

BUTTER AND EGG RECEIPTS FEW, EXTRAS UP CENT

Portland, Sept. 11—Receipts of fresh butter and eggs in the local market are very limited at the present time and the demand extremely strong. Dealers to a large extent are ignoring the statistical position of the market, assuming an attitude of letting the future take care of itself.

Ordinarily with storage holdings of eggs considerably larger than a year ago, there would be a scramble to get rid of cooler stocks while prices were good. Instead many of the local firms are actually seeking eggs, believing that the storage deal will turn out good the latter part of the season.

Today extra eggs are a cent higher on the exchange at 44 cents. Other grades are firm and unchanging.

Former quotations were posted on butter although the market clearly shows a healthy tone.

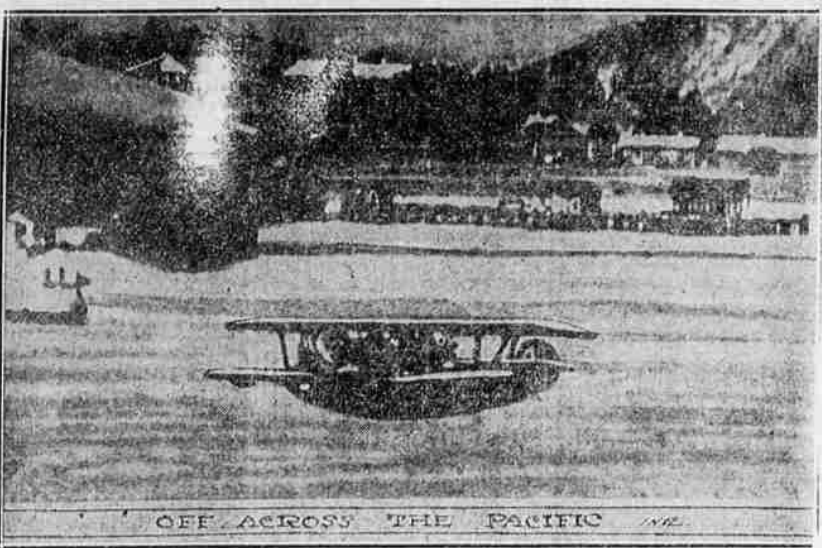
LIVESTOCK

Portland, Sept. 11—Cattle steady receipts cattle 190 calves 10, steers medium \$7.25 @ 8.25; common \$6.00 @ 7.25; canners and cutters \$4.00 @ 6.00; heifers, common and medium \$4.00 @ 5.50; cows, common and medium \$3.25 @ 5.75; canners and cutters \$1.50 @ 3.25; bulls, good (heat yearlings excluded) \$4.00 @ 5.00; common to medium canners and heifers \$3.00 @ 4.00; calves, medium to choice milk feds excluded \$7.50 @ 9.00; cull and common \$5.00 @ 7.50; vealers, medium to choice \$10.00 @ 12.00; cull and common \$4.50 @ 10.00.

Hogs steady; receipts 565; heavyweight (250 to 350 lbs.) medium, good and choice \$13.00 @ 13.75; medium, good and choice \$13.00 @ 14.00; light weight (160 to 200 lbs.) medium, good and choice \$13.00 @ 14.00; light weight (160 to 200 lbs.) common, medium, good and choice \$13.75 @ 14.00; light weight (130 to 160 lbs.) common, medium, good and choice \$12.00 @ 13.75; packing hogs \$9.50 @ 11.00; slaughter pigs (130 lbs. down) medium, good and choice \$13.00 @ 15.00; feeder and stocker pigs (70 to 130 lbs.) medium, good and choice \$12.50 @ 13.00. (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded in above quotations.)

Sheep steady; receipts 120; lambs, good and choice (M. Ad. Amx) \$12.00 @ 13.00; lambs, medium to good (valley) \$10.50 @ 13.00; heavyweight (95 lbs. up) \$10.50 @ 10.00; all weights, cull and common \$8.00 @ 8.00; yearling wethers, medium to choice \$7.00 @ 9.00; ewes, common to choice \$3.50 @ 6.50; canner and cull \$1.50.

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FARMERS PLAN TO SOW GREATER WHEAT ACREAGE

Following the recent inquiry on intention of farmers to plant winter wheat in the Washington 12 office has issued the following:

"The Domestic Situation—If present intentions are carried out and average yields are secured the production of both soft and hard winter wheat next year will be considerably in excess of probable domestic requirements and will place both these classes of wheat on a world market. Last fall 42.2 percent favorable market position of wheat producers is largely due to the fact that our market is now on approximately a domestic basis.

"Reports received from many thousands of farmers throughout the winter wheat belt in August indicated an intended increase of 9.7 per cent in the acreage of winter wheat to be sown this fall compared with the acreage sown last fall, which was 6.5 per cent greater than the area sown in the fall of 1923.

"If these intentions are carried out the total sown acreage this fall will be in the neighborhood of 46,400,000 acres. With average abandonment and average yields this would produce a winter wheat crop about 40 per cent greater than was harvested in 1925. Last fall 42.2 percent of the area sown to winter wheat but only 32,813,000 acres were left for harvest, there having been an abandonment of 22.5 percent of the highest on record with the exception of 1916 when 28.9 per cent of the planted acreage was abandoned.

"The indicated intended sowing this fall is 35.2 per cent greater than the pre-war (1919-1921) average annual fall sowing; it is 8.3 per cent more than the average annual fall sowing for the years 1919-1923.

"The average annual abandonment of winter wheat acreage for the past ten years has been 12.9 per cent. If the average abandonment should occur this winter, it would leave from the intended sowings about 46,424,000 acres to be harvested next summer, compared with 32,813,000 acres harvested this year.

"The yield reported for 1925 of 12.7 bushels per acre is the lowest since 1904 but even with this yield a harvested acreage of 46,424,000 acres would yield 593,000,000 bushels, or 22 per cent more wheat than was harvested this year. In 1924 a yield of 16.2 bushels was secured. If a yield equivalent to this were secured next year on the 46,424,000 acres it would mean a crop of 756,000,000 bushels. This would be larger than any winter wheat crop since 1919. If a yield per acre equal to the average of the past ten years were secured (14.5 bushels) on this acreage, it would mean a crop of 672,000,000 bushels.

"The world's production depends so much upon yields per acre that it can not be predicted upon the basis of acreage alone. In the long run, however, the trend of acreage largely determines the trend of production. In considering the past year it should not be overlooked that the severe winter killing in the United States and low yields on the remaining acreage have been a very important factor in the world situation."

MELON CULTURE IN VALLEY PAYS IF DONE RIGHT

Application of methods used in the older melon growing sections of the east, has brought wonderful results to the valley growing to B. S. Prather of Yoder, according to the Aurora Observer. His editor recently visited the Prather gardens, sampled the melons, and saw how they were raised. As a result he went home all "pepped" up and had the following to say of Mr. Prather's accomplishments:

"We were privileged to visit Sunday the Prather gardens near Yoder and to see a sight well worth while even though one were less fortunate than we were and failed of a taste of the delicious water-melons and cantaloupes which Mr. B. S. Prather raises in such quantities on his six acres devoted to their culture.

"Mr. Prather has had a wide experience in the raising of this kind of fruit and the quantity and quality of the product, notwithstanding the fact that not a drop of water has fallen upon or been introduced to them, since last May, testifies to the care and skill of the producer.

"Melons weighing from twenty-five to fifty pounds are plentiful. There are 'Kiekeley Sweets,' 'Tom Watsons,' and 'Early Ford Hooks' that would make your mouth water.

"There are cantaloupes such as 'Honey Ball' as sweet as they make them, 'Hearts of Gold' with their rich yellow lining and the 'Spicy' which is all that the name implies. All these are produced by the careful use of the cultivator together with a loose soil and a climate admirably adapted to their culture. All these are produced by the labor of one man, with a one-horse cultivator.

"Mr. Prather is an easterner and came out here with a background of general farm knowledge, a special adaptability to this kind of gardening and a great faith in the country in which he settled, and the issue proves his vision and judgment.

"The marketing conditions in this section are favorable. Within a stone's throw of the railroad at Yoder the produce can readily ship its product, but up to this time there has been no need since automobile after automobile may be found at this season, lined up at the gardens awaiting its turn for a load of this succulent fruit. Those who have travelled up and down the Willamette valley and noted the crops as they went have seen how productive is the soil of this favored region, when properly handled, but we feel safe in saying that the valley has no more favored spot for the raising of melons than that where B. S. Prather raises Kiekeley Sweets and Honey Balls.

VETCH RETURNS GOOD PRICES IN BENTON COUNTY

Although a short crop in Benton county vetch seed this year brought good prices and the outlook for the business of vetch seed raising is somewhat better than it has been, says the Benton Independent of Corvallis.

At the opening of the season prices started out around those of 1924 of 3 cents a pound for common vetch and 2 1/2 to 3 for Hungarian. An unusual demand soon developed and common vetch went to 4 cents and the latest quotation is 5 cents. Hungarian followed with at least one carload moved to California buyers at 4 1/2 cents.

New developments have taken place with the Hungarian. In the counties north of Benton where so much winter injury was suffered last year the Hungarian was able to come through with a better stand than common vetch. In fact it was reported that around McMinnville the Hungarian was the only vetch that came through the winter, according to County Agent Briggs. Hungarian came through the winter in a number of places in Benton county where the common at the side of it was frozen out. This winter resistance, together with an increased appreciation of the value of the crop as feed has caused a good many more farmers to try it out.

Small amounts of Hungarian were sold to orchardists in California last year. Though these parties wanted to get common vetch they thought enough of the showing made by Hungarian to order two carloads through the Farm Bureau.

An entirely new use has been found for the seed by seed graders in California. A few carloads of Hungarian have been ground with the idea of substituting it for such protein concentrates as soy bean meal in dairy and chicken feeds. It is reported that four or five carloads were used for this purpose this year. It is likely, however, that more experience will be needed before any large market for the seed for this purpose will be opened.

CLARKE GROWERS PAID 5 CENT PRUNE ADVANCE

Vancouver, Wash., Sept. 11—Members of the Washington Growers' Packing corporation will this year receive an advance of 5 cents a pound on all prunes under 1 1/2 lbs. size and 4 cents a pound on the smaller sizes, on delivery at the packing plant. This is the largest advance payment ever made by the association. The way since the country in which he settled, and the issue proves his vision and judgment.

LEGALS

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

We, the undersigned incorporators of the Oregon Iron Mills, Inc., hereby call a meeting of the stockholders to the capital stock of said corporation to be held at the rooms of the Salem chamber of commerce in Salem, Oregon, on the 24th day of September, 1925, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of organizing said company, electing a board of directors, adopting by-laws and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

E. M. PAGE,
T. A. LIVESLEY,
T. M. HICKS.

Jamestown, N. D.—Two women have been fined \$5 for smoking on the street. No perfect lady does so, says the chief of police.

PORTLAND GRAIN

Portland, Sept. 11—Wheat bids: hard white, bluestem, hard \$1.49; soft white, western white \$1.48; hard winter, northern spring, western red \$1.43; B. B. hard white \$1.52. Today's car receipts: wheat 110, barley 9, flour 8, corn 5, oats 10, hay 5.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Portland, Sept. 11—Eggs firm; current receipts 320; pullets 32 1/2; firsts 35 @ 35 1/2; extras 29 @ 29 1/2 delivery Portland.

Butter firm; extra cubes city 50; standard 49c; prime firsts 47c; firsts 45c; undergrades nominal; prints 53c; cartons 54c.

Butterfat firm; best churning cream 52c net shippers' track in case 1.

POLARITY

Portland, Ore., Sept. 11—Poultry firm; heavy hens 23 @ 24; light 15 @ 16c broilers 25; young white ducks 24 @ 25c.

ONIONS AND POTATOES

Portland, Ore., Sept. 11—Potatoes active \$1.75 @ 2.00; onions steady \$1.60 @ 1.75.

NUTS, HOPS AND CASCARA

Portland, Sept. 11—Nuts quiet; walnut No. 1, 25 @ 30c; filberts nominal.

Hops steady; new crop 25c.

Cascara bark quiet. Old peel 6 @ 7c per pound; Oregon grape root nominal.

WOOL DEMAND IS FAIRLY STEADY

Boston, Mass., Sept. 11—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow:

"There has been a fair demand for wool again this week, chiefly for the worsted mills, at prices which show little or no change. Woolen mills wools are barely steady, with by-products tending lower. Manufacturers of worsteds give added evidence of having received very desirable repeat orders on heavy-weight lines of medium weight staple and semi-staple goods for prompt delivery.

"The foreign markets are generally firm, with a higher tendency reported at the close in Sydney. Continental buyers, France in particular, have been the chief operators, although America has bought freely at times of suitable wools and England has been most active. Good clearances continue in spite of very ordinary offerings as a rule. Some readjustments to a lower basis are expected in London compared with last sales to bring the market more in line with primary centers.

"Mohair is very slow and difficult to quote, but nominally unchanged.

"The Commercial Bulletin will publish the following quotations tomorrow:

Oregon, eastern No. 1 staple, \$1.25 @ 1.25; fine and fine medium combing \$1.18 @ 1.20; eastern cloth line \$1.10 @ 1.15; valley No. 1, \$1.10 @ 1.15.

Territory, Montana and similar fine staple choice \$1.27 @ 1.30; half blood combing \$1.12 @ 1.15; 3/4 blood combing \$1.00 @ 1.05; quarter blood combing \$0.92c.

Mohair: best combing 75 @ 80c; best carding 65 @ 70c.

Hop Market Quiet

The hop market, which was decidedly active a week ago, has lapsed again into a state of coma and very little has been doing the past few weeks, hopmen report. It is stated that the English buyer was interested up to the point where the 22 cent mark was reached and that then his interest ceased.

Salem Markets

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

Wholesale Prices

Grain: No. 1 white wheat \$1.36; No. 2 red wheat \$1.31 (sacked); oats 48c; hay, oat and vetch \$14 ton.

Meat: Top hams 13 1/2c; cows \$9.50 @ 10.50; dressed hogs 19c; top steers 20c; cows \$2.50 @ 3.00; bulls \$2.50 @ 3.00; spring lambs \$0.10 lb. and under \$0.9 1/2c; heavier \$1.20; veal \$0.7 1/2c; dressed 15c.

Poultry: Springers 20 @ 22c; light hens 15c; heavy hens 18 @ 19c; old chickens 8c.

Butterfat 52c; creamery butter 52c; eggs 29c; standard 31c; select 33c; milk \$2.30 cwt.

Vegetables and fruits: Cantaloupes \$1.50; water melons 1 1/4c; oranges \$3.75 @ \$3.75; lemons \$10.00; grapefruit \$10.00; bananas 10c; apples \$1.50 box; new potatoes \$2.00; bunched vegetables: best 3c; carrots 1 1/2c; turnips 1c; local 40 @ 60c; onions, radishes 40c doz; bunches; tomatoes 41 bushel; green beans 6c; Oregon celery 80c doz; pinks 4c; home grown cabbage 2c; local cauliflower 12.00 doz; fresh parsley 40c doz; casahua 4c; local peaches 11.25 a bushel; peppers 8c lb.; fancy 40 @ 15c lb.; dill size cucumbers 2 1/2c; gherkins 7 1/2c lb.; outdoor hoes \$1.60 carton; seedless grapes 5c lb.; sweet corn 22c; new Malaga grapes 7c garlic 16c lb.; new pickling onions 7 1/2c; onions 22.50; lettuce \$2.25 doz.; \$3.50 local; sweet potatoes 5 1/2c lb.; cranberries 6 1/2c.

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SHEEP PROFITS DO NOT JUSTIFY FEE INCREASES

Pendleton, Sept. 11—Profits in the sheep business at present absolutely do not warrant any such increase in fees as that recommended to congress in the Ranchford report providing for as high as 200 per cent increases in parts of this area, according to testimony offered at the senate public lands hearing held here yesterday afternoon.

Ernest Johnson, big sheep man of Wallowa, stated that such an increase as that recommended by the report would take away the margin of profit now permitted the sheep men and would result in confiscation of their holdings.

The profit in the sheep business at present are sufficient to pay wages to the operator, and eight per cent on the investment, according to Professor E. L. Potter, head of the department of animal husbandry of Oregon Agricultural college. He expressed the belief that present fees are as high as they should be for the sheep men. Cattle men are not making and profits on the basis of the present fees charged, he pointed out.

The attempt to determine the value of the range in the national forests by comparing it with the commercial value of adjacent ranges, Professor Potter termed impractical.

"With fat lambs at \$10.50, feeders at \$10. fall prices, and wool at 40 cents, sheepmen are paying \$8 for hay, \$1.52 a year for grass, wages, and eight per cent on the livestock investment," he said.

Sheepmen stated that wild game is increased in the national forests by reason of the work that is being done by the biological survey, and their personal recommendations were that this system of control be extended.

The hearing is going on today under the chairmanship of Senator Stanfield of Oregon. Saturday the senatorial party will hold a hearing at Baker.

WHEAT PRICES FLUCTUATING

Chicago, Sept. 11—The wheat opening, 1/2 to 1 1/2 lower, December \$1.48 1/2 to \$1.48 3/4, and May \$1.51 1/2 to \$1.52, was followed by numerous fluctuations that kept near to the initial figures.

Opening at 1/2 cent decline to 1/2 advance, December 85 1/2 to 86, the corn market scored transient gains both for December delivery and May.

Oats started at a shade to 1/2 cent off, December 41 1/2 to 41 1/2. Later the market showed a slight general advance.

Provisions were firmer, sympathizing with an upturn in the value of hogs.

The wheat close was irregular, 1/2 cent net lower to 1/2 cent higher, December \$1.49 1/2 to \$1.49 3/4, and May \$1.53 1/2 to \$1.53 3/4.

Corn closed firm, 1/4 to 1/2 cents net higher, December 86 1/2 to 86 3/4.

Portland, Sept. 11—The cheese market is very firm with local jobbing houses having a scramble to get their regular requirements. Not only the well known brands are short but practically all lines of Oregon cheese are limited. No change in prices is anticipated for the time being.

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