Chi. Gr. Western. 224 do 24 ptd
St. Paul 182 Southern Ry
D. & R. G. 354 do ptd
do ptd 884 Southern Pacific
Erje 344 Union Pacific
do 1st ptd 685 do ptd
do 2d ptd 575 U. S. Steel
III Central 140 do ptd
L. & N. 1184 Wabash
M. K. & T. 26 do ptd
N. Y. Central 130 g

Bank Clearings.

UNDERTONE IS EASIER.

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CHICAGO, May 18.-Wheat ruled rathe

Corn experienced a good volume of business during the first hour. The late weakness in wheat had a depressing influence and the close was easier, with July 1684c lower at 485c. Actor selling between 445c and 445c. Oats were relatively firm in spite of the easier tone in the other gration, but trading was not large and confined mostly to local traders. July closed unchanged at 33563356, after selling between 35c and 335c. Liberal receipts of hogs and lower prices at the yards caused weakness in provisions at the start. The market received some support from

became firmer. September pork closed 5c lower at \$16.57%; September lard was up 2% at \$8.57% white ribs were a shade higher at \$9.17% 99.20.

The leading start. The market received some support fro backers at the decline and the tone in gener

WHEAT.

CORN

OATS.

MESS PORK.

LABD.

Grain at San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18 .- Wheat-Stronger,

European Grain Markets. LONDON, May 18.—Wheat-English country markets steady. Wheat and flour on passage to United Kingdom 2,190,000 bushels; to the Continent, 2,350,000 bushels.

LIVERPOOL, May 18.—Wheat—Steady; No. 1 Standard California, & 9d. Wheat and flour in Faris steady; French country markets quiet. Weather in England cloudy.

May ... \$0.79% \$0.70% July ... 73% \$0.70% 71% \$0.70% 73% \$0.70% 71

Clearings, ...\$855,532 ...692,112 ...386,848 ...295,967

BEST IN THE LAND

Oregon Strawberries for the President's Table.

Local Market Glutted With California Fruit-Crop Prospects in Idaho-Apples in London-Local Produce Quotations.

President Roosevelt will know all about Oregon strawberries when he leaves this cour try. The Davidson Fruit Company, of Hood River, has made preparations to supply his arty with the famous product of that district during the tour of the Northwest. The first lot will be received here Thursday for the President's dinner that day, and his table will be supplied by the Hood River Company when he stope at the Sound cities, Spokane, Butte and until he leaves Salt Lake

The firts ahipment of Hood River berries reach Portland this season came in yesterday. There was only one crate, but they were far superior to shything seen yet. They sold at 25 cents a pound, against 124,615 cents, the ruling quotation for Southern Oregon fruit.

Front street was glutted yesterday with Cal fornia strawberries. Receipts were no larger han usual-only one carload-but the inquiry had fallen off as the local trade stocked un beavily Saturday. The result was a raple decline in prices and before the day closed berries were offering at 509500 cents per crate.

Hop Outlook in Marion.

WOODBURN, Or., May 18 .- (Special.)-Hop extremely unfavorable outlook for the grow Thomas Collinson's yard of 20 acres is practically barren and at present does not ultivation, though heretofore one of the best yard, with numerous others in this section. cultivation. Growers insist that present pros-1902. It is asserted that worms are at work tion of Marion all yards are coming on un

Clackamas Prane Prospects.

OREGON CITY, Or., May 18 - (Special.) County Clerk F. A. Sleight visited his farm near Canby Station and reports prospect ry bright for a prolific prune crop. Mr. Sleight has a 17-acre prune orchard in the Canby neighborhood, where there are over 200 acres of this fruit. He brought with him a small branch from one of his Italian trees that is loaded with fruit. Prunegrowers fear rainy weather continues for any length of time sap in the trees and arrests the develop ment of the fruit, which never attains its the prune crop two years ago in this section

Idaho's Fruit Prospects.

Idaho reads in part as follows: The frosts of April 29 to May 2 resulted in some damage to all varieties of fruit in western localities; mough bloom escaped injury to produce a closed strong, Mixed and butchers, \$6.5096.55; tood erop. Notwithstanding the low temperature during most of the week, fruit made \$6.8096.55; light, \$600.35; bulk of sales, \$6.55 it is believed that in most instances, good crop. Notwithstanding the low temperarapid progress; in Southwestern Idaho, apple and prune trees are in full bloom, while early fruita are well set. In other parts of the etate, fruit buds are opening rapidly.

which Cuba has ever produced is now being and New Orleans. The crop will probably they go as far west as Salt Lake and East and North through Canada and the United States, in fact with such good facilities for transportation they are found in all places of any importance, and during the shipping season from April to July give employment to a great number of people, steamers and rail-

London Apple Market.

Apples from Victoria, Australia, are just considered the best fruit of the kind on the London market, some of the dessert varieties being pronounced very fine. Tasmaniana

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. The wheat market has opened quiet with-out any better prospects for activity this week than for many weeks past. Quotations are practically nominal. WHEAT-Walls Walls, 71c; bluestem, 74c; Valley, 74c. BARLEY-Feed, \$20 per ton; brewing, \$21; rolled, \$206272.50. OATS-No. 1 white, \$1.10; gray, \$1.05 per cental.

cental.

FLOUR.—Valley, \$3.70 per barrel; hard wheat straights, \$3.35g3.65; hard wheat satents, \$3.35 g4.30; Dakota hard wheat, \$4.30g6.20; Graham, \$3.15g5.55. \$3.15@5.56.
MILLSTUFFS—Bran, \$23 per ton; middlings,
\$27; shorts, \$23; cbop U. S. milis, \$18.
HAY—Timothy, \$20@31; clover, nominal;
grain, \$15@10 per ton; cheat, \$16@16.

pound; Columnus roas, Sullary, Rogars per pound; Columnus roas, Sulla S. Arbuckles, Silla list; Lion, Sillas River, 1-pound talls, Salakon — Columbia River, 1-pound talls, Salakon — Columbia River, 1-pound talls, Salakon — Columbia River, 1-pound talls, Sulaka pink, 1-pound talls, Sulaka pink, 1-pound talls, The; red, 1-pound talls, Sulaka pink, 1-pound fink, Sulaka, per 100 pounds; cube, 50.17th; powdered, 30.55th; dry granulated, 50.17th; powdered, 30.55th; dry granulated, 50.17th; powdered, 30.65th; dry granulated, 50.55th; extra C. 50.07th; color Cash, Advances oversack hashs as follows: Burrels, 100 pounds. Mapis, 10010s per pound for away for the per pound by the first per pound, 1-pounds, 51.55th; Carolina head, 51.75th broken head, 51. NUIS-Panuts, 6th, per pound, plue for roasted; cocoanuts, 85,65th per dozen; walnuts, 15-9614th; per pound, plue forts, 100 liberts, 10016th; chestants, 16c, sulaka pink, 10016th; liberts, 10016th; chestants, 16c, sulaka pink, 10016th; liberts, 10016th; fink, 10016th; liberts, 10016t

50x, 86c per bale. 32.10 per bale. WHEAT SACKS—In lots of 100, 696%c.

Vegetubles, Fruit, Etc.

are in oversupply, weak and declining. Potations are dull and unchanged.

VEGETABLES—Turnips, SOFFIG per sach; carrots, California, \$1.35; bests, \$1.46 per sach; cabbage, 25,625;c lettuce, head, 30c per dozen; hothouse, \$1.50 per box; green onlines, per dozen, 15c; radiables, 15c per dozen; green artichakes, 35,646c per dozen; green artichakes, 35,646c per dozen; asparagus, 5c per pound; thubarth, 15,64c per dozen; green artichakes, 31,1562 per dozen; tomatocs, \$4.50 per crase; canliflower, 2c per pound; chumatocs, \$4.50 per crase; canliflower, 2c per pound; DRIED FRUIT—Apples, evaporated, Tag per pound; sum-dried, sacks or boxes, 56,6c; apricots, 56,16c; peaches, This9c; peara, This9c; peara, This9c; peara, Italian, \$1,650; in, California blacks, 5c; do white, The; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, \$4,655.

primes, Hallan, Vegec; figs, California blacks, 6c; do white, The; Smyrna, 20c; plums, pitted, 44654c.

DOMENTIC FRUITS—Strawberries, California, 500,60c per crate; Oregon, 123,625c per pound; cherries, \$1.50 per crate; apples, Ben Davis, 500,6251.25; Genitan, 4161.25; Spitzenberg, Baldwins, Newtown pippins, \$1.5092.

TROPICAL FRUIT—Lemons, \$35,93.50 per box; oranges, navels, \$2.5093 box; reedlings, \$2 per box; tangerines, \$1.7562; grape fruit, \$2.50 per box; tangerines, \$1.5662; grape fruit, \$2.50 per box; tangerines, \$1.5662; grape fruit, \$2.50 per box; tangerines, \$1.5662; grape fruit, \$2.50 per box; tangerines, \$1.50 per pound, \$1.50 per box; tangerines, \$1.50 per box; tangerines,

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

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HOPS-the2 crop, 18520c per pound.

HIDES-Dry hides, No. 1, 16 bounds and up.
186165c per pound, dry hip. No. 1, 8 to 15
pounds, 12c; dry calf. No. 1, under 5 pounds,
10c; dry satted buils and stags, one-third less
than dry flint; satted hides, styer, sound, 60
pounds and over, \$550c; 80 to 60 pounds, 788c;
under 60 pounds and cowe, 7c; stags and buils,
cound, 5650c; kip, sound, 15 to 20 pounds, 7c;
veal, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 7c; calf, sound,
under 10 pounds, 8c; green (unnalted), 1c per
pound less; culls, 1c per pound less, horse
hides, satted, each, \$1,5052c; dry, each, \$1,61.50;
colds hides, each, \$2,556c; sous skins, common,
each, 10915c; Angora, with wool on, each,
28cg.51. each, 10615c; Angora, 25-035l.
25-035l.
TALLOW-Prime, per pound, 465c; No. 2 and grease, 24,63c. WOOL-Valley, 154,616c; Eastern Oregon, 8614c; mohair, 356374c.

BEEF-Grees, cows. SI.5094.20. steers, \$4.50 (N.50; dresses). SSSS per pound.
VEAL-15555 ver pound.
MUTTON-Gross. \$4; dressed, 5985;c. HAMS-10515 pounds, 15c; per pound; 14216 peuads, 145c; per pound; 1820 pounds, 144c; per pound; 1820 pounds, 14c; catitornia (plenics), 11;c; cottage hams, 11;c; Union hams, 498 pounds average, none; shoulders, 11c; boiled ham, 11c; boiled picnic hams, boneless, 16c.

boneless, 16c.
BACON - Fancy breakfast, 19c; standard breakfast, 17c; choice, 15%c; English breakfast bacon, 11674 pounds, 15c.
DRY SALIT MEATS-Regular short clears, 17%c, 18%c smoked; clear backs, 11%c salt, 12%c smoked; clear backs, 11%c salt, 12%c smoked; oregon exports, 20625 pounds average, 13%c dry salt, 18%c smoked; Union butts, 16618 pounds average, 5%c dry salt, 19%c smoked;

pore, 10c; blood, 7c; head cheese, 7c; boingna sausage link, 74c. PlCKLED GOODS-Portland, pigs' feet, 4-barrels, 85; 4-barrels, 82.85; 16-pound kit, \$1.25. Tripe, 4-barrels, \$5.50; 4-barrels, \$2.75; 15-pound kit, \$1; pigs' tongues 4-barrel, \$4, 5, 4-barrel, \$8: 16-pound kit, \$1.25. Lambs' tongues, 4-barrel, \$3.25; 4-barrel, \$4.75; 15-pound kit, \$2.25.

COAL OIL—Pearl or astral oil, cases 22½c per gallon; water white oil, from barrels, 16c; wood harrels, 18k;c; eocene oil, cases, 24½c; elaine oil, cases, 25½c; extra star, cases, 25½c; headlight oil, 173 degrees, cases, 24½c; from barrels, 18c.

GASOLINE—Stove gasoline, cases, 24½c; from barrels, 18c; 85 degrees gasoline, cases, 25½c; from barrels, 25c.

BENZINE—63 degrees, cases, 25c; from barrels, 18c; 63c.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK. Prices Current at Chicago, Omah

and Kansas City, CHICAGO, May 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 31,000 Dull to like food to prime steers, \$4,903 5.40; poor to medium, \$4,94.70; stockers and feeders, \$393.75; conners, \$1,9085.50; helfers, \$2,5094.75; canners, \$1,0082.75; bulls, \$28 4.25; calves, \$2,5096.25; Texas fed steers, \$40

Sheep-Receipts, 20,000. Sheep, steady; Tholce lambs steady. Good to chulce wethers, \$4.75@5.25; fair to choice mixed, \$3.75@4.75; Western sheep, \$4.60@5.25; native lambs, \$4.50 @7.10; Western lambs, \$4.50@7.10.

KANSAS CITY May 18 -Cartle-Receints RANSAS UTY, May 18.—Cattle—Recepts, 5000, including 500 Texans, Market, weak to 10c lower. Native steers, \$4.30§3.30; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.35§4.45; Texas cows, \$1.75§3.70; native cows and helfers, \$239.46; stockers and feeders, \$3.20§4.65; buils, \$3.15§ @5; Western cows, \$263.65.
Hogs-Receipts, 7000, Market 16c lower, Bulk

fope-tecepts, 1000, Marget No lover, Sulk of sales, \$6.125,995.50; packers, \$6.20,96.35; medium, \$6.25,96.40; light, \$6.05,96.35; Yorkers, \$6.20,96.35; pigs, \$4.75,96. Sheep-Roceipts, 7000, Market stendy to lower. Muttons, \$3.70,95.80; lambs, \$4.75,97.00; range wethers, \$3.80,95.95; ewes, \$3.65,94.40.

SOUTH OMAHA, May 18,-Cattle-Receipts 1800. Market, steady. Native electro. \$4,259 5.20; cows and helfers, \$3,2564.40; canners, \$2,93; stockers and feeders, \$364.80; calves, \$366; hulls, stags, etc., \$2,7564.50. Hogs-Receipts, 4500. Market, 5c lower, Heavy, \$6,3066.35; mixed. \$6,2566.30; light, \$6,2066.30; pigs, \$566; bulk of calcs, \$6,256 6.30.

\$0.300 Market, steady, Fed. Sheep.-Receipts, 4500 Market, steady, Fed. muttons, \$580.75; wethers, \$4.7585.20; ewes, \$3.7564.75; common and stockers, \$3.2584; lambs, \$5.7567.25.

EXCITING COTTON MARKET. Scenes Surpassed Those Witnessed Last Week.

NEW YORK, May 18.-This was another acting day on the Cotton Exchange-in fact, the scenes far surpassed those witnessed last reek. It started at Liverpool because trading week. It started at Liverpool because trading there began five hours earlier than in New York and a rise of 32 points in the price of spet cotten in that market and of 38 to 40 points in futures did not need any extensively cabled remarks to show what was happening there. It was, however, stated that the followers of the New Orleans bull cliques had become

grain, \$15010 per ton; cheat, \$15016.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

Receipts of butter, eggs and poultry were light. In the first named article, a steady inquiry was reported. Eggs moved slowly. Chickens are expected to sell at good prices during the week.

BUTTER — Fancy creamery, 20022/jc per pound; Spring, 16017c; bens, 12012/jc per pound; Spring, 16017c; bens, 12012/jc per pound; Spring, 16017c; bens, 12012/jc per pound; Groceries, Nuss. Etc.

COFFEE—Mocha, 23022c; ducks, 1701.50 per degen, 1602. Cocs a Rica, 174c; factory prices, 1616c.

EGGS—Oregon ranch, 16016/jc.

COFFEE—Mocha, 23022c; Java, fancy, 260 fig.; Java, good, 16016c; Costa Rica, good, 16016c; Costa Rica, good, 16016c; Costa Rica, good, 16016c; Costa Rica, story pound follows as 11.32 and finally story, pound flats, \$12.0; y-pound flat

Forthcoming.

Soon after a broker had 300 bales of May to sell and he sold the market down to 11.60c before disposing of the cotton. Not until July touched 11½c was there anything like a reaction and at that, heavy selling orders aption and at that, heavy setting orders ap-peared that seen brought a reaction of 10 points in the afternoon. May closed at 11 Noc. July eased off to 11.17c and August closed at 16.86c. The market at the close was steady, however, and 10647 points higher for the day. The advance in futures was accompanied by an advance to 11.87c for apot.

· Coffee and Sugar. NEW YORK, May 18.—The market for cof-fee futures closed dull and unchanged to 8 points lower. Total_gales 5000 hags, including July at \$2.50; September, \$4.10; February, \$4.8084.85. Spot, quiet. No. 7 Rio, 5%c. Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, steady, Fair refining, 3 13-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; molanses sugar, 2c; crushed, \$5.45; powdered, \$4.55; granulated, \$4.85.

Dairy Produce at Chicago. The vegetable market is well stocked and change, today, the butter market was steady. Creameries, 166214c; dairies, 15618c. Eggs. cill be on the street this morning. Onlone Cheese, weak, 1261346.

SHIPMENTS OF GOLD

STOCKS DEPRESSED BY THE EX. PORTING MOVEMENT.

Cotton Speculation Making Demands on the Money Market-Nearly All Stocks Close Lower.

NEW YORK, May 18.-There was a very ket today. The selling seemed induced by a pproaching definite formation for some time. th engagement of \$2,222,000 of gold for exnitely extended and the amount was rather less than some of the forecasts. There was a slight hardening in the call loan rate in re-

sight hardening in the call loan rate in response to the gold movement, but it could not be said that any liquidation was forced by the withdrawal of credits.

The result of the consideration over Sunday of the general financial outlook esemed to be rather the placing of stop lose orders as a precautionary measure below the market than definite orders to sell. The opening of the market was in fact irregular and a slight incline was followed by a considerable rally. This rally persisted after the first knowledge of the engagement of gold for export. But the report that \$200,000 had been deposited at the subtreasury for telegraphic transfer to New Orleans was followed almost immediately by a crumbling of prices throughout the list. This evidence that the violent cotton speculation is making demands upon the money market was taken in very III part by the stock market.

sional operators to sell it on the theory that the final resting place for the price is indefi-nite. Quite a number of additional stocks to-

proceeds of the loan is payable to Continental holders of the Bouth African railroads, which holders of the Bouth African railroads, which are being purchased by the colonies, makes a prospective pressure upon London for remittance to Continental points. The outgo of gold from here is in payment of borrowings and is for an insurance against future pressure. But when these borrowings were made, it was hoped that the outward movement of merchandise would supply exchange for their repayment without the use of gold. With the large requirements ahead of the domestic money markets, there is an uneasiness manifest whether the outgoing gold will be reculiable to this market when it is needed.

Nearly all of the active stocks fell between 1 and 2 points and St. Paul, New York Central, Missouri Pacific, Rock Island and Read-

I and 2 points and St. Paul, New York Cen-tral, Missouri Pacific, Rock Island and Read-ing exceeded that. Amongst dormant stocks, there were even wider declines. Amaignmated Copper was strong as the effect of the in-crease in the dividend rate on the Calumet & Hecla stock. The market closed easy and within a small fraction of the lowest. United States Steel new sinking bonds were dealt in for the first time on the exchange and copy more than a point over Saturday's price

rose more than a point over Saturday's price on the curb without explanation. Otherwise bonds were weak. Total sales, par value, \$2,020,000. United States new 4s declined 14

STOCKS.	2	5	0 100	108	LARD,	
	Ĩ.				May	
Atchison	26 400	TEN	7814	77%	SOVER DIES	
de utd	700	196%	95%	200	May 9 25 9 27½ 9 22½ 9 25 July 9 32½ 9 42½ 9 32½ 9 27½ September 9 15 9 20 9 15 9 20	
de pfd	29,200	19136	89	80%	July 9 32% 9 42% 9 82% 9 37% September 9 15 9 20 9 15 9 20	
do pfd	24 0000	1205	1001	1205		
Canada Southern	14,000	130-3	Latery	70	Cash quotations were as follows:	
hesapeaks & Ohio	3,000	42%	40%	41%	Flour-Dull and steady.	
Chicago & Alton	1,900	20	29%	2956	Wheat-No. 2 Spring, T9g80c; No. 3, T8g80c	
thicago Gt Western	1.000	21%	20%	25%	No. 2 red, 78% 678%c. Corn-No. 2, 45846c; No. 2 yellow, 46%c.	
do A pfd	300	74	74	73	Oats-No. 2, 36%c; No. 3 white, 34%@38c,	
do B pfd	400	36%	36	35%	Rye-No. 2, 50c.	
hicago & N. W	1,700	252	170%	170%	Harley-Good feeding, 38@41c; fair to choice	
do ofd	200	27	27	27	malting, 456156c.	
C., C. & St. L	100	- 90	50	90	Flaxseed-No. 1, \$1.11; No. 1 Northwestern	
anadian Pacific lanada Southern hesapeaks & Ohio hicago & Alton do pid hicago Gt. Western do A pid hicago & N. W. hit Term & Trans do pid C. C. & St. L. belorado Southern do lat pid do lat pid	1,100	22%	20%	2014	\$1.16.	
An Oak ward	100000	300	9734	11997	Timothy seed-Prime, \$3.50.	
do an put belaware & Hudson. bel. Lack & West. benyer & Rho Grande. do pfd Srie do ist pfd. do 2d	2,800	173	1715	172	Mess pork-Per barrel, \$17.374@17.50.	
Del., Luck. & West	400	251	250	250	Lard-Fer 100 pounds, \$8.8588.974.	
Denver & Rio Grande.	300	3416	34	33%	Short ribs sides-Loose, \$9.2569.30.	
de pro	17.600	33%	231	35%	Dry-ealted shoulders-Boxed, \$8.2568.37%.	
do int pfd	6,100	67	65%	6614	Short clear sides-Boxed, \$9.5069.624.	
do 2d ptd	2,900	55	38%	84	Clover-Contract grade, \$11.50@11.75.	
Freat Northern pfd	700	- Cont	POLICE	180	Receipts. Shipments	
do pld Illinois Central	100	94	94	9074	Flour, Darrels	
Thinois Central	1 3:500	127	137965	128	Corn. husbels	
do pfd Lake Erie & Western.				32	Receipts Shipments	
do pid	200	26	00	971	Barley, bushels	
do pfd	900	-00	80	105	Barley, bushels 44,700 1,00	
Louisville & Nashville.	4,100	115%	1114	111454	Grain and Produce at New York.	
Manhattan L.	1 6,200	113765454	#135KI	11/54		
Metropolitan St. Ry Mexican Central	2.400	274	26%	2654	NEW YORK, May 18Flour-Receipts, 15,	
Mexican National	2.500	1 2354	1 22	1 22%	568 barrels; exports, 18,800 barrels. Firm and	
Minn. & St. L Missouri Pacific	******		****	90	a shade higher. Wheat-Receipts, 18,500 bushels; exports	
MISSOUTI PRCING	2.600	251	2054	2414	81,745 bushels. Spot, steady. No. 2 red, 83%	
do pfd	1,600	86%	55%	58%		
New Jersey Central	******			171	affeat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 88%c f. o. 1	
go pid New Jersey Central New York Central Norfolk Western do pfd Ontario & Western Pennsylvania Reading do les pfd	6,200	700	125	12014	afion. Options were irregular all day. Th	
do ofd	- CALLETTO	1039	04.79	8814	trade went short on bearish weekly statistic	
Ontario & Western	700	285	27%	28%	and prospects of rain in the Northwest an	
Pennsylvania	68,700	1129	122714	127%	later covered on crop complaints from St	
do les ofd	21,100	20079	30%	83	Louis and from the Pacific Coast. The clos	
do 2d pfd	400	6814	684	67%		
do 2d pfd	1,500	4456	74%	75	unchanged May closed, 83%c; July closed	
do let pfd	800	877	#T	78	75%c; December closed, 76%c.	
St Louis S. W.	300	201	991	2117	Butter-Receipts, 5500. Firm. Extra cream	
do pfd	1,000	52	1495	49%	ery, 22c; creamery, common to choice, 186	
do 1st pfd do 2d pfd St. Louis S. W	62,300	1574	155%	155%	211/jc; state dairy, 17621c.	
Southern Partite	14.00V	5.7	514	538	Eggs-Receipts, 15,000 packages. Steady	
do pfd Southern Pacific Southern Rallway do pfd Texas & Pacific	8,300	29	284	284	Western storage packed, 1614c; Western firsts	
do ptd	700	92%	92	1 91%	16%c.	
Texas & Pacific	0,400	2334	32	1 32	Hope-Steady.	

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WHEAT AND STOCK BROKERS

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Chamber of Commerce

SMALL FRUIT IS IN OVERSTPPLY

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS

AND WEAKER. Good Shipping Demand for Lemon

Suitable for the Nome Trade-

Other Produce.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18 .- (Special.)weather conditions. Flour was in fair demand and steady. Mill feeds were scarce and firm. Hay was quieter and easier, but there

Money, Exchange, Etc. LONDON, May 18 .- Bar silver-Steady, 2514d per ounce.
Money-1982 per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3% per cent; for three months' bills, is 3% per cent. farmers are too busy in the fields. Strawberries are accumulating again and weak under lessened demand. Arrivals of gooseberries are increasing, and the market is SAN FRANCISCO, May 18 .- Silver bars 54%c.
Mexican dollars, 45c.
Drafts, sight, 716c; do telegraph, 10c.
Sterling on London, 60 days, \$4.85%;
sight, \$4.85%.

weaker. Covina blackberries again appeared, and best grades moved well. Pringle apricots from Arisona are still coming in too ripe and seiling low. Over 1300 boxes of cherries arrived, and the market weakened, as receipts included very little good shipping stock. Derect shipments of cherries are being made daily from interior points to northern markets. Nine carloads of oranges, mostly poor stock, sold slowly at auction. Strictly fine navels are sparce and firm. Lemons suitable for Wheat Rules Quiet in Chicago Grain firm. Limes are steady. Choice bananas are

All kinds of potatoes and onlone are dull and CHICAGO. May 18.—Wheat ruled rather quiet and the undertone was easier. Opening prices were off a trifle on reports of rains in Manitoba and on unfavorable cables, the action of the French Minister of Agriculture in announcing that the price of wheat did not justify a reduction in the import duty on that grain being an important early feature. July opened a shade to 166% lower at 72%673% c and with considerable wheat for sale and some seiling for short account. weak. Asparagus is in light supply and firm Green peas are easier, as canners reduced buying limits. Mexican and Los Angeles tomatoes are more abundant. Marysville cucum

bers in boxes are now arriving. Paultry is quiet and nominally unchanged. A car of Eastern is expected tomorrow. Butter at 73%@73½c and with considerable wheat for sale and some selling for short account, the misriest became weaker and July declined to 73@73½c. Later in the day, reports of damage came in from the Southwest and as these reports were accompanied by buying or-dets from St. Louis, a change in sentiment was experienced, the market becoming quite strong. Toward the close, however, offerings were too liberal for the demand and prices squares were in light supply, and prices had another sharp advance. Cheese was easy. Eggs were abundant, but fairly steady. Receipts, 92,000 pounds of butter, 14,000 pounds of cheese, 60,000 dozen eggs.

VEGSTABLES-Cucumbers, 50c@\$1.25; gar-lic. 5@5c; green peas, \$1@1.26; string beans, 5@5c; asparagus, \$1@2; tomatoes, \$2@3; on-ions, 35@85c.

POULTRY-Old roosters, \$4.50@5.50; your roosters, \$8610; small broilers, \$2.5063.50 large brollers, \$465; fryers, \$6.5067.50; hens \$566; old ducks, \$4.5065.50; young ducks POTATOES-Early Rose, 75@90c; river Bu

banks, 10g55c; river beds, 20g35c; sweets, \$1.85; Oregon Burbanks, 60g85c.
BUTTER-Fancy creamery, 27c; do seconda, 25c; fancy dairy, 24c; do seconda, 22c.
EGGS-Store, 15g16c; fancy ranch, 19c.
CHEESE-Young America, 12g124c; East-

Chicaso-loung America, Labora, assert, 188174c.

HAY-Wheat, \$13.50@15; wheat and oats, \$13.50@15; alfalfa, \$10@12; straw, \$27@50c per bale.

MILLSTUFFS-Bran, \$23@24; middlings, \$28

HOFS-186 20c.
RECEIPTS-Flour, 2808 quarter sacks; do Washington, 6004 quarter sacks; wheat, 500 centals; do Washington, 1300 centals; bariey, 2060 centals; Washington oats, 1304 centals; beans, 132 sacks; potatoes, 1962 sacks; do Oregot, 685 sacks; do Washington, 50 sacks; bran, 1209 sacks; middlings, 364 sacks; hay, 700 tons; wool, 480 bales; hides, 196. Mining Stocks, SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.-Official clos notations for mining stocks today were as for

NEW YORK, May 18.-Closing quotations:

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Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, May 18.—There was a decline of 17s 65 for spot tin in London, which was quoted at £134 2s 65 while futures closed at £133 10s. The New York market was easy at 20.50622. The New York market was easy at 20.50622. The New York market was easy at 20.50622. The New York for futures and £5s for spot. Locally, copper was more or less nominal. Lake, electrolytic and casting are quoted at 14.75c.

Lead was steady at 4.37½c in New York, but in London it was 1s 35 lower at £11 15s.

Spelter was steady at 5.75c in the local market and in London at £21 2s 64.

Iron closed at £2s in (Hasgow and at 45s

Fron closed at 525 in Glasgow and at 45s 104d in Middlesboro. Locally fron was quiet. No. 1 foundry Northern is quoted at \$20.75@ 21: No. 2 foundry Northern at \$19.75@20.25; No. 1 foundry Southern and No. 1 foundry Southern soft, \$20.25@21.

Wool Markets.

LONDON, May 18.—The offerings at the wool auction sales today were 13,740 bales. Fine grades were in spirited demand, but faulty stock was slow. Withdrawals were frequent, as bolders were not willing to accept the rates. Merinos, crossbreds and fine scoureds were in active request. American purchasers, secured fair lines of Victorian greany and Barley-Weaker. December, \$1.29%; cash, Barley-Weaker. December, \$1.20%; cash, \$1.32%; cash, \$1.10\text{\$2.10}; cash, \$1.20\text{\$2.10}; cash, \$1.20\text{\$2.10}; cash, \$2.20\text{\$2.10}; cash, \$2.2 crossbred combing.

ST. LOUIS. May 18.—Wool.—Firm. Territory and Western mediums, 15@17c; fine, 11@16c; course, 12@15c. Abandoning Tobacco for Cotton SAN JUAN, P. R., May 18.-The Weather

BAN JUAN, P. H., May IS.—The Weather Bureau's crop bulletins announce that all over the Island Sea, island cotton is being planted as rapidly as seed can be obtained, and in many instances the planters are abandoning tobucco for cotton. The low prices for ordi-nary tobacco in San Juan are said to be bringing about the change. Gold for Export.

NEW TORK, May 18.—Lazard Freres have engaged \$1,000,000 in gold for shipment to Europe tomorrow. Goldman, Sacha & Co. have ordered \$780,000 for shipment at the same time. There is talk of other engagements. Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, May 18.-Today's statement Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., May 18.—Butter ruled firm on the Board of Trade today, selling at 21 cents a pound. Sales for the week were 129,000 pounds. Dividend Is Authorized.

CHICAGO, May 18.—An order was en-tered in Judge Tuley's court today au-thorizing the Chicago Title & Trust Com-pany, as receiver of the Globe Savings Bank, to pay a dividend of 19 per cent on

all claims that have been filed and allowed. This makes a total of 45 per cent in dividends that have been paid since the bank failed iff 1897.

DISCOVERY OF SCIENTIST Light From Human Body Is Visible

to the Eyes of Lower Animals.

NEW YORK, May 18.—That rays of light emanating from the human body are visible to the eyes of some lower animals forms the interesting scientific discovery announced as having been made by accident by Professor A. W. Goodspeed, of the Randal Morgan Laboratory of Physics of the University of Pennsylvania, Divested of its technical terms the discovery of Professor Goodspeed means discovery of Professor Goodspeed means that the rays of light shed from a living that the rays of light shed from a living human body may have sufficient intensity, although invisible to the human eye, to produce a picture on a plate properly sensitized and in a room pitch dark.

The discovery was made while X-ray photographs were being taken. While an iron tripod stand with a ring-shaped top as a support for a photogrophic plate was being used, it was observed that the plate when exposed to the rays was affected by the iron ring below. Puzzled at this seeming departure from the rules, the operator attempted to discover the cause. In so doing, one of his assistants placed

In so doing, one of his assistants placed his hand below the plate. The result was an imperfect radiogram of the bones of the human hand, like those obtained from the Roenigen rays when experimentation in that line was in its first stages. It was so entirely new that Professor Goodepeed was perplexed. He tried again and again. Every time a human hand was placed within the proper focus the same amazing phenomenon followed. The experiments were continued for three months and the conclusion of Professor Goodspeed was not announced until he had satisfied himself beyond all question

TRAGIC DEATH OF A TRAMP Overcome by Weakness, He Is Impaled on a Picket Fence.

NEWARK N J May 18 -Thomas Col. lins, a tramp, arrived here after a long ride on a freight train. To get something to eat, he began to beg, asking for something at the back doors of houses. After numerous refusals he decided to try the front doors, and with treat of foot drawed blacked to try the front doors, and with great effort dragged himself up the stoop of a large house. After resting a few seconds, Collins pushed the electric bell. While waiting he was overcome by weakbecame dixay and toppled over backward. He attempted to grasp the balustrade, but was unable to hold on, and fell over it. He landed on top of an iron picket fence, and was impaled upon one of its sharp points, which went deep into the upper part of his body and penetrated his left lung. He was taken to the City Hospital, where physicians declared his injury to be dangerous in itself, but more so on account of his weakened

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A hurricane devastated Santa Maria General Jiminez has given up his as-piration for President of Santo Domingo, in the interest of peace.

The Mississippi is again on a rampage, and many residences as La Crosse, Wis., are surrounded by water. M. Alexanderovosky, an official of the Finance Ministry, has been appointed Russian Commissioner to the St. Louis Exposition.

P. R. is continuing his purifying process in municipal circles by a wholesale dis-charge of city employes. A new heating apparatus set fire to th

erick Wilhelm, yesterday, and destr silk hangings, carpet and furniture. Two men have been arrested by order of the New York Coroner in connection with the death of Hirsch Clesman, a

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