FLOOD OF BERRIES

Ten Cent Market for Oregon Fruit Today.

SEASON ON IN FULL BLAST

Heavy Local Receipts Yesterday Augmented by Straight Car From Florin-Advance in Front-Street Butter.

STRAWRERRIES - Full supply regon and lower prices expected

BUTTER - Advance in Front-screet POULTRY - Retter buying demand.

WHEAT-Strong on California buying. HOPS-Traders awaiting fuller re-

orie from England. RICE - Southern grades firm and

If the weather is good today, there will be the 10-cent Oregon strawberry market that retailers have been looking for. It was praccally on hand yesterday afternoon. Receipts in the morning were heavy fro

ed River, Southern Gregon and local points. the opening an effort was made to get cents a pound, but it was seen that big mucks could not be moved and similbeing the ruling quotation. Even at its low figure there was not a clean up. be worked off this morning.

herries was the arrival of Hoskin's car The Californias came in ahead time, and the first loss were put on walk at 2 e'clock. Although the fruit Oregon fruit, and trading was conse Only enough fruit was removed from the ler, buf several of the houses had to The price held steady during the afternoon at \$1.2561.35 per crate, city. This is the

STRONG RICE MARKET.

General Advance in Southern Grades-Japan Is Firm.

esulted in an advance of lattle cents on withdrawing their offerings on the prospects neather conditions.

ear's Janamese cross was beavier but had to cet with increased consumption, owing to he military operations. A Consular report late date mays of the Japanese cropy. To eice crop for 1904 is now announced to be 261.692.235 bushels, an increase of 25.284.226 but of the previous year. The figures also His per cent, in comparison with an average erable year and the poorest year the remaining five years. This unprecedentd yield in due to the prevalence of good planting out and to many agricultural improvements being made by farmers."

State Fancy Creamery Is Higher on Front

era on Front street yesterday, 214 cents ply has been as shorrened by extensive stornot get enough butter for their regular customerate, but a better demand he expected after

plentiful that the market continued weak. price most generally quoted was 13%

HOP TRADERS WAITING.

Reimportations at New York Lighter Than

Experted. There have been no developments in the hep later advices as to the condition of the Eng-Should the first reports be keeze out by later investigations, nothing one prevent un dealers have received telegrams from New York contradicting " the first reports from England, but others are without advices. he close of business on May 19 show that a otal of only 46t bales of American hope had been reimported from London since the sea-Jim Linn, of Salem, had bought 50 bales from Ralph Williams, of Dallas, at under 24% nents, but Mr. s.inn could not be found

WHEAT MARKET FIRM.

But Dealers Do Not Quote Any Ad-

ket did not induce local traders to quote club of business was reported to have been gransstem was unchanged at 90ff92 cents. Several ought in last few days at 85 cents.

Oats were quoted atronger at \$29629.50 for all grades. A prominent dealer is authority for the eletement that there are not enough oats left in the country to last until the new

at the former quotations. Export trade is very

BUCKS FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

Vermont Buyer Finds Oregon Sheep the Best

SHANIKO, Or., May 24.—(Special.)—The amous Baldwin Shoep & Land Company a famous Baldwin Shrep & Land Company a SAUSAGE—Portland, ham, the per pound; tee days ago sold to G. C. Dimmock, of minced ham, Rel: Summer, choice des, 174c; being the selection of the selectio

Mr. Dimmock visited California before he came to Oregon in quest of fancy stock, but was unable to find anything autiable. The Baldwin Sheep & Land Company today shipped to Bakersheld, Cal., seven of their

Owing to the cold weather sheep shipments have been delayed considerable, the shippers being afraid of loss inother cold spell is experienced will begin those of Haley & Saunders, of Sait Lake,

Three days have passed with unusually light eccipts of poultry. One firm was quite well supplied yesterday, but others did not have enough to go around. Should arrivals be no heavier during the remainder of the week, quotations will likely be moved up. Yesterday's prices were unchanged, except for a alight advance quoted in mixed chickens and

- Eggs were again firm at 18 cents for candled stock, with not much prospect for a change in the near future. "

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—Cholog, 1804, 225,62250 per pound.

WOOL—Eastern Oregon, average best, 10g225,c; lower grades, down to 15c. according to
sbrunkage. Valley, 752,256 per pound.

MOHAIR—Choice, 316,325,c per pound.

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HIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up.
16,316,c per pound; dry ath, No. 1, 5 to 10
pounds, 116,15c; dry salted, bells and
atlage, one-chird least than dry film; toulis,
moth-easten, badly out, accord, murrain, hairslipped, weather-beaten or grabby, 256c per
pound least; salted hides, steers, sound, 59
pounds and cover, 98,10c per pound; 56 to 59
pounds and cover, 98,10c per pound; 36 to 59
pounds and cover, 98,10c per pound; salted wat,
sound, 10 to 11 pounds, 26 per pound; salted veal,
sound, 10 to 11 pounds, 36c per pound; salted veal,
sound, 10 to 11 pounds, 36c per pound; salted
caif, sound under 10 pounds, 10c per pound;
(green unsalted, 1c per pound; salted veal,
sound, 10 to 12 pounds, 36c per pound; salted
rail, butcher's stock, 25,500c each; security, 10
per pound less). Sheep skins: Shearlings, No.

1 butcher's stock, 25,500c each; medium wool,
No. 1 butcher's stock, 25,500c each; medium wool,
No. 1 butcher's stock, 31,61,50 each; Murrain pells
from 10 to 20 per cent less or 12,614c per
pound; horse hides, salted, each, according to
size, 31,500; dry, each, according to size, 31,600; hides, 22,650c each; goat skins,
common, 105,15c each; Augura, with wool on,
25,651,50 each.

TALLOW—Prims, per pound, 31,694c; No. 2
and grease, 283c.

PELITS—Dear skins, as to size, No. 1, \$2,50
gio each; cube, \$1,62; badger, 25,650c; wild
cat, with head perfect, 18,500c; mink, strictly
No. 1, according to size and color,
\$10,615; marten, pale, pine, according to
size and color, \$2,500g; muskrat, large, 10g;
ther, with head and claws perfect, \$20,50c;
sibhern, \$2,60c; breaking, pine, eccording to
size and color, \$2,500g; muskrat, large, 10g;
ther, with head and claws perfect, \$20,5 Heavy receipts of vest again weakened the market yesterday and put off to a more first bogs seen in neveral days came in in the morning and were in good demand. There was also a better inquiry for lambs and Marketing Heppner Wool. It is estimated by a Heppner authority that nearly 2.250,000 pounds of wool will

be marketed at that point this year, as the floeces are averaging about 10 pounds each. The average price paid will not fall very part of the wool in that district has already Linseed Oll and Turpentine Higher.

Advances in linseed oil and turpentine were renounced peeterday. The new prices folbotted lineerd, cares, 70c; barrels, 65c; fiveparrels lots, in less, Turpentine, caser, 97c;

Holiday in Produce District. nis, but late in the afternoon 10 cents came tion, at a meeting Tuesday night, voted to suspend all business after 10 A. M. on Thurs day, June 1, the day of the opening of the Exposition.

> Bank Clearings. Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities Portland S551,785 \$1
> Eastle S65,520 \$7
> Tacoma 460,445 \$1
> Spikane 515,009

\$112,362 146,781 113,700 54,213 PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

Grain, Flour, Feed, FAC,
WHEAT-Club. 85g86c per inushel; bluestem, 00095c; Valley, 85c.
PLOUR-Patents. \$4,0005.10 per barrel;
straights, \$494.25; clears. \$5,7595; Valley,
\$5,0094.25; Dakotz hard wheat, \$4,0005.5c;
Graham, \$1,5004; whose wheat, \$4494.25; rye
flour, local, \$5; Eastern, \$5,8005.9c; conmeal, per bate, \$1,0002.20.
HARLEY-Feed, \$22,500 per ton; rolled, \$12,50
(CATS-No. 1 white, fred, \$2500.20.50 per ton;

BARLEY-Feed, \$22.50 per ton; rolled, \$2252.50.

OATS-No. I white, feed, \$25972.50 per ton; choice milling, \$258272.50; gray, \$19622.50.

MILLSTUFFS-Bran, \$19 per ten; middlings, \$24.50; shorts, \$21; chop, U. S. Mills, \$19; linned dairy food, \$18.

CEREAL FOODS-Holled cate, cream, 90-pound sacks, \$6.75; lower grades, \$566.25; camment, steel cut, 50-pound sacks, \$8 per barret; 30-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bair; catmond, 50-pound sacks, \$1.50 per barret; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bair; per pound sacks, \$2.50 per barret; 10-pound sacks, \$2.50 per barr

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

BUTTER-City creameries: Extra creamery, BUITER-City creameries: Extra creamerry, 20921be per pound; atate creameries: Fancy creamers, 174621be; store butter, 15818e. CHEESE-Creamers full cream twins, 15the; Young America, 14be; House and the control of the

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

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Not and to many agricultural immuse being made by farmers."

ADVANCE IN BUTTER.

HOOT VEGETABLES-Turnips, \$1.2581.40 per sack; curroin, \$1.2581.50 per sack; bests. \$1.2581.40 per sack; parsnips, 50c per dozet; garlle. 1581The per poznd.
ONIONS-California red, 2c; Bermuda Sc ONIONS-California red, 2e; Bermuda Seper pound.
PUTATORES Oregon fanny \$1,0587,18; common, \$6,031,05; Colorado, \$1,15; new potatores, The Per pound; Merced sween, Place per pound.
RAISINS-Loose Muscatels, 4-crown, Tan, 5-layer Muscatel raishing, Tipe; unbleached sendless Sultanas, 65c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, \$1,85, 2-crown, \$1,75.
DRIED FRUIT-Apples, evaporated, 668%c per pound; sundried, 8ccks or boxes, none; apricots, 10311c; peaches, 9510bjc; pears, none; prunes, italians, 632-c; French, 2567, pounds; sundried, 50c; Fard dates, 6c; pluma pitted, 6c.

Grocerles, Nuts. Etc.

COFFEE-Mochs, 20025; Java, ordinary, 188226; Costa Rica, Iancy, 18820c; good, 186120; ordinary, 108126 per pound; Colimbia roase, cases, 1908, 812.75; Arbuckle, \$16.75; Lico, \$18.75; Son \$13.75; Arbuckle, \$16.75; Lico, \$18.75.

RiCh-Imperial Japan No. J. \$5.875; Sonthern Japan, \$2.60. Carolinas, 2965; roken-bend, 25c.

8ALMON-Columbia River, 1-pound talls, \$1.75 per dosen; 2-pound talls, \$1.75 per dosen; 2-pound talls, \$1.50, 15-pound talls, \$1.85; fance; 1815-pound talls, \$1.85. Solvent alls, \$1.85; rance; 1815-pound talls, \$1.85; solvent alls, \$1.85; solvent alls,

Meuts and Provisions

BEEF-Dressed, buils, 46% per pound; cown, 48%; country steres, 58%; MUTTON-Drewed, inher, 65% fifthe per pound; ordinary, 46%; Spring lambs, 767%; VEAL-Dressed, 100 to 125 pounds, 56%; VEAL-Dressed, 100 to 125, pounds and up, 56%; PORK-Dressed, 100 to 150, 767%; 150 and up, 667c per pound. PORK—Dressed, 100 to 130, veries; 130 and up, 667c per pound.

Stame—10 to 14 pounds. 12%c user pound; 14 to 16 pounds. 12%c; 18 to 20 pounds. 12%c; California (picnic), 8c; cottage hams. Sign; aboulders, 8c; holled ham, 18c; bolled picnic ham, bottelees, 18c.

BACON—Fancy breakfast, 18o per pound; standard breakfast, 15%c; choice, 18c; English breakfast, 11 to 1e pounds, 73c; prach bacon, 12c.

ANOTHER UPWARD MOVEMENT SETS IN AT NEW YORK.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

per pound. CASCARA SAGRADA (Chittam bark)-Good,

GASOLINE-Stove gasoline, cases, 254c; tron barrels, 17c; 86 deg gasoline, cases, 25c; tron barrels or drums, 25c.
COAL OIL-Cases, 204c; fron barrels, 18c; wood barrels, 17c; 63 deg., cases, 25c; fron

Monrels, 196; OH. Raw, S-barrel lots, 62c; LinvateD lots, 62c; carea, 68c; Bolled; S-barrel lots, 64c; 1-barrel lots, 65c; carea, 70c; TURPENTINE-Carea, 97c; Wood barrels,

94c. WHITE LEAD-Ton lots, 7%c; 500-pound lots, 7%c; less than 500-pound lots, 8c.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

Prices Quoted at Portland Union Stockyards

Receipts at the Portland Union Stockyards resterday were 74 cattle, 3384 sheep and 170 logs. The following prices were quoted at the

CANTLE-Best Enstern Orego nateers, \$4.25;

cows and heiters, \$50,7.5; medium, \$1,260,2. HOGS-Best large, fat hogs, \$1; block and China fat, \$5,250,5.50; srockers, \$5. SHEEF-Best Eastern Organ and Valley, abeared, \$4; medium, \$1,50,9.7.75; lambs, \$4,50,04.75.

Eastern counties, doing some damage to orch

The Idaho weekly crop bulletin said in

canyon in Elmore County early cherries are

Range grass continues excellent; alfalta made good advance in many castern localities,

nights.

Best planting is still in progress, while cultivation of some early bests has been commenced. Garden vegetables and early pointers suffered considerable damage from frost. Melone are starting well.

Idaho Crop Report.

484%c per pound. GRAIN BAGS-Calcutta, 6%c.

Rumored Northwestern Railroad Agreement Is Most Effective Force Back of Market.

NEW YORK, May 24.-There was substantial strength in today's stock market, as was evidenced by the length of the list of atocks which were lifted between 1 and 2 points during the day's trading, and in a few exceptional instances more than that. The trading offered a number of remarkable realures. One was the small volume of the demand in which the very notable gains were effected. The day's transactions fell below demand in which the very notable gains were effected. The days transactions fell below those of either yesterday or the day before. If the buying was for the account of uncovered shorts, it was decidedly free from any sign of orgency or such repetation as the bear trader short on stocks usually manifests. There was rather free seiling during the first hour, owing to the wide advances at which prices opened. Prices have made so many false starts towards accovery that sentiment has become extremely suspicious of these sudden advances over hight which have meted away during the day in more than one instance invely. The same suspicious attitude was maintained by the professional element today. At different stages of the advance the market sank into practical stages the market sank into practical stages as the same was insignificant.

There was no news to account for the movement, and in fact some of the day's de-

movement, and in fact some of the day's de-velopments might be regarded as additions to factors recently regarded as unfavorable. The grain markets still had their crop dam-age reports. The Chicago strike situation seemed aggravated and in denger of spreadseemed aggravated and in danger of spread-ing. The Secretary of War obtilined freeh Administration views for the regulation of corporations. But the consideration of these matters had apparently lost force. The Northwestern Raifread problem, on the other hard, showed a perennial freshness. The revival of rumors that an agreement had been reached among the raifread powers in that field to refrain from hostilities was the real effective force back of the day's mar-ket. The special prominence of Union Pa-cific, St. Paul, Northern Pacific, Northwest-ern and Geest Northern preferred were thus accounted for.

The extreme case is the money market on the eve of tomorrow's \$60,000,000 requirement

The extreme case in the money market on the eve of tomorrow's \$60,000,000 requirement for the final installment of the Japanese loan subscription was a fourring influence on the strength of stocks.

The reception of the iron Age's weekly trade review was in marked contrast to the depression caused a week ago, sithough that authority's view of the trade has not altered in any material respect. "Prices are weaker," says the review, "and buyers are holding off convinced that a somewhat lower level in pig iron will be reached." The United States Steel stocks, however, moved upwards with the rest of the market, and the rush among belaited buyers made the closing tone very belated buyers made the closing tone very

\$2,335,000. United changed on call. CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

1	HOGE-Best large, fat hoge, \$1; block and	Sules, High, Low, Mg.	D
ŧ	China fat, \$5.2565.50; arockers, \$5.	Atchison 1,600 Tria 7819 79%	п
۱	SHEEP-Rest Eastern Oregon and Valley.	do preferred 400 101% 101% 101%	п
1	sheared, \$4; medium, \$3.5063.75; iamba, \$4.50	do preferred 400 1015 1015 1015 Atlantic Coast Line. 2 400 1485 147 148	в
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1	Market, 10@15c lower. Good to prime steets,	Chi., Mil. & St. Paul 48,296 174 171 1739 Chi. Term, & Transit	
1	\$5.60@6.50; poor to medium, \$4.25@5.90; stock-	do preferred 200 32 31% 31%	
4	ers and feeders, \$2.75@5.25; cows, \$2.60@6;	do preferred 200 32 31% 51% C. C. C. St. L. 800 15% 95% 95%	
1	hetfers, \$2.50@5.35; canners, \$1.50@2.40;	Colorado & Southern, 1,000 20, 25% 26	п
1	bulls, \$2.60@4.70; calves, \$3@6.75.	do let preferred 1,400 35% 34 36	п
1	Hogs-Beceipts, 33,000; tumorrow, 25,000;	do 2d preferred 200 114% 33 114%	п
1	Market, 5@10c lower, mixed and butchers,	Belaware & Hudam, 1,000 1812 1804 181	п
1	\$5.25@5.55; good to choice heavy, \$5.40@	Del. Lack & West, 100 274 274 270	ш
1	5.52%; rough heavy, \$5.20%5.35; light, \$5.30%	Denver & Rio Grande 200 27% 27% 28	Е
4		do preferred 200 85 85 85%	£1
4	8.52%; bulk of sales, \$5,40@3.10.	do preferred 216 85 85 85% Esta	п
1	Sheep-Receipts, 20,000. Sheep and lamis,	do lot preferred 3,300 17 76% 76%	n
1	10c lower; good to choice wethers, shorn,	do 26 preferred 1,100 65% 64% 65	ш
á	\$4.6086.25; fair to choice mixed, shorn, \$3.50	Hocking Valley 87	Ð
4	@4.50; Western shorn sheep, \$4,2565.25; na-	do preferred 925g	
1	tive lambs, shorn, \$4.50@6.50; Western lambs,	litinois Central 2,700 130% 157 130% 1000 Central 290 24 24 24	п
Н	\$5,75@7,50.	The state of the s	£S
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	@1.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 @ 1.50;	Mexican Central 5,700 195 185 195	£
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	Hogs-Receipts 19,000; market the lower.	M., St. P. & S. S. M. 100 114 114 1135	
	Heavy, \$5.15 # 5.25; mixed, \$5.15 @ 5.20; light,	do preferred 200 150 157 157	Ð
	\$5.10@5.20; pigs, \$4@5; bulk of sales, \$5.15	Missouri Pacific 6,800 0714 9519 9714	٥
	@5.20.	Mo., Kana & Texas 1.700 25% 25% 25%	Đ
	Sheep-Beceipts 10,500; market weak;	do preferred 2,900 585 57 585	в
ij	lambs 10c lower; Western pearlings, \$5 @	Mex. Neti, R. R. pfd	ш
1		New York Central., 11,200 140% 138% 140 N. Y., Ont. & West. 5,200; 47% 45% 47%	в
U	5.35; wethers shorn, \$4.40@5; swee, shorn,	Norfolk & Western. 200 7714 7614 78	Œ
Н	\$4 @ 4.75; lambs, wooled, \$6.50 @ 7.25; lambs,	do preferred 9215	8
u	shorn, \$5.05@6.40.	Northern Pacific 400 183 178 1820	ш
	PANELS OF M. M. S. S.	Pennsylvania 30,600 134 1324 1334	
	KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 24 Cattle-	Par Cy Co & St. Inc. concer come come 75	£
	Receipts 10.000; market 10c lower. Native	Reading 06,300 00to Ast, 90%	ø
۱	steers, \$4,25@6.15; native cose and heiters,	do lat preferred 100 2012 Suty Mitty	1
	\$2.25@5.25, stockers and feeders, \$3.25@	do 2d preferred 86	ø
ij	4.50; bulle, \$2.75@4.50; valves, \$3.93.50;	Book Island Co, 4,400 26% 25% 26%	s
ij	Western fed stears, \$4,2566; do cows, \$1.25	do preferred 100 72 72 72	ø
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U		St. Louis Southwest, 600 2214 2015 22 do preferred 1,000 50% 58% 50%	ø
	Hogs-Receipts 15,000; market 5075c	do preferred 1,000 50% 58% 50% Southern Pacific 23,540 01% 50% 01%	ø
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Receipts 10.000; market 10c lower. Native steers, \$4.2206.15; native cose and helters, \$2.250.25, stockers and feeders, \$2.252, 4.50; buile, \$2.7304.50; calver, \$2.92.50; Western fed stears, \$4.25@6; do cows, \$1.25 Hogs-Receipts 15,000; marker 5071;c lower, Bulk of sales, \$5.2593.35; heavy, \$5.3093.35; backers, \$5.2585.35; plgs and light, \$4.0095.50 Sheep—Receipts 7000. Market steady to 0c lower; muttons, \$485.75; laume, \$5.75 p 35; range wethers, \$4.65@5.40; fed ewes, The Washington weekly crop bulletin mays day was about 3 degrees below normal, and MaccellaneousAmalgamated Copper 88 400 79%
Amer Car & Found 2800 21
do preferred 500 98
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do preferred 500 5 600 coeferred 500 coeferred 500 coeferred 500 500 5 there were heavy fronts on the lith and 18th in averal districts.

The rates will probably he very heneficial to grain of all kinds later on as it will goake an abundant store of measure in the sell when the weather becomes dry and warm. But the cool weather, with lack of sunshine, has greatly retarded the growth of all crops, except, perhaps, wheat and eats. Gardene are particularly backward. The heavy frosts injured fruit, such as apples, cherries, etc., nipped fleid and garden vegetables and cut down, wheat and harley on low valley lands. On the high lands there was no injury to wheat. The Spring when mile r. Linseed Oil ...

no injury to wheat. The Spring whean will recover, but the Irostell Winter wheat was too far advanced to recover so as to make grain. However, the proportion of Winter wheat in the districts where the injury occurred was For the most part both Winter and Spring wheat, as well as out? and burley, while not growing fast at persent, are in very promising condition, and will make rapid progress with the first warm weather. Hope are doing | National Lend | 1,700 | 45 | 4314 |
Nath American	690	904	905
Pacific Mall	690	35	345
Pacific Mall	690	35	345
People's Gaz	1,600	1005	904
Pressed Steel Car	890	575	3514
60 preferred	100	92	91
Pullman Palmee Car			
Repubble Steel	2,900	17	16
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7 enn Coal & Iron	4,100	765	745
U. S. Leather	1,100	115	
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He preferred	1,100 reactern toranties, and it is probable that frost wrought considerable damage in such localities, in the warmer portions of the state fruit is well set, and is preserved by heavy foliage, and is therefore in a condition to withstand comparatively low temperature without lajury. Some native strawberries have been marketed, and in the Snake River canyon in Elmore County early charges are		

Tutal sales for the day, 916,400 shares. BONDS. NEW YORK, May 24.-Closing quotations U. R. ref. 28 rg. 104 % Archison Adi. 4s 9s 6a coupon ... 104 % D. R. G. 4s ... 101 % U. R. 7s reg. 100 % N. Y. C. O. 3% 100 % do coupon ... 104 Nov. Pacific 8s ... 7s % L. R. ness 4s rg. 132 Nov. Pacific 4s ... 105 % do coupon ... 102 So. Pacific 4s ... 105 % do coupon ... 102 So. Pacific 4s ... 105 % do coupon ... 104 % Uinon Pacific 4s ... 105 % do coupon ... 104 % Wis. Central 4s ... 24 %

Money, Exchange, Etc.

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Money on call easy, 262% per cent: closing bid, 2 per cent: offered at 2% per cent. Time money, easy, 60 days, 2 per cent: 90 days, 3% per cent; six months, 3%63% per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3%,54% per cent.

Sterling exchange, seeady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.8720g4.8725 for demand and at \$4.8320g4.825 for 60 days.

Peaced rates, \$4.854,64.56 and \$4.575.64.38.

Commercial bills, \$4.85.

Bar gilyer, 594.6.

smmerciat bills: \$4.55.
Bar allver, 50%c.
Mexican dollars, 45c.
Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds.

Money, 1581% per cent. short and three months' bills,

Discount rate, short 21-16024 per cent. SAN FRANCISCO, May 24.-Silver bars, Mexican deliars, nominal.

Drafts, sight, be; is/egraph, 715c.
Sterling on London, 00 days, \$4.55%; sight,
\$4.87%.

SAN PRANCISCO MARKETS.

Firm Position of Barley-Advance in Bran and Middlings.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 24 Special.)—Although a good portion of the abort interest in Mary barley has privately settled its contracts on the basis of \$1.25, the market, after opening earler, closed strongly. On 'change 1000 sacks of new crop feed to arrive a few days hence sold at \$1.25. December wheat recovered from the early weakness and closed strong at \$1.34%, Cash wheat was very firm. Outs were lightly offered and bring full prices as stocks are extremely small. Bran and middlings are 50c higher. In the hop market necessary are disposed to do business, and a dead-led rear the close of the close of the country of other strong at \$1.34%. Cash wheat was very firm. Outs were lightly offered and bring full prices as stocks are extremely small. Bran and middlings are 50c higher. The scarcity of offerings was the principal reason for the sharp upturn. A moderate demand from shorts forced the price of May up from 58c, the opening price, to site. Toward moon the demand became extremely active, resulting in a quick advance to \$5c. Near the close a revival of the aggressive demand from shorts caused a final upward board. closed atrong at \$1.54%. Cash wheat was firm. Outs were lightly offered and g fufl prices as stocks are extremely it. Bran and middlings are 50c higher, is easier. It easier, the bog markes neither buyers nor groware disposed to do business, and a doad-

ers are disposed to do business, and a dead-lock exists. There is a small amount of con-tracting for new crop at 17 cents for choice. Humboldt and Mendocino wools have ad-

tracting for new crop at 17 cents for choice. Humboldt and Mendocino wools have advanced to 20 cents, and everything else in the list is practically sold out. In the absence of stock, quotations are nominal.

The orange market was depressed, with much decayed fruit offering. Nine carloads of navels arrived. Ordinary fancy brought \$161.85; choice, 100:681.50; standard, 60:68 \$1.15. Receipts of cherries suddenly increased, and prices weakened, Apricots, peaches and early plums were in larger supply and lower. The first black figs of the season arrived from The first black figs of the season arrived from

467c; green peam, \$1.25億1.75; string um, 265c; asparagus, 45億分5c; tomatoes, \$162.

POULTEX-Turkey gobblers, 17819c; roosters, old, \$468.50; do rooms, \$8.5067.50; broilers, small, \$2.2562.77; do large, \$368.50; fryers, \$366; hems, \$8.2068.50; ducks, old, \$366; do young, \$667.

EGGG-Store, 161,618c; fancy ranch, 21c.
BITTER-Fancy creamery, 21c; creamery seconds, 18c; fancy dairy, 174c; dairy seconds, 18c; fancy dairy, 174c; dairy seconds.

WOOL-Spring, Humbolds and Mendocino, 28 Nevada, 16920c

MILLSTUFFS - Bran, \$21622: middlings, HAY-Wheat, \$11.50@14.50; wheat and oat, \$10@13.50; barley, \$7@11.50; alfalfa, \$5@10.50; clover, \$7@10; stocks, \$3.50@7.50; straw, 30@

PEUIT-Apples, choice, \$2; common, \$1; benamas, 75:032.50; Mexican limes, \$466.50; California lemons, choice, \$2.50; common, 75c; oranges, navels, 75:082.50; pineapples, \$293, POTATOES-River Burbanks, nominal; Oreirhanks 151.25@1.50. CHEESE-Young America, 10011c; East-

ers, 17818c.

RECEIPTS — Flour, 22.138 quarter sacks; whes: 2498 centals; barier, 1600 centals; beans, 54 sacks; corn, 2732 centals; potators, 2405 sacks; hran, 355 sacks; middlings, 1220 sacks; hay, 250 tone; wool, 185 bales;

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The London lin market was firmer, following the declines of the last few days, and spot closed at £136 15a and futures at £135 120 65. Locally the market was quiet, but a shade higher in closing at hegan. 33c.

cympathy closing at 10930-35c.
Copper was higher in London, closing at 161 1% for spot and 161 12s 6d for futures. Locally the market continues quiet and a little easier, with lake and electrolytic quoted at 15c, and casting at 14.75c.
Lead was lower at £12 5s in London, but remained unchanged locally at 4.3094.60c.
Spotter was unchanged at £21 12s 5d in London, but weak levally at 5.4595.56c.
Iron closed at 50s in Glasgow and at 45s 164d in Middlesboro, Locally tron was quiet total in Middleshore. Locally from was quiet

and unchanged.

Grain and Produce at New York,
NEW YORK May 24. Flour-Receipts, 12.
800 barrels: exports, 1800 barrels, Firm Minnisota patents, \$5.6046.25.
Wheat-Receipts, 27.000 bushels: exports,
4150. Spot sirong; No. 2 red, \$1.695, nominal f.
o. b. afboat; No. 1 Northern Dufuth, \$1.135,
f. o. b. afboat; No. 1 hard Mantitoba, \$1.615,
f. o. b. afboat; No. 1 hard Mantitoba, \$1.615,
f. o. b. afboat; The wheat market was irregular all day over a cent range, but in
the main was from on persistent crop damage
news from the Northwest. May shorts were
again squeezed, that ention closing 25c higher. May closed at \$1.075, John at 256c; Squee. May closed at \$1,07%; July at \$5%c; See

Grain at San Francisco, SAN FRANCISCO, May 24.-Wheat and bar-

Wheat - Shipping, \$1.4714-61.524; milling, \$1.5561.661. Barley-Feed, \$1.225@1.25; brewing, \$1.25@ Outs-White, \$1.575@1.60; black, \$1.675@ Call board sales.

Wheat-May, \$1.46 bid, \$1.49% asked; Deember, \$1.24%. Barley-May, \$1.27 asked: December, 88%c. Corn-Large yellow, \$1.37%81.42%.

Coffee and Sugar,

NEW YORK, May 24. Coffee futures closed steady at a net decline of 10815 points. Sales, 55.250 bags, including May, 6.50c; July, 6.5586.85c; September, 6.7086.75c; October, 6.86c; December, 6.2687.05c; Spot Ric, easy; No. 7 invoice, Tigo: mild, gluet; Cordova. 10815c. No. 7 Invoice, 1-ac. miles, queet.
10%15c.
Sugar-Raw, steady: fair refining, 3-11-16c;
centrifugal, 96 test, 4-5-16c; molassee sugar,
3-7-16c. Refined aleady: crushed, \$6.35; powdered, \$5.95; granulated, \$5.85.

Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO, May 24. -On the Produce Ex-change today the hutter market was firm: creamery, 19921c; dairy, 16918c. Figur. casy, 15c; satras, 184c. Cheese, casy, 1021045c.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Butter, firm, Street prices, extra creamery, 221sc; official prices, creamery, rostimon to extra, 2002234c. Eggs and cheese, unchanged. New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, May 24.-Cotton futures close atendy at a net gain of 13620 points. May, 8.28c; June, 8.05c; July, 8.17c; August, 8.16c; September, 8.15c; October, 8.16c; November, 8.72c; December, 8.26c; January, 8.31c.

Wheat at Liverpool.
LIVERPOOL, May 24.—Wheat — May, nominal; July, in Mid; September, 6s 74d. Wheat at Tacoma.

TACOMA, May 24.-Wheat - Unchanged: bipestem, Mc; club, 82c. California Girl Marries Italian. West 474 FLORENCE May 5.—Miss Bernadette
Boblinson of Colusa Cal, has been married here to Licutenant David E. Trezzi.

SENSATIONAL JUMP OF NINE CENTS AT CHICAGO.

Wheat Pit Sympathetically Affected and Further Aided by Crop Damage Reports.

CHICAGO, May 24.-Following higher prices firm, initial quotations on July being up life lic. at 2007001c. In addition to the higher in the Northwest also affected the market Weather in the Southwest, however, was er tirely favorable to the bears clear skies and a rise in temperature being precisely the conditions needed by the Fall-sown crop. A lack of any definite damage reports inspired considerable confidence in shorts, who sold quite freely with the result that the market was decidedly nervous during the first two hours. After seiling at 90%grbtc, July decided to \$5%. Sentiment, however, gradually became more consistently builtsh as fresh reports of damage to the Spring wheat crop were received. Sharp advances at Minneapolis and Dututh gave complasts to the crop damage advices. While the news from the Southwest irely favorable to the bears, clear skies at

demand from shorts caused a final upward bound to 67c. The close was at 665c. In

bound to sife. The close was at 85ije. In asympathy with the arrength in May, July was strong, closing at 19\(\)@19\(\)e, a gain of \(\)65ic.

Oats were bullish as a result of the strength of other grains. July closed is up, at 20\(\)5c.

Provisions were quiet and strady. At the close July pork was up Tipe and land and ribs were each unchanged.

The leading futures ranged as follows: WHEAT.

May Open High Low Close May \$1.05 \$1 CORN. 38% 48% .48% 48% .48% DATE. MESS PORK LARD.

May 7.12% 7.17% 7.12% 7.15 July 7.22% 7.27% 7.22% 7.27% Sept. 7.47% 7.52% 7.47% 7.52%

Cash quotations were as follows:
Flour-Firm.
Wheat-No. 2 Spring, \$1,1081,12; No. 5, \$1.02
\$1,10; No. 2 red. \$1,0581,08.
Corn-No. 2 Style; No. 2 yellow, \$51ye.
Outs-No. 2 Mayer, No. 2 white, 3Dige; No. white, 314,8325c. Ryc-No. 2, 774,878c. Barley-Good feeding, 308,42c; fair to choice

Bartey-Good feeding, 20042c; fair to choice maiting, 400-40c.
Planeed-No. I, \$1.29; No. I Northwestern, \$1.42.
Mess pork-Per barrel, \$12.50812.35.
Lard-Per 100 pounds, \$7.2097.220; Short ribs sides-Loose, \$7.125,07.25.
Short clear sides-Boxed, \$7.2097.27; Clover-Contract grade, \$11.75612.25.

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