COMMERCIAL.

SACRAMENTO MARKET.

SACRAMENTO, July 17th.

FRUIT—Lemons, Sicily, $9@10 ₱ case; Oranges, California, $3@3 25 ₱ box; Limes, $1 25; Bananas, $3 25@3 50 ₱ bunch: Pineapples, $6@9 ₱ dozen: Cocoanuts, $5 50@6 ₱ 100; Apples, 75c to $1 25 ₱ box; Peaches, 60c@$1; Apricots, 75c@$1 ₱ box; Plums, 4@6c; Blackberries, 4@5c.

PIE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½ ℔ cans, ₱ doz, $1 50; assorted, gallon cans, $4 50; Peaches, 2½ ℔ cans, $1 75; Portland Blueberries, 2-lb cans, $2; Whortleberries, $1 75; Capital Asparagus, $2 25 ₱ dozen cans.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, sliced, 10@11c ₱ ℔; do quartered, 9@10c; Pears, peeled, 7@8c; do unpeeled, 4@5c; Plums, pitted, 18@19c; Peaches, 10@12½c; do peeled, 19@20c; Prunes, German and French, 12½@13c; Blackberries, 15@16c; Figs, California, 6@7c ₱ ℔.

TABLE FRUITS—Assorted, 2½ ℔ cans, ₱ doz, $2 30; Peaches, $2 50; Bartlett Pears, $2 50; Plums, $2 25; Blackberries, $2 00@3; Gooseberries, $3; Strawberries, $3 25; Apricots, $2 25; Muscat Grapes, $2 25; Red Currants, $2 75; Cherries, $3 25.

VEGETABLES—New Potatoes, 70@80c; New Onions, 60@75; Cauliflower, $1 ₱ dozen; Cabbage, 60@75c; Carrots, 60@75c ₱ 100; Turnips, 75c; bunch vegetables, 12½c ₱ doz; Parsnips, 1c; Beets, 1½c; Horse Radish, 5c ₱ ℔; Artichokes, 25c ₱ doz; Jerusalem Artichokes, 3½@4c ₱ ℔; Celery, 60@75c ₱ doz; Garlic, 4@5c; Rhubarb, 4@5c; Peas, 3c; Asparagus, 3@4c ₱ ℔; Cucumbers, 50@60c ₱ doz; String Beans, 2@2½c; Wax Beans, 3@3½c.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour, $4 75 ₱ barrel; Oatmeal, $1 60 ₱ 100 ℔s, latter for Eastern; Cornmeal, yellow, $2 25@2 50; white, $2 25@2 50; Cracked Wheat, $2 65.

POULTRY—Live Turkeys, 20@21c ₱ ℔; dressed, 22@25c; full-grown Chickens, $7 50@8 ₱ dozen; young Roosters, $8@8 50 ₱ dozen; Broilers, $5@5 50 ₱ tame Ducks, $10; Geese, $2@2 25 ₱ pair; Eggs, choice lots, 28@30c ₱ dozen.

GAME—Hare, $1 75@2; Rabbits, $1@1 50; Mallard Ducks, $5@6 ₱ dozen; Teal, $1@1 50 ₱ dozen; Sprig, $2@2 50 ₱ dozen.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, choice, 22@25c ₱ ℔; mixed lots, in rolls, 18c; Cheese, California, 12@15c; Western flats, 16@17c; Marin's Cream, 19@20c.

MEATS—Beef, 8@9c; Mutton, 5½c ₱ ℔; Pork, 9c; Veal, small calves, 11@12c; large, 9@10c.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED—Oat hay, $10@15 ₱ ton; Alfalfa hay, $8@9 ₱ ton; Bran, $17 ₱ ton; Middlings, $18 ₱ ton; Barley, whole, $18@19 ₱ ton; ground, $1; Wheat, $1 40@1 60 ₱ cwt; tame Oats, $2; Corn, $1 50@1 65 ₱ cwt for choice.

MISCELLANEOUS—Seeds—Alfalfa, 8½@9c; Timothy, Eastern, 7@8c ₱ ℔; Oregon, 7@8c; Pop Corn, 6@8c ₱ ℔; Red Clover, 14@15c; Red Top, 11@12½c. Nuts—English Walnuts, 9½@10c; California Walnuts, 9@10c; Almonds, 14@15c; Peanuts, California, 6½@7c; Lard (California), cans, 14c; Eastern, 14@15c; Hides, salt, light and medium, 8½@9½c; heavy, 10@10½c; dry, 17@17½c; Tallow, 6¼c; Hops, offering at 25@30c ₱ ℔—stocks very small.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17th.

FLOUR—Best city extra, $5@5 50; Medium, $3 50@4 50; shipping superfine, $3@4 25 ₱ bbl.

WHEAT—The market is gradually strengthening. The shipping demand is somewhat more pronounced, and buyers are disposed to be a little more liberal in their views, owing to reported better prospects at foreign centers. Good to choice new shipping is changing hands within a range of $1 37½@1 40 ₱ ctl. For milling descriptions the inquiry is moderately brisk, though the range in values is somewhat wide, transactions ranging from $1 42½ to $1 47½ ₱ ctl, according to quality.

Call business was fairly active this morning, though the tone of the market was not of a buoyant character. Sales were:

Buyer season—100 tons, $1 40¼.

Buyer 1884, after August 1st, city—100 tons, $1 40½.

Seller 1884—100 tons, $1 36; 100, $1 35¾; 100, $1 35½; 100, $1 35¼.

Seller 1881, city—100 tons, $1 36½ ₱ ctl.

Afternoon call sales were as follows:

Buyer season—100 tons, $1 47.

Buyer 1884, city—100 tons, $1 41½ ₱ ctl.

BARLEY—Holders of desirable grades of old feed are firm in their asking rates of 82½@85c ₱ ctl. The demand is fairly good, though buyers do their best to obtain concessions. In Brewing the movement is about as quick as could reasonably be desired. Strictly choice quality there are no heavy offerings, while the inquiry for this particular class of stock is more positive and general than for anything else. Fancy parcels readily commanded $1 ₱ ctl, though holders are mostly averse to selling even at this figure. Ordinary kinds range from 92½c to 97½c ₱ ctl.

On call this morning there was little disposition to speculate, and sales were light, as follows:

Buyer season—100 tons, 92c.

Seller season—300 tons, 79½c; 200, 79¾c.

Buyer 1884—200 tons, 88¼c; 100, 88½c; 100, 88⅝c.

Seller 1884—100 tons, 88c ₱ ctl.

OATS—New crop is coming to hand with moderate freedom, causing values of old descriptions to become more or less unsettled. The tendency of the market is to a lower basis. We quote: Surprise and Milling, $1 60@1 75; No. 1, $1 45@1 55; No. 2, $1 30@1 40; Black, $1 30@1 35 ₱ ctl.

CORN—California Yellow is quotable at $1 57½@1 62½ for large; small, do, $1 62½ ₱ ctl; White, $1 52½@1 57½ ₱ ctl.

RYE—Brown, $1 32½@1 37½ ₱ ctl.

FEEDS—Mustard, $2 25@2 75 for Brown, and $2@2 25 for Yellow; Canary, 4@5c; Hemp, 3½@3¾c; Rape, 2½@3c; Timothy, 5½@6c; Alfalfa, 7½@8c; Flax, $2 60@2 75 ₱ ctl.

HAY—Market moderately steady. Alfalfa, $7@11; Wheat, $12 50@15 75; Oat, $12@16 50; Barley, $9@12; Mixed, $11@14 ₱ ton.

HOPS—No trade. Prices nominal.

RYE—Samples of new crop arrived to-day. Market quiet. Quotable at 90c@95c ₱ ctl.

BUCKWHEAT—Jobbing at $3 50 to $4 ₱ ctl.

POTATOES—Occasional sales of fancy lots are made at an advance on our figures. Early Rose, 50@75c; Garnet Chile, 90c ₱ ctl.

ONIONS—Market easy. Red are quotable at 55@45c, and Silverskins at 90@90c ₱ ctl.

BEANS—Bayos, $4 75@4 90; Butter, $3 50@3 60; Pinks, $4 60@4 75; Reds, $5; Lima, $2 60@2 70; Small White, $2 65@2 75; Pea, $2 75@2 80 ₱ ctl.

VEGETABLES—The market is glutted with Green Corn, Squash and Cucumbers, and buyers can about name their own figures for these descriptions. Asparagus, $1@1 25 ₱ box; Rhubarb, 75c@$1 ₱ box; Green Peas, 1½@2c ₱ ℔; String Beans, 1½@2c ₱ ℔; Tomatoes, 25@40c ₱ box; Summer Squash, 25@50c ₱ box; Green Corn, 50@75c ₱ sack for common, and 8@12½c ₱ dozen for sweet; Cucumbers, 25@50c ₱ box; Artichokes, 10c ₱ dozen; Carrots, 25@35c; Turnips, 50@65c ₱ ctl; Beets, 75c ₱ ctl; Parsnips, $1@1 25 ₱ ctl; Cauliflower, 50@75c ₱ dozen; Cabbage, 60c ₱ ctl; Garlic, 2c ₱ ℔; Celery, 50c ₱ doz; Green Peppers, 75c@$1 50 ₱ box, according to quality; Egg Plant, 8c ₱ ℔; Okra, 10@12c ₱ ℔.

FRUIT—Peaches are advancing. Reports are current that the crop will be light, while buyers for Eastern shipment are said to be paying prices on the river banks equal to city quotations. Blackberries continue abundant and low. Grapes, Melons and Nectarines do not make any liberal exhibit. Apples, 50@$1 50 ₱ box; Pears, 40@60c ₱ basket and 75c@$1 25 ₱ box; Strawberries, $5@7 ₱ chest; Raspberries, $6@8 ₱ chest; Blackberries, $3@5 ₱ chest; Figs, 50c@$1 25 ₱ box; Apricots, 50@75c ₱ box, and 50c@60c ₱ basket; Plums, 25@50c ₱ box; Peaches, 90c@$1 ₱ box, and 90c@$1 ₱ basket; Currants, $1@2 ₱ chest; Grapes, $1 50@1 75 ₱ box; Cantaloupes, $5 ₱ dozen; Watermelons, $4@4 50 ₱ crate; Lemons, $9@10 for Sicily; Mexican Limes, $9@10 ₱ box; Bananas, $1 50@3 ₱ bunch; California Oranges, $2 50@3 50 ₱ box.

DRIED FRUIT—Sun-dried Apples, 8@8½c ₱ ℔ for sliced and 7½@8½c for quartered; Alden and Plummer, 12c; Apricots, 10@11c; Blackberries, 14c; Figs, 6c for pressed and 8c for unpressed; Smyrna do, 16@17c; for layers, and 11½@12½c for kegs; Nectarines, 13c; Peaches, 15@16c for peeled, 12@12½c for unpeeled; Pears, 9@6c for whole and 7@8c for sliced; machine dried, 10@12½c; Plums, 15c for pitted and 2@3c for unpitted; German Prunes, 9@10c; French Prunes, 11@12½c ₱ ℔; Raisins, California Layers, $1 50; London do $1 75 ₱ box.

HONEY—Demand quite limited. Comb, 11@12c; extracted, 5@6c.

BUTTER—There is considerable poor quality on the market, which is hard to sell. Fancy, 23@24c; good to choice, 21@22c; store packed, 20@18c; firkin, 21@22½c for choice new, and 18@20c for choice old; 12½@18c for fair to good; Eastern, 14@18c ₱ ℔.

CHEESE—Market well supplied. Quotable at 9@11c ₱ ℔ for California.

EGGS—Buyers are very shy, canvassing offerings with unusual care, and even then investing only to the extent of positive necessities. The carload of Utah that arrived early in the week on speculation has not yet been reported as sold. A choice article can be placed at our top figure, but anything that is not first-class receives no attention. Lower prices are quite probable. California, choice, 32@33c; ordinary, 28@29c; Eastern, 26c; Utah, 23@30c ₱ dozen.

POULTRY—Market a shade firmer. Live turkeys, gobblers, 22@24c; do, hens, 21@23c; Roosters, $8@9 50; for old, and $7@10 for young; Hens, $8@9 50; Broilers, $3 50@5 as to size; Ducks, $5@6 50 ₱ dozen; Geese, $1 50@2 ₱ pair.

GAME—In light supply. Venison, 9c@12c ₱ ℔; Hare, $1 75@2; Rabbits, $1 25@1 37½ for small, and $1@1 50 ₱ dozen for cotton-tail.

PROVISIONS—Eastern Hams, 16@17c; California Hams, 14@14½c for plain, 16@16½c for sugar canvassed; Eastern Breakfast Bacon, 15@15½c; California Smoked Bacon, 13@13½c for heavy and medium, and 14@14½c for light, and 15½c for extra light; Clear Sides, 13@13½c; Pork, $18@18 50 for extra prime, $20@20 50 for prime mess, $22@22 50 for mess, $23@23 50 for clear, $24@24 50 for extra clear; Pigs' Feet, $16@18; Mess Beef, $15 50@16 for bbls, $8 50 for ½ bbls; Family Beef, $19@19 50 ₱ bbl; California Smoked Beef, 16@16½c ₱ ℔; Beef Tongues, $10 50@10 75 ₱ dozen; Eastern Lard, 12@12½c for tierces, and 12¼@12½c ₱ ℔ for pails; California do, 10-lb tins, 10½@11c; 5-lb tins, 12½@12½c; pails, 12½@12½c for 10-lb, 13@13½c for 5-lb, and 13½@13½c ₱ ℔ for 3-lb pails.

WOOL—The movement is so limited as to be scarcely worthy of notice. We quote Spring:

Humboldt and Mendocino, ₱ ℔	18@21c
Northern	17@20
Sacramento and Foothills	14@18
San Joaquin and Southern	10@15
Eastern Oregon	15@19

FRESH MEATS—Following are the rates for whole carcasses from slaughterers to dealers: Beef—First quality, 8@8½c; second quality, 7@7½c; third do, 6@6½c ₱ ℔. Veal—Quotable at 9@12½c ₱ ℔. Mutton—Wethers are quotable at 5½@6c and Ewes at 5@5½c ₱ ℔. Lamb—Spring is quotable at 7½@8c ₱ ℔. Pork—Live Hogs, 6@6½c for hard grain Hogs on foot; dressed do, 8@8½c ₱ ℔.

EASTERN AND FOREIGN MARKETS.

NEW YORK, July 17th.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour is dull and Wheat is dull; the latter at $1@1 05 ₱ bushel.

WOOL—California is dull at 10@14c for fall burry, and 16@20c for clean fall; spring burry, 10c to 16c; clean spring, 20@24c; pulled, 28@38c.

HIDES—California are dull at 21c.

CHICAGO, July 17th.

WHEAT—83½c for August.

CORN—53⅝c for August.

PORK—$24 50 for August.

LARD—$7 12½ for August.

RIBS—$7 65 for August.

SHORT RIBS—$7 95 for August.

LIVERPOOL, July 17th.

WHEAT—Steady. California spot lots, 7s 6d to 7s 9d. Cargo lots, 38s for off coast, 41s for just shipped, and 40s for nearly due. Cargoes off coast and on passage are firm. Quantity of Flour and Wheat on passage to United Kingdom, 1,050,000 qrs: Wheat to Continent, 490,000 qrs. Weather in England fair after rain.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Comte de Paris and family have sent £2,000 to the cholera sufferers.

The Cuban insurgents are burning plantations and destroying the property of all those found favoring the Spanish Government.

The Chinese Government is providing for the safety of Chinese merchant vessels in the event of war between China and France.

The anarchists in prison at Vienna made a complete confession, admitting that they were implicated in many murders and robberies during the past few months.

The three farmers who were impounded for trespassing on Mrs. Parnell's farm, near Bordentown, N. J., and threatening her farmer, have been held to answer.

On June 15th frost very nearly destroyed all the New England crops, and Wednesday again frost was plainly visible on the lowlands in Preston and in other towns in eastern Connecticut. It did little harm.

It is rumored in New York that it is undoubtedly true that the Postal, Bankers' and Merchants' and the Baltimore and Ohio Telegraph Companies have agreed to pool. The period mentioned is twenty-five years.

Paul Hammer, the Mormon missionary whose arrest at Vienna has been ordered, but who has disappeared, is a portrait painter, a native of the island of Frien. He came to America some time ago and settled in Nevada.

A cable special says: There is now no doubt that there really was a conspiracy to blow up the great Germania monument at Neiderwald, as well as to kill the Emperor, Crown Prince and Bismarck. The details have been kept from the public, but the confessions of various persons show the project to have been formed.

The funeral of the Prince of Orange took place at The Hague yesterday with great pomp. The procession was headed by King William, Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimar, Prince Albert of Prussia, Count of Flanders, and representatives of all the royal houses of Europe. The Prince of Wales sent a wreath in his capacity as Grand Master of the Free Masons.

The New Brunswick Cotton Mills, of St. John, N. B., doing business under the name of Parks & Son, have suspended. Parks has been obliged to ask the creditors for an extension. Liabilities, about $225,000, largely secured. Assets are estimated at over $400,000. About three hundred persons have been employed. It is expected that work will be resumed within a fortnight.

In the British House of Commons yesterday afternoon, Lord Edmonds Fitzmaurice, Under Foreign Secretary, stated that Holland and England had agreed to jointly demand of the Rajah of Tenom the surrender of the crew of the steamer Nisero, which was wrecked on the coast of Sumatra. If he refuses, he will be punished; if he consents, he will receive money payment and his ports be opened.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK SALES.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17th.

MORNING SESSION.

320 Ophir	1 65@1 55	100 Belcher	1 10
1150 Mexican	2@2 10	100 Exchequer	30c
500 G. and C.	1 85	30 Overman	21c
350 B & Belcher	2 15@2 20	1100 Justice	30c
500 California	30c	150 Union	1 70
810 Savage	1 47@1 45	805 Alta	2 85@2 95
1150 Con. Vir	59c	100 Caledonia	10c
710 Choller	3 70@3 75	25 Adas	40c
600 Potosi	1 80@1 85	50 Scorpion	20c
1385 Hale & Nor.	4 75@4 80	100 Beaston	65c
200 Point	1 30	200 Belmont	1 05
520 Jacket	2	250 Belle Isle	60c
250 Alpha	1@1 10	700 Bodie	1 60
285 S. Nevada	1 75	800 Bulwer	25@35c
50 Utah	1 10	800 Mono	35c
50 Bullion	7c	200 Con. Pacific	4c

AFTERNOON SESSION.

60 Eureka	2 50	805 Choller	3 90@4
150 Navajo	4 05	800 Potosi	2
150 Belle Isle	60c	475 N. and N.	4 85@4 90
70 Mt. Diablo	2	40 Point	1 40
400 Independence	30c	90 Jacket	2 05
1000 N Belle Isle	20c	190 Sierra Nev.	1 70@1 75
100 Bodie	1 75	180 Belcher	1 10
600 Bulwer	30@35c	70 Utah	1 20
1000 Goodshaw	10c	250 Bullion	7½c
200 Mono	40c	405 Excelsior	35c
230 Ophir	1 65@1 70	50 Justice	30c
900 Mexican	2 26@2 30	250 Union	1 80
400 G. & C.	1 95@2	560 Alta	2 95@3
300 B & Belcher	2 35@2 45	100 Andes	4c
300 California	30c	100 Scorpion	25c
100 Savage	1 45@1 50	740 Benton	65@70c
2300 Con. Virginia	35c	19 Senator	10c

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PACIFIC SLOPE.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE RECORD-UNION.]

CALIFORNIA.

Republican County Convention — The Harvest.

VISALIA, July 17th.—The Republicans held a County Convention to-day, and elected the following-named delegates to the State Convention: O. Sanders, Frank P. Taylor, A. B. Butler, C. F. J. Kitchener, Jo Blakely. Dr. Chester Rowell, of Fresno, was indorsed for elector. For Congressman the delegates are unpledged.

Harvesting is progressing finely, and the grain is yielding well.

Frightful Case of "Didn't Know It Was Loaded."

HOLLISTER, July 17th.—On Tuesday, in Indian valley, seventy miles south of here, Miss Nora, the 15-year-old daughter of Upton Matthis, was instantly killed by a charge of shot fired from a gun which "wasn't loaded." The young man to whose recklessness was due the distressing occurrence had discharged the gun the day prior to the shooting, and being certain that it was empty, was pointing and snapping it at Miss Matthis and her sister. It seems, however, that some one had reloaded but failed to cap the gun the evening before. Thinking to frighten them still further, the young man capped the gun, at which the young ladies ran, when he pulled the trigger, and the full charge entered Miss Matthis' back, just below the left shoulder, causing instant death.

The Fusion Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17th.—The joint State Convention of the Greenback-Labor, National Anti-Monopoly and National Union parties, which has been in session since Wednesday, adopted a platform which fixes the name of the fusion as the National party; demands free coinage and "sufficient currency;" declares that corporations and individuals which resist the payment of just taxes in Court shall be treated as criminals; favors a postal telegraph and a protective tariff, and indorses Butler and West for President and Vice-President.

Presidential Electors were chosen as follows: R. Butterfield, of Sacramento; L. F. Moulton, of Colusa; T. J. Merwin, of San Francisco; George H. Stebbins, of Alameda; H. M. Couch, of Sonoma; S. A. Waldron, H. D. Barber, of Solano, and W. J. Swasey, of Eureka.

After choosing a State Central Committee the Convention adjourned sine die.

Los Angeles Republicans.

LOS ANGELES, July 17th.—The Republican County Convention organized this morning. N. A. Young was elected temporary Chairman, and George E. Gard temporary Secretary. Committees on Credentials and Permanent Organization were appointed, and the Convention adjourned till 1 P. M. After reassembling H. H. Markham, W. A. Cheney and E. F. Spencer were placed in nomination as Congressional candidates. On the third ballot Colonel Markham was elected as a candidate for Congress from the Sixth District, and recommended to the Congressional Convention. The following delegates to the Congressional Convention were elected: H. H. Boyce, H. W. Magee, H. C. Austin, Walter S. Moore, F. A. Gibson, Jas. McFadden G. M. Holton, John Thomas, Martin Aguirre, J. W. Myers, P. H. Downing, E. Bouton, H. T. Payne, Nestor A. Young, W. C. Furrey, J. C. Packard.

The Moquelemos Grant—Rope-Walker Hurt.

STOCKTON, July 17th.—The local militia returned this evening from the scene of the trouble on the disputed lands in the northeastern part of the county. The crops upon which Sheriff Cunningham levied an an attachment on Bailey's land have been harvested, and the grain is now in the officer's possession. No further trouble is anticipated.

To-night a rope-walking performer, named Alexander, fell from the middle of the rope to the street, a distance of twenty-five feet, and was badly bruised, but no bones were broken.

Narrow Escape of the Lieutenant-Governor.

DAGGETT, July 17th.—Lieutenant-Governor Daggett, while assisting in placing new machinery in his quartz mine near this place two days ago, had a serious fall from the top of the battery, and narrowly escaped being killed. He is badly used up, and is relieved of the use of his arms for the present.

Ventura County Republicans.

SAN BUENAVENTURA, July 17th.—The County Republican Convention met here to-day, and nominated a full county ticket, with B. T. Williams for Superior Judge, J. S. Collins for Treasurer, J. H. Warring for County Clerk, A. W. Brown for Sheriff, Orestes Orr for District Attorney, H. D. Lay for Coroner, Dr. Stephen Bowers for delegate to the Congressional Convention, T. K. Perkins, W. S. Chaffee, J. S. Collins and D. H. Blackburn for delegates to the State Convention. Peter Bennett was recommended for the Assembly. The nominees were chosen by unanimous vote. Much enthusiasm prevailed, and entire harmony. The county ticket is a strong one, and will doubtless be elected.

Emigrants Shaken Up.

TEHACHIPI, July 17th.—Last night emigrant No. 22, bound north, broke in two one mile south of Girard. When they came together it stirred up the car of emigrants pretty lively, but no one was seriously hurt. Four box cars were badly injured, one being thrown across the track. It took four hours to clear the track.

ARIZONA.

The Situation at Yuma.

YUMA, July 17th.—The town presents a lively but somewhat dilapidated appearance. The embers of the burned depot, with four cars of freight and the adjoining buildings, is still smoldering, and an army of laborers are transferring freight. A walk over the ashes represents a loss to the amount of more than $300,000. New platforms and gangways are being built, and a new depot will be put up as soon as carpenters can build it. The company has sixty carpenters, forty tracklayers and several hundred laborers employed. Superintendent Muir is here directing the movements of the different classes of employes, and arranging for a speedy transfer of freight and passengers. Among the goods destroyed was a carload of shotguns, pistols and cartridges. The river is now falling.

OREGON.

Advices from Portland.

PORTLAND, July 17th.—For the past two days the weather has been showery.

Boat No. 14 of the Union Packing Company at Astoria was found yesterday near the mouth of the Columbia river, bottom up, with the men and all the fishing tackle gone. The boat was used by two brothers named Ploening. There is not the shadow of a doubt as to the fate of the unfortunate fellows.

Since January 1st of the present year 1,214,975 bushels of wheat and 214,667 barrels of flour have crossed the Columbia river bar for England. The total value of both is $2,180,580. Since the 1st of June 89,966 cases of salmon have been shipped to England; value, $451,458.

Yesterday evening two brothers named Jack and Sam Hess, living at Middleton, Washington county, Or., became involved in a fight over a trivial matter. A scuffle ensued, when Sam drew a knife and stabbed his brother several times. Believing him to be dead, the fratricide fled and has not been heard of since. Officersare in pursuit. The wounded man is very low, and his recovery is considered hopeless.

The body of an unknown man, found in the woods south of this city, turns out to be a suicide. A post mortem found death was from morphine. A note found in the pocket of deceased clearly indicates self-destruction. The note ran: "For this rash deed, God forgive me and have mercy on my soul." Deceased was a total stranger, and nothing is found to lead to his identification.

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND, July 17th.—A heavy rainstorm is prevailing. Should the storm be general over the Willamette valley, it is feared much damage will result to the grain and hay crops. The hay crops are now exposed, and harvesting has commenced in a number of localities.

John M. Culp, who was arrested several days ago on suspicion of having brutally murdered George S. Smith at Willow Springs, Jacksonville, Oregon, has just had a preliminary examination. Culp was held to await the action of the Grand Jury, and committed in default of bonds.

A report reached here this evening that a double domestic tragedy occurred yesterday near Canyon City, eastern Oregon. John M. Noon and wife, a couple who lived on unhappy terms, engaged in a fierce quarrel. It is claimed that Noon was very jealous of his wife, and accused her of being on too intimate terms with a printer named Jos. M. Padden. Maddened by jealousy, Noon snatched up a pistol lying on the bed and shot his wife dead. Seeing what he had done, he placed the weapon to the side of his head and blew out his brains. No additional particulars could be obtained.

PASSENGER LISTS.

MOJAVE, July 17th.—Passed Mojave to-day, to arrive in San Francisco to-morrow: A. D. Shephard, El Paso, Texas; Mrs. Hyde, Arizona; H. L. Warren, Hackbury; E. R. Levy, San Francisco; S. Nordlinger and family, Los Angeles; A. Meyer, Chicago; David King, San Francisco; Mrs. N. White, Mrs. M. Collier, Fred Silent, Tucson; C. Brown, Miss J. E. Thomas, Tombstone; Mrs. A. Patterson and child, Stockton; Q. A. Taylor, Ohio; P. Robertson, Scotland; Mrs. F. Leda Bunting, Centreville, Cal.; Mrs. C. C. Thomas and son, Sutro, Nev.; Mrs. Bertie Dankiehenger, Los Angeles; Andrew Smith, Kansas; J. G. Smith, Texas; Mrs. Draper Babcock, Mammoth, Ill.; W. D. Barrett, J. W. Barrett, Calico; W. F. Enslow, R. R. Haines, D. Wheeler, Los Angeles; J. H. Strobridge, F. Jaynes, F. F. Mohrig, H. P. Stew, San Francisco; Phil. Alward, Wilmington; M. Thompson, Texas; G. W. Grayson, Oakland; C. H. Cherry, Chicago; G. W. Gager, San Bernardino; Mrs. F. M. Worthington and child, Vacaville; D. Hirschler, John H. Jackson, Prescott.

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The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board.

jy16-3t CHAS. M. COGLAN, Clerk.

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