BARLEY IS SCARCE

Prices Again Advance in the Local Market.

WORTH \$33 A TON

Oats Are Firmer, With Holders Asking \$40 and \$41-Wheat Is Held at Extreme Prices - Flour Market Is Strong.

The trade in barley is the feature of the grain market just now. The demand is strong and supplies are small and rapidly approaching the vanishing point. Up to \$32 is quoted on whole feed barley. Rolled barley for several days has been selling

Oats were firmer yesterday than they last week. No. 1 white cats were at \$40@41. It is not believed likely that Canadian oats will be brought in and this has encouraged holders to ask full prices. The market in Alberta has stiffened of the shipments already made cross the border and the Canadian oats could not be laid down here now at a price to compete with the domestic article.

The wheat market was quiet, with sellers asking extreme prices. The weekly sta-tistics of the Merchants Exchange placed the American visible supply at 24,862,000 shelp, a decrease for the week of 1,279,-

n patent flour in the immediate future, ut as Puget Sound millers have raised their list 20 cents a barrel it is considered ikely a similar advance will soon be made Rid and asked prices on the Board of

Trade were as follows.

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Merchants Exchange as follows:
April 10-11. Wheat Barley Flour Oats Hay

otal last week. 23 3 48 11 43 PLORIN STRAWBERRIES DUE TODAY Demand for Oranges-Lemons Also Sell Weil.

with the arrival of a small shipment from Florin. Berries have been coming for some time from Southern California, but real mayement does not start until the Florin district begins shipping. Oranges were the best sellers in the fruit

ket Steady.
The general decline in butter, which was expected to materialize Tuesday morning. has been indefinitely postponed. One or two creameries have gone down to 27% wolder with the price up to 19 cents. Some of them are still short of an adequate supply to fill their orders and besides the San Francisco market has turned firmer. Until there is a decided break in the South or a change at Seattle, local prices will probably a seattle. at Seattle, local prices will probably re-

The egg market was firm, with no change Poultry of all kinds was in strong de-

mand. There was a particularly urgent inquiry for broilers weighing 1% pounds, which were quoted at \$5.50 per dozen.

DATES OF WOOL SALES.

Schedule as Prepared by the Eastern Buyers.

The Eastern wool buyers who operate in the Northwest have prepared a schedule of wool-sales dates for Oregon and Idaho. The dates differ in some particulars from the schedule as prepared by the Woolgrow-ers /Association, as the buyers claim that it would be impossible for them to make rail-road connections according to the associaion dates. The schedule of the buyers

May 21-Friday, Midvale, Idaho. May 22-Saturday, Welser, Idaho. May 24-Monday, Pendleton, May 27-Thursday, Reppner May 29 Saturday, Echo. June 1-Tuesday, Shaniko.

June 4-Friday, Pilot Rock, June 5-Saturday, Baker City. June 7-Monday, Ontario

June 8-Tuesday, Payetta. June 10-Thursday, Midyale. June 11-Friday, Weiser.

June 13-Tuesday, Shaniko. June 22-Tuesday, Ontario

June 24 - Thursday, Joseph. July 1-Thursday, Heppner

HOPS LEFT IN FARMERS' HANDS. Only 3418 Bales of East Year's Crop Re-

main Unsold.
There have been no recent sales of hops or offers on which to base actual market values. A list of unsold 1808 hops in Oregoo, compiled yesterday, showed 2418 bales in growers' hands. About 2009 bales of 1987s and 2509 bales of 1985s remain in the

English government returns show Great Britain's imports of hops, less exports, from September 1, 1908, to March 1, 1908, to be 181,886 cwt., as against 124,708 cwt. for the

Bank Clearings.

Clearings of the Northwestern cities resterday were as follows: Clearings Balances, \$1.526.541 \$222.944 1.826.655 108.889 \$23.428 41.207 1.428.313 69.208

Late Potatoes Bring Good Prices. TROUTDALE, Or. April 12.—(Special.)— coate growers who have bold on to their at fancy prices, \$2 per hundred being the

shipped from here during the week. The aurenge to be planted to potatoes

PORTLAND MARKETS.

S5.40.
OATS-No. 1 white \$40@41 per ton.
MILLSTUFFS-Bran, \$20025.50 per tos;
middlings. \$33: shorts, \$25030; chop. \$20023;
rolled barley, \$44.935.
BARLEY-Feed, \$12.50@33.
HAY-Timothy, Willametts Valley, \$14.9;
16 per ton; Eastern Oregon, \$17.619; clover,
\$11.0002, nifalca, \$14.001, too; grain hay, \$11.0014; cheat, \$14.014.50; yetch, \$18.50.014.

Vegetables and Fruit. PRESH FRUITS—Apples, 65cg52.50 per box.

POTATOES—Buying price, \$1.25@140 per hundred; sweet potatoes, 24.63c per pound; mew California, 5c per pound; SACK VEGETABLES—Turnips, \$1.25 per sack; carrots \$1.25; persnips, \$1.30; beets, \$1.75; horseradish, 10c per pound; TROPICAL PRUITS—Oranges, navels, \$2.25@1 per box; lemons, \$1.75@4; grape fruit, \$3.50%4 per box; lemons, \$1.75@4; lemons, \$1.50%4 per box.

ONIONS—Orange for pound; beans, 25c; cabbage, 25; 2444c per lb.; cauliflower, 75c@31 per dox; calery, \$1.50%4 per crate; cucumbers, \$1.50%2.50 per doxen; per doxen; lettuce, hothouse, \$1.50%1,05 per box; lettuce, hothouse, \$1.50%1,05 per pox; lettuce, hothouse, \$1.50%1,05 p FRESH FRUITS-Apples, 65:08\$2.50 per

Dairy and Country Produce. BUTTER—City creamery, extras, 274.6 29c; fancy outside creamery, 25.929c per h; store, 18.920c (Butter fat prices aver-age 1% cents per pound under regular but-ter prices) BUGS—Oreson ranch, 214.922c per desen. POULTRY—Hens, 184.9174;c; broilers, 25c; fryers, 18.9224;c; roosters, old, 10.911c; young, 14.915c; ducks, 208.224;c; geose, 10.911c; turkeys, 29c; squabs, \$2.9093 per dozen.

dozen.

CHEESE—Fancy cream twins, 17@17%c;
per ib.; full cream triplets, 17@17%c; full
cream, Young America, 18@18%c.
VEAL—Extras, 10@10%c per pound; ordinary, 8% #ibc; heavy, 7@8c.
FORK—Fancy, 9% #10c per pound; large,
8@16c.

Grocesies, Dried Fruits, Etc.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 8½c per 1b.;
beaches, 7½ 68c; prunes, Italians, 5½ 65½c;
brunes, French, 466c; currants, unwashed,
cases, 8½c; currants, washed, cases, 10c;
figs, white fancy, 50 lb. boxes, 6½c; dates,
1½ 67½c.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound tails,
52 per dozen; 2-pound tails, \$2.93; 1-pound
fails, \$2.10; Alaska pink, 1-pound tails, 95c;
red, 1-pound tails, \$1.45; sockeyes, 1-pound
tails, \$2.

COFFEE—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, ordinary,
17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; syod,
16@18c; ordinary, 12½ 015c per pound.
NUTS—Walnuts, 12@213c per pound by
sack; Brasil nuts, 10c; filberts, 15c; pecamafc; almonds, 18@14c; chestnuts, 1railan,
11c; pesanuts, raw, 5½ 65c; pinenuts, 10c
12c; hickory nuts, 10c; coccanuts, 90c per
dozen.
SUGAR—Granulated, 16.05; extra C. 28.58. Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

ite; hickory nuts, 10c; coccanuts, 20c per domen.

SUGAR—Granulated, \$6.05; extra C, \$5.55; golden C, \$5.45; fruit and berry sugar; \$6.65; plain bug, \$5.85; beet granulated, \$5.85; cubes (barrel), \$6.55; powdered (barrel), \$6.30. Terms: On remittances within 15 days adduct the per pound; if inter than 15 days and within 30 days, deduct the per pound. Maple sugar, \$5.615c per pound.

BALT—Granulated, \$13 per ton, \$1.90 per bale; half ground, 100s, \$7.50 per ton; \$50s, \$5 per ton.

BEANS—Small white, \$4c; large white, \$54c; Lima, \$c; plak, \$3c; baye, \$4c;

market and prices were very firm. One car arrived from California. Lemons also sold well, but there was very little fancy stock on the market. Winter lemons are chaning up now and it will be two or three weeks before Spring lemons are on the market. A shipment of apples was received from liced River, including some fancy New-towns, which offered at \$2.50.

Asparagus was from but is likely to drop sharply today, as a big lot is on the steamer. A can of fancy Winningstadt cabbase was received. A car of Fiorida to-matoes is due today. Northern California sweet potatoes will be in the market in a few days and red sweets from Hawaii will purities next week.

BUTTER PRICES HOLD THEIR OWN.

Most Creameries Disposed to Keep the Market Steady.

The general deciling in butter which was a long to be a large to find the first transport of the compound to the steady.

Hons Weel Ildes Very part of the per pound: stan-ard, 18c; 18c; 21 in the per part of the per pound: stan-ard, 18c; 18c; 21 in the per part of the per pound: stan-ard, 18c; 18c; 21 in the per part of the per pound: stan-ard, 18c; 18c; 21 in the per part of the per pound: stan-ard, 18c; 18c; 21 in the per part of the per pound: stan-ard, 18c; 18c; 21 in the per part of the per pound: stan-ard, 18c; 18c; 21 in the per part of the per part o

HOPS - 1909 contract, 9c per pound; 1908 crop, 6% 97c; 1907 crop, 86% 15c; 1906 crop, 12 62c.
WOOL - Eastern Oregon, 16 618c per pound; Valley, medium, 185, 619c; coarse, 17 17 17 18 coarse, 17 17 17 18 coarse, 18 18 coarse, 1

salted cairskin, 148160 pound; green, 10 less.

FURS-No. 1 skins: Angora goat, 31 to \$1.55; badger, 25@50c; bear, \$5.25; badger, 25@50c; bear, \$5.25; badger, 25@50c; bear, \$5.50@15; badger, 25.50@15; batter, dark, \$7.50@11; pale, \$4.50@1; batter, cross, to \$5; fox, gray, 80c to 10c fox, red, \$1.35 to \$5; fox, gray, 80c to 10c fox, red, \$1.35 to \$4; fox, sliver, \$35 to \$105; lynx, \$100 to 15; marten, dark, \$8@12; mink, 75c@34.50; muskrat, 10@15c; otter, \$7, raccoon, \$5c@85c; see otter, \$1@2.50, as to size; skunks, \$6@75c; clvet cat. 10@15c; wolf, \$2@2; coyote, 70c@\$1.10; bolverine, dark, \$3@5; wolverine, pale, \$2.250. wolverine, pale, \$2@2.50. CASCARA BARK—Per pound, 4%c.

Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK. April 12 - The market for evaporated apples is rather more active, with fancy quoted at \$\% \partial 22\% c; choke. 7\pi \partial 24\c; prime, 8\partial 64\c; common to fair, 5\partial 65\c.

Prunes are in steady jobbing demand, with quotations ranging from 5\partial c to 11\partial 65\partial 65\c. for new grop California fruit, and from 614c to 9c for Oregons, ranging from 48-50s to 20-30s.

Apricots are firm, as stocks are pretty well cleaned up, with choice quoted as 0 ½ 0 10c; extra choice, 10 ½ 0 10k; fancy, 11 ½

Peaches are moving out rather more free-ly but business is still moderate in the aggregate and prices, while firm, are un-changed; choice, 60 61(c; extra choice, 61, 26%c; fancy) 7981;c. Raisins remain quiet, with loose musca-tel quoted at 31,26%;c; choice to fancy seeded, 4%, 66c; seedless at 3% 261(c; hon-don layers, \$1.20@1.30.

Eastern Mining Stocks. BOSTON. April 12—Closing quotatic Adventure St. Nevada Amalgamated 78% Old Dominion Arig Com. 43 Osceola Butte Coal 21 Parrot Cai & Aris 100 Quincy Cai & Hecla 025 Shannon Copper Runge 78 Trinity Daily West 10% United Copper Franklin 15% U.S. Mining Granby 95 U.S. Olf. Greene Cananea 10% Utah 11% U.S. Mining 9 Winona Michigam 12% Winona Winona Cai C. 35

Mass Mining 9 Winona Michigan 12% Wolverine Mohawk 01 North Butte. NEW YORK, April 12.—Closing quotations

Alice 175 Leadville Con 45
Brunswlok Con 6 Little Chief 10
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Go bends 185 Ophir 110
C C W Vs. 65
Horn Silver 65 Standard 150
Iron Silver 100 Yellow Jacket 68 Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO, April 12 Butter Steady. reameries, 22@25c; dairies, 25@25c. Eggs Steady Firsts, 19%c; prime firsts.

Cheese Strong Daisies, 17c; twins, 15c; young Americas, 17c NEW YORK, April 12.—Butter—Slightly finer. Creameries, specials 28@28%c; thirds to firsts, 21@28c. Cheese—Firm. Eggs—Firm Western storage packed, 21%c.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW TORK, April 12.—Cotton—Special Control of the C

Wool at St. Louis. ST LOUIS April 12 -- Wood -- Unchanged Territory and Western mediums, 18 2 15c; fine mediums, 17 2 10c; fire, 11 2 17c.

Campaign for an Advance Is Resumed.

VOLUME OF TRADE LARGE

Senate Committee's Quick Action on Tariff Bill Creates a Good Impression - Active Demand for Steel.

NEW YORK, April 12 - Speculative perations for the advance were renewed with fresh confidence today in the stock market, and prices were carried comprehensively upwards on a large and varied volume of business. The hesitation manifest last week on account of the approach of the three days' vacation was largely dissipated with the passing of the holiday, although the great foreign markets were still in recess and took no part in the day's

The speculative lement at home seemed The speculative lement at home seemed content to carry forward the movement without waiting for the foreigners to declare themselves. The industrials and specialities still held a conspicuous place, but not so entirely to the exclusion of the atandard trading stock as was the case last Thursday.

prompt emergence from the Senat

The prompt emergence from the Senate committee on finance of the amended tariff bill created a good impression, without much regard to the changes in the rates proposed, the promise of dispatch in the progress of the bill being more considered than the substance of the changes. The restoring of iron ore to the duttable list, as proposed in the amendment, induced an active demand for United States Steel and this had a sympathetic effect in reviving demand for the whole list.

Another wave of activity was set in motion by the news that the Supreme Court's decision on the validity of the commodities dealed of the Hepburn law was still withheld. Reading rose vigorously, as has become the rule with the weekly passing of the expected delivery of this opinion.

Although the copper stocks were not conspicuous in the day's rise in prices, the statistics of copper production and consumption during March made up one of the favorable influences on the day's sentiment. The increase of only 2,000,000 pounds in the amount of refined copper on hand at the end of March, compared with a growth of over 35,000,000 pounds during February, was enhanced by the fact that the month's production rose ever February and even over January.

The feeling regarding the steel trade was improved. The statistics of surplus cars compiled formightly by the American Railway Association made a less favorable exhibit of trade conditions, the number of idle freightcars having increased again for the haif month ending March 21 to the number of 5182. This was in spite of a reduction of upward of 14.000 idle coal cars, owing to the rush to stock up coal in face of a possible miners strike. The failing off in the general merchandles movement and other traffic, therefore, must have been considerable.

The tone of the market developed considerable irrogularity in the late dealings,

derable irregularity in the late dealings, ut many substantial gains were left for cles, par value, \$8,750,000. United onds were unchanged on call.
CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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NEW YORK, April 12.-Closing quotation U. S. ref. 2s reg. 101 to N T C G 3 to s. 93 to de coupen . 101 to North Pacific 3s 75
U. S. 3s reg. . 101 to North Pacific 4s . 103
de coupen . 107 to Union Pacific 4s . 102 to 100 to

Money Exchange, Etc. NEW YORK, April 12.-Money on call

NEW YORK, April 17.—Money on call-sany, 1% 62 per cent; ruling rate and clos-ing bid, 1% per cent; offered at 2 per cent. Time loans, vexy dull and steady; 58 days, 20.2% per cent; 58 days, 2% per cent; six months, 2% per cent. Prime mercantile paper closed at 25.04

or 50-day bills, and at \$8.5170 for demand. Commercial bills—\$8.55% & 4.56. Bar silver—\$05ac. Mexican dollars—4c. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.—Sterling, 60 ays, \$4.86 %; sight, \$4.88 Mexican dollars—45c

Drafts-Sight, 21/c; telegraph, 5c. WASHINGTON, April 12 Today's scatt ment of the Treasury balance in the gener-fund, exclusive of the \$100,000 gold reserv-

NEW YORK, April 12.—The monthly statement, issued soday, by the Copper Producers' Association shows that stocks of marketable copper on hand in the United States, April 1, were 182,270,902 pounds, an increase of \$,995,634 pounds, as compared with March 1.

CHEESE PRICES ADVANCE HIGHER QUOTATION ON THE CALIFORNIA ARTICLE.

Butter Drags at Seattle, With Some Cutting of Prices-Vegetables Scarce.

SEATTLE, Wash, April 12.—(Special.)—Quotations on California chaese were advanced here today to 20 cents. There is an active demand for cheese, but the supply is

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO. Prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City

Markets. ing prices were quoted in the ket today:
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Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, \$1.40@1.87:
Patatoes—Burbanks, \$1.85@2; sweets, \$1.75

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, \$1.40@1.87.
Salinas Burbanks, \$1.85@2; sweets, \$1.75
@2.
Omlons—\$2@2.25 per cental.
Millstums—Bran. \$28.50@30; middlings.
\$23.50@35.30.
Vegetables—Garile, \$@10e; green peas, 4
@6c; string beans, nominal; asparagus, 75e
@1.50; tomatees, 75c@\$1.25; erg plant,
20@25c.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 23%c; creamery
seconds, 23c; fancy dairy, 22%c.
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seconds, 23c; fancy dairy, 22%c.
Poultry—Roosters, old, \$5@5.50; young, \$9@
12. broilers, small, \$5@55 broilers, large,
\$6@2; tryers, \$8@0; hens, \$4.50@10; ducks,
old, \$5@6; young, \$6@9.
Chaese—New, 14%@15%c; Young Amerlea, 14@15c; Eastern, 17%c.
Eggs—Store, 22%c; fancy ranch, 23%c.
Wool—South Plains and Sm Joaquin,
\$@15c; Mountain, 6@16c; Newada, 12@15c.
Hay—Wheat, \$25@26; wheat and oats,
\$23@25; alfalfa, \$14@17.50; stock, \$11.50@
16; straw, per baie, 60@85c.
Fruits—Appies, ohoice, \$1.75; common,
60c; bananas, \$1@5.50; limes, nominal; lemons, choice, \$2; commons, \$1; cranges, \$1.55
@2.96; pineappies, 23@6.
Receipts—Flour, 7074 sacks; wheat, 764
centals; barley, 18,805 centals; oats, \$5 centals; beans, \$7; sacks; potatoes, \$435 sacks;
bran, 1199 sacks; middlings, 179 sacks; hay,
1160 tons; wool, 332 bales; hides, 1000.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET. Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and

and 40 horses.

Recept "*presentative sales included 25 cows, avii "ye 980 pounds, \$3.90; 2 bulls, average 1160 pounds, \$3.25; 70 block bogs, average 150 pounds, \$7.25; 70 stock bogs, average 53 pounds, \$6.50; 8 stock hogs, average 152 pounds, \$7.285 Nebraska hogs, average 162 pounds, \$7.285 Nebraska hogs,

Prices quoted at the yards yesterday were:

CATTLE—Top steers, \$5.25@5.50; fair to good, \$4.75@5.00; common to medium, \$2.56@4.50; cows. top. \$4.23; fair to good, \$3.50@5.50; colves, top. \$5.00@5.50; heavy, \$3.50@4.00; bulls and stags, fat, \$3.00@3.50; common, \$2.00@2.75.

HOGS—Best, \$7.25@7.50; fair to good, \$6.75@7.70; stockers, \$5.50@6.50; Chins fats, \$8.75.

SHEEP—Top wethers, \$5.50.750; fair to SHEEP-Top wethers, \$5@5.75; fair to good. \$4.50@4.75; ewes, bc less on all grades; yearlings, top. \$0.50@7; fair to good. \$6@6.25; Spring lambs, \$7.

Eastern Livestock Markets. KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 9090; market steady to 10c higher. Native steers, \$5@6.80; native cows and helfers, \$3@6; stockers and feeders, \$3.75 %, 5.60; bulls, \$1.30 %, 5.00; calves, \$4.70 %, 5.10; Western steers, \$4.80 %, 5.0; Western cows, \$3 %, 5.40. \$395.40.

Hogs Receipts, 9000; market, stendy, Bulk of sales, \$6.80@7.10; heavies, \$7.90 7.17%; packers and butchers, \$6.90@7.15; light, \$6.70@7.05; pigs. \$5.25@6.

Sheep Receipts, \$5000; market, stendy. Muttons, \$5.25@6.60; lambs, \$6.30@5; range weihers, \$4.75@7.50; cows, \$3.50@6.20.

CHICAGO, April 12.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 18,000; market, steady, 10c higher. Beeves, \$4,8367.20; Texas steers, \$4.60 \$5.80; Western steers, \$4.40 \$5.85; stockers and feeders, \$3.50 \$7.75.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 34,000; market, \$2,10c higher. Light, \$7.05 \$7.40; mixed, \$7.10c higher. Light, \$7.05 \$7.40; mixed, \$7.10c higher. Light, \$7.50 \$7.40; 57.20 \$7.55; pough \$7.20 \$7.55; pigs, \$5.80 \$6.80; bulk of sales, \$7.30 \$7.45.

Sheep—Receipts estimated at 12,000. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 18,000; market, steady. Natives, \$3.75@6.25; Westerns, \$3.75@6.30; tearlings, \$6.25@7.30; lamb, Natives, \$5.50@8.20; Westerns, \$5.50@8.20.

OMAHA, April 12—Cattle—Recelpis, 5000.
Market, steady to strong Western steers, \$5.00@5.00; canners, \$2.25@5.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@5.50; calves, \$2.25@7.25; bulls and sings, \$3.00@5.00.
Hogs—Recelpis, 1500. Market, steady, \$6.10@5.00; pight, \$6.75@7.00; pight, \$7.75@7.00; pight, \$7.75@7.

Metal Markets. NEW YORK, April 12.—Owing to the continued holiday in London there were no cables in the metal market today and business was generally quiet.

Tin was firm and a shade higher at \$29.40 \$59.50e.

Copper remained quiet, with Lake quoted at 12.87%@13c, electrolytic at 12.50@12.82% data-and casting at 12.87%@12.50c. Spelter-Quiet at 4.774-84.8214c. Speller—Quiet at 4.17598-RNige. Iron continues quiet, but shows a elightly eteadying tone, with No. 1 foundry Northern quoted at \$15.75816.25, No. 2 at \$15.50816, No. 1 Southern and No. 1 Southern soft at \$15.25615.75.

Coffee and Sugar. NEW YORK, April 12.—The coffee mar-ket closed dull, net unchanged to 5 points lower on bids. Spot quiet. Bio No. 1, Suc. Santos No. 4, The. Mild dull. Cordova 7% @ 13c. Sugar—Raw quiet. Fair refining, 1.45 %c; centrifugal 95 test, 2.95 %c; molanest sugar, 1.26 %c. Refined steady. Crushed, 5.65c; powdered, 5.65c; granulated, 4.35c.

ELGIN, III. April 12.—Butter-Firm Sc. Sales for the week, 458,800 pounds.

Jury Probing Liquor Cases. PENDLETON, Or., April 12.- (Special.) Serving exchange steady, with actual Several indictments for violat business in bankers' bills at 14.8620 4.8820 probibition law are expected.

Sharp Fluctuations and Excited Trading at Chicago.

GAINS AT THE CLOSE

Big Investment Demand From Outsiders-Market Bullishly Affeeted by Demand for Cash Grain.

CHICAGO, April 12,-It was a fierce spe part of the day and prices moved over a part of the day and prices moved over a range of 1 to 2%c. Interest again centered around the more deferred futures and trade in May was very light. Despite beneficial raths in the Southwest, sentiment regarding the new crop mobile was extremely builted and prices were easily forced more than 1 cent above the previous high point for the season.

The market opened irregular, with price to the higher to the lower compared with Sa urday's close, July being at \$1.14% to \$1.3 and September at \$1.07% to \$1.07%. The was considerable selling on the wet weath in the Winter wheat territory and early the season. het was bullishly affected by an active de-mand for the cash grain, local sales aggre-rating 215,000 bushels. The top for July was reached at \$1.16% and for September at \$1.00. During the day May sold between \$1.25% and \$1.26%.

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Trade quieted down considerably during the final half hour of the session and prices reacted materially from the top on realizing sales. The close was rather tame, but firm, at net gains for the day of % to 11,221% owith July at \$1.16% and September at \$1.05%, \$21.05%. May closed at \$1.25%.

Trade in the corn market was dull and sentiment in the pit was quite heavy at times, although the close was firm at net gains of % to %c compared with Saturday's final quotations. May ranged between \$66% c and \$65% \$2005% c and closed at \$65% c. eral. The close was somewhat irregular, and the common of the common of

May Open High La \$1.25% \$1.26% \$1. July 1.15 1.16% 1. Sept. 1.07% 1.09 1. Dec. 1.06% 1.08% 1. LARD. SHORT RIBS

Sept. 9.52% 9.52% 9.53% 5.60

Cash quotations were as follows:
Flour—Strong.

Rye—No. 2. 75@ 50c.

Barley—Feed or mixing. 61@ 62 Le; fair to choice malting. 62 % 64c.
Flaxseed—No. 1. Southwestern, \$1.57 %;
No. I. Northwestern, \$1.67 %.

Timothy seed—\$2.76 % 5.60.

Clover—\$3.76 % 5.60.

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Lard—Per 109 pounds. \$10.32%.
Short riss—Sides (loose). \$8.82 % 65.32 %.
Sides—Short, clear (boxed). \$3.37 % 9.50.

Grain statistics:

Primary receipts were 42.000 bushels, compared with 431,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. The visible supply of wheat in the United States decreased 1.278,000 bushels. Estimated receipts for temorrow: Wheat, 26 cars; corn, 143 cars; oats, 200 cars; hogs, 17,000 head.

Flour, barrels.

Fiour, barrels. Receipts. Shipments
Wheat, bushels. 17,900 12,000
Corn, bushels. 122,500 222,000
Oats, bushels. 234,300 203,90
Rye, bushels. 234,300 203,90

Grain and Produce at New York. NEW YORK, April 12.—Flour—Receipts, 12,775 barrels, exports, 24,256 barrels, Quiet, with prices higher. Minnesota patents, \$5.96 12,175 barrels; exports, 24,256 barrels, Quiet, with prices higher. Minnesota patents, \$5.56 (96.35; Minnesota bateres, \$1.60g5; Winter patents, \$5.360g6.35; Winter straights, \$5.769 6; Winter extras, \$4.356g5; Winter low grades, \$4.256g4.90; Kansas straights, \$5.50g6.85; Wheat-Roochuts, 28,400 bughels; exports, \$1,190 bushels. Spot, strong. No. 2 red. \$1.37 clevator; No. 2 red. \$1.38 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, \$1.364 f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard Winter, \$1.394 f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard Winter, \$1.394 f. o. b. afloat; A new high level was established in wheat today, the prios responding easily to a buillish cash situation, unfavorable crop news from the Southwest and commission house support. Final prices showed ic net advance. May closed at \$1.324, July at \$1.234 and September at \$1,164s.

Hops—Dull.
Hides—Steady.

Visible Supply of Grain. Visible Supply of Graig.

NEW YORK, April 12—The visible supply of grain in the United States Saturday, April 10, as compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, was as follows:

Wheat 3.4.863,600 1,279,000 Corn 6,311,000 612,000 Oats 9,093,000 *102,000 Graye 602,000 *102,000 Barley 3,143,000 60,000

Saturday was 8.747,000 bushels, an increase of 427,000 bushels.

Grain at San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, April 12.-Wheat and Shipping, \$1.97%@2.05; milling, Barley-Feed, \$1.50@1.52%; brewing, \$1.55 Oats-Red, \$1.97% @ 2.05; white, \$2.07@ Call board sales-

European Grain Markets. LONDON, April 12 - Cargoea, very strong On passage, 42s. No quotations for prompt

Barley-May, \$1.50; December, \$1.3214@

Corn-Large yellow, \$1.70@1.75.

Wheat at Scattle. SEATTLE, April 12.—No milling quota-tions. September wheat: Bluestem, \$1.20; red, \$1.10; club, \$1.06. Receipts—Wheat, 7 cars; oats, 17 cars; barley, 14 cars. Wheat at Tacoma.

TACOMA. April 12.—Wheat—Milling, bluestem, \$1.25@1.26; export, bluestem, \$1.20; club; \$1.10; red, \$1.66. Flax at Minneapolis. MINNEAPOLIS, April 12.-Flax closed at

Brakeman's Fall May Be Fatal. PENDLETON, Or., April 12.—(Special.) Dudley Evans, brakeman on an O. R. & N. passenger train, fell from the train

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near Kamela at an early hour this morning. He lay unconscious for several hours before he was found. He is now the hospital here in a serious condi-

GRADING WORK IS RUSHED Union Pacific Has Large Crew Busy

at Elma. ELMA. Wash., April 12.—(Special.)— Work is progressing on the Grays Har-bor branch of the Union Pacific Rail-

bor branch of the Union Pacific Rail-way Company and from now on will be crowded, it is said, as rapidly as possible. Headquarters of the con-tractors are located in this city and a big warehouse here contains the sup-plies for the camps.

A slaughterhouse has been built just outside the town and meat suplled from it is distributed all along the line. Several men have already entered the hospital, some sick and others injured. One employe of the company so far has been killed, through his own negone employe of the company so far has been killed, through his own neglect of falling asleep on the track while drunk and being killed by a passing train of the Northern Pacific Railway Company. So far no disorder has occurred in town from any of the men employed on the works.

MAYOR HOUSTON OUSTED

Junction City Votes to Make Francis A. Saylor Executive.

JUNCTION CITY, Or., April 12.-A recall election was held here Saturday to decide whether Mayor C. P. Houston should be ousted from his position. The vote resulted in the election of Francis A. Saylor as Mayor, by 74 votes to 22 for Houston.

The Council met in adjourned meeting

after the vote was taken. Mayor Houston refused to entertain a motion to receive the election returns. The Council then ignored him, and on motion being put, it ignored him, and on motion being put, it was voted to receive the returns.

Francis A. Saylor has been in the employ of the S. P. since April 15, 1881. He enlisted in Company H. Oregon Infantry, on December 16, 1864, and served in the Eastern Oregon Indian troubles.

COUNTY'S CLASS RAISED Pacific Has Population of 16,231

and Officials Get More Pay. SOUTH BEND, Wash., April 12.-(Spe cial.)—The County Commissioners, now n session, have passed an order raising Pacific County from the 19th to the 15th class, the order being based on the cen-sus, just completed, which gives the county a population of 10,221. The rais-

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ries with it the following raise in salaries of county officials: Auditor, from \$1400 to \$1450; Treasurer, from \$1200 to \$1450; Sheriff, from \$1200 to \$1450; Clerk, from \$1200 to \$1350; Attorney, from \$850 to \$1300. School Superintendent, from \$750 to \$1300. The compensation of Commissioners. Assessor and Engineer commissioners. sessor and Engineer remain as fo

Electric Franchise Granted.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., April 12 .- (Spe-SOUTH BEND, Wash, April 12.—(Special.)—The County Commissioners have granted a franchise to the llwaco General Electric Company, which proposes to light the cities of Ilwaco and Long Beach, and build an electric road from Ilwaco to Stackpole Harbor on Willapa Bay, a distance of about 20 miles.

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