

FIGHT FOR EDDYVILLE MOHAR POOL

FIGHT IN MARKET AFFECTING EGGS

There is a good "scrap" on in the market for eggs along Front street at this time. The producer is the chief factor while the public is not paying more for its requirements.

The fight appears to be a one-sided affair, inasmuch as, practically all the f. o. b. buyers are arrayed on one side while a single buyer is the insurgent.

This one buyer has gone out with a card offering 4 1/2 c a dozen for current receipts while the other buyers are generally out with cards at 39c, although they are forced to pay the higher price in instances where the insurgent dealer is quoting.

The little fight is not productive of profits for those engaged in it because it does not affect the values that buyers can receive when they finally sell.

Because of this fight the market is very erratic and changes many times a day in some localities.

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

BUTTER IS GOING INTO STORAGE

Considerable butter is being rushed into storage in the local territory and no surplus is indicated. The market is generally quiet, storage operations are being started all over the country.

NEW ONIONS ARE LOWER AGAIN

Still further lowering of new Bermuda type onions is shown in the local trade. Sales of white were shown around \$3 during the morning, while yellow stock went around \$2.50 per bushel.

ASPARAGUS MARKET IS STEADY

While receipts continue liberal, the market for asparagus is about steady at the close of the week. Most of the sales of fancy stock were made at \$1.50 down bunches.

STRAWBERRY PRICES ARE DOWN

The usual Saturday fight in the trade occurred in the strawberry market when sales of dollars were generally made at \$3.50 per crate for 20s and some large sized sales were made rationally below this.

STREET'S ANSWER TO MICKLE

Front street has answered J. D. Mickle's charge that many of the firms were crowded and should be driven out of business by demanding that the lot make produce remain of good quality and to protect the farmer as well as the legitimate dealer.

BRIEF NOTES OF PRODUCE TRADE

Country killed meat, steady at former prices. The market for produce is generally steady, with some country active with some country active with some country active.

WEATHER NOTICE FOR SHIPPERS

At the time of writing, the weather is generally steady, with some country active with some country active with some country active.

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MARKET BASKET

By Hyman H. Cohen

Oregon strawberries have actually made their appearance here. A crate or two was received from E. E. Hemphill of Eddville by the Pacific Fruit & Produce company and later sold to a dealer at \$6.50 per crate of 24 baskets. The initial shipment was of excellent quality and further offerings are expected to arrive Monday.

While indications point to a very good strawberry crop this season, the signs are visible which indicate that prices will continue high. It is not probable that the average sales of strawberries this season at retail will be below 20 cents a box retail.

California berries were offering in somewhat larger supply than the Oregon crop. The Oregon crop is selling them as low as 20 cents a box, although there was practically no money in the market for that price.

The following prices are average ones that consumers are expected to pay retail stores. The prices are for the Oregon crop, which is slightly higher than the California crop.

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

Butter—Creamery, dressed, 45c per pound; salted, 45c per pound.

Flour—Best local, 33.00 to 4.00 per sack, 12 1/2 lb. per sack.

Onions—Dried, 8 1/2 c per pound.

Good Buying Sends Coarse Grain Up

Chicago, May 15.—(U. S. S.)—Bulls in grain futures showed estimated receipts of 80 cars of corn and 70 of oats at the opening of the board of trade and forced new high records on the crop for the entire crop.

Prices based on reports that Omaha was arranging to send 25,000 cars from the East to the West, and that the federal rail board will convert Monday to end the rail tie-up.

May corn was 1/2 c above the preceding close, July and September 1/4 c better. May oats were 1/2 c up, July 1/4 c, and September 1/4 c.

Pork closed 1/2 c lower, lard, 15 1/2 c, and rice, 12 1/2 c, at the previous finish.

Chicago, May 15.—(U. S. S.)—Fairly general commission house buying caused corn to start 1/2 c higher, but a selling movement developed later on the estimate of 80 cars received for the entire crop.

Oats opened 1/2 c higher on scattered buying but declined receipts of 70 cars caused selling afterward.

Range in provisions was light with the opening of the market. Prices are furnished by the United Press.

CORN: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WHEAT: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

BARLEY: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

RYE: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

BUCKWHEAT: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING WHEAT: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER WHEAT: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

BERMUDA ONIONS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

YONKON ONIONS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING ONIONS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER ONIONS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING POTATOES: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER POTATOES: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING CARROTS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER CARROTS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING BEANS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER BEANS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING PEAS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER PEAS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING CABBAGES: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER CABBAGES: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING BRUSSELS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER BRUSSELS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING CAULIFLOWERS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER CAULIFLOWERS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING BROCCOLIS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER BROCCOLIS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING KALE: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER KALE: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING SPINACH: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER SPINACH: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING LETTUCE: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER LETTUCE: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING CUCUMBERS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER CUCUMBERS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

SPRING PUMPKINS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

WINTER PUMPKINS: High, 1.00; Low, .98; Close, .99.

EDDYVILLE MOHAR POOL WILL BE OFFERED

STOCKS STRONGER TODAY'S TRADING

The Eddyville mohar pool will be offered for sale at Eddville, Wednesday, May 19. The pool will consist of 25,000 pounds and is said to be of the best quality that section has ever turned out.

Competition for the Eddyville pool is always keen, therefore reports indicate that somewhat stronger prices will be paid than at Dallas when the market was recently boosted to 60c a pound.

The Eddyville mohar pool this season consists of 25,000 pounds of fines as compared with 15,000 pounds a year ago. Last year the pool was sold in Water Kings of Carvalls at 64 1/2 c a pound. Last year's pool consisted of 80 growers while this season it contains 75 growers of Lincoln, Benton, Tillamook and Lane counties.

The average fleece of mohar is said to be somewhat heavier than normal this season; the hair is longer, cleaner and dry and is free from burrs.

Holdings of some of the leading growers there are: Kline Bros., 3000 pounds; Roscoe Bros., 900 pounds; W. J. Smith, 1100 pounds; Charles Hadwick, 800 pounds; W. A. Taylor, 1200 pounds.

The best industry of the Eddyville section is gaining and a number of new goat farms have been started. Among these is one started by Nash Bros., with 500 goats.

North Portland Is Quoting a Nominal Tone at Week-End

Portland Livestock Run

Best beef steers, 12 1/2 c; 12 1/2 c; 12 1/2 c.

Medium beef steers, 12 1/2 c; 12 1/2 c; 12 1/2 c.

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New York, May 15.—(U. S. S.)—The stock market closed firm today. There was little of interest in trading in the last hour, prices ranging from narrow.

Pan-American Petroleum yielded 1 1/2 from the high to 10 1/4 and the Motor shares reacted fractionally. U. S. Steel common held around its high to 9 1/4, while Baldwin reacted about 1 point.

Government bonds, unchanged, railway and other bonds, firm.

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