9,800 50% 79% 2,500 183% 181% 25,800 47% 35% 700 109% 109%

10,800 34%

400 5114 51 400 7175 1174 49,300 20312 202 2 200 106 10416 2 100 81 8154 1,000 81 834 126,100 824, 84 1,000 12876 128

BONDS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24,-Closing quotations:

Stocks at London,

Money Exchange, Etc.

Mexican dollars-43c.

Bonds-Government, steady; railroad,

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 14,—Sterling, 60 days, \$4.84%; sight, \$4.86%. Sliver bars—51%c. Mexican dollars—Nominal

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Bar silver steady,

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 14-81% per cent; three months' bills, 1% @13-16 per cent.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14. The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Silver dollars of 1880. 4.085,000
Silver certificates outstanding. 488,324,000
General fund. 488,324,000
General fund. 5.483,312
Curvent Habilities. 98,371,785
Working balance in Treasury offices

Eastern Mining Stocks

BOSTON, Sept. 24 .- Closing quotations

6% Mohawk 58% Mont C & C... 88% Nevada 47% Old Dominion 8% Occools

94 Victoria 24% Winona 7 Wolverine 10% North Butte.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Closing quotation

Dairy Produce in the East.

Heggs—Receipts, 441 cases; steady at mark, cases included, 18c; first, 22 tc. prime firsts, 24c.

Cheese—Steady: Daisles, 154 6:15 tc. twins, 144 6:16c; young Americas, 18 tc. 6 15 tc. fing horns, 15 6:15 tc.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Butter-Steady. Process, 25 8 27c; imitation creamery, 25 @

New York Cotton Market.

Alice 175 Leadville Con.
Brunswick Con. 4 Little Chief.
Com Tun stock 25 Mexican
do bonds 185 Ontario
C & Va 110 Ophir
Horn Silver 75 Standard
Iron Silver 163 Yellow Jacket.

fices.
In banks to credit of the Treasurer of the United States.
Subsidiary silver coin.
Minor coins.
Total balance in general fund.

Adventure

Drafts-Sight, 2c; telegraph, 4c.

200

preferred and of N J.

Interborough Met.

do preferred
Inter Harvester
Inter-Marins pf
Int Paper
Int Pump
Iowa Central
K C Southern
do preferred
Louisville & Nash
Mins & St L
M. St P & S S M
Misseuri Pacific
Mo. Kan & Texas
do preferred
National Biscutt
National Land
Max Nat By is pf

FIX THE STANDARDS

Chamber of Commerce Committee Begins Its Work.

WHEAT PRICES ADVANCED

Local Market on a Parity With the Sound-Weekly Foreign Shipments of Wheat-Better Trade in Produce.

The grain standard committee of the Chamber of Commerce has begun work on the 1909 crop standards and the test weights will be announced shortly. Samples have

been added to the quotations by the larger buyers, and they say they are ready to take all that is offered at the new prices. No reason is given for the intest advance, but it is probably connected with the presconsiderable fleet of engaged yes

ence of a considerable first of single-state and self in port. Local wheat quotations are now similar to those of the Sound cities.

The Lordon cable of the Merchants' Excharge reported cargoes dull and easier.

Walla Walla, for shipment, nominal at 37s 6d. September options at Liverpool gained %d on the day's operations, and December dropped %d. September wheat at Chicago lest almost 2 cents, but the December option closed at a slight loss.

Weekly foreign wheat statements are re-

This wk. Last wk. Last year. 224,000 302,000 1,002,000 160,000 296,000 48,000 16,000 152,000 152,000 Oats and barley were quiet and un-

Wheat Barley Flour Oats Hay .120 26 9 8 26 .81 4 3 1 6 .92 11 10 9 15 .44 2 3 1 8 .85 20 8 12 10 FRUIT TRADE BECOMES MORE ACTIVE.

Supplies Larger and Demand Good-Potate Shipments Begin.

Trade in the Front-street fruit market yesterday showed a material improvement on a liberal scale and the demand was

of Levi cling peaches from California, a car of grapes and sweet potatoes and a car of oranges, besides numerous express shipments of peaches and other fruits. Oregon Salway peaches sold at \$1 to \$1.25

per box according to grade and California clings at \$1 to \$1.10 per box. Grapes cleaned up well, fancy Tokays bringing. \$1.25 and other varieties the former prices. Oregon Concords were in light supply and held at 25 cents per basket. The first car of Oregon petatoes to be

shipped South this season left for the San Francisco market yesterday. Other shipments are being made up. Buyers quote

Large Receipts of Poultry. Receipts of poultry were large yesterday and dealers found it necessary to shade

prices in order to move their stocks. Eggs were in good demand and with the supply limited the market was strong. Butter and cheese were firm and un-

BIG INCREASE IN BEER SALES.

Production in August Shows Gain of Nearly Half Million Barrels.

The production of beer in the United States in August, according to the statis-tics lesued by the Internal Revenue Department yesterday amounted to 0,020,843 barrels, an increase of 480,883 barrels over the output of the same month last year. This is the largest gain shown in any month for the past 20 months. As compared with

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT-Track prices: Bluester 980; club, 890; red Russian, 88%c; Valley, 91c; Fife, 89c; Turkey red, 89c; 49-fold, 91c FLOUR-Patents, old, \$6.25 per barrel;

FLOUR-Patents, old, \$6.25 per barrel;
new crop. patents, \$5.10; straights, \$4.25;
clears, \$4.35; exports, \$13.90; Valley, \$4.90;
graham, \$4.70; whole wheat, quarters, \$4.30,
BARLEY-Feed, \$25.50@25; brewing,
\$23.50@27 per ton.
OATS-No. 1 white \$27@27.50 per ton.
CORN-Whole, \$15; cracked, \$35 per ton.
MILLETUPPS-New crop bran. \$25 per
ton; middlings \$52; shorts, \$27.50; rolled
barley, \$23.50@25.50
HAY-Timethy, Willamette Valley, \$15.90
is per ton: Eastern Oregon, \$18.915;
alfaifa, \$14; clover, \$16; cheat, \$18.914.50;
grain hay, \$15.916.

dogen.

BEANS—Small white, 7%c; large white, 6%c; Lima, 5%c; bayou, 6%c; red kidner, 4%c; pink, 4%c.
SUGAR—Granulated, 16.65; extra C, \$5.55; golden C, \$5.45; fruit and berry supar, 26.05; beet, \$5.25; cubes (barrel), \$6.60; powdered (barrel), \$5.39. Terms on realitiances within 15 days deduct %c per ound; if later than 15 days and within 10 days, deduct %c per pound. Maple sugar, 15.218c per pound.

EALT—Granulated, \$13 per ton, \$1.90 per balle; has ground, 100s, \$7.50 per ton; 50s \$8 per ton.

Duley and Country Produce.

BUTTER-City creamery, extras 36c; fancy outside creamery, 31g 36c per pound; afore, 22hc. (Butter fat prices average 1 hc per pound under regular butr prices) EGGS-Oregon ranch, candled, \$2932%c er dozen.
POILTRY-Hens, 154@16c; Springs, 154
POILTRY-Hens, 154@16c; ducks, young, 156
Sc, geess, young, 16611c; turkers, 70c;
quaks, 31.75@2 per dezen.
CHEESE-Full cream, twins, 174@18c per
cound; young Americas, 184@19c.
PORK-Fancy, 34@10c per pound.
VEAL-Extra, 10@10%c per pound.

Vegetables and Fruits, PRESH PRUITS-Apples, new, \$102.25 per box; pears, 75cg\$1.50 per box; peaches, \$101.25 per crate; cantaloupes, 50cg\$1.25 per crate; plums, 25050c per box; water-melons, ic per pound; grapes, \$5c@\$1.25 per crate; cassbas, \$1.50@1.75; quinces, \$101.75 ner box.

Chamber of Commerce has begun work on the 1969 crop standards and the test weights will be announced shortly. Samples have been coming in for some time past and a meeting was held to get the work of fixing the standards under way. The committee is composed of C. E. Curry, chairman, T. B. Wilcox, W. J. Burns, R. Kennedy and Peter Kerr. Roy McAyael is the official inspector.

There was an advance of one cent in all wheat prices restorday, except himsetom. The exporters claim the foreign market does not justify paying more than was quoted two days ago, and some of them declare the prices of that date wers too high by a cent or two, yet another cent has been added to the quotations by the larger.

Provisions.

BACON-Fancy, 25c per pound; standard, 11c; choice, 204c; English, 184 8134c.

DRY SALT CURED-Regular short clear, dry sait, 15c; smoked, 15c; short clear backs, heavy dry saited, 15c; smoked, 15c; oregon exports, dry saited, 154c; smoked, 15c; 64gc.

HAMS—8 to 16 pounds, 174gc, 14 to 16 ounds, 174gc; 18 to 26 pounds, 174gc, hams, kinned, 18c; picules, 184gc; cottage roll, one; boiled hams, 244gc; 184gc; boiled pic-

none; bolled hams, 244,075 hc; bolled picnies, 71c.

LARD-Kettle rendered, 10s, 16 hc; 5s,
18 hc; standard pure; 10s, 15 hc; 5s, 15 hc;
choice, 10s, 14 hc; 5s, 14 hc. Compounds,
10s, 5 hc; 5s, 5 hc.

SMOKED BEEF-Beef tongues, esch,
60c; dried beef sets, 10c; dried beef outsides, 17c; dried beef insides, 21c; dried
beef knockles, 20c;
PICKLED GOODS-Barrels: Pigs' feet,
\$13; regular tripe, \$10; honsycome tripe,
\$12; pigs, tongues, \$19.56. Mess beef, extra,
\$11; mess pork, \$26.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

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Hops—1909 Fuggles, 20071c; clusters, 20071c; 1908 crop, 10.7 (1907 crop, 12c; 1908 crop, 15c; 1907 crop, 12c; 1908 crop, 15c; 1907 crop, 12c; WOOL—Enstern Oregon, 18@23c per pound; Valley, 12@23c.

MOHAIR—Choice, 24c per pound.

CASCARA BARK—4%@5c per pound.

HIDES—Dry hides, 18@19c per pound.

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Gry kip, 17@15c pound; Gry caffskin, 19@15c pound; salted hides, 10 @21c; maired ualfakin, 15@15c pound; groon, 1c less, FUHS—No. 1 skins: Goatskins, 15c@5; 25c; badger, 25@55c; bear, \$6@20; beaver, \$6.50@8.56; cnt, wild, 15c@81.50; cougar, perfect head and claws, \$3@10; nsher, dark, \$7.50@11; pafe, \$4.90@7; fox, cross, \$3@5; fox, sliver, \$35@100; lynx, \$5@15; marten, dark, \$8@12. mink, \$2.50@8.50; muskrat, 15@25c; citer, \$2.50@8; raccoom, 50@75c; sea otter, \$100@25c, as to size and color; skunks, 35@80c; civet cat, 10@15c; wolf, \$2@3; coyots, 75c@\$1.25; wolverine, dark, \$3.95; wolverine, pale, \$2.92.50.

LIVESTOCK WILL BE SHIPPED DIRECT TO STOCKYARDS.

Permission Given by the Oregon Railroad Commesion-Prices Are Well Maintained.

Officials of the Portland Union Stockto Portland Permission has been granted by the Oregon Railroad Commission to the Southern Pacific to establish through rates for the shipment of livestock from Southern Pacific points in Oregon to the Union Stockrards at Stockdale. The through rates will go into effect September 26. By the new arrangement shippers will obviate the pay-ment of terminal charges, which would be made against them on shipments billed to

Receipts at the yards yesterday were 258 cattle and \$4 sheep. Most of the cattle came from Baker City and were of good quality. The result was that the market was well sustained at former prices. Sheep held up well and good hogs were firm.

Prices quoted yesterday at the yards were

As follows: CATTLE—Steers, top quality, \$4.25@4.50; fair to good, \$4; common, \$5.50@3.75; cows, top, \$5.50; fair to good, \$5.@3.75; common to medium, \$2.50@2.75; caives, top, \$5.25.50; heavy, \$3.50@4; bulls, \$2@2.25; stags, \$2.50 @3.50.

anows a loss of 574,613 barrels and the comparison with August, 1608, reveals a decrease of 52,871 barrels.

In the months of June July and August of this year, the beer sales have increased 750,887 barrels over the corresponding period last year. This would indicate that

period last year. This would indicate that the breweries have drawn heavily on their reserve stocks of hope and they should soon make their appearance in the market for a new supply.

Trade in the local hop market yesterday.

make their appearance in the market for a new supply.

Trade in the local hop market yesterday was not large. Klaber. Wolf & Nector bought a number of small lots at 20 to 22 cents. The prospects are that most of the business this year will be in small lots.

A letter from California reported the purchase by Hall of 100 bales of Yubas at 22 cents, while Richardson secured two small lots of Sacramentos at the same price. A sale of 1908 Sacramentos was made at 12% cents. The new California crop wis cetimated as low as 38,000 bales.

The London press quotation on 1908 Pacific hops was advanced 5 shillings, now standing at 90-110 shillings.

Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

Portland Salista Salines.

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Portland MARKETS.

Eastern Livestick Markets

Rase purchases of stock. Mr. Hashimoto discussed his mission with a newspaper representative as follows:

Heat esting is on the increase in Japan. Its popularity is increased by the recently advanced theory that an overgreat consumption of rice is a source of beriberi. The upper and middle classes who have hitherto on 12% pears since we began to import European cattle into Jupan to import European cattle into Jupa

Eastern Livestock Markets.

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—Cattis—Receipts, 2000; market, steady. Beaves, \$428.55. Texas eleers, \$3.8065.10; Western steers \$3.906.50; stockers and reeders, \$3.1065.25; cows and heiters, \$236; calves, \$7.98.

Hogs—Receipte, estimated, \$000; market, strong to 5c higher. Light, \$7.806.50; rough, \$7.106.70; rough, \$7.706.70; rough, \$7. Eastern Livestock Markets.

CORN-Whole 315; cracked, 536 per ton.

MILLSTIFFS-New crop bran. \$25 per ton. middlings. \$32; shorts. \$27.50; rolled barley; \$25.50 £29.50.

HAY-Timethy, Willamette Valley, \$15.9 alfalfs. \$14; clover. \$15.0 £25.00.

Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

DRIED FRUIT-Apples, 9%c per pound; panches, 7% \$280; prunes, Italians. \$34.00.

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Gyc, prunes, Fronch. \$260; currants, washed, cases. 9%c; currants, washed, cases. 9%c; currants, washed, chies. 10c; figs. white fancy, 50-lb boxes, 5%; dates, 7% \$7%c.

SALMON-Columbia River, 1-pound talls, \$2.00; panches, 7% \$360; pa

Urgent Requests for Finished Goods.

BUSINESS

Shipments Are Heavy and Buyers Ask for Prompt Delivery-Com-

ly Maintained. NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Bradstreet's to-

modity Prices Are Firm-

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say;
Trade continues of enverable proportions.
Shipments are heavy and in many instances
buyers are requiring prompt delivery.
Retail trade is getting into better shape
at many centers. Warm weather has retarded its fullest development. Commodity
prices, both for raw material and edibles,
are generally firm.

Iron and sized continue active, the chief
features being heavy buying of pig iron at
higher prices, urgent requests for inshed
goods and increasing outputs of everything.
Steel-making-pig Irons have been bought
freely.

More New England shoe manufacturers
have been operating in leather this week
and the volume of business is quite large,
though made up of small guantities. Prices
on hides show further firmness and advances
have already been scored in certain varicties.

Business fillures in the United States for
the week endlers September 23 were 171.

have already been scored in certain varieties.

Business fallures in the United States for the week ending September 23 were 171, against 198 last week, 267 in the like week of 1808, 166 in 1907, 175 in 1906 and 185 in 1905. Business fallures in Canada for the week number 57 as against 30 last week, and 32 for the like week in 1908. Wheat, including flour, experts from the United States and Canada for the week ending September 23, agreegated 2,973,991 businels against 2,286,891 last week, and 0,439,226 thif week last year. For the 12 weeks ending september 23 experts are 25,003,023 businels against 43,629,947 in the corresponding period last year.

Corn experts for the week are 94,198 bushels against 55,540 last week, and 09,982 in 1908. For the 12 weeks ending September 23 corn experts are 1,233,411 bushels against 605,332 last week.

IMPORTS SHOW LARGE INCREASE, Indicate Greater Spending Capacity of This

NEW YORK, Sept 24.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will 3d? While there are a few had or uncertain spots in the business situation, they are not sufficient to change the generally cheerful and in some respects, brilliant outlook. The movement in fron and steel is tremendous, resulting in instances or premiums paid for prompt delivery.

The fereign trade is unsatisfactory, in view of the decreased exports and increased imports, but it should not be overlooked that the former is the result in part of the mere sapid advance in prices here than abroad, while the big imports testify to the increased spending capacity of our people.

Many manufacturers of cotton goods are considering curtailment of production to sid in restoring the balance between cotton and cloth prices, and to provide against the dancers of pilling up stocks in the primary markets. Country.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24 —Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending September 23 shows an aggregate of \$5,385,880,000, as against \$3,432,652,000 last week and \$2,689,724,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the effice:

	New York	en 188 885 000	29.2
1	New luik	276,805,000	14.2
	Chicago		99.5
4	Boston		4.7
	Philadelphia	63,611,000	13.5
-	St. Louis	00,011,000	28.8
1	Pittsburg	47,393,000	18.2
	Kansas City	48,301,3700	11.4
	Ban Francisco	88,475,000	11.7
1	Bal'imore	26,495,000	4.0
	Cincinnati	24,491,000	*22.3
	Minneapolis	24,416,000	10.4
	New Orleans	13,709,000	
	Cleveland	18,412,000	35.7
d	Detroit	15,039,000	33.8
	Omaha	14,102,000.	13.9
	Louisville	10,816,090	12.4
	Milwaukee	11,356,000	75.9
	Fort Worth	6,713,000	20.0
	Los Angeles	12,239,000	25.6
	St. Paul	12,008,000	13.8
	Santilla	13,688,000	31,5
	Detver	9,118,000	12.8
	Buttalo	9,677,000	25.5
	Indianapolis	1,000,000	14.0
	Spokane, Wash	4.720.000	37.1
	Providence	6.647.000	21.4
	Portland, Or	8,560,000	20.8
	Richmond		21.0
	Albany	7,087,000	49.4
	Washington, D. C	6,059,990	26.9
	St. Joseph	5.976.000	19.0
	Salt Lake City		22.9
	Columbus	5,785,000	13.5
	Memphis		*3:0.6
	Atlanta		94.1
	Tacoma		20.0
	Oaklard, Cal		21.4
	Helena		*11.0
	Houston		10.4
	Galveston		26.4
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SPECULATION IN STOCKS AL-MOST SUBSIDES.

Exchange Will Be Closed Today and This Is Partly Responsible for the Dullness.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Trading in stocks fell to a low ebb today. During the afternoon the condition became stagman. The decision of the stock exchange authorities to close the exchange tomorrow, in observance of the Hudson-Pulton celebration, was partly responsible for this.

There was some diversion of speculation in the cotion market, where the booming tide of the demand brought the condition into resemblance with the great speculative episodes of the past in that medium. There was a large participation in this activity by the usual frequenters of the stock market, and the volume of business there suffered accordingly.

The duliness of the trading left little motive power in the price movement and its wavering course could not fairly be accepted as a reliable index of any opinions on values.

Preliminary estimates of the week's cur-

cepted as a reliable index of any opinions on values.

Preliminary estimates of the week's currency movement point to a small gain by the banks from the interior, but smaller than last week, and with the tide of the outward movement from this center rising. The loss of the banks from sub-Treasury operations of \$3.932,000 has been reduced apparently by a few hundred thousand dollars by reason of the receipts from the interior.

lars by reason of the receipts from the interior.

There was a slight lowering of the private discount rate in London today, which indicates some relaxution of pressure there. Advices from abroad represent a widespread and increasing demand for money at all the great centers and a desire to discourage further American borrowing for supposed speculative purposes.

The feature of the meager dealings in the stock market was the number of individual transactions in Reading and to some extent in United States Steel. The persistence with which Reading was pushed for eale on the advances and forced back had much to do with the vaciliating tendency of prices of the whole list. When the pressure on Reading subsided, a tendency of prices to rise moderately came into notice. United States Steel and the Pacifics showed some strength. St. Louis Southwestern was a feature of strength, in spite of the axiety regarding the outton crop, which the rise in the price of that commedity suggested. The final drive against Reading determined the closing tone of the market.

Bonds were heavy. Total sales, par value, \$2,564,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS Saies, High. Low.
Allie Chalmers pf 109 521, 524,
Amhl Copper ... 15,000 83% 821,

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Cotton—Spot closed eteady, 26 points higher, Midding splands, 12.75c; mid-Guif, 14c. Sales, 726 Closins
Bid.
5214
88
18.53c; June, 13.63c; July, 13.69c; May,

Heavy Sales of September Wheat at Chicago.

CAUSES BREAK IN PRICES

Receipts in the Northwest Continue on a Large Scale-Falling Off in the Demand for Cash Grain.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—Liberal sales of September by a loading long caused general weakness in the wheat market here today. The chief factor contributing to the unloading of this line was said to have been the continued enormous Northwestern receipts and the falling off in demand for the tash grain in that section. The report of a St. Louis trade journal, indicating prospects for a full acresse of Winter wheat in this country and a decline of nearly 2 conts in cash prices at Kansas City further augmented the weakness. September sold between \$1.63% and \$1.01, while December ranged between \$8%c and \$9%c. This close was weak with September at \$1.01% and December at \$5%c.

Despite the low temperatures throughout the corn belt, corn was extremely weak all day, because of the free selling by leading cash interests. The market closed at the low point at net declines of ic to 1%c to 1%c.

Onis prices at the close were off %c %c. Provisions were strong all day, closing unchanged to 10c higher. The leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT.							
Sept Dec May	Open. \$1.03 % .99 1.02%	High. \$1.05% .99% 1.02%	\$1.01 98% 1.01%	\$1,01%			
CORN.							
Sept Dec May	.65 % .59 % .61 %	.65% .59% .61%	.58% .61%	5854			
OATS.							
Sept Dec May	.39% .38% .41%	.39 % .28 % .41 %	.39 % .28 % .41 %	.39 % .38 % .41 %			
MESS PORK.							
Sept	24.20 18.17 %	24.43 18.50	24.20 18.15	- 24-45 - 18.50 -			
LARD.							
Sept Oct Nov	11.55 12.30 11.87 %	12.70 12.87% 11.97%	12.55 12.30 11.873/2	12,60 12,37% 11,97%			
SHORT RIBS.							
Sept Oct Cash que	11.70	11.93 11.77% were as f	11,72%	11.95			

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour-Strong.

Rye-No. 2, 71c.
Barley-Feed or mixing, 51@58c; fair tothoice mailting, 53@58c.
Flax seed—No 1 Southwestern, \$1.25; No.
1 Northwestern, \$1.45.
Timothy seed—\$2.85@4.
Clover—\$14.75.
Pork—Mess, per barrel, \$24.40@24.45.
Land—Per 100 pounds, \$12.82% \$12.55.
Short ribs—Sides (loose), \$11.72% \$1.02%.

11.07 %. Sides—Short, clear (boxed), \$11.37 % @

U.S. ref. 2s reg.100% N Y C G 3 %s. 51% do coupen. 100% North Pacific 3s. 74% U.S. 3s reg. 101% North Pacific 4s. 102% do coupen. 101% Union Pacific 4s. 102% do coupen. 101% Union Pacific 4s. 102% do coupen. 101% Union Pacific 4s. 102% do coupen. 117% Japanese 4s. 87% D & R G.4s. 97% Grain statistics:

Grain statistics:

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 123,000 bushels. Exports for the week, as shown by Hradstreet's, were equal to 2,274,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 2,860,000 bushels, compared with 6,97,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 54 cars; corn, 168 cars; cars; togs. 7600 head.

Receipts. Shipments.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Cousels for money, 83; do for account, 85. Ams! Copper... 85% Mo K & T...... 42 Anaecode 10% N Court 1988 78,000

Grain and Produce at New York. NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Flour—Receipts, 25,400 burrels; exports, 15,000 burrels, Steady. II. Mederat pobloms trade, Wheat—Receipts, 98,300 bushels; exports, Spanish 48. 95% 10,400 bushels. Spot easy. No. 2 red. sange, Etc. 24.—Money on call No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.084, nominal f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.084, nominal f. o. \$1.11% nom!

firm. 2% 63 per cent; ruling rate and clos-ing bid. 25 per cent; offered at 3 per cent Time loans soft and very dull; 30 days, 3% 3% per cent; 90 days, 3% per cent; six months, 484% per cent. Prime mercantile peted, but resulting occurred after midday, which destroyed the advance. Last price paper, 419454 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 41965 per cent.

Sterling exchange atcady with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.8415 for demand.

Commercial bills, \$4.843 \$54.84.

Bar silver—5146.

Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.-Wheat-

Barley-Easy. Wheat-Shipping, \$1.674 @ 1.724; milling, Barley—Feed, \$1.35@1.37%; browing, \$1.40@1.41%.
Oais—Red. \$1.60@1.70; white, \$1.60@1.55;

Wheat-No trading. Barley-May, \$1.44; December, \$1.40 @

L40%. Corn-Large yellow, \$1.70@1.75. European Grain Markets. LONDON, Sept. 24.—Cargoes dull and asier. Walla Walla for shipment, nominal,

English country markets, steady; French country markets, quiet. LIVERPOOL, Sept. 14.-Wheat-Septem-

ber, 7s 7%d; December, 7s 6%d; March, 7d. Weather cloudy. GRAIN MARKETS OF THE NORTHWEST.

Oats and Barley Prices Decline at Lewiston.
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quotations on oata experienced a decline of 5 cents today and barley 7th cents, as a result of the 10,000-ton Government oat confract being captured by a Minneapolis firm. The Washington and Idaho crops must now seek another market unless the price is low enough to meet the bids of the Minneapolis contractors. The result has been a general correctation in feed values. The day's oundepreciation in feed values. The day's quofations were: Wheat, bluestem, 78c; 40-fold, 75c; club, 75c; Turkey red, 75c; red Russian, 71c. Oats, \$1.05; feed harley, 2214c.

SEATTLE, Sept. 24.—No milling quota-tions. Export wheat, bluestem, 95c; slub, 89c; Russian, 87c. Car receipts today; Wheat,

TACOMA, Sept. 24.—Wheat—Choice mill-ing bluestem., \$76984c; club and red Fife, 89c; red Russian, 87c. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Sept. 24 .- (Spe.

clail)—Club wheat soid today in the neigh-borhood of 80 cents and though some indepen-dent dealers paid a higher price than this, it was for exceptional crops of No. I standard grade. Cox & Barnett filled an order today grade. Cox & Barriett filled an order today of 15,000 bushels, the majority of this being Turkey red wheat. They were strong on the former and gave high prices for the other varieties of wheat. Farmers as a rule are holding awaiting a raise in the market. CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—Butter—Steady. Creameries, 24@29c; dairies, 22@28c Eggs—Receipts, 7741 cases; steady at

2s 6d.

Standard copper, steady and higher. No sales. Spot and September, 12:76@12.76c; October, 12:15@12.80c; November, 812.75@12.85c; December, 12:80@12.90c, London market quiet. Spot. 269 2 6d; futures, 260. Local dealers quote Lake copper at 13@13.25c, electrolytic at 12:75@13c, casting at 12:62% at 12:75. electrolytic at 12 logisc, casing at 12 log; (252, 154); Lead, quiet at 4.50g4.35c, New York and 4.20g4.25c East St. Louis delivery, Iron, higher in London, Gleveland warrants, 52s; No. 1 foundry Northern, No. 1 foundry Southern and No. 1 foundry Southern and No. 1 foundry Southern soft, 519 (219.50; No. 2 foundry Northern, \$18.50g19.

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MORE BUYERS THAN SELLERS AT SEATTLE.

Oats Are Steady With Few Offerings.

Fancy Apples Scarce and in Demand. SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 24.- (Special.)-

Sumerous sales of spot wheat were made here today at 98% cents. In fact, the market assumed better proportions than at any ket assumed better proportions to time this season, with more buyers than sellers in sight. Estimates made today place the California wheat requirements for the season at between \$.000,000 and 10,000,000 bushels. Oats are steady with few

606,000 bushels. Oats are steady with few offerings. Dry weather, which has damaged feed on the cattle ranges, is expected to result in heavy feeding of oats this Winter and was a builish factor here today.

In produce, dealers anxiousty await the time when shippers will send in fancy apples. A good demand for fancy varieties has developed, but stocks are not available, sellers being unwilling to ship while Eastern buyers are bidding for fruit. Tomatoes jumped up to as high as 90 cents, owing to a shortage. Even poor stock sold as high as 60 cents.

Peaches continue to arrive in small lots Peaches continue to array to the form Oregon and California, but do not move as well as last week. Prices range from 96 cents to \$1.35. The street is on-deavering to clean up its supply of water-melons. Cantaloupes are in over supply and weak. Grapes are unchanged.

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO. Prices Paid for Produce in the Buy City

Market. SAN FRANCISCO. Sept. 14.—The following prices were quoted in the produce market today:

ket today:
Vegetables—Cucumbers, 135@650; string
beans, 2@50; tomatoes, 25@500; garlie, 4@
50; green peas, 3@50; eggplant, 35@750.
Millstuffs—Bran, \$28.50@30; middlings, \$30.50 0 37.50. Butter—Pancy creamery, \$20; creamery seconds, \$30c; fancy dairy, 25 %c; dairy sec-

Poultry-Roosters, old, \$4@5; young. State of the state

Wheat, \$16@19.50; wheat and oats \$149 17; alfalfa \$100 13; stock, \$76 10; har-ley, \$10@13.50; straw, per bale, \$0@55c. Fruits—Apples, chuice, \$10 1.50; common, 50@\$5c; banains, Toc@\$5; imes, \$500. oug soc; bananas, 10cm \$3: 1mes, \$5g6; lemons, choice, \$36,250; common, \$1.50@ 2.50; pineappies, \$20,2.75 Hops—12@22c per pound. Pointons—Salinas Burbanks, \$1.25@1.56;

169 17c.

Receipts—Flour, 2110 sacks; wheat, 235 centals; barley, 11,259 centals; oats, 1735 centals; beans, 1208 centals; corn, 20 centals; potatoes, 10,110 sacks; hay, 1356 tons; wool, 205 bales; hides, 1485.

Dried Fruit at New York. Turkey ros wheat. Farmers as a rule are holding awaiting a raise in the market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—The tin market was firm and higher today. Spot closed at 20.40630.60c, September at 30.40630.65c, November and December, 30.50630.70c. London market steady. Spot, £139; futures, £180 28 62.

Wool at St. Louis, ST. LOUIS, Sept. 24 — Wool — Quiet. Ter-ritory and Western mediums, 23@28c; fine mediums, 22@24c; fine, 13@19c.

Hops at London. LIVERPOOL, Sept. 24.—Hops in London Pacific Coust, 24 10s@f5 10s.

Imports and Exports, NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Imports of mer-chandise and dry goods at the port of New

valued at \$17,037,182.
Imports of specie at the port of New York for the week ending today were \$182,378 allver and \$38,200 gold.
Exports of epocle from the port of New York for the week ending today were \$006,25f silver and \$10,000 gold.

Coffee and Sugar. NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Coffee futures closed steady, 5 points lower to 5 higher. Sales, 7050 bags, including chiptember at 5.35 (5.400 Occober at 5.350, December at 5.450, March at 5.356/5.600 and July at 5.450, Soc. Quiet. No. 7 Rio, 734c; No. 4 Banton, 5356/5.000 and July at 5.450, Sugar-Raw, firm, Fair refining, 3.783/c; sentrifugal, 96 test, 4.233/c; molasses sugar, 3.483/c. Refined steady, Crushed, 5.55c; powdered, 5.25c; granulated, 5.15c.

Flaxseed at Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 24.-Flax, \$1.42%. Ryan Honored at Seattle.

OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 24.-(Speattending the sovereign grand lodge of attending the sovereign grand longe of the Independent Order of Oddfellows. While Judge Ryan was attending the ses-sion he was appointed grand marshal, He is at present deputy grand master of the grand lodge of Oregon, and this is the second time that Oregon has been honored by having an officer in the sov-ereign grand lodge. The other Oregon Oddfellow receiving a similar honor was

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