DELAYED SHIPMENTS CAUSE HEAVY LOSSES IN LIVESTOCK Hyman H. Gohen

HEAVY LOSSES ARE

CHARGED BY TRADE

TO POOR HANDLING

POTATO MARKET HAS A GREATER SUPPLY; FOUR SIZES QUOTED

Large Sized Tuber, Finds Buyers -Up to \$2.75 Cental-Seed Size Stock

Potato market was somewhat more active, with a fair increase in local offerings for the week's opening transactions. Purchases for extra fancy stock continued as high as \$2.75 per cental, with No. 2 stock at \$2.59 and No. 3 at \$2.00 @ 2.25 generally. For eed size stock purchases were shown around 90c

\$1.00 per bag.

While the percentage of good sized stock con
we do not be because of soo. Growers are now looking about for help, calls for men and Week as While the percentage of good sized stock continues to increase here, much small stuff is still being offered. This seed size stock, which is being offered. This seed size stock, which is scarcely bigger than a big marble in many instances, is extremely difficult to move, and receivers scarcely care to handle it at any price. ceivers scarcely care to handle it at any price. Market for potatoes continues entirely a local affair for certaids markets are either lower than Portland or no higher than the quotations listed market will be forced.

to its customers. While the carload dispments to six weeks. In order to gather the crop in the have not yet arrived, they are in transit and will least possible time, the schools at Ilwaeo and at

AUSTRALIAN BROWNS WILL COME The stock is expected to Seaview anticipates an extraordinary yield this year. The vines, which are four years old, are well matted and the berries are taking on a healthy, red appearance. He is erecting a new at \$3.00. Walla Walla market continues year.

TOMATO MARKET STILL HOLDING, warehouse and packing house on his place.
Unusual attractions are offered pickers from Outlook for very low prices for tomatoes is less hopeful as the days pass. Lesders of the trade hers do not at present anticipate much lowering of present prices because of the lateness of

EGG PRICES ARE BEING LIFTED With the higher prices being offered by f. o. b. buyers for supplies from the country, the selling 52c a dozen, with extras at 53X54c, and cartons carrying the usual premium.

DAIRY PRODUCE MARKETS FIRM Market for butter remains firm, with cubes strong at 51c for extras. Supplies are light. Cheese trade is quite active, considering the treme price. Offerings limited. Canned milk values are firmer all around

Sweet potato shippers complain of lack of cara. First car of Tokay grapes due during the week. Country killed hogs and weals firm for quality;

Corn quality is better, and supplies are quite upplies of buckleberries coming; sales at 17 % @ 20c pound.

WEATHER NOTICE FOR SHIPPERS result that but little damage as a rule is caused Weather bureau advises: Protect shipments by the insects. during the next 36 hours against the following maximum temperatures: Going north, 75 de-grees; northeast over S., P. & S. R., R., 99 degrees, east to Baker 90 degrees and south to Ashland, 95 degrees. Maximum temperature at Portland tomorrow, about 80 degrees.

JOBBING PRICES IN PORTLAND These are the prices retailers pay wholesalers,

BUTTER-Selling price: Creamery prints in parchment wrappers, extras, 54c, prime firsts, 52c; firsts, 51% ob butter in 30 lb boxes, 1/20 less; 60 lb, boxes, 1c less; cubes, 1c less; cartons, 1c additional; dairy, 37c lb.; jobbing price, cubes, extras, 51c; prime firsts, 89@40c.

BUTTERFAT — Portland delivery basis, No.

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The contract of the contract 1 sour cream, 56c. CHEESE — Selling price: Tillamook fresh sying price, 48 @ 49c. Selling price, selected, \$54c; selected, in cartons, 55c. LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 23 @ 25c per lb.; brollers, 26 @ 27c; old roosters, 16c; stags, 15 @ 16c; turkeys, 28 @ 30c; dressed fancy, 87c; No. 2, 30c; squabs, \$3.00 dozen; geese, spring, 16c; ducks, 23 @ 30c; pigeons, \$1.50 @

Fresh Vegetables and Fruits Fresh Vegetables and Fruits
FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, \$8.00 @ 8.50 per
box; bananas, 8c lb.; lemona, \$9.25 @ 10.25
per box; California grapefruit, \$5.00 per crate;
watermelons, 1 %c per lb.; California black igs, \$1.75 per crate; plums, 2c per lb.

BERRIES—Blackberries, \$2.00 per crate.

PEACHES—Per box, \$1.00 @ 1.25.

APPLES—Various varieties, 75c @ \$2.75 per

\$3% o per lb: buying price for fancy large size, \$2.50 @ 2.75; ordinary, \$1.75 @ 2.00 per cental; sweets, 6% o per lb. CANTALOUPES—Flate, \$1.00 @ 1.25; pony, \$2.50@2.75; standard, \$3.00; VEGETABLES—New turnips, 65c per dozen bunches; carrots, \$2.00@2.25 a sack; beets, \$2.75 a sack; paranips, \$1.25 per sack; cabbage, 4@4%c; puppers, 12%c; head lettuce, \$2.50; celery, \$1.00@1.15 doz.; artichokes, \$1.00@

28 %c per lb.; lard compound, 23c.
OYSTERS—Olympia, gallon, \$4.50; canned,
eastern, 75c can, \$9.00 dozen cans,
FRESH FISH—Dressed flounders, \$6 @ 7c;
salmon, Chinock, 17 @ 78 %c; steelhead, 15 in 16c: perch, Sc: soles, Sc: salmon trout, 18@ 20c: halibut, 18c; black cod, 11@12c; her-ring, 6c; smelt, 9@10c; clams, hard shell, 6c per lb., \$4.00 box; crabs, (—) per dox; shad,

Grocorles
SUGAR—Cube. \$9.70 %; powdered, \$8.09 %;
fruit or berry, \$8.05; D yellow, \$7.55; granulated, \$8.05; beet, \$7.95; extra C, \$7.70;
golden C, \$7.55.
HONEY—New, \$6.00 per cas:.

RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 9 % @ 10e; New
Orleans head, 11 % @ 11 % c; blue rose, 10 % @
11c per lb.

cull stags or bulls, 14c; dry cull stags or bulls, by price; dry horse, according to size and take off, each, \$1.50 to \$2.50; saited horse, according to size and take off, each, \$2.90 to \$5.00; dry long wool pelts, per lb., 40c; dry short wool pelts, per lb., 25c to 80c; saited long wool lamb pelts, August take off, each, \$2.50 to \$3.50; gaited sheep pelts, August take off, each, \$2.00 to \$3.00; dry sheep shearlings, each, 25 to 50c; saited sheep shearlings, each, 50 to 75c; dry long hair, goat skins, per lb., 28c; dry short hair, goat skins, each, 50c to \$1.00; horse hair, tail, 30c; horse hair, mane, 15c. SALT—Coarse half ground, 100s, \$16.00 per ton; 50s, \$17.25; table dairy, 50s, \$22.60;

TRANSPORTATION

SAN FRANCISCO-LOS ANGELES LOW RATES By Steamer, Including Meals and Berth THE SAN FRANCISCO & PORTLAND 8. 8. CO. Tickets at Third and Stark to Broadway 4500, Broadway 268 A-1234, A-6121

STEAMSHIP. SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES AND SAN DIEGO es and reservations apply to San Fran-Portland & Los Angeles Steamship Co. FRANK BOLLOM, Agent. . 109 Third St.

CRANBERRY CROP OF ILWACO SECTION IS LIKELY TO BE LARGE

By Claude L. Simpson

other points near the cranberry district will not

be opened until the picking season is over. Scores of boys and girls are expected to go out on the

product at this time is bailed as an important

factor in the government's sugar conservation

flooding of the beds must be resorted to to pro-

has large interests, is one of the chief factors in the industry in Pacific county. Many indi-

land being in bearing near Oysterville, at the

POTATOES ALL ALONG THE COAST

lower end of the peninsula.

Sugar, centrifugal, \$6.05.

Liverpool Cotton Firm

Bs. 18 % c. TURPENTINE—Tanks, 84c; cases, 94c; 10

ease lots, 1c less.
WIKE NAILS—Basic price, \$5.85.

The western growers are learning the

marshes.

attract hundreds to the marshes,

No. 1 Selected Stock, Which Means a Best Output in the History of the Enormous Shrinkage in Meat Pro- Far West Likely to Pay More for Biggest Run of Elbertas for the Year Washington Marshes Expected and duction Said to Be Due to Lack of Proper Transportation - Cow Quality Is Said to Be Very Good -Many Pickers to Be Needed. Market Jumps to New Record.

> PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN Searlew, Wash, Aug. 26.—Cranberry bogs of Pacific county, Washington, are expected to yield \$100,000 net for this season's crop, which is estimated to be the best in the history of the Friday. industry in this section.
>
> Some 2000 pickers will be needed to harvest Wednesday. 343 458 Charges that more livestock is being wasted

The pay will be \$1 a box, and an average good because of lack of adequate railroad service than picker can make from \$2.50 to \$3.50 a day. was saved during all the meatless days, are being The work is clean, and women and girls can here. There will not likely be any shipping demand for some time, and if receipts increase as they have during the last few days a lower priced they have during the last few days a lower priced to the complete the strict of the complete the strict of the complete the strict of the complete In the openly made by livestock men here, gather the beries and Long Beach, the vicinity of livace, Scaview and Long Beach, the cranberry beds are giving promise of an unusually known all along the coast as "Dad" Hunt, as the country the effect of the advance in rates put out the country the country the effect of the advance in rates put out the country the effect of the advance p

AUSTRALIAN BROWNS WILL COME

First offerings of Australian brown enions of the season are due from California during the day when a load of settle good static states of the season are season are due from California during the day when a load of settle good static states of the season are season While over Sunday there was a rather liberal supply of cattle reported in the North Portland It is not permissible for mills to accept wheat as yards most of the offerings were of fair to toll in lieu of cash.

> enjoy a brief visit to the seashore, where crabs, oysters and fish are plentiful. Living accommodations may be found in summer cottages in some instances where the owners have vacated their premises for the winter months. Some of the larger growers are planning to erect special cottages for the pickers. In another year ample living quarters will be available. That the cranberry industry in Pacific county Medium to good cows and heifers, rapidly assuming large proportions is indiis rapidly assuming large proportions is indi-cated by the following figures: Yield in 1919. 2250 barrels; 1917, 5000 barrels; 1918 yield (estimated), 10,000 barrels. estimated), 10,000 barrels.
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> Owing to the fact that the eastern berries reStockers and feeders.... quire nearly twice as much sugar in cooking as the western berry, consumption of the western

over night was a very fair one in strong con-trast to the scant showing of last week's initial Reports have been received by local around.

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Trade in the swine market started rundled in the swine market started rundl session. Total arrivals over Sunday were 1288 Trade in the swine market started fully as

 Medium mixed
 19.00 € 19.50

 Rough heavies
 17.50 € 18.50

 Pigs *
 16.75 € 18.90

 Pub.
 16.75 € 18.90

tect the vines from injury by frost, whereas the Mutton Situation Good While there was a rather liberal run of stuff reported in the sheep and lamb alleys at North Portland over Sunday, trend of the trade continues to reflect strength and generally speaking tion, of which Dr. Lee Paul of Ilwace is presi- all values were maintained at the high point. dent, and C. K. Cooper is secretary, is doing a good work in meeting the demands of the industry. H. M. Williams, one of the pioneer growers, who General sheep range: Wethers

Monday Livestock Shippers Cattle-Coles & Dodd, Haines, 3 loads; Kid- Aug. 24, 1914..... 83,027,000

well & Trowbridge, Baker, 14 loads; Gritman Bros., Hermiston, 1 load; M. D. Kelly, Hunting-Onions, per cental-Australian brown, \$1.65 Toung America, 31c. Price to jobbers, Tillamook triplets, 27c; Young America, 28c f. o. b. Coos and Curry. Price to jobbers, f. o. b. Myrtle Pdint, triplets, 26c; Young America, 28c f. o. b. Myrtle Pdint, triplets, 26c; Young America, 28c f. o. b. Myrtle Pdint, triplets, 26c; Young America, 28c f. o. b. Myrtle Pdint, triplets, 26c; Young America, 28c f. o. b. Myrtle Pdint, triplets, 26c; Young America, 28c f. o. b. Los Angeles Market

Los Angeles, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Potatoes—Local red, per lb., 3 ½ c. Los Angeles Market

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Buying price, 48 @ 49c. Selling price, selected, in cartons, 55c. 1 load; U. S. Buahnell, Bend, 1 load; G. Bushness, Union Junction, 1 load; W. H. Harris, The Balles, 1 load; F. A. Knox, Condon, 1 load; \$19.00 \(\) 19.50; packing bogs, heavy, \$17.75 \(\) W. H. Sunderlin, Cushman, 1 load; E. J. Fossett, Baker, Cushman, Cushman, 1 load; E. J. Fossett, Baker, medium and mixed, \$17.80 \(\) 18.85; light, Money and Exchange

New York, Aug. 26.— (L N. S.) — Call money on the floor of the New York stock exchange today ruled at 6 per cent; high, 6 per cent; low, 6 per cent; low, 6 per cent; low, 6 per cent; money as firm. Rates were: Sixty days, 5 % 6 per cent; for prime mercantile paper was firm. Call money in Load; W. J. Hayes, 1 load; W. T. Dement, 2 loads; W. Leaford, 3 loads; W. Leaf

GRAPES — Per crate, black, \$2.25 @ 2.50;

Msiagas, crates, \$2.00; luss, 8½ c per lb.

PEARS—Bartlett, \$1.25 @ 1.75 per box,
DRIED FRUITS—Dates, Dromedary, \$5.50;
Fards, \$4.50 box; raisins, three crown, loose packages,
ONIONS—Selling price to retailer: Walla, \$2.75; garlic, 14@15c lb.; green onions,
POTATOES—Selling price, new potatoes, 3½

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Rew York Sugar and Coffee

DAR FIBRCISCO Grain Market

San Francisco Grain Market

Sheep—Barton & Co., Lyle, 1 load; C. H.
Johnson, Condon, 1 load; C. P., Ketchum & Kansas City Mog \$19.55

Kansas City Mog \$19.55

Kansas City, Aug. 26.—(Li. N. S.)—Cattle—Chi. N. W., c. ...

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Chi. N New York, Aug. 26.—(U. P.)—Coffee, or eattle, calves, hogs and sheep; J. L. Maxwell, spot No. 7 Rio. 8 ½c; No. 4 Santos, 11 ½c.

Super annual control of cattle and hogs; Penland

lots; peanuts, 20c; pacans, 17c; Brazil, 20c.

Hops, Wool and Hides
HOPS—Nominal, 1917 crop, 20c lb.

HIDES—No. 1 salted, 30 lbs. and up, 15c;
No. 2 salted, 30 lbs. and up, 14c; No. 1 green,
80 lbs. and up, 12c; No. 2 green, 30 lbs. and
up, 11c; No. 1 salted bulls, 50 lbs. and up, 12c;
No. 2 salted bulls, 50 lbs. and up, 11c; No. 1
green bulls, 50 lbs. and up, 10c; No. 2 green or
salted calf skins, up to 15 lbs., 32c; No. 2 green or
salted calf skins, up to 15 lbs., 30 ½c; No. 1
green or salted kip skins, 15 to 30 lbs., 16c;
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No. 2 green or salted kip skins No. Av. lbs. Price. 15.... 950 \$ 8.75 6....1005 7.25 CALVES

HOGS 484.... 87 \$15.00 DAIRY PRODUCE ON THE COAST

San Francisco Market San Francisco, Aug. 26 .- (U. P.) -Butter, Eggs—Extras, 59 %c; pullets, 54c. Cheese—California flats

dry short bair, goat skins, each, 50c to \$1.00; horse hair, tail, 30c; borse hair, mane, 15c.

WOOL—Mohair, long staple, 60c; Mohair, short staple, 40c; Mohair, Burry, 30c; No. 1 tallow, 13 %c; No. 2 tallow, 12 %c; No. 1 grease, 10c; No. 2 grease, 9c.

CHITTEM OR CASCARA BARK—Gross weights, 12 %c.

(Prices quoted above are per pound, except where otherwise designated.) where otherwise designated.)

Ropes, Paints, Oils

ROPE—Sisal, dark, 24c; white, 23 ½c lb.;
standard Manils, 32 ½c.
LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbla., \$2.01 gallon;
kettle boiled, bbls., \$2.03; raw, cases, \$2.11;
boiled, cases, \$2.18 gallon.

UOAL OIL—Water white, in drums or iron Cheese—Washington triplets, 27 @ 28e; Young America, 28 @ 29c; Oregon triplets, @ 28c; do Young America, 28 @ 29c, Los Angeles Market Los Angeles, Aug. 26.— (I. N. S.) — Butter— California creamery, extras, 50c. Eggs—Extras, 53c; case count, 49c; pullets, 47c. bbls., 10c gal.; cases, 20c gal.
GASOLINE—Iron bbls., 21%c; cases, 31%c;
engins distillate, iron bbls., 13c; cases, 23c.
WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 13%c lb.; 500

San Francisco Imports San Francisco, Aug. 26.—Recent imports include 2248 bales hemp, 4887 tons wheat, 6576 bales fibre. Imports of Australian wheat from January 1 to July 31 were 1,510,427 centals.

FREIGHT RATES MAY FORCE ADVANCE IN COARSE GRAIN PRICE

Its Requirements of Oats and Corn From East of Rockies-Decision on Custom Grinding.

NORTHWEST GRAIN RECEIPTS Wheat Barley Flour Oats Hay Portland, Monday . 44 . . 6 5 Year ago..... 6 5 24 94 565 Sesson to date... 1044 60 224 94 565 233 29 115 108 233 3 Year ago... 7
Season to date... 426 13 ... 3
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468 18 284 24 2 Seattle, Saturday... 37 2 15 2 82 shipments from Columbia river sections are rather. Year ago... 9 4 10 1 82 shipments from Columbia river sections are rather. Season to date... 468 18 284 88 329 liberal of this variety and quite fair supplies are likewise coming forward from Willamette valley points.

TAH POTATOES ARE TO ARRIVE

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trade, a Portland house is quoting Utah potatoes

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loss in the matter of home canning in the

This toll is collectable on a money basis only.

yards most of the offerings were of fair to medium quality with a very small percentage of really worth while stuff. Killers continue to bid eagerly for the good stuff but all lines of cattle showed a strong tone during the day.

General cattle range:

Prime steers \$12.50 @ 13.50 ground to choice steers \$12.50 @ 13.50 ground to choice steers \$12.50 @ 13.50 ground to good steers \$9.75 @ 11.00 ground to fair steers \$8.75 @ 9.75 ground to good cows and heifers \$8.75 @ 9.75 ground to good cows and heifers \$9.00 @ 9.80 ground to good cows and heifers \$9.00 @ 9.80 ground to good cows and heifers \$1.55 @ 6.25 ground to good cows and heifers \$1.50 @ 12.00 ground to

Mon. Sat. Fri. Thur. Wed. Tues. ago.
Mon. Sat. Frj. Thur. Wed. Mon. ago. 6000 6000 6550 6050 6050 5950 4950 Thirty day delivery:

18.00 Thirty day delivery:
11.75 | declining from 1 to 2 points from the high.
12.50 | No. 3 | OATS |
13.00 | OATS |
14.00 | declining from 1 to 2 points from the high.
Steel common dropped from 115 to 113%.
While losses of about the same amount were sus-

Hogs C. F. Jones, Corning, Cal. 2 leads; A Luce, Willows, Cal. 1 lead; Grover Brothers, New Plymouth, 1 lead; W. H. Harris, Grass Valley, 1 lead; Thomas Cooming, Enterprise 1 lead; Total Increase Total Increase The feature of the trading in the late afterley, 1 load; Thomas Cooning, Enterprise, 1 lead; Aug. 26, 1918. 42,178,000 9,419,000 W. L. Gordon, Brogan, 2 loads; W. J. Welch. Aug. 27, 1917. 4,159,000 *444,000

AMERICAN LIVESTOCK PRICES Chicago Hogs \$19.90 Chicago, Aug. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs

Sheep—Receipts, 4000; steady to 25c higher.

Lambs, \$16.75 @ 17.75; ewes, \$11.50 @ 12.60;

General Electric...

Goodrich Rubber...

Gt. Nor. Ore Lands...

Gt. Nor. ore Lands... Wallows, 1 load of cattle and hogs; Penland Livestock company, Heppner, 1 load of cattle and hogs; Sol Dickerson, Weiser, 1 load of cattle and hogs.

United States bureau of markets reports livestock loaded. August 25 in carloads (doubledecks counted as two cars):

Wethers, \$13.00 @ 14.00.

Omaha Hogs \$19.25

Omaha, Aug. 26.—(I. N. 8.)—Hogs—Receipts, 3900; higher. Top, \$19.25; range. \$18.20 @ 19.25; mixed, \$18.35 @ 18.40; good, choice, \$18.25 @ 18.40; rough, \$18.20 @ 18.25; light, \$18.60 @ 19.15; bulk, \$18.25 @ 18.60; mixed \$15.00 @ 17.00

Denver Hogs \$19.60

Denver, Aug. 26.— (U. P.)—Cattle—Receipts, 3400; 25c to 40c lower. Steers, \$8.00

@ 16.00; cows and heifers, \$7.50@10.25; stockers and feeders, \$7.50@11.00; calves, \$11.00

@ 13.00.

Portland Banks Seattle Banks

St. Louis Metal Market St. Louis, Aug. 26.—(L N. S.)—Lead—In demand at \$1.75, but none obtainable except for government Spelter—Strong at \$9. · Jamond Ball

FARMERS who wish to ship direct Veal, Hogs, Poultry and Eggs should write and request our weekly price bulletin.

Sheridan-Beckley Co. Portland, Or. st. 126 Front St.

PEACH SEASON WILL BE IN FULL SWING DURING THIS WEEK

Generally Expected-Trade Says Plenty of Sugar Available for All Legitimate Canning.

This is expected to be the week of the greatest hipment of peaches to market the present season. Housewives who want to can are given their last chance to secure good quality—and probably at a price that will not be duplicated during the remainder of the season.

While the season for early Crawfords is over in most sections and late Crawfords are arriving in small supply, this week will show the big movement of the year of Elbertas from Pacific Northwest producing centers. At the present time shipments from Columbia river sections are rather liberal of this variety and quite fair supplies are

That higher prices for oats and other coarses, are being grains may be forced throughout the country as a result of the increases to be made in the freight rates, is the idea expressed by some of the leaders of the trade. In some sections of the country the effect of the advance in rates the country the effect of the advance in rates and the country the effect of the advance in rates.

pose is not available, to the extent that in some Cow prices literally jumped over the moon during the day when a load of extra good stuff shipped in by the Principle Land & Liverton The moon of the properties and the properties and the properties are a load of extra good stuff the shipped in by the Principle Land & Liverton The moon of the food administration, advises: available for all legitimate requirements for the canning and preserving of fruits and vegetables. Unfortunate if any fruit or vegetables allowed to waste because of lack of sugar. Rather would we take from our November and December allotments sufficient sugar to meet necessary requirements of September and October.

Steel Common Is Chief Interest in The Early Trade

New York, Aug. 26.—(I. N. S.)—The stock market closed steady today. There was renewed pressure on many of the important stocks in the last hour's trading when Steel common, rally-There was a builtsh development in Central Leather, which moved up to 71 %, a gain of

New York, Aug. 26 .- (I. N. S.) - Nearly all the interest at the opening of the stock market today centered in Steel common, which was in urgent demand all through the first 15 minutes. MARING an opening sain the initial trading, but stocks made good gains in the initial trading, but after the first sales receded, and at the end of making an opening gain of % point. 5500 5500 5500 5500 5500 5500 4750 the first quarter of an hour showed net losses took a slight rise at the opening of trade today. Canadian Pacific made an advance of 1/2 to Feed 5300 03%, and then reacted to 93, and American Eastern cats and corn in bulk: 5450 Can, after a gain of 1 point to 48 %, yielded to 47 % points.

Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., Board

DESCRIPTION: | Open | High | Low | Close Alaska Gold Amer. Beet Sugar. Car F. c. . Cot. Oil, c. Linseed, c., Greene-Can. Hide & Leather, c. covery, \$1.00 of 1.15 dos.; artichokes, \$1.00 of 1.25 per dosen, cucumbers, 76p per box; tomas, tos., 75 of por box; tomas, tos., 75 of por box; tomas, 50 Illinois Central Industrial Alcohol.

Tennessee Texas Oil 482,606,00 Utah Copper ... 81 % 82 Vir. Chemical, c. 56 % 56 %

Total sales, 422,100 shares.

New Perkins Hotel Fifth and Washington Sts. Close to Wholesale and in Center of

Retail District Rates \$1.00 Per Day Up. Special Low Rates to Permanent Guests

PALACE HOTEL Olean, quiet, modern, homelike and downtown Rates 75c to \$3.00 per day. 448 Washington st. Farmers' and Merchants' Headquarters,

MEN AND MORALE

Ludendorff in Bad Position of Having Both to Hold Ground and Conserve Manpower.

By John McHugh Stuart Paris, Aug. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Indications until 2 p. m., September 10, for furnishpoint strongly to a crisis in Germany's ing the city of Portland one 4 horsepower man power and this, it is held here, is gasoline engine and two diaphram further confirmed by the appearance on the west front of Austro-Hungarian units. Ludendorff is facing the necessity, first, of keeping up the German morale at home by not yielding too much ground; second, conserving men on the firing line; third; to draw more men from Germany during harvest time.

Foch is pressing on before the German situation betters itself. This is not likely before the 1920 class of men is drawn by the Germans in September and the har vest has been brought in.

Henri Bidou, the French military com mentator, in his paper estimates the German losses since July at 200,000 men, of which 90,000 are permanent losses The allies have taken 80,000 prisoners in the last fortnight. Thirty German reserve divisions have been thrown in many returning to the line bled white and with only eight days' rest.

The Paris Journal says: "Ludendorff's moral credit is involved in further retirement. In five weeks the allies have reconquered one half of the German gains. Meanwhile the German tactics of holding strong points are being met by coordinated British and French attacks which are creating a Marne-like pocket for the German forces west of the Somme, with the flanks threatened of the principal German lines of defense as Soissens, Chauny and Peronne.

Prices Are Lower In the Corn Pit

By Joseph F. Pritchard Chicago, Aug. 26.—(I. N. S.)—There was at least a partial reversal of conditions in the grain market today, as compared with those of Saturday. There were more bulls than bears and prices were higher under good buying. Advances were shown of 1 % @ 2 % c in corn, % @ 1c in oats and 12 % @ 17 % c in provisions, with the exception of pork, which lost 15 @ 20c.

Chicago, Aug. 26.— (I. N. S.) —There is ittle doubt in the grain trade that a process of liquidation in the corn market is at hand. Indi ations are that receipts will increase materially. Prices are receding-slowly, it is true. The drop noted Saturday was continued at the opening to-The corn market particularly has a strongbearish tone. Sentiment as to out values is mixed. They

but a belief in certain quarters exists that cash | Spanish waters. oats should sell down to about 65c. Others think that on the present basis of corn, they should be Provisions remain steady, with little change, Chicago range of prices furnished by United

Open. High. Low. Close. 157 ¼ 159 ¼ 157 ¼ 159 ¼ 158 160 % 157 % 160 % 160 162 ½ 159 % 162 ½ September ... 4355 4355 4326 4388 tained.
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New York Metal Market New York, Aug. 26,— (I. N. S.)—The metal market was firm today with prices as follows: Lead—Firm. Spot and August, \$8.05 bid. Spelter-Firm. Speller—Firm.
East St. Louis—Spot, August and September, 9 4 X9 % c. October, November and December

Chicago Dairy Produce Chicago, Aug. 26.—(I. N. S.)—Butter—Beceipts 5051 tubs. Creamery, extra, 45c; extra firsts, 44 ½ c; firsts, 42 ½ @ 44c; packing stock, Eggs—Receipts 7659 cases. Current receipts, 38 @ 39c; ordinary firsts, 36 @ 37 ½ c; firsts, 35 @ 38 ½ c; extra, 45 @ 46c; checks, 12 @ 25c; dirties, 25 @ 30c.

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Expectations Germans Will Try to End Difficulties Outside U-Boat Zone.

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Madrid, Aug. 26 .- (By Agence Radio to Germany, according to the official Nord The I. N. S.)-The German ambassador today was received by King Alfonso at the Santander summer palace, in a conference on the U-boat controversy between Germany and Spain.

ernment expects the negotiations now in fears a "crawl" in response to the Spanprogress concerning safe conducts to ish threat would greatly impair her presevolve some way in which to limit the tige, not only with the neutrals, but with difficulties of Spanish trade outside of her allies, with whom German dictatorial the prohibited area. It is not believed influence already has been gravely shakthat the German ambassador has the au- en by the German defeats in the west. thority to guarantee an exceptional The consensus of political observers is treatment in favor of Spain within the that Germany is bluffing, and eventually prohibited area.

stood from an authoritative source, en- likened in some quarters to the situation ergetically protested against Spain's in- between Germany and the United States tention to replace sunken Spanish ships just before America accepted the state with interned German ships now in of war created by Germany's unrestricted

is conducting will remove Spain's eco- resolved to take all consequences of such nomic difficulties in the controversy and an attitude. thereby greatly lessen the chances of a 71% break between the two countries.

Spanish officials are not so sanguine that Spanish neutrality will be main-

2670 2687 2687 2687 2687 note in reply to Spain's declaration regarding retaliatory measures. The paper states that Germany promises, in this restates that Germany promises, in this reply, not to torpedo any Spanish ships of Japanese troops arrived at Zabaikal which have been requisitioned by the this afternoon, the Marbin correspond-Spanish government.

The Figaro says that Germany, in the for the sinking of Spanish ships. It is officially announced here that

the German government has paid 650,000 pesetas (approximately \$120,000) to the family of one Spanish subject whose life was lost as the result of the sinking of 3290 was lost as the result of the 3275 a Spanish ship by a U-boat.

German Papers Comment Copenhagen, Aug. 26 .- (U. P.)-Excuses for Germany's stand in defiance of Spain's threat to seize German shipping in compensation for submarine losses, are contained in copies of German newspapers received here. "Spain must acknowledge the situation which compelled Germany to adopt submarine warfare," says the

Lokal Anzeiger. "Germany can't give it up in order to save Spanish vessels. It would render the submarine war useless." The Taglische Rundschau Zeitung forecasts dire results, declaring: "Spain's action is the beginning of a conflict which may affect Mexico and Argentina. Spain's complaint means an admission of her favor to the entente. Her note must be considered an unfriendly act. Germany cannot make submarine concessions." "Should Spain give up her neutrality it would be the greatest political triumph the entente has attained." the

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Vorwaerts says. "It must be prevented by an obliging policy from Germany.

Crisis Is Intensified Berne (Via Paris), Aug. 25.-The crisis

between Germany and Spain over the U-boat controversy has been further intensified by Germany's reported nonacceptance of Spain's protest against the continued German submarine offensive against Spanish shipment. In that protest Spain had threatened to confiscate an interned German vessel for every Spanish ship hereafter sunk by a U-beat. Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, has de-

In diplomatic circles, it is reported that Berlin objects particularly to the threat-Officials believe that the German gov- ening tone adopted by Spain. Germany will back down.

The German ambassador, it is under- The whole Spanish-German crisis is U-boat warfare.

He made it plain to both Premier Dato All reports from Madrid agree that and to King Alfonso that it would be Spain, after four years of suffering and impossible for the German government patience, involving hardships and humilto renounce the right of combating the lation, has finally made up her mind to kaiser's enemies by submarine warfare. adopt an unswerving attitude of defi-In circles close to the German ambas- ance toward the U-boat offensive, and sador it is stated that the negotiations he the Spanish government is at last fully

Review With Allies

ent of the Nippon Dempe news agency reported tonight. The Japanese were note, makes important reservations re- given an enthusiastic welcome. The market opened barely steady today, unchanged garding what action the German gov-to 45 points lower. At the decline, however, ernment proposes to take in the event ernment proposes to take in the event snese, Russian and Chinese flags, and that any of the kaiser's ships are seized troops of these three nations paraded by the Spanish government in retaliation before the mayor and a group of delegates. Afterward the vanguard departed for Manchuli.

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