COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS PROFESTED, Anaconda, 10%; Randa, 20%; Grand Trunk

treet pesterday, and some of it was not some selling at first hands by the local traders by first class, and moved slowly. General The industrials and the specialities made the street yesterday, and some of it was not strictly first class, and moved slowly. General trade was very good, with no price changes of trade was very good, with no price changes of any consequence. There is again a demand for segre for solpment to outside points, and the market is steadier. Old onlons have seared up to fancy, prices in San Francisco, good stock

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PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Plour, Etc. There is an easier feeling in the wheat mar-ets. In Europe and the East, where record-reaking shipments from Argentina sent prices erday in the face of small shipments from the country. Locally, 54c was generally Walla Walla, and 55c bid in the inquoted for Walla Walla, and 55c bid in the in-terior. Valley was in nominal demand at 54c, and bluestem easy at 56c57c. There was not much sold at these fluores, and the immediate wants of both exporters and milers are ap-parently well taken care of. Wheat—Walla Walla, 546c50c; Valley, 54c; bluestem, 55c57c are hunder.

bluestem, 56@57c per bushel. grades, \$2 7093; graham, \$2 50; superfine, \$2 10 per barrel. Oats-White, 35@36c; gray, 33@34c; stained,

Barley-Feed, \$14@14 50; brewing, \$17@17 54 per ton.

Milistuffa—Bran, \$12913 per ton; middings, \$18919; shorts, \$13915; chop, \$14.

Hay—Timothy, \$19910; clover, \$797 50; Oregon wild hay, \$697 per ton.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc. Vegetables Paranips, 60075c; carrots, 50c; turnips, 60 % 75c; onlone, \$2 50 % 3; cabbase. 10001\$1 per cental; potatoes, 400100c per sack; sweet potatoes, 2½470c; peas, 4½45c; beans, 10012c; asparagus, 405c; new potatoes, 2½c per

Pruit-Lemons, \$2 50@3; oranges, \$2@3 per box Fruit-Lemons, \$2 5093; oranges, \$2003 per box for navels, \$1 5092 for seedlings; tangerines, \$1 75; Japanese oranges, 75:03\$1 50 per box; pineapples, \$4 5096 per dozen; bananar, \$2 56 63 per bunch; Persian dates, 75;98c per pound; apples, \$191 50; pears, 75:03\$1 25 per bux. Dried fruit.— Apples, evaporated, 768c per pound; sun-dried, sacks or boxes, 495c; pears, soin and evaporated, 596c; plums, pitless, 48 56c; prunes, Italian, 34;95%c; sliver, extracholes, 5 & 6c; figs. Smyran, 224c; California

Mutton-Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, \$464 25; dressed, 767%; per pound; spring lambs, \$262 50 each. Hops-Gross, choice heavy, \$5; light, \$4 50, dressed, Diffilm one remains. s-Gross, choice heavy, \$5; light, \$6 50, d. 50 63c per pound.

Gross, top steers, \$464 50; cows, \$3 56 64; dressed beef, 61/67% per pound. Veal-Large, 61/67% per pound; small, 8

Provisions - Portland pack (Shield brand): emoked, are quoted at 18%c per pound, hams, 8%c per pound; breakfast bacot, bacon, 9%c; backs, 9%c dry salt sides, bacon, 9%c; backs, 9%c dry salt sides, Sign: dated beef, 17the per pound; lard, 5-pound patis, 10c; 10 - pound patis, 17the; 50s. 17the; tierces, 17the per pound. Eastern pack (Ham-mond's); Hame, large, 13c; mellium, 13the; small, 13the; picnic hams, 18the; shoulders, 18the; breakfast bacon, 12%c; dry sait sides, Significe bacon sides, 9@10%c; backs, 10c; butts, Sc; lard, pure leaf, kettle rendered, 5s, 10%c; 10s,

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops-365c per pound. Wool-Valley, 12 @ 13c for coarse, 16@18c for best; Eastern Oregon, 10@15c; mobair, 26827

epskine-Shearlings, 15620c; short-wool, 21 ; medium-wool, 20650c; long-wool, 60cg 51

Pelts — Bear skins, each, as to size, south, as to size, south, signs, badger, each, 50e; wildent, 5675c; housecat, 5625c; fox, common gray, 5675c; housecat, 5625c; fox, common gray, 5625t; marten, dark 40c9\$1 75; marten, dark Pelts - Bear skins, each, as to size, \$5@15; lynx, \$264 50; mink, 4006\$1 75; marten, dark Northern, \$5610; do pale, pine, \$264; musk-ret, 8612c; skunk, 50680c; otter (land), \$4 68; panther, with head and claws perfect. \$165; raccoon. 25660; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, \$3 50 605; wolverine, \$2 5066; beaver, per skin, large, \$667; do medium, per skin, \$465; do small, per skin, \$162; do kits. per skin, \$163. Tallow-565%c; No. 2 and grease, ShG4c per

Hides-Dry hides. No. 1, 16 pounds and up-ward, 189154c; dry kip. No. 1, 5 to 16 pounds, 15c per pound; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds. lic per pound; dry caif, No. 1, under 5 pounda; 15@16c; dry mited, one-third less than dry film; salted hides, sound steers, 60 pounds and ever, 83,05c; do 50 to 60 pounds. 83855c; de under 50 pounds and cows. 75,68c; ktp. 13 to 32 pounds, 75,68c; do veal, 10 to 14 pounds, 75,60 co. 1, under 10 pounds, 75,6c; green (unsalted), to per pound less; culls (bulla stags, motheaten, badly cut, scored hair slipped, weather beaten or grubby), one-third less.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Railroads Were Heavy. NEW YORK, April 6.-Speculation in the in-

NEW YORK, April 6.—Speculation in the industrials and the militoral stocks showed a distinct dividing fine today. Both departments were extremely irregular, but, generally speaking, the industrials were strong and the railroads were very heavy. The sagging tendency of the railroads seemed to be due for the most part to solling to take profits. The volume of the buying demand was very much diminished, the realizing was conducted therefore, under that much disadvantage. The selling was not in great volume, but when it did attain to any proportions the downward course of prices was quite fast. There were some prices was quite fast. There were some atts of strength in the relivoid list, but the few advances were not well maintained, and were not effective in sustaining the rest of the market. Pennsylvania was lifted at one time over a point, and other stocks to show strength were Baltimore & Ohio preferred, Missouri Pacific. Burlington, Canada Southern, and after an early period of weakness Southern. Pacific The lontingmed grock soil of shown Pacific. The last-named stock sold off sharply in the morning on rumors of dissensions among the directors, which were circulated by bears, and subsequently denied. This was about the only rairoad stock to reflect any positive aggressiveness, the bears showing a very cautious dispession, but the other Pacific stocks were sold more heavily than the average to take worth.

take profits.

London was a free seller, with considerable influence aron sentiment, and the news of souble in West Africa and the new mishap to

to fancy, prices in San Francisco, good stock bringing Sige per ib. This has stiffened up the local market, and prices are firm around 3c per pound for best stock. Oats are easier on a light demand and fairly good offerings. There is no demand for hay. Butter is much weaker, and dealers are contempiating a 5c reduction early next week. As a matter of fact, but few of the creamery brands were bringing over the stock of the creamery brands were bringing over the stock of the creamery brands were bringing over the stock of the creamery brands were bringing over the stock of the creamery brands were bringing over the stock of the creamery brands were bringing over the stock of the creamery brands were bringing over the stock of the creamery brands were bringing over the stock of the absorption of Ogden Gas. The Rubber of the absorption o movement with the interior by express has been considerably smaller both ways than last

> A further loan expansion is expected on ac-Sterling exchange rose sharply today under the influence of London selling of stocks, firmer money in London and easier money here. The rate is now within measurable distance of the gold-export point, and if the same conditions

> market, and priced yielded at some points Some Issues were well taken at advancing prices. Total sales, \$2.783,000. United States refunding 2a, when issued, declined by per cent, and the 3a, registered, advanced 34 per cent in

Sound.

Sound. STOCKS. The total sales of stocks today were 606,300

*Ex dividend; offered.

Money Exchange, Etc. SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Sterling on Lon-on—00 days, \$4 83%; do sight, \$4 87%. Silver hars—60c.

Mexican dollars 485649c. Drafts-Sight, 174c; do telegraphic, 20c.

NEW YORK, April 6.-Money on call, steady nt 3674 per cent, last loans, 374.
Prime mercantile paper—43,655 per cent.
Sterling exchange—Strong, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4 867,694 867, for demand and at \$4 85%,64 85% for 60 days; posted rates. \$4 8464 87%; commercial bills, \$4 82% 54 83.

Silver certificates -004@61%c.

Har eliver-CO%c. Mexican dollars-47%c. Bonds-Government, irregular; state, inaci-ive; railroad, irregular.

LONDON, April 6 .- Consols-101%.

Foreign Finnneinl News NEW YORK, April 6.-The Commercial Ad-

verther's London financial cablegram mays:

The markets here were very slack and dull in
tone. The war news came too late to exercise
any influence, but consols were down 5-16, and
the war loan is now at a premium of 15Americans were very idle and weak throughout the session. It would have been difficult to
sell large amounts without a heavy break.
There was an attempted rally in New York's
opening, but it failed, and prices closed at the
bottom. The sharpest fall was in Southern Pacific. London is disposed to take profits all
around, and is nervous lest New York realizes
on its favorites. If this does not happen, a revival is probable after Easter. vival is probable after Easter.

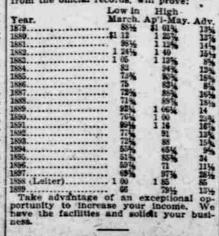
but the bank got back a fair amo

Stocks in London. LONDON, April 6.—Canadian Pacific, 100; Union Pacific preferred, 794; Northern Pacific

WHEAT!

The Industrials Were Strong and A Most Astonishing Record

Purchases of wheat made in March in-variably show a good profit during April and May, as the following table, compiled from the official records, will prove:



CULLISON & CO.

Prices for Cereals in European and

BAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Whent and bar ley; spot, quiet. Oats, dull. Spot quotations:

Spot quotations:
Wheat—No. 1 shipping. 96%c; choics. 97%c;
milling, 98%c6\$1 01%.
Barley—Fred, 70973%c; brewing. 80982%c.
Oats—Gray, Oregon, \$1 07%g1 12%; milling.
\$1 1561 17%; red, 85c6\$1 15.
Call board seles:
Wheat—Easy; May, 26%c; December, \$1 03%;
cash 97%c

cash, 971/c.

Barley—Easy; December, 73%c.

Corn—Large yellow, \$1 10@1 15.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

CHICAGO, April 6.—May wheat opened 16 %c improved, at 671,00716 to 6716c, under the influence of better cables than expected and the decreased Argentine shipments. For a brief time trade was fairly active and the tone firm. Not much trade developed, however, the weather was excellent from a cropraler's standard the safety core strength because of the safety core strength because the point, and the early corn strength began to de pit crowd took to selling, and May relapsed to 60%. The liberal Western receipts cut some figure in the decline. At the bottom the shipping business improved, and, helped by the cov-ering by shorts, May recovered to 66%c, and closed steady, %@%c under yesterday, at 66%

corn began the session with vigor for May to 30%c. A rally followed shorts covering, and May reacted to 40%c, at which the market closed, in a steady condition, %6%c un-

fer yesterday. handsome to be overlooked, and much long stuff came out. The decline brought out many sales on stup-loss orders, and Liverpool re-ported another 6d rise in Cumberland cut bacon. May pork closed 30c under yesterday, May lard Two down and May ribs 5c depress There was a fair trade in oats, influencern. May closed steady, 16% depress. The leading futures ranged as follows:

Opened, Highest, Lowest, Closed, 40 675, 40 675, 50 675, 607 April 40 674 50 674 50 628, July 685 685 675, September 698 698 698 688 CORN.

corn and provisions. Selling motives were also found in favorable crop weather and small export demand. Just at the close prices railied on covering, and were finally steady at %0 net decline. May closed at 73%; July, 73%; September 18 of the control of the control of the control of the covering and were finally steady at %0 net decline. Wool-Quiet. Hope-Steady.

European Grain Markets. LONDON, April 6.-Wheat-Cargoes on pass age, quiet and steady; cargoes of No. 1 stand-ard California, 350 3d; cargoes of Walla Walla, 25s 6d; English country markets, part dearer.

LIVERPOOL, April 6.—Wheat, firm; wheat in Paris, steady; flour in Paris, quiet; French country markets, quiet. Spot wheat, firm; No. 2 red Western Winter, 6s 1d; No. 1 Northern 2 res western winter, 48 ld; No. 1 Northern Spring, 6e 15d. Futures, firm; April, nominal; May, 5e 10%d; July, 5e 9%d. Corn-Spot, American mixed, new, steady, 4s 1%d; old, firm, 4s 2%d. Futures, firm; May, 4s 2%d; July, 4e 2%d; September, 4e 2%d.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Wool—Spring—Nevada, 18615c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 12 615c; Valley, Oregon, 20622c. Fall—Northern, mountain, 10612c; mountain, 8610c; plaina, 8610c; Humboldt and Mendocino, 14615c.

Hops—1606 crop, 11613c per pound for choice. Millstuffs — Middlings, \$17620; bran, \$126

y-Wheat, \$669 to; wheat and out, \$669

Hay—Wheat, \$609 50; wheat and oat, \$609 best barley, \$507; alfaifs, \$506 50; stock, \$509 50; compressed wheat, \$7010 per ton; straw, 25040c per bale.

Pointoes—Early Rose, 65075c; River Burbanks, 40075c; Oregon Burbanks, 650931 per cental; sweet potatoes, \$2 4002 50 per cental. Verenthies—Silverskin onlose, \$2 2506. Vegetables - Silverskin onions, \$3 25@4 per cental; garlic, 2%@3\6; green peas, 1@11%; string beans, 5@70; dred okan, 22\6 per pound; asparagus, 65c@\$1 50 per box; egg plant, 5@

-Choice, \$1 25; common, 50c. Citrus fruits-Orangea, naveis, \$1 2563 25; Mexican limea, \$566; common California lem-ons, \$1; do choice, \$1 2561 50 per box. Bananas-\$1 25@3 25 per bunch

Butter-Fancy creamery, 176174c; seconds, 166164c; fancy dairy, 16c; do seconds, 14615c Cheese California, new, T@Sc; Young Amer les, 81/29c; Eastern, 161/617c per pound. Eggs-Store, 181/614c; fancy ranch, 141/616c

Eggs—Store, 135,6714c; fancy ranch, 143,6716c per dozen.

Poultry — Turkey gobblers, 10611c; do hens, 12613c per pound; cid roosters, \$3 5064 per dozen; young do, \$566 50; small broilers, \$2 206 3 50; large do, \$464 50; fryers, \$566; hens, \$3 65 50 per dozen; geese, \$262 25 per pair.

Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 16,045; wheat, centals, 1520; barley, centals, 3630; oats, centals, 1340; do Oregon, 300; beans, sacks, 143; corn, centals, 800; potations, sacks, 1818; do Oregon, 1853; bran, sacks, 578; middlings, sacks, 120; hay, tons, 404; wool, bales, 132; hides, 471.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500.

Market generally firm and active. Natives, best on sale today, 25 '40; good to prime steems, 25 '85' 50; poor to medium, 24 25 '84' 50; selected feeders, 24 20 4 25; mixed stockers, 23 25 94' 50; convex, 23 94' 50; heifers, 25 25 94' 75; canners, 22 27 35; buils, 27 75 94' 25; calves, 25 25 97' 25.

Texans—Receipts, none; Texas fed steers, 24 95' 5 10; Texas buils, 23 20 93' 60.

Hogs—Receipts today, 27,000; estimated fo-morrow, 20,000; left over, 25 00. Market 5 910; conver; top, 25 57 94; good cieraranes; mixed and butchers, 25 20 95' 57 94; rough heavy, 25 25 95' 575; light, 25 20 95' 575; rough heavy, 25 25 95' 575; light, 25 20 95' 575; but of sales, 25 even 5 25.

Sheep—Sheep and lambs, active and stronger;

Sheep and lambs, active and stronger; good to choice wethers, \$696 30; fair to choice mixed, \$566; Western sheep, \$5 6596 30; yearlings, \$5096 65; native lamits, \$5 0007 40; Western lambs, \$607 40.

OMAHA. April & - Cattle - Receipts, 2400.

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Hogo-Receipts, 6500. Market shade lower, mixed, \$5 25:65 30; light, \$5 223:95 30; bulk of sales, \$5 25:95 30.

Sheep-Receipts, 1000. Market steady; fair to choice natives, \$5 80:95 25; fair to choice westerns, \$5 80:95 15; common and choice sheep, \$4 50:95; lambs, \$6:97 15.

Explorers Lack Funds.

KANSAS CITY, April 6.-Cattle-Re \$495 25; native cows and belfers, \$1 7594 60; about stockers and feeders, \$2 7595 25; bulls, \$2 75 work

Hogs-Receipts, 2000. Market 5c lower; bulk of sales, \$5 35@5 45; heavy, \$5 35@5 50; packers, \$5 35@5 45; mixed, \$5 30@5 40; light, \$5 15 @5 37%; Yorkers, \$5 20@5 37%; pigs. \$4 75@5 30. Sheep-Receipts, 2000. Market steady; lambs, \$5 7500; muttons, \$3 3506 10.

The Metal Markets. NEW YORK, April 6.—Tin continues to decline under an absence of sellers and easier advances from abroad. Spelter ruled steady. Lead ruled dull, closing unchanged. Pig-iron warrants, quiet: Lake copper, \$17; tin. \$30.95 (931-12%; spelter, \$4.72%; \$17%; lead, \$4.67%; \$4.72%. The firm that fixes the selling price for miners and smelters quotes lead at \$4.60 at the close. Bar silver, 50%c.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.-Bar silver, 60c. LONDON, April 6.-Bar silver, 2744.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Coffee—Options closed firm and unchanged to 19 points higher; sales, 9000 bags, including May at \$6.60; June, \$6.60; \$6 70. Spot, Rio, dull; No. 7, involce No. 7, jobbing, 8%c. Mild, quiet; Cordova

Sugar-Raw, firm, quiet. RARE WAMPUM BELTS.

A Collection of Specimens in Chi-

Chicago Times-Herald. Chicago possesses 11 wampum belts of extraordinary rarity and value. They are the last perfect specimens of the North American Indian war and peace belts in existence, and may become a part of the collection of Indian relics now in the Field Columbian Museum. The 11 belts are the property of Thomas R. Roddy, otherwise known as White Buffalo, chief of the Winnebago Indians. Mr. Roddy has lived with the Indians his entire life. He has given their habits, the utensile of their daily life and their sections. their daily life and their symbolism faithful study. His belts he values at \$25,000. Three ordinary belts of the John Boyd Thacher collection sold for \$5000 a few days ago. The Smithsonian Institution, with all its research for the Government, has not yet been able to secure a wampum of the complete character of that held by Mr. Roddy. Catalogued, the 11 belts

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York, 200 years old. No. 4-Five Nations' war belt. No. 5-Black Hawk belt. No. 6-First William Penn belt, 218 years No. 7-Governor Denny beit of 1758. No. 8-Red Jacket belt of 1825. No. 9-Captain Brant belt of 1750.

No. 10-French peace belt, 200 years old. No. 11-French mission belt.

Eugene Register.
The thousands of voters in the Willamette Valley, who are busy at the mills, mines, arts, trades and on the farms, will have little time to listen to the spoutings of William Bryan, who has done nothing for four years but ride all over the United States in Pullman cars and make speeches for so much a night. They don't get their money that way, and they have little sympathy for the man who neither tolls

Chicago News.

Archaelogical explorations in Algeria are 6000. Market steady to strong; Texas steers. Archaelogical explorations in Algeria are \$3694 65; Texas cown, \$3694 15; native steers, larging, owing to lack of funds. Only about \$10,000 a year is available for the work at Timgad. The Government has assigned \$100,000 to pay for researches in Delphi, and all the objects found become the property of the Greek Government, so it is little wonder that Frenchmen are dissatisfied at the favor shown to Greece. There are still over 100 acres to be ex-cavated at Timgad, and the work can be

carried on but slowly. Sometimes Better.

Detroit Free Press.

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