Brown-Hiff C. Company— THE CONDITION OF TRADE. .11:6 R. M. Galbraith-1333 3 steers, tailings 1333 19 feeders 1189 Jack Creek Land & Cattle Company A Week of Very Fair Business for Omaha 5 steers tailings. Il feeders Y. T. C. Company Jobbers Generally. IT IS UNUSUALLY GOOD IN SOME LINES. Western Union Beef Company Lumber Experiences a Revival-Dry Goods Surpass Expectations-Groceries Generally Satisfactory-1135 Coriett & Revmer-The Provision Market. Another week has passed, during which Omaha jobbers have generally experienced a steers, tailings very fair trade, and in some lines an unususteers tallings. ally good trade for the season of the year. The lumber trade, which has been inclined to drag during some weeks, experienced a resteers tallings steers tallings steer vival last week and dealers were well pleased with their sales. The fact that prices are firm and that there is no immediate prospect feeders Wisconsin & Wyoming C Co of a decline may have induced some to place 1123 their orders sooner than they would have done had the market given any indication of 1159 The trade in dry goods was, as some Swan Land & Cattle Codealers expressed it, "better than they could really expect. The cool weather canner ... has tended to hurry up late orders. The fear of an advance on some steer tailing lines of goods owing to the increased tariff may have had the same effect. Thus far tho local jobbers have not made any material advance in prices, as they had large stocks on hand, but as they seil these down prices will be very apt to stiffen. It is expected that the fortunes of the market will rise in inverse proportion to the fall of the mercury. Col antumnal weather is the thing most desirable at this stage of the game, and if it makes its advent on schedule time and displays a moderate degree of regularity the closing 1148 days of the fall campaign in the jobbing trade will undoubtedly be as relatively prosperous as was its initial experience. 1110 1420 1350 1000 1230 Not much change is noted in the grocery narket. The demand has been fair and the steer. jobbing trade generally in a satisfactory con dition. At eastern points the "fall" trade in staple groceries progresses fairly. Some of HOGS. Av. 256 254 254 257 231 238 258 No. Av. Sh. Pr. Sh. 240 160 80 120 200 80 240 240 240 the older operators, comparing with their earlier experiences, are inclined to look upon matters as rather slow-paced for this season of the year; but the more advanced methods of tendering supplies through mail and express samples, the uniform and rea-sonable cost of the increased trans-portation facilities, and in many cases the methods in vogue through which goods are sold for continuous shipment from primary points to the interior custom simply multiply the channels through which dependent custom is supplied, and a concen-160 tration of the movement into one body, are oppressive animation, would probably as-tonish and confuse those who occasionally eem to long for old-fashioned methods. Col fee, of all the staple articles, remains open to criticism for rather extreme cost, but the rest of the list seems available at reasonable enough price on the relative merits of supply The only item in the produce market requiring special mention is the glut in the poultry market. Although very discour-80 reports have been sent out into the 40 40 country, chickens have been rushed in much faster than they were wanted. A great faster than they were wanted. A great many had to be carried over, there being no sale for them even at extremely low prices. 40 120 440 80 OMAHA MARKETS. 80 Catrle. Saturday, Oct. 18. Estimated receipts of cattle 2,300, as compared with 3,33 yesterday and 1,500 Saturday of last week. The receipts contained some very good corn-fed western steers, which sold PIGS AND SKIPS. Very good corn-fed western steers, which som at 5.7%. The market on the best steers was active and stronger, with others steady. Butchers stock unchanged. The week's feeder market closed flat with 2,600 shipped out. Receipts and Shipments. Showing the official receipts and shipments of cattle, hogs and sheep on the dates indicated: Hogs, Estimated receipts of hogs, 5,400, as compared with 6,500 yesterday and 6,217 Saturday of last week. The market opened steady to 5c lower, closing, with all sold, steady at the decline. The range was 8,5004,20, the bulk selling at \$3,850,415. Light, \$3,000,405; heavy, \$1,800,405; mixed, \$3,900,410. The average of the prices paid was \$3,90 as compared with \$3,905 yesterday and \$3,85 Saturday of last week. 6,740 6,217 3,158 5,215 36,944 83,244 41,896 36,634 27,819 38,418 Fstimated receipts of sheep 217 as compared with 192 yesterday. The market is unchanged. Natives, \$2.3564.15; westerns, \$2.0564.60. Second week of Oct 15,373 Fourth week of Sept. .. Third week of Sept. . Prevailing Prices. Second week of Sept First week of Sept. Thursday, Oct. 9 ... Friday, Oct. 10 Saturday, Oct. II ... 1,188 1,090 1,267 1,110 715 1,163 924 1,841 886 1,471 Monday Oct. II.... Tuesday Oct. II.... Wednesday Oct. II.... Thursday Oct. II... 1.164 589 1.064 6,899 6,468 8,460 8,294 6,646 4,242 Second week of Oct ... Third week of Sept.... Second week of Sept. First week of Sept.... Stock Receipts. Disposition of Stock. Showing the number of head of stock purchased on this market yesterday as re-ported by the weighmasters of the Stockyards CATTLE. Switt & Co. The George H. Hammond company..... The Armour-Cudahy packing company. Nels Morris.... Shippers and feeders 1,220 OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS. Armour-Cudaby packing company...... Omaha packing company Swift & Co...... HOGS. Groceries. DATES-Persian, 6-1b box, 914c. Swift & Co George H. Hammond packing company... J. P. Squires & Co Stockers and feeders Average Cost of Hogs.

Cattle, | Hogs. | Sheep. 2,659 3,396 12,263 Estimated Today. Official Yesterday Cattle. 95 cars, 2300 Cattle. 130 cars, 3383 Hogs. 80 cars, 5400 Hogs. 87 cars, 6339 Sheep. 1 car, 271 Sheep. 1 car 192 Horses. 2 cars, 49 Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs. Today. Yesterday.
Highest ... \$4 30 Highest ... \$4 20 Lowest ... 3 50

Twines-Cotton twine, "Bibb," very fine, 4b bales, 23c; cotton twine. XX brand. 4-1b bales, isc; hemp twine, 14-1b bales, isc; sail twine, 20c; candle wick, 22c; 40-foot cotton lethes lines, sic; 60-foot cotton clothes lines.

The following table gives the average cost of

Average Price of Hogs.

Showing the average price paid for loads of hogs on the days indicated in 1887, 1888, 1889 and 1880:

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

19. 1271 \$4.50 45. 1303 4.50

COWS.

1 780 175 18 806 155 92 851 175 37 962 175 42 940 189

STOCKERS AND PERDERS.

MILKERS AND SPRINGERS. 1 springer 1 springer 1 springer

CALVES.

HETFERS.

WESTERN CATTLE.

940 2 00 27, 1008 2 40 708 2 20 27, 1103 2 40 350 2 25 27, 1034 2 40 423 2 30 16, 048 2 45 791 2 35 19, 989 2 45

.... 290 2 50

Il steers, tailings.

steers, tailings....

88 steers L. 7C. Company

l camer East Hampton L. & C. Company Hill

steers, tallings 1280 Isconsin & Wyoming C. Company— 5 steers, tailings 1395 6 feeders 1935

12.....400 13 0

steer, tailing

E. M. Lund-

is steers, tailings.

No. Av. Pr.

20 . 1131 83 85 11 . 687 3 90 46 . 1232 4 50

975 1 25 966 1 35 576 1 50 943 1 50 360 1 75

4 .1042 1 85 12 . 871 1 90 1 .1150 2 00 1 .1060 2 25

2 50

2 (0

22 00

.1024

25. 8. 20.

\$3 85 Sunday 3 97 \$5 97 4 02% 4 02 3 97 3 94 3 595 3 91 3 90 3 91

hogs on the dates mentioned:

October 1 4 14 October 10 October 11 October 12 4 21 October 11 October 13 October 14 125 October 13 October 14 125 October 15 October 15 October 16 4 135 October 15 October 16 October 17 0ctober 1 15 October 17 0ctober 1 15 October 1 15 O

twine. 2e; candle wick. 20; to-foot cotton lothes lines. \$1.55; 60-foot cotton lines. \$1.00; 60-foot stail lines. \$1.75; 60-foot jute. \$1.00; wool twines. \$1.55; 10-foot jute. \$1.00; wool twines. \$1.55; 10-foot jute. \$1.00; california. \$2.00; california. \$2.

NUTS—Almonds, 18c; Brazils, 17c; filberts, 13c; pecans, 18c; walnuts, 15c; pecanut cocks, 19ke; ronsted, 18ke; Tennessco pecanuts, 9c. Whapping Papen—Straw, per 10, 15 2014c; rag. 5)c; manifils B, 5525; No. 1. Sc. MOLASSES—Bbis, N. O. fancy, per gal, 5525/c; choice, 4524/c; good, 3927c; Cubn, baking, 28 250c; black strap, 2922c.

SODA—Pkgs, 6e ibs to box, 54c; kegs, 44c. Vinean—3g r. N. Y. apple cider, 19c; D. S. cider, 12c; white, wine, 15c; fancy, fruit, 18c. Oils—153 prime white, 18c; Bo water white, 13c; beadlight, 144c; 74 gasoline, 13c.

SALSODA—Bbis, 14c; granulated, 2c; in bbis, 14c.

SALSODA—Bbls, Ihe; granulated, 2c; in bbls, 1bc.
Stove Polish—\$2.00\(\text{0.5}\). So per gross.
BAGS—Am per 100, \$17.75; Lewiston, per 100, \$17.75; Union square, 40 per cent off list.
SALT—Dairy, 280 lbs in bbl, bulk, \$2.10; best grade, 60 is, \$2.30; best grade, 100 is, \$2.40; best grade, 100 is, \$2.40; best grade, 10 is, \$2.50; rock salt, crushed, \$1.80; common, bbl, \$1.23.
CANAED MEATS—Corned beef, 1 ib, \$1.20; corned beef, 2 lbs, \$1.50; lunch tongues, 1 lb, \$2.50, lunch tongues, 2 lbs, \$4.75; brawn, 1 lb, \$2.50, brawn, 2 lbs, \$2.50; chipped beef, 1 ib, \$5.60; ox tongues, 2 lbs, \$4.50; chipped beef, 1 ibs, round cans, \$2.50; potted ham, \(\gamma\) ib, round cans, \$60; potted ham, \(\gamma\) ib, round cans, \$5.20; deviled ham, \(\gamma\) ib, round cans, \$5.20; deviled ham, \(\gamma\) ib, round cans, \$5.20; deviled ham, \(\gamma\) ib, round cans, \(\gamma\) ib, round cans

round cans. \$1.20; potted ox tongue, \$1 lb. round cans. \$1.20; compressed ham. \$1 lb. square cans. \$2.75; tripe, 2 lb round cans. \$1.80; ninced calors. 2 lb, round cans. \$2.20; boncless ples feet, 2 lb. square cans. \$2.20; boncless ples feet, 2 lb. square cans. \$2.50.

MAPLE SCUAR—Per lb.—5c cakes, 30-lb boxes, fee: 10c cakes, 30-lb boxes, 125c; 1-lb bricks, 30 lbs in box, pure. He.

COUPER—Roasted—Arosia, 255c; Bunola, 55c; German, 255c; Diworth's, 25c; Llon, 5c; Mallpouch, 55c; Cordoca, 255c; Mocha, 30c; O. Java, 30c.

CHEESE—Premium F. C., twin flats, per lb, 105c; Premium F. F., Young America, 115c; brick, fee; domestic Swiss, 14817c; Edam. in foll, each, \$1.00; Limberger, 125c; Edam. in foll, each, \$1.00; Limberger, 125c; Edam. in foll, each, \$1.00; Limberger, 125c; S.

BROOMS—5tle, pain, \$1.85; warehouse, \$2.00; toy, 11.25; whisk, \$1.000\$1.25.

OLIVES—Quarts, per doz., \$1.00; pints, per doz., \$2.50; bulk, per gal. 30c.

CORDAGE—Mannilla rope—A sizes from 7-16 to 1 lm. lbc; steal rope, all sizes from 7-16 to 1 lm. lbc; steal rope, all sizes from 7-16 to 1 lm. lbc; steal rope, all sizes from 7-16 to 1 lm. lbc; steal rope, all sizes from 7-16 to 1 lm. lbc; steal rope, all sizes from 7-16 to 1 lm. lbc; steal rope, all sizes from 7-16 to 2 lm. lbc. 2 lbc. 3 lbc.

in. Sc.
SUGAR—Per lb.—Cut loaf, The: Cubes, The:
Standard powdered, To: XXXX, powde red
The: granulated, standard, 5 he: confectioners'
A, 65,365 e: white, extra C, brilliant, The: extra C, royal, 6 he: central C, 5 he: golden C,
5 he: dark C + he.
Corros Rope—is-inch, 18c.
SOAP—Sastle, mottled, per lb., 96,10c; do
white, per lb. 14c.

Soar-Sastie, motted, per 1b., 9610c; do white per 1b., 14c.

Pickles-Medium per bbl., 2000; small, \$10.00; gherkins, \$11.00; Imp. Dill, \$18.00 (65-gal, casks); 2-gal bbl., \$10.00.

Cipsa-Per bbl., refined, \$6.00; half bbl., \$15.00; harf cider, pure, per bbl., \$6.60; orange cider, half bbl., \$6.50; pear cider, half bbl., \$6.50.

SAUSAGE-Following quotations are for lots of 50 lbs. and upwards: Boiognas in weasands, fancy, 4-sec boiognas, 4c pork sausage, in link. ancy, 45c; bolognas, 4c; porksausare, in link. k; pork sausage, in bulk, 55c; blood, 45c; HONEYCOME TRIPE-Half bbl, 80 lbs each. B.50; kits, Blbs each, 80c. Pickled Tripe-Halfbbl, 80lbs each, \$2.50; PICKLED PIGS FEET-Half bbl, 80 lbs each, OLEOMARGARINE -20-lb tubs, solid, 1234c; 40-

b tuls, 1-16 rolls, i3c. LAND-Tires, 64c; pure and kettle ren-SPICED Pigs' Toxques-Half bbis, \$10.00; 15-b kits, \$2.10. SPICED PIGS' TONGUES—Half bbls, \$10.00; 15-lb ktbs, \$2.10.

PICKLED BEEF TONGUES—Barrels, 200 lbs each, \$17.00; eighth bbls, \$2 lbs each, \$17.00; eighth bbls, \$2 lbs each, \$17.00; eighth bbls, \$2 lbs each, \$13.00.

CORNED BEEF—1-lb square cans, per doz, \$13.00.

BLOST OR BOILED BEEF—1-lb round cans, per doz, \$1.00; 6-lb round cans, per doz, \$1.00; 6-lb round cans, per doz, \$2.00.

CHIPPED BRIED BEEF—1-lb round cans, per doz, \$2.10.

LUNCH TOSGUES—1-lb round cans, per doz, \$2.00.

WHOLE ON TONGUES—15-lb round cans, per doz, \$2.50; 2-lb round cans, per doz, \$2.50; 2-lb round cans, per doz, \$5.00.

DEVILED HAM—1-lb round cans, per doz, \$5.00.

Sec; 3-lb round cans, per doz, \$5.00.

Provisions. SMOKED MEATS-Sugar cured—Hams, 14 to 16 ib average, 104c; hams, 20 to 2: 1b average, 10c; hams, 12 1b average, 104c; skinned hams, 11c; shoulders, 54c; clear breakfast bacon, 8c; boneless breakfast bacon bucks, 74c; Call-

shoulders, 64c; clear breakfast bacon, 8c; boneless breakfast bacon backs, 74c; Call-fornia or picnic hams, 64c; boneless ham, 9c; dried beef hams sets, 74c; dried beef clods, 64c; short spiced rolls or ham roulette, 8c; smoked beef tongues (per dozen), \$6.30.

DRY SALT MEATS—Long clears, 54c; short clears, 64c; short ribs, 54c; shoulders, 54c; clear belies, 65c; clear backs, 64c; bacon short ribs, 64c; bacon short clears, 64c; bacon short ribs, 64c; bacon short clears, 64c; bacon short clears, 64c; bacon short elears, 64c; bacon long clears, 64c; bacon shoulders, 6c; Swert Pickled Meats—Hams, therees, 94c; shoulders (N. Y. cutt, therees, 54c; Callifornia hams, therees, 54c; beef hams, barrels, \$12.00.

Pickled Beef Tongres—Half barrels, \$12.00.
Pickled Beef Tongres—Half barrels, \$10.00; eighth barrels, 25 ibs., \$1.50.

Swert Pickled Beaf Tongres—Half barrels, \$10.00; eighth barrels, \$25 ibs., \$1.50.

Swert Pickled Beaf tongres—Half barrels, \$10.00; half barrels, 100 ibs., net weight, \$10.50; quarter barrels, 200 ibs., net weight, \$10.50; half barrels, 100 ibs., net weight, \$10.50; half barrels, 100 ibs., net weight, \$10.50; infinity per bb, \$11.00; family per bb, there basis, 54c; pure leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 54c; pure leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 54c; pure leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; kettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; hettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; hettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; hettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; hettle rendered leaf lard, per lb, theree basis, 64c; hettle rendere

butts 88.50.

Pig Pork-Boncless-Barrels, 200 lbs each, 813.50; half barrels, 100 lbs each, 87.35.

Sarsages-Bologna, 4c; smoked sausage, 7c; blood sausage, 44c; head cheese, 44c; fresh pork sausage, 44c; head cheese, 44c; fresh pork sausage, links, 6c; fresh pork sausage, 5c; smoked pork sausage, 8c; Frankfurt sausage, 7c; smoked head cheese, 6c; Polish sausage, 7c; knobleach sausage, 7c; tongue sausage, 8c; summer sausage, 16c.

The above prices are for lots of fifty panels. mer sausage. 16c.
The above prices are for lots of fifty pounds and upwards; a less quantity 15c more.

Fish. FRESH-Per lb-Per ch. 7c; buffalo, dressed, 7c; pickerel, 9c; pike, 9c; trout 9c; white, 10c; cropple, 11c; catfish, 11c; cod steak, 12c; flounders, 13c; Oregon salmon, 15c; black bass, 18c; lobsters, 16c; blue fish, 15c.

Street Produce.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy, 20022c; creamery, choice, \$18,23c; country, choice, \$18,23c; country, choice, \$15,25c; country, good, \$14,19c; country, fair, \$19,815c; country, inferior, \$2,05c.

POULTRY—The market on chickens is in very bad shape. Only an occasional fancy lot brings \$1.50, the bulk of the good chickens going at \$2,0002.25. Choice hens, per doz. \$2,250,250; good spring chickens. \$2,0062.25; medium. \$1,7562.25; small, in some cases as low as \$1.50.

EGGS—The market shows no appreciable change, the price remaining steady at 18c.

change, the price remaining steady at 18c. GAME.—The market is about steady. Prairie chickens, per dozen, \$2.7603.00; mailard ducks, \$2.5061.00; teal ducks, \$1.2561.50; mixed ducks, \$1.2561.50; plover, 506300; lack suipe, \$1.0063, 1.25; quali, \$1.0062.00; lack rabbits, \$1.006 small rabbits, \$1.0061.25. Turkeys—Live, per 1b, 10@He. Gesse—Live, per doz. \$7.00\$8.00; dressed, 11

DUCKS-Live, per doz, \$2.50@3.00.

Fresh Fruits.

New York Grapes—Concords, 16 basket lots, 34c; Concords, 5-16 basket lots, 49c; catawbas, 160 basket lots, 49c; catawbas, 160 basket lots, 49c; Salems, 160 basket lots, 49c; Salems, 160 basket lots, 50c; Delaware, 5 lbs, 160 basket lots, 35c; Delaware, 5 lbs, 5-16 basket lots, 35c; Salems, 5 lbs, 160 basket lots, 160; gapes, muscats, crates, single package, 81,35; garpes, muscats Chanberries—Fancy dark Cape Cods. 20.06; fancy dark Cape Cods. 5 barrel lots; 28.50; fancy Bell & Cherry, 28.00; fancy Bell & Cherry, 5 barrel lots. 27.20.

Vegetables. SWEET POTATOES—Jerseys. 8.75@100 per lbb.
POTATOES—Selling at 85@200. Choice stock
s selling mostly at 90c. Considerable good
tock is arriving from Minnesota and Wisonsin. OTHER VEGETABLES-Cabbage, Mich., OTHER VEGETABLES-Cabbage, Mich., per crate, \$1.75; red, per bbl. \$2.25; ontons, per bbl. \$3.50; rutabagas, per bbl. \$2.25; white turnips, per bbl. \$1.75; carrots, per bbl. \$2.25; parsnips, per bbl. \$2.25; bects, per bbl. \$2.25; parsnips, per bbl. \$2.25; bects, per bbl. \$1.75; horseradish roots, per bbl. \$8.00; per lb. 10e; celery roots, (Ger.) per bbl. \$4.00; per doz. 50e; choice kalamazoo, 250;30e; cauliflower, fancy, per doz. \$1.50;27.90; garlie, per double string, 75c.

Hides, Tallow, Etc.

HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—Green salted sides, No. 1, heavy, 64,665;c. No. 1, light, 64,665;d. art film hides, 74,665; c. caif hides, 74,665; damaged hides, 14,656;d. damaged hides, 14,656;d. so: call flues, same; damaged files, 1-5c less; sheep pelt, green, each, 1500\$1.25; sheep pelt, dry, per lb, 10214c.
TALLOW-A No. 1. 4/1c; No. 2. 3/1c; grease white 3/4@4c; yellow, 3/4@3c; stearine, 6/1c.
Boxes—Quotations are for delivery in Chicago—Dry buffalo, per ton, \$15.00\$18.00 dry country, bleached, \$15.00\$13.00; dry country, damp and meaty, 85.00\$10.03.

damp and meaty, \$8,00@10.00. Dry Goods.

Dry Goods.

Fine Brown Corrons—Atlantic LL. 6c; Aurora B. 64c; Aurora R. 64c; Atlas O N B. 74c; cheese cloth, 4c; Clinton FF, 54c; Pepperell & 64c; Langdon G B. 8c.

BLEACHED COTTONS—Berkley Cambric—No. 9. 94c; Best Yet. 64c; Buttercloth XX, 44c; Cabol. 75c; First Call. 64c; Fruit of the Loom, 6c; Hill Sempter idem, 8c; Housekeeper, 84c; King Philip cambric, 10c, Langdon G B. 94c; Lonsdale. 9c; Lonsdale cambric, 104c; New York Mills, He; Oak Lawns, 7c.

Wigans—Net—Thistle, 64c; Red Cross, 7c.
CRASH—Stevens B. 16 in, 54c; Stevens D. 18 in, 5ac; Stevens M. 18 in, 5ac; Stevens P. 18 in, 8c; Stevens M. 18 in, 5c; Stevens P. 18 in, 8c; Stevens M. 18 in, 5c; Stevens N. 75 in, 18c; Stevens N. 72 in, 19c; Stevens N. 75 in, 18c; Steve

GISSHAMS-Amoskeag 6 5:6: Amoskeag dress. Sige; Bates. 6 5:6; Warwick dress. 7:4c; Lamonster, 6 2c; Glenaire. 6 5:c; Whittendon dress. Sc.

PRINTS Indigoblue Net Martha Washing ton, 5%c; American, 6%c; Arnold, 5%c; Ar-

nold B, long cloth, loc; Salfel A, Hige; Merrimae, 7-8, Be; Gold Leal, \$550; Hamilton, \$550; Allen Pinks, \$540; Allen Chambray, \$61; Gioucester, \$550; Hartel, \$560; Colomp Cambridge, Crown, 4560; Red Star, 4560; Rolled Clover, \$60 Stair, 5560; high colors, ic extra.

DESIMS-Net-Amoskeag, 9 oz, 1540; York camlet, 120; Everett, standard, 1240; Haymaker's, 750; Old York, XX, 1050; Lawrence, 220, 1550; Lawrence, 900, 4550; fancy stripes and checks, 1150.

Cotron acts - York Nackin, 1046; Everett, 8-02, 180; Lewiston, 10-02, 2250; Workingman's, 140.

Lumber.

in. \$7.00. Grooved Rooring—No.1 common white pline. 12. 14 and 16 ft. \$19.00; No. 1 common Y pine. 12. 14 and 16 ft. \$18.00. Porlan-Cleas, 1-in, all widths, \$4.00; clear -in, all widths, \$29.50,

DIMENSIONS—
12 ft 14 ft 16 ft 18 ft 20 ft 22 ft 24 ft 24 ft 15 00 815 00 816 00 817 50 818 2x6...15 00 15 00 15 00 16 00 18 00 18 00 18 2x8...15 00 15 00 15 00 16 00 18 00 18 00 18 2x8...15 00 15 00 15 00 16 00 18 00 18 00 18 2x10.15 00 15 00 15 00 16 00 16 00 18 00 18 00 18 2x10.15 00 16 00 16 00 16 00 18 00 18 00 18 2x10.15 00 16 00 16 00 17 00 17 00 19 00 19

2x12. 15 00 15 00 15 00 16 00 16 00 18 00 18 50 2x12. 16 00 16 00 16 00 17 00 17 00 19 00 19 00 4x440

8x8 16 00 16 00 16 00 17 00 18 00 19 00 20 00 Y. PINE FLOORING—Clear, 4 and 6 in, \$24.00; star, 4 and 6 in, \$22.00; rift sawed, \$6.00 extra. *
FINSHISO, WHITE PINE—1st and 2d clear, 1 in, \$36.00; 1½, 1½ and 2 in, \$36.00; 3d clear, 1 in, \$36.00; 1½, 1½ and 2 in, \$36.00; 3d clear, 1 in, \$42.00; 1½, 1½ and 2 in, \$36.00; 3d clear, 1 in, \$42.00; 1½, 1½ and 2 in, \$30.00; C select, 1 in, \$42.00; 1½, 1½ and 2 in, \$30.00; C select, 1 in, \$34.00; 1½, 1½ and 2 in, \$30.00; C select, 1 in, \$30.00; 1½ and 2 in, \$30.00; C select, 1 in, \$30.00; 1½ and 2 in, \$30.00; C select, 1 in, \$30.00; and 1 in, \$30.00; and 2 in, \$30.00; an

Metals. BLOCK TIN--Small pig. 30c per lb; bar, 30 er ib. Correr-Flanished miler sizes. We per ib: old rolled, we per ib; sheeting, Eseper ib; pir and flats, He perils.
GALVANIZED SHEET HON-Discount 50-10 per cent: pat plan iron, Nos. 3 and 37, A, 10-4c; B, 9%c. Tin Plate-I. C., 10x24, E.50; I. X., 10x14,

TIN PLATE—Coke, 14x20, 112, 86.75. STREEL WIRE NAILS—Base \$1.75. SHEET ZINC—Sc. Roofing-Charcoal, I. C., 14x20, 112, \$5.00; 1.

SHEET IRON—No. 26, \$3.50; No. 27, \$3.60, SHEET IRON—No. 26, \$3.50; No. 27, \$3.60, SOLDHER—Strictly haif and half, isc. STEEL NAILS—Base, \$2.25, WIRE—Jap. barb, \$0.25; gal. \$1.85. THE JUDICIAL BEAR KILLER.

Judge Dundy Returns From the Mountains with New Trophies.

Judge Dundy returned to the city Friday from his second trip into the mountains. He reports having had a splendid time, and his looks did not belie the statement. There were four in the party, including the judge, the others being Dr. Connor of this city, George Prentiss, secretary of the Swan cat-tle company, at Rock Greek, Wyo., and Tom Fielding of this city.

The party started jon September 20, and struck into the mountains north of Laramie.

near Laramie peak. They bagged plenty of small game, and Judge, Dundy succeeded in adding the scalps of three black bears to his belt. These were found at a spot about twenty miles from the main camp, where the twenty miles from the main camp, where the judge had gone with a pack horse. The bears were standing close together when the judge came upon them, and he did some pretty rapid shooting, firing six or eight shoot inside of half a minute and killing all three without moving from his tracks.

None of the other members of the party succeeded in adding a bear to their string.

Judge Dundy announced that he would hold court Monday to hear motions where

AN EMBEZZLER.

Alex McIntosh, the Prohibition Census Fakir in Another Role.

P. C. McHugh, formerly of the firm of Mc-Hugh & Mockby, told a BEE reporter that about six weeks ago, during his absence, his partner gave Alex McIntosh a number of bills to collect. Among them was a bill of \$12.90, which McIntosh collected and pock-

eted the proceeds. "It was a bill," said Mr. McHugh, "that should not have been given out for collection, as either of the firm could have collected it easily. Before McIntosh went away I got the uncollected bills from him and he admitted to having collected one and spent the money. He promised to leave \$6.45, one-half the amount, at a lawyer's office for me, re taining the balance for his services. He failed to do this, however. I know that he was hard up, and we gave him the accounts to collect to help him out. I also knew that ne had been drinking pretty freely, and suppose that accounts for his defection."

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN BOSTON. A Man Kills His Wife and Then At-

tempts Suicide. Boston, Mass., Oct. 18.—About 6 o'clock this morning Daniel H. Wilson, aged fortythree, an employe of the Adams express company, shot and killed his wife while she was in bed. He then sent a bullet through his left breast, inflicting a probably fatal wound. It is thought despondency, caused by his illness, was the cause of the act. Wilson was taken to the hospital, where it was thought he had a slight chance for recovery. At the hospital Wilson made a

statement, in which he said he acted under the impulse of the moment and must have been crazy. Then, seeing what he had done, he decided to kill himself. Wilson's wife was twenty years old. Dr. Birney cures catarrh, See bldg

The Builders' Exhibit."

The Builders' and Traders' exchange has made arrangements for the inauguration of a permanent exhibit of builders' materials in connection with the exchange. A portion of the main room has been set aside for the exhibits and they will be put in shape in a few days. The exhibits will comprise building materials of all kinds, plumbers' supplies and fixtures and the like. If the venture is a success, as it promises to be, a separate room or building may be secured. A school for technical training is also a possible outgrowth of the present move.

A Light in Every Berth.

To the Chicago, Mi waukee & St. Paul railway belongs the credit of being the first in the country to reduce the matter of electric lighting of trains to scientific perfection. One of the novel features introduced in the shapping cars is a patent electric reading lamp in each section. With this iuxurious provision reading at night before and after a reading at a read a rea reading at night before and after retiring becomes as comfortable as by day, and when retiring the toilet may be made in comfort and seclusion. berth reading lamp in the Pullman sleeping cars run on the Chicago, Mil

waukee & St. Paul railway, Omaha and Chicago, is patented, and cannot be used by any other railroad company. It is the greatest improve-ment of the age. Try it and be convinced. Sleeping cars leave the Union Pacific depot, Omaha, at 6:10 p. m. daily, arriving at Chicago at 9:30 a. m. Secure tickets and sleeping car borths at Union Ticket office, 1501 Fernam street (Barker

Block), Omaha. F. A. NASH, J. E. PRESTON, Pass Agent Gen'l Agent THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Euffers a Set-Back and Closes Without Recovering.

CORN EMULATES THE ACTION OF WHEAT

Oats Close with a Decline in May-The Interest in Provisions Maintained-Live Stock and Financial.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18 .- [Special Telegram to THE But]-The wheat market got a had set-back early in the day, from which it dla not recover up to 1 o'clock, when price of December was ic under last night, ic under opening price and but we over the low point of the session. There were several explanations offered for the break. One was that Hutchinsondid it to get a market to buy wheat on the did by all he could get on the break; another was that wheat bought recently by Linn and his followers was sold out. The most reasonable view was that trade expected cables to come strong and higher. Instead, the public cable was % dlower on futtures and private cables said buyers were hold-ing off and the little early advanceon the other side was lost. On this sort of foreign news William Dunn & Co. sold wheat; Linn may have sold some; Lamson, Logan, and others sold, and it was said the St. Louis crowd put out more short wheat here. Many small hold ers who bought on the way up were ready to take the profits if the market had held strong, but when it weakened the? threw their wheat for fear of loss. All these things worked together to bring about an early break of 13c. After the break was over the offerings ceased and when there was a reaction of more than half the loss on a little good buying many of the trade wondered what they sold out for. It being Saturday, there was no disposition to load up again and there was a sort of waiting market without important news for the rest of the session. S. V. White & Co., Dunham & Co., Poole and Hutchinson dia good buying at times. Closing cables were 4d to Mdup for California futures. There were unconfirmed reports about the export business at New York. Minneapolis reported a probable increase of half a million bushels in regular stocks for the week. There were no export elestances of wheat from Atlantic ports today and the four ports for the week cleared 116. 000 bushels of wheat and 200,000 barrels of flour The action of the market was as follows: De cember opened at 8.05 and sold at \$1.03% to \$1.04% to \$1.03% to \$1.04 at 1 o'clock; May, \$1.00 to \$1.08 to \$1.08% to \$1.08% to \$1.08%. There was pretty good buying of wheat before the clos atlast prices at \$1.01% for October, \$1.04% for December and \$1.08% for May, or about \$5 lower all around for the day. October was quoted at \$1.00% and off to \$1.01%.

Corn acted like wheat all day. It opened strong and higher on the wet weather, then there was a rush to realize on long corn and the market was sold down about ic, but still was but le under the close last night. A good call of Me followed and then the market go in a sort of rut with he changes for the rest of the day and the price slightly better than the close Friday. Hutchiason bought at the top close Friday. Hutchinson bought at the top and sold on the break, but really supported the market most of the session. Counselman was a seller and the seaping crows sold out, then the market was dull. The action for May was as follows: Opened at Mc, sold at May to SNict to SNict to SNict to SNict to SNict to SNict Notwender, SNict to SNict Notwender, SNict December, SNict National SNict December, SNict SNict Notwender, SNict to SNict; December, SNict SNict SNict December, SNict SNict SNict SNict SNict December, SNict S Size: October ranged at 51% and off to 50% November, 52% to 51%; Percember, 51% to 51%; On the curb iprivileges on May corn were 53% and 31% or active trading of the day was early. Thanket started with a rush with the sales the and a raily to 6%, and after a narr market the rest of the day the close was 45%. October and November were nominat 42% and December 4% to 4% to 4% close.

The provision trade kept up interest first in one thing then another. Early in the day mess pork was run up from \$11.85 to \$11.95, but later trade was dull and the close was at \$11.00 \(\frac{1}{2}\), or Se over last night. Lard opened and closed at pork was run up from \$11.8 to \$11.95, but later trade was dull and the close was at \$11.90\frac{1}{2}, or 50 over last night. Lard opened and closed at last prices of Friday, with but a 20\frac{1}{2}0 dlp in prices early. Short ribs were active at the close with the last sale for January at the top price of the day, \$5.82\frac{1}{2}\$. Mitchell bought pork early and Ryan bought on call at the top price. Singerwas a seller. Hogs for the week. 124,000, against \$22,000 last year.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

ORICAGO, Oct. 18 .- (Special Telegram to THE Bre.]-Carres-About all the business transacted today was in rangers and Texans, as there was scarcely a sufficient number of na tives on sale to get buyers out to look at stock. Asto prices, there was little or no change, hence the market closed steady on natives on the advance previously noted. Fair to good cattle, 8.75@485; others, 84.25@4.50; common, 8.75@425. Afew lots of Texans sold at 8.465@2.75 and a few range steers on sale made 87.20. sold at \$1.002.75 and a few range steers on sale made \$1.20.

Hods—Active on packers and heavy, with a slight upturn; slow and 5c lower on light, Packers paid \$0.002.15, largely \$1.102.130 for mixed and shippers, \$1.702.150 for prime heavy and butcher weights. First class light, \$1.202.15; second class \$1.902.15; singe sort, \$1.25; pigs under 100 shaverage, \$1.002.150.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Oct. is.—[Special Telegram to THE BEL]—STOCKS—The bank statement was not so discouraging as trade feared, but it was bad enough, showing a decrease of \$3,500,000 in reserves and nearly as much in deposits, and virtually wiping out surplus held by banks in excess of reserve. There was a fairly buoyant stock market the first hour, with stocks showing any activity, and of those only North American, Atchison and Sugar Refine ries were really active. The opening was made at a reaction from the closing prices of yesterday as a rule, although many stocks showed slight gains and in early trading the strength of yesterday was again apparent. North American took the lead in the upward movement, rising it the lead in the upward movement, rising percent, but advances in the remainder of the list were confined to small fractions only. The rise soon culminated, however, an prices receded later. Deallings were without feature of interest, and at il o'clock the market was quiet and steady. When the ban statement came out there was a little depresion, but it did not entirely offset the earl advance, and at the close there were net gain of 's percent in Big Four and Louisville, 's,' in all the Grangers, with Missouri Pacific steady at 69. Sugar also closed unchanged. The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 48 regular. 1254, U. S. 48 coupon. 1254, U. S. 45 coupon. 1254, U. S. 45 coupon. 1054, U. S. 45 coupon. 1054, Pacific 88 of 25. 111 Central Pacific. 255, Chicago, Burlington & U. S. 4 Chicago, Burlington Central. 101 L. B. & W. 1454 Lake Shore. 1076, Missouri Pacific. 69	do preferred 108 C. k.N. W
---	-------------------------------

PRIME MEHCASTILE PAPER 54@8 per cent. STERLING EXCHANGE Quiet, but steady; sixty-day bills, 84.80%; demand, 84.86%.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO. Oct. 18-Close - Wheat-Steady; cash, \$1.01\(\text{2}\)1.01\(\text{3}\); December, \$1.04\(\text{2}\)1.01\(\text{3}\); May, \$1.08\(\text{3}\). Corn-Steady; cash, 51c; November, 51\(\text{4}\)c; May, 531,6517,e. Oats—Steady; cash, 424c; December 425; May 454,645%c. Rye—Firm at 636,65%c. Barley—Quiet at 76678c.

Barley-Quiet at 76578c.

Prime timothy—Essy at \$1.25.

Flax—Easy at \$1.4401.441;

Whisky-\$1.10.

Mess Pork—Steady: cash, 9574; January, \$1.200.11324; May, \$1.55.

Lard—Steady: cash, \$6.25; January, \$6.5243.5; May, \$6.25; Flour—Steady: winter wheat, \$2.2525.35; Spring wheat, \$1.000.250; rys. \$3.754.50.

Bulk Ments—Stradiers, \$1.674.5.75; Short clear, \$3.7523.5); short ribs \$1.374.

Butter—Quiet; creamery, 18.252c; dairy, 144.252. Cheese-Dull; full cream cheddars, sighte:

Cheese Dull; full cream of childs.

Rate, 96904; young Americas, 944106.

Eggs-Quict; fresh 18525c.

Hides-Unchanged; heavy green salted, 64c; light green salted, 64c; green, 54c; salted bull blies, 5c; dry caif, 835c; deceous, each, 25c.

Tallow-Unchanged; No. 1. 44c; No. 2, 4c; cabe, 45c.

Cake. 457. Receipts. Shipments.
Flour, bils. 14,000 18,000
Wheat, bu 57,000 5,000
Corn, bu 131,000 794,200
Oats, bu 198,000 3072,005 MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 18.-Receipts - Wheat, 500 cars: shipments, 105 cars. When futures

were sostrong in the morning a few lots of cash wheat sold well up, but when the break came in December wheat holders of cash lots continued to ask same figures they get before. Closing: No. 1 hard October, 11.00; on track, \$1.01; No. 1 northern, 965;c; October and Nowember, 965;c; Mar. \$1.01;463,022; on track, 565;6859c; No. 2 northern, October, 22c; December, 94c; on track, 30,334c.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.-Wheat-Receipts, 71,500 bushels exports _____; spot easier: No. 2. \$1.0721.034 in elevator: \$1.084.21.09 afoat: \$1.08 &1.09 af o. b.; options closed weak, No. 2 red, Ottober, closing at \$1.07\(\frac{1}{2}\). Corn-Receipts, 180.25\(\frac{1}{2}\) bushels; exports, \$1.70\(\frac{1}{2}\) bushels; exports, \$1.70\(\frac{1}{2}\) bushels; spot caster. No. 2.5\(\frac{1}{2}\) in the vator; \$550.8\(\frac{1}{2}\) at fact, ungraded inited, \$5\(\frac{1}{2}\) 5\(\frac{1}{2}\); options held firm, October closing at \$550.8\(\frac{1}{2}\).

Side.

Oats—Receipts, 125,000 bushels; exports, 6,500 bushels; spotweaker; No. 2 white, 005@ 5ie; mixed western, 44649c; white western, 4868c; options casser, October closing, Coffee—Options closed barely steady; 19820 paints down, Sales, 260,260 bass, November, 81,6521120; becomber, 91,65218,10; spot Rio, quiet; fair cargoes, 80, 50.

Sugar—Raw, firmer; reined, steady.

Petroleum—United closed for November at 820.

Eggs-Fancy firm: western, 2523c, Fork-Steady; mess, \$11,000123, Lard-Firmeri western steam, \$6.50, Butter-Firm; western dairy, 10215c; creamser, 13316c; Egin, 3c, Cheese-Easy; light skims, 4;275c.

Sr. Louis, Oct. 18.—Wheat-Lower; cash, 1994c; December, \$1,015; May, \$1,074, Corn-Firm; cash, \$5c; December, \$75c; May, 505c.
Oats-Firm; cash, 40c; May, 44%c.
Pork-Dull at \$19.25, Lard-Quiet at \$6.00g.6.10.
Whisty \$1,13
Butter-Steady and unchanged; creamery, 21
@5c; dairy, 1261ac.

Liverpoot, Oct. 18 - Wheat-Steady; de-mand fallenoff; holders offer moderately; California, No. 1, 7s. 1d per cental; red west-ern spring, 7s6 jd; red western winter, 7s. 3 jd @15.4d. Corn-Steady; demand failen off; mixed western 4s 6 ad per cental

RANSAS CITY, Oct. 18.—Wheat—Steady: No. 2 hard, eash, 354c bid; October, 894c bid; No. 2 red, eash, 354c bid; October, 484c 2494c, October, 184c bid; October, 184c bid; October, 204c bid; October, 204c bid; October, 204c bid;

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 18.-Wheat-Firm: No MILWAUKER, Oct. 18.—Wheat-Firm; No 2 spring, cash, 86;808c; December, 3%c; No. 1 northern, \$1.00.
Corn-Firm; No. 2, cash, 51c.
Oats-Firm; No. 2, white, 45%c.
Provisions-Steady; pork, January, \$11,92%.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 18 .- Wheat-Firm; No. 2 Corn-Strong: No. 2 mixed, 534c. Oats-Strong: No. 2 mixed, 45c. " Whisky-\$1.13.

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; marketactive and steady; common to good cattle, \$1.704.85; Toxans, \$2.4822.5; range steers, 50.70. Hogs-Receipts, 17.900; market active and lower; mixed, \$4.0004.35; prime heavy and butchers' weights, 8.35@150; fight, 8.95@1.25; plcs. \$4.0005.85. Sheep-Receipts, 3,000; market steady; natives, 8,000;180; westerns, 84,3024,25; Texans, \$1,75; lambs, \$1,8505,75.

Sr. Louis, Oct. 18.—Cattle-Receipts, 1,000; dipments, 1,00; market steady; fair to fancy native steers, \$1.8061.00; stockers and feeders, 8.0062.00 \$2,005G130, https://Heccipts.it/700; shipments.4:100; market easy; heavy, \$4,2024.30; mixed, \$1.803, 4.20; light \$1.1034.30.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 17.—Cattle-Receipts, 4370; RANAS CITY, Oct. 1.—Cattle-Receipts, 1.50; shipments, 2.00; market strong for best, others weak; steers, \$1.4024.75; cows, \$1.503, 2.5; stockers and feeders, \$2.5024.75, Hogs-Receipts, \$400; shipments, \$150; mar-ket steady; all grades, \$1.0024.25.

SIOUX CITY, In., Oct. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Hogs—Receipts, 2,900: market slow and opened 19215clower, selling at \$3.80 (3.975); butk, \$3.85(3.975).

The Weekly Bank Statement. New York, Oct. 18 .- Special Telegram to THE BEE]-The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: eserve, decrease...... \$ 3,59,550
 Loans, decrease.
 79,400

 Specie, decrease.
 4,75,700

 Legal tenders, increase
 47,100

 Deposits, decrease.
 3,224,600

 Circulation, decrease.
 2,500
 The bunks now hold \$349.720 less than the requirements of the 25 per cent rule.

The exports of specie from this portlast week amounted to \$5.512 of which \$50.112 was ingold and \$5.500 in silver. The imports of specie during the week amounted to \$58.678, of which \$509.95 was in gold and \$28.914 in silver.

north west were in the market looking to nurchase for shipment by water routes before the close of navigation, and business of that character promises to become more active. The demand for spring and summer goods continues on a liberal scale, including both woolen and cotton specialties. The market tone was firm and strong. Agents made the following price changes to the market stock on hand: New York mills D and D T cottonades, isc: New York mills D and D T camlet jeans. ISc: New York mills D and D T light checks, Esqc: Sumpten camlet jeans, 10c.

The Coffee Market. NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Coffee options barely steady. 10 to 20 points down. Sales, 260.250 bags, including

including November, \$17.457217.50; December, \$17.457217.50; December, \$17.457217.50; January, \$16.354214.50; February, \$16.50; May, \$15.50; Spotrio quiet; fuir cargoes, \$25.50; No. 7, No. 87, No. 87 Mining Shares.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEL! - The following are the mining stock quotations:

| 200 | N. Cornmon.wesith | 123 | 180 | Occidental | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | 1 Horn Stiver

Dr. Birney cures catarrh, Bee bldg.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. Several Grading Contracts Awarded at Yesterday's Session.

The county commissioners met on time yesterday afternoon and for an hour listened to Clerk Webb while he read the minutes of several previous meetings. For building vaults in the offices of the

treasurer and county clerk there was but one bid, and the time for receiving proposals for doing the work was extended two weeks. There were any number of contractors who wanted to do the grading advertised for.

For grading Emanuel street, C. A. Jensen bid 10 2-5 cents per cubic yard and got the contract. The contract for grading the Leaven worth

street approaches to Elmwood park was awarded to F. J. Peterson at 131/2 cents per cabic yard. For grading South Thirteenth street there were my number of bids, but that of William

C Carrwas the lowest, he agreeing to do the work at 9 cents per cubic yard. Four men bid to do the grading around the hospital grounds. C. A. Jensen, Canfield & Ryan and P. T. Callahan offered to do the Ryan and P. T. Callahan offered to do the work at 12 9-10 cents per cubic yard. Of these latter bids the commissioners could not decide which was the lowest and they were

J. O'Donohue bid 19 cents per square foot for concreting the floor of building No. 6 at the county hospital. He was the lowest bidder. The quarterly reports of the county judge and county clerk were presented and referred. Walter S. Wiley applied for admission to

the soldiers home. His request will be granted and he will go as soon as the necessary papers can be prepared. The coroner's report of jarors' and witnesses' fees, due from May 30 to September 30, was read and referred, together with a number of other claims. Various grading estimates were allowed and warrants ordered drawn for the amounts.

Dewey & Stone's bill of \$2,303.25 for fur-

nishing furniture for the hospital was pre-Appropriation sheets No. 1 of the road fund, amounting to \$1.174, and No. 85 of the general fund, amounting to \$57.184, were passed and warrants ordered drawn for the various amounts.

Indicted for the Mettman Murder LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 18 .- [Special

Telegram to THE BEE. | - Charles Beason and Mrs. Rontzahn were indicted this morning for the awful murder of Mrs. Teresa. Mettman on the government reservation last March. Mrs. Rostzahn is a daughter of the murdered woman.

Dr. Birney cures catarrh, Bee bldg

PURSUING A WAITING POLICY

Real Estate Dealers Resting Until After the November Election.

THE BUILDERS' PERMANENT EXHIBIT.

A Jewelers' Paper Calls Attention to Omaba's Advantages as a Manufacturing Point-The Week's Improvement Record.

If one-half, or even a smaller portion, of he deals that are being considered by realty prokers and prospective purchasers could be consummated the activity in Omaha dirt transactions would be such as has never been known before. There is an exceptionally large number of inquiries being made, and the choice bargains are being spotted for future deals, but very few transactions are being actually closed. Prospective buyers are all apparently determined to await the result of the election on the prohibition amendment. If the amendment is defeated an immense amount of capital for Omaha investment is assured,

The effect of the incubus is felt by the real estate exchange perhaps more keenly than by estate exchange perhaps more keenly than by any other organization in the city.

"We are simply doing nothing," said President Hartman of the Exchange, "and don't expect to do anything until after November 4. If reason triumphs over fanaticism on that day the Exchange will be immediately reorganized and a very large amount of work will be accomplished and amount of work will be accomplished yet this year."
In building circles considerable work is in

progress yet many who are contemplating extensive improvements are deferring active operations until the prohibition issue shall have been disposed of.

A Silverware Manufactory. Has it ever occurred to those of our readers

engaged in the manufacture of jewelry or silverware that Omaha, Neb., offers excellent facilities for their line of business! asks the Jewelers' Review. If it has it could not have struck their fancy very forcibly judging from the entire absence in that city of any manufacturing concern in that line worth speaking of. But why this should be so is not very easy to explain. Certain it is that a great future lies before the enterprising individual who is far-sighted enough and has the hardihood to plant himself, as it were, in Nebraska's great city, stake off his were, in Nebraska's great city, stake off his claim, as the saying goes, and grow right up with the country. But perhaps we cannot better emphasize this fact or make it more impressive than to quote the words of our regular weekly contributor, who said recently: "It is a surpriso to those who give the subject a thought that Omata has not secured manufactories of the precious metals. Here is located the largest old and silver reduction works in the world It draws its raw material from the eading mining districts of the west and yields an annual product averaging \$40,000,000. It supplies the government with about one-fourth of its monthly purchases of silver, turns out considerable gold, and yields tons
upon tons of lead, copper and kindred metals.
With an institution of this character supplying the virgin metal, it would seem
that Omaha affords excellent opportunities for the manufacture of solid silver and silver plated ware, gold and silver watch cases and similar industries. It may be argued that the city is too far distant from the market, but the rapid trend of population westward, as shown by the census proves that within another decade the center of population will be in the Mississippi valley. Omaha is destimed to become prominent as the mounder of the precious metals, and the enterprising manager who pioneers the industry will harvest a fortune." There is really harvest a fortune." There is really more in this than what appears on the surface, and those who are inclined to belittle the whole thing will do well to reconsider their hasty judgment. Two or three years ago we remarked in these columns that a good opening presented itself in a certain western town, which shall be nameless, for The Dry Goods Market.

New York, Oct. 18.—[Special Telegram to The Bril.]—Trade in dry goods was fair for Saturday. Some important buyers from the second largest city in the country, but with moderate success. This enterprising mer-chant accepted our cue with adarity, hastened to the town mentioned in the notice, made known his intentions to the surround-ing tradesmen, and today he enjoys a fine

> vice proffered in good faith. Building Operations in Omiha. In our issue of September 27 we puplished a table of the comparative building operations of large cities, giving the average cost of buildings erected during 1889, says the American Contractor. In this table Omaha appeared as the third from the lowest on the

patronage and a business firmly established. So that, all things considered, it pays some-

times to accept a suggestion and act on ad-

To this our Omaha correspondent objects and gives the following explanation: The building interests and prosperity of Omaha have suffered a great injustice through the article recently published in the New York Sun and in your journal of Sep-Omaha was shown as having the lowest av

erage. [Cleveland was given as lowest.]
This is incorrect.
Unfortunately the city is cursed with a
building law which should long since have

passed into innocuous desuetude. It is the notorious "fee system." The amount of this fee is guaged upon the expected cost of buildings, furnished by the applicant for permit. The result is that a minimum figure is usually given. According to the American Contractor the total number of buildings crected in Omaha is placed at 2,498; total cost of same at \$4,663,-

35; and the average cost is shown by \$1,865. The feesystem is to blame for this odious showing, and a movement is on foot to abolish THE OMAHA BEE in commenting upon this matter says the figures given correspond with the annual report of the superistendent

of buildings, but does not give the statement of the superintendent that the estimates are below the actual cost by at least 25 per cent. The Bee compiled a table, securing its figures from contractors and owners of the buildings while under way, covered a period of three months, and thus obtained the cost of three months, and thus obtained the cost of the 2,4% buildings as \$7,004,5%, or an average cost of \$1,829, which would place Omaha ahead of St. Louis in average cost of buildings erected.

In compiling general tables, the official records are and must be the basis of facts and if a city desires to be rightly represented she should see to it that her official records present as nearly as possible the true facts. Omana is a thriving city and no mean competitor for supremacy in the great west.

The Improvement Record. The following figures show the totals of real estate transfers, building permits and bank clearings for the past week: REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday 45.0.0 Saturday Total \$ 5,825 17,673 200 550 1,100 4,100 Total.... 8 21,450 BANK CLEARINGS. Y

#1.x11.963.73 An increase over the corresponding week of last year of 214 per cent. or Birney; nose and throat, Bee bldg.

Sunday school concert at First M. E. church this evening. A very interesting programme has been prepared. All are invited.

Dr. Bi-ney cures catarrh, Ben bldg,