PROSPECT OF PEACE **ADVANCES HOP PRICE**

Demand Strong From American and English Buyers.

TWENTY CENTS FREELY BID

Ten Thousand Bales Change Hands on Coast in Past Week-Supply Below Probable Requirements.

There is no difference of opinion among hop men as to the strength of the market. Offers of 20 cents were again made yesterday, as was the case last week, but no business in Oregon was reported during

In the past week fully 10,000 bales of Oregon, Washington and California hops-changed hands at the terms then chronicled in these columns. The London demand was strong, as indicated by the purchase of several lots of Oregons, aggregating 1000 bales, which were taken by an export buyer at 15 cents. The offers out yesterday at 20 cents were not confined to Oregon, as this price was also bid in California for Sonomas, and probably also in Yakima,

was also further shown by the high prices current on older growths. A large lot of 1917s at Ukish, Call, was hought at 15 cents, and hops of the 1916 crop were held to be worth 13 cents.

While English buying is a feature of the narket, it is said that the greatest activity is for domestic account. Speculators are awake to the possibilities of the market after peace is declared, and have been quietly buying, where they could, for some time past. The attention of American brewers has also been called to the situa-tion by the secretary of their association, in a circular in which he advises them to lay in their year's supply of hops at once. With not enough hops available for all do-mestic and export needs, it seems reasonable to figure on an advancing market from

up of hop yards in Oregon this Winter.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.-Hops firm; state lum to choice 1918, 23@28c; 1917, 18@ Pacific Coast 1918, 18@22c; 1917, 14

CORN WEAK, FEATURE GRAIN TRADE Oats Bids Average About 50 Cents Higher

Argentine weather is again unsettled with howers in parts. New crop is progressing excellently nearly everywhere. Export demand for wheat is less active. Corn is being offered in liberal quantities at low prices without inducing any substantial demand from foreign interests. Oats are in slightly better request, but the pressure of offer-ings serves to keep prices down. The Bureau of Crop Estimates says about

24 per cent of the entire hay crop is baled. About 15,600,000 bales of tame or cultivated hay and 2,488,000 bales of wild hay will be baled from this year's crop.

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wins and Virginia Yorks, A 2%-in., range generally steady at \$4.75@6. Virginia Yorks strengthened to \$4.35 per barrel f. o. b. Winchester, Extra fancy boxed Winesaps heid at \$1.85@2 f. o. b. Northwestern ship-pling points, Colorado extra fancy boxed Winesaps reached \$2.35 f. o. b. shipping points. Northwestern and Colorado extra SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET

Cull Grade Fruit in Demand. ROOD RIVER, Oc., Oct. 28.—(Special.)— The demand for cull grade fruit is heavy

eral commission men of Portland and Sent-tle have representatives in the field bidding on the so-called family and cooking gra ruit. \$1 a box is being paid for cull Spit burgs, faced and filled.

Print Butter Market Uneven.
The print butter market continued unsettlied with two prices quoted by city creameries. The demind for cubes was light with 500 60 cents asked.

Eggs were steady without change from last week's prices.

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ast week's prices. There was a good demand for poultry and the market was firm. Heavy hens sold at 25 cents and light hens at 26 cents. Springs brought 27@30 cents. Dressed ments

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

PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS shape.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. Merchants' Exchange, noon session n oats and corn in bulkt

MILLIFEED — Mili run, soft wheat grades, f. o. b. mill, cariots, \$32.10 per ton: mixed cats, \$32.60; ton lots or over, \$34.10; less than tons, \$34.10; rolled Saries, \$55.50; rolled cats, \$61.605; ground barloy, \$50.600; alfalfa meal, \$40.645; ground barloy, \$50.600; alfalfa meal, \$40.600; ground barloy, \$20.600; grain bay, \$20.600; clover, \$28; straw, \$9.600; grain bay, \$20.627; clover, \$28; straw, \$9.600; june, \$20.600; june, \$20.

Dairy and Country Produce.

BUTTER—Cubes, extras, 59@60c; prints, extras, box lots, 60@65c; cartons, bex lots, 61 @66c; cartons, bex lots, 61 general Dairy and Country Produce.

Staple Groceries.

Local jobbing quotations:
SUGAR — Sark basis: Fruit and berry,
\$9.55; beet, \$3.25; extra C, \$9.15; powdered,
in barrels, \$10.25; cubes, in barrels, \$10.25;
NUTS — Walnuts, 36c; Brazil nuts, 16c;
illberts, 25c; almonds, 256.20c; peanuts, 21c;
SALT—Half-ground, 100s, \$15.90 per ton;
50s, \$17.25 per ton; dairy, \$25 per ton.
RICE — Unbroken, 104.8114c per pound,
BEANS — Jobbing prices: White, 114.3
134c; colored, \$14.9856c.
COFFEE — Roasted, in drums, 17.825c.

Provisions.

Local jobbing quotations: HAMS—All sizes, choice, 38@38%c; stand rd, 37@37%c; skinned, none; picnie, 28c cottage roll, 36c.
LARD—There basis, standard pure, 29c; compound, 23 Mc.
BACON—Fancy, 50 % \$52 Mc; standard, 47 \$50c; choice, 36 \$45c.
DRY SALT—Short, clear backs, 30 \$35c; exports, 29 \$32c.

Hides and Pelts.

Lercy five, Los Angeles six, Suspension
Bridge six, New York 11. October 27, one
car each to Los Angeles and New York.
Eastern apple markets continue nearly
steady. Baldwins, A 24-inch, ruled \$4.50
and Greenings A 25-inch, \$4.94.50 per barrel f. e. b. Rochester, N. Y. In consumrel f. e. b. Rochester, N. Y. In consuming markets New York Greenings and Baidwins and Virginia Yorks, A 24-in, range
generally street.

Hops, Wool, Mohair, Etc.

HOPS—Gregon, 1918 crop, 20c per pound.

MOOL—Oregon, 36971c ber pound.

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GASOLINE—Bulk, 21c; engine distillate, bulk, 12c; kerosene, bulk, 10c; cases, 20c; LINSEED OIL—Raw, barrels, \$1.93; cases, \$2.03; bolled, barrels, \$1.95; cases, \$2.05.
TURPENTINE—In tanks, \$4c; cases, 94c

POTATO MARKETS ARE BREGULAR

Onions are Easy in Local Trade—Wire Demand for Cabbage.

Potatoes were stendy with a moderate mavement. Oregan Burbanks were quoted at \$1.562. according to condition, and Yakima Gems at \$2.02.13. Eastern potato markets were irregular with a slightly weaker tone. Carlots of Minuscota sacked white atock ranged slightly weaker in Chicago at \$1.562.75. including Southern markets.

Greeley, Colo., quoted firm at \$1.60 f. o. b. and Idaho Falis strengthened to \$1.20 per cwt. a. b. cash.

Onion prices were easy with a fair demand. Oregon Danvers and California Buckskins sold at \$1.7562. generally at the first-named price.

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Yakima Holds Open-Air Meetings. YAKIMA, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.) The demand for cull grade fruit is heavy bere this season. With canners asking for a supply of local fruit and the crop running holding of indoor meetings was forbid-musually clean, the lower grade stuff is of den on account of influence.

STEERS ARE STRONG BUT COWS

Hundred Cars Received.

The week opened fairly active at the ockyards yesterday with a good run of

There was a very strong steer market, which was shown by the sale of 20 head of fancy Shorthorns and Herefords at \$12.65. of lancy Shorthorns and Herefords at \$12.05, or a premium of 15 cents over the market. They were shipped in by F. S. Hamilton, from Gateway. The cow market, on the other hand, could hardly be called in fair shape. Aside from two leads sold at \$5.50 most of the top stock went at \$5 to \$8.25. There was a good, strong hog market during the day and top was lifted to \$17.30. No sheep or lambs were available. No sheep or lambs were available. Receipts were 1810 cattle, 114 caives and

E. Miller, Natron, 1 load; Z. Russell, Medford, 1 load; George Brown & Son, Medford, 1 load; H. W. Bingham, Taient, 1 load; J. M. McFadden, Corvailis, 2 loads; Penland Livestock Co., Heppner, 1 load; Charles Wilson, Crane, I load; H. E. Seward, Robinette, I load; S. Shelly, I load; Sol Dickerson, Weiser and New Meadows, Ida., 48.00 2 loads; Glen & Marsh, Council, Ida., 1
49.00 load; A. H. Lane, Lexington, S loads; E. G. Johnson, Parms, 2 loads; F. E. Fisk, Parms, 2 loads; J. P. Welbourne, 2 loads; Pendle-ton Meat Co., Pendleton, 1 load. With cattle—J. W. Chandler, Enterprise,

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**Dorn meal, \$11.911.80; oat flour, \$11.20@

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**Lo Wallows, 1 load; O'Nell & Macham, Parma. 1 load; J. C. Beddingfield, Joseph, 2 loads; F. M. Beck, Rock Creek, 1 load; Tom Fitzmaurancs, New Meadows, Ida, 1 load; Stimmaticance, New Meadows, 16a, 1 load; Sol Dickerson, Weiser and Now Meadows, 13 loads; Lannart & Bridge, New Meadows, 4 loads; Pool & Ranley, Council, Ida., 3 loads; H. W. Bingham, Talent, 1 load; Gaston Garden Co., Gaston, 1 load; H. W. Treadgall, Myrtle Point, 1 load; J. A. Cunningham, Forest Grove, 1 load; J. A. Myers, Condon, 2 loads; P. Bunhes, Hannar, 1 Condon, 2 loads; P. Hughes, Heppner, 1 load; Penland & Co., Heppner, 1 load; J. D. Ash, Oak Ridge, 1 load; R. O. McGee, Glendale, 1 load; A. C. Marsters, Roseburg, 1 load; C. C. Mackerson, Albany, 1 load; C. G. Carter, Reedsport, 1 load; Graf & Blum, Tiliamook, 1 load; Nash Bros., To lede, 2 loads; E. W. Brown, Junction City, 2 loads; R. E. L. Brown, Corvallia, 2 loads; L. B. Branstetter, Cedar Point, 3 loads;

J. N. Chandler, Elgin, 1 load, With calves—H. W. Jones, Amity, 1 load, With mixed loads—O. E. Gorsiine, Joseph, 1 load, cattle and hogs: John W. Ayres.

1 - CORN WEAR, PEATURE GRAIN TRADE	VEAL-Fancy, 18%@19c per pound.	1 load, cattle and hogs: John W. Ayres,	50-
Oats Bids Average About 50 Cents Higher	PORK-Fancy, 21@22c per pound,	Shearer, 2 loads, cattle and hogs; H. Wagg-	60-
on Local Board,	Fruits and Vegetables.	ner, Sutherlin, 1 load, cattle and hogs; J. D.	bles
Corn was the weak feature of the local	Local tobbing quotations;	Dinsmore, West Scio, 1 load, cattle, calves	5.46
grain market yesterday, with exchange bids	FRUITS-Oranges, Valencias, \$12.@12.50;	and hogs; C. C. Carter, Myrtle Point, 2 loads,	Lin
50c@\$1 lower than Saturday. Onts were	lemons, \$8.25@9.75 per box; bananas, 8@8%C	cattle, calves and hoga; H. Freeman, Haines,	ma
steadier and about 50 cents higher. Barley	per pound: grapefruit, \$7.50 m 92 apples \$1.25	1 load, cattle, calves and hogs.	G
was unchanged.	\$3.25 per box; pears, \$2.00@125 per box;	The day's sales were as follows:	bon
	casabas, 3%c per pound; grapes, 5012%c per pound; quinces, \$1.50 per box; cran-	Wt. Price. Wt. Price.	T
Arrivals of foreign wheat at Liverpool	berries. \$12 per barrel.	34 cows 1088 \$ 8.00 2 hogs 870 \$16.00	mor
continue on a satisfactory scale and millers	VEGETABLES-Tomatoes, 90c@\$2.00 per	1 helver . 590 5.00 13 hogs 212 17.10 5 cows 1150 7.00 10 hogs 151 15.70	mig.
are receiving ample supplies of grist. Ship-	box; cabbage, \$1.50@2 per 100 pounds; let-	12 cows1175 8.25 22 hogs 205 17.00	offe
ments from North America have been com-	tuce, \$2 0 2.50 per crate; peppers, 7c per	4 cows 1026 6.00 54 hoga 203 17.25	
ing mostly of wheat recently. It is hoped	pound; beans, 667c per pound; celery, 80c	7 cows 1088 6.75 5 hogs 310 15.25	1000
this encouraging feature will continue. Na-	per don: eggplant, 10c per pound; arti- chokes, \$1.40 per dozen; cauliflower, \$2.25	28 cows 1000 8.50 5 steers 1054 12.00 B cows 1150 7.00 2 steers 855 9.00	HII
tive offerings remain somewhat disappoint-	ner der : gurtle, 17% o per pound; pumpking,	9 cows 930 8.00 1 steer 1030 10.00	
ing, but this may be attributed to the de-	suce ner nound: sounds, 2'40 per pound;	1 bull 1450 0.75 21 steers 1136 11.75	Nev
lay in threshing operations caused by the	beets, \$2.50 per sack; carrots, \$1.75@2 per	1 bull1620 7.00/17 steers1045 10.75 2 bulls1335 6.00/20 steers1151 12.65	
unfavorable weather. It is noticeable that	sack: turnips, \$1.75@2 per sack. POTATOES-Oregon, \$1.50@2.00 per hun-	11 steers 868 10.00 19 steers 963 8.25	77
there is more Canadian wheat in evidence	dred; Yakimas, \$2@2.15; sweet, 4%@4%c.	1 steer 1110 11.50 26 cows 1181 8.25	cen
which fact pleases the millers, as the qual-	ONIONS - Oregon, \$1.75@2.00; California	1 steer 1070 12.80 6 cows 1771 0.00	360
ity of this wheat is generally good. The sup-	browns, \$1,75@2:	27 steers .1117 12 6. 1 cow 1010 5.00	the
ply situation as a whole can be regarded		21 steers 1041 11.25 9 cows 1000 8.00	THE P
optimistically.	Staple Groceries.	25 steers 975 8.50 2 bulls 1560 6.50 10 steers 1020 10 97 hogs 195 17.10	bide
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ORIGIN OF LIVESTOCK LOADED Shipments to the Leading Markets of the

Pacific Northwest. State origins of livestock loaded October 27, 1918: 7, 1918:
Cattle, Horses, Mxd.
calves Hogs Sheep mules stock.
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Chicago Livestock Market.
CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—Hogs—Receipts 25,000; market 75c to \$1.50 higher than Saturday's opening, packing and mixed hogs
advancing most; packing grades \$2.25@3.00
above Friday's opening. Butchers \$18.00@
18.60; light \$17.75@18.50; packing \$16.75@
17.85; rough \$16.00@16.50; pigs, good to
choice, \$14.75@18.00.
Cattle—Receipts 20,000; Western steers,
strong to 25 cents higher; natives strong;
butcher cattle and calves steady.
Sheep—Receipts 22,000; market strong to
25 cents higher; some medium lambs advanced more. Chicago Livestock Market.

Seattle Livestock Market. Winesaps reached \$2.35 f. o. b. shipping points. Northwestern and Colorado extra fancy boxed Jonathans again ranged mostly prices Current on Eggs, Vegetables, Fresh Stady, offerings cleaned up. Best steers, foundations heavy.

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DOMESTIC AFFAIRS RESPONSI-BLE FOR SELLING.

War News Is Almost Wholly Favor able to Peace Group of Shares. Bonds Are Irregular.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—War news was again simost wholly favorable to the peace group in today's stock market, but domestic politics imparted a tinge of pessimism, which found its outlet in intermittent selling for the short account.

A general demonstration of strength marked the broad opening, but much of this was dissipated before the expiration of the first hour, largely as a result of the further espectacular course of certain specialities.

United States Steel registered a fractional gain at the outset, declined almost 2 points, warshares making virtually no recovery from and ended at a loss of amous 2 points, war shares making virtually no recovery from their reversals of 1 to 2½ points.

More stability was displayed by rails and coppers, the latter denoting confident accumulation, though yielding some of their gains at the heavy close. Sales amounted to 275,000 chares.

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Outry Quiry. Bonds were irregular, liberty 3 %s hard- quiry.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS

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Boston Mining Stocks,

Government bonds, irregular, bonds irregular,
Time loans strong, 60, 90 days and six months, 6 per cent bid, Cail money strong; high, 6 per cent; low, 6 per cent; ruling rate, 6 per cent; closing bid, 5% per cent; offered at 6 per cent; last loan, 6 per cent; bank acceptances, 414 per cent.

HIDE BUYING PRICES REDUCED New Schedule for Months of November, December and January Announced.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—A reduction of 1 cent a pound in prices of packers' hides and % of a cent a pound on country hides for the months of November and December and a reduction of 2 cents a pound on packers' hides and 1% cents a pound on country hides for the month of January, was agreed to today by the price-flxing committee of the War Industries Board and the hide industry.

NEW YORK, Oct 28.—There were rumors in the coffes trade today that plans for liquidating futures had been pretty well formulated, but no official canbear remained at a stand-scill. The spot market was nominally unchanged at 10% of for Rio 7s and 15% of for Saite 8s. The official cables reported an advance of 50 reis in the Rio market. Santos futures are 200 to 300 reis higher, Santos futures are 200 to 300 reis higher Coffee Market at Standstill.

Naval Stores.

Visible Supply Changes. NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—The visible supply f American and bonded grain showed the allowing changes; Wheat increased

Bariey decreased Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Evaporated apples dull and nominal. Prunes, strong, Cali-fornia, 10@10%c. Peaches, nominal.

Wanted-Good Sized Colony of Lady Bugs.

Insects Urgently Needed to Combat Aphides on Farms.

VANCOUVER, Wash, Oct. 28.—(Special.)-Wanted, a colony of ladybugs. M. J. Newhouse, county agriculture agent, Courthouse, Vancouver, Wash.

Mr. Newhouse has urgent need for a big colony of the lady beetles, which will be placed in cold storage this Winter if they can be found, and next Spring, when the green aphis appears, they will be given their liberty. They will feed upon the aphides and destroy

the pest. A. C. Burrell, of the Federal Bureau of Entmology, is here to investigate the losses caused by aphides this year. Sev-eral farmers were compelled to plow under their crops on account of the pest

last Spring.
It has been found that lady-bugs will devour the aphides when turned loose in their midst and the bugs do no damage to the foliage themselves. When a colony of lady-bugs is found it should be placed in an apple box, with ample ventiliation, and kept dormant at about 40 degrees. The kind wanted is described by Mr. Burrell as having a black collar with two small converg-ing lines to the head. The bugs have dark red wings, flecked with black. They gather in large colonies at high altitudes in cold weather. Mr. Burrell suggests that anyone find-

ing a colony notify him before attempting to trap it, as it would be impracticable for one not knowing how to do

Wife Starts Exemption Claim Probe. YAKIMA, Wash., Oct. 28 .- (Special.) TAKIMA, Wash, Oct. 28.—(Special)
—Mrs. Frank J. Ferrell, married a
month ago, has asked the local exemption board to defer action on her husband's claim for exemption until he
can change it. She says he made
the claim believing it to be something
else that he was signing and that he
is entirely willing to serve in the Army.
When she saw announcement that he
had claimed exemption because she and
her 15-year-old daughter were depen-

CHICAGO MARKET BREAKS ON REPORT FROM AUSTRIA.

Traders Look for Strong Foreign Demand for Cereals After Peace Is Declared.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—New notes sent by Austria and Germany, relative to an armistice, brought about declines today in the corn market. Setbacks, however, were partly offset by likelihood of an after-the-wardemand for cereals. Prices closed unsettled, ic to 2 ic not lower, with November \$1.23 is 6 1.23 in and December \$1.19 is 6 1.19 in Cast finished a shade to ic down and provisions varying from 50c off to a like advance.

Weakness in corn which developed at the opening did not become radical, and had almost disappeared when word came that Austria had accepted all the views expressed by Fresident Wilson. Immediately a sharp fresh break ensued.

Outs followed corn but within narrow limits.

Strength of the hog market lifted pre-

Leading futures ranged as follows:

OATS.

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Flour, \$11.20
per barrel.
Grain.—Wheat, Government price, \$2.20
per bushel: bariey, \$2.26@2.30; oats, white
feed, nominal: corn, California yeilow, \$4.15.
Hay.—Wheat and wheat and oats, \$28@25;
tame sets, \$25@27.50; bariey, \$22@24; alfaifa, \$22@25; bariey straw, 50@80c.
Meals.—Alfaifa, \$36; cocoanut, nominal.

QUERIES ARE MAILED OUT Older Men, and Boys of 78 Years, to

Receive Papers. BOSTON, Oct. 28.—Clesing quotations:
Allouez ... 48% North Butte... 14%
Ariz Com... 68% Old Dominion... 43
Cal & Ariz. 455 Occesia ... 56
Con R Con. 12% Quincy ... 72
Contennial ... 45% Superior ... 73
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Contennial ... 45% Super Questionnaires for men above 35 and

No. 2 still pursues the plan of giving the names of advisers the questionnaire holder may consult, on a printed slip accompanying the document. Board No. 3 has called on its advisers to reopen their offices in 209 Lewis build-ing, 528 Chamber of Commerce building and 1211 Gasco building. It has not been announced when the

joint advisory headquarters for boards Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, on the seventh floor of the Courthouse, will be opened.

DOCKS WANT MORE WATER City Asked to Extend Bull Run

Mains to Supply Ships. Additional fresh water supply pipes

anditional fresh water supply pipes to extend to the outer edge of docks are wanted in the interest of vessels being dispatched from Portland, and Carl Prehn, acting harbormaster, has taken the matter up with Mayor Baker

ried out. On such docks it is neces SAVANNAH, Oct. 28.—Turpentine firm, sary to lay hose a considerable distance from the connections in order to barrels; shipments, 29 barrels; stock, \$332 barrels, stock, \$332 ba

DAILY CITY STATISTICS The money will be cabled to the commander of the companies with which the Walla Wallans are brigaded and is

Blrths.

BAUMAN-To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fauman, Hudson street, October S, a daugh GOULD—To Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Gould, 1809 East Polk, October I. a son. GILLEM—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Gillom, 1473 East Eighteenth, October 17. a daughter. IAUER—To Mr. and Mrs. Gustav F. Lauer, 1361½ Hawthorne, October 21, a for. FOWLER-To Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Fowler, Jr., 324 East Fourteenth, October Fowler, Jr., 324 East Fourteenth, October 16, a daughter, To Mr. and Mrs. Casmir Campbell, 1250 Thurman, October 18, a son SHAW-To Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Shaw, Eleventh and Stark, October 19, a daugh-DHLLARD-To Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Dilliard, 864 East Broadway, October 20, son. YIELDING-To Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Yielding, 617 East Thirteeuth, October 23. son. LIVELY-To Mr. and Mrs. Karl V. Live-, 459 East Twenty-fourth, October 16, a

er. UPHAM—To Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Upham, 554 First, October 25. a daughter. DUNCAN—To Mr. and Mrs. William Dun-an, 32 East Fifteenth, October 24, a daugh-MESERVEY-To Mr. and Mrs. Mason C. leservey, 506 East Elighteenth, October 18, Meservey, 200 East Eighteenth, October 18, a daughter.
BRENNAN—To Mr. and Mrs. John S.
Brennan, 451 Third, October 18, a daughter.
BOTTOM—To Mr. avid Mrs. John C. Bottom, 401 Russell, October 21, a son.

tom, 401 Russell, October 21, a son.

Marriage Licenses,

JOHNSON-ANDERSON—K. C. Johnson,
36, Bend, Or., and Emma Anderson, 30,
American Hotel,

JONNS-RUSSO—George L. Jones, legal,
217 Knott street, and Christine Russo, 26, 506 Vancouver avenue.

WEILAND-SALES Wellington Welland,
25, Vancouver, Wash, and Madge A. Salea,
21, Palace Hotel.

SCOTT-ANDERSON—Andrew W. Scott, 24,
Venice, Cal., and Vera Anderson, 25, Mult-SCOTT-ANDERSON—Andrew W. Scott. 24. Venice, Cal., and Vera Anderson, 25. Multinomait Hotel.

GILLMAN-JOHNSTON—Merie Gillman, 24. Los Angeles, and Gladys Johnston, 19. Consress Hotel.

HETNEMANN-JONES—Henry C. Heneyemann, 27. 672 East Clackamas street, and Paloma Jones. 16. 422 East Thirty-mind Street North.

GRIFFIN-GRIFFIN—John J. Griffin, 25. Vancouver, Wash, and May T. Griffin, 24. 141 North Twenty-second street.

Vancouver Marriage Licenses.

SHEIL-BUSHNELL—Patrick Shell, 37. of Portland, and Mary S. Bushnell, 53. of Portland.

WESTOVER-MOORE—Lester Westovor, 85.

Portland, and Mary S. Bushneil, 35, of Portland.
WESTOVER-MOORE—Lester Westovor, 85, of Orchards, Wash, and Mra. Emma A. Mooro, 65, of Orchards, Wash.
COLE-IMPER—William W. Cole, legal, of Portland, and Hattle A. Imper, legal, of Orogon City, Or.
MARSHALL-FORSLOFF—Murray Martin Marshall, 25, of Portland, and Signe E. Forsioff, 2h, of Portland, and Signe E. Forsioff, 2h, of Portland, and Alena K. Ronda, 22, of Portland, and Alena K. Ronda, 22, of Portland. Carles of Selwood, Or., and Ethelyn Randall, legal, of Selwood, Or., and Ethelyn Randall, legal of Selwood, Or., and Ethelyn Randall, legal of Selwood, Or. and Ethelyn Randall, legal of Selwood, Or. and Ethelyn Randall, legal of Selwood, Or. and Mildred F. Mc-Carlrey, 19, of Portland, and Mildred F. Mc-Carlrey, 19, of Portland.

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Walla Walla Men to Get Help. WALLA WALLA, Wash., Oct. 28 .-Barrels, Sharrels, Slock, So22

Rosin firm; sales, 136 barrels; receipts, 702
barrels, shipments, 645 barrels; stock, 58,513
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barrels, Guote: B and D, \$14,50; E and F, \$14,55; I, \$14,80; K, \$15,15; M, \$15,25; N, \$15,40; WG, \$15,55; Www. \$15,75. licit wealthy friends to contribute \$100 each, and already \$500 has been raised.

> for the exclusive use of the home boys to spend as they please. Pasco Association to Try Fuel Trade. PASCO, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)— The Pasco Co-Operative Association, which has been conducting a grocery store for some time past, has decided

> to also engage in the fuel business, this branch being conducted by C. A. Boyer, according to announcement. A second auto truck was purchased in Spokane a few days ago for the use of the so DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. PORTLAND, Oct. 28 .- Maximum temper

PORTLAND, Oct. 28.—Maximum temperature, 57 degrees; minimu, 53 degrees, River reading, 5.1 feet; change in last 24 hours, 1.3 feet rise. Total rainfall (5 P. M. to 5 P. M.) 0.12 inch. Total rainfall since September 1, 1218, 5.05 inches; normal, 5.09 inches; excess. 0.94 inch. Sunrise, 6:46 A. M.; sunset, 5:03 P. M. Total sunshine, none; possible, 10 hours 17 minutes. Moonise, 12:44 A. M.; moonset, 2:13 P. M. Barometer (reduced to sea level) 5 P. M., 50.16 inches. Relative humidity at noon, 79 per cent. THE WEATHER.

STATIONS. State of Weather.

FORECASTS.

Portland and vicinity — Fair; southerly winds.

Oregon — Fair; moderate southerly winds.

Washington — Showers west, fair east pormoderate southerly winds. EDWARD L WELLS, Meteorologist.

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