OATS TO GO EAST

Dealers Figure on Making Large Shipments.

RAILROAD

Local Market Is Firmer, With a Heavy General Demand_Barley Is in a Strong Position.

Wheat Is Active.

Dealers in oats are figuring on the possibility of making large shipments from Orekets this Fall. Oats prices in the East are kets this Fall. Onto prices in the East are soaring, because of a partial crop failure, and values have practically reached the point now where shipments can be made across the Kockies with profit. When the new railroad rate goes into effect next month, the movement will probably begin. The new rate, which will be effective October 15, will be equivalent to a reduction of \$20 per 100.

local demand for oats, for general feed and milling purposes, is very strong now and prices have had a further advance. white being quoted at \$26 and gray at \$25 per ton. Farmers are not ready sellers and this adds to the firmness of the market. erop in the Northwest is now figured by some dealers to be less than that of last The barley market is also very firm.

The barley market is also very from there is a good Eastern demand for brewling barley and an improved local inquiry for feed barley. The latter grade is decidedly source, owing to the fine quality of the crop this year. It is estimated that fully fourfifths of the crop has turned out to be of brewing quality.

The wheat market was firm and unchanged yesterday. Business was reported as active for export account.

FICTITIOUS OFFERS MADE FOR HOPS Market in the Country Is Practically Tied Up.

The hop market is in a more or less confused state. Little actual husiness is being done, but the situation is complicated by prices quoted in the country by some dealers which are considerably above the limits of the trade in general. These higher offers are not producing results, at least the dealers who are making them are not buying at such prices, so far as can be learned. The only visible effect of the offers and options is to further strengthen the views of grow-

No one here seems to know the object of the manipulation that is going on in the country. If the purpose is to raise the market, it can only be accomplished by making actual purchases at an advance, not making fictitious offers. The highest-ice actually reported paid so far this season in Oregon has been 9 cents.

Regarding the situation in New York State, the Waterville Times says: "The last few days of bright weather greatly helped the crop which was yet unparvested, but it came too late to benefit the bulk of the crop which was already picked. The quality will not be up to the usual standard on account of the unfavorable eather just at the critical stage. will, however, be some good lots. Dealers are not active, preferring to wait until the crop is in the bale ready for sampling. There have been only a few sales at about 15c. The crop is put by some at 35,000 bales, and we think that is a liberal estimate. One man took the yield of 15 grow-ers, and as compared with last year the amount was only a little over one-half of the same acreage. Another took 20 other growths and they averaged nearly twothirds. It will probably be a safer estimate to place it at 60 per cent of last year."

POULTRY IS WORKING DOWNWARD. Big Buyers Take Advantage of the Increase

in Receipts. The poultry market is working toward a lower level. Receipts are on the increase and the big buyers have taken advantage of this fact to reduce their purchases and thus bring about a further decline. This is the time of year when the local supply becomes heavier and a lower range of ecomes heavier and a lower range of prices can be expected.

The egg market was firm and unchanged yesterday. Ranch stock was in limited supply and sold readily at the quoted

ipts a few of the city creameries find market in better shape, so far as their view the market as weak. On Front street trade is active, particularly on brands quoted below the city creamery price, but there is a large supply there to work upon. The cheese market is quiet and about eady. A considerable quantity of Eastern seems is on sale, which interferes with the movement in the Oregon product.

PEACH SUPPLY IS INCREASED. Late Clings Arrive and Prices Are Not so Firmly Held.

Receipts of peaches were larger yesterday, most of them clings, and the high prices that have prevalled for the last few days. were not so easily maintained. Very few sales of fancy stock were made over \$1.10 and for the ordinary run, 85 cents was the general quotation. Grapes were in fair supply and in good demand. Apples and pears

The market was practically have of swee

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

MILLSTUFFS-Bran, city, \$16.50; country, \$17.50 per ton; middlings, \$24.50@25.50; shorts, city, \$18; country, \$19 per ton; chop, \$15@16 sity, 515; country, 518 per ton; chop, 516216
per ton.
WHEAT—Club, 83c; bluestem, 85c; Valley, 82c; red, 81c.
OATS—(New crop) — Producers' prices;
No. 1 white, 826; gray, \$25.
FLOUR—Patent, \$4.80; straight, \$4.25; clears, \$4.25; Valley, \$4.10; Graham flour, \$4.264.73; whole wheat flour, \$4.3026.
BARLEY—(New crop)—Feed, \$238224 per ton; brewing, \$2622; rolled, \$25928.
CEREAL FOODS—Rolled wats, cream, 80-pound sacks, \$8; lower grades, \$5.0026.50; oatmenl, steel-cut, 45-pound sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 9-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bale; oatmenl, groundy, 45-pound sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 9-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bale; ontmenl, groundy, 45-pound sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 9-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bale; aplit pess, per 100 pounds, \$4.25.04.80; pearl barley, \$4.64.50 per 100 pounds; pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, \$2.30 per bale.
CORN—Whole, \$31; cracked, \$32.
HAY—Valley timothy, No. 1, \$179.8 per ton; Eastern Oregon timothy, \$10.20; clover, \$11; cheat, \$11; grain imy, \$11.612; alfnifa, \$12.913.

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

Vegetables, Fruita, Etc.

DOMESTIC FRUITS—Applea, \$161.75 per box; cantaloupes, 75c981.50 per crate; peaches, 55c981.10 per crate; peaches, 55c981.10 per crate; prunes, 50c975c per crate; watermelons, 16214c per pound; pears, \$1.2561.50 per box; grapes, 50c981.50 per crate; casaba, \$2.25 per dozen; quinces, \$161.25 per box.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, \$6.27.50 per box; oranges, Valencias, \$3.7564.75; grape-fruit, \$484.50; bananas, 50 per pound; crated, 54c.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, \$1.25 per sack; carrots, \$1.25 per sack; carrots, \$1.25 per sack; bests, \$1.25 per sack; garlic, Sc per pound.

FREST VEGETABLES—ANichokes, 602 75c per dozen; cabbage, 14 51 kc per pound; celery, 75c981 per dozen; corn, \$191.50 per celery, 75c981 per dozen; corn, \$191.50 per celery, 75c981 per dozen; corn, \$191.50 per PRESH VEGETABLES—ANIchokes, 60 @ 750 per dozen; cabbage, it olive per pound; calery, 75c % \$1 per dozen; corn, \$1.61.50 per sack; cucumbers, 10 @ 15c per dozen; erg plant, \$1.61.50 per crate; lettuce, hothouse, 75c \$1 per box; okra, 10 @ 12c bound; onlons, 15 @ 20c dozen; perpers, \$610c per pound; pumpkins, 11 % 21 % per pound; radishes, 20c per dozen; spinach, 6c per pound; squash, changed.

50c@\$1 per box; tomatoes, 40@50c per box;
ONIONS—Buying price, \$).50 per sack.
DRIED FRUITS—Apples, \$2\$%c per
pound; apricots, 16@19c; peaches, 11@13c;
pears, 11%@14c; Italian prunes, 2%@5c;
California figs, white, in sacks, 5@6%c per
pound; black, 4%@5c; bricks, 75c@\$2.25
per box; Smyrna, 18%@20c per pound;
dates, Persian, 6%@7c per pound.

POTATOES—Buying prices, 75@85c per
sack; sweet potatoes, 2%c per pound.

BUTTER—City creameries; Extra creamery, 35c per pound State creameries; Fancy creamery, 27%@35c; store butter, 17%@ 22c. CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 16g CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 16g 16½c; Young America, 17g-17½c per pound. VEAL—75 to 125 pounds, 8g8½c; 125 to 150 pounds, 7½c; 150 to 200 pounds, 6g7c. PORK—Block, 75 to 150 pounds, 8g8½c; packers, 7½g8c PQULTRY—Average old hens, 14c; mixed thickens, 13c; Spring chickens, 13c;

Childrens, 13c; Spring chickens, 13c; old roosters, Sgric; dressed chickens, 16c; trikeys, live, old, 16c; live, per pound, 8c; live, per pound, live, per po

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RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1. 8%c; Southern Japan, 5% @5%c; head, 7%c.

COFFED—Mocha, 24@28c; Java. ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18%29c; good, 18 @18c; ordinary, 12@16c per pound. Columbia roast, cases, 100s, \$14.50; 50s. \$14.75; Arbuckle, \$16.50; Lion. \$15.75.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, \$2 per dozen; 2-pound talls, \$2.95; 1-pound fails, \$2.10; Alaska, pink, 1-pound talls, \$2.5c; red 1-pound talls, \$1.55; sockeyes, 1-pound talls, \$1.90.

SUGAR—Sack basis, 100 pounds, cube, \$6.02%; powdered, \$5.87%; granulated, \$6.77%; extra C, \$5.27%; golden C, \$5.17%; fruit sugar, \$5.77%; berry, \$5.77%; XXX, \$5.67%; beet sugar, \$5.57%, Advance sales over sack basis as follows: Barrels, 10c; % barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c per 100 pounds. Terms: On remittances within 15 days deduct & per pound; if later than 15 days and within 30 days, deduct &c; maple sugar, 15@15c per pound.

NUTS—Walnuts, 16%@20c per pound by sack; Brazil nuts, 19c; eliberts, 16c; pecans, jumbos, 23c; extra large, 25c; almonds, 18% 20c; chestnuts, Chio, 17%c; Italian, 14%S 15c; peanuts, raw, 6%d5%c per pound; roasted, 10c; planeuts, 10c; fiber pound; 10c; cocanuts, 35@30c; per dozen, one; \$2.25 per baic, half ground, 100s, \$12.50 per ton; 50s, \$13 per ton.

BEANS—Small white, 3%c; large white, 3.65c; pink, 3.65c; bayou, 3.85c; Lima, 6%c; Mexican red, 4%c.

HONEY—Fancy, \$1.25@3.50 per box.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc. -1907, 7@9c per pound; olds, 4@5c

per pound.

WOOL-Eastern Oregon, average best, 16
\$21c per pound, according to shrinkage;
Vailey, 20\$2c, according to fineness.

MOHAIR-Choice, 29\$30c per pound.

CASCARA BARK-Old, 7c, in ton lots;
new \$67c per pound. MOHAIR—Choice, 29.830c per pound.
CASCARA BARK—Old, 7c, in ton lots;
new, 697c per pound.
HIDES—Dry, No. 1, 16 pounds and up.
15c per pound: dry ktp, No. 1, 5 to 15
nameds, 14c per pound; dry calf; No. 1,
under 5 pounds 18c; dry salted, bulls and
stags, one-third less than dry flint; culls,
moth-caten, hadly cut, scored, murrain,
hair-slipped, weather-beaten or grubby, 29
3c per pound less; salted steers, sound, 60
pounds and over, 767½c pound; steers,
sound, 50 to 60 pounds, 7c nound; steers,
sound, 15 to 80 pounds, 7c nound; steers,
sound, 15 to 80 pounds, 7c pound; wait,
sound, under 50 pounds, 16c; calf, sound,
under 10 pounds, 10c; calf, sound,
under 10 pounds, 10c; calf, sound,
under 10 pound less; culls, 1c pound less;
FURS—Bearskins, as to size, No. 1, 559
20 each; cubs, 5163 each; silver and black,
\$10098300 each; fishers, \$598 each; lynx,
\$4.50@6 each; nunk, strictly No. 1, according to size, \$1672 each; marten, dark northern, according to size and
color, \$2.50@4 each; muskrat, large, 12@15c
each; sakurk, 30@40c each; raccoon, for
prime, large, \$0@51c each; wolverine, \$6@8
each.
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RACON—Fancy breakfast, 22c pound; standard breakfast, 19½c; choice, 18½c; English, 11 to 14 pounds, 16½c; peach, 15½c.

HAMS—10 to 11 pounds, 16½c pound; 14 to 16 pounds, 15c; 18 to 20 pounds, 15c; plenics, 10½c; estage, 13c; shoulders, 12½c; boiled, 25c.

SAUSAGE—Belogna, long, 8c; links, 7½c RARRELED GOODS—Pork, barrels, \$20; hair-barrels, \$11; beef, barrels, \$10; hair-barrels, \$11; beef, barrels, \$10; hair-barrels, \$11; beef, barrels, \$10; hair-barrels, \$10; smoked, 13c; clear backs, dry sait, 12c; smoked, 13c; clear bellies, 14 to 17 pounds average, dry sait, none; oregon exports, dry sait, 13c; smoked, 14c.

LARD—Kettle rendered: Tierces, 12¼c; 10s, 13¼c; 5s, 13¾c; 20s, 12¾c; 20s, 12¾c; 20s, 12¾c; 20s, 11¾c; 20s, 11¾c; 10s, 11¾c; 50s, 11¾c; 20s, 11¾c; 10s, 11¾c; 50s, 11¾c; 20s, 11¾c; 10s, 11¾c; 50s, 9¾c; 10s, 9¾c; 5s, 9¾c.

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO. Prices Pald for Produce in the Bay City Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—The follow-ing prices were quoted in the produce mar-kets today: Vegetables—Cucumbers, 40@60c; garlic, Vegetables—Cucumbers, 40@00c; garile, 3\(\psi \) \(\psi \) \(\ps

Millstuffs—Bran. \$200 22.50; middlings. \$28 @30.

Hay—Wheat. \$18 @20; wheat and oats. \$13 @18; alfalfa. \$11 @13; stock. \$8 @9; straw. per bale. 70 @90c.

Potatocs—Early Rose. 96c @\$1.10; river Burbanks, \$1 @1.50; Salinas Burbanks, \$1.50 @1.75; sweets, 1 @1 ½c.

Fruits—Apples. choice. \$1.50; common. 50c; bananas. \$1 @2; Mexican limes. \$5 @6; California lemons. choice, \$5; common. \$1.25; oranges. navels. \$3.50 @4.50; ptneapples, \$2 @3.

Receipts—Flour. 4577 quarter sacks; wheat. 1240 centals; banley. 2040 centals; oats, 1170 centals; beans, 2151 sacks; potatoes, 30.55 sacks; bran. 304 sacks; middlings. \$5 sacks; hay. 941 tons; woof. 46 bales; hides, 645.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and Hegs.

Cattle are the weak feature of the livestock market, but so far prices have not suffered. Hogs continue steady and sheep are strong. Receipts yesterday were 186 cattle and 232 sheep.

The following prices were current in the local market:

CATTLE—Best steers, \$8.75@4; medium, \$3.25@3.50; cows, \$2.65@2.85; fair to medium cows, \$2@2.65; bulls, \$2@2.50; calves, \$465. Hogs.

dium cows, \$2@2.65; bulls, \$2@2.50; calves, \$4@5. SHEEP—Good sheared, \$4.25@4.50; lambs, \$4.64.75. HOGS—Rest, \$6.50@6.75; lights and feeders, \$5@5.50. Enstern Livestock Market. Eastern Livestock Market.

CHICAGO. Sept. 24.—Cartle—Receipts, 10,000. Market. weak. Beeven, \$4.10@7.25; sows, \$1.25@5.40; Texas steers, \$5.55@4.45; calves, \$5.50@7.750; Western cartle, \$4.00@6.20; stockers and feeders, \$2.60@5.00. Hogs—Receipts about 14.000. Market, steady. Light, \$6.50@6.60; heavy, \$5.50@6.40; rough, \$5.50@6.80; pigs, \$4.50@5.30; bulk of sales, \$5.95@6.35.

Sheep—Receipts about 23.000. Market weak to 5c lower. Natives, \$3.00@5.35; Western, \$3.50@5.15, yearlings, \$5.40@6.30; lambs, \$4.75@7.40.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The London tin market was unchanged to 15s lower, with spot quoted at 116 9s 10d, and futures at 116 Locally the market was quiet at \$37.15637.35.

Copper was lower at 64 10s for spot and futures in the London market. Locally the market was weak and unchanged.

Locally it was weak, but unchanged.

Dried Fruit of York London tin paper, 67 for demand and \$4.8249@4.8245 for 60-day bills. Commercial bills, \$4.814.0 (Bar silver, 67 for demand and \$4.8249.0 (Bar silver, 67 for demand and \$4.824

Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The market for evaporated apples shows an easier tendency owing to the proximity of new crop arrivals, but spot quotations are unchanged. Prunes are less active on spot, with prices unchanged.
Apricots and peaches are quiet and un-

STOCKS ARE STEADY

But Still Feel Effect of Monday's Reaction.

quirements to Be Met. Bonds Are Firm.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The effect of yearday's reaction, which developed in the

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The effect of yesterday's reaction, which developed in the stock market today, was quite distinct, but the holding of the market steady seemed enough to satisfy those interested in the support of prices. Further clearing of the situation is awaited, especially the passing of the quarterly requirements of the money market at the end of the month.

The local money market remains tranquil as yet, the rates for call loans especially showing great ease, but a pinch with the turn of the month is regarded as a possibility. In addition to the reguiar requirements to be met in New York on October 1, there will fall due an installment of \$11.625,000 of subscriptions to Northern Pacific stock. The domestic Interior sato is beginning to assert its demands for supplies of currency, as indicated by the rapid decline in New York exchange at Chicago. There was deposited at the subtreasury today \$250,000 for telegraphic transfer to New Orleans. These facts gave special interest to reports which were circulated in Wall street today that the Secretary of the Treasury had determined to allow the substitution of municipal, state and rallway bonds for Government bonds now held to secure Government deposits with the banks, on condition that the Government bonds thus released should be used to take out additional note circulation. This was a device employed by Secretary Shaw, but there is no official confirmation of the report of the adoption at this time.

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The detailed report of condition of National banks by sections on August 22, reported by the Controller's office at Washington, was regarded as proving that the interior banks will be able to command curreacy shipments from New York in the usual volume, the Middle Western group, for instance, showing \$35,...00,000 more is due to banks of that section than a year ago, with \$105,500,000 less due by them to other institutions.

The statement of treasury operations at Washington each day do not indicate that more than \$10,000,000 of Government funds has been freshly deposited with the banks as yet, while it is estimated that a total of \$42,000,000 or even \$50,000,000 would be available for that purpose this Fail. The avoidance of severe stringency, therefore, is still hoped for.

The virtual granting of immunity to the Chicago & Alton in the Standard Oil rebate cases was of moderate influence on stocks, as it had been expected. There was renewed weakness of the London copper industrials, the price of the metal in New York being reported unchanged. An outstanding short interest in the coppers belopd the recovery. The injunction granted against the Minnesota freight rate law helped the Hill railway stocks.

Ronds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$1,114,000. United Bates bonds were unchanged on call.

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Government bonds, steady, 24 @3 per cent; firm.

Money on call steady, 24 @3 per cent; ruling rate, 24 per cent; closing bid, 2 per cent; offered, 25 per cent.

Time loans delet and steady, 60 days, 54 @5% per cent; 90 days, 54 @6 per cent; six months 6 per cent.

LONDON, Sept. 24—Consols, 825-16; silver, 31 1-16d; bank rate, 44 per cent.

\$4.80%. Transfers, telegraphic, 5c premium; sight, 2c premium.

Dalry Produce in the East. CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—On the produce ex-change today the butter market was stron-ger. Creameries, 234@28c; dairies, 22@ Eggs—Firm; at mark, cases included, 14 2-9-17 is; first, 20c; prime firsts, 21 isc. Cheese—Steady, 12 @ 13 is c.

Wool at St. Louis ST LOUIS, Sept. 24.—Wool—Steady. Territory and Western medium, 20@25c; fine medium, 19@23c; fine. 17@20c.

SUPPORT IS FORTHCOMING COUNTY OFFICER IS GONE

Position of School Superintendent Is Vacant in Harney.

BURNS, Or., Sept. 24 .- (Special.)-There is a vacancy in the office of school superintendent of Harney County, which must be filled by the county court at its next meeting. M. E. Rigby, who has held the office, left here in August with the declara-tion that he was going to visit friends and attend to some business matters in western and southern Oregon, and that he would be back here the latter part of this month to perfect arrangements for the county institute to be held in October, but instead he has gone to Montana, where his father resides and now writes to one of his bondsmen that he will not return to There was some talk of his Oregon. resigning the office before he left here, as there has been considerable dis-satisfaction and grumbling on account of his methods and he went so far as to state that he would resign if the court would appoint Mr. Gerald Griffin, of Narows, to fill out the term, but the members of the court would not commit themselves. There will be a spe-cial meeting of the court October 1, when the matter will be settled. It is thought that either Mr. Griffin or Mr. A. E. Millard, of Harney, will be appointed. There is no thought of anything wrong in the affairs of the office.

SEELEY BUYS AT HOOD RIVER

Portland Grocer Invests \$18,000 in an Apple Orchard.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Sept. 24.-(Special.) -Evidently convinced that there is money in Hood River apples even at \$8 per box, Francis Seeley, of the firm of Seeley & Mason, of Portland, has invested in an apple orchard near this city. The purchase includes 40 acres for which Mr. Seeley is said to have paid \$18,000. The farm is considered one of the best at Hood River. For several years an effort has been made to induce this and other firms at Portland to make a market in that city for fancy Hood River apples, but until this year the claim has been made that the apples were too high priced. The success of Mr. Seeley in disposing of the fruit he recently bought here at a big profit is thought to have induced him to invest at Hood River for the purpose of getting a supply of fruit for consumption in

Industrial Fair at Hoquiam.

HOQUIAM, Wash., Sept. 24.—(Special.)
-A Merchants' Fair and Industrial Exosition will be held here October 10 to for the purpose of displaying the agri-cultural products of Chehalls county. A oultry and dog show will also be fea

M. R. Ross, chairman on the committee of tariff and exhibits, is spending several days on Puget Sound and has induced many wholesale houses to put in exhibits, He will also visit Portland.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS P. W. Quimby to G. H. Carter, east 15 of lot 1, block 2. Springwater acreage, containing 5 acree.
Portland Trust Company of Oregon to M. C. Glovert, lot 10, block 2, Beauyohr H. F. and Sadle Shepperd to Charles H. Latourell, let 17, block 5, Latourell Falls. Latourell Falls.

Earl O. and Eva G. Royal to N. L.

Arata, lot 4, block 5, East Portland

Heights rank and Maude L. Loundale to Henjamin L. and Mary E. Williams, lot 7, block 3, Clifford Addition to WHEAT. 550 200 10 100 feet, thence south 24 feet, to beginning.

Lizzie M. and George W. Bates to H.
R. and M. K. Reynolds, beginning on
north line of Wayne street, 100 feet
east of intersection with cast line of
St. Clair, thence cast 50 feet, thence
north 100 feet, thence west 50 feet,
thence south 100 feet to beginning.
O. W. P. Townsite Company to Valentine Leiser, lot 4, block 17, City View
Park north 100 feet, thence west 50 feet, thence south 100 feet to beginning.

O. W. P. Townsite Company to Valentine Leiser, lot 4, block 17, City View Park
Harry T. and Georgiana F. DeWitt to Henry C. and Kittle Coe, lot 9, bleck 2, city
Moore Investment Company to Joseph T. Ennis and John B. Clark, lot 7, block 24, Vernon.

Cassius C. and Lettle Moore to H. F. and Philomene Jeannet, lot 8, block 34, Original Townsite of Albina... Theodore Bernheim, Irustee, and Ross Bernheim to Paul B. Powers, lot 14, block 5, Council Crest Park Addition Charles A. and Pauline M. White to Burt Brown Barker, trustee, north 15 of aouthwest 15 of section 12, township I south, range 4 cas.

California Conference Association of Seventh Day Adventists to James and Nettle Hewitt, west 16 of look 5, Sullivan's Addition
Henry S. and Anna Fletcher to J. O. Leonard, lot 8, block 16, Park View Extension
Overlook Land Company to Walter M. Bolze, lot 8, block 18, Overlook.

Ida H. Gorrill 16 William H. and Lydia E. Murphy, flot 18, block 2, R. R. Shops Addition to Albina
Samuel J. and Margaret Biles to Alvina Samuel J. C. township I north, range 3 east
Victor Land Company to John C. Martin, lot 5, block 4, Kinzel Park.

B. B. and Hattle M. Bowman to Jennie Rockford, lot 5, block 7, Williams Avenue Addition

Reuben Weeks et al. to R. N. Brown, lot 1, block "Q." Tabor Heights.

Oregon Real Estate Company to A. P. Morse, lot 2, block 16, Holladay's Addition

A. H. Breyman et al. to Mary E. Avery, lots 13, 14 block 16, Sunnyside Whisky—isase of high wines, \$1.34.

Articles— Receipts Shipments.
Flour, bbls. 39,700 33,230
Wheat, bu 294,000 101,000
Corn, bu 878,100 314,300
Cats, bu 536,500 339,400
Rye, bu 5,600 1,800
Barley, bu 128,600 23,000 \$1.60@1.75. Barley—Feed, \$1.40@1.42%; brewing. \$1.42%@1.45. Oats—Red. \$1.50@2.00; white. \$1.50@1.55; 1,805 1,700 black, \$2.65@2.85 700 European Grain Markets. LONDON, Sept. 24.—Cargoes, steady, California, prompt shipment, at 38s 3d@30s 6d; Walla Walla, prompt shipment, 30s 3d@30s 6d; 1,000 575 Pregon Real Estate Company to A. P. Morse, let 2, block 176, Holladay's Addition
A. H. Breyman et al to Mary El. Avers, lots 13, 14 block 18, Sunnyside Addition

Addition
Rueben Weeks, guardian to
lot 1, block 'Q.' Tabor Heights...
R. N. and Mame A. Brown to A. W.
Lambert, agent, lot 1, block 'Q.'
Tabor Heights
I. C. Brandes to Edw. D. Reichard,
lot 11, block 12, Park Addition to Albina.

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Sycamore Real Estate Company to Annie Harelwood, lots 1, 2, block 1,
Kern Park
Charles H. Williams to Ludwig Octing, undivided ½ of lot 6, block 7,
Doscher's Second Addition
Clarke-Clemeon-Blumauer Company to
Charles H. Williams west ½ of lot
6, blocg 7, Doscher's Second Addition
Peter and Cordella Repoiner to
Charles H. Williams wast ½ of lot
6, block 7, Doscher's Second Addition

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.—Sterling ex. Have your abstracts made by the Security change, 60 days, \$4.51%; sight, \$4.55; Doc. Abstract & Trust Co., 7 Chamber of Com.

Total\$ 26,586

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CHICAGO MARKET FIRMER

Advance Is Also Aided by Reports of Damage to Grain in the Shock in the Dakotas by Wet Weather.

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—The strength in wheat developed late in the day. Prior to that the market was weak because of a decline of one pence at Liverpool. During that the market was weak because of a decline of one pence at Liverpool. During the last hour, trade, which had been in rather small volume, became more active on the report that nearly 100 boat-loads had been taken in New York for export, and on reports of damage to wheat in the shock in the Dakotas by wet weather. The market was firm. December closed at \$1.00% \$6.

The corn market opened weak because of heavy local receipts, the failure of the predicted frost to arrive in the corn belt, and also because of sympathy with wheat. December closed firm at 57%c.

The oats market opened easy in sympathy with wheat and corn, and later became firm on covering by shorts. December oats closed at 52%c.

The provisions market was fairly active

closed at 52%c.

The provisions market was fairly active on moderate buying by packers. January pork being chiefly in request. At the close January pork was 15c higher, at \$15.30. Lard was 10@12%c higher, at \$8.75. Ribs were 7%c higher, at \$7.95.

Open. High. Low. Close.

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September 90 96% 95% 96%

December 90% 100% 96% 100%

May 106% 106% 106% 106%

CORN. 61 56% 57% MESS PORK. LARD. | Danuary | Danu

Cash quotation were as follows: Flour—Steady. Wheat—No. 2, Spring, \$1.05@1.07; No. ©\$1.05; No. 2, red. 95% \$96%. Corn—No. 2, 62c; No. 2, yellow, 63c. Outs—No. 2, 52%c; No. 3, white, 48@57. Rye-No. 2, 9069904c. Barley-Good feeding, 856990c; fair to choice

railing, 80691.

Flaxmed—No. 1, Northwestern, \$1.24,

Timothy—Prime seed, \$4.8064.35.

Clover—Contract Grades, \$15.75. Hibs—Short, sides (loose), \$8.4085.45.

Pork—Mess, per bbl., \$14.35@14.45.

Lard—Per 100 lbs., \$9.10.

Sides—Short, clear (boxed), \$8.624@8.87%. Whisky-Basis of high wines, \$1.34.

Grain at San Francisco. BAN FRANCISCO. Sept. 24.—Wheat, steady; barley, strong.
Spot quotations;
Wheat.—Shipping, \$1.55@1.50; milling.

Call-board sales: Wheat—December, \$1.63%. Barley-\$1.45%. Corn—Large, yellow, \$1.55@1.80.

LIVERPOOL. Sept. 24.—Wheat—September closed yesterday, 7s 10d; opened today, 7s 9%d; closed, 7s 9%d. December closed yesterday, 7s 4d; opened today, 7s 11%d; closed today, 7s 11%d. English country markets, firm French country markets, quiet but steady.

Minneapolis Wheat Market. MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 24.-Wheat, September, \$1.07%; December, \$1.07%; May. \$1.11%; No. 1 hard, old, \$1.11%; No. 1, new, \$1.104; No. 1 Northern old, \$1.104; No. 1 Northern, new, \$1.09%; No. 2 Northern, old. \$1.08; No. 2 Northern, new, \$1.08%; No. 3 10 Northern, \$1.04 4 @ 1.05 %.

Wheat at Tacoms. 216 TACOMA, Sept. 24.—Wheat, unchanged. Bluestem, 85%c; club, 83%c; red, 81%c.

BOSTON WOOL MARKET STEADY. Trade Is Hopeful in Spite of the Stringency

BOSTON, Sept. 24.—In spite of the con-tinued stringency in the money market and last week's failure, the local wool trade is disposed to look at the situation hopefully.

ings have been disposed of at prices which would have been refused some weeks ago.

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California, northern, 67@65c; middle county, 62@65c; southern, 62@63c.
Oregofi, eastern No. 1 staple, 70@72c; eastern No. 1 clothing, 68@70c; eastern, average, 67@68c; valley, No. 1, 60@62c.
Territory, secured basis, fine staple, 72@73c; fine medium staple, 70@72c; fine clothing medium, 65@68c; half blood, 67@68c; quarter blood, 56@68c. 68c; quarter blood, 56@58c. Pulled, extra, 68@72c; fine ,58@62c.

FIX STANDARD FOR WORLD

Portland Chamber of Commerce to Grade Northwest Grains.

The grain standard committee of the Chamber of Commerce will meet in a few days to fix standards for all kinds of grain grown in the Pacific Northwest. The standards set by this committee are adopted by the London Corn Trade Association and Liverpool Corn Trade Association. The State of Washington has a state commission which sets the standards for Washington grains, but the exporters of that state prefer to use the standards adopted by the committee of the Portland Chamber

of Commerce, The Chamber of Commerce has grain inspectors in Portland and on Puget Sound, whose duty it is to inspect all outward-bound grain cargoes and furnish the consignors with certificate of their quality. These certificates are vised by the secretary of the Chamber. Standard grain is made up into small sacks, which are sent to all ports in the world.

The grain standard committee of the Chamber of Commerce is composed of Peter Kerr, chairman; Theodore B. Wilinspector for the committee at this port is Alexander McAyeal. The Puget Sound inspector of the committee is Henry Lawshe.

May Be It Wasn't Buttermilk?

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 24. Senator Benjamin Tiliman, scheduled to appear here October 2, may not have a chance to lecture in Walla Walla, as the officers of the local Y. M. C. A. have just about decided to cancel the date. Since the actions of the Senator in Sacramento have become known to Y. M. C. A. officials they are not in favor of his appearance here, but as the contract has been made are not sure about breaking it. The secretary of the Sacramento Y. M. C. A. has been wired for advice, and until his answer is received nothing definite will be done.

Holdiman Must Serve Time

The petition for the release of W. B. Holdiman, serving a year's sentence in the County Jail for a crime charged against him by 16-year-old Hattle Fee, was denied yesterday by Governor Chamberlain. The netition was circulated through the efforts of Holdiman's 12 and

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