COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Fluctuated Frequently Yesterday Within Very Narrow Limits,

CORN AV. RAGED QUIET AND FIRMER

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CHICAGO, April 25,-Wheat fluctuated frequently today within narrow limits and finished 46c higher for May. The firmer feeling resulted largely from the dry Corn, oats and provisions closed

with but little change. There were the same characteristics to the market news concerning wheat today as on the day before. The foreign markets were firm, Liverpool being quoted 4d higher for California and 12d higher for red winter. The primary market receipts were largely in excess of the movement at the corresponding date of the year before and there was no material change from the pre-viously prevailing dry weather conditions. The market acted very nervously, with frequent changes, over a range of about %c per bu. The short sellers were for the greater part of the forenoon on the defensive and the price during the greater part of the time maintaned itself above the level of yesterday's closing quotations. The Cir. cinnati Price Current rather leaned toward cinnati Price Current rather leaned toward the opinions that wheat in some sections was suffering for want of moisture, but indicated no general immediate need of it. A few light showers were discovered to have fallen in southwestern Kansas, and that was made the basis of several attacks upon the market by the bears. The Minneapolis and Duluth receipts were 38 cars, against 164 a year ago. The total quantity received at the primary markets was 225,000 bu., compared with 171,000 bu. a year ago. Export dearances of wheat and flour from the Atlantic ports amounted to 313,000 bu. The opening price of May was at an advance of from Sec to 4ec at 60%c, and July made a similar gain, starting at 61%c to 51%c. May sold many times over the range of 60%c and 50%c, and July made a similar gain, starting at 61%c to 51%c. May sold many times over the range of 60%c and 50%c, and July between 61c and 61%c, the most general values being about midway between the extremes. In the end July closed at 61%c and May at 60c.

The corn market was quiet and firmer on the average. The receipts were 180 cars and 300 are estimated for tomorrow. Primary market receipts were 205,000 bu., against 307,000 bu. on the corresponding day of the year before. Some buying by elevator representatives was supposed to represent corresponding sales of cash corn they had made. The opening price of July was 48c. It sold as high as 48%c and as low as 47%c, and the latter price was bid at the close.

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cars; corn, 300 cars; oats, 220 cars; no, 18,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open:]	High.	LOW:	Closa
Wheat, No. 2 April May July Sept	60%	60% 60% 61% 62%	5036 5034 61 618(636	50% 60 61% 62%
Com No. 2. April. May. July. Sept.	47% 47% 48 48 4836636	47% 47% 48% 48%	4074 4714 4794 4994	47 47% 47% 48% 84
Onte No. 2 May June July	2854 2954 2856	29% 29% 29% 29%	28% 20% 28%	283 203 283603
Pork per bbl May July	12 25 12 52%	12 25 12 52%	$^{12\ 10}_{12\ 32\%}$	12 20 12 474
Lard, 100 lba May. July. Sept.	6 85 7 00 7 12%	6 85 7 00 7 15	6 82% 6 97% 7 10	6 85 7 00 7 15
May July Sept	6 22% 6 37% 6 52%	6 27% 6 42% 6 55	6 20 6 35 6 47%	6 27% 6 42% 6 65

FLOUR—Winter patents, \$2.6063.00; winter straights, \$2.5062.75; spring patents, \$3.2062.65; spring straights, \$2.2063.00; balears, \$1.8042.25; WHEAT—No. 2 spring, \$4665c; No. 3 spring, bominal; No. 2 red. 60476014c. CORN-No. 2, 47@474c; No. 3 yellow, 4614@

684c. OATS-No. 2, 28%c; No. 2 white, 22%@32c; No.

white, 22%6025c.
RYE-No. 2, 65c, No. 3, 51953c; No. 4, 48c.
BARLEY-No. 2, 53c; No. 3, 51953c; No. 4, 48c.
FLAN SEED-No. 1, \$1,435.
PROVISIONS-Moss ports, per bbl., \$12,26912.55;
ard, per 100 lbs., \$6,5596.875; short ribs., sides loose), \$6,2566.875; shoulders (boxed), \$5,37595.50;
hort clear sides (boxed), \$6,5594.90.
WHISKY-Distillers' tinished goods, per gal., 120.

SUGARS-Unchanged.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments
Flour, bbls	16,000 119,000 232,000 8,000	14.000 345.000 319.000 350.000 6.000 7,000

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Closing Quotations on the Principal Com-

modities and Staples.

NEW YORK, April 25.—FLOUR—Receipts, 9,760 bbls.; exports, 7,000 bbls.; sales, 36,400 pkgs.; market is restricted by high asking prices; spring patents and clears in demand at the mar ket price, but only car lots available. Cit City mill patents, \$4.00@4.15; winter patents, \$2.90 2.55; city mill clears, 13.2563.45; winter straights, 13.0063.20; Minnesota bakers, 12.1563.40. Rye flour, fairly active and higher; sales, 550 bbls.; superfine, 13.4063.55; fancy, 13.5563.70. CORN MEAL—Quiet; yellow western, 11.1065 L13; Brandywine, 12.70; sales, 200 bbls, yellow

CORN MEAL—Quiet; yellow western, \$1.106;
113; Brandywine, \$2.70; sales, 200 bbis, yellow
Western, \$1.1261.14.

BUCKWHEAT—Nominal at 49555c.
WHEAT—Receipts, none; exports, \$4,100 bu.;
sales, 5,505,000 ba, futures, 128,000 bu. spot. Spot.
Quiet; No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 656665;cc
67c to arrive; f. o. b., 675cc affoat; No. 1 hard,
735cc delivered. Options opened sironger on dry
weather talk and firmer cables and ruled firm all
day, with a partial reaction at the close, and
prices finally showing \$4c net advance. There
was some realizing, but it did not produce any
decided depression, as drouth news made bears
cautious. Cash wheat was firm and exporters
bought 128,000 bu.; May 456,6554c, closed 654c; August, 655,8765c, closed 654c; August, 65,8765c, closed 654c; August, 65,8765c, closed 654c; September, 656,654cc, closed 654c; December, 883c6
CORN—Receipts, 2,000 bu.; exports, 1,300 bu.;

tember, 6501654gc, closed 654gc; December, 684g0 65%c, Coend. 55%g. CORN—Receipts, 2,000 bu.; exports, 1,100 bu.; sales, 325,000 bu. futures, 53,000 bu. spot. Spot guiet; ungraded mixed, 525%c delivered; steamer mixed, 324gc. Options were not active, but the firmness in wheat and some lalk of unfavorable weather kept the market firm all day, closing 46614gc higher; May, 5254652%c, closed 524gc; July, 6254652%c, closed 524gc; July, 6254652%c, closed 524gc; July, 6254652%c, closed 525gc; September, 539 534gc, closed 535gc.

OATS—Receipts, 23,100 bu.; exports, 28,100 bu.; sales, 225,000 bu. futures, 48,000 bu. spot. Spot. firm; No. 2, 325gc; No. 2 delivered, 125gc; No. 2, 25gc; No. 2 white, 375gc; No. 3 white, 365gc; track, mixed western, 224,633c; track, white, 375gd1c. Options quiet all day and a shade higher with wheat, closed 325gc.

wheat, closing as not advance; April closed at 22%c; May, 32%g; 32%c, closed 22%c; July, 33%g; 23%c, closed 22%c; July, 33%g; 23 11-18c, closed 23%c; closed 22%c; July, 33%g; 23 11-18c, closed 23%c; closed 22%c; July, 33%g; 23 11-18c, closed 23%c; else, closed 23%c; HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, old, 266c; Pacific coast, old, 32%c; good to choice, 6467%c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 55950c; good to choice, 6467%c.

HIDES—Strong; Ruenos Ayres, dry, 24 to 20 bbs., 8c.

LEATHER—Firm; heinlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavy weights, 17g;18c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, firm; family, \$11.00g;13.50; city, extra India, \$17.00g;15.50. Cut meats, quiet, pickled belifes, \$6.596c,87%; pickled shoulders, 6c, pickled hams, \$1.5960c; extra meas, \$8.5969.0c.

Lard, lower and quiet; western steam closed at \$7.10 asked; sales, 125 therees at p. t.; April closed at \$1.10; May, \$7.12% nominal; refined, dull; compound, \$2c. Pork, quiet; new mess, \$13.50g;14.00; family, \$13.50g;14.00; short clear, \$13.50g;14.00; family, \$13.50g;14.00; short clear, \$13.50g;15.50.

BUTTER—Weaker: western dairy, 86135c; western creamery, 126135c; factory, 86115c; Elgins, 195c; imitation creamery, 19615c; state dairy, 156115c; state creamery, 1965c; CHEESE—Dull for old, state, large, 66115c; cmail, 76115c; part skims, 267c.

EGGS—Weaker; state and Pennsylvania, 1256 125c; western, fresh, 126115c; southern, 126115c; receipts, 8,061 pkgs.

TALLOW—Easy; city, 45645c; country, 4566c.

65c. PETROLEUM—Nominal; United closed at \$2.05 bid; Washington, in bbls. So nominal; Washington, in bulk, nominal; refined New York, \$10; Philadelphia and Baltimore, \$5.05; Philadelphia and Baltimore, \$5.05; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, \$7.45.
ROSIN—Steady; strained, common to good, \$1.5061.525;
TURPENTINE—Firm, 234.632c.
RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra, \$4.00 bic. Japan, \$6074c.

"ALS-Pig iron, steady; Scotch, \$19.00@21.00;

American, 19.50212.50. Copper, easy; brokers' price, 12.50; exchange price, 19.50. Lead, stendy; brokers' price, 22.55; exchange price, 33.075492.50. Tin, stendy: stratts, 12.355912.50; plates, quiet. Speller, quiet; domestic, 12.10; sales on 'change, 10 tons appt tin, 12.85.

MOLASSES—Stendy; New Orleans, open ket-MOLASSES-Steady: New Orleans, open ket-s, good to choice. 21935c.
COTTONSEED OIL-Quit but firm; steady mand for moderate less, with holders too firm such business; prime summer yellow. 239 je; off summer yellow. 254,627c; prime summer ite, Me.

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Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce. EGGS-Choice stock, 11@12c; dirty stock, sec

BUTTER-Packing stock, 5@7e; fair to good untry, 10@13c; choice to fancy, 14@17c; gathered eamery, 16917c; separator creamery, 19929c. LIVE POULTRY—Positry is not plentiful, and there is a stronger market. Hens, \$48%;c; mixed, 1/6/8c; ducks, 81/6/9c; turkeys, 10c; heavy toms GAME—Blue wing teal, per doz., \$1.50; green

wing teal, per doz., \$1.2561.50; ducks, mixed, per doz., \$1.0561.25; canvasbacks, \$4.0065.00; mallards and red beads, \$2.50@3.00. VEAL-Choice fat, 70 to 100 lbs., are quoted at

661/c; targe and coarse, 1674c, CHEESE-Wisconsin full cream, Young Ameri-ans, 124/613c; twins, 13c; Nebraska and Iowa, full cream, He; Nebruska and Iowa, part skims, erso; Limburger, No. 1, He; brick, No. 1, He; wiss, No. 1, He. HAY—Upland hay, 19.55; midland, 19; lowland, 8.56; rye straw, 15.66; color makes the price on any. Light bales sell the best. Only top grades comp. You prices. PIGEONS-Per dog, \$1.0001.20.

VECTATABLES.

FOTATOES—Western stock, car lots, 65970c;
imail lots, 75c; larly Rose med potatoes, 20c;
larly Ohio seed, \$1.10; Northern Early Ohio seed, LD BEANS-Hand picked, navy, \$2.20; Lima ONIONS-On orders, yellow, per bu., \$1.40; red,

CABBAGE On orders 3c. SWEET POTATOES Good stock, \$2; seed, HORSERADISH-Per ib 6657c, PARSNIPS-Per bbt. \$1.75

HORSERADISH—Fer Ib., 467c.
PARSNIPS—Fer Ibl., 11.75.
RUTABAGAS—Per Ib., 11.75.
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PARSLEY—Fer des. bunches, 35c.
TURNIPS—Fer bbl., 11.30, 11.75.
RATER CRESS—Per Ib qt. cuse, 41.6001.75.
RADISHES—Fer des. bunches, 15c.
GREEN ONIONS—Per des. bunches, 15g/20c.
LETTUCE—Fer des., 30475c.
ASPARAGUS—White stock on orders, 50c per los. bunches, grean, 30445c.
PHE ULANT—Fer Ib., 5073/gc.
FRUITS.

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There are no apples in the market good enough or shipping stock.
STRAWBERRIES-Per 21-qt. case, 16; scarce,
APPLES-Choice stock, 15.50; box apples, 42.25.

APPLES—Choice stock, \$5.50; box apples, \$2.25;
THOPICAL FRUITS.
ORANGES—Fancy Washington navels, per box, \$4.50; fancy Washington navels, per box, 95 and 112 size, \$3; choice Washington navels, 16 and 112 size, \$5; choice Washington navels, 16 and 112 size, \$5; fancy seedlings, per box, \$2.75; choice seedlings, per box, \$2.75; catra fancy lemons, 360 size, \$4.50; atrictly choice lemons, 360 size, \$4.50; atrictly choice lemons, 360 size, \$4.50; catra fancy lemons, MISCELLANEOUS.

FIGS-Fancy, 15c; choice, 12613c; California, ags, 7c. HONEY-New York, 15c; dark, 14c; California, MAPLE SYRUP-Gallon jugs. per doz., \$12; MAPLE SYRUP—Gallon jugs, per doz., \$12; Bixby 5-gal, cans, \$3. MAPLE SUGAR—Fer lb., 9@10c. NUTS—Almonds, 14c; English walnuts, soft-shelled, 12c; standards, He; filberts, 9c; Brazil nuts, 8c; pecuns, 19g12c. MINCE MEAT—Fancy, in quarter bbls., per lb., 54c; 10-gal, kegs, 6c; condensed, per case of 3 doz. pkgs., \$2.50, DATES—In 60 to 70-lb, boxes, 54c per lb.; fard tates, 9c per lik. SAUER KRAUT-Choice white, per bbl., \$5.50;

er half bbl., \$3. CIDER—Pure juice, per bbl., \$5: half bbl., \$3. HIDES AND TALLOW.

do pfd.

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, April 25.—Call loans, 324% per cent: time loans, 324% per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares:

SAN FRANCISCO. April 25.—The official clos-ing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

 Casedonia
 7
 Potosi

 Challenge Con
 43
 Savage

 Chonar
 42
 Scorpion

 Confidence
 145
 Sierra Nevada

 Con
 Cai & Va
 295
 Sierra Hill

 Con
 Interesting
 Crown Point
 58
 Union Con

 Exchequer
 2
 Yellow Jacket

New York Mining Quotations.

LONDON, April 25.-4 p. m. closing:

Can. Pacific ... 46% St. Paul com.
Eric ... 12% N. Y. Central.
Eric 2ds ... 67 Pennsylvania ...
Ill. Central ... 94 Reading ...
Mexican ordinary ... 20% Mex. Cen. new 4s.

BAR SILVER 30 5-16d per ounce.
MONEY—the per cent.
The rest of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills is 13-16 per cent.

NEW YORK. April 25.—The following are the closing mining quotations:

Occidental Con.... Ophir... Overman

Y. & N. E.

San Diego Union Pacific ...

West End pfd...

Altha Con.

26 4 do pfd.
18 H. & T. C.
69 T. A. A. & N. M.
635 T. St. L. & K. C.
109a do pfd.
104a S. R. R.
1634 do pfd.
554 Am. Tob. Co.
454 do pfd.
2034 St. P., M. & M.

WOOL, WASHELD-Medium, 16g18s; fine, 14g1 16s; tub washed, 18618s; black, 8c; bucks, 6c; tag locks, 26g2c; dead pulled, 56g6c.

FURS-Bear, black, No. 1, large, \$29,00625,00; No. 1 medium, 16,00; No. 1, large, \$20,00625,00; No. 1 medium, 16,00; No. 1, large, \$10,006212,00; No. 1 medium, 84,00; No. 1, large, \$10,006212,00; No. 1 medium, \$8,00; No. 1, large, \$10,006212,00; No. 1 medium, \$1,00; No. 1, large, \$1,006212,00; No. 1, medium, \$1,00; No. 1, large, \$1,006210,00; No. 1, medium, \$1,00; No. 1, large, \$12,006715,00; No. 1, medium, \$1,00; No. 1, small, \$3,00; bear, black, yearlings, No. 1, large, \$12,006715,00; No. 1, medium, \$1,00; No. 1, large, \$12,006715,00; No. 1, medium, \$1,000; No. 1, large, \$10,000; No. 1, medium, \$1,000; No. 1, large, \$15,006720,00; No. 1, large, \$10,000; No. 1, large, \$10,000; No. 1, large, \$10,000; No. 1, large, \$10,000; No. 1, large, \$12,00; No. 1, large, \$10,00; No. 1, large, \$12,00; No. 1, large, \$10,00; No. 1, large, \$12,00; No. 1, large, \$10,00; No. 1, large, \$10,00;

St. Louis General Market.

ST. Louis, April 25.—FLOUR—Steady, but quiet at yesterday's advance; patents, \$3.1093.25; extra fancy, \$2.8592.00; fancy, \$2.5592.60; choice, \$1.2583.25. Rye flour, \$3.25.

WHEAT—Opened '4c higher, but soon weakened on heavy offerings, seiling down \$4.67%c, continued to fluctuate within a narrower range and closed '8c below yesterday for July; trading in May light; No. 2 red, cash, 62%c asked; May, 61%c, July, 50%c asked.

CORN—Weak in sympathy with wheat; trading light and market unsettled, closing 1-16c for May and %c for July below yesterday; No. 2 mixed, cash, 45%c; May, 45%645%c asked; July, 56%c asked; September, 63%c.

OATS—Easier on predictions of rain, but not much for sale; July at the close was offered '5c below yesterday's late bid and May sold '4c higher, but later was offered '5c below that; spot, weak; No. 2, cash, 25%c; May, 35%c asked; June, 30%c bid; July, 75%c asked; June, 30%c bid; July, 75%c asked; RYE—Latracly higher, but 75c bid on call for No. 2 resular failed to draw an offer.

BARLEY—Nominal.

COIN MEAL—\$2.5592.29.

BRAN—Duli; 67c, cast track, FLAN SEIED—Quiet; fl.39.

GRASS SEIEDS—Clover, poor to choice, \$1.500 in the side; timothy, common to fancy, \$8.50 fill.25.

BUTTER—Scarce and firm; fancy Eigin, Escandard recomments. St. Louis General Market.

11.25.
HUTTER-Scarce and firm; fancy Eigin, 25c;
eparator creamery, 1892bc.
EGGS-Firm; 11c.
WHISKY-Steady; \$1.29 for distillers' finished

goods.
LEAD—Quiet; \$2.87\frac{1}{2}.

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SPELITER—Dull. cosy; \$3.05.
PROVISIONS—Pork. standard mess. \$12.50.
Lard, prime steam, \$6.65; choice, \$6.50. Dry suit
meats, boxed shoulders, \$5.25; longs, \$6.50; ribs,
\$6.67\frac{1}{2}; shorts, \$6.75. Bacon, boxed shoulders, \$6;
longs, \$6.75; ribs, \$6.87\frac{1}{2}; shorts, \$7.

RECEIPTS—Flour, \$4.90 bbls.; wheat, \$12.00 bu;
corn, \$2.000 bu; cats, \$4.00 bu.; wheat, \$18.000
bu; corn, \$13.000 bu; cats, \$2.000 bu.

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Liverpool April 25.—WHEAT—Spot stealy, demand moderate; No. 2 red winter, as \$42; No. 2 red spring, Is \$45d; No. 1 hard Manitoba, Is \$45d; No. 1 hard manitors \$4d higher; closed with near positions \$4d higher; closed with near positions \$4d higher; husiness about equally distributed. April, Is \$4d; May, Is \$4d; August, Is \$4d; August, Is \$4d; August, Is \$4d; August, Is \$4d; May, Is \$4 winter, 6d.
PROVISIONS—Bacon, firm; demand poor; Cumberland cut, 33s 6d; short ribs, 28 lbs., 54s 6d; long clear light, 38 to 45 lbs., 32s; long clear

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heavy, 55 lbs., 23s; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs., 23s 64; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs., 23s 64; clear beilies, 14 to 16 lbs., 24s 64. Shoulders, square, 12 to 18 lbs., 24s 64. Shoulders, square, 12 to 18 lbs., 30s 64. Hame, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 44s. Beet, extra India mess, 72s 91; prime mess, 62s 64. Pork, prime mess western, 28 31; western medium, 53s 94. Lard, dull, prime western, 24s 24; refined in palls, 33s 04.

CHEESE—Dull; demand poor; finest American white, 47 22; finest American colored, 42s.

RUFTER—Finest United States, 70s; good, 50s. COTTON SEED OIL—Liverpool refined, 18s.
LINSEED OIL—10s 24. Unusua'ly Light Sup of Cattle Offered the Local Traders.

HOPS—At London (Pacific coast), 12 5s.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

and Prices Inclined Upward.

ulation on the Stock exchange today, and the trend of prices was mainly upward, with the

result that in most instances yesterday's losees in the general list were fully recovered and in

he remaining cases there was a partial rally

an additional fraction. The improved tone of

speculation was inresty due to the favorable tenor of the March statements of earnings of

several leading railroads received this morning At the opening, under heavy selling of the coal

ers, induced by the reported abandonment of the

sace negotiations, the market was weak and a cellne ranging uf to 2 per cent was recorded,

NEW YORK, April 25.-There was active spe

NOT ENOUGH TO TEST THE DEMAND IANSEED OIL-708 9d. PETROLEUM-114d. REFRIGERATOR BEEF-Forequarters, 4%d

Prices Paid Were a Little Stronger but the Real Feeling Was Not Uncovered-Hogs Fall Off in Number-There Was Active Speculation in Securities Gaining in Price.

> THURSDAY, April 25. The receipts today were 522 cattle, 2,939 hogs and no sheep, as against 993 cattle, 4,481 hogs and 380 sheep yesterday, and 1,430 cattle, 4,606 hogs and 271 sheep on

> Wednesday of last week. For the week this far the receipts are: 3,400 cattle, 12,200 hogs and 5,426 sheep, as against 6,782 cattle, 13,634 hogs and 5,656 sheep for the same period last week. The total receipts from the first of the year up to the present date are: 151,687 cattle, 447,580 hogs, 68,340 sheep, 1,188 horses and mules, showing a loss of 88,844 cattle, a loss of 52,-394 hogs, a loss of 19,468 sheep and a loss of 746 horses and mules as compared with

pence negotiations, the market was weak and a decline ranging up to 2 per cent was recorded, the latter in Delaware & Hudson, and 1 per cent each in Delaware & Lackawanna and New Jersey Central. The depreciations in the rest of the last were fractional. At the lower figures there was some covering, and also purchases for the long account, there being a general feeling that it was safe to buy after a reaction. Under this buying the coal stocks recovered all the early losses during the morning, while the general list railled from by to 4 p.r. cmt, and Tennessee Coal preferred jumped 5 per cent to 80. During the afternoon speculation was strong throughout, with the low priced issues the leading features of the dealings, including Louisville, New Albany & Chicago preferred, which was bought freely on the official announcement of the company's financial plans, Kansus & Texas common and preferred, which was bought freely on the official announcement of the company's financial plans, Kansus & Texas common and preferred, which was bought freely on the official announcement of the company's financial plans, Kansus & Texas common and preferred, which was bought freely on the official announcement of the company's financial plans, Kansus & Texas common and preferred, which was obtain gave way, but only fractionally the general market closing strong, and, with the few exceptions named, at advances on the day's transactions. The dealings in bonds today fell off somewhat, but the sum total of the trading was of respectable propertions, namely, 12 412,09, of which \$12,09 was Texas Pacific seconds. Speculation during the morning was rather effective and the late session values generally soured upward.

The Eventeg Post's London cablegram says: CATTLE-Today's receipts of cattle were the lightest of any day since Saturday of last week, only seventeen loads being reported in the yards. There were not enough cattle of any one kind on sale to make a market or establish prices. There were no western steers on sale and only a few scattering loads of natives. The few cattle here were picked up reasonably early and the yards deserted. The prices paid for steers may have been a little stronger in some cases, but with so few cattle here it would hardly be worth the while to quote the trade any higher. A load of pretty good 1,214-lb, natives brought \$4.95, while \$4.55 and \$4.65 were paid for two other loads. The lighter cattle went at \$4.00074.25.

There were only about three loads of cows and helfers in the yards, made up of odds and ends, one or two head in a place. There was nothing very good among the onerings. Everything was sold early at steady to strong prices.

There were no stockers or feeders in the yards to amount to anything. One load sold at \$3.49, but the most of the sales were only pieces of loads, a few head in a burch. There was very little inquiry for that kind of cattle and the supply and demand may be said to have been about equal. Representative sales; market or establish prices. There were no

Speculation during the morning was rather erraite, but in the late session values generally morred upward. The Evening Post's London cablegram says: Of the increase in the Hank of England's coin and bullion today, 1356,000 are from abroad, the rest is returned from the Easter holdary requirements. The details of gold for the week are	oids and enters in the yards, made up oids and ends, one or two head in a piac There was nothing very good among the offerings. Everything was sold early steady to strong prices. There were no stockers or feeders in it yards to amount to anything. One lossold at \$3.49, but the most of the sales we
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shares, including: American Sugar, 54,500; Amer-		223 120 4 60
ican Tobacco, 9,290; Burlington, 5,200; Cotton Oil,	6	
3,900; Chicago Gas. 8,000; Delaware & Hudson.		
4,800; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 3,100;		
Distilling & Cattlefeeding certificates, 12,300; Kan-	87179e 169 4 50 69.	
sus & Texas, 3,400; Lake Erie & Western, 3,600;	7	204 120 4 60
Long Island Traction, 3,100; Missouri Pacific.	77 195 230 4 55 6.	
3.300; National Lead, 3,200; New Jersey Central,	6	
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ment paid, 7,000; Northwestern, 8,400; Reading,	29	192 4 60
28,300; St. Louis & San Francisco preferred, 3,100;	96	220 460 4 6214
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New York Money Market.	71	
NEW YORK, April 25 -MONEY ON CALL-	10	250 40 4 65
Easy at 11402 per cent; last loan, 11/2 per cent;	21 4 6736 66.	233 40 4 6714
closed, 114 per cent,	65	267 80 4 70
PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-3% 65 per	50 207 80 4 60 59.	
cent.		
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mercial bills, \$4.87\-214.87%.	PIGS.	
SILVER CERTIFICATES-674668c.		100
GOVERNMENT BONDS-Firm; state bonds.	14	
inactive; railroad bonds, strong,	103128 260 4 25	
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SHEEP—There were no sheep here today and nothing to make a market. The sheep market has not been in a very satisfactory condition of atc. eastern markets being generally demoralized and the demand very light. Fair to choice natives are quotable at \$2.594.40; fair to good westerns at \$3.0094.55; common and stock sheep. | Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:
U. S. 4s. reg. new.	120%	C. P. 18ts of	Vo.	102%
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U. S. 4s. coup. new.	121%	D. & R. G. 7s.	115%	
U. S. 5s. coup.	116%	Eric 2ds.	G3	
U. S. 4s. coup.	112%	G. H. & S. A. 5s.	95	
U. S. 4s. coup.	112%	G. H. & S. A. 5s.	95	
U. S. 2s. reg.	30	H. & T. C. 5s.	106%	
Pacific 05 of	95	100		
Ala. Class A.	105	M. K. & T. 18t 4s.	84%	
Ala. Class B.	107	M. K. & T. 18t 4s.	84%	
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Ala. Class B.	107	M. W. Consols.	112%	
M. S. C. nonfund.	15	M. W. Consols.	112%	
M. W. Consols.	130%			
M. W. Consols.	130 \$2.25(r3.00); good to choice 40 to 100-lb, lambs \$3.25(r5.15)			

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. Butchers' and Canners' Stuff is Lower Than

a Week Ago. CHICAGO, April 25.—Only about 7,000 cattle were received here today, and as there was a better demand from dressed beef firms and eastern shippers prices ruled stronger and in numerous instances about 10c per 100 lbs. higher. ing from 980 to 1,600 lbs. is from \$4 to \$6,20 ood lots are selling at \$5.25 and upward. Butchers' and canners' stuff is lower than a week ago, cows and helfers selling at from \$1.69 to \$5, but comparatively few bring much more than \$4 or less than \$2.25. Bulls move slowly at steady prices, and veal calves sell mostly at from \$3 to \$5 per 100 lbs. Texas cattle are coming more lenty, and sales are fairly large at steady

to \$5 per 100 lbs. Texas cattle are coming more plenty, and sales are fairly large at steady prices, sieers weighing from \$51 to 1,000 lbs. bringing from \$3.15 to \$4.60.

Including the 6,000 head of hogs in the yards today, there were 25,000 head of hogs in the yards today. Hayers started in early in the day, and prices ruled strong from the opening at an average advance of 5c per 100 lbs. Armour and other packers took hold freely and the enstern shippers were generally good buyers, though Squires of Boston was out of the market. The heavy weights brought \$5, and the choicest mixed went for \$4.85, while choice assorted light were in some instances as much as 10c higher, the best fetching \$4.60. The greater portion of the hogs averaged well in quality, and the range in prices showed further narrowing, sales being chiefly at from \$4.30 to \$4.55. The extreme range was from \$4.70 to \$5 fm. heavy, from \$4.65 to \$4.55 for light and mixed and from \$4.25 to \$4.55 for pigs, while calls soid at from \$1 to \$4.25 to \$4.55 for pigs, while calls soid at from \$1 to \$4.25 for pigs, while calls soid at from \$1 to \$4.25.

Fully 12,000 sheep came in today, and as there was the usual giut of thin Texans a good pertion of the trading was at a low range of at from \$1.50 to \$4.50. Ordinary to choice have, pentry of Texans being disposed of at from \$1.50 to \$4.50. Ordinary to choice natives sold at from \$2.55 to \$4.50. Westerns selling at \$4 and upwards, and iambs sold rather actively at from \$4.50 to \$5.25. Esponters are taking the best sheep and other kinds are bought by dreased meat concerns.

Receipts: Catite, 7.590 head; calves, 500 head; hogs, 22.00 head; sheep, 42.000 head.

St. Louis, Live Stock

ST. LOUIS, April 25.4 CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000 head; shipments, 400 head; market firm and generally better, especially on Texas stock. The advance since Monday has been 25c to 46c per 100 lbs. Export native steers would find quick sale at \$5.7546 00; good to choice, \$5.0062.56; fair to medium, 24.0004.75; light, \$3.5024.25; cows, \$2.0062.50; stockers, \$2.5063.25; feeders, \$3.4064.450; fod Texas atecrs, \$3.7564.80; grass atecrs, \$2.0062.75; cows, \$2.0062.25.
HOGS-Receipts, 4.20 head; shipments, 3.000 head; market steady; top lots brought \$4.85; but built of sales were at \$4.7564.80; light, \$4.5064.70. SHEEP—Receipts, 400 head; shipments, 1.300 head; market supply mostly poor Texans, which sold at \$3.25; native muttons, \$4.0064.60; spring lambs, \$4.7565.75. Silver bars, 67:26714c. Mexican dollars, 5514@ 5534c. Drafts, sight, 5c: telegraphic, 714c.

Stock in Sight. | Record of receipts at the four principal markets for Thursday, April 25, 1885; | Royal Edition | Royal Editi KANSAS CITY, April 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2.900 head: shipments, 1,500 head. Market strong to 10c higher: Texas steers, \$1,50(34.50; Texas oows, \$2,25(3.40; beef steers, \$1,50(3.75; native

cows. \$1.75@1.40; stockers and feeders. \$2.25@4.35; bulls. \$2.25@4.55.

HUGS-Receipts. 5.500 head; shipments. 3.100 head. Market strong to be higher active; bulk of sales. \$4.00@4.70; heavies. \$4.00@4.50; packers. \$4.45@4.65; mixet. \$4.45@4.65; lights. \$4.30@4.55; Vorkers. \$4.45@4.60; pigs. \$2.00@4.50.

SHISED-Receipts. 2.300 head; shipments. 100 head. Market steady. 5gipts higher.

New York Live Stock Market. NEW YORK, April 25.—BEEVES—Receipts, 173 tead, European califes quote American steers it 116/12c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at giles,
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,135 head;
heep, weak; good lambs, higher; others, higher;
inshorn sheep, \$4.30(2.30); clipped sheep, \$2.30(2.30); unshorn lambs, \$5.50(6.30); clipped tambs, 4.50; unshorn lambs, \$5.5995.00; chipped atmost \$4.5095.01; HOUS—Receipts, 2.916 head; market steady at \$3.7595.50;

Coffee Market. NEW YORK, April 25.—COFFEE—Options opened 19828 points lower and dull under weak Havre cables; ruled tame and featureless, railying partially on local covering; closed steady at unchanged to 19 points not declare; sales, 8.750 bags, including: May, \$12.75013.80; July, \$14.05; September, \$14.19; October, \$14.20; December, \$14.25; Experiment, \$14.50; October, \$14.20; December, \$14.50; Gis.19; sales, none. Wurebouse deliveries from New York yesterday, 3.925; bags, New York stock today, \$12.45a bags; United States, \$26.000 bags; total visible supply for the United States, 466.390 bags, against 438.218 bags last year.

HAVRE, April 25.—COFFEE—Opened quiet and anchanged to 4f decline; at 12 m., barely steady at 15 decline; at 13 p. m., barely steady at 15 decline; chosed barely steady at 150H net decline for the day; sales, 20,000 bags.

SANTOS, April 25.—COFFEE:—Firm: good average Santos, 115.0. Receipts, 10,000 bags; stake, 20,000 bags.

rage Santos, 15.02, Receipts, 15.00 bags; deck, 209,000 bags.

HAMBURG, April 25.—COFFEE—Dull, ¼ pfg. lecline to ¼ pfg. advance. Sales, 5.000 bags.

RIO DE JANEIRO, April 25.—COFFEE—Cull, ¼ pfg. lecline to ¼ pfg. advance. Sales, 5.000 bags.

Steady; No. 7 Rio, 315.20. Exchange, 94.d. Receipts, 19.000 bags; cleared for the United States, 19.000 bags; cleared for Europe, 2.000 bags; stack, 272,000 bags; cleared from Rio April 24, 2000 bags. tnek, 272,00 21,000 bugs,

NEW ORLEANS, April 25.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 6 5-56; low middling, 5 15-56; good ordinary, 5-56; net receipts, 4,370 bales; gross, 5-70 bales; exports to Great Britain, 4,554 bales; ales, 4,600 bales; stock, 25,762 bales, NEW YORK, April 25.—COTTON—Dull; middling, 6 5-56; net receipts, 666 bales; gross, 1,365 bales; exports to the continent, 1,000 bales; forwarded, 10 bales; sales, none; stock, 27,656 bales, ST. LOUIS, April 25.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 63c; sales, 330 bales; receipts, 748 bales; shipments, 1,514 bales; stock, 43,232 bales. Cotton Market.

Wool Market.

Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—WOOL—Easter; Missouri and Hilmois, medium, 13614s; coarse and braid, 12615c; Hight fine, 2619c; heavy fine, 86355c. Kansas and Nebraska medium, 2611c; light fine, 263c; heavy fine, 567c; coarse and low, 769c; heavy fine, 567c; and low, 769c; light fine, 869c; heavy fine, 567c; randy and heavy, 359c. Western, medium, 2671c; coarse and low, 369c; Hight fine, 768c; heavy fine, 569c. Tub washed, fair to choice, 18629c. Sugar Marnet.

NEW YORK, April 25.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; sales, one cargo Muscocado, 89 test, at 2 11-16c ex-ship; refined, quiet; No. 6, 314-93 11-16c; No. 7, 3 7-16c 93-8c; No. 8, 3 5-16g 93-8c; No. 10, 3 4-24 7-16c; No. 11, 3 4-37-7-16c; No. 11, 3 4-37-7-16c; No. 12, 3 1-16c 94-8c; No. 13, 3c; off A, 34-36g 94-8c; mold A, 4 3-16g 94-8c; standard A, 3 15-16g 94; confection -rs, 3 13-16g 94-c; cut load, 4 9-16g 94-9c; crushed, 4 9-16g 94-9c; cubes, 4 3-16g 94-9c; granulated, 3 13-16g 96-9c; cubes, 4 3-16g 94-9c; granulated, 3 13-16g 96-9c; cubes, 4 3-16g 94-9c;

New York Dry Goods Market. New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Agents have advanced Wamsutta, 26-inch, telended, to 10%c; Utica Nonparell, 26-inch, to 10c, and New York, 26-inch, bleached, at value. One of the most important items of interest to the trade is the auction sale of the balance of E. S. Jaffrey & Co.'s stock, by order of the receivers on May 1, when \$1,000,000 worth of goods will be sold without restraint. Printing cloths, firm at 2%c bid.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.-WHEAT-No. mard, 5044c; No. 2 red, active, 604,004c; reject-CORN-the lower; No. 2 mixed, 441-645c; No. Slow; No. 2 mixed, 286284c; No. 2

Oil Markets. OIL CITY, Pa., April 25.—Opened, \$2.0245; highest, \$2.07; lowest, \$2.0245; closed, \$2.05; sales, \$0.000 bbts; clearances, 35.000 bbts; shipments, \$0.250 bbts; rons, \$5.761 bits.
LONISON, April 25.—TURPENTINE—Spirits, 758 43-4

Minneapolis Wheat Market. MINNEAPOLIS, April 25.—WHEAT—Steady April, 60%; May, 655,663%; July, 655,663%; September, 655,462%; On track; No. 1 hard Ge; No. 1 northern, 64%; No. 2 northern, 63%; Flour, steady; first patents, 53,35%,65; secon patents, 53,10%3.30; first clears, 52,36%,65;

'frise | Wheat Quotations. SAN FRANCISCO, April 25, -WHEAT-Steady December, 975c; May, 803c; new seller, 912c. Foreign Financial Affairs.

LONDON, April 25.-Bar silver closed at 30%d BERLIN, April 25.-Exchange on London, eight lays' sight, 29 marks 45% pfg.

LONDON, April 25.—The Bank of England's ate of discount remains unchanged at 2 per LONDON, April 25.—Gold is quoted today at Buenos Ayres at 272; Madrid, 12.90; Lisbon, 28%; St. Petersburg, 50; Athens, 77; Rome, 104.95; Vi-enna, 103.

PARIS, April 25.—Three per cent rentes, 102f. PARIS. April 25.—Three per cent rentes, 102f for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 22d for checks. The weekly statement of the Bank of France, Issued today, shows the following changes as compared with the previous account: Notes in circulation, decrease, 42,725,000f; gold on hand, decrease, 2,025,000f; bills discounted, increase, 2,825,000f; silver on hand, decrease, 225,000f; silver on hand, decrease, 225,000f; silver on hand, decrease,

LONDON, April 25.-The weekly statement of LONDON. April 25.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England, issued today, shows the following changes as compared with the previous account: Total reserve, increase, 177,090; circu-lation, decrease, 440,000; bullion; increase, 173,189; other securities, increase, 148,000; other deposits, increase, 11,11,000; public deposits, decrease, 1342,-900; notes reserve, increase, 1822,000; government securities, decrease, 112,00). The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to Hability, which hast week was 68,10 per cent, is now 67,55 per cent.

Financial Notes.

BOSTON, April 25.—Clearings, \$13,903,846; bal-nees, \$1,312,131. BALTIMORE, April 25,-Clearings, \$1,166,874; clames, \$255,472. palances, \$253,472.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Clearings, \$94,127,216; balances, \$5,294,151.

PHILADELPHIA, April 25.—Clearings, \$11,124,—59; balances, \$1,895,815.

CINCINNATI, April 25.—Money, 4666 per cent. New York exchange, 70475c premium. Clearings, \$2,076,409. 2.076,409.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—Clearings, 43,560,450; balances, 4637,581. Money, 5676 per cent. New York exchange, 31 premium bid.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available ash balance, \$164,716,493; gold reserve, \$20,762,410.

CHICAGO, April 25.—Clearings, \$13,341,090. New York exchange, 70c premium. Sterling, posted rates, \$4.89454.9045. Money, 5 per cent on call and 6 per cent on time.

Like a Machine. Which kept in order rups smoothly and regularly, so the bowels keep up their action if measures are taken to keep them in good working order. This infers, of course, that they are out of order. The surest recourse then is to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a laxative mild but effective, which is also a remedy for dyspepsia, malaria, rheumatism, nervousness and kidney trouble.

Not Worth the Money.

The testimony taken Wednesday as to the alue of legal services in Fitzgerald against the Missouri Pacific and the Fitzgerald & fallory Construction company was unani-nous that the fees charged by Marquette, Deweese & Hall were out of all proportion. It is thought the referee will scale the ciaim very materially, THE REALTY MARKET.

INSTRUMENTS placed on record April 25, WARRANTY DEEDS

H Smith and wife to E M Latimer, e 30 The Smith and wife to E. M. Latimer, e. 30 feet lot 29, Rees' Place.

John McCreary and wife to E. O. Redgers, lot 15, block 1, Marysville add.

T. C. Van Buren to Letitia Van Buren, lot 17, block 1, Hadneom Place.

Rosina Brinser and husband to Lydia Ashdown, lot 9, block 34, Albright's Choice. Ashdown, lot 9, block 34, Albright's Choice
Lydia Ashdown to E M Brinser, s 42 feet of n 187.35 feet of n 187.32 feet lot 105, lot 15, block 2, Orchard Hill.
Frank Hunter and wife to F P Kirkendall, lot 15, block 2, Orchard Hill.
American National lank to M W E Purchase, undiv 4, se nw 3-15-10.
I E Markel to same, same.
Alfred Olsen to Hilma Levin, lots 19 and 20, block 15, West Albright.

QUIT CLAIM DEEDS. J I Redick to East Omaha Land company, a tract in East Omaha beginning at sw corner ne sw 21-75-44.

DEEDS.

Special master to D H Smith, lot 2, block 2, Paddock Place.

Same to Fidelity Mutual Life association, lot 2, block 1, Kounize 3d add.

Same to H T Clark, receiver, lot 68, Hartman's add.

I J Dunn et al, referess, to John Kennetty.

Total amount of transfers.....

MAY CALL ON SUPREME COURT

County Commissioners Sadly Tangled Up on the Platte Canal Matter. It is not at all unlikely that the result of the petition presented to the county commissioners asking them to call a special election upon the bond proposition for the construction of the Platte canal will be a mandamus suit brought in the supreme court. The commissioners have been canvassing the subject for about two weeks, having been in session as a committee of the whole during much of that time, awaiting opinions from the county attorney, Judge Lake and J. C. Wharton. These opinions are now in the hands of the members of the committee. But they do not agree in the construction of the canal law. The

commissioners are in the same predicament. As already indicated in The Bee, Judge Lake takes the position that the canal law is unconstitutional. He makes this reply severally to a series of questions prepounded by the commissioners, among the most important being, "Has the judiciary the right to make an appointment of canal trustees?" If there is a conflict of law between the

clause designating the commissioners as the guardians of the county property, and the provisions of the canal law, designating a board of trustees, which is to have exclusive control of the canal?

Does the clause in the canal law relating to the collection of a tax provide for the payment of the principal when it becomes due?

The opinion of J. C. Wharten has been rendered and is generally favorable to the canal law. The opinion of the county attorney is also favorable, though he has reserved a decision upon a knotty point as to whether or not the judges have the constitutional right to make an appointment of commission-

"This point as to the judges' authority is the most serious objection, and I find law leaning both ways," says Mr. Baldrige. "am still engaged in considering this proposition. I have inclined to the view that if the judges voluntarily made the appointment it would be good, but the questien arises whether the judges could be mandamused to compel them to make the appointment should they fail to do so. It seems doubtful whether this could be done. It is my opinion upon the question as to whether there is a conflict between the laws, granting the commissioners full control of county property, and this law creating a canal board that a ion. I have inclined to the view that if the and this law creating a canal board that separate corporation is thereby created and so no conflict between the two laws in this respect. Upon the matter of bonds a dispute has also arisen as to what amount the county can issue. I am inclined to the view that the 10 per cent limitation means that the county cannot issue in bonds an amount exceeding 10 per cent of the total assessment for the county. In round numbers, placing the total assessment at \$24,000,000, this leaves the county the right to issue \$2,400,000 of bonds, less a present indebtedness of say \$950,000, including the poor farm bonds to be issued, or a right to issue about \$1,450,000."

In addition to this, several minor questions

arise, the county attorney states, though he does not lay much stress upon the difficulties they present. He believes that the law makes it optional with the board in issuing bonds when the time. when the time comes as to whether they shall be issued in series or not, so that each series, if this method of issue is followed, could be paid as it became due. The law is deemed somewhat vague, also, in regard to the terms of the trustee, and does not specifically designate whether, at the expiration of his five-year term, the new appointee is to hold for the same term of years or not.

The county attorney in advising the board has taken the position that the law is mandatery, provided it is constitutional. The commissioners are accordingly in a somewhat peculiar position and are now sitting as a ourt to determine whether or not the law constitutional. It is certain that if they

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating Of medicinal agents is gradually the old-time herbs, pills, draughts and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all leading druggists.

SIGNED WITH BUFFALO BILL!

Indians Desert the Reservation and Go Into the Show Busine's. Deputy United Statest Marshal Liddiard, who has just arrived from the Sioux reservation, reports that nearly all of the Ogalalla Sloux chiefs have signed with Buffalo Bill's Wild West and that not a solitary Brule Sioux

Rocky Fear, Flat Iron, Charging Crow, Los Herse, Little Skunk, Bear Foot, Kills-in-Winter, Bear-Lays-Down, High Bear, Bluffing Bear, Black Fox, Eagle Bull, Yellow Shirt, Cut, Long Bull, Kills-the-Brave, Tall Crane, Flies Above, Parts-His-Hair, Charging Hawk, Spotted Weasel, Whiskers, Kills Backward, Shot-in-the-Head, Hunts-the-Enemy, Brave Eagle, Crow-on-the-Head, Lone Feather, Little White Man, Kills-the-Brave (Charlie), Winter, Protector, Scares Them, Yellow Ear, Good Soldier, Cloud Elk, Red Bow, Loud-Voiced Hawk, Afraid-of, Finger-Nail, Afraid (Twin), Holy Bear, Little Soldier, Red Bear, White Bull, Stabber, Attached-to-Eagle, Kills Small, Wrestle Him, Yellow Eye, First Eagle High Wolf, Crazy Bull, Tall Pine, Standing Boar, Medicine Bull, Charge-at-Enemy, Looking-Standing-Kill, Good-Voice-Elk, Runs Over, Paints Himself Yellow, Wounded Horse, Thunder Horse, Kills-in-Water, Good

White Cow.
The reason that the Brules were refused this year was due to the fact that they proved too troublesome last year and there is a bitter enmity between the Brules and Ogalalias. The applications to go on the road and get a salary of \$25 per month and a taste of civilization were practically in the form of a mild epidemic among the Sloux this year. The 'professional" fever raged fiercely on the reservation and there was a grand rush to the medical examiner's office to pass the necessary physical examination when Mr. Liddiard went to the reservation to recruit the braves. Finally seventy-two of them were accepted and the balance took it out in disappointment.

Mr. Liddiard reports the fact that among

he choice bits of current gossip around Rushville is the recent arrest of Rev. Collier of the sand hill country for rustling cattle.

The reverend gentleman is now in fail to await trial for "agitating" beef that did not belong to him

Forest of Poles Coming Down

City Electrician Schurig is still at work on he poles and wires in the business portion of the city. Farnam street has been improved by cutting out superfluous lines and the work will continue during the next two months. Another contemplated reform will be the substitution of iron poles for wooden nes by the street railway company. The officials of the company have expressed a willingness to accede to the demands of the city and it is promised that there will not e a wooden pole left standing in the city, at ast along street railway lines. They will also be required to connect their guy wires with telegraph or other poles already in use, that the disfigurement of the streets may be reduced to a minimum.

Peace Reigns Once More. Trouble at the county jail over the letters

and money alleged to be missing has quieted down. The matter has turned out much as the officers expected. The prisoners have nothing to do but sit in jail and concoct schemes, and it is believed that a scheme was hatched out in this case to accuse the jailers of extracting money from the letters. H. B Webster complained that his mail did not reach him. Inquiry at the postoffice showed that he had given the wrong name and the mail, except such as went to Washington to the dead letter office, has turned up all right.

Ex-Congressman Forman's Daughter Dead. ST. LOUIS, April 25.-Miss Edna Forman of Nashville, Ill., eldest daughter of ex-Congressman W. S. Forman, died at the St. Louis Bantist sanitarium, where she had been under expert treatment for nervous prostra tion for nine weeks. She was beautiful and accomplished, 23 years of age, and the past six years she has spent in Washington, D. C., as private secretary for her father. Her mother and Mr. Forman buried their youngest daughter about a year ago. The remains \$50,008 | were sent to Nashville this morning.

SEPARATED BY A WOMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Coulter Part Twenty-Two Years After Their Wedding Day.

DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS WILL FOLLOW

to Wreck a Home.

Deputy City Treasurer Takes a Liking for Mrs. Welch and the Bonds Between Them Prove Strong Enough

The once happy life enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Coulter at 819 North Portysecond street has been wrecked. Mr. Coulter has left his home and taken his furniture with him.

Mr. Coulter is the deputy treasurer of the city of Omaha and somewhat prominently idenified with local politics. Some months ago the differences between himself and Mrs. Coulter became so pronounced that he left his home and took up his residence at the Hotel Dellene. Mutual friends attempted to effect a reconciliation and partially succeeded. Mr. Coulter stated at the time that he did not care to return to his former home neighborhood and to spare his feelings Mrs. Coulter went to the hotel with him and there the family lived for several weeks. The reconciliation was only temporary, however, and Mrs. Coulter returned to her home on Fortysecond street.

In the meantime Mr. Coulter acted upon the assumption that the separation had been final and agreed to contribute to the sup-port of his wife one-third of his salary of \$150 per month. Last month he sent her \$45, which Mrs. Coulter accepted. Something over a week ago he sent a furniture van to the house with a written request to his wife to send to him a bed room set, a couple of easy chairs, the book case and a number of books. She compiled with the request in part, refusing only to send a few of the choicer books after she had been informed by the expressman that they were to be stored in a warehouse, where she feared they would become destroyed by the ravages of mice and moths.

Monday last Mr. Coulter went to the house

and removed the furniture, taking the plane, furniture, books, pictures, carpets and, in fact, everything but the cook stove, the kitchen table, a few dishes, the bed in Mrs. Coulter's room and several old chairs,

Mr. and Mrs. Coulter have been married wenty-two years and have three sons, the oldest 18 years of age, the next oldest 9 and the next youngest 6. Their trouble was the result of an unfortunate entanglement between Mr. Coulter and a woman named When seen at her residence yesterday Mrs.

Coulter declined to make any statement for publication. She simply remarked that any one could see that her rooms were bare of furniture and she permitted any one who called to draw his own conclusions, but she admitted that her husban, have, too, that-goods. She expressed the hope, too, that-he would yet return at least a portion of the furniture to her, sufficient to make her admitted that her husband had removed the the furniture to her, sufficient to make her home comfortable, and stated that she believed that Mr. Coulter was disposed to do that much for her. She declined firmly to dispose to the country of the state of the that much for her. She declined firmly to discuss the unpleasant events that led to the estrangement between herself and

her husband.

As for his part, Mr. Coulter, when asked in regard to the matter, declined to discuss it for the press. He did admit, however, that he had aken the furniture, or at least the principal part of it, and explained his action in the premises by sayshould decide that the law is unconstitutional no time will be lost before mandamus proceedings are brought to test the case in the courts.

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The constitutional it they should decide that the law is unconstitutional ing that he had at first requested his wife for certain articles with which to furnish his recommendation. These articles she sent him only in part. Monday he went to the house and in the presence of witnesses asked for the furniture he desired. Mrs. Coulter for the furniture he desired. Mrs. Coulter refused to let anything be taken from the house. He informed her that under the law he had the right to take it all, but said that he only desired a few things. She persisted in her refusal to allow him any part of the furniture, whereupon he removed the greater part of it. He admits that perhaps he acted a little hastily and states that he has agreed to return her most of the furniture, and that it will be back at the residence as soon as

Papers for a legal separation were drawn up and agreed to by both parties some time ago.

"I have been troubled with constipation for several years. I tried many different kinds of medicines, but did not get any relief until I used Hood's Pills. I think they was taken this year. The following named chiefs were accepted:

are the best in the world. They do just what they are claimed to do." Mrs. J. S. Sinclair, 207 South 28th St., Omaba, Neb.

Hood's Pills cure biliousness, indigestion.

Lasters Union Talks of Disbanding. BOSTON, April 25 .- The annual convention the Lasters Protective Union of North

America is in session in this city.

The most important question to be decided y the convention is whether the union will shand or continue to exist, many members laiming that the new international organizaion of shoe workers will answer all the purposes of the present lasters' organization.

Train Robbers torrailed in a Swamp. SEDALIA, Mo., April 25.-Word has been eceived that Frank Huffman, the train robber and desperado, who has operated in Central Missouri for the past five years, has been captured at Collins, Mo. He was re-cently surrounded and shot in a swamp in Hickory county, but escaped. There is a re-ward of \$300 hanging over his head.

Robert Ford Hanged at Nashville. NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 25 .- Robert Ford, colored, who shot and killed Jerry Brown, colored, was hanged in the jail yard here today. The drop fell at 9:49 and Ford was pronounced dead at 10:07. The fall was nearly eight feet and Ford strangled to death.

Ford killed Brown in October last after a quarrel about a game of cards. Desperado Shot by a Marshal. HUNTINGDON, W. Va., April 25.-Yesterday evening, at Elkhorn, Deputy United States Marshal Smith was fired upon by a colored desperado named Andrew Smith in return fired four balls into Dillon, killing him instantly. Smith was shot in

the neck, but is not seriously injured.



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