

Cheese Factory Reports.

Meda Creamery Co.
Factory received 1,194,590 lbs. of milk during 1918, as against 1,069,900 during 1917, showing a gain of 34,690 lbs. over 1917.

Milk contained 45,446 lbs. butter fat.

Average was 4.115 per cent butter fat in milk.

124,588 lbs. cheese produced making 1,809 boxes.

Cheese sold for \$32,504.40.

Average price received, 26.09c.

Average yield was 11.28 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Company received \$3,841.03 for making cheese.

Expenses for the year were \$3,396.85.

December butter fat will be 86c.

Resources—Building and ground, \$2,200; supplies on hand paid for, \$1,042.25; Cash in bank, \$691.89; Oretown Cheese Co., salt, \$30.63; December making due company, \$71.40; Total \$4,027.17.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$1,500; December money in, \$557.28; balance favor stockholders, \$1,979.89; Total \$4,027.17.

All of the 1918 cheese has been shipped and sold. Triplet cheese is now selling at 38c. Tillamook, the highest price known.

Sandlake Creamery Co.

Factory received 344,078 lbs. of milk during 1918.

37,588 lbs. cheese produced making 528 boxes.

13,825 lbs. butter fat in milk.

Average butter fat in milk, 4.02 per cent.

37,589 lbs. cheese produced.

Average yield, 10.92 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$10,118.37.

Average price, 26.91 c. the lb. Tillamook.

Factory received \$1,656.76 for making cheese, \$73.56 on loss and gain account, and \$250.00 from the sale of stock.

Old note of \$200.00 was paid off, \$1,656.40 was spent for expense account and improvements for the factory, and the company now has \$126.74 cash in bank with all accounts paid to date and what supplies there on hand are paid for.

I do not know the value of the factory nor the amount of outstanding capital stock, hence cannot give you an itemized financial statement. I believe, however, that this is the first time the company has been out of debt and had a balance in the bank.

Triplet cheese is now selling at 38c Tillamook, the highest price known. All of the 1918 cheese has been shipped from this county and stocks of cheese are light everywhere.

Oretown Cheese Co.

Factory received 1,382,658 lbs. of milk during the year 1918.

Milk contained 56,653 lbs. butter fat, an average of 4.1 per cent.

152,578 lbs. cheese produced, making 2,180 boxes.

Average yield, 11.04 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$39,715.13.

Average price received, 26.03c.

Factory received \$4,448.67 for making cheese, an average of 2.92c. the lb.

Expenses for the year were \$3,992.04.

December butter fat payment will be 86c.

Resources—Building and ground, \$2,128.53; Supplies on hand paid for, \$1,521.50; Cash in bank, \$844.03; December making due us, \$103.80; 1918 expense account, dividends, \$90.00; Small accounts, \$4.85. Total, \$4,692.71.

Liabilities—December money collected in, \$582.84; Capital stock outstanding, \$800.00; Meda Creamery, salt, \$30.63; By balance, \$3,279.24; Total \$4,692.71.

All the 1918 cheese is now sold and shipped. Triplet cheese is now selling at 38c. Tillamook, the highest price known.

Pleasant Valley Cheese Company.

Factory received 898,424 lbs. milk during 1918.

35,680 lbs. butter fat in milk.

Average test was 3.971 per cent.

98,551 lbs. cheese produced, making 1,383 boxes.

Average yield, 10.97 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$26,041.05.

Average price, 26.42c. Tillamook.

Company received \$3,185.40 for making cheese.

Expenses for the year were \$3,124.20.

Resources—Building and ground, \$1,296.49; Supplies on hand paid for, \$822.00; Cash in bank, \$80.31; Claim due company, \$835.37; December making due company, \$58.89; Liberty bond \$100.00. Total, \$3,193.06.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$225.00; Bills payable, \$1,000.00; Due cheese maker, \$38.15; By balance, \$1,779.91. Total, \$3,193.06.

Central Creamery Co.

Factory received a total of 1,944,642 lbs. of milk during 1918, as against 1,870,812 lbs. during 1917, a gain of 73,830 lbs. over 1917.

80,804 lbs. butter fat in milk, an average of 4.16 per cent.

214,121 lbs. cheese produced, making 3,001 boxes.

Average yield, 11.01 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$56,632.16, an

average price of 26.45c.

December butter fat will be 86c.

Factory received \$6,348.97 for making cheese, or 3c. the lb., approximately.

Expenses for the year were \$5,165.07.

Resources—Building and ground carried at \$1,516.42; Supplies on hand paid for, \$1,238.00; Cash in bank, \$718.30; December making due company, \$180.18. Total \$3,652.90.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$670.00; December money in, \$4,026.36; Balance favor stockholders, \$1,956.54; Total, \$3,652.90.

Company is carrying \$358.00 more supplies than last year, hence will not have quite enough money to pay for December milk without securing small loan.

All of the 1918 cheese is now sold and shipped. Price of triplets is 38c. Tillamook, the highest price known.

Blaine Creamery Co.

Factory received 608,814 lbs. of milk during 1918, as against 557,868 lbs. during 1917.

Milk contained 26,463 lbs. butter fat.

Average test or butter fat content, 4.34 per cent, the highest in association.

68,220 lbs. cheese produced, making 959 boxes.

Yield 11.2 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$18,008.18, an average of 26.39c. the lb. 1917 cheese sold for \$14,386.88.

Company received \$2,080.97 for making cheese.

Expenses were \$2,035.84. From this should be deducted wood on hand paid for.

Resources—Building and ground, \$1,527.18; Supplies paid for, \$390.50; Cash in bank, \$18.34; December making due us, \$97.00; Total, \$1,943.02.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$750.00; By balance favor stock, \$1,193.02. Total \$1,943.02.

All of the 1918 cheese is now sold. December butter fat will probably be 85c., although all December from Blaine sold for 38c. Tillamook. Triplet cheese is now selling at 38c. Tillamook, the highest price known.

Maple Leaf Creamery Association.

Factory received 4,978,839 lbs. milk.

Milk contained 208,060 lbs. of butter fat.

Average butter fat in milk, 4.179 per cent.

In addition, 727.00 lbs. of butter fat was shipped to Portland and \$391.02 was realized from this.

Also, 10,795 1/2 lbs. butter was sold for \$5,652.27. From this should be deducted 1338 lbs. of butter fat bought from other factories and for which \$917.65 was paid.

576,604 lbs. cheese produced, making 8,274 boxes.

Average yield 11.58.

Cheese sold for \$154,937.11, an average of 26.87c. the lb.

Factory will receive \$15,984.37 for making cheese.

Expenses for the year were \$15,066.04. Company also installed butter making plant.

Resources—Building and ground, \$5,889.01; Supplies paid for, \$4,435.00; Cash in bank, \$4,291.34; Wilson River Farmer's water \$676; Small accounts, \$279.84. Total, \$15,370.33.

Liabilities—Capital stock out, \$900.00; December money in, \$1,600.41; By balance, \$12,869.92.

Triplet cheese is now selling at 38c. Tillamook, the highest price known. All of the 1918 cheese has been sold.

Miami Valley Creamery Co.

The factory received 717,211 lbs. of milk during 1918.

29,611 lbs. butter fat in milk.

Average of 4.128 per cent butter fat in milk.

79,603 lbs. cheese produced, making 1,110 boxes.

Average yield, 11.10 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$21,050.12, an average of 26.32c. the lb. Miami.

Factory received \$2,856.51 for making cheese.

Itemized lists of checks issued shows expense account paid during the year of \$2,580.32. Part of this may have been for 1917 expense.

Company paid old mortgage of \$780.00 and later borrowed \$400.00 again. At this writing company owes two notes of \$400.00 each. There are also \$380.00 worth of supplies and wood on hand, against practically nothing at the beginning of 1918.

Resources—Building and ground, estimated, \$1,800.00; Supplies on hand, \$380.00. Total \$2,180.00.

Liabilities—Bills payable at bank, \$80.00; overdraft at bank \$14.60; Capital stock outstanding, \$930.00; By balance favor stockholders, \$408.31; Total, \$2,180.00.

All of 1918 cheese has been sold and shipped. Triplet cheese is now selling at 38c. Tillamook, the highest price known.

Beaver Creamery Association.

Factory received total of 860,413 lbs. of milk during 1918.

Milk contained 35,907 lbs. butter fat, and average of 4.17 per cent.

93,090 lbs. cheese sold, 1,344 boxes cheese produced.

Average yield, 10.82 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk. Some of the cheese was burned, so the above does not

show the actual yield.

Expenses for 1918 were \$3,198.90.

Factory received \$2,884.90 for making cheese. All bills presented are paid.

Company has spent \$2,561.63 for ground and equipment and rebuilding to date. Part of the above expense has been incurred since the fire.

Resources—Building and ground, \$2,561.63; Supplies on hand, \$614.07; To balance, \$238.69; Total, \$3,414.39.

Liabilities—Capital stock account, \$817.50; Bills payable, \$2,500.00; Overdraft at bank, \$98.89. Total, \$3,414.39.

All cheese has been sold for 1918. Price for triplets is now 38c. the highest price known.

South Prairie Creamery Company.

Factory received \$2,940,523 lbs. of milk, containing 121,321 lbs. butter fat.

Average butter fat, 4.126 per cent.

330,816 lbs. of cheese produced, making 4,719 boxes.

Average yield, 11.25 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$68,931.32.

Average price received, 26.29c. the lb. Tillamook.

2,809 lbs. whey fat produced, which sold for \$1,583.90.

Factory received \$9,623.51 for making cheese.

Expenses for the year were \$3,778.34.

Resources—Building and ground, \$3,481.94; Supplies on hand paid for, \$2,077.45; Cash in bank, \$1,386.72; December making due us, \$236.83; Account due company, \$23.90. Total, \$8,266.02.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$1,400.00; December money in, \$1,132.27; Balance favor stockholders, \$5,733.75. Total, \$8,266.02.

The Tillamook Creamery

The factory received 5,599,418 lbs. of milk during 1918, and this milk contained 231,753 lbs. butter fat.

Average butter fat in milk was 4.133 per cent.

634,833 lbs. cheese produced, making 8,832 boxes.

Average yield, 11.34 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

9,954 lbs. whey fat produced, which sold for \$5,272.82.

Cheese sold for \$168,182.45, an average price of 26.48c. Tillamook.

Expenses for the year were \$14,415.05.

Making account was \$16,968.74.

Resources—building and ground, \$7,407.40; Supplies and 1918 expense, \$4,449.13; Cash in bank, \$1,227.87; Mdse. account out, 75c.; Claim for lost cheese, \$49.68; Sand Lake Creamery Co., \$6.50. 1918 cheese account, \$19.72. Total, \$13,161.05.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$1,100.00; By balance, \$12,061.05. Total, \$13,161.05.

Long Prairie Creamery Co.

The factory received total of 1,820,113 lbs. of milk during 1918.

Milk contained 71,380 lbs. butter fat, an average of 3.922 per cent.

201,358 lbs. cheese produced, making 2,802 boxes.

Cheese sold for \$52,349.02, an average of 26c. the lb.

Average yield, 11.06 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Factory produced, 1,282 lbs. whey butter fat.

Company received \$6,192.60 for making cheese.

Expenses for the year were \$6,020.28.

Resources—Building and ground, \$2,704.87; supplies on hand paid for, \$1,438.00; December making due us, \$129.18; Cash in bank, \$33.07; Account due company, \$2.10; Total, \$4,307.22.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$750.00; December money in, \$489.78; By balance, \$3,067.44. Total, \$4,307.22.

Fairview Dairy Association.

Factory received 2,559,561 lbs. of milk during 1918.

This milk contained 108,590 lbs. of butter fat, an average of 4.2 per cent.

294,252 lbs. of cheese made, making 4,425 boxes.

Average yield, 11.5 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$78,423.26, an average price of 26.65c. Tillamook.

Company received \$8,525.43 for making cheese.

Expenses for the year were \$8,087.67.

5,506 lbs. of whey cream sold, which brought \$2,876.03. This is about 11c. the 100 lbs. milk.

Resources—Building and ground, \$4,762.99; Supplies on hand paid for, \$2,808.24; Cash on hand, \$1,481.26; Liberty bond, \$100.00; December making, \$300.81; Small accounts due company, \$120.70. Total, \$9,574.40.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$1,800.00; Tillamook Co. Ex. Ass'n., \$89.95; December money in, \$1,089.34; By balance for stockholders, \$6,623.81. Total, \$9,574.40.

Clover Leaf Creamery Company.

The factory received total of 2,240,582 lbs. of milk during 1918.

This milk contained 93,175 lbs. of butter fat.

Average butter fat content, 4.159 per cent.

250,479 lbs. cheese produced, making 3,539 boxes.

Average yield, 11.18 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$66,766.89.

average price, 26.65c. f. o. b. Tillamook.

3,151 lbs. whey butter fat sold.

\$1,704.43 realized from whey cream sold.

Factory commenced skimming whey the last of April.

Factory received \$7,833.91 for making cheese.

Expenses for the year were \$6,885.97, showing a gain of \$997.91 on operating expenses.

\$1,657.56 was spent during the year for whey skimming plant and addition or betterments to factory.

Resources—Building and ground, \$4,956.11; Supplies on hand paid for, \$1,945.25; Cash in bank, \$553.76; December making due company, \$256.68; Nine small accounts due us, \$199.12; Total \$7,010.12.

Liabilities—Capital stock outstanding, \$600.00; Bills payable at bank, \$1,500.00; December money in, \$762.32; Due cheese maker \$105.00; By balance favor stockholders, \$4,052.80.

Holstein Creamery Company.

The factory received 3,142,797 lbs. of milk during 1918.

116,773 lbs. of butter fat in milk.

Average butter fat in milk, 3.715 per cent.

We figured an extra six points on all butter fat shown by Babcock test, making 18,855 lbs. more, that being the basis of division when patrons were paid.

335,627 lbs. of cheese manufactured and sold, making 4,810 boxes.

Average yield, 10.67 lbs. cheese per 100 lbs. milk.

Cheese sold for \$89,347.14.

Average price, 26.77c. Tillamook.

6,012 lbs. of butter fat sold from whey cream.

\$3,227.13 was realized from whey cream sold, or a little more than 10c. the 100 lbs. milk. It also figures about ten times more than your office and selling expense amounts to, which is 1-10c. the lb. cheese made.

Factory received \$10,699.69 for making cheese, an average of 3.19c. the lb.

Expenses for the year were \$8,319.42.

Resources—Building and ground, \$14,605.56; Supplies paid for, \$2,820.00; Cash in bank