## TOP MOHAIR PRICE

Lane County Growers Receive 323-4 Cents.

HAS 1700 POUNDS

No Auction Sale at Dallas This Year, Eastern and British Markets Are Firmer - Turkey and Germany Use Asiatic Hair.

The best price reported paid this year

Account.

Opinions and interests involved are so centileting at the moment that one has no little difficulty in determining the exact position of the wool market, may the Boston Commercial Eulistin.

On certain wools, there is still a downward tendency apparent in the absence of oven a moderate demand, while in other instances, motably with foreign wools, the market is certainly no lower and some wools can hardly be bought as cheaply as they could a week or 10 days ago; certainly, they are no cheaper.

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The bulk of the week's business has been on mill account, but certain dealers, even though they already have more or less Australian wools in stack, or purchased to arrive, have corralled some more of these wools as a matter of speculation.

BITTER WILL BE LOWER TODAY

Decline of 2½ Cests in City Creamery Will Take Effect.

Local butter prices will be reduced 2½ cents a pound today. The make is increasing and the flush season is near at hand, but lotal treamery men did not expect the market to drop for several days yet. The sudden decline was brought about by the stacking of prices at Seattle, where a large surplus is reported to have accumulated. Prints sold in Seattle as low as 24 cents pestorday. The local quotation on prints in SAVANNAH, Ga., April 14.—Turpenime, EAVANNAH, Ga., April 14.—Turpenime, SAVANNAH, Ga., April 14.—Turpenime, SAVANNAH

STRAWBERRIES, COME UNEXPECTEDLY Car of Fine Louisiana Fruit Is Received and

Sells Quickly.

A carload of Louisiana berries arrived un expectedly yesterday morning. Half the tar was unloaded and the remainder sent to Scattle. The berries were an exception-ally good delivery and sold quickly at \$3.73

a crate.

There was a good cleanup of California asparagus and the market was firmer, at \$1,75@2 a crate for the best. Hood River asparagus, on the other hand, was more plentiful and lower at \$1,91.15 a dozen. Local rhubarb also cleaned up for the first time in over a week. Prices quoted were 1% and 1% cents a pound. Other regetables were unchanged.

Walker Mohair Brings Good Price Walker Mehair Brings Good Frice.
COTTAGE GROVE, Or., April 14—(Special.)—Seventeen hundred pounds of mohair has been sold at Walker at UP\$ cents per pound. This was a pool made up by farmers of that neighborhood. There are usually about 16,000 pounds sold in this section. None has been sold except that disposed of at Walker.

The best price reported paid this year fer Ofregon mohair is \$2% cents, which was a pool made up by farmore for Ofregon mohair is \$2% cents, which was a pool made up by farmore of that neighborhood. There are usually about 150,000, pounds sold in this section, in Southern Lane County. The pool was a small one and contained about 1700 pounds.

The next sale of importance will be held at Scio on April 19. In former years the largest pool has been that of Polk County strowers, but a large part of the hart this year has already been sold, and H. L. Fenton segmently no auction. The date for the Lebanon sale has not yet been fixed, but if the Lebanon sale has not yet been fixed, but if the Lebanon sale has not yet been fixed, but if the Lebanon sale has not yet been fixed, but if the Lebanon sale has not yet been fixed, but if the local markets are in a firm position, accordingto the Boston Commercial Bulletin, which says:

"Business in the local market is not too pleutiful, but dealers find a mir demand for the moderate stocks which can be sold. New Texas slips have brought in the neighborhood of 32 cents for original hair of good condition and staple. Foreign steeks in deslers' hands are light, but prices are firm, "The demand for mohalr in Yorkshaire seems to be increasing slightly, as the relative cheapness of the material becomes realised more and us experiments show the possibilities of blending or using the material to advantage at the moment, "Advices from South Africa indicate a keems interced in the new oftp and some farms, at constantinople, and has also also also not seem thereof the fortuight.

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trol of wheat experts in view of the certainty that there would be widespread agrant or income in Northern India if the provious price levels were to be maintained, and applauds the wisdom of the Government in assuming entire control of the expert traffic. At the same time it is realized that the details of the scheme are of paramount importance, and when these are disclosed lively criticism is probable.

"The few who protest against any interference with the trade, demanding that India should profit by the high prices the world is prepared to give for her wheat, do not appreciate the certainty that there would be grain riots if the Government had not taken action."

BEANS—Smail white, 6½c; large white, 6½c; plink, 5gde; Mccican, 6½c. Suyu. 6½c. powderd, 6½c. SUGAR — Fruit and berry, \$6.70; beet, \$8.69; extra C, \$5.20; powderd, in harrels, \$6.90; extra C, \$5.20; powderd, \$1.50 per ton; 64.90; extra C, \$5.20; powderd, \$1.50 per ton; 64.90; \$1.90, \$1.90, \$1.90, \$1.90; \$1.90, \$1.90; \$1

can hardly be bought as cheaply as they could a week or 10 days ago; certainly, they are no cheaper.

Foreign wools have had the call again beyond the persedventure of a doubt, a fairly good turnover being reported. Domestic wools have been in demand to a limited extent, in the way of plecing-out orders but buyers are taking foreign wool where they have a chance to show their preference. In other words, buyers are operating in the

restorday. The local quotation on prints in box lots will be 13 cents. Creamery cubes will sell at 71622 cents. Some business at the former figure was done restorday.

The eag market was fairly steady. Jobbing sales were made on the street at 15 cents. case count. Storers bought in the country on the basis of 17 and 17% cents.

# The produce was in moderate supply and mehanged in price. Poultry was steady, ork was firm and yeal dragged.

Investment Buying Is Feature of Stock Trading.

MARKET IS BROAD

Railway Issues and Coppers Are in Strong Demand-New Haven One-Year Notes Rise to Premium.

NEW YORK. April 14.—Trading in the stock market today again exceeded 1,000,000 stares, with a continuance of the strength and breadth which have been its most prominent recent features.

Bethlehem Steel, which caused much apprehension on the preceding day because of its wild movements, was far less conspicuous joday, although it made a 20-point gain to 140 in the first 10 minutes, only to less much of its advantage later. It closed at 182, a net gain of 8 points.

By far the greatest part of the day's advance was made in the forenoon, dealings in that short period aggregating 600,000 shares. All leading issues, as well as two sore semi-active and obscure stocks, chared more or less equally in the rise, which was subject to frequent interruptions on profitaking and moderate renewal of bear contracts.

The railway list in part, and all coppers. NEW YORK, April 14,-Trading in

The railway list, in part, and all coppers The railway list, in part, and all coppers, as well as some of the better-known equipments and utilities, broke into new high grounds, their advance being again ascribed in many quarters to purchase by commission-houses acting for out-of-town clients. United States Steel led all apeculative favorites as to volume of individual transactions. United States Steel's relative heavings was coincident with the publication of the weekly trade review, which stated in substance that the steel industry was not measuring up to the scale of prosperity attributed in some quarters, although an encouraging view was taken of the expert traging view was taken of the expert

more.

An index to the sound investment domand was found in the keen demand for the New Haven one-year notes, which rose to a combine.

Total sales of stocks amounted to 1,030,20 chares.

Bends were again irregular, speculative is auso showing further heaviness. Total sale par value, aggregated \$4,600,000. Unite States bonds were unchanged on call.

"Buriness in alpaca has been limited on	The state of the s	march botton were muramingen on carry	
account of small stocks, but some holders	@2.75 per box; lemons, \$3.00@3.75 per box;	CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.	
are saking more money and have refused	I DEBUTER. C. C. DOL BOULDS BIRTHER OF A STATE	Sules High Low, Bid.	100
recent prevailing prices for interiors,	4.50; pineapples, 75 #8c per pound; tanger-	Cloning	5 2
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chusetts during Murch were 721,267 pounds,	VEGETABLES - Cucumbers, hothouse,	Amer Can 26,300 361 34% 35%	68
valued at \$203,922, compared with 201,041	\$4.50 per crate: cauliflower, 75c@\$1.25 per	Am Sm & Refg. 14,600 13 71% 71%	1 2
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	\$4.50 per crate; cauliflower, 75c@\$1.25 per	Am Tel & Tel . 2,100 120% 120 120 Am Tobacco	482
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The second secon	dozen; head lettuce, \$2.25 per crate; hot-	Atchison 2,300 1031 1021 1025	8
WHEAT IS HIGHER WITH CHICAGO	house lettuce, 75c@\$1 per box; spinach.	Balt & Ohio 10,100 774 76% 76%	
The state of the s	So per pound; rhuburb, 1 1 01 1 c per pound;	Br Rap Trans. 4,200 97% 91% 91%	
* Local Buyers Take on May Rather Than	separagus, \$1.50 @ \$2 per box; eggplant,	Cal Petroleum, 4,000 16% 15% 16	
Prompt Delivery.	30c per pound; peas, 7@8c per pound.	Can Pacific 5.200 170 4 165 5 168 5	4
	over per pounts, pean, 1 g ac per per per	Cent Louther., 6,900 38% 37% 37%	
There were four sules of May wheat at	GREEN FRUITS-Strawberries, \$3.75 per	Ches & Ohlo 1.600 47 46 465	
the Merchants' Exchange yesterday at prices	crate; apples, 50c@\$1.50 per box; eranber-	Ch  Ge West 300 42% 12% 12%	
15 to 3 cents above Tuesday's bids. The	ries. \$11@12 per barrel.	C M & S4 P 3.800 98% 92% 92%	
	POTATOES-Oregon, \$1.35@1.50 per sack; Washington, \$1,25@1.50; Idaho, \$1.50; new	Chi & Northw. 200 130 130 120 2	610
market seemed to be entirely influenced by	Washington, \$1,20@1.50; Idano, \$1.50, new	Chino Copper 16,300 44 4 43 44	E
the course of prices at Chicago. In the	potatoes, sepsc per pound, aweer potatoes,	Colo F & 1 3.100 32 h 31% 32%	467
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a fear that world's reserves would be wiped	ONIONS - Oregon, selling price, the per	D & R G 8	
out before the new crop comes. This and	sack, country points; California, jobbing	do pfd	
that before rice new cloth changes was some	price, \$1.75 per crate.		45
other manipulative tactics resulted in ad-	SACK VEGETABLES-Carrots, \$1,50 per	Gen Electric 8,500 150% 140 147%	100
vances ranging up to 6 cents at Chicago.	suck; beets, \$1.50 per sack; parsnips, \$1.25	Gr North pfg. 2,600 12015 110% 120	
The local market as a consequence was		Gr Nor Ore etfs. 21,400 40% 30% 30%	B
firmer, but there was no cause for excite-	1	Guggenheim Ex. 6,900 58% 57% 57%	F
	Dairy and Country Produce.	Illinois Central 108	a
ment. The exchange sales were as follows:	Local jobbing quotations:	Inter Met pfd 24,800 73% 70% 72%	
5000 bushels May bluestem	EGGS-Fresh Oregon ranch, case count,	Inspiration Cop. 15,700 31 1 30 1 30 5	ans.
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5000 bushels May club L.29	POTEL CRY-Hens, 15% in lact brotlers, 250	h C Southern, 20	r
5000 bushels May Russian 1.23	Title: frvers Ism 20c: turkeys, dressed, 28	Lehigh Valley 142% 141% 141%	it
Bids for prompt delivery of white wheat	# 23c; live, Pow 19c; ducks, 12@15c; geese,	L & Nashville. 400 122 120 1 120 Mex Petroleum. 23.700 80 75% 7914	or pac
were a cent higher than the day before, and	@tic.	Mex Petroleum, 23,700 80 75% 70% Miami Copper, 12,600 25% 24% 25	P
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cent lower.	than case lots: embes, 214822C.	Missouri Pacific 16% 15% 15% 15% National 1Bsourt 120%	3
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and seem to be in sound position. These		Nevada Copper. 6.200 15% 14% 14%	La.
	land: Young Americas, 15 to per pound.	N Y Central 5,100 88 87 87%	HI B-SC
cereals are in constant local demand, where-	VEAL-Fancy, 11 % @ 12c per pound,	N Y Central 5,100 88 87 87% N Y, N H & H. 3,500 62 60% 615 Nor & West 500 104% 104% 104%	b
as buyers of wheat frequently find it diffi-	PORK-Block, 9% @100 per pound.	Nor & West 500 104% 104% 104%	1.1
cult to place their purchases, as the export		Nor Pacific 2,500 100% 108% 108%	а
frade is at a standstill and coast millers	Staple circeeries,	Pacific Mail . 600 234 22 234	100
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are out of the market.	Local jobbing quotations:	Pennsylvania 1.700 100 4 109 100 %	
A special meeting of the Merchants' Ex-	SALMON - Columbia River one - pound	Pull Pal Car 3 3 75%	
change Association will be held at 11:30	talls, \$2.30 per dogen; half-pound flats,	Ray Con Cop 14,700 22% 21% 22%	e.
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trade in futures.		Rep Iron & St. 5.400 26% 25% 26	11
	HONEY-Choice, \$3.25 per case.	Rock Isl Co 1,200 % % % %	1 43
A Bombay correspondent of the London	NUTS-Walnuts, 15 @ 24c per pound; Bra-	de pid	1000
Times writes as follows: "Informed opinion		Southern Ry 200 18% 18% 18%	ti
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and applauds the wisdom of the Govern-	te sa: cubes, barrels, \$7.10.	West Union 10,100 67% 65% 67%	l ban
ment in assuming entire control of the ex-	SAIT-Granulated, \$15.00 per ton; Date	West Elec 16,100 79% 78 78%	
port traffic. At the same time it is realized	ground, 100s, \$10.75; ptr ton; 50s, \$11.50 per	Mont Power 400 55 51% 52	1
that the details of the scheme are of para-	ton; Gairy, \$14 per ton.	Total sales for the day, 1,078,800 shares.	
	RICE-Southern head, 614 @6%c; broken,	BONDS,	1
mount importance, and when these are dis-	4c per pound; Japan style, 5@5%c.		
closed lively criprism is probable,	DRIED FRUITS - Apples, c per pound;	U S Ref 2s, reg. 98% N Y C G 3%s 80 do coupon 98% Nor Pac 3s 64%	T
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world is prepared to give for her wheat, do	Persian, 10c per pound; fard, \$1.65 per box;	Action and the second s	n
	currants, 8% @12c.	Manage Probange Fits	1822

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Mercantile paper,
316 \$3% per cent.

Sterling exchange steady, 60-day bills
\$4.7050; for cables, \$4.7950; for demand,
\$4.7958.

4.7825.

Bar aliver, 49%c.

Mexican dollars, 38c.
Government bonds steady; railroad bonds regular.

Time loans, strong; 60 and 96 days, 2% 95 per cent; six months, 315. Call money, firm; high, 2% per cent; low, %; ruling rate, 2%; last loan, 2%; closing id, 2%; offered at 2%.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—Drafts, sight 04: do telegraph, 07. Sterling, 69 days \$4.76%; demand, \$4.79%; cable, \$4.80%. LONDON, April 14.—Bar silver, 23%d pe-unce. Money, 1% 31% per cent. Discoun-ates, shert bills, 3 per cent; three months

## **MUTTON STOCK HIGHER**

LAMBS AND SHEEP ADVANCE QUARTER AT YARDS.

Three Loads of Steers Moved at \$7.35-Top Price Bid for Hogs Is \$7.50.

The feature of the livestock market was the quarter advance in sheep sud lambs, which comprised the larger part of the day's arrivals. The best lambs were taken at \$0.50 and choice yearling wethers sold at TURPENTAL.

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Three loads of steers were offered and all went at \$7.35. The best price buyers would pay for hogs was \$7.50.

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Omaha Livestock Market,
SOUTH MAHA, April 14. Hogs Recelpin 11.060, lower, heavy, \$6.9097.09;
light, \$6.9587.05; pigs, \$5.7588.75; bulk of
clast \$6.8587.00.
Cattle—Receipts, \$700 les. \$6.55@7.00.

Cattle Receipts, 3700, steady. Native cers, \$6.75@6.40; cows and helfers, \$5.25@23; Western steers, \$6.20@7.80; Texas cern, \$6.00@7.30; cows and helfers, \$5.00@7.50; calves, \$7.00@10.00.

Sheep-Receipts, \$500, steady, Yoarlings, 500.00.25; wethers, \$7.75@8.50; lambs, \$500.00.25; wethers, \$7.75@8.50; lambs, \$500.00.25.

Chicago Livestock Market. Chicago Livestock Market,
CHICAGO, April 14.—Hogs—Receipts. 28,000. steady to 5e, under yesterday's average
Bulk, \$7.25@77.35; light, \$7.10@77.30; mixed,
\$7.05@77.45; heavy, \$6.80@7.40; rough, \$6.80
@6.95; pigs, \$6.00@6.90,
Cattle—Receipts, 16,000, casy. Native
stears, \$6.00@8.70; Western steers, \$5.50@8.71
7:40; cows and helfers, \$2.80@8.00; calves,
\$5.50@8.00.
Sheep—Receipts, 12,000, weak, Sheep, \$7.40
@8.40; lambs, \$7.73@10.50.

Coffee Futures.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The market for coffee futures opened 1 point higher to 5 points lower and sold about 2 to 5 points not lower during the early trading under May liquidation and offerings of later deliveries through houses with European connections. May longs seemed able to switch freely from that position to later months at the provailing differences, however, and the market later firmed up on covering and trade buying with the close 5 to 6 points not higher. Sales, 42,000 bags. April, 5,38c; May, 5,58c; June, 6c; July, 7,10c; August, 7,17c; September, 7,28c; December, 7,30c; August, 7,17c; September, 7,38c; December, 7,40c; January, 7,47c; February, 7,58c; March, 7,68c.

Spot steady; Rio No. 7, 7%c; Santos No. 4, 10%c.

Cost and freight offers were steady, ranging from about 7,30c to 7,48c for Rio 7s and from 10,35c to 10,75c for Santos 4s.

Rio exchange on London was 1-18d lower.

Milreis prices were unchanged.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Tin, unsettled; five-ton lota, 550c bid; offened at 650c. Copper five electrolytic, 16.50@16.62c; Casting, 16.00@16.52c; Iron quiet and unchanged. Lead, casy, 4.15@4.20. Speiter, nominal. Chicago Dairy Produce.

CHICAGO, April 14. — Butter — Lower. Creamery, 22@30½c. Eggs-Higher. Recoipts, 21.881 cases; at mark, cases included, 15@19½c; ordinary firsts, 15@15½c; firsts, 19@19½c. Minacapolis Grain Markets.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 14.—Wheat—May, \$1.525; July, \$1.47%; No. 1 hard, \$1.58%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.545; £1.55%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.49% £\$1.55%;

Barley, 66.374c. Flax, \$1.91% @1.94%. New York Sugar Market, NEW YORK, April 14.—Raw augar, firm, entrifugal, 4.70c; molasses sugar, 5.05c. Re-ined, steady.

Dried Fruit at New York YORK, April 14.—Evaporated ap-ifet. Prunes, neglected, Peaches, du

Cotton Market. NEW YORK, April 14.—Spot cotton, quiet aid-uplands, 10.15c; no sales.

INVESTORS' FAITH GAINING

1085%
647%
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784%
Confidence Despite War.

### RAIN GLADDENS FARMERS May ...... 10.07 10.15 10.05 10.27

Wasco Precipitation Exceeds Norma and Good Crops Assured.

The farmers of Wasco County are rejoicing over another half inch of rain, which fell Tuesday night, according to H. S. Chamberlain, a merchant of Wasco. The sverage rainfall in the county is only nine inches a year and each inch added to that means dollars.

"The outlook for crops is splendid this year, as there has been ten inches of rain already since September," says Mr. Chamberlain. "The high prices paid for grain assures good times, as a bumper crop is bound to result. Wasco County has good roads. The soil is tilled alternately for best results; the ground used this year for raising grain being allowed to lie idle next year. Wasco will send a special train to the Celilo Canal celebration May 5."

CLARKE FIGHTS BROWN ROT Plant Disease Expert Testing Sprays

on One Orchard.

VANCCOUVER, Wash., April 14 .-VANCCOUVER, Wash., April 14.—
(Special.)—C. F. Fisher, plant disease expert, is in Clarke County working on the brown rot, which annually destroys several fortunes in prunes in this

county alone.

He has selected 200 prune trees on the
A. W. Moody farm, at Felida, and 150
pear trees there. He has visited most
of the larger orchards in the county of the larger orchards in the county and talked with the fruit growers about the disease. Spring plowing destroys the toadstools, which later dry, burst and the powder carried in the air finally falls upon the calyx of the prune blossom, injuring it.

Various kinds of sprays at different times of the year are being tested on

Advance Offering

## Portland Railway, Light & Power Co.

2-Year 5% Gold Notes

Dated May 1, 1915.

Due May 1, 1917.

Coupon Notes in Denomination of \$1000 Each. Interest Payable Semi-Annually.

Guarantee Trust Company, New York City, Trustee

These notes are a direct obligation of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company and are secured by collateral deposited with the Trustee, the par value of which is twice the amount of the Note Issue. The Portland Railway. Light & Power Company has outstanding \$25,000,000 capital stock, 75% paid up, leaving \$6,250,000 in cash which can be assessed on the stock, or 11/4 times the principal of this Note Issue.

The surplus earnings of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company for the year 1914 amounted to over four times the annual interest on this issue of \$5,000,000 Notes.

A safe and profitable short-time investment

YIELDING BETTER THAN 6%

Descriptive circular containing detailed information furnished upon request.

### **Morris Brothers**

Railway Exchange Building, Portland.

Scramble by Shorts Sends

CHICAGO PIT IS EXCITED

July 1.0.37 10.47 10.37 10.42

Cash prices were:
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.57½ \$1.55½; No. 2
hard, nominal.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 6 yellow.

Tink \$72% C; No. 4 white, 72% \$73c.

Rye—No. 7. \$1.16.

Barley—72 \$80c.

Timothy—\$4.50 \$6.25.

Clover—\$4.32 \$12.50.

Clover—\$5.35 \$12.50.

Clearances—Wheat, 262,000 bushels; corn.

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188,000 bushels; cats, \$7.900 bushels; flour,

Roseburg May Get Napa Factory.

ROSEBURG, Or. April 14—(Special.)

Foreign Grain Markets, LONDON, April 14.—Cargoes en passage

Wheat at St. Louis.

Grain at San Francisco,

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—Spot quotations, nominal, Walla Walla, \$2.27½ @2:30
per cental; red Hussian, \$2.25@2.27½ per
cental; Turkey rod, \$2.20@2.27½; bluestem, \$2.25@2.40 per cental,

Barley—Feed, \$1.27½ @1.30 por cental,
Oats—White, \$1.77½ @1.50 per cental,
Bran-\$46.00@27.00 per ton,

Midlings—\$32.00@23.00 per ton,
Shorts—\$37.90@28.00 per ton,
Call board—Barley, December, \$1.29 per
cental; May, \$1.33 per cental. Grain at San Francisco

Puget Sound Grain Market

TACOMA, April 14 — Wheat—Bluestem \$1.29; forty-fold, \$1.26; club, \$1.25; red fife, \$1.29. Car receipts—Wheat 10, hay 4.

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LIVERPOOL April 14.—Options not quot-ed. Cash wheat, %d to 1d higher. Corn %d to 1d higher. PARIS, April 14.-Cash wheat and flour,

ST. LOUIS, April 14.—Whent closed: May, \$1.54% bid; July, \$1.25%.

Fuget Sound train market.

SEATTLE. April 14.—Wheat—Bluestem,
\$1.31; forty-fold, \$1.25; club, \$1.27; fife,
\$1.26; red Russian, \$1.22;
\$1.26; red Russian, \$1

Roseburg Club Seeking Cannery

not the powder carried in the air finally falls upon the calyx of the prune blossom, injuring it.

Various kinds of sprays at different times of the year are being tested on the Moody farm.

In the schools of Australia bexing has been introduced as regular exercise for schoolboys.

ROSEBURG, Or., April 14.—(Special.)

—At a meeting of the Commercial Club last night, a move was inaugurated to establish a cannery in Douglas County.

J. V. Colt. of Eugene, who passed the day inspecting the cannery at Green, reported that the plant could be placed in operation for \$1000. This cannery

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RIDGEFIELD, Wash., April 14.— (Special.)—The H. J. Potter saw mill at this place is working about to its fullest capacity turning lumber and ties, the latter of which it is cutting on

ROSEBURG, Or. April 14.—(Special.)

—P. H. Neill. of Napa, Cal., announced yesterday that he probably would esyesterday that he probably would establish a shirt factory here in the near future. He is at present owner and operator of a shirt factory at Napabut he expects to move his equipment to this city. He says Roseburg is the geographical center of his territory.

Water Election Petition Thwarted. MILWAUKIE, Or., April 14.—(Special.)—At the regular meeting of the

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