

POTATO MARKET TAKES A SWING UPWARD

Portland, Ore., April 14.—Appreciation of Seattle and California buyers in the local market has caused a flurry in potatoes, and prices after remaining dormant for several weeks have suddenly come to life and stiffened considerably.

Yesterday morning there was no life to the potato market, with prices more or less nominal. During the afternoon, however, the market took on an entirely different complexion. Seattle buyers here after potatoes, for the first time in several years, caused local dealers and jobbers to "sit up and take notice."

Local buyers got their ideas up and were generally holding for \$2 a bushel. It is reported that one car of California was sold at this price or better.

It now looks like the oil potato deal is nearly a clean-up. Recent estimates place the local crop unsold at approximately 175 carloads. With a normal movement the old crop should clean up in good shape before the new crop deal gets under way.

Around Yakima potato holders are virtually all in the hands of speculators and the market is stronger at \$12 to \$13 for U. S. No. 1 Gans and \$20 to \$20 for U. S. No. 2. It is doubtful if local Burbanks can now be purchased under \$1.75 in the country for U. S. No. 1 grade.

A firmer tone is indicated in the local hay market, with clover, timothy and alfalfa 50 cents to \$1.50 a ton higher. Receipts have been scarce during the past week with a fairly heavy demand. No oat hay coming. Buying prices Portland are: eastern Oregon timothy \$21 to \$24.50; valley timothy \$20 to \$21; alfalfa \$20.50 to \$21; clover and chest \$24.50 to \$25; vetch \$20 to \$21; straw \$5.50 a ton.

Eggs are firmer and higher, with receipts increasing and demand good with liberal shipping outlet. Bills on the exchange are up one cent on extras and firsts and up 1 1/2 cents on current receipts. Pullets are unchanged; extras 20 cents; firsts 22; pullets 21 cents; current receipts 25 1/2.

Receipts for cube butter are steady in local dairy exchange; points are unchanged with normal movement reported at current prices. Make it steadily increasing, however, as the flush season comes on and lower prices are not far distant.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

Portland, April 14.—Cattle 15.50@19; medium 15.75 @ 9.50; heavy 16.50 @ 10.50; steers good common 17.50@18.50; steers and cutter steers 15.50@17.50; heifers good (850 lbs. up) 18.00@18.50; common and medium all weights 15.75 @ 15.00; cows good 17.50 @ 18.00; common and medium 16.00 @ 17.50; canners and beefers 25.50 @ 26.00; bulk good (best yearlings excluded) 15.50 @ 16.00; medium to medium (canner and bologna) 13.50 @ 15.00; calves, medium to choice (150 lbs. down) 18.00 @ 19.50; cull and common 190 lbs. down 15.00 @ 16.00; medium to choice (190 to 260 lbs.) 17.00 @ 18.50; medium to choice (260 lbs. up) 15.50 @ 16.00; cull and common (190 lbs. up) 14.00 @ 15.00.

EGGS AND BUTTER

Portland, April 14.—Eggs firm; current receipts 25 1/2; pullets 22 1/2; firsts 24 @ 24 1/2; henneries 23 @ 23 1/2 delivered Portland.

Portland, Ore., April 14.—Butter extra cubes, city 42c; standards 41c; prime firsts 41c; firsts city 40c; extra 40c.

Butterfat steady; best churning cream 42c net shipper's track in zone 1; 41c delivered Portland.

GRAIN MARKET

Portland, Ore., April 14.—Wheat bids: hard white, western, hard, 11.15; soft white, 11.17; western white, hard white, northern spring 11.15; western red 11.12; B. B. H. hard white 11.12.

Today's car receipts, wheat 5; flour 2; oats 2; hay 3.

POULTRY

Portland, April 14.—Poultry steady; heavy hens 25c; light 22c; springs nominal; big

Avoids Operation In Serious Case Of Kidney Trouble

"For the past three years I had serious thoughts of an operation, due to a serious case of kidney and prostate trouble. In talking to a friend regarding this trouble he suggested I try Alvia, assuring me if it did me no good it would surely do me no harm as it was purely vegetable compound. I used to suffer great pain, getting up four or five times each night, and I want to tell you I am entirely relieved after taking one month's treatment of Alvia. Do you know it has helped my appetite." (Signed) R. G. FRAZER.

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Factors Having Bearing On Cherry Market and on Tariff Problem Discussed

Considerable interest has been manifested in the precipitous drop in 1924 of the product coming into the United States under the classification "cherries in a natural state, sulphured or in brine," as a result of a recent circular of the foodstuffs division of the department of commerce. This decrease has been attributed to various causes, but one may be narrowed down to a few outstanding ones such as the large carry-over from the preceding year coupled with high prices and a smaller acreage for 1924 crop. In addition, the customs authorities have carried listed cherries under the higher duty classification, which undoubtedly accounts for the increase shown in the same year under "cherries, maraschino and other prepared or preserved."

The unusually heavy arrivals in this country in 1923, on the other hand have been accounted for by a big falling crop, with consequent increase of cherries at extremely low prices. The decrease in the import duty from 3c to 2c per pound, which went into effect during the latter part of 1922, made conditions even more favorable for large importations. The following statement of United States imports over a period of years will give some idea as to the trend in the trade as it was affected by the various changes in the tariff and the crop and market conditions.

From—	In brine or otherwise	Preserved
Italy	5,412,532	2,535,378
France	24,260	534,232
Belgium	275	7,274
Greece	275	7,274
Isolated and		
Danish	24,970	
Yugoslavia and		
Albania	23,281	11,263
Canada	149,671	412
Argentina	17,543	
Chile	24,691	
Switzerland		
China		
Total	6,635,324	3,514,363

Although it has always been known that Italy furnished the bulk of the cherries imported into the United States, the statistics for 1924 shown above are of particular interest in that they show detailed reports by countries for the first time. France, which has been, supplied the second largest amount of the "Maraschino and prepared classification."

CLOVERDALE

Cloverdale, Ore., April 14.—J. W. Garner was in Salem, Saturday.

Mrs. J. Schifferer had her daughter and granddaughter of Portland as house guests over the week-end.

Mrs. Nettie Mason is reported as getting much better again.

Miss Emma Moore of Turner is working for Mrs. Nettie Mason during her illness.

Cloverdale was well represented in Turner, Sunday.

Miss Katherine Champier was quite ill with the flu the first of last week.

Mrs. J. Cook spent Thursday in Salem visiting friends.

A. Mager and family of Macleay spent Saturday visiting here with his sister, Mrs. Lydia Schifferer.

Miss Georgiana Spicer spent the week-end with her parents at North Santiam.

ONIONS AND POTATOES

Portland, April 14.—Onions firm \$2.25 @ \$4.00 in country. Potatoes easy \$1.40 @ 1.50.

NEWS, HOPE AND CANSARA

Portland, April 14.—Nuts steady; walnuts 22 @ 23; filberts 20 @ 21.

Portland, April 14.—Hops steady; new clusters 16c; bunches 15 @ 18c; old crop nominal.

Portland, April 14.—Cascara bark quiet; new 1.00 @ 1.25 per lb.; Oregon grape root 4c.

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SHORT CROPS OF BERRIES FORCE BUYING, REPORT

Because of the certainty that berry crops in general will be less if weather conditions should be unfavorable, buyers are showing a disposition to cover their requirements with orders with whom they have been regularly dealing. The more conservative canners are hesitating to accept this business at firm prices. The larger part of the selling of the northwest canned goods pack will probably not develop until late April or early May.

The damage to the crop has been investigated by the McIntosh-Corbally company and is summarized as follows:

"Antwerp Red Raspberries—Tops of the canes generally clipped; many buds frozen and unusually large percentage of canes frozen clear back to the ground."

"Black Raspberries—Little damage."

"Loganberries—Serious damage, but difficult to appraise whether this damage will be sufficient to cause actual scarcity."

"Blackberries—Some canes frozen back. Very large number of buds frozen."

"Strawberries—Some plants wiped out by freezing and thawing of ground. Probable damage not large. It is difficult to say just what this means to the market outlook for 1925. The canes berries have not been wiped out anywhere, but damage from freezing has been done everywhere. With warm, damp, growing weather during the spring and unusually favorable conditions in the summer, the remaining canes may make a fair crop. If weather conditions should be as all unfavorable, there will be a serious shortage."

Marion News

The play, "Poor Father," will be given at 8:10 this evening under the auspices of the ball team and at Jefferson, Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Jefferson Melodians orchestra. Everyone ought to try and see this play. The annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church was held at the church Monday evening, April 6. Rev. J. Stewart acted as moderator of the meeting. Mr. Gulvin was re-elected as elder, Mr. Barber was re-elected as trustee and also secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Taylor was elected as collector. It was voted to retain Rev. Stewart as pastor for the ensuing year. A social time was held after the meeting. Refreshments consisting of cookies and punch were served by the ladies aid society.

S. E. Roland, M. W. Robbins, J. L. Smith and R. Mitzner attended the ball game at Salem, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Enos Pressnell was not able to attend services Sunday, but is feeling some better.

Gas Around Your Heart?

Do you have pressure or pain in the region of the heart, shortness of breath, restless sleep, or dizziness, bloating, drowsiness after eating? Any of these distressing symptoms may be due to gas in your stomach, and not to organic heart trouble at all.

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Salem Markets

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

Grain: No. 1 white wheat \$1.40; No. 1 red wheat \$1.40 (milled).

Wholesale Prices

Meat: Top hogs 13c; sows 8 @ 11c; dressed hogs 12 @ 14c; top steers 6 @ 7c; cows 4.00 @ 5.50; canner cows 1 1/2 up; bulls 3 1/2 @ 5c; spring lambs up to 90 lbs. 14c; veal 9c; dressed veal 15c.

Poultry: Springers 33c; light hens 29c; heavy hens 22c; old roasters 16c; ducks 16 @ 18c; geese 18 @ 20c; dressed; live 12 @ 14c; white Leghorns, alive 16 @ 18c; India Runner ducks alive 14 @ 16c.

Butterfat: 42c; creamery butter 45 @ 47c; eggs 26c; standards 21c; salsita 22c; milk 22 @ 23c.

Vegetables: California new potatoes 12c; new potatoes 11c; head lettuce \$3.00 @ 3.50 crate; Texas cabbage 5c California cabbage 4 @ 5c; crates, onions, 14 @ 15 @ 50 No. 1; boliers \$1.50 @ 1.75; cwt.; sweet potatoes fancy 13c; spinach greens 3c pound; peppers 3 @ 4c; rutabagas 2 @ 2.50; parsnips 3 @ 4c; turnips 2 @ 2.50; local turnips 3 @ 4c; California bunch vegetables; carrots 30c; beets, turnips 30c doz.; parsley 75c.

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