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Reported Sale of Hope.

SALEM Or. Fub. 10. - (Special.) - Reports have been received here of the sale of 60 bales of the Linton hop crop at Eugene today to lessor Pincus & Sons, at 26c. The hora were

### PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. The failure of the Cates boom to hold ha on all Congt markets. Prices here are quoted a cent lower, but they are almost wholly nom-Valley, \$7c per bushel.

WHEAT-Walls walls of the William St. Valley, St. per bushel,

FLOUR-Patents, \$4.0094.83 per tarrel;
ciralghts, \$4.5094.85; chairs, \$2.5094. Valley,
\$1.1094.25; Paskota hurd wheat, \$4.5097.30;
Graham, \$1.0094; whole wheat, \$4.95.25; rye
four, local, \$5. Eastern, \$5.50.50, cortamen,
per case, \$1.90.

BARLET-Feed, \$23 per ten; rolled, \$28.22,
CATS-No. 1 white, \$1.5597.40; gray, \$1.50

\$1.85 per cental,
MillsTUFFS-Bran, \$19 per ten; middlugs,
\$25; about, \$21; chops, U. S. Mills, \$19; immeed
dairy foods, \$18; linseed slincal, er ists, \$29
per ten; less than car lots, \$39 per ten;
CEREZAL, FOODS-Rolled cata, cream, 99;
poinds secks, \$5.70; lower grade, \$509.25; cal,
masi, steel cut, \$29-pound ascks, \$8 per harrel;
10-pound sacks, \$4; per late; split jean, \$5 per
105 pound sacks, \$4 per late; split jean, \$5 per
105 pound sacks, \$5 pound boxes, \$1.51, per
125 per box; pustry flour, 10-pound sachs,
\$1.55 per box; pustry flour, 10-pound sachs,
\$2.50 per bole.

HAY-Timothy, \$148.10 per ton; clover, \$1109
12; grain, \$110912; cheat, \$122713.

HAN-Timothy, \$14816 per ton; clover, \$11 12; grain, \$11g12; cheat, \$12g13. Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

There is fremen in all farm produce capt eggs. In this line there is no market, buyens will not take hold white prices stocks are accumulating. Poultry of all kill was in request, but arrivals were light.

EGGS Oregon ranch, 225/221/g per dozen. SHITTER-City creameries: Extra creamery, 224/c per pound; fancy creamery, 25/48/25/c; store butter, 13815c; California fancy creamery, 214-25/25/c

Stite.
CHEESE Full cream lwins, 10014c; Young American 14010;c.
POULTHY - Paner bene, 135,914c; old hens, 124,915d; mixed chickens, 128124c; old roost-ra, 10210;c; do young, 11,0125c; Springs, 15 to 2-pound, 15618c; brothers, 1 to 14-pound, 152,18224c; dressed chickens, 14014;c; turkeps, alive, 169,17c; do dressed, poor, 17618c; do cholce, 200724gc; grees, itw. 8658c; grees, dressed, 11012c; dress, old, 88,50crb; do poung, as to size, 2002.5c; pigeons, 51gd.25; squals, 8202.5c; \$162.50; Widgeon, \$1564.50; Inslied ducks, \$169.50; Widgeon, \$1.7502; test, \$1.5091.75; anthe, 750931.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

There was a good demand for all kinds of fruit and green produce. Among the receipts was a car of California cabbags. Fanny pota-tees are in requires, but common varieties are slow. Onloss are firm and higher.

NEGETABLES-Turnips, \$1 per sack; carots, \$1; begin \$1.25; pursuips, \$1.50; cabbage,
authorith, 19c; lettuce, head, Bec per dozen;
arsley, 25c dozen; tomators \$2.25 per crain;
sulfitower, \$2 per crate; egg plant, 10g15c
by pound; peppers, 25c per pound; serous, 8c,
ONIONS-Pancs, \$2.356.25 per pound; serous, 8c,
ONIONS-Pancs, \$2.356.25 per pound; serous,
60g155c, logyer's prior; Merced sweets, 15;
\$15c; new California, 3c per pound.
RAISINS-Leose Mussatels, 4-orown, 75c;
\$1aper Mussatels and Serous seed-RAISINE-Loose Muscatela, 4-crown, 75cc. Singer Muscatel raisins, 75c; unblenched seed-res Sultanas, 65c; London layers, 3-crown, their boxes of 20 pounds, \$1.5c; 2-crown, \$1.7c. Dittielb FRUIT-Apples, evaporated, 6865(c) are pound; sundried, 80cks or boxes, none; pricosa, 10glile; peaches, 18110(s); pears, none; pricosa, 10glile; peaches, 18110(s); pears, none; cuttens, Italians, 455c; Franch, 2563(a); 0gs, california blacks, 55c; do white, none; Emyera, 20c; Fard dates, 6c; plums, pitted, 6c. DOMESTIC PRUITS-Apples, 4-tier Baldwins, \$1.22; Spitzenbergs, \$1.758(2); cooking, 75, 1966; figs, 85c; do per box: cranbarries, \$2.50 per barrel. #178. \$1.25. \$5.05\$2.20 per box; cranberries. \$12.50 per barrel. TROPSCAL PRUITE-Lemons, fancy, \$2.75.90 \$1.75. choice. \$2.75 per box; cranpes, standard. \$1.4562; fancy. \$2.22.20; mandarins, \$00655-per box; tengerines, \$1.5062 per box; graperruit; \$2.7545 per box; bananas, \$9555-per box; cranperruit; \$2.7545 per box; bananas, \$9555-per box; bananas, \$1.555-per box; ban

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

COFFEE-Mochs, 28628c; Java, ordinary, 10 7.49c; May 7.620c; Chata Rica, fancy, 18620c; good, 186 August, 7.54c.

FIRE LOSSES 186; ordinary, 106120 per pound; Columbia roast, cases 1606, \$13.50; 506, \$14; Arbuckie, \$15.58; Lion, \$15.58. Lion, \$15.58. RICE-imperial Japan, No. 1, \$5.874; Southern Japan, \$2.50; Carolina, \$16660; brokenhead,

em Japan, \$2.50; Carolina, \$1,6700; brokenhead.

The SALMON—Columbia Biver, I-pound talls, \$1.50; per dozen; 2-pounds talls, \$2.40; 1-pound flats, \$1.85; famor, 16915-pound flats, \$1.80; \$4.50; per dozen; 2-pound talls, \$5.50; ped, 1-pound flats, \$1.80; \$4.50; ped, 1-pound flats, \$1.80; \$4.50; ped, 1-pound talls, \$1.61; days granulated, \$4.60; earra, \$1.50; golden C, \$5.45; fruit sugar, \$8.45; days granulated, \$4.60; earra, \$1.50; golden C, \$5.45; fruit sugar, \$8.45; days granulated, \$1.60; earra, \$1.50; golden C, \$5.45; fruit sugar, \$8.45; days granulated, \$1.50; ball-barrels, \$2.50; ball-

per 100 pounds; maple augur, 10mme per pound.

SALT-California, \$16 per tem \$1.35 per bale, Liverpool, \$6a, \$15.5e; 100e, \$15.200e, \$14.50; half ground, 100e, \$5.25; 60e, \$6.75.

NUTS-Wallinds, 15%; per perned by suck, 1c extra for less than suck; Brand nuts, 15c; filberts, 16c; pecuns, jumbos, 16c; extra large, 15c; alter, pecuns, jumbos, 16c; extra large, 15c; alterday, 1 X. L., 16%; chestnuts, 14th lans, 15c; Ohio, \$4.50 per 25-pound drum; peanuts, raw, 75e per pound; reased, \$6c; pissinuts, 106/12%; filckory nuts, 7c; cocoanuts, \$56,90e per dozen, EEANS-Small white, 3%c; large white, 3%c; pink, 3%c; bayou, 3%c; Litna, 5c.

Meats and Provisions.

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BESEF Dressed, builts, 50%c; country stress, 40%c; country stress, 40%c; country stress, 40%c; experience, 50%c; country stress, 50%c; per pound; 12% to 200, 50%66c; 20% and up, 40%c; PORK—Bressed, 10% to 15%, 70%c; per pound; 15% and up, 12%c; per pound; 15% and up, 12%c; life per pound; life and up, 12%c; life

No. SAUSAGE—Portland ham, 12the per pounc; minred ham, 10c; Summer, choice 6cy, 174c; bologna, long, Syc; weinerwurst, Sc; liver, Sc; perk, Sr; blood, bc; headchesse, 12the; bologna musage, link, 4the.

DRY SALTED MEATS—Regular short clears, 5the smith, 15the smoked; clear backs, 2c salt, 16c smoked; Oregon export, 20 to 25 pounds, sverage, 10the; sait, 14the smoked; clear, Byc sait, 10the smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, Sc sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, Sc sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, Sc sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, Sc sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, Sc sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, Sc sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, 8c sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, 8c sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, 8c sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, 8c sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, 8c sait, 16c smoked; clear backs, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, average, 9c; Union louts, 10 to 18 pounds, 10 to 18 

GASOLINE-Slove gaseline, cases, 23bc; from harrele, 17c; 81 dog, gasoline, cases, Lic; from harrele or drame, 20c. GOAL Offic-Cases, 21bc; from barrele, 15c; wood barrele, noor; 61 dog, cases, 22c; from barrele, 15bc; Washington State see, burning oils, except headilight, he per gallon higher. LITSSED OIL-thus, barrele, 56c; cases, 61c; le loss in 25c-gallon lore.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

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HIDES—Dry bides. No. 1, 16 pounds and up.
HIDES—bry bides. No. 1, 16 to 10
HOURS. 12c; dry caff, No. 1, under 5 pounds.
12c; dry caff, No. 1, under 5 pounds.
12c; dry salted bulle and stage, one-third loss than dry flint; salted kides, steers, sound, 76
8c, under 50 pounds and cose, 059%c; stage and bulls, sound, 454%c; kir, sound, 15 to 20
pounds, 7c; under 10 pounds, 8c; green unsating), 1c per pound (see; cuils, 1c per pound; hors hides, saled, \$1,8002 cach; dry, \$191.79
such; colts hides, 25600c cach; dry, \$191.79
such; colts hides, 25600c cach; goalscing, common, 10015c cagh; Argora, with wood on,
25-881.

TALLOW Prime, per pound, 485c; No. 1 and grease, Physics.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Kansas City, Omaha and Chicago.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 20.—Cattle-Re-celpts, 11,000. Market steady to like lower; native steers, \$5.7595.05; native cows and helfers, \$1.7564.50; stockers and freques, \$1564.60; bulls, \$2.2563.75; calves, \$167; Western-fed strees, \$3.8565.25; Western-fed come, \$264. Flour for the Orient.

PENIMETER. Or. Peb. 20.—(Special.) The
Boxes Piguriug Mills has just completed three

\$3.0004.50; Merrared cons. \$214.

Hogs. Receipts, \$1,000. Market, \$6100 los.

er: Bulk of sales, \$4,0004.80; heavy, \$4.80g

8.87%; pechers, \$4.70g4.85; pigs and lights,

\$3.0004.75. Sheep-Receipts, 16,000, Market, 10c lower;

Sheep Receipts 18.000 Market 10c lower; buttons, \$1.70pt.75; lambs, \$787.75; range withers, \$5.97.75; fed ewer, \$4.70pt.25.

SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 20.—Chitle Receipts the common and beliers, \$2.70pt; cammers, \$1.50 ke.26; soows and beliers, \$2.70pt; cammers, \$1.50 ke.26; stockers and feeders, \$2.40pt. calves, \$1.70pt.75; butto, stags, stc., \$1.70pt.36. \$2.7504.75; buths, stage, etc., \$1.7583.40. Hogs Receipts, 550s, Market, steady; heavy, \$4.7054.80; mixed, \$4.0584.70; light, \$4.0051.80; pigs, \$4.7581.80.

Sneep-Receipts, 1500. Market, 100/15c lower, Western yearlings, \$5.750|0.60; wethers, \$5 \$5.75; ewes, \$4.50g5.40; lambs, \$6.50@7.75.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.-Cattle-Beorlpus, 51,000. CHICAGO, Feb. 20. - Anthe Hereipus, al. 685.
Market, Disloc lower; good to prime steers, \$2.0098; poor to medium, \$2.8095.65; atockers stid feeders, \$2.4094.20; cows, \$1.2594.50; beifers, \$285; cauners, \$1.3591.65; buils, \$28

4; calves, \$3,5008.50.

Hogs-Breelpts today, 45,009; tomorrow, 20,000. Market strong; mixed and butchers. 84.7084.95; good to choice beavy, \$4.958 5.40%; rough beavy, \$4.9584.75; light, \$4.95 894.85; bulk of makes \$4.8084.90. Sheep-Receipts, 25,600. Market, 10grisc-lower; good to choice wethers, \$5,0000.10; fair to choice mixed, \$4,5005.50; Western sheep, \$4,7000.15; matire lambs, \$5,7506;

Western lambs, \$5.750/8.

	ining stocks today were a
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Leadville Con ... BOSTON, Feb. 20.-Closing quetations: Adventure \$ 7.00 Mohawk . \$ 54.75
Allener . 21.75 Mont. C. & C. 41.58
Amalgamated 75.00 Old Deminton 27.75
Am. Zinc . 11.00 Occola . 92.75
Allantic . 17.00 Parcet . 28.50
Bingham . 22.50 Qulsey . 110.00
Cal. & Hecla . 635.00 Shinning . 7.18
Contemps . 12.75 Transports . 127.50 Cat. 2 Heeth 603.00 Shinnon 7.13
Centennist B 7.5 Tamarack 133.00
Copper Range 71.00 Trinity 16.88
Dominion Coal 64.75 U. R. Mining 25.00
Franklin 11.25 U. R. Oil 9.88
Gramby 5.15 Utah 62.25
Lale Hoyain 25.88 Victoria 5.63
Mass Mining 12.88 Winona 12.00
Michigan 14.88 Wolverine 137.00 

Dried Fruit at New York. NEW YORK, Feb. 20.-Evaporated applea, irm; common. 48554c; prime, 356954c.

rm; common, hutte, 600%c; fancy, 7c, Propos attracted attention and are reported to be hardening to a price which, however, still ranges from 2074c, according to grade. Apricots are offering sparingly. Choice, 100 64c; extra choice, 11612c; fancy, 1146/16c. Peaches are selling in small lots at the late rions. Choice, 1950/10c; extra choice, 1046 Halins are without material change.

Coffee and Sugar. Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20. Coffee futures closed steady at a decline of 10913 points. Sales, 124,000 bags. March. 6.8596.90c; May. 7.100 7.20c; July. 7.3067.40c; September. 7.3567.85c. Spot. October. 7.15c. Decomber. 7.7567.85c. Spot. Gulet; No. 7 Rio. Sale. Sugar-Raw, Srm; fair refining. 4%c; contrigingal, 96 test, Sc. Molanes sugar. 4%c; refined. Stim; crushed, \$5; powdered, \$6.15; granulated, \$9.05.

New York Cotton Market, NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Cotton futures closed strang at a not decline of 15-6-31 points. Pobrusary, 7.53s; March, 7.33s; April, 7.43s; May, 7.48s; June, 7.51s; July, 7.51s;

### RESISTANCE OF STOCKS

SHOWN IN STRIKING MANNER IN NEW YORK MARKET.

Adverse Influences Fail to Check the Rising Movement No Foreign Demand for Gold.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.-The stock market cast and west. A still further cut was made in the rates for caport grain. The gross earn-ings for the second week of February showed already quite clearly the effect of these influ-ences. These were the causes of a halting and alureign response to the first buoyant rise

in Union Pecific.

The next demonstration centered in the industrials and it was not until late in the day
that the redroud atocks cause up. The activity was largely congested in Union Facific and
Sauthern Facific, Onfario & Western and the
United States Steel stocks, the total in which
was run up quickly at the rule of 1000 in
10,000 shares in single blycks. All of the
stocks connected with the Northern Securities prevailing the supposed plan of read-justment to fellow the dissolution of the inerger were strong in sympathy. Northern Securities itself adding several points to lie precord price in the surb markets. The heavy biging of United Status Steel after a period of comprehensive dermancy was attributed to have the condition induced the sanding interests near to the corporation and the condition induced.

other buying of the stock.

Burnors of coming peace were received from abroad and the continued decline in exchangemarked the culmination of the foreign demand. abroad and the continued deciline in saving and the countries of the foreign demand for our gold. Call money heart, however, was firmer and there was inclination among exchange houses to take out leans, with the restingtion of the money market. The reports from Washington of a decision reached by the Frezident not to press for radirosed rate legislation at not to press for radirosed rate legislation at all this session of Congress was a factor in the day.

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enn. Coal & Iron. 11,300 824, 814, 8 Leather. 309 125, 125 fo preferred 1,900 105% 1054, 8 Realty. do preferred 13.00 82% 81% 82% II Portland, and but a few have reached In Portland, and Salem. The members of the Oregon Prisoners' Aid Society, and others interested in the prisoners before and after they don't the atriped suits have not seen they don't the atriped suits have not seen to preferred to prefe Total sales for the day, 1,546,000 shares,

BONDS NEW YORK, Feb. 20 .- Closing quotations: NSW YORK, Feb. 20.—Crosing quotations:
U. S. ref. 2s reg.104 \( \)\_1 Atchison Adj 4s. 97
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Stocks at London.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Consols for money, 50 11-16; consols for account, 90%. D0 11-16; consols for secousi, \$0%,
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Nor. & Western,
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Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Money on call steady, at 24,624 per cent; closing bid, 24 per cent; offered at 25 per cent. Time Scarp, alignity

Practed rates, \$4.8692.88%. Commercial bills, \$4.8694.80%. Bar silver, dir.
Mexican dollars, 47%c. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds,

LONDON, Feb. 20.-Blar silver, 28 11-16d per

ounce. Money, 25622% per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills to 25 per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for three-months' bills is 25 per cent. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 29.—Silver bars, fite; Mexican deliam, 50c. Signi drafts, 10c; idigeraph drafts, 125c. Steffing on London, 60 days, \$4.865; sight, \$4.865.

tomatoes were higher.
Butler and engo were easy, Checse was firm.
Receipts: 20,000 peurols of butter, 10,200
pounds of cheese and 22,800 dozen eggs.
VEGETABLES-Garle, 3@10c; green peas.

5850: string beams, 59100: tomatoes, \$1.259
120. egg plant, 106124c.
POULTRY — Turker gobblers, 18621c: Sept.
roosters, old, 5586.30; do young, 56.5667;
small \$362.30, large, \$481.30; fryers, \$5.50
W6: hens, \$586.30; ducks, old, \$596; do July CHEERE-Young America, 120125c; East-BUTTER-Fapey creamery, 26c; creamery

econds, 22c; fancy dairy, 24c; dairy sec EGGs Store, 200 22c; fancy ranch, 24c. WOOL-Lambs', 16818-, HAY-Wheat \$10 g 12.50; wheat and cats \$10 m l3; baries, \$9 0 10; alfalfa, \$ \$10.50; clover, \$793; stocks, \$897; steau, 40%56; MILLFEED—Bran, \$21022; middings,

\$26020. HOPS—1904, 25 H2Tc, PRUIT—Apples, choice, \$1.75; de com-mon, 50c; bananses, 75 c#\$2.56; Mexican lines, \$595.55; California lemons, choice, \$2.56; de common, \$1; eranges, navels, 75c

D\$1.75; pineapples, \$29.3.30.

POTATUES - Early Rose, \$1.25.91.56; River Hurbenks, Tagosic, River reds, 60.570c; Salinas Burbanks, \$1.91.10; aweets, 7ac@\$1; Oregon Burbanks, \$1.91.25.

RECETITS - Flour, 74.189-punarter sacks, barley, 2347 centals; wheat, 4795 centals; beaus, 2087 sacks; potatoes, 6750 sacks; middlings, 613 sacks; bay, 68 tons; bides, 240.

Metal Markets.

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Copper remains unchanged locally. Lake is held at 15.50c, electrolytic at 15.50c, electrolytic at 15.50c, electrolytic at 15.50c and casting at 150g15.25c. The London market was a shade higher at 168 for spot and was a shade higher at 168 for spot and when the formula is the for futures.

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New York market, but was lower at £24 los

In London.

Iren closed at 53s in Glasgow and at 47s 101st in Middlesboro. Locally iren is firm. Northern is quoted at \$17.50917.85. No. 2 Northern at \$17.50, No. 1 foundry Southern at \$17.705 in the statistics were bearing. The Wall street contingent appeared to be doing but little, centingent appeared to be doing but little, final prices here were to \$20 mid northern at \$17.705 in the statistics were bearing. The Wall street contingent appeared to be doing but little. Final prices here were to \$20 mid northern at \$17.705 in the statistics were bearing. The Wall street contingent appeared to be doing but little. Final prices here were to \$20 mid northern at \$17.705 in the statistics were bearing. The Wall street contingent appeared to be doing but little.

Dairy Produce in the East.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Butter-Strong, Street prices, extra creamery, 25@354c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 27g35c; do, held common to extra, 28g33c; Western factory, common to extra, 20g25c; Western ministen creamery, common to extra, 26g3c; Chesse-Firm.

tory and Western mediums, 21222c; fine medium, 17618c; fine, 16617c. EX-CONVICT WRITES A BOOK

John L. Post Says There is a Hell

Post was working upon a book. A routine meeting of the society was held yesterday in the rooms of the Concordia Club, and domestics on the second floor developed

the matter was informally brought to the attention of the members. Superintendent James, of the peniten-tiary, knows the tenor of the charges, and Chaplain E. W. St. Pierre was mock-ing Post yesterday in Portland. But the ex-convict has disuppeared. Post had frequently told those inter-ested in the prison work that he had been kindly treated and that he felt a high

kindly treated and that he felt a high regard for Superintendent James. These people were, therefore, surprised to learn that he had written such a book. For several weeks Post spent much time in writ-

offered at 2% per cent. Time leans, slightly frozer; 60 and 90 days, 3 per cent; six months fornia. Mendazona left his home Saturday night, announcing his intention of killing himself. The hat found on the wharf has been identified as that of Herman Astoria Max Wobber, Tacoma meas in banker bills at \$4.874594.8750 for Mendazona.

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wheat trade was unsettled today. Most of the statistics were bearish. The Wall street

Wool-Firm.

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Western Bretz, Zigdic, Spot quotations—Wheat: Shipping, St.35 (21); brewing, \$1.224;81.25. Oats: Res and Significations of the produce exchange today the butter market was firm. Call-board sales—Wheat: May, \$1.48; December, \$1.275; Barley: May, \$1.18. Corn, large change today the butter market was firm. Call-board sales—Wheat: May, \$1.48; December, \$1.275; Barley: May, \$1.18. Corn, large call of the control of the produce exchange today the butter market was firm. Call-board sales—Wheat: May, \$1.48; December, \$1.275; Barley: May, \$1.18. Corn, large call of the control of the control

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LIVERPOOL, Feb. 20, -Wheat-Minal; May, 6s 11%d; Joly, 6s 11%d.

Wheat at Tacoma.
TACOMA. Feb. 20.—Wheat — Unchanged; bluestem, 85%c; club, 86%c.

Hotel Saved From Incendiaries.

CHICAGO, Feb. 30.-A can of gasolin oll-soaked cioth, and a substance said to be nitro-glycerine were found last night when fire was discovered in the tailor shop of Charles Pass, in the Morrison Ho-tel building, Clark and Madison streets. The blaze, it is declared, was of incen-diary origin, and the police are making an investigation. Only the promptness of the hotel employes prevented an explo-sion, as the blaze had almost reached the gaseline when noticed. In the hotel when the alarm came in

Forbes Gets Decision Over Nec-INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 20.-Harry Porbes, of Chicago, was given the de-cision over Paddy Nee, of Pittsburg, at the end of ten rounds at the anditorium

AT THE HOTELS. ;

that he had written such a book. For aeveral weeks Post spent much time in writing this small volume, which, it is believed, he has privately offered for sele outside Portland. He has also written a book of poems which had a small sale.

After Post left the penitentiary the last time he declared that he had reformed for good, and the members of the Prisoners' Aid Society took a special interest in him. In prison, however, it is reported that he spent most of his time in the sick ward, and apparently avoided all the work possible.

San Francisco Suicide Identified.

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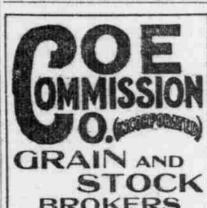
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