Holidays Cut Down Business.

An intervening holiday always acts as a demoralizing factor to the general course of trade, and the experiences of last week 6ld not form any exception to the general rule. The closing down of places of bustness, even for one day, seems to distract the minds of the public from business mat-ters and affairs seldem get back to the normal before the close of the week. Fortunately for the merchants there was a good demand last week for holiday merchandise, which helped to offset what decrease there may have been in the sales of staple lines. The war spirit pervading the air seemed to make people in all sec-tions of the country crave anything that would make a loud noise, and accordingly large sales of fireworks were reported from

large sales of fireworks were reported from all directions. At the same time there was a good trade in other hollday goods, such as nots, candles, fruits, etc.

Generally speaking, the retail trade of Omaha and surrounding territory is in a very satisfactory condition. Money in general circulation appears to be reasonably easy, and consumers generally are liberal purchasers of both staple and fancy lines. The season of the year is approaching when the annual migration countryward takes place, and in the near future the absence of many of their best customers will be felt by the city retailer.

Local jobbers are reasonably busy for this season of the year, though in many lines no great activity is ever looked for at this time.

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The feeling in canned goods is firm. Advices from San Francisco are to the effect that the so-called canneries trust is approaching completion. The work of appraising the plans upon which options are held has been finished, and the prices fixed by the owners, on all but some eight or nine, are said to be satisfactory. It is not expected, however, that the combination, even if it becomes an assured fact, will have very much influence upon the market this year. The idea, it is said, is to allow each cannery to act independently in marketing this season's product, while the details of organization are being matured so as to be in a position to control affairs next year. Southern teas of the new pack are firm and prices have an upward tendency owing to the smallness of the pack. The western crop is still an unknown quantity, but from reports from different centers it is said that the output is likely to be smaller than was expected. Spot string beans are reported to be in small supply and the market firm.

The sugar market is firm, but no change of importance has taken place for several fays. At the present time the sugar best crop in Nebraska is very promising. The Grand Island and Norfolk factories are said to have a fair average acreage with the prospect of turning out about the issual amount of sugar. The Standard Beet Sugar company of Ames, Neb., is pushing the work on the new factory at that point, with the expectation of completing it in time to commence work October 1. They claim to have a large acreage of beets, and a representative of that factory remarked last week that their plan was to produce as much sugar as both of the old factories combined. The Ames people are experienced in the growing of beets, having for several years been heavy growers for the old factories.

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Boot and shoe people report everything moving along in a satisfactory manner in their line. Orders for fall delivery are coming in quite freely and the general situation appears to be favorable.

No change of importance has taken place in dry goods circles and conditions are as usual during the first half of July.

Considerable building is going on in the city and the lumber yards all appear to be along a nice little business.

Among hardware men the iron market is the chief subject of conversation. It is really a matter of surprise that the country demand holds up so well in the face of the enormous increase in values. When a windmill or pump costs the farmer double the price of a year ago, as is now the case, it would in nowise be surprising if he were to defer the improvement for another year. In the east it is remarked

if he were to defer the improvement for another year. In the east it is remarked that the farmer trade is ef less importance than formerly, and that the big buying is for railroads, public works, manufacturing and mining interests. The manufacturers are consoling themselves that if the agricultural buying grows dull there is the ever-increasing foreign demand as an offset. Fruit and Produce.

Fruit and vegetable business has been limited largely to the handling of tomatoes, melons, California fruit and new potatoes. So far this season there does not appear to have been very much satisfaction in the handling of California fruit. There is always extra risk in handling early peaches and any one is doing well who can play even on Hale's Early and Alexander peaches.

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So far this has been a good year for melons. The season opened ten days earlier than usual, the first Texas melons having put in an appearance June 13. Up to the present time the supply has come entire'y from that state, but Missouri expects to commence shipping about the middle of the month, Texas has been pouring melons into Omaha at a rapid rate, and it is nothing unusual to see several carloads on track at one time. When it is considered that a car contains anywhere from 1,000 to 1,500 melons some idea may be gained of what it takes to satisfy the public appetite in this locality. These melons are selling by the wholesale largely at 10215c each, but the Texas grower, after paying freight and other expenses incident to the marketing of the crop, only has left 21403c. Omaha has used more southern new potatoes this season than usual owing to the fact that the supply of o'd potatoes was schausted rather early in the spring.

## OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Conditions of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce. EGGS—Good stock; firm at 114c. BUTTER—Common to fair, 12@124c;

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POULTRY—Hens, live, 7½@8c; spring chickens, 13@16c; old and staggy roosters, live, 3½@8c; ducks and geese, live, 6@7c; surkeys, live, 8c.

PIGEONS—Live, per doz., 76c@\$1.00.

VEALS—Choice, 9c.

VEGETABLES. WATERMELONS - Texas, crated for chipment, 16620c.
CANTALOUPE-Per crate, \$1.6021.65; baskets, 75@90c. TOMATOES-Per 4-basket crate, \$1.10@

1.25.
BEANS—Hand-picked navy, per bu., \$1.54.
POTATOES—New potatoes, 60c per bu.
CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 45\(\pi\)50c.
CELERY—Per doz., 80\(\pi\)35c. FRUITS. BLUEBERRIES-Per 16-qt. case, \$2. APRICOTS-California Royal, per crate,

\$1.75@1.90. RED RASPBERRIES-Per 24-pint case, .00. BLACKBERRIES-Per 24-qt. case, \$2.25@ BLACK RASPBERRIES—Per 24-qt. case, 2,2562.50.

PLUMS—California, per crate, \$1.75@1.90.
CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Per box, \$1.00. TROPICAL FRUIT.

ORANGES-Mediterranean sweets, \$4.50 65.00. LEMONS—California, fancy, \$4.5064.75; Messina, fancy, \$5.0065.50. BANANAS—Choice, crated, large stock, per bunch, \$2.5062.75; medium-sized, bunches, \$2.0062.25. HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

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HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 74c; No.
green hides, 64c; No. 1 saited hides, 84c
No. 2 saited hides, 74c; No. 1 veal calf,
to 12 lbs., 10c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs. TALLOW, GREASE. PTC.—Tallow, No. 1, 3½c; tallow, No. 2, 3c; rough tallow, 1½c; white grease, 2½@3c; yellow and brown grease, 1½@3c; yellow and brown grease, 1½@3c; yellow and brown grease, 1½day 1½c; white grease, 1½day 1½c; green salted shearings (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5c; dry fint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4dac; dry fint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 5dac; dry fint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3dac; dry fint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3dac; dry fint, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3dac; dry fint, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3dac; dry fint, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3dac.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions. LIVERPOOL July 8.—1239 p. m.—

MINNEAPOLIS, July 8.—WHEAT—Close WHEAT—Spot. No. 2 red western, winter stocks exhausted; No. 1 red northern. Dutth steady at 58 6%d. Futres closed quiet; July, 58 8%d. September, 58 11%d; December 58 5%d. Futres closed Quiet; July, 58 8%d; September, 58 11%d; Dulluth Wheat Market.

DULLUTH July 8.—WHEAT—Close of the stock o

CONDITION OF OMAHA'S TRADE

| Stydic October, 38 5 54d. | September, 38 54d. | Cotober, 38 54d. | PROVISIONS-Beef, Steady; extra Indian PROVISIONS-Beef, Steady; extra Indian PROVISIONS-Beef, Steady; extra Indian PROVISIONS-Beef, Steady; extra Indian prime mess, western, 46s. Hams, short cut, 14 to 15 lbs., firm at 28s 6d. Short ribs, 19 to 20 lbs., and clear middles, light, 39 to 30 lbs., firm at 28s 6d. Short ribs, 19 to 20 lbs., firm at 28s 6d. Short ribs, 19 to 20 lbs., firm at 28s 6d. Short ribs, 19 to 20 lbs., firm at 28s 6d. Short ribs, 19 to 20 lbs., firm at 28s 6d. Shoulders, 16 to 18 lbs., firm at 28s, clear belies, 14 to 18 lbs., firm at 28s, 6d. Shoulders, square, 19 to 11 lbs., firm at 18s, 6d. Lard, steady; prime western, in tierces, 26s 2d; American refined, in palis, 26s 6d. Butter, good United States, 6s. Cheese, American finest and colored, 52s.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations for the Day on Various Commodities.
\*NEW YORK, July 8.—FLOUR—Receipts, 30,048 bbis.; exports, 34,641; dull and nominally unchanged; Minnesota patents, \$3.90 @4.10; Minnesota bakers, \$3.10@3.25; winter patents, \$3.5504.10; winter straights, \$3.450 3.55; winter extras, \$2.5533.00; winter low grades, \$2.4562.55. Rye flour, dull; good to fair, \$3.1063.25; choice to fancy, \$4.3063.50. CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, 80 GSic; city, \$1625c; Brandywine, \$2.1562.25. RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 65c, f. o, b.,

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 65c, f. o. b., afloat.

BARLEY—Steady; feeding, 42642½c, c. 1.
f., Buffalo, and malting, 47648c, delivered, New York.

BARLEY MALT—Quiet.

WHEAT—Receipts, 33,150 bu.; exports, 47,-780 bu.; sales, 45,000 bu.; futures, 184,000 bu. Spot strong; No. 2 red, 78c bid, afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 81¾c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 81¾c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 81¾c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 81¾c, f. o. b., afloat; to arrive. Options opened steady on better cables and rumors of grasshopper ravages in the northwest and small spring receipts; later the market developed greater strength an a sharp demand from shorts and closed at 78½c; September opened at 78% 779½c and closed at 79c; December opened at 80% 60%c and closed at 79c; December opened at 80% 60%c and closed at 79c; December opened at 80% 60%c and closed at 79c; December opened at 80% 60%c and closed at 79c; Opened strong; No. 2, 40½c, f. o. b., and 30½c, elevator. Options, steady and moderately active on talk of further export demand and covering; closed strong at 360%c, net advance. July closed at 39%c; September opened at 39 1-156339%c and closed 33%c.

OATS—Receipts, 65.500 bu.; exports, 40,651

Closed 32%c. OATS—Receipts, 65,800 bu.; exports, 40,651 bu. Spot, quiet; No. 2, 30c; No. 3, 29%c; No. white, 31%; No. 3 white, 30%c; track mixed

EGGS-Firm; state and Pennsylvania, 1514mite; western fresh, 1414@15%c.
MOLASSES-Steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 32@36c.
METALS-The brokers price for lead is \$4.30 and for copper \$18.50.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, July 8.—FLOUR—Dull and weak; patents, \$3.50@3.70; straights, \$3.25@3.40; clear, \$3.00@3.20.

WHEAT—Lower: No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 74½c; track, 75@76c; July, 73½c asked, September, 74½074%c; December, 77c; No. 2 hard, 71c; recelpts, 24.211 bu.

CORN—Higher: No. 2 cash, 34c; track, 35½c; July, 33½c; September, 33½c asked, OATS—Higher; No. 2 cash, 26½c; track, 27c; July, 23½c; September, 20½c; No. 2 white, 23½c.

RYE—Higher at 62c.

SEEDS—Timothy, \$1,75@2.15; flax, 95c.

METALS—Lead, higher at \$4.40@4.45.

Spelter, strong at \$5.80.

POULTRY—Weak; chickens, 8c; springs, 10@11c; turkeys, 8c; ducks, 7½c; geese, 6@7c.
BUTTER—Quilet; creamery, 15@19c; dairy, 12@15c. St. Louis Market.

12@15c. EGGS-Lower at 9½c. CORNMEAL-Steady, \$1.80@1.85. BRAN-Scarce, firm; sacked, east track, 61½c. HAY-Steady; timothy, \$7.50@10.50; prairle,

HAY—Steady; timothy, \$1.50@10.50; prains, new, \$6.50@7.00; old, \$7.50.
WHISKY—Steady, \$1.26.
IRON COTTONTIES—80c.
BAGGING—6@6%c.
PROVISIONS—Dry sait meats, nominal; boxed shoulders, \$5.12½; extra short, \$5.12½; clear ribs, \$5.25; clear sides, \$5.50. Bacon, strong; boxed shoulders, \$5.50; extra short, \$5.62½; clear ribs, \$5.87½; clear sides, \$6.12½. RECEIPTS—Flour, 2,000 bbls.; wheat, 24-000 bu.; corn, 25,000 bu.; oats, 22,000 bu. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 5,000 bbls.; wheat, 8,000 bu.; corn, 85,000 bu.; oats, 12,000 bu.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, July 8—WHEAT—September, 66%c; cash, No. 2 hard, 67c; No. 3, 4966c; No. 2 red, 70072c; No. 3, 66068c; No. 64@66c; No. 2 red, 70@72c; No. 3, 66@85c; No. 2 spring, 66@67c; No. 3, 614@65c. Receipts: Wheat, 71 cars. CORN—September, 3044c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 32c; No. 2 white, 324c; No. 3, 314@32c OATS—No. 2 white, cash, 2844c. RYE—No. 2, 57c. HAY—Choice, \$7.50@8.00; choice prairie, \$5.50.

\$6.50.
BUTTER—Creamery, 141/@161/c; dairy, 13c, EGGS—Market unchanged, Good local inquiry, but storage demand fallen off considerably. Fresh Missourl and Kansas, firsts, 16c, cases returned, RECEIPTS—Wheat, 42,600 bu.; corn, 8,400 bu.; cats, 4,000 bu.; SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 38,400 bu.; corn, 18,-200 bu.; cats, 2,000 bu.;

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE. July 8.—FLOUR—Quiet; receipts, 4.458 bbls.; exports, 137 bbls.

WHEAT—Firm; spot and July, 744,@745c; August, 75@754c; steamer No. 2 red, 704,@704c; receipts, 37.100 bu; southern wheat by sample, 70@754c; southern wheat on grade.

714@754c.

CORN—Firmer; spot and July, 374,@374c; August, 374,@35c; September, 38@384c; steamer mixed, 354,@354c; receipts, 166,017 bu; exports 4.501 bu.

OATS—Dull; No. 2 white, 32@324c; No. 2 mixed, 30@304c.

CHEESE—Steady.

BUTTER—Steady.

EGGS—Quiet.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, July 8.—(Special.)

—The Journal quotes as follows:

CATTLE—Receipts, 300 head; market slow at yesterday's deckine; quality common to fair; natives, \$1.5005.20; Texas and westerns, \$1.5005.20; cows and heifers, \$1.75005.00; buils and stags, \$2.3504.75; yearlings and calves, \$1.0005.10; stockers and feeders, \$3.4004.75; veals, \$5.2507.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 4.700 head; market steady to a shade higher; heavy and medium, \$3.8504.00; light, \$3.8003.924; pigs, \$3.5003.70; buils of sales, \$3.553.324.

SHEEDP—Receipts, 100 head; market strong.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, July 8.—COFFEE—Options closed quiet and unchanged; fuled inactive and featureless throughout the session. The spot department was neglected and nominal; closed dull and unchanged. Sales, 1,000 bags, including September, \$4.85; December and January, \$5.30. Spot coffee, Rio dull and nominal; No. 7 invoice, \$6.12½; No. 7 jobbing, \$6.62½; mild, quiet; Cordova, \$8.002013.00.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, July 8.—WHEAT—Lower, weak: No. 2 cash and July, 73½c; September, 75½c.
CORN—Dull, higher: No. 2 mixed, 35½c.
CATS—Active, higher: No. 2 mixed, 25c.
RYE—Dull: No. 2 cash, 58c, nominal.
CLOVERSEED—Active, steady; prime cash, new, \$3.57½; October, \$4.67½. cash, new, \$3.97½; October, \$4.67½.

Milwaukee Grain Market.
Milwaukee July 8—FLOUR—Steady.
WHEAT—Firm; No. 1 northern, 74%@75c;
No. 2 northern, 72%@7312.
OATS—Higher at 17@28c,
RYE—Dull; No. 1, 58@60c,
BARLEY—Lower; No. 2, 42c,

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA, July 8.—BUTTER— Steady, fancy western creamery, 18g19c; fancy western prints, 29c. EGGS — Unchanged: fresh nearby and vestern, 14@145c; fresh southern, 11%@12c. CHEESE-Dull.

Peoria Markets. PEORIA, July 8.-CORN-Firm, steady; No. 3. 331cc. OATS—Irregular; No. 3 white, 25@25%c. WHISKY—Firm, on the basis of \$1.26 for

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS. July 8.—WHEAT-Close

-In Store: No. 1 northern, 70%c. On Crack:
No. 1 hard, 73%c; No. 1 northern, 71%c; No.
2 northern, 63%c.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Country Offerings.

SELLING ORDERS FROM THE NORTHWEST

Corn Ruled Firm, Influenced by Provisions-Oats Were Dull and Featureless - Provisions Were Active.

CHICAGO, July 8.-After an early advance of 1/20 today wheat turned weak on heavy country offerings and closed with a net decline of %c. Corn ruled independently strong and closed 14c higher, Oats lost 14c. Provisions ruled active and surprisingly strong. Pork advanced 20c, lard 121/2c and

Wheat opened unchanged to 5c higher at 73%@73%c for September. Traders were inclined to avoid new committais to either side, in view of the government crop report due next Monday, Reports from North Dakota to the effect that a scourge of grasshoppers was feared stimulated some buying, but the bulls appeared weak-kneed and after getting September up to 74%c there was a grand rush to secure profits.

Selling orders poured in from the north-selling orders poured in from the north-from whence buying orders should section of the leading stocks on the New York exchange today:

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Selling orders poured in from the northwest, from whence buying orders should naturally have originated had there been any substantial fears of damage from "hoppers." The market became greatly congested and haif an hour before the close September slid off to 73%c. The close was only a shade above the lowest at 73%673%c. Frimary receipts, while still extremely heavy showed a steady failing off. They were 682,000 bushels today, compared with 168,000 bushels a year ago. Chicago received 93 cars, compared with 11 a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth got 366 cars, compared with 33 last year. A lantic port clearances footed up only 250,000 bushels wheat and flour.

Corn ruled firm, influenced principally by the strength in provisions. Local receipts

and flour.

2 white, 31½; No. 3 white, 30½e; track mixed western, 30631½e.

BUCK WHEAT—Options, dull.

HAY—Steady; good to choice, 80690c.

1896 crop, 667c; 1897 crop, 11613c; 1898 crop, 16615c; Pacific coast, 1896 crop, 16615c; 1898 crop, 16615c; 1898 crop, 116615c; 1898 crop, 16615c; 1898 crop, at \$5.06, a net gain of 15c.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat,
135 cars; corn, 610 cars; oats, 223 cars; hogs,
do nfd.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

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34½@34½c. OATS—No. 2, 24½@24½c; No. 3 white, 25½ @28c. RYE—No. 2, 604@614c. SEEDS—Flax, cash, northwest, \$1.00; cash

SEEDS—Flax, cash, northwest, \$1.00; cash, southwest, \$1.00; July, 99c; September, 96½c; Cotober, 95½c; No. 1, 99c; timothy, August, \$2.55; September, \$2.50; October, \$2.50; prime, \$2.40. Clover, \$6.50. PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., \$7.800 8.60. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$5.07½65.20. Short ribs sides (loose), \$4.7565.05. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$5.7566.00. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$5.7566.00. WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, \$1.26. Closing quotations on bonds were: gallon. \$1.26.
SUGARS—Cut loaf, \$6.02; granulated, \$5.64.
The following are the receipts and shipments for today:

ments for today:

Articles. Receipts.Shipments,
Flour. bbls. 12,000 16,000
Wheat bu. 58,000 135,000
Corn. bu. 52,000 492,000
Oats, bu. 260,000 217,000
Rye, bu. 12,000
Barley, bu. 12,000
On the Produce exchange today the butter market was weak; creameries, 13½@18c; dairies, 11@15½c. Cheese, firm at 8½@9c.
Eggs, steady at 11½c.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS. Action of the Stock Exchange Justi-

fled the Most Sanguine. NEW YORK, July 8.—The character of the trading in stocks was much confused throughout today's session of the Stock exchange. There were on the stock exchange. There were points of aggressive strength which encouraged the maintenance of prices, but the certainty of an unfavorable bank statement encouraged the continuance of profit taking in some of the stocks which have recently advanced several points in price. On the publication of the bank statement the whole market sold off and not gains were preserved in only which have recently advanced several points in price. On the publication of the bank statement the whole market sold off and net gains were preserved in only a few cases. The liquidation was by no means heavy and the bears covered short contracts at the decline, causing a raily from the low point.

The denials of the reported alliance between Pennsylvania and New York Central led to declines in those stocks, but the amount of selling was remarkably small. The bank statement, on its face, presents an extraordinary condition of affairs. It is almost unprecedented to have the cash reserves down to within a little over \$5,000,000 of the \$5 per cent required by law at this time of year. Yet the banks expanded their loans during the week nearly \$7,000,000, when they were already at the highest figure on record last week. The conclusion is unavoidable that the banking authorities see prompt relief in cirtain prospect. In fact, the easing tendency of money during the latter part of the week shows that the relief is already at hand. It comes in large part from the release of funds that had been accumulated for the disbursement of semi-annual obligations. It is also taken into consideration that interior points are better supplied with money than ever before, so that the conviction is held in banking circles that tightness in the New York money market would bring funds from interior points to New York.

The action of the stock market this week has justified the confidence of those who bought securities last week in the belief that opportunity would be offered to realize profits quickly. The expected demand for stocks was forthcoming, but it was so freely fed with offerings accumulated last week that the strengthening effect on prices was offset and the tide turned in favor of reaction. Thus, in spite of a very active market for the short week after the long holiday period, the net changes are not conspicuous in the majority of cases.

The profit taking was most effective early in the week showed the same prosprous condit

Country stress is laid on the large amount of the year's earnings that have been reinvested in railroad properties, resulting in higher efficiency and paving the way for future reductions in the ratio of operating expenses. There were incidents corroborative of the earlier rumors of fur-reaching combinations of control of railroad systems, calculated to make possible more economical administration and go facilitate cooperative measures for conducting traffic. But in spite of these factors of strength in

the general outcok, the tendency toward reaction in the relircads prevalied owing to the recent conditions. Profit-taking was the main factor. But there was in addition some apprehension that spring wheat had been damaged by heavy raims and there were fears of damage to railroad property by the Texas floods. The most potent influence toward reactions was the failure of the money market to weaken as expected under the distribution of half-yearly interest and dividend disbursements. Time money could readily be had at from 3 to 3½ per cent, but call loans were slow to yield below 6 per cent. In London both call money and the discount rate fell below 2 per cent, reflecting the relaxation of pressure for the haf-yearly settlement. Enormous loans were liquidated, both at the Bank of England and the Bank of France. The strain on the money market in Berlin and Vienna was not so much relieved, exchanges continuing to run against London. But confidence was shown that the stringency there would also relax soon and that no further demand would be made on New York for gold. The easier money conditions in London brought large buying of stocks in New York for London account, until money rates there began to harden again. The week's trading on the Stock exchange has been distinguished by some reawakening of interest in industrial issues, as the market for railroad stocks fell into duliness on the reaction. The older dividend-paying industrials have been favorites, but some of the newer ore and metal combinations have also shown signs of life, notably the coppers. Amalgamated Copper has moved up several points in the outside market, but is still below the original subscription price and Anaconda has been active and strong.

Bonds have shown increased activity and strength.

United States new 4s advanced ½, the 3s 45 and the 5% in the bid price. Wheat Turned Weak in Chicago on Heavy

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NEW YORK, July 8.—MONEY—On call, steady at 4 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3@4 per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with actual business in bankers bills at 44.87@4.874 for demand, and \$4.844.85 for sixty

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La. New Con. 48107	*Va. deferred 84
L & N. Uni. 48 98%	Colorado South'n 4s. 191

Boston Stock Quotations. BOSTON, July 8.—Call loans, 3@4 per cent; time loans, 3@4½ per cent, Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining

A., T. & S. F 2014	West End 951/2 do ptd114
American Sugar 15714	West, Electric 49%
do nfd	do pfd
Bell Telephone340	do pfd 67 Atchison 4s101
Hoston & Albany255	Adventure 9
Hoston & Albany255 Boston Elevated109	Allouez Min. Co 8
Boston & Maine190	Atlantic 30
C., B. & Q	
Ed. Elec. Ill	Butte & Boston 80
Fitchburg pfd11619	
Gen. Electric118	
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	Osceola
Mor Central 145	Quincy158
Mich. Telephone 99	Santa Fe Conner 14
Old Colony203	Pamarack 901
Old Dominion 3814	Winons 14
Rubber 531/2	
Union Pacific 4354	Utah
Union Land 84	1

NEW YORK, July 8.—The following are the closing quotations for mining shares: Chollar 27 Ontario
Crown Point 24 Ophir
Con. Cal. & Va. 190 Piv nouth
Deadwood 69 Quicksliver
Gould & Currie 35 do pfd.
Hale & Norcross 30 Sterra Nevada
Homestake 600 Union Con
Mexican 50 Yellow Jacket

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Clearings, \$226.619; balances, \$10.911.834.

BOSTON, July 8.—Clearings, \$29.916.654; balances, \$4.307.635.

BALTIMORE, July 8.—Clearings, \$4.456.060; balances, \$536.748.

PHILADELPHIA, July 8.—Clearings, \$19.902.748; balances, \$3115.845.

CINCINNATI, July 8.—Money, 24.766 per cent. New York exchange, 25435c discount. clearings, \$431.109.

ST. LOUIS, July 8.—Clearings, \$4.426.840; balances, \$546.550. Money, 5496 per cent. New York exchange, 15c premium bid, 25c premium asked.

CHICAGO, July 8.—Clearings, \$29.756.527; balances, \$2.344.512. Sterling exchange; Posted, \$4.565.744.8545; actual, \$4.844.74.87, documentary, \$4.8474.85. New York exchange 25c discount. Bank Clearings

Foreign Financial.

BERLIN, July 8.—On the bourse today prices were quiet and firm. Mine shares advanced owing to the favorable condition of industries. Exchange on London, 20 marks 44th pfgs. for checks.

FRANKFORT, July 8.—Prices were firm on the bourse today. Local shares were in good demand, foreigners were irregular and American securities were steady.

LONDON, July 8.—2 p. m.—Money, 262%, per cent. Rate of discount in the open marsper control of the steamer Campania, which reached its pier here today. The earl of Donoughmore was also a passenger.

ket for short bills, 24 per cent. and for three months bills 24:62% per cent. Gold premium quoted at Buenos Ayres at 112.50. The amount of builton taken into the Bank of England on balance today, 273,000.

VIENNA, July 8.—Strong prices prevailed on the bourse today.

PARIS, July 8.—Transactions on the bourse today were restricted, Government securities were irregular. Spanish 4s improved, Brazillars were weaker on the more unfavorable rate of exchange, Rio Tintos advanced and Kaffirs were quiet in the absence of Transvani Intelligence. Three per cent rentes, 10f 274c for the account. Spanish 4s closed at 60.70.

MAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

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Cattle Values Have Strengthened During the Past Week.

RATHER LIGHT RUN OF CORNFED STEERS

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Weekly Bank Statement. Weekly Hank Statement.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, decrease, \$3,212,605; loans: increase, \$5,98,900; specie, decrease, \$5,635,500; legal tenders, decrease, \$4,310,800; deposits, decrease, \$2,945,900; circulation, increase, \$40,700. The banks now hold \$5,002,475 in excess of the requirements.

Exports and Imports of Specie. NEW YORK, July S.—Exports of gold and silver from this port to all countries for the week aggregate \$705,488 in silver bars and coin and \$274,180 in gold.

The imports of specie this week were \$20,285 in gold and \$44,830 in silver.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, July 8.—COTTON—
Steady; sales, 750 bales; ordinary, 3½c; good
ordinary, 4c; low middling, 4 13-16c; middling, 5½c; good middling, 6 5½c; middling,
fair, 6¾c; receipts, 26 bales; stock, 184,800
bales, Futures steady; July, \$5,7095,71; August, \$5,5266.53; September, \$5,4765.48; October, \$5,5465.56; September, \$5,496.51; December, \$5,5465.56; February, \$5,5965.61; March,
\$5,556.

ber, \$5.526.53; September, \$5.405.48; October, \$5.56.55; February, \$5.5965.61; March, \$5.56.

ST. LOUIS, July 8.—COTTON—Quiet; middling, 5%c; sales, 52 bales; receipts, 1.518 bales; shipments, 1,608 bales; stock, 74.400 bales.

NEW YORK, July 8.—COTTON—The cotton market opened steady, with prices 264 points higher on quite active general buying, stimulated by firm Liverpool cables and discouraging accounts from the heart of the Texas cotton territory. An unfavorable review of the crop situation by the Chronicle did not serve to help matters as far as shorts were concerned. Futures opened steady; July, \$5.62; August, \$5.67; September, \$5.92; October, \$5.76; November, \$5.78; December, \$5.83; January, \$5.87; February, \$5.89; March, \$5.93; April, \$5.96; May, \$6.00.

LIVERPOOL, July 8.—COTTON—Small business, prices hardening. American middling, \$311.820. The sales of the day were May, \$6,90.

Liverifool, July \$.—COTTON—Small business, prices hardening. American middling, \$311-32d. The sales of the day were \$6,900 bales, of which \$600 bales were for speculation and export, and included \$5,300 bales American. Receipts, 7,000 bales, including \$3,900 bales American. Futures opened steady, with a moderate demand, and closed steady at the advance. American middling L. M. C., July, \$20-64d, sellers; July and August, \$19-64d, \$20-64d, sellers; July and August, \$19-64d, \$20-64d, sellers; August and September, \$18-64d, sellers; September 'and October, \$18-64d, sellers; November and December, December and January, January and February, \$16-64d, buyers; March and April, \$18-64d; \$19-64d, buyers; April and May, \$18-64d; \$19-64d, sellers; May and June, \$19-64d, buyers.

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18c; prime summer yellow, 25@26½c; off summer yellow, 25½c; butter grades, 30@32c; prime winter yellow, 30@32c; prime white, 29½c. Hosin, steady; domestic, fair to extra, \$4.38@4.38½.

LIVERPOOL, July 8.—OILS—Cottonseed, refined July and August, firm, 15s 6d. Turpentine spirits, steady, 32s 3d. Rosin, common, steady, 4s. Petroleum, refined, 6½d.

NEW YORK, July 8.—OUS, Parella St. New York, July 8. Linseed, 23d.

NEW YORK, July 8.—OILS—Petroleum, firm; refining, New York, \$7,40; Philadelphia and Baltimore, \$7.50; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, \$4.50. Rosin, firm; strained, common to good \$1.32@1.32\frac{1}{2}.

Sugar Market.

NEW ORLEANS, July 8.—SUGAR—
Quiet; open kettle, 3%@65-fbc; centrifugal;
yellow, 4%@4%c; seconds, 3@4%c. Molasses,
dul; centrifugal, 6%6%c.

NEW YORK, July 8.—SUGAR—Steady;
fair refining, 3.15-16c; centrifugal, 95 test,
47-f6c; molasses sugar, 3.13-16c. Refined;
market steady to firm and active; No. 6,
\$4.81; No. 7, \$4.75; No. 8, \$4.69; No. 9, \$4.62%;
No. 10, \$4.50; No. 11, \$4.37%; No. 12, \$4.31%
No. 13, \$4.31; No. 14, \$4.25; mould A, \$5.75;
standard A, \$5.25; confectioners' A, \$5.25;
cut loaf, \$5.87%; crushed, \$6.00; powdered,
\$5.82%; granulated, \$5.59; cubes, \$5.62%;
LONDON, July 8.—BEET SUGAR—July,
108-6d.

California Dried Fruits. NEW YORK, July 8.—CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Dull. Evaporated apples, common, 6%27c; prime wire tray, 84 68½c; choice, 8½68½c; fancy, 969½c, Prunes, 3½68½c. Apricots, Royal, 14c; Moor park, 14@18c, Peaches, unpeeled, 10 @11c.

PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS. Survivors of the Civil War Remem-

bered by the General Government. WASHINGTON, July 8 .- (Special.)-The following western pensions have been Issue of June 23:

Issue of June 23:

Nebraska: Increase—Isaac Glaze Pierce,
\$8 to \$10; Freeman D. Adams, Duff, \$8 to
\$12. Original widows, etc.—Efizabeth E.
Crow, Hildreth, \$8.
Iowa: Original—Charles M. Elder. Rock
Valley, \$6: James C. Gosard, Mount Etna,
\$12. Additional—Gilbert W. Jenree, Leon,
\$8 to \$10. Increase—Joseph W. Stevens, Correctionville, \$5 to \$10: Isaac Griffith, Keosauqua, \$17 to \$24: George M. Bell, Cedar
Falls, \$12 to \$14; Woodson Wallace, Ottumwa, \$16 to \$17; Edward G. Tracker, lowa
City, \$13 to \$17; Charles Eastwood, Boone,
\$24 to \$30; Edward J. McGorrisk, Des Moines,
\$25 to \$30. Original widows, etc.—Reissue— \$25 to \$30. Original widows, etc.—Reissue— Margaret C. Benson, Ottumwa, \$8. War with Spain—Original—Leonard Kupfer, Burling-South Dakota: Increase—Nelson Armstrong, Mitchell, \$12 to \$20; Henry P. Johnston, Chamberlain, \$14 to \$24. Original widows, etc.—Rhoda A. Ireland, Centerville \$8.

Air Power Interests May Combine. NEW YORK, July 8.—The Evening Post says: A statement was authorized today that a general consolidation of the various air-power interests is in contemplation and that the American Air-Power company of this city will practically absorb all the other concerns. The W. C. Whitney syndi-cate has just secured entire control of the American Air Secured American Air-Power company. It has been decided to equip immediately all the down-town cross-town lines with air as a motor power and also the belt lines, where it is impossible to install a conduit for an an-derground circuit.

Condition of Fever Patients. Condition of Fever Patients.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Dr. Doty, health officer of the port, said today of the yellow fever patients from the United States transport McClellan, who are at Swinburne island under treatment: "Miss Clendennin is greatly improved, her condition is all I could ask for. Mr. Lackey's condition has not changed, the temperature is about the same as last night, the pulse, if anything, stronger. He is very weak, but his brain is clear. Twenty-four or forty-eight hours will decide his case."

Reaching the Highest Point Since the Month of July a Year Ago.

SOUTH OMAHA, July 8. Receipts were: Official Monday 1,530 Official Wednesday 3,664 Receipts Thursday 2,464 Receipts Friday 2,657 Official Saturday 879 Total this week...... 10,094 Week ending July 1.... 13,839 Week ending June 24... 12,656 Week ending June 17... 14,539 Week ending June 10... 9,262

Average price paid for hogs for the last several days with comparisons: |1899, |1898, |1897, |1896, |1896, |1804.

. Indicates Sunday. The official number of obrought in today by each road of cars of stock

Cattle, Hogs, Sh'p, H'r's, Union Pacific System. N. W. Ry & M. V. R. R. 7 Total receipts .... 17 126

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.

Omaha Packing Co. 2 111 G. H. Hammond Co. 105 2,169 Swift and Company. 103 2,257 Cudahy Packing Co. 115 1,366 Cudahy Packing Co. 1257 143 \*\*\*\*\*

No. Av. Pr. 5..1002 \$4 85 1.. 920 4 90 19..1133 4 90 44..1054 4 95 37. 1236 5 00 STEERS AND HEIFERS. 2..1135 3 85 1..1030 3 90 1..1100 4 00 1..1150 4 10 5..1020 3 45 1..1040 3 50 1..740 3 65 1..1390 3 70 1. .1030 3 75 1. .1140 3 75 STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS. 1. 1120 3 65 2..1100 3 40

HEIFERS. 1.. 840 4 00 1.. 520 3 50 2.. 790 3 90 CALVES. 1.. 250 7 00 1.. 160 7 00 STAGS. 2..1370 4 65 1..1110 4 25

STAGS.

1.1110 4 25 2.1370 4 65

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

1. 880 4 10 10. 865 4 10 1. 680 4 35

HOGS-Liberal receipts at all market points on the last day of the week would seem to stand for a lower market, but to offset this was the good demand and encouraging reports from all markets. The result was that the hogs sold 5c higher and in some cases 7½c higher than yesterady and the market was fairly active at the advance, so that practically everything changed hands early in the forenoon.

A few big heavy and rough loads sold down to \$3.82, but the general run of the good mixed loads went at \$3.85 and light loads at \$3.87½@3.90. It will be remembered that yesterday over half of all the hogs here sold at \$3.80 or under.

The tendency of the hog market has been upward for the last two weeks and at the close of the present week it is at the highest point touched since the month of July, 1898. At the opening of the present week hogs were selling on an average at \$3.78, so that there has been considerable gain. The market is now 12½c higher than it was at the close of the previous week. The demand has been good all the week and buyers have taken everything received very readily at current prices. Representative sales:

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sales: No.

3 824 3 824 80 8 824 5 292 8 8914 4 275 3 8214 7 200 8 85 5 208 8 86 5 272 3 86 8 432 3 86 mencing to move in this direction and it is claimed that there will soon be a material

264 160 8 85 68 ... 202 ... 220 80 8 85 72 ... 225 ... WAGON LOTS-PIGS.

increase in the average receipts. The few sheep that were offered this week were, as a rule, snapped up at prices that looked very high in comparison with the way the same kind of stuff is selling in the other markets. Quotations: Western wethers, \$4.9035.15; Quotations: Western wethers, \$4.9035.15; good to choice western lambs, \$5.8596.16; fair to good western lambs, \$5.2596.75; wstern ewes, good to choice, \$4.2594.65; fair to good ewes, \$3.7594.00; good to choice spring lambs, \$8.0038.75; fair to good spring lambs, \$8.0038.75; fair to good spring lambs, \$5.5095.00; common spring lambs, \$4.0034.25; fair to good grass wethers, \$3.7594.25; choice grass ewes, \$4.0034.25.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. There Were Not Enough Cattle Received to Make a Market. CHICAGO, July 8.—CATTLE—There were

not enough cattle received to make a mar ket; there were scattering sales at \$4.600 4.95; prices are still holding up despite a little weakening during the last few days HOGS-There was an active local and shipping demand for hegs today, prices advancing 5610c per 100 pounds; the supply was well taken at \$3.7064.85 for heavy, \$3.80 (\$4.30 for mixed and butcher weights and \$3.8564.05 for light weights; pigs brought \$3.5064.02½ and cuils and rough lots \$2.0069 \$3.70. 8.70. SHEEP—Today's supply of sheep was too small to amount to anything, a good share of the supply being consumed direct to local shippers; prices were little more than nominal-42.0033.00 for culse up to \$5.0075.45 for prime flocks; yearlings were quotable at \$5.0076.25 and spring lambs at \$4.0076.90. RECEIPTS—Cattle, 200 nead; hogs, 17,000 head; sheep, 2,000 head.

Kansas City Live Stock. Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, July S.—CATTLE—Receipts, 510 natives, 570 Texans; liberal supply for Saturday that sold readily at unchanged prices; light supply this week caused a general advance in prices, amounting to 15q25c for most desirable bunches, with plainer grades steady to 10c higher; heavy native steers brought \$5,25q5.60; medium and light weights, \$4,60q5.25; stockers and feeders, \$3,75q5.25; butcher cows and helfers, \$3,25q5.45; canners, \$2,50q3.25; butcher bulls, \$3,25q4.25; Texans, \$3,60q4.77%.

HOGS-Receipts, 7,700 head; trade brisk at strong prices, with both local packers and shippers buying freely; heavy. \$3,900 4.05; mixed, \$3.8004.00; light, \$3.7004.00; pigs, \$3.5003.70. \$3.50@3.70.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2.500 head; good demand; market ruled firm at unchanged prices; native spring lambs brought \$5.50@5.85; range spring lambs, \$5.50@5.70; muttons, \$4.00@5.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@4.50; culls, \$1.50@3.00. St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS. July 8.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head, all Texans; market steady to firm; fair to choice native shipping and export steers, \$4.85@5.45; fancy, worth up to \$5.55; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4.70@5.50; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3.70@5.25; stockers and feeders; \$2.00@5.00; cows and helfers, \$2.00@5.00; bulds, \$2.65@4.00; canners, \$1.50@ 2.85; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.60@6.00; cows and helfers, \$2.25@4.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 4.400 head; market 5@10c higher; pigs and lights, \$3.90@3.95; packers, \$3.85@3.95; butchers, \$3.95@4.05.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3.500 head; market steady; native muttons, \$4.25@4.00; spring lambs, \$4.25@6.50; culls and bucks; \$1.50@4.00; stockers, \$2.50@3.25; Texas muttons, \$3.75@4.10.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, July 8.—BEEVES—Receipta, 727 head; no trading; nominally steady; shipments, 1,072 cattle, 55 eneep, 5,390 quarters of boef. Cables unchanged.

CALVES—Receipts, none; 110 state calves on sale; duil and unchanged; good butter-milks, 43,00; veals, nominal.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,223 head; sheep and good lambs steady; medium and common duil and weak; sheep, poor to fair, \$3,00@4.50; common to choice lambs, \$5,00@7.15.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,178 head; none for sale; HOGS-Receipts, 2,178 head; none for sale; nominally weak.

Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets for July 8: 
 Omaha
 Cattle, Hogs.

 Chicago
 200
 17,000

 Kansas City
 610
 7,700

 St. Louis
 200
 4,400
 Totals ......2,540 34,070 8,292 NEW YORK, July 8.—The imports of dry goods and general merchandise at the port of New York for this week were valued at \$8,167,780.

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