Money, Exchange, Etc. NEW YORK, March 16 - Money or o strong, 31-564 per cent; closing hid and offer

Time Scame steedy: 60 and 50 days, 3 per

Time Some steady; (6) and 30 days, 3 per cent; at months Signer cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 38,844, per cent.
Steriles exchange week, with actual business in hunkers' hills at \$4,864594,850 for decement and at \$4,864594,850 for 90 days. Posted valve, \$4,855,604,875. Commercial bills. \$4,845,943,875.

Bunk Clearings.

Daily Treasury Statement.

FLUCTUATIONS IN WHEAT.

volume of business was not large. The particu-

news from Minneapolls regarding the flour situation there had a steadying effect on the May

untion there had a steadying effect on the May delivery, the lowest point on which was remched at \$1.12%. Small receipts in the Northwest also tended to support the price of May wheat. A feature of late trading was the reported purchase of about 1,000,000 bushels of July, by a prominent commission house. The effect of this was to cause a raily in prices. May advanced to \$1.13% and July to \$25%. Additional resiliating however, resulted in remeable weekers.

resulted in renewed weakness. Final quota-tions on May were at \$1.13%. July closed

Larger receipts than expected caused considerable selling of open addressed

May chosed \$c lower at 315c.
Provisions showed considerable strength. At the closs May pork and ribs were cash up a shade at 312.774 and \$6.924, respectively.
The leading futures canged as follows:
WHEAT.

CORN,

DATS.

May ..... 6.50% 6.65 6.52% July 7.67% 7.12% 7.67%

61.11; No. 2 red. 81.134gf 1.54; Corn-No. 2, 484gc; No. 2 yellow, 484; Okis-No. 2, 224gc; No. 2 white, 34c;

weaker, July declining to 914r.

Available cash balance, \$142,280,400. Gold, \$10,508,008.

irregular.

bills, 2% per cent

Dr. Seers 154 Sc. Rallway
D. S. B. G. ST. do preferred
do preferred 55 Sc. Pacific.
Erle 45 Union Pacific
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do 25 pref 71 U. S. Steel
Illinois Central 197 do preferred
L. S. N. 1854 Waban
M. K. S. T. 205 do preferred
N. T. Central 180 Spanish 4s

## **EXPORTS FALL OFF**

Decrease in Shipments of Products of Farms.

CONDITIONS LESS FAVORABLE

Figures for 1904, for the Country at Large, Are \$19,000,000 Less Than for the Preceding Year-Cotton Half of Total.

with slightly less favorable farm conditions, brought about a great change in the relaof Statistics of the Agricultural Department

ports of farm products last year, as compared with 1908, and a decrease of \$6,000,000, as compared with the annual average between

products were third, live animals were fourth, lumber was fifth; tobacce sixth; fruits sevsuch, and oil cake and oil cake meal eighth. products in 1904 formed nearly 5

pay cent of the total domestic exports, and \$15,000,000 more than the annual average for verago for 1804-1808.

Imports of forest products in each year duf-1804-1804 exceeded the domestic exports. The value of imports of forest products in 1904 exceeded the value in 1903 by \$8,000,000. Was \$19,000,000 more than the annual average for 1800-1903, and \$36,000,00 greater than the ABBRURL average for 1804-1808.

Meat and meat products, grain and grain grain and grain products." Ment and ment roducts declined from \$178,000,000 to \$174.

Demestic experis of live animals gained \$10,000,000, and the net gain for all animal matter was \$12,000,000. Pruits gained \$3,000,000, 600, the total domestic experts of fruits for 100 being valued at more than \$20,000,000. Enied ecilined \$7,000,000 and tobacco \$6,000,000. While vegetable oils, oil cake, and oil-cake meal together lost \$6,000,000. The net loss for all tagether lost \$6,000,000. The net loss for all tagether lost \$8,000,000. The net loss for all tagether lost \$8,000,000. The net loss for all tagether lost \$8,000,000. The net loss for all farm products was \$18,000,000.

Of the dominatio experts of forest products, naval shores, timber and incuber were valued in 1505 at \$60,000,000. On all tamber the most valuable of the forest products, was valued at 150,000,000 in 1504, an increase of \$7,000,000, over the previous year, while timber gained \$1,000,000. The total value of these two products in 1504 exceeded \$52,000,000. Naval stores increased from \$13,000,000 in 1504, and the total domination of all other forest products showed a large relative increase.

His Palth of the Hop Market Is Stronger INDEPENDENCE, March 16.—There has been some talk in hop circles the past few days to the effect that Arment Rigg's faith in the hop market is weakening; Mr. Riggs.

So per pound; curumbers, \$2.25 per dozen; articheses, The per dozen.
(ONIONS-Pancy, \$2.5062.16; No. 2, \$161.50, (NN/NNB-Pancy, 42,30g2 16; No. 2, 51g1 10; buying select.

E377 ATOE2—Cregon famey, Neggil; comming, 70g50; buyers price; Merced sweets, 15c; Calayer Muscatei misina, 15c; unbiesched accopiest Sultunas, 65c; London leyers, 2-crown, 41,75; Unbiesched accopiest Sultunas, 65c; London leyers, 2-crown, 41,75; DRIED FRUIT-Apples, avacorated, 6g845c; per possed; sungeled, marks or bakes, home; apricots, 10g11c; peaches, 9g105c; pears, note; praces, italians, 4gbc; Persch, 25g016c; flex, California foincia, 5gc; do white, none; Sityras, 30c; Pard dates, 6c; plums, pitted, 6c. California filicia, bacc do white, none Shiyy-ias, Bor First dates, se; plums, pitted, 6c. DOMESTIC PRUITS—Apples, fancy, \$1.750 250 per ber chece, \$101.25; commen, 500 75c; ngs, 85c021.36 per box. TROPICAL PRUITS—Lemma, 6.0cc, \$2.750 1.6. choice, \$2.75 per box; oranges, fancy, \$2.52.25 per box; choice, \$1.5001.75; standard, \$1.5001.50; tangetime, \$1.5007 per box; grape-fruit. \$2.5003 per box; bananas, \$60000 per pound.

COFFEE-Mocha, Deptho; Java, ordinary, 18 330; Coata Hira, bancy, 18 public, good, 180 lbc; ordinary, 100 lbc; per pound; Collembia rossi; cases 100s, \$11.85; Bos, \$12.85; Arbuckle, \$18.85; Lion, \$14.86; RICE-Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$5.875; South-ern Japan, \$3.50; Carollma, \$4.996; brokenhead,

ern Japun, \$3.50; Carcilina, 44,600; brokenimas, 25g.

Salamon—Columbus River, 1 pound talle, \$1.75 per dosen, 2-pound talla, \$2.40, 1-pound faits, \$1.85; fanny 1614s-pound naits, \$1.80; \$4,000 fints, \$1.80; pound talle, \$6.50; red. 1-pound talls, \$1.45; exchapes, 1-pound talls, \$1.45; exchapes, 1-pound talls, \$1.45; exchapes, 1-pound talls, \$1.50; exchapes, 1-pound, 1sports of the country during the last fiscal sected.

SALT—California, \$11 per ton, \$1.00 per bale, Liverpent, 500, 317, 1000, \$1.60 per bale, Liverpent, 500, and a decrease of \$6,000,000, as summaried with the annual average between \$50 and \$1000.

Cotton formed meanly one-half of the value of all agricultural exports in 1908; meat and \$1.00 per bale, Liverpent, \$1.00 per bale, Li

Oils. GASGLINE-Stove gassiline, cases. ZDisc, iron barrels, 17c; 86 deg. gasoline, cases. ZD; iron barrels or drains. Zoc. COAL Oil.-Cases ZDig; iron barrels, 15c; wood barrels, none; 65 deg., cases. ZD; iron barrels, 18kg; Washington State test burning olis, special headlight, see per gallon ligher. LINEEZD OIL.-Raw, barrels, 56c; cases. 61c. Balled; Barrels, 58c; cases. 61c. Balled; Barrels, 58c; cases. 61c.

Meats and Provisions.

BEEF December, hulls, 394c; count, 374354c; country steem, 4804c.

MULTON December, 6975c, per pound,
VEAL December, 169 to 125, 793c per pound;
125 to 200, 19854c; 200 and up, 34494c.

PORK December, 100 to 150, 75485c per pound;
180 and up, 7375c.

HAMS—Ten to 14 pounds, 124c per pound;
14 to 16 pounds, 125c; 18 to 20 pounds, 125c;
California (picmber, 84c; coctage lama, Bo;
shoulders, 84c; boiled ham, 25c; boiled picmbe, ham, bornelens, 14c;
BACON—Fancy brenkfast, 16c per peund;
eintolard breakfast, 16c; choice, 15c; English
breakfast, 11 to 16 pounds, 12c; peach bacon,
11c.

breakfast, 11 to 14 pounds, 12% per pound;
lie.

SAUSAGE—Portland ham, 12% per pound;
minred ham, 10c; Summer, choice dry, 17%;
bologna, long, 5%; weinerworst, 80g fiver, 16;
pers, 8c; bolog, 5c; headchesse, 12%; bologna
manage, 1mk, 430g.

DRY SALTED MEATE—Regular short crears,
9%; sait, 10%; smoked; clear backs, 8c sait,
10c smoked; Oregon export, 20 to 25 pounds,
average, 10%; sait, 11%; smoked; clears, 8%;
sait, 10%; smoked; clear backs, 8c; Union
butts, 10 to 15 pounds, average, 8c sait, 9c
smoked.

Sunsked. 10 to 18 pounds, average, Sc mait, 90 sunsked.
PICKLEDD GOODS—Pickled pigs' feet, 1, barrels, 83; 1, barrels, 82.75; 15-pound kit, 81.25; pickled stripe, 3,-barrels, 85; 1,-barrels, 82.75; 15-pound kit, 81.10; pickled digs' tongues, 1-barrels, 85; 1, barrels, 86; 10-pound kits, 81.75; 1-barrels, 85; 1, barrels, 86,50; 15-pound kits, 82.75; 1-barrels, 85; 1, barrels, 86,50; 15-pound kits, 82.75; 1-barrels, 86,50; 1-barrels, 85,50; 1-barrels,

Hops, Wool, Hides, Die.

HOPS-Choice 1804, 2016624c per pound.

WOOL-Valley, 1802Me per pound: Eastern
Orogno, 18817c per pound; Eastern
MOS-Alle-Charley, 1862Me per pound; Eastern
MOS-Alle-Charley, 1862Me per pound; 100, 168104c per pound; 175 kg, No. 1, 5 to 15
Tounda, 1482Me per pound; 175 kg, No. 1, 5 to 15
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Tounda, 1482Me per pound; 175 kg, Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc. in the hop market is weakening. Mr. Riggs holds followed and today he most vigorously denied any weakening whatever. In fact, a bit there's mark 40500 market with a market will be better than at present.

It have a rable from London oday as well as one restreday. We said, "saying that of \$1,500 per cent less, or 12946 per point force of the arterior of the incident and the said of the sa

Butter was in good demand at former figures.

Butter was uschanged.

### REACTION STILL IN FORCE

CALL MONEY FLURRY CAUSES MORE SELLING OF STOCKS.

Chesapeake & Ohio and Equipment Companies Are Strong Points of Registance to the Pressure.

NEW YORK March 16 The reactionary

Boiled: Surrais, 38c; cases, Gic; le less in 200gailon lots.

TUHFENTINE-Came, SSc; barrais, 81c.

WHITE LEAD-Ton lots. Tig; 500-pound
lots, Tig; less than 000-pound lots, 8c.

Meats and Provisions.

BEEF-Dressed, bulls, 304c; coss, 317634c;
country steers, 4803c.

MUTTON-Dressed, 6874c per pound.

VEAL-Dressed, 160 to 125, 783c per pound;
VEAL-Dressed, 160 to 125, 783c per pound;
Government deposits and that the lack of this
formulation rowseners to New York is likely

Bands were tregular. Total sales, par value,

\$3,885,000. changed on last call.

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	Sales.	High.	LOW.	214
Atchison	15,200	30%	501%	5.8
do-preferred	200	-100%	100	10
Atlantic Coast Line		145	142	14
Baltimore & Ohio	17,400	11954	105%	10
do streferred	100	97	197	1.9
Canadian Pacific	14,200	14854	24655	34
Central of N. J	700	2005	2002	20
Chesapeake & Ohio	10,000	Sidila	GFS	- 8
Chicago & Alton	2,100	44%	43%	- 6
do preferred	200	82%	82	
Chl. Great Western	48,700	25%	24%	5.0
Chi. & Northwestern.	700	232%	260	24
Chi., Mil. & St. Paul	29,000	182%	180%	18
Chi. Term. & Trans.	500	27%	16%	- 1
do preferred	1,4800	32%	211/6	- 2
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Colorado & Southern.	200	25	245	- 2
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do 2d preferred	100	35%	33%	. 3
Driaware & Hudson	1,200	1947	19154	19
Del., Lack, & West.,	*****	55125	W1-100.01	20
Denver & Dan Grande	3,400	33%	2456	D
do blatelation	900	91	90	
Erie	25,900	47%	4656	
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do preferred	8,600	104	181	14
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Kan, City Southern	100	20%	20%	- 5
do preferred	1,000	67%	15514	- 7
Louisville & Nashv.,	12,000	145%	142%	14
Manbattan L.	2,000	172	171	î
Metrop. Securities	48,000	88	55	1
Metropolitan St. Ry	36,700	124	12215	12
Mexican Central	10,700	25%	24%	73
Minn & six L	300	615	61%	- 6
Minn. & St. L M., St. P. & S. S. M.	500	11645	216%	33
do preferred	1,800	163	102	26
Missouri Pacific		109%	207%	21
Mo., Kan, & Texas	500	3214	82	19
Go preferred	1,800	OT	D05x	- 6
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New York Central		16514	16254	36
N. Y., Out. & West.	29,500	613	6044	. 0
Norfolk & Western	8,600	87%	565	- 16

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### WHEAT AND STOCK BROKERS

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SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS work in being diverted to competitive di

FANCY OREGON POTATOES STILL COMMAND GOOD PRICES.

pa. 54.854.64.875. Commercial bills. 54.845, 58.855.
Bar eliver, 58c.
Mexican dollars. 48c.
Government bonds steady; railroad bonds Railroad Blockade Cuts Off Produce

LONDON, March 16.—Bar allver quiet at 25% per conce.

Money, 1% 802% per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2% per cent; for three months' Supplies Large Butter Shipments to Putet Sound. EAN PRANCISCO, March 16.-Silver bare,

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 16.-(Bps Drafts, eight, Tis: 80 telegraph, 10. Sterling exchange on London, 60 days, \$4.85; sight, \$4.87. rial.)-The potato market is better supplied but in good always for fancy stock. The steam or St. Paul, troms Portland, discharged a fersmall lots and then went to the seawall to and sold at \$1.10 to \$1.20. Strictly fancy Burbanks from Purtland would bring \$1.30. Extra Coos Bay's command \$1.35. Ordinary river potatoes are dull and weak. Fauty sweets said at \$1. New potatoes are in light WASHINGTON, March 16. Today's statement of the Treasury balances in the general und shows: supply and firm. Onions are quiet and casy at \$8 to \$1.20. Asparagus is steady under good local and shipping demand. Rhubarb is freely offered at low prices, owing to the war between the association and outside grow-ers. Buy pens are arriving freely and are weak. No earden venetables are coming from Chicago Prices Close Steady After Firm Opening.
CHICAGO, Marchy 16.—The wheat market opened weak. Max was 160% lower at \$1.15%, \$21.15%, and July was down a shade to which also keeps back supplies of oranges MONO at \$156915c. The principal influences were lower cables and continued favorable

at \$1.25 to \$1.50.

Wheat was slightly firmer, with some demand for May. Barley was steady for apol and futures. Oats were in fair demand. Feed stuffs were firm. Hay is dragging.

The steamer Umatitis took a large shipment of butter for the Sound but the market remained well stocked and weak. Cheese was casy. Eggs were steady. Receiping 60.300 points butter, 2.000 pounds cheese, 31.000 cosm eggs.

VEGETABLES-Garile, SSMet green pos CHERRE-Young America, 125015c; East

rn, 15616c. HUTTER-Fancy creamery, 25c; creamery, econds, 13c; fancy dairy, 25c; dairy seconds

HOPS-IMGIDe per pounds. HAY-Wheat, \$102514; Wheat and oats, \$102 barley, \$9810; alfalfa, \$8810.80; clover, \$7.
 stockx, \$687; atraw, 40650c.
 MILLPEND—Bran, \$50.50821.50; midlings. \$20(25.50)

FRUIT-Applies, obside \$2; do common, 75c; bannasa, 75cg2.50; Mexican limes, \$486.50; California lemona, clustes, \$2.50; do common, 75c; oranges, marel, 75cg1.75; pincapples, \$2 TSc: oranges, mavel, 75cg1.75; pineappies, \$2 84. POTATOES-Early Rose, \$1.50g1.75; Rivee Burbanks, TSu§1; awests, TSeg\$1; Oregon Burbanks, \$181.55. Receipts-Flour, 19.200 quarter macks; bran, 15 macks; hides, DSO; wheat, 11,200 centals; beans, 180 macks; mtddHings, 820 macks; bar-ley, \$800 centals; corn, 107 centals; hay, \$20 tons; potation, 10,223 sacks; wool, E80 tales.

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SOUTH OMAHA, March 15.—Cattle-Re-celpts, 2500; market, slads earler. Native sters, \$3.7565.05; cow. and betters, 236 4.20; canners, \$263; stockers and feederm \$3.75@4.75; calves, \$3@6; bulls, stage, etc.,

\$35.764.25.

Hosp-Receipts. 6500; market strong.

Heavy, \$4.9566.05; mixed, \$4.87%\$4.82%;
light, \$4.7566.95; pigs, \$464.75; bulk of
salos, \$4.8064.87%;
Sheep-Receipts, \$000; market steady.

Western yearlings, \$5.7566.60; wothers, \$50
6.00; ewes, \$4.8595.15; tambs, \$6.5067.40.

FORTHAND MARKETS

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Chamber of Commerce

Dairy Produce in the East. CHECAGO March 18.—On the Produce Exchange today the Butter market was strady, creameries, 21025c; dairies, 18825c.
Fagge caster; at mark, cases included, 144c; firsts, 184c; prime firsts, 15c; extras, 16c.
Cheese steady, at 120114c.

NEW TORK, March 16.—Butter firm. Common to extra, 19925ic; state dairy common to extra, 19925c.
Cheese unchanged:
Eggs uncetfiel. Western firsts, 164c; Western seconds, 16c.

New York Cotton Market. NEW YORK, March 16.—Cotton futures closed steady at unchanged prices to a de-cline of 7 potata, March, T.Sec. April, T.Toc. May, 1.74c, June and July, 1.71c, August, 7.73c; September, T.75c.

ST. LOUIS, March 16.-Wood dull: modium grades, coefficing and clothing, 24225c; light fine, 1852yie; heavy fine, 14615c; tub washed 20637ie.

HIT HARD BY MONROE DOCTRINE Germany Complains of American Influence in West Indies.

BERLIN, March 16.-In the Reichstag today Baron Heyl zu Herresheim called Chancellor von Buelow's attention to the recent extension of the Monroe doctrine, which the Chancellor should follow with

the closest attention.

"We German manufacturers long have had sad experiences with the invasion of the West Indies by North American influence," said the Baron. "The United States preferential treatment of Cuba hit German labor and the commercial classes of Germany most severely. In Santo Do-mingo, Venozuela and Brazil, too, they are seeking to oust the German laborers through the Monroe doctrine."

STAND BY ITS WHIPPING-POST Delaware Abolishes Pillory, but Will Go No Further.

today passed the Senate bill abolishing, the pillory in this state. An effort was made to repeal the bill which provides for the whipping-post, but it failed.

Keep Lands Off Tax Roll. ASTORIA, Or., March 16 .- (Special.) --County Assessor Cornellus reported to County Assessor Cornelius reported to the County County today that there are in Clatsop County saveral tracts of land which the owners have purchased from the state, but by neglecting to make the last payment on the purchase price they keep the title in the name of the state and thus avoid the payment of taxes. He suggested that he be authorized to place such lands on the assessment rolls.

ruch lands on the assessment rolls.

The matter was referred to District Attorney Allen, with the request that he inform the court of the steps necessary to be taken so that these tracts of land

New Rules to Govern Barbers.

Chicago. March 16.—Cattle-Receipts, 8000; market steady; good to prime sizers, 45.100 the Record from Culbertson, Mont., says that a prairie fire which started on the freeders, 25.509-60; cown st. 25.7504-55; months, 25.509-60; cown st. 25.7504-50; belles, 25.509-60; cown st. 25.7504-50; borhood of Duck Lake, burned. range, but the anamalous spectacle of a prairie fire in mid-Winter attracted no little attention.

Santa Fe Juggled Rates.

CHANUTE, Kan., March 16.-In the Santa Fe ousting hearing teday, Foster Allen, manager for I. N. Knapp, submitted some documentary evidence showing the changes in rates and the effect of such changes on the crude oil business. Although he is reluctant, Mr. Allen, has, according to the state, proved to be their best witness.

Patents Received at Roseburg. ROSEBURG, Or., March 16 .- (Special.) "The following cash patents have been received at the United States Land Office: Certificate No. 5799, Sofia Smith; 9056, Clarence A. Young: 9061, Edward Renle; 9122, William L. Tobey; 32,648 Neal D. McCall.

Brutal Murder Near Tonppah. TONOPAH, Nev. March 16.—The man found dead on a flat near town has been identified as Aaron Marks. All signs

COLUMBIA RIVER SCENERY PORTLAND to THE DALLES

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