

THE MARKETS

Product
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 23.—
BUTTER—Steady; cubes; extras, 38c; standards, 37c; prime flats, 36c; firsts, 34c. Creamery prices: Prints 3c over cube standards.

BOGGS—Steady; prices to retailers: Fresh extras, 42¢ to 44¢; standards, 42¢ to 43¢; fresh medium, 35¢ to 36¢; medium flats, 36¢ to 38¢; fresh pullets, 32¢ to 34¢; pullet flats, 26¢ to 28¢. Prices to wholesalers 2¢ under prior to retailers.

MILK—Steady; raw milk (4 per cent) \$2.65 cwt., delivered Portland, less 1 per cent. Butterfat, station, 35¢. Truck, 37¢; deliveries at Portland, 49¢.

POULTRY—Steady; buying prices—Alive, heavy hens over 4½ lbs, 24¢ to 25¢; medium hens, 3½ to 4½ lbs, 20¢ to 21¢; light under 3½ lbs, 17¢ to 18¢; broilers, under 1½ lbs, 28¢; sprouts over 2 lbs, 24¢; spring Pekin ducks, 4 lbs. and over, 21¢ to 22¢; old Pekin ducks, 18¢ to 19¢; colored ducks, 18¢ turkeys, No. 1, 28¢ to 30¢; No. 2, 25¢; culs, 20¢; live, 18¢ to 20¢.

COUNTRY MEATS (buying prices)—Steady; choice veal, 16¢ to 17¢; 1½ to 1¾ lbs.; choice lambs, 17¢ to 18¢; mutton, 8¢ to 10¢.

ONIONS—Yakima, fancy, \$1.75 #2 per cwt.; Oregon, \$2 to 2.25, steady.

POTATOES—Steady; Gemis, No. 1 grade, \$2.60 to \$2.75 per cwt.

WOOL—Steady; eastern Oregon, 18¢ to 20¢ lb.; valley, 18¢ to 22¢.

NUTS—Steady; walnuts, Oregon, 25¢ to 30¢; almonds, 25¢ to 30¢; peanuts, 9½¢ to 10½¢; pecans, 25¢ to 55¢; filberts, 17¢ to 18¢.

HAY—Steady; buying prices: Eastern Oregon timothy, \$29.50 to 31¢; do valley, \$19.60 to 19.50¢; alfalfa, 31¢ to 32¢; clover, \$16; cut hay, \$16; straw, \$7 to 8 ton; selling prices \$2 more.

Livestock

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 23. (AP)—**CATTLE** and CALVES—Fairly active, mostly steady. Receipts: cattle, 1325; calves, 90. Steers, 110 to 1300 lbs, \$10.50 to 11.33; good, \$10.50 to 11.35; mea, \$8.75 to 10.50; common, \$7 to 8.75. Heifers, good, \$9.50 to 10.10; common, \$8 to 9.50. Cows, good, \$8 to 8.50; common to medium, \$6 to 8; low cutter, \$4 to 5. Bulls, good to choice, \$7.50 to 8.50; cutter to medium, \$6.50 to 7.50. Calves, medium to choice, \$6 to 8.50; cut to common, \$4 to 5.60; feeders, milk fed, good to choice, \$9 to 11; medium, \$7 to 9; cut to common, \$4 to 6.75.

HOGS—Active. Killing classes, 25¢ higher. Receipts 3500, including 1577 direct, through or on contract. Heavy weight, \$8.75 to 10.25; medium weight, \$9.25 to 10.50; light weight, 10.25¢ to 10.50; light lights, \$9.50 to 10.50. Packing sows, \$7.25 to 8.25. Slaughter pigs, \$8.50 to 9.50; feeder and stocker pigs, \$8.50 to 9.25. Soft or oily hogs and roasting pigs excluded in above quotations.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Talking around steady. Receipts 400. Lambs, \$1 lb., down, good to choice, \$10 to 11; medium, \$9 to 10; all weights cut to common, \$8 to 9. Fleeing wethers, 110 lbs. down, medium to choice, \$6.50 to \$8.50. Ewes, 120 lbs. down, medium choice, \$7.75 to 8.50; 120 to 125 lbs., medium to choice, \$8 to 10; all weights, common \$1 to 3.

San Francisco Butterfat

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 23. (AP)—Butterfat, f. o. b. San Francisco, 10¢.

Ye Poet's Corner

Keep the Pot Boiling:

See the kettle on the corner; pass it not in cold disdain—

It was placed there by an Army that has never fought in vain.

Tis the emblem of an order that has marshaled all its power

To defend the wretched ramparts where the poor and homeless cower.

Gaunt starvation weaks its blod-

geon—Desolation swings its sword—

Ravage leaders there, whose min-

ions form a heartless, ruthless horde.

Weakened by the blasts of winter,

waited figures reel and drop.

THE the faithful Army rises and

its captains thunder. "Stop!"

See the kettle on the corner where

the city's shadows fall—

'Tis a hungry little kettle, let us

feed it, one and all.

Let us swell the jiving folder

In its stomach loosely plied;

Every mouthful that we give it

means a mouthful for a child.

I have witnessed painted outcasts,

adding to that kettle's store.

Bringing smiles to babies' faces.

Tell me, can a saint do more?

Parsons, bankers, gamblers brawl-

ers—men of high and low de-

gree.

Strive to keep that kettle boiling;

let us help them, you and me.

See the kettle on the corner, near

a church where music grand

Thunders forth appeals for hea-

then dwelling in some distant land.

And the humble little kettle

shrinks abashed, and seems to

say, "I'm just here to serve a baby—

one that came on Christmas day."

Churches rep' the yellow bank-

notes; kettles glean the copper pence.

And the Harvester is watching

from His golden eminence.

Little kettle on the corner, be thou

not ashamed or awed.

For a count is kept in Heaven

and the auditor is God.

(Contributed)

RENT CENTRAL POINT

BUILDING FOR SHOP

CENTRAL POINT, Ore., Dec. 23.

(UPI)—The building adjoining the Bee service station has been repre-

ted to W. H. Marco and wife, to be

used as a repair shop, and will be known as the "We Fix 'Em Shop."

BRINGING UP FATHER



By George McManus

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Kindling by the load. Medford Fuel Co., Tel. 631-2356*

FOR SALE—M. a. bargain, 14x10, 111 S. Bartlett. 2634*

MADE-UP apple boxes 15¢ while they last. Rogue River Co. 281*

FOR SALE—2 drag saws. Medford Fuel Co., Phone 631. 11*

FOR SALE—Bulbosa (bluegrass) seed for sale, 20¢ per pound. Communicate with Williams & Seegmiller, Route 2, Central Point, or call at ranch, Antioch district.

FOR SALE—Page field fence, yard fence, gates, netting, all kinds; cedar and steel fence material. We build fences. Gaddis & Dixon, Tel. 268.

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FOR SALE—Business Directory

Abstracts

MURRAY ABSTRACT CO. Abstracts of Title Insurance. Returns 3 and 5, No. 32 North Central Ave., upstairs.

JACKSON CO. Abstract Co. Abstracts of Title Insurance. The only complete Title System in Jackson County.

Accountant

G. Q. DALINER—Certified Public Accountant. Auditing, accounts, income tax service. Office, College Building. Phone 866. 2331*

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BICYCLE REPAIR SHOP—Work guaranteed. Auto locks and keys for all cars. 19 N. Fir St. Tel. 261.

Chiropractic Physician

DR. E. W. HOFFMAN—Chiropractic Nerve Specialist. Office hours 9 to 12; 2 to 5. 202-204 Liberty Bldg. Office phone 580; Res. phone 730-II.

Eye Specialists

DR. D. A. CHAMBERS, Optometrist. Eyes examined. Glasses fitted. 404 Medford Bldg. Tel. 188. 3232*

Expert Accountant

WILSON AUDITING CO.—E. M. Wilson, C. P. A. Attention given to anything in accounting and Income Tax Requirements. Look into our simplified accounting method. Liberty Bldg., Medford. Phone 157-14.

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WE LEND MONEY to worthy people to pay their honest debts. Pacific Coast Credit Association, 423 Medford Bldg., Medford, Ore.

Freight Transportation

LONG DISTANCE HAULING—Medford to Rainier, 15¢. To Astoria. Daily service. Bonded carriers. Special rates on loads to port. Freight terminal, 36 S. Fir. Tel. 1933.

Money to Loan

MONEY TO LOAN to worthy people to pay their honest debts. Also money to loan on old property. Thomas Realty Co. Room 12, Palm Bldg. Cor. Main and Front Sts., upstairs.

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Long Time Real Estate Mortgage Loan Phone 1322

Commercial Finance Corp. Medford, Oregon

DO YOU NEED MONEY? We make short time loans. Terms never negotiable confidential. 311 Liberty Bldg. Open Tuesdays and Fridays till 5 p. m. Phone 637-J. H. B. Banister, H. C. Christopher.

Monuments

THE OREGON GRANITE CO. Monuments. E. A. Hicks, General Manager; P. M. Kershaw, Sales Manager; 302 N. Front St., Medford.

Painting and Paperhanging

H. MARX—Quality painting, tinting and paperhanging; saves and beautifies; color schemes that are "easy to live with" at minimum cost to your decoration of new and old furniture and fixtures. Phone 178-J.

FRED ALTON HAIGHT—Teacher of Piano and Harmony. Haight Music Studio, 318 Liberty Bldg., 1591*

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MEDFORD PRINTING CO.—Has the best equipped printing office in Southern Oregon. Bookbinding, long and ledger, binding systems, etc. Portland prices. 27

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RADIO SERVICE on any make radio. H. O. Purucker, 22 South Grape street. Office Phone 235-281*

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C. A. HARTLEY—Sand and Gravel plant. Clean, washed sand and gravel; crushed gravel, all sizes. Phone plant 1203 or office 1227.

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EADS TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.—Office 111 N. Fir Street. Phone 319. Prices right. Service guaranteed.

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TRANSFER AND STORAGE—P. L. Samson Co. Quick service. Prices reasonable. Garage insurance protection. 228 N. Riverside, Phone 232.

Upholstering

THIRBAULT—Maker of overstuffed furniture—made to order; re-upholstering. We estimate, show samples. Phone 388-R. 216*

Window Cleaning

LET GEORGE DO IT—Phone 1112 for housecleaning, floor waxing, Janitor service. Geo. A. 969-12.

THE NEBB—The Peacemaker



By Sol Hess

AGENTS WANTED—With sales ability and familiarity with orchard work, to sell something new and novel for supporting fruit-laden limbs of trees; cheaper and better than wooden props. Big