PRICE OF FLOUR IS REDUCED SIXTY, CENTS PER BARREL WEAKNESS SHOWN IN LOCAL PEACH MARKET; PEARS HOLDING WELL

Pears-Apples Coming in Are of Good Quality.

ich market. The supply of Elbertas coninus and the quality is generally good though some are selling as low as 50 cents. The price for better grades runs from 70c to 80c. Crawfords are coming in faster. The quality s excellent and the demand strong. Price ranges from SOc to SOc.

This will be the last week of the early peach season and purchases by carners keep the market fairly firm, but the demand is not strong enough to take up all that are offered. The price of pears still holds. There are plenty of Bartletts coming in to supply the demand.

The United States bureau of crops reports pears:

Baitimore—Demand moderate, market steady, quality and condition generally good. Callfornias 1000 box Bartletts \$2.25@2.95, average \$2.60. Oregons, 400 box Bartletts, \$2.30@2.75, average \$2.50. Auction prices. Californias 2000 box Bartletts, \$1.40@2.90, average \$2.50. Washington 2000 box Bartletts, \$1.00@2.20, average \$2.50. Washington 2000 box Bartletts, \$1.00@2.20, average, \$1.98; 605 box Bartletts, \$1.30@2.46, average, \$1.98; 605 box Bartletts, \$1.30@2.46, average, \$1.98; 605 box Bartletts, \$1.30@2.46, average, \$1.98; 605 box Bartletts, \$1.50@1.95, average, \$1.90; lat75 box Bartletts, \$1.50@1.95, average, \$1.00; lat75 box Bartletts, \$1.50@2.25, average, \$1.90, average, \$1.71; lat2 box Bartletts, \$1.50@1.90, average, \$1.72; lat2 box Bartletts, \$1.50@1.90, average, \$1.72; lat2 box Bartletts, \$1.50@1.90, average, \$1.54; lat2 box Bartletts, \$1.50@1.90, average, \$1.70; generally poor. Northwesterns box Bartletts, \$1.50.20; average, \$1.90, irregular, hard green to baked.

Dewaver—Supply exceeds demand, market \$81.50.20; lat2.25; average, \$1.90, irregular, hard green to baked.

Dewaver—Supply exceeds demand, market \$83.80; lat2.25; l to baked.

Deaver—Supply exceeds demand, market fair. Washington and Oregons, all sales in small lots, quality and condition generally good. Jobbing prices today: Box Bartletts fancy mostly \$2.00, few \$2.25, choice mostly \$1.75. Colorades quality and condition generally good, some small, box Bartletts, \$1.7562 1.95. Des Moines—Demand good, quality good. Washington box Bartletts, \$2.00@2.25. Detroit—Washington box Bartletts, \$1.75@

2.00.

Kansas City—No fresh arrivals. Demand and movement moderate, market fair. Washingtons quality generally good, condition variable, considerable over ripe stock on market, box Bartletts fancy, best. immature, mostly \$1.0062.00, ripes fancy, \$1.25@1.50, choice as low as \$1.00,

Minneapolis—Demand moderate, market fair. Washington, jobbing prices box Bartletta, \$1.85.02.00. Auction prices, Washington box Barletts, \$1.73.

New York—Auction prices, Californias, de-#2.00. Auction prices, Washington box Barletts, \$1.73.

New York—Auction prices, Californias, demand good, market firm. Bartletts quality variable, condition green to hard ripe; Comice quality, condition good, uniform pack; Clairgeaus quality condition good, uniform pack; Clairgeaus quality condition good, uniform pack; Clairgeaus quality condition good, uniform pack; T800 box barletts best. \$2.30@2.80; fnncy. \$2.85@3.25; fair, \$1.90@2.25; ripe, \$1.25@2.12%; average for all., \$2.22; \$90 box Hardys, \$1.80@2.10, mostly \$2.05@2.40; 1000 box Comices, half boxes, \$1.60@2.40; mostly \$1.90@2.00; 300 half box Bartletts, 55c@\$1.00. Northwesterns, quality variable, condition good, demand good, market slightly stronger; 2500 Washington box Bartletts, \$1.56@2.00, mostly \$1.75@1.90. Oregons 3000 box Bartletts, \$1.56@2.00, mostly \$1.75.20.00 oregons 3000 box Bartletts, \$1.90@2.05, mostly \$1.70@31.96.

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

Dairy Products

BUTTER—Creamery, prints in paraffine wrappers, extras, 47c; prime firsts, 41½c; firsts, 43½c; cubes, ic less; cartons, ic advance. BUTTERFAT - Portland delivery, No. .1

BUTTERFAT — Portland delivery, No. 1 cream, 48c.

CHEESE—Selling price: Fresh Oregon fanny full cream triplets, 26c; Young America, 27c. Frice to jobbers, flats, 24c; Young America, 25c. f. o. b.; cream brick, 28c 20c; limburger, 25c. f. o. b.; cream brick, 28c 20c; limburger, 25c. f. o. b.; cream brick, 28c 20c; limburger, 25c f. o. b.; cream brick, 28c 20c; limburger, 25c f. o. b.; cream brick, 28c 20c; limburger, 25c f. o. b.; cream brick, 28c 20c; limburger, 25c f. o. b.; cream brick, 28c 20c; limburger, 25c f. o. b.; cream brick, 44c.

LIVE FOULTRY — Hens; heavy Flymouth Rocks, 194c 20c bc; ordinary chickens, 184c per lb.; stags, 124c per lb.; broilers, 196c 20c per lb.; turkeys, 196c 22c per lb.; dressed, fancy, 27c 30c per lb.; culls, 20c 21c; squabs, 42.00 per dosen; geese, live, 10c; Pekin ducks, 16c per lb.; pircons, \$1.25 per dosen, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, \$3.50@8.00; Callfornia grapefruit, \$3.00@3.50; Florida, \$6.50 @7.00; cantaloupes, standard, \$1.00@2.50; flat, 75c@1.00 crate; watermelons, \$1.00@1.50 per cental; peaches, Oregou, 70@90c per box; plums, 75c@\$1.75 per box; fresh figs, \$1.00@1.25 per box.

BERRIES—Blackberries, \$1.00@1.25; gooseberries, 5@dc per lb.; huckleberries, 10@124c per lb.

APPLES — Local, 75c@\$2.50, according to quality.

ONIONS — Walla Walla, \$1.00@1.75; Cali-QUARTY. ONIONS - Walla Walla, \$1.00@1.75; Cali-ONIONS — Walla Walla, \$1.60@1.75; Callfornia, \$2.00.

POTATOES — Selling price, table stock,
heal, \$2.00@2.50. Buying price, ordinary
shipping, \$1.75; sweet potatoes, \$3.75@4.25.

VEGETABLES — Turnips, *(-) per sack;
carrots, \$2.20@2.50 sack; beets, \$1.75@2.00

meck; parsnips, \$1.35 sack; cabbage, local,
24.@24.c lb.; green onions, 20c dos. bunches;
peppers, 10. lb.; head lettuce, 50c per dosen;
celery, 65.65 dosen; artichokos, 90c@\$1.10;
cucumbers, 25.@65c dosen; tomatoes, Oregon,
70.@75c box; egg plant, 8c per lb.; string
beans, 20g3e per lb.; rhubarb, 2c lb.; peas, 7c
per lb.; cauliflower, California, \$1.25 crate,
Meats, Fish and Provisions

DRESSED MEATS — Selling price, country

DRESSED MEATS — Selling price, country killed best hogs, 21@21%c lb.; ordinary, 19@20c per lb.; best veal. 16c per lb.; ordinary veals, 15% & 16c per lb.; heavy, 10@12c per lb.; goat, 4@6c per lb.; lambs, 16@17c per lb.; mutton, 12@15c per lb.; beef, be per lb.; sMOKED MEATS—Hams, 27% & 30c per lb.; SMOKED MEATS—Hams, 27% @30e per lb.; breakfast bacon, 28@4ic; plenies, 22%;c; cottage roll, 27c; short clears, 27@30e; Oregon exports, smoked, 30c per lb.

LARD — Kettle rendered, tierces, 26c per lb.; standard, 25%c; lard compound, 1914c.

OYSTERS—Olympia, gallon, \$3.50; canned, eastern, 55c per can, \$6.50 per dozen; eastern, in shell, \$1.80 per 100; eastern oysters, per salion, solid pack, \$2.75.

FISH—Dressed flounders, 6c; Chinook salmon, 15c; "Tuilles," 10c; perch, 7@8c; soles, 7c; salmon trout, 18c lb.; hallbut, 17@18c lb.; black cod, 8c; herring, 6c; razor clams, (—) dozen; hard shell, 4c lb.; \$2.75 per box; crabs, \$1.75@2.50 per dozen.

Groceries SUGAR—Cube, \$10.05; powdered, \$9.80; fruit or berry, \$9.15; Honolulu, \$9.06; beet, \$8.80; dry granulated, \$9.15; D yellow, \$8.50. Bugar market demoralized, with no set quotations on

granulated.

HONEY—New, \$3.00@3.25 per case,
RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 71%c; New Orleans head, 9c; blue rose, 8½c.

BALT—Course, half ground, 100a, \$14.00 per
ton; 50a, \$14.80; table dairy, 50e, \$18.00; 100a,
\$17.80; bales, \$2.35; fancy table and dairy,
\$24.00; hump rock, \$20.00 per ton.

BHANS—Nominal. Small white, 15½c; large
white, 15c; pink, 11%c; limas, 15%c; bayous,
11%c; red, 12c.

Hops, Wool and Rides

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Hops, Wool and Hides

HOPS—Nominal. Buying price, 1916 crop, 20621c per ib.: contracts, 356236c.

WOOL—Williamette valley, coarse Cotswold, 55c per ib.: medium Shropshire, 60c per ib.; Eastern Oregon, 50@55c per ib.

HIDFS—Salted hides, 25 lbs. and up, 16c; green hides, 25 lbs. and up, 16c; green hides, 25 lbs. and up, 16c; green hides, 25 lbs. and up, 18c; salted stags, 50 lbs. and up, 14c; green bulls, 50 lbs. and up, 11c; salted and green kip, 15 to 25 lbs., 18c; salted and green calf, up to 50 lbs., 22c; dry filat hides, over 7 lbs., 28c; dry filat hides, over 7 lbs., 28c; dry filat hides, over 7 lbs., 28c; dry filat hides, each, \$1.50@2.50; salted horse hides, each, \$8.00@5.00; horsehair, tail, 30c; horsehair, manse, 15c; dry long wool pelts, 40@45c; dry short wool pelts, 25@30c; salted sheep pelts, long wool, each, \$4.00@5.00; salted sheep pelts, long wool, each, \$1.00@1.50; salted sheep pelts, cach, \$1.00@1.50; salted sheep pelts, cach, \$1.00@1.50; salted sheep pelts, cach, \$1.00@1.50; salted sheep shear, ings, each, 25@50c; coarse valley wood, 86@60c; medium valley wool, 60@65c; dry goats, long hair, 35c; dry goats, each, \$1.00@1.50; greene, 15@60c; medium valley wool, 60@65c; dry goats, long hair, 35c; dry goats, each, \$1.00c; long hair, 35c; dry goats, long hair, 35c; dry goats, each, \$1.00c; long hair, 35c; dry goats, long hair, 35c; dry goats, each, \$1.00c; long hair, 35c; dry goats, long hair, 35c; dry goats, each, \$1.00c; long hair, 35c; dry goats, long hair, 35c; dry goats, each, \$1.00c; long hair, 35c; dry goats, each, \$1.00c; long hair, 35c; dry goats, each, \$1.00c; long hair, 35c; dry goats, long hair, 35c; dry goa

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Yakima Valley Fruit Shipments for Week Broke Year's Record

North Takims, Sept. 17.—Shipments of fruit

out of the Yakima valley for the past week broke all records for the season, the total being 1380 cars, principally pears and peaches. The previous week the shipments were 816 ars, and the week before that 827 cars. This makes a total of 3023 shipped out of the val-ley in the past three weeks, and 3560 for the

season to date.

Fruit of all kinds is overrunning the early estimates. The state department of agriculture estimated the pear crop of the valley at 900 cars, but the railroads show they have already moved 1550 cars, and scattering shipments will be made for two weeks yet. The cherry shipments, estimated at 100 cas, went to a total of 130 cars. There remain to be handled somewhere between 6000 and 8000 cars, mostly winte apples, the picking and packing of which will begin next week.

Market Stiffened By Reports of Peace; Corn Price Goes Up

By Joseph F. Pritchard

Cuicago closs: Corn—May \$1.15% @1.15%; December, \$1.18% @1.18%. Oats—May 61% @61%c; December, 58%@ 58%c; September, 59%c. Pork—January, \$43.02; October, \$42.50; September, \$42.35. Lard—December, \$23.20; October, \$23.52; Lard—December, \$23.20; October, \$23.52; September, \$23.71; January, \$22.62, Ribs—January, \$21.97; October, \$24.00; September, \$24.10. Chicago, Sept. 18 .- (U. P.)-Rumors Russia would conclude a separate peace with Germany today overshadowed weather condi-tions in affecting the grain market, and corn

prices showed a net gain of 1% to 1% c over yesterday's closing.

General conditions throughout the corn belt senttered sections. December corn opened 14c lower at \$1.1514, but later went to \$1.1714. May opened at \$1.1214, down 14c, but subsequently gained 214c. Onto was affected by the bulge in corn, and was 1/2 to 1/4c higher.
September cars opened 1/4c, and gained another 14c to 58%c. other 1st to 55 s.c.
Grain opening: Corn—December, \$1.15% to \$1.154: May, \$1.12% to \$1.12%.
Outs—September, 58%c to 58c; December, 57%e to 57c; May, 60%c to 60%c.
Peck—Jamary, \$43.00.
Lard—October, \$23.50; January, \$22.70.
Ribs—October, \$28.07; January, \$22.70.
Forecast of a frust in North Dakota was a factor in trading in corn today that caused

factor in trading in corn today that caused a wharp advance after the opening of the market prices lower than yesterday's close. There was considerable buying. Oats opened slightly higher, and the trading was fairly active. The Armour Grain company was a heavy buyer of September oats. Provisions were higher at the opening Range of Chicago prices furnished by JOBBING PRICES OF FORTLAND

> December ... 115% 118% 118% 118% 112% OATS May PORK

AMERICAN LIVESTOCK PRICES Chicago Hogs \$18.65
Chicago, Sept. 18.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs—Receipts 7000, slow and steady to 5c higher.
Mixed and butchers, \$17.00@18.60; good heavy, \$16.90@18.65; rough heavy, \$16.90@17.15; light, \$17.00@18.35; pigs, \$13.00@17.25; bulk, \$17.50@18.45.
Cattle—Receipts 12.000

Cattle—Receipts 12,000, steady to 10e lower. Beaves, \$7.50617.85; cows and heifers, \$5.15612.90; stockers and feeders, \$6.50@11.00; Texans, \$6.70@15.50; calves, \$12.50@16.26. Sheep—Receipts 15,000, steady to strong the and more than the strong to the str Omaha Hoga \$18.35

Omaha Hogs \$18.35

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 18.—(1. N. S.)—Cattle—
Receipts 11.500, steady and easier. Beeves, \$9.00@16.50; cows and heffers, \$5.25@9.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.76@14.00; westerns, \$10.50@14.00; poor medium, \$7.50@10.25; caives, \$8.00@12.25.

Hogs—Receipts 4000, steady and strong. Good and choice heavy, \$17.56@18.35; rough heavy, \$17.15@17.50; hight, \$17.40@18.85; pigs, \$14.00@17.00; bulk, \$17.35@17.75.

Sheep—Receipts 45.500, steady. Wethers, \$11.50@12.50; yearlings, \$12.00@13.25; feeders, \$12.00@13.30; lambs, \$17.85@18.65; ewes, \$10.00@11.25. Kansas City Hoga \$18.70

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 18.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle—Receipts 21,000, generally steady. Cows and helfers strong to 15c higher. Steers. \$12.00 (217.00; cows and helfers, \$6.00@15.00; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@11.00; calves, \$6.00@ 13.75.
Hogs—Receipts 9000, steady. Top, \$18.70; bulk, \$17.75@18.60; heavies, \$18.60@18.70; mediums, \$18.50@18.70; lights, \$17.50@18.50. Sheep—Receipts 7000, extremely active and 25@40c higher. Both packers and feeders took choice. Lambs at \$18.40; natives brought \$18.00@18.25. No real good sheep were offered.

Seattle Hogs \$18.95

Seattle, Sept. 18.—(1. N. S.)—Hogs—Recelpts 74, steady. Prime lights, \$18.15@18.25; medium to choice. \$18.00@18.10; *smooth heavies. \$17.50@17.75; rough heavies. \$17.00@17.75; pigs. \$17.00@17.25.
Cattle—Recipts 61, steady. Best steers. \$0.25@9.50; medium to choice. \$3.00@8.50; common to medium. \$6.00@7.50; heat cows. \$7.00@7.50; common to medium. \$6.00@7.50; heat cows. \$7.00@7.50; common to medium. \$6.00@10.00. Sheep—Receipts none, steady. Lamba. \$13.00@13.25; good lambs. \$12.50@13.00; ewes. \$6.50@9.00; wethers. \$8.50@10.00.

Denver Hogs \$18.60 Denver Hogs \$18.60

Denver, Colo., Sept. 18.—(U. P.)—Cattle-Beceipts 1500, strong to higher, Steers, \$8.00 @11.50; cows and heiters, \$6.00@8.50; stock-ers and feeders, \$0.25@10.50; calves, \$9.00@ 11.00. Hogs—Receipts 100, strong. Top, \$18.00: bulk, \$18.00@18.50. Sheep—Receipts 8300, strong. @11.25; lambs, \$17.25@17.55.

BANK CLEARINGS

Portland Banks
This week.
\$3,145,009.58
2,590,724.11 Tacoma Banks Seattle Banks \$ 5,862,170.00 601,084.00 San Francisco Banks

Los Angeles Banks \$18,598,142.00 New York Money Market

New York, Sept. 18.—(U. P.)—Money on call, 5 per cent; six months, 54.66; mer-cantile paper, 54.654; bar silver, New York, 1054; demand Sterling, 475. Liverpool Cotton Market Liverpool, Sept. 18.—(I. N. S.)—There was good demand for spot cotton today. Sales 300 bales.

Cattle Situation

Aside from the recent advance in the price of best steers there has been no change in the cattle situation at North Portland. Only a light run of ordinary quality came in to-Best heifers 7.
Bulls 4.
Calves 7.
Stocker and feeder steers 4.
Tuesday Morning Shippers
Ketchum & Son, The Dulles, Or., sheep; Wilson & Whitman, Hepner, Carre extile. cars cattle.

Tuesday Morning Sales COWS 1 hog 50 logs 11 hogs 2 hogs STEERS.

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San Francisco Produce Market San Francisco, Sept. 18.—(U. P.)—Butter— Entras, 45½c; prime firsts, 43½c. Eggs—Entras, 45½c; extra firsts, 49c; extra pullets, 48c; extra firsts, pullets, 48c; extra Cheese—California flats, fancy, 23c; firsts, whent—Nominal, Barley—Per cental No. 1 feed, \$2.421/6 2.55; do, shipping, \$2.471/6 2.50.
Onts per cental—New red feed, \$2.656 2.75; do, seed grade, \$3.1063.25.
Onions—Brown or yellow, \$1.50621.60 for

good stock.

New potatoes—Delta, \$1.75@2.15 per central for choice; do. fancy, \$2.25@2.50; Saltuas, \$2.90@8.00. Sweets Sc per pound ex car. Chicage Produce Market Chicago, Sept. 18.—(I. N. S.)—Butter receipts, 11,445 tubs. Oreamery extra, 43c; extra firsts, 42½c; firsts, 41@41½c; packing Stock, 45c.

Eggs receipts, 12,245 Cases. Ourrent receipts, 34@37c; ordinary firsts, 35@35%c; firsts, 37@37%c; extra, 41%@42%c; checks, 21@31c; dirties, 28@34c.

New York Cotton Market New York, Sept. 18.—(I. N. S.)—Cotton opened steady today, with prices 5 to 10 points higher. Prices reacted about 6 points after the call. The strength of the last hour was based o reports of strong interior spot markets and bullish eastern belt crop advices. The close was steady at an advance of 5 points to a de-cline of 1 point.

New York Metal Market New York, Sept. 18.—(f. N. S.)—Commercia ar silver is up 1c at 108 4c. Lead—Quiet. Spot offered at 94; October le pound.
Tin—Quiet. Sporoffered 62¼ c.
Spelter—Steady. Spot, 805@815; October and
November, 815@825.
Copper—Quiet. Spot, 27e; last quarter, 26@
26½c; first quarter next year, 26c.

New York Sugar and Coffee New York, Sept. 18.—(U. P.)—Spot No. lo, Sc; No. 4 Santos, 10c. Sugar—Centrifugal, \$6.90.

London Metal Market London, Sept. 18.—(I. N. S.)—Bar silver up 1/4 at 521/4d.

Two Pendleton Men Waylaid at Night

Pendleton, Or., Sept. 18 .- One holdup and another attempted holdup were reported to the police Monday morning. John Andrews, an employe of the Baer Hardware company, was walking home in the early hours Sunday morning when a man suddenly stepped up behind him, stuck a gun in his ribs and ordered him to throw up his hands and keep his face to the front. Andrews snatched his watch out of his pocket as he elevated his hands and drapped it down his coatsleave. He and keep his face to the front. Andrews anatched his watch out of his pocket as he elevated his hands and dropped it down his coatsleeve. He lost several dollars in money.

Clarence Whiteman, employed by the Taylor Hardware company, instead of throwing up his hands when ordered, ran onto a neighboring porch, where a light was burning, and the footput fled.

As to the suggestion that the legislature burner in peril.

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Opening of N. Y. Stock Mart Today

New York, Sept. 18.—(I, M. S.)—During the final trading in the stock market today Canadian Facific sold down to 148%, a less of over four points fer the day, although many other issues were in good demand and closing with net gains. National Enameling was unusually strong, advancing to 56 against a low of 39%. United States Steel common reacted to 165%, just before the close. New York, Sept. 18.—(I. N. S.)—Although there was a good deal of variation in price movements during the first 15 minutes of the stock exchange today, the tone was strong, and at the end of that period the majority of united States Steel ranged from 105% to 104%, with a quick rally to above 105, showing a gain of 1/2 point. Marine preferred advanced 11/4 to 81%, the common a point to 26, and Atlantic Guif scored a fractional gain.
Distillers securities continued to reflect absorption, advancing a point to 31½. Bethlehem Steel "B" was an exception to the general display of strength, that stock selling ex-rights, which were traded in at 1½ and 1,

At 91%, a loss of % point.

After the first half hour stocks were again under pressure, with United States Steel dropping to 104%, and Bethlehem Steel "B" to 91¼ points.

The New York Evening Sun financial review over into the rail department, to some extent depressing such leaders as Reading, Union Facific, Southern Railway, Louisville & Nashville, and so on, 1 to 3 points. Aithough the steel and shipping group ransactions were in small lots, as a rule the selling wave left very few issues untouched. United States Steel sold the lowest since last February below 104, and Bethlehem Steel "B"

Losses of 2 to 4 points were suffered by the hipping shares, and at the same time marine nsurance rates were lowered as the sequel to reports of enemy submarines in waters off the New England and Long Island coasts. Trading in the late forenon was of a feverish character with constant changes between strength and weakness, but with the majority of important issues selling down to lower feveres.

lower figures.

The coppers were weak for a time but leter developed strength, with Anaconda advancing from 68% to 69% and American Smelting after selling down to 98% advanced to 98%. Utah Copper, which sold as low as 0014, rose to 91%.
Canadian Pacific was unusually active, falling from 152½ to 149½, with transactions at times on a large scale.
Money loaning at 5 per cent.
The stock market closed steady: Government bonds unchanged, Railway and other bonds heavy.

ment bonds unchanged, Railway and other conds heavy. Sales of stock today 658,100 shares, bonds, 53,458,000.

BARGES ASHORE, LOSS OF 14 MEN IS FEARED

Sixty-Mile Gale and Distance From Shore Make Rescue be financed indefinitely by the coun-Work Impossible.

Orleans, Mass., Sept. 18. (L. N. S.) Three men, a woman and a child were rescued today from the after house of the barge Logan after three lifesavers had been injured. The survivors were taken off in a state of plete organization for the investigautter exhaustion. Orleans, Mass., Sept. 18 .- (I. N. S.)

Fourteen men are believed to have been lost as the result of a schooner and three barges going ashore at two different points near here during the A schooner, apparently a three-master, is breaking to pieces on the outer sandbar. From the size of the schooner it is estimated that it carried seven or

Three barges are ashore, one and one half miles off the Pamet river lifesaving station, about 400 yards off shore on an outside bar. Barge crews number at least two men each, so the total number of men

carried by three barges is figured at six at least.

The 60-mile wind and high sea make it impossible to get lifeboats out to the wrecked vessels and the distance was too far to shoot life lines. At noon the work of rescue was still being attempted. All of the barges and the two schooners were holding anchor but all were in peril.

As to the suggestion that the legis-

ther expression of public sentiment from the state council of defense and

other bodies. "Thirty days is a sufficient length pressions and in the meantime an adequate and equitable measure can be secured," said Mr. Woodward, The chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee said he had not thought of the complications that might be caused introduction of other and political measures.

"My one idea is that the promptest minister of marine, have left for main and most effective means, free of the stigma of charity, should be employed today, to care for the families of soldiers and that before the second draft is see the loyal troops and ascertain at made," said Mr. Woodward. first hand some of the causes of the Would Counties Act?

The chief statements in favor of special legislative session at members' council meeting Monday noon were made by Mr. Woodward, A. F. Flegel, Mayor Baker, Gus Moser and W. Lair Thompson. W. J. Burns suggested that the Red Cross can care tion of lynch law, according to disfor the dependents of soldiers until the government makes an appropria-

Rufus C. Holman, chairman of the sailors arrested at that fortress foi- vision for furnishing a larger car than county commission, declared that a lowing the unsuccessful revolt there, special session is unnecessary and that the counties can meet the need without the stigma of charity through the creation of a pension fund to be addition to the regular relief departments. To make this position clear, Commissioner Holman made, this morning, the following statement: Haste Is Essential

"First, I am absolutely of the opin ion that some provision must be made immediately for the proper care of the dependents of Oregon soldiers. "Second, that whatever program o plan is adopted must be one whereby as near as possible, 100 cents on every dollar available for the purpose shall go into actual relief and as little as possible be consumed in overhead costs, such as the expense of a legis-

lative session, whether it be \$5000 or "Third, I believe that we have sufficient powers and resources in the several county courts of the state to increasing the overhead expense in ad-

which is always abundantly available will be considered vacant. "Fourth, this plan is not entirely an followed by Multnomah county on July 21, 1916, when it came to the re-

ter scheme is available. So far as the stigma of charity is concerned, as a governmental body we can let our re-lief take whatever form the state or tially the same relation as the state er nation.

ties as readily as by the state for the counties have tax levying power as does the state and are no more restricted by the 6 per cent limitation than is the state.

Count Luxburg remained closely in his place of refuge in the Austrian legation today. The Argentine government, it was understood, was endeavoring to arrange for his departure on a Spanish steamer either.

Legislature Not Restricted "Seventh, I do not see the neces-sity of a special session of the legislature, particularly as the legislation of the need and for the distribution of the pensions in the several local communities of the state, in addition to the cost of the session "All of the above is stated in the

belief that the several county courts of the state will cooperate patriotic-ally and willingly in making the plan Any subject which can come before a regular session of the legislature can also be brought before a special session. There is no legal restriction n the variety or number of subjects that can be considered by a special iegislative session.

Money Yet Left

It can enact measures relating to salaries, fees, appropriations, road and game laws and any of the other matters with which a regular legislative session deals. There is always the possibility that the convening of a special session will furnish oppor-

GENERAL KORNILOFF'S FATE IS IN HANDS OF RUSSIAN GOVERNMEN

Leader of Revolt Completes His Defense Before Investigating Committee.

Petrograd, Sept. 18 .- (U. P.) -- General Korniloff's fate is in the hands of that he will arrive in Portland Sunthe provisional government. He com-day, September 30, in order to take up pleted his defense before the special the campaign the next day. Miller investigate the causes of the revolt, the Oregon executive committee of submitting a full statement in writing. seven men. Examination of other officers involved with the former commander in chief in the rebellion was continuing today, but a full report from the committee, making recommendation as to future action, is expected shortly. Meanwhile Korniloff and 23 of his officers are confined in the Hotel Molehiley, guarded carefully.

All Russia is expected to learn defense the former generalissimo has made to the treason charges against him. The demand on the part of the public that he be executed as the best possible example to all Russia's troops that discipline is to be enforced with out fear or favor, showed little abatement today. In the streets the great est interest was manifest in whether the investigating commission would recommend a civil trial or a military courtmartial for Korniloff. Premier Kerensky's proclamation specifically branding Korniloff as a traitor, it was recalled, ordered that he and his accomplices be delivered to "civil tribunals of justice."

Officials Not Concerned Washington, Sept. 18.—(I. N. S.)— Reports that officials here are again concerned over the possibility of the state department today. Officials raid that to the contrary the situation at Petrograd looms more reassuring every day and that the strengthening of time to secure these additional ex- of the Kerensky cabinet can mean nothing less than a renewed determination to fight the war out at all

Kerensky to Interview Troops Petrograd, Sept. 18 .- (U. P.)-Pre at a special legislative session by the mier Kerensky, accompanied by General Verkhovsky, assistant to Chief of Staff Alexieff and Admiral Verderevsky army headquarters, it was announced

> Korniloff rebellion. Council Issues Appeal London, Sept. 18.—(U. P.)—The Petand civilians to refrain from institupatches today to the Evening News. The Kronstadt organization had de-

FORMAL EXPLANATION OF LUXBURG INCIDENT

Public Not All Accepting View Disavowal Would Satisfy; Many Demand Break,

By Charles P. Stewart.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 18 .- (U. P.)-Argentina expects Germany to forpromptly meet this situation, without ward a formal explanation of the Luxburg incident. Until such a disavowal ministering the fund. We would use is received, through the ordinary our present staff and take advantage channels of diplomatic intercourse, of voluntary, non-compensated service the German ministerial post here

Officials in thus indicating Argentina's viewpoint today, intimated that experiment, as I would endeavor to such formal apology from Germany duplicate the same procedure as was might satisfactorily close the incimight satisfactorily close the inci-

lief of the dependents of the Oregon cepting such a view, however. Nuvolunteers then stationed on the Mexi- merous meetings are being held urging that Argentina formally break rela-tions with Germany. The strongest "Fifth, the plan that I propose could tions with Germany. The strongest be altered or eliminated when any bet-President Irigoyen to this end. The anti-German element is caustically is seeking to clear up the bald phrases federal government might give it, for of Luxburg's communications by the we can assure to those aided substan-explanation of an under secretary exexplanation of an under secretary expressing regret and Germany's "absophrases.

> a Spanish steamer—either the Leo XIII, leaving September 28, or the Reina Victoria, departing October 2. The Spanish minister was believed to have taken up the matter of safe conduct with the allies.

Girl's Body Found In a Chicago Flat

Chicago, Sept 18.—(U. P.)—Police today were seeking the slayer of Miss Josephine Parker, whose body was found last night in the bathroom of a flat she had occupied alone for more than a month. The girl's wrists had been slashed nd she had bled to death. The walls and floors of the parlor and bathroom were stained with blood and a razor lay on the window sill. She evidently had been dead about 10 days.

The police were willing to accept suicide theory at first, but later discovered a bucket of bloody water and sponge which had been used in an effort to wipe up the bloodstains. flat was bare of furniture. trunk contained a complete bridal trousseau. Miss Parker evidently had slept on a pile of newspapers in a cor-The girl is believed to have com

here from Decatur, Illinois. Few Prisoners Taken London, Sept. 18.—(U. P.)—Except for patrol encounters in the Ypres sector, where a few prisoners were taken, Field Marshal Haig had noth-ing special to report from the British front today.

Finance: Timber: Industry

C. A. Miller, San Francisco Banker Who Managed First Liberty Loan Campaign in Oregon, Is Reappointed for Second Camprign-Federal Farm Board Prepares for Huge Loans.

Miller to Manage Campaign.—C. A. mature serially in multiples of \$60. Miller, the young San Francisco investment banker, who virtually had complete charge of the first Liberty Federal Reserve Director Mars.—A oan campaign in Portland, has been asked to take up the work of the second campaign in this territory. The city for a few hours Monday afternoon request was made when the executive and met Portland bankers. Mr. Hills committee of the Twelfth federal reserve district met in San Francisco last week. Miller has written to Emery Olmstead, manager of the of the federal reserve system, and Northwestern National bank, stating probably will be named chairman of

Parm Loan Board Prepares,-A dispatch from Washington Monday states that the federal farm loan board is elaborate farm mortgage machinery to be in readiness to meet the great dedesire to assure victory for American farmers plan to obtain money on long term mortgages through the new rural for publicly issued securities, and credits system so that they will have is now in the ascendency. the seed, implements and machinery and can pay the labor to produce foodstuffs to fill the granaries of all the allies.

for the \$111,000 issue of Douglas county highway bonds were opened Monlay afternoon at Roseburg and the sale was awarded to Morris Bros. of Portland on an offer of 96.46. The Lumbermens Trust company was second with a bid of 95.373 and blank bonds. This is one fifth of the total issue of \$550,000 offered in August. All bids were rejected at that time because they were too low. The bonds

Pederal Reserve Director Kers.—A. C. Miller, member of the federal re-serve board of Washington, was in the

been in the west looking over the dis land, Seattle and Spokane. He was in formally entertained by several of the local bankers while here.

Municipal Market Much Firm Steadily increasing firmness in the working to capacity to prepare its daily in returns from the big eastern elaborate farm mortgage machinery to sales. The municipals, together with exemption feature, a thing that has arms in the present war by eliminating doubt from the food situation. The men of large incomes. Apparently the bottom has been reached in the mi

> Exchange to Remain Open. Un-founded rumors that have been per-sistently going the rounds to the effect that the New York Stock exc was to close for a short period woofficially denied a few days ago. reason for the closing was ascr in the reports.

Gold Exports of Week week ending September 15, gold aggregated \$9,228,430, of w \$5,965,000 went to Japan; \$125,000 to Chile, \$1,600,000 to Peru, \$200,000 to other South American \$1,048,000 to Spain; \$25,000 to Canada and \$865,000 to other places.

concerned over the possibility of a separate peace between Russia and Germany were denounced as false at ADVANCE ON MINIMUM PENDLETON ALREADY CARLOAD OF LUMBER ADVANCE GUARDS IN AND PRODUCTS UNFAIR

> Prominent Manufacturers Object to I. C. C. Ruling.

Salem, Or., Sept. 18. — The Oregon public service commission Monday sent the following telegram to the interstate commerce commission: "Oregon State Council of Defense and many prominent lumber manufacrograd council of workmen and soldiers turers in Oregon have filed a protest and lumber products recently filed by the transcontinental freight bureau. We earnestly request suspension of manded liberation without trial of these tariffs and especially the pro-

> that ordered." Chairman Frank J. Miller of the comwould work a great hardship against the steer buildogging and the lumber manufacturers of the events that Livestock Director northwest, as they would place them under an unfair handicap in competition with southwestern manufacturers, who are not included in the new tariffs. The tariff fixing the minimum carload at 60,000 pounds, he pointed out, would in effect raise the freight rate on finished lumber products for the reason it is physically impossible to load 60,000 pounds into a car. Yet the shipper would have to pay the

freight on 60,000 pounds. The other provision to which objection is made would give the railroad companies the privilege of furnishing, at their convenience, a larger car than the one ordered and require the shipper to pay the freight for the mini-mum load allowed for the larger car, even though the car was not filled to to increase the freight rate.

Indemnity Lands Price Fixed Salem, Or., Sept. 18.—The state land oard, at a meeting held Monday, fixed \$13.50 as the price for which the state will sell to the C. A. Smith Timber company, the trustees of the George Baldwin estate, and the Sligh Furniture company the right of the state to select indemnity lands. This action was taken in compliance

with chapter 378, laws of 1917, which and Drumheller arrived yesterday, as provides that the estate and companies did Darrell Cannon and Braden Ger named should have the right to buy these indemnity selections at current rates because in the past the state had sold to them or their predecessors in interest certain school lands before they were surveyed and to which the state could not convey title because they had been taken up as homesteads. In buying the lieu land selections, the state is to give the purchasers credit for the amount that was paid the state originally, and in cases where the land was bought from others, the amount paid for the land.

Largest Bond Fee Paid Salem, Or., Sept. 18. - The largest tee ever received by the secretary of state's office was paid Monday by the Ochoco Irirgation district for the certification of \$906,000 of bonds. There were 1100 separate bonds and under the law a charge of \$2 each was made for placing the state seal on the bonds, making in all a fee of \$2200.

Hood River Pioneers Hold Their Reunion

Hood River, Or., Sept. 18.—Three hundred pioneers of Hood River county and members of their families attended the annual pioneer meeting Monday in I. O. O. F. hall. They also celebrated the eightieth birthday anniversary of Hon. E. L. Smith and Mrs. Boarman, members of the association. The ploneers presented Smith with a year's subscription to a geographical magazine and Mrs. Boarman with Milton O'Dell, the oldest pioneer in Hood River county, was born here in After dinner addresses were delivered by Judge Fred Wilson, The

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State Council of Defense and Steers, Ponies, Cowboys, Bulldoggers and Other Folk Arrive for Great Festival.

> Pendleton, Or., Sept. 18 .- Round-Up week has arrived and with, it hu dreds of people who want to be on the scene early for the three days of frontier fun, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Round-Up directors. Over 500 head of stock, including bucking horses, relay porses, pony express horses, saddle ponies and steers, arrived in the city and the stall, paddock and corral rooms of the Round-Up barns were taxed to the utmost to accomm

So many have been the entries in the events that Livestock Director Sam Chompson found that the one car of Mexican longhorns would not suffice. Therefore, he secured a second carload and they arrived Sunday.

Bucking Contests Filled The bucking contest has filled up so that it will take about all the outlaw. horses in the west to give the buckaros contestants mounts. Besides the fa-mous Round-Up string, the Drumheller string of Walla Walla, the M'Carty string of Cheyenne and the Spain string of Union are already in the pad-docks and, besides, a number of new buckers, owned by various individuals, have been sent in. They will all be

Ten relay strings are already in the box stalls and, without question, the relay races this year will set a new standard for these events. The ten strings already here make certain that there will be at least five entries in both the cowboys' and cowgirls' races. In the cowgirls' event, Mabel De Long. Ruth Parton, Bertha Blancett, all former champions, Josephine Sherry and Donna Gard are entered and are here.

needed.

Noted Biders Arrive Nep Lynch, who, on the Parsons string of Montana, has twice defeated Alian Drumheller of Walla Walla in the past two weeks by a few seco king, other entries. "Sleepy" Arm strong, who is riding the fast M'Carti string of Cheyenne, arrived severs days ago.
The Indian contingent will be larger

than ever before, as many of the Perces are coming from Idaho to 5 their friends, the Umatillas, Cayu and Walla Wallas. Cowboys are h by the score already, among them Tommy Grimes, Buffalo Vernon, Tak-ima Canutt, the Wier brothers, Dave White, Leonard Stroud, Sammy Garrett, Ed M'Carty, Scoop Martin, Ed M'Gilvray, John Spain and Hippy Burmester, all potential champions.

Weather conditions are ideal at the present time. The recent rains great improved the roads which means th hundreds of automobiles will come. A together, the prospects look migh good for another great Round-Up.

Dalles; Rev. William Eliot, Portland; Rev. Troy Shelly and Milton O'Dell Hood River. A vocal solo was given by Florence Brosius and an instrumental duet by the Bartmess sisters.

T. R. Chon was elected asserted. T. R. Coon was elected president and H. L. Howe, secretary. Two pioneers, David Turner and Mrs. Peter Mohr, died during the year

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