American Exports to Japan Are Increasing.

AT HEAD OF LIST

Hop Market Advances in Yakima Wheat Reaching Tide Water in Larger Quantities-Fruit Trade Drags.

Vice-Consul-General E. G. Babbitt, of Yoko hams, states that the use of condensed milk Japan has been steadily increasing, atterbuted largely to the fact that so many nothers are obliged to work in the mills, actories and other places where their children cannot accompany them. Fresh milic is expensive and the supply unequal to the demand in the vicinity of the large cities. Mr.

Babbitt continues: The number of milch cows registered in Japan at the end of 1907 was only 42,120. There are a few establishments making con-densed milk, but of their operations or suc-

pees little can be learned.

During 1809 173,467 dozen cans, valued at 1844,685, were imported; in 1802, 387,098, valued at \$481,972, while during 1905 the number of cans increased to \$0.9,160, valued at \$1,94,648. For the first ex months of 1908 the figures were 446,464 dozen, valued at \$579,273. Statistics show this to be one the most important trems of food products

of the most important items of food products imported into Japan. The countries from which these shipments were received during 1905 were as follows:

United States 471,647 2639,488 Great Britain 244,809 278,809 Switzerland 147,524 199,616 Other countries 65,280 71,059

WHEAT IS COMING IN FREELY. But Buying in the Country New Is Less

Active. Wheat is coming in freely, yesterday's receipts being 121 care as compared with 100 are this day last year. The recent heavy the railroads and follows the active buying of a week or ten days ago. At the present time buying has stackened up comewhat. Leal prices yester-lay were unchanged. The high prices paid for bluestem at Seattle are credited to Puge. Sound millers. But for the burning of the Portland mills bluestem

strength, with a fairly active demand. Local receipts, in cars, were reported by Wheet Barley Flour Oats Hay
211 88 9 15 22
121 7 7 15 12
100 12 1 11 10
week 581 60 55 46 84

YAKIMA HOPS SELL FOR 251/2 CENTS. Pacific Coast.

The Northwestern hop market was lifted half a cent yesterday when Guy Grafton bought 80 baies of Yakima hope from J. Knox at 2516 cents. They were grown in the Tampico section. No further business at 25 cents was reported in Oregon, but the dealers had their men out scouring the cour try for choice lots. Most of the growers who have that quality are waiting for 30 cents to be reached. There were rumors of offers by leading exporters, but they lacked The J. W. Seavey Hop Company bought

out 1600 bales at the ruling prices. The following very bullish cable was received by Isanc Pincus & Sons from John

Barth & Sons, of Nuremberg: "Market is advancing rapidly. Good inguiry and few sellers. Buyers begin to realize the shortness of supply and a rise may be expected. There is a decided improveent in our market and a better inquiry

KREBS MAKES GOOD CLEAN-UP. Settlement of the Livesley Contract Suit

Will Not the Grower Handsomely. SALEM. Or., Oct. 5.—(Special.)—Conrad Krehs, of the Krebs Hop Company, in whose favor the Krebs-Livesty hop contract suit was today decided by the Supreme Court. nates that the Krebs Company cleaned up \$23,000 more on the 500,000 pounds of a contracted, than if the Livesley Company had lived up to its contrast. The 500,-000 pounds of hops at 14 cents would have brought the Krebs Company \$70,000. The hope sold in the open market, plus the judg-ments obtained, Mr. Krebs states will amount to \$103,500. It is estimated that if the Livesier Company had carried out its five-year contrast, the buyers would have made a profit of \$4000 on the 500,000 pounds, anding the fact that hops went

Rain Interferes With Fruit Trade, The rain put a damper on the fruit trade

though supplies were full pecially the basket varieties, and prices of these were cut generally. Concords were offered at 17% @20 cents and Delawares and Miageras at held Peaches and other fruits were un-

All Kinds of Poultry Weak.

Poultry receipts proved to be large yesterwere moved at 1415 cents, but Springs dragged at 14 cents Turkeys were quoted at 17@17 cents, with practically no de-

selling at 33 cents. The demand for fresh

Butter continues scarce and firm. Bunk Clearings. Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Graceries, Dried Fruits, Etc. Groceries, Dries Fruits, Etc.

PRIED FRUIT—Apples, suc per pound;
peaches, Th 98c; prunes, Italians, 5% 6

Enc. prunes, French, 460c; currants, unwashed, cases, 9%c; currants, washed,
cases, 10c; figs, white fancy, 50-th, boxes,
3%c; dates, Th 27%c.

EALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls,
12 per dozen; 2-pound talls, 32.95; 1-pound
fats, \$2.10%, Alasks pink, 1-pound talls,
90c; red, 1-pound talls, \$1.45; sockeyes,
1-pound talls, \$1.45; sockeyes,

chestinuts. Italian, lic; peanuts, raw. 5%c; pibenuts. 10@12c; bickory nuts, 10c; coccanuts, \$1.10 per dozen.

EEANS-Small white. 7%c; large white. 6%c; Libns. 5%c; bayou, 6%c; red kidney. 4%c; pink. 4%c.

SUGAR-Granulated, \$5.65; extra C. \$5.55; golden C. \$5.45; fruit and berry \$6.63; bent. \$5.55; cubes (barrel), \$6.6; powdered (barrel), \$6.35; Terma on remittances within 15 days adduct %c per pound; if later than 15 days and within 3c days, deduct %c per pound. Maple sugar, 15.615e per pound.

SALT-Granulated, \$11 per ton, \$1.90 per bale, half ground, 100s, \$7.50 per ton; 56s, \$8 per ton.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT Track prices: Bluestem, 96s; club, 88c; red Russian, 86 hc; Valley, 90c; Fife, 88c; Torkey red, 88c; 49-fold, 98c; FLOUR — Patents, 85-10 per barrel; straight, \$4.35; clears, \$4.95; exports, \$3.90; Valley, \$4.90; graham, \$4.70; whole wheat, quarters, \$4.96.

BARLEY—Feed, \$24; brewing, \$27 per,

ton.

OATS-No. I white, \$27.50@28 per ton.

CORN-Whole, \$15; cracked, \$28 per ton.

MILLSTUFFE-New crop bran, \$26 per ton middings, \$22; \$5per ton? \$27.50; rolled harley, \$22.56@28.50.

HAY-Timothy, Willamette Valley, \$15@15 per ton; Eastern Orsgon, \$18.915; sifusts, \$14.50 cer, \$14; chest, \$15.914.50; grain hay, \$15.916.

Dairy and Country Produce.

BUTTER-City creamers, extras. 360; fancy outside creamers, 13@25d per pound; store, 22%@24c (Butter fat prices average 1 to per pound under regular but-ter prices) average 1 to per pound under regular suc-ter prices)

EGGS—Oregon ranch, 52 to 23c per dozon,
POILTRY — Heas, 14214 to; Springs,
14214 to; roossera, 80 ilo; ducks, 150;
geese, 92 13c; turkeys, 17217 to; squabs,
11.75 22 per dozen,
(HEESE—Full cream twins, 171, 218c per
pound; young Americas, 185 219c.
PORK—Fancy, 823 to per pound,
VEAL—Extra, 102 10 to per pound.

Vegetables and Fruits.

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FRESH FRUITS—Apples new, \$1.25@1.75
per box; pears \$1@1.75 per box; peaches,
75.6\$1.25 per craie; cantaioupes, 50.6\$1.25
per craie; plums, 25@50c per box; watermelons, le per pound; grapes, \$5.6\$51.25 per
craies, 18@20c per basket; casabas, \$1.50;
quinces, \$1.81.25 sper box; cranberries, \$9.69
10 per barrel.

POTATOES—Buying prices: Oregon, 60.65c
per sack; sweet potators, 2c per pound.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Valencias, \$5.85.50;
grapefrait, \$5.50 per box; bananas, \$5.95.50;
per pound; pineapples, \$1.75.2 per dozen.
SACK VEOCTABLES—Turnips, 75.0\$1
per sack; carrots, \$1; beets, \$1.25.
ONIONS—New, \$1.25 per sack;
per dozen; celery, 50.675c per dozen; corn,
15.670c per dezen; cucumbers, 10.675c per
dozen; exgplant, 75.6741 per box; garile,
7.85c per pound; horseradish, 19.10c per
pound; lettuce, hothouse, 75.60.81.25 per box;
enions, 124.6715c per dozen; parsiey, fibe per
dozen; peas, 7c per pound; peppers, 46.5c
per pound; pumpkins, 1.6714c; radishes,
15c per dozen; squash, 15.974c; tomatoes,
20.986c.

Previsions.

BACON—Fancy, 27c per pound; standard, 2216; choice, 2116; English, 1816, 27016; DRY SALT CURED—Regular short clears, dry salt, 15c; smoked, 16c; short clear backs, heavy dry salted, 15c; smoked, 16c; Oregon exports, dry salted, 15 hc; smoked, 1616.

backs, nearly ary alted, 15 hc; smoked, 16 hc.

16 hc.

HAMS—8 to 10 pounds, 18c; 14 to 16 pounds, 18c; 18 to 20 pounds, 18c; hams, skinned, 18c; 18 to 20 pounds, 18c; hams, skinned, 18c; pienics, 18c; cottage roll, 15c; bolled hams, 26 26c; bolled pienics 22c.

LARD—Kettle rendered, 10s, 16 hc; 5s, 16 hc; standard pure, 10s, 16 hc; 5s, 15c; cholco, 10s, 14 hc; 5s, 14 hc. Compound, 10s, 10 hc; 5s, 10 hc;

Olls, Turpentine, Etc. HENZIND-V. M. and P. naphtha, cases, 204;c; barrels, 184;c. COAL OIL-Pesri and astral oil, cases, 19c; per gallon, water white, bron barrels, 114;c; eccess and extra star, cases, 22c; headlight oil, cases, 204;c; fron barrels, 134;c; elaine, cases, 25c.

TURPENTINE-In cases, TIC; fn wood barrels 74te. TURPENTINE—In cases, vic; in wood barrels, 74 hc. 14 hc. 14 hc. 16 hc. 1

ARRIVALS OF OREGON SUPPLIES HELP SEATTLE MARKET.

Grapes in Heavy Supply, but Prices Are Held Up-Apples Are Moving Better.

SEATTLE, Wash, Oct 5.—(Special)—
lithough storage facilities here are taxed
ith grapes, commission men are able to
old the market up to the old level on
oth California and Concords, the former
till holding at \$1 and the latter at \$5
onts. Demands for grapes is very heavy,
owever.

however.

Apples are moving better, three carloads of famey fruit being disposed of today.

The sweet potato supply was replenished today by the arrival of two cars from the Bouth. Prices were slightly up at 2 cents for the best.

The receipt of Oregon eggs was all that prevented an egg famine here today. Seventy-five caues of fresh eggs came in from Portland at soon, just as several houses were entirely sold out. As high as 43 cents was offered for famey stock from the

cents was offered for fancy stock from the special trade. The supply of hens keeps ahead of the demand, but Springs come in slower since price was cut. There is a slower since price was cut. There is a healthy demand for ducks with few offer-

Alfalfa stocks are temporarily cleaned up here. Grain prices were unchanged today. QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Prices Paid for Produce in the Buy City Market, SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—The follow Ing prices were quoted in the produce market today:

Vegetables—Cucumbers, 55@60c; string beans, 25@50; tomatoes, 25@50c; sarlic, 4@50c; green peas, 500c; eggplant, 40@55c; okrs, 25@40c.

Milistuffs-Bran, \$28.50 (30; middlings, \$36.50@37.50. Butter-Fancy creamery, 35 hc; creamery nds. 30c; fancy dairy, 25%c; dairy secends 25c.

Poultry—Boosters, old, \$495; young, \$6.60010; broilers, small, \$195.50; large \$495.55; ryers, \$596, hens, \$5910; ducks, eld, \$495; young, \$698.

Eggs—Stors, 45c; fancy ranch, 48c.
Cheese—New, 145,915c; young Americas, 15,917c.

Hay-Wheat, \$15@20; wheat and oats, \$14@17; alfalfn, \$9@12; stock, \$7@10; bar-144 17; alrain, 1941; aloca, 7.510; nariey, \$105/12; atraw, per bale, 506/10c.
Fruits—Apples, choice, \$15/1.50; common, 506/85c; bananas, 75c6/85; limes, 465/6.50; lemons, choice, \$50/1.50; common, \$1.50/6.50; pineapples, 128/1.75.
Hops—128/25c per pound.
Wool—South Plains and San Joaquin, 58/10c.
Pointoss—Oregon Burbanks, \$1.008/1.15;

Potatoes-Oregon Burbanks, \$1.00@1.15; Salinas Burbanks, \$1.25@1.50; zweets, \$1.50. @1.75. ## 175. Hectipis Flour, \$310 quarter sacks; wheat, 3305 centals; barley, 2330 centals; beans, 751 encks; corn, 25 sacks; potatoes, 4770 sacks; hran, 300 sacks; middlings, 350 sacks; hay, 258 tons; wool, 128 bales; hidea_117.

Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Butter — Strang; reameries, 29c; dairies, 25c. Eggs—Strong; receipts, 1988, at mark, ases included, 18c; firsts, 224c; prime firsts, 24c. Cheese—Firm Dairies, 1546 twins, 144656; young Sacrions, 154c; long horns, 156164c. NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Butter and cheese Steady, unchanged. Eggs—Firm. Western drets, 25 to \$20 to c.

Coses, 10c; figs. white fancy, 50-lb. boxes, 24c; figs. white fancy, 50-lb. boxes, 24c; dates, 74c; 47-lc.

EALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, 52.26; 1-pound falls, 52.26; 1

Drop in Steel Discloses Stop Loss Orders.

SHORTS PROFIT BY IT

Stock Market Is Generally Weak. Call Loan Rate Advances to 6 Per Cent-Bonds Are . Irregular.

NEW YORK, Oct. & Speculative confidence was jarred today by the discovery of a vulnerable point in the market position in United States Steel. Moreover, the call lean market, instead of relaxing as the date passes of the October money payments, rose today higher than on Friday and in convequence is higher than early in 1968. The tate touched of per cent. There were still points of strength here and there, but the prevailing tone of stocks was depressed and uncertain.

The constant succession of new high rec-

still points of strength nere and there, but the prevailing ione of stocks was depressed and uncertain.

The constant succession of new high records in United States Steel has encouraged a presumption that the market protection for the price was inevitable and that uninterrupted progress to par or above was asswed it appears, however, that a graving proportion of the speculative buying in the recent past has been accompanied by the precaution of a stop-loss selling order, placed at a given point under the purchase price, an element among the principal speculators learned of the existence of these orders in large volume at about 22 and again at 31. By offering the price down to these levels, they saw opportunity for profit by buying it to cover their short sales, while the stop-loss selling orders were being executed. The result was a drop in United States Steel of more than four points from yesterday's high level.

Below \$1 the support of the stock became effective again and the price railled. A considerable liquidation of speculative accounts must have been affected by the notice selling during the day, but the money market was not eased accordingly. The \$3.778.000 which the subtreasury has absorbed since the last hank statement is sufficient in itself to obliterate the slender surplus reserve then actually existing. Call money, by rising to a per cent, belied the assertion of a number of banks that the raste would not go higher than 5 per cent this year. The market closed weak,

Bonds were irregular Total sales, par value, \$4.086,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS. Allis Chalmers pf 400 b44
Amal Copper 25,200 53
Am Agricultural 200 465
Am Best Sugar 2,200 45
Am Can pf 700 845
Am Can pf 700 845
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Vestiern Md Blee Vestinghouse Blee Vestern Union ... Theel & L Erie ... Pleconsin Central Total sales for the day, 1,140,900 shares. BONDS. NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Closing quotations:
U. S. ref. 2s reg.1904; N. Y. C. G. 3½s... 91
do coupon... 1004; North Pacific 5s. 74
U. S. 3s reg. 1015; North Pacific 4s. 102½
do coupon... 101½; Union Pacific 4s. 102½
U. S. new 4s reg.116½; Wiscon Cent. 4s. 95%
do coupon... 117½;
Japanese 4s.... 57
D & R. G. 4s... 96½

Stocks at Laudon, LONDON, Oct. 5 .- Consols for money, de for account, 83%.

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10 N. Y. Central.

128% Noffelk & West.

107% de pf.

Thio 121 Ont & Western.

Inc. 124% Pennsylvania

Mile 0 I Rand Mines

West 14% Reading

187% de pf.

187% Southern Ry.

185% de pf.

27% Southern Ry.

187% Union Pacific. 2

35% do pf.

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35% do pf.

10 S Steel . 1

pf. 51 do pf.

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157% do pf. 1

157% do pf. 5

137% Spanish 48. 9 87 11-16; do for account, \$3 %.

Money, Exchange, Etc. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct 5.—Sterlins onder, 60 days. \$4.84%; sight, \$4.88% Sliver bars, 51%c. Mexican dollars, nominal. Drafts, sight, 1c; telegraph, 8c. LONDON, Oct. 5 .- Bar allver, steady,

er cent.
Sterling exchange easy with actual busiess in bankers' bills at \$4.85 \$4.8410 for
0-day bills, and at \$4.8545 for demand,
commercial bills, \$4.834 \$6.8345.
Bar silven \$1.40.
Mexican dollars, 430.
Bonds, Government, steady; railroads, irsecular.

Daily Treasury Statement WASHINGTON, Oct 5.—The condition of he Treasury at the beginning of business oday was as follows: Trust funds— Gold coin . \$865,720,859
Silver dollars . 485,214,000
Silver dollars of ISDO . 4,062,000
Silver certificates outstanding . 435,214,000
General fund
General fund . 5,235,080
Current liabilities . 100,477,217
Working balance in Tressury
offices . 30,494,663

80,494,663 affices 30,494,603
In banks to the credit of the
Treasurer of the United States 39,261,483
Subsidiary silver coins 21,165,943
Minor coins 1,961,283
Total balance in general fund 94,852,217 New York Cotton Market.

New York Cotton Market.

New York, Oct. 5.—Cotton futures, closed barely steady. October, 13.16c; December, 13.14c; January, 13.12c; February, 13.15c; March 13.18c; April, 13.19c; May, 13.12c; June, 13.18c; July, 13.17c; Arigust, 12.90c; September, 12.21c.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 20 points lower, Middling uplands, 13.40c; do guif, 13.85c. Sales, 559 bales.

FAIRLY ACTIVE DEMAND AT THE YARDS.

Best Hogs and Lambs Move at Full Prices-Receipts Are Very Liberal.

Livestock prices were steady yesterday, with a good run of stock and a fairly active demand. The day's receipts were 114 cattle. 241 sheep and 384 hogs.

Two good-sized lots of hogs were moved at the top prices, and except for a dozen stockers, all the offerings, in the hog line The top price realized on steers was \$4 Dec. ... 53 and on cattle, \$3.85.

Lambs sold up to the full quotation and there was a healthy tone in the sheep mar-

Among the shippers at the yards were Oils Cook of Heppner, who came in with a car of cattle; D. Nell, of Heppner, one car of cattle; C. H. Bartholomew, of Echo, one car of cattle; Carl Eismininter, 6f Parma. Idaho, one car of hogs; F. J. Walmeley, of Parma. Idaho, one car of hogs, and Dug Taylor, of Haleey, Or., one car of hogs.

The day's sales at the yards were as fol-

Enstern Livestock Markets.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated, 2000; market, steady. Beeves, \$4.100

8.15; Texas steers, \$3.5595.10; Western steers,
144. \$497; steckers and feeders, \$3.13595.25; cows
and helfers, \$2.1696; calves, \$702.

Hogs Receipts, estimated, 10,000; market,
shade lower. Light, \$7.4598.35; rough, \$7.4597.70;

10,000; market,
25.5095.25; rough, \$7.4597.70;
25.5095.25; rough, \$7.4597.70;
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25.5095.25; Mestern, \$2.5095.25;
25.5095.25;

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 5.— Cattle—Receipts, 18,690; market strong. Native steers, \$4,500; 8,25; stockers and feeders, \$3,25075.25; calves, \$3,5007.35; Western steers, \$3,65076.75; West-\$0.50@7.25; Western steers, \$3.65@6.75; Western cows. \$2.75@4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 16.000; market, 5c lower.
Bulk of sales. \$7.60@8; heavy, \$7.90@8.10;
packers and butchers, \$7.75@8.05; light, \$7.50
\$7.90; pigs. \$5.50@7.25.
Sheep-Receipts, 12.000; market, steady.
Muttons, \$4.25@5; lambs, \$5.50@7.

OMAHA, Neb. Oct. 5.— Cattle—Becelpts, 7600; market, steady. Native steems, \$4.50098; Western steems, \$5.50096.25; cows and helters, \$2.75694.25; houles and stage, \$2.75694.76; Hogs-Recelpts, 3000; market, \$6 lower, Heavy, \$7.80697.90; mixed, \$7.7587.89; light, \$7.7697.85; pigs, \$6.50097.50; bulk of sales, \$7.7567.80; Sheep—Receipts, 2700; market, steady, Year-lings, \$4.80@5; wethers, \$4@4.50; lambs, \$6.40 @7.

BUYING A YEAR AHEAD

DEALERS BIDDING FOR 1910

BOSTON, Oct. R.—The movement of wool atocks to the milis continues active with dealers more insistent on the full asking price. Local dealers anticipate that the high level will be maintained for six months. It has developed that the strength has induced bidding for the 1910 clip on the aheeps' backs.

There is a moderate domand for Oregon staple, with sales of No. 2 at 26th cents in the grease. Pulled wool and the foreign product are both active.

TEXES—Fine, 12 months, 75@75c, fine, 6 to 8 months, 68@70c, fine Full, 08@60c. California—Northern, 65@70c, Middle County, 63@65c, Full, free, 56@25c.

Oregon—Eastern, No. 1 staple, 75@80c; Eastern clothing, 70@72c; Valley No. 1, 57 ## SSc.

Territory—Fine staple, 77@80c; fine medium staple, 70@72c; fire clothing, 70@72c; fine medium clothing, 86@88c; half-blood, 72c; three-eighths-blood, 68@70c; quarter-blood, 67@68c. -Extra, 72@75c; fine (A), 65@70c;

(A) supers, 60 @ 63c. SYDNEY, N. S. W., Oct. 5.—The annual wool sales which were stopped by a dispute between the woolbuyers and brokers have recommenced.

Wool at St. Louis. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 5.—Wool—Steady. Ter-ritery and Western mediums, 23 € 25c; fine mediums, 22 € 24c; fine, 13 € 19c. •

Enstern Mining Stocks. NEW YORK, Oct 3.-Closing quotations:

Active Demand for Cash Wheat at Chicago.

OPTIONS ARE STRONGER

Increase of 17,000,000 Bushels in the World's Visible Supply Has No Effect on the Speculation.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Active milling demand for cash grain had a strengthening effect on the wheat marked here today. Ignoring a number of hearlah influences, traders in the wheat but hought freely of the options. This resolved in a sharp raily during the final hour. Sales of cash wheat here were reported at 50,000 hushels.

A sensational increase in the world's viable amply, amounting to 17,250,000 hushels, as outlined in Bradstreet's weekly statement was the principal beariah factor, but it had little effect on the market. The range of the December delivery for the day was between 96% and \$1.01%. The market closed strong at almost the top, final figures on December being \$1.01.

Liberal local receipts and continued favorable weather for the maturing of the new crop caused slight weakness in the Sorr, market sally in the session, but later it became firmer. The market closed firm at almost the top, final quotations showing net gains of 14.6 % \$20.

Onto were weak. At the close, prices were 15.6 % to 15 c above vestenday's final figures.

Provisions were weak. Prices at the close were 5@15c lower. WHEAT. Dec. ... \$1.89 May ... 1.03% High. Low. Close \$1.014 \$.05% \$1.01 1.02 CORN. .59 14 .57 % .60 % -54% -59% OATS. 0ATS. 184 88 84 414 414 MESS PORK. LARD. SHORT RIBS:

Flour, barrels. 65,200 head.

Receipts Shipments.

45,200 27,200

Wheat bushels 170,800 53,300

Corn, bushels 45,300 118,800

Outs, hushels 295,000 416,700

Rye, bushels 6,000

Barter, bushels 233,000 44,300

Grain and Freduce at New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Receipts, 35.020
barrels; exports, 2366 barrels. Market firm,
with a fair trade in Springs.

Wheat—Receipts, 21.000 bushels; exports,
75.809 bushels. Sput market unsettled. No.
2 red, 3125 a saked, clovator and nominal
c. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 31.00%,
nominal L. o. b. afloat. Decided strength all
day, in face of considerable bear news, was
the wheat feature today. The buying was
influenced by reports of cholers in Aussia
and favorable Argentine news and strong
buils support at Chicago. The closs was
fac net higher. December closed \$1.08%;
May, \$1.00%.

Hops—Firm, Pacific Coast, 1909, crop.
246 256; 1908, 170 21c. Grain and Produce at New York. Hops—Firm, Pacific Coast, 1909, crop. Hides—Firm. Want.

Grain at San Francisco SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5 .- Wheat and arley, steady. Spot questations: Wheat—Shipping, \$1.65@170; milling, Barley—Feed, \$1.35@1.87%; brewing, \$1.37% @1.40.

S1.87 2 91.40.
Outs—Red. \$1.00 @ 1.70; white, \$1.55 @ 1.60; black., \$2.35 @ 2.70 saked.
Call-hoard sales;
Wheal-None.
Barley—May. \$1.444 bid; December, \$1.40. Corn-Large, yellow, \$1.70 ⊕ 1.75.

European Grain Markets LONDON, Oct. 5.—Cargoes quiet, but steady. Walla Walla for shipment, nomi-al. 378 6d. English country markets, steady; French untry markets, quiet.

Changes in Available Supplies.

NEW YORK, Oct 5.—Special cables and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreets show the following changes in available supplies, as compared with previous Total U. S. and Canada, increased. 5,965,000 Affort for and in Europe, increased. 11,400,000 S. and Canada, increased 700,000

Outs— U. S. and Canada, increased..... 1,750,000 GRAIN MARKETS OF THE NORTHWEST Milling Bluestem Advanced to 85 Cents at Lewiston.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Oct 5.—(Special.)—
Local grain quotations have not been
changed in the past ten days with the exception of choice milling bluestem, which
has been advanced to 85 cents by local
mill operators. The exporting grade remains
unchanged at 78 cents. Buyers report that
at least two-thirds of the crop of Anotin,
Nes Perce and idaho Jountles is still in the
hands of the farmers. The total production
of this section being placed at about 7,000.—
000 bushels.

The following prices prevail:

The following prices prevail: Wheat—Bluestem, 7sc; 40-fold Wheat—Bluestem, 75c; 40-fold, 75c; club 5c; Turkey red, 73c; red Russian, Tlo Cats—\$1.05. Barley-Feed, 92%c. SHATTLE, Oct. 5 .- No milling quotations.

Export wheat: Bluestem, 97c; club, 89c; red Russian, 87c. Receipts, wheat, 1 car; oats, 1 TACOMA, Oct. 5.—Wheat, chbice milling bluestern, 67@985ic; club and red Fife, 89c; Fed Russian, 87c.

Flaxseed at Minneapolis. Minneapolis, Oct. 5.-Flax, \$1.43%.

Dried Fruit at New York. Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Evaporated apples, firm, although quiet. Fancy, 10% 211c; choice, 869%; prime, 85 69%; common to fair, 6% 88%c.

Prunes ruled very firm, with the most destrable sizes scarce. California, 2% 27c for sizes up to 40.50s; Oregon, 69%c.

Apricota, strong, increased demand; surplus stock has been quite thoroughly cleaned up. Choice, 11911%c; extra choice, 11% 27 11%; Cancy, 12812%c.

Peaches were firm with choice quoted at 5% 35%c; exera choice, 5% 36c; fancy, 6% 26%c.

Rajsins were stronger, owing to unfavorable weather in California, leading to feare of curtaliment of yield Loose muscarle, 5% 344%c; choice to fancy, 50 6%c; seedless, 2% 35%c; London layers, \$1.20\$1.25.

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Stone, was totally destroyed by fire this Sione, was tolding described by morning, together with its contents. There is no insurance. Only an adverse wind and the rain saved the barn from the flames. The origin of the fire came from a defective flue.

GOOD AS HOOD RIVER FRUIT Buyer Gets Choice Lot of Apples

From Clackamas Fair. OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 5.—(Special.) The apples of Hood River are world The apples of Hood River are world beaters but they have no edge over those of Checkamas County. This fact is evidenced by the purchase of about 60 boxes of the finest apples of Checkamas County that were on exhibit last week at the third annual Clackamas County Fair. The purchaser is C. L. Rogers, a wellknown grower who has two hig fruit ranches at Hood River and who said the apples from Clackamus on exhibit com-

pared favorably with the choicest of Hood River.
The apples of A. J. Lewis, county fruit inspector; Robert S. Coe, president of the Clackamas County Horticultural So-ciety; C. W. Swallow and G. H. Wald-ron, were secured by Mr. Rogers, who shipped them to the Portland markets. The spectacle of a Hood River man buying Clackamas County apples is an un-usual one, and has spurred the local fruitraisers to further effort.

POLES IN SUICIDE PACT?

One Dead, Other in South Bend

Jail, Accused of Murder, SOUTH BEND, Wash., Oct. 5 .- (Spesouth BEND, Wash, Oct. 5.—(Special.)—A mysterious and bloody affair occurred at Raymond at about 9 o'clock last night, through which one man lies dead at Wilson's morgue, at Raymond, and another is in the County Jail at this place with a bullet wound in his head. Both men are Poles, and the wounded man states, through an interpreter, that there was a mutual agree ment to commit suicide, but that his own attempt failed. A -82-caliber revolver, with two empty chambers, which was found on the wounded man, has caused his arrest on suspicion of having fired both shots.

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Same to same, lots 7, S, block 61, Apricotal strong, increased demand; surplus stock has been quite thoroughly cleaned up. Choice, 1169114c; extra choice, 11462 inc.

Peaches were firm with choice quoted at 50 105c; extra choice, 5% 96c; fancy, 6% 86%c.

Rajeins were stronger, swing to unfavorable weather in California, leading to fears of cretaliment of yield boose muscails, 3% 34%c; choice to fancy, 596%c; seedless, 3% 95%c; London layers \$1.206.125.

Farmhouse Is Burned.

OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 5.—(Special.)

—The residence of Sheridan Lillie, who lives on the old Hackett claim near E. Stevens, lot 2, block 4, Field's

mark Sarchet and wife to Bessle Ruscoe, lots 22, 24, block 4. Arieta
Park, No. 3
G. Petry to Caroline Patry, 4 acres
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S. J. Lugg and husband to Edith J. Hurrows, commencing at SW corner of 9th and Brooklyn streets, thence west to Pent's addition, thence south 37 feet, thence east to west line of 9th street, thence north along said west line 57 feet to beginning flower E. J. Duvall and wife to Janetts Ott. lot 18, block 7, Firland Nristian Nelson to Michael Harber et al., lot 0, 70, block 2, Central Ablina addition. Albina addition
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undivided one-balf of lot 8, block
11. Terrace Park
Wm. J. Patton to Antone Moyer, commencing at corner of section 4, 8,
8, 9, township 1 south range 1

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