

EGG HOLDINGS EXCEED RECORD BITTER EASIER

Portland (UP)—Holdings of eggs in store throughout the United States are close to a half million cases, compared with somewhat less than 100,000 cases a year ago.

Trade in the butter market is easier with some recessions in the price at California points. Locally the undertone has been steady with no change in either cube or print values.

Up in central Oregon there is a renewal of the butterfat war with centralizers reported as paying extreme values and in some instances premiums over the Portland price.

Chicken price here continue much out of line. While killers are offering down to 11 cents pound here for light weights, the same interests are paying around 18 to 19 cents pound at California points.

Limited supplies of both home and foreign potatoes are still arriving here. Practically the only offerings are from Forest Grove. Sales are down a dime. Sales of Deschutes are now generally no higher than \$1.50 here for 10 to 15 bushels.

Country killed meats are without price or condition change. California radishes are being offered around 45-50 cents dozen bunches.

INCREASED NURSERY FEES ARE OPPOSED

Small growers of nursery stocks, bulbs and plants in this vicinity are opposing a move to increase the state nursery license fee on such growers in a bill now pending before the legislature.

Mrs. W. J. Culver, one of the smallest growers of bulbs, iris roots and similar stocks, is taking an active hand in the fight and declares that the proposed increase is inequitable with opposition from many of the smaller growers who gain a small income from their plants but not one to justify any increase.

Salem Markets

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

Wheat, (uncontracted) No. 1 white 82c; red, sacked 40c bushel. Feed oats \$1.10; milling oats \$2.00; barley \$1.90-2.00.

Meats: hogs, top grades 130-160 lb. \$8.25; 160-200 lb. \$8.30; 200-250 lb. \$8.35; 250-300 lb. \$8.40.

Cattle, top steers 515-715; cows, 3-11c; calves and cutters 2-3c. Pork: ham, 15c; shoulders 12c; ribs 10c; lard 10c.

Wool, Mohair: Market nominal. Wool, coarse 10c; fine 12c; Mohair, kid 18c; long staple 15c lb.

GOES TO SUMMIT: Airline Miss Vera Wendt accompanied by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wendel, and uncle, Charlie Wendel, visited her parents at Summit Sunday afternoon.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK: Portland 97—Cattle 25c, calves 10c. All kinds of hogs, 10c. Steers 600-800 lbs. good \$8.25-8.50.

PORTLAND PRODUCE: Portland (UP)—The following prices were named for various commodities: Butter, 24c; eggs, 27c; flour, 1.10.

CHICAGO GRAIN: Chicago (UP)—Wheat futures: Mar. 97 1/2; May 97 1/4; July 97 1/4. Corn: Mar. 45 1/2; May 45 1/4; July 45 1/4.

WISCONSIN WHEAT: Winnetup (UP)—Wheat range: May open, high 66; low 64; close 65. July open, high 68; low 66; close 67.

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PORTLAND FLOUR, ST. GAR: Portland (UP)—Sugar, steady. Sacked best, cane, first or berry \$4.80 cwt.

NETS, HOPS, WOOL: Portland (UP)—Nets Oregon wall 18-20c; pennants 12c; brains 10c.

SAN FRANCISCO BUTTERFAT: San Francisco (UP)—Butterfat, Feb. 10, 1931, 26 1/2c.

SAN FRANCISCO DAIRY: San Francisco (UP)—Butter, 24c; eggs, 27c; flour, 1.10.

SAN FRANCISCO POLTERY: San Francisco (UP)—Leghorn hens, all sizes 16-17c; colored hens 5c.

WHEAT VALUES BREAK SHARPLY CLOSING LOWER

Chicago (UP)—Reversing its trend of Tuesday, wheat broke sharply on the board of trade Wednesday and closed lower.

BOSTON WOOL: Boston (UP)—Sales are being closed on fairly large quantities of 48-50c wools.

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Markets To Close New York (UP) — Leading financial markets throughout the country will be closed Thursday, Lincoln's birthday. They will re-open Friday.

STOCK MARKET HOLDS STRONG, CLOSING HIGHER

New York (UP)—Despite scattered profit taking throughout the session Wednesday, stocks on the stock exchange maintained a strong tone.

PORTLAND PORT BILL IN HOUSE: Two measures, either of which has probability of extending argument from Portland, were introduced in the House Wednesday afternoon.

VANCOUVER PRUNE CANNERY ASSURED: Vancouver, Wash. (UP)—Construction of a \$55,000 cannery here was assured by announcement from Washington, D. C.

WORLD COURT VOTE AGAIN POSTPONED: American adherence, again opposed postponement until December. Democrats were united also in opposing the postponement.

COLLEGE SURVEY NEARS COMPLETION: Willamette university authorities will, within a short time, learn how the local school ranks with other Methodist institutions of the United States.

BULL MARKET IN STOCKS CONTINUES: As reported for the last week of January showed a small gain commensurate with the normal seasonal trend.

ALFALFA HAY FIFTY CENTS TON LOWER: Portland (UP)—Northwest alfalfa markets were weaker by 50 cents a ton close of the week ending Tuesday.

"500" PARTY HONORS MT. ANGEL MATRON: Mrs. Angel, Mrs. Math. Beyer and Mrs. Anton P. Kraemer were hostesses Sunday evening at a party for Mrs. Frank Pessler.

BIRTHDAY DINNER ENJOYED AT ALBANY: Lincoln—Mrs. and Mrs. Alvin Madison and Mrs. Richard Robert and Alvin Dine, accompanied by Mrs. George Boyd and daughters.

BOWMAN SET RECORD FOR FATTENING HOGS: A record for fattening hogs has been set by G. B. Bowman, who runs a dairy farm several miles up the river drive and who always has about 100 head of hogs to use by-product.

EGG BATTLE CALLED OFF BY TURLOCK MAYOR

Turlock, Cal. (UP)—Turlock is egg poor—Not egg rich! This was the message the mayor and leaders of the chamber of commerce, the Rotary and Exchange clubs were earnestly trying to tell the world Wednesday.

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SCHOOL BOARD TO BUILD WINGS TO 2 SCHOOLS

Individual approval was voiced by members of the school board at their session Tuesday night for the erection of two wings at the Englewood and Highland school buildings, using the \$40,000 remaining from the \$200,000 building bonds floated about seven years ago by the district.

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