PRUNE CROP SAVED

Harvest in Northwest Not Affected by Rain.

BULK IS PICKED EARLY

Low Prices Prevailing in All Lines of Dried Fruits, Owing to War. Oregon Evaporated Apple Output Will Be Large.

and cured in a generally satisfactory man but it will be slight, as the crop was early this year and ine larger part of it was in before the rains started. Because of the small yield the large drying capacity of the growers will enable them to take care of

Those growers whose crops are not all y under contract are not inclined to business until they are through dry-The Oregon-Washington yield of dried prunes is estimated at 8.600,000 pounds. Without any export trade, this will be sufficient to take care of the demand in the United States until another crop is raised. The market is exceedingly dull and packers are making no effort to secure additional supplies. California advices are of a very quiet market for prunes and all other dried fruits. The California prune crop is now estimated at \$5,000,000 pounds. It, is believed that the prune crops in osnia and Servis will be harvested, but the governments will not allow any of the prunes to leave the country as long as the war continues. A letter from Budapest, dated July 30, just as the war was beginning said.

Business has come to an entire standatill. It is to be expected that if the war against Servia is not ended by September a very small part of the prune crop will be dried, owing to lack of people to handle it. Only moderate quantities of Bosnian-Servian prunes of the new crop have been sold up to this time, and those at declining prices. Now there are no offers. It is probable that

will be the fate of the prune harvest." Stocks of dried fruit at London on July as reported by the London Dried Fruit Association, were: Prunes and plums: French, % cases and boxes, 2900; Servian and Bosnian, % cases 1251, % cases and boxes \$12, California and Oregons, % cases 740, % cases and boxes 13,753. Dried apricols, packages, 992. Dried peuches, packages, 2925. Evaporated applicables, packages, 2925. Evaporated apples, boxes 360, boxes 673

plane this year. A letter received yester-day by a Portland jobber from one of the

line are expected as long as the war lasts.

After peace is declared improvement in prices and trade may be looked for. ENGLAND'S SUGAR PURCHASES LARGE

British Government Has Bought Over Half

Continued weakness of the raw sugar mar-

tity bought in the various markets is re-ported to be 500,000 to 600,000 tons, the greater portion consisting of Javas. As the bulk of these purchases are for forward delivery there is a feeling of uncertainty whether there may not be an actual scarcity whether there may not be an actual scarcity of refined sugar in the immediate future. Two of the Greenock refineries are already closed for want of supplies, but it is understood that part of the Liverpool stock, which is more abundant, will be transferred to make up the Greenock deficiency. Unless there is a large falling of the con-Unless there is a large falling off in sumption it is inevitable that instead of any stoppage of our refineries being advisable their fullest working capacity will be taxed to the utmost, and even then this will prove inadequate to supply the refined sugar required. We therefore think that before long you may find an urgent demand for refined for shipment to this side."

MILLFEED MARKET IS STRONGER Wheat Steady, With Fair Business at Country Points.

The wheat market was steady yesterday, Not much business was done locally, but there was buying in the country on the basis of the prices that have been ruling here for several days. Another lot of 100 tons of October onts

was sold on the Merchants' Exchange at \$27. Spot oats were quoted at \$20, a dollar lower than on the preceding day. Barley prices were steady and the market was

The milifeed market is in a very firm continues and a spirit of caution is every-sition. Local stocks are limited and position. Local stocks are limited and there is a strong demand from California.

Weekly foreign wheat shipments were as in the financial situation, a favorable im-

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Good Stock Sells Readily at Current Prices.

Tokay Grapes Lower,

There is a better demand for apples on he atreet, particularly for good stock, which is now more in evidence.

which is now more in evidence. Low prices this year should mean a very heavy local prices Quoted at the Bay City on Fruits, consumption. Fine Fall apples are avail-

Tomatoes were scarce and higher at 50@ 65 cents. Cauliflower was also scarce and quoted at \$1.25@1.75 a dozen. A car of sweet potatoes was received.

LOCAL CHEESE PRICES REDUCED Market Is Affected by Weakness in East.

The cheese market, which has had an asier undertone recently because of weakness in the East, declined yesterday, triplets and Young Americas each being quoted half

cent lower.

No changes were reported in the butter NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Hops—Steady.

demand for tanch eggs was also imited, as storage stock was freely offered. Poultry was in fair supply and steady at the preceding day's prices. Dressed mer receipts were also adequate and pork, esp-

Bank Clearings, PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. white feed 26.00 All quotations for prompt delivery.

per ton. HAY-Old timothy, Eastern Oregon, \$15 @ 16; new-crop timothy, Valley, \$12.50@13; grain hay, \$10@11; alfalfa, \$12@13.50.

Dairy and Country Produce. Local jobbing quotations:

EGGS—Fresh Oregon ranch, case count.

30c. candled, 536,35c.
POULTRY—Hens, 14c; Springs, 146,144c; turkeys, young, 206,22c; ducks, 106,14c; seese, 116,12c.

BUTTER—Creamery prints, extras, 35c per pound; cubes, 316,32c.

CHESE—Oregon triplets, jobbers buying price, 16c per pound f. o. b. dock Portland; Young Americas, 17c per pound.

PORK—Block, 116,114c per pound.

VEAL—Fancy, 134c per pound.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Local jobbing quotations: TROPICAL FRUITS-Oranges, \$2.25@8.00 TROPICAL PRUITS—Oranges, \$2.25@8.00 per box, lemons, \$3.50@7 per box; bananas, \$4.94%c per pound; grapefruit, California, \$3.25; pineapples, 6@7c per pound.

VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, 50c per box; egglant, 7c per pound; peppers, 6@7%c per pound; ratichokes, \$5c@\$1 per dox; tomatoes, 50@65c per crate; cabbage, 1%c per pound; peas, 5@6c per pound; beans, 4%6c per pound; corn, 75c@\$1 per sack; celery, 50@85c per doxen; cauliflower, \$1.25@1.75 per doxen; aparagus, \$2.25 per box; sprouts, 10c per pound.

ONIONS—Yellow, \$1@1.25 per sack.

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, new, 50c@ 1.35 box; cantaloupes, \$1@1.25 per crate; canabas, \$1.25@1.50 per doxen; peaches, 50@10c per box; grapes, \$16.25; peaches, 50@10c per box; grapes, 65c@\$1.19 per crate.

POTATOES—Oregon, \$1.35 per sack; Ya-

for some time there will be no business at peaches, 500 for per box, grapes, 650 \$1.10 atl, it will depend on the war what the further development of business will be and wima. \$1.50; sweet potatoes, 2%c per pound,

Staple Groceries,

plane this year. A letter received yesterday by a Portland jobber from one of the largest dried fruit concerns in California quoted choice apricots in 20-pound boxes, faced, at 8½ cents. This fruit had been sold to German buyers early in the season at 12 cents, but could not be delivered. Peaches are equally low, standards in 50-pound boxs being quoted at 4 cents.

Evaporated apples will run considerably cheaper than last year, current quotations in the Coast and Enstern markets being about 5 cents to the grower for 50-pound boxes. Preparations are being made for an active drying campaign in Oregon, and more apples will be dried in this state than ever before.

Slow markets for all commedities in this line are expected as long as the war lasts.

Blow markets for all commedities in this line are expected as long as the war lasts.

COFFEE—Roasted, in druma, 18©87c per pound.

SUGAR—Fruit and berry, \$7.50; beet, \$7.60; extra C, \$7.60; powdered, in harrela, \$7.60; extra C, \$7.60; powdered, in harrela

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—1914 crop, 17@18c; fuggles, 15@

19c; 1913 crop, nominal.

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WOOL—Valley, 184@20%c; Eastern Ore
19cn, 162 20%c.

KEROSENE—Water white, drums, barrels or tank wagen, 10c; special, drums or barrels, 13½c; cases, 17½ 20½c.
GASOLINE—Bulk, 14c; cases, 21c. Engine distillate, drums, 7½c; cases, 14½c.
Naphtha, drums, 13c; cases, 20c.
LINSEED OIL—Raw, barrels, 72c; boiled, barrels, 13½c; cases, 17½ 20½c.

STEADY PROGRESS MADE

CONFIDENT FEELING IN BUSINESS CIRCLES MAINTAINED.

Sentiment Strengthened by Developments in Financial Situation, but Operators Are Cautious.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18 .- Dun's Review to norrow will say: Hesitancy in entering on new commitments

Argentina This wk. Last wk. Last yr. 124.000 128.000 104.000 104.000 1.085.000 104.000 1.085.000

which is now more in evidence. Low prices SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET ment.

consumption. Fine Fall apples are available on Front street at \$1 to \$1.25 a box, fruit similar to that which brought \$1.50 and over last year.

A car of Tokay grapes arrived and they were offered slightly lower at \$1.21.10 a crate. Other California grapes were unchanged in price. Malagas have cleaned up, but another car is due Menday. Local Concords range in price from 12½ to 15

cents a basket.

A car of Celifornia Salway peaches was received and put on sales at 60 cents. Another car of California cantaloupes is reported coming.

Tomatoes were scarce and higher at 50 cents.

Large Operations in East Put Strength Into Market.

ALL MONTHS CLOSE HIGHER

Crest of Crop Movement in Spring Wheat Belt Said to Have Been Reached - Corn Sold for Shipment to France.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Persistent reports of European business at the scabbard and guiff and of good sales here to foreigners put considerable strength today into wheat. Although the feeling at the end was rather nervous, the market showed an advance of lipe to 15c nst. Cofn finished 5c to 15c up, dats with a gain of 15 to 5c and provisions unchanged to 125c higher.

Except for a brief period soon after the opening, the wheat market throughout was subject to buillash control. It was said export transactions for the day aggregated 1,000,000 bushels. At the same time there were advices that farmers were selling less freely.

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Signs were not wanting that the crest of the movement of the crop in the Spring wheat belt had been reached. Predictions were made that terminal arrivals from the Dakota would soon decrease to a material Dakota would soon decrease to a material catent. On the other hand, country offerings from the Winter wheat section appeared to enlarge a little on the bulge.

Corn trade lacked volume, but the market but other lines held sleady.

Buyers would not offer over \$8.25 for the best hogs, and this prices was established as the top for the day's market. Heavy hog for shipment to France. A temporary break early was due in part to pressure put on the market by a leading elevator concern.

Despite a saging tendency at first, the cast trade brondened out later because of a renewal of seaheard demand. Some example and the same of the same of the same of prime 1100-pound sleers brought \$7.25, and another load went at \$7. The bulk of sizer sales were at \$8.70 to \$6.85, Good cows sold at \$8 and \$6.15 and other lines and provisions and more than overcame that the price of house. Buying was confined chiefly to October 174 sheep.

Futures ranged as follows:

Or Day—Better Quality of Cattle Received.

Cattle Received.

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There was a good run of stock at the market level, and more than 10 cents since the first of the month. This points strongly to a return of an interily normal money conditions between Nan More Nork and more than 10 cents and more than 10 cents and more than 10 cents from the time market the market was a good run of stock at the market was found on the retirement of the part to provise the day. Hog prices were lower, but other lines held sicady.

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CORN. OATS. Sept. 46% Dec. 49% May 52% | Dec. | 49% | .50% | .48% | .49% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .51% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .53% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .52% | .

Corn—No. 2 yellow 774 g 774c. Bye—No. 2, 91c. Bariey, 64 g 78c. Timothy, 54 g 5.85. Clover, nominal European Grain Markets. LONDON, Sept. 15.—Cargoes on passage,

Minneapolis Grain Market,
MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 18.—Wheat—September, \$1.084; December, \$1.12; No. 1 hard, \$1.12\frac{1}{2}; No. 2 Northern, \$1.06\frac{1}{2}\$ Flax-\$1.47% @1.52%. Barley-56@69c.

HOPS—1914 crop, 17@18c; fuggles, 15@
19c; 1912 crop, nominal.
HIDES—Salted hides, 13c per pound; salt kip, 14c; salted calf, 18c; green hides, 12c; dry hides, 25c; dry calf, 28c; salted bulls, 13c; walla Walla, \$1.70@1.72\footnote{\chicknote{

Continued weakness of the raw sugar market at New York was reported in yesterday's wires. A letter from London, dated August 20, said of the sugar situation there:

"Here business through the usual channels has ceased, as the private interests have necessarily to stand aside while the very extensive purchases continue to be made on government account. The quantity bought in the various markets is a provided in the provisions.

MOHAIR—1914 clip, 27½c per pound, Call board—Barley, steady; December, \$1.10½; May, \$1.28.

Puget Sound Wheat Markets.

SEATTLE, Sept. 15.—Wheat, October and November delivery quotations: Bluestem, \$1.5000 also, \$1.0000 also, \$1.

Provisions.

HAMS—10 to 12-pound, 21% @22%c; 11 to 10-pound, 21% @22%c; 14 to 18-pound, 21% \$1.02@1.03; fortyfold, 96c; club and Fife, \$22%c; akinned, 18% @22c; picnic, 13c.

BACON—Fancy, 80@32c; standard, 24@ hay 9.

DRY SALT CURED — Short clear backs, TONE OF WOOL MARKET IS EASIER 14@17c; exports, 15@17c; plates, 11@13c, LARD — Tierce basis: Pure, 12%@14c; Sales Are Reported at Lower Prices at Review

BOSTON, Sept. 18.—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow:
All reports agree this week that the wool market has been quiet, new contracts reported hardly exceeding 2,000,000 pounds, including almost all grades. The tone of the market is easier and sales have been made in instances at lower prices, although some large holders are refusing to meet buyers offers.

The financial situation is a little better and the outlook for business in the colonial markets is also better. BOSTON, Sept. 18 .- The Commercial Bul-

The financial standard and the colonial markets is also better.

Texas fine, 12 months, 60\$02c; fine, 6 to 8 months, 55\$55c; fine Fall, 48\$50c.

California northern, 54\$55c; middle county, 51\$52c; southern, 48\$50c.

Oregon eastern, No. 1 staple, 60\$61c; eastern clothing, 55\$60c; vailey No. 1, 48\$50c.

Territory fine staple, 61\$62c; fine medium staple, 55\$60c; fine clothing, 55\$60c; fine medium clothing, 55\$65c; blood combing, 60c; three-eighths blood combing, 47\$48c; pulled extra, 58\$60c; AA, 56\$57c; fine A, 53\$55c; A supers, 50\$52c.

Coffee and Sugar. Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The coffee market was unsattled and a shade easier today, particularly on Santos grades. Not much change was reported in the cost and freight situation, but there were continued rumors that Brazilian shippers would accept hids at slight concessions from the quoted prices, while further arrivals here and the continued stack demand were probably responsible for the declining tendency of the local spot market. Rio Ts were quoted at 6%c and Santos 4s at 11%c. Hamburg statisticians estimated a decrease of 900,000 bags in the world's visible supply for August, against an increase of 960,000 last year.

BANNER MOVE DETERMINED

Boycott Banners, Says Leader. Merchants propose to force the proposition of abolishing boycott banners on the streets either through the City Commission or on the ballot at the city election in June, according to Thomas McCusker, leader of the movement.

An ordinance will be prepared pro-hibiting the use of the boycott banners. This will be presented to the Commission for passage. If the Commission is unwilling to pass the measure it will be asked to refer it to the voters under the initiative.

BRIDGE RENTAL ATTACKED Commissioner Daly Fights Renewal

of the bridge, thus cutting down the cost to the city of about \$13,000 a year. "The Federal Government," said Commissioner Daly, "refused to permit the erection of the bridge unless an upper deck was constructed. When the upper deck was constructed the company insisted that it was for the benefit of the city, and insisted upon the city paying city, and insisted upon the city paying 5 per cent on the cost of the upper deck. The cost was \$821,000, I believe this is unfair, and I favor not only forc-

missioners and officials of the rallway company will be held at the City Hall. In the meantime City Attorney La Roche will investigate the question of the Government requiring the construction of the upper deck of the bridge.

The present contract for the way of The present contract for the use of the bridge expires October 10. Commis-sioner Daly says he will fayor the city discontinuing use of the bridge unless the company will agree to cut the

GOOD RUN OF ALL CLASSES OF LIVESTOCK.

of Day-Better Quality of

tows sold at \$6 and \$6.10 and other lines at prevailing prices.

Business in the sheephouse was limited to the sale of a bunch of lambs at \$5.50.

Receipts were 307 cattle, 819 hogs and 1747 sheep. Shippers were:

With cattle—F. B. Axmax, Pendition, 1 car; J. L. Hamsaker, Robinette, 2 cars; J. K. Corsmer, Heppner, 1 car; Sol Dickerson, Welser, 2 cars.

s sales were as folk
Wt.Price.
354 \$46.25 97 hogs
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Omaha Livestock Market. SOUTH OMAHA, Sept. 18.—Hogs—Receipts, 2400; market, lower, Heavy, \$2.25@ 8.40; light, \$8.30@8.60; pigs, \$7.75@8.25; bulk of sales, \$8.30@8.40.

Cattle — Receipts, 1100; market, stendy. Native steers, \$8@10.25; cows and helfers, \$6@7.60; Western steers, \$6.50@9; Texas steers, \$6@7.40; cows and helfers, \$5.75@7.25; calves, \$8@10.25.

Sheep — Receipts 18,100; market lower, Yearlings, \$5.75@6.50; wethers, \$5.40@5.90; lambs, \$7.50@5.65.

Chicago Livestock Market,
CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Hogs—Receipts, 13.—
000; market, 5@10c lower, Bulk of sales,
\$8,45@9.00; light, \$8.50@9.40; mixed, \$8.25@
9.45; heavy, \$8.10@9.20; rough, \$8.10@8.20;
pigs, \$5@9.
Cattlo—Receipts, 2500; market, weak.
Beeves, \$6.90@11; steers, \$6.35@9.25; stockors and feeders, \$5.50@8.35; cows and heifors, \$3.70@9.30; calvos, \$8.50@12.65.
Sheep—Receipts, 17,000; market, slow.
Sheep, \$5.30@4.10; yearlings, \$6.20@7.15;
lambs, \$7.25@8.80. Chicago Livestock Market,

Money, Exchange, Etc. NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Mercantile paper, 7; sterling exchange, firm; cables, \$4.96, demand, \$4.95. Time money, 7 to 8 per ceht; bar silver, 51%c; Mexican dollars, 40c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—Silver bars, 51%c; drafts, sight, 2%c; drafts, telegraph, 5c. Sterling, demand, \$4.90; cable, \$4.91.

Chicago Dairy Produce.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Butter—Lower. Receipts, 8857 tubs; creameries, 24 % 830c.

Eggs—Lower. Receipts, 5151 cases, at mark, cases included, 20 22 % c; ordinary firsts, 21 © 21 % c; firsts, 22 @ 22 % c.

City Council to Decide Space Alloted

Duluth Linseed Market. DULUTH, Sept. 18.—Linseed, cash, \$1.50 \(\frac{1}{2}\); September, \$1.50 \(\frac{1}{2}\); December, \$1.54.

London Wool Auctions Announced.
London, Sept. 18.—At a meeting of the importers' committee it was decided to hold the next series of wool auctions on October instead of the original date, September 29.
There seems to be a difference of opinion in the trade as to the advisability of holding the sales during the present period of financial and political uncertainty, and Bradford merchants are said to be resenting the action of the importers' committee in offering the wool, which, it is estimated, will take nearly (2,000,000 to move.

Will take nearly 12,000,000 to move.

Naval Stores.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 18.—Turpentine, nominal, 45%c. No sales, Receipts, 713 barrels; shipments, 1372 barrels; stocks, 28,325 barrels.

Rouin — Nominal; no sales; receipts, 1419; shipments, 526; stocks, 108,217, Quote: A. E. \$3.50; C. D. \$3.52½; E. F. G. H. I. \$3.55; K. \$4.15; M. \$4.50; N. \$6; WG. \$6.25; WW. \$6.35.

\$5000 Awarded Man for False Ar- PARENT HIT, IS CHARGE rest on Burglary Charge.

Potatoes—Delta Burbanks, per sack, 90c estates, 31.50 @1.00 per sack; Salinas Burbanks, \$1.65 @1.15.

Receipts — Flour, 4794 quarter sacks; barley, 1910 centals; potatoes, 3505 sacks; barley, 1910 c

Bankers Believe It Would Fortify Credits Abroad.

CHECK EXPORTS OF METAL

change Results From Europe's Participation in New York City's Loan.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18 .- Another sharp deie in foreign exchange was the most interesting phase of the financial situation today, together with the announcement that the new city loan had been oversubscribed. In fact, the further breek in exchange was accepted as a measure of the foreign participation in the loan.

Dealing in bills on London was quite extensive, being quoted at as low as 4.93, with moderate recovery later. Taking this low figure as a basis, exchange is down about 6 cents from the week's highest level, and more than 10 cents since the first of the month. This points strongly to a return of fairly normal money conditions between New York and London ere long.

An indubitable sign of improvement in domestic securities was found on the retirement of call loans, which had hung over the past fortnight. There were also freer seceptances of commercial paper by interior banks. eresting phase of the financial situation

call for little, if any, additional gold exports.

Moderate shipments of gold to Canada were made, but they had little bearing on the city loan. Banks in the Dominion were again offering money here at 6 per cent, but the character of the cellateral demanded was so high as to be almost prohibitive.

Bank clearings continue in smaller volume, but returns from outside of the city are relatively favorable, declines in some sections being partially offset by gains elsewhere, so that the total is only 6.3 per cent under the corresponding period of last year. New Orleans showed a large contraction by reason of the unsettled cotton market.

Trade authorities report some favorable developments in textiles and general merchandise, especially in the Middle West, that section deriving some henefit from big crops and higher prices. Improvement is noted in copper, but demand for Iron and steel continues light.

VACCINATION RULING TO BE EN-FORCED, SAYS DR. MARCELLUS.

Pupils in Mount Scott Not Immune to Be Excluded From Schools During Period of Incubation.

in the four schools in the Mount Scott district must be vaccinated or remain ing to announcement made yesterday by City Health Officer Marcellus. He says that to comply in every respect with the law in the case he and the school medical inspectors have arranged to make further investigation of each individual child in the schools Monday.

S.00@8.25

T.00@7.25

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Description

S.00@8.25

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S.00@8.50 pox in the last few weeks. Children Denver living anywhere near any place where Des Moines.

there has been smallpox will be excluded from school for the remainder of the week.

This, Dr. Marcellus says, will mean virtually that every child in the district will be excluded unless vaccinated, because it the contributions. because it is the opinion of the school medical inspectors that virtually the entire Mount Scott district has been exposed to smallpox in one way or another. One week of the two weeks' smallpox incubation period has expired and that will mean that the excluded children will have to remain away from school only one week longer.

"In taking this action," said Dr. Marcellus, "we are not changing our stand on the vaccination matter. As Health Officer it is my duty to do what I think is necessary for the preservation of the health in the Mount Scott district and in the city at large. Some people do not believe in vaccination. I do, and I consider it my duty to protect the health by requiring persons

London Sheepskins Sale,

LONDON, Sept. 18.—A sale of Cape of Good Hope and Natal sheepskins was held today. There were 338.712 pelts offered but only 34,505 were sold. The selection was a good one, but the demand was poor and entirely from the home trade. Prices for the small quantity sold declined 192d per pound, or from 15 to 50 per cent. Short and damaged skins were the weakest,

Autos at Depot Entrance.

War between the taxicab companies over space at the entrance to the Union depot which has found its way into the Municipal Court on several oc-casions was before the City Commission yesterday, when Thomas McCus-ker, representing independent taxloab companies and drivers, remonstrated against the city allowing managers appointed by Edward Lyons, of the Terminal Company, to regulate the parking of taxleabs at the depot

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Mr. McCusker said the managers discriminate against the independent concerns by refusing to allow ther within 200 feet of the depot entrance and by favoring taxicabs having me-ters. He said the meters are controlled by a trust and cannot be secured by the independents. The proposition was referred to Commissioner Daly for investigation and a report with recom

Man Asking Divorce Says Wife

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF

The Bank of California National Association

San Francisco

Including Its Branches in Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and Virginia City At Close of Business September 12, 1914

Loans and discounts\$34,219,269.38 Bank premises (San Francisco and branches).... 1,183,634.68 Other real estate..... Customers' liability under letters of credit..... 2,912,997.21 Sundry bonds and stocks..... 4,573,557.60 United States bonds and other securities to secure 5,689,000,00 circulation. 285,000.00 275,000.00 Cash and sight exchange..... 14,308,789.33

\$63,932,627,33

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LIABILITIES Capital paid in gold coin..... \$ 8,500,000.00 Surplus and undivided profits...... 8,295,664.29 Circulation. 5,216,800,00 Letters of credit 2,984,824.94 Other liabilities 5,737,47

PORTLAND BRANCH, THIRD AND STARK STS. WM. A. MAC RAE, JAMES T. BURTCHAELL,

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resume her maiden name, Gates, It was alleged the defendant was jealous and had an ill temper.

Ethel Keane sued Thomas H. Keane for divorce, alleging desertion in 1912, Failure to support prior to that time also was charged.

The conditions are favorable for rain in this district Saturday, with a strong southerly gale along the coast.

Foreign and Washington—Bain, southerly winds.

Oregon and Washington—Bain; strong southerly winds interior; strong southerly winds.

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Sept. 18 .- Maximum tem The city health department will not back up on its order that all children in the four schools in the Mount Scott district must be vaccinated or remain out of school for two weeks, according to announcement made yesterday THE WEATHER.

WEATHER CONDITIONS. WEATHER CONDITIONS.

A severe storm is central over British Columbia. Warnings for this disturbance were issued at Washington scaports at 7 A. M. today. The North Head line was down this evening, but at 1:30 P. M. a report was received which gave 72 miles southeast as the maximum wind velocity at that station. A large high-pressure area is central over the Lake region and a new high pressure

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FRANCEOct. 7, 10 A. M. ROCHAMBEAU ... Oct. 17, 3 P. M. FOR INFORMATION APPLY Company's Office, 19 State Street, N. Y. or local agents.

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SAILS TODAY, ? P. M., SEPT. 19. For passengers and treight, make reservations in ly. Frank Bollam, Pass, Agt., Main Third st. A 4506. Preight office, Al-ak No. & Main 5863, A 6175.

ing the company to take over the maintenance of the bridge, but also cutting down the rental materially."

The matter was laid over until Thursday, when a special meeting of the City Commission, the Board of County Commissioners and official of County Commissioners and official of County Commissioners.

Hogs Are Lower With \$8.25 Top Price

Corsmer, Heppner, 1 car; Sel Dickerson, Jelser, 2 cars.
With hogs-W. Block, Parker, 1 car; W. Anderson, Weiser, 2 cars; S. J. Knowles, Veiser, 1 car; J. W. Frazer, Weiser, 1 car; old Dickerson, Weiser, 1 car; W. W. Lloyd,

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—Silver bars, of \$\frac{1}{2}\text{c}; \text{ drafts, sight, 2\frac{1}{2}\text{c}; \text{ drafts, telestraph, 5c. Sterling, demand, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; cable, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; cable, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; cable, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; cable, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; cable, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; cable, \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; \$\frac{1}\text{10}\$; \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; \$\frac{1}{2}\text{10}\$; \$\f

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