## VIANDS FOR TABLE.

Staple Meats Change Not, Though Cattle Are Declining.

GOOD EGGS STEADY, BUTTER FIRM.

Poultry Very Scarce--- Fish Supply is Not

Up to the Demand.

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In the line of staple meats trade has been slow the past week. Prices change not, though live cattle are little above one-half the price they commanded a half dozen years ago. In response to the query, "Why do not roasts and steaks drop to correspond with reduction of cattle?" A Diamond market batcher said to-day, "the price of hides, tallow and the rough parts of the beef have declined so much that our profits are no greater than when we paid 8c per pound for live cattle. A few years ago we got 15c a pound for calf skins now, the price is 5c. The best hides bring 7c, and it is not long since we could get 10c. A lew years ago tallow brought Sc, now it sells at 4 to 5c. Boiling pieces sell for whatever they will bring and the range is not above half the raice of five or six years ago." With all allowand made for depreciation of hides, tailow and rough meat, butchers who sell the choice parts of the beef at 15 to 20c per pound, must be reaping a handsome profit if they sell much stuff. The highest price paid for beeves at Laberty this week was \$4.25.

Fruit and Vegetables. Supply is ample for all demands, and while

the week's trade has been fair the general drift is toward lower prices. Ann Arundel cantaloups of the choicest quality are on the market at a range of 20c to 50c apiece. Tomatoes are in better supply than last week and lower. California truits are in full supply, and prices are drawing nearer to the average consumer's pocketbook. Raspherries have naturally passed away for this season.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Creamery is a shade higher, and country rolls are in better demand than last week, with an upward tendency of prices. Eggs are unchanged, but the difficulty of securing an arti-

changed, but the difficulty of securing an article entirely reliable grows greater from week
to week. Hens are apparently taking their
midsummer rest. Poultry is scarce and likely
to be so the balance of the season.

A peddier from Clinton, who comes to the
city weekly, said to-day: "I have never known
poultry as scarce on my beat as it is this season. I bring from 50 to 160 pairs of chickens to
market every week, but cannot of late get any
nearer to the city with my poultry than Chartiers. By the time I get that far all my chickens are gobbled up. You may say to DISPATCH
readers that we will have a short poultry crop
the coming fail, but abundance of all vegetables
and cereais."

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Florists report quiet all along the line. Home flower gardens are at their best, and a multi-tude of the good customers for the beauties of garden and conservatory are at present seeking rest and pleasure by the seaside or on the

mountains.

The fish supply has been below demand the past week, especially for cheaper grades. A leading dealer said: "I could have sold five car leads more than I could secure of this grade the past week."

Following are the prices of market basket materials as furnished by retail dealers:

Ments. The prices called for at the Diamond Markets remain unchanged. The best cuts of tenderloin steak range from 20 to 25c, with last figure for very fancy, which are very often no bette for very fancy, which are very often no better than the 20c article; sirlom, best cuts, from 18 to 20c; standing rib roast, from 15 to 20c; chuck roast, 10 to 12c; best round steaks, 15c; boiling beef, 5 to 5c; sweet breads, 20 to 50c per pair; beef kidneys, 10c apiece; beef liver, 5c a pound; calf livers, 25c apiece; corned beef from 5 to 10c per pound. Veal for stewing commands 10c; roast, 12½ to 15c; cutlets, 20c per pound; spring lambs, fore quarter, 15 to 20c; hind quarters, 20 to 25c. A leg of mutton, hind quarter, of prime quality, brings 12½c; fore quarter, 8c; loin of mutton, 15c; giblets, 5c per pound.

Vegetables and Fruit. New white potatoes, 15 to 20c per half peck; egg plants, 10 to 25c; hothouse grapes, \$1 00 per pound; tomatoes, home-grown, 25c per quarter peck; new cabbage, 5 to 15c; bananas, 20 to 35c a dozen: new home-grown carrota, 5c a bunch: California peaches, 50c per dozen; lemons, 25 to 30c per dozen; oranges, 50c; lettuce,

femons, 25 to 36c per dozen; oranges, 36c; per tunch; fe per bunch, 6 for 25c; radishes, 5c per bunch; cucumbers, 5c apiece: new beets, 5c abunch; cucliflowers, 15 to 25c a head; home-grown golden wax beans, 20c a half peck; home-grown golden wax beans, 20c a half peck; new Southern onions, 25c a half peck; home-grown squashes, 5 to 35c; home-grown potatoes, 15c a half peck; home-grown peas, 20c per half peck; black currants, 15c per quart; currants, 10c per quart; watermelons, 35 to 50c; cantaloups, 15 to 50c; huckleberries, 15c a quart.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry. Choice creamery butter, 25c. Good country

butter, 20c. Fancy pound rolls, 30c. The ruling retail price for eggs is 20c.
The range for dressed chickens is 90c to
\$1.25 per pair. Turkeys, 15c per pound. Spring
chickens, 50 to 75c per pair.

Fish in Season. Following are the articles in this line on the stalls, with prices: Lake salmon, 1234c; Calithe stalls, with prices: Lake salmon, 123/c; California salmon, 40c pound; white fish, 123/c; herring, 4 pounds for 25c; Spanish mackerel, 30c to 35c a pound; sea salmon, 40c a pound; blue fish, 25 to 30c; perch. 10c; halibut, 25c; rock bass, 30c; hlake trout, 123/c; lobsters, 25c; green sea turtle, 28c; mackorel, 20c small, 40c large. Oysters: N. Y. counts, \$1.75 per gallon; clams, \$1.25 per gallon; scollops, 50c a quart; frogs, \$2.00 to \$2.00 per dozen; soft shell crabs, 75c per dozen; devil crabs, 85c per dozen.

Flowers. La France roses, \$1 00@1 50 per dozen; Bride La France roses, \$1 00@1.50 per dozen; Bride roses, \$1 00 per dozen; Perles, \$1 00 per dozen; Niphetos, \$1 00 per dozen: Bennetta, \$1 00 per dozen: American Beauty, 25c aplece; Mermeta, \$1 00 per dozen; carnations, 35c a dozen; Maiden Hair fern, 50c per dozen; Jacquaminot roses, 75c to \$1 50 a dozen; peonies, \$1 00 a dozen; moss roses, \$1 00 a dozen; June roses, \$1 00 a dozen; penies, \$1 00 a dozen; penies, \$1 00 a dozen; and penies, \$1 00 a dozen; benies, \$1 00 a dozen; benies

## BRITISH IRON.

The Market Active and Prices Generally Strong- Manufactured Goods Firm. LONDON, August I.

Scotch Pig-This market continues active with prices somewhat irregular, but strong.

No. 3, f. o. b.

Spiegeleisen—Market holding firm, but trade quiet. English 20 per cent quoted at 80s. 0d. f.

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Steel Wire Rods—Steady market but demand moderate. Mild steel. No. 6, quoted at £6 l7s. 6d. f. o. b. shipping port.

Steel Rails—Good business and market for times firm. Standard sections quoted at £4 17s, 6d. f. o. b. shipping point.
Steel Blooms—Market firm but quiet. Bessemer 7x7 quoted £4 7s. 6d. f. o. b. shipping point.

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Steel Billets—Firm market and demand good. Bessemer (size 25/x25/s) quoted at £4 12s. 6d. f. o. b. shipping point.

Steel Slabs—This market holds firm on a fair demand.Ordinary sizes quoted at £4 15s. 0d. f. o. b. shipping point.

Lrop Ends—Trade fair and market steady.
Rus of the mill quoted at £2 15s. 0d. f. o. b. shipping point. shipping point.
Old Rails—Barely stendy market but business fair. Tees quoted at £3 7s. 6d. and double heads at £3 1s. 6d. c. i. New York.
Scrap from—Steady market and trade fair.
Heavy wrought quoted at £2 5s. f. o. b. shipping points.

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Manufactured Iron—Good business holds

Metal Market.

NEW YORK-Copper weaker; lake. Angust, \$11 75. Lead dull and firm; domestic, \$3 97%. Tin quiet and steady; straits, \$19 75. Tin quiet and steady; straits, \$19.75.

London-Pig tin-This market is irregular, but trade is active: straits, £89.50 dd for spot; futures (3 months), £89.55 dd. Copper-Firm market and demand fair; Chili bars are now quoted at £41 lbs for spot, £41 for future delivery; best selected English, £47 0s. Lead—Steadier market, with more business doing: Spanish quoted at £12 55 dd. Spelter-Market continues firm but quiet: vati: ary Silesian quoted at £19 176 dd. Tin place—Coutinues firm, but trade quiet.

#### MARKETS BY WIRE.

Good Harvest Weather Knocks the Propo From Under the Wheat Pit-A Drop All Along the Line - Pork Active but Unsettled.

CHICAGO. — Duliness and weakness hung like a pall over the pit this morning. Local influences and most of the news, apart from the cables, were overwhelmingly bearish, and prices began to settle from the very open-ing, which was a trifle under yesterday's closings for the leading futures. For nearly two hours December see-sawed between 78% 497814c. occasionally touching 79c. A prominent local operator was a persistent seller at the latter figure, and shortly after II o'clock the market FLORISTS REPORT A QUIET TRADE took on a general bearish symptom of a pro-nounced type, which carried December down

to 78%@78%c. Brilliant and settled weather everywhere. combined with the unexpectedly large receipts of wheat, present and prospective, was the chief cause of the glving way of props, though the weakness was intensified by the general apathy and lack of support from any quarter. The taking of 14 boat loads here for export steaded the market a little temporarily, but closing prices were within a small fraction of bottom for all futures, and Mc below those of yesterday. A good many prominent operators are preparing to take their vacations for the summer, and the outlook is for a narrow mar-

ket for some time to come.

Fair business was reported in corn, the pit being active at times, ruling firm early and easier as the session advanced. Trading was quite general to-day and not confined to room operators, there being considerable quantities sold for country account. The weaker feeling in wheat and oats had also a tendency to insoid for country account. The weaker feeling in wheat and cats had also a tendency to increase offerings. The market opened at about yesterday's closing prices, were steady for a time, but soon sold off 1/c, became more quiet, and closed 1/c/2/c lower, than yesterday.

In cats trading was active and more general than for any day for a long time. The weakness and decline in wheat had a weakening effect, and prices declined 3/c/2 and the market closed tame at inside figures.

Quite a good business was done in pork. Offerings were liberal, while the demand was fair and chiefly from the short interest. Prices were somewhat irregular. At the opening sales were made at 2/c advance, but a weaker feeling soon prevailed and a reduction of 12/2/c/15c was submitted to. Fluctuations within a range of 7/c/2/10 prevailed during the latter part of the session, and the market closed quiet at about inside figures.

The lard market showed considerable strength early in the day, but trading was only moderate. An advance of 2/c/6/c was gained and prices ruled irregular within the range. Toward the close the feeling was easy and the market closed at inside figures.

Quite an active business was transacted in short ribs and the market was somewhat unsettled. Prices ruled somewhat irregular, the market finally weakening and prices declined 1/c/2/c/16c. Toward the close the feeling was steadier and prices rallied slightly, closing rather quiet.

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market was fair. Eggs quiet at Ile.

New York—Flour heavy and dull. Wheat
—Spot weaker and moderately active; chiefly
export; options moderately active; 4:6% to
lower and steady. Hye steady. Barley mait
dull. Corn—Spot weaker and quiet; options
less active 4:6% to lower and weak. Oats—Spot
less active and weaker; options lower. Hay
firm and in good demand. Hops quiet and
easy. Coffee—Options opened steady at 10625
points up; cloved firm at 10620 points up;
firmer fair business; sales, 77,000 bags, including
September, 15.056;15.25c; October, 14.956;15.10;
November, 14.956;15.55c; December, 14.956;15.05c;
January, 14.90 @ 15.05c; February, 15.90
March, 14.956;16.05c; April, 15.00c; May, 14.90@
15.05c; spot Rio active and stronger; fair
cargoes, 1734c. Sugar—Raw dull and weak;
refined dull and steady. Molasses—Foreign io. Sc.; spot. Ho active and stronger; fair cargoes, 17½c. Sugar-Raw dull and weak; refined dull and steady. Molasses—Foreign dull: New Orleans quiet. Rice steady and quiet domestic, 496c; Japan, 4½5½c. Cottonseed oil irregular and quiet. Tallow quiet, Rosin steady and quiet. Turpentine steady and in fair demand. Eggs—Choice in demand and firm; western best, 14@15c; receipts, 4,110 packages. Pork steady; mess, inspected, \$12 00@12 50; do uninspected, \$17 70@12 00; extra prime, \$11 00. Cut meats steady; pickled bellies, 7@8½c: pickled hams, 11½@11½c; pickled shoulders, 4cc: middles easy; short clear, \$6 25. Lard opened higher, but clossed weak; sales western steam, chiefly for export, at \$8 60% 62½, closing at \$6 60; September, \$6 58@6 65, closing at \$6 60 bid; November, \$6 60 closing at \$6 4 asked; January, \$6 366 37, closing at \$6 4 asked; January, \$6 366 37, closing at \$6 4 asked; January, \$6 366 57, closing at \$6 4 asked; January, \$6 366 57, closing at \$6 4 asked; January, \$6 366 57, closing at \$6 4 asked; January, \$6 366 57, closing at \$6 40 chers weak; western dairy, 10@12½c; do creamery, 11@17c; do factory, \$6 312½c. Cheese higher and active; western \$600.

627c.
PHILADELPHIA—Flour dull. Wheat weak and lower; red. in grain depot, 80c; steamer No. 2 red. in export elevator, 824c; No. 2 red. in do, 80c; No. 2 red. august, 848,68849c; September, 831,66849c; October, 844,68849c; Corn ruled firm, with a fair inquiry for local consumption and export; nothing doing in futures; sales of No. 2 mixed in Twentieth street elevator, 45c; No. 2 high mixed, in do, 459cc; do, on track, at 46c; No. 2 mixed, August, 446,449,6c; September, 444,6449,6c; October, 444,64645c, November, 444,6449,6c; October, 444,6466c, November, 444,6449,6c; October, 444,6466c, November, 444,6449,6c; October, 444,6466c, November, 449,646c, No. 3 mixed at 234cc; rejected white, 314c; No. 3 white, 33c; No. 2 white, in Twentieth street elevator, 344c; do on track, 35c; No. 1 white, 38c; No. 2 white, in Twentieth street elevator, 344c; do on track, 35c; No. 1 white, 38c; No. 2 white, No. 3 white, 33c; No. 2 white, No. 3 white, 33c; No. 2 white, No. 3 white, 33c; No. 2 white, August, 314,6325c; September, 304,66314c; October, 314,66325c; November, 314,6632c. Butter dull and irregular; Pennsylvania creamery extra, 174,618c. Eggs—Choice stock firm and scarce; Pennsylvania firsts, 144,616c. Cheese steady; part skims, 5665c.

St. Louis—Flour steady and quiet. Wheat—The market was dull and unsettled early in the day, larger receipts than expected being offset by postings, 229,000 bushels shipped, which checked selling. Later, with all other markets lower and depressed, there was free selling and prices gradually gave way, finally closing 3/c below yesterday; No. 2 red, cash, 734,667c; closing at 734/c bid; September, 734,667c; closing at 734/c bid; September, 744,667c; closing at 734/c bid; September, 744,67c; closing at 734/c bid; September, 744,686; August, 334/c akked; October, 314/c, closing at 334/c, closing at 734/c bid; September, 744,686; August, 334/c akked; October, 314/c, closing at 334/c, closing at 734/c bid; September, 734/d akked; September, 334/c akked; October, 314/c, closing at 334/c, akked; Oct PHILADELPHIA-Flour dull. Wheat weak

August, \$1 22 bid.

CINCINNATI—Flour dull. Wheat easier;
No. 2 red. 77278c; receipts, 20,000 bushels; shipments, 2,000 bushels. Corn firm at 3863845c.
Oats in fair demand; No. 2 mixed, 2662654c.
Rye dull; No. 2, 46c. Pork quiet at \$11 375c.
Lard dull at \$5 85. Bulkmeats and bacon
steady. Butter firm. Sugar steady. Eggs
stronger at the. Cheese firm and tending upward.

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MILWAUKEE—Flour steady. Wheat easier; cash. 77%c: September, 76%c. Corn firm: No. 3, 37c. Oats quiet: No.2 white, 23%@29c. Rye easier; No. 1, 43%c. Barley quiet; No. 2 September, 60c. Provisions firm. Pork, \$10 67%. Lard, \$6 17%. BALTIMORE-Provisions dull. Butter steady; creamery, 16@16½c. Coffee nominal; Rio fair at 18½c.

TOLEDO-Cloverseed dull; cash, \$4 50,

Wool Markets.

PHILADELPHIA-Wool is quiet and prices un-St. Louis-Wool quiet and unchanged; re-

ST. Louis—Wool quiet and unchanged; receipts, 44,319 pounds.

New York—Wool is steady and quiet, with prices unchanged.

Boston, Mass.—There has been a quiet market for domestic wool notwithstanding that the sales foot up to over 2,200,000 pounds. Some large sales of territory wool swell the total of sales to good figures. But aside from this very little has been done, and the sales were confined principally to small lots. Dealers are more inclined to come from their views on most grades. Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces have been quiet, with sales of 105.000 pounds of X and above at 35c; 100.000 pounds of XX and above at 35c; 100.000 pounds of XX and above at 35c; 100.000 pounds of XXX choice at 375c, and No. 1 at 38c. Michigan fleeces move slow at 32c for X. Combing and delalus fleeces have been quiet at previous prices. The sales of Territory wool foot up 637.000 pounds of all kinds and include Montana at 2027c, and Utah and Wyoming at 186,22c. Texas wool is quiet at 186,22c. and is comparatively well sold up. Oregon wool has sold at 186,22c. California wool is dull. Ohio and Michigan unwashed wools are in fair demand. Pulled wools are steady. Foreign wools are firm and carpet grades are tending upward, owing to strong foreign advices.

## STILL MARCHING ON

Cumulative Evidence That Pittsburg is Far From Being Finished.

SQUIRREL HILL AND OAKLAND.

Important Improvements and Additions Under Way at Edgewood.

A BIG BOOST FOR LITTLE JEANNETTE

Edgewood, one of the handsomest of the East End suburbs, is keeping step with the march of improvement. Mr. Deeds will soon begin the erection of a handsome resilence on the lot formerly owned by Mr. Sums. Mr. Theodore Anschutz has made arrangements for repairing and enlarging his old nomestead, and for putting up a new house on the same lot. Mr. McAfee's dwelling is well under way, and it is understood that Mr. McKay has let the contract for two fine residences on his large lot near the railroad station. And last, but not least, Mr. Herman Westinghouse is making extensive improve-ments to his fine property. On the upper side of the railroad a number of handsome build-ings are in various stages of completion. All will be finished this season.

The new town of Jeannette, near Greensburg, is rapidly coming to the front as a populous industrial center. Its importance and prospects have been greatly improved by the recent purchase by H. Sellers McKee of three large tracts of land adjoining the town, upon which he intends to build 400 houses. A large iron plant and extensive brick works are talked of

The American Water Works and Guarantee Company, of McKeesport, with headquarters in Pittsburg, has purchased the immense water works plant located at Little Rock, Ark. The plant was operated and owned by a local company and cost the purchasers \$500,000. The com pany has also purchased the plant of James-town, N. Y., for \$400,000, and now owns and operates \$12,000,000 worth of water works plants, in the United States.

The chartering of two companies to intro-duce rapid stansit into the Squirrel Hill dis-trict is making real estate a lively article out there. Inquiries for building sites were nu-merous yesterday, and several deals were set on foot, some of which will develop into sales. This activity, from the same cause, is reflected in the Oakland district, where there is a large-and increasing demand for houses and lots and sales frequent. The evidences of the growth of the city are so numerous and conspicuous that no one has any longer the hardihood to say that Pittsburg is finished.

The tallest chimney in this country is the new stack of the Clark Thread Company, at Kearney, near Newark, N. J. It is a circular shaft 335 feet high and 28½ feet in diameter at the base. This chimney cost \$30,000 and contains 1,697,000 bricks. It was finished in September last, but its supremacy among Ameri-can chimneys will be brief, for one is now being erected for the Fall River Iron Works Compa-ny, in Fall River, Mass., that will be 340 feet high and 30 feet in diameter at the base. The great Townsend stack at Glasgow, the tallest in the world, is 454 feet high and 32 feet in diameter at the base.

The National Bank of Commerce of Pittsburg has contracted with the Detroit Safe Company, of Detroit, Mich., for the construction of a burglar-proof vault to cost \$25,000. It will be finished by the time the new bank building is ready for occupancy.

Thirty-one mortgages were recorded yesterday. The largest was for \$30,000. One was for \$10,000, one for \$6,000 and 14 for \$1,000 and upward. A large proportion of these were for purchase money, and all home capital. With all the business the demand for mortgages is largely unsatisfied. "Mortgages wanted" is a familiar legend to habitues of Fourth avenue. There is no better security in the present state of the real estate market.

within the city limits of Cleveland during the past two years, including business blocks, hotels, residences, etc., reaches the handsome sum of \$3,440,828. Pittsburg has done as well or better in the same time. Building is on a larger scale here this season than in any other exception of Chicago.

A mechine has recently been perfected that is warranted to make at half spaed 12,000 nails a minute, or three tons per diam. The inventor is a New Englander, and the process is said to be of the simplest description. Exhaustive tests proved entirely satisfactory. This invention promises to revolutionize the

The Great Bear River Canal in Utah and Idaho will be one of the grandest irrigative projects in America, for which \$2,000,000 has been provided. Besides a tunnel 1,200 feet in length, it will be necessary to remove 220,000 cubic feet of solid rock. The canal will irrigate 200,000 acres in Salt Lake Valley and 500,000 acres on Bear rivet. The reservoir canal covers 150 square miles.

DULL BUT STRONG.

Not Much Doing in Stocks, but Prices Well

Bustnined. The stock market yesterday was sluggish in the forencon, and in the afternoon Captain Barbour's efforts to enthuse the small crowd in attendance were rewarded with a goose egg. The principal cause of the apathy was that buying orders were below the market, and

buying orders were below the market, and there was no disposition to make concessions. There were no changes in conditions. Among the conspicuously strong strocks were Central Traction, Citizens' Traction, and Electric.

The gassers about held their own, with very little offered. The best bid for Bridgewater was 25, while 43 was asked. Switch and Signal was a little firmer, and La Noria steady. People's Pipeage was in demand at 1734 without offers. In the afternoon a good inquiry sprung up for bridge stocks, but bids were below the views of holders. Keystone Bank could have been sold at 60. The improvement in this stock has been slow, but appears to be permanent. The market left off strong, with sales aggregating 115 shares. Bids, offers and sales follow:

P. P., S. & M. Ex.....
Fourth Nat. Bank...
Keystone Bank, Pitts.
City Insurance.
Citizens' Ins...
Pennsylvania Ins...
Western Ins...
Southside Gas Co., Ill.
Bridgewater Gas... | Section | Ins. | Section | Section

At the morning call there were sales of 50 shares of Switch and Signal at 20% and 10 of Philadelphia Gas at 37%. Before call 50 Switch and Signal sold at 20%. After call 5 Electric went at 52%. Beaten Stocks.

A.&T. Land Gr'17s. 107s;
Alch. & Top. R. R. 35;
Boston & Albany . 216;
Boston & Albany . 216;
Boston & Maine . 20;
C. B. & Q. 101s;
Clun. Ban. & Cleve . 24;
Mexican Cen. com. 144;
Mex. C. 1st mig. 5da 6.
N. J. & New Eng. 49;
Old Colony . 175;
Rutland, com. 3
Rutland preferred. 40

Closing quotations of Philadelphia stocks, fur-nished by Whitney & Stephenson, brokers, No. 5 Fourth avenue. Members New York Stock Ex-change.

A RECORD BREAKER.

This Year of Grace to Lay All Others is the

leading banks of the city did a fair dis-The leading banks of the city did a fair discount business yesterday, and reported an average movement in clerical lines. There was no scarcity of money, and rates were steady and unchanged. "We are doing splendidly for the dullest month of the year," remarked a veteran casnier. "When the accounts are cast up on the last day of next January it will be found that 1889 will show the best business record of any year in the history of Pittaburg." The clearings were \$4,044,363 95, and the balances \$300,357 42.

Money on call at New York yesterday ranged \$300.557 42 Money on call at New York yesterday ranged at 25/26 per cent; last loan, 4; closed offered at 4. Prime mercantile paper, 45/265%. Ster-ling exchange dull but steady at \$4.85% for 60-day bills and \$4.87% for demand.

Closing Bond Quotations

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U. S. 4s, reg. 123/s M. K. & T. Gen. 5s . 57/s
U. S. 4s. coup. 128/s Mutual Union 6s . 100
U. S. 45/s, reg. 105/s N. J. C. Int. Cert. 113
U. S. 45/s, coap. 106/s Northern Pac. 1sts. 117
Pacific 6s of '95. 118
Louislanastamped 4s 88/s Northern Pac. 1sts. 117
Northern Pac. 15s. 117
Northern Pac. 15s. 117
Northw'th consols. 144/s
Northw'n deben's. 144/s
Vergon & Trans. 6s . 104/s
St. L. & E. M. Gen. 1st 84/s
St. L. & S. F. Gen. 1 118
St. L. & S. F. Gen. 1 118
Den. & R. G. 1sts. 113
Den. & R. G. 1sts. 100
Den. & R. G. 4s. 79
D. & R. G. West, 1sts. 101
Exte. 2ds. 102/s M. K. & T. Gen. 8s. 25/s
West Shore. 106/s
Yesterday's bond offerings at the Treasury Yesterday's bond offerings at the Treasury Department aggregated \$529,000, as follows: Coupon 4s, \$21,000 at 129; registered 4s, \$758,000 at 129; coupon 43/2s, \$50,000 at 1063/2.

NEW YORK—Clearings, \$110,969,332; balances \$5,856,859. Boston — Clearings, \$15,199,778; balances, \$1,412,898. BALTIMORE-Clearings, \$2,004,893; balances,

PHILADELPHIA—Clearings, \$15,809,980; balances, \$257,571.
CHICAGO—Money unchanged. Bank clearings, \$10,962,000.

RATHER BEARISH.

Oil Dull and Rather Heavy-The Standard Changes Its Base. Without any particular reason for it, other than that the change from August to Septem-ber is hardly completed, the oil market yester-day was barren of interest. Trading here was light and rather spasmodic, following the erratic course of New York and Oil City, both of which bought cash and sold September. De-liveries of long oil reduced the price of cash, 1/4c to 1/4c below the September option, indicat-ing plenty of the former and no special need of it, since the August account is pretty well

closed up.

The fact leaked out that the Standard, which The fact leaked out that the Standard, which had been paying the cash price, is now paying the option price, indicating a change of heart on the part of the monopoly. The finctuations were: Opening, \$1 00; highest, \$1 05%; lowest and closing, 90%c. The market finished rather heavy.

Referring to the much discussed subject of refining Lima oil, the New York Tribune remarks: "When Pennsylvania oil was in the eighties and nuch talk was indulged in regarding the utilization of the Ohio crude, the Tribune printed an authentic statement as the re-

cighties and much talk was induged in regaruing the utilization of the Obio crude, the Tribune printed an authentic statement as the result of an interview with Mr. H. H. Rogers, of the Standard Oil Company, showing that the Standard was eagerly experimenting with processes for refining Obio crude, but had reached no satisfactory method by which the article could be used in any reasonable relation with Pennsylvania oil, notwithstanding the great difference in price between the two commodities.

"Yesterday we made inquiries at the same source and received assurance that the situation was virtually unchanged. There are interests which profess to have discovered means for utilizing the Ohio product in a wonderful manner, and with respect to these claims we can offer no testimony. But we can safely assert that the Standard, with all its resources and labors, has not yet found the way for accomplishing what the outsiders are usually so anxious to advertise that they have done."

Features of the Market. Corrected daily by John M. Oaksey & Co., 45 Sixth street, members of the Pittsburg Petro-leum Exchange.

Average runs.

Average shipments

Average charters.

Hefined, New York, 7.40c.

Hefined, London, 53d.

Hefined, Autwerp, 185d.

Refined, Autwerp, 185d.

Refined, Liverpool, 63d.

A. H. McGrew & Co. quote: Puts, 98%c; calls, \$1.00%201.00%.

Other Oil Markets. OIL CITT, August 2.—National transit certificates opened at \$1 00%; highest,\$1 00%; lowest, \$99%c; closed, \$99%c.

BRADFORD, August 2—National transit cer-tificates opened at \$1 00; highest, \$1 00%; low-est, 99%c; closed at 99%.

TITUSVILLE, August 2—National transit cer-tificates opened at \$1 02; highest, \$1 02; low-est, 99%c; closed, 99%c.

NEW YORK, August 2—Stock Exchange; Opening, 99%c; highest, 99%c; lowest, 99%c; closing, 99%c. Consolidated Exchange; Open-ing, 99%c; highest, \$1 00%; lowest, 90%c, closing, 99%c. Total sales, 802,000 barrels.

A SPURT IN REALTY.

Transactions on the Increase-A Large Number of Important Deals. Reed B. Coyle & Co., 131 Fourth avenue, sold for the Mellor heirs a piece of property on Bo-quet street, Oakland, containing about two acres and Il perches, for \$15,000. They also sold to John O'Nell lot No. 76, in Marion place plan, at Marion station, Baltimore and Ohio

Railroad, for \$400. James W. Drape & Co. sold three lots on South street, in the Orchard plan, Wilkins-burg, each 30x124 feet, for \$3,150; also, a piece of ground of about two acres, near Grazier street, Twenty-second ward, for \$6,000; also a piece of ground of about three acres, near Ingram sta-tion, Panhandle railroad, for \$3,800. They also placed a mortgage of \$6,000 at 45 per cent on placed a mortgage of \$5,000 at \$5 per cent on a fine residence on Hiland avenue, East End; also a mortgage of \$5,000 at 5 per cent on house and grounds, near Homewood station, East End; also a mortgage of \$2,500 on property ou Jenny Lind street, McKeesport, at 6 per cent; also three mortgages on properties on Ridge and adjoining avenues, McKeesport, at 6 per cent.

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Graebing & Lyon, No. 135 Fourth avenue, placed a mortgage of \$1,200 on property in the Tenth ward, Allegheny City, one of \$1,300 on property in the Eleventh ward, Allegheny City, and one of \$1,500 on property in the borough of Knoxyllie; all for three years at 6 per cent.

Black & Baird, No. 95 Fourth avende, sold to Thomas J. Phillips, lot No. 7 and one-half of lot No. 6, in the J. Walter Hay plan of lots, East End, on Rebecca street, near Penn avenue cable cars, having a total frontage of \$0 feet by 100 in depth to an alley, for \$600. They also placed a mortgage of \$2,500 for three years at 6 per cent on a property in Ben V enue place, which was sold for \$3,200 cash.

Major A. J. Pentecost sold nine acres of unimproved land on Benton avenue, Eleventh ward, Allegheny, known as the Portman farm, to Mrs. Sweeney, for \$6,225. He also sold a number of lots in Allegheny, and McKeesport at good prices.

Jehn F. Baxter, 512 Smithfield street, sold lot number of lots in Alleguery, and McKeespore at good prices.

John F. Baxter, 512 Smithfield street, sold lot No. 380. Villa place plan, Brushton station, frontage of 60 feet on Frankstown avenue by 176 feet to a 20-foot alley, to F. R. Reed, for

176 feet to a 20-foot alley, to F. R. Reed, for \$400.

W. C. Stewart sold lot No. 25 in Levi De Wolf's Squirrel Hill plan for \$1,200, and 13/2 acres on Squirrel Hill for \$7,000.

Alles & Balley, 164 Fourth avenue, placed a mortgage for \$1,000 at 5 per cent. for three years, on property in the Eighth ward.

Samuel W. Black & Co., 99 Fourth avenue, sold for the Blair estate in Glenwood, Twentythird ward, lot No. 104 Second avenue, between Mansion and Almeda streets, being 28x126 feet to a 20-foot alley, for \$1,000.

GROWING SMALLER. The Stock Market Shrinks Almost Out, of Sight-Good Crops Help the Grangers-Sagar Trust Makes a Spart-Final Changes

Show Small Ad-Vunces. New York, August 2-The business at the New YORK, August 2—The Disiness at the Stock Exchange still continues to decrease, and the transactions in listed stocks to-day were the smallest of the year, while the fluctuations in most of the stocks dealt in were in few cases for more than 34 of 1 per cent. The trusts, however, did show some animation, and with the Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis and St. Louis, the Chesepeake and Ohio, Reading and the leading Grangers furnished all the interest there was in the opera-

nished all the interest there was in the opera-tions of the day.

London was doing nothing this morning, and though prices from that center were again generally higher, this market made no resnonse to it, and a steady and tame opening resulted. The statement was published that the Sugar Trust had made a large amount of money and had about \$25,000,000 on hand, pare of which would probably be used in retiring

some of the outstanding certificates and the remainder distributed among the shareholders. This had the effect of stimulating buying of that stock, and the improvement started at the opening continued until a rise of 3 per cent had been made. A portion of this was lost upon the realizing of the last hour, but a substantial gain was scored for the day. Among the stocks of the regular list the Chesapeake and Ohio were again prominent, and the first preferred rose sharply. The Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and St. Louis common was active, but moved within narrow limits.

The Grangers were helped by accounts of the crops along those lines, and Reading by the return of borrowed stock, indicating a reduction of short interest. The market rose steadily until well into the afternoon, when money was bid up to 6 per cent, and realizations caused some setback. The close, however, was dull and firm at close to the best prices.

The final changes are almost invariably ad-

prices.

The final changes are almost invariably advances of small fractions, but sugar is up 2%. Southern Cotton Oil 1 percent, and Chesapeake and Ohio first preferred 1%.

Railroad bonds were relatively more active than stocks, but they were still duil, sales aggregating only \$910,000, of which the Richmond and Allegheny first receipts contributed \$149,000. Guif, Colorado and Santa Fe sixes lost 2%, at 66.

The followine table snows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday. Corrected daily for THE DISPATCH by WHITTER & STEPHENSON, oldest Pittsburg members of New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth avenue.

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	Open-	High-	Low-	Bids.
Am. Cotton On	Ing.	681. 5334	5314	53%
Aten., Top. & S. F.,	35/4	365	35%	36
Canada Southern		1		5114
Central of New Jerse	y.110%	110%	110%	110%
Central Pacific			****	3214
Ci., Col., Cin. & I. (nev	v) 7134	71%	71	71%
Cl., Col., Cin. & I. pre	1.100%	2834	100%	100%
Chesapeake & Ohio	10114	10134	2236 10156	1015
C., Bur. & Quincy C., Mil. & St. Paul	7014	70%	70%	7054
CA MILA St. P. Dr.		*****	**/*	109
C., Mil. & St. P., pf.,	9554	9334	9536	96
		****	****	14
C., St. L. & Pitts. pf		****	****	34%
C. St. P. M. & O		****	****	33
C., St. L. & Pitts. pf C., St. P., M. & O., p C., St. P., M. & O., p C. & Northwestern.	10017	108%	10856	108%
C & Northwestern.		angug.	10003	140%
Col. Coal & Iron.	******	****	****	26%
Col. & Rocking Val			200	13%
Col. Coal & Iron	14416	14436	14456	14456
Deuver & Rio G., pr. E. T., Va. & Ga. lst J Lake Erie & Western Lake Erie & Western Lake Shore & M. S. Louisville & Nashvill		****	****	45%
E. T., Va. & Ga		***	****	950
E. I., Va. & Ga. lat p	i	****	****	70
Lake Price & Ga. 3G p		****	****	2216
Lake Erie & West Pi	** ****	****	****	8794
Lake Shore & M N	1000	10234	102	102
		70	6936	6954
Michigan Central	87	87	87	8636
Mobile & Ohio			****	13
Mo., Kan. & Texas Missouri Pacific	** * *	4614	****	10%
Missouri Pacific	67%	6836	67%	68
New York Central	10054	2634	10634	2034
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N. Y. O. & St. L. nf	** ***	10/3	-4/3	68
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N. Y., O. & W		****	****	16%
Portoik & Western.		****	****	14
Norfolk & Western, p	f	2886	400	50
Northern Pacific ore	2075	6434	25% 64%	64%
Ohio & Mississippi	0912	223	2312	22
Oregon Improvemen				54
Oregon Transcon	3136	3156	3156	3114
Peo, Dec. & Evans		****	****	2014
Philadel & Suading	4974	41%	4354	44
Pullman t'aince Car Richmond & W. P. T Richmond & W. P. T.	** ****	2222	****	179
Richmond & W. P. T	22	22%	22	2234
St. P., Minn. & Man	DI	2277	00	78
St. L. S San Penn	25%	262	2634	9713
St. L. & San Fran pf	** ***	2018	20,00	5634
St. L. & San F. lat nf			****	100
St. L. & San F. lst pf Texas Pacific	19%	19%	1934	- 1954
		60	3914	59% 15%
Wabash preferred Western Union	15%	15%	15%	15%
wanash preferred	29%	29%	29	29%
Sugar Trans	54%	5534	8414	84%
Sugar Trust National Lead Trust Chicago Gas Trust	924	****	****	23%
Chicago Gas Trust	5714	5814	5736	57 %
		200,00	101/12	W 75

Mining Stocks

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New York, August 2—Amador, 200; Best & Belcher, 350; Bodie, 100; Caledonia B. H., 300; Crown Point, 200; Colorado Central, 110; Consolidated California and Virginia, 6023; Commonwealth, 390; Deadwood Ter., 150; Eureka Consolidated, 120; El Cristo, 105; Goald & Curry, 180; Hale & Norcross, 220; Homestake, 875; Horn Silver, 115: Iron Silver, 165: Iron Hill, 40; Mexican, 240; Mutual, 140; North Bell, 120; Ontario, 34.00; Ophir, 400; Plymouth, 56234; Savage, 135; Sierra Nevada, 200; Small Hopes, 110; Union Consolidated, 245; Ward Consolidated, 160; Yellow Jacket, 250.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH. } CATTLE-Receipts, 500 head; shipments, 400 head: market nothing doing, all through consignments; no cattle shipped to New York to-

Hogs-Receipts, 1,100 head; shipments, 1,700 head; market firm on lights, slow on heavy; light Yorkers, \$4.70@4.80; medium and light Philadelphias, \$4.60@6.65; heavy, \$4.40@4.50; 3 cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day. SHEEP—Receipts, 1,600 head; shipments, 2,400 head; market very slow, nothing doing.

By Telegraph.

NEW YORK—Beeves—Receipts, 39 carloads to be sold, 42 carloads for exportation and 35 carloads for city trade slaughterers direct; good cattle were about steady, medium to fair speers a trifle easier, inferior and common extremely dull and lower; native steers ranged from \$2 3002 85; a carload of Texas heifers sold rt \$1 65; native bulls at \$2 0063 00. Calves—Receipts, 400 head: market weak and a fraction lower at \$4,25c for veals and \$24,26c for buttermilk calves and mixed lots. Sheep—Receipts 4,500; about steady for both sheep and lambs with sales at \$34,265¢ per pound for sheep, and at \$4,475¢ for lambs. Hogs—Receipts 3,300; a few decent to fair hogs changed hands at \$4 40 64 55 per 100 pounds, and \$4 40,25 00 are the reported extremes.

KANSAS CITY—Cattle—Receipts, 3,451 head;

reported extremes.

KANSAS CITY—Cattle—Receipts, 3,451 head; shipments, 1,968 head; supply light and market strong and active; dressed beef and shipping steers 10/215c higher; cows steady and 5g/10c higher; stockers and feeding steers steady; good to choice corn-fed, \$4 00/24 15; common to medium, \$3 00/43 75; stockers and feeding steers, \$1 00/25 00; cows, \$1 50/26 70; grass rangers, \$1 00/25 70. Hogs—Receipts, 3,035 head; shipments, 1,958 head; market active and 5c higher; good to choice light, \$4 30/24 40; heavy and mixed, \$4 00/24 25. Sheep—Receipts, 779 head; shipments, 375 head; market strong; good to choice muttons, \$3 75/24 00; common to medium, \$2 50/23 50.

CHICAGO—Cattle—Receipts, 8,500 head; shipcommon to medium, \$2 50@3 50.

CHICAGO—Cattle—Receipts, \$,500 head; shipments, 3,800 head; market steady: beeves, \$4 50@4 65; steers, \$3 60@4 40; stockers and feeders, \$2 25@3 15; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1 25@3 00; Texas cattle slow at \$1 50@3 15.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; shipments, 5,500 head; market strong; good heavy and mixed higher; mixed, \$4 30@4 55; heavy, \$4 20@4 40; light, \$4 30@4 50; skips, \$3 50@4 50. Sheep—Receipts, 4,900 head; shipments, 2,000 head; market steady; natives, \$4 00@4 85; westerns, \$3 50@4 15; Texans, \$3 60@4 20; lambs, \$5 00@ 60.

BUFFALO — Cattle — Receipts 124 loads through; 2 loads sale; nothing doing. Sheep a shade higher; receipts, 22 loads through; 4 loads sale; good to best sheep, \$4 75@6 00; 100 cond. \$4 50@4 75; common, \$4 00@4 50; loads sale; good to best sheep, \$4 75@5 00; fair to good, \$4 50@4 75; common, \$4 00@4 50; lambs, good to best, \$4 25@6 50; fair to good, \$6 00@6 45; common, \$5 50@6 00. Hogs 5c higher for Yorkers, steady on medium and heavy; receipts, 25 loads through; mixed, Yorkers and mediums, \$4 50@4 55; Yorkers, \$4 70@4 75; pigs, \$4 75@4 80; roughs, \$3 75@2 90; stags, \$3 25 @3 50.

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St. Louis—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; shipments, 1,300 head; market strong; choice heavy native steers, \$3 8064 55; fair to good native steers, \$3 10@3 30; stockers and feeders, \$2 10@ 3 15; rangers, corn fed, \$2 40@3 00; grass fed, \$1 90@2 90. Hogs—Receipts, 1,300 head; shipments, 1,600 head; market a shade higher; fair to choice heavy, \$4 10@4 30; packing, \$4 15@ 4 35; light grades, fair to best, \$4 00@4 55. Sheep—Receipts, 700 head; shipments, 1,700 head; market steady; fair to choice, \$5 20@4 66. CINCINNATI—Hogs in fair demand but Cincinnati—Hogs in fair demand but easier; common and light, \$8 75@4 60; packing and butchers, \$4 35@4 50; receipts, 1,025 head; shipments, 250 head.

A PETITION AGAINST BUMMERS. Business Men of Smithfield and Water Streets Complain.

Business men who operate in the vicinity of Smithfield and Water streets are getting up a petition to Superintendent of Public Safety Brown to have a cornerman put on there. They say the place is a resort for many people, some of whom get drunk and
make it very disagreeable to transact business, and the wives and daughters of complainants are frequently so insulted by foulmouthed conversation that they shudder at
the necessity of coming to the offices on
business. The location of the Baltimore
and Objectation there has greatly intensiand Ohio station there has greatly intensified the evil.

A Serious Charge and Its Denial. John Reddick, a colored man who resides in Clark's court on Seventh avenue, was committed to jail by Magistrate Gripp yes-terday for a hearing on the 21st inst. The charge against Reddick is assault and bat-tery with more serious intent, and is made by his stepdaughter, Alice Johnson. Red-dick strenuously denies the charge, and claims to be able to prove his innocence.

SHIRLEY DARE has her usual budget interesting to women in to-morrow's DISPATCH.

# DOMESTIC MARKETS.

Produce Plenty--- Trade Slow---Butter Active and Firmer.

APPLES WEAKER--POTATOES QUIET

Improved Tone to Cereal Markets--- Plour in Good Demand.

COFFEES ADVANCED --- SUGARS FIRM

OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH, FRIDAY, August 2, 1889. Country Produce-Jobbing Prices.

Stuff is plenty and trade slow. California fruits are in large supply and markets are slow. Apples are weaker, owing to liberal supplies. Huckleberries are searce and firm. Demand for creamery and country butter improves and prices are firmer. Country butter sells readily prices are firmer. Country butter sens reachly at ½c above the lowest point reached last week and prospects are for an advance soon. There is some difficulty securing an entirely reliable article in the line of hen fruit. For a choice article markets are steady at quotations. Ann Arundel cantaloups are in fair supply. Water-melons are plenty and drift is toward a lower

level.

BUTTER—Creamery, Elgin, 18@19c; Ohio do, 17@18c; fresh dairy packed, 12@12c; country rolls, 10@12c.

BEANS—Navy hand-picked beans, \$2 40@2 60; medium, \$2 30@2 40.

BEESWAX—25@30c \$\text{P}\$ for choice; low grade, 18#20c.

18@20c.
CIDER—Sand refined, \$5 50@7 50; common, \$3 50@4 00; crab cider, \$8 00@8 50 \$\mathbb{P}\$ barrel; cider vinegar, 10@12c \$\mathbb{P}\$ gallon.
CHEESE—Ohio. Sc. New York, 10c; Limburger, \$@9c; domestic Sweitzer, 9½@125c; imported Sweitzer, 225c.
CALIVORNIA FRUITS—California peaches, \$2 00 \$\mathbb{P}\$ 5-bushel box; cherries, \$3 00; apricots, \$2 00 a 4-basket case; plums, \$1 75@2 00 a 4-basket case.

\$2.00 a 4-basket case; plums, \$1.75@2.00 a 4-basket case.

EGGS-15c \$\Pm\$ dozen for strictly fresh.

FRUITS-Apples, \$2.00@2.50 \$\Pm\$ barrel; pine-apples, \$1.00@1.25 \$\Pm\$ dozen; whortleberries, 75c@\$1.00 \$\Pm\$ pail; blackberries, 5c@\$c\$ \$\Pm\$ quart; wild goose plums, \$2.50 \$\Pm\$ crate; currants, \$3.50@4 \$\Pm\$ 2-bushel stand; watermelons, \$15.00@23.00 \$\Pm\$ hundred; sickel pears, \$2.00@2.25 \$\Pm\$ bushel crate; Georgia peaches, \$-basket cases, \$3.50.

2 25 % bushel crate; Georgia peaches, 8-basket cases, \$3 50.

FEATHERS—Extra live geese, 50@69c; No. 1, do, 40@45c; mixed lots, 50@50c % h.

POTATORS—\$1 25@1 50 % barrel.

POULTRY—Live spring chickens, 50@60c % pair; old, 70@75c % pair.

SEEDS—Clover, choice, &2 hs to bushel, \$5 60 % bushel; clover, large English, 62 hs, \$6 00; clover, Alsike, \$8 50; clover, white, \$9 00; timothy, choice, 45 hs, \$1 65; blue grass, extra clean, 14 hs, 80c; blue grass, fancy, 14 hs, \$1 00; orchard grass, 14 hs, \$1 65; red top, 14 hs, \$1 25; millet, 50 hs, \$1 00; German Millett, 50 hs, \$1 50; Hungarian grass, 60 hs, \$1 00; lawn grass, mixture of fine grasses, \$250 % bushel of 14 hs.

TALLOW—Country, \$4c; city rendered, 4% \$5c.

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TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, fancy, \$5 50@ 5 50 % box; Messina oranges, \$5 00@5 50 % box; rodi, \$4 50@5 50; California oranges, \$4 50@4 75 % box; bananas, \$2 25 Brets, \$1 25 good seconds, \$9 bunch; coccanuts, \$4 00@4 50 % hundred new figs, \$44@9c % B; dates, \$44@54c % B.
VEGETABLES—Tomatoes, home-grown, \$2@
2 25 % bushel; wax beans, \$1 % bushel; green beans, \$60@75c % bushel; cucumbers, home-graised, \$1 50 % bushel; cucumbers, home-graised, \$1 50 % bushel; radishes, 25@40c % dozen; home-grown cabbage, 50c % bushel; new celery, home-grown, 50c % dozen,

Groceries. Package coffee is off 1/4c, and the green bean was stiffer in New York yesterday, and, from present outlook, must soon advance. The feel-ing of late has been that a break would come ing of late has been that a break would come soon, but bulls hold on with a remorseless grip. Sugar is steady but unchanged.

GREEN COFFEE—Fancy Rio, 21@22c; choice Rio, 184@20c; prime Rio, 18c; fair Rio, 17@18c; old Government Java, 25c; Maracatho, 22@23c; Mocha, 27@28c; Santos, 19@225/c; Caracas 20@22c; peaberry, Rio, 21@23c; La Guayra, 21@22c

622c.
ROASTED (in papers)—Standard brands, 23%c:
high grades, 24%c33%c; old Government Java,
bulk, 31631%c; Maracalbo, 25672c; Santos,
20%c23%c; peaberry, 25%c; peaberry, choice Rio,
23%c; prime Rio, 21%c; good Rio, 21c; ordinary, 20%c.

235c; prime Rio, 215c; good Rio, 21c; ordinary, 295c.

SPICES (whole)—Cloves, 21@25c; allspice, 8c; cassia, 6c; pepper, 16c: nutmeg, 70880c.

PETHOLEUM (jobbers' prices)—110° test, 7c; Ohio, 120°, 85c; headlight, 150°, 85c; water white, 10c; globe, 12c; elaine, 15c; carnadine, 115c; royaline, 14c.

SYRUPS—Corn syrups, 29@29c; choice sugar syrups, 33@38c; prime sugar syrup, 30@38c; strictly prime, 33@38c; new maple syrup, 90c.

N. O. Molasses—Fancy, 48c; choice, 46c; medium, 48c; mixed, 40@42c. N. O. MoLASSES—Fancy, 48c; choice, 46c; medium, 48c; mixed, 46g42c.

Soda—Bi-carb in kegs, 3%494c; bi-carb in 1/4s, 5%c; bi-carb, assorted packages, 5%696c; salsoda in kegs, 1%c; do granulated, 2c.

(CANDLES—Star, full weight, 9c; stearine, 18 set, 8%c; paraffine, 11@12c.

RICE—Head. Carolina, 7@7%c; choice, 6%20

7c; prime, 5%66%c; Louisiana, 6@6%c.

STARCH—Fearl, 3c; cornstarch, 5%67c; gloss starch, 5@7c.

set, 85/c; paraffine, 11@12c.

RICE—Head, Carolina, 7@75/c; choice, 65/@7c; prime, 55/@65/c; Louisiana, 6@65/c.

STARCH—Fearl, 3c; cornstarch, 55/@7c; gloss starch, 56/7c.

FORRIGN FRUITS—Layer raisins, 22 55; London layers, 32 50; Muscatels, 32 25; California Muscatels, 31 85; Valencia, 7c; Ondara Valencia, 74/@6c; sultana, 85/c; currants, 45/@5c; Turkey prunes, 45/@6c; French prunes, 84/@12c; Salonica prunes, in 2-5 packages, 8c; coccanuts, 29 100, 56 60; almonds, Lam. per 5, 20c; do Ivica, 19c; do shelled, 40c; walnuts, nap., 123/@15c; Sicily fiberts, 12c; Smyrna figs, 12@15c; etwon dates, 53/@6c; Brazil guts, 10c; pecans, 11@15c; citron, per 5, 12@24c; lemon peel, per 5, 13@14c; orange/peel, 122/c.

Dried Fruits—Apples, siliced, per 5, 6c apples, evaporated, 6/@65/c; apricots, California, evaporated, 15@18c; peaches, evaporated, pared, 24@23c; peaches, California, evaporated, unpared, 16@125/c; cherries, pitted, 21@22c; cherries, unpitted, 5@6c; raspberries, evaporated, unpared, 16@125/c; cherries, pitted, 21@22c; cherries, unpitted, 5@6c; raspberries, evaporated, 24@245/c; blackberries, 75/@8c; huckleberries, 10@12c

SUGARS—Cubes, 95/@95/c; powdered, 95/c; granulated, 95/c; confectioners' A, 85/@9/c; granulated, 95/c; confectioners' A, 85/@9/c; granulated, 95/c; confectioners' A, 85/g9/c; pellow, choice, 85/c; yellow, good, 75/g8c; yellow, fair, 55/c; yellow, dazk, 75/c.

PICKLES—Medium, bbls (1,200), 24 50; medium, half bbls (800), 22 75.

SALT—No. 1, 26 bbl, 95c; No. 1ex, 26 bbl, 31 20; diarry, 27 bbl, 31 20; coarse crystal, 26 bbl, 31 20; diarry, 27 bbl, 31 20; coarse crystal, 26 bbl, 31 20; diarry, 27 bbl, 31 20; coarse crystal, 26 bbl, 31 20; diarre, 31 10; soaked peaches, 90; finest corn, 31@150; Hid. Co. corn, 70@90c; red cherries, 29c; degengages, 21 degengales, 31 25; diamson plums, 86; greepagages, 31 25; earg plums, 82; california pears, 12 50; do greengages, 21 do egg plums, 82; extra whereles, 12 6c; plums, 82; california pears, 25 0; do greengages, 21 do egg plums, 82; extra No. 1 do, messed,

Potomac herring, \$5 00 ° p barrel, \$2 50 p 1/2 barrel.

OATMEAL—\$6 30@6 60 p bbl.

MINERS OIL—No. 1 winter strained, 58@60c p gallon. Lard oil, 75c.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

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Total receipts bulletined at the Grain Exchange, 23 cars. By Pittaburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago, 2 cars of wheat, 5 of oats, 5 of hay, 1 of middlings, 1 of feed, 2 of flour. By Baltimore and Ohio, 2 cars of oats, 1 of hay. By Pittaburg and Lake Erie, 2 cars of flour. By Pittaburg, Clincinnati and St. Louis, 1 car of corn, 1 of hay. Sales on call: One car half bran, \$11, half screenings. St state Panhandles, 1 car No. 1 of hay. Sales on call: One car half bran, \$11, half screenings, \$8, spot, Panhandle; 1 car No. 2 prairie hay, \$7.50, 5 days, Pennsylvania lines; 2 cars No. 2 w. cats, 29%c, August, Pennsylvania lines; 1 car No. 2 prairie hay, \$7.50, 5 days, Pennsylvania lines. Cereal markets show an improved tone, but prices are unchanged. There is a good demand for flour, but against any successful bull movement stands a fair crop of excellent quality of wheat in this country and Western Europe. There will be bread enough and to spare.

WHEAT—Jobbing prices—New No. 2 red, 83@ Sic: No. 2 red, 8

high mixed, anelied, 11932; mixed, solved, 40931c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 2024@33c; extra, No. 2, 31d315c; No. 3 white, 2024@31c; No. 2 mixed oats, 2024@27c.

RYE—No. 1 Pennsylvania and Ohio, 51@52c; No. 1 Western, 402.09c.

FLOUR—Jobbing prices—Fancy winter and spring patents, 85 75@6 25; winter straight, 25 00.05 25; clear winter, 34 75@5 00; straight XXXX bakers, 34 25@4 30. Rye flour, 25 50@. MILLERED-Middlings, fine white, \$15 000 ]

15 50 P ton: brown middlings, \$11 506 ?12 00; winter wheat bran, \$11 00@11 25; chop leed, \$15 00 @16 00. @16 00. HAY—Baled timothy, choice, \$15 @15 50; No. 1 do, \$14 00@14 50; No. 2 do, \$12 50@ 13 00; loose, from wagon, \$16 00@15 00; No. 1 up and prairie, \$10 50@11 00; No. 2, \$7 50@8 00; pack ing do, \$5 50 22 50 STRAW-Oats, \$7 50; wheat and, rye straw-\$7 00@7 50@8 00.

Provisions. Sugar-cured hams, large, 113/c; sugar-cured hams, medium, 12c; sugar-cured hams, small, 125/c; sugar-cured breakfast baco a, 105/c; sugar-cured boulders, 75/c; sugar-cured boneless shoulders, 9c; sugar-cured California hams, shoulders, 9c; sugar-cured Cai ifornia hams, 85cc; sugar-cured dried beef flats, 95cc; sugar-cured dried beef sets, 105cc; sugar-cured dried beef rounds, 125cc; bacon shoulders, 7c; bacon clear sides, 85cc; bacon clear bellies, 85cc; dry salt shoulders, 6c; dry salt clear sides, 75cc. Moss pork, heavy, 814 00; mess pork, tamily, 814 50. Lard-Refined in tierces, 85cc; half barrels, 65cc; 3-3 tin pails, 75cc; 5-3 tin cans, 65cc; 3-3 tin pails, 75cc; 5-3 tin pails, 75cc; 10-3 tin pails, 75cc; 5-3 tin pails, 75cc; 10-3 tin pai

Armour & Co. furnished the following prices on dressed meats: Beef carcasses, 450 to 550 hs, 51/c; 550 to 650 hs, 65/c; 650 to 750 hs, 61/c. Sheep, 8c P h. Lambs, 10c P h. Hogs, 61/c. Fresh pork loins, 81/c.

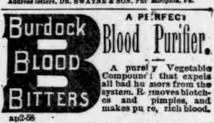
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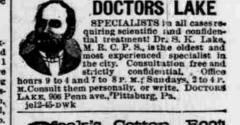
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