

PRICE OF WHEAT FOR NORTHWEST TO BE FIXED AT \$2.05

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—To alleviate hardships imposed on some western states by the operation of rate differentials, the government is about to make the base price of wheat at San Francisco and Los Angeles \$2.10 a bushel and \$2.05 at Pacific northwest ports, as compared with the \$2.20 price at Chicago.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Higher wheat prices to compensate for the long haul to markets were sought by a delegation of northwestern farmers who conferred today with Food Administrator Hoover. The growers expressed concern over the reported arrival on the Pacific coast of 90,000 barrels of Australian flour and the addition of 60,000 barrels now on its way. The flour is offered at prices between \$8 and \$9 a barrel.

SWEDISH FOOD ENVOY ARRIVES IN AMERICA

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Sept. 2.—Dr. Hjalmar Lundholm, recently named by Sweden as a special envoy to the United States in connection with shipments of foods, etc., arrived here today from Christiania, accompanied by First Secretary Patrick Reuterswold of the Swedish foreign office.

A quantity of mail matter, said to consist mainly of statistics on consumption, importation and production of food supplies of Sweden was seized by British authorities when the ship put in at a Canadian port for examination.

STANDARDIZE ARMY TRUCKS FOR AMERICA

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Formal announcement of the completion of the design of the new standard military truck to meet the field transportation program of modern warfare was made today by Secretary Baker. Deliveries are expected to begin in January.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Portland Livestock. PORTLAND, Sept. 22.—Hogs, steady; receipts 400. Prime light \$17.75@18; prime heavy, \$17.65@17.75; pigs, \$14@16; bulk of sales, \$17.75. Cattle steady; receipts 154. Best beef steers, \$9@9.75; good beef steers, \$7.50@8.75; best beef cows, \$6.75@7.50; ordinary to good cows, \$4@6.75; best heifers, \$7@8; bulls, \$4@6.75; calves, \$7@9.50; stockers and feeder steers, \$4@7.25. Sheep steady; receipts 547. Western lambs, \$13@13.50; valley lambs, \$11.75@12.50; yearlings, \$10@10.50; wethers, \$9.75@10.50; ewes, \$8@8.50.

Portland Butter. PORTLAND, Sept. 22.—Butter firm. City creamery prints, 48c; cartons, 49c; buying price butterfat, 47@49c Portland; cube extras, 46c; prime firsts, 44c; firsts, 40c; dairy, 34 1/2c.

Bartlett Pears. New York, Sept. 21.—California \$2.60, Oregon \$1.98, Washington \$2.00. Boston—California \$2.65, Oregon \$1.60, car 1317 \$1.63. Philadelphia—California \$2.80. Chicago—California \$2.65, Oregon \$2, Washington \$2.

Pittsburg—Car 5580 averaged \$1.97, car 5092 averaged \$1.75. Oregon fruit all too ripe, too long in transit.

JACKSON COUNTY TO GET \$242,000 IN TAXES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Payment of land taxes aggregating \$1,594,941 to eighteen counties in Oregon and one county in Washington were recommended by Secretary Lane today. When the federal government recovered title to the lands from the Oregon & California railroad, congress authorized the payment of taxes levied against the properties, while in the possession of the road. The amounts due range from \$478 in the case of Clark county, Washington, to \$299,132 in the case of Douglas county, Oregon. Jackson county's portion of the taxes is approximately \$242,000.

Theaters and Movies

LA SCALA GRAND OPERA COMPANY COMING



MME. ESTES FERRABINI, LYRIC SOPRANO

Mme. Ester Ferrabini, of the La Scala Opera company, comes from Venice, the city of charm, music and poetry, and is considered one of its fairest daughters. In addition to being one of the most beautiful women of the operatic world, she is one of the best known lyric sopranos of the stage. She is not entirely new to this section, as she appeared several years ago with the Lombardi Opera company, creating at that time instantaneous success in the roles of Tosca, Carmen, Santuzza, Leonora, Marguerite and other well-known roles.

Mme. Ferrabini returns to the Pacific coast this season at the apex of her career. Gifted with a remarkably warm and clear soprano voice of velvety smoothness, full of passion and dramatic ability, a voice that in schooling is without a flaw, she is a welcome addition to this well-balanced company. She is tall, slender and is a painter's and sculptor's ideal of Italian beauty. She bears a remarkable resemblance to the present Queen Helena of Italy and has many times been offered the royal salute while touring in Italy.

ZIEGFELD GIRL AT PAGE THEATRE TODAY

Olive Thomas, a beauty of Ziegfeld's Follies, is starred in "Madcap Page" theater, today. Miss Thomas makes her debut with a fetching smile, a charming personality and a carefree manner, all of which, combined with her beauty, spells captivating in letters quite too large to fit this page. She enacts the role of a young boarding school girl, having a preference for excitement and fun to hard study. After being banished from the school for her midnight escapades, she joins her mother and sister at Palm Beach, where, finding herself less restricted in her movements, she starts things for fair. She incidentally thwarts a well-designed plot to ensnare a nobleman into the matrimonial net. "Madcap Page" will beyond a doubt please even those to whom the names of Olive Thomas and Ziegfeld's Midnight Frolic are alien enemies. For comparison's sake "Madcap Page" can be likened, in its effect to Billie Burke's first picture "Peggy" and there is nothing odious about the comparison.

"THE SHOW DOWN"



Showing at Rialto Tomorrow Only.

TALENT TALK

Mrs. John Weigert and daughter Velva were visiting in Medford Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. James Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Elmore of Ashland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fuller at Oakland on Wagner creek Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Perry, Mrs. King, Miss Lamont were the guests of Mrs. R. J. Luke who entertained in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Davis, of Minnesota. Mr. Sowash was a Medford business caller Thursday. John Fuller and Henry Frame were visiting the several Sunday schools Sunday in the interest of the county Sunday school convention to be held here in October. Mrs. Mintie Way of Ashland visited Mrs. Leonard Oerthys Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Oerthys visited friends east of Medford Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Reed were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bickerdike Sunday. The Queen Esther society of the

Methodist church met with Misses Helen and Marjory Adamson Wednesday. The society is planning to furnish a room in the new annex to the church. Mrs. Frank Rose was a visitor in Phoenix Sunday. Marion Tryer and family spent Sunday in Grants Pass as the guests at the home of Mrs. Ed Tryer, also visiting Mr. Boosey, a brother of Mrs. Tryer. Chase Gardener was a Medford business caller Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Spencer are receiving congratulations on the birth of a fine 9 1/2-pound boy. Mr. Chace was taken to the Grants Pass city hospital Monday in a critical condition. It is puzzling the doctors as to the cause of his trouble. E. E. Cook went to Canbyville, Josephine county, Monday to look at a ranch in that vicinity. Dr. McPadden is here from Duluth looking after his ranch interests in this section. Eddie Maxon has been ordered to report at Yreka for military service. Mr. Estes is enjoying a visit from his brother, who arrived Tuesday from Texas. Mrs. Jay Terrill was shopping in Medford Wednesday morning. Rev. Allen of Dorris, Calif., is the guest of his brother-in-law, H. C. High, and family. Mr. Zeders and daughter were Ashland visitors Sunday evening. Red Cross Tuesday afternoon. At the school fair which was held Friday afternoon, the exhibits, tho not extensive, were very good. Prize winners are not obtainable at this time. Church services as usual next Sunday. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to all these services. No notices or provisions, so far as your correspondent can ascertain, were sent to Talent for the women's registration. If this was the case in other towns, it was an unjust accusation, made by the Mail Tribune in calling the women of Jackson county slackers. H. C. High was a visitor in Central Point Sunday.

REESE CREEK RIPLETS

Mrs. Pettigrew, Miss Mayes and Miss Ethel Ewen called at Mr. Robertson's Sunday. Carl Bergman and Miss McDougal were at Reese creek Sunday morning, then visited at W. H. Crandall's the remainder of the day. Frank Castor called at Mr. Watkins' Saturday. Tom Vestal is working at Crater lake. Mr. Robertson and Mr. Crandall were in Medford on business Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Castor moved to Medford this week, where he expects to work. Mrs. W. E. Hammel is recovering from a severe attack of tonsillitis. Mr. Hammel has been hauling wood to Eagle Point the last few days. Mr. Cowdon and family of Butt Falls are moving on Frank Rhodes' place for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Graham returned home Tuesday from Klamath Falls. The Messrs. Stiles are hauling straw.

GOLD HILL NUGGETS

The Red Cross met in business session at their rooms Wednesday afternoon. Ensign Fred Dodge is visiting old friends for a day or two, having come down from his duties at Bremerton, Wash. Miss Ethel Fosket and brother, Ray Fosket, stopped over Wednesday evening to visit with Mrs. J. W. Merritt as they are touring the coast on the way to their home in Oakland, Cal. Miss Fosket and Miss Esther Merritt were schoolmates at Miss Head's school in Berkeley. Miss Fosket has been visiting Mrs. Sanderson (nee Miss Ester Merritt) in Tacoma, Wash. Miss Hazel Shanko was a Grants Pass visitor Tuesday. Ned Potter of Upper Sams Valley was in Gold Hill Wednesday. Mrs. Harry Tresham was in Gold Hill Wednesday from the valley and made a trip to Medford. Mrs. Cathoon of Blackwell Hill district, was in Gold Hill Wednesday. John McReynolds and family, who have been living the past couple of years in the Stover house in Garden Row, have moved in to Gold Hill, now occupying the Dungey house on Fifth street, formerly occupied by J. M. Hinton. J. N. Fountain left Sunday for Roseburg, where he expects to make their future home. Mrs. Fountain will follow in a couple of weeks, as she has business interests here to be adjusted. The community is certainly sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Fountain, as they have numerous friends here who are regretting it very much. R. A. Hutehinson was an Ashland visitor Thursday. Mrs. W. L. Collins and grandson were in Gold Hill Tuesday, visiting at the home of Mrs. George Larson. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Avery went to

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Medford on business Thursday afternoon. John Blank, superintendent of the cement plant, went to Medford Wednesday and bought a car for service at the plant. Eli Tepels, who has been at San Juan the past year, returned to Gold Hill Wednesday evening to enter the service of the cement plant. Coe Thompson was transacting business in Gold Hill Thursday, having driven in from his ranch east of Gold Hill. Obe and Jobe Pankey, twin brothers, of Central Point, are in Gold Hill visiting relatives. Lee Cook was a Medford visitor Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Linn went to Medford and Jacksonville Wednesday. Mrs. C. L. Dusenbery was a passenger to Grants Pass Tuesday. Miss Dorothy Smith made a short trip to Medford between trains Tuesday. T. J. West, who came home from the Siskiyou Sunday night, has decided to remain and has secured employment at the local cement plant. Word has been received by local friends of the birth at Portland of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hudson on Sunday, September 16. Mrs. Hudson was formerly Miss Mildred Meyers and lived in Gold Hill a number of years, where she has many friends and former schoolmates. Mrs. Daisy Hugh is spending a couple of days with her friend, Mrs. F. Dey Schrupp, who is soon to remove to Seattle, Wash.

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—English setter, 2 years old. Phone 1F4. —159 WANTED—Good heavy work team. State age and price. Box D, Mail Tribune. 157\* FOR SALE—1 brood sow. F. S. Day, Riverside Garage. 157 FOR SALE—Good ranch team, cheap. 1005 South Peach. Phone 473-Y. —158

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—5-room modern bungalow on paved street. Also furniture. Bargain. Must be sold. Phone 102-R. 157\* FOR SALE or rent cheap, account of leaving; small ranch with berries; close in; good house and outbuildings; also some furniture for sale; Phone \$20-R. 160\* FOR SALE—Cheap for cash if taken at once, 5-room modern cottage, corner Sherman and Geneva sts., Medford. Telephone 7X1 or P. O. box 326, Central Point, Ore. —160 SACRIFICE SALE—Irrigation land, under proposed ditch, \$20 per acre. Other lands from \$5 per acre upwards. Long time, easy payments. More than purchase price can be borrowed on these lands. Address H., care Tribune. 157\*

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Baled blue stem wheat straw, \$5.50 per ton. Dr. C. C. Van Scoyoc, Garnett-Corey Bldg. 162\* FOR SALE—E. M. F. Roadster, good condition. \$225. Phone 265-J. —162 FOR SALE—5-passenger Overland good condition. Called into military service. Fine bargain for some one at sacrifice price. E. E. Kelly. 157

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Furnished apt.; hot water, heat. The Herben. Phone 338-R. FOR RENT—One completely furnished apartment at Hotel Holland. FOR RENT—The Kelly bungalow, furnished. 911 Queen Ann avenue. Phone 395-J. 158\* FOR RENT—Five room-modern house, \$10. 1022 W. 4th street. Phone 755. FOR RENT—Colonel Sargent's place on Oakland Avenue, very reasonable. Inquire of H. B. Nye. Phone 251-J. 159

FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—A fine two story bungalow, 6 rooms, sleeping porch, store room. All modern. Beautiful lawn. 222 So. Newtowna. Inquire first house in rear. FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT—160 acres of land about 20 miles north of Medford on Rouge river. Perry Foster, Eagle Point. 159 FOR RENT—A piano. Telephone 748-J. 11\* FOR RENT—For rent on shares 200 acres bearing apple and pear orchard, 160 acres grain land. H., care Tribune. 157\*

FOR RENT—FARMS

FOR RENT—Farm; cash rental. Inquire P. O. Box 71, Eagle Point, Ore. —159 FOR RENT—Farms and stock ranches, garden land. Gold Ray Realty Co. LOST LOST—Collie dog from the Applegate nearly two weeks ago. Answer to the name of Bud. Has front tooth broken off. \$10.00 reward for return to John W. Fernald, Applegate, Ore., or for information as to his whereabouts. —159 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES WANTED—Partner in valuable patent; would consider exchange for interest. Inquire P. O. Box 173, Eagle Point, Ore. —153\*

FOR EXCHANGE—House and lot, vacant lots or ranch to exchange for automobile. G, care Tribune. 157\* FOR EXCHANGE—Large caliber Winchester rifle with globe and peep sights, to exchange for 22 or 25 caliber. J., care Tribune. 157\*

FARM LOANS

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