

ARRIVAL OF EGGS FROM MARKET

Egg merchants without orders on hand are practically out of the market. One dealer was paying 29 cents until his car is filled, and another 28 cents, but both announced they would probably be out of the market during the day.

Dealers who sent out cards Saturday quoting 27 and 28 cents are considering cancelling these prices at once, as the market is so weak. Although the Eastern market advanced one cent during the day's trading, that is not taken as an indication of any renewed strength.

The butter market remains firm, but no further advances are anticipated during the next 24 hours.

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

POTATO MARKET IS DRAGGING No life was displayed during the day on the potato market. Only a few buyers for large stock, but most of it does not satisfy the trade because the centers are either hollow or black.

SMALL ORANGES ARE PLENTIFUL Market is well supplied with small sized oranges. Prices remain low. Larger sizes are scarce and higher. Naval oranges are now at a low level.

BRIEF NOTES OF PRODUCE TRADE Lettuce market has advanced at California shipping points. Oregon broccoli is now available, and with favorable weather conditions will soon be plentiful.

WEATHER NOTICE FOR SHIPPERS Weather bureau advisory: Protect shipments during the next few days from the following minimum temperatures: Going north, 34 degrees; northwest over the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railway, 24 degrees; east to Baker, 29 degrees; and south to Ashland, 20 degrees. Minimum temperature at Portland tonight, about 36 degrees.

WHOLESALE PRICES IN PORTLAND These are prices retailers pay wholesalers, except as otherwise noted:

Butter—Selling price, box lots: Creamery, extra, parchment wrapper, 55c per lb. Factory, extra, parchment wrapper, 53c per lb. Butterfat—Portland delivery, bulk, No. 1, 25c per lb. No. 2, 24c per lb. No. 3, 23c per lb.

Onions—Selling price to retailers: Local, 15c per doz. bunched; green onions, 40c per dozen bunches. Potatoes—Selling price to retailers. Oregon fancy, \$1.00 to 1.25; sweets, Tanna, \$3.50 per sack.

Meats and Provisions COUNTRY MEATS—Selling price: Country pork, 12c to 15c per lb. Bacon, 18c to 22c per lb. SMOKE MEATS—Hams, 30c to 35c per lb. LARD—Retail rendered, 21 1/2c per lb. FRESH FISH—Steelside, 26c per lb. Trout, 26c to 28c per lb. Halibut, fresh, 18c to 20c per lb. Salmon, 1.50 per 10-lb. basket.

DAIRY PRODUCE OF THE COAST San Francisco, Feb. 21 (U. P.)—Butter—Extra, 55c. Creamery, 54c. Eggs—Fresh, 25c per doz. Potatoes—Selling price to retailers. Oregon fancy, \$1.00 to 1.25; sweets, Tanna, \$3.50 per sack.

NEW YORK BUTTER AND EGGS Market active. Creamery extras (malted and unmalted), 48c to 50c per cwt. Eggs—Receipts, 12,247 cases. Current prices: Malted, 48c; unaltered, 48c to 51c; state dairy tub, 28c to 30c.

NEW YORK METAL MARKET Chicago, Feb. 21 (U. P.)—Butter—Receipts, 32,500 tons. Eggs—Receipts, 12,247 cases. Current prices: Malted, 48c; unaltered, 48c to 51c; state dairy tub, 28c to 30c.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET Liverpool, Feb. 21 (U. P.)—Spot opened to fair inquiry, prices for the day were 5000 bales. Receipts, 5000 bales including 300 American. Good middling, 9.58; middling, 9.38; fair, 9.18; good, 8.98; low, 8.78; low, 8.58; good ordinary, 8.38; ordinary, 8.18; outside, 7.98.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET

When two loads of diversion hogs sold for \$11.50 the market showed renewed strength and improved from 35c to 50c per 100 lbs. One early morning load of 100 head went for the top market price of \$11.35.

Call for Light Cattle Light cattle were in demand during the early morning trading. Sale for heavier stock was not so active. In the cattle market steady. First shipment paid steers from Paul, Idaho, arrived. Three loads sold at \$7.85 and one at \$7.65.

Sheep Market Inactive Sheep market on a whole was inactive. This was especially true of lambs. Only one early sale of ewes was reported. No bids were made on anything else.

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STOCK MARKET TOPICS

Foch intends to cut off Bavaria from Germany to bring the Germans to terms, if necessary, according to New York Times' Paris cable. United States Chamber of Commerce sees improvement in business situation in spring, but finds no indication that there is going to be any sudden return of prosperity.

With 10 days remaining for congress to finish its work, little hope is held out for passage of emergency tariff bill, and filibuster is expected against Wm. Woolen bill for partial payments to resume.

Obregon resolution refusing new drilling permit not expected to affect American companies, most of which will not permit program under present drilling permits until Mexican senate takes definitive action.

Plans for merger of Dominion Steel corporation, Nova Scotia Steel & Coal company and Halifax shippers, under name of British Empire Steel corporation, formulated at Montreal. New York Bond Market. Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., Board of Trade Building.

Risque Dance Found In Wake of Dry Law In Chicago Inquiry Chicago, Feb. 21 (U. P.)—The law of compensation will be enforced. If men and women can't get liquor they will have their little fling some other way.

Immoral dances are permitted at 70 per cent of the dance halls investigated. The association found an increase of approximately 20 per cent, compared with pre-prohibition times.

Instead of saying, 'It was my first drink,' the girls who come to the Lowry date hospital now say 'It was my first dance,' said the Rev. John P. Brushingham of the morals commission.

Dr. James Whitely Hall, noted alienist, said dances would undoubtedly become more risqué as the lid is further tightened.

One Power Blocks Solution of Seized Cable Distribution Washington, Feb. 21 (U. P.)—One power today continued to block progress in the matter of final disposition of German cables seized during the war, while international communications conference was to have met today but the meeting was postponed until Friday at the request of one of the representatives who asked further time for his government in drawing a final decision of policy with regard to the cables. The power which is delaying was not disclosed.

London Jobless Build Roads London, Feb. 21 (U. P.)—Nearly 25,000 men now are at work on road schemes which have been developed in different parts of the country for the relief of unemployed.

Bond Issue Certified Salem, Or., Feb. 21—An issue of \$300,000 in bonds of the Medford irrigation district has been certified to by the state irrigation securities commission.

Walla Walla Man Named Union High School Principal Milton, Or., Feb. 21—H. W. Jones, principal of the Walla Walla high school, has been elected principal of union high school of district No. 3.

Hood River Woman Charged With Arson Hood River, Feb. 21—Mrs. Sarah J. Chartrow was arrested Saturday evening, charged with arson and was bound over to the grand jury, which heard the case today. The charge arises out of a fire a month ago which partially destroyed a residence she had leased, damaging furniture on which insurance was carried, but which, it is alleged, did not belong to Mrs. Chartrow, having been left in her care. She refused to compensate the owner, it is charged, and the state fire marshal asserts excessive insurance was carried.

Deposits in All Banks of U. S. Total \$41,714,075,000

Aggregate deposits in all banks of the country, 8030 national banks, 22,109 reporting state banks on June 30 last, according to the comptroller of the currency, were \$41,714,075,000. This is an increase of \$4,045,175,000 since June, 1919, and of \$20,254,233,000 since June 30, 1914. According to these figures deposits in all the banks of the country nearly doubled in the past six years.

Resources of all banks, national and state, have also practically doubled in six years, increasing from \$28,571,398,000 on June 30, 1914, to \$53,079,108,000 on June 30, 1920, an expansion of \$24,507,710,000. Of the increase in deposits between 1919 and 1920, the state institutions were responsible for \$2,814,654,000, or 12.34 per cent, and the national banks for \$1,220,521,000, or 7.73 per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES Corrected daily by the foreign exchange department of the United States National Bank. Quotations below, except the pound sterling, are quoted on the basis of 100 units foreign currency.

Table with columns: Bank Name, Bid, Asked. Includes entries for London, Paris, Amsterdam, etc.

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Table with columns: Bond Name, Bid, Asked. Includes entries for U.S. Gov. Bonds, etc.

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NEW YORK LONDON SILVER New York, Feb. 21 (U. P.)—New York silver was quoted: Domestic, unchanged at 90 1/2; foreign, 1/2c lower today at 87 1/2. London, Feb. 21 (U. P.)—Silver price was 1/2c lower today at 33 1/2.