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Financial World. NEW YORK, March 25.-Henry Clews' circular, issued to-day, says: The stock market has been in a waiting condition. Spasmodic move-ments occurred in both directions, but prices continue to show no settled tendency in either direction. The bears find selling short a hazardous amusement while stocks are so firmly held, and the bulls haven't sufficient confidence to act in concert or with necessary force. Prince Bismarck's re-tirement from the German Chancellorship tirement from the German Chancellorship draws fresh attention to the condition of affairs in Europe. As a steadying force, Bismarck's power in Europe has long been felt. His efforts have always been on the side of peace, and the transfer of power from his experienced hands to those of the ambitious young Emperor is not wholly assuring. It is possible that the Emperor may give Germany a freer and more popular government than Bismarck has done, but his youth and his erratic, as well as ambitious character, do not strengthen the prospects of peace. In event of another European crisis, the Emperor would very probably be found at the head of a war party, ready and anxious to ingratiate himself upon his people by prowess as a military leader. At such a time Bismarck's whole power would protably be exerted on behalf of peace. His retirement, therefore, must be considered a greater loss to a time Bismarck's whole power would protably be exerted on behalf of peace. Hisrefirement, therefore, must be considered a greater loss to Europe than to Germany. Nevertheless, from a political standpoint, it could not come at a more opportune time. Financially, Germany is passing through a trying period. There has been an immense amount of recklers speculation centering at Berlin, especially in "industrials." During the last six months each regular liquidation on the Bourse has been met with symptoms of collapse. There has already been a heavy shrinkage there in the values of speculative shares, and only the efforts of strong capitalists have prevanted a break ere this. The foreign money markets will require close watching for some time to come, as in event of depression there American stocks would be returned quite freely.

The local situation is more encouraging. Railroad earnings and Clearing House returns—two excellent measures of business—do not confirm the reports of lessened trade. On the contrary, they indicate steadily increasing volume. Just at present we seem overrum with private affairs. One of the most absurd ideas of this nature is that of Senator Stanford that

the Government should issue its notes to farmers, taking as security therefor bonds and mortgages on land, bearing interest at the rate of 1 or 2 per cent. Why compel the Government to do what a private individual would not do; lend money at a low rate of interest upon a business already so unprofitable and risky as to command exorbitant rates? Does the Senator want to plunge the country into bankruptcy? That is what his idea would result in. However, there is no fear of such an idiotic measure passing; only, it is humiliating to see such quackery emanating from men who are supposed to possess sound sense and the courage to apply it.

Boston Stocks.

Philadelphia Stocks. Pennsylvania Ratiroad, Reading 19% budnio, Pittaburg & Western 51% Lehigh Valley 51% Lehigh Navigation 61 Philadelphia and Eric 30%

Arrest of a Man Who Has Been Working Mexican War Claims.

INFECTAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 BIRMINGHAM, ALA., March 25 .- W. H. Harrison, of Walker county, Ala., is in jail here on a charge of swindling the United States Government out o! \$8,000. He was arrested by a United States marshal and his bond has been fixed at \$10,000, which he 4360 was unable to give. Harrison is charged with securing \$8,000 by means of fraudulent pension claims. He went to Walker county about two years ago, and his operations commenced soon afterward. He sent in pension claims for a large number of bogus widows of Mexican War veterans. The names of witnesses and affidavits were clearly forged. For a long time his bogus pension claims went through without question, but so many of them continuing to come in from one locality caused the Government to order an investigation.
United States Deputy Marshal Charlton

has been working on the case for several weeks and has secured enough evidence to hold the prisoner. All the time Harrison has been working these bogus claims he has been teaching a country school and had become quite popular among the citizens of Walker county. His forgeries are said to be very clever.

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NEW YORK—Clearings, \$113,433,629; balances, \$5,989,299.

BOSTON — Clearings, \$14,525,187; balances, \$1,635,749. Money 314@4 per cent.

PHILADELPHIA — Clearings, \$10,795,423; balances, \$1,716,659. BALTIMORE-Clearings, \$2,659,259; balances LONDON-The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day is £18, Paris-Three per cent rentes, 87f 95c for the account.
CHICAGO-Clearings, \$11,375,000. New York exchange sold at 25c discount. Money steady at 6%@7 per cent on time and 5%@6 per cent on call.

NOT MUCH IN IT.

Prospect of the Oil Market Far From Rosy -Weak and Narrow. The oil market opened off a fraction yesterday. In the first hour it sold down still further, and rallied later on light local buying. It neither gained nor lost to amount to anything, opening and closing figures being within a small frac-tion of the same. New York was the principal seller. Trading was unimportant.
The extreme fluctuations were: Opening.

8434; highest, 8434; lowest, 8334; closing, 8434 Monday's clearances were 722,000 barrels. Refined was down at New York and Antwerp. There was no expression among the brokers as There was no expression among the brokers as to the future course of the market, but the prospect was admitted to be far from rosy. Fresh field news was at a premium. No new strikes were reported, but a number of wells were said to be about due. Some of them are expected to be important both as producers and as settling the value of a good deal of territory. One on the Logan farm, near Wildwood, may be brought in to-day. It is being watched with great interest. Shannopin is due the latter part of this week with four or five. The Hundred-foot district will soon be heard from again, while in the West Virginia field several wells are daily looked for.

Davitt & Co. got a dry hole in their Morris farm well, in the Dolls Run field. Down at Eureka operations are lively. The wells that have come in there are all good stayers. Many more are drilling and five or six good sized ones are expected to come to the front in a few days.

The O'Brien well, in the Chartiers Valley.

days.

The O'Brien well, in the Chartiers Valley held, has averaged 100 barrels a day since it came in and is now producing about that amount Features of Yesterday's Oil Market.

Average charters. Average runs.
Refined, New York. 7.20c,
Refined, London, 5½d.
Refined, Antwerp, 16%f.
Refined, Liverpool, 5d.
Refined, Bremen, 6.55m.

A. B. McGrew quotes: Puts, 83%c; calls, 85%@86c. Other Oll Markets.

NEW YORK, March 25.—There was practically no market for spot oil to-day. April option opened steady at 8434 and dropped sharply to 8374. Then the decline was checked, and the market advanced steadily until the close, which was strong at 85%. Stock Exchange: Opening, 104%c; highest, 104%c. Consolidated Exchange: Opening, 84%c; highest, 85%c; closing, 85%c; total sales, 429,000 bbls. OIL CITY, March 25.—Petroleum opened at 84%c: highest 84%c: lowest, 83c; closed at 84%c Sales 258,000 bbls; clearances, not re-ported; charters 37,302 bbls; shipments, 76,778 bbls; runs, 105,106 bbls.

Bradford, March 25.—Petroleum opened at 84%; closed at 84%; highest, 84%; lowest, 83%; clearances, 1,154,000 bbls.

STILL MOVING. Latest Deals in Real Estate in City and

Country. J. E. Glass, 138 Fifth avenue, sold for Albert Goff to Chris. Auday a lot on Craig street, near Center avenue, size 50x140 feet, for \$1,800

Black & Baird, 95 Fourth avenue, sold for M. R. Brandt to Annie C. Texter lot No. 71 in the Bank of Commerce plan of lots at Brushton Bank of Commerce plan of 1018, at Brushion station, fronting on Grazier street, being in size 40x137 feet, for \$900. They also placed a mortgage for \$5,000 for five years on Ward street property in Oakland, at 6 per cent.

Baltensperger & Williams, 154 Fourth average sold for Angustus Barton a building, 18x 70, near the head of Buena Vista street, Second

ward, Allegheny, for \$350 cash.
Samuel W. Black & Co. sold for the Blair Samuel W. Biack & Co. sold for the Blair estate, Twenty-third ward, three lots situate on Almeda street, being Nos. 77, 78 and 79, each 24x126 feet to a 20-foot alley, for \$1,200.

Baxter, Thompson & Co., 162 Fourth avenue, soid lot No. 82, in the Bank of Commence addition, Brushton station, fronting 40 feet on Kelly street by 137 to a 20-foot alley, for \$800, for Samuel Mark.

Ewing & Byers sold for William C. Morrison to Mrs. K. Diffenbacher the property No. 242 Lacock street, Fourth ward, Allegheny, a two-story brick of six rooms and hall, with lot 18x45 to a three-foot alley; consideration \$3,800.

A DEPRESSED MARKET.

Rally is Followed by

a Relapse. NEW YORK, March 25.-The decision of the Supreme Court in the Granger cases yester-day, which gave the market such a lift in the last few minutes, seemed to have lost all of its influence this morning, and not a sign was left roads had transpired. This indifference to ood news, which has become so marked in the list of late, helped to keep alive the bearish feeling among the professional element, and this morning, with the aid of some selling by this morning, with the aid of some selling by longs and lower figures from the center, prices were depressed to a limited extent, though all of the animation of yesterday had disappeared. The raising of the rates of sterling exchange also contributed to the sagging of the general market in the general indisposition to trade, which was as pronounced as on any day during the past week. The stubborn strength arising from the scarcity of stocks in the street hose. which was as pronounced as on any day during the past week. The stubborn strength arising from the scarcity of stocks in the street, however, soon put an end to the demonstration against the list, only Rock Island and Sugar showing any real weakness during the day. Rumors of an adverse decision in San Francisco in the Sugar cases there led to the selling of Sugar Refineries, and it lost 1½ per cent after selling ex-dividend of 2½ per cent, and although the story was denied the stock failed to rally and closed at the lowest figure.

Rock Island was fed out to the market all day long and a steady decline took place. Union Pacific derived some help from the favorable report of the earings for February, but even that did not prevent the stock from sagging off with the rest of the list, when the pressure was renewed again in the last hour.

Among the specialties Wheeling and Lake Erie was prominent, but the feature of the day was the sudden and sharp rally in Louisville, New Albany and Chicago upon the discovery that the floating supply on the street had diappeared and a net gain of 2 per centimarked the days' operations. After the first selling movement was over, the most intense dullness again settled down upon the market, and although prices were held steady no feature of any kind marked the deals, until toward the close, when everything again gave way and the lowest prices of the day renerally were

of any kind marked the deals, until toward the close, when everything again gave way and the lowest prices of the day generally were reached. The close was dull but heavy. The final changes are generally fractional losses, and Tennessee Coal and Sugar are each 1% lower and Rock Island 1%, while Louisville, New Albany and Chicago is up 2 per cent.

Railroad bonds were dull, only \$970,900 changing hands, and out of that amount \$131,000 were Reading. The weakness in stocks was reflected in the market, and most of the few important hall changes are losses. Ohio and Mississippi seconds rose 2 to 125.

Government bonds have been dull and steady.

paper, 54,674. Sterling exchange quiet but strong at \$4.88 for 60-day bills and \$4.86 for

Closing Bond Quotations, Northw'n deben's. 106% The following table shows the prices of active Oragon & Trans. 4s. 106% stocks on the New York Stock Exenange yester-

The Decision in the Granger Case Does Not Make Stocks Active-A Sudden

cases" vesterday, which probably helped to give the market an upward turn in the last hour yesterday, is one of great importance. In practice it permits the railroads to ignore the rates fixed until they are declared by the courts to be "reasonable," and implies protracted litigation instead of an immediate compulsory adoption of the rates fixed by a commission. Even if the decision had no other effect, it would make the State Railway Commissioners less aggressive, because they could not or would not involve their States in law soits. If there was any speculative disposition among those who usually deal in stocks, this decision would have caused much more of an advance. But the present strength of the market is not of the speculative kind; it is a steady but very slow absorption of the dividend paying stocks, which is not responsible for the daily ups and downs caused by the varying news of the day and the daily buying or selling of the buils and bears, but it has caused a general advance of 1 to 4 points in all the most active stocks in the last 30 days, notwithstanding that the market has scarcely been so dull for so long in several years.

The rotiowing table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Excanger vester-

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Everything in vegetable lines goes slow with the exception of potatoes, which are not in supply equal to demand. German cabbages are growing scarce and the quality of those offered is reported very poor. The objection is made to much of the foreign cabbage, like that made Wool Markets. to hypocrites in the olden time, "Like whited sepulchres, beautiful without but rotten within." Apples move slowly on account of high price. Eggs are quiet. Choice nearby stock, however, brings our outside quotations. Poultry is hard to get at any price. Markets have not been so bare in a long time in this

line of produce.

BUTTER—Creamery, Elgin, 28@29c; Ohio do, 26@7c; fresh dairy packed, 20@21c; country rolls, 18@20c.

BEANS—Navy hand-picked beans, \$1 75@1 80.

BEESWAX—25@28c # h for choice; low grade, 18@20c. Metal Market.

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CIDER—Sand refined, \$7 50; common, \$4 50.

@5 00; crab cider, \$8 00@8 50 # barrel; cider vinegar, 10@12c # gallon.

CHEESE—Ohio, 11@115c; New York, 11½c.

Lumburger, 13@13½c; domestic Sweitzer, 13@11½c; imported Sweitzer, 23½c.

EGSS—14@15c # dozen for strictly fresh.

FRUITS—Apples, fancy, \$4 25@4 50 # barrel; cranberries, \$4 00@4 25 a crate; strawberries, \$5@40c a box.

FEATHERS—Extra live geese, 50@60c; No. 1, do, 40@45c; mixed lots, 30@55c # h.

MAPLE SYRUF—New. \$1 00@1 10 a can.

POULTRY—Live chickens, 85@90c a pair; dressed, 14@15c a pound; ducks, 75c@21 # pair; dressed turkeys, 18@20c # h.

SEEDS—Clover, choice, 62 hs to bushel, \$4 00 # bushel; clover, large English, 62 hs, \$4 35@4 60; clover, Alsike, \$8 00; clover, white, \$9 00; timothy, choice, 45 hs, \$1 60@1 70; blue grass, extra clean, 14 hs, \$1 25@1 30; blue grass, fancy, 14 hs, \$1 30; millet, 50 hs, \$1 00; Hungarian grass, 50 hs, \$1 00; lawn grass, mixture of fine grasses, \$2 50 # bushel of 14 hs.

TALLOW—Country, 3½c; city rendered, 4½c.

Tropical Fruits—Lemons, common, \$3 00 @3 50, fancy, \$4 00@4 50; Florida oranges, \$4 00 @4 55, Valencia, \$4 00@4 50 for 420 case, Jamalica, \$7 00 a barrel; bananas, \$1 25@1 75 firsts, \$1 00@4 25, Valencia, \$4 00@4 50 for 420 case, Jamalica, \$7 00 a barrel; bananas, \$1 25@1 75 firsts, \$1 00@4 50 # hundred; dates, 6½@7c # h; layer figs, 12½@15½c.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, from store, 70@75c; on track, 60@65c; new Southern cabbage, \$3@3 50 one barrel; curon sets, \$2 25@2 50 # hundred; celery, 40c # dozen; Jersey sweet potatoes, \$1 50 a barrel; turnips, \$1 50@1 75 a barrel; onions, \$4 00@5 00 a barrel; Bermuda onions, \$3 75 bushel crate; parsnips, \$2 25@2 50 # barrel; onions, \$4 00@5 00 a barrel; Bermuda onions, \$3 75 bushel crate; parsnips, \$2 25@2 50 # barrel; onions, \$4 00@5 00 a barrel; Bermuda onions, \$3 75 bushel crate; parsnips, \$2 25@2 50 # barrel; Buckwheat Flour—\$1 75@2 00. There are . many white soaps. each represented to be "just as good as the Ivory. They are not, but like

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prices.

GREEN COFFEE—Fancy Rio, 24@25c; choice Rio, 22@23c; prime Rio 223/c; low grade Rio, 20@21c; old Government Java, 28@29/c; Mara caibo, 25@27c; Mocha, 29%@31%c; Santos 21%@ 25%c; Caracas 24@26c; La Guayra, 25%@26%c. ROASTED (in papers)—Standard brands, 25c; high grades, 25@30½c; old Govern-ment Java, bulk, 33@34½c; Maracaibo, 28@29c; Santos, 26@30c; peaberry, 30c; choice Rio, 26c; Santos, 26@30c; peaberry, 30c; choice Rio, 26c; prime Rio, 244c; good Rio, 234c; ordinary 21 @224c.

SPICES—(whole)—Cloves, 17@18c; alispice 10c; cassia 8c; pepper, 17c; nutmey, 70@80c.

PETROLEUM (jobbers' prices)—110° test, 74c; Ohio, 120° 83c; headlight, 150° 83c; water white, 104c; globe, 14@143c; elaine, 143c; carnadine, 113c; royaline, 14c; globe red oil, 11@114c; purity, 14c.

Miners' Oil—No. 1 winter strained, 44@45o 28 gallon; summer, 40@43c. Lard oil, 60@65c.

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Rice—Head, Carolina, 63@7c; choice, 63@6c; prime, 53@6c; Louisiana, 5@67c. Starch—Pearl, 23c; cornstarch, 5@6c; gloss starch, 43@7c.

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FOREIGN FRUITS—Layer raisins, \$2 65: London layers, \$2 75; California London layers, \$2 75; California London layers, \$2 75; Muscatels, \$2 40: California Muscatels, \$2 25; Valencia, \$3/c; Ondara Valencia, 19/c@10/sc; Sultana, 11c; currants, 51/c@6c; Turkey prunes, 53/c@6c; French prunes, 73/c@10/sc; Salonica prunes, in 2-B packages, 8/sc; cocoanuts, \$9 100. \$6; almonds, Lan., \$9 B, 20c; do Ivica, 17c; do, shelled, 40c; walnuts, nsp., 14@15c; Slcily filberts, 12c; Shayrna figs, 12@13c; new dates, 6@6/c; Brazii nuts, 11c; pecans, 11@15c; citron, \$9 B, 18@19c; lemon peel, 18c \$9 B; orange peel, 17c.

DRIED FRUITS-Apples, sliced, per 8, 6c; apples, evaporated, 10½c; apricots, California, evaporated, 15@16c; peaches, evaporated, pared, 24@26c; peaches, California, evaporated, pared, 18@19c; cherries, unpitted, 5@6c; raspherries, evaporated, 27@28c; blackberries, 7@7%c; huckleberries, 10@12c.

10G12c.
SUGARS—Cubes, 74c; powdered, 74c; granulated, 64c; confectioners' A. 64c; standard A. 64c; soft white, 6264c; vellow, choice, 54c0 54c; yellow, good, 54c054c; yellow, fair, 54c0 54c0; yellow, dark, 54c054c.
PICKLES—Medium, bbls (1,200). \$7 00; medium, ball, bbls (0,00). \$1 5%c; yellow, good, 5%c; yellow, fair, 5%c
5%c; yellow, dark, 5%c; yellow, fair, 5%c
5%c; yellow, dark, 5%c; yellow, fair, 5%c
Pickles—Medium, bbls (1,200). \$7 00; medium, half bbls (600), \$4 00.

SALT—No. 1, \$\psi\$ bbl, \$5c; No. 1 ex, \$\psi\$ bbl, \$1 00;
dairy, \$\psi\$ bbl, \$1 20; coarse crystal, \$\psi\$ bbl, \$1 20;
Higgins' Eureka, 4-bu sacks, \$2 80; Higgins'
Eureka, 16-14 \$\psi\$ packets, \$2 00.

CANNED GOODS—Standard peaches, \$2 00@2 25; 2ds, \$1 65@1 80; extra peaches, \$2 40@2 60;
ple peaches, 95c; finest corn, \$1 00@1 50; Hid Co.
corn, 60@85c; red cherries, \$0@85c; Lima beans,
\$1 20; soaked do, 80c; string do, 60@85c; marrowfat peas, \$1 10@1 15; soaked peas, 70@86c,
pineapples, \$1 30@1 40; Bahama do, \$2 75;
damson plums, \$5c; greengages, \$1 25; egg
plums, \$2 00; California pears, \$2 40; do greengages, \$1 85; do egg plums, \$1 85; extra white
cherries, \$2 40; raspberries, \$35@1 10; strawberries, \$60c; succontrals, 2-b cans, \$3001 40; tomatoes, 80@85c; salmon, 1-b, \$1 65@1 90; blackberries, 65c; succontrals, 2-b cans, \$3001 40; tomatoes, 80@85c; salmon, 1-b, \$1 65@1 90; blackberries, 65c; succontrals, 2-b cans, \$3001 40; tomatoes, 80@85c; salmon, 1-b, \$1 65@1 90; blackberries, 65c; succontrals, 2-b cans, \$3001 40; tomatoes, 80@85c; salmon, 1-b, \$1 65@1 90; blackberries, 65c; succontrals, 2-b cans, \$3001 40; tomatoes, \$0.50c; sardines, domestic, 1/c, \$4 25@
4 50; sardines, 51 80@1 90; mackerel, 1-b, cans,
broiled, \$1 50; sardines, domestic, 1/c, \$4 25@
4 50; sardines, domestic, 1/c, \$4 25@
5 10.bster, 1-b, \$1 50@1 90; mackerel, 1-b, cans,
broiled, \$1 50; sardines, mustard, \$3 50; sardines, spiced, \$3 50.

FISH—Extra No. 1 do, mess, \$40; extra No. 1 mackerel, shore, \$52; extra No. 1 do, mess, \$30; No. 2
shore mackerel, \$24. Codfish—Whole pollock,
4/c \$\psi\$ \$\psi\$; 60 00; 60; do

large, 7c; boneless hake, in strips, 4/c; do

George's cod i

Sales on call at the Grain Exchange, 1 car sample corn, 34%c, 5 days, P. R. R.; 1 car same, 34c, 5 days, P. R. R.; 1 car fancy white middlings, \$17,5 days, P. R. R. Total receipts as bulletined, 55 cars. By Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne and Chicago, 5 cars of hay, 3 of barley, 1 of feed, 4 of oats, 1 of mait, 6 of flour. By Pitts-burg, Cincinnati and St. Louis, 11 cars of corn, 9 of oats, 1 of middlings. By Baltimore and Ohio, 1 car of ear corn, 2 of wheat. By Pittsburg and Lake Ere, 1 car of hay, 1 of feed, 1 of malt, 8 of flour. The tone of cereal markets shows improvement for the past few days. Ear corn and millfeed are scarce and firm. The quality of baled hay coming to the market of late is below standard, and hence prices show weakening tendencies. Loose timothy hay is searce and firm, for the reason that it is next to impossible to get it to market on account of bad roads. Flour is steady at outcations which have not risen for several months.

Prices below are for carload lots on track:

WHEAT—New No. 2 red, 83@84c; No. 3, 79@81c.

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CORN—No. 2 yellow, ear, new, 39@40c; high mixed new, 34@35c: No. 2 yellow, snelled, old, 50%@37c; new, 35@36c. Rejected shelled corn, 20@28c; high mixed shelled corn, 33@34c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 25%@29c; extra, No. 3, 27 @27%c: mixed, 25@29kc.
HYE—No. 1 Pennsylvania and Ohio, 58@54c: No. 1 Western, 51@52c.
FLOUR—Jobbing prices—Fancy winter and spring patents, 34 75@5 25; winter straight, 34 50@4 75; clear winter, 34 60@4 25; straight XXXX bakers', 33 75@4 00. Rye flour, 33 25@

winter wheat bran, \$14 50@15 00; chop feed, \$15 50@16 00.

HAY-Baled timothy, No. 1, \$11 25@11 50; No. 2 do, \$9 00@9 50; loose from wagon, \$12 00@14 00, according to quality; No. 2 prairie hay, \$7 00@ 8 00; packing do, \$5 75@7 00;

STRAY — Oat, \$6 75@7 00; wheat and rye, \$5 00@6 25.

Provisions. Sugar-cured hams, large, 93/c; sugar-cured hams, medium, 10c; sugar-cured hams, small, 103/c; sugar-cured breakhams, small, 10%c; sugar-cured break-fast bacon, 8c; sugar-cured shoulders, 6c; sugar-cured boneless shoulders, 7%c; sugar-cured California hams, 7%c; sugar-cured dried beef flats, 9c; sugar-cured dried beef sets, 10c; sugar-cured dried beef rounds, 12c; bacon, shoulders, 5%c; bacon, clear sides, 71%c; hacon clear bellies, 7%c; dry salt shoulders, 5%c; dry salt clear sides, 7c. Mess pork, heavy, \$11.50; mess pork, family, \$12.50. Lard—Refined, in tierces, 5%c; haif-barrels, 5%c; 60-B tubs, 5%c; 20-B pails, 6%c; 50-B tin cans, 5%c; 3-B tin pails, 6%c; 5 B tin pails, 6%c; 10-B tin pails, 66; 5-B tin pails, 6%c. Smoked sausage, long, 5c; larce, 5c. Fresh pork links, 9c. Boneless hams, 10%c. Pigs' feet, half-barrels, \$4.00; quarter-barrels, \$2.15.

Wool Markets.

Boston—There is no material change in the wool market. The trade is mostly in small lots, and prices remain the same. Ohio fleeces are in fair demand, but prices are in buyers favor; X is quoted at 3933ic; XX and above at 336 34c, and No. 1 at 37c. Michigan X fleeces are offered at 28c, though some holders are asking more. In No. 1, washed combing wools there have been sales at 38639c. Ohio fine delaine soid at 35c, and Michigan fine delaine at 336 34c. Territory wools are in steady demand. Sales of fine delaine have been made at 58656c; fine medium at 53655c, and medium at 50652c. Texas and California wools have been quiet. Oregon sells at 18619c for best Eastern, and down to 14615c for average. In pulled wools there have been sales to a fair extent, and principally at 39635c for super, and at 22623c for extra. Foreign wools are firm.

New York, March 25.—Pig iron quiet and weak. Copper nominal; lake. April, \$14 25. Lead dull; domestic, \$3 9234c. Tin dull and steady; straits, \$20 20.

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TO WEAK MEN

To Join the Court House and the South Side of Diamond Street. CABLE CARS WON'T BANISH HORSES.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURG DISPATCH. TUESDAY, March 25, 1890. County Commissioner McKee is an optimist as regards Pittsburg's future. Said he to a representative of THE DISPATCH yesterday: "I can remember when the second Court House of Allegheny county was first that some mills are closing up on account of the lack of demand for flour. No new crop news received. Weather colder, and lower occupied in 1842. There were four rooms provided for courts, and for a number of years only two of them were needed for court purposes. There were people in those days purposes. There were people in those days who thought the Court House was too large and that the County Commissioners of that time were extravagant in their ideas, and were building for far-off, future generations. When the Court House was burned in 1882-40 years

PITTSBURG'S FUTURE.

An Optimistic View of the City's

Needs in Coming Years.

A BRIDGE OF STONE SUGGESTED

the Court House was burned in 1882-40 years after its occupation—it was small enough for the county's needs.

The commissioners of a half century ago builded better than they knew. When the present structure was first proposed there was apposition, just as there had been to the former Court House. It now looks as though in the next 20 years the present building will be too small. If Pittsburg crows in the next 20 years as it has done the past 20 years, there will be need for the space now occupied by the University building, and another stone bridge corresponding to the Bridge of Sighs across Ross street may connect the present Court House with a building on the Diamond street side. It is my view that the county will do well to hold on to this property now in its possession, for I discovered that when we were forced to condemn the site for the present jall we had to may about two prices for the property necessary for this purpose. While I do not believe in the county going into the real estate business, I am confident that the best thing to do at this time is to hold on to the University property and lease it, as the time will come when it will be needed by the courts."

Various Industries Considered. The canned meat trade of this city, according to the testimony of one of the leading representatives, has been 25 per cent larger in volume this month than for the corresponding month of last year. This, too, in face of a 30 per cent advance on corned beef and more than per cent advance on chipped beef. A year 10 per cent advance on chipped beef. A year ago competition was sharp, and there was a treat deal of cutting. By reason of this cutting two-pound cans of corned beef were sold at \$1 50 per dozen, and chipped beef at \$1 70 per dozen. The leading producers in this line resolved to come together and dwell together in unity, and, as a result, canned corned beef is now selling at \$2 per dozen for two-pound cans, and chipped beef has advanced from \$1 70 to \$1 90 per dozen. Canned tongue did not join in the upward movement, and sells at the same price as it did a year ago.

A leading retailer of grain and hay, upon being interviewed to-day as to the effect of cable cars on his trade, said: "When the street cars on the main thoroughfares were pulled by

cars on the main thoroughfares were pulled by horses we had of course a large trade from that source, particularly in prairie hay and shell corn. Street car horses were not generally fed with eats or choice timothy hay. When the cable car era was inaugurated we had our fears that our business would be curtailed to some degree. But results have proved that our fears "New avenues for trade seem to open up as

old ones close. The city is steadily growing, and the growth is sufficient to make up for the falling off of trade by reason of the abandonment of horseflesh in the matter of transporting passengers from the city to the suburbs Trade Improved. "At all events our firm is selling more horse and cowfeed this spring than ever before. Every time something new becomes popular, The croakers, whose name is legion, bewail the trades are going to the wall. In our line there is no sign of eclipse. With all the new methods of the state of the sign of eclipse. With all the new methods of the state of the sign of eclipse.

trades are going to the wall. In our line there is no sign of eclipse. With all the new methods of locomotion and transportation introduced of late years, the demand for grain and hay gives no signs of diminution."

In the interview with this retailer of grain and hay it was developed that the quality of hay on the market the past few mouths has been as a rule much below the average in quality. Said he: "The quality of hay coming to our markets this season from the West has as much to do with quietness of trade as anything else. We have no trouble selling a choice article of hay, but find it difficult to obng else. We have no trouble selling a nice article of hay, but find it difficult to ob-nit. In the past few weeks loose timothy has been at a premium, for the reason that it has been next to impossible for farmers in this section to get it to market on account of the wretched condition of roads."

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. The Condition of Business at the East Liberty

Stock Yards. OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH, TUESDAY, March 25, 1890. TUESDAY, March 25, 1890.

CATTLE—Receipts, 280 head: shipments, 160 head; market barely steady at yesterday's prices. No cattle shipped to New York to-day. Hous—Receipts, 1,100 head: shipments, 800 head: market slow; medium and selected, 84 40@ 4 50; Yorkers, 84 10@4 30; pag, \$4 00@4 10; 2 cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000 head: shipments, 1,400 head; market firm at yesterday's prices.

By Telegraph.

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NEW YORK—Beeves—Receints, 1,867 head, all for sheughterers and exporters. No trading in beeves: dressed beef steady at 6@73/c per h; exports to-day, 336 beeves and 516 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 272 head; very little trading; market steady; veals, \$5 00@7 00 per 100 hs; buttermilks and calves, \$3 00@4 00. Sheep—Receipts, 1,852 head; market firm; sheep. \$5 25@6 15 per 100 hs; lambs, \$6 25@7 40; dressed mutton steady at 9@10c per h; dressed lambs firm at 94/cmile. Hogs—Receipts, 4,234 head; all direct to slaughterers, except 24 head; market firm at \$4 40@4 70 per

Sr. Louis-Cattle-Receipts, 2,100 head; ship-ST. LOUIS—Cattle—Receipts, 2,100 head; shipments, 300 head; market strong; good to fancy native steers, \$3,3054 90; fair to good do, \$3,40 694 40; stockers and feeders, \$2,3063 50; Texans and Indians, \$2,4063 70. Hogs—Receipts, 6,800 head; shipments, 900 head; market higher; fair to choice heavy, \$1,1069 20; packing grades, \$4,00 64 10; light, fair to best, \$4,0064 15. Sheep—Receipts, 300 head; shipments, 500 head; market strong; fair to choice, \$4,0065 60. KANSAS CITY—Cattie—Receipts, 4,800 head; shipments, 2,300 head; market steady to strong and active; steers, 83 30@1 80; cows, 82 00@ 3.20; stockers and feeders, 82 60@3 50. Hogs-Receipts, 6,500 head; shipments, 1,400 head; market stronger; all grades, 83 90@4 10; bulk, 84 00@1 05. Sheep—Receipts, 2,700 head; shipments, 3,100 head; market active and 5c higher; good to choice lambs and mutters, 83 2000 to

with a capital of \$50,000. In Boston yesterday money loaned at 4 per cent, with the surplus about used up. THE Sugar Trust controls 22 refineries; 15 of them are shut down and 7 are in operation. THE anthracite companies are about to shut Tollebo-Cloverseed dull; cash and March, down several more collieries. Trade gets worse instead of better.

RAILWAY earnings continuo large. Nearly all the lines reporting this month show heavy gains over February. THE Oregon Transcontinental Company has

completed arrangements for the retirement of \$10,000,000 of its bonds on May 13. STRAUB & MORRIS-Real estate is quiet only on the surface. We have done more in the last ten days than ever before in the same length of

St. Louis—Wool in good demand for Texas and Territory grades; Texas, 8 to 12 months' bright medium, 252/23/c; coarse braid, 188/21c; fine light, 2022; do heavy, 152/8c; Territory, 4 to 6 months' bright medium, 192/30c; coarse leadd, 146/16c; fine light, 162/8c; de heavy, 118/16c.

WAYNESBURG is to have a national bank

WISCONSIN Central Railway earnings for Mining Quotations. Mining Quotations.

New York, March 25.—Mining quotations:
Alice, Ili; Caledonia B. H., 180; Consolidated
California and Virginia, 405; Commonwealth,
225; Comstock T. bid, 29:00; do scrip, 29:00;
Deadwood T., 125; Eureka Consolidated, 2:75;
El Cristo, 145; Freeland, 100; Gould and Curry,
130; Homestake, 825; Horn Silver, 220; Iron
Silver, 185; North Belle 1sle, 100; Ophir, 385;
Plymouth, 225; Savage, 1:55; Sutter Creek,
1:75. the third week in March were \$93,000, an in-crease of 23 per cent.

than characterized their movement the past few days. Foreign market advices were generally of a less favorable tenor. A dispatch was received from Toledo saying

MARKETS BY WIRE. Wheat Dull and Wenker-Foreign Advices

Unfavorable-Hog Products Moder-

ately Active and Irregular-

Oats Strong and

Higher.

CHICAGO-Wheat-Very light trade to-day, and the market was dull and weaker. Changes

in prices, however, were only slight. The mar-

ing, to a shade above, and under fair offerings the market weakened, and prices declined 1/4c, recovered some, ruled quiet and steady, and

closed about 3/c lower than yesterday. There

was a dearth of outside news, and also business

doing on outside account. Operators generally

inclined to await developments, and even local traders manifested less disposition to operate

ket opened about the same as yesterday's clos

by the clevator proprietors against their holdings.

Corn ruled quiet and inactive during most of the session, but little interest being manifested, values showing little change compared with yesterday. The feeling prevailing was comparatively steady, notwithistanding the heavy movement. The market opened at yesterday's closing prices, was steady for a time, then advanced 1/2 upon the buying of 100,000 bushels of May by a local commission house, ruled easier and closed a shade lower than yesterday.

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Oats were fairly active, strong and higher; prices advanced ½c, and closing sales were at intermediate prices. There was free selling by a large holder and good buying by shorts and miscellaneous traders, which caused the firmness. There was good selling on the firm spots, and fluctuations were numerous, prices for May touching the extremes several times.

Pork—A moderately active trade was reported, but the feeling was somewhat unsettled. Opening sales were made at 10c advance on the closing figures of Monday, but some realizing by longs caused a reduction of 12½@ 15c. Toward the close the feeling was steadier, and prices railled slightly and the market closed quiet.

Lard—Trading was quite active and steady in

closed quiet.

Lard—Trading was quite active and steady in freely. Lard—Trading was quite active and steady in the day. Shorts purchased quite freely, especially for May and July delivery, and opening sales were made at 22465c advance. Later there was more pressure on local trading, accompanied with a reduction of 5675/c. The market closed steady at inside figures. Short rib sides—Trading was moderately active. Prices ruled 25465c higher early, but the appreciation was not maintained, and the market closed rather tame at about inside figures.

Ures.
The leading futures ranged as follows:
WHEAT—No. 2, March, 801/@801/@80@80c;
May. \$1@811/@801/@801/c; July, 79@791/@
783/@785/ct.
CORN—No. 2, April, 283/@283/@283/@283/c;
May. "35/@283/@283/@283/c; July, 31@811/@31

July, \$5 25@5 27/@5 22/@5 23.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour dull but firm. No. 2 spring wheat, 79/@80c; No. 3 spring wheat, 79/@80c; No. 2 red, 79/@80c. No. 2 corn. 28/gc, No. 2 cats, 21/gc, No. 2 rye, 42/gc, No. 2 bariey, nominal. No. 1 flax-seed, \$1 48/gc, No. 2 bariey, nominal. No. 1 flax-seed, \$1 48/gc, Prime timothy seed, \$1 20. Mess pork, per bbl, \$10 50. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$6 15. Short ribs sides (loose), \$5 10@5 15; dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$4 40@4 50; short clear sides (boxed), \$4 45@4 50. Sugars—Unchanged. Receipts—Flour, 15,000 busrels: wheat, 27,000 bushels; rye, 7,000 bushels; bariey, 40,000 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 7,000 barrels; wheat, 8,000 bushels; corn, 194,000 bushels; cats, 165,000 bushels; rye, 4,000 bushels; bariey, 16,000 bushels.

On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was easier; fancy Elgin creamery, 24@24/gc; finest Wespern, 21@23c; finest dairies, 20@24/gc; finest Wespern, 21@23c; finest dairies, 20@22c; fine, 14@15c. Eggs, 13/gc]4c.

New YORK—Flour duli and unchanged.

market was easier; lancy Light creamery, 24g 24%c; finest Wespern, 21@28c; finest dairies, 20@ 22c; fine, 14@15c. Eggs, 13%@14c.

New York—Flour duli and unchanged. Wheat—Spot dull, lower and weak; options moderately active; 3@3%c off, and weak. Rye firm. Barley firm; Western, 45@62c. Barley malt quiet; Canada 72%@87%c. Corn—Spot moderately active; 1/c down and weak; options down and weak. Oats—Spot generally steady and quiet; options moderately active and steady. Hay quiet and steady. Hops quiet and easy. Coffee—Options opened steady, unchanged to 5 points up; closing steady, 10@20 noints us; sales, 36,500 bwga including March. 17.85@17.90c; April, 17.35@17.45c; May, 17.25c; June, 16.85@16.85c; July, 16.70c; August, 16.50 (216.65c; September, 16.75c; December, 16.75c; October, 16.75c; June, 16.85@16.85c; July, 16.70c; August, 16.50 (216.55c; September, 16.75c; December, 16.75c; December, 16.75c; December, 16.75c; December, 16.75c; October, 16.75c; June, 16.85c; spot Rio firmer, more active; fair cargoes, 20%c; No. 7 flat bean, 18%@19c. Sugar—Raw quiet and lower; fair refining, 4%c; centrifugal, 96° test, 57-16c; sales, 550 hogsheads; Muscovado, 89° test, 4%c; refined quiet and lower; mold A, 6-3-16c; standard A, 6-1-16c, confectionery A, 5%c; cut-loaf, 7%c; powdered. 6%c; granulated, 6-3-16c; cubes, 6-3-16c. Molasses — Foreign steady; two cargoes of Cuba sold at 21%c for 50° test; New Orleans steady and quiet. Rice steady and quiet. Cottonseed oil strong; crude, 28c; yellow, 33%@34c. Tallow firm. Rosin quiet; strained, common to good, \$117@117%. Turpentine dull and lower at 42c. Eggs firmer; Western, 14%c15c; receipts, 6,600 backages. Wool quiet and steady; domestic fleece, 32@ 36c; puiled, 27@27%c; Texas, 13@20c. Pork firm; mess, old, \$10.25ml, 75; do, new, \$11.50@12; extra prime, \$9@10. Cutmeats strong and in good demand. Middles quiet; short clear, \$5.50. tierces; April, \$6.94; May, \$6.696; September, \$6.72@673. closing at \$6.95; May, \$6.696; September, \$6.72@673. closing at \$6.95; May, \$6.696; September, \$

trading; market steady; veals, \$5 00@7 00 per 100 hs; buttermilks and calves, \$5 00@7 00 per 100 hs; buttermilks and calves, \$5 00@7 00 per 100 hs; buttermilks and calves, \$5 00@7 00 per 100 hs; beaution steady at 9@10c per 100 hs; dressed mutton steady at 9@10c per 10c per

Bylo. Eggs scarce and nigher, remsylvania firsts, lic.

St. Louis—Flour firm but unchanged. Wheat—Notwithstanding various bear influences, prices opened 1-16c better and advanced &c more, but later on, free selling and weak markets elsewhere, there was a reaction, and May closed &@&c. July \$\frac{1}{2}\text{\text{\text{May}}}\text{\text{constant}}\$ to 2, cash, firm at 78%c; May, 77%6 78c; closed at 77%c; July \$\frac{1}{2}\text{\text{\text{May}}}\text{\text{constant}}\$ to 2, cash, firm at 78%c; May, 77%6 78c; closed at 77%c; July, 75%6 79%c; closed at 77%c; bid. Corn opened steady, improved a fraction, then declined and closed slightly under yesterday, No. 2, cash, 25%25%c; May, 20%6 20%c; July, 27%627%c; August, 25%c. Oats—No. 2, cash, in good ocmand, but none offered; May sold early at 22%c and closed at 22%c. Rye—No sales, 40%640%c bid. Barley quiet; Minnesota, 45c. Flaxsed steady at \$1.40. Provisions steady, with a fair jobbing trade. Pork, \$10.50.

Minneapolis—Receipts of wheat for the

ments, 3,100 head; market active and 5c higher; good to choice lambs and muttons, \$3 50@5 40; stockers and feeders, \$4 60@4 25.

BUFF? LO-Cattle steady and unchanged; receipts, 39 loads through; no sale. Sheep and lambs steady and firm: receipts, 5 loads through sale. Hogs slow and lower; receipts, 18 loads through, 8 sale; medium and heavy, \$4 35; Yorkers, \$4 25@4 30; pies, \$4 10@4 15; roughs, \$4 50@5 85; stags, \$3 00@3 25.

Business Notes.

\$10 50.

Minneapolis—Receipts of wheat for the day were 136 cars, with 19 shipped out. Cash wheat was not in active demand and some holders pronounced it a hard day to sell wheat. The buving was principally by local millers, though some wheat was taken for other account. Closing quorations: No. 1 hard, April, 784; Sir Yorkers, \$4 25@4 30; pies, \$4 10@4 15; roughs, \$4 50@5 85; stags, \$3 00@3 25.

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No. 2 spring, on track, cash, 74c; May, 733/c;
No. 1 Northern, 82c. Corn firm; No. 3 con
track, 29c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, on track,
245/c. Rye firm; No. 1, in store, 44/c. Barley firm; No. 2, in store, 43/c. Provisions
steady. Pork, \$10.35. Lard, \$5.15. Cheese
steady; cheddars, 10@105/c.

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

in real estate on a large scale at and in the immediate vicinity of Hazelwood. It has re-

cently purchased the St. Michael Seminary property consisting of a fraction over eight acres, for \$25,000, and 12 lots on Second avenue at prices approximating \$1,000 each. The syndicate is at present negotiating with Samuel W. Black & Co., for 17 lots on Second avenue, being part of the Blair estate. It is not definitely known what will be done with the Seminary property, but it will probably be held for an advance. The lots will be improved the coming summer by the erection of a number of brick dwellings, material for which will be manufactured at Oakland. The syndicate has several other big deals pending, one for a large slice of the Blair

THE GOBBLING ACT

It is Being Successfully Played at

Hazelwood and Vicinity.

ST. MICHAEL'S SEMINARY SITE

And a Number of Building Lots Picked Up

by a Railway Syndicate.

MORE SMALL HOUSES FOR THE PEOPLE

A syndicate composed mainly, it is stated,

of gentlemen connected with the Second

avenue electric street car line, is operating

estate. It proposes to do its part toward supplying the demand for small houses. The eletric railway people, in anticipation of a rush of travel on their road this season, partly in consequence of a reduction of fare to 5 cents, to take effect April 1, and partly to acquire homes while property is comparatively cheap, have ordered an additional number of cars, which will about double the carrying capacity of the road. They will be put on a the beginning of the month.

It is the custom of a certain class of business men in the East to use the banks to collect doubtful claims, generally for small amounts. The business is said to be growing, and is becoming a nuisance to the banks, which are expected to do the work for nothing. Some of them are becoming restive under the imposttion, and have determined to charge a fee hereafter for such services. The following from a prominent bank officer is to the point:
"It is quite time for banks to refuse to col-

lect traders' bills. Some time ago a seller passed this way with samples of soap. He sold one or more boxes at a dozen different places at this and neighboring towns. He went home, shipped the soap, and drew bills of exchange for the amount (no protest). which came to us for collection. As absurd as this seems it is paralleled constantly. I am in favor of a general refusal. Aside from the expensive nature of the business, it is contrary to a proper dignity on the part of a national bank to allow such business to be forced upon it, but it requires combined action to stop it, I believe that a bank should make exceptions to meet special cases, but special cases do not come every day, nor by the dozen." A Wood street financier said yesterday that business of the kind in question was beneath

the dignity of a reputable banking institution, and that, so far as he knew, Pittsburg banks invariably refused to have anything to do with it. To convert the banks into mere dunning machines would lower their standing and sub ject them to ridicule and suspicion.

BAD FOR BOOMS.

several Specialties in the Stock Market Take a Tumble. The brokers who assembled on 'Change yes terday as a solemn duty to themselves and their clients, had very little appetite for business, and the result was a dull and weak market. Total sales were 215 shares. Nearly everything on the active list developed a declining tendency from the start.
Pleasant Valley, Central Traction and Philadelphia Gas were the principal sufferers, all scoring fractional losses and closing at the lowest point of the day. The Monongaheia National and Supply and Storage Company were the only things that recorded a decided improvement.

There was talk of something to happen to Westinghouse Electric which would lift it out of the rut. All that can be said of it at present is that local holders show no disposition to part with the stock. Pitts, P. S. & M. Ex. 4:5 Exchange Nat. Bank. 85% Freehold Bank. 920 German Nat. Bank. 220 Keystone Bank of P'g 69 60 Bridgewater H. Co... Chartiers V. Gas Co... People's N. G. & P. Co. Pennsylvania Gas Co... Pilia Gas Co... Pilia Gas Go... Tuna Oil Co... Tuna Oil Co... 31% 31 31% 65 1834 Central Traction..... 27%

The G. S. & Stor. Co... 105 At the first call 20 shares of Luster sold at

At the last call 5 shares of Pittsburg, Allegheny and Manchester brought 290, 140 Central Traction 27%, and 50 Westinghouse Electric 45. Between calls 50 Westinghouse Electric went t 45%. J. F. Stark sold 50 shares of Luster at 17. M. L. Jenkins & Co. sold 20 shares of Luster at 17% and 20 at 16%. W. H. Watt sold 20 shares Pleasant Valley at Zi4. Charles L. McCutcheon sold 50 shares Phila-Charles L. McCutcheon sold 50 shares Phila-delphia Gas at 31%.

The total sales of stocks at New York yester-day were 225,615 shares, including Atchison, 14,370; Louisville and Nashville, 3,385; Missouri Pacific, 3,140; Oregon Transcontinental, 4,175; Reading, 4,100; St. Paul, 4,200; Union Pacific, 870.

THE OUTLOOK FOR MONEY. Everything Points to an Ensy Market and

The favorable condition of the Pittsburg banks gives assurance of continued ease in the local money market. While they are doing a fair discount business, there is no drain upon their resources, which have been strengthened the past few weeks, and they will enter upon the spring trade, which is almost at hand, with an abundance of capital to sustain every interest that may be in need of financial support. The knowledge of this fact will do much to en-The knowledge of this fact will do much to encourage business expansion.

As to rates the opinion very widely prevails that there will be no material change for some months. The supply seems to be equal to the demand at all of the leading trade centers. Exports of specie to Europe are light and almost entirely on private account, and there is nothing to indicate an increase. The balance of trade being in our favor is drawing money from abroad.

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A considerable part of the funds sent South and West last fall found permanent employment and remained. Hence those sections will require less assistance this season than usual. This will add to the ease of the Eastern market and swell the amount of funds for local use, and by stimulating competition in the loan market maintain rates at the present low level or possibly at a concession. or possibly at a concession.

Business yesterday was up to the average of Business yesterday was up to the average of the month, and considerably above last year's level. Discounts, for which there was a fair demand, were on the basis of 667 per cent. Checking was good and depositing brisk, more than balancing the outflow. Most of the banks reported currency easy. Exchanges were \$430,724 74 and balances \$431,486 72.

Money on call at New York yesterday was easy, ranging at 4 per cent, last loan \$, closed offered at 3. Prime mercantile paper. \$46714. Sterling exchanges quiet but paper. \$46714.

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The Post says the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the "Granger cases" vesterday, which probably helped to give the market an upward turn in the last hour

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ortnern facific pl... 73% Orio & Mississippi.... 20 Oregon Improvement. Oregon Transcon 385 Pacific Mail

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STOCKS RATHER SPASMODIC.

Henry Clews' Review of the Situation in the

private affairs. One of the most absurd ideas of this nature is that of Senator Stanford, that the Government should issue its notes to farm-

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AN \$8,000 PENSION FRAUD.