BELIEVE IT IS THEIR TURN NOW.

A Storage Company May Be Organized to

Take Care of the Surplus. LIGHT WELLS THE RULE YESTERDAY

Considerable doubt is expressed as to the ultimate success of the shutdown movement. It is not the universal movement that some operators would like to have their friends believe. Those who are in favor of it are loud in their advocacy, while its opponents are saying nothing but sawing wood.

There seems to be a general feeling among the operators outside of the McDonald field that is antagonistic to it. Even a number of the McDonald people who have signed the agreement did it under protest and on condition that producers all over Penn-sylvania and West Virginia should also go in. Arrangements are now being made to hold a meeting of the signers early next week. Then the situation will be thoroughly discussed and the plan of campaign out-lined.

lined.

D. W. Clark, of Butler, who is one of the leading operators in the country, was in Pittsburg last evening. He is opposed to the shutdown and says he cannot comprehend how the McDonaid operators can ask outsiders to go into the movement.

"They ruined scores of little operators in the outside fields by the way in which they drilled McDonaid last fall," he said. "They piled up a big lot of stocks, knocked down the market and now expect us to go in with them.

Will Operate if Prices Improve.

"I have not drilled a well since last Novem ber, but I have plenty of territory yet to drill, and as soon as a shutdown movemen is inaugurated and the market goes up I will commence operations. This seems to be the prevailing sentiment in Butler, and I expect to see a big lot of new work started in that county this summer if we get better

in that county this summer if we get better prices."

John Galloway is one of the most enthusiastic supporters of the shutdown scheme. He has circulated a petition and secured about 40 signers. He says he is on the working committee, and states that a movement is now on foot to organize an immense storage company, with a capital of at least \$5,000,000, which will take care of all the surplus oil produced. If the scheme is a success they will build tanks in the field, and instead of giving the oil to the pipe lines they will run it into their own tanks and hold it for better prices.

Mr. Galloway says that by this means they would expect to create a demand for crude oil by holding back the surplus. Another method by which they are trying to reduce the surplus is by introducing it agival into the mills and furnaces about Pittaburg. The producers have agents at work now, and E. H. Jennings and the Fisher Bros. stated that they were confident of securing a fuel consumption in Pittsburg of from 6,000 to 10,000 barrels.

Claims It Is Cheaper Than Coal.

Claims It Is Cheaper Than Coal. The Producers Oil Company and the P. P. A. are now delivering it at several places in the two cities for from 74 to 77 centsa barrel. At the Hall Steam Pump Works 350 gallons, or S/4 barrels a day are used, and it is

or S½ barrels a day are used, and it is claimed at the works that they save over \$1 a day by using oil instead of coal. They also state that there is no difference between Lima and Pennsylvania oil.

There were only light wells developed in the field yesterday. Three old wells were agitated and shot and restored to the list of those making 20 barrels an hour or more.

The Devonian Oil Company shot its No. 1 on the Boyce farm in Southern McCurdy, and yesterday morning it was reported to be making 40 barrels an hour.

Jennings, Guffey & Co.'s No. 4 on the Herren iarm was brought up by agitation to 20 barrels an hour.

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The Forest Oil Company's No. 1 M. Wright was reported last night to be doing 60 barrels an hour. It had been making 20 an hour with the tools in the hole, but yesterday they got them out.

McGinnies & Co.'s No. 4 Henry Shaffer, at McCurdy, got the fifth sand yesterday, and is good for from 75 to 100 barrels a day.

Millison, Fried & Sammels' No. 3 Henry Shaffer is in the Gordon and will get the fifth late to-morrow night or Monday morning.

Patterson & Co.'s No. 2 McMichael is also in the Gordon, and their No. 1 Torrence is a strong gaser in that formation.

Wells Around Noblestown. Greenlee & Forst's No. 3, on the Gladden farm, southwest of McDonald, reached the Gordon yesterday, and is reported to be making 200 barrels from that sand. Their No. 4 Wade was shot and made a nice re-No. 4 Wade was shot and made a nice response. These parties have 12 wells under way around Noblestown. No. 2 on the National Coal Company's property is due in the Gordon to-morrow; No. 2 McMurray was cased yesterday; No. 1 on the McMurray lease No. 2 is ready for the big casing; the machinery is being put into the rize at Nos. 2 and 3 on the No. 2 Marshall lease; No. 4 on the last lease is receiving the ten-inch nipe, and the big casing is being put into No. 5, the rig is being built for No. 3 on the No. 1 Marshall; also for No. 1 Bartley; No. 2 McMurray lease received the 64 casing; No. 1 on the Marshall and Chalfant lease is being rigged up, and the big casing has been put into No. 2.

into No. 2

Marshall, Kennedy & Co. started to spud
yesterday at No. 2 Roy. They have the rig
up for No. 3, but intend to move it.

J. M. Guffey, Bussell & Co.'s No. 3 Wettengel was cased yesterday through the salt

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Benner Bros. & Hunt's No. 1, on the Donohue lot, is down 1,000 feet.

Marshall, Kennedy & Co. are ready to spud on the George Sudekim lôt.

Koerner & Co. have a rig up on the Mary Robb property, near Noblestown.

The Oakdale Oil Company got the fifth in two wells yesterday. No. 3 Gormley is in and light, while their No. 4 Baldwin was drilled through the sand and is dry. and light, while their No. 4 Baldwin was drilled through the sand and is dry.

Cook's Ferry—The Rob Roy Oil Company finished upa dry hole on the Irwin farm yesterday. It is 234 miles southwest of this place and is their second venture here. The Augusta Oil Company has finished two wells in this vicinity. One is dry and the other light.

SISTERSVILLE—The Wallace well came in esterday and is good for 100 barrels a day, we more wells are expected early next

The following estimates were submitted by the gaugers of the Southwestern Pennsylvanta Pipe Line Company: The production of the field was 24,500, the same as the day before. The hourly gauges were as follows: Matthews' No. 3, 24; Jenwere as follows: Matthews' No. 3, 26; Jennings, suffey & Co.'s No. 4 Herron, 20; No. 7 Bell, 20; Oakdale Oil Company's Nos. 2 and 3 Baldwin, 20; Forest Oil Company's No. 1 Jane Stewart, 43; No. 1 M. Wright, 20; Guffey & Co.'s No. 2 McMichael, 40; Forst & Greenlee's No. 1 McMurray, 30; Devonian Oil Company's Nos. 1 and 2 Boyce, 40. Stock in field, 30,000.

The runs of the Southwest Pennsylvania Pipe Line Company from McDonald Wednesday were 22,741; outside of McDonald, 9,121. The National Transit runs were 33,299, New York Transit shipments, 31,697. Macksburg division of the Buckeye Pipe Line Company, 1,581. Buckeye runs, 44,711; shipments, 56,712; Eureka runs, 6,840; shipments, 1,398.

Vesterday's Market Featur Steadiness was the only feature worth noting. Sales were few and far between. The opening and highest was 50% of lowest The opening and highest was 59%c lowest and close 59%c. Refined was marked down at London to 5%d. There were no other changes. Daily average runs, 77,720; daily average shipments, 72,877.

OIL CITY, April 21.—National Transit certificates opened at 50%c; highest, 59%c; lowest, 59%c; closed, 59%c; sales, 58,000 barrels; clearances, 166,000 barrels; shipments, 97, 22 barrels; runs, 82,758 barrels.

Livery Business for an Oil Produ

I have one of the finest equipped livery stables at Titusville, doing a business of \$600 to \$700 a month, to trade for a good oil production.

D. A. BAETLETT,

402 Ferguson building.

The Coffee Markets. The Cones Markets.

KEW YORK, April 21.—Coffee options opened steady, 5@10 points down; closed steady and unchanged to 5 points down; sales, 11,250 bars, including April, 12,30@12,35c; May, 12,15@12,35c; June, 11,75c; July, 11,70c; September, 11,65@11,75c; December, 11,60c, Spot Rio dulland weak; No. 7, 13c.

BALTIMORE, April 21.—Coffee dull; Rio cargoes fair at 17c; No. 7, 13,4@13%c.

The Drygoods Market, New York, April 21.—Stormy weat: against trading in drygoods althous was not much decrease in dema-recent prices. There were no develo

GRAINS A LITTLE OFF.

Only Local Speculation in the Chicago Wheat Pit - A Rumor That Elevat Men Are Combining to Bull the Market-Bad Weather and Corn.

CHICAGO-This evening prices, con

CHICAGO—This evening prices, compared with the close yesterday, are 1/20 off for wheat and cats, 3/20 for corn and 50 for pork. Lard is unchanged, and ribs 50 higher. In wheat business was chiefly of a local character. The opening was 1/20 below last night's figures and the quotation receded 1/20 more, then railied, advancing le again; declined, and after many minor fluctuations closed easy at 80% 280% for July. The le raily was on a starp demand for cash wheat, but there was little for sale, and the rumor started that the elevator men had combined to built the market. It was said the programme was not to deliver the wheat on the first, but; to built it as much as possible, then sell out and deliver, breaking the price and putting July at a premium and getting big carrying charges.

Corn began 1/20/20 under the final quotations of yesterday, but under a fairly good demand from shorts advanced to 45%. The unseasonable weather, very cold in Kansas and rains in Nebraska, lowa and Hilmois, together with the poor grading, were bullish factors. Selling by parties supposed to be long through brokers carried the price down from 43% to 42%c, and on the local crowd selling declined to 41%c, railying to 42%c, but closed 3/20% lower than yesterday and without much snap.

Oats active within a range of 1/20. Pork opened at a 50 decline and weakened on lower prices for hogs and absence of support. The shorts got scared suddenly and began buying. A rapid advance of 12%c followed. On a cessation of purchases the market eased off 50. Trading in lard and ribs was light.

The leading futures ranged as follows, as corrected by John M. Oakley & Co., 45 Sixth street,

ARTICLES.	Open- ing.	High- est.	Low-	Clos-	
WHEAT, NO. 2. April	8 80%	8136	80%	80%	
	80%	8136	80%	80%	
	80%	8136	80%	80%	
April. May June. OATS, No. 2.	41%	42%	41%	41%	
	42%	43%	41%	42	
	80%	20%	88%	38%	
May	29	29%	25%	28%	
	28%	28%	25%	28%	
MayJuly	9 50 9 70	9 5236 9 75	9 50 9 60	9 47%	
May July SHORT RIBS,	6 15 6 22%	6 17%	6 15 6 2234	6 17%	
May	5 50	5 5214	5 67%	5 5214	
July	5 62%	5 6712		5 6715	

dull and nominally unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 82½c: No. 3 spring wheat, 78½c; No. 2 red, 85½c: No. 2 corn. 40½c: No. 2 oats, 28½c: No. 2 white, 31@31½c; No. 3 white, 30@30½c: No. 2 white, 31@31½c; No. 3 white, 20@30½c: No. 3, f. o. b., 46@55c: No. 4 nominal; No. 1 flaxseed, 57c: prime timothy seed, \$1 30@1 35. Mess pork, per bbl., \$9 45½, 9 47½. Lard, per 100 lbs. \$6 15@6 17½. Short ribs sides, (100se), \$5 52½65 55. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$4 50@5 00. Short clear sides (boxed), \$6 17½@6 30. Whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal., \$1 13. Sugars unchanged. No. 3 corn, 40c.

On the Produce Exchange to-day butter was steady; fancy creamery, 21½@22½c; fine Western, 19½@20½c; ordinary, 18@18c: fine dsiries, 20@21c. Eggs steady at 12½@12½c.

NEW YORE—Flour dull and irregular.

was steady; nancy creamery, 135,207224c; line desiries, 20@21c. Eggs steady at 123,4@123/c.

NEW YORK—Flour dull and irregular. Cornmeal steady and in fair demand. Wheat—Spot lower and quiet; No. 2 red, 253,4@96c store and elevator, 253,4@81 00% afloat, 185,4@81 00% for the control of the c

18624c; do factory, 12616c; Eigin, 24c. Cheese steady and in fair demand; part skims, 569c. PHILADELPHIA —Flour quet and weak. Wheat firm; No. 2 rod and April, 93-696c; May, 94694-4c; June and July, 9269-24c. Corn higher: mixed in elevator and grain depot, 33-c; No. 3 in export elevator, 44-c; steamer in do, 45-c; No. 2 yellow in grain depot, 50-4c; No. 2 in export elevator, 47-4c. No. 2 mixed April and May, 47-4c; June, 48-48-48-4; July, 48-48-48-46. Oats—Carlots, firm but demand moderate; No. 2 mixed, 33-4c; No. 3 white, 27c; No. 2 white, 39c; No. 1 white, 394-c; No. 2 white, April, 37-46-38-c; May 58-46-37-c; June and July, 36-46-37-c. Eggs steady; Fennsylvania firsts, 14c.

**T. LOUIS—Flour firm, but unchanged. Wheat—Cash advanced ic, and sold at 86c; May closed 84-4c; July, 78-4c; and sold at 86c; May closed 84-4c; July, 78-4c; options easier and closed 4-c below yesterday; No. 2, cash, 57-4c; May, 36-46-36-4c; July, 36-4c. Oats—Cash firm at 38c, options a shade off; May, 39-4c; July, 27-4c. Rye dull: no sales, Barley quiet; Minnesota at 50c; Iowa, 53c. Butter firm; best creamery, 216-25c; seconds, 19620c; dairy ranges at 146-20c. Provisions firm, but very dull, with only a job trade at previous prices.

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BALTIMORE—Wheat—Strong for spot, dull for futures; No. 2 red spot and the month, 95c; May, 22%,938c; June, 92%,92%c; steamer No. 2 red, 90c. Corn unsettled and higher: mixed spot, 49%c; April, 49c asked; May, 47c; June, 45%,646c; July, 48%c asked; steamer mixed, 45,646%c. Oats firm; No. 3 white Western, 336,33%c; No. 2 mixed do, 34%c 635c. Ry quiet: No. 2, 57c asked. Hay very firm; good to choice timothy, \$14,500,15 M. Provisions steady and unchanged. Butter firm and unchanged. Eggs steady at 13%c. NEW ORLEANS—Sugar firm, open kettle, choice, 3%c; fully fair to prime, 3%c; good common to good fair, 213-1663c; common, 23%c2 11-16c; inferior, 2%c; centrifugals, choice yellow clarified, 3%c; prime, do, 3%c3 13-16c; off, do, 3%c3%c; seconds, 2 9-1663%c. Molasses—Centringal; strictly prime, 19c; good prime, 156/17c; fair to prime, 126/13c; common to good common, 669c.

CINCINNATI—Flour easier. Wheat easier; No. 2 red, 90%c9llc. Corn steady: No. 2 mixed, 43%c. Oats steady: No. 2 mixed, 20c. Rye weak; No. 2, 82c. Pork easier and lower at \$9.75. Lard heavy at \$6.00. Bulk meats steady at \$5.65. Bacon quiet and steady at \$6.666 70. Butter firm. Eggs steady at 16. Cheese steady.

DULUTH—Wheat—No. 1 hard, cash, 82c. April 800cc May 836c5 June 813/cc. July

DULUTH—Wheat—No. 1 hard, cash, 82c; April, 80½c; May, 82½c; June, 81¾c; July, 84c; No. 1 Northern, cash, 80c; April, 78½c; May, 80½c; June, 81¾c; No. 2 Northern, cash, 74c; No. 3, 69c; rejected, 62c; on track, No. 1 hard, 82c; No. 1 Northern, 80½c.

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MILWAUKEE - Flour quiet. Wheat quiet: May, 79%c; No. 2 spring, 82c; No. 3 40c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 31c, No. 3 white, 29%30c. Barley quiet; No. 2, 53%c; sample, 44660c. Rye firmer; No. 1, 80c. Pork—May, 49 47%. Lard—May, 46 67%.

-May, \$9 47%. Lard-May, \$6 67%.

TOLEDO—Wheat dull and easier; No. 2 cash, 91%c; May, 91%c; August, 25%c. Corn active; No. 2 cash, 41%c; No. 3, 40%c; No. 4, 39c; No. 2 yellow, 41%c. No. 3, 40%c; No. 4, 39c; No. 2 yellow, 41%c. Oats quiet; cash, 31%c; No. 2 white, 35%c. Rye quiet; cash, 78c.

HANSAS CITY—Wheat very dull: No. 2 hard, 72%73c; No. 2 red, 82%85c. Corn market was weaker and 1/2 lower: No. 2 mixed, 35%c. 38/c. No. 2 white, 37%27%c. Oats rather weak; No. 2 mixed, 29%c; No. 2 white, 30%@ 31c. Eggs active at 10%c.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat — May opening. MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat — May opening, 783/c; highest, 793/c; lowest, 783/c; July opening, 303/c; highest, 813/c; lowest, 803/c; closing, 803/c; on track, No. 1 hard, 82c; No. 1 Northern, 903/c; No. 2 Northern, 77@79c.

The Turpentine Markets. New York—Rosin firm but quiet. Turpen-tine dull and weak.

WILMINGTON—Spirits of turpentine firm at 31c. Rosin firm; strained, \$1 15; good strained, \$1 20. Tar firm at \$1 35. Crude turpentine steady; hard, \$1 10; yellow dip, \$2 25; virgin, \$2 35. SAVANNAH.—Turpentine firm at 31½c bid. Rosin dull and nominal at \$1 45@1 50. CHARLESTON-Turpentine steady at 31c Rosin firm; good strained, \$1 50.

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

THE TREND OF TRADE.

A Period of General Expansion Believed to Be Approaching.

EXCHANGES OF CITY PROPERTY.

McKeesport Holds Advanced Ground as a

Stirring Business Center. REAL ESTATE BROKERS' COMMISSIONS

In a careful review of the business situation a competent authority makes these observations: "While business is by no means bad, it is not equal to expectations. But it is improving. The outlook is full of encouragement. That the country is upon the eve of a general expansion of trade, and of manufacturing and agricultural prosperity, is evident. Prices of all kinds have been crowded way down, and that is the preliminary step for improvement. The very evils of which people are complaining will open up avenues for escape from such a recurrence, and for permanently better prices. The whole world is learning not only how to have better government, but how to maintain industrial prosperity, and to enjoy the benefits and plenty which come from our greatly increased productive capacity."

Exchange of Properties. A residential property in the lower part of Allegheny City was traded yesterday for a building site on North Highland avenue. Considerable is being done in this line of business. A Fourth avenue broker has on his books a number of propositions to ex-change Western lands for city property, improved or unimproved. Another broker has a long list of farms in Western Peun-sylvania and Eastern Ohio for exchange for sylvania and Eastern Ohio for exchange for Pittsburg real estate. In making exchanges valuation plays a subordinate part, and such transactions are unreliable as indicating the true market price. Convenience is the object sought. The city man thinks he can do better in the country and vice versa. Both are frequently benefited by the exchange

Steady Growth of McKeesport. If McKeesport maintains its present rate of development it will in a few years be entitled to a higher rank among the cities of the State. Business of all kinds is flourishing. Building is very active. A Pittsburg real estate broker, who handles a large amount of McKeesport property, said yesterday that on a recent visit he counted upward of 50 houses in various stages of completion. Among the builders he mentioned the following: G. M. Leppig, nine houses; Ross Smith, six; Thomas Lane, five; G. F. Myer, three; P. McRea, two. Some of these are under way and work on others will begin at an early day. will begin at an early day. There is talk of several good business houses going up this season. The gentleman referred to above controls about 60 feet on Fifth avenue, upon which he thinks a commodious store will be erected during the summer.

The Milwaukee Real Estate Board, which is still in its infancy, experiences the same difficulties in adjusting questions of com-missions which have been met by the Chi-cago Real Estate Board, and which are now cago Real Estate Board, and which are now engaging the attention of the Real Estate Exchange. An amendment to the articles of association is proposed, making the following provision: In case any agent listing a piece of property shall himself sell the same he must notify the Secretary within 24 hours, or else forfeit one-half of the commission to any other agent who may secure a bons fide purchaser for the property. Two other paragraphs will determine the commission to be paid—namely: On sales of \$5,000, 3 per cent; up to \$10,000, 2½ per cent, and up to \$40,000, 2 per cent.

Yesterday's Building Permits.

Yesterday's Building Permits. Yesterday was one of the best building issued, representing 25 improvements, cost-ing, according to estimates, \$34,148. The most important are: Patrick Coyle, brick dwelling on Wylie avenue, Thirteenth ward, \$4,500; Thomas Hannan, two frame dwellings on Webster avenue, Thirteenth ward, \$2,000; Robinson-Rea Manufacturing Company, ironclad machine shop on Carson street, Thirtieth ward, \$2.253; H. D. Denny, two brick dwellings on Webster avenue, Seventh ward, \$3,100; Philip Geidel, two frame dwellings on Bismarck street, Thir-teenth ward, \$2,200; Howard Welch, two brick dwellings on Erin street, Eleventh vard, \$6,000.

Special Features of Trade. Retail dealers report busisnes much better than at the corresponding time last year. Heavy depositing in the banks reinforces

the statement. Reese & Evans have commenced the erection of a five-story apartment house on the corner of Pride and Vicroy streets, Sixth ward. Western Union insiders are hinting at an Western Union insiders are hinting at an extra dividend, or an increase in the dividend rate at the next quarterly meeting of the directors.

The Schenley Park Land Company has started the foundations for eight houses on its plan in the Twenty-third ward.

The opening of the First. National Bank of Wilkinsburg has been postponed till about May 1, owing to delay in fitting up the rooms. rooms.

The Cadwallader building, store and dwelling, opposite the Baltimore and Ohio station at Hazelwood, is under roof.

The National Association of Hardwood Lumber Manufacturers will meet in Memphis on the 25th of next month.

F. G. Kellerman paid to Michael Gannon \$8,150 for a house and lot 24x12, on Forty-fourth street, Seventeenth ward.

Andrew Caster yesterday sold \$2,000 Rmd. fourth street, Seventeenth ward.
Andrew Caster yesterday sold \$2,000 Braddock and Turtle Creek Passenger Railway bonds at par and interest.
Certificates for the new stock of the Pleasant Valley Railway will not be ready for several weeks.
Doherty Bros. have the contract for the Ewart building, Liberty street and Garrison alley. alley.

Jones & Laughlins are making arrangements to do some extensive building on the real estate recently purchased by them in the Twenty-third ward.

Movements in Real Estate. C. H. Love sold for W. C. Lyne to W. H. Staley a lot on Callowhill street, near High-land avenue, 35x150, for \$1,750. The pur-Staley a lot on Callowhill street, near Highland avenue, 35x150, for \$1,750. The purchaser will improve with a handsome brick Queen Anne residence.

John K. Ewing & Co. sold to Mrs. M. L. Brown, a lot 40x110 on Marshall avenue in the Mayfield subdivision, Tenth ward, Allegeny City, for \$1,000.

J. C. Reilly sold for Casper Geigher to Samuel McMillen, a lot 21x100 our Webster avenue, near Watt street, for \$900 cash.

Black & Baird sold for Mrs. S. V. Burke a property on Wilbert street, Mt. Washington, being a two-story frame dwelling on lot 44x 100 feet, for \$1,850.

A. Legatte & Son sold a property corner of Arch street and Alpine avenue, Second ward, Allegheny, lot 20x50, with a six-roomed frame house, for \$2,925.

J. E. Glass sold for A. C. Watkins lot No. 35 in the Allquippa Place plan No. 2, for \$400.

McCune & Coulter sold lots 70 and 71 in their Dean Park plan to David K. Schoolbraid, for \$500.

Peter Shields reports the sale of lot No. 150, 25x100 feet, to a 20 foot alley, located on Haldam street, in the Schenley Park Land Company's plan, Twenty-third ward, for \$400.

W. A. Herron & Sons sold 10 to 10 the second sold lately 20x220 feet, on Boggs avenue, Thirty-second ward, for \$800 cash, and the purchaser pays for the expense of street improvements; also, lot No. 8, 20-feet front on Herron avenue, near Wylle avenue, in King's plan, Thirteenth ward, for \$550, vender pays for paying and sewering.

Alles Bros. sold for E. H. Ehrhart to for paying and sewering.

Alles Bros. sold for E. H. Ehrhart to Charles Klenke, a lot 20x00 jeet, situated on South Nineteenth street, for \$1,800 cash. The purchaser will erect a fine residence at once.

HOME SECURITIES.

HOLDERS RESPONSIBLE FOR AN APATHETIC MARKET.

cks Bid Up Without Bringing Them t the Surface-Price Changes Unimportant-Best Figures Not Sustained, but Steadiness the Rule-Other Features. There was very little snap in stock trading yesterday, mainly for the reason that hold-ers would not offer the goods wanted.

Birmingham Traction was bid up without bringing any of it out.

The natural gassers were steady—Wheeling a fraction higher. The statement of the Philadelphia Company is tooked for any time. Tips are out that it will be quite bull

Philadelphia Company is looked for any time. Tips are out that it will be quite bull isb. Its complexion will shape the future course of the stock.

In explanation of the bid of 78 for Under ground Cable, a broker said: "The bid wasfor thirds and not for whole shares, and therefore not indicative of the regular market price. Thirds were brought into existence by the company reducing the capital stock from \$3,000,000 to \$1,000,000."

The Wheeling Natural Gas Company has sent out applications for proxies for the annual meeting May 2, at which officers will be elected and the policy of the company fixed for the ensuing year.

The only sale at the first call was that of 50 shares of Wheeling Gas, Caster to Morris & Brown, at 20%. At the second call Henry M. Long sold 20 shares Citizens' Insurance to Georre B. Hill & Co. at 25. After call J. J. Campbell disposed of 100 shares of Philadelphia Gas at 18, Kuhn Bros. purchasers. At the last call as \$1,000 Manchester Traction bond brought 104. Fink took it.

The unlisted tractions were quoted at the afternoon call as follows: Duquesne, 25 bid, offered at 28; Birmingham, 25% bid; Manchester, 29% bid. For Electric scrip \$2\% was bid, and 64 for United States Glass common. Bids and offers in detail:

EXCHANGE STOCKS.	CALL.	B, A.	B. A.
Allegheny N. B.		86	
Fourth N. B		****	
Freehold Bank		92	**** ****
Lib. Nat. Bank		****	****
Mon, Nat. Bank.	135	- not	287
Pitts. N. B. Com.		285	25 30
Citizens' Ins Bridgewater Gas	35	1000 1000	20 00
Char. Val. Gas Co			12% 13
P. N. G. & P. Co	113		11 113
Phila. Co	18% 19%	19 1934	181 19
Wheeling Gas Co	20% 21%		20% 21%
entral Traction		25%	2876 293
Citizens'Traction		F. C. C. C. L. L. C.	60
Pittsburg Trac			
Pleasant Valley	25 25%	25 25%	25
econd Avenue	49	****	49
Pbg., Y. & Ash	. 33 41	****	2914
. V. & C. R. K.		46	
bg. Wh. & Ky	50 513		
N.Y.& C.G.C.Co		50	-50
N. Side Bridge Co	505		
a Noria Min. Co.	34		
Luster Min. Co	914 93	9% 9%	9% 9%
Red Cloud Min	23	**** ****	****
Enterprise M. Co.	20 321	**** ****	*****
East End Elec West'house Elec	18:4 19%	18 19	18 19
Mon. Nav. Co		10 10	10 10
Ion, Water Co	3034		
U. S. & S. Co	15 16	15	15% 16
U. S.& S. Co., pfd	37		*****
West, Alrbrake .	112		112
S. U. Cable Co	76	76	

A CIRCUMSCRIBED MARKET.

THE ONLY FEATURE IS ANOTHER RAID ON THE COALERS.

eading Attacked, and Then Lackawanns, Taking the Starch Out of the Trading-Fereigners Still Selling Erie and St. Pant-Industrials Strong.

New York, April 31.—The operations in the stock market to-day were more circumscribed than usual of late, and the strength given by the covering of short contracts was lacking, which, with a general bearish feeling by the local traders, resulted in a comparatively dull and dropping market. The Coal stocks were still the favorite obtained to the coal stocks were still the favorite of the coal stocks were still the favorite of the coal stocks were still the favorite.

The Coal stocks were still the favorite objects of attack, and Reading was subjected to another vigorous raid in the early dealings, which resulted in a loss of 1 per cent to 57, at which point the support became pronounced enough to cause a partial cessation of the pressure.

The transfer of the pressure from Reading to Lackawanna followed immediately, however, and that stock was found to be much more vulnerable, and a decline of about 2½ per cent was established. This checked the improving tendency in the general list, and prices remained under those of the opening, while New England again showed weakness under freer offerings, declining 1½ per cent. There was still some selling of Eric and St. Paul for foreign account, and the late sales by the foreign element were reflected in higher rates for exchange, which of itself exerted a restraining influence upon the amount of business done, and with the exception of the Industrials all other stocks than those mentioned were extremely dull and uninteresting.

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The efforts to cover in the late dealings neutralized the declines in a part of the list, and the strength in the Industrials, especially Distillers', helped the rally to some extent. The market was almost entirely professional, and the close was active and firm. The final changes are generally small losses, while Lackanna is down 1½, and Jorsey Central 1 per cent, partly balanced by a gain of 1½ per cent in Distillers'.

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The total sales of stocks to-day were 279,980 shares, including Atchison, 3,820; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 2,525; Erie, 23,610; Lake Shore, 3,500; Northern Facific, preferred, 6,800; New England, 21,510; Reading, 115,700; 8t. Paul, 16,175; Union Pacific, 4,500; Western Union, 5,088.

Railroad bonds were still moderately active without the development of any feature of note, and the subsidence of the trading in the Richmond and West Point issues was felt, not only in the dealings, but also in the the temper of the market. The Readings were still active, but held steady, and are practically unchanged to-night. The sales were \$1,655,000, of which Reading firsts contributed \$125,000.

The following table shows the price of active tocks on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday. Corrected daily for THE DISPATCH by WHITNEY & STEPHERSON, oldest Pittsburg members of the New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth avenue.

	Open ing.	High est.	Low-	Ing bld.
Am. Cotton Oil. Am. Cotton Oil. Am. Sugar Refining Co. And. Sugar Refining Co. Co. Canada Southern. Central Pacific. Central Pacific. Chesspeake & Ohio. C. & O. A D. C. & O. A D. Chesspeake & Ohio. C. & O. C. & C. C. & C. C. & C. C. & C. Co. Co. Co. Co. Co. Co. Co.	4014	4014	30%	40
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tch., Top. & S. F	30)6	2078	30	3654 89
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entral of New Jersey	138	139	138	1383
entral Pacific				31
hesapeake & Ohio				23%
. & O., 1st pfd				6012
& O., 2d pfd	· ·	*****		42
hicago Gas Trust	77%	7719	17734	108%
Bur. & Quincy	7986	100%	785	78%
Will & St Paul pfd	12814	12314	12334	123
Rock 1. & P	87	87	864	86%
St. P. M. & O	45%	48%	48%	4835
., St P. M. & O., pfd	*****			116
& Northwestern	120%	123%	120%	120%
C. C. & I	10%	70%	70%	70%
of Coal & Iron	29	993/	79	31%
tel Tack & West	1604	1604	15734	158%
el. & Hudson	144%	144%	143%	144
en. & Rio Grande	1736	17%	1736	17%
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neeling & L. E. pfd	765%	76% 43%	76	75/6
is. & Cattle Fd. Trust	4714	45%	4736	4834

Boston Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, April 21.- [Special.]-The latest elec-Thomson-Houston Electric Company
Thomson-Houston Electric Co., pfd.
T.-H. E. Co. securities, series C.
T.-H. E. Co. securities, series D.
T.-H. E. W. Co.
Ft. Wayne Electric Company
Ft. W. E. Co. securities, series A.
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Philadelphia Stocks Closing quotations of Philadelphia stocks, fur

nished by Whitney & Stephenson, brokers, No. 57 Fourth avenue, members of New York Stock Ex-Resding Railroad Buffalo, N. Y. & Phila Lehigh Valley Lehigh Navigation. Philadelphia & Erie Northern Pacific, com Northern Pacific, pref. Mining Stock Quotation

New York, April 21.—Adams Consolidated, 100; B. & B., 210; Consolidated California and Virzinia, 375; Deadwood T., 210; Eureka Consolidated, 200; Gould & Curry, 100; Homestake, 1350; Horn Silvar, 310; Mexican, 120; Ophir, 200; Plymouth, 140; Savage, 120; Sierra Nevada, 115; Standard, 130; Uunion Consolidated, 100.

Bar Silver Quotations. New York, April 21.—[Special.]—Bar silver in London ¼d higher at 49d per ounce; New York dealers' price for silver ¼c higher at 87%c per ounce.

THE MONEY MARKET.

ne Improvement Noted in the Offerings of Commercial Paper. The local money market yesterday was quiet and unchanged in all essential points.
At two of the banks a better call for discounts was reported. The bank rate was 6 per cent, but funds were to be had at something less. Currency was in good supply. Clearings were \$2,621,553 96 and balances \$426,093 02.

Bank Clearings. New York-Clearings, \$126,380,540; balances,

NEW YORE—Clearings, \$125,380,540; balances, \$5,290,685.

BOSTON—Clearings, \$15,291,682; balances, \$1,371,707. Rate for money 13,492 per cent. Exchange on New York, 17,929c discount per \$1,000.

BALTIMORE—Clearings, \$2,769,753; balances, \$307,610. Money 6 per cent.

PHILADELPHIA—Clearings, \$13,365,033; balances, \$1,549,292. Money 5 per cent.

NEW ORLEANS—Clearings, \$1,447,660.

ST. LOUIS—Bank clearings, \$4,447,650; balances, \$775,072. Money, 5,96 per cent. Exchange on New York 90c premium.

CHICAGO—Money firmer at 4,643/c on call, 5,96c for time. Bank clearings, \$13,710,193.

New York exchange firm at 30c premium.

MEMPHIS—Clearings, \$310,019; balances, \$112,468. New York exchange selling at \$1.50.

THE HOME MARKETS.

EGGS STEADY AT QUOTATIONS, AND POULTRY SCARCE AND FIRM.

Coffee Markets Are Stronger-Light Hides and Calfakins Firm, and the Tendency Upward-The Leather Trade Still Quie -Country Butter Below Demand.

OFFICE OF THE DISPATCH, PITTSBURG, THURSDAY, April 21. COUNTRY PRODUCE-Jobbing prices-Markets in this line have undergone no changes since the week opened. Trade is

reported quiet and slow all along the line. Supply of country butter is no longer in excess of demand as it has been for a week or two past. But, notwithstanding declining receipts, prices fail to advance. Eggs are in limited supply and firm at quotations. Southern vegetables and tropical fruits have proved rather heavy stock the past day or two. Old vegetables are sluggish at quota-

APPLES-\$2 00@250 per harrel.

BUTTER-Ureamery, Elgin, 25@35c; Ohio brands, 25@35c; common country butter, 14@16c; choice, country roll, 16@25c.

BEANS-New York and Michigan pea, \$1 75@1 85; marrowfat, \$2 15@2 25; Lima beaus, 34@35/c per lb; hand picked medium, \$1 76@1 75.

BEESWAX-Choice, 33@3/c per lb; low grades, 22 625c. B25c.
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—New. 25@25c per lb.
CHEESE—Ohlo choice. 115@12c; New York
cheese, 12@125c; limburger, 13@135c; Wisconsin
sweltzer, full cream, 135@145c; importer sweltzer,

weltzer, full cream, 15-3691-32-1, importer areas, 25635-35. Cider. Country cider, \$5 0035 50 per barrel; sand refined, \$6 5067 60; crab cider, \$7 5038 60. Crandenses. Per box, \$1 2561 50; per barrel, \$5 0036 60. EGGS-Strictly fresh, 1256146; goose eggs, 503656 l dozen.
FEATHERS—Extra live geese, 57@35c; No. 1, 48@
0c B h: mixed lots. 25@35c.
DRIED FRUITS—Peaches, halves, 5½c; evaporadi apples, 7@5c; apricots, 9@1c; blackberries, 5@
c; raspberries, 18@18½c; huckleberries, 7c; Call-

Sc: raspberries, 18618%c; huckleberries, 7c; Callfornia peaches, 760%c.
HONEY-New erop, white clover, 16617c; California honey, 12616c \$\bar{e}\$ ho.

MAPLE SYRUF-New, 80665c \$\bar{e}\$ gallon,

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MAPLE SUGAR-568c \$\bar{e}\$ h.

OMION SEATS-Vellow Erie, \$50066 50; Jersey,
55066 00.

POULTRY-Alive-Chickens, 75680c per pair;
ive turkeys, 12613c \$\bar{e}\$ h; ducks, 70657c a pair;
ive geese, \$10061 10 a pair; dressed chickens, 156
5c \$\bar{e}\$ h; dressed turkeys, 18618c \$\bar{e}\$ h; dressed
lucks, 16617c \$\bar{e}\$ h.

POTATOES-Carload lots, on track, 30635c; from
tore, 40648c a bushel; Jersey sweets, \$200275 per
sarrel. POTATOES—Carload lots, on tract, 30,355c; from tore, 40,35c a bushel; Jersey sweets, \$2,30,32.75 per arrel.

SEEDS—Western recleaned medium clover, jobing at \$8.10; manmoth, \$8.35; timothy, \$1.35 for rime and \$1.60 for choice; blue grass, \$2,55,32 so; rehard grass, \$1.30; millet, \$1.15; feerman, \$1.30; rimgarian, \$1.00; fine lawn, 25c per \$5; seed buck-rheat, \$1.404; 50.

TALLOW—Country, 4c; city rendered, 4%c.

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Contrary to general expectations, coffees we gained in firmness the past day or two. are steady at the advance already ted. Canned goods are very slow sale. e general price list is unchanged. REEN COFFEE—Fancy, 21%@22%; choice Rio, 22c; prime, 18c; low grade Rio, 17@18c; old Gov-iment Java, 27@20; Marneatho, 21@22%; Mocha, 22c; Santos, 21.4@22%; Caracas, 23%@22%; La @30: Santos, His@22]c; Caracas, 23/6/24/c; La uavra, 21/6/22/c; Roasted (in papers)—Standard brands, 19.15c; grades, 22/6/25c; old Government Java, ili, 31/6/36c; Maracalbo, 22/6/26c; Santos, 19/6/6 c; peaberry, 25/6c; choice Rlo, 21/6c; prime Rlo, ½c; good Rlo, 19/6c; ordinary, 176/36c.
SPICES (whole)—Cloves, 10/6/12c; allapice, 10c; saia, 8c; pepper, 12; nuture, 76/6/36c.
PETROLEUM (Jobbers' prices)—110° test, 8c; Ohio, 19°, 7/9c; headilght, 150° test, 8/5c; water white, 6/6c; globe, 14/6/14/5c; elaine, 13c; carnadine, 11c; yaline, 14c; red oil, 10/6/261c; purity, 14c; oleine, 5c. 21c.
MINERS' OIL—No. 1 winter strained, 20-40c per gal.; summer, 25-37c; lard, 52-55c.
SYRUP—Corn syrup, 24-27c; choice sugar syrup, 34-35c; prime sugar syrup, 33-32c; atrictly prime, 23-35c. 8000c. N. O. Molasses-Fancy new crop. 402-42c. thoice, 402-41c; old crop, 362-35c; N. O. syrup, N. U. MOLASSES—Fancy new crop. sagesci; choice, 4064ic; old crop. 36635c; N. U. syrup, 44635c.

SODA—Bi-carb. in kegs, 356354c; bl-carb. in 148, 516; bl-carb., assorted packages, 54665c; sal soda, in kegs, 146; do granulated, 2c.

CANDLES—Star, full weight, 5c; stearine, per set, 546; parafine, 116412c.

RICE—Head Carolina, 652664c; choice, 54664c; Louisians, 5635c.

STARCH—Fearl, 35c; corn starch, 54664c; gloss starch, 54666c. Louisiana, 353%c.
STARICH-Fearl, 3%c; corn starch, 5%66c%;
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FORFLIN FRUIT—Layer raisins, \$2.00; London layer, \$2.25; Muscatels, \$1.75; California Muscatels, \$1.4066 for Valencia, 5665c; Cultana, 8665c; Curranta, 34663c; Turkey prunes, 45665c; French prune, 5665c; Turkey prunes, 45665c; French prune, 5665c; Cocosnuts, \$1.00, \$6.00; almonds, Lan., \$1.00, \$2.00; do Ivica, Irc; do shelled, 50c; walnuts, \$2.00; \$6.00; let: Sielly filberts, Ite; Smyrna fig., 12613c; new dates, 5655c; Brazil nuts, 7c; pecans, 12615c; new dates, 5655c; Dates, 12615c; new dates, 5655c; Dates, 12615c; pecans, 12615c; pe

beans, \$1.35: soaked do. 85c; stringed do. 85@85c; marrowist peas. 80c@\$1 19; soaked peas. 80@75c; pineappies, \$1.2001 39; Bahama do. \$2.00; damaon plums, \$1.00; green gages, \$1.85; egg plums, \$1.00; green gages, \$1.85; egg plums, \$1.00; and the control approach, \$1.750, 20; California pears, \$1.052 30; do green gages, \$1.85; do egg plums, \$1.85; extra white observies, \$2.85@2.85; raspberries, \$1.1861 21; strawberries, \$8.6981 10; gooseberries, \$1.0661 65; tomatoes, \$10@80c; saimon 1-10 cans, \$1.2001 89; blackberries, 70c; succotash, 2-10 cans, \$1.2001 50; carn beef, 2-10 cans, \$1.8601 70; 1-10 cans, \$1.201 baked beans, \$1.4091 50; lobsters, 1-10 cans, \$1.201 baked beans, \$1.4091 50; lobsters, 1-10 cans, \$2.25; mackerel, 1-10 cans, 50.301 50; sardines, smooted, \$4.501 50; sardines, smooted, \$4.501 50; sardines, imported, \$5.501 50; sardines, mustard, \$3.15; sardines, singotted, \$5.502 50; sardines, sardines, singotted, \$5.502 50; sardines, sardines, singotted, \$5.502 50; sardines, sardines, sardines, sardines, singotted, \$5.502 50; sardines, sardines,

Grein, Flour and Feed,

Sales on call at the Grain Exchange to-day Two cars of No. 1 white oats, 39/4c, spot. Receipts as bulletined, 24 cars. By Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway-lear of oats, 7 of hay, 1 of hay and straw, 1 of husks, 1 of rye, 1 of flour. By Baltimore and Ohio-2 cars of hay. By Pittsburg and Lake Erie—3 cars of flour. By Pittsburg and Mest-ern—1 car of flour. No new features have developed in cereal lines since our last re-port. The movement is fairly active and prices are unchanged. Wheat and flour are dull, and corn, oats and hay are fairly steady.

Provisions.

Hides and Caifskins The general tone of markets in this line hows a gain in the week past. Light stock is particularly strong and promises to go up higher. Calfskins are coming in freely, but prices are well maintained. Sheepskins are fairly steady at the prices which ruled a week age.

week ago.
Following are prices paid by dealers and tanners for stock delivered here: No. 1 green salted steers; 60 lbs and over.
No. 1 green salted ows, all weights
No. 1 green salted hides, 20 to 60 lbs.
No. 1 green salted hides, 20 to 60 lbs.
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Tallow, prime.

Reduction for No. 2 stock, 1½ cents per lb on steers and light hides. I cent on bulls and t cents on calfakins.

In Leather Lines. Harness leather of No. 1 grades is in fair request at quotations, while lower grades are dull and slow. Tanners report a more than usual accumulation of stock for this time of the year. Sole and belting leather

time of the year. Sole and belting leather are even more quiet than harness leather. Following are prices, as established by Allegheny tanners:

No. 1 trace, 36c per B; B trace, 34c per B; No. 1 harness, 120 to 170 Bs, 29c per B; B harness, 120 to 170 Bs, 29c per B; B harness, 120 to 170 Bs, 27c per B; No. 2, 120 to 170 Bs, 28c per B; No. 1 black line, 29c per B; B black line, 29c per B; No. 1 black line, 29c per B; B Oak belting butts, prime quality.
X overweights, 20 fbs and up.
A overweights, 20 fbs and up.
B overweights, 20 fbs and up.
C overweights, 20 fbs and up.
C overweights, 36 fbs and up.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS. Receipts, Shipments and Prices at East Liberty and All Other Yards, OFFICE OF THE DISPATCH. PITTSBURG, THURSDAY, April 21.

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Cattle—Beceipts, 1,573 head; shipments, 1,533 head; market slow and unchanged; no cattle shipped toNew York to-day.

Hogs—Beceipts, 2,600 head; shipments, 1,800 head; market steady; all grades, \$4 80@4 93; 5 cars hogs shipped to New York.

Sheep—Beceipts, 1,600 head; shipments, 1,400 head; market slow and unchanged.

By Telegraph.

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New York—Beeves—Reccipts, 356 head, all for export: no trade; feeling firm; dress beef steady at 6@5c per pound; snipments to-day, 40 beeves and 50 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 870 head: market ½c per pound lower; veals, 43 35@4 50 per 10) pounds; mixed calves, \$1 50@3 00; buttermilks, \$2 00@3 00. Sheep—Receipts, 2.359 head; sheep ½c per pound higher; lambs ½c lower; sheep, unshorn, 7 00@7 50 per 100 pounds; unshorn lambs, \$7 0.@8 00; clipped do, \$6 75@6 87½; dressed mutton firm at 10@12c per pound; dressed lambs weak at 11½@13c. Hogs—Receipts, 2.847 head consigned direct; nominally firm at \$4 90@5 50 per 100 pounds.

Chicago—Cattle — Receipts, 12,000 head; inally firm at \$4 90@5 50 per 100 pounds.

Chicago—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000 head; shipments, 4,500 head; market active and 10c higher; choice to prime, \$4 40@4 85; others, \$3 25@4 25; stockers, \$3 30@3 5c; cows and heifers, \$2 22@3 50. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; shipments, none; market lower; rough and common, \$4 00@4 40; unixed and packers, \$4 55@4 60; light, \$4 40@4 60. Sheep—Receipts, 1,500 head; shipments, 2,000 head; market steady; wethers and vearings, \$5 26@6 83; Westerns, \$5 35@6 40; clipped Texans, \$5 35@5 50; lambs, \$5 75@7 00. \$5 35@5 50; lambs, \$5 75@7 00.

Buffalo—Cattle—Receipts, 200 loads through, 4 sale; market strong. Hogs—Receipts, 34 loads through, 21 sale; market 10@15c lower; heavy grades, \$4 80; packers' and mediums, \$4 80. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 13 loads through, 32 sale; market 10@15c lower for lambs and weaker for sheep; sheep extra fancy wool, \$6 50@6 65; good to choice, \$6 15 @6 40; fair to good, \$5 90@5 00; lambs, good to extra wool, \$7 50@7 75; fair to good do, \$7 00@7 40; clipped, common to best, \$4 93 @6 50.

87 00@7 40; chipped, common 200 head; shipments, none; market active and still going up; fair to choice native steers, \$2 20@4 33; Texans and Indians, all classes, \$2 60@3 85. Hogs—Receipts, 7,900 head; shipments, 600 head; market opened 5c higher, advance lost and closeed weak; fair to choice heavy. \$4 45 @4 60; mixed, ordinary to good, \$4 00@4 50; light, fair to best, \$4 35@4 55. Sheep—Receipts, 330 head; shipments, none; late markets steady at the late advance; good native muttons, \$6 00.

muttons, \$6.00.

Kansas City—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200 head; shipments, 1,400 head; steers active and 10c higher at \$1.30@4.25; cows, 5@10c higher; stockers and feeders active and strong at \$2.85@3.40. Hogs—Receipts, 6,500 head; shipments, 4,800 head; market active and 5c higher; all grades, \$2.00@4.45; bulk, \$4.30@ head; shipments, 500 head; market active and strong; muttons, \$5.00@5.25.

\$5 00@5 25.

Cincinnati—Hogs slow and lower; common and light, \$3 50@4 50; packing and butchers', \$4 25@4 60; receipts, 5,200 head; shipments, 2,750 nead. Cattle steady to strong at \$2 00 40 00; receipts, 170 head; shipments, 370 head. Sheep steady at \$4 00@6 00: receipts, 165 head; shipments, none. Lambs in good demand and steady; common to choice, \$5 00@6 50 per 100 los.

6 50 per 100 lbs.

Omaha—Cattle — Receipts, 1,300; market active and 10c higher; common to fancy steers, \$3 00@3 25; Westerns, \$2 75@3 40.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; light, \$4 35@4 45; heavy, \$4 30@4 40; mixed, \$4 35@4 40. Sheep—Receints, none; natives, \$4 35@6 10; Westerns, \$4 50@6 00; common, \$3 00@4 25; good to choice, \$4 50@6 25.

Wool Markets. Sr. Louis-Wool-Receipts, 3,000 pounds; shipments, 34,000 pounds; market quiet; small sales of new bright Missouri were made at 10½c, a fraction higher than previ-

A. T. Stewart's Will Still Intact. NEW YORK, April 21. - In the suit brought by Alexander Stewart to break the will of A. T. Stewart, and thus secure for himself some of his property, Judge Pryor to-day ruled that there was nothing to go to the jury on, and directed a verdict for the defendants.

The Metal Market, New York, April 21.—Pig fron quiet; American, \$14 75@16 25. Copper quiet; Lake, \$11 80 bid, \$11 90 asked, Lead firm; domestic, \$4 35 @4 30. Tin strong; Straits, \$20 50 bid, \$20 65 asked.

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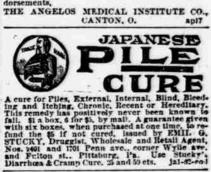
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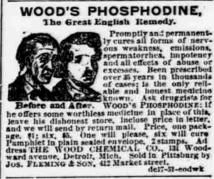
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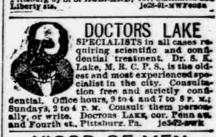
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