

EGGS HIGHER; BUTTER FIRM DEMAND STRONG

Portland, Aug. 27.—Top grade eggs have reached the 40 cent level in the local market, extras being posted at that level on the daily exchange. Other grades on the exchange held steady for the day but the undertone of the market is very firm.

There is a good shipping outlet at the present time due to the higher levels prevailing in the south and in the eastern markets. This will help to absorb the daily arrivals which have been almost sufficient for the market requirements up to the present time.

There are some eggs coming out of the cooler at this level and withdrawals will increase as values work higher.

The local butter market continues steady with the price showing a slight increase. Demand continues good and stocks clean up well. Exchange quotations unchanged.

Local hay market generally steady with plenty of Idaho and Willamette valley timothy offered. Very little eastern Oregon timothy coming as yet. Local dealers report supplies for all lines sufficient for the limited requirements. Hay prices, Portland team track today are: Idaho timothy \$22; oat and vetch \$16.50 to \$17; valley timothy \$17 to \$18; alfalfa \$18.50 to \$19; clover \$17; cheat \$16; oat hay \$15 to \$16; straw \$7.50 per ton.

No change is shown in live poultry and country dressed meats today. Receipts were only small and the moderate business was done at steady prices.

LIVESTOCK

Portland, Aug. 27.—Cattle steady receipts cattle 75; calves 30; steers medium \$7.25 to \$8.00; common \$6.00 to \$7.25; canners and cutters \$4.50 to \$6.00; hogs, common and medium \$4.00 to \$5.50; cows, common and medium \$3.25 to \$5.75; canners and cutters \$1.50 to \$3.25; bulls, good (best yearlings excluded) \$4.00 to \$6.00; common to medium canners and hogs \$3.00 to \$4.00; calves, medium to choice milk feds excluded \$7.50 to \$9.00; veal and common \$5.00 to \$7.50; vealers, medium to choice \$10.00 to \$12.00; cut and common \$8.50 to \$10.00.

Hogs strong; receipts 365; heavyweights (250 to 350 lbs.) medium, good and choice \$12.50 to \$14.25; medium weights (200 to 250 lbs.) medium, good and choice \$13.50 to \$14.50; lightweight (150 to 200 lbs.) common, medium, good and choice \$14.00 to \$14.75; light and choice \$14.00 to \$14.75; packing hogs \$13.00 to \$14.00; slaughter pigs (130 lbs. down) medium good and choice \$13.00 to \$14.00; feeder and stocker pigs (70 to 130 lbs.) medium, good and choice \$12.50 to \$13.00. (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded in above quotations.)

Sheep steady; receipts 240; lambs, good and choice (Mt. Adama) \$12.00 to \$12.50; lambs, medium to good (valley) \$10.50 to \$12.50; heavyweights (12 lbs. up) \$8.50 to \$9.00; all weights, cull and common \$6.00 to \$8.00; yearling weathers, medium to choice \$7.00 to \$9.00; ewes, common to choice \$5.50 to \$6.50; canner and cull \$1.50.

PORTLAND GRAIN

Portland, Aug. 27.—Wheat: hard white, highest, hard \$1.54; soft white \$1.53; western white \$1.52; hard winter \$1.50; northern spring \$1.51; western red \$1.48; B. B. H. hard white \$1.60. Today's car receipts: wheat 129, barley 7, flour 11, corn 1, oats 9, hay 2.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Portland, Aug. 27.—Eggs steady; current receipts 29 1/2; pullins 28 1/2; extras 28 1/2; firsts 28 1/2; second 28 1/2; extras 28 1/2. Butter steady; extra cubes city 50c; standard 48c; prime flats 46c; firsts 45c; undergrade 34c. Butterfat firm; best churning cream 52c net shippers' track in case 1.

POULTRY

Portland, Aug. 27.—Poultry steady; heavy hens 23 to 24; light 15c; broilers 23 to 25c; young white ducks 24 to 25c.

ONIONS AND POTATOES

Portland, Aug. 27.—Potatoes steady \$1.75 to \$2.00; onions steady \$1.50 to \$1.75.

NUTS, HOPS AND CASCARA

Portland, Aug. 27.—Nuts quiet; walnuts No. 1, 25 to 30c; filberts nominal. Hops steady; new crop 18 to 20c; faggles 20c. Cascara bark quiet. Old peel 6 to 7c per pound; Oregon grape root nominal.

Salem Markets

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

Wholesale Prices

Grain: No. 1 white wheat \$1.48; No. 1 red wheat \$1.36 (sacked). Meat: Top hogs 15c; sows \$9.50 to \$10.50; dressed hogs 19c; top steers 6c; cows \$3.50 to \$5.00; bulls 3 1/2 to 4c; spring lambs, 50 lbs. and under \$9 1/2c; heavier 8 1/2c; veal 7 1/2 to 8c; dressed veal 12c. Poultry: Springers 16 to 25c; light hens 16c; heavy hens 20 to 22c; old roosters 8c. Butterfat 52c; creamery butter \$20; eggs 28c; standard 48c; local 46c; milk \$2.25 cut. Vegetables and fruits: Cantaloupes \$1.50 watermelon 1.00; oranges \$7.75 to \$9.75; lemons \$8.00; grapefruit \$19.00; bananas 9c; apples \$1.50 box; new potatoes \$2.00; bucked vegetables: beets 3c; carrots 1 1/2c; turnips 1c; local green beans; radishes 40c; green beans; tomatoes 70c; local; green beans 8c; Oregon celery 80c doz.; plums 4c; home grown cabbage 2c; local cauliflower \$2.00 doz.; fresh parsley 40c doz.; standard 4c; local peaches \$2.00 a bushel; peppers 8c lb.; fancy dirt 15c lb.; dirt size cucumbers 3 1/2c; gherkins 7 1/2c lb.; outdoor lima \$1.50 carton; seedling grapes 6c lb.; sweet corn 15c; new Malaga grapes 7 1/2c; garlic 1 1/2 lb.; new pickling onions 7 1/2c; onions \$2.50.

A German inventor's gliding airplane is equipped with a small motor only sufficiently powerful to start it from the ground and to assist it in landing safely.

ON THE AIR

FRIDAY NIGHT (Pacific Time) KGW, Portland, Ore., 491.5—6-7 P. M., concert by Klutus Teumeseh, Indian tenor, and Sison Oliver, Eskimo pianist; 7:30-8, weather, police and market reports, news bulletins and baseball scores; 8-10:30, concert from Sherman, Clay & Co. Duo-Art studio. KGO, Oakland, Cal., 361.2—6-7 P. M., dinner concert, Baldwin Piano company. KPO, San Francisco, Cal., 422.2—6:15 P. M., Lowell's Warfield theater; 7-7:30, Palace hotel concert orchestra; 8-11, Palace hotel dance and concert orchestra. KFJ, Los Angeles, Cal., 467—5:30-6 P. M., Examiner's matinee musical; 6, McDaniel's nightly drama; 6:45, radiolator talk; 7-8, Examiner, Sonny Clay's Rhythm, De Morna, Bill Freeman, banjoist; 8-9, Aeolian residence pipe organ recital, Dan MacFarland, organist; 9-10, Irish and Scotch songs and songs, arranged by George Frangier; 10-11, pupils of John Smallman in vocal recital.

ARREST BRINGS ROMANCE TO END IN COUNTY JAIL

Another youthful romance started to slide down the toboggan of oblivion yesterday when Deputy Sheriff Burkhart and Bremmer took Dan Smalley and Lillian Riggs in tow for the county jail near Aurora yesterday afternoon at the behest of A. B. Miller, sheriff at Enterprise. The pair had been arrested by Dewey Miller, Aurora marshal, at the request of Sheriff Sawyer.

The couple indicated that they had been married August 17, this year, at Oregon City although the Riggs girl is only 14 years of age. They left Wallowa county a few weeks ago in Smalley's Chevrolet, accompanied by a dog, which last night slept in the Smalley automobile outside the court house waiting for his master.

According to the report from the sheriff at Wallowa county, the girl is expecting to become a mother, and she was placed by local officers in the Deaconess hospital while Smalley went to jail. Smalley is of the typical eastern Oregon type, wearing a mammoth sombrero which measures 18 inches by 17 inches and has a nine-inch crown.

He was driving a truck from Molalla to Aurora when arrested. The whereabouts of the couple was ascertained by eastern Oregon officers when Smalley wrote back to Enterprise asking to have his mail forwarded to Aurora along with the temporary Wallowa county license which hangs on his automobile.

It is probable the matter of the marriage at Oregon City will be checked up and if found authentic it is considered possible Wallowa authorities may decide to release the newlyweds and let the husband go back to work.

PRUNES SIZING UP FAST, REPORT

Weather conditions are causing a rapid growth of prunes, according to report, and they are sizing up rapidly. If they can get through without cracking indications point to a good share of the larger sizes and as a result there are indications that many more prunes will be dried than first expected as numerous farmers are finding prospects of 30s on their trees where before these prospects were not so bright.

"This is ideal apple weather, also," was the statement of Charles Anderson, foreman for Young & Wells. "The rain and cool nights should color up the fruit in fine shape and get it in great condition."

SALEM BOY MAKING RECORD AS BALL PLAYER

Loris Baker, son of C. B. Baker, yardmaster of the Southern Pacific depot, who resides at 426 N. Liberty, is playing first baseball, according to a clipping in the Butte Miner of August 24. The clipping contains an account of one of the games played there. "Loris Baker qualified for a pair of shoes by slamming one underneath the scoreboard for a homer. He made a brilliant pick-up of Thompson's grounder and robbed him of a hit by a rifle fire shot to first in the fifth inning."

"Baker also made a scintillating catch of Charlton's foul in the second frame. Baker's rifle shot to first and the play on Thompson was 100 per cent."

Baker starred on the Oregon Agricultural college basketball five last year and was elected captain of the quintet this year. He was a former member of the Salem Senators where he starred at shortstop.

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EUROPEAN FLAX PROSPECTS ARE SUMMARIZED

A summary of European flax crop prospects has been issued by the bureau of agricultural economics of the department of agriculture as follows: The Belgian crop on the whole has been in good condition thru the first of July, although in some regions of the country, where the land was somewhat dry, the length of the fiber was not satisfactory.

Consul Carlson at Kovno, Lithuania, reports that from the sown area of 151,966 acres for 1925 in that country an estimate of production of 85,284,000 pounds of flax fiber is expected, which would be an increase of 16,435,293 pounds over the previous year's official production estimate of 71,748,707 pounds.

The condition of the early sown flax crop of Ireland was promising through June, according to Consul Brooks at Belfast, but the Irish sown fields had suffered from dry weather, which checked the growth. The decline of British flax areas since 1920 has stimulated the committee on flax seed and flax growing into proposals for rehabilitating the industry. The committee proposes to have growers concentrate on production, setting and re-seeding would be done by a special factory organization under the direction of the ministry of agriculture.

The stoppage by the war of Russian and Belgian supplies of both sowing seed and fiber called for an immediate extension of the flax area in England, particularly since the small supplies raised in Ireland were dependent upon imported seed. In the autumn of 1917 the flax control board asked for an extension of flax production in England from the 500 acres then devoted to that crop to at least 10,000 acres in 1918, in order to provide seed for sowing in Ireland and to provide additional fiber for the manufacture of airplane cloth.

The war boom led to the belief that the flax industry had been established on a permanent basis in England. A slump in the linen trade, however, made it impossible to conduct profitably the various factories which in 1920 were passing or had already passed into private ownership. Out of 12 factories established by the government during the war, only one is now operating.

In the ten years immediately preceding the war the total annual imports of raw flax into the United Kingdom averaged 82,496 short tons and of tow, 19,589 short tons. The largest imports since the war were in 1922, when 34,797 short tons of raw flax were imported and 955 short tons of tow. Russia and Belgium are the two most important sources of supply. Domestic supplies are derived almost wholly from Ireland; before the war they amounted to 12,000 to 17,000 tons of flax and tow annually. In 1923 Irish production amounted to only 9500 tons.

The skeleton found in Cascade reveals fate of lost man (Continued from page one)

man bones in the bed of a dry creek about two miles from the river and a mile above the ranch. The bones were scattered, evidently by wild animals.

The skull, lower jawbone, a few ribs and both hands were located. Little was known of Kelley in the Oakridge vicinity, except that he leaves a widow and his mother, who has left for Pennsylvania before he had disappeared.

In one of his pockets was found an automobile drivers license which indicated that he was 41 years old, and that he lived at Astoria at the time the card was issued. Another card indicated that he was a member of the Moose lodge.

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KLAN DEBATES RIGHT OF PEACEABLE ASSEMBLY

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ANTI-FAT DRUGS ARE FAKE, SAYS CHEMIST

Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 27.—(A. P.)—Drugs and medicines cannot make a fat person thin and they cannot add weight, Dr. Lyman F. Kebler, of the bureau of chemistry, Washington, D. C., who is here for sessions of the American Pharmaceutical association, declared.

"Fat persons are born," he said, "and not made. Sensible eating is the only method of keeping one's figure normal."

Dr. Kebler told of the activity of the bureau in putting out of business a Kansas City firm "that has fleeced the public out of huge sums of money, claiming they had a fat reducing property in their medicines." They made \$500,000 in 1923 and \$400,000 in 1924, Dr. Kebler said, before they were put out of business.

Evictor Exonerated Chicago, Aug. 26.—Constable Charles A. Braun of Thornton, Ill., was yesterday exonerated by a coroner's jury in connection with the death of the baby of Mrs. Anna Cooper of Phoenix, Ill. The baby was born a few days after Mrs. Cooper had been evicted from her home by a court order executed by Braun. The baby died soon after the eviction.

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KAPLAN IS FAVORITE IN BOUT WITH HHERMAN

Waterbury, Conn., Aug. 27.—(A. P.)—Louis (Kid) Kaplan of Meriden, Conn., is a 10 to 7 favorite for his fight tonight in defense of his featherweight championship against the challenge of Babe Herman. It will be the first title ring battle staged in this state since the Terry McGovern-Young Corbett bout a quarter of a century ago.

The conditions are 15 rounds to a decision. Herman, a Californian, has many supporters from New York, where he has been making his home for a year and where he has been piling up victories by hard punching. Kaplan, by his windmill style, is expected to register so many more punches than Herman that the latter's damaging right hand blow will be offset.

Brasero park, scene of the contest, will seat 17,000 people.

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MEXICO WILL BEGIN PAYING DEBT SEPT. 1

San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 27.—(A. P.)—Mexico will begin paying her \$500,000,000 national debt owed chiefly to the United States, about September 1, according to A. Melian, consul general for Mexico at New York, financial agent for that government and a brother of President Plutarco Calles, who passed through here today.

Mexico discharged her domestic debts August 13 when 20,000,000 pesos were paid private institutions of that country.

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