THURSDAY HOG MARKETS

Denver..... Steady 9.35

General cattle market range:

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leavy calves

Sheep and lamb markets are steady

Cull lambs
Feeder lambs
Light yearlings
Heavy yearlings
Light wethers
Heavy wethers

STEERS

COWS

CALVES

BULL

6.... 451 \$ 8.00 | 5..... 670 \$

HOGS

LAMBS

66.... 68 \$ 6.50 | 10.... 96 \$ 5.25

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YEARLINGS

WETHERS

cows

AMERICAN LIVESTOCK PRICES Chicago Hogs \$9.90

Chicago, Aug. 25,-(I. N. 8.)-Hogs-Receipts, 14,000, uneven, mostly 10 to 25c up.

\$8.35 @ 9.40; medium weight, \$9.40 @ 9.65;

Kansas City Hogs \$9.25

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle: Receipts, 2700; market, dull. Steers, \$5.50 @ 8.75; cows and heifers, \$3.50 to \$8.50; tlockers and feeders, \$4.50 @ 6.00; calves, \$7.00

stockers and feeders, \$4.50 @ 6.00; calves, \$7.00 @ 9.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 3200; market, active. Bulk of sales, \$8.50 @ 9.15; top, \$9.25; heavies, \$8.50 @ 9.00; light, \$8.75 @ 9.25; mediums, \$8.75 @ 9.15.

, South Omaha Hogs \$8.25

South Omana Mogs \$8.25

South Omana Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Cattle
—Receipts 3000. Market for veals 50 @ 75chigher. All other classes generally steady. Top yearlings, \$9.75.

Hogs.—Receipts 5500. Market, early sales of medium and light butcher grades 25 @ 35c higher. Bulk, better grades, \$8.00 @ 8.75.

Sheep—Receipts 15,000. Market steady on all classes. Top western lambs, \$9; feeding lambs, \$7.00.

Denver Hogs \$9.35

Denver, Aug. 25.— (U. P.) — Cattie—Receipts, 1000, market steady. Steers, \$3.00 @ 5.25; cows and heifers, \$3.00 @ 5.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 % 5.25; atockers and feeders, \$3.00 % 5.00. Tops, \$5.00 @ 8.50. Bulk, \$7.00 X 9.00.

Sheep Receipts, 11,400, 35c lower; lambs, \$7.00 @ 8.50; ewes, \$3.00X2.50; feeders, \$5.00

Money and Exchange

Thursday Morning &

3.... 110 \$ 4.00 |

No. Ave. lbs. Price. No. 10 ... 58 \$ 6.00 20. 139 ... 71 6.75 69. 14 ... 83 5.00 26. 3... 50 5.00 16. 54 ... 60 5.00 255.

4.... 115 \$ 2.50 |

35.... 89 \$ 4.00 |

9.... 114 \$ 3.00 |

1....1230 \$ 3.25 |

52.... 156 \$10.75 |

16.... 393 \$ 9.00 | 16.... 347 \$ 8.00

Portland

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GOVERNMENT REPORT SHOWS DECREASE IN THE 1921 ONION CROP

The second second	Butter.		Eggs. Chees			
Portland	46	c	3	6	e	. 9
Chicago	87	e	9	8	c	- 1
New York	41	%c	5	9		. 2
San Francisco	. 49	e	4	21	/2e	- 2
Seattle	47	e	4	2	c	2
Los Angeles	49	e	. 4	1	e	

Should other Pacific coast butter markets continue their advance the Portland market will have to follow the upward trend, declared buttermen today, even though they feel as though

Seattle seems to have gone wild and appear to be willing to pay any price to get hold of butteriat. Seattle has no stock on hand and as a result is endeavoring to outbid Portland creameres in an effort to take cream away from this point. The scramble at present for butterfat is as active as it has been for a long time. San Francisco is also short on butter, the price advancing another half cent there today. Cube butter market is firmer here, sales being made at 41c on Wednesday. If the present condition continues a 42c cube market is

Condition of the egg market is very much season, mired. Some dealers declare the egg market is very much is very weak, while others state conditions are excellent. Sales on eggs are very poor, especially in the city, so the dealers caught without orders finds the market expendiously now. Local dealof the average stock arriving is very poor.

There appears to be renewed strigth in the Tillamook cheese market, with indications that another price advance may not be in the far distant future. The trade seems to have overcome the scare it had last week that the price was going to take a sharp drop and is now taking hold of cheese again.

TOMATOES ARE BACONING SCARCE Some peculiar condition has brought about a scarcity of tomatoes. Until Monday tomatoes were the most plentiful article in the produce market. Today they are scarce. Wholesalers said manipulation of the market is to blame, as there are still plenty of tomatoes in the cour There seems to be a determination to get and 75c for the stock offered the trade, even the balance has to be left on the vines to rot

CANTALOUPE MOVEMENT BETTER Movement of eantaloupes is about equal to the supply, thus making a much better in the market. Prices are unchanged.

BRIEF NOTES OF PRODUCE TRADE Huckisberries sell as fast as they are re-ceived at 17@18c per lb.

Malaga grapes more plentiful. Selling at \$2.75 per lug.

First pumpkins of the season received by Ryan

DRESSED HOGS HARD TO SELL Dressed meat market is not in very good shape at present. Hogs are hard to sell, even at 15c per lb., and veal market is not any too active. Veal receipts were lighter during the day, thus preventing a possible price decline.

WEATHER NOTICE FOR SHIPPERS Weather bureau advises Thursday: Protect shipments during the next 36 hours against the following maximum temperatures: Going north to Seattle, 68 degrees; northeast to Spokane, 80 degrees; east to Baker, 80 degrees, and south to Ashland, 85 degrees. Maximum temperature at Portland tomorrow about 75 degrees.

WHOLESALE PRICES IN PORTLAND These are prices retailers pay wholesalers, except as otherwise noted: Dairy Products

BUTTER—Selling price, box lots: Creamery prices: Print, extras. 46c for plain wrappers. Cubes, extra, 39 @ 41c lb.; dairy, buying prices, 17c per lb.

BUTTERFAT—Portland delivery basis; No. 1 grade, 45c: No. 2, 42c; country stations, 35 @ 36c per lb.

CHEESE—Selling price: Tillamook, fresh Oregon fancy triplets, 27c per lb.; Young Americas, 28c per lb. Price to jobbers, f. o. b. Tillamook; Triplets, 24c; Young Americas, 25c: Dairymen's league triplets, 24c. Selling price: Block Swiss, fancy, 32 @ 36c stelling price: Block Swiss, fancy, 32 @ 36c selling price: EGGS—Buying price: current receipts 28 @ 29c per dozen; candied, seiling price, 34c; select, 36c per dozen; candied, seiling price, 34c; select, 36c per dozen.

LIVE POULTRY—Selling price: Heavy bens, 25 @ 26c per lb.; light hens, 16 per lb.; broilets, 25 @ 27c lb.; cid roasters, 10c lb.; turkeys, (—); ducks, 20 @ 22c lb.

Fresh Vegetables and Fruit Fresh Vegetables and Fruit

FRESH FRUIT— Oranges, \$5.75 @ 7.00 box; bananas, 9c per lb; lemons, \$7.00 @ 7.75 per case; grapefruit, California, \$6.00; cantaloupes, flat, 75 @ 85c; Standards, \$1.75 @ 2.00; watermelons, 1 % @ 2c per lb; peaches, \$1.25 @ 1.60.

BERRIES—Strawberries, \$2.50; blackberries, meions, 1% @ 2c per lb.; peaches, \$1.25 @ 1.60.

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DRIED FRUIT—Dates, \$7.90; fards, \$4.25 per box; figs, \$2.00 @ 3.50 per box; prunes, 70s to 80s 50-lb. box, 7% oper lb.

ONIONS—Selling price to retailers; Local. \$1.75; garlie, 20e lb.; green onions, \$30 @ 40e dozen bunches; reds, \$1.75@ 2.00; Walla Walla, \$2.50 @ 2.75.

POTATOES—Selling price to retailers: Oreson fancy, 1% @ 2c per lb.

VEGETABLES—Beans, green, full sack, 5c per lb.; beets, new, sacked, \$2.25 per cwt.; cabbage, local, crated, 3% @ 4c; carrots, new, bunched, 60c per dozen; carrots, sacked, 2% clb.; celery, small size, 75c@\$1.25 dozen; cucumbers, field, 35@ 50c per box; corn, fancy, \$2.25 per sack; garlie, new, 20c per pound; green onions, 40@ 50c per dozen; letuce, leed, 3s, \$2.50 @ 2.75 per crate; do, net iced, 8s, \$2.50 per crate; parsley, 50c per doze, pess, local, 15c lb.; peppers, green, 8c lb.; peppers, California, dry chill, 25c per lb.; tomatoes, Oregon, 60@ 85c, 2 etter box; turnips, purple top, \$2.75 per cwt.

Meats

COUNTRY MEATS—Selling price: Country hors, 15c; for top blockers, about 125 to 150 lbs; heavy stuff, less; veal, top, about 80 to 100 lbs., 15@ 15% c per lb.; heavy stuff, less; veal, top, about 80 to 100 lbs., 15@ 15% c per lb.; heavy stuff, less; veal, top, about 80 to 100 lbs., 15@ 15% c per lb.; heavy stuff less, spring lambs, 13% @ 14c per lb.

SMOKED MEATS—Hams, \$7@ 39c per lb.; breakfast bacon, 25@ 52c.

LARD—Kettle rendered, 18c lb.; tierce basis, compound 12% c.

PACKING HOUSE MEATS—Steer beef 13c;

eompound 12 % c.

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cows-heiters, 12c; lambs, 18c per lb.; yearlings,
2 ½ c; ewes. 5 @ 9c. Fish and Shellfish

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FRESH FISH—Chinook, 12@14c per lb.;
halbut, 12% @14c per lb., sturgeon, 18@20c;
black cod, 10@11c per lb.; 10-lb hasket kippered cod. \$2.25; ling cod, 8c per lb.
OYSTERS—Eastern per gallon, \$5.00; Olympla, \$5.50. Hops, Wool and Hids:

HOPS—1920 erop, nominal, 25c 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; 2 3c. CASCARA BARK New, 5c; old, 5 %c lb.

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

BEANS—Small white, 5 % c; large white, 5 % c; pink, 8 % c; limas, 7 % c; bayou, 11 % c; red, 10c.

HONEY—Per case, \$8.25 @ 8.50.

RICE—Japan style, No. 1, 5c; Blue Rose, 6 % c per lb.; New Orleans head, 8c.

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

SALT—Coarse, half z., 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, \$8.10; fruit and berry, \$7.05; yellow D, \$6.45; best granulated, \$6.85; extra C, \$6.65; gelden C, \$6.55.

CANNED MILK—Carnation, Libby, \$5.50; Aster, Mount Vernon, \$5.40; Alpine, \$5.15; Eagle, \$9.75 per case.

SODA CRACKERS—In bulk, 17c per lb.

NUTS—Wainutz, 28@30c lb.; almonds, 28@30c; filberts, 21c in sack lots; peanuts, \$60.12c; peanuts, 23c; Brazils, 20c.

Roope, Paints, Oits.

12c; pecana, 23c; Branis, 20c.

Rope.—Sisal, dark. 12c; white, 14c per lb.;

standard Maniia, 16 %c.

LINSEED 'OH.—Raw, bbls., \$1.02; kettleboiled, bbls., \$1.04; raw, cases, \$1.17; boiled,

cases, \$1.19 per gallon.

COAL OH.—Pearl or water white, in drumer iron barrels, 17 %c gal; cases, 30c per gal.

GASOLINE—Iron barrels, 26c; cases, \$8 %c.

per gallon.
FUEL OIL—Basis, \$1.85 bbl.
WHITE LEAD—Ton low, 12c; 500 abs 12 % c lb. TERPENTINE Tanks, 93c gallon.

MARKET

The housewife who failed to take advantage of the advice given in the Marably have to pay more for her canning prices are a little higher. The per pound price was cut one cent today on the Yamhill street public market, but this is not a sign of weakness. For the past week the market master has been allowing the growers too high a retail

price, Wholesalers were glad to get 35 the Portland price is higher at present than is to 50 cents per box, whereas the public market people were allowed to charge as high as \$1 per box. It is also time to be looking for canning pears. The crop is short this year,

so prices will not be lower unless some unforeseen condition arises. From advice given by wholesalers it is quite probable that the heavy shipment of peaches from Yakima and The Dalles sections will arrive on the market next week. This means that some time within the next 10 days peach prices will probably reach the lowest level of the

Huckleberries are a very popular fruit dealers being unable to get enough to supply the demand. finds the market exceptionally poor. Local deal-ers are generally paying around 29c for good, cents during the day by the market mas-eggs, but some dealers who do not want any eggs at present are only offering 26c. Quality

Monday in the wholesale price. Monday in the wholesale price.

Retail prices in private stores: Butter—Fresh creamery, 48 @ 50e.,
Eggs—Fresh extras, 40e.
Poultry—Chickens, dressed, 28 @ 40e.
Fish—Salmon, 12 @ 20c lb.; haliburt, 25c lb.,
erch, 15c lb.; sturgeon, 25c lb.

Best local patent, \$2.25@2.30 per ack, 49 lbs. -Burbanks, \$2.50 per sack. Potatoes—Burbanks, : Onions—2 @ 2 ½ c. Yamhill street prices: Cabbage, 4c lb.; csuliflower, 25c head; car-ts. 5c bunch; lettuce, 10c head; dry onions, lb.; peas, 15c lb.; turnips, 4c lb.; potatoes, lb.; dry beans, 10c lb.; string beans, 6c lb.;

upples, 5c lb.; tomatoes, 4c lb.; corn, 40 @ 50c Honey-Comb, 38c; quart, 70c; pint, 38c. Berries-Strawberries, 20c box; blackberries. Poultry—Heavy hens, 30c; light hens, 25c; ollers, 35c; fryers, 32c.
Eusy—Best, 37c a dozen. Butter-Best, 45c lb.; cottage cheese, 18c lb

Decline of 15 Cents Made in Sugar Price Bec.

Wholesale price of sugar was reduced 15 cents per 100 pounds this morning on the Portland market, following a similar reduction at the San Francisco refineries. Bost fruit and berry sugar quoted at \$7.05. DAIRY PRODUCE OF THE COAST Sept Nominal

San Francisco Market San Francisco, Aug. 25.—(U. P.)—Butter: Extras, 49c; prime first, 45c. Eggs—Extras, 42½c; extras, firsts, 41½c; extras, first pullets, 36½c; extras, pullets, 37c; undersized pullets, 27c.

dersized pullets, 27c. Cheese—California flats, fancy, 21c; firsts, Seattle Market

Eggs-Extras, 41c; case count, 40c; pullets,

Scattle Market

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Seattle, Ang. 25.—(U. P.)—Potatoes—Storage gems. \$30.00 @ 40.00; new stock. \$45.00 @ 50.00; local whites. 2 @ 2 ½ c.

Los Angeles. Market

Los Angeles. Ang. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Potatoes

New stock, mostly 85c@\$1.00 per lug.

White Rose No. 1, sacked, mostly \$2.25 @ 2.50; poorer, \$1.75 @ 2.00; Stockton Burbanks, \$2.00 @ 2.75.

San Francisco. Aug. 25.— (U. P.)—Potatoes, \$2.15 @ 2.25; old crop. \$2.50; new crop. \$3.00. Onions—New yellow, \$2.23; new green, \$1.23 @ 1.73 yellow, new crown, \$2.35. New York Butter and Eggs

New York Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Butter— Market steadier. Creamery extras (salted and unsalted), 39 ½ @ 41 ½ c; creamery firsts (salted and unsalted), 36 ½ @ 40 c; creamery higher than extras (salted and unsalted), 40 ½ @ 42 ½ c; state dairy tubs, 31 @ 39 ½ c; ladles, fresh firsts, 33 ½ @ 34c. 33 ½ @ 34c.

Cheese—Market steady to firm; whole milk specials, 21 @ 22c; whole milk fancy, 20 @ 20 ½ c; whole milk lower grades, 22 @ 23c Wisconsin whole milk, fancy Young Americas, 14 @ 15c; state, skims choice. 11 @ 13c; skims, fair to good, 8 @ 10c; skims, lower grades, 4 @ 7c.

Eggs—Market steadier; nearby white, fancy 56 @ 59c; nearby brown fancy, 46 @ 48c; extra. 41 @ 44c; firsts, 32 ½ @ 36c.

Milk—The wholesale price is \$2.90 per 100 pounds of 3 % milk, within 200-210 mile zones.

Chicago Dairy Produce Chicago Dairy Produce

Chicago, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Butter—Receipts 8356 tubs; creamery, extra, 37c; firsts, 32 4 8 35 % e; packing stock, 23 2 4c.

Eggs—Receipts 6278 cases; miscellaneous, 27 28c; ordinary firsts, 24 27c; firsts, 29 31c; checks, 18 19c; dirties, 15 21c.

Cheese—Twins, new, 19c; daisies, 19c; Young Americas, 19 % c; longhorns, 20c; brick, 20 % 21c.

21c. Live Peultry—Turkeys, 35c; chickens, 21c; springs, 25c; roosters, 15c; geese, 20c; ducks, Chicago, Aug. 25.—(I. N. 8.)—Potatoes— Receipts 108 cars. Idaho, Colorado and Washington white, \$2.50 @ 2.75; Kansas Irish Cob-bler, \$2.25; Nebraska Early Ohio, \$2.25 @ 2.60; Minnesota, \$1.90 @ 2.15.

Kelso Crops Damaged Kelso, Wash., Aug. 25.—Heavy rainfail Wednesday delayed the progress of harvest, and some damage will be done to grain unless the intermittent rains cease. Farmers have had but little opportunity to work with their harvest the past few days, and unless September is a dry month much loss of grain is feared.

CHEHALIS CANNERY TO OPEN Chealis, Wash., Aug. 25.—Manager Dan W. Bush of the Chebalis Cannery announces that the cannery will begin canning blackberries Friday. The Chebalis cannery has not been operating this season, the blackberries being the first run on the 1921 crops. There is a large blackberry tonnage in this section. Five cents per pound will be paid for the berries.

New York Sugar and Coffee New 10rk Sugar and Collect New Tork, Aug. 25.— (U. P.)—Sugar firm. Raw \$4.50 @ 4.85; refined firm; granulated. \$5.85 @ 6.15. Coffee—No. 7 Rio spot 6 % @ 6 % c; No. 4 Santos. 10 @ 10 % c.

New York Metal Market New York, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Copper-inil; spot, August and September, offered, 11 ½ c. Lead—Firm; spot and August, offered, 4 ½ c. September, 34.55. Speiter—Dull; spot, August and September, offered, 4 ½ c. Spelter—Dull ffered, 4 % c.

Liverpool Cotton Market Liverpool, Aug. 25.—(I. N. 8.)—There was a good demand for spot cotton at the opening this morning. Prices, firm; sales, 10,000 bales. American middlings, fair, 11.78; good middlings, 10.08; full middlings, 9.68; middlings, 9.28; low middlings, 8.48; good ordinary middlings, 7.48; ordinary middlings, 6.75.

Futuires opened very steady.

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414 for last year, and the estimated production last season.

The following estimate of the 1921 crop in care of 500 bushels each is made by the government crop statisticians:

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Commission Houses Force Trading in

Chicago, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.) — Traders underwent disappointment on the board of trade today at the alowness with which outside inter-Stags . 4.00V @ 7.00

Cattle in Same Condition

Cattle market was reported in the same condition as on Wednesday. Receipts were light, only 27 head arriving. Market is nominally ests responded to passage by congress of the billion dollar farm export credit act. Prices started strong, but dipped under yesterday's close before the bulge in cotton, due to the same law, attracted investors' attention to the grain trade and sent prices up to new highs for the day. General cattle market range:
Choice steers
Medium to good steers
Fair to medium steers
Common to fair steers
Choice cows and beifers
Medium to good cows-heifers
Fair to medium cows and heifers
Common cows and heifers
Canners reflected the advance in hogs and

Chicago, August 25.—(I. N. S.)—Local commission men forced the trading in the early wheat market. They bought rather liberally, but offerings were limited. September opened unchanged, with December % o to % c higher unchanged, with December %c to %c migher and May up %c.

There was no important pressure in the corn market. Prices were unchanged to %c higher, with December leading the advance. Trade was light, with scattered commission buying.

Early advances in the oats trade were weakly held under scattered buying. The market opened unchanged to %c better. Early advances in the oats trade were weakly held under scattered buying. The market opened unchanged to %c better. Provisions started higher on abort covering. Range of Chicago prices furnished by

WHEAT Open. High, 118 % 120 % 119 % 122 OATS LARD Sept. 1085 1095 Oct. 1082 1105 RIBS Sept. Nominal Oct. . . . Nominal 915 Cash wheat: No. 2 red. \$1.20 @ 1.22 \(; No. 2 hard, \$1.20 \(\) (# (2.23; No. 3 spring, \$1.33 \(\) (# (1.34; No. 3 hard, \$1.20)

Seattle, Aug. 25.—(U. P.)—Eggs—Fresh anch, 40 @ 42c; pullets, 30 @ 35c.

Butter—Cubes, 46c; bricks, 47c.
Log Angeles Market
Los Angeles, Aug. 25.—(L. N. S.)—Butter—

New York, Aug. 25.—(L. N. S.)—An expense and a plant advantage of the control of OPENING; OLD LONGS UNLOAD New York, Aug. 25 .- (I. N. S.) -- An excited buying movement caused a sharp advance in the cotton market today, buying orders com-Poultry—Hens, 24@33c; brollers, 32@33c; ing in from all directions and sending prices up ryers, 28c. from 75 to 108 points or from \$3.75 to \$5 a bale. There was little news to account for the audien strength, the advance apparently re-flecting the cumulative influence of all the re-cent bullish news. The absence of any large hedge selling was commented upon. Toward the close some realizing caused a set-back and final prices were from 69 to 83 points above last night's closing.

The market closed very steady at a net advance of 69 to 83 points. Spot cotton steady, middling 85 points higher at 15. No sales.

New York, Aug. 25.—(L. N. S.)—The cotton market had another firm and active corporation.

New York, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—The cotton market had another firm and active opening to-day at 14 to 22 points net advance. There was support from Liverpool, the South, trade interests and local shorts, inspired by hot, dry weather in the Southwest and rains in the Atlantic. At the advance, however, old longs unloaded freely and considerable selling by Japanese and Southwest spot people occurred, causing a reaction of about 8 to 10 points. Furnished by Overbeck & Cooke Co., Board February 1485 1547 1477

Dried Fruit and Beans New York, Aug. 25.—(I. N. 8.)—Beans—Market firm. Marrow, choice, \$6.50 @ 6.75; pea, choice, \$5.60 @ 5.75; red kidney, choice, \$12.00.

Dried Fruits—Market firmer. Apricota, choice, \$12.00. to extra fancy, 21 @ 27c; apples, evaporated prime to fancy, 13 @ 14 ½c; prunes, 30s to 60s 10 @ 17 ½c; do 60s to 100s, 8 ½ @ 9 ½c peaches, choice to extra fancy, 12 @ 15 ½c seeded raisins, choice to fancy, 16 @ 18 ½c.

Wage Reduction Appounced Wage Reduction Announced Spokane, Wash., Aug. 25.—Marked reductions in wages, as compared with a year ago, will rule the harvest and shipment of Spokane valley's fruit crop, according to a scale agreed upon today by several growers. The proposed scale, which is to be submitted to individual growers for adoption, is as follows: Picking. 30 cents an hour (in 1920 the wage scale was 40 to 50 cents an hour; laborers, 30 cents an hour, as compared with 50 cents an hour in 1920; packing, 4 % to 5 cents a box, against 6 to 8 cents a box in 1920; sorting, 25 cents an hour, against 40 to 45 cents an hour last year. Dalles section and Yakima valley. Elberta picking has become general at Yakima and car lots have commenced to roll both east and west.

Fortland market expects to receive its first car Saturday. Peach market was firm during the day, owing to the limited supply. Large sizes California Eibertas sold for \$1.50, while smaller sizes and locals sold around \$1.25 up. New York Wool and Hides New York, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Weol—Market quiet. Demestic Reece, XX Obio, 23 @ 38c; do pulled accured basis, 18@67c; do Texas scoured basis, 40@75c; do territory staple scoured, 55@85c.

Hides—Market firm. Native steers, 13 %c;

New York Pointo Market

New York, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Pointoes
(in bulk, barrel or bag)—Market weak. Nearby
white, \$3.50 @ 5.25; Southerns, \$1.00 @ 4.00.

New York Poultry Market New York, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Live Poul-try)—Market weaker. Fowls, 20 @ 30c; tur-keys, 25c; roosters, 16c; ducks, 20 @ 24c; gesses, 13 @ 16c; broilers, 27 @ 32c.

Naval Stores Market New York, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Turpentine, Savannah, 55 %c; New York, 63e.
Rosin, Savannah, \$3.75 @ 3.85; New York, \$5.00.

San Francisco Barley Market San Francisco, Aug. 25.—(U. P.)—Barley \$1.20 @ 1.30; shipping, \$1.30 @ 1.43. San Francisco Poultry Market
San Francisco, Aug. 25.—(U. P.)—Broilen
25 @ 27c; Hens, 25c.

New York-London Silver New York, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Commercial bar silver: Domestic, unchanged at 99 %c; foreign, unchanged at 62 %c.
London, Aug. 25.—Bar allver %d lower at 35 % d.

WITH BIDS LOWER WHEAT CROP SHORT

Exchange were advanced another cent \$16.75 during the trading at noon today, in Chleago Uneven 9.90 keeping with the trend of the Chicago South Omaha..... Higher 8.75 board of trade, where grain prices closed Kansas City Active 9.25 today 1%c above Wednesday's close.

NORTHWEST GRAIN RECEIPTS

Reported by Portland Merchants Exchange Tacoms, 7
Year ago 7
Season to date. .1441
Year ago ... 420
Seattle, Wed. ... 26 The Teeling of weakness experienced by the North Portland hog market for the past weak became real this morning, when no early sales were made at the market top of \$11.25 of the previous day. Bidders were offering 25c to 50c below top prices. Overnight hog receipts were 748 head, of which 400 head were a direct shipment from South Dakota. Prices finally dropped 50c before the morning trading ended. Oregon City, Aug. 25 .- The wheat crop Clacksmas county will be considerably short

Orce Trading in Chicago Grain Mart

Chicago Cooperative Grain Growers as
Sociation, who was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Sarnes was making arrangements for delivery of iocal wheat to Portland warehouses.

The association has made arrangements to pay

The association has made of iocal wheat to Portland warehouses.

Chicago Grain Mart

Chicago Grai ain is sold.

The association, which has a membership of 1,000 over the Northwest, has a trifle less an 300 members in this county.

Pomroy, Wash., Aug. 25 .- Threshing in Gar-Pemroy. Wash., Aug. 25.—Threshing in Gar-field county will be about done by Saturday night if good weather continues. Reports from the machines running in all parts of the county indicate the yield is from 15 to 20 per cent greater than that of last year. Among the good wheat crops harvested are a little over 20 sacks to the acre of 128 Hybrid on 240 acres of Simon Bishop's farm near Mayriew, and 20 sacks of wheat and 30 sacks of barley to the acre off of W. W. Bichardson's farm near Pomeroy.

The acre off of W. W. Richardson's farm near Pomeroy.

The quality of the grain is fine, but considerable smut is reported in the club and hybrid varieties. Twenty-five per cent of the crop has been sold, buyers say.

But little grain has changed bands during the last two weeks. Farmers who are in a position to hold are doing so in the hope of getting better prices, while buyers are not anxious to pay the prices now quoted.

Chicago Tribune said today:

"Little hope is expressed that the various finance bills designed to facilitate the exports of American agricultural products will be passed by congress before the recess. The development of a deadlock was responsible for the selling and a decline in wheat toward the last yesterday.

"Milling activity in Minneapolis increasing and further mills there are being reopened. Demand for flour yesterday was fair.

"Contract stocks of wheat in Chicago de-"Contract stocks of wheat in Chicago decreased 589,000 bushels last week, corn 594,000 bushels and oats increased 865,000 bushels. Stocks are 1,110,000 bushels wheat, 2,179,000 bushels corn and 6,613,000 bushels oats. "Wheat traders would be active buyers were there any evidence of getting increased speculative help from the outside, but the bulge of 6 to 7, cents from the low of Monday exhausted the buying power and those who bought on the advance were the best sellers at the last at reduced prices."

Eastern roads have asked for a reduction of "Eastern roads have asked for a reduction of 4 to cents per 100 pounds on grains from Chicago and Mississippi river points to the seaboard effective September 15, or 10 days after the request is to be granted by the interstat commerce commission. An effort is being made by the shippers to have it effective in five days."

WHEAT — Club, \$1.08; bluestem, \$1.15 to 1.17; turkey red, \$1.15 1.18 per bushel, Portland. Figure Selling prices, mill door: Patent, \$7.80; Willamette valley brands, \$5.20; local new straight, \$5.20; bakers' hard wheat, \$7.25; bakers' bluestern, \$5.75; bakers' valley, \$6.00; graham, \$6.00; whole wheat, \$6.20; Montana

Price for city delivery, 15c extra; suburous, 20c extra.

HAY—Buying price for old crop: Willamette timothy, fancy, \$12.00 @ 15.00 per ton; Eastern Oregon timothy, \$19.00 per ton. clover, \$10.00 @ 11.00; straw, \$6.00 @ 7.00; alfalfa, \$14.00 @ 16.00 per ton.

GRAIN SACKS—Nominal, No. 1 Calcutta, \$2.00 describes amounts. higher.

MILLSTUFFS—Mill run at mill, sacked, ton lots. \$25.00; carloads. \$22.00.

OATS—Per ton, buying price: Feed. \$25.00 @ 30.00,

BARLEY—Buying price: Feed (—); brew-

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SEED—Buying price nominal.

FEEDSTUFFS—F. O. B. mills: Rolled barley, \$34.00 @ 36.00; whole barley, \$31.00; alfalfa meal, \$25.00; cocoanut meal, \$32.00; cracked corn, \$39.00; whole corn, \$36.00 per ton; whole oats, \$33.00; rolled cats, \$36.00; chicken wheat, \$43.00; scratch feed, \$47.00 per ton.

Hard white \$1.12 \$1.11 \$

Soft white \$1.12 \$1.11 \$

White club \$1.10 \$1.09 \$

Hard winter \$1.09 \$1.09 \$

Northern Spring \$1.10 \$1.10 \$

Rad Walla \$1.07 \$1.07 Bulk, \$7.40 @ 9.65; tops, \$9.90; heavyweight,

\$8.35 @ 9.40; medium weight, \$9.40 @ 9.65; lightweight, \$9.50 @ 9.75; light nghis, \$8.75 @ 9.60; heavy packing sows, amooth, \$7.30 @ 8.00; packing sows, rough, \$7.00 @ 7.30; pigs, \$8.00 @ 9.00. Cattle—Receipts, 6000, steady to higher. Beef steers, choice and prime, \$8.90 @ 10.25; medium and good, \$6.50 @ 9.40. Light weight, good and choice, \$8.25 @ 10.25; common and medium, \$5.00 @ 8.25. Butcher cattle, heifers, \$4.00 @ 8.75; cows, \$8.50 @ 7.00; bulls, \$3.50 @ 8.50. Canners and cutters, cows and heifers, \$2.25 @ 3.50; canner steers, \$2.50 @ 3.25; veal calves (light and handyweight), \$9.00 @ 11.25; feeder steers, \$5.25 @ 7.50; stocker steers, \$4.00 @ 6.75; stocker cows and heifers, \$3.00 @ 5.00. Sheep—Receipts, 24.900, mostly steady. Lambs (\$4 lbs. down), \$7.75 @ 10.00; lambs, culls and common, \$5.00 @ 7.50; yearling wethers, \$6.25 @ 8.00; ewes, \$3.25 @ 5.25; ewes, culls and common, \$1.50 @ 3.00; hereding ewes, \$3.50 @ 7.00; feeder lambs, \$6.25 @ 8.90. Kansas City Hogs \$9.25 Georgia Farmers Urged to Eliminate Cotton Crop in 1922

By Ralph Smith Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 25.-Cotton factors in Augusta, second largest inland cotton market in the world, predicts a big up-turn in business within the hext four weeks when the new cotton crop begins to move. They believe the stapleshall command at least 15 cents and that the price will encourage further liquidation among the farmers and act as a ceneral among the farmers and act as a general stimulant in all lines of business activity. This confidence is shared by cotton mer-chants in Savannah and other ports. Probability of resumption of commercial relations with Germany is viewed with much satisfaction in view of its effect on the export of cotton. The apple crop in the mountainous sec-tions of the southeast promises to be

as successful as were the peach and watermelon yields. Reports from Gaines-ville, Toccoa and Tallulah indicate a record crop with a quality of fruit such as to command high prices.

The larger retail merchan's of Atlanta are conducting cut price sales, attend by unusual patronage. The Georgia Farm ers' congress at Macon today adopted resolutions urging farmers to eliminate cotton as a crop in 1922.

NEW CORPORATIONS

Olympia, Wash., Aug. 25.—Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday with J. Grant Hinkle, secretary of state, as Money and Exchange

New York, Aug. 25.—(I, N. S.)—Call money
on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange
today ruled at 5 % per cent; high, 5 % per cent;
low, 5 % per cent. Time money was quiet.
Rates were: Sixty days, 5 % 6 6 per cent.
The market for prime mercantile paper was
quiet. Call money in London today was 4 per
cent. Sterling exchange was strong with business in bankers' bills at \$3.70 % for demand. capital stock, \$100,000; incorporators, L. A. Walter, Charles T. Null and J. E. Anacortes Cooperative Store, Anacor

Anacortes Cooperative Store, Anacortes; capital stock, \$12,000; general grocery business under Rochdale plan; incorporators, H. H. Kambout, Samuel R. Pusey, George W. Wedlund, Mrs. Annie Johnson and Mary J. Lovelace.

Thrifteria and Mother Goose Stores company, Everett; capital stock, \$60,000; general retail and wholesale grocery business; incorporators, Earl C. Ward, J. F. Herzinger, and Minneapolis-Daniel Flax, September, \$2.02 %; October, \$2.04 %; November, \$2.06 %; track and arrival, \$2.03 %.
Minneapolis, Aug. 25.—Plax, September, \$1.97; October, \$1.99; November, \$2.00 %; track, \$1.98 @ 2.00; arrival, \$1.97 @ 1.99. Foreign Exchange Market

New York, Aug. 25.—(U. P.)—Foreign exexchange opened strong today with sterling
\$3.68 %; francs .0775 %; lire .0425 %; marks
.0119 %; kronen .1695.

Foreign stehange closed steady; sterling,
3.70 %; francs, .0781; lire, .0430 %; marks,
.0119; kronen, .1703

the elimination of the Admiral line Portland trans-Pacific service and the Such was the text of a message from Admiral line at San Francisco to Acting General Agent M. J. Wright. The news called forth a storm of protest from all directions. The Chamber of Commerce took immediate action and wired W. D. B. Dodson at Washington

steamships out of Portland on the reg-The North China line, operated by the this year, due to both a decrease in the num- | Columbia-Pacific Shipping company, also operates four steamships, taking in Japan and North China. The latter line operates specifically for lumber while it has been the policy of the Admiral line to call at all ports both ways regardless of the quantity of cargo offering in order to establish American steamship service.

to get in touch with the Oregon delega-

Haines suggests in his telegram that James W. Crichton, local agent for the division of operations for the shipping

board, immediately recommend the reluction of one steamer for the Columbia-Pacific Shipping company and one for the Admiral line. Every steamship scheduled to sail rom Portland for the Orient on both ines is booked full until the first of the year and the reduction in service

until actual commitments are fulfilled will be protested to the utmost. Shipping interests are unanimously opposed to turning over all the trans-Pacific business to one company and it is possible that Ebey will recommend the elimination of one boat each. Ebey is the operating head of the shipping board at San Francisco and has jurisdiction

over the Columbia river. His recommendations to Washington are taken as a direct slam at the business of the port. All steamships leaving Portland for the westward have been taking full cargoes, but have been returning from the Orient with but little space occupied. In that way the operation shows a loss. According to Harry L. Hudson, traffic manager of the Port of Portland, who has two representatives in the Orient hustling eastbound trade, the canceling of the Admiral line will mean the loss of a year's solid work to regain the confidence of the foreign shippers. The Yamishita Kisen Kaisha and the Java-Pacific are in line to grab any business that shows with the withdrawal of the American flag.

SHIPPING BOARD RULING MAY BE BLOW TO LUMBER TRADE Aberdeen, Wash., Aug. 25 .- Grays Harbor may be deprived of lumber shipments averaging twelve million feet semi-annually as a result of the ruling graham, \$6.00; whole wheat, \$6.20; Montana of the shipping board stopping passage spring wheat, patent, \$7.20 @ 7.25 per barrel; of shipping board vessels to Japan and Atlantic Maru manager of the Grays Harbor Stevedore

bor for the Orient since January 1 with 13,000,000 feet," says Delanty, and "the ruling is liable to hit the harbor pretty hard in addition to being a blow to American merchant marine development." Lumbermen of Aberdeen and Hoquiam, however, differ as to the effect of the shipping board ruling.

CHARTER BATES UNCHANGED New York, Aug. 25. - (I. N. S.) - No change in the markets, with grain and general cargo steady. The rates: Ocean (steam) grain, steady; United Kingdom. shillings; Germany, 24 marks; France, 221/2 francs; Holland, 221/2 kronen; general cargo, steady.

ALL ALONG THE WATERFRONT Repairs to the steamship Effingham, disabled at Bunker Hill below Stella on July 29, are practically complete and the steamer will be moved to terminal No. 4 on Saturday to load outbound cargo for the Orient.

The steamer Iralda checked a full list of passengers out at 8:30. Thursday morning on the 55c fare. The steamer Georgiana sailed at 8 o'clock with about the dock.

The steamship Senator of the Admiral line from San Diego, San Pedro and San Francisco arrived at terminal No. 2 early Thursday morning. She will sall for the South Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

o'clock.

The British steamship Woron, which sailed for Portland from Shields late in July under charter to the Northern Grain & Warehouse Co. and was forced to put back on account of engine trouble, again sailed on August 6, according to advices to the merchants exchange.

The steamship Rose City of the San Francisco & Portland Steamship company arrived up Wednesday night with passengers and freight from San Francisco.

POSITIONS OF VESSELS

Radio reports from North Head give the position of the following vessels at 8 p. m. August 24 the following vessels at 8 p. m. Johanna Smith, Cose Ray for San Francisco, 39 miles from Gos Bay.

Charlie Watson (motorship). Portland for San Pedro, 653 miles vessels from Can Pedro.

Fred Barter, Puget sound for San Pedro, 653 miles Vancouver.

Nashba, Portland for San Pedro, 216 miles outh of Columbia river lightship.

Bearport, Portland for Januan, 1797 miles west of Columbia river, 8 p. m. August 23.

Westward Ho, Tacoma for Portland via Point Chifuku Maru, Kobe for Portland via Point Chifuku Maru, Kobe for Portland via Point Chifuku Maru, Kobe for Portland, 422 miles south of Seattle.

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Siam (motorship), Chili for Dupont and Tacoma, 100 miles south of North Head
Hartwood, Grays Harbor for San Francisco, 34 miles south of Grays Harbor,
Suruga, Comox for Philadelphia, 23 miles Surruga, Comox for Philadelphia, 23 miles south of Tatocah at noon. El Segundo, Tacoma for Richmond, 175 miles from Tacoma. Cross ays, Yokohama for Seattle, 287 miles ocryorators, H. H. Kambout, Samuel R. Admiral Schieg. Scattle for San Francisco.

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The State Capital Shingle company of Olympia increases its capital stock from \$11,000 to \$15,000.

Decree of dissolution of incorporation was filed by Foster & Kleiser of Seattle.

Tom seattle, 287 miles from America, 222 miles west of Honolulu, 8 p. m. August 23.

Size Ranger, Honolulu, 6 p. m. August 23.

Size Ranger, Honolulu, 1950 miles east of Honolulu, 1950 miles west of San Francisco \$ p. m. August 23.

Nile Orient for Honolulu, 20 miles cast of Honolulu, 100 miles from San Francisco.

This will not interfere with plans for antofogasta, 4 p. m.; Peptina, for Antofogasta, 4 p. m.; Pe

Tides at Astoria Friday High water. Low watre. 6:12 a. m., 5.4 feet 6:17 a. m., 1.0 feet 5:58 p.m., 7.6 feet 11:30 a. m., 2.8 feet Seaside-High water nine minutes earlier. Seaside-Low water 21 minutes earlier.

Admiral Sebree, San Francisco for Portland 20 miles from San Francisco. R. J. Hanna, San Pedro for Richmond, 246 illes from Richmond. Manutai, Bellingham for Honolulu, 269 miles uthwest of Tatoosh.

News of the Port

Arrivals Aug. 25 Senator, American steamer, from San Dieg way ports; pamengers and general. Atlas, American steamer, from San Francisco Departures Aug. 25

Kofuku Maru, Japanese steamer, for MARINE ALMANAC Weather at River's Mouth

North Head, Aug. 25.—Conditions at mouth of the river at moon: Sea smooth, worthwest 12 miles, weather cloudy. DAILY RIVER KEADINGS 8 a. m., Pacific Time.

Highest recipitation of hours.
Change in last 24 hours.
Height (in seet) 25 | 6.3 | -0.1 | 0.00 | 80 | ... | 20 | 0.9 | 0.00 | 77 | ... | 20 | -1.5 | -0.1 | 0.00 | 80 | 117 | 12 | 1.5 | -0.3 | 0.00 | ... | 15 | 4.1 | 0.00 | 74 City. RIVER FORECAST

The Willamette river at Portland will remain nearly stationary during the next two or three days except as affected by the tide. To Arms at persons

Kobe York. Yeikoku Maru. F. and way Fred Luckenbach New Orlean New York

To American Steel Mariner... Taibu Maru. Chifuku Maru... Baja California

Astoria, Aug. 25.—Sailed at 9 a. m., steamer West Haven, for Philadelphia and way porta. Sailed at 3 a. m., steamer W. S. Porter, for San Francisco.

Astoria, Aug. 24.—Left up at 10:40 a.m., schooner Zampa, for Westport. Salled midnight steamer West Camak, for Europe via Puget sound and San Francisco. Arrived at 4:40 and left up at 7:15 p.m., steamer Senator, from San Diego and way ports. Arrived at 9 and left up at 10 p.m., steamer Atlas, from San Francisco. Tatoosh, Aug. 24.—Passed at 10 a. m., steamer West Camak, from Portland for Seattle. Seattle, Aug. 24.—Arrived, steamer K. I. Luckenbach, from New York, for Portland. Arrived, steamer West Camak, from Portland. San Pedro, Aug. 24.—Arrived, steamer Stockton, from Portland. Salied steamer S. C. T. Dodd, for Portland. Salied steamer Henry S. Grove, from Portland, for New York and way ports.

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San Diego, Aug. 24.—Sailed, steamer Egeria, for Columbia river.

Brisbane, Aug. 24.—Arrived schooner Thistle, from Portland.

Tacoma, Aug. 24.—Sailed, steamer Westward Ho, for Portland rin Point Weils.

Mollendo, Aug. 24.—Arrived, steamer Columa, from Pertland.

Shipmoneski, Aug. 20.—Arrived, steamer West Cayote, from Portland.

Dover, Aug. 23.—Arrived, steamer Steel Investion, from Portland.

Laghorn, Aug. 20.—Arriver, Japanese steamer Port Said Maru, from Portland.

Fayal, Aug. 22.—Arriver, Japanese steamer China Maru, from Portland, for United Kingdom, Manila, Aug. 22.—Arrived, steamer Aberon, from Portland.

New York, Aug. 24.—Arrived steamer Mundelta, from Portland.

Norfolk, Aug. 23.—Sailed, British steamer Mongolian Prince, for Portland.

Mobile, Aug. 24.—Sailed, steamer Delco, for Portland.

Rabboa, Aug. 23.—Arrived, steamer Cape.

Mobile, Aug. 24.—Sailed, steamer Delco, for Portland.
Ralbon, Aug. 22.—Arrived, steamer Cape Henry, from Portland, for New York. Arrived, Japanese steamer Scine Maru, from Portland, for Norfolk.

Oristobal, Aug. 23.—Arrived steamer Steel Exporter, from New York, for Portland. Vancouver, R. C., Aug. 23.—Sailed, steamer Robin Adair, Portland, for New York.

San Francisco, Aug. 25.—(I. N. S.)—Arrived today—Iowan, New York, 6 a. m.; Helen P. Drew, San Diego, 7 a. m.; Reiyo Maru, New York, 8 a. m.; Chas. Nelson Caspar, 8:20 a. m.; Tug Sea Eagle, Caspar, 8:20 a. m.; Mae Hyrng Sea Eagle, Caspar, 8:20 a. m.;

destroyer Barley, for ruges
3 p. m.

Aberdeen, Aug. 24.—Arrived: Daisy Gadsby,
from San Pedro, 4 a. m. Sailed: Tiverton, for
San Pedro, 4 p. m.; Claremont, for San Pedro
4 p. m.; Willamette, for San Pedro, 4 p. m.;
Hartwood, for San Pedro, 4 p. m.; Edna, for
San Prancisco, 4 p. m.; Peptha, for Antofogasti

has been chartered by the Northern Grain & Warehouse company to load wheat at Portland for the United Kingdom. For the first time in 25 years a craft flying the Spanish flag will enter the Portland harbor in competition for the export trade.

Three Japanese steamships were placed on the board at the Merchants' Exchange this morning. Mitsul announces the Horisan Maru, space for the Orient, and the Yelkoku Maru, due Saturday, full cargo for the Orient. The Sieus Maru has been fixed for a full cargo

Excepting the parcel steamships and the regular liners, the board of the Merchants' Exchange shows 25 full carriers en route to Portland to load grain for the United Kingdom and the continent. The parcel ships will carry wheat and flour to the European countries and some to the West Coast of South-America and Australia. Regular liners will take mixed cargo for North China and Manila and Hongkong. Charter rates are on the decline and

exporters are not paying above the board rate by several shillings. porters want ships for future loading and with the rate low enough and the shipping board rate still at 65s, the foreigners will continue to roll up tonnage

GOLD HILL MINES OPENED BY OWNERS

Gold Hill, Or., Aug. 25 .- Report of two additional transfers of prominent gold mining property in the Gold Hill district is evidence of the rapid resumption of the gold mining industry in this region. Most of the properties exchanged are falling into the hands of investors who are spending their own money in reopening and developing these mines, which shows that promoting scheme are not in vogue in the resumption of the gold mining industry in this district.

Conklin Brothers of Bakersfield, Cal oil operators, have taken over the Revenue "pocket" gold mine on Kanes creek five miles south of Gold Hill, and in the immediate vicinity of the Gold Ridge Centennial, Roaring Gimlet and Millionaire mines recently reopened. The new owners are on the ground. The most important deal of the two transfers of mining property reported is the taking over of the Lucky Bart group

by Q. L. Willoughby, the head of a group of Alaskan mine operators, who recently leased the G. L. Haff group known as the Blossom mine, in the immediate vicinity of the Lucky Bart. The Lucky Bart group, located on Sardine creek seven miles northwest of Gold Hill, includes 11 claims, at an elevation ranging from 2200 to 2900 feet. It has been owned the past 25 years by Joe H. Beeman and associates of Gold Hill, who have operated it at seasons while most of the time it has been operated by lessees, but has been closed down since 1914 at the beginning of the Belens down since 1914 at the beginning of the No. 4 war. It was discovered in the early nineties by Joseph Cox, who realize a large sum of money from his find. The mine is well equipped with a fivestamp mill on Sardine creek at an ele-vation of 1900 feet below the mine. The reopening of the Opp mine two

miles west of Jacksonville, an old-time producer with extensive equipment, is of considerable importance to the new gold and in line with the Gold Ridge, Roar-ing Gimlet, Centennial, Revenue Pocket and Millionaire mines, recently reopened The Califorina-Oregon, the local power company in this region, with head-quarters at Medford, is rebuilding the power line to the Opp mine and will extend a new line west toward Gold Hill which will accommodate these new prop-erties. The company has rebuilt their the several mines between Gold Hill and

Wagon in Runaway Is Fatally Injured

Halsey, Or., Aug. 25 .- When a team onsidered gentle ran away Wednesday afternoon on the Black farm, near Hai-sey, Mildred Bryan, 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bryan of Monroe, was fatally injured, dying shortly after mid-night this morning. She was fiding with G. T. Kitchen, who operates the farm. and her father, on a bundle wagon carrying clover to a huller,

When the team started to run the men jumped and yelled to the girl to do the same but she waited too long and when she did attempt to jump the momentum threw her on her head, causing concussion of the brain. Miss Bryan's body was taken to Corvallis. Funeral services will be held in Bellfountaine,

Miss Bryan and her parents were vis-iting Mrs. Kitchen, sister of the dead Othello Bank Fails

To Open Its Doors Olympia, Wash., Aug. 25.-The State lank of Otheilo, at Othello, Adams county, failed to open its doors Wednes-day, the state banking commissioner's office was advised. Continued crop fall-ures and cessation of railroad activities at Othello, causing an inability to realize on loans, forced the suspension. J. C. Minshell, deputy state supervisor of banking, has taken charge. Deposits of the bank are approximately \$43,000

Farm Improvement Bonds Are Offered

For the purpose of financing farm im-provements in Idaho, the Mortgage Bond mpany is handling an issue of \$25,000 serial five-year 8 per cent gold bonds, executed by James H. Marshall and se-cured by a first mortgage lien on 200 acres of highly improved land in Washington county, Idaho, about three miles southeast of Weiser. The farm recently was purchased for \$85,000. The Titla &