Local Wheat Market Shows More Activity.

PRICES ARE QUOTED FIRM

Offerings as Yet Are Not Large, as Farmers Are Unable to Get Their Grain to the

Warehouses

than it has been any time this season. Exbelow, and business would be even larger but for the fact that offerings ar vet rather small. This is owing print pally to the scarcity of horses in the grain districts, according to the report made to local firms by their agents in the country. Not much wheat so far has been handed to the warehouses, and the movement will continue light until harvesting is completed

There is more inquiry in the expert flour market, at least from North China ports, and a fair amount of business has been worked up on that account. The Japanese are showing little interest in the market at present. The Hongkong trade is evidently well supplied with flour, and the few bids that merchants of that city are making are at figures entirely too low to permit of business. Latest advices from Hongkong say that Shanghal dealers are disposing of their cheap purchases in that market, and this is also having a depressing effect on prices. It is believed, however, there should be a good demand for American flour later, as the wheat crop in South China is considerably below the average. Australian mills will not be able to do hustwith Hongkong until after next har-

There is no change in the local flour situation. There is a good firm demand at present and prices on old flour will doubtless be maintained without change during the remainder of the season. Grocers and bakers realize that new wheat flour will not give the satisfaction that old flour does, consequently are laying in good ato while it lasts.

MOVEMENT OF CALIFORNIA FRUITS. Shipments Are Heavy and Peacher Falling Off.

The movement of California deciduous the California Fruit Distributers, of Sac

dums and Prunes—The shipment has n light for the last week and there wil a further reduction for the next sever

he a further reduction for the next seven days.

Praches—Shipments have been very light for the last week, as it is the end of the Yellow Free season and before the beginning of Salways. We will have more peaches the next week, but not a great by rease, as the crop of Salways is very light this year. As before advised there will be very few Clings shipped this year.

Pears—The season for Bartletts is drawing to a rapid class, and as the crop of Fall pears is light, pear shipments can be expected to be light from now on. There are three 6- four fine cars of Comice to go forward and they will soon commence pleking them. Practically all of them will be billed to New York Clty.

Grapes—The increase of shipment of grapes has been very marked and we expect the shipment to be heavy under normal weather conditions. The bulk of the shipments for the last week were Malazas, and all reports coming to this office agree in the declaration that they are very fire quality. The coming week will be another heavy week of Malaga shipments, after which they will gradually decline and the Tokays has been increasing right along, but it will be a number of days yet before the first straight carloads go out. Black Prince and Rose Peru have been going out in straight carloads to f. o. b. points.

PEACHES ARE MORE PLENTIFUL. ble Part of Arrivals Still Show

Evidence of Dry Rot. Alecelpts of peaches were liberal yesterday, out the arrivals cleaned up well. Fancy offerings brought as high as \$1, but there was a considerable part of the shipments that showed dences of dry rot and these were not worth over 50000c. Grapes were more plentiful than they have been and were in strong demand.

and although we have had sunshine throughout the day the temperature is still too lov for the best development of the hop.

The New York Journal of Commerce of Au gust 17 said: The spot market was quiet and uninteresting yesterday. Advices by cable from England state that the crop is not doing Balances particularly well and that mould is increasing

Poultry Market Slower. The poultry market was dull yesterday. Re-

celpts were large and prices were maintained with some difficulty. In the chicken lin fancy hens only were wanted. Eggs were very scarce and firm at the quota-

The city creameries have not all yet lined up on the new butter price.

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS. .

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT—(New stop)—Club, T0c; blue 10,000 or hal cars, Slo; Valley, Noc; red, T7c, or hal cars, Slo; Valley, Noc; red, T7c, or hal riage. This, \$25.50; gray, \$23.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, city, \$17, country maire, \$25.50; gray, \$23. MIJJAETUFFS—Bran, city, \$17, country \$18 per ton; middlings, \$24.50@23.50; shorts, city, \$19; country \$20 per ton; chop, \$15.

I per ton Filetin. \$4.80; straight, \$4.25; ears, \$4.25; Valley, \$4.30@4.60; graham our, \$4.61.50; whole wheat flour, \$4.25@

unds, 74@84c; 150 to 200 pounds, 64 ORK-Hinck, 75 to 150 pounds, SpSic.

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

DOMESTIC FRUITS—Apples, \$1@1.75
per box; cantaloupes, \$1.25@1.75 per crate; beaches, 50c@\$1 per crate; blackberries, 5@7c per pound; prunes, \$1.50@1.75 per crate; watermelons, 1@1½c per pound; plums, \$1.50@1.75 per crate; watermelons, 1@1½c per pound; plums, \$1.50@1.65 per box; pears, \$1.50 per box, apricots, \$1.50@2 per box; grapes, 75c@\$1.25.per box.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, \$0@7.50 per box, oranges, sweets, \$2.50@3.50; Valencias, \$3.75@4.50; grape-fruit, \$2.50@3.50; bauanas, 50 per pound, crated 5½c.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, \$1.75 per sack; carrots, \$2 per sack; ocets, \$2 per sack; carrots, \$2 per sack; ocets, \$2 per sack; garile, \$6 per pound.

FRESH VEGETABLES—Artichokes, 60@75c per dozen; suparagus, 10c per pound; beans, nominal, 3@5c; cabbage, 2½c per pound; celery, \$1.25 per dozen; corn, 25@35c per dozen; cucumbers, 10@15c per dozen; cegg plant, \$6 pound; lettuce, head, 25c per dozen; lettuce, hothouse, \$1.50 per bex; okra, 10@12c per pound; onions, 15@20c per dozen; parsley, 20c per dozen; peas, 4@5c per pound; peppers, 10@12c per pound; spinsch, 6c per pound; squash, 50c \$81 per box; formatoses, 30c \$8c per route; hothouse, \$2.50; awaet potatoes, 4c per pound.

ONIONS—\$2.25@2.50 per hundred. Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

tomatoes, 50 molecular crate; bothouse, \$2.50; sweet potatoes, 4c per pound.
ONIONS-\$2.25 m2.50 per hundred.
DRIED FRUITS-Appies, \$6.84c pound; apricots, 160 lide; peaches, 11 m18c; pears, 18 m18c; per pound; black, 4 m18c; pears, 18 m18c

Groceries. Nuts, Etc.

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RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 64c; Southern Japan, 6.10c; head, 74c.

COFFEE—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; good, 16 @18c; ordinary, 12@18c per pound. Columbia reast, cases, 106s, 514.50; 50s, 314.75; Arbuckle, \$16.50; Lion, \$15.75.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, 51.75 per dozen, 2-pound talls, \$2.40; 1-pound flate, \$1.10; Alaska, pink, 1-pound talls, 25c; red, 1-pound talls, \$1.25; sockeyes, 1-pound talls, \$1.70.

SUGAR—Sack basis, 100 pounds, cube, 86.12%; powdered, \$6.02%; granulated, \$5.57%; extra C, \$5.67%; soften C, \$5.27%; fruit sugar, \$5.57%; berry, \$5.87%; XXX, \$5.77%; Advance sales over sack basis as follows: Barrels, 10c; % barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c per 100 pounds. Terms: On remittances within 15 days deduct %c per pound; if later than 15 days and within 30 days, deduct %c; beet sugar, \$5.77% per 100 pounds; n.aple sugar, 15@18c per pound.

NUTS—Walmuts, 16% 29c per pound by sack; Brazil nuts, 19c; filberts, 16c; pecana, jumbos, 25c; extra large, 21c; almonds, 15@20c; chesinuts, 0hio, 17%c; Italian, 14%g 15c; peanuts, raw, 6% 68%c per pound; roasted, 10c; plnenuts, 16%12c; hickory auts, 10c; coccanuts, 35@90c per dozen.

SALT—Granulated, \$14 per ton; \$2 per bale; half ground, 100s, \$10.50 per ton; 50s, \$11 per ton.

BEANS—Small white, 3%c; large white, 8c; pink, 3c; bayou, 3%c; Lima, 5%c; Mexicans, red, 4c.

EONEY—Fancy, \$3.25@8.50 per box.

BACON—Fancy breakfast, 22c pound; standard breakfast, 19½c; choics, 18½c; English, 11 to 14 pounds, 18½c; peach, 15½c; HAMS—10 to 11 pounds, 16c pound; 14 to 16 pounds, 15½c; 18 to 29 pounds, 15½c; bolled, 11½c; cottage, 13c; aboulders, 12½c; bolled,

SAUSAGE-Bologna, long, Sc; links, 714c. BARRELED GOODS—Port, barrels, \$20; half-barrels, \$11; beef, barrels, \$10; half-barrels, \$5.50. DRY SALT CURED—Regular short clears, dry salt, 12c; smoked, 13c; clear backs, dry salt, 12c; smoked, 13c; clear bellies, 14 to 17 pounds average, dry salt, none; smoked, none; Oregon exports, dry salt, 12c; smoked,

Hops, Wool. Hides, Etc.

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HOPS—486c per pound, according to quality. WOOL.—Ensier Oregon, average best, 18

\$\partial 22c per pound, according to shrinkage; Valley. 20\pm 22c, according to fineness.

MOHAIR—Choice, 20\pm 30c per pound.

CASCARA BARK—Old, less than car lots.

\$\pm 58\pm 54c; car lots, 6c; new, 5c per pound.

HIDES—Dry, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, 18c per pound; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 15 files per pound; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds, 20c; dry salted, bulls and stags, one-third less than dry filnt; culls, motheaten, badly cut, accred, murrain, hair-slipped, weather-beaten or grubby, 2\pm 3c per pound less; salted steers, sound, 60 pounds and over, 8c pound; steers, sound, 50 to 60 pounds, 8\pm 8c pound; steers, sound, under 50 pounds, and cows, \$\pm 8c pound; kip, sound, 15 to 30 pounds, \$\pm 8c pound; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 11\pm 11c; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 11\pm 12c pound; green (unsalted), 1c pound less; sheepskins, shearings, No. 1 butchers' stock, 25\pm 30c each; short wool, No. 1, butchers' aheepskins, shearings, No. 1 nutchers stock, 25 \$\psi 30c each; short wool. No. 1 butchers stock, 50 \$\psi 30c each; short wool. No. 1 butchers stock, 50 \$\psi 50c each; medium wool. No. 1 butchers stock, \$1.25 \$\psi 1.50 each; murrain pelis, from 18 to 20 per cent less, or 13 \$\psi 140 \text{pound}; horse hides, saited, accarding to size, \$2\$\psi 2.50 each; hides, dry, according to size, \$1\$\psi 1.50 each; colts' hides, 20 \$\psi 50c each; goatskins, common, 15 \$\psi 25c each; sontskins, Angora, with wool on, \$30c \$\psi 1.50 each;

week. Suppose the strong demand.

Tomatoes are coming forward more freely, as the local crop is coming on and prices have declined to 50@60c.

Sweet potatoes are also cheaper with heavier arrivals.

New York Hop Crop.

The Waterville Times of August 16 says of the New York hop 'crop: A sudden drop in the temperature, which change was accompanied by a high wind, has hindered the maturing of the crop, to a certain extent, this week, and the wind is reported to have blown down many poles. The nights are extremely cold, and although we have had sunshine through— FURS-Hearskins, as to size, No. 1, \$500 o each; cubs, \$100 a each; badger, prime, 25

Bank Clearings Yesterday's statement of the Portland Clear Clearings \$1,012.898 57,388

WEDDED BLISS 74 YEARS

Couple in Indiana Nearly Century Old and Both Hearty.

RICHMOND, Ind., Aug." 17.-While divorce records are faithfully kept in nearly every state of the Union, statis-tics which tend to show the length of time married couples live together are meager and can only be estimated. It probably is the case, however, that while the silver wedding anniversary is a com-mon occurrence, only one couple out of 10,000 or more live to celebrate the golden, or half century anniversary of their mar-

Infrequently there are instances where couples have been "happily mated" for 60 years; once in a long time a couple is found who have rounded out \$5 years

clears, \$4.25; Valley, \$4.30 \(\psi \) 4.00 \ live until the spring of 1969 they would be able to observe the rarest of events,

Fancy creamery, 21% 635c; store butter, 20c CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 13% 13% carpenter was the first president of Earlham College, this city, and the pounts, 17% 618c per peund mixed chickens, 17% 618c per peund chickens, 12% c. Spring chickens, 14% 618c; cid rocaters, \$89c; dressed chickens, 16% 17c; turkeys, dressed chickens, 16% 17c; turkeys, dressed chickens, 16% 17c; squabs, \$28%, Edward of the aged couple driving through the pigeons, \$16,150; squabs, \$28%, Edward of the aged couple driving through the pigeons, \$16,150; squabs, \$28%, Edward of the aged couple driving through the pigeons, \$16,150; squabs, \$28%, Edward of the aged couple driving through the pigeons, \$16,150; squabs, \$28%, Edward of the aged couple driving through the pigeons, \$16,150; squabs, \$28%, Edward of the aged couple driving through the pigeons, \$16,150; squabs, \$28%, Edward of the aged couple driving through the aged that they need a driver. Mr. Carpenter's borsemanship is still of an excellent quality.

**Control of the first president of Earlham College, this city, and the greater part of his active life has been devoted to educational work. He and his wife are Quakers and seldom miss a Sunday from their church.

**Location market yesterday:

**Cattries—Best steers, \$3.85,64; medium, \$3.25,62,50; cows, \$3. fair to medium cows, \$4.25,52,62,70; bulks, \$22,50; calves, \$4.65, \$4.50,64,75.

**SHEEF—Good sheared, \$4.95,50,64,75.

**HOGS—Best, \$6.75,67; lights, fats and feeders, \$6.25,60,50.

New York Cotion Market

The range of cotton futures at New York is reported by the Overbeck & Cooke Company as follows:

Open, High Low.

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Stocks Are in Demand and Prices Go Up.

ENTIRE LIST IS STRONG

Improved Feeling in Foreign Financial Centers Gives a Firm Opening to the Market - News of the Day Favorable.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Stocks opened hesitatingly. Moderate buying in representative railroad stocks resulted in a number of material advances. Great Northern preferred improved 2%, Union Pacific 1%. Northern Pacific 1%, St. Paul 1%, and Amalgamated I.

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The market retained its strength during the first hour. Reading and Union Pacific led the market. The metal stocks were also keenly sought. Union Pacific rose 24, Smelting and Amaigamated 2. Lead 1%. Atchison, Sugar and Southern Pacific 1 to 18.

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The market continued strong until after 16 o'clock, Large blocks of Union Pacific and Amalgamated were bought Great Northern preferred soid 3%, Lead 3%, and Amalgamated 2% over yesterday's closing. Upon the abatement of the demand, Great Northern preferred reacted a point, and the other leaders receded about ½.

Trading became ressively dull and the market closed dull and easy. Declines of about a point were renewed during the closing minutes.

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The following report of transactions in the stock market and the range of prices were received by private wire by the Overbeck & Cooke Company, of this city:

New York, Aug 22.—With a much improved feeding from abroad sind higher London quotations for American securities this morning, our market had a firm opening, and the initial trading was rather brisk with the standard issues in fair demand. Short interests were reported heavy buyers in the London market, which undoubtedly accounts for the strength from that quarter. At no time did the list exhibit any decided weakness except toward the noon hour, when prices eased somewhat, but support was in evidence throughout the day, and at no time was the market allowed to give way under pressure.

The news of the day in general was favorable, with crop conditions all that could be desired at this time. It was reported that the Sinking Fund Commission would meet today to consider a higher interest rate on New York City bonds. This had no effect, however. Some 30.000 correspondents of the Commercial National Bank of Chicago reported favorably on conditions. Toward the close it was rumored that President Roosevelt would investigate the telegraphers strike, and this had a stimulating effect in giving the market a strong closely. With nearly all issues showing gains of from ½ to 1½ points for the day. Total sales for the day were 528,000. Money closed at 2@2½ per cent. The Bank of England rate remains unchanged.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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9		Open	High	Low	Close
ı	Amal. Copper Co	69	714	6815	70%
ı		37	37 14	87	37
ı	do preferred	14612	30%	26616	93%
п	Amer. Loco. com	5114	52 1/2 \$1.4 1/2	30 14 50 14	51 4
g	Amer. Sugar, com	1124	21415	11236	113%
П	Amer. Smelt., com	94	065		95%
ı	do preferred Anaconda Mining Co. Amer, Woolen, com. Atchison, com. Baltimore & Ohio	94 %	95	94 %	95
8	Amer Woolen com	22	46 1/2	21% 84%	21%
a	Atchison, com.	84 14	8546	84.5	85
1			22 85 % 80 %	8814	80 %
ш	Atchison, com. Baltimore & Ohio, c. Brooklyn Rapid Tr Canadian Pacific, c Central Leather, c	41%	43	41	42
9	Canadian Pacine, c.	100 %	100.12	109.38	18
õ	do preferred			1000000	83
8	Chicago & Gt. W. c.	10	10	2%	. 274
9	Chi., Mil. & St. P	118%	120%	118%	1194
8	Chesapeake & Ohio.	32	120 % 144 % 32 %		324
ü	Colo. Fuel & Iron, c.,	23	2334	32 23	28
8	Colo. Southern, com.	22	2014	2114	2214
۱	do 2d preferred	744.	51	31	51
1	Delaware & Hudson	130	152 14	13114	152
3	Denver & Rio G. c	22	28%	224	23
8	Brooklyn Rapid Tr. canadian Paeffe, c. central Leather, c. do preferred Chicago & Gl. W., c. Chi. Mil. & St. P. Chicago & G. W., c. Chicago & G. W., c. Chicago & N. W., c. Chesapeake & Ohlo. Colo. Fuel & Iron, c. Colo. Southern, com. do 2d preferred do lat preferred Delaware & Hudson, Denver & Rio G. c. do preferred Erie, common do 2d preferred do 1st preferred do 1st preferred				65
1	do preferred Erie, common do 2d preferred do 1st preferred Thinois Central Louisville & Nash Mex. Central Ry Distillers Virginia Chem.	20%	2114	20% 35%	20%
Н	do lat preferred	30 14	3614	4545.54	20
9	Great Northern, pfd.,	119	122 4	118%	121
ı	Illinois Central	132 14	133	132 1/2 104 %	132
3	Louisville & Nash	104 %	107	104 %	105%
ã	Mex. Central Ry	454	1854	45 16	18
1	Virginia Chem	417.78			2014
и	Ore lands	47	48	46%	47%
ı	M. K. & T., com	33 %	34.54	33 14	83%
a	Virginia Chem Ore lands M. K. & T. com. do preferred Missouri Pacific National Lead New York Central. N. Y. Ont. & West. Norfolk & West. Norfolk & West.	67	RT.SL	67	6614
9	National Lead	44	46.36	44	46
2	New York Central	103%	104 %	103%	104 %
9	N. Y., Ont. & West	31 1/2	32 %	88 14	31%
ı	North American	55	5534	54 14	54%
1	North American Northern Pacific, c., Pacific Mail S. S. Co. Pennsylvania Ry, People's G., L. & V	117	119	116%	11914
ı	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	24		117	25
4	Pennsylvania Ry.	11734	117%	117	85 4
ı	Pressed Steel Car, c.	27	27	27	27
3	do preferred				84
1	Reading, common	89%	925	80 35	91 %
g	do 1st preferred Rep. Iron & Steel, c.	18%	19%	18%	1972
1	do preferred	69.14		4914	7134
1	do preferred Rock Island, com	18%		18	184
1	do preferred St. L. & S. F., 2d pfd. do 1st preferred St. L. & S. W., com., do preferred	41%	43	41%	
1	do las preferred	31%	83	31%	80
9	St. L. & S. W., com.,	1536	17	15%	1616
ч	do preferred	42	42	41%	42
9	Southern Pacific, c	82%	10 7432 744	82%	82.14
I	do preferred Southern Pacific, c., do preferred Southern R-, com., do preferred	100	100%	108 %	16%
ı	do preferred	58	59	58	5834
ı	Texas & Pacific	1 49 %	25 14	25	25 14
I	Tol., St L & W. c.	25	25	24 %	24 1/2
۱	Union Pacific, c	125	127 %	123%	120 4
U				11,000	81
U	U. S. Rubber, com	30	30%	29%	10
ij	do preferred	85	87.14	85	86 %
g	do preferred	92%	9316	92%	934
	do preferred U. S. Rubber, com do preferred U. S. Steel Co., c do preferred Wabash, common do preferred	11	1134	11	11
	do preferred	20	20	20	20
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Total sales for the day, 528,000 shares, NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Closing quota-U. S. Reg. . 5½ U. S. 4s reg. . 27½ do coupon . 6½ do coupon . 27½ do coupon . 27¼ do coupon . 27¼ do coupon . 3½ Panama . 105½ do coupon . 3½ D. C. . 113½ U. S. 3a small . 15 Phillip 4s . 109½

Money, Exchange, Etc. NEW YORK, Aug. 22.-Prime mercantile paper, 6@64. Sterling exchange, steady. Railroad bonds, irregular. Governments

Silver bullion, 67%c.

LONDON, Aug. 22 Consols Silver, 31 3-16; bank rate, 4½ per cent. Boston Stock Market, Closing prices of copper stocks at Boston are reported by the Overbeck & Cooke Company as follows: as follows:

Alloues 35 Nippissing
Blingham 12 Adventure
Copper Range 65 Arcadian
East Budte 95 Atlanta
S. & P 14 Butte Coalit
Centennisi 21 Cal. & Hecia
Michigan 11 Daly West
North Butte 65 Mohawk
Cid Dominion 30 Nevada Cons.
Ozceola 108 Parrot
Shannon 15 Tamarack
Trinity 16 Life Mining
Wyandette 75 Wolverine
Greene Con. 12 Zine
Balakalia 75 Wines 12% Zinc 7% Winona ...

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

The livestock market is weakened by continued receipts of half-fed hogs, 375 arriving yesterday. No cattle, sheep or lambs were received.

The following prices were quoted in the

January 1208 12.17 1205 12.08 archy.

12 27 12 21 12 28 11 26 11 33 11 93 .12.00 12.06 11.96

Decline in Copper Copper dropped in the Boston market esterday, according to the following wire occived by the Overbeck & Cooke Com-

BOSTON, Aug. 22.—All grades of copper metal were reduced 1-16 in both bid and asked prices at the metal exchange today, making lake 184-6-194-6; electrolytic, 174-6-18c and casting 174-174-c.

Rate of Interest on Bonds Raised NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Owing to the noney stringency, this city has been obliged o raise the rate of interest on bonds, of-ering from 4 to 4½ per cent.

Metal Markets.
NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Lend weak, 5.05c to 5.25c. Lake copper weak, 18.50 to 19c.

DOG GOES UP IN BALLOON Last Seen Sailing Skyward Hanging on by Teeth.

M'KEEVER, N. Y., Aug 17 .- Somewhere M KEEVER, N. Y. Aug 17.—Somewhere in the forest is a well-bred buildog hunting for a home. That is, he is hunting unless he has found one or has died. The chances are in favor of the latter. The dog, whose name is Sprig, was the property of S. W. Young until he took a flight into the clouds by clinging to a hotair balloon. When last seen he was hanging on like a trick aeronaut and was proceeding over the forests with and was proceeding over the forests with no idea of letting go.

At the Fourth of July celebration at

Young's a big paper balloon was over-looked. Early this week he prepared it for flight. As it looked as though there would be considerable wind that night he tied a short rope underneath the firebox and to this attached a bit of wood. In this way he expected to steady the balloon until it was clear of the trees. Just as Young cut the inflated balloor loose the hired man "sicked" Sprig or it. He said afterward that he did it just to see what the dog would do. He found out. Sprig made one dive for the paper bag, missed it and caught the bit of rope in his teeth. His jaws fastened an instant later on the wood beneath and he began to shake the cross-plece as he would a rat.

For an instant Young stood speech less. Then he shouted to the dog to let go. But Sprig wasn't that kind of a dog. His breeding told him to hang on to anything he once laid jaws' to, and he clung to the stick as though his life depended on it. In the meantime the bal-loon headed north by west, and, borne by a strong wind, grew smaller and smaller until it was a mere speck among

the stars.
The dog's owner had no idea how long his pet would be able to hang on, bu he believed he would land safely, and next morning he started out to find Sprig. It would be pleasant to relate that he found him, but he didn't. Although the search was conducted for three days, nothing was seen of the dog, and no one living in the woods can give a clew as to his whereabouts.

DO NOT BLAME ROOSEVELT

Schiff Finds Other Causes for Scarcity of Money.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Jacob Schiff says that to blame the administration for the present financial difficulties, is both thoughtless and unjust. Schiff attributes the crisis to the too rapid railroad, indus-trial and commercial development, and says that we must remember the Russo-Japanese war and the San Francisco earthquake destroyed an enormous amount of wealth which sooner or later had to make itself felt. Insufficient tention has also been given to the fact that both Japan and China have entered into a competition for the world's surplus capital. He said the only remedy will be a temporary reduction of activities until capital and credit facilities have reached a point sufficient for the volume of busi-

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Births.

LEMON—At 121 Knott street, August 9, to the wife of William G. Lemon, a son. HUNT—At 433 East Fifteenth street. North, August 20, to the wife of M. J. Hunt, a son.

BATTAGLIA—At 325 East Twelfth street, August 13, to the wife of Salvatore Battaglia. B son.

Marriage Licenses.

AVERBACH NUDBLI MAN.—Corar. Aver.

AVERBACH-NUDELMAN-Oscar Aver-AVERBACH-NUDELMAN-Oscar Averback 24; Esther E. Nudelman. 19.
DAVEY-HAMILTON-Roy David Davey,
21; Willis E. Hamilton, 20.
SCHLEIGER-DURANT-George J. Schlefger, 24; Nina E. Durant, 20.
MAGINNIS-MICHELSON — Charles H. Maginnis, 37; Florence M. Michelson, 20.
DIMBAT-GENTEMANN — Emil Dimbat.
Hillsdale, Or., 22; Mary Gentemann, 18.
September Loses Nearly a Cent on

Deaths.

MINSINGER—At 251 Sixteenth street. August 21, Caroline E. Minsinger, native of Oregon. aged 25 years, 1 month, 3 days. KAY—At North Pacific Sanitarium, August 22, Helen N. Kay, native of England, sgen 31 years, 2 months, 14 days.

BROOKE—At 50 North Twentieth street, August 21, Hamilton E. Brooke, native of Maryland, aged 46 years, 8 months, 3 days. DAVIS—At Lents Or., Aug. 20, infant son of John M. Davis.

CORRETT—At 851 Macadam street, August 22, James J. Corbett, native of Oregon, aged 11 years 1 month, 12 days.

Building Permits. Deaths.

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MRS H HERMAN—To erect a two-story frame building on Maybel street, between Seymour and Hamilton streets; \$2000.

J. W. CALDWELL—To erect a one-story frame building on East Thirteenth street, corner Nehalem street; \$200.

W. L. DILL—To erect a two-story frame building on Stanton street, between Gantenbeln and Commercial etreets; \$2500.

PORTLAND TRUST COMPANY OF ORE-GON—To alter and repair a two-story brick building, on Third street, between Stark and Oak; \$100.

W. J. GUY—To erect a two-story frame building on Division street, between East Twenty-seventh and East Twenty-seventh streets; \$100. Building Permits.

Twenty-seventh and East Twenty-eighth and ribs 7
The following on Shaver street, corner vancouver avenue; \$3000
P. W. YETTICK—To erect a twe-story frame hullding on Commercial street, between Anisworth and Jarret streets; \$2200
M. F. SMITH—To erect a one-story frame hullding on Jessup street, between Kerby and Commercial streets; \$1700
H. W. WHEELER—To erect a one-story frame hullding on North Sixth street, between Flanders and Gilsan; \$600
C. J. RUPPERT—To erect a one-story frame building on East Thirty-sixth street, between East Main street and Hawthorne avenue; \$2000
Articles of Incorporation.

Spectator Publishing Company—Incorporation.

Spectator Publishing Company—Incorporators. Hugh Hume. J. S. Tyler and Raiph E. Moody. Capital, \$9000. Business, printing and publishing.

Black Diamond Paint & Shingle Company—Incorporators. Theodere Buckman, E. Carls and D. F. Merrill. Capital, \$20,000. Ribs—Suplemental articles permit general sawmill operation. Articles of Incorporation.

The Anarchy of "Higher Law."

Indianapolis News. It really seems almost a waste of time for courts to try cases when the "higher law" is invoked. Why should not some state frankly accept the situation and place on the stabile books some such simple declaration as this: "Any man shall have the right to kill any other man that has insulted, or that he supposes has insulted a woman of his family?" That would give private ven-geance a legal, as well as a sentimental status, and hasten the progress to an

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Gain Is Not Maintained a Chicago.

the Day's Operations_Dollar. May Wheat Is Not Long Held.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22 .- The course of prices in the wheat market was downward today and at the close the September option showed a loss of nearly 1% cents from last night's close September opened a and after advancing to 80%, eased off and closed weak at \$8%c. December opened at 93%c, advanced to 95c, and closed at 93%c The May option opened at the \$1 mark, gained %c and closed at 90%c. The corn market was steadler than yesterday. September corn closed unchanged on the day's operations, while December

Oats fluctuated slightly, but closed weaker all around. Provisions ruled about steady. September pork closed unchanged, lard 2 to lower and ribs The higher.

The following range of prices was re-ported by the Overbeck & Cooke Company of this city: Open. High. Low. Wheat-.80% # .93 1.00% Sept. Dec. May50 .47 %

European Grain Markets. LONDON, Aug. 22.—Cargoes, firmer. Cal-ifornia prompt shipment, 6d higher at 45s 6d. Walla Walla prompt shipment, 3d higher at 35s 3d.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 22.—Wheat—September closed yesterday at 7s 34d, opened today at 7s 14d and closed at 7s 34d. December closed yesterday at 7s 34d, opened today at 7s 54d, opened today at 7s 54d, opened today at 7s 54d and closed at 7s 54d. English country markets, generally 6d dearer. French country markets, quiet buttendy.

Toronto Wheat Market Jumps. TORONTO, Aug. 22.—Wheat rose 4 cents recent bank failure.

western Canada. The damage, however, is regarded as light.

Grain at San Francisco SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22.—Wheat— Nothing doing. December, \$1.53. December barley opened at \$1.32%, closed \$1.33%; May, \$1.36%.

SWEDISH PRINCE LIONIZED

Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish Trots Him Ou Before Newport Society.

NEWPORT, Aug. 22.-The Swedish rulser Fylgia, conveying Prince Wilhelm, arrived today.

The Prince will remain over Sunday and attend a great many functions. This eve ning he was entertained at dinner by Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, and later attended a dance given by Mrs. Edward Berwind.

Kill to Get Life Insurance.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.-George Carnie and his sister Marion have been put the Staten Island fall, charged with con spiring to kill their brother-in-law in or der to secure \$1500 life insurance. It is stated that George has admitted his guilt and protested that his sister is innocent

Professor Loeb Lectures on Soil. BOSTON, Aug. 22.-Professor Loeb, of the University of California, addressed the physiological section of the Interna-tional Zoological Congress on "Chemical Character of the Process of Fertilization

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