TODAY'S MARKETS

Slight Improvement Noted in European Hop Markets—No Trade Here but Business Offered—Bears After Growers

POTATOES AT SEVENTY-FIVE

Trade Is Dull With but One Dealer Buying at the Present Moment Here.

Produce market features:
Buying spuds at 75c.
No trade in wheat market.
Local lard is quoted lower.
Produce trade is stagnant.
Orders, but no hop sales.
Dressed veal comes in faster.
Chicken market is just steady.
Butter, cheese and eggs firm.

Buying Spuds at 75 Cents Today.

While there is an entire absence of southern demand at this time, one large shipper is buying potatoes on a basis of 75c at country shipping points for best stock. This is the only instance where there is anything at all doing in potatoes, even local trade being quiet. With the exception of the dealer mentioned all other shippers are out of the market for both potatoes and onions.

This lack of demand for these supplies is not due at all to any lack of confidence the trade has in the future of either potatoes or onions. The tight money market and the financial situations is holding all operations in check. One large local dealer has about $10,000 tied up in California shipments at this time, and cannot secure his money, with no immediate prospect of getting it. For that reason the trade is not willing to make shipments to the south, even though there were a demand at this time—which there is not.

Local Lard Is Quoted Lower.

A drop of ¼c in lard is noted this morning in the new list issued by the Union Meat company. This included all grades, kettle and steam rendered and compound. Meats are unchanged.

Arrivals of dressed veal were more liberal this morning and the trade had an easier tone though at unchanged values. Dressed hogs are rather dull, with some concessions in price noted in order to move promptly.

Chicken market is holding just steady, with receipts small.

Eggs, butter and cheese hold firm at unchanged values.

Produce Trade Is Stagnant.

Trade in the produce market is stagnant along Front street. As a general rule receipts are rather slow in arriving, but the houses have all the trade requires.

Local concord grapes continue to show liberal arrivals, with sales at 17½c for 5s.

Orange demand is quite fair, considering general market conditions. Colors better, taste sweeter, too.

Because of the slow demand growers are not pressing cabbage on the market so fast, and the few arrivals are finding a call. A larger volume would cause still lower prices.

Orders, but No Hop Sales.

There is nothing doing in the local hop market. Most dealers report the receipt of inquiries from the east, and some have orders to buy but will not do so because eastern currency is not acceptable here. Foreign markets are holding quite well, despite the dull American tone and some slight advances are reported. However, this news does not come via Tacoma or the bear leaders.

No Trade in Wheat Market.

Outside of the nominal purchases by small interior millers for local consumption, there is practically nothing doing in the wheat market. Local people are not buying to any extent, because they have already purchased more wheat than can be handled under present conditions. While there is a certain amount of dullness in the local flour market, trade on the whole is fair with prices maintained. Millfeeds are in a good position, with sales fully up to supplies.

Front street prices:

Grain, Flour and Feed.

GRAIN BAGS — Calcutta, 14, large lots; small lots, 9½c.

WHEAT—Nominal—Club, 87c; red Russian, 85c; bluestem, 89c; valley, 85@86.

CORN—Whole, $32; cracked $33 ton.

BARLEY—New—Feed, $27@27.50 per ton; rolled, $30@31; brewing, $29.

RYE—$1.55 per cwt.

OATS—New—Producers' price—No. 1 white, $28.00 per ton; gray, $27.50.

FLOUR—Eastern Oregon patents, $4.95; straights, $4.50; export, $4.10; valley, $4.30@4.50; graham, ¼s, $4.50; whole wheat, $4.75; rye, 50s, $5.50 bales, $3.00.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, $20.00 per ton; middlings, $27.50; shorts, country, $23.50; city, $22.00; chop, $17@21.

HAY—Producers' price—Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy, $15.00@17.00; ordinary, $11.00@12.00; eastern Oregon, $16.00@18.00; mixed, $10.00@10.50; clover, $10.00@12.00; grain, $10.00@12.00; cheat, $10.00@12.00.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—F. o. b. Portland—Sweet cream, 31c; sour, 29c.

BUTTER—Extra fancy creamery, 32½c; fancy, 30c; store, Oregon, 20c.

EGGS — Extra fancy, candled, 35c; eastern storage, 27@28c; eastern fresh 30c.

CHEESE — New — Full cream, flats, 16½@17c per lb; Young Americans, 17½@18c per lb.

POULTRY—Nominal — Mixed chickens, 10@10½c per lb; fancy hens, 11c; roosters, old, 10c; fryers, 10½c; broilers, 10½c; ducks, 13@14c; geese, old, 8@10c lb; turkeys, 16@18c lb, for old; squabs, $2.50 doz; pigeons, $1.25 doz; dressed poultry, 1@1½c per lb higher.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS — 1907 crop — Choice, 8½@9c; prime to choice, 8@8½c; ordinary, 6@6½c; 1906, choice, 5c.

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

MOHAIR—New 1907—29@29½c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 14@15c lb; green, 5@6c; calves, green, 8@9c lb; bulls, green salt, 4c lb.

SHEEPSKINS — Shearing, 15@20c each; short wool, 25@40c; medium wool, 50@$1.00 each; long wool, 75@$1.25 each.

TALLOW—Prime, per lb, 3@4c; No. 2 and grease, 2@2½c.

CHITTIM BARK—5c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Fancy, 90c@$1.00, selling; buying, white 75c per cwt; sweets, 2½c per lb.

ONIONS — Jobbing price — Oregon, $2.25@2.50; buying, spot, $2.00; futures, $2.00; garlic, 7c lb.

APPLES—New, 75c@$1.50.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, new, $3.50@4.00; bananas, 5c lb; lemons, $6@6.50 box; limes, Mexican, $4 per 100; pineapples, $5 a dozen; grapes, $1@1.65; Concords, 17½c; peaches, 85c@$1; cantaloupes, $2.25; crabapples, 3c lb; pears, $1.50@1.75 a box.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new 90c@$1.00 sack; carrots, $1.00 per sack; beets, 90c@$1.00 per sack; parsnips, $1; cabbage, 1c per lb; tomatoes, Oregon, 60c; beans, 5c; cauliflower, 50@90c lb; peas, 5c; horseradish, 8c lb; artichokes, 65@75c doz; green onions, 15c per doz; bell peppers, 8c per lb; hothouse lettuce, $1 box; cucumbers, hothouse, 15@25c doz; radishes, 15c doz bunches; eggplant, $2.00 box; green corn, 75c sack; celery, 75@90c; cranberries, $9.00@9.50 per barrel.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California and Hawaiian—Cube, $6.15; powdered, $6; berry, $5.80; dry granulated, $5.80; XXX granulated, $5.60; conf. A., $5.80; extra B., $5.30; golden G., $5.20; D. yellow, $5.10; beet granulated, $5.60; 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, $13.50 per ton; 50s, $14.00; table, dairy 50s, $19.00; 100s, $18.75; bales, $2.50; imported Liverpool, 50s, $20.00; 100s, $19.00; 4s, $18.00; extra fine barrels; 2s, 5s and 10s, $4.50@5.50; Liverpool lump rock, $20.50 per ton; 50-lb rock, $13.50; 100s, $13.00.

(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, $4.25; large white, $4.10; pink, $4.10; bayou, $3.90; Limas, $6.50; Mexican reds, 4½c.

NUTS—Peanuts, Jumbo, 8¾c per lb; Virginia, 7¾c per lb; roasted, 9@9½c per lb; Japanese, 7c; roasted, 7@8c per lb; walnuts, California, 17½c 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, 19c.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

FRESH MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 7@7½c per lb; large, 6@7c per lb; veal, extra, 9c per lb; ordinary, 7½@8c per lb; heavy, 6@7c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs, 16c per lb; 14 to 16 lbs., 14½c per lb; 18 to 20 lbs., 14½c; breakfast bacon, 15½@21c per lb; picnics, 10c per lb; cottage roll, 12c per lb; regular short clears, unsmoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 12c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 12c; smoked, 12c per lb; Union butts, 12 to 13 lbs, unsmoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 13c per lb; clear bellies, unsmoked, 11½c per lb; smoked, 13½c per lb; shoulders, 12½c per lb; pickled tongues, 70c each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 13½c per lb; 5s, 12¾c per lb; 50-lb tins, 13c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 12½c per lb; 5s, 12¾c per lb; compound, 10s, 9½c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 7c per lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 8c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11 per lb; salmon, fresh Columbia silvers, 8c per lb; herrings, 5c per lb; soles, 6c per lb; shrimps, 10c per lb; perch 6c per lb; tomcod, 7c per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 25c per dozen; sturgeon, 12½c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelt, 7c per lb; frozen shad, 5c per lb; black cod, 7½c per lb.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, $2.50; per 100-lb. sack, $5.00; Olympia, per gallon, $2.40; per 100-lb. sack, $6.00@6.50; Eagle, canned, 50c can; $7 dozen; eastern in shell, $1.75 per hundred.

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

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

ROPE—Pure manila, 14c; standard, 12½c; sisal, 10½c.

COAL OIL—Water white, tanks 12½c, cases 18½c, headlight, cases, 20c; Elane, cases, 28c; Eocene, cases, 21½c gallon.

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

BENZINE—63 deg., cases, 25c per gal; iron bbls, 23c per gal.

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

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

WIRE NAILS—Present basis at $2.20 per keg.

PRICES TODAY AND THOSE OF YEAR AGO

	—Nov. 13— 1907	1906
Club wheat, bu	$ .87	$ .64
Bluestem, bu	.89	.68
Pat. flour, bbl	4.95	3.90
Best butter, lb	.32½	.30
Local eggs, doz	.35	.35
Hops, choice, lb	.09	.15
Potatoes, producer	.75	.75
Onions, producer	2.00	.75

HOGS AND SHEEP 25 CENTS OFF TODAY

Entire Livestock Market Depressed—Cattle Holding, but Dull.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle	Sheep.
Today	384	30	205
Week ago	187	32	916
Year ago	150	..	...
Prev. year	111	..	796

Portland Union Stockyards, Nov. 13.—Intense dullness brought about by the very tight money situation ruling all over the country, livestock is always one of the first to be affected and always bears the brunt of whatever trouble may ensue.

Today there was a decline of 25c in both hogs and sheep. While cattle are thus far unchanged the market is very dull with arrivals likewise. Today 14 horses arrived in.

A year ago today all lines were steady though dull.

Official yard prices:

Hogs—Best eastern Oregon, $5.50@5.75; China fats, nominal.

Cattle—Best eastern Oregon steers, $3.65@3.75; best cows and heifers, $2.65@2.75; bulls, $1.75@2.00.

Sheep — Best wethers, $4.25@4.50; mixed and best ewes, $4.25; lambs, $4.25@4.50.

Hogs Lose 10c Again.

Chicago, Nov. 13 —Official run:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Chicago	2,000	18,000	20,000
Kansas City	10,000	9,000	7,000
Omaha	4,500	4,000	6,000

Hogs are 10c lower. Receipts a year ago were 29,000. Mixed, $4.80@5.40; heavy, $5.00@5.35; rough, $4.10@4.85; light, $4.80@5.30.

Cattle—Steady.

Sheep—Steady.

New York Cotton Market.

	Open.	High.	Low.	13.	12. November
Jan.	1000	1000	996	1005	1003
Feb.	1007	1009	1007	1009	1006
March	1008	1018	1003	1012	1009
April	1012	1014	1012	1014	1012
May	1017	1025	1010	1019	1015
June	1018	1018	1018	1020	1015
July	1017	1025	1013	1020	1016
Aug.	1010	1015	1010	1014	1009
Nov.	....	....	....	1013	1015
Dec.	1045	1050	1035	1043	1045

A HEALTHIER TONE IN CHICKEN MARKET

"The chicken market is healthier. With not too heavy consignments this week we look for the market to regain its normal condition. Price as yet unchanged.

"Considerable inquiry for young turkeys and more could be used. Ducks are also in fair request.

"With the advanced prices veals are beginning to arrive more freely. Hogs a little firmer."—B. W. Graham of Templeton & Graham.

DIVIDEND PAID ON SHEFFIELD

Sloss-Sheffield Steel & Iron Declares Payment of 1 1-4 Per Cent on Common.

Henry Clews on Situation.

"Now that the worst is over, the universal question asked is, what must be now expected? All previous panics show that after the acute stage of crisis was passed a substantial recovery followed on the stock exchange, to be succeeded by a period of more or less inertia and depression. There is no reason to anticipate any departure from this rule in this panic, although the conditions are not precisely similar to those of previous crises."—Henry Clews in an Advice to The Journal.

STOCK MARKET LOSSES.

Amalgamated	½	N. Y. Central	⅛
Car Foundry	½	Penn.	⅜
Smelter	¼	Reading	1⅛
Atchison	¼	S. Pacific	⅜
St. Paul	⅝	U. Pacific	⅜
Col. Fuel	½	U. S. Steel	⅜
Del. & Hudson	½	do pfd.	⅞
Erie	½	N. Pacific	¼
Nat. Lead	⅝	Mo. Pacific	½

STOCK MARKET GAINS.

G. North. pfd	⅛	Katy	1
Brooklyn	⅛		

(Leased Wire Overbeck & Cooke Co.)

New York, Nov. 13.—London trading was mixed today, with most American shares a fraction lower. This market, while generally showing a loss today, was not exactly weak—just dull. The trading was confined almost entirely to Amalgamated, American Smelter common, St. Paul, Brooklyn, Pennsylvania, Reading, Union and Southern Pacific and the steel shares.

Gold engagements to date are $55,000,000.

It is estimated that U. S. Steel earnings in October are $14,000,000, compared with $14,984,000 a year ago.

Government bonds were lower, with less demand on account of the easier money situation. Call loans ruled between 10@5 per cent.

The Sloss-Sheffield Steel & Iron company today declared a dividend of 1¼ per cent on common shares.

Official range:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Copper Co.	46⅝	47⅛	45	47
Am. Car & F., c.	26⅝	26⅝	26	25⅞
do preferred	....	....	....	82
Am. Cot. Oil, c.	28½	38¾	38	28¼
Am. Loco., c.	38¾	38¾	38	38⅞
Am. Sugar, c.	104⅝	105	104¼	104
Am. Smelt., c.	61⅝	62⅞	60¾	60⅞
do preferred	86⅝	87	86⅛	86
Ana. Min. Co.	31⅝	31⅞	31½	31¾
Am. Woolen, c.	14½	14½	14	14
Atchison, c.	72	72	71½	71¾
do preferred	....	....	....	82½
Balti. & Ohio, c.	80¼	80½	80	80
do preferred	....	....	....	75
Brook. Rap. T.	31¼	31¾	30½	30⅞
Canadian Pac., c.	142½	144	142⅛	142¼
Cent. Leath., pfd	73½	73½	73	73
Chi. & Gt. W., c.	7	7⅝	7	7¼
Chi., M. & St. P.	101½	101½	100¾	101
Chi. & N. W., c.	131	131½	130	130
Ches. & Ohio	27⅞	27⅞	27½	27⅝
Colo. South., c.	17¾	18	17⅛	17⅛
do 2d pfd	....	....	....	32¾
do 1st pfd	....	....	....	42¾
Dela. & Hudson	130	130	128	128¾
D. R. G., c.	18¾	18¾	18	18
do preferred	....	....	....	60
Erie, c.	17⅜	17⅜	17	17
do 2d pfd	27½	....	....	27½
Gt. North., pfd	114⅛	....	....	113¾
Illinois Central	122¾	123	122	122½
Mexican Cen. Ry.	....	....	....	14
M., K. & T., c.	24	24	23½	24½
do pfd	....	....	....	55½
Distillers	41	41	40¾	40¾
Ore Lands	41½	42	41	41⅞
Missouri Pacific	55	55	54½	54½
National Lead	36	....	....	35⅞
N. Y. Central	98⅞	98⅛	97½	97½
N. Y., Ont. & W.	29⅞	....	....	29¾
Nor. & West., c.	....	....	....	63
North American	41	41¼	40	41
No. Pacific, c.	108	....	....	108
P. M. & S. S. Co.	21	21	20	20
Penn. Railway	109⅜	109½	108½	108½
P. G. L. & C. Co.	75	75	75	75
Reading, c.	80¾	81¼	79⅝	79¾
do 2d pfd	....	....	....	68
do 1st pfd	....	....	....	77
Rep. I. & S., c.	....	....	....	15
Rock Island, c.	13⅝	13¾	13½	13½
St. L. & S. F. 2p	....	....	....	28½
do 1st pfd	....	....	....	55
So. Pacific, c.	68¼	68⅝	67¾	67⅞
do pfd	104	104	103	103
So. Railway, c.	12⅛	12¼	12	12⅛
do pfd	39	39½	39	39½
Texas & Pac.	18½	18½	17¾	17¾
T., St. L. & W., c.	....	....	....	17¾
do pfd	33½	33¾	33¼	33¼
Union Pac., c.	111⅜	111⅝	110¼	110⅝
do pfd	....	....	....	78
U. S. Rubber, c.	....	....	....	16
do pfd	....	....	....	66
U. S. Steel Co., c.	24⅝	24⅝	23⅞	23⅞
do pfd	84⅛	84⅞	83½	83¾

Call money opened 10 per cent, high 10 per cent, low 5 per cent; closed 5 per cent.

Total sales, 328,100 shares.

New York-London Silver.

New York, Nov. 13.—Bar silver 58@c; London, 27 3-16d.

Copper—Lake, 13½@13¾c; electro, 13¾@13½c; casting, 13@13¼c.

EXAMINER FINDS MEDFORD BANKS O. K.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Medford, Or., Nov. 13.—State Bank Examiner Claude Gatch left last night for Portland on receipt of instructions from the comptroller of the currency at Washington to take charge of the Merchants' National.

Gatch yesterday finished his inspection of the local banks and was surprised at the excellent conditions existing The local institutions have not resorted to clearing house certificates but are still doing business on the cash basis. Deposits continue to exceed withdrawals. From 40 to 60 per cent of the deposits of Medford banks represent cash on hand. Examiner Gatch stated that the banks of Portland and of Oregon generally are in excellent condition, there being no stronger institutions anywhere.

He said the Merchants' National was in good condition at the last inspection.

Orator at Lodge of Sorrow.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Astoria, Or., Nov. 13.—Arthur C. Spencer, of Portland, has accepted an invitation from Astoria lodge No. 180, B. P. O. E., to deliver the memorial address at the annual lodge of sorrow, which will be held Sunday, December 1.

Christmas Excursions.

If you are going to spend Christmas in the old country, consult the Canadian Pacific. Through tickets to all points in Europe at lowest rates. Apply at local office, 142 Third street.

EUROPE PUT UP WHEAT PRICES

Legitimate Demand Aided by Short Covering Causes a Big Chicago Rise.

Story in a Nutshell.

Demand puts up wheat.
Chicago wheat advanced.
Liverpool wheat higher.
Wheat shorts frightened.
Oats higher in Chicago.

CHICAGO WHEAT VALUES.

	Nov. 13.	Nov. 12.	Gain.	1906.
December	95⅝	92⅝	1⅝	74
May	104	101⅝	2⅜	78⅞
July	98¼	97	1¼	77⅝

(Leased Wire Overbeck & Cooke Co.)

Chicago, Nov. 13.—The wheat market opened about ⅝c higher today, in response to a legitimate demand from abroad.

Liverpool wanted the wheat, and bid a fractional advance at the opening, but enlarged the price as the session progressed. The closing there showed gains of 1¼ to 1⅝d above yesterday, the closing being unusually strong.

In this market the demand became greater during the session, and the close was 1¼ to 2⅝c above yesterday. The May was strongest today with the greatest price at the close.

The coarse grain list while firm did not follow the lead of wheat, because there was not the short covering in the former like in the latter. The provision list was firm and steady, with substantial gain in pork, ribs and lard.

The Record-Herald today quotes a close observer as saying: "I am becoming impressed with the idea that there will be more than the usual amount of speculative interest in grain this coming winter. The wheat situation is clearly a two sided one, and affords abundant opportunity for speculation. The recent decline has put the market in a more healthy condition."

Official range:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
Dec.	93¼	95⅝	92⅝	95⅝
May	102¼	104⅝	101⅜	104
July	97⅝	98⅝	96½	98¼
CORN.				
Dec.	55⅝	55⅞	54	55⅜
May	56⅝	57	55	56⅝
July	56¼	56½	54⅝	56⅝ A
OATS.				
Dec.	47⅛	47⅛	45⅝	47⅛
May	50	50⅝	48⅞	50⅝
July	46⅝	46	44⅝	46B
MESS PORK.				
Jan.	1282	1320	1277	1312
May	1312	1355	1312	1345
LARD.				
Jan.	800	820	797	815A
May	797	812	792	805A
SHORT RIBS.				
Jan.	687	705	685	702
May	707	725	715	720

Liverpool Grain Higher.

Liverpool, Nov. 13.—Official prices:

	Open.	Close.	Nov. 12.	Gain.
WHEAT.				
Dec.	7s 11⅜d	8s ¾d	7s 11⅜d	1¼d
Mch.	8s 2½d	8s 3⅜d	8s 2⅜d	1⅜d
May	8s 2 d	8s 3 d	8s 1⅝d	1⅜d
CORN.				
Dec.	5s 8¾d	5s 8⅝d	5s 8⅝d	⅛d
Jan.	5s 5½d	5s 5⅝d	5s 5½d	⅛d

San Francisco Grain Market.

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—Official prices:

Wheat—December, $1.61 ask; May, $1.41.

Barley—May, $1.69; December, $1.56 per cental.

PRICE OF NEVADA SHARES IN FRISCO

(Leased Wire Overbeck & Cooke Co.)

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—Official bid prices:

GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Sandstorm 22c, Mohawk $9.00A, Columbia Mt. 18c, Jumbo Ext. 75cA, Vernal 6c, Pennsylvania 1c, Kendall 13c, Booth 19c, Blue Bull 17c, Adams 6c, Silver Pick 24c, May Queen 10c, Nev. Boy 2c, B. B. Ext. 3c, Blue Bell 6c, Dixie 3c, G. Columbia 6c, Hibernia 2c, St. Ives 36c, Conqueror 4c, Blk. Rock 2c, Lone Star 9c, G. Wonder 3cA, Oro 8c, Kendall Ext. 3cA, Sandst. Ext. 4cA, Mayne 3c, Atlanta 21c, Great Bend 2c, Simerone 3c, Empire 6c, Red Top Ext. 14c, Florence $2.55, Diamf. B. B. Con. 17c, G. Daisy 83c, Laguna 34c, Commonwealth 10cA, Comb. Fract. 90c, Gr. Bend Ext. 5c, Gr. Bend Anx. 3c, B. B. Bonanza 2c, Kewanos 23c, Esmeralda 5c, Portland 9cA, Cracker Jack 7c, Francis Mohawk 43c, Red Hill 23c, Mohawk Ext. 5c, Lou Dillon 4c, Y. Tiger 10c, Grandma 6c, S. Pick Ext. 2c, Y. Rose 4c, Col. Mt. Ext. 3cA, Goldf. Cons. $3.97½, Diam'f. Triangle 7c.

COMSTOCK DISTRICT.

Ophir $1.05, Mexican 45c, Gould & Curry 9c, Con. Virginia 45c, Savage 43c, Hale & Norcross 40c, Yellow Jacket 27c, Belcher 17c, Confidence 70c, Sierra Nev. 29c, Exchequer 25c.

BULLFROG DISTRICT.

Original 3c, Bullf. M. C. 4c, Mont. Bullf. 1c, Nat. Bank 10c, L. Harris 2cA, Amethyst 10c, Steinway 5cA, Denver Buf. Anx. 3c, Bonnie Clare 20c, Mayfl. Cons. 16c, Monty. Ohio Ext. 3c, G. Scepter 3c, Monty. Mt. 4c, B. Daisy 8cA, Homestake Cons. 53c, Yankee Girl 1c, Nugget 2c, Tramp Cons. 18c, Victor 2c.

TONOPAHS.

Ton. Nev. $8, Mont. Ton. $1.52½, Ton. Ext. 95c, MacNamara 18c, Midway 45c, Ton. Belmont 98c, Ton. No. Star 8c, Ohio Ton. 2c, West End Cons. 36c, Rescue 4c, Ton. & Calif. 5cA, Golden Anchor 5c, Jim Butler 46c, Ton. Cash Boy 2c, Monarch Pitts. Ex. 3cA, Mont. Mid. Ext. 1c, Golden Crown 2c.

MANHATTAN DISTRICT.

Seyler Hump 2c, Dexter 10c, L. Joe 1c, Crescent 3cA, Combination 3cA, Granny 17c, Mustang 13c, Little Grey 8cA, Cowboy 1c, Orig. Manh. 5c, Broncho 3c, Jump. Jack 7c, Pinenut 4c, Buffalo 1c, S. Dog 10c, Y. Horse 2c, Indian Camp 6cA.

VARIOUS DISTRICTS.

Fairv. Silver King 10cA, Fairv. Eagle 70c, Nevada Hills $4A, Pittsburg Silver Peak 1c, No. Star Wonder 2c, Eagle's Nest 28c, Alice of Wonder 5cA.

Northwest Bank Statement.

PORTLAND.

Clearings today	$ 879,679.27
Year ago	1,426,160.46
Loss today	$ 546,781.19
Balances today	50,462.37
Year ago	193,231.71

Liverpool Cotton.

Liverpool, Nov. 13.—Cotton futures closed steady, 7½ to 9 points lower.

New York, Nov. 13. — Government		
Twos, registered	106½	108
do coupon	106½	108
Threes, registered	102¾	103¾
do coupon	102¾	103¾
Twos, Panamas	106	.....

There's nothing so good for a sore throat as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Cures it in a few hours. Relieves any pain in any part.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR BOOK AGENT

Local Employe of Scribner's Believed to Have Embezzled $4,600.

As the result of an information filed in the police court yesterday by J. A. Martin, a warrant has been issued for the arrest of John P. Lockwood, former local agent for Charles Scribner's Sons and Harper Brothers, on the charge of felony by embezzlement. It is alleged that while representing the two large publishing houses in this city, Lockwood feloniously converted to his own use $4,600 of Scribner's Sons money. The authorities have no definite clue to the whereabouts of the book agent, but from information received it is thought he is now in Los Angeles.

The complainant is Lockwood's successor, and has offices in the Buchanan building. He alleges that an examination of the accounts shows that his predecessor collected over $4,600 which he failed to remit to his employers. It is claimed that Lockwood drew all of the commissions to which he was entitled, and had absolutely no interest in the sum alleged to have been stolen.

According to Deputy District Attorney Bert Haney, the publishing firm is in possession of a letter from their former employe, in which he is said to admit his defalcations. Lockwood is also accused of forging the name of S. M. Luder, foreman of Irwin, Hodson company, to an order for two sets of books, and after making two $5 payments is believed to have sold the works to some dealer at a substantial figure.

As the statute provides that a defendant extradited must be tried on the charge on which the papers were issued, the forgery case can not be prosecuted. It is stated, however, that in the event that the accused man if brought back is acquitted for embezzlement Harper & Brothers stand ready to prosecute him for the same offense.

Lockwood resided with his family at 68 East Twenty-second street north.

FIELDS IS MOST UNHAPPY MAN

Manning Reverses Holiday Opinion and Clerk's Office Now Swamped.

For the first time since the holidays commenced the office of County Clerk Fields was opened this morning for the transaction of all kinds of business. This change of program followed the giving of a new opinion by District Attorney John Manning, who, had previously asserted that the county clerk could not keep the office open, but reversed himself on closer examination of the law.

As the revised opinion of the district attorney agreed with the advice of Attorney-General Crawford, and also with the belief of most of the members of the bar, Mr. Fields decided that he was justified in opening the gates for recording instruments of all descriptions. As a result there has been today a steady stream of patrons at the filing desk. First of all, however, were the 82 instruments that had been received yesterday and the day before, but not placed on record. These were filed in the order in which they had been received.

County clerks all over the state have been watching with interest the effort of Mr. Fields to obtain a judicial determination of the question of filing instruments. His decision to open his office cannot be followed with any assurance by other county clerks, however, as a special statute places Multnomah county in a class by itself. This provides that the office of the county clerk in this county shall be kept open every day excepting Sundays, New Year's day, the Fourth of July and Christmas. The general law passed in 1862 requires county clerks to keep their offices open "on every judicial day."

ALLEGED PULL EXTRACTED TEN

Walter Ludwig was arrested at First and Salmon streets at an early hour this morning by Patrolman Johnson on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct and before landed in the city prison, made two attempts to escape and assaulted the officer. While waiting for the wagon at Front and Taylor streets, Ludwig broke from his captor and started toward the river. Johnson quickly overtook him, however, and the inebriate noting that the abuse hurled at the bluecoat availed him, nothing, Ludwig again tried to escape.

Promptly captured again, the man put up a fierce fight, but was finally handcuffed and marched to headquarters Ludwig boasted of his "pull" and declared that he would get the officer dismissed. The "influence" did not materialize in the police court this morning and Ludwig contributed $10.

GEORGIE GIVEN FIVE DAYS FOR LATE HOURS

George H. Williams, (not Portland's former mayor) was taken into custody at 2:15 o'clock this morning by Patrolman Johnson at First and Main streets on a charge of being out after hours. The patrolman noticed the fellow prowling about several lodging-houses and when questioned as to the reason of his presence on the streets at such an unseemly hour, Williams was unable to give any explanation. When searched at the city prison two skeleton keys were found in the prisoner's possession. In the municipal court this morning Judge Cameron imposed a sentence of five days.

REFRACTORY CONVICT WILL WEAR RED SUIT

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Walla Walla, Nov. 13.—James Burkey, the convict who escaped from prison Thursday evening last week, was caught by Chief of Police Wallion of La Grande, Oregon, and will be brought back to the penitentiary today. Burkey, whose term is out in March, will serve the remainder of his time in a red suit and may be kept in solitary confinement for a while. This is the fourth time Burkey has failed in his efforts to get away, and he will not be given another chance.

FORGERS WORKING DESPITE HARD TIMES

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Bellingham, Wash., Nov. 13.—Bearing the name of John S. Jamieson, a well-known local man, a check for $1,000 came to the Bellingham National bank for collection yesterday from El Paso, Texas. The check has been branded by the local bankers as a forgery and payment refused. The check was made out to James Adair.

Jamieson is now working near Olympia, but his family is still living in this city. The authorities have been notified of the forgery and an effort will be made to apprehend the culprit.

GLASS VERDICT UNSATISFACTORY

District Attorney Will Further Investigate Mysterious Killing of Russian.

Six men, after listening to the testimony of Dr. Marie Equi, Miss Edna C. Cowling, Sergeant Baty, Detective Coleman, Policeman Ogg and Mrs. M. Newman, given at the coroner's inquest yesterday afternoon, came to the conclusion that they did not know how A. Glass, shot at 229 Eleventh street Sunday afternoon, came to his death, except the fact that his demise was due to a bullet.

Accordingly Mrs. Glass who is being held out at St. Vincent hospital under suspicion of having fired the shot, will be brought down to police headquarters and kept until such time as the district attorney's office is able to conduct a further examination and determine whether she is guilty of the murder of her husband.

Tell Story of Quarrel

At the coroner's investigation yesterday afternoon practically all the witnesses who knew anything of the shooting, with the exception of Mrs. Glass, were asked to tell their stories of the affair. Miss Cowling told of having lived in a room adjacent to Mr. and Mrs. Glass and of having been bothered by the loud tones and quarrels of the two Russians. She never heard anything of what was said however.

Miss Cowling said she heard quarreling voices Sunday morning and they continued up to about 3 o'clock, when she suddenly heard a shot fired. She ran to the door and saw Mrs. Glass standing at the head of the stairs just ready to go down to the street.

Sergeant Baty told of having been sent out to the house and Detective Coleman told how things looked when he arrived. Policeman Ogg told of having been called in to see what the couple were quarreling about during the morning.

Dr. Marie Equi testified concerning the manner in which Glass was shot, but she did not make her explanations very plain and it is perhaps due to this that the jury brought in the verdict that the man came to his death in a manner unknown to them, except that he had been shot.

Will Further Investigate.

Deputy District Attorney Adams is not content with the jury's verdict and intends to probe further into the mystery. It is his intention to have an examination made of the wound in Glass' shoulder to determine whether it could have been inflicted by Glass. The bullet entered the back near the point of the shoulder blade and came out in front just above the he