FRONT STREET HAS A HOLIDAY

About the Only Business Today Was in Strawberries —Eggs Are Firm.

Memorial Day Observed.

Memorial day was observed along Front street by the closing of the commission houses about 12 o'clock. Some few of the places did not open at all during the day. The wholesale grocers were closed all day. There were no markets in other cities.

California Berry Season Ending.

So far as the Portland demand is concerned, the California berry season is coming to an end and few shipments are expected from the south during the coming week. Thus far there has been only a small increase in local supplies but the trade expects greater stocks during the coming week.

Cantaloupes Will Come Regularly.

With the arrival of the first cantaloupes from California yesterday the season was formally opened. Shipments will now be received daily and within the next week or 10 days, if weather conditions permit, the price will get down to a basis where the general public can indulge.

Good Trade in Local Flour.

There is quite a good trade reported in the local flour market for this time of the year, but taking all things into consideration the general flour market is extremely quiet. Speaking of the situation, Leo Peterson, editor of the Portland Commercial Review writes as follows:

"The market for foreign flour has exhibited no signs of any improvement in the general situation from the miller's point of view, and for a long time buying has been on the most conservative lines; most buyers allowed their stocks to almost recede to a vanishing point. A small demand, therefore, which has come to light with the hardening tendency of the market, has not made millers over joyful, but is still disappointingly measured by the more immediate requirements of consumers. Flour buyers are evidently endeavoring to get along until the next crop on as close a margin as possible. The little export business worked with the orient is at close figures. Most bids from China have been too much out of line; prices have undergone no marked change, and millers are stronger in their pretensions; buyers do not show much confidence in the present situation of the market, and no fresh orders of any importance are being placed. However, should the wheat market continue to advance, buyers will no doubt be compelled ere long to follow the rise, as stocks of wheat are light, and good prices must be paid to secure any of the unsold crop.

Coast Flour Call Reluctant.

"As for coastwise and local trade the demand is largely a reluctant one, which is upset and checked at the least indications of an irregular movement. Individual mills, by price cutting, have caused some demoralization. There are enough of these instances occurring, apparently, to enable buyers to pick up 'snaps' from time to time and to encourage them in withholding from buying except when a miller is willing to cut his price. There is no use denying the fact that flour trade is dull, and if the miller has any hope of an early adjustment of matters, he fails to show it in his talk of the conditions surrounding the market. Stocks of flour in all positions are very large, and the buying side is refusing to take hold only in a consumptive manner. The shipper, jobber, and the retailer all look for lower prices. Country mills continue to offer flour in the market, but the local trade is filled up and sales are difficult to make. It looks as if local and coast buyers are waiting to pick up bargains, and millers who are foolish enough to give their profit away for the sake of doing something will suffer eventually. Just as long as the buyer can get the profits belonging to the miller, he will patiently wait for the lower prices on which he finally expects to stock up again. Millers all agree on this, however, that if a buyer needs flour he might as well buy now, as he will save nothing by waiting. The fallacy of the waiting attitude has been shown in the case of feed, they say. It is said that flour is very cheap, made so by the persistent high price of feed."

Brief Notes of the Trade.

Eggs are firm at unchanged price.

While chickens are still quiet the market is holding its own. Prices same.

Dressed meats are not so weak although prices are showing little headway.

Potatoes are firm at $1 for best. Shippers out of the market temporarily.

Mohair is moving in small lots around 18c and 19c with most of the transactions at 18½c.

Front street sells at the following prices. Paid shippers are less regular commissions:

Grain, Flour and Hay.

WHEAT — Buying price — Track, Portland—Club, 89c; bluestem, 92c; red, 87c; Willamette valley 89c bushel.

FLOUR—Selling price—Eastern Oregon patents, $4.85; straights, $4.05@4.55; exports, $3.50@3.70; valley, $4.45; graham, ¼s, $4.00; whole wheat, $4.25; rye, 5s, $5.50; bales, $5.

MILLSTUFFS—Selling price—Board of trade—Bran, $26; middlings, $30.50; shorts, $28@28.50; chop, $27.50 per ton.

HAY—Producers' price — Timothy, Willamette valley, fancy $15; ordinary, $12.50@13; eastern Oregon, $14@17; mixed, $10@10.50; clover, $10@13; grain, (—); cheat, (—); alfalfa, $11@12.

BARLEY — Board of Trade — Feed, $25.50; rolled, $27.50@28.50; brewing, $27.

OATS—Board of Trade—No. 1 white, $27.50; gray, $27 per ton.

CHITTIM BARK—1908—2@4c lb.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER FAT—Delivery f. o. b. Portland; sweet cream, 23½c; sour, 21½c lb.

BUTTER — Extra creamery, 24c; fancy, 23c; ordinary, 21½@22½c; store, 18c.

EGGS—Extra fancy, candled, 19@20c.

CHEESE—Full cream, flats, triplets and daisies, 13c lb; Young Americas, 14c.

POULTRY — Mixed chickens, 12@12½c lb; fancy hens, 13c; roosters, old, 10c lb; fryers, 20@22½c lb; broilers, 20@22½c lb; geese, old, 8@9c lb turkeys, alive, 15@17c lb; dressed, 19@20c lb; squabs, $2.50 dozen; pigeons, $1.25 dozen; dressed poultry, 1@1½c per lb. higher.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—1907 crop, first prime, 5½@6c; prime, 4½@5c; medium to prime, 4c; medium, 3@4c lb; 1906 crop, ½@1½c lb; contracts, 1908, 8@8½c lb.

WOOL—1908—Willamette valley, 11½@12c.

MOHAIR—1908—Nominal, 18@18½c.

HIDES—Dry hides, 12@13c lb; green, 4@5c; calves, green, 5@7c; kips, 5c lb; bulls, green salt, 2½@3½c lb.

SHEEPSKINS — Shearing, 10@15c each; short wool, 25@45c; medium wool, 50c@$1 each; long wool, 75c@$1.25 each.

TALLOW— Prime, per lb, 3½@4c; No. 2 and grease, 2@2½c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES — Old, selling 95c@$1; buying 75@80c per cwt.; sweet 5@5½c; new potatoes, 3c.

ONIONS—Bermuda, $3 per 50 pound crate, 5 crate lots, $2.90 per crate; California red, $1.75 per sack; garlic, 15c lb.

APPLES—Select, $3; fancy, $2.25@2.50.

FRESH FRUITS—Oranges, $3.00@3.50; bananas, 5½c per lb; crated, 6c; lemons, $3@3.75 box; grapefruit, $2.50@3.50; pineapples, $4 doz.; strawberries, California, $1.75@1.90 per 15 box crate; Oregon, $3.60@4.00 per 24 box crate.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, new Oregon, 12½c bunch; beets, $1.00 sack; parsnips, 85c@$1.00; cabbage, $2.00; tomatoes, Florida, $4@4.50; California, $2.25@2.50; beans, 11@12c; cauliflower, Oregon, (—) per doz; peas, Oregon, 7@9c; California, 7c; horseradish, 8@10c lb; artichokes, 50@75c doz; green onions, 12½c doz; peppers, bell, 30c; Chile, 15c lb; hothouse lettuce, 75c@$1.25 box; head lettuce, 25@30c doz; cucumbers, hothouse, local, 60c@$1 doz; radishes, 15c doz. bunches; rhubarb, Oregon, 2½@3c; celery, 90c@$1 doz; cranberries, eastern, $9@10.50; asparagus, Oregon, 85c dozen bunches; Walla Walla, $1.75 box; spinach, 50@85c box; gooseberries, 7@7½c; eggplant, 20c; green corn, 50c doz.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

SUGAR—California & Hawaiian Refinery—Cube, $6.60; powdered, $6.45; berry, $6.25; dry granulated, $6.25; XXX berry, $6.15; conf. A., $6.25; extra B., $5.80; golden G., $6.30; D., yellow, $5.55; beet granulated, $6.05; Barrels, 15c; half barrels, 30c; boxes, 55c advance on sack basis.

(Above prices are 30 days net cash quotations.)

HONEY—$3.60 per crate.

COFFEE—Package brands, $16.50.

SALT—Coarse—Half ground, 100s, $11.00 per ton; 50s, $11.50; table, dairy 50s, $16.50; 100s, $16.00; bales, $2.35; imported Liverpool, 50s, $20.00; 100s, $19.00; 4s, 18.00; extra fine barrels, 2s 4s and 10s, $4.50@5.50; Liverpool lump rock, $20.50 per ton.

RICE—Imperial Japan, No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5½@5¾c; New Orleans, head, 7¾c; Ajax, (—); Creole, 5¾c.

BEANS—Small white, $4.75; large white, $4.75; pink, $3.85; bayou, $3.85; Limas, $5.85; Mexican reds, (—).

NUTS— Peanuts, Jumbo, 7c per lb; Virginia, 6½c per lb; roasted, 9c per lb; Japanese, 7c; roasted, 8½c per lb; walnuts, California, 16c per lb; pine nuts, 15c per lb; hickory nuts, 10c per lb; brazil nuts, 15c per lb; filberts, 15c per lb; fancy pecans, 16@20c per lb; almonds, 16c.

Meats, Fish and Provisions.

DRESSED MEATS—Front street—Hogs, fancy, 8c lb; ordinary, 7@7½c; large, 6@6c; veal, extra, 7½c per lb; ordinary, 7c per lb; heavy, 6½@7c per lb; mutton, fancy, 8@8½c per lb; spring lamb, 8@9c.

HAMS, BACON, ETC.—Portland pack (local) hams, 10 to 12 lbs., 15c per lb.; 14 to 16 lbs., 14½c per lb.; 18 to 20 lbs., 14½c; breakfast bacon, 14@22c per lb; picnics, 10c per lb; cottage roll, 11c lb; regular short clears smoked, 11½c per lb; unsmoked, 10½c per lb; clear backs, unsmoked, 10½c; smoked, 11½c; Union butts, 10 to 13c lb; unsmoked, 12c per lb; smoked, 13c per lb; clear bellies, unsmoked, 13c per lb; smoked, 14c per lb; shoulders, 11c per lb; pickled tongues, 70c each.

LOCAL LARD—Kettle leaf, 10s, 12½c per lb; 5s, 12¾c or lb; 50-lb tins, 12½c per lb; steam rendered, 10s, 11½c per lb; 5s, 11¾c per lb; compound, 10s, 9¼c per lb.

FISH—Rock cod, 12½c lb; flounders, 6c per lb; halibut, 6c per lb; striped bass, 15c per lb; catfish, 11c per lb; salmon, chinook, 10c lb; bluebacks, 9c lb; steelhead, 7c lb; herrings, 5c lb; soles, 7c per lb; shrimps, 10c per lb; perch, 6c per lb; tomcod, 11c per lb; lobsters, 25c per lb.; fresh mackerel, 8c per lb; crawfish, 25c per dozen; sturgeon, 12½c per lb; black bass, 20c per lb; silver smelt, 6@7c per lb; sturgeon, 12½c lb; black cod, 7½c lb; crabs, $1.00@1.50 doz; shad, 2½c; roe shad, 6c; shad roe, 12½c lb.

OYSTERS—Shoalwater bay, per gallon, $2.50; per 100-lb sack, $5.00; Olympia, per gallon, $2.40; per 100-lb sack, $6.00@6.50; Eagle, canned, 60c can; $7 dozen; eastern in shell, $1.75 per hundred.

CLAMS—Hardshell, per box, $2.40; razor clams, $2.00 per box; 10c per doz.

Paints, Coal Oil, Etc.

ROPE—Pure manila, 12½c; standard, 11c; sisal, 9¼c; I. B. sisal, 8½c.

Coal Oils—

	Iron Bbls.	Cases.	Wood Bbls.
Water White	10½c	.....	14½c
Pearl Oil	.....	18 c	.....
Head Light	12½c	19½c	.....
Eocene	.....	21 c	.....
Special W. W.	14 c	.....	18 c
Rhine	.....	22 c	.....
Extra Star	.....	21 c	.....

Gasoline—

	Iron Bbls.	Cases.
V. M. and P. Naphtha	12½c	19½c
Red Crown Gasoline	15½c	22½c
Motor Gasoline	15½c	22½c
86 per cent Gasoline	30 c	37½c
No. 1 Engine Distillate	9 c	16 c

BENZINE—86 deg., cases, 19½c per gal; iron bbls, 12½c per gal.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 72c per gal; wood bbls, 69c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, bbls 49c; cases 55c; boiled, bbls 51c; cases 57c a gal; lots of 250 gallons 1c less.

WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7¾c per lb; 500-lb lots, 8c per lb; less lots, 8¼c.

WIRE NAILS—Present basis at $3.10.

Planting Oyster Seed.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Hoquiam, Wash., May 30.—The work of planting the two cars of oyster seed received this week is now going on in the beds in the lower harbor. Four more cars with seed are expected to arrive soon and the seed will be planted at the earliest moment. The seed sent out is of extra fine quality, and the company figures that it can probably secure a crop from it in two or three years, instead of the usual time of five years.

Cornerstone Laying.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 30.—Preparations completed for the laying of the cornerstone tomorrow for the new procathedral to be erected in this city indicate that the event will be one of the most notable in the history of the Roman Catholic church in the northwest. Thousands of visitors are expected to attend.

HEPPNER WOOL SALES OPENED

Fourteen Cents Is Paid for Best and Price Ranges Down to 9 1-2c.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Heppner, Or., May 30.—The first wool sales of the season opened here yesterday. A large number of buyers were present and bidding was brisker than was expected. Approximately 740,000 pounds of wool were offered at Cohn's warehouse. Twenty-four lots, aggregating about 475,000 pounds, were sold. The best price was 14 cents and the lowest 9¼ cents. The wool is of exceptionally fine grade and growers are very much disappointed at the prices offered.

F. C. BARNS WILL DO DEEP-SEA FISHING

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Astoria, Or., May 30.—A new fishing venture has been launched in Astoria. The motor schooner Erie has been chartered at $30 per day to go into the deep sea fishing off the Columbia river bar. The projectors of the enterprise are F. P. Kendall and F. C. Barns of Portland. These parties are operating in conjunction with Captain Richard Obee of New York and Great Britain, who owns an interest in the patent beamless trawling net, which will be employed on the work. The steamer Erie left out on her first cruise yesterday. This system involves 300 fathoms of hauling gear, which is winched onto the jack. The net is 80 feet long, 14 feet high and 60 feet at the mouth and is towed at any depth until its capacity of 5,000 pounds is reached. Captain Obee and four hands will run the business and the catch, above what is used here, will be marketed at Portland. The captain is anxious to try out the salmon run particularly, though he expects to catch and market all varieties to be found in these waters.

LEBANON DEBATERS ARE STATE CHAMPIONS

Annie McCormick.

Pearl Aldrich.

Elsie Lillard.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

University of Oregon, Eugene, May 30.—Lebanon won the state interscholastic championship last night in the debate with Astoria by a vote of two to one. The judges were W. W. Cotton of Portland, Senator I. H. Bingham of Eugene and A. W. Prescott of Salem.

The question was, "Resolved, That members of the legislature of the state of Oregon should be chosen by a system of proportional representation."

Lebanon supported the negative, and the work of the Linn county representatives showed great constructive ability. The Astoria team, though they put up excellent argument, were unable to break down Lebanon's strong attack.

Synopsis of Arguments.

Lebanon's argument was based on the grounds that proportional representation had never proved successful in any large country; that the present system represents majority rule; that few matters of a political nature ever come before the legislature; that there would be lack of party responsibility; that there would be more corruption, and that politics would become too local in character.

Astoria contended that all political parties should be represented; that the system of proportional representation is simple and just; that it would give members of the minority parties a chance to be heard; that the Republican party controls Oregon's legislature and the Democrats are not really represented, and that often elections are so close that a few votes will decide either way.

League Proved a Success.

Miss Birdie Wise, the leader of the Astoria team, was the best speaker, and showed great ability. The members of the teams were:

Astoria—Miss Birdie Wise, closer; Carl Thomas, Miss Jennie Jeffers.

Lebanon—Miss Annie McCormick, closer; Miss Elsie Lillard, Miss Pearl Aldrich.

State School Superintendent J. H. Ackerman presided and introduced the speakers. Hon. S. H. Friendly, dean of the state university regents, presented the "Regents' cup" to the winning team. The university quartet sang, and Miss Jessie Farriss gave a piano solo.

After the debate the members of the two teams and all connected with the debate were tendered an elaborate banquet at the Theatre cafe.

The success of the league is now assured, and henceforth it will be a prominent factor in high school development throughout the state. Its success this year has far surpassed the expectations of its most sanguine supporter.

"Regents' Cup," Won by Lebanon Debaters.

HOG MARKET 25 CENTS LOWER

Expected Drop Materializes With Overburdened Market—Only Best Sell.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK RUN.

	Hogs.	Cattle.	Sheep.
Today	91	25	900
1907	31	96	...
1906	179	...	...
1905	...	125	...

Portland Union Stockyards, May 30.—As was predicted by The Journal yesterday there was a drop of 25c in the price of hogs in the yards today. This decline follows the overloading of the market temporarily by shippers, but the condition is not expected to last long. At the moment there is no call at all for China fats or feeders and no quotations are given out in those lines.

Cattle market is steady with a run of a mere handful of steers for today. Prices are maintained at $5 for best.

Sheep market showed a heavy run of the 24 hours and demand is holding the price steady with best wethers ruling between $4@4.25.

A year ago today all lines were holding their own at unchanged values.

Official yard values today:

Hogs—Best stuff, $6@6.25; China fats, feeders.

Cattle—Fancy eastern Oregon steers, $5.00; medium, $4.50@4.75; best cows, $3.75; bulls, $2.00@2.50; stags, $2.50@3.00.

Sheep — Best wethers, $4.00@4.25; spring lambs, weighing 75 pounds, $4.75@5.00; ewes, $3.50@3.75; mixed, $3.75@4.00.

IDAHO WOOL MEN WORRY.

Wonder Just What's Going to Happen to the Price This Season.

Caldwell, Idaho, May 30—The wool growers of this section are in deep distress over wool market conditions. Buyers are just beginning to come in and it is expected that at some time in the near future a price will be named at which some of the material on hand may be disposed of. There has been brought to the forwarding houses of this city over a half million pounds of wool this season and six and eight horse teams are arriving every day from every direction bringing more. The situation is regarded as being serious as the prosperity of the section is affected largely by the condition of the stock men and farmers.

The company in this section that has brought the greatest amount of wool to this place is that of Sibbald & McKensie, the Owyhee county company, which has sheep ranches scattered all through the southern part of Idaho and northern Nevada. These men have about 15 large bands and about as many large ranches that must be kept up, and when the market becomes as it is, such firms must necessarily be put to great disanvantage. Other stock men who are engaged extensively in the raising of sheep and who have sent a great deal of wool to this place are: Andrew Little of Emmett, Keith of Owyhee, Walter Sibbald and Bruce & McCloud of Owyhee.

HEAVY SHEEP SHIPMENTS.

Heppner Has Already Sent Out 112 Cars—Chicago Parties Buying.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Heppner, Or., May 30—These are busy times for every one in Morrow county. Notwithstanding the low prices on sheep and wool, up to date there have been shipped from the local stock yards 112 cars of sheep.

Bicknell & Oxman, the Chicago buyers, head the list so far this season with 64 cars. Most of these are going to Wyoming points to graze during the summer months and then will be reshipped to the eastern markets.

Rea Brothers Sheep company, who are usually the heaviest shippers, follow a close second in their buying. Prices are ranging from $2.25 for yearling wethers to $2.75 per head for ewes.

BAKER CITY WOOL SALES.

City Will Be Able to Handle All Offered From That Section.

That Baker City will be able to handle all the wool shipped from this part of the country is an assured fact. Monroe Masters has built a large warehouse close to the wholesale warehouses at the O. R. & N. depot and fitted it out in a first class manner, says the Baker City Herald. A large baler has been installed, which runs by electricity, and turns out bales ranging in weight from 500 to 600 pounds. The amount of wool that is here is about 100,000 pounds but wool has just come in and it is probable that 1,000,000 pounds will be here before the sales days of June 22 and July 11. Some of the wool growers have not entered into the wool growers' association and refuse to store their wool in the Masters warehouse. They cannot see where any good will come of this association, but it is argued that it will establish a trading point here as well as giving work to a great number of men. Another point in favor of Baker as a center is the fact that the wool shipped to Boston and eastern points will be allowed a shipping rate that will be the equal of other eastern Oregon points.

OUR POTATOES HOLD WELL IN THE SOUTH

San Francisco, May 30.—Butter (per pound)—California fresh: Extras, 23c; firsts, 22½c; seconds, 22c; packing, No. 1, 21c; do No. 2, 20c.

Eggs (per dozen)—California fresh, including cases: Extras, 21½c; firsts, 20½c; seconds, 18c; thirds, 17c; eastern, seconds, 17c.

New Cheese (per pound)—California flats, fancy, 11½c; firsts, 11c; seconds, 10½c; California Young America, fancy, 14c; firsts, 13c; eastern Oregon, fancy, 13c; do Young America fancy, 14½c; storage, eastern fancy, New York, 18c; Oregon, 14c.

Potatoes (per cental)—Oregon Burbanks, $1.00@1.10; river whites, per box, 75c@$1.00; new potatoes, $1.00@$1.50 per cental; boxes, $1.50.

Onions — Bermudas, 55c@$1.25 per crate; Australian brown, $3.25@3.50 per crate; red onions, 75c@$1.00; silverskins, $1.00@1.10.

Oranges (per box)—Navels, $2.50@4.00; fancy Valencias, $3.50@4.00; Mediterranean sweets, fancy, $2.50@2.75.

LATEST NEWS OF OREGON CROPS

NORTHWEST WEATHER FORECAST.

Western Oregon and western Washington—Sunday cloudy with probable showers; westerly winds.

Eastern Oregon, eastern Washington and Idaho—Sunday cloudy with probable showers.

According to D. A. Patulla of Balfour, Guthrie & Co., the prospects at this time are for a fair crop of grain in the Pacific northwest. "There is practically no lack of moisture in any but the light-land country," he said to The Journal this morning.

Heppner, Or., May 30—Farmers in our section are wearing the broad smile in anticipation of the largest crops ever known to Morrow county.

Up till three weeks ago the prospects were decidedly unflattering, but since that time we have had almost daily showers and with a little rain during the month of June Morrow county will harvest a crop that it will take until after Christmas to put in the warehouses.

San Barnardino, San Barnardino county, correspondent of the Los Angeles Herald writes: Beemen of this county report a bumper honey crop for this year. It is expected that the shipments will not be less than 50 cars and they may run as high as 60. The season has been a most favorable one in every way for the honey industry, the weather having been neither too cold nor too hot for the best work of the bees.

HARRIMAN HORSE IN WOOD RIVER VALLEY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Klamath Falls, Or., May 30—J. R. Fronefield, a representative of the Breeders' Gazette, who brought the Harriman horse into Klamath county, met with an accident while driving to Fort Klamath, leading the valuable animal. The team ran away, throwing out the driver and Mr. Fronefield. They both sustained slight injuries. Fortunately the horse was uninjured.

This is the horse presented to the ranchers of Wood River valley by E. H. Harriman. It arrived from San Francisco in fine condition.

Gets Damages of Chehalis.

Chehalis, Wash., May 30.—Judge Rice has overruled a motion for a new trial in the case of Susan J. Perry against the city of Centralia. Mrs. Perry won a verdict of $5,000 damages for personal injuries from falling into an open sewer.

WASCO IS CLOSE ON EVERYTHING

Republicans Apathetic on Senator—Hard Fight on Local Option.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

The Dalles, Or., May 30.—Chamberlain and Cake will make a close race in Wasco county. The vote is hard to gauge, as the people here seem apathetic. There have been but small crowds at all the republican meetings held.

The vote on the liquor question promises to be exceedingly close. Lately the local option people have been sending out thousands of pamphlets to all voters, and this is beginning to have its effect, more especially upon the ranchers. Newspapers have been filled with paid articles on both sides. So far as The Dalles is concerned, the town will probably go wet by about 200 majority, but from present prospects this will be more than offset by the vote from the rural districts, the majority of which will be very close, with the probability of most of them going dry by a small majority. Both sides are claiming the victory, but it is significant that the liquor men are all very indifferent about putting up any money that the county will go wet; this notwithstanding the fact that the county went wet at the last election by over 400 majority.

For state senator N. J. Sinnott will be elected, as his only opponent is a Socialist. For representative Mr. Carter is said to have a good prospect of election, but there is considerable doubt as to whether Mr. Dodds, the other Republican candidate, will be able to win over either the two Democratic candidates, notwithstanding that Dr. Dodds has come out on Statement No. 1, and that the Democrats are in the ratio of about 1 Democrat to every 2½ Republicans.

NOTABLE HEBREWS IN SESSION AT BOSTON

Exchanging Views Before International Body of B'Nai Brith Order.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Boston, Mass., May 30.—Hebrews notable the world over are in Boston to attend the meeting of the international governing body of the Independent Order of B'nai Brith, the largest and oldest Jewish fraternal organization. The order was founded in New York in 1843 by a number of German Jews for the purpose of uniting the followers of the Mosaic faith upon a platform regardless of dogma and ceremonial customs and for inculcating charity, benevolence and brotherly love. The organization now has over 20,000 members divided into more than 330 lodges, which are distributed over the United States, Germany, Roumania, Austria-Hungary, Egypt and Palestine.

Among the men of international reputation who are to address the meeting which is to begin in this city tomorrow are Adolf Kraus of Chicago, president of the order; Simon Wolf, of Washington, D. C., former United States consul-general to Egypt; the Hon. Jacob Singer, Philadelphia; Lucius L. Solomons, San Francisco; Rabbi Edward N. Calisch, Richmond, Virginia; Joseph Hirsch, Vicksburg, Mississippi; J. B. Klein, Bridgeport, Connecticut and Jacob Furth, Cleveland, Ohio.

BAISLEY-ELKHORN MAY REOPEN SOON

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Baker City, Or., May 30—It is understood that word has been received in Baker that the Baisley-Elkhorn mine west of this city will be reopened about the middle of August. This comes as especially good news, for the Baisley is a known bullion producer when it works.

In the Mormon basin things are busy. The Rainbow is dropping its 10 stamps every day and the stream of gold is enlarging from that mine.

Yesterday Rev. W. J. Hughes and son David left for the Oregon Free Gold mines six miles west of Durkee, where they will mill a large quantity of $20 ore that has been on the dump several weeks. It is thought six weeks will be required to make the run.

TOM M. WORD, FOR SHERIFF

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