\*No. 2. a Old. b New.

Many Hard-Priced Stocks Sell Sharply, Giving the Appearance of Specnintive Amnittee Under Past Manipulations. NEW YORK, June 1.—There was a slightly wider movement of prices in today's stock market than the receipts average, but this was largely confined to special stocks of the dormant class. The usual market leaders were sluggish and neglected, and their narrow fluctuations cannot be accepted as indicative of any widely held opinions on the market, Many of the low-priced stocks which sold off sharply today have had the appearance of speculative affinities in the past under pool manipulation and the suggestion put affort in the course of this past manipulation have implied a possibility of some ultimate combination between a number of such roads, small in themselves and of small financial importance, with no dividend distribution on their stocks and with more or less mystery maintained regarding the actual earnings and operation.

The common interest in these stocks of a speculative party of some prominence has constituted a vantage point for speculative operations in the group under leadership. A number of the southwestern railroad stocks suffered also from professed upensiness over their financial prospects. One or two point losses resulted in the Colorado and Southern stocks, the Toledo, St. Louis and Western, the St. Louis Bouthwestern stocks, Missouri, Kansas and Texas preferred and some others. The heaviness claewhere in the market was largely in sympathy with that in these special stocks. A number of reports of decreased earnings of railroads for April showed the decreasing tendency still in force.

The money market was of an almost nominal character, but the tone of loans moninal character, but the tone of loans and the colorado and some others. 400 616 6 600 14 13% 100 60 60 1,300 1416 1316 1,400 49 43 2,100 15 18 1,900 15416 15316 Southern 200 100 10,900 2,900 100 400 100 100 1976 6676 23% 57 83% 6278 79 129% 101/6 661/2 23% 66 33% 61 70 139% 409 19 100 37 600 10716 700 14416 1.109 7516 2,200 11046 Manhattan L "300 61% 61% 8 mixed, 474c; No. 2 white, 42648c; No. 2 mixed, 2544c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 42648c; No. 2 mixed, 2544c.

HAY—Firm; choice timothy, \$10.50611.00; choice prairie, \$3.50.

HYE—Steady; No. 2, \$4c.

BUTTER—Creamery, 12615c; dairy, fancy, 12c.

EGGS—Steady; Missouri and Kaness, cases returned, 12c; new No. 2, whitewood cases included, 13c.

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NEW YORK, June 1.—Special cable and telegraphic communication received by Bradstreets show the following gains in available supplies as compared with last account: Whest—United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 4,934,000 bushels affoat for and in Europe, decrease 5,534,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased \$4,904,000 bushels. The leading decreases reported to Bradstreets this week are \$62.00 bushels in Manitoba, 290,000 bushels at the Chicago private elevators, at the northwestern interior elevators, 173,000 bushels at Omaha and 15,000 bushels at the Milwaukee private elevators. The leading increases are \$2,000 bushels at Consultation and Me., and 7,000 bushels at Consultation and Me., and 634 20% 634 434 26% 419% 5304 225% 225% 82% bushels; afloat for and in Europe, decreased 600.00 bushels total supports as supported to the Rockies, decreased 404.000 bushels. Oats—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 611.000 bushels. The leading decreases reported to Bradstreets this week are 652.00 bushels at the Chicago private elevators, 124.000 bushels at the Chicago private elevators, 124.000 bushels at Oats—United States and 125.000 bushels at the Manitoba, 20.000 bushels at the northwestern interior elevators, 125.000 bushels at Oats—United States and 125.000 bushels at Oats—United States and 125.000 bushels at the Milwaukes private elevators. The leading increases are \$2.000 bushels at Oats—Landing.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

Mi Boston Stock Quotations TOLEDO, June 1.—SEEDS—Clover, cash, \$6.20; October, \$5.70. Prime alsike, \$6.20; August, \$6.50 bid. Prime timothy, \$1.45; September, \$1.474. Oils and Rosin. NEW YORK, June 1.—OILS—Cottonseed, steady; prime crude, nominal; prime yel-New York, 48.15; Baltimore, \$10.00; Balti-more, in bulk, \$5.20. Turpentine, steady, 574cc.

ROSIN—Steady; strained, common to good, \$2.66. SAVANNAH, June 1.—OILS—Turpentine, SAVANNAH, June 1.—OILS—Turpentine, firm 534054c.

ROSIN—Firm; A. B. C. D. \$2.50; E. \$2.55; G. \$2.75; H. \$2.85; I. \$2.10; K. \$2.40; M. \$2.65; N. \$3.75; W. G. \$3.55; W. W. \$4.25.

OIL CITY, June 1.—OILS—Credit balances. \$1.82; certificates, no bids; shipments, \$8.129 bbis; average, 76.491 bbis; shipments, Lima. \$5.25; bbis; average, \$8.690 bbis; runs, Lima, 79.349 bbis; average, \$8.670 bbis. 6 5714 6 60 6 5714 6 5314 6 60 6 70 6 7714 6 7 Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR Market steady: winter patents.

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M. 1001.50; spring. 210056; No. 3, 85

M. 1001.50; spring. 210056; spring. 210

Wool Market.

BOSTON, June 1.—WOOL—The market on the whole is quiet. Some complaint is heard as to abrinkage of the new wools. The movement of old territory wools is still small. Pulled wools are firmer. Idaho—Fine. 14½16c; heavy fine. 18 @13½c; fine medium. 15@16c; medium. 15@16c; low medium. 15@16c; heavy fine. 18@11½c; fine medium. 15 @16c; heavy fine. 18@11½c; fine medium. 15 @16c; medium. 15@16c; fine medium. 15½26c; medium. 18 @16c; low medium. 15½36c; medium. 18 @16c; low medium. 15½616c; medium. 18 @16c; low medium. 16@16c; medium. 18 @16c; low medium. 16@16c; medium. 18 @16c; low medium. 16@16c; medium. 18 @16c; low medium. 16@16c. Montana—Fine choice. 18@19c; fine average. 17@16c; fine medium choice. 18@19c; fine sverage. 17@16c; fine medium choice. 18@19c; fine sverage. 16@17c; staple. 18@19c; medium choice. 18@19c; fine sverage. 16@17c; staple. 18@19c; medium choice. 18@19c; fine medium grades, combing and clothing. 18@254c; light fine. 15@18c; heavy fine. 12@16c; tub washed. 27@23c.

bills at \$4.8735 for demand and at \$4.8545 for demand and at \$4.8545 for stxty-day bills; posted rates, \$4.8545.855; commercial bills, \$4.854, \$6.854.855; commercial bills, \$4.854, \$6.854.854.855; commercial bills, \$4.854, \$6.854.855; commercial bills, \$4.854, \$6.854.854.855; commercial bills, \$4.854, \$6.854.855; commercial bills, \$4. London Stock Market. \*Ex-dividend.

SILVER-Bar, steady, 25%d per cunce.

MONEY-267% per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 15-1662 per cent; for three months' bills, 1%62 per cent. New York Mining Stocks. NEW YORK, June 1.-The following are Ontario
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Phoenix
Potosi
Sarage
\*Sierra Nevada
fimail Hopea
Standard Breece 10
Brunswick Con 12
Comstock Tunsel 2
Con. Cal. & Va. 150
Horn Silver 136
Iron Silver 156
Leadville Con 2
\*Assessment paid. Foreign Financial. BERLIN, June 1.—Exchange on London, 20m 404pfgs for checks; discount, short bills, 2½ per cent; three months' bills, 2½ per cent. Prices on the bourse were dull. per cent. Prices on the bourse were dull, quotations were scarcely changed.

PARIS, June 1.—Prices on the bourse were firm, with an upward tendency. Rio Tintos gained 8f; Russian imperial 4s closed at 90.46f; three per cent rentes, 9ff 25c for the account; exchange on London, 25f 12½c for checks.

LONDON, June 1.—The money pressure was relieved in the banks today. Discounts were weak. On the stock exchange the attendance was small, owing to it being Derby day. Consols were buoyant on easy rates for money. Home rails hardened. Americans were quiet at a fractional recovery. Foreigners were fairly maintained. India council bills were allotted today at 1s 4d. Condition of Treasury. WASHINGTON, June 1.—Today's statement of the treasury balance, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$163,287,516; gold, \$67,592,391. Bank Clearings. OMAHA, June 1.—Bank clearings for today were \$1,565,348.16, an increase of \$364.-075.52 over the corresponding day last year. today were \$1,5%5,348.16, an increase of \$364.

Onally corresponding day last year.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Receipts, liberal; market steady; fresh stock, 14%c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 9894;c; roosters, according to size, 698c; turkeys, 13c; ducks, 9c; geese, 5c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 11; choice to fancy dairy, 14635c; separator, 19690c.

FRESH FISH—Trout, 10c; pickerel, 8c; pike, 10c; perch, 1c; bluefish, 12c; whitefish, 16c; salmon, 14c; redsnapper, 11c; lobster, 14c; salmon, 14c; redsnapper, 14c; lobster, 14c; salmon, 14c; salmo FRESH FISH—Trout, 10c; pickerel, 8c; pike, 10c; perch, 2c; bluefish, 12c; whitefish, 14c; salmon, 14c; redsnapper, 11c; lobster, green, 26c; lobster, boiled, 20c; bullheads, 11c; catfish, 14c; black bass, 20c; halibut, 16c; crappies, 12c; roe shad, 31.00; buffalo, 8c; white bass, 11c; frog legs, per doz, 35c.

BRAN—Per ton, \$19.00.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Dealers' association; Choica No. 1 upland, \$8.00; No. 2, \$7.50; medium, \$7.00; coarse, \$6.50.

Rye straw, \$5.50. These prices are for hay of good color and quality. Demand fair and receipts light.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—Navels, choice, large size, \$3.00; fancy navels, all sizes, \$2.25; Mediterranean sweets, choice, all sizes, \$2.75; Jaffas, all sizes, \$2.75; LEMONS—California fancy, 300 to 360. HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Dealers' association: Choice No. 1 upland, \$5.00; No. 2, \$7.50; medium, \$7.00; coarse, \$6.60. Rye straw, \$5.50. These prices are for hay of good color and quality. Demand fair and receipts light.

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LEMONS—California fancy, 300 to 360, \$3.7564.00; choice, \$3.5063.75.

CALIFORNIA FIGS—Per 10-lb. carton, 500; imported Smyrna, 2-crown, 12c; 5-crown, 14c; 7-crown, 15c.

BANANAS—Per medium-sized bunch, \$2.00 \$2.50; jumbo, \$2.7663.25.

DATES—Persian, per box of 20 pkgs, \$1.75; Jaffas, 25.00; im 60-lb, boxes, 5c per lb.; Oriental stuffed, per box, \$2.40.

FINEAPPLES—in crates of 24 to 42, per crate, \$3.50. rate, \$3.50.
FRUITS.
APPLES—New York Baldwins, \$4.00.
STRAWBERRIES—Missouri, per 24-quart CHERRIES-California, per box, \$1.50@ CHERRIES—California, per box, \$1.500

1.75.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Colorado, \$1.20; Dakota, per bu., \$1.20; new Texas Red stock, in sacks, per bu., \$1.20; new Texas Red stock, in sacks, per bu., \$1.20.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., \$2.1502.25.

ONIONS—Bermuda, per 50-lb. crate, \$2.25; Louisiana, in sacks, per lb., 2½c.

CABBAGE—California, per lb., 2½c; southern, per crate, \$2.50.

CUCUMBERS—Per dox., 50675c.

TOMATOES—Per 6-basket crate, fancy, \$3.25; choice, \$2.50.

RADISHES—Per dox. bunches, 20c.

LETTUCE—Top lettuce, per dox., 50c.

TURNIPS—Southern, per dox., 46c.

CARROTS—Southern, per dox., 46c.

CARROTS—Southern, per dox., 45c.

PARSLEY—Per dox., 40c.

BEANS—Wax, per bu. box, \$3.00; string, per bu. box, \$2.00.

SPINACH—Per bu., home grown, 25640c.

ASPARAGUS—Per dox. bunches, 40c.

GREEN PEPPERS—Per 6-basket crate, \$2.50. GREEN PEPPERS—Per 8-basket crate, 22.

SQUASH—Florida summer, per dos., 75c. PEAS—Per bu. box, 21.

MISCELLANEOUS.
CHEESE—Wisconsin twins, full cream, lic: Wisconsin Young America. 12c; block Swiss, 16c; Wisconsin brick, 13½c; Wisconsin, limberger, 13c.

MAPLE SUGAR—Ohio, per lb., 19c.
HIDES—No. 1 green, 6c; No. 2 green, 6c; No. 1 saited, 7c; No. 2 saited, 6c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 5½c; No. 2 veal calf, 11 to 15 lbs., 6½c; dry saited, 8612c; sheep pelis, 24627c; horsehides, 31.5055.

NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1 soft shell, per lb., 15c; hard shell, per lb., 14c; No. 1 soft shell, per lb., 15c; hard shell, per lb., 12c; small, per lb., 10c; peanuts, per lb., 6c; roasted peanuts per lb., 8c; Chill walnuts, 1261324c; large fickory nuts, per lb., 11c; almonds, soft shell, per lb., 15c; hard shell, 12c; shell-barks, per bu., \$2.05; black walnuts, per bu., \$1.25.

to Make a Test of the Market and in Fact Packers Have to Go Elsewhere for Supplies. BOUTH OMAHA, June 1, 1904.

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ednesday 8,006 14,900 1,800 Official atongsy Official Tuesday Official Wednesday.... Three days this week. 9,814 33,236 3,618
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Bame three weeks ago. 10,339 21,131 7,834
Same days last year... 15,624 25,600 0,387
RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE. The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omana for the year to date, with comparison with last Table 1994, 1993, Inc. Dec. Cattle 289,666 401,871 2,206 Hogs 1,104,731 894,879 111,752 Sheep 651,189 518,000 122,189 .... Average prices paid for nogs at South Omaha for the last severat days with com-Date. | 1904. | 1903. | 1903. | 1801. | 1800. | 1809. | 1889. Date. | 1904. | 1908. | 1903. | 1801. | 1900. | 1809. | 1808. | 1801. | 1900. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. | 1809. \*Indicates Sunday. Total receipts ......157 221 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

Omaha Packing Co. 441, 1933. Sheep. Omaha Packing Co..... 

them steady to strong and active. There was not a great deal of change in the market from start to finish. Desirable grades sold about the same late as they did early, but if there was any change at all it was a little easier feeling on some of the commoner kinds, owing no doubt to the fact that packers had their more went orders filled. A new top was put the market this morning, cattle selling as high as \$5.50 and \$5.60.

The cow market was also active and strong all around so far as the better grades were concerned. Canners and cutters did not show much change. Some of the choice light and medium-weight cows and heifers in some cases sold at prices that looked a little higher than the same kinds brought yesterday. The same as has been the case of late, receipts were rather light and everything sold at an early hour. Buils, yeal calves and stags could all be quoted strong and active.

There were several cars of stockers and feeders on sale this morning, quite a few of them coming from Idaho. However, there was a good demand for them, and an active and strong market was experienced. Representative sales:

169 western lambs ...... 63 5 85 CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET Cattle Strong and Higher-Hogs and

Sheep Steady and Lower. Sheep Steady and Lower.

CHICAGO, June i.—CATTLE—Receipts, 20,000 head; active, strong to loc higher:
good to prime steers, 25.5036.00; poor to medium, 24.1536.40; stockers and feeders, 23.5534.55; cows and heifers, 21.7535.30; canners, 21.7532.30; buils, 22.5034.30; calves, 25.00 head; estimated tomorrow, 20,000; morket stands instead of the country. She is now over 50 years old. tomorrow, 30,000; market steady, lower; mixed and butchers, \$4.5564.50; good to choice heavy, \$4.7564.85; rough heavy, \$4.5064.75; light, \$4.6064.70; bulk of sales, \$4.70664.75; 4.76.
SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 20,000 head; market steady to 10c lower; good to choice wethers, \$5.25@5.75; fair to choice mixed, \$3.75@5.00; western sheep, \$4.50@5.00; native lambs, clipped, \$4.25@6.35; western lambs, \$5.30@6.60; spring lambs, \$5.00@7.50.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK—June 1—BEEVES—Receipts, 2,010 head; market steady to strong; steers, \$5.00\tilde{a}s.75; buils, \$3.00\tilde{a}s.70; cows. \$1.50\tilde{a}s.40; cables steady; live catric, \$11\tilde{a}s.20 \tilde{a}s.40; cables, \$15\tilde{a}s.40; cables, \$15\ti New York Live Stock Market.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, June 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,70 head, including 100 southerns; market steady: export and dressed beef steers, 15.2565.85; fair to good, 14.5065.20; western fed steers, 14.7565.50; stockers and feeders, 13.2564.65; southern steers, 13.5065.50; southern cows, \$2.5064.00; native cows, \$2.5064.00; native cows, \$2.5064.00; native cows, \$2.5064.25; calves, \$2.7564.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,000 head; market strong to 5c higher; top, 14.674; bulk of sales, \$4.4566.60; pigs and lights, \$4.0064.55; packers, \$4.5064.60; pigs and lights, \$4.0064.55.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 3,500 head; market slow; native lambs, \$5.2567.70; western lambs, \$5.2567.00; fed ewes, \$4.5065.35; Texas clipped yearlings, \$4.7565.35; Texas clipped, \$4.3064.40; stockers and feeders, \$3.5064.50. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, June 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000 head, including 4,000 Texans; market steady to strong; native shipping and export steers, \$5.0066.90; dressed beef and butchers steers, \$4.2565.60; steers under 1,000 pounds. \$4.0066.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.2565.50; canners, \$1.7562.60; bulls, \$2.7063.50; calves, \$4.0066.00; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.1565.60; cows and helfers, \$3.1064.25.

HOGS—Receipts, \$1.000 head; market \$66.10c lower; pigs and lights, \$4.0664.55; packers, \$4.4066.55; butchers and best heavy, \$4.5069.40.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 8.000 head; market steady; native muttons, \$4.5065.75; lambs, \$5.0067.50; culls and bucks, \$2.5066.55; lambs, \$5.0067.50; culls and bucks, \$2.5066.55; stockers, \$2.0063.00; Texans, \$4.7065.00. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH, June 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,073 head; market steady to 10c, higher; natives, 44,666,78; cows and heifers, \$2,266,50; stockers and feeders, \$3,500 4.65.
HOGS-Receipt/s, 10.417 head; market steady to 5c lower; light, \$4.40@4.52½; medium and heavy, \$4.50@4.65.
SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 261 head; market firm; lambs, \$6.50.

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SIOUX CITY LAVE Stock Market,
gram.)—'ATTLE—Receipts, 600 head. Market steady; stockers strong; beeves, \$4.000
5.25; oows, bulls and mixed. \$2.602.15;
stock/rs and feeders \$2.0024.25; calves and
yearings, \$2.0024.00.
HOGS—Receipts, 8.000 head. Market
steady, selling at \$4.2074.55; bulk, \$4.4504.50.

fine, 12615c; tub washed, 25623c

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, June 1.—EVAPORATED APPLES—The market is quiet; common are quieted at 4654c, prime at 365.5c, choice at 4654c, prime at 365.5c, choice at 4654c, choice at 4654c, and fancy at 1674c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes at 365.5c, choice at 165.5c, choice are held at 165.5c, choice are held at 165.5c, choice at 165.5c, choice are held at 165.5c, choice at 165.5c, choice are held at 165.5c, choice at 165.5c, choice at 165.5c, choice are held at 165.5c, choice at 165

Cotton Market.

LIVERPOOL, June 1.—COTTON—Spot in better demand; prices unchanged; American middling, fair, 7.12d; good middling, 8.98d; middling, 8.98d; low middling, 8.98d; middling, 8.98d; middling, 8.98d; ordinary, 6.42d. Futures opened caster and closed weak. American middling, g. o. c., June, 6.61d; June and July, 6.58d; July-August, 5.51d; August. 8eptember, 6.50d; September-October, 5.87d; October-November, 5.68d; November-December, 6.60d; December-January, 5.57d; January-February, 5.68d, November-December, 6.60d; December-January, 5.67d; January-February, 5.58d.

NEW ORLEANS, June 1.—COTTON—Futures barely steady; June, 11.46g11.46c; July, 11.82611.83c; September, 10.53610.55c; October, 10.16601.17c; November, 10.656; and 10.07c; January, 10.1067inile. Spot steady; sales, 2.450 balos; ordinary, 9.11-16c; good ordinary, 11c; low middling, 11%c; middling, 121-16c; receipts, 104 balos; stock, 152.28 balos.

ST. LOUIS, June 1.—COTTON—Nominal; %c lower; middling, 12%c; sales, none; receipts, none; shipments, 50 balos; stock, 1,975 balos.

Philadelphia Produce Market. Philadelphia Produce Market,
PHILADELPHIA, June I.—BUTTER—
Firm: good demand; extra western creamery, 18/2c.
EGGS—Firm: good demand; fresh western, 18c, loss off; fresh southwestern, 17/2c,
loss off; fresh southern, 16/2c, loss off,
CHEESE—Firmer; good demand; New
York full creams, 769c.

Whisky Market. Whisky Market.
CHICAGO, June 1.—WHISKY—Steady, on a basis of \$1.28.
PEORIA, June 1.—WHISKY—On a basis of \$1.25 for finished goods.
ST. LOUIS, June 1.—WHISKY—Steady, on a basis of \$1.25%.
CINCINNATI, June 1.—WHISKY—On a basis of \$1.25 for finished goods.

Coffee Market. NEW YORK, June 1.—COFFEE—The market for futures opened steady at a decline of 5 points. Sales were reported of 33.256 bags, including June at 5.50c; July. 5.85c; August 5.65c; September, 5.80c; December, 6.66@6.10c; March, 6.35c; May, 6.50c.

WHIPPING IN THE SCHOOLS

Subject Given Consideration by Committee of New York Board of Education.

NEW YORK June 1 -Prominent teachers have aired their views on the whipping question at a public hearing on the subject by the committee of elementary schools of the Board of Education. The question originally had been raised by the principals of the various public schools and members of the board have been flooded with petitions and letters asking that the bylaw of the Board of Education preventing corporal punishment be so amended as to permit the infliction of punishment in certain cases and under proper restrictions.

One of the principals submitted statistics compiled from inquiries sent out to various principals asking their views on the subject. Out of 296 replies, 294 principals said that punishment was necessary and that 6,779 pupils out of schools containing 179,000 pupils needed some such discipline. Other speakers declared corporal punishment to be a relic of barbarism. Owing to the diversity of opinions the committee reserved its decision in the matter.

AGED DRESS REFORMER WEDS Susan P. Fowler Marries Man Who Secured Job as Assistant on Farm.

NEW YORK, June 1.-Great surprise has been caused in Vineland, N. J., by the wedding announcement of Miss Susan P. Fowler, one of the original dress reformers of the country. She is now over 50 years

George E. Fowler of Lemoille, Minn., applied for the job and then proposed marriage. After a long correspondence he was accepted and the wedding was set for the latter part of this month.

Miss Fowler taught school in her native town, Amesbury, Mass., until she was 28 years old. She espoused the cause of dress reform when it was originally launched in the Oneida community, New York, and has/

Hail in Southern Kansas.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., June 1.—This section and all southwestern Kansas were drenched by a heavy rain, accompanied by hail. Between Bucklin and Meads, on the Rock Island road, hail did much damage to crops. Hall broke nearly every window on the north side of an eastbound Rock Island train and broken glass cut several passengers. Miss Foster of Fowler was so severely cut that a physician's attendance was necessary.

Swedish Lutheran Synod Meets.
LINDSBORG, Kan., Suns 1.—The National Augustana synod of the Swedish Lutheran church opened its annual session here today with 500 delegates present from all parts of the country. Dr. E. Norelius of Minnesota presided.

Expect Further Floods in Kanuas. KANSAS CITY, June 1.—Two inches of rain fell in southern Kansas today and it is probable that all streams, which have been receding in the past few days, will again rise and overflow their banks. Fur-ther flood damage is expected.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.