BOSTON, Feb. 21.-Stocks closed as fol-

Money, Exchange, Etc.

APPLES SELL WELL

Volume of Business Shows an Increase.

STOCKS BECOMING SMALL

Strong Prices Are Quoted on All Storage Supplies-Citrus Fruit Quotations Have an Upward Tendency.

Apple buying in the past few days has been on a more active scale. Stocks are steadily decreasing and some varieties are now entirely cleaned out. Prices are very firm throughout the list. A San Francisco mail report says of the apple market

Apple prices are ruling firm, dealers just Apple prices are ruling firm, desions just withdrawing snough stock from the ico-houses to keep the trade supplied. The top quotation was easily obtained for Sig-tier Newtown Pippins, while \$1.50 was the price for four-tier stock. The jatter figure was also the ruling rate for the few lots of Hellfowers that were still available.

The local crange market was strong in apones to firm advices from California

response to firm advices from California and the same applied to lemona.

Vegetable receipts included a car of celegrand cauliflower from Los Angeles and a mixed car of vegetables from San Francisco. No more Los Angeles califlower will be brought up, owing to the high prices. San Francisco cabbage is now arriving and is selling at 1% cents. Asparagis was quoted lower, at 15-615 cents. Hotheuse latinos was in over supply and sold as low as 15 cents a box. as low as \$0 cents a box.

EASTERN MOHAIR MARKET SLUGGISH. Sine Buying Reported in England and

Slow Buying Reperted in Engined and Constantinople.

Present conditions in the Eastern and fareign methal markets are reported by the Reston Commercial Sulician as follows:

The situation is methal follows:

The situation is methal for the week is unchanged from the sluggish condition prevailing both at home and abroad for some weeks and months for that matter. Here wills appear to have about all the hat they need and sales are a rarity. In Engiand and on the Continent, spinners are getting early hand-to-mouth orders according to all advices.

Be far as the supply of raw material in Constantinople is concerned, there is little or neckange, excepting that efferings are slightly lower in valuation. Deciders there still have considerable quantities of hair on hand for which they pall unusually high prices are loth to sell at losses, and so are trying to hasp prices up as much as possible ou extremely limited inquiry and the near approach of a new clip.

Domestic quotations: Bust combing, 869 Efe; good combine, 869 Efe; good combined for white for the follows of the f

BUYERS SCARCE IN WHEAT MARKET. Country Holders Are Still Asking Firm There was no general disposition to buy

in the wheat market yesterday, and the few fealers that were interested quoted weaker prices. Sellers in the country were firm prices. Sellers in the country were and made no concessions.

Oats were firmly held in all quarters.

kinds was insufficient and high prices were quoted. Good hens sold at 16 cents and prings at 18015 casts. A few bruilers have seen received and brought 11 cents a pound been received and brought 11 cents a pound Ducks and geese were slow. There was sems demand for good dressed turkeys. mand good and stecks small.

Eastern Orders for Hops. Several Portland and Salam dealers had orders for hope yesterday, and offered 28 to 28% cents without finding salars. It was reported that a few contracts had

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PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Fred, Etc. WHEAT-Track prices: Bluestem, as m soc; club, siguser; red Russian, sic; Val-ley, siguse; is-fold, siguser. MILLSYUPPS — Eran. \$22.00 per ton; shorts, \$24; middings, \$50; rolled barley, same To.

Million 204; middlings, \$30; rolled barley, \$38,930 FLOUR — Patents, \$4.50 per barrel; straights, \$4.05, exports, \$2.50; Valley, \$4.50; graham, \$4.65; whole wheat, \$4.55 RAY—No, 1 Enatern Oregon timothy, \$17 @18; Na. 1 Valley, \$14.915; alfalfa, \$18; lover, \$31; grain, \$12.915.

COEN—Now, while, \$34; cracked, \$35 OATS-No. I white, \$22933 per ton.

Vegetables and Fruits, TROPICAL FRUITS — Oranges, navels, \$2.75.63; California grapefrust, \$2.50.04; Florita grapefrust, \$2.50.04; Florita grapefrust, \$5.50.05; bananas, \$4.60.05; bananas,

POTATOES-Busing prices: Burbanks, \$16 L25 per hundred; awart potatoes, \$2 per crats. VEGETARLES-Articholes, \$1.25 per dos-

VEGETARILES—Articholms, SLIS per desen; amparagua 15@15s per pound; beans, 15@15s; cabbaga, 150 per pound; cauliflower, 12.15 crate; colory, 56 per crate; fourmbers, SLIS per desan; esg plant, 125d per pound; sarlie, 8@15c per pound; lettuce, 52.75 per crate; bothouse lettuce, 56@75c per bour peppers, 175d per pound; pumplies, 15@25c per pound; radiables, 51d per desen; spinach, 51@1.51 per box; sprouts, 5c; squash, 15@5c per pound; tumatosa, 52.25 per box.
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ONIONS—Assention provings, \$1,81.10 per mick; rainbagas, \$1,81.10; carrots, \$1,91.10; per mick; rainbagas, \$1,91.10; bests, \$1,23, APPLES—Fancy Rooms Heasty, \$2,50 per bax; chaice Bome Heasty, \$2,50 per bax; chaice Bome Heasty, \$2,50 per bax; chaice Bome Heasty, \$2,50 per bax; chaice \$1,25, Whomap, \$2,50; \$1,50; baidwin, \$1,50,92; Hen Davis, \$1,25; Red Cheek Pipplin, extra fancy, \$2,50.

Staple Groceries. BALMON—Columnia Biver, 1-pound talls, \$2.25 per donen, 8-pound talls, \$2.95; 1-pound faits, \$2.56; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, \$2.55.
COFFEE — Reasted, in drums, 26% \$400 mer bound

Peachen steady, with a fair jobbing de-mineral nuts, 14916c; filberts, 14916c; al-imenda, 17921c; pecana, 14c; cercannus, site 651 per doman; chesfinata, 173;c per pound; hickery nuts, 6216c per case; strained heavy, 10c per pound. BALT—Granulated, \$15 per ton; half-ground, 160s/\$8.50 per tan; Nos, 59 per ton, BEANS—Small white, 45c; large white, her, 10.46c; December, 10.45c; Novem-her, 10.46c; December, 10.45c; Novem-

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RICE—No. 1 Japan. Suc: chesper grades.

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4% @So: Southern head. 5% 67c.

SIGAR—Dey granulated. \$4.55; fruit and heavy, \$6.55; start C., \$5.06; powdered, barrels. \$6.55; cutes. heavel., \$2.50.

DEISH PRUITS—Apples. 14c per pound: spricots. 16@15%c; peaches. 13@14c; options. 16@15%c; peaches. 13@14c; options. 16@15%c; diver. 18c; fig. white and black. 6% @7%c; currents. 10@ 11c; raisins. 100ss. Minecated. 6% @7%c; diver. 18c; figs. blacked Thompson. 11%c; unblesched Sultanas. 8%c; reeded. 7% @5%c; dates. Persian. 8%c per pound; Furd. \$1.00 per box.

Dalry and Country Produce. BUTTER-Oregon creamery butter, solid pack, 26c; prints, entra, EGGS-Posh Oregon ranch, candied, 19 @20c per desen.
CHERSE-Oregon, nominal; Wiscousta, dateles, combine.

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FORK-Fancy, 128184c per pound.
VEAL-Fancy, 128184c per pound.
POULTRY-Henn, 15@16c; Springs, 1346
18c; ducks, 17@174c; geeze, 5@16c; turkeys, Ive, 18c; dressed, 20@21c.

Provisions.

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HAMS—10 to 12 pounds 15@15c; 12 to 14 pounds, 15@15c; 16 to 16 pounds, 15@15c; 16 to 18 pounds, 15@15c; 16 to 18 pounds, 15@15c; 16 to 18 pounds, 14% @15%c; shinned, 15c; jonics, 11c; cottage roll, 15c.
LARD—Kettis rendered, theres, 11%c; tabs, 12%c; shortening, thereas, 11%c; tabs, 8%c, 11%c; shortening, thereas, 8%c; tubs, 8%c, 11ACON—Fancy, 26c; standard, 20c; choice, 15%c; English, 15% 216c.

DRT SALT CURRID—Regular short clears, dry salt, 11%c; smoked, 15c; short clear, backs, 12 to 15 pounds, dry salt, 12%c; smoked, 16c; offergon exports, dry salt, 13c; smoked, 15c. Oregon exports, dry salt, 13c; smoked, 14c.

FURN-Portland prices for prime, well-handled skins, according to sizes: Mink, \$498.50; raccom, \$00.981.50; skunk (harrow stripe), \$192; skunk (broad stripe), \$150; the skunk (broad stripe), \$150; the skunk (broad stripe), \$150; red for, \$498.50; marien, \$498.50; beaver, \$498.50; fisher, \$128.20; hadger, \$69.850; the skunk (broad stripe), \$10.914; lynx, \$30.90; registl cata, \$10.914; lynx, \$30.90; registl cata, \$10.900; clvst nat, 10.925c; house cat, \$69.200; mountain lisu, \$5.910; bear, \$79.12.

Linseed Oil and Turpentine.

LINSEED OIL—Pure raw, in barrels, TTo:
boiled, in barrels, Their raw, in cases, \$20;
boiled, in cases, \$40.

TURPENTINE—Cases, TO: wood barrels.

57 LC. PLANSEED OIL MEAL-Per ton, \$44. Hops, Wool and Rides. Heps, West and Hides.

HOPS—Hall crop. Fig325 0; sids, nommal: 1912 contracts, 15 25 c.

MOHAIR—Choice, 20 97 10; per pound.

WOOL—Eastarp Oregnu. 14 21 to per
yound. according to shrdinkags: Valley,
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PELITS—Drs. 11c; humbs, salted, 75 290c;
shart-wool pelts, 65 9 85c; butcher pelts, Jan.
take-eff, 95 25 1.05; Feb. take-off, \$1.169
1.15.

Pirmness pravailed in all departments of the livestock market yesterday. The supply was light and everything was cleaned up by the close of the day. There will be a half holiday at the yards today, the exchange closing at noon.

There was very little done in the cattle division, but most of the offerings were first-class and brought top prices. M. C. Hall, of Ridgefield, Wash, shipped in half a dozen steers that sold for \$4.50, a cow that brought \$3.50, and two builts that sold for \$4.50.

Hogs sold freely at \$6.55 to \$4.75.

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Omaha Livestock Market. OMAHA Feb. 21.—Cattle—Heceipis, 4500, sarket stronger. Native steers, \$5.20 &T. 80, own and heiders, \$5.25 &T. Western tores, \$40 &To. Texas steers, \$3.75 &5.20, ange cows and heiders, \$2.34 &5.5; canners, \$60 & 5.65 & 5.75 &

53.75@ 5.25.

Hogs.—Receipts, 15.800; market, 5c higher. Heavy. 55.16@ 6.25; mixed. \$6.96.16; light. \$5.75@ 6.15; pdgs. \$4.50@ 5.75; bulk of falca. \$5.96@ 6.16; hood; market, steady. Yearlings. \$4.65@ 5.25; wethers. \$5.75@ 4.25; ewes. \$5.93.55; lambs. \$5.10@ 6.25.

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CHICAGO, Fob. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 14.—

000; market, steady to shade higher Beeves, 14.70@8.50; Texas steers, 24.50@5.65; Western steers, 34.50@5.65; Western steers, 34.50@7.50chors and feeders, 38.50@6.10; cows shell helfers, \$2.26.40; cuives, 45.50@7.775;

Hogs—Receipts, 42.000; market, 5c to 10c higher. Light, \$5.90@6.77½; mixed, \$5.50@6.25½; heavy, \$5.90@6.35; rungh, \$5.90@6.10; pigs. \$4.30@6; bulk of sales, \$6.15@6.20;

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; market, shade higher for best, others steady. Native, \$0.00 @4.75; Western, \$0.00@4.80; yearlings, \$4.80 @5.75; lambs, sative, \$4.00@0.55; Western \$4.75@6.90.

Coffee and Sagar.

NHW YORK, Feb. 21.—Coffee futures closed steady at a not acrance of from eight to ill points. Sales, 03,000 bags. February, 12,32c; March, 13,53c; April, 13,56c; March, 13,53c; April, 13,46c; August, 13,45c; September, 13,46c; October, 13,41c; November, 13,59c; December, 12,38c; January, 12,57c.

Spot coffee, steady; Rio No. 7, 13%c; Santos No. 4, 15%c. Mild coffee, dult; Cordova, 15% 217%c. nominal.

Raw sugar, firm: muscovado, 89 test, 2,40c; centriugal, 96 test, 4,50c; molasses sugar, 89 test, 4,55c. Refined, firm.

Dried Fruit at New York. Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Peb. 21.—Evaporated apples, quiet and prices easy in sympathy with the markets up-state. On the spot, fancy are quoted at 95 \$10505c; cheics. St. 59 %c: prime, Systic.

Pransa, weak and demoralized under forced selling by speculators. Quotations range from 4% \$12%c for California up to 20-80% and 8% \$12%c for Oregons.

Prachez, sleady, with a fair jobbing demand and small offerings; choice, \$15 \$15%c; extra choice, \$15 \$12%c.

Prices Decline on Moderate Volume of Business.

BULK OF SALES IN READING

Harrimans Lower on Rumors of Decreased Earnings-London Again a Borrower of Call Money. Bonds Are Steady.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The stock market was under pressure today. Business in mederate velume, and such sotivity as was shown was largely at the expense of quoted values.

Some of the day's events adduced as causes contributing to the decline include the speech of Colonel Reservelt on the recell in President Taft's home state, a disserver for the fluston Tex., and rather peasimistic views attributed to the head of a leading coal-carrying road.

Deallings in Reading comprised about 50 per cent of the lotal sales, the stock scoring a net loss of 25 points.

Harriman stocks were sold by the professional element to the accompaniment of rumors that earnings of the Union Pacine and Seuthern Pacine for January, soon to be published, are likely to prove dimpointing, while the Hill issues probably declined in sympathy with the general movement.

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i per cent, a natural corollary of the
high discount at home, As a matter of
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the Chicago Market.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC CLOGGED

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Money on call, steady, 24.024 per cent; ruling rate, 24; closing bid, 24; offered at 24.
Tirac leans firm, 60 days 24, per cent; 90 days, 8 per cent; six menths, 24.08% per cent; Decline in Offerings at Northwestern Points-Sellers of Oats Are Scarce.

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Prime mercantile paper, 3% 64 per cent.
Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.8450 for 60 days and at \$4.6750 for domain.
Commercial bills, \$4.83%.
Bar silver, 5856c.
Mexican dollars, 47c.
Government bonds trregular; railroad bonds steady. LONDON, Feb. 21.—Bar sliver, steady, 27 1-16d. Monay, 3½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 25-52 8-16 per cent; for threamonths' bills, 3 7-16-235 per cent. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Sterling on ondon, 60 days, \$4.51%; do. sight, \$4.57%. Drafts, sight, 2%c; telegraph, 3c.

SAN FRANCISCO PRODUCE MARKET. Prices Quoted at the Bay City for Vege-tables, Fruits, Etc. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—The following produce prices were current here to-

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Butter—Fancy creamery, 84c.

Eggs—Store, 19%c; fancy ranch, 20c.

Cuscos—169 lbc.

Culcos—52.25 9 2.50.

Guide—82.25 9 2.50.

Fruit—Apples, choice, \$1.25; common, 85c;

Mexicar limes, 85.96; California lemona
choice, \$4.50; cemmon, \$2; naval oranges
81.06 9 1.75; pineapples, \$2 9 3.50.

Millesuffs—Bran, \$24.00 9 24.50; middings,
\$31.934.

Potatocs—Oregon Burbanks, \$1.456 1.80;

Salina Burbanks, \$1.80 9 2; river Burbanks,
\$1.40 9 1.60; sweets, \$1.75 9 1.

Hay—Wheat, \$150 20; creat and cata
\$150 18.50; affairs, \$11 9 15.50.

Vegetables—Cucumhers, \$1.25 \$1.50; garlic, 24 9 3c; green pens, 46 12 be; siring
beans, nominal; asparagus, 79 11c; tomerces, nominal; erg piant, 15 9 20c.

Reccipts—Flour, 4600 quarter sacks;
wheat, 1935 centals; potatoss, 4700 sacks; bran,
285 ancks; hay, 420 tons; wool, 67 bales.

NEW YORK, Peb. 21.—Standard copper steady; spot, 148124:10c; February, 14.07 14.12 14.07 1 Metal Mackets,

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 21.—Lead, firm, 4c; spelter, strong, 6,00c.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Butter—Steady. Creameries, 24@27c; dairies, 21@25c. Eggs—Receipts 4806 cases. Firm at mark, cases included, 26@28c; ordinary firsts, 28 @25c; firsts, 25c. Cheese—Steady. Daisles, 17%@17%c; twins, 15%@17c; Young Americas, 17%@ 17%c; long horns, 17%@17%c.

Duluth Flax Market. DULUTH, Feb. 21.—Closet Linseed in store, on track, to arrive, \$2.04; February \$2.02%; May, \$2.05.

COMPANIES ARE WARNED

Liable to Fines.

Colonel David M. Dunne, United States Collector of Internal Revenue, has given his last warning to corporations regarding the filing of returns under the provisions of the Federal corporation tax law. The filing period expires March 1 and as the act carries a penalty for non-compliance that admits of a fine of from \$1000 to \$5000, Colonel Dunne says lenlency will not be shown.

"This act applies to all corporations, "This act applies to all corporations, including those of a benevolent and mutual ald character, but, of course,

some are exempt from taxation, yet that does not exclude them from filing their returns," said Colonel Dunne yesterday. "When the act went into effect the department made concessions in some cases, it being assumed that all did not understand the law or appreciate its importance but there may preciate its importance, but there may be serious consequences this year, as about one-third of the corporations in this district shave not forwarded re-turns. There were about 1500 delin-quents during 1910 and 1911, but there will be no plea of ignorance or mis-understanding accepted this lime." As the Custom-House will be closed today, corporation executives will have one week in which to get their re-turns into the revenue office and a rush is expected by the clerical force.

TICKET SELLER AROUSED

Stranger Tries to Buy Beer at Counter in Harriman Office.

Fred Wright, chief clerk of the San Francisco & Portland Steamship Com-pany, says he has been mistaken by prespective passengers for various peronages connected with the company, out the blow that aroused his ire fell resterday afternoon when a man who and arrived too late to catch the steamr Beaver, sailing at 4 o'clock, entered he main office and, approaching the sighly polished odunter, placed 10 cents

n its shiny surface and said: "Gimme a beer." "Gimme a beer." It was apparent to the office force that the applicant for refreshment was steaming under forced draught and a highly bruised port optic betokened that he had doaded liquid cargo at other ports of call. He could not be made to understand that the Harriman interests did not dispense joy water and Wright was not a bartender and it required the tact of Harbormaster Speier to help him stand off on an-Speler to help him stand off on an-other course. He was turned over to a patroliman and headed for jall to be drydocked.

Boosters to Hear Report. The South Portland Boosters will hold their regular weekly meeting to-night at St. Lawrence Hall, Third and Sherman streets, when the joint com-mittee from the Fulton Park Improve-ment Club and the Boosters will prement Club and the Boosters will pre-sent an exhaustive report on the South Portland Boulevard. This committee has devoted much time in assisting the Mayor to stain options on the land necessary for the completion of this boulevard, and their report will be of interest to the members of the club and their friends. Councilman Joy will be present to speak on the telephone franchises.

Corn Leads in the Advance in

Wheat Also Receives Strength From

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Corn today led an advance in all the principal staple on change. Storm-clogged rallway facilities were chiefly responsible.

Snow whirfing incessantly in full view of every speculator on the floor, with the tickers tolling of 5,000,000 bushels of corn on track here, held back by switching difficalties, furnished ample suggestion for the development of sentiment in favor of a strong upturn in the price of corn. In addition, the big charts on the bulletin beards showed that the storm extended for hundreds of miles through the producing belt. This was interpreted to mean a necessity for unusual feeding to form animals and implied, too, a check to country marketing.

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Besides being infinenced by the cornbulge, wheat received strength from Northwest advices that rural receipts were beginning to dwindle. The help from the snow
to the Winter crop further south was regarded as having been taken into account

yesterday. Some scarce in the cats crowd. Frices followed corn.
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Packers bought provisions, apparently deeming conditions, especially as to grain, auspicious for a lift all around.
The leading futures ranged as follows:

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May 8.55 July 8.67% Bept 8.75	8.57	8.55	8.62% 8.62% 8.77%
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Cash quotations were as follows:
Plour-Barely steady.
Rye-No. 2, 21c.
Barley-Feed or mixing, 35@97c; fair to choice mailing, \$1.15@1.27.
Timethy seed—\$11@1.27.
Timethy seed—\$11@1.50.
Clover seed—\$11@21.50.
Pork-Mess. new, \$15.50; old, \$15.25.
Lard-In Heroes, \$5.75.
Bhort sibe-Loose, \$2.75.
Grain statistics:
Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to \$24.000 bushels. Frimary receipts were \$75,600 bushels. Estimated receipts for fomorrow: Wheat, 62 cars; corn, 375 cars; outs, 152 cars; hogs, \$1,000 head.

European Grain Markets LONDON, Feb. 21.—Cargoes, duli, Walla Walla for shipment, 87s 3d. English country markets, easy; French country markets, heliday.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 21. - Wheat - March, 7s 10d; Msy, 7s 4%d; July, 7s 4%d. Weather, cloudy. Minneapolis Grain Market MINNEAPOLIS, Peh. 21.—Wheat—May, \$1.04%; July, \$1.05% @ 1.05%. Cash: No. 1 hard, \$1.05; No. 1 Northern, \$1.04%; No. 2 Northern, \$1.00@1.02%; No. 2 wheat, \$1.00@1.00%.

Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21 .- Wheat-

Corporations Not Filing Returns 60 per cental. Barley-Feed, \$1.87% @1.90 per cental; brawing, nominal.
Onte-Red, \$1.70@1.55 per cental; white,
\$1.75@1.80; black, \$1.60@1.80.
Call board sales-Wheat-May, \$1.60 per
cental; December, \$1.61 saked.
Burley-December, \$1.52 per cental; May,
\$1.87.

Poget Sound Grain Markets, TACOMA, Feb. 21.—Wheat—Bluestem, 86 USTc; fortyfold, 85 U86%c; club, 86c; red Russian, 84c. Beceipts, wheat 18 cars; cats and hay, 1 car each.

SEATTLE, Feb. 21.—Wheat—Blueste Sac; fortyfold, Souc; club, Souc; Fr Souc; red Russian, Souc, Yesterday's ; receipts, wheat 14, cats 3, hay 6, flour corn 1, barley 1.

SHY JURORS MISS HOLIDAY Because They Fail to Ask "Day Off"

They Must Serve Today.

If any member of the jury now sit-ting in the United States Federal Court that is trying the Holbrook and Atichi-son land fraud case had suggested to Judge Bean that today was Washington's birthday and requested a holiday, the request would have been granted. Judge Bean did not know until after court was adjourned that the jurors had any such wish or he said he would have allowed a holiday. When court opened yesterday Deputy District Attentors Measure was asked. District Attorney Maguire was asked by the court how much longer it would take the Government to present its case and it was said that one more day would be sufficent. The

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