Not Nebuchadnezzar Alone, but All Who Degrade Their Gifts.

THE MADNESS OF A VICIOUS LIFE.

llow Rum and the Anaesthetics Debase Man's Shining Talents.

FICKLE FORTUNE AND ITS LESSONS

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. BROOKLYN, Feb. 7.-Dr. Talmage's text this morning was Daniel iv. 28: "All this tame upon the King Nebuchadnezzar."

Colonel Rawlinson, the Oriental traveler, says that the exhumed bricks, not only of Rabylon, but of 100 towns in an area of 100 miles in length and 30 in breadth, are in-scribed with the name of Nebuchadnezzar. He was a great warrior, and at the glance of his sword nations prostrated themselves. He was a great king, and built a city reservoir 90 miles in circumference and 120 feet leep, and constructed a hanging garden 400 teet square and 75 feet high, some say to please Amuhia, his wife, who had been born ong the hills, and others say to get a leasure ground free from the mosquitoes, which afflict the levels. I think, from his character, the latter reason may have im-

pelled him as much as the former.

When he conquered King Zedekiah, so as to have no more trouble with him, he put repacitating an enemy. But Babylon was a great place, the houses surrounded by gardens and the housetops were connected with each other by bridges; and one day Nebuchadnezzar walked out on those suspension bridges and showed, perhaps to a royal visitor, the vastness of his realm.

Nebuchadnezzar's Terrible Fall. But, in an instant, all that splendor is gone om his vision, for a voice falls from the heavens, saying, "O, King Nebuchadnezzar, to thee it is spoken; the kingdom is departed from thee, and they shall drive thee from men and thy dwelling shall be with the beasts of the field; they shall make thee to beasts of the field; they shall make thee to ratguss as oxen, and seven times shall pass over thee, until thou know that the Most High ruleth in the kingdomof men and giveth it to whomsover he will."

One hour from the time he made the boast, he is on his way to the fields a maniac, and rushing into the forests he becomes one of the beasts, and is after awhile covered with eagles feathers for protection from the cold, and his tails grow to look like bird's claws in order that he may dig the earth for roots and climb the trees for nuts.

The mental disaster that seized him was what the Greeks called Lycanthropy, by

at the Greeks called Lycanthropy, by tich a man imagines himself a beast and efers to go out and mingle with brutes. had been eating pomegranates and s off plates of gold inlaid with ame-ed diamond, and drinking the richest is and diamond, and drinking the richest es from the royal vats, now browsing on s, and struck by the born of the ox as be conds for a better tuft of the pasturage, instead of an orchestra on benches of y playing the national airs, now listenhe mean and bellow and grant of the This is not hard for me to believe, forms of dementia are innumerable. The Incongruity of the Picture,

While walking from this Babylonian palace are field back to the palace, the first thing hing it is for a king to be eating grass. It good for entile, but not fit for man. And en for one to prefer it to a royal table oward whose bounty the orchards, and padmight contribute—what an smaze-And yet the scene is as common as

Vhen I see a man of regal nature made to e in realms of thought, capable of all oral elevation, besotting his faculties, atapting out of low sensualties to satisfy interpretation of low sensualties to satisfy immortal energies, coming down off of throne of power into brutalities, sacting his higher nature to his lower ore, stooping and stooping, coming down of coming down antil all his influence for disgone, I cry out. "There is a king catterns like an ox." And there are tens housands of such Nebuchadnezzars, there are queens who dedicate themes to the same humiliation. What power proof God gave that woman. Mugnetism presonal presence, influence more than serial. By her intelligence, by her tenders, by her charm of smile and manner, exsoothing so much sorrow, and re-o much way wardness, and wield-ach elevated power.

A Woman's Moral Debasement.

et at the call of worldliness, coming out the throne room of good influence, where other items of intelligence, the following: oil would have her reign, coming down wer the every stairs of moral power, coming own and coming down until she has no re sent than the dead bird transfixed in ery or the chinchilla that was ordiner warmth, or the kid that ... Two iron workers settle a quarrel by a hed her the glove, and finding her ledged in flatteries of brainless men, chottische and debauche ellettee. I say "there is one who might chesus queen unto God forever, yet aged by fire....Miss Katherine Shaw died at the pasture-fields of folly and who offer property chean to assessors are

next thought that present into my and from the contemplation of this inlent is that conviction is not conversion. in is this morarch that makes the boast out Babylon? The very man who, under revelation of dreams that Daniel made m heaven, deeply humbled himself, while confessed that God is a God of Gods and d of Lords, yet, behold that the humb-and arousing which he before felt did

re is no mistake mere frequent than of pooling conviction a synonym for conver-cement of the convertion of the conviction is a view of Pardon. Conviction agree a conversion is confidence, viction is dissatisfaction with depravity; version is a turning away from it.

Serlousness Doesn't Make a Christian. There are multitudes who think that as

on as a man is serious he is fit for profesment religion. What if a man should only sly of being a merchant; would at make him a merchant? What if a man donly think seriously of being a lawor; would that make him a lawyer? What a man should only think seriously of sing a Christian; would that make him a

Learn also from my subject that pride is a precusor of overthrow. Pride is a commander were planned and caparisoned, but leads forth a dark and frowning host. ander well planted and capathan and frowning host. Finds forth a dark and frowning host. Finds forth a dark and frowning host. It will before a fall." The arrows from the Almighty's quiver are apt to strike a man when on the wing.

The Who is Down Cannot Fall.

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The misfortune of the maching poor. Fitzsimmons' chird is to have made him poor. Fitzsimmons' chird is to have him poor. Fit

can possibly befall us in this world so great can possibly behalf us in this world so great as the derangement of intellect—to have the body of a man and yet to fall even be-low the instinct of a brute. In this world of and sights, the saddest is the idiot's stare, in the world of awful sounds, the most son Heights on an ancient patent...There are overdrafts of \$13,000 from Chicora's twifel is the maniac's hugh.
Carist's heart went out to those who were broken bank... Boards of Trade continued their fight against the anti-Option bill....

Carist's heart went out to those who were splicetic, falling into the fire, or manines surging themselves among the tombs. We are necessioned to be more grateful for physical health than for the proper working of our mind. We are any to take it for granted that the intellect which has served us so well will always be faithful. War Department officers are worried about Garza. World's Fair Cangressional managers are resting on their oars. ... Charges of corruption were made against customs officials. ... An Indian tribe libermates in winter ... Evidence was taken in the Over-

Wenderful Engine to Keep in Order.

We forget that an engine with such tre-nendous power, when the wheels have such astness of circle and such swiftness of mo-ion and the least impediment might put it int of gear, could only be kept in proper salance by a Divine hand. No human power sould engineer this train of immortal faculties. How strange it is that our memory, on whose shoulders all the success and mistoriance and occurrences of a lifetime are es and occurrences of a lifetime are, should not oftener break down, and he scales of judgment, which have beighing so much and so long, should se their adjustment, and that laney, holds a dangerons wand, should not mes maliciously wave it, bringing to heart forebodings and hallucinable most appailing. his the most appailing, which can being de-noted by anodynes and anasthetics, which gra given by Providence for occasional and alleviation of pain or insompla, but re in alleviation of pain or insomnia, but a peinn comployed continuously after catalle capture and destroy. Chloral, comine, brounde of poinssium, opium, and above sieties of seductive etceteras that help turn Nebuchadnezzars into imbecility a madness. Do not triffe with opiates that accounts too brain. If you cannot live without the perpetual and enslaving use of them, con had better die. Better die a sane man

than live a fool. But rum is the cause of more insanity than anything else. There is nothing like rum to put a man, like Nebuchadnezzar, down on all fours.

piration of that time, his reason returned, and, as soon as with proper humility he acknowledged the God of heaven, he was

How Human Vanlty Is Corrected.

God sees how much our pride is and he

sends just enough adversity to humble it. He sees just now wordly minded we are and

pulls us just hard enough to detach us from our follies. He sees how hard our heart is

and smites just hard enough to break it. The

defeats and sorrows of life have sometimes

has started many a reformation.

Again, learn from my subject that connected with the most distressing judgments of God there are displays of Divine mercy. God might justly have left Nebuchadnezzar

God might justly have left Nebuchadnezzar in the field, but infinite compassion brought him back to the palace. No sooner was Eden blasted than a blessing followed on the heels of the curse promising the coming of one who would destroy sin and make the whole world a paradise. The teluge descends, but not until Noah had invited the people into the ark. The Lord utters the admonition: "The wages of sin is death," but exhaustless mercy responds: "Deliver him from going down to the pit for I have found a ransom." Hide thee quick in the rock, Christ Jesus. Let not this insignificant "Now" absorb thee more than the great hereafter.

A Personal Testimonial for Religion.

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Take this goodly religion which has done

so much for me that I can commend it to

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The world moves on Saturday, the same as on every other day. To chronicle its do-ings the Sunday newspaper is necessary.

Those who fail to read it missed, amon

Johnny Kane was kidnaped from Woods' Run....The State will be sued for the killing

.... Two iron workers settle a quarrel by a

orize fight...The B. & O. will improve the P. & W...Brown's mill was damaged by fire

taken at their word ... The Manchester car strike was on the eve of settlement

Adams Express messengers are being dis-charged by wholesale....Ward nominations

were made Principal Andrews is a candidate for Superintendent of City Schools ...

Southside people still protest against Schen-ley Park taxation....A new merit system

was adopted in the Pittsburg postoffice

General. A critical operation was performed upon Adjutant General McClelland and he may die Harrison and Cleveland will be the probable Presidental nominees....Cleveland may assist ex-Governor Campbell's Presi-

dental aspirations....New York Democrats protest against the "snap" convention....

Leonards, the Republican nominee for

Governor of Louisians, refuses to co-operate

with his Central Committee ... Hill carries

many New York county conventions Kid-

naper Southerland is on trial...The House Committee on Coinage decided to introduce

a free coinage bill... Circulars of instruc-tions about polling places were mailed from

Harrisburg...Five grip sufferers in West-ern New York committed suicide...A new

spector Byrnes....Matches were found scat-tered through a cotton cargo....Editor

Mellon, of Beaver, blames Hensel and Kerr for his libel suit....Reno heirs claim Patter-

More revelations of boodling come from

Canada German party lines are tightly

Workmen are busy saving the Eider....Rare African peaches sell for 50c each in London

England has the most foolish strike on record ... The trial of Mrs. Osborne, in London, is

bringing out public sympathy...Northern Spain is devastated by floods... Englishmen think they see a Yankee trick concealed in the World's Fair... A bogus English claim sgency has been victimizing many Ameri-cans.

SICK HEADACHE_Carter's Little Liver Pills.

brought back to his patace.

Fortune an Uncertain Thing. Again, learn how quickly turns the wheel of fortune, from how high up to how far down went Nebuchadnezzar. Those now in places of position and power, even though they should live, will, in a few years, be disregarded, while some, who, this day are obscure and poverty stricken, will ride up on the challenge. Produce Prices Ranging Practically the Same as a Week Ago, WITH EGGS AS THE EXCEPTION.

Boot and Shoe Trade Firm as Viewed From a Boston Standpoint.

GREAT INCREASE OF LIVE STOCK

scure and poversine, who, this day are on scure and poversine, will ride up on the shoulders of the people to take their turn at admiration and the spoils of office. Oh, how quickly the wheel turns!

Ballot boxes are the steps on which men come down as often as they go up. Of those who were a few years ago successful in the accumulation of property, how few have not met with reverses of fortune, while many of those who then were straitened in circumstances now hold the bonds and the bank keys of the nation and win the most bows on the exchange. Of all fickle people in the world Fortune is the most fickle.

Anchor your soul in God. From Christ's love gather your joy. Then come sorrow or gladiess, success or defeat, riches or poverty, honor or disgrace, health or sickness, life or death, time or eternity, all are yours and ye are Christ's and Christ is God's.

Learn also from my subject the comforting truth that afflictions are arrested as soon as they have accomplished their mission. For seven years did Nebuchadnezzer dwell among the beasts of the field, but, at the expiration of that time, his reason returned, and as soon as with proper humility he ac-OFFICE OF THE DISPATCH, PITTSBURG, SATURDAY, February 6. In the produce like the principal event of the past week has been the sharp advance in eggs. An unusual scarcity in this line is, reported from all trade centers. Two weeks ago fresh eggs were slow at 24c per dozen, and now there are not enough to meet de-mand at 35c per dozen. In dairy product lines there have been no new developments the past week, with the exception of a slight advance in choice grades of cheese. Pitts-burg was about the last trade center of the country to fall into line in the upward movement of cheese. The reason for this was that our jobbers were heavily stocked up before the rise at sources of supply. For the past few weeks New York cheese could be bought here at lower prices than at the factories. Vegetables and fruits are slow tories. Vegetables and fruits are slow at about the same prices as prevalled a week ago. At this time last year potatoes and apples were worth more per bushel than they are now per barrel. With large families this means a saving of not less than 22 per week in the line of household necessities. The consumer has no room for grumbling this season, but the producer and middleman find little that is comforting in the situation. Very few produce and commission merchants are able to more than meet expenses of late. A season of such plenty as the last season was, while satisfactory to the consumer, is the opposite to the producer and middleman.

In Grain and Groceries. been the greatest advantage. It was because Dante failed as a statesman that he gave up politics, and wrote his immortal "Divina Commedia." It was a violent thunder-storm that first set Martin Luther seriously thinking, and the thunder of this world's disaster has started many a reformation.

In Grain and Groceries.

In cereal lines we note continued heavy receipts and light demand, with a tendency toward lower prices. Wheat, flour, cats and milifeed have found a lower level in the past week, and hay is barely steady at prices of last Saturday. The entire week's sales on call at the Grain Exchange did not amount to over ten per cent of the actual receipts as builetined. Unless there has been a large amount of private selling, stocks in the hands of grain merchants must be very large, since between 600 and 700 carloads have been received in the past two weeks.

two weeks.

The featuree of the week in grocery lines all. Without it I should have gone the has been the advance in package coffee, the advance being 3-20 on standard brands. At the rise markets are reported very strong. Hog products are only in fair demand, and prices for the week to come will stand as they have been for the week past. whole downward career. Stolid and phlegmatic natures going astray do not go so far, but natures like mine sanguine, intense, emotional, optimistic, social to the last de-gree, and echoing to all the heights and

emotional, optimistic, social to the last degree, and echoing to all the heights and depths of mirth, if they get off track, they go with one wild leap to hell. As to the restraining power of this religion upon a mercurial temperament, I testify

This is not abstraction or something gotten from books. I speak of what I know. Go out and ask all who have tried this religion and ask them how it works. Out of this audience I could gather 1,000 men and women who could tell you a thrilling story as to what religion has done for them. Yea, if times of persecution should come as of old, and they may come, there are 1,000 here who would for Christ's sake as cheerfully walk into the furnace of fire as though it were an arbor of thyme and honeysuckle and face the lious as though they were lambs frisking on the hillside, and wade down into the deep waters which are to submerge them as happily as ever at Narragansett Beach they took the surf at a summer bathing. Come up and join those on the way to a Palace.

What an absurd thing for a king to be eating grass. Instead of living on the poor fodder that the world affords come up and sit among the princes of God at the royal banquet, and hear the bands play. "Eat, O riends! Drink, O beloved!" Here is a crown; wear it. Here is a scoptre; sway it. Here is a throne; mount it. This is your hour; improve it. Increase of Live Stock. The United States is still on the increase in both cattle and hog raising, says William Adams in the Indiana Farmer. In 1875 there were 2,870,700 cattle and 25,726,800 hogs, giving about 60 cattle and 56 hogs per 100 inhabitants to the United States. In 1890 we had 52 801,907 cattle and 51,602,780 hogs, double the number of hogs in B years and nearly double the number of cattle, making 84% on cattle the number of cattle, making 82% on cattle and 82% hogs to every 160 of our population. A professor of mathematics says at this rare of increase in 1912 we will have as many cattle and hogs as we have population, as it takes at least double this time for our population to double, the outlook being plenty and to spare. In recalling our past record, we find some very interesting facts, namely: Tennessee, Kentucky and Ohio in 1845 were the leading hog States; now lows has as many hogs as those three did then. Many States attained their zenith in hog raising many years ago.

many years ago. Footwear at the Hub. The Boston Herald has this to say of the

World-News to Satisfy Every Taste in of shoes for next tall are being sold, and being sold at less prices than a year ago. The trade is here and demanding these samples, and though it is early, yet the samples must be made. In the face of the lower prices made on boots, the jobbers are demanding that shoes also be made for less money than last year, and the samples sold thus far have been sold generally on a lower basis of prices. The position of the leather market is expected to help the manufacturers out on these lower prices for boots and shoes.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Receipts, Shipments and Prices at East

eral divorce cases were tried....Brennen pro-poses points for a ballot....Two arrests for passing counterfeit money were made.

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Buffalo—Cattle — Receipts, 136 carloads through, 2 on sale; strong and firm; sale of good stable fed cows, \$3 00; good fancy heifers, \$45. Hogs—Receipts, 35 carloads through, 16 on sale; market 50 00e higher: heavy grades, \$4 8565 00; packers and medium, 4 8564 90; do, Vorkers good to best, \$4 856 4 90. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 1 carload through, 15 on sale; market strong and active; sheen extra fancy, \$5 5067 50; good to choice, \$5 2565 40; fair to good \$5 95 67 50; fair to good do, \$6 0006 25; Canada common to extra, \$6 656 75.

Kansas Cit—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000 head-

extra, \$6 65@6 75.

Kansas City—Cattle—Reccipts, 3,000 head; shipments, 600 head; market fairly active, price steady to strong; good to choice steers, \$4 55@4 90; medium to good, \$4 60@, 4 50; common to medium, \$3 10@3 90; cows, \$1 40@1 00; stockers and feeders, \$3 50@3 65.

Hogs—Receipts, 700 head; shipments, 5,000 head; market active, generally higher; bulk, \$4 55@4 45; extreme range, \$3 85@4 50. Sheep—Receipts, 5,000 head; shipments, 2,900; market quiet and unchanged.

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Cincinsati—Hogs stronger: common and light, \$3 25@4 55; packing and butchers, \$4 59 @4 85; receipts, 2.100 head; shipments, 1.200 head. Cattle barely stendy and unchanged; rese prs, 309 head; shipments, 200 head; shipments, 200 head. Sheep in fair demand; receipts, 250 head; shipments, 200 head. Lambs in light demand; common and light, \$4 00@6 00 per 100 pounds.

St. Louis-Cattle-Receipts very light; shipments, 800 head; no market on account of scarcity of available grades. Hogs-Receipts, 2,200 head; shipments, 2,500 head; market 5@10c higher: fair to prime heavy, \$4 50@4 4.76; mixed, ordinary to good, \$4 20@1 60. Sheep-Receipts none; shipments none; market for fair to choice, \$3.75@5 63.

Turpentine Markets. New York-Rosin dull and easy; strained, common to good, \$1 32 1/21 27 . Turpentine dull and steady at 34,635c. Wilkingros-Spirits of turpentine firm at 50c. Rosin firm; strained, \$1 00; good strained, \$1 05. Tar firm at \$1 40. Crude tur-pentinestendy; hard, \$1 00; yellow dip, \$1 90; virgin, \$1 90.

SAVANNAH-Turpentine steady at 31%c. Rosin firm at \$1 00@1 07%. CHARLESTON - Turpentine steady at 3lc. Rosin firm; good strained, \$1 00.

The Coffee Markets. The Coffee Markets.

New York, Feb. 6.—Coffee options opened steady, 56/29 points down: closed steady, 10 down to 5 up; sales, 29,000 bags, including: February, 18,206/18,306; March, 12,906/18,066; April, 12,906/18,306; March, 12,906/18,066; April, 12,906/18,306; March, 12,906/18,306;

SATURDAY'S PRODUCE MARKETS CHICAGO-Wheat was extremely nervou

Saturday, and though it averaged higher-much higher at times-it closed a shade much higher at times—it closed a shade under yesterday's last figures. The news was generally bullish, though some items calculated to affect buyers both for and against higher prices were declared to be inaccurate or untrue, and there were suspicious that the news factory was in operation. The market was in such a nervous condition that it responded rapidly to such influences. There is understood to be a large short interest and the steady upward turn for the past few days has created some alarm. There was more disposition on the turn for the past few days has created some alarm. There was more disposition on the part of the shorts to cover, and even some of the most stalwart bears were proceeding with more caution. At the start there was a good deal of nervous strength left over from yesterday and this was reinforced by the bull news.

The leading futures ranged as follows, as corrected by John M. Oakley & Co., 45 Sixth street, members of the Chicago Board of Trade:

ARTICLES. WHEAT, No. 2 WHEAT, NO. 2 February. May CORN, No. 2 February. March May OATS, No. 2 February. May May May MESS PORK. 8814 8 8014 8 8714 8 9215 9814 9154 8 90'4 2914 31% 32 3134 11 75 | 11 77 k | 11 62 k | 11 75 | 12 00 | 12 02 k | 11 90 | 11 97 k 6 42% 6 45 6 65 6 67% 6 45 6 45 6 70

Cash quotations were as follows: Fiber firm. No. 2 spring wheat, 87½c; No. 3 spring wheat, 87½c; No. 2 red, 9le; No. 2 corn, 40½c; No. 2 onts, 20c; No. 2 white, 32½c; No. 3 white, 31¾c; No. 2 red, 9le; No. 2 barley, 56@58c; No. 3, f. o. b., 45@57c; No. 4, f. o. b., 24@52c; No. 1 flaxseed, 95½@50c; prime timothy seed, \$1250 130. Mess pork, per bbl, \$8 50. Lard, per 100 lbs, \$6 45. Short ribs sides (loose), \$5 82½@5 85. dry salted shoulders (boxed) \$4 62½@4 75; short clear sides (boxed), \$6 05@6 l0. Whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, \$1 14. Sugars anchanged.

On the Produce Exchange to-day the butter market was easier; fancy creamery, 28 \$20c; fine Western, 25@7c; ordinary, 21@24c; selected dairies, 24@25c; ordinary, 20@23c. Eggs, 27@25c.

22c: fine Western, 25@27c; ordinary, 21@24c; selected dairies, 24@25c; ordinary, 20@23c. Eggs, 27@25c.

NEW YORK—Flour steadier, more demand. Cornneal quiet and steady; yellow Western, 25 72@3 10. Wheat—Spot market higher, quiet and unsettled: No. 2 red. 81 03 store and clevator: \$1 05@1 09½ afloat; \$1 04½ 010½ f. o. b.; No. 3 red. \$1 01½; ungraded red. 91c@\$1 01½; No. 1 Northern, \$1 09½@1 05½; No. 1 Northern, \$1 09½@1 05½; No. 2 Northern, \$1 01½; options, No. 2 red, February. \$1 03½@1 04½; closing, \$1 04½; March. \$1 04@1 04½; closing, \$1 04½; March. \$1 04@1 04½; closing, \$1 04½; March. \$1 04@1 04½; closing, \$1 04½; May, \$1 02@1 05½; closing, \$1 04½; closing at \$1 00½@1 04½; closing at \$1 00½@1 05½; closing at \$1 00½@1 01½; diameter, \$1 00½@1 05½; closing, \$1 04½; May, \$1 02@1 05½; closing, \$1 04½; May, \$1 02@1 05½; closing, \$1 04½; March, 50½@5½; closing, \$1 00½@1 01½; closing at 51½c; March, 50½@5½; closing at 51½c; March, 50½@5½; closing at 51½c; March, 50½@5½; diameter, \$0½@10½; closing at 51½c; March, \$0½@1 01½; diameter, \$0½@1 01½

PHILADELPHIA—Flour quiet but firm. Wheat higher and closed firm; unwraded, in grain depot. \$1 03\(\frac{1}{2}\); No. 2 red do. \$1 02\(\frac{1}{2}\)(03\(\frac{1}{2}\); March and April, \$1 03\(\frac{1}{2}\)(03\(\frac{1}{2}\); March and April, \$1 03\(\frac{1}{2}\)(04\(\frac{1}{2}\)(03\(\frac{1}{2}\); March and April, \$1 03\(\frac{1}{2}\)(04\(\frac{1}{2}\)(03\(\frac{1}{2}\); March and April, \$2\(\frac{1}{2}\)(03\(\frac{1}{2}\); No. 2, wited, in grain depot. \$9\(\frac{1}{2}\)(03\(\frac{1}{2}\); No. 2, wited, where it and May, \$50\(\frac{1}{2}\)(03\(\frac{1}{2}\); No. 2, white, \$2\(\frac{1}{2}\)(03\(\frac{1}{2}\); No

NEW OPLEANS-Sugar quiet and steady; open kettle, prime to strictly prime 23,0 2 15-16e; good, fair to fully fair, 2 11-1602 13-16e;

26c. Cheese strong.

MILWAUKIE—Flour quiet. Wheat active; May, 88½c; No. 2 spring, 86c; No. 1 Northern, 92c. Corn higher; No. 3, 38½639c. Onts firm; No. 2 white, 32½c; No. 3 do. 31631½c. Barley—No. 2, 55½c: sample, 35660c. five higher; No. 1, 80c. Provisions quiet. Pork—May, \$11 22½. Lard—May, \$8 67½.

OULUTH—Wheat—No. 1 hard cash, 86c; February, 86½c; May, 91½c; No. 1 Northern, cash, 8½c; February, 85½c; May, 91½c; No. 1 Northern, cash, 8½c; February, 85½c; No. 2, No. 3, 73c; rejected, 61c; on track, No. 1 hard, 87c; No. 1 Northern, 24c.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat—February, 24cs.

on these, No. 1 hard, see, No. 1 Northern, 84c.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat February, closing at 84½c; May, opening, 87¾c, highest, 88¾c, lowest, 86¾c, closing at 86½c; on track, No. 1 hard, 86c; No. 1 Northern, 85c; No. 2 Northern, 80@82c.

TOLEDO—Wheat active; No. 2 cash, 33½c; February, 33½c; May, 26½. Corn active and steady; No. 2 cash, 40½c; No. 3, 33½; No. 3, yellow, 40c. Outs quiet; cash, 32c. Rye dull; cash, 83½c.

THE WEEK IN OIL

Good Trading, but the Figures Assume

Lower Level. The past week was one of the best for months in the way of business, but the price underwent a radical decline, the finish yes terday being nearly 4 cents below the opening on Monday. The pearish influences were fresh developments at McDonnid and the unloading of long oil by the Oil City crowd. Finetuations are shown in the foilowing table:

Open- High- Low- Close, est. Close, 63% 63% 63% 63% 63% 63% 60% 60% 60% 50% 50% 50% 68¼ 68¾ 61¼ 61¼ 60 61 60¼ 60¼ 56¼ 55¼ 56¾ 56¾ Clearances for the week were 556,000 har-rels. The highest point touched was 65% and the lowest 55%. There were slight in-creases in runs and shipments. Refined closed as follows: New York, 5.40c; London, 5.7-18d; Antwerp, 16%.

The Drygoods Market. New York, Feb. 6.—There was again a fair Saturday trade in drygoods at first hands. Some agents reported decided improvement in the size of orders. Demand, however, continues irregular, though the condition of the market does not disclose any corresponding irregularity in stocks, goods being generally in rather moderate supply.

New York, Feb. 6.—Pig iron dult and steady; American, \$15.75@17.50. Cooper dult and weak; Lake, \$10.70. Lead quiet and ensy; domestic, \$4.125@4.15. Tin quiet and steady; straits, \$18.60.

THE HOME MARKETS.

Fresh Eggs Are Very Scarce and

Prices Still Moving Upward. FANCY CREAMERY BUTTER FIRM.

Heavy Receipts of Grain and Hay, and the Markets Are Quiet. THE MOVEMENT OF GROCERIES SLOW

OFFICE OF THE DISPATCH. ? PITTSBURG, SATURDAY, February 6. COUNTRY PRODUCE-Jobbing Prices-Fresh eggs are again advanced, as our quoations will disclose. At an advance of 8c per dozen within the past two days supply is short of demand. It has been many years since there was such a scarcity of eggs all over the land as right now. Cold storage stock is practically out of the market. Fine grades of creamery butter are in light sup-ply and firm at quotations, while common grades are dull and slow. Receipts of country butter are very light of late and markets hre firm. Choice cheese is active and firm at quotations. Poultry, vegetables and fruit are quiet with prices practically the same as they have been all the week.

APPLES-SI 5061 75 per barrel.
BUTTER-Creamery Eigin, 23@34c; Ohio brands 23@36c; common country butter, 17@18c; choice country roll, 22@22c.
BEANS-New York and Michigan pea, 31 20@2 05; marrowfat, \$2 15@2 25; Lima beans, 4@4%c \$ 15; hand picked medium, \$1 20@2 00.
BEESWAX-Choice, 30@32c \$ 15; low grades, 22@25c. Sc. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—New, 24@24c 7 h. CHESE—Ohlo choice, 114@12: New York cheese, 12@124c; Limburger, 12.@135c; Wisconsin sweitzer, full cream, 184@14jc; imported sweitzer,

cheese, 129125c; Limburger, 12,60135c; Wisconsin sweitzer, full cream, 13460145c; imported sweitzer, 2560254c.
CIDER-Country cider, 83 50635 fo B barrel; sand refined, 86 0063 50; crab cider, 87 5068 09.
CRANBERRIES-Per box, \$2 0062 20; per barrel, 87 6068 09.
EGSS-Strictly fresh nearby stock, 22635c; pickled eggs, 25c per doz.
Frathers-Extra live geese, 57658c; No. 1, 486 50c \$\frac{1}{2}\$ bir mixed lots, \$2600c; bir biackberries, 560c; raspberrie, 1850155c; huckleberries, 7c; California peaches, 754034c.
GAME-Wild turkeys, \$1 5062 00 cach; mallard ducks, \$1 20 per pair; tend ducks, \$2,7563 00 per dozen; pheasants, \$1 25 per pair; quall, \$2 50 per pair; whole deer, 12616c \$\frac{1}{2}\$ h; sabdits, 20655c per pair; whole deer, 12616c \$\frac{1}{2}\$ h; saddles, 1863.0 \$\frac{1}{2}\$ h.
HONEY-New erop, white clover, 16617c; Canfornia honey, 12615c \$\frac{1}{2}\$ h; saddles, 1863.0 \$\frac{1}{2}\$ h.
MAPLE SYRUP-75638c \$\frac{1}{2}\$ gallon.
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MAPLE GLARA live Chickens, 70675c a pair, large; 60670c, medium; live inrkeys, 10512c \$\frac{1}{2}\$ h; ducks, 50670c a pair; dressed chickens, 12613c \$\frac{1}{2}\$ h; dressed ducks, 15605c
Fig. FORATOES-Carload lots, 55640c, on track; from

dressed turkeys, 18915c \$ B; dressed ducks, 1860 to \$ B.
POTATOES—Carload lots, 35640c, on track; from store, 40645c a bushel; Southern sweets, \$1 5061 75 a harrel; Jerseys, \$5 5063 25.
SEEDS—Western recleaned medium clover, jobbing at \$5 20; mammoth at \$5 35; timothy, \$1 45 for prime and \$1 30 for choice; blue grass, \$2 5562 80; orchard grass, \$1 75; millet, \$1 00; German, \$1 15; Hungarian, \$1 10; fine lawn, 35c \$ B; seed buckwheat, \$2 4661 50.
TALLOW—Country, 4c; city rendered, 5c.
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The movement in this line is slow. Coffees are firm and sugars fairly steady. Canned goods are strong enough to ascend to a higher level before many days. Other staples continue along in the same old ruts, there being no change in the price list for a week or two past.

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GREEN COFFEE—Fancy, 21@22c; choice Rio, 20@
20%c; prime, 19%c; low grade Rio, 17%@18%c; old
Government Java, 27@29c; Maracalbo, 21%@22%;
Mccha, 27%@25%c; Sanios, 21%@22%c; Caracas, 22%
@23%c; La Guayra, 21%@22%c;
Roasten (in papers)—Standard brands, 193-20c;
high grades, 22.13-28@25/3-26c; old Government
Java, buls, 24@20/3-5bc; Maracalbo, 21%@25%c;
Santos, 18%@25%c; peaberry, 26c; choice Rio, 19%c;
prime Rio, 193-20c; good Rio, 18%c; ordinary, 18%
@17%c.

The Boston Herald has this to say of the boot and shoe situation and outlook: Manufacturers of boots and shoes are getting rather more orders of late, and the market looks rather better, except that goods are being made at low prices. But the explanation is made that a good deal of the difference between prices this year and a year ago is the result of what may be termed natural causes. The raw material, leather, is lower than last year; besides, considerable progress is being made in machinery and the methods of making certain goods, all of which enables the makers to turn the goods out for less money.

It is a feature worthy of note that samples of shoes for next tall are being sold, and being sold at less prices than a year ago. SODA—Bi-carb, in kegs, 34,684c; bi-carb, in 5s, 5bc; bi-carb, asorted packages, 54,60c; sal soda, n kegs, 14c; do granulated, 2c.
Candless—Star, full weight, 8c; stearine, per set, 84c; paraffine, 16c/dr.
Bi-cs—Head Carolina, 64,664c; choice, 54,634c;
Louisiana, 553-6c.
Starttl—Fearl, 4c; corn starch, 54,664c; gloss starch, 54,664c.
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FORHOS FRUITS—Laver raisins, \$2.00; London hyers, \$2.21; Muscatels, \$1.70; California Muscatels, \$1.4001 (6); Valencia, 54,665c; Ondara Valencia, 76,74c; Smitana, 86,12c; currants, 46,44c; Turkey primes, 45,66c; French prunes, 56,65c; do Ivica, 77c; do shelled, 56c; walnuts, Nap., 136/dc; Sicily fit-berte, He; Smyrna figs, 120-ds; income dates, 265/dc; Brazil nuts, 7c; pecans, 136/dc; iew dates, 265/dc; Brazil nuts, 7c; pecans, 136/dc; iew dates, 265/dc; lemon ped, 12c # Bb; orange ped, 12c.
DHED FRUITS—Apples, sliced, 64,685/c; apples, evaporated, 75,665; peaches, evaporated, nupared, 25,621c; peaches, California, evaporated, nupared, 55,625/c; cherries, pitted, 12c; cherries, unpitted, 4c; raspherries, 6vaporated, 17,685c; pitchered, 45c; cherries, unpitted, 4c; raspherries, 6vaporated, 17,685c; pitchered, 45c; cherries, 100,485c; pitchered, 75,664/dc; inckleberries, 7c.
SUGARS—Cubes, 48c; powdered, 44c; granulated, 45c; confectioners, 45c; soft white, 57,665c; yellow, choice, 35,663/dc; yellow, choice, 35,663/dc; yellow, bibs (1, 20), \$1.25; medium, half bibs (600), \$2.55. Alt, 3'593'-c.

Pickles-Medium, bbls (1,20), \$1 25; medium, half bbls (60), \$2 55.

Salt-No. 1. \$6 bbl. \$1 20; No. 1. extra, \$7 bbl. \$1 10; adity. \$7 bbl. \$1 20; coarse crystal. \$7 bbl. \$1 20; Higgins' Eureka, 4-bu sacks, \$2 80; Higgins' Eureka, 16 14. Bpackets, \$3 00.

Cannald Gouds-Standard peaches, \$1 7501 90; 234, \$1 2501 15; catra peaches, \$2 0002 10; pic peaches, \$2 0002 10; catra peaches, \$2 0002 10; Lima beans, \$1 35; soaked do. Sic; stringed do. 75380; marrowhat peach, \$1 0063; lb; soaked peas, \$6007ec; pineapples, \$1 2021 35; fishiama do. \$2 00; damson plums, \$1 3; soaked do. Sic; stringed do. 75380c; marrowhat peas, \$1 0063; lb; soaked peas, \$6007ec; pineapples, \$1 2021 35; fishiama do. \$2 00; damson plums, \$1 00; greengages, \$1 3; egg plums, \$1 00; california percek, \$1 3500; co. California pears, \$1 0062 30; de greengages, \$1 3; do egg plums, \$1 00; california apricoks, \$1 3500; co. California pears, \$1 5002 30; de greengages, \$1 3; do egg plums, \$1 00; alifornia pears, \$1 3500; strawberrles, \$1 5001 35; strawberrles, \$1 0061 55; fomatos, \$7 5005; sardines, \$1 5001 50; corn beef, 2-lb cans, \$1 5500 for; l-lb cans, \$1 350, 50; corn beef, 2-lb cans, \$1 5500 for; l-lb cans, \$1 35, hakebernis, \$1 0001 10; lb cans, \$1 35, hakebernis, \$1 0001 50; sardines, imported, \$4, \$1 3500 for; sardines, imported, \$4, \$1 3500 for; sardines, mustard, \$3 30; sardines, imported, \$4, \$1 3500 for; sardines, mustard, \$3 30; sardines, imported, \$4, \$1 3500 for; sardines, mustard, \$3 30; sardines, imported, \$4, \$1 3000 for; sardines, mustard, \$3 30; sardines, imported, \$4, \$1 500; sardines, mustard, \$3 30; sardines, spiced, \$3 50.

FISH-Extra No. 1 bloater maskerel, \$15 00; No. 3 large mackerel, \$15 50; No. 3 small mackerel, \$16 00.

Herrings-Spilt, \$6 50; lake, \$2 05 7 1000 bbl. \$1000; catra No. 1 do, mess, \$20 00; No. 2 shore mackerel, \$15 50; No. 3 small mackerel, \$16 00.

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OATMEAL-\$4 75@5 00. Grain, Flour and Feed.

Sales on call at the Grain Exchange to-day as follows: 1 car mixed shelt corn 43c; 1 car sample cats, 36c; I car sample middlings, \$15.75; I car No. 1 timothy, \$12.50. Receipts as bulletined: 24 cars. By Pittsburg, Ft.
Wayne and Chicago-3 cars of oats, 3 of
flour, 1 of wheat, 2 of bran. By Pittsburg,
Cincinnati and St. Louis-3 cars of corn, 1 of oats, 1 of bran, 1 of bay. By Pittsburg and Lake Eric-3 cars bay, 3 of oats, 1 of bariey, 1

mait. Receipts for the week ending Peb-nary 5, 303 cars against 323 cars for the previous week.

The cereal situation is as it has been all the week in favor of buyers. Wheat, flour and mill teed are especially quiet.

Trom store:
WHEAT—No. 2 red, %G88c; No. 3 red, %G94c,
CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 48G-894c; high mixed
ear, 454G46c; mixed ear, 48G-894c; No. 2 yellow
shell, 46G-85c; high mixed shelled, 492G-96c;
mixed shelled, 44G-445c,
CATS—No. 1 cais, 394G-37c; No. 2 white, 354G-38c,
extra No. 3 cats, 33G-354c; mixed cats, 34G-34-6c,
RYE—No. 1 Pennsylvania and Ohio, 92G-38c; No.
1 Western, 91G-96c. Rye-No. 1 Fennsylvania and Ohio, 94@35.c. No. 1 Western, 91@05c.

1 Western, 91@05c.
RARLEY-6805c.
FLOUR-Jobbing prices-Fancy spring patents, 5 15@5 35; fancy shraight winter, 44 75@5 0c; isancy straight spring, 55 2@5 50; clear winter, 54 50@4 75; straight XXXX nakers, 44 75@5 0c. Rye flour, 55 10@5 25, MILLFEED-No. 1 white middlings, 51 90 00,20 00 per ton; No. 2 white middlings, 51 00@35 05; brown middlings, 51 00@15 00; winter wheat Bran, \$17 00@ 17 50; chop feed, \$17 00@0 0c.

HAY-Baled limothy, choice, \$13 50@18 75; No. 1, \$12 25@12 50; No. 2, \$11 00@11 50; clover hay, \$11 50 6412 5c; loose from wagon, \$13 00@15 0c, secording to quality; packing hay, \$5 75@6 25.

STAKW-Outs, \$7 50@8 0c; wheat, \$6 00@6 50; rye, \$5 75@7 0).

At the regular Saturday meeting of Pitts burg pork packers last week's prices were Sugar cured hams, large...
Sugar cured hams, medium
Sugar cured hams, small.
Sugar cured california hams
Sugar cured to bacon.
Sugar cured to bacon.
Sugar cured skinned hams, large.
Sugar cured skinned hams, medius
Sugar cured shoulders.
Sugar cured shoulders.

EXCITEMENT IN COALERS. PRESIDENTS OF THREE BIG COM-

PANIES IN CONFERENCE, Reading Leads in Activity and Jersey Central in the Advance - The Even

Tenor and Strength of the General Share Market Is Not Affected. New York, Feb. 6 .- It was known to-day

that the presidents of the Jersey Central, Reading and Lehigh Valley were in conference, and this fact, with the addition that a large order to buy Reading had been placed in Philadelphia, a large portion of which was executed here and which was believed to be buying for control, made the coal stocks the one feature of the stock market to-day, and their enormous transactions and extremely rapid rise overshadowed the entire market without giving any of the strength manifested by them to the rest of The general market opened strong but quiet, and after slight gains in sympathy with the Coalers, realizations and consider-

able short selling by bears who believe that the pace in the Coalers is altogether too fast, caused a full reaction, and the final changes in the general list are all for small

fast caused a full reaction, and the final changes in the general list are all for small fractions and general losses.

The trading in Reading was something unprecedented. Lackawanna was also extremely active, but its transactions were far benind those of Reading. All the Coalers, however, were unusually active and strong, and Jersey Central took the lead in the upward movement, rising from 121 to to 126½ and losing only a fraction from its best prices. Lackawanna rose from 148½ to 152 while Delawre and Hudson and Reading were more moderate.

Distillers' at one time showed a gain of 1 per cent over last night's price, but failed to hold it, and the other Industrials were quiet and without feature. Among the railroad stocks Atchison and Louisville were inclined to weakness, but while with Erie and Western Union they were more active their fluctuations were unimportant. The rost of the market was absolutely featureless, and, while after the first spurt prices settled down slowly, the final raily closed the market firm, with great activity at insignificant changes for the day in most stocks. Jersey Central, however, is up 5½ per cent; Lackawanna, 5½. Reading, 2½ and Delaware and Hudson, 1½.

The following table shows the prices or active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, settled days corrected daily for The Dusparch by Whitners & Septherson, oldest Pitisburg members of the New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth arenne:

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American Cotton Oll	2000			34
American Cotton Oll, pfd.				63
Am. Sugar Refining Co			*****	SI
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Canadian Pacific			40/2	. 89
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Central of New Jersey	121	12654	121	125
Atch., Topeka & S. F. canadian Pacific. Caudal Southern. Central of New Jersey. Central Pacific. Chesapeake & Obio. C. & O., 2d p.d. C. & O., 2d p.d. Chicago Gas Trust. C. Bur. & Quiney. C. Mil. & St. Paul. C. Mil. & St. Paul C. Mil. & St. Paul C. Mil. & St. Paul C. St. P. M. & O. C. St. P. M. & O. C. St. P. M. & O. Decl. Lack & West. Ded. & Hocking Val Decl. Lack & West. Den. & Rio Grande pref. E. T. Va. & Ga. Illinois Central Lake Eric & West. Lake Shore & M. Storile & Nashville. Mobile & Ohio. Missouri Pacific.	Ogt.	14612	218	32) 25
C. & O., 1st pfd,	24.8		-1/9	61
C. & O., 2d p3d	*****	*****	******	48
Chicago Gas Trust	75%	75%	7456	75
C. Mil. & St. Paul	70%	7946	10735 7935	1073 793
C., Mll. & St. Paul pref	125%	125%	12334	125
C., Rock I. & P	報先	明報	9154	917
C., St. P. M. & O	-539	300%	48:9	114
C. & Northwestern	11734	11734	1175	1171
C. & Northwestern, pfd	21172		*****	
C., C., C. & I	71%	71.76	7156	713 355
Col. Coal & Iron	35%	37	3512	359
Del. Lack & West	148 %	150	1491-	1511
Dei. & Hudson	128	129%	1481 ₂ 128	128
Deaver & Rio G	18	18	18	31 151 128 17 49
Den. & Rio Grande pref	40%	49%	4915	49
Illinois Central				108
Lake Erie & West				22
Lake Eric & West pref	7236	72%	72%	723
Lake Shore & M. S.	120	124	12.78	1120
Mobile & Oble	7479	144	1.07%	27
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N. Y. C. & St. L., 2d pref.,	Aug		******	401 301
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N. Y. & N. E.	4736	4744	4734	473
N. Y., O. & W	19%	19%	1936	103
Norfolk & Western	*****			143
North American Co.	101	165	101/	58
Northern Pacific	10.3	10/8	10,2	165 233
Northern Pacific, pfd				255
Oregon Improvement	*****			255
Pao Doe & France	87,54	9538	3734	205
Philadelphia & Beading	4334	46	43 4	1992
P., C., C. • St. L				
Pulman Palace Can	*****			851 184
Richmond & W. P. T	14%	14%	14%	124
Richmond & W. P. T. pfd.				715
St. Paul & Deluth	4534	45/6	4536	
St. Paul & Duluth, pfd		*****	*****	1403
Texas Pacific	*****	******	*****	113
Union Pacific	4514	4654	45%	463
Wabash	18%	13%	1335	122
Western Union	2007.6	30%	70	29%
Wheeling & L. E.	37.1	3754	37	87 M
North American Co. Northern Pacific, Northern Pacific, Northern Pacific, Northern Pacific, Northern Pacific, Pfd. Oregon Improvement. Pacific Mail Peo. Dec & Evans Philadelphia & Ecading. P. C. C. & St. L. pfd. Pulman Paiace Car. Richmond & W. P. T. Richmond & W. P.	7776	78%	77.76	783

Dis. & Cattle Fd. Trust.... 50 2 50% 49% Philadelphia Stocks. Closing quotations of Philadelphia stocks fur-ished by Whitney & Stephenson, Brokers, No. 57 ourth avenue, members of the New York Stock

Reading Railroad
Buffalo, N. Y. & Phila.
Lebigh Valley
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Northern Pacific, preferred. Boston Stocks-Closing Priess. | Boston Stocks—Cosing Prices. | Atch. & Topeka | 23% Boston & Mon | 23% Boston & Mon | 23% do Malue | 120% Glamet & Hecla | 25% do Malue | 162 Franklin | 11% Chi. Bur. & Quincy, 198 Kearsarge | 104% Eastern R. R. 68 | 122% Oscola | 23% Fitchburg R. R. 35 | Santa Fe Copper | 23% Fitchburg R. R. 35 | Santa Fe Copper | 14% Mass, Central | 25% Auniston Land Co. 25% Mex. Central | 26% Auniston Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Land Co. 15% do 7 | 27% West End Lan

Mining Stock Quotations NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Alice, 120; Aspen, 300; Best & Beleber, 310; Chollar, 120; Crown Point, 130; Consolidated California and Virginia, 38716; Deadwood, 195; Gould & Curry, 155; Hale & Norcross, 120; Homestake, 125; Horn Silver, 330; Iron Silver, 125; Mexican, 2.0; Ontario, 4200; Ophir, 320; Plymouth, 130; Savage, 135; Sierra Nevada, 185; Union Consolidated, 159; Yellow Jacket, 100.

Beston Electric Stocks. Bosrox, Feb. 7 .- [Special.]-The Intest elec tric stock quotations yesterday were: Bid. Asked. 101 108 58% 58% 28% 28% 13% 13% 15% 15% 12% 15

opean W. Co..... HOME SECURITIES AND MONEY.

Busy Week Brought to a Conclusion With Encouraging Snap. The boom in local stocks received a strong forward impulse during the week. Business was not only active, but it covered a comparatively wide range of interests. Almos everything in the active list was marked up, and in nearly every case the advance was

held to the last. held to the last.

Closing prices of the active stocks as compared, with those of the previous Saturday show these changes: Membership stock advanced \$15, Airbrake, 2: Underground Cable, 1: Central Traction, 2: Pittsburg Traction, 14: New York and Cleveland Gas Coal, 14: Switch and Signal, 23. Philadelphia Gas broke during the week, but rallied and fin-ished the same as the close a week ago. Luster lost ground in the unlisted depart-ment. Birmingham and Duquesne were in-teresting features, each of them materially

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St. Louis-Wool-Receipts, 3,400 pounds; hipments, 35,000 pounds; quiet and un-

COALERS IN COUNCIL.

The Result Will Be an Increase of 2,000,000 Tons in the Anthracite Output. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7 .- Reading Railroad officials claim that one result of the conference of coal producers in New York yesterday was an agreement which increases

the Reading quota of the anthracite production from 21.6 per cent to 25 per cent of the entire output. This means an additional amount mined of 2,000,000 tons per annum, and, basing their estimate on the recent increase in price of 25 cents per ton, the Reading people are sanguine in expectations of dividends.

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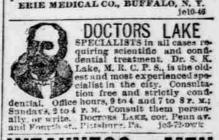
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