GREAT HALIBUT FISHING BANKS ARE FOUND OFF THE OREGON COAST GERMAN SOLDIERS IN

COFFEE MARKET IS A MASS OF WEAKNESS; PRICES ARE LOWER

No Reason Is Shown for Former Rise in Prices Aside From the Desire of Speculators to Make the Consumer Pay the Bill.

The price of coffee at Atlantic seaprice was simply a determined attempt | fined product.

to hold up the consumer. because of alleged shortage in the supthe manipulators to desist from their plan of boosting coffee prices sky-high. A message from New York during the last 24 hours quoted No. 4 Santos, the basis grade, at 12½c a pound, f. i. c. Portland, which means that cost, insurance and freight are included. On July 21 the price of No. 4 Santos in New York was 11c a pound, therefore the price now being quoted for the same grade is but %c higher than then. This too in the face of the fact that the sellers pay the war rate on shipments.

One rice and spice speculator who is said to have deabled in sugar to a very considerable degree, is said to have become frantic at the signs of weakness, and has been reported as offering to sell his stocks at a loss of \$1 to \$1.25 a hundred pounds under the general market.

The recent government inquiry showed conclusively that there was no shortage in the visible supply of sugar, and that the sharp record advances recently aided none but the refiners. The beet producers did not benefit, because 'At the time the first talk was heard they

of probable sharp advances in the price of coffee here," says F. D. Stephenson, head of the coffee department of Wadhams & Co. and considered one of the best authorities on the constant of the best authorities on the constant of the const coast, "I made the statement that there the opinion then, and am more so now, that instead of advancing the price of coffee it should be lower.

Potatoes are firmer but prices are showing no general change along the street. "There is an entire lack of reason for the price advances in the coffee market. There is a good crop in South America and the fact that the business is controlled by German interests who would be unable to finance it at all this season, leads to the impression that growers will be forced to accept lower prices

lower prices.
"A few speculators in spot coffee grabbed the visible supply in New York when the war was announced and forced the advances at that time." VEAL MARKET IS WEAKER

Considerable weakness is showing in the market for country killed calves along Front street. Receipts show a considerable increase for the last few days and the best price available today is 14c with only a small amount of business at that price.

SWEET POTATOES ARE LOWER

the reddish tint" is not meeting favor among the trade. SPRING CHICKENS ARE FIRMER

Market for spring chickens is showing an increase in strength. While the bulk of the sales along the street today were reported at 17c a pound, some were asking a fraction more. Hens steady at 15c.

TOKAY GRAPES ON STREET

Tokay grapes are today being freely offered on the local market. Receipts show a wide spread of quality and sales are reported from \$1.50 to \$1.75 a crate. Malagas continue steady around \$1.25 generally,

BRIEF NOTES OF THE TRADE

Fresh black and white figs are coming freely from the south. Sales at \$1 Carrots are very firm and scarce

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MARKET FOR SUGAR IS 50 CENTS LOWER; MARKET VERY WEAK

Speculators Becoming Frantic With First Signs of Dullness: Government Inquiry Shows No Shortage in the Visible Supply.

The first real break in the price of board points is within a mere fraction sugar here since European troubles of what it was previous to the opening started, occurred this morning. Wholeof hostilities in Europe, indicating salers here were notified by Pacific clearly that the strenuous efforts made | coast refiners of a decline of 50c per here a week or so ago to advance the hundred pounds in the price of the re-

Notwithstanding the determined at-At the time the talk was made about tempts of speculative interests who the coffee market going sharply higher | were trying to scare the public into purchasing sugar at a much higher price, ply reports in these columns indicated there has been considerable weakness that the advances were not at all justi- in the market here during the last few fied and in some quarters the asser-tion is made that these reports forced in the trade at Atlantic coast points. The manipulators to desist from their one rice and spice speculator who is days, and a similar condition is shown market.

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grounds.

While it is generally believed that the newly discovered banks will soon be fished out because of the great rush of boats to make hauls, the discovery of the banks leads to the conclusion that other banks equally as good will soon be found in the immediate vicinity of the Oregon coast.

Tomato market is just about holding was not the slightest reason for any advance here, in fact I was strongly of a box. Potatoes are firmer but prices are

Weather bureau sends the following otice to shippers: Protect shipments as far north as Seattle against maximum temperature of about 70 degrees; northeast to Spo-kane, 80 degrees; southeast to Boise, 88 degrees; south to Ashland, 80 de-grees. Maximum temperature at Port-land tomorrow, about 74 degrees.

JOBBING PRICES OF PORTLAND

These prices are those at which wholesalers sell to retailers, except as otherwise stated:
BUTTER—Nominal Williamette valley creamery, cubes, selling price, 32c; state prints, 324,235c; ranch butter, 18@20c; city creamers BUTTER FAT — No. 1, Portland delivery, 34c.
EGGS — Selected. Candled local, extras. white, 27@28c; fancy, 25@26c; case count, buying f. o. b. Portland, 22c.
LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 15c; broilers, 17c; buying f. o. b. Portland, 22c.
10c; young, 11c; turkeys, 20c; dressed, 25c; pigeons, old, \$1.00@1.25; squabs, \$2.25@2.40 dozen,

th berries, 8@10c pound.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, \$1.25; beets, \$1.50; carrots, \$1.50; persaips, \$1@1.25 sack; cablage, local, \$2@2.25; tomatoes, 40@60c; green orions, 12½c per doz. burches; peppers, bell, 7@7½c; head lettuce, \$1@1.25 box; ceiery, 40@75c doz.; egp plant, 5c; head lettuce, \$1.25@1 box; celery, 40@ 75c doz.; caulifficwer, local, (—); California, \$2.35 per crate; French artichokes, 80c doz.; sprouts, (—); string beans, 5@7c; Lims beans, (—); peas, 3. lb.; cucumbers, \$1 per box; green corn, 75c@\$1.25 sack.

ONIONS—Walla Walla, \$1.25 cwt.; garlic, garlic, 17½@20c pound.

POTATOES—Selling price: Extra choice, \$1.25@1.35 per cental; sweets, \$½c lb.

HOPS—Buring price: extra choice, HOPS—Buring price: extra choice, and who has represented the biggest hop buying firms in the world. He says:

'In my opinion, the present statistical hop condition is the best I have seen for many years. Hop growers should be reimbursed for past losses. The production of hops in the United States will be about 270,000 bales and the requirements for home consumption about 255,000 bales.

"Short sellers are naturally trying to bear the market, as some have sold short at very low prices. The fact remains that South America, Japan, Canada and England will all require hops.

Closing Values Are Up 2½ to for the Day; Outside Manada and England will all require hops.

Chicago Aug 21—Wheet close.

Chillian of the control of the contr HIDES—Dry hides, 22@23c lb.; green, 11@

12c; saited hides, 12½c; bulls, green sait, 8@ 9c; kips, 13@14c; calves, dry, 25c; sait skins saited or green, 18@20c; green hides 1c less than saited; sheep pelts, saited, shearings, 10@25c; dry, 10c.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

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DRESSED Meats — Selling price—Country killed; hogs, fancy, 12½c; ordinary, lic; rough and heavy, 9@10c; fancy veals, 13½@14c; ordinary, lic; poor, 10@11c; goats, lic; ordinary, lic; poor, 10@11c; goats, lic; ordinary, lic; poor, 10@11c; goats, lic; spring lambs, 10c.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Hams, 19½@21c; creakfast bacon, 15½@30c; boiled ham, 82c; picnics, 14½c; cottage, 22c.

MEATS—Packing house—Steers, No. 1 stock, 12½c; cows, No. 1 stock, 11½c; ewes, 10c; wethers, 11½c; lambs, 12½c; pork loins, 20c; dressed hogs, 13½c.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, 20c; dressed hogs, 13½c.

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FISH — Nominal. Dressed flounders, 7c; chinock salmon, 7@8c; steelhead, 7c; hallious, salmon, 7@8c; steelhead, 7c; hallious, salmon trout, 12½c.

LARD—Tierces, 11½c; compound, tierces, 11½c; compound, tie salmon trout, 12%c.
LARD—Tierces, 11%c; compound, tierces, CRABS-Large, \$2.00; medium, \$1 dozen. CRABS—Large, \$2.00; include, \$1 dozen.

Groceries.

SUGAR—Cube, \$7.95; powdered, \$7.80; fruit
or berry, \$7.55; beet, \$7.85; dry granulated,
\$7.55; D yellow, \$6.85. (Above quotations are \$7.55; D yellow, \$0.55. (Above quotations are 30 days net cash.)
RICK—Japan style, No. 1, 5½@5%c; New Orleans, head, 7@7½c; Creole, 5%c.
HONEY—New, \$3.25@3.50 per case.
BEANS—Small white, 6½c; large white, 5½c; pink, 5%; limas, 8c; bayo, 6c; red, 7 ½c. 10s. \$10.75; table dairy, 50s, \$10 per ton; 50s, \$10.75; table dairy, 50s, \$18: 10s, \$17.50; bales, \$2.25; extra fine barrels, 2s, 5s and 10s, \$5.25@6.00; lump rock, \$2.50 per

Paints and Oils,
WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7½c per lb.; 500
lb. lots, 7½c per lb.; less lots, 8c per lb.
LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls., 72c per gal.;
kettle boiled, bbls., 74c; raw, cases, 77c;
bolled, cases, 79c gal.; lots of 250 gallons, 1c
less; oil cake meal, \$44 per tom,
OIL MEAL—Carload lots, \$34.
TURPENTINE—In cases, 67c; tanks, 60c per gallon. COAL OIL-Water white on drums, and

Chicago Hogs Are Lower. Chicago, Aug. 21.—Hogs—Receipts 15,000; market steady to 5c lower; light, \$8.95@9.50; mixed, \$8.65@9.45; heavy, \$8.90@9.40; rough, \$8.65@8.50. Cattle—Receipts 1500; market steady. Sheep — Receipts 12,000; market

Kansas City Hogs \$9.40. Kansas City, Aug. 21.—Hogs—Re-ceipts 2500; market 5@10c lower; tops, \$9.40. Cattle - Receipts 400; market steady. Sheep — Receipts 2000;

Omaha Hogs Down Today.

strong.

NEW HALIBUT BANK IS DISCOVERED WHICH GIVES RECORD CATCH

Place Found Off Newport Which Is Said to Be Greatest in Northwest; Enormous Catches Are Reported; Rush of Boats to Fish.

The halibut banks off the Oregon coast are today showing greater catches than even the famed Flattery banks. banks. According to an official of the government fish commission, enorgovernment fish commission, enormous catches are being taken off Newport, as high as 10,000 pounds a day being hauled in by the boats.

The catches are being made on newly discovered banks, which are said to be 10 miles long and five miles wide. The water is said to simply be alive with halibut.

The news of the new find spread The news of the new find spread rapidly, and it is likely that there will be more fishing boats off the Newport coast within a day or so than at any other point in the northwest. It is stated that within a few days from 50 to 60 halibut schooners are expected to be in the vicinity, most of them coming from the Puget sound grounds.

Hop Shorts Are Trying to Force Prices Down Here

at Least 30 Cents, Says John Carmichael.

Actual trading in hop contracts is reported in the Willamette valley with the sale of 50,000 pounds reported at 19c. This price is said to have been 19c. This price is said to have been offered in several instances during the last 24 hours.

At Salem 100,000 pounds of 1913s were purchased by T. A. Livesley & Co. at 17½c, and a carload was reported taken by the Seavey Hop company at the same price.

Numerous offers of 18@18½c for contracts are reported in the country.

Red Russian

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With the arrival of another carload of sweet potatoes from the Merced section, the local market was weaker and about ½c a pound lower for the day. Sales reported at 3c. Quality is rather good.

CHINESE EGGS ARE OFFERING

With the strengthening of the local with the reddish that considerable stocks of Chinese eggs are being offered. The "little brown stock with the reddish that" is not meeting with the reddish that" is not meeting with the reddish that because of the reddish that considerable the reddish that the reddish that the redship that the r

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Hops.—Buying price, choice, 17c; prime,
16½c; medium to prime, 16c; 1914 crop contracts, 17@18c.
CHITTIM OR CASCARA BARK—Car lots,
5c. less than car lots, 5c. "The continent of Europe has always exported from 75,000 to 150,000 bales,

> ers, and under existing conditions 30c or more does not seem to be too high a HOP PICKING TO START

Ridgefield, Wash., Aug. 21.—Hop picking in the F. L. Stinson yard at Sara, about six miles from here, will Sara, about six miles from here, will begin about the first of September, according to information from the owner and will be a little earlier than former years. The hops are of a good quality and are entirely clean from insects. The long continued dry spell has had an effect on the quality of the crop around this hopyard and a lighter crop will be harvested. It is certain now that this year's crop will be about three-fourths of a crop on account of the dry weather. Hops are maturing to perfection and Mr. Stinson expects to harvest about 7500 pounds from his fields. This is much lighter than last year's yield. Pickers will be plentiful around the Sara hopyards this year and the crop will be quickly harvested unless wet weather sets in.

NORTHWEST BANK STATEMENT Week to date ... \$8,000,175.43 Seattle Banks. Clearings \$1,749,710.00
Balances \$134,379.00 San Francisco Barley Calls,

San Francisco, Aug. 21.-Barley Aug. 21 Open Close 105 % B 106 A 110 B 110 B104%

San Francisco Dairy Products. San Francisco, Aug. 21.—Eggs—Ex-tras 34c, firsts 30c, pullets 27½c, California storage extras 30c Butter—Extras 29c, prime firsts 27c' firsts 25c, seconds 22c.
Cheese—California fancy 14c, firsts

12c, seconds 11c. Two Names, Same Person. Bolin and Margaret Bolin filed suit against Bruno John in the circuit court Thursday to force the defendant to

HOGS HOLD FIRM AT MILLS CONTINUE TO OFFER BIG PREMIUM FOR THE BLUESTEM

Differential of 10c Per Bushel Existing Between Hard Grade and Club; Country Is Not Inclined to Let Go of Supplies.

PORTLAND GRAIN RECEIPTS. Wheat, Barley, Flour, Oats, Hay, Thursday ... 37 2
Friday ... 35 2
Year ago ... 88 ...
Season to date 1346 191
Year ago ... 686 208

tions none at all.

There was a slightly weaker situation abroad today and first cables from Liverpool told of lower prices.

Oats market is firm for small lots

immediate delivery. There is but lit-tle offering and quotations on No. 1 white feed are generally shown in the country on the basis of \$24.50 Port-Barley business remains quiet both in the country and at tidewater except for immediate delivery. For small lots early shipment sales are reported here at \$21@21.25 for feed.

There was a steady to firm tone for wheat on the Merchants' Exchange today. Club bids remained firm and stationary at \$7c, while bluestem was upspectually at \$46c. Others were unspectually at \$160 cm. another %c at 96%c. Others were un-changed. Further advance of 50c was forced for No. 1 feed oats at \$25.50. Feed bar-ley was unchanged at \$21 bid, but there was a further rise of 25c in

brewing.
Bids on bran were reduced, but Official Merchants' Exchange prices

ed taken by the Seavey Hop company at the same price.

Numerous offers of 18@18½c for contracts are reported in the country. The business is said to be principally from short interests who have become scared regarding the European crop situation and are making a determined effort to cover. Growers, on the other hand, are not willing sellers and most of them are holding for 20c or better.

A report from Sacramento this morning says that 1500 bales were purchased on contract there up to 17c a pound.

Bluestem 96½

Red Russian 88

Red fife 0ATS

No. 1 feed \$25.50

No. 1 feed \$21.00 \$21.50

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No. 1 brewing 21.50 23.00

Shorts 25.50 26.00

FLOUR—Selling price: Patent, \$4.80 to pound.

Forced for Wheat In Chicago Wheat

Closing Values Are Up 21/2 to 23/4 c for the Day; Outside Mar-

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Wheat closed 21/2 @2%c higher. A bullish feeling prevailed the entire session. At an early advance the wheat trade met liberal sales from cash and elevator interests which gave only temporary check to prices. Trade had bullish news later prices. which created great buying force and carried the market up to \$1.02 for Debut this year, owing to the war condi-tions, they cannot send a bale. It looks like high prices for Pacific coast grow-Outside markets were even stronger

Outside markets were even stronger than Chicago during the morning. Trade was given some bullish figures on the yield for the three big states and Canadian northwest which helped and Canadian northwest which helped the advance to top prices.

There was hardening of corn market from first to last today. No. 3 yellow was, as high as 83 cents on the tables. Accounts from the big corn states are very conflicting on the crop.

Great activity on the buying side of oats helped by reports of lower export sales, advanced prices to 47% c December and 49% @50c for May.

Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade building. WHEAT.

Month— Open. High. Low. Close.
September 94 97% 94 96%
December 99 102 99 101% A
May 105% 108% 105% 107% B

CORN. 78% 78% 78% 78% 78% 69 70% A 70% 71% 70% 71% A September December May OATS.
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 December
 45¼
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 45¼
 46¼

 May
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 49½
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 PORK. September 2235 2240 2230 2240 LARD.
 September
 985
 1005

 October
 997
 1017

 January
 1040
 1052
 985 997 1037 RIBS.

Library Board at Outs Over "Menace"

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 21 .- A disagreement among the members of the library board in regard to whether or not The Menace, an anti-Catholic per-

Trouble started the fore part of the week when the board voted the periodical from the library tables because of its policy and general character. Thursday the members of the board rewhich he stated that at the next meeting of the board he would offer a resolution instructing the librarian to re-Oregon City, Or., Aug. 21.-Marian principle, it is clear to his mind that ations. the board members, as public officials, have no right to exclude any paper be-Thursday to force the defendant to cause it attacks any political, relig-make a trade in property according to jous or economic belief.

\$9.50 TODAY IN THE

Receipts Continue Light but Demand Is Excellent; Top Lambs Again Command \$6; Cattle Situ- EFFECT IS FAR REACHING ation Is Showing Weak.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN. Hogs. Cattle. Calves. Sheep 472 81 1 1156 101 ... 180 Monday 518
Saturday 288
Week ago 186
Year ago 180
Two years ago 72
Three years ago 1079 2136 2376

run of stuff.

At Chicago there was a steady to weak tone for hogs today with prices 5c off. Tops at \$9.50.

Kansas City hog market ruled weak with a loss of 5 to 10c. Tops at \$9.40.

Omaha hogs were slow with a loss of a dime. Tops at \$9.10.

General hog market range:

Best light 200 pounds \$ 9.50

Best light, 200 pounds 8.00@ 8.25 Cattle Market Is Slow. ing a surplus.

If the country will restrict its cat-

the movement for a while and allow the market to clean up and then "starve" haps, and possibly a bit incongruous for a while, the probabilities are good for a more active tone generally.

At Chicago there was a steady tone

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It is a far cry to Christmas, perhaps, and possibly a bit incongruous to be talking of Christmas toys in the same breath with a general European war; but looking at the matter from in the cattle market for the day. Kansas City cattle market steady at former prices. was Omaha cattle were slow and gener-ally lower, but top steers remained at reaching are the effects of General cattle market range:

Ordinary to fair 5.75@6.50 Fancy cows Ordinary 5.25@5.50
Selected calves 8.00@8.25 Ordinary Heavy bulls Ordinary

Sheep Market Holds Good. Market for mutton and lambs is holding well at North Portland, although the poor stuff that has come forward of late has to some extent hurt the general tone. Sales of top lambs were made this morning at \$6. the former mark, therefore showing that no change has really occurred in the sheep and lamb trade so far as prices are concerned for several weeks. At Chicago there was a steady tone
in the mutton trade for the day.
Kansas City mutton market was
strong at former prices.

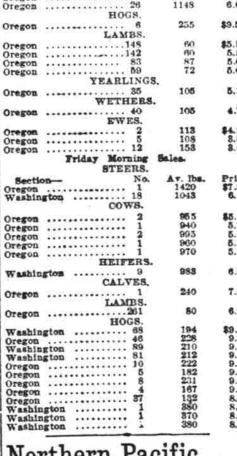
General mutton range:

Today's Livestock Shippers. Hogs-David Fulton, Biggs, 1 load; Valla Walla Meat company, Walla Walla Walla Meat company, Walla Walla, 2 loads; Robert McGrow, Goldendale, 1 load.
Cattle—J. J. Stack, Harrisburg, 1 load direct to Olympia, Wash.; Dalles Dressed Meat company, Hunts Ferry, 1 load; Alex Mills & Son, Lamount, Wash., 1 load.

Sheep—C. G. Adams, Baker, 4 loads, Mixxed stuff—F. B. Decker, Silverton, 1 load hogs and sheep direct to Union Meat company; Robert McCrow, Goldendale, 1 load hogs and cattle, Thursday Afternoon Sales, STEERS. Section-

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Northern Pacific Sues the County

Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 21 .- The Northern Pacific Railway company has started suit in the superior court ment in the sum of \$7470.99. Of this a member of the library board, in claimed to be overvalued and the remainder to be due on account of the alleged failure of the county assessor to ceive and keep on file The Menace so deduct 10 per cent depreciation on long as it is carried through the mails. their rolling stock and equipment, due, Mr. U'Ren stated that, as a matter of they claim, to enormous state overvalu-

\$12,000,000 too high and that when they entered an objection at the meet-ing of the board of equalization they were overruled. They allege that the amount they should have been required to pay was \$45,601.69, but this amount was refused and they were compelled to pay \$50,524.91. Their request that the difference be refunded

DANGER OF CAPTURE ON WAY TO AMERICA

N. PORTLAND YARDS Gaily Attired Military Men Worry Little Over Fate-They're Made of Tin.

Great Bulk of Toys Made for Christmas Trade Is Now Tied Up; Famine Expected.

New York, Aug. 21.-Whole regiments of German soldiers, which annually cross the Atlantic to America about this time, are being kept at home While there continues a very good demand for wheat from local and other Northwest mills, business is practically at a standstill today so far as the export trade is concerned. As high as 97c a bushel, tidewater track basis, is being bid for club in the interior by milling interests, with club around 87c generally. The call seems to be confined principally to the former and the premium of 10c per bushel is easily obtained by holders.

Country interests are holding tight to their supplies. They are offering only very limited lots and in some sections none at all.

Three years ago ...1079 84 ... 114 this year, and there is no telling when they will come, if at all. Some of them possibly have started the Transalting to the goal of them possibly have started the Transalting to the years ago ...1079 84 ... 114 this year, and there is no telling when they will come, if at all. Some of them possibly have started the Transalting to the years ago ...1079 84 ... 114 this year, and there is no telling when they will come, if at all. Some of them possibly have started the Transalting them possibly have started the Transalting to they make at all they will come, if at all. Some of them possibly have started the Transalting to the years only a small run reported in the yards overnight and these were quickly snapped to be on their way to New York or other coast ports, with the danger of being captured by the British warships said to be on the lookout for "prizes." But these regiments of soldiers in reference, while gaily attired in the colours of the Fatherland, are little troubled whether they fall into British, French or American hands, for they are of the tin and wooden variety, manufactured for the wooden variety, manufactured for the cial club last night and decided to run Christmas trade.

Tin and wooden sodiers are about the only kind that Germany is willing to have leave her domain now, but it begins to look as if the solders, the dolls, the mechanical toys and various other Christmas products of German ingenuity and handicraft are not destined to take their accustomed places on American shelves and show cases this fall and winter the solution of the s Market for cattle continues slow at North Portland. There was another light run in the yards overnight and these failed to attract much attention because most killers are already hold-

War's Affect Far-Reaching.

It is a far cry to Christmas, perhaps, and possibly a bit incongruous the meeting, but owing to other bust-to be talking of Christmas toys in the ness the initiation was postponed. and every citizen of the city of Vanwar; but looking at the matter from another standpoint, the fact that one has a decided bearing upon the other reaching are the effects of a great war and what a multiple of channels 7.25 of both trade and pleasure that they

Foreign toys probably amount pretty nearly half of the volume of business done in the American toy market each year, figured in dollars and cents, even though the cost of their manufacture on the whole is considerably less than the domestic prod-4.00@4.25 uct. Of the toys brought to America from abroad, the great preponderance

Germany Produces Most Toys. From these figures it may be seen that the effect of the European war Omaha mutton was steady to strong, with top yearlings \$6.45; lambs, \$8.25 and ewes \$5.60. cost of a war both to those peoples involved and those who, though merely lookers-on, at the same time are affected in one way or another.

Germany is the great toy producing nation, the volume of its feturns last having any other show places within year from this industry being close easy access, the management decided to \$30,000,000 in round figures. A few shipments of toys from Ger- ately. many were received before the war assumed a serious aspect. But the great bulk of the German toys designed for the holiday trade this year are still awaiting shipment from the other side, German steamships from Hamburg. The supposition is that they will re-

main at home indefinitely. Last year during the month of August there were received into the nited States toys valued at \$1,405,584. of which Germany contributed \$1,272,-437, and other countries only \$133,147 In September of 1913 Germany's contribution was \$1,671,928, while other countries sent \$145.625 worth, so that in the months of August and September combined last year the toy importations amounted to \$3,223,127 in value, grounds, Gladstone park, held a dance and lake fish. 5.50 or more than one third of the supply 5.00 received during the entire year, and Music was furnished by several of the Germany's part in this total was near- musicians who are attending the ly \$3,000,000.

Buying This Year Was Lavish. Last year was a banner year in the amount of toys imported from Germany, and the buy this year was on a still more lavish scale, according to Thursday against Eugene H. Shonithe statements of the buyers who went | niere, executor of the estate of Eleanor to Europe in the early part of the Van Allen and Anetta Lynch to collect summer.

The shortage of toys for the Christmas trade, unless the German supply does come later, will be chiefly along the line of mechanical and musical toys, Christmas tree ornaments and dolls, with dolls and their accessories 5.75 as the big factor. The accessories include tea sets, doll houses, and all in the Willamette river and fined: S 6.50 such things. American toy manufacturers predominate on wooden toys, \$25 and cost; H. Hargumas, \$25 and and the heavier metal toys. The Amer- cost; the \$25 to apply on aliens' state 6.00 ican manufacturers go in for the higher grade, more strongly put together, In the matter of dolls there is apt to be almost a famine. There were some wonderful creations seen in the Leipsic fair last spring, especially one called the "new-voiced baby," which by the movement of one arm cries both "papa" and "mamma."

School Open in One More Month

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 21.—Sept. 21 years in the railways on the contins the date set for the opening of the Oregon City public schools. Superintendent F. J. S. Tooze says he believes erland are metal. the enrollment this year will be greater than ever before. So that an increased enrollment may be accommoagainst Clarke county, asking judg- dated, the manual training rooms in by a French the new high school building have grained stone, first given a coating amount \$4922.22 is alleged to be due been moved to the Barclay gymnasium of enamel and baked at a high temper. ceived a letter from W. S. U'Ren, also them for taxes paid on property and the rooms in the high school con- ature after the photographs are printed. verted into a recitation room. Four new teachers, James West, sci-

ence; Carl F. Anderson, commercial; Carrie Stevens, English, and Maude E. Horton, domestic art and science, have joined the high school faculty.

tax commission in 1913 placed the valuation of their property more than Overbeck & Cooke Co. Stocks, Bonds, Cotton, Grain, Etc.

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PROCLAMATION BY Presentiment Cuts Short Woman's Trip THE MAYOR MAKES Mrs. Henry Weisenborn Arrives Home From Europe Two Months Before FAIR TIME HOLIDAY She Intended to When She Left Here

Mrs. Henry Weisenborn of 1184 East Seventh street north left for Europe

home safe with her family. The war

had not broken out when she embarked

of trouble, but the news was flashed

After visiting England and France,

Mrs. Weisenborn went to Christiania

to see the centennial being celebrated

there, and planned later to go to Ger-

But somehow Mrs. Weisenborn re-

ceived a presentiment, and instead of

going with the other tourists into the

mountains, secured a ticket for Bergen

En route home, Mrs. Weisenborn

Hold Good Meeting

spent several days at Oshkosh, Wau-

enthusiastic meeting at the Commer-

Grants Pass "Runs"

Its Own Train

Grants Pass, Or., Aug. 21.-The first

municipal railroad, now completed to

o'clock this afternoon to meet the

Show Makes Headquarters.

Brothers' Wild West show of Chey-

terday with 27 special cars. The en-

quarters will be established immedi-

to make headquarters here immedi-

Some Taxes Unpaid.

taxes will become delinquent, and a

penalty of 10 per cent will be added to

pay for the collecting. Mr. Tufts says

he believes that between now and the

end of the month a greater part of the

Teachers Have Dance.

in the auditorium Wednesday evening.

Randolph Files Suit.

Randolph filed suit in the circuit court

a note for \$2000. The note was signed

February 17, 1908, and 30 acres near

Fined for Fishing.

ing persons were arrested Tuesday by

the constable of St. Johns for fishing

Napoleon, cost of court; G. Frangesco,

Around the World.

Radium water to be used as a

medicinal beverage has been intro-

Building is so active in Bloemfon-tein, South Africa, that it is difficult

to obtain sufficient labor to cope

The scarcity of wood for general

purposes and the increasing cost of

wooden railway ties in Europe, has encouraged the manufacturers and general use of metal ties in recent

years in the railways on the conti-

use on the federal railways of Switz-

Time Defying Photographs.

Time defying photographs are made

duced in Holland.

with the work.

St. Johns, Or., Aug. 21 .- The follow-

Oregon City was named as security.

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 21 .- E. W.

Oregon City, Or., Aug. 21.-A party

amount will be paid.

the Applegate river, was run at

from Grants Pass tonight.

7-12 inclusive.

rain ever run over the Grants Pass

Vancouver Muts

to the liner when two days at sea.

at Bergen on one of the Transatlantic iners, and there were no definite signs

way, her native land,

and set off for home.

paca and Minneapolis.

many.

a couple of months ago with the intention of spending four months at Thursday, September 10, Is least on the continent and to witness the midnight sun and eclipse in Nor-Set Aside for Time of Rest Wednesday Mrs. Weisenborn re-From Business. turned, more than delighted to be

> Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 21.—Ale hough the Columbia River Interstate fair and wild west show is still about two weeks away, Mayor Crass, in response to a committee from the Commercial club, has declared Thursday, September 10, the fourth day of the fair, a public holiday. An attempt will be made to have the various business houses of the city close on that day to afford an opportunity to all to attend.

The proclamation is as follows: "Whereas, The Clarke County Interstate fair will be held at Vancouver, Wash., from September 7 to 12 inclusive, and.

"Whereas, Said fair will be of tronendous and inestimable benefit to all southwest Washington and northwest Oregon, and particlularly to Clarks county and Vancouver, and, "Whereas, Sald fair will be the largest fair ever held in this section

of the country, save and except the state fairs and the Lewis and Clarke Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 21. — The state fairs and vancouver Dynasty of Muts held an exposition, and, "Whereas, The city administration of the city of Vancouver and the citia booster train through southwest zens of Clarke county. Washington, Washington to advertise the Columbia highly appreciate the stupendous ef-River Interstate fair. The date of the fort that the officials of the Clarke train's leaving Vancouver has not been County Interstate fair are putting

a fund of \$500 to finance the trip. proclaim and declare that September Those present at the meeting last 10 be, and the same hereby is, declared night subscribed \$150 toward this a public holiday in and for the city of fund. A number of prospective candi- Vancouver, Wash., and most respectdates for membership were present at fully request that all business houses couver attend the fair and that they and each of them do every act, matter or thing within their power to make

the Clarke County Interstate fair &

howling success. (Signed) "HENRY CRASS; Mayor."

M. Hidden Sues W.-O. Corporation

board of army engineers returning from Crescent City. The board has been at Crescent City inspecting the Vancouver, Wash, Aug. 21.—Su't has been filed in the superior court harbor and will proced northward by L. M. Hidden against the Washington-Oregon corporation, the Philadelphia Trust, Safe Deposit & Insurance company and Randolph W. Childs, Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 21 .- Irwin plaintiff, asking an order from the court compelling the second party of nne. Wyo., arrived in Vancouver yesthe suit to file a copy of all papers which have passed between them and tire outfit will remain in Vancouver the second mortgage holders and a until after the fair closes. Headcomplete list of all the bondholders as well. He also asks that the Washingtely at the fair grounds, and with ton-Oregon corporation be required to this as a central point, members of file the names of its stockholders and the company will make trips through the amount paid by each of the pres-the surrounding country advertising ent and former stockholders, the varibig event, which is to be held ous transfers of shares of stock and during the week of September whether common or preferred. He also asks for the removal of the Phila-Owing to the fact that the company celphia Trust, Safe Deposit & Insuris under contract not to show in this ance company as a trustee of the secsection of the country prior to the ond mortgage and that a disinterested Columbia River Interstate fair and not

trustee be named. Vancouver Marriage Licenses,

Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 21 .- Marriage licenses were issued vesterday by the county auditor to the following persons: R. H. Roderburg and Hazel Oregon City, Or., Aug. 21.—County Chatfield, both of Portland; E. S., Treasurer J. A. Tufts announced this Cass and Mrs. Lillian M. Elliott, both of Portland; D. J. Sullivan and Claire morning that unpaid taxes amount to \$175,000. After August 31, all unpaid Ivy, both of Portland.

Oregon City Licenses. Oregon City, Or., Aug. 21.—Miss Anna Mildred Johnson and John H. McDonald received a marriage license from the county clerk Thursday afternoon.

The government of Bavaria is using of 80 school teachers who are attend- motion picture lectures to try to ining the summer school at Chautauqua crease the consumption of native sea

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