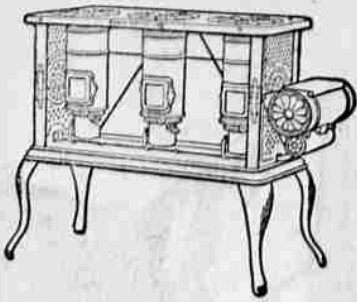


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WEEKLY REPORT OF EUGENE MARKET

Chittim bark—4 1-2@5c
Wool—18c.
Poultry, Eggs, etc.
Eggs—Per dozen, 15c.
Dairy Butter—Per roll—50@45.
Creamery Butter—Per roll, 60@
Hens—Per lb., 10c.
Frys—Per lb., 10c.
Geese—Per lb., 7c.
Ducks—Per lb., 8c.
Turkeys—Per lb., 12 1/2c.
Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.
Potatoes—50c per cwt.
Onions—Per cwt, \$5.00.
Lemons—Per case, \$4.25.
Oranges—\$3.25.
Livestock Market.
Steers—Per lb. @ 3 1-2c.
Good cows 3@ 3 1-2.
Mutton on foot—4 1-2 @ 5.
Fat hogs on foot—5 1-2@6.
Fat hogs on foot—5 1-2@5 3-4.
Grain and Feed.
Flour—\$4.40.
Oat Hay, \$13.
Timothy hay—Per ton—\$15.
New oats—Per bu., 45c.
Bran—Per ton, \$28.
Mixed feed—Per ton \$30.
Shorts, per ton—\$32.
New Wheat—Per bu., 85c.
Rolled Barley—Per ton, \$28.
Chopped feed—Per ton, \$30.
Cracked Corn—\$36-40.

PORTLAND MARKET REPORT.

Portland, May 14.—"Proof of the fact that hardships sometimes work benefit is to be found in any part of Oregon just now," said a local produce dealer, who has been in the country the better part of the past two weeks.

"It has often been remarked that in growth and development Portland was away ahead of the rest of the state; that while the city has risen to important rank the country has remained undeveloped, scratched in patches, so to speak; its agricultural sources given but scant attention.

"High wage rates in other lines of industry and an aversion to farm work on the part of labor have been almost wholly responsible for the fact that for years past it has been difficult and in many cases impossible for the farmers of the state to properly plant, cultivate and harvest their crops. The graingrowers and owners of hay ranches in the eastern part of the state can testify to this, and the situation has been exactly the same with the fruit and farm interests generally in the valley. Now things are different.

"In all parts of the state there is what might be termed an awakening

of interest in the soil, and this development can be traced directly to the late financial crash that was responsible for so much actual and imagined hardship a few months back. Wages have been cut to some extent and opportunities for work in mills and camps have been largely curtailed. While wage reduction would always seem to be regrettable, the fact is that a result of the late money squeeze thousands of men who heretofore shunned farm work have turned to the farms, and with the change that has come it might be said that a new era in Oregon development has set in.

"Farm labor, which has been scarce for years, is now fairly plentiful. Farmers say they can now get the help they need for \$30 a month and board, and they are taking advantage of the situation that has come about.

"Barring unfavorable weather conditions, which are not to be expected, there will be larger farm crops generally in this state this year than ever before. And this is not all. In all sections of the western half of the state fields have been extended by the clearing away of underbrush and timber, so the crop-producing area is being enlarged. The acreage of practically all farm crops will be larger than ever before this year, and the promise is for bigger production.

"This will not necessarily mean overproduction, except in a few cases like hops. It simply means that Oregon is destined in a few years to produce the bulk, instead of a fraction of the crops the people of the state need.

"A fact to be kept in mind in this connection is that the stockraising industry is coming to be recognized as an important one in this state. From this time on, more hogs, cattle, and sheep will be grown and fattened for the Portland market than ever before, but it will be years before Oregon will be able to raise livestock sufficient for the demands of this market. With agriculture taking on new life and the stockraising industry coming to the front there is prospect for development in Oregon."

Poultry Market Is Quiet.

While there is no real pressure in the poultry market at this time, stocks are not cleaning up quite as readily along the street as could be wished. There is an increasing supply of broilers and frys, but to date all supplies have been absorbed at the quotations printed in these columns.

Dressed meats were in light supply during the 24 hours, but the market was not overstrong and prices showed up no change for the day.

California Red Onions Arrive.

The expected shipment of new California onions arrived on the steamer State of California and was unloaded this morning. Supplies were

not in extra good shape, but found a fair demand at \$3.50@3.75 per 100 pounds. Bermuda onions are still in liberal demand, with former prices maintained.

The California steamer brought in quite liberal supplies of carrots, beets and other sacked vegetables, supplies of which have been quite short in this market of late.

Because of the quite liberal offerings, prices are down in the cherry market. Both white and black stock now shown.

Shipments of new California potatoes in this direction are increasing, with lower prices ruling for today. Shipments of old Oregon to the south likewise increasing with prices maintained.

Brief Notes of the Trade.

According to the local handlers, farmers are not quite so willing to sell their old prunes since the recent reports of damage to the coming crop was printed.

Strawberries are selling at all sorts of prices in the local market today. "Dollars" are ranging from \$1.25 to \$1.60 per crate of 15 boxes, while California Jessies are from \$1 to \$1.25 for fancy stock. Poor stock sells too low to quote. Oregon berries holding.

Cucumbers from local hothouses are in large supply, and the price is down 25c. Range from \$1 to \$1.50 per dozen.

A shipment of bananas from Central America arrived in rather green this morning. Good condition, however. Demand is very good.

Orange market is still advancing for navels, with supplies very light. Another advance of about 10c per 100 pounds is shown in the price of beans today. Small whites and large ones are now quoted stiff at \$4.75.

Spot stocks very light, with further increase in eastern demand. While the receipts of eggs at this time are not heavy, they are fully able to supply the demand at 18@ 18 1/2c, and anyone can today purchase supplies along Front Street at these figures. During the past 24 hours large supplies of eggs have been offered the boosting dealers at 18c a dozen, but they would not accept them.

Portland Livestock Market.

Cattle and hogs continue in strong demand and reports to commission men from all parts of the state are that available supplies are short of requirements. The sheep market shows a disposition to yield. The demand is still fair, but hardly sufficient to take up the current receipts, which for some weeks back have been heavy.

There is good demand for lambs, but as yet not many have been received at the yards. For calves today the demand was quieter than for some days past.

Quotations ruling in the livestock market today are:
Hogs—Best, \$6.25@6.35; med-

lum, \$5.75@6.00; feeders \$5.25@5.50.
Cattle—Best steers, \$5.00; medium, \$4.50@5.75; common, \$3.50@3.75; calves, \$4.50@5.50.

Sheep—Best sheared wethers, \$4.75@5.00; mixed, \$4.50@4.75; Spring lambs, \$6@6.25.

Portland Quotations.

Creamery Butter 20c.
Eggs—18 1-2c.
Chickens—13 1-2c@14c.
Wheat—Valley 89c; club 89c.
Barley—Per ton—\$27@28.
Oats—Per ton—\$26@27.
Hay—Timothy, \$17; cheat, \$15.
Grain hay—\$15@16.
Mohair—Choice, 17c@18.
Wool—Valley, 11c.
Hops—Prime, 4@5c.
Potatoes—45c per cwt.
Onions—\$3.00.
Cascara (chittim bark)—3c @ 3 1-2c per pound.

ELMIRA ITEMS

(Special Correspondence.)

Elmira, May 12.—Harry Bown for sheriff. This is his old home and there never was a young man grew up in our community that the people have more respect for than for Harry. He will be sure to get every vote in his home precinct.

The meetings at the Christian church still continue. Many souls have been led to Christ and much good done.

The meetings at the Baptist church began last Sunday. Jimmie Howard as evangelist. Mr. Howard is an old resident of Elmira, and it seems good to see him back again.

Mrs. George Dickinson is on the sick list.

The new hotel is all completed and is expected to be in running order by the last of the week.

Miss Inez Children, of Irving, was in our midst Sunday.

The little son of Bert Inman, who fell and broke his arm, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Williams, who has been quite sick, is on the improve, and also Mr. Day, of Iveson, is better.

Mrs. Kidwell, mother and sister, of Brownsville, have been visiting here the past week.

Mrs. Florence Quinn went to Eugene Friday night on the stage, returning Monday morning.

Charles Gibson made a flying trip back to Elmira from McMinnville.

Mrs. Sarah Zumwalt met with a very painful accident on Tuesday.

The magic lantern picture machine at the Christian church has been very good, and all appreciate Mr. Jackson's work, as he is trying to serve the Master in every way he knows how.

I wonder what brings Mr. Ricket from the Fern Ridge so often? Must be some attraction.

Reed Lamb has been staying over at Reed Zumwalt's doing chores



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while Mr. Zumwalt has been in getting doctored.

Mrs. Anna Bown and children came out and visited at her brother's, B. P. Inman's, Friday and Saturday.

Elmira is talking of celebrating this year.

The I. O. O. F. lodge is trying to organize in town.

Insist upon DeWitt's Wilder Salve. It is especially good for Sold by all druggists.

Blair Street Addition

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