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STOCK MEN SHOULD KEEP TAB ON MARKET

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 31.—The receipts at the Portland Union stock yards last week were 2918 cattle, 84 calves, 3661 sheep and 377 hogs. Owing to the unexpected showing up of plentiful supply of cattle, together with the effects of the eastern agitation, prices of cattle are lower than was expected this week. Best steers which were expected to bring 5.50 at this time are weak at 5.25, with indications of a further decline. While there are naturally more or less uneasiness here in Portland concerning the agitation, the feeling among all concerned is that it will have less effect here than any where in the United States.

There has been a good supply of sheep on the market this last week and they have been taken readily at \$5.50 to \$5.75.

The hog market has been very materially affected, 8.50 being paid for some very good hogs. This is a full half cent reduction over the last week's average. There was a feeling last week that hogs were too high, taking into consideration eastern prices, and that the decline is more or less a natural one, although there has been few hogs on the market this week.

Following are quotations on all classes of live stock:

Best steers 5.00 to 5.25; fair to good 4.50 to 4.75; strictly good cows 3.75 to 4; fair to good, 3.00 to 3.50; bulls 2.50 to 3.75; sheep, best wethers 5.50 to 5.75; fair to good 5.00 to 5.25; good ewes 4.75 to 5.00; lambs 6.00 to 6.50; top hogs 8.75; fair to good 8.25 to 8.40.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Hops, Wool and Hides.
HOPS—1908 crop, choice 15c; prime to choice, 16c; prime, 15 1/2c; medium, 15c; 1909, choice, 21c; prime, 20c; medium, 16 1/2c.
WOOL—Nominal, 1909, Willamette valley, 20@21c; eastern Oregon, 20@22c.
SHEEPSKINS—Shearing, 10@25c each; short wool, 25@50c; medium wool, 50c@1.1c each; long wool, 75c@1.25 each.
TALLOW—Prime, per lb. 3@4c; No. 2 and grease, 2@2 1/2c.
CHITTIM BARK—Nominal, 4@4 1/2c.
MOHAIR—1909, 23@24c lb.
HIDES—Dry hides, 17@18 1/2c lb; green, 9 1/2@10 1/2c; bulls, green salt, 7c lb; kips, 10@10 1/2c; calves, green, 16@18c per lb.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.
EGGS—Local, candied, select, 32c; local storage, 27c; eastern storage, 18@22c.
BUTTER FAT—Delivery f. o. b. Portland—sweet cream, 37 1/2c; sour, 35 1/2c.
BUTTER—Extra creamery, 39c; fancy, 37c; store, 25c.
CHEESE—Fancy full cream 18 1-2@19c; triplets and daisies, 18 1-2c; Young Americans, 19 1-2c.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 17c; fancy hens, 17@17 1-2c; roosters, old, 13 1-2c; geese, 14c for live, 16c@18c for dressed; ducks, 22 1-2c; turkeys, alive 21@22c, dressed 27@29c; pigeons, squabs, \$2.50 dozen, dressed chicken, 16c per pound higher than alive.

Grain, Flour and Hay.
BARLEY—Producers' price—1909—Feed, \$31.50; rolled, \$33; brewing, \$32.00.
WHEAT—Track, club, \$1.06@1.07; blue stem, \$1.20@1.21; red, \$1.08; forty fold, \$1.11@1.13; Willamette valley, \$1.01.
MILLSTUFFS—Selling price—bran, \$29; middlings, \$37; shorts, \$26@27.50; chop, \$22@23; alfalfa meal, \$21 per ton.
FLOUR—New crop, patents, \$6.15; straight, \$5; bakers', \$5.95@6.15; Willamette valley, \$5.70 bbl.; export grades, \$4.50; graham, 1-4s, \$5.70; whole wheat, \$5.75; rye, \$5.75; oats, \$3.75.

HAY—Producers' price—New timothy, Willamette valley, fancy, \$20; ordinary, \$19; eastern Oregon, \$20@21; mixed, \$15; clover No. 1, \$15.50@16; wheat, \$16@17; cheat, \$16@17; alfalfa, \$17.
OATS—Spot delivery, new, producers' price—Track—No. 1 white, \$32.50; gray, \$31.50.

Fruits and Vegetables.
FRESH FRUITS—Oranges: New navel, \$2.25@2.75; Valencia, \$3.65@3.75 box; bananas, 5@5 1/2c lb; lemons, \$5.50@6.00 box; grapefruit, \$4; pears, \$1.25; grapes, \$1.75.
POTATOES—Selling, new, \$1.10@1.25; buying, eastern Multnomah and Clackamas, 80c; Willamette valley, 79@75c.

VEGETABLES

New turnips, Oregon, \$1.50 sack; beets, \$1.50; carrots, \$1.25; sack; cabbage, local, \$2@2.50; beans, 12c per lb; cauliflower \$1.50; per dozen; peas, 12c lb; horseradish, 10c; green onions, 10c dozen; peppers, bell, — lb; head lettuce, 20c doz; hot-house, \$1.25 box; radishes — doz bunches; celery, \$3.75 crate; egg plant, 15c lb; sweet potatoes, 25c; sprouts, 8@9c; cummers, \$2.50 dozen.
ONIONS—Jobbing, \$1.50 per cwt; garlic, 10@12c per lb.
APPLES—\$1.25@3.50.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—Cane, \$6.25; powdered, \$6.10; fruit or berry, \$6.95; dry granulated, \$5.60; conf. A, \$5.85; extra B, \$5.35; golden G, \$5.45; D yellow, \$5.55; best, \$5.85; barrels, 15c.
SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s \$9.50 per ton; 50s, \$10; table dairy, 50s, \$17; 100s, \$16.50; bales, \$2.25; extra fine barrels, 2s, 5s and 10s, \$4.50@5.50; lump rock, \$20.50 per ton.
RICE—Imperial Japan No. 1, 5 1/2c; No. 2, 5c; New Orleans Head, 6 3-4@7c; Creole, 5 1/2c.
HONEY—New, 13 1/2c per lb.
BEANS—Small white, \$5.50; large white, \$4.50; pink, \$4.25; bayou, \$5.75; Lima, \$5.00; reds, \$8.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

DRESSED MEATS—Front street hogs, fancy, 11c; ordinary, 10 1-2c; veals, extra, 12 1-2c; ordinary, 12c; extra heavy, 300 lbs, 12 1-2c.
HAMB, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) ham, 17 1/2c; breakfast bacon, 18 1/2@26c; boiled ham, 25@26c; picnic, 14c; cottage roll, 15c; regular short clears, smoked, 16 1/2c; backs, smoked, 15 1/2c; pickled tongues, 60c each.
LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 18 1/2c per lb; 5s, 18 5-8c per lb; 50 lb tin, 18c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 17 1-2c per lb; 5s, 17 5-8c per lb; compound, 10s, 11 3-4c per lb.
CLAMS—Hardshell per box, \$2.50; razor clams, \$2.00 per box.

FISH

Nominal—Rock cod, 10c; flounders, 6c; halibut, 8@10c; striped bass, 15c; catfish, 10c; salmon, steelhead, 10c; silvers, 8c lb; fall salmon, 8c lb; soles, 7c lb; shrimps, 12 1/2c lb; perch, 7c lb; tom cod, 5c per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb; fresh mackerel, (—) per lb; crawfish, (—) per doz; sturgeon, 12 1/2c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; Columbia smelts, 10c per lb; silver smelts, 7c per lb; black cod, 7 1/2c per lb; crabs, \$1.25@1.75 per dozen.

OYSTERS

Snowwater bay, per gallon, \$2.25; per 100 lb sack, \$5; Olympia, per gallon, \$2.75; per 100 lb sack, \$7@7.50; canned eastern, 55c can, \$6.50 doz; eastern in shell, \$1.45 per 100.

CATTLE

Best steers, weighing 1200 pounds, \$5, medium steers, \$4.90, best cows, \$4; fancy heifers, \$4; medium cows, \$3.75; poor cows, \$3; bulls, \$2@3; stags, \$2.50@3.

HOGS

Local, east of the mountains, \$8.60; fancy, \$8.50; stockers, \$7; pigs, \$8.
SHEEP—Best wethers, \$5.25@5.50; best wethers, \$5.50; ordinary, \$5.00; spring lambs, \$6.25; straight ewes, \$4.75; mixed lots, \$5.
CALVES—Best, \$5.75; ordinary, \$3@4.50.

MEDFORD MARKETS.

Fruits and Vegetables.

APPLES—2@4c lb.
Potatoes, 1 1-2 to 2 lb, onions, \$1.50 cwt.; cabbage, 2c; turnips, 1 1/2c; parsnips, 1 to 1 1-2 lb; squash, 1 to 1 1-2 dozen.
Butter, Eggs and Poultry.
(Prices paid by Medford merchants.)
Ranch butter, 32 1/2c; fancy creamery, 40c.
Fresh ranch eggs, 30c.
Mixed poultry, 10@14c; spring chickens, 15@18c; turkeys, 17c.
(Prices paid producers.)
Hay—Timothy, \$16; alfalfa, \$15; grass, \$14; grain hay, \$16.
Grain—Wheat, \$1.20 bushel; oats, \$36 ton; barley, \$30 ton.
Beef—3 1-2 to 4 1-2c; pork, 7 1-2c; mutton, 7c; lamb, 7c; veal (dressed) 7c.
(Selling prices.)
Rolled barley, 2 cwt, \$37 ton; bran, \$1.10; middlings, \$1.85@1.90; shorts, \$1.80@1.85.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Some good pieces of fruit land for sale cheap. Address S. care of this office. 262*

FOR SALE—Residence property, close in. See owner and save commission. 228 South Ivy St. 269

FOR SALE—Some second-hand steel tire buggies, crows, hawks and wagons, mowing machine, rake and harness. Address Ferguson & Murray, Central Point, Or. 274

FOR SALE—Cheap, an A No. 1 ladies riding saddle. 429 North Central. 270

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—24 large lots, close to Jackson street, cheap, 6 per cent, long terms, see Humphrey, 518 East Main street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a new strictly modern 9-room house, in good location. Owner expects to leave city. Box 607, Medford. 275*

FOR SALE—Choice business property at a bargain, on long time; easy terms. Address P. O. Box 418.*

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Hotel in Sweet, Idaho, for Medford property, either town or farm land; valuation \$9000. Address William Woody, Sweet, Idaho. 278

FOR SALE—House and lot in Hood River, Oregon, or will trade for property in Medford. Address A. J. Emerson, 114 Tripp street, Medford, Oregon. 271

FOR SALE—5 and 10-acre tracts just within and adjoining city limits, at a bargain, on 5 annual payments. Address P. O. Box 418.*

FOR SALE—Light spring wagon. 125 S. Oakdale. 259*

FOR SALE—Oak, fir and pine cord-wood, 12 and 16-inch; also dry rail wood; dry pitch for kindling. Phone order to Main 4201.

FOR SALE—Young orchard in bearing. Mat Calhoun, Phoenix, Or.*

FOR SALE—Two 20-acre tracts, choice land, 1 1-4 miles northwest of Central Point. Address W. J. Harvey, R. F. D. No. 1, Central Point, Or. 274

FOR SALE—Good lot of second hand lumber. C. H. Pierce & Son, 269*

FOR SALE—A bargain, a new modern 5-room bungalow in Tuttle addition, one block from South Oakdale. Apply 906 East 7th.

FOR SALE—Or trade, a 3 1-4 horse power Indian motorcycle. See or write C. S. Pierce, Medford, 269*

FOR SALE—Four acres inside city limits, with 850 feet front on S. P. railroad right of way, half acre fruit in bearing, small house, barn; price \$2500, terms. How's this for an investment? C. H. Pierce & Son, Medford, Oregon. 269*

FOR SALE—Two corner lots, good 6-room house and barn, near corner 11th and Fir streets. This is a good buy. Price \$2550. C. H. Pierce & Son, 269*

FOR SALE—106 acres of choice land close to the famous Helms orchard; 84 acres cultivated, with water right; special low price for 30 days. About 450 acres, ranch, five miles from Ashland; 150 acres cultivated; 300 acres can be cultivated; 2 large barns, small house, running water, 2 springs, coal vein runs through the land; price for 30 days \$35 per acre; plenty of free range for stock; terms.

80 acres 7 miles south of Ashland on main highway; fine 9-room house, large barn, some water for irrigation, soda spring on place, a beautiful country home; a bargain if sold within 30 days. Call or address F. G. McWilliams, real estate and mines, Ashland, Or. 288*

FOR SALE—22 target rifle, \$2.75. 125 S. Oakdale. 262*

FOR SALE—Logging wagon; first class condition, Palmer Investment, Nash Hotel. 269

FOR SALE—20, 40 or 60 acres, all under cultivation; good deep soil; near Eagle Point; \$125 per acre for quick sale. A. care Tribune office. 275

FOR SALE—Nine-room bungalow, near paved street, \$3850; large lot. Benson Investment Co. 271*

FOR SALE—One 2 H. P. Fairbanks and Morse gasoline engine, Jack of All, and one rotary pump; one 7 H. P. gasoline sawing machine, sawing machines made to order, M. M. Maine, city. 273

FOR SALE—One white Pomeranian puppy, 6 months old, and one ladies' bicycle and tools. Address Lock Box 85, city. 273

FOR SALE—One pair mules, 6 years old, with good harness and wagon; mules sound, true and well broken. Inquire of Anderson-Green Co., office over Ritter & Dunlap. 269

FOR SALE—A nearly new, three-hundred wagon, complete. Address Box 724, Medford, Or. 285*

FOR SALE—Five-room bungalow, nearly completed, facing east on 60-foot street; price \$800, half cash, balance \$20 monthly. Benson Investment Co. 271*

FOR SALE—Almost new house, good well, wooded, 4 lots, plenty of room for 3 new houses, close in; biggest snap in Medford at \$2000. Inquire at North Pine Street Grocery. 274

FOR SALE—Two lots 63x 165 feet, nicely located, a bungalow, \$10 cash, \$5 monthly payments. Humphrey, East Main Street, Phone 115.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Ninety acres, 30 in one year old apple and pear trees, 100 inches of water, 2 1-2 miles from railroad station. For terms write "Owney," care Mail Tribune. 261*

FOR SALE—House and lot, 50x 125, 4 blocks from postoffice, \$1200. Apply Clausung, 334 W. 6th st. 270

FOR SALE—A fine home and investment on North Central avenue, fronts 264 feet on Central avenue, is nearly 100 feet in depth; 6-room house and barn; price only \$4000. Look this up. C. H. Pierce & Son. 269*

FOR SALE—75 acres best fruit land in north end of valley; 4 miles from railroad; 1-2 mile from school; about 15 acres cleared; some fruit in bearing; irrigating ditch runs through middle of it; plenty of water; with house, barn, well and spring and 1900 cords of wood on it; a No. 1 road all directions; \$4500 per acre; buy of owner. See Coleman at cigar factory. 268*

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FOR SALE—Lot 514 x 140, with house 24x30, 1412 West Main st. Inquire of Arthur H. Davis, at place of business, 211 West Main street 275.

WANTED.

WANTED—A good second hand hack, Address "E", Care Tribune office. 269

WANTED—A lady solicitor to sell electric heating, cooking and lighting devices. Apply at the Condon Water and Power Co. *

WANTED—Experienced quarry man. Address P. O. Box 418, Medford, Or. *

WANTED—A girl or woman for chamber work and assistant cooking at a lodging and boarding house the employment will be steady. Address Mrs. P. H. Gregory, 265 4th st., Ashland, Or. 269

WANTED—Representative in Medford and Ashland, lady or gentleman; pleasant, profitable employment; references. Box 185 Central Point, Oregon. 270

WANTED—Gentle driving mare; must weigh not less than 1100 and price reasonable. See W. at Mail Tribune office. *

WANTED—Experienced salesmen. Benson Investment Co. 271

WANTED—Man and rig, can have good position. Apply at Moore Hotel. Ask for Mr. H. 270

WANTED—To buy, team from 5 to 9 years old, mares preferred; 2 good fresh cows, Jersey preferred, and 3 dozen Leghorn chickens, white. Address where same can be seen with price. Box 738, Medford, Or. 271

WANTED—A good Japanese cook and for general housework. Apply 906 West Main.

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FOR RENT.

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FOR RENT.

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