

Wheat Reaches Highest Peak

Cent a Bushel Gain Puts Grain to Best Level in Two Months

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—(AP)—September wheat, purchased by consumers interested in its relative cheapness and by dealers not wishing to make delivery on "short" sales, rose a cent a bushel today to the highest level in more than two months. This buoyed the entire grain market. Trading in all September grain deliveries will cease after tomorrow and any contracts not settled will then have to be satisfied by delivery of actual grain before the end of this month.

The attractiveness of September wheat from the standpoint of consuming interests was indicated by the fact that until today it has been quoted at a discount under deferred deliveries. Due partly to the tightening cash wheat supply situation, resulting from the government loan program, No. 2 hard wheat sold here at 81 cents, 2 cents over September, and equal to the loan rate on a Chicago basis.

Wheat closed 1/4-cent higher than yesterday, September 1/4-3/4, December 77 1/2-3/4 and May 78 1/4-78.

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Progress Is Made In Soil Problems

CORVALLIS, Sept. 20.—(AP)—Dr. Hugh H. Bennett, chief of the federal soil conservation service, said today that the Pacific northwest was making "notable progress" in solving major soil problems.

The Washington, DC, official told a conference of agricultural leaders that excellent cooperation of Oregon State college agencies with his service was responsible. Sand dune control in Clatsop county, rehabilitation of logged-off lands, snow surveys and water forecasting were mentioned as specific examples.

Dr. Bennett, accompanied by two assistants, Dillon S. Myer and Dr. M. L. Nichols, and by Harry Reddick and W. W. McLaughlin, California officials, left here for Medford where a meeting was held tonight.

Earlier, the party visited the Warrenton sand dune project and traversed coast range logged-off lands. Dr. Bennett said tentative plans have been made to expand the demonstration program through reseeded burned-over areas in cooperation with experiment station officials.

Coast Hop Market Is Quiet; Steady

PORTLAND, Sept. 20.—(AP)—The Pacific coast hop markets were quiet but steady during the week ended September 18, the agricultural marketing service said today. Prices quoted to growers were unchanged from the previous week on regular seeded types of hops, but values on seedless types appeared firm to stronger.

The Oregon market was quiet although increased inquiry was reported for seedless hops. Small lot sales of this quality brought \$5 a pound net to growers. Price on regular seeded types remained at 80c.

Axe Handle Factory Is Electrified

WOODBURN—The axe handle factory owned and operated by Sam A. Hofer will soon be electrified. Hofer has been making plans to replace the steam, by which the factory now runs, with electricity.

Looking Over Base Site, Bermuda



On a tour of inspection of air and naval sites in line with the U. S. government's exchange of old destroyers for air and naval bases on English possessions in the new world, Rear Admiral John W. Greenleaf, left, and Brig. Gen. J. L. Davenport, right, are shown at Hamilton, Bermuda. In center is U. S. Consul William H. Beck.

Goering Listens to London Raid Reports



I. I. N. Cablephoto
Returned from a bombing raid on Britain, German airman give their report direct to Marshal Hermann Goering (right) at his headquarters somewhere in Northern France, according to the German caption. Goering is personally directing the air war against the British Isles. Photo cabled from Berlin to New York.

Salem Market Quotations

(Buying Prices)
The prices below supplied by a local grower are indicative of the daily market prices paid to growers by Salem buyers but are not guaranteed by The Statesman.

VEGETABLES	
Beans, green	24
Butter, doz.	10 1/2
Cabbage, lb.	10 1/2
Carrots, local, doz.	25
Cauliflower, local	75
Cucumbers, doz.	20
Celery	1.00
Squash, Crookneck	1.50
Onions, 50 lb.	90
Green onions, doz.	25
Peppers, green	1.00
Peppers, red	1.00
Potatoes, 100 lb., No. 1	1.25
50 lb. No. 2	1.00
Radishes	25
Squash, Crookneck, doz.	40
Squash, Zucchini, lb.	1.00
Squash, Danish, doz.	25
Spinach, local	75
Tomatoes, lug	1.00
Tomatoes, lb.	1.00
GRAIN, HAY AND SEEDS	
Wheat, No. 1, re-cleaned, bu.	75
Oats, No. 1	20.00
Feed barley, ton	20.00 to 22.00
Clover hay, ton	9.00
Alfalfa hay, ton	12.00 to 14.00
Erg mash, No. 1 grade, 80 lb. bag	1.80
Dairy feed, 80-lb. bag	1.35
Hen scratch feed	1.00
Cracked corn	1.00
EGGS AND POULTRY	
(Buying Prices of Advertisers)	
Grade A medium, doz.	25
Grade B large, doz.	22
Grade C, doz.	20
Colored hens	12
Colored fryers	18
White Leghorn, heavy	18
White Leghorn, fryers	13
BUTTERFAT, No. 1, 20 1/2 c; No. 2, 27 1/2 c; premium, 80 1/2 c.	
1/2 grade print 82 1/2 c; B grade 81 1/2 c; quarters 83 1/2 c.	
Old roosters	
Grade A large, doz.	55
Grade A medium, doz.	52
Grade B large, doz.	48
Grade B medium, doz.	45
Checks, undergrade	18
Large dirty	10
Small dirty	8
Leghorn fryers, 1 1/2 lbs.	14
Leghorn fryers, 3 lbs. and up	15
Colored fryers, 3 lbs. and up	12
Colored hens	13
HOPS	
(Buying Prices)	
1939 contracts, lb.	80 to 40
1940 contracts, lb.	80
LIVESTOCK	
(Buying prices for No. 1 stock, based on conditions and sales reported up to 4 p.m.)	
1940 spring lambs, hard wheat, 7 1/2	
Yearling lambs	5.00
Hogs, 175-lb. coppers over 4 lbs., 22	
Hogs, top, 160-220 lbs., 3.60 to 5.00	
Sows	4.60 to 6.00
Head cows	5.50 to 6.00
Heifers	6.00 to 6.50
Dairy type cows	4.00 to 6.00
Livestock	1.00
Dressed veal, lb.	15
WOOL AND MOHAIR	
(Buying Prices)	
Wool, medium, lb.	32
Oozare, lb.	35
Mohair	32

Quotations at Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 20.—(AP)—Butterfat—No. 1, 20 1/2 c; No. 2, 27 1/2 c; premium, 80 1/2 c. 1/2 grade print 82 1/2 c; B grade 81 1/2 c; quarters 83 1/2 c.

Butterfat—First quality, maximum 5 of 1 per cent acidity, delivered Portland, 30 1/2-31 c; premium quality (maximum of 1/2 of 1 per cent acidity), 32 c; valley routes and country points 2c less, or 29c; second quality 2c under first, or 27c.

Eggs—Portland Produce Exchange: Large extras 25; Medium extras 23; Medium standards 19; Small extras 13; Small standards 12.

Jobbing prices to retailers are 2c higher in cases, 3c higher in cartons.

Cheese—Portland Produce Exchange: Oregon triplets, 15 1/2; Oregon loaf, 16c; Tlasmok 1 1/2, triplets, 15c; loaf and baby loaf, 19c.

Portland Grain

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 20.—(AP)—Wheat: Open High Low Close September 74 74 74 74
Cash Grain: Oats, No. 2, 85-lb. white, 24.00; Barley, No. 2, 45-lb. BW, 21.25.
No. 1, flex 1.46
Cash Wheat (Bid): Soft white 75; western white 75 1/2; western red 75; Hard red winter: ordinary 74; 11 per cent 75 1/2; 12 per cent 76; 13 per cent 77; Hard white: 12 per cent 80; 13 per cent 82; 14 per cent 84.
Today's Car Receipts: Wheat, 11; barley 4; flour 12; corn 2; oats 1; hay 2; millfeed 11.

Portland Livestock

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 20.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs: Salable 850, total 150; market active

Barrows and gilts, gd.-ch.	140 to 160 lbs.	8.75 to 8.85
do do, 160-180 lbs.		8.25 to 8.35
do do, 180-200 lbs.		8.00 to 8.10
do do, 200-240 lbs.		8.15 to 8.20
do do, 240-270 lbs.		8.10 to 8.25
do do, 270-300 lbs.		8.75 to 8.80
Oats: Salable and total 25; calves salable 10, total 35; practically nothing offered.		
Steers, good, 900-1100 lbs.		10.00 to 11.00
do medium, 750-1000 lbs.		9.25 to 10.00
do common, 600-800 lbs.		8.75 to 9.25
Heifers, good, 750-900 lbs.		8.75 to 9.25
do medium, 600-800 lbs.		8.75 to 9.25
do common, 500-800 lbs.		8.75 to 9.25
Owls, good, all wts.		8.50 to 7.50
do medium, all wts.		8.00 to 7.50
do cut-com, all wts.		4.00 to 4.00
do canner, all wts.		3.50 to 4.00
Beef, good, all wts.		8.75 to 7.10
do sausage, good, all wts.		6.50 to 7.00
do sausage, med, all wts.		6.00 to 6.50
do sausage, cut-com, all wts.		8.00 to 6.00
Vealers, gd choice, all wts.		10.50 to 11.50
do com-med, all wts.		7.50 to 10.50
do cull, all wts.		6.00 to 7.50
Sheep: Salable 650, total 1700; market active.		
Spring lambs, good-choice		8.00 to 8.25
do medium and good		7.25 to 7.75
do common		6.50 to 7.00
Ewes (shorn), good-choice		8.00 to 8.50
do common and medium		1.50 to 2.00

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Stock Irregular On Today's Mart

Issues Move up and Down; Agricultural Machinery Pays Dividends

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—(AP)—Further mild profit taking sapped the stock market's strength today and the best leaders could do was to mill over a slightly irregular route.

Several preferred issues moved up 1 to 4 points on small turn-overs but fractional variations either way was the rule for most groups.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was unchanged at 44.1, duplicating the proceedings of yesterday. Dealings were the lightest of the past four sessions, transfers totaling 380,550 shares against 449,670 the day before.

Another lift of 1/4 of a cent a pound in the price of scrap copper, together with reports of rising demand for domestic and foreign sources, aided stocks in this group. Motors were not particularly responsive to a jump in this week's automotive output. Steels were unable to get far out in front despite signs of climbing production in this field.

Agricultural machinery shares were given a late run when Deere directors voted a dividend on the common of \$1.50 against 75 cents, paid in December. Gainers here were Deere, International Harvester, J. I. Case and Oliver Farm.

Preferred stocks on the upside were Pittsburgh Steel, Twin City Rapid Transit, Jones & Laughlin and National Supply.

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Al Chem & Dye	159	Du Pont	170 1/4	Phillips Pet	36 1/4
American Can	27	Eastman Kodak	135 1/4	Proc & Gamble	63 1/4
Allys-Chal	33	El Pow & Lt	5 1/4	Pub Srv NJ	34 1/4
Am Car & Fdy	25 1/4	General Electric	33 1/4	Pullman	20 1/4
Am Rd Sid San	7 1/4	General Foods	39 1/4	Radio	4 1/4
Am Roll Mills	11 1/4	General Motors	48 1/4	Rayonier Ptd	29
Am Smeit & Rt	40 1/4	Goodrich	7 1/4	Republic Steel	17 1/4
Am Tel & Tel	162	Goodyear Tire	15 1/4	Richfield Oil	3 1/4
Am Tobacco	27 1/4	Gr Northern	20 1/4	Safeway Stores	44 1/4
Aviation Corp	4 1/4	Greyhound	11 1/4	Sears Roebuck	82 1/4
Am Wat Works	3 1/4	Illinois Central	7 1/4	Soco Vacuum	2 1/4
Am Zinc L & S	6 1/4	Insp Copper	3 1/4	Sou Cal Edison	27
Anacosta	22 1/4	Intern Harv	45 1/4	South Pacific	39
Armour III	4 1/4	Intern Nick Can	26 1/4	Sperry Corp	40 1/4
Atchison	16 1/4	Intern P & Pulp	59	Stand Brands	6 1/4
Baldw Loco	17 1/4	Intery Tel & Tel	2 1/4	Stand Oil Calif	17 1/4
Bendix Aviation	21 1/4	Johns Manville	70	Stand Oil In	24 1/4
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Boeing Airplane	18 1/4	Libbey-O-Ford	42 1/4	Stone Webster	3 1/4
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Curtiss Wright	8 1/4	Penna RR	22 1/4	Woolworth	32 1/4
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"The reason for the advance appears to be a revival in interest in goods in the New York market. Consciousness of the fact that the new clip is melting away in the west until not much more than 10 per cent of the clip is left unsold in first hands, together with ris-

Onion Yield Is Light but Good

HAZEL GREEN — The onion crop in this section of Lake Labish is lighter than last year but the onions are of a fine quality. There is a scarcity of labor for the harvest.

Neighbors in this community are enjoying fresh strawberries from the irrigated field of Glen Looney. The variety is Marshall, not the overbearing.

Polly and Her Pals



Mickey Mouse



Little Annie Rooney



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