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**GRAINGROWERS ASK FOR INVESTIGATION OF WHEAT EXPORTS**

Damaging Facts Altered in Regard to Market Efforts of Men Controlling Market.

The president of the United States Grain Growers, Inc., is making an appeal to the grain growers of the country to insist on early investigation of the export grain trade by the federal trade commission in order that the "real reasons for present ruinous prices may be determined." It is suggested that every grain grower write to his congressman and urge early action on senate resolution No. 133 which provides for investigation of the real factors that have smashed wheat prices, despite wheat exports that break all previous records. "At the same time wheat prices are being hammered down to the dollar mark and grain growers are being led to believe that a weakened foreign demand will not require a normal exportable surplus, we find that more wheat has actually been exported than ever," says C. H. Gustafson, president of the grain growers.

**Big Export Gain.** "The average bushelage of wheat exported during the first 10 months of the normal, pre-war years of 1910-14 was 60,558,844 bushels. In 1920 all previous records were shattered when we exported 146,348,514 bushels in the first 10 months of the year. But in 1921, when we are told again, as in 1920, that European demand for American wheat has slumped, we find that in the first 10 months of this year we have exported 255,800,737 bushels—almost 90,000,000 bushels more than in 1920.

"With present prices for grain driving farmers into debt, and even bankruptcy, we are told that we may expect the market to go lower than \$1 for wheat. The most frequent explanation is that of 'no foreign demand.' But now we learn that Swedish grain growers have asked for an embargo against 'cheap American wheat' because it is being imported at less than the Swedish cost of production.

"November 3 wheat sold at 99 cents a bushel in the Chicago market, the first time in five years that it fell below the dollar mark. When interviewed concerning the subject, James Patten, wheat king, said that it would go down much farther, since there was no consumptive demand to bolster up the market, and that European credit was so poor that no export demand could be depended upon to hold up the market.

**Market is Depressed.** "This statement has been repeated again and again with the result that it has been one of the most depressing factors in the markets. While that was being told and enlarged on, the exporters were handling an average of nine million bushels more wheat each month than in 1920, and 1920 was a record breaker.

"When the year was done, official government figures showed that a total of 307,594,000 bushels of wheat and wheat flour were exported in 1920, as compared to the average export of 227,950,000 bushels of wheat and wheat flour for the five years of 1915-1919 exclusive. If the ratio of 1921 exports are continued to the close of the year, the total exports of wheat and wheat flour will exceed 350,000,000 bushels. And then we are told that the reason why we have dollar wheat is because export trade is shot to pieces; there is no demand.

**Co-operation Not Given.** "The following from the reports of the Federal Trade commission to President Wilson is significant:

"The commission has not had the opportunity to obtain directly the figures which would determine conclusively whether large transactions in futures of manipulation character have occurred. It has sought but has not been able to secure the co-operation of the officers and directors of the Chicago Board of Trade deemed necessary for the collection of pertinent information in this country."

"The reason why the grain exchange officials in Chicago did not wish to have the facts relative to grain exchange operations for that

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**UKIAH CITIZENS WILL ENJOY DANCING PARTY**

(East Oregonian Special.) UKIAH, Dec. 23.—The weather has been extremely cold for several days, the thermometer running down to zero. The cold snap is felt severely as the weather has been fine until this cold wave struck here. Mosie brothers plowed all last week. Mrs. L. O. Case who has been in Pilot Rock for the last three weeks returned home with her daughter last Saturday. Bud Rippey of Casper, Wyoming, who has been visiting relatives in Ukiah for the last week, left for the home of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Wright,

near Pilot Rock last Tuesday, where he will remain until the first of the year so as to attend his sister's silver wedding anniversary, Dec. 21 after which he will leave for Wyoming. Miss Edyth Cove, primary teacher, left last Friday for Portland to spend the holidays with her parents. A number of the Albee ladies met last Wednesday at the Albee Hotel and the day was spent in making dress forms. Katherine Mathers who has been ill is now able to be out again. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Miller of Hitter, passed through Ukiah last Monday on their way home from Pendleton. Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Martin were in town last Thursday trading. Jim and Felix Johnson passed through town the first of last week on their way to Hitter Creek with 125 head of cattle which they will winter there.

A Christmas tree by the teachers and a program by the children was given at the school house last Thursday and was greatly enjoyed by all the visitors were Mrs. Earl Martin, Mrs. Felix Johnson, Mrs. J. T. Huston, Mrs. Charley Hynd, Mrs. Alice Turner, Mrs. Langdon, Mrs. Frank Hilbert, Mrs. Jesse Hillbert, Mrs. Mary Peterson, Mrs. Albert Peterson, Mrs. Fred Peterson, Mrs. George Ness, Mrs. H. Reed, Mrs. Clyde Helmick, Mrs. Frank Charabert, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton, George Hinton and Viriel Peterson. After the program school was dismissed for two weeks and will begin again January 2. George Hinton of Range who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton of the Ukiah Hotel returned home last Thursday, accompanied by Willis Noland who will visit at the Hinton ranch for a short time. Mrs. Lagrange left Saturday for

Range to spend the holidays with her husband and son. Albert Peterson and Francis Gilliland made a trip to Pilot Rock last week after a load of freight. Francis will continue to drive the freight team. Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Mettler entertained with a dinner last Thursday the following friends and relatives: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mettler, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mettler and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fayette Mettler and son, Mr. and Mrs. James Mossie, Miss Zena Mettler, Gordon Mettler, Bobby Harms, Ivan Stordivant, Leonard Simpson, Melvin Lead and Francis Gilliland. A birthday party was given last Saturday by Mrs. Irl Terry, in honor of her son Wayne's fifth birthday and a jolly afternoon was spent by the little ones. A beautiful birthday cake with five candles was cut and enjoyed by the following little folks: Norman Lenz, Ella Cardwell, Jane Johnson, Emda Helmick, Violet Hinton, Ford Peterson, Bobby Knapp, Cammus Lenz

and the guest of honor Wayne Terry who received many pretty little gifts. Shooting for geese last Sunday proved to be considerable sport to both those looking on and those participating. Fred Peterson and Earl Martin claim highest honors. Supper will be given at the Ukiah hotel for the Xmas dance Dec. 26, and the New Year's dance Dec. 27. Mrs. Hynd and children left Friday for the Boyd ranch to spend her vacation.

**CHURCH TO HANG.** CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—(U. N. S.)—Harvey Church, the youth who lured Bernard Dougherty and Carl Ausmus, automobile salesmen, into the basement of his home and killed them, must hang. The jury returned the verdict of guilty and fixed the punishment as death.

**Card of Thanks**  
We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the many kind friends for their sympathy and kindness shown during our sad bereavement and loss of our beloved wife, mother and daughter.  
JOHN RICHIE  
JOHN RAY  
MR. AND MRS. J. M. GILMAN.

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