THE WORLD'S MARKETS

GOOD INCREASE IN FALL TRADE

Merchants Estimate 5 to 10 Per Cent More Business Than a Year Ago.

Portland wholesale markets:
Fall trade is quite lively.
California vegetables arriving.
Slight increase in butter run.
Coarse grains firm for cash.
Efforts to dip wheat price fail.
Very quiet in hop market.
Run of salmon very good.
Hay market somewhat easier.
Potatoes are slightly firmer.
Mixed views regarding onions.
Chicken market holds dull.

Fall Trade Is Quite Lively.

Instead of showing a decrease from the operations of a year ago, trade conditions in the wholesale market are brighter than ever. The volume of business is somewhat heavier than for this same period in 1907, the trade being mixed as to the amount of the increase. Some say that it will not run over 5 per cent more than a year ago, while others are equally positive that their increase is fully double that figure. The principal increase is noted in country orders. Outside merchants are buying quite heavily and it is keeping the wholesale grocery trade jumping to fill all orders promptly. According to the representative of a large flouring mill there is a decided increase in the local trade in flour. The greatest increase, as in other lines, is noted in country orders.

California Vegetables Arriving.

The season for Oregon vegetables is closing and importations from the south are starting. The California liner brought up a large cargo of assorted garden truck this morning. This consisted of peas, beans, sprouts, tomatoes, artichokes, cauliflower, cucumbers, persimmons, pomegrantes and new crop chestnuts.

Local Tomatoes Running Out.

Generally poor quality is noted in the local arrivals of tomatoes and for this reason buyers are not willing to pay such high prices as they were when the stock showed better color.

There is somewhat of a scarcity in peppers owing to the late frosts which did considerable damage in this line.

Niagara grapes are in too liberal supply but Concords and other varieties are scarce for good quality.

Cabbage supplies are slightly better but the market is very firm with prices ruling fractionally higher for select quality.

Slight Increase of Butter.

Taken as a whole creamery men are reporting a slight increase in the production of butter. The market is fairly steady with no trouble at this time in filling all orders. Supplies of eastern butter are still liberal but stocks are cleaning up quite well because of the low price. Receivers state that because of the late sharp advances in the eastern price, no more fresh supplies would be brought from there.

Mixed Views Regarding Onions.

The trade is holding mixed views regarding the future of the onion market. Generally speaking the belief is general that the crop in the south is badly overestimated and that after the first great rush to market is stopped, it will be found that practically all the California crop has been moved. While some of the smaller local growers seem willing to pile their product upon the market here, the larger producers are not in the market at all, seemingly being content to take a vacation until the southern glut is taken care of.

There is a slightly firmer tone in local potatoes owing to the smaller offerings. Prices are thus far unchanged.

Chicken Market Holds Dull.

In the chicken market trade remains somewhat dull. Receipts are greater than expected and some of the commission men who expected a better market this week, and therefore carried over a portion of their supplies, are still holding them.

Egg market is holding just about steady with quotations, if anything a fraction weaker. The market has been invaded by too many cars of eastern eggs and the price of local stock has been boosted too high.

Very Dull in Hop Market.

While such bear leaders as Herman Klaber of Klaber, Wolf & Netter company and E. Clement Horst, are still said to be taking some of the choicer goods of the state around 7c and 7½c a pound, there is nothing doing in the general market. The general trade reports a lack of outside interest with no orders in sight. Isaac Pincus & Sons of Tacoma are likewise said to have been late purchasers of select quality in the Willamette valley around 7c and 7½c.

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

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER — Extra creamery, 34c; fancy, 32½c; store, 18c.

BUTTER FAT—Delivery f. o. b. Portland—Sweet cream, 32½c; sour, 31½c per lb.

EGGS—Local, best, 32@32½c; eastern, 26@28c; local storage, 26@28c.

POULTRY — Mixed chickens, 12c; hens, 12½c; roosters, old, 8c; fryers, 12½@13c; broilers, 12½@13c; geese, spring, 10c; turkeys, alive, old, 17@18c; spring, 18@20c; spring ducks 12 @15c lb; pigeons, squabs, $2@2.50 per doz; old, $1; dressed poultry, 1@1½c pound higher.

CHEESE—Full cream, flats, triplets and daisies, 14@15c; Young Americas, 15@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@ $1.50 each.

MOHAIR—1907—Nominal, 18½@19c.

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

CHITTIM BARK—Old, 5½c; new, 5c lb.

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

Grain, Flour and Hay.

WHEAT—Buying price, new—Track Portland—Club, 87@88c; bluestem, 93@ 94c; fortyfold, 91c; red, 85@86c; Willamette valley, 90@92c.

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

BARLEY—Feed, $26; rolled, $28.50; brewing, $27.

OATS—Track, new—No. 1, white, $30 @31; gray, $29.50@30.

FLOUR—Selling price—Eastern Oregon patent, $4.70; straight, $3.90@ $4.40; export, $3.60@3.70; valley, $4.20; graham ¼s, $4.40; whole wheat, $4.65; rye, 5s, $5.50; bales, $3.

HAY—Producers' price—New timothy, Willamette valley, fancy, $12@14; ordinary, $12.50; eastern Oregon, $15@16; mixed, $10@10.50; clover, $9; grain, $10; cheat, $10; alfalfa, $10@11.

Fruits and Vegetables.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $4.00@ 4.50; bananas, 5½c per lb., crated, 6c; lemons, $4.50@6.25 box; grapefruit, $4 @4.50; pineapples, Hawaiian, $2.50@3.00 dozen; cantaloupes, $1.75; black berries, $1.25; peaches, 60c@$1; pears, $1.25 @1.50; grapes, 75c@$1.40; baskets, 20@ 35c; watermelons, 75c@$1; huckleberries, 10@11c pound; cranberries, $9.50@ 10 per bbl.

ONIONS—New Oregon, $1@1.15 per hundred; garlic, 9c pound.

APPLES—New, 50c@$1.25 per box.

POTATOES—New, selling, $1@1.10; buying for shipment, per cwt., fancy, 85c; ordinary, 75@80c; sweet, 2@2½c.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new Oregon,

LOCAL HOGS TO FOLLOW EASTERN

Both Markets Now Close Together and Fluctuations There to Be Felt Here.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	520	...	261
Monday	...	164	...
1907	...	...	200
1906	12	112	...
1905	150	50	...

Portland Union Stockyards, Oct. 6.—The livestock trade in general has changed its opinion regarding the future of the hog market. While there may be some slight lowering of prices from the present level it is not believed that the decline will amount to much. Although there have been several declines in eastern values during the past few days, the market there is holding much better than expected and is only a fraction lower than this market at the present time. The course of local prices depends upon what the eastern markets do within the next week or 10 days. A stiff tone there would hold any decline here in check but a lower range east would cause a reaction here.

"I find considerable strength in the hog situation where I had not looked for," said Mr. Benson, of Benson & Gould, to The Journal this morning. "I have advices that some hogs we expected in the local market would not come at all, for a price better than that basis, Portland delivery, had been obtained here."

Sheep Values May Go Higher.

While no change is today shown in sheep market values, prices are holding firm. Arrivals are very scant, but the big packers are getting most of their supplies direct from the interior, and therefore the arrivals are not noted in the totals at the yards.

Cattle market is steady, with no arrivals in the yards during the past 24 hours.

A year ago today cattle market was firmer, although values were unchanged for the day. Sheep were stiffer, with an advance of 25c ruling in the price. Hogs were quoted firm, but unchanged in price.

Yard's Representative Sales.

The following sales are representative of recent transactions in the local yards for late shipments, and clearly show the standing of the demand for the various lines as regards prices and weights:

CATTLE.

	Weight.	Price.
14 steers	15,285	$3.35
8 steers	7,275	3.00
1 stag	1,140	3.00
8 steers	8,230	3.00
16 steers	17,675	3.50
11 steers	9,840	3.00
1 bull	1,220	2.00
1 stag	975	3.25
4 steers	4,290	3.50
30 cows	27,260	2.60
17 calves	5,770	3.00

Hitt & Fields of Idaho Falls, Idaho, had six cars of hogs for the local market.

Following is the general range of values on stock ruling in the yards for late shipments:

Hogs—Best east of mountains, $7@ 7.15; ordinary, $6.75; blockers and China fats $6; stockers and feeders, $5.

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

Sheep—Best wethers, $3.50; ordinary wethers, $3.25; lambs, $4; straight ewes, $3; mixed lots, $2.50@2.75.

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

Eastern Hogs 5c Lower.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—Run:

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Chicago	17,000	11,000	22,000
Kansas City	20,000	25,000	15,000
Omaha	4,500	8,300	8,300

Hogs are 5c lower. Left over yesterday, 6,900. Receipts year ago, 16,000. Mixed, $6.10@7.00; heavy, $6.65@7.00; rough, $6.10@6.60; light, $6.10@6.80.

Cattle—Weak.
Sheep—Steady.

75c@$1; beets, $1@1.25; carrots, 50@ 75c sack; parsnips, 85c@$1.00; cabbage, $2@2.50; tomatoes, local, 50@65c per box; California, $1 crate; beans, 10c; cauliflower, $1.25; peas, 10c; horseradish, 8@10c; artichokes, (—) doz; green onions, 15c per doz; peppers, bell, 7@ 8c; Chile, (—); head lettuce, 25@30c doz; cucumbers, $1.50 box; radishes, 15c dozen bunches; celery, 40@80c; eggplant, 6c; 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, 7¾c; Ajax, (—); Creole, 5¾c.

HONEY—New, 15c per lb.

COFFEE—Packagebrands, $16.50.

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

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

HAMS, BACON, ETC—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 13 lbs, 17c per lb; breakfast bacon, 15@23½c lb; picnics, 11c lb; cottage roll, 12c lb; regular short clears, smoked, 13c lb; backs, heavy, smoked, 13c lb; light, smoked, 14c lb; bellies, smoked, 15c lb; pickled tongues, 70c each.

DRESSED MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 8@9c lb; ordinary, 7@8c; large, 7c; 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, 15c per lb; 5s, 15¼c per lb; 50-lb tins, 14½c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 14c per lb; 5s, 14¼c per lb; compound, 10s, 8¾c per lb.

FISH — Rock cod, 10c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 8c 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, 11½c; standard, 10¾c; sisal, 8¾c; L. H. sisal, 8c.

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 # 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, 8½c lb.

WIRE NAILS—Present basis, $2.85.

LOCAL MARKETS DOING BETTER

Wheat, Oats and Barley Firmer for Future Delivery.

World's Wheat Prices.

	Dec.
Portland	$ .90B
Chicago	.98¼A
Minneapolis	1.00⅝
Duluth	1.00¼B
Winnipeg	.91⅞A
San Francisco*	1.65⅛
Liverpool	7s 7½d

*Per cental.

BOARD OF TRADE RECEIPTS.

	Barley.	Flour.	Hay.	Oats.	Wheat.
Oct. 6	12	1	10	11	100
Oct. 5	18	1	23	22	178
Oct. 3	16	2	4	11	29
Oct. 2	2	2	5	9	86
Oct. 1	10	2	7	8	112
Sept. 30	8	..	1	1	84

The entire grain future market was firmer today on the Portland board of trade and higher prices were the rule. The cash wheat situation is very dull with producers unwilling to accept the bids of buyers. While millers and exporters are offering a range of 87 to 88 cents for club, track here, no wheat has been or can be purchased at these figures, especially the former at this time. There is again a stiffer tone in the bluestem and 95 cents track was offered today on the board of track for spot delivery, with no sellers appearing.

On the board of trade there was an advance of ½c a bushel in both the bid and ask prices on the various wheat deliveries but the buyers and sellers did not get together.

According to a prominent milling man, there never was a time when demand for cash barley was so good at this time. Rolled barley trade is quite heavy, in fact the product cannot be turned out fast enough to fill orders at this time. At the present level of prices rolled barley is cheap considering the general state of the feed market.

On the board of trade today barley futures were held very firm. October started at $1.35 asked, or 2½c a cental above yesterday's figures while the bids were advanced from $1.30 to $1.32½ at the same time. For the November option bids and asked values were closer together, there being no change in the latter although the former advanced 2½c a cental.

There was a like improvement in oats futures during the trading today although no sales were recorded. October shows an advance of 2½c a cental in the bid over yesterday, while the asked price went to $1.80 as compared with $1.55 yesterday. An advance of 8c was shown in the bid on November while asked prices were put up 5c. There was no change in the bid for December oats at $1.57½, although an advance of 2½c was asked.

While the flour market is very firm no change is noted in local values at the moment, the predicted advance not yet putting in appearance.

Hay market is easier with some slight shading of quotations by buyers.

Board of trade prices today:

CLUB WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Oct.	93A	90B	89B	90B
Nov.	90B	...	...	93A
Dec.	90B	...	...	93A
NO. 1 WHITE OATS.				
Oct.	1.52½B	1.55B	1.52½B	1.60A
Nov.	1.53B	1.55B	1.53B	1.60A
Dec.	1.55B	1.57½B	1.55B	1.62½A
NO. 1 FEED BARLEY.				
Oct.	1.35A	1.35½B	1.30B	1.32½B
Nov.	1.32½B	....	....	1.35A
Dec.	1.32½B	1.35B	1.32½B	1.37½B

STANDARD OIL TAKES BIG SPOKANE BANK

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 6.—By a deal involving $3,000,000, the National City bank of New York, owned by the Standard Oil interests, has purchased Charles Sweeney's stock in the Exchange National bank and a large block of stock in the Traders' National bank, and will consolidate the two under the name of the Traders' Exchange National bank, with a capital stock of $1,000,000, and $200,000 surplus.

PORTLAND PRODUCE RECEIPTS.

The Board of Trade furnishes the following list of arrivals of produce at Portland during the past 24 hours:

Apples, 359 boxes, berries 13 crates, cranberries 50 barrels, fruit 12 boxes, grapes 630 crates, 201 baskets, lemons 144 boxes, pears 112 boxes, peaches 1,044 boxes, persimmons 15 boxes, pomegranate 16 boxes, quinces 10 boxes, cocoanuts 3 boxes, cabbage 143 crates, celery 11 crates, chili 3 crates, cucumbers 21 boxes, cauliflower 5 crates, artichokes 12 crates, egg plant 7 crates, onions 21 sacks, potatoes 305 sacks, peppers 41 boxes, tomatoes 90 crates, vegetables 63 sacks, 4 cars; cream 3,951 gallons, milk 340 gallons, cheese 302 cases, butter 105 cases, eggs 125 cases, clams 42 boxes, crawfish 6 boxes, crabs 15 boxes, 1 barrel; fish, 71 boxes, oysters 42 sacks, hogs 82, veal 75, chickens 61 coops, ducks 6 coops, turkeys 1 coop, packing house products 1 car, honey 125 cases, lentils 51 sacks, sweet potatoes 3 cars.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

(Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.)
Boston, Oct. 6.—Official bid prices:

Adventure	8	East Butte	8½
Allouez	37	Old Dom	43½
Atlantic	15	Osceola	118½
Bingham	50A	Parrot	25½
Boston Cons.	13⅝	Phoenix*	50
Cal. & Ariz.	116½	Quincy	93
Cal. & Hecla	660	Shannon	14¾
Centennial	34½	Sup. & Pitts.	14
Cop. Range	74	Tamarack	70
C. Ely	7⅝	Trinity	17⅝
Daly West	9	United	11⅝
Greene	10¼	Utah Mining.	42½
Gireux	4¼	Utah Con.	40⅝
Mass.	5¼	Victoria	4¼
Mich.	12⅝	Wolverine	127
Nev. Cons.	16	Yukon	5½
Newhouse	3	Bay State G.*	90
Nippissing	8⅝	U. S. Min.	39½
North Butte	82½	U. S. Oil	25½

*Cents.

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKET.

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Merchants' exchange quotations:

Cash wheat — Walla Walla white, $1.65; red Russian, $1.61¼; Turkey red, $1.73¾; bluestem, $1.73¾.

Future wheat—May, $1.37¾; December, $1.65¼ bid.

Cash barley—Bright, $1.29¼; brewing, $1.26¼.

Future barley — May, $1.43 bid; $1.42⅞ asked; December, $1.40⅝ bid.

Millstuffs — Bran, $50; middlings, $32.50; shorts, $31.

SHARP DECLINE IN WHEAT PITS

Both Chicago and Liverpool Are Lower Today—Argentina Weather Good.

ARGENTINA WHEAT GOOD.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—A special from Argentina says that weather and crop conditions in the grain country are both favorable.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

	Open.	Close.	Oct. 5.	Loss.
Dec	98½	98¼A	98⅞	⅝
May	101⅝	101¼A	102¼A	1
July	95½	95⅛N	96⅛	1

Chicago, Oct. 6.—The wheat market was bearish overnight and continues so this morning and all through the day. Liverpool opening was ¼c above yesterday, but the close was ⅛ to ⅝c down. Paris closed mixed with quotations 5 centimes lower to 10 centimes higher.

After the opening this market lapsed into extreme weakness with the result that the close shows losses of ⅝ to 1c from yesterday's final.

Stocks of wheat in regular warehouses show: Wheat, 4,141,000 bu, an increase of 191,200 bu; corn, 1,628,000 bu, a decrease of 123,000 bu; ots, 192,000, an increase of 16,000 bu.

Bradstreet's report of the visible supply shows in bushels:

Wheat.	Increase.
East of Rockies	4,691,000
Canada	1,981,000
Europe and afloat	4,800,000
Total	11,472,000
Corn	81,000
Oats	1,862,000

Primary receipts were: Wheat, 2,033,300 bu, compared with 1,356,200 bu year ago; corn 244,100 bu, compared with 843,200 bu.

Shipments were: Wheat, 1,286,100 bu, compared with 915,000 bu year ago; corn, 208,000 bu, compared with 854,000 bu.

Cash wheat: No. 2, red, 99@$1; No. 3 red, 99c; No. 2 hard, 98½c@$1; No. 3 hard, 97@99½c; No. 1 northern spring, $1.05@1.06; No. 2 northern spring, $1.04 @1.05.

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

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
Dec.	98½	99	98	98¼A
May	101⅝	102⅛	101	101¼A
July	95½	95¾	95⅛	95⅛N
CORN.				
Dec	64⅝	64⅞	64¼	64¼B
May	64⅜	64½	64	64⅛A
July	63⅝	63⅝	63⅜	63⅛A
OATS.				
Dec	49	49	48⅝	48¾A
May	51	51	50⅝	50⅝B
July	46¾	46¾	46⅝	46⅝
PORK.				
Oct.	1385	1400	1370	1370N
Jan.	1610	1612	1575	1575
May	1590	1595	1555	1562
LARD.				
Oct.	995	1005	995	997A
Jan.	952	957	950	950B
May	950	955	942	942B
RIBS.				
Oct.	962	962	940	945A
Jan.	845	847	837	837B
May	847	855	845	845

News Gossip of Finance

Philadelphia, Oct. 6.—It is reported that the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad company has sold an additional $4,000,000 worth of its consolidated mortgage bonds. The sale is from the $10,000,000 series authorized less than a year ago. A syndicate comprising Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and the Speir company purchased $6,000,000 worth of bonds last spring.

Toronto, Can., Oct. 6.—It was stated in well informed circles today that a prominent London bond and brokerage house has cancelled outstanding bids aggregating $9,000,000 on various Canadian municipal bonds. The step is regarded as a precautionary one taken by London financiers in view of the uncertainties in the Balkan situation.

New York, Oct. 6. — Government bonds:

	Date.	Bid.	Asked.
Twos, registered	1930	103¼	104
do coupon	1930	104	.....
Threes, registered	1908	100¼	100¾
do coupon	1908	101	100½
Threes, small bonds	....	100½	.....
Fours, registered	1925	121	121½
do coupon	1925	122	.....
Twos, Panama	....	102⅝	103½
District of Col'bia.	....	102⅝	.....
Fours, Philippine	....	110	.....

New York, Oct. 6.—Metal—Copper, lake, 13⅝@13⅝c; electrolytic, 13⅛@ 13⅝c; castings, 12⅞@13⅛c.
Tin, $28.87½@29.37½.
Lead, $4.47½@4.50.

New York, Oct. 6.—Bar silver, 51⅞c; Mexican dollars, 45c.

London, Oct. 6.—Silver, 23 15-16d.

Washington, Oct. 6.—The treasury report today showed:
Receipts—$1,740,462.
Expenditures—$1,610,000.

PRODUCE IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Wheat—No. 1 California club, per cental, $1.67½@ 1.70; California white milling, $1.75@ 1.80; northern bluestem, $1.72½@1.77½; off grades wheat, $1.50@1.60; reds, $1.65 @1.70.

Barley — Feed barley, $1.30@1.35; common to fair, $1.25@1.30; brewing, at San Francisco, nominal at $1.45@1.55; chevalier, $1.50@1.60, acording to quality.

Eggs—Per dozen, California fresh, including cases, extras, 45c; firsts, 29c; seconds, 26½c; eastern, selected, 22c; eastern, firsts, 25½c; do seconds, 23c; thirds, 22c; storage, 30c.

Butter—per pound, California fresh, extras, 30c; firsts, 26c; seconds, 22½c; thirds, 20c; eastern extras, 27c; packing, No. 1, 23c; packing, No. 2, 20c; storage, California extra, 26c.

New cheese—Per pound, California flats, fancy, 12½c; firsts, 11½c; seconds, 9½c; California Young America, fancy, 13c; firsts, 12c; eastern New York Cheddars, fancy, 16½c; Oregon flats, fancy, 13c; do Young America, fancy, 14½c; California storage, fancy, flats, 13c.

Potatoes—Per cental, river whites (sacks), fancy, 70@85c; poor, 50@70c; Salinas, Burbanks, $1.25@1.60; Early Rose, 75@85c; sweet potatoes, to the trade, sacks, $1@1.25; crates, $1.25@1.30.

Onions—Per sack, yellow, 50@55c.

Oranges—Valencias, $2@2.50.

New York Cotton Market.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	825	833	825	833B
Mch.	824	836	824	833
May	826	839	826	837
July	828	839	827	833
Oct.	862	872	862	870
Dec.	850	860	848	858

Northwest Crop Weather.

Oregon—Fair tonight and Wednesday; slightly warmer tonight. Northerly winds.

Washington—Fair tonight. Wednesday, possibly showers west, fair east portion. Variable winds.

Idaho—Fair tonight and Wednesday.

MARKET SWINGS ON ROCK ISLAND

Heavy Purchases in Preferred Forces Rise of 4 5-8 Points.

Taking the Rock Island.

Financial New York was interested in the story today that Harriman interests did not have full control of the Rock Island and the heavy buying of the preferred issue today seemed to confirm the report. Rock Island preferred was the hinge upon which the entire bullish market swung today.

New York, Oct. 6.—Swinging upon the popularity of Rock Island preferred shares, the general trend of stock market shares was upward today, although the action of Hill securities was far from pleasing to the bull side. The expectation of the trade had been that Northern Pacific would pay an extra dividend but when the meeting was postponed until this afternoon the bulls lost heart and sold N. P. vigorously. For the day Northern Pacific shares show a loss of 1 point. B. & O. was another weak feature, losing 1¼ points during the day. Erie shares were very active with a net gain of 1¾ points for the day. Union Pacific advanced 2¼ points while Southern Pacific rose 2¼ points.

Berlin was a seller of B. & O. and Canadian Pacific in the London market today.

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

DESCRIPTION.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Copper Co.	75¾	76	74⅝	75¾
Am. Car & F., c.	40	40	39⅝	39⅝
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	102
Am. Cotton Oil, c	35¼	35¼	35	35
Am. Loco., c.	47	47	46½	46¾
Am. Sugar, c.	132	132	131⅞	130
Am. Smelter, c.	87½	87⅞	85¾	87
do pfd	104	104	104	104
Anaconda M. Co.	44	44	43½	43¾
Am. Woolen, c.	23⅝	23⅝	23¼	23
Atchison, c	88⅜	89¼	87⅝	88⅝
do pfd	95	95	94¾	94⅝
B. & O., c.	97⅝	97¾	96½	97¼
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	86
Brooklyn R. T.	49⅛	49½	48⅛	49⅝
Canadian Pac., c.	176¼	177	175	176⅛
Cen. Leather, c.	24¾	24⅞	24¾	24⅝
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	95
Chi. & G. W., c.	.....	.....	.....	6⅞
C., M. & St. P.	137¼	137⅝	135	136¼
C. & N. W., c.	160⅛	160½	159¾	159½
Ches. & Ohio	41¼	41¼	41	41¼
Col. F. & I., c.	34⅝	35⅛	34½	35¼
Col. South., c.	40⅝	40⅞	40½	40⅝
do 2d pfd	58	58	57⅝	57⅝
do 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	66½
Del. & Hudson	.....	.....	.....	165
D. & R. G., c.	28	28	27½	27½
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	67
Erie, c	30⅝	31⅝	30¼	31⅝
do 1st pfd	43½	44	43¼	44¼
Great North., p.	133	133⅝	131⅝	132⅝
Ill. Cent.	140	140	132⅝	139
L. & N.	105½	105½	104	104½
Mex. Cent. Ry.	.....	.....	.....	15¼
M., K. & T., c.	30⅝	30⅞	30⅛	30⅝
Distillers	30	30	29½	29½
Ore Lands	58¼	.....	.....	.....
Mo. Pac.	54	54¼	53	54½
National Lead	83½	83½	82¼	83¼
N. Y. Central	104⅝	104⅝	103⅝	103⅝
N. Y., O. & W.	41	41	40⅞	40⅞
Norf. & West., c.	.....	.....	.....	73
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	80½
North American	.....	.....	.....	62⅝
N. P., c.	142⅝	142⅝	139¼	141¼
P. M. S. Co.	25⅝	25¾	25½	25½
Penn. Ry.	123⅝	124⅝	123½	123⅝
P. S. C., pfd	92	92	92	92
Reading, c.	132½	132½	129⅝	131⅝
do 2d pfd.	.....	.....	.....	86
do 1st pfd.	87½	87½	87	87¼
R. I. & S., pfd.	79⅛	79⅞	79	79
Rock Island, c.	19¾	20⅝	19½	20¼
do pfd.	45½	50	45	49¼
St. L. & S. F. 2d p.	30⅞	31⅝	30⅞	31¼
do 1st pfd.	55	55	54	54
S. P., c.	104⅝	104⅝	102⅞	104
do pfd.	.....	.....	.....	118
Southern Ry., c.	21½	21½	21	21⅜
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	51½
Texas & Pacific	.....	.....	.....	25
T., St. L. & W., c	27	27¼	27	26½
do pfd.	60⅝	61	60⅝	59
Union Pacific, c.	164½	165½	163	165
do pfd.	.....	.....	.....	87
U. S. Rubber, c.	32	32	31	30½
do pfd.	101½	101⅝	101½	100½
U. S. Steel Co., c	45½	45⅝	45	45⅝
do pfd.	109	109	108½	109
Wabash, c.	12⅛	12½	12⅛	12⅜
do pfd.	26	26½	25⅝	26
W. U. Telegrapr	59⅝	59⅝	59	58½
do pfd.	48	48	47	47
Wis. Cent., c.	.....	.....	.....	27
Westinghouse	72	73	72	72

Total sales, 859,500 shares.

Money opened at 1¼ per cent; high, 1¼; low, 1; closed 1 per cent.

NEVADA MINING STOCKS.

(Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co.)
San Francisco, Oct. 6.—Bid prices:

GOLDFIELDS DISTRICT.

Sandstorm 20c, Jumbo Ext. 24c, Kendall 15c, Booth 40c, Blue Bull 11c, Adams 3c, Silver Pick 15c, Nev. Boy 3c, B. B. Ext. 1c, Blue Bell 4c, Dixie 1c, Hibernia 3c, St. Ives 25c, Conqueror 5c, Blk. Rock 1c, Lone Star 9c, G. Wonder 2c, Oro 11c, Kendall Ext. 1c, Sandst. Ext. 1c, Mayne 2c, Atlanta 22c, Empire 4c, Red Top Ext. 7c, Florence 44c, Diamf. B. B. Con. 14c, G. Daisy 77c, Laguna $1.10, Comb. Fract. $1.22½, Gr. Bend Ext. 6c, B. B. Bonanza 1c, Kewanos 32c, Portland 8cA, Cracker Jack 6c, Francis Mohawk 12c, Red Hill 24c, Mohawk Ext. 4cA, Lou Dillon 1c, Y. Tiger 10c, S. Pick Ext. 2cA, Goldf. Cons. $5.67½, Diamf. Triangle 4c.

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Mont. Ton. 99c, Ton. Ext. 60c, MacNamara 51c, Midway 29c, Ton. Belmont $1.20, Ton. No. Star 6c, West End Cons. 52c, Rescue 6c, Jim Butler 24c, Ton. Cash Boy 1c, Mont. Mid. Ext. 2cA.

NORTHWEST BANK STATEMENT.

Portland.

Clearings today	$1,101,802.42
Year ago	1,527,536.56
Balances today	100,838.46
Year ago	130,328.39

Tacoma.

Clearings	$912,192
Balances	67,969

Seattle.

Clearings	$1,575,784
Balances	197,478

Liverpool Wheat Market.

Liverpool, Oct. 6.—Wheat:

	Open.	Close.
Dec.	7s 7⅝d	7s 7½d
March	7s 6⅝d	7s 6⅛d
May	7s 6d	7s 5⅞d

Hartford's New Bridge.

Hartford, Conn., Oct. 6.—With the firing of a national salute and the ringing of bells throughout the city, Hartford this morning entered upon a period of three days' jubilation in celebration of the completion of the new bridge spanning the Connecticut river, which is said to be one of the largest and most artistic structures of its kind to be found anywhere in the country. The program provides for several parades, historical pageants and tableaux, a water carnival of yachts and motor boats, a general illumination of the city and one of the finest displays of fireworks ever seen in New England.

HOOD RIVER FAIR TO SHOW PERFECT APPLES

There is to be 10,000 square feet of space devoted to the Hood River fruit fair October 15, 16 and 17, and there will be something like 100,000 of the finest apples that the sun ever shone upon.

From Portland to Hood River on Saturday, the last day of the exhibit, there is to be a special train, which, all in all, considering that Hood River's apple crop is 50 per cent larger and better than ever before this year, promises to be the greatest affair of the kind ever held in the northwest.

Charles T. Early and Truman Butler, Hood River apple growers and members of the Hood River Commercial club, were guests at noon today at luncheon of the Portland Commercial club. Both were introduced during the hour by President Hodson and made short speeches with reference to the remarkable and unusually large and fine exhibit that is to be put up this season by the people of Hood River and vicinity.

Portland People Invited.

The purpose of the visit of Mr. Butler and Mr. Early to Portland is to invite the residents and business men of the Rose City to go to Hood River on Saturday, October 17, Portland day at the fair and to complete arrangements with William McMurray for the special train.

The special, according to the schedule completed this morning, will leave Portland at 9 o'clock Saturday morning for Hood River. This will allow the visitors to take in the fair, drive through the valley, if they desire, and return on the special leaving Hood River at 4 o'clock that afternoon. Or if some of the people wish, they may stay over until the regular train, at 6:18 p. m., comes along. The special rate for Portland day at the apple fair will be $1.90 for the round trip.

Great Apple Display.

"There will be 1,000 boxes of perfect apples on exhibition," Mr. Butler said this morning, "and the Hood River people are preparing to put up the greatest show of the kind that has ever been put on anywhere.

"For this purpose we have arranged to have 10,000 square feet devoted to the exhibit. Imagine if you can what a wonderful showing that will make! There will be every variety of apple that grows in the vicinity of Hood River and every apple out of the 100,000 will be absolutely perfect in every respect.

"Hood River has the finest crop of fruit this year that ever dared show its face to the sun. And it is 50 per cent larger than ever before. The crop is so fine and the outlook for an excellent year so good that every one is body and soul in the fair, which is a bi-annual affair, and is working as hard as possible to make the event the banner fair of Hood River or for any apple growing country in the world."

Mr. Early said that there had been some talk of making the fruit show an annual event, but as yet these plans have not been discussed thoroughly and considered as they will be before the change is definitely decided.

MASKED BURGLAR OUTSIDE DOOR AND SCARED SALOONMAN INSIDE

The holdup of Erick Huseby's saloon on Hawthorne avenue last Saturday night has made other saloon keepers nervous and they start suddenly whenever the door opens unexpectedly. That probably accounts for the excited report made to the police early this morning by George C. Miller, proprietor of the saloon at 281 Grand avenue, that a masked man had attempted to hold up his place of business. At least, that is the view taken by Captain of Detectives Baty.

Miller reported that he noticed that the door opening upon Hawthorne avenue was partly open and he went to close it. Just as he reached it a man, his face hidden by a mask made of a white handkerchief, tried to enter. Miller slammed the door shut in the man's face. The latter tried to push it open, but Miller held it desperately. Then the highwayman gave up his attempt at this door and went around to the Grand avenue entrance.

Miller immediately scuttled out of the Hawthorne avenue door and ran to a telephone to call up the police. When he returned with the officers there was no one in the saloon. Although Miller saw only a man masked in a white handkerchief, the description of the supposed robber is said to correspond with that of the highwayman who held up Huseby and the seven men in his saloon Saturday night. Too much nerves is Captain Baty's diagnosis of the situation.

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