TRADERS MYSTIFIED BY SITUATION IN TURKEYS; STOCK QUOTED HIGHER

Sales Are Made as High as 27 Cents Per Pound in a Limited Way, But the Bulk of Purchases Are From 24 to 25 Cents Per Pound Today.

Portland Wholesale Market.
Eggs steady to firm.
Chickens higher.
Turkey market mysterious.
Dressed veal scarce.
Baby pigs sell high.
Jap oranges arrive.
Salmon from Tillamook.
Butter and cheese firm.

The turkey situation, while outwardly showing extreme strength, is rather deceiving in appearance. Fancy dressed birds have sold along Front street as high as 27c a pound during the past 24 hours—and at the same time stock of quality has brought no more than 25 @26c.

It is a noteworthy fact that one of the leading handlers of birds sold all but about two dozen of his birds, outside of the city and secured 25c to 26c a pound for them. Another leading handler received as high as 26c in a limited way but the bulk of his sales were from 24c to 25c for fancy goods.

Outwardly the appearance of the trade indicates that retailers are eager buyers of turkeys. This is true in a certain particular but while anxious purchasers, the retailers are buying merely in small lots, or just about half the birds they usually purchase.

All retailers seem impressed with the idea that the public is not going to be an eager buyer of turkeys this year unless the price is lowered, therefore they are awaiting a change in the situation before taking hold.

Another carload of eastern dressed turkeys, which were expected yesterday, came forward this morning. Their arrival has been kept a secret because the importer has been gradually boosting the market here for their reception.

There were only limited supplies of local stock on the express this morning.

Poor birds are hard to sell and generally speaking this class of stock is not moving very well even at 20c a pound.

SWEET POTATOES FIRMER

There is a firmer tone in the sweet potato trade in the south and prices have advanced about 20c per 100 pounds in car lots. Another car came forward to the local market this morning.

JAP ORANGES OFFERING

Japanese oranges are being offered in the local market for the first time this season. Stock is generally of good quality. Sales are reported at $1.40 per bundle of two boxes.

CALIFORNIA ORANGES EASIER

With increasing supplies of California oranges, prices are easing off somewhat and sales are being made down to $3.50 as a rule. Quality is improving.

SILVERSIDE SALMON COMING

Silverside salmon is again coming forward from Tillamook, the railroad bringing in quite a liberal supply during the past 24 hours. The fish market is quiet with most of the demand for crabs, oysters and shrimps.

EGGS AT 47 CENTS FOR BEST

Attempts to force the local egg market to 50c have failed and sales are reported today along the street at 47c a dozen for best. Notwithstanding the higher quotations put out in some quarters by those interested in selling the eastern product, local fresh eggs can be purchased at the price printed by The Journal.

LIMA BEANS HIGHER AGAIN

A further advance of ¼c a pound has been forced in the price of lima beans all along the coast, owing to the greater demand and curtailed offerings. White beans are firmer but prices are unchanged.

PLENTY OF FRUITS HELD

The fresh fruit trade is well supplied with offerings, and practically no improvement is noted in prices. Grapes are in plenty and peaches are being offered everywhere. Bananas are in fair supply as are oranges and apples.

FORECAST FOR SHIPPERS

Weather bureau sends out the following notice to shippers:

"Protect shipments as far north as Seattle against minimum temperatures of about 42 degrees; northeast to Spokane, 30 degrees; southeast to Boise, 15 degrees; south to Siskiyou, 32 degrees. Minimum temperature at Portland tonight, about 38 degrees."

PORTLAND JOBBING PRICES

Grain, Flour and Hay.

These prices are those at which wholesalers sell to retailers, except as otherwise stated:

WHEAT—Producers' price nominal; track delivery, club, 78@79c; bluestem, 81@82c; fortyfold, 80@81c; Willamette valley, 79@80c; red Russian, 79c; Turkey red, 81c.

BARLEY—Producers' prices—1911—Feed, $31.00@31.50; rolled, $32; brewing $37.

OATS—Producers' price—Track No. 1, spot delivery, white, $30.50@31; gray, $30.50.

MILLSTUFFS—Selling price—Bran $24.50; middlings, $31.00; shorts, $25.50; chop, $19.00@25.00.

HAY—Producers' price—1911 crop—Valley timothy, fancy, $17; ordinary $15; eastern Oregon, $17; Idaho, $18@19; mixed, $12; clover, $10; wheat, $11@12; cheat, $11@12; alfalfa, $12@12.50; oats, $11@12.

FLOUR — Selling price — Patents, $4.50; Willamette, $4.50 per barrel; local straight, $4.05@4.25; bakers', $4.30@4.50; export grades, $3.70.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER—Extra creamery, cubes and tubs, 36c; prints, 37c; ordinary prints, 34@35c; dairy, 18@18½c.

BUTTER FAT—Producers' price—F. o. b. Portland, per pound, 36c.

EGGS—Local extras, 47c; fancy, 44@47c; case count, 42c; spot buying price, 46c, f. o. b. Portland; eastern fresh, 38@40c; Aprils, 28@30c.

POULTRY—Fancy hens, 14c; springs, 13c; geese, 12@13c; live young ducks, 16@16½c; old ducks, 15c; turkeys, alive, nominal, 20@21c, dressed, nominal, 20@26c; pigeons, old, $1.60; young, $2.00@2.46.

WILD GAME—Geese, $4@4.50 doz.; teal, 25@35c each; mallard, 50c each; widgeon, $5 dozen.

CHEESE—Fresh Oregon fancy, full cream, triplets and daisies, 16½c per lb.; Young Americas, 17½c; storage, flats, 16c; Young Americas, 17c.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—Producers' price—1911 crop, choice, 45c; prime, 44c; medium, 42@43c; 1909 growth, 30c; 1912 contracts, 23½c; 1913 and 1914, 17c lb.

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

WOOL—Producers' price — Nominal, 1911: Willamette valley, 14½@17½c; eastern Oregon, 9@15c.

MOHAIR—1911, selected, 35@37c.

CHITTIM BARK—Producers' price—1911, less carlots, 5¾@6c; carlots, 6½c, f. o. b. Portland.

HIDES—Dry hides, 17c lb.; green, 9@10c; bulls, green, salt, 6½@7c lb.; kips, 9@10c; calves, dry, 19@20c per lb.

Groceries.

SUGAR—Cubes, $7.10; powdered $6.90; fruit or berry, $6.70; dry granulated, $6.60; D yellow, $6.00; beet, $6.60; extra Honolulu plantation cane granulated, 5c less. (Above quotations are 30 days net cash.)

SALT—Coarse, half ground 100s, $8.50 per ton; 50s, $9.00; table dairy, 5ss, $13; 100s, $17; bales, $2.20; extra fine barrels, 2s, 5s and 10s, $4@5; lump rock, $20.50 per ton.

RICE—Japan, No. 1, 5@5½c; No. 2, 4½c; New Orleans head, 5½@6c; Creole, 5c.

HONEY—New, $3.75 per case.

BEANS—Small white, $4.90; large white, $4.85; pink, $4.25; bayou, $4.75; Limas, $7; reds, $5.50.

Fruits and Vegetables.

APPLES—New crop, $1.00@3.00.

POTATOES—Selling prices—Selected Oregon, $1.25; ordinary, $1.05; buying price, 90c@$1.20; sweets, 2½c.

ONIONS—Yellow, $1.50; garlic, 7@8c.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $4.50 per box; bananas, 5c lb.; lemons, $4.50@6; limes, $9 a case; grapefruit, $6@7; pineapples, 5c per lb.; cranberries, $12; huckleberries, 5@6c per lb.; peaches, 30@60c; pears, $1.50; grapes, $1.00@1.25; Jap oranges, $1.40@1.50.

VEGETABLES—New turnips, $1@1.25 sack; beets, $1.50; carrots, $1.25@1.50; cabbage, 80@$1.00; California tomatoes, $1.25 crate; beans, 12c lb.; green onions, 15c dozen; peppers, bell, 10c lb.; head lettuce, $2@2.25 crate; hothouse, $1@1.25 box; radishes, 15c dozen bunches; celery, 75@85c dozen; egg plant, 10c lb.; cucumbers, 50c dozen; peas, 9c; cauliflower, local, 75c@$1.00.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

DRESSED MEATS — Front street: Hogs, fancy, 9c per pound; ordinary, 8@8½c; heavy, 7½@8c; veals, extra, 13½c; ordinary, 11½@12½c; poor, 8@10c; spring lambs, 7½@9c; mutton, 6@7c; goats, 4c; beef, 6@9c.

HAMS, BACON, Etc. — Hams, 15½@17½c; breakfast bacon, 15½@27c; boiled ham, 23½c; picnics, 11½c; cottage, 15c; regular short clears, smoked, 12½c; backs, smoked, 13½@14c; pickled tongues, 75c lb.

LARD—Kettle leaf tierces, 13c lb.; steam rendered, tierce, 11¾c per lb.; compound, tierces, 8½c per lb.

FISH—Nominal—Rock cod, 10c lb.; flounders, 6c; halibut, 6½@7c; striped bass, 20c; catfish, 12@12½c; salmon, 8@10c lb.; soles, 7c per lb.; shrimps, 12½c lb.; perch, 7@8c; tomcod, 8c; lobsters, 25c; herrings, 5@6c; black bass, 20c; sturgeon, 12½c per lb.; silver smelt, 8c lb.; black cod, 7½c; dressed shad, 7c; roe shad, 10c; shad roe, 20c lb.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, (—); per 100 lb. sack, (—); Olympia, per gallon $3; per 100 lb sack, $9; canned eastern, 55c can, $6.50 dozen; eastern in shell, $1.75@2.00 per 100; razor clams, $2@2.25 box.

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls., 75c gal., kettle boiled, bbl., 77c; raw, in cases, 80c; boiled, in cases, 82c gallon, lots of 250 gallons, 1c less, oil cake meal, $44 per ton.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 8c per lb.; 500 lb. lots, 8c per lb.; less lots, 8½c per lb.

BENZINE—86 degrees, cases, 24½c gallon; iron bbls., 21½c per gallon.

ROPE—Manila, 8c; sisal 7½c.

COAL OIL—Cases: Pearl, 16c; star, 19c per gallon; water white, bulk, 8@12½c per gallon; special water white, 12@16c.

GASOLINE—Red crown and motor, 18@22c gallon; 86 gasoline, 28@35½c gallon; V. M. & P. naphtha, 18@20½c gallon.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 73c; wood barrels, 70½c; iron barrels, 66c per gallon; 10 case lots, 72c.

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE

Eggs Are Up 1 Cent Again; Oregon Potatoes Are Steady.

San Francisco, Nov. 28.—Wheat—Australian, $1.55@1.57½; California club, $1.47½@1.52½; northern wheat, bluestem, $1.57½@1.62½; club, $1.52½@1.55; Turkey red, $1.57½@1.60; Russian red, $1.50@1.52½.

Barley—Feed, good to choice, $1.95; fancy, $1.97½; poor to fair, $1.87½@1.90; shipping and brewing, $2.00@2.10.

Eggs — California fresh, including cases, extras, 52c; firsts, 45c; select pullets, 43½c; storage extras, 28½c.

Butter—California fresh extras, 31c; prime firsts, 28c; firsts, 26½c.

Cheese—New California flats fancy, 17c; firsts, 14½c; seconds, 13½c; California Young America fancy, 17c; do firsts, 15c; Oregon fancy, 17½c. Storage—Oregon fancy, 16c; New York daisies, 18c; do singles, 17½c.

Potatoes, per cental—Oregon Burbanks, $1.45@1.60; Salinas do, $1.65@1.80; river whites, $1.10@1.35; Alameda, $1.15@1.65; sweets, $1.75@2.00.

Onions—New yellow, $1.00@1.25.

Oranges, per box—Navels, fancy, $2.75@3.25; choice, $2.25@2.50; standard, $2.00; tangerines, $1.25@1.50; Valencias, fancy, $4.00@4.50; do choice, $3.25@3.50.

DOUGLAS TURKEY SUPPLIES

Estimated 10,500 Birds Have Been Shipped From the County.

(Special to The Journal.)

Roseburg, Or., Nov. 28.—It is estimated that 10,500 turkeys were shipped from Douglas county for the Thanksgiving trade this year. An additional 2500 will be eaten in Douglas county for Thanksgiving, and this will increase the number to approximately 13,500. This is the lowest number that has been sold for many years.

About 7000 of these turkeys were shipped from Oakland and other points in Douglas county, and about 3500 from Roseburg. Most of them were shipped to San Francisco. At an estimate of each turkey averaging 10 pounds in weight, 105,000 pounds of turkeys were shipped from this county, netting the growers more than $21,000.

Money and Exchange.

London, Nov. 28.—Consols, 78 7-16; silver, 25 11-16; bank rate, 4 per cent.

New York, Nov. 28.—Sterling exchange, short, $4.84; short, $4.87½; silver bullion, 55½c.

San Francisco, Nov. 28.—Sterling exchange, 60 days, $4.82¾; sight, $4.86; Doc., $4.81¾; transfers, telegraphic, 3 per cent premium; sight, par.

San Francisco Call Board.

San Francisco, Nov. 28.—Barley:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	175 A	177½	175	177½
May	192	193	192	193

ADVANCE IN CHICKENS WITH IMPROVED CALL AND SUPPLY IS LIGHT

Market Is Up Fully a Cent a Pound With Springers Going at 13 Cents and Hens Bringing a Premium Over This; Geese Are Scarce.

Trade in the chicken market is at an advance of fully 1c on the street today. With the better prices ruling in the turkey trade, receivers of fowls generally have been asking more money. Springs are today quoted firm at 13c a pound and are firm at that figure, while extra fancy hens will bring a premium over this.

Receipts of chickens have dropped off suddenly, and while the big retailers have been prepared for an ordinary emergency, none had expected turkeys to rule so high. Therefore this will force a larger percentage of the trade into the chicken market.

Receipts of dressed chickens have been almost as small during the past few days as have live birds. Most of the dressed stock has a poor appearance, due to improper picking. This results in a lower price than the stock is actually worth.

Geese were never so scarce for Thanksgiving as this season, and a further advance has been forced in the price.

CATTLE MARKET VERY SLOW AND DEMAND IS QUIET IN LOCAL YARDS

Trade Hard to Start With a Fair Offering at North Portland; Another Big Run of Hogs But Market Is Nickel Higher at $6.75.

In the Stockyards.

North Portland—Hogs 5c higher, cattle slow, sheep steady.

Chicago — Hogs weak, cattle weak, sheep steady.

South Omaha—Hogs 10c lower, cattle steady to strong, sheep steady to 10c higher.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.
Tues.	241	131	15	...
Mon.	700	632	93	166
Sat.	...	17	...	...
Friday	173	45	8	273
Thurs.	498	507	160	3430
Wed.	628	1	12	4071
Week ago.	99	6	...	574

A dull tone was showing in the cattle trade but the situation shows practically no change from recent days. There was a run of 131 head, compared with 6 head last Tuesday.

Trading started extremely slow, with buyers unwilling to take hold unless given a concession in price.

At Chicago there was a weak tone in the cattle trade, with a run of 5000 head for the day.

South Omaha cattle prices were steady with prices generally a dime higher for ordinary stock.

Select steers	$ 5.50
Fancy steers	5.40
Choice steers	5.30
Feeders	4.55
Common steers	4.25
Fancy heifers	5.00
Feeder cows	3.25
Fancy cows	4.75
Fancy bulls	4.25@4.35
Good ordinary bulls	4.00
Stags	4.25
Fancy light calves	7.50
Medium calves	5.00@5.60
Ordinary calves	4.00@5.00

Cattle shippers today: S. W. Warren, Warrenton, 1 load cattle and calves; S. B. Cloydt, Pomeroy, Wash., 1 load; J. E. Reynolds, Arlington, 1 load; H. S. Neal, Condon, 1 load cattle and calves; J. E. Jenkins, Condon, 1 load cattle and calves.

Cattle run today	131
Week to date	763
Same period 1910	949
Month to date	6,925
Same period 1910	7,111
Year to date	63,446
Same period 1910	63,532

Sheep Market Improved.

There were no arrivals in the mutton division of North Portland today and this is having a good effect upon the trade generally. As there are few lots of real fancy sheep remaining in the local territory, at this time, the trade will be compelled to purchase practically all of its requirements elsewhere. This naturally will help whatever stuff is marketed here from the home section.

At Chicago there was a steady tone in the sheep trade today, with a run of 25,000 head.

At South Omaha sheep were steady to strong with top yearlings $4.40 and best offerings of lambs $5.65.

Sheep values at North Portland:

Select lambs	$ 4.75
Choice lambs	4.50
Common lambs	4.00@4.25
Yearling wethers	4.50
Old wethers	4.00
Fancy ewes	3.45@3.50
Ordinary	2.50@3.00

Receipts received from the interior indicate that the movement of all classes of sheep from there to market will remain small for some time.

Sheep run today	None
Week to date	1,664
Same period 1910	2,336
Month to date	24,994
Same period 1910	17,209
Year to date	283,511
Same period 1910	150,450

Hogs Are Weaker.

There was a weaker tone in the hog trade elsewhere. At North Portland the market was firmer and 5c higher during the morning trade. There was a run of 241 head compared with 99 last Tuesday.

At Chicago there was a weak tone in the swine market with a run of 25,000 head compared with 13,000 a year ago. Top stuff sold today at $6.45, this being paid for heavy stuff of quality.

At South Omaha hogs were weaker with a run of 10,000 head. Prices dropped 10c under yesterday with tops at $6.15.

North Portland swine trade today:

Best eastern Oregon	$ 6.75
Medium eastern Oregon	6.65@6.70
Best Willamette valley	6.60@6.70
Good to heavy	6.00
Feeders	6.50@6.85

Hog shippers today: S. B. Cloydt, Pomeroy, Wash., 3 loads.

Hog run today	241
Week to date	941
Same period 1910	115
Month to date	7,315
Same period 1910	5,824
Year to date	86,025
Same period 1910	75,698

Tuesday's Livestock Market.

STEERS.			
7 steer	1080	$5.15	
CALVES.			
51	214	$4.50	
7	398	4.50	
BULLS.			
1	840	$4.25	
COWS.			
11	876	$4.60	
19	1031	4.60	
4	1097	3.75	
HOGS.			
181	205	$6.75	
27	327	6.00	

CHICAGO CATTLE WEAK

Market Has a Run of 5000 Head; Hogs Are Slow Too.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—Run: Hogs, 25,000; cattle, 5000; sheep, 28,000.

Hogs are weak. Left over, 5800; receipts a year ago, 13,000. Mixed, $5.80@6.40; good and heavy, $6.15@6.45; rough, $5.85@6.10; light $5.45@6.20.

Cattle—Weak.

Sheep—Steady.

CATTLE UP AT OMAHA

Market Steady to 10 Cents Higher; Hogs Dime Lower.

South Omaha, Nov. 28.—Cattle, 3500; market steady to 10c higher. Steers, $6.50@7.75; cows and heifers, $4.25@5.25.

Hogs, 10,000; market 10c lower. Sales, $5.50@6.15.

Sheep, 9800; market steady to strong. Yearlings, $3.85@4.40; wethers, $3.40@3.75; lambs, $5.25@5.65; ewes, $3.15@3.50.

Freewater Alfalfa Crop.

Freewater, Or., Nov. 28.—The yearly returns of the alfalfa crop for this season, which includes the Vincent and Hudson Bay country, have just been completed. The amount for shipping and feeding purposes being between 15,000 and 20,000 tons. This does not include the amounts put out by small growers and used for home consumption. Among the larger growers whose sales will be over 5000 tons are A. L. Demaris, N. E. Rice, J. L. Johnson, Hoon Bros., A. L. Coombs estate, Dan Kinney, E. C. Burlingame, Fred Markham, D. J. Kirk and Phillips, Record Bros., and William Hodgins.

It is the intention of some of the ranchers to experiment next year for the growing of alfalfa for seed, for which there is a large demand.

DRESSED VEAL IS VERY SCARCE ALONG STREET AND PRICE IS BOOSTED

Market Reaches 13½ Cents a Pound With Talk of 14 Cents Being Paid by One Buyer Who Was Squeezed; Baby Hogs Sell Somewhat Better.

There was a sharp advance in the price of dressed veal along Front street today. Supplies were nominal, while trade needed quite heavy stocks.

Sales were made generally at 13½c for the few that came and one report was that a fraction above this was squeezed out of one buyer. However, the commission trade generally is quoting 13½c as the top.

Far the greater per cent of the veal that has entered the Front street trade recently have been of heavy size—and rough stock at that. This therefore has forced receivers to shade quotations and sales were generally made around 11@12½c a pound, according to quality.

There is still quite liberal marketing of dressed hogs along the street and this is keeping prices at practically the same range they have held at for about a week.

Baby hogs have been in quite fair supply and the price has ranged from 15c to 17c a pound, or much better than had been expected.

SPECIALTIES RANGE AT HIGHER PRICES

New York, Nov. 28.—There was a fair showing of strength in most securities today, but the major portion of the list was higher. St. Paul, Union Pacific and Amalgamated Copper and United States Steel, common, were the leaders of the upward movement.

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

Description—	Open	High	Low	Bid
Amal. Cop. Co.	63⅞	64	62½	64
Am. C. & F., c.	54¾	54⅝	54½	54¾
Am. Can., c.	11⅝	11⅞	11⅝	11¾
do pfd	91½	91¾	90⅝	91
Am. Cot. Oil, c.	.....	.....	.....	44½
Am. Loco., c.	36⅞	36⅞	36	36
Am. Sugar, c.	119	119	118½	118½
Am. Smelt., c.	74⅛	74¼	72¾	73⅞
do pfd	103¼	103⅜	103¼	103¼
Anac. Min. Co.	39	39¼	38¼	38⅞
Am. Wool., c.	.....	.....	.....	27
Atchison, c.	107¼	107¼	106⅝	106¾
do pfd	103¾	103¾	103⅝	103¾
B. & O., c.	102⅞	103	102½	103
Beet Sugar	55½	55½	54⅝	54¾
Brook. Rap. T.	78¼	78¼	77⅝	77¾
Can. Pacific, c.	242½	242½	241½	242
Cent. Leather, c.	21⅞	22¼	21⅞	22
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	93
C. & G. W., c.	.....	.....	.....	20
do pfd	38	38¾	38	38½
C., M. & St. P.	110½	111⅝	109¾	111⅝
C. & N. W.	145½	145½	145	145
Ches. & Ohio	75	75¼	74½	75¼
Col. F. & I. c.	27	27½	27	27¼
Col. South., c.	.....	.....	.....	45
do 2d pfd.	67	67	67	67
do 1st pfd.	.....	.....	.....	76
Con. Gas	140⅝	140⅝	139½	140
Corn Products, c.	.....	.....	.....	11
do pfd.	.....	.....	.....	76
D. & R. G. c.	23	23⅛	23	23
do pfd.	.....	.....	.....	48
Erie, common	32½	32½	32½	32
do 2d pfd.	.....	.....	.....	44
do 1st pfd.	53	53	52¼	52⅞
Gen. Electric	155	155⅛	154½	154½
G. N. ore lands.	42¾	42¾	42	42
G. N. pfd.	127⅝	127¾	127	127¾
Ice Securities	.....	.....	.....	194
Illinois Cen.	.....	.....	.....	142
Int. Harvester	107	107	104½	104¾
Int. Met. com.	14½	15½	14½	15⅛
do pfd.	46¾	47½	46½	47
Lehigh Valley	177⅞	178½	176⅞	178⅛
K. C. Southern	.....	.....	.....	29¼
Louis. & Nash.	158⅝	158⅝	156½	157⅝
Mex. Nat'l, ces.	34	34¼	34	34½
M., S. P. & S. M.	135¼	135¼	134¼	134¼
M. K. & T., c.	31¼	31¼	30¾	31
do pfd.	.....	.....	.....	66⅝
Missouri Pacific	39⅛	39⅛	39	39⅛
National Lead	51	51	50½	50¾
Nevada Cons.	18⅝	18¾	18½	18¾
N. Y. Central	107½	107½	107	106¾
N. Y. O. & W.	40⅝	40¾	40⅝	40½
Norf. & West., c.	110⅝	110¾	110⅝	110⅝
North American	74	74	73½	73½
North. Pac., c.	119	119	118	118¾
Pacific M. S. Co.	32	32⅛	32	32¼
Pennsylvania Ry.	122⅝	122½	122⅛	122¼
Pressed S. C., c.	34	34	33½	34
Reading, c.	152	152⅛	149⅞	151⅝
do 2d pfd.	.....	.....	.....	94
do 1st pfd.	.....	.....	.....	88½
Rep. I. & S., c.	.....	.....	.....	23
Rock Island, c.	26⅝	26¾	26½	26⅛
S. L. S. F. 2d pfd	42⅝	42⅝	42¼	42½
do 1st pfd.	.....	.....	.....	66
S. L. & S. W., c	31	31	31	31
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	70¾
Sou. Pacific, c.	114	114¼	113⅛	113⅞
Southern Ry., c.	30⅝	30¼	29⅞	30⅜
do pfd	72½	72¾	71¼	72½
Texas & Pacific	.....	.....	.....	24½
T., St. L. & W., c	18¼	18½	18	18¼
do pfd	42⅝	42¾	42⅝	42½
Union Pacific, c	177	177½	175½	177
do pfd	93⅛	93⅛	93	93⅛
U. S. Rubber, c.	46⅝	46⅝	46⅛	46¼
do pfd	.....	.....	.....	109¼
U. S. Steel, c	64⅝	65	63⅝	64⅞
do pfd	109	109⅝	109	109¼
Utah Copper	51⅝	51⅝	49¾	51
Vir. Chemical	.....	.....	.....	54¼
Wabash, c	10½	10⅞	9⅞	10½
W. U. Telegraph	78	78	77½	77½
West. Electric	65½	65½	65⅛	65

Money, 3½@3¾ per cent.
Total sales, 587,200.

NORTHWEST BANK STATEMENT

Portland Banks.

Clearings today	$2,335,828.01
Year ago	1,497,872.09
Gain today	$ 837,955.92
Balances today	412,472.84
Year ago	90,164.32

Tacoma Banks.

Clearings today	$ 659,936.00
Balances today	61,853.00

Seattle Banks.

Clearings today	$1,776,346.00
Balances today	281,857.00

New York Cotton Market.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	884	886	876	885@86
Feb.	...	...	...	890@92
Mch.	895	897	886	896@98
Apl.	...	...	...	899@01
May	901	903	889	902@03
June	...	...	...	905@07
July	908	911	901	910@11
Aug.	916	916	913	915@16
Sep.	914	914	909	915@17
Oct.	915	917	913	920@22
Nov.	...	...	...	907@08
Dec.	910	912	901	909@10

Plan for New Bridges.

(Special to The Journal.)

Vancouver, Wash., Nov. 28.—The board of county commissioners, accompanied by County Engineer Bailey, went yesterday to look over and stake out sites for two bridges to span canyons on the new Durkee road recently established. The two bridges will cost approximately $1200, and work on them will be commenced at once, it is understood.

Thanksgiving Dance.

Vancouver, Wash., Nov. 28.—Society is agog over the nearness of the Grocery Clerks, association dance to be held in Columbia hall Thanksgiving night. The hall is being decorated for the occasion, and Knuselman's orchestra has been engaged to furnish music. Guests from Portland as well as Vancouver are expected.

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WHEAT PRICE IS SOFT IN THE LOCAL MARKET; SOME CUTTING OF BIDS

Practically No Supplies Are Available Under 79c, Although Some Will Not Pay More Than 78c Per Bushel, Track, for Club Today.

Daily Argentina Report.
(Special Cable.)
Buenos Ayres, Argentina, Nov. 28.—Weather exceedingly good for early harvest. Market easier. Many steamers are arriving here to take cargoes to Europe.

OLD WORLD WHEAT MARKET.
Liverpool—Wheat opened unchanged; closed ⅛d to ¼d higher.
Antwerp—Wheat unchanged.
Berlin—Wheat, 1c lower.
Budapest—Wheat, ⅝c lower.
Paris—Wheat unchanged to ⅝c lower.

WHEAT CARGOES DULL.

London, Nov. 28.—Wheat cargoes dull; Walla Walla for shipment nominal.

English country markets quiet.
French country markets steady.

—CARS—	Wheat.	Bar.	Flour.	Oats.	Hay.
Monday	113	1	23	11	25
Tuesday	42	...	3	6	11
Year ago	110	5	9	...	1
Season to date	6181	236	1214	759	1495
Year ago	5422	274	990	518	1402

Wheat prices were soft locally but there was practically no business passing at the lower range. Bids for club generally range from 78c to 79c per bushel, based upon track delivery, but growers are not willing to sell at all at the lower figure and are not anxious at the higher market.

There was further weakness and depression in the wheat trade abroad today, due to the softness of the market at Buenos Ayres. With more favorable harvest weather and with ships already arriving to take the new crop, Europe is awaiting actual loading before purchasing additional supplies elsewhere. Cargo market here is stationary but nominal.

Bids for oats are again changed, with prices ruling from $30 to $31 a ton, track, for No. 1 white, according to the views of buyers. It is now stated that no more $30 oats are available here.

Hay market is showing a better outward movement but country offerings of grain stock continue liberal. Timothy remains scarce and firm.

CHICAGO WHEAT IS LOWER

Market Closes With Loss of 1⅛ to 1½ Cents a Bushel.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—There was a further loss of 1⅛@1½c a bushel at the close of the wheat market here today. Opening prices were unchanged for December and July and ⅛c up for the May.

Foreign markets were weak and lower owing to the more favorable weather at Argentina points where harvesting is starting.

Canadian grain visible supply in bushels:

	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Wheat	11,131,000	12,427,000	12,048,000
Oats	4,551,000	4,664,000	7,185,000
Barley	1,047,000	1,115,000	759,000

Range of Chicago prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke company:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT.				
Dec.	94⅝	94¾	93⅛	93⅜
May	100⅛	100¼	98⅝	98½
July	94⅜	94½	93⅛	93¼
CORN.				
Dec.	62⅝	62⅞	62⅜	62⅜
May	64	64¼	63⅞	63⅞
July	64	64⅛	63⅞	63⅞
OATS.				
Dec.	46⅞	46⅞	46½	46½
May	49¼	49⅝	49	49
July	45¾	45¾	45⅝	45⅝
PORK.				
Jan.	1610	1610	1597	1597
May	1652	1652	1640	1647
July	....	....	....	1650
LARD.				
Jan.	922	922	917	917
May	947	947	942	945
July	....	....	....	952
RIBS.				
Jan.	840	840	....	835
May	865	887	....	862
July	....	....	....	860

23 CHINESE GAMBLERS ARRESTED AT ASTORIA

(Special to The Journal.)

Astoria, Or., Nov. 28.—Chief of Police Houghton, with the assistance of Officers Thompson, Howard and Bakotich, cleaned out the gambling joint near the postoffice, on Bond street. Twenty-three Chinamen were arrested and four wagon loads of gambling paraphernalia were confiscated by the authorities, along with three opium outfits.

The raid was the result of long watchfulness by the police, who, although aware that gambling was going on in the building, say they were forced to await the opportune moment when they could make their way into the hallway of the building without being observed by the vigilant lookout.

The entry was effected so quickly that the dealer at one of the fantan tables was unable to get his "bank roll" into a safe hiding place before the police were upon him. He tried to make his escape by way of a back door, but upon the door being opened Officer Thompson was there and the "banker" was gathered in with the rest of his brethren.

Three fantan games were in session when the police broke into the four gambling rooms, and one of the bankers, or dealers, was relieved of $290.40. A lottery board was also in operation, the authorities interrupting just before the winning numbers had been declared.

At police headquarters the Chinamen put up $25 each to appear for trial. The total sum of the bail collected amounted to $575.

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URGE COUNCIL TO BOOST CIVIC PLAN

City Asked to Help Put Bennett Designs in Each Voter's Hands.

The Civic council unanimously adopted a resolution last night urging that the city council make an appropriation for publishing the Greater Portland plan for systematic building of the greater city so that a copy might be placed in the hands of every voter.

That the plan is worthy the interest and support of every citizen who has any interest in the welfare of the city or the success of its growth was urged by President Carter of the Civic council John H. Haak, L. E. Latourette, Burt C. Jones and others.

How the Greater Portland Plans association, made up of the citizenship, with an advisory committee composed of an elected delegate from each improvement association and civic body, has ability for concentrating strength of influence on any desired local improvement that is made a unit of the general plan was explained by the secretary of the association.

That a set of st