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Canadian Pacific ... 72%
Canada Southern ... 63%
Oentral of New Jersey ... 120%
Central Vacific ... 120%

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Boston Stocks.

Philadelphia Stocks

NEW YORK bankers look for greater ease in the money market by the end of the month.

thought to be a pretty good one; some say

a large one.

Dorrington & Ewing's No 2, on the west side of Montour run, is just fairly started, the "ke-chug" of the drill still being quite audible.

When baby was aick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria When she became Miss, she clung to Castor When she had Children, she gave them Casto

Reading.
Buffalo, Pittaburg & Western.
Lehigh Valley
Lehigh Navigation
Northern Pacific.
Northern Pacific.

### CHEESE AND CHANGE

An Expected Advance in the Product Fails to Materialize.

GOOD POTATOES SCARCE AND FIRM.

Revival of the Dressed Beef and Canned Meat Industries.

NEWRIVAL FOR LIEBIG'S BEEF EXTRACT

OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH, TUESDAY, January 7, 1890. The expected advance in cheese has so far mild weather enable the factories to lay up go of their holdings.

Corn—The market opened a shade under the corn—The ma failed to materialize. Good pasturage and larger than it was at this time a year ago. While prices of domestic chese are 1360 per

Said a sending jobber of sweitzer cuesse to-day: "There was a general expectation of an advance a mouth ago, but so far we have been disappointed. The failure of cheese markets to advance is largely due to mild weather. Re-tailers laid in heavy supplies at the close of the last year in anticipation of a rise, which has failed to put in an appearance. Hence jobbers are having a quiet time. Severely cold weather would stimplies trade, but it is now too late to would stimulate trade, but it is now too late to make up for lost time."

In Produce Lines. It will be seen by reference to our domestic market column that butter and eggs are drifting downward. The weather is no doubt largely responsible for this. It requires the very

responsible for this. It requires the very choicest article in either line to command market prices. Commission men ferrently pray for a good old-fashioned binzard to help markets out of the "slongh of despond."

The quality of vegetables on the market this season is not up to standard. While potatoes are seldom as low in price at this time of the year, the quality of those on the market makes them expensive enough, when waste is raken into consideration. The quality of home-raised cabbage is also below the average. Imported cabbages begin to come in freely, and readily bring double the price of the home-grown article.

Said a leading produce merchant this morn-Said a leading produce merchant this morning: "We do not look for a very active trade now until March. A great deal of the stuff which farmers and gardeners put up last fall is now coming to the market in bad shape. I have found it next to impossible to obtain a firstelass quality of potatoes or apples this season, and it is my opinion that the low grade of offerings has as much to do with quietness of markets as big crops and the open winter."

CINCINNATI—Cattle—Beceipts. 240 head: bitpments, 140 head; markets continue in good lemand and strong: common. \$1 25@2 00; fair of medium batcher grades. \$2 25@8 25; good o choice. \$2 5@4 60; good to choice. \$2 5@4 60; good to choice. \$2 5@4 60; good to choice shippers', \$3 90@4 50. Sweep—Reccipts, 40 head; shipperst, 216 head; are in ample supply and weak; nommon to fair, \$2 50@3 75. prime to choice. 4 50@6 50; extra wethers and yearlings, \$5 75 26 00. Lambs are in light demand and easy; neclium to choice shipping, \$6 00@6 50; heavy, \$7 50@6 00; common to choice butchers' qualities, \$5 00@6 00; common to choice shipping, \$6 00@6 50; heavy.

ties, \$5 00@6 00; cnils, \$4 00@4 75.

Chicago.—Cattle—Receibts, \$500 head; shipments, \$500 head; market steady; beeves, \$3 00 @5 10; stockers and feeders, \$2 25@3 25; cows, bulls and mixed \$1 50@3 00; Texas cattle, \$1 75 @2 85. Hogs—Receipts, 40,000 head; shipments, \$500@3 75; heavy, \$3 50@3 723c; light, \$5 50@3 80; skips, \$5 00@3 35. Sheep—Receipts, \$000 head; shipments, \$1000 head; market weak and 10c lower; natives, \$5 50@5 50; western corn-fed, \$4 50@6 10; Texans, \$3 00@4 40; lambs, \$4 75 @5 40.

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St. Louis — Cattle—Receipts, 1,060 head; shipments, none; market steady to strong; good to fancy mative steers, \$2.259.4.75; fair to good do, \$3.2004.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.0002.75; range steers, \$2.0003.00; Hogs—Receipts, 6,500 head; shipments 500; market active and 5c lower; fair to choice heavy, \$3.0003.65; packing grade, \$3.5003.60; light, fair to best, \$3.4503.60. Sheep—Receipts, 600 head; shipments, none; market active and strong; fair to choice \$3.75, 305.50.60.

S5; Yorkers, \$5 S5. Kansas Cirr-Cattle-Receipts, 3,300 head: sipments, 3,500; market 5@10c lower on cowe; other cattle steady; natives, \$3 1569 65; cowa, \$1 7007 56; stockers and feeders, \$2 4093 10. Hogs-Receipts, 700 head; shipments, none; market 256 lower; all grades, \$3 5093 57%. Shoep-Receipts, 300 head; market steady; good to choice muttons, \$4 0004 75; stockers and feeders, \$3 0003 45.

## MARKETS BY WIRE.

Discouraging Cable Advices Demoraliza the Wheat Pit-Corn and Cate Let Go-Hog Products Dall and Quiet. CHICAGO - Wheat - A week feeling again

existed in the market to lay, and prices were lower all around. The speculative offerings were quite heavy, and around 82c for May. A good many stop orders were touched, which caused further depression and carried prices to the inside range. There seemed to be no support to the market until late in the session, when "shorts" took advantage of the

break and covered some lines.

The opening was about the same as the closing yesterday, held firmly and asyanced %c, then became weak, selling off %6%c, and then %c more, improved %c, held steady and closed %G%c lower than yesterday. Cable advices were not as encouraging to holders as yesterday, and under the general conditions surrounding the trade a number of bull traders let

closing prices of yesterday, was easy, though no decline of consequence followed, prices fluctuating within 1/28/4c range, and closed While prices of domestic chese are 1½c per pound lower than at this time last year, markets are slow. The open winter has spoiled many a nice laid plan of manufacturers and dealers. Swiss cheeses of domestic make are quiet at 1 to 2e lower prices than ruled at this time last year. The imported article is le higher.

Said a leading jobber of sweitzer cheese today: There was a general expectation of an advance a month ago, but so far we have been disappointed. The failure of cheese markets to advance is largely due to mild weather. Retailers laid in heavy supplies at the close of the last year in anticipation of a rise, which has failed to put in an appearance. Hence jobbers are having a quiet time. Severely cold weather. Trading was comparatively light in lard. Prices were steady.

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Short ribs—Trading was limited and prices

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The leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT—No. 2 January, 771/46775/46785/46

155/c: February, 785/4785/46786786786; May, 835/4815/c.

CORN—No. 2 January, 281/46285/46285/46

285/c: February, 291/46295/46295/46285/46

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285/c: February, 291/46295/46295/46295/46

OATS—No. 2 January, 201/46295/46295/46

MESS PORK, per bil.—January, 39 204/86295/46

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Hogs—Receipts, 2,100 head; shipments, 1,900 head; market active; Philadelphias, \$2,8003 85; Yorkers, \$3,70@380. Four cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,600 head; shipments, 2,600 head; market dull at yesterday's prices.

By Telegraph.

New York—Beeves—Receipts, 1 carload for export; 51 carloads for shanghterers direct, and 3 carloads for the market. No trading in heef cattle. Fairly firm for dressed beeves at \$34@ 94c for sides. Exports, 2,240 quarters of beef. To-day's cable advices from London and Liverpool quote American steers dull at 10½@11½c per pound, dressed weight, and American refrigerated beef steady at 7½c per pound. Calves, Receipts, 250 head; reported steady at 2,80c per pound for grassers and Western calves, and \$2,600 per pound for grassers and Western calves, and \$2,600 per pound and of lambs at 05750.c Hogs—Receipts, 1,800 head; suppments, 140 head; markets continue in good demand and strong: common. \$1,2502,00; falr to medium butcher grades, \$2,2603 25; good to choice, \$2,306 40; good to choice shippines, \$5,700 for the continue in good to choice, \$2,306 40; good to choice shippines, \$5,700 for the continue in good to choice, \$2,306 40; good to choice shippines, \$5,700 for the continue in good to choice, \$2,306 40; good to choice shippines, \$5,700 for the continue in good to choice as a supply and weak; common to fair, \$2,500 75; prime to choice, \$2,300 for the continue in good to choice shippines, \$5,700 for the continue in good to choice as a supply and weak; common to fair, \$2,500 75; prime to choice, \$2,300 for the continue in good to choice shippines, \$5,700 for the continue in good to choice as a supply and weak; common to fair, \$2,500 75; prime to choice, \$2,300 for the continue in good to choice shippines, \$5,750 for the continue in good to choice shippines, \$5,750 for the continue in good to choice shippines, \$5,750 for the continue in good to choice shippines, \$5,750 for the continue in good to choice shippines, \$5,750 for the continue in the for the continu

CINCINNATI—Flour quiet. Wheat quiet; No. 2 red, 76@77c; receipts, 2.200 bushels; shipments, 1,500 bushels; Corn in Tair demand and stronger; No. 2 mixed, 82@32½c. Oats easier; No. 2 mixed, 22@24c. Eye steady; No. 2 60c. Pork quiet at 59 62½c. Lard easier at 55 655 70. Bulkmeats duli and unchanged. Bacon steady and unchanged. Butter steady. Sugar easy, Eggs in excessive supply and dull at 13c. Cheese steady.

MILWAUREE-Flour steady. Wheat lower: Mil. WAUNEE—Flour steady. Wheat lower:
No. 2 spring, on track, cash, 74675c; May,
7546c; No. 1 Northern, 82c. Com steady;
No. 3, on track, Zc. Oate quiet; No. 2
white, on track, 22c. Rye quiet; No. 1,
in store, 444c. Barley quiet; No. 2, in store,
4546, 466. Provisions quiet. Pork, 85 20. Lard,
85 80. Cheese steady; cheddars, 94c.

A WIFE WITH AN IRON JAW.

Mile. De Granville Meets Wirh an Accident

BUFFALO—Cattle steady and unchanged; receipts, 35 loads through, 3 for sale. Sheep
and lambs steady; receipts, II loads through, 12
for sale; sheep, choice to extra, 35 2565 50;
good to choice, \$4 75; common to good, \$4 2005
4 35; lambs, choice to extra, 35 7560 00; good to
choice, \$6 2566 55; common to good, \$6 2006 55.
Hogs active; receipts, IU loads through, 72 for
sale; mediums and heavy, \$5 7063 50; mixed,
\$8 85; Yorkers, \$8 85.

Express Corp. (actile, Receipts, 2 200 head) fame as Mile. De Granville, the "woman with the iron jaw." They became fast friends. After Dr. Knox had attained a reputation among showmen as a surgeon for their animals, he frequently met Mile. De Granville, and renewed his acquaintance. Last summer the idea struck Dr. Knox that his friend had made 

# GROUND IS BROKEN 675; Reading 122,000; St. Paul, 11,000; Texas Pacific, 2,000; Union Pacific, 2,610.

For Panhandle Railroad Shops and Yards at West Mansfield.

TWO HUNDRED MEN ARE AT WORK.

Big Money Bid for a Business Property on the Local Wall Street.

TWO IMPORTANT SALES POSTPONED

The Panhandle Railroad has put 200 men at work to grade for new shops and yards at Mansfield. The reason for this improvement is to facilitate the handling of freight over the new Ohio river connecting bridge. All the coal and coke of the Panhandle, Chartiers Valley and Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railroads for the lakes will be taken across this bridge instead of going through the Union depot yards in Pittsburg as

will not fall short of \$150,000. \* The event in real estate circles yesterday was the attempt of W. A. Herron & Sons to sell by auction, by order of the Orphans' Court, to set-tle the estate of Charles L. Caldwell, deceased of which George P. Hamilton, Esq., is administrator, Nos. 114 and 116 Fourth avenue, adjoining the Dellar Savings Bank. The lot is 45x85 feet. It was bid up to \$80,000, and withdrawn. It was learned from outside parties that there is a standing bid of \$90,000. It has been held at \$100,000. It was also noised about that a bank-which one could not be learned-

was trying to negotiate for the property.

The vacant lot adjoins the Doller Savings Bank property on the southern line, and it is known that as soon as a foundation is laid that that institution will at once proceed with the erection of a wall 60 feet high on its own ground, thus shutting off light and ventilation from the first three stories of any structure on the Caldwell property. It is said that it was a knowledge of this fact that induced Mr. Caldwell to offer the vacant lot for sale at a price considerably under \$1,000 per foot front within five years past. When this became known there was less eagerness to purchase the property.

There was a large crowd in attendance, embracing a number of leading capitalists. D. F. Henry acted as auctioneer. It was stated that the two lots cost Mr. Caldwell \$29,500 eight or nine years ago. In view of this \$80,000 looks like a very fair price, especially as the Fidelity Title and Trust Company's property on the op-posite side of the avenue and a little nearer Smithfield street, in size 40x120 feet, was bought for \$75,000, or less than \$2,000 per front

Comparatively little has been done in the leading wool markets for two or three weeks. New York reports more activity than Boston or Philadelphia. Some descriptions of Territory wool are weaker, but with this exception prices are steady throughout the list. The situation is reported, both by manufacturers and holders, as rather uncertain so far as immediate prospects are concerned. The manufacturers find little to encourage them in the outlook and dealers and producers have to wait on them. Much larger stocks of wool are held in the principal markets than a year ago.

Philadelphia Gas About the Only Strong Feature of the Market. The stock call yesterday forenoon was a water haul, not a single transaction being recorded. The afternoon call was not much better, the sales being only 125 shares, contrib-uted by Philadelphia Gas and Luster Mining

Company. ompany. Philadelphia Gas was about the only strong feature on the list. It sold at 30% and closed at 30% bid, and none offered. Switch and Signal was bid down to 12 at the first call, and closed offered at 15. The weakness in this stock is hard to account for, in view of the excellent condition of the company. Laster brought 20%, and closed at 28 bid—a decline of 10 points from the highest price reached during the recent sourt. The entire active list was dull, with the single exception noted, and the trend of values

s downward.				W
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WHAT BANKERS ARE DOING.

Checking Shrinks a Little, but Business Large and Money Ensy. Checking was large yesterday, but not so heavy as on the previous days of the month, indicating that settlements are approaching completion. The exchanges were \$2,423,789 40, and the balances \$565,436 56. The proportion of balances to exchanges is above the average, showing a better distribution of business among the banks.

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Money was easy, with a moderate demand for discount, and rates steady at 6 per cent for call and 7 for time accommodations. Money we returning from the West and South, and the prospect favors a good supply throughout the winter. There is no likelihood of anything approaching a squeeze in this market. Small notes were scarce. What becomes of them is a mystery.

Money on call at New York yesterday was easy, ranging from 3% to 6 per cent; last loan, st closed offered at 4. Prime mercantile paper, 5% 637%. Sterling exchange quiet but firm at 84 80% for 60-day bills and \$4 84% for demand. Henry Clews & Co., say of the money market: "The monetary situation, which has long been the chief obstacle to any advance in stocks, shows considerable improvement. January disbursements are now being set free, and will add materially to the supply of loanable funds, At the three cities of New York, Boston and Philadelphia, these payments aggregate at least \$120,000,000, the bulk of which seeks reinvestment and a portion remaining in the loan market. These disbursements of themselves are always an important stimulus to the market. Currency is now returning more readily from the interior, and crop requirements having been satisfied, this source of demand will in future be less urgent. We do not anticipate any immediate free return of funds, because the activity of trade in the interior will still require large sums, and in some instances the mild winter has caused bad trade and slow payments. But this drawback is more than offset by the saving of time and expense to railroads and other branches of business, which a severe winter always imposes. We bear nothing this winter of the interruption to traffic from bad roads, etc., always a loss to be met somewhere. It is quite certain, however, that money will be in better supply for some time to come than it has been for several months past."

months past." Closing Bond Quorations. Closing Bond Querntions.

U. S. 4s, reg. 125

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U. S. 4s, reg. 1945

U. S. 45s, reg. 1945

U. S. 45s, coup. 195

V. S. 45s, coup. 195 NEW YORK—Clearings, \$149,958,956; balances, \$7,744,588.
BOSTON—Clearings, \$17,154,052; balances, \$1,858,185, Money 4 per cent.
PHILADELPHIA—Clearings, \$11,688,501; balances, \$1,724,052 ances, \$1,778,423.

Baltimone—Clearings, \$2,729,066; balances,

PARIS—Three per cent rentes, 85f 85c for the account.

CHICAGO—Clearings, \$11,166,000. New York Exchange was 60c premium. The demand for money continues good and rates are steady at 5 per cent on call and 7@5 per cent on time. St. LOUIS—Clearings, \$3,992,508; balances, \$22,007.

DYING BY DEGREES. Something Must be Done Quickly to Save

the Oil Market. The oil market yesterday was almost as featureless as the sphynx, and as uninteresting as last year's almanac or one of Wiggins' weather predictions. Pittsburg bought a little. Oil City and Bradford were light sellers. The

range was: Opening, lowest and closing 103%, highest 168%. A range so narrow had very A broker said: "The market is dead, and you had better get ready to attend its funeral. I can see no prospect of improvement. Prices may go up a little periodically, but there will be no material change, for a while at least.

be no material change, for a while at least. Development is against an advance. Added to this the export season will soon be over. There is nothing oucouraging in the outlook."

Yesterday the report of a strike in the Sheffield district, Warren county, was resolved into something tangible. The well was doing about 300 barrels a day. It is owned by Gilbert & Rockwood, and is located on one of the Cherry Valley lota a short distance from Sheffield. This big strike set all the oil men in Pittsburg to talking, and the attention of operators for the time being is directed toward the Sheffield field, where the excitement is great. the Sheffield field, where the excitement is great.

There was considerable of a surprise in the Washington field on Monday when the Manufacturers Gas Company's Brownlee well No. 3, which was drilling for gas, showed up for a 40 barrel oil well in the Gordon sand.

The Stephenson Oil Company's No. 1, on the Ferguson farm, in the Shanopin field, which was expected to be small, came in yesterday forenoon good for 75 barrels. Their No. 2 is due to-day, and is located for a gusher, in range with Mechlin.

A. B. McGrew quotes: Puts, \$1 62%; calls, \$1 03%.

Other Oll Markets. BRADFORD, January 7.—Opened at \$1 03 closed. \$1 03%; highest, \$1 03%; lowest, \$1 03. NEW YORK, January 7.—Petroleum opened steady at \$1 02% and advanced to \$1 03% on light trading; the market then reacted and closed steady at \$1 03. Stock Exchange: Opening, \$1 02%; highest, \$1 03%; lowest, \$1 02%; closing, \$1 03. Consolidated Exchange: Opening, \$1 03; highest, \$1 03%; lowest, \$1 02%; closing, \$1 03%. Total sales, 269,000 barrels,

MOVEMENTS IN REALTY.

Business on Its Feet Again-Sales in City and Neighborhood. Reed B. Coyle & Co., 181 Fourth avenue, sold for George B. South to M. L. Myers, two lots on Irwin avenue, near the parks, Allegheny, size 20x106 feet each, for \$4,100. The purchaser has secured 65 feet front on Irwin avenue, which he intends improving at once with desirable

brick dwellings. Ewing & Byers, No. 98 Federal street, sold a mortgage of \$1,400 for one year at 6 per cent on Sarah street property, Allegheny, Alles & Bailey, 164 Fourth avenue, sold a mortgage for \$1,500 for three years at 6 per cent on property in Reserve township, Allegheny

on property in Reserve township, Allegheny county.

W. E. Hamuett, 404 Smithfield street, Pittsburg and Wilkinsburg, Pa, sold lots 118 and 119, plan 2, Wilkins' estate, Wilkinsburg, to G. A. Beerman for \$1.500.

Black & Baird, 85 Fourth avenue, sold to R. J. Stewart lot \$2 in the Dunlevey plan of Linden place, having a frontage on the east side of Hastings street of \$5 by 120 feet in depth to a 20 feet alley, for \$435 cash.

W. A. Herron & Sons sold lot No. 33 in Mrs. Bigham's plan, on Bigham street, Mt. Washington, Thirty-second ward, in size Mx120, for \$400 cash.

Samuel W. Black & Co., 99 Fourth avenue, sold lot No. 113 in the Blair estate plan of lova, at Glenwood, Twenty-third ward, being 24x120 feet on the south side of Mansion street, near Second avenue, and flaving erected thereon a six-room frame cottage, for \$3,000 cash.

Charles Sources & Co., 313 Wood street, placed a mortgage of \$2,500 for three years at 6 per cent on residence property in the Eleventh ward, Allegheny.

THE COALERS RAIDED.

They Give Way Under Persistent Hamme ing - Reading the Worst Sufferor-Sugar Gets a Setback - The Entire List Was Lower.

NEW YORK, January 7 .- The stock market was extremely narrow to-day, but it was more active than for many days past, owing to the dead set made by the bears at the Coal stocks, and especially at the Reading stock and income bonds. In those properties, with the addition of stissouri Pacific, St. Paul, Chicago Gas and Sugar Refineries, about three-quarters of the entire business of the day was transacted. The rest of the market was dull and without feature, though generally heavy, in sympathy with the leaders.

Early this morning advices of a rumor affoat

in Loudon that no interest would be paid upon the Reading incomes was received, and the Loudon quotation for the firsts and the stock the Reading incomes was received, and the stock were materially lower than last evening. With the opening of business here the bears pounced upon the Coal stocks, and during the first hour Lackawanna was sold down from 185% to 184%. Reading from 59 to 57%, and the first hoomes from 79½ to 74%. Lackawanna at the low figure received some support, and it railied during the afternoon to 189%, closing close to the best price, but the others remained heavy to weak, and Reading closed at its lowest figure after a further decline.

The incomes rallied somewhat on the rumor that the interest on the firsts was to be chaded to prevent suits on the part of the holders of the other incomes, but later the bonds went still lower. Missouri Pacific lost only a fraction. Sigar Refineries was adversely affected by the decision in San Francisco in the case of the American Refinery, declaring, its chatter forietted, and it also showed no recuperative

at this time of the year, quality of suppl

medium, 82 1062 20. BEESWAX—28630c W B for choice; low grade, CIDER—Sand refined, \$6.50@7.50; common, \$5.50@4.00; crab cider, \$8.00@8.50 P barrel; cider

TALLOW—Country, 4%c; city rendered, 4%c 65c.

Tropical Fruits—Lemons, common, 32 50 63 50; tancy, 34 0065 00; Florida oranges, 33 00 63 25; Jamaica oranges, 36 0066 50 P barrel; bananas, \$1 50 firsts, \$1 00 good seconds, \$1 bunch; coccanuts, \$1 00624 50 \$2 hundred; figs, \$12%c 15 kc; new dates, 7%c \$2 h.

VEGETABLES—Potstoes, from store, 55660c; on track, 45650c; cabbages, \$5 0067 00 a hundred; Dutch cabbage \$13 00 \$2 hundred; celery, 40c \$2 dozen; Jersey sweet potatoes, \$1 a barrel; turnips, \$1 0061 50 a barrel; onions, \$1 75 a barrel.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—262%c \$2 pound.

Rio, 21@22c; prime Rio, 2014c; low gradeRio, 1814@1914c; old Government Java, 27@28c; Mar-

acalbo, 294@394c; Mocha, 294@294c; Santos, 294@24c.

20:(23c; Uaracas 22@24c; peaberry, Rio, 234@24c.)

Roasted (in papers)—Standard brands, 24c; high grades, 25@294c; old Government Java, bulk, 314@33c; Maracalbo, 27@28c; Santos, 244@284c; peaberry, 234c; choice Rio, 25c; prime Rio, 234c; good Rio, 224c; ordinary, 21c.

SPICES (whole)—Cloves, 19@20c; alispice, 10c; cassis, 8c; peaper, 17c; numeg, 70@30c.

PETROLEUR (jubber's prices)—110° test, 74c; Ohio, 120°, 84c; headlight, 150°, 84c; water white, 104c; glube, 14g144c; glaber red oil, 110; 114c, purity 14c.

MINERS OIL—No. 1 winter strained, 46@47c

B gallon; summer, 40@43c. Lard oil, 70c.

SYEUPS—Corn syrup, 28@30c; choice sugar syrup, 38@30c; prime sugar syrup, 30@30c; strictly prime, 33@35c; new maple syrup, 20c.

N. O. Molasses—Fancy, new crop, 48@50c; choice, 47c; medium, 38@30c; mixed, 40@42c.

SODA—H:—carb in kegs, 38@34c; bi-carb in 14c, 54c; bi-carb, assorted packages, 24@6c; salsoda in kegs, 19c; do granulated, 2c.

Candles—Star, full weight, 9c; stearine, 9c set 34c; paraffine, 11@12c.

RICE—Head, Carolina, 64@7c; choice, 64@
84c; prime, 54@6c; Louisiana, 5@6c; gloss starch, 44@7c.

FOREIGN FRUITS—Layer raisins, 22 65; Lon-Closing quotations of Philadelphia stocks, fur-nished by Whitney & Stephenson, brokers, No. 87 Fourth avenue. Members New York Stock Ex-OF 29 mortgages recorded yesterday the largest was for \$22,000. Eight were given for purchase money.

THE wealth of Mr. John D. Rockefeller,

President of the Standard Oil Company, is estimated at \$129,000,000. STARCH—Fearl, 25c; cornstarch, 526c; gloss starch, 2467c.
FORRIGN FRUITS—Layer raisins, 22 65; London layers, \$2 90; California London layers, \$2 75; Muscatels, 22 40; California Muscatels, 22 25; Valencia, 74c; Ondara Valencia, 35/805/c; sultans, 35/205-c; Turkey prunes, 45/455c; French prunes, 6295/c; Salonias prunes in 2-B packages, 85/c; cocuanuts, \$100, 26 00; almonds, Lan., \$2 \$5, 20c; do, ivica, 18c; do, shelled, 49c; walnuts, nap., 1425c; Sicily filberts, 12c; Smyrna 19gs, 122618c; new dates, 6205/c; Brazil nuts, 10c; pecans, 1125c; cirron, \$2 \$5, 19220c; lemon peel, 18c \$2 \$5 \$7 \$0.00 \$7 \$0 House renting is beginning to be a lively business on Fourth avende. There will soon be a great scramble for small dwellings. THE Manufacturers' and Merchants' Insurance Company and the Cash Insurance Com-pany will elect directors on Monday next. SEVERAL of the oil brokers are suffering fror influenza. Mr. Jacob Walter, who has had it in its worst form, says the disease makes a man "wish that he were dead." THE Marr Construction Company, of this city, gives notice that it will apply to the proper authorities to have its name changed to the North American Construction Company. Mr. E. E. Lettle, Assistant Treasurer of the Philadelphia Company, who attended to all transfers of the stock, has resigned and gone into the service of the Westinghouse Air Brake Company.

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Mr. S. JOHANNA HURLEY, well-known on Pourth avenue as a vender of apples, died Monday morning. Funeral services will be held at St. Paul's Cathedral this morning. She won and held the respect of all who know her.

The following additional dividends have been declared: Artisans Insurance Company, 3 per cent; Allegheny Insurance Company, 4 per, cent; Union Insurance Company, 4 per, cent; Union Insurance Company, 5 per cent; Allegheny Insurance Company, 5 per cent; Birmingham Insurance Company,

inson townships. It doesn't appear to be known what the well's caliber is, but it is

Grain, Flour and Feed. The cereal situation is unchanged. Busines on 'Change is slow. The only sales reported on 'Change is slow. The only sales reported were 1 car of No. 2 old y. ear corn, 45c, B. & O., and 1 car No. 1 timothy hay, \$11.50, 5 days, P. B. R. Total receipts as bulletined at the Grain Exchange 27 cars. By Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne and Chicago, 1 car of corn, 3 of oats, 1 of rye, 1 of feed, 2 of flour. By Pittsburg and Western, 2 cars of cats. By Pittsburg and Lake Erie, 1 car of rye, 1 of mait, 1 of hay, 1 of oats, By Pittsburg, Unchmati and St. Louis, 7 cars of corn, 2 of wheat, 3 of cats, 1 of barley. The situation remains in favor of buyers. New corn is the weak factor of markets. Wheat is firmer and flour steady.

Prices below are for carload lots on track.
WHEAT—New No. 2 red, \$56,856; No. 3, 826,852. About seven wells are invarious stages of forwardness in the vicinity of Forest Grove Presbyterian Church. Some of them are on Hall's run, celebrated as a resort for hunters of fossils and where copper nuggets were found more than 30 years ago, and though Joseph Young, Esq., who has a farm near there, does not believe there is any copper there worth working, there are other people who believe there is something valuable in addition to petroleum. The Diepp farm well is in the territory, and it is still holding up to its work of two months ago.

31@32c.
OATS-No. 2 white, 28½@20c; extra, No. 8, 27½@28c; mixed, 25@27.
RYE-No. 1 Pennsylvania and Ohio, 58@54c; No. 1 Western, 51@52c.
BARLEY-Western, 55@55c; Canada barley, 70@75c.
FLOUR-Jobbing prices-Fancy winter and spring patents, 50 00@5 50; winter straight, 94 25@4 50; clear winter, 94 00@4 25; straight XXXX bakers, 38 50@5 7a. Rye flour, 53 50@ MILLYERD-Middlings, fine white, \$15 00@ 16 00 % ton; brown middlings, \$12 00@14 00;

power, and closed at but a shade better than its lowest figure. The other Trusts were comparatively steady.

The one strong spot in the market was Chicago Gas Trust, which on reports of a bull pool in the stock rose nearly 2 per cent, though all of the improvement was not retained at the close. Ameng the specializes there were some upward movements, chief among which was Tennessee Coal, but after some wide and sudden fluctuations it left off only fractionally higher than last evening. In the afternoon the covering in Lackswanna gave a decidedly better tone to the market, but ister the decilne was resumed, and the market closed quiet but heavy at fractionally higher than last evening. In the afternoon the covering in Lackswanna gave a decidedly better tone to the market, but ister the decilne was resumed, and the market closed quiet but heavy at fractional losses in most cases. The entire list with but few exceptions is lower to-nicht, and while Chicago Gas is up I, and Tennessee coal 1/2, Sugar is down 2%, Reading a like amount, preferred and St. Paul preferred an class blizzard should show up soon a still lower level of prices may be looked for. The quality of potatoes on the market is below par, and to this fact more than anything else is due the duliness of markets. It is not an easy thing to procure a No. 1 potato this season. While prices per bushel are lower than for years past such that at the present low prices there is little or no advantage to the consumer over former seasons. Game is practically out for this season, and we quote it no longer. The only hope of a revival to produce trade lies in a drop of the mercury. With daily rains and mild weather both people and trade are slow. BUTTER-Creamery, Eigin, 29@30c; Ohio do, 27%@36c; fresh dairy packed, 24@25c; country BEANS-Navy hand-picked beans, \$2 25@2 30;

CIDER—Sand refined, \$6.50@7 59; common, \$3.50@4 50; crab cider, \$8.00@8 50 \$\pi\$ barrel; cider vinegar, 10@12c \$\pi\$ gallon.

CHESTRUTS—\$5.00@5 50 \$\pi\$ bushel; walnuts, 60@70c \$\pi\$ bushel.

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CHEESE—Ohio, 11@11½c; New York, 11½c; Limburger, \$1½@11c; domestic Sweitzer, 11@11½c; limburger, \$1½@11 00 \$\pi\$ barrel; Malaga grapes, large barrel, \$8.50@10 00.

FEATHERS—Extra live geose, 56@60c; No. 1, do, 40@45c; mixed lots, 30@55c \$\pi\$ B.

POULTRY—Live chickens, 50@55c \$\pi\$ pair; geose, \$1.25@130 \$\pi\$ pair; live turkeys, 13@15c \$\pi\$ bt dressed turkeys, 13@15c \$\pi\$ bt dressed turkeys, 13@25c \$\pi\$ bt.

SEEDS—Clover, choice, \$2 \$\pi\$ to bushel, \$4.20@440 \$\pi\$ bushel; clover, large English, \$2 \$\pi\$, \$4.55@40; do, clover, Alsike, \$8.00; clover, white, \$9; timothy, choice, \$45 bs, \$1.50; blue grass, fancy, 14 bs, \$1.30; orchard grass, 14 bs, \$1.00; red top, 14 bs, \$1.25; millet, 50 bs, \$1.00; millet, \$00@70c \$\pi\$ bushel; Hungarian grass, \$0 bs, 55c, lawn grass, mixture of flue grasses, \$3.00 \$\pi\$ bushel; Hungarian grass, \$0 bs, 55c, lawn grass, mixture of flue grasses, \$3.00 \$\pi\$ bushel of 14 bs.

Tallow—Country, \$4/c; city rendered, \$4/2 \$\pi\$5c.

Coffee options advanced 40 points on Saturday and packages are firmer. Sugar too, is strong enough to go up higher soon, but so far quotations hold good. GREEN COFFEE—Fancy Rio, 23@24c; choice

acaibo, 23%@24%c; Mocha, 28%@23%c; Santos, 20%@24c; Uaracas, 22@24c; peaberry, Rio, 23%@

Sc. CORN—No. 2 yellow, ear, new, 35@37c; high mixed, ear, old, 35@40c; new, 34@35c; No. 2 yellow, shelled, old, 35@35c; new, 32@35c; high mixed, shelled, 57@35c; new high mixed, shelled,

winter wheat bran, \$11 25@11 50; onep feed, \$15 50@16 00.

HAY—Baled timothy, No. 1, \$11 50@12 00; No. 2 do, \$8 00@10 00; loose from wagou, \$11 00 @12 00, according to quality; No. 2 prairie hay, \$7 00@8 00; packing do, \$5 50@7 00.

STRAW—Oats, \$6 75@7 00; wheat and rye straw, \$6 00@6 25.

Sugar-cured hams, large, Sc; sugar-cured hams, medium, 5%c; sugar-cured hams, small, 10%c; sugar-cured breakfast bacon, Sc; sugar-cured shoulders, 5%c; sugar-cured California hams, Sc; sugar-cured dried beef flats, Sc; sugar-cured dried beef sugar-cured dried beef sugar-cured dried beef shoulders, 7%c; sugar-cured California hams, 6c; sugar-cured dried beef fats, 8c; sugar-cured dried beef rounds, 12c; bacon shoulders, 5%c; bacon clear sides, 7%c; bacon clear belies, 7%c; dry satt clear sides, 7c; dry satt clear sides, 7c; Meas pork, heavy, \$11.50; mess pork, family, \$12.00. Lard—Refined, in tierces, 5%c; balf-barrels, 6c; 60% tubs, 6%c; 20% palls, 6%c; 50% tin cans, 5%c; 3% tin pails, 6%c; 5% tin pails, 6%c; 10% tin pails,

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