BONDS

By Hyman H. Cohen.

Fully twice as much poultry has been coming to the Portland market recently than during any other year for this period. The increased production is

and central west, local dealers are at this time sending quite liberal supplies to other Pacific northwest points. Several large killing houses have been established here and this has placed the placed the market on a much better basis than formerly. While it was formerly the rule for one or two killers to control the price and situation because the wants of other buyers were nominal owing to their limited facilities and purchases were therefore from hand to mouth.

This system has given way to liberal

EGG SUPPLIES ARE HOLDING IN PRICE

Supplies of eggs in the Front street trade during the week were rather lib-eral. There was little, if any, change in the situation from last week. Prices were the same, and the movement just about good enough to hold the price.

SALMON MARKET IS SHOWING STRENGTH

Through the canned salman market Through the canned salmon market there was a firmer time for the better grades during the just week. Latest in countion from the Columbia was to the effect that the catch and pack would full about he per cent short of last ceason. Shortness are likewise we in the Puget sound and Alaskan

HOPS REALLY SHOW DULLNESS ON COAST

convinced that estimates on the coming crop have been overdrawn con-siderably in most districts, there was a silguity steader fone for the contracts during the week although prices re-mained substantially the same. Growers were not quite so anxious to let go.

COUNTRY MEATS SELL AT EXTREME VALUES

Sales of country killed meats were made at advanced prices in the Front street trade during the week. This ap-plied principally to veals, but hop-were firmer and higher all around, owing to the decreased showing both in the livestock and dressed meat trade.

PEAR MARKET SHOWS

SOME DEPRESSION

Some depression was shown in the pear trade during the week along Front street. Offerings from California and Yakima were much increased, and there was a greater showing from the home section. Quality is very good.

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WHEAT MARKET HOLDS

Trade in the wheat market here holds at practically last week's prices. While at times there was an inclination among millers to force a lower flaure there. millers to force a could not get supplies under last week's prices. With plenty of flour orders on hand, they cannot hold back grinding operations. Club is in principal call.

AIDS BULL SIDE

BARLEY MARKET SHOWS

There was a showing of weakness in the barley trade during the week. California weakened considerably, and this
had a direct bearing upon the home sitluation. Some short covering of brewshort time ago and this gave encour-

DAIRY PRODUCTS IN A FIRMER POSITION

POTATO TRADE SLOW: PRICE IS MAINTAINED

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GREATER RECEIPTS

ent and Agricultural Outlook Continues the Main Factor in New York.

New York, Aug. 17 .- Sentiment in the financial community has undergone a marked change for the better with disposition somewhat more pronounced on the part of investors to take hold of the sequrities of those corporations which period. The increased production is fully shown by the abundance of springs in the local trade during recent months. Hens have not been so plentiful, which would indicate that producers are holding back their supplies for egg production.

While Portland has been forced during other years to import heavy supplies of dressed poultry from the east and central west, local dealers are at this time sending quite liberal supplies to other Pacific northwest points.

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The satisfactory agricultural outlook and favorable condition of our basic industries are being made much of by the constructive element, but owing to the prospective large demand for funds for

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FOREIGN STRENGTH

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Short covering was the basis of this weeks advance here and on every soft spot there was a movement to get even among this element of the trade.

There appears no doubt in the mints of the trade that the market has been every aversold for some time. Just heavily oversold for some time. J

	A FIRMEN FUSITION	of the trade that the market has been	mountain lambs \$ 5.25
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ľ	POTATO TRADE SLOW:	May 97% 98% 97% 97% B \$21.00; middlings, \$32.00; shorts, \$27.50 70 990c per box; string beans, 2c ros shad rose, 20c 10.; Colum-	neisco, Aug. 17.—Grain callst
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	Trade, in the potato market was slow during the past week. While there was	Williamette, 38.10; local straight, 34.50; celery, 40.20 Coz. egg plant, 6 gride cannot eastern, and can, \$6.00 dozen; liggents 1000 market be higher. North Dec.	131 B 135 A
	a demand for well matured stock from	Was get with the Cattle-Receipts, 200, market steady, May	150 B 157 A BARLEY.
	Alaska few of the offers would fill the	the Dec 33% 83% 82% 32% HAY Producers' price-1912 crop- Hops, Wool and Rides, LARI - Tierces, 13% c lb.; compound,	125% 126% 126% 125%
*	bill, therefore the market, while good for matured tubers, is slow for others.		1914 1814 1814 1814
	for matured tubers, is slow for others.	The loss tell loss tell loss with the mixed \$13/014; clover \$8; 1917 contracts hominal 18c.	
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		Hogs, 5470; market steady to 6@10c BUTTER FAT—Producers' price, for lower at \$7.95@8.45. Honey 52.75 per case. Points, Goal Oil, Etc. Points, Goal Oil, Etc. Points, Goal Oil, Etc.	CDAWTINE
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-	THE STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE	London Aug 17 Consols 75 7.15: Type pipe Currents \$1.50; blackber, ordinary, 1316 @ 14c, noor, 10c, lambs 10 Der 100.	es 28 Preight received at
11.	SAN FRANCISCO	silver, 29 %; bank rate, 3 per cent. ries, \$1.40@1.50. @11c; mutton, 7@8c; goats, 2@4c; beef, WHITE LEAD-Ton lots, 8c per 10.7 return.	dock dally up to 8 p. m.
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GRAIN

HARVESTING THE BUMPER CROP

Wheat Yields in All Sections of the Pacific Northwest Are Better Than During Any Recent Year; Light Land Sections of Columbia River Report Greater Outputs of Cereals Than Ever Before Known; Coarse Grain Averages Are Unusually Favorable the Present Season.

By Hyman H. Cohen.

Actual returns of the wheat and bar-ley harvest of the Pacific northwest fully confirm estimates made by this paper regarding the bumper cereal crop

paper regarding the bumper cereal crop in the three states this season.

Few returns are being received of yields of wheat that go less than 20 bushels average per acre. Even volunteer lands in some of the light land sections are going from 12 to 15 bushels average.

The Columbia river counties of Oregon never had such a good crop of wheat as they are harvesting this season. This applies to Gilliam. Morrow and Sherman counties. In the former and the latter sections the yields are surprisingly heavy and taken as a whole prove to be the greatest output those localities have ever known.

From central Oregon along the Deschutes equally as good, if not better reports are being received.

From the Palouse and Big Bend sections of Washington and from Umatilla county in Oregon, Columbia county washington, yields are uniformly excessive.

In the Palouse of Idaho, through

In New Perce and slong Camas Prairie the returns are the best in years. Harley outputs are as good in the various sections as wheat, and there is every likelihood of a good average prothe Willamette valley of Oregon

In the Willamette valley of Gregori the wheat crop is mixed as to quantity. The average, however, is the best for many years. Oats crop in the valley is better than usual. The following special reports of the crops were received during the past Washington.

Coules City Wash. Reports from the harvest fields are more encouraging the other day as a sample of what Cowas work progresses.

Palouse Wash.—I. W. Comsteck has on display in the Palouse Land rom-pany's office a bundle of oats which measures from root to the five feet and ten inches. From the one and one-built acres Mr. Comstock cut nine tons of

Thornton, Wash, -A. M. Krous delivered the first lead of wheat to Thornton. It yielded 30 bushels an arre. Threshing is in full sway in this vicinity, an average yield of 30 to 35 bushels.

Albion, Wash. The wenther is ideal Carmers are beginning to cut onts and spring grain, Wilson Creek, Wash - Grain is more

4% promising than at first expected, ac-14% cording to heading reports, Albion Wash Spring crain harvest campbell Earl good quality.

Yields That People Are

Letter county, crop conditions are likewise very known.

Letter heaviest yield per acre ever known.

Eastern Oregon, Milton, Or. W. H. Frazier, fall wheat, 43 bushels. Willamette Valley.

bushels.

Big Bend. Fairfield, Wash.-II, H. Adams, wheat, 45 harhels. Thornton, Wash.—A. M. Krous, wheat,

of Robert Mitchell on the west side.

Wilbur, Wash .- The barley harvest re threshing the wheat. With the ex-ception of a small territory in the Sherman district, which soffered from a burning sun in June, the crop results

Mansfield, Wash.-Wheat is turning out well through this section running from 1s to 45 husbels to the acre. On Gallagher Brothers' ranch the grain ran better than 45 bushels on measured

ground. This was wilte amber wheat. Finley, Wash -The first shipment

Campbell Early variety and of extra

farmed for 32 years and is the largest yield ever received on the ground. yield ever received on the ground. Many others are getting 40 bushels or

Kennewick, Wash.-Last week marked the beginning of carload shipments of watermelons from this place. The acre-age is not large, but the quality is up to the standard. Cars are being loaded daily and there is a good demand.

Colbert, Wash .- Jonathan Patterson is collect, Wash.—Jonathan Patterson is loading a car of wheat which he is shipping to Heslin & Fox, grain and feed dealers at Newport, Wash. Mr. Patter-son had 30 acres of wheat grown three miles northeast of Colbert that averaged 52 1/2 bushels an acre.

Walla Walla, Wash .- J. M. Reser, who has just finished threshing approximately 160 acres of wheat near this city, has taken a yield of 59 bushels to the acre as an average for the entire field. The wheat is Jenkins Club, and is full the terminal of the control of the

Albion, Wash.—Many threshing ma-chines have been in the fields for a week, and reports are coming in that nost yields are falling below expecta-

Oregon. six hundred and ten pounds of timothy-hay on seven acres of land is the record made by Archie Thompson, and he thinks it will be hard to beat.

O bushels.
Charles Refling, wheat, 30 bushels.
Scholls, Or.—Heaton farm, oats, 70 ushels. Echo, Or - Echo is now in the midst

of her grain harvest. The wheat south and west of fown has mostly been head-ed and threshing has begun, while the grain east of town is being harvested by combines and will not be completed for three weeks or a month.

The Daffes, Or.-Hungarian prunes litz county can do in the way of grain Bartlett pears and early Crawford culture. It was grown on the property peaches are being marketed this week.

Salem, Or The loganherry season will stop this week. The yeld has been

Creswell, Or - James Haves, the Cres-

Nezperce, Idaho -Threshing opera-tions will be commenced in all sections of the prairie this week and all condi-tions point to unusual yields. A number of threshers were started last week and of grapes for the section was made this of threshers were started last week and week by Hunkins & Wilson of the Tres in every instance the yields have been Santos ration. The grapes were of the larger than expected. arger than expected.

Lewiston Idaho - The crop yields in

PORTLAND WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS CHICAGO HOGS HIGHER

Market Generally Shows Very Healthy Condition, Supplies Being Moved on Basis of Last Week's Quotations.

PRODUCE

The following sales were representa-tive of livestock transactions at North Portland during the week ended Saturday, August 17;

Monday's Live Stock Sales. STEERS. Av. Lbs. cows. CALVES. BULLS HOGS. 6 LAMES. *****

*Weighed off cars, therefore filled price would be 15c less.

Tuesday's Livestock Sales.

*Ket in first class condition.

General hog range:

Select light
Select heavy
Medium light

\$.900

Medium light

\$.800 9.00 ****************

24 steers 943 BULLS. 1 bull STAGS. ...1250 1 stag HEIFERS. 1 helfer1120 HOGS. 63 hogs 95 hogs LAMBS. 63 hogs

Wednesday's Livestock Sales. LAMIIS.

Average lbs. Price 150 lambs SHEEP. 119 yearlings STEERS. 132 ewes f steers 2 steers steer8 steers cows cows 1 cow 860 STAGS, 1 stag1280

Thursday's Live Stock Sales. STEERS. COWS.1078 BULLS, 750 ...1600 SHEEP.

Friday's Livestock Sales. STEERS. Ave. Ibs. 1 stag1470 219 5 hogs 450

Saturday's Livestock Sales, HOUS. 125 BTEERS. 2 steers COWS. 1 cowSTAGS. ...1000 ..1010

Market Excellent With Top Price Continued in Local Market; Hog Production Is Showing Enormous Increase

By Hyman H. Cohen.

The strength of the hog market is pronounced and recent advances in the price have only stimulated the activity. While there have been further advances in the markets at Chicago, Kansas City and South Omaha recently, the trade at North Portland continues at the highest

North Portland continues at the highest point reached recently by any stockyard in the entire country.

With wheat and other cereal prices promising rather low, this ought to prove an exceptional year for hog producers and feeders. Big profits are seemingly assured all those that engage in the business at this time.

There is little doubt that hog prices will remain at a high figure hereafter. Attempts of hig packers to force the price down have met with failure on each occasion whenever values reached such a basis that fresh consumptive demand was stimulated. This took care of the increased offerings of periods.

Hog Supplies Not Meavy.

Rog Supplies Not Heavy.

Supplies of hogs in the United States are not nearly as heavy as some have expected. Almost every day a decreased showing is noted at stockyards enst of the Rockies, when arrivals of the previous year are compared.

Along the Pacific coast, and more especially in the racific northwest, there has been a very smart increase in the production of hogs during the past 18 months but a still greater showing will be noted when the present crop is ready for market. Hog Supplies Not Heavy.

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4.00
While there is a temporary scarcity of swine available for market, there is said to be twice as many pigs at Pacific northwest points than ever before \$5.35* in sight, these supplies should be fattened properly and will enter the market in first class condition.

General hog range:

Price. Medium heavy \$.75 Poor light \$.25@6.50 Rough heavy 0.00@6.25 Cattle Prices Maintained.

Cattle Prices Maintained.
Cattle prices were quite well maintained at North Portland during the past week. There was no real strength and no easiness in the trading, values being held in tact, but that was all. There was no great cry for supplies, neither was any shortage indicated. In general the cattle trade was steady and smooth.

While the average offerings of cattle.

smooth.

While the average offerings of cattle
to the local yards recently have been of
better average quality than usual, still
not many toppers came forward and
few sales were therefore made at extreme values.

This applied to all branches of the
cattle trade, steers, cows and bulls as
well as calves.

well as calves.

The extreme scarcity of the latter supply is causing much concern among killers generally. The demand for calves, while always good here, is unsually firm at this time. Not only has there been a very serious decrease on the marketing of the stuff in the marketing of the stuff in the

6.00 in the marketing of live stuff in the 6.00 yards, but this shortage has been 6.75 aggravated by the loss of supplies in the dressed meat trade where country With plenty of cheap hay and feed in sight, cattle interests are making a determined effort to secure feeder supplies. Several companies have been or to supply this need and

\$5.00
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\$5.00

4.00

In order to get the needs. With the greater demand from all sections it must of necessity follow that feeder stock values are climbing higher and higher. In portion to the quality they are higher than fed stuff.

This is an unnatural condition and if continued will mean heavy losses to continued will mean heavy losses to those that are forcing figures to the ex-treme. The feeder who is compelled to pay exorbitant values for stock to fatten for market is taking too many chances even at present high values for

the finished product
North Portland cattle prices:
Henvy fed steers
Choice steers
Common steers
Fancy cows
Ordinary cows
Conduct
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Common steers Ordinary cows Fancy light calves..... Hory calves 5.00 6.50
Hest bulls 4.50 04.75
Ordinary bulls 4.00 4.25
Basier Tono for Mutton.

Mutton seems destined to be the only meat that is really cheap. While values are rather good at points east of ment that is really cheap. While values are rather good at points east of the Hockies. there is no inclination to bid higher at Pacific coast points. Perhaps in a measure this is due to the fact that only a certain percent of the sheepmen can afford to take chances of shipping so far away from home and therefore prefer to accept the low value in effect here rather than send to Chicago, Kansas City or Sarth Omaha.

While the difference in the freight rate is small and can snarfely be counted as seeningly only the big-operators have the nerve to go away from home with their offerings.

At the rate that mutton is being marketed at Pacific northwest points, it will not be long, because the shorts, in that line is even more pronounced than hogs or cattle. Sheep need range room wife the other lines can be kept, in better shape in a small space, although the keeping is more expensive.

Lamb prices dropped off slightly during the week but there was little change in the mutton market generally.

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