All Shipping Potatoes Likely to Be Disposed Of.

CALIFORNIA MARKET GOOD

Receipts of Mohair Light and Prices Firm-Strawberries Arrive From Florida-Eggs Again Advance a Fraction.

With the recent improvement in the potato situation, the prospects have grown stock in this state before the season is over. The California demand is of first-class rtions and large shipments are being made southward by rail. The movement would be even freer if cars were as easy to secure as was the case a short time ago. Farmers are offering choice stock readily and most of this is being bought up around the dollar mark, Strictly fancy potatoes are in very limited supply, only a few lots being available in the Gresham district Shippers are offering up to \$1.46 for this quality, but most of the holders are hanging back awaiting better prices. The trade does not look for much of an advance, if any, and declare that if prices should go higher, the California market would again be swamped with Eastern stock.

The San Francisco Call of Saturday said of the potato situation there: There were light receipts of potatoes during the week just ended, and with the daily buying of the usual good proportions dealers were enabled to effect a marked diminution in the accumulation of old stock which had been carried over from the pre ceding week. The close was quite steady, all table goods, and prices for Eastern and Oregon Burbanks showed some improve-ment, top quality lots of both being well cleaned up. Good, sound, onlons were in demand and readily commanded a slight advance, while off lots were very slow of sale at low and bregular rates.

SWIFT AND SONOMA EGG MEN. Poultrymen Dissatisfied With Way Company

Swift is not finding it an easy matter to corner the egg supply of California and has slready run afoul of the Petaluma farmers on the price question. The Santa Rosa Re-

on the price question. The Santa Resa Republican says:

If Swift & Co. expect to maintain their contract with the Sonoma County Co-Operative Foultry Association, they will have to change their tactics and convince the members they are acting in good faith. Many members are dissatisfied with the recent actions of the firm when they paid but 20 cents per dozen for eggs on days when the quotations were higher. Later the firm, sent checks covering the difference, but there are members who believe this was done to appease the wrath of the association.

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to make any impression on the demand, and arrivals twice as heavy would not cause prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City special weakness. The present prices may Markets. hold good for a month yet.

MOHAIR POOL SALE AT LEBANON. First Selling Dute Announced for the Cur-

rent Season,

Grain. Flour. Feed. Etc.

WHEAT—Club. Tic: bluestem, 74c; Valley, 70c; red, 71c.

OATS—No. 1 white, \$25050; gray, \$25629.

FLOUM—Patents, \$4.15; straights, \$2.60; clears, \$3.60; Valley, \$1.6524.75; grainsm flour, \$3.7564.5; whole wheat flour, \$464.50.

HARLEY—Peed. \$22.20 per ton; brewing, \$25; rolled, \$23.5024.50.

HYB—\$1.4561.50 per cwt.

MILLSTUFFS—Brest, city, \$17; country, \$18; rer ton; middlings, \$25226; aborts, city, \$20; country, \$21, 500; per ton; profiled grain, \$16.50 per ton.

COPIN—Whole, \$24.50; cracked, \$22.50 per ton.

CORN-Whole, School control of the Corn.

CEREAL FOODS—Rolled oats, creum, 20.

pound sacks, \$7; lower grades, \$5,50@6,56

eatmeal steel cut, 45-pound sacks, \$3 per bair;

barrel; 9-pound sacks, \$4,25 per bale;

catmeal (ground), 45-pound sacks, \$7,50 per bairel;

Pairel; 9-pound sacks, \$4 per bale; solit

can per 100-pounds, \$4,25@4,30; pearl barley.

WILL MOVE SURPLUS

#464.50 per 100 pounds; pastry flour, 10-pound
sacks, \$2.30 per bale.

HAY—Valley timothy, No. 1, \$14615 per
timothy, \$17618; clofer, \$9; conest, \$9; grain hay, \$9610; alrairs.

RAID IS STILL

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc. BUTTER—City creamerles: Extra creamery, 25c per pound. State creamerles: Fancy creamery, 22% @ 35c; store butter, 18 @ 25c. pound.

CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 154@
16c; Young America, 164@17c per pound.
POULTRY — Average old hens, 15c;
mixed chickens, 14c; Spring, fryers and
broilers, 20@22½c; old roosters, 10@12c;
dressed chickens, 16@17c; turkeys, live, 13
@15c; turkeys, dressed, choice, 18% @20c;
geese, live, per pound, 8c; ducks, 16@18c;
pirecons, \$1@150; squabs, \$2\$3.

EGGS—Oregon ranch, 19@19½c per dozen.

Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

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DOMESTIC FRUITS — Apples, common,
75c@\$1.25 per box; choice, \$1.50@2; cranberries, \$10 per barrel.

TROPICAL FRUITS — Lemons, fancy,
\$1.25@4 per box; oranges, navels, \$2@3;
grapefruit, \$3@3.50; bananas, 4½@50 per
pound; tangerines, \$1.50@1.75.

ROOT VEJETABLES—Turnips, \$1@1.25
per sack; carrots, \$1@1.25 per sack; beets,
\$1.25@1.50 per cack; garile, 7½@10c per
pound; horseradish, 7@5c per pound; chicory,
30c.

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FRESH VEGETABLES — Cabbage Callfornia, 3c per pound; cauliflower, \$2.50 per dox; coclery, \$4.5084 crate; lettuce, head, 35945c dozen; onlons, 10612%c per dozen; tomatoes, \$2.5092.75 crate; parsiety, 25930c artichokes, 7580c dox; hothouse lettuce, \$2 box, sprouts, Bc; peas, 12%c; radishes, 30c per dozen; asparagus, 10c per pound; Bell peppers, 30635c per pound; rhubarb, \$239 2.25 per box; cucumbers, \$2.0 NIONS—Oregon, 75890c per hundred. DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 568%c pound; apricots, 10619c; peaches, 11813c; pears, 114614c; Italian nrunes, 2%66c per pound; black, 4%65c; oricks, 756632.25 per box; Symras, 18%620c pound; dates, Persian, 6%7 pound.

POTATOES—Buying prices: Oregon Burbanke, fancy, \$1.3561.40; No. 1 choice, \$1. RAISINS—Layers and clusters, 2-crown, \$1.50; S-crown, \$3.50; S-crown, \$3.50; S-crown, \$3.50; S-crown, \$5.50; S-crown, \$5.60; S-crown, \$6.60; S-cro

Dressed Meats.

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VEAL—Dressed, 75@125 pounds, 8%@9c; 125 to 150 pounds, 7c; 150 to 200 pounds, 6c; 200 pounds and up, 5%@9c.

BEEF—Dressed bulks, 36%c per pound; cows, 5@9c; country steers, 5@7c.

MUTTON—Dressed, fancy, 10@10½c per pound; ordinary, 8@9c.

PORK—Dressed, 100@130 pounds, 8%@ 9c; 150 to 200 pounds, 7@7½c; 200 pounds and up, 6@6%c.

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Groceries, Nutz, Etc.

RICE—Imperial Japan No. 1, 5½c; Southern Japan, 5.40c; head, 6.75c. 1 ava. ordinary, 12 abc; Coura Piner, 1822 20; Lava. ordinary, 1823 20; Lava. 1824 20; Lava. 1824 21; Lava. St. 75; Arbunda Rais, 1824 21; Lava. St. 75; Lava. 1824 21; Lava. 1824 21

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STRAWBERNIES COME FROM FLORIDA

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The orange market was very firm. The local supply was short, especially on sizes, and top prices were easily realized. A car of Eastern Oregon apples was added to the already large supply on the street.

The car of chilled bananas, which was sold by the railroad company Monday was bought by hawkers. When they found the margin between their offer and the nat thing but some delayed express lots came. In from California, Walla Walla spinach is arriving and brings \$1.25 per box. Local rhubarb has made its appearance.

LOCAL BUXING OF EGGS RESUMED.

Receipts Are Lighter and the Market Shows More Firmness.

For the first time since eggs breame plentiful, local buying has become a factor in the Front-street trade. Up to the present, the retailers have had applies of their ban and the jobbers were compelled to find an outside market, but now there is a city trade to take care of, and this, with the shipping inquiry, has caused a firm market. Receipts have also decreased.

The demand for chickens is not as keen as it was, due parity to the poor quality of most of the offerings. Small brollers and fryers seel well, but are not plentiful. There is some inquiry for ducks, but turkeys are neglected. The season for green is past.

A slight but steady increase is noted in receipts of butter and cream, but not cause special weakness. The urecent nrices was a special weakness to the special weakness to t

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO. Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—The following prices were quoted in the produce market yesterday:
FRUT—Apples, choice, \$2, common, \$1:
bananaa \$142.50; Mexican Ilmes, \$5.5026; California lemons, choice, \$4.00; common, \$1.75; oranges, navel, \$1@8; pineapples, \$3.65.

Dairy Produce in the East.

CHICAGO, March 19.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady.

Creameries, 22@25c; dairies, 20@57c. Eggs, Weetinghouse Eiec 500 150
firm; at mark, cases, included, 15 %c; firsts, 16c; prime firsts, 16 %c. Cheese, steady, 14%

\$15 %c.

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Great Northern 5,500 145 Dairy Produce in the East,

Stock Market Again Breaks Away From Control.

WEAKNESS PROVES ACUTE

Accounts Supposed to Be Strongly Held Are Liquidated, Giving Rise to Rumors of Finan-· cial Embarrassment.

NEW YORK, March 19.-Today's pervo tock market was regarded as a natural con sequence of the demoralization of last week acute than was expected and gave rise to fears at times that the market was breaking away from control again and ellipping back some strongly-held accounts, which are held they can be closed out to better advantage by waiting for the frightened selling of weakextent that they are subject to pressure by brokers or bankers or others concerned helping to carry them to be closed out at the yesterday following the reduction of the uncovered short account, adds to the weakness of these held-over bull accounts and to the

of these hesi-over hull accounts and to the urgency for closing them out.

The selling during the first hour today aroused the suspicion that a very large account of this kind was being forced to liquidation without regard to the ability of the market to absorb the heavy offerings. The identity of the account was not disclosed, but rumors of the account was not disclosed, but rumors became very explicit of an embarrassment.

A good deal of anxiety was expressed also over the money situation. It was somewhat remarkable that this anxiety was fossered by the persistent abstemtion of New York bankers from withdrawing gold from foreign markets. The seemingly beavy sacritices which are being made in the New York stock market for lack of credit facilities, which the ket for lack of credit facilities, which the foreign exchange markets indicate a power to secure, gives rise to the vague fear that something worse than the New York stock market condition is feared if demands for gold should be forced on foreign markets.

Cables were circulated in Wall street today that the Bank of France was lending gold to the Bank of England, that the English bank authorities had requested New York bankers to refrain from bidding for gold in the London market and that Berlin was liquidating securities in London on a large scale. At the same time money and discount rates were easier in London.

Money on call here showed further relaxato secure, gives rise to the vague fear

York exchange at Chicago indicated the pro-cess of remittance from that center to this. Treasury are showing gains to the banks. The orther liquidation in the stock market is a lief to the money market also, Another factor in the day's uneasiness came om the news, given out by prominent capi-

from the news, given out by prominent capi-talists in their new accessibility to newspapers. These intimations, though conveyed in vague form, were interpreted as evidence of rancar among different groups of capitalists. In-simuations that the stock market had been raided as a measure of reprisal by one group of capitalists having a grievance against an-other found a place in some of the quoted utterances published in Wall street news chan-nels. The unsettled market continued through-out and the closing was irregular, although at substantial recoveries from the lowest levels, substantial recoveries from the lowest levels. Bonds were weak. Total sales, par value, \$1,842,000, United States bonds were un-changed on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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1	Advance Management	Sales.	High.	Low.	Bid. 280
I	Adams Express	19,100	9314	8934	192.7
u	Amaigam Copper Am Car & Foundry	3,500	8714 97%		371 971
u			30%	30	301
ü	Am Cotton Oil do preferred		****	****	88
U	American Express	*****	*****	****	205
1	American Express Am H & L pfd American Ice	200	80	7734	795
Н	Am Linseed Ollers	diam'r.	122225	32372	121
Н	Am Locomotive do preferred	1,700	6416	651/2	64
Н	do preferred	445022	157	DEC	106
ı	Am Smelt & Refng	800	123	115%	121
q	Am Sugar Refin	400	122		1911
П	Anaconda Min Co	31.300	92	5934	90 623
Н	Am Smelt & Refng do preferred	56,660	91%	90% 50% 80%	914
11	Atlantic Count Line	1.000	104	101	1013
1	Balt & Ohio	26,000	99%	1042.04	985
U	do preferred	100	8814	8814 5114	
Ÿ.	Canadian Pacific.	13,600	17136	169	177
П	Central of N J	4.400	2117	40%	180
	Chi & Alton pfd	4,400	9179	57	44.7
ı	Chi Gt West	1,200	14	57 13%	14
ı	C M & St P	20,900	134%	147%	1333
ì	Chi Ter & Trans	*****		****	5
9	C C C & St Louis.	*****	****	*****	785
	Col Fuel & Iron	10,900	31	3314	35
ı	Col & Southern	1,100	2714		217
S	do 2d preferred	900	47% 118	4814	481
1	Consolidated Gas	1,700	118	116	1105
	do preferred	3,300	2016 2016	1914	833
1	Del & Hudson	4,100	8314 18214	175	178
	Del Lack & West.	1 000	2015	29	291
9	do preferred	300	3044 78	7234	73
u	Distillers' Secur	8,500	7014	2814	693
H	Am Sugar Refin. Am Tob pfd certif Anacconda Min Co. Atchlson do preferred. Atlantic Coast Line Balt & Ohio. do preferred. Brooklyn Rap Tran Canadian Pacific. Central of N J. Ches & Ohio. Chi & Alton pfd. Chi & Alton pfd. Chi & Northwest. C M & St P. Chi Ter & Trans. do preferred. C C C & St Louis. Col Fuel & Iron. Col & Southern. do lat preferred. do 2d preferred. do 2d preferred. Det & Hudson. Det & Hudson. Det & Hudson. Det & R G. do preferred. Det & Bouthlern. Det Lack & West. Det & Go preferred. Det & Hudson. Det Lack & West. Det R G. do preferred. Distillers' Secur. Erie	22,900	29%	28 lg 84 lg	641
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	Iowa Central	******	34% 22% 53	704	151
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3	Mexican Central	4,900	2116 5216	2034	118
9	Minn & St Louis.	400	5214	501/4	52
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	do preferred National Lead Nat R R of M pfd New York Central. N Y Cnt & West Norfolk & Western	600	11814	3514	283
1	Norfolk & Western	1,100		75%	77
	North American	1,900	78%	7216	73
8	do preferred North American Pacific Mail Pennsylvania Pennsylvania	67,600	2614	12012	1221
	People's Gas	3,400	88%		11.004
1	Pitts C C & St L.	700	70%	70%	70 973
	Pullman Palace Car		*****	*****	160
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4	do 2d preferred	100	200		84
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	do preferred	600	47	46	46
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	Southern Pacific do preferred	40,100	8114	77.416	304
1	Southern Railway	1,400	9942	2011/4	201
	do proferred	600	74	.14	72
н	Tenn Coal & Iron Texas & Pacific	900	28	2734	271
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	do preferred	100	87	ST	50.00
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	do preferred	-19.R00	10034	98	591
١	Vir Car Chemical do preferred			29	104
	White production of the same	-			7.4

BONDS. NEW YORK, March 19.-Closing quota U. S. ref. 2s reg.105 D. & R. G. 4s. . 9445 do coupon . 10545 N. Y. C. G. 3458 8146 U. S. ds reg. 10345 North Pac. 3s. 70 do coupon . 10345 North Pac. 4s. 10046 T. S. new 4s reg.130 do coupon . 130 Union Pac. 4s. . 88 U. S. old 4s reg.100 Wis. Cen. 4s. . 88 U. S. old 4s reg.100 Wis. Cen. 4s. . 88 Atchison adj. 4s 92 Jap. 45s cfts. . 88 % Stocks at London

NEW YORK, March 19.-Closing quoti tions:

Anaconda 13 N. T. Central. 123
Atchinon 94% Nor. & West. 20
do pfd. 100
B. & O. 101
Can. Pac. 177% Pennsylvania 63%
Chie. 6. W. 14% Beading 54
C. M. & St. P. 141
D. & R. G. 31
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Mosey, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, March 10.—Money on call easier, 4% 84% per cent: ruling rate, 4; closing bid, 3%; offered at 4 per cent. Time loans, easier; 60 days, 68% per cent; 70 days, 6 per cent; 81x months, 6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 606% per cent. Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' hills at \$4831064.8315 for demand and at \$4.7865.04.870 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, \$4.80.84.80% and \$4.84% \$4.85; commercial bills, \$4.78%.

Bar silver, 66% c.

Mexican dollars, 51% c.

Government bonds, steady, raliroad bonds, Money, Exchange, Etc. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, LONDON, March 19 .- Bar silver, steady

Id per ounce.

Money, 3% 64% per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market or short bills is 5@5% per cent; do three nouths' bills, 5@5% per cent. SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.-Silver bars,

66% c. Mexican dollars, 52c. Drafts, sight, 5c; do telegraph, 10c. Daily Treasury Statement. 

PORTLAND STOCK EXCHANGE.

Lee's Creek Gold and Lee Company Both An advance to 69 was recorded in the J. C. Lee Company on a sale of two shares. Lee's Creek Gold was also higher at 2%, with a sale of 2000 shares at that price. Alsaka Petroleum dropped back a quarter from the last sale, while Washougal gained % of a point. Denny Dulin was steady at 10 and Associated Oil sold at 45%, as against 44 on Monday. Official quotations were as follows: Asked

Bank Stocks—Bid.
Bank of California. 305
Bankers & Lumbermen's. 102
Merchants' National Oregon Trust & Savings ... 120
Portland Trust Company
United States National ... 200
LISTED SECURITIES.
Bonds-American Biscuit Co. 6s. . . 9
City & Suburban 4s.
Columbia Southern Irr'n 6s.
Home Telephone 5s. 109 92 60 85 100 100 5 103 5 100 99 Miscellaneous Stocks-ssociated Oil ......

Puget Sound Telephone ..... UNLISTED STOCKS Coeur d'Alene District-

Bullion
Copper King
O. K. Consolidated
Happy Day
Park Copper
Snowshoe
Snowstorm
2 AALES SALES.

10 Associated Cil .....

LONDON, March 19.—Consols for money.

\$5%; do for account, \$5%.

Adams Con. \$ 15 Little Chief. \$ .06

Alice \$ .00 Ontario 5.73

Breece \$ .25 Ophir 2.20

Constock Tun. 28.Potos! .00

Con. Cal. & Va. 1.09 Savage .71

Horn Silver 1.55 Fierra Newada. .98

Itpn Silver 2.25 Small Hopes .35

Leadville Con. .05 Standard 2.50

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Wheat Increased, Bushels.

United States, east of Rockies 138,000

Canada 174,000

Total United States and Canada 1,163,000

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

The following prices were quoted in the local market yesterday:
CATTILE—Best steers, \$4.50@4.75; medium, \$4.94.25; cows. \$3.50@3.75; fair to medium cows. \$3.00.25; bulls. \$1.50.02. calves. \$4.50.05.
SHEEP—Best, \$6.00.25.
HOGS—Best, \$7.25.07.50; lightweights, \$7.25; stockers and feeders, \$6.75.07.25.

Eastern Livestock Markets. Eastern Livestock Markets.

CHICAGO, March 10.—Cattle-Receipts, 4500; steady. Beeves, \$4.106.6.90; stockers and feeders, \$2.80@4.85; cows, \$1.70@4.90; helfers, \$2.65@5; calves, \$5.67.25.

Hogs—Receipts today, 17,000; strong to 5c higher. Good to choice heavy, \$6.70@6.80; mixed and butchers, \$6.50@6.75; heavy, \$6.40@6.72%; rough heavy, \$6.40@6.55; light, \$6.50@6.80; pigs, \$6@6.85.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; strong, Sheep, \$4@6.23; yearlings, \$6@6.15; lambs, \$6@8.

SOUTH OMAHA, March 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 6900; market, steady to stronger. Native steers, \$495.50; cows and heifers, \$2.50 g4.75; Western steers, \$2.25@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$3@5; calves, \$3@6.50; bulls,

Stags, etc., \$2.75@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market, steady.

Heavy, \$6.471%@6.50; mixed, \$6.45@6.47%;
light, \$6.45@6.50; pigs. \$5.75@6.40.

Sucep—Receipts, \$600; market, steady to lower. Yearlings, \$5.80@6.90; wethers, \$5.40.

@6; lambs, \$7@7.75. KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 19,-Cattle Receipts, 11,000; market, steady. Native steers, \$4.50@\$.35; stockers and feeders, \$1.70@5.25; Western fed cows, \$3@4.50; Western fed steers, \$4@5.35; bulls, \$3@4.25; calves, \$3.25@7.

calves, \$8.200 c.

Hogs-Receipts, 16,000; market, 5c higher. Heavy, \$6.000 6.02 ; packers, \$6.55 @
6.02 ; pigs and lights, \$5.50 @ 6.02 %. Sheep-Receipts, 8000; market, steady. Mutton, \$5@6; lambs, \$7.25@7.85; range wethers, \$5.50@6.75; fed ewes, \$5@5.75.

Your health depends upon the condition of your blood. Keep it pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparills.

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17% 39 123% 99% 94% 135%

Derives It's Strength From the Advance in Coarse Grains.

NEWS GENERALLY BULLISH

Oats Jump on an Urgent Demand by Bull Leaders-Aggressive Buying Lifts Corn Prices.

CHICAGO, March 12.—May wheat closed 14 % %c higher; corn, %c higher, and oats 1%c higher. Provisions were 12 %c to 15c

ower.

Wheat manifested a moderate degree reakness at the opening on selling by Wheat manifested a moderate degree of weakness at the opening on selling by pit traders and liberal receipts. Before the end of the first hour, however, the market had regained all of the early loss and sentiment became more bullish. While numerous damage reports were received, there were also many advices that the Fall sown crop is generally in good condition. The market derived its strength chiefly from the advance in the price of corn and oats. May wheat opened the to the lower at 75% is wheat opened %c to %c lower at 75% @ 75%c, advanced to 780 and closed at 75% @

75%c, advanced to 75c and closed at 75% © 75c.

Aggressive buying, due to the fear that the crop movement will soon decrease, caused decided strength in the corn market. May corn opened unchanged to %c higher at 45% %45%c, advanced to 46%46%c and closed at the top.

May oats advanced more than a cent because of an urgent demand by bull leaders. The more distant futures, however, were inclined to drag because of reports that seeding has been started in portions of Illinois under favorable conditions. An advance of %c to lc in the price of cash grain strengthened the options. May opened %c to %c higher at 40%c to 40%c, advanced to 41%c and closed there.

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Provisions were firm early in the day because of a 5c advance in the price of live hogs. The hog market weakened fater and provisions also declined. At the close, May pork was off 12% c, lard was down 12% and ribs were 12% \$15c lower.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

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May	Open. .75% .78 .77%	\$ .76 .774 .78%	\$ .75% .76% .77%	\$ .76 .7714 .7814
	CC	DRN.		
May July September	.45% .45% .46%	.46% .46%	-4516 -4515 -4616	-46% -46% -46%
	0.	ATS.		
May	-3276	.41% .37% .32% PORK.	.401/ <sub>4</sub> .361/ <sub>4</sub> .32%	.41% .37% .32%
May	15.85	15,9715	15.70 15.85	15.721/2 15.90
	L	ARD.		
May July September	9.221/2	9.271/2	9.1212	9.00 9.12%
		T RIBS.		
May July September	8.82½ 8.95 8.97¾	8.8716 8.9716 9.0216	8.7215 8.8215 8.8712	8.75 8.8214 8.8714
Cash quotation Flour-Quiet Wheat-No.				3, 739
82%c; No. 2 r Corn-No. 2	ed, 721	974c.		
45 %c. Oats-No. 2, white, 46 45 642		50. 2 wh	ite, 42%	n; No. 3

Rye-No. 2, 65c. riey-Fair to choice malting, 64670c exseed-No. 1, \$1.16; No. 1 Northwes

nothy seed-Prime, \$4.50. Clover-Contract grades, \$14.75.

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Short ribs—Sides (locse), \$8.5598.70.

Mess pork—Fer barrel, \$15.85915.90.

Lard—Per 100 %, \$8.87%.

Sides—Short olear (boxed), \$8.8714.99.25.

Whisky—Basis of high wines, \$1.29.

Plour, barrels 42.700 20.

Wheat, bushels 25,000 35.

Cora, bushels 534.000 212.

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Eye, bushels 11,000 10.

Barley, bushels 110,600 60. Grain and Produce at New York.

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NEW YORK, March 1B.—Flour—Receipts,
26,400; exports, 12,400; dull but steady.

Wheat—Receipts, 52,000. Spot, firm. No.
2 red, S2½c; elevator, S2½c f o. b. afloat; No.
1, Northern Duluth, 61½c f. o. b. afloat; No.
2 hard Winter, S5c f. o. b. afloat, Except for
weakness at the start on bearish weather and crop news, wheat was quite firm all day, and closed 15c not higher. Its controlling influence was the strength of coarse grains, to-

European Grain Markets. LIVERPOOL, March 19.—In the grain market today prices closed as follows: Whest—Spot, steady: No. 2 red Western Winter, 6s. Futures—March, 6s 4 ½ d; May, Wheat—Spot, Steaty; No. Wheat—Spot, St. 442d; May, St. 4%d; July, St. 24d. Pacific Coast cargos, prompt shipment, 30s 6d ⊕30s pd. The weather today in England was windy.

Minneapolis Wheat Market. MINNEAPOLIS, March 19.—Wheat, May, 17% \$77%c; July, 79%c; September, 78% \$75%c; No. 1 hard, 80% \$80%c; No. 1 Northern, 79% \$79%c; No. 2 Northern, 79% \$77%c; No. 2 Northern, 77% \$77%c; No. 3 Northern, 74%76c.

Wheat at Tacoms. TACOMA, Wash., March 19.—Wheat, unchanged. Bluestem, 73@74c; club, 71@72c; red, 69@70c.

Boston Wool Market. BOSTON, March 19.—The wool market is fairly active and firm. Quotations: California, scoured basis, Northern choice, 67868c; Northern, good, 66867c; Middle County, 65866c; Southern, 66867c; Fall

Dried Fruit at New York.

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NEW YORK, March 19.—Evaporated apples—Dull; fancy, \$1498%; c; choice, \$14c; prime, 61497%; c.

Prunes—Oregon, 10c, Apricots—Choice, 18c; extra choice, 1849 19c; fancy, 19620c.
Peaches—Quiet.
Raisins—Loose, Muscatel, \$690; seeded, 7468 11c; London layers, \$1.3581.45.

Coffee and Sugar.

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NEW YORK, March 19.—Coffee futures closed etcady, net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales, 17,000 bags, including March, 5.90c; May, 5.0065-80c; July, 5.75c; September, 5.75c; December, 5.75c; Sugar, 7.80c. Spot coffee, quiet; No. 7 Bio, 74c; Santos No. 4. Sigo Mild coffee, dull: Cordova, 99121/c. Sugar, Raw, firm; fair refining, 3c; contrifugal, 96 test, 3/4c; molesses augar, 2%c. Refined, steady; No. 6, 4.20; No. 7, 52.25; No. 8, 54.20; No. 9, \$4.15; No. 10, \$4.65; No. 11, 34; No. 12, \$5.5c; No. 15, \$1.20; No. 14.

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\$3.85; ex-confectioners' A, \$4.50; mould A \$5.05; cutlonf, \$5.40; crushed, \$5.40; pow-dered, \$4.80.

Motal Markets.

LONDON, March 18.—There was a very bad break in the London tin market with spot closing at f188 and futures at f186. Locally the market was weak in sympathy and closed at 41941.30c.

Copper was lower in London, except spot closing at f105 10s and futures at f106 5s. Locally, however, the market was quiet and unchanged.

Lead was unchanged at 698.30c in the local market and declined to f19 13s 9d in London.

London.

Spelter was 126 5s in the London market and unchanged at 6.80 68.20 locally.

Iron was lower in the English market, standard foundry quoted at 53s 36. Cleveland warrants, 54s. Locally the market was unchanged.

Light Salmon Catch in Gray's Harbor, ABERDEEN, Wash. March 19.—(Special.)—
The Winter fishing season on Gray's Harbor has closed and there will be no more fishing until August 15. The season opens again April 15, but there are no Spring fish in Gray's Harbor, and fishing operations on an extensive scale will not be resumed until August. Dealers report that the supply of steelheads has been poor during the Winter season. Not more than half as many steelheads were taken as in previous years. As a result of this shortage, flahermen peccived a result of this shortage, fishermen peceived as high as 7½ cents a pound.

London Wool Sales LONDON, March 19.—The offerings at the vool suction sales today amounted to 14,324 bales. The selection was varied and all de scriptions were firm and in sellers' favor Scours sold briskly, lambs being in strong de-mand. Home traders bought most of the crossbreds offered.

New York Cotton Market NEW YORK, March 19.—Cotton futures closed steady at a not decline of 146 18 points, March, 9.47c; August, 9.59c; May and June, 8.44c; July, 9.47c; August, 9.59c; September, 9.55c; October, 9.75c; November, 9.79c; December, 9.55c; January, 19.04c.

Wool at St. Louis. ST. LOUIS, March 19.—Wool, steady, Medium grades combing and clothing, 24@28c; light fine, 20@23c; heavy fine, 16@18c; tub washed, 30@28c.

LOSSES OF EXCLUSIVE SETS

People of the "400' Lose Half the Joys of Living.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Professor Charles Zueblin, of the University of Chicago, yesterday told the members of the League of Religious Fellowship that one cannot belong to the "four hundred" without losing half the joy of living. He said it is impossible for the individual to become a member of any exclusive set without finding himself a loser when, in the end, he takes account of his assets.

"They don't get anything out of life," said Professor Zueblin.

"Their perspective is narrow; they have "Their perspective is narrow; they have only a small circle of friends, and they are constantly meeting the same faces. They intermarry and intermarry with the

set do so because they are afraid to know people in the other classes.

"They feel the insecurity of their posi-tions in their own class, and hence are afraid of iosing their position if they as-sociate with people outside of their class," he said. "The really big people are never afraid of losing anything by mingling with all classes. One can measure the

real stature of a woman by her interests."
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rolessor Zueolin declared that one of the social needs of the hour is a greater approach to economic equality. He urged that this economic equality should ex-tend to the family. "The wife who is economically inde-pendent," he said, "is the more respected by her husband."

CLEW TO KIDNAPED BOY Mysterious Stranger in Erie Raise

Hope Marvin Is Found. ERIE, Pa., March 18.—The police authorities admitted today that the 4-year-old son of Dr. Marvin, who disappeared March 4, from Dover, Del., was in this city or vicinity, but refused to give any further information.

An unidentified passenger alighted from the Buffale Express here today and imputibility want to police headquarters.

mediately went to police headquarters, where he was closeted several hours with Captain Detzel. Nothing could be learned of the nature of the conference, but it was said that the stranger was sent here from Buffalo to ascertain the acts of the received.

67@\$Sc; Northera, good, 66@\$7c; Middle
County, 65@\$6c; Seuthern, 65@\$6rc; Fall
free, 37@\$Sc.
Oregon, scoured basis, Eastern No. 1 staple, 72@\$73c; Eastern No. 1 clothing, 68@\$70c
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Colorado and New Mexico, Spring scoured.

A, 68@70c; No. 1, 63@65c.

Father Hardly Dares Hope

with private detectives regarding the in-formation received from Erie, Pa., that the missing boy may be in that city. Dr. Marvin said today: "I have been dis-appointed so much that I do not know what to say about the Erie informa-tion. It may turn out another disappoint-ment. I have to guard language to the newspapers, although I realize that the press of the country is doing more for me than any other agency."

shot four times last wight by his son Oscar, aged 18. The lay is under arrest. He is said to have only recently learned that his own mother died at his birth and that the present wife of Dr. Weins-berg is his stepmother. This caused estrangement and culminated in the shooting.

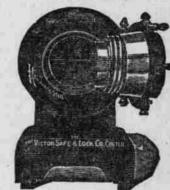
Book to Cost \$125 a Copy.

LONDON, March 19.-The Hon, Lionel Walter Rothschild is soon to bring out one of the costllest books on record. It will be issued by the Hutchinsons. The book deals with extinct birds. The au-thor, whose private natural history museum at Tring Park, Hertfordshire, is world-famous, has spent about \$100,009 upon the book, and the Hutchinsons have spent more than \$5000 for engraving blocks alone. Mr. Rothschild wishes the work to endure for all the time, being of the belief that the subject will never be taken up again. The firm of publishers have been experimenting to obtain an imperishable paper.

It is said Hutchinsons have now suc-

ceeded practically in this. The paper costs but 36 cents a pound. Only 300 copies of the English edition of the work will be printed. The price will be \$125 a copy. Foreign editions will be printed later.

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