## HIGHER PRICE PAID

Scarcity of Wheat Responsible for Advance.

#### ALL HOLDERS ARE STRONG

Interior Millers Have Grain, but Are Retaining It for Flour Grinding - Sales to California Necessarily Light.

Wheat stocks in the Northwest are beld so Armly that dealers find it almost impos-sible to transact business except at extreme prices. This was shown by a sale of ciu wheat that was closed yesterday on the basis of 93 cents track. Even higher prices are said to have prevailed in some of the recent transactions. It is difficult to buy bluestenn at \$1. Farmers do not figure much in the market now. Their holdings are very small and can hardly be touched at toing prices. The bulk of the grain re-maining is in the hands of dealers and The latter are not disposed to let go of anything, as they expect to use their supplies for flour during the remainder

California is in the market for wheat in

500,000 bushels, or \$3.1 per cent less than the previous year.

Commenting on the general wheat situa tion, Broomhall says in his international re-

'I reckon that the United States will furnish for the balance of the crop year 3,200,quantity, with Russis, including the Danube, contributing 4,000,000 bushels weekly, and thus allowing only moderate contributions from other exporting countries, there is no indication of a shortage during the coming months. On the other hand, experience has taught that during the past seven years, wheat has never declined below Ta per cental at Liverpool, without quickly reacting; therefore I cannot consider today's price an unsafe position, with crop failure in Argentina, Serfous shortage in India, and the pproaching season of crop scares (perhaps). Argentine weather and corn crop pros pects keep fine. I consider that a

nent relief from the present shortage can only be materialized from a free movement of new Argentine crop, but it must be re-membered that the Danubian crop is cold. Continental centers show a very firm Local receipts, in cars, were reported by

Wheat Barley Flour Oats Hay tanks, 61c.

the Marchants' Exchange as follows:

WOOL PRICES ARE WELL MAINTAINED Fair Volume of Spot Business in Eastern FRESH ARRIVALS AT NORTH PORT-Markets.

Notwithstanding the irregularity of the Bastern wool market during the past week a fair amount of stock changed hands at Cattle and Sheep Sell Within Former well maintained prices, according to advices received yesterday. No material change in few who maintain that higher levels will he reached in the near future, due to actua necessity and small available stock.

During the last week of the London sales
American buyers operated in rather a hesi-

which to some extent has the preceding day, heir buying right through the Three small loads of steers were sold, th characterized their buying right through the sales. The firm upward tendency at London, especially after the 10 per cent advance on cressbereds, materialized just about as some anticipated, namely, a 5 per cent weakening. On the other hand, merind woods held firm throughout at their advances of from 5 to 7½ per cent, as compared with the former sales.

EGG STORING IS ON LIBERAL SCALE
Local Surplus Put Away on Ninetcen-Cent Market.

Three simil loads of steers were sold, the best bringing \$7.75. A load of light bulls was taken at 71.60. Two bunchess of calves was taken at 71.60. Two bunchess of calves at taken at 88.25. In the sheep division, there were sales of shorn wethers at 35. No long sales were reported.

The only receipts were a load of 68 hogs, shipped in by F. D. Decker, of Silverton. The day's sales were as follows:

Well-rick.

40 wethers 120 5.00 to steers ...1082 47.75
By steers ...1095 7.4027 buills ... 290 4.60
3 cows ...1097 7.4025 calves ... 249 8.25
4 cows ... 750 6.50 calves ... 221 8.25 characterized their buying right through the

There was no change in the egg marke The price held firm at 19 cents, at whice figure recepits were quickly absorbed. Retailers are receiving liberal quantities direct which supply local consumption, and practically all the Pront-street arrivals ar bought for storage.

bought for storage.

Poultry receipts were moderate and wit a good demand prices were firm. Good hen sold at 13 cents and brofters at 30 cents.

Dressed means were firm and pork sol readily at a half cent advance, fancy bring ing 11 cents. Veal sold at 14@14\(\frac{1}{2}\) cent. There was no change in the butter eith

## CARLOAD OF STRAWBERRIES DELAYED

Bank Clearings,

Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

Clearings. Balances.
Portland \$2,081,812 \$277,982 \$eattle 2,358,842 \$12,987 \$7acoma 478,767 105,718 \$pakane 509,556 62,872

#### PORTLAND MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT-Track prices: stem, \$1; forty-fold, 93c; red Russian, 96c; OATS-No. 1 white, milling, \$23@23.50 per

FLOUR—Patents, \$4.80 per barres, straights, \$4.20; exports, \$3.80; valley, \$4.80 graham, \$4.80; whole wheat, \$5. CORN—Whole, \$38.50@\$4; cracked, \$34.50

#85 per ton.

BARLEY—Feed, \$22@22.50 per ton; brewing, \$23@23.50; rolled, \$25.

HAY—No. 1 Eastern Oregon timothy, \$17; mixed timothy, \$14; alfalfa, \$14; valley grain hay, \$12@13.50.

MILLFEED—Bran, \$28 per ton; shorts, \$25; middlings, \$81.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Local jobbing quotations:
TROPICAL FRUITS — Oranges, navels, step 1.50 per box; lemons, \$3.75@4.50 per box; pineapples, 6c per pound; bananas, 4½c per pound; tangerines, \$1.75 per box; grape-fruit, California, \$3.50; Florida, \$5@6 per

crate: cuchabers \$1.75@2 per dozen; eggplant, 25c per pound; peppars, 20c per
pound; realishes, 25@55c per dozen; head lettuce, \$2.50 per crate; garlle, 15c per pound;
sprouts, 10@11c per pound; artichokes,
\$1.25 per dosen; celery, \$3.50@4.50 crate;
tomatees, \$4.50 per crate; bothouse lettuce,
50@75c per box; spinach, 80c per crate;
horseradish, 8@10c; rhubarb, 5c per lb.;
cabbage, 1%c per pound; asparsans, \$1.50@
2.50 per crate; peas, 10c per pound,
GREEN FIULIT—Apples, \$1.0.50 per
box; grapes, Malagas, \$7.50@9 per kes; Emperors, \$4 per kes; cranberries, \$12.50
per barref; pears, \$1@1.50; strawberries, 20c
per barkef. nor basket.

ONIONS-Old, 14 per zack; buying prace,
\$2.30 per sack at shipping points.

POTATOES-Oregon, 75c per hundred;
buying prices, 406-50c at shipping points;
sweet potatoes, \$2.50 m 2.75 per crate; new Culifornia, Te per pound.
SACK VEGETABLES—Turnips, 75c; cur
lois, 55c; porunips, 85c; boets, 85c.

Dairy and Country Produce.

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Local jobbing quotations:
EGGS-Frosh Oregon ranch, 19c per dozen.
POULTRY-Hous, 17% @18c, broilers, 30c;
turkers, live, 19920c; dressed, choice, 25@
20c; ducks, 11918c; gease, 10911c.
CHEESE-Oregon triplets, 21c; Daistes,
nominal; Young Americas, nominal.
EUTTER-Creamery prints, extra, 22@
29c per poond; othes, 23@24c.
PORK-Pancy, 10%@11c per pound.
VEAL-Fancy, 14%14%c per pound.

Staple Grocerles.

Local jobbins quotations:
SALMON - Columbia River, one-pound talls, \$2.25 per dozen; half-pound flats, \$1.40; one-pound flats, \$2.45; Alasks, pink, one-pound talls, \$5c; silversides, one-pound

one-pound talls, S5c; silversides, one-pound talls, \$1.25.

HONEY—Choice, \$3.50 \$3.75 per case.

NUTS — Walnuts, \$148 20c per pound;
Brazil nuts, 29c; fiberts, \$148 15c; almonds, \$198 28c; pennuts, \$586 1cc per pound;
per dozen; chestnuts, \$580 lorger pound;
pennus, \$148 15c.

BEANS—Small white, \$36c large white, \$90c; Lima, 7c; pink, \$c; Mexican, \$56c; bayou, \$56c.

SUGAR—Fruit and berry, \$4.60; Honoiulu bayou, 615c.
SUGAR—Fruit and berry, \$4.60; Honolulu plantation, \$4.60; heet, \$4.40; extra C, \$4.10; powdered, in burrels, \$4.85.
COFFEE—Roasted, in drums, 186520 per

California is in the market for wheat in a limited way at prevailing prices, but the trade here has little to offer. The Oriental demand is unimportant.

A reduction of 12 per cent is the combined wheat crop of Argentina, Australia and New Zealand from the previous year's crop was reported yeaterday to the Department of Agriculture by the International Institute of Agriculture at Home, according the awire from Washington. The total estimated production of all wheat in those counties was placed at 250,135,345 bushes. Argentina's estimated area of corn, which will probably be harvested, is placed at 10,260,000 acres, or 8.4 per cent more than the previous year's area. Production of eats in Argentina and New Zealand is \$1,500,000 bushels, or \$3.1 per cent less than

HAMS—10 to 12-pound, 18%@19%c; 12 to 14-pound, 18%@19%c; 14 to 18-pound, 18%@19%c; skinned, 18@19c; picnic, 13c, oiled, 29c, BACON—Fancy, 26是要27是c; standard, 14 5234c. DRY SALT CURED—Short clear backs, 34 516c; exports, 15 5164c; strips, 16 5 LARD-Tierce basis: Pure, 12% @18%c;

Hops, Wool and Hides. Hops, Wool and Hides,

HOPS—1913 crop, prime and choice. 17:9

18:: 1914 contracts, 15c.

PELTS—Dry, 10c; dry short wool, 7c; dry
shearings, 10c; green shearings, 10c; saited
lights, 60@73c; saited heavy, 75@90c.

HIDES—Saited hides, 12%c per pound;
sait hlp, 13c; saited hides, 14%c per pound;
sait hlp, 13c; saited calf, 17c; green hides,
11%c; dry hides, 23c; dry calf, 25c; saited
bulls, 8c per pound; green bulls, 7c.

WOOL—Valley, 14@18c; Ensiern Oregon,
1280-17c.

MOHALE—1913 clip, 25@77c per pound. MOHAIR-1913 clip, 26@27c per pound. CASCARA BARK-Old and new, 5c per GRAIN BAGS-In car lots, Sc.

COAL OIL-Barrels, 1814c; cases, 17140 20 %c.
GASOLINE—Bulk, 16c; cases, 23c; motor spirit, bulk, 16c; cases, 23c.
LINSEED OIL—Haw, barrels, 63c; boiled, barrels, 65c; raw, cases, 68c; boiled, cases, fc. TURPENTINE—In case, 68c per gallon;

### Tear ago 14.671 2208 2203 1444 2206 HOLDOVER STOCK SOLD Year ugo 15.129 1808 1842 1256 1686

LAND ARE SMALL.

Rauge of Quotations-No Hog

There was a falling off of supplies ut the stockyards yesterday, and the little business transacted was in stock carried over from

57	*Shorn.		
12.	Current local quotations on	the N	ariou
ch	classes of livestock follow:		
654	Prime steers	\$7.70	6478.2
	Choice steers	7,30	(F 1.4)
it.	Medium steers	7,00	12 7.4
	Chaice cows	6.25	7.0
re	Medlum cows		6.2
	Heifers		8 7.3
	Light calves	8,000	0 9.0
t.b:	Heavy calves	6,60	0 7.5
ns.	Bulls		St 6,0
	Stags	6.00	7.5
w.141			
1d	Light	·S.00	0 S.8
-	Henry	7.00	7.8
	Sheep		
-	Wethers	5,00	E 4.2
u~	Wethers Ewes	2.50	5,1
	Lambs	5,000	7.0

Omaha Livestock Market.

CARLOAD OF STRAWBERRIES DELAYED

Rain at Los Angeles Prevents Shipment of Fruit.

The carload of Los Angeles strawberries expected here Saturday will not arrive until next week. It was to have been started yesterday, but rain in that part of the country prevented its shipment. Three pony refrigerators were received yeaterday and cleaned up at 20 cents per half basket.

Orange receipts by the steamer were small and only a few lots of vegetables were

thought up, Local vegetable prices were unchanged.

Hops Not Pressed for Sale.

The hop market was quiet yesterday. There was some demand, but it was not easy to interest seliers who had serviceable quality. Hops are not being pressed for sale anywhere on the Coast. The only transaction reported during the day was the sale of the Hanning lot of 50 bales at North Yamhill. The price was not learned.

Bank Clearings.

Coffee and Sugar,

Coffee and Sugar,

NEW YORK, March 24.—The coffee market opened steady, 4 to 10 points higher this morning and improved during the day on support from prominent brokers and scattered covering. Indifferent carly cables from Europe, continued liberal primary receipts and reports of easier cost and freight situation falled to inspire selling, and closing cables from Havre showed railies, Last prices here were steady, 14 to 17 net higher. Sales, 24,000 bags. March, 8,36c; May, 8,47c; July, 8,60c; September, 8,7c; October, 8,84c; December, 8,93c; January, 8,98c. Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 8%c; Santon, No. 4, 114c. Mild. dull: Cordova, 1236-8136c, Raw sugar, steady. Molasses, 2,338-2,36c; centrifugal, 2,58@3.04c. Refined, steady.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Lead, quiet, 3.95
\$4.05; London, 119 10s. Spelter steady,
.20.95.30; London, 121 7s 6d.
Copper-Firmer, Standard, spot and May,
3.874.914.874; electrolytic, 14.62½; lake,
5.00 nominal; casting, 14.37½.
Tim—Firm. Spot, 38.70.938.80; June, 38.90
§29.15.
Antimony—Dull. Cookson's, 7.25,
Iron—Quiet, unchauged,

Cotton Market. NEW YORK, March 24.—Raw steady, Molasses sugar, 2.33 2.36; irifugal, 2.98 3.01. Refined, steady.

per pound; tangerines, \$1.75 per box; grape-fruit, California, \$3.50; Fiorida, 85.96 per box.

VEGETABLES — Cauliflower, \$2.25 per es, quiet but stendy; prunes, quiet; peach-es, quiet but stendy.

Operators More Cheerful Over Ulster Situation.

STOCK PRICES ARE STEADY

Demand in Wall Street Is Less Ac tive-Coppers Are Not Affected by Improvement in Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 24.—The demand for stocks fell off today, and the market possessed none of the viger of the preceding session. Various obscure stocks fluctuated widely, but among the standard shares variations were insignificant.

London, which was more cheerful over the latest aspects of the Uister crisis, came into this market as a buyer and took away about 10,000 shares.

Copper shares made no response to continued improvement in the metal market. The price of the metal was advanced to 14%, and there was said to be good buying for foreign and domestic account.

Bonds were irregular, with movements unusually narrow. Total sales \$2,250,000, United States bonds unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS, Reported by J. C. Wilson & Co., Lewiding, Pertland, building, Pertiand.

Amal Copper . 11,300 77 76%

Am Beet Sugar 200 24 23½

Am Can Ce . 2,509 36% 29%

do preferred.

Am Cotton Oil. 100 44½ 44½

Am Sugar . 200 101½ 101½

do preferred.

200 101½ 101½ no ..... 1,900 Fuel & Iron 4,100 134

1.100 91%

Rds S F abash cestern Union. 5.100 62% 63% esting Elice 1.300 76% 76% Total sales for the day, 220,500 shares. BONDS.

NEW YORK, March 24.-Closing quota tions:
U S ref. 2s reg., 98% N Y C gen 3½s. 81½
do coupon... 98% Nor Pacific 3s... 68½
U S 3s reg. 102 Nor Pacific 4s. 95
do coupon... 192
U S new is reg. 112
do coupon... 112½
The leading futures ranged as follows:

Stocks at Boston. BOSTON, Merch 21.—Closing quotatio flours 43 Nipiasing Mines. maig Copper, 76% North Butte, 2 Z L & Sm. 18 North Lake rizona Com. 5 Old Domision. Amaly Copper...

Miami Copper. 33% Butte & Superior Mohawk .... 44 do preferred... Navada Con. 15% Money Exchange, Etc NEW YORK, March 24,—Call money, tendy, 1% 82 per cent; ruling rate, 1% er cent; cleang bid, 1% 82 per cent. Time ioans, weaker: 60 days, 2% 63 per ent; 90 days, 3 per cent; six months, 3% or cent.

per cent.

Mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent.

Sterling exchange, steady. Sixty days,
\$4.8473; demand, \$4.8484.

Commercial bills, \$4.84.

Bar silver, 58%c.

Mexican dollars, 45%c.

Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds,

LONDON, March 24.—Bar silver, steady, 6 13-16d, Money, 25,62%. Short bills, 14; three months, 2 1-16. SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Mexican tollars, nominal; drafts, sight, .01; do, tele-traph, .03. Sterling in London, 60 days,

\$8.65 SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET Prices Quoted at the Bay City on Fruits, Vegetables, Etc.

Vegetables, Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Fruit—
Pineapples, \$1.50 @ 2.25; apples, Newtown
Pipplns, \$1.50 @ 2; Hoover, \$1.25 @ 1.50; No.
3, 60c@ \$21.00; Mexican limes, \$5.50 @ 6; Callfornia lemons, \$3.25 @ 4.20.

Potatoes—River Burbanks, 90c@ \$1; Oregon Burbanks, Sceis \$1.25; sweets, \$1.90 @ 2.

Vegetables—Cucumbers, hothouse, \$1 @
1.50; green peas, 2@ 3c; string beans, 10c;
ggplant, nominal.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22½c; seconds,
22c.

Eggs-Fancy ranch, 1914c; store, 18c, Cheese-New, 13@16c; Young Americ Cheese New. 10-110. 5m 101/gc. Onions Oregon, \$3.90@4. Receipts—Flour, 6158 quarters; barley, 290 centals; potatoes, 4825 ancks; hay, 50

CORN FLURRY HALTED BY RE-PORTS OF IMPORTATIONS.

Break in This Cereal Carries Down Wheat Prices in Spite of Unfavorable Weather Reports in West,

CHICAGO, March 24.—Reports which to-night were disputed that new corn from Argentina was already at the wharves in Galveeton put a stop today to an advance in prices of grain. After reaching a new high level for 1914 the corn market here closed nervous at the same as last night to 4c down. The outcome in wheat and outs coincided, but unchanged to 5c to 5c off. Provisions showed a net decline to 25c to 5c.

off. Provisions showed a net decline to 19/2 to 5c.

Wheat hardened with corn and because of rainfall since September 1, 35.61 inches; deficiency of rainfall since September 1, 4.02 inches; total sunshine, 12 hours and 2 reports of high winds in Kansas. Prices started unchanged to %c higher, and slowly continued to mount. Dry weather in Minnessto and North Dakota as well as Kansas. Pices minutes; barometer (reduced to sea level) 5 p. M., 23.79 inches.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Ich effect failed to last when corn began to weaken. The close was easy.

Before word came that some of the new dry argentine crop was actually almost at the doors of hard pressed consumers in Texas and northward to Nebraska and Missort to Dakota. The barometer continues relatively high in the Atlantic states and also over land of the Atlantic states and also over and because of the parameter continues relatively high in the Atlantic states and also over land to Nebraska and Missort to the extreme Canadian Northwest Light rain has fallen in Washington. Western Oregon, Utab, South Dakota, Nebraska, lowa and Utab, South Dakota, Nebraska, lowa and Utab, South Dakota, Nebraska, lowa and Inchesting the corn market in a way that would be corn market in a way that would state the corn market in a way that would state the corn market in a way that would state to fall the corn market in a way that would state and also over land to Nebraska and Missort to the extreme Canadian Northwest Light rain has fallen in Washington. Western Oregon, Utab, South Dakota, Nebraska, lowa and Inchest the stock of the corn market in a way that would state the corn market in a way that would state the corn market in a way that would state the corn market in a way that would state the corn market in a way that would state the corn market in a way that would state the corn market in the Atlantic states and also over land to Nebraska and Missort the extreme Canadian Northwest Light rain has fallen in Washington. Western Oregon, Land Research the corn market in a way that wo

Oats merely in sympathy imitated the be-havior of corn. Shipping call was light. It was a slow market in provisions. Sell-ing by packers near the end of the day brought on the final down turn.

WHEAT. CORN. OATS. MESS PORK. May .....21.60 21.65 21.50 21.50 July .....21.60 21.60 21.57 1/2 21.57 1/2 LARD. May ......10.77 10.77 10.77 10.77 10.77 10.77 10.77 10.77 10.97 10 SHORT RIBS. .....11.47 ½ 11.50 11.45 11.45 .....11.62 ½ 11.65 11.62 ½ 11.62 ½

Minneapolis Grain Market. MINNEAPOLIS, March 24.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 94% 995%c; No. 1 Northern, 92% 984%c; No. 2 Northern, 90% 992%c; No. 3 wheat, 88% 989%c; May, 91% 998%c; July,

92% @ 92% c. Barley, 43@56c. Flax, \$1.59%@1.61%c. San Francisco Grain Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—Spot quotations: Walla Walla, \$1.60@1.61%; red Russian, \$1.58%@1.60; Turkey red, \$1.62%@1.65; bluestem, \$1.65@1.67%; feed barley, \$1.15@1.16%; brewing barley nominal; white oats, \$1.30@1.32%; bran, \$24@2.450; middlings, \$20@2.31; aborts, \$26@2.650.

Call board—Barley, December, \$1.13% bid, \$1.16% asked; May, \$1.14 bid; April, \$1.14 bid, \$1.16 asked.

Puget Sound Wheat Markets.

SEATTLE. March 24.—Wheat—Bluestem, 98c; fortyfold, 80½c; club, 88½c; fife, 88½c; red Russian, 87½c.

Yesterday's car receipts—Wheat 13, oats 1, hay 71, flour 6. TACOMA, March 24. — Wheat—Bluestem, 99c; fortyfold, 89% @90c; club, 89c; red, 89c, Car receipts—Wheat 16, barley 4, corn 2, oats 1, hay 10.

European Grain Markets, LONDON, March 24.—Cargoes on passage English country markets, quiet; French ountry markets, quiet.

LIVERPOOL, March 24.—Wheat—Spot easy. No. 2 red Western Winter, 7s 4d; No. 1 Manitoba, 7s 314d; No. 2, 7s 34d; No. 3, 7s 214d; futures easy; March, 7s 3d; May, 7s 3d; July, 7s 2%d. DULUTH, March 24.—Linseed, 1.61%; May, 1.62%; July, \$1.63%. Naval Stores.

Naval Stores.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 24.—Turpentine
—Firm, 46%c; sales, 99; receipts, 141; shipments, 158; stocks, 12.519.
Rosin-Firm; sales, 1633; receipts, 2954;
shipments, 252; stocks, 118.591. Quote: A B,
\$3.65@3.85; C D, \$3.65; E, \$3.75; F, \$3.85;
G H I, \$4.12\frac{1}{2}; K, \$4.15; M, \$4.90; N, \$5.50;
W G, \$5.85; W W, \$6.20.

Chicago Dairy Produce.
CHICAGO, March 24.—Butter—Firm, creameries, 20@28c.
Eggs—Lower. Receipts 23,348 cases; at mark, cases included, 16% 617% c; ordinary firsts, 16% 617% c; first, 17% c.
Cheese—Unchanged.

Hops at New York.

## DALLAS ELECTION NEAR

INTEREST SHIFTS FROM PRIMARY

of Prohibition Forces Against Ordinance Affecting Liquor.

Oklahoma. Snow has occurred in the Red freezing temperatures east portion; westerly winds.

River Valley of the North and in Alberta and Southern Saskatchewan. It is much lidaho—Wednesday, showers.

E. A. BEALS,

DALLAS, Or., March 24 .- (Special.) -Interest in the coming primary elec- in the district Wednesday, with it tions has lulled somewhat, and city peratures. politics is occupying the limelight. The annual election will be held Monday, April 6. There will be three Councilmen to elect, and a referred ordinance

There are several candidates out for the offices of Councilmen, and there is talk of more filing soon. In the First Ward, J. H. Shepherd, jeweler, has filed, He probably will be opposed by John E. Miller. In the Second Ward, Calgary Wesley Yaughn and J. E. Emmerson Calgary Chicago wesley vaugin and J. E. Emmerson Chicage ... will contest for the honors. In the Enver ... Third Ward, the ward where the heavy prohibition vote of this city is located, the fight will be between Walter J. Eureka ... Galveston ... Coy, one of the leading prohibitionists of this county, and Ralph Morrison. It is expected that a lively contest will Kausas City devalor. is expected that a lively contest will Log Angeles Meyelop.

Mr. Coy brought suit for an injunetion last Summer against the licensing New Orleans

tion last Summer against the licensing of a third saloon in this city, which sult was dismissed. While the injunction suit was pending, the City Council tion suit was pending, the City Council pocatello passed an ordinance doing away with the provision in the model license liquor ordinance in force here provid-scaramento for the issuance of a saloon license St. Louis Mr. Coy and Salt Lake ing for the issuance of a saloon license for each 1909 inhabitants. Mr. Coy and hals friends backed a movement for a saloen referendum upon the ordinance, and it seems to be saloen for a will be voted upon at the election.

No more candidates have filed for county offices, but it is being rumored that John M. Grant, Democrat, and present Sheriff, may be a candidate to succeed himself. No one has filed for the Penghisean pomination for County the Republican nomination for County

NEW ROAD TO BE OPENED

Lewis County Commissioners Order Many Improvements.

CHEHALIS, Wash., March 24 .- (Special.) — Lewis County Commissioners have just acted finally on the matter of the opening of the August Deggeller

road leading toward Alpha, 20 miles east of Chehalis. The change in the road to Alpha will make a far better road, and permanent improvement is to be rushed, as the Carlisle - Pennell Lumber Company is hurrying work on its big new sawmill at Onoalaska. A new road from the mouth of Bunker Creek to Bunker Station, on the North-ern Pacific, will accommodate the big new shingle mill and sawmill being erected between those points. The board is preparing to rush com-pletion of the Jackson Prairie cutoff

on the National Park Highway where it will connect with the Pacific High-way 12 miles southeast of Chehalis. The Antone Rose road in the Boist-fort-Pe Ell country has also been or-dered opened, and will accommodate a large neighborhood.

DAIL METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. DAIL METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, March 24.—Maximum temperature 50 degrees; minimum, 42 degrees; river reading, 8 A. M., 6.7 feet; change in last 24 hours, 2 feet rise; total rainfall (5 P. M. to 5 P. M.), 06 inches; total rainfall since September 1, 1913, 31.49 inches; normal rainfall since September 1, 35.61 inches; deficiency of rainfall since September 1, 4.12 inches; total sunshine, 4 hours and 9 minutes; possible sunshine, 12 hours and 22 minutes; barometer (reduced to sea level)

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