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WEEKLY REPORT OF EUGENE MARKET

Mohair—17c.
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Poultry, Eggs, Etc.
Eggs—Per dozen, 40c.
Creamery Butter—Per roll, 75c.
Fry—Per lb., 9c.
Hens—Per lb., 9c.
Dairy Butter—Per roll, 60c.
Geese—Per lb., 8c.
Ducks—Per lb., 11c.
Turkeys—18@20c.
Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.
Potatoes—New, 60c per cwt.
Onions—Per cwt., 1.75.
Lemons—Per case, 44.00.
Oranges—43.50.
Livestock Market
Good cows—2@2 1-4c.
Steers—Per lb., 2 1-2c@3c.
Good prime dressed veal—5@6c.
Mutton on foot—2 1/2@3 1/4c.
Good fat hogs on foot—5 1/2c.
Fat hogs, dressed—6 1-2c.
Prime hogs—7c.
Grain and Feed
Flour—44.40.
Baled hay—12@13.
Timothy hay—Per ton, 110.
Oats—Per bu., 45@50c.
Brans—Per ton, 25.50.
Mixed feed—Per ton, 30.
Shorts—Per ton, 34.
Wheat—Per bu., 55@90c.
Rolled barley—Per ton, 33.50.
Chopped feed—Per ton, 330.
Cracked corn—42.40 per 100.

PORTLAND MARKET REPORT

Hide Market Quiet.
In hides, as in most other lines, the market is quiet at this time of year, and local dealers say the present dullness is likely to extend into January. The leather trade in a large way governs the hide market, and the manufacturers generally at this season are closing the business of the year and preparing for that of the year to come. Locally the quotations of the past month still rule and the market on the whole is in fair condition, but the season when grubby hides will be much in evidence is now not far away, and as a consequence there may be some weakening of values in the near future. Everything considered, hides of all sorts are bringing good prices in this market. Values are now much higher than six months ago, and dealers say they compare well with the quotations of years back.
The local market is destined to assume considerably more importance in the near future, when the big packing plant of the Union Meat Company on the Peninsula is in operation. The expansion in the meat packing business will naturally mean a decided extension in the hide traffic, and is probably only a matter of time when tannery establishments will be in operation in this city.

Vegetable Prices Are Lifted.
Latest arrivals in truck from the south included a car of celery and a steamer consignment of peas, beans, sprouts, artichokes, etc. The celery brought in was of good quality for the most part, and the price was quoted at \$4.50 a crate. Prices on all other green stuff were raised, beans being held at 20 cents a pound, peas at 15, sprouts at 20 cents and artichokes at \$1.40 a dozen. Supplies from the south are steadily growing smaller, and the market stronger, and recent frosts in some of the producing districts have had a stiffening effect on the market.
Onions Being Inquired For.
There has been quite an improvement

In the sentiment of the California trade regarding onions, and prices in the south are showing a material advance. Supplies of California onions are getting rather low, and it is now stated that a large per cent of the remaining holdings are not of the best quality. For that reason the California trade is looking toward Oregon for supplies and several sales of car lots have been reported here during the past 24 hours on a basis of \$1 per hundred pounds, Portland.

Buying Potatoes for South
Not only is the south looking after our onions, but there has been a disposition among the trade of California during the past day or so to take on a few cars of our potatoes around 75 and 85c per hundred pounds. There has, however, been little disposition among the local producers to yet go and most of them have their supplies pitted and are holding out for 90c. While the local market is firm, trade is not very extensive. Prices remain as previously listed.

Dressed Veal Is High
The market for dressed veal is very high, with supplies scarce and buyers anxious to secure their requirements. The general price for dressed veal along the street today is 10c a pound, although one dealer is reported to have asked 10 1/2c and another is said to have sold at 9 1/2c. The middle figure is therefore the most accurate.
Dressed hogs of good quality are rather short of the supply just now and prices are firmer.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET

Portland Union Stockyards, Dec. 23.
There is rather a quiet tone in the livestock market of the local yards in general, and local values are unchanged. While there was a disposition among buyers to depress the hog market of late, arrivals have been so far short of the demand that it is quite likely for a while that values here will rule steady but practically everything depends on the attitude of the Eastern markets. Quotations here during the past few days have been quite steady.
Sheep Market Is Firmer
For good sheep there is quite a firm tone ruling today in the local yards. Arrivals are again small, and practically all the recent run was for one or two packers. Therefore the general trade is still very short of sheep supplies and for the best quality sometimes bids a fractional increase in the price.
The cattle market is firm for the various grades, but arrivals today were light. Of late the shipments have been of but ordinary quality, and this accounts for the absence of sales at former top figures. The best stuff now coming forward in the steer department will not bring more than \$1.50 at the yards, and for the best quality sometimes bids a fractional increase in the price.

Hogs—Best east of mountains, \$6.10; \$5.15; best heavy, \$5.10; blockers and chittim fat, \$5.00; hogs, stockers and feeders, \$5.00@5.50.
Cattle—Best steers, weighing 1200 pounds, \$15.00; medium steers, \$4.25; poor steers, \$2.75; best cows, \$3.50; medium cows, \$2.75@3.25; stags, \$2.75@3.00; bulls, \$2.00@2.25.
Sheep—Best wethers, \$4.50@4.75; ordinary wethers, \$4.25@4.50; mixed lots, \$3.50.
Veal—Choice yearling calves, \$4.00@4.50; heavy rough, \$2.50@2.75.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.
Wheat—Track prices—Bluestem, 77c; club, 81c; five, 81c; red Russian, 88c; 40-fold, 93c; Valley, 91c.
Flour—Patents, \$5 per bbl., straight, \$4.05; exports, \$3.70; Valley, \$4.65; sack graham, \$4.40; whole wheat, \$4.65; rye, \$5.50.
Oats—Producers' prices—No. 1 white, \$31@32 per ton.
Millstuffs—Bran, city, \$26.50 per ton; country, \$25.50; middlings, \$23; shorts, country, \$28@29; city, \$30; chop, \$20@25; rolled barley, \$28@29.
Hay—Timothy, Willamette valley, \$14 per ton; Eastern Oregon timothy, \$16.50 @17; clover, \$12; alfalfa, \$12@13; grain hay, \$12@13.
Vegetables and Fruit
Fresh fruits—Apples, 75c@82.75 per box; pears, \$1@1.75 per box; grapes, 55c@1.50 per box; cranberries, \$14@15 per barrel; Spanish Malaga grapes, \$7.50@8 per barrel; persimmons, \$1@1.25.
Potatoes—Buying price, 80@90c per hundred; sweet potatoes, 2@2 1/2 lb. lb.
Tropical Fruits—Oranges, navel, \$2 @3 per box; Japanese, 65c per box; lemons, fancy, \$4.50@5 per box; choice, \$3.50@4; standard, \$2.75 per box; grapefruit, \$4.50@5 per box; bananas, 5@5 1/2c per pound; pomogranates, \$1.50@2 per box; pineapples, \$3@3.75 per dozen; tangerines, \$1.75 per box.
Root Vegetables—Turnips, \$1.25 per sack; carrots, \$1; parsnips, \$1.25; beets, \$1.50; horseradish, 8@10c pound.
Dairy and Country Produce
Butter—City creamery, extra, 36@37c; fancy outside creamery, 32 1/2@35c per pound; store, 18@20c.
Eggs—Oregon ranch, 40@41c; Eastern, 20@25c dozen.
Poultry—Hens, 11c per pound; spring, large, 10 1/2@11c; small, 13@13 1/2c; mixed, 10 1/2c; ducks, 16@17c; geese, 11c; turkeys, 17@18 1/2c; dressed turkeys, 20 @25c.
Cheese—Fancy cream twins, 15 1/2 @16c; full cream triplets, 15@16c; full cream Young America, 15 1/2 @17c.
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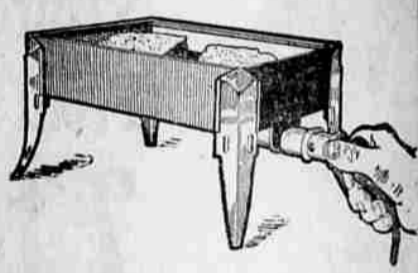
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