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Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

Provisions.

HAMS—All sizes, 17% @18%c; skinned, 17 @18c; picnic, 12c; cottage roll, 18%c; broiled, 18@28c. BACON— Fancy, 27@28c; standard, 23@

Olls.

KEROSENE—Water white, drums, barrels or tank wagons, 10c; special drums or barrels, 13½c; cases, 17½ @20½c.

GASOLINE—Bulk, 12c; cases, 19c; engine distillate, drums, 7½c; cases, 14½c; naptha, drums, 11c; cases, 18c.

LINSEED OIL — Raw, barrels, 7ic; raw, cases, 76c; bolled, barrels, 73c; bolled, cases, 73c.

TURPENTINE-In tanks, 60c; in cases,

MARKET IS

ADDITIONAL SALES ARE MADE AT

\$7.25 AT STOCKYARDS.

Supply So Far This Week Has Been

Light-Trade in Other Divisions

Is Quiet.

tie business in other divisions and the under-tone was reported steady.

Receipts were 2 cattle, 350 hogs and 4 sheep. Shippers were:
With hogs—Nagel Bros., Altopia, Wahh., 1 car: W. H. McMahon, Halsey, 1 car.
Wita mixed loads—F. B. Decker, Silver-ton, 1 car cattle and hogs; Patton, Over-ton & Falz, Halsey, 1 car cattle, hogs and

Omaha Livestock Market,

Merchants' Exchange, noon session.

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 Wheat—
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FACTORIES HUMMING PROSPERITY'S TUNE

Domestic Orders Pile in Atop of War Requisitions and Entire Nation Is Busy.

NEW INDUSTRIES SPRING UP

Europe's Demands Enormous, With America Called to Export Millions of Dollars' Worth of Material Hitherto Made Abroad.

The plants of the United States Steel Corporation are now running 75 per cent capacity, as against 40 per cent at the beginning of the year. In the Pittsburg district, comprising West-ern Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia, where there was idle-ters five months are, there is humness five months ago, there is hum-ming industry today. Not all this renewed activity is due

to the filling of war orders. Domestic trade is growing, with the railroads in the lead as buyers, and automobile makers and other manufacturers purchasing materials in a liberal way. War Adds to Business.

The bulk of the business is, of course, caused by the war, as statistics from the Pittsburg manufacturing industry show. To keep pace with the orders received, the milis are working double and triple shifts, seven days a

The greatest glass producing center The greatest glass producing center of the world is now at Pittsburg. The great glass works of Europe were in Belgium and the industry in that country has been absolutely destroyed, for the present at least. Orders are pouring in on the American Window Glass Company and its plants are working full time, employing nearly 10,600 men.

10,000 men.
It is estimated that the war orders alone received at Pittsburg have given employment to 150,000.
Many of these orders have been re-

Many of these orders have been received from governments that have never before patronized the American market and the manufacturers think that, with this opening, they may be able to continue the business started. They argue that much of the work now being done in this country for Great Britain has previously been done in Germany and that the feeling after the war will preclude its being done there.

In addition to the orders for steel for making shrappel and other ammunition are the following: Half a million dollars' worth of tent stoves, 5000 steel oxygen bottles for the French army, 40,000 kegs of horseshoes, 1500 tons of steel for horseshoe nails, 5000 tons of steel for horseshoe nails, 5000 tons of steel for payonets, 250,000 canteens, 250,000 rubber sheeting for British and French spitals, 100,000 steel whiffletrees, 5000 tons of steel rivets, 2000 tons galvanized wire rope, 7500 tons of The Westbarbed wire for Turkey. The West-inghouse Company is said to be pre-paring to fill a \$20,000,000 order for war material to go to either France

Outgoing Steamers Laden.

The manifests of steamers sailing from New York in January and February to British and French ports show the extent of the army supply business America has received. In addition to the exports of foodstuffs he following, comparison being with total shipments for the preceding year:

Jan. Feb., 1915, Year 1914, \$4,896,000 \$7,290,845 5,094,000 3.387,729 Horses
Automobiles
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and saddles
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surgical supplies
I 295,000
Manufactures of iron,
steel and brass, not
including machinery. J.295,000
Textiles, including cotton and hint goods.
gasoline 2,740,000
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Manifests of various ships show that the French government paid to New England manufacturers \$260,000 for snowshoes alone, an item which does the foregoing and that \$140,000 has been paid for aeroplanes. The British government also bought \$500,000 worth of furs, an unusual item of export in this quantity

the United States. New York is not the only port handling war supplies. Shipments are being made from Boaton. Philadelphia, Norfolk, Galveston, New Orleans and also from the Pacific Coast. Mest of the arms and amunition go by way of

LIGHT RATE INQUIRY ON

JUST CHARGE IN BAKER AND UNION COUNTIES TO BE FIXED.

Hearing at La Grande of Suit Begun by Commercial Club Taken Up by Railroad Commission.

LA GRANDE, Or., March 10 .- (Special.)—To determine what is a just rate charge for light electricity in La Grande, Elgin, Imbier, Cove, Union and in Baker County towns as well, the Railroad Commission, Chairman Camp-Railroad Commissioner Aitchison, are bell and Commissioner Aitchison, The conducting a hearing here today, La Grande Commercial Club br the proceedings on a charge that rates for light were too high, and the Com-mission has had engineers in the field appraising the physical valuation of the company, which has headquarters in Baker County, and serves adjoining manager will take charge who has been manager will take charge who has been unties, including Union, with power ad light.

H. E. Dinson, attorney for the Commercial Club: William Jackson, attorney, of Chicago, and John L. Rand, of Baker, represent the light company, and statisticians for the Byllesby peo-

Nell for the Commission.

noon to let the attorneys peruse the Commission's exhibits, consisting chiefly of valuation reports, and to-morrow morning the Commission again takes up the hearing. Many witnesses will be called on both sides. A half dozen towns and cities are interested in the outcome. in the outcome.

SUFFRAGIST TO LECTURE Mrs. Pethwick Lawrence to Speak at Reed Tomorrow.

Mrs. Pethwick Lawrence, the eminent English suffragist leader, will lecture on "England and the War," in the chapel at Reed College tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Amanda Reed Association for women of the college.

Mrs. Lawrence at present is touring America in the interests of the Women's Peace Party, which was organized last January in Washington, D. C., with Jane Addams as president. Her activities in England while in favor of universal suffrage have been in opposition to the militant methods of Mrs. Pankhurst and her followers. The women's peace movement with which she now is identified in this country has received wide approval in the Eastern states and promises to become a worldwide movement. The address at Reed College is the only public address that she will give in Portland. Mrs. Lawrence will speak Saturday at the weekly meeting of the Civic League. "England and the War," in the

Weekly meeting of the Civic League.

FARM TALKS ARRANGED

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Campaign Plans for Southwest

Washington Laid at Centralia.

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WEE SOMNAMBULIST HURT Child Creeps From Bed and Tumbles Through Ceiling to Floor Below.

addicted to the use of intoxicants and that, although Pearson knew this, he sold the liquor. She says that, as a result of this, her husband abused her, injuring her health, and that she has been compelled to earn her own sup-port and that of her children.

Settled Concrete Replaced in Spat Over Salmon Creek at Ridgefield.

RIDGEFIELD, Wash., March 10.on the

Knapps station. Knapps station.

The bridge is made of concrete, which seems to settle a little every year when there is high water that backs up from the Columbia. During this period a watchman is placed there day and night. The bridge crew has been have making improvements and

Wash, about May 1. The exact date has not been fixed, but it will take place the week before the Southwest-ern Washington track meet at Che-The principals met at Kalama several days ago and chose a commit-tee, composed of George A, Campbell, Kalama: Fred Stuckert, land; Lee F. Jones, of Kelso; O. D. are interested in a better class of good land; Lee F. Jones, of Kelso; O. D. The jobbers have been increasing their or Adams, of Eufaula, to have charge of the south and East and it looks at the conditions would be restored to the south and the s

Cottage Grove Plans for League.

COTTAGE GROVE, Or., March 10 .-(Special.)—The approaching baseball season probably will be a lively one in Cottage Grove. A meeting to organize a city league has been called for Tuesday night in the Commercial Club rooms. Last season, members of the churches of the city organized teams from their memberships and organization some suggested for this year, but it is understood that there is some objection on the part of those at the head of the churches, and it is quite likely that some other plan will be suggested. suggested.

Genesee Telephone Manager Quits.

GENESEE, Idaho, March 10 .- (Special.)—Roy A. Ballard, who has been in the employ of the Home Telephone Company at Genesee as manager, resigned Saturday night and will leave in manager will take charge who has been in the employ of the Lewiston, Idaho, exchange.

Clay Workers to Meet March 30. SALEM, Or. March 10 .- (Special.)-The annual convention ple, as well as representatives from all the cities interested, make up the attendants at the hearing. Today's test an organization of brick and tile makmony was solely expert, consisting of process and testimony by Engineer will be here, it is expected. William E. Wilson, of Salem, is president of the organization.

Wheat Not Influenced by Eastern Conditions.

MORE GAINS THAN LOSSES

Spot Bluestem Brings 15 Cents More Than Last Friday-Coarse Grains Also Firmer-African Flour Prospects.

The Portland wheat market yesterday showed its independence of Chicago by \$32@53.

CORN—Whole, \$35 per ton; cracked, \$36 per ton.

ANY — Eastern Oregon timothy, \$14@16; with Exchange sales of 50,000 bushels, and

a snarp decline in the East.

The market was somewhat more active, with Exchange sales of 50,000 bushels, and there were more advances than declines in the list. The day's sales were as follows;

pounds.)

"By a decree signed February 2, the Portuguese government authorized the importation of 100,000,000 kilos (3,674,000 bushels) of wheat into continental Portugal and the Azores Islands. The grain may be entered until July 31 of this year. Of the total quantity authorized, 98,000,000 kilos (kilo-22046 pounds) are for making bread, cakes, and biscuits in continental Portugal and must be imported by registered manufacturers. It is provided that 1,200,000 kilos will gada (Azores) and interest of Portugal and most be imported into the district of Portugal and the importance of the form of th

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Germans Work is Steel Plants.

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Thousands of the men employed in the second floor to the floor beneath, are Germans who served their apprenticeships with the Krupps of Essen.

says the World. They were brought here largely because of their well-known mechanical superiority and have placed loyalty to their employer above their love of the Fatherland.

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BRIDGE WORK BEING DONE FOREIGN WOOLS ARE IN DEMAND Eastern Buyers Complain That Western Prices Are Too High.

The Eastern wool trade, according to libre and Fabric, of Boston, is setting back watching developments in London and I (Special.)—The bridge crew of the Northern Pacific Railroad is at work on the Salmon Creek span, near merinos and almost up to that figure in the Australian markets, the trade have found it more of interest to send their buyers into those markets because even at prices asked and insurance and freight rates backs up from the Columbia. During this period a watchman is placed there day and night. The bridge crew has been busy making improvements and doing repair work near Ridgefield, where their work train is.

Cowlitz to Have Track Meet.

KELSO, Wash, March 10.—(Special)
—With the coming of Spring weather all the high schools of this county are turning their attention from basketball to the track and are getting ready for the annual Cowlitz County track meet, which will be held at Woodland, Wash, about May 1. The exact date has not been flyed of the county are kind.

Basked and insurance and freight rates added such wools can be landed here cheaper than wools in the West in the west that wools in the West can be purchased at the present time. This has resulted in a lessening of contracting, and it is doubtful if 4,000,000 pounds of the new clip have continue firm. The present proposed of up to date. Nevertheless, prices for the new clip continue firm. The report of last week that Italian interests were about to purchase large out to purchase large and the present proposed of up to date. Nev

FRONT STREET TRADE IS LARGER Increased Demand for Fruit and Vegetables

Prices Generally Firm.
Fruit and vegetable trade on Front stre has shown decided improvement this week Buyers are taking hold more confidently and are interested in a better class of goods The jobbers have been increasing their orif normal conditions would be restored the produce trade in the near future.

The street was well supplied with all lines yesterday, California vegetables generally were firm and other lines

Little Future Trade in Prunes. There is some little talk going the rounds of future business in prunes for 1915 crop, but all hands look upon future trading as more than usually hexardous owing to the very great uncertainty as to foreign mar-kets, and the uncertainty grows as time proceeds, says the California Fruit News. primes, but so far as the total and the future prune business done is concerned it future prune business done is concerned it Hight 6.25@7.25 is in the aggregate very small, Five cents light 5.90@6.50 Heavy 5.90@6.50 for September and 41/20 for October learned of in a small way.

London mail advices said of cascara bark: "Still more inquiry for spot parcels and business has been done at 42s for four-year-old bark. Our coast letter just in says the position is quite strong and available stocks taken up by New York bouses, so we may now see something. They are unwilling sellers c. i. f."

Cascara Bark in London.

Eggs Active and Steady. The egg market holds very steady at 18% cents, case count for lots. Speculators and

105,057 57,010 DONN PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS

> Bids Are Opened for New York's Big State Issue.

CURB TRADING AT 1043-8

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NEW YORK, March 10. — Because of its possible bearing upon investment conditions, the attention of the financial community was drawn today largely toward Albany, where bids were opened for the New York state \$27,000,000 bond issue at 4½ per cent. Up to the close of the dull and heavy market session, no award of the bonds had been made, but the average price bid for the issue was regarded satisfactory. On the "curb" which traded in the bonds "when issued," the hish quotation was 104%.

Other incidents of the day embraced the publication of the United States Steel tennage figures for February, showing an increase of about 97,000 tons, which was considerably under general estimates. Incidentally, several of the small steel companies submitted statements of earnings for 1914. Lackawanna Steel showed a net deficit of \$1,737,000 company suffered considerable depreciation. A better showing was made in other industrial lines.

Orders for small amounts of steel were placed by several railroads, but demands for new equipment continues under recent expectations. Current conditions in the trade point to maintenance of present increased activity for the next few months. Copper shows no improvement over last week's quotations, despite a better inquiry by domestic consumers.

Firnness in marks was the feature of the exchange market, the change in these remittances being attributed to private buying of the new German war notes, which offer an attractive interest return. London's markots were more cheerful, but trading in Americans was quiet. Total sales of stocks for the day were 175,400 shares.

Bonds as a whole were heavy, severe losses occurring in minor issues. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$2,448,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Closing Pruits and Vegetables.
Local jobbing quotations:
TROPICAL FRUITS — Oranges, navels,

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS

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d	Alaska Gold	Sales. 600 6,900 1,400 900 2,500 200 1,800 200 600 1,000 1,000 1,000	317.7a	54%	22
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g	Atchison	1.600	67.54	66%	8
g	Built & Child	300	87%	87	- 8
J	Cal Petroleum	400	17.54	17	1
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ij	NY. NH&H.	5,400	52%	51%	10
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Money, Exchange, Etc.
NEW YORK, March 10.—Mercantile paper, 14, 0314 per cent.
Sterling exchange easier, 60-day bills, 179; for cables, \$4.80.85; for demand.

heavy.
Time loans easier, 60 days, 2½ @2% per cent; 90 days, 2% @3; six months, 8%.
Call money steady; high, 2 per cent; low, 1%; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1%; offered at 2.

Sterling — Sixty days, \$4.78%; demand, \$4.80%; cable, \$4.81%.

LONDON, March 10.—Bar silver, 24 1-16d per ounce. Money, 1 per cent. Discount rates, short and three months, 1% per cent.

Prices Current in Bay City on Fruit, Veg-

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—Butter—Creamary, 24c; firsts, 23%c; seconds, 22c.—Eggs—Fancy ranch, 21c; pullets, 18c.—Cheese—New, 36_12c; Young Americs, 13% @15%c; Oregons, 14%c.—Vegetables—Bell peppers, 7@25c; hothouse-cuoumbers, 90c@1.10; asparagus, 10@15c.
Onlone-Yellow, 80@80c. Only four loads of stock, nearly all hogs, were received at the yards yesterday. The market was consequently very quiet.

The hog market top is now established at 37.25, and with supplies light, a continued firm market is expected. There was but little business in other divisions and the undertone was reported steady.

Oregon Pippins, \$1(\$1.25; Spitzenbergs, \$1.75@:25; Baidwins, Toc:\$\$1; Whresaps, \$5c@\$1.10.

Potatoes—Burbanks, Oregon, \$1.40@1.50; delta, \$1.10@1.20; Northern, \$1.10@1.25; Lompocs, \$1.65@1.50; Idaho, \$1.91.35; awaets, \$1.25@2.75; new, \$c per pound. Receipts—Flour, \$70 quarters; barley, 420 centals; potatoes, 1800 sacks; hay, 199 tons.

ton & Falz, Halsey, I car castle, some sheep.

The day's sales were as follows:

Wt. Price | Wt. Price | Wt. Price | 4 hogs | 220 \$7.25 | 1 cow | 1130 \$5.75 |
94 hogs | 185 7.25 | 1 wather | 180 7.25 | 6 hogs | 160 7.25 | 1 wather | 180 7.25 |
Prices current at the local stockyards on the various classes of stock:

Prime steers | \$7.50 \$7.50 |
Choice steers | \$7.50 \$7.50 |
Medium steers | \$6.78\$ \$7.50 \$7.50 |
Medium cows | \$6.00 \$6.80 |
Medium cows | \$5.00 \$6.25 |
Medium co Coffee Futures.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The market for coffee futures was very quiet today, but prices ruled generally steady on a little covering and trade buying in the absence of important offsrings. The opening was unchanged to two points higher, and active months sold two to four points net higher toward the middle of the day, but eased slightly in the late trading, with the close slightly in the late trading, with the close net unchanged to three points higher. Sales, 5750. March, 5.5bc; April, 5.6bc; May, 5.70c; June, 5.73c; July, 6.75c; August, 6.82c; September, 6.89c; October, 6.95c; November, 7.08c; January, 7.12c.

Spot, quiet. Rio, No. 7, 73c; Santos, No. 5, 23c.

Cost and freight offers were generally unchanged. Rio exchange on London was 1-16d higher and milireis prices were unchanged in Santos, but 75 reis lower in the Rio market. Coffee Futures.

SOUTH OMAHA, March 10. — Hogs — Receipts, 21,000; lower, Heavy, \$6.55@6.65; light, \$6.55@6.65; bulk of sales, \$6.00@6.65 sales, \$6.00 me.05.
Cattle — Receipts, 7800; easier. Native steers, \$6.50 me.50; cows and heifers, \$5.00 me.7.00; Western steers, \$6.00 me.7.75; Texas steers, \$5.80 me.7.20; cows and heifers, \$4.75 me.75; calves, \$7.00 me.00; sheep — Receipts, 13.800; steady. Yearlings. \$5.50 me.70; 13.800; steady. Yearlings. \$5.50 me.00; wethers, \$7.50 me.800; lambs, \$9.20 me.89. Dried Fruit at New York. NEW YORK, March 10.—Evaporated ap-les, dull. Prunes, quiet. Peaches, quiet ples, dull. and easy.

Hops at New York.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Hops—Steady.

Wall Street Stock Market Is Dull

Alaska Gold Amai Copper Am Beet Sugar. American Can Am Smel & Ref do preferred. Am Tel & Tel Am Tobacco Anaconda Min Atchison Bait & Obio Brook R Tran. Cal Petroleum. Canadian Pac Central Leather Ches & Obio Central Leather Ches & Obio	Sales.	High.	Low.	Bld
Alaska Gold	600	305	30-24	30
Amai Copper	8,900	20.58	29.75	29
Am Beet Bugar.	T. 4900	019 TA	117-94	28
American Can	2,500	64.35	0394	63
do preferred.	200	103	102%	101
Am Sugar Ref.	1,800	1002持	102	190
Am Tel & Tel	200	120%	990	999
Am Tobacco	500	2634	26%	203
Archison	1,900	105 %	95 %	357
Balt & Ohlo	1.600	67.54	66.79	07
Brook R Tran	300	87.74	17	17
Cal Petroleum	2 500	1611	159 %	150
Canadian Pac	1.400	34	3 1/2	33
Ches & Ohio		*****	****	10
Chi Gt West C. M & St Paul. Chicago & N W Chino Copper		****	\$200 X	
C, M & St Paul	400	84.74	87 16	122
Chicago & N W	500	36	35 In	43437
Col Fuel & Iron	*****	ATTAL	*****	21
Col Fuel & Iron Col & Southern	*****	41107	****	24
D & R Grande do preferred	19.13-51	A	*****	103
do preterred.		02301		8
Distillers' Secur	2,000	2234	21%	22
Erle	*****	* 4 4 4 4	11011	130
Gt North pf	1,100	31%	11514	31
Gt North Ore	500			
Guggenheim Ex Illinois Central: Interbor Met pt Inspiration Cop- Inter Harvester. K C Southern. Lehigh Valley Louis & Nash Mex Petroleum.	500	105%	103	102
Interbor Met pt	200	59.56	59	591
Inspiration Cop.	000	20 %	119 18	93
Inter Harvester.	300	1917.59	99	20
K C Southern.	700	1354	13436	135
Lenigh values		17751		113
Mex Petroleum.	1,700	6734	665	66
Miami Copper	1,100	20%	20%	10
Mo, Kan & Tex.	*** 200	1912	3116	11:
Mo Pacino	17.100		The same	1387
National Lead	300	53.%	53 1/4	533
Nevada Copper.	*****		1000	12
N Y Central	300	887%	833a 515a	ECT. 3
NYNHEH	0,400	702	102	101
Nortolk & West	900	1034	102%	102
Louis & Nash Mex. Petroleum. Miami Copper. Mo, Kan & Tex. Mo Paclito. Nat Biscuit National Lead Nevada Copper. N Y Central N Y Central N Y N H & H. Norfolk & West Northern Pac Pacillo Mail				2
Pacific Mali Pac Tel & Tel.	* ** ***	107.17	105	2051
Pennsylvania	1,600	190 %	100	105
Pull Pal Car	400	17.14	1734	3.73
Bending	19,900	145 %	144%	144
Republic I & S.		****	****	20
Pac Tel & Tel. Pennsylvania Pull Pal Car Ray Con Cop Reading Republic 1 & S. Rock Island Co. do preferred. St L & S F 2 1 Southern Pac		****	F2777	- 19
do preidired.	6	*****	100	31
Southern Pac	3,300	8415	83.36	841
Southern Ry	300	15%	15%	151
Tenn Copper	800	28	27.94	100
Texas Company	10.100	120.8	119%	188 120
St L & S F 2 1 Southern Pac. Southern Ry Tenn Copper Texas Company Union Pacific do preferred.	10,100	220.76	****	79
II S Stuel	22,700	45%	44%	45
do preferred.	******		****	105
Ittaly Copper	1.200	5834	53	537

BONDS.

U.S. Ref. 2s. reg. 984 N. Y. C. G. 745 80
do coupon... 985 Nor Pac 3s... 644
U.S. 3s. reg... 101 5 do 4s... 91 3
do coupon... 101 5 Union Pac 4s... 93
U.S. 3s. reg... 102 5 So Pac Con 5s... 97 5
do coupon... 110 5

1.80.35. Bar silver, file. Mexican dollars, 3814c. Government bonds steady, railroad bonds SAN FRANCISCO, March 10 .- Silver bars

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET

Onlons Yellow, 60 880c.
Fruit-Lemons, \$1.50 @ 2.50; bananas, Hawaiian, \$1.50 @ 2. pineapples, do., \$1.50 @ 2.50; California apples, Pippins, 65 @ 85c; Bellefleur, 25 @ 50c; other varieties, 50 @ 75c; do. Oregos Pippins, \$1 & 1.25; Spitzenbergs, \$1.75 @ .25; Baldwins, 75 c # \$1; Winesaps,

Cotton Market. NEW YORK, March 10.—Spot cotton, ulct. Mid-uplands, 8.85c. Sales, 600. Duluth Linseed Market. DULUTH, March 10. - Linseed - Cash, \$1.86%; May, \$1.87%; July, \$1.89.

Naval Stores. SAVANNAH, Gs., March 10.—Turpentin irm at 420. Sales, 45 barrels; receipts, LADD & TILTON BANK

\$2,000,000 Capital and Surplus Commercial and Savings Deposits

barrels; shipments, 83 barrels; stocks, 31,109 barrels.
Rosin—Firm. Sales, none; receipts, 301
barrels; shipments, 8601 barrels; stocks,
111423 barrels, A. B. \$2.95; C. D. \$5.025;
11423 barrels, A. B. \$2.95; C. D. \$5.025;
11, \$5.125; K. \$3.225; M.
The state and it is probable that those counties which show a disposition to help themselves will be aided in accordance with the policy of the Commissions
The statement that State Highway
\$4; N. \$5; WG, \$3.45; WW, \$5.55.

Metal Market. NEW YORK, March 10.—Tin nominal: 25-ton lots, 44c bid, 48c asked.
Copper steady. Electrolytic, 14.75@14.87c; casting, \$14.25@14.63c.
Iron. quiet and unchanged.
Lead steady at 3.60@4c.
Spelter not quoted.

Spelter, not quoted. Chicago Dairy Produce. CHICAGO, March 10 .- Butter - Un-

changed. Unsettled, Receipts, 17.644 cases; at Eggs—Unsettled, Receipts, 17.644 cases; at mark, cases included, 18% 817%; ordinary firsts, 16% 816%; firsts, 17% 817%; New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Raw sugar steady. Centrifugal, 4.71c; molasses sugar 3.94c. Refined, steady.

SPECULATIVE HOLDERS AT CHICAGO IN RUSH TO UNLOAD.

Weakness Due to Pence Rumors and Reports That Italy Will Soon Render Help to Allies.

CHICAGO, March 10, - Rushes of selling

followed one another fast today in the wheat pit and broke prices at one time 5 %c on acpit and broke prices at one time 5%c on account of peace rumons and of reports that Italy and other powers heretofore neutral were about to give active aid to Great Britain. The market closed unsettled at 2%c to 3%c under last night. Other not losses were: Corn, ic to 1%c; outs, % 0%c, and provisions, 2%c to 10c.

Wheat prices tumbled as a result of London rumors that the German Imperial Chancellor would announce terms on which Germany was willing to make peace. The market was also affected by assertions that shipping facilities for experiers were getting worse delily and that charters were difficult to obtain at any price. Scantiness of country offerings, however, helped to cause nervous railies. Henewed selling pressure afterward pulled down the market lower than before, with numerous stop-loss transactions, 5%c under last night's level. Bearish crop reports had some discouraging speculative holders.

Corn suffered chiefly from the weakness of wheat. There were conflicting reports as to seaboard demand. Chicago handlers announced sales to the East, but Baltimore sent word of purchases being cancelled.

Oats were governed almost entirely by the action of other grain. Commission houses sold freely.

Provisions felt the depression in the markets for cereals and hogs. Support from packers was not at all of an energetic sort. Leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT.

WHEAT. CORN. May 72% OATS. May 56% July 52% .57 % .52 % 5616 MESS PORK. 17.60 17.47 17.67 18.00 17.83 17.95 May17.60 July17.97 LARD. May10.47 July10.67 10.50 SHORT RIBS. May10.05 10.05 10.00 July10.32 10.35 10.27

May ... 10.05 10.25 10.27 10.33 July ... 10.32 10.25 10.27 10.33 July ... 10.32 10.25 10.27 10.33 Cash prices were: Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.52½@1.57½; No. 2 hard, \$1.55@1.55½; Sel. 10.25 No. 4 yellow. 72½@70½@7.00½ Vel. Vellow. 72½@70½@7.00½ Vellow. 62½@70½@7.00½ Vellow. 72½@70½@7.00½ Vellow. 72½@70½@7.00½ Vellow. 72½@70½@7.00½ Vellow. 72½@70½ Vellow. 554,000 Vellow. 652,000 vs. 862,000 vs. 862,000 vs. 652,000 Vs. 652,000 bushels: oats, 652,000 vs. 862,000 vs. 742,000 Ghipments—Wheat, 706,000 vs. 422,000 Ghipments—Wheat, 706,000 vs. 422,000 Ghipments—Wheat, 706,000 vs. 422,000 Ghipments—Wheat, 706,000 vs. 742,000 bushels:

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Foreign Grain Markets, LIVERPOOL March 10.—Futures: pened led lower; closed lid lower, Cash wheat, nuchanged; corn une o lid lower. Flour unchanged. BUENOS AYRES, March 10.-Wheat, un-PARIS, March 10,-Wheat. 1/2 higher

, unchanged. Minneapolis Grain Market. Minneapolis drain antication of the Minneapolis March 10.—Wheat—May, \$1.42%; July, \$1.47%; No. 1 hard, \$1.48%; No. 1, Nerthern, \$1.44% @1.48%; No. 2, Northern, \$1.40% @1.45%. Harley, 65@75c. Plax, \$1.83% @1.87.

Other Eastern Grain Markets. KANSAS CITY, March 10.—Wheat closed: May, \$1.42%; July, \$1.12% @1.12%. ST. LOUIS, March 10.—Wheat closed: May, \$1.48 asked: July, \$1.13%. WINNIPEG, March 10.—Wheat closed: May, \$1.49% bid; July, \$1.49%; May oats, 63%c bid. DULUTH, March 10.-Wheat closed: May, \$1.47%; July, \$1.42.

Grain at San Francisco. Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Murch 10.—Spot quotations, nominal. Walla Walla, \$2.40 \(\pi \) 2424 per cental; red Russian, \$2.40 \(\pi \) 2422 per cental; Turkey red, \$2.45 \(\pi \) 252 \(\pi \) 250 per cental; bluestem, \$2.50 \(\pi \) 255 per cental.

Feed barley, \$1.40 \(\pi \) 1.50 per cental.

Oats, white, \$1.77 \(\pi \) 1.50 per cental.

Bran. \$28 \(\pi \) 233 per ton.

Middlings, \$22 \(\pi \) 33 per ton.

Call board sales—Barley, May, \$1.34 bid.

\$1.35 asked; December, \$1.34 bid, \$1.37 asked.

Puget Sound Grain Markets. TACOMA, March 10.—Wheat—Bluestem \$1.40; forty fold, \$1.35; club, \$1.35; red fife \$1.34; rel Russian, \$1.80. Car receipts— Wheat 34, barley 1, rye 1, hay 19.

ROAD FUND GIFT DENIED

COMMISSION SAYS AWARD TO COL-UMBIA NOT CONSIDERED.

Jackson and Hood River to Get \$50,000 Each and Rest to Be Given Where Best Used.

SALEM, Or., March 19.—(Special.)—
Reports that the State Highway Commission will spend \$50,000 of the State Highway fund in Columbia County this year are unauthorized, according to members of the Commission. The Board has not considered where the \$200,000 available for actual road work will be expended and will not for several the same for the Same Francisco & Portland S. S. Co., Taliful and Washington Sts. (with 0.—W. R. & N. CO.) Tel. Marshall 4500. A 6121. will be expended and will not for sev-

eral weeks.
About \$50,000 of the money will go ions of a bill passed at the recent segsion of the Legislature and Hood River will get about the same amount. The balance will be expended by the Board as it believes to the best intrests of PORTLAND & COOS BAY S. S. LINE

Engineer Bowlby will have available about \$50,000 of the Columbia County road fund for use this year also is questioned here, since A. L. Clark, County Judge, recently informed a member of the Commission that the memoer of the characted. He also said that he had been informed persons connect-ed with the State Highway Engineers ed with the State Ingles of States of the American department were circulating a report that the Commission would apportion \$50,000 of the state fund to Columbia County. When told that the Board had not even considered the matter, he replied that the county could no nothing, for it had no money for road purposes.

Three Fruit Plans Suggested.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., March 10. (Special.)—A counter proposal made by the Yakima Valley Fruit Growers' As-sociation to propositions that this or-ganization join the Yakima Fruit Sell-ers in marketing Yakima soft fruits, suggests that the sellers join the North Pacific Fruit Distributers. An alterna tive offered is a special sales board composed of one representative of the distributers and one from the sellers.

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