BUTTER PRICES STAY TODAY AT LOWER LEVEL

Portland, April 13 (AP)—Butter prices were unchanged today.

Trading tone for eggs is strengthening here with receipts decreasing in spots and demand to go into cooler, somewhat greater. Local market is still affected by undergrades.

There is a real shortage of asparagus here although a slight increase of local offerings was suggested. Prices are firmer but generally rule at former heights.

There was a further gain of strength and even of buying price for onions at the source with a southern demand and little unsold stock at Oregon sources. Purchases are reported to 60c cental net to grower.

With record supplies of potatoes still being held in storage here and with decreasing demand owing to an increase in the call for new growth; the market is presenting an acute problem to all interests.

Fancy quality strawberries are now offered from Florin in abundance. "Were it not for the strike," he says, "supplies here would be far more liberal." General prices are little changed.

Excellent hook and line catches of Willamette river salmon are reported with a very liberal supply available for the market at 22c. This is the same price ruling for Northern Kings.

Halibut market is firm at 17c for medium and 15c for chicken.

Trade is well supplied with fresh crabs again.

Artichokes moving very well, says George Pearson, specialist.

Sweet potatoes moving around $1.50 per 40 pound lug.

Tomato market active reports Pioneer Fruit. Supplies of quality stuff are liberal at late prices.

Dressed meats are steady all around and at late prices.

Cabbage is very firm for old crop.

Greater demand for rhubarb and prices firmer.

REVIEWERS SEE REAL UPSWING

New York, April 13 (AP)—"Reports from every part of the country this week brought uniform proofs of a further definite upswing in business industry," said the Dun & Bradstreet weekly trade review today.

The review commented that "while full credit is accorded the emergency legislation enacted last year for the wholesome betterment provided by the strong foundation laid for business recovery as well as for the strengthening of the nation's banking structure, considerable stress is now being placed on the need for allowing the forward movement to proceed unhampered by new and unnecessary restrictions."

Regarding the movement of retail trade, the review asserted that "almost without exception, the leading retailers of the country find that the tapering off in business, which usually is apparent after Easter, has not developed, as volume last Saturday in some centers was the heaviest for any single day in three years, with the gain reaching 40 to 50 per cent over the comparable period last year, when Easter buying was at its peak.

"In the industrial divisions operating schedules are rising at a more rapid rate than they did in March, unaffected to any major degree by the labor difficulties still unsettled in some districts.

"The leading wholesale markets became unexpectedly active this week, as many buyers were forced to replenish spring goods which had been ordered too sparingly.

Salem Markets

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

Wheat, No. 2 white 60c, red sacked 58c bushel.

Feed oats $14 ton, milling oats $15. Brewing barley No. 1 $19; feed barley $14 ton.

Clover, $11, oats and vetch $10, valley alfalfa $12 ton.

Hogs—Midget Market: Top grades, 140-160 lbs. $3.65; 165-200 lbs. $3.90; 200-225 lbs $3.65; 225-250 lbs. $3.40.

Veal 8c lb. dressed.

Top hogs, 120 lbs. 9c lb. dressed.

Poultry—Light hens 6c, medium 7c lb. Heavy hens under 5 lbs 12c, over 5 lbs. 11c lb. Colored fryers 10c, medium colored fryers 9c, Leghorn broilers 10c. Leghorn medium 8c, light 7c lb. Colored broilers 10c. Stags 8c, old roosters 4c lb.

Eggs—Med. 11c, extras 13c standard 12c dozen.

Butter—Cubes 21c, prints 19c a lb. Butterfat 16c lb.

WOOL MOHAIR

Wool—Course and fine 25c, medium 28c, mohair 22c lb.

Carloadings Down During Last Week

Washington, April 13 (AP)—The American Railway association today announced carloadings of revenue freight for the week ended April 7 totaled 557,887 cars, a decrease of 50,556 cars from the preceding week this year, but an increase of 65,826 cars over the corresponding week in 1933 and 12,264 above the corresponding week in 1932.

DAHL SELLS HOPS

Mt. Angel—E. J. Dahl sold 25 bales of his lot of hops to Linn & Roberts, Salem, at 25 cents per pound Thursday. The transaction was made through the Fred Schwab Commission company warehouse at Mt. Angel. A carload of hops was also shipped from the warehouse Thursday by E. Clemens Horst & Co., Independence.

Independence — Z. C. Kimball, editor of the local newspaper who has been in a Salem hospital for several days, returned to his home here this week much improved in health. He submitted to an operation for hernia while in the hospital.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Closing Quotations by Associated Press

Alaska Juneau	21	Lissett & Myrs B	92¾
Alaska Chemical & Dye	150¼	Liquid Carbide	29
American Can	104	Montgomery Ward	31
American Commercial Alcohol	50¼	Nash Motors	24
American & Foreign Power	10¼	National Biscuit	44
American Power & Light	9	National Dairy Products	16
American Smelting & Ref.	43	National Distillers	30¾
A. T. & T.	120¼	Pacific Gas & Electric	19¾
American Tobacco B	73¾	Packard	5
Anaconda	16¼	J. C. Penney	67
Atchison	68¼	Penn. R. R.	30
Atlantic Ref.	29	Phillips Petroleum	20
Bendix Aviation	18¾	Public Service of N. J	38
Bethlehem Steel	42¾	Pullman	56
Burroughs Adding Machine	15¾	Sears Roebuck	49¾
California Pack	26¾	Shell Union	9¼
J. I. Case	71¾	Southern Pacific	28¼
Caterpillar Tractor	32	Standard Brands	21¾
Chrysler	33¾	Standard Oil of California	37¾
Commercial Solvent	29¾	Standard Oil of New Jersey	45¾
Continental Can	82	Studebaker	7¾
Corn Products		Transamerica	7
Curtiss Wright	4¼	Union Carbide	45
Du Pont	97	Union Pacific	130¼
Eastman	91	United Aircraft	23¼
General Electric	22¼	United Corporation	6¼
General Foods	34¾	U. S. Industrial Alcohol	52
General Motors	38¼	United States Rubber	20¼
Gold Dust	21¼	United States Steel	52
Homestake Mining		Western Electric & Mfg	39¾
International Harvester	43¾	Woolworth	52¼
International Nickel	27¾		
I. T. & T.	5¾		
Johns Man.	58¼		
Kennecott	21¼		
Libbey-O-Ford	37¼		

CLOSING CURB QUOTATIONS

Cities Service	2¾		
Electric Bond & Share	17¼		
Swift & Co.	103¼		

MARKET QUOTATIONS

PORTLAND EASTSIDE MARKET

Portland, April 13 (AP)— Rhubarb came back strong during the Friday session of the eastside farmers' market. Sales were made 30-60c for 30s with the bulk of top quality at 60c.

Asparagus growers were more or less of a unit in demanding $2.75 for No. 1 pyramids with No. 2 in small supply around $2.25. Some Hermiston grass was offered around $1.75 for 20s. Californian at $2 for 2½ doz.

Sacramento strawberries $2.25 for 24s. Spinach steady, 30-40c orange box. Hothouse cucumbers offering at a fractional reduction.

Old potatoes chiefly 75c orange box for 1s. Dry onions in good call at late prices. California celery sold to $1.60 doz. for fancy. New cabbage 60-75c pony crate, according to quality.

General prices ruled:

Asparagus—Local $2.75; Kennewick 12s $1.10 pyramid

Beets—Local 17½-20c doz. bunches.

Carrots—New local 20c, old 15c doz. bunches, lugs 20c.

Turnips—Hothouse 70c doz. bunches; local white 25c, purple top 25c. Lugs 25c.

Rutabagas—No. 1 30c lug, ordinary 25c lug.

Potatoes—Deschutes $1.35-40; Yakima No. 1 $1.35, No. 2 $1 cental. Local No. 1, $1-$1.05 cental, 75c orange box.

Cabbage—Local, new 60-70c pony crate; old $1-$1.10 crate; red 75c per cantaloupe crate.

Radishes—Local spring 12½-15c a dozen bunches.

Onions—Green 12½-15c doz. bunches; dry Ore. No. 1 80-85c, No. 2 50c cental.

Apples—Local jumble pack 80-65c box, face-fill 75-85c.

Spinach—Local 30-35c orange box.

Cauliflower—Calif. $1.10-40 crate

Rhubarb— Outdoor grown 25-30c 15-lb. box; 45-60c 30-lb. box.

PORTLAND FLOUR, SUGAR

Portland, April 13 (AP)—Cane sugar, granulated $4.55; fruit or berry $4.75; beet sugar $4.45 cwt.

Domestic flour—Selling prices, mill delivery 5 to 25 bbl lots: Patent 49s $5.60-$6.75; blended $5.85-$6.30; baker's bluestem $6-$6.10; soft white pastry $5.55-$5.70; whole wheat $5.60; rye $5.80; graham $5.30-50.

PRODUCE EXCHANGE

Portland, April 13 (AP)—The following prices were named to be effective today:

Butter—Cube extras 18c, standards 17c, prime firsts and firsts 17c lb.

Cheese—2 Secore Ore. triplets 19½c, loaf 11½c lb. Brokers pay ½c less.

Eggs—Pacific Poultry Prod. selling prices: Oversize 18c, fresh extras 16c, standards 15c, mediums 13c doz. Cartons 1c higher.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, April 13 (AP)—Wheat, No. 1 hard 87⅝.

Corn: No. 2 mixed 47, yellow 47-47½; No. 3 yellow 47.

Oats, No. 2 white 31¾; No. 3 31¾.

Rye, No. 2, 62¾. Barley 42-60.

Timothy seed $6.50-$09 cwt. Clover seed $11-$12.50 cwt.

Lard, tierces $5.59, loose $5.87. Bellies $8.

PORTLAND WHOLESALE

Portland, April 13 (AP)—These are prices retailers pay wholesalers, except where otherwise stated:

Butter—Extras 20c, standard 19½c.

Butterfat—Portland delivery: Grade A 16-18c lb. Farmer's door delivery 14c lb.

Cheese—Selling price to retailers: Tillamook triplets 18c, loaf 16c lb. Tillamook selling price to wholesalers: Triplets 13c, loaf 14c lb. Coquille triplets to retailers 11½c, loaf 12½c lb. Swiss wheels 23c lb.

Eggs—Buying price of wholesalers: Fresh extras 17c, firsts 14c, mediums 10c, pullets 12c doz. Undergrades 10c.

Milk—Contract price 4% Portland delivery, $1.95 cwt. B grade cream 37½c lb.

Live poultry—Port. delivery, buying prices: Colored fowls, under 5½ lbs 14c, over 5 lbs. 13c. Pullets 2-2½ lbs. 13-14c, Leghorn fowls: Over 3½ lbs. 10-12c, under 3 lbs 11-12c, broilers 1½-2 lbs. 14c, over 2 lbs. 14-16c lb. Stags 9c, roosters 8c lb. Pekin ducks 12c, colored 10c. Geese 10c lb. Selling prices by wholesalers: Light hens 11-12c, heavy hens 13c lb., broilers 1½ lbs. 14c lb. Pekin ducks 17c lb.

Turkeys—Buying prices: Dressed, dry picked young toms 14 lbs. down 17c, hens 8 lbs. up 16c, old toms 13c lb. Selling prices: No. 1 toms 19-20c, ordinary toms and hens 14-16c lb.

FRESH FRUIT

Strawberries—Fresno 12s $1.65-75; 24s $2 crate; Sacramento 24s $2.25.

Oranges—Calif. navels, fancy $2.35-$3.40, choice $1.90-$2.90.

Cranberries—Northwest and eastern $1.25 lbl.

Grapefruit—Imperial valley $2-$2.40 case; Florida $4.50 case.

Limes—Box of 100, $1.15-25.

Lemons—Calif. $5.25-75 case.

Bananas—Bunches 5c, hands 5½c.

FRESH VEGETABLES

Asparagus—Local $2.75 pyramid of 2½ doz. Kennewick $2.10 pyramid.

New Potatoes—Hawaii $1.25-35 21-lb box; Tex. Triumphs $2-$2.25 50 lb.

Peppers—Calif. 25c lb.

Cauliflower—Calif. $1.65 crate.

Cucumbers—Slicing hothouse, local 90c-$1.25 dozen.

Spinach—Local 45-50c.

Onions—Oregon $1-$1.10.

Peas—Calif. 6c lb.

Rhubarb—Field grown 60c per 30-lb box.

Sweet potatoes—Calif. $1.60-75 per crate; yams $1.80-$2 bushel.

Celery—Calif. $4 crate.

Cabbage—Red 4c lb. Local 1¾-2½c. California, Cuban Ball 3c lb.

Lettuce—Salinas $2.60-$3; Sacramento $1.50-$2 crate.

Tomatoes — Hothouse 18-25c lb., Florida-Mex. $3.40-50 lug repacked.

Potatoes — Local white and red $1.10-15 central, Yakima $1.25-35; Deschutes $1.30-35, bakers $1.60.

MEATS AND PROVISIONS

Country meats —Selling prices to retailers: Country killed hogs, best butchers under 50 lbs. 8½-9c lb. Veales 80-100 lbs. 9-9½c lb., light-thin 6-8c lb., heavy calves 5-6c, yearling lambs 10-14c, spring lambs 16-18c lb. Ewes 3-5c. Canner cows 3-4c lb. Cutter cows 5-6c lb. Bulls 5½-6c lb.

Leaf lard—Tierce basis 8¾c lb.

Bacon—Fancy 22-23c lb.

Hams, Fcy. 18½c, picnics 12½c lb.

HOPS, WOOL

Hops—1933 clusters 24-28c lb.

Wool—1934 clip nominal; Willamette valley 25-28c lb.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

Portland, April 13 (AP)— Cattle 75, calves 75, 25-50c lower for vealers and calves.

Steers, good, common, and medium $3.65-$6.25. Heifers, common, medium $3.25-$5.25. Cows, good, common and medium $3-$4.60, low cutter and cutter $1.50-$3. Bulls, cutter, common and choice $3.50-$7, calf, common, medium $2.50-$5.50. Calves, good and choice $4.50-$5.50, common-medium $2-$4.50.

Hogs 500; 10c lower.

Lightweight, good and choice $3.50-$4.15; med. weight, good-choice $3.75-$4.15; heavyweight, good-choice $3.50-$3.85; packing sows, good $2.60-$3.35; feeder and stocker pigs, good-choice $3.25-50.

Sheep 100. Weak.

Spring lambs, good to choice $8.50-$9.25, medium $7-$8.50. Lambs, good-choice $7.75-$8.75, common-medium $5.75-$8; yearling wethers $5-$7. Ewes good-choice $3.50-$4.50, common and medium $2-$3.75.

EXPORT WHEAT

Portland, April 13 (AP)—Emergency export corporation's bid for soft white wheat for foreign shipment 74½c bu.

PORTLAND GRAIN

Portland, April 13 (AP)—Wheat futures:

	open	high	low	close
May	71	71	70½	70½
July	71½	71½	71½	71½
Sept.	71	71	71	71

Cash: Big Bend Bluestem 72½, dark hard winter, 12% 77, 11% 73; soft white, western white, hard winter, northern spring, western red 70½.

Oats: No. 2 white 419. Corn, No. 2 yellow $22.75. Millrun standard $13.50.

Car receipts: Wheat 60, flour 15; barley 1, hay 1.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago, April 13 (AP)— (U. S. D. A.) Hogs 14,000, active, 5-10c higher. 170 to 240 lbs. $4.10-20 top. Sows $3.15-40.

Cattle 1500; fairly active, steady to strong, heavy steers and all cows a shade higher in instances; year fed but not strictly choice 1536-lb. steers $7.60 to shippers; best yearlings $7.25. Lower grade steers and yearlings $5.50 to $6.50; heifers scarce, best $6.50. Fat cows $3-$3.75, top sausage bulls $3.25. Vealers $6-$6.50; stockers and feeders firm.

Sheep 15,000; fat lambs in fairly active demand; good to choice wooled offerings held $9.50 upward with scattered early bids under $9.25 refused; aged sheep steady, good wooled ewes $5 down, clipped $3-$3.50.

BOSTON WOOL

Boston, April 13 (AP) — Very few sales are being closed in the Boston wool market. Prices are somewhat irregular because of concessions from asking prices that are obtainable in some houses. The bulk of current small sales are of the finer territory wools. Average French combing 64s and finer territory wools bring 81-83c scoured basis. Odd lots are offered at 80c. Short French combing and inferior average French combing staple 64s and finer territory wools in original bags 78-80c lb. scoured basis.

SAN FRANCISCO BUTTERFAT

San Francisco, April 13 (AP)—Butterfat, f.o.b. San Francisco 19c lb.

SAN FRANCISCO DAIRY

San Francisco, April 13 (AP)—Butter, 92 score 19c, 91 score 18½c, 90 score 18c lb.

Eggs—Large 15½c, med. 13½, small 11½c dozen.

Cheese—Fcy. flats, triplets 11c lb.

NEW YORK HOPS

New York, Apr. 13 (AP)—Hops steady. Pacific coast 1933 prime to choice 36-38c, medium to prime 35-36c lb. 1932 prime to choice 32-33c, medium-prime 30-31c lb.

SLUMP NOTED IN PINE BUSINESS

Portland, Ore., April 13 (AP)—New business totaling 43,476,000 feet or about 3 percent under the three-year weekly average for April and about 14 per cent under the week before, was reported today by the Western Pine association for week ended April 7th, based on the reports of 137 down and operating mills. Shipments for the week were 42,307,000 feet and production 39,730,000 feet. For the same mills production decreased 415,000 feet.

On the basis of identical mill information from 130 mills, current orders for this week were 43,126,000 feet, as compared to 34,255,000 feet for the corresponding week a year ago

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ARGENTINA NOT IN AGREEMENT ON GRAIN PRICE

Rome, April 13 (AP)—Delegates from the huge wheat growing country of Argentina opposed today the minimum export price plan being debated by the international wheat commission.

Before the conference is a program recommended by a subcommittee to boost the value of wheat through a minimum export price plan but its details have not been revealed.

The Argentine delegates objected strenuously to the plan, it was understood, and were still objecting when the meeting ended.

They opposed it on the grounds that it would help export theoretically but said evasions on the part of exporting countries would shatter the plan, even if governments adhered religiously to the scheme, the South Americans argued, private exporters would not and governments would find it difficult to stop them.

A system of international control would be necessitated, they continued, which would be extremely expensive.

Arguments of other delegates to the contrary left the Argentines unconvinced. It was understood delegates from other nations would try to see them private this afternoon in an attempt to induce them to join the majority.

No meeting of the main commission was held this afternoon. Delegates spent this time studying the sub-committee's nine page report.

The commission will devote all day tomorrow to the question and hoped to issue a comprehensive communique tomorrow night.

LATE RALLIES IN GRAIN MART

Chicago, April 13 (AP)—Prompt rallies took place in all the grain markets late today following announcement congress was expected to adjourn May 15 without further commodity exchange restrictions.

Helping the late recovery of grain values were forecasts of silver legislation. A further stimulus was word from the senate had approved reducing the tax on speculative trade in commodities from 5 cents as at present to 1 cent per $100 valuation.

Wheat closed firm, at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅝ higher, May 85¼-¼, corn unchanged to ¼ up, oats ¼-⅝ off, and provisions unchanged to a decline of 2 cents.

Fresh downturns of grain prices early today accompanied continued active liquidation of many contracts. Nervousness over Washington legislative developments had an evident bearish effect. Opening ¼-⅝ lower, May 84½-¾, wheat afterward showed an additional sag. Corn started ¼ to 1 cent down, and subsequently held near the initial range.

NATIONAL LUMBER TRADE SHOWS DROP

Washington, April 13 (AP) — The National Lumber Manufacturers association reported today that new business reported by 1,505 lumber mills for the week ending April 7 was less than any of the preceding six weeks and but 2 per cent above the average for the first quarter of 1934.

Orders for the week totaled 185,259,000 feet while for the preceding week they were 216,233,000 feet production dropped to 194,029,000 feet compared with 203,667,000 feet for the previous six day period while shipments dropped to 185,001,000 feet compared with 216,233,000 feet.

Seattle, April 13 (AP)—A total of 579 mills in Oregon nad Washington, which reported to the West Coast Lumbermen's association for the week ending April 7, produced 93,713,978 board feet of lumber. This was approximately 2,550,000 feet less than the preceding week. The average production of this group of sawmills in 1934 has been 85,485,253 feet. During the same period in 1933 their weekly average was 56,759,797 feet.

New business reported last week by 572 mills was 86,256,922 board feet against a production of 93,637,396 feet and shipments of 87,307,298 feet.

Shipments were under production by 6.8 per cent and current sales were under production by 7.9 per cent. Orders booked last week by this group of identical mills were under the preceding week by about 9,000,000 feet or 9.4 per cent.

WHEAT SIGN-UP TO END APRIL 15

The last chance for wheat growers to obtain contracts under the reopening of the allotment benefit plan is April 15, the date set nationally by the wheat section of the AAA. No formal campaign for additional signers has been conducted but the offer has been open now for more than a month for those who failed to come in under the plan during the first campaign.

Oregon extension service officials have recently been notified from Washington that wheat contract holders will be able to speed up their second payment by having available all information needed in filling out "proof of compliance" blanks soon to be required by the wheat section.

Ten specific facts to be required include a record of 1933 wheat seeded and wheat harvested, 1934 acres seeded and acres abandoned, acres destroyed to comply with contract, if any; reason, if necessary, for seeing less than 54 per cent of base acreage; serial numbers of other contracts if farm was entered as joint compliance, acres of wheat on other land not under contract, serial numbers of other forms under wheat contract, use of contracted acres, use of commercial fertilizer, and amount of wheat processed for home use.

An important ruling as to cropping privileges under the corn-hog contracts was received by the State college extension service just one day after the close of the sign-up campaign in this state. This ruling permits contract signers to plant oats for green feed or hay without its being counted in as feed grains, as was required under the first ruling. Such oats must be cut well in advance of ripening and will be counted in as total crop acreage, the ruling stated.

Cattle, barley, rye and flax are Oregon crops added to the basic commodity list in the farm act and hence come under the restriction against increase of acreage or basic commodities or numbers of basic livestock by corn-hog contract signers. Any increase made before the date these were added is exempted.

The corn-hog state board of review for Oregon is now organized and has started considering the contracts submitted by the various counties.

SMALL GAINS MADE TODAY IN STOCK SHARES

New York, April 13 (AP)—Today's stock market was a duplicate of the two previous sessions. Leading issues hovered around the previous close while some preferred stocks and special issues made substantial gains.

Trading was under a million shares for the first four hours. Speculative buying was almost nil because of stock regulation uncertainty and vigilance of the exchange to prevent any manipulation that might bring vindictive action from the congress.

United States government issues provided a feature on a quieter bond market, nearly all of them making new 1934 highs. The main bond list was irregular. Grains made slight gains while cotton eased slightly. Rubber rallied and was near the highs for the season. Silver also firmed after a decline. The dollar moved up against other currencies, notably against the pound and the Italian lira.

Business news included the weekly trade review of Dun and Bradstreet, and the car loadings report. The former was highly favorable, noting aggressive retail buying, while the loadings total showed more than seasonal decline from the preceding week because of a sharp downturn in coal loadings.

Among preferred shares to register wide gains on the stock exchange were American Sugar, Armour of Illinois, Curtis Publishing, Fairbanks company issues, and Radio B. These stocks were up 1 to more than 4 points. They retained much of the gains.

BRIDEGROOM DIES IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Redding, Calif., April 13 (AP)—James G. Moffatt, 34, was killed and his bride of six hours, Bertha, 20, and two other persons were seriously injured in an automobile accident 30 miles north of here last night.

The others injured were Mrs. Moffatt's brother, Albert H. Oliphant, 32, and Mrs. May Blazer, 19. Mrs. Blazer's 14 month old son escaped without injury.

Traffic officers said the automobile, driven by Mrs. Blazer, who resides at Dunsmuir, skidded in loose gravel while coming off the Pollock bridge across the Sacramento river on the Pacific highway and struck a tree.

Moffatt and his bride and her brother were returning to their home at Anderson from Medford, Ore., where the couple were married. Mrs. Moffatt received a fractured knee and her brother and Mrs. Blazer were seriously cut and bruised.

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ROYAL ANNES MAY BE SHORT

Frank Brown of this city who inspected a number of orchards in the Dallas district yesterday reports that the Royal Anne cherry crop looks as though it would be less than last year. There was a good crop last year in that district.

Prunes, however, he said show a fair to good crop in the hills but only about a fourth of a crop in the lowlands. Last year prunes turned out almost a total failure in most of the Dallas district. Now and then this year there is an orchard showing an indication of a good crop.

The fact that the highlands are showing prunes and the lowlands are harder hit, says Brown, make growers believe the damage was done on the night when the frost was severe enough to freeze water. The freeze did not affect the highlands that night so much, he says, and from this it is argued the damage was done then. In the Dallas districts the orchards are about evenly divided in acreage between the highlands and the low ground.

County Inspector Van Trump yesterday was out through the Hazel Green, Labish and other north sections and reports very few prunes have set in those districts. He says it is the exception to find an orchard that looks good.

BURIED GOLD CACHE FOUND

Sydney, Australia, April 13 (AP)—Tales of the discovery of buried Peruvian treasures valued at $50,000,000 sprang up today coincident with the return of an Anglo-French schooner expedition to the Tuamotu Archipelago in the south Pacific.

The leader of the expedition denied gold had been found, but said the party had located the submerged island sought. On this island, according to a pirate's map now in safekeeping in a Tahiti bank, is a gold trove buried many years ago.

The leaders of the expedition are planning to return to the site in June ,1935.

It was reported from Pepeete, Tahiti, Wednesday, that the expedition had located an enormous cache of pirate gold on a lonely South Seas island and that the French government had ordered a guard posted and had taken steps to claim half of any treasure found.

The dispatch said the leader of the expedition asserted the reputed treasure comprised 25 tons of gold ingots dating back to the time of the Incas in Peru.

Victor Point—Mr. Tompsen, who owns the Roy Jones place, is living here at present and plans to remain for about two months. Although he has owned this farm for some time he has not lived here before.

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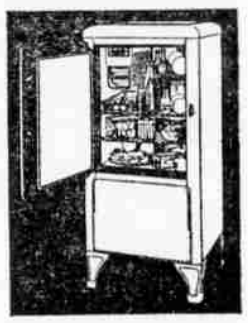
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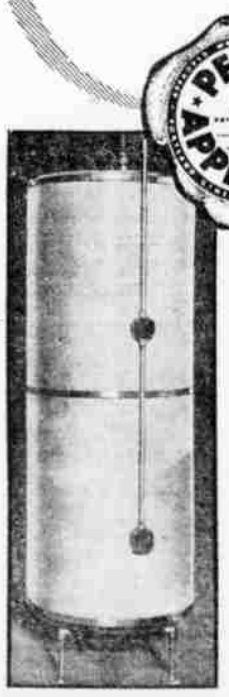

(Above)—Pepco Seal of Approval goes on each new type engineered hot-water installation. It is your guarantee of adequate hot-water service.
(At right)—An example of typical water heater. This shows modern A. & F. Electric Water Heater. Installed price as low as $72.50, including full automatic controls. Easy terms.
"I WOULDN'T go back to our old method of heating water for anything in the world," says Mrs. Charles V. Mode, who some months ago installed a Pepco Approved Hot Water Service. "In the first place, with the new service, we have hot water on tap every minute of the day and night and that's very important to us. In the second place this wonderful new service actually costs us less than the old unhandy method."
And Mrs. Mode has good reason to be enthusiastic about such perfect hot-water service because in her household there is plenty of need for hot water. She washes twice each week and there are at least 14 baths to be taken during every week. Then there are always dishes to wash and dozens of other uses for hot water. Yet, despite these exceptionally heavy demands, Mrs. Mode tells us that they never run out of hot water and that the system does not require a bit of attention.
FREE SURVEY SERVICE—Ask for free survey of your hot-water needs, including an estimate and terms on Pepco Approved Hot-Water Service for your home. No cost or obligation—just ask.

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