FOOD PRICES STAND: ADVANCE EXPECTED

Abundance of Summer Produce Keeps Buyers From Feeling Any Pinch Yet.

FLOUR ON UPWARD GRADE

Authorities on Commodities Predict That Unless War Is Ended Soon Cost of Necessities Will Be Higher Than for Years.

Food prices in Portland have been almost stationary for the past two weeks, but dealers believe the upward tendency in several commodity lines will be resumed if the war is pro-There are indications that sugar prices will be raised in the near future. At the close of last week there was a sharp advance in the Eastern sugar markets, and it is likely the Coast markets will respond to the movement in the next day or two.

Flour prices also are tending upward, wheat is strong and advancing in all the world's markets. Beans, canned salmon and some other staple groceries are strong because of a smaller output, but the main lines of groceries, outside of imported goods, are not expected to sell higher this year.

The livestock market, in general, is steady. This is particularly the case with cattle, as the market is at the point of mid-season change, when trade is always more or less checked. The Fall run of "fed" beef has not commenced yet, and dealers consider this just as well, as the retail meat demand is not brisk. At the Portland stock, yards hog prices are fluctuating, with no great change either way, and sheep more are firm.

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Farm produce, for the most part, is considered cheap. Fruit is abundant and nearly all vegetables are plentiful except potatoes, the crop of which has

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Since the war began there has been a material advance in butter and egg prices, usual at this season of the year, but there will be large importations of Chinese eggs and New Zealand butter soon, and it is expected this will prevent the markets from advancing.

Prices current in the local wholesale market on the day war was declared market on the day war was declared by Austria compare with prices now as follows:

Ale: Committee	July 28.	Sept. 7.	Increase.
Sugar	\$5.05	\$7.00	\$2.50
Flour	4.80	5.40	.00
Hams	201	2 27 10	.02 1/2
Bacon		14	01
Lard		45	40%
Butter		54	07
Eggs	10	1734	.0144
		14.7	•.01
Putatoes		1.85	.10
Onions	1.50	1.10	*.40
Rice		4 .07%	*****
Beans		.075	.00%
Oranges	3.00	8,00	V2*22**
Lemons		8,00	1.50
Bananas	04	.04	*.40
Steers	1.50	0.00	200
	4.75	5.25	50
Sheep	0.00	6.00	
Lambs	**** 0.00	9.00	100000000000000000000000000000000000000
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Because of the cheapness of fruits and vegetables at this time, the advances in grocery prices are not noticed by many consumers. The cost of living will be more apparent later in the year, when Summer produce is ended soon, authorities on food prices believe that values of many of the principal commodities will go higher than known for many years past.

MEAT COMPANY IS HOST

| Isle, England, August 16. Mr. Hall describes the adventure as follows in his letter to his parents:

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Approximately 700 Take Part in Big Annual Event and Fine Prizes Are Offered in Sports.

Between 600 and 700 persons were entertained at the annual pionic of the Union Meat Company's employes held at Gladstone Park yesterday. Heavy showers of rain at occasional intervals failed to dampen the enthusiasm of the crowd and all the races scheduled were run.

Ten special cars left shortly after 3

Ten special cars left shortly after 3 o'clock, arriving at the grounds at 10:30. They conveyed employes of the meat company and their families. The day was devoted mainly to athletic events, many handsome prizes being contributed by Portland merchants. Coffee, sandwiches and ice cream were served by the company at noon. In the afternoon a baseball game between picked teams was a feature. The North

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lately. Signature

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Lindsley F. Hall Arrested in England as German Spy.

MOVEMENTS SEEN

Name of Companion, Walter Hauser Thought at First to Be Decisive Evidence Baedeker Maps Are Taken Seriously.

To be arrested under suspicion of witness of the great troop movements, probably of Russian soldiers, through England was the experience recently of Lindsley F. Hall, son of Robert E. Hall, of Portland, and his friend, Wal-

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"We walked on, and in front of a military camp of men and horses opened our Baedeker and searched for the way to go. After having satisfied ourselves, we turned again toward the river, and had just gone round a corner when we

mage in it? We were hustled to the contributed by the company at noon. In the afternoon a baseball game between pleked teams was a feature. The North Portland band played several selections.

The athletic events of the morning consisted of a 50-yard race for boys, a 50-yard race for part from a 50-yard race for boys, a 50-yard race for young a 50-yard wheelbarrow race for young a 50-yard wheelbarrow race for young sters, a married women's race, a fat men's race and a boys 50-yard race. In the afternoon were held a girls' 50-yard race, under 10 years, a sack race, free-for-all, an egg and spoon race for women, a shoe race for men and boys, a hoop-rolling race for women, a leapfrog race for boys, a nalldriving contest and a crab race.

In the afternoon a baseball game was played between the Portland City Office team and the North Portland men won, to 3. A prize of \$20 went to the winners, and \$10 to the losers. The day's events concluded with a tug-of-war between the same teams. The North Portland men won this.

The committees in charge were:
Executive—B. C. Darnail, chairman, G. F. Anderson, A. C. Black, W. W. Downard, J. E. Forestel, H. H. Young, Sports—W. W. Downard, chairman, G. F. Anderson, a C. Black, W. W. Downard, J. E. Forestel, H. H. Young, Sports—W. W. Downard, chairman, G. F. Anderson, A. C. Black, W. W. Downard, J. E. Forestel, H. H. Young, Sports—W. W. Downard, chairman, G. F. Anderson, A. C. Black, W. W. Downard, J. E. Forestel, H. H. Young, Sports—W. W. Downard, chairman, G. F. Anderson, A. R. Bohoskey, A. W. James, Judges—Ross W. Trullinger, chairman, A. R. Bohoskey, A. W. James, Judges—Ross W. Trullinger, chairman, A. R. Bohoskey, A. W. James, Judges—Ross W. Trullinger, chairman, Hals Steele, R. M. C. Whittaker, C. E. Travillion, Miss Neville, W. Wolth, and the control of the police officers reading my diary saw white and dancing—H. H. Young, chairman, Miss Steele, R. M. C. Whittaker, C. E. Travillion, Miss Neville, W. W. Smith.

Tickets—J. R. Saunders, chairman, The milling of the many man and

taker, C. E. Travillion, Miss Neville, W.
O. Smith.

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A. R. Webster, A. P. O'Hanley, B. Beaudoin, Fred Robinson.

Transportation—G. F. Anderson, C.
L. Brown.

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Grounds—A. P. O'Hanley, chairman;
B. A. Palmer, F. E. Peterson, W. A.

Refreshments—J. E. Forestel, chairman;
A. H. Lee, Lincoln Wheeler, Roy
Ketchum, C. J. Merrick, A. C. Black.

Publicity—A. C. Black, Roy Slocum.

"Safety First"—Dr. S. M. Strohecker.

"At Walter's return we both were

allowed to go. Walter thought it a pity that we were not handcuffed and thrown into a cell for a few minutes."

Although the censorship would prevent him from telling of the transportation of the Russian troops to France through England, the following sentience in his letter is thought by his father to refer to the big Russian troop movement that was on at about that time, in August:

"We left Winchester Saturday morning, August 15, 7:30, for Eastleigh. We waited an hour there for the Sallsbury train and while we were there five great trainloads of men, horses and supplies dashed by an electrical storm which passed over Portland and vicinity yesterday was lost sight of in the survey of the vast amount of good that it is declared will result from the rain that accompanied and preceded the electrical display, breaking a 74-day drouth. It is reported that the precipitation has been general in Oregon. Lighting temporarily put out of commission five streetears and aumerical time, in August 15, 7:30, for Eastleigh. We waited an hour there for the Sallsbury train and while we were there five great trainloads of men, horses and supplies dashed by an electrical storm which passed over Portland and vicinity yesterday was lost sight of in the survey of the vast amount of good that it is declared will result from the rain that accompanied and preceded the electrical display, breaking a 74-day drouth. It is reported that the precipitation has been general in Oregon. Lighting temporarily put out of commission five streetears and aumerical storm which passed over Portland and vicinity yesterday was lost sight of in the survey of the vast amount of good that it is declared will result from the rain that accompanied and preceded the electrical display, breaking a 74-day drouth. It is reported that the precipitation has been general in Oregon.

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PASTORS ARE ASSIGNED

Church Closes.

PULLMAN, Wash., Sept. 7 .- (Special.)-At its closing session today the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church announced the following pastoral appointments for the districts of Wenatchee, Coeur d'Alene,
Spokane, The Dalles and Walla Walla:
Wenatchee district—Amira, J. D. Lewel;
len; Brays, to be supplied; Bridgeport, E. C.
Corn; Clelan, C. W. Monson; Cashmers, J.
C. Harvey; Cheney, H. C. Kohr, Cocowallier,
W. W. Strite; Greenwood and Crescent to be supplied; Harritton and Mohler to be supplied; Harritton and Mohler to be supplied; Harritton, A. W. Luce; Loomis and Walnaut, M. A. Jefford, S. Leavenworth, C. A. Huff; Lind, P. C.
Money; Molson, supplied by G. C. Grabal, C. W. M. Martin, Nesplem, to be supplied; Oroville and Tonasket, S. A. H. Morton; Pateros, George E. James, Peshasten, F. L. Moore, Ritzville, C. W. W. Blaims; Riverside and Okanogan, J. O. Hawk; Rock Island, supplied by Fred Cooperi, Sprauga, H. H. Randell, C. W. W. Strite; Coeur d'Alene, W. H. Forsythet; Curiew and Danville, to be supplied; Calvilla, M. L. Purk, Cooper, Cour d'Alene, W. H. Forsythet; Curiew and Danville, to be supplied; Calvilla, M. L. Purk, Cooper, A. Roberts; Coeur d'Alene, W. H. Forsythet; Curiew and Danville, to be supplied; Calvilla, M. L. Purk, Cooper, A. Roberts; Coeur d'Alene, W. H. Forsythet; Curiew and Danville, to be supplied; Calvilla, M. L. Purk, Cooper, A. Roberts; Coeur d'Alene, W. H. Forsythet; Curiew and Danville, to be supplied; Calvilla, M. L. Purk, Cooper, A. Roberts; Coeur d'Alene, W. H. Forsythet; Curiew and Danville, to be supplied; Calvilla, M. L. Purk, Cooper, C being a German spy and to be an eye- districts of Wenatchee, Coeur d'Alene,

W. M. Daniel: Kellogg, A. F. Kroneman, Latah, C. S. Schreiber: Moscow, Robert Warner; Moscow circuit to be supplied: Mead, C. M. Carson; Gem. L. E. Singer; Newport, Frank Spauding; Opportunity, M. R. Brown; Frank Spauding; Opportunity, M. R. Brown; Post Falis, Joseph M. Adams; Palouse, John F. Cook; Pleasant Prairie, S. G. Logan; Plunimer. Orland Segit; Rathdrum, N. S. Hawk; Rockford, W. C. Evens; Sand Point, G. A. Wells; St. Marles, andrew Monroe; Tekes, E. L. Wolfe; Usk to be supplied; Wayside, W. M. Wellinston; Wallace, D. L. Helmick; Wardner, J. H. Dills.
Spokane district—Abloin, J. P. Armond; Colfax, O. W. Mintser; Elberton, supplied by C. L. Lowther; Endicott, to be supplied; Lacrosse, supplied by G. A. Pease; Moran, John Evans; Oakswalls, J. J. Callinston; Pullman, J. W. Caughlin; Rosalia, to be supplied; St. John, Morgan Gallsgher; Thornton, H. T. Rohinson; Waverly, J. E. Garver, Spokane churches—Epworth, H. L. Beighton; First, F. B. Short; Fowler, S. M. Nickle; Grace, H. E. Gelvin; Hay Park, John Moore; Manito, supplied by A. M. McClintock; Metrser Memorfal, Thomas Lawson; Minnehaha, supplied by J. C. Kirkman; St. Pauls, J. F. Hawk; Vincent, J. K. Ceell; Union Park, John Law; Wesley, W. E. Armfield.

The Dalles district—Alderdale, to be sup-

sell; Union Fara, implied; Alberdale, to be suplied; Appleton, to be supplied; Arlington, A.
I. Hotchkiss; Bend, A. S. Black; Bickleton,
S. Anderson; Cleelum, to be supplied;
ascade Locks, M. W. Weaver; Dufur, H.
Pemberton; Centerville, John Hoffman;
Illenaburg, R. D. Shyder; Finley and Klonn,
D. Bird; Foasil, C. A. Smith, Goldendale,
D. Rarey; Grandvisw, H. J. Wood; Grass
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STORM BIG BENEFIT; DAMAGE IS SLIGHT

Several Streetcars and Power Wires Affected by Electrical Display.

ALL OREGON IS MOISTENED

Only Hops Affected by Aphls, Are in Danger, if Rain Continues More Than Week, While Fruit Aided-Fire Danger Less.

LIGHTNING HITS WINDOW IN

FRONT OF BABY. OREGON CITY, Or., Sept. 7 .-(Special.)—Dicksey Olive Dryden, the 15-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dryden, 508 Fourteenth street. narrowly escaped from being struck by a bolt of lightning at 1:15 o'clock

The baby was looking out of the window when the lightning struck the glass and cracked it from corner to corner. The child was not in-jured, although badly frightened Mrs. Dryden was in the room at the

Slight damage and inconvenience caused by an electrical storm which

affecting nearly all wiring in Portland. The damage was soon remedied. Short circuits were caused on two cars on the Portland Heights, one on the Woodstock, one on the Mount Scott and one on the Westmoreland lines. They were sent to the shops. The only-harm that could result from the rain, according to experts, would be only after a continuation of a week or more.

or more. In addition to being of great benefit to fruit, the rain has greatly lessened the danger of forest fires, loss from which has been kept remarkably low, considering that Oregon has passed through the longest rainless period in almost 50 years.

"Even the hops will suffer no injury from the rain unless there may be

Country Is Visited by Rainfall After 71 Days.

ALBANY, Or., Sept. 7.—(Special.)—
After a drought of 71 days Albany and the surrounding country was visited by rain, which is the first since June 26.

The rain started falling shortly after 7 o'clock last evening and continued.

However, if Showers Cease Soon

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 7.—(Special.)—
Rain which last night broke Lane
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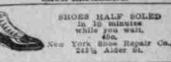
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should interfere with the harvesting of the hop crop. No damage so far has been done, it is said.

ALBANY DROUGHT IS BROKEN

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Half of Hops Are Picked. CORVALLIS, Or., Sept. 7 .- (Special.) -The rain caught the hopyards full of

The rain started falling shortly after 7 o'clock last evening and continued throughout the night, with intermittent showers today.

The rain is welcome at this time, especially by the farmers, nearly all of whom have their harvesting operations well in hand now, and nothing will be damaged by the present downfall. More rain is predicted here.

The precipitation has been .40 of an inch since Sunday at 6 P. M., the first rain since June 25. The minimum tomperature today was 46. A slight frosting has covered the left-over snow on Mount Ashland's summit.

Lewiston Showers Light.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Sept. 7. - (Spe cial.)—The first rain in two months fell here today, but it was just enough to lay the dust. Reports from Grange-ville and Pierce City are that showers were general throughout the

Rain at Medford Light.

MEDFORD, Or., Sept. 7 .- (Special.)-After 54 days' consecutive sunshine, a record for Rogue River Vailey, rain fell early this morning and the thermometer went to 38 above zero. The rain varied from merely a trace in Medford to half an inch in the foothills.

Dallas Reports No Damage. DALLAS, Or., Sept. 7.— (Special.)—
Hop picking was suspended in most of
the yards today because of rain, but in
some work continued as usual. No
damage has been done by rain so far,
but tonight the downpour was renewed.

VANCOUVER MAN KILLED James H. Mattice Falls Downstairs in Newport Hotel.

NEWPORT. Or., Sept. 7.—James H. Mattice, a retired business man of Vancouver, Wash., was instantly killed at the Nicholai Hotel by failing down a short flight of stairs last night. He arrived here Sunday, accompanied by his family, to spend the day at the beach, intending to return today.

Bankrupt piano sale. \$500 Weber piano, \$288. Read page 9, this paper.

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