

SELLING CAUSES DECIDED SLUMP IN WHEAT PRICES

WHEAT DROPS OVER 7 CENTS IN CHICAGO PIT

Chicago, Dec. 10.—(A.P.)—Widespread general selling, largely of a profit-taking character, led to a sharp decline in grain prices today. Wheat, which especially failed to get adequate buying support, underwent a severe tumble, dropping 7 3/4 cents, as compared with today's top level of \$1.74 5/8 for May. Wheat opening 1 1/2 off to 3 1/2 up, new style, December \$1.78 and May \$1.73 1/4 to \$1.73 3/4 was followed by a general upturn to \$1.80 December and \$1.74 5/8 May, but then by an irregular descent to \$1.71 1/4 for December and \$1.65 3/4 for May.

Opening unchanged to 3-8 higher, May \$1.74 to \$1.75 1/2, the corn market has scored some gain and then receded, May touching \$1.75 1/2. Oats started a shade to 3-8 cent higher, May 45 1/2 to 46 1/2 cents and later underwent a material rise.

The wheat close was semi-morale at nearly the bottom figures reached, 4 to 6 1/2 up yesterday's finish, December closed at \$1.72 5/8 and May \$1.67 to \$1.67 1/4, both new style.

Corn closed unsettled 1-5 to 2 1/2 net lower, May \$1.18 to \$1.18 1/4.

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; red wheat (stacked) \$1.43; oats 48c bu.; hay, cut and vetch, \$17 ton.

Meat, top hogs \$12.25; hogs \$10.90; dressed hogs 16c; top steers \$10.60; cows \$10.34; top veal 9c; hogs 3 1/2 lbs. smoking lamb, 40 lbs. and under 11 1/2c; heavier 9c 10c.

Poultry: Springers 20¢ 22c; light hens 16c; heavy hens 20¢ 21c; old roosters 6¢ 8c; star roosters 16¢ 18c.

Butterfat 52c; cream butter 53c; eggs 26c; standard 48c; receipts 48c; milk 2 1/4 cwt; eggs per pound 24c.

Vegetables and fruits: oranges \$5.00 to \$5.50; lemons \$5.00 to \$5.50; grapefruit 5.75 to 6.50; bananas 9¢ 10¢; apples \$1.50 to \$2.50 box; new potatoes \$2.25; Yukon potatoes \$2.25 to \$2.75; sack vegetable seeds 2c; carrots 1 1/2¢ 2c; turnips 2¢; local 40¢ 80c; onions, radishes 40¢ doz. bun. tomatoes 20¢ lb. hothouse Ore. celery 80¢ 11¢ doz. 15¢; green house grown cabbage 1 1/2c; local cauliflower 1.50 to 2.50; peppers 2 1/2c; garlic 20¢ lb; onions \$2.35 cwt; sweet potatoes 4¢; cranberries \$5 per box, 120 per bbl. Eastern Cape Cod cranberries, cumberlins \$1.50; bulk dates 1 1/2c lb.; lettuce, California iced \$4.50 to \$5.00.

CHRISTMAS TURKEY SHIPMENTS STARTED

Roseburg, Ore., Dec. 10.—The shipment of Christmas turkeys has already been started in the country and indications are that there will be a large quantity of birds purchased before Thanksgiving Day which has been set for the 18th. Competition on the market, together with the possibility of a break in the retail price is said to be stimulating buyers.

Several thousand birds in the vicinity of Oakland have been contracted. It is said, and shipments have already been made from Yoncalla. One shipment the first of the week was consigned to Alaska. Prices so far have been 45 cents with an 8 cent drop on number two stock. Little variation from that price has been reported, and it is the general belief that the Christmas market will center around a 45 cent price.

Owing to the fact that practically all growers held back their birds at Thanksgiving time, there will be an average number of turkeys offered on the Christmas market. Douglas county will probably have five carloads for shipment, according to present estimates.

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WOOL MARKET PRICES RANGE 39 TO 47 CENTS

Portland, Ore., Dec. 10.—(A.P.)—Recent transactions in the wool indicate that the market is still in a healthy position, regardless of the fact that the big Idaho sale was called off on account of low bids.

Since Monday part of the Idaho goods, sold at private sale, have brought prices said to range from 39 to 46 cents, although they were not made public. It is also understood that one exceptionally choice lot brought 47 cents.

Approximately 500,000 have been purchased since the sale was postponed, including the clips of Brown, Jordan, Farmer, Wilson, Bralston and the Ada Livestock company. Alex Livingstone, Jr., is the heavy purchaser.

Two Klickitat growers have sold approximately 100,000 pounds at prices ranging from 41 to 45 cents. Buyers around Arlington and The Dalles are offering 35 to 37 cents while local wool firms are quoting 40 cents, Portland.

Eggs are still declining in the local market. Extras and current receipts are down 1 cent for the day at 45 and 37 cents respectively.

Standard cubes are a cent lower in the local butter market at 49 cents. Extras unchanged at the 50 cent top although the situation is weak and unsettled. Jobbers report little or no movement in butter at the present time.

Country dressed meats are slow and weak in the local market although prices are not much changed. Demand is very light and receipts moderate. Any material gain in shipments to this market would cause a severe break in values along the street. Today top veal brings 15 to 15 1/2 cents and top hogs 16 to 16 1/2 cents.

Receipts of live poultry along the street are small and the market shows a good healthy tone.

LIVESTOCK

Portland, Dec. 10.—Cattle steady; receipts 25; calves none; steers good, \$7.10 to \$8.25; med. \$6.75 to \$7.85; common \$5.50 to \$6.75; canners and cutters \$4.50 to \$5.50; heifers, good \$6.00 to \$6.50; common and medium \$4.50 to \$6.00; cows, good \$5.25 to \$5.50; common and medium \$3.25 to \$5.50; canners and cutters \$2.90 to \$3.50; bulls, good, beef (yearlings excluded) \$3.75 to \$4.50; common to medium (yearlings and heifers) \$3.00 to \$3.75; calves medium to choice (milk fed) excluded \$7 to \$9.50; calves and commons \$6.00 to \$7.00; vealers, medium to choice \$10.00 to \$12.00; culls and commons \$5.50 to \$10.00.

Hogs weak, lower steady receipts 440; heavyweights (250 to 350 pounds) medium, good and choice \$11.75 to \$12.50; medium weight (200 to 250 pounds) medium good and choice \$12.00 to \$12.50; light weight (150 to 200 pounds) common med. good and choice \$12.25 to \$12.50; light hogs (150 to 180 pounds), common, medium, good and choice \$11.25 to \$12.25; packing hogs (rough and smooth) \$8.50 to \$10.50; slaughter pigs (50 to 130) medium good and choice \$11.00 to \$11.75; feeder and stocker pigs (70 to 130 pounds) medium, good - d

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choice \$11.00 to \$12.50. (Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded in above quotations). Sheep none. steady receipts none; lambs good and choice (Mt. Adams) \$12.50 to \$13.50; lambs medium to good (valley) \$12.00 to \$13.50; heavyweights (92 lbs. up) \$10.00 to \$11.50; all weights, culls and commons \$8.00 to \$11.00; yearling weathers, medium to choice \$8.50 to \$11.50; ewes, common to choice \$5.00 to \$8.00; canners and culls \$2.50 to \$5.00.

Portland Wheat
Portland, Ore., Dec. 10.—(A.P.)—Wheat: BHB hard white, hard white, bluestem, hard, soft white, western white \$1.60; hard winter, northern spring, western red \$1.55. Today's car receipts: wheat 230; flour 5; corn 10; oats 5; hay 8.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Portland, Dec. 10.—Eggs current 27c; fresh standards firsts 38 1/2c; 2nd 35c; fresh standards extras 35c; 2nd 32c; under sizes 28 to 32c. Portland, Dec. 10.—Butter steady extra cubes, city 60c; standards 49c; prime firsts 48c; firsts 48c; undergrades nominal; prints 62c; cartons 64c; butter, steady. Milk, steady, best churning cream 50c; net shipper's track in zone 1; raw milk (4 per cent) \$2.60 cwt., f. o. b. Portland.

POULTRY

Portland, Ore., Dec. 10.—Poultry slow; less 5 per cent commission; heavy hens 25¢ 26c; light 19c; springers 25c; young white ducks 23¢ 25c; turkeys dressed 28¢ 40c; live nominal.

ONIONS AND POTATOES

Portland, Dec. 10.—Potatoes steady, new \$2.50 to \$2.60; onions 11.75.

NUTS, HOPS AND CASCARA

Portland, Dec. 10.—Nuts steady;

walnuts, No. 1 30¢ 32c; filberts 26c; almonds 27¢ 31c. Hops quiet; new crop clusters 22 1/2c, fuggies 25c.

SENATOR BROWN HARVESTS FILBERTS, YOUNG GROVE

Sam H. Brown, state senator from Gervais, who was in Salem today states that he took about 1300 pounds of filberts from his young 30 acre orchard this year and next year expects to get over two tons. He states that the filberts are now in bloom getting ready for next year's crop.

Senator Brown, who at one time was hailed king of loganberry raisers, but ploughed up his patches after a few bad years, says he expects to put out another small acreage.

"Loganberries don't do so well after four or five years in bearing," he said. "I have never found a fertilizer to which logans will respond in any satisfactory manner. Evergreens are just the opposite, and cultivated evergreens respond readily to almost any kind of fertilizer."

Mill City Plays Aumsville
Mill City, Ore., Dec. 10.—The first basketball game of the season here will be played Friday night between the Mill City high school and the Aumsville high school.

The National Council of Mexican Women has started a campaign against the sale or display of immoral postcards, pictures or publications in that country.

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