

# SCARCITY OF SWINE IN PORTLAND YARDS

## SITUATION CAUSES PRICE TO MAKE AN ADVANCE

Swine is scarce in the country and Pacific Northwest is again importing supplies from Nebraska.

Portland Union Stockyards, North Portland, Or., July 20.—Yesterday's advance in the price of hogs to \$10.35 was not a surprise, in view of the great shortage of supplies at interior points.

While it is generally agreed that the total output of hogs in the Pacific northwest will be greater this season than for some years, swine will be scarce for some weeks and perhaps months.

Further importations of eastern hogs must come to all Pacific coast centers in the immediate future because of this condition. This has recently caused the middle west and eastern swine values to fluctuate upward and naturally this will be reflected in Portland prices.

While it is true that the big packers will be forced to buy the bulk of their immediate requirements from Nebraska points, smaller killers will be forced upon the local market, and unless arrivals increase materially the outcome, so far as prices are concerned, should be most pleasing to shippers.

Only one load of hogs arrived in the North Portland yards this morning and these found a ready buyer at \$10.25. The average was 206 pounds, or somewhat lighter than the \$10.35 stuff of yesterday.

Cattle market remains quite steady for good quality but poor stuff remains with a dragging disposition.

Sheep supplies for the day were slow around former values, but lambs were firm and sold again at \$6.

Among the Shippers.

Charles Lockler was in with a load of cattle.

W. H. Bristol shipped two loads of cattle from Lewiston.

Henry Larkin with an arrival from Endicott, Wash., with a load of hogs; the only ones received this morning.

E. J. Philippi had a mixed load of cattle and calves offering from West Side.

J. E. Rogers, another West Side shipper, had a load of sheep on today's market.

S. B. Becker of Silverton was offering two loads of sheep on the market this morning.

W. M. Jones of Corvallis was in with a car of cattle.

## Do You Get Up With a Lame Back?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everyone knows of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

Because of its remarkable health restoring properties, Swamp-Root fulfills almost every wish in overcoming rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up through the day, and to get up many times during the night.

Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble, it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been thoroughly tested in private practice, and has proved so successful that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble.

When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., 233 North Second Street, Binghamton, N. Y. The remedy is sold by all druggists. Don't make any mistake but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

OPEN FOR THE SEASON JULY 1st. THE HARVEST HOME

Mrs. Jos. McKean, Prop. \$1.50 per Day, \$9 per Week. Beds 50c and 75c. Meals 50c. Children under 10 years half rate.

LONG BEACH, WASH.

## Fort St. James BRITISH COLUMBIA

This is destined to be the Portland of British Columbia, on a navigable river and deep water lake with two trains running in next fall.

Letters pour into our office all day with applications for lots. To those who cannot come in we would do our utmost to make a good selection.

Price \$100 and \$200 each. Cash \$25.00, balance \$10.00 a month. A few 40 acre farms joining Fort St. James townsite and Lake Stuart, \$50.00 cash and \$10.00 a month.

You need not be a Canadian Citizen to Hold This.

You need not improve it, nor you need not reside on it. All this land is on or near the railroad, Grand Trunk Pacific, Alaska Yukon, and Canadian Northern railroads.

Rich farm lands, \$5.50 per acre, \$3.00 cash, and balance \$1.00 per acre per year until paid.

APPLY CANADIAN NORTHERN LAND COMPANY, 304, 305 and 306 Lewis Building, Portland, Oregon.

C. C. Hout was another Corvallis shipper. He had two loads of cattle. Today's run of livestock compares with this day in recent years as follows:

1910	51	196	388
1909	85	339	612
1908	14	318	479
1907	75	426	...
1906	49	26	284
1905	311	357	778

A year ago today there was a generally good feeling in all lines of livestock, steers being especially strong at unchanged prices.

Today's Representative Sales. Following are representative of today's transactions in the yards and indicate demand, supplies and quality offering. They are the only prices secured direct from sellers in this market.

STEEERS. Av. lbs. Price.

14 steers	1128	\$5.00
12 steers	1099	4.10

HOGS. 31 hogs \$10.25

SHEEP AND LAMBS. 101 lambs \$6.00

41 ewes \$7.50

4 sheep \$159.30

General range of livestock values as shown by actual sales.

Cattle—Best Oregon steers, \$5.50; ordinary steers, \$5.25@5.40; best California, \$5.50; common steers, \$4; cows, best, \$4.25@4.65; fancy, \$4; poor, \$3; heifers, \$4.75@5.10; bulls, \$3@3.75.

Hogs—Best east of the mountains, \$10.35; fancy, \$10.25; stockers and feeders, \$9.

Sheep—Sheared, best yearling wethers, \$4; old wethers, \$3@3.50; spring lambs, \$6; ewes, \$3@3.50.

Calves—Best \$6.50; ordinary, \$5.50 @5.75; poor \$4@5.

## THE WHEAT MARKET

DAMAGE IN CANADA BRINGS CHICAGO UP

Liverpool Wheat Market Also Bullish After a Lower Opening—Shorts Cover.

Chicago, July 20.—Wheat opened and closed higher, last figures being 1 1/2-8 a bushel above yesterday.

Opening values were bullish, with an advance of 1-8@5-8c, and an extensive short covering the July advance from \$1.08 1/2@1.09 7-8. Later it reacted to \$1.09 3-8, where it closed.

At the opening September was 3-8 higher at \$1.06, but moved up 1 1/2-2 to the high mark, reacting but 1-4 at the closing.

December started with intense firmness, opening being 5-8c higher at \$1.07 7-8 and touching the high mark at \$1.09 1-8. Closing was at \$1.08 7-8.

Liverpool gave an exhibition of extreme weakness and strength, and this was an influence of moment with the local trade. Opening there was 1-2@5-8d lower, but the market steadied soon after on short covering. Closing was 5-8@3-4d above yesterday.

Damage reports from the Canadian northwest caused some short covering in the local market after the opening. Demand for cash wheat is increasing.

## GEORGE V A GREAT READER OF FICTION

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# THIRD WEEK

## Of the Great Fer-Don and the European Medical Expert in Pendleton. Offices Are Crowded Daily

### Wonderful Bloodless Surgery Liberal Offer to Treat All Who Call for Cost of Medicines Used, to Expire Saturday July 30th

Remarkable Cure is Effected by Fer-Don's Expert Specialists After All Other Physicians Had Failed.

An invalid for ten long years, pronounced incurable by half a dozen doctors, operated upon at one time for tumor, and, after finally giving up all hope, thinking a horrible cancer was slowly but surely eating away her very life itself, then in a short time being restored fully to health and happiness, doing all her own household work—such is the truly remarkable experience of Mrs. John Selvers, living on a ranch five miles southeast of Winters, Cal. The sudden change in her condition was due to the fact that she finally found physicians who knew what was the matter with her and the treatment required. Each and every case, be it merely a cold, or any other disease affecting mankind, is given the most careful attention by these masters of the medical profession. If after a careful examination, they think a patient incurable (which rarely, but sometimes happens) they promptly tell the afflicted one the facts, and refuse to take the case under any circumstances. This is one of the inviolate rules of Fer-Don's ex-

perient medical specialists, and has, in a great measure, contributed so largely to their phenomenal success. Just read what Mrs. Selvers has to say:

"For the last 10 years I have suffered untold torture and agony from my stomach. During all this time I have had at least half a dozen different physicians but none of them seemed to do me any good. I had severe hemorrhages, griping pains, and was operated upon by one physician who thought I had a tumor. At times I would just cry with pain, as it seemed almost unendurable. I had burning pains, and my stomach was so sore that I could not stand for anything to touch me. I had begun to think I was

afflicted with cancer and just about given up all hope of ever getting well when I heard of the cures being made by Fer-Don's expert specialists at Hotel Eldridge, 248 N. Commercial street Salem, Oregon. I came in to see them and one of their expert diagnosticians, after carefully examining me, said they could cure me. It seemed almost too good to be true, as only temporary relief was all that I expected. If I even could get that I would have been satisfied. However, they treated me, using no knife, and today I am almost perfectly cured; pains have all gone. I do my own household work and feel better than I have for ten years.

"The cure they made on me is very remarkable to my mind because of the fact that I was so very ill, and had tried so many other physicians with such little success.

"If there are any people in my neighborhood, or anywhere else, for that matter, who would like to know about the treatment of these specialists, if they will call on me or write me, I will gladly tell what they did in my case. I know of nothing that compares with it in the cure of disease."

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