

Farm Prices Down, Costs At New High

Washington - (UPI) - Farm prices declined slightly while far production costs inched upward to a new all-time high in the month ended Nov. 15, the agricultural department reported Friday.

Most price changes during the month were relatively small. Primarily responsible for the decline in the index of prices received by farmers were lower prices for oranges, hogs, cotton, corn, and tobacco. Seasonably higher prices for some fresh vegetables, potatoes, apples, and milk were only partially offsetting.

Even with the overall decline, mid-November prices received by farmers were nearly 4 per cent above a year earlier.

Farm costs, led by higher prices for new automobiles, kicked the prices-paid index to 308 per cent of the 1910-14 base period. The mid-November prices-paid index was up one-third of one per cent from mid-October. The November index was 3 per cent higher than a year earlier.

The prices-received index now has dropped for two consecutive months, and the

prices-paid index has risen three consecutive months. The prices-received index for mid-November was 251 per cent of the base period, down four-tenths of 1 per cent from mid-October.

BLOOD PIONEER DIES
Baltimore - (UPI) - Dr. Bertram M. Bernheim, 78, a surgeon considered a pioneer in blood transfusion work, died Friday. He was associate professor emeritus of surgery at Johns Hopkins medical school and author of "Blood Transfusion, Hemorrhage, and the Anemias," published in 1917 when blood transfusion was a relatively new concept.

Wilderville Youth Crushed Under Auto

Grants Pass - (UPI) - Eugene Wayne Lowden, 19, of Wilderville, a small town near here, was killed Friday when a car he was dismantling slipped off a jack and crushed him.

Lowden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lowden, became worried when he didn't show up for dinner. Upon investigating they found that his old car had slipped off its short-handle jack and had fallen on his neck and part of his chest.

He was dead on arrival at Josephine General hospital here.

An Indian burial ground more than 200 years old is in the middle of the business district in Muskegon, Mich.

Drivers Licenses Suspended Listed

Salem - The Department of motor vehicles has released names of 561 drivers whose licenses were ordered suspended during the period beginning Nov. 17 and ending Nov. 21.

Length of suspension varies, depending on charges involved, recommendation of court, discretionary action by the department or requirements of Oregon law. The department said some of the licenses involving financial responsibility and court recommendations may have been reinstated after suspension was ordered.

The department warned drivers that the penalty for driving while suspended is a jail sentence of no less than two days and up to six months, and there may be imposed a fine up to \$500. Under licensing procedures, this will also result in an additional year of suspension.

Those suspended in Jackson county were:

Driving While Suspended - (Includes any conviction for violation of traffic laws, involving operation of motor vehicle, while driving privileges were under suspension)

Cushman, Leonard Holloway, 27, of 549 North Main st., Ashland, no operator's license, 1 year.

Court Recommendations - (Following traffic violation convictions)

Falce, Floyd Dean, 19, of 1482 Myers lane, Medford, violation of basic rule, 90 days.

Discretionary Action of Department

Rees, Charles Clark, 19, of 234 1/2 Manzanita st., Central Point, driving record, 30 days.

Stevens, George Allan, 19, of 548 Fairmount st., Medford, driving record, 30 days.

Financial Responsibility - (Failure to show proof of financial responsibility)

Bean, John Hurschel, 38, of 725 Brookdale, Medford.

Brown, Floyd Wilton, 18, of 855 East Main st., Ashland.

Brown, James Elliott, 25, of 2334 Capital ave., Medford.

Gwinn, Gordon Wayne, 29, of 787 Oak st., Ashland.

Hills, Gordon Walter, 38, of 1120 West Ninth st., Medford.

Hunsaker, Glen William, 34, of Pine st., Butte Falls.

Long, Floyd Alfred, 46, of 1122 Sunset ave., Medford.

Miller, R. W., 166 Nob Hill st., Ashland.

Murphy, Ralph Eugene, 21, of Mate st., Medford.

Robertson, R., 787 Oak st., Ashland.

Salinas, Louis Humberto, 10500 Highway South, Ashland.

Sparks, Leonard Vernon, 59, of Shady Auto court, Medford.

Walsh, Dolores Pauline, 31, of 473 Freeman rd., Central Point.

Walsh, Joseph Duran, 31, of 473 Freeman rd., Central Point.

Watkins, Muriilo Al, route 1, box 432F, Medford.

Wyatt, Raymond Edward, Gold Hill.

Meter Maid Tags At Parade Voided

Portland - (UPI) - The many motorists who were tagged during Friday's Fairy Tale parade here by meter maids can have their fines written off, according to William D. Conner, head of the meter maid division.

Conner said that motorists who received tickets from meter maids can bring them to the Governor building, room 411, and the tickets will be torn up. Or they can mail them into the meter maid division with a note of explanation and they will be torn up.

Meter maids in Portland aroused the ire of many motorists during the parade when cars were tagged for double-parking and overparking.

City police had directed the cars off the route of the parade and into the parking positions.

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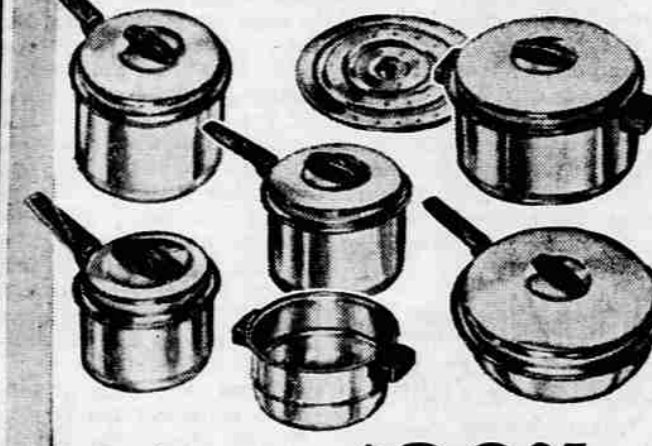
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