PENN. R. R. HOPES TO RETAIN N. & W.

Will Co-operate with Attorney General in Settling Its Rights.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, authorized to-day the following statement relative to the efforts of the Department of Justice to effect a separation between the Pennsylvania and the Norfolk & Western Railway Company:

"Last year the Attorney General intimated his view that the ownership of Norfolk & Western Railway stock by the Pennsylvania Railroad and affiliated companies was legally open to question. This was regarded by the board of directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad as imposing upon them the duty of most carefully reconsidering the question of the legal right of the company to hold these shares, as this company would greatly regret engaging in any controversy with the Department of Justice.

"Not only the company's own counsel, but also independent counsel were requested to review the whole case and to give their opinion as to the legality of the company's position. Having carefully considered the matter, the directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad found themselves in this position:

"As a business proposition, they were convinced that a sale of these shares would be detrimental to the interests of the company's stockholders.

"As a matter of experience and general policy, they were convinced that the relations between the Pennsylvania and the Norfolk & Western Railway systems were as essential and beneficial to the public they served as they were to the companies themselves.

"As a matter of law, they were advised by counsel that these holdings were proper.

"As trustees, therefore, for the 80,000 shareholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the directors felt that in the absence of an authoritative determination by the courts they would not be justified in gratuitously resigning adversely to the interests of the shareholders the doubt intimated by the Attorney General as to the legality of the ownership.

"The directors thereupon took action accordingly, which was promptly communicated to the Attorney General, with assurances that if the Department of Justice should finally determine that it was properly required to institute legal proceedings this company would co-operate with the department in any steps the department might deem appropriate to secure a prompt determination by the Supreme Court of the United States of the law governing this situation."

BANK CLEARINGS.

Bank exchanges at the leading cities in the United States continue in much smaller volume than a year ago, the total for the five days this week, according to "Dun's Review," being only $2,377,188,855, as against $2,776,648,020, a falling off of 13.1 per cent. New York City reports quite a sharp contraction, the decrease, as compared with the corresponding period last year, being 15.9 per cent. Practically all the outside cities make an indifferent exhibit, the only exception being Philadelphia, where there is a gain of 12 per cent, and the total for the thirteen centres is 7.9 per cent less than for the same week in 1913. While the losses are large at almost every point, the most pronounced occur at Boston, which shows a falling off of 22.5 per cent; Baltimore, 22.6; Pittsburgh, 27.4; Cleveland, 17.9; Louisville, 17.5, and New Orleans, 18.2. It is probable that to some extent these unfavorable exhibits are due to the extremely low temperatures and severe storms which have prevailed in many parts of the country and interfered with the movement of merchandise and other commercial operations. The comparison with 1912 is distorted by the fact that the week in that year contained one more business day, but Philadelphia reports a notable gain and Cleveland moderate improvement. Average daily bank exchanges for the year to date are given below for three years:

	1914.	1913.	1912
February..	$511,261,000	$548,013,000	$490,826,000
January...	545,120,000	548,258,000	512,242,000
December..	487,072,000	537,028,000	495,911,000

BANK STATEMENT.

The actual Clearing House bank statement showed a decrease in cash of $5,440,000. The surplus reserve decreased 17,838,860 to $36,775,890. Deposits increased $15,815,000 and loans $19,023,000. Cash decreased $4,714,000 in the average statement and the surplus reserve decreased $7,428,250 to $38,990,150. Loans increased $18,835,000 and deposits $16,537,000.

ACTUAL STATEMENT.

Loans	$3,069,754,000	Inc.	$19,628,000
Specie	296,466,000	Dec.	*2,120,000
Legal tenders	73,827,000	Dec.	*3,320,000
Net deposits	1,940,732,000	Inc.	15,915,000
Circulation	42,718,000	Inc.	163,000

*Decrease.

Banks—Cash reserve in vault, $403,527,000. Trust companies—Cash reserve in vault, $65,765,000. Aggregate cash reserve, $469,292,000. Excess cash reserve, $28,775,800. Decrease, $7,838,600. Trust companies' reserve with Clearing House members carrying 25 per cent cash reserve, $80,801,000.

AVERAGE STATEMENT.

Loans	$3,054,964,000	Inc.	*$18,835,000
Specie	294,674,000	Dec.	1,583,000
Legal tenders	76,397,000	Dec.	2,821,000
Net deposits	1,926,465,000	Inc.	*16,537,000
Circulation	42,642,000	Dec.	226,000

*Increase.

Banks—Cash reserve in vault, $406,621,000. Trust companies—Cash reserve in vault, $65,550,000. Aggregate cash reserve, $471,071,000. Excess cash reserve, $28,990,150. Decrease, $7,428,250. Trust companies' reserve with Clearing House members carrying 25 per cent cash reserve, $81,940,000.

SUMMARY OF STATE BANKS AND TRUST COMPANIES IN GREATER NEW YORK, NOT INCLUDED IN CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

(Figures furnished by State Banking Department.)

Loans	$930,864,800	Dec.	$1,024,300
Specie	58,856,200	Inc.	*72,500
Legal tenders	8,066,000	Dec.	195,500
Total deposits	821,770,500	Inc.	*1,982,900
Total deposits	520,682,500	Dec.	*8,483,200

*Increase. †Eliminating amounts due from reserve depositories and from other banks and trust companies in New York City.

RESERVE.

		P. c.
State banks—		
Cash in vault	$12,906,100	14.30
Deposit in banks and trust cos.	12,777,500	15.07
Total	$25,683,600	29.37
Trust companies—		P. c.
Cash in vault	$53,946,100	12.17
Deposits in banks and trust cos.	6,771,100	1.29
Totals	$59,717,200	13.47

Aggregate reserve on deposits, $89,470,500; increase, $1,215,300; percentage of legal reserve, 19.50.

OCEAN FREIGHT RATES.

Chartering was light and the market for tonnage exceedingly dull. Freights were scarce and rates nominal. Quotations to Liverpool, 3 1/16, nominal; London, 2d; Glasgow, 2d asked; Rotterdam, 4c; Hamburg and Bremen, 30 pfennigs; Hull, 2d. April; Bristol, 2 1/4d, April; Antwerp, 2d asked; Cork, for orders, 2s 3d, nominal; picked ports, large tonnage, 1s 7 1/2d@1s 9d; cotton to Liverpool, per 100 lb, 20@25c.

CHARTERS—Norwegian steamer, 2,428 tons, nitrate, west coast South America to the United States, at or about 19s 6d, March; British steamer, 1,349 tons, same; Spanish steamer, 2,800 tons, same; British steamer, 2,598 tons, same, April; Spanish steamer, 2,857 tons, sugar, Cuba to the United Kingdom, private terms, March; schooner, 1,457 tons, ties, Jacksonville or Fernandina to New York, private terms; schooner, 1,094 tons, same; schooner, 870 tons, lumber, Brunswick to a Sound port, private terms.

COST COMPARISONS

Changes in Average Prices for the Last Week.

The following table gives the highest, lowest and average wholesale spot prices of twenty-five articles of current consumption in the New York markets for the week ended February 28, and the difference in average from those of the previous week, cotton, sugar and lard quotations being in cents and hundredths:

	Week of Feb. 28.—			Change in average from week Feb. 21.
Bushels.	High.	Low.	Average.	
Wheat, No 2 red	$1 04½	$1 03½	$1 04	+ 1¼
Corn, No 3 yellow	70⅞	70⅛	70½	+ ⅜
Oats, stand white	46¼	45⅞	46	+ ½
Barrel.				
Flour, Minn pats	4 80	4 75	4 77½	+ 10
Beef, family	19 50	19 50	19 50	—
Pork, mess	23 25	23 25	23 25	— 25
*Potatoes	2 65	2 50	2 57½	+ 2½
Pounds (cents).				
Lard, Mid West	10.60	10.40	10.50	—17½
Cotton, mid upl	13.05	12.50	13.02½	+.07½
Coffee, Rio No 7	9¼	9⅛	9 1/16	—
Sugar, granulated	4	4	4	—
Butter, cr'y extra	32	30½	31½	+ 2½
Cheese, state sp	18½	18	18¼	—
Live fowls	18	18	18	— 1
Beef, native sides	14	12	13	— ¼
Veal, city dr	20	14	17	— 1
Mutton, city dr	12½	9	10¾	+ ½
Lamb, city dr	15½	12½	14	— ¾
Pork, country dr	12½	9	10¾	+ ½
100 lb (live wt.).				
Beeves	9 25	7 25	8 25	+ 37½
Calves	13 00	9 00	11 00	— 81
Sheep	6 00	4 50	5 25	+ 32½
Lambs	8 85	7 50	8 07½	+ 7½
Hogs	9 45	9 25	9 35	+ 2½
Dozen.				
Eggs, fresh gath	31½	29	30¼	+ 1¼

*State, bag or bbl.

TRADING IN THE CURB SECURITIES

Outside Market Active, with Oil Stocks in Demand—British Columbia Copper Weak.

The outside market yesterday was active and strong. Standard Oil of California was again the feature, advancing about 6 points over Friday's closing, with a gain of about 25 points in two days. South Penn Oil, Standard Oil of New York and Ohio Oil were in demand at slightly better prices. No news of any kind developed in the course of the day, and the strength of the market is taken to indicate that the public is again coming in.

There was little activity in the industrial list. British Columbia Copper was weak on heavy selling, which is said to be developing into a short interest. Braden remained firm, and there was a good inquiry for Nipissing. Other mining shares were steady.

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
400	British-Am Tob	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
25	Kelly Spring Tire	57	57	57	57
5,000	†May's Oil	22	22	22	22
200	Puebla Sm & Ref	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
100	Riker-Hegeman	7½	7½	7½	7½
100	Savoy Oil	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

400	Anglo-Am Oil	17¼	17⅛	17¼	17¼
2	Atlantic Ref	—	684	684	684
2	Borne-Scrymser	—	310	310	310
30	Buckeye Pipe L	—	164	162	162
10	Continental Oil	—	225	225	225
25	Galena-Sig Oil	—	184	183	184
20	Indiana Pipe L	—	137	135	137
60	Nat Transit	—	42	41½	41½
5	N Y Transit	—	205	205	205
50	Ohio Oil	—	169	169	169
20	Pierce Oil	—	104	102	102
100	Prairie Oil & G	—	531	525	529
35	South Penn Oil	—	360	354	360
250	Stan Oil of Cal	—	246	237	240
15	Stan Oil of Ind	—	565	562	565
2	Stan Oil of Kan	—	490	490	490
45	S Of Ken new	—	272	270	271
20	Stan Oil of N J	—	410	408	409
50	Stan Oil of N Y	—	299	298½	299
2	Stan Oil of Ohio	—	420	418	420
50	Swan & Finch	—	247	238	238
40	Union Tank Line	—	97	96	97
20	Vacuum Oil	—	216	214	214

MINING.

100	Boston Montana	6½	6½	6½	6½
500	Braden Copper	7½	7⅜	7⅜	7½
2,000	British Col Cop	1⅞	1¾	1¾	1⅞
100	Buffalo Mines	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
150	†Caribou Cobalt	71	71	71	71
1,000	†Diam F Daisy	4½	4½	4½	4½
800	†Ely Con	4½	4½	4½	4½
1,000	†Florence	67	69	67	69
2,000	†Gold Hill	44	44	44	44
1,500	Goldfield Cons	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1,400	†Greenwater	7½	7½	7	7
7,000	†Jumbo Exten	24	24½	23½	24
100	*Kerr Lake	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
1,000	McKin-Dar	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
500	†Nevada Hills	37	37	37	37
500	†New Utah Bing	49	50	49	49
500	Nipissing M Co	6½	6⅝	6½	6⅝
4,100	†Oro	13½	13½	13½	13½
200	Stand Silv-Lead	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
200	Stewart	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
500	†Tono Merger	63	63	62	62
2,500	West End Cons	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2,500	†West End Ext	3	3	3	3

BONDS.

$15,000	Can P 6% notes	103⅞	103⅞	103⅞
10,000	N Y City 4¼s 1962	101	101	101
10,000	N Y City 4¼s 1960	101	101	101
2,000	Western Pac 5s	69½	69½	69½

*Ex dividend. †Sells cents per share.

INACTIVE YESTERDAY.

INDUSTRIALS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Am Ld & Tr	353	357	Maxwell Mot	5⅛	5½
do pref	106	108	do 1st pref	27¼	28
B-A Tob new	23⅝	24¼	do 2d pref	9	9⅞
Houston Oil	17	18	N Y Trans	4⅝	5⅛
K S Tire pf	125	130	Tob Prod pf	83⅝	84⅛
Int Rub T ct	7⅜	8¼	U Cig Stores	91	92
L V Coal	130	190	do pref	114	116
Manhat Tran	1	1¼	Willys-Overl	67½	68½
Marconi of A	4⅝	4⅞	do pref	93	96

MINING.

†Beaver Cons	30	31	Mutual M & L	45	55
†Big Four	12	15	Ohio Copper	⅝	¾
†Can Gold-S	4	6	Tonopah Ext	1⅝	1¾
Cop Mines C	2⅝	2⅞	Tonopah Min	6⅞	7
Cons Ariz Sm	½	⅝	Tri-Bullion	¼	⅜
Davis-D Cop	2	2½	Tularosa	⅛	¼
El Paso Con	2¼	2⅝	Tuolumne Cop	½	¾
First Nat'l	2¾	3	United Cop	¼	½
Greene-C new	38	40	do pref	3	6
La Rose Con	1⅝	1¾	†West Silver	7	9
Mason Valley	3¼	3¾	Yukon Gold	2¼	2¾
Mines of Am	2⅝	2⅞			

BONDS.

Brad Cop 6s	135	155	Kel Sp Tire 4s	72	75
Ch El 5s nts	88⅝	98⅝	So Ry 5% nts	99¼	99½
Cuba new 5s	98⅝	98⅞			

†Sells cents per share.

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

(Furnished by Carl H. Pforzheimer, No. 25 Broad street.)

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Friday. Bid.	Ask.
Anglo-American	17	17½	17	17½
Atlantic Refining	682	688	680	685
Borne-Scrymser	300	310	300	310
Buckeye Pipe Line	161	164	161	164
Chesebrough Mfg	679	689	670	680
Colonial Oil	112	120	112	120
Continental Oil	223	228	223	227
Crescent Pipe Line	57	59	57	59
Cumberland Pipe Line	58	63	58	63
Eureka Pipe Line	300	305	300	305
Galena Signal Oil	183	186	183	186
do preferred	137	141	137	141
Indiana Pipe Line	134	137	133	137
National Transit	41	42	40	42
New York Transit	202	210	200	205
Northern Pipe Line	118	122	118	122
Ohio Oil	158	160	158	160
Prairie Oil & Gas	522	528	520	525
Solar Refining	345	355	345	355
Southern Pipe Line	233	237	232	237
South Penn Oil	355	360	350	355
S W Penn Pipe Line	149	153	149	153
Standard Oil of Cal	340	343	338	341
Standard Oil of Ind	558	565	555	561
Standard Oil of Kan	490	495	490	495
Standard Oil of Ky	268	274	268	275
Standard Oil of Neb	450	455	450	455
Standard Oil of N J	407	410	408	412
Standard Oil of N Y	198	200	197	199
Standard Oil of Ohio	415	425	415	425
Standard Oil (old)	1400	—	1400	—
Swan & Finch	235	245	235	245
Union Tank	95	97	95	97
Vacuum Oil	212	216	212	216
Washington Oil	60	65	60	65
Pierce Oil	102	106	102	107

For Railroad to Alaska.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 28.—Sir Richard McBride, Premier of British Columbia, said to the Legislature yesterday:

"I believe that the time has now come for the building of a railroad through Northern British Columbia to the Yukon and Alaska, and I may say that the authorities in Washington and Ottawa have both gone so far as to indorse heartily some project of co-operation in the building of this line."

HILL MAY AGAIN HEAD HIS RAILWAY

Asked to Name Gray's Successor in Great Northern, Said "I Am."

Despite his seventy-six years, James J. Hill is planning to take up again the active management of the Great Northern Railway, if his answer to a query put to him by a Tribune reporter yesterday is to be taken at its face value.

Mr. Hill was leaving his office, in the Mutual Life Building, and was about to enter his limousine, when The Tribune reporter asked him who is to be the successor of Carl R. Gray, who recently resigned the presidency of the Great Northern to become the head of the Western Maryland Railway, the latter announcement being made yesterday.

"I am," answered the veteran railroad builder. Whether Mr. Hill meant that he would continue, as at present, the real power behind the throne in the management of his railroad without reassuming the title of president was not learned, because just then the chauffeur started the automobile, and amplification of his statement was lost in the noise of the motor.

Paying a tribute to Mr. Gray's ability as a railroad man earlier in the day, Mr. Hill said:

"Mr. Gray is a very able railroad executive; in fact, one of the best. Great Northern directors will accept his resignation with sincere regret."

Wall Street has understood that Louis W. Hill, son of James J. Hill and now chairman of the board of the Great Northern, will act as both president and chairman, but evidently the "old man" thinks differently.

Upon his return to the district Friday from Washington Mr. Hill was asked to give his views on government ownership. In characteristic fashion he said:

"I am in favor of the government regulating everything, putting wings on everybody, providing raiment and food, keeping the streets clean and regulating the weather. I would particularly like to see the weather regulated."

In more serious vein, Mr. Hill declared he had formed the opinion, as a result of his talks with officials in Washington, that the administration did not desire to obstruct business or handicap industry.

P. L. Howe has been elected a director of the Great Northern to succeed the late William H. Dunwoody. Mr. Howe, who was a business associate of Mr. Dunwoody, has large milling interests in Minneapolis.

WEEKLY CURB TABLE.

Industrials.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Net chge.
300	Am Drug Synd	15	15	15	—
300	Am Writ Paper	1	1	1	— ⅛
1,740	Brit-Am Tobacco	24⅛	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
600	do new	23¾	23⅝	23⅝	— ⅞
210	Int Rub Tr ctfs	8	8	8	— ½
250	Kelly Spg Tire	57	55	57	+1
15	do pref	150	150	150	+3
600	Marc of Am new	4⅞	4½	4¾	— ⅛
860	Maxwell Motors	6	5¼	5½	— ⅝
300	do 1st pref	29	27¼	27¾	—1
425	do 2d pref	10	9½	9½	— ½
6,600	†May's Oil	22	21	22	—
1,550	Pueblo Sm & R	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	— ¼
9,100	Riker-H Cor new	7⅞	7½	7½	— ⅝
2,500	Savoy Oil	12¾	12	12¾	+ ½
1,310	Tobacco Prod pf	85	84	84	—1
2,700	Un Cigar St ow w i	92¼	90¼	91¼	— ⅝
50	do pref w i	115	115	115	+1
400	Willys Overland	68	67	68	—
100	do pref	94	94	94	—

Standard Oil Subsidiaries.

5,000	Ang-Am Oil new	17¼	16½	17¼	+ ¼
62	Atlantic Ref	685	670	684	—14
2	Borne-Scrymser	310	310	310	+10
100	Buckeye Pipe L	166	162	162	+6
140	Continental Oil	225	219	225	+8
40	Crescent Pipe L	58	57	58	—
50	Eureka Pipe L	305	300	300	—
125	Galena Sig Oil	185	183	184	— ½
165	Indiana Pipe L	137	131	132	+21
265	National Transit	42½	41	41½	— ½
20	N Y Transit	205	201	205	+4
175	Ohio Oil	169	157½	169	+1
440	Pierce Oil	106	99	102	—1
620	Prairie Oil & G	531	522	529	+6
5	Solar Refining	354	354	354	+1
615	South Penn Oil	360	349	360	+16
175	Southern Pipe L	235	230	235	—5
85	S W Penn P L	152	148	152	—1
1,125	St Oil of Cal	346	318	340	+29
1,200	do rights	24	21½	23¾	—1⅛
222	St Oil of Ind	575	560	565	—12
1,010	St Oil of N Y	300	294½	299	—1
730	St Oil of N J	418	406	409	—5
119	St Oil of Ohio	427	415	420	—5
53	St Oil of Kan	495	485	490	—
425	St Oil of Ky new	275	265	271	—
95	Swan & Finch	250	238	238	—49
200	Union Tank Line	97	94½	97	+½
335	Vacuum Oil	218	214	214	—1
40	Washington Oil	62	60	61	—1

Railroads.

2,200	†U P rights	25⅞	25½	25⅞	+ ⅛
850	Manhat Transit	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	—

Mining.

1,000	†Beaver Con	31	31	31	+1
2,500	†Big Four	15	14	15	—
800	Boston Montana	6⅝	6½	6½	—
5,500	Braden Copper	7⅝	7	7½	+ ½
18,800	Brit Col Copper	2⅛	1⅞	1⅞	— ⅛
2,200	Buffalo Mines	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	— ⅛
5,500	†Caribou Cobalt	72	70	71	—
200	Con Ariz Smelt	½	½	½	—
200	Con Cop Mines	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	+ ⅛
8,000	†Dim'field Dais	4½	4½	4½	—
600	†Ely Con	4½	4½	4½	+16
10,900	†Florence	69	61	69	—
200	Giroux Mining	1½	1½	1½	— ⅜
15,200	Gold Hill	44	42	44	—
8,000	Goldfield Con	1⅞	1⅝	1⅝	+ ⅛
265	Gr-Cananea new	39	37	39	—1
65,400	†Greenw C M&S	7½	7	7	— ½
25,500	†Jumbo Ext	24	22	24	—
2,200	Kerr Lake	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	— ⅛
2,100	La Rose Con	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	— ⅛
2,400	McK-Darragh	1¼	1⅛	1⅛	— ⅛
1,500	Mines of A new	2	2½	2½	— ⅛
4,100	†Nevada Hills	39	37	37	—4
1,500	New Utah Bing	50	48	49	—
1,200	Nipissing Mines	6⅝	6½	6⅝	+ ⅛
28,400	†Oro	14	13	13½	+ ⅛
1,500	Stand Silv-Lead	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	+ ⅛
4,200	Stewart Mining	1¼	1⅛	1¼	— ⅛
11,600	†Tonopah Merg	63	58	62	+5
2,225	Tonopah Ext	1½	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛
150	Tonopah M of N	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	+ ⅛
2,700	Tularosa	⅞	½	⅞	+ ⅛
26,000	West End Con	1⅛	1 13-32	1⅛	— ⅛
7,400	†West End Ext	3	3	3	—

Bonds.

$116,000	Can P 6% notes	103⅞	103⅞	103⅞	+ ⅛
8,000	Ch El 5% notes	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	+ ½
$1,000	Cuban new 5s	99	98⅝	98⅝	— ⅝
10,000	N Y C 4¼s, 1960	101	101	101	—
47,000	N Y C 4¼s, 1962	101¼	101	101	+ ⅛
15,000	So Ry 5% notes	99½	99½	99½	—
29,000	Western Pac 5s	70	69¼	69½	—4

†Sells cents per share. ‡Ex. $3 cash dividend.

WHEAT DOWN IN CHICAGO

Other Grains Irregular—Provision Values Lower.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Proof that the edge was off the export demand spoiled the wheat market to-day for the bulls. Prices, after showing an upward bent, closed weak at a loss of 1⅝@1¾c to 1½c net. Corn wound up the same as last night to ⅛c higher, and oats unchanged to 1-16c off. In provisions the outcome was 10c to 17½@20c decline. Range of prices:

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
Wheat:					
May	94⅝	94¾	94⅝	94½	94⅝
July	89¼	89¼	88⅝	88⅝	89¼
Corn:					
May	67⅛	67⅛	67⅛	67⅛	67⅛
July	66⅝	67⅛	66⅝	66⅞	66⅝
September	66⅞	66⅞	66⅝	66⅞	66⅞
Oats:					
May	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
July	40⅝	40½	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
Lard:					
May	$10 62	$10 65	$10 55	$10 55	$10 70
July	10 77	10 80	10 72	10 72	10 90
Ribs:					
May	11 37	11 42	11 35	11 35	11 46
July	11 47	11 52	11 45	11 47	11 55
Pork:					
May	21 20	21 40	21 25	21 27	21 45
July	21 47	21 47	21 35	21 35	21 62

SEED PRICES.

Toledo, Feb. 28.—CLOVERSEED—Prime cash, $8.55; March, $8 47½; April, $8.30. ALSIKE—Prime, cash and March, $10 42½. TIMOTHY—February and March, $2 42½.

BUSINESS REVERSES

THE CHEMICAL REFINING COMPANY, No. 111 Broadway, made an assignment to Charles H. Payne. The company was incorporated in September, 1908, with capital stock $30,000.

HERMAN B. FLAXMAN, manufacturer of waists and dresses, of No. 1137 Broadway, has made a settlement with creditors at 70 cents on the dollar. Liabilities were $24,000.

AMOUNTS UNDER $10,000.

CHARLOTTE L. MACKENZIE—In the proceedings against Mrs. Charlotte L. Mackenzie, widow of a sewing machine manufacturer, of No. 27 West 89th street, Judge Hand, of the federal court, has granted an order restraining the Sheriff of Sullivan County from selling her property at Glen Spey on an execution in favor of Franklin Simon & Co. for $3,644, until the question of adjudication is determined.

FLORETTA AMUSEMENT COMPANY, INC.—A petition against the Floretta Amusement Company, of No. 250 West 42d street, was filed by these creditors: H. H. Vought & Co., $1,000; Jandon's Electric Equipment Company, $100, and Henry J. Pepper, $100. Liabilities are $4,000 and assets $1,000. The company was incorporated in January with capital stock of $2,500, and fitted up a hall for tango dancing and for the public.

PEERLESS LADIES' TAILORING COMPANY—A petition has been filed against the Peerless Ladies' Tailoring Company, of No. 138 West 25th street. Liabilities are $5,000 and assets $2,000.

LOUIS ROSENBERG, a clerk, of No. 78 Chrystie street, filed a petition, with liabilities of $2,139 and no assets.

IMPERIAL CHAIR FRAME COMPANY, No. 814 5th street, filed schedules showing liabilities of $5,100 and assets of $2,514.

JUDGMENTS RECORDED.

The following judgments for amounts of more than $200 were filed yesterday in New York County, the first name being that of the debtor:

FEBRUARY 28.

Manhattan.

Bernstein, Mitchele—G. A. Striker, $299.67.
Bernikow, Abraham—Edward E. Buhler Company, $381.08.
Clark, Arthur B.—M. H. Walton, $899.09.
De Rosa, Gennaro—Homsher Metal Company, $510.57.
Gallo, Robert, or Samuel Isaacson and Zlatta Schatter—People, etc., $1,000.
Hamilton, Howard—J. E. McKenna, $270.07.
Horne, John A.—B. Sherman, $210.40.
Hass, Moses—J. S. Joseph, $812.20.
Julien, John—J. Alvarez, $214.67.
Kugelman, Jacob—M. M. Dilmond, $222.09.
Levine, Max, Morris Danzig, Charles Niernstein and Isaac Gordon—J. Weinstein et al., $810.95.
Lucas, Everett E.—L. Michaelis, $327.84.
Myers, Emanuel J., executor—J. C. Baum, $5,555.28.
Mooney, Thomas J.—H. B. Matthews Feed Company, Inc., $596.46.
Reinach, Louis M.—Palm, Fechteler & Co., $210.19.
Seidman, Jacob—H. J. Lewis, $494.67.
Aeldt, Henry—L. Morgenstine, $585.28.
Steinfeld, Jacob—I. Blutter, $434.65.
Wagner, Henry, and Henry A. Noll, executors—C. Geyer, $2,188.56.
Wellbrock, Henry—C. Gotthelf, $869.14.
City of New York—J. T. Congreve, $2,500.
Same—J. D. Brady, $2,500.
Same—J. T. Congreve, $2,500.
Claremont Silk Mills—R. E. Palmer, $826.81.
Royal Antiseptic Toothpick Company, Inc.—M. Schlesinger, $556.46.
Theodore C. Schlegall & Co., Inc.—E. L. Bill, $251.41.

The Bronx.

Crowley, Herbert P.—A. B. Nicell, $601.52.
Furlong & Furlong—V. Zimmermann, $226.72.
Goodstein, William L.—F. L. Wandell, $243.16.
Girard Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Pennsylvania—M. C. Ellison, $1,100.42.
Kammann, Carl, and Herbert P. Crowley—A. B. Nicell, $601.52.

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and date when judgment was filed in New York County.

FEBRUARY 28.

Manhattan.

Cole, William W.—Echo Investing Corporation; February 16, 1914; $1,085.
Schulze, William H.—F. W. Devoe & C. T. Raynolds Co.; February 6, 1914; $441.25.
Same—Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.; Feb. 10, 1914; $276.97.
Same—E. J. Masbach; January 20, 1914; $258.89.
Schaer, Louis—Hecker, Jones, Jewell Milling Co.; December 28, 1913; $100.73.
Sales & Co.—H. Gleacke; February 17, 1914; $1,177.54.
Wright, Mary—A. Leighlin; October 31, 1912; $258.52.
Hickson, Richard J.—S. Vance; October 7, 1913 (vacated); $664.74.

INCORPORATED AT ALBANY.

Albany, Feb. 28.—The following incorporations were filed with the Secretary of State to-day:

Felber Engineering Corporation, Manhattan, $25,000; John J. Plunkett, No. 105 Park avenue, New York; William A. Fleming and Paul Plunkett, New York.

New Model Manufacturing Company, Manhattan; ladies' garments; $10,000; Benjamin Greenberg, No. 374 East 10th street, New York; Jacob