WORLD'S MARKETS TODAY

BUTTER MARKET GLIDES UPWARD

Even Price Is Being Quoted by Most Makers—Supplies Very Short.

Portland wholesale markets:
Creamery butter advanced.
Egg market is stiffer.
Higher price in chickens.
Peach market is steadier.
Tomato market glutted.
Dressed meats are steady.
Hop sales are reported.

Creamery Butter Is Advanced.

An advance of 1c a pound is quoted in the price of creamery butter today by most local makers and it is likely that all brands will be quoted at the higher figure tomorrow morning. Best creamery is today quoted at 32½c a pound by all but two makers here and they are quoted at 31½c. One creamery is quoting 34c a pound and the manager states his ability to get it for every pound of butter he has. This shows the real strength of the market. Outside butter is quoted generally firm although no change in prices is quoted for the day. It is believed, however, all will sell at the higher figure during the week. While the shortage in cream is the real cause of today's advance in prices, the fact that the former price was an odd one to either buy or sell at had some influence toward changing values. In this market the trade has become accustomed to buying and selling on the basis of so much a square, so if the price is not in even money per two-pound package, some one is losing money. It was to correct this that some of the makers put up their price to 32½c this morning.

Egg Market Is Stiffer.

While not all sellers are getting 30c for their best eggs along Front street today, the market is firmer with the low point for good quality at 29c. Receipts of eggs are showing considerable decrease and with higher markets everywhere else it is natural for advanced figures to rule here.

Chicken Market Is Higher.

A higher range of values is noted today in the chicken market. While receipts were fair during the latter part of last week, the demand is showing considerable increase and this is taking care of everything that comes. Some Front street handlers are not satisfied with present quotations and are holding over their supplies in anticipation of a further advance. The holding of the horse show here during the week and the coming of Jewish holidays will cause an increased call for poultry supplies.

Hop Sales Are Reported.

While there is little reported in the spot hop market at this time, a few transactions are being made. The American Hop & Barley company (Louis Horst) is reported to have purchased 22 bales of prime hops from George Bayne of Salem at 7c a pound Saturday. This shows a somewhat better feeling. While an occasional transaction is reported, the trade will remain quiet until the year's samples reach the buyers. Even then the trade anticipates a slow market.

Tomato Market Is Glutted.

Supplies of tomatoes are so liberal in the local market that prices have dropped very low. In the public market today sales were made this morning around 15c a box and along Front street the better-filled boxes scarcely ranged beyond 25c. The coming of such liberal supplies of tomatoes at this time is somewhat of a surprise to the trade.

Brief Notes of Front Street.

Dressed meat market is steady at last week's prices.

Chittim bark is firmer with nominal transactions.

Peach demand is somewhat steadier with arrivals not quite so liberal. A large lot of eastern Oregon stock came in this morning in excellent though rather ripe condition and was sold under the market.

Concord grapes are selling about 5c a basket lower.

Apple market is very slow. Unusually poor quality is shown among late arrivals, even the associations (from which something better is expected) sending stock in very poor shape.

Cheese market is steady with prices still mixed.

Potatoes and onions are quiet at unchanged values.

Celery supplies are coming in all sorts of condition. Some are of poor quality and the price is ranging from 25c a dozen upward as high as 75c. The latter figure is exceptional.

Front street sells at the following prices. Those paid shippers are less regular commissions:

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER—Extra creamery, 31½@32½c; fancy, 30@31½c; store, 18c.

BUTTER FAT—Delivery f. o. b. Portland—Sweet cream, 31c; sour, 29c per lb.

EGGS—Local, best, 29@30c; ordinary, 28@29c; large lots, 1c less; eastern, 25@27½c; local storage, 24@25c.

POULTRY—Mixed chickens, 12½@13c; hens, 13@13½c; roosters, old, 9c; fryers, 14c; broilers, 14c lb; geese, spring, 10c; turkeys, alive, old, 17@18c; spring, 20c; spring ducks, 13@15c lb; pigeons, squabs, $2@2.50 per doz; old, $1; dressed poultry, 1@1½c pound higher.

CHEESE—Full cream, flats, triplets and daisies, 14½@15c; Young Americas, 15½@16c.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—1908 crop, 6@7c lb.

WOOL—1908—Willamette valley, 13@15c.

SHEEPSKINS — Shearing, 10@15c each; short wool, 25c@40c; medium wool, 50c@$1 each; long wool, 75c@$1.25 each.

MOHAIR—1907—Nominal, 18½@19c.

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

CHITTIM BARK—4@5c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 13@14c lb; green, 6@7c lb; bulls, green salt, 4@5c lb. 6@7c; calves, green, 8@10c; kips,

Grain, Flour and Hay.

WHEAT—Buying price, new—Track, Portland—Club, 89c; bluestem, 94c; fortyfold, 92c; red, 87c; Willamette valley, 90c.

MILLSTUFFS—Selling price—Bran, $26.50; middlings, $33; shorts, $30; chop, $21@29 per ton.

FLOUR—Selling price—Eastern Oregon patent, $4.70; straight, $3.90@$4.40; export, $3.60@3.70; valley, $4.30; graham ¼s, $4.40; whole wheat, $4.65; rye, 5s, $5.50; bales, $3.

BARLEY—Feed, $25@25.50; rolled, $27@28; brewing, $26.

OATS—Track, new—No. 1 white, $29@30; gray, $27.50@28.00.

HAY—Producers' price—New timothy, Willamette valley, fancy, $13@14; ordinary, $12.50; eastern Oregon, $15@16; mixed $10@10.50; clover, $9; grain, $10; cheat, $10; alfalfa, $10@11.

Fruits and Vegetables.

ONIONS—New Oregon, $1.25 per hundred; California, $1.25; garlic, 8c lb.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $4.00@4.50; bananas, 5¼c per lb., crated, 6c; lemons, $4.50@6.25 box; grapefruit, $4@4.50; pineapples, Hawaiian, $2.50@3.00 dozen; cantaloupes, 75c@$1.25; blackberries, $1; peaches, 40@75c; pears, 25c@90c; grapes, 75c@$1.60; watermelons, 85c@$1 cwt; cassabas, $2 doz.

APPLES—New, 50c@$1.25 per box.

POTATOES — New, selling, 90c@$1.15; buying for shipment, per cwt., fancy, 85c; ordinary, 75@85c; sweet, 4@4½c.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new Oregon, $1.25; beets, $1.50; carrots, $1.25@1.50 sack; parsnips, 85c@$1.00; cabbage, $1.75@2.00; tomatoes, 25c per box; beans, 5c; cauliflower, 75@90c; peas, Oregon, 5c; horseradish, 8@10c; artichokes, (—) doz; green onions, 15c per doz; peppers, bell, 5@8c; Chile, (—);

PACKERS TRYING ANOTHER METHOD

Cannot Stop Shipment of Poor Stock by Purchasing It at Good Prices.

Hay Is Very High.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Klamath Falls, Or., Sept. 21.—Growers of alfalfa hay in Klamath county are holding up the price and as a result cattlemen say they cannot afford to buy. Hay is scarce this year and cattle owners are having difficulty in securing hay at prices to enable them to sell at a profit.

H. V. Mitchell has just purchased 1,200 tons of Shasta valley at $7 per ton, and will feed there, as Klamath county ranchers ask $8 and $8.50 per ton. However, it is thought a price of about $6.50 will be established here, as the cattlemen will feed elsewhere, and leave hay here unsold if the price is not reduced.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	68	55	...
Sat.	152	230	...
1907	258	448	463
1906	...	282	...
1905	100	25	250

Portland Union Stockyards, Sept. 21.—There is practically no change in livestock sentiment over Sunday. Poor stock of all kinds is hard to move while there remains the best sort of demand for finished quality.

Packers and killers have tried their utmost to induce shippers to send a better class of stock to market but without avail thus far and they are now trying the only other method in their power to stop this class of stock reaching the market—offering such low prices for off quality that it is unprofitable to ship.

Latest reports from the interior, however, indicate that it is not entirely a matter of choice with stockmen as to the shipments they are making at this time. The range is so short and hay and feeds so high that few of them are in a position to properly take care of their stock.

A year ago today hogs were easy, cattle firm and sheep very firm. For this day a year ago sheep prices showed an advance of 25c.

Following are the general range of values on stock ruling in the yards for late shipment:

Hogs—Best east of mountains, $7@7.25; ordinary, $6.75@7; blockers and China fats, $6; stockers and feeders, $5.

Cattle—Select east of mountains, steers, $4@4.25; medium steers, $3.50@3.75; ordinary, $3.25@3.50; best cows and heifers, $2.75@3; medium cows, $2@2.25; stags, $2.50@3; bulls, $2.

Sheep—Best wethers, $2.50; ordinary wethers, $3@3.25; lambs, $4; straight ewes, $2.50; mixed lots, $2.50@2.75.

Veal—Choice young calves, $4.50; heavy and rough, $3.50@4.

Yard's Representative Sales.

The following sales are representative of the latest transactions at the yards and show the true market condition:

	Weight.	Price.
2 bulls	3,035	$2.00
11 steers	11,225	3.50
76 Hogs	14,445	6.50

Cattle Showing Advance.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Run:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Chicago	22,000	21,000	33,000
Kansas City	18,000	5,000	10,000
Omaha	2,000	8,000	6,000

Hogs are steady. Left over Saturday, 3,600; receipts year ago, 30,000. Mixed, $6.60@7.40; heavy, $7.05@7.40; rough, $6@6.75; light, $6.60@7.30.

Cattle—Steady; 10c higher.

Sheep—Steady.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

Liverpool, Sept. 21.—Prices:

	Open.	Close.
September	7s 8¾d	7s 8¾d
December	7s 8⅝d	7s 8⅝d
March	7s 7¼d	7s 6¾d

head lettuce, 25@30c doz; cucumbers, local, 15@20c doz; radishes, 15c dozen bunches; celery, 75c; eggplant, 6@8c; green corn, $1.15 sack.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California & Hawaiian Refinery—Cube, $6.40; powdered, $6.25; berry, $6.05; dry granulated, $6.05; XXX granulated, $5.95; conf. A., $6.05; extra B., $5.60; golden G., $6.10; D., yellow, $5.35; beet granulated, $5.85; barrels, 15c; half barrels, 30c; boxes, 55c advance on sack basis.

(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.)

SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, $11 per ton; 50s, $11.50; table, dairy, 50s, $16.50; 10s, $16.00; bales, $2.35; 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.

RICE—Imperial Japan No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5½@5¾c; New Orleans, head, 7⅝c; Ajax, (—); Creole, 5¾c.

HONEY—New, 15c per lb.

BEANS—Small white, $5.10; large white, $4.50; pink, $3.75; bayou, $3.75; Limas, $5.75; Mexican reds, $4.50.

COFFEE—Packagebrands, $16.50.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

HAMS, BACON, ETC—Portland pack (local) hams, 16 to 13 lbs, 17c per lb; breakfast bacon, 15@23½c lb; picnics, 11c lb; cottage roll, 12c lb; regular short clears, smoked, 12½c lb; backs, smoked, 12½c lb; smoked short clears, 13½c; bellies, smoked, 15c lb; shoulders, 12c lb.; pickled tongues, 70c each.

DRESSED MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 7½@8c lb; ordinary, 7c; large, 6c; veal, extra, 8½@9c lb; ordinary, 7@8c lb; heavy, 5@6c lb; mutton, fancy, 7@7½c lb; spring lamb, 7@7½c lb.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 14½c per lb; 5s 14⅝c per lb; 50-lb tins, 14c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 13½c per lb; 5s, 15⅝c per lb; compound, 10s, 8¾c per lb.

FISH — Rock cod, 10c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 6c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 10c per lb; salmon, chinook, 7c; silverside, 6c; herrings, 5c per lb; soles, 7c per lb; shrimp, 12½c lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomcod, 10 per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb; fresh mackerel, (—) lb; crawfish, 20c per dozen; sturgeon (—) per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelts, 6c per lb; black cod, 7½c per lb; crabs, $1.25@1.75 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, $7.00 dozen; eastern in shell, $1.75 per 100.

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

Paints, Coal, Oil, Etc.

ROPE—Pure Manila, 11¾c; standard 11c; sisal, 9¼c; I. R. sisal, 8½c.

BENZINE—86c deg., cases, 19c per gal; iron bbls, 11½c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 73c per gal; wood bbls, 69c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls., 52c; cases, 58c; boiled, bbls., 54c; cases, 60c a gal; lots of 250 gallons, 1c less; oil cake meal, $34 ton.

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

WIRE NAILS—Present basis, $2.55.

MARKET HOLDS FOR THE CASH

Spot Wheat Firm Over Europe and America Today—Chicago Futures Off.

CASH WHEAT IS STRONG.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—While there was a reaction in wheat futures today, the cash situation is strong everywhere and in many instances prices are advanced over Saturday. The Russian situation is the principal factor.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

	Open.	Close.	Sept. 19.	Loss.
Sept.	101	99⅝	100⅝	1
Dec.	101¼	100⅛	101⅝	1½
May	104⅝	103⅝	104¼	⅝

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Foreign markets were the standby of the wheat situation today. The great strength abroad was the sole cause of the advance here at the opening, September and December starting higher but December option was ⅛c lower than Saturday. The close was weak ⅜c to 1½c down.

Had it not been for the advancing tendency abroad, due to the cholera in Russia and the fear that the ports there would be closed to shipping, it is quite likely that a very severe decline in values would have been forced here at the start of trading today. Liverpool opened ⅜d above Saturday and closed with net gains ranging from ⅜d to ¾d above last week's prices. At Paris there was an advance of 10 to 15 centimes. Antwerp closed with a gain of ⅛ after a very strong market. Budapest closed ¼ above Saturday.

The enormous primary movement continues in the northwest and was one of the causes for the heavy short selling and consequent pressure in local wheat values after the opening. Primary movement shows:

Receipts:

	Bushels. Today.	Year ago.
Wheat	2,901,000	1,446,000
Corn	565,000	1,244,000
Shipments:		
Wheat	930,000	1,061,000
Corn	253,000	1,003,000

The American visible shows:

Wheat—Increased 2,872,000 bushels.
Corn—Increased 907,000 bushels.
Oats—Increased 745,000 bushels.

St. Louis cash situation is steady while Kansas City shows unchanged values to a fractional decline. There is an extra good tone to the cash wheat market at Minneapolis.

Cash wheat — No. 2 red, $1.00⅝@1.02¾; No. 2 hard, 98⅝@1.01; No. 1 northern spring, $1.04@1.05.

Range of Chicago prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
Sept.	101	101⅜	99⅛	99⅝
Dec.	101½	102⅝	100¼	100¼
Dec. old.	.....	.....	.....	101
May	104⅝	105¼	103⅝	103⅝
CORN.				
Sept.	77⅝	77⅜	76	76¼ A
Dec.	66½	66⅝	64⅞	64⅞
May	65⅝	65⅝	64¼	64¼
OATS.				
Sept.	48⅝	49	48¼	48½
Dec.	49½	49⅝	48½	48½
May	51½	51⅝	50⅝	50⅝
PORK.				
Oct.	1575	1590	1547	1547
Jan.	1717	1720	1692	1695
May	1710	1712	1690	1690
LARD.				
Oct.	1087	1038	1035	1037
Jan.	1005	1007	992	992
May	1000	1002	992	997
RIBS.				
Oct.	997	1007	992	995
Jan.	897	900	887	887
May	900	910	897	897

OUTSIDE STUFF MAY MEAN SOMETHING GOOD

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Brownsville, Or., Sept. 18.—To the Editor of The Journal—You are going a little too far when you use the term "outside stuff," with reference to creamery butter manufactured outside of Portland. If you would see in what condition the cream is in that is shipped to the creameries in Portland you would rather be inclined to call that "stuff" than anything else. The country creameries are getting the cream in good condition and are making the best grade of butter, so better be careful about using such slang expressions, as they would make the butter stale when it got into market no matter how careful we had been in the making of it. Yours truly,

P. K. MILLER.

The term "outside stuff" is frequently used in markets and market reports to designate creamery butter made outside of Portland. Butter made in Portland is always referred to as "city creamery" no matter how good or bad its quality. There are all sorts of qualities of city-made butter as well as the stock made in creameries outside of the city. The term "outside stuff" is therefore no reference at all to quality.

News Gossip of Finance

New York, Sept. 21. — Government bonds:

	Date.	Bid.	Asked.
Twos, registered	1930	103¾	104
do coupon	1930	104⅛	
Threes, registered	1908	101	101⅝
do coupon	1908	101	101⅝
Threes, small bonds	....	100⅛	.....
Fours, registered	1925	121	121½
do coupon	1925	121½	.....
Twos, Panama	....	102⅝	103½

New York, Sept. 21.—Bar silver, 52c; Mexican dollars, 45c.

London, Sept. 21.—Silver, 24 3-16d.

New York, Sept. 21.—Copper metal ¼c down.

Lake, 13¾@13½c; electrolytic, 13⅛@13¼c; castings, 12¾@13c.

New York, Sept. 21.—Sterling: Cables, 486.60; demand, 485.25@486.35; 60 days, 485.

Washington, Sept. 21.—Today's treasury statement shows: Receipts, $2,444,665; disbursements, $2,296,000.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

(Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.)

Boston, Sept. 21.—Official bid prices:

Adventure	7½	Nippissing	8⅝
Allouez	34½	No. Butte	79¼
Arcadian	3½	East Butte	7
Black Mt.	2½	Old Dom.	39
Copper R.	71	Osceola	105
C. Ely	7⅝	Phoenix	50
Daly West	9	Quincy	89
Granby	100 A	Royale	18
Greene	10	Shannon	14
Giroux	3⅝	Sup. & Pitts.	12⅝
Mass	5⅝	Tamarack	70
Michigan	13⅝	Trinity	15
Mohawk	59	United	10½
Miami	20⅝	Utah M.	41½
Nev. Cons.	14½	Winona	6⅝
Newhouse	5⅝	Yukon	4½
Framplyn	11⅝	U. S. Oil	24⅝

REPORT SALES TO VLADIVOSTOK

Rumor Tells of Business in Flour Which Cannot Be Confirmed Here.

World's Wheat Prices.

	Dec.
Portland	$ .92⅝ B
Chicago	1.01⅛
Minneapolis	1.01½
Duluth	1.01⅜
Winnipeg	.94⅝
Kansas City	.94⅜
St. Louis	1.01⅝
New York	1.10
Liverpool	7s 8⅝d

BOARD OF TRADE RECEIPTS.

	Cars. Barley.	Flour.	Hay.	Oats.	Wheat.
Sept. 21.	16	1	22	16	132
Sept. 19.	3	3	12	18	52
Sept. 18.	5	..	13	18	95
Sept. 17.	8	4	6	6	79
Sept. 16.	7	2	8	9	130
Sept. 15.	4	..	38	9	233

There are various reports around regarding heavy sales of flour to Vladivostok but none of them can be confirmed. It is stated that several sales of quite fair sized lots have been made of late. It is understood that these contracts were made for delivery before the close of navigation there.

Outside of this there are a few sales to China and Japan but most of the flour business is for special brands. However, there is an indication that the orient will soon get back into the market for some flour, as a number of inquiries have lately been received from both China and Japan. It is understood that a certain amount of business with the orient would easily be available providing millers would further shade their values but with the present strong tone to the wheat market, makers are inclined to hold firm.

The spread of cholera in the vicinity of St. Petersburg is having a good effect upon the wheat market everywhere. The indications still point to the closing of the infected ports and for this reason Europe is inclined to look more than ever for wheat from this section. This coupled with the already record-breaking demand would cause strength unknown here heretofore.

Cash oats market is firm but like the cash barley situation, prices are showing no change.

On the board of trade today the usual Monday quiet in bidding was noted and with the exception of prices holding firm and a fractional advance in the bid for December the situation was similar to that of Saturday. Barley and oats futures are unchanged.

Board of trade prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
CLUB WHEAT.				
Sept.	92⅝ B	....	....	92¾ B
Dec.	92⅞ B	93B	92⅞ B	94 A
NO. 1 WHITE OATS.				
Sept.	147½ B	....	....	147½ B
Dec.	149½ B	....	....	149½ B
NO. 1 FEED BARLEY.				
Sept.	128B	....	....	130B

WALL STREET SCARED BY POLITICAL FEARS

Financiers Expect Something to Happen and Offer Securities in Hurry.

STOCK MARKET LOSSES TODAY.

Atchison	1¼	Ill. Central	1⅞
Amalgamated	1⅞	Mo. Pacific	2
A. Smelter	2⅛	Nat. Lead	⅜
B. & O.	1¼	N. Y. Central	⅝
Brooklyn	1⅝	Pennsy.	1⅛
St. Paul	4⅜	Reading	3½
Can. Pac.	2⅜	Rock Is. pfd.	1⅛
Erie	⅜	S. Pacific	3¾
G. Northern	3⅝	U. Pacific	4½
N. Pacific	2⅜	U. S. Steel	1⅝
L. & N.	1⅝	do pfd.	¼

New York, Sept. 21.—Fear that Roosevelt was again going to attack the big corporations in an effort to aid Taft's campaign, and the increasing doubtfulness of the political situation, caused Wall street to go into the market for ready money today. The selling of stocks or offering of them was on a very heavy scale and the most serious declines in values for some time was the result. Outside of the political situation there was no news to affect the market one way or the other today.

Range of New York prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.:

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Cop. Co.	73	73	70⅝	71⅛
Am. C. & F., c.	38⅝	38⅝	37⅝	37⅝
do pfd.				102
Am. Cot. Oil, c.	33½	33¾	33½	33½
Am. Loco., c.	45	45⅞	44⅝	44⅝
Am. Sugar, c.	128½	128½	128½	126¾
Am. Smelt, c.	82½	82⅝	80½	80½
do pfd.	101	101½	100	100½
Anaconda M. Co.	42½	43⅝	42½	42½
Atchison, c.	86½	86⅝	85⅝	85⅞
do pfd.				94¾
B. & O., c.	96	96½	93½	94⅝
do pfd.				86
B. R. T.	49⅛	49⅝	47¾	47½
Can. Pac., c.	170½	170⅝	168	169
C. Leather, c.	25½	25½	24½	24½
C. & G. W., c.	6	6	5⅝	5⅝
C. M. & St. P.	133	133½	129½	129½
C. & N. W., c.	157	157	156	155½
Ches. & Ohio	40	40	39½	39⅝
C. F. & I., c.	32½	32¾	32	32
Colo. Southern, c.	37	37⅝	36⅝	36⅝
Col. South'n 2 p.	57	59⅝	57	57½
do 1st pfd.	65	65½	65	65
Corn Prod. c.	17¼	17⅝	17	16½
do pfd.				74
Del. & Hudson.				162¾
D. & R. G., c.				26
do pfd.				65⅝
Erie, c.	28⅝	29⅝	28⅛	28¼
do 2d pfd.	34	34⅝	34	33½
do 1st pfd.	42	42½	41¾	41½
G. Northern, p.	129¼	129½	125½	125¾
Ill. Central	139	139	136½	136
L. & N.	104½	106	104	104
M. K. & T. c.	30	30	28	28
do pfd.	62½	62½	62	62¼
Distillers	29⅝	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
Ore Lands	56	56½	55¼	55½
Missouri Pacific	52	52	50	50
National Lead	76	79½	75½	76⅝
N. Y. Central	104	104½	103½	103⅝
N. Y., O. & W.	39	39⅝	38½	38½
North American	60	60¼	60	60
North. Pac., c.	135⅝	135⅝	133¼	133¼
Pac. M. St. Co.				24½
Pennsylvania Ry.	131⅛	131⅛	130	130
P. G., L. & C. Co.	94½	94⅝	93½	93¾
Pressed Stl Car, c	30⅝	31	30	29½
do pfd				93
Reading, c	129⅜	130⅛	126¼	126½
Rep. I. & S., c.	21⅝	25	21⅝	21¾
do pfd	79	79	78	78
Rock Island, c.	18	18½	17½	17¼
do pfd	34	34¼	32⅝	33⅝
St. L. & S.F. 2d p				25½
do 1st pfd				41
St. L. & S. W. c				16½
do pfd				44
South. Pac., c.	102¼	103⅜	98⅝	99⅝
do pfd.	117	117½	117	117
Southern Ry., c.	21	21	20¼	21¼
do pfd.	51⅝	51⅝	51	50⅞
Texas & Pacific				23⅛
T., S. L. & W., c.				24
do pfd.	56	56	55½	55
Union Pacific, c.	158	158¼	152⅝	153⅞
do pfd.				84
U. S. Rubber, c.	30	30	28½	28½
do pfd.				96⅝
U. S. Steel Co., c	44¼	44⅛	42⅝	42⅝
do pfd.	107⅝	108⅛	107⅛	107⅛
Wabash, c.				12
Wabash, pfd.	24	24½	24	24
Western U. Tel.	59¼	59⅝	57⅝	57⅝
Wis. Central, c.	26	26⅛	26	26
Wheeling Lake	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Westinghouse	71⅜	71⅜	71	71

Total sales 1,093,200 shares. Money opened 1½, high, 1½; low, 1½; closed 1⅞ per cent.

PRUNE PRODUCTION IS COMING DOWN LIGHT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Monroe, Or., Sept. 21.—Prune picking will begin on Monday in some of the orchards here. Only a small crop is anticipated, the Calvin and Farand orchard on the old McElroy place having about the best yield of any in this vicinity. A few orchards will not have enough prunes to pay for operating the dryer.

The Farand dryer will be fired up on Tuesday morning for about a 12-day run.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS TODAY.

Receipts of produce for the past 24 hours:

General report—160 boxes apples, 17 boxes crabapples, 41 crates berries, 5 barrels crabs, 15 boxes crabs, 66 boxes clams, 1 crate cabbage, 2 boxes cheese, 6 boxes crawfish, 38 crates cantaloupe, 4 crates celery, 5,848 gallons cream, 754 crates grapes, 61 boxes milk, 360 gallons milk, 50 boxes fruit, 4 cars meat, 1 car melons, 96 sacks oysters, 375 sacks onions, 57 boxes prunes, 16 boxes plums, 2,180 boxes peaches, 17 boxes pears, 2 sacks peas, 126 sacks spuds, 5 sacks vegetables, 80 crates tomatoes, 3 boxes shrimps, 3 bales wool, 157 bales hides, 180 boxes butter, 178 coops chickens, 5 coops pigeons, 2 coops turkeys, 109 cases eggs, 37 veal, 66 hogs.

Dairy Business Slow.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Monroe, Or., Sept. 21.—The local dairy business is almost at a standstill on account of the fact that the fields are all dried and millstuffs are too high to make feeding profitable. The producers in this section are drying off their cows and it will not be long until very little cream will be sold from this part of the county. The Corvallis creamery controls the business since it leased the Monroe creamery plant, and now only a weighing and testing station is maintained here.

San Francisco Grain Market.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—Grain market:

Wheat—May, $1.36⅝@1.37⅝; December, $1.62 bid.

Cash wheat—Walla Walla, $1.67½; red, $1.65; turkey red, $1.77½; bluestem, $1.75.

Barley—Cash, bright feed, $1.37¼; brewing, $1.35@1.37½; May, $1.49⅞ bid; December, $1.35⅝.

Millstuffs — Bran, $30; middlings, $33.50; shorts, $32.

Oats—No. 1 white, cash, $1.65.

Northwest Crop Weather.

Oregon—Fair and cooler tonight. Tuesday fair, cooler east portion. Westerly winds.

Washington—Fair tonight and Tuesday, except showers tonight or Tuesday northwest portion; cooler east portion to night. Westerly winds.

Idaho—Fair and cooler tonight and Tuesday.

ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

The British steamer Cambrian King sailed from Astoria this morning bound for Europe with 184,305 bushels of wheat, valued at $174,090.

The Norwegian ship Vigo is expected to finish loading wheat at Irving dock tomorrow after remarkably quick dispatch.

The oriental liner Numantia is loading at the flour mills, but will shift to Albina dock in a couple of days.

Captain Fry has resigned command of the American ship Berlin and left for Seattle this afternoon. The Berlin returned from Bristol Bay, Alaska, a few days ago.

MINISTERS PRAY AT LEGISLATURE

Two Thousand, With 8,000 Laymen, Demonstrate for Temperance.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 21. — More than 2,000 Methodist ministers, having come directly from the adjourned conference at Shelbyville, assembled in the statehouse grounds and in the capitol today and, augmented by at least 8,000 laymen, joined in the most remarkable demonstration ever seen in this state.

The ministers demanded the passage of the local option bills which Governor Hanly is advocating and which were the chief basis for assembling the legislature in extraordinary session.

The governor had promised the legislature that a crowd would be on hand to back up his demands, but he stood at the window of his office today and looked on with amazement, as he had not dreamed of such a demonstration as was made.

After holding a prayer meeting in the grounds and hallways of the statehouse, the preachers thronged the galleries of the senate and assembly and jeered at lawyers alleged to be representing the brewery interests, whom they recognized on the floor.

Members of the legislature were even more amazed than the governor at the demonstration. The preachers announced that they would stay here as long as they deemed it necessary to influence the legislators to pass the temperance bills.

A test vote taken in the senate this afternoon shows that the county local option bill will pass. The bill was reported favorably after a fight in the house and senate committees. The success of this bill is believed to be the step next to state-wide prohibition. The Democratic members declare themselves in favor of an indefinite postponement but it appears this afternoon that the measure will become a law.

LOOKING-GLASS TRAIL COMPLETED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Pendleton, Or., Sept. 21.—Of deep interest to stockmen using the Wenaha national forest grazing privileges is the announcement by J. M. Schmitz, the supervising forester in charge, that the Looking-Glass trail has been completed.

This trail extends from the Tollgate to Motett meadows, through 12 miles of as rough country as is to be found in that part of the Blue mountains, and its construction will result in a great saving of time and expense to the stockmen, who have been compelled to drive their flocks across that section of country in getting access to their allotments of range.

He also reports the completion of two rangers' cabins, one at Tollgate and one on the Umatilla river.

Northwest Bank Statement.

Portland.

Clearings today	$1,271,827.89
Year ago	1,259,606.83
Balances today	162,792.45
Year ago	156,790.07
Seattle.	
Clearings	$1,726,149
Balances	279,629
Tacoma.	
Clearings	$886,141
Balances	72,497

Monroe Cannery Operating.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Monroe, Or., Sept. 21.—The Monroe cannery is in operation and is putting out a fine lot of fruit. Blackberries, pears and plums will be the larger bulk of its products this season, but efforts are being made to have large crops of peas, beans and tomatoes for next year's work.

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CHANGE OF WIND SAVES THE TOWN

Rhinelander Out of Immediate Danger but Other Places Threatened.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 21.—Two engines, 3,000 feet of hose and a company of firemen were sent to Rhinelander today in response to an urgent appeal for help in fighting the forest fire that is menacing the town. The request for help stated that one engine and a company of men had been fighting the fire for hours and the men were almost exhausted.

Advices later today stated that the wind was favorable to Rhinelander, but that the towns of Curtis, Mosinee, Moon and Ladysmith were threatened with destruction.

According to messages received from those places the people have been fighting fire for hours and there is little hope of saving the towns from total destruction. The women and children have been removed to places of safety.

Calumet, Mich., Sept. 21.—Forest fires are today threatening this city, the town of Houghton and several nearby villages. Men are fighting the flames, but they are working against heavy odds. The recent rains did not check the smouldering flames, as the fire was mostly in the thick underbrush and protected from the rain. The Baraga county fires are burning more fiercely than ever and thousands of feet of lumber have been destroyed.

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WEATHER REPORT

A low barometer area is central this morning over Alberta, and a high pressure area has moved in from the north Pacific coast, and extends over Wyoming. Another high pressure area overlies the entire Atlantic coast. Light showers have fallen in Wyoming, eastern Montana and western North Dakota, and over the lower Mississippi valley and east gulf states. Elsewhere over the country clear skies prevail. Seasonable temperatures are reported from the Rocky mountains westward and in the Atlantic coast states, but it is quite warm this morning in the Missouri and Mississippi valleys and over the great lakes.

The indications are for showers tonight or Tuesday in northwestern Washington, and fair weather over the rest of the district. It will be cooler tonight in Oregon, Idaho and eastern Washington and cooler Tuesday in Idaho and eastern Oregon.

	Temp. Max.	Min.	Precip.
Boston, Mass.	62	52	.0
Chicago, Ill.	88	72	.0
Cincinnati, Ohio	94	66	.0
Denver, Col.	82	52	.0
Kansas City, Mo.	86	68	.0
Los Angeles	72	56	.0
New Orleans	86	74	.02
New York	64	60	.0
Omaha, Neb.	88	68	.0
Philadelphia	68	58	.0
Phoenix, Ariz.	96	62	.0
Pittsburg, Pa.	88	64	.0
Portland, Or.	72	53	.0
St. Louis, Mo.	88	70	.0
St. Paul, Minn.	90	62	.0
Salt Lake, Utah	78	54	.0
San Francisco	64	52	.01
Seattle, Wash.	66	48	.0
Spokane, Wash.	80	48	.0
Walla Walla, Wn.	78	58	.0
Washington, D. C.	68	62	.0

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ernest Johnson, 352 North Fourteenth street, 26, and Bertha Wilson, 16.

Samuel S. Roberts, 1612 Olin street, 35, and Anna M. Gay, 25.

Clyde Heath, St. Johns, 23, and Amy De La Villette, 18.

Cecil L. Blakemore, Seattle, Wash., 22, and Phillis McCarty, 20.

Evans O. Armstrong, 856½ Clinton street, 21, and Nellie B. Springmeyer, 18.

Samuel Gowan, Hillsboro, 55, and Mrs. Eliza Deven, 55.

Clayton E. Leitzel, Portland, 26, and Josephine Swift, Hazelwood, 23.

Wedding Cards. W. G. Smith & Co., Washington bldg., corner 4th and Washington sts.

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BIRTHS

ROLPH—To Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Lucine Rolph, 588½ Seventh street, September 17, a daughter.

ANDREE—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Andree, 592½ First street, September 20, a son.

DELSCHNEIDER—To Mr. and Mrs. Francis Delschneider, 366 Nineteenth street, September 18, a daughter.

LARSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Larson, 699 Water street, September 20, a son.

SPROUL—To Mr. and Mrs. Horatio N. Sproul, 293 Hooker street, September 20, a son.

FRENCH—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond B. French, 584 Flanders street, September 20, a daughter.

LEWIS—To Mr. and Mrs. Allen C. Lewis, 107 Revere street, September 18, a daughter.

GERWELS—To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gerwels, 2850 Burrage street, September 18, a son.

DETJE—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Julius Detje, 655 Savier street, September 19, a son.

McALPINE—To Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace McAlpine, Wapato, Or., September 18, a son.

VOLLMER—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Vollmer, Portland sanatorium, September 17, a daughter.

ROBERTSON—To Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robertson, 1360 East Taylor, September 18, a son.

DEATHS

STACK—John T. Stack, Hillsboro, Or., September 16, age 77 years; old age.

HIGGIN—Henry Higgin, 349 Overton, September 17, age 68; apoplexy.

KIERNAN — September 19, Elizabeth Kiernan, beloved wife of James Kiernan, and mother of Mrs. Mamie Lansing and W. H. Kiernan, aged 51 years. Funeral notice later.

STEARNS—In this city, September 21, Willis C. Stearns, aged 16 years, brother of A. M. Stearns of this city. Funeral notice hereafter.

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