

The second month of the new year started in paths favorably, from a buildness standpoint. The Wissi matrixis are standpoint. The Wissi matrixis are standpoint. The wissi matrixis are standpoint. The second month of the standpoint. farm products are still bringing prices suf-fismantly good to induce growers to bet go of these, thus placing in circulation considerable momer. The continued mild weather results to a great saving of feed for stockmen, and were ii not for the government demand, there would be little or no only for har and feed. The weather is also bringing the wheat crop along in splendid shape, and millionthous are most favorable for an unsmally heavy yield, should there be no serious change in the situation within the next few weeks. Sheepmen are ju- 174;c; tanks, 154;c. blant over the prospect for wool, everything pointing to a big clip, and big prices. Mr. J. E. Bmith, a prominent woolgrower of Uma-Wills county, in discussing the outlook, is quoted my a Pendiston paper as follows:

By a remaining paper as introver, It will be the introvet ever known in the Neurity and the finest. The excellent way in Ulife absorp have paired through the winter and the splendid cibertion now insure an examoulinary large clip of the best possible matter that the splendid set of the best possible quality. Sheep are generally healthy, and, in Observations, the amount of wool from each P and will be larger and of much better grade han has beretofore been the case. At the close of fast week several mies of

hope were reported in the Valley, at prices j not far from 5 cents, and about 125 bales were anid at Chehalla last week at 6 cents. Some growers are very much discouraged over tha a, and are talking of plowing up their hop fields; but it is hardly possible that an-other hod year will follow the present one, and there will undoubtethy be enough of the growurs wilck to the husiness to enable Oregon to abow up as well as usual as a hopgrowing The San Francisco advicts report at improvement in the situation in choice grades. and very light offerings, with a fair movement of poor grades at reduced sutes. New crop quotations in the Day city are 6 to 9 cents. The pointo market showed signs of weakening last, week, and by Saturday night had lost about 10 to 15 cents per sental for the week although fancy Burbanks will still bling 65 to 80 conts per cental, sheet, pork and yeal are very firm, and the high prices asked for and pork have assisted in keeping up prices for poultry, chickens moving at patisthroughout last week. Butte is holding steady to firm for best grades, with surplus of common stock. The egg market is still suffering from mid weather, and at

ing to induce them to bet up very extensively on the cereal. The milling demand is still fairly heavy, and this naturally regulates prizes, so long as the needs of the exporter are not pressing. With not very much offering, and appe sharp bidding between mills, prices inst week covered a pretty wide range. and coward the close of the week some 1896 crop of Walia Walia, of a fancy grade, is reported to have brought 56 cents, a figure about Z to 4 cents above the best quotation that exporters would openly quote. Valier sold in a small way at 51 and 52 cents, and some beavy mifting stock brought a shade more. Ellueoled cary around 54 cents.

Chartering has been almost at a standstill, rating to the unreasonable rates demanded by conners for ships, either tiesr by or for newup leading. For the latter, a few fixtures were made at 35 shillings about a month ago; since then owners have advanced rates and are demanding 57s 6d for ships as far distanti as next September. The condition of the growing crop continues satellient, although there to still danger if a spell of extremely cold weather should strike some of the unprotected apple. The situation in California is thus set forth by the Conneccial News:

Buch by the Commercial News: In California the prospects for a very large error, and only of a good quality to be harvested mat June, are bright. The soil of the Sacra-mento valley and the morthern and bay sec-tions has been thoroughly sorted, and is now in excellent conflicton to be worked, and is now in excellent conflicton to be worked, the grow-ling grain looks fins. Derme fogs in the San Jungth valley have prevailed for several days, and formed for some prior of the sources. Jeaquin valley have prevailed for several days, and farmerif fear some roat-so far, however, mine has appeared. In the sourcers portion of the state mine rain would be of advantage, atthough there is as yet no immediate neckesity for it. The local market is dull, and quiet, having dropped back from the advanced far-taneous the middle of the work. Ships are more plentiful, but the outward movement shows no dustified moment. Therefore the the paratitut, but he outward movement shows no dealined horease. Exporters realize that there is plenty of shout leafing. So for this season, 2,588,760 centrals have been shipped, against 1,229,902 centrals at the same time last year.

Bank Clearings.

The bank clearings for the principal cities of the Northwest for the week ending Saturday, February 3, wore as follows:

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PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Bies, Whest-Walls Walls, 51(95); Veller, 510 So: brunnen: 500(54) per hadhel. Picur-Ben grades, 52 0502 30 per barrel;

grabani, \$2 25; superfind, \$2 15. Ouss-White, 25@56c; gray, 38@54c; stained,

294330c per lim Barley-Feed, \$150016; brewing, \$17 50015 54

Milleundis-diman, \$17 per tonj middlings, \$22. Minris, \$18; chics, \$18. Hay-Shendy: Limsthy, \$10931; slover, \$70 7 50; Oysan wild Eiz, \$007 per ton.

Batter, Ezza, Poulsry, Eie. Rutter-Pancy creamery, Bogbäc, meands, 42% Store-Sancy creamery, Bogbäc, seconds, 42% Store-Inglice per donain for Greege. Poultry-Chickens mixed, \$20% herm, \$40 4 50% ducks, \$50 % means, \$40 5 bit ducks, \$50 % means, \$40 5 bit ducks, \$50 % means, \$40 6 Game-Full cream, twice, 12%glike, Tours America, 14 per pound.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

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Grocerics, Nuts, Etc.

Confree-Morka, 23623c; Java, fancy, 26620c; Cantre-Morka, 23623c; Java, fancy, 26620c; Canta Piles, fanny, 16623c; do good, 10618c; de ardinary, 10612c per poind; Columbia, spant, 272 25 per cesse; Arbuckiw & 218 25, Lioo, 119 25, Baigar-Cube, 85 12%; crushel, 85 12%; peu-derwit, 86 17%; dry granulated, cane 85 22%,

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Money, Exchange, Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.-Steriling on Lon-on, \$4 85%; do sight, \$4 85%. Silver bars-00%c. Mexican dollars-48048%c

Drafus-Sight, 15c; telegraph, 1746. NEW YORK, Fub. 3.-Money on call, nomi-

NEW TORK, FUO. 8. -money on call, nomi-nal; has boins, nominal; prime mercantile paper, 405 per cent; streling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 64 875 09 4875; for demand, and at 84 884064 835; commarcial bills, \$4 855 and \$4 8864 885; commarcial bills, \$4 859698 845. Bilver certificates-09400016; Bar silver-0045; Bar sliver-80%

Mexican dellars 4716c. Bonds-Government, steady; state, inactive; railroad, irregular.

LONDON, Feb. 8 .- Consols, 100%.

Stocks in London,

LONDON, Feb. 8.—Canadian Pacific, 66%; Unich Pacific, preferred, 77%; Northern Pacific preferred, 77%; Atchlauc, 21; Grand Trank, 7%; Annoconda, 8%.

London Stock Exchange.

OMAHA, Pob. 3.-Cattle-Receipta, 700. Mur-Ret slow, dull, unitve best steers, 54 2566 50; Western steers, 5405 50; Prass steers, 55 706 5 30; cows and helfers, 52 2065 40; osithers, 5263; sixckers and leeders, 52 3065 12; osives, 53 5067; builts and stage, 52 7354 10. London Stock Exchange. LONDON, Peb. 4.—The stock exchange last week was brighter and mocks where rather more in demand, although the buying was chiefly on Coulinental account. The tone of all the markets was good. Friors were firm all along the line, except in consols, which nonshed 100%. Americans displayed decided strength mainly due to Berlin purchases, which seateday carried prices above parity. Money was slightly harder until Monday. 2 per cent for a week, 2% and on three months bills 325.

Favorable Week in Berlin,

THE GRAIN MARKETS.

American Ports.

ous price advances are reported.

BERLIN, Feb. 4.-The money market last week showed an interruption of the earing tendensy. The bourse had the most active week for months. Couless were firm. Jerms participated in the booming prices. The buil-ness Stuation continues very favorable. Numer-\$3 2065.

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Hoga-Receipts. 7500. Market weak to 5c lower: built of sales. 34 574404 675: heavy. 34 5068 775; packers. 34 6568 70; mixed. 34 65698 70; mixed. 34 65698 60; pices. 45 45694 60; Yorkers. 518ep-Receipts. 1000. Market steady; lambe. 45 60696 50; muttons. 3565 60.

Coffee and Sugar. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3 .- Wheat, steady; REW YORK, Feb. 3 -- Colles options closed

their necks." Just substitute "Spanish" for "British," and we have the same con-dition in Cuba when "parthous" were strug-gling for liberty. But why is it that the BAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.-Wool - Spring-Nevada, 128150 per pound: Eastern Oregon, 12
Gife: Oregon, valler, 20@22c. Fall-Northers mountain, 10012c; mountain, 8010c; plains, 80
No: Humboldt and Mendocino, 15071c.
Hops-1890 erop, 11613c per pound for choice. Millstuffs-Middlings, \$18921; bran, \$14 509 Catholic press and clergy are in sympathy with the Boers-a people that hate the Catholic? Such a course was never heard of before. Is not the secret in the fact that England is Protestant, and that the present is a good time for the Catholic press to deal old England a black eye? Ministume-moloinew, \$18921; Drnn. \$14 509 15 per ton. Hny-Wheat, \$6 5069 50 per ton; wheat and eat \$6 50690; barley, \$567; alfalfa, \$467 50; clover, \$708 per ton; straw, 306450 per balk. Potaines-Early Rose, Noc6\$1; river Burbanks, 50671bc; Salinas Burbanks, Sbett\$1 10; Oregon Burbanka, Toeb\$1 10 per eack; sweets, \$1 65 stil 75 ner central England has done more to civilize the

world than all Catholic countries com-bined. Can it be said of England that 60 per cent of her people cannot read?

I will not discuss the right or wrong of the British-Boer war, but it is my opinion that wherever a nation of people claiming civil and religious liberty for themselves will not tolerate and allow the same for peoples within its domain, the same ought to be taught to do so even if it takes Protestant England to do it. Spain wasted nearly four years and many lives and much money against the Cubans, and where was the sympathy of Cubana, and where was the sympathy of the Catholle press for the Cubans then? Let the Catholle press and clergy free their hands of their brothers' blood before they express such lavish sympathy for a little people struggling for liberty against the (British) vampire, lest we suspect its motive. Surely the Boers are able to take care of themselves so far, and those basis for motiven so far, and those hasty Boer meetings and press sentiments in their favor, before chiled for, are a political dodge for office-seekers, who will

political dodge for control of the surely get left. Let England teach the Boers to respect the rights and religious principles of other people before she claims to be fit to be called a republic, with all that if means. JAMES M. LEVEL.

For Newspaper Men Only. New York Times, A paragraph in this column the other day credited to the Troy Times some some hie remarks on the exemption of collage property from taxation that had in reality words their first annearable in the Troy property from taxation inst han in reality made their first appearance in the Troy Press. Realization of the blunder came next day, as it always does in such cases, and the comments that the Press would make on it were awalled, not exactly with apprehension, but with a resentful and therefore unpleasant certainty that our in-voluntary injustive would be denounces either with contemptionus score as est Weak and nervous women who suffer with beadaches (fig. 1), sunken eyes and dark rings under eyes (fig. 2), hollow checks and pile, film faces (fig. 3); conted hongoe and offensive breath (fig. 6), should take HUDYAN. These emiditions are in most instances the direct re-sult of some chronic aliment of the maternal organa. HUDFAN afforts immediate relief, for it goes to the bottom of the erfl and exerts its curative influence there. HUDFAN cures all uterine troubles. Dea't wall: take HUDYAN ilther with contemptuous scorn, as eri-dence of our unpardonable simpldity, or lae with hot anger, as proving the limit-essness of our malice. For it is a journalieseness of our malice. For it is a journal-intic habit lamentably common to inflict one or the other of these punkahments on a tripping contemporary whenever oppor-tunity offers, and of course they offer more frequently thus now and then. Yesterday the intvitable correction arrived, and was it flerce, was it scornful, did it find offense where none was intended, did it twist a mishap into a crime, did it daily of the expected things? Not one of them! Except for the not entirely kind age, all packages for \$2.50. If your druggin does not keep it, send direct in HUDTAN ALCHEDY CO., romer Stockton, Hills and Mar-ker streets, San Francisco, Cal.

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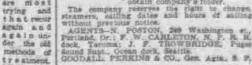
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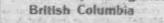


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EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Feb. S.-Cartle-Nominally steady; good to choice, \$5 22495 25; poor to medium, \$405; mixed, stockers, \$5 2263 55; selected feeders, \$2 2564 55; mod to choice cours, \$8 ab \$4.50; helfers, \$4 2565; commers, \$22660 50; buille, \$3 7509 80; culves, \$5697; fed Texas harms

Devine, 4460 20. Electric rel Hors-Assisse, sverage 5c lower; closed strong, top. 54 92%; good clearances; mixed and butca-ent. 54 40745 50; kood to choice heary, 54 7569 4 92%; rough heavy, 34 0084 70; light, 44 008 4 82%; bulk of mile, 34 70694 85.

SUS: Dulk of sales, \$4 75694 85.
Sheep-Strong: hmbs steady to slow: hmilve wethern, \$4 7565 40; lambs \$665 20; Western, \$4 7005 25; Western lambs, \$407 10.
Breelpts-Chills, 200; hogs, 30,000; sheep, 20,000;

Receipts for week-Cattle, 4500; hogs, 156,500

KANBAS CITT, Feb. 3.—Cattle-Receipts 100, Market unchanged: Texas sleers, 31 00068 75; Texas cows, 32 500/3 40; mailys steers, 34 550 5 40; mailys cows and helfers, 32 50005 50; stockers and fueders, 35 20055 25; buils,

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