SALES AT 20 CENTS

Hop Market Definitely Placed on That Basis.

FOUR LOTS SOLD AT TOP

Kirkpatrick Offering 22 Cents in the Dallas Section-Rain in England-Cabled Estimates Are Conflicting.

HOPS-Several sales made at 20 PRUIT-Local supply again runs BUTTER-Front street is still well

EGGS-Market improves, but is no POULTRY-Stocks easily clean up.

20-cent basis yesterday. Four transactions that were fully confirmed took place at that The market was given a good, healthy boost, and predictions were freely made that coming week will zee prices climb higher.

Three of the 20-cent purchases were made by Lachmund & Pincus, of Salem. to be announced was the Hill & Bernard lot of 10,000 pounds at Luckiamute. Later the firm bought 10,000 pounds from W. W. Falk, of Salem, and in the evening closed a contract with a Reedville grower, whose name ould not be learned, for 50,000 pounds. Another 20-cent deal involved a block of hope old by Catlin & Linn, of Salem, but the particulars were not made public. Lachmund & Pincus during the day also made a contract for 40,000 pounds of primes with A. J. Ray & Son at 18 cents. Several other 18-cent transactions were reported from the country. A California wire stated that 20 cents had

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

FLOUR—Fatents, \$4.10 per barrel; atraights, \$24.50; clears, \$2.25(2.40) per barrel; atraights, \$2.50 per bar, \$2.25(2.50) per bar,

\$15.50; linseed dairy food, \$18; Acalfa meal, \$18 per ton.

WHEAT—Cinb, 68c; bluestem, 70c; Valley, 71c; red, 65668c.

OATS—No. 1 white feed, \$26; gray, \$25 per ton; new crop, white \$22, gray \$20.

BARLEY—Feed, \$28 per ton; brewing, \$28.50; rolled, \$24924.50; new feed barley, \$21 per ton.

per ton:

RYE—\$1.30 per cwt.

CORN—Whole \$28; cracked, \$27 per ton.

CEREAI, FOODS—Rolled oats, cresm, 90pound sacks, \$7; lower grades, \$5.5096.75;
catmeal, eteel cut, 56-pound sacks, \$5.5096.75;
catmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bule; catmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bule; catmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, \$25-pound
boxes, \$5 per 100-pound sacks, \$25-pound
boxes, \$1.46; penri barley, \$4.25 per 100
pounds; 25-pound boxes, \$1.25 per 100
pounds; 25-pound boxes, \$1.25 per box;
pastry Gour, 10-pound sacks, \$2.50 per bale.

HAY—Valley timothy, No. 1, \$11512.50 per
ton; Eastern Oregon timothy, \$16; clover, \$78

1.50; chémi, \$5.60; grain hay, \$7; sifaifn, 10;
vetch hay, \$767.50.

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

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DOMESTIC PRUITS—Apples, common, 56g
The per box; fancy, \$1.25g2; apricots, \$1.25g
1.85; grapes, 15cg31,85 per crate; peaches, \$1.25g
1.40; pears, \$1.75; plums, fancy, 50cd75c per
box; common, 50cd75c; blums, fancy, 50cd75c per
box; common, 50cd75c; blums, fancy, 50cd75c per
box; common, 50cd75c; blums, fancy, 50cd75c per
pound; crab apples, 75c per box.

MELONS—Cantalionpes, \$25g3 per crate;
watermelous, 16115c per pound.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, \$5cd6.50 per
box; oranges, Valencias, \$4.50cd5; grapefruit,
\$504.50; pluespeles, \$26g4 per dozen; bananas,
5c per pound.

FRESH VENCETABLES—Beans, 55c; cabhage, 15cd2c per pound; celery, 85cg31 per
dozen; corn, 15cg30c per dozen; bananas,
5c per dozen; celoss, 10cd124c per dozen;
box; esg plant, 10c per pound; lettuce, band,
25c per dozen; celoss, 10cd124c per dozen;
peas, 465c; bell poppers, 124cg16c; radishes,
10c15c per dozen; rhubarb, 2624p per pound;
spinsch, 255c per pound; tomatoes, 60c00c
per box; hothouse, \$25c parales, \$26c; squash,
\$15125 per crate.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turmps, 90ccs1 per
sack; carroits, \$16125 per sack; bests, \$1.25g
1.50 per sack; garilo, 16c214c per pound.

ONIONS—Mew, 14c014c per pound;

DRIED PRUITS—Apples, 14c per pound;

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banks, 76675c; sweet potatoes, 1500c parpound;
pound.

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apricots, 158104c; peaches, 12467tsc; pears,
114604c; Italian prunes, 5468c; California
figs, white, in sacks, 56745c per pound; black,
485c; bricks, 12641-cuncs mackages, 75785c
per box; Smyrnn, 20c pound; dates, Persian,
26045c per pound,
RAISINS—Seeded, 12-cunce packages, 88
845c; 16-cunce, 94691c; loose muscatels, 2crown, 6467c; 3-crown, 646744c; 4-crown,
76745c; unbirached, seedless Sultarias, 667c;
Thompsen's fancy bleached, 10611c; London
layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds,
82; 2-crown, \$1.78.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

BUTTER-City creamerles: Extra creamerles; 73, 246/26c per pound. State creamerles; 7ancy creamerly. 221,625c; store butter, 150 Saley Greanery, 125,250; store outcer, 100 1845.
EGGS—Oregon ranch, 21,922c per dozon. Eastern 20,21c chilessp—Oregon full cream twins, 120 1845; Young America, 169145;c. POULTRY—Average old heav, 13c; mixed chickens, 124,913c; Springs, 134,914c; old roasters, 9610c; dreased chickens, 154,515c; turkeys, live, 16922c; turkeys, dreased, choice, 106224c; geese, live, per pound, 8510c; ducks, 11915c; pigeons, \$1,91.50; squabe, \$2,93.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

If stress actions were raported from the country.

A California wire stated that 20 cents had been paid yesterday for Sonoma hops.

The following special dispatch received by The Oregonian from Dalian inst evening shows that the excitement is spreading up the country:

"Daliad, Or., Aug. 17.—(Special.)—E. C. Kirkpatrick, the hop experter and plumper, serived home unexpectedly by private conveyance from Newport late has hight, and today is freely offering 22 cents for growths of choice yards. The offer was made personally to three prominents growers of the Daliad district, but was refused by each.

"Mr. Kirkpatrick is reticent, and refuses to give out any information as to whether these offers are made for the purpose of export, speculation or otherwise, but admits that he will take all the choice goods offered. Cables received from Europe yeaterday were, as they have been of late, more or less conflicting. The Associated Press reported rain in England, Foreign newspaper reports received by mail were too old to be of much service, as the crops have undownheally deteriorated since the reports were made up, according to most of the cable activines received by mail were too old to be of much service, as the crops have undownheally deteriorated since the reports were made up, according to most of the cable actives received and the country of the opinion that under the most favorable conditions up to the end of harvest, the total, crop was not likely to exceed that of 1904. That paper published the following letter from Kielber & Co., of Nuremburg, under date of July 28:

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Wall Street Electrified by Harriman Dividend News.

STOCKS BEGIN TO SOAR

Union Pacific Takes a Jump of 17 Points, and Southern Pacific Advances Six Points-Entire List Is Affected.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 .- Union Pacific, on a 10 per cent dividend basis, and Southern Pacific, on a 5 per cent dividend basis. Offclai announcement of this result of yesterduy's meeting of the executive committees of the two companies electrified Wall street almost immediately after operations in the aimost immediately after operations in the stock market had begun today. Speculative excitement blazed up of a sudden and in-stead of hurning itself out in a flase, as is not unusual on such an outbreak after a period of continued speculation, the flame thus kindled increased and spread until prac-tically all parts of the stock exchange list were embraced in the fervent demand to hur stocks. buy stocks.
Wall street surprises commonly are not

due to under-estimation of coming events. The usual rule is that a period of speculative excitement, such as has occurred this week in the Harriman Pacifics, gives rise to so in the Harriman racinity, gives to to a many excited conjectures, partly volunturily and partly incited for a purpose, and thus the actual event on which a speculation has been based brings disappointment, and more likely a rush to sell than an extension of the likely a rush to sell than an extension of the buying movement. Yesterday rumor-mongers, who alleged that Southern Pacific was to receive a semi-annual dividend of 2½ percent rather shan the ex-dividend of 2½ percent, were regarded as extravagant. For the prospects of Union Pacific stockholders, the most hopeful prophet offered no suggestion that more than 3½ percent for the haif year would be disbursed on that stock, opinion being divided on this as to whether the increase over the praceding 3 percent rate would be incorporated in a regular 3½ percent dividend or distinguished as it percent extra in addition to maintaining the 3 percent regular rate.

The dazziling effect of the announcement of a regular 5 percent semi-annual dividen I on the speculative imagination was thus magnified many fold. Opinion leaped to the conclusion that there was a decision fepresenting financial power and authority of the

senting financial power and authority of the first magnitude and likely to effect by its in-fluence and example the control of corporate management as a whole, that the period management as a whole, that the period making desirable surict retrenchment in the disbursement of corporate profits for the expansion of facilities and the improvement of plant and equipment had reached its completion and that the way was open for the enjoyment by stockholders of a fuller share of earnings, secure in the capacity of their property to care for the requirements upon it and to maintain the earning power thus defined.

fined.

The convulsive rise in Union Pacific and Southern Pacific around some anxiety at first, owing to the distress of an uncovered short interest which was indicated. The movement interest which was indicated. The movement elsewhere in consequence was foverish and irregular for a time. The general deductions drawn from the dividend action on the Pacifics was too important and far-reaching to allow the general givance to be long restrained. The new income busis offered by the Pacifics themselves, especially Union Pacific, left such wide room for readjustment in the price that the rise was vigorously extended by spantoodic movements. Other stocks most accrety affected nat-

riorated since the reports were made up, ac-	large prints, each, 50070c; red, each, \$185; cross, each, \$5015; silver and black, each,	was too important and far-reaching to allow the general advance to be long restrained. The	And and shall brogon Securities at a.	Jan 7.22% 7.22% 7.12% 7.12%	same week in 1905.	Confidence 59 Seg. Beicher 01
since that time.	\$100@300; fishers, each, \$5@8; lynx, each, \$4.50@6; mink, strictly No. I, each, according	new income basis offered by the Pacifics them-	Money, Exchange, Etc.	Cash quotations were as follows: Flour-Easy.	Failures this week numbered 176 in the United States, against 218 last year, and 16	
	to size, \$183; marten, dark Northern, according to size and color, each, \$10815; pale pine.	seives, especially Union Pacific, left such wide	NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Money on call, 367 351; ruling price, 345; closing, 3; offered at		in Canada, compared with 28 a year ago.	Exchequer 45 Union Con 38
tailed plantation reports, showed the im-	according to size and color, each, \$2.5084;	was vigorously extended by spasmodic move-	31/2. Time loans very strong; 80 days, 5; 90	70% c.		Gould & Curry .10 Utah Con03 Hale & Nor 1.15 Tellow Jacket15
provement that was noted in the cables re- ceived at that time. The correspondents,	40000c; civet or polecut, each, 5613c; otter	ments. Other stocks most acutely affected nat- urally were those in which conditions bore the	days, 54,954 per cent; alx menths, 6 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 54,96.	Corn-No. 2, 49c; No. 2 yellow, 504c. Oats-No. 2, 314c; No. 2 white, 32@324c;	CONFIDENCE IN CROPS.	Julia06 St. Louis05
homeway were senerally of the onlyion that	large, prime skin, each, \$6610; panther with head and claws perfect, each, \$266; raccoon,	closest analogy to those of Union Pacific. Penn-	Sterling exchange, steady at \$4.8475 for de-	No. 3 white, 29 14 @ 34c.	Railway Operations Continue to Be Im-	
under the most favorable conditions up to	prime large, each, 50875c; mountain wolf, with head perfect, each, \$3.5095; prairie	sylvania and New York Central were the prin-	mand, and at \$4.8175 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, \$4.824 @4.88 and \$4.85 %@4.88. Commer-	Rye-No. 2, 56c. Barley-Fair to choice malting, \$1.126	mensely Profitable.	NEW YORK, Aug. 17Closing quotations:
the end of harvest, the total crop was not likely to exceed that of 1904. That paper	liceworth' dissist: malverine such these.	holdings of controlled companies. The in-	cial bills, \$4.81%@4.81%.	1.18.	NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Bradstreat's to- morrow will say:	Adams Con\$.20 Little Chief\$.05 Alice 2.00 Ontario 2.75
published the following letter from Kleiber &	dittion, starting, site, sources.	crease in the Union Pacific dividend was defi- nitely assigned to the resources of its income	Bar silver—66%c. Mexican dollars—50%c.	Flax seed-No1, \$1.08; No. 1 Northwest- ern, \$1.12%	Confidence increases as crops, promising	Brunswick C. 30 Phoenix 02
Co., of Nuremburg, under date of July 28;	per pound.	from investments. Hence the analogy. The	Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds,	Clover-Contract grades, \$11.75.	large if not record yields in nearly all in- stances, approach maturity, and jobbing	White the state of
"We beg to report about the prospects of			irregular.	Short ribs, sides-Loose, \$8.80@8.90.	operations' demand from first hands and	Horn Silver 1.75 Sierra Nevada. 2.00
the new crop. It is as yet far too soon to	CASCARA SAGRADA (chittam bark)-New,	ly comprehensive. The continued rise in interest rates on time	LONDON, Aug. 17.—Bar silver—Quiet;	Mess pork-Per barrel, \$17 Lard-Per 100 pounds, \$8.67%.	orders from manufacturers foreaden as the month advances. Selling by farmers of new	Leadville Con. 03 Standard 140
crop on the Continent; it is, however, almost	lots, 314474c in car lots,	loans and the testimony of the current move-	The ente of discount in the cross sealest for	Short clear sides-Boxed, \$8.12 4 6 9.25.	wheat has been checked by the lowest prices	
certain that under the most favorable cir- cumstances the yield must be a moderate one;	GRAIN BAGS-04-09%c each.	ment of the growth of the interior demand for harvesting purposes were forced out of eight	abort bills is 3-16 per cent. The rate of dis-	Flour, harrels	paid for four years past.	BOSTON, Aug. 17.—Closing quotations: Adventure \$ 6.25 Mont. C. & C.\$ 2.25
the next 14 days will decide the definite re-	Groceries, Nuts, Etc.	almost completely in the speculative enthusi-		Wheat, bushels	Baliway operations continue immensely profitable, as shown by increased dividends	Alloues 37.50 Old Dominion 41.50
sult. In Bavaria the principal and most re-				Onts, bushels	announced by leading Pacific railroads and	Amalgamatd 105.62 % Osceols 109.00 Atlantic 14.00 Parrot 27.30
nowned districts of Spalt and Hallertan are likely to be the most favored ones, but the	COFFEE-Macha, 26528c; Java, ordinary.	compared with 162% last night. Southern Pa-	SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Silver bars, 884ac; Mexican dollars, 52c. Drafts, sight,	Rye, busnels 3,000 25,000	by reports for the month of July pointing to a gain of 14 per cent in gross receipts over	Bingham 33.00 Quincy 58.00
Mountain and Frankonian districts are suf-	16918c; ordinary, 19622c per pound; Columbia	cine rose to swearty in the day, an extreme	214c; drafts, telegraph, Sc. Stirling on London.	District Parity County	a year ago, with gains widespread in all sec-	Centennial 25.50 Tamarack 98.00
fering heavily under the prevailing vermin pest. Behemia and Austrian reports speak	S17:25: Lion, \$10.25.	that level later. Pennsylvania gained 6. New	60 days, \$4.82%; sterling on London, sight, \$4.83%;	Grain and Produce at New York.	tions. Complaints of scarcily of labor affect-	Thele West 18.75 United Con 63.874
of about half the quantity of last year's crop,	SALMON-Columbia River, 1-pound talls, \$1.75 per dozen: 2-pound talls, \$2.40; 1-pound	York Central 4, and the active list generally		NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Flour—Receipts, 26,- 900; exports, 3500. Market steady with better	ing output come from every section of the	Granby 12.00 U. S. Ott. 10.00
which was an extraordinarily good and large	flats, \$1.10: Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 90c:	stone a to be true wideling cooking course run	The state of the s	demand.	Rusiness failures in the United States for	Isle Royale. 19.50 Utah 58.50
timited, and prices about 20s to 30s higher	red, 1-pound talls, \$1.25; sockeye, 1-pound talls, \$1.70.	izing the day's inviting profits.		Wheat—Receipts, 112,300; exports, 63,900. Spot. firm: No. 2 red, Tfc, elevator:	All march and the second Assessment to be assessed to the second to the	Stain, Stilling -0.40 victoring -1 0.01.72
all round than four weeks ago."	\$5.40; powdered, \$5.15; dry granulated, \$5.05;	Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par	Later prices eased off, and Union Pacific de-	No. 2 red, 78%c, f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 North-	of 1965, 203 in 1904, 166 in 1903 and 171 in	Mohawk 62.50 Wolverine 151.00
LARGE DEALS AT 20 CENTS.	extra C, \$4.60; golden C, \$4.45; fruit sugar, \$5.05; P. C., \$4.95; C. C., \$4.95. Advance sales	all unchanged on call.	clined is below yesterday's New York closs.	ern Duluth, Shige, f. o. b. uffout; No. 2 hard	1902. In Canada fallures number 22, as	Metal Markets.
	over sack banks as follows: Barrels, 10c; half	CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.	The American section of the Stock Exchange	fur was firm and higher on reports of rains	against 19 last week and 29 in this week a	NEW YORK, Aug. 17There was an ad-
Lachmund & Pincus Buy Big Hop Crops in Polk County.	On remittances within 15 days deduct Lie say	Sales. High, Low. Bid.	this afternoon became quite excited upon the	in England, firm cables and small Argentine	Wheat, including flour, exports from the	vance of 16s in the London iin market with spot closing at £18t 5s and futures at £181
	pound; if later than 15 days and within 20 days, deduct \$40. Beet sugar, \$4.75 per		Pacific immediately jumped 8 points, from	shipments. After enorts had covered, how-	United States and Canada, for the week end-	10s. Locally the market was quiet and a
cents was the contract price at which Lach-	bring Walnuts this me nound by	Am. Car & Fdy 2,400 30% 38% 30%	100 20 10 100 20 chin countries I actific advanced	ment owing to nne narvest weather in the	9 269 bit last week and 1.068 519 this week	little lower on the average with quotations
mund & Pincus bought the W. W. Fawk and	Mc extra for less than sack; Brazil nuis,	Am. Cotton Oll arrest serve St	1 months burgereing and other time but some difference and the sound of the sound o	Northwest and a poor export demand, closing	last year. For the past seven weeks of the	ranging from \$1.208 \$1.50c, the inside price representing the views of buyers.
County today Those orone was 10,000	lurge 17c: almonda, 1414/915c: chostunte	no. preferred 100 80% 80% 1245	ing prices were a few points below the best,	Sentember, 78c: December 80%c.	fiscal year the exports are 14,928,223 bush-	Copper was firm and unchanged in the local
nounds such The same flow senests the	Italian, 125-016c; Ohio, 20c; peanuts, raw,	1 m 174 & 7 m 187	These shares absorbed the attention of the	Hops-Quiet.	els against 6,307,164 last year.	market with lake quoted at 18.62%@18.75c; electrolytic at 18.37%@18.50c; casting at 18.0
County at the same price, but the deal was	746 per pound; roasted, 9c; pinenuta, 1009 12c; hickory nuta, 74696; coccanuta, 35690c		market, other shares being practically un-	Hides—Firm. Wool—Firm.	Bank Clearings.	18.25c. The London market was 5r higher at
confidential and no names are given.	SALT-California dairy, \$11 per ten; imita-	no bisterior 100 4154 4155 4155		1,000	NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The following ta- ble, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank	£83 Has 66 for apot and £83 Has for futures.
McKinley Mitchell informed Salem hopmen today that he had bought hops today at 20	1.20; DOS. SECOU: MITTED LIVETDOOL 211.000	do. preferred 118	Daily Treasury Statements.	European Grain Markets.	clearings at the principal cities for the	closing at £17 is 3d. Locally it was un-
	BEANS-Small white, 4%c; large white, 4%c; pink, 2%c; bayou, 4%c; Lima, 5%c;	do, preferred 300 1174 117 117	WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Today's histe- ment of the Treasury balances in the general	LIVERPOOL, Aug. 17 -Wheat September,	week ended August 16, with the percentage	changed at 5.75c.
learned.	Mexicans, red, 4%c.	Am. Topacco pfd. 500 101 100% 100%	fund shows:	land showers.	of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:	and at £28 15s in London.
BUTTER MOVING STEADILY.	Provisions and Canned Meats.	Anaconda Mog. Co. 25,400 262 2581 259 4	Available cash balance	LONDON, Aug. 17.—Cargoes-Pacific Coast,	P.C. P.C.	Iron was higher abroad with standard
	BACON—Fancy breakfast, 21c per pound; standard breakfast, 19c; choice, 18c; English,	do preferred 1,500 100% 100% 100%	Gold certificates	34 higher, 30s 64.		foundry quoted at 32s 9d and Cleveland war- rants at 53s 3d in the English market. Locally
Supply on Front Street Is Still Somewhat in Excess of the Demand.	11 to 14 pounds, 17c; peach, 16c.	Baltimore & Onto. 24,800 119 118 118 1184	LIVESTOCK MARKETS.	English and French country markets, quiet.	Chicago* 200,115,225 19.9	the market was reported active and firm.
A steady movement in butter is reported	HAMS-10 to 14 pounds, 17c per pound; 14 to 16 pounds, 17c; 18 to 20 pounds, 16c;	do, preferred	Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and	Grain at San Francisco.	Thilledolphias fill ora out or	No. 1 foundry Northern is quoted at air row
by the city creameries, which are quoting	California (picnic), lac: cottage, none:	Canadian Pacific 2.800 167 1663 167 Central of N. J 225	Hoge.	EAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17Wheat, easy;		20; No. 2 foundry Northern, \$19.25@19.50; No. 1 foundry Southern, \$19.50@10.75; No. 2
their top brands at 25628 cents. On Front	PICELIPO GOODS Pork harraly \$21-	Central Leather 600 3814 38 3814	The following livestock prices were quoted	barley, steady. Spot quotations: Wheat- Shipping, \$1.20. Call Board sales: Wheat-	Ban Francisco* 43,914,147 9.3 Raltimore* 24,473,965 8.5	foundry Southern, \$10@10.25.
street, the supply is still somewhat in excess	half barrels, \$11; beef, barrels, \$11; half		in the local market yesterday: CATTLE-Best steere, \$5.6085.65; medium,	December, \$1.27%: Barley-December, 99c.	Cincinnati 23.714.600 19.0	Dried Fruit at New York.
of the demand, but the leading handlers have	SAUSAGE—Ham, 13c per pound; minced ham, 10c; Summer, choice dry, 174c; bologna,	Chicago & N. W. 4,100 210 2074 208	\$383.25; cows, \$2.2582.50; second-grade cows,	Corn-Large yellow, \$1.40@1.42%.	Kansas City* 25,329,308 13.1 New Orleans* 14,007,606 3.3	
vance on city make. The best outside brands	long, ic: weinerwurst, luc: liver for norg.	Chical Street, S. Phases	\$1.50@2; bulls, \$1.50@2; calves, \$4@4.50; SHREP—Best sheared, \$4@4.25; lambs, \$5,	Minneapolis Wheat Market.	Lievelinna lavibana li.m	evaporated apples is unchanged. Supplies for
were quoted yesterday at 25 cents, and the		do. preferred 100 31% 31% 31%	HOGS—Best, \$7.25@7.50; light, \$6.75@7.	MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 17.—Wheat-Septem-	Tierrott 18 907 809 11 7	11831 c: choice, 11%@11%c; fancy, 12c.
	DRY SALT CURED-Regular short clears.	C., C., C. & St. L. 1.400 86% 85% 85% 85% 65% 65%		ber, 70%c; December, 72c; May, 76%676%c; No. 1 hard, 75%c; No. 1 Northern, 74%c;	Los Angeles* 11,582,585 14.4,	Prunes are firm with California 70s to 40s
held at 2216 cents.	dry malt, 12c; smoked, 13c; clear backs, dry salt, 12c; smoked, 13c; clear bellies, 14 to 17	Colo. & Southern. 1,200 37% 37% 35% 36% 70%	EASTERN LIVESTOCK.	No. 2 Northern, 78%c; No. 3 Northern, 71@	Milwankee* * 9,593,477 15.8	quoted at 7½@8c; Oregon 40s to 20s at 7%@
cents. Some firms cleaned up entirely, while	pounds, average, dry salt, 14c; smoked, 15c; Oregon exports, 20 to 25 pounds average, dry	do 2d preferred	Prices Current at Kansas City, Chicago and	72½c	Providence* 5.5	Apricots are firm with the new crop avail-
others were not so successful. There was a	legit litter smoked litter Union ballies to	Corn Products 300 19% 19% 19%	Omaha. SOUTH OMAHA. Aug. 17.—Cattle.— Re-	Wheat at Tacoma.	Indianapolis* 7,565.153 12.1	able in small amount; choice, 16c; extra choice, 17c; fancy, 180/20c.
good demand, and some effort was made to		Little do Industrial motive man's and wen	celpts 5000; market lower and steady. Na-	TACOMA. Aug. 17.—Wheat-Unchanged; ex-	St. Paul* 0.888,402 23 3 Denver 0.389,620 8.3	Peaches are unchanged on spot; choice, 10% Chic; extra choice, 11%; fancy, 11%;
advance the market, but it did not succeed.		Del. Lack & West 500 Denver & Rio G 1,000 44% 43% 43%	tive sceers, \$4.25@6.25; cows and helfers, \$3	ports, binestem, 700; chib, 680; red, 65c.	Memphis 2.874,991 20.0	12c; extra fancy, 12012U.c.
smaller than last most make have been	10%c; tubs, lic; 50s, lic; 20s, liigo; 10s, liligo; 5s, li%c. Compound; Tierces, Tigo;	do, preferred 000 86% 85% 85% BDist. Securities 19.560 80 60 62%	@4.75; Western steers, \$2.05.25. Texas steers, \$2.75@4.25; cows and heifers, \$2.0	SAN FRANCISCO QUOTATIONS,	Fort Worth 5.643,162 28.1	
smaller than last week, probably owing to the drop in prices, and as the demand has con-	100s. 7%c; 50s. 7%c; 10s. 8%c; 5s. 8%c.	Erlo 83,300 454 43% 44%	8.75; canners, \$1.50 @ 2.50; stockers and	Prices Paid for Products in the Bay Cliv	Columbus 5,094,900 20.2	Coffee and Sugar.
tinued good, the week promises to close with		do. 1st preferred. 1,500 78 77% 77% do. 2d preferred., 3,100 72% 71% 71%	feeders, \$3@4.40; calves, \$3@5.75; bulls, stags, etc., \$2@4.	Markets.	Washington 4.545,402 2.1	NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Coffee futures closed steady at a net decline of 5@10 points. Sales
a steady market. Some dealers make no dis-		Grt. Northern., pfd. 7.800 300 207 20714	Hogs-Receipts 7000; market 5c higher,	SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The following	Ravannah* 3,372,626 20.9	were reported of 38,250 bags, including Sep-
tinction new in prices between Spring chick-	200 nounds and up. 54.08c.	Mocking Valley 127	Heavy, \$5.75@5.95; mixed, \$5.80@5.90; light,	prices were quoted in the produce market today:	Albany 5.162.702 22 0	January, 7.20c; March, 7.35m7.40c; May, 7.40m
ens and old hens.	BEEF-Dressed bulls, 3c per pound; cows, 116 galac; country steers, 50 Sc.	International Paper 3.100 1014 1814 1914	\$5.55@6.12%; pigs, \$5@6, bulk of sales, \$5.90@6.	FRUIT-Apples, choice, 90e; common, 25e;	Toledo, O* 3.802,855 8.6	steady.
FRESH PRUIT IS SCARCE.	MUTTON-Dressed fancy, 705c per pound; ordinary, 506c; lambs, fancy, 50845c. PORK-Dressed, 100 to 150 pounds, \$6845c;	do preferred 200 85% 85 84 International Pump 7,800 52 50% 51%	Sheep-Receipts 4000; market stronger.	bananas, 75c@\$1.50; Mexican limes, \$5@6.50; California lemons, choice, \$4.50; common, \$3;		Sugar Raw, firm; fair refining, 3%c; centri- fugal, 95 test, 3%c; molasses sugar, 3 1-169
Only Watermelons Are in Good Supply on	PORK-Dressed, 100 to 150 pounds, SESUc: 150 to 200 pounds, Thusse; 200 pounds and		Yearlings, \$5.50@6.15; wethers, \$5@5.25; ewes, \$4.50@5; lambs, \$6.50@7.50.	oranges, navel, \$1.7503.50; pineapples, \$1.500	-lacome , dostalo 19.2	Syc: zeffned, steady.
Front Street.	up, 167%c.	do preferred 1.400 78% 7714 78		VEGETABLES-Cucumbers, 25@50e; garlie,	Spokane, Wash* . 3,915,198 57.4 Hartford 3,006,564 25.3	Dairy Produce in the East.
There was a general ecarcity of fruit on	Olls.	do preferred 300 52% 52% 5115	CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Cattle—Receipts 27	26214c; green pens, Sc; string beans, 26314c;	Nashville 2558.517 16.2	CHICAGO, Aug. 17 On the Produce Ex-
Front street yesterday, and firm prices were	TURPENTINE-Cases, Slc per gallon,	K. C. Southern 500 2814 28 27 do, preferred 5,000 57% 56% 50%	000; market slow and steady. Beeves, \$2.00 @6.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.50;	tomatose, androoc; egg plant, 504965c; pkra,	Des Moines 2,086,791 4.4	change today the butter market was firm;
paid in several lines. Watermelons were in good supply on the street, but no unsold cars	COAL-Cases, 190 per gallon; tanks, 1246	Louis & Nash 11,100 147 145 146 Mexican Central 1,460 2115 21 21%	cowe and heifers, \$1.35@5.25; calves, \$5.25	EGGS-Store, 18625c; fancy ranch, 25c.		
were left at the railroad yards. Of the heavy	GASOLINE-Stove, Cases, 24%c; 72 test,	Minn, & St. Louis, 200 6744 6744 8744	@7.50; Texas fed steers, \$5.75@4.60. Hogs-Receipts today, 12,000, tomorrow,	POTATOES-Early Rom, 70@80c; River Bur-		Blendy; at mark cares included, legico, mans, 1845c; prime front, 18c; extras, 2015c. Cheese, firm: 114@184c.
arrivals of the preceding days, six cars were	WHITE LEAD-Ton lets. The; 500-pound	M., St. P. & S.S.M 152% do. preferred	estimated, 9000; market 5c higher. Mixed	banks, 50@65c; Salinas Burbanks, \$1.25;	Springheid, Mass 1.022,034 1.0	brown would have 17 Dusting stands up.
diverted to other polpts. No cantaloupes	lots, Sc; less than 500-pound lots, Sign. (In	Missouri Pacific 5,400 B614 95 96	and butchers, as some as good to choice	POULTRY-Roosters, old, \$694.50; young	Portland, Me 2.032.512 26.3 Dayton 1.809.805 2.3	changed Cheese, strong. Exces, firm; West- ern firsts, 181/819c; do. seconds, 161/618c.
came in, but a car or two are due today.	5-pound tin pails, ic above keg price; I to	do, preferred 1.900 70% 70 70%	heavy, \$5.00@6.30; rough heavy, \$5.00@ 5.80; light, \$5.80@6.40; pigs, \$5.25@6.15;	management Editor benefiting permits strong and books	Evansville 1.602.813 16.9	
Peaches were practically cleaned up, and the strong demand sent prices for the best	1 THE THURSDAY STANGE STANDS	N.R.R. of Mex. pfd	hulk of saics, someo.au.	DISTRICT PARAM PRINTER BELLANDER	Lifmingham LSO: 925 48.4	Wool at Mt. Louis.
	55c; boiled, in barrels, 50c; in cases, 55c;	N. T. Central 29,600, 145 141 14374 N. V., Cott. & W., 1,500 4844 4744 48	Sheep Receipts 6000; market stendy.	ecconds, 21%c; fancy dairy, 23%c; dairy sec-	Workenser	ST. LOUIS. Aug. 17.—Wool—Steady; terri- tory and Western mediums, 22@28c; fine medi-
in the absence of other fruit. Local awest		Norf. & Western 3,800 93% 92% 92%	Entrep, entre dans lamon, entre de	onds, 19%c; pickled, 17%@18c. CHEESE Young America, 11%@12%c;	Charleston, S. C 836,204 8.6	um, 16020c; me, 14m11c.
waters are offered at 76 cents, and California	Bank Clearings.	do. preferred 1.200 9414 9414 9414 9414	KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 17.—Cattle-Re- ccipts 2000, including 600 Southerns. South-	Eastern, 16140; Western, 15c.	Mobile 1,666,782 : 62.0	"POTTER" IN SERVICE.
grapes at \$1.50g1.85, the former for muscats	Bank clearances of the leading cities of	Northern Facific 12,500 200 20614 206 Pacific Mail 6,900 4014 38 3044	ern steers, \$2.73@4; Southern cows tom	WOOL-Fall, Humbeldt and Mendocino, 186	Erie, Fa	AND ADDRESS AND DESCRIPTIONS
and the latter for Black Prince.	the Northwest yesterday were; Clearings. Balances.	Pennsylvania 316,400 144% 138% 145% People's Gas 50	3.25; native steers, \$4 @ 6.48; native cowe	For water Orders	Jacksonville, Fia 1,170,824 18.2	Popular O. R. & N. Excursion Boat Re-
PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.	Portland\$ \$55,640 \$102,383	P., C. C. & St. L	and heiters, \$2.60; alockers and feeders,	MILLSTUFFE-Bran, \$20.50@22; middlings,	Wichita 1,202,114 18.6	The T. J. Potter leaves Ash-street dock
Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.	Tacoma 574,006 102,246	do, preferred 200 9814 98 98	steers, \$3.50@6; hulls, \$2@3.25; calves, \$2.50	HAY-Wheat, \$12@17.50; wheat and parts	Wilkesbarre 965,650 4.5 Chattaneoga 1,220,535 29.2	for North Beach, touching at Astoria, as
FLOUR-Patents, \$4.10 per barrel; atraights, \$3.45; clears, \$3.25@3.40; Valley, \$5.50@3.65;	Spokane	Pull. Palace Car 180 237 237 238 Reading	06. Market slow. Hogs-Receipts 6000; market 50 higher.	stratto baring \$780100 alfalfa branc, accep-		August 14, 10.00 A. M.: August 16, 11:30
Dakota and hard wheat, parents, \$5.4025.60;	New York Cotton Market.	do. 1st preferred. 100 92 92 92 92 do. 2d preferred. 50	Bulk of sales, \$6@6.10; heavy, \$3.90@6.50;	Receipts—Flour, 23,415 quarter make; wheat,	Kalamazoo, Mich. 876,294 7. 5.6	a not a deposit to 19:00 to he decision to
clears, \$4.25; graham, \$3.50; whole wheat,	NEW YORK AND 17 Cotton futures	Describile Great 1 400 903/ est	weather suggested them to be on the con-	The state of the s	Topeka 804.006 103.1	I want to the same of the same

St. Louis S. W 500 do, preferred 1,200 Southern Pacific 481,000 do, preferred 700 Southern Ry. 11,300	118%	24% 57 82% 116 37	24 05 14 87 % 115 37 %
do. preferred	15614 3156 3254 52	15516 8154 8114 6114	155 34% 51%
Union Pacific 647,100 do, preferred 400 U. S. Express U. S. Realty		9634	17839 94 124 7634
U. S. Rubber	108% 48% 108	108% 61% 106%	48% 48% 107
Va. Car. Chemical. 400 do. preferred	38 2014 4754	9014 4714	37 109 20 47%
Wells Pargo Ex. 100 Westinghouse Elec. 100 Western Union Wheeling & L. E. 100	150	100	239 13014 9114 18
do preferred 200	2614	26 X1	25%

Total sales for the day, 2,513,500 shares. NEW YORK, Aug. 17.-Closing quotations; U. S. ref. 2s ceg. 104% D. & R. G. 4s. 99.
do coupon. 104% N. Y. C. G. 345s. 933%
U. S. 3s reg. 1035 Nor. Pacific 4s. 103%
do coupon. 1034 Nor. Pacific 4s. 103%
U. S. new 4s reg. 129% So. Pacific 4s. 103%
do coupon. 129% Union Pacific 4s. 103%
U. S. old 4s reg. 103% Wis. Central 4s. 90
do coupon. 192% Jap. 6s. 2d ser. 98
Aichison Adj. 4s. 95% Jap. 43%, cer. 92

Stocks at London. LONDON, Aug. 17.—Consols for money, 87%; console for account, 87 15-14. S75; console for account, 87 is-ig.

Anaconds ... 13 in N. Y. Central. 1454;
Atchison ... 98 Norfolk & West 95
do preferred 10414 do preferred 94
Baltimore & O. 1224 Ontario & West, 484;
Can. Pacific. 172 Pennsylvania 71 is
Ches. & Ohlo ... 624 Rand Mines ... 64;
C. Gt. Western 194 Reading ... 684;
C. M. & St. P. 1834 Bo. Rallway ... 38 is
De Beers 18 do preferred ... 90
do preferred ... 884; Union Pacific. ... 90
do preferred ... 884; Union Pacific ... 173
Erie ... 45 do preferred ... 98
do 2d pref. ... 73
filinois Central 180
Wabash ... 21
Louis & Nash ... 149 do preferred ... 49
Mo., Ras & T. ... 354; Spanish Fours ... 93

PORTLAND STOCK EXCHANGE.

Sales and Prices Bid and Asked on the Local Board. Sales at the Stock Exchange yesterday were 2000 shares of Oregon Securities at 6. The following are the official prices bid and asked:

Bank stocks—

Sank of California. \$360.09
Mcrehante National
Uregon Trust & Savings.
U. S. National. 200.00
Portland Trust Co. of Or.
Misocianeous stocks—
Lesser Mfg. Co. 155.00
Campbell's Gas Burner.
Union Gil 205.00
Associated Oil 38.00
Associated Oil 88.00
Pacific States Tel.
Home Tel. Co.
Paget Sound Tel. Co.
Oregon Life Ins. Co. J.
Mertin Townsite Co. 20
Nicola Coal & Coke Co. 102
International Coal Co. 66
Mining stocks—
Alaska Petroleum & Coal
Co. 135
Les Co. 135 nowstorm
ees Creek Gold Mines
acoma Steel
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allaher M. & M.
olden Rule Con.
ulifrog Terrible Fairview M. Co...

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Cattle—Receipts 27.—000; market slow and steady. Beaves, \$3.05 (\$2.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.40 (\$4.50); cosss and heifers, \$1.20 (\$6.25; calves, \$2.25 (\$7.50; Texas fed steers, \$2.25 (\$7.50; Texas fed steers, \$2.26 (\$6.50); market \$5.00; market \$

Sharp Rise in the Chicago Grain Pit.

OPENS STRONG AND ACTIVE

Advance at Liverpool Comes as a Surprise to the Shorts-Argentine Shipments Decrease. Russia Is Buying.

CHICAGO, Aug. 17 .- The wheat market opened strong on a lively demand by shorts and commission houses. A sharp advance in the price of wheat at Liverpool came as a aurprise to the majority of pit traders, many of whom had sold short the previous day, and in an attempt to cover the short sales, prices were forced up materially, the September delivery showing a gain of the to the on initial transactions. The total movement for the week from Argentine was \$56,600 hushels, compared with 1,376,000 hushels the previous week. As the stession advanced the market was further strengthened by a report from St. Petersburg to the effect that wheat was being imported into Hussia from Germany. Late in the day sentiment lost much of its builtainness owing to a sharp decline in the price of corn. The close was, however, firm. September opened the to the higher at 10% 10% 10%, sold off to 70%, and closed at 70% 20%. Sold off to 70%, and closed at 70% 20%, sold off to 10%, and closed at 10% 20%, and closed to the amount of acceptances, indications pointed to large receipts in the near future. The market closed weak. September opened a shade to the higher at 48% to 48%, and closed at 49% 249%.

Clear weather and large receipts, both local and at other primary points, had a weakening effect on the cata market. Cash houses were the principal sellers. September closed at 29%. in an attempt to cover the short sales, prices

The feature of trading in provisions was profit-taking in pork by local longs. A 5-cent advance in the price of live hogs had a divance in the price of live hogs had a

steadying effect ear pork closed STie in lower.	ly in the	day. S	ribs 5
The leading futu	res range	d as foll	lows:
	VHEAT.		
Open. Sept \$.70% Dec73% May77%	High. \$.70% .73% .77%	Low. \$.70 \frac{1}{2} .71 \frac{1}{2} .77 \frac{1}{2}	Close. \$.70 % .73 % .77 %
	CORN.		
Sept 48% Dec 44% May 44%		.47 .434 .4436	.47% .45%
The state of the s	OATS.		
Sept 30% Dec 31% May 38%	.30% .31% .33%	.20 % .30 % .32 %	.30 % .30 %
ME	SS PORK		
Sept17.15 Jan13.50	17.15	17.00	17.00 13.32 %
	LARD.		16
Sept 8.70 Oct 8.77 4 Nov 8.024 Jan 7.70	8.70 8.77 ½ 8.62 ½ 7.90	8.67-5 8.72-5 8.55 7.85	8.67 % 8.73 % 8.55 7.85
SHC	ORT RIB	S.	
Sept 8.97 ½ Oct 8.75 Jan 7.22 ½ Cash quotations	8.77 lb 7.22 lb	8.87 % 8.70 7.12 %	8.90 8.70 7.12 %
Flour-Easy.			200 N 20

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OUTLOOK NEVER BRIGHTER

CONTINUANCE OF THE PRESENT GOOD CONDITIONS ASSURED.

Railways Will Be Unable to Handle All the Business When the Crops Begin to Move.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tumorrow will easy: Abundant crops and an oversold steel industry engender sentiments of confidence that make the outlook bright for a continuance of present prosperous business conditions. Each week brings a new high-water mark in some department, and the net result is uniformly better than for the corresponding week in any newlooks year.

previous year.

Despite unprecedented preparations for business by liberal purchase of rolling stock, the rallways are facing a serious traffic blockade that cannot be avoided when the crops begin to move freely. Earnings thus far reported for August were 11.7 per cent larger than less view.

for August were 11.7 per cent larger than last year.

No relief appears as to the supply of labor, production being reduced in some cases where consumers are most orgent. Fall dry goods jobbing trade broadens, clothing-makers make heavy shipments and the leading industries are usually supplied with orders assuring active machinery well into next year.

July foreign commerce for the whole country far surpassed the same month in any previous year, especially as to imports, which were close to the largest in any previous month and at this port alons for the last week there were gains of \$5.801.468 in imports and \$1.519.833 in exports, as compared with the Si,519.833 in exports, as compared with the same week in 1903.

Failures this week numbered 176 in the United States, against 218 last year, and 16 in Canada, compared with 28 a year ago.

27.2 202.114 18.6 965.650 4.5 1.220.055 29.2 766.854 12.6 876.294 2.6 894.006 105.1 1.004.582 51.3 474.771 87.0 727.288 698.151 3.4 782.893 9.0 571.465 18.4

anton, On Singulariton Chester, Pa. Lowell Greensburg, Pa. Staomington, Ill. 14.6 6.5 22.3 Sloux Falls, S. D. Sacksonville, Ill., Fremont, Neb., South Bend, Ind. 13.7 19,312,237 11,302,000 741,107 Galveston Fort Wayne Total, U. S. \$2,585,912.878 Durside N. Y. City ... 948.288.054 CANADA. Total, Canada. . \$ 70,712,000 10.5

*Balances paid in cash.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.-The official

closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows: Alpha Con...\$.06 Andes .00 Belcher .24 Best & Belcher .78 Kentucky Con. \$
Mexican
Occidental Con.
Ophir
Overman
Potosi
Savage
Scorpion
Seg Beicher
Sierra Nevada
Silver Hill
Standard
Union Con.
Utab Con.
Utab Con.
Tellow Jacket.
St. Louis

Caledonia 24 i
Challenge Con. 13 g
Cholinr ... 13 g
Cholinr ... 13 g
Confidence ... 50 g
Con. Cat. & V. 54 g
Con. Imperial ... 04 g
Excheduer ... 45 i
Gould & Curry ... 10 i
Habe & Nor ... 1.15 j
Julia 06 g
Justice ... 04

Popular O. R. & N. Excursion Boat Be-* sumes Trips to Beach.

The T. J. Potter leaves Ash-street dock for North Beach, touching at Astoria, as follows:
August 14, 10.00 A. M.; August 16, 11:30 A. M.; August 18, 12:30 P. M.; August 21, 7 A. M. 5.6 A. M.: August 18. 12:30 P. M.: August 21.

Prom Hwaco: August 12. 6 P. M.: August 15. 8 A. M.: August 17. 8 A. M.: August 19. 8:30 P. M.

Tickets at Third and Washington streets and at Ash-street dock. Meals may be secured on the boat.