CHECKED ADVANCE IN PRICES.

the Money Market Also Had

a Chilling Effect.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.-The notable early strength in today's stock market was appar

ently due to a resumption of activity on the

part of some of the recently passive specula-

tive pools. The so-called Western contingent

was credited with large transactions. The op-erators on the bull side professed to have ad-

vance information of the contents of the Pres-ident's message. Either their information or

the judgment of its effect was at fault, accord-

ing to the action of the market after the pub

STOCKS.

Chesapenke & Ohio. Chicago & Alton. do pfd . Chicago & Eastern Ili. Chicago Great Western

do let pfd ...

do pfd.
International Power
Laclede Gas
National Biscuit
National Lead
North American

ted States Rubber.

United States Rubber...
do pfd ...
United States Steel ...
do pfd ...
Western Union
American Locomotive ...
do pfd ...
Kansas City Southern ...
do pfd ...
Rock Island ...
do pfd ...

U. S. 2s, ref. reg. 107% Atchis

Total sales for the day, 713,500 shares. * BONDS.

U. S. 2s, ref. reg. 1075, Atchison adj. 4s. 91
do coupon ... 1684, C. & N.W. con. 7s. 134
do 3s, reg. ... 1675, D. & R. G. 4s. ... 101
do coupon ... 168 N. T. Cent. 1sts. ... 102
do new 4s, reg. ... 1354; do 4s. ... 1034
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do coupon ... 1084; Southern Pac. 4s. 914
do coupon ... 1034; Union Pacific 4s. ... 1045
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48.200 84% 82% 83 3.500 99% 98% 98% 25,600 100% 98% 98% 93%

8.500 129% 127% 121% 200 82% 81 81 81 1.700 48% 40% 44% 2.300 84% 30 23

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BREWERS DON'T BUY

But Are Expected in Hop Market Next Month.

GROWERS LOOK FOR ADVANCE

Few Transactions in the Market Now -Last Sale Reported Averaged 26 Cents-Trade in other Lines.

who can hold them. The market at the moent is quoted weak by the majority of the rade, and there is certainly little doing, but oole who have studied the situation are firmwinced that prices will go up after the ret of the year. They may advance before tion, but the indications are rather toward a er to so back a peg just before Christmas on selling by growers, and the same course he followed this year, though the farmers he turn of the year. Brewers have been olding off, many of them declaring they have home to carry them over. This is taken on the Government's figures of a ily in January if they find that prices have not dropped back to the figures ruling in the part of the season.

unders' lot of 53 bales at Butteville. They ere taken by Lillenthal's agent at 25%c and the entire lot averaging 26c. The Polk County Remizer says there are no

few unsold hops in the vicinity of Dallus. W, P. Craven has 56 bales; George Rowedliffe. Fenton & Tener, 27. At Richreall, Fred Koser. Samuel Orr and Judge Burch still hold Henry Clanfield has 168 bales at Ballston and 107 on the Lucklamute. H. F. Bidwell, of North Yambill, writes to

deny the report that he has sold his hops to Mr. Oppenheimer-at 25%c, nor has he offered to dispose of his crop at this price. Pacific Rural Press says it is estimated

that four-fifths of the hop crop in California

PORTLAND MARKETS.

BARLEY-Feed, \$23 50 per ton; brewing, \$24; olied, \$24 50.

MILLSTUFFS-Bran, \$18619 per ton; mid-lings, \$25674; shorts, \$19629; chop, \$18.

OATS-No. 1 white, \$1 1561 1716; gray, \$1 1216

15 per cental. 1AY-Timothy, \$10@11; clover, \$9; wheat,

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

Vegetables, Fruit. Etc.

A fairly active business was reported. Recipits included a car of Port Limon bananas and one of Chiroquis. Italian chestnuts are on sale at 16c per pound.

Prices Current for Produce at the Bay City.

SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO per dealers for Limon bananas gon potatoes are well sustained. Fancy onlons are firm.

New York half of the Produce at the Bay City.

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Vegetables—Cucumbers, 756981 per box; garcarrots, 756980; beets, \$1 per sack; parsnips,
\$1 per sack; cauliflower, Los Angeles, 85c per
duzen; cabbage, 1½c per pound; celery, Los
Angeles 56980c; Denver, \$1 per dozen; lettuce, head, per dozen, 25c; hothouse, \$1 7562
per box; green onions, per dozen, 12½c; cucumbers, 756681 per box; green peppers, 485c
per pound; dry Chile peppers, 26c per pound;
1 56 per hundredweight.
GREEN FRUIT—Apples, tables, 85681 25
per box; cooking, 56875c; pears, 756681 25
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per erate; Cornichon, \$1 25; quinces, Oregon,
856831 per box; cranberries, 71llamook, \$7 per
harrel; Jarsey, \$11; Wisconsin, Bell & Cherry,
\$11611 50; persimmons, \$1 25 per box.
TROPICAL FRUIT—Lemons, \$3 5084 per
boxbox; oranges, new crop navels, \$3 5084 reboxbox; oranges, new crop navels, \$3 5084 repoweersmates, \$1 50 per box.
DRIED FRUIT—Apples, evaporated, 7½c per
pound; string beans, \$620c per pound; toniatoes, 50261 25; common, 40665c; egg plant, 75c
apples—Choice, \$1 75; common, 30c.
Limes—Mexican, \$494 50.
California liemons—Choice, \$3; common, \$1.
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California liemons—Choice, \$2; common, \$1.
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pound; sun-dried, sacks or boxes, 566c; apricota, ThigSo; peaches, TegBe; pears, ThigSsic; prunes, Italian 4166c; figs, California blacks, Sc; do white, 55490c; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, 416554c. RAISINS-Loose Muscatel, 4-crown, 74c; 3-

crown, Thie: 2-crown, 6he: unbleached seedless Muscatel raisins, The: unbleached seedless Sultins, 6he: London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 29 pounds, \$1.75; 2-crown, \$1.65.
POTATOES—Best Burbanks, 60(200 per sack; ordinary, 500(500 per cental, growers' prices; Merced sweets, \$2 per cental.
ONIONS—Oregon and Washington, 75-681 per cents.

cental; shippers' price in carload lots, 50c per

COFFEE-Mochs, 23628c; Java, fancy, 268 82c; Java, good, 25624c; Java, ordinary, 186 20c; Costa Rica, foncy, 18629c; Costa Rica, good, 16918c; Costa Rica, ordinary, 10912c per pound; Columbia roast, \$10.75; Arbuckle's, \$11.25 list; Lion, \$19.75.

pound: Columbia roast. \$10 75; Arbuckle's, \$1 25 fist; Lion, \$20 75.

RICT. Imperial Japan, No. 1, 5%c; No. 2, 5%c; Carolina head, 787%c.

SALMON Columbia River, I-pound talls, \$1 85 per dozen; 2-pound talls, \$2 75; fancy l-pound flats, \$1 20; hi-pound flats, \$1 25; dancy l-pound flats, \$1 20; acckeye, I-pound talls, \$1 25; real i-pound talls, \$1 30; acckeye, I-pound talls, \$1 45; 1-pound flats, \$1 30; acckeye, I-pound talls, \$1 45; 1-pound flats, \$1 30; acckeye, I-pound talls, \$1 45; 1-pound flats, \$1 60; pounds flats, \$1 60; p GRAIN BAGS-Calcutta, \$6 2500 50 per 100

for anot.

SALT-Liverpool, 50s. \$20 80 per ton; 100s, \$20 40. 200s, \$19 50; half ground, per ton; 50s, \$10 10. 200s, \$15 50; Worcester salt; bulk, \$20s, \$5 per barrel, linen sacks, 50s, 80c per sack.

OHSS-Cost oil cases, 22c per galion; barrels, 17c; tanks, 13c; bolled linseed, cases, 62c; barrels, 57c; raw linseed, cases, 60c; barrels, 57c; raw linseed, cases, 60c; barrels, 65c; tron barrels, 65c; cases, 65c; cases, 65c; cases, 194c. Collier and Atlentic white and red lead, in lots of 500 pounds or more, 6c; less than 500 pounds, 64c.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—Choice 254c@264c per pound; prime to choice 244c@25c; prime, 24c; medium, 220 ter taste in the mouth, coated tongue. Bit BIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, You need Carter's Little Liver Pills.

lö@15½c per sound; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 12c; dry calf. No. 1, under 5 pounds, 10c; dry-salted bulls and stags, one-third less than dry film; salted hides, steers, sound, 0 pounds and over, 5490; 50 to 60 pounds, 768c; under 50 pounds and cows, 7c; stags and bulls, sound, 565½c; ktp, sound, 15 to 20 pounds, 7c; veal, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 7c; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 8c; green (unsalted), 10 per pound less; horse hides, salted, each, 21-50g2; dry, each, \$10 1 50; colts' hides, each, 250g2c; grat skinn, common, each, 100[15c; Angura, with wool on, each, 25cg21.

WOOL-Valley, 12½@13c; Eastern Oregon, 80 14½c; mohair, 260 25c.

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PELTS-Bear skins, as to sine, No. 1, each, \$56:52; cubs, \$225c; badger, each, 100:40c; wildcat, 256:50c; house cat, 56:10c; fox, common gray, each, 305:50c; do red, each \$1 50:62; do cross, each, \$55:6; do silver and black, each, \$160:620c; fisher, each, \$56:6; lynx, each, \$25:2; mink, strictly No. 1, each, 50:62:10c; marten, dark Northern, \$66:12; marten, pale pine, according to size and color, \$150:62; muskrata, large, each, 56:10c; skunk, each, 40:50c; elvet or polecal, each, 56:10c; otter, for large prime skins, each, 30:50c; wolf, prairie (coyote), without head, each, 50:35; medium wool, 30:36:0c; long wool, 50:65; each, Socisi each.
TALLOW-Prime, per pound, 465c; No. 2 and

Ertare, 24-63: Ments and Provisions.

BEEF-Gross, cows, \$393.60; steers, \$494.25; dressed. 7%; per pound.

VEAL-7465%; per pound.

MUTTON-Gross, \$3; dressed, 6c.

LAMDS-Gross, \$3.50; dressed, 64s.

HOGS-Gross, \$696.25; dressed, 767%;
LARD-Portland, tierces, 13%; per permitted.

LAMNS—Gross, \$666 215; dressed, 18112— LARD-Portland, tierces, 134c per pound; tubs, 154c; 50c, 134c; 20s, 134c; 10s, 134c; 3s, 14c. Compound, tierces, 94c per pound; tubs, 94c; fine, 10s, 154c; seconds, 5s, 144c; 10s, 144c. BACON Portland, 1696 19c per pour.1; Eastern, fancy, 174c; standard, heavy, 154c; bacon

bellies, 1514c.
HAMS-Portland, 144c per pound: picnic, 104c per pound: Eastern fancy, 144c916c.
DRY-SALTED MEATS-Portland clears, 136
14c; backs, 124c9184c; bellies, 15616c; plates, 16c; backs, 124c9184c; bellies, 15616c; plates, 16c; backs, 16c;

10c; butts, 8610c.
SAUSAGE-Portland, ham, 12½c per pound;
minced ham, 16½c; Summer, choice dry, 17½c;
Belogna, long, 8c; weinerwursts, 9c; liver, 7c;
pirk, 9c; blood, 7c; head cheese, 7c; bologna ausare dink, Tige.

PiCKLED GOODS-Portland, pigs' feet, 4borrels, \$4 50; 15-bound kit,

Tripe, 34-borrels, \$5 50; 15-bound kit,

Tripe, 34-borrels, \$5 50; 14-barrels, \$2 55; 15-pound kit, \$1; pigs' tongues, 1/2-barrels, \$6; 1/4-barrels, \$3; 45-pound kits, \$1 25.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Chleago, Omaha and Kansas City.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 9690, in-cluding 260 Texans. Market steady. Good to prime steers, 55 7567; poor to medium, 858 5 75; stockers and feeders, 8264 60; cows, \$1 40

5 75; stockers and feeders, \$226 90; cows, \$1 406 (§4.50; helfers, \$2265; canners, \$1 4062 40; bulls, \$224 50; calves, \$3 5026 75; Texas fed-steers, \$2 2504 85. Eogs-Receipts today, 45,000; tomorrow, 40,-000; left over, 7500, Market averaged 56210; higher. Mixed and butchers, \$5 8026 30; good to choice heavy, \$6 25026 50; rough heavy, \$5 70 (§6.10; light, \$5 6026 10; bulk of sales, \$626

worth Tie and bluesten 78c for exporting purposes. The mills have been buying rather FLOUR-Valley, \$3 3503 50 per barrel; hard wheat straights, \$3 3503 65; hard wheat patents, \$1 6064 10; Dakota hard wheat, \$4 402 6300, Tarkiam, \$2 3063 60; Directory of the WHEAT-Walla Walla, 7bc; bluesten the Straights, \$3 3503 65; bluesten the Straights, \$3 3503 65; hard wheat patents, \$3 5064 10; Dakota hard wheat, \$4 402 6300, WHEAT-Walla Walla, 7bc; bluesten the Straights, \$3 3503 65; bard wheat patents, \$3 5064 10; Dakota hard wheat, \$4 402 6300, WHEAT-Walla Walla, 7bc; bluesten the Straights, \$3 3503 65; bard wheat patents, \$3 5064 10; Dakota hard wheat, \$4 402 6300, WHEAT-Walla Walla, 7bc; bluesten the Straights, \$3 5065 20; Western the Straights, \$3

RANSAS CITY, Dec. 2. Chilic receipts, 16,000. including 1500 Texans. Market steady. Native steers. \$2.2066; Texas and Indian steers. \$2.5094 25; Texas cows. \$292 85; native cows and heifers. \$1.5094; stockers and feeders. \$5.94 25; bulls. \$2.5095 50; calves. \$2 25@6.

\$2 25@6. Hogs-Receipts, 15,000. Market 5@74c lower; bulk of sales, \$6@6 12%. Heavy, \$6@6 15; packers, \$5 974@6 10; medium. \$6@6 15; light, \$5 90@6 05; Yorkers, \$6@6 05; pigs, \$5 50 Sheep—Receipts, 8000, Market steady, Muttons, \$363 40; lambs, \$365 20; range wethers, \$363 50; ewes, \$363 85.

OMAHA, Dec. 2—Cattle—Receipts, 2500, Market steady and lower. Native steers, \$3.75 66 25; cows and heifers, \$364; Western steers.

Butter, Eggs. Poultry, Etc.

Receipts of chickens are increasing, but there has been no improvement in the demand since Thenkeniving, and not much business is looked for in any kind of poultry this week. The butter market is quoted wenk under a plentiful supply. Eastern cheese in on the market, and santher carioad is expected. Eggs are steady. PoultrRy—Chickens, mixed. Safet 25; per paund, 10c; hens. \$464.50 per dozen; per pound, 10c; Springs. \$360.50 per dozen; per pound, 10c; Springs. \$360.50 per dozen; per pound, 10c; Springs. \$360.50 per dozen; turkeys, live. 13c; dressed 15c; geese, \$666.50 per dozen; turkeys, live. 1

VEGETABLES—Turnips, 75980c per sack; parsnips, 1 per sack; calliflower, Los Angeles, 55c per largeles, 150 per pound; celery, Los angeles, 550 dbc; per pound; c Wheeling & Lake Erie, do 2d pfd. Wisconain Central do pfd Express Companies— Adams

banks, 75c@\$1 05.

Poultry—Turkey gobbiers, 14@16c; do. hens, 14@16c; dd roosters, \$4 50@5; de young, \$5@6; small broilers, \$2@4; do large, \$4@4 50; fryers, \$4 50@5; hens, \$4 50@5 50; old ducks, \$3@4; do young, \$4 50@6 50; small broilers, \$3@4; do large, \$4@4 50; fryers, \$4 50@5; hens, \$4 50@6 50; old ducks, \$3@4; do large, \$4@4 50; fryers, \$4 50@5; hens, \$4 50@6 50; old ducks, \$5@4; do young, \$4 50@6 50. MiscellaneousAmalgamated Copper
Amer. Car & Foundry.
do pfd
American Linseed Oil.
do pfd

do pfd
Amer. Smelt. & Refin.
do pfd
Anaconda Mining Co.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit
Colorado Fuel & Iron.
Consolidated Gas
Cunt. Tobacco pfd.
General Electric
Hocking Coal
International Paper
do pfd. fryers, 34 50/35; hem. 34 50/35 50; old ducks, \$3/34; do. young, \$4 50/96 50.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 3/c; do seconds, 30c; famcy dairy, 30c; do seconds, 27c.

Eggs—Fancy ranch, 40c; Enstern, 24/32/c.

Chemse—Young America, 15/216c; Eastern,

Wool-Fall-Humboldt and Mendicino, 130 14c; mountains, 8610c. Hay—Wheat, \$12015; wheat and oats, \$11 50 614; barley, \$8 50@10 50; alfalfa, \$8011 50; clover, \$7 50@9 50; straw, 40@65c per bale.

Milistoffs-Bran, \$19 50@20 50; middlings, \$28 50625.

Receipts—Flour, 18,561 quarter sacks; do Oregon, 6800 quarter sacks; wheat, 2815 centals; do Oregon, 5806 centals; barley, 61,765 centals; oats, 104 centals; do Oregon, 8250 centals; beans, 7804 sacks; corn, 470 centals; polatoes, 5760 sacks; do Oregon, 836 sacks; bran, 56 sacks; do Oregon, 1000 sacks; middlings, 450 sacks; hay, 122 tons; wool, 167 bales; hides, 630.

Dairy Produce at Chiengo. CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—On the Produce Ex-change roday the butter market was firm; treameries, 18928c; dairies, 17924c, Cheese—Firm, 114612c. Eggs—Steady; loss off, cases returned, 24c.

Mining Stocks.	
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Official closis quotations for mining stocks:	ıg
Helcher	59 16 00 21 17 13 5 21 50 24 3

	Ansonda 4½ New York Cent. 400 Atchison 85% Nor. & W. pfd. 93½ do pfd 101½ Ontario & Western 35%
220011110 000 111 000000000 11111111 0 00	Can. Pacific 132% Reading 31% Ches. & Ohio. 45% do 1st pfd. 44% Chi. Gr. Western 20% do 24 pfd. 39 Chi. M. & St. P. 181 Rands 10% De Beers 22% Southern Ry 34% Denver & Rio Gr. 41% do pfd. 34% do pfd. 22 Southern Pacific 65%
BOSTON, Dec. 2.—Closing quotations; Adventure\$ 14 25 Parrott\$ 22 50 Allouez2 25 Quincy 100 00 Amaigamated	Louis & Nash 13816 Wahash 2011

Adventure \$ 14 25 Parrott \$ 22 50 Allouez 2 2 37 Quincy 1600 Quantification Allouez 3 2 37 Quincy 1600 Quantification Allouez 3 2 30 Trinity 5 75 Cal. & Hecla 420 Quillet Copper 30 50 Centennial 18 Quillet Copper 30 50 Centennial 18 Quillet States 21 62 Copper Ennge 35 50 Utah 22 50 Franklin 8 Quillet 5 00 Cecola 50 Quillet 50 Quillet 5 00 Cecola 50 Quillet 50 Quillet 5 00 Quillet 5 00

Portland Clearings Balances.

\$704,029 \$110,500
Scattle \$21,712 15...20
Tacoma \$438,408 05.201
Spokane 580,212 115,790 Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Money on call firm, at they and the bartender searched. The 54,67% per cent; closing bid, 566% per cent. Time money firm; 60 days, 6 per cent; 90 days, appeared.

Bank Clearings.

6 per cent: 6 months, 5406 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5566 per cent.

Sterling exchange steady at advance, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4 87.25 for demand, and at \$4 83.7564 83.80 for 60 days' bills; posted rates, \$4 84% and \$4 87; commercial bills, \$4 825684 83%. EFFECT ON STOCKS PUBLICATION OF THE MESSAGE

Bar silver, 45%c. Mexican dollars, 37%c. Bonda-Government easy; state steady; rail-roads easier

Indication of Renewed Trouble in LONDON, Dec. 2.-Bar effver uncertain, 224d

Money, 363% per cent. I Rate of discount for short bills, 3%93 15-18 her cent; for three months' bills, 3 18-1865% Consols for money, 92 9-16; for account, 92% SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.-Silver bars, 48140

Mexican dollars-Nominal. Draft-Sight, par; telegraph, 24c. Sterling on London-Sixty days, \$4 81; sight,

Daily Treasury Statement

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.-Today's Treasury Available cash balances \$203,724,731

NEW YORK HOPS QUIET. Prunes Show a Strong Tone and an Active Movement.

ing to the action of the market after the publication of the message. The advance halted about the time the delivery of the message to Congress was due. The market lacked all power of resistance to the selling movement from that time forward, and the selling pressure gained in force until near the close, which was duil and heavy. The effect to the recent upward course of the speculation in the local tractions had a depressing effect on the general market. The decline in tractions was due to a natural decire to take profits, but also, in part, to the announcement that a ju-NEW YORK, Dec. 2 - (Special.) - Hops ruled quiet today, little business of moment being noted. The tone is strong, dealers both here also, in eart, to the announcement that a judicial decision on the special franchise tax
was impending.

Another chilling influence was the indication

Notwithstanding more liberal receipts, prunes

thow a strong tone and an active movement.

More firmness has developed in 90-100s, the
linst sales today being at 3½c in 50-pound
boxes. Supplies of 40-50s and 53-60s are in of renewed trouble in the money market, con-tained in a flurry in the call rate to 7 per cent. This was attributed, in part, to the requirements of paying \$15,006,000 subscriptions to new Hinois Central stock, but the engagement of \$500,000 in gold for shipment to South America was of even greater sentimental effect. This gold goes to pay for wheat bought for account of England, and, therefore, resembles to some extent the triangular operation by which cold has one to Paris to one tion by which gold has gone to Paris to pay London debts. The deposit of \$350,000 at the Subtreasury for transfer to San Francisco marked the continuance of interior needs for money. Collections of customs continue to make heavy inroads on the New York money market.

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The published reports that some local trusts are offering special inducements for December deposits was a disquieting feature. The effect of these developments cost the stock market all of its early advances, and carried the level for many preminent stocks from 1 to 2 points under last night. The lesses in the local tractions were even more severe.

The bond market became easier in sympathy with the late transactions in stocks. Total sales, par value, \$2,170,000. United States 3s, closure, declined is per cent on the last call.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Marriage Licenses. Louis D. Horn, 28; Diana L. Vieners, 21. Walter Ernest Linnett, 31; Lyle Lenore

Moore, 21.
Peter B. Leverty, 32; Magaie Smith, 25. Contugious Diseases.

Nov. 29, Miriam Van Waters East Twelfth and East Merrison streets; typhold (ever. Nov. 30, Ernest Brisbine, East Sixth and Hawthorne avenue; chicken-pox. Nov. 30, haby of Charles Christiansen, Grand venue and Division street; crysipelas. * Dec. 2, Olive St. Helens, 167 Monroe street diphtheria.

Dec. 1. Eugene E. Miller, 555 Borthwick street; diphtheria.
Dec. 1, Mildred Carln, East Madison and
East Forty-first; typhold fever. Birtns.

Nov. 27, bay to the wife of George Free, 200 Occident street. Nov. 27, boy to the wife of Carl Anderson Texas street.

Nov. 24, boy to the wife of Edward Lee Campbell, 1080 East Taylor street.

Nov. 27, girl to the wife of H. C. Anderson,

Peninsular.
Nov. 24, boy to the wife of T. S. Thomps Woodstock. Nov. 20, Charles Clinton, 70 years, 15 days,

351 North Seventeenth street; valvular disease of heart.

Dec. 1. — Brandes, I month, 21 days, 370

North Sixteenth street; uraemic poisoning.

Nov. 23, H. G. Burk, 25 years, St. Vincent's Hospital; peritoritis. Nov. 28, Peter Eurett, 38 years, St. Vin-cent's Hospital; Bright's disease. Nov. 30, Robert J. Day, 17 years, 11 days. St. Vincent's Hospital; typhoid fever, Nov. 29, Harel T. McHale, 5 months, 5 days, 91 Beaver street; brain fever.

For Guaranteed Titles See Pacific Coast Abstract, Guaranty & Trust Co., 204-5-6-7 Falling building.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 2.—The third trien-nial convention of the National Council of Jewish Women was formally opened to-night in Eutaw Place Temple. At an ex-ecutive board meeting held today rules were adopted for the government of the convention. Mrs. Hannah G. Solomon, president of the National council, offered a recommendation to the effect that, in order to celebrate the centennial of the Council of Jewish Women, a large meeting be held at the coming World's Fair, in St. Louis, the idea being to give the affair an international character. It was agreed that the recommendation should be brought up in convention and dis-

Decline in Price of Gold.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The decline in the price of gold during the last few days has been viewed with considerable satisfaction in financial circles, as it indicates a slackening in the demand from the various quarters of the world, militating against the likelihood of gold exports or a rise in the bank rates, and the demands for gold from the Continent to take advantage of the situation to strengthen its gold re serves in preparation for the increased de-mand for money generally expected at the year end. Cheaper gold here is also said to lessen the prospect of gold being drawn to London from the United States.

Robbers Hold Up Nevada Saloon. OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 2.-A saloon at Ryndon, a small station on the Southern Pacific Railroad, near Elko, Nev., was held up last night by two masked men. About 25, mostly railroad workmen, who were in the saloon at the time, were

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inst sales today being at 315c in 50-pound boxes. Supplies of 40-50s and 51-60s are in strong request at full values. The sale of a round lot of 50-80s, inclusive, for London account, was reported today, but the price is withheld. Cables from London report that market lightly supplied. Holdings of 40-50s had 60-76s here are in small compass, and there is no disposition to shade values. The last sale of Oragon 26-40s was at 714c, but the first is no disposition to shade values. The last sale was at 64-50s are held at 31sc, and the stock is light. A jobber here is credited with practically controlling the supply of 30-40s destined for this market. No 50-60s have come forward to date. Fales are to arrive at 5Mc.

Lima beam close steady. Sales covering four carloads were reported at 24.75 f. o. h. Conat. The last sale was spot at 28.62s per bushel. Salmon remains steady. A better movement is reported in red Alaska talls at 31 10; medium red is neglectel, and offerings are more free at 62kg for talls. Chums are easy, and plak is quiet. Some inquiry is reported by cable for Liverpool, with offers of the equivalent of \$1 025 here on red Alaska talls. The offers were declined.

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Provisions ruled weak, notwithstanding the small stocks of contract product. The liberal conclusts of home, with lower prices at the yeads and protects of a still further increase in the receipts on account of the exposition were the weakening factors. The close was strady, January pork unchanged, lard and ribs a stadest ther.

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Changes in Available Supplies. NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Special cable and tele-graphic advices to liralistreet's thow the fol-lowing changes in available supplies as com-pared with last account:

Bushels.

Wheat, United States and Canada,

Corn. United States and Canada, east of the Rackies, increased. 925,000
Oats, United States and Canada, east

Groin and Produce at New York. NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Flour—Receipts, 53,-774 barrels; exports, 12,015 barrels, Market Tis harrels: exports, 12,015 barrels. Market firm and more active.

Wheat-Receipts, 136,000 bushels: exports, 200,630 bushels. Market for spot firm. No. 2 red, 78%c elevator, 71c f. o. b. affoat. Options ruled dull but steady during the forenoon, but developed activity and decided strongth after midday on a scare of shorts due to heavy senboard clearances and a buillish world's grook, coupled with smaller Western receipts. The close was firm and \$6%c higher, with May at 70%c and December, 80%c.

Hous, wool and petroleum—Firm.

Hides-Quiet.

Butter-Receipts, 3823 packages. Market firm. State dairy, 20627c; creamery, extra, 20-: do choice, 20628c.

20:: do choice, 20:228c. Egg=Receipts, 8506 packages. Market firm. State and Pennsylvania, 28:620c; Western un-candled, 20:620c.

San Francisco Grain Markets. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.-Wheat quiet.

Barley quiet. Oats steady.
Soot quotations:
Wheat — Shipping, \$1 38%@1 42%; milling,
\$1 43%@1 47%.
Barley—Feed, \$1 21%@1 23%; brewing, \$1 25 @1 27%.

Oats—Red, \$1 15@1 32%; white, \$1 22%@
1 37%; black, \$1 12%@1 35.

Call board sales:

Wheat — Quiet: December, \$1 35%; May, \$1 39%; cash, \$1 42%;

Barley—Quiet: December, \$1 23% bid; May, \$1 23% bid.

Corn—Large yellow, \$1 50.

European Grain Markets.

LONDON, Dec. 2—Wheat-Cargoes on pas-sage, quiet and steady; cargoes No. 1 stand-ard California, 30s 3d; Walls Walla, 28s 9d. English country markets steady. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 2.-Wheat-Steady; No. 1

standard California, 6s 74d. Wheat and flour in Paris quiet. French country market quiet. Weather in England fine.

Receiors of wheat during the past three days, 135,000 centals, including 120,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the past thre days, 300 centals. Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Coffee—Spot Ric steady; No. 7 invoice, 54c; mild quiet; Cor-dova, 74@12c. Futures closed unchanged. De-cember, \$4 40@4 50; March, \$4 75; May, \$4 95 §5; July, \$5 1095 15; November, \$5 30@5 85. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, \$5%; centrifugal, 96 test, 3%c; molasses sugar, 3%c; re-fined firm.

Wool Markets. BOSTON, Dec. 2.—The wool market has been quieter this week, owing to the holiday, but it is firm. Dealers here say the market is in a healthy condition, and are looking for an active market, with satisfactory prices for the remainder of the season. There is a good movement in territory wools at firm prices. Fine staple territory, 50000c; strictly fine, 500

moving at previous prices. Northern county, cleaned basis, 525,55c; middling counties, 48@ 50c; Southern, 45@47c; six to eight months, 13@14c. Oregon wool is rather quiet, but steadily held at quotations. Eastern heavy, 10@12½c; average, 13@14½c; choice, 14@16½c.

LONDON, Dec. 2 - The offerings at the wool auction sales today numbered 6205 bales. The home trade secured the bulk of the offerings. America bought good combing greases at full rates.

ST. LOUIS. Dec. 2—W501—Unchanged; territory and Western mediums, 17@19c; fine, 12%@174c; coarse, 12%@16c.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.-Spot tin was 5s higher NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Spot tin was is higher in London today, while futures were unchanged, the closing quotations being £14 and £112 178 64, respectively. Locally, tin was quiet and easier, with prices about 15 points lower, the range being 25@25.30c.

Copper was also higher in London, advancing about 16s 3d for spot, and to £50 17s 6d for futures. The local market was held higher, with standard quoted at 10.50c; Lake, 11.50c, while electrolytic and casting were held at

while electrolytic and casting were held at 11.75c. 11.75c.
Lead was quiet and unchanged here at 4½c, and at London at f10 12s 6d.
Spetter was quiet and unchanged in London, where it closed at f19 17s 6d, but was weak and lower here, closing at 5.10c.

Iroh was firmer abroad, Olasgow closing at 54s, and Middlesboro at 51s 3d. Locally, from was quiet and unchanged. Warants continue nominal. No. 1 foundry Northern is quoted at \$216/21 50; No. 1 foundry Northern and No. 1 foundry Southern soft at \$226/23 50.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The cotton market cored steady at an advance of 2 points and used steady, at an advance of 7@11 points, ot closed quiet, 5 points higher. Middling lands, 8.55c; middling Guif, 8.50c; sales, 0 bales Futures closed steady; December, 5.5c; January, 8.25c; February, 8.22c; March, 25c; April, 8.26c; May, 8.28c; June, 8.29c; hy, 8.30c; August, 8.12c.



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