

FIRM TONE IS FELT IN PORTLAND YARDS

ALL LINES BUT HOGS SHOW STABLE FEELING

Demand for Good Stuff is Brisk in Yards; Best Quality Cattle Are Exceptionally Hard to Secure.

Portland Union Stockyards, North Portland, Or., July 26.—With the exception of hogs, all lines of livestock are firm today.

There were no receipts of sheep or lambs this morning, but one sale was made late yesterday afternoon.

Cattle that came forward today was not of A-1 quality, but considering this quite good values were obtained.

Only one lot of hogs arrived this morning in a mixed car and this was sold at \$10.25.

Among the Shippers, B. H. McKee had a load of cattle from Shanko on today's market.

C. M. Grimes brought in a mixed load of cattle and hogs from Grass Valley.

J. B. Walker shipped two loads of hogs from Corvallis.

George Brown was another shipper from the college town.

Today's run of livestock compares with this day in recent years as follows:

Table with columns: Hogs, Cattle, Sheep. Rows: 1910, 1909, 1908, 1907, 1906, 1905.

A year ago today there was much excitement in the yards when a local meat company purchased hogs at \$9.50.

Latest Livestock Sales. Following are latest transactions in the yards.

Table with columns: STEERS, COWS, STAGS AND BULLS, CALVES, SHEEP AND LAMBS, HOGS. Rows: 9 steers, 26 steers, 2 cows, 18 cows, 1 bull, 1 stag, 1 calf, 87 sheep, 163 sheep, 109 lambs, 182 lambs, 16 hogs.

General range of livestock values as shown by actual sales:

Cattle—Best Oregon steers, \$6; ordinary steers, \$5.70@5.75; common steers, \$4.25; cows, best, \$4.65; fancy, \$4.50; poor, \$3.50; heifers \$4.75@5.10; bulls, \$3@3.75.

Hogs—Best east of the mountains, \$10.20@10.25; fancy, \$10.15; stockers and feeders, \$9.

Sheep—Sheared, best yearling wethers, \$4.25; old wethers, \$3.25@3.50; spring lambs, \$4.50@6; ewes, \$2.25@3.50.

Calves—Best, \$6.75; ordinary, \$5.50@5.75; poor, \$4@5.

THE WHEAT MARKET

RAINS FORCE DROP IN WHEAT MARKET

Start and Close for Day Is Weak—Rainfall in Central West Is the Cause.

Chicago, July 26.—Wheat started and closed weak. End was 1-4 to 1-8-8c a bushel lower than yesterday.

Liverpool had a higher range at the opening, but closed 1 to 1-4 under yesterday.

Wheat receipts are heavy and this influenced considerable selling.

Broomhall cables European visible supply of wheat at \$2,436,000 bushels, compared with \$2,436,000 a year ago.

WOMEN SING HYMN TO CHARM RATTLESNAKE

San Bernardino.—Singing "Nearer, My God, to Thee," three women charmed a rattlesnake which had just crawled from beneath a cushion upon which one of them was seated, out on the vale ranch.

Mrs. F. P. Dunlap, Mrs. Harry Allison and Mrs. W. A. Vale were seated on a lounge under the trees, when Mrs. Dunlap perceived the snake.

A Golden Wedding means that man and wife have lived to a good old age and consequently have kept healthy.

Men's oxfords cheap at A. Eklund's.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

Aged Woman Dies.

Marshfield, Or.—Mrs. Helen Richmond, an old resident of Coos river valley, was found dead in bed at her home on Coos river Sunday.

Met July 21; Wed July 24.

Roseburg, Or.—Becoming acquainted only last Thursday, July 21, George Skiff, recently from Salem, and Miss Ada Collier, who arrived here recently from Denver, Colo., were married in this city Sunday.

O. S. L. Branch Completed.

Salem, Or.—The Oregon Short Line railroad company Monday filed tariffs to cover freight transportation over 57 miles of new road being built north down the west bank of the Snake river from Huntington which has just been turned over to the contractors to the operating department.

Jacksonville Wants Water System.

Jacksonville, Or.—A municipal election has been called for August 1, for the purpose of voting an issue of \$30,000 bonds to provide for a gravity water system.

Sound Steamer Breaking Up.

Seattle.—The sound steamer Dode, which ran aground at Marrowstone Point last Thursday, and has been battered by storms and tide rips since has been abandoned and will be sold to the highest bidder, as she lies the wrecking steamer Santa Cruz and the steamer Rapid Transit, which have been attempting to save the Dode, have returned to Seattle.

Franchise for Trolley Line.

Ashland, Or.—By an overwhelming vote the citizens of Ashland have granted to John R. Allen a franchise in that city for an electric trolley line.

Milwaukee Road to Yakima.

North Yakima, Wash.—Announcement of the building of a feeder of the Milwaukee railroad to serve the Yakima valley is expected within the next month.

Accident at Calif. Fault.

Salem, Or.—Because he refused to pay \$25 for a calf that he ran down and killed last week, "Lucky Jack" Peterson of Portland and Salem, notorious for his reckless automobile driving, may have to postpone his trip south in his 90 horsepower limousine which he expected to take next month for his health.

Lights Fire and Jumps In It.

Seattle.—That Mrs. Hannah Reynolds lighted a gigantic bonfire near her home in Ravenna park and leaped into the fire is the belief of her family and the police.

WALTER ADAMS Agent, Pendleton, Oregon.

A. D. Charlton, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent. Portland, Ore.

Three Days More Fer-Don Medical Experts

To Leave for Their Offices at Baker City, Ore., Sunday Morning, July 31

Liberal Offer to Treat All Who Call for Cost of Medicine Only Positively to Expire Saturday Eve. July 30

TO TREAT ALL WHO CALL BEFORE SUNDAY, JULY 31ST, FOR COST OF MEDICINE ONLY.

Fer-Don's Phenomenal Success Attracts Sufferers from All Over the Country—Only Bloodless Surgeons in America Now Located at 637 Main St., Above French Restaurant.

To Whom It May Concern—For the past three years I have been afflicted with rheumatism, which affected nearly all the joints of my body, especially my arms, shoulders, ankles, and back.

Callings Woman. Gall stones were removed from Mrs. W. N. Collins of Callings. She lives at the old fields.

REDDING LADY RELIEVED OF GALL STONES. Mrs. J. A. Newton, living at 918 Pine street, Redding, Cal., had suffered for years with gall stones.

Save Your Health---Iron With Electricity

Don't turn your home into a veritable bake-oven on ironing day.

Advertisement for Hotpoint Electric Iron, featuring an illustration of a woman ironing and text describing the benefits of electric ironing.

United States Military Tournament Tacoma "A Monster Military Spectacle" Excursion Fares Via Northern Pacific Railway

Orpheum Theatre HIGH-CLASS UP-TO-DATE MOTION PICTURES For Men, Women and Children

Want Ads.

WANTED—Lace curtains to laundry. Work done with especial care. Phone Red 2521.

WANTED—Classified ads, such as help wanted; rooms or houses for rent; second hand goods for sale; in fact any want you want to get filled.

FRED EIFFERT, AUCTIONEER. Freewater, Ore., R. F. D. 1; Walla Walla, R. F. D. 1, phone F. L. IX or Freewater Times.

CARPETS CLEANED on your floors—new vacuum process—no wear, no dust. Prices reasonable. Leave orders at the Alta House.

ANYONE, ANYWHERE, CAN START a mail order business at home. No canvassing. Be your own boss. Send for free booklet. Tells how. Heacock, 2708, Lockport, N. Y.

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