System of Warehouses to Be Built in the Valley.

COMPANY IS BEING FORMED

Shippers Can Handle the Product to Better Advantage Than Heretofore-Growers and Dealers to Hold Stock.

The coming hop crop of Oregon will be handled in a different manner from its predecessors. A company is being formed in this city to supply the hop belt with a system of modern warehouses that will not only insure proper protection to the hops, but will enable the shippers to handle them e better advantage than has been the case

It is proposed to erect the new warehouses at North Yambill, Independence McMinnville, Aurora or Hubabrd, and possibly at Dallas. The warehouses wit be modern in every respect and their size They will be equipped with all appliance for the proper handling of hops and a fea ture of each will be a large skylight in the center to give plenty of light for in-spection purposes. While built primarily for the handling of hops, the warehouses will be used at other seasons of the year for grain, bay and other agricultural pro-

Both growers and dealers have bee put to great disadvantage in the past season by reason of the poor storage facilities at the different points in the hop-producing sections. Only at Portland and Salem could the hops be handled to advantage With the abolishment of the "in transit" rate to Portland, it was only possible t idate shipments here for the reduccar-lot rate by paying the extra local freight into Portland, and this in some cases made the through rate to the East higher than it was before the so-called re-duction. The growers, therefore, were not gainers by the lowering of the transcontinental rate from Portland.
With the building of spacious warehous

in the hop-growing districts, it will be possible to consolidate many of the shipmen in the future in the originating territory and thus give both growers and shippers the benefit of the 11/2-cent rate to the Eastern cities. Modern, up-to-date ware-houses will also permit the safe storing of hops until they are ready to be moved and will prevent any danger of blue-mold or other lajury from the elements.

The projectors of the new company are Ernest Wells, who has had much practical experience in the warehouse line and who was until about a month ago, connected. Hart, a well-known Portland hopdcaler. It is proposed to form a stock company with hopgrowers and dealers as the principal stockholders. A number of moneyed men are aiready interested in the project and will give it support. The promoters of the ner company are confident that it will not only he an excellent thing for the hop industry of Oregon but will itself be a profitable en-

POTATOES SELL AT A DECLINE. Oregon Shippers Lose Money in the San Francisco Market.

A San Francisco wire yesterday reported sale of a shipment of 1976 sacks of Oregon Burbanks at \$1.40. While not fancy the lot graded as very good commo stock and represents a heavy loss to the shipper at this end. This illustrates the condition of the market in the Southern city, and explains why the buyers are not Eastern potatoes are arriving slowly at

San Francisco, but heavy receipts are expected in 30 days and are likely to continue during the remainder of the season. Cali-East for January-February shipments which were held up by cold weather, but these are now beginning to move, indicating large arrivals in the Bay City in the latter part of March and in April. There is also going to be a free movement of Eastern Oregon potatoes to the California market which is not going to help prices unless the consumption should be stimulated, and experienced potato men say the heavy supplies n only be absorbed by the inauguration of cheaper prices.

SLOW IN FILLING THEIR ORDERS. Hop Dealers Are in No Hurry to Buy, Ex-

pecting Prices to Remain Steady. There is a fair volume of business under way in the hop market, but the activity would be greater if dealers were in more of a hurry to fill the orders they already have on hand. Some of them have orders that do not call for shipment until June, and as they don't think the market is going to advance, they have postponed their purchases rather than buy hops now and pay storage on them.

There was a rumor in circulation yester-day that Carmichnel was again in the market and had bought an export lot at 10 to cents, but it was not confirmed. Mc-Kiniey Mitchell purchased about 200 baies from dealers at 9 and 10 cents. A. J. Ray bought a lot of 72 bales at 9 cents, and 46 bales at \$12 cents, both from growers.

RECEIPTS OF EGGS VERY HEAVY. Prices Go Off Another Cent on Front Street -Chickens Sell Well.

The egg market again showed the loss of a cent yesterday. The receipts were the largest since the present movement started. Prices quoted on the street were 18 and 19

the chickens found quick sale. Ducks were also in good demand, but goese and turkeys dragged. The butter market was quoted steady with the supply and demand about equal.

Good Demand for Celery.

Two cars of celery arrived yesterday and met a very good demand. A car of mixed vegetables is due today, also four cars of bananas, some of which are known to be green.

Bank Clearings.

Bank clearances the Northwest yes	of the leading terday were;	cities of
Fortland	2,170,749 713,563	Balances. \$143,834 301,122 78,698 165,401

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT-Chub, 70c; binestem, 72c; Valley, 70c; red, 68c

OATS-No. 1 white, \$29; gray, \$28.50.
FLOUR-Patents, \$4.05; Straights, \$3.50; clears, \$3.50; Valley, \$3.50.

EARLEY-Feed, \$22.50 per ton; brewing, \$23; rolled, \$23.50; \$23.50.

RYB-\$1.40g1.80 per cwt.
MILLSTUFFS-Bran, city, \$17; country, \$18
per ton; middlings, \$25.926; shorts, city, \$20; country, \$21 per ton; U.S. Mills dairy chop, \$15.50 per ton; Pactic grain, \$18.50 per ton;
CORN-Whole, \$24.50; cracked, \$22.50 per ton.

peas, per 100-pounds, \$4.25@4.80; pearl barley, \$4.94.50 per 100 pounds; pastry flour, 10-pound sacks, \$2.30 per bale.

HAV—Valley timothy, No. 1, \$14.915 per lon; Easters Oregon timothy, \$17.918; closer, \$9; eneat, \$9; grain hay, \$9.210; alfalfs, \$14.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc. BUTTER—City creameries: Extra creamery, 35c per pound. State creameries: Declining Tendency of Prices #UTTER FAT-First grade cream, 33%c per pound; second grade cream, 2c less per pound.

BCGS—Cregon ranch, ISO 19c per dozen. CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 14% Oloc; Young America, 15% of 16c per pound. POULTRY—Average old hens, 13% of 14c mixed chickens, 12% 13c; Spring, 13% of 14 jc; old roosters, 0% 10c; dressed chickens, 14% 15c; turkeys, tive, 16% IT%c; turkeys, dressed, choice, IS& 20c; gesse, live, per pound, 9% 16c quicks 18% 15c; outgons \$16. pound, 9@10c; ducks, 16@18c; pigeons, \$1@ 1.50; squabs, \$2@3.

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

Vexetables, Fruits. Etc.

DOMESTIC FRUITS — Apples, common, 75c@\$1.25 per box; choice, \$1.50@2.50; cranberries, \$10 per barrel.

TROPICAL FRUITS — Lemons, fancy, \$2.52.84 box; oranges, navels, \$1.75@2.25; grapefruit, \$3.83.50; bananas, 45.85 per pound; tangerines, \$1.50@1.75.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, \$1.01.25 per sack; carriots, \$1.02.125 per pound; horseradish, 76% per pound; sweet pountoes, \$1.50 per pound; chieory, \$0c. FRESH VEGETABLES — Cabbage, California, 2½ per pound; cauliflower, \$2.25 per dozen; compared of carriothal and the second of carriothal

VEAL-Dressed, 758125 pounds, 81289c 125 to 150 pounds, 7c; 150 to 200 pounds, 6c; 200 pounds and up, 51486c. BEEF-Dressed buils, 24834c per pound; cows, 414854c; country steers, 54 pound; cows, 414.654c; country steers, 54. 664c.
MUTTON-Dressed, fancy, 8469c per pound; ordinary, 6676.
PORK-Dressed, 100 to 130 pounds, 8469c; 150 to 200 pounds, 7674c; 200 pounds and up, 6664c.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

RICE—Imperial Japan No. 1, 5½c; Southern Japan, 5,40c; hoad, 6,75c.

COFFEE—Mocha, 29628c; Java, ordinary, 18822c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18622c; good, 1653 18c; ordinary, 18622c; costa Rica, fancy, 18622c; good, 1653 18c; ordinary, 18622c; per pound, Columbia roust, cases, 100s, \$15,25; 50s, \$15,56; Arbuckle, \$16,62; Lion, \$15,75.

SALMON—Columbia River, J-pound talls, \$1,75.

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SUGAR—Sack Dasis, 100 pounds, Cube, \$4,97; pound talls, \$1,70.

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MEANS-Small white, 35c; large white,
3c; pink, 3c; bayou, 35c; Lime, 55c; Mex-

HONEY-Fancy, \$3.25@3.50 per box. Provisions and Canned Meats.

Provisions and Canned Meats.

BACON — Fancy breakfast, 211/6c pound; standard breakfast, 185; choice, 174/6c; Ensilsh, 11 to 14 pounds, 17c; peach, 164/6c.

BIAME-10 to 11 pounds, 16c; 18 to 20 pounds, 16c; plenles, 12c; cottage, 111/6c; shoulders, 12c; hoiled, 25c; belled picnic, honeless, 20c, BARRETLED GOODS—Pork, harrels, \$20; half-barrels, \$11; best, barrels, \$10, half-barrels, \$5.50.

SAUSAGE—Ham, 13c per pound; minred ham, 10c; Summer, choice dry, 174/6c; bologna, long, 5c; weinerwarst, 10c; liver, 6c; pork, 10c; headcheese, 6c; blood, 6c; bologna links, 64/6c.

DRY SALT CURED—Regular short clears, dry sait, 12c; smoked, 13c; clear backa, dry sait, 12c; smoked, 13c; clear backa, dry sait, 12c; coregon exports, dry sait, 12hc; smoked, 13t; Creek, 13c; tubs, LARD—Kettle rendered; Tierces, 13c; tubs,

none; smaked, none. LARD—Kettle rendered: Tierces. 12c; tubs. 13½c; 50s. 13½c; 20s. 13½c; 10s. 13½c; 5s. 13½c; 5s. 12½c; 5s. 15s. 15½c; 10s. 10c; 5s. 15½c; 10s. 10c; 5s. 15½c.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HOPS-8% 0 10%c per pound, according to

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

HODS-Mario Hope per pound, according to quality

WOOL Eastern Oregon average best, 1269
like per pound according to shrinkage; Valley, 20022c, according to fineness.

MOHAIR—Choice, 28628c.

HIDES—Dry, No. 1, 16 pounds and up. 20c.
pound; dry kip. No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 168918c, per pound; dry kip. No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 168918c, per pound; dry kip. No. 1, at only pounds, 168918c, per pound; dry kip. No. 1, at only pounds, 200(22c, dry satted buils and stage, one-third less than dry fluit, culls, moth-eaten, badly cut, scared, murrain, hain-stipped, weather-beaten, or grubby, 2c to 3c per pound less, satted steers, sound, 60 pounds and over, 116114c, pound; steers, sound, 50 to 60 pounds, 106111c pound; steers, sound, 50 to 60 pounds, 106111c pound; steers, sound, 15 to 70 pounds, 1051811c pound; kip, sound, 15 to 70 pounds, 1051811c pound; kip, sound, 16 to 14 pounds, 11812c; calf, sound, under 16 pounds, 12913c pound; seen sunsated), 1c pound less; cilis, 1c pound less; sheepskins, shearlings, No. 1 butchers' stock, 50980c each; medium, weol, No. 1 butchers' stock, 50980c each; medium, and the pound; horse hides, stiggs each; murrain pelia, from 10 to 20 per cent less, of 15e16c pound; horse hides, stiggs each; murrain pelia, from 10 to 20 per cent less, of 15e16c pound; horse hides, stiggs each; murrain pelia, from 10 to 20 per cent less, of 15e16c, 51011.50 each; horse hides, fig. 2000 each; stiggs each; house, 51920 each; pound; horse hides, fig. 20070c each; each; stiggs each; house, 51920 each; stiggs each; house, 51920 each; stiggs each; marren, dark morthern, according to size and color, 510216 each; part, 510216 each; part, 510216 each; part, 510216 each; part, 51

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Speller was unchanged at £19 10s and at 68

G.30 locally.

Speller was unchanged at £26 in London and at 6.8068.90c in the local markets.

Iron was lower, with standard foundry quoted at 53s 9d and Cloveland warrants at 54s 6d. Locally the market was unchanged.

Dried Fruit at New York.

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Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Evaporated apples quiet, with buyers and sellers apart in their views and neither side willing to grant material concessions. Fatter, 5%c; choice, 8% 8%c; prime, 7% 67%c.

Prunes are in good demand. California fruit, 38 13c, according to grade; Oregon prunes, 70s to 20s, at 5% to 10c.

Apricots unchanged; choice, 18c; extrachoice, 18% \$19c; fancy, 10%20c.

Peaches quiet; choice, 11 \$12%c; extrachoice, 12% \$13%c; fancy, 12% \$16c; extrafancy, 13%15c.

Raisins are in good demand from the interior; loose muscated being scarce at 8% 5c for two and three crown. Seeded raisins, 7% to 10%; London layers, \$1.55@1.45.

Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO, Feb. 26,—On the Produce Ex-change today the butter market was firm. Creameries, 2263214c; dairies, 226330c, Eggs Easy at mark, cases included, 2114@ 22c; firsts, 23c; prime firsts, 24c. Cheese—Steady, 14@1614c.

CORN—whole, \$25,00; Grant 90.

CERRAL POODS—Rolled nats, cream, 90.

pound sacks, 37: lower grades, \$5,00; 650
catmeal, steel cut, 45-pound sacks, 55 per bale; catmeal (ground), 45-pound sacks, \$7.50 per bale; catmeal (ground), 45-pound sacks, \$7.50 per bale; solit tub washed, 300; 380.

Wool at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 28.—Wool—Steady, Medium grades, combing and clothing; 240; catmeal (ground), 45-pound sacks, \$7.50 per bale; solit tub washed, 300; 380.

Is Arrested.

FAIR RECOVERY FOLLOWS

Approaching End of the Harriman Examination Is One of the Factors-Influential Support Is Given the Market.

was arrested quite promptly today but the subsequent movement toward recovery was halting and uncertain.

The recovery did not set in until a threatening break in prices at the opening made a level of prices which added many important market leaders to the list of lew prices for the veer. The strength of lew prices for the year. The strength of the resistance developed at that particular point proved particularly formidable to the contestants for lower prices owing to the usual reasoning of professional operators from the technical conditions of

erators from the technical conditions of the market. Increased resistance at about the previous low level, on the contrary, leads to an inference that accounts previously uninerable have been strengthened, either by furnishing additional margins or by reducing the holdings in the course of the temporary raily.

When prices opened lower this morning there appeared buying orders for execution by brokers who are credited with operating for some of the great capitalists associated in groups. This produced an impression on the minds of professional operators that effective support was designed for the market. Lending or money on sail by market. Lending of money on sail by houses of the same character suggested a sold-out condition in stock holdings. At the same time, the demand for stocks in the

same time, the demand for stocks in the loan crowd was keen, and resulted in a shading of the money rate in order to secure certain active stocks for delivery.

Some influence was due to the approaching termination of the examination of E. H. Harriman before the interstate Commerce Commission, as the speculative markets are not expected any longer to be affected by a complete enisode. are not expected any lenger to be affected by a complete episode.

Reports from Washington received in Wall Street were of a more hopeful prospect for the Aldrich bill, and thus had a chestful effect on sentiment. The improvement gathered force as the day progressed and last prices were near the best and generally well above last night.

Money continued quite firm and foreign exchange also was firm on account of sales here for foreign account.

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	Am Car & Poundry	6,400	44%	43
	do preferred	100	102%	102%
	Am Cotton Oil	200	331.5	311
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	do preferred	200,480.00	14.57	
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	Am Tobacco pf	1,100	(953)	265
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ij	Chesanouko & Ohio	7.500	203	1900
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ennsylvania ... 44,600 eople's Gas ... 400 its, C. C. & S. L. ressed Steel Car 3,600 ioss of NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—The London tin market was lower, with spot at £192 and turns at £190 los. Locally the market was reported at £192 and turns at £197 To 64 and futures at £198 Locally the market was reported firm and unchanged, with lake quoted at £2625.25c; electrolytic, 24.75625c, and casting at 24.256 Locally the market was reported firm and unchanged, with lake quoted at £2625.25c; electrolytic, 24.75625c, and casting at 24.256 Locally the market was unchanged at £19 10s and at 689 100 locally.

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do coupon 106 N Y C G 34s
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do coupon 1034 do 4s
U S new 4s reg 129 S P 4s
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. Stocks in London. LONDON, Feb. 26.—Consols for money \$6%; do for account, \$6%. S85; do for as Anaconda Atchison do pfd B & O Can Pac Ches & Ohio Chi G W C M & St P De Beers D & R G do pfd Erie do 1 pfd do 2 pfd Ill Central account, Set %.

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72 do pfd
163 b Wabash A A

M K & T 41% Spanish 4s Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Money on call, firm, 165 per cent; ruling rate, 4% per cent; losing bid, 4% per cent; offered at 4% per cent. Time loans, dull; 60 and 80 days, 5%, and cont. Drime cent. Time loans, dull; 60 and 90 days, 5%, per cent; six months, 5%, 5%, per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5%, 66 per cent.
Sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.845564.8470 for demand and at \$4.800054.8045 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, \$4.81%, 64.85%. Commercial bills, \$4.80 64.80%.

Har eliver, 65%, Mexican deliars, 23%, Government bonds, steady; rallroad bunds, heavy.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Bar silver, firm, 32d

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Sliver bars, Mexican dollars, 54c. Drafts-Sight, 15c; telegraph, 20c.

Daily Treasury Statement.

PORTLAND STOCK EXCHANGE. Poticle Continues to Move at a Firm

Price.

UNLISTED SECURITIES. Bonds-Bonds—
American Biscuit Co. 6s.
City & Suburban 4s.
Columbia Southern Irr'n 6s.
Home Triephone 5s.
J. C. Lee Company 6s.
O. R. & N. Ry 4s.
O. W. P. & Ry 6s.
Pacific Coast Biscuit 6s.
Portland Railway 5s.
Miscuit Miscellaneous Stocks-Associated Oil

North Fairview Manhattan Crown Point. Poticie Mining Washougal Extension UNLISTED STOC Oregon Chy Mill & Lumber Yaquina Ray Telephone... Aladea Petroleum Blue Stone British Columbia Amal Cascadia Goldfield Trotter Great Northern Mammeth Mornins UNLISTED STOCKS Mount Pitt Standard Consolidated Tacoma Steel Washington Meteor Bullion Copper King Happy Day O. K. Consolidated, Park Copper Snowshoe

SALES.

1,000 Mammoth (B. 60).

Associated Oil

10 J. C. Lee

4,000 Denny Dulin

8,500 Lee's Creek Gold

1,000 Poticie

5,000 Poticie (private sale)

1,000 Mammoth (B. 30)

5,000 Mammoth (B. 60)

BLUE BELL STRONG ON CALL. Good Demand for Concessions and 18,000 Shares Changed Hands.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 28.—(Special.)—Blue Bell was the first call that brought out a large amount of business on the Goldfield list. There was a demand for The Goldberg list. Incre was a demand for Concessions, but 18,000 shares of stock changed hands, the last 1000 shares selling at 35 cents. St. Ives sold strong at \$1.70, with good trading. Poliatch was bought for 91 cents and bid up to 95 cents without

This was the same condition that governed yesterday morning's market. There were numerous bids and offers for Kendall Ex. All the brokers had some Red Top Ex. to handle, and as a result 22,000 shares were dealt in on the regular call. Dalsy passed without much notice or any transaction. Goldfield Consolidated went to \$10.37% or extension of time for delivery and remained at \$10.25 the regular way. Triangle was a trifle weaker, with light sales. Montana, \$3.65; Gold Anchor, 37c; Jim

Butler, \$1.05; Gold Crown, 17c; Sandstorm, 70c; Booth, 97c; Adams, 22c; Eliver Pick, \$1.52; St. Ives, \$1.70; Oro, 54c; Atlanta, 82c; Kewanas, \$1.77; Lou Ditton, 21c; Triangle 62c; Vankee Girl, 11c; Victor, 28c; Bronche 15c; Pine Nut, 24c; Hagle's Nest, 28c; Mc Namera, 62c; Midway, 82.05.

Eastern Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26 Closing quotations:
Adams Con \$.15 Iron Silver \$4.20 Alice 5.00 Ontario 7.25 Breece 25 Ophir 2.50 Brunswick 45 Potosi .17 Comst Tunnel 30 Savage .85 Con Cal & Va 95 Sierra Nevada .75 Horn Silver 1.70 Small Hopes 40 Little Chief .05 Standard 2.90 Leadville Con .05
BOSTON, Feb. 26Closing quotations:
Adventure \$ 5.00 Nevada \$ \$17.50 Alionez 6.800 Parroti 22.75 Amaigam 110.75 Quiney 120.00 Allantic 10.75 Quiney 120.00 Cal & Hecla 964.00 Trinity 2.30 Gentennial 44.75 United Cop 64.50 Copper Range 93.75 U S Mining 92.75 Daly West 18.50 U S Oil 12.12 Franklin 27.00 Utah 00.50 Granby 145.00 Utaticia 10.37 Franklin 27.00 Utaticia 10.30 Franklin 27.00 Franklin 27.00

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Coffee futures losted steady, net unchanged to 10 points

New York Cotton Market. NEW YORK; Feb. 26.—Cotton futures closed steady at a net advance of 1449 points on the active months. January was 1 point higher. February, 9.30c; March, 9.34c; April, 9.42c; May, 9.50c; June, 9.57c; July and August, 9.62c; September, 9.64c; October, 9.90c; December, 9.98c; January, 10.18c.

Returning to Coal for Fuel.

Wheat Takes a Backward Turn at Chicago.

GOOD DEMAND FOR EXPORT

Money, 4%35 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 4 15-1695 per cent; for three months bills, 4 13-16945 per cent.

But Liberal Receipts in Northwest and Favorable Weather for Crop Movement Are Depressing Factors.

> CHICAGO, Feb. 26.-With the exception of CHICAGO. Feb. 26.—With the exception of a moderate show of strength about the middle of the day, due to covering by the shorts, sontiment in the wheat pit was inclined to the bear side. The market opened easier because of liberal receipts in the Northwest and continued favorable weather for the crop movement. At the end of the first hour prices railled on reports that exporters were buying heavily of American wheat. An excellent demand for cash wheat at all the principal grain centers in this country also strengthed prices for a time. The firmness, however, was soon dispelled by the realizing sales of local longs. The market closed weak, May of local longs. The market closed weak, May wheat opened \$40 lower at \$850. advanced to \$58.67850 and then declined to \$750. The final quotations were at \$77.67750.
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> Increased local receipts and lower prices at

Liverpool had a weakening effect on the corn market. The close was easy. May corn opened a shade lower at 474gc, sold between 475gc and 475g6475gc and closed at 47% 647% c.
Oats ruled firm all day. May cats opened

the lower to the higher at 42% to 42%c, sold up to 42%c and closed at 42%@425c. Provisions were weak on selling by pit traders, who were bearishly inclined because of the liberal receipts of live hogs at Western packing centers. At the close May pork was off 25c at \$16.40; lard was down 215c at \$9.70; ribs were 755215c lower at \$8.05.

Leading futu	res ran			
May	78%	8 .7816	\$.77% .78% .78%	\$.775%
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		ATS.		
May July September	42% .88 .92%	.12% .18 .1814	. 42% 37% 32%	32756
	MESS	PORK.		
May July			16,85 16,47 %	16.40 16.50
		ARD.		
May July	9.70 9.72% 9.82%	9.75 9.75 9.85	9,65 9,65 8,75	9.70 9.70 9.80
		T RIBS.		
May July Cash quotati	9.25	9.25	9.1216	9.05 9.12%
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741-07514c. Corn-No. 2. Oats-No. 2. white, 411-042 Fre-No. 2.	41c; 1	No. 2 3	rellow. 4 hite, 43c	4%c. : No. 3

Barley-Fair to choice mailting, 6186312c. Flaxened-No. 1, \$1.1732; No. 1 Northwest rn. \$1,2415.

Timothy seed—Prime, \$4,5564.60, Clover—Contract grades, \$15.50, Short ribe—Sides (loose), \$8.8716.60. Mess Pork-Per barrel, \$16,40@16.50. Lard-Per 100 lbs., \$9.55. Sides-Short clear (boxed), \$0.2569.37%, Whisky-Basis of high wines, \$1.29.

Flour, burrels Wheat, bushels Corn, bushels Cate, bushels Rye, bushels Receipts, Shipment, 26,000 22.56 92,800 32,000 Barley, bushels

Grain and Produce at New York NEW YORK, Feb. 26.-Flot 29,200 barrels. Exports, 15,800 barrels. Market steady, with a better inquiry. Wheat-Receipts, 32,000 bushels. Exports, 8700 bushels. Spot. easy; No. 2 red. 82c, elevator and 84c r. o. b. affoat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 92,5c. f. o. b. affoat; No. 2 hard Winter, 80% f. o. b. affoat. After a weak opening, due to big North-west receipts and lower cables, wheat turned stronger on export rumors and a cold wave scare, followed by declines in the last hour on decreases of the export business. Last prices showed %c net loss as follows: May,

Styce; July, Sec. Hops—Quiet; Pacific Coast 1906 crop, 10 913c; 1905 crop, 9@12c. Wool, petroleum and hides—Steady. Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26,-Wheat and

bariey-Firm, Spot quotationg: Wheat-Shipping, \$1.27½@ 1.32½; milling, \$1.35@1.45. Barley-Feed, \$1.125/201.15; brewing, \$1.15@ Oats-Red, \$1.30@1.35; white, \$1.55@1.05; Call board sales: Wheat-No sales. Barley-Mas. \$1.17; December, \$1.06%, Corn-Large yellow, \$1.3081.35.

European Grain Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 26.—'In the grain mar-ket today prices closed as follows: Wheat—Spot, steady; No. 2 red Western Whiter, 6s. Futures. March, 6s 65sd: May, 6s 64sd: July, 6s 34sd. In the London market Pacific Coast cargoes, prompt shipment, 30s 6d to 30s 9d@50x 9d Market, firm.
Weather in England today was fair, but cloudy.

Minneapolis Wheat Market. MINNEAPOLIS. Fph. 26 - Wheat - May, 70 to: July. 80 t 680 to: September, 78 t 6075 to: No. 1 hard, 82 882 to: No. 1 Northern, 81 to: No. 2 Northern, 78 to: No. 3 Northern, 76 t 677 to:

Wheat at Tacoma. TACOMA, Wash., Peb. 26.—Wheat-Un-panged. Bluestem, 71c; club, 69c; red,

Changes in Available Supplies. NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Special telegraphi and cable communications received by Brad-streets show the following changes in avail-able supplies as compared with previous ac-Bushela. decreased 655,000 Trope, increased 172,000 Total American and European supply, increased 535,000 Corn, United States and Canada, in-

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET. Prices Current Locally on Cattle, Sheep and Hogs. The following prices were quoted in the

United States and Canada, in-

The following prices were quoted in the local livestock market yesterday:
CATTLE-Best steers, \$4.50@4.75; medium, \$4.94.25; cows, \$4.75@4; fair to medium cows, \$3.25@3.50; bulls, \$4.50%2;
Calves, \$4.50%5.
SHEEP-Best, \$6.86.25.
HOGS-Best, \$7.25@7.35; lightweights, \$7.25@7.35; stockers and feeders, \$6.75@7.25;

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Third and Oak Streets

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celpts, 5000; market, steady to strong. Na-tive steers, \$465.75; cows and helfers, \$2.50 fs 4.50; Western steers, \$385.25; stockers at it stake on the best tract beginns and feeders, \$3 6r5; calves, \$3 6r6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market, steady. Heavy, \$6.77½ @ 6.82½; mixed, \$6.77½ @ 6.80;

Hght, \$6.75@ 6.80; pigs, \$5.75@ 6.50. Sheep-Receipts, 12,000; market, shade lower, Yearlings, \$5,75@6.25; wethers, \$5,25 @5.60; ewes, \$4,50@5.25; lambs, \$6,50@7.25. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 26,-Cattle-Re-

ceipis, 8000; market, strong to 10c higher. Native steers, \$4.25 \(6.50 \); native cows and helfers, \$2.50@5; stockers and feeders, \$3.60 @4.20; Western cows, \$2.75@4.50; Western steers, \$46.5.80; Butts, \$2.75@4.15; culves, Hogs-Receipts, 15,000; market, 5c high-

er, Henvy, \$6.90@7; packers, \$6.85@6.95; pigs and lights, \$5.50@6.90.
Sheep-Receipts, 10,000; market, steady.
Muttons, \$4.60@5.75; lambs, \$6.75@7.30; range wethers, \$5.259 6.50; fed ewes, \$46

WOOL HOLDERS SELLING

NO SPECIAL DEMAND IN THE BOSTON MARKET.

Large Business of a Clearing-Up Character in Territory Grades. Prices Are Strong:

BOSTON, Feb. 26 .- The wool market is strong and moderately active. The movemen of the week has resulted chiefly from the deof the week has resulted chiefly from the desire of holders to reduce their stock and not from cager buying. In territory wools there lots targe business of a mearing-up character. A line of 100,000 pounds of fine staple Monana sold at 24c and smaller quantities of the same grade in the range of 22 to 24c. Leading domestic quotations range as follows: California, accured basis. Northern county, choice, 670,68c; Northern, good, 660,67c; middle county, 600,66c; Southern, 620,63c; Fall free, 549,55c.

Ougon, scoured basis, Eastern No. 1 staple.

Oregon, scoured basis, Eastern No. 1 staple, 726/73c; Eastern No. 1 clothing, 686/70c; Valer No. 1, cometr.

ley No. 1, 600942c.
Territory, staple, scoured basis, 72075c; fine medium, 68970c; medium, 65966c.
Territory, ordinary, scoured basis, fine, 70972c; fine medium, 68970c; medium, 63966c. QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO. Prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City

Markets. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—The following ring prices were quotes in the produce market yesterday:
FRUIT—Apples, choice, \$2, common 50c; bananas, \$151,25; Mexican lines, \$668; Callfornia lemons, choice, \$1.50, common \$1, oranges, navel, \$162,25; pheapples, \$564, VEGETABLES—Cucumbers, \$1.2561.50; garlic, 21,263c; green peas, \$610c; string beams, coming).

nominal: asparagna 66:140: tomatoes: 50est EGGS-Store, 189 19c; fancy ranch, 21c. POTATOES Early Rose, \$1.7592; River Surbanke, \$1.7561.90; sweets, \$2.506.1; Orecon Surbanke, \$1.4092; Orecon seed Burbanke, \$1 11.40; Eastern, \$1.4091.75; Garnet Chile.

\$1.25@1.40; new potatocs, 4c. BUTTER-Fancy creamery, 32c; cream-y seconds, 28c; fancy duty, Ile; nairy sec-nds, nominat; pickled, 21g/22c, WOOL-Fall, Humboldt and Mendocino, 14

\$15c; South Plains and San Joaquin, 799c; lambs, 8\$11c; Nevada, 17818c. HOPS—California, 1091214c. HAY-Wheat, \$19622; wheat and cats, \$106 \$50; alfalfa, \$8.500013; stock, \$7.5000.50;

straw, 40@75c.
MILLSTUFFS—Bran. \$21.50@22.50; middlings, \$276530. FLOUR—California, family extras, \$4.500; 5.40; bakers' extras, \$4.4024.00; Oregon and

5.10; bakers extrae, \$8.4094.00; Oregon and Washington, \$1.3094.

POULTRY — Turkeys, gobblers, 15017c; turkeys, bens, 17918c; roosters, old, \$4.5095; young, \$7.5098.50; broilers, small, \$4.5095.

\$5.50; broilers, large, \$5.5096.50; fryers, \$6.50 \$97.50; bens, \$598; ducks, old, \$596; ducks, young, \$608. RECEIPTS-Flour, 10,892 quarter sacks; wheat, 2114 centals; barley, 6565 centals corn, 25 centals; potatoes, 6700 sacks; bran, 1050 sacks; middlings, 2230 sacks; hay, 266 tons, wool, 58 bales; hides, 887.

C. T. and Fannie V. Saling to Phillip and Anna Chapperon, lote 2, 3, excepting south 22 feet, block 47, Stinnyside 5 Belie Carroll to H. and Christina Pupke, lot 3, block 7, Keystone Adaltion.

Firland Company to Jennie M. Smalley, lotts 5, 6, 8lock 18, Firland.

A. Mickie to Carl Schlewe, west half of lot 1, block 5, Mount Scott Fark.

Edward and Judith Sandeberg to Kate Hamilton Marquis, lot 7, block 2, Keystone Addition.

Betay and George Hamford to A. H. Averill Machinery Company, but 1, 2, block 46, East Fortland.

Lizzle Ettle and D. E. Powell to P. T. Hill, lot 7, block 26, Woodlawn.

George H and Kathleen M. Durinam to Lizzle Ettle and D. E. Powell to P. T. Hill, lot 7, block 36, Woodlawn.

P. T. and Carrie E. Hill to Frida Gerhardt, lot 7, block 38, Woodlawn.

Alvine and Louis Stopper to J. T. Rawlins, south 59 feet of lot 4, block 7, Williams Avenue Addition.

A. S. and Edith Williams to W. W. Crowder, Interes, lot 17, block 37, Sellwood.

Anthony and Addie Curries for W. W. Crowder, Interes, lot 11, block 38, Sellwood.

Avis Ogden to Martha M. Irwin, lots 22, 2,600 447,000 Crowder, trustee, lot 11, block 58, Sellwood.

Avis Orden to Martha M. Irwin, lots 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, block 152, University Park Addition.

Owen and Huida Taylor 10 S. D. and Ella Taylor, lot 3 and south haif of lot 4 and south 30 feet of lot 2, being south bair of lot 5. Pledmont Park.

E. M. and Ellis T. Young to Sarah E. Ripperton, 331-15 by 70 feet, of ractional lots 4, 5, block 1, North Portland Returning to Coal for Fuel.

PITTSBURG. Feb. 25.—The Southern Pacific Railroad & Steamship Company and the St. Louis Gas Company have contracted with the Monongahela River Coal & Coke Company for \$1.00,000 worth of coal. The largest contract was secured from the Southern Pacific Company, which contracts for 250,000 tons to be delivered at its wharves at New Orleans.

The order means a beginning of the end of oil as fuel in New Orleans. The Southern Pacific, since the discovery of petroleum in Texas, has used immense quantities of oil for fuel. The scarcity of oil and the increasing prices are said to be the cause of the change.

Calves, \$4.50#5.

SHEEP—Beat, \$7.25#7.35; lightweights, St.25#7.35; stockers and feeders, \$6.75#6.

SHEEP—Beat, \$7.25#7.35; lightweights, St.25#7.35; lockers, \$2.5#7.35; lightweights, St.25#7.35; lockers, \$2.5#7.35; lockers 3,650 2125 3.500

Riley Investment Company, the aouth 4 acres of the 8-acre tract beginning at 4 stake on line between sections 5, 10, T 1 S. R. 2 E. Cortiand University Land Company to Cord and Albertina Sengstake, blocks 171, 178. University Park Chilam and Mary Viola Schmeer to W. O. Waddel, 821, feet, beginning at southeast corner of lot 24, Beliview Addition Addition

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bill, bit 2. block 12. Hawthorne's First Addition
Edward Clerk to Tony Bright, 2 acress beginning at northeast corner of south wast ½ of southeast ½ of section 16. T. 1.8. R. 2.E.

Emma Prince McGrew and F. O. McGrew to George P. Lent, lot 8. block 15. Original Townsite of Abbins.

Theodore and Maria Hesse Schmidt to Esrbara Kucheoreuther, lot 17. block 219. Bajch's Addition

Doretta K. and J. Hingston Smith to F. J. Dartington, to 16. block 17. West Irrington.

W. H. Sawtell et al to J. H. Brace et at, 6 acres beginning at southwest corner of worthwest ½ of southwest ½ of section 17. T. 1.8. R. 2.E.

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lemnic and C. T. Beicher to Jennie
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of lots 7, S, block II, Caruthers' Addition.

tenhen T. and Hattle A. Dove to Susan A. Stimson, west to of lots 5, 6, block Stenien T. and Hattie A. Dove to Susan A. Stimson, west to of lots 5, 8, block 9, Nicholson a Assistion of lots 5, 8, block 9, Nicholson a Assistion to Katte A. Cook, west to of lot 4, block 220, Hetladay Addition
A. P. Smith to R. G. Littler, lot 7, block 7, Smith to R. G. Littler, lot 7, block 7, Smith to R. G. Littler, lot 7, block 1, Sunnyside
W. E. and Grace A. Smith to George Glenger, lots 7, 8, block 1, Woodlawn Fred West to Edna L. Ogden, lots 17, 18, block 11, Riverside Addition to Albina
Joseph H. and Alice J. Nach to Kill-green-Bryant Company, lot 7, block 35, Tremon. Place Addition.
Bessie A. Vanne to Killgreen-Bryant Commiss, lot 14, block 191, Hellwood Charles J. Wenderuth et al. to Margaret W. Lewis, 9 acres, commencing at the northeast corner of southeast 1, of southwest 1, of section 18, T. 1, S. R. 1, E. scuttiwest is of section is 4. 4. 5.

R. J. E.

rank Heidman et al to James and
Sarah M. Klinn. lots 4, 15. block 6,
Oak Park Addition No. 2 to St. Johns
J. L. and May W. Holbrook to Elizabeth Stafford, lot 4, block 7, St. Johns
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GETS CHILD FROM GYPSIES

Chicago Father Recovers Daughter Kidnaped Year Ago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.-After a search of nearly a year, in which almost every sypny camp in the South and Northwest had been visited, Cecilia Demetro, 12 years old, daughter of a wealthy Greek in Little Rock, Ark, who had been kldnaped, March I, 1906, was found yester-CHEESE - Young America, 131/4616c; day in a camp near Thornton, III. The Eastern, 171/2c; Western, 131/2c. little girl was given shelter at the police

station here last night.

Trace of the girl was obtained by Leo Demetro, her father, who had searched for her eight months in vain. Then he met a gypsy in Sait Lake City, who learned of his sorrow. The man promised to inform him should be ever hear of the camp in which the child was held.

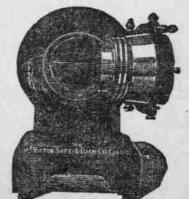
Accompanied by tour deputy Sheriffs. Demetro went to Thornton yesterday. Just beyond the outskirts of the town is a camp consisting of more than 100 tents. It was there that Cecilia was held pris-oner. When the Greek coppersmith and

his companions arrived, the girl was playing on the prairie with several other Before Demetro could reach his daughter he was thrust aside by John Joe, king of the camp, and who is said to REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS | king of the camp, and who is said to have kidnaped the child. Joe burst from a tent and selzed Cecilia as she was about to spring into her father's arms, about to spring into her father's arms, about to spring into her father's arms. In an instant bundreds of gypsics were awarming out of their smoke-filled homes

and hurrying to the scene. Demetro selzed the gypsy Joe by the throat. While they were struggling on the ground scores of (Joe's followers crowded around and threatened to interfere, but the Sheriffs drew their revolv-ers and seized the little girl. An instant later Demetro regained his feet and, taking his daughter, stood with the officers. Awed by the display of weapons, the gypsies retreated and the deputy Sher hurried to Thornton, where they boarded

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