"Time was," said the Rev. C.

PIONEER MILLMAN OF WASHING-

TON IS DIABETES VICTIM.

Builder of First Grays Harbor Sawmill

and Early Lumberman of Gard-

ner, Or., Passes Suddenly.

No funeral arrangements will be

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Aug. 3.—Maximum temperature, \$1.8 degrees; minimum, \$3 degrees. River reading, \$ A. M., 7.4 feet; change in last 24 hours, 0.2 foot fail. Total rainfail, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0.01 inch; total rainfail since September 1, 1913, 28.91 inches; normal, 44.52 inches; deficiency, 5.61 inches. Total sunshine, \$ hours 2 minutes; possible, 14 hours 42 minutes; possible, 14 hours 42 minutes. Barometer (reduced to sea level) 5 P. M., 36.07 inches.

THE WEATHER.

STATIONS.

LOCAL DEALS SMALL

No Trading in Northwestern Wheat for Shipment.

PRICES ARE STILL NOMINAL

Business in Oats and Barley Markets Is Also Held Down-Valley Grain Hay Coming In Freely and Easier.

Only a small amount of local busin was under way in the grain market yester day. The wheat export situation shows no improvement, in fact was worse than ever, and shippers decline to predict when there may be a change for the better, or how it is to be brought about. The tleing-up of the Oriental trade has also closed any possible outlet in that direction. possible outlet in that direction.

Wheat prices are nominal. In some quar-ters club is quoted around 81 or 82 cents, and by other dealers at 84 cents. No conand by other dealers at 84 cents. No con-siderable quantity could be purchased at the lower figures and not much is wanted. The barley market is sluggish and weak. The export barley trade is in the same po-sition as the wheat trade. Prices of both feed and brewing are nominal. December barley was quoted 2 cents lower at 97 cents at San Francisco yesterday. The oats mar

Much grain hay from the Valley is being put on the market. Owing to the lack of warehouse room in the country, growers are forcing sale here at prices offered by dealng in about two weeks. Local receipts in cars were reported by the

Merchants' Exchange as follows: Wheat Barley Flour Outs Hay

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exporting World's shipments principal Week ending Aug. 1 Week

CANTALOUPES AND MELONS DECLINE Another Reduction in Local Prices-Peach Sales Heavy.

Increased arrivals of cantaloupes and watermelons and cheaper prices in the south resulted in lower quotations on Front street yesterday. California cantaloupes were quoted at \$181.35 a crate, and Oregons, which were very plentiful, were offered at \$0.876.

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The peach supply was large, but the demand was good and prices were steady. The best yellow California peaches were quoted at 60075c. A good deal of poor stock is coming from that state, which has to be repacked. Oregon cliug peaches sold at a range of 35 to 36 cents. The first Elbertas came from The Dalles and brought 56 cents. Bartlett pears were steady. Five gars of bannanas were searce and advanced to \$2 a box. Grapes were steady. Five gars of bannanas were received.

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RECEIPTS OF EGGS ARE FALLING OFF Poultry in Sufficient Supply and Weak-Dairy Produce Unchanged,

Egg receipts are again declining, and this should soon affect the market. At the this should soon affect the market. At the present time trade is slow and former prices are in force.

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Arrivals of poultry were not large yeserday, but were sufficient. Hens sold
1 134244 cents and springs were quoted
1 a wide range of 13 to 16 cents, according

Dressed meats were in small supply and prices were firm with an upward ten-

mand from the East.

The feeling is growing that because of the war, the future holds much in store for Oregon producers. Predictions are being made that record prices will prevail before the coming season is far along.

Sugar and Coffee Markets Excited,

The sugar and coffee markets are firm with prospects of material advances in the near future. The raw sugar market at New York was higher and excited yesterday, because of European importers of forts to buy Cuban raw. The coffee market was stimulated by the prospect of the stoppage of shipments from Brazil.

Bank Clearings of the Northwestern cities

yesterday were as follows:
Clearings Balances
Portland \$1,551,844 \$175,608
Seattle L949,670 207,389
Tacoma 318,877 55,711
Spokane 690,150 129,291

PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS. WHEAT-Truck prices: Club, 81@84c tominal; other grades nominal. MILLFEED — Bran. \$23@23.50 per ton; borts. \$26@26.50; middlings, \$31. OATS-No. 1 white, \$21; gray, \$20 per

FLOUR — Patents, \$4.30 per barrel; exports, \$3.50@2.65; vailey, \$4.50; graham, \$4.50; whole wheat, \$5.

BARLEY—Feed, \$19.50@20 per ton; brewing, \$21; rolled, \$21.50.

HAY—Old timothy, \$16.017; new-crop timothy, \$13.015; grain hay, \$5.010; alfulfa, \$11.012.

CORN—Whole, \$25; cracked, \$36 per ton.

Dairy and Country Produce.

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Local jobbins quotations:

EGGS—Fresh Oregon ranch, case count,

23 52 23 4c; candled, 25 62 26c per dozen,

FOULTRY—Hens, 13 4 614c; Springs, 15 4
618c; turkeys, 20c; dressed, choice, 22c;
ducks, 10 911c; geese, 10c,

BUTTER—Creamery prints, extras, 28 6
30c per pound; cubes, 24c,

CHEESE—Oregon triplets, jobbers' buying
price, 15c per pound f. o. b. dock Portland;

Young America, 15 4c per pound.

PORK—Block, 12c per pound.

VEAL—Fancy, 14 614 4c per pound.

segplant, 15c per pound; peppers, 76 Sc per pound; radishes, 15 \$17 \(\) c per dozen; head lettuce, \$1.75 per crate; artichokes, \$1 per dozen; tomatoes, 70 \$75c per crate; cabbage, 14 \$2c per pound; peas, 5 \$6 per pound; beans, 4 \$6c per pound; cora, \$1 per crate; celery, 35 \$75c per dozen; \$1 per crate; celery, 35 \$75c per dozen.

per dozen.

ONIONS—Walla Wolla, \$1.50 per sack.
GREEN FRUITS—Apples, old, \$10,150
box; new, 75c0\$2 per box; apricots, \$10
L15 per box; cantaloupes, 50c0\$1.25 per
crate; peaches, 25075c per box; plums, 50c
\$31; watermelons, 80c0\$1.10 per hundred
pounds; casabas, \$2.50 per dozen; pears, \$1
B2 per box; blackberries, 75c0\$1 per crate;
grapes, \$1.75\$1.85 per crate.

POTATOES—Oregon, new, 101%c per lb.

Staple Groceries. Local jobbing quotations:

SALMON — Columbia River one-pound
talls, \$2.25 per dozen; half-pound flats
\$1.40; one-pound flats, \$2.45; Alaska pink
one-pound talls, \$5c; silversides, one-pound

one-pound talls, 55c; sliveraides, one-pound talls, \$1.25.

HONEY—Choice, \$3.50@2.75 per case.

NUTS — Wainuts, 14@10c per pound;
Brazil anus, 70c; filberts, 14@15c; almonds, 13@28c; peanuts, 505 c; coccanuts, \$1 per dezen, chestnuts, 84@10c per pound; percans, 14@15c.

BEANS—Small white, 64c; large whits, 54c; Lima, 8c; pink, 5.15c; Mexican, 7a; bayou, 5c.

COFFEE—Roasted, in drums, 10@52c per pound. SUGAR-Fruit and berry, \$5.05; beet, \$4.85; extra C, \$4.55; powdered, in barrels, \$5.20.

14.85; extra C, \$4.55; powdered, in barrela, \$5.20.

SALT—Granulated, \$15.50 per ton; half-ground, 100s, \$10.75 per ton; 50s, \$11.50 per ton, dairy, \$14 per ton.

RICE—No. 1 Japan, 44.65c; Southern head, 64.67%; island, 5655%c.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 10% \$211c per pound; apricots, 16% \$23c; peaches, 88211c; prunes, italians, 10%12%c; currants, \$4%c; raisins, loose Muscatel, 6% \$7%c, bleached Thompson, 11%c; unbleached Suitanss, 8c; seeded, 9c; dates, Persian, 767%c per pound; fard, \$1.40 per box.

FIGS—Packages, 8-ox, 50 to box, \$1.85 package; 10-ox, 12 to box, 80c; white, 25-ib, box, \$1.75; black, 25-ib, box, \$1.75; black, 25-ib, box, \$1.75; black, 25-ib, box, \$1.75; black, 25-ib, box, \$1.85; Calarab candy figs, 20-ib, box, \$3. Smyrna, per pox, \$1.50.

Hops, Wool. Hides, Etc.

HOPS-1913 crop, nominal; 1914 contracts, was also inactive.

In grain hay from the Valley is being sen the market. Owing to the lack of house room in the country, growers are ig sale here at prices offered by deal-Eastern Oregon timothy will begin in about two weeks.

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In all receipts in cars were reperted by the parts' Exchange as follows:

WOOL—Valley, 18 4 20 4c; Eastern Oregon belows:

gon, 16@20%c.

MOHAIR—1914 clip, 27%c per pound.
FISH—Salmon, 9@10%c: hallbut, 5%g
6c: perch, 7c; smelt, 8c; black cod, 7c; CASCARA BARK-Old and new, 440 per grain BAGS-In car lots, 8@5%c.

HAMS — 10 to 12-pound, 194 @204c; 11 to 14-pound, 194 @204c; 14 to 18-pound, 184 @204c; 16 to 18-pound, 184 @20c; plenic, 12a, HACON—Fancy, 28@30c; standard, 224 DRY SALT CURED-Short clear backs, 13 % 016 %c; exports, 14 \$ 18c; plates, 11 0

LARD-Tierce basis. Pure, 12@13c; com-pound, 9%c. KEROSENE — Water white, drums, barrels or tank wagon, 10c; special, drums or barrels, 12½c; cases, 17½ © 20½c.
GASOLINE—Bulk, 15c; cases, 22½c. Engine distillate, drums, 7½c; cases, 14½c; napths, drums, 14½c; cases, 21½c.
LINSEED OIL—Raw, barrels, 72c; bolled, barrels, 74c; raw, cases, 77c; bolled, cases, 79c.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET QUIET. Demand for Time Loans Is Below Normal. Commercial Paper Steady.

Commercial Paper Steady.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The money market of New York, the infailible index to financial conditions, was quiet today. Owing to the suspension of the stock exchange there was no market for call loans. The demand for time money was below normal. The slackness of demand was regarded as a reassuring indication.

One of the largest banks in the street made loans for all dates at 5 per cent. In no quarter was there an urgent demand for meney, such as might be expected in case the financial market was undergoing a severe strain. Commercial paper was quoted at 5 per cent for all dates.

Brokers who had loans maturing today paid off their indebtedness instead of arranging for genewals, as is customarily the case when business is proceeding normally in the street. 10,127,000

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Owing to the European war situation, the board of managers of the New York Coffee Exchange today decided to close the futures market indefinitely and to give 24 hours' notice before reopening for business.

The local spot market was firmer on a more active demiand from the interior, and a withdrawal of offerings by holders of the local stock, who were influenced by uncertainty with references to replacing by shipments from Brazil, owing to the war risks. Rio No. 7 wnd quoted at 8% c and Santos & at 12% c. Rio and Santos mominal. Brazilian port receipts, 55,000 bags; Jundiahy, 48,000 bags.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 3.—Turpentine—
No changes were reported in the butter or cheese markets.

Hop Trade at Standstill.

All trade in the hop market has come to a stop. Export business at this time is out of the question and there is no de
ward Stores.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 3.—Turpentine—
Nominal, 45½c; no sales; receipts, 544 barrels.

Rosin—Nominal; no sales; receipts 1203 pounds; shipments, 2015 pounds; stocks, 112,419 pounds. Quote: AB, \$3.50; CD, \$3.27½; EFGHI, \$3.55; K, \$4.15; M, \$4.50; N, \$6; WG, \$6.25; WW, \$6.35.

Gold Exports to Europe Cease, Gold Exports to Europe Cease.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The enormous outflow of gold from the United States to
Europe, one of the principal causes of the
present strained financial situation, appeared today to have come to an end.

The outflow to Canada, however, continued. Another engagement of \$1,000,000
was made today for the Dominion, bringing up the total since the middle of last
week to about \$6,000,000.

Flax Trading Suspended. DULUTH, Aug. 3.—September flax de-chined 15 cents to \$1.54; October declined 15 cents to \$1.55, and November 10 cents to \$1.62 in the first 10 minutes on the Duluth Board of Trade today. The Clearing-House then suspended all trading on flax until further orders.

Hops, Etc., at New York. NEW YORK, Aug. 2 — Hops steady. Common to choice, 1913, 30@87c; 1912, 12@15c; Pacific Coast, 1913, 15@17c; 1912, 12@15c. Hides steady. Rogota, 28½@29½c; Central America, 28½c.
Wool firm.

Chicago Dairy Produce. CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Butter—Creamery ex-tras, 20 % @ 30c; firsts, 25 @ 25 %c. Eggs-Fresh gathered, extras, 26@28c; extra firsts, 24%@25c; firsts, 22%@24c; seconds, 20@22c.

Dried Fruits at New York. NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Evaporated apples quiet. Fancy, 11% #12%c; choice, 10% #11c; prime, 9% #18c.
Prumes, unsettled. California, 3% #11%c; Oregons, 10#12c.

Money Markets, NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Mercantile paper, SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3 .- No quotations market.

White Salmon Taxpayers Organize. White Salmon Taxpayers Organize.

CHESSE—Oregon triplets, jobbers' buying price, 15c per pound f. o. b. dock Portland;

Young America, 15the per pound.

PORK—Block, 12c per pound.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Local jobbing quotations:

TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, \$1.75@3

per box; lemons, \$5.50@7 per box; bananas, 404the per pound; grapefruit, California, \$2.75@3.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, 75c par make;

PRICES NOT MAINTAINED

Hogs Are Steady at Nine-Cent Level. Sheep and Lambs Sell Readily at Former Good Quotations.

The jun of stock over Sunday was one of the largest the North Portland yards as ever had, amounting to 101 cars, attle receipts were unusually heavy, and a result the market eased off from last result the method of the stock's high level, but the weakness is clieved to be only temporary, and it is hought former prices may be restored in few days. Other lines were steady. The bulk of the selling was in the cattle included the best price realized was \$7.50, he bulk of asies were at \$7 to \$7.35, sutcher cattle sold at about the former inge.

The bulk of sales were at \$7 to \$7.30.5 Butcher cattle sold at about the former range.

The hog market was in steady shape, in spite of the demoralization East. Nine cents was the ruling prices.

The tendency in the sheep division was firmer. Lambs brought \$6, the best ewes sold at \$4.25 and wethers at \$4.75.

Receipts were 2104 cattle, 103 calves, \$72 hogs and 2016 sheep. Among the shippers were: With cattle—Summer & McCullough. Lostine, 7 cars, H. Crum. Redmond, 10 cars; J. E. Connolly, 1 car; D. J. French, Heppner, 4 cars; James Brosman, Heppner, 2 cars; J. McKay, Condon, 3 cars; Ed Taylor, Shaniko, 2 cars; K. M. P., Joseph, 3 cars; J. W. Chandler, Eligin, 3 cars; Ed Taylor, Shaniko, 2 cars; C. W. Blackwell, Weiser, 4 cars; Walla Walla Meat & Cold Storage Company, Baker, 2 cars; O. M. Stone, 1 car; J. D. Walters, Prescott, 1 car; G. A. Wright, Estacada, 1 car; Rugg Bros, Hillsboro, 1 car; F. Hilbert, Pilot Rock, 5 cars; F. W. Williamson, Junction City, 1 car; George Kohlagen, Roseburg, 1 car.

With hogs—J. B. Jones, Tillamook, 1 car; SEATTLE, Wash, Aug. 3.—(Special.)

—George H. Emerson, of Hoquiam, a pioneer lumberman of, Washington, died at Providence hospital yesterday afternoon of diabetes. He was 70 years old. His wife and son-in-law, Frank H. Lamb, were at his bedside when he died.

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With hogs—J. B. Jones, Tiliamsok, 1 car; J. L. Dodson, North Powder, 1 car; Charles White, I car; J. D. Dinsmore, Harrisburg, I car; J. S. Fiint, Harrisburg, 3 cars.

With sheep—D. C. Ketcham, The Dalles, 1 car; S. G. Ryan, Estacada, 3 cars; I. Williamson, Pendleton, I car; H. Delaney, Delaney, Wash, I car.

With mixed loads—W. W. Smith, Corvalle, 1 car calves, hogs and sheep: G. E. Warner, Lebason, I car cattle and calves; L. Wade, 2 cars cattle and caives; E. E. Williamson, Pendleton, I car cattle and calves; L. Wade, 2 cars cattle and caives; E. E. Williamson, T. W. Higginbotham, Echo, I car cattle and calves; J. A. Guterion, 1 st. hogs, 34 cattle and calves, Driven in, 182 hogs, 34 cattle and 10 calves, J. S. Flint, Junction City, 3 cars hogs and sheep.

The day's sales were as follows.

Wt. Price

30 caives. 248 825; 24 steers. 1203 7.50; 1 cows. 1057 5.85; 25 steers. 1203 7.50; 1 cows. 1060 7.25; 7 steers. 1223 7.50; 1 cows. 1060 7.25; 7 steers. 1223 7.50; 1 steers. 1082 7.25; 2 steers. 1220 7.25; 2 steers. 1223 7.50; 2 steers. 1224 7.50; 2 steers. 1225 7.50; 3 steers. 1226 7.50; 3 steer

death.

rs. 1183 7.25 21 steers. 1000 rs. 1204 7.25 6 calves. 345 drs. 1140 7.25 162 ewes. 20 drs. 1141 7.25 162 ewes. 20 drs. 1141 7.25 162 ewes. 20 drs. 1141 7.30 232 1ambs. 95 drs. 1151 7.30 232 1ambs. 70 ers. 1123 7.50 77 1ambs. 70 ers. 1126 7.55 82 wethers. 98 ers. 1050 6.35 82 hogs. 192 ers. 1150 7.00 90 hogs. 153 er. 1250 7.00 90 hogs. 154 er. 1250 7.00 90 hogs. 154 er. 1250 7.00 90 hogs. 181 er. 1250 8.25 90 hogs. 191 er. 1250 90 hogs. 19

Omaha Livestock Market.

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SOUTH OMAHA Neb., Aug. 3.—Hors—
Receipta, 2500: market, lower, Heavy, \$7,70 gs
5,50; light, \$7,80 gs, 80; pigs, \$7,50 gs, 90;
Cattle—Receipts, 5500; market, lower, Native steers, \$7,50 gs, 9,75; cows and heifers, \$6,97,75; Westorn steers, \$6,50 gs, 75; Texas steers, \$46,97,83; cows and heifers, \$5,55 gs, 25,60 gs, 25,75; lambs, \$7,50 gs, 10,50;
Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; market, steady, Yearlings, \$5,50 gs, 6,15; wethers, \$5,25 gs, 75; lambs, \$7,25 gs, 15.

Chiengo Livestock Market. CHICAGO. Aug. 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 33,-000; market, dull. Bulk of sales, \$8.25 @ 8.65; light, \$8.40 @8.00; mixed, \$8.10@8.80; heavy, \$8@8.70; rough, \$8@8.10; pigs, \$7.25 heavy, \$5@8.70; rough, \$8@8.10; pigs, \$7.25 @8.80. Cuttle—Receipts, 13,000; market, steady Beaves, \$7.15@10; steamers, \$6.40@8.40; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@8.00; cows and helfers, \$3.75@9.10; caives, \$7.50@11.25. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; market, strong. Sheep, \$5.15@3.00; yearlings, \$5.60@6.50; lambs, \$5@8.25.

Elgin Butter Market, ELGIN, Aug. 3.—Butter, 28c.

WAR LAID TO INFIDELITY Ministers, at Meeting, Place Blame

for European Conflict.

A wave of infidelity that has swept over the civilized world in the last 25 years was held to be the cause of the present conflict i: Europe by the Rev. S. R. Hawkins, at the assembly of the Federation of Ministers of Portof the Federation of Ministers of Port-land at the Y. M. C. A. to supplicate the Almighty that war between the nations may be stopped and further bloodshed prevented.

"In their efforts to explain the con-

ditions that brought about the pres-ent conflict in Europe," declared Mr. Hawkins, "preachers and Christian people should not forget that for 25 years there has been sweeping over Europe and Asia a wave of infidelity.
"Men holding high places in the

storms.

THEODORE F. DRAKE,

church pulpits and men holding pro-fessorships in college are taking the lead in undemining the faith of men lead in undemining the in God and His teachings.
"Brothers, this calamity can be released in fidelity. Such

has been the history of nations, but after the conflict will come a luil and Provision Prices Pulled Down the abounding faith in God will re-turn and His word will be honored in Chicago Market. "Infidelity, skepticism and unbelief will be swept aside and the Bible will stand as the word of God, undis-

Cline, "when war was indispensable, but I cannot see any necessity of war HEAVY DECLINES

in Europe at the present time. What will be the gain? Humanity or progress do not cut any particular figure ress do not cut any particular naure in the present conflict. It will only mean a shifting of temporal power to satisfy jealousies, family quarrels, his-toric ambitions and historic royalties of the people of the old countries. "Our only refuge is in prayer." Wheat Weakened by Absence of Foreign Trade and Prevention of Railroad Strike-Slump in September Corn.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—War developments pulled provision prices down almost as hard today as wheat had been rushed up temporarily on account of the excitement over the first outbreakw of hostilities. Loss in value of provisions at the end of trading today ran from 57 he to \$1.75, as compared with Saturday night. Stoppage of lard exports to Europe was immediately responsible, coupled with the tightening of finances. Corn fell with provisions, the September delivery closing \$\frac{3}{2}\text{is} \text{ down. Other options of corn dropped only \$\frac{1}{2}\text{ to \$1\text{ to \$1\$}\text{ co. Wheat declined \$\frac{1}{2}\text{ to \$1\text{ to ent, and oats \$\frac{1}{2}\text{ to \$1\$}\text{ co. Wheat prices tended downward. Absence of any immediate foreign demand was largely responsible. The opening, which runged from \$\frac{1}{2}\text{ declined to \$\frac{1}{2}\text{ cadvance, was followed by a general setback of ic to \$1\frac{1}{2}\text{ cand then by a raily, which was in some cases complete. Renewed bearishness developed as a result of announcements that there would be no railroad strike interfering with the movement of wheat. The September option became decidedly heavy because of elevator owners instituting a full carrying charge difference compared with more deterred deliveries. The market closed steady.

Corn traders paid but little attention to

Mr. Emerson had been a resident of this state since 1881 and was one of Washington's leading lumbermen and Corn traders paid but little attention to war news. The chief influence was the lack of rain in some of the most important producing sections of the domestic belt. After starting we to we higher the market scored further gains. News that the threat-ened railroad strike would be arbitrated led to a material reaction. Afterward there was a more serious break, in sympathy with the weakness of provisions, the May option failing more than 3c. The close was nervous.

failing more than ac. The close your, Liberal selling at times oh the part of elevator houses weakened the oats market. Otherwise trade was light.

Provisions in general and notably lard were depressed. Shutting down of foreign call for lard owing to the stoppage of ocean sailings brought about stop loss selling here. The drop in prices for lard nearly equaled a cent a pound. Setbacks in prices for pork and ribs were unusual, but not so severe. Leading futures closed as follows:

this state since 1881 and was one of Washington's leading lumbermen and business men.

Mr. Emerson built the first commercial sawmill on Grays Harbor and laid out the townsite of Hoquiam.

He was born in Chester, N. H. At the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted with the Massachusetts volunteers and saw active service. He crossed the plains with an ox' team to San Francisco after the war. Later he returned to bring his wife to the Pacific Coast and they went to San Francisco by way of the Nicaraugua isthmus. He saw his first experience in the lumber industry when he went to Gardner, Or., to superintend the construction of a sawmill, and in 1881 went to Grays Harbor to build a mill there for the Northwestern Lumber Company.

Mr. Emerson was a prominent leader of the Republican party for many years in the Grays Harbor country, but never held public office.

Mr. Emerson went to the Providence hospital Wednesday suffering from an illness thought to have been brought about following the extraction of a tooth. His gum refused to heal and his ear was affected. This was found to be the result of diabetes, which attacked him suddenly and caused his death.

No funeral arrangements will be WHEAT. Open. High.
Sept. ...\$.874 \$.88
Dec.91½ .92
May97½ .97% CORN. Sept.7116 Dec.6114 OATS.

39 14 MESS PORK. 18.45 Sept.19.75 20.00 LARD. Sept. 9.47 9.55 Oct. 9.27 9.80 SHORT RIBS. Sept.11.77 11.85 11.82 Oct.11.50 11.30 10.75 Puget Sound Wheat Market.

made until word is received from Ralph D. Emerson, a son, who is tour-ing Oregon in an automobile. Memo-rial exercises will be held by Hoquiam Elks, of which lodge Mr. Emerson was TACOMA, Aug. 3.—Wheat—Bluestem, 88c fortyfold, 84c; club, 83c; Fife, 82c. Car receipts—Wheat 24, oats 1, hay 10. Elks, of which lodge sir. Ellies a member. Interment will take place in the family plot in San Francisco.

Besides a son and wife he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Alice E. Lamb, wife of Frank H. Lamb, of Hoquiam. BEATTLE, August 3.—Wheat, September and October delivery quotations: Bluestem, Soc; fortyfold, 84c; club, 83c; Fife, 81c; red Russian, 78c.
Yestorday's car receipts—Wheat 2, oats 3, barley 9, hay 6, flour 11. LIVESTOCK BOARD MEETS

San Francisco Grain Market, Arrangements Being Made for December Show at Lewiston.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Aug. 3.—(Special.)—The executive board of the Northwest Livestock Association held a meeting here Saturday to perfect organization for the exhibition to be held in December.

"The agricultural colleges of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana will be represented by show herds and the student judging teams of these institutions will also be here to contest for the prize offered for such justine, \$250.

San Francisco Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 3.—Spot quotations: Walla Walla, \$1.50@1.50%; red Rustions: Walla Walla, \$1.50@1.50%; Turkey red, \$1.55@1.50%; red Rustions: Walla Walla, \$1.50@1.50%; red Rustions: \$1.50@1.50%; red

student judging teams of these in-stitutions will also be here to contest for the prize offered for such institu-tions," said President Flood. "The offspring of the pure-bred animals sold at the first show con-BOLT DESTROYS HOUSE ducted here will be brought back this year as exhibits and we will have many new exhibitors in addition."

> First Rain in 40 Days Falls During Electrical Storm That Sweeps Northwest of Eugene.

> GHASS AND BRUSH FIRES SET IN

LANE COUNTY BY LIGHTNING.

EUGENE, Or., Aug. 3 .- (Special.) A farmhouse was destroyed, grass and brush fires were set, and fuses and electric light bulbs were blown out in the western part of the city by a severe electrical storm which swept over Lane County between 2 and 4 o'clock this morning. The center of o'clock this morning. The center of the disturbance seemed to be near the city limits, northwest of Eugene. The first rain in 40 days fell, but is was so slight as to be of practically no benefit to the crops. In the foothills it was heavier and settled the dust in the roads and tended to settle the smoke which has handicapped the for-

smoke which has handicapped the forestry lookout guards.

A bolt of lightning splintered a telephone pole, followed the wires into
the farmhouse owned by Albert Needham, a dairyman living half a mile
northwest of the city. The wires entered the house over a window, and
the window casement was aut out of
the side of the house as though
done with a carpenter's saw and
hurled across a 18-foot room. Fire
seemed to strat all through the house
between the walls.

The occupants of the house made an
effort to fight the fire but found their
work futile and directed their efforts
to saving the contents of the house. to saving the contents of the house. The house was destroyed. The loss was about \$1900, on which there was

FIRES RAGING NEAR BAKER Burnt River and Elk Horn Mountain Sections Ablaze.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

An area of high pressure is spreading inland over the North Pacific Slope. Moderate depressions are central over Arizona and Alberta respectively. East of the Rocky Mountains barometric gradients are elight. Showers have occurred in the Lower Willamette Valley, Eastern Oregon, Southwestern Idaho, Southwestern Montana, Northern Utah, Colorado, New Mexico, Texas, the Lower Mississippi Valley and Atlantic States; the rainfall was heavy in Tennessee and accompanied thunder storms. Thunder storms also were reported from Baker, Bolse, Pocatello, Helena, Modena, Durango, Roswell, Oklahoma and Jacksonville. The weather is cooler in interior portions of the Pacific Slope, Idaho, Southwestern Montana, Southwestern Colorado, New Mexico, the Gulf and Atlantic States, Lower Mississippi and Ohio valleys; it is warmer on the North-California coast, Southwestern Utah, Northern Colorado, Middle and Northern Plains States and Minnesota; elsewhere temperature changes are unimportant.

The conditions are favorable for generally fair weather Tuesday in Oregon and Washington and for showers and tunder storms in Idaho. Temperature changes will be unimportant.

FORECASTS.

Portland and vicinity—Tuesday fair; BAKER, Or., Aug. 3 .- (Special.)-Forest fires are reported today from the Burnt River section and from the Elk Horn Mountains, to the west of Baker. Forest Supervisor Palmer is out with a force of men fighting the flames, which have not gained much

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Dry weather for a full month has Dry weather for a full month has increased the danger of the fires getting beyond control. There was a heavy electrical storm this afternoon, but it carried with it only a limited amount of rain and it is not believed there was enough rain to act as a check to the flames.

> -Arthur Tomlinson, a City Engineer of National reputation, says:

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AUSTRALIA In the Elk Horns the fire is eating into valuable green timber, but in the Burnt River section nothing except second-growth and small trees are endangered at present.

No reports have been received of any farmhouses being destroyed, although several ranches are in the district in which the fires are burning.

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