

BUTTER AND EGGS TAKE A TUMBLE

PORTLAND, Jan. 31.—The wholesale buying price of eggs in Portland markets fell today to 35 cents, a decrease of six cents from yesterday's price. Eggs were retailing today at from 44 to 45 cents. A few weeks ago they were 85 cents. Unsettled conditions all over the country and unusually warm weather in Oregon, causing increased egg production were given as reasons for the drop.

Butter, selling a few weeks ago at 90 cents, today was down to 60c and 65c retail.

Portland, Jan. 31.—Cattle steady; receipts 160. Steers, best \$12.50 @ 13.50; good to choice \$11 @ 12.50; medium to good \$9.50 @ 11; fair to good \$8.50 @ 9.50; common to fair \$7.50 @ 8.50; cows and heifers, choice \$9.25 @ 10.25; good to choice \$8.75 @ 9.75; medium to good \$7.50 @ 8.50; fair to medium \$6.75 @ 7.75; canners \$5.50 @ 6.50; calves \$9 @ 13; stockers and feeders \$7 @ 9.

Hogs steady; receipts 1299. Prime mixed \$16.89 @ 17; medium mixed \$16.50 @ 16.75; rough heavies \$15.40 @ 16; pigs \$14 @ 15.40; bulk \$16.50.

Sheep steady; receipts 113. Prime lambs \$13.75 @ 14.50; fair to medium \$9 @ 11; yearlings \$10 @ 11.50; wethers \$9 @ 10; ewes \$6 @ 8.

Butter PORTLAND, Jan. 31.—Butter weak; city creamery prints, extras box lots 50c; cartons 51c; half boxes half cent more; less than half boxes 1c more. Buying price butterfat, country, 45c; cube extra 45c.

Eggs PORTLAND, Jan. 31.—Eggs, market too unsettled to quote, all shot to meet. Buying price, 35c. Hens, 30c @ 31c; springers 32c @ 33c.

ASHLAND AND VICINITY

A lot of initiatory work at the Elks lodge on Saturday evening of this week will be exemplified exclusively by a bunch of past exalted rulers filling each and every station. The classification includes George Owen, exalted ruler; Walter Newcombe, esteemed leading knight; Joe Choate, esteemed loyal knight; Dan Applegate, esteemed lecturing knight; Ed Staples, esquire; Marah Wagner, inner guard. Dr. Swendenburg will offer up an invocation as chaplain. The attendance will be large and interest augmented accordingly, inasmuch as members of the Medford lodge are invited.

Corporal Horace Reno, whose residence is given as Gresham street, Ashland, is one of the local soldiers returned from France as a member of the 346th field artillery on this side of the pond, the command being merged with the 75th on French soil. Dispatches indicate that this bunch came over on the cruiser St. Louis, were landed at Hoboken, escorted thru the "cootie" kitchen in short order, leaving immediately for Camp Lewis to undergo mustering out formalities.

The Whitted store on the Plaza, familiar to the jewelry trade for years past, is practically vacated. The stock has been gradually closed out, and the equipment also disposed of and some of it shipped to other towns. H. L. Whitted has been in business in Ashland for 27 years, a period lengthy enough to have this particular occupation classified in the "pioneer" series. Outside of his specific vocation Mr. Whitted has always taken even more than a casual interest in public affairs. Prompt and aggressive, his counsels have been as well received as they have been cheerfully rendered in behalf of every progressive movement affecting both town and country, and in business channels his judgment has been rated as high.

In social circles the family have been highly esteemed, and it is a matter of regret among a large number of intimate friends that they have decided to cast their lot elsewhere even temporarily, as it is tacitly understood that they reserve the privilege to return to southern Oregon at such a time as the spirit moves. In the meantime their ideal home on North Main street has not yet been disposed of, the flattering offers have been received for this fine residence property.

Mrs. Caroline Schuerman is ill at the family home on C street. Ben Hunt, of Portland, representing his father's interests in an important livestock deal, has been in town the present week renewing old acquaintances. His brother John is still with the army in France, connected with the quartermaster's department.

The Eastern Star will meet at Masonic hall, Friday evening, Jan. 31, for practice. Somebody attracted by the appearance of a silver certificate pinned to an advertising device in the display windows of Ornes tailoring establishment, on Wednesday night threw a brick thru the plate glass and appropriated the currency, leaving untouched all sorts of fabrics of the latest approved styles.

The trustees of the Commercial club were appointed to meet again on Friday evening of this week to appoint various committees incident to launching a campaign in behalf of a lot of activities which the organization has outlined for the current year. The club is also in a receptive mood to entertain proposals from somebody who will accept the position of correspondent for the Portland papers, and not only accept the appointment, but also attend to the duties which the position implies, as the coming months need much publicity regarding Ashland.

Mrs. Ella Dupp Rice, now a resident of Portland, has sold the old family home, corner of Second and C streets, to Ira Reeder, local blacksmith, who will take possession soon. Up till recently this place has been occupied by the Barnhouse family. At the time the house was built it was considered one of the most substantial residences in town. This sale was made by the Beaver Realty company.

The Darling photo studio will move soon from the Boyd block, on east Main street, to rooms in the Meikle building adjacent to Johnson's jewelry store. The rooms which the studio will vacate are to be occupied by a dyeing and cleaning establishment.

Ashland property owners in the Klamath country report an exciting contest in one of the irrigation districts of that section over the election of a director. R. C. Bradbury, of Olney, won by three votes, his competitor being Robert Cheyne of Spring Lake. The issues involved made the campaign an exciting one, and now resident property owners pay a good share of the "freight."

It is reported that Conductor Gill, of the Southern Pacific has purchased of Mrs. Emma Jack the fine residence property on Woolen street, formerly known as the Philmore place.

Funeral services of the late James L. Whittington, who died last Monday at the family home, corner of Ashland and Liberty streets, were held on Wednesday at Dodge's parlors, entertainment being in Mountain View cemetery. The deceased was 58 years of age and a native of Charleston, West Virginia. The wife and three sons survive the husband and father. The family came here from Salem.

The Mackey family, purchasers of the Sinclair property east of town, arrived from Portland on Thursday and will take possession of their new home at once. The parents and their husky boys and bright girls constitute an interesting family group, greatly pleased with their new surroundings and eager to enter upon the activities afforded by their suburban ranch holdings.

The Jackson county unit as to membership in the state chamber of commerce is announced as being complete, in line with information supplied by the various county chairmen to State Chairman Ethridge to that effect by signifying their acceptance, and who in turn have perfected the organization of the work in hand in their respective districts. Frank J. Shinn, secretary of the Commercial club, represents this immediate territory.

Adolph Hahn, originally from Wisconsin, and who tried various localities on the coast with a view of permanent settlement before coming to Ashland, has purchased the Cooney property on Walker avenue, to which he will move soon from the Roche home on Granite street. There is abundance of room on Mr. Hahn's new place and he will enter into the poultry business extensively.

M. M. Murray, of Klamath Falls, has been in Ashland the present week looking after property interests.

Notice of Election Notice is hereby given, that an election has been called and ordered by the Board of Directors of the Gold Hill Irrigation District, of Jackson County, Oregon, and the same will be held on the 11th day of February, 1919, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of voting upon and determining whether or not the Gold Hill Irrigation District shall issue bonds in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00), in addition to the sixty thousand dollar issue heretofore authorized, for the purpose necessary or convenient of carrying out the provisions of a certain act passed by the General Assembly of the State of Oregon, of 1917, and known as House Bill number (158), Chapter (357) of the General Laws of Oregon 1917.

The polling place for said election shall be in the house in which the Board of Directors of said district now has its office, and which house is owned by C. W. McDonald and Fanny Pickett, and situated on Lot Six (6) Amended Plot of Riverside Sub-Division, in Township (36) Section (24) Range (4) West of the Willamette Meridian, Jackson County, Oregon.

The electors of the said Gold Hill Irrigation District are hereby required to cast ballots at said election which shall contain the words "Bonds—Yes" and "Bonds—No." Those in favor of said district issuing bonds in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) in addition to the sixty thousand dollar bonds heretofore authorized, shall cast their ballots "Bonds—Yes" and those opposed to the issuance of bonds in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars in addition to the sixty thousand dollar bonds heretofore issued, shall cast their ballots "Bonds—No."

Dated the 7th day of January, 1919.

GEO. B. ALDEN, President. F. D. EISMANN, C. R. BOYD.

Board of directors of the Gold Hill Irrigation District of Jackson County, Oregon.

Attest: CHAS. P. CHAMPLIN, Secretary. C. M. THOMAS, Attorney.

SAMS VALLEY

Mrs. L. W. McCrery received a telegram some time ago of the serious illness of her father in Ohio, but later followed by a letter stating that he was much improved.

Miss Faith Eveland of Colorado, who was elected teacher of one of our schools, arrived Sunday evening from Medford and commenced school Monday with a fairly good attendance.

Mrs. Otto Tresham came home Tuesday from the Dow hospital and is recovering from her operation steadily.

Mrs. S. R. Stoner and daughter, Miss Ina, left last week for Ashland, where they will remain until summer as Miss Ina will attend school there. They will be greatly missed by everyone who will hope for their return soon.

Mrs. T. A. Strathern and daughter Ruby returned last week from Eugene, where Mrs. Strathern left her two daughters, Irene and Ruth located in good homes and attending business college. Mrs. Strathern is glad to return to Sams Valley as she states the life is very bad in Eugene.

W. C. Kenney and wife were in Medford visiting Tuesday.

In the jury list we notice our district is entirely left out! Aren't we on the map?

WILLOW SPRINGS

Mrs. H. H. Clarke's sister, Miss Ruth Merrill of Spokane, Wash., arrived Tuesday morning for an extended visit here.

Mrs. Charles Taylor and sons are

URIC ACID IN MEAT CLOGS THE KIDNEY

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder bothers you—Drink more water.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority which tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush out the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it is no longer irritating, thus ending bladder weakness.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF GOVERNMENT TIMBER—General Land Office, Washington, D. C., December 21, 1918. Notice is hereby given that subject to the conditions and limitations of the Act of June 9, 1916 (39 Stat., 218), and the instructions of the Secretary of the Interior of September 15, 1917, the timber on the following lands will be sold Feb. 11, 1919, at 10 o'clock a. m., at public auction at the United States land office at Rossburg, Oregon, to the highest bidder at not less than the appraised value as shown by this notice, sale to be subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior. The purchase price with an additional sum of one-fifth of one per cent thereof, being commissions allowed, must be deposited at time of sale, money to be returned if sale is not approved, otherwise patent will issue, for the timber which must be removed within ten years. Bids will be received from citizens of the United States, associations of such citizens and corporations organized under the laws of the United States or any state, territory or district thereof only. Upon application of a qualified purchaser, the timber on any land subdivision will be offered separately before being included in any offer of a larger unit. Township 21 S., R. 4 W., Sec. 19; NW 1/4 SE 1/4, red fir 320 M., not to be sold for less than \$1.00 per M.; T. 33 S., R. 7 W., Sec. 11; NE 1/4 SE 1/4, 85 M., yellow pine, 685 M., red fir, none of the yellow pine to be sold for less than \$2.50 per M., and none of the red fir to be sold for less than \$1.25 per M. Very respectfully, Clay T. Hallman, Commissioner General Land Office.

CHAUNCEY FLOREY, County Clerk for Jackson County, Oregon, and Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Jackson.

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Livestock consists of two teams about 2550 and 2800, 17 head cattle, 23 hogs, 21 sheep, some nice Barred Rock hens. Most any kind of tools too numerous to mention to work the soil. A fine barley crusher or feed roller.

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WANTED—SITUATION

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WANTED—Second-hand bicycle at 30 North Grape. 267

WANTED—To buy, five or six-room modern house on pavement; must be in good condition. Answer, Buyer, care Mail Tribune. 265

WANTED—To buy of owner one or two acres good free soil just outside city limits. Address 65, Mail Tribune. 266

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FOR RENT—Five acres of land on Pacific Highway with water. Call 442-X.

FOR RENT—Eight acres, six acres irrigated, with buildings; Wells Mann, two miles north of Hoover Dairy, east side of Bear creek. 265

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