BUYERS HOLD BACK

Dealers Decline to Take Wool at Present Asking Prices.

SOME CONTRACTS IN IDAHO

Situation in Montana and Wyoming Becomes Acute-Prospects Favor Higher Prices in the East. Trading in Mohair.

MOHAIR-Several small sales made WHEAT-Local market dull and

BUTTER-Front-street prices de

POULTRY - Receipts larger and

MUATS-Veni receipts heavy.

18820c; molls, 24 cob'm., \$1824c.

nod ducks and for fat hen turkeys,

The supply of cabbage is running low on front street and jobbers find it almost imswible to secure fresh supplies. Cauliflower rived by express yesterday and were quoted and some fancy green grass was held at 1215c upply and easier at \$161.25. Two cars of ranges arived in the forenous,

Estimate of Unsold Hop Stocks.

A grower who has returned fro ion. Toggles are up from the ground about

Bank Clearings.

FLOUR.—Patents, \$3.75@4.30 per barrel; straights, \$3.40@3.75; clears. \$3.35@3.50; Valles, \$3.40@3.65; Dakota hard wheat, pat-130-92 29.
WHEAT-Club, 65c; bluestem, 68c; red, b; Valley, 69c.
OATS-No. 1 white feed, \$27.50; gray, \$27

per ton.
MILLSTUPPS—Bran, city, \$17; country, \$18 ten: middlings, \$25,506,26; shorts, city, \$18; country, \$19 per tot, chop, U. S. Mills, \$17,50; linseed dairy food, \$18; Acalfa mesi,

\$17.50; linesed dairy food, \$18; Acalfa meal, \$18 per ton.
CEREAL FOODS—Rolled oats, cream, 90-pound sacks, \$4.75; lower grades, \$5.25 @ 6.50; asimeal, steeleut, 50-pound sacks, \$3 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bale; cattmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, \$7.50 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per bale; split pear, \$5 per 100-pound sacks, 23-pound boxes, \$1.40; pearl barley, \$4.25 per 100 pounds, 25-pound boxes, \$1.25 per box, partry flour, 10-pound sacks, \$2.50 per box, per 100 pounds, 25-pound boxes, \$2.50 per box, per 100 per barrely, \$4.20 per 100 per barrely, \$4.50 per

FRESH VEGETABLES—Artichokes, \$1.9

1.25 per dozen; asparagus, 80 per pound; beans, 22/bg; cabbage, 1/5c per pound; cauliflower, \$2.25 per crais; celery, 752

90c per dozen; chickory, 25c; creumbers, \$1.30@1.75 per dozen; beans lettuce, 25@40c per dozen; pens lbc; jeppers, 25@40c; radianes, 25c per dozen; rhubarb, \$130.25 per box; spinach, \$1 per box; tomatoes, \$2.25@2.50 per crate; paraley, 25c.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, \$1@1.25 per sack; carrots, 05@75c per eack; beets, \$5.00%3 per sack; carrots, 05@75c per eack; beets, \$6.00%3 per sack; carrots, 05.00%3 per sack; 05.00%3 pe

Social per sack: garlic, 106124c per pound.

ONIONS—Buying price: No. 1, 75690c per sack; No. 2, nominal.

POTATOES—Buying prices: Fahry graded Eurhanise, 5069c per bundred; ordinary numinal; new California, K960 per pound; aweet potatoes. 24,675c per pound; aweet potatoes. 24,675c per pound; aweet potatoes. 24,675c per pound; allellar prunes. 54,6 to 10149 125c; pears, none; Italian prunes. 54,6 to 54; California figs: white, in sack, 5665c per pound; allellar prunes. 54,6 to 55c, per box: Smyrns, 20c per pound; black, 4 95c; bricks, 12-14 ounce packages, 75685c per box: Smyrns, 20c per pound; dates, Fersian, 6565c; bricks, 12-14 ounce packages, 5685c; 16-ounce, 94,671c; loose muscatels. 2-crown, 64,67c; 3-crown, 64,67c; 3-crown, 64,67c; 3-crown, 64,67c; 1-crown, 64,67c; 3-crown, 64,67c; 3-cro

Groceries, Nuis. Etc.

COFFEE—Mochs, 260 28c; Java, ordinary.
18622c; Costa Rica, Inncy, 18429c; good.
18618c; ordinary. 19422c per pound. Columbia roast, cases, 100s, \$11.75; Bb, \$1475; Ch, \$21.40; Ch, Cal. & V. 120
186218c; ordinary. 19422c per pound. Columbia roast, cases, 100s, \$11.75; Bb, \$1475; Ch, \$21.40; Ch, Cal. & V. 120
186218c; ordinary. 19422c per pound. Columbia Rice.
18638; Lion, \$16.88
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Per pound.
TALLOW-Prime, per pound, 4044c; No.
2 and grease, 293c.
CASCARA SAGRADA (chittam bark)-246

Provisions and Canned Meats.

HAMS-10 to 14 pounds, 13 %; pound; 14 to 16 pounds, 13 %; 18 to 20 pounds, 12 %; 18 to 20 pounds, 12 %; 18 to 20 pounds, 12 %; 18 to 20 pounds, 15 %; 18 to 20 pounds, 18 %; 18 %; 18 to 20 pounds, 18 %; 18 %; 18 to 20 pounds, 18 %; 18 %; 18 %; 18 %; 18 %; 18 %; 18 %; 18 %; 18 %; 18

pounds. nose, two pounds. \$2.35; six pounds. \$7.35; six pounds. \$7.35; six pounds. \$7.35; six pounds. \$7.35; six pounds. DRT SALT CURBD-Regular short clears, dry sait, 10%c; smoked, 11%c; clear backs, dry sait, 10%c; smoked, 120; Union beliles, 10 to 18 pounds average, none.

LARD-Leaf tard, kettle rendered; Tierces 10%c; tubs, 11%c; 50s, 11%c; 20s, 11%c; 10%c; 51%c, 11%c; 50s, 11%c; 50s, 11%c; 50s, 11%c; 50s, 11%c; 50s, 10%c; 50s, 7%c; 50s, 7%c

TURPENTINE—Cases, 91c per gallen. COAL.—Cases, 19c per gallen; tanke, 12% c

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep-and

The following livestock prices were quoted sesterday in the local market:

CATTLE — Good steers, \$464,50; light, weights, \$1.266,3.50; conv. good, \$2.268,3.75; fair to medium, \$2.2683; calves, ogod, \$4.50 HOUS-Good, \$767.25; light and feeders.

\$6.5096.75. EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

Prices Current at Kansas City, Chicago and

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 29.-Cattle-Re-

Hors-Receipts, 8000; market strong to he Vegetables, Fruits, Etc. higher, bulk of sales, \$6.75@6.40; beavy, \$6.75@ and light, bownestic fruits—Apples, \$1.50@2.75 \$5.50@6.40.

tone, \$5,5095.75; lambe, \$5,4096.50; weihers, \$5,4096; fed ewes, \$4,2595.25. bunnas, 5c per pound.

FRESH VEGETABLES-Artichokes, \$19 \$485.50; cows and heifers, \$384.40; Western steers, \$3,4084.60; canners, \$1,7592.75; stock-

LAIDER COR.	Mantice 05
Andes 18	Mexican 1.10
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Best & Belcher 1.15	Ophir 4.95
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Caledonia 36	Potoni 14
Challenge Con11	Savage70
Choliar	Scorpion 97
Confidence65	Seg. Belcher05
Con. Cal. & V. 1.30	Sterra Nevada31
Crown Point 05	Sliver Hill 88
Exchequer 36	Union Con 43
Gould & Curry .12	Ulah Con
Hale & Not 1.10	Yellow Jacket00
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NEW YORK, Ma-	rch 20 - Closter quat

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK March 29.—The London tin market seemed somewhat unsettled, but spot closed unchanged at 1168 26 while futures were 126 60 lower at 1165 15s. Locally the market was easy with spot closing at 37.1246 37.25c.

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High Rate Asked for Loans Checks Stock Trading.

OPERATORS ARE CAUTIOUS

Absence of Urgent Selling Indicates Presence of Well-Organized Interests on the Long Side

supposition that the pools and organized parties which entered the stock market on the long side this week were supplied with resources in the way of time loans to secure paign of the later part of last year, when a similar disregard was shown to exigencies

atock. The closing was steady. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par val-us, \$2.785,000. United States bonds were all

unchanged on call. CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

was strong all day. May closed 146 to higher Armilgam, Copper, 73,000 100%, 107%, Am. Car & Found 7,500 44%; 50%, do preferred... 200 102 101%, Amer. Cotton Oil... 200 14%; 24%, do preferred...

higher at 77% @77%c.

WHEAT.

| Illinois Central | 990 | 1725, 172 | 1714, | International Paper | 1,200 | 2215, 2215, 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215, | 2215,

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 29.—Wheat—May.

18% 276: July, 18%; September, 17%c; No. 1
bard, 17%c.

Downing, Hopkins & Co.

Established 1893

WHEAT AND STOCK BROKERS

Room 4, Ground Floor

Chamber of Commerce

APPLE PRICES HIGH

San Francisco Market Continues to Strengthen.

Money, Exchange, Etc.

call, strong and higher, 567 per cent. Ruling rates, 6; closing bid, 54; offered at 6 per cent. Time loans steady, 60 and 90 days and six months, 5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper,

ness in bankers' bills at \$4.852/66.8525 for fermand, and at \$4.852/66.8540 for \$6 day bills: posted rates, \$4.851, and \$4.861,66.85; commercial bills, \$4.8564.851,

SAN PRANCISCO, March 29.-Silver ba

WASHINGTON, March 29. Today's state tent of the Treasury balances in the general

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET BE-

COMES FIRM IN LAST HOUR.

Reports From Winter Grain Belt Are Conflicting-Small Supplies

in Farmers' Hands.

Available cash balances, \$156,758,941.

Gold coin and buillon, \$77,882,253. Gold certificates, \$49,931,080.

YORK, March

Bar silver, 634c. Mexican dollars, 50c.

rregular.

SALES MADE FOR THE EAST

Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds. Demand for Oranges Is Not Press ing - Fancy Burbank Potatoes LONDON, March 29 .- Bar silver, firm, 5844d per ounce; money, 31,824 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 31, per cent. The rate of discount in Are Firm-Onions in Over-

6515; sterling, 60 days, 4.82%. Drafts-Sight, 215; telegraph, 5; sight 4.86. SAN FRANCISCO, March 29 .- (Special.)-The apple market continues to strengthen town Pippins from cold storage sold for general asking price to the local trade. Lower grades are hardening in proportion. Special asked for all grades of large navel oranges SHORTS HEAVIEST BUYERS

arrivals. Fancy old Burbanks from Oregon and the Sacramento River are in good demand for table use and firm. Upper grades of Oregon command \$1.00\$1.15. Two carloads arrived, one very late. The only market is greatly depressed by large offerings of poor stock. Oregon is quoted at 75cg\$1.10. Asparague is steadier on lighter arrivals. Green peas are arriving freely and weakening. all cereals were steady. Crop prospects con-tinue favorable. Cash prices for all cereals were steady. Crop prospects continue fa-vorable. Feedstuffs are easier. Hay is firm.

VEGETABLES-Cucumbers, \$161.75; garifo POLITABLES—Culumbers, \$12,10, garne.
\$66c; green peas, \$67c; string beans, \$56125c;
asparagus, \$66c; tomatoes, 75c@\$1.25,
POULTRY—Turkeys, \$662bc; rooters, old,
\$2.5084.50; rooters, young, \$6.5087.50; brothers, small, \$384; broilers, large, \$4.5085.50;
fryens, \$2.5085.50; beas, \$4.5086.50; ducts,
old, \$567; ducks, young, \$6.50

old, \$567; ducks, young, \$658. BUTTER-Extra creamery, 28c; creamery, seconda, 18c. EGGS—Fancy ranch, 1815c. CHEESE — Young America, 1015@1115c: Eastern, nominal; Western, nominal.

HOPS-7811c. WOOL—South Plains and S. J. 14g17c; iddle counties, 18g24c. MILLSTUFFS — Bran. \$17.50g18.50; mid-

dings \$28628.50. HAY-Wheat, \$11616; wheat and cars, \$10 \$14; barley. \$5\$11; alfalfa, \$10.50g11.50; stock, \$788; straw, per bale, 30g550; PRUIT—Apples, choice, \$2; common, 75c; bananas, \$162.25; Mexican lines, \$464.50; California lemons, choice, \$1; common, \$1; cranges, navel, \$1,5062.50; pineapples, \$1,506

Burbanks, \$161.50; swets, nominal; Oregon Burbanks, 75cg\$1.15. RECEIPTS — Flour, 6509 quarter-sacks; wheat, 1620 centals; barley, 2710 centals; middlings, 200 sacks; hay, 475 tons; wool, 123

NEW YORK, March 26.—The market for coffee futures closed steady with prices net unchanged. Total sales, \$4650 bales including September, 7.0567.10c and December 7.20c; spot Rio steady. No. 7, 8 2-16c.

Sugar—Raw, nominal; fair refining, 3; constituted of test 2, 15, 2023. trifugal, 96 tem, 3 15-32635; molasses eugar, 25; refined sugar, quiet; crushed, \$5.40; powdered, \$4.80; granulated, \$4.70,

DOBBINS—At Larrabee etreet and Holla-day avenue, March 21, to the wife of John H Dobbins, a daughter. EDWARDS—At 866 East Ash street, March 24, to the wife of George M. Ed-wards, a daughter. SWANSON—At 832 Thurman street. March 4, to the wife of Swan Ewanson, a son. THATCHER—At 354 Broadway, March 27, to the wife of Joseph Guy Thatcher, a daughter.
WIDAWITZ—At 751 Milwapkie avenue, March 14 to the wife of Ignatz Widawitz, a daughter.

net higher. May closed No; July closed SDige and September at SDige.

Wool and hope—Steady.

Hides—Firm.

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Wheat and barley seady.

Spot quotations—Wheat—Shipping. \$1.32'10' |

1.30. milling. SI 374:69. 43'19.

Parley—Feed. \$1.1761.21'14.

Oats—Red. \$1.256'1. harley. December. \$1.356'1. |

Call Board sales: Wheat—May. \$1.255'1. |

Coorn. large yellow. \$1.1761.20. |

Wheat at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL. March 29.—Wheat—March. nominal; May. \$6.51'1. |

Liverpool. Liverpool. |

Liverpool. March 29.—Wheat—March. nominal; May. \$6.51'1. |

Liverpool. All Cool Samaritan Hospital. |

March 27. Bobert End. a native of England. |

Aged 27 years. |

HAWLEY—At Moscow. Idaho. March 28. |

HOLDEN—At \$72 Spring street. |

March 28. Infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. |

Holden, a native of Kansas aged 19 years. 5 |

months and 10 days. Remains brought here for interment. |

MITCHELL—At Baby Home, March 28. |

John Mitchell, aged 1 year. 2 months and 20 days. |

PETERSON—At St. Vincent's Hospital. |

MITCHELL—At Baby Home March 28.
John Mitchell, aged I year, 2 menths and
20 days.

PETERSON—At St. Vincent's Hospital,
March 20, Mrs. Anna Sophia Peterson, of 242
Monroe street, a native of Sweden, aged 45
years, 11 months and 7 days.

TELFER—At Seattle, Wash, March 24,
Mrs. Emmeline L. Tuifer, a native of Connecticut, aged 77 years, Remains brought
here for interment.

WOERNER—At 534 Patton Road, March
29, Marie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Jacob Woerner, a native of Oregon, aged 4
months and 6 days.

Building Permits.

HAZELWOOD CREAM CO.—Drill well,
Pitth and Oak streets, 2500.

MRS. MARIE BURKE—Dwelling, East
Madison, between East Thirty-seventh and
East Thirty-sighth, 5600.

P. LAWTON—Dwelling, Larrabee street,
between Dixon and Dupont, \$2000.

J. TRUEH—Dwelling, Mississippi avenue,
between Shaver and Falling streets, \$1800.

E. R. CONNIFF—Dwelling, Albina ave-tue, near Killingsworth avenue, \$900, P. BERRY—Stable, North Fourteenth and chason streets, \$15.

Real Estate Transfers.

American Trust & Investment Co.
to Mrs. Edith Williams, lot 17.
block 37, Sellwood.

Arleta Land Co. to J. H. Boon, lot
17, block 1, Ins Park.

Same to J. H. Donaldson, et al.,
lots 12 and 13, block 14 Arleta
Park No. 2
Jasper Crane to Portland Trust Co.,
lot 4, block 2, Brynes' Addition.

Elizabeth Ryan to Mrs. Alice G.
Smith, lot 7, block 18, Irving's
Harbor View
Rachel L. Hawthorne et al. to Meier
& Frank Co., lots 1 and 2, block
130, city

Emma Hart and husband to H. R.
Eckert, lot 6, block 3, Lesh's Addition.

Emma Hart and husband to H. R. Rickert, lot 6, block 3, Lesh's Addition
Title Guarantee & Trust Co. to Thomas C. Devlin, lots 10 to 18, block "B." Holladay Park First Addition
Annie D. McMonagie to Annie Powers lot 21, block 22, Albina.
W. C. Wetmore to Roswell E. Thayer and wife, lots 7 and 3, block 8, Highland Park
Same to William O. Edwards and wife, lots 11 and 13, block 8, Highland Park
W. C. North and wife to H. A. Henneman, lot 6, section 7, T. 1 N., R. 2 E. 4.37 acres.
Sittle C. Northsge and husband to J. L. Vosberg, west 35 feet lots 3 and 4, block 184, East Portland.
Margaret Roberts and husband to Harry F. McKay, lot 1 and north half lot 2, block 147, East Portland Oregon Co. to William Kakritz, lots 9 to 17, 19, 20 and 21, block 4, Henry's Pourth Addition.
Dan Marx and wife to Max Lock, lot 4, block 102, East Portland.
Fred H. Powers to W. I. Price and wife, lots 1 and 2 block 14, Arietz Park No. 2.
Minnie E. Hendrich to Minnie M. Lee, lots 1 and 2 in the south half double block "A." city.
Same to Maggie Linebaugh, south 46 feet lot 1 and north 2 feet lot 2, in south half double block "A." city.
George W. Waggoner and wife to John S. Greeny et al. lors 1 and

city correct W. Waggoner and wife to John S. Greeny, et al., lots 1 and 2, block 1, Bungalow Glade Addiharles Frederick Davis and wife to James Brown, lots 4 and 5, block 22 Highland.
I. S. Allen, trustee, to John Frederick Daneke, lots 1 to 6, block 2; lots 1 to 11, block 1, Daneke Addition

Bowlered, \$4.80; granulated, \$4.70.

Hop Sales at Salem.

SALEM. Or. March 22.—(Special.)—Louis Lachmund & Co. today flied hop contracts covering 1906 crops aggregating 175,000 pounds. The ruling price was 10c.

Wood at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—Wood—Steady, territory and Western mediums, 22827c; fine medium, 21825c; fine, 18822c.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Marriage Licenses.

WOOLFOLK-EMERY—Charles A Woolfolk 39, \$70 East Main street; Ellen E. Emery, 38.

THEELKELD-RUCKMAN — Clarence D. Theelkeld. 20, Mount Tabor; Carrie R. Ruckman, 23.

BARR-LAWRENCE — Floyd Barr, 36; Stella Lawrence, 35.

Births.

DOBBINS—At Larrabee street and Holladay avenue, March 21, to the wife of John

Backed by Union Pacific.

Backed by Union Pacific.

ABERDEEN, Wash. March 29.—(Special.)—The Union Pacific Railway Company is thought to be back of the road for which a survey is being made from the Harbor to Seattle.

LOUIS J. WILDE

BANK AND STOCKS

Consistent with ABSOLUTE SAFETY. Cor. Sixth and Washington Sts. Portland, Oregon.

BROWN, WILSON & CO.

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