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All communications for this department should be mailed to reach THE DISPATCH not later than Saturday morning. Reasonable space will be freely given to all organizations lassified under this heading.

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The Golden Engles.

Star of the West Castle No. 93 has removed to Maltby's Hall, No. 76 Fifth avenue. Jasper M. Thompson Castle No. 315, of Union-town, Pa., will hold an entertainment on April

23. Venus Castle No. 291 has removed to No. 102 Fourth avenue, and will meet hereafter on Wednesday evenings. Anchor Castle No. 388 will hereafter meet at No. 108 Fifth avenue. This castle initiated and conferred degrees on seven applicants at their last meeting.

Manchester Castie No. 212 is making preparation for a musical and literary entertainment to be held April 10 in the Sixth ward school-house, Allegheny.

Brother Knight James McKee will on April 1 suce & G. E. directory. This will certainly be agrand thing, not only for the local brethren, but all visiting brothers. Pride of Afton Castle No. 170, of Willow

Pride of Afton Castle No. 170, of Willow Grove, received 6 propositions, initiated 7 and conferred degrees on 9 candidates at their meet-ing last Monday evening. Representative P. C. R. Crawford will leave for the session of the Grand Castle at Allen-town to-merrow morning, and expects to be home again about Sunday next.

D. G. C. Samuel Hacknelder had to hustle to make the train this morning. It took all of last night to institute the new castle at Rey-noldton. Quite a number of Pittsburg Knights a visit. assisted.

On last Friday evening a week ago Acme Castle No. 352 K. G. E., was instituted on the Southside. Last evening Castle No. 355 was in-stituted at Revnoldton, near McKeesport. Sev-eral more will be instituted at an early date.

Lorena Castle No. 131 received four propositions and conferred degrees on four candidates last Tuesday evening. Brother Knight Grant Miller was elected and installed Master of dates ords for the ensuing term.

Prize No. 6, donated by Louis E. Stilz & Bro., of a slik flag, valued at \$50,has been changed by order of the firm named, and will be awarded to the castle in Allegheny county turning out the largest number in the parade May 27, in proportion to their membership

Fayette county has been divided into two Fayette county has been divided informed to two districts. The second district is made up of Fayette Castle No. 280, of Smithfield, and Jasper M. Thompson Castle No. 315, of Union-town. James H. Surd, of Uniontown, has been appointed Grand Chief of this district. This Sabbath morning the officers of the Design of the pro-

This Sabbath morning the officers of the General Committee will leave via the P. R. R. for Philadelphia, Allentown, New York, Balti-more and Washington to visit Allentown dur-ing the session of the Grand Castle, and to boom and stir up the Eastern commanderies and castles to visit Pittsburg May 27, 1860. Chief Marshal Heber McDowell and Adjutant E. T. White will go loaded with printed matter, such as programmes, etc., etc., of the coming demonstration in Pittsburg. Chief of Staff Elliott McCall will join the brothers at Allen-town Tuesday noon. A large sumber of repre-tentatives from this vicinity will accompany the hrothers, making a nice jolly crowd. John L. Dawson Commandery, composed of

the brothers, making a nice jolly crowd. John L. Dawson Commandery, composed of members of Jasper M. Thompson Castle, No. 3L, of Uniontown, has organized with 45 mem-bers and elected the following officers: S. W. Rossell, Captain; H. A. Crow, First Lieutenant; C. W. Fowler, Second Lieutenant, Full regula-tion for the following officers: S. W. C. W. Fowler, Second Lieurenant. Full regula-tion uniforms have been ordered, and the first public appearance of the company will be in Pittsburg on the occasion of the assembling of the Supreme Castle in May next. The Com-mandery was named in bonor of John L. Daw-son, who so ally represented Fayette county in Congress for several terms and who was the father of the Homestead Act. An entertain-ment for the benefit of the Commandery will be held in the Grand Opera House at Uniontown on April 23. OD April 23 The first commandery ever organized in this teinity to turn out in full uniform was Louis 5. Stur Commandery No. 69, First Lieutenant Wages. B. Patterson commanding, and Iona Castle No. 255, of Hazeiwood, was the honored castle to receive the first visit, which took place last Wednesday evening. The commandery, in all 100 strong, was met at Hazelwood station by loos Castle with a band of music, and escorted to the hall. The castle adjourned, after attend-ing to important business, to Moore's Hall, where a sumptions repast awaited the boys. A varied programme, music, exhibition drills, etc., was enjoyed by all present. At the close of the evening's entertainment, Past Chief Thomas Dunlap, in behalf of Iona Castle No. 265, presented Past Chief E. T. White, of Star of the West Castle No. 95, with a beautint, hirge take, in honor of services rendered in helping to receive Iona. Brother White took the casts. After giving three cheers each to Louis E. Still Commandery, Iona Castle and Scho Band, the evening's sport ended. ona Castle with a hand of music, and escorted



Some fine photographs of Virgillio Tojetti's what in advance of anything that has been shown here for a considerable time. It may not, perhaps, have been excouted entirely with a palette knife, but the work is of such a char-acter as to convey that impression; and it is beyond question that the knife has been an im-portant instrument in its production. There is a vein of poetic fancy running through this ap-parently slightly executed work, and as regards color and general tone, it is particularly good. A tables have been an interest have been A LARGE number of paintings have been sold from the Haseltine collection, and the class of works selected gives the best evidence of increasing good taste on the part of picture buyers of this city. The most important pic-ture sold was the large Gerome, and after that come works by Schreyer, Van Marcke, Rico Roybet and Vinea. All are valuable additions

Mr. Louis Christman, Thirty-sixth st., Law-renceville.

"My trouble dates back to last October, when I fell and broke two ribs. I never fully recov-ered from my fall, and during the liness at-tending it I contracted a catarthai trouble in addition to my other mjury. My head and nose stopped up, My eyes were weak and watery. There were roaring and buzzing noises in my ears. I had a dull, heavy pain in my forehead, could feel the mucus dropping back into my throat. I coughed and raised constantly. Sharp pains would shoot through my cheat. Palpitation of the heart set in followed by slow, irregular breathing, and a feeling of faint-ness. I would arise in the morning more tired than when I went to bed. I had no appetite. There was a nameating sensation in my stom-ach after eating. I became weaker and weaker, until the slightest exertion tired me. I tried various pluysicians and different reme-dies, but obtained no relief. After reading of the wonderful success of Drs. Copeland & Blair with similar cases, I called on them. Finding their charges lower even than patent medi-cines, I began treatment. I soon began to feel an improvement, and now all the symptoms "My trouble dates back to last October, when

cines, I began treatment. I soon began to feel an improvement, and now all the symptoms have disappeared. I am satisfied that I am once more in perfect health." Mr. Louis Christman can be seen at either of the above mentioned places, and this inter-view readily verified. HOME TREATMENT.

Jacob Altmeyer, of Risher, opposite McKees-port, Pia, states: "I commenced treatment for my estarthal trouble with Drs. Copeiand & Biair on June 29, 1889. I now feel like a differ-

Drs. Copeland & Blair, and now states: "I am perfectly well, and ows my recovery to their treatment." Mr. Harry Phillips, of Hulton, Pa., has this

to say of his successful treatment for catarrh with Drs. Copeland & Blair: "I was in very bad shape, but now feel like a different being, and as well as I ever did in my life."

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ahead of the corresponding time in 1889. This was a great achievement under the circum-stances, and shows conclusively that her prosper-ity rests on a solid basis, and is not easily af-

Local securities were fairly active. Liquidation was the rule, but in the face of this several of the specialties showed gains at the close, and the feeling throughout was better. Petroleum was dull and active by spells, according to the

Philadelphia Stocks

Business Notes.

It was stated yesterday that the St. Peter's

Church congregation would make no change until the property was sold, of which there is no prospect at present.

RAILROAD earnings continue to show large

gains over the same time last year. Those of the Northern Pacific for the third week of the current month increased \$21,214.

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also their mode of advertising. No higher compliment could be paid Dra. Copeland & Blair than this miniature miniary. That the public has long since ascer-tained that "they are the people" to successfully treat catarrh and all its numerous complica-tions, can be easily proven by a visit to their handsome offices, 60 Sixth avenue, where dur-ing office hours the reception rooms are always full of persons waiting to consult Dr. Copeland, who is personally in charge of his extensive practice. head; market, nothing doing; all through con-signments; 2 cars cattle shipped to New York practice Hogs-Receipts, 2,500 head; shipments, 2,000 tion of the public is called this week. Is that of Mr. Louis Christman, His home is in Steuben-ville, O., but he is at present residing in the section of this city known as Lawrenceville, on head; market firm; medium and selected, \$4 40@ ville, O., but he is at present residing in section of this city known as Lawrenceville, the corner of Thirty-sixth and Charlotte stree To the writer Mr. Uhristman said: 4 45; common to best Yorkers, \$4 25@4 40; pigs, \$4 00@4 10; 3 cars hogs shipped to New York today. SHEEP-Receipts, 1,600 head; shipments, 1,000 head; market steady at unchanged prices.

ART NOTES AND GOSSIP.

picture, "Frametta," are shown at the art

to the average observer as being rather too pos-

itive as regards color; but, since the artist has endeavored to depict the scene exactly as it ap-

neared, it is quite probable that the picture is earer the truth than popular opinion on the

subject. The scene is one such as affords Mr.

subject. The scene is one such as affords Mr. Woodwell an opportunity for what seems to be his favorite style of composition-a marine view, showing a considerable expanse of water, and the sublight falling strongly upon the beach in the foreground. The water toward the horizon is of an unusually deep blue which causes it to be outlined sharply against the light-toned sky, and this, together with the bright, warm tints of the foreground, forms a succession of strong contrasts such as are but rarely seen. In composition the picture is sim-ple but effective, as are most of the works by this artist, and the handling is of the modern scientific style of heavy, substantial painting. The color of the work as a whole is pleasing and it is doubtless as truthful as are most of the pictures that portray nature's rare effects.

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

-Many of the striking dock laborers at Liverpool have returned to work.

-Cigar operatives at Jacksonville, Fia., pro-test against increasing the tariff on clear Havana tobacco.

Havana tobacco. --Mrs. John Taylor, 80 years old, of Vanport,

-Mrs. John Taylor, 80 years old, of Vanport, Pa., was fatally burned yesterday by her cloth-ing catching fire from a grate. -Andrew Hanosky, Hungarian miner, was beheaded yesterday by a Baltimore and Ohio shifter near Morgans station, Pa.

shifter near Morgans station, Pa.
—Troops have gone into the Navajo Reservation to drive out a party of prospectors who are hunting for the "Lost Adams diggings."
—The horribly mutilated body of Mrs. Julia Mettman was found in the river at Leavenworth. Suspicion points to the husband.
—The John W. Kanffman Milling Company's elevator, St. Louis, was destroyed by fire yesterday, caused by an electric light wire. Loss, \$250,000; fully insured.
—The British scaler Pathfinder, which was seized in Bebring Sea last year by a United States revenue cutter and afterward escaped, has again been captured.

-Attorney General Martin has resigned from the Manitoba Cabinet because his fol-lowers do not agrees with him on separate school and railroad questions.

-E Eckbart of Faulton, N. D., yesterday out his wife's throat and stabled his two sons because they had testified against him on a charge of attempting to kill a neighbor. Eck-hart fled.

hart field.
Forty thousand employes in the factories in Catalonia, Spain, have gone on strike, A conference is being held between the leaders of the strikers and their employers with a view to an adjustment of the differences. The strikers are quiet.
At Cantoocook, N. H., a shock of earthquake was distinctly felt Friday night shortly after 10 o'clock. Most of the people were in bed, and very sensibly noticed the positive though brief rumble and motion. It was also noticeable in several surrounding towns.
The town of Mitchells Station, about ten miles from Cupepper, Va., was almost totally destroyed by fire. It started in the sawmill, and the heavy gale at the time quickly carried

and the heavy gale at the time quickly carried the flames to the Virginia Midland Railroad depot and the houses around about. Insurance trifling.

trifling. -At Pittsboro, N. C., James P. Davis was hanged in the presence of 4,000 spectators, for the murder of John Horton, a young farmer, in November last. He confessed his crime, and further stated that his real name was Shackel-the the stated that his real name was Shackel-

ford, and that while hving in South Carolina several years ago he had murdered his six children.

- For some time past repeated enorts have been made to rob the store of Abraham Marks, a New York tailor. Marks, who lived upstairs over the store, concluded that he would occupy the store at night for protection. He armed himself with a revolver. This morning about 5 block he new mon crisulting the protection.

o'clock he saw a man crawling through the window, and shot him dead.

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-The first Legislature of the State of Wash-

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A Brief Resume of the Wonderful

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MR. CHRISTMAN'S STATEMENT.

During the past year readers of THE DIS-

PATCH have doubtless noticed the state-

ments of different persons who have been

cured of their catarrhal troubles by Drs.

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each week, and the interviews are given as

stated by the patients themselves, accompa-

nied by a cut of the party and his or her ad-

dress, so that they can be readily verified.

So marked has been their success that other

parties have unsuccessfully attempted to imi-

tate, not only their method of practice, bat

MR. CHRISTMAN'S STATEMENT.

The individual statement to which the atten

also their mode of advertising.

ent man, and shall be pleased to state my case and recommend their treatment to anyone addressing me." Mr. William Barnes, of Hickman, Pa., was MR. JOSEPH R. WOODWELL has a painting taste and smell. He was under the care of Drs. Copeland & Blair, and now states: "I am

chine house, 70x24 feet, on Jose

third ward

Fidelity Lodge, of Allegheny, has two candi-

dates for next meeting. Lincoln Lodge, of the Southside, is gaining

new members at every meeting. Linden Lodge, of Oakiand, met on last Friday evening. One candidate was initiated and two applications were acted upon.

Organizer at Large Osmord has a charter list mude up for a lodge at Mansfield, Pa., which will be instituted early in April.

will be instituted early in April. Central Lodge will hold an important meet-ing in Assembly Hall, corner Center avenue and Erin street, on next Saturday evenug. Gas City Lodge, of this city, received one ap-plication for membership on last Tneeday even-ing. Brothers W. S. Sharon, Alfred Morton and James T. McMaster were appointed a com-mittee to improve the ritualistic work and to organize a degree team. The second of the second action with the second of the

Duquesne Lodge, of this city, met on last Duquessie Looge, of this city, met on hast Thursday evalue, an lowestigating and Audit-ing Committee was appointed to examine the books and accounts of W. J. McGregor, the mussing collector, John E. Robbins, of 801 Wood street, was appointed collector pro tem. The regular meetings of Duquessae Lodge will be held bereafter on the third floor at No. 102 Fourth avenue, on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. month.

The State Commander, accompanied by a del-The State Commander, accompanied by a del-egation representing five ledges, officially vis-fied Crafton Lodge, at Crafton Pa., on last Monday night. The Crafton degree team ex-emplified the improved degree work on two prominent gentlemen. Two applications were received. Addresses were made by Frank S. Heisiev, C. C. Craft, A. H. Mercer, Esq., John E. Hobbins, N. V. F. Wilson, Louis C. Eihler, Fill C. Nerkey and others. Alfred Morton receited his poem, "The Golden Chain." George A. Charles gave plano solos. The visitors were cordially entertained by Cafton Lodge.

Select Knights.

The next visit of regimental officers will be made to Duquesue Legion No. 10, due notice of Page 15 of this issue. made to Dunge given,

Grand Vice Commander of Bellvue Legion in Grand vice Commander of Bellvue Legion is certainly a fine singer, as he proved beyond a doubt at the open meeting of Bellvue Lodge of A. O.; U. W. a few evenings since, but he should see to it that the longe organ is trained to behave itself better on public occasions.

There will be a meeting of the board of offi-There will be a meeting of the board of effi-cers at the Central Horel on Tuesday evening, April 1, upon which occaston the Colonel re-quests that all officers will be present, and also all of the comrades who have taken out benefit tickets. Business of importance is to be trans-cound

The benefit for the regimental fund, to be beld at the Opera House on Wednesday even-ing. April 2 bids fair to be a great success. Tickets are on sale at Young & Smith's, Fed-eral street, Allegheny: Hamilton's music store, Fifth avenue, and at Central Hotel. Any tickets purchased at the boxofice of the Opera Huinse to not count for the benefit of the racitouse do not count for the benefit of the regi

sday evening last Colonel C. V. Lewis and staff, accompanied by delegations from the different legions of the two cities, paid an of-ficial visit to Monorgabela Legion No. 27 at Mt. Washington, and was received by the com-rades of No.27 in a royal manner. Speech making was the order of the evening, after which a splendid repast was furnished by No.

the audience was in a very pleasant way en and the audience was in a very pleasant way en-tertained by a well selected concert of vocal and instrumental music and many speeches. The meeting was opened by Mr. Bruno Wahl, editor of the Freicht Freund, with an ad-dress. Grand Councilor William C. Crowell, Past Imperial Councilor William Pratt Read and Past Grand Councilor Thomas Stout, of Philadelphia, also spoke. A banquet followed. A MINERS' MASS MEETING

Wagen

The money market presented the same con-ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 trolling features so often referred to during IRWIN, March 29 .- A mass meeting of the month. The supply was abundant, and the miners employed at the works of the rates steady at 627 per cent. There was no Westmoreland and Penn Gas Coal comtrouble to discount gilt-edged paper at 6. There was a fair demand for accommodations, but de-positing was heavy, and the result of the week's panies will be held at this place Tuesday, to consider the wages question. It has been perations was a considerable addition to the customary for the operators to confer with volume of unemployed capital. Indications of their miners on April 1 for several years and a brisk suring trade continue encouraging, but arrange a scale for the ensuing year. For two years the rate has remained the same, 60 cents per ton, and considering the briskit may be delayed somewhat by storms and bad ness of the coal trade, the miners think this

OTHET BUT STEADY. Business in Local Securities Picking Up-A Better Feeling.

Blocks would have brought more. The cau-

tions manner in which things were handled

is too low. At Tuesday's meeting delegates will be chosen to call upon the operators and dis-Golden Chain. Pittsburg Lodge on hastWednesday night, re-would affect nearly 2,000 men. There was nothing in the stock market yes terday to arouse enthusiasm or cause-excitement. Sales were 75 shares, all in small lots.

WEST VIRGINIA'S GUSHER.

A Thousaud-Barrel Well Struck Near St. Mary's. TOTAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

tious manner in which things were handled showed that it would take very little to start an unward movement. Investors are not so heavily loaded as reported, as shown by their readiness to pick up bargains. The changes were few and for fractions in all cases, except in that of the Metropolitan Na-tional, which moved up a point to 120. Other advances were Central Traction, Pleasant Val-ley and Philadelphia Gas. The other improve-ments were more in feeling than figures. Luster was weaker, Pittsburg and Citizens' Traction about held their own, Switch and Sig-nal was a triffe weaker and Electric unchanged. Sterling Mining Company, just listed, started ST. MARY'S, W. VA., March 29 .- Two new wells have been struck in this field since last week, one of them being the largest ever opened up in West Virginia. It is the McCul-Sterling Mining Company, just listed, started off at \$1 bid. Sales for the

1,840 the prev EXCHANGE STOCE. also came in during the week, and is making from 400 to 500 barrels per day. BANE STOCES.

The Philadelphia Company in Luck.

Areenal Allegheny National Bank Commercial National Bank Duquesene National Bank Exchange National Bank Farmers' Deposit National Bank First National Bank, Pittsburg SFECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCE.; GREENSBURG, March 29 .- The Philadelphia Company brought in an immense new gas well on the farm of George Saul, in Salem township, late last night. There is an unusually strong pressure and every indication of a spion-did well. fidelity Title and Trust Company. Jerman National Bank. BRECHAM'S Pills curesick headache asonic Bank. erchants & Manufacturers' Na. Bank.

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The Ace of Clubs.

erman American. See announcement in advertisement on GAS STOCKS.

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olumbia Oil Co..... ToweLS-200 doz. huck towels, pure linen, at 12% ceach, worth 20c. TTSSa HUGUS & HACKE. PASSENGER BAILWAY STOCKS. entral Traction.

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tenor of the news from the various fields, but ing, 84%c; highest, 85%c: lowest, 84%c; closing, 85c. The week's clearances, as posted were, the was weak throughout, notwithstanding a few spasmodic rallies, and closed 1%c lower

than the opening on Monday. Transactions in realty were slightly below the average, but a figures in each case referring to the previous business day: Monday, 66,000 barrels; Tuesday, 722,000; Wednesday, 200,000; Thursday, 250,000; Friday, 478,000; Saturday, 200,000, Total, 2,012-000 barrels, against 4,000,000 in round numbers large number of deals were effected, some of them being important. There was a brisk in-

them being important. Indee was a work of the provious week. that investors are still in the market. Agents have a large number of orders on file, some of them from other cities, and with the return of good weather and settled roads, there will be a revival of activity in this important interest. The definition of the same of the provious week. The 100-foot district, Butler county, has re-ceived another black eye, two more dusters having come in. They are those of the Pitts-burg Piate Glass Company, on the J. E. Dam-bach farm, at four feet in the sand, and J. S. Patterson & Co,'s No I, on the J. W. Brandon

farm. Horton, Crary & Co.'s No. 4, Sheffield, came in dry. Their Nos. 7 and 8, on the same lot, 1,500 and 1, 200 feet respectively, will be aban-

doned. Griffith & Co.'s Wildwood well did 350 bar-rels by the gauge in the 24 hours ending last wening. The new well on the Estep farm, in Chippews

The new well on the Estep farm, in Chippewa township, Beaver county, which was begun some time ago alongside the first one, ahan-doned, is proceeding slowly. It will be drilled perhaps 300 feet deeper, Messrs, John Snyder, Wesley Bonzo, Dr. Neeley, Henry Harizel and W. H. McGrain, the latter of Beaver Falls, compose the company.

compose the company. There were no fresh developments in the West Virginia field, but the wells were holding

Features of Yesterday's Oil Market.

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Corrected daily by John M. Oakiey & Co., 45 Sixth street, members of the Pittsburg Petroleum Exchange. Opened.

84% Lowest

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Oil Notes. CONTRACTS have been let by the Marion Oil Company for well No. 1. The derrick is com-

pleted and drilling will commence on Tuesday. They will also commence on wells Nos. 2 and 3 in the next few weeks.

ANOTHER oil and gas company is being organized to operate in the Westview field. The originators are James M. McNeill and James G. Barbour, who have several hundred acres of valuable territory leased. They ex-pect to begin sperations within a week.

Other Oil Markets.

OIL CITY, March 29 .- Petroleum opened at 84%c; highest, 85%c; lowest, 84%c; closed at 85c; sales, 75,000 bbis; clearances not re-ported; charters, not reported; shipments, 44,463 bbis; runs, 86,351 bbis.

BRADFORD, March 29.-Petrolenm opened at 84%c; closed at 85c; highest, 85%c; lowest, 84%cc. Clearances, 550,000 bbls.

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Bid. Asked

Carson street, Twenty-first ward, for \$2,700 casb. Black & Baird, 95 Fourth avenue, sold for Wickliffe C. Lync, of O'Neil & Lync, to John & J. B. Lynch, the property known as No. 91 Diamond street, being a lot 20x95 feet, with a thrae-story brick law building, for \$25,000. This is the second sale made by Black & Baird of this property within one year. S. J. Fleming & Co., 147 Fourth avenue, placed a \$2,000 morigage on Fourteenth ward property for five years at 6 per cent; also sold two more lots for the People's Savings Bank at Bellefield, Nos. 38 and 39, for \$1,150. Samuel W. Black & Co. placed a morigage for \$25,000 for three years at 5 J0 per cent on property in the Fourth ward, Allegheny. It is the morigager's intention to make extensive improvements on the property with this money. Read B. Coyle & Co. 181 Fourth avenue, sold Bld. Asked

money. Reed B. Coyle & Co., 181 Fourth avenue, sold for Herman Hirsch three lots on Buena Vista

machine house, 70:24 feet, on Josephine street, Twenty-fifth ward. Albert Burnell, frame two-story dwelling, 16x 16 feet, on Armand street, Twenty-first ward. Herman Spilger, frame two-story and base-ment dwelling, 20:32 feet, on Carnegie street, Eighteenth ward. Penusylvania Rallroad Company, frame two-story office, 15:72 feet, in Union station yards, Tweifth ward. Closing quotations of Philadelphia stocks, fu nished by Whitney & Stephenson, brokers, No. 97 Fourth avenue. Members New York Stock Ex-

Twelfth ward, Robert Sweeney, brick one-story blacksmith shop, 24x50 feet, on Smallman street, Tweifth

Reading Budaio, Pittsburg & Western..... Lehigh Valley. Lehigh Navigntion. ward. Daniel Becker, frame addition to a two-story dwelling, 14x20 feet, on Carver street, Twentyfirst ward. Mary B. Feidler, frame two-story dwelling 19408 feet on rear Second avenue, Twenty sorthern Pacific preserred.

W. W. MCNEILL & BRO. will move into their

third ward. George Geyer, frame one-story kitchen, 12x 14 feet, on Jane street, Twenty-fourth ward. Elizabeth C. Robinson, trame addition one-story dwelling, 14x32 feet on Twenty-fitth street, Twenty-fifth ward. William E. Sankey, three frame two-story dwellings, 17x23 feet, on Oporto street, Twenty-seventh ward. new offices, 182 Fourth avenue, April 1. A LARGE number of real estate deals will be closed up this week. Some of them have not been reported.

A 10 PER CENT quarterly dividend on Washington Oil Company will be paid April 1. The stock is wanted badly at 105.

seventh ward. H. G. C. Dietz, frame one-story dwelling, löx 25 feet, on Lillian street, Thirty-first ward. Abel, Smith & Co., ironclad one-story black-smith shop, 1820 feet, on Carson street, Thir-tieth ward. Bittener Lading Place Comment black THE Reading Company is negotiating with the White Star Steamship Company for a line of ocean steamers. This is Mr. Corbin's pet

tieth ward. Pittsburg Incline Plane Company, brick two-story station, 60x20 feet, corner Brownsville and Washington avenues, Thirty-first ward. Mrs. Moll, brick one-story storeroom, 22x60 feet, on Carson street, Twenty-shth ward. Adam Diehl, brick two-story and mansard dwelling, 22x32 feet, on corner Ninetcenth and Jane streets, Twenty-sixth ward. THE report that the Pittsburg, Allegheny and Manchester and the Pleasant Valley roads would consolidate was favorably received on Change. -Hostile Apaches defeated Mexican troops the apitched battle in Lonora, killing three sol-Change. MESSES. ARBUTHNOT, STEPHENSON & Co. will commence work on their new eight-story building early next month. They expect to

Jane streets, Twenty-sixth ward. Reese, Lindsay & Co., frame one-story engine room, 20x30 feet, on Liberty street, Fifteenth ward.

BELOW ZERO. Wall Street Experiences the Dullest Day

on Record-Everything Featureless-A Heavy Close at Insignificant Changes-Bonds No Better.

NEW YORK, March 29 .- The stock market continues to show a diminishing volume of business, and the transactions to-day were in all probability the smallest on record, while the fluctuations in prices and the interest taken in them were strictly upon the same plane. The features of the market were confined to the

The bank statement was if anything, more favorable than expected, as some movely was known to have gone out of the banks. The efforts of the bears gave the market, which had been utterly stagmant, a rather heavy tona toward the end of the session, and the close was heavy, though the final changes are in all cases insignificant.

insignificant. Railroad bonds were equally dull and feature-less and displayed a drooping tendency, though no movement of importance took place. The sales of bonds for the week aggregated \$5,967,-

Solid AND BOUGHT.
Real Estate Denlers Wind Up the Week With a Protechnic Display.
Alles & Bailey, 164 Fourth avenue, sold for John Anderson a two-story brick dwelling of five rooms and finished attic, lot 16x36 feet to an alley, being No. 661 Wylie avenue, for \$2,300, J. F. Kenan was the purchaser.
Kelly & Bogrers, East End real estate dealers, sold for Mrs. E. Baird a tract of four and a hall acres of land on Gebeeca street, near the corner of Penn avenue, for \$25,000, to a syndicate who have laid the property out in lots and intend to erect small dwellings, suitable for persons of moderate means; also sold to L. M. Limertman for Mrs, Eliza Ward, a six-room frame house of the stroms street, Twenty-first ward, for \$2,000.
Bick & Baird, 45 Fourth avenue, sold for Auburn street, Twenty-first ward, for \$2,000.
Bick & Baird, 45 Fourth avenue, sold for brave ind the property known as No, 90, in the second sale made by Black & Bairdor The property within one year.
Bick & Baird, 45 Fourth avenue, sold for brave of states in the stock and the stock in would bring in a great borkers are longing for would bring in a great borkers are longing for would bring in a great borkers are longing for boably creep up gradually from month to month and remain more per-mange in the demand for money advance the attes of interest and dividend paying invest-mange in the demand for money advance the values of interest and dividend paying invest-mange in the demand for money advance the values of interest and dividend paying invest-mange in the demand for money advance the values of interest and dividend paying invest-mange in the demand for money advance the values of interest and dividend paying invest-mange in the demand for money advance the values of interest and dividend paying invest-mange in the demand for money advance the values of interest and dividend paying invest-mange in the demand for money advance the values of interest and dividend paying invest-mang

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Slock Exchange yester-day. Corrected daily for THE DISFATCH by WHITNEY & STEPHENSON, oldest Pittsburg mem-bers of New York Slock Exchange. or Fourth are-nue:

Gos-Ing Hid. Am. Cotton Oil...... Am. Cotton Oil, pd..... Am. Cotton Oil Trust.. 2814 Atch... Top. & S. F..... 37 183% 17 26% 37 Canadian Pacific. Canada Southern

and the market was quiet without any special

bullish, and caused the early advance, but the advance was only temporary. The predictions

rain in the Ohio valley and Southwest. Corn-There was nothing new of consequence developed in this market, which ruled comparatively dull all day, fluctuations barely cover-

ing a fractional range. The undertone was on the whole rather firmer, there being apparently the whole rather firmer, there being apparently more disposition to buy on the part of many operators. The situation was a ditle more un-certain. The market opened at yesterday's closing prices, was dull and neglected, chang-ing scarcely ½, and final quotations were a shade higher than yesterday. Oats were steady, with a moderate volume of trade. There were a good many orders to sell May at 25%, but the orders to buy were so lim-ited that commission houses were unable to ex-ecute them. There was moderate business in June and July, and also more doing in Angust, but price changes were limited to ½s. Pork-The market attracted very little atten-tion. Fluctuations in prices were confined

tion. Fluctuations in prices were confined within a range of sc, and closing figures exhib-

ited a slight advance. Lard-Nothing of consequence doing. Buy-ers and sellers were indifferent about trading. Open- High- Low-ing. cel est

ers and sellers were indifferent about irading, and the changes in prices were slight, rather favoring the latter. Ribs-A very steady feeling prevailed, but there were no marked changes to note. The bulk of business was in May and July deliver-ies, at about Friday's prices. The leading futures ranged as follows: WHEAT-No. 2, March, 79/079/079/079/079/ct 14% 54% 54%

At a meeting of members of the Oil Ex-change yesterday to consider the advisability of returning to the old plan of trading in cash oil, after discussion, it was decided not to take

occupy it in October.

on, after discussion, it was decided not to take action on the proposition at present, but in-stead to call a meeting of the conference as early as possible for the consideration of all phases of oil speculation, the object being to devise ways and means of improving business, whether by changing the rule or otherwise. MARKETS BY WIRE.

Traders Waiting for Something to Turn Up -Very Little Life in Anything, and Few Changes in Prices.

CHICAGO-Wheat-Trading was light to-day

change in prices. There was nothing new in outside news to stimulate trade, and operator were inclined to hold off and await new devel opments. The market opened at yesterday's closing figures, advanced 1/2%, eased off and closed at about 1/2 higher for May and 1/2 for July than yesterday. The crop reports this morning were rather

were for cold weather. Stormy weather was reported in the Northwest and lake regions and