change from Over All the Country -Much of Buying is for Investment.

NEW YORK, April 4.-Today was one of Violent excitement and extreme nervous tension in the stock market. Prices fluc-Wiofent excitement and extreme nervous Chicago I. & L. Chicago I. & L. do pfd.

Quated in an unprecedentedly violent and chicago & E. I. chicago & N. W. Chicago & N. W. Chicago & N. W. Chicago & N. W. Chicago & S. L. & P. Chicago & P. spirit had apparently run wild and no feat seemed too good to attempt in the feverish magination of the excited speculature.

The boldness and recklessness of the manipulation, however, probably were never before equalled on the New York Stock exchange and variations of a point or more change and variations of a point or more do pfd..... before equalled on the New Toring of the Change and variations of a point or more do pfd.... between sales were viewed with much Eric do lst pfd. Detween sales were viewed with much consumity. Blocks of thousands of shares of stock were tossed backward and forward and millions of dollars were ventured with no more concern than though pennies were being pitched. News of actual conditions of properties played no part whatever in the speculation. The method of operations was largely to follow designated leadership. A sudden and violent advance in any stock was sufficient to attract an overwhelming following, in which the garden for the leaders, who hastened to unload. Monday seemed a remote period in the view of the speculators, and their operations did not appear to be designed to go beyond today's trading. The market was an admirable ones in which to unload stock, and it is within reason to suppose that the excitement was stimulated by every possible artful device to further their object. How far it was taken advantage of may be inferred from the comparatively small number of stocks which retain any Price of Littie Matter.

N. J. Central N. Y. Contral Object. How far it was taken advantage of may be inferred from the comparatively small number of stocks which retain any important net gains, in spite of the appearance of extreme buoyancy which the market had for most of the time. The trunk line stocks, illinois Central Amaignmated Cepper, Colorado Fuel and some of the dormant investment stocks may be set apart, although none of them closed near the highest prices. Otherwise small gains or considerable losses will be found to be the rule. The precipitate manner in which long stock was unloaded on the onening bulge showed the cagerness of the bulls to take their profits.

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The violent manner in which prices broke showed that a point in the matter of price was of little account in consideration of making a cutek sale. The outside speculative public were excited buyers at the opening, attracted by yesterday's extraordinary advances and the execution of their orders, which were apparently without limit as to price, caused a bullish opening. Profit-taking met the advance immediately. When the first storm of liquidation had spent itself efforts were made to revive the speculative enthusiasm by bidding up new stocks. The attempt met with considerable success, although profit-taking continued heavy under cover of the late advance in the trunk lines and Amalgamated Copper. The market's sensitive spot was clearly indicated by its action under the influence of the flurry in call money to above 6 per cent. Some stocks touched the lowest level of the day in the spasm of harden the form of the late and the lat above 5 per cent. Some stocks touched the lowest level of the day in the spasm of liquidation thus forced. When the money rate fell back covering by shorts caused some violent recoveries, but the closing was exceedingly feverish and irregular. The large demands of the interior for cash and the prospect of a weak bank statement explain the flurry. Space forbids an extended crumeration of the price changes. It is sufficient to specify the extreme advances of 6% in New York Central, 4 in Pennsylvania, 4%, in Rock Island, 8% in Amalgationated Copper, 4% in Illinois Central, 11½ in Colorado Fiel, 10% in the preferred and 10 to 4 points in an extended fist. Rusiness in bonds was not so large relatively as in stocks and the movement of prices was Irregular. Total sales, par value, 12,708,000. United States old 48, coupon, advanced 44 per cent on the last call.

Speculation Runs Riot.

peculation has been fairly rampant on stock market during the short week and the stock market during the short week and the violent price movement and the unprecedented volume of the dealings in the stocks which have held the foremost place in the dealings indicate wildness and reckless excess. The speculative fever is evidently widely extended and the telegraph plays an important part in the dealings, bringing orders to the Stock exchange in immense volume from all over the country. A notable feature of the market is that stocks most notably affected have been the high-grade dividend-paying railroad stocks. There have been old rumors revived regarding these properties to carry along the Bedvance, but of actual news regarding these there has been none of importance and the rumors have been met with emphatic official denials in many instances. These rumors have been met with emphatic official denials in many instances. These
denials have been totally ignored by the
speculators, who have continued to buy the
stocks on an enormous scale and to bid up
the prices with reckless confidence and
then to cite the continued rise in prices as
confirmation of the rumors. The tucreasing
wildness of the speculation has been viewed
with misgivings by many observers, and
many of the mere conservative commission
houses have advised their customers to sell
out and take their profits. But such advice
counts for little when the selling is repeatedly followed by renewed buoyancy or further excited advances, which leave the sellers disappointed of the additional profits
they might have enjoyed and there has been
little difficulty at any period of the week in
attracting renewed speculative ventures
from sold-out buils.

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The leadership has remained in the hands of experienced and skilled operators, supplied, apparently, with superabundant means, which argues the precipitation of speculation of large capitalists. The conviction has been widespread that much of the buying was for investment by bankers and capitalists and by representatives of other railroads seeking extension of interest and control. This supposition cannot be verified in any authoritative manner, but it is manifest to a tyro in market affairs that speculative buying plays the most important part in the market, for the recorded transactions in many stocks within a short time are sufficient to have effected a change of control of the properties several times over if they had represented in any considerable proportion genuine transfers of he shares traded in. There has been a sermous proint-taking at every stage of the advance and this is adduced as evicence of the health of the market and as showing a process of digestion of long stock. Skilled Operators Are Leaders.

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But it is to be borne in mind that the taking of profits involves a buyer at the high level as well as at the lower. No adequate judgment can be formed of the health of the market until the character of these buyers, who are the present holders, becomes better known. This can only be a considerable reaction in prices. So far as the buying has been by investors who are satisfied with the return on the money they paid for stocks or will held them for purposes of control or in the confidence that they will increase in value, there is no danger to be apprehended from a relapse in prices. But if the buyers who have afforded profits to the alert professional operators are merely widely scattered speculators who have bought with borrowed money on a margin with the purpose to sell out at a higher level at a profit. It is easy to see that the market's technical position is much weakened as a result of the week's happenings in the stock market. Such holders lack both the skill and the resources to protect their holdings by supporting prices either by confident buying or offerings, or by manipulation. An extensive reaction wipes out their margins and covers stoploss orders which may demoralize a market which is overloaded with such speculative accounts. Such a condition is feared in the present market and prices are considered unjustifiably high. But so long as the buying continues on the present large scale, however speculative its character may be, prices will continue to advance as a matter of course.

Money Market Continues Easy.

The continued cheapness and abundance of money fosters the speculation and it is considered improbable that it will receive any considerable check while the resources of the money market last. The quarterly disbursements of interest and dividends have afforded relief to the money markets all over the world this week. In New York the purchase of short-term government bonds for the sinking funds by the secretary of the treasury was an additional factor to toward relief. But influences are at work both at home and abroad to impair the market supply of credits. The subscriptions to the German loan of \$55,000,000 have affected all the great money markets of the world and have undoubtedly caused in an indirect manner withdrawal of gold from this country. Paris has been a large subscriber, and withdrew funds from London for that purpose. London has, in effect, borrowed gold in New York as being the cheapest money center, and shipped it to Paris in payment of obligations. Looking to the future it is expected that the British government will offer its £20,000,000 war loan for subscription during the latter part of April. The Easter holidays in the country sections is making large inroads WHIS goods.

SPECULATION RUNS WILD in the Bank of England's reserve, this, with the decrease in bullion, amounting to over £10,000,000. London inancial authorities do not expect a large return flow during April. That the floation of the loss will lead to a considerable movement of gold from New York to London direct in the form of the probabilities of the future.

The activity of the railroad bond market has been affected by the interest diverted to the stock market and prices have moved in the stock market and prices have moved the stock market and prices have moved to the stock market and prices have moved to the stock market and prices have moved the stock market and prices on the stock market and prices have moved to the stock market and prices have moved the stock market and prices have moved to the stock market and prices are the constitution of the stock market and prices are the stoc

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New York Money Market.

NEW YORK April 4.—MONEY—On call, firmer at 1526 per cent; last loan, 3½ per cent.

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New York Mining Stocks. NEW YORK, April 4.—The following are quotations on mining stocks:

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Rank Clearings.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, April 4.—Bank clearings today, \$865.33; corresponding day last year, \$1,-125.34; decrease, \$341.049.
CHICAGO, April 4.—Clearings, \$26.871.838; balances, \$5,377.489; posted exchange, \$4.85½, \$24.86; New York exchange, \$5e discount.
ST. LOUIS, April 4.—Clearings, \$6,826.35; balances, \$655.022; money, 5077 per cent; New York exchange, 25e discount bid, 19e discount asked.
CINCINNATI, April 4.—Clearings, \$3,279,909; New York exchange, 45\(\pi\)200 discount; money, 33\(\pi\)200 per cent.
PHILADELPHIA, April 4.—Clearings, \$13,48,56; balances, \$3,160,30.
BALTIMORE, April 4.—Clearings, \$5,855,259; balances, \$587.25.
BOSTON, April 4.—Clearings, \$28.795,577; 57; balances, \$2,370,308.
NEW YORK, April 4.—Clearings, \$21,-298,881; balances, \$19,278,613.

Condition of the Treasury. WASHINGTON, April 4.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$160,104,351; gold, \$99,351,980.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions. ST LOUIS, April 4.—WHEAT—Higher; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 70%c; track, 72@ 3%c; May, 71%c; July, 70%c; No. 2 hard. 

RYE-Steady at 52c. FLOUR-Quiet: patents, \$3.5063.65; extra ancy and straight, \$3.1963.25; clear, \$2.709 SEEDS-Timothy, steady; average re-cipts, \$3.2564.00; prime worth more; flax.

CORNMEAL—Steady at \$2.10. BRAN—Dull and easy; sacked, cast track, HAY-Prairie, firm, \$7.00@10.50; timothy,

HAY-Prairie, firm, \$7,00610.50; timothy, steady, \$8,50213.50.

WHISKY-Steady at \$1.27.
IRON COTTONTIES—\$1.
BAGGING—\$1,000.
HEMP TWINE—90.
PROVISIONS—Pork. lower; jobbing, \$15.25. Lard, higher, \$8,42½. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed lots, extra shorts, \$8,37½; clear ribs, \$3.50; clear sides, \$8,62½. Bacon, steady; boxed lots, extra shorts, \$8,37½; clear ribs, \$9,25; clear sides, \$9,37½.
METALS—Lead, steady, \$4,22½. Spelter, lower; sales, \$3,77½.
POULTRY—Steady; chickens, \$c; turkeys, \$6,10c; ducks, \$c; geese, 465c.
BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 16622c; dairy, 149,17c.
EG65—Steady, 11½c, repacked and cases included. Included RECEIPTS Flour, 4,000 bBls; wheat, 14,-000 bu; corn, 26,000 bu; oats, 37,000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Flour, 15,000 bbls; wheat, 66,000 bu; corn, 113,000 bu; oats, 27,000 bu.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL Steady Cables Check Decline Recently

Started in Corn Market. WHEAT CLOSES LOWER BUT STEADY

Onts Speculative Business Light, but Prices Strong Under Good Cash Demand-Indertone of Provisions is Ensfer.

CHICAGO, April 4.-Corn and oats re covered part of yesterday's loss today while wheat held steady. The grain trade was excited generally, shorts covering chiefly under the influence of cables, orn closed the and May oats he higher Wheat closed 14711c clower and provisions at a loss of 5@25c.

Hands across the sea came to the of the holders of May corn and Phil-lips, the bull leader, had little to do save to witness a favorable turn of the market as a recompense for yesterday's setback. The Liverpool market rendered notable service in refusing to follow the decline on this side yesterday. This attitude frightened shorts and for half an hour at the opening trade was wild. The volume probably aggregated less than yesterday, but everybody except Phillips, who bought but twice during the day, was in it. Compared with the previous close at this, the market opened with bids ranging from 42e to 43e. Phillips took 200,000 bushels. The market worked back to 424e during the forenoon. About noon a commission firm offered 250,000 bushels of May at 425c. Phillips took it and offered the same price for another similar lot. He did not get it, but the affair created renewed alarm among shorts. The market suddenly began advancing and stopped only after 425c had been touched. The close was at 434c. Pse over yesterday and only 4c under Monday. Local receipts were 255 cars, 38 of contract grade.

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When twee the had bought on the slump the previous session expecting an upturn, found a very weak market. Under their offerings the market eased off. Country lots came out on the decline and May was forced down to 714c, 4c under yesterday's weakest point. A sharp cash demand and the strength in oats and corn later caused covering by shorts and May railed to 724c lower at 724c.

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The leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y

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ats— May July	25@16 25	25% 25%	25 24%	25% 25%	24% 24%
May	15 45	15 45	14 95	15 20	15 45
July	15 25	15 30	14 92½	15 07%	15 25
May	\$ 50	8 52%	8 32½	8 4216	8 4715
July	8 30	8 32%	8 20	8 2716	8 2715
Sept.	8 30	8 32%	8 20	8 2716	8 2715
May	8 27%	8 30	8 12½	8 20	8 95
July	8 17%	8 17%	8 02½	8 12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	8 15
Sept.	8 15	8 17%	8 02½	8 10	8 15

Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Easy: winter patents, \$3.8563.90; straights, \$3.2963.70; clears, \$2.6963.40; spring specials, \$4.30; patents, \$3.5963.80; straights, \$3.0963.39; bakers, \$2.2969.250, WHEAT-No. 3 spring, 67671c; No. 2 red. WHEAT-No. 3 spring, 67971c; No. 2 red, 104974c, CORN-No. 2, 424c; No. 2 yellow, 424c, OATS-No. 2, 264426'sc; No. 2 white, 28426'sc; No. 3 white, 279728'c, RYE-No. 2, 52246'53c, BARLEY-Good feeding, 406'46c; fair to choice malting, 496'5c, SEEDS-No. 1 flax, \$1.55, No. 1 northwestern, \$1.56; prime timothy, \$4.056'4.10; clover, contract grade, \$11

contract grade, \$11.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., \$15.10.
Lard, per 100 lbs., \$15.15. Short ribs sides (loose). \$5.503.60. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$8.1038.30. Short clear sides (boxed).

WHISKY-Basis of high wines, \$1.27. Following are the receipts and shipments for today: Receipts, Shipments On the Produce exchange today the

ter market was quiet; creameries, 15920'4er dairies, 11918c. Cheese, quiet, 11912'4c. Eggs, active; fresh, 12912'4c. NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quotations of the Day on Various

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NEW YORK, April 4.—FLOUR—Receipts, 8.835 bbls.; exports, 7.442 bbls.; market weak, inclined lower. Minnesota patents, 81,9094,25; Minnesota bakers, 82,909, 3.25; winter patents, 82,8594,09; winter straights, 83,8093,30; winter extras, \$2,409, 2.89; winter low grades, \$2,2092,75. Rye flour, quiet fair to good, \$2,8092,15; choice to fancy, \$3,2093,45. Buckwheat flour, quiet at \$2,1092,15. ) fancy, \$2.2092.45. Buckwheat flour, quie t \$2.1062.15. BUCKWHEAT—Dull at \$0662c, c. i. f. at \$2.1002.15.

BUCKWHEAT—Duil at \$9062c, c. i. f., New York.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, 91c; city, 96c; Brandywine, \$2.4502.50.

RYE—Duil; No. 2 western, 61c f. o. b., afloat; state, 56957c, c. i. f., carlots.

BARLEY—Steady; feeding, 4694814c, c. i. f. New York; malting, \$2570c.

BARLEY MALT—Duil; western, 65072c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 61,400 bu; exports, 4,250 bu. Spot market quiet; No. 2 red, 794c f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 red, 794c f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duiuth, 865c f. o. b., afloat, No. 1 hard Duluth, 894c f. o. b., afloat, Options were again unsettled, but somewhat less active than yesterday. Firm at first on cables, they broke later because of renewed liquidation, fine home crop news and less favorable export talk, only to rally in the last half hour with corn and on covering. Closed casy at 4c declined May, 778-6773c, closed 78c; September, 767-6c/2773c, closed 775c.

CORN—Receipts, 71,750 bu; exports, 52,-

closed 78c; September, 70%cerrise, closed 777gc.

CORN—Receipts, 71.750 bu.; exports, 52.535 bu.; spot, firm; No. 2, 487gc elevator, 427gc f. o. b., affoat. Option market developed unexpected strength today, regaining part of yesterday's loss on more vigorous support by Chicago bulls, small receipts, rather firm cables, fair clearances and local covering. Clesing firm at ½c net advance. May, 472 647%c, closed 487gc; July, 47647%c, closed 473gc; September, 462647%c, closed 474gc. closed Thec. OATS-Receipts, 160,500 bu; exports, 8,285 bu. Spot quiet; No. 2, 304c; No. 3, 30c; No. 2 white, 324c63374c; No. 3 white, 32c; track, mixed western, 304305c; track white western, 3145736c; track white state, 31427 36c. Options fairly active and firm with corp.

HAY-Steady: shipping, 75@7714c; good to

bellies, \$5.756710.50; pickled shoulders, \$7; pickled hams, \$9.506710.00, Lard, easy; western steamed, \$8.50; refined, quiet; continent, \$9.50; South America, \$9.75; compound, \$5.75695.8745, Pork, steady, family, \$16.506717.00; short clear, \$15.006717.00; mess, \$75.56916.50 \$15.50\(\text{16.50}\)
HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 100 crop, 17\(\text{2.50}\); (829 crop, 11\(\text{2.50}\); old clds, 12\(\text{2.50}\); Pacific coast, 1990 crop, 18\(\text{2.50}\); (120) TALLAW-Quiet; city, 5@5%c; country, 5@ BUTTER-Receipts, 2,287 pkgs; firm; creamery, fresh, 18922c; factory, 1197144c. CHEESE-Receipts, 2,290 pkgs; firm; fancy, large, colored and white, 119714sc, fancy, small, colored, 124,97124c; fancy, small, white, 129124c.
EGGS-Receipts, 14,750 pkgs; western, fresh, 119c; storage, western, 134,974c; southern, at mark, 124,97124c.
POULTRY-Alive, dull and nominal; dressed, slow.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS. Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Pancy Produce. EGGS—Receipts liberal; good stock, firm

LIVE POULTRY-Hens, \$c; young and old roosters, \$67c; turkeys, \$68c; ducks and geese, 12 74c. GAME.—Mallard ducks, per doz., \$2.75@3.00; teal, \$1.25@1.50; mixed, \$1.25@1.50. BUTTER—Common to fair, 12@12c; choice, 149 lie: separator, 22c.

PRESH OYSTERS—First grade, solid packed, New York counts, per can, 38c; extra selects, 32c; standards, 25c; medium, 26c. Second grade, slack filled, New York counts, per can, 38c; extra selects, 26c; standards, 26c; bulk standards, per gal., \$1.25.

FRESH FISH—Black bass, 16c; white bass, 16c; bulkefish, 11c; bullheads, 8c; blue fills, 7c; buffalos, 6c; catfish, 12c; cod, 8c; cropple, 8c; ciscoes, 7c; hallbut, 11c; herring, 4c; haddock, 9c; mackerel, 15c; perch, 3c; pickerel, 6c; pike, 8c; red snapper, 19c; salmon, 11c; sunfish, 5c; smelts, 8c; trout, 9c; whitetish, 8c.

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9c; whitefish, 8c.
PIGEONS-Live, per doz., \$1.
VEALS-Choice, 9cHec.
HAY-Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale
Hay Dealers' association: Choice upland,
\$9; No. 1 upland, \$3.50; medium, \$8; coarse,
\$7.50. Rye straw, \$5.50. These prices are for
hay of good color and quality. Demand
fair. Receipts, 4 cars.
OATS-No. 2 white, 28c.
CORN-No. 3, 42c.
BRAN-\$15.

VEGETABLES. VEGETABLES,
SPINACH—Per bu, box, 75c.
ASPARAGUS—California, per lb., 16c.
RHUBARB—California, per lb., 19c.
NEW BELTS—Per doz., 69c.
NEW CARROTS—Per doz., 69c.
NEW TURNIPS—per doz., 69c.
CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, per doz., \$1.5060

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PARSNIPS—Per bu., 40c.
TURNIPS—Per bu., 40c.
BEETS—Per bu., 40c.
CARROTS—Per bu., 40c.
LETTUCE—Per bu., 356/40c.
RADISHES—Per doz., 356/55c.
PARSLEY—Per doz., 35c.
POTATOES—Per bu., 45/255c; Colorado,

SEED POTATOES-Early Ohios, 55000c; Red River Valley, 90c; Triumph, \$1.10. SWEET POTATOES—Per bbl., \$1.75. CABBAGE—Holland seed, per lb., 2c; new California, 114c.
TOMATOES—Florida, per 6-basket crate,
\$4: Mexicans, per 4-basket crate, \$2.50.
ONIONS—Ohio, per bu., \$1.75@2.00.
CELERY—California, as to size, 50@75c;

Kalamazoo, 25630c. CAULIFLOWER-California, per crate, \$2,5063.00. BEANS-Wax, per bu., \$3.50; string, per bu., \$3.25. EGG PLANT—Per bu. box, \$3. PEPPERS—Per bu. box, \$2.25. FRUITS. STRAWBERRIES—Florida, per qt., \$\theta\_c;\$

STRAWBERRIES—Florida, per qu., sec.
Texas, 25q20c.
GRAPES—Malaga, per keg, \$7.50q2,00.
APPLES—Per bbl., \$4.25; Washington, per bu. box, \$1.75; Bellflowers, \$1.90.
CRANBERRIES—Bell and Bugle, \$9 per bbl; Jerseys, per bbl., \$8.50; per crate, \$3.
TROPICAL FRUITS.
ORANGES—California seedlings, \$2.00@
2.25; navels, \$2.75@3.00.
LEMONS—California, extra fancy, \$3.25@
2.50; choice, \$3.

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LEMONS—California, extra fancy, \$2.256
3.50; choice, \$3
BANANAS—Per bunch, according to size,
45; choice, \$3
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HOPS—At London, Pacific coast, steady, at £4@4 lös. at £464 15s.

Receipts of wheat during the last two days, 211,000 centals, including 151,000 American. Receipts of corn during the last three days, 126,500 centals. Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, April 4—WHEAT—May, 660,664c; July, 664,0665c; cash, No. 2 hard, 679,68c; No. 3, 664,007c; No. 2 red, 696,70c; 67638c; No. 2, 695436c; No. 2 Fed, 699 6c; No. 3, 67149675,c.
CORN-May, 394c; July, 494c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 404c; No. 2 white, 41c; No. 3, 49c.
OATS-No. 2 white, 2754622c.
RYE-No. 2, 48659c.
HAY-Choice timothy, \$10.50611.00; choice prairie, \$2.0639.50.
BUTTER-Creamery, 17620c; dairy, fancy, 136175. EGGS-Steady; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, 11½c per doz., loss off, cases returned; new whitewood cases included, ½c more.

RECEIPTS-Wheat, 39,200 bu.; corn, 14,400 bu.; oats, 11,000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 44,800 bu.; corn, 24,-800 bu.; oats, 4,000 bu.

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MINNEAPOLIS, April 4.—WHEAT—Cash, 72%c: May, 71%471%c: July, 73%c: on track, No. 1 hard, 74%c: No. 1 northern, 72%c: No. 2 northern, 85%765%c.

FLOUR—Lower: first patents, \$3.55%3.95; second patents, \$3.56%.75; first clears, \$2.95%3.65; second clears, \$2.95%3.65; second clears, \$2.95%3.65; second clears, \$2.95%3.75; first clear

Toledo Grain Market. 401ac; July, 433ac. OATS-Dull; cash, May and July, 28c. RYE-52c. CLOVERSEED-1899 prime, \$6.70; cash, \$6.75; October, \$5.50.

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA, April 4.—BUTTER— Firm; good demand; fancy western cream-ery, 225c; fancy western prints, 22c; fancy Hearby, 25c.
EGGS-Firm; good demand; fresh nearby
the fresh western, 14c; fresh southwestern He: fresh western, Me: fresh s Me: fresh southern, Mc. CHEESE-Firm but steady.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, April 4-WHEAT-Dull; No. 1 northern, 729/72/2c; No. 2 northern, 70 67012c. RYE. Steady; No. 1, 3512c. BARLEY-Dull; No. 2, 5712c; sample, 406

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.
SOUTH ST. JOSEPH April 4.—(Special.)
—The Journal quotes:
CATTLE—Receipts, 1.100 head; market, steady to 10c higher; stockers, 25c lower; natives. 34.2595.40; Texas and westerns. 32.5595.25; cows and heifers, \$2.2594.75; bulls and stags, \$2.2594.55; yearlings and calves, \$4.7594.5c; stockers and feeders, \$3.594.5c; veals, \$4.7597.00.
HOGS—Receipts, 5.200 head; market steady to 25c higher; all grades, \$5.999.6.174; bulk of sales, \$6.099.6.074; plgs, strong, SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 500 head; market active and steady; lambs, \$4.9995.15; yearlings, \$4.7595.00; wethers, \$4.094.75; ewes, \$2.594.50.

New York Live Stock Market. NEW YORK, April 4.—BEEVES-Re-celpts, 500 head; nominally steady; cables unchanged; no shipments today; calves, re-celpts, 24 head; about steady; veals, 14.002 7.00 SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 1.183 head; sheep, steady; lambs, dull; common sheep, \$4.50; lambs, \$5.50; 00; clipped lambs, \$5.00; 60; spring lambs, \$5.25 per head. HOGS-Receipts 2,083 head; market, firm at \$6.25; 6.40.

Good Demand for Choice Cattl cat Steady to Strong Prices.

A TRIFLE BETTER

Ewes and Wethers Brought Fully Stendy Prices, but Lambs Were Slow and Fifteen to a Quarter Lower for the Week.

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SOUTH OMAHA, April 4.
Four days this week 11.519 21.512 18.855 Same days last week 12.411 21.855 20.98 Same week before 11.521 23.856 27.65 Same three weeks ago 10.948 25.852 20.58 Same four weeks ago 10.148 25.852 20.58 Same days last year 12.172 25.451 19.33 Average price paid for hogs for the past several days, with comparisons:
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per of head indicated:			
Buyers:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
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G. H. Hammond Co	. 373	1,184	26
Swift and Company	393	1.245	253
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Armour & Co		1,937	689
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Hamilton & Rothschild	67	****	
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B. F. Hobbick		25.555	2777
Wolf & M		4.512	204
Other buyers	301	870	F4.43
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CATTLE—There was a fair run of cattle here today, but the demand on the part of packers was in good shape, and as a result the market did not show any radical change.

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131 feeder lambs

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37 western wethers

6 native lambs

412 Nebraska lambs

5 spring lambs

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128 spring lambs

248 Colorado lambs

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. Cattle Steady-Hogs Close Strong-

Chilcago. April 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 12.600 head including 200 head Texans, steers, steady; butcher stock and Texans, strong; good to prime steers, \$5.0026.00; poor to medium, \$3.7524.20; stockers and feeders, steady, \$2.7524.75; cows, \$2.3522.45; heifers, \$2.854.75; canners, stronger, \$2.902.80; bulls, \$2.7524.59; calves about steady, \$4.5026.12½; Texas-fed steers, sales 5 cars, \$5.1526.30 and \$4.1027.30; Texas grass steers, \$3.4024.00; Texas buils, \$2.7524.90.

HOGS—Receipts, 22.000 head; tomorrow, 20.000 head; estimated; left over, 2.500 head; steady, closing strong; top, \$6.22½; mixed and butchers, \$5.9026.15; opod choice heavy, \$6.0526.22½; rough heavy, \$5.9026.00; light, \$5.8526.12½; bulk of sales, \$6.0026.15.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 15.000 head; sheep, slow; lambs, strong; good to choice wethers, \$4.9026.15; fair to choice mixed, \$4.6024.26; western sheep, \$4.9026.15; yearlings, \$4.8525.25; native lambs, \$1.7526.45; western lambs, \$5.1026.85. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY. April 4—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500 head natives, 500 head Texans, 100 head calves; heavy steers, steady; light and Texans, steady to 5c higher; stockers and feeders, steady to 15c higher; native beef steers, 34,55 stockers and feeders, 23,85 %5.00; western-fed steers, \$4,5595.10. Texans and Indians, \$4,2595.00; cows, \$2,2594.50; heifers, \$3,5065.05; canners, \$2,5063.15; bulls, \$2,2594.56; calves, \$5,0056.25;
HIGGS—Receipts, 12,000 head; market opened 5c higher; closed steady; top, \$6,17½; bulk of sales, \$6,0076.12½; heavy, \$6,65% 6,67½; mixed packers, \$6,0076.10; light, \$5,80% 6,62½; pigs, \$4,5065.70;
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,000 head; sheep, steady; lambs, 5c higher; westhead; sheep, steady; lambs, 5c higher; western lambs, \$4.1925.25; western wethers, \$4.50 35.00; western yearlings, \$4.7525.00; ewest. \$4.2525.55; culls, \$2.7524.00; spring lambs, \$6.5027.50.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, April 4—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000 head, including 1,200 head Texans; market, steady for natives; steady to strong, in some instances 10c higher, for Texans; martive shipping and export steers, 34,506,530; dressed beef and butcher steers, 34,000,530; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$1,500,460; stockers and feeders, 2,5504,70; canners, \$1,2592,75; bulls, \$3,000,4.00; cows and heifers, \$2,000,475; Texas and Indian steers, \$4,000,520; cows and heifers, \$2,5504,70; canners, \$1,2502,70; cows and heifers, \$2,500,60; head; market, steady; pigs and lights, \$5,500,60; packers, \$5,550,605; butchers, \$6,650,620.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, \$60 head; market, strong; native muitons, \$4,000,500; lambs, \$5,000,550; spring lambs, \$6,000,00; culls and bucks, \$4,000,515; western yearlings, \$5. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

Stonx City Live Stock Market. SIOUN CITY. April 4.—(Special Tele-gram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 389 head; mar-Correspondence, John A. Warren & Co-

ket steady; beeves, 34.0074.78; cows and buils mixed, \$2.2074.60; stockers and feed-ers, \$2.2074.40; cuives and yearlings, \$2.2076 HOGS-Receipts, 2,000 head; market 25-in higher, selling at \$5.30-pt. 67-6; bulk, \$5.37-1.

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