SENSATIONAL STOCK DECLINE

SLUMP THAT CAUSED A BLEAT-ING OF THE LAMBS.

The Plunge in Prices Attributed to the Money Market Where Discrimination Was Exercised Against Certain Industrials-Advice of Commission Houses Causes a Check in the Downward Tendency. An Example of Wide Movements Given by Brooklyn Rapid Transit.

New York, April 7,-Today's sensational stock market was remarkable for great declines that took place in practically all the specialties. Losses of importance remained at the end of the day, although the closing was The potential influence bestrong. hind today's plunge in prices was the money market, where discrimination was exercised against the industrial securities. The inability of some large firms to renew loans on those shares as collateral made it necessary to say rifice stocks at the best prices obtainable. Call rates for money ranged from five to fifteen per cent., but left off at the lower figure. The forced sales by many commission houses lent renewed courage to the bears, who constantly found new spots of weakness. A number of money lenders on the floor of the exchange in exchange refused to pay any attention to the bids of some brokers who were known to be trading heavily in the indus-The calling in of some loans trials. also helped to arouse alarm and induced general selling. The weakness of many standard stocks and bonds was due to no other cause ascertainable except the selling of them by Open- High- Low- Clos-ing est, set, inc. Am. Cotton Oil Co., 25% 254, 254, 254, Am. Sugar Ref. Co., 162 162 1400 1004 weak holders to protect securities of less certain value or to secure funds to buy the shares which had been most depressed in hope of profit on the re-bound. Longon, which of late has been an unimportant factor in the dealings, bought upwards of 50,000 shares on the decline here. While the bull leaders appeared so-called apathetic on the downward rush of quotations, heavy scale buying appeared, carrying with it the conviction that the buyers did not believe the violence of the bear movement could last. This

support gradually checked the fierce onslaught on prices and recoveries ensued. Much thought was given to the probable aspect of tomorrow's bank statement. In the rally was found in the offering of several million dollars in the loan crowd by an interest lately very prominent among the bull leaders.

The Rally.

Mo. Pac, Nat. Lead Co. N. Y. C. & Hud,.. N. Y. O. & West, North. Pac, Pr. Pacific Mail Pacator Gas When prices were not far from the lowest, a number of commission houses freely advised purchases where the buyer could take the securities outright or on very substantial margins. Buying of this character had much to do with checking the rush Many interests which had to sell. been out of the street for a long time thought the time opportune to re-Wabash, Pr West, Union purchase, as it appeared, to be one of the bargain days which have de-

veloped at various times of recent This buying gave a consideryear#. the momentum to the afternoon rally. which embraced everything on the list May and resulting in reducing the net losses to very small proportions in some cases and in establishing slight ad-vances in others. An idea of the wide movements which occurred is given by movements which occured is given by movements which occurred is given by movements whic the fact that although the Brooklyn July LARD. Transit broke 15%, the net loss on the

ped 13%, but got back 9% of it. Pec ple's Gas sagged 12%, but rallied strongly and closed with 3% net loss Total sales for the day were 1,224,400 shares. Railway and miscellaneous bond prices also showed a yielding tendency oday with transactions of \$3,000,000.

United States news 4s advanced % and the old 4s coupon 14 in the bid price, while the 5s reacted 14.

By Carrington & Cusack. New York, April 7.-The market after a fairly steady opening developed great weakness and at one time in the day, was absolutely panicky, in its declines. The drop extending is per cent, in some cases. There was tremendous liquidation by the smaller commission houses throughout the whole list and even the standard stocks reflected the execution of market orders without any regard to prices. The banks who have been responsible for the decline, absolutely refused accommodation on the Industrial shares and in conse-quence, houses without the best facilities found themselves without the means of medling their obligation. By Carrington & Cusack. neeting their obligation. The only wonder is that failures in the

The only wonder is that failures in the street have not been much larger than they are. While the market should raily and at the close has shown some evi-dences of doing so, yet before any sus-tained upward movement is begun, will we think, sell lower again. The advance as it comes will undoubtedly be taken advantage of by many holders to liqui-date and the conservative houses are discouraging baying except in the first class issues only. Such stocks as Bur-lington, St. Paul, Rock Island, New York Central can be safely purchased on all Chicago Grain and Produce Market.

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Chicago, April 7.-Demoralizing in se-curities today in association with a slack forcign demand and heavy Argentin shipments to Europe weakened wheat Crop damage news was a menace, how lington, St. Paul, Rock Island, New York Central can be safely purchased on all the very weak spots, but the Industrials should be discriminating against except on large margins. The raily which was in progress toward the close was almost entirely due to cov-ering of short contracts, although some of the houses professed to believe that the indicats were buyers at the extreme Contral can be safely purchased on all the very weak spots, but the Industrial should be discriminating against except on large margins. The raily which was in progress toward the close was almost entirely due to cov-ering of short contracts, although some of the houses professed to belleve that the insiders were buyers at the extreme bow prices. We do not blieve ourselves that any great amount of long stock has been taken on. Money promises to remain a factor for some little time to come and as the banks as well as the commission houses have been thoroughly scared by today's break, it will be extremely diffi-cult to create renewed interest in the market. The close was strong. Total. 1. 296,472 shares. Quotations furnished by LABAR &

Quotations furnished by LABAR & Chicago Live Stock Market. FULLER, stock, grain and cotton brok-ers, rooms 209 and 216 Board of Trade building, Scranton, Pa.

Chicago, April 7. — Cattle — Offerings small and trade dull; fancy cattle brought 5.706.580; choice steers, \$5.3065.60; medium steers, \$4.756.495; beef steers, \$4.45.70; stockers and feeders, \$3.3064.57; cows and stockers and feeders, \$3,50a4.57; cows and heiters, \$3,40a4.25; western fed steers, \$4,25 a5.59; calves, \$3,75a6.75. There was a fair-ly active local and shipping demand for hors and sales ruled steady at previous prices. Fair to choice, \$3,50a3.52%; heavy packing lots, \$3,55a3.77%; mied, \$3,00a3.82%; butchers, \$1,05a2.85; [gits, \$3,00a3.82%; pigs, \$3,30a2.70. Sheep-Ruled steady; while lambs, which comprised the better part of the offerings were dull and 10c, low?r; common to good lambs, \$4,50a5; shorn lambs, \$4,50a5.15; poor to prime, sheep, \$5a 4.50; yearlings, \$4,75a5.15. Receipts-Cat-tle, 1,000 head; hogs, 20,000 head; sheep, \$,000 head. $\begin{array}{c}
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New York, April 7.—Beeves—Market steady; steers, steady to a shade lower; cows, 10a15c, lower; medium to choice steers, \$4.70a5.40; cens, \$4; bulls, \$3.55a3.00; cows, \$2.25a3.75; choice fat bulls and cows, \$4.20a4.55, Calves—Market dull and 50c. \$4.20a3.35. Calves-Market dull and 56c. lower; common to choice yeals, \$3.75a 6.12%; most of the sales, \$4.50a5.65 for or-dinary to good yeals. Sheep and Lambs-No sheep here; nominally firm; lambs, steady; fair to choice unshorn lambs, \$4 a6.59; poor to fair clipped do., \$4.59a5.25; common to fair spring lambs, \$3.25a4.75 each. Hogs-Receipts, 2.67 head; steady at \$4a4.20. 0494 2845 20184 each. Ho nt \$4a4.20.

East Liberty Cattle Market.

 catta, \$5,5005.65; prime, \$5,2505.10; common, \$3,5004; Hogs-Active; best medums, \$4,1004.15; heavy hogs, \$4a4.05; heavy Yorkers, \$4,004.10; light Yorkers, \$4,05; plas, \$3,5003.50; roughs, \$2,500.350; Sheep-Steady; choice wethers, \$505.10; common to zood, \$4,7565.55; clipped lambs, \$4,004.50; spring lambs, \$7,01.10; veal calves, \$505.70. East Liberty, April 7,-Cattle-Steady xtra, \$5.50a5.65; prime, \$5.25a5.40; com-

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East Buffalo, N. Y., April 7 .- Cattle-Receipts sales stocks light; quiet but steady; good steers, \$1.25a4.75; cows, Ea 5.50; 5.65; culves, \$4a4.75; Hors-Receipts, 35 5.60; curves, \$4a4.75; Hors-Receipts, 35 5.60; curves, \$1.80a1.85; roughs, \$2.55a4; mixed, \$4; pirs, \$1.80a1.85; roughs, \$2.55a4; Sheep 5.40; and Lambs-Receipts, 25 curve autoesthespine

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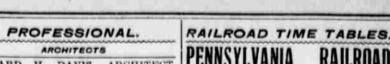
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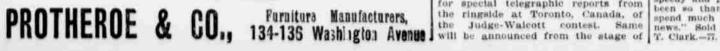
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The Myers Company. The Myer's company which has played such a successful engagement at the Acadamy of Music this week will close its engagement today by presenting "The Two Orphans' 'this afternoon and "After Seven Years" tonight. "The Ideals." "Eagle's Nest" at the Academy on Monday night, will be followed on Tuesday by Wilson and Winslow's big scenic production, "The Great North-

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of Mile. Adgie, and the little woman has applied her whip two or three times to Trilby's nose. After the act, when the curtain had been lowered and the cage pushed to one side, young Hall, the keeper of the animals, went into the cage to get one of the whips ed and other troubles, and who comes to and a piece of steel rod which had

> He had a stick in his hand and struck out with it, then bending down picked up the whip. In an instant Trilby's paw flashed out. Hall saw it and pulled back quickly, but not quite out of reach. Three claws struck his forehead and temple. Blood spurted from the wound, but Hall maintained

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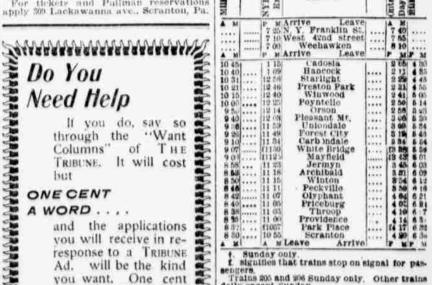
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