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### LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Sealed bids will be received at the office f secretary of state up until 12 o'clock oon of May 24, 190, for the construction f an addition to the waterworks plant at lastings, according to plans and specifications now on file in the office of secretary tions now on file in the value of state.

The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GEORGH W MARSH,

Secretary of Board.

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## CRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

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Victoris. E. C. close at 6:39 p. m. May 17th, for despatch per s. Empress of China. Cherchandles for U. S. Postal via Canada). The Chart of China. Cherchandles for U. S. Postal via Canada). The China of China. Cherchandles for U. S. Postal via Canada). The China of China. Cherchandles for U. S. Postal via Canada). The China of China. Cherchandles for Fig. 1 stands of China. Cherchandles for Fig. Stands of China. Cherchandles for Fig. Stands of China. Cherchandles for Fig. Stands of China. Cherchandles for China. China of China. China of

it is not contract stuff."

A Chicago paper says receipts of corn from Nebraska have increased because of the anticipation among western shippers of the increase in rates June 1. The great part of the Nebraska corn, however, the paper finds to be going to St. Louis, as that place is the highest market.

The range in price of Omaha grain for future delivery and the close Friday and today were as follows:

—Closed— Open, High, Low. Today, Fri'y 44 44 A 45 A 4214 4214 4218 43 uly ..... 30% 50%A 29% 29% 30%A 30%A Local cash Grain Market.

Local cash Grain Market, beceipts are somewhat better and busits was slightly increased. The corn, wever, was off lc from the prices which ve ruled for several days and the dend was not particularly eager. Wheat i cats were steady at prevailing prices, ceipts were: Wheat, I car in and 23 sout; one week ago, 3 cars in. Corn, ars in and 2 cars out; one week ago, 3 f 5 cars. Oats, 4 cars in and 3 cars; one week ago, 3 cars in. epresentative sales of car lots by samont rack, Omaha: on track, Omaha:

on track, Omaha:

onn-No. 3, 2 cars, 50c; No. 3 yellow, 3, 504c; No. 2 white, 1 car, 52c.

ats-No. 4, 1 car, 394c.

HEAT—No. 2 hard winter, 85690c; No.

ard winter, 85694c; No. 4 hard winter,

5c; No. 2 spring, 85690c; No. 3 spring,

4c.

84c.
ORN—No. 2, 50@51c; No. 3, 49@50c; No. 8@48c; no grade, 89@45c; No. 2 yellow, 6514c; No. 3 yellow, 50@504c; No. 2 te. 50@51c; No. 3 white, 49@50c.
ATS—No. 2, 41c; No. 3, 40c; No. 4, 38@No. 2 white, 42@43c; No. 3 white, 41@ stendard, 41@414c. D. G. Dawson of Linwood and M. Alby of Harvard were exchange visitors.

Omaha inspections of grain were 38 cars. Of wheat, 1 car graded No. 2 hard, 1 car No. 3 hard and 2 cars No. 4 hard. Of corn, 21 cars graded No. 2. 7 cars No. 3, 1 car No. 4, 1 car No. 3 yellow, 1 car No. 2, white, 1 car No. 3 white and 3 cars no grade.

Omaha stocks of grain are: Wheat 177 fotes from the Exchange Offices.

Omaha stocks of grain are: Wheat, 177,-676 bu.; corn, 222,255 bu.; oats, 112,875 bu. Contract corn stocks: Merriam & Holmquist, 122,754 bu., and Union elevator, 31,374 bu. Grain Markets Elsewhere Closing prices of grain today and Friday at the markets named were as follows:

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July		88%	8376
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		. 82% B	82% 79%
July September	MINNEAPOLIS.	47% 46%A	47% 46%
Wheat— July September	DULUTH	. 90%B . 79%A	90%1 78%1
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NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities. Commodities.

NEW YORK, May 14.—FLOUR—Receipts, 7,750 bbis.; exports, 8,681 bbis.; the market quiet and barely steady; Minnesota patents, 8,0005.55; Minnesota bakers, 44.00 (94.20; winter patents, 5,0005.55; winter straights, 34.5005.00; winter exitas, \$3.350 4.00; winter low grades, 23.1502.50. Rye flour, slow; fair to good, \$3.0004.15; choice to fancy, \$4.1504.50.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, \$1.08021.10; city, \$1.10021.12; kiin dried, \$3.000 5.10.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, \$1.0001.10; city, \$1.1001.12; kun dried, \$3.000 3.10.

RYE—Easy; No. 2 western, 67c bid.

BARLEY—Dull; feeding. &c. c. l. f., New York; malting, 55@55c. c. l. f., Buffalo.

WHEAT—Receipts, 27.200 bu. Spot, steady; No. 2 red, \$1.06 elevator; No. 2 red, \$1.076 1.11, f. c. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 88c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal, f. o. b., afloat; Options opened steady and advanced for a time on favorable cables, prospective bullish weekly statistics Monday and frost in the west. Later they weakened under foreign selling and heaviness in outside markets, closing net unchanged. May closed at \$5ic; July, \$54,000 15.16c, closed at \$5ic; September, 814,000 15.16c, closed at \$5ic; September closed at \$5ic.

CORN—Receipts, 17,200 bu.; exports, 126 bu. Spot, steady; No. 2, 15c, elevator, and 56ic. 1 o. b., afloat; No. 2 yellow, 60c; No. 2 white, 57c. Options dull and practically unchanged; May closed at 874c; July, 53xc; September, 825c.

OATS—Receipts, 22,500 bu.; exports, 5.697 bu. Spot, steady; mixed, 25 to 32 lbs., 4605 47c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs.

TALLOW—Barely steady; city (12 per pkg.), 4%c; country (pkgs. free), 4%c; BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 13g20%c, CHEESE—Quiet; old, 9g11%c; new, 5%@ EliGS-Barely steady; western storage se-ections, 186184c; western firsts, 186184c. POULTRY-Alive and dressed quiet and

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, May 14—WHEAT—May, 56%c; July, 75%f6; September, 65%f9 15%c; cash, No. 2 hard, 50754%c; No. 3, 56456; No. 2 red, 59651.00; No. 3, 59397c. CORN—Lower; May, 47%c; July, 63%645%c; September, 41%641%c; cash, No. 2

mixed, 514,655c; No. 3, 506,51c; No. 2 white, 536,53; No. 3, 506,51c. OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 434,645c; No. CATS—Steady, No. 2 White Control of Cansas Stock (cases included), 124c; new No. 2 cases included, 134c.

BUTTER—Creamery, Egific; dairy, fancy, HAY—Steady; choice timothy, \$10.50@11.00; choice prairie, \$7.75@8.00.

RVE—No. 2, 64c. Receipts. Shipments. Wheat, bu. .....

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS Features of the Trading and Closing

Prices on Board of Trade.

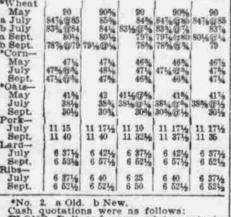
CHICAGO, May 14—An estimated decrease in available stocks imparted firmness to wheat today. Final quotations were practically identical with yesterday's close. Corn is down 162%. Oats are off 16c. Provisions show no change.

Initial sales on July wheat were 1/4c lower to 1/3c higher at \$33/4634c. The market closed with an inclination to firmness, final quotations on July being at \$33/46 \$37/4c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 48.500 bushels. Primary receipts were 156.200 bushels. Compared with 115.700 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis. Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 91 cars, against 125 last week and 157 a year ago.

The early corn market was strong on an active commission house demand. The market closed weak and near the lowest point. The early corn market was strong on an active commission house demand. The market closed weak and near the lowest point. July opened unchanged to he higher at 47% 47% c. sold between 47% 48% c and closed at 47% 47% c. Locat receipts were 49 cars, with 4 of contract grade. An easier feeling in oats late in the session was due almost entirely to weakness in corn. Prices held firm until the last hour, when moderate liquidation caused some recessions. After opening a shade higher at 38% c. July ranged between 38% as and closed at 38% 38% c. Local receipts were 82 cars.

Provisions were steady, notwithstanding the easier tone of grains. About the only feature of trading was sales of pork and purchases of lard by outsiders. The market received the benefit of higher prices for hogs; July pork closed a shade higher at 311.17%; ribs were up 2% oat \$3.37% 36.40.

Articles, Open, High, Low. Close (Yest).



\*No. 2. a Old. b New.
Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR—Dull and easy; winter patents,
\$4.7064.80; straights, \$4.4064.80; spring patents, \$4.3064.80; straights, \$3.9064.10; bakers,
\$2.5563.30.
WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 90694c; No. 3, 8569
90c; No. 2 red. \$1.0361.05.
CORN—No. 2, 45%649c; No. 2 yellow, 52%
653c. OATS-No. 2, 421/6/421/20; No. 3 white, 411/4

OATS-No. 2, 424@424c; No. 3 white, 414@444c.
RYE-No. 2, 73c.
BARLEY-Good feeding, 35@38c; fair to choice maiting, 45@86c.
SEED-No. 1 flax, \$1.01; No. 1 northwestern, \$1.09. Prime timothy, \$3. Clover, contract grade, \$10.75.
PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$11.10@11.124g. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$6.25@6.30. Short ribs sides (loose), \$6.124\_@6.25. Short clear sides (boxed), \$6.25@6.50.
The following were the receipts and ship-The following were the receipts and ship-

Minneapolis Wheat, Flour and Bran.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 14.—WHEAT—May, 91%c; July, 90%c; September, 794c. On track: No. 1 hard, 95%c; No. 1 northern, 95%c; No. 2 northern, 95%c; No. 2 northern, 95%c; No. 2 northern, 95%c; Second patents, \$4.90@5.00; first clears, \$2.50@3.60; second clears, \$2.50.

BRAN—In bulk, \$16.50@17.00.

Duluth Grain Market. DULUTH, May 14.—WHEAT—In store:
No. 1 hard, 91%c; No. 1 northern, 90%c; No.
2 northern, 87%c. To arrive: No. 1 hard,
93c; No. 1 northern, 92c; No. 2 northern,
87%c. On track: No. 1 northern, 90%c93c;
No. 2 northern, 87%c90%c; May, 90%c; July,
90c; September, 90%c.

MILWAUKEE, May 14 - WHEAT-Mer-ket quiet; No. 1 northen, 374c; No. 2 north-ern, 354,595c, old July, 344,585c bid, RYE-Firm; No. 1, 154,5754c; BARLEY-Dull; No. 2, 56c; sample, 38 G00c. CORN—Steady; No. 2, 50@52c; July, 47% G47%c asked.

Toledo Seed Market. TOLEDO, May 14.—SEEDS—Clover, cash, \$6.30; October, \$5.75. Alsike, prime, \$6.15; August, \$6.35. Timothy, prime, \$1.46; September, \$1.46.

tember, \$1.45.

Cotten Market,

Liverpool, May 14—Cotton—Spot, quiet; prices 4 points lower; American middling fair, 7.54d; middling, 7.52d; good middling, 7.54d; low middling, 7.52d; good ordinary, 7.68d; ordinary, 6.88d. The sales of the day were 4.000 bales of which 200 were for speculation and export, and included 3.500 American. Receipts, 7,000, including 4.000 American. Receipts, 7,000, including Futures quiet; May and June, 7.06d; Le and July, 7.06d; July and August, 7.02d; August and September, 6.80d; September and October, 6.52d; October and November, 6.06d; December and January, 5.86d. NeW YORK, May 14—COTTON—Futures, quiet; May, 13.14c; June, 13.26c; July, 12.83c; August, 13.01c; September, 11.70c; October, II.30c; November, II.18c; December, II.17c; January and February, 5.86d. December, 11.17c; January and February, 5.86d. NeW YORK, May 14—COTTON—Futures, quiet; May, 13.16c; September, 11.70c; October, II.30c; November, II.38c; December, 11.17c; January, 11.18c. Spot, quiet; midding uplands, 12.50c; midding gulf, 13.80c; sales, 500 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—COTTON—Futures, steady, May, 13.80c; June, 13.57g; 13.58c; July, 12.77g; 13.77g; 13.78c; August, 12.22g; 12.82c; September, 11.57g; 11.58c; October, 11.67g; 11.58c; November, 16.88g; 10.88c; December, 10.88g; 10.88c; December, 1

New York Imports and Exports.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Total imports of dry goods and general merchandise at the port of New York for the week ending today were valued at \$12.042.065.

Exports of specie from New York for the week were \$400.000 silver and \$13.757.702 gold. Imports of specie at New York during the week were \$40.000 gold and \$51.342 silver.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Receipts Light All the Week and Prices About Steady.

HOGS HAVE ALSO SHOWN LITTLE CHANGE

Quality Inferior, and with a Limited Demand Market for Week No More Than Steady.

SOUTH OMAHA, May 14, 1904. Cattle Hogs, Sheep.
4,221 5,190 4,573
3,122 9,191 2,811
3,046 6,750 45
2,333 8,065 1,570
1,409 5,329 8,006
44 5,930 540 Official Monday ...
Official Tuesday ...
Official Wednesday ...
Official Thursday ...
Official Friday ...
Official Saturday ... 

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.H'r.s. C., M. & St. P..... Union Pacific system .. The disposition of the day's receipts was

stides (boxed), 85,256,100 (as. bit). Generally stides (boxed), 85,256,100 (bit). The following were the receipts and shipments yesterday: Receipts. Shipments wheat, bu. 21,000 (bit) bits. 12,000 (bit) b

SHEEP-There were not enough sheep in sight this morning to make a market. For the week offerings show a falling off as compared with last week amounting to about 6.000 head and as compared with the corresponding week of last year there is a decrease of about 1.000 head.

The bulk of the receipts this week has been made up of sheep and lambs of only fair quality. Packers have not appeared to be particularly anxious for any great quantity and as a result the market has been made to be a supported to be particularly anxious for any great quantity and as a result the market has been the supported to be particularly anxious for any great quantity and as a result the market has

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

New York Live Stock Market. NEW YORK, May 14.—CATTLE—Beeves, eccipts, none. Dressed beef quiet at 64.26 kgc per lb. for native sides. Exports to iny, 2.090 cattle, 516 sheep and 7,200 quarreceipts, none. Dressed beef quiet at 6469 \$150 per 1b. for native sides. Exports to-day, 2.090 cattle, 516 sheep and 7,200 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, 167 head. Market was steady; common to good yeals, \$2.50\$6.50; city dressed yeals, slow, 629c.

HOGS—Receipts, 3.273 head. None for sale; nominally weak.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2.445 head. Clipped sheep, firm; clipped lambs.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH, May 14.—CATTLE—Receipts 12 head; market unchanged.
HOGS—Receipts 3,996 head; market steady; lights, \$4.65@4.85; medium and neavy. \$4.70@4.85.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts none.

SIOUX CITY, In., May 14.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head. Market steady; beeves, \$3.50@4.80; cows, bulls and mixed, \$3.00@4.80; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@3.80; calves and yearlings, \$2.75@3.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 4.500 head. Market strong, selling at \$4.50@4.70; bulk, \$4.50@4.65.

Stock in Sight.

Wool Market.

LONDON, May 14.—WOOL—The offerings at the auction sales today amounted to 12.—621 bales in good condition. Competition was brisk and prices were maintained. Americans bought a fair quantity of light Victorian. New Zealand was in active demand for France. Medium gressles and fine scoureds were quickly taken by German buyers. Crossbreds were in general demand and a good supply was taken for America. Next week 35,530 bales will be offered. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 2,000 bales; scoured, 10d@ 1s 7d, 2 greasy, 54d@is 1dd, 2 greasy, 10d@ 1s 1dd; greasy, 10d@ 1s 1dd; greasy, 7d@is 11dd. South Australia, 1,300 bales; greasy, 7d@is 11dd. West Australia, 100 bales; greasy, 1820 1dd. Tassmania, 28 bales; greasy, 1820 1dd. New Zealand, 5,000 bales; scoured, 2dZls 7dd, 1 greasy, 54d@is 1dd. New Zealand, 5,000 bales; scoured, 2dZls 7dd, 1 greasy, 54d@is 1dd. New Zealand, 5,000 bales; scoured, 2dZls 7dd, 1 greasy, 54d@is 1dd. Cape of Good Hope and

Prices Rule Firm and Receipts Are Prices Rule Firm and Receipts Are
Light.

CHICAGO, May 14—CATTLE—Receipts
200 head; market good; prime steers, 25.10
(55.55; poor to medium, 14.5094.90; stockers
and feeders, 23.1094.40; cows, \$1.7594.35;
heffers, \$2.2694.90; canners, \$1.7592.75; buils,
\$2.0094.00; calves, \$2.2695.25; Texas fed
steers, \$4.2594.50.

HOGS—Receipts 8,000 head; estimated
Monday, 35.090 head; market steady; mixed
and butchers, \$4.7094.90; good to choice
heavy, \$4.8094.90; rough heavy, \$4.6094.75;
light, \$4.8594.80; buils of sales, \$4.7594.85.

SHEEP AND LAMRS—Receipts 1,000
head; market steady; good
to choice wethers, \$4.6595.50; fair to choice
mixed, \$3.7594.50; western sheep, \$4.5095.50;
clipped native lambs, \$4.5096.00; clipped
western lambs, \$4.7598.10; wooled western
lambs, \$6.2596.90.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 14.—CATTLE—Receipts 150 head, no Texans; market steady; native shipping and export steers, \$4.506.55; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4.506.50; steers under 1,000 pounds, \$4.2504.50; stockers and feeders, \$4.506.50; cows and helfers, \$3.5564.75; canners, \$2.562.65; bulls, \$2.5564.60; calves, \$3.006.00; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.2564.75; cows and helfers, \$3.006.415. 16. HOGS—Receipts 2.800 head; market about leady; pigs and lights, \$4.2594.50; packers, 1.5064.85; butchers and best heavy, \$4.759 4.90.
SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts 300 head; market steady; native muttons, \$4.00 g75.50; lambe, \$5.00g8.00; culls and bucks, \$4.00g6.00; stockers, \$2.60g3.00.

head. Clipped sheep, firm; ellipped lambs loc higher; unshorn stock nominal; clipped sheep, \$5.30; clipped lambs, \$5.2008.75 Dressed mutton, \$%\$\tilde{4}00\foralle{\psi}\_{\text{c}}; dressed lambs, firm at 10\foralle{4}012\foralle{\psi}\_{\text{c}}c.

 
 Stock in Sight.

 Following are the receipts of live stock for the six principal western cities yesterday:

 Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.

 South Omaha
 44
 5.830
 540

 Chicago
 200
 8.000
 1.000

 Kansas City
 900
 4.000
 5.00

 St. Louis
 150
 2.800
 300

 St. Joseph
 82
 3.956
 300

 Sloux City
 200
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Condition of Trade and Quetations on

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LIVE POULTRY-Hens, 9c; roosters, according to size, 53fc; turkeys, 13c; ducks, 9c; geese, 8c.

BUTTER-Packing stock, 11½c; choice to fancy dairy, 14clic; separator, 20c.

FRESH FISH-Trout, 14c; pickerel, 8c; picke, 12c; perch, 566½c; btuensh, 12c; modelish, 12c; redsnapper, 14c; lobster, boiled, per lb, 30c; bulinedds, 11c; catish, 13g14c; black bass, 20c; hallbut, 11c; crapples, 12c; learing, 6c; roe shad, 76c; shad roe, 36c; small ciscoes, 10c.

BRAN-Per ton, 518.50.

HAY-Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Deslers' association: Choice No. 1 upland, 48.00; No. 5, 57.50; medium, 57.00; coarse, 30.50; rye straw, 55.00. These prices are for hay of good color and quality. Demand fair and receipts light.

ORANGES-Navels, choice, all sizes, 22.50; fancy navels, all sizes, 22.50; fancy navels, all sizes, 22.50; fancy navels, all sizes, 22.50; choice, 240 to 270; 21.0033.25.

CALIFORNIA FIGS-Per 10-1b cartons, 6c; imported Smyfra, 2-crown, 12c; 5-crown, 14c; 7-crown, 15c.

BANANAS-Per medium sized bunch, 22.003.50; jumbo, 32.7563.26.

DATES-Persian, per box of 30 pkgs, 12; per lb, In 60-lb boxes, 5c; Oriental stuffed dates, per box, 32.40.

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STRAWBERRIES-Arkansas, per 24-qt.

CHERRIES—California, per box, \$1.502
200.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Colorado, \$1.10; Dakota, per bu., \$1.10; new Texas Red stock, in sacks, per lb., 23.c.

NAVY HEANS—Per bu., \$2.1562.26.

ONIONS—Bermuda, per 36-lb. crate, \$2.00. CABBAGE — California, per lb., 33.c; southern, per crate, \$1.7562.00.

CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 75625.10.

TOMATOES—Florida, per 6-basket crate, fancy, \$1.50; cholos, \$1.25.

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 55600c.

LETTUCE—Top lettuce, per dozen, 456 50c.

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TURNIPS—Southern, per dox. 45c.
BEETS—Southern, per dox. 75c.
CARROTS—Southern, per dox. 75c.
PARSLET—Per dox., 40c.
BEANS—Wax, per bu. box, \$3.00; string, per bu. box. \$2.00.
SPINACH—Per bu., home grown, 50260c.
ASPARAGUS—Per doxen bunches, 45050c.
GREEN PEPPERS—Per 6-basket crate, \$2.00.

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EGG PLANT-Per doz., \$1.00.

SQUASH-Florida summer, per doz., \$1.00.

PEAS-Per bu. box, \$2.00.

MISCELLANEOUB.

CHEESE-Wisconsin twins, full cream, iic; Wisconsin Young America, 12c; block Swiss, 15c; Wisconsin brick, 13½c; Wisconsin limberger, 13c.

CIDER-Per bbl., \$5.50; per ½ bbl., \$3.25; MAPLE SUGAR-Ohio, per 1b., 10c.

HIDES-No. 1 green, 6c; No. 2 green, 5c; No. 1 saited, 7c; No. 2 saited, 6c; No. 1 veal caif, \$5 to 12 hbs., 6½c; dry saited hides, 8@12c; sheep pelts, 24@27c; horsehides, \$1.50@2.50.

HORSERADISH-Per crate of 2 dozen packed, 80c.

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Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, May 14.—EVAPORATED APPLES—No change, either in prices or general trade conditions. Common are quoted at 455%c; prime at 54,65%c; choice at 54,66%c, and fancy at 7274c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes show no improvement as a result of the slight improvement in demand and prices still range from 3c to 5%c, according to grade. Apricots attract a fair jobbing demand and rule firm; thoice are quoted at 95,00%c, and choice at 94,60%c. Peaches also are moving fairly well and with holders confident prices are firmly held. Choice are quoted at 74,67%c, extra choice at 74,67%c, and fancy at 94,61%c.

NEW YORK, May 14.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 35-1603%c; centrifugal, 26 test, 315-1603%c; molasses sugar, 311-160 5%c. Refined, firm; No. 6, 440c; No. 7, 4,35c; Zealand, 5,000 bales; scoured, 9d@18 7%d; Sisc. Refined, firm; No. 6, 440c; No. 7, 4.85c; greasy, 54d@18 id. Cape of Good Hope and No. 8, 4.30c; No. 9, 4.25c; No. 10, 4.20c; No. Natal, 900 bales; scoured, 74d@28 4d; 11, 4.15c; No. 12, 4.10c; No. 13, 4.05c; No. 14, greasy, 6@8%d. The arrivals of wool for the fourth series amount to 89,128 bales, including 44,500 forwarded direct to spinners.

ST. LOUIS, May 14.—WOOL—Steady; Medium grades, combing and clothing, 17021c; Steady; open kettle, 23,433 3-16c; open ket-

light fine 14617c; heavy fine, 13614c; tub the centrifugal, 3%c; centrifugal whites, 4% washed, 30521c.

NEW YORK, May 14.—WOOL—Firm; domestic fleece, 28633c.

MOLASSES—Nominal; open kettle, 202
Te; centrifugal, 10615c. Syrup, nominal, 20
25c.

Olls and Rosin. OIL CITY Pa. May 14. OILS Credit balances, \$1.62; certificates, no bid; shipments, \$2.600 bbls., average 77.501 bbl.; runs, 87.651 bbls., average 76.834 bbls.; shipments, Lima, 45.834 bbls., average 53.108 bbls.; runs, Lima, cl.554 bbls., average 53.70 bbls.; runs, Lima, cl.554 bbls., average 53.70 bbls. NEW YORK, May 14.—OILS—Cotton-seed, easy prime crude, nominal; prime yellow, 27%c. Petroleum, easy; refined, New York \$3.15; Philadelphia and Balti-more, 28.19; in bulk, \$8.20. Turpentine, stendy, 530634c. ROSIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, \$2.8508.27%4. \$2 SOUTH NAH, May 14 OILS Turpentine, quiet; 54%;c. ROSIN-Firm; A. B. C. D. \$2.60; E. \$2.65; F. \$2.70; G. \$2.76; H. \$2.80; I. \$3.00; K. \$3.15; M. \$1.20; N. \$3.30; W G. \$3.50; W W. \$3.80.

LONDON, May 14.—Rates for money were extremely easy in the market to-day and the surplus accounts were higher. On the Stock exchange there was the usual Saturday isssitude. The undertone was fairly firm, but all-round profit taking reduced the market to a condition of exhaustion. Consols were easier and home rails had a sagging tendency. Americans were duil in anticipation of a bad bank statement. They closed quiet after a slight nominal recovery.

PARIS, May 14.—On the Bourse today prices fell off some, but the market closed firm. Russian internal 4s, 85.6; \$ per cent renter, 96f 90c for the account.

BERLIN, May 14.—On the Bourse today trading was duil; quotations mostly lower.

APPLES—Oregon fancy Ben Davis, per box, \$1.50; New York export Russets and Baldwins, \$4.00 are for five formal stands and STRAWBERRIES—Arkansas, per 24-qt. case, \$2.0032.25. CHERRIES—California, per box, \$1.500 at each of the five formal steady at unchanged prices in response to the first primary receipts during the holiday had been light. Demand was very limited, however, and soon after the opening the market sagged off a partial 5 points, closing net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales NAVY BEANS—Per bu., \$2.1502.25. CABBAGE — California, per 50-lb. crate, \$2.00. CABBAGE — California, per 1b., \$360. 500. December, 6.2066.250; March, 6.4566.500.

NEW YORK, May 14—DRY GOODS— The week just closed has shown a decided improvement in the demand for spot goods. Warmer weather throughout the country has been mainly responsible for this in-activity. Trade in nearby sections has opened up and from now on the demand at both first and second hands is expected to

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PROPOSALS FOR INDIAN SUPPLIES.—
Department of the Interior, Office of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., March Il.
1904.—Sealed proposals, indorsed "Proposals for blankets, woolen and cotton goods, clothing, etc.," as the case may be, and directed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Nos. 113-121 Wooster street, New York City, will be received until I o'clock p. m., of Tuesday, May 24, 1904, for furnishing for the Indian Service, blankets, woolen and cotton goods, clothing, notions, hats and caps. Bids must be made out on Government blanks. Schedules giving all necessary information for bidders will be furnished on application to the Indian Office, Washington, D. C.; the U. S. Indian ware-houses, 119-121 Wooster street, New York City, 265-267 South Canal street, Chicago, Ill.; 315 Howard street, Omaha. Nebr.; 668 South Seventh street, St. Louis, Mo.; the Commissaries of Subsistence, U. S. A., at Cheyenne, Wyo., and St. Paul, Minn.; the Quartermaster, U. S. &., Seattle, Wash; the postmasters at Sloux City, Tucson, Fortland, Spokane and Tacoma; and the Manufacturers' and Producers' Association of California, San Francisco, Cal. Bids will be opened at the hour and days above stated, and bidders are invited to be present at the opening. The Department reserves the right to determine the point of delivery and to reject any and all bids, or any part of any bid.

W. A. JONES, Commissioner.

#### LEGAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received until 12 o'clock, noon, June 6th, 1904, by the Board of Education of Fairbury School District at the office of J. H. LeRoy, secretary, Fairbury, Neb., for furnishing material and putting in a heating plant in the new school building now in process of erection in said city. Said bids to be in compliance with the plans and specifications on file in the said secretary's specifications on the ...

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Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, in amount \$200.00 as a guarantee of good faith.

J. H. LEROY, Secretary.

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