TODAY'S MARKETS

Hop Growers Contract 1907 Crop at 12 Cents a Pound—Fruit Plentiful in the Market, but Demand Is Also Excellent.

GOOD TOMATOES NOW PLENTIFUL

Oregon Tomatoes Come in Large Shipments From Columbia River Points.

Latest market features:
Oranges stiffer.
Lemons in demand.
Chinook loses ½ cent.
Poultry still dull.
Eggs cheaper.
Butter unchanged.
Small hogs firm.
Veal scarce.

All kinds of fruit except bananas are plentiful and Front street is in the midst of a busy season. Large shipments of peaches, oranges, lemons, a few apples and pears and all kinds of berries are arriving fast. Loganberries are hanging on as never before although few of good grade are coming in. There are some wild blackberries while the season for cultivated blackberries is just beginning. There are no longer many raspberries.

Nearly 1,000 boxes of tomatoes were received today and the good tomatoes are beginning to arrive. Nearly all come from The Dalles but a few from other Columbia river points.

Valencia oranges are stiffer, the California prices having been advanced 25 cents. Lemons are also in demand.

A carload of cantaloupes from Sherlock near Fresno arrived this morning. The Brawley supply has been exhausted. The former are selling $3 and $3.25 a crate. Oregon cantaloupes are selling from $3.50 to $4.50 a crate.

A train load of bananas has been delayed, causing a shortage in that fruit as also in apples and pears. There was a large amount of California Gravensteins on the steamship Columbia that the merchants were depending upon to supply the apple market. These were lost and the only apples now in the market are Oregon early apples.

There is a large supply of cucumbers in and they are very cheap.

One merchant sold eggs yesterday at 21 cents, which would tend to show that eggs were not advancing. Poultry is not much better. Both in receipt are about equal to the demand as the commission men have notified shippers to hold until later.

Hogs and veal are still scarce. Small hogs are firm.

Chinook salmon has dropped to 11 cents.

There is an advance today in rye flour of 50 cents a barrel and in bales 25 cents.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

GRAIN BAGS — Calcutta, 9c, large lots; small lots, 9½c.

WHEAT—Club, 84@85c; red Russian, 82c; bluestem, 87@88c; valley, 84@85c.

CORN—Whole, $28.00; cracked, $29.00 per ton.

BARLEY — New—Feed, $21.00@22.00 per ton; rolled, $23.00@24.00; brewing, $22.00@23.00.

RYE—$1.55 per cwt.

OATS—New—Producers' price—No. 1 white, $28.00 per ton; gray, $27.00.

FLOUR — Eastern Oregon patents, $4.80; straights, $4.25; export, $4.00; valley, $4.30@4.40; graham, ¼s, $3.75; whole wheat, $4.00; rye, 50s, $5.50; bales, $3.00.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $17.00 per ton; middlings, $25.00; shorts, country, $20; city, $19.00; chop $16.00@$21.00.

HAY — Producers' price — Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy, $17.00@$18.00; ordinary, $12.00@14.00; eastern Oregon, $18; mixed, $10@10.50; clover, $7.50; grain, $8@10; cheat, $8.50@10.50.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—F. o. b. Portland—Sweet cream, 28½c; sour, 26½c.

BUTTER—City creamery, 27½@30c; seconds, 25½c; outside fancy, 25c; seconds, 22½c; store, Oregon, 18@19c.

EGGS—Extra fancy, candled, 23@23½c; good candled, 22@22½c.

CHEESE—New—Full cream, flats, 15@15½c per lb; Young Americas, 16@16½c per lb.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 12c; fancy hens, 12½@13c lb; roosters, old, 10c lb; fryers, 14@15c lb; broilers, 14@15clb.; old ducks, 13c lb; spring ducks, 14c lb; geese, old, 8@10c per lb; spring geese, 12½@13c per lb; turkeys, 11@13c lb; for old; squabs, $2.50 per dozen; pigeons, $1.25 per dozen. Dressed poultry, 1@1½c per lb. higher.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—1906 crop—Prime to choice, 6½@7c; medium to prime, 6@6¼c; contracts, 1907 crop, 10@11c.

WOOL—1907 clip—Valley, 20@21c eastern Oregon, 16@21c.

MOHAIR—New 1907—29@29½c.

SHEEPSKINS — Shearing, 15@20c each; short wool, 25@40c; medium, wool, 50@75c each; long wool, 75c@$1.00 each.

TALLOW—Prime, per lb, 3½@4c; No. 2 and grease, 2@2½c.

CHITTIM BARK—5c per lb.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—$2 per sack; old, $1.

ONIONS—Jobbing price—New California red, $3 per sack; New Walla Walla, $2.50@3.00 lb.; garlic, 8c per lb.

APPLES—New, $1.00@1.75.

FRESH FRUITS — Oranges, $3.00@4.00; bananas, 5c lb.; lemons, $6.00@7.50 per box; limes, Mexican, $4.00 per 100; pineapples, $3.25@6.00 dozen; grape fruit $3.25; cherries, 6@10c lb.; loganberries, $1.00@1.10 crate; peaches, 50c@$1.15; Crawfords, (California), $1.50; Oregon Oregon cantaloupes, $3.50@4.50; raspberries, $1.25; plums, $1; watermelons, 2@2½c per lb.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new, 90c@$1.00 sack; carrots, 75c@$1.00 per sack; beets, $1.50 per sack; parsnips, $1.00@$1.25; cabbage, $2.00; tomatoes, Oregon, $1.50; parsnips, 90c@$1.00; wax beans, 5c; green, 5c per lb.; cauliflower, $1.25@1.50 dozen; peas, 5c; horseradish, 8c lb.; artichokes, 65c@75c dozen; rhubarb, 3c lb.; green onions, 25c per dozen; bell peppers, 10@12½c per lb.; head lettuce, (—) doz.; cucumbers, hothouse, 20@40c dozen; outdoor, 75c a box; radishes, 15c dozen bunches; eggplant, $5.25 crate; green corn, 10c dozen; celery, $1.25 dozen.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR — Cube, $6.22½; powdered, $6.07½; berry, $5.87½; dry, granulated, $5.87½; Star, $5.77½; conf. A, $5.87½; extra B, $5.37½; golden C, $5.27½; D yellow, $5.17½; beet granulated, $5.77½; barrels, 10c; half barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c advance on sack basis.

(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.)

HONEY—$3.60 per crate.

COFFEE—Package brands, $15.88@16.63.

SALT — Coarse—Half ground, 100s, $12.50 per ton; 50s, $13.00; table, dairy, 50s, $17.50; 100s, $17.25; bales, $2.10; imported Liverpool, 50s, $20.00; 100s, $19.00; 224s, $18.00; extra fine, barrels, 2s, 5s and 10s, $4.50@5.50; Liverpool lump rock, $20.50 per ton; 50-lb rock, $11.00; 100s, $10.50.

(Above prices apply to sales of less than car lots. Car lots at special prices subject to fluctuations.)

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5½@5¾c; New Orleans, head, 7c; Ajax, 5c; Creole, 5¾c.

BEANS—Small white, $3.30; large white, $3.25; pink, $3.40; bayou, $3.90; Limas, 6¼c; Mexican reds, 4½c.

NUTS—Peanuts, Jumbo, 9½c per lb; Virginia, 7½c per lb; roasted, 10c per lb; Japanese, 5@5½c; roasted, 7@7½c per lb; walnuts, California, 10c per lb; pine nuts, 14@15c per lb; hickory nuts, 10c per lb; Brazil nuts, 18c per lb; filberts, 16c per lb; fancy pecans, 18@20c per lb; almonds, 19@21½c.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

FRESH MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 8½c per lb; large, 7@8c per lb; veal, extra, 8½@9c per lb; ordinary, 8c per lb; poor, 6@7c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack, (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs, 16¼c per lb; 14 to 19 lbs, 16c per lb; 18 to 20 lbs, 15¾c; breakfast bacon, 15½@22c per lb; picnics, 12c per lb; cottage roll, 11½c per lb; regular short clears, unsmoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 12c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 12c; smoked, 13c per lb; Union butts, 10 to 13 lbs, unsmoked, 8c per lb; smoked, 9c per lb; clear bellies, unsmoked, 11½c per lb; smoked 13½c per lb; shoulders, 12½c per lb; pickled tongues, 60c each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10c, 13c per lb; 5s, 13½c per lb; 50-lb tins, 12½c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 11¾c per lb; 5s, 11¾c per lb; compound, 10s, 10c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 7c per lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 6½c per lb; striped bass, 12c per lb; catfish, 10c per lb; salmon, fresh Columbia chinook, 11c per lb; Steelheads, 10c per lb; herrings, 5c per lb; soles, 6c per lb; shrimps, 10c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; black cod, 7c per lb; tomcod, 7c per lb; lobsters, 16c per lb; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 20c per doz; sturgeon, 10c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelt, 7c per lb; shad, 4c per lb; black cod, 7½c per lb.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, $2.50; per 100-lb sack, $4.50; Olympia, per gallon, $2.25; per 115-lb sack, $5.50@6.25; Eable, canned, 10c can; $7.00 doz.

CLAMS—Hardshell, per box, $2.40; razor clams, $2.00 per box; 10c per doz.

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

ROPE—Pure Manila, 15¾c; standard, 13¾c; sisal, 11c.

COAL OIL—Pearl or Astral—Cases, 19½c per gal; water white, iron bbls, 14c per gal; wooden, 17c per gal; headlight, 170 deg., cases, 21½c per gal.

GASOLINE—86 deg., cases, 24½c per gal; iron bbls, 18c per gal.

BENZINE—63 deg., cases, 25c per gal; iron bbls, 93c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 96c per gal; wooden bbls, 93c per gal.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7¾c per lb; 500-lb lots, 8c per lb; less lots, 8¼c per lb.

WIRE NAILS—Present basis at $3.18.

USUAL RECEIPTS AT STOCKYARDS

Ten Horses Are Received Among Other Stock at the Portland Union Stockyards.

Portland Union Stockyards, July 25.—Receipts at the stock yards were as follows:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	.....	250	247
Week ago	50	100	675
Year ago	30	...	240
Previous year	43	...	517

Fairly good receipts are noted at the Portland Union stock yards. Prices remain unchanged. Ten horses were received this morning.

Official livestock prices:

Hogs—Best eastern Oregon, $6.50; stockers and feeders, $6.00@6.25; China fats, $6.25@6.50.

Cattle—Best eastern Oregon steers, $3.75; best cows and heifers, $2.75@3.00; bulls, $2.00.

Sheep—Wethers, $4.00@4.25; lambs, $4.75@5.00.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Eastern Livestock Receipts Maintained—Sheep Gain Ten Cents.

Chicago, July 25.—Receipts at the yards today were:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Chicago	21,000	6,500	11,000
Kansas City	10,000	7,000	3,000
Omaha	2,000	3,000	4,000

Hogs opened steady. Left over 1,900. Receipts year ago were 24,000.

Official prices:

Mixed, $5.90@6.35; heavy, $5.95@6.25; rough, $5.60@5.90; light, $6.05@6.90.

Cattle and sheep steady. Sheep 10c lower.

New York Cotton Market.

New York, July 25.—At New Orleans the market advanced in strength of forecast showers, but here it seems to be the general opinion that there is no relief in sight for southern and western cotton belts, where almost unbearable hot weather has prevailed for the past few days.

Quotations by Overbeck & Cooke company:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close 25.	Close 24.
Jan.	1196	1212	1190	1203	1196
Feb.	....	....	....	1206	1199
Mar.	1208	1215	1202	1213	1206
April	....	....	....	1218	1209
May	1212	1203	1212	1222	1214
July	1210	1210	1210	1210	1205
Aug.	1147	1162	1140	1161	1142
Sept.	1146	1164	1140	1164	1142
Oct.	1186	1188	1176	1189	1182
Nov.	....	....	....	1192	1185
Dec.	1193	1205	1185	1198	1190

Liverpool Cotton Closes.

Liverpool, July 25.—Liverpool cotton closed from 2 lower to 1 higher.

United States Government Bonds.

New York, July 25.—Today's quotations on government bonds is as follows:

Official through Overbeck & Cooke company.

Twos registered	105¾
do coupons	106¾
Threes, registered	102⅛
do coupon	103⅜
Threes, small	101⅞
Fours, new, registered	127⅛
Fours, new, coupon	128⅛
do coupon	108⅜
Panama	104¾
District of Columbia	113½
Philippines, fours	109½

Portland Bank Statement.

Clearances today	$1,043,895.03
do year ago	805,768.97
Gain today	$ 238,127.06
Balances today	224,544.61
do year ago	172,299.05

Liverpool Grain Closes.

Liverpool, July 25.—Grain closes today were: Wheat, ½ up; corn, ⅝ down. Quotations were as follows:

WHEAT.	July 25.	July 24.
July	7s 2 d	7s ½d
September	7s 3¼d	7s 2⅝d
December	7s 3¼d	7s 4⅝d
CORN		
September	4s 10¾d	4s 10¼d

Carlots Received at Chicago.

Chicago, July 25.—Car lots were received as follows:

Wheat	52	8	50	552
Corn	168	20	177	108
Oats	78	20	81	60

Argentine Shipments.

Chicago, July 25.—Argentine shipments were estimated today to be 1,200,000 bushels.

NEVADA STOCKS SHOW STRENGTH

Slight Rally Perceptible in Mining Stocks on San Francisco Exchange.

San Francisco, July 25.—There was a perceptible strong tone in Nevada mining stocks. It was an improvement over yesterday, when the bidders seemed uncertain. There is no uneasy feeling on account of yesterday's break. The broker who dumped yesterday had been buying all week and was forced to unload to finance a loan. There was a rumor of trouble, but it was without foundation.

GOLDFIELDS DISTRICT.

Standstorm 43c, Red Top $4.10, Mohawk 17½cA, Columbia Mt. 55c, Jumbo $4.25, Jumbo Ext. $1.85, Vernal 16cB, Pennsylvania 3cA, Goldfield M. Co. $1.65, Kendall 31cB, Booth 45c, Blue Bull 33c, Adams 13c, Silver Pick 62c, May Queen 16c, Nev. Boy 9c, B. B. Ext. 8c, Blue Bell 17c, Dixie 5c, G. Columbia 45cB, Hibernia 6c, St. Ives 91c, Conqueror 13cB, Blk. Rock 4c, Lone Star 20c, G. Wonder 2cB, Potlach 4cA, Oro 22c, Kendall Ext. 4cA, Sandst. Ext. 4c, Mayne 7c, Atlanta 6c, Great Bend 75c, Simerone 20c, Empire 9c, Red Top Ext. 23c, Florence 55c, Diam'f B. B. Con. 4c, G. Daisy 21c, Laguna $1.50, Commonwealth 29c, Comb. Fract. $2.40, Gr. Bend Ext. 14c, Gr. Bend Anx. 10cB, Millstorm 40cA, B. B. Bonanza 7c, Kewanos 75cA, Esmeralda 10cB, Portland 20cB, Cracker Jack 18c, Francis Mohawk $1.10B, Red Hill 55c, Mohawk Ext. 9c, Lou Dillon 8c, Y. Tiger 18c, Grandma 14c, S. Pick Ext. 3c, Y. Rose 6c, Col. Mt. Ext. 3c, Goldf. Cons. $8.50, Diam'f. Triangle 20c.

COMSTOCK DISTRICT.

Ophir $1.10, Mexican 67c, Gould & Curry 16c, Con. Virginia 68c, Savage 64c, Hale & Norcross 60c, Yellow Jacket 80c, Belcher 63c, Sierra Nev. 40c, Exchequer 35c, Union 33c.

BULLFROG DISTRICT.

Original 7c, Bullf. M. C. 15c, Mont. Bullf. 5c, Nat. Bank 22c, L. Harris 2c, Amethyst 29c, Gold Bar 22c, Steinway 6c, Denver Buf. Anx. 8c, Bonnie Clare 50c, Mayfl. Cons. 38c, Monty. Ohio Ext. 9c, G. Scepter 7c, Monty. Mt. 13c, B. Daisy 10c, Homestake Cons. 7½c, Yankee Girl 8c, Nugget 4c, Tramp Cons. 44c, Victor 8cB, North Star 6c.

TONOPAH DISTRICT.

Ton. Nev. 13c, Mont Ton. $4.30, Ton. Ext. $1.50, MacNamara 28c, Midway $1.60, Ton. Belmont 40cB, Ton. No. Star 20c, Ohio Ton. 2c, Rescue 16c, Ton. & Calif. 7cA, Golden Anchor 17c, Jim Butler $1.02½, Ton. Cash Boy 6c, Ton. Home 6c, Bost. Ton. 10cA, Monarch Pitts. Ex. 10cA, Mont. Mid. Ext. 4c, Golden Crown 8c.

MANHATTAN DISTRICT.

Manh. Cons. 45c, Manh. M. Co. 6c, G. Wedge 6c, Seyler Hump. 5c, Dexter 13c, L. Joe 2c, Crescent 5cB, Combination 1c, Granny 23c, Mustang 22c, Little Grey 20c, Cowboy 4c, Orig. Manh. 10c, Broncho 7c, Jump Jack 7cB, Pinenut 7c, Buffalo 3c, S. Dog 17cB, Y. Horse 4c, Indian Camp 8cB.

VARIOUS DISTRICTS.

Fairv. Silver King 20cA, Fairv. Eagle 45cA, Nevada Hills 26¼c, No. Star Wonder 5c, Eagle's Nest 18c, Ruby Wonder 20c, Alice of Wonder 5cA, Pittsburg Silver Peak $1.40.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Buyers Uncertain, but Good Dividend Rumors Boosted Stocks.

New York, July 25.—Much precaution noticeable in the market today. It is supposed that the big interests were selling Union Pacific and Southern Pacific. The bears hammered the lists some and there was profit-taking in Southern Pacific. Some were expecting a 7 per cent. dividend, while others agreed that 5 per cent. would be the limit. Rumors in early part of the day said that the dividend would be 6 per cent.

American stocks in London were firm with great strength. The market there also hung on the Southern Pacific dividend rate and the general opinion was that they would be large.

Quotations by Overbeck & Cooke company.

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Aml. Cop. Co.	91⅛	91⅞	90⅛	90⅝
Am. C. & F., c.	43⅞	43⅞	43⅛	43⅝
do pfd	101	101	100	99¾
Am. Cot. Oil., c.	32⅞	32⅞	32¾	32½
Am. Loc., c.	60⅛	60⅛	59⅛	59⅛
Am. Sugar, c.	122¾	122¾	122⅝	122¾
Am. Smelt., c.	118⅝	119⅛	118	118
do pfd.	106½	106½	105¾	106
Anac. Min. Co.	58¾	58¾	57¾	57⅞
Am. Woolen, c.	....	....	....	26½
Atchison, c.	94¾	94¾	93⅞	93⅞
do pfd.	....	....	....	93
Balt. & Ohio, c.	99	99⅝	99	99⅜
do pfd.	....	....	....	85
Bln. Rap. Tr.	58⅝	59⅞	57⅞	59⅜
Can. Pac., c.	176½	176½	175	175¾
Cen. Leather, c.	24⅛	24⅛	23	23⅛
do pfd.	....	....	....	91
Chi. & G. W., c.	....	....	....	11⅛
C. M. & St. P.	136½	136⅝	135	135
Chi. & N-W., c.	150	151	150	150½
Chesa. & Ohio,	35⅛	32⅝	31¾	31⅞
Col. So., c.	26⅞	27¾	26⅞	27
do 2d. pfd.	45⅞	46⅛	45⅞	46
do 1st. pfd.	....	....	....	60
Dela. & Hudson.	173	173	171½	171½
Den. & R. G., c.	28	28⅛	28	28⅛
Erie, c.	25⅛	25½	23¾	24
do 2d. pfd.	43½	44	41	40½
do 1st. pfd.	61	61½	59⅛	59⅛
Grt. North., pfd.	137½	137¾	136½	136⅞
Illinois Cen.	145	145	144⅞	144
Louis & Nash.	114½	114½	114	114
Manh. Ry.	....	....	....	130
Mex. Cen. Ry.	....	....	....	21
M. K. & T.	36⅝	37½	36½	36⅞
Mo. Pacific	76	76	75¾	75½
N. Y. Central	114	114	112¾	112⅞
N. Y., O. & W.	....	....	....	36½
N. & W., com.	....	....	....	75⅛
do preferred	....	....	....	75
North American	....	....	....	68
Nor. Pac., com.	136¾	137⅛	135⅞	136
P. M. S. Co.	30½	30¾	30	29¾
Penn. Ry.	123¾	124½	123⅝	123⅝
P. G., L. & C. Co.	91⅛	91½	91⅛	91⅛
P. S. Car, com.	35⅝	35¾	35⅛	35⅛
do preferred	91½	91½	91⅛	19
Reading, com.	106	107⅝	105¾	106
do 2d pfd.	....	....	....	78
do 1st pfd.	80	80	80	80
R. I. & S. Co., c.	....	....	....	27½
do preferred	83⅛	83⅛	83	83⅛
Rock Island, c.	22	22⅝	21⅞	21⅞
do preferred	....	....	....	47½
S. L. & S. F. 2 p.	39⅛	39⅛	37½	37½
do 1st pfd.	....	....	....	61
St. L. & S. W., c.	....	....	....	20
do preferred	....	....	....	61½
S. P., com.	91	91⅝	89	89⅞
do preferred	....	....	....	112⅛
So. Ry., com.	20	20	19⅞	20
do preferred	65¾	66	65½	65½
Tenn. C. & I.	....	....	....	144
Texas & Pacific.	20	30¾	30	30
T., S. L. & W., c.	....	....	....	26⅞
do preferred	49¾	49⅞	49¾	49¾
U. P., com.	147⅛	148½	145¾	146⅛
do preferred	83	83½	83	83
U. S. Rubber, c.	36	36⅞	36	36⅝
do preferred	98	99½	98	98
U. S. Steel Co., c.	36⅞	36⅞	36	36⅝
do preferred	100½	100½	100⅛	100⅛
Wabash, com.	....	....	....	13
do preferred	....	....	....	25
W. U. Telegraph	....	....	....	78
Wis. Cent., com.	....	....	....	17
do preferred	....	....	....	40

Total sales for day, 809,700 shares.

Eastern Wheat Closes.

New York, July 25.—September wheat closed here at 99c. At Winnipeg September wheat closed at 92 B; at Duluth 100⅞.

WHEAT MAKES GREAT GAINS

Half a Crop Reported From Kansas Harvest Fields Has Effect on Market.

Chicago, July 25.—All wheat made great gains today. The opening was strong, and the bullish tendency prevailed throughout the day. There was an excellent demand for cash wheat. Looks like mills had decided there will be light movement and were buying wheat. They have been holding off for three weeks, anticipating larger offerings.

Farmers are holding their wheat for better prices.

From Kansas comes the report that receipts are only half those of last year, and farmers' offerings are very light. Report also states that Kansas wheat showed up poorly when they got machines into it. Lots of fields in western Kansas only cut.

WHEAT.	July 23.	July 24.
September	93B	92⅛
December	96⅝	95⅞
May	101⅝	100⅝

WHEAT.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept.	92⅝	93⅝	92½	93B
Dec.	96⅝	97	96⅝	96⅝
May	101⅛	101⅝	101	101⅝
OATS.				
Sept.	38⅞	39⅛	38⅝	39
Dec.	50⅛	50⅞	50⅛	50⅝
May	51⅛	52⅛	51⅛	52⅛
OATS.				
Sept.	38⅞	39⅛	38⅝	39
Dec.	39⅛	39⅛	39⅛	39⅛
May	41⅛	41⅝	41	41⅛
PORK.				
Sept.	1665	1665	1645	1655B
LARD.				
Sept.	930	930	925	930
Oct.	910	937	930	935B
Jan.	....	....	....	870
RIBS.				
Sept.	882	885	877	882
Oct.	875	877	870	872B
Jan.	....	....	....	867

NORTH POWDER AS A BERRY SECTION

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

North Powder, Or., July 25.—Fine specimens of the Butterfly variety of strawberry, grown by J. H. Benning, near town, are exhibited here today. The flavor is as much admired as the remarkable size, for each berry averages over an ounce per box. This is not a good berry for shipping, but sells at once in the home market.

Off the eighth of an uncultivated, unirrigated strawberry bed on his dairy ranch, near town, J. H. O'Bryant has sold $85 worth of Hood Rivers and could dispose of the product of five acres as readily.

Having had a fine copious rainfall and no disastrous frost in May, berries were up to the average in quantity, size and flavor and the cold seemed not much to damage the symmetrical shape. The high price, $2.50 per box, has brought to the attention of farmers the ease with which hundreds of dollars may be added to the yearly income from ground now idle.

LINN COUNTY HAD BIG CHERRY CROP

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Brownsville, Or., July 25.—The cherry crop in Linn county this year has been uncommonly large, several young orchards are this year bearing their first crop. The new Brownsville cannery has been receiving an immense lot from all over the county.

One orchardist near Lebanon has just disposed of his crop for $300, there being three acres, making him a profit of $100 an acre. The cherry that brings the highest prices in the market is the Lambert and Royal Anne, with the Oxheart a close third.

Linn county in the near future will furnish enough cherries to supply all the eastern states.

"MAGDA" BEST EFFORT OF NANCE O'NEIL

All Portland is talking of "Magda," the magnificent production which Miss Nance O'Neil is presenting this week at the Marquam. It is the greatest performance Miss O'Neil has ever given of the wonderful drama in this city and it is also the part in which she is seen at her best. To realize the marvelous genius of this famous actress it is necessary to see her in "Magda" and the attendance at the Marquam since Monday night shows how much interest is being taken in the star and play. McKee Rankin, the veteran actor, is appearing as the paralytic father, the part which he has made his own. There will be a matinee Saturday. Seats for the remaining performances are now selling at the box-office.

AMERICAN CRIMINALS SENTENCED IN LONDON

(Journal Special Service.)

London, July 25.—Charles Smith was today sentenced to life imprisonment, and May Churchill, known as "Chicago May," was sentenced to 15 years for an attempt to kill Eddie Guerin, with an international police record. Guerin was shot in the streets weeks ago in a quarrel over a woman. Guerin made a sensational escape from Devil's Island in 1905, astonishing the world.

TEN THOUSAND ARE STARVING TO DEATH

(Journal Special Service.)

Kingston, Jamaica, July 25.—Ten thousand persons are starving in Elizabeth district, according to an investigation conducted by General Oliver.

The famine is growing, and the local government is blamed for failure to take proper precautions. Persons without clothing and food are obliged to pay taxes.

STATE BANK AT GERVAIS FOUNDED

Gervais, Or., July 25.—The Gervais State bank was organized here Tuesday evening by the election of Alois Tanzler president, Harrison Jones vice-president and Joseph F. Nathman secretary. The directors are Alois Tanzler, Harrison Jones, Joseph F. Nathman, William J. Clarke and Jacob Bingman. The bank is capitalized at $10,000 and will probably open at an early date for business.

Bound Over to Grand Jury.

J. W. Applegate, who was arrested several nights ago upon complaint of C. M. Oliver of 209 Cook avenue, on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, was given a preliminary examination in police court this morning and bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $250.

You Gain in Style, You Save in Cost, and NOW, Some More!

The fact that Columbia tailoring quality is a long way ahead of the average is one inducement; that it costs you a quarter to a third less than tailoring in other equally high-class establishments, is another inducement; and now, when I offer you an extra pair of trousers, absolutely free with every suit costing $22.50 or more, it seems to me it's a combination that ought to interest most any reasonable man who enjoys handsome garments and who spends his money sensibly. You'd better investigate tomorrow.

—Grant Phegley, Manager.

Columbia Woolen Mills Tailors

ELKS' BUILDING
Seventh & Stark

FEARS TO LOSE SIX THOUSAND

Thomas Dillon Thinks C. F. Fisher Has Ill Designs on His Hoard.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Condon, Or., July 25.—Thomas Dillon a wealthy rancher 10 miles from here, has gone to Portland to stop payment on a certificate of deposit for over $6,000 on the Ladd & Tilton bank, which he was induced to indorse over to Charles F. Fisher, whose card represents him as financial agent, with office at 404 Marquam building, telephone Pacific 1772, residence 680 Tillamook street, telephone East 2655.

Dillon says Fisher told him that during the last election it was discovered that the signatures to some of these certificates were not genuine and he asked Dillon to let him look at it and then had him indorse it. He was to take it to Portland and if it was good he was to return it by registered mail. Dillon became suspicious after Fisher had left and had the sheriff telephone the bank.

Dillon is an eccentric bachelor worth in the neighborhood of $100,000. He owns over 10,000 acres of good land and a large band of sheep and is ordinarily very shrewd.

Fisher left town Tuesday, presumably for The Dalles.

Fisher offered the Fossil stage contractor a 30 horsepower automobile to carry eight passengers, for $800. He said the machine was now at The Dalles. The deal did not go through.

Fisher is not known here.

At Mr. Fisher's office in the Marquam building it was said he had gone to the interior on some land business and that he used an auto car that would reasonably be offered for sale at $800, which was a fair price. He would not, it was said, be likely to attempt any irregular transaction with the rancher, as his business methods are correct and he has extensive dealings with landowners. He has a rating in Bradstreets' and has been doing business in Portland some years. At his residence it was said he was expected to return home Friday of this week.

CONTRACTS FOR HOPS AT TWELVE CENTS

Those Recorded Show This Ordinary Figure in Marion—Condition and Prospects of Crop.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Salem, Or., July 25.—A number of hop contracts have been placed on file with County Recorder Drager and most of the hops in this vicinity have been contracted at 12 cents. The hop crop promises well and the bloom on the vines is a sign that picking time is but five or six weeks distant. From the section in and about Woodburn and Gervais it is reported that the young yards are doing splendidly, but that in the older ones the crop will be lighter than a year ago.

Among the hop contracts placed on record are the following:

R. D. Allen, C. M. Reid and V. A. Buchanan, Silverton, 10,000 pounds, 11½c; date of contract, January 15, 1907.

O. S. and Alice M. Pomeroy, Woodburn, 15,000 pounds, 12c; February 25.

S. Merten, St. Paul, 15,000 pounds, 12c; February 20.

R. E. McClellan, Gervais, 10,000 pounds, 12c; February 7.

Rose V. and A. Hughes, St. Paul, 20,0000 pounds, 12c; February 11.

J. A. Grigsby, A. W. Dockstead and E. W. Prichard, Salem, 20,000 pounds, 12c; February 2.

Emma D. and Thomas Fennell, Independence, 20,000 pounds, 12c; March 22.

Steve Coleman, St. Paul, 15,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 20.

Julius and Carloina Prevost, St. Paul, 20,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 20.

A. C. Keene, Mount Angel, 15,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 14.

John C. Hugill, Gervais, 20,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 4.

M. L. Jones, Brooks, 20,000 pounds, 12 cents; January 28.

John and L. Hamilton and Jim Gum, Salem, 15,000 pounds, 10 cents; December 3, 1906.

G. W. Kutch, Independence, 20,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 25.

C. Banning, St. Paul, 10,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 20.

C. W. Pugh and Joanna Pugh, Salem, 5,000 pounds, 10 cents; March 22.

H. A. and J. A. Snyder and Ed Kavanaugh, Gervais, 10,000 pounds, 12 cents.

Nicholas Krebs, Gervais, 15,000 pounds, 10 cents; April 10.

The following contracts have been filed by Paul R. G. Horst of New York:

Charles D. Winkler and George L. Rose, Salem, 40,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 16.

J. F. and Alice Graves, 40,000 pounds, 12 cents; March 1.

J. R. Cooper, Independence, 35,000 pounds, 12 cents; March 7.

George L. Rose, Salem, 100,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 5.

Oliver Beers and Lope Sing, 40,000 pounds, 12 cents; February 5.

William Mackay and M. W. Mix, Independence, 25,000 pounds, 12 cents; March 7.

M. W. Mahony, Charley Foumal and Mose Foumal, Fairfield, 30,000 pounds, 12 cents; March 1.

Falk, Wormser & Co. of Chicago have contracted for 20,000 pounds of the Massey & Ruggles crop growing near Brooks. The contract price is 11 cents and the date of the contract May 31.

Another contract made on May 31 is one by which T. L. Ross of Chemawa agrees to sell to Elsas & Fritz of Cincinnati 8,000 pounds at 10½ cents.

ROOSEVELT NOT IN RAIL RATE SQUABBLE

(Journal Special Service.)

Oyster Bay, July 25.—Secretary Loeb denies the story that President Roosevelt is directing the movements of Assistant Attorney-General Stanford in the railroad rate squabble.

W. M. Killingsworth at Labor

THE FOOT IN A $20 NO CENTER PARK CEMENT WALK
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