COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Starts Wildly Excited Over Grave Crop Reports.

CORN RATHER SLUGGISH EARLY IN DAY

Provisions Are Henvy, But No Attempt Made by Controlling Interests to Induly Stimulate the Market-Onts Helped by Wheat.

CHICAGO, June 18.-Wheat was sensationally strong and excited today, closing 3%c over Saturday, Corn closed 15%%c and oats 46%c up. The provisions market at the close was barely steady and but little changed.

Startling reports of the extreme gravity of the crop situation in the wheat grow-ing states of North and South Dakota and Minnesota made a wildly excited opening in wheat. The demand for wheat, es-pecially from the northwest, was far and tway the largest of any day this year. Brokers had their pockets stuffed with buying orders from all quarters. Longs took out moderate fortunes in profits, but their sales were absorbed almost as sand their sales were absorbed almost as sand sucks in water and the market continued the advance begun with the ringing of the gong at 5:30 a. m. July opened 4:20 % higher at 75% to 75% and almost without a check went booming up to 75%, isc under the high mark last year. The top was reached half an hour before the close was reached half an hour before the close and such dips as occurred on the advance were comparatively trivial. From the pinnacle of its strength July reacted to 784c and closed 386c over Saturday at 784g 783gc. The great mass of reports may be briefly summarized as follows: Saturday and Sunday were the worst days of the season for the spring wheat crop in the morthwest; many sections northwest will not raise enough wheat for seed; 20,000,000 hu is an outside possibility for the North Dakota crop, which last year approximated 80,000,000 hu. North Dakota should be cannot raise over 100,000,000 bu., a decrease from last year of 120,000,000 bu., a decrease from last year of 120,000,000 bu. The entire yield, winter and spring wheat, notwithstanding the "bumper" erop of Kansas, will not be over 500,000,000 bu., according to the estimate of Statistician Snow. In comparison with the spring wheat advices, the winter wheat complaints received little attention, although they were vices, the winter wheat complaints for ceived little attention, although they were serious enough in themselves to start things moving. Illinois, Indiana and Missouri reported damages from excessive rains and Russia was said to be suffering from drouth in the south. The market was several cents out of line in respect to cash business and in many instances cash wheat was sold to advantage. Seabourd clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 778,000 bu. Primary receipts aggregated \$86,000 bu. compared with 1,022, bu. last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 642 cars, against 776 last week and \$46 a year ago. Local receipts were ill cars, a of contract grade. New York reported 5 loads taken for export.

Corn, in spite of the wheat flurry, was rather sluggish early. Finally, however, the market grasped the coat talls of the ascending wheat values and scored a substantial advance. July sold between \$15,57 dec. closing \$4,55 c up at \$55,5740c. Crop reports were favorable and the opening was a shade reduced from Saturday's close. Later shorts covered on the theory that a 4c advance in wheat called for some upward action in corn by sheer force of example. Receipts here were \$49 cars. Local shipments, including Sundays, were 1,427,500 bu.

Oats piped up in a thin, small voice at wheat and said "Me too," and the big eived little attention, although they were

AUK.	7636	80%	76	1979	1038/0.10
June July Aug.	3914 (01/2 3914 (01/2 39%	40% 40% 40%	3914 3914 3954	39% 0740 39% 0740 40%	39% 39% 39%
June July July Aug.	22% 925 22% 925 22%	23% 23% 23%	22% 22% 22% 22%	23% 23% 23	22% 22% 22% 22%
Park- July Sept.	11 60 11 75	11 65 11 80	11 471/2 11 671/2	11 50 11 70	11 60 11 6752
Lard— July Sept. Oct.	6 70 6 80 6 82%	6 72% 6 85 6 86	6 6714 6 7714 6 80	6 67% 6 80 6 80	6 70 6 77%
Ribs- July Sept.	6 75 6 80	6 7714 6 85	6 72½ 6 80	6 72% 6 80	6 70 6 75

Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Strong and quiet; winter pat-ents, \$3.7563.90; straights, \$3.0063.60; clears, \$2.9066.50; spring specials, \$4.0064.15; pat-ents, \$3.3063.75; straights, \$3.0063.25; bakers, \$2.3062.50. WHEAT-No. 3, 736744c; No. 2 red, 80 GS1c. CORN-No. 2, 40@40%c; No. 2 yellow, 40% @4014c. OATS-No. 2, 2314@2334c; No. 2 white, 2614 @27c; No. 3 white, 2514@2614c. RYE-No. 2, 57c. BARLEY-Good feeding, 37@38c; fair to

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SEEDS-No. 1 flax, \$1.80; No. 1 northwestern, \$1.80; prime timothy, \$2.50; clover, contract grade, \$7.75@8.00.

PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$10.40 @11.55. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$6.57½@6.70. Short ribs sides (toose), \$6.0926.90. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$6.5096.75. Short clear sides (boxed), \$7.2097.30.

WS-18KY-Basis of high wines, \$1.23.

SUGAR-Cut loaf, \$6.38; granulated, \$5.82; confectioners' A, \$5.78; off A, \$5.63.

Following are the receipts and shipments

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Rye, bu 299,000 303,000

Barley, bu 2,000 303,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm. Creameries, 14@18½c; dairies, 13@16½c. Cheese, steady, 8½99½c. Eggs, slow; fresh, 10c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations for the Day on Various

Commodities.
NEW YORK, June 18.—FLOUR—Receipts. 21,132 bbls.; exports, 22,568 bbls.; strong and he to 15c higher on the big upturn in wheat winter patents, \$3.80@4.10; winter straights, winter patents, \$1.3029.10; winter straights, \$1.6593.75; Minnesota patents, \$4.9024.25; winter extras, \$2.3593.10; Minnesota bakers, \$2.9093.20; winter low grades, \$2.5592.66, Rye flour, quiet; choice to fancy, \$1.263.60; CORNMEAL—Firm; yellow western, 56c; city, 85c; Brandywine, \$2.092.45.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 63c, f. o. b., afloat; state, 55c, c. i. f., New York carlots, BARLEY—Firm; feeding, 445,950c, c. i. f., New York, New York.

BARLEY-Firm: feeding, 40-2050c, c. i. f., New York.
BARLEY MALT-Dull: western, 55405c.
WHEAT-Recelpts, 152,425 bu.; exports, 27,638 bu.; spot, strong; No. 2 red, 80-2c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 red, 86c, elevator; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 85%c f. o. b. afloat, prompt; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 8c f. o. b. afloat, prompt; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 8c f. o. b. afloat, prompt. Options were exceedingly strong, with an active and at times excited speculative trade, including heavy northwest and general outside buying, foreign trade on both sides and feverish local covering. As heretofore, crop news impelled the west and general outside buying, foreign trade on both sides and feverish local covering. As heretofore, crop news impelled the advance, the southwest today also furnishing bull advices to supplement spring wheat news. Closed irregular at 34,93% one advance; July, 798,083%, closed 83c; 18 September, 898,084%; closed 80%; coronal supplement spring wheat news. Closed irregular at 34,93% one advance; July, 798,083%, closed 80%; coronal supplement sup

1 30 tos., 14c. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 18.—FLOUR LEATHER—Quiet; hemlock sole, Buenos —Up 20c per bbl.; first patents, \$4.25; second

Avres, light to heavyweights, 23%6214c; acid, 23%624c. WOOI, Quiet; domestic fleece, 25628c; Texas, 156318c.

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acid. 215-224c.

WOOL-Quiet; domestic fleece. 25-62-25c;
Texas. Hollo.
COAL-Steady.
PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, \$10.50-512.00; mess. \$10.0003-50; beef hams. \$20.0002-21.00; mess. \$10.0003-50; beef hams. \$20.0002-21.00; mess. \$10.0003-50; beef hams. \$20.0002-21.00; mess. \$10.0003-11.00; city. extra India mess. \$15.0001-1.01. Cut meats. steady; pickled beliles. \$10.0001-1.00; city. extra India mess. \$15.0001-1.01. Cut meats. \$1.0000-21.00; extra India mess. \$10.0001-1.01. Ext

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce. Staple and Fancy Produce.
EGGS-Receipts, liberal; good stock, 9½c.
LIVE POULTRY-Hens, 9½67c; roosters,
according to age and size, 364c; brotlers,
18529c; ducks, 5½56c; geese, 5c; turkeys, 8c,
FRESH DRESSED POULTRY-Hens, 86;
1½c; roosters, 667c; ducks and geese, 96;
10c; brotlers, 1½ to 2 lbs., per doz., 13,0964,50;
turkeys, 1312.

EUTTER-Common to fair, 13c; choice, Ibwise; separator, 20c; gathered creamery, 15g/3c.
FISH—Trout. Sc; blue fish. 12c; pickerel. Sc; catfish. 12c; dressed buffalo, 6c; roe shad, each. 86c; whitefish, 10c; herring, 5c; black bass, 16c; saimon. 13c; white bass, 10c; cropple. 19c; pike. 9c; hallbut. 12c; hullheads, 10c; ring perch. 8c; lobsters, green. 22c; boiled lobsters. 25c; mackerel. 20c; codfish. 19c; yellow perch. 8c.
PIGEONS—Live. per doz., 50c@\$1.00.
VEALS—Choice. 16g10c.
HAY—Per carload lots: Upland, choice, \$5.50; rye straw, choice, \$5.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50; rye straw, choice, \$6.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50; py straw, choice, \$6.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50; py straw, choice, \$6.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50; py straw, choice, \$6.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50; py straw, choice, \$6.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50; lowland, choice, \$5.50 2016c; separator, 20c; gathered creamery,

VEGETABLES.

CUCUMBERS-Per doz., 50c. ASPARAGUS-Home grown, per doz., 20 NEW TURNIPS—Per doz. bunches, 25c. SPINACH—Per box, 400750c. NEW BEETS—Per doz. bunches, 30025c. LETTUCE—Per dozen bunches, 20025c. RADISHES—Home grown, per doz., 150

PEAS—Per 14-bu, basket, 40c, WAX BEANS—Per 1-3 bu, box, 50@60c, POTATOES—Per bu, choice, 25@40c, NEW POTATOES—Per bu, 60c, CABBAGE—Home-grown, per lb., 214c, CAULIFLOWER—Per doz., \$1.

TOMATOES—Mississippl, per four-basket crate, \$1,2504.50.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions. LIVERPOOL, June 18.—WHEAT—Spot. firm; No. 1 red northern, spring, 6s; No. 1 California, 6s 2d@6s 3d. Futures were strong; July, 6s %d; September, 6s %d; December, nominal.

cember, nominal.
CORN—Spot. firm; American mixed, new, 3s 104d; American mixed, old, 4s 3d. Futures were firm; July, 3s 1id; September, 4s. FLOUR—St. Louis fancy winter, steady at PROVISIONS—Hams, short cut, dull at 41s; shoulders, square, dull at 41s; shoulders, square, dull at 33s Lard, prime western in tierces, steady at 34s 3d; American refined in pails, dull at 33s 3d.

Statement of Visible Supply.

NEW YORK, June 18.—The statement of the visible supply of grain in store and afloat on Saturday, June 16, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 41,75,000 bu; decrease, 232, 600 bu. Corn. Il,230,000 bu; increase 2,000 bu. Oats, 5,891,000 bu; decrease, 183,000 bu. Barley, 1000 bu; increase, 24,000 bu. Barley, 110,000 bu; increase, 9,000

Toledo Market. TOLEDO, O., June 18.-WHEAT-Active, righer; spot. \$24c; July, \$24c; August, \$3c; TOLEDO, O., June 18.—WHEAT—Active, higher; spot. \$214c; July, \$234c; August, \$3c; September, \$314c. CORN—Dull, higher at 4114c. OATS—Dull, unchanged; No. 2 cash, 24c. RYE—Dull, unchanged; No. 2 cash, 59c. CLQVERSEED—Dull, higher; '98, prime, \$5.06; '99, prime, \$5.50; October, \$5.9212; No. 2, \$4.7564.85.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions. St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. Louis, June 18.—WHEAT—Higher;
No. 2 red cash, 75c; track, 77@78c; June,
754c; July, 784c; August, 784c; September,
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195d; July, 384c; September, 32c; No. 2
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Sanov straights, \$3.35673.50; clear straights, \$3.00072.15.

CORNMEAL—Steady, \$2.06672.10.
BRAN—Dull; sacked east track, 68c.
HAY—Timothy, steady, \$5.506712.00; prairie easy, \$7.75.
WHISKY—Steady, \$1.23.
HRON COTTONTIES—\$1.35.
BAGGING—7556758.c.
HEMP TWINE—9c.
PROVISIONS—Pork: strong: jobbing, \$1.15. Lard: Lower: prime steam, \$5.525; choice, \$6.575. Dry salt meats: Steady; extra shorts, \$7.125; clear ribs, \$7.25; clear sides, \$7.374.
Bacon (boxed), steady; extra shorts, \$7.425; clear ribs, \$7.75; clear sides, \$7.374.
METALS—Lend: Duil at \$3.70. Spelter: Duil at \$4.09.
POULTEY—Steady chickens, 70 springs
*Offered, **Asse: *Offered, **A Dull at \$4.00 POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 7c; springs, 12\squartic; turkeys, 5c; ducks, 6c; springs, 9c; geese, 5c; springs, 707\square, EGGS—Steady at 9c. RUTTER—Steady; creamery, 16\alpha 18\square, 24\alpha 18\square, 25\alpha 18\square, 25\alph

dairy, 146:18c, RECEIPTS-Flour, 3.000; wheat, 27.000; orn, 180,000; cats, 40,000; SHIPMENTS-Flour 8,000; wheat, 12,000; orn, 49,000; cats, 15,000.

Kausas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, June 18.—WHEAT—July, 944c; September, 714c; cash, No. 2 hard, 8070c; No. 3, 6644669c; No. 2 red, 71c; No. 3, 16684

49688. CORN-July, 374-9374.c. September, 374.c. eash No. 2 mixed, 38c; No. 2 white, 384.9 Ser. No. 3 style. OATS-No. 2 white, 25c. RYE-No. 2, 54c. HAY-Choice timothy, \$19.99910.56; choice prairie, \$3.5097.99. rairie \$1.5097.00 BUTTER—Creamery, 159174c; dairy, Fig. 4. He. ECGS—Weak: fresh Missouri and Kansas stock 54c dozen: seconds, 5c, loss off, cases returned: southern, 6c; new white wood, cases included, 1cc more.

RECGIPTS—Wheat, 106,200; corn, 56,700;

oats, 16,000 hu. SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 25,200; corn, 13,000; Milwankee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE Wis. June 18.—WHEAT— Higher: No. 1 porthern, 784-9678c: No. 2 northern, 744-9784c. RYE—Higher: No. 1, 584-968c. BARLEY—Strong: No. 2, 444c; sample, 40

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

Large Amount of Liquidation at Slight
Expense of Values.

NEW YORK, June 18.—The stock market
digested a large volume of fluidation today at what seems slight expense of values,
considering the appearance of extreme
weakness manifested by the market at
times. This result was due to the fact that
prices were lifted in the dealings to a level
somewhat above Saturday's close and that
there was a substantial rally in the late
dealings on covering by the professional
bears, who had taken advantage of the
softness of the market to put out extensive
short lines. But the innerent weakness of
the market was none the less evident. The
buying demand throughout the day came
largely from the short interest and from
inside interests with the purpose of supporting prices in their own stocks, Preparations for this had been made on an elaborate scale in expectation of acute depression on foreign exchanges as a result of
Saturday's developments in the Chinese
compilications, but the weakness in foreign
markets was not as extreme as had been
feared, partly owing to the fact that the
first alarming rumors of the destruction of
the foreign legations in Pekin and the death
of the German minister were somewhat discredited this morning in speculative circles. Large Amount of Liquidation at Slight first alarming rumors of the destruction of the foreign legations in Pekin and the death of the Gorman minister were somewhat discredited this morning in speculative circles. Prices of American stocks advanced in London before the opening here and London before the opening here and London bought stocks of some companies here at the opening while seiling others. This attitude of London gave color to recent reports that some of the principle bear operators of the New York exchange, now abroad, have been operating on the short side of the market. The character of the buying was sufficiently manifest from the duliness into which the market quickly sank when it rose to above Saturday's closing level. The bear traders were a tive during the day, seeking to uncover atop loss orders, and they had considerable success all through the railroad list in which the extreme declines at one time averaged from 1 to 1½ points for the active stocks. Minneapolis and St. Louis fell abruptly 9 points, with a final raily of 2½. Canada Southern, Chicago Great Western, preferred and debentures and Chicago Terminal preferred. Hocking Valley preferred and Lacks were decidedly irregular. National Steel declining 2½ and pressed Steel Car. American Hocz, Tennessee Coal and Republic Steel preferred about 2 points each. On the other hand Federal Steel, Steel and Wire and Colorado Fuel were firm. The sincal tone of the market was steady and the majority of net changes were small. The announcement of \$2,500,000 gold exports to Germany rather sluggish early. Finally, however, the market grasped the cost tails of the ascending wheat values and scored a guide stantial advance. July 2007-06. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial advance. July 2007-06. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial advance. July 2007-06. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial advance. July 2007-06. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial advance. July 2007-06. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial advance of the sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat values and scored as guide stantial values and scored as guide stantial values. The sacending wheat and scored in wheat and such "Me too" and the bits wheat and such "Me

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28 Colo Fuel & Iron.
29 Con Tobacco.....
209 do pfd.....
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M. K. & T.
do pfd.

J. Central. 128 do pfd.... National Steel. 1612 People's Gas..... 5512 Pressed S. Car.. 2714 do pfd.....

*Offered. **Assessment paid. ***Ex-div. New York Mining Stocks.

YORK, June 18.—The following closing quotations for mining are the closing que shares today: Chollar II butario
Crown Point 7
Con Cal. & Va. 145
Deadwood 45
Gould & Corrie 10
Hale & Norcross 21
Homestake 200
Iron Silver 58
Mexican 20 Vellow Jacket

London Stock Quotations. London Stock Quotations.
LONDON, June 18—4 p. m.—Closing:
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Canadian Pacific 943, Reading
St. Paul 1102 No Partic pfd.
Hilmois Central 1114 Grand Trunk
Louisville 564, Ansconda
Union Pacific pfd. 743, Rand Mines.
N. Y. Central 1214

BAR SILVER-Firm at 27 11-16d.
MONEY-1971s per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2% per cent; for three months' bills, 2 7-1662s per cent.

LONDON. June 18.—The market on American securities after a dull and singgish opening showed an improvement, but after fluctuating somewhat prices cased off and closed weak. Business was limited to professional trading. Spanish 4s closed at 7%, Gold to the amount of £105,000 was taken into the Bank of England today; included in this amount was £5,000 repurchased from the India currency department. The with-

patents, H.15; first clears, \$3.00; second clears R.50.

WHEAT—In store, No. 1 northern, June, 7840; September, 7740; on tirack, No. 1 hard, 7850; No. 2 northern, 7540;

Philadelphia Produce Market, Philadelphia Produce Market, Philadelphia, June 18.—BUTTER—firm and 18 higher; fancy western creamery, 1940; prints, 290.

EGGS-Firm iresh near-by and western, 1850.

UHEESE—Firm and higher; New York full creams, fair to good, 3294c.

Duluth Wheat Market.

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Duluth, Minn, June 18.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard cash, 8050; July, 8560; September, 8150; No. 2 northern, 7650; No. 3 spring, 290.

CORN—29140; OATS—29140; OC STOCKS AND BONDS.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

Acknowledged out the bank today amounted to 211,000.

WHEAT—In store, No. 1 northern, June, 2000; Section on the bourse today opened dull and subsequently the decline. Tower purchases of transport shares intensined the decline. Tower purchases of transport shares during apparently been sent as statement of the news from the bourse mine shares declined. The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes: Cash in hand increased 20,102,000 marks; other securities, were:

COATS—29140720.

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*When issued. **Offered. ST LOUIS Mo. June 18.—Clearings, \$5,-213,520; balances, \$731,663. Money, 4267 per cent: New York exchange, 10c discount,

Dar asked.
CHICAGO, June 18.—Clearings, 122,646,663;
balances, \$1,180,835; posted exchange, \$4,851;
64,881; New York exchange, 30c premium.
BALTIMORE, June 18.—Clearings, \$2,936,994; balances, \$303,403.
PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—Clearings, \$13,067,70; balances, \$2,481,246.
NEW YORK, June 18.—Clearings, \$9,513.778; balances, \$1,568,981.
BOSTON, June 18.—Exchange, \$16,284,806; balances, \$1,567,952. Stock exchange closed today.

Condition of the Treasury. WASHINGTON June 18.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$149,711,771; gold, \$70,497,700.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Shorts came in for severe punishment on the cotton ex-change today, but the buil faction was in no humor to follow up their advantage, owno humor to follow up their advantage, ewing to presence of weak cables from Liverpool and bearish political news from the far east. A decline of 40% points was noted in the English market at the time of our opening and a good number of foreign selling orders were known to exist. It was very evident that the English market had been depressed by the sensational Chinese reports and that the trade abroad considered the crop as a minor factor for nese reports and that the trade abroad considered the crop as a minor factor for the time being. The local trade, however, while slightly influenced by the break at Liverpoot and at the political news, subsequently became decidedly bullish on reports that high temperature was causing great damage to the plant in Texas, that continued rain fall in the central belt was placing the crop seriously in the grass continued rain fall in the central belt was placing the crop seriously in the grass and weeds, while Atlantic states the crop was doing poorly in many districts. A forecast for showers in moderate quantities today and tomorrow, where dry weather was needed and for clear conditions where moisture was essential, served to intensify the builtish undercurrent of sontiment later in the day. Shorts were extremely nervous and covered spasmodically particularly in the day. Shorts were extremely nervous and covered spasmodically, particularly over sales of present crop options. The public was intimidated by the China war talk and the irregularity in Liverpool and commission trading. In the late session prices advanced to 2 level several points shown at Saturday's closing on previous coverings. The market closed steady, 305 points net higher. Futures closed steady; June, 88.62; July, 88.64; August, 83.65; September, \$7.89; October, \$7.69; November, \$7.57; December, \$7.50; January, \$7.57; February, \$7.59; March, \$7.61; April, \$7.63; May, \$7.65. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling unlands, 91-16c; middling gulf, 9 5-16c; sales, 5,563 bales.

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NEW ORLEANS, June 18.—COTTON—Quiet and steady; sales, 109; middling, 7 11-16c; good ordinary, 8 3-16c; low middling, 8 5-16c; middling, good middling, 94c, middling fair, 94c. Receipts, 797; stock, 29,534 bales. Futures, quiet and steady; June, 8,88 asked; July, 8,8969.00; August, 33,368.39; September, 37,747.72; October, 37,4467.42; November, 37,3267.33; December, 37,3467.32; January, 37,3267.33; February, 37,3467.36; March, 87,3767.38

ST. LOUIS, Mo. June 18.—COTTON—Quiet and unchanged; middling, 3%c. Sales, 122 bales; receipts, 234 bales; shipments, 767 bales; stock, 39,385 bales.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, June 18.—COFFEE—The market for coffee futures opened steady, 10 to 15 points lower, and ruled weak pretty much throughout the entire session under local selling for both accounts and the pressure from abroad founded on weak market cables, large Brazilian receipts, an easier ruling of the spot department and bearish statistics. Operations were mainly professional. The close was steady at a net deciline of 10 to 15 points. Total sales, 19,000 bags, including Juiv at \$7.25; September, \$7.2067.30; October, \$7.25; November, \$7.2567.70.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, June 18.—CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Inactive and nominal; state, common. 4½:56: prime, 5½:56: choice, 6½:56: fancy, 7½:58: California dried prunes, 3½:57: per lb., as to size and quality; apricots, Royal, 12½:57: where the like; peaches, peeled, 166:29c; unpeeled, 66:29c. The week started with business rather quiet in the market for evaporated apples. The undertone, however, was very steady on the light receipts and the disposition of sellers to hold off for higher rates. At the close prices were tending towards a higher level. California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, June 18.—DRY GOODS—The market shows no material change today in any department. Fancy prints are in moderate demand for fall, but other cotton goods generally slow and demand freely met at previous prices. Print cloths were inactive throughout. Woolen goods division was dull for both men's wear and dress fabrics. Prices were irregular.

011 Market. OIL CITY, Pa. June 18.—OIL—Credit balances, \$1.25; no bids for certificates; shipments, 201,091 bbls.; average, 94.625 bbls.; runs, 208,107 bbls.; average, 87,196 bbls.; Wool Market.
ST. LOUIS. Mo., June 18.—WOOL—Unchanged; medium grades, 15@25c; light, fine, 15@15c; heavy, fine, 11@15c; tub washed, 19 @21c.

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 18.—SUGAR— Strong; centrifugal, yellow, 41/405c; seconds, 3/644/c.

Save your coupons and belp some girl take a trip. At St. Helenn. Chicago News: The shade of Bonaparte

came up to where Cronje sat smoking. "General," began the great Napoleon, "of course you came to this island on an English ship?" "Quite right, general." responded Cronje

"And did you stand near the rail in bold relief?" "Yes, general." 'And yaur back was turned on the of-

"I think so, general." "Then the material for the magazine of future generations is assured."

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OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET today at the highest point touched so

• Indicates Sunday The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, H'r's, | 110% | Cattle H | Cattle H | 115 | C. M. & St. P. Ry. ... | Mo. Pac. Ry | Urion Pacific System. 11 | C. & N. W. Ry | Cattle H | C. & N. W. Ry | Cattle H | C. & N. W. Ry | Cattle H | Cat

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STOCK CALVES. STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS 1010 2 50 1 070 R 65 1005 3 00 4 512 4 25 STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

HOGS—The week starts out with the hog market in good shape for the sellers. The market this morning was active at an advance of 50700. The ceneral run of the mixed loads sold at \$5.025, as against \$4.95 cm Saturday, with a sprinkling of the better loads at \$5.055, which at the close of last week sold at \$4.974-95.00. The demand was good at current prices and it did not take buyers very long to clear pens, so that everything was sold and weighed up at an early hour.

At will be noted from the table of average crices at head of column that the market today was a shade higher than it was one week ago, the decline experienced during the middle of last week being more than made up. It will also be noted that as command up to the largest trunks manufactured it weighs the middle of last week being more than made up. It will also be noted that as command up to the largest trunks manufactured it weighs the middle of last week being more than made up. It will also be noted that as command up to the largest trunks manufactured it weighs a mode up. It will also be noted that as command up to the largest trunks manufactured it weighs and it the part of the trunk is covered with the new canvass which is almost as durable as leather, and inside it is a mode of leatness and strength in its fine line linings and fittings.

"All our inest leather for trunks comes from England," said the manufacturer of

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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. Cattle Open Weak and Close Stronger

HOGS-Receipts, 9,690; about 200 on sale feeling firm on Buffalo advices.

St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. Louis Mo., June 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,800, including 2,800 Texans. Market slow, weak to 10c lower for natives, steady to 10c lower for Texans. Native shipping and export steers, 14,5005.55; dressed beef and butcher, 24,5005.35; steers under 1,000 pounds, 34,1506.15; stockers and feeders, 33,5005.00; cows and heifers, \$2,3505.00; canners, \$1,5002.55; buils, \$2,7504.50; Texas and Indian steers, \$2,0004.90; cows and heifers. ners, \$1.50@2.85; bulls, \$2.75@4.50; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.00@4.90; cows and heifers, \$2.25@4.90. HOGS—Receipts, 2.500. Market steady to

HOGS-Receipts, 2,500. Market steady to 10c higher: pigs and lights, \$5.0925.10; packers, \$5.0925.15; butchers, \$5.1095.20.
SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 200. Market steady; native muttons, \$4.50975.00; westerns, \$5.50975.25; stockers, \$3.0092.40.

Kansas City Live Stock. Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY. Mo., June 18.—CATTLE
—Receipts, 2.350 natives and 3.000 Texans.
Dressed beef and butcher steers, steady;
plain grades slow, 15c lower; heavy native
steers. \$4.6075.30; stockers and feeders.
\$3.7564.85; butcher cows and helfers, \$3.1566
4.65; canners, \$2.5563.15; fed westerns, \$4.25
65.15; Texans, \$3.104.25;
HOGS—Receipts, 4.450, Market active, 10c
higher; heavy, \$6.0676.10; mixed, \$4.0676.071;
light \$4.874;25.00; pigs, \$4.5569.85;
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2.500.
Fair demand at steady prices; spring
lambs, \$6.7567.25; muttons, \$5.0695.50;
Texans, \$3.7564.56; feeders, \$3.0064.50; culls,
\$2.5063.00.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH Mo., June 18.—(Special.)—The Journal quotes:
CATTLE—Receipts, 2.200. Market steady to 10c lower; natives, 34.10 to \$5.30; Texas and westerns, 34.00 to \$5.25; cows and helfers, \$2.25 to \$4.55; bulls and stags, \$2.25 to \$4.75; yearlings and calves, \$4.00 to \$5.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.40 to \$4.75; yearlings and calves, \$4.00 to \$6.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.40 to \$4.75; yeals, \$5.00 to \$6.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 3.200. Market big, 10c higher; all grades, \$4.97½ to \$5.15; bulk of sales, \$5.02½ to \$5.07½.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4.000. Market steady to strong; Colorado lambs, \$7.26. St. Joseph Live Stock.

Stock in Sight. Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets for June 18:

Cattle, Hoes, Sheet.

South Omaha 1.975 2.472 5.698
Chicago 21.000 27.000 17.000
Kansas City 5.350 4.450 2.500
St. Louis 3.800 2.500 200 Totals 32.125 37.422 25.309 TRUNKS OLD AND NEW.

First Made in This Country-Improve-

First Made in This Country-Improvements by a Woman.

"Yes, I've been sixty-three years manufacturing trunks in New York City," said a veteran in the trade, to a New York Post reporter. "That's a long time, but I never realize it until I look at this article." and he gently bulled an olicloth covering off a small, dark box, which, when taken out into the light, revealed what was acknowledged at the time of its manufature to be the finest trunk made in New York City. It looked like a veritable antique, the shriveled little object emitting a musty odor, which for the moment carried one away to the New York of sixty-three years ago.

"I have kept it always here with me," its owner said, stroking it thoughtfully and almost fondly—"Just to watch the evolution of the trunk in my own factory."

The old fashioned trunk is covered with leather four times as thick as the article now commonly used to cover the wooden frame. It is strapped round and round with iron bands fastened with big, blackheaded nails, and inside the two trays, neatly papered, have bottoms of latticed tape. The trunk fits easily in one-half of the trunks of modern make surrounding it.

The little trunk stood beside the latest sent out by one of the leading factories in New York—the "bureau" trunk, so-called from its resemblance when onened to that piece of furniture. The trays are in the New York—the "bureau" trunk, so-called from its resemblance when opened to that piece of furniture. The trays are in the form of drawers of graduated depths, an unper one sufficiently deep for large hais. The top tray, however, which turns up against the lid in the ordinary way, has various small compartments, and the inside of the lid is similarly equipped on a narrower scale.

When this trunk first came out of the factory a year are a Chicago woman purtory a year ago a Chicago woman pur chased one and asked for permission t

trunks. 'Decause the American is in too great a hurry to make good leather. Quick chemical processes have taken the place of slow farming. As a consequence, America produces no such sole leather as England, where the old methods of tanning are still employed, in fact canvas, which is new especially manufactured for the purpose and painted and treated until it is as strong or stronger than the split leather used on trunks, is taking the place of the leather for reasons of economy and saving of weight. The ideal trunk tolay weighs from forty-cight to sixty pounds. It must be strong and it must be light. We have tried aluminum, but it becomes intented if not made so thick that it is too heavy and too expensive at its present morket price. The frame for an average trunk of this metal costs \$16.

NEEDLES, Cal. June 18—The federal quarantine inspector has been prevented from molecting passengers on Sunta Fo trains at the state line and his authority is ignored by the railroad officials. Orders have been issued to all conductors to take up the pass of the inspector, Mr. Jenkins, if presented and collect his fare. Jenkins has wired to Surgeon Kinyoun for instructions. The conductors have also been orthogonal to the conductors have also been orthogonal t tions. The conductors have also been or dered to give the inspector no information

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