OREGON ONION CROP

Same Quantity Will Be Marketed as Last Year.

CONDITION NOW IS FAIR

Result of the Investigations of President Fanno, of the Growers' Association—Report by Sections.

President A. J. Fanno, of the Confederated Onion Growers' Association, has been making a careful investigation of onion crop conditions in this state. He has been over all onion-growing sections, has talked with the growers and personally examined the growing plants. His opinion is that the crop to be marketed will be about the same as last year. Taking the big crop of 1906 as a basis for comparison, he finds the condition of the present crop to be about 71 per cent, while the crop of 1907 was 79 per cent compared with that of the preceding year, as shown by the following table:

Section.	Acres.	Condition 1908.	Condition 1907.	Condition 1906.
Cornelius	25	61 2-3	110	100
Sherwood	140	75	90	100
Woodburn	50	83 1-3	100	100
Milwaukie	22	75	90	100
Beaverton	43	54	65	100
Cedar Mills	50	75	88	100
Gaston	13	54	45	100
Tualatin	90	66	79	100
Hillsboro	25	54	45	100
Scholls	20	71	85	100
Vancouver	25	90	100	100
Total	505	71	79	100

"Conditions this year are peculiar in one respect," said Mr. Fanno yesterday, "and that is the spotted nature of the yards, some yards showing remarkably good results in one part of the field, while in other parts the onions are doing poorly. In the hard ground there will be scarcely any crop, while the beaverdam land is doing well, except where the onions were drowned out. On the whole, however, the conditions are fair.

"The acreage this year is a little larger than last year, 505 acres, compared with 490 acres in onions a year ago, and 500 acres in 1906. Though the percentage of condition is not as good as last year, it must be remembered that in 1907 there were 105 acres contracted for seed, the output of which did not come on the market, whereas only 43 acres are contracted for seed this year.

"Two years ago, when we had our largest crop, the association marketed 280 cars and last year 236 cars, so it will be seen that the marketable output this year will be about the same as a year ago.

"We are getting statistics from other states and will soon be able to figure on the prospects for onion values in the coming season. We know, however, that Walla Walla will not be so much of a competitor as a year ago, as the farmers of that section have planted principally the early varieties and will have a smaller crop of the late onions which come into competition with Oregons.

"Our association has become stronger than ever, as growers all through the Valley have found that it pays to co-operate. The higher prices paid last season for association onions has proved this."

BUTTER SITUATION UNCHANGED.

Advance at Seattle Has as Yet Had No Effect Here.

The advance of the Seattle butter market to 32 cents has as yet had no effect on the local market, which is weak because of the pressure of supplies. All of the city creameries, however, are not long on butter, and this complicates the situation. The advance in the North, however, offers promise of relief in local conditions before long.

Cheese is quoted steady at former prices, but the market, on the whole, is quiet.

Poultry receipts were somewhat lighter yesterday, but there was a considerable supply still on hand and buyers, especially the large retailers, were slow to take hold. Prices quoted showed but little change from the previous day.

The egg market was about steady. Fresh Oregon eggs were not plentiful, but there was a good supply of storage and Eastern stock.

STRONG DEMAND FOR PEACHES.

Prices Hold Up Well as Receipts Are Not Excessive.

Peaches are the feature of the fruit market at present. The demand yesterday was very active and the large purchases by grocers show the home canning season is on in earnest. Receipts were not as heavy as might be expected, aggregating only 3500 boxes, and prices were very steady, ranging from 45 to 85 cents, the latter for fancy Ashland and Dallas stock.

The grape market is in good shape. Tokays bringing $1.50 and ordinary varieties selling from 85 cents up. The cantaloupes that came in were of good quality and they moved quite freely at $1.50@1.75 for choice lots. Ripe pears are scarce and firm up to $1.25, but green stock is abundant. Some fresh figs were received and quoted at $1 per box.

ALL GRAINS ARE QUOTED FIRMER.

Higher Bids Made on Oats at the Board of Trade.

All the markets were firmer at the Board of Trade yesterday, oats showing the greatest gain. For December $1.45 was bid, as compared with $1.42½ on Tuesday. September was ½ cent higher at $1.42. There was a quarter cent advance in both deliveries of wheat. Barley was also firm.

Receipts for the day were 61 cars and 4646 sacks wheat, 3 cars and 1305 sacks oats, 3 cars barley and 13 cars hay.

The range of futures was as follows:

(F. o. b. warehouse Portland.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
Sept.	$ .89⅝	.....	.....	$ .89⅝ B
Dec.	$ .91	.91¼	.91	.91¼ B
OATS.				
Sept.	1.41½	1.42	1.41½	1.42 B
Dec.	1.42½	1.45	1.42½	1.45 B
BARLEY.				
Sept.	1.22½	.....	.....	1.22½ B
Dec.	1.25	.....	.....	1.25 B

More Milk for Condensers.

HILLSBORO, Or., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Washington County livestock was never in better condition at this time in the year. The August rains have increased pasturage and the milk flow has increased, the effect being largely noted in receipts at the big condensers here and at Forest Grove.

Bank Clearings.

Clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Portland	$1,120,289	$181,616
Seattle	1,475,212	232,409
Tacoma	679,432	29,069
Spokane	1,194,273	168,313

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT—Track prices; Club, 88c per bushel; forty-fold, 90c; Turkey red, 90c; fife, 88c; bluestem, 92c; Valley, 88c.

BARLEY—Feed, $24.50 per ton; rolled, $27@28; brewing, $26.

FLOUR—Patents, $4.85 per barrel; straights, $4.05@4.55; exports, $3.70; Valley, $4.45; ¼-sack graham, $4.40; whole wheat, $4.65; rye, $5.50.

OATS—No. 1 white, $27@27.50 per ton; gray, $26@26.50.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $26.00 per ton; middlings, $31; shorts, country, $29; city, $28; U. S. Mill chop, $22.

HAY—Timothy, Willamette Valley, $14 per ton; Willamette Valley, ordinary, $11; Eastern Oregon, $16.50; mixed, $13; clover, $9; alfalfa, $11; alfalfa meal, $20.

Vegetables and Fruit.

FRESH FRUIT—Apples, new, 50c@$1.75 per box; peaches, 45@85c per box; pears, 75c@$1.25 per box; plums, 65@75c per box; grapes, 85c@$1.65 per crate; figs, $1 per box.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, Mediterranean sweets, $3@3.75 per box; Valencia lates, $3.50@4.50 per box; lemons, fancy, $5.50@6 per box; choice, $4.50@5; standard, $3.50 per box; grapefruit, choice to fancy, $3.50 per box; bananas, 5½@6c per pound.

POTATOES—Buying price, 90c@$1 per hundred; sweet potatoes, 2¼@2½c per pound.

MELONS—Cantaloupes, $1.50@1.75 per crate; watermelons, $1@1.25 per 100 loose; crated, ¼c per pound additional; casabas, $2.25 per dozen.

ONIONS—California, $1@1.25 per sack; Walla Walla, $1.25@1.50; garlic, 10c per pound.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, $1.50 per sack; carrots, $1.75; parsnips, $1.75; beets, $1.50.

VEGETABLES—Artichokes, 65c per doz; beans, 5c per pound; cabbage, 2c per pound; cauliflower, $2.50 per crate; celery, 75c@$1 per dozen; corn, 25@30c per dozen; cucumbers, hothouse, 25c per dozen; outdoor, 30@40c per box; egg plant, $1.25@1.50 crate; lettuce, head, 15c per dozen; parsley, 15c per dozen; peas, 6c per pound; peppers, 8@10c per pound; pumpkins, 1@1½c per pound; radishes, 12½c per dozen; spinach, 2c per pound; sprouts, 10c per pound; squash, 40c per dozen; tomatoes, 35@50c.

Dairy and Country Produce.

BUTTER—Extras, 31½c per pound; fancy, 27½c; choice, 25c; store, 18c.

EGGS—Oregon extras, 26@27½c; firsts, 24@25c; seconds, 22@23c; thirds, 15@20c; Eastern, 24@25c per dozen.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 11@11½c lb.; fancy hens, 12@13c; roosters, 10c; Springs, 13@14c; ducks, old 12@12½c; Spring, 14@15½c; geese, old, 8c; young, 10c; turkeys, old, 17@18c; young, 20c.

CHEESE—Fancy cream twins, 14½c per pound; full cream triplets, 14½c; full cream Young America, 15½c.

VEAL—Extra, 8@9c per pound; ordinary, 7@7½c; heavy, 5c.

PORK—Fancy, 8c per lb.; ordinary, 6c; large, 5c.

MUTTON—Fancy, 8@9c.

Provisions.

BACON—Fancy, 23c per lb.; standard, 19½c; choice, 18½c; English, 17@17½c; strips, 15c.

DRY SALT CURED—Regular short clears, dry salt, 11½c, smoked, 12½c; short clear backs, dry salt, 12½c; smoked, 13½c; Oregon exports, bellies, dry salt, 12½c; smoked, 13½c.

HAMS—10 to 13 lbs., 17c; 14 to 16 lbs., 16½c; 18 to 20 lbs., 16c; hams, skinned, 19c; picnics, 10½c; cottage roll, 12c; shoulders, 12c; boiled ham, 23c; boiled picnic, 18c.

LARD—Kettle rendered: Tierces, 13½c; tubs, 13½c; 50s, 13½c; 20s, 13¾c; 10s, 14c; 5s, 14¼c; 3s, 14c. Standard, pure: Tierces, 12½c; tubs, 12½c; 50s, 12½c; 20s, 12¾c; 10s, 13c; 5s, 13½c. Compounds: Tierces, 8½c; tubs, 8¾c; 50s, 8¾c; 20s, 8¾c; 10s, 9¼c; 5s, 9½c.

SMOKED BEEF—Beef tongues, each, 70c; dried beef sets, 16c; dried beef outsides, 15c; dried beef insides, 18c; dried beef knuckles, 18c.

PICKLED GOODS—Barrels: Pigs' feet, $13; regular tripe, $10; honeycomb tripe, $12; pigs' tongues, $19.50; lambs' tongues, $25; S. P. beef tongues, $20; pig snouts, $12.50; pig kits, $12.50.

MESS MEATS—Beef, specials, $13 per barrel; plate, $14 per barrel; family, $14 per barrel; pork, $21 per barrel; brisket, $25 per barrel.

Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 7½c per pound; peaches, 11@12½c; prunes, Italian, 5@6½c; prunes, French, 3@5c; currants, unwashed, cases, 9½c; currants, washed, cases, 10c; figs, white, fancy, 30-pound boxes, 6½c.

COFFEE—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, ordinary 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; good, 16@18c; ordinary, 12@14c per pound. Columbia Roast, 14c; Arbuckle, $16.50; Lion, $16.75.

RICE—Southern Japan, 5¾c; head, 8c; imperial Japan, 6½c.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $2 per dozen; 2-pound talls, $2.85; 1-pound flats, $2.10; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 95c; red, 1-pound talls, $1.45; sockeyes, 1-pound talls, $2.

SUGAR—Granulated, $6.15; extra C, $5.55; golden C, $5.45; fruit and berry sugar, $6.05; plain bag, $6.30; beet granulated, $5.85; cube in barrels, $6.45; powdered (barrel), $5.85. Terms: On remittances within 15 days deduct ¼c per pound; if later than 15 days, and within 30 days, deduct ½c per pound. Maple sugar, 15@18c per pound.

NUTS—Walnuts, 16½@16c per pound by sack; Brazil nuts, 16c; filberts, 16c; pecans, 16c; almonds, 16½@18c; chestnuts, Ohio, 25c; peanuts, raw, 6¾@8½c per pound; roasted, 10c; pinenuts, 10@12c; hickory nuts, 10c; cocoanuts, 90c per dozen.

SALT—Granulated, $14.50 per ton, $2 per bale; half ground, 100s, $10 per ton; 50s, $10.50 per ton.

BEANS—Small white, 5¾c; large white, 5¾c; pink, 4½c; bayou, 4c; Lima, 6c; Mexican red, 4¾c.

HONEY—Fancy, $3.50@3.75 per box.

CEREAL FOODS—Rolled oats, cream, 90-pound sacks, per barrel, $7; lower grades, $5.50@6.50; oatmeal, steel-cut, 45-pound sacks, $8 per barrel; 9-lb. sacks, $4.25 per bale; split peas, per 100 pounds, $4.25@4.50; pearl barley, $4.50@5 per 100 lbs.; pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, $2.75 per bale; flaked wheat, $2.75 per case.

GRAIN BAGS—6½c each.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—1907, prime and choice, 3@4c; per pound; olds, 1@1½c per pound; contracts, nominal; new Fuggles, 6½c.

WOOL—Eastern Oregon, average best, 10@18½c per pound, according to shrinkage; Valley, 15@15½c.

MOHAIR—Choice, 18@18½c per pound.

HIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 14@15c pound; dry kip, No. 1, 13c pound; dry calfskins, 16c pound; salted hides, 7@8c pound; salted calfskins, 12@13c pound; green, 1c less.

FURS—No. 1 skins, Bear skins, as to size, No. 1, each, $3.00@10; cubs, each, $1@3; badger, prime, each, 25@50c; cat, wild, with head perfect, 30@50c; house, 5@20c; fox, common gray, large prime, each, 40@50c red, each, $1@5; cross, each, $5@15; silver and black, each, $100@300; fishers, each, $5@8; lynx, each, $4.50@6; mink, strictly No. 1, each, according to size, $1@3; marten, dark northern, according to size and color, each, $10@15; marten, pale, according to size and color, each, $2.50@4; muskrat, large, each, 12@15c; skunk, each, 30@40c; civet or polecat, each, 3@10c; otter, for large, prime skin, each, $6@10; panther, with head and claws perfect, each, $2@3; raccoon, for prime large, each, 30@75c; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, each, $3.50@5.00; prairie (coyote), 60c@$1.10; wolverine, each, $6@8.00.

CASCARA BARK—New, 4½c; carloads, 5c; old, 5c; carloads, 5½c per pound.

Coal Oil, Linseed Oil, Etc.

REFINED OILS—Water white, iron barrels, 10½c; wood barrels, 14½c. Pearl oil, cases, 18c; head light, iron barrels, 12½c; cases, 19½c; wood barrels, 18½c. Eocene, cases, 21c. Special W. W., iron barrels, 14c; wood barrels, 18c. Elaine, cases, 25c. Extra star, cases, 21c.

GASOLINE—V. M. and P. naphtha, iron barrels, 12½c; cases, 19½c. Red Crown gasoline, iron barrels, 16½c; cases, 22½c; motor gasoline, iron barrels, 16½c; cases, 22½c; 86 gasoline, iron barrels, 30c; cases, 37½c; No. 1 engine distillate, iron barrels, 9c; cases, 16c.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, barrels, 55c; boiled, barrels, 57c; raw, cases, 61c; boiled, cases 63c.

Dried Fruits at New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Prime evaporated apples for November delivery are still quoted at 6@6½c, with very little business reported. The spot market is nominally unchanged with fancy quoted at 9½@10½c; choice, 7½@9c; prime, 6¾@6½c, and common to fair, at 5@6c.

While Coast advices continue bullish, there is very little speculative demand for prunes and the spot market is quiet with quotations ranging from 4c to 13c for California and from 6¼c to 7½c for Oregon fruit.

Apricots are quiet, with choice quoted at 8½@8¾c; extra choice, 9½@9¾c, and fancy, 10½@11c.

Peaches are steady, with choice quoted at 7½@7¾c; extra choice, 7¾@8c; fancy, 8¼@9c, and extra fancy, 9@10c.

Raisins are somewhat unsettled, with loose muscatels quoted at 4¾@6¼c; seeded, 6@7¾c; seedless, 5@6c, and London layers, $1.00@1.65.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The coffee market closed steady, net unchanged to 10 points higher. Sales were reported of 23,500 bags, including September, 5.75@5.80c; October, 5.60c; December, 5.60c; March, 5.60c; May, 5.65c, and August, 5.70c. Spot, steady; No. 7 Rio, 6¾c; No. 4 Santos, 8¾c; mild, quiet; Cordova, 9½@12½c.

Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.40c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.90c; molasses sugar, 3.16. Refined, steady; No. 6, 4.70c; No. 7, 4.65c; No. 8, 4.60c; No. 9, 4.55c; No. 10, 4.55c; No. 11, 4.40c; No. 12, 4.35c; No. 13, 4.30c; No. 14, 4.25c. Confectioners' A, 5.80c; mould A, 5.45c; cut loaf, 5.90c; crushed, 5.80c; powdered, 5.20c; granulated, 5.10c; cubes, 5.35c.

ADVANCE TOO RAPID

Tone of Speculation Shows Feeling of Distrust.

DEMAND IS LESSENED

Absence of the Usual Inquiry From the Interior for Funds for Crop-Moving Purposes Causes Uneasiness.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The tone of speculation in stocks today showed a degree of distrust and hesitation. The feeling was based on the heights to which prices have been carried already and found expression in refraining from further buying and bidding up of stocks, more than in any active attempts to get them lower. The lesson of punishment administered to the bears last month is too fresh in mind yet to have lost its intimidating effect. The redundant state of the money market, while constituting the mainstay of the particular position on the long side of stocks, is itself a matter for suspicion of lagging commodity and merchandise markets.

The absence of the usual seasonable demand from the interior for funds is the subject of growing remarks. New York exchange fell last week to 35 cents discount and this was supposed to portend the coming movement of funds from New York to interior markets for the crop movement and the Fall retail distribution. Now the exchange at Chicago has risen to par or a small discount again. There is some trace of an inward currency movement discernible in the subtreasury operations at New York by the receipts of drafts on their New York correspondents from interior banks for payment to the Government of internal revenue obligations. Money on call is almost a drug on the market and the scanty supplies of commercial paper are eagerly sought for investment. The railroad mortgage market is affected in the same way.

London and Berlin were reported large buyers of stocks here today, and this was the important factor in the early strength of the market. The price of copper was marked down at the New York Metal Exchange, and this, with the poor showing in the annual report of the American Smelting & Refining Company, made the copper shares vulnerable to pressure. The increasing exclusiveness in the demand for Harriman stocks, with the neglect of the general list, was a source of dissatisfaction to those long on stocks. American Smelting broke with some violence and the whole list sold off. Remnants of the advances were left in the strongest stocks.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $5,812,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal Copper	19,100	81¼	79¼	79⅝
Am Car & Foun	600	41¼	40¾	40¾
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	109¾
Am Cotton Oil	400	35⅞	35⅝	35½
Am Hd & Lt pf	.....	.....	.....	29½
Am Ice Securities	500	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝
Am Linseed Oil	.....	.....	.....	11
Am Locomotive	3,400	57¼	57	56⅝
do preferred	100	107	107	106
Am Smelt & Ref.	42,400	96¼	95⅝	96¼
do preferred	400	109	108½	107⅞
Am Sugar Ref	1,900	135½	132⅝	133¼
Am Tobacco pf	200	99¼	98	98
Am Woolen	200	23⅞	23⅝	23⅝
Anaconda Min Co.	4,000	48⅝	48	48
Atchison	9,700	91⅝	90¼	90½
do preferred	200	95½	95	95
Atl Coast Line	.....	.....	.....	91
Balt & Ohio	16,900	97⅝	95⅝	96⅝
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	88
Brook Rap Tran.	10,200	54⅝	53⅝	53⅝
Canadian Pacific	2,400	174½	172⅝	172⅝
Central Leather	6,000	29¼	28⅝	28⅝
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	96½
Central of N J	100	208	208	205
Ches & Ohio	6,300	43⅝	42⅞	42⅞
Chi Gt Western	300	6⅝	6¼	6¼
Chicago & N W	3,300	163⅞	161⅞	161⅞
C M & St Paul	36,200	146	144½	145
C C C & St L	.....	.....	.....	55½
Colo Fuel & Iron	8,500	37⅝	36	36¼
Colo & Southern	2,800	36	35¼	35¼
do 1st preferred	.....	.....	.....	64½
do 2d preferred	500	58⅝	58	57½
Consolidated Gas	9,300	147⅝	145	145¼
Corn Products	400	19½	19¼	19
Del & Hudson	500	172	171¼	170½
D & R Grande	500	27¼	27	26⅝
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	65
Distillers' Securi	700	35⅝	34	35
Erie	8,200	25⅝	25	24⅝
do 1st preferred	2,100	41⅞	40⅝	40
do 2d preferred	1,800	31½	31	31
General Electric	100	146½	146½	146½
Gt Northern pf	9,400	138½	137⅝	138¼
Gt Northern Ore	800	67⅝	66⅝	66
Illinois Central	6,400	142⅝	141⅝	141½
Interborough Met	300	12	12	11⅝
do preferred	300	34⅝	34½	33⅝
Int Paper	.....	.....	.....	10
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	55
Int Pump	100	24⅝	24⅝	24½
Iowa Central	.....	.....	.....	17
K C Southern	100	24½	24½	24½
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	58
Louis & Nashville	.....	.....	.....	108½
Mexican Central	.....	.....	.....	16½
Minn & St Louis	100	29¼	29¼	29¼
M, St P & S S M	1,300	124¼	123	123
Missouri Pacific	300	58	56⅝	56⅝
Mo, Kan & Texas	1,100	32½	31⅞	31⅞
do preferred	200	63½	63½	63
National Lead	3,400	86¼	84½	84⅝
N Y Central	2,800	106	105½	105⅝
N Y, Ont & West	1,600	42⅞	42¼	42½
Norfolk & West	1,800	75½	75¼	75¼
North American	200	63⅝	63⅝	63½
Northern Pacific	13,200	144½	143½	143½
Pacific Mail	.....	.....	.....	24⅝
Pennsylvania	800	123⅝	124½	124⅝
People's Gas	100	96½	96½	96½
P, C C & St L	100	76	76	76½
Pressed Steel Car	500	35¼	34⅝	34⅝
Pullman Pal Car	.....	.....	.....	165
Ry Steel Spring	400	44	42⅝	42
Reading	186,500	131	129	129½
Republic Steel	400	24	24	23⅝
do preferred	200	81	80½	80
Rock Island Co	600	17⅞	17⅝	17½
do preferred	1,700	34⅝	33⅝	33⅝
St L & S F 2 pf	200	27¼	26½	25⅝
St L Southwestern	.....	.....	.....	17
do preferred	100	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝
Sloss-Sheffield	500	65	64½	64
Southern Pacific	77,100	108½	107½	108¼
Southern Railway	2,200	29⅝	29¼	29¼
do preferred	1,200	51	50	50
Tenn Copper	400	38	37⅝	37⅝
Texas & Pacific	400	25¼	25	24⅞
Tol, St L & West	200	26⅝	26¼	26
do preferred	200	57⅝	57⅝	57¼
Union Pacific	101,200	163⅞	163⅝	164¼
do preferred	500	87	86⅞	86⅝
U S Rubber	.....	.....	.....	34¼
do 1st preferred	400	100¼	100¼	100
U S Steel	36,000	47¼	46½	46⅝
do preferred	4,800	116⅝	116¼	116½
Utah Copper	3,300	46¼	45½	45½
Va-Caro Chemical	200	29	29	28⅞
do preferred	.....	.....	.....	100
Wabash	.....	.....	.....	12½
do preferred	100	26⅝	26⅝	26½
Westinghouse Elec	1,000	78	77	76
Western Union	300	56¼	56¼	56¼
Wheel & L Erie	.....	.....	.....	9
Wisconsin Central	200	24½	24	24

Total sales for the day, 676,600 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Closing quotations:

U. S. ref. 2s reg.	103¼	Japanese 4s	80½
do coupon	104	N Y C G 3½s	91¾
U. S. 3s reg	101	North Pacific 3s	73
do coupon	101	North Pacific 4s	103½
U S new 4s reg.	129⅝	South Pacific 4s	80
do coupon	121¼	Union Pacific 4s	102⅝
Atchison adj 4s	89½	Wiscon Cent 4s	86
D & R G 4s	93		

Stocks at London.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—Consols for money, 86 1-16; do for account, 86 15-16.

Anaconda	10.00	N Y Central	108.50
Atchison	93.50	Norfk & Wes	77.75
do pref	97.50	do pref	83.00
Balt & Ohio	99.62½	Ont & West	43.75
Can Pacific	178.50	Pennsylvania	64.00
Ches & Ohio	44.00	Rand Mines	6.87½
Chi Grt West	7.00	Reading	66.75
C, M & S. P.	149.00	Southern Ry	29.62½
De Beers	13.12½	do pref	52.00
D & R G	27.75	South Pacific	112.00
do pref	68.00	Union Pacific	169.50
Erie	26.37½	do pref	89.00
do 1st pf	42.00	U. S. Steel	48.75
do 2d pf	32.00	do pref	114.50
Grand Trunk	21.62½	Wabash	13.50
Ill Central	146.50	do pref	28.00
L & N	112.50	Spanish 4s	93.00
Mo. K. & T.	33.25	Amal Copper	83.25

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Today's statement of the Treasury balances in the general fund shows:

Available cash balance	$188,740,962
Gold coin and bullion	55,357,752
Gold certificates	29,909,561

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Money on call easy at 1¼ per cent; ruling rate, 1 per cent; closing bid, 1 per cent; offered at 1¼ per cent. Time loans dull and steady; 60 days, 1¾ to 2 per cent; 90 days, 2¼ per cent; six months, 3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8435@4.8445 for 60-day bills and at $4.8590 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.83¾@4.84.

Bar silver, 51c.

Mexican dollars, 45c.

Government bonds steady, railroad bonds irregular.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—Bar silver, quiet, 24 9-16d per ounce.

Money, ¾ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 1 7-16@1½ per cent; for three months' bills, 1½@1 9-16 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—Silver bars, 51c.

Mexican dollars, nominal.

Drafts, sight, 2½c; telegraph, 5c.

Sterling, 60 days, $4.84½; sight, $4.86½.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Cotton futures closed very steady. Closing bids: September, 8.46c; October, 8.56c; November, 8.41c; December, 8.44c; January, 8.36c; February, 8.39c; March, 8.42c; May, 8.50c.

Stock Exchange Will Close.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—The New York Stock Exchange today voted to close on Saturday, September 5, preceding Labor day.

EGGS SHORT AT SEATTLE

BUTTER MOVES WELL AT RECENT ADVANCE.

Peaches in Heavier Supply and Weaker—Highest Price Paid for Bluestem.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—Egg dealers report sharp falling off in the fresh egg supply. Shipments are not coming forward from Oregon as freely as they have. Thirty-five cents is the prevailing price for the best stock today. Poultry was steady. Butter moved well at last night's advance.

Peaches showed weakness on account of increased supply. Much good stock sold as low as 50 cents. Tomatoes are lower, selling at from 40 to 50 cents for the best. Pears are firmer. Good Bartletts sold today as high as $1.25.

Wheat was strong. One lot of bluestem sold at 95 cents, the highest price paid here in some time. Club, red Russian and Fife were all held at 88 cents. Today's wheat went to a local mill. Exporters profess they will not pay such a high price.

Hay receipts are heavier, the market being extremely well supplied.

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—The following prices were quoted in the produce market today:

Millstuffs—Bran, $28@30.50; middlings, $32.50@35.

Vegetables—Cucumbers, 20c@$1.25; garlic, 6@7c; green peas, 4@5c; string beans, 4@5c; tomatoes, 15@50c; eggplant, 40@65c.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 25c; creamery seconds, 23c; fancy dairy, 22c; dairy seconds, 20c.

Cheese—New, 10@10½c; Young America, 12@12½c.

Eggs—Store, 32½c; fancy ranch, 35½c.

Poultry—Turkey gobblers, 20@22c; hens, 20@22c; roosters, old, $3.50@4.50; roosters, young, $5.50@8; broilers, small, $2.50@3; broilers, large, $3.50@4; fryers, $4.50@5; hens, $4@7.50; ducks, old, $3.50@4.50; young, $5@6.

Wool—Spring, Humboldt and Mendocino, 15@18c; Mountain, 4@8c; South Plains and San Joaquin, 7@9c; Nevada, 9@12c.

Hay—Wheat, $14@18; wheat and oats, $13@16; alfalfa, $11@13.50; stock, $9@11; straw, per bale, 60@75c.

Potatoes—Salinas Burbanks, $1.40@1.55; sweets, 1¼@2c.

Fruits—Apples, choice, $1.15; common, 40c; bananas, $1@3.50; Mexican limes, $4@5; California lemons, choice, $4; common, $1; pineapples, $1.50@3.

Hops—Spot, 1½@6c; contracts, 9@10c.

Receipts—Flour, 6900 quarter sacks; barley, 6090 centals; oats, 115 centals; beans, 38 sacks; potatoes, 4853 sacks; bran, 230 sacks; middlings, 590 sacks; hay, 670 tons; wool, 1 bale; hides, 2135.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and Hogs.

Livestock prices, on the whole, were well maintained yesterday. Cattle, however, were somewhat slower as a result of the increase in receipts this week. The demand was steady for good stock, and most that came in was of this quality. Receipts for the day were 240 cattle, 1210 sheep and 585 hogs.

The following prices were current on livestock in the Portland market yesterday:

CATTLE—Best steers, $3.75@4; medium, $3.25@3.50; common, $3@3.25; cows, best, $2.50@3; medium, $2.25@2.50; calves, $3.50@4.50.

SHEEP—Best wethers, $3.50; mixed, $3; ewes, $2.50@2.75; lambs, best trimmed, $4; untrimmed, $3.50@3.75.

HOGS—Best, $6.50@7; medium, $5.75@6; feeders not wanted.

Eastern Livestock Markets.

OMAHA, Sept. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 8500; market slow and 10c lower. Western steers, $3.25@5.50; Texas steers, $3@4.40; range cows and heifers, $2.50@4; canners, $2.25@3; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.50; calves, $3@5.25; bulls and stags, $2.25@3.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 6000; market steady. Heavy, $6.40@6.60; mixed, $6.40@6.45; lights, $6.30@6.40; pigs, $5.50@6.75; bulk of sales, $6.40@6.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; market 5c lower. Yearlings, $4.40@5; wethers, $3.65@4.10; ewes, $3@3.85; lambs, $3.25@5.75.

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, about 24,000; market 10c lower. Beeves, $3.60@7.65; Texans, $3.40@5.70; Westerns, $3.20@5.80; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.50; cows and heifers, $1.70@5.70; calves, $3.50@7.50.

Hogs—Receipts, about 20,000; market steady. Lights, $6.20@6.97½; mixed, $6.25@6.97½; heavy, $6.20@7; roughs, $6.20@6.45; good to choice heavy, $6.45@7; pigs, $4@6.90; bulk of sales, $6.60@6.80.

Sheep—Receipts, about 32,000; market 10c lower. Natives, $2.10@4.15; Westerns, $2.25@4.50; yearlings, $4.10@4.75; lambs, $3.25@6; Westerns, $3.25@6.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market steady. Stockers and feeders, $3@4.75; bulls, $2.40@3.65; calves, $3.50@7; Western steers, $3.75@5.50; Western cows, $2.50@3.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 9000; market steady to weak. Bulk of sales, $6.40@6.80; heavy, $6.50@6.75; packers and butchers, $6.55@6.85; lights, $6.20@6.80; pigs, $5.50@5.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 8000; market steady. Muttons, $3.50@4.70; lambs, $4@5.75; range wethers, $3.50@4.50; fed ewes, $3.25@4.25.

Eastern Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Closing quotations:

Alice	300	Leadville Con	8
Breese	3	Little Chief	8
Brunswick Con.	3	Mexican	80
Com Tun stock	20	Ontario	300
do bonds	17	Ophir	205
C C & Va	81	Standard	190
Horn Silver	50	Yellow Jacket	50
Iron Silver	100		

BOSTON, Sept. 2.—Closing quotations:

Adventure	$ 8.12½	Parrot	27.00
Allouez	27.00	Quincy	9.00
Amalgamated	19.50	Shannon	13.50
Atlantic	14.50	Tamarack	75.50
Bingham	59.00	Trinity	19.25
Cal & Hecla	660.00	United Copper	11.25
Centennial	23