

# REVIEW OF WOOL MARKET AND PRICES

The American Wool and Cotton Reporter gives the following excellent comprehensive review of the wool situation in the United States:

Sales of the week 6,225,000 pounds. While there is a price level for wool below which the grower refuses to yield, there is also a level above which the spinners must deduct from manufacturing profits if they operate their machinery, and between these two levels the wool dealers must fit in and make something for the use of their money and for their business efforts.

There is always a decided difference of opinion regarding the price for the new clip wool, and it is most natural for the grower to assume the attitude of the injured party, regardless of the price paid for his product, as he is not in the best position to carefully study the manufacturing conditions and supply and demand for the finished product of his wool.

The wool clip of the world has a value as staple as gold, but just what this value is per pound can never be specifically agreed upon by the three factors in the industry, the grower, the dealer and the manufacturer.

For the past two years the dealers have taken losses into the millions as a result of their judgment or lack of judgment in fixing the value of wool, and it is a foregone conclusion that such a condition of affairs cannot go on. This loss was gain to the growers, particularly, whose expenses of production were not increased.

The trend of the times is toward organization in all branches of wool except among the dealers, where the policy seems to be, of each one for himself. The growers are becoming better organized each year, and their first and foremost duty is to regulate the supply of wool so that there will be more staple and less lower grades. They should provide for their customers, just as the merchant does, not expecting them to take substitutes.

The demand is for worsted wools, and will be for years, if not forever, and too little effort is directed to improving the sheep so that they will shear a better quality of wool.

Montana will produce over 35,000,000 pounds that will net the growers from three cents to seven cents a pound more than the general run of Utah and Idaho wools, and Montana should supply 50,000,000 pounds of its fine wool, and Utah should grow 10,000,000 pounds less wool and 20,000,000 pounds more staple.

The country is large enough and rich enough to allow this increase in all the sheep raising states of the far west, and it is up to the grower to tone up his flocks and have staple wool his object rather than average or poor wool.

The country could progress much more satisfactorily with 50,000,000 pounds more staple wool and we have the territory, the men and the markets, but well-directed energy is lacking to bring about the change.

### Wool

There is a firm undertone to the market, but there is less activity, with a steady demand for small lots of about everything available. The winter wools are very largely cleaned out and now the interest centers on lamb's wool, about the only available supply in any sizeable amounts. June lambs sell anywhere from 27c to 32c, but for July and later months prices are higher, on account of longer staple, due to the added growth of a month or more. Combing wools are in good demand wherever offered, the B's selling around 43c@44c, and the A's uppers at upwards of 50c. Total sales for the week aggregates 200,000 pounds.

### Scoured Wool

There has been an appreciable decline in the demand for scoured wools during the past week. To be sure, there is some business being done all the time, but during the last week most of it has been in lots ranging from 10 to 50 bags to carry over until purchases of grease wool can come forward from the scourers. Prices are practically unchanged, running all the way from 35 cents up to 52 cents, according to quality. Among the larger sales were 75,000 fine, 20,000 good fine and 35,000 medium, all within the ranges above mentioned. Nots are selling fairly well with domestic at 25 cents to 50 cents and Australian up as high as 55 cents. The total sales run about 120,000 pounds.

### Fleeces

The excitement in fleece wools has died out and the recent trading has been limited. Ohio half, three-eighths and delaine sold for future delivery to the extent of 600,000 pounds or more at 26 cents. Ohio quarter-bloods are 24c@25c, with very little wool in the market, and half and three-eighths are 26c@27c. The fleece

wool dealers cannot see their way clear to operate in the growing sections at the asking prices of the growers, and there is more or less of a deadlock on account of this price difference. Manufacturers who use these wools are not particularly anxious over their future supply, as business requiring large quantities of fleece wools is not yet booked in quantity great enough to cause uneasiness.

### Territories

There are some interesting features to the market in territory wools, principally the sale of over 2,000,000 pounds of old Montana clothing at about 16 cents, taking all that was held in joint account by two large houses. This wool at 16 cents will cost 46c@47c clean. New Montana wools are also interesting. Prices started at 15 cents and are now up to 17c@17 1/2c to cost 52c@55c clean.

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### HUNTING SEASON OPENS

Western Oregon Sportsmen Are Ready for the Mountains.

Yesterday the season of 1908 opened for the killing of deer in this state, and many sportsmen are making ready to take to the mountains after the elusive buck, says the Eugene Guard. A number of parties are already in the hills and doubtless there are many out with their 30-30s today.

It is highly probable, however, that there will not be a great number of the old hunters out for some time yet.

For the last two years conditions have been exceedingly favorable for the breeding of deer; the water holes are numerous, and the ranges covered with thick brush, making the access to deer haunts quite difficult; the large number of watering and feeding places scattered the attention of the hunters, affording added protection to the deer.

Yet rangers and trout fishermen returning from the higher reaches and ranges of the surrounding country have not reported the number of deer signs as numerous as was to be expected in the existing circumstances, and sportsmen are at a loss to explain the apparent absence of the game.

Some attribute the scarceness of the deer to the recent wave of hot weather, saying that the deer have retreated to the cooler fastnesses of the mountains, where the water is still more plentiful and forage better.

Certain it is that a tramp in the right direction and an observance of proper precautions should take the hunter to productive territory; and several parties at least have faith to believe that a well-planned excursion to the well-known deer haunts will bring the desired reward. A number of the more experienced hunters will delay their operations until the weather is more inviting, and rest on the assertion that the damage done by the early season hunter will not materially affect the game field.

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### Admiral Burwell Retires.

Washington, July 18.—By operation of the age limit, the naval career of Rear Admiral W. T. Burwell, commandant of the Puget Sound navy yard, will come to an end tomorrow and he will be placed on the retired list. Captain Thomas C. McLean, senior member and president of the board of inspection and survey, will be advanced to the grade of rear admiral.

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## Churches

**Church of the Redeemer.** There will be a celebration of the holy communion tomorrow morning and divine services, with a ten minutes' talk, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. All are invited. Charles Quinney, rector.

**Presbyterian Church.** Corner College and Alta, W. L. Van Nuya, pastor. Bible school at 10 a. m. Sermons at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Services tomorrow will be conducted by Rev. B. F. Harper of Milton.

**Christian Science.** Corner of Webb and Johnson streets. Church service at 11 a. m. Subject of lesson-sermon, "Life." Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Wednesday meeting at 8 p. m. Reading room same place from 2 to 4 p. m.

**Baptist Church.** Baptist church, E. Alta and Johnson streets, Rev. R. E. Storey, pastor, 302 E. Alta street. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, subject of sermon, "Without a Job But Not to Blame." Evening service at 8 o'clock, subject, "The Master of Men and His Touch of Men." Bible school at 10 o'clock, with classes for all. Young people's meeting at 7 o'clock. This will be a meeting of especial importance. Praise and prayer service at 8 Wednesday, subject "Hidden Leaven."

**Ban on Cattle.** It is entirely probable that after the next meeting of the city council no stock of any kind will be allowed to be herded in any of the streets or alleys of the city, or upon any vacant lots in the boundaries of the city without the express permission of the owners of such lots, and then only if the stock is in charge of some person sufficiently strong and mature to prevent straying or damage by the stock, says the La Grande Observer. Of course, the ordinance proposed does not prohibit the driving of animals from place to place, but its main object is to absolutely prevent the staking or herding of cows, etc., on the streets and alleys. An ordinance embodying these provisions was read the second time last night, and would in all probability have been placed upon its final passage had not Councilman Monroe arisen to ask how old a person is considered by the ordinance to be competent to care for stock in the city.

As a result of the discussion engendered by this question, the ordinance was referred back to the street committee, and will come up for final passage, possibly in amended form, at the next meeting.

**Notice to Contractors-Builders.** Bids for building Odd Fellows temple at Milton, Oregon, will be received up to 4 o'clock p. m., July 25, 1908. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office in Milton, Ore. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. G. W. INGLE, Sec.

## LA GRANDE BOOTLEGGER FINED \$250 IN A HURRY

La Grande, July 18.—Because Josie Palmer imbibed too freely of intoxicating liquors procured through methods in violation of the local option law, she has been arrested, arraigned and subjected to sentence, and David McFarlane, proprietor of the Kentucky liquor store, has been arrested, fined \$250, paid it and thus culminated the first real bootlegging case in Union county since the county went dry.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Report of the Condition, July 15, 1908 To the Comptroller of Currency.

### CONDENSED

Resources	Liabilities
Loans and discounts.....\$ 945,679.05	Capital stock.....\$ 300,000.00
Overdrafts..... 12,960.35	Surplus and undivided profits..... 74,856.87
U. S. Bonds..... 190,000.00	Circulation..... 103,940.00
Other bonds, warrants, etc..... 27,120.29	Due to banks..... 40,412.34
Real estate (bank building)..... 20,000.00	Deposits..... 1,298,982.12
<b>Cash.</b>	
Cash on hand 143,049.71	
Due from banks..... 371,381.84	
Redemption fund..... 7,000.00	521,431.55
<b>Total.....\$1,718,191.24</b>	<b>Total.....\$1,718,191.24</b>

I, George Hartman, Jr., Assistant Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. GEORGE HARTMAN, Jr. Ass't. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 1908. C. K. CRANSTON, Notary Public for Oregon.

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