tendency to drag in some lines. The rains during the earlier part of the past week did some good and relieved the anxiety in some localities, but they were not general enough to produce any very noticeable effect upon trade. Country merchants are expected to go rather slow in the matter of ordering new goods until they are more certain as to

the outcome of the corn crop.

While the conditions are such as would naturally produce a rather slow movement of goods, some lines of the jobbing trade are showing a good deal of activity. This is the case of groceries, which are moving very freely. Local grocery houses are very busy filting orders. Country merchants ap-pear in many cases to have delayed buying until they have almost run out of certain lines and are obliged to stock up again. Dry goods is another branch of the whole-sale trade in this city that is particularly presperous at the present time. Local dry goods jobbers report that the volume of business during the month of May exceeded the record of May, 1893. This is accounted for very largely by the fact that a great many western retail merchants who for-merly bought in the east are now com-

ing here for their goods.

A year ago at this time the great depression which has since spread over the whole country was just commencing to make itself feit. While no section of the country bas escaped the effects of dull times, it is safe to say that Omaha has held her own fully as well as any other city in the country. While there has been a shrinkage in the volume of business there has no been such a complete stagnation of al business enterprises as has been experienced business enterprises as has been experienced by many cities. The bank clearings of the different cities go to prove that this is a fact. During the greater portion of the year past Omaha's decrease has been less than the average decrease for the whole country and much less than the decrease reported by neighboring cities. For the reported by neighboring cities. For the year 1893 Omaha showed a slight increase in clearings, as compared with 1892, while the other cities in the northwest were mil-Bons of dollars behind their records of the previous year. During the past two weeks previous year. During the past two weeks Omaha has not stood quite so well in com-parison with other cities. The clearings at this point last week showed a drop of 27 per cent, as against a decrease of 21 per cent for the whole country. At the same time the decrease at Minneapolis was 28 per cent, St. Paul, 32 per cent; Denver, 35; Sioux City, 21; St. Joseph, 22, and Kansas City, 18 per cent. Thus, while Omaha makes a better showing than the twin cities of Minnesota and Denver, she falls behind Sloux City, Kansas City and St. Joseph.
Collections in the country have been very
fair, which would seem to indicate that

money is fairly easy.

Thus far Omaha has been so fortunate as to escape the disastrous effects of the coal famine which has done so much to de-press budness in many large manufacturing centers. The fact that the strikes among the miners did not at once spread to the fields from which Omaha secures her sup-plied of bituminous coal enabled the manu-facturers of this city to lay in large stocks. As this state is surrounded on almost all by coal mining districts it is still pos sible to secure some coal from different quarters that have not yet felt the effects of the strikes. From some of the smaller towns in the state a scarcity of coal has been reported, and in one or two places opera-tions in brick yards have been suspended from that cause.

The shutting down of factories in the east has had the effect of stiffening up the market in some lines, especially iron and steel and consequently in some articles of hardware. There is room, however, for con-siderable advance in these lines before prices will be back where they were a year ago.

AS DUN SEES IT.

Heavy Rains Help Trade by Assuring Crops W. H. Roberson, local manager for R. G. Dun & Co., speaking of trade conditions,

says: "The local rains throughout the state the first of the week stimulated orders quite a good deal, and made the week better than

good deal, and made the week better than fair, though there is little boasting among dealers.

"In Nebraska people are a good deal like barometers. Their spirits rise and fall with the weather. The long drouth caused a great deal of discouragement, especially among farmers, and country merchants were likewise apprehensive. The minfall was quite heavy in some of the dryest sections, and from a third to a half crop of wheat and oats is expected now in several localities where hope had been abandoned. Trade depends chiefly, however, upon the corn crop, which may even yet be large. "Locally retail trade has been sulet. In jobbing lines several houses, notably those dealing in groceries, dry goods and boots and shoes, say, while the senson has not been equal to expertations. May has been exceptionally good. Lindor men complain most and the whisay trade could hashly be worse. The brewers are doing a good business. Lumber and other lines report a dul week and quiet month.

"At South Omaha considerable apprehension is felt over the effects of he coal strikes and the packers are facing the possibility of a temporary embarrassment for want of fuel.

"At the banks the same doleful tale is repeated. Plenty of funds but few borrowers. Nearly everybody has settled down to the opinion that, the summer will be wanting in financial results."

SNOW, CHURCH & CO.'S VIEWS.

Prospects for Omaha and Nebraska in the Light of Existing Facts.
Albert Andriano, local superintendent for Snow, Church & Co.'s Mercantile agency,

"The duliness of trade during the first days of the week gave way before the general rains, and business showed a noticea-ble improvement during the last few days

eral rains, and business showed a noticeable improvement during the last few days. The extreme dryness had rather discouraged merchants in the country, and the reports of traveling men were not of a flattering nature. The small grain and grass was much siamaged. Corn did not suffer to any extent, and the heavy rains, which pretty well covered the state, had a very enlivening effect on business. In response to the same, orders began coming in fimost immediately, and the general tone of trade was more encouraging and brighter than it had been for some time. Boot and shoe men report a fair business, and are hopeful af a reasonably good season, taking all things into consideration.

"In dry goods business is quite good, and manufacturers of overalls, shirts, etc., report quite a number of orders ahead. Furniture men still continue to complain, but even in this line the weather has its effect, and business comes in better with the improvement of prospects. Hardware merchants state that business in shelf goods is quite fair. There is little demand for builders material. Taking it all in all, business is no better or no worse than might be expected at this season of the year, after taking into consideration all attending circumstances. Everything appears to depend on the weather at this time. From now on until September business men will watch with eager anxiety the least change in the weather, favorable or unfavorable.

"The trade of Nebraska now depends largely on rain, and a sufficient quantity of molsture means a good corn crop, and a good torn crop means prosperity and good imainess. The acreage of this cereal is larger than it has ever been before, and more than ever do the people realize the fact that corn is a strong cereal and can stand a great amount of unfavorable weather. A short spell of dryness is not some to misse the corn crop, and a short spell of rain is not going to make it. The recent fear that the corn crop would be damaged

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Officetions in the Country Continue Fairly

Good for This Season.

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JOBBERS REPORT A STEADY BUSINESS

To buil Times—Omaha still Escapes

the Coal Famine.

The business situation in Omaha and the country tributary to this market cannot be said to have been materially altered during the past week. Trade is moving steadily who weeks ago and no new features of importance have been developed.

The condition of the crops in the country continues to be the ruling factor in all lines of business. As the crop prospects are not all that could be desired, there is a strong tendency to drag in some lines. The rains during the earlier part of the past week did

Toledo Grain Market.

Was unreasonable in the extreme, Even had it been damaged to any appreciable extent there was still time for replanting, and, therefore, no cause for appreciable extent there was still time to any preciable extent there was still time for replanting, and, therefore, no cause for appreciable extent there was still time for replanting, and, therefore, no cause for appreciable extent there was still time for replanting, and, therefore, no cause for appreciable extent there was still time for replanting, and, therefore, no cause for appreciable extent there was still time for replanting, and, therefore, no cause for appreciable extent there was still time for replanting, and, therefore, no cause for appreciable extent there was still time for twell undoubtedly have much dry weather. Served the still there is a strong that merchants began cutting down their still doubt but we will have a good crop of corn. Nerchants seem to realize the importance of a good crop more than extent the same the state for the was noted during the recent spell of dry weather, eithough there was no immediately after the rain their trade improved, and merchants seemed more inclined to purchase. While this is well enough in its way it is really bead practice. A week or two of dry weather.

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Toledo Grain Market.

TOLEDO, June 2 -- WHEAT -- Dull, steady; No. 1 cash and June, 55%c; July, 54%c; August, 55%c; September, 55%c. CORN -- Dull, steady; No. 2 cash, 35c; No. 2 cash, 35c; No. 2 yellow, 2015c. OATS—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 36c bid; No. 2

white, 375c; RYE—Dull cosh, 50c. CLOVER SEED—Steady; prime, cash, \$5.50; October, \$4.70 bid, \$4.735; asked, RECEIPTS—Flour, 500 bu.; wheat, 15,500 bu.; corn, 3,000 bu.; rye, 500 bu. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 1,500 bu.; wheat, 40,000 bu.; corn, 3,500 bu.; oats, 1,000 bu.; rye, 500 bu. Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, June 2.—81/GAR—Raw, firm, quiet; fair refining, 2%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 2%c; sales none; refined, quiet, steady; No. 8, 2%c3/9-16c; No. 7, 25-16g/38c; No. 8, 34/63/7-16c; No. 19, 31-16g/33/c; No. 11, 36/3-5-16c; No. 12, 25-16g/38c; No. 13, 211-16g/31/c; Off. A, 2%g/34/c; mould A, 44/g/4-5-16c; standard A, 31-16g/34/c; confectioners' A, 2.11-16g/31/c; cut loaf, 4%/g/4-13-16c; granulated, 3-13-16g/34/c; cutbes, 4%/g/4-5-16c; granulated, 3-13-16c/g/34/c; cutbes, 4%/g/4-5-16c; granulated, 3-13-16c/g/34/c; cutbes, 4%/g/4-5-16c; granulated, 3-13-16c/g/34/c; cutbes, 4%/g/4-5-16c; granulated, 3-13-16c/g/34/c; cut

KANSAS CITY June 2.—WHEAT—4c higher; No. 2 hard, 47648c; No. 2 red, 48659c; No. 3 red, 48647c; rejected, 41642c. CORN-4c lower; No. 2 mixed, 34%46354c; No. 2 white, 3544647c; No. 2 white, 354647c. No. 2 mixed, 364647c; No. 2 white, 376474c. HUTTER—Steady; creamery, 14615c; dairy, 12614c. EGGS—Firmer; 7½c. RECEIPTS—Wheat, 4,000 bu.; corn, none;

SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 3,000 bu.; corn. 1,000 bu.; Cotton Market.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, June 2. COTTON—Steady; sales, spot, 500 bales; receipts, 2,448 bales; exports, Great Britain, 3,960 bales; continent, 717 bales; stock, 83,995 bales. Futures, steady; sales, 23,000 bales; June, 37 bid; July, \$7,0067.01; September, 36,9295.33; October, 36,9695.97; November, 57,0167.703; December, \$7,0067.08; January, 47,1357.715; February, 47,1967.29.

ST. LOUIS, June 2.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 73c; sales, 500 bales; receipts, 200 bales; shipments, 500 bales; stock, 29,200 bales.

GALVESTON, June 2.—COTTON—Receipts, 967 bales; sales, 548 bales; 8tock, 29,202 bales.

Peorla Grain Market. FEORIA, June 2.—CORN—Firm, but inactive; No. 2, 37%; No. 3, 36%; OATS—Active and higher; No. 2 white, 36%; 37%; No. 3 white, 35%; 936%; NYE—No trading WHISKY—Firm; high wine basis, \$1.15. 'Frisco Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.-WHEAT-Firm; The La Rose brothers, acrobats, give two performances today at Courtland Beach.

STERLING ON TRIAL.

How He Used Dynamite to Rob the North Platte Postoffice. George Sterling, the alleged robber of the

North Platte postoffice, is on trial in the criminal branch of the federal court. Sterling is an inoffensive appearing man and does not look as if he had nerve enough to rob a hen roost, much less one of Uncle Sam's mailing stations. The prosecution introduced witnesses yesterday to show that Sterling laid his plans for the robbery with consummate skill

After going to North Platte he made his headquarters at the Young Men's Christian association rooms and became quite friendly with several of the members. When he matured his plans, he broke into the post-office and with the aid of dynamite succeeded in blowing the safe open and robbed it of about \$2,000 worth of stamps. He escaped, but a few weeks later was arrested in New York City by Detectives Reap and Holland of the city police force. Sterling was indicted by the federal grand jury last week, and his case was placed first on the criminal

docket.

At the hearing yesterday the post-master of North Platte exhibited a couple of dynamite cartridges to the jury, and in de-scribing their use handled the dangerous things somewhat carelessly. Some of the jurymen became so apprehensive that they could hardly be induced to remain in their

Accused of Mail Robbery. Several federal prisoners were arraigned before Judge Dundy yesterday and their pleas entered on the docket of the criminal court. Robert A. Frye, accused of robbing the Lexington postoffice of \$100 in stamps and cash, pleaded not guilty. His trial will

and cash, pleaded not guilty. His trial will take place this term of court.

Henry Knight, another alleged postoffice robber, entered a plea of innocence, and J. Centeur, who is charged with selling firewater without a government license, disclaimed guilt. Their cases were docketed for a hearing during the present term of court. court. Teeter Found Guilty.

J. Z. Teeter, who was arrested for running an illicit still in the vicinity of McCook, was found guilty by a federal jury Friday. He is charged with keeping a still set up contrary to the government statutes. The minimum sentence is a heavy fine and im-prisonment. The still, or plant, in the shape of a huge copper worm, was introduced in

The La Rose brothers, aerobats, give two performances today at Courtland Beach.

BLAIR PREACHER ROBBED.

Falls Into the Hands of a Chicago Confi-dence Man.

According to the Chicago Record Rev. E. Gladsman, whose church is at Blair, Neb., made the acquaintance of an affable German at the railroad Station Thursday evenman at the railroad station Thursday evening. He reached the station some time before train time, and when in the waiting
room at Polk and Dearborn streets the
stranger introduced himself and finally told
the minister that he was going west on the
same train. They went for a walk and
stopped for refreshments in a saloon at 406
Dearborn street.

After the stranger had paid for two glasses ordered Rev. Mr. Gladsman said he could drink another. Accordingly two more glasses filled with beer was placed before the glasses filled with beer was placed before the men and the minister insisted upon paying for the order. He pulled out his purse and was about to pay the bartender when the stranger snatched the wallet from his hand and ran out of the place. The westerner was preparing to follow, he says, when the bartender caught hold of him and permitted the thief to escape. The pocketbook con-tained \$40. Mr. Gladsman reported his loss to the police at the armory and asked that the bartender be arrested as an acthat the bartender be arrested as an ac-

The manager of the weather bureau says that the indications for relief from the present continued drouth in Nebraska and westent continued drouth in Nebraska and west-ern Iowa are very unfavorable just at present. The light showers during the mid-die of the week did not extend far enough to be of material benefit. Reports from eastern Colorado and in the vicinity of Pueble state that those sections are being visited by a heavy fall of rain, and that the crop prospects are very encouraging, southern and western Nebraska are feeling the effects of the dry spell very keenly, and unless rain soon comes the crops will yield unless rain soon comes the crops will yield poor returns this season. The director of the bureau is in hopes that the wet streak

will reach over into western Nebraska.

Two daring balloon ascensions today, afternoon and evening, at Courtland Beach.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Excessive Dullners Was the Feature in Wheat Yesterday,

JULY CORN AND OATS CLOSED HIGHER

Early Cables and Argentine Failures Were Inclined to Create an Easy Feeling at the Start-Stocks and Bonds.

CHICAGO, June 2.-Excessive dullness vas the feature in wheat today, July closing %c higher after a range of %c. Luck of offerings and rumors of the settlement of the coal strike caused the steadiness. July corn closed 1/4c higher, July oats 1/4c higher and provisions slightly lower all around. Trading in wheat was almost exclusively local and small at that. Opening trades were at %c loss, and after selling up %c worked back %, advanced from %c to %c and closed at the top. The early cables and Argentine failures were inclined to create an easy feeling at the start, but the market firmed up a little, being influenced by the news from New York that a settlement of the coal strike was being arranged. This caused some of the room traders who sold early to cover later, and a prominent local trader was credited with moderate buying. There was very little crop news at hand, as was the case yesterday, but the southvest was said to be selling moderately here

Corn was very dull, but steady, within a range of %c. The steadiness of wheat held the price.
Oats were steady within ¼c range on moderate buying. July closed at the top.
Provisions were weak early on liberal hog receipts and lower prices at the yards. Trade was very dull and within a narrow range. Compared with last night, July pork is 10c lower, July lard 2½c lower and July ribs 216c lower. the price.

2½c lower. Freight rates steady at 1¾c for corn and oats to Buffalo. A few charters were made to Port Huron at 1½c for corn and oats. The leading futures ranged as follows:

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Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Winter patents, \$2.806(2.99); winter straights, \$2.406(2.60); spring patents, \$3.106(3.50); spring straights, \$2.206(2.69); bakers, \$1.706(2.00). WHEAT—No. 2 spring, \$3346(64); No. 2 red, \$346(64); No. 2 red, \$346(64); No. 3 red, \$3

HARLEY-No. 2, 4, 49c.
4, 49c.
FLAX SEED-No. 1, \$1.33.
TIMOTHY SEED-Prime, \$3.90.
PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$11.674/911.70. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$4.674/2. Short ribs
sides (loose). \$6, 1096/6.124/2. Dry salted shoulders
(boxed). \$5.621/2/95.871/2. Short clear sides (boxed).
35.5094.75.
WHISKY-Distillers' finished goods, per gal.,
\$1.15.

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The following were the receipts and shipments

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipment
Flour, bbls Wheat, bu Corn, bu Oats, bu Oats, bu Rye, bu	14,000 21,000 405,000 332,000 1,000 17,000	34.0 220.0 209.0 5.0

ket was steady, unchanged; creamery, 14&16}c; dairy, 10&145c. Eggs, steady, unchanged; strictly fresh, 10&105c. NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Provisions, Metals, Etc. NEW YORK, June 2.—FLOUR—Receipts, 21,200 bbis.; exports, 19,300 bbis.; sales, 3,200 pkgs.; market quiet and about steady; no export de-mand; city mill patents, \$4.0564.39; winter straights, \$3.2563.35; city mill clears, \$3.5563.60; winter straights, \$2.6062.95; Minnesota patents, \$3.40@3.85; winter extras, \$2.00@2.50; Minnesots bakerg, \$2.10@3.40; winter low grades, \$1.60@2.05

spring low grades, \$1.6094.85; spring extras, \$1.80 fr2.30. Southern flour, dull; common to fair ex-tras, \$2.0042.80; good to choice, \$2.6063.50. Rye flour, firm; superfine, \$2.70@2.85; fancy, \$2.85@ 2.05. Buckwheat flour, nominal. BUCKWHEAT—Dull; range, 88@75c. CORN MEAL—Quiet; yellow western, \$2.65@ 2.70; Brandywine, \$2.70. RYE—Nominal; state, 55c; Jersey, track, 52@ 53c.

2.70; Brandywine, \$2.70.

RYE—Nominal; state, 55c; Jersey, track, 526; 55c.

BARLEY—Nominal; Canadian, 67c.

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BARLEY MALT—Steady; western, 676/89c; Canadian, 99ff/55c; six-rowed, 83ff/85c.

WHEAT—Receipts, mone; exports, 56,999 bu; sales, 970,999 bu, futures and 8,000 bu, spot. Spot market steady; No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 56½c; affoat, 54%(651½c, Options were surprisingly firm on fair buying and better continental advices; shorts were run on and prices advanced sharply, reacted again, and fallied on firmer late cables, closing at ½c not advance; June closed at 54½c; July, 57.7-16657½c, Cosing at 57cc, September, 69½(660½c, closing at 59c; December, 63½(663.7-16c, closing at 63%c.

CORN—Receipts, 18,000 bu, exports, 83,000 bu; sales, 30,000 bu, futures and 8,000 bu, spot. Spot market dull; No. 2, 42%c in elevator, 42½c affoat; yellow, 42½c. Option market was steadier with wheat, but ruled very dull and closed unchanged to ½c net decline; June closed at 42½c; September closed at 44½c.

GATS—Receipts, 162,000 bu; exports, 400 bu; sales, 70,000 bu, futures, 40,000 bu, spot. Spot market firm on mixed, mone here; white steady; No. 2, 43c bond; No. 2, delivered, 44c; No. 3, 42½c; No. 2 white, 44c; No. 3, 42½c; track, white western, 43cg47c; track, white state, 43cf47c. Option market study diseady; shipping, 606/65c; good to choice, 706/87i; capat, 12547c. HAY—Steady; shipping, 200,000; 190,000;

pulled, 294728.

HEEF-Quiet: family, \$10.504712.50; extra mess. \$18; beef hams, \$18; city extra India mess. \$17.006 \$20.00.

CUT MEATS—Steady; pickled shoulders, 5%c; pickled hams, 10%c.

LARD—Duil; western steam closed at \$7.05 asked; June, \$7.05 nominal; July, \$7.05 nominal; refined, duil; continent, \$7.50; S. A., \$7.50.

PORK—Quiet and steady; new mess, \$12.006 \$1.25; extra prime, \$12.506713.00; family, \$12.006 \$1.50; short clear, \$12.006715.00.

BUTTER—Firm; western dairy, \$96712c; western creamery, \$13617c; western factory, \$8011c; state dairy, \$1261612c; slate creamery, \$14917c.

CHEESE—Weak; state, large, \$629%c; small, \$679%c; part skims, \$1567%c; full skims, \$263c.

EGGS—Firm; state and Pennsylvania, \$1293cc; western fresh, \$11.67612c; receipts, \$1.500 pkgs.

TALLOW—Quiet and steady; city \$25 per pkg.), \$25 per pkg.], \$25 per pkg.), \$25 per pkg.), \$25 per pkg.], \$25 per

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

Minneapolis June 2.—Wheat opened steady this morning with a little better buying, and advanced steadily be for July wheat and be for September wheat, then it became very quiet, dropped back and closed only be higher for futures than the close of Friday, while cash wheat closed be higher. The track sales were made mostly on the small advance of early in the day, and sold at a higher average than the day before, with good demand for all grain of a milling quality. Some musty wheat was a little alow to dispose of, as the demand for shipment is very light. There is a little disappointment in the amount of wheat that is being marketed in the country, which is larger than had been supposed was heid by the farmers as a surplus. There are some stations in the southern part of this state where sales are about as large as at any time on the crop, although such sections are the exception and include but a small portion of the northwest. It is noticeable that wheat is coming in now at such stations in many instances two years old, that had been

held from previous crops in expectation of higher prices.

The growing crops loads well, although a little dry in some places, and the good appearance of the growing crops insures formers to sell off the surplus they have on hand, being discouraged waiting for an alvowab. Receipts for today were III,360 bu., ahipasenis, 17,530 bu. The production of the mills uses up for the day some 18,960 to 40,00) bu miss up for the day some 18,960 to 40,00) bu miss up for the day some 18,000 to 40,00; but miss than the surplus of receipts above shipments. The market closed June and July 57%c; SEPlember, 57%c. On truck; No. 1 hard, 60%c; No.11 northern, 50c; No. 2 northern, 57%c.

The flour market washsteady, with sales at \$2,0093,50 for patents and \$2,0092,25 for bakers'. Flour shipments were, 6,514 bbis, for the day. Preduction about 33,007 bbis. Decrease for the week in most public bevaters' supplies was 136,760 bu.

Local Produce Market.

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BUTTER—The week violes steady at the prices already quoted and without any material change in the situation. Packing stock is in pretty fair demand at \$600. Good to choice country, 12674c; separator creamery, 17675c. The most of the butter coming grades as backing stock.

EGGS—The receipts average about the same from day to day, and the market does not show any material change. Fresh stock continues to command be.

LIVE POULTRY—The receipts of oid fowls are heavy, and in addition to the express slipments a good many old hens are being brought in by wagons from nearby points and sold direct to the city trade. The result is a lower market, with arrivals moving slowly. Old hens, \$6654c; roosters, 4c. The demand for other kinds of positry is rather light, though a limited quantity is salable. Ducks, 7674c; hen turkeys, 768c; gobblers, \$665.

-VEAL—The receipts have been very large all the week, but dealers have managed to keep the market pretty well delaned up and prices have been pretty well maintained. Good fat veals were quoted at \$607c, with sales of the best largely at \$4c.

PIGEONS—There is a demand for old pigeons, but young birds that are not strong on the wing are not wanted. Old birds, per doz., \$1.50@1.60.

VEGETARLES.

OLD BEANS—The market is steady. Neither the demand nor supply is very heavy at this point. California hand picked may, \$2.150@1.60.

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POTATOES—The receipts of old potatoes do not appear to be very large, but the supply is keeping right up to the demand. Colorado stock, \$56595c. The market is well supplied with new southern potatoes, which are quoted at 2c per 10. on orders.

CABBAGE—While good stock that will stand shipping is not plenty, there is some arriving.

CABBAGE—While good stock that will stand shipping is not plenty, there is some arriving from California. At this eason of the year cab-bage has to be worked off rapidly, as it will not hold an well ASPARAGUS-Good home grown stock, 35@40e er doz. on orders. PIE PLANT-Home grown pie plant, 2@2½c on

The PLANT-Home grown pe page.

TOMATOES—It is almost impossible to find stock that will stand shipping. There has not been a season in a long time when tomatoes were as scarce as they are at the present time. Good shipping stock on orders is quoted at \$2.50 GREEN VEGETABLES—Itadiahes, per doz., \$26925c; lettuce, per doz., \$26925c; lettuce, per doz., \$26925c; beets, per doz., \$30635c; beets, per doz., \$26936c. 11.25(9).50; paraley, per doz., 30(925c; beets, per doz., 50(950c)

NEW HEANS-Receipts are large and it requires quite an effort on the part of receivers to keep the market cleaned up. Wax beans, on orders, ½ bu. basket, 30(91.10); string beans, ½ bu. basket, 30(921.00).

PEAS-The market was overrun with peas at the close of the wesk, and ½ bu. baskets were billed out at 75(481.00).

CAULIFILOWER-The market is fairly well supplied with good stock. On orders, \$2.25 per doz. There is some very small home grown cauliflower arriving in the market, which sells as low as 50c per doz. to the local trade.

FRUITS.

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FRUITS.

STRAWBERRIES—There were about 650 cases of berries on sale this morning in addition to the holdovers. The demand was fair and the offerings were not long in being cleaned up. Prices are a little firmer, and good shipping stock on orders is quotable at \$3,0063.25.

CHERRIES—The market on California cherries remains about steady, good shipping stock going at \$1.25 on orders. There were some Kansas red cherries, which are quoted on orders at \$3,006 3.25. 1.25, GOOSEBERRIES There was some inquiry for green gooseberries, but not many in; good stock, per 24 qt. case, \$2.75.

TROPICAL FRUITS,

BANANAS—It has been no easy matter to get bananas lately. There have been few sales in New Orleans. A good dead of the stock shipped to market has been too green, and it has been almost impossible in many cases to fill orders with such stock as was-wanted; good stock, per bunch, £2.0062.50.

LEMONS—There have been very few days of real good lemon weather thus far this season. When warm weather treally comes dealers look to see a much firmer lemon market. Fancy lemons, 300 size, £4; fancy lemons, 360 size, £1.75; choice lemons, 390, size, £1.5062.75.

ORANGES—With this market full of berries, the demand is very limited for granges, and the supply on the market is small. Mediterramean sweets, £1.50. TROPICAL FRUITS.

Sweets, \$2.50.
FIGS. Fancy, per lb., 121-375c.
DATES.—Hallowees, 65 tto 30-lb. boxes, per lb., 54c.
PINEAPPLES Choice, per dex., \$2; small, \$1.75. MISCELLANEOUS

MISCELLIAN SOUS.

HONEY-California 18c; dark honey, 124c,
MAPLE SYRUP-Gailon cans, per doz., \$12,
NUTS-Almonds, Lighte; English wannuts, 100
12c; filterits, 12c; Fazzil nuts, 10c,
CIDER-Pure juice, per bbl., \$5; half bbl., CIDER-Pure Julee, per bbl., \$5; half bbl., \$3.25.

APPLE BUTTER-Per 20-lb. pails, \$1; half bbls., 3½c per lb.

HIDES-No. 1 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 green salted hides, \$2; No. 2 green salted hides, \$2; No. 2 green salted hides, \$2; No. 2 green salted hides, \$2; No. 1 dry flint hides, \$5; No. 2 dry flint hides, \$2; No. 1 dry flint hides, \$5; No. 2 dry flint hides, \$2; No. 1 dry salted hides, \$4; part cured hides, \$4; per lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS-Green salted, each, 25@60c; green salted shearlings (short-wooled early skins), Ro. 1, each, \$6\text{loc}; dry shearlings (short-wooled early skins), No. 1, each, \$6\text{loc}; dry shearlings (short-wooled early skins), No. 2, each, \$6\text{loc}; dry shearlings (short-wooled early skins), No. 2, each, \$6\text{loc}; dry flint, Kausas and Nebraska butcher wool, pelts, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; brees, white A. \$4\text{loc}; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool, per lb., actual weight, \$4\text{loc}; brees, white B. \$4\text{loc}; greese, white A. \$4\text{loc}; dry f

St. Louis General Market.

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St. Louis June 2.—FLOUR—Quiet, steady.
WHEAT—Steady, practically unchanged; No. 2
red, cash and June, 51c; July, 52½c; August, 52½
652½c; September, 53½c.
CORN—Neglected, about unchanged; No. 2
inixed, cash and June, 5½c; July, 55½c; September, 35½c.
OATS—Easy; No. 2, cash and June, 36½c;
July, 29½c; August, 35½c; September, 26½c.
RYE—No. 2, regular, 45c.
BARLEY—No trading.
BRAN—Firm; 64c bid, east track.
FLAX SEED—Nominal; \$1.12.
TIMOTHY—\$1.5044.09.
HAY—Dull; prime to choice timothy, \$8.50@9.50.
BUTTER—Easier; strictly fresh creamery, 17@
18c.
EGGS—Firm; 10c.

EGGS Firm; 10c, LEAD-Lower; late June and July delivery,

LEAD-Lower; late June and July delivery, \$3.95. SPELTER-Dull: \$1.20. CORN MEAL-\$1.95692.00. WHISKY-\$1.08691.16. BAGGING-30-4645c. COTTON THES-\$1. PROVISIONS-Easy, lower. Pork, standard-ress, folibing, \$11.25. Lard, prime steam, \$6.45; choice, \$6.60. Dry salt meats, loose shoulders, \$6.75; longs and ribs, \$6.20; shorts, \$6.35. Hacon, packed shoulders, \$6.75; longs, \$9.57\frac{1}{2}; ribs, \$7; shorts, \$7.12\frac{1}{2}. BECEIPTS-Flour, \$1.000 bbls; wheat, \$1.000 bu.; CORN, \$15.000 bu.; corn, \$15.000 bu.; corn, \$2.000 bu.; corn, \$2.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, June 2.—COFFEE—Options opened dwi: October 10 points advance and other months unchanged to 5 points advance; broke sharply; closed steady at 5 points decline to 10 points higher; sales, 10.500 hags, including; June, \$14.95 gif.500; July, \$14.80gif.801; August, \$14.35gif.401; September, \$13.15; spoil, coffee, Rio, quiet; No. 7, \$15.75; mild, dull; Cordova, \$3.00gif.25; sales; none; warehouse deliveries yearcrday, 12,000 bags; New York stock today, 186.23 bags; United States, 26,000 bags; todat; visible supply for the United States, 25,571 bags; against 453,107 bags last year.

SANTOS, June 2.—Market steady; prices unchanged to 5 pfg, lower; sales, 9,000 bags.

HAMISURG, June 2.—Market opened unchanged to 5 pfg, lower; sales, 9,000 bags.

HAVIE, June 2.—Market opened unchanged to 5 figher; ruled quiet; closed steady from 5 figher; ruled quiet; figher; ruled quiet; figher; ruled quiet; figher; ruled quiet; figher; rul Coffee Market,

Duluth Gram Market. Duluth Gram Market.

Duluth, June 2.—WHEAT—Closed dull; No. 1 hard, cash, 58c; June, 184c; July, 584c; No. 1 northern, cash, 564c; June, 57c; July, 574c; September, 564c; Docsember, 584c; No. 2 northern, cash, 544c; No. 2, 70c. On track: No. 2 northern, to arrive, 584c; Ryc.—10.

RYE—4c.
FILAN SERD—H.29. ;
OATS—No. 2, 354c; No. 3 white, 35c.
Car Inspection Today a, Wheat, 25 cars.
RECEIPTS—Wheat, 7,141 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 244,900 bu.; corn, 54,546 bu.

The wheat stocks here will show a decrease of about 550,000 bu. this week.

San Francisco Mining Quotations SAN FRANCISCO, Jure 2 - The official closin quotations for mining stocks to my were as fol-

Belcher	Hexican Mon? Ophir Potosi Sarage Sierra Nevada Union Con Yellow Jacket	130 280 280 82 74 96 70 77
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Buffalo Grain Market. BUFFALO, June 2.—WHEAT-No. 2 red. Sc; No. 1 white, Sec... CORN-Firm; fair demand: No. 2 yellow, 42%c; No. 3 yellow, 42%c; No. 2 corn, 42c; No. 3 corn, 41%c. OATS-Strong; No. 2 white, 42c; No. 3 white, 41c; No. 2 mixed, 23%c; receipts, small.

LIVERPOOL, June 2. WHEAT—Quiet; demand poor; holders offer moderately; No. 1 California, is 35-d948 75d; red western winter, is 16598 35d. CORN—Quiet; demand poor; new mixed, spot, is 65,0.

STOCKS AND BONDS. Fairly Good Business Scored in the Security Market.

NEW YORK, June 2 .- A fairly good business was done on the Stock exchange today for a Saturday, but two-thirds of the transactions were in three stocks, Sugar, Chicago Gas and St. Paul, the first named, as usual, being the most prominent in the dealings. A good many orders to buy Sugar were on the board at the opening, and as but little stock was offering, the shares moved up sharply, with an occasional reaction of 104%, an advance of 3% per cent from yesterday's closing figures. The improvement was accompanied by rumors that Sugar interests had taken a favorable turn in Washington, but nothing definite was disclosed. The last sale was made within 34 per cent of the highest price of the day. The preferred stock rose 234 per cent, to 95, reacting to 9414 at the close. St. Paul was the only active of the granger group, fluctuating between 59 and 58, and closing at yesterday's closing price. Burlington moved within the same narrow range, and closed unchanged from yesterday. Rock Island lost ¼ per cent, Lead made a gain of 1¼ per cent, and Texas Land ¾ per cent. Declines were recorded of 1½ per cent in Tobacco, 1¼ per cent in Richmond Terminal preferred. In the rest of the list changes were merely fractional, with a majority of the active shares slightly higher. The market, while generally dull, was fairly firm during the we hours of business, and closed steady in tone. The bord market today was some what irregular, but with a firm undertone. The Evening Post says: Market news from this country's financial center continues to be made up of the blackboard operations, by a group of wealthy Stock exhange manipulators in a single stock. Today these experts marked up the price of Sugar certificates 3 points, and the gossips were accordingly busy with news which will never accordingly busy with news which with never reach the newspapers with predictions by extremely interested prophets, and with argu-ments such as pass current only in speculaive Wall street.

The following are the closing quotations

Atchison	736	Northern Pacific.
Adams Express	148	No. Pac. pfd
Alton, T. H	30	U. P. D. & G
do pfd	150	Northwestern 1
Am. Express	112	do pfd I
Baltimore & Ohlo.	72	N. Y. Central
Canada Pacific	65	N. Y. & N. Epg Ontario & W
Canada Southern.	49	Ontario & W
Central Pacific	12%	Oregon Imp
Ches. & Ohlo	17%	Oregon Nav
Chicago Alton	139	O. S. L. & U. N
C., B. & Q	77	Pacific Matl
Chicago Gas	7.534	P. D. & E
Consolidated Gas.	134	Pittsburg 1
C. C. C. & St. L	3594	Pullman Palace 1
Colo. Cont & Iron	10	Reading
Cotton Oll Cert	26%	Richmond Term
Del. Hudson	131	do pfd
Del. Lack. & W	160	R. G. W
D. & R. G. pfd	29	R. G. W. pfd
D. & C. F. Co	2334	Rock Island
East Tenn	6	St. Paul
	13	St. Paul pfd 1
do pfd	27	St. P. & Omana
	152	do pfd 1
Fort Wayne	100	Southern Pac
G. Northern pfd.,	92	Sugar Refinery 1
C. & E. I. pfd	1650	Tenn. Coal & Iron
Hocking Valley	89%	Texas Pacific
Ill. Central	24	T. & O. Cent. pfd
St. P. & Duluth	2234	Union Pacific
K.& T. pfd	1419	U. S. Express
Lake Erie & W		W. St. L. & P
do pfd	0034	do pfd
Lake Shore	13094	
Lead Trust	39	
Louisville& N	4456	Western Union
Louisville & N. A.	734	
Manhattan Con	116%	
Memphis & C	284	M & St. L
Michigan Cent	19 de 24	D. & R. G
Mo. Pacific	2714	
Mobile & Ohio	18	N.L
Nashville Chat	70	C. F. & 1
National Cordage.	23%	do ofd,
do pfd	43	H. & T. C
N. J. Central	10636	T. A. A. & N. M
N. & W. pfd	20%	T. St. L. & K. C
North Am. Co	4	do pfd

shares, including: Atchison, 5,690; American Sugar, 41,290; Burlington, 3,990; Chicago Gas, 12,490; Distillers and Cattlefeeders, 1,490; Mis-sourt Pacific, 1,290; St. Paul, 19,699; Western Union, 1,399;

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, June 2.-MONEY ON CALL-Easy at 1 per cent; last loan and closed at 1 PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-2%04% per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE—Dull but firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.88% for

actual business in bankers only a viscout to demand and at 4.87½ for sixty-day bills; posted fates, \$4.88½ ff. 50; commercial bills, \$4.8624.867½. SILVER CERTIFICATES—5442950. GOVERNMENT BONDS—Firm. State bonds, thil, The closing quotations on bonds: The closing quotations on bonds:

U. S. 5s reg. 1174 S. L. & S.F. Gen. M. 90
U. S. 5s coup. 1173 St. P. Consols. 129
U. S. 4s reg. 1124 St. P. Consols. 129
U. S. 4s coup. 114 T. P. L. G. Tr. Rets 110
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Paolite day 195. 1004 Union Pac. 1sts. 1054
Lousfana stpd 4s 975 West Shore. 1044
Missouri 6s. 100
Tenn. new set 6s. 1024
Atchison 24s. 104
Tenn. new set 5s. 102
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Canada So. 2nds. 104
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Tenn. new set 1s. 105
D. & R. G. 1sts. 113
D. & R. G. 4s. 734
W. Cen. Pac. 1sts. 105
D. & R. G. 4s. 123
D. & R. G. 4s. 734
W. C. 6s. 123
Erie 2nds. 72
M. K. & T. Gen 5s
Mutual Union 6s. 1099
M. J. C. Int. Cert. 115
No. Pac. 1sts. 1114
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No. Pac. 2nds. 775
N. W. Consols. 138
N. W. Consols. 138
N. W. Deb. 5s. 1094
Currencies. 91
St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5s. 75

* offered.

* offered. BOSTON, June 2.—Call Joans, 11462 per cent; time loans, 2146314 per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares: | Gen. Electric | 3538 Atlantic | Mexican Central | 7 | Boston & Montana | N. Y. & N. Eng | 8 | Butte & Boston | Calumet & Hecia. | Calumet & Hecia. | Calumet & Hecia. | Calumet & Hecia. | San Diego | 6 | Kearsago | Union Pacific | 15 | Oaccola | West End | 48% | West End pfd | 77 | Tamarack | 1

New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, June 2.—The following are the closing mining quotations:

 Cholor.
 40
 Ophir.
 260

 Crown Point.
 75
 Sierra Nevada.
 80

 Con. Cal. & Va.
 450
 Standard.
 140

 Deadwood.
 50
 Union Con.
 70

 Gould & Curry.
 90
 Yellow Jacket.
 70

 Hale & Norcross.
 70
 Iron Silver.
 10

 Homestake.
 1250
 Quickaliver.
 200

 Mexican.
 100
 do preferred.
 1400

 Ontario.
 700
 Bulwer.
 10
 London Stock Market. LONDON, June 2.-4 p. m. closing:

BAR SILVER-28% per ounce. Chicago Stock Quotations.

Financial Notes. PARID, June 2.—Three per cent rentes, 191f 71/2c for the aucount.

MEMI'14IS, June 2.—Clearings, 3448,646; balances, 2392,159. New York exchange selling at 11 premium.

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SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—Drafts, sight, 10c; tdegraphic, 12%c. Silver bars, 623621/c. Mexican dollars, 514-11/c.

HALFIMORE. June 2.—Clearings, 12,855-943; balances, 5785-572; for the week, clearings, 12,29,40; balances, 12,592,548.

PHILADELPHIA, June 2.—Clearings, 11,2948.

949; balances, 13,394,396; for the week, clearings, 15,948,290; balances, 18,395-385.

NEW ORLEANS, June 2.—Clearings, 11,290,280.

LONDON, June 2.—The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balances today is 16,599.

into the Bank of England on balances today is 16,900.

CINCINNATI, June 2.—Clearings, 12,923,109. For the week, 110,524,309; for the same week last year, \$12,100,556. Money, 25,496 per cent. New York exchange, 60c premium.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Clearings, \$14,550,600; total for the week, \$74,160,009; corresponding week last year, \$95,664,600. Foreign exchange, quiet. Stering exchange, actual, \$4,874,948,854. New York exchange, 70c premium. Money, steady; rates, \$15,65 per cent.

ST. LOUIS June 2.—Clearings, \$3,571,969; this week, \$19,850,681; corresponding week, \$832, \$20,-\$70,129; last week, \$19,850,681; corresponding week last, year, \$2,55,209; last year, \$3,983,341. [Exchange on New York, Ste premium.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Exports of specie for the week amounted to \$5,170,869 in gold and \$257,852 in silver. [Emports for the week; Gold, \$1,278,782; silver, \$87,219; dry goods, \$1,218,001; general merchandise, \$7,509,988. Clearings, \$84,675,330; hilances, \$6,477,166; for the week, clearings, \$107,103,178; halances, \$29,325,730.

Pork. prime, 67s fd. Bacon, long and short OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKETS prime western, 25 lbs., 21s 61. lbs., 22s. Lard. OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Heavy Receipts Adversely Affect Prices to a Slight Degree.

CATTLE CLOSE THE WEEK IN GOOD SHAPE

Trading Active at Steady Prices and Windup Firm-Hog Vaines Well Sustained in Spite of the Liberal Offerings.

SATURDAY, June 2. About the only marked feature of the receipts the past week was the steady increase in the marketing of hogs. The figures are as follows:

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Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.

Receipts this week. 15,645 55,183 3,22

Receipts last week. 15,614 49,303 5,350

Same week last year. 15,572 29,741 3,176

Same week 1892. 11,708 65,391 1,692

The following table gives receipts for the past five months, with comparisons: | 1894 | Cattle Hogs. Sheep. | January | 64,608 | 114,250 | 24,882 | February | 59,946 | 120,324 | 26,141 | March | 67,386 | 148,634 | 21,151 | April | 69,373 | 142,637 | 18,065 | May | 68,517 | 187,870 | 17,545 | Total
1893.

January 87,614 120,175 16,664
February 63,027 79,024 38,314
February 63,027 77,024 38,314
March 74,440 96,447 37,195
April 68,463 100,871 24,332
May 61,457 125,958 12,951

Total355,007 522,445 127,459 Same five months 1892. 198,531 678,740 78,761 Same five months 1891. .215,473 665,842 67,274 The moderate marketing of cattle resulted in a general firming up of values. Con-ditions throughout the country have not materially improved and the English market was not much if any better than it has been of late, while hot weather has not increased the consumptive demand at home. In spite of these unfavorable circumstances, however, the short supplies at all the leading mar-kets of the country have made buyers pay a little more for the cattle every day, and the week's advance amounts to 15c to 25c. The good medium and heavy cattle have shown more improvement than the light grades, the duliness in feeders militating against the latter. Buyers, too, have been discriminating against the half-fatted and grassy steers, and as a rule this class of has sold very unsatisfactorily. SATURDAY'S TRADE GOOD.

The market today was in very fair shape. Receipts were moderate and the quality, as a rule, very good, this being particularly true of the heavier grades. The lighter steers, or at least many of them, showed too much grass to suit buyers. The dressed beef men were out early after supplies, and started in bidding fully steady prices. A good inquiry from outsiders and favorable reports from Chicago, however, soon in-duced a firmer feeling, and the general market was active at prices strong to a dime higher than Friday. While this was true of the fair to good stock, the under grades were more or less neglected, although prices were not quotably lower. There was a good tone to the trade throughout, and a good early clearance was made.

Cows and heifers that suited the dressed

beef men found a ready sale at good, firm prices, while the common and canning grades were slow sale at rather weak figures. This has been the general condition of the trade all week. Calves were in fair supply, not very good demand and easier. The mar-ket for rough stock of all kinds was about

There was not much doing in stockers Trade has been fairly good all week, however. The supply has dimin-ished, the demand increased and prices ad-vanced 10c to 20c on all grades. Good to thoice feeders are quoted at \$3.00@3.40; fair to good at \$2.75@3.00, and the commone grades at from \$2.75 down.
REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS. 2... 420 2 10 25... 454 2 90 5... 685 3 10 2... 490 2 90 9... 634 2 96 9... 911 3 10 14... 551 2 90 6... 590 3 05 HOG VALUES WELL SUSTAINED. With such ample supplies of hogs it was hardly to be expected that prices would hold up; in fact, the general sentiment is rather one of surprise that the decline was

as small as it turned out to be. Values today were not more than 10c to 15c lower than last Saturday, and 5c to 10c would cover the average decline for the week. Aside from the increased receipts, conditions have remained much the same as during the greater part of May and there is still nothing in the situation to indicate the future course of values. Packers report a very fair domestic demand for product, but the export trade is very slack at

There is a noticeable deterioration in the general quality of the hogs now being mar-keted. Receipts include an unusually liberal preportion of common light and light mixed hogs and quite a few pigs. Heavy hogs are getting scarce, and as a result are selling at about a nickel premium over lights, although the range of prices is still comparatively narrow. The following table will show about how the average weight of the bees has run for the nast sight years. hogs has run for the past eight years:

Months. | | 1894 | 1893 | 1892 | 1891 | 1896 | 1888 | 1887

The supply today was the lightest of the week, with the exception of Monday, and the quality was about the same as on the two or three days immediately preceding. Local packers were all after suplies and there was a very fair demand for shipping and speculative account. On account of the ample supplies, however, and the bearish tone to reports from both hogs and provisions in Chicago, prices ruled about 5c lewer than Friday all around. Fair to choice hwer than Friday all around. Fair to choice butcher weight and heavy hogs sold at from \$4.50 up to \$4.57\(\frac{1}{2}\) and poor to choice light weights from \$4.35 up to \$4.52\(\frac{1}{2}\). A very fair and early clearance was effected, the big bulk of the hogs selling at \$4.45 and \$4.50, as against \$4.50 and \$4.55 Friday and \$4.50, as against \$4.50 and \$4.55 Friday and

\$4.60 one week ago today. REPRESENTATIVE SALES: Av. 8h. Pr. 174 89 84 35 216 80 4 40

PIGS AND ROUGH. 1......520 40 4 25 3......146 120 4 00 SHEEP TRADE DULL. No sheep were received and there was no

stale stock in the pens. The demand is very fair and prices are quotably firm for good muttons and lambs. Supplies have been very moderate this week and nominally values are from 10c to 15c higher-than a week ago. Fair to good natives are quotable at from \$3.50 to \$4.40; fair to good westerns, from \$3.20 to \$4.30; common and stock sheep, from \$2.50 to \$3.25; good to choice 40 to 100-lb. lambs at from \$3.50 to \$4.65.

Receipts and Disposition of Stock. Official receipts and disposition of stock as snown by the books of the Union Stock Yards country for the twenty-four hours ending at 3 o'clock p. m., June 2, 1894: RECEIPTS.

CATTLE.	H)G8-	SHEEP.		HORSE	SA MLS
ara. Head	Cars.	Hend	Cars.	Head	Cars.	Head.
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nu	FRRS.		CAT	TLE.	HOGS.	SHEEP.
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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Sales Were Made at Friday's Quetations, Prices Being Maintained.
CHICAGO, June 2.—About 1,000 head of cattle arrived today, and the total for this week reached 49,500 head. This is 4,700 head less than

for last week and 5,300 head less than for the corresponding week last year. Sales were: made corresponding week last year. Sales were made at Friday's quotations, the market averaging fairly firm. Next week's receipts are nohighely to prove excessive, and for good to extra grades the outlook is favorable. The tendency is grass cattle is downward, as supplies of that class are now rapidly increasing.

Another be was chipped off from the price of hogs today, the market receiling to \$4.50 for the best heavy and to \$4.70 for assorted light. From these figures there were sales all albing down to from \$4.50 to \$4.55 for common and \$4.25 for culls. Most of the sales weighed at from \$4.60 to \$4.75, common and choice grades continuing to sell pretty close together. Receipts were estimated at 25,000 head, making 150,135 head for the week, as against 131,256 head last week and 71,189 head a year ago. Dealers are looking for lighter receipts for New York and a steadier market.

Sheep receipts for today were \$200 head, and for the week 61,500 head, against 52,571 head last week and \$5,600 head, a gainst 52,571 head last week and 58,600 head, a gainst 52,571 head last week a at Friday's quotations, the market averaging

(23.96).
HOGS—Receipts, 29,990 head; shipments, 7,000 head; market 5c lower; rough heavy, \$4.25@4.49; rackers and mixed, \$4.69@4.70; prime heavy and butcher wieghts, \$4.70@4.85; assorted light, \$4.65

(F5.00).
SHEEP AND LAMISS—Receipts, 3,209 head; shipments, 400 head; market steady; top sheep, \$4.25@4.40; top lambs, \$4.75@5.00. Kansas City Live Stock Market. KANSAS CITY June 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,600 head; shipments, 700 head; market steady to strong; Texas steers, \$2,4093.75; Texas cows, \$2,20962.20; beef steers, \$3.2594.90; native cows, \$1.2562.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.0093.85; buils,

St. Louis Live Stock Market. St. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

ST. LOUIS June 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 304
head; shipments, 705 head; market nominally
steady at Friday's prices.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,105 head; shipments, 2,106
head; market 5c lower; top prices, \$4.65 for good
heavy and medium weights.
SHEEP—Receipts, 406 head; shipments, 194
head; market firm, nominally unchanged.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, June 2.—HOGS—Receipts, 1,704 head; yesterday, 1,516 head; shipments, 385 head; market 5c lower; 34.4094,45; bulk, 44.424, CATTLE—Receipts, 100 head; yesterday, 174 head; shipments, 279 head; market duff; feeders, 125,593,40; yearlings, 12.2543,23; cows, \$1.2592,75] bulls, \$1.5962.49; oxen, \$1.5962.75.

Stock in Sight. | Record of receipts of live stock at the four principal yards for Saturday, June 2, 1894:
South Omaha	2,937	8,946	
Chicago	1,000	20,000	3,000
Kansis City	2,600	8,500	900
St. Louis	300	3,100	400
Totals	5,937	40,546	4,300

London Crop Prospects

LONDON, June 2.—The weather during the past week has been continually showery, and vegetation has been checked. The wheat market has been depressed. There are heavy supplies off the coast, over thirty cargoes are waiting for orders, and there is nothing doing for shipment. The parcel trade has been slow, and spot trade was dull at 6d decline. California wheat, arrived, was quoted at 21s 5d. Red window wheat, parcels, prompt delivery, was quoted at 21s 3d.

Flour was dull and neglected. There is a large supply of American flour and prices were from 3d to 6d lower. Maize was weak. Near from 3d to 6d lower. Maize was weak. Near reargoes found a fair sale. Forward business was inactive. Mixed American parcels, prompt delivery, were quoted at 16s 3d. Harley was dull and inactive at from 3d to 4d down. Outs were quiet at 3d decline.

Milwaukee Markets. MILWAUKEE, June 2.-FLOUR-Steady and

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WHEAT-Firmer: No. 2 spring, 55c; No. 1 northern, 63c; July, 534c.
CORN-Steady; No. 3, 37½c.
OATS-Firm and active; No. 2 white, 33434c;
No. 3 white, 354,4374c.
BARLEY-Lower; No. 2, 55c; sample, 52354c.
RYE-Higher; No. 1, 49c.
PROVISIONS-Higher. Pork, steady; \$11.55.
Lard, steady; \$6.70.
RECEIPTS-Flour, 2,000 bbis.; wheat, 2,400 bu.; barley, 12,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS-Flour, 41,200 bbis.; wheat, none; burley, none. Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, June 2.-WOOL-14c lower for Missouri and Illinois; others unchanged.

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