ACREAGE IN HOPS

Agricultural Department Begins Collection of Statistics.

IMPORTANT TO GROWERS

Complete List Will Be Made Up of Every Producer in the United States and the Number of Acres in Cultivation.

HOPS - Government will collect WOOL-Buyers look for no market

FRUIT-California strawberries sell

POULTRY-Good demand except for BUTTER-No change in local mar-

GROCERIES - Louis of canned goods in San Francisco fire.

ant matter of collecting hop statistics. This endly neglected by Uncle Sam in the past, and tity of hops produced in the various sections of the United States. Beginning with this Fall, accurate figures on the yield will be They will be based on the acreage under cultivation and the information will be obtained directly from the growers them

W. W. Stockburger, of Washington, D. C., has been placed in charge of this branch of Friday .
the Department of Agriculture. Mr. Stock-Saturday well-known hopman of Salem, to supply him gon and Washington, as his desire is to gaged in the raising of hops that he may make up a complete list of the growers and the number of acres in hops. Mr. Livesley will mail 3500 letters tomorrow morning to Oregon and Washington growers, explain few growers in the two states whose name are overlooked they are requested to and figures may be correct. Mr. Livesley doing this work at his own expense of time and money, realising the great benefit general.

New York and other hop-growing sections, where the need of acurate statistics is greater gauged from the railroad chipments. but in other states, particularly New York his method cannot be so closely followed. It is said the size of the New York crop wa ago, when the statistics were gathered by all members of the Eastern trade who beto the New York Hop Exchange sive year since in making up estimates, and large growers. Oregon's figures are only

left for Ean Francisco. - Mr. Wells will re-The bustest places in the country now are

is the period for training and trimming the of camps. A good many Corvallis boys, girls

Look for No Trading in Eastern Oregon.

stated that they expected to see no activity days, and it was doubtful, in their minds, if there would be any business then. The idea prevailed that the growers would reject all the bids made. This was the case at the sales in Casper and Rawlins, in Wyoming.

train was in, every crate was sold before business closed for the day. The quality of crates came down from White Salmon and sold for 25 cents. A quantity of Mount Ta-bor berries was sold on the early morning

market at 15@17% cents. ment of very fine apples was received from Wenatchee. The Winesape were quoted at \$3.50 and White Pearmains at \$2.75@3. Two of oranges arrived last night. Oranges

and lemons are very firm.

A car of new pointoes was received from California last evening, and two cars of cab bage are due today.

Canned Goods Lost in Fire.

Following is an estimate made by one of cisco of the canned goods stock destroyed by cery trade: "Estimated total less of salmon. was red Alaska tall salmon). Canned fruit cases. (This does not include Jobbers' loss). packers' hands, 20,000 cases; sundry vegetables, jobbers' hands, 250,000 cases." does not include the corn which was held in which was bought early at a low price.

Eggs were in better supply yesterday, but noved fairly well without change in price. The demand for all kinds of poultry was good, except for Spring chickens. Butter cleaned up at the former prices.

Bank Clearings. Clearings. Balances. 1\$1,000,769 \$105,874\$1,580,590 256,954

Spokane	520,216 780,367	72,998	1
Clearings of Portland, for the week were:	Seattle and	Tacoma	1
Monday \$1,144,773 Tuesday \$42,756 Wednesday 747,033 Thursday \$97,900	Seattle, \$1,720,615 1,392,356 1,212,084 1,289,805	Tacoma. 673,957 702,920 628,288 584,421	PA 01 .

Totals. ... \$5,507,717 \$5,687,526 \$3,787,871

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

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FLOUR — Patents, \$3.7564.30 per barrel; atraights, \$1.4063.70; cinara, \$3.3563.50; Valley, \$5.4063.65; Dakota hard wheat, patents, \$5.509.5; cornmeal, per bale, \$1.209.75; whole wheat, \$3.7594; rys four, local, \$5; Easter, \$560.25; cornmeal, per bale, \$1.909.25; ornmeal, per bale, \$1.909.25; ornmeal, per bale, \$1.909.25; while St. 1900.25; country, \$180.20; cornmeal, per bale, \$1.909.25; country, \$180.20; cornmeal, per bale, \$1.909.25; east, \$1.50; country, \$180.20 per ton; chop, U. 8. Mills, \$17.50; linesed dairy food, \$16; Acaira meal, \$18 per ton.

WHEAT—Club, Tic; bluestem, 72c; red, 60c; Valley, 70c.

OATS—No. 1 white feed, \$29; gray, \$28.50 per ton. OATS-No. 1 white feed, \$22; gray, \$28.00 per fon. HARLENY-Feed, \$28.50@24 per ton; brewing, \$24.224.50; rolled, \$24.50@25.50.
CickEAL FOODS-Rolled oats, cream, 30-pound sacks, \$1; lower grades, \$3 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bals; oatmeai, steel cut, 50-pound sacks, \$3 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bals; oatmeai ground), 50-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bals; oatmeai ground), 50-pound sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per 100-pound; 25-pound boxes, \$1.40; pear ton; 10-pound sacks, \$2.50 per bals; oatmeais, \$1.50 per bals; oatmeais, \$1

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

DOMESTIC FRUITS — Apples, \$2,50@8.50
er box; cherries, \$1,25@1.50 per box; strawerries, California, \$1,50@1.75 per crate; Oreon, 15@25c per pound; gooseberries, Sc per
ound.

large growers. Oregon's figures are only known exactly when all the shipments have heen made, and the information is then of no value from a market standpoint. When Mr. Biockhurger gets his hop reporting hyreau in working order, every one, dealers and growers alike, will know at the beginning of the season just what relation the aupply bears to the demand.

DEALER SELIS HOPS.

Two Hundred Bales of Washingtons Sold Under 12 Cents.

The hop market is still dull, with few orders coming in, except at such prices as holders will not entertain. The only sale reported during the week was made by H. I. Hart. It consisted of 200 bales of Western ashingtons that were owned by a dealer. The price was a shade less than 12 cents. This bears out the statement made in this paper accertal days ago that some of the speculative holders are willing to let go at prices under those that growers demand.

Ernest Wells, the local representative of the E. Clemens Horst Company, has temporarily closed his office about July 1.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

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BUTTER—City creamerles: Extra creamery,
20c per pound. State creamerles: Fancy
creamery, 175,620c; store butter, 125,618c.

EGGS—Oregon ranch, 19c per dozen.

CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 146
244;c; Young America, 156,154c.

POULTRY — Average old hens, 146,15c.
mixed chickens, 125,671sc, 166,15c.
Young roesters, 124,613c; old roesters, 176
124;c; dressed chickens, 166,164c; turkeys,
11ce, 11g,18c; turkeys, dressed, choice, 206
23c; geese, live, pound, 106,11c; geese, dressed,
per pound, old 10c, young 12c; duogs, old 17c,
young 20c; pigeons, 31,62; squabs, \$263.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

The vines are now but a few feet in length. Perhaps the largest force of people is at the Ireland yard, where there are a number of camps. A good many Corvalits boys, girls and women are employed there and at other yards, most of whom make the trip out in the morning and back in the evening.

WOOL BUYERS IN TOWN.

Look for No Trading in Eastern Oregon Until Last Part of Month.

A number of wool buyers came down from Eastern Oregon yesterday. Several of them stated that they expected to see no activity in the market before the advertised asies days, and it was doubtful, in their minds, it there would be any business then. The idea prevalled that the growers would reject all the bids made. This was the case at the sales in Casper and Rawlins, in Wyoming, and also in Montana and Utah.

Some of the buyers thought the market when the unwillingness of the trade to pay high prices is clearly known.

The Lucktamute sheepraisers have formed

\$1.75 per dozen; 2-pound tells, \$2.40; 1-pound flats, \$1.10; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, \$0.0; red, 1-pound talls, \$1.25; sockeye, 1-pound talls, \$1.70.

SUGAR—Sack basis, 100 pounds; Cube, \$5.15; powdered, \$5.90; dry aranulated, \$5.50; extra C, \$5.55; polden C, \$5.20; froit sugar, \$5.50. Advances over sack basis as follows; Harrels, 16c, a-barrels, 25c boxes, 50c per 100 pounds; Terms, 25c boxes, 50c per 100 pounds; Terms, 25c boxes, 50c per 100 pounds; Terms, 25c boxes, 50c per 100 pounds; maple sugar, 152 is 90c per 100 pounds; maple sugar, 152 is 90c pound.

"ALT—Californis, \$11 per ton, \$1.60 per bale; Liverpool, 50c, \$17, 190, \$18.50; 200s, \$15; 4, pounds, 100s, \$17, 190, \$18.50; 200s, \$15; 4, pounds, 100s, \$7, 50c, \$7,50.

NUIS—Walnuts, 154c per pound by asky ic extra for less than each; Brasil nuts, \$15c; filberts, 16c; per pound by asky ic extra for less than each; Brasil nuts, \$15c; filberts, 16c; per pound, 20c, per pound; roanted, \$15c; cheetnuts, \$15c; filberts, 16c; per pound. 20c, per pound; \$15c; filberts, 16c; per pounds, \$15c; cheetnuts, \$15c; filberts, \$15c; filberts, \$1

BEANS—Small white, 4%; large white, 8%; pink, 3c; bayou, 5c; Lima, 5c; Mexican red, 5c. VEAL.—Dressed, 75 to 125 pounds, 64 87c; 125 to 150 pounds, 64 87c; 125 to 150 to 200 pounds, 54 86c; 200 pounds and up. 34 9 pounds, 54,86c, 200 pounds per pound; cows. BESS December 2 state of the country steers, 586c, 588 per pound; ordinary, 586c, lambs, with pet on pounds; ordinary, 586c, lambs, with pet on pet on pounds; ordinary, 586c, lambs, with pet on pounds; ordinary, but of the pet of the pet

PORK Dressed, 100 to 150 pounds, S@\$140; 150 to 200 pounds, 7 % \$8c; 200 pounds and up, 7\$7 \(\frac{1}{2}\)c. lish breakfast, 11 to pounds, 14%c per pound; 18%c. HAME—10 to 14 pounds, 14%c per pound; 14 to 15 pounds, 14%c; 18 to 20 pounds, 14%c; 18 to 20 pounds, 14%c; 20 pounds, 14%c; 20 pounds, 14%c; 20 pounds, 16%c; 20 pounds, 16%c; 20 pounds, 16%c. PickLED GOODS—Pork, barrels, \$16; 4-barrels, \$9.50; beef, barrels, \$12; 4-barrels, \$6.50. boneless, inc.

PICKLED GOODS—Fork, barrels, \$15;

%-barrels, \$2.50; beef, barrels, \$12; %-barrels, \$6.50.

SAUSAGE—Ham, 18c per pound; minced
ham, 10c; Summer, choice dry, 17½c; bologna, long 7c; weinerwurst, 10c; llver, dc;
pork, 02 l0c; headcheese, \$6c; blood, 6c;
bologna, sausage, link, 6c

DRY SALIT CURED—Regular short clears,
dry sait, 11½c; smoked, 12½c; clear belles,
14 to 17 pounds average, dry sait, 12½c;
smoked, 13½c; Oregon exports, 20 to 25
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pounds average, dry sait, 12c; smoked, 13c;
Union belies, 10 to 18 pounds average, nor,
LARD—Leaf, kettle rendered; Tierces,
12½c; tubs, 12½c; 50s, 12½c; 20s, 12½c;
10c, 13c; 5a, 12½c. Compound; Tierces,
7½c; tubs, 1½c; 50s, 7½c; 10s, 8½c; 5s, 8½c

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TURPENTINE—Cases, 91c per gallon. COAL—Cases, 19c per gallon; tanks, 124c. COAL—Cases, 19c per gallon; tanks, 12 ½c per gallon.
GABOLINE—Steve, cases, 25 ½c; 72 test, 27c; 85 test, 35c; fron tanks, 19c.
WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7½c; 500-pound lots, 8c; less than 500-pound lots, 8½c. (In 25-pound tin pails, 1c above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin pails, 1c above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin cases, 100-pounds, per case, 2½c per pound above keg price; 1 to 2-pound tin cases, 100-pound tin cases, 100-pound tin cases, 55c; bolied, in barrels, 50c; in cases, 55c; 25-gallon lots, 1c less.

NEW YORK BANKS HOLD TWELVE MILLIONS OVER REQUIREMENTS.

Actual Gain in the Cash Reserve Is Close to the Estimated Figures.

Last week's official statement of the New York Associated Banks showed conditions, at east as regards the cash reserve, more in accordance with the expectations as based upon the preliminary estimates than any recently saued returns. The loan item, too, reflected such liquidation, deposits, and consequently eserve requirements, decreased last week so reserve requirements, decreased that west so that with the gain in cash there was an im-portant increase in the surplus reserve. The cash gain shown by the statement was \$3.518,-\$00, while the estimates which were based upon traceable movements of money during wask indicated a probable increase of out \$5,500,000.

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posits decreased \$12,717,100, which amount nearly corresponded with the sum of lecrease in loans, less the gain in cach; fore, the statement made a good proof. The required reserve against general deposits secreased \$8,179,275, adding which to the indecreased \$3,179,275, adding which to the instocks of equal importance. The movement crease in cash made \$6,005,075 as the gain was not wide at any time, and the volume

*Decrease. LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and

Hogs.

The following livestock prices were quoted in the local market:
CATTLE—Good steers, \$4.5094.75; second-class, \$563.50; cows, good, \$3.5093.75; fair to medium, \$2.5093; calves, good, \$4.5095, SHEEP—Good cheared sheep, \$464.50; lambs, \$4.5095. -Good, \$7@7.25; light and feeders, 86,500 6,75

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Kansas City, Chicago and

Prices Current at Kansas City, Chicago and Omaha.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. May 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 1000; market steady; native steere, \$4.0006; native cows and hefters, \$2.5005.25; etockers an decders, \$384-75; Western cows, \$2.7506.50; Western steers, \$3.7506.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 4000; market strong to 5c higher; bulk of sales, \$48.3006.40; heavy, \$3.40 96.50; packers, \$6.5006.42%; pigs and light, \$6.1066.82%.

Sheep—Receipts 2000; market, steady; muttons, \$4.5006.25; lambs, \$607.50; range wethers, \$5.96.50; fed ewes, \$4.5006.

seen in the fruit and veretable district on pront street. The demand was from both 180 120; Costs Rice, fancy, 18 200; good 160 110; ordinary, 100 230 per neumid: Costs Rice, fancy, 18 200; cools Rice, fancy, 18 200; cools Rice, fancy, 18 200; cools Rice, ordinary, 100 230 per neumid: Costs Rice, fancy, 100 230 per neumid: Costs Rice, fancy, 100 230 per neumid: Costs Rice, fancy, 18 200; cools Rice, cases, 1008, 514, 75; 50x, 514, 7

Weeded Out in Recent Panicky Selling of Stocks.

SITUATION IS CLEARED

Substantial Investment Buying of Securities at Low Levels of Last Week-Foreign Demand Attracted-Money Easier.

NEW YORK, May 12.—(Special.)—The re-covery in the market, which was clearly de-fined at the close of last week, has gone on and with considerable uniformity and rapidity which few had expected. Nearly all the loss between April 18, the date of the San Fran-cisco disaster, and the low level of ten day-ago has been restored, and the quickness of the rebound has finally set at rest all mis-sivings as to the real nature of last month's the rebound has finally set at rest all mis-givings as to the real nature of last month's violent downfail. It is realized now that se-curity prices, according to all measure of in-trinsic valuations, were not too high. Neither did the decline portend any unfavorable turn in the general business situation. It was en-tirely the result of a situation which had been undermined by a series of shocks, caus-ing for the time being a loss of confidence and a dread less the support of influential inter-ests had been permanently withdrawn from the market.

the market. In the light of what has happened this week it is seen the collapse was entirely irrationa that the influences of speculative holders i induce liquidation were very greatly exagge induce liquidation were very greatly exaggerated and that to a large extent the later attaions of the decline were the work of an extremely bold and reckiess short side. The exagicton remains that liquidation, whether directly or not, by the larger interests had a great deal to do with forcing prices down. If the question were asked what good reason there was for seiling out stocks, 10 to 15 points lower down a fortnight ago, which would not equally apply to the market today, it would be very hard to find an answer. In some respects, no doubt, the general situation is clearer than it was. The bugsboo of the Standard Oil investigation and the President's message is out of the way. A distinctly easier tendency has developed in the money market, but the true explana-

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tronger case of buyers turning up as a series of stocks.

The course of the stock market effered evidence that there has been some substantial investment absorption of securities, especially at the low levels of last week. Foreign investors seemed to have been attracted by

vestors seemed to have been attracted by the prices offered by our securities. The improvement in the immediate money situation has thrown into the background the ultimate capital requirements in the re-building of San Francisco and demands for other large enterprises which loomed for-midably in the prospect of the period of stock market depression.

The extent of the recovery in stocks in-spires some distrust from the technical standpoint, and keeps professional attention awake for a reaction. But the undertone continent remains confident, in the absence of a renewal of any liquidation, of the sinis

cent on call on the week.

may be noted, increased \$1.038.800 during the weeks—the surplus is \$22,167.225. Loans decreased \$16,460.400. This is the first loss in this item since April 14, though meanwhile there has been almost constant liguidation as the result of realization and bear pressure on the stock exchange.

The statement of the Clearing-House banks for this week follows:

Loans \$1.025,650,500 *\$16,490.405 the begostis 1,614,504.406 begostis 1,014,504,400 *22,717.100 the stock exchange 1,014,504,400 \$2,014,500 the stock exchange 1,014,504,500 the stock exchange 1,014,504,504,500 the stock exchange 1,014,504,500 the stock excha

Sales, High, Low. | Signa Refin | 1800 | 1814 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | 115 | ## 1.000; market steady; native steers ## 1.000; market steady; native cows and helefers \$2.5005.50; stockers an diseders \$3.600.50. Western cows ## 1.000 market strong to 5c higher; bulk of sales \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 08.50; packers \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 08.50; packers \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 08.50; packers \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 08.50; packers \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 08.50; packers \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 08.50; packers \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 08.50; packers \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 09.50; packers \$8.3005.40; heavy \$8.40 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 00 canadian Pacific 4.400 1604 1604 10 00 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 00 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 00 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 10 00 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 1604 10 00 canadian Pacific 4.400 1614 10 00 canadian Pac shome of the butyers thought the market might open up in the last part of this month, there the unwillingness of the trade to pay high prices is clearly known.

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33,400 131% 130% do preferred ... chlose Sheffield . I. & S. F. 1 pt. . Lauis Southwest do preferred uthern Pacific ...

BONDS. NEW YORK, May 12.-Closing quotations NEW YORK, May 12.—Closing quotations: U.S. ref. 2s reg. 103.4; D. & R. G. 4s. 100.1; do coupon. 103.4; N. Y. C. G. 316s. 98.1; U. H. Ss reg. 103. Nor. Pacific 5s. 75.1; do coupon. 103. Nor. Pacific 4s. 103.4; U. S. new 4s reg. 129.1; So. Pacific 4s. 26. do coupon. 129.1; Uno Pacific 4s. 104.1; U. S. old 4s reg. 102.1; Wis. Central 4s. 91. do coupon. 103.1; Jap. 6s. 26 ser. 1884. Atchison Adj. 4s. 94.1; Jap. 44s. cer. 22.5;

Money, Exchange, Etc. Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, May 11. — Money on call, nominal; no loans. Time loans, easy; 80 days, 44,95 per cent; 90 days and six months. 5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 51,65%. Sterling exchange, stendy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 34,85569±8,8555 for demand, and at \$4,8220,8225 for 30 days. Posted rates, \$4,83 and \$4,86%. Commercial

bills, \$4.81%;614.82%;
Bar silver, 67c.
Mexican dollars, 51c.
Bonds—Government, steady; railroads in

Daily Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, May 12.—Today's state-ment of the Treasury balances shows: Available cash balances \$150,186,623 Gold coin and bulion \$1,299,038 Gold certificates \$7,196,260

NEW YORK, May 12 -Closing quotations BOSTON, May 12.—Closing quotations:
Adventure \$ 7.00 Mont, C. & C. \$ 3.25
Allouez 38.75 N Butte 93.25
Amaigamatd 107.37 4 Old Dominion 42.00
Am. Zinc. 10.00 Osceola 107.25 107.37 4 Old Dominion 10.00 Osceola 1 16.00 Parrot 2 35.00 Quincy 1 700.00 Shannon 2 17.50 Trinity 1 16.75 United Cop. 1 17.50 U. 8 Oil 2 17.50 Victoria 2 12.57 Wolverine 3

NEW YORK, May 12. — Coffee futures closed steady in tone and 56'10 points net lower. Sales were reported of 23,750 hags, including May, at 6.30c; June, 6.35c; July, 6.45c; August, 6.50c; September, 6.60cg.6.5c; Decamber, 6.90c; March, 7.1097.15c; Spot Rio, steady; No. 7 invoice, 7%c; mild, steady; Corcess Sussible.

Sugar-Haw, strong; fair refining, 2 29-329 2 15:16c; centrifugal; 96 test, 3 18-3268 7-19c; molasses sugar, 2 21-3283 11-16c. Refined, steady; No. 6, 54:10; No. 7, 54:06; No. 8, 84; No. 9, 81:06; No. 10, 53:00; No. 11, 53:55; No. 12, 53:80; No. 13, 53:75; No. 14, 53:75; confectioners A, 54:45; mold A, \$4:95; cut loaf, 55:30; crushed, 55:30; powdered, 54:70; granulated, 54:80; cubes, 54:55.

Dried Fruit at New York. NEW YORK, May 12.—Evaporated apples for future delivery are a trifle easier, but spot supplies are very firmly held and quotaitons are a shade higher. Strictly prime, 11c; choice, 11% 69114c; fancy, 11% 6912c.

Frunes continue firm and a little better business is reported with quotations ranging from 6%c to 8%c, according to grade.

Apricots show little fresh feature. Choice, 12%c; extra choice, 186/18%c; fancy, 146/14%c. Peaches are quiet le: extra choice. Illigilitie: fancy. Illigit 20: fancy. 12@12%c. Raisins are in limited jobbing demand at

Dairy Produce in the East, CHICAGO, May 12.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamerics, 161-200c; dairies, 180-18c. Eggs, firm at mark cases included, 150-161-2c; firsts, 151-2c; prime firsts, 161-3c; extras, 181-9c. Cheese, steady, 90-12c.

NEW YORK, May 12 -Butter and cheese, Western extra fixets,

Metal Murkets.

Metal Markets,

NEW YORK, May 12.—The metal markets were quiet today as usual in the absence of cables, and all prices were firmly held. Spot tin was quoted at 46.500000; Lake copper is quoted at 18.6219610; electrolytic, 18.60018.6216; and casting, 18018.25c. The price for lead for shipment in 30 days was advanced to 5.75c, and spot quotations range from that up to 5.85c. Spelter was quiet at 60 6.05c. Iron remisend quiet and unchanged.

BOSTON, May 12.—Copper shares were strong today. Amalgamated and Boston Consolidated being the features, with New York a large buyer. There was some week-end profit-taking, but the market closed strong.

Wool at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS. May 12.—Wool, steady; territory and Western mediums, 22@25½c; fine medium, 21@26½c; fine, 18821c.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Marriage Idoenses.

DAY-MEYER—Fred B, Day, 25, 371 East
Seventh street; Elizabeth Meyer, 20.

HEDOS-GATES—William D. Hedge, 20.

Lents: Mande M Gates, 22.

PARK-HASTING—Peter Park, 29, 512

Washington street; Lotta Hasting, 26.

LHMERITE-DEMOL—August Librarite,
23 Lents: Annie Demoi, 25.

KEESET-MONTGOMERY — John August
Koeser, 33, 409 Fourth street; Emma Ruth
Montgomery, 29.

BURROUGH-BROWN—Claud E. Burrough
25. Silver City, Idaho; Christina Estelle
Brown, 21.

RHORER-LANCE—Joel Neal Rhorer, 47.

Vallejo; Mary Agnes Lance, 36.

Births.

Vallejo; Mary Agnes Lance, 36.

Births.

ANDERSON—At 256% Russell street.
April 19, to the wife of Clarence Anderson, a daughter.

ANDERSON—At 500 Falling street, April 9, to the wife of Ernest Anderson, a son.

BARTOSCH—At 1005 East Thirteenth street North, April 21, to the wife of John Bartosch, a son.

STAHL—At 400 East Ash street, May 10, to the wife of R. T. Stahl, a daughter.

Deaths.

Deaths,
BINNY—At Hotel Portland, May 10,
homas Binny, a native of Scotland, aged 45 Thomas Bliny, a native of Scotland, aged 45 years.

SNIDER—A: 260 East Thirty-seventh street North, May 11, John D. Snider, a native of Canada, aged 58 years, 10 months and 5 days.

WALLS—At St. Vincent's Hospital, May 12, Mrs. Ella May Wells, a native of New York, aged 44 years.

Bullding Permits.

GUS SHOULD—One-story frame dwelling, Minnesota avenue, near Mason street, 5500.

GEORGIA BATCHERLIER — Two-story frame dwelling, East Oak, between Bast Twentieth and Bast Twenty-second streets, 1500.

\$1500.

A. E. MACHAY—Two-story frame dwelling. North Twenty-fourth and Marshall streets, \$6000.

BLANCHE ROSS—One-story frame dwelling, East Minesteent and Linn streets, \$1000.

C. H. KENNEDY—One-story frame workshop, East Thirty-first and East Main streets, \$100.

A. J. STIMPSON—14; story frame dwelling, East Yambill and East Twenty-seventh streets, \$1250.

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Prediction of Rain in Wheat Belt Has Bearish Effect.

CHICAGO MARKET IS WEAK

Notwithstanding Numerous Reports of Damage in the Southwest, Liquidation Is General in the Closing Hours.

CHICAGO, May 12—The wheat market was steady during the first few minutes of trading because of buying by a leading built, but before the end of the first hour sentiment had become bearish and prices were sasier. The Weather Bureau predicted showers over a large portion of the wheat territory, including Kanssa and Nebraska, where it is said the crop is suffering from lack of incleiure. This was the chief cause of the selling pressure. Notwithstanding numerous reports of damage in the Southwest, the market became weaker and esiling was general in the closing hour. The close was weak, with prices almost at the lowest point of the day. July opened 1/4c lower to 1/4c higher at 51/5 to 51%, sold off to 80%c and closed 1/4c lower at 80%c. CHICAGO, May 12 -The wheat market

The corn market was steady at the open-

day, July closed to lower, at 4046.

Trading in oats was quiet and the market was steady. July closed the lower, at 31 hc. Provisions were firm all day. At the close July pork was up 15c, lard was 715c higher, and ribs were 10c up.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

П	The leading	THEUres	INTEREG	With Totals	WIN -
ļ		102	EAT.		
	May July Heptember	Open. \$.83% .81% .78%	8 -83%	\$.83 .80% .79	\$.53 .80% .70%
ì	Dec. Street	CK	ORN.		
	May July September	.465%	46%	-4614 -4614	4614
1			ATS.		
	May July September	.229 %		.22% .31% .29%	.81% .20%
ı		- The state of	PORK.		
	May July September	IN STAR	15.2734 15.40 15.2734	15.15 15.2714 15.20	15.27% 15.40 15.27%
ij	The state of the s		ARD.		
	May	8,45 8,55 8,70	8.47 U 8.57% 8.72 U	8.45 8.55 8.6716	8.47 kg 8.57 kg 8.72 kg
ı		SHOR	T RIBS		
	May		8,671/2 8,80 8,80	8.6116 8.7216 8.75	8,67.14 8,80 8,80

Cash quotations were as polices: Flour Steady; Winter patents, \$3.5 straights, \$3.3093.00; Spring patents, 3.80; straights, \$3.4083.00; bakers, \$2.3 Wheat-No. 2 Spring, 83@841/c; No. 3, 77@

Wheat—No. 2 Spring, 836844c; No. 5, 11288c; No. 2 red, 89691c.
Corn—No. 2, 40c; No. 2 yellow, 504c.
Cotts—No. 2, 32%c; No. 2 white, 34c; No. 3 white, 35634c.
Rys—No. 2, 504c.
Barley—Good feeding, 40641%c; fair to choice mailing, 45651c.
Flaxmeed—No. 1, \$1.06%; No. 1 Northwesters, \$115

rn, \$1.10.
Mass pork—Per barrel, \$15.25@15.50.
Lard—Per 100 pounds, \$5.50.
Short ribs sides—Loose, \$8.90@8.70.
Short clear sides—Boxed, \$9.05@9.15.

Shipments, 13,100 36,400 19,500 473,400 Grain and Produce at New York.

Grain and Produce at New York.

NEW YORK. May 12.—Flour—Receipts. 27.,
700 barrels; caporis. 13, 400 barrels. Firm and
higher, but quiet: Minnesota patents. \$4.256
4.55; do bakers. \$1.4563.50; Winter patents.
\$4.994.30; do straights. \$3.85694; do extras.
\$2.90673.40; do low grades. \$2.85673.35.

Wheat—Receipts. \$5.500 bushels: exports.
\$1.975 bushels; saice, 1,500,600 bushels futures. Spot irregular; No. 2 red, 92c, nominal
elevator; No. 2 red, 98c, nominal f. o. b.
affoat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 91% of t. o. b.
affoat; No. 1 Northern affaitoba. \$95% of f.
o. b. affoat; Although firmer at the start on
covering and talk of a large decrease in the covering and talk of a large decrease in the visible supply Monday, wheat later declined quite sharply under realizing sales. Later there was a reaction on outside buying followed by a decline on further unloading. The close was 142% c net lower. Sales, included No. 2 red May, 90g90%c, closed 90c; July closed 677c! September, 84 11-10g857c, closed

Hope—Firm; states, common to choice, 1905, 10g15c; 1804, 9215c; olds, nominal; Pacifics, 1806, 10g15c; 1904, 12g13c; olds, 4g6c.
Hides—Steady; Galveston, 20g25 pounds, 20c; California, 21g25 pounds, 21c; Texas dry, 24g20 pounds, 19c.
Wool—Steady; domestic fieece, 35g38c.
Petroleum—Firm; refined, New York, 7.50c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 7.75c; do bulk, 4.65c.

Minneapolls Wheat Market,
MINNEAPOLIS, May 12—May, 83%c;
July, 81%c; September, 78%@78%c; No. 1
hard, 81%c; No. 1 Northern, 82%c; No. 2
Northern, 90%c

Wheat at Tacoma. TACOMA, May 12.-Wheat-Unchanged. Export: Bluestem, 71%; club, 70%c; red,

Prices of Grain, Produce, Fruit and Vege-Frices of Grain, Produce, Fruit and Vegetables.

BAN PRANCISCO, May 12—PLOUR—Not
cashi Family extra, \$4.70g5 per barrel; hakers' extra, \$4.60g4.75.
WHEAT—No. 1 shipping, per cental, \$1.274,
@1.514; inferior grades, \$1.184,61.25; white
milling good to choice, \$1.824,61.25; fancy,
up to \$1.40. milling good to the state of th

BUTTER-Fresh California extras, 17c.

VEGOTTABLESS Asparagus 75c031.25 per box; green peas, 50675c per mack; rhubarb. 20650c per box for small and 60675c for large, string beans, 567c per pound; tomatoes, 75c45 \$1.25 per box; potatoes, new, 1614c per pound; old Rivers, 80c931.10 per sack; Oregon, \$1.1561.40; Coos Bay, \$1.35691.50 per sack; ontons, new, \$161.25 per sack; boxes, 25650c; Oregon, \$2.7562.75 per cental, as to quality; Australian, \$3.5095; cucumbers, 75c051 per dozen.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Total imports of merchandise and dry goeds at the port of New York for the week ending today were valued at \$15,772,600. Imports of specie were \$44,793 silver and \$5,135,793 gold. Exports of specie were \$657,500 silver and \$10,000

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Assinda Barnard and husband to A.
Lippman, lot 5, block 13, Kern
Park
Merchants Loan & Trust Co. to J.
C. Ainsworth, trustee, 2.72 acres,
section 34, T. 1 N. R. 5 E.
H. T. French and wife to Ethal Murphy, lots 3, 4 and 5, block 15, Cloverdale Extension No. 2.
R. C. Wood to Andrew Krang, lot 13, block 60, Seluvoud.
Security Savings & Trust Co. to R.
B. Lamson, lot 1, block 41, Couch's Addition
R. B. Lamson, et al., to Ottenhsimer Realty & Investment Co., lot 1, block 41, Couch's Addition.
Sheriff to O. W. Eastbam, lot 13, block 9, Lincoin Park Annex.
Daisy B. Eastham to Cora G. Johnson, same property.
J. E. Kilmartin to James Murkle, et al., lot 1, block 2, Brendle's Addition.
George T. Potest and wife to Milan A.

J. E. Kilmartin to James Muckle, et al., lot I, block 2, Brendle's Addition
George T. Poteet and wife to Milan A. Bower, \$2x78 feet beginning at south line of Clackamas street and north line of Diock 4, McMillen's Addition, 105 feet on south line of Clackamas street from northeast corner of block 4.

L. H. Burton to Kasson Smith, lot 11, block 1, Acme Addition.
Mary I Slauson and husband to E. W. Ball, lot 7, Delashmutt & Oatman's Little Homes No. 1.

Hub Land Co. to L. D. Curtis, west half or lot 18, block 2, Williamette Boulevard Acres
Charles Porth and wife to James W. Clunis, west 40 feet lots 1 and 2, block 17, Albins.

A. A. Merrill and wife to Julia M. Anderson, lots 5 and 0, subdivision block 6, Cask Park.

A. O. Hall to Anthony Hardy, lot 5, block 26, Linnten.
George F. Ritter to Mary Keenan southwest half of lot 5, block 1, D. Shaver's Second Addition.

Mary Keenan and Rusband to Lignie K. Weeks, same property.

C. Nielso nto John A. Valentine, lot 4, block 28, Cantral Ablins.

Hannah M. Shaw, guardian, to W. A. Townsend, lots 4, 5 and 5, block 5, Fairview.

Nancy Agnew to David Finn, lots 50 to 34, block 18, Northern Hill Addition.

George E. Waggoner and wife to D. E. Keasey, lot 18, Hillview.

dition George E. Waggoner and wife to D. E. Keasey, lot 18, Hillview. American Investment Co. to George E. Waggoner, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block 2. Montgomery Park Thomas Hewitt to same, block P. Green 2. Montgomery Park
Thomas Hewitt to Same, block P. Greenway
Geurge B. Waggoner and wife to Iris
D. Bush, lot 5, block 2, Bungalow
Glade Addition
Harian P. Cone and wife to D. J. Finn,
lots 1 and 2 block 5, Kenilworth.
G. W. Patterson and wife to Ethel M.
Slowe, lot 3, block 12, Highland Park
Hermine B. Redlinger and bushand to
George Tuthill, E. is of lots 9 and
10, block 29, Albina Homestead
P. W. Leadbetter and wife to H. W.
Scott, undivided one-third of block
5, East Portland
Frank H. Sherman and wife to H.
Noble, lot 4, block 5, Arbor Ledge
Price Wanklin and wife to Theodore
J. Hoist, lot 4, block 18, 55, Irving's
Addition
H. E. Noble and wife to George A.
Schneider, west 40 feet of lots if and
16, block 29, Albina Homestead
J. Anna C. Smith to Mary E. Eubanke,
Pl. 5, of lot 1, block 8, Garrison's
Sundivision
Same to Mary B. Kusanke,
B. M. R. Reman, W. is of lot

Anna C. Smith to Mary E. Kubanke.

2. 3, of lot 1, block S. Garrieon's
Subdivision

Same to Mary R. Keenan, W. 4, of lot
1, block S. same addition.

R. W. Akins te J. N. Beamhall, 22238
rods and S. Ilnia, beginning 20 rodg
north of stake 45 rods west of S. W.
corner J. Foweslie D. L. C.
Bimon L. Goldschmidt to E. Henry
Wennne, lots S. and T. block So.
Couch's Addition

L. E. Stemier and wife to Eva R.
Marsh, sast 80 feet of south \$3 1.3 feet
of lot 14, block 12, Williams-Avenus
Addition

E. Stemier and wife to Eva R.
Marsh, sast 80 feet of south \$3 1.3 feet
of lot 14, block 12, Williams-Avenus
Addition

Ernest A. Nelson to N. J. Nelson
lot 7, block 8, Lincoln Park Annex

J. C. Roberts and wife to C. M. Langer
and husband, part of lots 6, 7, 8,
block 7, Hanson's Add
William G. Gossill et al. to Therefore
A. Garbade, east half of lots 7, 8,
and west half of lots 12, block
204, city
James W. Shaver et al. trustees to
Frederick Langle, Southwest half of
lots 4, 5, block 1, Delmar Shaver's
Second Add
Title Insurance & Investment Co. to
Mary I. Slauson, lot 7, Delashmutt
& Ostman's Little Homes, No. 1,
Frederick Langle to George F. Ritte,
southwest half of lots 4, 5, block 1,
D. Shaver's Second Add
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Middleton, lot 7, block 5, West Piedmont

J. Frank Watson and wife to J. T. Neff
et al., lots 6 to 17, and lots 21 to
32, block 17, Point View
John W. Lichtenthaler and wife to Otto
J. Krasmer, undivided on-sixth of
west half of block 14. North Portland
Allance Trust Go., to C. E. Leftzel,
lot 6, block 30, Sunnyside
Oragon Corrpany to J. C. Roberts, lots
5, 6, block 7, Hanson's Add
Portland Railway Company to J. C.
Roberts et al., part block 7, same add

Prize Products of Polk.

MONMOUTH, Or., May 12-(Special)-

MONMOUTH, Or. May 12—(Special.)—C. E. Wheelock, who lives one mile west of town, has received a gold medal from the Lewis and Clark Exposition for the best sample of wheat grown. This wheat was exhibited at St. Louis, where it took the premium also. Taken in connection with the fact that the best menair on the Coast, as well as the finest wool and hops, are produced in this county, much pride is felt in the award made to Mr. Wheelock on his grain.