EGGS IN STORAGE

Ten Thousand Cases Already Put Away.

WILL LAST TILL OCTOBER

Bottom May Not Yet Be Reached in Butter Market-Short Season for California Berries. Truck Is Abundant.

EGGS-Wenk at 17% @18c despite

heavy storing. BUTTER-Lower California market may further weaken Portland, City creameries, 20c; state creameries,

174 6194c FRUIT - California strawberries entiful, poor and weak at \$1.50@ \$1.75. One crate Oregon berries re-

celved. Oranges, firm. Pincapples, higher VEGETABLES-Heavy receipts of Walls Walls asperague and California

WHEAT-Quiet but steadler. Club, \$3@84c; bluestern, 89@90c. HOPS-Buyers and sellers awaiting

truck. Prices generally lower.

There will be no lack of eggs for tion in Portland during the Fair, judging by bene storing them in the last few It is estimated that 10,000 cases have been stored here up to date, and more are going in every day. If this, with the usual

supply expected in the meantime, does not supply expected in the meantim seighborhood has fallen off 50 per cent in with reports from other sections. It is not fore. June I. Then smaller receipts can be locked for and storage eggs will be in order me in September.

the capacity of some of the plants, as the quantity is greater than ever before put away, should last until well toward the end of October, when shipments of Elastern eggs

SLOW BUTTER MOVEMENT.

Lower California Market May Have Bad Effect Here.

Section in the price of city butter to the Section Sultanna, Spic. London layers, Schools, Spic. Section Sultanna, Spic. London layers, Spic. Sp

The opinion is generally expressed that bottom has been touched in the creamery market. The price is where storing can be profitably done, and in addition to this, the sarm weather, which can now be expected, will create other demands for cream than for use in bouter. This will offset in a measure the increamed cream production in May. One disturbing factor, however, has developed, the 24-cent drop in the East Monday. This has put a stop to Eastern shipments from California and in turn may be the means of sending California butter here again. Portland will except from this if the San Francisco market goes low enough so speculators there can ators.

SEASON WILL BE SHORT.

California Berries Will Have Small Chance in This Market.

The season for California berries ir going to be short, so far as the Portland market is concerned. Oregon berrice will begin arriving freely in a few days, and before long will crowd the Californias out. Only one crais of Oregon stramberries arrived yesterday. They were from fillard, and brought 25 cents a pound. The California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beavering states are for the fillard, and brought 25 cents a pound. The California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beavering states are formed to the California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beavering states are formed to the California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beavering states are formed to the California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beavering states are formed to the California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beavering states are formed to the California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beavering states are formed to the California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beavering states are formed to the California fruit and for \$1.50 cents of the Southern beaver and \$1.50 cents of the Souther

pound. The California fruit sold for \$1.50 in fine condition, but much of the lot was Heavy rains in California have made

WOOL—Valler, Roddle Recording to fine fine condition, but much of the lot was poor. Heavy rains in California have made it difficult to ship herries in prime condition, and carejusaness in transportation has had something to do with landing the fruit here in unmarketable shape. The growers of Florin discoss of nearly all their erop in Portland and points reached from this city, but as the Oregon herry crop is unusually carly this year, it will be on the market simoet hefore the California product has established lisself and will soon crowd the latter out.

FROOLCE BY STEAMER.

Good Market for California Garden Truck—Much at Seasonshiy Lower Frices.

Testerday's steamer produce was landed in fine shape and moved off well, much of it at expensably lower prices. Considerable quantities of new carrots, turnips and beets were received. The season for California asparagus is nearly over, as heavy receipts are coming in from Walla Walla. The latter is green, fresh and tender, and offers at \$1.256 per box, according to size, as against \$1.500 per box, according to size, and color. \$1.500 per box, and the per box acco

Colorado potatosa were offered to the trade to the high price at which Oregon Burbanks of the high price at which Oregon Burbanks Sig4.

Tropical Fruit Firm.

Three cars of oranges were received you teriasy. The market is very firm, with presidently no fancy navels obtainable. Bananas were in good supply and sold well at a firm. were in good supply and sold well at a firm up, 7e per pound.

Pinespples are slift at \$7.50 oer HAMS-10 to 18 pounds, 135c per pound; rel today.

dozen. Lemons were not so active yesterday as on Monday, owing to the charge in

Hop Trade Is Waiting

ket now. Everybody is waiting to see what will come of the growers' meeting. Holders promised developments, and buyers, finding the arket bare of offerings, are likewise waiting to see what will turn up are on the market with small lots, but they are slow sellers at any price.

Hay is plentiful, weak and hard to move. wing to the abundance of green feed in the ountry. Some of the mills have put a new product on the market in the shape of pulverised alfalfa. If they can create a market for the article it may help the situation

the oats market, with some sales of white in a small way at \$28 per ton. Gray cals are in very limited supply locally, and will not bring over \$27. The barley market is

Bank Clearings. Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities resterday were as follows:

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS. Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

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WHEAT-Club, SS@84c per bushel; bluestem, SS@86c; Valley, 88c.

FLOUR - Patents, \$4.50@8.10 per harrel; straight, \$4@8.25; clears, \$2.75@8; Valley, \$3.90@4.25; Dakota hard wheat, \$2.50@ \$1.50; Graham, \$3.50@8; whole wheat \$6.50g 4.25; rye flour, local, \$5; Eastern, \$5.80@5.90; cornment, per bale, \$1.90@2.20;

BARLET-Feed, \$72.50; per ton; rolled, \$28.925.

OATS-No. 1, white, \$78 per ton; gray, \$27. OATS-No. 1, white, \$28 per ton; gray, \$27 per ton. MILLSTUFFS-Bran, \$19.50 per ton; med-dings, \$25; shorts, \$22; chop, U. S. Mille, MILLISTUFFS-Bran, \$19.50 per ton; macdings, \$25; shorts, \$22; chop, U. S. Mills,
\$19; timseed dairy food, \$18.
CEREAL FOODS-Rouled cate, cream, popound sacks, \$5.5; lower grade, \$5065.25;
catmonal steel cut, \$50-pound sacks, \$8 per
barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bair; catmen! (ground), \$60-pound sacks, \$7.50 per bairrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bair; catmen! (ground), \$60-pound sacks, \$7.50 per bairrel; 10-pound sacks, \$5.50 pound boxes, \$1.55
pearl harley, \$5 per 100 poundes, \$1.50-pound
sacks, \$2.50 per bair,

HAT-Timothy, \$146916 per ton; clover, \$11
\$12; grain, \$116912; cheat, \$116912.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc. VEGRTABLES - Turnips, \$1.25@1.50 per sack; carrots, \$1.25@1.40; bects, \$1.25@1.40; paranipe, \$1.25; cabbage, old, 11sc per nound; new, 18,62c per pound; lettuce, hothouse. 51.25@1.75 per box; persjey, 25c dozen; tomatose, Merican, 81.75@2.50; Fiorida, 88.50;
candiflower, 82.25 per crate; celery, \$488.25 a
crate; peas, 85 per pound; peppers, 25c
per pound; asparagus, California, 81.75@2 per
crate; Oragan, 81.25@1.55 per box; Frubarb, 25c per pound; cunumbers, 81.25 per
dozen; California, 81.85; artishokes, 75e per
dozen; radiales, 15c per dozen; garilo, 171/26
20c; beans, 11@127-c.
CNYUNS--Urscon tuncy, \$1.50-c. No. 2 81.50 CNIONS-Oregon tancy, \$3.5004; No. 2, \$1.50 82.50, buying prices; Australian, Sc per

pound.

POTATOES—Oregon fanoy, \$191.06; common, \$195.50; Sb., buyers prime; Colorado, \$191.10; new-potatoes, \$250.5c; per pound; Merced sweets, \$1,570 per pound; Muscateia, 4-stown, Phot blayer Muscatei raintin, Phy. unbicached section Sultanas, 650; London inject, crown, whole boxes of 20 permis, \$1.55; 2-crown, whole boxes of 20 permis, \$1.55; 2-crown, \$1.75.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPs-Choice 1904, 23\625c per pound,
WOOL-Valley, 20\626 according to fineness; Eastern Oregon, average bent, 17\61sc;
lower grades, down to 14c, according to quai-

BEESWAX-Good, clean and pure, 20@22e

per pound. CASCARA SAGRADA (Chittam bark)-

Bogs-Receipts today, 15.00c; tomorrow, US.

-000; market 5610c lower. Mixed and butchers,
\$5.4985.30; good to choice heavy, \$5.5065.3712;
rough heavy, \$3.3065.40; light, \$5.3063.45;
butk of saler, \$5.2065.50;
Sheep-Receipts, 12.000; sheep and lambs
steady. Good to choice wethers shorn, \$5.256
\$5.50; fair to choice mixed, shorn, \$4.0064.75;
Western sheep, \$4.5065.50; native lambs,
shorn, \$4.5065.50; Western lambs, \$4.5063.50;
Hocking Valley

KANSAS CITY April 25. Carries Paragraph Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

RANSAS CITY, April 25. Cattle-Receipts, 5000; merket strong to 10c higher. Native stern. \$4.5086.50: native come and believe, \$2.5085.60. etockers and feeders, \$1.0085.15; built, \$2.7594.75; calves, \$3.5096.25; Western fed steers, \$4.7598.40; Western fed come, \$1.50

Hogs-Receipts, 10,000; market 5910c lower, Bulk of sales, \$5,3095,425; heavy, \$5,4095,45; packers, \$5,3595,4215; pige and lights, \$4,509 5,40.

Metal Market.

NEW TORK, April 23.—The London metal markets opened leday lower. Tin was reported from about 16e to 12½s below the prices of last Thursday with evol quoted at 5135 10s and futures at 5136 10s. Locally the situation was somewhat settled, apparently with demand light but holders as a rule abowing confidence. Spot was quoted at 50.35630.80c.

Copper also was lower in London and closed at 508 6s for apot and at 526 2s 25 for futures. Locally the market was a weak one, and it is reported that Lake copper can be had in mederate amounts for May delivery at a shade under 15e. Lake and electrolytic copper are both quoted at 156 18.25c on spot, and casting at 14.75615c.

Lead was unchanged in both markets and at 612 12b 6d in London.

Spelter was unchanged at 5.20c in the local market and at 424 in London.

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Spelter was unchanged at 5.20c in the local market and at 62s in London.

Iron at Glasgow closed at 5s and Middlesbore at 5is 6d. Locally iron was weak and unsettled. No. 1 foundry Northern. \$17.20g is, No. 2 foundry Northern. \$16.75g11.50; No. 1 foundry Southern and No. 1 Southern soft \$11.25g17.75. Some holders are asking slightly over these figures, but there are rumors of sales at the inside prices quoted and the market seems to be in buyers favor.

Grain and Produce at New York.

NEW YORK. April 25.—Flour-Receipts. 18.20. exports. 18.400 harrels: quieter and lower
to sell.

Wheat-Spot. firm: No. 2 red. 95%: nominal elevator: No. 2 red. 95%: nominal f. o.
b. afloat: No. 1 Northern Duluth. 31.02% f. o.
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b. afloat: No. 1 hard Manitobe. 25%: f. o.
b. afloat: There was a much better undertone to the wheat market toda: After a brief early decline, during which the new erop months soft at the lowest point of the season, the market receivered and was very firm for the rest of the day, closing barely 50 not higher. The Support was based on builties statement of world's stocks and belief that the market was heartly oversold. May, 53%: 53%: 53%: Sentamber. 54%: 55%: closed 85%: Hope-Quiet.

Hidse-Firm.

Wool-Steady.
Petroleum-Basy

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO. April 25.-Wheat and 604. Seriey-Feed, \$1.18%@1.20%; brewing, \$1.23% 031.25. Red., \$1 4001.50; white, \$1.42401.60; U. Date-Red., \$1.52401.45. Call board miles: Wheat-May, \$1.49%; December, \$1.27%; Rarley-May, \$1.10%; December, \$8.27%; Va. Com-Large yellow, \$1.27401.20.

PITTSBURG. April 25.—The Standard Off Company teday made another reduction in the price of all grades of crude oil except ragian. The higher grades of oil were reduced 2 cents and the lower grades 1 cent.

14 to 18 pounds, 12½c; 18 to 20 pounds, 12½c; California (picnic), 8c; cottage hams, 8½c; shoulders, 8c; betied ham, 18c; boiled picnic ham, beneluss, 18c.

BACON-Funcy breakfast, 17c per pound; signdard breakfast, 18; choice, 18½c; English breakfast, 11 to 14 pounds, 12½c; peach bacon, 11½c.

SAUSACE—Portland bam. 13c per pound; minoed ham, 10c; Summer, choice dry, 17be; bologna, Iona, 55c; Summer, choice dry, 17be; bologna, Iona, 55c; wieserwurst, 5c; liver, 6c; pork, 5c; hilood, 5c; hasdecheese, 6c; bologna anusage, 1ink, 45c.
DRY SALT-CURED—Regular short clears, 55c sait, 105c smoked; clear backs, 5c sait, 10c smoked; clear backs, 5c sait, 10c smoked; Oregon exports, 20 to 25 pounds average, 105c sait, 115c smoked; Union butts, 10 to 18 pounds average, 8c sait Re smoked;

amoked; Union butta, 10 to 18 pounds average, Se mit, Se amoked;
PiCKLED GOODS—Pickled pigs' feet, is barrels, 35; is barrels, 32.75; 15-pound kit, 21.25; pickled trips, is barrels, 35; is barrels, 21.75; 15-pound kit, 21.25; pickled pigs' tongues, is barrels, 35; is barrels, 35.36; is bound kits, 31.75;
LARD—Leaf land, kettle-rendered; Thereos, 94c; that, 516c; 50a, 516c; 20a, 10c; 10a, 104c; and 104c;

GASOLINE Stove gasoline, cases, 254c; from barrels, 17c; 85 deg. gasoline, cases, 25c; from barrels of frums, 25c.

COAL OIL Cases, 25c; from barrels, 14c; wood barrels, 17c; 65 deg., cases, 25c; from barrels, 17c; 65 deg., cases, 25c; from barrels, 17c;

barrels, 16-50. LINSEED OIL-Raw, barrels, 61c; cases, Boiled: Barrels, 65c; cases, 65c; ic les 5-barrel lots.

GOOD WEATHER FOR CROPS.

Planting of Corn, Petatoes, Beets and Gar-

Bureau. Oregan section, issued yesterday | Station Director Reals, says in part: The weather during the week has be

favorable for germination and growth and the soil is in good working condition. A large amount of Summer fallowing has been done and the planting of corn, potatoes, augur

seets and gardens has been pushed. Spring

wheatsending, except on very low land, practically completed. All grains and grass have made excellent growth during the we

and these crops are generally in a very promising condition. The sugar best acreage in the Grand Rope Valley has been considerably increased. Ont women have made their appearance in the onion fields of Washington

County but the damage done-by them has

flow of milk in the dairy districts is abund-ant; the increase of lambs is above the av-erage, and sheep shearing has become gen-

ections the outlook is much better. The late arieties of apples have not bloomed as full

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Prices Quoted at Portland Union Stockyards

Yesterday.

Receipts at the Portland Union Stockyards esterday were 25 cattle, 750 sheep and 150

CATILE - Seat Eastern Oregon steers, LE: cows and helfers, \$362.50; medium,

HOGS-Best large, fat hogs, \$6; block and China fet. \$1.2000.50; stockers, \$5.

SHFEEP-Best Eastern Oregon and Valley, \$4.5005; medium, \$4004.50.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Kansas City, Omalia and

Chicago.

4500; market lower. Native steers, \$4.2098.50 comm and heiters, \$5.7095.20; Western steers \$3.5095.25; canners. \$1.5093.40; stockers an

\$2,50@3.25; canners. \$1,50@3.40; stockers and feeders. \$2.60@5.10; calves. \$2.50@0.00; bulle

Hogs-Receipts, 12,000; market 10c lower, Heavy, \$3,25@5.55; mixed, \$5,25@5.55; light, 85,25@5.35; pigs, \$4,75@5.25; bulk of sales,

SOUTH OMAHA, April 25.-Cattle-Ri

pings, etc., \$2,50@4.75.

Peaches, pears, prunes, plums, cherries

light yields are expected, while

ock everywhere is in the condi-

The weekly crop bulletin of the

SUBSIDENCE OF FRIGHT OF THE SPECULATORS.

Union Pacific, St. Paul and New York Central Lead in the Upward Movement.

NEW YORK, April 25.-The fright of spec

after the violence of the recent downward plunge, there was a recovery in prices. to be expected also that the stocks which had led the decline abould be especial ly affected by the demand from uncover thorts, which constituted the principal tor in the recovery. Union Pacific, St. Paul and New York Central were the principal examples in the railroad list. In the indusrial list an aggressive tone was taken he recovery in some of the Mocks whi

have offered comparatively good resistance to the decline, notably in the metal group. There was a very distinct falling off in interest in the market, however, and traces of nervousness and feverishness were still very perceptible. This was empedially the case early in the day, but relaxation of the selling pressure from outside sources was

clearly perceived.

London resumed operations after a founday interval of idlenses and took our security. ties with such freedom as to make a material aid in supporting the market. A number of international atocks went between I and points higher during the first hour. Beside the practical effect of this buying on other stocks, the tone of the London market dissipated any remaining fears of a critical state of European politics. The weight of the be intropean position in weight of the selling brought out by the opening buige in prices had a decidedly chiling effect on sentiment and a balting movement followed. An auxious eye was kept on developmenta growing out of the Milwaukee banking scandal and there were some fears that further losses would be involved. More importance was attached to the possible effect

is of importance to the present prospe condition of the country. The day's event served to quiet excitement to some regarding the Milwaukee incident. quieter tone of the wheat market was also an effective influence in turning the stoo the upward turn established, less was heard of yesterday's rumors of hostilities in the railroad world, which pointed to a degree of blitterness that had prompted a contest for control of Union Pacific Itself. A notable

of confidence in the outstanding credits, which

feature of the market on the recovery was the lessened volume of activity, the transactions for the day falling consider below those of yesterday. The speculation during the afternoon can to anticipate the action of the meeting of directors of the United States Steel Co-poration, which was to assemble later in U day and give out a statement of earning the quarter. Expectations were that this would prive remarkable and record figures were talked of in the course of the late buy-ing of the United States Steel stocks. Other metal stocks shared fully and even exceeded

the strength of the tron and steel issues, in spite of the weakness of the market for The advance in prices did not beeral for some time, and was interrupted by a number of reactions before it was estab-lished and carried to the strong closing. Cal-loans were casy, but Sterling exchange was from in apite of the buying or stocks here to

Blonds were steady. Total cales, par value, \$2,685,000. United States he registered de-clined is and the 2s coupon advanced is percent on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS. Salve. High, Low, Com-thered S. a Sura St Linest heavy local hear would stong losts with 1,500 152 150% 200 16/19 16/1 7,600 55% 61% 600 58 51% 500 35 3314 5,400 161% 160% 161%

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Total sales for the day, 1,119,500 BONDS.

ragian. The higher grades of oil were reduced 2 cents and the lower grades 1 cent.

U. S. ref. 2s rg. 104% Archison Add. 4s 081% buyer refused to divulge the exact figures.

INDEPENDENCE. Ran. April 23.—The U. S. Sa reg. 104 Nor. Pacific 3s. 761% Wheat at Tacoma, prior of Western oil was reduced 4c a barder do coupon. 105 Nor. Pacific 4s. 1655, TACOMA. April 25.—Wheat, unchanged; ref. 1043.

U. S. new 4s rg 102 So. Pacific 4s. 1655, bluestem, 925c; club 35c.

coupon 133 Union Pacific 4s. 108 old 4s reg. 104 Wis. Cent. 4s. ... 34 coupon 106 %

LONDON, April 25.-Console 90 13-16; consols for account, 90 13-18. Y. Central. . 155 12 Spanish Fours

NEW YORK, April 25 .- Money on call

24,63% per cent; closing bid, 2% per offered at 2% per cent. Time loans at 60 days, 3% per cent; 50 days, 2% per six months, \$1,63% per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 464% per cent
Sterling exchange firm, with actual busi bills at \$4.8625@4.8650 ness in bankers' demand and at \$4.8435@4.8440 for 60-day Posted ratta, \$4.85@4.87. Commercial \$4.86@4.84%. Bar silver, 574c.

Mexican dollars, 44%c. Government bonds, irregular, railroad bonds

LONDON. April *25.-Bar adver steady at 26 7-16d per ounce. Money, 1561% per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for nort hills is 2 per cent, for three months

tills, 2% per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO. April 25 .- Silver bars. Mexican dollars nominal. Drafts, sight, 624c; telegraph, 65c. Sterling on London, 60 days, \$4.85; sight,

Dally Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, April 25.—Today's statement of the Treasury balances in the general lund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption shows:

Available cash balances\$133,789,547 Gold 62 908,742 SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS

Attempt to Boom Butter Proves

FRANCISCO. April 28.-(8pe The present attempt of a few local house to been the butter market turned out a been erang and prices are now down practically to the low points previously railing when out side orders were absorbing much of the surplus. The outside demand was completely shut off by the unwise boomers and slocks accumulating. Today's receipts were 125,100, the largest of the season. Offers to sell to the Northwest at 19 cents, cased, were re tused, and the sound steamer leaving today took very little. Checas is easy at the recent decline. Receipts, 7800 pounds, are stendier than expected after Easter. rsipts, 48,600 dozen.
The local speculative market for grain wa

ers active. After early weakness, wheat an barrier options closed steadler under short coverings. Spot prices of all cereals are un-changed, with trade of a hand-to-mouth character. An easy feeling prevails in feedstuffs and hay.

cipts of new potatoes are rapidly increasing, and prices are lower, demitte some ahlpping demand for the North. Old potatoes are generally weak. Onions are easy at yester day's reductions. Asparagus is dull and weaker under increased supplies. Green peas are higher.

Black Tarilan cherries are now in market and quoted up to \$1.20. Purple Gingues and other kinds are in large receipt and weak. Moderate quantities went to Seattle on to Moderate quantities went to Seattle on to-day's steamer. Oranges are arriving freely and as cherries and berries are absorbing lention prices are weaker. About eight car-ads are scheduled for temorrow's auction. VEGETABLES Garlle, 10815c; green peak 185c: string beans, S@15c: asparagus, 46654c: termitors, \$2.7853: egg plant, 15c. POULTRY-Turkey gobblers, 18629c: roosters, old, \$464.50; do young, \$6.8667.50; broll-

ra small, \$282.50; do large, \$360.50; fryere, \$590; hens, \$596.50; ducks, old, \$697; do young, \$768. CHEESE-Young America, 1214813c: East ern. 10817. RUTTER-Fanor creamery, 1846; creamery 18c: fancy dairy, 175c; dairy eec

178175c: fancy ranch, HAY-Wheat, \$10@13; wheat ad oats, \$9@ 2: barley, \$5610; alfalfa, \$76.10; clover, \$76 b; stock, \$5.5087; straw, 25650c, MILLPEED - Bran, \$21621.50; middlings, \$20025.50.

WOOL-Nevada, 16920c.
FRUIT-Apples, choice, \$2: do common, \$1; banana: I3c@\$2.50; Mexican limes, \$4.50@3; California temons, choice, \$2.50; do common, I5c; oranges navels, \$152.25; pineapples, \$2.50%.

HOPS-24678c per pound.
POTATOES-Early Rose, nominal; River Burbanks, 75c881.10; River peds. nominal; Selima Surbanks, 80c8\$1.10; sweets nominal; Oregon Burbanks, \$1.1081.40; sweets nominal; Oregon Burbanks, \$1.1081.40; sweets nominal; Oregon Burbanks, \$1.1081.40; sweets nominal; oregon Burbanks, \$1.894 quarter sacks; wheat 6856 centals; barley. 5084 centals; beans, 500 sacks; carp. 2000 centals; postoes, 5016 sacks; backs; barn, 4855 sacks; middlings, 1710 sacks; hay, 212 tons; Wool, 1086 bales; hides, 345.

BOSTON, April 25.-A period of active con-tracting prevails in the wool market. Prices are firm. So marked has the advance in prices been that the prices paid in the early contracts seem reasonable by contract. Ter-ritory wools are quiet owing to small offerings. Pulled wools are active, foreign grades are in good demand. Territory quotalons: Idaho, fine. 20@21c: heavy fine, IT@18c: fine

medlum, 20@21c; medium, 22@25c; low medium, 2492bc. Wyoming fine, 18819c; heavy fine, 1861Tc; fine medium, 19920c; medium, 23824c; low medium, 2482514c. Utah and Nevada fine, 18819c; heavy fine, 16@17c; fine medium, 16@19c; mdeium, 23@ 24c; low medium, 24@23c. Montana, fine choice, 21@22; fipe average, 19820; fine medium choice, 21822c; average 19820c; staple, 22825c; medium choice, 228

ST. LOUIS, April 25.-Wool steady: terri tory and Western mediums, 22@25c; fine me diums, 15@15c; fine, 16@15c.

Orled Fruit at New York, NEW TORK, April 25,—The market for evaporated applies is quiet. Common to nearby prime quoted at 4655c; prime, at 5.30\$ & 60c; choice, 5655c, and fancy at Tc.
Pruses seemed to be in a little better demand, with buyens showing more confidence, owing to persistent reports of a short crop. This has not yet influenced local quotations, which range from 25c to 55c according to which range from 25c to 55c, according to grade. Apricots are easy in tone, with choice quoted at 105,611c; extra choice, 105,611c and fance, 12616c. Feaches were dull and unchanged. Choice are quoted at 10@10\(\frac{1}{2}\); extra choice. 10\(\frac{1}{2}\); fancy, at 10\(\frac{1}{2}\); fancy, at 10\(\frac{1}{2}\); fancy. At 10\(\frac{1}{2}\); the choice is present unchanged. Loose muscately are quoted at 4\(\frac{1}{2}\); for the choice is present of \$1.20\); meeded raisins, \$\(\frac{1}{2}\); \$\(\frac{1}{2}\); for the choice is present of \$1.20\); meeded raisins, \$\(\frac{1}{2}\); \$\(\frac{

NEW TORK, April 25. Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Brad-streets show the following change in the

wheat-United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 1.614,000 bushels; affect for and in Europe, decrease 2.800,000 bush-els; total supply decreased, 4.414,000 bushels. Dairy Produce in the East.

CHICAGO, April 23.—On the produce ex-change today the butter market was weak; creamery, 22673c; dairy, 20624c. Eggs weak at mark, cases included, 14%c. Cheese strong, 14c.

NEW YORK, April 25.-Butter, cheese and eggs, unchanged. . Top Price for Wool.

BUTTE, Mont., April 25.—The high-water mark for wool was reached last night, when a Bosten firm bought 155,000 pounds at Lewis-town at something shows 24 cents. The buyer refused to divulge the exact figures.

UPTURN IN WHEAT PRICES

WITH MAY DEAL SETTLED, AT-TENTION TURNS TO JULY.

Big Increase in World's Visible Supply Is Most Bullish Factor in Day's News.

CHICAGO, April 25.-An altogether differ ent feeling from that recently in evidence ex isted in the wheat pit teday. The opinion was generally expressed that the Gates line of May wheat had been entirely liquidated With the deal in May finally settled attention was turned to July delivery. Rumors a a contemplated deal in that option under guidance of influential builts gave consider able confidence to the shorts, who covers freely. Notwithstanding favorable weather conditions for the development of the Winter wheat crop, sentiment during the greater paof the day was quite bullish.

At the opening of the market, July was thede to 1,0% higher, at 84%,885%c. May was 16%c higher, at 931,933%c. There was little pervousness after the opening. trades were made in the May option at 95c with other trades at the same moment a 681je@Bic. From these figures there was gradual declins under scattered offerings Northwestern houses and a little eleventh hour liquidation by small traders. hour Equidation by small traders. One of the big longs also was credited with enorm-ous sales. The swiling pressure was sufficient to force the price of May down to 22c before the end of the first hour. Meantime the price of July had been eased off to 84%c, under reling by the pit traders. Sentiment then changed and for the re-mainder of the evasion a firm tone prevailed.

The principal cause of the buying was a bis decrease in the world's visible as against an increase of \$15,000 bushels for the corre-sponding week last year. Another bullish factor was a report from Baltimore that th first contract shipment of new wheat to Europe had been made there today. On the theory that future deliveries had been gen erally oversold during the smash in May prices, the demand for the more distant op-tion was active during the last half of the seasion. The market responded to the improved demand. July advancing to \$3%c. close was strong, with July selling a highest price. May closed at \$50. ances of wheat and flour were equal to 200 bushels. Primary receipts were 389,50 bushels, compared with 204,800 hushels year ago. Minneapolis, Duiufi and Chicas reported receipts of 316 cars, against 24 cars last week and 102 cars a year ago. Liquidation of the May option was the feature of early trading in the corn market. July opened at 6% 248% sold between 6% and 6% closed at the top. Local receipts were 183 care 24 being contract. Influenced by early weakness of the corr market, the oats market experienced some depression during the first hour, but later the market ratiled sharply in an attempt by

early sellers to reinstate their lines. July opened a shade lower at 294c, sold between 254,920c and 294c, and closed at 294c. The post receipts were 171 cars. Provisions were weak at the start on profit taking in pork brought out by a 10-cent de-cline in the price of live hogs. At the close July pork was up 5c at \$12.50, lard was up and ribs were 5c higher. The leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT. \$0.92 \$0.93 .84% .85% .80% .81 \$0.93% \$0.95 .84% .53% .80% .81 CORN. 46% 47% 47% .48% .45 .48% 1.47 .40% .47% OATS. 29% 29% 29% 20% 20% 25% MESS PORK 12.20 12.55 LABD. 7.25 7.40 SHORT MIBS. 6.82% 6.85 7.10 7.15 7.27% 7.32% 6.77% 6.85 7.07 7.18 7.27% 7.33% Cash quotations were as follows:

Cara diothicos were as lossons: Flour-Ray. Wheat-No.2 Spring, 021/6041/c; No. 3, 58c; No. 2 red, 52/605c. Corn-No. 2, 45/6c; No. 2 yellow, 47/6c. Onte-No. 2, 201/6204/c; No. 2 white, 31/66 2c; No. 3 white 20gallige. Rye-No. 2, 74c. Barley-Good feeding, 37633c; fair to choice

multing, 40647c. Flanseed-No. 1, \$1.25; No. 1 Northwestern Timothy seed-Frime, \$2.90.

Mess pork—Per barrel, \$12,15@12.20. Lard—Per 100 pounds, \$7.07\@7.10. Short ribs mides—Loose, \$0.75@6.87%. Short clear mides—Boxed, \$0.871\@7. Clover-Contract grade, \$15.50.

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