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## OIL AND DUST FOUND.

Two Producers and Two Dry Holes Developed Yesterday.

### BOTH DUSTERS NEAR OAKDALE.

A Couple of Producers Expected To-Day, With Others to Follow Soon.

### REPORTS FROM INDIA AND ROUMANIA

Yesterday was a day of developments in the McDonald field. One new well reached the fith sand and started off at nearly 100 barrels an hour, another is good for 75 a day from the Gordon, and two wells were showing for dusters in the fifth.

The estimated production of the field was up 2,500 barrels. On Wednesday morning the output was rated at 22,000 barrels, but yesterday it was placed at 24,500.

Forst & Greenlee secured the big well vesterday; in fact, they own both of the new producers. Their No. 2 on the McMurray ease, between Oakdale and Noblestown, hit the pay in the fifth early vesterday morning, and started off at 100 barrels an hour. It settled down gradually, and according to the last reports it was making 80 barrels

an hour.

The same parties' No. 5, on the Wade farm, south of McDonaid, which was a big gasser in the 50 foot, reached the Gordon sand yesterday and is good for alout 75 a day. Their No. 6, on this farm, which entered the Gordon Wednesday, made 291 barrels in the ensuing 24 hours.

Their No. 1 on the McMurray lease was the control of the McMurray lease was the control of the McMurray lease.

Their No. 1 on the McMurray lease was shot vesterday and its production was increased to 59 learnels an hour. Their No. 5, on the Marshall lease No. 2, is due in the fifth by Monday, and will be closely followed by Nos. 2 and 3 on the same lease.

The same parties No. 1 Bartley is due next week, also their Nos. 1 and 2 on the Marshall and Chalfant lease.

### The Two Rank Dusters. There were two wells showing for dusters

in the fifth sand yesterday afternoon. The Forest Oil Company's No. 2 on the Sam Sturgeon farm, located about 400 feet

July July MESS PORK,

The Forest Oil Company's No. 2 on the Sam Sturgeon farm, located about 400 feet so 4th of their No. 2 on the Agnes Komp, was 18 feet in the fi th yesterday without a showing of either oil or gas.

The same company's No. 2, on the Jane Stewart, and No. 1, on the Nancy Scott, located about a mile and a half north of Oakdale, should both be in the fifth sand this afternoon or evening.

Fertig, Keil & Co.'s No. 1, on the malthouse property, was seven bits in the fifth sand yesterday afternoon without oil or gas showing. The sand was of an interior quality and little hopes were entertained of getting a good producer.

It is located about an eighth of a mile west and south of the station at Oakdale, and only 150 feet east of Brown, Walker & Co.'s well-son the Wirkinson lease, which started off at 60 barrels an hour. It would seem to indicate that the pool ends somewhere between it and the Wilkinson well, and gives the town lot wells, now drilling in Oakdale, a doubtful outlook.

J. M. Guffey, Stewart & Co. are down 1,400 feet in their No. 3 on the McMichael farm, in the McCurdy field.

The Royal Gas Company drilled its No. 2 well on the Moore farm at Venice deeper into the 50-foot sand yesterday without improving it. It is now making 50 barrels a day.

SISTERSVILLE—LeComte & Vallilee are starting a well on the Hubbard farm, and

SISTERSVILLE—LeComte & Vallilee are Starting a well on the Hubbard farm, and Party & McDonald are about ready to drill

### Whitten. The McDonald Ganges.

The following estimates were submitted by the gaugers of the Southwestern Pennsylvania Pipe Line Company: The production of the field was 24 500, or 2.500 more than the day before. The hourly gauges were as follows: Matthews' No. 3, 20; Forest Oil Company's No. 1 Jane Stewart,

20; Forest Oil Company's No. 1 Jane Stewart,
25; J. M. Guffey & Co.'s No. 2 McMichnel, 25;
J. & Co.'s No. 1 Meise, 35; Morgan No. 2;
ople's Gas Company's No. 128 McMurray,
25; Forst & Greenlees's No. 2 McMurray,
Production, 24,500. Stock in field, 51,000.
The runs of the Southwestern Pennsylvania Pipe Line Company from McDonald,
6,350. The National Transit runs were 38,098;
shipments, 6,525. New York Transit shipments were 30,638. Macksburg division of
the Buckeye Pipe Line Company, 2,723. Buckeye runs, 42,121; shipments, 45,739. Southern
Pipe Line shipments, 18,811. Eureka runs,
5,432, shipments, 2,332.
Drilling in Foreign Countries.

W. B. Montgomery, who was foreman for John J. Carter in the Bradford field, has written to a friend from India, and ciaims that the oil found in that country is superior that the oil found in that country is superior to either the American or Russian product, He went to India several years ago to drill oil wells and build refineries. The native oil burns like alcohol, making a clear, bright flame and does not clear or bincken the wick.

He is located near Burnah, and the company for which he is working has three 690-barrel stills running. He drilled one well from which the oil flows to Pangkalan Brandan, a distance of ten miles, where the oil

and gas is separated. It is making assomeres and any and is only \$20 feet deep. One well has been flowing for six years and is only \$70 feet deep. Hugh Johnson and Daniel Muir, formerly of Titusville, are with Mr. Montgopory. The heavy work is done by Malays.

William H. McCrea, a well-known driller of Pittsburz, has just returned from Rommania, where he worked on two wells which were put down by a Philadelphia syndicate.

## Oil Is Found on the Surface,

The wells were drilled north of Bucharest in the vicinity of the Carpathian mountains, One was put down 1,600 and the other 1,100 One was put down 1,690 and the other 1,100 feet, but no gas or oil was found in either. There is a good deal of surface oil in the region and this led to the belief that an oil bearing rock would be found below. Natives secure oil by sinking shafts from 100 to 200 feet, but there seems to be no oil farther down. Near the city of Ployesti, about 100 miles east of Bucharest, a 100 barrel well was struck recently, and there is much excitement in consequence. ment in consequence.
Hugh McKeever, A. E. Culverson and John

lliams, all well-known drillers, were with McCrea. He is glad to get back, as the and section. He signed to get back, as the natives around where he was drilling are only half civilized, and the country is rough and rugged. The good was far from palatable and they were forced to live in the same semi-barbarous way as the bloodthirsty mountaineers who dwelt in the region.

## Yesterday's Market Fentures.

Trading was unimportant. The close was at the lowest point touched. The opening was 55%c, highest 56, lowest and finish 55%c. There was no change in refined. Daily average rans, 72,890; daily average shipments, 03.690.
Oil City, May 19.—National Transit Certifi-

cates opened at 55%c; highest, 56c; lowest, 55%c; closed, 55%c. Sales, 33,000 barrels; clear-ances, 204,000 barrels; shapments, 55,738 bar-

ances, 204,000 barrels; shipments, 55,738 barrels; rins, 80,659 barrels.

New Yoar, May 19.—Petroleum opened steady and, after a very narrow movement and light trading, closed dull. Pennsylvania oil—Spot sales, none; June options, sales, 17,000 barrels; opening, 557gc; highest, 59c; lowest, 557gc; closing, 557gc. Lina oil—No sales. Total sales, 17,000 barrels.

## The Drygoods Market.

New York, May 19 .- The demand for dry goods continued to disclose increasing inter-est in plain cottons for the autumn trade and some improvement in the tone of the market was noted. No very large transactions were reported, yet the movement was larger than indicated on the surface. For flannels, cotton flannels and dress goods the flamels, cotton flamels and dress goods the request was steady and regular, although business has been accomplished in the bulk. Flat-fold cambries, print cloths and prints were firmer in tone and in better demand. The general market is also in sympathy with the interest excited in those goods, though developments are shown through the conservatism of buyers. The jobbing trade was in fair condition, summer goods being relatively active.

### Turpentine Markets,

FAVANNAH-Turpeutine quiet at 29c. Rosin stendy at \$1 05@1 10. New York-Rosin quiet and steady. Tur-pentine quiet and steady.

CHARLESTON-Turpentine steady at 28%c; Rosin firm; good strained, \$1 00. Wilmington—Spirits of turpentine steady at 2814c. Rosin firm: strained, 85c: good do \$1 00. Tar steady at \$1 35. Crude turpentine firm: hard, \$1 00; yellow dip and virgin, \$2 15.

SICK HEADACHE\_Carter's Little Liver Pms. SICK HEADACHE\_Carter's Little Liver Pills, SICK HEADACHE\_Carter's Little Liver Pills. SICK HEADACHE\_Carter's Little Liver Pilia

### A BULGE IN EVERY PIT.

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

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ARTICLES.

June July Coun, No. 2.

July OATS, NO. 2.

LARD.

WHEAT, NO. 2

- High- Low-

83 83 83

30% 30% 30%

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NEW 105K-Flour tairly active, free

bid. Batter in moderate demand and steady: dairy, 12@15c; do creamery, 15@21c; do fac-tory, 11@15c; Elgin, 21c. Cheese quiet and

PHILADELPHIA-Flour firm, but quiet.

PHILADELPHIA—Flour firm, but quiet. Wheat strong and 1@13c higher; No. 2 red, May, 934@91c; June, 92@924c; July, 914@913cc; August, 9034@91c. Corn strong; No. 3 mixed, track M2c; in export elevator, 504cc; steamer in do, 52c; ungraded high mixed and yellow in grain depot and elevator, 533cc; No. 4 vellow. track, 54@545c; No. 2 mixed, May, 524@54c; June, 513@52c; July and August, 51@514c. Oats advanced 12@3cc in sympathy with corn; No. 3 white, 37c; No. 2 white, 384; 638-5c; No. 1 white, 40c; No. 2 white, May, 572.6884c; June and July, 389, 384c; August, 37@375c. Eggs firm; Pennsylvania firsts, 165.@17c.

sylvania firsts, 161, 217c.

CINCINNATI — Flour in no demand.
Wheat in good demand and higher: No. 2
red, 88@831.c. Corn in good demand; No. 2
mixed, 481.c. Oats in fair demand; No. 2
mixed, 331.c. Rye firm; No. 2, 84c. Pork
firmer and higher at \$10 25. Lard firm at
\$105. Bulkmeats strong and higher at \$5 90.
25 95. Bacon strong at \$6 873.426 90. Butter
steady. Eggs steady and firm at 13c.
Cheese steady.

Cheese steady. ST. LOUIS-Flour firm and in sympathy

creamery, 1993ac. Bale Solat Wheat irregular; July, 81½c; No. 2 spring, 82@83c; No. 1 Northern, 89c. Corn firm; No. 2, 46½c. Oats firm; No. 2 white, 35c; No. 3 do., 3dc. Barley quiet; No. 2, 79c. Provisions quiet. Pork, 89 87½, Lard, 85 82½.

TOLEDO—Wheat active, closed steady; No. 2 cash, 92c; May, 92c; June, 89@80%c; July, 9 cash, 92c; May, 92c; June, 89@80%c; July,

2 cash, 92c; May, 92c; June, 80g-803/c; July, 85l/c; August, 88l/c. Corn active and firm; No. 2 cash and May, 493/c; July, 46l/c; No. 3, 46l/c; No. 4, 44l/c. Oats quiet; cash, 32c. Rye dull; cash, 80c.

duli; cash, 89c.

DULUTH — Wheat — No. 1 hard, cash, 85½c;
June, 85½c; July, 86½c; No. 1 Northern,
cash, 85½c; May, 82½c; June, 83½c; July, 84c;
No. 2 Northern, cash, 76½c; No. 3, 73c; on
track, No. 1 hard, 85½c; No. 1 Northern, 84c.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat—May, closing at Sic; July, opening, Silde: highest, 823/cc; low-est, 813/cc; closing, 813/cc; nt rack, No. 1 hard, 85c; No. 1 Northern, 833/cc; No. 2, North-ern, 800/82c

The Wool Markets.

Sr. Louis-Wool-Receipts, 102,000 pounds; shipments, 31,000 pounds. The market is entirely unchanged and not much doing owing to reported restricted shipping facil-ities caused by the flood.

Best of All

To cleanse the system in a gentle and truly beneficial manner, when the springtime comes, use the true and perfect remedy, 8yrup of Figs. One bottle will answer for all the family and costs only 50 cents; the large size \$1. Try it and be pleased. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

ern, 80@82c.

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The Floods Having Their Inevitable Effect on 'Change-Corn Still the Leader-Formation of a Small Business Center Speculators liave to Watch the Market Closely-Provisions Only Sympathetic.

# on Dinwiddie Street. CHICAGO—Every pit was booming on 'Change to-day. Wheat shorts were scared and sent prices up for a time nearly 256. change to-day. Wheat shorts were scarce and sent prices up for a time nearly 2%c. Corn this evening, compared with last night, is up 1½e for July and 2%c for May. All kinds of provisions scored an advance. In wheat not only was there sharp action in prices, but the transactions were heavy. The first indication that a bulge was coming was feit in the closing hours yesterday, when a few shorts sought to cover ahead of the crowd. It was even hinted that a number of operators held a sort of "caucus," at which it was decided to have offerings so light and bidding so strong this morning that the shorts would take to their heels and the market get a big lift. This is not seriously believed, but the market acted just like it. The opening was 1%c higher than yesterday's closing, cased off %c or so and then became strong, prices advancing 1%c, became easier and declined 1½c; ruled steadier and the closing was about 1½c higher than yesterday. The corn market was one that had to be LEVELING UPPER WYLIE AVENUE.

The Ursuline Convent Proper Not Now in the Market at Any Price.

FEATURES OF TRADE.

### TREND OF MONEY AND SPECULATION

A small business center appears to be forming on Dinwiddie street, between Colwell and Fifth avenue, to meet the requirements of a rapidly growpopulation. Several dwellings near the Lockhart property are being remodeled and store fronts put in. High rents on the avenues are driving small dealers to the side streets, not only in the locality indicated, but in many others.

Cutting Down the Hills, Property on the upper end of Wylie avenue is looking up. A strong objection heretofore to this thoroughfare has been the numerous hills and hollows on each side of it. This source of complaint is being removed. The hills are being leveled and the hollows filled up. A notable illustration of this may be seen on the northeast corner of Wylie and Morgan streets, where Messrs. Coyle and Hutchinson have cut off a generous slice of a steep hill and dumped it into a hollow in the rear, making their prop-erties comparatively level. Mr. Coyle has completed the foundation for a handsome modern brick residence at this point, to cost about \$6,000. Plans for several other build-

### ings are under consideration. Transfers in the Townships

came easier and declined 1½c; ruled steadier and the closing was about 1½c higher than yesterday.

The corn market was one that had to be closely watched all day by all parties with open trades. June and July shorts showed a great desire to get out while there was some prospect of clearing weather in the far West. The reports of damage already done and the thought that agreat area of the corn land is yet unplowed, with but ten working days remaiping in May, caused the trade to take hold very confidently on the buying side. During the morning hour, however, there was free selling by longs with profits. The offerings were taken chiefly by shorts. There was some reaction from the highest prices, but as later dispatches came in from hundreds of points covering several States, stattly that it was still taining, and no field work possible for many days, the market got a second upturn and the market closed at the top.

Oats ruled much stronger to-day with corn, on the reports of bad weather, the close being made from ¾ to ½c higher. Trade was active but scattered.

Provisions had no independent action. The great strength in corn caused shorts to get restless, and on mode at e covering prices were advanced all around, with the best rain in pork. July pork went 15c above last night's close, and left off with a net gain of 10c.

The leading futures ranged as follows, as cor-Court records show the following transac-Court records snow the following transac-tions in county realty: Aspinwall Land Company to Susan Patton, lot in O'Hara township, 50x100, First street, \$1,125; James Hindman et ux to John Gosney, one acre, Jefferson township, \$150; John W. Gosney et ux to John G. Hoffman, one acre, Jefferson township, \$625; William H. Gould to E. Vernett, lot in North Fayette town-ship, 100x150, Front street, \$200; C. B. Harsmp, 100x130, Front street, \$200; C. B. Har-mon et ux to John Maier, lot in Robinson township, 25x100, Laurel avenue, \$100; Frederick Laninger to George Statham, lot in Stowe township, 245x125, \$275.

Not in the Market, In regard to the report that the Ursuline Convent is about to be sold, Mr. J. Ledlie Gloninger, of Black & Baird, said yesterday: "The college proper is not in the market. Not knowing this, the Pittsburg Female College people made an offer for it a short time ago. Of course, it was not accepted. The statement that the school is running down has no foundation in fact. It is, on the contrary, in a flourishing con-

### dition. Special Features of Trade; There is talk of the Oliver mansion, at

Hazelwood, changing hands.
The Eichenlaub building, Thirty-fifth and Butler streets, is nearing completion. It is one of the largest business houses in that quarter.

Five permits were taken out yesterday for NEW YORK—Flour tairly active, free sellers. Cornmeal more active, steady. Wheat—Snot quiet, unsettled, higher: No. 2 red, 97@389/c afleat; 967@389/c f. o. b.; ungraded red, 92@389/c; No. 1 Northern, 904@99/c; No. 2 Chicaro, 904/c; No. 1 hard, 904/c; No. 2 Northern, 864/c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 899/c; No. 2 Northern, 864/c; Options—No. 2 red, May. 894/690/c, closing at 904/c; June, 894/690/c, closing at 964/c; Juny, 934/690/c, closing at 964/c; Juny, 934/690/c, closing at 964/c; Juny, 934/690/c, closing at 964/c; September, 899/691/c, closing at 969/c; September, 899/691/c, closing at 969/c; December, 299/691/c, closing at 969/c; distributed and dull; No. 2, 53/4/696c, closing at 969/c; September, 299/691/c, closing at 969/c; September, 299/691/c, closing at 59/c; distributed and dull; No. 2, 53/4/696c, cleanor, 56/6/695/c; afloat; ungraded mixed, 52/6/561/c; No. 3, 56/6/695/c; closing at 59/c; distributed and dull; No. 2, 53/4/696c, closing at 59/c; distributed and firm for the september, 50/6/695/c; duly, 56/c/695/c; September, 50/6/695/c, closing at 59/c; Ontes—Snot stronger and moderately active; ontions fairly active and firmer; May 2014/200/cc closing at 200/c; distributed closing at 200/c; distributed closing at 200/c; distributed closing at 200/c; distributed closing at 30/c; June 200/c) six improvements, all estimated to cost \$16,242. The only one of importance was issued to John Henkel for two brick busi ises on Ferry street, First ward, to

ness houses on Ferry street, First ward, to cost \$11,600.

The Pittsburg Tin Plate Works at Kensington, recently destroyed by fire, will be rebuilt at once. The buildings will be twice the former size,

The New York Produce Exchange will be closed on the Saturday preceding Decoration Day.

Christian Shively has bought 252x1,045 feet of ground on Washington avenue, Mansfield borough, for \$12,500.

George Thornton will next week break ground for three frame dwellings on

ground for three frame dwellings or Duquesne Heights. Duquesne Heights. Stephenson & Sons, J. J. Cassidy and John Stafford are building 300 dwelling houses in

Stafford are building 300 dwelling houses in Philadelphia.

J. W. Fleming, who has been connected with the Farmers' Deposit\* National Bank for the past 13 years, has been elected assistant cashier of that institution.

In Philadelphia a small amount of Allegheny Valley bond scrip sold at 91%. 30%c. Onus—Snot stronger and moderately active; options fairly active and firmer; May. 331,6334c., closing at 331/c. June, 331,633 c., closing at 351/c. July, 351,6354/c. closing at 351/c. south to 31/c. September, 346/34/c.; spot No. 2, white, 406/401/c.; mixed Western, 351/c. Strong at 361/c. white do, 37/64/2/c. Hav—Firm, fair demand. Hops quiet, firm; State, common to choice, 256/29c. Pacific coast, 236/29c. Tallow steady. Eggs in sair demand: Western, 151/c. fife. Hides quiet and steady. Pork quiet and steady. Cut meats firm and quiet; middles quiet. Lard firm; Western steam closed at \$6.524; options, May, \$6.52; July, \$6.58/c. 60, closing at \$6.69 bid; August, \$6.66; September, \$6.72 bid. Batter in moderate demand and steady;

Additional Points in Realty. Nothing definite could be learned yester day concerning the reported Park-French deal out Penn avenue. Several of the brokers had heard the rumor, but had no particulars. Those directly interested would not talk. A year or so ago the property was held at \$120 000 E. T. Schaffner sold for Richter & Schaff-

per a lot 75x109 feet, on West Liberty ave

E. T. Schaffner sold for Richter & Schaffner a lot 75x109 feet, on West Liberty avenue, West Liberty borongh, with a large two-story stone and frame stable, ten head of horses, six wagons and other personal property to Albert Vierheller, of the Allentown Livery Company, for \$5,000 cash.

Black & Baird sold two more lots in the Alta Land Company plan, on Duquesne Heights, being Nos. 417 and 418, on Lupton street, for \$25 cach.

Denniston, Elderkin & Co., Limited, report the following sales: For Frank Speer to William J. Fry, lot on Muttland avenue, near Idiewild street, having a frontage of 23 feet and extending back 120 feet to an alley, for \$2,300, the seller to erect thereon a two-story frame house of five rooms; for W. W. Elderkin to William McDonald, lot on Breed's Hill street, being No. 14 in J. W. Kirker's plan, 22,65x109 feet, for \$500; for E. M. Laveen to Thomas R. Knowlson, house and lot on Morrow street, lot No. 20 in Margaret McCarron plan, tronting 24 feet on Morrow street, and extending back 90 feet, for \$2,800; for the Oakland Homestend Loan and Trust Company, to William Linhart, a modern brick dwelling of eight rooms, situated on Walnut street, for \$7,500 cash; for William Linhart to Alexander R. Stevenson, a double brick house of five rooms each, lot 40x100 feet, on Shakospeare street, for \$5,00

a double brick house of five rooms each, lot 40x100 feet, on Shakespeare street, for \$8,500 cash.

J. E. Glass sold for J. C. Dick the property
No. 180 Frankstown ave., being a frame
storeroom and dwelling, with lot 20x116, for
86,000.

W. E. Hamnett & Co. 2004

\$6,000.

W. E. Hamnett & Co. sold a lot, \$7x120, on Mifflin street, Wilkinsburg, for \$2,200.

Read B. Coyle & Co. sold lots Nos. 118 to 151, inclusive, in their Gien Mawr Park plan at Haysville, fronting 120 feet on Ingleside avenue by 110 feet on Park way, for \$600.

## CHEAP MONEY.

### London Banks Refuse to Pay Any Interest on Deposits.

Cheese Steady.

ST. LOUIS—Flour firm and in sympathy with wheat. No. 2 red cash, 89%: May closed at \$8%; July, 80%; August, 19%; Corn—No. 2 cash, 47c; May closed at 45%; July, 41%; September, 41%; Onta-Sharply higher; No. 2 cash, 34%; July, 34%; July, 30%; Provisions very dull and trade confined to job lots at entirely unchanged prices.

NEW ORLEANS—Sugar firm; open kettle, choice, 3%; fully fair to prime, 3%; sood common to good fair, 2 13-16%; common, 2%%2 11-16c; inferior, 2%; centrifugal prime yellow clarified, 3%; 31-16c; off do, 3%; 33%; eseconds, 29-16%; 3%; 1-16c; off do, 3%; 3%; 1-16c; after to prime, 19c; good prime, 15%; 17c; fair to prime, 19c; good prime, 15%; 17c; fair to prime, 19c; common to good common, 6%; May, 92%; 26. BALTIMORE—Wheat unsettled and higher. BALTIMORE—Wheat unsettled and higher: No.2 red, spot, 434,69314c; May, 226234c; June, 916914c; June, 956c. Corn strong; mixed, spot, 52,6953c; May, 533,633c; June, 695c bid: July, 494,636c. Oats active and firm: No. 2 white Western, 364,6373c; No. 3 mixed Western, 345c asked. Hye-No.2, 82c. Hay steady. Provisions firm. Butter steady. KANSAS CITY—Wheat was dull but very strong and higher: No. 2 hard, 733,674c; No. 2 red, 86682c. Corn dull and steady to strong: No. 2 mixed, 43644c; No. 2 white, 466,47c. Oats strong: No. 2 mixed, 314,632c; No. 2 white, 336,3395c. Batter quiet and steady; creamery, 10620c. Eggs scarce and firm at 13c. There was about the usual movement a the city banks ye-terday, with no special change in the conditions. The demand for discounts was light in comparison with the supply of available funds. Counter business supply of available funds. Counter business was fair. Rates were casy at 5@6. Clearings were \$2,480,597 73 and balances \$577,997 50.

A New York authority says: "Coincident

# Closing Bond Quotations.

## Bank Clearings.

full at 33/26 per cent. New York exchange frm at 50c premium. firm at 53c presium.

New Olleans—Bank clearings, \$1,145,115.

Memphis—New York exchange selling at
\$1 50; clearings, \$443,395; balances, \$228,396.

St. Louis—Bank clearings, \$3 684,902; balances, \$302,278. Money quiet at 426 per cent;
exchange on New York 90c premium.

l'HILADELPHIA—Bank clearings were \$11,-686,692; balances, \$1 652,552. Money, \$ per cent. cent.
CINCINNATI—Money 3@6 per cent. New York exchange 80@70c premium. Clearings, \$2,508,150.

### BOME SECURITIES.

FAIR TRADING AND A NUMBER OF IN-TERESTING FEATURES.

Philadelphia Gas Sustained by Buying Orders-Junction Railroad Joins the Active List-A Demonstration Against Luster - Street Railways - Sales and Fluctuations. There was considerable trading at the early stock calls yesterday, but at the last

there was a conspicuous absence of anima-tion, only one sale being made. Under the influence of a few buying orders Philadelphia Gas was steady all through. The broker who made the raid on Tuesday was a buyer. There was nothing noteworthy in the rest of the list. Duquesne was a trifle weaker. Birmingham made a slight gain. They were offered hesitatingly, showing that holders are not ready to be

dictated to by the bears.

The feature of the second call was the sale of 60 shares of Junction Railroad at 30-the first movement in this stock for several months. Its importance as a link to secure a shorter route to Chicago has made a favor able impression upon investors. At the same call a 500-share lot of Luster was offered down to 8%. It had been offered in small jags at 9. The stock rallied somewhat and finished at 91/2 bid. Switch made a slight

finished at 9½ bid. Switch made a slight gain for the day, but Underground Cable declined half a point.

Sales at first call were 95 Philadelphia Gas at 18½, 40 at 18½, 15 at 18½, 30 Duquesne Traction at 29½, 5 U.S. Glass, common, at 61½, \$5,000 Duquesne bonds at 101½, and 25 Birmingham Traction at 27½, Second call, 60 Junction Raliroad at 30, 210 Birmingham Traction at 27½ and 50 Central at 29½. Third call, 100 Pleasant Valley at 25.

Quotations on unlisted tractions at the end of the last call were: Manchester, offered at 44½; Birmingham, 27½ bid, offered at 27½; Duquesne, offered 29½, Bids and offers in detail were:

EXCHANGE STOCKS.		RST LLL. A.		COND ALL. A.	C	ALL.
Commercial N. B.		ś				
First N. B., Pg.,		****	****	****		****
Fourth Nat. Bk.	125	****	****	****		****
Freehold Bk	277.5	****	****	****	****	25
German Nat. B	****	316	****	****		****
Iron City N. B	teer.	86%		****	****	****
Liberty N. Bank.	1053		****	****	105	
MonaNat, Bank.		****	1212	****	134	****
Second Nat. B		****	285	****	265	***
Citizens' Ins. Co.	****	****		****	27	28
Allegheny G. Co.	44		77224	******	44	****
C. V. Gas Co	111%	1216	117		****	. ****
P. N. G. & P. Co		11%	11	11%	113	
Philadelphia Co.			****	18%	185	
Wheeling Gas Co		20%	****	20%	****	20%
Central Traction		30%	293	20%	****	
Citizens' Trac	6234	62%	623	·	621	6 6234
Pittsburg Trac	57	56.5		****	57	****
Pleasant Valley.	25	****	****	****	25	****
Second Avenue	50	****	****	****	****	****
Chartiers Ry	****	****	****	****	63	65
Pitts. & C. S		****	****	30%	30	9
Pitts, J. R. R. Co	91	****	30			
Luster Min. Co.			95		93	9%
Mon. Water Co		1577	1122	****	****	****
U. S. & S. Co	10%		17	****	16,5	17
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W. A. B. Co	114	110%		ś		£ 116 5
S. U. G. C. Co U. S. Glass, com	107	1475	****		73	74
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### NOT A TIME FOR VENTURES.

WESTERN FLOODS HAVING A BAD EFFECT ON STOCKS.

Undoubted Selling for the Long Account-Gould Not a Bear-Atchison Raided-The Passing of the Dividend Hurts Northern Pacific-Bonds Quiet.

New York, May 19.-The stock market was again practically in the hands of the bears, and, though stubborn resistance to the points of attack vielded rather readily, and cases. There was undoubtedly some selling for the long account, small holders becom-ing discouraged by the failure of the market West are having some influence to deter buying; and in view of the waiting attitude of the more influential speculators, many regard the present as not a favorable tim to enter into new ventures.

There was special pressure brought against Atchison this morning because of the proposed issue of bonds, and while inci-dentally the Grangers were paid particular attention none of them suffered as much so as the Erie stocks, which yielded readily on comparatively light transactions. The attempt to prove the Gould following in favor of a lower range of values ceased, and Manhattan rose rapidly 2 per cent. The Villards, also, seem to have had their day as bear cards, and all were well held, and in the early dealings even disposed to considerable strength, without scoring an advance

of note.

The low-priced stocks were quite neglected, and in no case furnished any feature of any kind. In the afternoon the whole list subsided into the same condition, the pressure to sell being removed and no buying movement being stimulated by the de-

ing movement being stimulated by the declines.

The opening gave promise of a firm temper to the dealings; but there was a lack of buying orders, and the bears soon pressed their advantage to the utmost. The decline extended until well into the afternoon, when it was resumed on the renewal of the pressure upon Northern Pacific preferred, whose decline again carried the list downward. The announcement of the passing of the dividend was the signal for the later demonstration, and Northern Pacific preferred was carried down to 53%, while other stocks lost only small fractions further as a rule.

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The covering of shorts failed to rully the list to any marked extent, the close being rather heavy, with prices at or near the lowest of the day. The losses are generally for fractional amounts. The transactions reached 300,368 listed and 5,448 unlisted.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 335.855 shates, including: Atchison, 73,690; Chicaro Gas, 11.300; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 3,300; Eric, 20,485; Hocking Valley, 4,115; Missouri Pacific, 8,15; Northern Pacific, 14,460; Northern Pacific preferred, 66,334; Reading, 23,700; St. Paul, 21,400; Union Pacific, 15,460.

Railroad bonds were more quiet to-day, with the exception of Atchison incomes, which were again heavily pressed for sale. The rest of the list were only moderately traded in, and the close was barely steady.

The following table shows the prices of active

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday. Corrected daily for THE DISPATCH by WHIT-NEY & STEPHENSON, oldest Pittsburg members of the New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth avenue.

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997	50.	Am. Cotton Oil	37.%		37%	37
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		Am. Sugar Refining Co	92%		92%	93
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	tes Government bonds last week, we	Am. Sugar neuming Co pro	34%	34%	32%	
		Atch., Top. & S. F	983		98	
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CAT	railway securities before long. In Lon-	Chicago Gas Trust			78%	80
do	the banks are reported as refusing to	C. Bur. & Quincy	105	105	10454	104
	any interest whatever on deposits."	C., Mil. & St. Paul	7776	777%	77	73
Dar	any meres whatever on deposits."	C., Mil. & St. Paul, pfd,	124	124%	124	121
Α	t New York yesterday money on call was			81 %	80%	80
eas	y with call loans, 1% per cent, closing of-	O St P M +O	50%	50%	4954	49
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der	nand.	Col Coal & Iron	******	****		29
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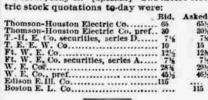
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Boston Electric Stocks. Boston, May 19 .- [Special.]-The latest elec-



Mining Stock Quotations, New York, May 19.—Aspen, 150; Best & Belcher, 220; Crown Point, 105; Consolidated California and Virginia, 410; Deadwood T., 210; Eureka, 150; Gould & Curry, 120; Hale & Norcross, 180; Homestake, 1350; Horn Silver, 320; Mexican, 180; Mt. Diablo, 100; Ophir, 250; Potosi, 100; Savaze, 125; Sierra Nevada, 135; Silver King, 135; Union Consolidated, 130.

Bar Silver Onotations New York, May 19.—[Special.]—Bar silver a London at 40 3-16d per oz. New York deal-rs' price for silver, 88% per oz.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

eccipts, Shipments and Prices at East Liberty and All Other Yards. OFFICE OF THE DISPATCH, ? PITTSBURG, THURSDAY, May 19.

Cattle-Receipts, 714 head; shipments, 200 ead; market steady at yesterday's prices. to cattle shipped to New York to-day. Hogs-Receipts, 2,500 head; shipments, 2,300 ead; market firm; all grade-, \$4 80@490; 6 ars of hogs shipped to New York to-day. Sheep—Receipts, 1,800 head; shipments, 1,600 cad; market strong at yesterday's prices.

### By Telegraph.

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St. Louis—Cattle—Word comes from the National Stock Yards in East St. Louis that all the railroad tracks leading to the yards were submerged to-day, and that no cattle could be got into or out of them: therefore, there was no market there. The Union Stock Yards on this side of the river, however, are still intact, and business was transacted as usual. Sales there were of native steers from 1,000 to 1,200 pounds at \$3.7064 25; natives, cows and helicis, \$3.4063 75. Receipts were 1,500 head; shipments, 500 head. Some 30 cars of cattle are stalled on track in the flooded district, and arrangements are being made to send them to Chicago. Hogs—Receipts, 4,400 head; shipments, 2,500 head; shipments, 1,100 head; market unchanged at \$4.0065 00.

Chicago—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000 head; ship-

\$4 60@5 00.

Chicago—Cattle—Receipts,11,000 head; shipments, 4,000 head; market tairly active; butchers' grades and cows easier; nice steers stronger; choice to prime steers, \$4 20@4 75; others, \$5 25@4 15; stockers and feeders, \$3 00@3 75; cows, \$2 75@3 75. Hogs—Receipts, 27,000 head; shipments, 16,000 head; market active and steady to strong on prime heavy and butchers; other grades 5c lower; rough and common, \$3 75@4 10; mixed and packers, \$4 55@4 65; prime heavy and butchers' weights, \$4 67@4 75; prime light, \$4 56@4 60. Sheep—Receipts, 4 000 head; ship-\$4 50@4 60. Sheep-Receipts, 4,000 head; shipments, 1,500 head; market active; sheen higher; lambs slow; Texans, \$3 50@5 65; natives and Westerns, \$5 50@6 50; yearlings, \$6 00@6 25; lambs, clipped, \$4 50@6 00.

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New York—Beeves—Receipts, 1,354 head, all for export; no trade, feeling firm; dressed beef steady at \$5.26 c;; shipments to-day, 555 beeves; to-morrow, 1,078 beeves. Calves—Receipts, 1333 head; market shade easier; veals, \$4 123.62 10; buttermilks and mixed calves, \$3 00@4 25. Sheep—Receipts, 4,103 head; market firm; sheep, \$6 25; vearlings, \$6 50@6 75; lambs, \$8 56@10 60; dressed mutton firm at 16.20 113/c; dressed lambs at 12.20 12c. Hogs—Receipts, 1,704 head, including 2 cars for sale; market higher at \$5 00@5 50.

Stuffale—Cattle—Receipts, 59 loads through.

market higher at \$5 00@5 60.

Buffalo—Cattle—Receipts,59 loads through, 3 sale; market strong; light to fair steers, \$3 70@3 80; extra heavy, \$4 75. Hogs—Receipts, 55 loads through, 11 sale; market 5@10e stronger; heavy grades, \$4 90; packers and mediums, \$4 85@4 95; Yorkers, good to best, \$4 85@4 90. Sneep and lambs—Receipts, 10 loads through, 23 sale; market strong for lambs, easier for sheep; clipped sheep, choice to fancy wethers, \$5 50@5 75; clipped lambs, choice to fancy, \$7 00@7 65.

Kanssa City—Cattle—Receipts, 2300 head: Kansas City-Cattle-Receipts, 2,300 head; shipments, I,900 head; the market was easy; dressed beer and shipping steers at \$3 10@ 3 90; cows and heifers, \$2 20@3 45; stockers and feeders, \$1 50@3 00. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000 and reeders, \$1,00@3 00. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000 head; shipmonts, 2,500 head; market easy and 5c lower; extreme range of prices, \$4 15@4 60; bulk, \$4 45@4 95. Sheep—Receipts, 900 head; shipments, 400 head; market quiet and weak; muttons, \$4 75@5 00.

Cincinnati—Hogs stendy; common and light, \$3 50@4 70; packing and butchers', \$4 40 @4 75; receipts, 3,000 head: shipments, 1,220 head; cattle steady at \$2 22@4 25; receipts, 500 head; shipments, 700 head. Sheep in good demand at \$3 50@5 50; receipts, 2,040 head; shipments, 2,360 head. Lambs strong; common to choice spring, \$4 50@7 25 per 100 pounds.

Omaha-Cattle-Receipts, 950 lead; Omaha—Cattle—Receipts, 959 head; market active and stronger; common to funcy steers, \$3 00@4 50; Western, \$2 50@3 50. Hogs—Receipts, 2.800 head; market active and 5@10c higher; light, \$4 40@4 45; heavy, \$4 40@4 50; mixed, \$4 40@4 45. Sheep—Receipts, 200 head; market fair; natives, \$4 50@6 60; Western, \$4 00@6 00; lambs, \$4 00 @6 00.

## THEY WANT CLEVELAND.

Pittsburg Democrats Know Nothing of Grover's Proposed Withdrawal,

The Pittsburg Democrats take no stock in the report that ex-President Cleveland is to withdraw from the race for the Presidental nomination in favor of Governor Pattison. It has also heen reported that Mr. Cleveland's contemplated retirement has not been prompted through fear of being unable to secure the nomination, but because it is feared that his nomination would invite defeat at the general election.
"The talk of Pennsylvania's delegation shifting from Cleveland to Pattison is con-

fined to the Eastern part of the State, National Delegate George Fleming said yesterday. 'In this end of the State we are for Cleveland first, last and all the

## Insist Upon a 5-Cent Fare.

The Elliott Borough Council will meet tonight and consider' among other things, the granting of a tranchise to the proposed electric road through that borough to Chartiers. The subject of granting privileges to the electric road came up at the last meeting of the Council, but there was a differ-ence of opinion between the Council and company in regard to the fare to be charged. The Council insists that the fare shall be 5 cents to all points on the line, but the com-

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 HOME MARKETS.

The Hide Market in a Demoralized Condition on Account of

EASTERN TANNERIES STOPPING.

TROPICAL FRUITS ON THE ADVANCE

Steady at Prices Quoted.

OFFICE OF THE DISPATCH. } PITTSBURG, THURSDAY, May 19. ( COUNTRY PRODUCE-Jobbing Prices-Receipts of eggs are light and markets firm.

Country butter is a drug on the market and prices are nominal, the best selling at 16c per pound. Choice Elgin creamery is fairly steady, but all under choice is hard to sell at any price. The supply of poultry is light, but demand is also light. Consumers seem unwilling to pay the prices now ruling. Tropical fruits are in improved demand, and prices are higher this week than last. Bananas of choice quality are fully 50c per bunch higher than they were a week ago. Strawberries are not so plentiful to-day as yesterday, but prices are unchanged. Markets will, without doubt, be amply sup-plied for the rest of the week.

APPLES—\$2 5063 50 per barrel.

BUTTER—Creamery Figin, 225,023c; Ohio brands, 15638c; common country butter, 13634c; choice country roll, 15638c.

BEANS—New York and Michigan pea, \$1 7563 85; marrowfat, \$2 1662 25; lima beans, 35,6334c per b; hand-picked medium, \$1 7061 75.

BERSWAX—Choice, 33634c per lb; low grades, 22 635c.

b: hand-picked medium, \$170@1.75.

BERSEWAX—Choice, 33@34c per lb: low grades, 22
@35c.

CHERSE—Ohio choice, 113@12c: new Ohio cheese, 194@11c: New York cheese, 12@124c: limburger, 12@134c: Wisconsm sweitzer, full cream, 135.99
143c: imported sweitzer, \$6.000.5.40 ner barrel; sand refined, \$6.500.70 or crab cider, \$7.500.80 o0.

CHAYBERRES—Fer box, \$1.200.5.50 ner barrel; sand refined, \$6.500.70 or crab cider, \$7.500.80 o0.

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STRAWBERRIES—\$3 00@3 20 a crate, 10@15c per box.

Tallow—Country, 4c; city rendered, 41-c.
TROPICAL FRUITS—Lemons, famoy Messina, \$3 50 62 75; Fibrida oranges, \$3 00@3 50 a box; Messinas, \$4 00@4 25; blood oranges, \$6 000; bananas, \$1 750 20 6 firsts, \$1 250@1 50 seconds; Persian dates, 41-250 per pound; larer figs, 1294c per pound; pincapples, 800c aplece.

VEGETABLES—Cabbage, Marvland, \$2 2502 50 a barrel crate; Mobile, \$3 00@3 25a 2-barrel crate; green onlons, 20c a dozen; yellow Danver, \$1 7502 00 a barrel; new Bernuda culons, \$2 50 a box; new Florida tomatices, \$2 50@3 0 a bushel crate; Rernuda potatoes, \$8 00@3 50 a barrel; spinach, \$1 00@1 52 a barrel; new beets, 400%5c a dozen; asparagus, 40c a bunch; kale, \$1 00 a barrel; radishes, 250@3 5c per dozen; parsnins, \$2 50@2 75; encumbers, 75c@ \$1 00 per dozen.

The situation in this line is practically as it has been all the week. It grows monotonous to repeat the old story of no change, but such is the fact. The movement is free, showing the faith that prices are now at bottom. GREEN COFFEE-Fancy, 211462214c; choice Bio,

GREEN COFFEE—Fancy, 21\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{

in kegs, 14c; 40. granuated, 20.

CANDLES—Star, full weight, 90: stearine, per set. 84c; paraffine, 116;12c.

Rue—Head Carolina, 64;66;4c; choice, 54;66;4c; Boss starch, 54;66;4c.

FOREIGN Full—Layer raisins, \$2.00: London layers, \$2.25: Muscatels, 51.75; California Muscatels, \$1.46;160; Valencia, 56;5c; Ondara Valencia, 66;5c; Sultana, 86;12c; currants, 34;60;4c; Curcants, 51.46;160; Valencia, 56;5c; Ondara Valencia, 66;5c; Sultana, 86;12c; currants, 34;60;4c; Curcants, 51.46;3c; Curcants, 51.46;3c;

## Grain, Flour and Feed.

Sales on Thursday's call at the Grain Exchange: One car sample middlings, \$16 75, spot: 1 car wheat, 95c, spot: 2 cars high mixed shell corn, 52½c, 5 days; 1 car No. 1 timothy hay, \$14 25, 5 days; 1 car No. 2 white oats, 37c, 10 days; 1 car No. 2 yellow shell corn, 54c, 5 days. Receipts as bulletined, 35 cars. By l'ittsburg, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway-1 car of wheat, 2 of oats, 1 of rye, 6 of hay, 2 of flour. By Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis-2 cars of corn, 1 of malt, 1 of and St. Louis—2 cars of corn, 1 of mait, 1 of bran, 3 of oats, 1 of hay, 1 of flour, 1 of wheat. By Baltimore and Ohio—2 cars of hay. By Pittsburg and Lake Erie—1 car of rye, 1 of wheat, 2 of mait, 2 of flour. By Pittsburg and Western—1 car of bran, 2 of wheat, 2 of hay. Shell corn is still moving upward, as our quotations will disclose. Oats are steady. Wheat and flour are quiet. Millfeed is dull, and hay is in fair demand at prices quoted. Packing hay and rye straw are scarce and very firm. very firm.

Following prices are for carload lots on track. Dealers charge an advance from

Store:

WHRAT—No. 2 red, 9:@94\\(\frac{1}{2}\)e; No. 3 red, 90\(\text{@He}\)e.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 52\(\text{@A92}\)\(\text{e};\)e high mixed ear,

50\(\text{@B6}\)le: mixed ear, 48\(\text{@B90};\)No. 2 yellow shelled,

50\(\text{@A92}\)e; high mixed shelled, 52\(\text{@A92}\)e; mixed

shelled, 50\(\text{@A92}\)e.

OATS—No. 1 oats, 36\(\text{@B97}\)e; No. 2 white, 38\(\text{@B97}\)e; extra No. 3 oats, 24\(\text{@B36}\)e; mixed oats, 34\(\text{@B98}\)e.

Provisions. Sugar cured hams, large.

Sugar cured hams, medium
Sugar cured hams, small.

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Sugar cured skinned hams, large.

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Sugar cured der-salt shoulders...
Sugar cured beef, rounds.
Sugar cured beef, sets
Sugar cured beef, fats
Sugar cured beef, fats
Bacon, clear setes... 30 lbs.
Bacon, clear setes... 30 lbs.
Bacon, clear setes... 30 lbs.
Dry salt clear sides... 30 lbs. average
Dry salt clear sides... 30 lbs average
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Lard, refined, in 20-lb palls.
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Lard, refined, in 3-lb tip pails.
Lard, refined, in 5-lb tip pails.
Lard, refined, in 10-lb tin pails.

### In Leather Lines.

No. I grades of harness leather move out about as fast as ready for the market. B grades are still slow and require pushing to prevent accumulation. Lightweight harness leather is the weak factor of markets. Sole leather manufacturers report an improved demand for their products, a result, no doubt, due to the curtailment of products of New England tanneries. Belting leather is quiet at quotations.
Following are prices, as established by Al-

ronowing are prices, as established by Allegheny tanners:
No. 1 trace, 36c per B; B trace, 34c per B;
No. 1 barness, 120 to 170 Bs, 29c per B; B barness, 120 to 170 Bs, 27c per B; No. 2, 120 to 170 Bs,
25c per B; No. 1 black line, 25c per B; B black line, 25c per B; No. 1 osk collar leather, 10%c;
B oak collar leather, 9%c per B.

Oak belling butts, nrime quality,
X overweights, 20 hs and up
A overweights, 20 hs and up
B overweights, 20 hs and up
C overweights, 20 hs and up
Middle weights, 15 to 192 hs, to less than above

Hides and Calfakins.

The action of Eastern tanners in shutting down for 60 days is felt in reduced prices of hides. Light hides are particularly weak and prices are lower all along the line. At present dealers are all at sea, and transacpresent dealers are all at sea, and transac-tions are light. The hide market is in a de-moralized condition, and those most inter-ested are awaiting events before buying. Calfskins are weak, in sympathy with hides, and sheepskins are quiet at former prices. Following are prices paid by dealers, and tanners for stock delivered here:

No. 1 green salted steers, 60 hs and over, No. 1 green salted cows, all weights.
No. 1 green salted hides, 40 to 60 hs.
No. 1 green salted hides, 5 to 40 hs.
No. 1 green salted buils.
No. 1 green salted calfskins.
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No. 1 green salted val kips.
No. 1 green salted runner kips.
No. 1 green salted runner kips. Sheepskins, fresh staughtered. Fallow, prime. Reduction for No. 2 stock, 1½ cents per 3 on steers and light hides, 1 cent on bulls and 2 cents on calfskins.

PICKING UP AT PITTSBURG.

## More Encouraging Reports Sent From

This City by Iron Mapufacturers. NEW YORK, May 19 - 1 Special ]-The Iron Age trade report to-day says: From Pitts-burg we have reports of a noticeable improvement in the demand for some lines of finished material, such as steel plates, wire rods, plain and barb wire and wrought pipe. But while the outlook is thus better as to volume of business, an advance in prices is not expected at present. Heavy deals in pig iron are pending at Pittsburg. Besse-mer appears to have settled down to pig iron are pending at Pittsburg. Bessemer appears to have settled down to \$14 25 for early delivery, at which a block of 10,000 tons was sold, while 2,000 tons brought \$14 40, delivered. Steel billets are quoted at \$21 35@22 75, at Pittsburg, but large buyers are endeavoring to force prices lower, claiming to have had offers at \$22 35. Our Northern markets report increased business in pig iron. The month of May promises to show a very large tonnage of sales. The tendency of furnacemen in some parts of the country, in which commission houses have hitherto controlled the pig iron trade, to iznore them and make sales direct to consumers, prevents many trades from becoming public. Taking the aggregate of business known to have been done in the leading markets the past week, it will not be surprising if stocks at furnaces show a good decrease on the let of June. Finished iron and steel are suffering severely from the competition among makers for such business as is now coming forward. The prices published this week touch the lowest depth thus far reached in this period of depression.

The foreign markets are reviewed by cable as follows: Operations in pig iron warrants have not increased materially, but higher prices are current all along the line, due chiefly to uncertainties attending the Durham strike, a settlement of which appears to be far off. Continued heavy drafts upon supplies of iron in public stores also tend to affect the market. The total of Scotch iron in warrant stores is now 40,000 tons, or 4,000 tons less than a week ago, and the amount of Cleveland held there has dropped from

royaline, 14c; red oil, 10½@lic; purity, 14c; oleine, 21c.

Miners' Oil.—No. 1 winter strained, 20@40c per gai.; summer, 36@3cc; lard, 52@50c.

Syrup—Corn syrup, 24@2c; choice sugar syrup, 34@2c; choice sugar syrup, 32@32c; strictly prime, 22@32c.

N. O. Molasses—Fancy new crop, 46@42c; choice, 40@41c; old crop, 34@38c; N. O. syrup, 14g, 50c.

Soda—Bl-carb, in kegs, 3½@34c; bi-carb, in ½s, 54c; bi-carb, in kegs, 14c; do, granulated, 2c.

Candles—Star, full weight, 3c; stearine, per set. 84c; paraffine, 11622c.

Right—Head Carolina, 64@64c; choice, 54@64c; gloss starch, 55@66c.

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> BALTIMORE, May 19.—Coffee steady; Rio cargoes fair at 10%c.
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> Nzw York, May 19.—Options steady and unchanged to 5 points up; sales, 24,500 bags, including May, 12.50@12.55c; June, 12.10c; July, 12.00c; Angust, 11.95@12.05c; September, 11.95@12.00c; November, 11.95c; December, 11.95@12.00c; spot Rio quiet and steady; No. 7, 13%c.

The Metal Markets. New York. May 19.—Pig iron quiet; American, \$14 75@16 25. Copper quiet at \$11 95 @12-00. Lead dull; lake, \$4 22\4@4 27\4. Tin strong; Straits, \$20 10@20 15.



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