TODAY'S MARKETS

More Active Steps Should Be Taken Now if the Hop-Growers' Association Is to Be Made a Permanent Success.

SUGAR MARKET TONE IS MIXED

Strength in the East Is Not Imparted to Coast—Trade May Change.

Front street features:
Sugar situation is mixed.
Most eggs sell at 30c for fresh.
Eastern eggs are very weak.
Creamery butter holds its own.
Smelt lower with fair run.
Small amount fresh salmon comes.
Wheat is advanced 1c a bushel.
Flour market holding steady.
Hop selling continues heavy.
Onions dull after big spurt.

Mixed Tone In Sugar.

While the tone of the sugar market is very firm and steady in the east and prices have recently advanced for both raw and refined, the Pacific Coast situation is far from being in a good position. With three refineries now bidding for the trade of the Pacific states as compared with one a few years ago, prices can not be made and unmade at the whim of one party. The fact that the Honolulu Plantation company has recently completed one of the best sugar refineries, puts that concern in the front ranks as far as price making is concerned. A little more than a year ago the Plantation company made an effort to secure a foothold on the coast but without the proper representation its efforts were futile. Now it's business on the coast is being looked after by one of the larger brokerage firms in the west and already it is making itself felt in sugar circles. While the sugar market naturally tends toward a higher range of values owing to the sharp improvement in eastern values, there's no telling what may develop in the Pacific situation overnight.

Prune Market Holding Steady.

Recent attempts to "corner" the prune crop of California and thereby control prices on the Pacific coast have proven failures for the reason that Oregon has too great a crop and was not even considered by the parties manipulating the "corner." While prunes are moving somewhat better here, prices are far from satisfactory as compared with the ones that ruled previous to the financial flurry.

New York advices state that a prominent San Jose packer writes his local correspondent as follows: "The prune situation at this end is as follows: California has on hand about 15,000,000 or 17,000,000 pounds in the Santa Clara valley. Last year, during the month of December we shipped 18,000,000 pounds and during the spring months, 9,000,000 pounds more. Up to the present time we have not shipped into the eastern markets one half the amount we shipped last year up to December 1. The stocks carried on hand through the country will be less than ever known on January 1, therefore we think there will be a heavy demand and a stiffening of prices within the next 30 days, and I would advise you to get in, as you cannot possibly lose. We cannot state anything in regard to next year's crop of prunes at the present time, but should the 'drip' be as bad as increase proportionately over last year and the year before, it will affect the growing crop very materially. Our prices on peaches are 10¼ for choice, 11c for extra choice and 11½ for fancy."

Oregon Eggs at 30 Cents Dozen.

While in some quarters a fractional advance is sometimes asked over 30c for strictly fresh local eggs, most of the sales are being made at that figure. It is stated that one local house has been offering northern people eggs at this figure. Receipts are decreasing and this may help to cause improved buying but no great advances are at present expected in the price because of the enormous supplies of eastern which are being offered 10c under the local product.

Chickens remain dull with dealers offering 12c for live stock. Turkeys are not wanted at all and arrivals for the last few days are still being held by receivers.

Smelt Lower, Run Larger.

About 3,000 pounds of smelt were caught by gillnetters on the lower river yesterday. The fish were received here this morning and were sold at 6c a pound on account of the better supplies.

But a small amount of steelhead salmon is now arriving and the fresh product is therefore quoted very stiff at 11c a pound.

Dressed meats remain in very good request because of the smaller supplies than demand.

Brief Notes of the Trade.

Selling of hops continues heavy at country points with most transactions between 5½ and 6c a pound. But a few above that figure. W. R. Scheurer of Butteville was in the city today and stated that local buyers were paying full limits as only about 6c net could be obtained by shipping abroad.

Creamery butter market is holding its own; two creameries retaining the high figures. On account of the advances in the east and the generally better feeling there, local holders are not so weak in their views.

Changed values will be noted in sack vegetables today.

Apple movement continues to increase but values are holding stationary.

Rice markets are gaining firmness everywhere but trade was not very brisk during the past week. So say east trade journals.

Front street sells at following prices. Prices paid producers are less regular commissions:

Grain, Flower and Feed.

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

WHEAT—Track prices—Club, 83@84c; red Russian, 81@82c; bluestem, 85@86c; valley, 84c.

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 $27 per ton; gray, $26@26.50.

FLOUR—Eastern Oregon patents, $4.95; straights, $4.50; exports, $3.90; valley, $4.30@4.50; graham, ½s, $4.50; whole wheat, $4.75; rye, 5vs, $5.50; bales, $3

MILL STUFFS—Nominal—Bran, $23 ton; middlings, $29; shorts, country, $27; city, $26; chop, $17@21.

HAY—Producers' price —Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy $15; ordinary, $11; eastern Oregon, $17; mixed, $10@$10.50; clover, $10@12; grain, $10@11; cheat, $10@12.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—F. o. b. Portland—sweet cream, 36c; sour, 34c.

BUTTER—Extra fancy creamery 37½c; fancy, 35c; second, 32½c; storage, 30c; store, 20c.

EGGS — Extra fancy, candled, 30@ ; eastern storage, 20c@23½c doz.

CHEESE— New — Full cream, flats, c per lb; Young Americans, 17c per

POULTRY — Mixed chickens, 12c per pound; fancy hens 12@12½c per lb; roosters, old, 11c; fryers, 12½c lb; broilers, 12½c lb; ducks, 15c geese, 11c per lb; turkeys, alive, 15c lb; dressed, 18@19c; lb; squabs, $2.50 doz; pigeons, $1.25 doz.; dressed poultry, 1@ c per lb higher; wild geese, $4@5 doz.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—1907 crop, first prime, 6¼@7c; prime, 6c; medium to prime, 5½c; medium, 5c lb; 1906 crop, 2@3c lb.

WOOL—1907 clip—Valley, 16@18c; eastern Oregon, 12½@18c.

MOHAIR—29@29½c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 12@13c lb; green, 5c; calves, green, 5@7c; kips, 5c; bulls, green salt, 3@4c lb

SHEEPSKINS — Shearing, 15c@20c each; short wool, 25c@40c; medium wool, 50c@$1 each; long wool, 75c@$1.25 each.

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

CHITTIM BARK—5c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES — Fancy, 60@75c selling; buying, white, 50@60c per cwt; sweets, 3c per lb.

ONIONS — Jobbing price—$2@2.50; buying, spot, $1.85, garlic, 7c lb.

APPLES—Select, $1.75@$2.00; fancy $1.50; choice, $1.@$1.25; ordinary, 90c@$1.00

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, new $2@$2.75; bananas, 5c lb; lemons, $3@4.50; box; limes, Mexican (——) per 100; pineapples, $4@4.50 dozen; pears, fancy, $1.50@1.75; ordinary, $1 a box; tangerines, $1.50 a box; Jap oranges, 50c a box; persimmons, $1.75.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new, 50@60c, sack; carrots, 50c per sack; beets, 65@75c per sack; parsnips, 85c@$1; cabbage, 85c@$1; tomatoes, California, $2.25; beans, 17c; cauliflower, $1.10@$1.20 doz; peas, 10c; horseradish, 8c lb; artichokes, $1@1.10 doz; green onions, 15c dozen; peppers, 17c; hothouse lettuce, $1.00@$1.75 box; cucumbers, hothouse, $1.50 box; radishes, 15c doz. bunches; eggplant, 15c lb; celery, 75c@85c; cranberries, eastern, $10@11.50; sprouts, 8c per lb.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California and Hawaiian—Cube, $5.95; powdered, $5.80; berry, $5.60; dry granulated, $5.60; XXX granulated, $5.40; conf. A, $5.60; extra B, $5.10; golden G, $5.00; D, yellow, $4.90; beet granulated, $5.40; 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, $15.86@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 to; 50-lb rock, $12.50; 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@5⅝c; New Orleans, head, 7c; Ajax, 5c; Creole, 5⅝c.

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

NUTS—Peanuts, Jumbo, 6½c per lb; Virginia, 6c per lb; roasted, 8c per lb; Japanese, 5⅝@6c; roasted, 7@9c per lb; walnuts, California, 16c per lb; pine nuts, 15c per lb; hickory nuts, 10c per lb; brazil nuts, 15c per lb; filberts, 15c per lb; fancy pecans, 16@20c per lb; almonds, 16c.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

FRESH MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 7½@8c per lb; large, 7½c per lb; veal, extra, 9½c lb; ordinary, 8½@9c per lb; heavy, 6@7½c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@9c per lb.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs., 12½c per lb; 14 to 16 lbs., 12½c per lb; 18 to 20 lbs., 12½c; breakfast bacon, 15½@22½c per lb; picnics, 9c per lb; cottage roll, 10c per lb; regular short clears, smoked, 11¼c per lb; unsmoked, 10¾c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 10¾c; smoked, 11¾c; Union butts, 10 to 13c lbs., unsmoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 13c per lb; clear bellies, unsmoked, 12½c per lb; smoked, 13½c per lb; shoulders, 10c; per lb; pickled tongues, 7ec each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 12½c per lb; 5s, 12⅝c per lb; 50-lb. tins, 12c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 11½c per lb; 5s, 11⅝c per lb; compound, 10s, 8¼c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 12½c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 9c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, chinook, 18c; ordinary fresh, 10@11c per lb; frozen, 9c; herrings, 5c lb; soles, 7c lb; shrimps, 10c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomcod, 11c 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; Columbia smelt, 6c; black cod, 7½c lb; crabs, $1.00@1.50 dozen.

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, 60c 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, 12¼c; sisal, 10¼c.

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

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

BENZINE—86 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 $3.20.

DULLNESS SUCCEEDS A SPURT IN ONIONS

Onion market has again lapsed back into dullness with the high buying prices withdrawn by those who have been boosting. At country shipping points dealers are not offering more than $1.85 and they say this is the extreme top they can afford because of the reaction in the south.

Potatoes are likewise duller in California because of the large supplies brought forth by the spurting values. Prices here unchanged with buyers still paying 50c and 60c for shipping stock.

CATTLE DEMAND IS SHOWING DULLNESS

Killers Are Bringing in Their Own Supplies Just at Present.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	...	127	...
1907	252	208	472
1906	...	200	160
1905	150	...	370

Portland Union Stockyards, Jan. 14.—There has suddenly appeared considerable dullness in the local cattle situation. This is due to the fact that most of the killers are now bringing in their own supplies. Until these supplies are exhausted their wants in the open market are likely to be nominal and this will keep the market small.

No hogs came in during the 24 hours and that market is dull, although the want of packers is quite heavy. Prices remain as previously quoted.

Sheep market is firm with no arrivals for the day. The market holds at the advance of 10c quoted yesterday.

A year ago today all lines were firm at unchanged values.

Official yard prices:

Hogs—Best eastern Oregon, $5.25@5.50; China fats, $5.00.

Cattle—Best eastern Oregon steers, $4.25; best cows and heifers, $3.25; bulls, $1.75@2.00.

Sheep — Best wethers, $5.00@5.10; mixed and best ewes, $4.50; lambs, $5.00@5.10.

LOCAL WHEAT A CENT HIGHER

Market Advances a Notch Despite the Lower Price in Liverpool Today.

While prices for wheat are lower abroad, Pacific northwest buyers are paying an advance of 1c a bushel today and the market here is firm at the new figure.

Sales of wheat to Europe are increasing and despite the loss in price abroad today, Portland remains on an export-working basis. In the interior there has been a gradual revival of wheat selling. At this time the movement is greater than at any period of the present season, except perhaps the first week or two.

Prices at the moment are within a few cents of the top reached just previous to the financial flurry and producers seem quite willing to let go. Export agents and millers doing an export wheat business are practically the only purchasers at this time. Millers who do only a milling business, are out of the market. They are making no offers one way or another. Some of them say they would likely buy if a lower range of values was shown, but this latter is impossible just now because of the foreign business.

Trade in the export flour market continues at a standstill with quotations rigidly maintained by the milling trade of the north coast. Flour sellers agree that with the present standing of the wheat market there is not the slightest possibility of any change in export flour values. All believe that the present level is the bottom mark and that if the orient is holding off in order to get lower values, the buyers on the other side are badly mistaken.

With absolutely no supplies of millfeeds available in any portion of the Pacific northwest; that market is still quoted with nominal quotations. Demand for oats and barley is increasing but quotations, beyond being stiffer, are unchanged from yesterday.

WEATHER CONDITIONS FAVORING THE WHEAT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

La Crosse, Wash., Jan. 14.—Weather conditions that have prevailed throughout the winter months have been exceedingly favorable for stockmen in this locality. No hay has been fed as yet, the late grass was exceedingly fine this year on account of the early rains.

Winter wheat throughout this district never looked better, the late rains giving it a splendid start, and it is so well rooted that it would take very severe weather to injure it. So far no damage has been done to fall sown grain in this part of Whitman county.

Northwest Crop Weather.

Western Oregon and Western Washington—Fair and slightly colder tonight; Wednesday, occasional rain, northeast winds.

Eastern Oregon and southern Idaho—Rain or snow tonight; Wednesday probably fair.

Eastern Washington and northern Idaho—Fair and slightly colder tonight; Wednesday fair.

World's Grain Visible.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Grain visible:

	Today. Bushels.	Decrease. Bushels.
Wheat	47,881,000	600,000
Corn	4,771,000	*289,000

*Increase.

Liverpool Wheat Lower.

Liverpool, Jan. 14.—May wheat opened 8s, closed 7s 11⅝d, ¾d under yesterday.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

Tacoma, Jan. 14.—Wheat: club 83c, bluestem, 85c.

SPOKANE MINING EXCHANGE.

Sales Are Small and Prices Show but Little Change Today.

(Furnished by Downing-Hopkins Co., members Spokane Mining Exchange.)

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 14. — Official prices today:

	Bid.	Ask.
Ajax	6	11
Alameda	3½	5
Alhambra	5	7
Alberta Coal & Coke	29	35
Bell	2	8
Bullion	3	6
Chas. Dickens	6	9
Canadian Cons. Smelters	70	80
Copper King	2⅝	2⅞
Dominion Copper	175	225
Evolution	1⅞	2½
Echo	1	2¼
Galbraith Coal	24	28
Gertie	3	3½
Hecla	250	350
Happy Day	1¾	3
Holden G. & C.	3	6
Humming Bird	2	7
Hypotheek	1⅝	1¾
Idaho Giant	5¼	6½
Intl. Coal & Coke	80	84
Kendall	85	100
Lucky Calumet	12½	31
Missoula Copper	6⅞	8
Mineral Farm	½	1½
Moonlight	2½	4
Nabob	4⅛	4¼
Nine Mile	1	1½
O. K. Cons	1	3
Oom Paul	5¼	6¾
Panhandle Smelt	3¾	4
Park Copper	1	2¼
Rambler Cariboo	23⅞	24½
Reindeer	1¼	3
Rex (16 to 1)	16⅛	17½
Sonora	½	2
Snowshoe	126	127
Sullivan	6	6½
Sullivan Bonds	55	....
Stewart	75	95
Tamarack & Ches	60	1

Sales today are: 1,000 Nabob at 4⅛c; 100 Snowstom at $1.28; 200 Snowstorm at $1.27.

Northwest Bank Statement.

PORTLAND.

Clearings today	$ 999,253.05
Year ago	1,209,487.40
Balances today	112,291.45
Year ago	239,708.33

SEATTLE.

Clearings	$1,393,847.00
Balances	97,659.00

TACOMA.

Clearings	$ 604,263.00
Balances	21,244.00

NEW OFFICERS OF NEWBERG G. A. R.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Newberg, Or., Jan. 14.—Shiloh post No. 77, G. A. R., has installed the following officers, with William Clemens as installing officer: Commander, R. B. Linville; senior vice commander, B. S. Hunter; junior vice commander, A. Bartholmew; adjutant, T. Brouillette; officer of the day, J. W. Douglas; chaplain, J. R. Finley; quartermaster, G. W. Allen; officer of the guard, C. A. Dixon; color bearer, F. C. Mills; sergeant major, B. R. Bass; quartermaster sergeant, E. R. Horton; delegates to the state encampment, George Sykes, B. S. Hunter and N. E. Britt.

Preceding the installing ceremony a banquet was spread by the members of the W. R. C.

CHICAGO WHEAT RANGES HIGHER

Market Closes 1-4 to 3-8 Advanced Even Though Foreigners Were Bearish.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

	Open.	Close.	Jan. 13.	Gain.
May	104⅛	104⅝	104½	⅛
July	98⅝	99	98⅝	⅜

Chicago, Jan. 14.—The wheat market opened a shade higher to a fraction lower and closed ⅛ to ⅜ above the final figures of yesterday. Liverpool started ⅜d under yesterday and lost an additional ⅜d before the session closed. News was of a mixed character, but was slightly inclined to the bull side. This caused a covering of shorts.

Wheat advance imparted some strength to the trading in the other pits today and all values closed higher. There was an advance of ½c to ⅝c at the close today in corn prices and ⅛c to ⅜c in oats, as compared with yesterday. Provisions were inclined toward the bull side, a smaller run of hogs than anticipated putting up the price of January pork to 1362, as compared with 1352 yesterday.

Range by Downing-Hopkins Co.:

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	104⅛	105⅛	104¼	104⅝
July	98⅝	99⅛	98⅝	99

CORN.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	59⅝	60⅞	59¾	60⅝
July	58⅝	59⅝	58⅝	59⅝

OATS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	52*	52⅝	52	52⅝
July	45½	46	45½	46

MESS PORK.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1350	1362	1345	1362

STRONG TONE RULES STOCKS

New York Central Advances 3 1-4 Points While Other Issues Gain.

New York, Jan. 14.—A strong tone ruled in the stock market today after the opening and values closed several points higher in a few of the leading issues. There was a rise of 1 point in Amalgamated and 1⅛ points in American Sugar Refining. Louisville & Nashville made a net gain of 2 points over yesterday's final. Canadian Pacific was hammered to the tone of 1½ points, but New York Central advanced about 3¼ points on investment buying. Union Pacific was ⅜ and Southern Pacific the same amount higher. Steel common advanced nearly a point.

Range by Downing-Hopkins company:

DESCRIPTION.	Open...	High...	Low...	Closing Bid...
Amal. Copper	53	53⅝	52	53⅝
Am. Sugar, c.	112⅝	113⅝	111¼	113⅝
Am. Smelter	77¾	78⅝	76⅝	78¼
Am. Cotton Oil	34¼	....	....	....
Anaconda M. Co.	32⅝	33⅝	32½	33¼
Atchison, c.	73¼	74½	72⅞	74
Balt. & Ohio	89¼	90½	89	90¼
Brooklyn R. T.	43⅝	43¾	42⅝	43½
Cana. Pacific, c.	152½	152¾	151½	152
C., M. & St. P.	115⅝	116⅝	115	115⅞
Ches. & Ohio	32	32½	31⅞	32½
Colo. Fuel, c.	21⅝	21⅞	21¼	21⅝
Erie, c.	16⅝	16⅝	15⅝	16⅝
Am. Locomotive	41	....	....	....
Louis. & Nash.	99½	102	99	101
Missouri Pacific	45½	46	45	45⅞
N. Y. Central	99	103¼	99	102⅞
North. Pac., c.	123¾	124⅛	122¼	124
Ont. & Western	35⅛	....	....	....
Penns. Ry.	114⅝	116¾	113⅞	116⅜
People's Gas	88¼	89	88⅛	89
Reading Ry., c.	107	108½	106⅝	108⅝
Rock Island, c.	15	15⅝	15	15⅝
So. Pacific, c.	75½	76⅝	75¼	76⅞
So. Railway, c.	11⅛	11⅛	10⅞	11⅛
Union Pacific, c.	125⅝	126⅝	124⅜	126⅛
U. S. Steel, c.	27⅞	30⅝	29⅝	30⅛
do pfd	94⅞	95⅝	94⅝	95⅛
Wabash, pfd	18	....	....	....
G. N., pfd	123⅝	124⅜	122⅝	124

Call money opened at 4½; high, 4½; low, 3½, and closed at 3 and 4.

Total sales, 958,000 shares.

JACK ROGERS HEADS SALEM STATE BANK

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Salem, Jan. 14.—When the Salem State bank opened its doors this morning it was a new corporation, entitled the United States National bank of Salem, with a capital stock of $100,000 instead of $50,000, its capital for the past three years.

It was the first of four state banks organized in the Willamette valley in the past five years and has been a very prosperous institution. The president of the new bank is J. P. Rogers and the other principal stockholders are: George Eyre, D. W. Eyre, E. Hazard, Scott Page, John Ferguson and C. A. H. Fischer.

RAPID WORK.

Developing and Printing Pictures for Cinematograph Displays.

From the London Daily Mail.

As regards the rapidity with which daily events can be photographed and shown within an hour or two to the general public, the following account of the arrangements made for the grand national 1907 race will suffice to give some idea of this. Six taking machines were at work on different points of the racecourse and a special van was in readiness for the films to be developed while en route for London. The moment the race was over the train started, and while running full speed homeward the operators were hard at work developing. Indeed not only were the films developed but they were washed and dried on a special mechanical drum.

On arrival a motor car in waiting carried the film quickly to the printing establishment, where 520 feet of it was printed on to the positive film. As soon as this was dried it was rushed off to the Alhambra, Empire and Oxford theatres and shown to an almost incredulous audience. When the final cup tie was played at the Crystal Palace a motor car drove the film to London, and within three hours a cinematograph display of the match was given.

The royal wedding, which took place recently at Wood Norton was another occasion on which remarkable celerity was displayed by the energetic cinematographers. The bridegroom and the procession were photographed with apparatus which had been perfectly adjusted beforehand. The moment the necessary photographs were secured the films were rushed through at breakneck speed, and, as is well known, the wedding ceremony was shown to Londoners on the evening of the same day.

LUCAS WANTS TO SNARE PORTLAND

Northwest League President Anxious to See McCredies Join Circuit.

"My candid opinion is that Portland would make barrels of money and be a big drawing card in the Northwest league, its natural place, and Helena, Montana, stands ready to come into the league if Portland does, and the fans everywhere want to see Portland come within the fold, and (he stops for breath) there is a lot more I could tell but it would be giving away league secrets."

This is the way W. H. Lucas, president of the Northwest league, delivered himself after he had fallen into the Rose City and scrawled his name on the Hotel Oregon register as a resident of Spokane. Lucas was all smiles and greeted the reporters with "Howde, boys, glad to see you all."

President Lucas gave out the modest information that he had left all baseball cares behind and had entered Oregon territory for the purpose of visiting his brother, Fred Lucas, and his sister, Mrs. Randall, who reside near Fulton station.

But with a little jollying Mr. Lucas loosened up after the following fashion:

"Everybody is feeling good in the northwest and every club made money during the season. In fact we are feeling so good that we want Portland to join our circuit. It is the natural place for Portland and I am sure that the McCredies would be better off financially for the change. I've talked with a few people already and those I have seen say there are no days like the old ones when Portland traveled over the northwest.

Offer Was Bonafide.

"That offer of the northwest league to take over the Portland franchise was no josh, even though the Pacific coast magnates were inclined to regard it as such. Mr. Dugdale made the offer on behalf of the league, being chairman of the circuit committee. It was bonafide and we stand ready to back up our offer. I don't know what the Portland club is worth, because I have never seen a sample of the crowds.

"Seattle made a lot of money last year and even the Vancouver club, which had a disastrous season from a playing standpoint, came out ahead. I feel certain that Vancouver capital will back the new team in the northwest league, regardless of the efforts of the present owners of the franchise in that city to dispose of it. However, there are a number of American cities that want to bid for the franchise and it will be quickly gobbled up unless the Canadians get busy.

"What they need across the line is a good manager who can get the work out of the men and size up the players for what they are worth. Vancouver let go a number of men who were signed by other northwest clubs and finished the season in great style. Slim Nelson, who signed with Tacoma after he was released by Vancouver, was the best example of the inability rightly to judge the players.

"But tell the people I am not down here to talk baseball. I came down here to visit with my relatives in Portland and near Fulton, and shall return to Spokane in a few days.

"Russ Hall is unusually jubilant over the financial success of the Butte team, and tucked away about $5,000 in his pistol pocket. Butte has been so popular with the fans that Helena wants to become likewise. Helena would be a splendid addition and the fans there say they will keep knocking at the door until Portland relents and consents to join us, when they will be taken in too. An eight-club league is always better than a six-club league."

ROBBERS GIVE VICTIM MONEY FOR ONE MEAL

Declare They Are Not Regulars, But Plunder From Lack of Emploment.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Palo Alto, Jan. 14.—Footpads are busy here again, and as commuters seem to be their special prey, those who travel to and from on trains to San Francisco are providing themselves with weapons for self-defense of various styles and size.

George B. Bramhall, a commuter in the employ of the Southern Pacific, residing at Webster street and Lowell avenue in south Palo Alto was held up by two footpads near the junction of Waverly street and Kingsley avenue. One of the men drew a bead on Bramhall with a gun and forced him to a dark part of the street, where the other robber went through Bramhall's clothes. The spoil consisted of $4 in silver, commutation ticket and watch. The men said they were not regular "holdupmen," but that they were hungry and out of work. They returned the ticket and watch to Bramhall and then asked their victim if he was hungry. On Bramhall's suggestion that they might leave him the price of a meal, they politely returned him a dollar.

NEWBERG WOODMEN LODGES INSTALL

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Newberg, Or., Jan. 14.—The officers of the Woodmen camp and circle of Newberg were installed last night, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The officers of the circle, installed by Adelina Linville, are as follows: Past guardian, Josephine Bradley; guardian, Malinda Gilbert; advisor, Glee Neater; banker, Ollie Stratton; clerk, Pearl Cummings; attendant, Bina Nash; musician, Verona Nelson; magician, Emma Ehret; manager, Mary E. Moore; inner sentinel, Amy Neater; outer sentinel, Ernest Neater.

General Organizer Day then installed the officers of camp No. 113, as follows: Consul, W. S. Mills; advisor, William Hester; banker, C. F. Butler; clerk, Dan Gilbert; escort, S. Timberlake; manager, M. F. Byers; watchman, H. Ehret; sentry, J. M. A. Heston.

After the installation a supper was served. Organizer Day addressed the meeting, submitting the plan of campaign for Yamhill county, and the following Neighbors were appointed to act with the other camps: Dan Gilbert, M. F. Byers and E. Neater.

Indiana Booming Fairbanks.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 14—The Republicans of the 13 congressional districts of Indiana met today to elect their members of the state central committee. The new members will meet in this city Thursday to organize and to select a campaign chairman. James P. Goodrich, chairman in the last three campaigns, will be chosen without opposition. He is the choice of Vice-President Fairbanks, and the committee will be reorganized in the interest of Mr. Fairbanks' candidacy for the presidency.

Boise Back to Cash Basis.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Boise, Idaho, Jan. 14.—The Boise Clearing-House association will meet tomorrow and do away with the clearing-house certificates and thereafter settle with each other on a cash basis. Cashiers' checks have already been practically retired and the banks are now pouring their cash into business channels.

PLAN CAMPAIGN AGAINST HAZING

Washington State Grange Enters Protest on Information From Pullman.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Pullman, Wash., Jan. 14.—"Scores of brilliant, promising young men are annually being killed or crippled in this country, and as taxpayers and supporters of higher education, we demand that every reasonable safeguard be thrown about the students, so that our boys shall not fall under the baneful influence of these unscrupulous 'ringleaders' devoid of conscience and reason."

The above is quoted from a circular addressed to the subordinate granges of Washington, which is dated from Washougal, Washington, a copy of which has just been received by Professor O. L. Waller, acting president of the State college.

The circular further enjoins all subordinate granges to pass resolutions condemning hazing, and to forward the resolutions to the state grange before its next annual meeting, so that definite action may be taken at that time.

In the circular, the secretaries of the subordinate granges are asked to write personal letters to the faculty of the Washington State college, giving information of the intended action, and inviting the faculty to cooperate with the grange in the efforts to put a stop to hazing.

"The cause of all this stir is that in some way the grange has been informed that hazing was rampant at the State college. How, I cannot imagine, for I do not think such reports have been sent out through the newspapers. The activity of the grange in this matter is certainly to be commended, for hazing is the most despicable of practices; but it certainly seems unusual under the circumstances, for 'hazing' at the State college is a thing that I have not heard of. If you call it 'hazing' to spill a pitcher of water on a man as he pokes his head out of a window of the boys' dormitory, or tipping up the side of his bedstead when he is asleep, then I presume there have been a few instances of hazing at the college. But never in the history of the institution has there been a case of hazing as serious as the action of the grange would imply, and it is a puzzle to every student of the State college, and the faculty, how such reports were started."

This statement was made by Harry E. Goldsworthy, president of the students' assembly of the State college. He continued:

"It is certainly pleasing to know that the state grange is as much interested in the affairs of the State college, and the educational welfare of the boys and girls of the state, as this circular recently addressed to Professor Waller would indicate. We will take prompt action. A meeting of the entire student body will be called at once. Hazing is not permitted at the State college, and if it is now being carried on without our knowledge, which I do not believe, we will take care of the 'ringleaders' in a way that will put a stop to their aspirations in this line. I think that at the students' assembly meeting we will indorse resolutions, declaring in unmistakable terms the attitude of the students and faculty of the college as being opposed to hazing. Then we will send copies of these resolutions to every subordinate grange in the state, and to the state grange when it meets."

REMARKS ON WHISKEY MAKE SOLONS LAUGH

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Washington, Jan. 14.—Senator Clay, of Georgia, today introduced a resolution calling on the judiciary committee to report a bill immediately making it illegal to ship whiskey from a "wet" state into a "dry" state.

He asked unanimous consent for the immediate passage of his resolution. Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, objected.

"Every member of this body knows," he said, "that the judiciary committee has just been filled up during the Christmas holiday and is in no condition to take up this question at present."

This remark, greeted with a shout of laughter, led the senator to hastily explain that he meant the committee organization had just been completed.

Hunting Members.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Pendleton, Or., Jan. 14.—Four fraternal orders are now conducting vigorous membership campaigns in this city, namely, the Eagles, Woodmen of the World, Modern Woodmen of America and the Fraternal Brotherhood. All four orders have organizers here and metings are being held regularly with great interest. Pendleton now has 25 fraternal organizations and is considered one of the best lodge towns in the northwest.

West Indian Conference.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Bridgetown, Barbados, Jan. 14.—Representatives of the various West India colonies assembled here today for a conference to consider agricultural and other matters of general concern. Two representatives of the dominion government are here to bring before the conference the question of closer trade relations between Canada and the West India colonies.

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WEATHER REPORT

A disturbance of decided character has developed over California and this morning heavy rains are reported from that state, with light snow over the adjoining state of Nevada. The depression noted over British Columbia yesterday has moved rapidly eastward and this morning is central over Manitoba. Light rains west of the Cascade range and rain and snow east of the mountains have attended the eastward course of this disturbance. Temperatures over the eastern slope of the Rocky mountains have risen decidedly since yesterday. An extensive high area covers the lower Mississippi valley and clear skies prevail this morning over the southern portion of the country from the Rocky mountains eastward to the Atlantic coast. The storm off New England yesterday is rapidly passing beyond the range of observation. Temperatures over the middle Atlantic and New England states have undergone a marked fall since yesterday.

The conditions are rather unsettled this morning, but indications point to fair and slightly colder weather over western Oregon and western Washington tonight, with occasional rain Wednesday. Over eastern Oregon and southern Idaho rain or snow is expected tonight, while over eastern Washington and northern Idaho it will probably be fair and slightly colder. Wednesday the weather will probably be fair over those sections.

	Temp. Max.	Temp. Min.	Precip.
Boston, Mass.	48	30	.0
Chicago, Ill.	30	20	.0
Cincinnati, Ohio	32	26	.04
Denver, Colo.	46	28	.0
Detroit, Mich.	28	16	.0
Kansas City, Mo.	40	24	.0
Los Angeles, Cal.	72	52	.70
New Orleans, La.	52	38	.0
Omaha, Neb.	34	12	.0
Philadelphia, Pa.	48	26	.0
Phoenix, Ariz.	66	48	.06
Pittsburg, Pa.	36	22	.0
Portland, Or.	43	40	.16
St. Louis, Mo.	30	20	.0
St. Paul, Minn.	28	16	.0
Salt Lake, Utah	42	30	T.
Seattle, Wash.	44	42	.40
Washington, D. C.	44	30	.0

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Della Taylor Swinney to Clyde Morgan Swinney, undivided ½ of west ½ of lots 5 and 6, block 11, Sellwood	$ 10
H. J. and Minnie L. Miller to Fred L. Stocks, lot 7, Essex Park	750
J. R. and Agnes Selleck to J. B. Smith, undivided ½ of lot 17, block 3, Firland	1,200
Herman Metzger, trustee, et al. to Frank A. Lundell, lots 11 and 12, block 9, Reservoir Park	260
E. W. Owens to Jennie Owens, lot 8, block 14, Stansberry's addition	125
O. E. and Mary E. Leet to Jennie Owens, lot 7, block 14, Stansberry's addition	125
Firland Co. to George A. and Erna E. Ross, lot 11, block 7, Firland	200
Portland Realty & Trust Co. to Erik and Lizzie Larson, lots 7 and 8, block 5, Evelyn	330
F. H. and Charlotte Woodman to Caroline Grant, beginning at stake 60 feet east of southeast corner of block 22, Tibbetts' addition, thence east 60 feet, thence north 60 feet, thence south 60 feet to beginning	1,400
Herman Metzger, trustee, et al. to Christina M. Herman, lots 17, 18 and 19, block 4, Reservoir Park	450
A. and Dee Myers to W. H. Congdon, 14 acres, commencing at rod at intersection of center of Damascus road with south line of section 10, township 1 south, range 3 east	2,500
John and Anna Green to Jerdine F. Wood, lot 1, and west ½ of lot 2, block 56, Sunnyside	1,375
Casper N. and Harriet E. Brasch to Oscar Boden, lots 3 to 15 inclusive, block 1; lots 1, 11, 12 and 15, and part of lot 2, block 2, Brasch addition to St. Johns	12,000