

BUTTER AND EGG PRICES ADVANCED BY WEATHER

BUTTER GAINS 2 CENTS; EGGS FOLLOW SUIT

Portland, Nov. 13.—Butter and egg prices are higher on the local exchange today, due largely to cold weather and rising markets at other coast points. Eggs are posted one and two cents higher on cubes butter with extras and standards 36 cents. Prime firsts were posted at 33 cents and firsts at 31 1/2 cents.

In the egg division extras, pullets and firsts gained a point with a new top of 55 cents established. Current receipts remained unchanged at 53 cents.

Government report of dairy holdings on November first has just been issued and shows 135,000,000 pounds of butter as compared to 77,000,000 pounds a year ago, or a surplus of 58,000,000 pounds.

A shortage in egg holdings is shown in the government report with 5,235,000 cases as against 6,658,000 cases a year ago.

A strong under tone is indicated in the local onion market. Buyers are unable to get good stocks under \$1.15 to \$1.25 at country points and some of the growers are holding for a \$2 market. Good onions readily sell at \$2.25 today and some of the houses are asking \$2.50.

The potato market shows a better tone. Very few local spuds are offered yet and local dealers have to look to Yakima for their requirements. Prices are up to around \$2.75 here. No. 1 stock can be had for less than \$1.75. The market is expected to follow the upward trend during the winter months in spite of the government prediction of the largest crop ever produced in the United States.

Shipments of undergrade dressed turkeys and live birds are still being discouraged by local commission men but stocks are coming in heavy. Live turkeys are on a nominal basis with 20 cents the extreme top. Demand for dressed birds is limited entirely to fancy No. 1 turkeys. Prices are steady in other lines of poultry.

Little change is shown in country dressed meats. Light calves and hogs still bring a 12 1/2 cent top.

LIVESTOCK

Portland, Nov. 13.—Cattle and steers steady; receipts 650; steers medium \$5.50 @ 7.85; common \$4.00 @ 5.25; heifers, common and medium, all weights \$3.75 @ 5.75; cows common and medium \$3.25 @ 5.25; canners and cutters \$1.50 @ 3.25; calves, good (best yearlings excluded) \$2.25 @ 5.25; common to medium (canner and bologna) \$2.75 @ 3.50; calves, medium to choice (150 lbs. down) \$5.00 @ 8.00; cut and medium (150 lbs. down) \$4.50 @ 6.50; medium to choice (150 to 250 pounds) \$5.00 @ 8.00; cull and common (150 lbs. up) \$4.50 @ 6.50; cull and common (150 lbs. up) \$3.50 @ 5.00. Hogs strong; receipts 1675; heavyweights (250 to 350 pounds) medium, good and choice \$9.00 @ 9.50; medium weight (200 to 250 lbs.) medium, good and choice \$8.00 @ 9.00; lightweight (150 to 200 lbs.) common, medium good and choice \$7.25 @ 10.00; light hogs (130 to 150 pounds) common, medium, good and choice \$7.00 @ 9.00; medium, good and choice \$7.00 @ 9.00; packing hogs, rough, \$5.25 @ 7.00; slaughter pigs (130 lbs. down) medium, good and choice \$8.00 @ 9.00; and stocker pigs (75 to 130 lbs.) common, medium, good and choice \$6.00 @ 7.00.

POTATOES

Portland, Or., Nov. 13.—Potatoes steady \$1.10 @ 1.15 for U. S. No. 1, onions \$1.75 @ 1.85.

BUTTER AND BUTTERFAT

Portland, Nov. 13.—Butter higher extra cubes, city, 36c; standards 36c; prime firsts 33c; firsts 31 1/2c; under grade nominal; prints 40c; cartons 41c. Butterfat steady; best churning cream 25 @ 36c net shippers' track in zone 1.

WHEAT

Portland, Nov. 13.—Wheat bids; hard hard white \$1.61; soft white \$1.61; western white \$1.58; hard winter \$1.58; northern spring \$1.57; B. B. B. hard white \$1.75; (Nov. bids). Today's receipts: Wheat 49, hay 1, oats 1, flour 7, corn 3.

POULTRY AND EGGS

Portland, Nov. 13.—Eggs higher current receipts 50c; pullets 43 @ 43 1/2c; firsts 50 @ 50 1/2c; hen-hens 51 @ 51 1/2c; delivered Portland.

CASCARA AND NUTS

Portland, Or., Nov. 13.—Cascara bark quiet. New seed 1.00 @ 1.05; old seed nominal; Oregon grape root 40 pound.

HOP MARKET

Portland, Nov. 13.—Hops steady; new clusters 10 @ 15c; fuggles 12 @ 15c; old crop 10 @ 15c.

Salem Markets

Compiled from reports of Salem dealers for the guidance of Capital Journal readers. (Revised daily.)

Grain: No. 1 white wheat \$1.45; No. 1 red wheat \$1.37 (sacked).
Wholesale Prices:
Meat: Top hogs 9 @ 10c; sows 8 1/2 @ 9c; dressed hogs 11 @ 12c; top steers 5 @ 6c; cows 4 @ 5c; canner cows 1 @ 1 1/2c; bulls 3c; spring

MEN AND WOMEN IN THE NEWS OF THE DAY



Above: BARONESS DE STYRECA & LEATRICE JOY
Below: EARL CARROLL & EDELL FORD

At the height of her career as a motion picture star, Leatrice Joy has announced her retirement and will devote the rest of her life to her baby daughter, now three months old, born a few days after her mother obtained a divorce from John Gilbert, an actor. Edsel Ford, son of Henry Ford, was an important witness in the Detroit trial of Mrs. Anna Hladik, charged with attempted extortion under threat to kidnap the Ford children. The sum of \$1,050,000 was asked. Held in \$300 bail for trial before the Justices of Special Sessions on the charge of displaying obscene pictures in the lobby of his theatre, Earl Carroll, noted New York theatrical producer, refused to give bail and went to the Tombs to await trial. Baroness de Styreca, thrice divorced, is reported in London as being engaged to the Duke of Westminster, whose troubles with his wife have been aired recently in court.

OREGON PRUNES SOLD IN ITALY

The wide distribution being attained by Oregon prunes is indicated by an order just received from Venice, Italy, by the Draper Fruit company for a shipment of Italian in 12 1/2 kilo boxes, or boxes weighing out 27 1/2 pounds. The shipment of 2400 boxes shipped out by the local association on Armistice day, it was learned, was for loading on the Steamer Desford, due to sail out of Portland shortly carrying over 100,000 boxes of Oregon apples to England, the largest single shipment of Oregon apples for export, it is understood, yet made.

SILVERTON WOMAN SHOOTSELF IN HOME

Silverton, Ore., Nov. 13.—(Special)—Mrs. Charles Webb was found dead at her home on Mill street late yesterday afternoon with an old army gun at her side. For sometime past Mrs. Webb has been suffering from ill health both mentally and physically. It is supposed that she took her life because of worrying over probable loss of sanity. No funeral arrangements have been made.

CROWN PRINCE HAS BEEN IN GERMANY FOR YEAR

Oels, Germany, Nov. 13.—(By Associated Press.) It was just a year ago today that former Crown Prince Frederick William crossed the Dutch frontier into Germany, and tomorrow will mark the first anniversary of his reunion with his family here.

The year has been an eventful one in Germany's efforts at reconstruction and the politicians have made many attempts to entice the returned exile to party activities, but apparently without success.

Many rumors have been circulated as to his probable adoption of some calling aside from his work as gentleman farmer on his Oels estate, but these have all been denied.

His eldest son has entered the office of a large exporting house in Hamburg.

Lamb: up to 90 lbs., 10c; veal 7 1/2c; dressed veal 11c.
Poultry: Springers 16 @ 18c; light hens 12c; heavy hens 15c; old roosters 7c; ducks 15 @ 18c.
Butterfat 35c; creamery butter 41 @ 42c; eggs 35, 47 @ 50c; milk 11.50 per cwt.
Vegetables: Potatoes 11.50 @ 22.25 per cwt.; head lettuce 12.50 @ 4.50 crates; Oregon cabbage 1 1/2 @ 1 1/2c; celery 50c doz.; celery hearts 30c per doz.; onions 1.50 per cwt., 40 @ 50c doz., 10c size; sweet potatoes 2c lb.; bunches carrots 40 @ 50c; 10c size; bunches turnips 40 @ 50c; rutabagas 20 lb.; sacked carrots 11.75 cwt.; cabbages 2 1/2 @ 3c; cauliflower 1.50 box, face and rim; Delicious, 7.50 box.

FRUIT GROWERS NEAR WOODBURN HAVE GOOD YEAR

Woodburn, Nov. 13.—At a well attended and interesting meeting of the Woodburn Fruit Growers' Cooperative association, held in this city last Saturday, the following report of the business transacted by the association during the past season was made:

Soft strawberries, 109,465 pounds; raspberries, 75,050; gooseberries, 32,420; loganberries, 426,023; Royal Ann cherries, 30,539; blackberries, 2926; Etterberg strawberries, 182,251; evergreen blackberries, 222,748; Bartlett pears, 24,879; cash received for fruit, \$69,582.48; miscellaneous receipts, \$162.50; paid out to growers, \$66,388.87; placed in revolving fund, \$1,394.50; general expense, \$990.20; balance in bank \$1011.41.

BORER THREATENS STRAWBERRIES

The strawberry crown borer is making such ravages in the strawberry plantings throughout the county that it is liable to disrupt the industry, according to a statement by County Fruit Inspector Van Trump.

He states that in some places from 25 to 40 per cent of the hills are attacked by the borers and steps must be taken to eliminate it, if the industry is to be saved. About the only practicable way to cut out the borer, is to cut out the plant attacked, or a portion of it at least, states Van Trump.

He says it might be possible to curb the borer by using a strong solution of arsenate of lead on the young plants, but he is not at all certain that this will prove successful.

WHEAT HIGHER CORN FOLLOWE

Chicago, Nov. 13.—The wheat opening which ranged from 1 to 1 1/2 cents higher, December \$1.53 1/2 to \$1.54, and May \$1.61 to \$1.62, was followed by decided further gains.

After opening at 1 1/2 to 1 1/4 up to May \$1.18 1/2 to \$1.19 1/2, corn continued to advance.

Corn started at 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 gain, May 28 1/2 to 29 1/2. Moderate additional upturns ensued.

The wheat close was unsettled, 1 1/2 to 1 1/4 net higher, December \$1.54 1/2 to \$1.55 and May \$1.62 to \$1.62 1/2.

Corn closed unsettled, 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 cent net higher, May \$1.18 1/2 to \$1.19 1/2.

FORD AGENCY AT DALLAS IS SOLD

Dallas, Or., Nov. 13.—Homer Ross, a leading garage man of McMinnville, has made arrangements for the purchase of the Ford agency for Dallas from the Elliott Motor company, according to announcement of Mr. Ross yesterday.

The transfer will take place in a few days and Mr. Ross will assume active charge. He has disposed of his McMinnville interests and will devote his entire time and attention to the work here.

Mr. Ross, in discussion of the deal, indicated that he plans to make some sweeping changes in his property here and to develop it as much as possible.

C. A. Elliott, who is selling the business, plans to devote his attention to his dairy ranch in Tillamook county. He had been making plans to give up the business here and Mr. Elliott is already on the Tillamook ranch.

LOGANBERRY GROWERS PETITION BANKRUPTCY

Portland, Nov. 13.—L. L. Vincent & Sons of Salem, engaged in the business of raising, picking and marketing loganberries, filed a petition in bankruptcy in United States district court yesterday.

Liabilities of the firm were given as \$24,949, and assets as nothing. Individual petitions were filed by each of the four members, L. L. Vincent giving liabilities as \$22, assets \$200; C. C. Vincent, liabilities \$2420, assets \$35.00; Otto Vincent, liabilities \$2455 and assets \$2600, and H. H. Vincent, liabilities \$15 and assets \$200.

BLACK WALNUTS SHIPPED PUGET SOUND COUNTRY

Two tons of black walnuts have been shipped by Peary & Rich to the Puget Sound country. The interesting feature of this shipment lies in the fact that all of these black walnuts have come in small lots from back lot trees, there being no large plantings of black walnuts here save at the state hospital, which has a short crop this year.

GOETZ APPLES PRONOUNCED BEST FRUIT IN VALLEY

Joseph E. Goetz of Perrydale, across the river in Polk county, draws the palm for having the finest apples in the Willamette valley to come under the observation of Young & Wells in their apple deal here which covered over 70 cars in the various apple producing sections of the valley.

Goetz has about two cars on his 13 acre orchard, principally Spitzenberg and a few Newtowns. They all are of the finest quality and graded out 75 per cent extra fancy. "And when we say extra fancy, we mean extra fancy in talking about the apples from the Goetz orchard. They are some of the finest we have ever seen," said Wells.

This is not an exceptional year for Goetz. It is stated, his apples are always that way, due to the constant care that is given the orchard.

Goetz has won prizes for a number of years with his Spits both sweepstakes and small lots at the Polk county fair.

He used to be in the diplomatic service at Washington, D. C. and during the war was an inspector at the O. A. C., which smashes the fallacy that a man cannot graduate from the white collar class into a successful orchardist.

One car of the Goetz lot is being loaded from Perrydale today. Young & Wells have received the highest offer on this car of any offer for apples during the season.

"Growers appreciate the fact that they have lost a lot of money by not delivering good stuff this year," said Wells. "Hardly a grower has come in here but has declared that they are going to profit by this year's experience by raising every apple they can as a marketable apple. Many orchardists had a heavy percentage of culls this year, causing large losses to the growers which they intend to obviate another year, from the experience I have heard from numerous growers from various parts of the valley."

"I understand that the condition has never been brought home to them before in a general way as this is about the first time the apples have been delivered by them in bulk on a cash basis and the culls graded out. From the experience we have heard we firmly believe that next year will see a very material improvement in the apple quality in the valley, through a determination to start in with greater care on the orchards."

Prime Growers Sign Up

A. L. Page of Jefferson with 12 tons of prunes and Ellis Bennet of Jefferson with 19 tons are the latest growers to sign up with the local prune growers co-operative, which is affiliated with the North Pacific Prune exchange. Page is also handling his large crop of walnuts through the local walnut growers' association.

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