ness in bankers' bills at \$4.8410@4.8415 for 80-day bills, and at \$4.86 for demand; commercial bills, \$4.83%, @4.84.

Bar silver, 51%c.

Mexican dollars, 43c.
Government bonds, steady; railroads irregular.

Metal Markets.

128 12.87 1/2 in was firm; spot and Oct. 30.50@30 75c; Dec. and Jan. 80.55@30.80 London; and higher; spot, f179, 10s; futures, 12s, 6d. ad closed quiet; unchanged in both teles.

Dried Fruit at New York.

DEMAND OPENS WEL

GOOD RUN OF STOCK AT THE

PENINSULA YARDS.

Best Hogs Moved at Top Price

Steady Tone in Cattle and

Sheep Market.

There was a good supply of material for the opening of the week at the stockyards, the arrivals of Sunday and Monday being

114 cattle, 206 calves, 1074 sheep and 427 hogs. The demand was good, trade of fair

proportions and the tone of the market

The bulk of the business was in hogs and

the full price of 8 cents was realized on a bunch of 95 head of first quality. The lowest

HOPS ARE TOO LOW

Oregon Market Should Be Nearer 30 Cents.

BASED ON EASTERN PRICES

Sales Made in New York at 35 Cents. Several New Transactions

in This State at a

Quarter.

There is no mistaking the fact that There is no mistaking the tast that a 25 cent hop market has been reached. The only point that is not clear is why the market is not higher. Passed on Eastern prices, values here should be 27 or 25 gents. They will probably reach that figure before the week is over, and everyone looks for a 80-cent market before the month is half sune.

Several deals at 25 cents were reported esterday. Wells Bros, bought two lots at Middleten, 140 bales from A. Stein and 80 bales from C. Krueger, at that price. Julius Wolf paid 25 cents for Oswald West's crop of 180 bales at Corvalls, and Bishop & Daniels bought three lots, aggregating 135 bales, at McMinnville and North Yambili at 25 cents, the lots being William Odell's 26 bales, J. Nichols' 27 bales and Justin

George Bird's representatives are reported to have taken options on two crops in the ralley at 26 cents.

Saturday at 221 to 24 cents and 24 cents was offered freely in Western Washington yesterday. The California market has become completely blocked since the advance. to a quarter in Oregon.

The most important news from the out-

side during the day came in a wire from New York, which amounted that 35 cents had been wald in that state and 34 cents was being freely offered, nearly all the big exporters and dealers operating. From a half to three-quarters of the New York crop has been sold.

A cable from Ironmonger, or London.

Isane Pincus & Sons, was as follows:
"Market firmer and 5 to 10 shillings higher. German exporters in market and still buring. English brewers buying only Home demand so far purely

Cables have been received from Germa caples have been received from German and Belgian deslers asking for samples of Gregon hops, which are being sent them. Oregon hops have never before been sold in those countries, but a market may be opened up this year, as neither Belgium nor Germany have produced enough hope for their own consumption.

Hops Sell at 25 Cents.

SALEM, Qr., Oct. 4. —(Special.)—Julius Wolf today hought the Oswald West lot of hope 124 baies, at 25 cents. A sale is re-ported from Silverton of 120 bales, medium, at 22 cents.

NO CHANGE IN LOCAL GRAIN MARKET. Whent Beceipts Are the Heaviest of the

Scason-Prices Stendy.

A fair amount of activity was reported in the local grain market yesterday and the prices quoted showed but little change from last week. Receipts of wheat yesterday were the heaviest of the season. The arrivals, in cars, were reported by the Merchants Ex-

thange as follows: Change as follows:

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Totals17.731,000 9,389,000 11.794,000 ONION CROP OF THE UNITED STATES. Less Than That of Lost Year-Total Yield of Cronberries,

The commercial onion grop of 1909 is now practically all barvested and according to the October 2 report of the American Agriculturist is placed at 4.175,000 hushels. The figures showing acreage by States placed New York in the forefront, with Ohie a close second. The crop was hard hit this season in Wisconsin, The Ohio crop is turning out somewhat smaller in rate of yield to the acre, but a reasonably full crop in the State just named. The crop of one year ago was placed at 4,322,000 bushels.

The cranberry crop of 1900, according to this authority, is 1.325,000 bushels, against 1.000,000 bushels in 1908, and 1,280,000 bushels in 1907. Dividing the crop into sections, 850,000 bushels is credited to New England and New York, mostly in Massachusetts. The New Jersey crop approxi-mates 425,000 bushels, well toward a full

CONDITION OF THE COTTON CROP. ullish Report Is Issued by the Census

Bureau.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Condition of coton on September 25 was 55.5. The report the Census Bureau today showed that to cotton growth of 1909, 2,562,888 bales, sting round as half bales, compared with 90,839 for 1808.

76, compared with 57,107 for 1908. The Island cotton report for 1909 was 13,828, pared with 11,465 for 1908. The corstaffstics of the quantity of cotton to September I was announced as 3 bales. The report today will be at slightly by reports transmitted by by individual ginners.

by individual ginners,
e crop reporting board estimates from
reports of correspondents and agents
as bureau that the average condition of
cotton crop on September 25 was 535
cent of a normal as compared with
on August 25, 1908; 59,7 on September

W YORK, Oct. 4. - Spot cotton el middling uplands, II. 60c; middling 12.85c Sales, 782 bales, 12.85c Sales, 782 bales, 12.25c; ures closed steady. October, 12.25c; nber, 12.24c; December, 12.24c; March, 2.47fl, 12.42c; May, 12.44c; June, 12.47c, 12.85c

N MARKETS OF THE NORTHWEST. Growers in Weston Section Are Holding For Higher Prices.

STON, Or. Oct. 1.—(Special.)—The wheat market is inactive and did not id to the advance in Chicago. A few

present quotation. but most of the large growers have their crops still on hand and say that they will continue to hold until the price is more satisfactory. Almost without exception, members of the Farm-ers' Union decline to cell at the prevailing miless.

Large shipments of timothy hay, aggre-gating about his tons, have been made from Weston during the past few weeks. A con-siderable part of the Weston mountain grop has been hauled to Athena for shipment to Sound points. Baled timothy hay comnands \$16 per ton in the local market.

Export wheat, binestern, 97c; club, 35c; red Russian, 37c. Receipts: Wheat, 21 cars; oath, 3 cars; barley, 1 car.

TACOMA, Get. 1.—Wheat—Choice indi-ling, bluestom, 919 98 to: club and red Fife, 85c; red Russian, 87c.

SAND LAKE CRANBERBIES IN MARKET.

Penches Firm at Last Week's Prices Con-cord Grapes Lower.

A large shipment of Sand Lake cranberries was received from Tiliamook yes-terday. They were small but of good quality and were quoted at \$4.50 m 4.75 per box. Peaches were in fair supply and sold for the most part at \$1 0 1.25 per box according to size. There was a good express shipment of Salways from Ashland and straight car will be in the latter part of

Local Concord grapes were plentiful and were quoted from 20 to 25 cents per bas-California grapes were firm at last week's prices.

A car of California Bellflower apples arrived, which were held at \$1.75 per box.

Egg Market Is Advancing. . The egg market moved up half a cent yesterday to 33 cents. Receipts are decreasing while the demand is steadily improving.

Poultry arrivals were light and sales were made at Saturday's prices, but dealers look ceipts should be very large. The butter and cheese markets were firm

Fancy Bacon New 27 Cents. Baron is fast becoming a luxury. Local prices were raised yesterday from 15 to 2 cents a pound, the greatest advance being in fancy bacon, which is now quoted at 27 cents, the highest price known here in years. Lard prices were raised is cent and advances were made in dry shit cured meats, picnics, boiled ham and pig's feet.

 Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities esterday were as follows:
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PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Elour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT—Track prices: Bluestem, 96c; club, 88c; red Bussian, 85the; Vailey, 90c; Fife, 88c; Turkey red, 58c; 40-fold, 90c; FLOUR — Patents, \$3 10 per barrel; straight, 34.35; clears, \$4.35; exports, \$3.90; Vailey, \$4.96; graham, \$4.70; whole wheat; quarters, \$4.90.

BARLEY—Feed, \$25; brewing, \$27 per tra.

ton.

OATS-No. 1 white FIT 50@28 per ton,
CORN-Whole, 12 -- cked, \$36 per ton,
MILESTUFFS-No. crop bran, \$28 per
tan; middlings, \$17; shorts, \$27.50; rolled
barley, \$28.30@29.50.

HAY-Timothy, Willamette Valley, \$15@
18 per ton; Eastern Oregon, \$15.00;
slfaifa, \$14; clover, \$14; cheat, \$13.014.50;
grain hay, \$15.05.

grain hay, \$15-20.

Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples, wac per pound; psaches, 74 3-85 prunes, Italians, 34 6 84c; prunes, French, 48-5c; currants, unwashed, casee, 19-5c; currants, unwashed, cases, 19-5c; currants, unwashed, casee, 19-5c; currants, unwashed, 19-5c; currants, unwashed, casee, 19 Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

FRESH FRUITS & pples new, \$1.25@1.75
per box; pears, \$1@1.75 per box; peaches.
75c@\$1.25 per crate; cantalouges, 50c@\$1.25
per crate; plums, 25@50c per box; watermeions, 1c per pound; grapes, 35c@\$1.25 per
crate, 20@50c per basket; casabas, \$1.50;
quinces, \$1@1.25 per box; cranberries, \$9@
10 per barrei.

Provisions.

Bacon-Fancy, The per pound; standard, 22 he; choice, 21 he; English, 18 h #20 he. DRY SALT CURED-Regular short clears. dry sait. 15c; smoked, 15c; short clear backs, heavy dry saited, 15c; smoked, 16c; Oregon exports, dry saited, 155;c; smoked,

Oregon exports dry matter, 10 pc, sanoven, 184-6.

HAMS—8 to 10 pounds, 18c; 14 to 16 pounds, 18c; 18 to 20 pounds, 18c; hams, skinned, 18c; pienics, 14c; cottage roll, 18c; boiled hams, 25-25c; boiled pienics, 22c.

LARD—Kettle rendered, 10s, 184-c; 5s, 164-c; 5s knuckies 20c.

Pickiki) Goods-Barrels: Pigg feet, \$13.50; regular tring 210. \$13.50; regular tripe, \$10; honeycomb tripe, \$12; pigs' tongues, \$19.50; mess beef, extra, \$12; mess pork, \$25.

BENZINE-V. M. and P. naphtha, cases, 20the; burrels, Mac. COAL OIL-Pear and astral oil, cases, 19c; per gallon; unter white, from barrels, 11the become and extra star, cases, 22c; headlight oil, cases, 20the; iron barrels, 18the; claime, TURPENTINE-In cases, TTc; in wood bur-TURPENTINE—In cases, ric, in wood bar-reis, 744c. B. Callon and Hed Crown, barreis, 18; cases, 23c; motor, barreis, 16c; cases, 25c; 86 degrees barreis, 50c; cases, 374c; engine datiliate, barreis, 50c; cases, 16c; LINSEED OIL—Raw, in barreis, 66c; bolled, in barreis, 67c; raw, in cases, 70c; boiled, in cases, 72c.

Weel at St. Louis. ST. LOUIS, Oct 4.—Wool firm; territor; and Western mediums, 23@28c; fins me-diums, 22@24c; fins, 15@19c.

Hope at London. LIVERPOOL Oct. 4.—Hops in London Pacific Coast, new crop, firm, is sagif Id.

Loan Rate Touches 4 1-2 Per Cent at New York.

STOCK TRADING CHECKS

Rise in Northern Pacific, Due to Increased/ Passenger Earnings. Further Advances in Steel and New York Central.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.- The stock market developed uneven strength after a weak start today, but the activity dwindled under the influence of the sustained firmness of the call money rate. Call money touched 4% per

surplus reserve of the banks is down to the vanishing point and the depiction of cash still continues. The Subtreasury starts the week with a requisition on the banks for \$1.763,000 and had not a credit balance at

the clearing-house this morning.

Poreign discount markets showed more of the effect of relaxation after the October 1 requirements, the private discount rate receding a fraction in Berlin.

The principal stock market influence which contended with the restraint of the money position was the determined advance in United stiton was the determined advance in United States Stoel. It was rumored that the com-pany had purchased 1,000,000 of its own shares

n the market, as it is privileged to do under \$60,000,000.

New York Central was another conspicuous point of etrength. Railroad traffic officials from all sections reported an enlarging merchandles movement and increasing needs for citrs. The rise in Northern Pacific was based on the August carnings, the heavy increase in passenger earnings being attributed to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition travel.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, \$5,775.000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

sale in this line was at 614 cents.

The best calves offered sold near the top unchanged on call.
CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS. mit. Nothing fancy in cows or steers was Sales. High. Low. Allis Chalmers pf
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Am Can pf 700 58½ 47%
Am Cort & Foun 1,700 70 90%
Am Cotton Oil 2,900 75½ 74%
Am Hale La pf 1,800 49½ 48
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Am Lacomostive 700 61½ 61
Am Locomostive 700 61½ 61
Am Banet & Ref. 125½ 112½
Am Sugar Ref. 15,700 143½ 142½
Am Tel & Tel. 15,700 143½ 142½
Am Woolen 200 88% 38%
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Amelica 2,24% Among the shippers at the yards were J. F. Flint, of Junction City, who brought in a car of hogs and two cars of sheep, Henry Matzen, of Lyle, who brought in five cars of sheep; E. G. Young & Co., of Oakland, Or., two cars of hoge; E. E. Loughlin, of Shaniko, four cars of cattle; Stroud & Davenport, of Shaniko, one car of hogs, and E. E. Willard, of Shaniko, three cars of A complete list of the day's sales follows:

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Box 122 \$6.25

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Total sales for the day, 924,461 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Closing quotations:

U. S. ref. 2s reg.100% N Y C G 348... 21

do coupon... 100% North Pacific 3s. 74%

U. S. 3s reg. 1011% North Pacific 4s. 1024

do coupon... 1014/ Union Pacific 4s. 1024

U. S. zanw 4s reg.11016 Wiscom Cent. 4s. 954

do coupon... 1173/ Japanese 4s.... 874

D & R G 4s... 97

Eastern Mining Stocks.

Dally Treasury Statement.

Silver certificates outstanding ... 484.936.000
General fund—
Standard silver dollars in general
fund

of the United States 30,077,588
Subsidiary eliver coln 21,210,701
Minor coin 1,904,817

Total balance in general fund ... \$96,196,905

Money Exchange, Etc. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—Sterling on London, 60 days, \$4.84%; sterling on Lon-don, sight, \$4.86%. Sliver bars, 51%c. Mexican dollars, nom.

Sterling exchange steady with actual busi-

fund Current fiabilities Working bålance in treasury of-

Drafts, sight, lc. Drafts, telegraph, 3c.

Gold coin Silver dollars Silver dollars of 1800

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—The condition of be ireasury at the beginning of business oday was as follows: Trust funds—

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—Cartie—Receipts, estimated, 28,000; market, steady. Reeves, \$4.10 GS.30; Texas steers, \$3.50g5.10; Western steers, \$4g7; atockers and feeders, \$3.450,25; cows and heifers, \$2.10g6; caives, \$7g9. Hogs-Receipte, estimated, 24,000; market, slower and steady. Light, \$7.50g8.25; mixed, \$7.60g8.40; basy, \$7.60g8.40; rough, \$7.50g6.776; good to choice heavy, \$7.75g8.40; pigs, \$6.30g7.20; built of saies, \$7.90g8.75; Sheep-Receipts, estimated, 35,009; market, steady. Native, \$2.65g5; Western, \$2.75g5; yearlings, \$4.00g6.50; lambs, native, \$4.25g7.30; Wastern, \$3.50g7.35. KANSAS CITY, Oct. 4 — Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; smarket, steady to strong Native steers \$4,5098.25; native cows and helfers, \$2.2595.50; stockers and feeders, \$305.50; celves, \$3.05097.50; Western steers, \$3.05.26 ft 75; Western cows, \$2.5094.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market, steady, Bulk of sales, \$7.7098.05; heavy, \$893.15; packers and butchers, \$7.8098.15; light, \$7.5098; juse, \$5.5097.25;

Sheep — Receipts, 15,000; market, steady.

School 120. Receipts, 15,000; market, steady. Muttons, \$485; lambs, \$5.5000.05; range wethers and yearlings, \$495.25; range ewes, \$3.25 gp. OMAHA, Oct. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,400; market, steady. Cowe and heifers, \$325; Western steers, \$3.5066.40; cowe and heifers, \$225; Western steers, \$2.066.40; cowe and heifers, \$2.7565.25; calves, \$2.2567.75; buils and stars, \$2.7565.25; calves, \$3.2566.75; buils and stars, \$2.7565.25; calves, \$3.2566.75; buils and stars, \$2.7565.25; calves, \$3.2566.75; buils and stars, \$2.7567.50; market, weak to 50 lower. Heavy, \$1.8067.90; market, \$7.8067.85; light, \$7.7567.85; ptg. \$8.5067.70; buils \$7.8067.85; Sheep-Receipts, 40,000; market, stardy, Fed muttons, \$365.30; wethers, \$464.50; ewes, \$3.7564.25; lambs, \$5.5067.10.

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Prices Pald for Produce in the Bay City Market. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—The follow-ing prices were quoted in the produce market today: Vegetables—Cucumbers, 35@60c; string beans, 2% @ 5c; tomatoes, 30 @ 60c; garlic, 4 @ 5c; green peas, 8@5c; eggplant, 40@65c; okm, 25@40c. Milistuffs-Bran, \$28.50@30; middlings,

Butter-Fancy creamery, 25c; creamery, seconds, 30c; fancy dairy, 28the; dairy seconds, 20c. Poultry-Roosiers, old, \$4@5; youns

FOURTY ROOSIETS, old. \$4@5; young. \$50@10; broilers amull, \$9@3.50; large \$4@\$5; fryers, \$5@6; hens, \$5@10; ducke, old. \$4@5; young. \$6@8.
Eggs—Store, 43c; fancy ranch, 48c
Chiesse—New, 14½@15c; young Americas, 15½@16c. Hay-Wheat, \$15 \$17; wheat and oats. \$14 \$17; alfalfs, \$9 \$12; stock, \$7 \$10; bar-

\$14@17; alfalfa, \$9@12; stock, \$7@10; barley, \$19.915.50; straw, per bale, \$9.9570c.
Fruits—Apples, choice, \$1.91.50; common,
50@\$5c; bananas, 75c@\$3; limes, \$6.96
\$5.0; lements, choice, \$1.95.50; common, \$1.56
\$1.30; pineapples, \$1.92.75.
Hops—12.8.25c per pound.
Wool—South Plains and San Joaquin,
\$\$9.10c.
Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, \$1.00@1.15;
Salians Burbanks, \$1.25@1.50; sweets, \$1.00
\$1.15.
Receipts—Flour qr. sics, 3875; wheat cfls,
125.0; barley cfls. 6595; oats cfls. 1065; beans,
sks. 1341; corn, cfls. 80; poratoes, sks. 3010;
bran, sks. 80; middlings, sks. 625; hay, tons
500; wool, bls. 239; hides, No. 940.

Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO. Oct. 4. — Burter — Steady; creameries, 24% \$29c; dairies, 22@26c. Eggs—Beceipts, \$247 cases; steady at mark, cases included, 18c; firsts, 22%c; prime firsts, 24c. — Cheese—Firm; daisies, 15% \$15% c; twins, 14% \$18c; Young Americas, 15% \$15% c; long horns, 15% \$15% c.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.— Butter — Firm; creamery specials, 31c; third to extras, 234, 4830c; process, 25@27c; Western factory, 23 &24c; imitation creamery, 25@25c. Cheese—Steady; state full cream specials, 154@145c; skims full to specials, 5@13c.
Exgs—Steady; Western extra firsts, 254@25c; firsts, 24@25c; seconds, 224@234c

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Coffee futures closed steady, net 56310 points higher. Sales, 21,000 sacks, including October at 5.50c, November at 5.5565.60c, December at 5.9065.60c, March at 5.75c. May at 6.80c, July and September at 5.85@5.95c. Spot. steady. No. 7 Hio, 716@7 5-15c. No. 4 Santos. 8%@9c. Mild, dail, Cordova, 84.@12c.

Sugar-Raw, steady. Fair refining, 2.70 NEW York. Oct. 4.—Money on call strong.
4644 per cent; ruling rate and closing bid.
4 per cent; offered at 44 per cent. Time loans firm, 60 days 4 per cent; 90 days.
45 per cent and six months 44644 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4465 per cent.

Flaxseed at Minneapolis.

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MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 4 -- Frax, \$1.88.

NEW TORK, Oct. 4.—Standard copper was easy on the New York metal exchange today with no business reported. Spot. October and November dosed at 12.40@12.85c; Dec. 12.40@12.70c; Jan., 12.50@12.80c; Dec. 12.40@12.70c; Jan., 12.50@12.80c Tondon, easy; spot. 158. 158. 8d futures. 159. 108. Local dealers quote lake copper at 13.00. Local dealers quote lake copper at 13.00. 12.20c; electrolytic, 12.75@18.00c and casting. 12.62@12.85f%, and Oct. 30.500.30 The Wheat Weak Most of the Day at Chicago.

BUT DECLINE IS SLIGHT

markets.
Speiter was quiet and unchanged at home and abroad
Iron was lower at 52s, 4%d for Cleveland warrants in London. Local market firm Selling of May and Buying of December the Feature of Trading. Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK. Oct. 4 — Evaporated apples, firm; fancy 10% \$11c; choice, 06894; prime. Stars, common to fair, 6% \$34c.

Primes, firm: Oregon, 6696; Apricots; insertive; choice, 10%c; extrachoice, 11%c; fancy, N. 16612c.

Peaches, firm; choice, 5% 66; extrachoice, 5% 66%; - Raisins, unchanged. Cash Wheat Is Firm. Coarse Grain Weak.

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.-A heavy tone, caused by large offerings from the Northwest, char-acterized the wheat market all day, with the acterized the wheat market all day, with the exception of a few minutes at the opening, but losses were not material. The selling of December and huying of May by certain elevator interests furnished the only feature of the day. Cash wheat was firm.

The trend of corn was selli downward. Oats developed an unnistakably weak tone. In the provision market October lard was the only product to advance, closing 100 higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Dec. \$1.00 \$ 21.00 \$ 1.55 \$ 21.00 May. 1.02 \$ 1.02 CORN. .59 % .57 % .59 % QATS. .89% 40 .88% 42% 42% 41% MESS PORK. Oct...... 22,10 25,25 23,10 23,25 Jan...... 18,55 18,55 18,42 1/2 18,52 1/2 LARD. SHORT RIBS.

Sides—Short, clear to the state of the country of t

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Flour—Receipts, 31,-400/barrels; experts, 14,500 barrels, Market firmly held, with a local inquiry. Minnesota patents, \$4,4024.65; Winter straights, \$4,908 Wheat—Receipts, 271,200 bushels; exports, 165,000 bushels. Spot, steady, No. 2 red elevator and f. o. b. afloat, nominal; No. 1 Northern, Duluth, \$1.09% nominal; No. 1 afloat; No. 2 hard Winter, \$1.14% nominal f. o. b. afloat. Opening firm and higher today on buillish cables, wheat gradually eased off under big receipts, with less active cash Northwest demand and a bearish snow report, closing quiet at %c net lower. December, \$1.07%; May, \$1.08%.

Hops and hides—Firm.

Wool—Quiet. Wheat-Receipts, 271,200 bushels; exports,

Grain and Produce at New York.

Hops and hides—F Wool—Quiet. Petroleum—Steady.

Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct 4.-Wheat and PRIVATE

earley, steady.

Spot quotations:

Wheat—Shipping, \$1.65@1.72%; milling, \$1.75. Bariey—Fesd, \$1.85@1.87%; brewing, \$1.37%@1.40. Oats—Red, \$1.60@1.70; white, \$1.60@ 1.02%; black, \$2.35@2.00 ask. Call beard sales—Wheat, none; barley, May \$1.44% bid, \$1.44% ask, Dec. \$1.39% ask; corn, large yellow, \$1.70@1.75.

European Grain Markets LONDON. Oct. 4. — Cargoes quiet but stendy; buyers reserved. Walla Walla for shipment 3d lower, 27g.6d. English country markets quiet but steady; French country markets steady. LIVERPOOL Oct. 4.—Wheat—December, 7s 7%;; March, 7s Sd; May, 7s 7%;d. Weather, cloudy.

Visible Supply of Grain. NEW YORK, Oct. 4—The visible supply of grain in the United States Saturday, Oct. 2 as compiled by the New York Product Exchange, was:

Corn 5,387,000 \$1,007,000
Outs 12,801,000 1,007,000
Ryo 485,000 51,000
Barley 8,586,000 583,000
The visible supply of wheat in Canada hat
of 1,804,000 00.

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MILLERS BID UP FOR WHEAT IN SEATTLE MARKET.

Eggs Are Advanced to 42 Cents With Dealers Trying to Buy in Oregon.

SEATTLE, Wash, Oct 4.—(Special.)—Wheat touched the dollar mark in the local market today for the second time since the new crop commenced to move freely. Numerous sales of No. i bluestem wheat were made today at 92½ cents and \$1 and sales were reported in the country around 85 cents. Exporters paid as high as 98½ cents for bluestem and a few sales were worked at as high as 98 cents. Seattle millers yesterday received inquiries from Chicago for Const flour. The finguiries are for club grades or flour, such as see ordinarily exported.

Although egg receipts from local politis were about as heavy today as usual, the demand was strong enough to force prices, the market closing strong at \$2 cents. Efforts were made in Oregon to get fancy stock, for which Seattle prices were paid, although there is a differential of shout 10 cents between the Seattle and the Portland markets.

Poultry was steady with stocks heavy.
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Poultryraisers are thinning their flocks now
that the moulting season is at hand, Veal
receipts were light and the market irregu-

lar.

Four carloads of grapes reached the street today. The supply of grapes put on to the market is being well regulated, as surplus stocks are held in cold storage. Nearly all varieties of California grapes were held at

Another carload of figs reached the street today, making the second car this season. Watermelons have about disappeared. Another carload may be brought in from Eastern Washington.

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glass and of a case of gloves consigned to Portland merchants were stolen. The or-dinary run of freight car pilfering is done by tramps, who, as a rule, take shoes or hats for their own use. At times, or-ganized gangs of box-car thieves have given trouble, but they have never, so far as can be recalled, given their attenhard to dispose of as cut glass.

MURDERER BAFFLES POLICE

Mystery Surrounds Sudden Killing of Japanese on Street.

S. Okagi, the Japanese companion of H. Hiramatsu, who was mysteriously murdered Saturday night, and who has told the police a remarkable tale of the death of his comrade, was agraigned the death of his company, was accapanged before Judge Bennatt yesterday afternoon and held under \$2000 bail as a witness. The killing of Hiramatsu is baffling to the police. Detectives Carpenter and Price were assigned to the case yesterday morning and so far no developments have arisen. Okagi says they had visited a store at

First and Couch streets, where a few purchases were made by Okagi. Then they walked toward Second street. Okagi says near the corner he turned around to look for a streetcar. Hiramatsu had gone but a few feet from him. When he turned. Hiramatsu he turned. Hiramatsu was staggering, with his throat siit from ear to ear, and no one was in sight. The police are of the opinion the killing is one in which a Japanese quarrel is hidden and are inclined to believe if the murderer is discovered, he will prove to be a country-

SHERIDAN BRINGS TROOPS

Twenty-fifth Infantry Returns From Philippines.

PORT TOWNSEND, Oct. 4 .- With

port TOWNSEND, oct. 4.—Wits nearly 1000 officers and enlisted men of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, 100 civilian passengers, 16 invalids and a number of insane patients and military convicts, the United States Army transport Sheridan arrived at quaranting form Manula tonight. tine from Manila tonight. Too late for inspection, the transport will remain at anchor and proceed to Seattle in the morning. Officers of the transport say the voyage was without unfavorable incident. The oldlers are returning from duty i the Philippines, and will be assigned to Fort George Wright, near Spokane,

Wash, and Fort Lawton, at Seattle For the last 2000 miles of the voyage the Sheridan was in communication with shore by wireless.

LA ROSE CASE IS UP TODAY Supreme Court Will Decide Fate of

. Portland Prisoner.

will also be heard Tuesday the Jack La Rose case and the Atwood case, both from Portland. In the latter case, at the original hearing, the court was divided, two and two, and it comes up now for the reason that it is desired to have the full court pass on the case.

Depot to Be Improved.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 4 .- (Special.) -- General Manager J. P. O'Brien, of the Southern Pacific, has written the Railroad Commission, in reply to a complaint, that the company will shortly build a new section-house and remodel the depot at Mosier.

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COOS BAY LINE

Car Thieves Take Cut Glass.

Depredations by box-car thieves took a new turn, somewhere between Chicago and Portland, according to reports made to the North Bank officials yesterday. Nearly all the contents of a barrel of cut

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Portland Prisoner.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 4.—(Special.)—The land every Wednesday, 8 P. M., from Ainsworth dock, far North Benk, Marshfield and Coos Bay points. Freight received until 4 P. M. on day of salling. Passenger fare, first-opened today. The first business will be the examination of applicants to the bar, to be held tomorrow. There