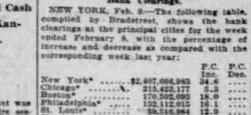
THE MORNING OREGONIAN, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1906. No. 1 buichers' stock. 40@50c each: medium wool. No. 1 buichers' stock. 60@50c; hong wool. No. 1 buichers' stock. 31@1.50 each Murrain pelts from 10 to 20 per cent less or 12@14c per pound; horse bides, salted, each according to size. \$1@1.06; colit? bides. 25 @50c each; goatskins, common, 10@15c each; Angora, with wool on, 25c@51.50 each. WOOL--Eastern Oregon average best, 14 @21c; Valley, 24@250c per 'pound. MOHAIR--Choice, 20c per 'pound. BEESWAX--Good, clean and pure, 20@ 25c per pound. they paid 10 cents. This lot was sold by stph Harris, of Salem, as representative of Schwarz & Some. A rumer to that

4. fuel and other seasonable merchanding expanded rapidly in response to the more normal temperature, but the week's business has not depicted the accumulation of last month, and retail stocks of these are still burdensome. The only advarse development of the week was the less pacific news from the coal fields, although a strike may be prevented by agreement of the strike may time before Arell 5.

atthough a strike may be prevented by agree-ment any time before April 1. Railway extings for January, now fairly complete, show an increase of 16.6 per cent over last year's figures, while foreign com-mergy at this pour for the last weak made a most strikingly favorable comparison with the same period of 1805, exports gaining 40,805, 605, while imports increased 52.075,009. Sensonably poor inquiry for hides has weak-ened the tona, the only firm department be-ing packer beauded bides for sole leather. Pailures this week number 229 in the United States, against 256 last year, and 29 in Can-ada against 27 a year ago.

Bank Clearings

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CLOSE OF MARKET STRONG

Started Buying at Chicago.

Advance at Liverpool and Good Cash Inquiry at Minneapolls and Kan-

Reports of Damage.

Olla. TURPENTINE-Cases, She per gallon. COAL OIL-Cases, She per gallon; tanks, 16 hc per gallon. GASOLINE-Stove gasoline, cases, 25 %c; 12 test, JTc; 56 test, Abc; iron tanks, Ibc. WHITE LEAD-Ton lots, T%c; 500-pound lots, 5c; less than 560-pound lots, 5%c, 000-25-pound tin palls, lc above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin palls, lc above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin palls, lc above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin palls, lc above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin palls, lc above keg price; 1 to 5-pound tin case, 100 pounds per case, 2%c per pound above keg price.) LiNEEED CIL-Raw, in barrels, STc; in cases, 6%c; 250-gallon lots, to less. Dressed Ments. Dressed Ments. BEEF-Dressed bulk. 2023/6 per pound: coms 3% 64%c: country steers. 465c. MUTTON-Dressed, fancy 5%6Pc per pound: ordinary. 405c: lambs, 767%c. VEAL-Dressed, 75 to 125 rounds, 8%5%c; 125 to 209 pounds, 4% 696; 200 pounds at up. 5%64c. PORK-Dressed, 100 to 150 pounds, 70 7%c; 150 and up. 666%c per pound.

FLOUR-Patents, \$4.5064.70 per barrel; straights, \$2.8064.10; clears, \$1.6361.80; Valley, \$3.6063.90; Dakota hard wheat, pat-ents, \$5.3066; clears, \$5. graham, \$3.256 2.75; whole wheat, \$3.7564; sys flour, local, \$5; Eastern, \$5.2565.85; cornweal, per bale. PRICES ORANGE \$1.90@2.29.
WHEAT-Club, 70@71c; bluestem, T2@7254c; red. 67608c; Valley, T2c. OATS-No. 1 white feed, \$28929; graz, \$17.50025.80 per ton. MILLSTUFFS-Bran, city, \$11; country, \$18 per son; middlings, \$24.50; shorts, city, \$18; country, \$19 per ton; chop, U. S. Milis, \$17.50, lineed dairy food, \$18; acaifa meal, \$15 per tot.

Improvement in Potatoes.

Silf. 50, linseed dairy food, \$18; acana mean.
Silf per 105.
CEREAL FOODS-Rolled osta cream, 90-pound sacks, \$6.75; lower grades. \$5.25.9
So; oatmeal, steelcut, 50-pound sacks, \$3 per barrel; 19-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bale: oatmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, \$7.30 per barrel; 19-pound sacks, \$4 per bale: eplit peas, \$5 per 100-pound sacks; 213-pound boxes, \$1.40; paari barley, \$4.25 per bale.
BARLEY-Feed, \$230254 per ton; brawing, \$34; rolled, \$24625.
BUCKWHEAT-\$225 per cental HAY-Enstern Oregon timothy, \$13.500 14 per ton; Valley timothy, \$9010; clover, \$7.5008; cheat, \$705; grain hay, \$708.

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

DOMESTIC FIGUITS-Appres, common, 75c 051 per box; cholce, \$1.2591.50; fancy, \$20 53; pears, \$1.2591.50; per box; cranberries, \$15913.50 per barrel. TROPICAL FIGUITS-Lemons, \$293.50 per box; oranges, naveis, \$1.7592.75 per box; Jap-anese, 60- per single box; iangerines, \$1.50 per half box; grapefruit, \$2.7593.25; pime-apples, \$3.7594 per dozen; bananas, 5c per pound.

appies, 50.5094 per dozen; banamas, 50 per pound. FRESHI VEGETABLES-Artichokes, 51.359 140 dozen; beaks, nominal; cabbags, 2024;c ib.; cauliflower, \$1.9092 brate; ontry, \$1.50 per crate; chickory, 25c; cucumbers, \$1.259 1.75 per dozen; head bettuce, 35% elo dozen; bothouse, \$1.2591.50 box; peak, 100; beil peppers, 35c; pumpkina, \$0 is pro-pound; radishes, 25c per dozen; tomators, \$2.3562.40 per crate; sprouts, 61; 67c per pound; radishes, 25c per dozen; tomators, \$2.3562.40 per crate; sprouts, 61; 67c per pound; squash; 1% 61% to per pound; parsier, 35c. ECONT VEGETABLES-Turning 90c.651 a

ROOT VEGETABLES-Turnips, 90cd[5] s sack; carrots, 65@75c per sack; beets, 85c 051 per sack; garllo, 10612'sc per poind. ONIONS-Orregon, No. 1, \$1.109125 sack; No. 2, 50cd81. No. 2. 10c041. POTATOES-Buying prices: Fancy graded

POTATOES-Buying prices: Fancy graded furtanks, 6065 per humdred; ordinary, nom-inal; sweet potators, 2%67 be per pound.
 DRIED FRUITE-Apples, 11612c per pound; spricots, 12015%; peaches, 10%6
 Patrice, Peace, 12065
 Pound; black, 12065; brieks, 12-14 ounce pound, black, 1606; brieks, 12-14 ounce packares, 15065; brieks, 12-14 ounce packares, 15065; per box; 58-ounce, 126 240; Smyrna, 200 per pound; daies, Per-sian, 5% 8%c pound;
 RAISINS-Seeded, 12-ounce packages, 59 Shc; 15-ounce, 9% 9100; loose muscatels, 2 crown, 265 Mer, unbleached seedless Buitanas, 607c; Thompson's fancy unbleached, 59 Shc; London layers, 3-crown, whole bases of 20 pounda, \$1.15; 2-crown, \$2

BREAK ONLY STANDARDS HOLD THEIR

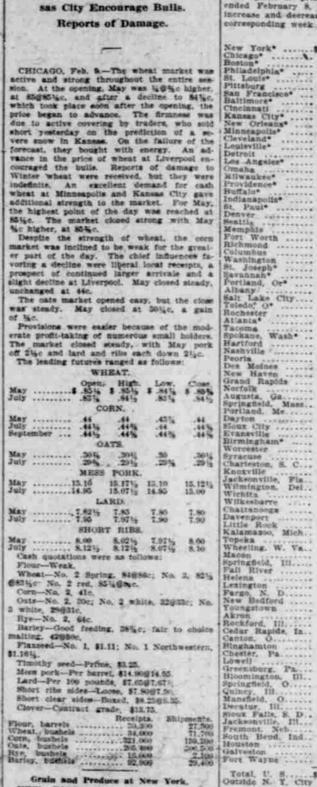
ote 30c@\$1.50; Wolverine, @10 TALLOW-Prime, per pound, 2%@3%c: No. 2 and grease, 2@3c. CASCARA SAGRADA (chittam bark)-2% @5c, sccording to quality.

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OWN AT SAN FRANCISCO. Open Market Well Stocked, but the

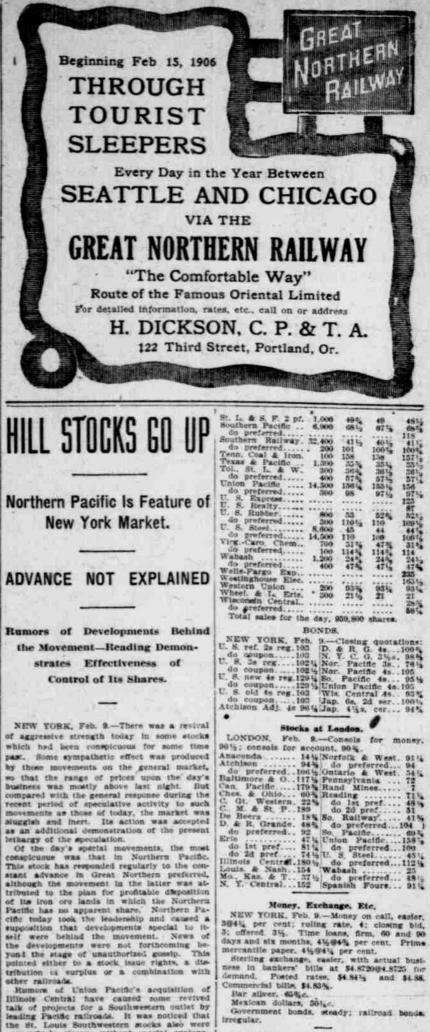
20840c a pound. Wheat futures opened firmer, but soon had a sharp decline. Cash wheat was easy and barley steady for spot and futures. Oats were quiet, but sustained. Feedruffs were weak. California fresh butter was freely offered at 1611to decline. Comments streely offered at 16114c decime. Creamory entrue was of ficially quoted at 2615 cents. Fresh eggs are 160314c lower. Ranch selected are quoted at 1915 cents. Two months ago the price was 34 coniz. Cheese was weak. Young America is 1 coniz lower. Receipts. 27,509 pounds but-ter. 23,809 pounds cheese. 25,809 dozen eggs. VEGETABLES-Cheumbers. 256;959 dozen eggs. VEGETABLES-Cheumbers. 256;951; garlic. 36;96; green peak 6060; etring beams. 82;150; asparagus. 29:00000; tomatoes. \$1.25:01.75. POULTRY-Turkeys. 156;750; roosters. eid. \$4.509;50; roosters. poung. \$607; broilers. email. 52:06; howhers. isrgs. \$405; fryers. \$500; hens. \$4.509;65:00; ducks. eid. \$5006; ducks. poung. \$450;65:00; ducks. eid. \$5006; ducks. cents. Cheege was weak. Young Am soung, May 7.50. BUTTER-Faber creamery, 26%c; creamery seconds, Sac. EGGS-Store, 1515@19c: fancy ranch, 1915c. CHEENE-Young America, 12@15c; Eastern,

Trade Is in Good Control-No. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.-(Special.)-At foday's spetter of oranges, low prices ruled for everything except standards, which are conce and mandards which are concerned and special standards. for screpting except standards, now prices ruled for screpting except standards, which are nearce and manted. Four carloads of navels sold as follows: Fancy, \$1.4001.20; exirs choice, \$1.45; choice, \$1.40; standard, \$1.40, and orchard run, \$1.20. The open market for choice and fancy is oteratocked and weak, but as most houses own the goods and re-ceipts are now light, no sacrifices like those at the auction are being made. The pointo market is still degressed. Only nice Oregons will sell at \$1.0501.10 and \$1.35 is the top for the fanciest, while inferior are unsalable at any price. River Burbanks are weak at 500755 cents per mark, only one ape-cial hrand selling as high as \$0 cents. As-suming receipts are light, it will take a week to clean up the surplus. Onlong are demor-alized and nominal at 50cg81. Gatden vegetables are steady. Asparages, 20640c a pound. Flaxneed \$1.10%. Flour, harrels Wheat, bushels Corn, bushels Outs, bushels Bas, bushels Hye, busnels Barley, busnels NEW YORK, Peb. 16:: Western, 16014%c. . WOOL-South Plains and S. J., 10013c; 13,000 barrels; exports, 9000 barrels. Steady but dull. Works Series, Series,



\$2,407,686,983 213,422,177 170,502,003 132,112,015 38,516,384 37,643,379 38,220,387 36,221,2350 235,221,245 36,542,491 14,554,757 135,542,491 14,554,757 135,542,491 14,554,757 135,542,491 14,554,757 110,112,443 9,611,245 5,724,105 6,701,445 7,704,445 14463.01929.9957.01127.875677769 29127.875677769 24.5 5.3 113.6 30.7 47.2 7.084.043 6.457.779 9.720.292 5.057.995 6,3590,740 7,117,722 5,730,000 6,522,214 5,665,597 36.8 32.1 32.2 19.4 41.0 4,6332,633 4.914.447 98.7 16.5 4,877,281 4,944,982 3,740,845 3,403,417 3,734,045 23.2 61.0 54.1 32.1 17.9 Wash* 43.3 18.6 10.6 3.3 446,291 2,080,468 2,380,524 2,214,210 2,329,679 1,576,467 1,707,609 1.1 1,707,609 2,124,237 1,960,104 1,952,943 1,536,393 2,002,833 1,605,282 1,744,251 1,445,879 1,447,534 eston, S. C... 1,461,574 1,294,499 1,787,682 1,141,152 1,109,420 1,597,721 1,296,116 1,454,084 979,256 883,097 22.5 17.9 17.9 17.9 17.9 15.6 15.7 15.0 8.0 86.4 16.0 2.2 36.5 109.7 12.3 1.299.966 543.045 825.385 1.102.085 III. 814,752 763,603 199,234 649,474 997,613 458,400 461,294 641,294 \$7.0 50.9 123.3 1.1 2.4 25.9 11.0

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Bar silver, 654c. Mexican dollars, 504c.

lovernment bonds, steady; railroad bonds, irregular.

aggressively strong, without special explana-SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.-Silver hars, 65%c. Mexican dollars, nominal. Drafts, sight, 10c; telegraph, 12%c. Sterling on Lon-don, 60 days, \$4.84%; sight, \$4.88. Reading resumed fis conspicuous place in

NDON, Feb. 9.-Bar sliver, firm. 30344 unce. Money, 4@434 per cent. Discount short bills, 4 per cent; three months'

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effect was current during the day in the local market, and was doubted by some, but Mr. Harris confirmed the report at Salem last

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OUTLOOK IS PRIGHT

Continuance of High Wool

Prices Seems Assured.

FOREIGN POSITION STRONG

No Contracting Being Done in This

State_Supply of Oregon Wool

in the East Is About

All Exhausted.

WOOL-Prospects good for high

HOPS-Unusually heavy transac-

POTATOES-Market continues dull

VEGETABLES - California produce

FRUIT-Banana inspection begins

POULTRY - Receipts of chickens

BUTTER-No change in local condi-

MEATS-Arrivals of mutton more

No future buying of wool is being done in

his state, beyond that already reported. In

he Eastern markets, the supply of all kinds

Dregon staple is in demand, but little can be

btained and quotations there are largely

The general market is extremely strong and

astern speculative dealers are very firm on

the London sales, the successful opening

f the New Tork goods market and the light-

ties of stocks are responsible for the under-ying strength of the market.

n the trade, "is simply a reflection of Eu-

and Russian mills are entering on an era of

conperity, greater than for three or four and that, too, with small supplies of

he raw material. Not for some time have

ome American competition. The demand has

tinue sufficiently active, for several months

t least, to prevent any decline in values in

London or on the Continent. Naturally, a

wool merchants affected, but likewise are the

Discussing the future prospects of the mar

ket, as relate to prices, the Boston Commercial

The territory sheepmen are clated and happy over the strong position of London as well as Boston. Their views on prices are still what Eastern operators call extreme-

Considering the general situation in all its Considering the general situation in all its phases, the question may naturally arise. "Are they really extreme?". The advances in London, Australasis and South America maine the possibility of higher values in America. The question is one for the Hoston

for worry. He has money in the bank, and

ditions that might arise. Prices are being held on a comparatively high basis, but under the circuinstances the abseption feels that he will be able to obtain them. The atti-

It is only three months to clip time, the period dangerous to the sheep may be to have passed. The wool is now too well a to be affected materially by any con-

e. As far as the grower is con-situation is giving him no cause

market

ool merchants and those from other

knowledge of this imparts a feeling of con-

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ce to America. Not only are the Eastern

point their buyers have over

The London position," speciares an authority

need of wool. The French, German

their holdings. The strength developed

Oregon wool is practically gone. Eastern

in fine shape.

EGGS-Market turns weaker.

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New Orleans

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Vestern sheepmen.

lietin says:

evening. Of the Horst purchases, another 1906 bales, in addition to the Harris hope, were taken on yesterday. Other buyers are in the market and additional orders for both new and old goods were received yesterday. A 75-bale lot of 1904s was bought at Harrisburg by Homer Searles,

representing Pier Bros., of New York, at 6 Bishop & Co. bought the Miller lot. balts at Newberg at 9% cents, and of 168 M. Reinstein secured a 47-bale lot same place at 9 cents. the

More Mutton Arrives.

the demand. Beef holds steady.

were as follows:

ortland ...

\$5; Hanters \$1.90@2.29

A good-sized shipment of mutton, the largest received in many days, came in yester-day and found quick sale at the top of the market. Veal was not so plentiful, as it had been for the two preceding days, and was very strong. Anything weighing under 100 pounds will command the highest prices quoted. Hog receipts continue to be far under

Bank Clearings.

Clearings. \$ 665,115 1.710,677 715,388 579,560

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

Balances. 8 41,506 379,985 117,622 42,750

Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities

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Tront-street firm says: Today chickens are very source, with not enough coming to supply the demand by hair. This means a good market next week. Tur-keys are also chort and good stock will de-mand fancy prices, also ducks, of which not enough are coming. Genes are slow rais. The enauch are coming. Genes are slow rais. The enauch is about over and we advise careful buying. There is an extra good demand for broliers, and squabs or young pigeons will sell readily. all readily

The egg market was weaker yesterday with movement outward. Some sales were reported at 24 cents, but the actual market memed to be 23 to 28% cents. One sale by a wholesale grocer at 22% cents was reported. The coming week is expected to show in prices.

There was no material change in the butter market yesterday. Some of the trader re still feeling firm, but there is less steadinem shown elsewhere.

STEAMER PRODUCE CLEANS UP.

California Vegetables Sell Well, Being in First-Cinas Condition.

California produce brought up on the steamer cleaned up readily yesterday, as it-was all in good condition. Receipts were not heavy, and no beans nor tomatoes were in the lot. Prices were generally unchanged. Caultflower is ruling very firm and celery is strong at \$3.50 and will bring \$4 next week. The California Vegetable Union refuses to confirm celery orders for a larger average than eight dozen to the crate.

Oranges are very firm and are likely to continue so for several weeks. The first bananas to come under the new inspection at New Oricans have been started and will be here in five days. There are three case for Portland on the train.

Potatoes and onions are both very dull. owing to the demoralization of the San Francisco market, which has been explained in the

The heaviest buyers in the hop market at the present time are the E. Clemens Hors tompany. In the past two days they have bought 2200 bales of Oregon hops and pain good prices for them. too. Yesterlay they see cured a single block of 1000 bales for which

 366: filberts, 10c; pecanas, jumboa, 10c; estra

 large, 17c; atimonda, 14's 015c; chestnuts,

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 large, 17c; atimonda, 14's 015c; chestnuts,

 radian, 12's 010c; Ohio, 20c; peanatis, raw,

 7%c pound; roasted, 9c; planenuts, raw,

 roken

 BELANS-Small white, 4c; large white,

 3%c; plank, 2%c; bayou, 4%c; Limg, 5%c;

 Butter, Eggs, Poulity, Etc.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Kansas City, Omaha and

Butter, Eggs, Poulity, Etc. BUTTER-City creameries: Extra creameries; 2003-214; 2003 Chicago, ChiCAGO, Peb. 9.-Cattle-Receipts, 2009, Market strong: beeves, \$3.0596.50; mockers and feeders, \$2.0094.40; roms and heifers, \$1.5094.80; Texas fed steers, \$2.6594.40; Hogs-Receipts today, 25,000; tomorrow, 27, 000. Miard and butchers, \$5,70gH.02%; good heavy, \$5,90gH.02%; rough heavy, \$3,70gH.02%; good heavy, \$5,70gH.02%; rough heavy, \$3,70gH.02%; ight, \$5,70gH.02%; rough heavy, \$3,70gH.02%; sales, \$3,50gB.05. Eheep-Receipts, 7000.-Market staady; sheep sold at \$3.5595.50; lambs, \$5.2597.55.

Provisions and Canned Meats. HAMS-10 to 14 pounds, 12%c pound; 14 to 16 pounds, 12%c; 18 to 20 pounds, 12%c; California (pienic), 8%c; cottage hams, 8%c; chouiders, 8%c; boiled ham, 1%c; boiled plo-nic ham, honeisen, 14c. BACON-Fancy breakfast, 15%c per pound; standard breakfast, 16%c; cholice, 16%c; Eng-lish breakfast, 11 to 14 pounds, 14%c; peach bacos, 15%c. SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 2.-Catilo-Receipia, 2000. Market active, shade atrenger; native steers, \$3.5095.50; cows and helters, \$2.13 94.60; canners, \$3.7592.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.7594.40; calves, \$395.50; buils,

barea, 154c. PICKLED GOODS-Pork barrels, \$15; %-barrels, \$0.50. Beef, barrels, \$12; .%-barrels, \$6.50.

freders, \$2.1564.40; calves, \$306.50; bulls, stags, etc., \$2.5063.70. Hogs-Beceipts, \$500. Market steady to strong; beavy, \$5.7065.80; mixed, \$5.5060.70; light, \$5.6065.75; pigs, \$4.7563.40; bulk of sales, \$5.6565.75; Sheep-Receipts, \$500. Market strong; Western yearlings, \$5.6060; wethers, \$5.7567.

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6.65; ewes, 34.65085.25; lamba, 36.15097.
 KANRAS CITT, Mo., Feb. 9.—Cattle-Re-ceipts, 3000. Market stendy: native steers, 3486; native cows and heifers, 32.2004.90; stockers and feeders, 43.904.50; Western count, 52.5084.10; calvas, Eugr.15.
 Hoga-Receipts, 1000. Market stendy: bulk of males, 35.15685.85; heavy, 55.8086.87%; packers, 35.15685.85; pigs and light, 45.809 5.80 per cyrt.
 Sheep-Receipts, 1000. Market stendy; mut-toms, 34.5084.80; lambs, 34.7097.16; range wethers, 35.3096.15; fed ewes, 34.5086.27.

Coffee and Sugar. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.-Coffee futures closed unchanged to 5 points lower. Total sales were 105,500 bags including February 6.90c; March, 6.90c; May, 7.0067.10c; July, T.Bfe; September, 7.45c; and Dielember, 7.4607.70c. Spot Rio, quiet: No. 7. Sige. Bugar-Baw, nominal: fair refining, 2%c; centrifugal, 16 test, 311-320626%c; molasses sugar, 2%c. Refined, quiet; crushed, \$5.40; powdered, \$4.50; granulated, \$4.70.

Dairy Produce in the East.

CHICAGO, Fub. A -- On the Produce Ex-change today the butter market was firm; creamerics. 17627c; dairies. 17623c. Eggs. easter at mark, cases included, 15616c; firsts, 16c; prime firsts, 17c; estras, 19c. Chesse; firm, 1154613c. Commences of the local diversity of the local

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 .- Butter, cherne and

aboat. Higher prices appeared in today a wheat market as the result of builtsh crop haves. Snow failed to materialize, as pre-dicted, the Southwest sent in damage news, cables were steady and the Modern Miller report was considered a triffe builtsh. Shorts Higher prices appeared in tuday's Victor covered freely, closing the market 160% onet higher. May cheed 90% c, July closed 50% c, and September at STMc. Hops, wool and petroleum-Quiet. Hides-Steady.

5-Flour-Receipt

Montreal

innipeg

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Fvb. 8.-Wheat and barley, easier. Spot quotations: Wheat - Shipping. \$1.5591.40; milling, Wheat - Shipping, \$1,35691.40; milling, \$1,475,691.25, Barley-Fred, \$1,1855,61.215; brewing, \$1.25, Onie-Rei, \$1,25691.60; white, \$1,5691.70; black, \$1,25691.70; Call hoard sales: Wheat-May, \$1,275, Barley-May, \$1,1855, Corn-Eargo yellow, \$1,1256,91.25.

Wheat at Liverpool. LIVERPOOL. Feb. S .- Wheat, May, de 11d; arch. de 9d; July. de 5%d. Weather, fine, ut cold.

Wheat at Tacoma. TACOMA. Feb. 2 .- Wheat, unchanged, Ex-port: Bluestem, 72c; club, 71c; red, 65c.



MORE SEASONABLE WEATHER STIMULATES RETAIL LINES.

Railroad Earnings Unusually Favorable in January - Threatened

Coal Strike Causes Fear.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.-Bradetreet's tomor-

row will may: Reports as to Spring jobbing trade are of a very favorable character, and more sea-sonable weather has stimulated some lines of <text><text><text><text><text><text><text>

ACCUMULATION STILL LARGE.

Cold Weather Silmulates Distribution of Sea-sounble Merchandise. NEW YORK, Feb. 2.-Dun's Weekly Re-view of Trade will aar tomorrow: Distribution of heavy-weight wearing appar-

"Balances paid in cash.

Mining Stocks. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.-The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows; ever, was firm and near the top. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, \$2.510.000. Enited States bonds were all unchanged on call. .\$.01

.01 CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Reading resumed fis conspicuous place in the trading and once more demonstrated the effective market control which is beld over it. Its reloand was without explanation le-yond the supportion of the requirement from a short interest built up during the decline in the stock. Canadian Facific responded to the announcement of subscription privileges to the proposed new insue of stock. The shipment of gold engaged for South America was postponed until next week, In-stead of going this week as at first intended. The buoyant movement of the Hill-Morgan group helped the general list to advance, but it did not communicate itself with great force to the root of the market. The closing, how-ever, was firm and near the top. LONE per ounce. rate, short bills, 3% per cent.

Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 .-- Today's Treasury

Sheepskins Sale.

LONDON, Feb. 9 .- A sale of Cape of Good Hope and Natal sheepskins was held here today. The offerings numbered 95,290 skins in fair condition. There was a strong demand for all descriptions, except shorn. Extra long and short wooled were unchanged, while