WAGON LOIS-PIGS.

much nominal. RECEIPTS—Cattle, 300 head; hogs, 18,000 head; sheep, 1,000 head.

Knusns City Live Stock.

St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, May 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100 head; market nominal; fair to choice

New York Live Stock.

3.65@3.75. SHEEP—Receipts, 109 head; market iteady; lambs, \$5.10@6.60; yearlings, \$4.85@ .35; wethers, \$4.60@5.25; ewes, \$4.25@4.75.

Totals 1,376 36,677

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET,

Staple and Fancy Produce.

Sc: extra large mackerels.

FRUITS.

rate, \$4,25@4.50, CHERRIES-California, per 10-lb, box,

TROPICAL FRUIT.

VEGETABLES.

80

40

Death of Flower Has Quite an Effect on the Transactions.

SUDDEN DROP FOLLOWS THE NEWS

Monday's Market Opened Somewhat Stronger and a Better Feeling Was Noticed All During the Week.

NEW YORK, May 21 .- (Special.)-Henry Clews, head of the banking house of Henry Clews & Go., writes:

was the more startling because, although look seems to assure an indefinite period of not in strong health, yet his decease had not been recknowed upon as among the probabilities of the near future. The occurrence was the more salesting to a strong health, and the continued cannot be predicted, but the out-look seems to assure an indefinite period of easy money. The present accumulation of funds in the clearing house institutions is abilities of the near future. The occurrence only very large in its aggregate amount but had been advanced to extraordinary prices; and though the properties were presumed to be in a financially sound posttion, yet there were wide differences of opinion as to whether their high quotations could be safely regarded as permanent. Under these circumstances the market stood exposed to a severe reaction under this shock. The first effect of the intelligence of Mr. Flower's decease was a drop ranging from 11 to 18 points upon the securities directly affected, due mainly to heavy sales by alarmed and due mainly to heavy sales by alarmed and slimly protected holders. Within an hour, however, these panicky first results subsided. It became apparent that the specialties were under the shields of some of the strongest protectors in speculative circles; and the out-giving that a backing of \$100,000,000 was out-giving that a backing of \$100,000,000 was pledged to support the Flower interests put a stop to selling and produced a quick recovery of one-half of the previous decline. In sympathy with the excitement there was a decline of 1 to 2 points on

there has been a steady recovery of tone. There has been an abatement of attention; the protection of men of virtually district resources has removed an element of 3,238,00 pesetas; notes in circulation, distrust which has been holding the market at large in suspense for some time past; and this assurance has infused a healthier CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. feeling into speculative operations and strengthened confidence among investors. Features of the Trading and Closing One effect of this episode has been to partially divert attention from the industrial This diversion has also been helped by the a loss of 14014c. Corn rose 14c and oats fluctuating prospects of the crops incidental closed unchanged. Pork and ribs declined This diversion has also been helped by the fluctuating prospects of the crops incidental to this season of the year. Recently the special excitement in the industrial and traction securities had caused some neglects of the older stocks, if not also some decline in price from sheer inattention to them. The Granger stocks have been neglected in consequence of the uncertainty connected with the prospects of the wheat crop; the latest reports, however, are more definite and reveal a better outlook than has been hoped for. This fact, together with the abatement of disturbing misgivings respecting the group of stocks above referred to, afford the basis for a more confident feeling, which has shown a steady growth through the week. The position of the money market is also a helping factor. The Spanish indemnity payment is now out of the way and has left behind it an unexpected increase of \$77,80.000 in the surplus reserves of the city banks. There are no impending important rettlements connected with railroad deals such as have caused an unseen movement in the northwest, in the face of a poor cash demand, had a depressing influence. July opened 140.24 to lower at 731-20.73 to compared with 495 for the same day a year and closed at 733-20.73 to compared with 495 for the same day a year and flour equaled 222.000 bu. World's shipments for the week to Europe were placed at 6.500,000 bu.

Delayed seeding and fears of damage owning to unseasonable weather strengthened to corn. Receipts, 148 cars. July opened a shade lower at 233-334c, advanced to 334-c and closed with sellers at 234-5c.

Outs followed wheat. Receipts, 292 cars

pected that the extraordinary excess of exports over imports could be maintained indefinitely. It has been due to exceptional temporary conditions, both domestic and foreign, which are beginning to gradually disappear. The extraordinary business prosperity we are now experiencing has in-creased the demand for both domestic and imported products; we therefore find the decrease of \$11,000,000 in exports and an in crease of \$9,300,000 in imports; the result being that the balance for that month is \$20,300,000 less in our favor than in the same menth of 1898. The totals for the two months, March and April, better express the extent of this reaction. For those two months of last year, the excess of exports was \$94,400,000, while for March and April, 1899, the excess was only \$54,800,000; which shows a falling off in the creditor balance of \$39,600,000 for the two months, or at the rate of \$238,000,000 per year. The probability is well established that, in view of ability is well established that, in view of the favorable crop prospects in other countries, Europe may want less grain from us than in either of the last two years, and it now looks as though we may have a smaller surplus for export than then; and if, under these changed conditions, the price of cereal's should decline, a decrease in the value of our grain exports must be expected. It also remains to be seen how far the current rise in the prices of manufactures and of iron and steel may affect our exports of non-agricultural products. At the same time, for so long as trade continues as prosperous as it now is, we must expect increased importations.

In the death of Roswell P. Flower Wall street and the world of finance lose not only a good representative man but a courageous, sagaclous and valiant leader. His death, however, while a said loss to his fam. the favorable crop prospects in other countries, Europe may want less grain from us

death, however, while a sad loss to his famfly and a host of friends, does not in any

Articles

Receipts Shipmets Articles. Receipts of the country, which is the backbone of the stock market. Mr. Flower was quick to read the handwriting on the wall indicating the country of the stock market. change from depression and prostration Rye business interests to forthcoming prosthe enables interests to forthcoming pros-of business interests to forthcoming pros-perity, and he was enabled, with others who thought and acted as he did, to help along the tidal wave that came into existence the tidal wave that came into existence the tidal wave that came into existence will through natural causes. His decease will not change these conditions; they will remain as before. Mr. Flower's sudden death simply made a bargain counter for thousands of millionaires and the hundreds multi-millionaires to pick up securities cheap, and they were quick and ready to erties offered at the concessions which were No. 3 from active life who was a factor in the development of this country's resources and one whom all will miss; but Wall street will soon forget the shock and the worst of It may certainly be estandered as over. The Wall street market cannot be measured by any single man coming into existence or going out of it. Mr. Flower was

probably worth \$10,000,000. Think for a dozen.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 30,000 bu.; corn. 27.
Market Wall street and the business interests of this country which he leaves behind:

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 15,000 bu.; corn, 38,
Market Aller worth \$300,000,000; 300 bu.; oats, 3,600 bu. William, his brother, \$150,000,000; the Astors, \$250,000,000; the Vanderbilts, \$400,000,000; the Goulds, \$100,000,000; D. O. Mills, \$40,000,000; C. P. Huntington, \$40,000,000, and a great many others worth twice as much as what Governor Flower possessed. I give this array of figures of individual wealth to show how insignificant the power of any one many is as compared with a combination of others. This is an age of combination, and Wall street is now the market of the world for speculative dealings and investment transactions. The great wealth of Europe is more or less in and out of this market in both classes of operations. It was thought when A. T. Stewart died there would be no one to take his place, and behold the change! If he should come back now, there would be no place for him, nor could he create onc. When Commodore Vanderbilt died the feeling was the same. So it was when William H. Vanderbilt departed, also Jay Gould and a host of others. William, his brother, \$150,000,000; the Astors. \$250,000,000; the Vanderbilts, \$400,000,000;

CONDITION OF STOCK MARKET | None of these are missed now in business OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

STATEMENT OF NEW YORK BANKS.

Liquidation and Shows Decrease. NEW YORK, May 21.—The Financier ays: The heavy liquidation which marked the stock exchange operations of the week, particularly at the opening, is inrecty responsible for the reduction of \$7,243,000 shown in the loan item of the current state. shown in the ions item of the current state-ment of the New York clearing house banks. The reserve liability, owing to slight changes in deposits, remained at about the same figure reported for the previous week, so that the increase of \$7.654.600 in cash for the most part went to swell the reserves, the surplus rising to \$24.631.525, the highest point reached since the middle of last Peb-ruary. In fact, the various items correspond

closely to the statement made at that time, Since the opening of March the loans of During the last week the stock market has the banks have been reduced \$17,000,000, undergone another sharp test of its strength, deposits have fallen off \$5,500,000 and cash it had scarcely ceased to feel the effect of has increased no less than \$17,000,000. This an earlier break in the Flower properties will serve to show the extent of the liquidawhen the same identical interests sustained a second blow from the sudden descense of Mr. Flower himself. The event

London Stock Exchange.

LONDON, May 21.-In the Stock exchange last week all gilt-edged securities were destrong and foreigners were well supported from abroad. The feature of the latter was the rise of 5 points in Spanish 4s there was a decline of 1 to 2 points on Atchison preferred, 13 points; Union Pacific, the general list, which, however, proved 15 points; Eric preferred, 14 points, Money Monday's market opened with a more set-tled feeling, and throughout the last week there has been a steady recovery of tone.

Condition of Bank of Spain. to this special group of stocks; but they to this special group of stocks; but they are no longer a source of misgiving and Gold, 19.15. The report of the Bank of Spain uncertainty to the general list. The revela-tion that they are understood to be under the protection of men of virtually unlim-5,121,000 pesetas; silver in hand, increase, 5,121,000 pesetas; silver in hand, increase,

Prices for Saturday. CHICAGO, May 20.—Wheat ruled dull and stocks at large for the time being and to easy today on reports of heavy rains increase the interest in the railroad list, throughout the wheat belt. July closed with

railroad deals such as have caused an uneven movement in the loan market for the last three months; and consequently there is now a reasonable prospect of continuous ease in money until the setting in of the crop movement three months hence.

It seems probable that, from this time forward, one important "bull" element will become less conspicuous than it has been for many months past. It was not to be expected that the extraordinary excess of expected the except that the extraordinary except the except that the extraordinary except that the extraordinary except that the extraordinary except that the extraordinary except the except that the extraordinary except that the extraordinary except the except that the

50 cars; corn, 230 cars; oats, 435 cars; hogs, 40,000 head. Lending futures ranged as follows:

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| ·Wheat. | | | | | - |
| May | 72% | 7254 | 7236 | 7294 | 72% |
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| July | 33634 | 3334 | 334854 | 3314 | 334 |
| Sept, | 33%4% | 84 | 33% | 3334654 | 33% |
| Oats. | 20.000 | | 10000 | 7.5 | 1000 |
| May | 20% | 27 | 26% | 27 | 2734 |
| July | 23% | 2314 | 23%@M | 234(614 | 23% (43) |
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Receipts. Shipm'ts.

KANSAS CITY, May 20.—WHEAT—Dull; July opened unchanged at 68%; closed at 68c; September closed at 63%; closed No. 2 hard, 68@59c; No. 3, 66@68c; No. 2 red, 74@ Sc; September closed at 58%c; cash No. 2 feet, No. 3, 68979c; No. 2 red, 7497 fee; No. 3, 68971c, September, 30%c; CORN—Dull; July, 30%c; September, 30%c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 32%c; No. 2 white, 3%c; No. 3, 33%c, OATS—Dull; No. 2 white, 299729%c, RYE—Steady; No. 2, 55c, HAY—Dull; choice timothy, \$8,7595,25; choice prairie, \$7,7598.00.

BUTTER-Steady; creamery, 15c; dairy, 13c. EGGS-Market weak Owing to high prices cold storage m:n are almost ca-lirely out of the market. Receipts light last few days. Fresh Missouri and Kan-sas stock, firsts, cases returned, 12c per

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

Long Account is Affected by Heavy Light Receipts and a Trade Devoid of Features.

REVIEW OF THE WEEK'S TRANSACTIONS

Market Has Been in Fair Condition as Regards the Selling Interests-Cattle Close 25 Cents Lower .. Hogs 5 Cents Lower.

| | SOUTH OMAI | IA. Ma | y 20. |
|---|---|--|---|
| Official Wedne | iy 1,778 iy 5,250 esday 1,811 | Hogs. 0.271 2.759 12.138 9.618 8.466 6,677 | Sheep. 506 3,173 2,754 2,912 3,239 57 |
| Total this we Total last we Week ending Week ending Average price | rek 15.283 rek 18,951 May 6 12.976 April 29 12,425 be paid for hogs with comparisons | 48,319 87,965 43,495 45,203 For th | 12,634 12,642 26,427 25,623 te last |

* Indicates Sunday

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: Cattle, Hogs, Sh'p. C., M. & St. P. Ry...... 39 E. & M. V. R. R. C. & P. Ry. St. P., M. & O. Ry. & M. R. R. R. C. & St. J. R. I. & P. Ry., east. R. I. & P. Ry., west.

120 Total receipts 31 120 2 The di-position of the day's receipts was follows, each buyer purchasing the numer of head indicated; Cattle, Hogs. Sh'p. Omaha Packing Co..... G. H. Hammond Co.... Swift and Company.... Cudahy Packing Co....

635 8,246 506

The cattle market this week has been in pretty fair condition as regards the selling interests. Packers have seemed to want more cattle that were needed a short time ago, and the result of the very good buying demand has been to carry prices upward. For the week it is safe to say that the market on beef steers is 10g15c higher, the advance being the most pronounced on the heavy cattle. Even good heavy cattle have not shown as much improvement as the handy little cattle. Although the receipts have been liberal as compared with previous weeks, they have been none too large to meet the requirements of buyers, so that the trade has been active on about every day of the week, each day's arrivals changing hands readily at prevailing prices. Butchers' stock, such as good cows and heliers, has been in active demand and the prices paid during the week have been very had and entrely satisfactory to sellers. Enlis have also been good sellers. Veal The cattle market this week has been in high and entrely satisfactory to sellers. Bulls have also been good sellers. Veal caves have sold in the same notches as during the last two weeks, that s, at \$6.50% 75 for good ones. Stockers and feeders sold very high the Stockers and feeders sold very high the first part of the week, but the country seemed to come to the conclusion that they were too high and stopped buying, leaving speculators with some cattle on hand. The result was that the market weakened off on about Thursday, and at the close of the week is all of 25c lower than it was the early part of the week. Representative

| sales: | | and a company of the |
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| | BEEF STEE | RS. |
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15 HOGS-On the first round a few hogs sold Priday there was a reaction which carried the market back to within 2c of where it was on Monday. At the close of the week the market is 5c lower than it was at the close of the previous week. The demand was good all the week and sellers found no difficulty in disposing of everything received at current prices. Local packers have evidently wanted the hogs and they have all been free buyers. Representative sales:

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NEW POTATOES-Per bbl, \$5,00@5,50; per bu, \$2.55. MISCELLANEOUS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MAPLE SYRUP-Fivegal, cana, cach, \$2.25; gal, cans, pure, per doz, \$12.00; half-gal, cans, \$8.25; quart cans, \$3.50.

NUTS-Almonds per lb., 17c; Brazils, per lb., \$676c; English walmus, per lb., fancy soft shel, \$25g13c; standards, 1071c; fliberts, per lb., lic; pecans, polished, \$2010c; cocoanuts, per lb., \$4.00; peanuts, raw, \$1476.

C; roasted, \$4,07c, MAPLE SUGAR-Choice, in boxes, 9c, HONEY-Choice white, 1714/1814c, CIDER-Per half bbl., \$2.00, SAUERKRAUT-Per half bbl., \$2.00@2.25. HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

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HIDES-No. 1 green hides, Picc. No. 2 green hides, Clac: No. 1 salted hides, Slic: No. 2 salted hides, Picc. No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., Dec. No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 8c., TALLOW GREASE, ETC.—Tallow No. 1, Picc. tallow, No. 2, Rc; rough tallow, Picc. white grease, Pign3c; yellow and brown presses, 10 grades. rease, 14024c. SHEEP PELTS-Green salted, each, SHEEP PELTS-Green salted, each, 15@ 15c; reen salted shearings (short wooled early skins), each, 15c; dry shearings (short wooled early akins). No. 1, each, 5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3@4c; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry flint, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3@4c.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 20.—FLOUR—Steady and lemand improving; patents, \$3,70@3.85; straights, \$5,25@3.45; clears, \$3,00@3.20, TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, \$2.25, CORNMEAL—\$1.85@1.90, BRAN—Steady; sacked, east track, 57@58c.

58c.

HAY—Timothy, steady, \$18.00@12.00) prairie, scarce and firm, \$5.

WHISKY—Steady at \$1.26.
COITONTIES—55c.
RAGGING—12923c.
PROVISIONS—Dry salt meats (boxed), shoulders, \$4.25g4, 371g, extra shorts, \$5; ribs, \$5.121g; shorts, \$5.25. Bacon (boxed), shoulders, \$5.121g; extra shorts, \$5.50; ribs, \$5.621g; shorts, \$5.51g.

shorts, \$5.512; extra snorts, \$5.30; ribs, \$5.622; shorts, \$5.514; RECEIPTS—Flour, 3,000 bbls; wheat, 27,-000 bu; corn, 30,000 bu; cats, 56,000 bu. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 3,000 bbls; wheat, 17,000 bu; corn, 31,000 bu; cats, 34,000 bu. Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, May 20.—FLOUR—Duil: re-o pts. 45.018 bbls.; exports, 264 bbls.; sales quotations would sell rigot close up to Chingo prices,
Quotations on Wooled Lambs—Good to
hoice Colorado Mexican lambs, \$6,0098,70;
air to good Colorado Mexican lambs, \$6,40
16,50; spring lambs, \$6,0078,90;
Quotations on Climed Spean and Lambs None.

WHEAT—Easy, Spot and month, 75@75%c; wiley, 652@76%c; steamer, No. 2 red, 76% of the receipts, 43.588 bu; exports, 58.000 bu; outhern, by sample, 65@76c; southern, on trade, 70% 46.75%c; steamer mixed, rows of the receipts, 42.073 bu; exports, 170, 51% 45%c; receipts, 92.073 bu; exports, 170, 51 bu; southern white, 42c asked; southern ellow, 33%c asked; Quotations on Clipped Saeep and Lambs— Western wethers, \$5,0005.25; good to choice Mexican lambs, \$5,7506.00; good to choice Mexican lambs, \$5,7506.00; good to choice Western lambs, \$5,2505.75; fair to good west-ern lambs, \$5,2505.50; western yearlings, \$5,25 \$65.50; western ewes, \$4,50074.75. Representa-tive sales; yellow, 334c asked. OATS-Steady, No. 2 white, 314@334c; No. 2 mixed, 304@31c; receipts, 4,760 bu. BUTTER-Firm. 293 western wethers, shorn...... 103 \$5 25 CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. EGGS-Firm, 13c. CHEESE-Steady. Good Demand for Hogs Only Redeem-

Ing Feature of Trade. CHICAGO, May 20.—The supply of cattle today was quickly disposed of at former Minneapolis Wheat Market. Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 20.— WHEAT—
Close, in store: No. 1 northern, May, 70½c;
July, 71¾471¾c; September, 70½c. On track;
No. 1 %ard, 72½c; No. 1 northern, 71¾c; No.
2 northern, 70¾c.
FLOUR—First patents, \$3.60@3.90; second patents, \$3.60@3.70; first clear, \$2.70@2.80.

BRAN—Unchanged. prices. Fancy grades, \$5,50@5,60; choice steers, \$5,25@5.45; medium, \$4.50@4.35; cows and heifers, \$3,60@4.25; bulls, \$3,00@4.50; and heifers, \$3.6004.25; bulls, \$2.0004.50; western fed stiers, \$4.6005.40; Texans, \$4.60 05.00; onlves, \$4.5067.50.

There was an active demand for hogs at unchanged prices. Fair to choice, \$3.556 4.00; heavy packers, \$3.0003.82½; mixed, \$3.85 63.87½; butchers, \$3.700.95; lights, \$3.700 3.22½; pigs, \$3.3563.75.

The offerings of sheep were too few to make a market and prices were pretty much nominal.

Toledo Market. Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, May 20.—WHEAT—Quiet and lower; No. 2: cash and May, 74c; July, 75%c. CORN—Dul; and steady; No. 2 mixed, 34c. OATS—Dull and steady; No. 2 mixed, 30c. RYE—Dul; No. 2: cash, 60c bid. CLOVERSEED—Active and firm; prime new, cash and May, \$3.85; October, \$4.55.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, May 20,—WHEAT—Dull; No. 1 northern, 74½c; No. 2 northern, 73c. RYE—Lower; No. 1, 60½s. BARLEY—Dull; No. 2, 41c; sample, 38@40c. Peoria Market.

PEORIA, May 20 .- CORN-Steady; No. 3, OATS-Easy; No. 3 white, 274/6/274/c, WHISKY-Firm, on the basis of \$1.26 for

Duluth Wheat Market.

BRITISH ENGINEER AMAZED.

KANSAS CITY, May 29.—CATTLE—Recelpts, 200 head; supply too light to make a market and prices were nominal; light supply last week stimulated dimand and prices are 10g/20c higher on the week; heavy native steers brought \$4.90g.5.30; medium steers, \$4.60g.4.90; lightweights, \$4.40g.5.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.00g.5.50; butcher cows and helfers, \$3.25g.4.80; canners, \$2.50g.3.25; butcher bulls, \$3.25g.4.80; canners, \$2.50g.3.25; butcher bulls, \$3.25g.4.80; canners, \$2.50g.3.25; butcher bulls, \$3.25g.4.80; danners, \$2.50g.3.25; butcher bulls, \$3.25g.4.80; sond packing demand; trade active and prices firm; heavy, \$3.70g.3.24; mixed, \$3.55g.3.75; lights, \$3.45g.3.55; pigs, \$3.35g.3.50.

SHEEP—No receipts today; light supply of last week strengthened demand and prices advanced from 20g.40c; spring lambs sold from \$6.50g.8.00; wooled lambs, \$6.00g.6.50; clipped lambs, \$5.00g.8.25; muttons, \$3.75g.5.55; ewes, \$4.00g.5.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.50g.5.00; clupsed lambs, \$5.00g.3.50. By Our Workshops, Workmen and the Uses of Electricity. Mr. Walter Dixon, a member of the Institute of Electrical Engineers of Great that our neighbors across the water, who Britain, has been paying a visit to the are brethren with us in civilization, energy

was to find out the truth regarding the re-New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, May 20.—BEEVES—Receipts, 362 head, all slaughterers; no trading; feeling steady; shipments, 45 cattle and 5.617 quarters of beef.
CALVES—Receipts, 265 head; steady; good veals sold at \$7.25.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,924 head; firm; suring lambs steady; medium markable tales which he read in our techhe says, "of reported American practice. pepsia." head; firm; spring lambs steady; medium to choice sheep, \$4.5065.50; yearlings and lambs, \$5.5066.25; common unshorn lambs, \$5.5066.25; common unshorn lambs, By spring lambs, \$7.623.68.90; HOGS—Receipts, 2,946 head; one car for sale; sold at \$4.30; feeling trifle firm. tual applications, so that, while it was difficult to believe in the fiction theory, it was

St. Joseph Live Stock.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, May 20.—(Special.)

The Journal quotes as follows:
CATTLE—Receipts, 300 head; market acida weterns, \$4,0004.85; cows and heifers, \$2,5004.60; yearlings and caives, \$4,00075.40; that all of these almost incredible tales were true. "When I state," he says, "that tags, \$2,3504.50; yearls \$5,5507.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,400 head; market acidive and steady, selling at \$3,5007.80; bulk. steel and iron works of our own country combined, you will at once agree with me that their practice is sufficiently wide and divergent from ours to warrant some con-

The first thing that struck Mr. Dixon as remarkable about our works was the control exercised by young men, and next the efficiency of our workmen. "I have been intimately connected with

| Stock in Sight | Stoc large numbers of our workmen for the last 1.556 twenty years or more," he said," and I talked labor questions over with many classes in America and have come to the Condition of Trade and Quotations on conclusion that, just as our men, generally EGGS—Receipts slight; demand good; narket firm at 11½c. BUTTER — Common to fair, 10@11c: speaking, are bent on doing as little as possible in a given time, the American workman is bent on doing as much as possible." hoice, 120/14c; separator, 18c; gathered

choice, 12614c; separator, 18c; gathered creamery, 16c.

POULTRY-Hens, live, \$6845c; old and staggy roosters, live, 467c; ducks and geese, live, \$55c; turkeys, live, 10c; broilers, dressed, per doz, \$4.50.

PIGEONS-Live, per doz, 75c6\$1.00, VEALS-Choice 9c.
FRESH WATER FISH-Catfish, per lb.
12c; buffalo, per lb., dressed, 7c; white fish, 19c; lake trout, 9c; yellow pike, dressed, 9c; round, 8c; silver herring, 5c; perch, 6c; bullheads, dressed, 10c; black bass, 14615c.

In going over the American iron and steel works, he says, one cannot fail to be impressed by the scarcity of operatives, due to the use of labor-saving machines, and that he often refrained from taking photographs of works in full swing because the fewness of men at work gave the places a closed-down appearance.

"The fewness of workmen is not, however," he says, "more strange than the activity of those who are employed. British

ass, 14715c.
SEA FISH—Flounders, Sc; haddock, 10c; olumbia river salmon, 15c; halbut, 11c; lue fish, 10c; Spanish mackerel, 9c, red tivity of those who are employed. British labor, both skilled and unskilled, appears either by design or accident to have worked itself into the condition that each trade inshad, each, 40c; shad roe, per dividually vies with each other, and the whole combined trades vie together in dis-STRAWBERRIES—Per crate, shipping stock, \$2,000/2.25; poor stock, \$1,25/4.75.
GOOSEBERRIES—Per 24-qt, case, \$2.25.
PINEAPPLES—Per doz., \$2,000/2.25; per covering the greatest amount that can be extracted in wages out of each and every piece of work."

With young men at the helm, the Americans, he discovered, were always ready and willing to try new ideas, and though their that is the penalty of aristocracy in Mafailures were many their successes were also large in proportion.

TROPICAL FRUIT.

LEMONS — California, fancy, \$3.50623.75; choice, \$3.2562.35; Messina, fancy, \$4.60.

ORANGES—Seedlings, \$3.06; Mediterranean sweets, \$3.35623.50.

BANANAS—Choice, crated, large stock, per bunch, \$2.562.50; medium-sized bunches, \$2.0622.55; medium-sized bunches, \$2.0622.55.

DATES—Hallowee, \$0 to 70-lb, boxes, \$6; Sair, \$6; Fard, \$9-lb, boxes, \$19c. "So far as I could judge," Mr. Dixon says "the American appears perfectly fearless of foreign competition and is a stanch believer more, that the weak will go to the wall. He knows that if he is weak he will go to the VEGETABLES.

WAXING BEANS—One-third bu., 80/290c.
STRING BEANS—One-third bu., 60/275c.
PIEPLANT—Home-grown per ib., 1/2°c.
BEETS—New, per doz., 50/200c.
RADISHES—Per doz., bunches, 15/20c.
TOMATOES—Per 6-basket crate, 34/25/35 60.
SPINACH—Per basket, 60/200c.
LETTUCE—Home-grown, per dozen bunches, 30/235c. iron and steel business and everywhere. It is this which makes them what we should call 'foolhardy' with one another and, if one may so put it, with ourselves; they do not care who sees what they are doing. Their ASPARAGUS-Home-grown per dozen works are equally open to the stranger and ASPARAGUS—Home-grown per dozen bunches, 40%45c, ONIONS—Home-grown, per dozen bunches, according to size, 10%15c, CAEBAGE—Crated, per ib., 4c, CAULIFLOWER—Per crate, \$2.25%2.50, ONIONS—Per bu., 50%75c, CAULIFLOWER—Per bu., 50%75c, Colorado, 55% POTATOES—Choice lowa, sacked, 40%45c, Minnesota Burbanks, 10%75c, Colorado, 55% Foc. early Ohlo seed potatoes, 75%5c, SWEET POTATOES—Per bul., seed, \$2.90, CUCUMBERS—Per bushel crate, \$2.50, per doz., 75c, to the competitor. It seems an inbred idea per dozen with them that if they cannot themselves keep up to date, be at least as good if no

"I spoke of strikes to them, and they replied by referring to the various handles. of by nature if left wholly to her discretion the movement of which, by unskilled hands. They exposed their thin locks to the rains

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steel industry has advanced by leaps and bounds, and at a rate which is almost incomprehensible. How unexpectedly can, perhaps, be best understood by reading what was written twenty to twenty-five years ago in the transactions of our own parent and DULUTH, May 20.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard other societies. I have not seen that any-cash and May, 75% bid; July, 76% c bid; No. 1 northern, cash, 73% c; No. 2 northern, 68% c. to predict twenty years ago that before the body, even in their wildest moods, ventured to predict twenty years ago that before the end of this century the Americans, instead of importing, would be exporting iron into our own country and be serious rivals in all our foreign markets, and we have not yet as a nation, accustomed ourselves to the idea

100 head; market nominal; fair to choice native shipping and export steers, \$4,750 december of the country with fancy grades worth \$5.50; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4,0005.05; dressed under 1,000 fbs., \$4,3004.90; stockers and feeders, \$3,8004.50; cows and helfers, \$2,000 fbs., \$4,3004.90; stockers and feeders, \$3,8004.50; cows and helfers, \$2,000 fbs., \$4,3004.50; cows and helfers, \$3,0004.50; cows and helfers, \$4, nation who best know America, there is

> Some of the results of neglected dyspeptic conditions of the stomach are cancer, consumption, heart disease and epilepsy. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure prevents all this by effecting a quick cure in all case of dys-

little doubt."

GO HATLESS TO GROW HAIR.

Curious Frenk of a California Family of Baldheads. In the town of Madrone, twenty miles outh of San Jose, Cal., nature has revealed a new potency for building up degenerating

humanity. From the air of the Santa Clara valley has been drawn the natural elements of hair growing, says the San Francisco Examiner, and these elements have been focused upon the heads of two men who have devoted themselves, bareheaded, to the

experiment. These men compose the male portion of the family known in Madrone as "the hatless Peets." They never wear hats. In the burning sun, in the pouring rain, in winds and in fogs, by daylight and by night, the Peets go their way untopped by aught save nature's hirsute coverlet. For more than a year the brothers Peet have been bareheaded. They are likely to remain bareheaded for the rest of their days.

The brothers Peet are sons of the late Rev. Robert B. Peet, who died of heart failure very suddenly about a year ago while sitting in a chair in a church at Palo Alto.

went from one district to another in this state, lending thereto the profits of his learning and of his goodness as long as he was spared to an unworthy world.

The two sons and the mother still abide of a man with barrels of bends and coin. affluently at the old plane.

They are people of cultivated tastes and a familiarity with the higher things the trustee. world has to offer for recreation and mental profit; in their home in the Madrone country they have surrounded themselves with art and literature and music; when they go forth from their dooryard they ride in a swell trap with a tandem pair of thoroughbreds, or go astride of well-groomed

drone. This going without a hat is a hair-raising proposition. It has raised a great crop of hair for the Peets, who were almost hald when they began unfiatting. Shakespeare in the survival of the fittest; and, what is could raise hair if there were any to raise "make each particular hair to stand on end," in fact-but he had to pass when he found wall, and is hence always on the move to do something clever. You can see it in the "fretful porcupine." Fright such as Shakespeare demanded must have had a full set of hirsute quills to work on.

When the Peet family finally threw off its hats it had on its heads very little in common with the porcupine-there was scarce enough hair among the lot to furnish one good upstarting of locks o'er a tale Whose lightest word would harrow up their

It was because of this sparseness atop of better than their neighbors, they are bound their heads that the Peets ceased arraying them in derbys and fedoras; they concludes that heads entirely bare might be taken care and to the sunshinings, through storms and "The progress of the American ison and through baking hests and the winds blew

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upon their hatless pates in winter and summer as they blew upon the grass in the fields. Then the hair began to grow upon the Peet heads. From snowballs they grew to chrysanthemums-from Bill Nyes to Paderewskis. In a year the doffing of hats resulted in as luxuriant a crop of hair as was ever recorded in fertile Santa Clara valley. When the heroes of this remarkable experiment ride into town nowadays, their fluffy heads holding the center of interest high above a fine trap and a tandem team, they inspire in those who know their purpose a feeling of profound respect for the discovery they have worked out of nature, as well as for the courage they display in doing as they please regardless of the decrees of fashion and of civilization-even in Madrone.

SENATOR DEPEW'S FIRST \$100. Put it in the Bank 35 Years Ago and

Now it Amounts to \$400. A whole roomful of bank presidents and cashiers got off a joke on Chauncey Depew on Wednesday, reports the New York World, and Friday it come back to laugh in their faces. The joke began when Bryan H. Smith, president of the Brooklyn Savingi bank, made an address on dormant accounts.

"Yes," said President Knapp of the Peek-

skill Savings bank, "you know how people

go away and forget the money. Chauncey Depew put \$100 in our bank thirtyfive years ago and it's there yet. He's forgotten all about it." "Forgotten about it, ch?" said the senator Friday. "Well, I guess not. It amounts to about \$400 with interest now, and it's going to keep right on growing. That was the first \$100 I ever owned and I've kept my eys

The way that money got into the Peekskill Savings bank is a matter of pride with the senator. In those days Mr. Depew was a lawyer with an eye to the future. About During his protracted itinerancy he made that time there was no bank in Peekskill, his headquarters at a beautiful home near so a shrewd old Quaker hired Mr. Depew Madrone, where his wife, a daughter and to stir up enthusiasm. In those days Mr. two sons have resided permanently since Depew banked in his right-hand trousers' their arrival here from the cast, some twelve pocket. But he started out to arouse years ago. Now the daughter is abroad. Peekskill with all the arder and enthusiasm So the bank was started and in honor of Mr. Depew's good spirit they made him a

> "Now." said the honest Quaker to the trustee, "you ought to start a deposit with us."

> Mr. Depew went out and hustled up and down the streets of Peekskill till presently e came back with the hundred dollars. "I have made up my mind," says he, 'that I would never draw this money out short of a crisis. I have been tempted many a time when a hundred dollars would have looked bigger than the outside of the Grand central station. But there it stayed and grew and grew, and there you are. Forget

> Boy with a Business Head. Chicago Post: If the lad does not make a successful business man all the signs are wrong. He was asked to take charge of some white mice for the summer and to name his own price for so doing. Afte mature deliberation he made his proposition as follows:

it? Not much."

For 15 cents a week I will take charge "For 15 cents a week I will take charge of those mice and care for them and be responsible for their safekeeping. If any are lost or hurt I will replace them. If I am relieved of responsibility in the matter and will not be called upon to replace any that are lost or hurt I will undertake to look after them for 10 cents a week and I will lake equality good care of them." take equally good care of them.

People who have once taken DeWitt's Litle Early Risers will never have anything lee. They are the "famous little pills" for torpid liver and all irreguularities of the Try them and you will always use them,