REID IS ALL RIGHT

Fruit Jobbers of Front Street Indorse the Inspector.

ATTACK IS UNWARRANTED

No Life to Local Wheat Market-No Cessation of Eastern Orders for Hops-Eggs Are Becoming More Plentiful.

FRUIT-Front-street jobbers indorse work of county inspector. POTATOES-Improvement in ship-

EGGS-Receipts increasing and market weaker. POULTRY-All kinds clean up. MEATS-Receipts large and de-

VEGETABLES-House lettuce_is

WHEAT-Local trade slow. HOPS-Flurry in state markets

mand brisk.

The wholesale fruit dealers of Front street are highly indignant at the repeated attacks that have been made upon County Fruit Inctor Reld by a certain evening paper of this city, which they declare are entirely ur warranted. They regard Mr. Reid as an efest and conscientious official, who has already done much good in his particular line. That the benefits will be even greater in years come is apparent to any one with commo sense, as Inspector Reid, by educating th farmers up to the proper methods of cuttivating and epraying their trees, has gone directly to the root of the matter. The abus heaped on Mr. Reid by the evening paper is on the part of the writer of the articles. The only persons in this city who are in a poston to judge of the merits of the Inspector's work are the merchants of Front street, and that they indorse him is shown by the folwing letter, which was presented to him yes-

"Portland, Or., Jan. 10.-James H. Reid, Fruit Inspector—Dear sir: The understgned fruit jobbers, realizing the fact that your untiring efforts toward improving the quality and pack of fruits intended for sale in this market, have been and are of inestimable value to the general industry of the state, desire that Pendleton for the best hat in their house as

PAGE & SON. HELL & CO. W. B. GLAPKE CO. DRYER, O'MALLEY & CO. DAVENPORT-THOMPSON CO. CORQUODALE & HOOVER. LEVY & SPEIGL

WHEAT MARKET DULL

Offerings Are Light and Holders Ask More Than Buyers Will Pay.

cal wheat market is in almost a stagnant condition. Offerings are very light, as comparatively small amount of grain old in territory tributary to this ity, and what is left to in strong hands tuyers show no willingness to pay the prices asked and a dull market to the result. undertone yesterday was rather weak at the quotations which were given by dealers as II e72 cents for club and 73974 cents for blue- 2.40

Broomhall in discussing the general situation.

The world's crop is one of the largest ever recorded, but the price settler is the demand. In the case of crop returns the value of the annual compilation is greatly reduced by the new methods adopted by the Russian and Indian officials in arriving at their annual control of the control

San Francisco say that cabbage is very firm

WANT HOPS BADLY.

contracted with Edward Pelett for 10,000 hope each year for the next five

years, at 10 cents per pound." The only activity just now seems Oregon, where the only good hops can be found. The California market is neglected and trade in New York is duit, according to the Waterville Times of January 5, which says: "It looks as though the duliness of the holi-days was to last through January. Buyers claim there is no demand from brewers, and that very little will be doing for a month yet. when one is made. We have beard that the

More Eggs Coming In. Receipts of eggs show a gradual increase Trading yesterday was generally done at 29 cents, but other prices were quoted.

Poultry eleaned up promptly at the tions. The strongest demand was for bens, ducks and geese. The butter market was unchanged.

Dressed Meat Sells Readily. Receipts of dressed hogs yesterday were larger than for any time in three weeks, but the demand was strong and they moved off readily at firm prices. Veal was also plently ful, but quickly cleaned up.

Bank Clearings. Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows: * Clearings. . \$ 990.021 1,274,521 . 561,446 828,394

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT—Club, 71672c; bluestem, 73874c; red, 68669c; Valley, 73c. OATS-No. 1 white feed, \$27; gray, \$26.50

FLOUR-Patents, \$4.30@\$4.76 per barrel; FLOUR-Patents, \$4.30@\$4.70 per barrer, straights, \$3.80@4.10; clears, \$3.65@3.80; Valley \$3.00@1.90; Dakota hard wheat, pat-ents, \$3.50@6; clears, \$5; graham, \$3.25@ 3.75; whole wheat, \$3.75@4; rye flour, local \$5; Eastern, \$5.25@5.35; cornment, per bale,

\$1.50@2.20.
MILLSTUFFS-Bran, city, \$17; country.
\$18 per ton; middlings, \$24.50; shorts, \$65. \$18: country, \$19 per ton; chop. U. S. Mills, \$17.50; Linseed Dairy Food, \$18; Alfaifa meal, \$18 per ton. CEREAL FOODS-Rolled onts, cream, 98-

pound sacks, \$6.75; lower grades, \$5.25.9 6.50; catmeal, steelcut, 50-pound sacks, \$8 per barrel; 19-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bais; outmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4 per bal; split pers, \$5 per 100-pound sacks; 25-pound boxes, \$1.40; pearl barley, \$4.25 per 100 ounds; 25-pound baxes, \$1.25 per box; matry flour, 16-pound tacks, \$2.56 per hale. BARLEY-Feed, \$23823.56 per ton; braw-

ing. \$24@24.50; rolled. \$2.50@24.50. BUCKWHEAT-\$2.50 Der cental, HAY-Eastern Oregon timothy, \$12.50@ 14.50 per ton; Valley timothy, \$9@10; clover, \$5 9 10; cheat, \$5.50 99.50; grain hay, \$5 90

Vegetables, Frult, Elc. DOMESTIC FRUITS-Apples, 75c@\$1.50 per box; persimmons, \$1.25 per box; pears, \$1.25@1.50 per box; cranberries, \$12.912.50

TROPICAL FRUITS-Lemons, \$3@3.50 per box: cranges, navels, \$2.25@2.75 box; Japanese, 60c per single box; grapefruit, \$1.50 81.50; pincappies, \$2.5084.50 per dozen; angerines, \$1.75 per box; bananss, 4%@5c

FRESH VEGETABLES-Artichokes, \$7.40 FRESH VEGETABLES—Artichokes \$7.40 per dozen; beans, 20c per pound; cabbage, 182c per pound; cabbage, 182c per dozen; celer; \$3.93.50 per crate; bend lettuce, 40c per dozen; bothouse, 75c#\$1.25 per hox; pease 15c; bell peppers, 35c; numpkins, \$8.85c pound; radishes, 25c dozen; to-mattes, \$1.309,1.75 per crate; sprouts, 75c per pound; squash, 54,874; per pound.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, 58c#\$1 per sack; carrois, 65.975c per sack; bects, 85c#\$1 per sack; garlic, 109125c per pound.

ONIONS Oregon, No. 1, \$1@1.25 per sack; POTATOES Buying prices: Fancy graded POTATOES—Buying prices: Fancy graded Burhanks, 65@75c per sack; ordinary, 50@ 50c; Merced sweets, 2c per pound.

DRIED FRITITS—Apples, 11@12c per pound; agricots, 12@12'ac; peaches, 10% 61 c; California figx, white, in sacks, 5% c per pound; black, 4@5c; bricks, 12-14 ounce packages, 75@85c per box; 58-ounce, \$2@ 2.40; Smyran, 20c per pound; dates, Persian, 5% 66c per pound; dates, Persian, 5% 66c per pound.

RAISINS—Seeded, 12-ounce packages, 5@84c; 16-ounce, 9% 610c; loose muscatefs.

BUTTER—City creameries; Extra creamery, 30@32%c per pound. State creameries: Fancy creamery, 27%g32%c; store butter, 16

be it large or small, which determines the price at which it sells, but rather the disposition of the holder.

The British government has issued the following dispatch from the Viceroy of India. Gated December 19 1866; "Crop prospects during the week ending December 9: West United Provinces—No rain. It is urgently wanted in Meerut, Robilkhand and Allahabad divisions. Crops are withering. Bundlekhand—Prices are high still, with a tendency to rise test.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

see high still, with a tendency to rise; test relief works closed in one district, but are being opened in others. Rajputana—No rain; large numbers of the cultivating and mental classes have emigrated from Ajmermerwara; those remaining come freely on relief; Spring crop sewing much restricted, and prospects are reported to be poor in North and East Rajputana. Central India—No rain; situation same as inst reported. Rombay—No rain; situation same as inst reported. Rombay—No rain; is tuation as an east inst reported. Rombay—No rain; situation uniproved, in other provinces, prospects fair or good."

POTATO MARKET IMPROVING.

But No Demand for Poor Stock—Hethouse Lettuce Lower.

An improved feeling is noted in the polato market. The shipping demand continues to be for fancy grades, which are very scarce, and in the absence of these, buyers are picking up the next best offerings to be had. Poor scrubby stock is still a drug on the market and is hard to move at 50 cents a sack. A light inquiry is still noted in the case white, fee plants, 100 per pound.

BEANS—Small white, 4c; large white, 15c; polars, 15c; polars, 15d; inquiry is still noted in the case market. Stocks are ample, and in the case.

BEANS—Small white, 4c; large white, 15c; polars, 15c; plants, 15c light inquiry is still noted in the vegetable market. Stocks are ample, and in the case of hothouse lettuce, lower prices are quoted.

Provisions and Canned Meats.

HAMS—16 to 14 pounds, 12c per pound; 14 to 16 pounds, 12c; 18 to 20 pounds, 12c; California (picnic), 8c; cottage hams, 84c; shoulders, 8c; boiled ham, 184c; boiled picnic ham, boneless, 184c.

BACON—Fancy breakfast, 18c per pound; standard breakfast, 16c; choice, 16c; English breakfast, 11 to 18 pounds, 14c; peach bacon, 12c.

Buring Movement in This State Is Gaining
Force.

The hopburing movement seems to be gaining force instead of diminishing. Those dealers who last month declared that the market would die a natural death at the close of the year have another guess coming, for the netistic since January 1 has been far creater than in the same period before New Year's. Almost every dealer in the city has orders, some of them hig ones, though they are loth to acknowledge it. The buying its said to be largely by Eastern firms that sold short, and now, fearing that the market will get away from them, are covering as fast as possible.

Ten and 10% cents was reported offered for choice hops at Aurors yesterday, but holders of these grades were generally above the market. The trade was interested during the lot, and the same period bale had been sold at 8% Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

day in a report from Hillsboro that the Cates iot of about 500 bales had been sold at 8% cents. The Tenness lot of 40 bales at Oregon City was bought by Fred Shores at 8 cents, who also bought two other lots there, aggregating 50 bales, at the same price.

A dispatch from Aurora says: "M. H. Gilbertison, of this city, agent for S. & F. Uhlbertison, of this city, agent for S. & F

moth-eaten, hadly cut, scored, murrain, hatr-clipped, weather-beaten or grabby, 283c per pound less. Salted hides: Steers, sound, 69 pounds and over, 1061ic per pound: 50 to 69 pounds and over, 1061ic per pound: 50 to 69 pounds; 85/60 per pound; mader 56 and come, 58/10c per pound; salted kip, sound, 15 to 30 pounds, 98/10c per pound; salted calf, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 168/11c per pound; green unsalted, 10 per pound less; culls, 1c per pound less). Sheepskins: Shearlings, No. 1 butchers' stock, 25/60c each; short wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, 40/50c each; short wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, 40/50c each; short wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, 40/50c each; short wool, No. 1 butchers' stock, 41/61/50 each; Murrain petits from 10 to 20 per cent less or 126/14c per pound; horse hides, salted, each, according to size, \$1/61/50 each; sound; horse hides, salted, each, according to size, \$1/61/50 cach.

REINWAX—Good, clean and pure, 20/62/20 per pound.

TALLOW—Prime, per pound, 31/6/38/c; No.

per pound. TALLOW-Prime, per pound, 5563%c; No. per pound.

TALLOW.—Prime, per pound, 5\\(\text{0}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{1}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{1}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{1}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{1}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{1}\)\(\text{0}\)\(

BEEF-Dressed bulls, 182c per pound; lows, 384c; country steers, 484%c. VEAL-Dressed, 75 to 125 pounds, 888%c; 125 to 200 pounds, 485%c; 200 pounds and 125 to 20c pounds, up. 3834c.
MUTTON — Dressed, fancy, 6864c per pound; ordinary, 485c; lambs, 7874c.
PORK — Dressed, 100815e pounds, 7874c; 150 and up, 8864c per pound.

Oils.

TURPENTINE-Cases, Sto per gallon.
WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, The; 350-pound lots, St; less than 500-pound lots, St;c. (In 25-pound tin pails, le above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin pails, le above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin cans, 100 pounds per case, The per pound above keg price.)
COAL OIL-Case, \$2.05 per case; from barreis, 15c per gallon; wood barreis, 15c.
GASOLINE-Stove gasoline, cases, 25%;c; 72 test, Ifc; 86 test, 35c; iron tanks, 19c.
LINSEED OIL-Raw, in barreis, 54c; in cases, 61c; 250-gallon lots, 1c less.

HEAVY OFFERINGS BREAK THE MARKET FOR MAY WHEAT.

Cash and Commission Houses Put Large Quantities on Sale. Part of Loss Regained.

during the first hour on reports of higher prices at Liverpool and statements from Ar-gentina to the effect that the movement of the new crop was delayed by wet weather. Small receipts in the Northwest also en-couraged the bulls. After May had opened unchanged to a shade lower at \$7% to \$7% if 875ac, the price was bid up to 885ac before ngs were made in any great volume vigorously and commission houses, supposed to be acting for leading bulis, put larger quantities of wheat on the market. This brought about a reaction and May declined to 87% is 87%; c. Later, part of the loss was re-gained on covering by shorts. The market

firm cables created a firm market in corn, May closed at 45c, a gain of 15c. Trading in eats was quiet. May closed unchanged at 32%c.

The provision market was firm for the reater part of the day. At the close, May greater part of the day. At the close, May park was up 1001214c; land was up 21405c and ribs were 5c higher. WHEAT,

| W | TEAT. | | | | | |
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| May \$.87% July 84% | High. \$.88% .85 | | \$.87% \$.84% | Adams Amul. Am. Ci | | |
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| July45% | | .45% | .45% | Am. d. | | |
| Total Control of the | ATS. | | 100 | Ameri | | |
| January 32% July 20% Miles | .32% .30% PORK. | .3014 .301/4 | .30% .30% | Amer. | | |
| January13.6712 May14.00 | 18.82% 14.15 | 13.67% 14.60 | 11.75 | Am. | | |
| L | ARD. | | | Anaco | | |
| January 7.57 1/2 May 7.62 1/2 July 7.75 | 7.571/2 7.721/2 7.85 | 7.52% 7.62% 7.75 | 7.70 | Atchi do Atlan | | |
| SHOP | T PEES | | | Ha?ti | | |
| January 1.52% May 1.51% July 1.72% | 7.55 7.67% | 7.50 7.57% 7.72% | 7.52% 7.65 7.17% | Broc Cata Cent | | |
| Cash quotations we Flour-Easy, Wheat-No. 2 Spri | re as fol | lows: | | Cent Ches Chic | | |
| No. 2 red, 880804c, Corn-No. 2, 42409 | 24c; No | . 2 yellor | r. 421/c. | Chi. Chi. | | |
| Outs-No. 2, 31%c; 3 white, 30832%c. Rye-No. 2, 65%c. | | | 7 | Chi. | | |
| Barley-Good feeding, Titic; fair to choice malting, 416;49c. Plazzeed-No. 1, \$1.15; No. 1 Northwestern. | | | | | | |
| \$1.19. Timothy seed—Prime, \$3.35, Mess pork—Per barrel, \$13.75@13.80. | | | | | | |
| Lard-Per 100 pou Short ribe sides-I | Corn do Delas Del., | | | | | |
| Short clear sides— Clover—Contract gr | | 15@10.25 | | Den. do Disti | | |
| Flour, barrels Wheat, bushels | 96, | 500 | 26,000 54,700 | Erie do do | | |

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Flour—Receipin, 26.— Inters 600 barrels: exports, 11,700 barrels. Market, do steady, but quiet.

steady, but quiet.

Wheat—Receipts, 59,000 bushels: exports, 226,000 bushels. Spot barely steady: No. 2 for 50 perferred. 200 preferred. 200

Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 10 .- Wheat and har-

y, steady. Barley-Feed, \$1.224@1.25; brewing, \$1.25@ 1.27%; Oats-Red, \$1.25@1.62%; white, \$1.50@1.65; black, \$1.25@1.75.

Wheat-May, \$1.40. Harley-May, \$1.23%. Corn-Large yellow, \$1.3081.37%. Minneapolis Wheat Market.

Minneapolis, Jan. 10.—Wheat, 85%c;

July, 86%c; No. 1 hard, 85%c; No. 2 Northern, 87%c; No. 2 Northern, 80%c.

Wheat at Liverpool, LIVERPOOL, Jan. 10.—Wheat—March, 6s 11%d: May, 6s 9%d. Weather, fine.

11%d; May, 6s 9%d. Weather, fine.

Wheat at Tacoma.

TACOMA. Jan. 10.—Wheat. unchanged;
binestem, IBc; club, Ilc; red, 68c.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 40.—Cotton futures closed steady at a net decline of 568 points. New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Cotton futures closed steady at a net decline of 5@8 points.

January, 11.25c; February, 11.25c; March, 11.45c; April, 11.51c; May, 11.50c; June, 11.58c; July, 11.85c; August, 11.45c; September, 10.85c; October, 10.70c.

Steady Realizing in Stocks Still Under Way.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Consols for money.

Money, Exchange, Ftc.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 .- Money on call. firm

560 per cent; ruling rate, 515; closing bid, 5; offered, 6. Time loans, steady; 69 and 30 days, 51466 per cent; six months, 5146515 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 56514 per cent.

per ounce.

Money, 15,62% per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3% per cent; do for three months bills, 3% per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16,-Silver bars,

Dally Treasury Statement,

SHOWING IS A MOST FAVOR-

Striking Improvement as Compared

with 1904-Statistics Relating

to the Pacific States.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s annual report of failures

contains the following information: Commercial failures in the United States

during the year 1905 were 11:520 in number,

\$102.676.172 a ruest striking improvement compared with the 12,190 fallures in 1904.

when amets were \$84,438,076 and liabilities

fishilities, and is partly due to the Baltimore

follows with 1904:

Commercial Faltures

1985. 2,726 8,475 319

assets of \$57.820,090 and liabilities of

ABLE ONE.

MARKET IN GOOD CONTROL

Further Contraction in the Activity of Dealings-Prices Gradually Move to a Lower Level. Talk of Gold Exports.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 .- There was a further contraction in the activity of the dealings in stocks today and the disposition to take profits was even more clearly manifest than yester-day. The profit-taking, however, was conday. The profit-taking, however, was con-ducted in an orderly and systematic manner and without creating any serious disturbances of values. The market still showed itself

under effective control.

Prices opened higher all around, the upward spurt at the beginning extending to a wide margin in some cases. This was evilentte for the purpose of affording a better hasis for selling stocks and the process was immediately begun. There was a striking demonstration of the continued power of the organized speculation to sustain prices. The same force was perceptible during the day in the effective sustaining influences of the mark-ing up of special stocks which served as a brake on the downward course of the general market under the pascess of realising. There was no new news to account for the day's movements of prices. The selling

to realize profits seemed in pursuance of the fixed plan of operation entered upon in the early stages of the movement by the powman of operation entered upon in the early stages of the movement by the pow-erful speculative combination ruling the mar-ket. That is to say, stocks were taken and held with obstinate determination enough through the 125 per cent money raie of De-cember with the fixed purpose of meeting the general outside demand to be expected with the seasonable relaxation of the money market at the first of the year. Such a demand has been a factor in the market, but it has falled to reach the expected proportions and nothing like the runaway bull market that was hoped for has developed. The palpable fact of th profit-taking on the part of the large organ-tzed operators has undoubtedly had its part in discouraging a precipitate speculation on the part of the general public, which has been well informed of the conditions of the mu-ket by the widespread and notorious discussion of the situation. So far as the remain ing doubts over the money outlook are a fac-tor, it is not because of any apprehension of such a squeeze as would force out present

The principal influence in today's money market was the response to the decided re laxation abroad. Discounts eased both in Lon don. Paris and Berlin, and London exchange moved up briskly in Paris. This operated to prevent the expected profit on an engagement of gold in New York for export to Paris, in spite of the further rige in foreign exchange in New York. Later gold exports are still looked for.

Canadian Pacific and Kansas & Texas were Canadian Pacific and Kainsas & Texas were strong and Americaniated Copper made good headway against the weight of the seiling. There were various other points of attenuth argoing the railroads and specialties. These proved their sustaining power throughout, but prices gravitated to a lower level in spite of frequent railing. The closing was easy after

the country, notably New York, Massachusetts 000. United States 2s coupon declined 3, per FOCK QUOTATIONS.

Closing
Sales. High. Low. bid.

183,000 110% hee's 110

and illinois. In addition to the commercial failures, there were 18 suspensions of banks and other fiduciary institutions, with an agargate defaulted indebtedness of \$20,227,153, against 20 in the previous year for 528,158,811.

The classified statement for the year commercial field. CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

| ŧ | Advance Theorem | - | ****** | 235 | against so in the previous |
|---|--|--------------|----------|-------------------|---|
| ı | Adams Express | 110% | Trade to | | The classified statemen |
| ı | Numit Cobbat 182'000 | ¥200- | 100% | 110 | pares as follows with 19 |
| ļ | Am, Car & Foundry \$1,700 | 4316 | 63% | 42 | |
| İ | do preferred 500 Amer. Cotton Ott. 22,500 | 20016 | 100 | 200 | Commercial |
| ٠ | Amer. Cotton Ott. 22,500 | 43.5 | 305 | 4814 | |
| ١ | do preferred 300 | 195 | 194 % | 933/2 | |
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| 1 | American Express. 100 Am. d. & Lth. pf | - | many | | Manufacturing |
| 1 | Am, a. & Lan. pl. | | ***** | 40 | Truding |
| 1 | American Ice 2,790 Amer, Linseed Oil | -43 | 41% | 42% | |
| 1 | Amer. Linseed Oil | | ***** | 20 | Other |
| 1 | do preferred | 10000 | 100000 | 40% | |
| 1 | no bressered arrive | - | 75% | 20.73 | Totals |
| 1 | Amer. Locomotive. 8,400 | 76% | 149.19 | 75% | Banking |
| 1 | do preferred | . erese | THATT | 117 | CHARLESTON |
| ١ | Am. Smelt. & Ref. 11,100 | 26414 | 163 | 163% | |
| ١ | do preferred 490 | 12716 | 127 | 126% | |
| 1 | Am Same Bade All one | 2000 | 161% | 2000 | Manufacturing \$ 44. Trading 51. Other 6. |
| 1 | Am. Sogar Refin. 48,000 | 164% | 49274 | 102% | Tending 51 |
| ١ | Amer. Tobacco pfd. 400 | | 105% | 105 | Children W. |
| 1 | Anaconda Min. Vo. 45,600 | 25815 | 250 | 25514 | Diner tresserve |
| 3 | Atchison 5.100 | 9514 | 94 | 04 | |
| 1 | do preferred 400) | 1635 | 163% | 103% | Totals\$102.0 |
| 1 | Atlantic Coast Fire & fee | 1000 | | 700 | Banking 20,3 |
| 1 | Atlantic Coast Line 2.500 | 100 | 158% | 108 | |
| 1 | Haltimore & Ohio, 5.400 | 314% | 11115 | 114% | A striking decrease in |
| 1 | do preferred 400 | 99% | D0 % | 1881 ₂ | bilities of insolvencies i |
| 1 | Brook, Hap. Tran. 12.700 | 80 | 87% | Serv | |
| ı | do preferred 409 Brook, Rap, Tran, 13,709 Canadian Pacific 1,800 | | 174% | 175 | compared with the previ |
| ı | Community and the 1'800. | 2 000.00 | 44.44 | A. Suit | encouraging evidence of |
| ı | Central Leginer U.NO | 4874 | 47% | 4774 | |
| ı | do preferred 1,000 | 105-% | 105% | 1000 | of the business communi |
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| 1 | Chemposte & Obto 1 900 | | 3612 | 5615 | |
| 1 | Chesapeake & Ohio 1,800 | | 2000 | 200 | ing the past 20 years t |
| 1 | do preferred 500 | ***** | BE-CTA | 30 | invested in the various |
| 1 | do preferred 500 | 7519 | 19.5 | 74% | |
| 1 | Chi lit Western 1 (40) | | 21% | 21% | has increased almost ste |
| 1 | Chl. & Northwest. 2,100 | 2271 | 400 | 905 | of trade expanded so |
| 1 | (261 Mil) & Gr. D 17 two | 1845 | 182% | 152% | would be logical to expe |
| 1 | Cht. Mil. & St. P. 17,000 Cht. Term. & Tran | 100.00 | 1000 | AGM 18 | |
| 1 | Cit. Term. & Iran | **** | ***** | 12% | faulted indebtedness to r |
| 1 | do preferred | | Acres | 34 | That it has not done so |
| 1 | C., C., C. & St. L. 900 | 107% | 106% | 106% | |
| 1 | do preferred C., C., C. & St. L. 900 Colo. Fuel & Iron. II.400 | 59% | 57% | 575 | of progress in the right |
| | Colorado & South. 2,000 | 32 | 31% | 314 | conservative methods pro |
| | | | 194.78 | 25.7% | |
| 1 | do let preferred 200 | 70% | 70 | 70 | erally healthier situation. |
| 1 | do 25 preferred 1.400 | 54% | 50% | 53% | just ended there have |
| J | Consolidated Gas., 900 | 176% | 176 | 176 | |
| 3 | Corn Products 4,300 | 18% | 18% | 18% | prosperity, yet 1890 to t |
| 1 | | 10.12 | 4079 | | corded smaller liabilities |
| 1 | do preferred 300 | 58 | 5714 | 57 | |
| 1 | Delaware & Hudson 100 | | 272 | 222 | The number of failure |
| 1 | Del., Lack. & W., 100 | 460 | 460 | 400 | bilities and average amo |
| 1 | Den. & R. Grande. 2,100 | 3914 | 38% | 239 | |
| 1 | do preferred | 100.10 | 200.78 | | year since 1890 are give |
| 3 | This provides the same of the same | ***** | ***** | 87% | Year. No. |
| 3 | Distillera Secur 2,000 | 53 | 52% | 52% | 1905 11 500 |
| Ä | Erie 12,200 | 48% | 48% | 455 | 1905 |
| 1 | do let preferred . 200 | 96075 | 301/2 | 8014 | 1904 ************** |
| ı | do 2d preferred., 400 | 73% | 775 | 791 | 1903 |
| J | General Electric 1,100 | 179% | 1767 | 17812 | 1902 |
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Total sales for the day, 1.304,000 shares.

BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Closing quotations:

Sugar—Raw, firm: fair refining, 3 3-10934c;
Sugar—Raw, firm: f

U. S. 3a reg. ... 1024 Nor. Pacific 3s ... 77 do coupon ... 103 Nor. Pacific 4s ... 103 1/2 U. S. new 4s reg. 130 1/2 S. Pacific 4s ... 103 1/2 do coupon ... 130 1/2 Union Pacific 4s ... 105 1/4 U. S. old 4s reg. 103 Wis. Central 4s ... 93 do coupon ... 103 Jap. 5s. 2d ser ... 96 1/4 Atchison Adj. 4s 94 1/2 Jap. 41/26, cer ... 35 3/2

Not Sufficient to Do Much Good to California Crop.

GRAIN OPTIONS ARE FIRMER 18.13611

Fancy Potatoes in Sharp Demand and Advancing-Best Oregons Quoted at \$1.25-Hop Market Inactive and Unchanged.

Fireting exchange, strong closing easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4,8000 gs. \$605 for demand and at \$4,8020gs.\$330 for 00-day bills. Posted rates, \$4,834,94.84 and \$4,874,8715. Commercial bills, \$4,823,04.81. Bar silver, 63 bc.

Mexican dollars, 50 bc.

Hondas Government, weak railroad, irregulating SAN FRANCISCO, Jun. 10 .- (Special.)-The opinion in local grain circles is that the rains of the past 24 hours were too light to do much good, and this was reflected in firmer prices for wheat and barley options today. May wheat closed at \$1.40 and May barley at \$1.20%. Cash values for all grains remained steady with business limited. Feedstuffs and hay were steady. Bonds-Government, weak; railroad, irregu-LONDON, Jan. 10.-Bar silver, firm, 3014d

Wool is quiet and nominal. Stocks are not accumulating, but buyers and sellers are stub-bornly apart. Hops are inactive, with choice steady and

Hops are inactive, with choice steady and poor neglected and easy. The market range continues at T@II cents.

Owing to the monarrival of several cars, only two carloads of oranges were offered at auction. Average prices were: Fancy navels.

\$1.85; choice, \$5.0g\$1.30; standard, \$60. The open market for canges was firm for large sizes and weak for small. Lemons were de-Nextcan dollars, nominal. Drafts—Sight, Sc; telegraph, Sc. Sterling—Sixty days, \$4.83%; sight, \$4.86%. Washington, Jan. 10.—Today's statement of the Treasury balances shows: Available cash halance. \$141,070.802 Gold coth and buillon. \$7,280.907 Gold certificates. 27 to 750.

ressed with stocks accumulating. Apples were n good supply, quiet and easy. High-grade potatoes were in sharp and advancing. The best lot out of a car of Oregons by rail sold at \$1.25. All grades are quotable at 80c@\$1.23. Oregon pointoes brought by the Senator are not yet unloaded Salinas Burbanks are firm at \$1.1091.50; extra fancy, \$1.90. River potatoes are more firmly held. Onlone are steady; a car of Oregon

sold as high as \$1.40. Butter is 1 cent higher for firsts and seconds, Eggs are 2 cents lower. Cheese is firm. Recelpts, 27,500 pounds butter, 27,400 pounds cheese; 17,100 dozen excs.

VEGETABLES-Cucumbers, 60c8\$1.75; garlic, 586c; green peas, 765c; string beans, 156174c; tomatoes, 75c8\$1.25; egg plant, \$1.50 POULTRY-Turkeys, 17@18c; roosters, old,

\$4.5065.50; roosters, young, \$667; broilers, small, \$283; broilers, large, \$465; fryers, \$569 6; hens, \$4,50@6.50; ducks, old, \$5@6; ducks, young, \$007.50. BUTTER - Fancy creamery, Ste; creamery

conds, 24%c. PQGS-Store, 20928c; fancy ranch, 25930c; CHEESE—Young America, 13@15c; Eastern, 15\()g\$16c; Western, 14\(\)g\$14\(\)\(\)c.
WOOL—South Plains and S. J., 14\(\)g\$15c; lambs, 96/16c HOPS-7911c

MILLSTUFFS-Bran, \$18.50@20; middlings. HAY-Wheat, \$11916; wheat and oats \$9

\$144,202,311. In every comparison the figures for 1905 are more satisfactory than those of the previous year. Thus, in manufacturing tions there were 2726 failures against 2848, while Habilities were \$44,202,620, against \$32,950,475; trading failures numbered 8475, against 8898, and Habilities were \$31,754,503. \$14: barley, \$8911; alfalfa, \$7.50910.50; stock,
 \$6.5097.50; struw, per bale, 20955c,
 FRUIT—Apples, choice, \$2; common, 40c; bananas, \$163; Mexican limes, \$5,5066; Calf-fornia lemons, choice, \$2.50; common, \$1; orpared with \$64,429,644. Other commercial anges, navet, 75c@\$2.75; pincapples, \$2@5. POTATORS-Salinas Burbanks, \$1.10@1.50; sweets, 75-931.25; Oregon Burbanks, 81:1091.50;
RECEIPTS — Fjour, 7353 quarter sacks;
wheat, 18,150 centals; bariey, 1276 centals;
oats, 1100 centals; beans, 84 macks; notatoes,
5353 sacks; bran, 250 sacks; middlings, 50
sacks; hay, 320 tons; wool, 69 hales; hides, 506. \$6,050,040 in amount, against 453 failures in 1904, when the liabilities were \$30,822,194. This is the most striking decrease in amount of fire in the previous year, although the de-creases were also large in other sections of

> LIVESTOCK MARKETS. Prices Quoted Locally on Cattle, Sheep and Hogs.

Adams Con. 3 25
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Alice * 1.89
Ontario 2.00
Breece 40
Brunswick C 56
Phoenix 62
Comstock Tun. 69
Con. Cal. & V 1.65
Hern Silver 1.75
Sierra Nevada 44
Iron Silver 4.25
Small Hopes 30
Leadvil', Con. 65
Standard 3.55

nigher in sympathy with spot, quoted 0.55636.75c. 20.53@26.75c.
Copper was lower in the English market, closing at 179 12s 6d for spot and 179 for futures. Locally, the market was unchanged. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at 18.75@ 19c; casting, 18.37 4618.874c

Lend was 6s 3t lower at ill in London. Lo-cally, the market was unchanged, with quo-tations ranging from 5.000%c. Spetter advanced to 120 5s in the London mar-ket, but remained unchanged at 6.50000.000

locally.

Iron closed at 53s 5d for standard foundry and at 55s 8d for Cleveland warrants abroad. Locally, the situation was unchanged, with prices firmly held. No. 1 foundry Northern, 18.75%19.35c; No. 2 foundry Northern, 18.50

Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—On the Produce Ex-hange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 191/9261/c; dairies, 18823c. Eggo-Steady at mark, cases included, 18 23c; firsts, 22c; prime firsts, 25c; extras, 27c. Cheese-Firm, 11%813c. NEW YORK, Jan. 10 .- Butter-Firm, un-

changed. Cheese and eggs-Unchanged.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Marriage Licenses. ROY-WHITE-Theodore Roy, 23, 25 East seventh street; Bertha White, 22. HANCOCK-ROYAL—Charles A Hancock, 7. Kelso, Wash.; Pearl J. Royal, 22. TYREL-GRIER—Edward J. Tyrel, 25, 844 Macadam street; Bertha Grier, 21.

JAECKEL-McCROSKEY-Geo. A. Jaeckel, Yambill: Rattle Mann. 23 BARBER-WHITE-James T. Barber, 42.

205 North Eleventh street; Corinne SHAFFER-CAMPBELL-Floyd R. Shaffer, 26, 488 Everet; street; Emily Campbell,

ROBINSON-At 512 East Washington street, January 3, to the wife of Fred Austin HARRIS-At 121 East Fourteenth street. December 20, to the wife to William Robert Harris, a son. STEFFNER-At 170 East Forty-eighth

street, January 1, to the wife of Samuel William Steffner, a son

JACK-At 205 North Sixteenth street, January 10, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Jack, aged 1 day.

BARNES At Olympis, Wash. January 7. Graco Slado Barnes, aged 45 years. Remains brought here for interment. Building Permits. GEORGE RASMUSSEN-Dwelling. Murray avenue, between East Thirty-fourth A. B. HALTERMAN-Dweiling, on East aylor street, between East Thirteenth and

East Fourteenth streets; \$2916. O. NEVALAINEN—Dwelling, at Poninsular and Foster streets; \$1500.

T. P. HOWARD—Dwelling, at Alberta and East Fifteenth streets; \$500. W. SETON-Dwelling, on East Eleventh treet, between East Sherman and East

ABE TICHENOR-Store and flats, on Twenty-third street, near Washington; O. M. SATHER-Dwelling, at 723 Willlams avenue; \$700.

AT THE HOTELS.

The Portland—R. Sunder and wife, Toledo, O., L. McMahon, Chicago; E. J. F. Rea, San Francisco; H. E. Newman, Chicago; L. A. Burgess, Ripon, Wis.; E. C. McCoy and wife, The Daller; A. T. De Forest, San Francisco; J. A. Shiller, R. H. Congrove, W. J. C. Wakefield, A. W. Bunell, Spokane, J. M. Ferriss, Jr., Tacoma; K. Dougan, Minneapolis; F. H. Gilman, Seattle; W. S. Bowers, Baker City; A. S. Cooper, Providence, R. L.; T. M. Anderson and wife, V. W. Anderson, U. S. A.; B. L. Crosby, Tacoma; H. S. Rhelustein, San Francisco; J. A. Soderberg, Seattle; L. M. Rhee, C. M. Nettleton, J. M. Bunce, Seattle; Mrs. K. Brewster, Los Angeles; E. M. Corbin, Chicago; B. McCowan, San Francisco; M. Ascher, Chicago; J. Hanna, Seattle; G. S. Long, Tacoma; M. R. Thompson, Tacoma; E. H. Overman, Seattle The following livestock prices were quoted yesterday in the local market:

CATTLE—Good steers, \$3.5690.75; fair to medium \$2.7587. 150 to 175 pounds, \$4.5094 4.75; calves, heavy, \$380.25.

HOOS—Meat, suitable for packers, \$3.7586; fair to medium grades, \$5.50; light fat weights, 1208140 pounds, \$565.25.

SHEEP—Good fat sheep, \$4.5094.75; choice lambs, \$5.

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EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Frices Current at Kansas City, Omaha and Chicago.

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