

BUYING IS BRISK ALONG ALL LINES

Eggs Continue Easier and the Price Will Probably Not Go Higher.

Chicken receipts were heavy today in the local market, with hogs a close second. Along all lines trade was good and buying was brisk, with prices all ruling steady.

Wholesale Markets. Vegetables—(Corrected daily by the Capital Brokerage and Commission Company)—Lettuce, 10c per pound; cabbage, 85c@91 per cwt.; potatoes, 6c@7c per cwt.; beets, \$1.25@1.50 per cwt.; turnips, \$1.25 per cwt.; onions, 90c@1.15; pumpkins and squash, 75c@1 per cwt.; celery, fancy, 75c; choice, 65c per dozen.

Local fruits—(Corrected daily by the Falk Grocery)—Apples, 50c@75c per box pears, 70c@81 per box. Eggs, honey and ranch butter—Fresh ranch eggs, per case, \$10.50; honey, per case, \$2.40; ranch butter, 27c per pound.

Dairy produce—(Corrected daily by the Jensen Creamery Co.)—Creamery butter, solid pack, 33c; prints, extra, cream, per gallon, \$1; milk, per gallon, 20c; per hundred pounds, \$1.70; butter fat, 33c per pound.

Livestock—(Corrected daily by the Boise Butcher Company)—Cows, \$3.75@4.75 cwt.; steers, \$4.15@5.50; fat hogs, \$6 cwt.; medium, \$5.50 cwt.; stock hogs, \$6 cwt.; wethers, \$3@3.50 cwt. spring lambs, \$2.50@3 per head; hens, 90c@1; spring chickens, \$3@4 per dozen; turkeys, 14c per pound, live weight; dry picked, 16c; geese, 30c per pound, live weight; ducks, 30c, live weight, 12c per pound dressed; breakfast bacon, 18c; ham, 17c; lard, tierce base, 18c per pound.

Hay and grain—(Corrected daily by the Central Commission Company)—Alfalfa, \$8.50 per ton, baled, loose, \$7.50; timothy, \$10@12; baled, \$11@12; clover, baled, \$10@11 per ton; alfalfa meal \$15.50 per ton; wheat, \$1.25@1.50 per cwt.; oats, \$1.10@1.15 per cwt.

Retail Markets. (Corrected daily by W. J. Campbell & Son)

Potatoes, per cwt., \$1.00; celery, 5 and 10c bunch; cauliflower, 10c per pound; lettuce, 15c per pound; green peppers, 20c per pound; spinach, 10c per pound; head lettuce, 15c per pound; winter radishes, 5c per pound; radishes, 5c bunch; new onions, 5c per bunch; turnips, 5c per bunch; beets, 3c per pound; carrots, 6c per bunch; cabbage, 2c per pound; sweet potatoes, 15c per pound; artichokes, sprouts, 15c per pound; Brussels sprouts, 15c per pound; lima beans, 15c per pound; tomatoes, 15c per pound; onions, 2 1/2c per pound; pumpkins, 2c per pound; squash, 2c per pound; rutabaga turnips, 2c per pound; parsnips, 2 1/2c per pound; cucumbers, 25c per pound.

Local fruits—Apples, 75c, \$1@1.25; pears, 5c lb., \$1.00 per box; Michigan Concord grapes, 45c per basket; pears for canning, \$1.25@1.50 per box.

Tropical fruits—Oranges, per dozen, 30c to 60c; lemons, per dozen, 40c; Casahuate melons, 6c per pound; bananas, 3 pounds for 25c; cut off bananas, 15c per dozen; Cornishon grapes, 12 1/2c per pound; Red Emperor, 12 1/2c per pound; Florida grapefruit, 10c to 15c each; persimmons, 5c to 10c each; pomegranates, 5c to 10c each.

Eggs, butter and honey—Ranch eggs, per dozen, 40c; storage eggs, 30c; eastern creamery butter, 30c per pound; local creamery butter, 40c; ranch butter, 30c to 35c; honey, 15c.

Sugar and lard—Sugar, per hundred pounds, \$8.50; lard, per 10-pound pail, \$1.75; 3-pound pail, 60c; 6-pound pail, 90c.

Fish—Halibut, 20c; salmon, 20c per pound; kippered salmon, 25c per pound; brook trout, 60c per pound; stock fish, 20c per pound; flnan hadie, 20c lb.; crawfish, 80c dozen; crabs, 25c and 30c; clams in shell, 12 1/2c per pound; white fish, 25c per pound; perch, 25c; lake trout, 25c; razor clams, 25c doz.; shrimps 25c per pound; oysters in shell, 40c doz.

New York oysters, 85c quart; select oysters, 90c quart. Poultry—Hens, 18c; ducks, 20c; geese, 18c; fryers, 50c to 60c; roasting chicken, 20c per pound; turkeys, 25c per pound. Country made sausage, 20c per pound; Brookfield sausage, 25c per pound; Frankfurt sausage, 25c per pound.

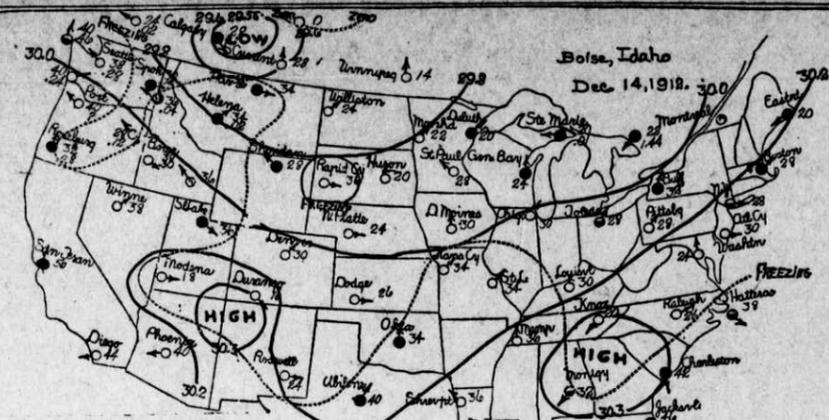
Livestock Markets. Chicago, Dec. 14.—Wheat—Receipts, 4000 head; market, steady. December, \$5.70@5.75; Texas steers, \$4.50@5.50; western steers, \$5.40@6.15; stockers and feeders, \$4.40@7.65; cows and heifers, \$2.85@7.65; calves, \$6.75@11. Hogs—Receipts, 20,000 head; market, strong to 5c higher. Light, \$7@7.40; mixed, \$7.05@7.45; heavy, \$7.05@7.50; rough, \$7.05@7.20; pigs, \$5@7.06; bulk of sales, \$7.25@7.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000 head; market steady to strong. Native, \$4.10@4.10; western, \$4.40@5.10; yearlings, \$5.50@6.90; lambs, native, \$6.40@8.35; western, \$6.50@8.30.

Omaha, Dec. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 1400 head; market, steady. Native, steers, \$6.30@10; cows and heifers, \$3.75@6.75; western steers, \$5.50@8.50; Texas steers, \$4.75@6.25; Texas cows and heifers, \$3.50@6.40; canners, \$3@4.25; stockers and feeders, \$4.75@7.75; calves, \$5@9; bulls, stags, etc., \$4.40@6.10.

TODAY'S OFFICIAL WEATHER MAP

U. S. Department of Agriculture WEATHER BUREAU WILLIS L. MOORE, Chief



EXPLANATORY NOTES. Observations taken at a. m., seventy-fifth meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isotherms (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero freezing, 9°, and 60°.

FORECAST FOR BOISE AND VICINITY—Fair and cooler tonight and Sunday.

DAILY REPORT—Highest temperature yesterday, 53; lowest temperature this morning, 37; mean temperature yesterday, 42. Total precipitation for the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m., .30 of an inch.

CONDITIONS—High barometric pressure continues except over an area embracing the western Canadian provinces, and extending southward

over Montana, Wyoming, the Dakotas, Minnesota, Wisconsin and upper Michigan. Precipitation has occurred in the extreme northwest, and at scattered points in the Gulf states and the lake region. The heaviest precipitation was 1.44 inches at Parry Sound, Ontario. Warmer weather prevails on the northern Rocky mountain slope, over the southern plateau and over most of the country east of the Mississippi river.

Fair weather may be expected in

Boise and its vicinity tonight and Sunday, with lower temperature tonight. LOWEST TEMPERATURE ELSEWHERE—Boston, 28; Buffalo, 32; Chicago, 30; Denver, 30; Des Moines, 30; Duluth, 20; Galveston, 48; Hatteras, 38; Havre, 34; Helena, 34; Huron, 20; Jacksonville, 46; Kansas City, 34; New Orleans, 36; New York, 18; North Platte, 20; Oklahoma, 28; Phoenix, 44; Pittsburg, 12; Pocatello, 22; Portland, 40; St. Louis, 22; St. Paul, 16; Salt Lake, 32; San Francisco, 48.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Potatoes—Steady. Receipts, 35 cars. Michigan, 50@52c; Minnesota, 47@52c; Wisconsin, 45@48c.

Poultry—Easy. Turkeys, alive, 15c; dressed, 20c; chickens, springs, alive, 10 1/2c; steady, 9@14c.

Sugar and Coffee. New York, Dec. 14.—Sugar—Raw, firm. Muscovado, 39 test, \$3.55; centrifugal, 96 test, \$4.05; molasses, 39 test, \$3.30; refined, steady.

Cotton Market. New York, Dec. 14.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet. Middling upland, \$12.10; middling gulf, \$13.35; sales, 800 bales.

Reports of Agencies. New York, Dec. 14.—Bradstreet's today says: Despite cross-currents in trade, reflecting the advance of the year toward its close, business as a whole is active and industry is so in a high degree.

Kansas City Hay Market. Kansas City, Dec. 14.—Prairie hay was quoted up 50 cents a ton, alfalfa was firm and other hay steady.

Chicago Grain and Provisions. Chicago, Dec. 14.—Wheat—December, 84c; May, 90c; July, 87c.

Metal Quotations. New York, Dec. 14.—Bar silver, 64c.

Wool Markets. St. Louis, Dec. 14.—Wool—Steady. Territory and western mediums, 21@25c; fine mediums, 18@20c; fine, 13@17c.

Money Market. New York, Dec. 14.—Mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.80 for 60-day bills, and at \$4.81 for demand.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese. Chicago, Dec. 14.—Butter, easier. Creameries, 27@30c.

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