THIRD OF CROP SOLD

Remainder May Be Found Hard to Move.

MARKET UNDERTONE EASY

Bids in Interior Are Reduced Half Cent and Offers on Local Exchange Are Lowered—Export Shipments East-Bound.

The undertone of the wheat market was easier yesterday. The demand was limited, and with the lack of support there was more disposition on the part of holders in some sections of the interior to meet buyers. This was perhaps responsible for the ½-cent reduction in bids in the interior and to the drop of ½ to 1 cent in offers on the local exchange.

Some of the wheat-growing districts, in fact, have been offering quite freely for a week past, whereas in the early part of the season the growers there were hard holders, but elsewhere sellers have tightened up with the ending of the market.

There is a good movement of wheat from the interior continent for export account, almost equaling the quantity coming this way, but the shipments represent business done some time ago, and it is said no new sales of this character have been negotiated. There is also nothing heard of new export flour business, beyond that previously reported, and this is borne out by the inactivity of millers in the wheat market.

The selling this month has exhausted wheat supplies in a few of the inland districts. It is now estimated that from 35 to 40 per cent of the crop of the Northwest has passed out of first hands. This would leave from 22,000,000 to 27,000,000 bushels still available for export, a very large quantity to be handled in the second half of the season, in view of the strained tonnage situation.

No business was transacted at the Merchants' Exchange yesterday. Bids for bluestem were reduced ½ to 1 cent, fortyfold offers were 1 cent lower and club was down ½ cent. Red wheat bids were unchanged, except January Bluestem, which was 1 cent lower.

The coarse grains were stagnant. The dullness of the oats trade is shown by a comparison of the receipts for the season to date of this and last year. Since July 1 local receipts of oats have been 15,000 tons, while in the corresponding period last year 29,225 tons were received here.

Bradstreet's estimates the world's visible wheat supply increase at 8,171,000 bushels and the corn increase at 237,000 bushels. The Canadian visible figures are: Wheat, 27,487 bushels; decrease, 256,000 bushels. Oats, 7,068,000 bushels; increase, 818,000 bushels. Barley, 1,017,000 bushels; increase, 192,000 bushels. A Chicago bulletin says Dutch millers are paying 20c to 25c per quarter for wheat.

Terminal receipts in cars were reported by the Merchants' Exchange as follows:

	Wheat	Barley	Flour	Oats	Hay
Portland Tues.	44	7	3	3	9
Year ago	41	4	3	5	7
Season to date	7121	900	609	802	918
Year ago	5469	898	1198	1169	900
Tacoma Mon...	31	2	....	1	27
Year ago	23	2	....	1	27
Season to date	6723	229	....	261	1192
Year ago	6215	265	....	260	1175
Seattle Mon. ..	47	1	2	10	4
Year ago	62	6	4	4	46
Season to date	4924	978	3638	831	2651
Year ago	4759	544	1669	723	2302

HOP MOVEMENT FOR TEN YEARS

Brewery Consumption in Past Season 36,828,294 Pounds.

The total hop movement of the United States for the last ten years is shown in the annexed table from the Monthly Crop Report, issued by the Department of Agriculture. The figures on the quantity consumed by brewers have been compiled from the records of the Treasury Department:

Year ending June 30—	Consumed by brewers, pounds.	Exports, Domestic, pounds.	Exports, Foreign, pounds.
1905	28,828,294	16,210,443	16,947
1906	41,967,825	24,212,594	10,724
1907	44,237,195	21,291,195	15,621
1908	42,476,065	12,190,622	23,869
1909	42,868,811	23,144,774	17,974
1910	48,291,744	30,188,234	14,260
1911	60,813,966	36,416,893	26,197
1912	62,046,212	22,920,246	20,661
1913	54,494,629	14,488,514	8,714
1914	41,629,172	11,026,304	22,454

	Imports, pounds.	Net domestic, pounds.
1905	11,811,237	43,412,150
1906	9,824,225	46,355,714
1907	8,494,144	53,379,615
1908	2,961,157	51,472,672
1909	8,517,511	49,634,628
1910	3,266,548	50,667,548
1911	2,750,125	37,500,341
1912	8,453,243	52,519,102
1913	6,211,493	54,901,164
1914	16,112,980	44,265,541

As shown by the Bureau of the Census the total area devoted to the growing of hops in the United States was 46,800 acres in 1879, 36,100 in 1889, 35,651 in 1899, and 48,891 in 1909. The productions aggregated 77,000,000 pounds in 1879, 69,000,000 in 1889, 48,000,000 in 1899 and 41,000,000 in 1909. Hops are grown chiefly in four states. Oregon holds first place in 1909 with a total area of 21,775 acres, New York second with 12,022 acres, California third with 8291 acres, and Washington fourth with 2428 acres. In 1909 the production of hops in the four leading states in their order was 16,282,000 pounds for Oregon, 11,983,000 for California, 8,027,000 for New York and 2,431,000 for Washington.

The consumption of hops by brewers for the year ending June 30, 1915, amounted to 36,828,294 pounds, of which 8,807,632 were consumed in New York, 4,626,982 in Pennsylvania, 2,734,216 in Illinois, 2,296,956 in Ohio, 2,737,381 in Wisconsin, and 2,895,488 in Massachusetts.

DRESSED TURKEYS FAIL TO CLEAN UP

Front-Street Prices Are Shaded at Close. Live Poultry Neglected.

Front street failed to clean up on Thanksgiving turkeys yesterday. Delayed shipments arrived after the demand had been satisfied, and although the price of the stock was shaded to 22 cents, and in some instances lower, there were still turkeys on hand when the day was over. A considerable quantity of dressed geese also came in and some of these were sold at 12 cents. There was no interest whatever in live poultry, and a large stock of chickens and geese had to be carried over. Dressed meats were also quiet and more or less nominal in price.

There was a good demand for eggs of all classes and prices were firm. There were no changes in the butter or cheese markets.

Navel Oranges Improve in Color.

The demand for fruits and vegetables continued large, but there was not the rush of the preceding day.

A car of navel oranges arrived of better quality than any heretofore received. Among the other citrus were a car each of head lettuce and sweet potatoes.

Oregon City Hops Sold.

The only deal reported in the hop market yesterday was the purchase by the Seavey Hop Company of the Nichols lot of 44 bales at Oregon City at 18½ cents. Few buyers were in the country, owing to the stormy weather.

Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities were as follows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Portland	$3,932,582	$213,277
Seattle	3,222,067	339,324
Tacoma	361,656	23,094
Spokane	868,326	72,340

PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

Merchants' Exchange, noon session. November Delivery.

	Bid	Ask
Wheat—		
Bluestem	$ 1.00	$ .97½
Forty-fold	.94	.95
Club	.92	.94½
Red Fife	.89	.92
Red Russian	.89	.92
Oats—		
No. 1 white, feed	24.00	24.75
Barley—		
No. 1 feed	26.50	28.00
Rolling	28.00	29.50
Bran	20.50	21.00
Shorts	21.00	24.00
Futures—		
December bluestem	.99	.99
January bluestem	.99	.99
December fortyfold	.94	.99½
January fortyfold	.94	.94
December club	.92	.94½
January club	.92	.93½
December Fife	.89	.92
January Fife	.89	.91
December Russian	.89	.92
January Russian	.89	.94
December oats	24.50	25.00
January oats	24.50	25.50
December feed barley	26.50	28.00
January feed barley	26.50	28.50
December brewing barley	28.00	29.50
January brewing barley	28.00	29.50
December corn	28.50	29.00
January corn	28.00	29.00
December shorts	22.00	24.00
January shorts	22.00	24.00

FLOUR — Patents, $4.80 per barrel; straights, $4.30@4.60; exports, $4.10; whole wheat, $5.00; graham, $4.50.

MILLFEED—Spot prices: Bran, $24 per ton; shorts, $25; rolled barley, $30@31.

CORN—Whole, $28 per ton; cracked, $27 per ton.

HAY—Eastern Oregon timothy, $15@16; Valley timothy, $12@15; alfalfa, $13.50@14.50; clover, $9@10; oats and vetch, $11@12.

Fruits and Vegetables.

TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges, Valencias, $3.50@3.75 per box; lemons $3.75@4.50 per box; bananas, 5c per pound; pineapples, 4½@6c per pound; grapefruit, $6.00@7.00; pomegranates, $1.50@1.75 per box.

VEGETABLES—Artichokes, 75c@$1.00 per dozen; tomatoes, California, $1.00@1.50; cabbage, 90c@$1 hundred; garlic, 15c pound; peppers, 4@5c pound; eggplant, 5@10c per pound; sprouts, 9c per pound; horseradish, 8½c per pound; cauliflower, 75c@$1.25; celery, 50@75c per dozen; beets, 90@$1½c; lettuce, $1@2.25 per crate; peas, 10@11c.

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, 75c@$1.75 per box; pears, $1.00@1.50 per box; grapes, $1@1.50 per crate; cranberries, 20c per pound; cranberries, $9@10 per barrel.

POTATOES—Oregon, 90@$1.00; Yakimas, $1.20 per sack; sweets, $2.25 per hundred.

ONIONS—Oregon, buying price, $1.60, f. o. b. shipping point.

Dairy and Country Produce.

Local jobbing quotations:

EGGS—Oregon ranch, buying prices: No. 1, 40c; No. 2, 30c; No. 3, 20c per dozen. Jobbing prices: No. 1, 42c; Oregon storage, 30@32c.

POULTRY — Hens, 11@12c; springs, 11@12c; turkeys, 17@18c; turkeys, dressed, 22@25c; ducks, white, 14c; colored, 12c; geese, 10@11c.

BUTTER—City creamery, cubes, extras selling at 31½c; firsts, 29c; prints and cartons, extra. Prices paid to producers: Country creamery, 24@26c, according to quality; butterfat, premium quality, 28c; No. 1, average quality, 27c; No. 2, 26c.

CHEESE—Oregon triplets, jobbers' buying price, 16c per pound, f. o. b. dock Portland. Young American, 17c per pound.

VEAL—Fancy, 9c per pound.

PORK—Block, 7½c per pound.

Staple Groceries.

Local jobbing quotations:

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, $2.30 per dozen; one-half flats, $1.50; 1-pound flats, $2.30; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 90c.

HONEY—Choice, $3.25 per case.

NUTS—Walnuts, soft cots, 16c; Brazil nuts, 16c; filberts, 16@18c; almonds, 18½c; peanuts, 5½c; cocoanuts, $1.00 per dozen; pecans, 18@20c; chestnuts, 10c.

BEANS—Small white, 5.80c; large white, 5.80c; lima, 5½c; bayos, 6c; pink, 5c.

COFFEE—Roasted, in drums, 14@25c.

SUGAR—Fruit and berry, $6.70; beet, $5.30; extra C, $5.20; powdered, in barrels, $6.20; cubes, barrels, $7.10.

SALT—Granulated, $13.50 per ton; half ground, 100s, $16.50 per ton; 50s, $17.50 per ton; dairy, $14 per ton.

RICE—Southern head, 5½@6½c pound; broken, 4c; Japan style, 4½@5c.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 8c per pound; apricots, 13@15c; peaches, 8c; prunes, Italians, 9@9½c; prunelles, loose Muscatels, 8c; unbleached Sultanas, 9½@10c; seeded, 9c; dates, Persian, 10c lb.; lard, $1.85 per pail; currants, 17½@12c; figs, 50 ounces, $2.00; 16 4-ounce, 12.25; 30 10-ounce, $2.40; 12 10-ounce, 90c; bulk, white, 7@8c; black, 6c.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—1915 crop, 19@12½c.

HIDES—Salted hides, 1-4c; salted "kip, 16c; salted calf, 18c; green hides, 14c; green kip, 16c; green calf, 18c; dry hides, 26c; dry calf, 27c.

WOOL—Eastern Oregon, 18@25c; Valley, 23@26c. Fall lamb wool, 23c.

MOHAIR—Oregon, 28c per pound.

CASCARA BARK—Old and new, 3½@4c per pound.

PELTS—Dry long-wooled pelts, 16c; dry short-wooled pelts, 12c; dry shearlings, 10@15c each; salted shearlings, 15@25c each; dry goat, long hair, 12c each; dry goat shearlings, 10@20c each; salted long-wooled pelts, November, 75c@$1.50 each.

Provisions.

HAMS—All sizes, choice, 20c; standard, 13½c; skinned, 15@15½c; picnics, 10½c; cottage roll, 15c; boiled, 17@18c.

BACON—Fancy, 18@20c; standard, 22@23c; choice, 12½@22c.

DRY SALT—Short clear backs, 11½@14c; exports, 11½@12c; plates, 10@11½c.

LARD — Three tests, kettle rendered, 12½c; standard, 11c; compound, 10½c.

BARREL GOODS—Mess beef, $21.50; plate beef, $22.50; plate pork, $29; trips, $16.50@17.50; tongue, $33.

Oils.

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

GASOLINE—Bulk, 14½c; cases, 21½c; engine distillate, drums, 9c; cases, 16c; naphtha, drums, 13½c, cases, 20½c.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, barrels, 78c; raw, cases, 84c; boiled, barrels, 81c; boiled, cases, 86c.

TURPENTINE—In tanks, 67c; in cases, 74c; 10-case lots, 1c less.

Coffee Futures.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The market for coffee futures opened at a decline of 4 to 6 points under further scattering liquidation, which appeared to be inspired by the talk of a less active European demand. Brazil and the easier ruling of the cost and freight situation. Business was again largely in the way of switching from December to later positions, however, and prices rallied from 6.35c to 6.40c for March and from 6.75 to 6.78c for July during the afternoon on covering. The close was 1 to 3 points net lower. Sales, 37,750 bags. November, 6.30c; December, January and February, 6.30c; March, 6.40c; April, 6.64c; May, 6.66c; June, 6.72c; July, 6.76c; August, 6.80c; September, 6.85c; October, 6.92c.

Spot, steady; Rio 7s, 7½c; Santos 4s, 9½c.

Cost and freight offers of Santos 4s range from about 8.30c for undescribed up to 9.10 for well-described coffees.

The official cables reported declines of 75 to 100 reis in the Brazil markets, with Rio exchange 1-16d lower.

Naval Stores.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 23.—Turpentine, firm, 34½c. Sales, 30 barrels; receipts, 517 barrels; shipments, 88 barrels; stock, 19,086 barrels.

ROSIN, firm; sales, none; receipts, 2159 barrels; shipments, 828 barrels; stock, 66,071 barrels. Quote: B, $5.60; C, D, E, F, $5.65; H, $5.70; I, $5.75; K, $6.40; M, $6.20; N, $6.25; WG, $6.50; WW, $6.20.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Copper, steady, electrolytic, 20c.

Iron, steady and unchanged.

Metal Exchange quotes tin quiet, 39@40c. The Metal Exchange quoted lead offered at 5.25c.

Spelter, 18.75@19.25c.

Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Evaporated apples, steady.

Prunes, unsettled, Californias, 3¾@11c.

Peaches, quiet.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Raw sugar, firm. Centrifugal, 4.77c; molasses sugar, 4.00c. Refined, steady.

Chicago Dairy Produce.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Butter, unchanged. Eggs—Receipts, 4,098 cases, unchanged.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Spot cotton, quiet. Middling uplands, 11.70c, sales, 100 bales.

Duluth Linseed Market.

DULUTH, Nov. 23.—Linseed, cash, $2.00½; December, $1.90; May, $2.04.

School Bonds Must Be Revoted.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—It was discovered yesterday that, owing to the faulty publication of the election notice, the $12,384.53 in bonds voted last Spring by the Fords Prairie School District, west of this city, to retire all outstanding indebtedness, are illegal and the election will have to be held over again. Previous to the discovery of the error the bonds had been sold to the Coffman-Dobson Bank, of Chehalis.

The uhlans owe their name to the Turks. It comes from the Turkish word "oglan," meaning "youth."

STOCK TRADE LAGS

Steady Tone Maintained, Due to Absence of Pressure.

PRICE CHANGES ARE FEW

Canadian Pacific's Fluctuations Only Noteworthy Feature of Rail List—Coppers Do Not Respond to Big Metal Demand.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Trading in stocks today was perfunctory and superficial from start to finish. Dealings diminished to the meager total of 325,000 shares, and, except for some of the more speculative specialties, which have recently figured prominently, price changes were insignificant, or at least unimportant. A steady tone was maintained throughout, but this was due more to the absence of pressure than to any actual demand.

Automobile shares rose 2 to 4 points. War issues of the class including Crucible Steel, Lackawanna Steel, American Can, American Locomotive and Baldwin Locomotive gained almost as much, and stocks of no particular description showed variable gains of 1 to 3 points.

United States Steel fluctuated within the extremely narrow range of a half point, and Bethlehem Steel was again utterly ignored, not a single sale being recorded.

Coppers were steady, but failed to make further response to the increased demand for the metal. In the final dealings Central Leather and American Hide & Leather preferred rose substantially.

Canadian Pacific's rise of 2¾ to 136 was almost the only noteworthy movement in the rails, although Union Pacific, Northern Pacific, Erie and the new and old Rock Island issues showed signs of moderate accumulation. Canadian Pacific lost much of the gain before the dull close.

In the way of general news, the foreign demand for steel was among the chief features.

Further large receipts of gold from England were reported in payment of munitions. Exchange on London worked back to the highest quotation in many weeks, demand sterling selling as high as $4.76½, with other markets firmer in sympathy. Remittances of Scandinavian exchange were especially large.

Trading in bonds was moderate, but denoted some increase of investment inquiry. "Future" or foreign offerings were small. Total sales (par value) aggregated $3,210,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Closing bid.
Alaska Gold.....	600	28	27¾	27¾
Allis-Chalmers..	1,700	22½	22	22½
Am Beet Sugar.	100	64¾	64¼	64
American Can...	3,000	60½	59¾	60
American Loco..	8,100	72¾	71	71¾
Am Sm & Ref..	2,000	87¾	87	87
do pfd	3,000	111¾	111¾	111
Am Sug Ref...	2,600	117¾	116½	116¾
Am Tel & Tel..	1,300	128¾	128¼	128¾
American Tob...	1,000	227¾	227¾	227¾
Anaconda Cop..	6,600	89	88¼	88½
Atchison	1,000	107¾	107¼	107¾
Baldwin Loco...	14,100	118¾	116¾	116¾
Baltimore & O.	2,000	84¾	84¾	84¾
Beth. Steel ...	....	....	....	412
Br Rap Trans..	400	90¾	90	90
Calif Petrol....	3,000	27¾	27¼	27¾
Canadian Pac..	3,200	136	134	135
Central Leath..	2,400	59¾	58¾	59
Ches & Ohio...	1,400	65¾	65¼	65¾
Chi Gt West...	700	15¾	15½	15¾
Chi Mil & St P.	300	93	94¾	94¾
Chi & N W ...	....	....	....	134¾
C R I & P Ry..	56,000	20¾	19	19¾
Chino Copper...	1,000	35¾	34¾	34¾
Colo Fuel	2,300	33¾	31¾	31¾
Crucible Steel...	12,400	77	75¾	76
D & R G pfd...	800	28¾	25	26½
Dist Securities..	2,600	48¾	47	47
Erie	3,100	44¾	43¾	44
General Electric.	....	....	....	175
Gt Nth pfd...	1,200	126¾	126¼	126¾
Gr Nor Ore ctfs.	23,600	31¾	30¾	31¾
Gugenheim Ex.	6,600	79¾	79	79¾
Illinois Central..	....	....	....	108¾
Int Cons Cop..	1,100	22¾	22	22
Inspiration Cop.	2,800	45¾	44¾	45
Int Harv, N J...	....	....	....	108
K C Southern...	200	27¾	27¾	27¾
Lehigh Valley..	1,100	42¾	41¾	41¾
Lorillard	500	126¾	126¾	128
Mexican Petrol.	4,800	94¾	91	93
Miami Copper...	1,100	35	34¾	34¾
M K & T pfd...	400	16¾	15¾	16
Mo Pacific.....	2,100	7¾	6¾	6¾
National Biscuit	100	125¾	125¾	125
National Lead..	800	65¾	64¾	64¾
Nevada Copper.	600	16¾	16¾	16¾
N Y Central....	1,000	102¾	102	102¾
N Y, N H & H.	8,200	74¾	74¾	75
Nor & Western..	200	118¾	118¾	118¾
Nor Pacific....	1,400	117	116¾	116¾
Pacific Mail...	200	32¾	32¾	32
Pac Tel & Tel..	....	....	....	41
Pennsylvania ..	1,800	58¾	58¾	59¾
Pull Pal Car...	....	....	....	166
Ray Cons Cop..	1,200	26¾	26	26
Reading	2,100	82¾	82¼	82¾
Rep Ir & Steel.	1,200	51	50¾	50¾
Southern Pac...	4,100	102¾	102¾	102¾
Southern Ry...	2,200	25¾	25¾	25¾
Studebaker Cor..	1,400	156¾	154¾	154¾
Tennessee Cop..	1,400	58¾	57¾	58
Texas Company.	1,300	202	198	198¾
Union Pacific...	10,600	140¾	139¾	139¾
do pfd	100	86	85	85
U S Rubber....	21,100	86¾	86¾	86¾
do pfd	....	....	....	115¾
Utah Cop.....	2,100	78¾	78	78¾
Western Union..	200	68	67¾	67¾
Westing Elect...	6,300	68¾	67¾	67¾
Westmoreland..	1,000	66	65¾	65
General Motors.	....	....	....	426
Wabash R pfd...	400	39¾	39¾	39
Int-Marine pfd..	8,800	70¾	69	69

Total sales for the day, 328,000 shares.

BONDS.

U S ref 2s reg.	99¾	Nor Pac 4s	94
do coupon	99	Nor Pac 3s	68¾
U S 2s reg	101¾	Pac Tel & Tel 5s	99¾
do coupon	101¾	Penn Conv 4s ..	100
U S 4s reg	109¼	So Pac ref 4s...	90¼
do coupon	110	Union Pac 4s ...	97¾
Am Smel 6s....	114¾	Union Pac Cv 4s	97¾
Atch Gen 4s ..	94¾	U S Steel 5s....	103
D & R G Ref 5s	68	So Pac Cv 5s ...	107
N Y C Gen 3½s	117		

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Mercantile paper, 2@2¼ per cent.

Sterling, 60-day bills, $4.6350; demand, $4.7645; cables, $4.7685.

Bar silver, 37¾c.

Mexican dollars, 46¼c.

Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, firm.

Time loans, firm; 60 days, 2¼@2¾ per cent; 90 days, 2¼@2¾ per cent; six months, 2¾@3 per cent.

Call money, steady; high, 2 per cent; low, 1¾ per cent; ruling rate, 1¾ per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1¾ per cent; offered at 2 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Sterling, 60 days, $4.65¾; demand, $4.76; cable, $4.71.

Mexican dollars, 47c.

Drafts, sight 1c, telegraph 3c.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Bar silver, 22¾d per ounce.

Money, 4@4¼ per cent.

Discount rates: Short bills and three months, 3¾@5¾ per cent.

Weekly Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings in the United States for the week ending November 18, as reported to Bradstreet's, aggregate 4,945,790,000, against $4,555,482,000 in the previous week, and $2,849,618,000 in the same week last year. Following are the returns for the past week, with percentages of change as compared with the same week last year:

New York	$3,097,504,000	119.3
Chicago	308,182,000	25.2
Philadelphia	222,257,000	38.7
Boston	213,128,000	43.4
St. Louis	102,000,000	25.3
Kansas City	96,942,000	24.1
Pittsburg	76,629,000	23.4
San Francisco	60,976,000	....
Baltimore	39,024,000	8.4
Minneapolis	34,794,000	*2.2
Detroit	27,204,000	41.7
Cincinnati	23,243,000	20.0
Cleveland	41,551,000	83.4
Los Angeles	24,808,000	12.1
New Orleans	23,146,000	24.3
Omaha	20,343,000	23.1
Milwaukee	20,812,000	20.6
Atlanta	19,250,000	23.8
Louisville	18,000,000	33.9
Seattle	13,322,000	12.8
Buffalo	15,316,000	33.9
St. Paul	18,842,000	40.2
Portland, Or.....	11,864,000	*2.8
Denver	12,217,000	19.0
Salt Lake City	10,861,000	3.7
Spokane	4,712,000	24.4
Oakland	4,402,000	27.8
Tacoma	2,786,000	1.6
Sacramento	2,804,000	15.6
San Diego	2,291,000	18.7

*Decrease.

Minimum Stock Prices Abolished.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The abolition of the minimum prices on the Stock Exchange today, which were imposed at the outbreak of the war, did not lead to much selling pressure.

Consols, however, which have been quoted at the minimum of 53, changed hands soon after the opening of the market at 54, the lowest for more than 100 years. Consols of the Napoleonic era, however, were 5s instead of 2s, so that the comparison is not as unfavorable as appears on its face.

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET

Prices Current on Butter, Eggs, Fruits, Vegetables, Etc., at Bay City.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Butter—Fresh extras, 29½c; prime firsts, 25½c; fresh firsts, 23c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 49½c; selected pullets, 42c.

Cheese—New, 16c; California cheddars, 17½c; Young Americas, 16c.

Vegetables—Summer squash, $1.25@1.50; string beans, 6@8c; wax, 7@10c; lima beans, 6@10c; bell peppers, 40@50c; tomatoes, 65c@$1.00; cucumbers, 50@75c; lettuce, $1.25@1.40.

Fruit—Lemons, $2.25@3.25; oranges, $2.75@4.75; grapefruit, $2.50@4.50; pineapples, Hawaiian, $1.25@2; bananas, Hawaiian, 50c $1.75; apples, 75@85c. Deciduous fruits—Tokay grapes, $1@1.25; pears, Winter Nelis, 75c@$1.

Potatoes—Delta, 80c@$1.20; Salinas, $1.50@1.75; sweets, on the street, $1.40@1.50.

Onions—California, 50@75c.

Receipts — Flour, 4255 quarters; barley, 71,420 centals; beans, 19,400 sacks; potatoes, 3070 sacks; hay, 120 tons.

HOG MARKET IS STEADY

LIGHT RUN AND QUIET TRADE AT YARDS.

Top Price Not Realized on Quality Offered During Day—Other Lines Slow.

There was a light run of stock at the yards yesterday and the market was a quick one. There was no change in general price conditions. The best price paid for hogs during the day was $6, as against a market of $6.10 and $6.15 the day before, but the difference was explained by the quality of the offerings. A few odds and ends of butcher cattle were worked off at ruling prices. The undertone of the cattle market continues firm and the same applies to sheep values.

Receipts were 21 cattle, 1 calf, 646 hogs and 298 sheep. Shippers were:

With cattle—G. W. Sterrwels Company, Dallas, 10 head, by boat.

With hogs—C. E. Hudelson, Berger, 2 cars; J. F. Flint, Junction City, 1; Cupperle & Parish, Jefferson, 1; G. W. Ayre, Salem, 1.

With sheep—C. F. Brown, Corvallis, 2 cars.

With mixed loads—Reese & Luke, McMinnville, 1 car hogs and sheep; Joe Dudovrak, Sheridan, 1 car cattle and hogs.

The day's sales were as follows:

	Wt.	Price		Wt.	Price.
1 bull.....	800	$3.00	1 heifer....	380	$4.00
1 cow.....	940	3.00	1 hog.....	190	5.00
3 cows.....	933	3.75	117 hogs.....	200	6.00
1 cow.....	1000	4.25	16 hogs.....	213	5.00
4 cows.....	880	2.00	49 hogs.....	182	5.10
1 cow.....	1050	4.75	3 hogs.....	220	5.90
1 cow.....	530	4.50			

The range of prices at the local yards for the various classes of livestock follows:

Cattle—	
Choice steers	$7.50@7.90
Good steers	6.00@6.25
Medium steers	5.25@5.75
Choice cows	5.00@5.50
Good cows	4.50@4.75
Medium cows	3.75@4.25
Heifers	3.50@6.00
Bulls	3.00@4.50
Stags	4.50@5.25
Hogs—	
Light	6.00@6.15
Heavy	5.00@5.15
Sheep—	
Wethers	4.75@6.00
Ewes	4.00@6.00
Lambs	6.00@7.50

Omaha Livestock Market.

OMAHA, Nov. 23.—Hogs—Receipts, 4900; steady; heavy, $6.15@6.50; light, $6.30@6.40; pigs, $5.25@6.25; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.35.

Cattle—Receipts, 2600; steady; native steers, $6.50@9.50; cows and heifers, $5.50@8.75; Western steers, $6@8.25; Texas steers, $5.75@7; stockers and feeders, $5@8.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,500; strong; yearlings, $6@6.50; wethers, $5@5.75; lambs, $8@8.75.

Chicago Livestock Market.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Hogs, receipts 36,000; unsettled; best grades strong to 5c above yesterday's average, others dull and 5c under yesterday's average; bulk, $5.95@6.55; light, $5.65@6.50; mixed, $5.85@6.80; heavy, $6.05@6.80; rough, $6.05@6.25; pigs, $3.75@5.65.

Cattle—Receipts, 8500; weak; native beef steers, $5.70@10.30; Western steers, $6.30@8.35; cows and heifers, $2.70@8.10; calves, $6@9.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; strong; wethers, $5.85@6.40; lambs, $6.85@9.15.

APPLE SAVING IS STUDIED

OREGON CITY MAN MAKES PROFIT OUT OF WHAT OTHERS WASTE.

Chemical Processes Used to Obtain Jelly and Use of Albumen, Seeds and Cellulose for Foods.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Methods whereby apples now wasted will be put to profitable use are being studied by J. P. Kelly, of Reimers & Kelly, of this city. Mr. Kelly said that in Oregon alone $1,000,000 worth of apples were wasted each year by the farmers, but through processes now being perfected by him the farmer would find a good market for this fruit, even that of it which was defective.

Mr. Kelly, through chemical processes, aims first to take out the jelly-making properties of the apples, then the albumen, then the seeds and finally the cellulose. From these substances a number of products can be made, ranging from a high grade of paper from the cellulose to jelly. Albumen can be made into several kinds of foods and he is now studying the uses to which the seeds can be put.

Mr. Kelly has been at work upon a more complete and varied use of fruits, particularly apples, for years, and his research work is considered complete.

Reimers & Kelly are making a high-class chicken feed from salmon eggs. Their plant here is turning out about 500 pounds of chicken feed daily from eggs secured from canneries. Through a process worked out by Mr. Kelly the plant is used every spring to make chicken feed and a high class of leather tanning and harness oil from eels, which are caught here each Spring in large numbers. He is a pioneer in this work, and has found a paying business in handling that which others have considered useless.

LAND CLEARED BY ENGINE

Washington Farmer and Mill Owner Inaugurates New Method.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Walter Flanigan, a well-known farmer of Ethel, who has also operated a small mill for several years at this place, has recently made successful use of a donkey-engine operated by gasoline fuel for land clearing purposes. Mr. Flanigan finds that a 50-horsepower donkey-engine, burning gasoline, is a great deal cheaper for this kind of work and much more convenient. Particularly is the gasoline engine of advantage in dry weather, where a supply of water for steam purposes for the old type of engine is not easily obtained.

The adoption of this method is likely to revolutionize the clearing of land in the Northwest.

Trespass Hunting Angers Farmers.

PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 23.—(Special.)—Farmers along the Umatilla River, between Pendleton and Echo, are incensed over duck hunters trespassing on their property where they have notices to keep out posted. According to reports the hunters are out-foxing the farmers by getting in the brush when they are being sought and it is impossible to find them.

In the Japanese navy an admiral gets the same allowance for food as his enlisted sailors.

EARLY DROP OFFSET

Denial of Greek Blockade Report Rallies Wheat.

FIRST LOSSES RECOVERED

Close at Chicago 4s Nervous, but Chang