er ounce. Money, Blig #4 per cent.

BOOM ON IN HOPS

Demand for Choice Grades Is Stronger.

GROWERS HOLDING FIRM

Inquiries From England Are Expected to Result in Export Businessin Near Future-Top Prices Are Being Offered.

There is somewhat of a boom on in the hop market just now. The domand for chaire grades is more pronounced than at may time this season, and as growers are holding firmly, prices are gradually advancing.

English inquiries are beginning to come on the market, and while no purchases for export account are announced in the North-west, this show of interest by foreigners is having a strengthening effect on the market. Some of the buying lately done in California at 12 cents is said to have been for shipment to England.

There was buying as the state when the

cents, and in the Dalian section 12 cents was offered. There were offers of 11 to 12 cents in Western Washington, with grow-ers holding tight. The belder of a fancy let

for his hops.

The largest transaction of the day was the purchase by the Wolf Hop Company of 500 bales from Frank Matoms, of Independence.

at 11% cents.

The J. W. Seavey Hop Company bought 10% bales from a dealer at 11 cents, 125 bales from a dealer at 11 cents, 125 bales from Parkin, of Hillsbore, at 10% cents; 31 bales from Kunse, of Woodburn, at 9% cents; 10 bales from Driller, of Menitor, at 10 cents, and 200 bales of Western Washington at 14 cents.

In the St. Paul section, Provest and two either growers soid 120 bales at 10% to 11 cents. Other sellers reported were: Schick, of Newberg, 30 bales at 10% cents; Bronson, of Chehalem Mountain, 39 bales at 10% cents; Gooding, of Butteville; Maxwell, of Autora, 25 bales at 11 cents; Dental, of Autora, 47 bales at 11 cents; Johnson, of Needy, 101 bales at 11 cents. Needy, 101 bales at 3 to 10 cents.

It is estimated there are now unsold on

the Pacific Coast about 115,000 bales out of a total crop of about 263,000 bales. WHEAT TRADE DULL, PRICES LOWER Bids Are Reduced for all Grades at Mer-

The wheat market was quiet and weak yesterday. There was no husiness at the Merchants' Exchange and trade in the coustry was small. Bids at the exchange were reduced by to 2 cents, as compared with

Oats and barley bids were lowered 25 to cents. The San Francisco barley mar-has dropped \$1.20 a ton in the past

world's visible supply of wheat at 17,750,000 bushels. The European visible increased 5,476,000 bushels in the past week. The Canadian visible wheat supply increased 4,073,000 bushels, the cats supply increased 1,524,000 bushels and the barley phyl decreased 271,000 bushels.

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In his weekly international review Broom hall says that wheat has ruled strong on inadequate supplies, both native and forcign available for current wants and active consumption. Limited English offers, which are quickly absorbed, leave adjacent markets aimost wholly dependent on old reserves. According to the foreground of the street wholly dependent is taking the prices but the foreground is taking tificial prices, but the Government is taking sificial prices, but the Government is taking steps to improve this. The statistical post-tion of wheat is improving, with world's shipments averaging 11,250,000 and requirements 8,000,000. Large shipments from North America must continue, as latest developments in the East preclude hope of Helkan and Russian shipments, which loss reduces the world's available surveys the

Potato Yield Also Greater Than Last Year, but Apple Output Less.

The Oregon state crop report, issued by the Burcau of Crop Estimates, Department of Agriculture, in co-operation with the

Whest Estimate this year, 17,384,000 bushels: final estimate just year, 18,004,000. Price November I to producers, 84 cents per bushel; year ago, 95 cents. Cats—Estimate this year, 15,456,000 bush-eis; final catimate last year, 12,740,000, Price Nevember I to producers, 36 cents per bushel; year ago, 40 cents,

Harley-Estimate this year, 4,788,000 bushels; final estimate last year, 3,660,000. Princ November I to producers, 52 cents per bushel; year ago, 56 cents.

bushels; final estimate last year, 4.753,000. Price November 1 to producers, 52 cents per bushel; year ago, 64 cents.

Apples Estimate this year, 1,040,000 bar-rels; final estimate tast year, 1,134,000 bar-rels. Price Nevember 15 to producers, 88 cents per bushel; year ago, 70 cents. The report says of the United States apple erop: Mailmate this year, 76,700,000 barrels; final estimate last year \$4,400,000 harrels. Price October 15 to producers, \$2.14 per barrel; year ago, \$1.79,

FAILURES FEWER THAN YEAR AGO

Statistics for October Make Favorable Com-

ne increase in the country's business Some increase in the country's business mortality is not unusual at this period of the year, and no special significance attaches in the rise in the commercial death rate during October. Total insulvencies, as reported by R. G. Dun & Co., numbered 1898, or 155 more than in the previous month and the largest since July, while reveral defaults of exceptional rise helped to swell the habilities to \$23,522,330, as against \$16,235,670 in September and an average of wheat \$10,000,000 for the four months prior to that time.

When comparison is made with October, 1914, however, the showing is favorable, not only from a numerical standpoint, but also in respect to the aggregate indebtedness. Then 1686 concerns falled, owing \$20,702,178; in 1913 only 1484 suspensions occurred and the amount involved was \$20,245,486, though

There is a rather better feeling in the butter markets this week. Fresh eggs are extremely scarce and there is no opportunity to bring in Eastern fresh, owing 10 the higher prices prevailing in the Eastern markets. Oregon storage are holding steady at 256-25 cents.

The poultry market was steady, with a medicate apply. Dressed bush with a feacher from the poultry market was steady, with a medicate apply. Dressed bush with a feacher from the fea

clally veal, which sold at 10 cents. Good pork brought 5 cents.

More Eastern Cranberries Arrive, Four ears of Santon cramberries, late Howes and late Jerseys, reached Portland Yesterday, Cramberries work quoted unhanged at \$100-11.

Sigar Will Advance Today. There will be an sexuace of at least 15 cents and possibly 25 cents in local sugar prices this morning. The Eastern market was very strong, with a 25-cent rise at New

Advance in Linseed Oil.

An advance of 3 cents per gallon in lin-An advance of 3 cents her section in the seed oil was announced yesterday. The new quotations are: Raw, 77 cents in barrels and 80 cents in cases; bolled, 77 cents in barrels and 82 cents in cases.

Hank Clearings.
Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS Grain, Flour, Feed, Ftc. Marchants' Exchange, neon session November delivery, Bid.

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FIGUR — Fatents, \$4.80 per barrel;
straights, \$4.30 0.460; exports, \$4.10; whole wheat \$5.00, grabum, \$4.80
MHLLFSED—Spot prices: Bran, \$24 per ton; chorts, \$25; rolled barley, \$30 ggl.
CORN—White, \$36 per ton; cracked, \$4.37 per ton.
HAY—Eastern Oregon timothy, \$15@16; Valley timothy, \$12@13; alfalfa, \$13.50@14, \$150; cheat, \$9\$10; oats and vetch, \$11 @12.

Fruits and Vegetables,

TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, Valencias,
\$5.50\$6.75 per box; lemons, \$3.75\$4.50 per
box; bananas, be per pound; pineappies, 4½
file per nound; grapefruit, \$6\$7; per
box; bananas, 5c per box.

VEGETABLES—Artichokes, 75c\$1 per
cosen, tomatees, California, \$191.50; cabbases 90c hundred; garlic, 15c lb.; peppers,
4\$30c pound; esgplant, 4\$6c per pound;
sprouts, 8\$90 per pound; horseradish, 8½c
per pound; cauliflower, 75c\$1.25; celery,
50\$ 55c per dozen; beans, \$8\$\$5c.

GREEN FRUITS—Appies, 75c\$1.75 per
box, pears, \$191.50 per box; grapes, \$5c\$
\$1.55 per crate; casabas, 1½c per pound;
cranberries, \$5.06\$11 per barrel.

POTATOES—Oregon, 85\$90c; Yakima, \$1
per ack; sweets, \$1.90\$2 per hundred,
ONIONS—Oregon, buying price, \$1, f. c. b.
shipping point.

Dairy and Country Produce

Local jubbing quotations: EGGS Oregon ranch, buying prices: No. 40c; No. 2, 30c; No. 3, 20c per dozen, abblug prices: No. 1, 42c; Oregon storage. WW2Sc. POULTRY-Hens, 12@14c; Springs, 12c; urkeys, 17@15c; turkeys, dressed, 22c; ducks, white, 14@15c; colored, 12c; gense,

ducks white, 14@15c; colored, 12c; gense, 10@11c.

BUTTER—City creamery, cubes, extras, selling at 31%c; firsts, 29c; prints and cartons, extras. Prices paid to producers; Country creamery, 25@25c, according to quality; butterfat, premium quality, 35c; No, 1 average quality, 81c; No, 2 20c, CHEESE—Oregon triplets, jobbers' buying price, 15c per pound to b. dook Portland; Young Americas, 16c per pound.

YEAL—Fancy, Big 610c per pound.

PORK—Block, 72, 93c per pound.

Stuple Groceries.

Local jobbing quotations:
SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound tails.
\$2,30 per dozen; one-hair flats, \$1,30; 1-pound flats, \$2,50; Alaska pint, 1-pound

on of wheat is improving.

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HOPS—1915 crop. 8#12c per jound.
HIDES—Salted hides, 15 bc; salted klp,
15c; salted enlf, 18c; green hides, 14c; green
hip, 16c; streen caif, 18c; dry hides, 25c;
dry caif, 27c.
WOOL—Eastern Oregon, 18#25a Valley,
25#25c; Fall lambs wool, 25c.
MOHAIR—Oregon, 28c per pound.
CASCARA BARK—Old and new, 3 % #4c
per pound.

per pound.

PELTS-Dry iong-wooled pelts, 16c; dry short-wooled pelts, 12c; dry shearlings, 10ug 15c each; asited shearlings, 15ug 25c each; dry goat, long hair, 15c each; dry goat, shearlings, 10ug 15c each; dry goat, shearlings, 10ug 15c each; dry goat, shearlings, 10ug 15c each; shied long-wooled pelts, November, 75c 55.50 each.

Provisions.

HAMS—All sizes, choice, 20c; standard, 124c; skinned, 15@1816c; plenies, 104c; cottage roll, 15c; bolled, 17@18c.

BACON—Fancy, 28@30c; standard, 22@25c; choice, 1546@22c.

DRY SALT—Short, clear backs, 114@14c; exports, 114@15c; plates, 10@2114c.

LARD—Thereo basis, kettle rendered, 124c; standard, 11c; compound, 104c.

HARREL GOODS—Mess beef, \$21.50; plate back, \$22.50; plate back, \$22.50; plate back, \$20; iripe, \$10.50@11.50; torgues, \$30.

Oils. KEROSENE-Water white, drums, barrels or lank yagons, 10c; cases, 1716-620-6c.
GASOLINE-Bulk, 14%c; cases, 21%c; cases, 18c; nap-tha, drums, 18%c; cases, 20%c.
LINSEED OIL-Raw, barrels, 75c; raw, cases, 80c; boiled, barrels, 77c; boiled, cases, 82. TURP INTINE In tanks, 67c; in cases, 74c; 10-case lots, 1c less,

Prices Current on Butter, Eggs, Fruits, Veg-ctables, Etc., at Bay City.

dedrate supply. Drouged lurkeys were usted at 22 cents. Country-dressed meats were firmer espe- December, \$2.00%; July, \$2.01%.

A car of Valencia oranges also arrived. As the season for Valencias is now almost over, there was a good demand for the fruit. The first car of Southern California head lettuce was started for this city. Two cars of sweet potatoes were received.

SELLING

War Stocks Are Chief Sufferers in Day's Declines-Even Metal Shares Are Under Pressure. Railways Yield Less.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—The heavy Equidation which swept over yesterday's late market was renewed with greater vigor today, all parts of the list scoring new minimums for the current movement. The decline gathered increased force from professional sources, traders in general being active on the short side of the account. Foreign offerings were also an important factor, estimates of London's sales ranging from 25,000 to 50,000 shares.

In fact, much of the day's unsettlement was caused by further pessimistic advices from abroad. These bore largely upon political and financial conditions affecting the allied nations and were supplemented by unconfirmed rumors that large war orders were in danger of cancellation.

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ors were in danger of cancellation.

Apart from steady pressure, however, the market manifested many symptoms of an artificial character, which made it vulnerable to attack. Final prices were enly a triffe above low levels for high-grade securities, while specialties made nominal recoveries. All the activity of the session was at the expense of values, trading becoming dull on every covering movement. Total sales amounted to 1,133,000 shares. Some of the extreme declines were: Studebaker 23 at 140, Willys Overland 26 at 210, General Motors 20 at 370, Haldwin Locomotive 4 at 113, Tennessee Copper 5 at 51 and Great Northern Ore 3 at 46%. Shares in the so-called "near" were class, like American Linseed common and preferred, United States Industrial Alcohol. Distiliers' Securities and American Coal Products, lost 1 to 5 points. United States Steel, among the few leaders to show actual strength at the opening, declined to 50% and closed at 84%, a net gain of 4. In the railways, declines ran from 1 to 2 points, St. Pani, Norfolk & Vestern and the southern lines showing least realstance. Trading in these issues was broader than usual.

Sonds sagged in sympathy, some specu tvo issues making appreciable declines tal sales par value aggregated \$4,745,000 feed States bends were unchanged or

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Mining Stocks at Boston,
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Franklin 82% de pfd 47%
Granby Con 58% Utah Con 12%
Lake Rey (Cop) 27% Winesa 27%
Kerr Lake 2% Wolverine 59
Lake Copper 12% Dutte & Sup. 65

Weekly Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings in the United States for the week ending November 4, as reported to Bradstreets, suggested \$4,480,746,900, a sannat \$4,150,547,000 in the previous week and \$2,250,217,000 in the same week in year. Following are the returns for the past week, with percentages of change a compared with the same week last year. Ingreas New York \$2,727,685,000 in the same week and the compared with the same week last year. Ingreas New York \$2,727,685,000 in the same week last year. New York \$2,727,685,000 in the same week last year. 2,727,685,000
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Money, Exchange, Etc.

SWSU per cent Sterling, 80-dar bills, \$4.6950; demand; \$4.950; cables, \$4.6550. Bar siver, 50450. Mexican dellars, 35460. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds.

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Time loans, caster: 60 days, 2% 62% per cent: 90 days, 2% 663 per cent: six months, 2% 663 per cent: six months, 2% 663 per cent; six months, 1% per cent; rolling rate, 1% per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1% per cent; offered at 2 per cent.

Mexican dollars, 41c. Drafts, sight, 1@1160; do telegraph, de. LONDON, Nov. E-Bar silver, 24 7-18d

NEW YORK, Now 5.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at an advance of 2 to 7 points and zeld about 5 to 8 points net higher during the early trading on foreign buying and scattered covering after yesterday's sutback. Reports of steady Hrazillan markets holped the upturn, with some trade selling, as well as a renewal of scattered realizing, prices tator turned caster, with March declining from 5.96c to 6.85c, white May worked off from 7.05c to 6.85c. The closing was 4 to 7 points net lower. Sales, 56.50c bags, November, 6.85c; December, 6.85c; January, 6.84c; January, 6.84c; March, 6.56c; April, 6.85c; May, 6.81c; June, 6.95c; July, Te; Austust, 7.05c; September, 7.16c.

Spot. easy. Rio No. 7, Tiec. Santes No. 4 Sign.
The cost and freight market was reported rather caster in tone, with prices ranging from 9,35c to 9,40c for Santes 4c, English credits. The official cable reported no changes in the primary markets.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Raw sugar, firm.
Centrifugal, 4.64c; molasses, 3.87c.
Reflued, firm and 15 points higher. Cut
loaf, 6.55c; crushed, 6.45c; mould A, 6.10c;
cubes, 5.30c; XXXX powdered, 5.80c; powdered, 5.75c; fine granulated, 5.55c; diamend
A, 5.65c; confectioners A, 5.65c; No. 1, 5.40c.

Stocks Firmer at London. LONDON, Nov. 9.—The feature in the American section of the stock market was Canadian Pacific, which advanced sharply on improved earnings reports. The rest of the list hardened from below parity and closed steady.

Chicago Dalry Produce.
CHICAGO. Nov. 2.—Butter, higher. Creamery. 23% #23%c.
Eggs. higher. Receipts, 2823 cases: firsts, 20#30%c; ordinary firsts, 27%28c; at mark, cases included, 20%28c.

THOSE OF MONDAY. Light Weight Offerings Are Taken at

\$6,30-Cattle and Sheep Quiet

and Steady.

Receipts at the yards yesterday were small and the market was a very quiet affair, as compared with the proceeding day. There was a continuation of the weakness in the hog division, and the best price obtained during the day was \$6.50, as against \$84.60 realized ou Monday. A few lots of cattle were worked off within the prevailing range of prices. Sheep values were also atendy, but there were no sales.

Receipts were \$6 cattle and \$23 hogs. Shippers were:

pers were:
With cattle—W. W. Smith, Cervallis, 1
car; Georgo Smith, Brain, 1
With hegs—Looney & Allen, Jefferson, 1
car; Reese & Loop, McMinnville, 1; J. M.
Hoag, Blaicek, 36 head by boat; E. B.
Richmond, Wallus, 12 by boat; C. H. Douglas, Wallula, 25 by boat; J. A. Anderson,
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Omaha Livestock Market, Sheep—Receipts 13,000, higher. To \$6,00 @ 6.00; wethers, \$5.50 @ 5.80; \$5.50 @ 8.85.

Chicago Livestock Market,

Chicago Livestock Market.

CHICAGO, Nov. 0.—Hogss—Receipts 31.—
000, slow at 5 to 15c under yesterday's average. Bulk, \$6.50 @7.15; light, \$4.20 @7.15; mixed, \$6.30 @7.40; heavy, \$6.20 @7.35; rough, \$6.20 @6.35; pirs, \$5.75 @6.15.

Cattle—Receipts 6000, weak, Native beef steers, \$5.50 @10.40; Western steers, \$4.26 @8.50; cows and helfers, \$2.70 @8.15; caives, \$6.50 @10.25.

Sheep—Receipts 1000, frm. Wethers, \$5.30 @6.50; lambs, \$7.00 @0.20.

Naval Stores.

SAVANNAH. Ga. Nov. 9.—Turpentine—Firm. 55½c; sales, 159 barrels; receipts, 490 barrels; shipments, 127 barrels; stock, 11,063 barrels.

Rosin—Firm: sales, 11,408 barrels; receipts, 2319 barrels; shipments, SST barrels; stock, 63,705 barrels; shipments, SST barrels; stock, 63,705 barrels, Quote: A. B. C. D. B. S5,15; F. \$5,25; G. H. [\$5,301 K, 55,703 M, \$6,15; N, \$6,40; WG, \$8,50; WW, \$6,75.

New Issue of Overland Stock.

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Directors of the Baker Willys-Overland Company, according to an Bolton announcement made today, have decided to lawne \$15,009,000 new convertible 7 per cent preferred stock, which is to be offered to holders of the common steck of the company at 102% to the extent of 71% per cent burners of their holdings at the close of business, December 21.

Cotton Murket.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Spot cotton, quiet.
Middling uplands, 11.60c. Bales, 100 bales.

RATE CHANGE IS OPPOSED Albany Commercial Club Pleads for

Lumber Industry.

ALBANY, Or., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—
Protesting against a change in the freight rate on lumber shipments from the Willamete Valley, the Albany Commercial Club last night adopted a resolution, a copy of which has been sent to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The resolution was drawn and presented by the club's transportation committee, which consisted of J. L. White, H. S. Logan, D. O. Woodworth, M. Montgomery and C. B. Winn.

The resolution cites the value of the lumber industry, adverse conditions, the struggle for existence of the industry and excessive freight rates. dustry and excessive freight rates.

UMATILLA CANAL IS READY Work on Big Government Irrigation Waterway Is Completed.

PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 2.—(Special.)
—The big Government canal for the West Umatilla irrigation project is completed. The ditch, which has been under construction for practically three years, is 17 miles long, and is one of the longest and largest concrete-lined canals in the world.

The ditch takes the water form the

Mexican dollars, 251c.

Government bends, steady; railroad bends, leavy, and canals in the world.

The direct takes the water from the Umatilia River at the storage reservoir half way between Hermiston and Umatilia River the Government has a displayed per cent; six months, 22 sh per cent; six months, 22 sh per cent; six months, 23 sh per cent; railing rate, 12 per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; classing bid, 12 per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; classing bid, 12 per cent; last start soon, but it is understood that 12 city precincts for the municipal offsped at 2 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 2.—Sterling, 60

Heavy Supplies, Foreign and Domestic, Weaken Wheat.

MARKET CLOSES NERVOUS

Improved Weather Conditions for Newly Seeded Winter Crop Are Also Depressing Factor--Farmers in Middle West Hold.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Rapid entargement of stocks, both domestic and foreign, tended today to stimulate bearish sentiment regarding wheat. The market closed pervous, S. 10 to 1.21 c not lower, with December at 31.62 kg. and May at \$1.03 kg. 10.03 kg. Cern showed a less of 1.16c for December, but S. 10 kg. kg. advance for May, oats finished unchanged to 1 kg lower, and provisions down 7 kg to 35c.

Forecasts of showers that would tend to improve the condition of the newly seeded Winter crop formed one of the main alements adverse to any important ralks. Breaks in the price of wheat were followed by reports that as a result farmers in Nebraska and the Northwest showed signs of adopting a policy of holding back consignments.

Corn developed comparative strength, influenced by opinions that, measured by feeding value, the total domestic yield this season was but slightly above the crop of 1914.

Oats held about steady. Offerings were absorbed by houses that meally accepted to the case of the control of the control of the comparative of the control o

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Oats held about steady. Offerings were absorbed by houses that usually act for the seaboard.

Provisions gave way with hogs. Transactions were almost entirely confined to packers and stockyard shippers.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT. BEST PRICES ARE DIME UNDER Dec.\$1.624 \$1.029 \$1.01 \$1.024 \$1.024 \$1.025 1.034 \$1.02 \$1.024 \$1.025 1.024 \$1.025 \$1.024 \$1.025 \$1.024 \$1.025 \$1.024 \$1.025 \$1.024 \$1.025 \$1.0 CORN. Dec. 59 55% May 61% 62% OATE. May 38% .05% MESS PORK. Dec.14.50 Jan.16.50 16,25 16,27 LARD. 9.07 SHORT RIES,

8.95 8.67 9.15 9.05

Jan. ... 3.90 5.55 5.17 5.92

May ... 3.15 9.15 8.05 5.07

Cash prices were:

Wheat—No. 2 red, nominal; No. 2 red.
\$1.04@11.09; No. 2 hard, nominal; No. 3 hard, 97%c@\$1.05.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, old, 64%c; No. 2 white, old, 53%c; No. 3 yellow, new, 60%g 61c; No. 3 white, new, 90%6c.

Oats—Standard, 33%c.

Rye—No. 2, \$1.

Barles—\$44@56c.

Timothy—\$5@8.

Clover—\$10.82c.

Primary receipts—Wheat, 3,418,000 vs.
2,515.000 bunhels; corn, 553.000 vs. 744,000 bunhels; outs, 1,603,000 vs. 134,000 bunhels.

Shipments—Wheat, 1,803,000 vs. 134,000 bunhels.

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Foreign Grain Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 9.—Cash wheat uchanged to Id lower.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Cargoes on passage wheat unchanged to 4 12 d lower.

Minneapolis Grain Markets.
MINNEAPOLIS. Nov. 9.—Wheat—December, 96 Me; May, \$1.00 % \$1.00 %; No. 1 hard \$1.01 %; No. 1 Northern, 98 % @ \$1.00 %.
Harley, 51 @ 58c.
Flax, \$1.98 % @ 203 %. Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 9.—Spot quotations—Walla Walla, \$1.62% \$1.63; red Russolan, \$1.57% \$1.60; threely red, \$1.67% \$1.77% \$1.

Puget Sound Grain Markets Fuget Sound Grain Markets, SEATTLE Nov. 9 - Wheat Bluestem, 930; turkey red, 630; fortyfold, 930; club, 800; fife, 880; red Russian, 880; Barley, \$26.50 per ton, Yesterday's car receipis, wheat 52,, oats 13, barley 16, hay 30, flour 7. TACOMA Nov. 0.—Bluestem, 95995c; fortyfold, 90c; club, 90c; red fife, 89c. Car receipts—Wheat 39, barley 4, corn 4, bats 4, hay 18.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Nov. 9 .- Maximum ture, 31 degrees; misimum temperature, 39 degrees. River reading, 8 A. M., 2,5 feet. Chanfe in last 24 hours, 0.2 foot fall. Total rainfall (5 P. M. to 5 P. M.), 31 inches. Total rainfall since Sept. 1, 1915, 3.73 inches. Normal rainfall since Sept. 1, 7.33 inches. Normal rainfall since Sept. 1, 1915, 1.66 inches. Total sunshine, 2 hours 19 minutes; possible sunshine, 9 hours 42 minutes. Barometer (reduced to sea level), 5 P. M. Barometer (1 29.88 Inches. THE WEATHER,

Wind Wind STATIONS

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The Nevada low pressure area has moved northeastward and it is central this evening over Northwestern Wyoming. This disturbance has caused general rains on the Pacific Coast as fur south as San Diego. Cal., except the a fur south as San Diego. Cal., except the a fur south as San Diego. Cal., except the a fur south as San Diego. Cal., except the a fur south as San Diego. Cal., except the a fur south as San Diego. Cal., except the a fur south as San Diego. Cal., except the Lake Region and fur weather prevails generally throughout the Bastern states. It is cooler in Eastern Gregor, Nevada, Southern Artzona, the Great Sall Lake Basin and the lower Lake Region. The temperatures have risen over a narrow strip of territory extending from Wyoming northeastward to Canada. Conditions are favorable for ungetted greather in this district Wednesday, with occasional light rain in Western Orsnow east of the Cascade Mountains.

FORECASTS.

Portland and vicinity. Wednesday clouds and consequence therefore with law testing was a consequence of the cascade Mountains. WEATHER CONDITIONS.

PORECASTS.

Portland and vicinity, Wednesday cloudy and eccarional threatening, with light rain; winds mostly southerly.

Oregon and Wassington. Wednesday cloudy and occasionally threatening with light rain west and rain or snow cast portion; winds mostly southerly.

Idaho, Wednesday occasional rain or snow.

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> LA GRANDE, Or., Nov. 9 .- (Special.) -Under the direction of Edgar Winters, state secretary of the Red Cross Society, and R. Schaefer, National sec-retary of the Order of the Sons of Herman, a benevolent society has been or ganized here. The general society is to direct activities for the Red Cross and other benevolent undertakings. The following officers were elected: Ex-officio president, F. S. Wells; president, A. E. Goerther; vice-persident, H. Rettig; secretary, W. W. Becker; treasurer, J. Koesch.
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> The name of the society will be the

> The name of the society will be the Abraham Lincoln Society No. 7. All German Red Cross and local benevolent activities of Germans in this vicinity will be under the direction of this organization.

IRRIGATION SUPPORT WON

Senator Jones and Representative La Follette Back Benton Project.

KENNEWICK, Wash., Nov. 9.—(Special.)—Several hundred people attended the meetings here yesterday in the interest of the reclamation of Benton County lands. Senator Wesley L. Jones and Representative William L. La Follette were guests of the Kennewick Commercial Club, which is leading the campaign to irrigate 40,666 acres of land.

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The plans were outlined to the Congressmen in detail by A. R. Gardner, president of the Commercial Club, and J. J. Rudkin, L. E. Johnson and George P. Richardson.

Both Senator Jones and Mr. La Follette pledged support to a measure calling for an appropriation for the proposed survey. Winlock Mill Plans Being Drawn. CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 2.—(Special.)—The plans for the new mill of the Veness Lumber Company at Winter Levi are being drawn by E. A. Wright, a draftsman employed by the Sumner

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