AFTER LAND FRAUDS

Seven for Swindling.

GAME WAS WORKED ON INDIANS

Bought Lots at Half Price in Names of Dummies-The Investigation Takes in Wide Scope.

Muskogee, Okla., Feb. 4.-The United States grand jury for the eastern district of Oklahoma turned into court here today three indictments in the Muskogee townsite land-fraud investigation and stated to United States District Judge Campbell that they would have no more such cases at pres- schools? This is the most offensive ent. One indictment was against bill of all, and in my judgment is Charles N. Haskell, Clarence W. Turn- clearly unconstitutional and we should er and Walter R. Eaton, the second was against William T. Hutchings and Can it be stopped in the legislature or Clarence W. Turner, and the third and by veto?" last was against Albert Z. English, Frederick B. Severs and Jesse Hill.

in the enjoyment of land set apart for their use, supervising through the In- of the assembly today. terior department the selling of such

Muskogee, Okla., Feb. 4 .- The government sprang a surprise in the Muskogee town lots fraud investigation here today when it was announced that the probing of the grand jury would be extended to include alleged frauds in scheduling "individual blocks." Many persons built temporary fences around whole blocks of land and claimed ownership on the ground that these improvements secured deeds to the property. It had been supposed that the investigation would not take in so wide a scope but would be confined to the securing illegally of town lots.

REJECTS ANTI-JAP BILL.

California Will Not Bar Alien Land Owners and Their Capital.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 4.-After a debate extending from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. today, the assembly rejected the bill drawn by Drew, barring aliens from ownership of land in California, by a vote of 48 to 28. The bill was amended at the request of President Roosevelt and Secretary Root so that the clause applying it to Japanese only storm of opposition that long before the debate was closed by Drew it was apparent that the measure would be defeated.

The result of today's contest is regarded as a fair test of the relative strength of the two factions in the assembly and as foreheadowing the defeat of all measures that would tend to embarrass the National government in its relations with Japan.

In substance the opposition to it was more that it would drive at least a billion dollars of foreign capital out of the state than that it might jeopardize the present friendly relations with Ja-

The proponents of the bill contended that the state was being overrun by thrifty Japanese who were gradually gaining an impregnable position as landowners and whose government was trying to dictate to California regarding legislation.

of Tehama.

Redding, Cal., Feb. 4.-The flood burden was shifted today from Shasta county to Tehama county. The crest of the wave reached Red Bluff at noon, when the river stood at 30 feet six inches, more than two feet higher than ever before.

The levee north of the town of Tehama broke and water ran six feet deep through the main street and was 16 inches deep in the railroad depot. Every house in the town was flooded ard occupants fled to higher ground. A mile of Southern Pacific track at Tehama was washed away.

Division Superintendent Sherman, on a special train, left Red Bluff at 4 o'clock to relieve the people of Tehama as far as possible. The river has been falling at Tehama since noon and the worst is over.

Wedding Hurries Action.

Helena, Mont., Feb. 4.-Immediatewedding yesterday, the legislature and unanimously. The intermarriage fingers will have to be amputated. of all races and nationalities has been Howard is the only brother of the Earl unhappy endings have come to light | cago. Provision has been made in the bill for stern penalties to be inflicted upon those solemnizing such marriages.

Ship Cargo of Corpses.

SAYS JAPS ARE MONGOLIANS.

California Legislature Passes Sepa rate School Bill.

Sacramento, Feb. 5 .- With the de-Oklahoma Grand Jury Indicts feat in the lower house today of Johnson's two bills prohibiting aliens from being members of boards of directors and restricting them in residence districts at the option of boards of supervisors, followed by the unexpected passage of a third bill segregating Japanese school children in separate schools along with Chinese, Coreans and other Asiatics, regarded as the most offensive measure of all, President Roosevelt again has taken a hand in the anti-Japanese legislation in the state legislature, wihch for the last week has drawn international attention to California.

Hardly had the bill passed before Governor Gillett received the following message from the president:

"Your kind letter just received. What is the rumor that the California legislature has passed a bill excluding the Japanese children from the public at once have to test it in the courts.

The governor at once sent a reply, the nature of which he declines at this Each one of these indictments first time to make public and requested of recites that the United States has all the president an immediate answer. ways exercised official functions in the Pending the receipt of another telematter of protecting the Indian tribes gram from the president, the governor declined tonight to discuss the action

The bill passed today, which was one land when this is done under the law of three anti-Japanese measures introfor such land, and also taking care of duced by Grove L. Johnson, places the the proceeds for the Indians, and then Japanese in the same classification the act of March 1, 1901, is referred with other Asiatics and inserts the word "Japanese" in the present state statute providing for the segregation in separate schools of "Mongolian" children. By this action the lower house of the California legislature has taken the step which the board of education of San Francisco intended to take two years ago, but which was dropped after the board and the then mayor, Eugene E. Schmitz, were called to Washington and had several long conferences with the president.

KILLS RACE TRACK BETTING.

Present Season Will Be the Last in California.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 5 .- Racing in the state of California received a prohibits poolselling, bookmaking or office. gambling on horse races. The bill having already passed the assembly, it will now go to the governor for his signature, after which it will become a

Governor Gillett has signified his inbut it is believed that he will not take paid the various officers according to aliens, but the measure aroused such a this action until 30 days shall have that classification. elapsed. As the bill permits pool dealers and bookmakers 60 days in which school education in this state today to close up their affairs, the present scored a notable victory when Represeason of racing at the Emeryville and

The Walker-Otis gambling bill is referred to as "the Hughes law of Cali- dissenting vote-Hatteberg of Marion. fornia" in this section, inasmuch as it follows closely the text of the Hughes bill, which was passed by the last legislature in the state of New York. Violation of the measure is made a felony, the punishment for which is imprisonment in the state penitentiary and a heavy fine.

McLOUGHLIN RELICS FOUND.

Workman Digging on Site of House Makes Valuable Find.

Oregon City, Feb. 5 .- Valuable historical relics supposed to have belonged to Dr. John McLoughlin were found by workmen excavating here yesterday SACRAMENTO AGAIN RAMPANT on the site of the old McLoughlin home, which has been removed to make Levee Bursts and Water Floods City way for an office building for the Hawley Pulp & Paper company.

> One of the workmen, Edward Surfus, in digging where the house formerly stood, brought to light an English shilling of the date of 1801, bearing the name and profile of George III; a silver dime of 1836; several metal buttons of a fashion of long ago, and a' copper and brass vase. An old sword, thought to have been carried by Dr. McLoughlin, it was found had been used as a stove poker by the family residing next door to the old McLoughlin house for a long time.

These relics will be preserved, and if the house is bought by the city and mittee on education, of which Cole is made a museum, as the plan is, they will be added to the collection of Me-Loughlin relics which it is hoped to moved that it be referred to his comform here.

Frostbite May Be Fatal.

New York, Feb. 5.-Hon. James Knivett Howard, of London, is lying at the point of death at the Waldorf-Astoria, the result of an experience ly after hearing of a Chinese-American while hunting in the frozen wilderness bills that drain the state treasury. of British Columbia. Physicians state passed the miscegenation bill hurriedly that one of Howard's feet and several a subject of comment throughout the of Suffolk, who married Miss Daisy state for many years. Lately many Leiter, sister of Joseph Leiter, of Chi-

Wireless Saves Mexican Ship,

Mexico City, Feb. 5 .- Wireless tele- Growers' Union, it was learned that Monmouth and Independence, and the graphy has saved its first Mexican the total shipment of apples by the un- four distric s adjoining the towns, has ship. The revenue cutter Jose Yves ion for the season will be about 225 taken definite shape with the report of New York, Feb. 4.—Five thousand Limantour became disabled 50 miles cars. While several thousand boxes of the joint committee from the pr jected cannot use the courts to collect debts. 6.75. Chinese corpses bound for their final off the coast near Culiacan a few days apples are still in storage here they territory to be included, which selected resting places in the Flowery kingdom ago, according to reports received here, are all sold and will be sent to their a site just half way between Monmouth will leave Brooklyn Wednesday on the and her calls for assistance by wireless purchasers when ordered. The num- and Independence, on the county road steamer Shimosa. The bodies were were caught up by the Alamos, which ber of cars of strictly fancy apples and motor-car line. The vote of the French avia or, succeeded today in best, 10@14c per pound, score immediately steamed out and brought shipped by the union this season is school patrons will be taken avia or, succeeded today in best, 10@14c per pound.

PROCEEDINGS OF OREGON LEGISLATURE

Friday, February 5. Salem, Feb. 5 .- Salary bill vetoes were the occasion for another spirited tilt in the senate today, with Miller of Linn and Hart of Baker exchanging uncomplimentary remarks and Bingham of Lane demanding unsuccessfully that Miller apologize for remarks reflecting upon the senate. President pay for county officers. Bowerman was the unintentional cause

not lessen its fury. There were three of the vetoed bills and they all passed over the governor's ment of the Grande Ronde river; veto by practically the same vote in \$1,800 for messenger and janitor of the each instance. The bills passed over the veto were:

House bill 59, to increase the salary of the school superintendent of Morrow county from \$800 to \$1200, was passed over the governor's veto, Abraham, Kellaher, Miller of Linn, Norton, Sell-

ing, Sinnott and Wood voting "ne." House bill 69, to raise the salary of the school superintendent of Yambill county from \$900 to \$1,200, was passed over the governor's veto, Abraham, Kellaher, Miller of Linn, Norton, Selling, Sinnott and Smith of Umatilla obtain it. voting "no."

House bill 111, to raise the salary of the school superintendent of Sherman county from \$500 to \$1,000, was passed over the governor's veto, Kellaher, Miller of Linn, Norton, Selling and Smith of Umatilla voting "no."

It took the house just three minutes today to pass over Governor Chamberlain's veto three salary-grabbing bills their clerks more than 10 hours a day which had been disapproved for the at any season of the year. reason that the increased salaries went into effect during the incumbent's term in each instance. Only three representatives voted to sustain the gover-

The first bill to be disposed of was that increasing the salary of the school superintendent of Polk county from \$900 to \$1,200 per annum.

The other two salary bills also affected the compensation of school superintendents with increases as follows: Morrow, \$800 to \$1,200; Sherman, \$500 to \$1,000. Both bills passed over the veto with only two or three negative votes.

Thursday, February 4.

Salem, Feb. 4.-Another of the Multnomah county salary-raising bills vital blow when the senate today, by a passed the house this morning. It was vote of 33 to 7, passed the Walker-Otis that affecting the salaries of the depuanti-racetrack gambling bill, which ties in District Attorney Cameron's

Salary-increasing bills will have no place in the Oregon legislature if the bill introduced in the house this afternoon by Representative Buchanan becomes a law. It classifies the counties of the state according to population tention to sign the measure if passed, and prescribes a scale of salaries to be

Advocates of extended sentative Hawley's bill, requiring that Santa Anita courses will not be dis- at least six months' school be taught annually in every school district in the state, passed the house with only one

Against a vigorous fight waged by Representative McCue, of Clatsop, the bill abolishing compulsory pilotage on the Columbia bar passed the house this morning by a vote of 48 to 11, one absent. This bill was introduced by Representative Mahone for the Multnomah county delegation and had the indorsement of the Portland Chamber of Commerce and the Port of Port and.

County Clerk Fields has renewed his efforts to secure enactment of a law at this session providing for the appointment of inspectors of election in this state. Such a bill failed to pass the house earlier in the session. The bill introduced in the house today, however, differs from the orginal measure in that it applies only to Multnomah county, and then only to precincts in which 300 or more votes are cast. Orton of Multnomah presented the bill.

Kellaher's bill requiring toilets on all interurban passenger cars was indefinitely postponed in the senate this monring, but not until after a vigorous fight for it by Senator Kellaher and Chairman Coffey, of the railroads committee.

Pademonium reigned in the senate just before adjournment this afternoon, and President Bowerman was kept busy with his gavel attempting to restore order. House bill 77, by Hawley, to provide more funds for common schools, had been referred to the comchairman. Senator Bingham, of the committee on assessment and taxation, mittee. The motion carried.

Wednesday, February 3.

Salem, Feb. 3 .- Dizzy with the enormous demand for appropriations, the ways and means committees are Here are the totals of cash calls:

Apple Crop Nets \$275,000 Hood River-From H. M. Huxley, manager of the Hood River Apple | 829.35; total, \$6,654,212,14.

After allowing for duplications in these three classes, the total of the appropriation calls reaches \$5,500,000. From the looks of things the appropriations may reach \$4,000,000 and certainly cannot be held below \$3,500,000.

Some of the dead appropriations are of the whole trouble, but the fact that \$2,000 for an armory at Ashland; \$10,000 for relief of Italian earththe storm had an innocent origin did Humane Society; \$15,000 for improve-Supreme court; \$150,000 for building of historical society.

Another fire insurance bill was added Kay's bill admitting foreign mutuals.

The insurance men are bothered by an anti-trust bill of Senator Bingham's which aims to put out of business the rate trust of insurance companies. Bingham says that since insurance companies have been clamoring for protection, he will see that the people

Before the senate passed Senator Bailey's hill regulating the hours of day during the week before Christmas. road. Selling explained that he is a retail merchant and sees no reason why merchants should be permitted to work

Tuesday, February 2.

Salem, Feb. 3.-Salarvy log rollers in both houses discarding party lines today succeeded in overriding vetoes of Governor Chamberlain on bills to increase the pay of the sheriff of Harney county and school superintendent of of Malheur and Lake. The Harney veto must yet be voted down in the house before becoming a law and the two other vetoes must be so disposed of in the senate.

Today's action of the two bodies indicates quite conclusively that the two bodies will reciprocate in this matter. The Harney veto was overriden in the senate by 23 members supporting the bill and the two other vetoes in the house were overcome by a vote of 37 to 16 in the case of the Polk county school superintendent and 52 to 4 in the case of the sheriff's fees in Malheur and Lake.

Appalled by the enormous call for bills aggregate \$1,200,000 and house bills \$1,800,000, while the secretary of calls is \$5,500,000, making allowance effects were sold. for duplications of the house, the senate and the secretary of state.

Appropriations two years ago were the session before by \$800,000.

A horde of bills creating new jobs, most of them at fat pay, have invaded the legislature-no less than 200 new exterd for enactment of these bills, it of the second empire. is impossible yet to foretell.

Monday, February I.

Salem, Feb. 1.- The anti-statement bill, introduced jointly by Representatives Bean and Brooke, created something of a stir in the house this morning when it was reported back by the committee on elections with a favorable report. Brooke moved the adopby Orton and several of the statement finally prevailed by a vote of 23 to 22, 15 being absent. The bill was made a special order for Wednesday at 2 p. m.

The house committee on railroads tomorrow will recommend favorably a bill requiring that all cars on interurban street rakway lines be equipped with toilets.

Representative McCue's bill, authorizing the different counties to levy a tax of not to exceed two mills, when approved at a special election, for the purpose of advertising the state and its resources, met with opposition in the house this afternoon, and was passed by a vote of 34 to 19.

The house committee on revision of laws tomorrow will recommend favorably Repr sentative Buchanan's bill providing for a constitutional convention. The bill provides that the quesbe submitted to the people at the November election in 1910.

If such a convention shall be ordered, a special election is to be held in June, 1911, when 60 delegates, one struggling to keep down and throw out from each of the representative dis. of the Chehalis. tricts in the state, shall be elected to They are confronted with a big job. revise the constitution. The constitutional convention will meet at Salem Bills in senate, \$1,385,801.10; bills in October, 1911, and the constitution, in house, \$1,860,581:69; recommended as revised and amended, shall be sub-

Plan Fine High School

Monmouth-The movement for a union high school for the two cities of at the school election.

MORGAN CAUSED THE PANIC.

Crash of 1907 Was to Get Revenge on John W. Gates.

Washington, Feb. 3.-A demand that John W. Gates be summoned before the senate committee which is investigating the absorption of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company by the United States Steel corporation, will be made by the democratic members of the committee. The democrats believe tainly cannot be held below \$3,500,000. the committee that Mr. Gates can reveal one of the and Milling company. Pollowing the stockholders to the stockholders to the stockholders. most gigantic plots ever conceived in meeting of the stockholders of finance, involving the inception of the company at Gates, in which the me panie of 1907, which, according to \$10,000 for relief of Italian earth their allegations, cost Mr. Gates and struction. his associates millions of dollars.

the Tennessee company, wreaked summary vengeance on Mr. Gates for the son, of Gates, one of the original but Another fire insurance bill was added today to the insurance lobby's list of troubles by the introduction of Senator which, it is said, cost the Morgan incently came here from the original local tors of the mine; William H. Local troubles by the introduction of Senator which, it is said, cost the Morgan incently came here from the original local tors of the mine; William H. Local tors of the mine; terests \$15,000,000. Mr. Gates accomplished this coup while Mr. Morgan invested in the Gold Creek duties was perfecting control of the Atlantic and J. H. McConnell of Shedis T Coast, Seaboard & Southern railroad, with a view to controlling the railroad situation in the South. The net result was that Mr. Morgan was compelled to buy out Mr. Gates at his own figures. This stock, when bought, was turned labor of women, it amended the bill upon motion of Senator Selling by over to the Atlantic Coast Line comeliminating the clause which permits pany of Connecticut, the holding comwomen to work in stores 12 hours a pany of the Atlantic Coast Line rail-

It is now alleged that this deal rankled in the breast of Mr. Morgan until 1907, when it was found that Mr. Gates and the syndicate associated with him controlled the Tennessee Coal and Iron company and had hypothecat- 12 hens is also a remarkable record. ed their holdings with interests in New York. It is intimated by the democrats that certain financial conditions last of the flock completed its per were brought about which resulted in Mr. Gates and his friends being record by the trap-nest system. He squeezed out of the concern.

The retaliation of Mr. Morgan and Polk and to grant fees to the sheriffs his friends is likened by the democrats records in the poultry journals of the to the Gould corner in gold in 1873, which resulted in "Black Friday," and the Hill-Harriman fight over the Northern Pacific road in 1901, which brought on "Blue Thursday,"

HISTORIC RELIC FOUND.

Napoleon's Famous Charger, Vizier, Is in Museum.

Paris, Feb. 3.-A straw-stuffed white horse, which has been found in the cellar of the Louvre, turns out to be Napoleon's famous charger Vizier, path of the storm was about five min appropriations, the ways and means presented to him by the Sultan of Turcommittee are whetting their knives key. An examination of the records for the pruning. Senate appropriation shows that the horse died in 1826 on the estate of De Chaulaere, the empe- believed that the storm caused seise state's recommended budget amoun's ror's equerry. The latter was forced damage, probably \$1,000 all tald. to \$3,400,000. The total of all cash to flee for a political crime and his

Napoleon's horse, which had been stuffed, was acquired by an Englishman, D. W. Clarke, who presented it stretch telephone wires from Geral \$3,083,805, which exceeded those of to M. J. Graves, of Manchester, who to Butteville, in this county. The a in turn donated it to the Manchester Natural History society. At the dissolution of the society in 1868 the horse was forwarded to Napoleon III seats at the pie ocunter being provided and was relegated to the cellars of the for. How far the combination against Louvre. It was forgotten during the the governor, as signalled today, will critical period preceding the downfall

COSGROVE IS AT SPRINGS.

Exhausted by Long Journey and Must Shun Business.

San Francisco, Feb. 3.—The private sian, 94c. car California, with Governor S. G. Cosgrove, of Washington, on board, reached San Francisco yesterday aftertion of the seport, which was opposed noon and was immediately sent south by way of San Jose, to connect with republican members and the motion the Los Angeles Coaster. The California reached Paso Robles Hot Springs at 4 o'clock this morning, and later in the day Mr. Cosgrove was once more in his apartments at the hotel. It is said that he stood the long jour-

ney remarkably well, consider ng all things, but he is glad to be at the springs again. The baths and the diet will be resumed, under the supervision of Medical Director Sawyer.

Union Pacific to Gray's Harbor. Scattle, Feb. 3.-Within the next

two weeks 1,000 men will be at work on the Grays Harbor and Puget Sound railway line, the branch of the Union en; peas, 20c lb.; radishes, 80c pt Pacific. This is the announcement made here by William Winters, one of 10c per lb.; squash, 2½ per lb.; lest the contractors for the construction of toes, \$1.75@2.25. the road. The contract which involves tion of holding such a convention shall about \$1,000,000 for 40 miles of railway will likely be signed tomorrow according to statements given out at Union Pacific headquarters here. The road will be 40 miles long, extending from C smopolis along the south bank

Trust Can't Sue Debtors.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The case of ordinary, 7608c; heavy, 5c. the Continental Wall Paper company vs. Lewis Voight, of Cincinnati, was by the secretary of state, \$3,407,- mitted to the voters at another special, today decided by the Supreme court in Voight's favor. The suit was brought by the company on a debt of \$50,000, the payment of which was realisted.

Cattle—Best steers, was, but dium, \$4.25@4.50; cowe, pest, \$4.500 medium, \$3.25@3.76; calves, \$4.500 the payment of which was resisted on | 5.80.

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Zipf-I Files Nearly Mile.

disinterred from burying grounds all immediately steamed out and brought shipped by the union this season is school patrons will be taken next June making a flight in his aeroplane of shrinkage; valley, 15@16 in the school election. nearly a mile at an altitude of 60 feet. choice, 20@21c.

SMELTER FOR GOLD CREEK

Favorable Progress Reported by Ma Directors at Albany.

Albany-A smelter for the p Creek mining district this summer assured by the action of the born directors of the Black Eagle Kin ter project was indorsed, the direct took official action authorising to

About 35 stockholders of the to-According to the story told today, J. pany attended the meeting at Orio R. F. Shier, present president a manager of the company; S. C. See cently came here from Michiga where he was interested in miss, s directors re-elected Shier president manager and elected McConnell vin president; Angel, secretary, and less enson treasurer.

THESE HENS BREAK RECORD

Albany Man Gets 2595 Eggs From Dozen Fowls in Year,

Albany—A. S. Hart, of this en-has 12 hens which have laid 2,595 era in the past year, and he claims it's the champion laying broad of t world. Included in this flock an ben which recently established a terworld's record by producing 256 age in a year. An average of 218 ern f

The first of the flock laid for the fr time on November. 20, 1907, add January 27, 1909. Hart has kept a preparing to substantiate the figur by affidavits and claim some world world.

Four hens laid more than 200 cm each, scoring, respectively, 256, 24, 216 and 205. Two laid 197 each, as other 194, and two 190 each Th other three scored 178, 172 and 162 respectively. All of the change are Barred Plymouth Rocks.

Wind Does Damage.

La Grande-Owing to the string soil being dry, the severe wind sur-which raged from Ladd canyon, on the south, to Elgin, on the north, can some damage to fall sown wheat. The wide and 20 long. Residents of Aliel Imbler and other small town ver compelled to stay indoors. The storms seldom do damage. It is no

Salem-The "Big Four" Telephon association has asked permissed sociation has headquarters at Geral, Examination Dates Set.

Phone Company Wants Business

Albany-The semi-annual examption of Linn county teachers willis held in this city February 10 te 11 5 clusive.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Barley-Producers' prices: Fee \$28 per ton. Wheat-Track prices: Bluesten

\$1.07@1.08; club, 97c@\$1; red Rus Oats Producers' prices: No. 1 white, \$34 per ton. Hay-Timothy, Willamette valley,

\$16@17 per ton; Eastern Origin \$10@18; clover, \$12@18; alhifa \$140015; grain hay, \$120013. Fresh fruits-Apples, \$162.75 be: Spanish malaga grapes, \$8 per band

persimmons, \$1611.25. Potatoes—Buying price, \$161.5 per hundred; sweet potatoes, 2%; pt pound. Onions-Oregon, buying prio, &

per hundred. Root Vegetables-Turnips, \$1.5 per sack; carrots, \$1.25; parely, \$1.75; beets, \$1.75; horseradic,

Barloc per pound. Vegetables - Artichokes, \$1013 doz.; cabbage, 3c lb.; cauliflower, 2 per crate; celery, \$4.50 per crate; &

cumbers, \$1.75@2.25 box; letters, \$1.25@1.75 per hox; parsley, 30cds dozen; spinach, 2c per lb.; spres Butter-City creamery, extras, \$15.

fancy outside creamery, 33m34c pt lb.; store, 18@20c, Egga-Oregon ranch, 45@500 per

dozen; California and Eastern, 456 Poultry - Hens, 13@18%c lb spring, large, 1236@13e; small, lie 20c; mixed, 1236@13c; ducks, lie 20c; geese, 10c; turkeys, 18618c. Veal-Extra, 1002103cc per pent

Pork-Fancy, 8018 %c peril.; lugs Cattle-Best steers, \$5@5.25; 8@836c.

Sheep-Best wethers, \$5.2505.56 offect the decision holds mixed sheep, \$3,50@5,25; ewes, \$4 @4.75; lambs, \$5.50@5.75. Hoga—Beat, \$7; medium, \$1.56

Hops-1908, 6@8c per pound; 100 2@3e; 1906, 1@11/c.

Berlin, Feb. 3.—Armand Zipfel, the Wool — Eastern Oregon, seems