Wheat Drops Three Cents but Buying Brings Partial Recovery

Hits Low Level | Salem Markets Before Halted

Drops 10 Cents From High of 12 Days Ago; Rye Loses as Well

CHICAGO, Feb. 25-(A)-Wheat tumbled three cents a bushel today to the lowest level since early this month before enough buying developed to erase about half of

Wheat closed 1 %-1 % cents below yesterday's finish, May 1.30%, July 1.134-%, Sept. 1.10 %, and corn was %-% off, May 1.05 %-06, July 1.01 %-%, Sept. 94%-%. Oats lost %-1%, May 46-46%, rye 1%-4%, May 1.03 14. and provisions were two cents off to 10 cents up.

Wheat's fall to a level 10 cents below the season's high established 12 days ago demonstrated the market's extreme sensitiveness to

Bullish news from abroad was ignored until the market reached bottom, 3% cents below the early high, around noon.

Cash sales of wheat by local shippers were the largest since

The five-cent fall of May rye to \$1.02 1/2 was attributed to stop loss selling and liquidation of tired holders that found support limited. The corn market resisted selling and showed less decline than other grains. The country did not offer corn freely. Provisions were strengthened by the higher hog market.

Curry Home After Prize Journey to Insurance Session

ALBANY, Feb. 25-Charles C. Curry arrived in Albany Wednesday noon from a trip to Chicago, Ill., where he attended a convention of the Farm Mutual Insurance company. Curry won the trip as the result of successful representation of the company the past

Curry left Portland February 12, in a special coach, in company with 21 other agents from Oregon. He reported that at the banquet which was held on the opening were 2200 registered.

Returning to Oregon, Curry accompanied George Kurre of Dallas and Jack Wakefield of Corvallis, each of whom had also one the free trip. The trip home was made in a new auto which Kurre purchased while in the east. In Kansas they encountered a snow storm, and at other places along the route much cold weather.

General Mkts.

PRODUCE EXCHANGE
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 25.—(AP)—
Produce exchange, net prices: Butter:
Extras, 83 %c; standards, 83c; prime
firsts, 82 %c; firsts, 31c.
Butterfat: 37-37 %c.
Eggs: U. S. large extras 21c; U. S.
medium extras 19c.

Portland Grain

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 25.—(AP)—
t rather weak closing was shown for lomestic wheat prices. On the Portland utures market, without trading, final m May was off ½ cent with July unhanged. On the sample cash market local wheat lost 1 cent and Montana 1½ cent a bushel.

Wheat: Open High Low Close

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May 1.18 1.13 1.12½ 1.12½
July 1.01 1.01 1.01 1.01
Cash wheat: Big Bend bluestem, hw,
12 pet 1.15; dark hard winter 13 pet
2.31; 12 pet 1.25; 11 pet 1.19; soft white
and western white 1.11; hard winter
2.13; western red 1.11.
Oate, No. 2 white 33.50, gray 32.50.
Barley, No. 2-45 lb. B.W. 3900. Corn,
Argentine 38.50. Millrun standard 31.50.
Today's car receipts: Wheat 80; barley 1; flour 17; hay 1.

Portland Livestock

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(USDA)—Hogs: 750, including 339 direct, market slow unevenly weak to 10 ower, some bids 25 lewer; packing sows and feeder pigs nearly steady, good-hoice 165-215 lb. driveins mostly 10.00, aw 10.10; late bids and few sales 9.85, 130-260 lb 9.50-9.60, 280 lb. 9.25, 130-155 lb. 9.25-9.50 packing sows 8.00, aw good feeder pigs 800, choice 80-100 b. quotable 9.00.

Cattle: 100, calves 50, including 30 lirect; cows grading medium and below. Il bulls 25 lower for two days, other lasses stendy to weak, medium-good seers 7.50-7.90, common grades 5.75, sommon-medium heifers 5.00-6.50, good led heifers eligible 7.50, low cutter and matter cows 3.25-4.25, common-medium files 5.00-5.50, good beef cows 5.75-6.25, few bulls 5.00-5.75, good vealers 9.00-9.50, shoice 10.00. ls 5.00-5.75, good veniers 9.00-9.50, sice 10.00.
Sheep: 100, including 80 direct, odd and choice wooled lambs fully steady to 9.75, good-choice driveins 9.00-5, few choice 120 lb, shorn awas 5.00, I and common wooled ewes 2.00-4.00, sice 5.75 or above.

Portland Produce

Prints, A grade, 35 %c lb. in t wrapper; 36 %c in cartons; parchment wrappers, 36 %c lb.; 55 to (Portland delivery, general a grade, delivered at least twice 57-28c lb.; country routes, a; B grade, 38-27c lb.; O grade

Grade B raw 4 per cent milk. Salem basic pool price \$2.20 per hundred. Co-op butter at price, F.O.B. Salem, 86c. (Milk based on semi monthly butterfut average.)

Distributor price, \$2.84. A grade butterfat—De-livered, 86c; B grade, delivered, 34 1/4 c. A grade print, 36c; B grade, 35c.

Prices paid to growers by Salem buyers (The prices below, supplied by s loca grocer, are indicative of the daily market but are not supposited by The

man.)	Diates
PRUITS Buying Prices)	
Applés, bu. Grimes Golden	.70
Bananas, tb. on stalk	.06 16
Coconnuts, sack20 to	6.50
Grapefruit, Florida, box	8.75
Lemons, crate	
Fancy	5.50
VEGETABLES (Baying Prices)	5,00

Beets, Calif., dos.
Brussell Sprouts, crate
Cabbage, ib.
Cabbage, red, ib.
Carrots, dos.

50 ibs.

Walla Walla sweet, 50 ibs.

Oyster plant, doz.

Radishes, dos.

Japanese radishes, dos.

Paranips, ib

Panners, green, Calif, ib.

Peppers, green, Calif., ib. Red, ib. Red, lb.
Potatoes, local, No. 1, cwt.
No. 2, cwt., bag
Potatoes, sweet, No. 1
Rhubarb hothouse fancy, crate
Spinach Texas, basket
Squash, Hubbard, cwt.
Tomatoes, 20 lb. crate
Turnips, dos.
Water cress

EGGS AND FOULTRY (Buying Price of Andresens)

Medium standards Medium standards Pullets Heavy hens, ib. Colored mediums, ib. Medium Leghorns, ib. Stars, ib.

No. 2 grades, 2 cents less. ggs-Candled and graded-Large extras Medium extras . Large standards

Medium standards Undergrades Pullets

Turkeys, dressed17 and Dirty extras
LIVESTOCK
(Buying Price)
8.5 Spring lambs 8.50 to 9.00

Ewes 4.00 to 5.00

Hogs, top, 150-220 lbs. 9.50

130-150 lbs. 8.75 to 9.00

210-225 lbs. 9.00

Sows Dairy type cow ___ GRAIN AND BAY

Stocks & Bonds

CASCARA AND MINT

Alfalfs, valley Oat and vetch, ton

Cascara bark, lb. Peppermint Oil. lb.

February 25 STOCK AVERAGES

Wool-1936, nominal; Willamette val-ley medium, 30s lb.; coarse and braids, 25c lb.; eastern Oregon, 23-24c lb.; crossbrok, 37-28c lb.; 1927 contracts, 30-36c lb.

Mohair—1937 contracts, 40-42c lb.

Hay—Selling price to retailers: Alfalfa, No. 1, \$23-23.50; sastern Oregon
timothy, \$18-18.50 ton; oats and retch,
\$12-13; clover, \$12-13 ton, Pertland,
Hops—Nominal; 1936, 38-40c lb.
Onions—Oregon \$2,50-3 central; Yakima \$2.25-2.75,
Bugar—Borry on fault 100.

ima \$2.25-2.75,
Sugar—Berry or fruit, 100c, \$3.50;
bales, \$5.65; beet, \$5.40 cental.
Domestic Flour—Selling price, city delivery, 5 to 25-bbl. lots: family patents,
98s, \$6.30 8.05; haker's hard wheat,
\$6.05 8.65; baker's bluestem, \$6.15 6.85;
blended hard, \$6.53-7.75; graham, \$6.70;
whole wheat, \$6.80 bbl.

Boston Wool

OSTON, Peb. 25—(AP)—(USDA)— domestic wools were very quiet i market here today. Mills were mail

Little Gain in Stock Market

Starts Well But Falls Off Before Getting Far; Steel Is Loser

NEW YORK, Feb. 25-(P)-The stock market made a start ahead today, but slipped before getting very far.

The Associated Press average declined 0.3 of a point to 71.9.
Transanctions totaled 2,227,830 shares, compared with 2,083,990 Wednesday. Net declines and gains were in approximate balance.

Prominent issues which lost fractions to 2 points or so were U. S. Steel at 109 %, General Motors 65 14, New York Central 44 16, Baltimore & Ohio 281/4, DuPont 1701/4, and Standard Oil of New Jersey 72.

Anaconda closed down 1% at 64% after a moderate early gain. The financial community was encouraged with the disclosure Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau will not borrow additional money in its March 15 financing. In response to this, U. S. government obligations put on a smart

Temperance Club Meets at Dallas

DALLAS, Feb. 25-The regular monthly meeting of the Dallas W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. P. J. Voth on Wednesday afternoon with a large number of members present.

Plans were made to make supplies for the Children's Farm Home at Corvallis. The local union plans to visit the home some time in July. A Frances Willard program was given. Taking part in this

were Mrs. J. G. Van Orsdel, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Clyde Robbins, who presented some interesting facts about Miss Willard's life and The March meeting of the W C. T. U. will be held in coopera-

tion with the missionary societies

Much Interest Shown In Demonstrations of Pruning by W. C. Leth

of the Dallas churches.

DALLAS, Feb. 25 - Considerinterest was shown in the pruning demonstrations which were held last week by W. C. Leth, Polk county agent. According to Mr. Leth over 100 people participated in the various

around the trees during the demonstrations.

West Salem.

Gardeners and Ranchers' Mart

gardeners' and ranchers' market today, with little demand for fruits and vegetables, Many commodities sold below replacement value to keep supplies moving. Potatoes remained dull.

The onion market made a new for good storage quality, but prices locally failed to react to the shipping demand. Apples—Washington Delicious, extra fancy, \$2.85-3.00; Winesaps, extra fancy, \$2.10-2.25; Newtowns, extra fancy, \$1.85-

Artichokes-California, boxes 5-6 dos. \$4.00.
Avacados—California, 65s, Fuertes, \$1.65, Pueblos \$1.80-1.85.

Rananas—Per pound, 54-6c.

Beans—California, crate, \$2,75-8.00;

Oranberries-25-pound box, \$4.50-4.78.

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California, \$1.90 per lug of 4

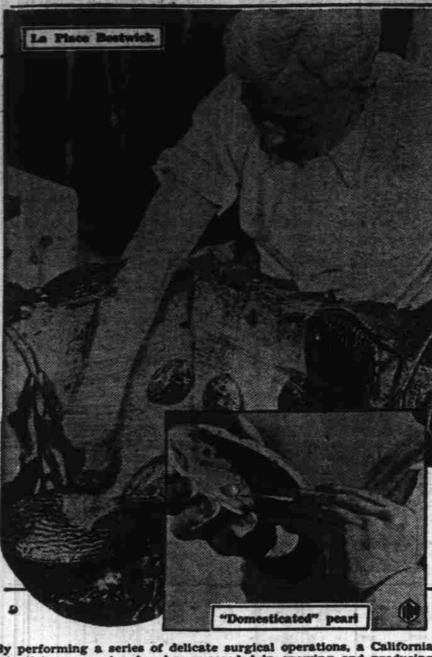
Lettuce—Imperial, 4-5 dozen, \$4.50-5.00; 6 doz., \$3.50-4.00. Mushrooms—Une pound cartons, 40

Rutabagas — Washington, 100 pound sacks, \$2.10 2.95.

Spinach—Texas, \$1.35-1.40 per banket.

Squash—thegon banket, rast crates
70.75c; Hubbard, ib., \$3-3 4c. Sweet Potators - California, 50 lb crrses, \$2.25 2.35; yams, \$2.60-2.75

Pearls Grown by Scientist



By performing a series of delicate surgical operations, a California scientist, once a jeweler, has succeeded in growing and producing natural pearls in several colors. La Place Bostwick "grows" the pearls at his "farm" near La Jolla, Cal. His method is to take an abalone, a type of mollusk, and place within its body a piece of shell. This sets up an irritation, causing the abalone to cover the foreign matter with a secretion, the result being a pearly formation to which new layers are added as time passes until a sizable pearl

DeLong's Funeral Will Be Saturday

Constable Here 18 Years Has Varied Career; in Oregon Since 1893

Within less than two months after heterminated 18 years ser-vice as constable of the Salem district, Walter E. DeLong, 75, died about 4 o'clock Thursday 10:48—Who's who in news. morning. He had been a resi- 11:00—Big Sister. dent of Oregon since 1893.

Born in Ionis county, Michigan,, Mr. DeLong spent his boyhood on a farm but joined his father in the blacksmithing trade at an early age and worked at that occupation in Iowa, Later he was a locomotive engineer for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. He was married in San-born, Ill., to Miss Bary Chris-

After coming to Salem Mr. De-Long was a carpenter. Later a member of the fire department and for a time a deputy sheriff. Affiliating with the Warren construction conmpany, he laid some of the first pavement in Salem. Corvallis and Albany. At the time of the World war he worked in San Francisco shipyards. He was elected constable here soon after he returned. He is survived by his widow.

Mary H. DeLong; two daughters. Mrs. E. V. McMechan and Mrs. Thomas A. Roberts, both of Salem; a grandson, Tommy Rob-erts; two sisters, Mrs. F. N. Derby of Salem and Mrs. William Watson of Portland; and one brother, Eli DeLong of Scio. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. from the Clough-Barrick chapel, with interment in Belcrest Memorial

Mrs. Chamberlain Files For Divorce

DALLAS, Feb. 25 - Merna Chamberlain has filed suit for di- torney for the plaintiff.

A Rainbow in the Sky

Radio Programs

KOIN-PRIDAY-940 Me.

6:30-Klock. 8:00—Kaeping fit. 8:30—Behind the Looking Glass.

8:45-Sons of Pioneers.

9:15-News. 9:30-Romance of Helen Trent, serial.

9:45-Rich Man's Darling, serial. 10:15-Modern Cinderella,

10:30-Betty Crocker. 10:45-Church hymns.

11:45-Myrt and Marge.

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12:00—Magazine, varied.
12:45—News.
1:00—Three Consoles.
1:15—Home institute. 1:30—Variety.
2:00—Trace orch,
2:15—Children's program.
2:80—News Through Woman's Eyes.
2:45—Neighbors, varied.
3:00—Western home. 4—News.
5:00—Broadway varieties.
5:45—Tops revue.
6:00—Hollywood Hotel, varied.
7:00—Moments You Never Forget.
7:30—Little Show. 7:45—CBS.
8:00—Scattergood Baines.
8:15—Renfrew. 8:30—Kemp orch.
9:00—Major Bowes' amateurs.
9:15—Drews, organ. 9:30—Ravel orch.
10:45—American Legion fights.
10:45—Fio-Rito orch. 11—Allen orch.
11:30-12—Rhythm Around Town.

KGW-FRIDAY-620 Kc. 7:00-Morning melodies (ET). 8:00-Financial.

8:00—Financial.
9:00—News.
9:15—Mary Marlin, serial.
9:30—How to Be Charming.
9:45—Conference of Jews and Christians
10:00—Benny Walker's Kitchen.
10:15—Mrs. Wiggs of Cabbage Patch.
10:30—John's Other Wife, drama.
10:45—Just Plain Bill. drama.

10:45—Just Plain Bill. drama. 11:35—News. 11:45—Singin' Sam. 12:00—Pepper Young's Family, drama. 12:15—Ma Perkins, serial. 12:30—Vic and Cade, comedy. 12:45—O'Neills, drama. 1:00—Little concert.
1:30—Follow the Moon.
1:45—Guiding Light, drama.
2:00—Hollywood news.

They were married at Vancouver in October, 1936. There are no children nor any property rights involved. Mrs. Chamberlain charges cruel and inhuman treatment. She asks

vorce from J. B. Chamberlain.

that her maiden name, Merna Hunter, be restered. Guy O. Smith of Salem it at-

2:05—Church council.
2:15—Helem Jane Behlke, sing.
2:30—Clem and Harry. 2:45—Clinic.
3:00—Education in news.
4:00—Donald McGibenty, commentator.
4:15—Back Sest Driver.
4:30—Edwin C. Hill, commentator.
4:45—Invisible Trails (ET).
5:15—U. S. army band.
5:45—Junior news. 6—Dinner concert.
6:30—Twin Stars.
7:30—First Nighter, drama.
7:30—First Nighter, drama.
7:30—Varsity show.
8:00—Amos 'n' Andy comedy.
8:15—Uncle Ezra, comedy.
8:15—Uncle Ezra, comedy.
8:30—True Story Court, drama.
9:00—Carefree carnival.
9:30—Fireside hour. 10—News.
10:15—Legislative news.
10:30—Hopkins orch.
11:00—Ambassador orch.
11:30—Woodyard orch. 12—Weather.

KEX-PRIDAY-1180 Kc.

KEX FRIDAY 1180 Kc.

6:30—Clock (ET).

7:30—Josh Higgins. 7:45—News.

8:00—Robert Gately, sing.

8:15—Vagabonds. 4 sivg.

8:30—Edna Fischer

8:45—Gospel singer.

9:00—Theatre of Life, drama.

9:05—Honeyboy and Sassafras.

9:15—Home institute.

9:30—National farm and home.

10:02—Jingletown Gazette.

10:30—Love and Learn, serial.

10:45—Neighbor Nell.

11:10—Current events.

11:15—Music Appreciation.

12:00—Western farm and home.

12:45—Market reports. 12:50—Visitor.

1:05—O. M. Plummer, talk.

1:15—Melodeens. 4-sing.

1:30—Stringwood ensemble.

2:00—Three Rancheros.

2:15—Eddie Swartout.

2:45—Old Homestead, drama.

3:00—Kogen orch.

3:25—Financial and grain reports.

3:30—News.

4:00—Jim and Judy.

4:45—Jean Dickinson, sing.

5:00—Irene Rich, drama.

5:15-5:30—Jean Cowan. 8—News.

8:15-5:30—Jean Cowan. 8—News.

8:15-Singin' Sam.

8:45—Night Watchman, drama.

9:00—Chandler orch.

9:30—Vocal varieties (ET).

10:30—Biltmore orch. 11—News.

11:15—Charles Runyon.

12:00—Weather and police reports.

KOAC-FRIDAY-550 Kc.

9:00—The homemakers' hour,
10:00—Weather forecast,
10:15—Story hour for adults,
11:00—School of the air,
12:15—Farm hour,
1:15—Variety,
2:00—Guarding your health,
2:30—Interesting people in the news,
3:00—Travel recollections, A. R. Hammond. mond.
4:00—The symphonic hour.
4:30—Stories for boys and girls.

5:00—On the campuses.
6:30—Farm hour.
7:40—O.S.C. varsity debate squad.
8:15-9:00—The business hour.

By CLIFF STERRETT

CLIZ SHE ALWAYS
MAKES A TAIL FER
TH' THING OUTA
RAM'S CHRISTMAS
AN' BIRTHDAY

NEOKTIES!

POLLY AND HER PALS

MICKEY MOUSE

TAKE THAT,

YUH LITTLE

demonstrations held. In some orchards where the demonstrations were held the ground was so muddy that considerable damage was done by tracking through the orchard and

The largest demonstration was held in the Mosher orchard near

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 25. (A)
-Trading continued dull on the

high of \$3 net too the growers

Beans—California. crate. \$2.75-3.00;
20c per fb.

Beets—Per sack, Oregon, \$1.85.

Brocecil—Crate, \$2.75.

Brussell Sprouts—California, pony.

'd-drums \$3.3.15.

Cabbage—Oregon, Danish, lettmes crates, \$2.50-3.00; red, fb., 3\(\frac{1}{2}\)-4c; Arizona, \$3.25-3.50 cwt., Texas, \$2.50-2.75.

Uarrots—Per sack, \$1.50.

Cauliflower—Calif., pony, \$1.20-1.40.

Celery—Utah type, \$3.00-3.25; California 3-8\(\frac{1}{2}\) dozen, \$2.2.50.

Celery—Otah type, \$3.00-3.25; California, avels, \$3.75-5.25; lemons, California, navels, \$3.75-5.25; lemons, California, fancy, \$6.50-7.00; grapefruit, Florida, fancy, \$3.25-3.50; Texas, \$3.25-3.50.

Cocoanuts—Imported, sacks, \$3.25; 90c doz.

Cranberries—25-pound bez, \$4.50-4.78.

43c.
Onlone—100 pound sacks, U. S. No. 1, yellows, \$2.35-2.60; yellow boilers, 10 pound sacks, 23-25c.
Pareley—Per dozen bunches, \$5.40c.
Paranips—Per lug, 55-60c.
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Pens—California. 30 pound hampers.
\$2.25; 12 15c per pound
Pears—Oregon Washington, jumble pack, Easter Buerre, 90c; D'Anjous, extra fancy, \$2.50.
Peppers—Mexico, 12-15c lb.; \$8.75-4.00 per crate.
Potatoes—U. S. No. 1, 100 pound sacks bakers. \$4.25 4.35; Deschutes russets, \$3.60 4.00; local, \$350 375; Burbanks, \$3.50-8.75.
Radiohes—Per dozen bunches, 40 45c.



THANK YOU, MA'AM - BUT, HONEST

DIE - I'VE EATEN SO MUCH BREAKFAST I FEEL LIKE I WAS THE MAT LADY IN A





LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

NOW DON'T SIT A-PECKING LIKE LOCK OF WRENS - EAT HEARTY





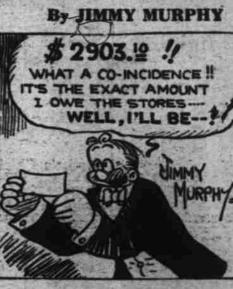
TOOTS AND CASPER

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A Strange Co-incidence







THIMBLE THEATRE—Starring Popeye

"Blowing" Pappy to Dinner

By SEGAR









