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More Eastern Cranberries Arrive. Four cars of Eastern cranberries, late Hovey and late Jersey, reached Portland yesterday.

Sugar Will Advance Today. There will be an advance of at least 10 cents and possibly 25 cents in local sugar prices this morning.

Advance in Lined Oil. An advance of 3 cents per gallon in lined oil was announced yesterday. The new quotations are: Raw, 17 cents in barrels and 80 cents in cases; boiled, 77 cents in barrels and 82 cents in cases.

Bank Clearings. Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows: Clearing Balance, \$1,745,430; Portland, \$1,745,430; Seattle, \$1,745,430; Tacoma, \$1,745,430.

GRAIN, FLOUR, FEED, ETC. Merchants' Exchange, noon session, November 9. Bid, Ask.

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Staple Groceries. Local jobbing quotations: No. 1, 10; No. 2, 9 1/2; No. 3, 9; No. 4, 8 1/2; No. 5, 8; No. 6, 7 1/2; No. 7, 7; No. 8, 6 1/2; No. 9, 6; No. 10, 5 1/2.

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Provisions. HAMS—All sizes, choice, 20c; standard, 18c; extra, 16c; No. 1, 14c; No. 2, 12c; No. 3, 10c; No. 4, 8c; No. 5, 6c; No. 6, 4c; No. 7, 3c; No. 8, 2c; No. 9, 1c; No. 10, 1/2c.

Butter. BACON—Pamper, 28c; standard, 26c; No. 1, 24c; No. 2, 22c; No. 3, 20c; No. 4, 18c; No. 5, 16c; No. 6, 14c; No. 7, 12c; No. 8, 10c; No. 9, 8c; No. 10, 6c.

Eggs. EGGS—Large, 18c; medium, 16c; small, 14c; No. 1, 12c; No. 2, 10c; No. 3, 8c; No. 4, 6c; No. 5, 4c; No. 6, 3c; No. 7, 2c; No. 8, 1c; No. 9, 1/2c; No. 10, 1/4c.

Oil. KEROSENE—Water white, choice, 8c; standard, 7c; No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5c; No. 3, 4c; No. 4, 3c; No. 5, 2c; No. 6, 1c; No. 7, 1/2c; No. 8, 1/4c; No. 9, 1/8c; No. 10, 1/16c.

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ENTIRE LIST OVER. Busy Day for Bears in Wall-Street Market.

SHORT SELLING ACTIVE. War Stocks Are Chief Sufferers in Day's Decline—Even Metal Shares Are Under Pressure.

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It is expected that the city's average registration of 2300 will be reached by the time the books close next Monday.

GERMANS FORM SOCIETY. Red Cross and Charitable Work to Be Promoted at La Grande.

LA GRANDE, Or., Nov. 9.—(Special.)—Under the direction of Edgar Winters, state secretary of the Red Cross Society, and R. Schaefer, National secretary of the Order of the Sons of Hermann, a benevolent society has been organized here.

San Francisco Los Angeles (Without Change En Route) The Big, Clean, Comfortable, Elegantly Appointed, Seagoing S. S. BEAR Sails From Alameda Dock 3 P. M., November 12.

IRRIGATION SUPPORT WON. Senator Jones and Representative La Follette Back Benton Project.

WINLOCK MILL PLANS BEING DRAWN. CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 9.—(Special.)—The plans for the new mill of the Veness Lumber Company at Winlock are being drawn by E. A. Wright, a draftsman employed by the Sumner

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