WHEAT VALUES

Sends Up Price in Pa-

cific Northwest.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Aug. 1.-Crop

Spring wheat condition de-

clined 5 per cent during July,

now standing at \$2.12. Present

crop promise is not above 240,-

000,000 bushels, which with the

to slightly less than 600,000,000

CHICAGO WHEAT VALUES

ing and growers are asking for the new

excellent quality of the former. All wheat raised in the Pacific northwest

this season has more gluten than dur-

condition had declined fully 5 per cent during July. The close was % to %c

Open. High.

96 1/4 101

54 1/4 51 1/4 52 1/6

40 %

922 927 860

862 795

GETS SIX PER CEN

Dividend Rate Is Raised and Helps

Price-Downward Trend in

New York.

NET LOSSES Amalgamated .. 1 % Missouri Pac. .. 1

Anaconda 1% Reading
Atchison % Rock Island
Bal. & Ohio % U.S. Steel
Brooklyn % Pennsylvania
St. Paul %

NET GAINS.

Union Pacific .. % Southern Pac. . % Katy % Steel, pfd. ... %

The advancing of the dividend rate on Southern Pacific to 6 per cent by today's quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent aided materially in boosting that issue on the New York market today. The advanced dividend likewise had a bullish effect upon Union Pacific. The regular dividend declared on St. Paul was a slight disappointment and caused sell-

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Amalgamated copper and Smelting is-

Amaigamated copper and Smelting issues lost heavily, on the decline of %c on the metal price. This carried the rest of the market down.

London was dull but fractionally

higher. Official New York prices by Overbeck

. 112

55 92 1/6 97 1/6 56 1/2

85 % | 86 % |

121 1 121 1 120 1 120 1

Grt. Northern

CORN.

OATS.

MESS PORK.

LARD.

SHORT RIBS.

95%

855

..... 100 % B 100 % A

production.

ued for some time.

Official Cooke company:
WHEAT.

Aug. ... 91% Sept. ... 91% Dec. ... 95% May ... 100%

Sept. 54 Dec. 50 % May 51 ½

Dec. 40 1/4 May 42 %

Car Fdry. Cotton Oil

Smelter

in that issue

DESCRIPTION.

Amal. C. Co.... Am. C. & F. c... Am. Cot. Oil, c...

Am, Smelt, c ...

do přd. Ana. Min. Co...

Loco, c.... Sugar, c...

Sept 1635 1645

927 860

865

797

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

May

Expert Snow reports:

TODAY'S MARKETS | Hop Bears Are Playing a Cunning Game and Will Try Again to Force Growers to the Wall This Season

HOP BEARS AT

Send Out False Reports to East to Cause Further Break in Quotations.

Pront street features Hop bears getting bold. Local onions make appearance, Salmon prices 1c advanced. Watermelons show better sale. Tomato prices go to pieces. Six-tier peaches not wanted. Six tier peaches not wanted.

Egg plant coming rather lively.

Local eggs better than eastern.

Chickens moving at quotations.

Very firm dressed meat tone.

Hop Bears Become Very Bold. With no idea of furthering the hop industry of the Pacific coast and Oreindustry of the Pacific coast and Ore-gon in particular, a number of local hop-selling firms have of late been bom-barding eastern dealers and brewers with circulars that would completely wreck what little market remains if the wreck what little market remains if the information—or in fact misinformation—they contain were not so ridiculous. One dealer in writing to the east went as far as to say that the hop crop of Oregon the coming season would amount to fully 200,000 bales while several others of bearish fame estimated the coming crop at not less than 175,000 bales for this state. All this foolish talk is leaving its effect upon the market for the general absence of orders from the outside at this time indicates that the stories sent out from here are believed by some in the east. Some of the bear-ish reports are sent out by otherwise ers have an object in thus misrepresenting the situation.

While the report cannot be fully confirmed, it is stated h some quarters that most of the firms sending out these bearish reports to the east, have been heavy sellers of Oregon hops the past year or two for eastern account and these contracts have a year or so to run. This makes the contracting firm very desirous of purchasing hops as cheap as possible to fill its sales. One firm in writing to the eastern trade makes the false assertion that it is able to buy ordinary cheap hops at 3 and 4c a pound and choice hops at 5 and 6c. For anything that could be called a hop these prices have never ruled during the past season.

Restern Tards Looking Better. Bastern Tards Looking Better.

Some Mave Sold Short,

The latest issue of the New York oducers' Price Current says of the situation:

"The continued fine summer weather in this state has caused a very satisfactory growth of the hop vine in all sections, and reports coming in are very much more encouraging than heretofore. Estimates of the yield are being raised, and it is now predicted that with continued fine weather we will have a crop very little below the average. The yards are entirely free of mold, which makes the outlook bright for fine quality. Most of the yards are now in blow, and it is said the hops are blowing out very low on the poles, indicating a heavy yield in proportion to the vine.

"Crop news from England is very con-flicting, some reporting the crop to be very backward, and estimating the yield as low as 300,000 hundredweight. Other reports are that the vine shows a good reports are that the vine shows a good average growth, and with favorable weather they will grow an average crop, and today estimating the crop at 400,000 to 425,000 hundredweight. Locally the market for spot hops is lifeliess, and the small hand-to-mouth demand from brewers is easily supplied from dealers' stocks. From New York state we hear of the sale of the largest remaining lot in growers' hands, amounting to 94 bales at 13c to grower."

Today the first local dried onlons of the season made their appearance in Portland. The first arrivals were displayed at the public market on the east side and were of excellent quality. Onlon market in fine shape with Walla Walla stock ranging around \$2.25 a bag. The demand for old potatoes mentioned yesterday was a very moderate one and hardly sufficient for growers to get excited about. A few dozen sacks would fill the wants. The lateness of the demand is the startling feature.

Watermelons are arriving daily in car lots and are in the best condition. Sales are very good, dark melons rang-ing around 1%c and light meat at 1%c

Six-tier peaches are not wanted in this market, and recent arrivals of that grade have not sold for more than ex-press charges and the cost of the box Best peaches in fine demand at good Eggplant is in heavier arrival from (Above p The Dalles, but demand continues good. Price at 10@12%c a pound.

Something About Cantaloupes.

Harry Arakelian of Arakelian Bros., growers and shippers of Fresno, California, said this morning that the acreage around Exeter was considerably curtailed the present season. "The acreage at Exeter this season is 240 acres against 800 acres a year ago," says Mr. Arakelian. "The crop however is acceptable to the control of the control against 800 acres a year ago." says Mr. Arakelian. "The crop, however, is excellent for the acreage, and this has resulted in a very large demand both from the east and the coast."

While the acreage at Exeter is decreased this season there is a heavier acreage in other parts of California, the total acreage being considerably increased over a year ago. Local acreage is likewise greater, so there will not likely be any scarcity of "cants" this season. Prices holding high, however.

Brief Notes of the Trade.

Egg market is holding steady. Oregon eggs are showing much better quality than eastern stock and for that reason than eastern stock and for that reason are now as low in price as the latter. It is now stated that the former boosters of eastern eggs, seeing their plans go to pieces, have decided to mix eastern eggs with local stock, selling them as the latter. The trade in general suspects that this is being done but cannot prove it. There is talk of asking the government to take a hand in the matter, as it is against the pure foed law to sell any food for something that it is not.

Poultry is moving off at printed Very firm tone continues in dressed meats. Prices straining at the top.
Salmon prices are advanced ic a pound in the fresh fish market. Chinook at 11c and steelhead at 10c a pound

today. Tomato prices have declined sharply

TOMATOES SLUMPING SAYS G. DAVENPORT

"Supplies of tomatees from local points show a tremendous increase during the past few days, and this fully justifies the downward trend of prices of late. Fully 250 boxes were received by my firm alone this morning, and this supply may be doubled before the day is over. Other dealers received large shipments. Some of the "toms" are of very excellent quality; some are fair . and some very poor. Most of the . arrivals are from The Dailes, . White Salmon and Hood River."

HOME EGGS ARE THE

"The egg situation is somewhat better than it has been, and I for one have experienced but little difficulty in moving supplies at the low prices now ruling. Eggs have been selling from 21 to 22140, with a few single came sales at the latter figure. The quality of the local eggs is improving. In candling yesterday I found an average of but two to three "rots" in a . single case. Our eggs are now much better than eastern eggs, and are worth more money than the latter. Growers are getting . on to the eastern eggs, and are now specifying "Oregon" eggs on most orders. Quality will tell." -Frank Templeton of Templeton

wing to heavier supplies. Fifty cents s average today.
Front street prices:

Grain, Flour and Peed. GRAIN BAGS — Calcutta, 9c, large lots; small lots, 9½c.
WHEAT—Old—Club, 79@82c; red Russian, 79c; bluestem, 81@83c; valley, 60@81c: 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, \$4.80@4.40; graham, ¼s, \$3.75;
whole wheat, \$4.00; rye, 50s, \$5.50; bales,
\$3.00.

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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.

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BUTTER FAT—F. o. b. Portland—
Sweet cream, 28½c; sour, 26½c.
BUTTER—City creamery, 30c; seconds 25½c; outside fancy, 27½c; seconds 25c; store, Oregon, 18@19c.
EGGS — Extra faney, candled, 22@2½c; good candled, 21@22c.

C.IEBSE—New—Full cream, flats, 16c per lb; Young Americas, 17c per lb.
POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 12½c; fancy hens 12½@13c lb; roosters, old, 10c lb; fryers, 14@15c lb; spring ducks, 12c lb; geese, old, 8@10c lb; spring ducks, 12c lb; geese, old, 8@10c lb; spring geese 12½@13c per lb; turkeys, 11@13c lb; for old; squabs, \$2.50 per dozen; plgeons, \$1.25 per dozen. Dressed poultry, 1@1.c per lb. higher.

Mops, Wool and Mides.

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

WOOL—1907 clip—Valley, 20@21c eastern Oregon, 18@21c.

MOHAIR—New 1907—29@29½c.

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

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

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Pruits and Vegetables.

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POTATOES—\$1.50@1.75, selling; buying, \$1@1.25, per sack.

ONIONS—Jobbing price—New Walla Walla, \$2.25 sack; garlic, \$c per lb.

APPLES—New, \$1.50@2.25.

FRESH FRUITS — Oranges, \$3.00@4.00; bananas, \$c lb.; lemons, \$6.00@7.50 per box; limes. Mexican, \$4.00 per 100; pineapples, \$3.25@6.00 dozen; grape fruit \$3.25; cantaloupes, \$2.50@3.25; raspberries, \$1.25; plums, \$1; watermelons, 1½@11%c; cultivated blackberries, \$1.25; a crate; crabapples \$60@75c per box; Bartlett pears, \$1@2.50 per box.

VEGETABLES—Turaips, 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, 50@60c; parsnips, 90c@\$1; wax beans, 4c; green, 4c per lb; cauliflower, \$1.25@1.50 dozen; peas, 5c; horseradish, \$c lb.; artichokes, 65c@75c dozen; rhubarb, 3c lb.; green onions, 25c per dozen; bell peppers, 10@15c per lb; head lettuce, (—) doz; cucumbers, hothouse, 10@20c dozen; bunches; eggplant, 15c lb; green corn, \$1.50 sack; celery, \$1.25 dozen.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

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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; Dyellow, \$5.17½; best granulated, \$5.77½; barrels, 10c; half barrels, 25c; boxes, 50c advance on sack basis. (Above prices are 30 days net cash

HONEY—\$3.60 per crate. COFFEE—Package brands, \$15.88@

16.63.

SALAT — 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; 10us.
\$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.

sil.00; 100%, \$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 @5% c; New Orleans, head, 7c; Ajax 6c; Creole. 5% c.

BEANS—Small white, \$3.30; large white, \$3.25; pink, \$3.40; bayou, \$3.90; Limas, 6% c; Mexican reds, 4% c.

NUTS—Peanuts, Jumbo, 9% c per lb; Virginia, 7% c per lb; roasted, 10c per lb; Japanese, 5@5% c; roasted, 7@7% c per lb; welnuts, California, 10c per lb; pine nuts, 14@15c per lb; hickory nuts, 10c per lb; Brazil nuts, 18c per lb; fliberts, 16c per lb; fancy pecans, 18@20c per lb; almonds, 19@21% c.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

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lb; 5s, 11%c per lb; compound, 10s, 10c Per lb. FISH—Rock cod. 72 per lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 7c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; sal-mon, fresh Columbia chinook, 11c per bass. 15c per lb; cathan. 11c per mon, fresh Columbia chinook, 11c per lb; Steelheads, 10c per lb; herrings, 5c per lb; soles. 6c per lb; shrimps, 12c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomeod, 7c per lb; lobsters, 16c ner lb; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 25c per doz; sturgeon, 12½c 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.

dos. CLAMS Hardshell, per box, \$2.40; razor clams, \$2.00 per box; 10c per doz Paints, Coal Cil, Bto.

BEST EGGS ON SALE MULE TAKING

Farmers of Inland Empire Competition Among Millers Sav They Will Stand Heat and Work Much Better.

Portland Union Stockyards, Aug. 1.- | • • • • • • • • • Official receipts:

Hogs. Cattle. Sheep. 120 53 243 go. 990 250 Month ago 900 250
Year ago 30 50 250
Mules are beginning to come for the harvest fields of the inland empire. A bunch of 23 head was received this morning in the yards en route to east-ern Washington. All though the wheat country there is a growing demand for mules. This demand is occasioned by the fact that mules will stand the heat of the wheat belt better than horses, their working power is much greater their working power is much greater and they are more healthy. Practically all the mule shipments in this direction are from Missouri. All through the inland empire the farmers are going

into mule-raising on an extensive scale Sheep Market Molds.

The run of sheep in the yards con-tinues rather small and the advance of 25c quoted in the report yesterday is very easily maintained.

A year ago today sheep were very firm with the price 25c up. Cattle arrivals were nominal today, but on this date a year ago no arrivals were shown. Market is steady at for mer values.

A year ago today cattle were just holding steady. A small bunch of hogs—120 head— were the arrivals for the day. This compares with none either a month or year ago and a nominal number two years ago. Market firm but unchanged years ago. Market firm but unchanged in price.

A year ago today hogs were firmer, prices advancing 25c.
Official yard prices:
Hogs—Best eastern Oregon, \$6.50; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@6.25; China

fat, \$6.25@6.50. Cattle—Best eastern Oregon steers, \$3.75; best cows and heifers, \$2.75@3; bulls, \$2. Sheep—Best wethers, \$4.50; ewes, \$4.25; lambs, \$5.25.

EASTERN HOGS ARE LOWER.

Price Five Cents Lower With Slight Increase in Run Today. Chicago, Aug. 1.-Official receipts: Cattle. 45,000 Sheep 10,000

Cansas City ... 10,000 5,000 3,000 maha 11,00 1,000 3,500 Hogs are 5c lower with 6,200 left Cansas over. Receipts a year ago were 17,000. Mixed, \$6.10@6.50; heavy \$6.05@6.85; rough \$5.65@6.00; light, \$6.10@6.57. Sheep steady

NEVADA MINING STOCKS.

Bid Prices Current Today on the San Francisco Market. San Francisco, Aug. 1.-Official bid

GOLDFIELD DISTRICT. GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Sandstorm 43c, Mohawk \$17, Columbia Mt. 56c, Jumbo \$4.50A. Jumbo Ext.

\$1.80, Vernal 15c, Pennsylvania 3cA, Goldfield M. Co. \$1.50, Kendall 31c. Booth 43c, Blue Bull 34c, Adams 11c, Bliver Pick 61c, May Queen 10cA, Nevada Boy 7c, B. Ext. 7c, Blue Bell 18c, Dixie 6c, G. Columbia 40c, Hibernia 6c, St. Ives 91c, Conqueror 12c, Blk. Rock 4c, Lone Star 18c, G. Wonder 2c, Potlatch 40cA, Oro 22c, Kendall Ext. 2c, Sandst. Ext. 4c, Mayne 7c, Atlanta 60c, Sandst. Ext. 4c, Mayne 7c, Atlanta 60c, Great Bend 77c, Simerone 19c, Empire 9c, Red Top Ext. 23c, Florence \$5.50, Diam'f B. B. Con. 24c, G. Daisy \$1.87½, Laguna \$1.50, Commonwealth 27c, Comb. Fract. \$2.20. Gr. Bend Ext. 14c. Gr. Bend Anx. 8c, Millstorm 40cA, B. B. Bonanza 6c, Kewanos 65c, Esmeralda 9c, Portland 20c, Cracker Jack 18c, Francis Mohawk \$1.05. Red Hill 62, Mohawk Ext 9c, Lou Dillon 8c, Y. Tiger 20c, Grandma 16c, S. Pick Ext. 4c, Y. Rose 6c, Goldf. Cons. \$8.12½, Diam'f Triangle 20c. Sandst. Ext. 4c, Mayne 7c, Atlanta 60

COMSTOCK. Ophir \$1, Mexican 56c, Gould & Curry 18cA, Con. Virginia 59c, Savage 58c, Hale & Norcross 60c, Yellow Jacket 90c, Belcher 25, Confidence 65c, Sierra Nev. 33, Exchequer 37c, Union 29c.

BULLFROG DISTRICT. Original 7c, Bullf. M. C. 13c, Mont. Bullf. 4c, Nat. Bank 20c, L. Harris 2c, Amethylst 26c, Gold Bar 65c, Steinway 6cA, Denver Buf, Anx. 8c, Bonnie Clare 47c, Mayfi. Cons. 37c, Monty Ohlo Ext. 7c, G. Scepter 10cA, Monty Mt. 13c, B. Daisy 10cA, Homestake Cons. 30c, Yan-kee Cliff 4c, Nugget 4c, Tramp. Cons. 43c. 7c, G. Beepen.
Dalsy 10cA, Homestake Cons. 30c, 101, kee Girl 4c, Nugget 4c, Tramp Cons. 42c, Victor 10cA, North Star 5cA.
TONOPAHS.

Ton. Nev. 13c, Mont. Ton. \$3.05, Ton. Ext. \$1.50A. MacNamara 25c, Midway 87c, Ton. Belmont \$3.10, Ton. No. Star 21c, Ohio Ton. 3c, West End Cons. 74c. Rescue 14cA, Ton. & Calif. 5c, Golden Anchor 13c, Jim Butler 97c, Ton. Cash Boy 5c, Ton. Home 5c, Bost. Ton. 10cA, Montand Pitter 10cA, Montand Pitter 10cA Monarch Pitts Ex. 10cA, Mont. Mid. Ext. 4c, Golden Crown 8c.

MANHATTAN DISTRICT. Manh. Cons. 50cA, Manh. M. C. 5c, G. Wedge 5c, Seyler rlump 5c, Dexter 12c, L. Joe 2c, Crescent 5cA, Combina-tion 2c, Grannv 23c, Mustang 20c, Lit-tie Grey 13c, Cowboy 3c, Orig. Manh. 10cA, Broncho 7c, Pinenut 6c, Buffalo 3c, S. Dog 16c, Y. Horse 4c, Indian Camp 6c.

VARIOUS DISTRICTS. Fairy Silver King 15cA, Fairy Eagle 66c, Nevada Hills, \$6.00A, No. Star Won-der 5cA, Eagle's Nest 4c, Ruby Wonder 17c, Nev. H. Florence 20c, Pittsburg

Mests, Fish and Provisions.

FRESH MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 8½c per lb; large, 7@8c per lb; vesl, extra, 8½ @9c per lb; onlinery, 8@9c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb; for lb; large, fancy, 8@9c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb; lb; lb 14 to 19 lbs, 15½c per lb; 18 to 20 lbs, 15½c breakfast bacon, 15½ @22c per lb; picnics, 11½c per lb; cottage roll, il½c per lb; smoked, 12c per lb; moked, 12c per lb; lclear backs, unsmoked, 12c; smoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 12c; smoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 12c; smoked, 12

WHEAT. Open. Close. July 31. Gain. Sept. ...7s 21/4d 7s 21/4d 7s 21/4d Dec. ...7s 44/4d 7s 44/4d 7s 44/4d

CORN.4s 9%d 4s 10%d 4s 10%d %d

Liverpool Cotton Market. Liverpool, Aug. 1.—Cotton futures closed steady; 51/2 points up.

Duluth Wheat Market. Duluth, Aug. 1.-September wheat, \$1.

Total sales for day, 522,500 shares.

Portland Bank Statement.

Clearings today \$ 1,421,298.22

AT THE THEATRES

Play Superbly Staged.

"The Story of the Golden Fleece" is play that has never been presented on any stage except the Mar-quam's and has made a profound hit during this week. Nance O'Neil, one of the world's greatest tragediennes, ap-pears as Medea, the greatest work of her life.

Of Interest to Women.

Married women want to know how o manage husbands. This is explained in "Taming a Husband," the playlet at the Grand this week. Here is a comedy which no woman in Portland should miss seeing. It is laughable all the time and contains some capital tips.

"A Royal Slave,"

People say "A Royal Slave," the attraction this week at the Star, is the best the stock company has ever given. This is not far wrong, for the play contains many novel characters and situations. The performance is superior in every way. Matiness Saturday and Sunday.

Children's Day at the Oaks. This is children's day at the Oaks and hundreds of youngsters are enjoying the sights of the big park. The began to make the trip this morning began to make the trip this morning and all day long they have crowded the cars to reach the place. Presents are generally accepted figures for . winter wheat would reduce the total wheat crop for the year . being distributed to every child.

"The Road to 'Frisco."

One of the best attractions of the week is "The Road to 'Frisco," at the Lyric. Few plays ever written have more strength and such an agreeable working out. It gives everybody in the cast a chance to do something. Usual matiness will be given matinees will be given. There is but little likelihood of any serious drop in local flour values when the new crop is being ground, because of the high prices that miliers are pay-

SHORTAGE IN ACCOUNTS

(Continued from Page One.)

Oil company, whose offices are in that city, practical knowledge was of value to them, his honesty and integrity appealed to them, and he was employed in their San Francisco office. He ad-According to prominent flour sellers the present price of flour will be contin-

There was a spurt in wheat-buying operations in the inland empire during the past 24 hours, millers bidding and paying an advance of fully 2c a bushel over first reported figures. This would put the coast track price at \$2@93c for club and \$6c for blusters. vanced rapidly.

Soon he was given the position of northwest manager with headquarters in the Swetland building. Fifth and Washington strets, this city. That was five years ago. Soon after his arrival in Portland he met a vours. years ago. Soon after his arrival in Portland he met a young woman from Ballard. Washington, who was visiting in this city. They were married and lived for a time at 554 Tillamook street. club and \$5c for bluestem. The reason for the very slight reduction in club for the very slight reduction in club from bluestem this season is the very Happy Home Life.

ing any previous year.

Chicago started strong on the report of Crop Expert Snow that the wheat during July. The close was % to %c higher than yesterday.

Liverpool was dull, unchanged and

Eappy Mome Life.

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Boyle received a liberal salary and they began to save. For two years or more he lived an idal life, one of devotion to his family and strict attention to his business. Two years ago a little girl was born to them.

It was about that time that the change in his habits began. The change was sudden and complete. He sprang quickly from the aqua charlot where he had clung tenaciously all his life, and began to drink almost to excess. Home became a bore to him, business a drudge. He sought the company of butterflies who infest the down-town cafes and restaurants. He gambled heavily, frequenting the Milwaukie club, where he lost large sums, and even journeying to the cities on the sound to woo the fickle goddess.

Boyle went the pace, and to go the pace in Portland requires the price. His salary was large, but not large enough to meet the alluring demands of the night-life, to answer the calls of the sirens whose voices he could not withstand. Then began his peculations, small sums of \$25 and \$50 at first. He so instructed the cashler and book-keeper, who were under his charge, that no suspicion of his wrong-doing reached the main offices in San Francisco.

Defaleation Is Growing. uninteresting.
Official Chicago prices by Overbeck &

Defalcation Is Growing.

Emboldened by his success and urged by the growing importunities of his as-sociates and habits, he took larger sums until the aggregate ran into the thousands. Experts who are at work on the books now declare that they cannot estimate the exact amount. However, they have already discovered a short-

age of over \$3,000.
Finally the loose methods of his re-Finally the loose methods of his reports and the business of the office in this city aroused the attention of the officials of the company in San Francisco. Two weeks ago F. T. Hutchinson arrived in Portland to take Boyle's place as northwest manager. Next morning Boyle falled to appear, and an investigation was begun. It was learned that he had left the night before and it was also discovered that there was a large shortage.

and it was also discovered that there was a large shortage.

Mr. Hutchinson is now in charge of the office, while experts are trying to unravel the books. As soon as sufficient evidence of his guilt was obtained Mr. Hutchinson presented the case to District Attorney Manning and a warrant for Boyle's arrest was issued. Descriptions of him have been sent to every city in the northwest. It is believed, however, that he has gone to Canada and detectives are slowly but surely following him.

surely following him.

C. T. Morris, general agent for the state of Washington, of the Metropolitan Surety company of New York, is in the city, aiding in the investigation. Mr. Morris reached Portland soon after Boyle's flight, and is directing the search for the fugitive.

Boyle's wife is ill at her apartments in this city. She is heartbroken as a result of her husbands actions and grave fears are entertained for her recovery. C. T. Morris, gener

LASHED ON BACK

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"I have never inflicted this sentence before," said the judge, "but in this case I feel it to be just. The judgment of the court is that you receive 15 lashes at the hands of the sheriff or his His Pirst Appearance.

"I am much obliged," said Shaefer.
"I never had it—lashes—in my life. But I am going to take it, and take it like a gentleman, too."
Shaefer was led from the court room to the jail, and the preparation for the execution of the sentence were proceeded with at once without returning Shaefer to the cell. Before he went up to the court room, Shaefer had told his cell mates that if he were whipped he would not flinch.

would not flinch.

The wife-beater was stripped to the waist, and his hands fastened by hand-cuffs to the bars of the cell. The whip, a rawhide about two feet long with six lashes about 18 inches long at the end, had not fallen the third time before Shaefer's determination not to flinch was forgotten, and his cries could be heard all over the jail.

Ories Under the Lash.

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The whipping occurred in the presence of Sheriff Stevens, Deputy Sheriff Bulger, and Deputy District Attorneys Gus C. Moser and H. B. Adams. Shaefer cried out when the lash cut his back the third time. And each time after that the lash fell, though he struggled against it, he flinched against the steel bars of the cell to which he was hand-cuffed and cried "Oh my God, my God."

When the fifteenth lash had been struck and the handcuffs were taken off Shaefer's wrists he sank into a chair fainting. His shoulders were ridged with welts and the blood was starting through the skin where the lashes had cut. Salve and soothing liniments were applied to Shaefer's back, and while the wounds were being dressed he stretched forth his wrists where the handcuffs had cut into them, and said: Different in Old Country.

"Look at those hands. In the old country black bread and work in the fields is good enough for a woman, but here they make a goddess of her. I have worked eight years with these hands for that woman. Now look at them. And it was she who brought it about." do year ago \$83,156.07

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NERVOUS DEBILITY OF WEARNESS.

There is usually a pain across the small of the back; blue rings under your eyes; specks before your eyes; your sleep does not rest you; you get up in the morning feeling tired; your mind at times wanders; your memory is poor; you are losing flesh, hollow-eyed, whites of your eyes are yellow; you are fearful, always expecting the worst to happen; **ery nervous; you have bad dreams; startle in your sleep, and awake out of a dream very much frightened; stinging pain in the breast; no appetite. Do you know what causes you to feel like this? This condition will not improve of its own accord, but instead you may grow gradually worse, and eventually end in nervous debility or neurasthenia. If you have ever taken treatment and failed to get cured perhaps it is because you never took treatment at the St. Louis Institute. Our treatment is different from the old treatment taught years ago. We cordially invite consultation free. We cordially invite consultation free.

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THE MEN'S SHOP

Capacity Inadequate

Superintendent Charles L. Daggett of the garbage crematorium informed the board that the capacity of the incinerator was 30 tons per day but that on some days the amount delivered at the plant for burning reached 45 tons.

"Goodbye," said Shaefer. "I hold nothing against you; I know you had to do it. When I go fishing this fall I will send you a salmon."

CITY COUNCIL

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health, they say, has no authority to spend money or select a site for a crematorium.

Capacity Inadequate.

Foreign Exchange Rates.

MICHEL & STILLER, Fourth and Alder Streets.

New York, Aug. 1.—Foreign exchange market dull and barely steady; sterling, demand \$4.87, 60 day bills \$4.875569 4.8765; francs \$5.15 \(\) less 1-22; marks 95 1-5@95 3-16 plus 1-32

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

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

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

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7½c per lb; 500-lb lots, 3c per lb; less lots, 8½c ROPE—Pure Manila, 15%c; standard, 13%c; sisal, 11c.
COAL OIL—Pearl or Astral—Cases, 19%c per gal; water white, iron bbls, 14c per gal; wooden, 17c per gal; head-light, 170 deg., cases, 21%c per gal. When he was clothed again, Shaefer gathered up the few belongings he had in the jail and, before he left, shook hands with Deputy Sheriff Beatty, the acting jailer, who had wielded the catorge Davenport of Daven-New York-London Metals. WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7%c per lb; 500-lb lots, 8c per lb; less lots, 8%c copper down %c; Lake 20% @21%; Electro, 19% @20c; Castings, 19% @19%c. Barsilver, 62%c; London 32 1-16d.