WILLAMETTE VALLEY AND SOUTH ARE BUYING BUTTER IN CITY

OFFERING PREMIUM FOR BEST BUTTER

THURSDAY DAIRY TRADE

Selling price—	Butter, Cubes.	Eggs, Extras.	Cheese, Flats.
Portland	38c	38c	25c
San Francisco	42½c	42½c	25c
Chicago	40½c	30c	19½c
Seattle	38c	40c	.....
New York	43½c	52c	21½c
Los Angeles	44c	37c	.....

Butter market has turned stronger with outsiders buying practically all the good stuff available in this territory. Prices are now generally held firmer for both cubes and prints with demand for the better class extras somewhat greater than the supply.

Of special interest to the local trade is the liberal volume of business available from Willamette valley, Southern Oregon and Southern California points. The bigger cities of the Willamette valley are today purchasing butter in Portland because of their inability to supply the home trade from their own plants. Southern Oregon cities are buying here in liberal supply and want more while Los Angeles is offering a premium for real cube extras.

This outside demand together with the fact that the output is decreasing, is cleaning up every pound of first class butter in the local market. Despite this strong condition for real extras, other grades are rather slow with accumulating supplies. This is what usually happens at this period of the season.

Those desiring special information regarding any market, should write the Market Editor Oregon Journal, enclosing stamp for reply.

EGG TRADE SHOWING GOOD TONE

Trade in the egg market is showing a good tone locally and prices in general are firmly held. No change in the buying price was generally announced for the day, although more were paying 29c for current receipts.

POULTRY CONTINUES VERY GOOD

Poultry market continues to reflect nothing but strength along the wholesale way. Demand remains surprisingly good in face of the fact that receipts are increasing and that values have reached an extremely high point.

CHEESE IS FIRM AT RECENT RISE

No change in the local cheese market was shown for the day aside from the fact that other districts of this section have followed the Tillamook rise but are still considering below that district's value.

CANTALOUPE MARKET IS BUSTED

With about 16 carloads of California stock on the tracks here, the market for cantaloupes is sharply lower for the day. There are practically no established values, sales being made for similar quality at a wide range.

DRESSED HOGS ARE VERY SCARCE

Great scarcity continues for country killed hogs in the local market, although values have now reached such a high point that many of the retailers are purchasing "cut" pork from the big packers. Veals are not quite so firm.

BRIEF NOTES OF PRODUCE TRADE

Raspberries, $1.50; loganberries, $1.40@1.50; currants, $2.25; blackcaps, $2.00, and blackberries, $2.50.

Dalles apricots selling at 85c to $1.00 for 16 pound boxes up to $2.00 for best lugs.

Dalles peaches in better supply and quality at $1.25@1.50 for best.

Tomatoes are slower, at $2.00@2.50, the latter being an extreme price.

String beans in heavier supply and down to 12@12½c pound.

WEATHER NOTICE FOR SHIPPERS

The weather bureau advises Thursday: Protect shipments during the next 36 hours against the following maximum temperatures: Going north, 72 degrees; northeast, over S. P. & S. R. R., 90 degrees; east to Baker, 90 degrees, and south to Ashland, 92 degrees. Maximum temperature at Portland tomorrow about 80 degrees.

WHOLESALE PRICES IN PORTLAND

These are prices retailers pay wholesalers, except as otherwise noted:

Dairy Products

BUTTER—Selling price, box lots: Creamery, extra, parchment wrapped, 40c lb. Jobbing prices: Cubes, extra, 33@34c lb.; dairy, buying prices, 17c per lb.

BUTTERFAT—Portland delivery basis, No. 1 grade, 34c; No. 2, 32c; country stations, 29@30c per lb.

CHEESE — Selling price: Tillamook, fresh Oregon fancy triplets, 25c per lb.; Young Americas, 26c per lb.; Oregon-Washington triplets, 17@18c lb. Price to jobbers, f. o. b. Tillamook, triplets, 22c; Young Americas, 23c. Selling price: Block Swiss, fancy old, 38@40c; new stock, 34@36c; limburger, 34@36c lb.; cream bricks, 26@28c per lb.

EGGS—Buying price: Current receipts, 28@29c dozen; candled, selling price, 35@36c; select, 38c dozen.

LIVE POULTRY—Selling price: Heavy hens, 24@25c lb.; light hens, 16@18c lb.; broilers, 25@28c lb.; old roosters, 10c lb.; turkeys, (—); ducks, 22c lb.

Fresh Vegetables and Fruit

FRESH FRUIT—Oranges, $4.25@5.75 box; bananas, 9½@11c per lb.; lemons, $9.25@11.50 per case; grapefruit, Florida, $7.00@11.00; California, $3.50; cherries, 6@8c lb.; cantaloupes, flats, $1.50@1.75; ponies, $3.00@3.75; standards, $3.75@4.25; watermelons, 2@3c per lb.; appricots, $2 in lugs and four-basket crates; peaches, 75@$1.00 box.

BERRIES—Strawberries, $2.50; raspberries, $1.50; loganberries, $1.50; blackberries, $2.00@2.25; blackcaps, $2.00@2.25.

DRIED FRUITS—Dates, $6.85; fards, $3.50@3.75 per box; figs, $2.00@3.50; prunes, 70s to 80s, 50-lb box, 7½c per lb.

ONIONS—Selling price to retailers: Local, $1.00@1.50; garlic, 15c lb.; green onions, 30@45c dozen bunches; reds, $1.75.

POTATOES—Selling price to retailers; Oregon fancy, 2c; new potatoes, 2@2½c per lb.

VEGETABLES—Beans, Oregon wax, 12@12½c lb.; beets, new, sacked, $2.25 cwt.; do bunched, 60c per dozen; cabbage, crated, 3@3½c lb.; carrots, bunched, 40c per dozen; do sacked, 2½c per lb.; cucumbers, fancy, $1.00 box; carrots, 60c dozen bunches; sack $2.50; lettuce, 3s, $2.00@3.00 per crate; 65c@—c per dozen; parsley, 50c per dozen; peas, 9@10c lb.; peppers, green, 45 [illegible] lb.; peppers, California dry chili, 30— per dozen; peppers, Mexican dry chili (mild), 35c per lb.; radishes, local, 35@40c per dozen bunches; rhubarb, Oregon, 5c per lb.; rutabagas, select, $1.00 per sack; squash, summer, 4@5c per lb.; tomatoes, California, Merced, $2.00@2.50 per lug; do The Dalles, $2.00@2.50 per peach box; turnips, new, sacked, $2.25 per cwt.; celery, $1.25 dozen.

Meats and Provisions

COUNTRY MEATS—Selling price: Country hogs, 17@17½c per lb. for top blockers about 125 to 110 lbs.; heavy stuff less; veal, top about 80 to 110 lbs., 15@15½c lb.; heavy stuff less; spring lambs, 13½@14c per lb.

SMOKED MEATS—Hams, 37@39c per lb.; breakfast bacon, 25@52c.

LARD—Kettle rendered, 18c lb.; tierce basis, compound, 12¾c.

PACKING HOUSE MEATS—Steer beef, 13c; cows-heifers, 12c; lamb, 18c per lb.; yearlings, 12½c; ewes, 5@9c.

Fish and Shellfish

FRESH FISH—Chinook, 13@14c per lb.; halibut, 20c per lb.; sturgeon, 20c; 10-lb. basket kippered cod, $2.35; ling cod, 8c per lb.

OYSTERS—Eastern, per gallon, $5.00; Olympia, $5.50.

Hops, Wool and Hides

HOPS—1920 crop, nominal, 11@12c lb.

HIDES — Calfskin, 10@12c; kips, 5@6c; green hides, 2@3c; salted, 3@4c per lb.

MOHAIR—Nominal, 18@22c per lb.

TALLOW AND GREASE—No. 1 tallow, 4c; No. 2, 3c.

CASCARA BARK—New, 5c; old, 5½c lb.

WOOL—Willamette valley, coarse, 10c; medium, 15c; fine, 20c per lb.; Eastern Oregon-Idaho, 12@20c per lb.

Groceries

BEANS—Small white, 4¾c; large white, 4¾c; pink, 8½c; limas, 7½c; bayou, 11½c; red, 10c lb.

HONEY—Per case, $800.

RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 4¾c; Blue Rose, 6½c per lb.; New Orleans head, 8c.

COFFEE—Roasted, 19@31c, in sacks or drums.

SALT—Course, half gr., 100s, $15.50 per ton; 50s, $17.85; table dairy, 50s, $27.25; bales, $3.50@4.00; fancy table and dairy $34.50; lump, $26.50 per ton.

SUGAR—Cubes, $7.50; fruit and berry, $6.95; yellow D., $6.35; beet granulated, $6.75; extra C., $6.55; Golden C. $6.45.

CANNED MILK—Carnation, Alpine, Borden, Libby, $5.15; Astor, Mount Vernon, $5.05; Eagle, $11.00 per case.

SODA CRACKERS—In bulk, 17c per lb.

NUTS—Walnuts, 28@32c lb.; almonds, 28@30c; filbert, 21c in sack lots; peanuts, 8@12c; pecans, 23c; Brazils, 20c.

Rope, Paints, Oils

ROPE—Sisal, dark, 12c; white, 14c per lb.; standard Manila, 16½c.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls., $1.02; kettle boiled, bbls. $1.04, raw, cases, $1.17; boiled, cases, $1.19 per gallon.

COAL OIL—Pearl or water white, in drums or iron barrels, 17½c gal.; cases, 30c per gal.

GASOLINE—Iron barrels, 28c; cases, 40½c per gallon.

FUEL OIL—Basis, $2.10 bbl.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 12¾c; 500 lbs., 13c. lb.

TURPENTINE—Tanks, 92c gallon.

The MARKET BASKET — RETAIL PRICES

By Hyman H. Cohen

Egg prices are climbing here because of the higher prices being offered for Oregon stock by big New York buyers. People here do not seem to realize the tremendous demand for white eggs coming from New York. That trade is willing to pay the highest price in the world for Oregon eggs and quite naturally the better class stock goes there.

So far as the consumer is concerned, it would be wise to forget about colors in eggs. Chemical examination shows absolutely no difference in the taste or strength of the white or brown egg and it appears that the white egg is bringing a premium simply because it has a pretty shell. This is not eaten. If consumers are real wise they will buy mixed colors or any color of fresh eggs that they can secure cheapest.

That white eggs have nothing on the brown egg is indicated by the fact that while New York prefers the white egg and is paying a big premium for it, Boston and New York prefer the brown egg and pay the most for that color.

Retail prices in private stores:

Butter—Fresh creamery, 43@45c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 40@45c.

Poultry—Chickens, dressed, 28@35c.

Fish—Salmon, 12½@20c lb.; halibut, 30c lb.; perch, 15c lb.; sturgeon, 25c lb.

Flour—Best local patent, $2.10@2.30 per sack, 49 lbs.

Potatoes—Burbanks, $1.50@1.75 per sack. Onions—1½@2c lb.

Maximum prices on the Portland public market:

Cabbage, 4c lb.; cauliflower, 25c head; carrots, 5c bunch; lettuce, 10c head; dry onions, 2c lb.; spinach, 5c lb.; asparagus, 18c lb.; peas, 13c lb.; turnips, 4c lb.; potatoes, 3c lb.; dry beans, 10c lb.; string beans, 15c lb.; rhubarb, 5c lb.

Honey—Comb, 35c; quart 75c, pint 40c.

Berries—Raspberries, 8c, 2 boxes 15c; strawberries, 13c, 2 boxes 25c; loganberries, 7c; gooseberries, 7c lb.

Poultry—Heavy hens, 28c; light hens, 24c; broilers, 35c; fryers, 30c lb.

Eggs—Best, 40c dozen.

Butter—Best, 40c lb.

Wheat Is Lowered In Early Trading; Narrow at Start

Chicago, July 21. — (I. N. S.)—Wheat bulged in the last half hour when the market became oversold and shorts scrambled to cover. Other grains trailed wheat. Prices were weak and the market heavy most of the day.

July wheat closed ¼@1½c up; September ⅛@¾c higher and December ¼c advanced. July corn ⅜c up, September unchanged to ⅛c lower and December ⅜@⅝c up; July oats 1¼c up, September ¾c higher and December ½@⅝c gained.

Chicago range by United Press:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT				
July	124⅝	126⅝	121⅛	126½
Sept.	126	126⅛	122⅞	126¼
Dec.	129½	129⅝	126¼	129⅝
CORN				
July	64	64⅜	63⅝	64¼
Sept.	61⅝	62¼	60⅝	61⅝
Dec.	60⅞	61⅝	60⅝	61⅝
OATS				
July	39⅞	40	39¼	40
Sept.	41⅜	41⅝	40½	41½
Dec.	43⅞	44⅛	43⅛	44
PORK				
July	Nominal			1850
Sept.	Nominal			1885
LARD				
July	1190	1190	1185	1185
Sept.	Nominal			1197
Oct.	1200	1205	1200	1205
RIBS				
July	Nominal			1070
Sept.	1087	1092	1087	1087
Oct.	1075	1077	1072	1072
RYE				
July	121	125	120½	124¾A
Sept.	109¾	112	109	112 B
Dec.	111	112¾	110	112¾B
BARLEY				
Sept.	...	...	...	67

Cash wheat: No. 1 and No. 2 red, 124½; No. 3 red, 120; No. 2 hard, 125¼; No. 3 hard, 122½; No. 3 spring, 147.

AMERICAN LIVESTOCK PRICES

Chicago Hogs $11.00

Chicago, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs—Receipts, 28,000. Active, 15c to 35c up. Bulk, $9.20@11.00; top, $11.00; heavyweight, $9.85@1.65; medium weight, $10.50@11.00; light weight, $10.80@11.00; light lights, $10.65@11.00; heavy packing sows, smooth, $9.00@9.50; packing sows, rough, $8.60@9.00; pigs, $10.25@10.85.

Cattle—Receipts, 9000. Best steers steady, other grades dull. Beef steers—Choice and prime, $8.75@9.25; medium and good, $7.50@8.75; good and choice, $8.65@9.50; common and medium, $6.00@8.65. Butcher cattle—Heifers, $4.25@8.75; cows, $3.75@7.00; bulls, $4.50@6.75. Canners and cutters—Cows and heifers, $2.25@3.75; canner steers, $2.50@3.75. Veal calves (light and handyweight), $9.00@11.00; feeder steers, $5.00@7.50; stocker steers, $4.00@7.25; stocker cows and heifers, $2.50@5.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,0000. Steady. Lambs, 84 lbs. down, $8.25@10.80; lambs, culls and common, $5.00@8.00; yearling wethers, $6.00@8.25; ewes, $3.25@5.50; ewes, culls and common, $2.50@3.00; breeding ewes, $3.00@6.50; feeder lambs, $6.00@7.00.

Omaha Hogs $10.05

Omaha, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle—Receipts, 2700. Beef steers, steady to 15c up; the stock, steady to 25c up; bulls, dull; veals, weak; stockers and feeders, steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 8000; 25@50c higher. Bulk, $8.35@9.75; top, $10.05.

Sheep—Receipts, 70000; all classes strong. Early top, westerns, $10.30; some held higher; yearlings, $7; yearling ewes, $5.50; fed ewes, $5.

No Seattle Hog Market

Seattle, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Hogs—None. Cattle—Receipts, 53; weak. Prime steers, $7.00@7.75; common to good, $4.50@5.50; medium to choice, $5.50@6.50; best cows and heifers, $5.50@6.00; prime light calves, $6.00@7.00; heavy calves, $4.00@5.00; bulls, $3.50@4.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 251; weak. Yearlings, $5.00@5.50; wethers, $3.50@4.50; ewes, $1.50@3.00; prime lambs, $7.00@8.00; cull lambs, $3.50@6.00.

Denver Hogs $10.15

Denver, Colo., July 21.—(U. P.)—Cattle—Receipts, 200, strong; steers, $6.75@8.25; cows and heifers, $5.00@6.00; stockers and feeders, $4.25@5.25; calves, $5.00@8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 1700, 25c higher; tops, $10.15; bulk, $8.85@10.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 1900, steady; lambs, $8.75@9.75; ewes, $4.00@4.50.

Kansas City Hogs $10.30

Kansas City, Mo., July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle: Receipts, 2500; active and steady. Steers, $8.00@8.75; cows and heifers, $5.50@8.00; stockers and feeders, $7.00@8.00; calves, $7.00@8.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 4000; active. Bulk of sales, $9.85@10.25; top, $10.30; heavies, $9.75@10.00; lights, $10.00@10.30.

Sheep—Receipts, 2500; mediums, $10.00@10.25; lambs, $9.50; market active; ewes, $3.50@3.80.

POTATOES ALONG THE COAST

San Francisco Market

San Francisco, July 21.—(U. P.)—Potatoes—Old crop nominal; new Garnets, 125@150; new white, 150@200.

Onions—New red, 75@85c; yellow, $1.50@1.75.

Seattle Market

Seattle, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Onions—California, 1¾c lb.

Potatoes—Yakima Gems, $30@35c; local, $20@23 ton.

Los Angeles Market

Los Angeles, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Potatoes—New stock, wide range in prices, mostly 45@50c; poorer, $5@45c per lug; No. 1 sacked, per cwt., mostly $1.25@1.40; poorer, 75c@$1.00; bakers, $2.00.

New York Metal Market

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Copper, weak; spot, July, August and September offered 11½c.

Lead—Spot, July and August offered 4½c.

Spelter—Dull, spot and July offered 4.25; August and September offered 4.30.

White Salmon Apple Crop

White Salmon, Wash., July 21.—The estimated crop of apples of the White Salmon valley will be about 1000 carloads, according to R. B. Phipps, district horticultural inspector.

FOODSTUFF VALUES NOT LOSING MUCH

General slowing up of declining values in the foodstuff market is shown. Fred Cooper, head of the sales forces of Wadhams & Co., wholesale grocers, says that the general business situation is clearing.

"The forecast made a month ago," says Mr. Cooper, "that conditions were mending, is shown. Deflation is now continuing in a more orderly manner. Farm products were the first to decline, as they were also the first to advance under the impulse of war inflation. Gradually as the industrial situation of the country is becoming better understood, the necessity for economic readjustment is being squarely faced by employers as well as employes, and manufactured goods, of all descriptions, are following the lead of food products to a sane and sensible level, based on the laws of economics.

"The sooner this procession is complete and embraces all branches of industry, the better it will be for all concerned and the quicker will business readjust itself and begin the march toward a more permanent prosperity.

"The commercial situation is really healthier today than it has been for several years. There is an illusion in rising prices that is deceptive and people lose sight of the standards by which their judgments are ordinarily guided. They seldom use the earnings of good times to pay their debts, but rather as a basis for further borrowing, unmindful of the danger of increasing indebtedness on a high price level. We have witnessed the spectacle of public officials vying with private extravagances, and municipal, state, as well as national taxes have increased so hevily under interest charges on numerous bond issues, as to become a confiscatory manace to property an da burden on industry. Now, under the curtailed, a spirit of retrenchment prevails, and a period is here when every one sees the necessity of eliminating all needless expense and getting down in arnest to work to reduce all private and public indebtedness.

Prices on many staple food lines have reached bottom and slight reacting advances will occur, but declines in other lines will continue until a proper basis is reached by all commodities. The demand for food products is as heavy as ever and any shrinkage in volume of business is caused by lower values.

"Crop prospects throughout the entire Northwest are exceptionally good, prices obtained will pay the farmer a fair return for his labor and will put a lot of money into circulation. We confidently expect a normally active fall trade."

Selling Pressure In Cotton Market

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—The cotton market opened unresponsive to financing developments for the staple and the drop in the English bank rate, and under local and Wall street selling was rather easy at a net loss of 7 to 9 points. Liverpool was the best buyer, although the trade also bought a little.

After the start the market reflected further unloading and at the end of the first 15 minutes was about 12 points net lower.

The market was firm in the last hour.

The close was very steady at a net advance of 7 to 21 points.

Spot cotton steady, 15 points higher at 12.85. No sales.

Month—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	1305	1327	1303	1325
March	1332	1354	1330	1332
May	1339	1355	1336	1354
July	1220	1235	1210	1230
Oct.	1266	1290	1262	1288
Dec.	1307	1328	1303	1325

DAIRY PRODUCE OF THE COAST

San Francisco Market

San Francisco, July 21.—(U. P.)—Butter: Extras, 43½c; prime firsts, 39½c.

Eggs—Extras, 42½c; extra firsts, 38½c; dirties, No. 1, 34½c; extra pullets, 34c; extra firsts, pullets, 33½c; undersized pullets, 23c.

Cheese—California flats, fancy 25c; firsts, 21c.

Seattle Market

Seattle, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Eggs—Select ranch, 40c; pullets, 35c.

Butter—City creamery, 38c; bricks, 39c.

Cheese—Oregon triplets, 20c; Young Americas, 25c.

Los Angeles Market

Los Angeles, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Butter—Extra creamery, 44c.

Eggs—Extra 37c; case count, 35c; pullets, 32c; peewee pullets 23c.

Hens—15@35c; broilers, 25@27c; fryers, 30c.

New York Butter and Eggs

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Butter—Market firmer. Creamery extras (salted and unsalted), 41½@43½c; do firsts (salted and unsalted), 37½@42½c; do higher than extras (salted and unsalted), 42½@44½; state dairy tubs, 31@41c; ladies, fresh firsts, 30½@32½c.

Cheese—Market firmer. State—Whole milk specials, 21@21½c; do fancy, 20@20½c; do lower grades, 16½@19½c. Wisconsin—Whole milk, fancy Young Americas, 22@22½c. State—Skims, specials, 14@14½c; do choice, 11@13c; do fair to good, 8@10c; do lower grades, 4@7c.

Eggs—Market irregular. Nearby white, fancy, 50@52c; do brown fancy, 41@43c; extra, 38@39c; firsts, 31@34c.

Milk—The wholesale price is $2.20 per 100 pounds of 3 per cent milk, within 200-210 mile zones.

Minneapolis-Duluth Flax

Duluth, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Flax, July, $2.02; September, $2.03½; October, $2.05½; track and arrived, $2.01½.

Minneapolis, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Flax, July and September, $1.97; October, $1.99; track and arrived, $1.94@1.95.

New York Poultry Market

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Live poultry—Market weak. Chickens, 30@36c; fowls, 30@33c; turkeys, 25c; roosters, 18c; ducks, 23@28c; geese, 13@16c.

Chicago Dairy Produce

Chicago, July 21. — (I. N. S.) — Butter—Receipts, 8013 tubs. Creamery, extra, 40½c; firsts, 34@39c; packing stock, 22@23c.

Eggs—Receipts, 6624 cases. Current receipts, 25@26c; ordinary firsts, 22@24c; firsts, 27@27¾c; extra, 30c; checks, 18@20c; dirties, 15@22c.

Cheese—Twins, new, 18½@19½c; daisies, 19@19¾c; Young Americas, 21@21½c; longhorns, 22½@23c; brick, 17@17½c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, 30c; chickens, 24c; springs, 22@30c; roosters, 18c; geese, 12@18c; ducks, 24c.

Chicago Potato Market

Chicago, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Potatoes—Receipts, 73 cars. Virginia, $4.75@5.00 bbl.; Kaw Valley, $1.40@1.60 cwt.; Nebraska, $2.10@2.30 cwt.; California, $2.35@2.50 cwt.

Liverpool Cotton Quiet

Liverpool, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Spot cotton was quiet at the opening today. Prices were easier, sales 6000 bales.

American middlings, fair, 10.75; good middlings, 9.05; full middlings, 8.65; middlings, 8.20; low middlings, 7.30; good ordinary, 6.15; ordinary, 5.40.

Futures opened quiet.

New York Wool and Hides

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Wool market quiet. Domestic fleece XX Ohio, 24@39c; domestic pulled scoured basis, 18@67c; domestic Texas scoured basis, 40@80c; territory staple scoured, 55@85c.

Hides—Market firm. Native steers, 13@14c; branded steers, 12@13c.

Hop Outlook Good

Donald, Or., July 21.—A. E. Feller is building a hop house on his farm south of town. When completed this will be one of the most modern hop houses in this vicinity. Mr. Feller owns and operates one of the finest yards in the valley and reports his yard in excellent condition. He also expects to have a better yield than last year and owing to the coolness of the season expects the hops to be of a better quality.

New York Potato Market

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Potatoes (in bulk, barrel or bag)—Market firmer. Nearby white, $2.50@4.50; southerns, $1.00@4.50.

San Francisco Poultry Market

San Francisco, July 21.—(U. P.)—Poultry—Broilers, 31@45c; large hens, 25c; best ducks, 20c.

New York-London Silver

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Commercial bar silver: Domestic unchanged at 99¼c; foreign, ⅜c higher at 60½c.

London, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Bar silver was 1d higher at 38d.

Dried Fruit and Beans

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Beans—Market steady. Marrow, choice, $6.00@6.25; pea, choice, $4.50; red kidney, choice, $11.85@$12.00.

Dried fruits—Market firm. Apricots, choice to extra fancy, 22@27½; prunes, 30s to 60s, 8½@15¾; prunes, 60s to 100s, 6@8½; peaches, choice to extra fancy, 12@15½; seeded raisins, choice to fancy, 17@21½.

MILLSTUFFS DOWN $2 TON AT MILLS

WHEAT PRICE HOLDS

Bids for wheat were unchanged on the Portland Merchants' Exchange Thursday.

NORTHWEST GRAIN RECEIPTS
Reported by Portland Merchants' Exchange:

	Wheat.	Barley.	Flour.	Oats.	Hay.
Portland, Thurs.	73	...	13	...	7
Year ago	21	...	1	...	2
Season to date	1071	10	118	42	52
Year ago	811	12	42	14	28
Tacoma, Wed.	9	...	1	1	...
Year ago	14	...	3	1	...
Season to date	152	1	59	5	41
Year ago	118	11	68	2	29
Seattle, Thurs.	12	...	...	7	8
Year ago	2	...	5	...	...
Season to date	177	4	34	58	55
Year ago	56	6	20	1	44

Millstuffs show a loss of about $2 a ton generally in the Portland market for the day. The new price for carload lots is $27 and in ton lots $29 per ton at the mill door.

Lower prices in millrun are due entirely to the somewhat easier wheat situation and the lack of foreign demand for the latter at the moment.

Some business in spot new crop wheat continues to pass at interior points, but the volume is not considerable, with most of the mills not at all inclined to hurry transactions. Some of them profess to believe that the market will show a further dip and then advance.

Much hinges on the forthcoming spring wheat condition report of the government and, while its figures are not accepted as accurate by many in the trade, still it influences to a very considerable degree the option market, which in turn has some effect on the spot stuff.

FLOUR — Selling prices, mill door: Patent, $7.80; Willamette valley brands, $5.20; local new straight, $6.10; bakers' hard wheat, $7.25; bakers' bluestem, $6.75; bakers' valley, $6.00; graham, $6.00; whole wheat, $6.20; Montana spring wheat, patent, $7.20@7.25 per barrel; prices for city delivery, 15c extra; suburban, 20c extra.

HAY—Buying price for old crop: Willamette timothy, fancy, $15.00@17.00 per ton; Eastern Oregon timothy, (——) per ton; clover, (——); straw, $9.00@10.00; alfalfa, $15.00@16.00 per ton.

GRAIN SACKS—Nominal No. 1 Calcutta, 7⅝c; domestic, 6c in car lots; less amounts higher.

MILLSTUFFS—Mill run at mill, sacked, ton lots, $28.00; carloads, $27.00.

OATS—Per ton, buying price: Feed, $28.00@30.00.

BARLEY — Buying price: Feed, $22.00@$22.50; brewing, $24.50.

SEED—Buying price, nominal.

FEEDSTUFFS—F. O. B. mills: Rolled barley, $46.00@38.00; whole barley, $33.00; alfalfa meal, $25.00; cocoanut meals, $32.00; cracked corn, $41.00; whole corn, $38.00 per ton; whole oats, $34.00; rolled oats, $37.00; chicken wheat, $51; scrtch feed, $49.00 per ton.

Merchants Exchange bids:

	July.	August.	Sept.
WHEAT			
Hard white	1.14	1.11	....
Soft white	1.12	1.10	1.10
White club	1.12	1.10	1.10
Hard winter	1.10	1.07	1.07
Northern spring	1.08	1.07	1.07
Red Walla	1.06	1.04	1.04
FEED OATS			
No 2 white	25.00	25.00	....
BARLEY			
Brewing	24.00	....	....
Feed	22.00	....	....
CORN			
No. 2 eastern	25.00	25.00	....

News of the Port

Arrivals July 21

Mundelta, American steamer, from Grays Harbor, lumber in transit.

Curacao, American steamer, from San Francisco; general and passengers.

Departures July 21

F. H. Drum, American steamer, for Gaviota; ballast.

Hambro, American steamer, for San Francisco; ballast.

Departures July 20

Kennecott, American motorship, New York via Seattle; general.

Robin Adair, American steamer, for New York via Seattle; general.

Mandasan Maru, Japanese steamer, for Orient; general.

Tides at Astoria Friday

High water.	Low water.
1:45 a. m. 8.0 ft.	8:44 a. m. 0.1 ft.
2:46 p. m. 7.4 ft.	8:57 p. m. 2.4 ft.

To Arrive at Portland

Vessels—	From—	Time.
Kaisho Maru	Orient	July 20
Denmark Maru	Orient	July 21
Admiral Evans	San Fran.	July 21
Rayfuko Maru	Japan	July 21
Anniston City	Mobile	July 21
Steel Worker	Seattle	July 22
Cape Henry	N. Y. and way	July 22
Katrina Luckenbach	New York	July 22
Cordova	Seattle	July 23
West Katan	Antwerp	July 25
Derblay	San Fran.	July 25
Steel Ranger	New York	July 26
West Nivaria	China	July 27
Willhilo	New York	July 28
Somersetshire	London	July 30
Ohioan	New York	July 30
Kinderdijk	Rotterdam	July 39
Kosho Maru	Japan	Aug. 1
West Isleta	Boston	Aug. 3
Anyo Maru	S. America	Aug. 5
Willsolo	New York	Aug. 8
Bearport	Japan	Aug. 9
Coaxet	Orient	Aug. 10
Hoyeisan Maru	Orient	Aug. 10
Artigas	New York	Aug. 14
H. S. Grove	San Fran.	Aug. 15
Taisondari	New York	Aug. 15
Yoshida Maru	Japan	Aug. 15
Lehigh	New York	Aug. 20
Willfaro	New York	Aug. 23
Moerdijk	Rotterdam	Aug. 25
Liberator	New York	Aug. 26
Choyo Maru	Japan	Aug. 28
Ordono Maru	Japan	Sept. 1
Willpolo	New York	Sept. 3
Montague	Orient	Sept. 10
Brush	New York	Sept. 15
Noorderdijk	Rotterdam	Sept. 25
West Togus	New York	Sept. 29
Yalza	New York	Oct. 16
Moliere	London	Oct. 25
West Isleta	New York	Oct. 30

To Depart From Portland

Vessels—	For—	Date.
Admiral Evans	San Fran.	July 22
Rose City	San Fran.	July 23
Curacao	Marshfield	July 24
Katrina Luckenbach	New York	July 24
Cape Henry	Seattle	July 25
West Cayote	Japan	July 26
Rayfuko Maru	S. America	July 27
Derblay	San Fran.	July 27
Mundelta	East Coast	July 27
West Katan	Seattle	July 28
Cordova	Honolulu	July 30
Willhilo	Seattle	July 31
West Isleta	Boston	Aug. 2
Kinderdijk	Rotterdam	Aug. 2
Somersetshire	London	Aug. 5
West Nivaria	China	Aug. 8
Anyo Maru	Orient	Aug. 10
Willsolo	Seattle	Aug. 10
Pawlet	Orient	Aug. 11
H. S. Grove	Seattle	Aug. 15
Bearport	Japan	Aug. 15
Artigas	New York	Aug. 17
Lehigh	New York	Aug. 22
Willfaro	Seattle	Aug. 25
Liberator	Seattle	Aug. 30
Shoyo Maru	S. America	Sept. 1
Coaxet	Orient	Sept. 6
Brush	Seattle	Sept. 10
Willpolo	New York	Sept. 15
Montague	Orient	Oct. 2
West Isleta	New York	Oct. 5

Vessels in Port

Vessel—	Berth.
Eastern Mariner	Dolphins
Wawalona	Dolphins
Swiftlight	Dolphins
Swiftwind	Dolphins
Anson S. Brooks	Pacific Marine
Undaunted	Peninsula Lbr.
Oregon Pine	Peninsula Lbr.
Oregon Fir	Peninsula Lbr.
West Cayote	Wauna
Eacrea	Coast Shipbuilding Co.
Effingham	Terminal No. 4
Hambro	Astoria
Bengloe	Irving
West Lewark	Elevators
Seine Maru	Globe
F. G. Drum	Linnton
Rose City	Ainsworth
Pawlet	Terminal No. 4
Rayfuko Maru	Astoria
Santa Alicia	Astoria
Mundelta	Clark & Wilson

AT WORLD'S PORTS

Astoria, July 21.—Sailed at 4:30 a. m., steamer Mandasan Maru, for Japan, via Puget Sound; arrived at 8:05 a. m., Jap steamer Ryufuku Maru, for Kobe; Georgina Rolph grounded near Sand Island after crossing in at 7 a. m., tug standing by to pull her off at high water; sailed at 9:20 a. m., steamer Robin Adair, for New York, for Seattlee; arrived at 10:35 a. m., steamer Curacao, from San Francisco, via way ports.

Astoria, July 20.—Arrived at 12:40 p. m., steamer Alicia, from San Francisco; arrived at 4 and left up at 6:20 p. m., steamer Mundelta, from Grays Harbor, for Atlantic ports; sailed at 5 p. m., steamer Captain A. F. Lucas, for San Francisco; sailed at 11 p. m., steamer Oleum, for San Francisco.

Coos Bay, July 20.—Sailed at 3 p. m., steamer Curacao, from San Francisco, for Portland.

Seattle, July 20.—Arrived, steamer West Isleta, from Portland, Maine, for Portland; arrived, steamer West Katan, from Hamburg, for Portland.

Tacoma, July 20.—Arrived, steamer Steel Worker, from New York, for Portland.

Valparaiso, July 17.—Sailed, Danish M. S. Siam.

Seattle, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—Sailed—Eagle boat No. 57 for Bellingham, 10:20 a. m. Arrived 20—S. S. Alabama Maru from Manila, 10:20 p. m., City of Seattle, from southeastern Alaska, 9:30 p. m. Sailed 20—Prince George for Prince Rupert, 11:45 p. m., Admiral Watson, for Anchorage, 10:20 p. m., M. S. Ommo for Port Walter, 8 p. m., West Katan for Tacoma, 2 p. m., Admiral Dewey, for San Diego, 1:30 p. m.

Skagway, July 20.—Sailed—Jefferson, southbound, noon.

Juneau, July 20.—Sailed—Northwestern northbound, 9:20 p. m.

Ketchikan, July 20.—Sailed—Spokane, southbound, 9:30 p. m.

Valparaiso, July 20.—Sailed—M. S. Siam for North Pacific ports.

London, July 19.—Sailed—Canadian Sower for Vancouver.

Hong Kong, July 18.—Arrived—Arizona Maru from Manila.

Yokohama, July 17.—Sailed—Tyndareus for Seattle. Sailed 16—West Ivan for Seattle.

New Chwang, July 17.—Arrived—Canadian Highlander from Vancouver.

Auckland, July 18.—Sailed—Canadian Skirmisher for Sydney.

New York, July 20.—Arrived—Willfaro from Portland.

Cristobal, July 19.—Sailed—Brush from Portland for Boston.

San Pedro, July 20.—Arrived—Providencia from Santa Rosalia, Clemence C. Morse from Portland, President from Seattle. Sailed—Admiral Schley for San Diego.

Victoria, July 21.—Arrived—E. D. Kingsley from San Francisco, 6 a. m., Katori Maru from Manila, 7 a. m., and sailed for Seattle, 10:15 a. m.

Vancouver, July 21.—Arrived—Bessie Dollar from New York. Sailed—Andrea F. Luckenbach for New York, Talthybius for Seattle.

Port Alice, B. C., July 20.—Arrived—Stanley Dollar from New York.

Chemainus, B. C., July 20.—Sailed—Canadian Observer for San Pedro.

Colombo, July 20.—Sailed—Matawa, for Vancouver.

Manila, July 18.—Arrived—Robert Dollar from New York and sailed July 19 for New York, via Suez.

Tacoma, July 21.—Arrived—Santa Ines from Iquique.

DAILY RIVER READINGS

8:00 a. m., Pacific time.

Stations.	River: Flood Stage.	River: Height (in feet)	River: Change in last 24 hours.	Precipitation during last 24 hours.	Temp'ture: Lowest yesterday.	Temp'ture: Highest last night.
Umatilla	25	11.9	−0.2	0.06	91	50
Albany	20	1.7	−0.1	0.00	80	52
Salem	20	−0.6	0	0.00	81	47
Oregon City	12	2.0	−0.3	0.00	....	....
Portland	15	10.2	−0.4	0.00	72	56

(*) Rising. (—) Falling.

RIVER FORECASTS

The Willamette river at Portland will continue to fall during the next few days.

HOGS BOUGHT IN AT LOWER FIGURES

THURSDAY LIVESTOCK TRADE

	Hogs	Steers	Lambs
Portland	$12.50	$7.25	$ 7.25
Chicago	11.00	9.25	10.80
Omaha	10.05	....	10.30
Denver	10.15	8.25	9.75
Kansas City	9.30	8.75	9.50
Seattle	*	7.75	8.00

* No market.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Cars.
Thursday	877	1	..	453	11
Week ago	31	120	..	418	7
Two w'ks ago	136	41	4	1320	9
Four w'ks ago	523	72	..	1433	14
Year ago	67	167	10	975	12
Two y'rs ago	179	60	1	140	6
Three y'rs ago	300	300	50	1150	27
Four y'rs ago	270	76	1	540	8

Hogs are out of line here and weak, cattle were quoted nominal, while there was a lower price quoted for lambs at North Portland at the opening of the Thursday trade.

Of the 877 head that formed the total supply of hogs received at North Portland for the 24 hours, 637 head, or 5 cars of swine came direct from the midwest to local killers. Only a very scant stock of hogs reached the open trade, but this was more than sufficient for the needs, as values here are somewhat too high, in view of the figures quoted at other American centers.

On the basis of the Chicago price, hogs were not worth above $12 in the local trade, and while $12.25@12.50 were bid early for supplies, receivers were asking the full prices recently quoted. The big killers are getting the bulk of their hogs much below what the local market has been quoting, and this has put the little butchers in a bad way.

General hog market range:

Prime light	$12.00@12.50
Smooth heavy, 250-300 lbs	10.00@11.00
Smooth heavy, 300 lbs up	9.00@10.00
Rough heavy	6.00@10.00
Fat pigs	12.00@12.50
Feeder pigs	11.00@12.00
Stags	5.00@8.00

Cattle Trade Nominal

Just one lone head appeared in the cattle alleys at North Portland at the opening of the Thursday trade. Recent demand in this line has been about steady. Former quotations are therefore nominally continued.

General cattle market range:

Choice steers	$ 6.75@ 7.25
Medium to good steers	5.50@ 6.50
Fair to medium steers	4.75@ 5.50
Common to fair steers	3.50@ 4.75
Choice cows and heifers	5.50@ 6.00
Medium to good cows and heifers	4.50@ 5.25
Fair to medium cows and heifers	3.50@ 4.50
Common cows and heifers	2.75@ 3.50
Canners	1.50@ 2.75
Bulls	2.50@ 3.50
Choice feeders	5.00@ 5.50
Fair to good feeders	4.00@ 5.00
Choice dairy calves	10.50@11.00
Prime light dairy calves	10.00@10.50
Medium light dairy calves	7.00@10.00
Heavy calves	5.50@ 7.00

Lamb Situation Weak

Lamb situation was weak, with early bids at North Portland Thursday showing a loss of about 50c from the former price. Mutton trade in general was considered about steady, but very slow.

General sheep and lamb market range:

East of mountain lambs	$ 6.50@ 7.25
Best valley lambs	5.50@ 6.00
Fair to good lambs	5.00@ 5.50
Cull lambs	4.00@ 5.00
Light yearlings	4.00@ 4.50
Heavy yearlings	3.00@ 4.00
Light wethers	3.00@ 3.50
Heavy wethers	2.00@ 3.00
Ewes	1.00@ 3.00

Wednesday Afternoon Sales

No.	Ave. lbs.	Price	No.	Ave. lbs.	Price
STEERS					
1	1070	$ .500	25	1086	$ 5.80
4	752	4.00	1	770	4.00
9	917	4.25	14	1077	5.25
COWS					
1	850	$ 3.25	1	940	$ 3.00
1	970	1.50	5	1036	4.00
3	830	3.75			
CALVES					
1	110	$11.00			
BULLS					
1	1180	$ 3.00	1	1550	$ 2.00
1	570	3.00	2	1165	3.00
HOGS					
1	370	$7.50	1	130	$14.00
1	130	14.00	1	120	14.00
5	232	12.75	7	154	12.55
8	192	12.75	5	180	12.75
2	195	12.75	1	280	12.25
2	225	12.75	8	178	12.75
4	155	13.75	6	160	12.75
1	390	9.75	2	365	10.00
5	260	12.00			
27	215	12.00	14	209	12.50
13	102	12.25	23	183	10.00
6	75	12.00	2	230	12.00
4	272	12.00	1	220	11.75
2	185	12.00	2	315	11.25
LAMBS					
18	69	$ 5.00	20	83	$ 5.75
11	79	5.75	9	80	5.75
20	79	5.75	14	82	5.50
79	58	4.00	158	69	6.00
15	55	4.00	213	70	6.00
41	69	5.75			
18	75	5.50			
WETHERS					
49	98	$ 3.00			
YEARLINGS					
2	80	$ 3.50			
WETHERS					
2	135	$ 2.50	1	140	$ 3.00

Thursday Morning Sales

No.	Av. Lbs.	Price	No.	Av. Lbs.	Price
CALVES					
2	125	$11.00	2	145	$11.00
LAMBS					
91	69	$ 6.00			

JAPANESE CRAFT CONTINUE GRASP ON SHIP CHARTER

Charters for Japanese tonnage for wheat for the continent and the United Kingdom continue to pile up with no Americans, Danes, Swedes or British in sight. The latest craft to go on the board at the Merchants' Exchange is the Japanese steamship Chifuku Maru, 4259 tons, for the Northern Grain & Warehouse company. She will come to the Columbia river from Yokohama and is for August loading.

All grain tonnage en route flies the Japanese flag. Of the ships on the board three are for the Northern Grain & Warehouse company and one for Kerr, Gifford & Co. The first three are the Baltimore Maru, Kosuku Maru and the Chifuku Maru. The Houessan Maru, in to Kerr, Gifford, completes the list.

There has been practically no change in the charter rates. The Jap owners are cutting under all bidders for grain cargoes and getting the business. The standard of 65s set by the shipping board has not been lowered. In addition to that many of the shipping board boats now tied up are badly in need of repairs which have not been authorized and none are available for spot ships.

One Norwegian steamship and one British steamship were taken for spot loading at San Francisco early this week at 65s and 66s 3d, respectively.

ENGINE TROUBLE AND LOSS OF ANCHOR CHAINS DELAY SHIP

Astoria, July 21.—Putting out to sea Wednesday morning, the Japanese steamer Raifuku Maru experienced engine trouble in the harbor below Astoria. She was slowed down and both anchors let go in the channel. Her engines refused to answer the reverse and the shock of the vessel against the anchor chains parted both of them. Eighty fathoms of chain were lost with one and 125 with the other.

The Raifuku immediately put about and tied up at the port of Astoria terminals, where repairs will be made to her machinery. She will be delayed several days before being able to put to sea. Salvage of the lost anchors and chain immediately and new ones have been ordered to prevent possible delay. The Raifuku carried grain from Astoria.

STEAMER WEST CAMARGO TO TAKE GRAIN FOR AUSTRALIA

The steamship West Camargo of the General Steamship corporation, is due to arrive at Portland July 28 to load general cargo for Australia. The vessel is on the sound, taking the first installment of cargo for the Antipodes. While at San Francisco the West Camargo had installed 400 tons of refrigeration space. Being between seasons, no fresh fruit will be taken on the Southern trip, but fresh meat will make a part of the cargo on the return voyage.

MOTORSHIP KENNICOTT SAILS

The motorship Kennicott, first of the American craft of the build to operate out of Portland, cleared yesterday for the Williams line for Baltimore via Puget Sound. The Kennicott carried from Portland 6220 cases of canned salmon, 5892 cases of canned cherries, 400 cases of canned strawberries, 583 cases of canned pears, 56 tons of pressed wool and a quantity of general cargo.

LOOKS LIKE OLD TIMES

Some of the old-time spirit of the waterfront showed this morning when operators of rival passenger boats on the Astoria run broke forth with spellers. Leather lungs extolled the virtues of the rival boats and for a time the days of big passenger business and cut rates on the lower river were recalled.

SOUNDINGS AT ROSS ISLAND

For the benefit of the fireboats of the city of Portland, soundings are being made near the lower end of Ross island under the direction of Captain Speier. During the spring and early summer dredging operations have been carried on at the foot of the island and the mud used to fill in on the island. What changes this cut will have on the channel will be determined by the new survey.

Weather at River's Mouth

North Head, July 21.—Conditions at the mouth of the river this noon: Sea, moderate; wind, north 30 miles; weather, clear.

GRAIN RATES DECLINE

New York, July 21.—(I. N. S.)—A decline in the grain rates to Holland was the only change in the market today. Other ports were reported steady and no change. General cargo is still quiet. Quotations: Ocean (steam) grain, steady; United Kingdom, 5 shillings; Germany, 25 marks; France, 22½@27½ francs; Holland, 22½ kronen; general cargo, quiet.

Marine Notes From San Francisco
(By United News)

San Francisco, July 21.—The Mexican Navigation company will establish a new line from San Francisco to Salina Cruz, Mexico, about the middle of next month.

The Northland will sail next week for Seattle and Bellingham with a full cargo.

Pineapple shipments into the port were heavy yesterday, a total of about 150,000 cases being brought in. The Matson line Matsu brought over 150,000 cases, as well as 54,000 sacks of raw sugar.

On their way from coast ports to New York the freighters Lewis Luckenbach and Robin Goodfellow put into port today to complete loading. The Lewis Luckenbach will take 800 tons canned and 5000 tons dried fruit, as well as 1200 tons general. She will load 1000 tons general at San Pedro.

POSITIONS OF VESSELS

Radio reports from North Head give the position of the following vessels at 8 p. m., July 20:

Curacao, bound for Astoria, 120 miles south of Columbia river.

Admiral Evans, San Francisco for Portland, 230 miles north of San Francisco.

West Keats, Portland for Yokohama, 290 miles west of North Head, noon, July 20.

Andrea Luckenbach, San Francisco from Vancouver, passed Victoria at 1:30 p. m., July 20.

Yalza, 6 miles south of Cape Flattery, San Francisco for Seattle, noon, July 20.

Iris, Anacortes for San Francisco, 26 miles from Anacortes, 8 p. m., July 19.

Abercos, Portland for Yokohama, 663 miles from Columbia river, 8 p. m., July 19.

Pearl Shell, San Francisco for Shanghai, 2090 miles from San Francisco, 8 p. m., July 19.

West Ison, Seattle for Yokohama, 565 miles from Flattery, 8 p. m., July 19.

Lyman Stewart, Seattle for San Francisco, 783 miles from San Francisco.

West Camargo, San Francisco for Seattle, 75 miles from Flattery.

Pleiades, New Orleans for San Pedro, 878 miles from San Pedro, 8 p. m., July 19.

West Nomentum, Balboa for San Pedro, 560 miles from San Pedro, 8 p. m., July 19.

Enterprise, Hilo for San Francisco, 987 miles from San Francisco, 8 p. m., July 19.

Manulani, Kaanapali for Panama, 2823 miles from San Francisco, 8 p. m., July 19.

Nanking, Orient for San Francisco, 825 miles from San Francisco, 8 p. m., July 19.

Griffco, Ahunkoni for San Francisco, 322 miles from San Francisco, 8 p. m., July 19.

Granite State, San Francisco for Honolulu, 1649 miles west of San Francisco, 8 p. m., July 19.

West Nilus, San Francisco for Portland, 12 miles north of San Francisco, 8 p. m., July 19.

West Jena, San Pedro for Honolulu, 779 miles from San Pedro, 8 p. m., July 19.

Eastern Merchant, San Pedro for San Francisco, 34 miles south of San Francisco.

Admiral Farragut, Wilmington for San Francisco, with Queen in tow, 57 miles south of San Francisco.

Manoa, San Francisco for Hongkong, 82 miles south of San Francisco.

Atlas, Aberdeen for Richmond, 175 miles from Richmond.

Caddo, 14 miles south by southwest of Point Arena, bound for Vancouver, from Talara, Peru.

West Nilus, San Francisco for Portland, 7 miles south of Point Arena.

Johanna Smith, San Francisco, for Coos Bay, 10 miles from San Francisco.

ALL ALONG THE WATERFRONT

Captain William McCully, master of the steamer Lurline, is taking a vacation and during his absence Captain Barney Weir will command the boat. "Bill" has gone to the springs and report has it that the journey required a trip of some 12 miles on hoorseback. The captain's averdupois measures a fraction less than a ton. When the "cultan" beheld the passenger list laid out for him he went on strike.

The steamship Cape Henry of the Atlantic, Gulf & Pacific company will be due at Portland Saturday morning with general cargo from the Atlantic side and Gulf ports. Capacity allotment of cargo from Portland awaits the craft here.

The steamship Rose City of the San Francisco & Portland line is due to sail from Ainsworth dock at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

The steamship Admiral Evans of the Admiral line is due to arrive in Portland from San Diego and way ports Friday and will sail for the South Saturday night.

PORT DREDGES GET EARLY START ON SILT REMOVAL

Nearly a month in advance of last season dredges of the Port of Portland will be out cleaning up the silt after the June rise Friday, according to the announcement made by James Polhemus, engineer for the Port body.

The dredge Columbia has been assigned to the mouth of the Willamette and the estimate calls for about two weeks at that point after which she will be sent to Morgan's. The work at the mouth of the river will be 2000 feet long, 300 feet wide and 33 feet deep.

The Willamette has been ordered to Willow bar and will be there for a month. The cut to be made is 3800 feet in length, 300 feet in width and 33 feet deep.

The dredge Portland has been assigned to Postoffice bar and it is hard to average up the length of time that will be required as the deposits are in spots and these will have to be picked up and cleaned off the first thing.

Brownsville Board Gets Its Teachers

Brownsville, Or., July 21.—The Brownsville school board has secured Professor Raymond Baker as superintendent of schools here next year. Baker for 16 years has been connected with schools in Coos county. W. C. Cooley, school clerk, states that with the acceptance of Mr. Baker, teachers for all positions in the North and South Brownsville schools have been secured. Assistant instructors to Mr. Baker in the high school will be Miss L. G. White of Norman, Okla.; Muriel J. Nichols of Portland, and Miss Bernice Miller of Portland. Instructors secured for the public schools are Rev. M. S. Woodworth of Brownsville, Beatrice Walgamuth of Brownsville, Mary Ellen McCroary of Portland, Mrs. Clara B. Lawrence and Lillian Warmoth, both of Brownsville, Mrs. Rosy Hawley of Corvallis, and Mrs. Jessie P. Johnston of Oakland, Or.

STEAMSHIP CORDOVA BEING OVERHAULED AND REPAINTED

Passenger accommodations on the steamship Cordova, of the Alaska Steamship company, are being overhauled and repainted. The sailing date has been set for July 30 from Astoria, according to M. L. Tabke, general agent of the Port of Astoria.

The Cordova has been placed in the regular service between the Columbia river and the Hawaiian Islands. She will carry both freight and passengers and about one-half of the cabin capacity has been booked. On her first voyage she will take a full cargo of general freight which has been assembled at Astoria.

TRANSPORTATION

WHITE STAR

Sailings Piers 58-62, North River, N. Y.

New York—Liverpool

BALTIC.......July 30, Aug. 27, Sept. 24
CEDRIC.......Aug. 6, Sept. 3, Oct. 1
CELTIC.......Aug. 20, Sept. 17, Oct. 15

New York to Cherbourg, Southampton

ADRIATIC.......Aug. 3, Aug. 31, Oct. 8
OLYMPIC.......Aug. 13, Sept. 3, Sept. 24

Philadelphia—Liverpool

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