### Che New Hork Cimes. By ALEXANDER DANA NOYES.

New York, Feb. 7.—The particufar interest of financial markets today was fairly divided between the further advance in wheat price, and the continued upward sweep of sterling exchange. At the day's high mark of \$1.30 5.8 per bushel, wheat for the May delivery stood exactly 20c above the price of a week ago and 27 5.8c above the low point of the season.

Except for central Europe, foreign exchange on practically all European markets went today above the year's previous high level. Sterling moved forward 11-2c to \$4.345-8, which compared with \$4.27 a week ago, \$4.191-2 a month ago, and a maximum rate of \$4.241-8 in the two and a half preceding years.

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Not much can be added to comment which has already been made on this remarkable movement, except to say that Wall street is at last goting to understand that it has as large economic meaning as did the equally rapid and continuous downward sweep of rates in 1919. But Wall street is hardly to be blanned for having so long misread both the sterling market and the European economic situation when not only were the London philosophers taiting last autumn of "stabilizing" the pound sterling at 12.51, but when, a very few months ago, one of the most important English financiers informed his American friends that the rate would not go above 11.86 and that Lumbard street was content to stay around that figure.

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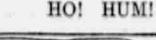
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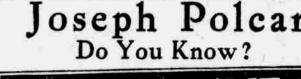
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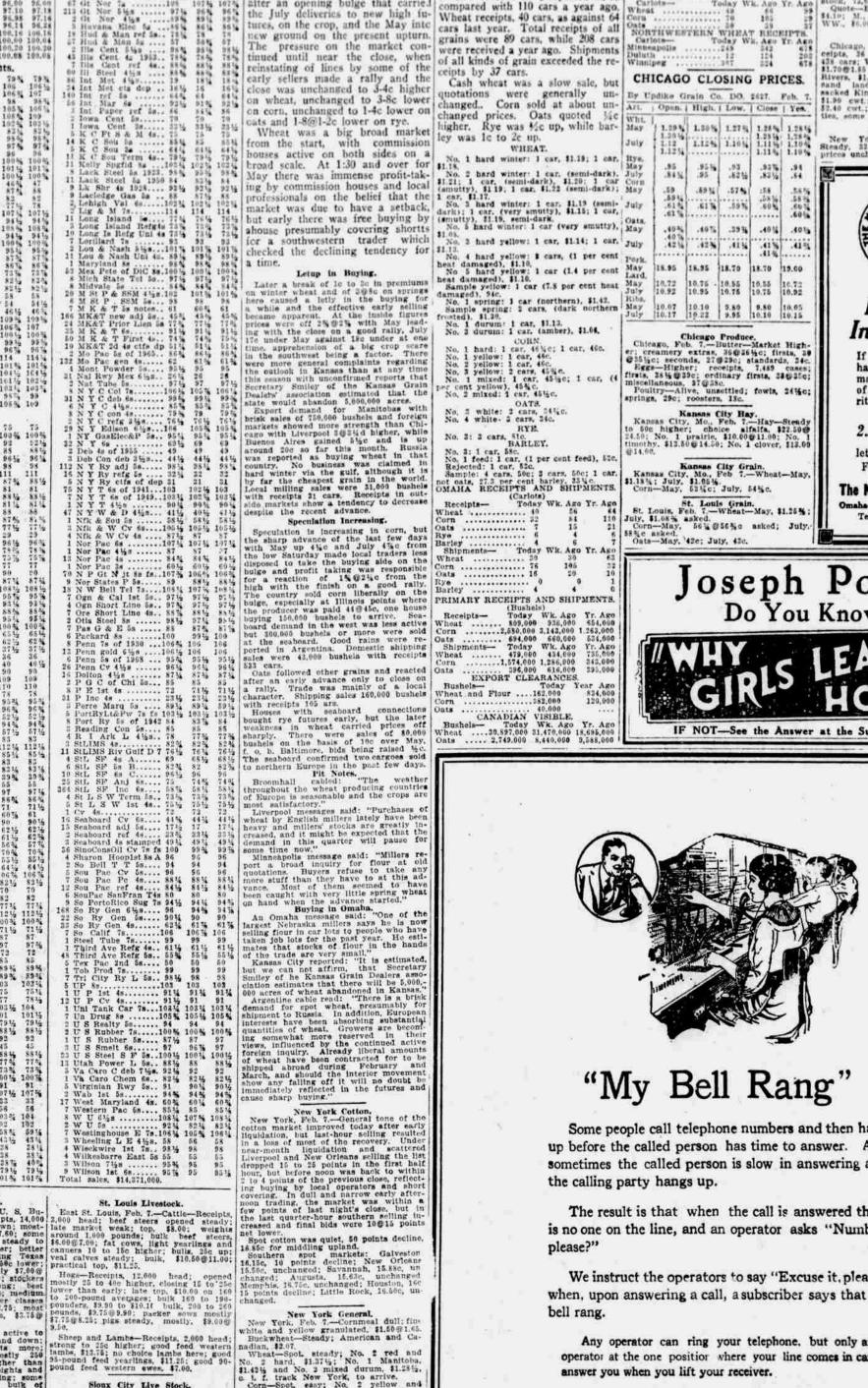
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Joseph Polcar Do You Know?



IF NOT-See the Answer at the Sun-Next Week



# "My Bell Rang"

Some people call telephone numbers and then hang up before the called person has time to answer. And sometimes the called person is slow in answering and

The result is that when the call is answered there is no one on the line, and an operator asks "Number,

We instruct the operators to say "Excuse it, please" when, upon answering a call, a subscriber says that his

Any operator can ring your telephone, but only an operator at the one position where your line comes in can answer you when you lift your receiver.

