Surplus Hogs Still Clogging Stockyards

Some Relief Provided By Shipping Plan

CHICAGO, Jan. 29 — (AP) — Altho shipments of hogs have been evenly distributed under the permission-to-ship plan, inaugurated Jan. 24 at Chicago, sellings agents have had difficulty clearing the yards of surplus swine, the War Food administration said today.

Both producers of hogs and the processors have cooperated in trying to avert congestion at the stockyards, but holdovers have occurred daily. However, they have been somewhat smaller than in the period immediately prior to establishment of the permit system.

That the system has not run long enough to be thoroly tested seems to be the opinion of many observers. However, they said it now appears killers are inclined to reduce purchases along with reduced receipts.

The reason for this changed policy in buying by packing houses has not been determined. One packer said their establishment had bought as many hogs this week as in the previous week and now had a three-day slaughter requirement on hand. His opinion was that the plan was new and "had many wrinkles which would have to be ironed out" before it became the solution to the congestion problem.

The hog marketing committee stated the plan is working out "very well" as far as spreading out shipments over the full week is concerned. Farmers have shipped only after receiving a permit from thier selling agents. One observer said perhaps the quotas would have to be cut down.

The cattle market was generally 25 cents lower this week, with fed steers and yearlings predominating in the run and topping at $17. Hogs weighing under 200 pounds and over 330 pounds were 25 cents higher, while 200 to 330 pounds were supported at the top of $13.75. The 300 to 330 pound weights were included in the government support program on Thursday, Jan. 27. All classes of slaughter lambs were in broad demand. The week's top of $16.35 was paid for good and choice westerns.

MILKING TIME—A young Russian guerrilla, member of a detachment operating behind the German lines, milks a cow captured from the Nazis.

Rathbone Will Appear On McCarthy Program

Basil Rathbone, the silky-voiced sleuth of the Sherlock Holmes films and radio mysteries, will visit Charlie McCarthy and Edgar Bergen on their airshow to be heard Sunday, at 7 p. m. (EST) over WEAF.

Jeanne Parke, coloratura soprano, of Wichita, Kans., and William Hargrave, New York baritone, will be the featured contestants on the "Metropolitan Opera Auditions of the Air," Sunday, at 3:30 p. m., over Station WJZ.

The tune which the public heard when it first watched the fascinating, rhythmic agility of Bill Robinson's stair-hopping tap dance, "I Can't Give You Anything But Love, Baby," from "Lew Leslie's Blackbirds of 1928," will be heard on the "Keepsakes" program over WJZ Sunday at 7:30 p. m., EST.

"Avalanche" by Kay Boyle, recently serialized in The Saturday Evening Post and now published in book form, will come to the air for the first time on the "Revlon Theatre," starring Gertrude Lawrence, over WJZ Sunday at 9 p. m., EST.

Overawed by the unexpected honor and fingering his hat in moist palms, Ed Gardner (Archie) of "Duffy's" will step gigerly into the "Radio Hall of Fame," trailed nervously by Eddie Green, the waiter, during the broadcast of the full-hour show on Sunday at 5 p. m., EST.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30

Eastern War Time P.M.—Subtract One Hour for CWT., 2 Hrs. for MWT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.)

12.30—The Paul Lavalle Concert—nbc
Trans-Atlantic Call, Exchange—cbs
Josephine Houston, Soprano Solo—blu
Here's Mexico, 30-min. Variety—mbs
12 45—Moylan Sisters and Vocals—blu
1 00—Voice of the Dairy Farmer—nbc
John B. Kennedy in Comment—blu
The Church of the Air Sermons—cbs
Stanley Dixon in Commentary—mbs
1 15—Labor for Victory Series—nbc
Songs from Africa, Josef Marais—blu
Singing Canaries—nine mos stations
1 30—U. of Chicago Roundtable—nbc
Ed Murrow's News Comments—cbs
Sammy Kaye's Sunday Serenade—blu
The Lutheran Half Hour—mbs-basic
1.45—Fifteen-Minute Talk Time—cbs
2:00—Those We Love, Dramatic—nbc
Chaplain Jim, U.S.A., Dramas—blu
Ceiling Unlimited, Variety Prog.—cbs
Pilgrim Radio Hour's Services—mbs
2 30—John Chas. Thomas Prog.—nbc
National Vespers, Dr. Fosdick—blu
News of the World; Song Spot—cbs
3 00—Washington and Rationing—nbc
Life of Riley and Wm. Bendix—blu
N. Y. Philharmonic Symphony—cbs
This Is Fort Dix, Tom Slater—mbs
3 15—Upton Close's Commentary—nbc
Variety from This Is Fort Dix—mbs
3 30—Official Hour by the Army—nbc
Hot Copy," Newspaper Drama—blu
Bulldog Drummond Adventures—mbs
4 00—Al Pearce and Gang—blu-basic
In Those Good Old Days—other blu
To Be Announced (15 min.)—mbs-east
Lutheran Half Hr. repeat—other mns
4 15—Dancing Music Orch.—mbs-east
4 30—Land of Free Drama, News—nbc
Metropolitan Opera Auditioning—blu
Andre Kostelanetz & Orchestra—cbs
Abe Lincoln's Story, Dramatic—mbs
5 00—NBC Symph., L. Stokowski—nbc
Comment & Question Half-Hour—blu
Family Time, Gladys Swarthout—cbs
To Be Announced (30 mins.)—mbs
5:30—Musical Steelmakers Prog.—blu
The Shadow, Mystery Drama—mbs
5 45—The Woman From Nowhere—cbs
6 00—Catholic Services via Radio—nbc
The Radio Hall of Fame Hour—blu
CBS Sunday Theater, Dramas—cbs
First Nighter's Drama Series—mbs
6 30—Great Gildersleeve, Comedy—nbc
America in the Air, Dramatic—cbs
Upton Close Second Comment—mbs
6:45—The Little Show Dramas—mns
7 00—Jack Benny-Mary Comedy—nbc
Drew Pearson in War Comment—blu
Wm. L. Shirer and Commentary—cbs
Old Fashioned Revival Service—mbs
7.15—Perry Como and Song Show—cbs
Dorothy Thompson & Comment—blu
7.30—The Bandwagon Orchestra—nbc
Quiz Kids and Joe Kelly M. C.—blu
We the People & Guests—cbs-basic
8:00—Charlie McCarthy & Bergen—nbc
To Be Announced (30 mins.)—cbs
Greenfield Village Child'n Choir—blu
Alexander and Mediation Board—mbs
8 15—Ink Spots, Negro Quartet—blu
8 30—One Man's Family, Drama—nbc
Keepsakes Music Memory Show—blu
Crime Doctor, Dramatic Series—cbs
8 45—Gabriel Heatter Comment—mbs
8 55—Fire Marshal News Period—cbs
9 00—Sunday's Merry Go Round—nbc
Walter Winchell Weekly Report—blu
Conrad Nagel Magazine Drama—cbs
Cleveland Symphony Orchestra—mbs
9 15—Basin Street and Its Music—blu
9 30—Album of Familiar Music—nbc
The Fred Allen Show & Variety—cbs
9:45—Jimmy Fidler & Hollywood—blu
10 00—Phil Spitalny & Girl Orch.—nbc
The Gertrude Lawrence Theater—blu
Phil Baker Take It or Leave It—cbs
Cedric Foster's War Comment—mbs
10:15—Good Will Prog., 45 min.—mbs
10:30—Bob Crosby and Company—nbc
Adventures of Thin Man Drama—cbs
Guy Lombardo and Orchestra—blu
11 00—Late Variety with News—nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 hrs.—cbs-blu
Dance Orchestra Variety (3 h.)—mbs

ARGENTINE GRAIN EXPORT MAY EXPAND, SOME CLAIM

CHICAGO, Jan. 29—(AP)—Action of the Argentine government in severing relations with the Axis powers has led some grain men to believe grain imports from that country may expand. As a result, much interest was shown today in the latest statistics on the amount of grain the South American country has for export.

The statistics were compiled by Broomhall, British Grain Authority and placed the exportable surplus of wheat in the Argentine at 277,475,000 bushels. A year ago the exportable surplus was only 195,740,000 bushels.

Visible supply of wheat in the chief ports of Argentina in the past week was 55,110,000 bushels against 45,925,000 bushels a year ago. There was no corn in the ports, presumably reflecting the crop failure last year.

During the past week, the Argentine shipped 1,939,000 bushels of wheat and flour: 767,000 bushels cleared for the United Kingdom, 301,000 bushels for Europe and 871,000 bushels for non-European destinations.

Crops this year in the South American country are large. The last official estimate is for 260,854,000 bushels of wheat, 82,680,000 bushels of oats, 37,662,000 bushels of barley and 38,976,000 bushels of rye.

The surplus for export of wheat, Bromhall said, is expected to exceed 300,000,000 bushels, the rye exportable surplus may reach 30,000,000 bushels and the barley exportable surplus 25,000,000 bushels. Very little corn is offered for export but a new crop will be ready for shipment in April.

England, Spain, Sweden, Portugal an dthe United States are all considered possible buyers of Argentine grain. The major difficulty in getting the grain into this country is the shipping shortage.

Grain futures were steady this week. Wheat closed Friday ⅜-¾ higher than last Friday, oats were up 1¼-1⅜, rye was ahead ¾-1⅞, and barley was ¼-1¼ higher.

Bacteria Wilt Hurts Alfalfa

This past year, if your excellent spring stand of second- or third-year alfalfa nearly disappeared during the late summer and fall, with many plants dying and others making a weak, yellowed growth of many short fine stems instead of a few healthy ones, then your field was one of many attacked by bacterial wilt of alfalfa. This is a disease of the roots, which interferes with the normal functioning of the tops and ultimately kills the plant. It can be recognized in the roots by peeling back the bark of the roots. The woody, central part of the root will be white in healthy roots, various shades of brown in roots affected by wilt.

Bacterial wilt has been known in Ohio for more than 15 years and has become increasingly serious in that time, according to C. J. Willard, associate in agronomy at the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station. The disease is slow to develop, so that at least one year of good cuttings is always obtained before the stand is destroyed, usually two years, and sometimes more. The disease is most serious on poorly drained soils and areas, and in much of central and northwestern Ohio, especially, an alfalfa stand cannot be counted on for more than two years because of this disease.

No treatment is of any value for bacterial wilt. Resistant varieties offer the only feasible control. Varieties of alfalfa resistant to wilt have been developed in the past 10 years. Seed of these varieties is now being increased, but seed is not yet available commercially.

Unfortunately, Grimm, Hardigan, Ontario and other varieties of alfalfa, which until now have been the best for most of Ohio, are more susceptible to bacterial wilt than any other varieties. For the first year after seeding, these varieties are still superior to common alfalfas, but they cannot now be expected to furnish a long-lived stand. For the present, wherever wilt is prevalent, we should count on using alfalfa in one and two year rotations only. When the wilt-resistant varieties are commercially available, they will give good yields for several years, despite wilt.

OPA Procedure For Buying Meat From Farmers Told

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29—If you are a little confused by Office of Price Administration's recent order permitting you to buy a certain amount of meat direct from farmers who do their own slaughering, this may help straighten you out on the mathematics:

You are allowed to spend with farmers having meat to sell all your points thru stamp "21" in Book IV. According to OPA's current expectations, stamp "21" should expire on June 30. Stamp "A" in Book IV will be good as of February 27, with the beginning of the use of ration tokens. Three more stamps will be good every two weeks, so stamp "M" will be good from April 9 to June 30. Stamps "N", "O" and "P" will be good April 23.

Only the top stamps numbered 8 of the strips lettered "A" to "M" are to be used for this advance meat-buying. In Book IV, stamps will be used in horizontal rather than vertical strips. Each stamp will have a value of 10 points.

All this has nothing to do with your regular meat purchases from your market, except that it may serve to use up points in areas near farming districts now, when meat is plentiful, and leave more for shortage areas later.

You will have four more pounds of coffee per person in 1944, bringing rational consumption up to an expected 10.7 pounds per person, or about 488 cups of brewed coffee. There will be a little more cocoa, tea.

Increased use of shipping from Latin-America and the Caribbean for coffee, which isn't noticeably scarce, is an indication that there won't be more sugar to go with it. Of a number of factors involved, the important one is that sugar supplies aren't adequate for our Allies, plus domestic industrial uses and increased civilian rations, even if shipping space were unlimited.

ADA INSTITUTE PROGRAM GIVEN

(Special To The Lima News)

ADA, Jan. 29—Henry Lembach of Vermilion and Edith Tallent of Reynoldsburg will be the state speakers at the annual Ada Farmers' institute Jan. 31 and Feb. 1 at the school auditorium here.

Officers of the institute are: A. Lewis Klinger, president; D. D. Spar, vice president; Mrs. Chauncel Klinger, secretary; Arlon Scarson, treasurer; O. L. Patterson, member of executive committee and Mrs. Grace Berger, hostess.

Taking part in the two-day program in addition to the state speakers will be: Myron Nelson, Jack Carey, Charles Wood, R. O. Clymer, Jackie Smith, Alice Clark, Agnes LaRue, Opal Johnson, Marie Gambill, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilson, Joan Wright, Mr. and Mrs. George Binckley, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Powell, Mrs. Ruth Tallman, Sarahbelle Klinger, Mary Alice Spar, Robert Gobin, J. P. Blosser, Ruby Bengiman, members of 4-H city garage, and school choruses.

NEW OPA CHIEF NAMED

CLEVELAND, Jan. 29—(INS)—Harold G. Bogart today was named director of the Toledo district Office of Price Administration, comprising 18 counties. Bogart succeeds O. D. Wearley, who recently resigned.

Lima Colored Folk's News

Bradfield Center Activities Given

Co-ed club of Bradfield Center met Monday in the auditorium with Mrs. Pearl Phillips, advisor. Miss Muriel Young, president of the club, introduced the theme for discussion. The club was honored by having Rev. L. G. Long, pastor of St. Paul A. M. E. church, take an active part in the discussion. The club was honored by having Rev. L. G. Long, pastor of St. Paul A. M. E. church, take an active part in the discussion. The club will meet Feb. 7.

Hi-Y club of Bradfield met Tuesday at the Center with Charles Crable, president, in charge. After discussing the club program for the week, the president complimented those boys who attended Fourth-st Baptist church Jan. 23. Rev. L. C. McGee besides preaching a timely sermon, lauded the club members, and the executive director.

High School Girls' club of Bradfield Center and Hi-Y club met Tuesday. These clubs jointly will present two appropriate plays for Negro History Week. The cast of characters are requested to be present Tuesday at 8 p. m.

Boy Scout Troop 58 of Bradfield Center participated in the paper campaign Jan. 29. Members served in the capacity of loaders. All Scouts should be present at the meeting Monday. Farrell Williams will serve as an assistant Scoutmaster, until Scoutmaster Seldon is able to meet with the troop.

Girl Scout Troop 20 of Bradfield Center met Friday with the leader, Mrs. Marjorie Brown. The troop members are receiving training in art craft, one of the projects.

Men's club of Bradfied Center met Thursday at the Center. This club will meet each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. until 10 p. m. All men who desire wholesome recreation are urged to avail themselves of this opportunity.

Girls' basketball team of Bradfield Center practiced Jan. 26 and 27 at the Recreation-bldg.

Bradfield Center Flashes clashed with a superior Supreme Liberty Life Ins. team from Dayton, Friday. The game was a thriller from start to finish. After the game a social given at the Y. W. C. A. in honor of the visiting team was largely attended.

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Social News Is Reported

Mrs. Mary F. Barnett was hostess to Nonpariel club last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna B. Crockett, Mrs. Daisy Baker, Mrs. Della Moxley, Mrs. Mary Black, Mrs. Anna Thomas, Mrs. Catherine Brown, Mrs. Bertha Simmons, Mrs. Louise Hathcock, Mrs. Bertha Moss, Mrs. Wilson, the hostess.

A short program was staged with miscellaneous quotations. The club will meet in two weeks.

R. S. Martin, formerly of Lima, now of Dayton, underwent an operation in Dayton. His wife, Fannie, who was employed as a nurse in Columbus, gave up her work to be with him in Dayton.

Mrs. Venut Snowdin of Wilmington, Del., and daughter of the late Frank and Emma Ware, visited the Charles Cotman family, W. High-st. and Capt. Peter McCown's family, Oakland-kpy, all relatives, last week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Raymond Chavous, Mrs. Richard Ivy and Mrs. Sheldon Brown of Cleveland, visited with King Chavous last week in camp at Jacksonville, Fla.

S. 2-c J. C. Clark of Great Lakes Naval Training station, spent a 15-day furlough with his wife, Ruth, and family.

S. 2-c Gordon Lockett of California, stationed at Great Lakes Naval Training base, spent a 15-day furlough in Lima visiting his friend, S. 2-c Archie Small, who also is on a 15-day furlough from the base, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Small and family and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Biggs.

Mrs. Lydia King was hostess to Needlework club last Friday afternoon in her home. Members attending were:

Mrs. Bertha Moss, Mrs. Lena Seldon, Mrs. Velena Peters, Mrs. Della Moxley, Mrs. Nora Shoecraft, Mrs. Grace Webb, Mrs. Clara Hamilton, Mrs. Alberta Davis, Mrs. Sadie Stewart and the hostess Mrs. Peggy Brown and Mrs. Ruth Clark were guests.

Mrs. J. C. Moxley will be the hostess Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Johnson was confined to her home the last three weeks with a serious attack of bronchial pneumonia. Her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stone and niece, Jo Ann of Detroit, Rev. and Mrs. G. J. Johnson and daughter, Dorothy June, of Toledo, were called home. Mrs. Johnson is convalescing.

Sgt. Miles Hackley, Jr., Mrs. Hackley of Wright field, Dayton, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hackley, W. High-st, last week-end.

S. 2-c Bob Barkley of Great Lakes Naval Training station, visited with his mother, Mrs. T. Buggs, last week on a 15-day furlough.

Mrs. Mattie Turner was hostess to Aeolian club last Thursday afternoon in her home, W. Spring-st. Mrs. Grace Webb gave a book review, "Big Ben." Members present were:

Mrs. Josephine Vaughn, Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Lena Richardson, Mrs. Nora Shoecraft, Mrs. Grace Webb, Mrs. Hazel Clymer, Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Frances Gilman, Mrs. Beach [illegible] Mrs. Catherine [illegible] and Mrs. Lucille Reid were guests.

Mrs. Frances Barnett will be hostess to the club in two weeks. Arrangements were made for the banquet to be held at the home of Mrs. Turner on Feb. 11.

Stock Market Steps Out Of Losing Trend

LOCAL STOCKS

Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co., open 94 1-2; high 94 3-4; low 94 1-2; last 94 3-4.

Standard Oil of Ohio, open 42 1-8; high 42 1-8; low 42 1-8; last 42 1-8.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29—(AP)—The stock market today stepped out of its first losing week since last November with selected issues leaning moderately toward recovery.

The extension of yesterday's comeback after four successive declining sessions was based partly on dividends, earnings and the belief the recent side-slip had greatly improved the technical position of trends.

Turnover was 345,310 shares. It compared with 520,510 in the previous short stretch.

Gainers of fractions to a point or so included Bethlehem, J. I. Case, American & Foreign Powers preferreds, International Telephone and Du Pont. Among casualties were Chrysler, N. Y. Central, Westinghouse, Eastman Kodak, Rustless Steel, Rayonier and Sears Roebuck.

Problems Are Only Shelved, Green Asserts

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 29—The social and economic problems that have faced us for the past 10 years are not solved, but are merely obscured by the present war, and their final settlement will again confront us when peace comes." This is the opinion of Perry L. Green, president of the Ohio Farm Bureau, as expressed in a statement made to the board of trustees at its January meeting in Columbus.

"Our first job is to win the war," Green emphasizes. "At the same time we must devise improvements in our domestic economy, and also plan wisely for our part in the post war world."

Some of the immediate measures Green advocates are increased pay-as-we-go taxation, control of inflation, and all-out efforts to increase food production.

For the "long haul" he urges tariff revision to encourage world trade, establishment of closer political and economic relations with all nations, and maintenance of stable world prices thru adoption of the commodity dollar. He also urges unification of governmental functions, and closer working relations among agriculture, business and labor.

The Farm Bureau president also believes that in order to create a world of peace and abundance, the cooperative movement must be widely expanded. Service points must be increased in number, added productive plants must be acquired, food processing and distributive activities extended, and financial facilities developed.

"Only by such a program," Green concludes, "can we eliminate the constant threat of war, depression, unemployment, and want."

Club And Lodge Activities

The Mothersingers will meet in the First Baptist church annex at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday.

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The Protected Home Circle will meet at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday in Central hall.

HERD NAME IS SET ASIDE FOR ALLEN-CO CATTLEMAN

BRATTLEBORO, Vt. Jan. 29—J. H. Smith, Lima, O., has been given the privilege of the exclusive use of the name "Willowford" as a herd name in registering his purebred Holstein-Friesian cattle, announces the Holstein - Friesian Association of America.

More than 500 prefixes were reserved for breeders by the association in 1942.

TAX AGREEMENT DELAYED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29—(AP)—Two disputed amendments to the war contracts renegotiation act prevented a final agreement today on the $2,315,000,000 tax bill.

More than 47,000 were trained by the government in industrial safety courses in 1943.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

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N. Y. STOCKS—	Close
Air Reduction	41
Amer Airlines	38½
Allied Chemical	143¾
Amer Can	86¼
Amer Car Fdry	35¼
Amer Loco	18⅝
Amer Mch & Fdry	14
Amer Rad & St	9
Amer Rolling Mills	13⅛
Amer Smelt & Ref	37⅛
Amer Steel Fdry	26⅛
Amer Tel & Tel	157⅛
Amer Tobacco B	63
Anaconda Copper	27
Atchison	37¼
Atlantic Refining	25¼
Aviation Corp	3⅞
Baldwin Loco	21
Baltl & Ohio	6⅝
Bendix Avia	33⅞
Beth Steel	59⅞
Borden Co	29½
Briggs Mfg	27½
J I Case Co	25⅝
Cerro de Pasco	31¾
Ches & Ohio	46⅝
Chrysler Corp	74¼
Com Inv Tr	43½
Col Gas & Elect	4¼
Com'l Solvent	14¾
Consol Edison	22⅛
Cont Can	33⅞
Corn Prod Refin	57⅞
Curtis Wright	5⅞
Dupont de Nem	139¼
Douglas Aircraft	42¾
Elect Auto Light	38½
Elect Pow & Lt	1½
Erie R R	10⅞
Eastman Kodak	163
Firestone T & R	40
Gen Elect	36⅞
Gen Food Corp	42
Gen Motors	52½
Goodrich Rubber	41⅝
Goodyear Rubber	38⅝
Granby Copper	
Greyhound Bus	21¼
Inter Harv Co	73½
Inter Nickel	27⅝
Johns Manville	58¾
Kennecott Copper	31
S S Kresge	22½
Kroger Groc	32¾
Lockheed Aircraft	15¾

N. Y. STOCKS—	Close
Loews, Inc	58¼
Mid Cont	25⅝
Mont Ward	45⅝
Natl Biscuit	21⅝
Nash Motor	12
Natl Cash Reg	29¼
Natl Lead	19¾
Natl Pow & Lt	6⅛
N Y Central	17
North Amer Co	16⅞
North Amer Avia	8¾
Ohio Oil	18
Owens Bottle	57½
Packard Motor	3¾
Penn R R	27⅞
Pepsi Cola	49¾
Phillips Pet	45⅝
Pacific Gas & Elect	30⅞
Plymouth Oil	18¼
Pub Serv of N J	14⅝
Pullman Corp	39¼
Pure Oil	15½
Procter & Gamble	56⅞
R J Reynolds B	29⅝
Radio Corp of Amer	9¾
Remington Rand	16⅛
Repub Iron & Steel	17¼
South Calif Edison	23
Sears Roebuck	86½
Simmons Co	26
Skelly Oil	40
Socony Vac	12
Stand Brands	20⅞
Sinclair Oil	11
Stand Oil of Calif	36½
Stand Oil of Ind	33¾
Stand Oil of N J	54½
Stand Oil of Ohio	42⅞
Stewart Warner	18
Studebaker Corp	14¾
Sunray Oil	5¾
Texas Corp	48¾
Tex Gulf Sulph	35
Trans Amer Corp	8⅛
Union Pacific	98¾
United Aircraft	78⅝
U S Indust Alco	37
U S Steel	52⅝
U S Pipe & Fdry	31¼
Warner Bros Pict	13¼
Westinghouse Elect	94¾
Woolworth Corp	38½
Worth Pump	23⅞
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	37¼
Youngstown Steel Door	15½

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

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	OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
WHEAT—May	171½-171¼	171⅞	171⅛	171⅞
July	168¾	169⅝	168⅝	169¼-169½
OATS—May	79½	80¼	79½	80
July	77⅞	78⅛	77⅛	77¾
RYE—May	130⅞-131	132⅝	130⅝	131⅞-132
July	129⅝	130⅝	129¼	130½-130¾
BARLEY—May	121⅞	122⅞	121⅞	122⅝
July	.....	.....	.....	120⅞

LIVE STOCK MARKET

LIMA UNION STOCK YARDS

LIMA, Jan. 29 — Butcher weights hogs moving in limited numbers, all other grades active with the following prices prevailing: 160-180 lb 12.00; 180-200 lb 12.75; 200-270 lb 13.20; 270-300 lb 12.35; 300-350 lb 12.20; 350-400 lb 12.00; 140-160 lb 10.75; 120-140 lb 9.75 bulk roughs 11.00-25; stags 9.00-10.00.

Good to choice calves 14.00-50.

Good to choice lambs 13.00-14.00.

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ALLEN-CO FARMERS EXCHANGE
Friday Auction Sale Jan. 28, 1944

Cattle market strong to higher on all grades choice heifers and steers 14.00-15.40; good 13.00-14.00; fair 12.00-13.00, common 10.00-12.00; cows good butcher 9.00-11.40; fair to good 8.00-9.00, cutter cows 7.00-8.00; canners 5.00-7.00; milk cows 60.00-114.00 for the kind here; stock heifers by head 32.00-68.00; stock steers 11.00-12.20; stock bulls 38.00-72.00; butcher bulls 10.00-12.40; bologna bulls 9.00-11.00; veal calves choice 15.00-16.00 odd head higher; good 14.00-15.00; fair to good 13.00-14.00; thin light 13.00 down.

Sheep and lambs, lambs choice 15.00-16.00; good 14.00-15.00; fair 12.50-14.00; cull lambs 12.50 down; slaughter ewes good 4.00-7.40, old thin 3.00-5.00, aged bucks 4.00-7.00; breed ewes 7.00-11.50.

Hogs 160-180 lbs 11.00-11.50; 180-200 lbs 11.50-12.75; 200-270 lbs 12.75-13.10, 270-350 lbs 11.50-12.50; roughs 10.00-11.60; stags 9.00-10.40, boars 6.50-8.60, shoats by lb 9.00-12.40, pigs by head 2.00-7.00.

Auction Sale Every Friday.

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WAPAKONETA MARKET

WAPAKONETA, Jan. 29 — (Producers Coop.) — Hogs, 140-160 lb 11.00; 160-180 lb 12.00; 180-200 lb 12.50; 200-250 lb 13.60; 250-275 lb 13.00; 275-300 lb 12.50. Roughs 400 lb down 11.00; 400-500 lb 10.75; 500 lb up 10.50

Good calves 16.00.

Good lambs 14.75.

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PITTSBURGH

PITTSBURGH, Jan 29 — (AP) — (Pa. Dept. Agr.) — Hogs 400 steady; 160-180 lb 12.75-13.75; 180-200 lb 13.75-14.15, 200-220 lb 14.00-14.15; 220-250 lb 14.00-14.15; 250-300 lb 14.00-14.15; 300-350 lb 12.50-13.50.

Cattle 150, steady; steers, good to choice dry fed 15.00-16.00; heifers good to choice 13.50-15.00; cows, good to choice 9.00-11.50; bulls, good to choice 11.00-12.00.

Salable calves 75, steady to strong; good to choice 16.50-17.50; medium 12.00-15.00; culls and commons 5.00-10.00.

Sheep 100, active and 50 higher choice lambs 15.00-15.00, good 13.00-14.50, ewes 3.00-6.50, wethers 3.00-7.50.

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CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Jan. 29 — (AP) — Cattle 100, steady; steers 1200 lb up choice 16.00-50, 750-1100 lb 15.00-16.00; 600-1000 lb 14.00-15.50, heifers 13.00-14.50; cows 9.00-11.50; good butcher bulls 10.00-12.50.

Calves 100, active to steady; good to choice 15.00-16.50; medium to good 10.00-15.00.

Sheep and lambs 500, strong; to strong, springers good to choice springers good to choice 15.00-16.00; wethers 7.00-8.00, ewes 6.00-7.00.

Hogs 800, steady, heavies 330-350 lb 12.00-50; 200-300 lb 13.35, yorkers 160-180 lb 13.35-60, roughs 10.75-11.50.

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CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan 29—(AP)—(WFA)—Cattle 500, calves [illegible] compared last week; strictly good and [illegible] fed steers and [illegible] 25 lower, all other [illegible] compared [illegible] week, choice heifers [illegible] but all others fully 25-50 off, strictly good beef cows steady to 25 lower, but other grades beef cows and canners cutters and bulls 50 lower, vealers steady, choice offerings selling freely at 17.00, largely fed steer run; top 17.00, paid freely for choice prime 1112-1270 lb averages, long yearlings 17.00; light yearlings 16-50, sheltfeds predominated in fresh steer and heifer crop, bulk steers and yearlings 14.00-16.50, heifers 12.50-15.25, best heifers 16.50, cutter cows closed at 7.50 down, with light [illegible] 6.25, good beef cows sold up to 10.00 but bulk beef cows 8.00-10.75, practical top heavy sausage bulls late 11.00, medium grade heavies 10.00; stockers and feeders 25 higher, mostly 10.50-12.50.

Sheep 1,000; compared last week: slaughter classes still strong to mostly 25 higher after losing part of early advance; week's bulk good and choice fed western lambs 15.90-16.35, week's top 16.35; closing top 16.00, load good 120 lb Nebraska fed lambs late 15.85, medium and good wooled lambs 14.75-15.75, mostly cull and common lightweights 11.00-12.75; good and choice fall shorn fed lambs 15.25-50, medium and good fall shorn and No 1 pelts 14.10-85; medium and good yearling wethers 12.50-13.85, good yearling ewes to killers 12.75-13.10; bulk common to good slaughter ewes 7.00-8.25.

Hogs, 5,300; generally steady; good and choice 200-330 lbs 13.75, the top, few good 160-190 lbs 12.50-13.25; most 400-600 lb sows 11.90-12.10; shippers took 500; holdovers 2,000; compared week ago weights 200-300 lbs, steady; 300-330 lbs 75-1.00 higher; other weights 25 higher, sows 15-25 higher.

Rye Advance Features Dull Grain Trading

CHICAGO, Jan. 29—(AP)—An advance of about a cent in rye featured an otherwise listless grain market today. Both commission houses and local traders were on the buying side of rye, apparently basing purchases on hopes of improved demand for the cash grain. Price changes in other futures were minor.

There was some selling of wheat at the start on a report the Defense Supplies Corp. had contracted for 13,000,000 gallons of Puerto Rican molasses, which will be shipped to the United States and used for industrial alcohol production. However, traders believe commercial buying will develop next week and therefore were not inclined to sell today.

At the close wheat was ⅛-⅝ higher, May $1.71⅞, oats were unchanged to ⅜ higher, May 80, rye was up ⅝-1 cent, May $1.31⅞-$1.32, and barley was ⅛-¼ lower, May $1.22⅝.

LIMA MARKETS

By THOMSON & McKINNON
Butter Futures

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan	44.60	44.60	44.60	44.60

LIMA GRAIN MARKET
Model Mills

Wheat, winter No. 1	1.52
do No. 2	1.50
do No. 3	1.47
Corn, No. 1 old; bu.	1.06
do, new, bu.	.95

HAY MARKET
R. W. Hughes Co.

Hay, timothy No. 1, choice	16.00
do No 2, average	14.00
do 2nd, 3rd cuttings; green	17.00
do clover No. 1 choice	14.00

Ackermann

Soybeans	1.80

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CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Jan. 29 — (AP)—Butter firm, receipts 213,061 lb; creamery butter 93 score AA 41½; 92 A 41, 90 B 40¾; 89 C 40¼; cooking 38, 39; centralized carlots 90, 40¾.

Egg receipts 12,237 cases; weak; specials 1-2, 37½; 3-4, 36½; extras 1-2, 36; 3-4, 35½; standards 1-4, 33½-34, current receipts 34; dirties 31-32; checks 30-31; pullet eggs 26.

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CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Jan. 29 — (AP) — Current graded eggs in cases (consumer grade) large AA, 46; large A 42; medium AA 36; medium A 35.

Potatoes 3.00-4.00 per cwt. Sweet potatoes 3.75-5.25 per bushel.

FARM EQUIPMENT REPAIR SCHOOL WILL BE HELD

NEW BREMEN, Jan. 29—Arthur N. Long, Spencerville, has been employed as instructor in the farm machinery and tractor repair program sponsored here by an agricultural advisory committee made up of Lloyd J. Laut, Irvin Dammeyer, Wilson Tortrick, Adolph Koenig, Louis Tangeman and D. R. Bendure, acting thru the village board of education and the high school vocational agriculture department.

Funds are supplied by federal and state governments, making available all facilities, equipment and instruction necessary to put farm machinery, tractors and equipment in top condition. The Central Garage at Main and Firststs has been rented, and the program will be started next week with sessions in the high school agriculture department, each Tuesday and Thursday evening. Meetings at the garage will follow these sessions.

Raymond Deacon, head of the high school agriculture department, announced also that a dairymen's meeting will be sponsored Wednesday evening at the high school, arranged by Wilson Tostrick and Ewald Kuck. A dairy service unit program will be presented, starting at 8 p. m.

LAFAYETTE INSTITUTE SPEAKERS ANNOUNCED

Miss Carrie Wilson of Sunbury and John Grierson of Hillsboro will be the principal speakers at the Lafayette Farmer's Institute Program which will be held Tuesday and Wednesday.

An interesting program has been arranged in morning, afternoon and evening sessions for the two days which will include a play, "The Absent-Minded Professor" presented by members of the Lafayette community at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

Officers are: Ross Anspach, president, Doyt Mowery, vice-president, Ralph McElwain, secretary and Mrs. Daisy Heiser, hostess.

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Farmers' Week Will Be Held In Own Homes

COLUMBUS, Jan. 29 —Transportation difficulties, lack of housing and restaurant facilities, and military occupation of rooms at Ohio State university will make Ohio's 32nd annual Farmers' Week an armchair meeting with each farmer and his family sitting at home to receive the program by radio from University station WOSU Jan. 31 thru Feb. 4.

All divisions of the College of Agriculture which have participated in prior Farmers' Weeks will have a part in the 1944 program. The broadcasts begin at 8 a. m. each day and continue until 3 p. m. except for daily interruptions at 9 to 9:30, 9:45 to 11, 1:00 to 1:15 and 2:00 to 2: