Heavy Purchases Made by Pittsburg Company.

EVENT OF WEEK IN THE TRADE

Indicates Favorable Market Prospects for Coming Year-Large Sales of Pig Iron - Structural Material In Demand.

The purchase of 200,000 tons of steel billets the Pittiburg Steel Company from the sited States Steel Corporation and the Republic Iron & Sicel Company, deliveries exof the week. A conversion deal involving the purchase of 100,000 tons of Bessemer pig con from merchant furnaces was under consideration by the same company, but this plan was given up and the large contract for being furnished by the steel corpora-The unnounced price is \$23, Pitsburg, would indicate an entirely favorable

40,000 tons of Bessener and basic from Pennsylvania sitel company took 25,000 tons. of Bessemer from that will be converted and rolled into skelp for it at Valley Steel Works. On behalf of the National Tube Company, an inquiry for Bessemer Iron is up. Foundry pigiron has not been particularly interesting during the week. The market is still at \$18.50 for No. 2, as it has been for weeks, though one leading company has put its quotation at \$1875 for further forward deliveries. Flate and structural lines, in which tonnage runs up rayidly, made a stronger showing during the week. Plate mills are two to three maintin behind and boiler works are now reinforcing the steel car works in the Bessemer from that will be converted and

three rountle behind and believ works are pow reinforcing the steel car works in the urgency of their ownsell. Eastern business in structural sacet coming out well, barring the helding up of some work in New York. A Boston bridge company booked 2500 to 2000 tons for Beton and Albany, N. Y., the Erie system 5000 tons, and for new industrial works 2500 tons was closed. Esilirad bridge work under inquiry represents 15,000 to 20,000 tons. Cleveland railroads have definitely decided on a programme of track elevation

nealed sheets and in roofing wers made week, and steel hoops are \$2 a ton higher,

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. FLOUR—Patents, \$4.00@4.85 per bar-rei; straights, \$4.00@4.85; cicars, \$3.50@4; Valley, \$4.10@4.25; Danota hard wheat, \$4.50@4 7.30!; Graham, \$1.50@54; whole wheat, \$4. @4.25; ryu flour, local, \$5; Eastern, \$5@ \$4.10; comment, per case, \$1.00. BARLEY—Feed, \$23 per ton; rolled \$24

025. OATS-No. 1 white, \$1.57%@1.42; gray, \$1.50

OATS—No. 1 white, \$1.574@1.82 gray, \$1.59 per cental:

Mill.STUFFS—Bran, \$19.50 per ton; middings, \$50; shorts, \$22; chop, U. 2 Mills, \$19; linesed dairy foods, \$18; linesed climes, car lots, \$49 per ton; less than car lots, \$30 per ton.

CEREAL FOGDS—Rolled oats, cream, \$0-pound sanks, \$1.75; lower grade, \$3.96.25; ogtheal, steel cut, 50-pound sacks, \$5.90 per baire; To-pound sacks, \$4.25 per baire; Catmeal (ground, 50-pound sacks, \$7.50 per baire; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per baire; 10-pound sacks, \$7.50 per baire; 10-pound sacks, \$7.50 per bounds boxes, \$1.15 per baire; \$2 per 100 pounds; \$5-pound boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, \$2.50 per baie,

HAY—Timothy, \$14.510 per ton; clover, \$11.512; grain, \$11.612; cheat, \$11.612.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc. The poultry market continues rather slow, but prices are still firmly mulntained and a better trade is looked for in the coming Eggs moved well yesterday, and were

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

Front street was almost bare of salable produce yesterday. Not only was garden runts source, but the supply of obsages nearly gave out. Five ours were due yesterday, but mintil Saturday. Good ripe banance were also scarce. The steamer Sunday will bring up a good supply of green stuff and a car or two

reached the market resterday.

VEGETABLES—Tormina \$1 per sack; carron, \$1.25; beets, \$1.25; parmine, \$1.30; cableage, California, I'ac; lettuce, hotheuse, \$1.25g l.50 per hour parsiey. The dozen; tomntoes, \$2.25 per traits; calulflower, \$2 per traits; capping, letter per pound; letter per pound; representations, and the per pound; perpendicular per crate; capping, \$1.20 per traits; peak 10c per pound; peppers, \$5.00 per traits; peak, \$1.20 per traits, chemplers, \$2 per dozen; artichologe, the per traits.

ONIONS—Origin Prices; Australian, \$2 per pound. FOTATURS—Origin fainty. \$3.000; common, \$5.000c; common, \$5.000c, bursers price; Merced sweets, 15c.

mon, 65 a SOC, hurers price: Merced sweets, 14cc.

BAISINS-Loose Muscatela, 4-crown, 74cc.

5-layer Muscatel rations, 75cc, unhienched southers full tanns, 65cc, London layers, 2-crown, 84.75.

DRIED FRUIT-Apples, exaporated, 67059; per pound; sundried macks or buses, note, priced, 10611c; pennes, 54.15c.

Chiffornia blacks, 55cc; do white, note, 20cc, 70cc, 10cc, 10cc,

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS—Cheace 1994, 25/4624c per peund.

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WOUL—Lalier, 1952ac per pound.

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BUYING OF STEEL St. roughest large, 30gBle: struck, 40g St.; cityr, arginer, prime sin, 50gBle; struck, 40g St.; cityr, arginer, prime sin, 50gBle; cityr, particular, struck, 1995 a. History AX-Good, clean and pure, 200224 per pound. CASCARA SAGRADA (Chittam bars)-Good, OREGON GRAPE ROOT-Per 100 pounds

GASOLINE-Stove guscibe, cases, 234;c; iron-barrels, 15c; 88 deg. guscibe, cases, 20c; iron-barrels or druma 25c.

COAL OIL-Chaise, 214;c; iron barrels, 15c; wood barrels, none; til deg., cases, 25c; iron-barrels, 25g;; Washington State test-burning oils, except bendlight, 15c per gallon bigher. LINSERD OIL-Haw, barrels, til; cases, 55c. Bolled: Barrels, 68c; cases, 68c; ic iess in-barrel lots.

pound; 125 to 700, Square; 700 hours; 100 pound; 150 and up 71435c.

HAMS Ten to 14 pounds, 17%c per pound; 14 to 18 pounds, 17%c; 18 to 20 pounds, 17%c; California tylenie; 8c; cottage hams, 8c; collagers, 8%c; botied ham, 200; bolied picnic ham, honeless, 1c.

BACON-Fancy breakfast, 18c per pound; sundard breakfast, 14c tolote, 17c; English breakfast, 11 to 14 pounds, 12c; peach bacon, 11c.

SAUSAGE-Portland ham, 17%c per pound; mixed ham, 10c; Summer, choice of y, 17%c; bologna, long, 8%c; welperwurst, 8c; 30%c, 9c; pork, 9c; blood, 5c; headchesse, 5c; bologna sunage, 11nk, 4%c. bologna, long, 64-gr. weinerwarst, St. Hver, 5c; pork, 5c; beachesse, 5c; bologna sausage, 11nk, 44-g.

DRY SALT CURKD-Regular short cleare, 84-gc sait, 10-gc smoked; clear backs, 5c sait, 10-gc smoked; clear backs, 15 to 17 pounds average, 10-gc smoked; clear backs, 16 to 17 pounds average, 10-gc sait, 12-g smoked; Oregon exports, 90 to 25 pounds average, 10-gc sait, 11-gc smoked; I'alin butts, 10 to 18 pounds average, 8c sait, 8c smoked;

PICKLED GOODS-Pickled pigs feet, 5-barries, 8; 5-barries, 82-75; 15-bound \$1t, 41.25; pickled lipe, 5-barries, 45; 5-barries, 82-75; 15-bound \$1t, 41.25; pickled lambs' tougue, 5-barries, 87; 5-barries, 85; 5-barries, 85;

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

COFFEE-Mocha, 100228c; Java, ordinary, 18

Groc; Costa Hica, fancy, 180220c; good, 180218c; ordinary, 100228c; per pound; Cutumina rose; cases, 160s, 518.28; dos, 518.38; Arbuckie, 514.28; Liou, 514.28; Joseph L., \$5.87%; Southern Japan, 35.50; Carolina, 44.998c; brougenhead, 25c.

SALMON-Columbia River, 1-pound tails, 51.65; per densen; 2-pound tails, 32.40; 1-pound fails, 51.55; fancy 1811/2-pound fails, 51.65; red, 1-pound tails, 52.60; pound fails, 51.65; red, 1-pound fails, 51.65; ordered, 1-pound fails, 51.65; red, 1-pound fails, 50; red, 1-pound fails, 51.65; red, 1-pound fails, Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

pound.

SALT—California, \$11 per ton, \$1.60 per bale,
Liverpool. 50s. \$17, 100s. \$16.50; 20cs. \$16.50;
Liverpool. 50s. \$1, 100s. \$16.50; 20cs. \$16.50;
haif-ground, 10ds. \$1; 50s. \$7.50.

NUIS—Walnuts, 199; per pound by sack, le
extra for less than sack; Branil onts, 15c; filberts, 14c; pecans, jumbos. 14c; extra large,
15c; almonts, 1, X. L., 10%;c; chestouts, Itallars, 15c; Ohio, \$4.50 per 25-pound drum; peanuts, raw, 15c; per pound; roussted, 3c; pinenuts, 10g;12%; hickory nuts, 1c; cocbanuts,
80g;100 per dozen.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Prices Quoted at Portland Union Stockyards Yesterday. Receipts at the Portland Union Stockyards extenday were 87 cattle. The following prices were quoted at the yards:

CATTLE-Best Bastern Oregon steers, \$4:
cores and heifers, \$350.25; medium, \$1,5002.

HOGS-Best large, fat hugs, \$6; block and
China (at. \$0.2505.50; stockers, \$5.

SHEEP-Best Eastern Oregon and Valley,
\$4,5004.75; medium, \$4094.50.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Kansas City, Omaha and

CHICAGO, March 23.—Cattle-Receipts, 7000; market, strong to 10c higher, Good to prims steers, \$5.1586.25; poor to medium, \$3.8085; stochers and feders, \$2.8094.75; cowns, \$2.5094.50; helfers, \$205; canners, \$1.5092.40; bulls, \$2.5084; calves, \$387.

Hogs-Receipts, 30.000; tomorrow, 25.000; market, 5810c lower, Mined and butchers, \$5.1593.35; good to choice heavy, \$5.2685.374; count. rough heavy, \$5.15@5.25; light, \$5.10@5.25; bulk of sales, \$5.10@5.50.

Sheep-Receipts, 14,000; sheep and lambs, steady; good to choice wethers, \$3.75 @ 30; fatr to choice mixed, \$4.50 @ 5.30; Western sheep, \$1.50 @ 6.30, native lambs, \$5.50 @ 7.65; Western lumbs, \$6.40@7.65.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 23 .- Cattle-Receipts 4200; market steady, Native steers, \$4.25@7.25; native cows and helices, \$2@4.80; stockers and feeders, \$3.84.90; bulls, \$2.75@4.15; onives, \$2.50@8.50; Western fed steers, \$4.25@5.50; Western fed cowe,

Hogs-Receipts 8000; market 5c lower. Bulk of saies, \$3.05@5.25; heavy, \$3.25@ 5.27%; packers, \$5.10@5.25; pigs and light, \$4.25/0 5.15. Sheep—Receipts 2000; market strong Muttons, \$4.00@6; lamba, \$6.50@7.60; range wethers, \$5.40@6.50; fed ewes, \$4.90@5.50.

SOUTH OMAHA. March 23.-Cattle-Recelpts 1200, Market lower. Native steers, \$5.75-95,50; cows and helfers, \$5.84.16; canpera, \$2.03: stockers and feeders, \$3.75.0 4.50; calves, \$2.75@5.75; bulls, stags, etc., \$2.25@4.25. Hogs-Rocelpts, 20,000 Market 5c low-

@7.40.

London Wool Sales Close Strong.

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LONDON, March 25.—The second series of the wool anction sales closed today. A good melection, amounting to 7900 bales, chiefly New Zealand was offered. There was an active demand, and the highest prices of the series were realized. Siya were in better requit. When series opened, mermos were cumchanged to 30 cheaper, good qualities bringing the January rates. Later, all grades weakened, but toward the close, under vikorous connections. santary raise. Later, all graces weather, but toward the clone, under vigorous competition and a distinctly stronger tone, fine-halmd improved, and at times advanced above the January level. Medium and coarse crossbreds followed a like trend, declining 10015 per cent below the first series, while the finest grades remained about unchanged to 5 per cent lower. Keep competition pear the closing of the day. remained about unchanged to 5 per cent lower.

Keen competition near the closing of the day brought about a reaction and a general advance of about 5 per cent. Cape of Good Hope and Natal wool opened in buyers' favor, but recovered. Best anow whites were scarce and sold at extreme rates. The sales closed strong. Of the 165,628 hales ratiogued, \$4,000 were sold to the home trade, 75,000 to the Continent, 6000 to America, and 20,000 were held over for the third series.

Health of the Market Is Considerably Improved, and Substantial Recovery Takes Place.

NEW YORK, March 23.-The hear party

companies, although new auspices for the project were presented.

The professional element among the operators seemed convinced by the events of the last few days that a considerable decline in prices was before the market still. This served to encourage the organization of the bear party and the elaborată ecale of operations on which they proceeded. It was believed from various indications and intimations that very extensive liquidation had been accomplished already on the part of those who had accumulated stocks on the largest ecale on the score of merger rumors. integes scale on the score of merger rumo professed expectations of dividend increase and other influences which had carried price and other influences which had carried prices to the excessive level before the reaction. With this liquidation effected, it was assumed that the market would no longer have the benefit of the power of the organization support which had guarded it until this speculative liquidation was concluded. The hears were therefore hopeful of inducing sailing by desiring them.

were therefore hopeful of inducing driving down prices.

The events of the morning proved the justice of their expectation. The extent to which the reaction had run at the low level of the morning induced caution on the part of the bears and prompted large covering of short lines. The manner in which the raily was extended also suggested that a considerable element among the professionals had turned to the long side of the market again on the assumption that the market was ripe for a

further rally.

The day's fluctuations were almost wholly

Total sales, \$2,785,990.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Closing

Sales High. Low hill.

Sound are expected for thorson's auction sale.

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BEAR RAID ON STOCKS

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Money, Exchange, Etc. NEW YORK. March 22.—Money on call, firm, 1833; per cent; closing bid, 3% per cent; offered at 3% per cent. Time loans ensy: 60 and 90 days, 2533; per cent; air months, 3% per cent. Frime mercantile paper, 3%,64% per cent. Frime mercantile paper, 3%,64% per cent. Films at 24.5470;4.575 for demand and at 84.8380;4.8383 for 60 days. Funted rates, 34.544;64.53 and 34.559;54.837. Commercial bills, 24.835;

Commercial bills \$4.825.

Bar silver, 575c.

Mexican dollars, 44%c.

Bonds-Gofernment, ste

EGOS Store, 161-817c; fancy ranch, 19c.

WOOL-Lambs, 16918c.

HOPS-23625c per pound.

HAY-Whest, \$10913.5c; wheat and goals.

\$5011.50; berley, \$8910; alfalfs, \$8950.50; clover, \$190; stocks, \$987; straw, 25650c.

MILLFESTD-Bran, \$20.50921.50; middlings, \$26.50928.50.

FRITT-Apples choice, \$2; do common, 75c; bananns 15c; 252; Mexican lines, \$468.50; bananns 15c; 252; Mexican lines, \$468.50; bananns

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NEW YORK, March 23.-Closing quota-

tions:

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Adams Con... \$ 25 Little Chief. \$
25 Alice ... 95 Ontario
25 Alice ... 25 Ophir
27 Breace ... 25 Ophir
28 Breace ... 25 Ophir
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20 Con. Cal. & Va. 1.40 Savage
20 Lon Silver ... 170 Sierra Nevada
21 Lon Silver ... 270 Small Hopes
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Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, March 22.—The market for evaporated apples is firm, though actual business is moderate, owing partly to scanly effectings of choice and tancy, while holders of prime are asking prices above the views of buyers. Common, 485 Mc; prime 5% 600 Mc; choice, 658 Mc; fancy, 7c.

Prunes abow no improvement on spoil, with huyers taking only small lots. Quotations for California grades range from 25% to 25%, white Oregons are held as high as 7c for the largest sizes.

lighting for extra choice, and ingine for Praches rule firm at 10@10%c for choice

statems show no improvement on spot, but are quite firmly held, owing to stronger advices from the Coast. Loose muscatels are quoted 4 k #6 kc; London layers, \$1.05@1.25, and seeded raisings, 54,60%c.

Dairy Produce in the East, NEW YORK, March 22.—Butter-Very firm. Street prices, extra creamery, 259254c; infi-cial prices, creamery, common to extra. 200

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Mabel Daly, do
S Johnson, Spokane
Mrs Johnson, do

GOOD WEATHERFORCROPS Starbird, Washington, D. C., Inceration of scalp; Mrs. P. Lang, Kentucky, ankle hurt.

8	Posted rates, \$4.84\194.85 and \$4.85\194.87. Commercial bills, \$4.85\1.	Lurc Lurc	
er	Bar silver, 57igc.	AT THE HOTELS.	1
th:	Mexican dallars, 44%c. Bonds-Government, steady; ratiroad, trreg-	BEARISH NEWS CAUSES A BAD	3
3	ular.	DEFAM IN MARKET PRICES THE PORTLAND.	
00	SAN PRANCISCO, March 23Silver bars.	May Option at Chicago Cioses With L R Piechner, St P W R Spinney, N Y G G Brybee, B P H I Seddom, N York G London, Hawana J N Wheeler and Mrs W H Klechner, wife, Crookston,	in
ck	574c.	May Ortion at Chlenge Classe With Mrs W H Klechner, wife Crockston.	10 15
be	Drafts-Sight, Phys. do telegraph, 10c.	Fittemen	41
ne.	Sterling on London, 60 days, \$4.84%; eight, \$4.86.	Countess Le Rouge, daughter, Chicago	=
aft.		Cash Markets Lower. Copenhagen, Den Mrs E P Gaffney, V M Vuberg, N Y Seattle	Ī
De na	LONDON, March 23 Bar silver, dull, 26.9-16d per ounce.	I J V Ritts and daugh. P T Barner Salem 1.	Ĉ,
300	Money, 494% per cent.		쾫
he.	The rate of discount in the open market	weak from the start. Opening trades were W S Pugh, Pittsburg S Rosenbloom, Pit	ř
	for short bills is 2.5-10@2% per cent; for three months' bills, 2.5-16@2% per cent.	weak from the start. Opening trains were marked by a decline of over 2 cents in the price of the May delivery and le in July. In- itial quotations on May were off %62%c, at 81.12%c1.18% July was down %6%c of \$60.00 to \$60.00 t	
he		price of the May delivery and is in July. In- S L Blumauer, S F S D Burge, N York	12
ne	Bank Clearings.	Itial quotations on May were off %674c, at M J Mulhall, N Y New York	Ä
he	Portland \$564,540 \$106,277	\$1.194@1.18% July was down %6% to %6%c, P C Wilcox, Hing- at 91@91%c. Heavy receipts in the North- hampton Mans	In
B-	Seattle	west had much to do with the opening de- clines. Lower cables were also a factor. Neb D Wilson, Kas C. Mo	
-	Spokane 440,397 54,254	Weather extremely favorable for the rapid T T Goodwin v H Love and wife, St	-
a.t		growth of the new crop attracted, however, S Hamburger and Louis wife, Chicago W C Kerr, Seattle	ě
nč be	Daily Treasury Statement, WASHINGTON, March 22Today's etate-	most attention. The market lacked any definite support, news from the Winter wheat belt being of such beartsh character as to discourage the demand. The July option was E C Cleveland, S F C Stones, Philadelph courage the demand.	*
13.	ment of the Terasury balances in the general	being of such bearish character as to dis W I Sutton, S F C S Jones, Philadelph	si
ee.	fund shows:		×
200	Available cash balance \$140,221,520 Gold 65,831,839	last part of the session, declining to 90 %c. C P Blanop, Salem wife, San Francisco	
ed		Cash news from all markets was bearish late A J Hyley, Pittsburg W T Branch, Tacoma	5
he ip-	SOUTHERN WOOL ARRIVES,	in the day. The market closed weak, with H S Stak, N York J A Latcher, Cold- May 1%c off, at \$1.12%. Final quotations on J B Harty, St Paul water, Mich	d
13-	Definite Prices Not Yet Established at San	July were down Mole, at 90%r. J B Bailey, Harris- W Berdan, Seattle	J
ien.	Francisco.	Notwithstanding the sharp break in wheat burg, Pa R B Colley, Seattle prices, the corn market was comparatively Mrs J B Batley, do L T Anderson, do	Part Ti
to:	EAN FRANCISCO, March 23(Special.)-	firm. May opened unchanged to Mc lower, at L Jlamondon, N Y	F
ok.	Prices were sharply reduced in the local wheat	48848%c, sold between 48%c and 47%847%c, THE PERKINS.	3
th.	pit, following the Chicago slump, but offerings,	and closed at the top. Weakness of wheat had a depressing effect on the oats market. May closed 30%c. J P Anderson, Tacom B F Laughlin, Dalles W McBrutney, Idahol J B Smail, Cleveland A P Back, Annaville W W Leasen. Spoka	2
be	were light. Spot wheat was easy, but no lower. May barier opened at \$1.18, and had	on the cats market. May closed 30%c. A P Baer, Annaville W W Laresen, Spokn	
ert ax	a 2c rally, as the cash market showed more	A large increase in stocks and liberal re- are man, do see a s collins, Os-	F
sile -	strength. Outs were dull, but stendy. Feed-	celpts of live hogs caused weakness in pro- visions. At the close May pork was off 24.00 Sc. at \$12.77%. Lard and ribs were each a shade lower at \$1.074,671.10, and \$5.874,68.90. The loading futures removed as \$6.874,68.90.	
ed	atuffs were steady. Hay was weak.	5c, at \$12.77% Lard and ribs were each a H V Bagby, P Town-R A Jayne, Sprgfield	
he	About 1000 bales of Southern wool has arrived	shade lower at \$7.070,67.10, and \$6.870,698.90, send WA Williams, C. Eck. The leading futures ranged as follows: A B Christle, do Mrs R Whitney, Pen-	Ø
	here since the season opened. Recent rains interrupted shearing and stopped shipments for	WHEAT. E M Day, Bellinghm dieton	
lly ws	a short time. No definite prices are yet	Ar tool at the at the at the mention continues. Considered, Considered	
ed	established.	July	
of	Receipts of oranges are temporarily light, as most of the blockeded fruit has arrived.	September 85 .55% 84% .84% A H Underwood, Al-G M Duffee, Seattle bany Miss Capon, Monmth	¥
加加	Liberal supplies of freehly picked fruit are	May 48 484 475 48 J F Bode, Bonner Mi E Anderson, Scattle	
by:	said to be headed this way. Fully eight car- loads are expected for tomorrow's auction sale.	July 48% 48% 48 .48% R H Owen, Or City Mrs T P Fish, Toledo	
ed	Sound small navels are active and firm. Much	OATS H D Clark, do Grangeville	
he	decayed stock is offering. Lemons and grape-		ı
90.	fruit ard in ample supply for trade wants. Apples are generally dult and easy, though	July 304 304 304 305 Javid Fulton, Wasco B F Owsley Dayton Chas Levy San Fran B F Jones, Toledo	J
on	extra Newtown pippins from cold storage occa-	MESS PORK. Chas Levy, San Fran B F Jones, Toledo W A Lowman, Ana. Dr J A Gelsendoffer,	П
	sionally sell above \$2. Most of the potatoes here are off-grade and	MESS PORK. W. A Lowman, Ana. Dr. J. A. Gelsendoffer, May	
ng	weak. Hardly 10 per cent of the arrivals are	I IIIA IA H Allen Sand Folint	
ű. 8%	choice, and such stock readily commands top	May 1074 710 705 7.10 W I Brackhill Kana Mrs C M Kellour Ho-	
736	quotations. Stocks of onions are moderate, but deteriorating, and causing an easy market.	July 1.22% 1.23% 1.23 1.23% L. J. O'Hara, Toledo quiam, Wash	=
25	Fancy hard Oregons are held at \$3.25. Eagly		
6 8%	vegetables are in lighter supply and prices	July 7.07% 7.07% 7.00 7.07% Maxter Woodard, do	
1	are etcader. Canners are the principal buyers of asparagus.	Cash quotations were as follows: THE IMPERIAL.	*
655	Butter and eggs are in heavy supply and	Flour-Easy, J. H. Ackerman, Salem F. A. Green, City Wheat-No. 2 Spring, \$1,0801.18; No. 3, A. A. Smith, Astoria H. M. Ramsey, La Grd	
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7/4	pounds butter, \$3,700 pounds cheese, \$1,000	Corn-No. 2, 474c; No. 2 yellow, 48c. A G Thelen, S F E C McDougall, Seattl	

Corn-No. 2, 475/c; No. 2 yellow, 48c. Oats-No. 2, 304/c; No. 2 white, 321/4935/c; No. 3 white, 304/4932c. Rye-No. 2, 78678/c.

Flaxseed-No. 1, \$1.25; No. 1 Northwestern

Mess pork—Fer barre! \$12.70g12.75 Lard—Per 100 pounds, \$6.97% \$7. Short ribs sides—Loose, \$6.75g7. Short clear sides—Boxed, \$159.12%. Clover—Contract grade, \$12.95.

Grain and Produce at New York

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MILLIPAGED Fran, \$20.00921.50; middlings. \$26.30928.50.

FRUIT - Apples, choice, \$2; do common, Toc; hanamas, Toc#\$3; Mexican limes, \$464.50; banamas, Toc#\$3; Mexican limes, \$464.50; banamas, Toc#\$3; Mexican limes, \$465.50; califormia lemmas, choice, \$2.50; do common, Toc; oranges, navels, Toc#\$2; pineupples, \$254.

POTATOES - Barly Rose, \$1.4691.65; River Burbanks, \$1691.85; pineupples, \$254.

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RECENTYS - Flour, 22.600 quarter macks, whent, 792 centals; barley, \$55 centals; onta, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, No. 1 hard Manitoba, \$1.05 ft, o. b. affout, Affected by a steady run of bear crop and weak in May, through heavy stop loss selling, Part of the loss was eventually regained on covering, but affined the part of the loss was eventually r

Hops-Easy. Hides-Firm:

THE ESMOND.

B H Sale, Graya Rivri H Berger, Seattle Mrs Sale, do Mrs H Berger, do J B Wedby, Sauvies G Fostar, Goble H Parmalee, Buena Vista Mrs Stephens, do Mrs Parmalee, do Mrs Patterson, Tuba Mrs Patterson, Tuba Mrs Patterson, Rolman L Apperson, Butte Mrs McCreedon, Terre H Johnson, Kalama L Apperson, Butte Mrs Atkinson, do Mrs Apperson, Butte Mrs Atkinson, do Mrs Apperson, Butte Mrs Atkinson, do H Spears, Kelso D W Bush, Silverton Mrs Collins, do F C Quinn, Quinn Mrs Collins, do F Bush, do B Smith, Senside L J Gray, Woodiand L Bush, do C P Yeung, Oak Foint G H Neville, Skamo-J Moore, Sauvies J H Jones, Salem G W Walker, Kelso J H Jones, Salem G Eleo, Astoria F B Roberts, Montano Wool and petroleum—Qure.

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Wheat and berley, stronger.

Spot quotations:
Wheat—Shipping, \$1.5081.55; milling, \$1.5589

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3.1 21461.234; brewing, \$1.25

Mrs Bush, do
F Bush, do Oats-Red, \$1.40@1.70; white, \$1.425@1.60; black, \$1,325@1.45.

Can born mass:
Wheat-May, \$1.44\(\text{th}\) hid, \$1.45\(\text{ asked}\); December, \$1.27\(\text{th}\) hid.
Barley-May, \$1.20\(\text{th}\) December, \$7\(\text{tc}\).
Corn-Large yellow, \$1.25\(\text{th}\)1.36(1.40.

Wheat at Tacoma. TACOMA, March 23. - Wheat-Unchanged; bluestem, 94c; club, 86%c.

Wheat at Liverpool. LIVERPOOL, March 23.-Wheat-May, 6s Sud; July, 6s Sud.

Coffee and Sugar.

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NEW YORK, March 23.—Coffee futures closed steady at an advance of 10 points. Sales reported of \$6.250 bags, including March, 6.25c; May, 6.4096.45c; July, 6.2566.65c; September, 68.008.85c; December, 787.05c; Pebruary, 7.15c. Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7, Tipc; mild, steady.

Sugar-Raw nominal; fair refining, 4½c; centrifugal, 56 test, 4.27-32c; molasses sugar, 4c. Refined, dull; crushed, \$6.75; powdered, \$6.15; granulated, \$6.05.

Wool at St. Louis, ST. LOUIS, March 23.-Wool-Steady: me-dium grades combing and clothing, 230,25c; light fine, 1882004c; heavy fine, 14815c; lub washed, 3083014c.

BURLINGTON TRAIN WRECKED Two Cars Leave Track, and Thirty-Three Persons Are Injured.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 23.-Burling ten train No. 4, coming from Grand Is-land to Lincoln, was wrecked in West Lincoln feday and 33 persons more or less injured C. E. Starbird, of Washington, D. C. and Charles S. Gadskill, of Alma, Neb, are badly injured, perhaps fatally. Both are in a Lincoln hospital. The smoking-car and rear roach turned completely over. tine and baggage-car did not leave the

NEW YORK. March 20.—Butter—Very firm.

Street prices, extra creamery, 25g25uc; official prices, erramery, common to extra, 200

28c.

Cheere and eggs unchanged.

Chicago, March 22.—On the produce extraction of the butter market was firm; creamery, 20g25c; datry, 18g23c.

Sect. Sect. Sect. Cheere, steady at murk, cases included, 16c; firsts 16c, prime firsts 17c, extras 18c.

Cheere, steady to firm, 12g13uc.

New York Cetten Market.

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