Shearing Will Be General Next Week, Weather Permitting.

DATE OF SODAVILLE SALE

Eastern Manufacturers Do Not Write Encouragingly of the Outlook, but Traders Look for Improvement-London Hop Market.

have fixed upon April 20 as the day on which they will sell their need of mohair. As the Seis pool sale has already been scheduled for the same date, it would be more satisfactory to the mohair buyers if the Sodaville people would effect some other

received yesterday. This was probably shorn before the recent state. Reports from the country yesterday were that shearing had been resumed in some of the sections and the weather continges favorable, shear-

ing will be general in the coming week.

Frivate letters received from Eastern
manufacturers offer no encouragement for
better prices. Some of the largest mills are running on half time and are still heavily stocked with the manufactured article, for which the domaid is unastisfactory. The latest issue of the Boston Commercial Bui-

dealer has brightsned up a little during the part week, insemuch as samples of the new clip are beginning to arrive and the human breast is feeling a few of the eternal springs of hope that husiness may be better soon. It is said that the new samples of the Texas Spring clip are showing up remarkably well, and dealers feel that they ught to command buyers' attention very been confined to a few bags, but there are reports that certain consumers are looking for bargains in sizable lots, but their offers for bargains have been too low to close any

advices, remains in about the same position as in the past two months demand for fine hairs continuing good. Boston quotations follow: Domestic: Combing, 28@51c; cardfollow: Domestic Comming. 2-years ing. choice. 24@27c: carding. average. 20 @20c; inferior. 15@20c: tops. 40c; noils. first combings. 16@18c; noils. second combings. 19@21c. Foreign: Turkey, extrac. 32@21c. c; Turkey, fair average, 45@50c; Cape ste, 30@44c; Cape seconds, 37@38c.

Result of the Sharp Drop in Coarse Grades at London Auction.

In accordance with the pace set at London, where coarse wools declined sharply at the auction, local woolbuyers have returned their prices on Valley wool to 169 is centic according to quality. A rather restriction of the course of the second essimistic view of the future of the wool arket is taken by dealers, who insist that flors will have to come down considerably their ideas this year.

Advices received from Arizona, where the mying movement is usually in full blast at ils time of year with more or less spirited idding, are that only three buyers were the field, and as a result practically all a clip will be sent East on consignment. A mail report from Boston notes a dull

arket for Oregon wools. No sales of grease ools, staple or clothing were made public, to staple is about cleaned up and is nom-al. A sale of 8500 pounds choice XXXX oured is reported at 64%c. Such wool as bringing Toe last Fall. In territories, business of the week was confined to nail lots, mostly clothing and fine meum, at about the same range of price provailed in the previous weak. Good as provailed in the previous week. Good one sold on the secured basis of 60c and down to 85c, Sales of 200,000 pounds at it to 1752c, to cost 38 to 60, and of 75,000 pounds of Wyoming fine medium at 18c, also ada and Montana wools are bringing 60c scoured more readily than previously small line of half-blood staple sold at 22c, the scoured basis being figured at 65c.

ENGLISH HOP TRADE IS DEPRESSED Year of Licensing Legislation Drives Brewers Out of Market.

The English hep trade is beginning to ceel the effect of the proposed saloon re-form legislation, and the same uncertainty makes there as in this country, where the irohibition agitation has had such a depresing effect on the hop market. One of the argust London hop firms, Cattley, Gridley &

There is but a small trade doing on the market, and the growing interest and opposition to the proposed legislation is engaging much of the attention of all converted in the trade Preparations are being made to haid meetings of protest and intignation, it is recognized that the hopogrowing industry is so severely depressed that even His Majesty's government has granted a commission of inquiry, but the proposed legislation, on the other hand, will turther depress the industry by crippling the demand. Fureign markets are unattered. with sufficient home trade to fairly main-

Weekly circulars of the English hop trade

arket. The government's proposed new enemy legislation is responsible for still and consumers with the uncertainty of their position before them recuse to add to their docus.-Wud. Neame & Co., London.

nents, but there is no speculation. The draslicensing bill is forcing browers to hold eir hands and buy only from hand to

mouth —W. H. & H. Le May, London. Business is aimost restricted to small cales of medium qualities out of merchants' stocks at about late rates. Inferior lots are neglected, and holders, although willing to accept bids which do not return cost of production, find their hops very difficult to dispose of .- J. H. Meredith & Co., Wor-

LOCAL EGG QUOTATIONS ARE SHADED

Business Done Between Desicrs on the Basis of 14½ Cents.

The egg market is evidently getting ready for another decline. While several quotations were unchanged at 15 to 16 cents, the latter for single cases and the former for large lots, several transactions between desicrs were reported on a basis of 14½ cents. Predictions are freely made that the market will go as low as 12½ cents before it recovers.

though no lower.

A very active trade is going on in the butter line and there is no accumulation of city or country creamery. An increase in the production is looked for from now on.

FIRST PLORIN STRAWBERRIES ARRIVE

The first Florin strawberries of the season ame in yesterday, a week and a half carlier em and they sold at \$6.75 per crate, or 45

cents a pound Advices from Florin are of a big herry crop this year. Two cars of or-anges arrived and met with the usual strong temand. The street is well stocked with apples, but they more slowly owing to the neressing supply of rhubarb and other such articles that cut into the fruit demand.

Another car of celery was received yester-

lay and a car of mixed vegetables is due today. Small truck was rather scarce on the street and firm prious prevailed here and

SUGAR MARKET IS VERY STRONG. Local Trade Would Not Be Surprised to Receive Word of Advance. The sugar market in the East exhibits decided strength, and prices were advanced

decided strength, and prices were ndvanced there 20 points yesterday.

The Coast position is likewise strong and under normal conditions values would have gone up some time ago. Complications between the California and Hawaiian sugar interests, however, keep the Coast markets unsettled and consequently they are not sympathetically affected by conditions in the East. Still the local jobbers would not be surprised to receive amounteement any day of an advance.

Cheup Eggs in the East,

CHICAGO, March 19 - The markets of the country, and particularly Chicago, have been flooded during the last few weeks with eggs-strictly fresh-and at prices that seem fabulously cheap in comparison with the enorbitant charges of a whort time ago. Eggs are coming into Chicago daily at the rate of about 50 carleads, which means 600,000 dozen, or 7,200,000 eggs. Strictly fresh eggs are selling wholesale at about 15 cents, the lowest price in five years. At retail the same grade of eggs should be obtained at not more than 20 cents.

Wheat Market Is Firmer.

The wheat market showed a firmer tone yeaterday and some of the buyers advanced their quotations a cent. This rise, however, like the recent drop, had no effect whatever on holders. Added to the foreign im-provement was a better demand from Call-fornia, said to be due largely to the coastwise steamer strike.

Clearings of the Northwestern cities yes

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

FLOUR—Patent, \$4.80; straight, \$4.00; clears, \$4; Valley, \$4.45; graham flour, \$4.45.5; whole wheat flour, \$4.75.5.50.

WHEAT—Club. \$2.98.c; bluestem. \$4.98.c; Valley, \$2.98.c; cd. 80.88.c.

BARLEY—Feed, \$2.9 per ton; rolled, \$28.60 per tor.

© 30 per tor.
MILLSTUFFS—Bran, city, \$28; country,
\$27 per ton; middlings, \$30; shorts, city,
\$27; counkry, \$28 per ton; chop, \$20 ⊕ 25 per

STT: country, \$28 per ton; chop, \$20@25 per ton.

OATS-No. 1 white. 27@28 per ton.

CEREAL FOODS-Holled oats, cream, \$9point sacks, per barrel. \$7; lower grades,
\$3.50@450; oatsmeal, steel-cut. \$3-pound
sacks, \$8 per barrel; p-th sacks, \$4.25 per
balt; split peas, par 100 pounds, \$4.25 ger
balt; pelit peas, par 100 pounds, \$4.25 ger
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flour, 10-pound sacks, \$2.75 per bale; flaked
wheat, \$2.75 per case.

CORN-Whole, \$32.200; cracked, \$33.50.

HAY-Valley timothy, No. 1, \$17 ton;
Essiers Oregon timothy, \$10@20, clover,
\$14.300; cheat, \$15; grain hay, \$14.315;
sifalfa, 12.813.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc. DOMESTIC FRUITS-Strawberries, \$6.75 per crate; apples, \$1.25@2.50 per box, ac-cording to quality; crauberries, \$8@11 per FRESH VEGETABLES-Artichokes, 739 FRESH VEGETABLES—Artichokes, 73@ 90c per dozen; asparagus, 15@16c pound; heans, 20c per pound; cabbage, 14@14c per pound; cauliflower, \$2; celery, \$4.50 per crate; egsplant, 20c per pound; lettuce, head, 60c per dozen; hethouse, \$1.00@1.25 per box; parsiey, 20c per dozen; peppers, 174c per pound; radishes, 30c per dozen; rhubarh 8c per pound, spinach, 5c per pound; sprouts, 10c per pound; squash, 1@14c per pound; tomatos, crates 66 haskets), \$5.00.50; Mexican, crates, \$4. crates (6 baskets), \$5.90.50; Mexican, crates, \$3.50. TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, \$2.50.93.50 per box; oranges, navels, \$1.75.92.25; grapefruit, \$3.50; bannas, 5.98.50; per bb. crated, 5.5c; pineapples, \$4.95.50 per dozen; tangerines, \$1.50 per box.

ROOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, 75c per sack; carrots, 65e per sack; beets, \$1.00 per sack; carrots, 65e per sack; beets, \$1.00 per sack; carrots, 65e per sack; beets, \$1.00 per sack; carrots, 65e per sack; carrots, 65e per sack; beets, \$1.00 per sack; beets, \$1.00

\$3.50.

POTATOES—Buying price, 40@85c per hundred, delivered Portland; sweet potations, \$4 per hundred

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, 10c per pound; penches, 11@12%c; prunes, Italian, 5@6%c; prunes, French, 3@5c; currants unwashed, cases, \$2c; currants, washed, cases, 10c; figs, white, fancy, 50-pound boxes, 6%c.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc. BUTTER-Cly creameries: Extra creameries, fancy and per pound; state creameries, fancy butter, choice, creameries: Extra creamcreameries, 25@30c; store butter, choice, 16@17c ery, 30c per

16-17c CHEESE—Oregon full cream twins, 15c: Young: America, 16-16-16-1c per pound.
FOULTRY—Average old heus, 14-15-15c; mixed chickens, 12-2-15c; Spring chickens, 16-20c; turkeys, live, 15-5-17c; dressed, choice, 16-12-1c; geese, live, per pound, Splic; ducks, 16-2-17c; pigeons, 75-6-8-1; squabs, 51-50-82. s. \$1,50 m 2.

squabs, \$1.50 22.
EGGS-Fresh ranch. 15 2 18c per dozen.
VEAL-75 to 125 pounds, \$69c; 125 to
150 pounds, 7c; 150 to 200 pounds, \$606c.
FORK-Block, 75 to 150 pounds, 7575c;
packers, \$665c.

Rops, Wool, Hides, Etc. HOPS-1907, prime and choice, 485%c er pound; olds, 1822 per pound. WOOL-Eastern Oregon, average best, 12 like per pound, according to shrinkage; aller, 16818c, according to quality. McHAIR-thoice, 25c per pound.

Valler, 16818c, according to quality.

MJHAIR-Choice, 25c per pennd.
CASCARA BARK-323%c per pound.
HIDES-Dry, 12818c; dry caif, No. 1.
under 5 lbs., 14818c; culls. 2c per lb. less: saited hides, 586c; saited caif, 9c; green (unsaited), ic per lb. less; culls, 1c per lb. less; sheep skins, shearlings, No. 1 butchers stock, each, 25830c; short wool, No. 1 butchers stock, each, 50866c; medium wool, No. 1 butchers stock, each, 75c 68100, long wool, No. 1 butchers stock, each, 51256130; horse hides, saited, each, 61256130; horse hides, saited, each, according to size, \$2.00230; dry, according to size, \$2.00230; dry, according to size, \$2.00230; dry, according to size, \$2.00210; coits hides, each, 25630c; goat skins, common, each, 15625c; Angoras, with woor on, each, 1000 \$150.

15.23c: Angoras, with wool on, each, 20c \$1.50.

FURS—For No. 1 skins: Bear skins, as to size. No. 1. each, \$5.00@10.00; cubs, each, \$1.93; badger, prime, each, 25.950c; cat, wild, with head perfect, 20@30c; house, 5.920c; fox, common gray, large prime, each, \$6.930c red, each, \$2.93; cross, each, \$3.915; sliver and black, each, \$1.00@300; fishers, each, \$3.95; lynx, each, \$4.50@5; 00; mink, siricity No. 1, each, according to size, \$16.3; marten, dark northern, according to size, \$16.3; marten, dark northern, according to size and color, each, \$1.00.25; marten, pale, according to size and color, each, \$1.50.98; muskrat, large, each, 12.92 lic; skinsk each, 20.980c; civet or polecat, each, \$8.910, panther, with head and claws perfect, each, \$2.93 raccoon, for prime skin, each, \$6.910c; other, for large, prime skin, each, \$6.910c; other, you'll meuntain, with head perfect, each, \$2.93 raccoon, for prime large, each, 50.975c; wolf, meuntain, with head perfect, each, \$2.93 raccoon, for prime large, each, 50.975c; wolf, meuntain, with head perfect, each, \$2.93 raccoon, for prime large, each, 50.975c; wolf, meuntain, with head perfect, each, \$2.93 raccoon, for prime large, each, 50.975c; wolf, meuntain, with head perfect, each, \$2.93 raccoon, for prime large, each, 50.975c; wolf, meuntain, with head perfect, each, \$2.90.500; prairie (coyote), 60.0851.00; wolverine, each, \$6.00.

red. 1-jound talls. \$1.45; sockeyes. 1-pound talls. \$2.

SUGAR—Granulated. \$5.03; extra C. \$5.18; solden C. \$5.05; fruit sugar. \$5.65; berry. \$5.65; heet sugar. \$5.65; cube Charrels). \$6.05; powdered (barrels). \$5.06. Terms: On remittances within 15 days deduct he per pound; if later than 15 days deduct he per pound; if later than 15 days and within 30 days. deduct he per pound; Mapis sugar. 15@18c per pound.

NUTS—Walmuts. 16% 618c per pound by rack: Farmin nuts. 16% 618c; per ans. 16c; almonds. 16% 618c; chestnuts. Ohin, 25c; peanuts. raw. 64.28 he per pound; rossied. 10c; chestnuts. 10.212c; bickory nuts. 10c; coccannts. 55.290c per decen. SALT—Granulated. \$15 per ton; \$2.25 per bale; half ground. 100s. \$12.50 per ton; 50s. \$14 per ton.

BEANS—Small white. 44c; large white 44c; pink, 4c; baryon 4c; Lima 6c; Mexican red. 5 hc.

HONEY—Fanoy. \$2.50@2.75 per box.

Provisions and Canned Meats.

standard breakfast. 19 mc; choice. 18 mc;
English. 11 to 14 pounds. 14c pound.
HAMS—10 to 11 pounds. 12c; links, 7%c.
BARRELLED GOODS—Pork. barreis. \$20;
ball-barreis. \$11, becf. barreis. \$10; half-barreis. \$5.50.

DRY SALT CURED—Regular short clears
dry salt. 10c; smoked. 11c; clear backs.
dry salt. 10c; smoked. 11c; clear backs

Coal Oil and Gasoline.

REFINED OILS—Water white from barrels, He: wood barrels, 15c. Paurl ell.
cases, 18%c; Head light, from barrels, 12%c; cases, 18%c; Wood barrels, 16%c. Econe.
cases, 21%c. Special W. W. from barrels, 14%c; wood barrels, 18%c. Elains, cases, 25c. Extra star, cases, 21%c.
GASOLINE—V. M. and P. Naphtha, from barrels, 12%c; cases, 18%c. Red Crown gasoline, from barrels, 16%c; cases, 23%c. Motor gasoline, from barrels, 16%c; cases, 23%c. No. 1 engine distillate, from barrels, 10c; cases, 17%c.

No. 1 engine distillate, from barrels, 10c; cases, 17c.

Fresh Fish and Shell Fish, Fresh Fish and Shell Fish,
FRESH FISH—Hallbut, 6c; black cod, 8c;
black bass, per pound, 20c; striped bass, 12c;
smelt, 5c; herring, 5 %c; flounders, 8c; catfish, 11c; shrimp, 10c; persh, 7c; sturgeon,
12 %c; sea trout, 18c; tom cod, 10c; salmon,
silversides, 9c; stoetheads, 11c; chinook, 12c,
CLAMS—Little neck, \$2.50 per box; ranor
clams, 82 per box

OYSTERS—Shoalwater Bay, per gallon,
\$2.23; per sack, \$4.5c; Toke Point, \$1.60 per
100; Olympias (130 ibs.), \$6; Olympias, per
gallon, \$2.25.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The market for coffee futures closed steady, net unchanged to 5 phints lower. Sales were reported of 21,560 bags, including March at \$1569.50c; May, 5.55c; July, 5.90c; October, 6c; December, 6.00c, and February, 6.10c. Spot, steady, Rio, No. 7, 6%c; Santog, No. 4, 8%c, Mild, quiet. Cordova, 10% \$13%c.

Sugar—Raw, strong, Fair refining, 8,62% \$3.75c; centifugal, 96 test, 4.12%64.25c; molames sugar, 2.37%93.00c, Refined, firm, No. 6, 4.80c; No. 7, 4.75c; No. 8, 4.70c; No. 9, 4.65c; No. 10, 4.50c; No. 11, 4.60c; No. 12, 4.45c; No. 13, 4.49c; No. 14, 4.55c; confectioners 4, 5c; cut loaf, 8c; mould A, 5.55c; crushed, 5.80c; powdered, 5.30c; granulated, 5.20c; cube, 5.45c. Coffee and Sugar.

New York Cotton Market. NEW YORK, March 19 Cotton futures closed standy, March, 9.84c; April, 9.84c; May, 9.98c; June, 9.94c; July, 9.83c; August,

Wheat at Tacoma. TACOMA, March 19.—Wheat—Unchanged. Blue stem, 84c; club, 82c; red, 80c.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jerru E. Bronaugh, trustee, and Carl Christensen to E. A. Fearing, lot I. block 12. Central Addition ... \$ Sunnyside Land Company to Mary Watren, lot 14 and west 27 feet of lot 15, block 1. Sunnyside ... Title Insurance & Investment Company to Ella M. Smith, block 330, city, also part of block B. King's Second Addition, and 7:35 acres of of southeast is of Nathaniel Hamiline donation land claim, in section 7, 18, township I south, range 3 east tion 7. 18, township 1 south, range 8 cast
3. G. Toker and wife to J. S. McKiney, lots 5 and 6, block 2, Point
View Addition to St John
C. M. Schock to Clemens F. Weitzel,
lots 9, 10, block 4, Laureiwood
Dan J. Maiarkey and wife to Mary
E. Skoifield, lot 9, block 4, Albion
Addition to Albina
Moore Investment Company to W. F.
Cranston, lots 14, 15, block 4, Vernon
Sycamore Real Estate Commany to 300 mon
Sycamore Real Estate Company to
Maria A. Filicy, lots I. 2, 3, block
T. Kern Park
William Brown and Wife to Charles
and W. A. Starker, lots 21, 22, block
2, Lester Park
Antonia Birk to Carrie Dunn, lots 5,
6, block 12, Fouchase Addition
Drustilla A. Dodge to George W.
Dodge, lot 2, block 8, North Alblina
Sycamore Real Estate Company to 275 200 bina
Sycamore Real Estate Company to
Anna Schauberger, lot 22, block 8,
Ktrn Park
H. A. Janicke and wife to J. Solomon, part of block 5, Caruthers Addition A. C. Hargrove and wife to H. E. Noble trustee, west 25 feet of lots 7, 8, block 4, Third Electric Addi-tion T. 8. block 4, third state of Nellie B. Efflinger, lot 1. block 2, Nob Hill Terrace
Municipal Railway & Improvement Company to C. 0. Foster, lots 2, 3, 4, 5, block 19, Terrace Park
C. 0. Foster to W. C. Slattery, lots 2, 3, 4, 5, block 19, Terrace Park
R. L. Stevens, Sheriff, to Guaranty
R. L. Stevens, Sheriff, to Guaranty 1,250 Savings & Loan Association, west 50 feet of jots 1, 2, block 1, North Villa
G. Epton to E. Epton, lot 3, block
II, Mount Talor Villa
Tancis L. McKenna and wife to 11. Mount Tator Villa rancis I. McKenna and wife to Emanuel Epton, lots 20 to 23, block 16. Northern Hill Addition vederlek Viereck to Joseph Buchtel, lots 7, 8, block, 253, Holladay's 500 Vernon fattle E. Legg to W. Frank Legg-west 32 feet of lot 2, block 2. Pleasant View Addition, and south 40 acres off the south 40 of the donation land claim of William and Lucituda Taylor and parts of section 20, 32, (ownship I north, range 3 cast Hairie E. Legg to Frank Legg, east
feet of east 15 feet of 10; 3. block
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Firland Company to M. G. Kelley, fot
block 12. Firland
W. C. Alvord and wife to F. A.
Knapp, 280x280 feet, beginning at
northeast corner of Blackstone's
Addition. 1,400 northeast corner of Blackstone's Addition.

Addition.

John J. Wismer and wife to Charles and Edna Ott. lot 18, block S. Railroad Shops Addition.

J. F. Roach to Otto Starker, lot 4, block S. lot 14, block S. Ina Park Portland Realty & Trust Company to Jesse W. and Clara A. Poster, lots 17, 18, block S. Evelyn Investment Company to C. W. and Walter A. Stafford, 50x100 feet, beginning at southeast corner of block 10, Piedmont.

J. M. Haberly and wife to William H. Schulze, lot 6, block 35, Tremont Place. H. Schulze. let 6, block 35, tremont Place art C. Bronauch and wife to Herman Goodwin, tot 12, block 3, Bronaugh's Addition to 12, block 3, Bronaugh's Addition to 15, block 19, Tremont Place Addition. Warren J. Hosg and wife to Mary Keenan, lot 1, block 7, Firland to he Laron et al. to Amanda Walker, 1,947 acres, beginning at pipe set at the present northwest corner of the Andrew Larson tract in Robert Gray duality in land claim in northwest 4 of section 9, township I south, range 2 cast.

125 2 cast
security Abstract & Trust Company
to Frank A. Swanson, lots 6, 7,
block 83, Rose City Park
Aloys Haruld to C. R. Hart, fractional
lot 3, block 10, Berths
Robert Wymore and wife to William
Reldt, lots 17, 19, block 13, Highland Park
River View Cometery Arasociation to
Ora M. Campbell, lot 46, block 191,
said cometery ora M. Campoell, lot see Slock 191, and comelers.

B. Merrick et al. to A. E. King. oto 7, 8, block 2. York.

mer A. Merris and wife to Mary E. Jordan, lot 9, block 4, subdivision of tract D, in M. Patton Tract

E. Digman to G. W. Phillips, ot 3, block I. Fledmant .

ment E. Howard and wife to Walter 5, Walling, lots 86 and 87, Arieta Park. 730

S. Walling, lots 86 and 87, Arieta Park

Park

Searge H. Vance and wife to Thaddeus J. Short, lot 4, block 16, Highland Park Addition

P. B. Holbrook and wife to J. W. and

Laura B. Diekinson, lot T. block

1. Ainsworth Tract

NathanwE. Harriso and wife to Mill

Land Company, lots 26, 27, 28, 29,

block 4, Fortune Place

R. L. Stevens Sheriff, to Robert Livingstone, 124; acres beginning at

northeast corner of domation land

claim of John Hank BACON-Fancy breakfast, 22 to pound; Abstract a Trust Co., 7 Chamber of Com.

Sentiment Is Confused in the Stock Market.

REFLECT TRADE REPORTS

Rise Is in Progress at the Close of the Session-Reduction in the Number of Idle Freight-. cars Reported.

NEW YORK. March 18.—The remarkable feature of today's stock market was the entire confusion and uncertainty of its action. a reflection to some extent at least of the doubts felt over the actual progress which has been made towards betterment in artains. The reduction yesterday in the New York Central dividend rate served as a warning that, if improvement has set in in the business affairs of the country, there are consequences to stockholders of the business contraction which are yet to be faced. It is not that dividend reductions have not been expected, the course of prices showing clearly in many instances that reduced dividends were taken for granted. To day much attention was paid to evidences of necessary cuts in the distribution of profits. The most important instance came from abroad, the Rio Tinte Mining Company (copper) declaring only 40 shillings, compared with 47 shilling 6 pence for the preceding distribution.

The response to the reduction in the official discount rate of the Bank of England from 12 to 3 per cont was suggestive, also, of uncertain speculative temper. Coupled with this prime index of declining money rates and of growing accumulation of ide money came the report from the London market that half of the \$10,000,000 issue of Grand Trunk Pacific debentures remained in the underwriters' hands.

Weakness in the London copper market and a rise in the price of refined sugar were incidents of the day. Further reduction in the number of freight cars file was noted with natisfaction, as was the reported good chance for avoiding a strike in the soft coal mines.

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9.75c; October, 8.82c; December, 9.69c.

Wool at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS. March 19.—Wool, steady. Territory and Western mediums, 20%22c; fine bediums, 18%20c; fine, 15%17c.

Prices of stocks showed simal gains at the end of the day, but a rise from the low point of the day continued in the last half hour of the trading.

Bonds were easy. Total sales, par value, \$1.810,000. United States is registered, declined in the last half hour of the trading.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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Sales	High.	Low.	Bid
Adams' Express	*2017	*****	177
Am Car & Foun. 900	29%	2015	20
do preferred		27%	90
do preferred	2075	VA	85
Am Cotton Oil. 200 do preferred Am Express Am Hd & Lt pf American Ice 1,500 Am Linaeed Oil. 100 do preferred Am Loconotive. 800		17%	184
American Ice 1,500	18%	17%	181
American Ice 1,300 Am Linseed Oil 100 de preferred Am Locomotive 800 do preferred Am Seneit & Ref. 35,500 do preferred 200 Am Smelt & Ref. 1,400 Am Sugar Ref. 1,400 Am Tobacco ctfs. 100 Ansconda Min Co. 7,200 Atchison 7,000 do preferred 300 Atl Coast Line 801 Const Line 100 do preferred 1,000 Canadian Pacific 600 Central of N J. 100 Central of N J. 100 Chi Se Ohio. 1,300 Chi Gt Western. 200 Chi Ter & Tran. do preferred 1,700 Ch. C. C. C. & St Louis	612	615	65%
Am Locomotive 800	38	36%	28
Am Smelt & Ref. 35 500	86%	617.56	6835
do preferred 200	24	94	931/2
Am Tobacco ctfs. 100	84	84	841/2
Anaconda Min Co. 7,200	37%	36%	3716
do preferred 300	85	85	8432
Atl Coast Line 4 700	9030	70.00	67社
do preferred		*****	84
Brook Rap Tran. 3,500	1475	145	145%
Central of N J 100	170	170	170
Chi Gt Western 400	29 %	476	494
Chicago & N. W., 200	146	145	14535
C. M & St Paul. 14,700	119%	11735	1180
do preferred		11111	20
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Illinois Central 500	125%	125	124
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do preferred	*****	*****	80
Pacific Muli	41	46%	273
Penneylvania 7.600	116%	115%	27 % 116
P. C C & St Louis	25.58		87% 70
Presed Steel Car	42744	*****	215
Pullman Pal Car 100	150%	150%	15014
Reading	1035	10112	1023
Norfolk & Western 200 do preferred	*****	+5554	84% 82
Republic Steel 1.500 do preferred 2.600	791	112	17%
MOCK MIRING CO. L.MO.	1.9.14	347.0%	24-14
St L & S F 2 pf	26	25	251/4 261/4
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do preferred 6,400	78%	7216	39
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do preferred 500	2214	31%	3217
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NEW YORK, March 19 .- Closing quota-| U. S. ref. 2s reg. 101% N T C G 3%s. . 88% do soupon. . 104% North Pacific 2s. 70% U. S. Ss reg. . 101 North Pacific 4s. 100% do coupon. . 101 South Pacific 4s. 88% U. S. new 4s reg. 121 Union Pacific 4s. 100% do coupon. . 122% Wiscon Cent 4s. 81 Atchison add 4s 88% Japanese 4s. . . . 71% D & R G 4s. . . 91

Stocks at London.

Money, Exchange, Etc. block 4. Fortune Place

R. L. Stevens, Sheriff, to Robert Livingstone, 13th acres beginning at northeast corner of donation land claim of John Hank

Total

NEW YORK, March 19.—Money on call, easy, 15,62 per cent; ruling rate, 13 per cent, northeast corner of donation land

total John Hank

Total

NEW YORK, March 19.—Money on call, easy, 15,62 per cent; ruling rate, 13 per cent, ruling rate, 13 per cent. Time loans, easy; 50 days, 35 per cent; 90 days, 35 per cent; six months, 4 per cent.

Commercial Mila \$4.8314. Bar silver, 55-150. Mexican dollars, 47c. Government and railroad bonds, easy.

LONDON, March 19 .- Bar silver, steady

Money, 3% 63% per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for sbort bills is 3 per cent. The rate of dis-count in the open market for three-months bills is 2% per cent.

SAN PRANCISCO, March 19.-Bar silver, Mexican dellars, 52c. Drafts, sight, 2½ per cent; telegraph, 6

per cent. Sterling, 00 days, \$4.83%; sight, \$4.56%. Bank of England Discount Rate Lower.

Bank of England Discount Rate Lower.

LONDON, March 19.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England was reduced today from 3½ to 5 per cent.

Beyond causing a feeling of cheerfulness, the announcement of the reduction made little improvement in prices.

The reduction for today, making the fifth change since the beginning of the year, caused little supprise on the market, as the bank's large stock of colu and builton amounts to nearly £40,000,000, and the forthcoming distribution of government dividends will have a marked effect on the monetary position, and the retention of a higher rate, therefore, is scarcely justified. Caution, however, was advocated against undue weakening of the market for discounts in view of the weakhess of continental exchange on London and chipments of walk for the Date weakhess of continental exchange on London and chipments of walk for the Caution of the process of sold in Date weakhess.

BOMBAY, March 19.—The Bank of Bombay has lowered its rate of discount from 9 to 8 per cent.

Daily Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, March 19.-Today's state-QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City Market. SAN PRANCISCO, March 19.—The follow-ing prices were quoted in the produce market

today:

Vesetables—Garlic, 16:81242c; green peas,
66:16c; string beans, 20c; asparagus, 56:11c;
tomatoes, \$1.256;2; eggplant; 10:6:15c.
Poultry—Roosters, old, \$4693.50; roosters,
youns, \$6.506:0; broilers, small, \$360.50; roosters,
young, \$6.506:0; broilers, \$6.606:0; broilers,
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12@14c. Millstuffs-Bran, \$30@31.50; middlings, \$33 Wool-Spring, Humboldt and Mendocine

Wool-Spring, Humboldt and Mendocino, 20822c; South Plains and San Joaquin, 587c; lambs, 6919c.

Hops-1807, 14,654c; contracts, 9814c.

Hay-Wheat, \$12817; wheat and outs, \$1189 10,50; sifaifa, 59814; stocks, \$7.7063; straw, per bale, 60385c.

Fruits-Apples, choice, \$1.75; common, 60c; bananus, 75c985; Mexican limes, \$6,5087; California lemons, choice, \$2.50; common, \$1.25; oranges, naveis, \$1.2562.25; pineapples, \$1.50; 3.50.

41.50(83.50.

Potatores—Early Rose, \$1,05(81.50) Salinas Burbanka, 75-0381.10; sweets, \$3,25(3.50); Oregon Burbanka, 85-031.

Receipts—Flour, 2800 quarter sheks; wheat, 1074 centals; barley, 5000 centals; oats, 10 centals; beans, 75 suchs; potatons, 410 sucks; bran, 105 sucks; middlings, 110 sucks; hay, 366 tons; wool, 191 bales; hides, 1048.

| Eastern Mining Stocks | BOSTON, March 19.—Closing quotations; Adventure . \$ 2.50 | Parrott . 17.25 | Allouez . 25.00 | Quiney . 85.00 | Quiney . 85.00 | Amalgamated 58.62 | Shannon . 11.25 | Atlantic . 19.00 | Tamarack . 60.60 | Bingham . 87.90 | Trinity . 13.75 | Cal & Hecla . 625.00 | U. S. Mining . 27.75 | Cop Range . 63.00 | U. S. Oll. . 19.00 | Dally West . 8.12 | Ulah . 39.50 | Brankilli . 7.75 | Victoria . 2.06 | Canaday . 88.90 | Winona . 5.50 | Isle Royale . 20.00 | Wolverine . 121.60 | Mass Mining . 2.70 | Mohawk . 49.90 | North Butte . 58.00 | Michigan . 10.00 | State Coal . 29.37 | 4.90 | Mohawk . 49.90 | Nevada . 11.50 | Mont. C. & C. 80.00 | Cal & Ariz . 102.00 | Oscoola . 85.00 | Greene Cananea . 87.95 | New YORK . March 19.—Closing course. NEW YORK, March 19.-Closing quota-

tions:

Adams Con... 3 Potosi 6
Allice 190 Savage 34
Breece 10 Sierra Nevada 26
Brunswick Con. 10 Small Hopes 18
Comstock Tun 21 Standard 145

Metal Markets,

NEW YORK, March 19.—The London tin market was higher, with spot quoted at \$139 and futures at \$156 15s. The local market was firm and a shade higher, with quota-tions ranging from 30.25 to 33c. Copper was lower in the London market, with spot quoted at 158 10s and futures at 158 17s 6d. The local market was quiet and unchanged, with Lake quoted at 12.75@13c, electrolytic at 12.60@12.87% and casting at

Lead advanced to \$15 17s 6d in the London Lead advanced to \$15 \text{Ts} 6d in the Lendon market. Locally the market was quiet and unchanged at \$396\frac{1}{2}4c. Spelter was unchanged at \$21 \text{Se}\$ in Lendon and at 4.66\frac{1}{2}4.70c in the local market. Iron was higher in the English market, with standard foughty quoted at 50s 24 and Cleveland warrants at 51s 7\frac{1}{2}d. The local market was nominally unchanged.

London Wool Sales, LONDON, March 19.—The offerings at the wood auction sales today amounted to 12.315 balles, mainly of superior quality. Merines were in good demand, particularly scoureds. which were firmer. Super lambs brought 2s 715d. A good supply of cross-breds sold freely, fine grades loading. Home traders bought coarse grades. Withdrawals were fre-

Refined Sugar Prices Advance

MAY BREAK WITH VATICAN Austria Takes Un Speech Criticising Catholic Church.

VIENNA, March 19 .- The controversy between the government and the papal nuncio with regard to a speech made by Dr. Wahrmund, a professor of ecclesiastical law here, in which he criticized certain doctrines of the Catholic Church, threatens to bring about strained relations between Austria and the values of the conditions of the conditions of the conditions between Austria and the values The conditions of tris and the vatican. The papal nuncio, in published statements, reiterates that he acted on his own responsibility and without instructions. It is believed the outcome of this admission will be that Austria will ask the vati-can to recal the papal nuncio,

Marion Jury List.

SALEM. Or., March 19 .- (Special.)-The following jurors were drawn to-day to serve at the term of the Circuit Court beginning April 6: William Brown, Salem; P. L. Kennedy, Woodbrown, Satern, P. L. Rennedy, Woodburn; J. W. Gamble, Salem; J. M. Witzel, Turner; G. W. Witherlte, Jefferson; J. F. Short, Monitor; George Brown, Aumsville; E. C. Minton, Salem; M. R. Kester, Hubbard; J. R. Broyles, Salem; J. S. Broyles, Salem; J. M. Broyles, Sal M. B. Kester, Hubbard; J. R. Broyles, Salem; Jacob Staiger, Sublimity; Otis Myers, Slavton; J. R. Simmons, Monitor; James Forbis, Woodburn; C. H. Cannon, Liberty; Joseph Mirsch, Mount Angel; Tim Hicks, Woodburn; F. D. Knight, Silverton; A. Frazier, Silver Fella; J. N. McKay, St. Paul; John Minger, Salem; C. F. Hein, Aumsville; S. M. Crow, Salem; G. C. Simes, Mehama; W. J. Habberly, Silverton; R. W. Holman, H. B. Page, Oliver Joy, Salem; A. Wolford, Silverton; Charles Riches, Silverton.

cont. Time toans, easy: 60 days, 3½, per cent; offered at 2 per cent. Time toans, easy: 60 days, 3½, per cent. 30 days, 3½ per cent. 30 days, 3½ per cent. 40 days, 3½ per cent. 50 days, 3½ per cent.

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Leading Bullish Influence in Chicago Wheat Market.

PRICES GENERALLY STRONG

Grain in Oklahoma Said to Be Already Turning Yellow-May Corn Continues to Make New High Records.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Sentiment in the wheat pit was bullish aimost all day, although several times during the session the market became quite heavy owing to liberal realizing sales. News received today regarding the Fall-sown crop was conflicting, but a new development in the green-ing situation was the rumor that wheat in several localities in Okiahoma had already turned yellow as a result of the work of this insect. This was the chief strengthening influence of the day. The close was strong at about the highest point. May opened 1, 5% to % 1½ higher at 96 to 90% and then declined to 95% c. advanced to 96% and then declined to 95% c. The close was at 96½c.

For the third consecutive day, a new high record for May corn was established, the top price today heing 98%c. There was a big trade and prices fluctuated over a wide range. The market closed strong with prices at the highest point of the day. May opened 1½ % 1c higher at 67% 664%c, sold off to 60% 60% c and then advanced to 68%c, where it closed.

Outs were strong all day, owing to green-bug scare, which caused shorts to cover freely, May opened as hade higher at 54%c, sold at 54%c and then advanced to 55c. The close was at 54%c.

Provisions were casy on selling by commission-houses and local packers. At the close, May pork was unchanged at \$12.50. Lard was 5c lower and ribs were 2½c lower.

Open. High. Low. Close.

CORN. | LARD | May | 7.06 | 7.9715 | 7.95 | 7.9715 | 3uly | 8.25 | 8.25 | 8.1715 | 8.20 | Sept | 8.25 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.425 | 8.42 LARD.

Gats—No. 2. 541,854%c; No. 2 white, 5512c; No. 3 white, 511,25541;c. Byo—No. 2, 89c. Harley—Fair to choice mailting, 78,986c, Flaxseed—No. 1 northwestern, \$4,20. Timothy Seed—Prime, \$4,75. Clover—Contract grades, \$20,85. Provisions—Short ribs, sides (locse), \$6,258; 5,76; mess pork per bbi., \$12,259;12,25; lard, per 100 lbs. \$1,774; short clear sides, (boxed), \$6,624;86,874; Whisky—Basis of high wines, \$1,35. Becelpts. Shipments.

Whisey—Harts of high wifes, 8

Becelpts.

Plour, bble, 20,000
Wheat, bu. 32,469
Corn, bu. 185,600
Oats, bu. 365,600
Barley, bu. 68,900

Grain and Produce at New York, NEW YORK, March 10.—Flour—Recei 22,600 barrels; exports, 1800 barrels; dull and

22,600 barrels; exports, less units, whent-Receipts, 9000 bushels. Spot market firm. No. 2 red, \$1.07% elevator and \$1.02% f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 horthern, Duluth, \$1.13% f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 hard Winter, \$1.13% f. o. b. affoat. Within a cent's ratige wheat was irregular. To built the market, but stories were particularly successful, but wheat was for sale on every buige, owing to prospects for heavy Argentine shipmants tomorrow. Near the close, however, it railled with corn and was finally having higher. May with corn and was finally having higher. May with corn and was finally 156% higher. May closed at \$1.00%; July, 98%; September, 94%; Hides-Dull.

Hope—Steady. Wool—Quiet. Petroleum—Steady.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19 .- Wheat, firm barley, firm.

Spot quotations Wheat Shipping, \$1.608

.62%; milling, \$1.625-51 erv. 62½; milling, \$1.62½@1.67½. Barley—Feed, \$1.55@1.40; brewing, \$1.42½@ Outs-Red, \$1.0715@1.4215; white, \$1.45@ 1.00; black, \$1.4501.55. Call Board Sales—Wheat—No trading. Barley—December, \$1.14½; May, \$1.57½0

European Grain Markets LONDON, March 19.—Cargoes, firmer; California, prompt shipment, at 38s 34; Walla Walla, prompt shipment, at 36s.

LIVERPOOL, March 18.—Wheat, March, nominal; May, 7s 18d; July, 7s 24d.

English country markets, steady; French country markets, quiet,

Corn-Large yellow, \$1.625/61.67%.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 19.—Wheat—May, \$1.06%; July, \$1.06%; No. 1 hard, \$1.10; No. 1 Northern, \$1.08; No. 2 Northern, \$1.06; No. clo. 3 Northern, \$1.001/2.

> PORTLAND LIVESTOCK MARKET. Prices Quoted Locally on Cattle, Sheep and

Hogs.

The movement of livestock to this market continues small as a result of the washouts and other delays on the railroads and the result is that a very firm tone still prevails in all lines. Yesterday's receipts were valls in all lines, restorday a receipts were 150 sheep.

The following quotations were current in the local market:
CATTLIS—Best steers, \$4.40@4.75; medium, \$3.75@4.25; cows, \$3.50@3.75; fair to medium cows, \$2.75@2.25; bulls, \$2@2.75; calves, \$3.75@4.50.

SHEEP—Good, \$5.50@6; lambe, \$5.75@

Eastern Livestock Prices.

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KANSAS CITY, March 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 3000. including 400 Southerns; market, steady. Native steers, \$4.50.96.30. native cows and heifers, \$3.2565.75. stockers and feeders, \$3.50.95.25; bulls, \$5.50.94.75. calves, \$4.96.25; Western steers, \$4.75.96.10; Western cows, \$3.75.94.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 9000, market, steady. Bulk of sales, \$4.55.94.85; heavy, \$4.85.94.99; parkers and butters, \$4.70.94.90; lights, \$4.55.94.80; plas, \$4.94.25.

Sheep-Receipts, \$4000; market, steady. Muttons, \$5.50.96.50; lambs, \$0.50.967.50; range wethers, \$5.90.07; fed ewes, \$5.25.96.25.

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and feeders, \$2.50@5; caives, \$3@6; bulls and etags, \$1.25@4.65.

Hogs-Receipts 11,000; market, strong to be higher. Heavy, \$4.60@4.75; mixed, \$4.60 @4.65; light, \$4.50@4.65; pigs, \$3.50@4.25; bulk of sales, \$4.50@4.65.

Sheep-Receipts, 5000; market, stendy. Fed muttons, \$5@8.75; wetters, \$5.75@4.09; ewes, \$5@6.85; lambs, \$6.50@7.50.

CHICAGO, March 1B.—Cattle—Receipts, about 6000; market, 10c hisber. Boeves, \$4.3098.65; cows and helters, \$266.50; Texans, \$4.2585; calves, \$5.805.50; Westerns, \$4.2585.30; stockers and feeders, \$3.1085.20

Dried Fruit at New York.

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NEW YOHK, March 10.—The market for evaporated apples is practically nominal in the absence of business, with prices quoted at 108-11c; choice, 85-89-5c; prime, 63-87-5c, and common to fair at 55-86-5c.

Prunes unsettled, owing to a competition for such orders as appear in the market. Quotations rance from 45-614c for California and from 68-10c for Oregon fruit.

Apricots are unchanged with choice quoted at 186-20c; extra choice, 208-22c; fancy, 228-24c.

at 186 20c; extra choice, 208 22c; fancy, 126 25c.

Peaches are steady, with choice quoted at 100 10 hc; extra choice, 116 11 hc; fancy, 118 12c, and extra fancy, 136 14c.

Raisins are dull and somewhat irregular on spot, with loose muscutel quoted at 50 6 hc; seeded raisins, 5 h 6 kl; c; London layers, \$1.85 2 1.75.

CHICAGO, March 18.—On the Produce Ex-change today the butter market was firm. Creameries, 229284;c; dairies, 20926c. Eggs—Situdy. At mark cases included, 14%c; firsts, 15c; prime firsts, 16c; extras-17c.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Butter, easy, in-changed. Cheese, firm, unchanged. Eggs, easier; Western firsts, 15c; do seconds, 151; §155;c.

Cheese-Steady, 1248014c.





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