

SCHOOL OPENING RENEWS BATTLE OVER HOME WORK

Advocates Claim Practice Results in Self-Reliance Opponents Say Reliance in Others Is Fostered

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—(AP)—The raising of the curtain for the 1936 school season finds that perennial villain—home work—still cast in a controversial role.

"Home study," said J. F. Rogers, specialist for the United States office of education, "is abused and discussed. They even have laws against it."

Within the last 25 years the take-your-book-home advocates have argued that it results in: Self-reliance. Obedience. A better cultural level in the home. Honesty.

Just as passionately, Mr. Rogers points out, its opponents have contended that home study results in: Reliance on others. Worry for parents. Loss of sleep. Deceit.

"Home work was forbidden by law for children under 15, in California in 1901," the specialist said. "This act was repealed in 1916, but Los Angeles has recently abolished home work in the first eight grades and in the remaining grades over the weekend."

There is a definite trend toward the no home work goal, yet many teachers and parents swear by home study. Rogers has made a study of both sides and has thrown his weight with the objectors.

TALK ON AVIATION GIVEN BY PEIRCE

At the weekly noon luncheon-meeting of the Lions club at Valeriana's cafe yesterday, Max Peirce, president of the Medford chapter of the National Aeronautic association, delivered the main talk.

Mr. Peirce outlined the history of aviation and told of the development of the municipal airport here, declaring it to be one of the finest on the coast.

Guests at the meeting were A. M. Anderson of the Post Office service station and A. L. Hawn of Eugene. Mr. Hawn is married to the former Miss Dorothy Neas of Medford.

Eagle Pt. Schools Start Week Late

EAGLE POINT, Sept. 17.—(Sp.)—Beginning a week later than most schools in the county, Eagle Point school opened Monday morning of this week. New teachers are: Miss Melba Day of Portland, high school; Miss Maxine Pittenger of Medford, intermediate grades; and Miss Dorothy Price of Klamath Falls, primary.

Ray Neugart, Miss Yetta Olson and Clarence Davies were all rehired from last year.

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Markets

Livestock

PORTLAND, Sept. 17.—(AP-USA)—Hogs 400, 115 direct Active, fairly steady; Good to choice 160-210 lb. \$11.15-11.25; mostly \$11.25; 227-270 lb. \$10.50-10.75; 130-155 lb. \$10.50-11.00; packing sows \$9.00-25; choice 90-94 lb. feeding pigs \$9.50.

CATTLE: 300, calves 15. Steady to strong. Odd lot steers, \$7.25; common to medium heifers \$4.00-5.50; cutter down to \$3.50; low cutters and cutters \$3.00-7.50; common and medium \$4.00-5.50; good beef, \$4.75-5.25; bulls \$4.75-5.25; few \$5.40; good vealers, \$7.50-9.00; common \$3.75; calves down to \$4.00.

SHEEP: 1500, 1200 direct, active mostly steady; good 75-95 lb. \$7.50-8.00; medium 77-93 lb. \$7.00-7.50; common 60 lb. down to \$6.00; few wethers \$3.50-4.50; medium to good ewes \$2.75-3.25; common down to \$1.50.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—(AP-USA)—Hogs 800, butch mostly steady with Wednesday's low close, top and bulk 160-lb. California \$11.15; part loan medium 158-lb. weights, \$10.90; medium 120-135 lb. slaughter, pigs, \$10.00-25. Packing sows, few sales \$8.25.

CATTLE: 100, holdovers 60. Steers predominating in light supply; all classes mostly steady; full load desirable 950-985 lb. warmed-up California steers, \$7.75; load medium 1070-1265 lb. weights, \$6.75-7.00; two loads medium 955-1070 lb. short fed steers, \$6.75; half load common 850 lb. range cows, \$4.00; good quoted to \$5.50; few heavy dairy cows, \$4.25-4.50; scattered sales low cutters and cutters, \$3-4; odd bulls to \$3.25.

Calves: None, nominal; good to choice vealers quoted around \$9-9.50.

SHEEP: 350; lambs active, fully steady; part deck good 83-lb. woolled California, \$9, sorted 10 per cent; short deck good 77-lb. medium felt lambs \$8.75; short deck medium 70-lb. woolled lambs, \$8.50; other classes absent, choice ewes quoted to \$3.75.

late Wednesday, good heavy woolled lambs quoted about 15c lower, quotable top strictly good woolskins, \$9.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—(AP-USA)—Hogs 9000; steady to shade lower; spots around 10c lower than Wednesday's average; extreme top, \$10.75; bulk 400-500 lb. \$10.25-70; most well finished 140-200 lb., \$9.50-10.50; bulk sows, \$8.50-9.50.

CATTLE: 5000; calves 800; yearlings and light heifers firm and active; cows barely steady; bulls strong, and vealers about in line with Wednesday's downturn; best yearlings \$10.25; weighty steers, \$10; these scaling 1440 lb.; strictly choice medium weights held above \$10.25; heifer yearlings to \$10; bulk fed steers, \$9.00-10, with lower grades, grassy and short fed kinds, \$6.75-8.50; bulls \$5.75 down; vealers, \$10 down; mostly \$9.50 down; stockers steady at \$5.25-6.50, with better grades \$7.25 up to \$8.00 and better.

SHEEP: 12,000; fat lambs moderately active; 15c and more higher; good to choice natives and westerns, \$9.25-50; best held \$9.50-65 and above; sheep strong; two doubles medium Montana range ewes, \$2.60; scattered natives, \$3.00-50; feeding lambs supply limited; undertone firm.

Portland Wheat

PORTLAND, Sept. 17.—(AP)—Wheat. Open High Low Close
May 94 97 97 97 1/2
Sept. 95 95 95 95
Dec. 96 96 1/2 93 1/2 96 1/2

Cash wheat: Big Bend bluestem best 1.07 1/2; dark hard winter 13 pct. 1.18; 12 pct. 1.12; 11 pct. 1.06; soft white 95; western white 95; hard winter 1.00; western red 97.

Oats No. 2 white 30.00; gray 29.00. Barley No. 2-45 lb. B. W. 34.50. Corn No. 2 eastern Y. ship 49.50. Argentine 40.00. Millrun standard 27.00.

Today's car receipts: Wheat 42; barley 13; flour 15.

Portland Produce

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 17.—(AP)—The slight lowering of dairy products during the late session of the produce exchange had little effect inasmuch as there is practically no change in general conditions. Butterfat was unchanged.

On the exchange there was a loss of 1c in medium extra eggs which suggested the increasing lay, although pullets have been in chief increased offering of late.

BUTTER—Prints, A grade, 38c lb. in parchment wrappers, 35c lb. in cartons; B grade, parchment wrappers 37c lb. C grade at market.

B GRADE CREAM FOR MARKET—Buying price, butterfat basis, 53 1/2c.

Oregon Farmers' Income Started Upward in 1935

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—(AP)—The agriculture department estimated today Oregon farmers' cash income, exclusive of benefit payments, amounted to \$89,299,000 in 1935, compared with \$74,458,000 in 1934, a gain of about 20 per cent and the highest in six years.

Chicago Wheat

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—(AP)—Wheat. Open High Low Close
Sept. 1.14 1.15 1.13 1.15 1/2
Dec. 1.12 1.13 1.11 1.13 1/2
May 1.11 1.12 1.10 1.12 1/2

Wall St. Report

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—(AP)—A rather anemic stock market today took its recovery nourishment in small but effective doses.

While a few steels, rails and specialties climbed back on the upward trail for gains of 1 to 2 points, numerous issues held to a restricted zone. Transfers approximated 800,000 shares.

Today's closing prices for 31 selected stocks follow:

Am. Can	124
Am. & Pgn. Pow.	6 1/2
A. T. & T.	174 3/4
Anacosta	40 1/2
Atch. T. & S. P.	81 1/2
Bendix Avia.	29
Beth. Steel	68 1/2
California Pack'g.	38 1/2
Caterpillar Tract.	75 1/2
Chrysler	112 1/2
Coml. Solv.	15 1/2
Curtiss-Wright	6 1/2
DuPont	161 1/2
Gen Foods	39
Gen Mot.	66 1/2
Int. Harvst.	76 1/2
I. T. & T.	12 1/2
Johns-Man.	118 1/2
Monty Ward	49 1/2
North Amer.	31
Penney (J. C.)	89 1/2
Phillips Pet.	40 1/2
Radio	10 1/2
Sou. Pac.	42 1/2
Sid. Brands	15 1/2
St. Oil Cal.	36
St. Oil N. J.	61 1/2
Trans. Amer.	13 1/2
Union Carb.	93 1/2

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