; kippered cod, $2.35; Columbia smelt, $2.00@2.25 per box; razor clams, $4.50 per box.

Groceries

SUGAR—Nominal prices, refinery basis—Cube, $16.35; fruit and berry, $16.30; yellow, $15.95; granulated, $16.30; extra C, $16.05; golden C, $15.95.

HONEY—New, $7.50@8.00 per case.

RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 14½@c; New Orleans head, (—); Blue Rose, 15¾c per lb.

SALT—Coarse, half ground, 100s, $17.25 per ton; 50s, $18.75; table dairy, 50s, $27.25; bales, $3.30@4.00; fancy table and dairy, $30.50; lump rock, $26.50 per ton.

BEANS—Oregon (sales by jobbers): Lady Washington, 7½@8c per lb.; pink, 8c; limas, 15c; bayou, 10½c; Oregon beans, buying price, nominal, 5½c per lb.

CANNED MILK—Carnation, $6.10; Borden, $6.10; Aster, $6.00; Eagle, $11.25; Libby, $6.00; Mount Vernon, $6.00; Hazelwood, $6.00 per case.

COFFEE—Roasted, 37@51c in sacks or drums.

SODA CRACKERS—In bulk, 17½c per lb.

NUTS—Walnuts, 35@40c per lb.; almonds, 38c; filberts, 32c in sack lots; peanuts, 15@16c; pecans, 25c; Brazils, 30c.

Ropes, Paints, Oils

ROPE—Sisal, dark, 18½c; white, 20c lb.; standard Manila, 23½c.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls., $2.06 gal.; kettle boiled, bbls., $2.08; raw, cases, $2.21; boiled, cases, $2.23 per gallon.

COAL OIL—Water white, in drums or iron bbls., 13c gal.; cases, 24c gal.

GASOLINE—Iron bbls., 27c; cases, 39c½c; engine distillate, iron bbls., 16c; cases, 32½c.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 15c; 500 lbs. 15¼c per lb.

TURPENTINE—Tanks, $2.46; cases $2.61

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NORTHWEST GRAIN RECEIPTS

	Wheat.	Barley.	Cars. Flour.	Oats.	Hay.
Portland, Sat.	10	....	12	1	22
Total this week	118	....	80	6	31
Season to date	7647	171	3521	422	1964
Tacoma, Fri.	2	....	6	....	4
Season to date	6313	79	2809	171	773
Year ago	5106	32	....	148	1137
Seattle, Fri.	13	....	18	....	....
Season to date	5510	234	764	634	1133
Year ago	5115	71	1077	521	2413

HAY STOCKS SCANT

With the strike of switchmen, livestock interests here are facing a very extreme shortage of hay supplies, according to Harry Spurlock, head of the hay department of Everding & Farrell. "There is today no clover or grain hay in the market here. Alfalfa and Willamette valley timothy are both scarce and only a small supply of Eastern Oregon timothy is in sight here."

Grain bag speculators are losing no opportunity to exact enormous profits from the sale of supplies to the wheat grower, and as high as 20c is being asked during the day for No. 10 Calcuttas.

A combination of English and Japanese interests together with their local connections, is said to be responsible for the great rise in grain bags here. While it is true that the Calcutta market has shown an advance, it too is being dominated by similar interests who appear to be working in harmony to take the money from the pockets of the American wheat grower.

That the high price asked for grain bags will drive more of the growers to utilize the bulk system of handling wheat is the conclusion reached by the trade. This means that the grain bag speculators will eventually order the execution of their own business.

Market for feed is firmer and some of the mills are refusing to sell more than small supplies even at the present price.

FLOUR—Selling price, new crop: Patent valley, $10.65; local straight, $10.80; bakers; local, $13.15. Montana wheat, patent, $13.75; rye flour, $10.10; oatmeal, $13.00; graham, $11.30. Prices for city deliveries in five-barrel lots.

HAY—Buying price, new crop: Willamette timothy, fancy, $28.00; vetch, $30.00; cheat, $17.00@20.00; straw, $10.00; clover, $29.00; grain, $26.00; alfalfa, $32.00 a ton.

GRAIN SACKS—Nominal: New crop delivery No. 1 Calcutta, 18c in car lots; less amounts higher.

MILLSTUFFS—Mill run at mills, sacked, $42@42.50.

OATS—Per ton, buying price: Feed, $63.00@63.50; milling, $66.00.

BARLEY — Buying price: $70; milling, $72.50; rolled barley, selling price, $73.00@75.00 ton.

Merchants' Exchange bids:

FEED OATS.	April.	May.
No. 3 white	$60.00	$61.00

BARLEY.		
No bids		

CORN.		
No. 3 yellow	64.00	65.00
Eastern grain in bulk		
Oats, 36-lb. clipped	61.00	61.50
Oats, 38-lb. clipped	66.00	67.00
Corn, No. 3 yellow	67.00	66.00

Corn Price Jumps Quick at Chicago

Chicago, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Profit taking sent the grain list back to about the opening level on the board of trade today, after sensational gains for the crop had been made in corn, oats and rye. The close left May corn ⅝@¾c above yesterday's finish; July, ½@¾c up, and September ⅝c better. At its highest, $1.68¾, May corn was 1¾c above the previous high for this movement; but at the close eased off considerably on the report that the Corn Products company will close its plant tonight until the rail strike is ended.

May oats finished ¼c higher and July unchanged to ¼c up, while the September was ⅛@¼c lower. May rye closed 1c higher, and July was unchanged to ¼c up.

Provisions closed strong and higher.

Chicago, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—With an advance of 4c@1¼c at the opening this morning, corn prices reached the highest levels since the present upturn. Offerings being light, little buying was necessary to cause the advance.

Scattered buying and a scarcity of offerings featured the opening in oats, with prices unchanged to ⅛c higher.

Provisions opened steady with strength in grains offsetting weakness in hogs.

Range of Chicago prices as furnished by the United Press:

CORN				
May	168	168¾	167	167⅝
July	160½	162¼	160¼	160⅞
Sept.	156¼	156¾	155	155⅝
OATS				
May	94¾	96	94½	95¾
July	86¼	87	85¾	86¾
PORK				
May	3685	3697	3685	3685
LARD				
May	1960	1975	1960	1970
July	2040	2055	2040	2047
RIBS				
May	1830	1835	1822	1825
July	1885	1890	1875	1877

San Francisco Poultry Market

San Francisco, April 10.—(U. P.)—Broilers, 45@50c; large hens, 43@45c; best ducks, 30@33c.

Spot Cotton Steady

New York, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Spot cotton was steady and unchanged here today at 43c. No sales.

10 case lots, 1c less.
WIRE NAILS—Basic price, $5.16.

Hops, Wool and Hides

HOPS—Nominal, 1919 crop, 50c per lb.
HIDES—Calves 50@60c; green hides, 17¾@18c; salted, 20c; kips, 30c; green bull, 15c; salted bull, 17c.
MOHAIR—Long staple, 40c lb.; short staple, 25@30c per lb.
TALLOW AND GREASE—No. 1 tallow, 12c; No. 2, 10c; No. 1 grease, 9c; No. 2 grease, 7c per lb.
CHITTIM OR CASCARA BARK—New peel, 11c per lb.
WOOL—Nominal 1919 clip, buying prices: Valley half blood Merino and Shropshire, 50c; Cotswold and Lincoln, 40@45c; matted Cotswold, 30@35c; timber stained, 5c per lb. less; lambs wool, 4c per lb. less.
Eastern Oregon, Eastern Washington and California wool—Merino and Shropshire, 35@40c; half-blood Merino and Cotswold, 37@42c; Shropshire, 37@45c; Cotswold and Lincoln, straight and mixed, 32@35c; burry, 5c per lb. less; lambs, 4c per lb. less.
Fine Wools—Merino combing and carding grades, 30@35c.

Naval Stores Market

New York, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Turpentine—Savannah, $2.33; New York, $2.50. Rosin—Savannah, $16.00; New York, $18.00.

New York Bank Statement

New York, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Bank statement: Average: Loans, increase, $7,520,000; demand deposits, increase, $19,317,000; time deposits, decrease, $7,216,000; reserve, decrease, $3,859,010.
Actual—Loans, decrease, $46,463,000; demand deposits, decrease, $68,120,000; time deposits, increase, $282,000; reserve, decrease, $10,042,600.

LOWER LEVEL IN THE STOCK LIST

New York, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—The stock market closed irregular today. Short covering in the final hour imparted strength to the general list toward the end of the trading and many issues rose substantially from their lows. Other issues, however, sold off from their best prices. The sugar stocks became prominent, with Manati sugar the outstanding feature and making an advance of 6½ to 144. American sugar rose one point to 137 and Punta Alegr was 2½ higher at 98⅝. Pressed Steel Car rose to a new high record on the movement at 108, a gain of 2½. Steel common was off ⅜ at 105¼, and Baldwin Locomotive sold off 2½ at 144. United Fruit, after advancing to above 215 reacted at the close to 212½, while American International rose 2⅝. The oil shares and motor shares held steady towards the close.

New York, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—The stock market was irregular at the opening today with prices generally tending to lower levels.

Baldwin Locomotive was off 1⅛ to 145, while Sloss Sheffield rose 1½ to 79½. Steel common sold off ⅜ to 105⅝. Crucible Steel 1½ to 270 and Republic Steel ½ to 113¾.

The shipping shares were strong, American International advancing 2 points to 104, United Fruit 3 points to 212 and Marine preferred 1⅝ to 97¼.

Studebaker yielded 2⅝ to 118 and Keystone Tire fell 2 points to 38. General Motors rose 3½ to 377½.

Stromberg Carburetor at 103 and Worthington Pump at 84 both showed losses of 2 points.

Mexican Petroleum after advancing to 203 dropped 1 points.

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DESCRIPTION	Open	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	....	....	....	2
Allis Chalmers	44½	44½	43⅝	44
Alloy Steel	49½	49½	49½	49½
Am Beet Sugar	91	92⅞	91	92½
Am. Can. c	49	49	48½	48¾
Am. Car Fdy	145¼	145¾	144⅞	145½
Am. Cotton Oil	....	....	....	48
Am. Hide & L. c	25½	26	25½	26
Am Intl Corp.	101⅞	104¾	101⅞	103½
Am. Linseed. c	89	90¼	89	90
Am. Loco., c	107	107	105	106½
Am. Ship & Com.	23¾	24	23	23¼
Am. Smelter, c	69½	69¾	69½	69¼
Am. Steel Fdy	47½	47⅞	47¼	47¼
Am. Sugar, c	136¼	137	135	136¾
Am. Sumatra Tob.	98¾	98¾	98	98⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel.	96⅝	96⅞	96⅝	96⅝
Am. Tob. Securities	66¾	67½	66¼	66½
Am. Woolen, c	136	137	134½	135¼
Am. Zinc	18⅛	18½	18	18½
Anaconda m. Co.	63⅝	63⅞	63¼	63¾
Atchison, c	82¼	82¾	82¼	82¼
Atlantic G. & W. I.	171	171	171	170½
Baldwin Loco. c	145	145¾	143½	144
B. & O., c	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
Bethlehem Steel, B	99¾	100¼	98¾	99⅞
Bosch Magneto	122	122	121¼	121
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	16⅝	16⅝	16	16
Butte & Superior	26¾	27	26¾	27
Cal Packers' Assn.	80	81	80	80½
Cal. Petroleum, c	38½	38½	38½	38
Canadian Pac.	123	123	122½	122½
Central Leather, c	87	87¾	86⅝	87½
C., M. & St. P.	36¼	36¾	36¼	36¼
Chi. & N-W.	85	85	85	85
Chile Copper	18⅝	18¾	18½	18½
Chino Copper	36¾	37½	36¾	36¾
Colo. F. & I.	39½	39½	39	39
Cons. Gas	88	88	87	87
Corn Products, c	99½	100	98⅝	100
Crucible Steel, c	270	271½	265½	268
do pfd	....	....	....	86
Erie, c	....	....	....	13½
General Electric	....	....	....	155
General Motors	376	377½	373	373
Gt. Northern Ore	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾
Gt. Northern Pfd.	78½	78½	78¼	78¼
Greene Cananea	....	....	....	35
Illinois Central	....	....	....	89¾
Industrial Alcohol	97	97¼	96¼	96¼
Inspiration Copper	58½	59	58¼	58½
Int. Paper	84	84¼	83¾	83¾
Int. Harvester	138	138	135¾	138
Int. Mer. Marine, c	37½	39½	37½	38½
Int. Nickel	23	23	22¼	22¾
Kennecott Copper	31⅝	32	31½	31¾
Keystone Tire	38	39¼	38	39
Lackawanna Steel	80	81½	79⅞	81
Lehigh Valley	44	44	44	43⅞
Maxwell Motors, c	....	....	....	35
Mexican Petroleum	202½	203	200	201½
Miami Copper	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼
Midvale Steel	48⅝	48⅝	47¾	48
Missouri Pac., c	27	27	27	26⅞
National Enamel	78½	78½	78½	78½
National Lead	87½	93	87½	92¼
New Haven	31⅞	32½	31⅞	32
New York Air Brake	....	....	....	107
New York Central	71¾	72	70½	71⅝
Norfolk & Western	....	....	....	94
Northern Pacific	78½	78½	78½	78¾
Pan-Amer. Pete., c	105½	106	104⅞	105⅞
Pennsylvania Ry.	42	42	41¾	41¾
Peoples Gas	....	....	....	37½
Pittsburg Coal, c	....	....	....	63¾
Pressed Steel Car, c	104⅞	110	104⅞	109
Ray Cons. Copper	20	20	19⅞	19¾
Railway Steel Spgs.	102½	103	102½	103⅜
Reading, c	83¾	84	83¼	83½
Royal Dutch	105¾	106⅞	105¾	106¼
R. I. & S., c	113¾	114¾	112⅝	114
Rock Island, c	35	35⅞	34¾	35⅝
Shattuck Copper	11½	11½	11¼	11½
Stand. Oil, c	42¾	43	42¼	42¾
Sloss Sheffield	79½	79½	78½	78½
Southern Pacific	98½	99	98¼	98¾
Southern Ry., c	23	23	22¾	22¾
Studebaker, c	118	120¾	118	120¼
St. Louis & S. F.	22½	22½	22½	22½
Swift & Co.	120	120	120	120
Tenn. Copper	12¼	12¼	12	12
Texas Oil	209	209	207	208
Texas Pacific	42½	42½	42	42¼
Tobacco Products	71¾	71¾	71½	71½
Trans. Oil	24¾	24¾	24¼	24⅝
Union Pacific, c	119¾	119¾	119	119⅝
Union Oil of Del.	33	33	32⅝	34⅞
U. S. Rubber, c	112½	113⅝	112⅝	113
U. S. Smelt. & Ref.	....	....	....	68
U. S. Steel, c	105⅝	106	105½	105¾
Utah Copper	77½	77½	76½	77¼
Vanadium Steel	85	85¾	84	85¼
Virginia Chem., c	....	....	....	74½
Wabash	....	....	....	8⅛
West. Electric	52½	52½	52½	52¾
Willys Overland	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾

Total sales, stocks, 503,000.
Total sales, bonds, $6,085,000.
Weekly stock sales, 7,045,200.
Weekly bond sales, $76,638,000.

New York Bond Market

Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., Board of Trade building:

	Bid.	Ask.
Atchison Genl. 4s	75	75½
Bal. & Ohio Gold 4s	60¾	61
Beth Steel Ref. 5s	83⅞	85
Cent. Pacific 1st 4s	69¾	70
C. B. & Q. Col. 4s	94½	94⅝
St. Paul Genl. 4½s	74	75
Chicago N. W. Genl. 4s	75	75⅛
L. & N. Uni. 4s	78½	80⅝
New York Ry. 5s	76½	28¼
Reading Genl. 4s	78	78⅛
Union Pac. 1st 4s	80⅛	81
U. S. Steel 5s	95⅞	96⅛
Union Pac. 1st Ref.	71½	72¾
S. P. Conv. 5s	101	101¾
S. P. Conv. 4s	76	77
Penn. Conv. 4½s	87	89
Penn. 1st 4½s	75⅛	75¾

Record Potato Price

Yakima, April 10.—A record sale of potatoes for the season is reported in a shipment of a carload by the Rainier Fruit company to Wenatchee at a price of $140 a ton f. o. b. The potatoes were loaded out of cold storage here today. The car contained 18 tons. The crop is near to a clean up with only about 35 cars remaining. Considerable interest is being manifested in seed for the next crop. This is being distributed at $125 to $150 a ton in ton lots and 8 cents a pound in broken lots. It is estimated the acreage will be increased fully 25 per cent over that of last year, the planting in 1919 being between 9000 and 10,000 acres.

New York Butter and Eggs

New York, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Butter—Market, strong. Creamery extras, 71@74c; firsts, 68@71c; higher scoring, 72@75c; state dairy tubs, 45@70c; renovated extras, 55@56c; imitation creamery, 47@48c.

Cheese—Market, irregular. State—Whole milk specials, 25½@31c; fancy, 24@29c. Wisconsin—Lower, 18@27c; whole milk, fancy Young American, 32½@33½c. State—Skims, specials, 17@20c; choice, 14@16c; fair to good, 10@12c; lower grades, 4@9c.

Egg—Market, firmer. Nearby white, fancy, 52c; brown fancy, 47@48c; extras, 47c; firsts, 42@45½c.

New York Sugar and Coffee

New York, April 10.—(U. P.)—Coffee—No. 7 Rio, 15@15¼c; No. 4 Santos, 24@24½c. Sugar—Quiet; refined, quiet; granulated, $15.50@16.50.

New York-London Silver

New York, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Bar silver was 2¼c lower today at $1.20½.
London, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Bar silver was off ¼d today at 69d.

Sterling Exchange Steady

New York, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Sterling exchange was steady with business in bankers' bills at $3.97½ for demand.

STIFF ADVANCES MADE IN SPUDS

Potato prices climbed to a new high level both in the Front street trade and at country points for the day. Whether the price will go still higher or drop, depends upon but one condition principally, the duration of the present strike.

At country points as high as $7.50 per cental was paid for first class Burbanks and American Wonders by wholesalers during the last 24 hours, this being the stiffest advance ever paid for potatoes in this section. It not only constitutes an entirely new high record for potatoes, but it shows a very unusual condition, an increased demand at the advance.

Along the wholesale way sales of potatoes are shown to retailers at $8.00@8.50 per cental for the best stock, although some are talking of a $9 market for the coming week.

Strike to Affect Livestock Market At North Portland

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.
Saturday	....	267	....	....
Week ago	....	None	....	....
2 weeks ago	60	1	....	9
4 weeks ago	474	52	....	....
Year ago	174	269	....	31
2 years ago	145	30	2	46
3 years ago	936	74	2	13
4 years ago	221	15	2	96

That the livestock trade here is facing an acute situation as a result of the railroad strike is the opinion expressed by the trade generally. An embargo has been placed against shipments from the interior.

Only arrivals in the North Portland alleys for the Saturday markets consisted of cattle. Of these 11 cars appeared. General trend appeared steady.

General cattle range:

Best grain pulp steers	$11.00@11.75
Choice steers	10.50@11.00
Good to choice steers	9.50@10.50
Medium to good steers	8.75@ 9.75
Fair to good steers	7.25@ 8.25
Common to fair steers	6.25@ 7.25
Choice cows and heifers	9.00@10.00
Good to choice cows and heifers	8.00@ 9.00
Medium to good cows and heifers	6.50@ 7.50
Fair to medium cows and heifers	5.50@ 6.50
Canners	3.00@ 5.50
Bulls	6.00@ 8.00
Best light calves	15.00@17.00
Medium calves	10.00@14.00
Heavy calves	7.00@10.00
Stockers and feeders	8.00@ 8.50

Hog Demand Is Good

With no hogs in the alleys for Saturday, the North Portland market was considered strong with former prices nominally continued.

General hog range:

Prime mixed	$ 17.00
Medium mixed	16.00@16.50
Rough heavies	12.00@16.00
Pigs	13.00@15.50

Mutton Demand Good

No mutton or lambs came to North Portland for Saturday. While prices were not tested, sentiment indicated a steady to strong tone.

General sheep and lamb range:

Spring lambs	$18.00@20.00
East of mountain lambs	17.00@18.00
Best heavy valley lambs	14.25@15.75
Best heavy valley lambs	14.25@15.75
Common to medium valley lambs	11.00@15.50
Yearlings	14.50@15.25
Ewes	10.00@13.00

Friday Afternoon Sales

No.	Ave. lbs.	Price.	No.	Ave. lbs.	Price.
		COWS			
1	750	$ 5.50	1	800	$ 7.00
2	800	8.00	2	995	7.50
1	810	4.00			
		CALVES			
8	108	$13.00	2	115	$17.00
1	120	17.00	1	180	17.00
		BULLS			
2	415	$ 7.00			
		HOGS			
13	265	$15.75	17	175	$13.75
8	241	16.50	23	160	14.25
4	75	14.25	61	225	16.75
34	175	15.00	66	203	17.00
4	212	18.00	30	173	17.00
29	200	16.85	3	336	14.85
40	226	14.75			
		LAMBS			
3	63	$20.00	1	110	$17.00
4	82	14.50			
		EWES			
2	165	$12.75	2	185	$10.50
1	150	9.00	1	160	11.00
1	130	10.00			

Saturday Morning Prices

No.	Ave. lbs.	Price.	No.	Ave. lbs.	Price.
		STEERS			
25	1132	$10.85	25	1163	$10.85
		HOGS			
1	420	$10.00			

AMERICAN LIVESTOCK PRICES

Omaha Hogs $14.00

Omaha, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs—Receipts, 3000; few sales; 50@75c higher. Bulk, $12.00@13.25; top, $14.00.

Cattle—Receipts, 650; closed compared with a week ago, most classes steady; feeders, lower.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000. Compared with week ago: Lambs, 50c@$1 lower. Sheep and feeders, steady; packers, not operating.

Kansas City Hogs $14.00

Kansas City, April 10.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle—Receipts, 900; market, none.

Hog—Rece