## COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Midsummer Dullness Fravailed on Chicago Board of Trade Yesterday.

FAIR WEATHER IN THE WHEAT BELT

Market Opened Strong, But Declined-Corn Dull, But Fairly Steady-Fair Eastern Demand for Onts.

CHICAGO, July 11.-Midsummer duliness prevailed on the Board of Trade today and ictuations in all commodities were narrow in consequence. Wheat closed unchanged, corn unchanged, oats the lower and provisions 50:10c higher.

September wheat opened about 14c lower at 72% 273c, sold between 72%c and 73%c and closed unchanged at 73c. Fair weather in the wheat belt and continued large primary receipts caused a degree of calmess at the start and a small farther decline followed the opening. The decline was soon recovered. There was irregular buying by the less consident shorts who feared the influence of the Russian crop failure, fresh confirmatory news of which was received today, and the absence of seiling pressure of note was sufficient to sustain prices. The market, however, was exceedingly narrow and price changes small until afternoon, when trade broadened out somewhat. Bradstreet reported 175,000 bushels decrease in the world's visible and reports were received of damage to Wisconsin spring wheat. It was also reported that 1,200,000 bushels of spring wheat had been sold at foledo yesterday. Buying which followed this news advanced the price to the highest point of the day—73½c. But the impression that the Toledo report was an exaggeration gained a foothold later, as no confirmatory news was received and a slow decline followed, shorts cautiously resuming selling. The seaboard reported twenty-six loads taken for export. Receipts at primary points were \$55,000 bushels, compared with 125,000 bushels last year. Northwest receipts were 657 cars, against 71 last year. Chicago receipts were 131 cars, five of contract. Trade became dull again toward the close and the pit at times was half empty, with the easiness usually a feature of narrow trading. the opening. The decline was soon recov-

row trading.

Corn was dull but fairly steady. The market was almost entirely a sympathetic one, prices following closely the fluctuations of wheat. Speculative demand was moderate and cash business rather small, buyers apparently being timid over the estimated crop of 2,090,000,000 bushels. Receipts were 1.165 cars. September ranged at from 35%c to 34%c and closed unchanged at 33%c. Oats, like other grains, was extremely dull, but steady for the greater part of the session. There was a fair eastern demand for the cash article. Longs sold in a small way, but steadily, and this liquidation ultimately resulted in a trifling decline. Receipts were heavy—474 cars, September ranged at from 20%20%c to 20%@20%c and closed %c lower at 20%c.

Provisions were firm and fairly active. Speculative demand, both local and from the outside, was good and prices averaged elightly higher all day. Packers were again in the market. At the close September pork was 10c higher at \$8.90, September lard be higher at \$5.40 and September ribs 5c higher at \$5.15.

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*Wheat. July Sept Dec	71% 72%-73 74%@%	72 7314 7514	7114 7234 7436@98	71% 73 74%@36	71% 78 74%
*Corn. July Sept Dec	3314 3374 3274-33	3334 3434 3334	88% 33% 32%	33%	334 334 323
Onts. July Sept May	234 201(@34 2234	23% 20%@% 22%	2814 2014 22	23% 20% 22%	23% 20% 22%
Pork. July Sept	8 65 8 90	8 75 8 92%	8 65 8 8214	8 75 8 90	8 67% 8 80
Lard, July Sept Oct	5 40 5 42%	5 40 5 424	5 3736 5 4236	5 27% 5 40 5 42%	5 2214 5 35 5 40
Ribs. July Sept Oct	5 02% 5 15 5 15	5 05 5 15 5 17%	5 02% 5 12% 5 15	5 05 5 15 5 17%	5 00 5 10 5 12%

Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, \$3.65@
3.75; straights, \$3.15@3.45; spring specials,
\$4.35; spring patents, \$3.40@3.80; straights,
\$2.90@3.30; bakers, \$2.30@2.60,
WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 73@74c; No. 3

Epring, 70@715c; No. 2 red, 72¼@73c. Spring, 100/1780, 2 34c; No. 2 yellow, 30c. CORN-No. 2, 34c; No. 2 yellow, 30c. OATS-No. 2, 24@24½c; No. 3 white, 25@

OATS-No. 2, 2442-1726, 133.

271/2c.
RYE-No. 2, 58/3591/2c.
SEEDS-Timothy, August. \$2.60; September, \$2.55; October, \$2.55. Flax, cash, \$1.00; southwest, 97c; September, 961/2c; October, \$51/2c. Clover, contract grade, \$5.50.
PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$8.10/2 8.75. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$5.171/265.30. Short ribs sides (loos-), \$1.95/35.75. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$5.25/25.75. Short clear sides (boxed), \$5.25/25.30. sides (boxed), \$5.25@5.30, WHISKY-Distillers' finished goods, per

SUGARS—Cut loaf, \$5.02; granulated, \$5.64.
The following are the receipts and ship-ments for today: Articles. Receipts.
Flour bbls. 14,000
Wheat bu. 105,000
Corn, bu. 684,000
488,000

On the Produce exchange today the but-ter market was weak; creameries, 134@18c; dairies, 11@154c, Cheese, firm at 842@9c. Eggs, steady at 124c. Dressed poultry, firm; turkeys, 8c; chickens, 9@94c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quotations for the Day on Various

Commodities. NEW YORK, July 11.-PLOUR-Receipts 34,612 bbls.; exports, 16,457 bbls.; easy and 5@15c lower than Saturday; Minnesota patents, \$3.85974.60; Minnesota bakers, \$3.0009 3.25; Winter patents, \$3.75974.00; Winter straights, \$3.4093.55; Winter extras, \$2.4599 2.85, Rye flour, quiet; No. 2 western, 65c. CORNMEAL—Easy; yellow western, 7849 50c. ethy 80c. 80c; city, 80c. RYE-Steady; No. 2 western, 64c f. o. b. BARLEY-Dull; feeding, 42½c c. i. f., Buffalo; malting, 48@62c, delivered, New York.

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BARLEY MALT—Dull,
WHEAT—Recelpts, 315,275 bu.; exports, 161,643 bu.; spot easy; No. 2 red, 79½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 80½c f. o. b. to afloat; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 84½c f. o. b., to arrive; No. 2 red, 77½c, eievator. Options opened easy on favorable crop news, afterward recovering on a demand from shorts. Russian news was still bullish, western cash demand good and Texas crop news unfavorable. A final reaction under realizing left last prices easy and unchanged; July, 78½@78 11-16c; closed, 78½c; September, 77½%78½c; closed, 78½c; December, 79-16@55-16c; closed, 50c.
COEN—Receipts, 125,775 bu.; exports, 440,—563 bu.; spot quiet; No. 2, 40c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2, 39½c, elevator. Options opened steady and advanced later on light country offerings, higher cables and covering; finally eased off under realizing and closed weak at unchanged prices; July closed at 39½c; September closed at 39½c.
OATS—Receipts, 68,300 bu.; exports, 43,445 bu.; spot quiet; No. 2, 29½c; No. 3, 25c; No. 2 white, 31c; No. 3 white, 39½c; track, mixed western, 23@31½c. Options dull.
HAY—Easy; shipping, 55@50c; good to choice 55@50c.
HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice, 1896 crop, 6@7c; 1897 crop, 11@13c; 1898 crop, 16@17c; Pacific coast, 1896 crop, 6@7c; 1897 crop, 11@13c; 1898 crop, 16@17c; Texas dry 24 to 30 lbs., 12½g/13c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 18½c.
LEATHER — Steady; Hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres light to heavy weights, 20½g/21½c; acid, 21@22c.
PROVISIONS—Beef, firm; famfly, \$5.0@66.25; pickled shoulders, \$5.0066.25; pickled shoulders, \$5.0066.25; pickled hams, \$9.50@10.00. Lard, steady; western. \$5.50; refined, firm, Pork, higher and firm; mess, \$9.00@2.25. Tallow, easy; city, 4@14c. BUTTER—Steady.
CHEDSE—Firm; large white, \$6.25; closed, chooled, \$8.55\$c; refined, firm, Pork, higher and firm; mess, \$9.00@2.25. Tallow, easy; city, 4@14c. BUTTER—Steady.

Coats, United States and Canada, east Coats, United States and Canada, east Rockies, decrease, 722,000 bu,
Statistics revised to include Coteau, Que, and Deep Harbor and Prescott, Ont., included for first time this week. Among the more important increases reported, not given in the official visible supply statement, are those of 100,000 bu, at Chicago private elevators and 75,000 bu, at Fort official decrease is that of cluded for first time this week. Among the more important increases reported, not given in the official visible supply statement, are those of 100,000 bu, at Chicago private elevators and 75,000 bu, at Chicago private elevators and 75,000 bu, at Fort Worth. The principal decrease is that of 350,000 bu, at Manitoba storage points.

The aggregate stock of wheat held at Portland, Ore., and Tacoma and Seattle, Wash., decreased 3,000 bu, last week.

## OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Conditions of Trade and Quotations

on Simple and Fancy Produce. EGGS-Good stock, 11c. BUTTER-Common to fair, 12@1214c. BUTTER—Common to fair, 12@124c; choice, 18@14c; separator, 18@19c; gathered creamery, 15@17c.
POULTRY—Hens, live, 74@8c; spring chickens, 15@18c; old and staggy roosters, live, 24@3c; ducks and geese, live, 5@7c; turkeys, live, 8c.
PIGEONS—Live, per doz., 75c@\$1.00.
VEALS—Choice, fc.
VEGETABLES.

WATERMELONS - Texas, crated for shipment, 160 20c. CANTALOUPE-Per crate, \$1.50@1.65; basket, 75@80c. TOMATOES-Per 4-basket crate, \$1.00@ .10.
BEANS-Hand-picked navy, per bu., \$1.50.
POTATOES-New potatoes. 50/200c per bu.
CUCUMBERS-Per doz. 40/250c.
CELERY-Per doz., 30/25c.

FRUITS.

BLUEBERRIES-Per 16-qt. case, \$2. APRICOTS-California, per craie, \$1.75@ 90. RED RASPBERRIES-Per 24-pint case, \$2.00. BLACKBERRIES-Per 24-qt. case, \$2.25@ BLACK RASPBERRIES-Per 24-qt. case, 2.50@2.75.
PLUMS—California, per crate, \$1.50@1.75.
CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Hale's early,
1.00 per box; freestones, \$1.25@1.40 per box,
CHERRIES—Oregon, 10-1b, boxes, \$2.00.
TROPICAL FRUIT.
ORANGES—Mediterranean sweets, \$4.50

G5.00.
LEMONS—California, fancy, \$4.50@4.75;
Messina, fancy, \$5.00@5.50.
BANANAS—Choice, crated, large stock, per bunch, \$2.50@2.75; medium-sized, bunches, \$2.00@2.25.
HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

Grothe leading exchange today:
Atchison do pfd altimore & Ohio... Canada Pacific ....
Canada Southern ...
Central Pacific ....

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 74c; No. 2 green hides, 64c; No. 1 salted hides, 84c; No. 1 salted hides, 84c; No. 2 salted hides, 73c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 ibs., 10c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 ibs. to 12 ibs., 10c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 ibs., Sc.
TALLOW, GREASE, ETC.—Tallow, No. 1, 3½c; tallow, No. 2, 3c; rough tallow, 1½c; white grease, 2½@3c; yellow and brown grease, 1½@2½c.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each, 15@ 75c; green salted shearings (short wooled early skins), each, 15c; dry shearings (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5c; dry filnt, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3@4c; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry flint, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3@4c.

St. Louis Market. ST. LOUIS, July 11. — FLOUR — Duil, Lake Shore .... steady; \$3.50@3.70; straights, \$3.25@3.40; clear, Louis, & Nash \$2.00@3.20. SEEDS-Prime timothy, \$2.50, to arrive,

SEEDS—Prime timothy, \$2.50, to arrive, August.
CORNMEAL—Steady, \$1.50@1.85.
BRAN—Steady; sacked, east track, 61½c.
HAY—Firm; timothy, \$5.50@1.30; prairie, new, \$6.00@7.50; old, \$5.50@6.00.
WHISKY—Steady, \$1.26.
IRON TIES—80c.
BAGGING—634c.
PROVISIONS—Dry salt meats, firm; boxed shoulders, \$5.12½; clear sides, \$5.50. Bacon, strong; boxed shoulders, \$5.50; extra shorts, \$5.12½; clear ribs, \$5.25; clear sides, \$5.50. Bacon, strong; boxed shoulders, \$5.50; extra shorts, \$5.62½; clear ribs, \$5.87½; clear sides, \$5.12½; RECEIPTS—Flour, 2.000 bbls.; wheat, 63.—800 bu.; corn, 28,000 bu.; oats, 38,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Flour, 6.000 bbls.; wheat, none; corn, \$3.000 bu.; cats, 20,000 bu.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, July 11.—PROVISIONS—
Lard, American refined, in 28-lb. palls, firm at 27s 3d; prime western, in tierces, 26s 3d. Hams, short cut, firm at 47s 6d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, firm at 28s 6d; short ribs, firm at 29s 6d; short clear backs, firm at 28s 6d; clear belies, steady at 29s.

WHEAT—No. 1 red. northern, Duluth, dull at 6s; futures, quiet; July, 5s 9d; September, 5s 10%d; December, 6s 3%d.

CORN—American mixed, spot, new, firm at 3s 44/d; July, steady at 3s 44/d.

FLOUR—St. Louis fancy winter, dull at 7s 9d; No. 1 California, 6s 2½d.

Receipts of wheat during the last three days, 340,000 centals, including 195,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the last three days, 48,500 centals. Liverpool Grain and Provisions. last three days, 48,500 centals.

Toledo Market. TOLEDO, O., July 11.—WHEAT-Lower; to, 2 cash and July, 734c bld; September, 54c bld. No. 2 cash and Sary, 1754c bid. CORN—Dult and steady; No. 2 mixed. OATS-Dull and steady; No. 2 mixed, RYE-Unchanged; No. 2 cash, 58c, CLOVERSEED-Dull and steady; prime cash, new, \$4.00; October, \$4.65.

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA, July 11.—BUTTER— Dull, easler; fancy creamery, 18½c; fancy prints, 20c.
EGGS-Dull and 14c lower; fresh nearby, 1314@14c; fresh western, 1314c; fresh south-western, 13@14c; fresh southern, 10@11c.
CHEESE-Steady,
BARLEY-Steady; No. 2, 42c; sample, 38@

Minneapolis Wheat Market. MINNEAPOLIS, July 11.—WHEAT-In store, No. 1 northern, July, 70½c; Septem-ber, 69%c; December, 70%c; on track, No. 1 hard, 71¾c; No. 1 northern, 70¾c; No. 2 northern, 69½c. FLOUR AND BRAN-Unchanged,

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE July II.—FLOUR—Steady, WHEAT—Weaker; No. 1 northern, 74c; No. 2 northern, 72c OATS—Lower at 2614-6274/c. RYE—Lower; No. 1, 53c.

Duluth Wheat Market. DULUTH, July 11.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard cash, 75c; July, 75%c; No. 1 northern, cash, 76t;c; July, 72%c; September, 72%c; No. 2 northern, 68c; No. 2 spring, 65%c.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS Closing Prices Yesterday Slightly
Below Those of Saturday.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The stock market
strikingly demonstrated its inherent strength again today with a practical re-covery of yesterday's losses. Closing prices covery of yesterday's losses. Closing prices from listic 1888 crop, 1637c. Ox 25 ba. 11023—Steady; Galvesto, 1257c. Covery of yesterday's losses. Closing prices from listic 1888 crop, 1637c. Ox 25 ba. 1257c. Claimet & Francisco Covery of yesterday's losses. Closing prices of the pr

the following changes in available supplies, as compared with the previous account:

Wheat, United States and Canada, east of Rockies, increase, 22,000 bit.

Corn, United States and Canada, east of Reckies, increase, 23,000 bit.

Statisfies revised to include Coteau, Que., Statisfies r

vanced sharply, and discounts were easier at those centers.

Long sterling in New York weakened an additional fraction under the sales of fatures based on the expected outward movement of merchandise to begin in a short time. Among the special points of strength in the late stock market were Texas & Pacific, which rose to 23, and later the whole southwestern group. Wall street had a rumor of a contemplated merger of Wabash and Missouri Pacific to account for the strength of those stocks. Northern Pacific also scored a brilliant advance, recovering more than its dividend, which was taken off today. There was a simultaneous advance in Tennessee Coal. Colorado Fuel and American Steel and Wire, which rose from 2 to 2%, and also in Chesapeake & Ohio, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis and Lake Erie & Western preferred. After a fractional reaction on professional profit taking prices were marked up again to near the best in the closing dealings.

Bonds railled somewhat from the early weakness in sympathy with stocks, but are slightly lower on the day. Total sales, par value, \$2,080,000. United States new is, registered, declined is and the old is, registered. In the bid price.

The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: The markets here were quiet today, engaged in arranging the small account. The tone was dull, with a final hardening in Americans and Africans. Money is still stiffening. The banks got 3% to 4 per cent for settlement. The bank bought £46,000 in gold bars. There is a good demand at 778 10d from France on Spanish account. Americans were depressed until the afternoon, when New York bought, despite the hardening money in New York and London. The close was well above the worst. The strongest features were Atchison preferred and Northern Pacific common. The general settlement rate was 5 to 5½; for St. Paul, 4½; Spanish as every 59; timos 45%; Anacondas.

tures were Atchison preferred and North-ern Pacific common. The general settle-ment rate was 5 to 5½; for St. Paul. 4½; Spanish 4s were 59; tintos, 45½; Anacondas, 11½. The British oil and cake mills' pros-pectus has been issued. It is an amalga-mation of seventeen leading firms, with a capital of £2,250,000. The present issue is of £1,750,000.

The following are the closing quotatons for the leading stocks on the New York exchange today:

Pentral Pacific
Thes. & Ohio
Thi. & Alton
Thi. & E. Ill
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Thi. Ind. & L.
do pfd
Thi. & N. W.
do pfd
Thi. & N. W.
do pfd
Thi. & W.
Del. & Hudson
The Hudson Mo. Pacific
Mobile & Ohilo
M. K. & T.
do pfd
N. J. Central
N. Y. Central
N. Y. Central
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Nor. & Weet
do pfd
Nor. Amer. Co.
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do pfd 38 | La Clede Gas | 1214 | Lend | 3434 | do pfd | 3434 | do pfd | 3434 | Nat. Lin. Oil | 13734 | Pacific Mail | 137 | Siver Certificates | 2014 | S. R. & Th. | 137 | do pfd | 137 | C. & Iron | 1714 | U. S. Leather | 2514 | do pfd | 175 | West. Union | 174 | West. Union | 175 | Amer. S. & W. | 131 | do pfd | 175 | do pfd | 175 | 175 | do pfd | 175 | do pfd | 175 | 175 | do pfd .... Ontario & W. Ore R. & Nav. pfd. 75
Pai fife Coast. 38
do 1st pfd 51
do 2d pfd 51

KANSAS CITY, July 11.—WHEAT—September, 6644c; December, 68c; cash, No. 2
6744668c; No. 3, 6444667c; No. 2 red, 70c; No. 3, 66669c; receipts 35 cars.

CORN—September 30%c; Desember, 29%c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 324463244c, No. 2 white, 326324c; No. 3, 3144632c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 28c.

HAY—Choice timothy, \$7.506775; choice prairie, \$6.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, 1444614c; dairy, 13c.
EGGS—Southern eggs are unsatisfactory, the loss on candling averaging two or three dozens to the case; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, firsts, 10c, cases returned.
RECEIPTS—Wheat, 21,000 bu.; corn, 72,300 bu.; cats, 2,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 57,000 bu.; corn, 14,300 bu.; oats, 2,000 bu.
Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

Haverpool Grain and Provisions. ferred, 39,100; Brooklyn Transit, 21,100; Burlington, 14,500; Federal Steel, 5,000; Louisville & Nashville, 6,200; Manhattan, 36,500; Northwestern, 3,200; Northern Pacific, 17,400; People's Gas, 3,300; Rock Island, 6,100; St. Paul, 31,400; Southern Railway preferred, 4,600; Union Pacific, 5,700; Union Pacific preferred, 3,000; American Tobacco, 6,500; Chesapeake & Ohlo, 11,500; Chicago Great Western, 4,000; Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis, 4,200; Consolidated Tobacco, 3,000; Missouri Pacific, 18,600; New York Central, 5,800; Ontario & Western, 4,000; Pennsylvania, 8,000; St. Louis & Southwestern preferred, 4,800; Southern Pacific, 4,000; Tennessee Coal and Iron, 4,900; Texas Pacific, 2,500; Wabash preferred, 7,300.

New York Money Market.

U. S. 28, reg101	M. K. & T. 2ds 6714
U. S. 3s. reg 10846	M. K. & T. 48 93
U. S. 38, coup 10914	N. Y. C. 18ts 113
U. S. new 4s. reg130	N. J. C. 55120
U. S. do coup 130	N. C. 68
U. S. old 4s, reg112	N. C. 48 102
U. S. gocoup 1125	No. Pacific 1sts 113
U. S. as, reg 1125	No. Pacine 3s 107
U. S. 5s. coup 1125	No. Pacific 48 1034
District 3. 65s 119	N. Y. C. & St. L. 45 . 107
Ala. class A 108	N. & W. con. 48 11454
Ala., class B108	N. & W. gen 68 135
Ala., class C 98	Ore. N. 1sts
Ala., Currency 98	Ore. N. 45 10214
Atentson 481025	O. S. L. 6s t. r 132
Do. adj. 48 85	O. S. L. 5s t. r 113
Canada So. 2ds111	Reading 45 885
C. & O. 4148 974	R. G. W. 1sts 994
C. & O. 5s 119	St. L. & I.M. con 5s 113%
C. & N. W. con 78 145%	St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6. 124
do S. F. deb. 5a.1225	St. P. Consols169
Chi. Terms., 48 90%	St. P. C. & P. 1ata., 12114
*D. & R. G. 1sts106	St. P. C. & P. 58 121
D. &. R. G. 48 100	So. Ry. 5a1094
East Tenn. 1sts105%	S R. & T. 68 855
Erie Gen. 4s 7214	Tenu. new set 3s 974
F. W.& D. 1sts. t.r 80%	T. P. 18ts115
*Gen. Elec. 58119	T. P. 2ds 55%
G. H. & S. A. 68107	U. P. 48 1054
G. H. & S. A. 2ds113	Wab. 18th 1163
H. & T. Cent. 5s1105	Wab. 2ds1025
H. & T. C. con. 6s 112	W. Shore 48 1145
Iowa C. 1sts113	Wis. Cent. 1sts 76%
K. C. P. & G. 1sts 59	Va. Centuries 85
La. New Con. 48107	Va. deferred 81
	Colorado South'n 4a. Sil
*Offered.	

Boston Stock Quotations. BOSTON, July 11.—Call loans, 3@41/4 per cent: time loans, 3@41/4 per cent. Closing

prices for stocks, shares:	bonds and minin
A. T. & S. F. 19% do p2d 6 p2d 6 p2d 6 p2d 6 p2d 6 p2d 117% bell Tel. 515 Boston & Albany 257 Boston & Maine 192 C. B. & Q. 136 bd. 117 bell Tel. 200 Fitchburg p2d 117 gen. Electric 118% Federal Steel 50 do p7d 51 Mex. Central 14% Mich. Telethore 95% Old Colony 203 Old Dominion 38 Rubber 52 Union Pacific 43%	do pfd

Chollar 25 Ontario
Crown Point 25 Ophir
Con. Cal. & Va. 250 Ophir
Deadwood 69 Guickeliver
Gould & Currie 25 do pfd.
Hale & Norcross 33 Serra Nevada
Homestake 500 Standari
Iron Silver 55 Union Con
Mexican 50 Tellow Jacket

Foreign Financial. BERLIN, July 11,—On the bourse today prices were weak on the deckine in gold mine shares and the apprehension in London in regard to dearer money. American securities dropped in response to the New York market.

FRANKFORT, July 11,—Prices opened gulet on the bourse today and later weak-

FRANKFORT, July 11.—Prices opened quiet on the bourse today and later weakened in view of the unsatisfactory money outlook and the gloomy political situation in the Transvaal. Local shares were offered and American securities reacted.

VIENNA, July 11.—A dull tone prevailed on the bourse today, transactions being affected by the unpromising state of the money market and by uncasiness in regard to affairs in the Transvaal,

PARIS, July 11.—A fresh reaction on the bourse today, owing to realizations, lasted

Bank Clearings. 25c discount, ST. LOUIS, July 11.—Clearings, \$4,986,458; balances, \$657,254. Money, 4@6 per cent. New York exchange, 15c presnlum bid, 25c pre-

York exchange, 15c premium bid, 25c premium asked.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Clearings, \$245,301,778; balances, \$13,307,602,
BOSTON, July 11.—Clearings, \$29,534,117; balances, \$2,050,653,
BALTIMORE, July 11.—Clearings, \$4,377,287; balances, \$390,628.

PHILADELPHIA, July 11.—Clearings, \$18,602,159; balances, \$3,260,109.

Wool Market.

LONDON, July 11.—There was a good attendance of buyers at today's wool auction sales. Scoured merinos were in small supply, but were strong in demand at hardening rates. Fine cross-breeds were eagerly taken. Low grades, in large supply, dragged and were frequently withdrawn. One thousand bales of Grelong New South Wales wool from America were offered, but half withdrawn, owing to insufficient bids. The number of bales offered aggregated 12.382. The following is the sale in detail: New South Wales, 2,100 bales; scoured, 18 3½d and 18 6½d; greasy, 5d and 18 2d. Queensland, 700 bales; scoured, 18 4d and 18 10½d; greasy, 9½d and 18 ½d. Victoria, 2,500 bales; scoured, 7½d and 28 ½d; greasy, 5d and 18 3d. South Australia, 200 bales; greasy, 10½d and 18 . Tasmania, 2,200 bales; greasy, 10½d and 18 . Tasmania, 2,200 bales; greasy, 10½d and 18 . Tasmania, 2,200 bales; greasy, 7d and 18 3½d. New Zealand, 4,600 bales; scoured, 5¼d and 18 6½d; greasy, 5d and 18. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 24 bales; scoured, 18 6d and 18 7d.

ST. LOUIS, July 11.—WOOL—Unchanged. BOSTON, July 11.—WOOL—The wool market this week continues strong and values are fairly maintained. The demand is fairly Wool Market.

ls 3½d and 1s 3½d; greasy, 5d and 1s 2d. Queensland, 700 bales; scoured, 1s 4d and 1s 10½d; greasy, 5½d and 1s ½d. Victoria, 2,500 bales; scoured, 7½d and 2s ½d; greasy, 5d and 1s 3d. South Australia, 200 bales; greasy, 10½d and 1s 74d. New Zealand, 4,600 bales; scoured, 1s 4d and 1s 3½d. New Zealand, 4,600 bales; scoured, 1s 4d and 1s 6½d; greasy, 5d and 1s 3½d. New Zealand, 4,600 bales; scoured, 1s 4d and 1s 7d.

ST. LOUIS, July 11.—WOOL—The wool market this week continues strong and values are fairly maintained. The demand is fairly good, but represents speculative purchases by dealers as well as buying for manufacturers. The bulk of the business doing is yet in territory grades, including California, Texas and Oregon. The total sales of these wools for the week amounted to about 3,500,000 pounds, and the price obtained is better for the good wools. For good lots containing a fair amount of staple the market is quotable on the basis scoured at the advance.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, July 11.—COTTON—Quiet and sleady; sales, 2,850; ordinary, 3½c; good ordinary, 4c; low middling, 51; 15; 16; good middling, 55; c. Sales, none; receipts, 65; shipments, 32; stock, 74,015.

NEW YORK, July 11.—COTTON—The cotton market opened barely steady at a decline of 163 points, and generally irregular market. Prices preacted at a loss of 126714 points as compared with closing prices. The decline was arrested by covering. In the early afternoon the feeling was very unsettled on account of bearish crop advees, notably the weekly government report, which made its appearance at 1 o'clock, in-140; on account of bearish crop advees, notably the weekly government report, which made its appearance at 1 o'clock, in-140; on account of bearish crop advees, notably the weekly government report, which made its appearance at 1 o'clock, in-140; on account of bearish crop advees, notably the weekly government report, which made its appearance at 1 o'clock, in-140; on account of bearish crop advees, notably the weekly government report, whic

notably the weekly government report, which made its appearance at 1 o'clock, indicating that the crop had made very good progress in the south. Cotton futures, steady; July, \$5.5895.59; August, \$5.4165.42; September, \$5.3565.38; October, \$5.3665.37; November, \$3.3865.39; December, \$5.4365.44; January, \$5.4665.47; February, \$5.4965.50; March, \$5.5365.54.

LIVERPOOL, July 11.—COTTON—Spot, for demand, prices steady; American mid-LIVERPOOL, July 11.—COTTON—Spot, fair demand, prices steady; American middiling, 3 11-32d. The sales of the day were 101,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 8,900 American. Receipts, 6,000 bales, including 5,700 American. Futures opened quiet but steady, with a poor demand and closed quiet.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, July 11.—COFFEE—Options opened steady and unchanged to 5 points lower, ruled moderately active, with weak understone, following unsatisfactory European cables and full receipts at Rio and Santos; closed quiet and unchanged to 10 points lower; sales, 17,000 bags, including August, \$4.65; September, \$4.75; October, \$4.80; November, \$4.85; December, \$5.20; January, \$5.20, Spot, Rio, dull and nominal; No, 7 invoice, 6c; No, 7 jobbing, 64.5c. Mild quiet; Cordova, \$613c. quiet; Cordova, 8@13c.

Oil Market,
TOLEDO, O., July 11.—OILS—North Lima,
S8c; South Lima and Indiana, 83c.
LIVERPOOL, July 11.—OILS—Cottonseed,
Hull refined, July-August, dull at 15s 6d. Turpentine spirits, firm at 33s.

NEW YORK, July 11—OILS—Cottonseed, firm. Petroleum, stiady; refined New York, 27.50; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 77.45; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, 34.95. Rosin, steady. Turpentine, firmer at 44½@45c. SAVANNAH, July 11.—OILS—Spirits tur-pentine, 40c. Rosin, firm and unchanged. WILMINGTON, N. C., July 11.—OILS— Spirits turpentine, firm at 40440½c. Rosin, firm and unchanged. Crude turpentine,

firm and unchanged. Tar, firm at \$1.36. New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, July 11.—New prices made by the American Woolen company today on light weight worsteds for men's wear for spring show advances from 2½c to 7½c; clay worsteds were quoted on the basis of \$1.22½ for 16-ounce; demand good; no material change in staple cottons; demand quiet on both home and export account; prices are without alteration; bleached cottons dul; coarse colored cottons inactive.

California Dried Fraits.

NEW YORK, July 11.—CALIFORNIA
DRIED FRUITS—Steady: evaporated apples, common. 6147c; prime wire tray, 8462
845c; choice, 814384c; fancy, 9494c, Prunes,
314384c. Apricots, Royal, 14c; Moor Park,
14318c. Peaches, unpeeled, 19311c.

Manchester Textile Fabrics.

MANCHESTER, July 11.—Cloths and yarns firm, with a fair demand. Texans Need Seed Corn.

HOUSTON, Tex., July 11 .- (Special Telegram.)-The relief committee for the flood district of south Texas requests contributions of early maturing seed corn in order that the thousands of small planters whose all has been swept away by the recent overflow may be able to make some sort of crop to tide them over. These people are utterly destitute and the corn of this country matures so late it would be useless to plant it. The corn of Kansas and Nebraska would give them a crop and save them from want to some extent. S. Taliaffero, chairman, Houston, Tex., will receive such consign-

Forfeited Heavy Bail Bond. CHICAGO, July 11.-When the cases of Dan Coughlin and his bartender, William Armstrong, recently indicted for jury bribing, were called today neither man appeared. Their bonds, amounting to \$20,000, were

Stendy, but the Hogs Jump Up Fully Half a Dime. Two days this week..... 4,539 16,088 5,354

Average price pale for nogs for the last several days with comparisons: VIENNA. July 11.—A dull tone prevailed on the bourse today, transactions being affected by the unpromising state of the money market and by uneasiness in regard to affairs in the Transvaal.

PARIS, July 11.—A fresh reaction on the bourse today, owing to realizations, lasted almost through the day. But at the close prices were slightly firmer, supported by London advices. Spanish 4s were agitated and closed steadler. Kaffirs were weak, owing to fears of further Angio-Transwall complications and 4n expectation of further declarations upon the part of the British secretary of state for the colonies. Three per cent rentes, 101f, 10c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 2½c for checks, Spanish 4s closed at 59.95.

BERLIN, July 11.—Exchange on London, 25 marks 45½ pfgs. for checks.

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The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: Cattle, Hogs, Sh'p, H'r's, C., M. & St. P. Ry ... .. & N. W. Ry ...... 2 E. & M. V. R. R. 28 181

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

97 498

453 2,031 545

454 2,127 973

420 3,989 579

550 3,512 227 97 453 454 420 550 395 72 52 W. I. Stephen..... Hill & Huntzinger. Hill & Huntzinger...... Hamilton & Rothschild... McVicker & Co..... 226 125 Other buyers ........... 88 Held over .....

1..1060 4 75 1. 270 4 75 1. 100 6 50 1. 140 9. 118 5 00 1. 200 6 75 1. 130 STOCKERS AND FEEDERS. 2. 505 3 85 28. 821 4 40 4. 832 4 40 5. 628 4 35 8. 769 4 40 1. 484 4 40 5. 628 4 35 8. 769 4 40 1. 484 4 40

HOGS—Conditions were all favorable to
the sellers this morning, the demand being
large and the advices from other market
points encouraging. The result was that the
market at this point opened 5c higher and
fairly active at the advance, so that the
most of the hogs changed hands 'arly in
the morning. In some cases hogs sold 7½c
higher, and perhaps the situation could be
best expressed by calling the general market a big 5c higher. The hogs sold largely
at \$3.95, with a sprinkling at \$3.97½ and some
good light at \$4. It will be noted that some
heavy hogs brought \$3.97½, but they were
very choice, or what are termed fat-backs
on the market.
One week ago today was a holiday, but

on the market.

One week ago today was a holiday, but the hogs sold today lie higher than on Monday and Wednesday of last week and 30c higher than two weeks ago. The average price paid for hogs today was the highest of any day since June 10 of last year. Representative sales:

No. Av. Sh. Pr. No. Av. Sh. Pr. 48. 373 ... \$3 \$24/2 61 ... 257 160 3 25

 
 745 western mixed
 147

 4 ewes
 147

 695 Wyoming wethers
 110

 251 Wyoming wethers
 77

 13 ewes and wethers
 164

 83 native lambs
 83

 14 spring lambs
 53

 3 spring lambs
 53
 Chicago Live Stock.

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CHICAGO, July 11.—CATTLE—There was a fairly active demand for cattle today at steady prices; good to fancy cattle brought \$5.30\(\pi\). Commoner grades, \$4.65\(\pi\). 25; stock, \$5.00\(\pi\). 25; stockers and feeders, \$3.50\(\pi\). (05.00; bulls, cows and heifers, \$2.25\(\pi\). 15; Texas steers, \$4.25\(\pi\). 5.30; calves, \$4.00\(\pi\). 7.00.

HOGS—There was a big demand for hogs and prices advanced 5\(\pi\). 100; the average quality was poor; light hogs sold at \$4.00\(\pi\). 15; mixed lots, \$4.00\(\pi\). 17\(\pi\). heavy, \$3.95\(\pi\). \$4.15; culls and rough lots, \$2.50\(\pi\). 3.85.

SHEEP—Prices for sheep ruled about \$3.60@3.85.
SHEEP-Prices for sheep ruled about steady today; spring lambs were salable at \$4.00@4.25 for culls, up to \$5.50@6.95 for the better class; sheep went at \$2.75@4.25 for ewes up to \$5.25 for fat sheep; yearlings brought \$5.40@6.25.
RECEIPTS-Cattle, 3.500 head; hogs, 20,000 head; sheep, 7,000 head.

New York Live Stock. NEW YORK, July 11.—BEEVES-Receipts, 1,173 head; no trading; feeling steady; exports, 700 cattle and 3,680 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 450 cattle and 4,340 quar-

ers. CALVES-Receipts, 501 head; no trading of importance; feeling steady. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 7,475 head; sheep steady; good lambs steady to firm; all grades closed full and strong, as at the opening; sheep, common to good, \$3.00@4.75; culls, \$2.75; lambs, \$5.00@7.35; culls, \$4.00. culls, 34.00. HOGS-Receipts, 2,591 head; feeling

St. Joseph Live Stock.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, July 11.—(Special.)

—The Journal quotes:
CATTLE—Receipts, 1,100 head; market active and steady to 10c higher; natives, \$4.65.50; Texas and westerns, \$4.40@5.25; cows and heifers, \$2.00@5.00; bulls and stags, \$2.25 @4.75; yearlings and calves, \$4.00@5.10; stockers and feeders, \$3.40@4.75; veals, \$5.25@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,400 head; market big and 5c higher; heavy and medium, \$3.95@4.10; light, \$3.90@4.00; pigs, \$3.60@3.75; bulk of sales, \$3.95@4.05.

SHEEP — Receipts, 100 head; market strong.

ST LOUIS, July 11.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2.500, including 1,000 Texans; market steady 2.500, including 1,000 Texans; market steady to strong; native shipping and export steers, \$4.75\( \pi\_5\).75; light and dressed beef and butcher steers, \$3.70\( \pi\_5\).50; stockers and feeders, \$13.20\( \pi\_5\).60; cows and heifers, \$2.25\( \pi\_5\).00; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.50\( \pi\_5\).00; cows and heifers, \$2.50\( \pi\_5\).00; was and heifers, \$2.50\( \pi\_5\).00; market 5c higher; pigs and lights, \$3.95\( \pi\_4\).05; packers, \$3.95\( \pi\_4\).05; butchers, \$4.00\( \pi\_4\).12\( \pi\_5\).

SHEEP-Receipts, 2.000; market strong; native muttons, \$4.00\( \pi\_4\).00; lambs, \$4.50\( \pi\_6\).50.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, July 11.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,500 natives, 1.206 Texans: market steady; native steers, \$4.00@5.60; Texas steers, \$3.00@5.00, Texas cows, \$2.55@3.40; native cows and heifers, \$2.65@3.40; stockers and feeders, \$3.15@4.90; buns, \$3.10@4.90.

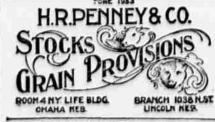
HOGS—Receipts, 13,000; market 5@10c higher, active; bulk of sales, \$3.30@4.05; heavy, \$3.35@4.06; light, \$3.85@4.00; Yorkers, \$3.35@4.00; pigs, \$3.75@3.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; market steady; lambs, \$4.00@6.25; muttons, \$3.65@4.30. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

principal western markets for July 11: Cattle. Hogs. Sheen 12,111 1,574 15,574

KANSAS CITY, July 11 .- A special to the Star from Lebo, Kan., says: Late yester-day a man giving his name as J. H. Mc-Clain came to N. S. Fewqua's, twelve miles northwest of here, and at the point of a revolver took possession of their little 5year-old adopted daughter Violet, placed her in a road wagon and drove off. The sheriffs of this and Lyon county are on his trail, following him east. A reward has been

Sherman's Condition Improves. MANSFIELD, O., July 11.-Hon. Sherman's condition is improved. He takes a ride daily. Since the illness of three weeks ago he has rapidly improved.



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