## **GRAIN TRADE RULES**

Meeting at Board of Trade to Discuss Regulations.

GREAT INTEREST IS SHOWN

Supervisory Committee Is Proposed to Have Charge of All Matters Pertaining to This Branch of the Exchange.

A sen ariended meeting of the grain interests of Portland was held last night to the rooms of the Board of Trade for the purpose of discussing the details in connection with the buying and sailing of grain on the floor of the exchange. W. A. Goss was chosen chairman of the meeting. The rates which it is proposed to adopt will provide for a supervisory committee on grain, which shall have supervison of all matters concerning the grain trade and

matters concerning the grain traffs and with committee shall devise means by which the development of this branch of business pusy be attinulated.

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business may be attrautated.

In the make-up of the committee, the expect increase as well as the local trade will be properly represented. The committee will have charge of the grain inspection department and all matters relating to grain-handling for export or otherwise. In all questions affecting public policy or involving general business principles, however, the suggestions of the committee will have to be submitted to the Board of Directors for approval. The committee on grain shall consiliute the committee of arbitration to settle all disputes arising solely out of the purchased spain sales of grain. The grain committee shall have full power in establish graines of grain and to after and to ameriad the same as may be deemed necessary or expedient.

The proposed rules also cover such points as who shall be authorized to irrade an the floor, the question of deliveries, rejections, suchs and conditions, when grain must be accepted, failure to deliver, failure to receive, terms of delivery, weighting by pul-

socepted, fallire to deliver, fallire to receive terms of itsivery, weighing by guillive weighter regulations of warchouses, uniform storage rates, warchouse requipts,
duties of inspectors re-inspection, floor
rules, visitors' privileges, lime of meeting,
nature of quotation service, etc.

The meeting brought out considerable intered and discussion of the sarfous features and it was oridinated that everybody
was in favor of properly regulating all mattime of that when the active business seasin continuous, there will be no hitch to
plant the carrying on a large volume of
lustiness. A committee of three was appointed to go over the rules as proposed and
report at a later practing.

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There was a fair attendance at the board research restoring and as on the preceding day a considerable amount of informal business was done by the feed decitor. Second afters to his grain buffer and care some wired in from the Section Produce. The hange, and some of these orders were counted. Out-of-lows members at Vallay solute have communicated with the officers of the heard as to the method of affecting appelles to the local trade through the

supplies to the local trade through the agency of the exchange.

There were no material alterations in the produce prices as posted. Eggs were attill quoted at 100161st, though the only make at the top figure and there were offers from the Sound to buy at this price, which met with no response on the part of sellers.

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Wheat, easy; barier, easy; four, steady; Sam, steady; hutter, steady; poultry, firm; dressed meats, weak.

Offers and sale on the board were:
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urger, 18c ulse thouse thouse, 18the; uses candled our, 18the; 20 cubes stor-

PROPER PLACE TO DISPOSE OF EGGS

Front-Street Man Pinds Customers Lacking at 16c, but Board Offers Half Cent More. Receipts of oges sesterday sets of the average volume and the price sua quoted average values and the price was quoted average on the street. In some quarters the marked was pronounced weak and one deal-er asserted he could not get over 16 cents. However, had he attended the Board of Trade as he should have done, he could have unloaded at an advance over this price. An offer from Seattle to buy too

market for home and small chickens, and for famou has of the fromer 18416 cents were realized.

There were no new developments in the butter murbet, roost of the teading handlers reporting supplies under requirements.

### EXPORT WHEAT TRADE IS QUIET. Buying for California Account-Onts and

Harley Firmer.

Very little huying of wheat is reported by exporters, but a considerable amount of business is said to be passing on California account. The prices quoted at the Board of Trade were SIc for bluestem and Sic for clift. The expert value of bluestem, however, was SI cents, and of club, SI cents, and exporters were not disposed to offer more.

A much firmer tone prevailed in cats and barley, though the board quotations were not changed. The strength of the market was due to reports of need of rain both in Palouse country and in California, At San Francisco exchange barley values

## APPROVAL OF PRICE SALMON SALES Practically Entire Expected Pack on Co-

Immbia River Sold,

the East, the latest leane of the New York (commiscial says:

So far as spot trading is commissed, the market for cannot goods is quiet, and the tone is generally easy. Johners show indifference for most of the articles and are highing only such quantities us they artically require to meet wants of the moment. In a good many cases they are buyment. In a good many cases they are buying among themselves and ignoring first
hands. A feature that has come to the
front is the fact that practically the course
expected pack of Columbia River eximon
has been placed on orders taken smilect to
approval of prices when named. This feature has encouraged the belief that a more
active spot business may be linked for as
soon as retailers name into the market for
fresh supplies. fresh supplies.

## Bananas Arrive in Good Order

Three cars of bananas were received on Front street yesterday and they were all in

from street yesterday and they were all in fine condition. One car of Granges also ar-rived. A shipment of strawburries is due from Los Angeles this marning. A part of one of the cars of segetables received Tuesday was handled resterday and this, with the steamer receipts, furnished an ample supply of truck for the local trade.

Culifornia Hop Market Steadler. Advices received from Santa Rosa, Cal., esterday reported a steadler feeling in the top coarset there. Hope had been selling at 4845c, but the growers now refuse to consider these figures. Someona stocks in first

Bunk Charings. Clearings of the Northwestern cities yen-terday were as follows:

Clearings Bulancer,

Fortland \$1,201,100 \$100,422

Smith 12,21,348 170,632

Factoria 503,518 19,510

Spokents 983,734 182,200

BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour and Feed. WHEAT-Track prices: Club, 54c pet shel; red Busslam, 82c; blusstem, 87c; Valley 85c. BARLEY-Feed, \$24.50 per ten; rolled, \$27.628; brewing, \$27. (AATS-No. 1 white, \$26.50@27 per ten; \$77. \$25.

rry \$25 PLOUR—Patents \$4.65 per harrel; traights \$5.50; exports \$4.50@3.65; Valley, 4.5; is suck graham \$4.15; whele wheat, 6.40; ryc \$5.25. MILLSTUPTS—Bran \$25.50@36 per ton: middings \$27.50; shorts country \$27.50; ity, \$27; wheat and harley chop, \$27.50; IAX—Timothy Willarnette Valley, \$17 er ton; Willamette Valley, crdinary, \$15; laxism Oregon, \$17.0c; mixed, \$16; clover, 14. alfalfa, \$12; sifalfa meal, \$20

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. BUTTER Extra, 27th per pound; faner, b, choins, 26c; store 18th; EMISS Loss of, 16916 per desen, CHIESE Fancy cream twins, 15th; per und, cream brick, 20c; Saiss blk., 20c;

ind; crail colored chickens, the per lb. reputation of the per lb. rep

Fruits and Vegetables

POTATOES Select selling price, Toe per undred; Willamette Valley, buying price, Se per handred; East Mullmennah, buying rice, 55; Clackamae, buying price, 55c per undred; new cultistata, 5434c per pound; week, 54c per pound. ONIONS Job price, \$4.7543 per hundred; Job price, \$4.75@5 per hundred; c. \$4.25@4.50 per hundred; garile,

o per pound. APPLIES—Select \$2.50 per bex; fancy, \$2; toles, \$1.50 ordinary, \$1.25. FRESH FRUITS—Granges, \$2,92.75 per ix; lemons, \$2.75,01.50; strawberries, 20.97

termine \$2.000 a.50; strawberries 200 per best.
BOHDTABLES Turnips \$1 per mack;
\$ \$1.25; parsentps \$1.25; cabbage, \$1.75 hundred; tornators, Florida, \$4.500; crate; rautiflower, local, 300; 6; hend lettuce, \$4.25 \$1.25 per best, cuberr, \$1.00; 2 denen; colors, \$5.00; 2 denen; asama, \$4.00; per period; local, \$4.00; per period; sex plant, \$2.00; per period; sex plant, \$2.00; per period; sex plant, \$2.00; per period; radiables, \$2.00; per crate.

### Meats and Provisions.

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DRESSED MEATS—Hogs, fairer, 7% 98c
per pound; ordinars, 7c; fage, 5860; visal,
extra, 8984je; ordinary, 7074je; heavy, 6c;
mutlon, fairer, 1c.
HAMS—Hams, 10-12 D., 144ec per pound;
14-18 D. 14c; 18-20 D. 14c.

BACUN—Breakfast, 161-822c per pound;
plants, 16c, cottage roll, 11c, per pound;
DAY SALT AND SMOKHD—Regular
short clears, smoked, 114c per pound; unsmoked, 10-18; massived helites, 10-13 Ds.,
smoked 10-18-18; massived helites, 10-13 Ds.,
smoked 10-18-18; massived helites, 10-13 Ds.,
smoked 10-18-18; local to 16c, amoked, 14c;
shoulders, 11c, torques, 10c.
LABD-Restile loaf, 10s, 125c per pound;
is, 125c; 5s, 115c; compound, 10s, 85c.

## JORRERS' QUOTATIONS

Troplest and Dried Fruits.

DRIED FRUITS Apples, 10c per pound, peaches, 11@12 her prunes, Italian, 5@54c; prunes, French, 5@5c; currants, unwashed, cases, 5%c; currants, washed, cases, 10c; figs, white, fancy, 50-pound boxes, 6%c.

ide: almands, 181-9 180, chestmits, Ohts, 250: Deanuts, raw, 65, 251s; per pound; ransfed. 10: pinermits, 10: 12: hickory nuis, 10: accounts the per decen.

SALT—Granulated, \$15 per ten; \$2.25; per bale; haif ground 100s, \$13.50 per ten; \$2.25; per bale; haif ground 100s, \$13.50 per ten; bbs, \$14 per ton.

HEANS—Sunait white 4%; large white, 4.00: pink, 5.50; hayon, 8.80: Lima, dc; Mexican red, \$4m.

HONEY—Fancy, \$3.50:33.75 per box.

TRIEGAL POODS—Rolled onts, cream, 90-pound sacks, per harel, \$1; lower grades, \$1.50:96.35; caimesi, steel-cut, 40-pound acche, 83 per barrel, 9-th sacks, \$1.25 per bale; split peas, per 100 pounds; pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, \$2.75 per bale; daked wheat, \$2.75 per case.

## Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

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HOPS-1267, prime and choice, 4880, pur pound; cids, 1821 he per pound.

Watott-Eastern Oreson, average best, 11 % like per pound, according to whinkage; Valley, 128 like, according to guality.

MOHAIR-Choine, 2018 2018 per pound.

\*\*ASCARA BARKS-So per pound.

HIDES-Dry, 128 1216; dry cair, No. 1, under 5 lbs, 184 like; cuits, 2c per lb, less; saited holes, 5c; saited cair, 9c; green (unsaited), 1c per 18. less; cuits, 1c per St. less; sheep skins, shearlings, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, 356 851.00; long wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, 356 851.00; long wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, each, 315 131 No. 1 like saited, each, 300 for green conding to size, \$2.00 21.50; dry, according to size, \$2.00 21.50; dry, according

100 fbc, ingotas, with wood on, each, 500 g \$1.20.

FURS-For No. 1 skins: Bear skins, as to size, No. 1, each, \$3.00 10.00; cubs, each, \$1.00; to the each, \$1.00; to the each, \$1.00; to the each, \$1.00; bottomen gray, large prime, each, \$2.00; fox, common gray, large prime, each, \$0.00; fox, common gray, large prime, each, \$0.00; fox common gray, large prime, each, \$0.00; fox common gray, large prime, each, \$0.00; fox common gray, large each, \$0.00; fox common gray, large, each, \$0.00; fox common gray, large, each, \$0.00; fox skins, each, \$0.00; fox each, \$0.00

## Coal Oil and Gasoline.

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REFINED OILS Water white, from barrels, 10 he; would barrels lake Feari oil, cares, 18:; huad light, from barrels, 12 he; cases, 19:e wood harrels, 18; he Botens, cases, 21:e. Special W. W. from barrels, 18: wood barrels, 18: wood barrels, 18: scase, 28: Estins etair, cases, 21:e. Estins, cases, 21:e. OASOLINE-V. M. and P. Naphtha, from barrels, 12 he; cases, 19 he; cases, 22 he; starely, 10 he; cases, 22 he; Starels, 18: cases, 22 he; Starels, 18: cases, 21 he; cases, 22 he; c

## Fresh Fish and Shell Fish.

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FRESH PISH—Hallbut, 68 To per pound;
black odd, So; black bass, 20c; striped bass,
the herring, 5the; flounders, So; striped bass,
the herring, 5the; flounders, So; cathsh, 11c;
shrong, 10c; perch 7c; sturgeon, 12 Lyc; sea
trent, 18c; tom cod, 10c; salmon, silversides,
Nc; steelheads, 11c; chitorok, 10g12 to.
CLAMS—Little nack, \$2.50 per box, ranor
clams, \$2 per hox
OVSTENS—Shoulmater Bay, per gallon,
\$2.25; per suck, \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.00 per
100; Olympia (120 pounds), \$5; Olympia, per
sallon, \$2.25.

Wood at St. Louis. ST LOUIS April 5.—Wood steady; territory and Western medium, 16@17c; fine, 13@15c

Price Movement Sluggish in Stock Market.

CROP REPORT IGNORED

Erle Financial Problem Acts as the Repressive Influence on the Market-Broadening Demand for Bonds.

change today the price movement was even more struggish and undecided than yesterday. The Government report on the April condition of Winter wheat and type was made the vehicles for an attempted revival of activity. Traders who had bought in anticipation of a good crop report sold to take peofits and prices of stocks ran off, aithough the percentage of condition of wheat was fully as high as had been ex-

of wheat was fully as high as had been expected.

The indifference of the stock marked to this factor proved a disappulatment to the frading element, and they fell back upon the Kid financial problem as the represents influence on the market. The question arise as to the position the company would be in with the position the company would be in with the position the company would be in with the position the maturity of the notes without redemption. These notes soid off on the curb again to below 20.

Reports of rain in Kaneas offered newer conditions for the wheat crop than were reported by the Asricultural Department, and had more effect in sustaining prices.

Dealings in the bond division of the stock market show some increasing variety in the number of issues dealt in, but the aggregate transactions hold at a low etb.

Rumors that the Erte plan would become operative grew more positive late in the day and railled prices. The numerous shifts in the price movement so far offset each other that the day's net changes are not important.

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United States bonds were unchanged on call.

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	U S Rubber 300	19%	1914	10
	U S Steel 47,900	34%	3314	981
	Va-Caro Chemical 100	194	101	19%
	Wabash	1015	10%	1014
	Wells-Fargo Ex	*****	450.00	300
o Leader	Westinghouse Electronic		*****	5234
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	Northern Pacific, 11,800	127%	126%	12734
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	Total sales for the day,	455,20	6 share	2015
	BOND	7.		

NEW YORK, April 8.—Closing quotations: U.S. ref. 2s reg. 100% N.F. C. G. 3ts. 8th, do coupon. 104 North Pacific 3s. 8th, do coupon. 101 North Pacific 4s. 8th, U.S. sew 4s reg. 120 ii. into Pacific 4s. 8th, do coupon. 122 is. do coupon. 122 is. Attolisen. adj. 4s. 854 Japanese 4ts. 854 D. & R. G. 4s. 824

Stocks at Lendon.

Money, Exchange, Etc. LONDON, April S.—Bar silver, quiet 25%d per ounce.
Money, 1% #2 per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2% #22% per cent; for three months bills, 2% per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Sliver bars, Mexican dollars, 51c. Mexican dollars, 51c. Irafts, sight, 5c; telegraph, 74c. Sterling, 60 days, \$4.844; sight, \$4.87.

per cent; closing bid, 1% per cent; effered at 1% per cent.

Time Inans, steady; no days, 282% per cent. Of days, 283% per cent.

Prime increasible paper, 4% 88% per cent. Six-ling exchange, firmer, with actual business in bankers bills at 24.885594.8900 for demand and at 24.841594.890 for 80-day bills. Commercial bills, 24.83%.

Her silver, 34%.

Mexican dollars, 47c.

Hovernment bonds, steady; railroad bonds, irregular.

191.3 Per Cent.

Bully Treasury Statement WASHINGTON, April 8.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund shows:

available cash balance \$200,006,514
Zold coin and buillion 27,490,322
Joid certificates 26,541,240

Exchange Will Close Two Days. NEW TORK, April 8.—The governing committee of the New York shock exchange today voted to close the exchange Good Friday, April 17, and Saturday, April 18

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET. Prices Quoted Locally on Cuttle, Sheep and

the quoted prices of \$2.20 colin sales to raised 10 cents if any good stock were to be had.

The fellowing quotations were current on livestock in the local market yesterday:

CATTLE—Best steers, \$4.752 self-85; medium, \$4.2594.75; common, \$3.5094; cows, best, \$3.7584.25; common, \$3.2594.75; calven, \$4.94.50; self-85.8096; Spring lamis, nominal \$5.8096; Spring lamis, nominal \$5.8096; \$5.2096.75.

Eastern Livestock Prices. 

KANSAS CITY, April S.—Cattle—Receipts today were 7000. Market steady; native eiters, \$5.258 6.39; native cows and helters, \$5.258 6.39; native cows and helters, \$5.258 6.49; native cows and helters, \$5.256 6.49; steady in feeders, \$1.758 6; Western steem, \$4.758 6.75; hulls, \$3.408 5.25; calves, \$8.758 6.45; hulls, \$3.408 5.25; Western cows, \$4.758 6.75; Western steem, \$4.758 6.75; Western cows, \$4.758 6.45; hulls, \$5.758 5.35; heavy, \$5.508 6.46; pickets and butchers, \$5.008 6.85; heavy, \$5.508 6.46; hulls, \$5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 6.48; hundry, \$5.508 6.48; hundry, \$5.758 5.758 5.758 5.758 6.48; hundry, \$5.508 6.48; hundry, \$5.50

CHICAGO. April 8.—Cattle—Receipts, about 18,000 Market steady to strong herven, \$4,000 30, cows and heffers, \$2.10 gd 20; Texans, \$4,0005, 40; catves, \$4,000 6.10; Westerns, \$4,5005, 50; stockers and feeders \$9,2505, 550, stockers and feeders \$9,2505, 50, 50, stockers and feeders \$1,2505, 50, shout 20,000, Market weak; Heht, \$5,7506,15; mixed, \$5,800 6.20; heavy, \$5,7506,15; rough, \$5,750, 50,00 plgs, \$4,7056,50; butk of sales, \$5,700,010, Sheep-Receipts, about 14,000 Market steady; natives, \$4,750,000, Market steady; natives, \$4,750,000, Westerns, \$4,75,90,80; Westerns, \$6,250,780.

### QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO. Prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City Minricet.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—The following prices were quoted in the produce market beday?
Vegetables—Garlie, 15-8-20c; green pear, 2 9-3 be; string beans, nominal; asparagus, 4-90c; tennators, 81-25-92; ergplant, 10-9-15c.
Poultry—Boosters, old, \$48-4-50; roosters, young, \$1-25-92; herdiers, small, \$2-50-93,50; brillers, large, \$400; tryers, \$700; hens, \$500, 510; ducks, old, \$465; young, \$500; torenamery peaconds, 20-be; rancy dairy, 10c.
Eggs. Store, 17-be; fancy ranch, 21c.
Cheese—New, 11-811-b; Young America, 12-91-31-bc.

ion, \$249 13 isc. Millstuffs—Bran, \$30 23 2; middlings, \$83 3 9. West-Spring, Humboldt and Mendocina. 设定: South Pisins and San Josquin, 5章; ; lamba, 6월 105. Heps. New and old crops, 1½@5½c; con-Ter lamba 68:10c.
Hops—Now and old crops, 1146514c; contracts \$611c.
Hay—Wheat, \$13618.50; wheat and oais, \$1276180; alfalfa, \$10814; stock, \$7.5098.50; straw, per tale, \$50980c.
Fruits—Apples, choice, \$1.75; common. ope; bananas, \$1873.50 Mexican lines, \$198550; California immons, choice, \$2.20; common, \$1; oranges, navels, \$1.258.25; pincapples, \$1.508.50.
Potatoes—Barly Rose, \$1.3581.50; sweets, \$2.7583.25; procapples, \$1.508.50; common, \$2.00; common, \$1, oranges, navels, \$1.3581.50; sweets, \$2.7583.25; procaples, \$1.508.50; sweets, \$2.7583.25; procan Burbanka, \$50.681.16.
Hecetpts—Flour, 735 quarter sacks; wheat, 206 contab; harley, \$30 centale; beans, 2942 sacks; pointoes, \$105 sacks; hay, 242 tons, weel, 276 bales; hides, 1165.

NEW YORK, April 8.—The London tin market was higher today with spot quoted at 1142 and futures at 1142. The local mar-let was firm and tigher in sympathy, with at 143 and futures at 1142. The local market was firm and higher in sympathy, with quotations ranging from 31.40 to 31.85c.

The Lendon copper market showed little change, with spot quoted at 158 17s 6d and futures at 159 7s 6d, Locally the market was weak and a shade lower with lake quoted at 12.87% 671c; electrolytic at 12.75 612.87tc, and cashing at 12.50 612.87tc.

Lead was lower in the Landon market, closling at 112 17s 6d. The local market was quiet at 1.00224c.

Speller declined to 121 7s 6d in the London market, the same of the local market was quiet at 1.00224c.

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Urges Reduction of Cotton Acreage. ATLANTA. Ga., April S.—In a signed statement to the farmers of the South to-day Hirrie Jordan, president of the South-tern Cotton Association, urges a reduction in cetton acreage of 35 per cent. Unless this is done, he says, prices will be low next Fall. Mr. Jordan also urges growers to hold what remnants of cotton they have. NEW YORK, April 8.—Cotton futures losed firm April, 928c; July 9.48c; August, 188c; October, 9.28c; November, 9.38c; De-ember, 9.38c; January, 9.38c; March, 9.38c.

Eastern Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Closing quotations:
Adams Con. 5 Little Chief. 5
Alice 175 Ontario 276
Breece 10 Ophir 225
Brunswick Con. 9 Potosi 3
Compstock Tun. 25 Savage 31
C C 6 Va. 46 Sierra Nevada 30
Iron Silver 120 Small Hopes 15

Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO, April 8.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm. Creatheries, 220 29c; dairies, 200 20c. Eggs—Steady: at mark, cases included, 14c; firsts, 14cc; primes firsts, 15c. Choese—Steady, 12@13 bc.

NEW YORK, April 8. Butter-Steady; Western factors firsts, 21c. Chiese-Irrogular; Whiter-made, 104.0 12c. Eggs Steady; Western firsts, 15@15%c.

Coffee and Sugar,

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NEW YORK, April S.—Coffee futures closed steady; net unchanged Sales, 51,500 bags May, 5.70c; July, 5.75c; September, 5.90c; December, 5.90c; January, 5.90c; March, 2.85c, Spet, quiet; No. 7 Rio, 8c; No. 4 Santos, 84,681c; Mild, dull; Cardora, 5%, 813c.

Sugar—Raw, steady, Bair refining, 3.86c; centrifugal, 58 test, 4.38c; molasses sugar, 3.81c, Refined, steady; crushed, 6.15c; powdered, 5.50c; granufated, 5.40c.

Wheat at Duluth, NEW YORK, April 8.—Money on call, pullatth April 8.—Wheat, No. 1, 99%c; eary, 1%21% per cent; ruling rate, 1% Muy, 99%c; July, 99%c.

Winter Crop Condition Placed at 91.3 Per Cent.

OREGON LEADS ON COAST

Government Report Has No Effect on the Chicago Market, but a Strong Demand by Elevators and Shorts Raises Prices.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The Department of Agriculture today announced from the reports of correspondents and agents of the Bureau of Statistics crop reporting board that the average condition of Winter wheat on April 1 uses 01.3 per cent, against 80.0 per cent on April 1, 1907; 80.1 on April 1, 1906; 81.8 on April 1, 1907; 80.1 on April 1, 1906; 81.8 on April 1, 1907, and 86.2 the 10-year average condition of rys on April 1 was 80.1 per cent against 92 per cent on April 1, 1907, and a 10-year average of \$50.6 per cent.

The following table shows for the Pacific Winter wheat states the average condition on April 4, 1908, and a 10-year average of the past ten years.

10 years' States.

April 1 average.

States April 1 average.

California S3 20
Washington 94 20
Oregon 95 20
The condition and ten pears average, respectively, of tye by states on April 1 includes the following:
States California 75 21
Oregon 97 97
Washington 98 92 WHEAT MARKET CLOSES STRONG.

Government Report Has Little Effect on Prices at Opening.

CHICAGO, April S.—The Bovernment report on the Fallsown crup of wheat in the United States, which gave the condition of the new crup as being 91.5, compared with a 10-year average of 88.2, had little effect on the market, which spened weak, Sentiment continued bearish until about the middle of the day, when the market became strong on a brisk demand for May by elevator houses and shorts, Prices advanced steadily throughout the remaining of the day, the market closing strong near the high point. May opened & \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$1.5 close at \$90 to \$9\frac{1}{2}\$ c, which were unfavorable for the movement of the crop. The May delivery was in good demand and closed strong at \$15 c.

Oats opened weak, but the internal in wheat caused a good recovery. May closed at \$2.5 c.

The provisions market was dell and

at 52%c The provisions market was dult and prices were aided by the strength of carn and by nonprofessional speculators. At the close May pork was 184c higher, lard was up 10c and ribs were 75c higher. The leading futures ranged as follows:

W	HEAT.		
May September S4%		Law. 8 .80 .85 .8416	Close. \$ .91% .501% .83
	NORTH.		
May	0435	.6016 .6316 .0256	.67% .64% .63%
	OATS.		
May, old 52 May, new 50% July, old 45% July, new 42%	-60% -51% -45%	.52 .50% .45 .42%	.52% .51% .45% .41%
MEDS	S PORK.		
May, 13.35 July, 13.70 September, 14.05	13.50 13.55 14.1714	13.35 11.67% 14.02%	13.50 13.85 14.1714
	LARD:		
May 5.25 July 8.59 September 8.675	8.8714 8.6214 8.80	8.95 6.85 8.65	8.071 <u>6</u> 8.021 <u>6</u> 8.80
SHO	HIT RIBS.		
May 7.12 y July 7.46 September 7.60	7.75	7.00	T. 2214 T. 50 T. 75
Cash quotations w	THE ME IN		a management

Wheat—No. 2 Spring, \$1.02; No. 5, 83-85 \$1.03; No. 2 red, 89(91) Le. Corn—No. 2, 69(91) Le. Corn—No. 2, 69(91) Le: No. 2 yellow, 676 STigo. Oats—No. 2, 51% 952c; No. 2 white, 50% 9

Sign. Rys.—No. 2. 76678c.

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Barley.—Pair to choice mailting, 756785c.

Flax seed.—No. 1 Northwestern, \$1.17.

Timothy seed.—Prime, \$4.00.

Clover.—Contract grades, \$22.50.

Short ribs.—Sides (locs), \$6.62567.125. Lard-Per 100 counts, \$8.30 Sides-Short clear (boxed), \$7.371497.624

Grain and Produce at New York.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Plaur—Receipts, 14.906 harries; exports, 4600 harries, Market quiet and ahout steads.

Wheat—Receipts, 11,000 bushels; exports, 5000 bushels Spot firm; No. 2 red, 08% of elevator and 98% of 0 h affout; No. 1 Northern Dujuth, \$1,10% f. 0, h affout; No. 2 hard Winter, \$1.0% f. 0, h affout; Except right around the opening when bearish crop news caused weakness, wheat was strong and higher all day with May inading on commission-house support and a scare of ahouts, closing 1% 61% o net higher. May closed at 98% c; July at 94% c. Grain and Produce at New York.

Hops-Quiet. Petroleum, wool and bides-Steady,

Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Wheat, firm; barley, strong Spot quotations; Wheat—Shipping, \$1.00@1.02%; milling, \$1.054@1.07%, Barley=Peod, \$1.37%@1.40; brewing,

\$1.45@ 1.52% Qate—Red, \$1.42%@ 1.55; white, \$1.52%@ 1.85; grays, \$1.55@ 1.62%. Call-board sales Wheat—No trading Barloy—December, \$1.25@1.25%; May, \$1.87%

Corn-Large, yellow, \$1.62%@1.67% European Grain Markets.

LONDON, April 8 — Cargoes, very inactive Walla Walls, prompt shipment, 3d higher at 34s 3d; California, prompt shipment, un-changed at 35s. LIVERPOOL, April 8 May, 98 184d; uly 6s 114d; September, 6s 164d. French country markets quiet

Minneapolis Wheat Murket. MINNEAPOLIS, April 8. Closs Wheat, May, 99% #394c; July, 80%c; No. 1 North-ern, \$1,00%; No. 2 Northern, 98% #38%c; No. 3 Northern, 90@95c; No. 1 hard, \$1,00%.

Wheat at Tacoma. TACOMA, April 8.—Wheat, unchanged; bluestern, 84c; club, 82c; red, 80c. Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, April S.—The market for evaperated apples is quiet with prices practically nominal in the absence of business. Pancy, 104 011c; choice, S.5 09 5c; prime, TeT 14c; common to fair, 55 56 5c.
Prunes were unchanged, notwithstanding

First Some reports from the Const predict a reduction of at least 50 per cent in the new crop of apricots, but such claims seem to make us to impression on haven for the time being. Choice are quoted at 180 Mer. extra choice, 1922ic, and fancy, 200 Mer. Peaches are quiet and unchanged with choice at 100 10 Sc. extra choice, 112 11 Sc. fancy, 13 gite. Haisins are dull, with loose muscatche quoted at 5 gidle; seeded raisins, 54 Sc., and London layers, 51 Sc. 17.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Deaths.

OBSERMEYER—At County Hospital, April 4. John Obermeyer, a native of Germany, age unknown.

SCREGEMAN—At Good Samaritan Hospital, April 7, Baly Eckerman, a native of Oregon, an infant.

MAY—At 330 Ease Yamhill, April 5, Rose Hannah May, a native of Utah, aged 34 years. MAIL At 300 East Yammil, April 8, Ross Hannah May, n native of Ulah, aged 38 years
BRICKELL At 111 Fast Sixth street, April 6, Emms Brickell, a native of Wisconsis, aged 55 years.
HUGHISH At 801 Montana svenue, April 6, Catherine Hughes, aged 65 years.
GENGER At Good Samaritan Hospital, April 8, William Gelser, a native of Germany, aged 64 years.
OLIVER At 504 East Twenty-fifth street, April 9, Frankiln Oliver, a native of Ohio, aged 69 years.
MACKENZIE—At 573 Main street, April 6, James Mackenzie, a native of Scotland, aged 67 years.
MARTIN—At Mountain View Sanitarium, April 7, John A Martin, a native of Canada, aged 85 years.
ENGRERIS—At 45 West Summer street, April 7, Baby Engliers, a native of Oreagon, an Infant.
BALTHASAR—At 508 Davis street April 8

April 6, Baby Engherg, a native of Oregon, an infant.

BALTHASAR—At 308 Davis street, April 7. Alfred Baltmear, a native of Switzer-iach, aged Si years.

BUSCHY, E—At 158 Knott street, April 6. Ottelle 7. Buschke, a native of Germany, aged 72 years.

NORDSTROM-At 149 Sumner street, pril 5, to the wife of Lurie Nordstrom, a April 5, to the wife of Lorie Northards.

OLESON—At Union zvenue and Going street, March 26, to the wife of Gustave Oleson, a son,
HARLAN—At 818 Northrup street, April 6, to the wife of Arthur C. Harlan, a son,
ELLIS—At 757 Rabeigh street, April 2, to the wife of Chaude Edward Ellis, a son,
OCHESON—At 867 Wilson street, April 7, to the wife of B. O. Oches, a son,
GRIJ-BILATT—At 820 Sixth street, March 16, to the wife of Morris W. Goldblatt, a son. SARDE At 628 Fourth street, March 29, to the wife of Jacob Barde, a daughter. SEMMLER—At St. Vincett's Hospital, April 8, to the wife of Abe Semmler, a MOFSTETTER—At 918 East Marrison street, March 25, to the wife of Fred Horsteler, a son.
TORIGOE—At 260% Everatt street, April 3, to the wife of W. Torigoe, a son.

Building Permits.

J. S. GREENEY—To erect a two-story frame dwelling on East Twenty-third street; \$3300.

G. W. POWIS—To erect a two-story frame dwelling on East Couch street, between East Sixteenth and East Seventeenth; \$2900.

MRS. F. H. HARRIGAN—To erect a two-story frame dwelling on East Couch street, between East Sixteenth and East Seventeenth; \$2900.

MRS. F. H. HARRIGAN—To erect a two-story frame dwelling on East Twenty-fourth street, between Hancock and Tillamook; \$3400.

D. J. BUCKLEY—To erect a one-story frame dwelling on Broad street, between Edman and Allein; \$1200.

W. H. BROWN—To erect a one-story frame dwelling on Hond street, near Wisconsin, \$1600.

P. B. GHIJON—To erect a two-story frame dwelling on Idaho street, near Wisconsin, \$1600.

GEURGE RAE—To erect a two-story frame dwelling on Hand East Thirty-Sith street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth; \$1600.

GEURGE RAE—To erect a two-story frame dwelling on Quinty street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth; \$1600.

B. F. DOTT—To erect a one-story frame dwelling on East Madison street, between Nineteenth and East Forty first; \$1600.

J. W. SHUMATE—To repair a two-story frame dwelling on Elitot, near Haw-thorie; \$4600 each.

C. W. BROWN—To erect a one-story frame dwelling on East Stry-third; \$1500.

J. D. HONEYMAN—To erect a garage on St. Clair street, between Wayne and Parker accuse; \$500.

E. S. POSTER—To alper and repair a two-story frame dwelling on Bast Davis, heween East Newton's frame dwelling on Elitot, near Haw-thorie; \$4600 each.

C. W. BROWN—To erect a one-story frame dwelling on Bast Davis, heween East Twentieth, \$600.

E. S. POSTER—To alper and repair a two-story frame dwelling on sellot, near Haw-thories and Fast Stry-third; \$1500.

E. S. NEWELLI—To erect a one-story frame dwelling on Hairy avenue, near East Twentieth, between Market and Mill; †100. Building Permits.

Marriage Licenses. SMITH-M DOUGALD—W. H. M. Smith, 8, city; Minule MeDougald. JOBNSON-ROBINSON—Oscar Johnson, 8, Clatskante; Bessie Jane Bobinsen, 38,

city
SCHULTZ-LANGE William Schultz, Be,
SCHUPLOS Margaret Lange, 21, city.
WHITACRE-KOCH-Jason A. Whitacre,
25, city, Augueta Koch, 25, city,
HAWKINS-FINGER-Harry E. Hawkins,
ET, city, Marie Finger, 24, city
EVANS-WANAMAKER — George H.
Evans, 27, city; Eisle A. Wanamaker, 26,
city CROWN-SIMMONDS James E. Crown, ity WELLS-GRANT—Ernest Wells, 26, city; jerfrude Maxine Grant, 19, city.

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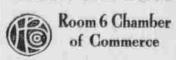
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