drilled by Galley Bros., is said to be good for barrels. It was shot.

EXPECTATIONS NOT REALIZED.

Premising Oil Territory Causes Consider-

able Interest.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATORA

considerable increase is looked for when they are dilled further in, which will be within the

are drilled further in, which will be within the next day or two.

Hervey No. I, on the other side of the river, is just being drilled in. Her sand is looking first class, and she will be likely to add something to the production of the field. Some other wells on that side will be in soon, and will thoroughly test the Ohio territory.

C. B. Hart's barnyard well is cased, and will be in by or before Tuesday of next week. She is only a hundred yards from Shingleton No. I, and is looked on as almost a sure thing. It is reported that a good show of oil was struck in the Strosneider well, five miles southwest of Belmont. This well is about a thousand feet deep, and will soon be in the Eureka sand. Her companion wells are drilling, but are not so deep by several hundred feet.

STOCKS UNCHANGED.

The Market Characterized by Continued

Realizations - The Foreigners Buy

Liberally-Active Fluctuations

With Small Gains.

New York, May 16 .- The stock market pre-

sented about the same amount of business to-day as yesterday, but the reactionary temper was replaced by a more confident feeling, not-withstanding the fact that the professionals

and traders were still working for a further re-

action. There was great irregularity in the

market, however, and a portion of the list was strong, while another portion was decidedly weak, and the course of prices was subjected to

Tenn. new set. 6s. 108 (100 Oregon & Trans. 6s. 106)
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St. Faul concols. 128
Central Pacific ists. 106
St. P. Chi & Pc. 1sts. 116
Den. & R. G. 18s. 186
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D. & R. G. West Ists. 104
M. K. & T. Gen. 6s. 87

New York-Clearings, \$166,980,024; balance \$6,394,116.

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HOSTON — Clearings, \$22,877,545; balances, \$1,831,058. Money 3@4 per cent.

PHILADELPHIA—Clearings, \$15,280,124; balances, \$2,418,471.

BALTIMORE—Clearings, \$2,310,012; balances, \$212,471.

LONDON — Particular Property of the Property of the

\$212,471.

LONDON—Bar silver, 47% d per ounce,
PARIS—Three per cent rentes, 89f 60c for
the account. The weekly statement of the
Bank of France shows an increase of 6,750,000
francs gold and 1,025,000 francs silver.
CHICAGO—Clearings, \$15,961,000. New York
exchange, 50c premium. Money remains unchanged.

HOME SECURITIES.

Tumble in Westinghouse Electric-Pleas

The Tone of Butter Trade Weak, and Prices Drifting Down.

BELMONT, W. VA., May 16.—Three wells have declared themselves this week; one for, and the others against the operators. On Wednesday afternoon Johnston & Brockunter's Locke No. 2 struck the sand, and it looked the sand of the sand of

Along the Line.

Locke No. 2 strock the sand, and it looked like a winner. Expectation ran high. Ten thousand dollars cash was offered for the well and refused unhesitatingly. A dozen telegrams were sent, estimating her at from 1 to 600 barrels. But when the morning of Friday came, and Prof. Drill took the floor, he made some very discouraging remarks, and by 9 o'clock the bit was through the sand, with only a half dozen bailers of oil to show for its work. About noon George W. Boss' Triangle well reached the sand, and showed up somewhat similarly to the Locke No. 2. Expressions regarding her probable outcome were very conservative, as a result of the morning's disappointment. But shortly she began to gas and made a rich flow, starting off at about a 300-barrel gait, and has kept it up since.

At 5 o'clock Boss, Storey & Hart's Shingle ton No. 1 got down to business, and with much stronger gas, commenced a flow of oil equal in amount with the Triangle. Neither of these wells are more than six feet in the sand, and a considerable increase is looked for when they are drilled further in which with with a within the COFFEES UNCERTAIN --- TEAS HIGHER

Provisions.

Sugar-cured hams, large, loc; sugar-cured hams, medium, 16½c; sugar-hams, small, 11½c; sugar-cured breakfast bacon, 8½c; sugar-cured shoulders, 6½c; sugar-cured boneless shoulders, 8c; sugar-cured California hams, 8c; sugar-cured dried beef fats, 9c; sugar-cured dried beef sets, 10c; sugar-cured dried beef rounds, 12c; bacon, shoulders, 8c; bacon, clear sides, 7½c; bacon, clear sides, 7½c; bacon, clear sides, 7½c; dry salt shoulders, 5½c; dry salt clear sides, 7½c; Mess pork, heavy, 813 50; mess pork, family, 813 50. Lard—Refined, in tierces, 5½c; half-barrels, 8½c; 60-B tubs, 6½c; 50-B pails, 6½c; 50-B tin cans, 8c; 3-B tin pails, 6½c; 5-B tin pails, 6½c; 10-B tin pails, 6½c; Smoked sausage, long, 5c; large, 5c. Fresh pork, links, 9c. Boneless hams, 10½c. Pigs' feet, half-barrels, \$4 00; quarter-barrels, \$2 15. OFFICE OF PITTSBURG DISPATCH, }
FRIDAY, May 16, 1890. Country Produce-Jobbing Prices. MARKETS BY WIRE. Bad Crop News Causes Another Bulge in

the difference between these and the nearer de-liveries was lessened somewhat. The opening for July was about the same as yesterday's closing, held steady for awhile, and then started up with prices advancing 2c, eased off slightly and closed about 13%c higher than yesterday. August closed 13%c and September 2%c higher than yesterday. The feeling throughout the session was very nervous and the short interest covered freely. Crop news of an unfavorable tenor were received from pretty nearly all directions. There were, however, many doubters of the news which came to hand, and reports were somewhat conflicting.

There was good trading in corn, prices fluctuating frequently within 3%c range. The feeling was a little unsettled, the market opening weak, with free selling by a prominent local trader, which had a very depressing effect, but prices reacted later, advancing 3%c. The market opened a shade under the closing prices of yesterday, was easy for a time, became stronger, selling up 3%c, reacted some, ruled steady and closed 3.6%c better than yesterday.

There was an excited market in onts early in the day, the interest for the time being centered in May. Prices were advanced 2c from yesterday's. They then receded 3%c and the market closed steady at a net gain of 13%c over yesterday's close.

Trading in pork was only moderate and the feeling was weak. Prices declined 30%30c, and the market closed quiet at medium figures.

A light trade reported in lard. Prices without material change.

Trading in short ribs was quite active. A local operator was credited with purchase of large quantities. Prices averaged about 23%c higher. The market closed steady at medium figures.

The leading futures ranged as follows: ing, held steady for awhile, and then started up

6 25; June, \$6 3026 30; July, \$6 4026 425200 35
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8H6RT RIBS, per 100 8s.—May, \$5 4025 40;
June, \$5 4025 42525 4025 4254; July, \$5 5026
5 255205 5026 525.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm and unchanged: No. 2 spring wheat, \$420352; No. 2 red., \$420352; No. 2 spring wheat, \$420352; No. 2 red., \$420352; No. 2 corn, \$452; No. 2 oats, \$2202552; No. 2 type, \$20; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 1 flax seed, \$1 45; prime timothy seed, \$1 2502 29.

Short ribbed sides (10030), \$5 40; dry saited shoulders (boxed), \$5 1026 15; short clear sides (boxed), \$5 7526 88. Sugars unchanged.

On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was easier: fancy separator, 1621654c; finest creameries, 1520165;c: fine, 14205c; finest darries, 112038c; fine, \$2010. Excess 125 finest darries, 112038c; finest dar

17c
DRIED FRUITS—Apples sliced, per h, 6c; apples, evaporated, 10½@11½c; apprients, California, evaporated, 16@18c; peaches, evaporated, nared, 24@26c; peaches, California, evaporated, unpared, 18@26c; cherries, pitted, 13@13½c; cherries, unpitted, 5@6c; raspherries, evaporated, 31@32c; blackberries, 7@7½c; huckelberries, 19@12c. quiet and easy; Western nominal.

PHILADELPHIA — Flour dull, but prices steadily held. Wheat—Options firm, and closed \$\frac{1}{2}\text{0}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\text{1}\text{0}\tex

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

PRODUCE COMING IN MORE FREELY.

Cereal Receipts Light---Prices Steady All

The tone of butter markets is weak, and prices are on the decline. This and next month are the months of plenty in this department of trade, and supply is likely to exceed demand. Advices from Elgin and Chicago show that markets are off at those important butter points. Country rolls are very slow. As butter declines eggs advance, and for choice nearby stock outside quotations are readily obtained. Markets are better supplied with fresh vegetables and strawberries than for some days past. Stuff from the South has been delayed all the week on account of rains. Now there is plenty for all demands, but prices of good goods are well maintained. The berries on the market well maintained. The perries on the market are generally small. In tropical fruit limes oranges are firm and higher, bananas steady, and lemons weak.

BUTTER—Creamery, Elgin, 19@20c; Ohio do, 17@18c; country rolls, 12@14c.

BEANS—Navy hand-picked beans, \$1.80@2.00.

BEESWAX—25@28c # 5 for choice: low grade, 18@20c.

BEANS—Navy hand-picked beans, \$1 80@2 00.

BEESWAX—25@28c # B for choice: low grade, 18@20c.

CIDER—Sand refined, \$7 50; common, \$3 00@4 00; crab cider, \$7 50@8 00 # barrel; cider vinegar, 10@12c # gallon.

CHEESE—New Ohlo cheese, \$4,@10c; New York cheese, 11c; Limberger, 14½@10c; domestic Sweitzer, 18c; imported Sweitzer, 23½c.

EGGS—13@13½c # dozen for strictly fresh; duck eggs, 18c; guose eggs, 35@40c.

FRUITS—Apples, fancy, \$4 50@5 00 # barrel; strawberries, 12@15c a box.

FEATHERS—Extra live geese, 50@60c; No. 1 do. 40@45c; mixed lots, 30@35c # B.

MAPLE SYRUP—New, 30@35c # B.

MAPLE SYRUP—New, 30@35c a can. Maple sugar, 11@12c # B.

POULTRY—Live chickens, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00 a pair; dressed, 14@15c a bound; ducks, 75c@\$1 00; his grass, 510@1 70; blue grass, 520@1 450; cimothy, choice, 45 Bs, \$1 00@1 70; blue grass, extra clean, 14 Bs \$1 25@1 30; blue grass, fancy, 14 Bs, \$1 30; millet, 50 Bs, \$1 00; Hungarian grasses, \$2 50 # bushel of 14 Bs.

TALLOW—Country, 3½c; city rendered, 4c, Tropical Fruits—Lemons, common, \$2 75 @3 00; fancy, \$2 25@3 75; California oranges, \$4 00@4 50; bananaa, \$2 00@2 50 francy Messina, \$4 00@4 50; bananaa, \$2 00@2 50 francy Messina, \$4 00@4 50; bananaa, \$2 00@2 50 francy Messina, \$4 00@4 50; bananaa, \$2 00@2 50 francy Messina, \$4 00@4 50; bananaa, \$2 00@2 50 francy Messina, \$4 00@4 50; bananaa, \$2 00@2 50 francy Messina, \$4 00@4 50; bananaa, \$2 00@2 5 prices averaging higher all around. Even de-ferred futures were more strongly affected, and

dairies, 11@13c; fine, 9@11c. Eggs, 12c

action. There was great introcalization the market, however, and a portion of the last was weak, and the course of prices wassubjected as weak, and the course of prices wassubjected to studen and sharp changes throughout. To-day there was also continued realizations, which is and the lack of support in a few of the most prominent stocks, were sufficient to keep prominent stocks, were sufficient to keep prominent stocks, were sufficient to keep in the afternoon, although they did not go as high the foreigness who sent liberal orders in all of which the foreigness who sent liberal orders in all of will be the sufficient to keep the suffi

finest creameries, 15@165c; fine, 14@16c; finest dairies, 11@18c; fine, 40016. Eggs, 12c.

NEW YORK—Flour dull and firm. Wheat—Spot duil, and nominally higher; options more active: early unchanged to 1/2c down, advanced 1/2c/2/c and closed 1/2d/2/c and firm Otts—Spot moderately active and stronger; options moderately active and stronger; options moderately active and stronger; options moderately active, 1/2d/2 up and firm Otts—Spot moderately active and stronger; options active and stronger. Hay firm and in fair demand. Hops quiet and firm. Coffee — Options opened barely steady and unchanged to 10 points down, closed weak and 5@15 points down; sales, 52.60 bags, including May, 16.35@16.40c; June, 16.25c; July, 18.10@16.15c; August, 16.65@16.10c; April. 18.25c; July, 18.10@16.15c; August, 16.65@16.10c; Spot meber, 16.00c; October, 15.70@16.15c; March, 15.10c; spot Rio lower and quiet; fair cargoes, 191/cc; No. 7fat bean, 173/c. Sugar—Rw quiet and easy; sales two cargoes centrifigals, 96° test, 3@33/c c. 1. f.; 1.00 bags do, 3c c. 1. f.; 182 hhds Muscovados, 89° test, 2%c c. i. f.; refined dull and unchanged. Moiasses—Foreign quiet; New Orleans quiet, Rice, fair demand and steady. Cottonseed oil firm. Tailow quiet. Rosin firm. Turpentine dull at 40c asked. Eggs quiet and easy: Western, 183/c@13/c; receipts, 8,107 packages. Pork quiet. Mess, oid, 816 000 14 50; extra prime, 811 00. Cutments quiet and easy; Western steam, 86 45@6 471/c; sales, 460 tierces; options, sales, 750 tierces; June, 85 61@6 68; July, 86 61@6 68; August, 85 71@6 73; September, 85 82@6 83. Butter quiet and weak; Western dairy, 6@1c; do creamery, 6@17c; do hold, 5@8c, do factory, 4@0c; Elgm, 17@18c. Cheese quiet and easy; Western steam sed 60c 60c 60c 60c 60c 60c 60c 6

uppared, 1862bc; cherries, pitted, 1362134c; cherries, unpitted, 6966c; raspherries, evaporeries, revaporeries, revaporeries, professories, pr

Grain, Flour and Fred. Sales on call at the Grain Exchange: car sample cats, 2236c, 5 days, P. R. R.; 1 car 2 white cats, 35c, July delivery. Receipts as bulletined were unusually light, the total being 15 carloads. By l'ittsburg, Ft. Wayne and Chicago, 2 cars of corn, 1 of oats, 1 of sacks of bran, 1 of straw, 1 of flour. By Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis, 2 cars of corn, 1 of hay. By Baltimore and Ohio, 1 car of oats, 1 of hay. By Pittsburg and Western, 1 car of oats. By Pittsburg and Lake Erie, 2 cars of hay, 1 of bran.

97c.
CORN-No. 1 vellow, ear, 50%@6ic; No. 2 vellow, ear, 48@49c: high mixed, ear, 47@48c; No. 2 vellow, shelled, 38%@39c; high mixed shelled corn, 37@37%c.
OATE-No. 2 white, 33%@34c; extra, No. 3, 23%@33c; mixed, 50%@31c.

much at the advance. No. 1 hard, as well as No. 2 Northern and grades below that, were dull and moving off slowly. Closing questations: No. 1 hard, May, 91½c; June, 92½c; July, 96; on track, 93c; No. 1 Northern, May, 91c; June, 92½c; July, 93½c bid; on track, 92½c; No. 2 Northern, May, 85c; June, 88c; July 90c; on track, 88@89c. RYE-No. 1 Pennsylvania and Ohio, 60@61c; No. 1 Western, 50@60c. FLOUR-Jobbing prices—Fancy winter and spring patents, \$5 50@6 00; winter straight, \$5 00@5 25; clear winter, \$4 75@5 00; straight XXXX bakers', \$4 25@4 50. Rye flour, \$5 50@ 3 75. 75.
Milyren—Middlings, fine white, \$16 00@ 5 50 \$ ton; brown middlings, \$15 25@15 50; cinter wheat bran, \$14 60@14 50; chop feed, winter wheat bran, \$14 60@14 50; chop feed, \$13 00@15 00.

HAY—Baled timothy, No. 1, \$11 50@12 00; No. 2 do, \$10 60@10 50; loose, from wagon, \$13 00 @16 00, according to quality; No. 2 prairie hay, \$7 00@8 00; packing do, \$5 50@6 75; clover hay, \$7 50@8 00.

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

Provisions.

Wheat -Shorts Cover Freely-Oats

Excited and Higher - Pork

CHICAGO-Bad crop news was again re-

ceived plentifully from various quarters to-day and infused life and animation into the wheat market. Speculative trading large and

more or less excitement existed at times, with

for July was about the same as yesterday's clos-

76, MESS PORK, per bbl.—Inns. \$12 675/@12 70@ 2 30@12 40: July, \$12 85@12 85@12 50@12 60; August, \$12 90@12 90@12 65@12 70. LARD, per 100 8s.—May, \$6 25@6 275/@6 25@ 2 56 571/3 June, \$6 30@6 30; July, \$6 40@6 425/@6 35 26 571/3 June, \$6 30@6 30; July, \$6 40@6 425/@6 35

Dull and Weak.

track, 88@89c.

CINCINNATI—Flour easier. Wheat quiet;
No. 2 red, 95c. Corn easier; No. 2 mixed, 36@
28%c. Oats steady; No. 2 raixed, 31%c. Rya
firm; No. 2 60c. Pork in at 313. Lard quiet
at \$6 93. Bulkmears duli; short rib, \$5 37%.
Bacon barely steady; short clear, \$6 65@6 70.
Butter lower; fine creamery, 18c; fine dairy, \$2
10c. Sugar quiet and easy. Eggs firm at 11@
11%c. Cheese firm.

MILWAUKEE—Flour dull. Wheat more active and higher; No. 2 spring, on track, cash, 90 (2002; July, 9ic; No. 1 Northern, 96c. Corn quiet; No. 3, on track, 352354c. Oats unchanged; No. 2 white, on track 25630e. Bye firm; No. 1, in store, 55%c. Barley again higher; No. 2, in store, 49c. Provisions weak. Fork, \$1256. Lard, 8630. Cheese steady; cheddars, 10c.

TOLEDO-Wheat dull and easier; cash, May and June, 85c; July, 93%c; August, 91%c. Corn dull and easy; cash and May, 35%c; July, 36c. Oats quiet; cash, 30c. Cloverseed steady and firm; cash, \$3.60; October, \$4.10.

Weol Markets.

PHILADELPHIA—Wool stocks quiet: prices steady; Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia XX and above, 33@34c; X. 31@33c; medium, 37@35c; coarse, 34/@355/c; New York, Michigan, Indiana and Western fine, or X and XX, 28@31c; medium 37@37/5c; coarse, 34@35c; fine washed delaine X and XX, 35@37c; medium washed combing and delaine, 40@47c; coarse do, 35@35c; Canada washed combing, 33@35c; tub washed, choice, 39@40c; fair, 37@38c; coarse, 32@35c; medium unwashed combing and delaine, 28. 35c; medium unwashed combing, 38@35c; tub

Eoston-There has been a fair demand for BOSTON—There has been a fair demand for wools during the past week and sales have amounted to 21,567,000 pounds. Large sales of Australian wools are reported, but domestic grades are quiet. Michigan X fleeces are quoted at 29,362, and sales at 29,43,300 are reported. No. 2 combing wools firm and in small stock, being held at 39,340; white Ohio delains sells at 33,3636c, and Michigan delaine at 34,335c. Territory wools are quiet at 58,050 for fine: 55,050c for fine medium, and 50,372c for medium. Texas and Oregon wools have been quiet. New spring California has been selling at 17,220c. Pulled wools active, with sales of choice super at 40,447c; common to good supers at 50,236c. at 40@47c; common to good supers at 30@38c, and extra at 25@30c. In Australian wool there have been large sales at 37@40c. Carpet wools quiet and steady.

ALMOST HER OWN WEIGHT,

The Barden an Italian Woman Carried on Her Head in Philadelphia. Philadelphia Times,]

On Chestnut street yesterday afternoons four Italian women crossed from the postoffice corner toward Walnut street, each carrying on her head a pile of lumber that an ordinary man could hardly lift, and some time after witnessed the way it was piled on One woman was persuaded to stand on a pair of platform scales, and it was found that her weight with the load was 235 pounds. She weighed alone 126, so there remained for her to carry through the streets nearly her own weight.



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IRON TRADE REVIEW.

Bessemer Has Been Quite Active the Past Few Days, With a

STRONGER FEELING ALL AROUND.

Not Enough Railroad Cars to Move the

Southern Product. OTHER MARKETS BOTH EAST AND WEST

The tone of the iron market is stronger than it has been for some weeks past, and in some lines prices are a shade better. Bessemer iron has been quite active for a few days past and markets are strong at \$18 00 per ton, while they were weak last Saturday at \$17 50 per ton. A gentleman who is a partner in one of the large manufacturing plants and also buys a good deal, said yesterday: "There is undoubtedly a much improved tone to Bessemer iron within a day or two, and the company in which I am interested has no desire to enter into large con-

tracts even at \$15 00, as we believe that prices will soon advance beyond this figure." While there is little change, as yet, in mill fron there is a more confident feeling than there was a week ago among manufacturers and dealers. The volume of business shows improvement this week over last. The demand for finished products is active and strong, and manufacturers are in general carrying light stocks, so that the time cannot be far away en there must be some heavy buying. One of the strongest firms in the city paid \$18 per ton for a largelot of Bessemer iron within a day or two, showing their faith that the tide has turned toward better prices. Holders of standard brands of mill irons are no longer disposed to grant concessions as they have been for a few weeks past. There is no change in markets for nails or rails since our last week's report. Orders for the latter have slackened up for the past week or two, and markets are a shade weaker. At present price of nails margins are nearly, if not altogether,

Following are the latest quotations: Structural Iron -Angles, \$2.15; tees, 2.80c; beams and channels, 2.10c; sheared bridge plates, steel, and channels, 2.10c; sheared bridge plates, steel, and channels, 2.50c; refined

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ACTIVITY IN THE SOUTH

The Railroad Companies Are Not Able Furnish the Transportation.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR. BERRINGHAM, ALA., May 10.-There has been unusual activity in the fron trade during the week, and railroad companies have had difficulty in supplying through cars to meet the rush of business. There is a good demand for pig, and, feeting that better prices will soon prevail, manufacturers do not care to zell ex-

cept for immediate delivery. Most of the fur-naces in the district refuse to quote prices for delivery later than July I.

There has been enough demand recently for from for immediate shipment to wipe out the stock on hand at nearly all the furnaces in the district. The Sloss Company with four fornaces in blast are without a pound of un-sold from and it will take them until about June I to complete orders on hand. Other furnaces have sold down very close and have orders for anost of their outputs for this month.

Some from has been sold for delivery in July and August, but no contracts extend beyond the latter month and very few beyond July.

The output in this district last week was be-tween 16,000 and 17,000 tons. All the furnaces in the district are in blast, except three, which are shut down for reining and other rapairs.

ing and other rapairs. furnaces will remain in blast throughout the Summer.
The following are the quotations this week,

prices being cash f. o. b. at the furnace Gray forge tous of steel per day for 12 months. The from need by the Henderson Company in making steel is No. 2 foundry, containing .60 of phosphorus. The fron is made at one of the local furnaces from the ores of this district. The fuel used is gas made of a mixture of the two coals of this district. The dead loss from the pig to the ingot was 6 per cent. Nine hundred pounds of coal is used to the ton of steel. Chemical analysis of the steel shows an average of .67 to .11 of carbon and .63 to .00 of phosphorus.

FIGURES ABOUT THE SAME

No Sign of Any Further Drop in Prices in the Cincinnut! Market.

SPECIAL TRLEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. CINCINNATI May 16.—Rogers, Brown & Co. in the pig iron market as have been described the past three weeks. There is an active business current at low prices. Comparing with the corresponding time of last year it is found that in Southern from at least the volume of new orders and of shipments is largely in excess. The increase will probably average 50 per cent. This results partly from the practical suspension of business for two or three months, at the beginning of the year, when sellers buyers were so far apart, as to prices. At the close of the week unusually heavy inquiries are before leading sellers amounting in the aggregate to over 12,000 tons of gray forge, and perhaps 5,000 tons each of No. 3 foundry and

While the market East and North presents While the market East and North presents no feature is bearish, the situation West and Bouth is as the as at any time during the past month, and the heavy volume of inquiries from legitimate consumers is thought to give assurance that there will be no further decline for some time at least. There is a fair lussness in charcoal irons North and South and in Ohio softeness, but the heavy tonnage still runs to Southern coke irons. We make no change in our quotations.

QUIET AT ST. LOUIS.

A Number of Small Orders, but No Great Change in the Situation.

PETECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE. Br. Louis, May 16.-Rogers, Brown & Meactan say: Our market has been quiet during the past week, with a regular run of small and medium orders at unchanged figures. ne consumers are holding back in the hope of lower prices, but Southern furnaces main tain a firm attitude and refuse concessions, charcoal grows and Ohlo softeners there i change. We quote for cash, f. o. b.

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LIVELY IN CAR LOTS.

Some Bayers Are Making Inquiries as Prices on Big Quantities.

SEPECIAL TRLEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. I CHICAGO, May 16.-Rogers, Brown & Co., may: There is still a lively retail business in car lots, 50 ton lots and 100 ton lots, and two or three buyers have been negotiating for large sized contracts. Prices remain very firm at the low level previously reported. Business is disaributed between local furnaces, Southern trees and Ohio brands. A stronger stock mar-

ket and the prespect for a silver inflation bill have introduced a little more of the speculative spirit into trading.

There is evidence that should prices decline lower a great deal of iron will be taken and stored for speculative account. Lake Superior charcoal iron hold up well, but the heavy buying by maileable and car wheel works has not begun. The large Northwestern Agricultural Works have not entered the market yet. Their requirements will be heavy this season. Indications generally seem healthy and hopeful.

DUE TO SPECULATION

The Recent Boom Was Necessarily Followed by a Strong Reaction.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. PHILADELPHIA May 16 -Looking back upon the boom which the iron market exp late in 1889 and early in the present year, it ap late in 1889 and early in the present year, it appears that it was largely due to speculation. The purchases by speculators were not confined to pig metal, but included mill products as well. The liquidation of speculative holdings is causing a reaction from the unnatural advance. The buying now is for legitimate purposes, and, while prices are low, it is still encouraging to find the mills busy. Some furnace men talk of shutting down toward the end of this month or in June, and it is quite probable that the end of the second quarter of the year will find a re-stricted output of pig iron. Statistics show the total number of furnaces in blast to be 344, the same as reported on April I, with a slight in-crease in capacity.

Crease in capacity.

There are a number of inquiries for steel There are a number of inquiries for steel rails floating about, coming from the far West, indicating that the Western mills are busy and adhering closely to established prices. While there is no marked improvement in the situation the general market is no weaker. A fair range of quotations is as follows: No. 1 foundry, 100, at tide, \$18 50@19 00 per ton; No. 2 foundry, 100, at tide, \$18 50@19 00 per ton; No. 2 foundry, 100, at tide, \$18 50@19 00 per ton; No. 2 foundry, 100, and 100, a

New York Figures. NEW YORK—Pig iron quiet. Copper dull and steady; Lake, May, \$14.90. Lead firm and moderately active; dômestic, \$4.10. Tin quiet and firm; Straits, \$21.20.

ABOUT THE MARKETS. Supplies of Fruit and Vegetables-Dealers

Well Satisfied-Searchty of Straw-

berries-Butter a Little Cheaper -Gurden Stuff Also Lower. Retailers of fruit and vegetables are satisfied with the week's trade. In spite of wind and weather, demand has been active. There is Egg plant and squash from the South bave put in their first appearance for the season with a few days. Asparagus grows plentier and cheaper. The same is true of string beans and peas, which are not more than half the ruling prices of a week ago. Heavy rains all over the country have delayed shipments of strawberries for a few days past, and our market has been

for a few days past, and our market has been unusually bare in this line. There will, however, be plenty to-morrow, though few large betries have been received.

Butter supply is in excess of demand, and is likely to be for a month or two to come. In a jobbing way there has been a sharp decline in creamers and country roll butter the past week, but not sufficient to produce any great change in retail prices. Bupply of ocean products is barely up to the demand. A leading jobber and retailer in this line, said to-day; "I have not been able to get all the Western fish I required for the jobbing trade this two weeks past. Of Eastern fish there is a fair supply, but demand is fully equal to supply. I could have soid if to 20 barrels of fish in original packages within a day or two that I did not have on band."

Fiories report a good week and good prospects. The erop of weddings has been good, and June promises still larger returns in this line, so that dealers in flowers are jubilant, as well as prospective brides and grooms.

as prospective brides and grooms.
Following are the latest retail quotations: The best cuts of tenderioin steak range from 20 to 25c, with last figure for very from 20 to 25c, with last figure for very fancy; strioin, best cuts, from 15 to 18c; standing rib rosat, from 15 to 25c; chuck rosat, 10 to 12c; best round steaks, 1234 to 15c; boiling beef, 5 to 8c; sweet breads, 20 to 56c per pair; beet kidneys, 10c apiece; beef liver, 5c a pound; calf livers, 25 to 35c apiece; corned beef from 10 to 12c per pound. Veal for stewing commanus 10c; rosat, 1235 to 15c; cuslets, 20c per pound; spring lambs, fore quarter, 10 to 12c; lind quarters, 15c. A leg of mutton, hind quarter, of prime quality, brings 125c; fore quarter, 8c; loin of mutton, 15c; giblets, 5c per pound.

Gnrden Stuff. new Bermuda potatoes, 20c per quarter peck; choice Florida tomatoes, 50c a quart; bananas, 15 to 20c a dozen; carrots, 10c a bunch, 8 for

15 to 20c a dozen: carrots, 10c a bunch, 3 for 25c; lemons, 20 to 30c per dozen; oranges, 35 to 50c; cauliflower, 30 to 40c a head; lettuce, 5 to 10c per bunch; beets, new, 10c; green onions, 5c a bunch; rhubarb, 5c a bunch; 6 for 25c; cucumbers, 5 to 20c aplece; mushrooms, 21 a pound; asparagos, 7c a bunch; new peas, 25c a half peck; new bean; 25c a half peck; new bean; 25c a half peck; strawberries, 15 to 25c a quart; pineapples, 15 to 25c aplece; Porto Rico pines, 75c to \$1; eggplant, 25 to 35c aplece; squash, 10 to 20c aplece. to 20c apiece.

to 29c spiece.

Choice creamery butter, 25c. Good country butter, 15 to 18c. Fancy pound rolls, 20 to 25c. The retail price for fresh country eggs is 18c. The range for dressed chickens is \$i\$ to \$1.25 per pair. Spring chickens, \$i.25 to \$1.75 per pair. Turkeys, 25c per pound. Ducks, \$i.25 to \$i.50 per pair. Ocenn Products, Following are the articles in this line on the stalls, with prices: Lake salmon, 10 to 1234c; California salmon, 35c per pound; white fish, California samon, 30c per pound; white fish, 1234c; herring, 4 pounds for 26c; Spanish mackerel, 25 to 30c a pound; blue fish, 15c; halibut, 25c; rock bass, 25c; black bass, 15c; lake trout, 25c; lobsters, 20c; green sea turtie, 20to 25c. Oysters: N. Y. counts, \$1 75 per gallon; claus, \$1 25 per gallon; frog legs, 75c a pound; soft sbell crabs, \$1 50 per dozen.

Jacks, \$3 00 per dozen;
Jacks, \$3 00 per dozen; La France, \$1 50 per dozen; Mermets, \$1 25 per dozen; Brides, \$1 25 per dozen; Brides, \$1 25 per dozen; Beauties, 50c apiece; Brunner, 50c apiece; Harrison lilles, 25c apiece; pausies, 25c per dozen; Hiy of the valley, 75c per dozen; heliotrope, 50c per dozen; Haroness, 75c each; carnations, 50c per dozen; mignouette, extra fine, \$1 50 per dozen; spires, 50c per dozen.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

The Condition of Bustness at the East Liberty Stock Yards. OFFICE OF PITTERURG DISPATCH, | FRIDAY, May 16, 1800,

CATTLE-Receipts, 1,506 head; shipments, 1,491 head; market, nothing doing; all through con-Hous-Receipts, 8,000 head; shipments, 2,500 bead; market dull; medium and select, \$4 25@ 4 35: common to best Yorkers, \$4 15@4 25; pags, \$3 75@4 90; 7 cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day. NHEEF—Receipts, 700 head; shipments, 400 head; market very dull and a shade off from yesterday's prices.

By Telegraph. By Telegraph.

NEW YORK—Beeves—Receipts, including 20 cars to be solo, 3,772 head; market dull and 10c per 100 hs lower; steers, \$4 2006 00 per 100 hs; fulls and cows, \$2 0063 75; dressed heef slow at 6546775 per B. Shipments to-day, 1,419 heeves; to-morrow, 2,689 heeves, 50 sheep and 4,500 quarters of heef. Calves—Receipts, \$26 head; market ½ clower; caives, \$4 0060 00 per 200 hs; hutternilks, \$2 7565 25. Sheep—Receipts, 4,800 head; market slow and strong, and ½c per hlower; sheep sold at \$4 5066 00 per 100 hs; lambs, \$5 5067 90; dressed mutton steady at 90 00%c per h; dressed lambs still at 10612c. Hogs the capts, 3,621 head; nominally steady at \$4 30 694 70.

CHICAGO—The Drover's Journal reports:
Cattle receipts, 10,500 head; shipments, 5,000 head; market slow and stendy; beaves, bi 8000 25; stockers and feeders, 52 0036 10; covers, bulls and mixed, bi 5003 75; Texas cattle, \$1 7523 80. Hogs—Receipts, 17,000 head; shipments, 5,000 head; market active and higher mixed and light; 51 0036 25; heavy, \$4 0036 25. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000 head; shipments, 5,000 head; market slow, but stendy; matives, \$4 2506 65; Western, \$5 00 626 5h; Texans, \$4 0036 40; lambs, \$5 5027 75. 66 56; Texans, \$4 00@4 50; lambs, \$5 50@7 75.

ST. LOUIS—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 head; shipments, 1,000 head; market steady; good to fair natives, \$1 40@4 20; Texans and Indians, \$2 25@4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 5,700 head; shipments, 5,500 head; market stronger; fair to choice heavy, \$4 00@4 10; packing grades, \$3 85@4 65; light, lair to heat; \$3 30@4 67.56. Sheep—Receipts, 700 head; market steady; fair to choice clipped, \$4 00@4 40.

BUFFALO—Cattle steady; receipts, 119 loads through; 1 sale. Sheep and lambs—Duil and lower; receipts, 3 loads through; 20 on sale; sheep, cloudes to extra, \$5 15@5 55; good to choice, \$4 90@5 10. Lambs—Choice to extra, \$5 55@5 50; good to choice, \$4 90@5 10. Lambs—Choice to extra, \$6 15@5 50; Good to choice, \$4 90@5 10. Lambs—Choice to extra, \$6 15@6 50; good to choice, \$4 90@5 10. Lambs—Choice to extra, \$6 15@6 50; good to choice, \$

CINCINNATi-Hogs weaker; common and light, \$3 00694 10: packing and butchers, \$4 1020 4 30. Receipts, 4,300 head; shipmonts, 2,800 head.

BLACK SILES—A superior quality of black gross grain and faille francaise at \$1 and \$1 25 s yard. HUGUS & HACKE.

STILL MARCHING ON

Fabrication Against Pittsburg Worked for All It is Worth.

NO TRUTH IN THE STATEMENT. Manufacturing Sites Obtainable in Good Localities at Low Rates.

THE NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE CITY The advantages of Pittsburg as a manufacturing center are no longer disputed. Indeed, they are so manifest and important as to attract attention in Europe as well as throughout the United States. Her railway system is so complete as to render the distribution of her products to any part of the country easy and cheap, and her waterways -three magnificent rivers-complete her

lines of communication with the South and

West, Inexhaustible stores of coal and

abundance of natural gas afford a constant supply of fuel for all of her varied industries at rates rendering competition next to impos-To offset these advantages an attempt has been made to show that all the good manufacturing sites have been taken up. This story was started about a year ago, and is still going the rounds. It appeared in a Baltimore trade publication this week. It was promptly contra-dicted at the time, for a bolder falsehood was never perpetrated. There is a large extent of ground in and about the city admirably adapted to all kinds of manufacturing purposes, with coal and gas in abundance, and having the advantages of both rail and river transportation. These sites vary in size so as to suit all requirements, and range in price from \$500 to \$1,000 an acre—surely not an extravagant figure, when the superiority of the location is considered. Those who are contemplating removal to Pittsburg to engage in any legitimate industry should not be deterred by fear of inability to

of our real estate brokers will secure full and favorable information on this point. Business News and Gossip Wall street is trembling over the prospect of

tight money. Banks are manipulating. Twenty-eight mortgages were recorded yes-terday. The largest was for \$20,000. An East End genius claims to have discovered a process for coloring glass by immersing it in a solution of various ingredients. He says the color thus fixed is permanent. The scalpers continue to be the principal buyers of oil. Outside demand is scarcely

worth mentioning.

The prospect for an improvement in local stocks grows worse instead of better. Many local investors are risking their money in New York and Chleago,
A mortgage expert says there is considerable money seeking investment in gilt-edged city property at a big fraction less than 6 per cent.

A national bank has been authorized at Girardville, Pa. "Squirrel Hill Citizen" will have his request ttended to in a short time. He is not the only one who is interested in the matter be re-

Mud on suburban roads is as bad as ever. It hub deep in many places.

There is a quiet movement in water street operty which may cause considerable talk sefore the month is out. Leading real cetate brokers say that while business is quiet they see nothing discouraging in the situation. Occasional Julis give both sellers and buyers time to think and plan. According to the figures of the Controller of the Currency, the national bank depositories

hold \$24,795,035 Government deposits.

There are more big deals in real estate on the string than at any previous time in the history of Pittsburg. Some of them will rise to the surface very soon. Two rows of 100 houses each, erected by one man, would be a novelty in in Pittaburg. Stranger things have happened.

Movements in Real Estate. The features of the real estate market yes-terday were a brisk inquiry for suburban building lots and talk about dickers in the Squirrei Hill district. The following transactions were reported:

Kelly & Rogers sold for J. C. Meanor to Isaac Reese a brick honse and lot 25x145, on Penn avenue, near Beatty, for \$8,500. They also sold for Samuel Kelly to T. O. Vangorder a house

ated in the Twentieth ward, near Neville street, for \$2,900 casb. Black & Baird sold to John J. Baumann property on Washington avenue, in the Maple plan, with lot 25x147 feet, for \$2,800. John Quinn was the purchaser. W. M. Hager & Co. and S. J. Fleming & Co. report the sale of lot No. 2 in the Aspinwall

and lot 30x110, on Station street, for \$6,000.

W. A. Herron & Sons sold a lot 44x180, situ

plan, corner Freeport and Western avenues, size 76x120, for \$1,500. G. W. Betteridge was Hamnett & Meredith sold lot No. 156, plan No. 2, Wilkins estate, Wilkinsburg, to John S. Todd for \$950. Reed B. Corle & Co. sold to Dan W. Williams ots Nos. 188 and 189 in the Marion Place plan of lots, being 55x165 feet, more or less, for \$450. Alles & Bailey sold for Mrs. Annie S. Carlton

a frame dwelling of six rooms, lot 20x95 feet, on Commerce street, near Canton street, to the Pennsylvania Tube Works for \$2,000 cash. Pennsylvania Tube Works for John Prim-Baltensperger & Williams sold for John Prim-rose, of Boone county, Neb., to H. Kirk, Esq.,

a building lot 20x50, on Alpine avenue, Alleghony, for \$900 cash.

Banuel W. Black & Co. sold two more lots, size 25x120, on Paul avenue, in the Boggs plan, West Liberty borough, for \$275 cach.

C. Beringer & Son sold for John A. Eckert at Wood's Run, Alleghony, a triangular lot to John Simpson at \$500.

J. E. Glass sold for Thomas Neely to Charles A. Sadler, a lot on Albert street, near Boggs

A Sadler, a lot on Albert street, near Boggs avenue, size 29x78, for \$400.

Ewing & Byers sold for William Precent to R. Clark the property 75 Carroll street, Second ward, Allegheny, consisting of a two-story signments; no cattle shipped to New York to- frame house of six rooms and hall, with lot 20x

100 to East Jefferson street; consideration, Charles Somers & Co., 313 Wood street, sold for T. Texier to a Wood street husiness man a property on Grazier street, Brushton station, consisting of a four-room frame house, with lot fronting 40 feet on Grazier street, and in right to all of the Carson lease, which consists depth 137 feet to a 20-footalley, for \$1,650 cash.

James W. Drape & Co. sold a house and lot in Allegheny, contiguous to the parks, for \$19,000 cash; also, three small houses in the East End for \$5,500, and three for \$4,680; also placed a mortgage for \$28,000 on an East End suburban property for residence purposes at 6 per cent; also a mortgage of \$6,000 at 4½ per cent on a

residence property in Allegheny.

HOLDING ITS OWN. Financial Situation Unchanged but in Good Condition for the Season.

Checking at the local banks picked up a little yesterday, and depositing was fair, but dis-counting was slow, due principally to the weather, which was an impediment to nearly all kinds of business. Money, however, was said to be well loaned up for the season, the surplus being no more than it is necessary to carry to meet unexpected calls. Exchange were \$25,856,958 35, and balances \$372,659 82 Currency and exchange were equal to require-

John M. Oakley & Co,'s Wall street special says: Money fuled very snug all day yesterday, and during the last half hour all sorts of rates and during the last half hour all sorts of rates were paid, in some instances as high as 20 per cent. To-day being Friday, when borrowings have to be made in advances or Saturday, even more stringency is looked for. There is no doubt that much of this dearth of funds is due to manipulation, and as a strong party of speculators have sold out and want their stocks back at lower prices, we rather look for some lightness of money and with it a reaction.

Money on call at New York yesterday was tight, ranging from 5610 per cent, last Dan 5, closed offered at 5. Prime mercantile paper, 4% 47. Sterling exchance quiet and steady at \$4 for 60-day bills and \$4 86 for demand.

Closing Bond Quotations.

ant Valley Railway Stronger. The only features of the local security man ket yesterday were declines in Westinghous-Electric, Switch and Signal and Luster Min ing, and in Pleasant Valley Railway. The natural gases and the tractions were weak, but practically unchanged. Sales were 314 shares. The weakness in Electric was due to the contemplated increase of the stock, making larger earnings necessary to maintain dividends, if it

does not sweep them away altogether. The large and increasing traffic on the Pleasant Valley and the assurance of better facilities for handling business in the near future, sufficiently account for its greater strength. Com. Nat. Bk. Duq'eNat. Bk Mer.& M Bk. Man. Gas Co.. Pe's N G & P. Philiadel. Co. 15\\(\) 15\(\) 15\(\) 15\\(\) 15\(\) 15\\(\) 15\\(\) 15\\(\) 15\(\) 15\(Philadel. Co. 31½
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Sales at first call were 50 shares Switch and Signal at 14%.
Sales at second call, 150 Pleasant Valley at 28%, 10 at 28%, and 75 Westinghouse Electric at 283. 2834, 10 at 2836, and 76 Westinghouse Electric at 8395.

Sales at third call, 10 Philadelphia Gas at 8156, 14 Luster at 1576, and 5 Commercial National Bank at 98.

The total sales of stocks at New York yesterday were 570,551 shares, including Atchison, 58,750; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 9,335; Lake Shore, 19,740; Missouri Pacific, 7,500; Northern Pacific, preferred, 8,050, Oregon Transcentingental, 41,450; Reading, 78,510; Richmond and West Point, 22,310; Fexas Pacific, 80,100; Union Pacific, 4,350; Western Union, 8,075.

RETAINS ITS GRIP. The Oil Hustiers Making the Most of Their

Opportunities. The oil market was strong and active yeste day, as things go, but the trading was in small lots, nothing important being handled. The local crowd were in good spirits, and sung and danced as if they didn't care a fig whether school kept or not. It is a good thing to be able to extract comfort from misfortune.

The market opened ½ better than Thursday's closing, and advanced gradually on moderate

buying here and in Oil City. This demand satisfied, and no other support coming forward, the price weakened, but rallied in the last few minutes, and the market closed at the opening quotation, ½ better than the lowest. Pittsburg was the strongest point. Thursday's clearances were 342,000 barrels. The range was: Opening. 8654c; highest, 8754c; lowest, 8654c; closing, 8654c. 85%c.

The McLaughlin well, in the Bellevue field, was shot, and flowed 15 barrels of sait water and two barrels of oil in 30 minutes. The hole is being cased. It will probably prove a

Down at Duff City, six miles back of Sewick-ley, operations are becoming quite lively, though all drilling is of the wildcat order. The McCalmont Company is preparing thoroughly to test the field, having located two rigs on the Swift farm and one on the Hamilton.

Reports from Lima indicate that there is more activity in that field at present than ever before. Rigs are being located all over the field, and are so close together that the drillers can converse with each other while at their work and use only an ordinary tone.

Fentures of Yesterday's Oil Market. Corrected daily by John M. Oakley & Co., 45 Sixth street, members of the Pittsburg Petro-let.m Exchange: Average charters ..

Average shipments.
Average runs.
Refined, New York. 7,20c.
Refined, London, 5546.
Refined, London, 546f.
Refined, Liverpool, 5 11-16d.
Refined, Bremen, 6,55m. A. B. McGrew quotes: Puts, 86%; calls, 87%

Other Oll Markets. BRADFORD, May 16.—Petroleum opened at 86%;c; closed at 87c; highest, 87%c; lowest, 86%c. Clearances, 720,000 bbis. OIL CITY. May 16.—Petroleum opened at 86140; bighest, 87540; lowest, 85150; closed at 86540. Sales, 255,000 bbis; clearances, not reported; charters, 3,968 bbis; shipments, 69,998 bbis; runs, 73,014 bbis.

CLAYSVILLE OIL ITEMS.

Progress of Work on the Carson Lease-New Wells Soon Dur. INPEGRAL TRLEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.1 CLAYSVILLE, May 16 .- The Victor Oil Com pany's Carson No. 3, which lost a bit last week. of over 200 acres and has one producing well

The lumber for a rig on the Brockman farm, ecently leased by J. P. Gates and James Mo-Gill, of Washington, is being taken out. This farm lies about two miles southeast of the Gourley farm, and is just south of the National Gourley farm, and is just south of the National pike.

The Claysville Oil Company's Gourley No. 7 will be due in about five days.

The Atlantic Oil Company's Warrel well is through the "big fajun," and will be due in about ten days.

The wildcat well on the Scott farm, near West Alexander, is about 1,000 feet and progressing finely.

ANYTHING BUT A SUCCESS. The Suce Well Trented to a Heavy Shot Without Result. SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. BUTLER, May 16. - The Snee well at Murrinsville, which is situated near a 200-barrol well, is almost through the sand with a small showing of oil. It was torpedoed with a 50-quart shot

Access to the derrick is denied to outsiders, but from the best information obtainable it seems that the well's production will never affect the that the well's production will never affect the market.

The South Penn No. 2 on the Humphroy farm, is drilling in the sand and showing for a good well. The same company brought in a good-sized well to-day on the Amberson farm, on the Big creek.

Joe Heydricks & Co.'s No. 1, on the Samuel Marshall farm, at Mars station, is 75 feet in the sand and doing 50 barrels a day. The Southside Oil Field. Up to the middle of yesterday afternoon the Southside oil field did not turn up any sensation. At Chartiers station people were awaiting the poring in of the parsonage well, near the English Luthern Church on the Backbone road, a few rods from the O'Brien. No. 2. A big well is expected. F. Laeningerfind the timber on the ground near by for his rig. It required much horsepower to get it there.

The well on the Lashell lot, Coraopolis,

Philadelphia Stocks Closing quotations of Philadelphia stocks, fur-nished by Whitney & Stephenson, brokers, No. 57 Fourth avenue. Members New York Stock Exbut the result was a severe disappointment Buffalo, l'ittsburg & Western.... Lehigh Valley.
Lehigh Navigation
Northern Pacific
Northern Pacific preferred.

Northern Pacific pf. 55%
Oragon improvement.
Oragon improvement.
Oragon improvement.
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Pacific Mail 451
Poc. Dec. & Evans.
Philadel. & Reading. 456
Poliman Palace Car. 191
Richmond & W. P. T. 256

E. T. Va. & 63., 2d pf 204 lillinois Central.

Lake Erle & West. 19% Lake Erle & West. 19% Lake Shore & M. S. 1114 Louisville & Nasiville, 91% Michigan Central. 100 Monite & Olito.

Missouri Pacific. 76% New York Central. 106% N. Y. L. & & L. 177 N. Y. C. & St. L. 177 N. Y. C. & St. L. 10 J. N. Y. C. & St. L. 2d pf 40% N. Y. C. & W. S. L. 2d pf 40% N. Y. C. & W. S. L. 2d pf 40% N. Y. C. & W. S. L. 2d pf 40% N. Y. C. & Western. 23% Norfolk & Western. 24% Norfolk & Western pf. 65-5 Northern Pacific. 35%

The cereal situation is unchanged since our last report. Ear corn continues to be the strong factor of markets. 'Oats are steady at quotations. Rye and rye flour are firm. Wheat and flour are steady.

Prices below are for carload lots on track:

WHEAT—New No. 2 red. 076,98c; No. 3, 960, 97c.

dull; Rio cargoes, fair, 1934c; No. 7, 1734@18c.

87. LOUIS—Figur strong but unchanged. Wheat opened easier, but ander unfavorable crop news, advanced and white top prices were not maintained; the close was 13662c above yesterday: No. 2 red, cash, 914c; June closed 234c bid: July, 8834@21c, closed 413cc, asked. December, 9034@1834c, closed 913cc, asked. Corn opened higher and stronger; then advanced, but eased off later and closed 5634c above vesterday: No. 2 cash, 345635c; May, 334c; July 375633c; closed 325c, sellers: August, 22560354c, closed 325c, oaked; July, 29560355c; closed 326c, Oats higher and firm, but very slow; No. 2 cash, 35c, sked; July, 29560355c; August, 244c. Rya, lower; No. 2 cash, 52c. Barley entirely neglected. Flax-seed nominal, \$1 45. Hagging unchanged, 646854c. Provisions dull. Pork, \$12 56013 00. Land, butcher grades, \$5 9006 90.

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