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Omaha Livestock Market.

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Coffee Futures Quiet.

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no rain, but prospects for rain are good. Some farmers state a heavy rain now ould cause more damage than it would These are principally hay growdo good. and farmers who have cut wetch for seed and some Fall grain. It would be their own fault if such crops were damaged by rain, as they apparently made no effort to save same, allowing the hay to remain in cocks instead of stacking it. I made a trip from Salem to Eugene including Cor-valls line today. Crops between Albany and Salem are in fairly good shape, but there are some very poor crops between Albany and Eugene, particularly between Fayetteville and Harrisburg and between unction City and Eugene, where much

has been done by hot weather and vinds to hay, grain, beams and potatoes. a this district one can see fine crops which dicates land has been properly cultivated, found on white land where land plaster d been used crops are in excellent condi-Practically all of this white land quires drainage and sweeting by lime to roduce profitable croups. It also should be unimer fallowed, to eliminate weeds, but nd account so much land being farmed, renters very little of it being handled in his manner. I do not believe the crop sitution is as serious as depicted in William-

ette Valley, but it would, of course, have been much larger if we had more molsture furing July. From Agent, Albany, July 28-"Cloudy

and cooler prospects for a little rain are better."

better." From Agent, Orenco, July 25—"Cloudy, light south wind and cool: crops no ma-terial change sxcept some grain is being cut." EMAIL GAIN IN BUTTER STOCKS MAIL GAIN IN BUTTER STOCKS HAMS—All sizes, c. picnics, 21c; cottage LARD—Tierce basis, kettle rendered, 23c; LARD—Tierce basis, kettle rendered, 23c; tandard, pure, 224;c: compound, 18c. BACON—Fancy, 38@40c; standard, 36@ 37c; choice, 25@34c. DRY SALT—Short clear backs, 24@27c; exports, 26@27c; plates, 22@24c. Oils,

Cold storage holdings of creamery butter in the Pacific Northwest on June 15, 1917,

were 2.9 per cent larger than on the same date last year. The figures issued yesterday by the office

orts from 266 storages in the United

tates show that their rooms contain 65,874,-578 pounds of creamery butter, while on July 1, 312 storages reported 45,480,442 pounds. The 207 storages that reported holdings on July 15 of this year and last show a present stock of 61,273,784 pounds as

compared with 78,707,845 pounds last year, ecrease of 17.414.111 pounds or 22.2 per ent. The reports show that since July 1. cont. the haldings increased 35.0 per cent, while the last report showed that during June, the June 1 holdings increased 426.7 per cent. Last year the increase from July 1 to July 46.4 per cent and in June the increase

was 675.2 per cent.

BERRIES ARE SCARCE AND HIGHER

Active Demand for Cantaloupes and Melons

All kinds of berries were scarce yesterday and higher prices were quoted. Cantaloupes and melons were active at unchanged quo-tations. A straight car of Elberta peaches is due tomorrow. There is still a fair sup-ply of apricots on hand, but the season promises to be a short one. Lemons are strong and oranges are holding steady. Walla Walla colons are arriving in car-lots and they are of fins quality. The com-ing week will about wind up the season for

ing week will about wind up the season for California red onions. A local jobber says of the potato situation: "The long continued hot, dry spell is cer-tainly having its effect on the potato mark ket. We stopped bringing potatoes from California, thinking that our local stock would be in sufficient supply to take care of our orders. However, we were disap-

11013, \$1.50; One und flats, \$3 sund flats, 83. HONEY-Choice, \$3@3.25 per case. NUTS-Wainuts, 18@2215c: Brazil nuts, Ic. filberts, 22c; simonds, 19@20c; peanuts, 9c; cocoanuts, \$1.10 per dozen; pecans,

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HEANS — California, small white, 17c; arge white, 16%c; Limas, 17%c; bayous, 13%c; pink, 14c, COFFEE—Ronsted, in drums, 17@25c, SALT-Granulated, \$17.25 per ton; half-ground, 100s, \$12.40 per ton; 50s, \$13.15 per ton; dairy, \$17.25 per ton; RICE-Southern head, 9@9%c per pound; blue rose, S%c; Japan style, 7%%c7%c, DRIED FRUIT—Apples, 12%c; penches, 10@11c; prunes, Italian, 10%%12%c; neisins, 85c@83 per box; dates, fard, \$2.50@3 per box; currants, 10c; figs, \$2.50 per box.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

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HOPS-Hüld crop, nominal; contracts, 10
Gize per pound.
HIDES-Saited hides (25 pounds up), 20c;
saited stags (50 pounds and up), 16c; green and saited the (15 pounds to 25 pounds), 20c; green and saited calf skins (up to 15 pounds), 32c; green hides (25 pounds and up), 15c; dry hides, 34c; dry calf, 40c; sait hides, 20c; dry house hides, \$162,50; sait hides, 250; dry hose hides, \$162,50; sait horse hides, \$2555.
FELTS-Dry long-wooled peits, 37c; dry short-wooled peits, 25c; dry sheep shearlings, each, 15636c; sait sheep shearlings, cach, 25650c.
WOOL-Eastern Oregon, fine, 55661c per pound; coarse, 55661c per pound; Valley,

pound: coarse, 58@Blc per pound; Valley, 25@T5c per pound. MOHAIR-00@5c per pound. CASCAFA BARK-New, 7c; old, 8c per

ound. TALLOW-No. 1, 14c per pound. GRAIN BAGS-In car lots, 13%c.

KEROSENE-Water white, drums, barrels or tank wagons, 10c; cases, 18½ @22c, GABOLINE - Bulk, 20%c; cases, 29c; naptha, drums, 10%c; cases, 28c; engine listillate, drums, 10%c; cases, 19c, LINSEED OIL-Raw, barrels, \$1.82; cases, 1.39; bolled, barrels, \$1.34; cases, \$1.41, TURPENTINE-In tanks, 62c; in cases, 9c.

PRUNE PROFIT SEEMS SECURE.

Apple Growers in Polk Plan to Change Their Orchards.

DALLAS, Or., July 28.--(Special.)--Prunes have proved such a profitable crop in Polk County that Ewing Bros., who own a model apple orchard of 100 acres, con-The model apple or and of 100 acres, con-templie trees on 75 acres. The apple trees will be permitted to remain in the orchard until the prune trees are two years old, then they will be grubbed out to give more room for the development of the prune

The Polk County apple has an excellen unsettled GOVERNMENT TAKES STEPS TO

flavor but prices have been so unsettled that Mr. Ewing feels he would rather grow-prunes since both yield and price has been good for the past six years.

Navy Department Purchases Oregon and Other Clips for Use by Cloth Contractors.

STEADY MARKET.

The new phase of Government buying of wooienes as indicated in the fact that the Navy Department now holds a stock of wool which may be used by mills in the manufac-of great interest to the men's wear market, any the New York Journal of Commerce. The purpose of arrangement is the checking of infation from competitive bidding among prospective contractors for the necessary supply of wool. If the mill which wishes to undertake the work cannot get wool at a lower figure, it will naturally bid on the basis of the Government price. For this transaction at icast the raw material market will not be forced upward. The Navy is calling for 1,000,000 yards of

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the Ozark beit. No lite reports are available from other sections of the state. Arkansus — Earlier reports indicating a substantial increase over the fruit production of last year are apparently unchanged. Colorado—The Grand Valley district, indicating the shipping points of Palisades. Clifton, Fruits and Grand Junction, is estimated to produce this seasen about 2500 cars of apples, 600 cars of pears and 900 cars of apples, 600 cars in the pears, while the peaches will be about the same as the previous season, with an increase of 200 cars in the pears. These figures represents an increase of 200 cars in the pears, while the peaches will be about the same as the previous season, with an increase of 1000 cars of apples, the output of the Farmington district is estimated at 95 cars of apples and 35 cars of Elberts peaches. The output of the Farmington district is estimated at 95 cars of apples and 35 cars of Elberts peaches. The output of the Farmington district is estimated at 95 cars of apples and 35 cars of Elberts peaches. The output of the Farmington district is estimated at 95 cars of apples and 35 cars of Elberts peaches. The output of the farmington district is estimated at 95 cars of apples and 35 cars of Elberts peaches. The last year. Californis.—The present season is looked forward to by the growers as likely to be a prosperous one. The yield of both apples and pears should be heavier than last year. Texas—The state has compiled figures that about 450 cars of apples. 300 cars of pears and 1500 of peaches will move. This represents practically a normal yield for apples and be about 20 or 25 per cent of the state, promise a yield about 300 cars of pears and 1500 of peaches will move. This represent the coming season, while the Spokame district will also produce a tonnage about like that of last year. The Walk Walk district will also produce a tonnage about like that of last year. The Season for the various Washington districts: Apples Pears Peaches Plums to the principal commodities for the various wa
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13.25. Sheep-Receipts, 7000, steady. Wethers, \$7.50@10.75; lambs, \$9.75@15.60.

Coffee Futures Quiet. NEW YORK, July 28.—Coffee futures opened 1 point higher on a little covering and in a very small market made further slight gains, September advancing to 7.80 and March 8.05, the close being 2 to 4 points net higher. Foreign political news continued to discourage business and there seemed to be an entire absence of any out-side interest in the market. Sales 3000, July \$7.70; August, \$7.70; Beptember, \$7.88; October, \$7.58; November, \$7.88; December, \$7.81; January, \$7.95; February, \$7.99; March, \$5.03; April, \$8.08; May, \$8.13; June, \$8.15.

SS.15. Spot quiet Rio 7s, 94; Santos 4s, 104 Rio exchange was 3-16d higher according to official cables.

Naval Stores,

SAVANNAH, Ga., July 28.—Turpentine irm; 374c. Salez, 171 barrels; receipts, 495 arrels; shipments, 18 barrels; stock, 28,245

in firm. Sales, 677 barrels; receipts, barrels, shipments, 200 barrels, focepin, barrels, algories, b. 200 barrels, stock, is barrels, Quote: B. \$5265.10; D. 5.06 g E. \$5.075 (\$5.10); F. \$5.10; G. \$5.10 (g 5.55 g5.76; M. 56.20); K. \$5.20 \$5.25; \$5.55 g5.70; M. \$6.20 g6.50; WG, \$5.50 \$; WW, \$6.70 \$6.75.

Copper Market Is Firmer.

Copper Market is Firmer. NEW YORK, July 28.—The copper mar-let was firmer later this week as a result d a better demand for metal and lighter fifterings. Mest of the business is still be-ng done by small dealers. Spot and near-ng deliveries, electrolytic subted nominally to 30c and August and later, 26 to 25 bc. Iron was unchanged.

Dried Fruits at New York.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Evaporated apples plat. Fancy, 12@12%c; choice, 11%@ 1%c; prime, 10%@10%c. Prunes, exporters buyers. Peaches quiet._____

wool unchanged.

Grain at San Francisco.

WL F105. 113 § 6.25 1 bull1400 § 5.75 310 7.00 1 bull1440 5.50 060 0.50 1 bull1150 4.25 707 6.00 1 lamb ... 30 11.00 155 9.00 SAN FRANCISCO, July 25. — Sp6t quotations: Bluestem, \$454.10; Turbay red, \$4.1054.20; red Rumman, \$3.7553.85; fee-barley, \$2.2052.2245; white oats, \$2.4562.50; bran, \$376335; middlings, \$445945; shorts,

Inil board - Barley December, \$2.27%; May, \$2.25 bid, \$2.27 5 asked.

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Favorable Reports From Central States Off-

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Chicage Livesteck Market. CHICAGO, July 28.-Hogs-Receipts, 4000. Monday 17,000, alow, generally 16d lower than the opening, which was strong, and 20c to 25c above yesterday's average. Bulk, \$15 #16: light, \$14.75@16.05; mixed, \$14.65@ 16.10; heavy, \$14.45@16.20; rough, \$14.45@ 14.65; pigs, \$11.75@14.60. Cattle-Receipts, 700, weak, Native beef cattle, \$7.60@14.15; Western Steers, \$8.40 @11.50; stochers and feeders, \$5.80@9; cows and heifers, \$4.50@11.65; caiven, \$8.75@ 18.25.

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Portland Man Declares Prophecies Are Too Pessimistic.

Pessimistic. LEWISTON, Idaho, July 25.--(Special.)--That the grain crop in this section of the Inland Empire is better than has been re-ported, is the opinion of C. A. Hastings, of Balfour-Guthrie Company, of Portiand, who has just completed a trip of inspection throughout this district. "The entire Northwest is badly in need of rain." said Mr. Hastings. "It is difficult to predict what the yield will be. If a good, heavy rain should fall within the next several days it would insure a fairly good crop of Spring-sown grain, and would benefit the Fall-sown grain in the higher altitudes.

benefit the Fall-sown grain in the ingra-"In the Lewiston district Fall-sown grain has matured several weeks earlier than usual on account of the dry weather. The crop is made and a rain would not affect it. In the higher altitudes the Herries are not fully developed. All in all, I fully expect the yield from the Inland Empire will be in excess of the reports that have previously come from the district."

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET

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

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