

EGG BUYERS FORCE UP STRAWBERRY MARKET

EGGS ADVANCE TWO CENTS ALL COAST MARKETS

Portland, Mar. 7.—Storage activities brought about an advance in egg prices at the close of the week. Receipts have been improving during the last few days but stocks went into the cooler as fast as they were received and the demand more than absorbed the offerings.

Extras are two cents higher on the exchange at 34 cents. Firsts and pullets are up a cent at 32 and 30 cents respectively while current receipts gained 1 1/2 cents, being posted at 25 cents net on the local board.

Offers along the coast range from 28 to 29 cents for current receipts although some buyers offer 29 cents in the country.

Real values are on the upward trend at other coast markets and values here are expected to work higher until production increases.

Butter was weaker at the close due to the arrival of outside stocks from Canada, Montana and Idaho. Values on the exchange are off 1 to 1 1/2 cents. Extra cubes are posted at 45 cents, standards at 44 1/2 cents and prime firsts at 41 1/2 cents. Print prices held steady for the week with no change announced for Monday.

Flour and mill feeds have been weakened by the radical decline in wheat prices. All grades of flour were reduced 20 cents a barrel today by local millers. Feed wheat, mill and middlings were reduced \$2 a ton while all mill and scratches were down \$1 a ton.

Country dressed meats closed firm and steady. Arrivals on the street were light during the last two days and consumption was better here at the close. Choice light calves sold at 16 to 16 1/2 cents and choice light hogs at 16 1/2 to 17 cents.

Live poultry supplies cleaned up at steady prices. Batteries along Front street were bare by noon today and a steady market is anticipated during the coming week. The onion market failed to show any improvement this week, closed sluggish with plenty of cheap stocks brought in. Some houses are still trying to get \$2.50 on some fancy Shermans, but most of the sales are made at \$2 to \$2.25. Buying prices are around \$2.00 to \$2.75 at the country loading point.

The potato market is quiet with supplies liberal. Fancy Burbanks are held at \$2.40 by some houses but most United States No. 1 Oregon stock is going from \$2 to \$2.25. Buying price is nominal from \$1.50 to \$1.60.

Skinner to Top Off Theatrical Season With 'Sancho Panza'



OTIS SKINNER

Here is an unusual combination—a dramatic version of Cervantes' immortal "Don Quixote" and Otis Skinner. Taken singly, one of these occasions might be looked upon as something of an event, but both on one program is indeed a feat of far things—an exciting theatrical table d'hôte.

This apropos of the coming of Otis Skinner to the Grand theater for one evening, Wednesday, March 18, in Melchior Lengyel's comedy, "Sancho Panza" based on several of the more popular episodes in Miguel de Cervantes' story, "Don Quixote de la Mancha."

If you know your "Don Quixote" (and who does not?) you will recall the adventures of Sancho Panza and his donkey, Dapple, when they set forth to govern the island of Barataria. It is on this episode in the Cervantes' story that the play "Sancho Panza" is based. Mr. Skinner, of course, plays Sancho, and from all accounts the donkey shares honors with him throughout the action. In the play Sancho does not fall in his government contrary to the book, his reign is of such successful proportions as to cause the townspeople to demand his permanent retention as their lord and master. But the sorrows of the populace are too much for the tender-hearted Sancho and he eventually leaves for his own little countryside, and takes his faithful Dapple back with him. His closing speech is typical of the character, "Empty in pocket I came, and empty in pocket I go—so you see I am not like other governors!"

We are promised a most elaborate production of this play, with the staging in the hands of Richard Bolelawsky, of the Moscow Art Theatre. There are songs and special music by Hugo Felix, composer of "Lassie," "Tom Pom," "Majordomo" and other successes, and the dances and ensembles have been arranged by Bert French, late of the New York "Music Box Revue."

7 CENTS OFFERED FOR WILSONS BY UNNAMED BUYER

An earthquake rocked the local strawberry market today when Earl Peary made announcement that he had contracted with a reliable northwest cannery outside of Salem to purchase 150 tons of Wilson strawberries at 7 cents a pound. Six cents a pound is the best that has so far been paid for Wilsons this year and the announcement means a straight 1-cent advance on that variety. Delivery of the berries is to be at the Salem Fruit Union.

Aside from the significance of the straight 1-cent advance possible in general reflection in the entire fruit market, the movement was deemed generally in the same class. Two years ago many canners had trouble with the Wilsons softening in the cans and as a result they dropped back with the soft berries, leaving the Kittersbergs to lead the field as a cannery berry. This they continued to do this year with the Wilsons selling at 4 cents and the Kittersbergs at 5 cents and in a few instances as high as 8 1/2 cents.

This latest price fixed by a north west cannery puts the Wilsons back up in striking distance to the Kittersbergs and will warm the hearts of numerous growers, particularly in the hills where about all they can grow is the Wilson variety. Growers in the hills had been hard hit by the decision of the canneries that the Wilsons were not in a class with the Kittersbergs and apparently some relief is in sight for them.

LEGALS BIDS WANTED

Sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Marion County, Oregon, up to 1:00 o'clock p. m., on Saturday, March 21, 1925, for crushing 4000 cubic yards of rock on the John Van Gorder place in road district No. 14 in T. S. R. 1 E.

Specifications and bidding forms are on file in the County Clerk's office at Salem, Oregon. The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

U. G. BOYER, County Clerk.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I have impounded the following described dogs in compliance with ordinance No. 1494, to-wit: One female dog, bird dog and cocker spaniel mixed, white breast and brown body. One white bull dog, American pit. The above described dogs will be killed if not redeemed by owners, on or before, March 7, 1925, as provided in said ordinance.

W. S. LOW, Street Commissioner, March 2, 1925.

NOTICE OF Intention to Improve Maple Avenue from Highland Avenue to South Street

Notice is given that the Common Council of the City of Salem, Oregon, deems it necessary and expedient and hereby declares its purpose and intention to improve Maple Avenue from the south line of Highland Avenue to the north line of South Street at the expense of the abutting and adjacent property, except the street intersections the expense of which will be assumed by the City of Salem, by bringing said portion of said avenue to the established grade, constructing concrete concrete curbs, and paving same with a six inch cement concrete pavement in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor which were adopted by the Common Council March 2, 1925, now on file in the office of the City Recorder and which are hereby made a part of this notice.

The Common Council hereby declares its purpose and intention to make the above described improvement by and through the Street Improvement Department of the City of Salem.

By order of the Common Council March 2, 1925.

M. POLSEN, City Recorder. Date of first publication hereof is March 4, 1925.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that by order of the court of the county of Marion duly made, rendered and entered of record in said court on the fifth day of February, 1925, Frances Skonetzni was duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Rose Nissen, deceased, and has duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby required to present the same, with proper vouchers, to said Frances Skonetzni, as such administratrix, at 214 United States National bank building, Salem, Oregon, within six (6) months from the date of this notice.

Dated the seventh day of February, 1925.

FRANCES SKONETZNI, Administratrix of the estate of Rose Nissen, deceased. Carson & Carson, attorneys for administratrix.

FOR SALE

The undersigned, clerk of school district No. 24, Marion county, Oregon, will receive bids for the purchase of the property known as the Washington school being one block of ground containing six twelve lots and the building thereon, until eight p. m. March 10, 1925.

Bidders may have the option of submitting bids as follows:

- Land and Washington school building (N. B.)
- Land only.
- Washington school building only. (N. B.)

A certified check of 5 per cent of the bid must accompany same and the right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

The purchaser will be required to wreck and remove the building within a reasonable time.

N. B. The term "building" does not include blackboards, desk and other furniture, motor and attachments, manual training benches, domestic science tables, gas plates, drinking fountains, hot water tank, stoves, and portable building.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 24, Marion County, Oregon. By W. H. Burghardt, Clerk.

Salem Markets

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

Grain: No. 1 white wheat \$1.75; No. 1 red wheat \$1.65 (sacked).

Wholesale Prices

Meat: Top hogs 19 1/2c; sows 18 1/2c; dressed hogs 16c; canner cows 1 1/2 up; bulls 3 1/2 @ 5c; spring lambs up to 90 lbs. 14c; veal 5c; dressed veal 15c.

Poultry: Springers 15c; light hens 15 1/2c; heavy hens 20c; old roosters 8c; ducks 16 1/2c; turkeys 22c dressed; alive 23 1/2c; geese 18 1/2c dressed; live 12 1/2c; 14c; 15c; 16c; 17c; 18c; 19c; 20c; 21c; 22c; 23c; 24c; 25c; 26c; 27c; 28c; 29c; 30c; 31c; 32c; 33c; 34c; 35c; 36c; 37c; 38c; 39c; 40c; 41c; 42c; 43c; 44c; 45c; 46c; 47c; 48c; 49c; 50c; 51c; 52c; 53c; 54c; 55c; 56c; 57c; 58c; 59c; 60c; 61c; 62c; 63c; 64c; 65c; 66c; 67c; 68c; 69c; 70c; 71c; 72c; 73c; 74c; 75c; 76c; 77c; 78c; 79c; 80c; 81c; 82c; 83c; 84c; 85c; 86c; 87c; 88c; 89c; 90c; 91c; 92c; 93c; 94c; 95c; 96c; 97c; 98c; 99c; 100c.

Butterfat 44c; creamery butter 45 1/2c; eggs 20c; standards 22c; selects 24c; milk 12.29 cwt.

Vegetables: rutabagas 2 1/2c; cwt. head lettuce \$3.25 @ 5.00 crate California cabbage 3 1/2 @ 5 1/2c; celery hearts 11.25 @ 2.15 doz.; crate 15.00 @ 3.50; onions 12.50 @ 23.00; 1; 1 1/2; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15; 16; 17; 18; 19; 20; 21; 22; 23; 24; 25; 26; 27; 28; 29; 30; 31; 32; 33; 34; 35; 36; 37; 38; 39; 40; 41; 42; 43; 44; 45; 46; 47; 48; 49; 50; 51; 52; 53; 54; 55; 56; 57; 58; 59; 60; 61; 62; 63; 64; 65; 66; 67; 68; 69; 70; 71; 72; 73; 74; 75; 76; 77; 78; 79; 80; 81; 82; 83; 84; 85; 86; 87; 88; 89; 90; 91; 92; 93; 94; 95; 96; 97; 98; 99; 100.

CHERRY MARKET OUTLOOK BRIGHT WELLS ASSERTS

letter received by the Capital Journal from L. W. Wells, of the firm of Young & Wells, who will be in the market for black cherries here soon as cash buyers.

In his letter Wells says: "We have covered several of the markets to date and find the outlook on the cherry deal as optimistic as was our idea the last time we talked. We will be very anxious to get a tonnage in that district early if not greater than the tonnage we handled last season, and we are still of the opinion that the grower disposing of his crop at this date is making a mistake and an everyone seems optimistic regarding the price of cherries."

"We have heard that the market in some districts which we have not operated in will be good this season, and intend to make such points as New Orleans, St. Louis, and Denver, which we did not have in our list given you previously, so any little boost you can give us will be appreciated. We will see you sometime in March."

Robbers Get \$17,000

Patterson, N. J., March 17.—Three robbers knocked down an employe of the Manhattan Shirt company in front of its factory here today, seized a \$17,000 payroll and escaped in a stolen automobile. A fourth man was captured.

Journal Want Ads Pay

EGGS AND BUTTER

Portland, Mar. 7.—Eggs higher: current receipts 24c; pullets 25 1/2 @ 26c; firsts 27 1/2 @ 28c; henneries 29 1/2 @ 30c; delivered Portland.

Portland, Mar. 7.—Butter steady: extra, cubes, city 48c; standards 44 1/2c; prime firsts 41 1/2c; firsts 39c; points 47c; curtons 48c.

Butterfat steady: best churning cream 45 1/2c net shippers track in zone 1; 4c delivered Portland.

GRAIN MARKET

Portland, Mar. 7.—Wheat bids: hard winter 11.75; soft white 11.75; weak white 11.75; northern spring 11.75; western red 11.75; E. H. H. hard white 12.00. Today's car receipts: wheat 75, flour 16, oats 2, hay 8.

POULTRY

Portland, Or., Mar. 7.—Poultry nom., steady: heavy hens 20 @ 21c; light 17 @ 18c; springs 22 @ 23c; old roosters 10c; ducks, white 25c; live turkeys 25c; dressed turkeys 22 1/2 @ 23c; geese 18c.

ONIONS AND POTATOES

Portland, Mar. 7.—Onions slow: \$2.50 @ 2.75 in country. Potatoes slow \$1.50 @ 1.60.

NUTS, HOPS AND CASCARA

Portland, Mar. 7.—Nuts steady: walnuts 23 @ 24c; filberts 15 @ 16c.

Portland, Mar. 7.—Hops steady: new clusters 16 @ 17c; fuggles 15 @ 16c; old crop nominal.

Portland, Mar. 7.—Cascara bark quiet; new peel 8c per pound; Oregon grape root 4c.

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