Northwestern Crop Largely of Export Quality.

### SELLING HAS BEEN ACTIVE

Quantity Available for Feed Purposes Will Probably Be Small. Buyers Slow to Take Hold of Oats.

Trade in the cereal markets is hampered omewhat by the telegraphers strike and the volume of business passing is reduced, but otherwise the strike is not having much effect on business. Local dealers keep in touch with their agents in the interior by

A firm tone is still maintained in the barley market. A fine crop of barley was grown in the Northwest this year, and unless is should be damaged by water, most of it will be of export quality, which will ssarily curtail the amount available for feed purposes. First-class feed barley is in this market at \$22@22.50 per ton, and brewing is worth \$24. Good progress has been made in harvesting the crop. The farmers are well sold out of brewing quality. Much contracting was done by ex-

The crop is a large one and traders are slow in taking hold of it in view of the large quantity of the old crop carried over. New No 1 white onts are quoted here at \$23.50. Gray onts are about nominal,

The wheat market is without new feature. Business is only of moderate proportions. Exporters quote club at 77@78 cents and

ern wool inarket, the Commercial Bulletin says:

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Values are strong all along the line, some showing greater strength than others, owing to the better demand for them. All sorts of worstells wools are firmly and confidently held, selling at full prices when sales are made. The pressure to sell is not great unless a profit is obtained. In this respect the situation differs from that of the first half of the year. Wool at present yalues, nor is a decline anticipated. A steady and firm market is what dealers expect and will probably realize. Buyers show a disposition to pay a fair price for good wool and sellers are willing to let them have it. The situation is decidedly healthy without being at all strained. Several firms are placed in a comfortable position by the considerable amount of new wool they have already turned over. sition by the considerable amount of wool they have already turned over.

### OREGON WATERMELONS IN MARKET. Carload of Fine Fruit Arrives From The Dalles.

The feature of the fruit market yesterday was the arrival of the first Oregon watermelons of the season. A carload

### Klaber, Wolf & Netter's London Agent Reduces Figures 50,000 Cwt.

Klaber. Wolf & Netter, of this city, received a cable from their London office yesterday which puts the estimate of the lish hop crop at 50,000 cwt. less than their pravious estimate. This reduction was due the recent and prevailing cold and showery weather.

This firm has received from its San Fran-cisco office a sample of new crop Yales. The quality of the sample is very satisfac-

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learings blances						\$1,167,264

### PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

peas, per 100 pounds. \$4.25%4.80; pear: bar-ley, \$4.24.50 per 100 pounds; pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, \$2.30 per bale. CORN-Whole, \$28; cracked, \$20 per ton. HAY-Vailey timothy, No. 1, \$17.218 per ton. Eastern Oregon timothy, \$21.222; clover, \$9; cheat, \$0.210; grain nay, \$0.210; alfalfa, \$15.214.

Butter, Eggs. Poultry, Etc. BUTTER-City creameries: Extra creamery, 35c per pound. State creameries: Fancy creamery, 324@35c; store butter,

20c.
CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 18 B
17c; Young America, 17 918c per pound.
POULTRY — average old hens, 13c;
mixed chickens, 12 4c; Spring chickens,
14 4 6 15c; old roosters, 8 26c; dressed
chickens, 16 917c; turkeys, live, 15 916c;
turkeys, dressed, choice, nominal; seess,
live, per pound, 8 910c; ducks, 13 915 4c;
pigeons, 81 9150; squabs, \$2 93.
EGGS—Fresh ranch, candled, 24925c, per
dozen. dozen. VEAL-75 to 125 pounds \$684c; 125 to 150 pounds, 74 984c; 130 to 200 pounds, 64 PORK--Hicek, 75 to 150 pounds, 8884c; packers, 7498c.

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

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DOMESTIC FRUITS—Cherries, 8@10c per pound; apples, \$\$\psi\_225\$ per box; cantaloupes, \$162 per crate; peaches, \$509 \$1 per crate; blackberries, \$\$\psi\_509\$ per crate; blackberries, \$\$\psi\_509\$ per crate; watermelons, \$1.509\$ 175 per crate; watermelons, \$1.509\$ 175 per crate; watermelons, \$1.509\$ 175 per crate; watermelons, \$1.509\$ 2 per box; grapes, \$1.509\$ 1.50 per box; perpentence, \$1.509\$ 2.50 per-box, apricots, \$1.502\$ 2 per box; grapes, \$1.250\$ 1.75 per box.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, \$657.50 per-box, oranges, sweets, \$3.25\$ 3.50\$ 3.50; Valencias, \$3.75\$ 2.50\$; sape-fruit, \$2.50\$ 3.50; bananas, 5c per pound, crated 5 %c.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, \$1.75 per gack; garile, \$c per pound.

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### Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

Business is only of moderate proportions. Exporters quote club at 77678 cents and bluestem at 70580 cents. The California wheat market is dull and weak with prices below a parity with the East and Europe.

OREGON WOOL IN EASTERN MARKET Demand for Staple Holds Good, but Sales Are Smaller.

The latest mail advices from Boston say that the demand for Orescon staple wool holds good, but the sales are smaller, many firms being aiready sold ahead to a good extent. Occasional lots bring 24 to 25c, but most business is around 23½e in the grease and 72 to 73c scoured. Clothing soid at 20c, or at 675 68c clean.

Reviewing the general tone of the Eastern wool market, the Commercial Bulietin says:

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\$11 per ton.
BEANS—Small white, 3%c; large white,
3c; pink, 3c; bayou, 3%c; Lima, 5½c; Mexicans, red, 4c.
HONEY—Fancy, \$3.25@3.50 per box.

Provisions and Canned Meats. BACON—Fancy breakfast, 22c pound: standard breakfast, 19½c; choice, 18½c; Engiseb, II to 14 pounds, 16½c; peach, 15½c, HAMS—10 to 11 pounds, 16c pound; 14 to 16 pounde, 15½c; 18 to 20 pounds, 15½c; plenics, II½c; cottage, 15c; shoulders, 12½c; bolled, 95c.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, long, Sc; links, The. BARRELED GOODS—Pork, barrels, \$20; half-barrels, \$11; beef, barrels, \$10; half-barrels, \$3.50. DRY SALT CURED—Regular short clears, dry sait, 12c; smcked, 13c; clear backs, dry sait, 12c; smcked, 13c; clear bellies, 14 to 17 pounds average, dry sait, none; smoked, none; Oregon exports, dry sait, 13c; smoked, 14c.

### Hops, Wool. Hides, Etc.

The feature of the fruit market yesterday was the arrival of the first Oregon
watermelons of the season. A cafeed
came in from The Dalles composed principally of Keckley Sweets. They were of fine
quality and were eagerly sought for. A
shipment of 100 crates of Toppeniah cantaloupes of very fine quality was also received. Walla Walla melons are being offered to jobbers, but the freight rate is toohigh to permit their sale here in competition with The Dalles melons and melons
from Rogue River, which will be in in a
day or two.

Peathers came in freely, principally from
Ashland, Tallant and Medford. Very few
Roseburg peaches were received. The built
of the arrivals were of fine quality and sola
at from 62 to \$1:

Five cars of bananas are due Sunday,
Another car of sweet potatoes will be in
Manday.

There is a good shipping and local demand for ripe potatoes, which are quoted at
\$151.25 on the street.

EASTERN EGGS ARE FREELY OFFERED

Fresh Oregon Ranch Stock is Scarce and
Firm.

The egg market is now in a satisfactory,
condition, and were it not for the feat
that considerable quantities of Eastern eggs
are being offered freeh ranch stock would
be quoted materially higher. As it is, the
best Grescon eggs are selling at 25 cents,
and a few dealers report occasional sales
made above this flaure.

The poullry market was active yeaterdaywith the demand strongest for heigh, though
Spring chickens and young ducks, geeze and
turkers sold fairly well. Frices were unchanged.

There were no new developments in the
butter market, which was firm, and fairly
active.

ENGLISH HOP CROP ESTIMATE LOWER.

Kindery Bord Harden of the feetture was the principal of the feetday of the product of the feetcach; slow, 1823 each; cach; wolverine, \$2638

EASTERN, 2505 each; slive and black,
31062300 each; fisher, \$2505 each; year,
and a few dealers report occasional sales
made above this flaure.

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Spring chickens and young ducks, geeze

### Vancouver Barracks Changes.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Aug. 16.-(Special.)-Major Hawthorne, Department Artillery Officer, has been ordered to the Department of the Columbia at Vancouver Barracks, from the War College at Washington, D. C. Lieutenant Zimmerman, of the Seventh Cavalry, stationed at Fort Riley, Kan., has reported at Vancouver Barracks for duty with the Fourth Artillery, Second Lieutenant O'Laughlin, now in the Philippine Islands, has been promoted and ordered to Van-couver Barracks and assigned to duty with the Fourteenth Infantry. Second Lieutenants McLachlan, Rice and Mc-Neil having graduated from West Point, in June, have been ordered commissioned and have been assigned to the Fourteenth Infantry at Vancouver Barracks for duty.

### Small Increase in Timber Levy.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT—(New crop)—Club. IT@18c: bluestem. Th@50c; Valley, Soc. red. 7507dc.
OATS (New crop)—Producers' prices: No. 1
white. \$23.50; gray. \$23.
MILLETUFFS—Bran. city. \$17. country
\$18 per ton; middlings, \$24.50@25.50; shorts,
city. \$19; country \$20 per ton; chap, \$15@
16 per ton.
FLOUR—Patent, \$4.80; straight, \$4.25;
clears. \$4.25; Valley, \$4.30@4.40; graham
flour, \$4@4.50; whole wheat flour, \$4.25@
4.75. city, \$19; country \$20 per ton; chep, \$15@ 16 per ton FLOUR.—Patent, \$4.80; straight, \$4.25; clears, \$4.25; Valley, \$4.30g4.40; graham flour, \$4.26; Valley, \$4.30g4.40; graham flour, \$4.26; Walley, \$4.30g4.40; graham flour, \$4.26; Walley, \$4.30g4.40; graham flour, \$4.25; Valley, \$4.25; per cent would be made this year and much adverse comment is being induged at the action of the commissioners, who offer as an explanation of the moderate increase, the avoidance of law-barrel; 0-pound sacks, \$4.25; per bale; oatmeal (ground), 45-pound sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 9-pound sacks, \$4 per bale; split

Another Spasm of Liquidation in Stock Market.

### TEMPER OF STREET SHAKY

Though the Opening Shows Little Trace of Excitement, Financial Rumors Soon Start Prices Down and Losses Are Sharp.

The following report on the New York stock narket and range of prices was received by

pany, of this city: NEW YORK, Aug. 16 .- The sentiment in the early dealings in the stock market today was somewhat improved and the traders in reneral had a more confident feeling than heretofore, caused principally by an improved feeling abroad and higher prices from Lon-don for all American securities, with the Rading basses showing an improvement of from 14 to 11/2 per cent, which gave our market a steady opening. Prices were well maintained the first hour or more.

However, at the moment any sort of rumore, except of a favorable nature, seem to have a selling effect on price-making, and all kinds of rumors are being set affoat. One was to the effect that another large manufacturing concern was in trouble, which, however, was denied by large interests; nevertheless it had

depreasing influence.

The list in general started on the downward unsettled until the closing, which was irregular and lower, nearly all issues showing losses for the day ranging from ½ to 3½ points. The principal declines follow:

Union Pacific, 3: Southern Pacific, 1½:

Smelting, 3%: St. Paul, 14: Amalgamated Copper, 2%: New York Central, 2%: the Steel stocke, 1% to 1%: Northern Pacific, 2; Great Northern, 3%. Money was quoted at the close at 2% pe CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS

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do preferred	96	97	954	
Anaconda Mining Co.	45	97 45 %	43/54	ē
Amer. Woolen, com.	2134	21.54	21.34	ı
Atchison, com.	84 %	80.74	8836	ă
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Denies That He Has Made Any Ar rangement With the Oregon Packing Company.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 15.—(To the Editor.)—Our attention has been called to an ter.)—Our attention has been called to an article in The Oregonian, of the 13th inst., headed, "Low Price Offered." In the bottom paragraph of this article a statement is made that the Weber-Bussell Company, of Scattle, has been induced to quit purchasing Bartletts in the Valley by the Oregon cannerles offering them all the pears they wanted. This statement, though couched in careful tarms, is misleading and untrue.

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We are buying Bartlett pears in Oregon independently of the Oregon Packing Company, and we have no arrangements whatever with them as to what we shall pay nor the quantity that we should buy. As a matter of fact, we will probably be the largest purchasers of Bartlett pears in the state of Oregon this year, and the outlook is that we shall purchase as many pears as all of the Oregon cannerles combined.

This is mly one of the many stories that have been in circulation concerning our operations in Oregon, which have been circulated probably maliciously, for the purpose of hampering and obstructing our bustness. We would be pleased, in fact, desire, that you let us know who your informer or correspondent is who has furnished you with this false information.

We are now building a cannery at Newberg, Or., and expect to build probably two others in the Willamett Valley before next season. Our company will not only use up enormous quantities of fruit ourselves, as our policy is to produce the fruit as well as can it. We shall be in the market, but we shall be large producers of fruit ourselves, as our policy is to produce the fruit as well as can it. We shall be lit the market to purchase from the various independent growers enormous quantities of fruit outside of what we shall grow ourselves. We desire to bespeak your assistance in our building of our enterprise in Oregon, as it will mean much for the fruit industry and will furnish the farmer and fruitsgrower a good market for what has heretofore gone to waste. There is practically no market at the present time for canned loganberries, but we propose to can all the surplus berties of this variety is practically no market at the present time for canned logamberries, but we propose to can all the surplus berries of this variety that we can get in the Williamette Valley, and through our connections throughout the country, will make a market for the goods. This is both a difficult and risky undertaking, but we believe the quality of the fruit will sustain our judgment in the venture.

WEBER-BUSSELL CANNING CO., C. B. BUSSELL, President.

If Mr. Bussell will take the pains to read

he will learn the name of The Oregonian's informant. He will find that the article in question was an interview with the District Fruit Inspector, and was printed as such. The Oregonian merely gave the views of Mr. Reid without any comment whatever. It was not the intention of this paper, and probably was not the purpose of the inspector, to discredit the Seattle firm, which has already done much for the Oregon orchardists, but was intended to show the growers that they are not receiving as much for that they are not receiving as much for their Bartlett pears as the California grow-ers receive for a poorer article.

### PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET. Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and

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In the local market cattle were quoted strong and lambs weak and slow. Other kinds were steady. Receipts were 105 cattle, 112 sheep, 245 hogs and 420 lambs.

The following prices were quoted in the local market yesterday;
CATTLE—Best steers, \$3.85@4; medium, \$3.25@5.50; cows, \$3; fair to medium cows, \$2.50@2.75; buils, \$292.50; caives, \$4.65.

SHEEP—Good sheared, \$4@4.25; lambs, \$4.50 @4.75. HOGS-Rest \$6.75@7; lights, fats and feed-

ers. \$6.25@6.50 New York Cotton Market. Cooke Company, fellow: Open. High. Low. 12.25 12.27 12.19 11.23 11.24 11.35 11.40 11.01 11.08

European Grain Markets. LONDON, Aug. 16.—Cargoes firmer at an advance of 3d. Walla Walla, prompt shipment, 35s 3d to 35s 8d; California, prompt shipment, 35s 6d to 35s 9d.

12.02 12.12 12.00

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 16.—Wheat opened 1/2d higher and closed 1/3d higher, September, 7s Argentine shipments, 800,000 bushels; last week, 860,000 bushels.

Chicago Egg Market. CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Eggs-Steady, 161/40

San Francisco Grain Market. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Barley opener 34d higher at \$1.72% per cental.

LACK OF CAPITAL IS CAUSE OF REACTION IN STOCKS.

Relief Must Come From Somewhere and Wall Street Is the Most Likely Spot.

Writing of Wall-sirest operations and conditions in the financial world, Henry Clews, of New York, says.

The Standard Oil decision and the popular outcry against corporation misdeeds overshadowed all other issues in the stock market this week. Prices have undergone a sharp reaction and, there are indications that liquidation is still incomplete. In the public mind the decline in securities is public mind the decline in securities is upon corporationa. Undoubtedly these have had a disturbing effect, but they are by no means the only or even the chief cause. As has been persistently pointed out, the main reason for reaction in the Stock Exchange is the exceedingly unsatisfactory condition of the money market, resulting from general overdeing. Bank reserves are low, and without liquidation there will be no chance for replenishment before cropmoving demands begin. These have been delayed somewhat by backwardness of the growing season, but they must seem be faced.

It is unfortunate that these demands

faced.

It is unfortunate that these demands promise to assert themselves at a time when financial reserves are low and when the demands of general business will be very pressing. It is doubly unfortunate that such demands should come at a time of unusual strain in the security markets; for the latter are in an exceedingly sensitive condition and likely to be the first to yield to monetary pressure. If all accounts ale true, there is likely to be a brisk demand for funds this Fall. General business in the West is still very active, and with prices at their pressure high level the effi-

Pacific co. 117 to 118 to 115 to 115 to 115 to 116 to 116 to 117 to 115 to 117 to 115 to 117 this quarter.

# DECIDE TO OBEY ORDER

California Roads Propose to Regulate Tolls and Differentials.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—(Special.)— The Southern Pacific and Santa Fe rail-The Southern Facing and Sainta Pe Pair-roads have decided to obey the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission as written by Commissioner Lane regulating the state tolls. On and after August 26 no more state tolls will be charged on nterstate shipments to or from San

terminal rates in San Francisco the same as in other Pacific Coast terminals. The railroads will absorb the San Francisco Bay tolls in the rates.

It was also decided by the two railroad companies to obey the order of the Interstate Commerce Commission as written by Commissioner Prouty, making

This decision on the part of the rail-

roads will have the effect of making the

tertain Railroad Party. KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 16,-(Spe cial.)—In preparation for the visit of E. H. Harriman and a party of 12, who cial.)—In preparation for the visit of E. H. Harriman and a party of 12, who are coming to spend two weeks at Pelican Bay Lodge, a 25-foot launch has arrived to be used on Upper Klamath Lake. The party will arrive by way of Weed, going to the end of the California Northeastern track at Orr's Lake, thence by automobiles or carriage to the Klamath River at Teeter's Landing, and will be met at that point by the steamer Klamath blant will cost unwards of \$10.000 inside that point by the steamer Klamath. Lunch will be served en route from the end of the railroad to the river, and the entire trip will be made as rapidly as possible, but will follow the route of the road to Downing Ranch, where the line is located across the tule lands in a tangent direct to Klamath Falls.

THE

# United States National Bank

OF PORTLAND

J. C. Ainsworth, President. R. W. Schmeer, Cashier. R. Lea Barnes, Vice-President. A. M. Wright, Asst. Cashier. W. A. Holt, Assistant Cashier.

### FOREIGN DRAFTS

The United States National Bank of Portland issues Foreign Drafts on all cities of the United States and Europe, Hongkong and Manila, payable in the currency of the country on which they are drawn.

Total Resources Over ...... 9,000,000

Portland, Oregon

Third and Oak Streets

Wheat Opens Firm, but Soon Gives Way.

PRICES CLOSE AT A LOSS

Firmness in Response to Liverpool's Higher Quotation Is Not Long Maintained - Coarse

Grains Weak.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—The wheat market opened firm today, the September option showing an advance of \$\( \)c over the closing price of yesterday. The strength of the market wan in sympainy with the higher cables, Liverpool having closed \$\( \)d above the previous day after a continuous show of strength during the trading there. From \$\( \)5 \( \)c, the opening price for september here, the market advanced quickly to \$\( \)8 \( \)c, dropping later or profit taking sales to \$\( \)8 \( \)c. A rally near the end of the session caused an advance to \$\( \)5 \( \)c, but weakness developed and the close was at \$\( \)5 \( \)c. December wheat closed case at \$\( \)90 \( \)c. September tort closed at the previous day's price, \$\( \)5 \( \)c, a decline of \$\( \)c from transfer opening.

Oats fluctuated with sensat and corn and closed oractically unchanged.

The provision market closed weak, with September lard off \$2\( \)c and September ribs 7\( \)c lower, while September pork is down 17\( \)c.

	pany, of tale city:						
	Wheat-	Open.	High-	Low.	Close-		
	Dec May	190 Ta	.8634 .9114 .97%	.84 % .89 % .95 %	.85 14 .90 14 .96 35		
1000	Corn— Sept Dec May	.54% .52 .58%	.55 .52 % .53 %	.54% .51% .52%	.54 % .51 % .52 %		
	Oats— Sept Dec May	.45% .44 .46	.46% .45 -46%	-45% -43% -45%	A-45% -44 -45%		
		16.00	16.05	15.82 1/2	15.82%		
	Sept Oct Jan	8.97 16	9.00 9.07 \s 8.47 \s	8.00 8.97 14 8.40	8.90 9.00 8.423 <sub>2</sub>		
,	Sept, Oct	8.70	8.67 16 8.75 7.85	8.87 1/2 8.65 7.70	8.67 % 8.67 % 7.80		

# AFTER THE POSTMASTER

Opponents of Stewart of Seattle Prefer Charges Against Him.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 16. - (Special.) -- Scrious charges have been preferred against Postmaster George M. Stewart, alleging that he has violated Civil Service regulations in making promotions, upset delivery practices and injured the postal service generally. The Chamber of Commerce committee has appealed to the department for an investigation. If no rement for an investigation. If no re-sult from this appeal comes emphasis will be laid in the demand forwarded

Monday.

Stewart was appointed in 1899, just after the Senatorial contest ended that resulted in Foster's election. He was reappointed before Piles was sworn in. Both times the appointment was made before his political opponents could get Monday. a chance to present claims through Senatorial channels. The latest charges are in the hands of the Chamber of Commerce commit-

the and are regarded as serious be-cause his personal and political enemies will not stop proceedings.

YAKIMA WANTS TO BE FAMOUS

Thinks Boxes Should Tell Where the Fruit Comes From. NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Aug. 16.

NORTH YAKIMA. Wash., Aug. 16.—
(Special.)—An effort is to be made to persuade all fruitgrowers in this valley to
have "Yakima" stamped upon their
hoxes. It has been discovered that the
growers of Wenatchee have got ahead of
North Yakima in regard to advertising,
having acquired a reputation for sending
out the finest fruit, which, as a matter
of fact, comes from this valley. Several
big commission men in Seattle and Portland have written saying that the finest nterstate Commerce Common Making written by Commissioner Prouty, making a differential of 7 cents a hundred pounds between the rate on flour and wheat from Kansas points to California terminals. This change will go into effect August 20.

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Were put up better than any others, but that in the absence of any distinguishing mark, many dealers sold the fruit as "Wenatchee" products. This misrepresentation will be avoided in the future.

NORTH YAKIMA. Wash., Aug. 15.— (Special.)—The installation of the new plant in the new building of the telephone plant will cost upwards of \$10,000 inside the building. The telephone lines in the city proper are now laid underground, and the unsightly poles have been removed from the principal streets.

Kelly against William J. Berry and C. J. Sullivan, homesteaders of Douglas Coun-ty, east of the Columbia River After having had four months' notice, the con-testant came in with a request for a con-tinuance. This was opposed by the attorney for the homesteaders, who pointed out that they were men of small means and had been put to much inconvenience and expense in attending the hearing. The two men, it was shown, had traveled 57 miles down the Columbia River in a rowboat, walked five miles to the nearest railroad station, and then fraveled 70 miles by train.

### Examinations in Linn County.

ALEANY, Or., Aug. 16.—Teachers' examinations for county and state certificates began Wednesday in this city and will continue for three days. The examinations are being held in the County Courthouse under the supervision of County School SuperIntendent W. 1. Jackson. The number of applicants for teachers' certificates this year is larger than usual, the class numbering 58. A noticeable feature is that of those taking the examinations only three are m

### Bezdek Goes to Chicago.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene Or., Aug. 16.—(Special)—Hugo F. Bezdek, the varsity football coach of last season, has been chosen as assistant to Coach A. Alonzo Stagg at the University of Chi-cago. Bezdek is a graduate of Chicago and is thoroughly familiar with Stagg's system of coaching. He resigned his posi-tion here last June and will enter Rush Medical College next month.

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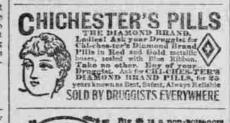


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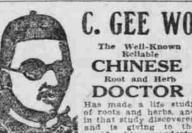
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