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LOCAL CHERRIES IN THE MARKET

Apricots Also, But Quality Yet is Poor — Strawberries Offered in Generous Quantities—Cherries in Abundance—Other Prices.

Local cherries and apricots began to drift into the market at the last of the week. The cherries are quoted at 8 cents a pound and are very fine, but the apricots have not come in yet in quantities justifying a quotation. They are small and unripe and fit for little aside from pie purposes. Within a few days, however, larger and better fruit is expected. Strawberries continue to be offered in generous quantities and the price has dropped from \$1.40 a crate to \$1.25. Soon they will lower to \$1 and it is expected they will remain at this price while housewives are canning. Loganberries are expected in soon. Potatoes have taken a slight drop. A sufficiency of new ones will soon be on the market. Eggs held steady during the week, while butter advanced 2 1/2 cents. Local peas are helping out in the vegetable list and are quoted at 4 cents a pound.

Today's Quotations. (Prices paid by Medford merchants.) Potatoes, 8c; onions, \$2 cwt.; cabbage, 2@2 1/2c.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. (Prices paid by Medford merchants.) Ranch butter, 27 1/2c; fancy creamery, 30c. Fresh ranch eggs, 25c. Mixed poultry, 10@14c; spring chickens, 15@18c; turkeys, 17c. Berries—Strawberries, local, \$1.25 crate; gooseberries, 5c; cherries, 8c lb.

Green onions, 40c dozen bunches; radishes, 40c dozen bunches; rhubarb 4 to 5c lb.; lettuce, 40c dozen; turnips, 40c dozen bunches; peas, 4c lb. (Prices paid producers.) Hay—Timothy, \$16; alfalfa, \$15; grass, \$14; grain hay, \$16. Grain—Wheat, \$1.25 bushel; oats, \$32 ton; barley, \$30 ton. Beef—Cows, 4@4 1/2c; steers, 5@5 1/2c; pork, 9c; mutton, 5@5 1/2c; lambs, 6c; veal, dressed, 8c. (Selling prices.) Rolled barley, \$1.90 cwt., \$34 ton; bran, \$1.70; middlings, \$1.85@1.90; shorts, \$1.80@1.85.

CHICAGO APPLE MARKET IS FIRM CHICAGO, May 31.—The apple market here remains firm with a light supply on hand of most varieties. Fancy fruit, especially, is scarce. Ben Davis are in best supply and sell at \$4 to \$4.50. Baldwins bring \$4 to \$5 and Spys \$3.50 to \$4. Russets are bringing \$3.50 to \$4.50. Box apples are selling as follows: Winesaps, \$2.75 to \$3.50; Ben Davis, \$2 to \$2.25, and Ganos, Missouri Pippins and Genetins, \$2 to \$2.50. The Gibson Fruit Co. reports a good, steady demand both in a local and out-of-town way. These people are moving an average of one or two cars a day and find it necessary to add more help to take care of the brisk trade they are having.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT IN GOTHAM MARKET Rae & Hatfield, the New York commission firm, send out the following market letter under date of May 25: The offerings of California deciduous fruits on our market so far this week amounted to five cars. The fruit on the whole has arrived in good condition, and prices have been well maintained. The first peaches of the season have arrived, and, considering quality, sold exceedingly well. Weather warm and rainy.

POOR CROP OUTLOOK IN OLD DOMINION WINCHESTER, Va., May 31.—Indications for the apple crop in Frederick County are not nearly as good as they were a month ago. However, in spite of the cold spell the crop will probably total 200,000 barrels in this county, which is almost 50 per cent greater than last year. The peach crop was untouched by the frosts. It is estimated that the peach crop will be the largest since 1898.

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San Jose Scale in Orchards of Michigan ORON, Mich., May 31.—The apple orchards are still in bloom and a good many apple trees have a good setting of young apples. The orchards around here, generally speaking, are quite small and numerous varieties are grown in each orchard. The trees do not appear to have much care and most are in sod that has not been broken more than a few times since they were set out. The trees that show any care in pruning are all high limbed. While there are a few owners who take care of their trees in every respect most of them content themselves with just cutting out the suckers. Last year very few sprayed. This year it is thought there will be more spraying. Most of the orchards have a strong appearance of San Jose scale and look more like they need the ax than anything else as they have been so long without care. In years gone by this district was a good place to get good apples. Last year even the good apples were badly mixed and only very few well picked apples were shipped.

Apple Crop in Pajaro Valley, California, Promises to Be Thirty-five Hundred Cars—Wind Blows Off Fruit in Butte County. The apple crop in the Pajaro valley, California, promises to be as large as last year, when about 3500 cars were shipped. The crop of Newtowns will be especially large and the general output of Bellfleurs will be good. At Biggs, in Butte county, Cal., winds have blown off a large amount of fruit and done great damage to forest and shade trees. In the Feather river district the fruit trees were badly broken and the ground in some places was covered with fallen fruit. However, there will be an abundance of fruit to harvest this season. In some localities there was no loss, the wind only saving the orchardists the cost of thinning. The cherry crop has been shipped. W. H. Tyson, horticultural commissioner for the Niles district, California, reports as follows on the fruit crop: Apricots, more than a half crop; cherries, an average crop; prunes, all varieties, very light, except sugar prunes, which will be a full crop; pears will be very light, having been badly damaged by the thrips; peaches, a full crop. At Fullerton, Cal., the young walnuts, apricots, peaches and plums are now far enough advanced that estimates of what the crop will be in this country can be made. Some of the walnut men say the crop will be a little short, but the general opinion is that it will be normal. The trees and nuts are looking well. There will not be over half a crop of apricots in Orange county. The California apricot crop will not be so large as it was a year ago. It is expected that picking for drying purposes will begin about the last week in June and that picking for canning will begin about a week earlier. The output this season probably will aggregate about 800 tons, while last year there were about 1100 tons. The quality is expected to be much better than last year.

MARKET NOTES FOR GROWERS

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Not a house, nor an apartment, in this city ought to be tenanted—unless it's a poor place to live! Then, even a want ad-campaign ought not to succeed in renting it.

FOR SALE. REAL ESTATE. FOR SALE—Two acres near city limits, \$700. Corner lot, Oakdale and Tenth, \$1150. Corner lot on West Main street; sidewalk laid and paid for, \$1000. Two 5-room cottages and three large lots, one lot containing three-quarters of an acre, 10 blocks out, \$3500. Other bargains in land and bearing orchards. D. H. JACKSON & CO. Opposite Hotel Moore.

FOR SALE—Ten acres under ditch, three miles northeast of Medford. This is a snap at \$1200. Siskiyou Realty Company, room 22, Jackson County Bank bldg.

FOR SALE—20 acres of fruit land in the valley two miles from post-office, one mile from city limits; good house and barn; span of mules and wagon; two heifers and over 500 chickens. A bargain as an investment or home. Inquire J. H. Creager, 539 W. Palm st., Medford. 64

FOR SALE—48 acres of fine land, 3 acres a fine garden as you ever saw, most all in potatoes, all can be cultivated easily; 50 tiers of wood cut; water right; can be irrigated the year round; price only \$2000; \$1500 cash, balance in 6 months. Address H. H. Hoxie, R. F. D. No. 1.

FOR SALE—10 acres good garden land, on main road 1 1/2 miles from Main street; all under ditch. Price \$3,500. Will take \$1,000 in city property as part payment. Aylor & Barnett, next to Mail Tribune office. 64

FOR SALE—498 acres land in Scott Valley, one of the most beautiful and fertile spots in California, mostly in alfalfa, and can be irrigated; well improved, good fences, and first-class buildings; \$45,000. For further particulars address Walker Bros., Etna Mills, Siskiyou county, California. 70

Business Property. FOR SALE—Choice business property at a bargain, on long time; easy terms. Address Condor Water Power Co.

FOR SALE—Fine business corner, 100x100 feet, east and north fronts, within two blocks of new depot, 12-room house on it, fine location for modern hotel or rooming house. Inquire of owner at 135 North Bartlett street. 63

FOR SALE—30 acres under irrigation. Partly set to pears and apples. On line of Pacific & Eastern R. R., at Fish Lake. Address C. T. Forbes, R. 2, Central Point, Ore. 100*

FOR SALE—5 and 10-acre tracts just within and adjoining city limits, at a bargain, on 5 annual payments. Address Condor Water Power Co.

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FOR SALE—Lot on Ross court, just off Main; price \$650. Room 22, Jackson County Bank bldg.

The Want Ads Are Full of Facts That Have a Cash Value to You

The classified ads—sometimes called "want ads"—are always rich in "cash-value facts." It depends upon what your immediate personal interests are as to what these facts are—as to how much they are worth to you in cash. But they are there—and they are for you—unless you should be a person of no personal interests. Which you are not. If you seek work, some of the classified want ads will be of "cash value" to you. If you seek work this is still true. If you want to sell something, YOUR USE OF THE CLASSIFIED WANT ADS WILL HAVE A DIRECT CASH VALUE TO YOU—and bring you direct cash returns. If you want to buy property of any sort, the classified ads contain offers that will enable you to choose INTELLIGENTLY, and to buy to the best POSSIBLE advantage. If you seek an investment—or a bargain in a used article of any kind—the classified ads again hold cash-value facts for you. Some people go on through the troublous days of their lives but vaguely aware that the classified advertisements are constantly helping people all about them—making the daily routine easier and more worth while.

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FOR SALE—Nifty acres, 30 to one year old apple and pear trees, 100 laches of water, 2 1/2 miles from railroad station. For terms write "Owner," care Mail Tribune. 261*

FOR SALE—About 30 acres of good orchard land 1 1/2 miles east of Phoenix. One-half is in orchard. Telephone, Medford, 1199, or address C. T. Payne, Phoenix, Ore.*

FOR SALE—Fruit farm in Douglas county; a bargain; 36 acres; 23 acres in full bearing orchard; 3 acres Spitzberg apples; 4 acres peaches; 15 acres prunes; 1 acre cherries and pears; 2 acres garden; 3 acres hay, balance pasture; some timber, enough for wood; joining city limits; beautiful location; large fruit dryer and small cannery on place; 8-room house, barn and out-buildings; 3 wells; also good spring on place; on county road; sidewalk to town; crop, team, wagon, buggy, new disc and all tools go with place; price \$250 per acre; place will be worth double this inside 5 years; similar land just sold for \$600 per acre. I want to go back into business reason for selling. Address E. Hellwill, owner, Yoncalla, Or.*

FOR SALE—A fine ten-acre ranch, half in cultivation; three acres alfalfa; small house; good well; one-quarter mile from school, church and depot; an ideal fruit, berry or poultry ranch. Address box 517, Woodville, Oregon. 62

FOR SALE—5-room bungalow, \$700, terms. Aylor & Barnett.

FOR SALE—5-room house, 31 South Orange street, \$2000; house and lot on Bennett avenue for \$1100. Enquire of owner on premises. J. A. Henderson. 64

Horses. FOR SALE—Good riding pony; weighs 800 pounds; young. H. F. Caton, Central Point, or Helmsroth place. 66

Miscellaneous. FOR SALE—At West Side Barn, wagon, harness, two horses.

FOR SALE—Planer; good heavy 16x26-inch single planer; knives, belts, shafts and pulleys; all complete; in fine condition. Price \$125. Address Box 517, Woodville, Oregon. 62

FOR SALE—A full line of Old Hampshire and Oak Bonds, plain and cloth finish; letter heads and envelopes. Mail Tribune office.

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FOR SALE—Or will trade for alfalfa hay, a \$65 Columbia grand concert graphophone, with nearly 100 records in two cases; price \$30. Address 810 Oakdale avenue, South Medford. 65

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WANTED—To rent on shares a place for this year. Address Brown, care this office. *

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LOST—A kodak, on the road between Jacksonville and Col. Washburn ranch. Please return to this office.

LOST—A roll of film for kodak on road between Jacksonville and Col. Washburn's ranch. Finder please return to C. W. Wilmeroth, care Tribune.

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