Members of the Omaha Wheel Club Make the Trip to Papillion.

FIN) THE ROADS NONE OF THE BEST

Captain McCormick Announces a New Rule for the Benefit of the Scoreher Green Riders to Be Teken Care Of.

Beautiful as yesterday was, in two respects It fell short of the bleyclist's ideal day for a road run. In the first place the wind blow out on the hilly prairie with a persistence that tended to damage even a gentle temperament when the possessor had to fight against When it struck the light steel steed from the side the sensitive thing trambled as if ready to bound off into the air, which produced a curiously disagreeable sensation in the breast of the rider, who was trying to keep it within a track little wider than a wogan wheel.

The condition of the roads was the other

The start was made from the club house

In Boyd's theater building, a few minutes after 9 o'clock, when no one else appeared in sight. There were fifteen in the bunch: McCormick, Frank Slefkin, Foye, Turner, Schrack, Body, Flint, Croxton, Livesey, Cox, Hunter, Beels, Vette, Potter and Poloar.

Captain McCormick was on the front seat of Len Livesey's new tandem. Behind them me the rest, two and two, as much as possible, almost every individual bestriding a different make. The string cut over to Leavenworth street and out to Center by the park. A turn south was then made on one of the streets in the fortles, and the country roads were struck. From here it was one continual up hill and down hill until Sarpy Mills was reached. Here a few minutes' res was taken, and then the most deagreeable part of the run was struck. The road was level a good part of the way, but being on the bottoms and half gumbo, it was in exe-crable condition. Every few minutes some one or other gave vent to an expression of disgust when his front wheel firted with clods and threatened to buck. This lasted for a couple of miles, and then came some more hills, usually small grades, how There was one little beauty, at about 45 degrees in grade at first, but 95 before the top was reached. Some swore that it tood straight up in the air. The run took about an hour and ten min-

utes, Papillion being reached at 10:40, was a good, easy jog all the way, a decided relief to the green road riders, who expected ecorch. Captain McCormick has given it out that no scorching goes on the road runs and threatens to fine any one that attempts to cut ahead. This is the proper thing, and if he sticks by the rule the runs will be popular to green riders as well as the more

A big dinner was eaten and was not finished until the proprietor came into the din-ing room, threw both hands in the air and ing room, threw both hands in the air and caid he had no more. Everybody stowed away grub like a healthy man, except Siefkin, Potter and Foye, who ate like two healthy men each. About 2 o'clock wheels were mounted for the ride home.

"It's all down hill," said Foye, with a cherubic smile, "because there can't be any more hills then we have already climbed." The whole bunch started off except Bob Beck, who came, too, after he found that there was no train back to the city until tomorrow morning. Another stop was made at Sarpy Mills, and then a hot run was made to the city, which was reached about 4 o'clock. Altogether, the run was one of the most succesoful and pleasurable taken by the club. It is to be followed by another next Sunday

Fort Calhoun, sixteen miles away, at the end of which a big game dinner will await the riders. GAMES OF THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati Gives the Colonels a Cinch

On Last Place.
CINCINNATI, April 19.—Four hundred rooters from Louisville could not help the Colonels win, Ewing's men batted Cun-

ningham unmercifully, and Frazer, who succeeded him in the third inning, fared little better. Louisville's errors counted for little. The three runs scored by the Falls City team were made on Ewing's error, a base on balls and good batting. Burke, Holliday and Dexter stirred the crowd with sensutional catches. Attendance, 16,500. Score:

HOOKY PARKER'S FIRST TRY. HOOKY PARKER'S FIRST TRY.

ST. LOUIS, April 19.—Breitenstein was in the box and won the game for the Browns, who gave him excellent support. Up to the third inning he was wild, but after that he settled down and pitched good ball. Parker held the home team down to three runs during the early part of the game, but toward the end they found him often and batted him hard, making seven more tallies. The Colts fielded loosely, making several costly errors. Attendance, 17,000. Score:

Chicago 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

Hits: St. Louis, 8; Chicago, 7. Errors:
St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 5. Earned runs: St.
Louis, 3; Chicago, 1. Two-base hits: Donahue. Home runs: Quinn. Stolen bases:
Cooley (1), Connor (2). Doubbe plays: Breitenstein, Quinn and Connor; Connor and
McFarland. First base on balls: Off Breiterstein, 5; off Parker, 4. Struck out: By
Breitenstein, 2; by Parker, 2. Passed balls:
Donahue, 1. Wild pitches: Parker, 3. Batteries: St. Louis, Breitenstein and McFarland; Chicago, Parker and Donahue. Umpire: Sheridan.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS. Vashington 'inclinati hicago . Baltimore

Schuyler's Ball Team. SCHUYLER, Neb., April 19.—(Special.)— Manager W. I. Allen of the local ball team has his full quota of players in view, and announces that he is now ready to make dates for single games or series of games with nines of equivalent or superior standing in the state. There have been liberal subscriptions from the business and ball men of the city, which shows that interest in the national game is not dead here. The men now engaged and their positions are as follows: Cook of Wahro, pitcher; Reinhart of David City, catcher; James Stewart, first; W. Fulmer, second; W. I. Allen, third; D. Odum, short stop; J. Fulmer, right field; John Edgar, center field; Joseph Smatlan, left field; George Burken, tenth man. has his full quota of players in view, and

Century Road Club Affairs. CHICAGO, April 19.- The election commit tee of the Century Road club of America

CHANGES IN THE AMATEUR RULES.

Important Meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union. NEW YORK, April 19.—A special meeting of the Amateur Athletic union was held last night and the most important bit of work the signing of articles of alliance with the Young Men's Christian association of North America. The articles will be approved by the board and will then be submitted to a mail vote. The Pacific, Central and Northern associations were not represented. The first matter to come up was the definition of an amateur. A paper had been prepared by a man appointed for the purpose, but it was decided to lay the matter over and to increase the committee having it in charge by adding the names of two representatives from the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America. The chalman appointed Mr. G. K. Kirby of Columbia and Mr. James P. Lee of Harvard.

The condition of the roads was the other feature of the day. They were neither good nor bad, hut very indifferent.

These objections were not appreciated by the diletanti, who did not get off the paved streets. In fact, it cannot be said that they bothered even road riders much. The day posseemed too many other beauties for that, if a rider was not satisfied with the bracking and cool air, tinctured with a Nebraska sapplyr, the bright blue sky and shining sun and the sight of the green trees and meadows palpitating with the life of the new spring, he was too much of a peasimist to be a bicyclist, and had better stow his wheel in a garrest and content himself with riding on a trolley car.

Under such auspices the initial run of the run was to Papillion, only a few miles distant, as the crow flies, but eleven and a half by the roads, according to a cyclometer. It was all over, the cyclometer would not register more than twenty-three miles for the register more than twenty-thr

Sullivan, representing the Southern association.

The committee which has been representing the New England association reported
that it has been unable to do the work.
The whole matter has been referred to E.
E. Babb for adjustment.

The old rule permitting amateur base
hall teams to play professional teams was
revived. There are at present some seven
clubs under the ban for violating this clause.
On motion of Mr. Harder it was resolved
that the Amateur Athletic union endorse
the Strong baggage bill, which requires
railroads to carry bicycles as baggage. Governer Morton was requested to sign this bill
when it came to him from the legislature.

Hayden Bros.' Down the Soldiers. The Hayden Bros, and the soldier teams played their first game of the season yesterday, which resulted in a victory for the Hayden Bros. by the score of 7 to 2. The features of the game were the batting and all round playing of Hatchett for company H and the battery work of Welsh and Casey for the Haydens. Batteries: Hayden Bros., Welsh and Casey; company H, Launchbaugh and Hassier.

Montank is Out of It. LONDON, April 20 .- A dispatch to the Pimes from Newmarket says: The defeat of Montauk puts an end to all idea of his running for the Derby, though there was nothing in his performance as a 2-year-old to justify the idea that he would stand a

Sachtleben at Home. NEW YORK, April 19.-William A. Sacht leben, the whee man who went to Armenia several months ago to search for the body of Frank G. Lenz, the Pittsburg cyclist who was murdered by Kurds, returned to Amer-ica yesterday on the Paris.

No Regatta at Toronto TORONTO, Ont., April 19.-In consequence of the failure of the hotel keepers of this city to subscribe any large amount to funds Ed Hanlon says there will be no re-

INVADED BY THE THETA-NU.

City of Lincoln Surprised by a New Greek Letter Society. LINCOLN, April 19 .- (Special.)-The staid citizens of this capital city were treated to a few novel street scenes on Saturday present. The meeting was principally occupied with discussions of practical questions of practical questions of practical questions. even to those old residents who thought they had seen every form of college prank and all the peculiar incidents connected with initiation into college secret societies. The

candidates into the sophomore society. Theta-Nu-Epsilon, known to the college world as T. N. E. This society entered the University of Nebraska some time last fall, but so quietly has it conducted its rites that but few save the members knew that T. N. E. had a chapter in Nebraska. The first intimation the outsiders had of the society was on Saturday evening, when they saw performances in the street that no other college society had ever introduced That T. N. E. was in their midst was arrived that one of the principal requirements of a candidate for admission into the well known cophomore society was that he should render

nimeelf the abject slave of the members of the society into whose care he was entrusted. The Nebrasks T. N. E.'s must have been fond of witnessing military drills, for co-Saturday night six candidates marched and drilled through the principal thoroughfares obedient only to the commands that were yelled at them from the sidewalks. The six candidates necessarily kept a good line; they carried a heavy plank at least twenty feet in length and each of the six was forced to keep clore to that plank. Sometimes they marched in common time, more often in quick time, again they were ordered to run hard and then suddenly called upon to mark time. For over an hour the drill was con-tinued. It was followed by choruses of national and popular airs rendered in a loud and lusty manner by six healthy pairs of lungs. Some of the candidates amused the spectators by blackening the shoes of their masters, while the others purchased

fruit and other delicacies for their lords.

Abou 11 o'clock a big furniture van drawn by four horses appeared. The candidates were blindfolded and thrown in the front the wagon. Then about twenty mostly students in the university part of the wagon. here, but a few from out of town, climbed in and were driven beyond the city limits Just where the party went to is not known. The last heard from the big vehicle was this chanted in a most solemn

'Poor fresh, we pity you; poor fresh, we pity you; "Poor fresh, we pity you. You're going to join the Theta-Nu. Shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday morning the party returned and drove through the

The chant had given way to music of a more lively movement. Theta-Nu-Epsilon is a general fraternity, but is unlike any other Greek letter society represented in nearly all the prominent colleges and universities in the east and in a few of those of the west. Its aims other than the promotion of conviviality are not known. The chief object is supposed to be active participation in class and college politics. The men selected are, as a rule, those who have distinguished themselves during their first year in college. T. N. E. has been the object of much faculty legisla-tion because of its peculiar initiation customs, but it has never yet gone down be-fore faculty prohibition. It is being closely watched here and it is known that the ac-ciety has formed the torde for general de-bate in recent meetings of the university

faculty. MISSOURI VALLEY, 1a., April 19 .- (Spe cial.)-President Reed of this city and Secretary Hall of Monroe of the Iowa Photographers' association have been in consultation for several days, concerning the work and program for the sixth annual convention of the association, which meets in Des Moines, May 5, 6 and 7, and which promises to be a screion of unusual importance. One leading feature is to be an exhibit of a number of the world's master-please of the control of

ing Milton Klein of Philadelphia. O. W. Lawson of Louisville, Ky., succeeds W. M. Prewster of Philadelphia as treasurer. The prospects for great activity in the road light work and electric retouchers for the first time seen in the west. A large attendance before. been employed for the occasion. Also an exhibit of new appliances in electric and flash light work and electric retouchers for the

CLEAN OUT A GENERAL STORE. Burglars Make a Small Haul at Fort Calhonn.

BLAIR, Neb., April 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-Carl Feldhousen's store at Fort Calhoun was burglarized last night some time, was transacted near the close. This was the signing of articles of alliance with the consisting of two Eigh civer watches. open face, asveral watch chains, cuff buttons, cutlery and several other articles of jewelry and some underwear. The supposed burgiars are one man with dark clothes, of tall and heavy build, one small man, squint-eyed, and wore light colored trousers. They took at the same time a grain sack to carry away the plunder. The county authorities will authorize a reward. Some of the cuff buttons had the Masonic and Woodmen of the World monograms on them.

Interest in Frank Jordan's Case. Kirby of Columbia and Mr. James P. Lee of Harvard.

Paragraph 4, of general rule 2, relating to amateurs' status, was changed to rend: "No application for reinstatement for amateur status shall be entertained unless the applicant shall have abstained from processional conduct for two years, and such application shall be acred upon by the board of governors and shall take effect upon the two-thirds majority vote of the board of governors at any meeting of the Amateur Athlette union, or a two-thirds vote of the board by mail."

Rule 18, relating to the tape and manner

pointed a committee on correspondence and organization: A. J. White, Waldo Lyon, Franklin Everett, Dr. Muirhead, with E. E.

Carter as secretary of the committee.

P. L. Rock is very enthusiastic over the sugar industry and believes that the future success of the Nebraska farmers depends nore on the best cultivation than any other product. There is sufficient capital in Lyons and others parts of Burt county for several plants, if proper inducements are offered to the capitalists.

Severe Electrical Storm. JOHNSTOWN, Neb., April 19 .- (Special.)-Friday an electric storm of intense energy

prevailed here. All day incessant lightning and thunder were accompanied by a steady downpour of rain. A strange feature of the storm was that not a flake of snow, or a hailstone fell, but as soon as the rain touched the earth it froze, until there were two or hree inches of slush under foot, and every plade of grass was converted into a crystal

Syndiente Agrees to a Forfeit. FREMONT, April 19 .- (Special.)-The New York syndicate that made a proposition to he Board of Trade for the erection of a distillery has consented to put up \$2,000, to be forfeited to the Board of Trade if the onus is raised and it fails to erect the die illery and cattlefeeding plant as agreed

Ord Endenvorers Elect Officers. ORD, Neb., April 19.-(Special.)-The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Christian church elected the following officers at their annual business meeting Wednesday evening: Miss Ada Turner, president; Miss Hattle Smith, vice president; Miss Blanche Calhoun, secretary, and Miss Breezy Parks, treasurer.

Dodge County Teachers. FREMONT, April 19 .- (Special.)-The third section of the Dodge County Teachers asso-

ciation was in session yesterday at the district present taking part in it. Married at Ord. ORD, Neb., April 19.- (Special.)-Wednes-

day evening at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Hattie Davis of Ord and Albert Fisher of Albert Lea, Minn., were united in marriage by Rev. W. E. Hardaway. They took their departure for their future home in Minnesota on this morning's train.

New Fish Story from Milford. MILFORD, Neb., April' 19 .- (Special.)-The Big Blue has been higher the past week than for three years. Mrs. Norton of the Resort hotel went down to the river edge to look at the flood and scooped in a sevenpound pike with her sun bonnet.

Prof. Bruner at Bellevue. BELLEVUE, Neb., April 19 .- (Special.)-Prof. Lawrence Bruner, the state ornitholosist, delivered two lectures here on Friday. His audience was much interested in his discussion of the "Bugs and Birds of Ne-braska."

Cuts His Throat While Insene. MINDEN, Neb., April 19.—(Special.)—N. F. Petersen, a well-to-do Dane, living five miles southeast of Minden, cut his throat yesterday afternoon with a razor while insane. It is not certain yet whether medical aid can save him or not.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., April 19.-The executive committee of the Iowa State Bankers' association has fixed the dates of the annual neeting at May 27 and 28 in this city.

Baby Dies from the Bite. WAHOO, Neb., April 19.-(Special.)-Frank Pescal's child, which was bitten by a rattlesnake about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, died at 5 o'clock of the same day, Estimate of Corn in Farmers' Hands.

WEBSTER CITY, Ia., April 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-Statistics are being gathered in this section of the state by local newspapers to determine the quantity of corn held in cribs. The first county to report is Franklin, through the Franklin County Record. It places the amount in that county at 1,192,000 bushels, and of this, 840,000 bushels are in the hands of farmers. Hamilton county's estimate will not be made public until

the latter part of next week. Desperate Character Arrested. CRESTON, Ia., April 19 .- (Special Tele-

gram.)-Yesterday afternoon Sheriff Davenin the college world. It selects its men in the spring of their freehman year and is profoundly secret in all its dealings. It is held here for the arrival of United States chartes obschäger, a bareader, whelan is held here for the arrival of United States officers. He is supposed to have robbed the Tabor postoffice. Whelan is desperate, and was before the last grand jury at this place on a charge of attempting to murder a railroad man. There is a reward of \$300 for his arrest. It's just as easy to try One Minute Cough

Cure as anything else. It's eas er to cure a severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Better medicine; better results; bet ter try it. Remembered Their Dead. JEFFERSON CITY, Ia., April 19.-(Special

Telegram.)-One bundred and fifty Knights Templar and Masons attended the memorial services of Frank Fuller this afternoon Many prominent knights from abroad were present. The deceased was an officer in the grand commandery of Iowa.

There are many good reasons why you

significant and those who rely on it will be betrayed.

There is one obstacle at present in the way of foreign confidence in our securities—in our whole national condition, and that is the uncertainty of our currency plans. An absolute victory for honest and conservative finance will remove that obstacle. That will assure the European investor—that will bring us European capital in limitiess supply. Without that it is simply silliness to talk about investments on this side of the ocean having foreign attractiveness. They who try to dodge or belittle this fact are either fooled or trying to do some fooling themselves.

Manchester Textile Trade Review.

MANCHESTER, April 19.—There has not met in Chicago today and canvarsed the vote for the election of officers of that organization. The result was the re-e ection of Fresident William A. Skinkel of Cleveland and Secretary C. M. Fairchild of Chicago. For the first vice presidency, D. M. Adee of New York was successful, succeed-MANCHESTER, April 19.—There has not been much change this week, but the market is still rather weaker. Business, while

Big Speculators Cotting Back Into the Market Again.

Improvement Along Legitimate Lines

and Not Because of Speculation

-Wall Street Waiting for

Congress to Adjourn.

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HERE'S THE ONE BAD SPOT.

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his dollars this way we will have a bo-which will make everything since 1879 see pygmy. If Wall street could put St. Pa to par the whole capital stock would wanted in Europe. When Europe real comes in to buy American stocks Euro-will be dominant in our market. Under at ather circumstance what may be from the to time set down as European buying is i-significant and those who rely on it will i-betrayed.

slow, has not been suspended, daily small orders for specialties making a fair aggregate for prompt delivery. There has been some eastern business, but on a smaller scale than in March. These staple goods are still well engaged and light and fancy goods are paying a good profit. Heavy staples make poor returns. Yarns were about unchanged, the production being fairly taken, with off prices on the easy side and with some such irregularity, varying with the order book.

order book. BUYERS OF A MONTH AGO ARE WINNERS STOCKS TEXT UPWARD IN LONDON.

Tone_Result of Cheap Money.
LONDON, April 19. While the leading banking institutions have a tacit agreement not to lend money under 1/2 per cent, it has been possible during the past week to ob-NEW YORK, April 19.—In every good gense the stock market shows development. It broadens, it has something like old-fashioned activity in it. Indications appear of a renewed interest upon the part of important people who for three years of more have been holding aloof.

We have no big buil market just yet, but there are tendencies toward that very happy condition which are not to be ignored. Commission brokers for the first time in many a day begin to be encouraged. Old customers one by one, albeit a trifle wary, are coming again to the front and the stock market itself has abundant evidence in it of a readiners to respond to any activity that is continued and properly directed.

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Manipulation is, of course, apparent. It would be an odd Wall street liveliness that CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. Fentures of the Trading and Closing

Prices on Saturday.
CHICAGO, April 18. -- Fine growing weaher, lack of export and milling demand and the denial of chinch bug damage caused wheat to rule weaker today. May closed at 651cc, or 7cc below yesterday's close. Corn and oats declined %c and 1cc respectively. Pork was quiet, 1219c under

Manipulation is, of course, apparent. It would be an odd Wall street liveliness that did not include that factor. But this time it is not the sort of manipulation which in desperation seeks to thimblerig the market just for a chance to unload. It is a manipulation having much broader scope.

In some quarters—in stocks, such as tobacco, leather trusts, for example—it is a manipulation quite of the ordinary nature, aiming chiefly to catch gudgeon, but 'securities' of that sort are not the ones which are making up the present market. They are subordinate very much to the credit of everybody concerned.

People who have been staying out of the market a long time and are now showing a disposition to take a new hold are not more significant in their action than are operators who, after a three years' campaign on the bear side, are now earnestly working for improvement, confident that we are on the verge of a national era of good times.

The market's course for the week has amply warranted all that the most hopeful of the bulls anticipated. Toward the close of the week a sharp reaction has been brought about, but it is not a setback to induce discouragement. It came after a rally that was not only substantial, but one scored with exceptional rapidity. Bull markets are lasting markets only when they can have resting spells, pauses, and reactions, even sharp declines. This fact is so much a Wall street reliance, so thoroughly the Stock exclange gospel, that the why and the wherefore of it requires no elaboration. It is probable that the sudden reaction of Friday afternoon and the passive firmness of the market in today's brief session can be almost whelly attributed to carefully laid yesterday, lard, 2½c, and ribs, 5c. The very favorable weather now prevailng and prospects for the next few days ing and prospects for the next few days had much to do with the weakness of wheat at the opening and during the forenoon. Crcp reports also covering the period since the close of the previous month gave a good account of the progress made by the wheat plant since it came under the influence of growing weather. Added to the favorable crop news was the unsympathetic tone of the foreign markets to yesterday's advance here. The public cablegram quoted spot wheat in Liverpool unchanged and futures 4d higher. May wheat opened at from 66%c to 65%c, declined to 66%c, recovered to 66%c and then began a decline, which took it down to 65%c, with a subsequent recovery to 66c and 85%c, with a subsequent recovery to 66c and 85%c, the closing quotation. One of the weak features of the day's statistical news was that no wheat was cleared from New York in the last twenty-four hours. Demand for winter wheat from country millers at a premium over May prices practically ceased; in fact, some previously purchated has been ordered resold. The visible statement Monday has possibilities of a comparatively heavy decrease and from 1,000,000 bu, upward was the generally expressed expectation of it. The backward state of spring wheat seeding in the northwest was again a matter of frequent comment, but the extra moisture, which is the present chief barrier to the rapid completion of the seeding, was generally considered more than ample compensation for two weeks' delay in getting the seed in. had much to do with the weakness of wheat It is probable that the sudden reaction of riday afternoon and the passive firmness if the market in today's brief session can be most wholly attributed to carefully laid lans of the most important operators on ie bull side. In this sort of manipulation iere is none of that peril to a market which herwise the sudden bolting might suggest, is really a manipulation which has forest that the sudden bottom in it, and only those can hart who overtrade on slim margins. It is really a manipulation which has foresight and protection in it, and only those can be hurt who overtrade en slim margins.

BULL MOVEMENT WAS PREDICTED.

When a month ago these special dispatches advised the purchase of stocks, pointing out the evidences indicality of the better times close at hand, St. Paul was 74, this week it has been above 77. Burlington was 74; this week it reached within a slight fraction of 80. Sugar trust was 116, and it has sold up to 126. Other rises of interest have been scored in every substantial stock.

These advances have not been made in any splurges. They represent the movement that has had conservatism all through it. There has been no hurrathing anywhere, always excepting hippodraming performances in bunco games like the cligarette trust.

The tendency of the men most important among those responsible for the market's betterment has been to discourage enthusiasm. Doubtless a good deal of cold business selfishness was in this for the reason that it is never considered advisable to seek company while you are accumulating a line of stock. It is beyond any sort of question that such accumulations have been made by some of the strongest financiers of the country. One Standard Oll millionaire, I am credibly informed, has bought over 100,000 shares of Atchison, Reading and Union Pacific since the beginning of the present month. This is a sign of a characteristic of the greatest consequence—the sign that the richest men are now going into the cheapest stocks—the lowest-priced ones.

A vast change, that is, until this very time none of the chief tracters or investors were willing to have anything to do with the stocks of companies smashed by the panie—or, at least, nothing beyond taking a hend in reorganization schemes to scoop commissions booty. That now they change base and are openly known as buyers of stocks like these that I have mentioned as going into the Standard Oil box, is bound to be a factor of far-reaching influence. It makes of itse f, in fact, what amounts to the e the seed in.

Corn suffered from the weakness of the wheat market and the generally favorable outlook for the planting time. May corn opened at from 30%c to 30%c, declined to 30% and closed this sollers sollers.

oc and closed 354c sellers.
For a Saturday the dats market was very setive. Good offerings and sympathy with wheat made the feeling easier. May opened at 20c, sold off to 19% and closed at that price bid. The provision market *'arted firm, but the provision market writer firm, but very soon weakenes, getting linto line with the tendency of the grain markets.

Estimated receipts for Monday are: Wheat, 10 cars; corn, 300 cars; cats, 220 cars, and 27,000 head of hogs.

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May	20	20	1994	195
July Sept	2014 (634)	20% 20%	20%	201666
Pork perbbl	8 72%	8 72%	8 60	8 (0
July Lard 100 lbs	8 92%	8 0236	8 80	8 80
May	4 975a 5 10	4 0736 5 10	4 9234 5 0734	4 92% 5 07%
May July	4 4254 4 5756	4 42% 4 57%	4 37% 4 50	4 37%

55@51gc; No. 2 red. 68%@70c.
CORN-No. 2 30%@505gc.
OATS-No. 2, 19%c; No. 2 white, 19%@20c; No. 3 white, 19%@20gc.
RYE-No. 2, 37%c.
RARLEY-No. 2, nominal.
FLANSEED-No. 1, 91%c.
PRIME TIMOTHY SEED-\$2.39.
POULTRY-Steady: turkeys, 11@12%c; chickens, 8%@11c; durks, 11@12c.
PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$8.69@8.65; lard, per 100 lbs., \$4.90@4.92%; short ribs, sides, loose, \$4.35@4.40; dry salted shoulders, boxed, 4.50%4.62%; short clear sides, boxed, 44.50%4.62%; short ribs, ribs, which will be seen the same state of the same shoulders. The following were the receipts and chipments today:

7,000 11,000 14,000 536,000 113,003 1,740,000 186,000 291,000 11,000 536,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 11@15c; dairy, 9@13c. Eggs. 8@10c. NEW YORK GENERAL MARKETS. Quotations of the Day on Various

HERE'S THE ONE BAD SPOT.

The one immediate bad spot in the Wall street situation is made by the uncertainty of what may happen down at Washington. If congress should suddenly adjourn and the president go off fishing before business began next Monday we could have a rally of a dozen points in the whole market by Monday night. Sober minded men are encouraged by such developments of the week as indicate gains of sanity in the political world, there having been close attention given in Wall street to declarations for a sound currency and defeat for crazy financiering games. Except the bugaboo of what the national conventions may do there is nothing in the general situation which alarms any believer in the approach of good times. There is a hazy notion that President Cleveland may be about to hit us with another slam-bang message, this time on Cuba, but few pecple who are well balanced have any serious apprehension that any incident of that nature can be long a matter Commodities.

NEW YORK, April 18.—FLOUR—Receipts. 8.900 bbis.; exports, 15,500 bbis.; market, dull and easy in response to the decline in wheat; whater patents, \$3.90@4.00; winter straights, \$3.65@3.75;

have any serious apprehension that any in-sident of that nature can be long a matter of any consequence as an interference with usiness progress. None the less there is in some quarters a None the tess there is in some quarters a decided disposition to wait till Mr. Cleveland shall have concluded any new war he may have on his hands. And there is no peril in waiting. If we really have a substantial bull market at hand it is not going to do any galloping. Values are not established that way—lasting and rea! values are not.

casy in response to the decline in wheat; winter patents, \$3.9674.00; winter straights, \$3.563.75; Minnesota patents, \$3.7564.05; winter extras, \$2.6963.00; Minnesota bakers, \$2.7063.15; winter low grades, \$2.2062.25; spring low grades, \$2.0062.25; pring low grades, \$2.0062.25; fancy, \$2.7562.00.

BUCKWHEAT—Bull; 46c.
CORN MEAL—Dull; yellow western, coarse, 70c; city, 75c; Brandywine, \$2.20.
RYE—Steady; 40643c.
BARLEY—Steady; 29643c.
BARLEY—MALT—Nominal; western, 44645c.
WHEAT—Receipts, 7.490 bu.; spot, weaker; No. 1 hard, 76%c, f. o. b., aftent, Options opened ensier under large Argentine supments and dult trade, afterwards declining sharply on active liquidation, prospects of heavy Russian shipments and absence of clearings; closed \$25%c net lower; No. 2 red, April, closed 75%c; May, 731-1667, 39-16c, closing 73%c.
CORN—Receipts, 15,000 bu.; exports, 3,100 bu.; spot, weak; No. 2, 3%c. Options opened steady on light receipts, but later declined with wheat, closing \$46%c net lower; April closed 37c.
OATS—Receipts, 15,000 bu.; exports, 12,200 bu.; spot, firm; No. 2, 25%c. Options, quiet, active and steady, closing unchanged; May closed 25c.
HAY—Dull; shipping, \$7,5068.00; good to choice, \$9.00610.00. Europe is credited in some Wall street quarters with having been a large purchaser of our stocks this week. As a matter of fact, there has been small evidence of any such thing. There are enough bull facts without trying to manufacture extraones. Europe never has had the habit of buying Mexican securities when they are cheap and I doubt that the record is going to be broken now! When our prices are down the sprry gentiemen in London and at Berlin always self out and cuss. The average person on the other side of the ocean is almost fervent in his conviction that we are at present on the very verge of a national receivership. When stocks get up to prices considerably higher than they have been ruling at since 1893 there will be time enough for European enthusiasm. Yet it is beyond question that the prices of substantial securities here are on a level which ought to attract foreign investment. and steady, clossing unchanged; May closed 25c.
HAY-Dull; shipping, \$7.5968.00; good to choice, \$19.00610.00.
HOPS-Quiet; state, common to choice, 1834 crop, 25g4445c; 1856 crop, 25g84; coast, 1834 crop, 25g4445c; 1856 crop, 25g84; coast, 1834 crop, 25g4445c; 1856 crop, 25g8c; coast, 1834 crop, 25g464; 1855 crop, 25g8c; coast, 1834 crop, 25g46; 1856 crop, 25g46; 1856 crop, 25g46; 1856 crop, 25g46; 25g4

EUROPE WOULD WANT IT ALL AT FAR.

Eventually facts like these will begin to get attention alread and be reflected in important transactions in our market. If ever the foreigner does again turn his gaze and be delivers this way.

Liverpool Market.

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Liverpool April 18.—WHEAT—Spot. firm; demand moderate; No. 2 red, winter, is 8d; No. 2 red, soften, is 8d; No. 2 red, soften, is 8d; No. 4 california, 4s 7d. Futures closed dult, with near and distant positions 4d higher; business heaviest on middle positions; April, is 64d; May, is 7d; June, is 7d; July, 7s 7d; August, is 7d. September, is 4d. CORN—Spot. firm; American mixed, new, 2s 8d, Futuras closed firm, with April 4d higher, and other months unchanged from yesterday's closing; business heaviest on early positions; April 5s 18d; May, 2s 2d; June, 2s 2d; July, 2s 2½d; Angust, 3s 8d; September, 3s 25d, July, 2s 2½d; Angust, 3s 8d; September, 3s 35d, FLOUR—Steady; demand moderate; St. Louis fancy, 7s 6d.

FROVISIONS—Firm; demand moderate; Cum-Liverpool Market.

fancy, 7s 6d.
PEAS-Canadian, 4s 7d.
PROVISIONS-Firm; demand moderate; Cum-

American Securities Show a Healthier

REFRIGERATOR BEEF-Forequarters, 196. indquarters, Figd. BLEACHING POWDER-Hardwood, f. v, fe HOPS At London (Pacific const), il Es.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET. Condition of Trade and Quotations

on Staple and Fancy Produce. EGGS-Choice stock, Sc. EGGS-Choles stock, %c.

BUTTER-Fair to good stock, 74%; choice to fancy country, 12c.

VEAL-Choice fat, 75 to 120 lbs., are quoted at Mayric, large and course, 44%;
CHEERSE-Domestic brick, 11se; Edam, per dox, 55.5; club house, 1-lb, Jan, per dox, 55.5; club house, 1-lb, Jan, per dox, 55.5; trub house, 1-lb, Jan, per dox, 58.6; Young Americas, 118c; Twins, fancy, He.

180CLTRY-Live-Hens, 86785c; old cocks, 3674c; turkeys, 10471c, ducks, 8970c; goese, 6477c; spring chickens, per dox, 55.

HAY-Upland, 81; midland, 85.30; fowland, 44.50; rye straw, 84; color makes the price on hay light baies self the best; only top grades bring top prices. ight todos sed the carry mon side; net through CORN-Extremely slow sale; net through CORN-Extremely slow sale; net running to hart. Their common. 114c.

GAME—Mallard ducks, \$2.00(2.50) redheads.

\$2.00(2.5); canvas back ducks, \$2.00(2.5);
teal, blue winged. \$1.00(1.75) red. green
winged. \$1.00(1.75) red. green
data gerse. \$1.50(1.25) misst. \$1.00(1.25) Candata gerse. \$1.50(1.5); small green, \$2.00(3.00)
speckled brants, \$2.00(3.00)
PIGFONS—Live. \$1.20(1.25) dead pigeons not
want d.

VEGETABLES. TOMATOES-Florida stock, 6-basket crates,

3.50.
PEAS-Boxes, % Lu., \$2.
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TOP ONIONS—Per dox. bunches, 20825c, CUCUMBERS—Per dox. \$1.25(81.50, WAX HEANS—Per bu, box. \$4.50, STRING HEANS—Per bu, box. \$3.50, SPINACH—Per box., \$1.10(1.25) per bbl., \$2.50, 2.50.

SPINACH-Per bex., \$1.10\(\mathbb{H}\). 12.20

SPINACH-Per bex., \$1.10\(\mathbb{H}\). 12.50

PIE PLANT-Hilmele stock, \$50-th, bex., \$2.

CAULIFLOWER-Per crais, \$2 doz., \$1.50.

CAHRAGE-California stock, per ib., 2\(\frac{1}{2}\).

ONIONS-Per bu., \$2\(\frac{1}{2}\).

SWEET POTATOES-Choice stock, \$2.50\(\frac{1}{2}\).

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ONIONS-Per bu., \$2\(\frac{1}{2}\).

SWEET POTATOES-Choice stock, \$2.50\(\frac{1}{2}\).

CELEBY-California, per doz., No. 1, \$1\(\frac{1}{2}\).

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Soc. No. 3, \$0\(\frac{1}{2}\).

CALIFORNIA SPARAGUS-Per 20-lb, crate.

\$2.50.

FRIJITS.

FRUITS.

STRAWBERRIES Trans, per case of 24 qts., \$1.0027.00; per 24 pts., \$3.0023.50, APPLES—Choice to fancy Ben Davis, \$4.002, \$4.50; choice wise saps and willow twigs, \$4.502 00, CRANBERRIES-Jersey, \$4.50@5.00; boxes, \$2.00 TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—California budded seedlings, fancy, \$2.75@3.00; choice, \$2.50@2.75; fancy navels, \$3.75@4.00; choice, \$3.50@3.75.
LEMONS—Merisins, fancy, \$3.22@3.50; choice, \$3.00@3.25; Californias, \$2.75@3.00,
HANANAS—Choice large stock, per bunch, \$2.00@2.25; medium sized bunches, \$1.50@2.00,
MISCELLANEOUS.

MISCELLANEOUS. TROPICAL FRUITS.

The oyster season is practically over, and to one is trying to do much in that line. There s, however, stock still to be had on the maret. Quotations: HONEY-Fancy white, per lb., 14c; choice, 2c; California ambier color, 10c. CIDER-Clarified juice, per half bbl., 43; per OYSTERS -Mediums, 15c; standards, 20c; extra OYSTERS-Mediums, Bc; standards, 29c; extra selects, Ec; company Felects, Er; New York counts, 29c; standard bulk, per gel., \$1.10. NUTS-Almends, California, per lb., medium size, 10c; Tarragona almonds, per lb., large, 12\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Brazils, per lb., 8c; English wainuts, per lb., fancy soft shell, 12c; medium size, 19c; filberts, per lb., 19c; pecans, poinshed medium, 8c; large, 19c; penuts, raw, 6\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; consted, 7\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. SAUER KRAUT-Per bbl., \$3.50; half bbl., \$2. FIGS-Imported fancy, 5 crown, 20-lb. boxes, tec, choice 10-lb. boxes, 3 crown, 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)floor. DATES-Halloween, per lb., 5c; fards, 10-lb. boxes, per lb., 7c. EXES, per lb., 7c.
MAPLE SYRUP—Five gal. cans., each, \$2.75;
cal. cans. per doz., \$12; ½ gal. cans, \$6.25; quart
cans. \$3.50.
MAPLE SUGAR—Choice, per lb., 9c.
PRESERVES—Assorted, 29-lb., pails, each, \$1.40.
COCOANUTS—Per 190, \$4.50; each, 5c.

DRESSED MEATS.

BEEF—Good steers, 499 to 600 lbs., 64,605/c; medium steers, 6c; good cows and helfers, 54,60 6c; medium cows and helfers, 54,60 fc; medium cows and helfers, 54,60 fc; good forequarters, cows and helfers, 4644/c; good hind-quarters, cows and helfers, 767/3c; good hind-quarters, steers, 74,608/3c; cow rounds, 54/c; cow plates, 34/c; benetess chucks, 4c; cow chucks, 23/c; steer chucks, 4c; beef tenderloins, 22c; beef rolls, boneless, 9c; sirloin butts, boneless, 9c; loin backs, boneless, 9c; loin backs, 74/c; cowribs, No. 3, 8c; cow loins, No. 3, 9c; beef trimmings, 24/c; rump butts, 5c; shoulder clods, 5c. MUTTON—Dressed lamb, 74/c; dressed mutton, 64/c; racks, 8c; legs, 9c; saddles, 9c; steep plucks, 3c; sheep tongues, per doz., 25c. PORK—Dressed hogs, 5c; pork loins, 64/c; spare ribs, 44/c; ham saursage butts, 44/c; pork shoulders, 44/c; pork shoulders, 44/c; pork shoulders, 44/c; pork shoulders, skinned, 44/c; pork trimmings, 4c; leaf lard, not rendered, 54/c; DRESSED MEATS.

4c; leaf lard, not rendered, 5%c; 14c. HIDES AND TALLOW.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 3½c; No. 2 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 green salted hides, 4½c; No. 2 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 green salted hides, 4½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 3½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 4½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 4½c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 6½c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 6½c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 6¢c; part cured hides, ½c per lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each 25@60c; Sheer lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP SHETS—Green salted, each 25@60c; green salted shearlings (short wooled early skins), each 15¢; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 19¢; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), No. 1 each, 5¢; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 46%c; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 46%c; dry flint Konsas and Nebraska Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 46%c; dry flint Colorado hutcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 46%c; dry flint Konsas, actual weight, 46%c; dry pleces and bucks, actual weight, 46%c; dry bleces and bucks, act HIDES AND TALLOW.

weight, 465c; feet cut off, as it is useless to pay freight on them.

TALLOW AND GREASE—Tallow, No. 1, 5c; tallow, No. 2, 3c; grease, white A, 3c; grease, white B, 25c; grease, 15c; grease, dark, 15c; dallow, No. 2, 3c; grease, white A, 3c; grease, white B, 25c; grease, grease, yellow, 15c; grease, dark, 15c; old butter, 26225c; old butter, 26225c; beeswax, prime, 15622c; rough tallow, 15c;

BONES—In car lots weighed and delivered in Chicago. Dry buffalo, per ton, \$2,00014,00; dry country, bleached, per ton, \$2,00014,00; dry country, bleached, per ton, \$10,00012,00; dry country, damp and meaty, per ton, \$2,0012,00; dry country, damp and meaty, per ton, \$2,0012,00; dry country, damp and meaty, per ton, \$2,0012,00; dry country, damp and heavy, \$67c; dup light, \$69c; cutted and broken, fine, 645c. Ficece, washed—Medium, 15615c; fine, 14616c; tub washed, 15615c; black, 8c; bucks, 6c; tag locks, 263c; dead pulled, 566c.

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Kansas City Markets.

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Kansas City April 18.—Wheat—Nominally, steady: No. 2 hard, 65c; No. 3, 204,54c; rejected, 256,40c; No. 2 red, 744,75c; No. 2, 656,75c; No. 2 spring, 616,95c; No. 3, 574,67c;
CORN—Weak, lower; No. 2 mixed, 225,6234c;
No. 2 white, 224,6234c;
OATS—Unchanged, dull,
RYE—No. 2, 234,9c;
HAY—Steady: timothy, choice, \$11,004,11.50
other grades, \$5,209,90.90; prairie, choice, \$7,00,8
8,00; others, \$1,004,6.90; prairie, choice, \$7,00,8
8,00; others, \$2,004,6.90; prairie, choice, \$10,004,70,004,90; prairie, choice, \$10,004,70,004,70,004,70; prairie, choice, \$10,004,70,004,70; prairie, choice, \$10,004,70,004,70; prairie, choice, \$10,004,70,004,70; prairie, choice, \$10,004,70,004,70; prairie, choice, \$10,004,70; prairie, cho

EGGS-Lower, fresh, \$14c.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, April 1s.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 7-11-16c; low middling, 7-12; good ordinary, 6-1-5c; net receipts, 641 bates; gross, receipts, 645 bates; expects, to Great Britain, 1.859 bates; constories, 22 bates; alex, 1.059 bates; stock, 166.862 bates; processor, 1.241 bates; forwarded, NEW YORK, April 18.—COTTON—Quiet; middling, 7-15-16c; receipts, 1.241 bates; forwarded, 25 bates; gales, 113 bates, all spliners; stock, 151.988 bates, ST. LOUIS, April 18.—COTTON—Dull; middling, 7-8-16c; sales, 866 bates receipts, 38 bates; shipments, 489 bates; stock, 54,091 bates.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Liberal Supply of Cattle with a Market Weak and Lower.

STO KERS AND FEEDERS RULE STEADY

Hog Receipts Only Fair and an Ace tive Demand Forced Prices Up 5 Cents_Week Closed 5 to 10 Cents Below the Opening.

SATURDAY, April 18. Receipts for the days indicated are: Cattle Hogs Indicated are:
Cattle Hogs Sheep Horses.

1817 2.058 8
1446 2.844 846 15
1.229 4.652 2.911 1
1.795 6.898 831 1.923 4.550 196 1.218 952 1.218 952 14
1.567 3.895 The receipts for the week, as compared

with previous weeks were: Receipts this week. 9,538 21,954 Receipts last week. 8,598 17,812 Same week last year. 7,954 19,123 Same week last. 18,152 34,256 Same week l880. 17,595 26,175 Same week l892 18,200 28,159 The official number of cars of stock rought in today by each road was: Cattle. Hogs

Total receipts...... 89

days. In consequence the buyers were only too willing to take off when the opportunity was presented.

Stockers and feeders were in very moderate supply; in fact, there were hardly enough to establish prices. Such as were here sold at about the same old prices, the market showing no quotable change.

HOGS-The receipts of hoss were light today, there being only 2,038 here, as against 2,787 yesterday and 3,088 on Saturday of last week. The light receipts and favorable advices framother markets were all on the side of the selling interests and biter prices were the result. The market opened with the buyers all in the field and all wanting hogs. The result was a fairly active market, with values 5c higher all around. The light hogs sold at \$3,500f2.55, the top being loc high r than yesterday. Hogs weighing over 400 pounds sold down to \$3,300 but the great bulk of the medium weight to heavy hogs sold at \$2,55673.45, as against \$3,300 but the great bulk of the medium weight to heavy hogs sold at \$2,55673.45, as against \$3,300 but the great bulk of the medium weight to heavy hogs sold at \$2,55673.45, as against \$3,300 2.49 yeaterday. Everything sold early, the yards being cleared before 10 o'clock.

This has been a low week in the hog market, in fact a record breaker in that respect. At the opening of the week hogs were selling at \$3,4507.55, fram which point the market went down rapidly until Thursday, when the bulk of the sales was reported at \$3,2563.30. That proved to be the low day of the week, as the market recovered some on Friday, and the further advance at the close left values only about \$640c lower than at the opening of the week, or 105/16c lower than the close of the previous week.

SHEEP—There were no sheep received today.

previous week. SHEEP—There were no sheep received today.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Shippers Were Good Buyers and Dressed Beef Was Firmer, CHICAGO, April 18.—Dressed beef, firmer, and dippers have been very good buyers at from \$3.20 to \$4.49 for common to prime steers, sales being largely at from \$3.75 to \$4.15, with extremely few above \$4.25. The government inspectors are condemning a great many light and common calves, and shippers are at last beginning to cease buying them at any price. Milkers and springers sell at \$20 to \$40 per head.

The demand for heasy was sufficient to absorb the limited offerings, as prices were strong and iargely 5c higher for heavy medium and mixed lots, walle light weights were steady. Common to choice heavy sold at from \$3.20 to \$3.70, packing lots selling largely at \$3.65, while medium weights sold up to \$1.85. Light hogs sold readily at \$3.65 and \$4.

In sheep the trade was moderately animated at the decline of 25c to 40c this week. Sheep are now selling at from \$2.50 to \$3.75 for poor to extra, largely at from \$2.50 to \$3.75 for poor to extra, largely at from \$2.50 to \$3.50, and lambs bring from \$3.75 to \$4.50.

Receipts: Cattle, 400 head; hogs, 11,000 head; sheep, 4,500 head. \$3.75 to \$4.15, with extremely

Stock in Sight. Record of receipts at the four principal mar-cets for April 18, 1896; | Cattle Hogs Sheep. | South Omaha | 1,817 | 2,938 | Chicago | 499 | 11,909 | 500 | Kannas City | 2,000 | 6,000 | 1,700 | St. Louis | 3,000 | 5,930 | 600 | Totals 8,217 24,058 2,600

St. Louis Live Stock, 1 ST. LOUIS, April 18.—CATTLE—Receipts 3,000 head; market steady; native steers, \$3.75@4.40; Texas steers, \$2.75@3.70. head. Market steady; light, \$3.40@3.70; mixed, \$3.25@3.60; heavy, \$3.30 SHEEP-Receipts, 400 head. Market steady at

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, April 15.—CATTLE—Receipts.
3,000 head; shipments, 2,000 head; market neminally steady; Texas steers, \$3,0093,50; Texas cows, \$2,0093,10; beef steers, \$3,0093,50; Texas cows, \$1,7503,30; stockers and feeders, \$3,3093,85; bulls, \$2,0093,10.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000 head; shipments, 1,300 head; market strong, 5c higher; bulk of sales, \$3,4093,55; heavies, \$3,0093,55; packers, \$3,4093,55; heavies, \$3,4093,55; heavies, \$3,5093,55; pags, \$3,5093,65.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,700 head; shipments, 1,100 head; nominally steady; lambs, \$3,1094,20; muttons, \$2,5093,50; Kansas City Live Stock. head; nominally tone, \$2.50@3.69.

St. Louis General Market. St. Louis General Market.

St. Louis General Market.

St. Louis April 18.—FLOUR—Easy and lower; patents, \$2,656(3.75) extra fancy, \$3.56(3.45) fancy, \$2,866(3.95) choice \$2,556(2.65).

WHEAT—Weather conditions were more favorable, buying was light and the selling enough to put prices down at the opening. Heavy clearance of flour and whent also had a bearish effect on the market, which inter became steady and rallied slightly, but closed tame \$4 to 10 below yeaterday. Spot, dull; No. 2 red, cash, 88e, bid, clevator; 70½c, track; May, 59%(5%%c; July, 92c, bid; August, Clyc, bid.

CORN—Futures, weak, with considerable more offered than the demand called for until May declined \$6c, and July \$5c. The market then steaded and recovered \$6c. closing \$6c inder yest rday. Spot, lower. No. 2 mixed, cash, 74%(57%c; May, 27½c; July, 28%(72%c).

OATS—May was weak on call and sold \$60 lower, but later had buyers \$5c better; July, \$5c bower. Spot, dull and lower, No. 2 cash, 18%c, bid; May, 18%c, bid; July, 19%c, bid.

RYE—37c, bid, clevator, east track.

CORN MEAL—31.46(3)1.45.

FLANSEED—Steady at \$2c.

TIMOTHY SEED—32.56(3)0.

HAY—Quiet, strong and higher for choice; pairs, \$6,86(3); 50; timothy, \$6.66(3); 12.50 this side.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 75c; turkeys, 16c; ducks, \$9c.

BUTTER Easier; creamery, 14618c; dairy, 126

Hec. EGGS Lower at \$4c. WHISKY-51.22 ProVISIONS-Park, Power: standard mess, pobling new \$8.77\(\text{i}\); old, \$3.37\(\text{i}\); Lard, lower: obolice, \$4.73\(\text{i}\); \$4.87\(\text{i}\); bounders, based, \$4.87\(\text{i}\); place, \$5.55\(\text{i}\); bounds, \$2.5\(\text{i}\); bounds, \$2.5\(\text{i}\); place, \$4.75\(\text{i}\); abouts, \$5.55\(\text{i}\); shorts, \$5.55\(\text{i}\); bounds, \$4.75\(\text{i}\); shorts, where, \$6.55\(\text{i}\); shorts, 14.75. METALS—Lead, nominal at \$2.77%. Spelter, nominal of \$2.50. RIDERTYS—PROOF, 5.090 bbls; wheat, 28.000 buller, 43.000 buller, 51.000 bul

MINNEAPOLIS, April 18 WHEAT-Slow, May, 61/29615c; July, 634c. PLOUE Quiet: first patents, 43.2562.5c; second, attents, 43.10673.20; first clears, 42.25; second,

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