

Stock Quotations and Market News

Leased Wire Report.

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ORCHARD EXPERT PREDICTS LARGE YIELD OF FRUITS

Crops Weathers Winter Successfully Despite Severe Cold—P. S. Brees Advises Care of Trees.

BY P. S. BRES.

Fruit prospects for Wayne county appear to be a little ahead of the average this year, notwithstanding the severity of the early part of the winter.

The late fall kept the trees growing almost until cold weather set in, and at that time there appeared to be great danger of winter killing the fruit, but the wood ripened up hard and now the season's crops depends upon the care taken of the tree this spring.

First examine your trees to see if there are any dead limbs on them, any crossed limbs or any water sprouts. See if the sunlight and the air can get to all parts freely. See if one side is heavier than the other. If you find any of these defects they should be remedied.

Observe Trees Closely.

By a close observation and by keeping these points in mind you will have a very good foundation to begin working on.

Next the trees should be sprayed with a "scale-icide" which may be purchased at any drug store. Be sure to put it on strong enough as it will not injure the tree while too weak a solution is only a waste of time and material. With a high pressure pump thoroughly coat every part of the tree. This must be done before the buds begin to start.

Spray for the codling moth just before the buds begin to open and just after the blossoms fall.

In performing this work the word thoroughness can not be impressed too deeply on the mind for on it depends the success of the greater part of the season. A great deal more might be said on this, but if the reader wants to know more I would advise him to write to his experiment station.

Proper Treatment for Billousness.

For a long time Miss Lula Skelton, Churchville, N. Y., was bilious and had sick headache and dizzy spells. Chamberlain's Tablets were the only thing that gave her permanent relief. Obtainable everywhere.—adv.

FARMER OFFERS HOG FOR WIFE

MOUNTAIN HOME, Ark., March 4.—George Bodenhamer, widower, and one of the largest hog buyers, raisers and shippers in Baxter county, made an advertising contract with a local newspaper, in which he agreed to give the editor a prime fat 200-pound hog next fall if, through the advertising columns of the paper, the editor secured for him a wife by that time. The editor, believing in the pulling power of his advertising columns accepted the offer on the spot.

ACREAGE OF WHEAT INCREASES IN U. S.

11.1 Per Cent Additional Sown Last Fall to Offset Shortage.

The United States is not threatened with a shortage of foodstuffs, according to figures of the department of agriculture. There are about 145,000,000 bu. of wheat until the appearance of new crops, July 1. There was an increase of 11.1 per cent, or over 4,000,000 acres in wheat acreage sown last fall.

But suppose a shortage in wheat should develop in the next three months, what would be the situation? There is a great surplus of other food crops in the United States, a number of which could be used as substitutes. Wheat does not constitute more than 12 per cent of the normal diet, about the same as poultry and eggs. Meat and dairy products constitute 48 per cent; vegetables 11 per cent; fruit, nuts, sugar, fish and other items the remaining 19 per cent.

There are larger supplies of corn and other grains, meat animals, dairy products, potatoes and fruit at the opening of 1915 than for many years.

TWO-LEGGED HOG STARTS CAREER

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 4.—"Two-legged pigs" were not infrequently mentioned in the nursery days when little Willie or little Mary showed too much of the porcine propensity along about mealtime, but the real two-legged porker now makes its bow. "It's bow" is used advisedly, for Rosy is destined to be an actress. She is a real pig and has only one pair of legs, and for that reason her owner thinks she ought to do something more in this world than make sausages and pork chops. Her owner will put her on the stage.

BUYS 1,600 BUSHELS.

ECONOMY, Ind., March 4.—Allie Weyl bought 1,600 bushels of corn from Marsh Lindsey.

Bulletins on Live Stock

CHICAGO.
Receipts—Hogs, 28,000; cattle, 3,000; sheep, 11,000.
Market—Hogs, 5c lower; cattle, steady; sheep slow, 10c lower.
INDIANAPOLIS.
Receipts—Hogs, 7,000; cattle, 500; sheep, light.
Market—Hogs 10c lower; cattle, steady; sheep strong to higher.
PITTSBURG.
Receipts—Hogs, 10 cars; cattle, light; sheep, light.
Market—Hogs, steady; cattle, steady; sheep, strong.
CINCINNATI.
Receipts—Hogs, 4,400; cattle, 400; sheep, 100.
Market—Hogs slow; cattle weak; sheep, steady.

WHEAT CLOSES \$1.39 ON FIVE CENT BREAK

(Continued from page 1.)

CHICAGO, March 4.—Wheat broke 5c just before the close today, and final prices were, May \$1.39½ and July \$1.12½, or 7½c under yesterday's close. Corn was 1½c lower and oats were off 1½c. Today's close for May wheat was 27½c under the high point of early February. Provisions were unchanged. War news and domestic political causes were assigned as the reasons.

Live Stock Sales

HORSE AND MULE—Fifty horses, 10 mules, I. G. Johnson, 1 mile south of Lynn, March 10.
GENERAL SALE—Seventy-eight hogs, 14 cattle, 9 horses, March 6, J. C. Gilbert farm, 1 mile west of Dublin.
GENERAL STOCK—Eighteen cattle, horses mules, ten Red Duroc sows, March 6, Charley Atkinson farm, two miles northwest of Economy.
GENERAL STOCK—Horses, cattle, sheep, hogs; March 11, Irvin Doddridge farm, one mile northeast of Brownsville.
GENERAL STOCK—Sixteen hogs, 7 horses, 9 cattle; March 9, Harve E. Bell farm, four miles northwest of Eaton.
DUROC HOGS—Forty-six head, 10 horses, 22 cattle; Daniel & Markley, March 11, three miles southeast of Eldorado.
HORSES—Fifty head; Taube's barn, Richmond, March 13.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE STOCK QUOTATIONS

Furnished by Carrell & Thompson, I. O. F. Building—Phone 1446.

American Can	27%	27%
Amalgamated Copper	54%	53%
American Smelter	64	62%
American Beet Sugar	39	39%
U. S. Steel	43%	43%
Utah Copper	42%	42%
Atchafalpa	95%	95%
St. Paul	86	86%
Great Northern pfd.	115%	115%
Lehigh Valley	134%	133%
Erie	21%	21%
N. Y. Central	83	83%
Northern Pacific	102	102%
Pennsylvania	104%	105%
Reading	144%	143%
Southern Pacific	83%	83%
Union Pacific	119%	119%

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, March 4.—Butter: Receipts 6,646 tubs; extra firsts 28½¢; 29 cents.
Eggs: Receipts, 16,689; firsts 19s.
Live Poultry: Chickens 15, springers 17, roosters 11.
Potatoes: Receipts 32 cars; Wisconsin and Michigan white 35¢@42, red 35¢@40.

CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK

CINCINNATI, O., March 4.—Hogs—Receipts, 4,400; market slow; packers and butchers, \$6.50@6.65; common to choice, \$5.25@5.75; pigs and lights, \$5.25@6.00; stags, \$4.00@4.75.
Cattle—Receipts, 400; market weak. Calves weak, \$5.00@10.50.
Sheep—Receipts, 100; market steady. Lambs, steady.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 4.—Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; market 5c lower; mixed and butchers, \$6.35@6.70; good heavies, \$6.30@6.65; rough heavies, \$6.00@6.25; light, \$6.40@6.60; pigs, \$5.50@6.70; bulk of sales, \$6.50@6.60.
Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; market, steady; beefs, \$3.75@9.15; cows and heifers, \$3.50@7.70; calves, \$6.50@10.00.
Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; market slow, 10c lower; natives, \$7.00@7.80; lambs, \$7.65@9.75.

PITTSBURG LIVE STOCK

PITTSBURG, March 4.—Cattle—Supply, light; market steady; choice steers, \$8.65@8.75; good steers, \$8.00@8.40; tidy butchers, \$7.75@8.25; fair, \$7.00@7.50; com. to fat bulls, \$5.00@7.50; com. to fat cows, \$4.00@6.50; heifers, \$7.00@7.50; veal calves, \$11.50@12.00.
Sheep and Lambs—Supply, light; market strong; prime heavy, \$7.50@7.75; lambs, \$7.00@9.85.
Hogs—Receipts, 10 carloads; market steady; prime heavy, \$7.10; mediums, \$7.40@7.50; heavy yorkers, \$7.40@7.50; light yorkers, \$7.20@7.25; pigs, \$7.25@7.25; stags, \$5.00@5.50; mixed, \$7.15@7.25.

INDIANAPOLIS LIVE STOCK

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 4.—Hogs—Receipts, 7,000; market, 10c lower; best hogs, \$6.50@6.75; heavies, \$6.65@6.85; pigs, \$6.00@6.50; bulk of sales, \$6.65@6.85.
Cattle—Receipts, 500; market steady; choice heavy steers, \$8.00@8.50; light steers, \$7.50@8.00; heifers, \$6.35@7.25; cows, \$5.50@6.25; bulls, \$6.25@7.00; calves, \$5.00@10.75.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts light; market strong to higher; prime sheep, \$5.00@5.50; lambs, \$8.75@9.50.

NEW YORK PRODUCE

NEW YORK, March 4.—Dressed poultry, dull; chickens 12@17, fowls 13½@18.
Live poultry, irregular; chickens 15@17, fowls 18.
Butter, weak; creamery firsts 31½¢.
Eggs, weak; white fancy 24¢@25.

CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, March 4.—Wheat: No. 2 red \$1.38½@1.47½, No. 2 hard \$1.40@1.48½.
Corn: No. 4 white 70½¢@71, No. 4 yellow 70½.
Oats: No. 3 56½¢, No. 4 white 55½¢@56½.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS AND GRAIN PRICES

WHEAT		
May	144	139½
July	117	112½
CORN		
May	73½	72½
July	75½	74½
OATS		
May	55½	55½
July	52½	51½
MESS PORK		
May	\$17.32	\$17.27
July	\$17.70	\$17.65
LARD		
May	\$10.82	\$10.82
July	\$10.52	\$10.52
RIBS		
July	\$10.20	\$10.17

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, March 4.—Wheat: Cash \$1.39, May \$1.40½, July \$1.15.
Cloverseed: Prime cash \$8.77½, March \$8.72½, April \$8.45.
Alsike: Prime cash and March \$8.65, Timothy: Prime cash, March and April \$3.12½.

Representative Sales At Indianapolis

HOGS.			
No.	Av.	Price.	
8	262	\$5.50	
6	81	6.50	
43	379	6.60	
28	278	6.75	
62	269	6.80	
104	216	6.90	
53	157	6.95	
8	148	7.00	
73	166	7.00	
44	181	7.00	
CATTLE.			
—Steers—			
4	857	\$6.25	
5	944	6.40	
2	905	6.75	
9	1,067	6.90	
2	895	7.25	
21	1,217	7.50	
4	1,305	8.00	
—Heifers—			
4	440	\$6.00	
2	800	6.25	
2	930	6.85	
2	750	7.00	
2	600	7.25	
—Cows—			
3	858	\$4.40	
2	890	5.00	
2	995	5.50	
2	1,075	5.75	
3	990	6.00	
2	1,245	6.50	
—Bulls—			
2	890	\$5.75	
1	1,650	5.15	
1	1,920	7.25	
1	1,560	6.60	
—Calves—			
2	170	\$7.00	
2	90	8.50	
2	150	9.50	
3	116	10.00	
4	145	10.50	

RICHMOND MARKETS

GLEN MILLER PRICES

HOGS.	
Heavies	\$6.25
Heavy yorkers	\$6.50
Light yorkers	\$6.25
Pigs	\$5.75
Sows	\$5.00 and \$5.50
Stags	\$5.00 and \$5.50
CATTLE.	
Best steers	\$7.00
Good cows	\$5.00 and \$6.00
Bulls	\$4.50 and \$5.00
Canners	\$2.50 and \$3.50
Calves	\$9.00 for Saturday delivery

PRODUCE

(Corrected daily by E. E. Cooper)
Old chickens dressed, paying 18c, selling, 25c.
Young chicks: dressed, paying 18c, selling, 23c.
Country butter, paying 18c to 25c; selling 25c to 35c.
Eggs, paying 18c; selling, 25c.
Country lard paying 12c; selling 15c.
Creamery butter, selling 38c.

GRAIN MARKET

(Corrected daily by Richmond Roller Mills, Phone 2519.)
Bran per ton, \$30; wheat, paying \$1.40, oats paying \$50, corn paying 75c rye paying 85c, oats paying 65c, middlings per ton \$32.

FEED QUOTATIONS

Timothy hay, paying \$18.
Rye straw, paying \$7.
Wheat straw, paying \$6.
Oats straw, paying \$7.
Oats, paying 52c.

New corn, paying 75c.
Red clover seed, paying \$7.50.
Red clover, selling \$9.00@9.50.
Timothy seed, paying \$3.25 bushel.
Timothy seed selling \$4.00 bushel.
Bran selling \$29 ton.
Middlings, selling \$30 ton.
Salt, \$1.40 barrel.
Clover hay, \$14.

COAL PRICES

(Quotations corrected daily by Mack man, Kieft & Co.)
Anthracite, nut, \$8.60; Anthracite No. 4 and egg, \$8.35; Pocahontas lump or egg, \$5.75; Pocahontas mine run, \$4.50; Pocahontas slack, \$4.00; Jack son lump or egg, \$5.75; Winifred, \$4.75; Jewel, \$5.25; Tennessee, \$5.50; Hocking Valley, \$4.50; Indiana, \$3.75; coke, \$7; Winifred Washed pea, \$4.00; nut and slack, \$3.00.

HORSE MARKET.

(Prices corrected by Jones and Minge, Telephone 1439.)
Draft mares, 1400 to 1600 lbs, \$175 to \$250.
Draft Geldings, 1400 to 1600 lbs, \$175 to \$200.
Draft chunks, 1200 to 1400 lbs, \$150 to \$200.
Express chunks, 1050 to 1200 lbs, \$125 to \$175.
Drivers, \$75 to \$150.
Plugs, \$40 to \$100.

WIDOW'S PLEA

(Continued from Page One.)

Bavis referred to Mr. Gorman as "one of the severest critics this administration has had." Mrs. Ashenfelter, who lives on Fort Wayne avenue, poured a telling broadside into the board.

Woman Tells Story.
"My husband died two years ago, leaving my daughter and myself without anything except a small piece of property on the west side," she said.

Her face was red and her eyes snapped fire. "This we sold and purchased the property we now live in on Fort Wayne avenue. This is mortgaged for \$2,000. We live by renting rooms and doing sewing. We have no money to pay for a street assessment and if the improvement is made we will lose our home. If we lose our home the citizens should do with this board what they did in another city, drive you out of office. You are like a lot of boys. You start a fuss and now you want to put the whole thing up to council to get out of trouble. You ought to be men enough to settle these matters yourself. I can't speak what I think of you. One thing is sure, you will never get back again after your terms are out."

Her words were greeted with a round of applause on the part of the room full of remonstrators.
Bavis Makes Amends.
President Bavis stated that his case was one of the frequent similar tragedies encountered by the board when public improvements were provided. "The hardest duty we have to perform is to order improvements when by doing so we know we will inflict hardships on worthy people, but we must respond always to what we believe is service to the best interests of the city as a whole," Mr. Bavis remarked very gravely, and he said he hoped Mrs. Ashenfelter would have no cause to complain that she had not been treated with every courtesy by the board.

Mr. Gorman and other remonstrators argued that Fort Wayne avenue had only been recently macadamized and that it would be folly to tear up one of the best streets of its kind in the city to provide brick paving. Mr. Bavis said this argument was what caused him to vote in favor of the motion made by Mr. McMinn to rescind the order for the paving of that street.

Before Mrs. Ashenfelter and three other women who accompanied her, left the room, Mr. McMinn assured them that he had always been against the proposal to pave Fort Wayne avenue, which caused them to shake hands with him very cordially.

Avenue Needs Repairs.
Mr. Gorman said that all Fort Wayne avenue required was some repaving where the service companies had left ruts. He said the city could,

AFTER GRIPPE

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ing price, but even this would leave out of consideration the rapidity with which the stock is turned over or the demand.

Bring Different Basis.
Corporations in Richmond have been brought to a different basis of assessment under Mr. Dietz in the years he has had them in charge. He said he expects to bring corporation assessments all over the county to as near 60 per cent as possible this year.

"This will not be accomplished by raising all of them 5 per cent," Mr. Dietz said. "I hope this mistaken idea does not become prevalent. I many not raise some of them, while I may increase others 10 or 15 per cent. I have some fair ones in every line of business, and this gives me the figures by which I can bring all assessments of corporations on a basis of equalization."

"I am putting out assessment sheets at the various corporations now. It would be impossible for me to invoice each one, so I let the owners put in their own figures and then I go over them and insert what I believe is fair. If there is an disagreement in my figures and their figures, I return and inform them of the fact."

Believes Rates Low.
"I am much interested at getting out on my work, that is the assessment of the corporations in other townships, since I have the entire county. I expect to find most of these in fair condition, but I know of some which are far too low."

County Assessor Mathews said today that the vote of the assessors to raise real estate assessments 5 per cent was not to be considered binding by the assessors, who will use their own judgment in raising the assessments.

"The assessors just wanted to get a general figure," Mr. Mathews said. "I wanted this placed at 10 per cent. Considering the fact that these assessments must stand for four years, I believe an assessment even higher than 10 per cent increase, would not be unjust."

"We want to bring these assessments up and equalize them, and do

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Theatrical Notes

Promises of the Press Agent.

"Handing out kisses to men who have no right to ask for them is not prudish—it's indiscreet," says a wonderful line in Jack Lait's New York and Chicago success, "Help Wanted," which comes to the Gennett theatre on Friday, March 12, with the support of having played thirty-nine weeks at the Court theatre in Chicago. This is the longest run ever captured by any success in Chicago, and this fact alone is making "Help Wanted" the most talked about attraction on the road this season.

all the other things we know are fair in taxation, but we do not like to see Wayne county stand alone in the state. The higher we raise our assessments here, the more money goes to the state on state tax levies, and if other counties leave their assessments low and raise their local tax levies, it is a system far from state equalization."

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