PRICE OF COLUMBIA RIVER

EGG MARKET SHOWS SUFFICIENT DEMAND TO CLEAN AT 18 CTS.

Along the Street-Puget Sound Buyers Are Most Bearish Along the Entire Coast.

Market for eggs is showing a further trace of weakness. Efforts to secure more than the local basis in ommission man today stated that they would not want any eggs from here Year ago...... Seattle, Monday unless they could be obtained at 17%c or 18c at the extreme. This indicated that Northern interests were even more bearish than here because cleanups by local houses are still reported at 18c for case count, although the market is really showing no snap to the buying. Receipts of eggs are again showing an increase and most houses are carrying a surplus. Candled stock, of which but little is being sold at this time because of the excellence generally of case count offerings, is being

BUTTER MARKET TO DROP

There will be a drop in the price of creamery butter here within the next day or so. So say local creamery inthe local situation is weaker as a re-sult of the recnt cutting.

FRESH SALMON VERY SCARCE

Fresh salmon remains very scarce in the local market with only Alaska Chinooks offering. These are priced strong at 16½ a pound. Halibut mar-ket is weaker and sharply lower with values at 5@7c a pound.

CHICKEN DEMAND

Market for chickens is slightly bet-ter along the street with sales of heavy Plymouth Rock hens at 16c general-ly. Demand is improved even though receipts are somewhat heavier again.

VEAL MARKET IS OFF AGAIN

Market for country killed calves i again in bad shape with prices mixed and offerings very liberal. Sales of real good quality are reported at 10@ 10%c. Hogs are generally held at 9%c for extreme quality.

POTATO DEMAND IS BETTER

Demand is improved in the local market for potatoes, although no fur-ther change is shown in prices. Local growers are offering sparingly and the trade generally is looking to outside points for their needs.

BRIEF NOTES OF THE TRADE

Fruit good but green,
Local asparagus in larger supply
with price down to \$1.25 dozen.
Carload of Florida tomatoes is due Spot oats showed no change. A sale Fancy peas are offering from Hay-

SHIPPERS' WEATHER NOTICE

Weather bureau sends the following Bluestem notice to shippers: Protect shipments as far north as Seattle against minimum temperatures of about 40 degrees; northeast to Spo-kane, 30 degrees; southeast to Boise, 32 degrees; south to Ashland, 32 de-grees. Minimum temperature at Port-land tonight, about 40 degrees.

JOBBING PRICES OF PORTLAND

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

Dairy Produce.

EGGS—Nearby freshly gathered, 18½@19c; case count, 18c.

BUTTER FAT—No. 1 Portland delivery, 28c.

BUTTER — Nominal. Willamette valley creamery cubes, selling price, 23c; state prints 27½c; ranch butter, 16@17c; city creamery, case lots, 29½c; less than case lots, ½c lb. case lots, 20%; less that case lots, 20%; less that case lots, 20%; less that case lots, 21% los; ordinary chickens, 15%c; broilers, 1 to 2% lbs., 20%25c; turkeys, 18c; dressed, 21% 23c; pigeons, \$1.00%1.25; squabs (—), dozen; geese, live, 8@9c; Pekin ducks, 18%14c.

CHEESE—Fresh Oregon fancy full cream twins and triplets, 16c; Young America, 18% 22.50%4.00 per cs \$1.50; strawberrie

SUGAR—Cube, \$7.20; powdered, \$7.00; fruit er berry, \$7.70; best, \$6.50; dry granulated, \$6.70; D yellow, \$6.00. (Above quotations are \$0 days net cash.)

RICE—Japan style, No. 2, 4%@5c; New Orleans, head, 6%@6%c; blue rose, 6%c; Creole 5c. 8alt — Coarse, half grounds, 100s, \$9.75 per ton; 50s, \$10.50; table dairy, 50s, \$16; 10s \$17.50; bales, \$2.25; lump rock, \$20.00 per ton. HONEY—New, \$6.25(28.50 per case. BEANS—Small white, \$6.50; large white, \$6.25; pink, \$5.75; limas, \$6.75; bayou, \$6.50; red, 6½c. Fruit and Vegetables.

FRESH FRUIT—Oranges, navel \$2.00@2.50; tangeries, \$1.25; bananas, 4½c lb.; lemons, \$3.00@3.75; limes, \$1.00 per 100; grape fruit.

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OPEN CUT IN FLOUR PRICE FAILS AGAIN

Receipts Are Again Increasing Local Mills Name \$6.80 as Card Price for Putent, but Market Continues Stagnant - Similar

Trend in Grains Generally. NORTHWEST GRAIN RECEIPTS

Wheat, Barley, Fir. Oats. Hay Year ago..... 18 2 10 Season to date. 6,247 1003 1759

> WHEAT CARGOES STEADY. London, April 7 .- Wheat cargoes on passage steady.

CROP CONDITION POORER. (International News Service.)

erally of case count offerings, is being quoted at 19c a dozen.

Storage operations continue liberal and the entire surplus is being rushed into the ice bouses, although storage men are operating with some misgivings regarding the future trend of the trade.

condition of winter wheat on April 2. See per cent, as compared with 55.6 per cent on April 1, 1914, according to a statement issued by the crop board of the department of agriculture here today. The average for 18 years has been seen and the condition of winter wheat on April 2. See per cent, as compared with 55.6 per cent on April 2. See per cent, as compared with 55.6 per cent on April 2. See per cent, as compared with 55.6 per cent on April 2. See per cent, as compared with 55.6 per cent on April 2. See per cent, as compared with 55.6 per cent on April 2. See per cent, as compared with 55.6 per cent on April 2. See per cent on April 2. See per cent on April 3. See per cent o Washington, April 7 .- The average The average condition of rye on April 1 was 89.5 per cent normal as against 91.3 per cent on April 1, 1914.

Late yesterday afternoon after The Journal was published, local millers day or so. So say local creamery in-terests. While the California market has made an unexpected advance, still the price of patent flour, placing the card price at \$6.80, where most of the sales have been made recently. Trade in patent flour continues stagnant. There is no life to the business in any direction and the open cut the price is not expected to help matters. Export trade continues extremely in the flour market, with prices er mixed and offers shaded gen-

erally. Even this has resulted in practically no increase in the volume of orders from the orient.

With the Chicago wheat market showing weakness and a price loss early today because of the expectations of a bearish government crop report, local trade is quiet with no life in the hurring. Even this has resulted in prac-

Local mills are quoting a decline of 50c a case in the price of package cereals.
CLOVER SEED — Buying price:
Nominal No. 1. uncleaned, 11½ @12c;
ordinary, 11c; alsike, 11c pound.
FLOUR—Selling price: Patent, \$6.80;
Willamette valley, \$6.80; local straight,
\$6.30; bakers, \$6.80.
HAY—New crop, buying price; Willamette valley timothy, fancy, \$12.50
@13.00; Eastern Oregon-Idaho fancy
timothy, \$15; alfalfa, \$13.00@13.50;
vetch and oats, \$11; clover, \$8.00@9.00
per ton. GRAIN SACKS-1915 nominal, No. 1 Calcutta, 6% c.
MILLSTUFFS—Selling price: Bran, \$26.50; sborts, \$28.50.

ROLLED BARLEY — Selling price,
\$30.00@31.00 per ton,
CORN — Whole, \$35.50; cracked,

Spot oats showed no change. A sale of 200 tons May was made at \$32.25.

Spot barley was firmer and 25c a ton higher. A sale of 100 tons prompt was made at \$25.50.

Merchants' Exchange spot prices:

	15146attui 41.20	\$1.00	\$1.25	448
	Fortyfold 1.27	1.28 1/2	1.27	1,28
	Club 1.26	1.28	1.26	1327
	Red Russian, 1.21	1.24	1,2114	1.22
	Red Fife 1.25	1.26	1.23 14	1.20
		OATS		
	Feed32.50	33.00	32.50	32.75
ı		BARLEY	18.50(8.7)	
	Feed25.25	26.00	25.00	25.00
	MILLSTUFFS			
	Bran23.00	24.00	23.00	23.00
ï	Shorts23.00		23.75	23.75
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d	Total Inc.		Bid.	Ask.
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ï	May fortyfold		1.28	1.30
ı	May club		. 1.27	1.283
	May Red Russian		1 22	1.24

0ATS * SHORTS

\$2.50@4.00 per case; pineapples, 7c lb; pears, \$1.50; strawberries, Louisiana, \$4.50 crate.
APPLES—Local, 75c@\$1.25 box, secording APPLES—Local, December 25 association selling price, No. 1, \$1.15@1.25; association selling price, No. 1, \$1.00 f. o. b. country points; garlie, 17½c.

POTATOES — Selling price: Extra choice, \$1.25@1.50 per cental; new California, 11@12c per lb.; sweets, \$3.25.

VEGETABLES—Turnips \$1.25@1.50; beets, 75c dozen bunches; carrots, new, 75c dozen per 15c dozen bunches; carrots, new, 75c dozen bunch VEGETABLES—Turnips \$1.25@1.50; beets, 75c dozen bunches; carrots, new, 75c dozen bunches; carrots, new, 75c dozen bunches; parsnips, \$1.00@1.25 sack; cabbage, \$2.00@3.00; tomatoes, Florida, \$5.50 crate; green onions, 25@30c dozen bunches; peppers, bell, 20@30c; head lettuce, \$2.25 per crate; celery, crate \$4.50@5.00; rhubarb, 1½@2c lb.; cauliflower, local, 40c@\$1.25 dozen; French artichokes, 65@75c doz.; string beans, 30c; cranberries, eastern, \$10@12 bbl; peas, 15@16c lb.; asparagus, local, \$1.25 dozen; radishes, 20c per dozen bunches.

Hops, Wool and Hides. HOPS—Buying price, choice, 13c; prime, 12c; medium to prime, 11½c; medium, 11c; 1915 contracts, 13c.
WOOL—Nominal, 1915 clip: Willamette val-

WOOL—Nominal, 1915 clip: Willamette valley, coarse Cotswold, 25@26c; medium Shropshire, 26@27c; choice fancy lots, 28@28½c; eastern Oregon, 25c.

HIDES—Salted hides (25 lbs. and up), 13½c; salted stags (50 ibs. and up), 9½c; salted kip (15 lbs. to 25 lbs.), 13½c; salted calf (up to 15 lbs.), 17c; green hides (25 lbs. and up), 12c; green stags (50 lbs. and up), 8½c; salted kip (15 lbs. to 25 lbs.), 13½c; green calf (up to 15 lbs.), 7c; ry filnt hides, 24c; dry filnt calf (up to 7 lbs.), 26c; dry salt hides, 18c; dry borsehides, each, 50c to \$1; horsehair, 25c; salt horsehides, each, \$2.50 to \$3.00; dry long wool pelts, 16c; dry short wool pelts, 13c; dry sheep shearlings, each, 10c; salted sheep shearlings, each, 15c to 25c.

TALLOW—No. 1, ½6@4c; No. 2, ½6½½c; grease, 3½@4c.

MOHAIR—1915—30 lb.

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CHITTIM OR CASCARA BARK—Buying price, car lots, 4½c; sess than car lots, 4c.
Meats, Fish and Provisions.
DRESSED MEATS—Selling price—Countern Railway Cons. Copper.
Reading. c.
Rep. Iron & Steel, c.
do preferred
Rock Island, old....
Southern Pacific, c.
Southern Railway
Copper. Meats, Fish and Frovisions.

DRESSED MEATS — Selling price—Country killed: Fancy hogs, 869c; rough and hervy, 767%c; fancy veals, 1061%c; ordinary, 9%c; poor, 9e; goats, 36%c; spring lambs, 18c lb.

HAMS, BAUON, E.IC. — Hams, 166217%c; breakfast bacon, 17627c; boiled ham, 27c; picnics, 11%c; cottage, roll, 15c.

OYSTERS — Olympis, per gallon, \$3.50; canned eastern, 55c rin, \$6.50 dozen; eastern in shell, \$1.85 per 100; ramor clams, \$2.50 box; eastern oysters, per gallon, solid pack, \$3.00.

FISH—Dressed flounders, 7c; steelhead salmon (—); Boyal Chinook, 16%c; perch, 6@Sc; salmon trout, 18c lb.; halibut, 5%@9%c; Columbia river smelt, 80@85c box.

LARU—Tierces, kettle rendered, 13c; standard, 12c.

ard, 12c. CRABS—Large, \$1.; medlum, \$1.25 dozen CRABS—Large, \$1.7: medium, \$1.25 dozen.

Paints and Oils.

LINSEED Oil.—Raw bbls., 7ic gallon; kettle boiled, bbls., 73c; raw, cases, 70c; boiled, cases, 78c gal.; lots of 250 gallons ic less; oil cake meal, \$44 per ton.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7½c bb.; 500 lb. lots, 7½c per lb.; less lots, 8c per lb.

OIL MEAL—Carload lots, 834.

COAL OIL—Water white in drums and iron barrols, 10c.

Value of agricultural crops in Oregon

TURPENTINE—In case 67c; tanks, 60c per

FAILURES DUE TO THE OPEN AT SAME PRICE

Practically Certain That Pound Talls Will Again Sell at \$1.95 or the Same Price as During Previous Two Seasons.

Since the price of raw fish along the Columbia has been established, it is now practically agreed that opening prices for Columbia river canned sal mon will show no changes from last with talls at \$1.95 and flats at for pounds. This will be the for pounds. third consecutive season that the price of Columbia river talls has opened at the \$1.95 mark, and the second season that \$2.10 has been named for pound

flats.

Canning interests of the Columbia have practically decided to bill out all their early fish at last year's opening their early fish at last year's opening. figures, and while the trend of the trade is not so firm, it is generally understood that this price will hold at least until July. Later prices will be governed entirely by the size of the Raw fish prices show little change Raw fish prices show little change from a year ago, except perhaps in the larger sizes, that will come under the lower rate or canning stock. Owing to the fact that no appropriation was this season made by the state for maintenance of the hatcheries, and this burden will be carried by the packers in the shape of a license fee about double that of a year ago, packers have decided that they could not afford to shade the value of the packed fleh

Erratic Trade in Stock Mart Shown With Prices Mixed

New York, April 7.—There was a feeling of uncertainty in the stock market at opening today. The course of values was undecided. Coppers were strong, some of the industrial issues were weak, and the rails held steady. Steel stocks were unsettled. Rock Island opened at 29 and jumped to 31½ early in the trading. Bethlehem Steel lost 2 points in the first hour, and Union Pacific developed weakness. Reading held steady, Southern Pacific was strong, Erie was firm and Steel common held around 50. Atchison was above par. Strength of the copper metal has encouraged buying in the copper shares, but there were signs of realizing in other directions.

Rubber was strong in response to favorable conditions. The stock gained 1% points, selling up to 67% before noon. The decline in Bethlehem Steel affected the entire list to a marked degree. A large volume of stocks ac-cumulated during February came out, and this factor caused more uncer-tainty. California Petroleum had a sharp spurt. The coppers continued strong. On the decline the buying in The coppers continued lnion Pacific was rather of a good *36.50 per ton.

Spot wheat bids on the Portland Merchants' Exchange today showed fractional changes with strength in bluestem and Red Fife. The only sale was 5000 bushels May Red Fig.

particularly in the copper shares. The close was barely steady. Bethlehem Steel closed with a loss of 4% points. The last sale was made at 88%. The failure of the dividend declaration was the unsettling feature. Atchison was strong at the close. Government bonds Atchison today declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1% per cent on the common stock, payable May 1.

At the annual stockholders' meeting of the Studebaker company today, the directors were reclected. No action Mr. Schwab told the stockholders of Bethlehem Steel that large expenditures were ahead of the company, some \$20,000,000 for developing Chilean ore properties and construction work at Bethlehem

some \$20,000,000 for developing Chilean ore properties and construction work at Bethlehem. He states that the management felt that these expenditures should be borne out of the earnings, especially as the company's present bonded debt is a good deal in excess of its capital stock issue. excess of its capital stock issue.

May\$17.05

Mr. Schwab said that so far as had been reported to him, business was improving, although he did not look far anything like a hoom in steel May 10.05 for anything like a boom in

Range of New York prices furnished by Overbeck & Cooke company, 216-217 Board of Trade building: Open | High| Low |Close Amal. Copper Co.....

| Open | High | Low |
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Virginia Chemical ... Western Union Tel. Westinghouse Elec.

NORTHWEST BANK STATEMENT Portland Banks. This week. Year ago, \$2,186,177.67 \$2,140,574.46 1,802,958.55 2,643.844.14 2,574,813.85 2,162,429.47

Seattle Banks. San Francisco Dairy Produce. (United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, April 7.—Eggs—
Extras, 21½c; pullets, 18½c.
Butter—Extras, 23c; prime firsts,
22½c; firsts, 22c.
Cheese—California fancy, 11c; firsts,
10½c; seconds 3c.

CATTLE DEMAND IS WAR ARE SHOWING A AT NORTH PORTLAND DECREASE FOR MARCH

While First Quarter of Year Has No Receipts Shown Overnight in Increase in Number, Last Month Begins to Reflect Improvement

During the first quarter of this year, 216 business failures were reported to R. G. Dun & Co., the liabilities of the defaulting concerns amounting to Monday \$105,703,335. In number of defaults this record is greater than in any pre-vious year, but it is significant of the views year, but it is significant of the week ago. recent progressive improvement in business that there were 758 fewer suspensions in March, and less than half the liabilities, than during Jan-uary. The three months' record, therefore, largely represents the commer-cial and industrial unsettlement pro-\$105.703,335 has been only once ex-ceeded, namely, by the \$121,500,000 involved in the second quarter of the involved in the second quarter of the panic year 1893. In 1914 there were 4826 suspensions, owing \$83.221,826. The largest number of defaults were in the trading class, being 5248, for \$48.712.219 liabilities, comparing with \$48,712,319 liabilities, comparing with 3489 in 1914 with liabilities of \$36,500.

570. Manufacturing failures numbered | Fancy bul |
1580 for \$46,211,855, comparing with |
1147 in 1914 with liabilities of \$34, |
644.880. With each of the three Pacific |
States reporting more reverses than |
100 to the price |
100 to the p ast year, the number of defaults in this section was 615 against 505, the total indebtedness was \$5,684,920, as compared with \$5,233,600 in 1914.
The largest alteration, numerically, was 52 in Washington, and there were increases of 35 and 23, respectively, in California and Oregon, the latter alone showing any contraction in the money owed. In this respect, the most unfavorable exhibit was made by California, with an expansion of about \$700,-

Number— Liabilities. —Number— Liabilities.
1915. 1914. 1915. 1915.
Wash. . . . 171 119 131 \$1,893,183
Oregon . . . 125 102 141 1,051,149
California . . 319 284 199 2,740,588 Pacific615 505 471 \$5,684,920

Chicago Wheat Has Sharp Loss After U.S. Report

(International News Service.) pit crowd was bearish and pressed the market. Corn opened with scat-tered selling in a small way. May sold at 72%c and July was offered at 75%c. The demand for oats was scattered. Prices were lower. Provisions were weak.

The wheat market closed 1% @2c lower after bearish selling on the

by Overbeck & Cooke Co., 216-217 Board of Trade Building: WHEAT PORK LARD. May 10.05 July 10.30 Sept. 10.57

government report.

Record Crop Pears Expected in Rogue Valley This Year

(Special to The Journal.)
Medford, Or., April 7.—According to
County Pathologist Henderson, practically no damage has been done as
yet to fruits by frosts and if the present weather continues as predicted, the Rogue river valley will have the largest pear crop in its history.

In the Ashland district frost injured Oregon peaches slightly, but the peach crop is oregon not a factor under any conditions. The apples are in bloom and with recent rains growing conditions ideal. Conservative estimates place the 1915 pear and apple crop at 1200 cars, the largest on record.

New York Cotton Market. New York, April 7.—Cotton market:
Open, High, Low, Close,
Jan, 1079 1081 1066 1066
March 1100 1100 1086 1086
May. 992 992 972 973

Foreign Exchange Rates. Merchants National bank quotes foreign exchange: London-Sterling, \$4.82. Berlin-Marks, 21.4 Berlin-Marks, 21.41. Paris-Francs, 19.40. Hongkong—Currency, 44.70. Vienna—16.10.

Seattle Dairy Produce. ive Washington creamery brick, \$0c; ditto solid pack, 29c. Cheese, Oregon triplets, 161/2c; Wisconsin twins, 17c; fitto triplets, 17c; Washington twins, 16c; Young Amer-Eggs, select ranch, 22c.

New York Sugar and Coffee, (Special to The Journal.) New York, April 7.—Sugar: Centrifugal, \$4.77; molasses inactive. Coffee Spot, New York, No. 7, Rio, 9c; No. 4, Santos, 10%c.

Los Angeles Dairy Produce. (Pacific News Service.)
Los Angeles, Cal., April 7.—Eggs—ase count, 19c; butter, fresh extras, 2c. Jobbers' prices. Seattle Polato Market.

IMPROVED IN YARDS

This Division, but Call Is Indicated at Fractional Advance -Spring Lambs at \$10.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN Hogs. Cattle, Calves, Sheep. Wednesday ...

While there were no cattle arrivals in the North Portland yards over night, duced by the European war, from which depression a period of recovery has now set in. Inasmuch as the effect of the war was felt most severely in the south, where cotton exports were temporarily suspended, but have since been resumed in large volume, and in the middle Atlantic states resulting the middle Atlantic states resulting a somewhat better feeling is shown in the middle Atlantic states, resulting in a large reduction of industrial activity, the increase in number of insolvencies was particularly heavy.

At Chicago there was a steady tone in the contract of the c The totals for the quarter will probably long remain a high record for the period. The aggregate Habilities of \$105,703,335 has been only once exceeded, namely, by the \$121,500,000 Registers. Best hay fed steers

Ordinary to fair Select calves Fancy bulls 4.00@5.00 Spring Lambs at \$10.

in prime condition, considering the earliness of the season.

General trend in the mutton trade General trend in the mutton trade continues strong, with values well maintained. At Chicago there was a steady tone today in the sheep trade, with prices unchanged. Kansas City

ronger at an advance of a nickel. General mutton trade range: Old wethers Valley light lambs 8.50@8.75 Heavy light lambs 8.00@8.25

Hogs Hold at \$7.50. With only limited arrivals for the day the market for hogs continues at \$7.50 for extreme tops in car lots.
Local market is still 55c above any other of the recognized stockyard markets of the conutry, so far as hogs are concerned, and offerings are easily cleaned up.

Af Chicago there was a steady tone At Chicago there was a steady in the hog trade with tops at \$6.95. Kansas City hog market was strong

Spring lambs—Patton, Overton & Falk, Halsey, 2 loads, Mixed stuff—J. D. Dinsnore, Jefferson 1 load hogs and sheep: F. er, Silverton, I load hogs and sheep. Disposition of Livestock.

Following were the purchases of livestock at North Portland for the week ended Saturday: Union Meat Co..... 910 Sterrett & Oberle... 31

Misc. Portland...... 109
Misc. Oregon...... 56
Carstens Packing Co... 167 Barton & Co..... Seattle vards..... 2125 Tuesday Afternoon Sales STEERS No. Ave. lbs

Oregon 1 Oregon 1 COWS HEIFERS OregonBULLS Oregon 2 HOGS 269 HOGS 370 231

Omaha Cattle Rise.

(Special to The Journal.)
South Omaha, April 7.—Cattle, 4000, market 10@25c higher. Steers, \$7.50@8.00; cows and helfers, \$6.25@7.10.
Hogs—4500, market mostly steady.
Bulk, \$6.52½@6.60; tops, \$6.65. Sheep—5000, market steady. Yearlings, \$8.90@9.15; wethers, \$8.00@8.50; lambs, \$10.00@10.30; ewes, \$7.80@8.10.

Chicago Livestock Ready. Chicago, April 7.—Hogs, 30,000; mar-et, steady. Light, \$6.60@6.95; mixed, ket, steady. Light, \$6.60@6.95; mixed, \$6.60@6.95; heavy, \$6.40@6.90; rough, Cattle, 10,000; market, steady. Sheep, 14,000; market, steady.

Kansas City Livestock Up. Kansas City, April 7.—Hogs, 8000; market, steady to 5c higher. Tops, Cattle, 5000. Market, 5c higher. Sheep, 5000. Market, 5c higher. Denver Cattle Strong.

Denver, Colo., April 7.—Cattle, 1000. Market strong; beef steers, \$6.50@7.25; cows and heifers, \$5.00@6,50; calves, \$8.00@11.25. Hogs—800. Market steady. Top \$6.75; bulk. \$6.65@6.70. Sheep—None; market steady.

Various Wheat Markets. Buenos Aires-Wheat closed un-St. Louis—Wheat Minneapolis—Wheat closed, May \$1.46% @1.46%; July \$1.40B.
Duluth—Wheat closed, July \$1.44% B.
Winnipeg — Wheat closed, May \$1.51% B; July \$1.49%; oats, May 62% @62%c; July 62%c.
Kansas City—Wheat closed, May \$1.44% B; July \$1.15% @1.15%.

San Francisco Potato Market. San Francisco, April 7.—Potatoes, per cental—Salinas, \$1.50@1.75; river, \$1.00@1.25. Seattle, April 7.—Onions, Oregon, 134c; Yakima, 75c@\$1.
Potatoes, White river, \$26@28; Burbanks, \$27@30.

SALMON WILL STAND AT \$1.95 AGAIN COUNCIL TO SUBMIT DALY GARBAGE PLAN AT ELECTION IN JUNE

viously Authorized Would Enable Free Collection.

LONG LIVED BONDS

Browster's Suggestion That Serial Issue Be Provided Not Accepted by Commission.

council this morning decided that the of a number of materials, but no matpeople at the city election should vote on the question of a free municipal. collection system as proposed by Will H, Daly, commissioner of public utilities.

Under the Daly plan the present bond authorization of \$75,000 for a garbage collection system will be amended so the council may have the power to collect garbage free or fix a charge. At present the authorization makes it mandatory for the city to

make a charge. missioner Daly said that the present the pressure treatment, the wood is ed in using the Easter liles as a de system could not be worked satisfactorily, as there is no way tenants can be required to use the system and though this is the best method, it is of local retail store show window pay a charge. He proposed to estab-It'sh the collection system on the \$75,- paratus is required. In the open tank greets the eye of the passersby 000 authorized and maintain the sys- method, the wood is first heated to lettering is attractive and pots of lilis tem from taxation funds.

that the authorization should be changed that the bonds could be issued bath until sufficient oil is absorbed, sall said: "April has started off serially instead of long life bonds, but In the dipping treatment the wood is an exceptionally good manner. Bus the plan was opposed by Commissioner Daly, who stated that to change the authorization materially would jeop-

WANT EXPENSES SETTLED own wood for his sile, may use any

Heights Residents Ask Council to Pay Tim Healy's Hospital Bill. number of prominent Portland Heights residents appeared before the city council this morning asking that hospital expenses of Timothy 7.85 @ 8.00 Healy, watchman, who was shot in a of public works, has gone to Hood against a lever which seriously in be paid by the city. The matter was referred to Mayor Albee. Among those who appeared were Rufus C. Holman, county commissioner, James McI. Wood, James B.

> A. B. Slauson, L. K. Adams and W. H. OIL BIDS ARE SUBMITTED start proceedings to bar Albert from

Kerr, Dr. James Hayes, G. E. Wheeler,

Three Firms May Figure in City inal prosecution. Contest.

used for oiling the streets were received from the Union Oil company and the Standard Oil company when requiring paving petition signers to bids for 10,000 barrels were opened sign affidavits to the effect that they 6.90 @ 7.05 yesterday. Both bid so cents a 6.50 @ 6.80 The Portland Railway, Light & yesterday. Both bid 80 cents a barrel. know what they are signing when sign Power Hogs—Barclay & Cummings, Corval- rels it had in stock, and as a result it ferred to Commissioner Dieck by the which complaint had been made. is probable that this company will get part of the order.

ANIMALS MAY BE EXCHANGED Two Buffaloes Here May

Spokane. Portland may change two buffalo in the Washington park zoo for animals now in the city park zoo of Spokane. Brewster has recommended to the city council that the exchange be made and his suggestion will be acted upon tomorrow. It has not been decided what animals Portland will get in return for the buffalo. There are now nine buffalo in Washington park zoo.

NEW TRAFFIC ORDINANCE dent, C. T. Dickinson, for \$5100 dam-Copies May Be Had From City Auditor.

Copies of the new traffic ordinance may now be obtained from City Auditor Barbur and in a few days from the police bureau. A total of 25,000 copies were received from the printer yesterday, and the ordinance is in book form, of convenient pocket size. COMMISSIONER ON HIS FARM

Robert G. Dieck at Hood River on Advice of Physician. As his physicians recommended a rest, Robert G. Dieck, commissioner

EUROPE SHORT OF WHEAT

(Special Cable.)
Liverpool, April 7.—Broomhall says:
It has been proven by statistics that country has chased thus far this season anything near their requirements. Consumption has been on a very large scale, and the elimination of Russia as a shipper has been sverely felt, in the sharp advance in prices, and the entire population of Europe is dependent upon foreign supplies until nevt harvest. From trade statistics I fail to find that Germany has received any wheat or flou from Italy, excepting perhaps a little the first few weeks of August. Argentine shipments are disappointing and India's quota remains conjectural. Italy consumes 4,800,000 bushels of wheat weekly, normally.

San Francisco Grain Market. April 7 Close. April 7 April 6
Open. Close. Close.
May\$1.30 A \$1.30 A \$1.29
Dec. 1.30 A 1.31 ½ A 1.29 B
Spot quotations: Wheat — Walla
Walla, \$2.27 ½ @ 2.30; red Russian, \$2.25
@ 2.27 ½; Turkey red, \$2.30 @ 2.35 ½;
bluestem, \$2.35 @ 2.40.
Barley—Feed, \$1.30 @ 1.32 ½.
Millstuffs—Bran, \$27.00 @ 28.00; middings, \$32.00 @ 33.00; shorts, \$28.50 @ 29.00.

29.00. Oats—White, \$1.77 1/2 @ 1.80. Beautiful Hop Picture. McNeff Bros., of this city, and ex-tensive hop growers of the Yakima section, have issued a very pretty and lifelike picture of a section of their hopyard, showing the clusters in de-

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GENERAL BUSINESS NEWS

United States Forest Service Is Conducting Study in the Preservative Treatment of Wood Staves Used in the Construction of Farm Silos.

Change From System Pre- PORTLAND FIRM PLANS BAKER AGENCY

Methods Are Described.

service is conducting, at its laboratory at Madison, Wisconsin, in cooperation with the University of Wisconsin, a study in the preservative treatment of of farm silos. The amount of lumber, all high grade, used in the construction of silos in 1913, has been estimated at about 100,000,000 feet B. M. After considerable argument the A good silo may be made of any one ter what class of material is used, the success of the silo depends very largely upon proper care. Some manufacturers are already treating all of their silo material, and it is now possible to purchase silos treated and ready to set up. Of the various wood preservatives in general use, a good grade of coal-tar creosote has proven very satisfactory. that it has little or no effect upon the silage. Four methods of treatment are in ordinary use; namely, pressure, open & Lewis, is the recipient of many con In his argument to the council Com- tank, dipping, and brush treatment, In pliments for the enterprise demonstrate placed in a steel cylinder and the oil orative novelty calling attention forced into it at high pressure. Al- | the firm's cigars displayed in a number the most expensive, as special ap- "Consider the lily," is the motto w and held at a temperature of 180 de- placed in the window give a touch Commissioner Brewster contended grees to 220 degrees F. for an hour or nature to the decorative scheme. two, and then immersed in a cold oil ing of business conditions, Mr

plest and cheapest treatment is the sales, both in the city and country With the sale of two loads of really good quality today at North Portland, the price of spring lambs was generally established at \$10 for tops here. The stock came from Halsey, and was the people, authorization materially would jeopard decided to follow Daly's plan and adopted a resolution submitting the measure to grees to 220 degrees F., and applied things in a commercial way for Portsteen the people, with a brush or flooded over the wood. with a brush or flooded over the wood. | land." The farmer who wishes to treat his Government Asks Bids one of the other three methods. Opening Piano Agency.

The Koehler & Chase Piano Co., whose distributive headquarters for the Pa- Portland and bids for furnishing fue cific northwest are located at Portland, light and laundry service for the ma is opening up a new branch agency rine corps.

To Prosecute Contractor.

John Albert, a contractor, who presented \$15 to C. H. Smith, city sewer inspector, is to be prosecuted on a The council this criminal charge. morning adopted Commissioner Dieck's eport, wherein he asks authority to further city work and commence crini-

Ordinnce Is Referred.

That the department of public works may make investigation, the ordinance ing petitons, and they are receiving no bid 75 cents a barrel on 3000 bar- rebates for their signatures, was recouncil this morning.

> Ennis Appointed Sergeant, by Mayor Albee. offered to M. E. Lillis, who heads the torney Evans. eligible list, says the mayor, but Lillis declined the appointment, and as Ennis was next on the list he got the posi-

NEW SUITS FILED

Herman Bridinhagen, 4 years old hrough his father, Herman T. Bridin hagen, sued the Dickinson company, an automobile concern, and its presiages. The boy, it is alleged, crossed the street at Third and Sherman streets and was struck and injured by truck belonging to the company and driven by Dickinson. The accident octurred February 10. Alleging that the floor in the railroad crossing tower in Eugene was in poor repair and caused him to fall

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at Baker, Or. The Portland firm has taken a lease on the ground flo The district forester at Portland, Oregon, announces that the forest the Sommer building at the corner Washington and Resorts streets in tha city, and a shipment of pianos will b time. "Expansion is the watchword wood staves used in the construction Wood of the Portland house today "While business could be better, could be worse, too, and we are go ting ready for better returns in Immediate future. prices for all kinds of crops are it tive of improvement in financial cir within the next few months, We co western Montana, Idaho, agencies from time to time. Our shi ments from the east are now com via the Panama canal, and the water transportation service is all that could

be desired."

Experiments have shown Advertising Novelty Introduced J. B. Birdsall, at the head of the wholesale cigar department of Alle usually immersed in hot oil for from ness conditions appear to have show five minutes to 15 minutes. The sim- marked signs of improvement. Ou

In classification No. 26 of today Journal will be found advertisemen for bids for repairing and repainting the old Central postoffice building i

Portland, Eugene & Eastern railway for \$35,000 damages. The accident of

curred November 30, 1914. A mixup between a streetcar and jitney at Grand avenue and Belmot streets March 9, is the basis of \$2600 damage suit filed yesterda George C. Pendergrass, owner of the jitney, sued the Portland Light & Power amount, alleging that the damaged the jitney to that extent ar was driven against the litney wil malice on the part of the car crew.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

Roadmaster Yeon reported county commissioners that he The Herzog Iron Works presented a courthouse. The bill has been beld t Patrolman H. J. Ennis was this by the county because of a claim for Patrolman H. J. Ellipse State of police \$2400 against the company for delayer way of Albee. The position was The bill was referred to District At The board authorized Superintender of Machinery Eatchel to kalsomine 3

estimated the cost at \$240.

Colorful. From the Cleveland Plain Dealer, Austria having issued a "Red Book, olor is given to the idea that Europ s at the end of her spectrum

and whitewash the basement. Eatche

Sypopsis of the Annual Statement of New Jersey Fidelity & Plate Glass Insurance Co. of Newark in the state of New Jersey, 31st day of December, 1914, made to

Amount of capital pal

Total income DISBURSUMENTS
Losses paid during the year, in
cluding adjustment expenses Dividends paid during the year on capital stock Commissions and salaries paid during the year Taxes, licenses and fees baid dur-ing the year Amount of all other expenditures

Total expenditures Value of stocks and bonds owned (market value)

Lonns on mortgages and collateral etc.

Cash in banks and on hand

Premiums in course of collection
written since Sept. 30, 1914.

Interest and rents due and ac-

Total assets admitted in Oregon Gross claims for losses unpaid...\$
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks
Due for commission and brokerage
All other liabilities

BUSINESS IN OREGON FOR THE YEAR

Glass Insurance Co. By W. D. WARD, Assistant Secret Statutory resident general agent an ney for service: CLAUDE DE F. SMIT land Or. MORGAN & SMITH AGENC Agents, 431 Railway Exchange buildin

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