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London Wool Sales,

Dried Fruit at New York.

POLICE TESTS STARTED

pirants Being Conducted.

Fuel & Iron

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WHEAT SALE FORCED

Consignments to California Weaken Southern Market.

DEMAND OTHERWISE SLACK

Prices, and Values Throughout Country Are Held at Steady Level.

market that but for the refusal of farmers and other holders in the country to sell at going prices, the undertone of the market would be weak. By declining to put any supplies on the market, except at extreme figures, the growers are holding the level of values steady in this part of the country.

of values steady in this part of the country.

Japanese buyers are entirely out of the market so far as Portland is conserned.

Millers are picking up a lot here and there, but they are far from active on the buying side. This leaves California as the only outlet new for Northwestern wheat, and outlet new for Northwestern wheat, and the demand from that quarter is checked by the demand from that quarter is checked by some selling pressure. A quantity of unsold some selling pressure. A quantity of unsold wheat has been consigned to California and the constant of the some selling pressure. A quantity of unseld wheat has been consigned to California and pressed for sale, and this has demoralized the markets in the South. Until this consigned grain is absorbed, no improvement in

signed grain is absorbed, no improvement in a shipping way can be expected.

Reviewing the wheat situation from a international standpoint, Broomhall says:

The demaind for foreign wheat from the international standpoint, Broomhall says:

The demaind for foreign wheat from Weatern Europe is smaller than heavy of a minute wheat in the united States is exerting some influence on European buyers. On the other hand, the political situation appears less assured than last week, Latest returns show that the canaungtion of foreign wheat during January as the Autumn, and the work of the season, increased samply of naive wheat it the dorse the consumption of foreign wheat during January as the Autumn, and the consumption of foreign wheat during January as the Autumn, and the consumption of foreign wheat during January as the Autumn, and the consumption of foreign wheat during January as the Autumn, and the consumption of foreign wheat during January as the Autumn, and the consumption of foreign wheat during January as the Autumn, and the consumption of foreign wheat during January as the Autumn, and the consumption of foreign wheat of the season, increased samply of naive wheat. I think the Government report proves that the consumption in America this season has been thorat, A good authority reports that Canadian farm reserves are larger than many think of the season, increased samply of naive wheat, while some reports give the constraint of the season has been thorat, and the consumption of the season, increased samply of naive wheat, while some reports give the constraint of the season has been thorat, and the consumption of the season, increased samply of naive wheat, while some reports give the constraint of the season has been thorated as the consumption of the season, increased samply of naive wheat with the consumption of the constraint of the season in the consumption of the season has been thorated a shipping way can be expected.

Reviewing the wheat situation from an international standpoint, Broomhall says:

"The demand for foreign wheat from Western Europe is smaller than heretofore, as native wheat is being more fresly offered, and then the continued excellent crate;

able, but recent rain hindered sowing. Supplies of native wheat are fair.

France—The general crop outlook is considered favorable, but considerable reserving is necessary as a result of Winter kill-Weather seasonable.

Germany-There are no complaints, Supplies are liberal, notwithstanding large exports. Weather seasonable. Russia-Cron advices are of damage in

parts and arrivals for shipment continue light. The weather is mild.

ment to ports is light.

March 21, 1910		281,780
March 22 1909	87 076 000	80,000
March 22, 1909 March 23, 1908	. 29,115,000	*1,031,000
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Murch 26, 1906	47, 129, 000	57,000
March 27, 1905	.02810,000	*1,169,000
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Continent18,640,000	18,336,000	23,036.000
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ending		ending
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Frein Bushels, U. S., Can. 3,764,000	E.577,000	2,731,000
Argentina . 1,776,000	2,736,000	5,856,000
Australia 2,744,000	2:422.000	2.563,000
Tenn. morts 2.872.000	712,000	204,000
Russia 2,792,000	2,408,000	800,000
India 64,000	14,000	320,000
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Totals 14,012,000	11,879,000	12,474,000
World's shipments,	season to	date-
7	fotal since S	ame period
From	Intra. 'III. I	STREET, STANOR
U. S. and Canada 1	96,645,000	171,455,000
Armentine	28,723,000	72,404,000
Australia	43,490,000	30,120,000
Danubian points	43,364,000	43,245,000
Russia	14,524,000	79,482,000
India	25,596,000	44,193,000

Total.......452,842,000 440,681,000 MORE SOUTHERN PRODUCE ON MARKET

went through a consignment of California new polatices at the depot on a search for tuber moths. These pointees came from 3,050 4,05c; London, 1197x 6d. Spelter quiet at 3,250 5,30c; London, by the moth. There is no objection to in-Sanin Clara County, a section not infected by the moth. There is no objection to inspection, however, but what the receivers and opening of sonialners which leaves the produce in unmarketable condition. Ship-produce in unmarketable condition. Shi produce in unmarketable condition. Ship-pers at the other end have a right to be-lieve that their produce will be delivered state of the market in a satisfactory and saleship. on the market in a satisfactory and saleable

EGGS FIRMER, WITH BETTER DEMAND
City Creamery Butler Cleans Up Closely at Advance.

The week opened with a firmer Iceling in the egg market. There were no shipping orders so far as learned, but storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies off the market with the storage operators took good supplies of the storage operators to the storage o tors took good supplies off the market and there was an active demand for all the eggs

received. Sales were inade at 18% and 19 cents.

Poultry arrivals were limited and the demand was not important. Hens were quoted at 17 cents. Dressed meats were steady. City creamery butter was held firm at 29 C. \$4.05; H. \$4.10; I. \$4.15; K. \$4.20\cdots. M. \$4.20; K. \$4.20\cdots. M. \$5.80; N. \$5.70; W. G. \$5.90; WW, \$6.35.

Best Grades of Rice Firm Reporting on the condition of the rice

market, Dan Talmage writes: "The clearing skies have begotten a fur ther cheerful spirit and an improved in-quiry prevails. Stocks in hands of the trade are fairly asserted as to quality and prices Sharp Advance in Prices at old up strong on high-class parcels, though he medium or intermediate command fair ttention on account of favorable values. Taking the situation all round, the domestic raking the students are reconstructed as the state of attention in spife of the lower prices on foreign holdings due to the pressure of inferior qualities and the near arrivals of new crop of Siam and Java on a lower plane of cost. Japan is, without doubt, the most favorable offerings on the warket the quotations being offering on the market, the quotations being Holders in Northwest Refuse to ing it the best purchase over any other Prime Steers Sell at \$8.25 and

	Ba	nk Clea	rings.	
	ctearings were a		Northwest	ern citie
		- series	Clearings.	
Portland	******		\$3,000,570	\$457.57
Senttle .			2,422,877	235,25
Tacoma			793,358	144,60
Spokane			1.148,218	156,83

Staple Groceries.

s of native wheat are fair.

Salphin guotations:

Local jobbing quotations:

Salmon—Columbia River, one-pount rails, \$2.25 per dozen; half-pound flats, \$2.2

HONEY-Choice, \$2.5962.75 per case.
NUTS-Walnuts, 14620c per pound;
Brazil nuts, 20c; filberts, 14610c; almonds,
18622c; peanuts, 6684c; coccanuts, 11 per dazen; chestnuts, 85810c per pound;
pecans, 14615c. BBANS-Small white, 5%c; large white, 50c; Lima, 6%c; pink, 4%c; Mexican, 5%c; Roumania—The crop outlook is favorable and the weather Springlike. The moveowdered, in barrels, \$4.95, COFFEE—Roasted, in drums, 16@52c per

ment to ports is light.

Hungary—There are few, if any, complaints heard regarding the new crop. Reserves are very light and free buying of Roumanian and German wheat continues unabated. Beneficial rains have fallen.

Local receipts, in cars, were reported by the Merchants' Exchange as follows:

Wheat Barley Flour Oats Hay

Monday 31 3 38 3 26

Year ago 52 4 12

Sen'n to date 14.548 2195 2164 1426 2227

Year ago 15.006 1889 1741 1324 1635

The weekly wheat statistics of the Merchants' Exchange follow:

American visible supply—

March 16, 1914 50.284,000 885,000

March 17, 1613 62.234,000 885,000

March 18, 1912 54,280,000 *1,508,000 March 21, 1910 76,788,000 \$1,508,000 March 22, 1900 85,0000 \$1,508,000 To 14-pound, 18½ 619½c; 14 to 15-pound, 18½ 619½c; 1

HAMS-10 to 12-pound, 184,6104c; 12 to 14-pound, 184,6194c; 14 to 18-pound, 184,6194c; pienic, 13c;

COAL OIL-Barrels, 13%c; cases, 17%@

Hops, Wool and Hides. HOPS—1913 crop. prime and choice, 17@ 18c; 1914 contracts, 15c.

PELTS—Dry, 10c; dry chort wool, 7c; dry shearings, 10c; saited lights, 60@77c; saited heavy, 75@90c.

HIDES—Saited hides, 12%c per pound; sait kip, 13c; saited calf, 17c; green hides, 11%c; dry hides, 23c; dry calf, 25c; saited bulls, 8c per pound; green hulls, 7c.

WOOL—Valley, 14@18c; Eastern Oregon, 12% 17c.

MOHAIR-1913 cllp, 26@27c per pound. CASCARA BARK-Old and new, 5c per GRAIN BAGS-In car lots, Sc.

Asparagus and New Potatoes Are Lower,
Inspectors' Methods Complained Of.

The steamer yesterday brought two cars of oranges and a small assortment of Southern vegetables, Rail receipts included a car each of Southern California cabbage, lettince and sweet potatoes. The latter were in bad order.

Asparagus was cheaper at 3 cents for white and II cents for pyramid. New California potatoes were lower at 8 cents. No more Florida new potatoes will be brought to this market.

Front-street dealers are complaining of the manner in which some of the state inspectors are bandling shipments of produce brought to this city. An instance occurred yesterday when one of the inspectors went through a consignment of California new potatoes at the deput on a carried sale of the inspectors went through a consignment of California new potatoes at the deput on a carried sale of the inspectors went through a consignment of California new potatoes at the deput on a carried sale of the inspectors went through a consignment of California new potatoes at the deput on a carried sale of the sale of the inspectors went through a consignment of California new potatoes at the deput on a carried sale of the sale of the carried sale of the sale of the carried sale of the sale of the sale of the carried sale of the carried sale of the Coffee and Sagar.

Metal Markets.

Hops, Etc., at New York,

North Portland.

DECREASING Mex Central.... Mex Central... Mex

\$8.10-Swine 20 Cents Above

PORTIAND MARKET QUOTATIONS.

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0	hogs: Mike Byrne, Burmah, I car hogs;	
	Frank Jahley, Ten Davis, 1 car hogs; G.	Stocks at Boston,
R.		BOSTON, March 16 Closing quotations:
	Pilot Rock, 1 car sheep; First National Bank	Allouez 40 % Rutte & Superior 25%
2	of Caldwell, Montour, 1 car sheep; James	Amalg Copper., 73% Nevada Con, 15%
6	Renwick, Payette, 1 car sheep; H. M. Coon,	A Z L & Sm 18% Nipissing Mines, 4%
Nr.	Weiser, 2 cars sheep; Charles Adam, Par-	Arizona Com 5% North Butte 27%
	merston, 2 cars sheep; Freemont Livestock	Cal & Arizona. 67 % North Lake 15
-	Company, St. Anthony, 1 car cattle and	Cal & Hecia415 Old Dominion 49%
	calves: C. A. White, Pomeroy, 2 cars cat-	Centennial 16 % Osceola 78
	tle and hoge; Will Block, Dayton, 1 car	Cep Ran Con Co 37% Quincy 62
	cattle and hogs: Stewart & Bee, Payette, 1	E Butte Cop M. 11 & Shannon 6
	car cattle and bogs; Ward & Harrington,	Franklin 6% Superior 28%
	Caldwell, 1 car cattle, calves and hogs;	Granby Con 88 Sup & Bos Min., 25
T	McCully & Rumble, Joseph, 1 car hogs and	Greene Cananea, 26% Tamarack 39%
	4 cars sheep; Portland Feeder Company	Reyalle (Cop) 21 U S S R & M 40 Kerr Lake 4% do preferred 47% Lake Copper 8% Utah Con 10%
10	drove in 107 cattle.	Kerr Lake 4% do preferred 47%
100		Lake Copper 8% Utah Con 10%
*	The day's sales were as follows: Wt. Price. Wt. Price.	La Salle Copper 1% Utah Copper Co. 53%
	261 lambs . 68 \$6.40 2 calves . 445 \$6,60	Miami Copper 22 1/2 Winona 4
200	Hill owner 101 4 30 1 hell 1220 5 95	Mohawk 44 Wolverine 46
à.	12 lambs 99 6.07 3 bulls1600 6.00	
٠.	155 ewes 103 5,10 25 cows 1030 7,00	Money, Exchange, Etc.
	15 swes 90 4.25 100 hogs 205 8.85	NEW YORK, March 16Call money, firm,
	28 lambs 65 5.50 97 hogs 171 8.85	1% @2 per cent; ruling rate, 2 per cent; clos-
	236 lambs 62 6.00 103 hogs 166 8.80	ing bid, 1% #2 per cent.
	267 lambs 68 0.40 1 hog 200 7.80	Time loans, easier; 60 days, 2% @3 per
	T 100 mm 1070 H 750 F F 100 000 0 000	cent; 90 days, 3@3% per cent; six months,
	2 culves 305 800 72 hogs 181 880 26 stoers 1061 7.60 4 hogs 335 7.85	314 6334 per cent.
-	26 steers 1061 7.60 4 hogs 335 7.85	Mercantile paper, 4@4% per cent.
đ	T steers . 1003 7.451 89 hors 188 8 85	Sterling exchange, stendy; 60 days, \$4.8425;
•	9 cows 1063 6.55 100 hogs 182 8.85	demand, \$4.8625.
9	16 cows 1161 6.65 1 hog 360 7.85	Commercial bills, \$4.83%.
d	2 cows1040 5.90 50 steers1260 7.90	Bar silver, 58%c.
	18 Steers . 1000 (.40) 57 Steers . 1265 7.00	Mexican dollars, 45% c.
	S steers 1100 7.25 25 steers 1211 8.10	Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds,
	2 cows1145 7.00 25 steers1208 8.10	easy.
١,	2 bulls1695 6.00 29 steers .: 562 8.25	Common ways To be an
1	1 cow1220 5.75 6 steers 1082 7.35	LONDON, March 16.—Bar silver, stead,
	2 cows 1165 6.85 27 steers 1099 7.65	26 13-16d; money, 2@2% per cent; rate of discount for short bills, 2% per cent; do,
	1 stug 1390 7.00 1 steer 1080 6.50	discount for short bills, 2% per cent; do,
4	14 cows 1140 5.75 2 steers 1155 7.00	three months' bills, 2%@2% per cent.
	1 bull1260 5.50 23 steers 1160 7.50	SAN FRANCISCO, March 16 -Silver bars,
70	3 steers 930 7.45 26 steers 1154 7.75 1 steer 990 7.45 26 steers 1188 7.75	65%c.
u		Mexican dollars, 47c.
:	24 steers 910 7.45 27 steers 1094 7.75	
	10 steers 977 7.45 21 steers 1157 7.85 18 steers 914 7.45 2 steers 1035 7.25	Drafts, sight 2½c, telegraph 5c.
	18 steers . 914 7.45 2 steers . 1035 7.25 5 steers . 902 7.45 1 cow 1240 6.25	Sterling on Libndon, 60 days, \$4.8414;
1	5 steers	sight, \$4,86%.
	26 steers1265 7.75 1 cow1200 6.50	
8	36 steers . 1232 7.85(267 lambs . 68 6.46	SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET
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Ш	Current local quotations on the various	Prices Quoted at the Bay City on Fruits,
n.)	classes of livestock follow:	
d,	Prime steers	Vegetables, Etc.
	Medium stores 7000 700	SAN FRANCISCO, March 16.—Fruit—Pine-
•01	AND THE RESERVE AND ASSESSED FOR A STATE OF THE PARTY OF	apples Album The apples Newtown Dis-

r	5 steers 1902 7.45 1 cow1240 26 steers 1184 7.70 2 cows1120	6.25
	26 steers 1285 7.75 1 cow 1200	(1,50
	36 steers 1232 7.85/267 lambs 68 Current local quotations on the va	6.45
1	classes of livestock follow:	
3	Choice steers 7.30 g	7.50
	Medium steers 7,00% Choice cows	7.00
•	Helfers 6.00 g	
	Light calves \$.00 g	9.00
	Bulls 4.00 6	5.68
	Hogs-	
		8.55 7.85
	Sheep- Wethers	6.25 5.10
	Lambs 5.00 g	7.00
2	Omaha Livestock Market.	

o 14-pound, 184@194c; 14 to 19-pound, 851#194c; skinned, 18@19c; picnic, 13c; olled, 20c.
BACON—Fancy, 254#274c; standard, light, \$5,15#8.40; pigs, \$6,50@8.00; bulk of sales, \$8,35#8.50

DRY SALT CURED—Short clear backs, 3% 915c; experis, 159181c; strips, 169 74c.

LARD—Tierce basis: Pure, 124 9134c; onpound, 10c.

OHs.

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Chicago Livestock Market.

COAL OIL—Barrels, 13%c; cases, 17%@
20%c.
GASOLINE—Bulk, 16c; cases, 23c; motor spirit, bulk, 16c; cases, 23c; motor spirit, bulk, 16c; cases, 28c.
LINSEED OIL—Raw, barrels, 61c; boiled, barrels, 63c; raw, cases, 60c; boiled, cases, 68c.
TURPENTINE—In case, 68c per gallon: tanks, 61c.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

Call Calco, March 16.—Hogs—Receipts 40,000, market slow, 10c under yesterday's sverage; bulk \$5.70@\$5.80; light, \$5.60@\$5.80; mixed, \$8.55@\$5.85; heavy, \$8.40@\$5.85; mixed, \$8.55@\$5.85; heavy, \$8.40@\$5.85; mixed, \$8.55@\$5.85; heavy, \$8.40@\$5.80; cases, \$8.52@\$5.80; mixed, \$8.55@\$5.80; heavy, \$8.40@\$5.80; cases, \$8.52@\$5.80; mixed, \$8.55@\$5.80; heavy, \$8.40@\$5.80; heavy, \$8.40@\$5.80; heavy, \$8.40@\$5.80; heavy, \$8.50; heavy, \$8.50@\$5.80; heavy, \$8.50@\$5. ws and helfers, \$3.75@5.55; caives, \$7@

Sheep—Receipts 25,000, market firm, Native, \$4,80@6.30; Western, \$4,90@6.35; year-lings, \$5,80@7.00; lambs, native, \$6.80@7.80; Western, \$6.80@7.90,

LIQUIDATION BY EUROPE WEAK-ENS STOCK MARKET.

London Depressed by Uncertainty Over Home Rule Question-Time Money Rates Easier.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Europe sold stocks here today and the market sagged slowly. It was the attitude of foreign holders of stocks which was primarily responsible for the movement. Loudon was depressed by uncertainty over the home rule question. It was estimated that 30,000 shares were disposed of here on cabled orders.

shares were disposed of here on cabled orders.

At home sentiment was uncertain, Outside interest was still at low ebb. The close showed a majority of fractional losses.

Reports from the steel trade were less favorable. The domestic copper market showed no sinus of returning activity, but foreign copper statistics, reporting another decrease in supplies, indicated that the demand abroad was keeping up.

The increase in bank reserves shown in Saturday's statement was responsible for an easier tone in time money today. Rates for call losns, however, were held firmly.

Bonds were easy. Rock laiand collaterals were again under pressure. Total sales, \$2.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Я		100000	-52-00		Hosing
		Sales.	High.	Low.	Bitt
91	Am Beet Sugar.		10000	25342	21 1/2
	Am Can Co	1,100	20.56	29.5	29%
Я	o preferred		:D4.56	3833 SW	93.74
S.	Am Car & Fdy.			20%	
Ш	do preferred.	10000	****	0.000	117
E	Am Cotton Oil Am Smel & Ref.	2300	. LETTE:	4334	43
71	Am Smel & Ref.	800	68.76	68.3%	68.56
V.	do preferred Am Tel & Tel	15155	10271	22.224	110
٠,	Am Tel & Tel.	2,900	125.	322%	12215
М			249		240
п	Anaconda		200		3535
-7	Atl Coast Line.	200	12196	121%	121%
2	A T & Santa Fe		97	341%	96.75
	do ureferred		****		100%
	Balt & Ohlo			8834	88%
Я	Brook R Tran.	600	92	9139	
7.1	Brook R Tran. Canadian Pac.	4,000	200.50	204%	20534
				337.39	52%
2	C & C W	400	11.50		1154
ě.	CANW	22075	9934	45,550	134
- 3	CMEStP	3,800	300.54	9815	98%

Complaints of Dry Weather Lift Price of Wheat.

WINTER KILLING

Prospects of Week or More of Rain in Southwest Also Worry

The leading futures ranged as follows:	l
May \$.92 4 .93 5 .95 1 .93 4 July88 8 .88 .88 .88 .88 .88 .88 .88	
CORN. May	
May 39% 39% 39% 39% 39% 39%	
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May21.50 21.62% 21.50 21.62% July21.55 21.65 21.55 21.65	l
LARD.	ı
July 10.77 ½ 10.77 ½ 10.75 10.77 ½ July 10.95 10.97 ½ 10.92 ½ 10.97 ½	l
SHORT RIBS.	ľ
May 11.50 11.55 11.57% 11.52% 11.57% 11.57% 11.57% 11.57% 11.57% 11.57% 11.62%	
Wheat—No. 2 red, 944@95c; No. 3 red, 93g94c; No. 2 hard, 9246; No. 2 horthern, 94g954c; No. 3 Northern, 94g954c; No. 3 Northern, 92@94c; No. 2 Spring, 94g95c;	1
No. 3 Spring, 92@94c. Corp.No. 2, 86%@67%c; No. 2 yellow,	

European Grain Markets.

LONDON, March 16 .- Cargoes on passage, emand limited. English country markets quiet; French bunity markets steady.

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Call money, firm, 1% 672 per cent; ruling rate, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1% 62 per cent.

Time loans, easier; 60 days, 2% 63 per cent; 90 days, 363% per cent; six months, 3% 63% per cent.

Mercantile paper, 404% per cent.

Sterling exchange, steady; 60 days, \$4.8425; demand, \$4.8525.

Commercial bills, \$4.83%.

Bar silver, 58%c.

Mexican dollars, 45%c.

Government honds, steady; rallroad bonds, casy.

San Francisco Grain Market.

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San Francisco Grain March 16.—Spot quotations: Walla Walla, \$1.00 th; red Russian, \$1.58 th; floo; Turkey red, \$1.62 th; floo; Si.174 th; floo; floo; floo; floo; feed barley, \$1.174 th; floo; brewing barley, nominal; white oats, \$1.30 th; floo; barley, nominal; white oats, \$1.30 th; floo; LONDON, March 16.—Bar silver, stead, 28.13-16d; money, 28.2% per cent; rate of discount for short bills, 2% per cent; do, three months bills, 2% 2% per cent. SAN FRANCISCO, March 16 .- Silver bars,

Puget Sound Wheat Markets. SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET
SEATTLE, March 16.—Wheat—Bluestem,
98c; fortyfold, 80%c; club, 88%c; fife, 88%c;
red Russian, 87%c.
Yesterday's car receipts:
Wheat 3; corn 2; barley 4; hay 14; flour 12.

Prices Quoted at the Bay City on Fruits,

Vegetables, Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO March 16 — Fruit—Pineapples, \$1.50 @ 715; apples, Newtown Pippins, \$1.50 @ 21; Hoover, \$1.25 @ 1.50; No. 3,
\$00@\$41; Mexican limes, \$3.50 @ 6; California lemons, \$2 @ 3.50.

Potatoes — River Burbanks, \$00 @ \$1.25;
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Potatoes — River Burbanks, 300-\$1.25; Gregon Burbanks, 850-\$1.25; sweets, \$1.10 (81.85.) Vegotables — Cucumbers, hotheuse, \$1.60; Vegotables — Cucumbers, hotheuse, \$1.60; green pens, 365c; string beans, 10c; eggplant, nominal. Onions—Oregon, \$2.50. Butter — Pancy creamery, 22%c; seconds, 22c.

Eggs—Pancy rapch, 21c; store, 19c.
Cheese—New, P@16½c; Young Amercas, 15@19c.
Becelpts—Flour, 5459 quarier sacks; barcy, 3590 centals; potatoes, 2790 sacks; hay,
(42 tons.

From New Orleans and Galveston Up Pacific Coast.

London Wool Sales.

London Wool Sales were sold readily at steady prices.

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New Zealand, \$280 bales; scoured, is 3d@ Men concerned in maintaining the fleet from Portland are of the opinion that for the first year it would be well greasy, 7% d@ 10 5 d. to confine the itinerary to the route selected, making ports from Ketchikan Chicago Dairy Produce.

CHICAGO, March 16 — Butter — Steady.
Creameries, 22@26%c.

Eggs—Lower. Receipts, 13,506 cases, at mark, cases included, 19@20%c; ordinary firsts, 19%@20c; firsts, 20%c.
Cheese—Steady. Daisles, 18%@18%c; twins, 16%@17%c; Americas, 18%@18%c; long horns, 17%@18c.

line may be started that will comprise a fleet to run from New Orleans, Gal-

Physical Examination of 357 As- DRAMA LEAGUE TO MEET Henry MacMahon Will Talk on Mac-

Three hundred and fifty-seven who aspire to become policemen took part in the first of seven days examination aspire to become policemen took part in the first of seven days examination yesterday morning in the rooms of the Municipal Civil Service Board. The first day's work consisted of general tea's as to physique. These test will be under way probably until Thursday when the endurance tests will be started.

Each applicant will be required to run 100 yards in 15 seconds and will be required to meet other requirements. Sasurday an examination will be held

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Russia has II3 factorics for making non-phorpous matches.

"The Biue Bird" has had the indorsement of the league all over the country. It is possible that it will be definitely decided today to hold a meeting at the library, at which the play and the other work of its author, Maurice Macterlinck, will be explained by speakers who have made an intimate study thereof.

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LUNCHEON TO 150 DELEGATES.

NEWBERG, Or., March 16 .- (Special.) The county school institute held here Saturday was well attended. The exercises consisted of an address by S. S. Duncan, County Superintendent; a talk on "School Credits for Home Work," LIVERPOOL March 16.—Wheat—Spot. dull; futures, steady. March and July, 7s 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. May, is 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. March 16.—Wheat, 7s 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. May, is 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. May, is 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. March 16.—Wheat, No. 1 hard, 94\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. No. 1 Northern, 92\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. No. 2 Northern, 91\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. Solves, No. 2 Northern, 91\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. Barley, 43\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. Plax, 31.57\(\frac{1}{2}\)dc. Barley. Allowing a talk on "The Course of Study," by State Superintendent Churchilli, in which he gave an outline of his plan for the organization of the dills. of industrial clubs in all of the dis-tricts in the state.

Luncheon was served to 150 delegates

County Superintendent Duncan asked

for the hearty co-operation of pupils, students and parents in the organization of industrial clubs and in prepar ing for the county school fair to be

MITCHELL JURY DISAGREES Man Charged With Murder of George

. Morgan to Be Tried Again. After being out since Saturday, the

jury which heard the case against Ed-ward E. Mitchell, charged with the murder of George Morgan, was discharged yesterday by Circuit Judge Kavanangh, before whom the trial was held. It was reported that the jury stood nine to three for acquittal. Morgan was killed December 30, near the corner of Third and Burnside streets, being shot three times, and dy-

and Edward T. Mitchell.

After the jury had been discharged yesterday morning, Deputy District Attorney Collier, who took part in the prosecution of the case, said that the case would be tried again following the Luigi Farchi murder trial which will

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tricts in the state.

Luncheon was served to 150 Gelegates and speakers by the girls belonging to the domestic science class of the high school.

President Riley, of McMinnville College, and Dr. Calvin S. White, State Health Officer, were speakers at the afternoon session.

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