FIVE LIVELY DAYS

Satisfactory Week in the Portland Markets.

STRENGTH OF SUGAR TRADE

Local Jobbers Scout the Idea of a Corner in Oregon Prunes—Demand for American Fish in Germany.

What has on the whole been a most satisfactory week in market circles closed quietly Saturday with few price changes for the day. Poultry has been the article of principal importance, with an enormous business done prior to Thursday. The last two days of the week found belated receipts dragging, and more or less of this stock will have to be carried over. In cleaning up Saturday, dealers sold mixed chickens as low as $3 and flyers down to $2 50. The egg market is only steady. Fancy Oregon ranch eggs are scarce, but the plentiful supply of Eastern, many of which are first-class, holds the price down. The butter market is weak under liberal receipts.

A good business was done in fruits in the forenoon Saturday. Receipts were moderate and prices were as formerly quoted. Much of the produce brought up from California on the Elder was in poor condition. Retailers say the Thanksgiving trade was not up to their expectations and lay the blame on the numerous fruit and vegetable peddlers.

Groceries and merchandise were active Saturday, and prices showed no change. The expected advance in sugar has not yet taken place. On this subject advices from New York of November 23 say:

The last advance of 10 points in the price of refined sugar, which establishes a 30-point advance by local refiners within a week, has given rise to reports of an understanding between the beet-sugar interests and the Eastern cane refiners. The selling agents for the American Beet Sugar Company denied yesterday that they had received any instructions to withdraw stock from storage, nor had they heard of any agreement. The general advances last week are outwardly explained by the gradual advance in the price of raw sugars to a 4c basis. The last sales of centrifugals, 96 test, were made at 3 3-16c.

Local jobbers say they know nothing of the reported combination found in the East to control Oregon prune prices, and look upon the report as the work of manipulators.

The grain markets were quiet Saturday, as was to be expected at the month's end. The tone of values was, if anything, easier. Local questions were practically as formerly reported.

Germany Would Buy Our Fish.

United States Consul-General Mason, writing from Berlin under date of October 25, says:

Salmon, halibut, herrings, sturgeons, eels, flounders, sprats, etc., are favorite articles of food in Germany, and as the native supply is always wholly inadequate, they are relatively expensive. Smoked salmon, for example, costs from 20 to 30 cents per pound, and halibut is unknown except as a costly luxury. So inadequate is the supply that there is a large import of fresh fish of common varieties, which are dried, smoked, and otherwise cured here, and sold at large profits. American codfish is recognized as superior to Scandinavian, but being somewhat more expensive, it is received in limited quantities and classed as a luxury. There are caught in abundance along the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts of the United States several ordinary varieties of fish, of which comparatively little account is made, at least as merchandise for export. In the opinion of competent dealers, this whole line of trade between the United States and Germany may be indefinitely increased. Thus far, the foreign supply for Germany has been almost wholly in the hands of Russia, the Netherlands, and Scandinavia, the only imports from our country in 1901 being 539 tons of fresh fish and 839 tons of pickled fish, whereas Great Britain alone sent to this country 22,333 tons of fresh fish, and the whole fish import of Germany was not less than 71,428 tons. The present scarcity and high prices of all kinds of meat give especial emphasis to the demand for fish, and the opportunity thus offered should not be left unimproved. The duty of cured fish is 3 marks (71 cents) per 100 kilograms (220 pounds).

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

FLOUR—Valley, $3 45@3 55 per barrel; hard wheat straights, $3 30@3 55; hard wheat patents, $3 60@3 90; graham, $3 20@3 60.

WHEAT—Walla Walla, 72; bluestem, 79@80c; Valley, 74c.

BARLEY—Feed, $23 50 per ton; brewing, $24; rolled, $24 50.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $18@19 per ton; middlings, $23@24; shorts, $19@20; chop, $18.

OATS—No. 1 white, $1 15@1 17½; gray, $1 12½@1 15 per central.

HAY—Timothy, $10@11; clover, $9; wheat, $8@9 per ton.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

POULTRY—Chickens, mixed, $3@4 25; per pound, 10c; hens, $4@4 50 per dozen; per pound, 20c; Springs, $3@3 50 per dozen; fryers, $2 50@3; broilers, $2@2 50; ducks, $5@6 per dozen; turkeys, live, 13c; dressed 15c; geese, $6@6 50 per dozen.

CHEESE — Full cream, twins, 15½@16½c; Young America, 16½@17½c; factory prices 1@1½c less.

BUTTER — Fancy creamery, 30@32½c per pound; dairy, 20@22½c; store, 15@18c.

EGGS—25@30c per dozen.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, 75@80c per sack; carrots, 75@80c; beets, $1 per sack; parsnips, $1 per sack; cauliflower, Los Angeles, 85c per dozen; cabbage, 1½c per pound; celery, Los Angeles 50@60c; Denver, $1 per dozen; lettuce, head, per dozen, 25c; hothouse, $1 75@2 per box; green onions, per dozen, 12½c; cucumbers, 75c@$1 per box; green peppers, 4@5c per pound; dry Chile peppers, 20c per pound; Brussels sprouts, 6c per pound; squash, $1@1 50 per hundredweight.

GREEN FRUIT—Apples, tables, 85c@$1 25 per box; cooking, 50@75c; pears, 75c@$1 25 per box; grapes, Niagara, 50c per crate; Concord, 20@30c per basket, 15c per half basket; California Tokay, $1 40 per crate; Muscat, $1 25 per crate; Cornichon, $1 25; quinces, Oregon, 85c@$1 per box; cranberries, Tillamook, $7 per barrel; Jersey, $11; Wisconsin, Bell & Cherry, $11@11 50; persimmons, $1 25 per box.

TROPICAL FRUIT — Lemons, $3 50@4 per boxbox; oranges, new crop navels, $3 50@4 75; grape fruit, $3 50 per box; bananas, $2 25@2 75 per bunch; pineapples, $5 50 per dozen; pomegranates, $1 50 per box.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples, evaporated, 7½c per pound; sun-dried, sacks or boxes, 5@6c; apricots, 7½@8c; peaches, 7½@9c; pears, 7½@8½c; prunes, Italian, 4½@6c; figs, California blacks, 6c; do white, 5½@6c; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, 4½@5½c.

RAISINS—Loose Muscatel, 4-crown, 7½c; 3-crown, 7½c; 2-crown, 6½c; unbleached seedless Muscatel raisins, 7½c; unbleached seedless Sultans, 6½c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, $1 75; 2-crown, $1 65.

POTATOES—Best Burbanks, 60@80c per sack; ordinary, 50@55c per central, growers' prices; Merced sweets, $2 per central.

ONIONS—Oregon and Washington, 75c@$1 per central; shippers' price in carload lots, 50c per centals.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

COFFEE—Mocha, 23@28c; Java, fancy, 26@32c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 18@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Costa Rica, ordinary, 10@12c per pound; Columbia roast, $10 50; Arbuckle's, $11 13 list; Lion, $10 63; Cordova, $11 63 list.

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 5¾c; No. 2, 4¾c; Carolina head, 7@7½c.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $1 85 per dozen; 2-pound talls, $2 75; fancy 1-pound flats, $1 90; ½-pound flats, $1 25; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 90c; red, 1-pound talls, $1 30; sockeye, 1-pound talls, $1 45; 1-pound flats, $1 60.

SUGAR — Sack basis, net cash, per 100 pounds: Cube, $4 70; powdered, $4 55; dry granulated, $4 45; extra C, $3 95; golden C, $3 85. Advances over sack basis as follows: Barrels, 10c; half-barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c per 100 pounds. Maple, 15@16c per pound. Beet sugar, granulated, $4 35 per 100 pounds.

HONEY—13c per No. 1 frame.

BEANS—Small white, 4¼c; large white, 4c; pinks, 3¾c; Bayou, 3¾c; Lima, 5c per pound.

NUTS—Peanuts, 6¾c per pound for raw, 8@8½c for roasted; cocoanuts, 85@90c per dozen; walnuts, 13@14c per pound; pine nuts, 10@12½c; hickory nuts, 7c; Brazil nuts, 16c; filberts, 15@16c; fancy pecans, 17c; almonds, 14@15c; chestnuts, 16c.

GRAIN BAGS—Calcutta, $6 25@6 50 per 100 for spot.

SALT—Liverpool, 50s, $20 80 per ton; 100s, $20 40; 200s, $19 50; half ground, per ton, 50s, $16; 100s, $15 50; Worcester salt, bulk, 320s, $5 per barrel; linen sacks, 50s, 80c per sack.

OILS—Coal oil, cases, 22c per gallon; barrels, 17c; tanks, 15c; boiled linseed, cases, 62c; barrels, 57c; raw linseed, cases, 60c; barrels, 50c; turpentine, cases, 72c; wood barrels, 68c; iron barrels 65c; lots of 10 cases or more, 71c; gasoline, cases, 26c; barrels, 19½c. Collier and Atlantic white and red lead, in lots of 500 pounds or more, 6c; less than 500 pounds, 6½c.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—Choice, 25½c@26½c per pound; prime to choice, 24½@25c; prime, 24c; medium, 22@23c.

HIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, 15@15½c per pound; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 12c; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds, 10c; dry-salted bulls and stags, one-third less than dry flint; salted hides, steers, sound, 60 pounds and over, 8@9c; 50 to 60 pounds, 7@8c; under 50 pounds and cows, 7c; stags and bulls, sound, 5@5½c; kip, sound, 15 to 20 pounds, 7c; veal, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 7c; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 8c; green (unsalted), 1c per pound less; culls, 1c per pound less; horse hides, salted, each, $1 50@2; dry, each, $1@1 50; colts' hides, each, 25@50c; goat skins, common, each, 10@15c; Angora, with wool on, each, 25c@$1.

WOOL—Valley, 12½@15c; Eastern Oregon, 8@14½c; mohair, 26@28c.

PELTS—Bear skins, as to size, No. 1, each, $5@6 20; cubs, $2@5; badger, each, 10@40c; wildcat, 25@50c; house cat, 5@10c; fox, common gray, each, 30@50c; do red, each $1 50@2; do cross, each, $5@6; do silver and black, each, $100@200; fisher, each, $5@6; lynx, each, $2@3; mink, strictly No. 1, each, 50c@$1 50; marten, dark Northern, $6@12; marten, pale pine, according to size and color, $1 50@2; muskrats, large, each, 5@10c; skunk, each, 40@50c; civet or polecat, each, 5@10c; otter, for large prime skins, each, 30@50c; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, each, $3 50@5; wolf, prairie (coyote), without head, each, 30@35c; wolverine, each, $4@7; beaver, per skin, large, $5@6; do medium, $3@4; do small, $1@1 50; do kits, 50@75c.

SHEEPSKINS — Shearing, 15@20c; short wool, 25@35c; medium wool, 30@60c; long wool, 60c@$1 each.

TALLOW—Prime, per pound, 4@5c; No. 2 and grease, 2½@3c.

Meats and Provisions.

BEEF—Gross, cows, $3@3 50; steers, $4@4 25; dressed, 7¼c per pound.

VEAL—7½@8½c per pound.

MUTTON—Gross, $3; dressed, 6c.

LAMBS—Gross, $3 50; dressed, 6½c.

HOGS—Gross, $6@6 25; dressed, 7@7½c.

LARD—Portland, tierces, 13½c per pound; tubs, 13½c; 50c, 13½c; 20s, 13¾c; 10s, 13¾c; 5s, 14c. Compound, tierces, 9½c per pound; tubs, 9½c; fine, 10s, 15½c; seconds, 5s, 14¾c; 10s, 14¼c.

BACON—Portland, 16½@19c per pound; Eastern, fancy, 17½c; standard, heavy, 15½c; bacon bellies, 15½c.

HAMS—Portland, 15c per pound; picnic, 10½c per pound; Eastern fancy, 15½@16c.

DRY-SALTED MEATS—Portland clears, 13@14c; backs, 12½@13½c; bellies, 15@16c; plates, 10c; butts, 9@10c.

SAUSAGE—Portland, ham, 12½c per pound; minced ham, 10½c; Summer, choice dry, 17½c; Bologna, long, 8c; weinerwursts, 9c; liver, 7c; pork, 9c; blood, 7c; head cheese, 7c; bologna sausage link, 7½c.

PICKLED GOOD—Portland, pigs' feet, ¼-barrels, $4 50; ¼-barrels, $2 50; 15-pound kit, $1. Tripe, ¼-barrels, $5 50; ¼-barrels, $2 75; 15-pound kit, $1; pigs' tongues, ½-barrels, $6; ¼-barels, $3; 45-pound kits, $1 25.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Small orders were placed today in the metal market, the usual Saturday half-holiday dullness prevailing in all lines. Quotations were generally unchanged from those of Friday. Tin closed steady, at 24.60@24.80c for spot. Copper was dull; standard, 10.50c; Lake, 11.25@11.50c; electrolytic and casting, 11.25@11.30. Lead, quiet, at 4½c for spot. Spelter easy; spot, 5.15c. Iron, steady to firm at last quotations.

Dairy Produce at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 18@27½c; dairies, 18@24c.

Cheese—Steady, 11@12c.

Eggs—Steady, 24c.

TONNAGE EN ROUTE AND IN PORT.

Vessels Chartered or Available for Grain Cargoes From the Northwest.

FOR PORTLAND

Sailed.	Name.	Flag and rig.	Master.	Tons.	From.	Days out	Consignees.
July 23	Musselcrag	Br. bark	Johnston	1871	Antwerp	130	Balfour
.....	Tasmania	Br. bark	Rhode	2083	San Diego	....	.....
June 21	Foyledale	Br. ship	Kerry	1866	Liverpool	162	.....
July 2	Ventura	Br. bark	Rehburg	1581	Antwerp	151	Taylor
July 12	Emilie	Ger. ship	Dahn	1738	Antwerp	141	.....
Aug. 24	Hutton Hall	Br. ship	Thurber	1980	Shields	98	Meyer
Aug. 24	Gr. Duchess Olga	Fr. bark	Guirin	1567	Shield	98	Girvin
Oct. 6	Herzogin Cecelia	Ger. ship	Warneke	2840	Montevideo	56	.....
July 9	Wiscombe Park	Br. ship	Power	2075	Newcastle	144	Balfour
July 8	Jean Bart	Fr bark	Gossat	1724	London	143	Taylor
.....	Formosa	Br. bark	Korff	1474	Townsville	....	.....
Aug. 28	Castor	Br. bark	Campbell	1353	Antwerp	93	Balfour
Aug. 20	Scottish Minstrel	Br. ship	Mellin	1611	Antwerp	102	McNear
Nov. 11	Werra	Ger. bark	Gerdes	857	Honolulu	19	.....
.....	Daniel	Fr. bark	Bacheller	1819	San Diego	....	.....
Aug. 17	Marie	Fr. bark	Monmoine	1709	Cape Town	109	.....
July 25	Riversdale	Br. ship	Porter	2067	Hamburg	25	.....
.....	Wallacetown	It. ship	Russo	1620	Honolulu	....	.....
Oct. 28	Cockermouth	Br. ship	Fall	1297	Antwerp	32	Balfour
.....	Ville St. Nazaire	Fr. bark	Darra	1818	Cape Town	....	.....
.....	Irby	Br. ship	Law	1489	P. L. Angeles	....	.....
.....	Omega	Ger. ship	Krause	2060	Sta. Rosalia	....	.....
.....	Beechdale.	Br. bark	Knox	1271	Port Natal	....	.....
Oct. 24	Nessia	Ger. ship	Gerkens	1670	Tristan	37	.....
.....	Nauarchos	Ger. bark	Arfmand	2276	Hamburg	....	Meyer
.....	Ardencraig	Br. ship	Ritchie	1500	Rotterdam	....	Meyer
.....	Col. Villebois Mare	Fr. bark	Berhault	1730	Madagascar	....	.....
.....	Klek	Aus. str	.....	2468	Vancouver	....	Taylor
.....	Port Patrick	Br. ship	Galloway	1598	Hamburg	....	.....
.....	Saxon	Br. bark	Smith	1527	Antwerp	....	.....
Oct. 20	Surcouf	Fr. ship	Ribault	1744	Fusan	31	.....
.....	Windsor Park	Br. bark	Livingston	1632	Antwerp	....	.....
.....	Sixtus	Dan. bark	Eriksen	1707	St. Rosalia	....	.....
.....	Earl Dunraven	Br. bark	Williams	1216	Acapulco	....	.....
.....	Almedia	Nor. ship	Iversen	1409	Murray Bay	....	.....

Total tonnage en route and listed, 61,926.

GRAIN TONNAGE IN THE RIVER

Arrived.	Name.	Flag and rig.	Master.	Tons.	From.	Agents or Charterers.	Berth.
Aug. 10	Euphrosyne	Br. ship	Thomson	1799	Newcastle	Disengaged	S. Pacific
Sept. 15	Morven	Br. ship	Hughes	1997	San Fran	P. F. M. Co	Astoria
Sept. 16	John Cooke	Br. ship	Quaile	1758	Liverpool	Balfour	Astoria
Sept. 25	Copley	Dan. ship	Strikman	1696	Antwerp	Kerr	Astoria
Oct. 2	Ancenis	Br. bark	Salter	1700	Table Bay	P. F. M. Co.	Astoria
Oct. 4	Magdalene	Ger. bark	Sunewind	2722	Yokohama	Kerr	Astoria
Oct. 6	Pass of Brander	Br. bark	Rider	1993	Royal Roads	Stevens	Stream
Oct. 12	Adolf	Ger. ship	Schippmann	1651	San Fran	Balfour	Astoria
Oct. 12	Madagascar	Br. bark	Smith	1996	Algoa Bay	N. W. Co.	Astoria
Oct. 17	C'n of Denmark	Br. ship	Milman	1987	Sta. Rosalia	Kerr	Astoria
Oct. 17	Holyrood	Br. ship	Findley	1992	Antwerp	Balfour	Oceanic
Oct. 20	Christel	Ger. ship	Wurthmann	1777	Antwerp	N. W. Co.	Irving
Oct. 22	G. W. Wolff	Br. ship	Butler	1589	Swansea	Balfour	Astoria
Oct. 22	Glenesslin	Br. ship	Pritchard	1743	Victoria	P. F. M. Co.	Flour mill
Oct. 23	Matterhorn	Br. bark	Warren	1839	Hamburg	Kerr	Mtg'my 3
Oct. 24	C'y of Roxburg	Br. ship	Leslie	2091	Antwerp	Berg	Mtg'my 1
Oct. 28	Clan Galbraith	Br. ship	Barker	1983	Algoa Bay	Balfour	Astoria
Oct. 28	Ingeborg	Dan. bark	Kaas	1079	Guaymas	Balfour	Astoria
Oct. 29	Isle of Arran	Br. ship	Carse	1759	Sta. Rosalia	N. W. Co.	Stream
Oct. 30	Allerton	Br. ship	Toye	1938	Barrow	Balfour	Stream
Nov. 1	Lodore	Br. bark	Killey	1268	Acapulco	Port. G. Co	Col. 2
Nov. 5	Cannebiere	Fr. bark	Lefeuvre	1759	San Fran	N. W. Co.	Victoria
Nov. 8	Riverside	Br. ship	McCully	1590	Hamburg	N. W. Co.	Grnw'ch
Nov. 1	Cornil Bart	Fr. bark	Cavelan	1721	St. Nazaire	Port. G. Co.	Sand dock
Nov. 11	Fulwood	Br. ship	Thomas	1986	Callao	Disengaged	Astoria
Nov. 11	Wandsbek	Ger. bark	Padsen	2188	Sta. Rosalia	N. W. Co.	Victoria
Nov. 14	Nal	Ger. bark	Schutte	2627	Hiogo	Kerr	Mtg'my 2
Nov. 16	Nantes	Fr. bark	Ricordel	2929	Yokohama	P. F. M. Co.	Stream
Nov. 16	Aster	Ger. ship	Dummer	1257	Valparaiso	P. F. M. Co.	Stream
Nov. 16	Alsterthal	Ger. bark	Ellerbeck	1696	Salaverry	P. F. M. Co	Stream
Nov. 20	Dowan Hill	Br. bark	Davies	1978	Algoa Bay	Port G. Co.	Stream
Nov. 26	Bidston Hill	Br. bark	Jones	2431	Antwerp	Balfour	Astoria

Total tonnage in the river, 59,770.

GRAIN TONNAGE EN ROUTE TO PUGET SOUND

Sailed.	Name.	Flag and rig.	Master.	Tons.	From.	Days out	Consignees.
June 17	Pass of Melfort	Br. bark	Hansen	2196	Hamburg	166	.....
Aug. 3	Tarpenbek	Ger. ship	Houston	1799	Shields	120	.....
June 28	Elfrieda	Ger. ship	Meyer	1649	Hamburg	152	.....
Aug. 22	p'enthesilea	Br. ship	Manson	1663	Newcastle	100	.....
Aug. 4	Glenlui	Br. ship	Scott	1847	Hamburg	117	.....
Sept. 1	Wendur	Br. ship	Nicoll	1886	Antwerp	90	.....
.....	Glenmark	Br. bark	Johnson	1250	Liverpool	....	.....
Oct. 11	Bankleigh	Br. bark	Evans	1425	Liverpool	50	.....
.....	Lamorna	Br. ship	Cormack	2169	Liverpool	....	.....
.....	Norma	Br. bark	McLaughlin	1989	Honolulu	....	.....
Sept. 2	London Hill	Br. bark	Cruickshank	2006	Antwerp	88	.....
Oct. 8	Alsterberg	Ger. bark	Neff	2132	Montevideo	53	.....
.....	Gael	Br. bark	Sloane	1516	Valparaiso	....	.....
.....	Columbia	Ger. ship	Schutte	2518	Hiogo	....	.....
Oct. 6	Inverlyon	Br. bark	Sims	1332	Cardiff	55	.....
.....	Rahane	Br. ship	Scott	1649	Liverpool	....	.....
Oct. 15	Cromartyshire	Br. ship	Nicoll	1462	Manila	44	Laidlaw&Co.
.....	Glenalvon	Br. ship	Andrews	1580	Esquimalt	....	.....
.....	Islamount	Br. bark	Fraser	1488	Rotterdam	....	.....
.....	Maelgwyn	Br. bark	Thomas	1235	Rotterdam	....	.....
.....	Vincent	Br. ship	Brice	1776	Rotterdam	....	.....
Oct. 8	Australian	Br ship	Joliffe	1955	Table Bay	53	.....
Sept. 19	Benicla	Br. ship	Jones	1810	Adelaide	72	.....
Sept. 25	Edenmore	Br. ship	Coath	1642	Townsville	68	.....
.....	Astoria	Br. bark	Thorkildsen	1429	Rotterdam	....	.....
.....	Belfast	Br. ship	Davies	1810	Antwerp	....	.....
.....	Niobe	Br. bark	Fettjuch	1940	Antwerp	....	.....
.....	Southesk	Br. bark	Gomm	1085	Antwerp	....	.....
.....	Thirlmere	Br. ship	Radcliffe	1625	Pisagua	....	.....
Nov. 1	Anemone	Ger. ship	Agartz	1669	Acapulco	29	.....
.....	Amsterdam	Dtch. bk.	Bakker	1100	Java	....	.....
.....	Mylomene	Br. ship	Jones	1808	Cardiff	....	.....
Nov. 2	Slyfid	Russ. ship	Ahlwik	1498	Honolulu	28	.....
.....	Prince Robert	Nor. bark	Hansen	2654	Table Bay	....	.....

Total tonnage en rouse and listed, 60,074.

GRAIN TONNAGE ON PUGET SOUND

Arrived.	Name.	Flag and rig.	Master	Tons.	From.	Agents or Charterers.	Berth.
July 22	Yola	Br. ship	Pennicnick	1407	Honolulu	Disengaged	Tacoma
Aug. 16	Alice A. Leigh	Br. bark	Davidson	2817	Shanghai	Disengaged	Pt. Tsnd
Oct. 17	Ecundor	Ger. bark	Lackman.	2193	Yokohama	McNear	Tacoma
Oct. 27	Lord Elgin	Br. bark	Sangster	1497	Leith	Berg	Seattle
Oct. 25	Muskoka	Br. bark	Crowe	2259	Victoria	Disengaged	Victoria
Nov. 12	Aisterufer	Ger. bark	Jensen	2597	Taltal	N.W.W.Co.	Tacoma
Nov. 12	Ernest Reyer	Fr. bark	Deinhanged	2500	Hobart	Kerr	Tacoma
Nov. 12	Lamoriciere	Fr. bark	Sauvignon	1471	Antwerp	Balfour	Seattle
Nov. 12	Largo Law	Br. ship	Henderson	1557	Freemantle	Kerr	Tacoma
Nov. 12	M. E. Watson	Br. ship	Griffiths	1670	Callao	Disengaged	Victoria
Nov. 12	Pass of Leny	Br. bark	Ball	1279	Valparaiso	Balfour	Tacoma
Nov. 14	Bretagne	Fr. bark	Canevot	1720	Hobart	Kerr	Tacoma
Nov. 14	Bayonne	Fr. bark	.....	1807	Hobart	N. W. W. C	Tacoma
Nov. 17	Galgate	Br. ship	Griffiths	2221	Cape Town	Disengaged	Victoria
Nov. 18	Mozambique	Br. bark	McCone	2306	Algoa Bay	Pt. G. Co.	Pt. Tsnd
Nov. 20	Pongwern	Br. ship	Griffiths	1492	London	Disengaged	Victoria
Nov. 21	California	Br. ship	Day	3061	Cape Town	N. W. Co.	Tacoma
Nov. 22	Invermore	Br. bark	Fletcher	1522	Valparaiso	N.W.W.Co.	Tacoma
Nov. 29	Kenilworth	Am. ship	Taylor	2147	Hamburg	.....	Victoria
Nov. 29	Eaton-Hall	Br. ship	Evans	1671	Callao	Balfour	Tacoma

Total tonnage in port, 28,618.

CHICAGO WHEAT DULL

CONTINUED LIQUIDATION HELPED WEAKEN PRICES.

Close Was Near the Bottom of the Day—Wet Weather Aided Corn Values.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Wheat ruled dull. There was little disposition to trade, owing to the inactivity of the leading longs, and while the early market was a trifle better than yesterday's close, it gradually weakened and the close was near the bottom. The weakness in corn was an influence, and continued liquidation helped take down prices. December opened unchanged to ⅛c lower at 74⅝@74½c, and declined until 73½c was reached. The close was ⅞ to 1c lower at 73½@73⅝c. May closed ⅜c lower at 75⅝c, after selling between 75⅝@75¾c and 76½c.

Corn was firm at the opening, the wet weather throughout the corn belt deterring the free movement of the grain. December closed ⅛c lower at 54c, after ranging between 53¼@55¼c. May closed ¼@⅜c lower at 42½@42⅝c, after selling between 42½@43½c to 43⅜c.

There was considerable selling in oats, and in the absence of support, weakness developed and the close was lower. December closed ½@⅝c lower at 30⅝c.

Provisions were strong early on small receipts of hogs and higher prices at the yards, but free selling by brokers caused a decline and the close was easy. January pork closed unchanged, lard 2½c lower and ribs lower by 2½c.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
WHEAT.				
December	$0 74⅝	$0 74½	$0 73½	$0 73⅝
May	76⅝	76½	75⅝	75¾
CORN.				
November	55¼	55¼	53⅝	53⅝
December	55	55¼	53¼	54
May	43	43¼	42½	42⅝
OATS.				
Dec. (new)	31½	31½	30⅛	30⅛
May	32½	32⅝	32	32⅛
MESS PORK.				
January	15 90	16 10	15 85	15 85
May	15 05	15 10	14 95	14 95
LARD.				
November	11 25	11 25	11 25	11 25
December	10 07½	10 10	10 05	10 05
SHORT RIBS.				
January	8 25	8 27½	8 17½	8 17½
May	8 07½	8 07½	8 00	8 00

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Quiet, steady; Winter patents, $3 50@3 60; straights, $3 10@3 40; Spring patents, $3 40@3 70; straights, $2 90@3 20.

Wheat—No. 2 Spring, 72@74½c; No. 3, 68@74½c; No. 2 red, 73½@74½c.

Corn—No. 2, 54c; No. 2 yellow, 54½c.

Oats—No. 2, 31@31¼c; No. 3 white, 30@31½c.

Rye—No. 2, 49@49½c.

Barley—Good feeding, 35@38c; fair to choice malting, 44@58c.

Flaxseed—No. 1, $1 15; No. 1 Northwestern, $1 20.

Timothy seed—Prime, $3 65.

Mess pork—$16 75@16 87½ per bbl.

Lard—$10 00@10 65 per cwt.

Short ribs sides—Loose, $8 87½@9 12½.

Dry salted shoulders—Boxed, $9 37½@9 50.

Short clear sides—Boxed, $8 75@9.

Clover—Contract grade, $10 25.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	20,800	18,000
Wheat, bushels	202,300	362,000
Corn, bushels	257,000	53,000
Oats, bushels	297,000	200,000
Rye, bushels	19,800	1,100
Barley, bushels	88,500	9,000

Grain and Produce at New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Flour—Receipts, 34,077 barrels; exports, 8247 barrels. Quiet but steady. Winter patents, $3 60@3 90; Winter straights, $3 45@3 55; Minnesota patents, $3 90@4 15; Minnesota bakers, $3 25@3 40; Winter reds, $2 35@3 10; Winter low grades, $2 65@2 90.

Wheat—Receipts, 176,875 bushels; exports, 168,110 bushels. Spot easy; No. 2 red, 79½c elevator; No. 2 red, 77¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 83⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 84¼ f. o. b. afloat. Options at first were steadier on cables, and with corn, but meeting active bear pressure based on large Northwestern receipts and easier Argentine news, turned weak towards noon. The close was easy at ¼c net decline. May, 79 11-16@80 1-16c, closed 79¾c; December, 80@80⅞c, closed 80¼c.

Hides—Quiet; Galveston, 18c; California, 21 to 25 pounds, 19c; Texas, 14c.

Wool—Firm; domestic fleece, 25@30c.

Butter—Receipts, 3369 packages. Market firm. State dairy, 20@26c; creamery, extra, 28½c; creamery choice, 26@27½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 5571 packages. Market steady. State and Pennsylvania, 28@28½c; Western uncandled, 20@27c.

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Wheat—Weak.

Barley—Steady.

Oats—Firm.

Spot quotations:

Wheat—Shipping, $1 40@1 42½; milling, $1 46½@1 50.

Barley—Feed, $1 21¼@1 23¾; brewing, $1 25@1 27½.

Oats—Red, $1 15@1 32½; white, $1 22½@1 37½; black, $1 12½@1 35.

Call board sales:

Wheat—Weak; December, $1 34 bid; May, $1 38¾; cash, $1 42½.

Barley—Steady; December, $1 22¼; May, $1 27¼.

Corn—Large yellow, $1 50.

European Grain Markets.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Wheat—Cargoes on passage, buyers independent operators; English country markets quiet and steady. Indian shipments of wheat to United Kingdom, 50,000 bushels; to Continent, 22,000 bushels.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 29.—Wheat—Firm; No. 1 standard California, 6s 8d; wheat and flour in Paris, quiet; French country markets, quiet and steady. Weather in England, hot.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Prices Current for Produce at the Bay City.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Apples were easy. Fancy potatoes and onions were firm.

Vegetables—Cucumbers, 75c@$1 per box; garlic, 2@2½c per pound; green peas, 5@6c per pound; string beans, 6@10c per pound; tomatoes, 40c@$1 25; onions, 35@65c; egg plant, 75c@$1.

Apples—Choice, $1 75; common, 30c.

Bananas—$1@2 50.

Limes—Mexican, $4@4 50.

California lemons—Choice, $3; common, $1.

Oranges—Navels, $2 25@3 50.

Pineapples—$1 50@3 50.

Potatoes—River Burbanks, 25@50c; river reds, 40@50c; Salinas Burbanks, 90c@1 17½; sweets, $1 25; Oregon Burbanks, 85c@$1 05.

Poultry—Turkey gobblers, 14@16c; do hens, 14@16c; old roosters, $4 50@5; do young, $5@5 50; small broilers, $3@4; do large, $4@4 50; fryers, $4 50@5; hens, $4 50@5 50; old ducks, $3@4; do young, $4 50@6 50.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 35c; do seconds, 30c; fancy dairy, 30c; do seconds, 27c.

Eggs—Fancy ranch, 42½c; Eastern, 24@29c.

Cheese—Young America, 15@16c; Eastern, 10@17c.

Wool—Fall—Humboldt and Mendocino, 13@14c; mountains, 8@10c.

Hay—Wheat, $12@15; wheat and oats, $11 50@14; barley, $8 50@10 50; alfalfa, $8@11 50; clover, $7 50@9 50; straw, 40@60c per bale.

Hops—23@26c.

Millstuffs—Bran, $19 50@20 50; middlings, $23 50@25.

Receipts—Flour, 9558 quarter sacks; Washington, 16,554 quarter sacks; wheat, 7040 centals; barley, 41,465 centals; oats, 970 centals; beans, 2383 sacks; potatoes, 75 sacks; bran, 850 sacks; Washington, 6806 sacks; middlings, 619 sacks; hay, 135 tons; Wool, 52 bales; hides, 524.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Chicago, Omaha and Kansas City.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 1000. Market nominal. Good to prime steers, $6@7 40; poor to medium, $3@6; stockers and feeders, $2 60@4 75; cows, $1 40@5; heifers, $2@5; canners, $1 40@2 50; bulls, $2@4 50; calves, $3 50@6 75; Texas fed steers, $3@4 25; Western steers, $3 50@4 75.

Hogs—Receipts today, 18,000; Monday, 18,000. Market 5@10c higher. Mixed and butchers, $5 90@6 30; good to choice heavy, $6 25@6 45; rough heavy, $5 70@6 15; light, $5 05@6 15; bulk of sales, $6 05@6 25.

Sheep—Receipts none. Lambs and sheep steady. Good to choice wethers, $3 75@4 25; fair to choice mixed, $2 50@3 75; Western sheep, $2 75@3 85; native lambs, $3 75@5 70; Western lambs, $3 75@5.

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