## WITH CLOSED DOORS.

cieties of the Two Cities.

MEMBERSHIP EVER INCREASING.

Praternal Visits of an Enjoyable Character in Several Orders.

IMPORTANT MEETINGS IN PITTSBURG

All communications for this departmen 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.

The Golden Engles.

Iona Castle No. 268, of Hazelwood, received nine propositions and initiated two last Wednesday evening. Grand Instructors W. C. Finburg and H. A. Hoffman have started on a tour of the various castles in their charge. Jasper M. Thompson Castle No. 315, of Union-

town, has received 62 applications for member-ship since January 10 last. Star of the West Castle No. 93 initiated and conferred degrees on four applicants at their meeting last Wednesday evening in Maltby's Hall.

Several new castles are almost ready for institution in this vicinity, and the charter mem-bers will be leading men socially, politically, financially and morally.

Sir Knight James McKee and Chief Marshal Heber McDowell will leave next Wednesday for Philadelphia in the interests of the coming demonstration and parade in Pittsburg. Sir Knight N. G. Miller, Vice Chief E. J. Daguey, Past Chief W. C. Ammon and District Grand Chief E. T. White took in the K. G. E. entertainment at Uniontown, Pa., last Wednes-

It was a magnificent entertain-The members of the General Committee are The members of the General Committee are now supplied with tickets of admission to Silver Lake Grove. The price is \$1 each. All ladies will be admitted free if accompanied by gentlemen. These tickets admit to the prize drills, awarding of prizes and the hop.

Louis E. Stilz Commandery will go in a body to the East End. Pittsburg, and visit Ameri-cus Castle No. 220, Friday evening. May 9. Americus Castle with the Elliott McCall land will meet the commandery and escort them through the principal thoroughfares of the East End.

The committee appointed by the Grand Cas-tle at the last session met and organized with the following efficers: President, R. Patterson; Secretary, Dr. E. White; Treasurer, Robert S. Crawford. After some dis-cussion it was decided to join hands with the General Parade and Reception Committee and act as one in making further arrangements and act as one in making further arrangements for the demonstration and parade which takes place in Pittsburg next month. The General Committee announces the following programme: Monday, May 26, reception of Supreme Chief and escort; Tuesday morning, receiving of castles and commanderies at Lafayette Hall; afternoon, parade of the order; evening, banquet, toasts, band concert, etc., at Lafayette Hall; Wednesday evening, at Silver Lake Grove, exhibition drills, awarding of prizes, and grand K.G.E. May Festival and promenade. During the sojourn of the Sir Knights in the city they will be in charge of various committees who will show them the city and all that lies therein.

#### P. O. S. A.

New camps are being organized at Washington, Pa., Beaver Falls, Wilkinsburg, East Liberty, Allegheny City, Homestead, Duquesne, New Castle, Snaron, Mercer and Titusville.

During the past week new camps have been During the past week new camps have been chartered at Leuanon, Beech Creek, Scranton, Dewart, Eismarck, Lenhartsville, Lock Haven, Lancaster, Pa., and at Winona, Minn., Springfield, Ili., Bellevue, Ky., Walhalla, S. C., Columbus and Cleveland, O.

On last Monday evening Washington Camp
No. 320 was organized in the Eleventh ward,
this city. The camp will be instituted to-morrow night in Palace Hall, Fifth avenue, by
Plast State President George H. Hawksworth,
assisted by National Representative Clarence
F. Huth and members of the city camps.

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Hou, James R. Kenney, State President, has just made a series of official visits to the camps in this county. On last Tuesday evening he installed the officers of Camp 517 at Forty-third and Butler streets, and then delivered his oration on "The American Idea." Mr. Kenney will shortly address a circular letter to the 519 camps in Pennsylvania, inviting them to attend the demonstration of the order in this city in August next.

On Tuesday evening the organization of Camp No. 52l was perfected. This camp will be instituted in Welsh's Hall, at corner of be instituted in Weish's Hall, at corner of Twenty-six street and Penn avenue, on next Tuesday. There will be a large number of members of the order present, as Camps Nos. 2, 352 and 517 of Pittsburg; 3, 4 and 388, of Allegheny; 286, of Braddock, and 357, of McKeesport, have all accepted invitations. The exemplified work of the degrees of the camp and council will receive a fine interpretation at the hands of a select team from the various camps.

Select Knights. THE DISPATCH mud road expedition would do well to visit Bellevue borongh. A fellow, apparently sitting in the midule of the road haif way up the hill, was seen recently. Upon being questioned as to what he was doing there, be said he had a load of hay under him, and was waiting for the road to dry up so as to

Colonel C. V. Lewis and staff, accompanied Colonel C. V. Lewis and staff, accompanied by delegations from legions Nos. 7, 10, 17, 20 and Tarentom Legion No. 33, paid an official visit to Bellevue Legion No. 33, on Friday evening, and were received as the depot in Bellevue by No. 31 and the Exaworth Cornet Band, and after a parade if rough the town they proceeded to the skil, where the regular meeting was held after which recitation, song and speech; afting was indulged in during which a doors were suddenly thrown open, and in walked Mrs. Dr. Reynolds, Mrs. S. A. Grosh, Mrs. Kirker, Mrs. L. Wrights and Mrs. W. A. Griscom, with a sumptuous repast for the com-Griscom, with a sumptuous repast for the com-rades, and after the march up the long hill their appetites were pretty well sharpened, and all did ample justice to the layout. This legion never does anything by halves, and upon this occasion the comrades were loud in their praise of No. 31 and their lady friends. During the regular meeting two candidates were in-itiated, and to all comrades who wish to see the work well done, we would say kindly, go and visit Bellovae Legion, upon the occasion of ar

The Royal Arcanum.

Darling Council No. 888 has added 25 members to its number since the first meeting in Janu-ary, and received five applications for member-ship at its last meeting.

Members from Darling, Allegheny, Revenue Members from Paring, Allegaeus, a visit Duquesne and other councils made a visit Friday evening to East End Council No. 276. East End Council is one of the largest councils in Western Pennsylvania, and is still on the in-

The Degree Corps of Recents and Past Regents Association have arranged to visit the following councils: West End Council, May 5; Braddock Council, May 15; Vermilles, of Mc-Keesport, May 22; Boaz, of Homestead, June 4. Members of the Royal Arcanum are respect-fully invited to attend.

Last Tuesday evening Everett Council No. 854, Royal Arcantum, was visited by Depute Last Tuesday evening Everett Connell No. 854, Royal Arcanum, was visited by Deputy Grand Regent W. G. Griffith, Past Regent Shellenberger, of Federal Council, and Crider, of Darling Council. The occasion was the installation of Sentry Brother Powellson for the year 1890. Addresses were made by the visiting members and others, and an enjoyable evening was spent. Past Regent Hamilton's paper, "Where is Thy Brother?" will be given next Tuesday evening, the 29th inst. A large attendance of visitors and members is anticipated.

Golden Chain.

Gas City Lodge, of this city, on last Tuesday evening initiated one candidate. Allegheny Lodge, of Allegheny, had one applicant elected at meeting on last Tuesday

Central Lodge No. 106, of this city, had two applications on last Friday night. The State ommander was present.

State Commander Samuel I. Osmond will pay an official visit to Rosedule Lodge No. 107, at Mansfield borough, Pa., to-morrow night. A ledge is being formed and will soon be in-stituted in Homestead, Pa. It will make the fifteenth ledge of the O. G. C. in Allegheny

Pittsburg Lodge No. 90, of this city, has in-vited the Crafton Degree Team, of Crafton, Pa., lodge, to be present and to initiate three candidates at the next meeting of Pittsburg Fidelity Lodge, of Allegheny, will be visited by Deputy Supreme Commander M. C. Bryant and other prominent members of the order to-morrow night. Several candidates are to be initiated.

The Sexennial League. Wilkinsburg Lodge No. 99 has added two new numbers to her roll. The Sexennial League charter is now ready

for the lodge, and is a very beautiful piece of work. News From the Various Secret So
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> A meeting was held last Sunday at Elizabeth and several names were signed to an applica-tion for a charter. The charter will be closed to-day. A meeting to start a branch will be held this afternoon at Monongahela City. It will be addressed by Deputies J. W. Sulitvan, of Pittsburg, and P. J. Harrigan, of Connellsville.

General Lodge Notes.

M. Schroeder and Charles Buente, of J. K. Moorhead Conclave, I. O. H., have been elected Charman and Secretary respectively of the Jentennial Committee. Monument Castle No. 55, A. O. K. of the M. C., is going to hold a special meeting on Tuesday evening, April 29, Business of importance to all members is to be transacted.

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Mozart Lodge No. 189, K. of P., will have initiation next Tuesday evening. There are two candidates for the first rank, two for the second rank and three for the third rank.

Equitable Lodge No. 53, Order of Solons, of Irwin, Pa., held a very enjoyable open meeting in Thompson's Hall on Wednesday evening. This lodge has initiated 41 members since its organization, April 18, 1889, and expects to grow more rapidly hereafter.

Gas City Council No. 273 Jr. O. U. A. M., will Gas City Council No. 273, Jr. O. U. A. M., will

Gas City Council No. 23, Jr. O. U. A. M., will celebrate the one bundred and first anniversary of the inauguration of the first President of the United States at new Turner Hall, Forbes street, next Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the flag commission. Iron City Lodge, No. 324, L. O. B., has sent out invitations for an open meeting, under the auspices of District Grand Lodge No. 3, Independent Order B'nai B'rith, to be held Sunday, April 27, 2 o'clock P. M., in the vestry room of the Eighth Street Temple. Prominent speakers of the order will be present and address the meeting.

Lescallette Council No. 442 Jr. O. U. A. M., will be instituted to-morrow evening at No. 1115 will be instituted to-morrow evening at No. 1115
Carson street, Southside, with 147 to 157 members. It is the first council to start in its own hall with full equipments. Some of the Southside prominent men are in it, among which are Alderman McGeary. A. A. Allers, Fred Shookman and many others.

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At the regular meeting of Emanuel Lodge, No. 10, A. P. A., held Monday, April 21, the following were elected officers for the ensuing term: W. M., Ephraim Love; W. D. M., Emli Becker; R. S., Henry Clements; A. R. S., George H. Wilson: F. S., J. Frank Wilson; Treasurer, H. E. Smith; Trustee, John D. Spungler; Representaire to W. G. Lodge and R. W. Grand Lodge, H. E. Smith.

R. W. Grand Lodge, H. E. Smith. An entertainment was given last Monday evening by Lady Harrison Council, No. 26, Daughters of Liberty, in Mechanics' Hall, Boggs avenue, Mt. Washington. The evening's proceedings included music, both vocal and in-strumental, patriotic addresses and readings by members of the council and visitors. The en-tertainment was so pleasant that the council is considering the advisability of giving similar ones at regular intervals. ones at regular intervals.

Press Onward Lodge 14, I. O. G. T., has Press Onward Lodge 14, I. O. G. T., has chosen the following officers for the ensuing term: For. Chief Templar, Emil Kuhn; Vico Templar, Lottie Weaver; Recording Secretary, Philip Jeremiah; Financial Secretary, Lizzie Weaver; Trustees, T. H. Matthews, C. Jesse Matthews, M. James Bell, G. Thomas Dando, S. Harry Pritchard. The following were elected delegates to District Convention No. 3, at Tarentum May 24; Emil Kuhn and Philip Leremiah as delegates and George T. Star and Jeremiah as delegates, and George T. Star and Lizzie Weaver as alternates.

## WHAT CONVINCED NEAL DOW.

The Experience That Opened the Great Prohibitionist's Eyes.

"I was," says Neal Dow, "sitting in my room, one evening, quite late, a good many years ago. In answering a knock at the door I found a lady whom I knew very well as the wife of a Government official in Boston. He was a periodical drunkard, and on This is a great year for parades of the order.
On July 4 there will be five large parades at Tyrone, York, Lebaneo, Scrantoh and Will-lamsport, each expecting to have from 2,000 to 4,000 men in line. On August 13, in this city, there will be 30 commanderies, 140 camps, and upward of 60 bands of music in line. of one of the downtown saloons. That was

> "I said to the keeper in s very quiet way, 'I wish you would sell no more liquor to 'Why, Mr. Dow,' he said, 'this is my business. I must supply my customers."
> "That all may be, I replied, but there is this gentleman with a large family de-

pending on him for support. If he goes to his office to-morrow drunk he will lose his place. I wish you would sell him no He became somewhat angry, and told me

that he, too, had a family to support; that he had a license to sell liquor to whoever he pleased, and he didn't care to have me meddling in his business. 'So you have a license, have you?' said I, 'and you support your family by destroying that man's. We'll

I went home thoroughly determined to to devote my life to suppressing the liquor traffic in the best way possible. The Maine law originated in that rumshop."

#### CLEVELAND AND RANDALL.

A Story That the Latter Took the Former's Defeat as a Vindication. Carson Lake in New York Press.]

"Do you know that Samuel J. Randall looked upon Grover Cleveland's defeat for re-election as a personal vindication of himself and his course in Congress?" I was asked yesterday by a Philadelphia politician, who went on to say: "I was talking with Randall shortly after election, when he said: 'I shouldn't be surprised if some of the friends of the gentleman who is about to retire from public life understand now that I told them the truth when they challenged me to a contest with them two years ago, and threatened my political future if I did not follow their lead on the tariff. I told them distinctly that their programme would put Cleveland under the daisies at the close of his four years' term. I told his friends when they persisted in presenting his name at St. Louis that he would be defeated, but

they laughed at me. "'When I recalled how I had been induced by his explanation to me of his posi-tion on the tariff to go into New Jersey and make speeches for him in 1884, by which protective tariff Democrats were kept in line, I knew I was right in my judgment of what would happen if he was renominated. No man can live twice in the White House who breaks his faith.""

## LIVE BAIT FOR FISHERMEN.

A Steel Clad Minnow With His Tail Free is the Latest Device.

American Angler. ] A Cincinnati inventor has made application for a patent on a perforated armor in which to inclose a live minnow, with only his tail exposed temptingly to the view of the angler's guest. The metal case is prowided with hinges, so that it may be opened and shut to receive and inclose the live bait, and also with a set of revolving spinners attached thereto, which rotate when the spoon is drawn along. The metal case may be painted and shaped to resemble bait fish, while the holes in it permit the game to scent and sight the tidbit within. One objection, however, occurs to us: the fish is liable to get dizzy and die of coma.

Once Defented Gindstone. The late Martin Farquhar Tupper, author of "Proverbial Philosophy," once defeated Gladstone at Christ Church College, Oxford, in a theological-essay contest, but gen-erously allowed him to take one-fifth of the prize money, because he was a good second.

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

# ISSUES OF THE DAY

The Business Situation Somewhat Involved, but Nothing Like

DANGER SEEN ON THE SURFACE. Industrial Discontent and the Silver Prob-

lem Again to the Front, THE DIGNITY OF AMERICAN LABOR

In seeking a correct understanding of the business situation, two things must be kept steadily in view-the industrial trouble and silver legislation. A great deal depends upon the manner in which they shall be settled. Without entering upon a discussion of the merits and demerits of either it is sufficient to say here that it is unfortunate that they should have been sprung upon the country at the beginning of the spring trade, which is usually the best of the year. As midsummer or winter diversions, when business is slack, they could work but little harm, and there would be more time for their discussion and settlement.

The silver question rests as much upon theory is fact. To sum it up it is apparent that one side to the controversy is in favor of inflating the currency of the country on the ground that business requires such assistance, while the other as stoutly maintains that any material expansion of funds would lead to a rise in values, reckless speculation and extravagance, which would soon bring about a financial crash. Free, or unlimited coinage of silver, finds few advocates. Such legislation as may be enacted will no doubt be more or less of a compromise between the two extremes.

Labor being the mainstay of the country-the Archimedean force which moves everything— its claims cannot be ignored, no matter when presented; and they should be met in a spirit f broad liberality as becomes the importance of the issues involved, and in harmony with the progressive sentiment of the age. But at the same time labor should unhesitatingly recognize the value of capital, without which there could be no progress, and man would return to the savage condition of his remote ancestors. The two are inextricably linked together in a ort of marriage bond, for better or worse, ac cording as they harmonize or disagree. Every effort, therefore, should be directed to making their relations agreeable. War between them invariably results in injury to both. If the present upheaval throughout the world shall esult in drawing these great factors in human development and happiness closer together by removing the causes of antagonism which have hitherto kept them apart, a great deal will have been gained. Such a consummation would be the greatest victory achieved for humanity since the surrender of King John at Runny

So far as this country is concerned there are no signs of a long and bitter conflict. The two sides have come face to face and are discussing the questions in controversy with a calmness and deliberation which portend good results. Each recognizes the strength and ability of the other, and neither is disposed to insist upon unfair conditions of settlement. Moderation is a characteristic of the typical American workingman. He is guided by in-telligence and not passion. He acts from conviction and not impulse. When he feels that he is right, he goes ahead with a coolness and deliberation which command admiration if not always success. Some men are not dangerous. They can always be relied upon to uphold the law and maintain order. Therefore their efforts to improve their condition cannot be regarded as inimical to the peace and welfare of society. Hence nothing serious is apprehended over the present agitation. Business may be temporarily depressed in some quarters, but the prosperity of the country is so great and its recuperative power so extraordi-nary that any depression likely to ansue would to a rally. The week's clearances were 1,930,000 thing beyond the usual had happened. There may be serious trouble abroad, where the laboring element is less intelligent and self-possessed, and where there is a score of centuries

growth to settle, but there will be none here. Pittsburg has nothing to complain of so far. Her prosperity is unabated. All of her great industries are in full operation. The volume of trade last week was the greatest in her his tory, as shown by the Clearing House report. The bank exchanges were the largest of the year, and \$2,225,000 in round numbers in excess of those for the corresponding period in 1889. When it is remembered that these figures represent solid business, speculation being next t nothing, the result shows a degree of prosper ity that is seldom attained by any com and should be, and no doubt is, a matter of

#### personal pride to every citizen. CLOSED WITH A SPURT.

An Active Stock Market, With a Number of

Price Changes. There was an active stock market yesterday for Saturday, and the number of shares traded in was unusually large, indicating increased interest and a broadening tendency. Bidding was lively and the board was pretty well was lively and the board was pretty well covered with figures. Orders are evidently on the increase. Sales were 283 shares.

The features of the call were increased strength Bridgewater Gas, Luster, Airbrake, both Westinghouse and London, Switch and Pipeage, and small losses in Central Traction, Pleasant Valley, Philadelphia Gas and Westinghouse Electric. Citizens' Traction and Allegheny Illuminating Gas were steady, as were, also, bank stocks. There was a sale of New York and Cleveland Gas Coal at 31—the first for a long time. first for a long time. BANK STOCKS.

Allegheny National Bank ...

	Allegheny National Bank	98
	Duquesne National Bank167	****
3	Farmers' Deposit National Bank 500	****
ŧ	First National Bank, Pittsburg	****
	Freehold	
	Fidelity Title and Trust Company	160
•	German National Bank	****
	Iron City National Bank 92	****
ı	Keystone Bank of Pittsburg 69%	****
ì	Mesonic Bank	****
	Metropolitan National Bank	****
I.	Pittsburg Nat. Bank of Commerce250 Pittsburg Bank for Savings240	****
f	Third National Bank	****
	Tradesmen's National Bank	****
9		****
1	INSURANCE STOCKS,	
	Bid. A	sked.
	Boatman's 28	
	City	36
	National 60	****
	GAS STOCKS.	
	Bid, A	sked.
1	Allegheny Gas Co. (Illum.) 41%	****
	NATURAL GAS STOCKS.	1030
	Bid. A	-bad
	Allegheny Heating Co104	
•	Bridgewater 504	60
ı	Bridgewater 50% Chartiers Valley Gas Co. 42%	45
91	People's Nat. Gas and Pipeage Co 16	
	Pennsylvania Gas Co	1436
	Philadelphia Co 30%	BU35
	OIL COMPANY STOCKS.	7137
	Bid, A	
Ш	Washington Oil Co	
		****
,	PASSENGER BAILWAY STOCKS.	2 -
	Bid. A	
ø	Central Traction 2734	27%
SI.	Citizens' Traction 68	39%
g	Pittsburg Traction	274
t	Pittsburg, Allegheny and Manchester	310
ı.		910
á	RAILROAD STOCKS.	
	Bid, A	
	Pitts, McK. & Yough. R. R. Co 60	****
	Pitts, & Western R. R. Co	****
П		****
	COAL STOCKS.	
П	Bid. A	
	N. Y. & Cleveland Gas Coal Co 31	32

MINING STOCKS. ELECTRIC LIGHT STOCKS. Westinghouse Electric ..... MISCELLANBOUS STOCKS. Monongabela Navigation Co.... Union Switch and Signal Co.... Westinghouse Air Brake Co... Westinghouse Brake Co., Lim... Grocers' Supply and Storage Co... Bid. Asked

Sales were 28 shares of New York and Cleve-land Gas Coal at 31, 50 Westinghouse Electric at 42%, 20 at 42, 60 Luster at 17%, 75 Pleasant Valley at 27%, 20 Pittsburg, McKeesport and Yonghiogheny Railroad at 61, and 10 Pipeage at 16.

J. C. Forse bought 75 shares Westinghouse
Electric at 42%. Rea Bros. & Co. sold 25 shares Philadelphia ompany at 30%, and 5 shares Wheeling Gas at 20.

J. F. Stark sold 50 shares Pleasant Valley at The total sales of stocks at New York yester-

day were 233,471 shares, including Atchison, 5,785; Cincinnati Southern, 2,390; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 14,100; Eric, 9,965; Lake Shore, 6,390; Coutsville and Nashville, 5,735; Missouri Pacific, 8,310; Northwestern, 4,630; Reading, 8,550; Richmond and West Point, 4,668; St. Paul, 4,460; Texas Pacific, 3,300; Union Pacific, 19,350; Western Union, 2,610; Wabash Pacific, 3,400.

port shows:

Yesterday's exchanges
Lesterday's balances.

Week's exchanges
Previous week's exchanges.

Previous week's balances.

Exchanges week of 1899

Balances week of 1899.

Total exchanges to date, 1890.

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Gain, 1890 over 1899, to date.

Closing Bond Quotations.

U. S. 4s. reg. 12: M. K. & T. Gen. 5s. 67%
U. S. 4s. coup. 12: Mutual Union 6s. 102%
U. S. 4s. reg. 1035,
U. S. 4s. coup. 1025,
U. S. 4s. coup. 1035,
N. J. C. Int. Cert. 112
U. S. 4s. coup. 1035,
Northern Pac. 1sts. 116%
Pacuité 6s of '95. 116
Louisiannatampeds 934,
Northern Pac. 1sts. 116%
Nor Closing Bond Quotations

NEW YORK—Clearings, \$13,323,588; balances, \$25,035,129. For the week—Clearings, \$712,536,508; balances, \$31,586,475.

BOSTON—Clearings, \$17,350,169; balances, \$1,537,128. For the week—Clearings, \$102,523,703; balances, \$10,377,540. For the corresponding week last year—Clearings, \$80,012,292; balances, \$8,783,726.

PHILADELPHIA—Clearings, \$10,819,893; balances, \$2,010,319. For the week—Clearings, \$74,582,050, balances, \$10,904,234.

BALTIMORE—Clearings, \$1,993,834; balances, \$255,024. PARIS-Three per cent rentes, 88f 95c for

Bank of Germany shows an increase in specie of 16,830,000 marks.

CHICAGO—Clearings, \$12,884,000; for the week, \$77,794,000. New York exchange, 25c. Money area unchanged. rates unchanged.
St. Louis—Clearings, \$2,691,312; balances, \$398,230. For the week—Clearings, \$19,697,116; balances, \$2,094,783.

DROPS OF OIL.

Narrow Market, With Business to Correspond-Latest From the Field. Brokers were distrustful of oil yesterday, not knowing what Sunday might bring forth, and consequently did very little business. The market was narrow as well as gull, the range being only % of a cent. The close was at th lowest point, owing to indifference rather than weakness. Pittsburg and Oil City were on the bull side of the fence, with New York inclined to the other. The opening was \$\frac{1}{2}\$ better than that of Friday, but the close was \$\frac{1}{2}\$ lower. The principal fluctuations were: Opening, 84\frac{1}{2}\$. highest, \$4\frac{1}{2}\$; lowest and closing, \$4\frac{1}{2}\$. There was no fresh news to affect the market either way. Several brokers thought conditions favorable.

barrels.

The oil well on the Shanks farm, Neville Island, Gaily & Guffey, showed signs of life yesterday morning. Two or three other wells in the same vicinity are approaching completion.

The Keating well of Gaily & Co., in the Westview field, dry in the 100-foot, is being drilled to the lower sand, where their Rea farm well is going. No change is reported in the Hahn

The Beaver well, a mile and a half ahead of developments, is in the sand, but no oil has shown up. Boyle Nos. 2 and 3, on the Corbett farm, are completed, and each doing about 50 barrels a day. The Greenwood well has come in dry, and No. 1, on the upper island, is doing 235 barrels a day. The Fort Pitt Gas Company's Deep No. 2 at Groveton, is doing 375 barrels a day. Vandergrift & Co. have ten rigs under way on the Young and McGovern farms, close to their

rusher on the former farm.
The well of the Breakneck Oil Company, on the Marburger farm, at Callery Junction, has struck the pay streak in the 100-foot sand, and filled up 900 feet with oil. The Guyton farm well, northwest of the Griffith well, on the Whitesell farm, at Wildwood, is due.

Pentures of Yesterday's O	Il Market
Corrected daily by John M. Oal Sixth street, members of the Pi- leum Exchange:	kley & Co., 45 ttsburg Petro-
Opened	
Average charters	48, 080 72, 478
Refined, New York, 7,20c, Refined, London, 5½d, Refined, Antwerp, 18½f, Refined, Liverpool, 5 11-18d, Befined, Bremen, 6.80m.	A
A. B. McGrew quotes: Put	s, 88%@83%c;

Oil Markets. OIL CITY. April 25.—Petroleum opened at 84%; highest, 84%; lowest, 84%; closed at 84%; Sales, 49,000 barrels; clearances not reported; charters, 39,206 barrels; shipments, 84,712 barrels; runs, 76,663 barrels.

BRADFORD, April 26.—Petroleum opened at 84%c; closed at 84%c; highest, 84%c; lowest, 84%c. Clearances, 264,000 barrels. MOVEMENTS IN REALTY.

A Number of Important Sales Point to an Active Market. Samuel Black & Co., 99 Fourth avenue, sold to A. Donavan for a price approximating \$8,068, 17 lots, each 50x147 feet, on the west side of

Filiton blace plan, for \$5,900 eash.

Black & Baird, No. 95 Fourth avenue, sold to Mrs. Caroline Macfarren a lot on southeast corner of Linden avenue and Edgerton, above Penn, 120x175 feet, for \$4,200. The purchaser intends erecting a handsome residence on this lot. They also placed the following mortgages: Eight hundred dollars for one year at 6 per cent on Penn avenue property, \$2,500 for three years at 6 per cent on property located at Chartiers, \$500 for one year at 6 per cent on two vacant lots on Squirrel Hill, \$22,000 on a downtown Second avenue property valued at \$30,000 for three years at 6 per cent, and negotiated a \$15,000 mortgage for five years at 5 per cent on a piece of vacant property corner of Fifth avenue and the railroad.

Ewing & Byers sold for Charles F. Zecker to B. Egerton, a vacant lot on Ridgewood avenue, Second ward, Allegheny, near the Perrysville Avenue Electric Railroad, being in size 25x100 feet, for \$675.

Baxter Thompson & Co. 162 Fourth avenue.

370, 276 to 389, 392 to 402, 406, 445 and 446—51 lots in all, ranging in price from \$200 to \$1,750. HOMES FOR THE PEOPLE.

Union Pacific, 18,350; Western Union, 2,610; Wabash Pacific, 3,400.

MONETARY MOVEMENTS.

The Best Week of the Year at the Clearing House.

Local business continues to increase in the face of a threatened strike of large proportions. Ordinarily this danger would act like a wet blanket on a firebrand, and that it does not have that effect now is the best of proof that home industries and interests are in good shape, and in a manner proof against outside influences. The bank clearings last week were 85, against 96 the previous week to fire proportions. Ordinarily this danger would act like a wet blanket on a firebrand, and that it does not have that effect now is the best of proof that home industries and interests are in good shape, and in a manner proof against outside influences. The bank clearings last week were 85, against 96 the previous week is fired proportions. Joint Jones, frame addition one-story kitchen, 14x16 feet, on Twenty-sixth street, Twenty-sixth ward.

Anthony Rieland, frame two-story dwelling, 14x 25 feet, on Howard's lane, Fourteenth ward.

Guy Dinnlus, frame two-story dwelling, 14x 25 feet, on Frazier street. Fourteenth ward.

Guy Dinnlus, frame two-story dwelling, 14x 26 feet, on Howard's lane, Fourteenth ward.

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forth ward.

H. E. Wainwright, brick three-story store dwelling, 21x60 feet, on Butler street, Fifteenth ward; cost \$7,000.

Elizabeth I. Burchfield, frame one-story dwelling, 16x20 feet, on Saline street, Twenty-second ward. ward.

Evan Williams, frame two-story dwelling,
18x32 feet, Bristol street, Twenty-third ward.

Frank H. Jackson, brick two-story and mansard dwelling, 20x49 feet, on Sydney street,
Twenty-fifth ward.

Fred Hambaugh, frame addition one-story
shop, Sx16 feet, on Brownsville avenue, Twentyseventh ward.

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Frank Bausman, frame addition one-story kitchen, 8x18 feet, on Natchez street, Thirtykitchen, Sal8 feet, on Natchez street, Thirtysecond ward.
Maria Lukonska, frame one-story and attic
dwelling, 14x22 street, on Ridge street, Thirteenth ward.
Earah Thompson, frame addition one-story
bath room, 10x10 feet, on Thirty-eighth street,
Fifteenth ward.
David Carmichael, frame two-story dwelling,
14x22 feet, on Taylor street, Sixteenth ward.
George B. Wagner, frame two-story shop and
stable, 20x10 feet, on Lincoln avenue, Twentyfirst ward.

first ward. EAST END MASONIC HALL. Oswald Werner, brick three-story shop, 26x74 feet, on Scott alley, Fourth ward. East End Masonic Hail, brick five-story hall, 85x67 feet, on Collins avenue, Nineteenth ward

cost, \$18,700.

William Graham, frame two-story dwelling, 15x20 feet, on Craig street, Thirteenth ward.
George Eyrich, frame one-story wagon shed, 8x12 feet, on Townsend street, Eighth ward.
C. Eckert, brick two-story dwelling, 20x32 feet, on Larimer avenue, Twenty-first ward.
J. G. Dur, two-story dwelling, 26x30 feet, on Atwell street, Twenty-first ward.
Thomas B. Cook, two brick two-story dwelling, 16x17 feet, on Poplar alley, Eighth ward.
Cuthbert A. Woodrow, frame two-story dwelling, 20x30 feet, on Filbert street, Twentieth ward.
J. B. Williams, frame two-story dwelling, 16x 82 feet, on Rosetta street, Nineteenth ward.
Bridget O'Hallaran, brick two-story dwelling, 17x32 feet, on Forty-fifth street, Seventeenth ward.
William Highests, frame two-story dwelling, 18x42. cost, \$18,700.

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William Highgate, frame two-story dwelling, 17x30 feet, on Wadsworth avenue, Thirteenth ward.
John F. Good, three brick two-story dwellings, 35x32 feet, on Carbon street, Eleventh ward.

John Shamberg, frame two-story dwelling, 17x34 feet, on Howley avenue, Sixteenth ward.

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M. McGlinskey, frame two-story dwelling, 17x32 feet, on Reed street, Thirteenth ward.

Frank Keys, frame two-story dwelling, 12x30 feet, on Wadsworth street, Thirteenth ward.

E. Redenbaugh, brick addition two-story dwelling, 14x19 feet, on Seventh street, Fourth ward.

Rachel A. Kerr, frame one-story stable, 40x24 feet, on Center avenue, Thirteenth ward, MIXED MATERIALS. Tim Griffin, two brick three-story dwellings, 16x40 feet each, on Washington street, Seventh ward. John E. Williams, two frame two-story dwell-

ings, 16x82 feet each, on Bigelow street, Twentythird ward.

H. Loxterman, two frame two-story dwellings and stable, 18x46 feet and 14x20 feet respectively, on Edwin street, Twentieth ward. . .... dwelling, lixits feet, on Penn avonue, Sixteenth ward.

M. P. Schrandel, frame two-story dwelling, 20x38 feet, on Hazlewood avenue, Twenty-third

Thomas Ruffner, frame two-story dwelling, 18xi feet, on Pearl street, Sixteenth ward.

Mrs. West, brick two-story dwelling, on Fourth street, Fourth ward.

Vette & Frazier, three frame two-story dwellings, 18x32 feet each, on Howley avenue, Sixteenth ward.

Henry Oberhelm, frame addition, one-story store and dwelling, 18x25 feet, on Wabash avenue, Thirty-sixth ward.

Carl Areldt, frame two-story dwelling, 17x34 feet, on Huron street, Twenty-seventh ward.

Frederick T. McCandless, brick three-story dwelling, 20x32, on corner of Bank Street and Ash alley, Fifteenth ward. Thomas Ruffner, frame two-story dwelling. Ash alley, Fifteenth ward.

J. R. Holland, frame two-story dwelling, 14x
82 feet, on Reynolds avenue, Twenty-second

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Peter Mokpharr, frame two-story dwelling, 17x32 feet, on Ridge avenue, Thirteenth ward.

Frank H. Speer, two frame two-story dwellings, 20x32 feet each, on Gerrett street, Twenty-first ward.

Nick Swartz, frame addition one-story passage way, 8x12 feet, on Monastery avenue, Twenty-seventh ward.

James Butler, frame two-story dwelling, 18x 18 feet, on Halket street, Fourteenth ward. James Butler, Irame two-story dwelling, 193 18 feet, on Halket street, Fourteenth ward. John T. Wilson, two brick two-story and attic dwellings, 35x19 feet, on Stanton avenue, Nine-teenth ward. Cost \$20,000. James Kernan, frame two-story dwelling, 16x 17 feet, on Carnegie street, Eighteenth ward.

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George Miller, frame two-story stable, 16x30
feet, on Sweetbriar street, Thirty-fifth ward.

Thomas Thorn, frame one-story dwelling, 28x
12 feet, on Junius street, Thirty-fifth ward.

John A. Renshaw, frame two-story stable, 34
x22 feet, on Ellsworth avenue, Twentieth ward.

George Scheel, frame two-story dwelling, 16
x28 feet, on Winterburn street, Twenty-third
ward.

ward, L. L. Conoway, brick three-story store and dwelling, 24x50 feet, Carson street, Twenty-fifth ward.

G. Bockraman, two brick two-story and att dwellings, 17x32 feet each, on Carnegie avenue, Eighteenth ward.

Jacob Linn, frame two-story dwelling, 16x23 I7 lots, each 50x147 feet, on the west side of Lydia street, in the Park View Place plan of Lydia street, in the Park View Place plan of Lots. This plan occupies the site of Old Fort Squirrel Hill, Twenty-third ward.

Kelly & Rogers, No. 6315 Station street, East End, report sales as follows: Sold for A. Beam a house and lot on Joseph street for £2.250; sold to M. R. Ward for J. C. Knipp six lots on Kelly street, Twenty-first ward, Freehold Bank plan, for £2.700; also to R. Hamilton for W. L. King four lots in same plan for \$1,800; also to M. Ward two lots on Breeds Hill street in the J. C. Dick pian for \$1,000; also sold to William Elder. Kin one lot in same plan for \$400; also sold to R. E. Tryford two lots on Dauphin street in same plan for \$1,700 and to William O. McKinlay for \$2,233 feet, on Junius street, Thirteenth ward.

T. W. Jones, brick two-story dwelling, 16x23 feet, on Colver frame two-story and attic dwellings, 20x32 feet each, on Collins avenue. Nineteenth ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Water street, Second ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Culver street, Nineteenth ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Culver street, Nineteenth ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Culver street, Second ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Water street, Second ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Water street, Second ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Culver street, Nineteenth ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Culver street, Nineteenth ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Culver street, Second ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Culver street, Second ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x48 feet, on Culver street, Second ward. Estate of H. McCullough, brick two-story shop, 40x4

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1. O. Frazler, corner Forty-fifth and Butler streets, sold a new frame dwelling of nve rooms, etc., with lot 20,509,7.25 feet, situate on the east side of Mathida street, between Penn avenue and Dearborn street, Nineteenth ward, to Susan A. Rofrock for \$2,700.

Reed B. Coyle & Co., 121 Fourth avenue, sold for J. E. Garrigan to John A. Beck 50 feet front on Craig street, Thirteenth ward, by 142 feet deep to Chesney alley, being lot No. 5 in the Fulton place plan, for \$3,600 cash, ... Black & Baird, No. 95 Fourth avenue, sold to Mrs. Caroline Macfarren a lot on southeast corvard. Thomas Davis, brick three-story store and welling, 22x62 feet, on Carson street, Twentydwelling, 22x62 feet, on Carson street, Twenty-fifth ward.

Edward Martin, frame one-story store, 16x28 feet, on Forbes street, Fourteenth ward.

Nicholas Nobbs, frame one-story shop, 9x20 feet, Brownsville road, Twenty-seventh ward.

Mrs. Hastings, frame addition one-story dwelling, 13x18 feet, on Wabash avenue, Thirty-siyth ward.

WALL STREET HAPPY. The Upward Whirl in Stocks Continued-Renewed Interest in American Securi-

tles in London-A Brenk

and a Rally.

NEW YORK, April 26.-The good half day's Avenue Electric Haliroad, being in size 25x100 feet, for \$675.

Baxter, Thompson & Co., 162 Fourth avenue, sold for W. S. McElhose two lots in Irving place, Roup station, being Nos. 18 and 20, with a frontage of 100x145 feet to Japonica way, for \$4.500. The purchaser will immediately improve with a fine residence.

B. J. Fleming & Co. report sales in the Aspinwall Land Company's plan, one mile above. Sharpsburg, as follows: Lots Nos. 1, 40, 49, 51 to 55, 63, 64, 199 to 197 inclusive, 286 to 220, 385 to

decidedly in the ascendant to-day. The London market has for several days past shown London market has for several days past shown renewed interest in American securities, and this morning London prices came higher accompanied by liberal buying orders in all the London favorites, which had the effect of opening this market materially higher. The foreigners were specially prominent in the St. Paul, Erie and some others, and these stocks were leaders of the market all the way out. nother Good Week Among Local Build-

They were undoubtedly heavy realizations at They were undoubtedly heavy realizations at the high figures of the opening, to which force was added some hammering by the professional brokers who sold stocks whenever they appeared sluggish. The drive had the effect of sagging prices off for a few minutes, but the unusual demand soon changed the course of prices, and from that time, except in a few special stocks, there was no weakness shown in the market.

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Chicago Gas was specially heavy in the early dealings, owing to the influence of the new litigation, but it recovered latter, though it falled to reach opening prices. The grangers were again very prominent in the upward movement, and the St. Paul stocks in particular, and the dealings in them reached high figures. There is talk of a resumption of dividends upon the common stock, but the officers of the company give little encouragement to the idea.

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The upward movement continued till the close with slight reactions from time to time, but the close was active and strong at about the best prices reached. With a few exceptions the entire active list was higher to-night, and St. Paul preferred rose 1%c; the common, 1%; Wabash, 1%; the preferred 1%; Erie, 1%, and Big Four and Lake Shore, each i per cent. Railroad bonds kept pace with the share list in both its activity and strength, and a business of \$1,102,000, with some general advances in the list, shows the prevailing temper of the speculation in its true light. The Texas Pacific incomes, with \$145,000, and the Atchison incomes, with \$118,000, were the active issues. Among the principal changes for the day were Cedar Falls and Minneapolis firsts rose 4% to 78%. The sales of bonds for the week reached the large total of \$11,419,000, against \$8,219,000 for last week. Government bonds have been dull and featureless.

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active and higher, and the best prices of the day were made in the last half hour, after the appearance of the bank statement at 11:40, showing an increase of \$2,008,775. In the surplus reserve the gain was principally in legal tenders, which reflected the movement of currency from the West and South. Loans were contracted \$4,207,500 and deposits were reduced \$3,605,500. \$4.207.500 and deposits were reduced \$3,605,500. The large advance on the coal stocks was due principally to covering of short contracts ra her than any heavy buying for the long account. The condition of the coal trade, while somewhat improved, is not materially different from a month ago. Large earnings reported by roads in all portions of the country have had considerable miliuence in the upward movement of prices, and the agreement on a sliver bill materially assisted the advance in prices. The money market has ruled easy and will doubtless continue so, but the advance of the last two weeks has been so great as to warrant reasonable expectations of a reaction.

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday. Corrected daily for The Disparce by Whitness & Stephensson, oldest Pittsburg members of New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth avenue:

Opening.

Am. Cotton Oil 19%

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Atch. Top. & S. F. 39%

Canadian Pacific. 54%

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Central of New Jersey, 123%

Central Pacific 34

Chesapeake & Ohio 24%

C. Bur. & Quincy 108

C. Mil. & St. Paul. 72%

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C. Mil. & St. Pp. 118%

C. St. L. & Pitts. 72%

C. St. L. & Pitts. 74%

C. St. P. M. & O. 34%

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Pullman Paince Car.
Richmond & W. P. T. 224
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St. P., Minn. & Man. 1115
St. L. & San Fran pf. 41
Texas Pacific. 204
Union Pacific 664
Webash. 1234

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

Hopes Built on the Silver Boom-The Possipecial to John M. Oakley & Co.: NEW YORK, April 26 .- Boom, that's the word

to express the hopes and expectations of Wall street. For several years things have gone on in a hum-drum way in speculative circles, up a little, down a little, active occasionally, dull generally. Committees on duliness and committees on bucket shops have tried to fan the dying embers of speculation, but to no pur-pose. For a long time Wall street has been pose. For a long time Wall street has been more or less pessimistic. Room traders and frequenters of the Exchange have upon all ralies, if not, indeed, on all depressions, predicted lower prices, and generally operated on the bear side upon small provocation.

We have all lamented the absence of the big bull leaders who strayed the market a decade ago and infused life into business, distributing speculative orders with a large hand. Now, perchance the market has received, in the silver idea, an impetus that will start it on a course that will summon bold bull leaders from out the ranks. Events make men and every emergency finds slumbering material, as the North found Lincoln in Springfield and Grant at Galena, in far away Illinois. Perhaps Illinois may furnish some big bull leaders in stock speculation.

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If Hutchinson grows weary of wheat and Jones of the bear side of stocks and Armour and Ream see a chance for a bull turn in Wall street they may forsake their old ways and show Wall street "The Promised Land" of a bull market, with S. V. White and Keen as their colleagues in enterprise ahd aggressiveness. The beauty of bull pool to set the speculative ball rolling was first shown in Lackawanna, and, within 24 hours, in St. Paul, which climbed up to 73 to-day. The speculative pot was boiling this morning and transactions were larger than they have been for the same hours in a long time. Reactious have come almost overy day this week, but they are of small dimensions and the market appears to have such a bull momentum that for a few days at least it is likely to rise.

The bank statement to-day was favorable, showing a gain on legal reserves of over \$2,000.000, and a reduction of loans of over \$4,000.000. This indicates that the recent advance has not brought a lot of stocks here from the outside, and that investment holdings have not been transferred to speculative marginal accounts.

A few days ago we pointed out the failure of the Vanderbilts to keep pace with the rest of the market, saying that but few of the stocks were held on the street, as would shortly be revealed. The rise in Lake Shore to-day to 16% is tardy but not final. It will go much higher on its heavy business, and we expect to see Canada Southern and Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and St. Louis take a flight next week.

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The grangers have all been buoyant, notwith-The grangers have all been buoyant, notwith-standing the fact that Western managers show no conciliatory disposition. If any of them are short of their stocks they must be disgusted with their impotency in controlling the market as of old by belligerent and rate-cutting arts. If coal companies, who are natural competitors, can combine to hold rates, and maintain confidence in their securities, during one winter of more than or-dinary mildness followed by another of phe-nomenal warmth, what excuse, except in-

omenal warmth, what excuse, except in ompetency, to grapple with the necessities of susiness can Western managers offer. Among the slow stocks are Richmond Terminal, Lead Trust, Cotton and Oil, but they ought to get their innings soon, and we especially recommend purchases of the latter. The "strike mania" might lead to some disturbances, and it seems to be the only cloud on the present speculative horizon. London is buying here, and all fears of gold exports are apparently distinguished. issipated.
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Oil has not caught the bull infection which attacked grain, provisions first, and now stocks, but if the bull teeling grows people will be looking around for something that has not gone up. Then petroleum will be the bull card, and since the visible supply in shape for good delivery is small, traders could run away with the market if they once got the bit in their mouths we should favor purchases of oil. Philadelphia Stocks Closing quotations of Philadelphia stocks, furnished by Whitney & Stephenson, brokers, No. 57

Fourth avenue. Members New York Stock Ex-Bld. Asked. Pennsylvania Railroad Reading
Baffalo, Pitisburg & Western
Lehigh Vallay
Lehigh Navigation
Northern Pacific
Northern Pacific

Business Notes. NUMBER of mortgages record 25. The largest was for \$15,000. A SMITHFIELD street jeweler thinks watch king and repairing would be just the thing

THERE was quite a movement in real estate between Glenfield and Haysville yesterday morning. Several land mides occurred. One house was nearly buried. THE failure of the Pittsburg Commission Company yesterday had no effect upon the oil market, as they were short of the stuff. It caused some surprise, however. THERE was a good inquiry for real estate

last week, and a large number of sales were closed up. The demand for building lots in the suburbs is much greater than ever before at THERE is some anxiety in Chicago as to the possible outcome of the strikes which are threatened for May L. The emergency is al-ready beginning to affect the money market and local securities.

Some of the very best commission houses Wall street seem to talk in very conservative but, nevertheless, confident manner. They are inclined to the belief that the stock market has changed its course, and that from this on good securities will sell considerably higher. THE Gould people are talking as if they were on the fence. The fact that Mr. Gould is doing absolutely nothing either to improve his Mis-

souri Pacific or Wabash is conclusive evidence to those who profess to know his feelings that he is not at all in sympathy with any further improvement in the market. ASPINWALL, on the West Penn road, one mile above Sharpsburg, will soon have a boom. Six hundred and one lots of various sizes are laid out on wide avenues, with sidewalks. Shade trees have been planted and natural gas mains laid. Water works and an electric road are projected, and a 85,000 railroad station will soon be erected. Fourteen houses have been completed and others are under way.

MARKETS BY WIRE.

Wheat Slow but Stronger All Around-Fa vorable Crop News-Corn and Oats a Shade Better-Pork Weak

and Unsettled. CHICAGO-Only a moderate business was transacted in wheat to-day, but a firm feeling existed and prices averaged higher all around. May and June made some rather sharp fluctua tions, but July ruled steady within a narrow range. May and June opened 1/24/2 higher and advanced 1/2014/2, and closed firm at almost outside prices. July opened 360% higher, ruled firm and closed about 360 higher

abroad. Crop news from the Northwest reports favorable progress, though to-day a dispatch from Minneapolis said that seeding in the Jim River valley had been stopped on account of dry weather.

Another dull day was witnessed in corn, though the feeling was somewhat firmer. Options were confined largely to local operators and fluctuations were kept within narrow limits. The market opened at a trifle above yesterday's closing, was easy for a time, then sold up %c, one or two prominent traders buying freely of July and some May, which started the crowd to covering, eased off some then, closing %c%c better than yesterday.

Oats were fairly active, and a stronger feeling prevailed. Prices advanced %c%c for the distant futures, but May held easy. The feature of the trading was the free selling of May by a large holder. His operations prevented prices for that mouth from advancing, and they held at about the same to %c above yesterday's close.

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MESS PORK, per bbl.—May, \$13 00@13 35@
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July, \$13 70@13 70@13 22½@13 47½
LARD, per 100 fbs.—May, \$6 35@6 35@6
6 30@6 32½; June, \$6 40@6 40@6 25@
6 57½; July, \$6 47½@6 47½@6 40@6 45.
SHORT RIBS, per 100 fbs.—May, \$5 32½@5 32½
65 25435 27½; June, \$5 40@5 40@6 35@5 57½;
July, \$6 47½@5 50@6 42½@5 45.
Cash Quotations were as follows: Flour firm July, \$5 47,425 50,65 42,465 45.

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On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was firm and unchanged. Eggs, 10%c.

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

Stock Yards. OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH, SATURDAY, April 26, 1890. CATTLE-Receipts, 2,173 head; shipments, 1,890 head; market nothing doing; all through con-signments. No cattle shipped to New York to Hogs-Receipts, 3,450 head; shipments, 2,600

day.
SHEEP—Receipts, 400 head; shipments, 400 head; market active and a shade higher than yesterday's prices.

head; market active; medium and selected, \$4 50 @4 60; common to best Yorkers, \$4 35@4 45; pigs, \$4 00@4 25; 6 cars hogs shipped to New York to-

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF. -Ex-Governor Cornell may be able to pay -The Russian Government officially denies that it is about to issue a new lottery loan -Reported that Judge Hilton has taken steps to prosecute the New York World for libel.

-Oliver Stangley, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Arlbert, will demand a new trial at Mauch —The workmen in the state quarries at Fes-tioniog, Marionethsire, Wales, have struck for an advance of wages. —The State of siege has been suspended in Crete by the Porte during the election for members of the Cretan Assembly. —An unsuccessful attempt to murder the Dervan of Cambay was made by two hired bullies, who were subsequently arrested. —A band of Chinamen who attempted to enter the United States from Lower California yesterday was captured and driven back.

-Prince Henry has been appointed a Rear Admiral in the Austrian navy. It has been previously been erroneously reported that the Prince had been made an Admiral in the Germany navy. —Heavy rain has stopped the forest fires in the Blue Ridge and Pocomo Mountains. Over \$200,000 worth of lumber and ties have been de-stroyed already.

stroyed already. —Thomas Masark, a miner in the Penn Gas Company's mine, near Irwin, was instantly killed by a fall of slate yesterday. He was & years old and single. -Edward Greenwald, theatrical manage

from Galveston, Tex., committed suicide by taking poison in New York yesterday. He was 23 years old and a well-known figure in theat-rical circles in the West and South. —Contractor A. C. Douglass, of New York, who is at present engaged in driving an immense tunnel at Big Mine and Park Place, for the Locust Mountain and Coal Company, and L. A. Riley & Co., have just been awarded the contract to make a tunnel 7,000 feet long at Sau Francisco, to supply that city with water.

SICK BRADACHE\_Carter's Little Lyter Pills SICK HEADACHE\_Carter's Little Liver Pills. SICK HEADACHE\_Carter's Little Liver Pills

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STILL AHEAD.

The Wonderful Success of Drs. Copeland and Blair in Treating

CATARRHAL TROUBLES IS UN-ABATED.

"A short time since the attention of the public was called to the remarkable success Drs. Copeland and Blair were having in their treatment of eatarrh and all its various com-plications. Although imitators of their method of treatment and mode of advertismethod of treatment and mode of advertis-ing have sprung up in various sections of the city, their feeble efforts have met with no success. Drs. Copeland and Blair still remain at the head, and their success is un-abated. Dr. W. H. Copeland is personally in charge of his extensive practice. To his skillful treatment and close attention to the various changes in the cases under his care, are due the wonderful results reached.

MISS SMITH'S STATEMENT. Since Dr. Copeland located permanently in this city, over one year ago, a week has not gone by in which a new statement of the proof of his wonderful skill has not been published. The individual case presented to the public this week is that of Miss Annie Smith, of No. 338 Ella street (Bloomfield), Pittsburg.



Miss Annie Smith, 338 Ella Street,

Miss Smith's trouble had extended over a higher, ruled firm and closed about %0 higher than yesterday.

The firmness was attributed to the nature of the crop news and favorable advices from abroad. Crop news from the Northwest reports favorable progress, though to-day a dispatch from Minneapolis said that seeding in the Jim River valley had been stopped on account of dry weather.

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"A dry, hacking congh set in, which at times was so violent that my throat would become so raw and sore that I could hardly swallow.
"Sharp pains would shoot through my chest, extending as far as the shoulder blades. I had no appetite. The very sight of food caused a nausea in my stomach. Night sweats were added to my other troubles and weakened me terribly. terribly.
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tired and unrefreshed.

Oats were fairly active, and a stronger feeling provalled. Prices advanced \*\*\*G\*\*\*\( \) could not sleep, and in the morning was tired and unrefreshed.

"I grew weaker every day, and was greatly reduced in this condition that I read of the distant futures, but May held easy. The feath by a large holder. His operations prevented prices for that mouth from advancing, and they held at about the same to 1/2 above yesterday's close.

A weak and unsettled feeling prevailed in pork, and prices receded 40250 cents. At a reduction there was a little more inquiry, and prices rallied 20630 cents and closed comparatively steady.

A fairly active business was reported in short ribs. Prices early receded 5671/2. Later a steadier feeling prevailed, but trading was rather light and prices slightly improved.

The lard market ruled rather weak early, and prices declined 5671/2. Later they rallied alightly, the market closing steady.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT—No. 2. April. 883/2000883/4000; June 882/20: May, 883/2000883/4000883/40000; June 882/20: May, 883/2000883/40000; June 882/20: May, 883/2000883/40000; June 882/20: May, 883/2000883/400000; June 882/20: May, 883/2000883/400000000000000000000000

Mrs. Robert Hamsoy, of Washington, Pa., speaking of her successful treatment with Drs. Copeland & Blair, says: Every fall for the past five years I have been troubled with chronio dyspepsia. Have tried countless remedies and various physicians without any relief. I could not get ease from pain in any position I would assume. Every breath I drew was like a knife cutting me. I became weak and pale, losing greatly in weight.

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