## COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Opened Radically Weak and Closed Uncompromisingly Firm.

CROP DAMAGE REPORTS QUITE A FEATURE

Corn Was Weak Until it Began to Recover from Its Early Break and Then Regained All it Had Lost,

CHICAGO, June 13.-Wheat opened radfeally weak and closed uncompromisingly firm. It regained a loss of 1%c per bu., made early, and closed with a gain of \$40 compared with yesterday's close. California crop damage and reported sales for exports caused the buige, July corn closed We higher and September outs and provi-

gions finished without change, Wheat was very weak at the opening. In the frantic efforts of brokers at the opening to sell out long wheat as near as possible to the top limit of their prin-cipals there was a general effering of the stuff down from 774c for July, which was the most any one asked for it, to 774c. with 77%e the most general trading price for a couple of minutes. It recovered to 77%c in about fifteen minutes, but at every recovery there appeared to be lots of long wheat for sale, and at 77% short sellers took a hand in supplying the demand. In took a hand in supplying the demand. In about three-quarters of an hour from the start the price had once more dropped to the lowest price from the opening, and even for a fraction of a second to 771sc. The Cincinnati Price Current was interpreted as being more favorable to the side represented by the bears in its remarks concerning the amount of the crop suggested by the government roport. The rain was claimed to justify the decline in the price. The foreign markets gave full acknowledgement this morning to the decline in price which occurred here yesterday. The enjoyment of the bears had a sudden check about an hour and a half from the opening. The altered tone was remarkable, and the trend in the prices from downward to upward was sudden and radical. In about ten minutes the price of July rose from around 77½c to 785½c. The reported taking of fifteen boatloads for export at New York gave the price its first holst, which took it to 785½c. Then, after a slight reaction, the crop reports which were being received and shown around were of such a luguipitous character that they began to alarm the shorts, and when, about 12 o'clock, there was received further confirmation from San Francisco of various damage by hot winds and rust to the California crop, the market broke bounds and rose in a jump to 78½c. It had settled back again to around 78½c at the close. The nominal receipts at Chicago were 24 cars, 29 of them being merely transfers from irregular houses. Minneapolis and Duluth received 17 cars, against 255 one year ago. The export clearances of wheat and flour from the Aliantic const ports were again very insignificant, comprising only 17,471 bu, of wheat and 250 cas, as compared with 50%c at the close yesterday, and after recovering to 51½c it closed at 51c. The day's receipts were the principal buyers.

The market for oats was quiet. Values were weaker during the greater part of the session, in sympathy with wheat and corn, but toward the close there occurred an advance. September ranged from 28½c to 25%c, about three-quarters of an hour from the start the price had once more dropped to

Estimates for Friday; Wheat, 25 cars; corn, 170 cars; oats, 140 cars; hogs, 24,000 head. The leading futures ranged as follows:

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Rye flour, steady; sales, 2:0 bbls.; fancy, \$4.45g 4.50.

CORN MEAL—Easy; sales, 2:0 bbls., 2:000 micks; Frandy wine, \$2.56g2.00.

WHEAT—Recents, none; exports, 16.700 bu.; sales, 10.806.900 bu. futures and 12:000 bu. spot. Shot unsettled; No. 2 red, in store and elevator. Si%c; atlout, 82:sc; f. o. b. 83e. affont; No. 1 hard, 85g259/sc. Options declined during the foremosn under good rains west, improved crop prospects and lower cables, but recovered subsequently on active covering due to reports of export demand here and milling demand at Chicago, coupled with buildsh harvesting returns. Prices rose 2: a bu, and closed at 5c net advance; June, closed \$15c; July, 80%5525c, closed \$15c; August, 89%5525c, closed \$24c; Coloder, 81%56 B28c, closed \$2.0. CORN—Receipts, 95.600 bu, exports, 19.00 bu.

ber, sisguas 3-16c, closed \$2\c; October, \$1\cup siske, closed \$2\c. December, \$2\cup sigual 1-16c, closed \$1\c. CORN-Receipts, 95,600 bu.; exports, 19.00 bu.; sales, 350,000 bu. futures and 25,000 bu. spot. Spot dult; No. 2.55\cup sin elevator, 25\cup sin spot. Options opened lower under task of an encironial crop, but advanced on heavy covering in the afternoon, closing \$\cup \text{ higher years in the afternoon, closed \$\cup \text{ higher years in the afternoon in the second and the afternoon in the afternoon in the second afternoon in the afternoon

HOPS—Strady: state, common to choice, oid. 1635c; 1894, 4638c; Pacific coast, old. 263cc; 1894, 1898.

HIDES—Strong; wet salted New Orienns, selected, 45 to 65 lbs., 62;c. nominal; Buenos Ayres, dry, 25 to 24 lbs., 15c, nominal; Texas, dry, 24 to 29 lbs., 16412c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock, Buenos Ayres, light to heavy weight, 226;23c; acid. 219;24c.

WOOL—Firm; domestic deece, 185;25c; pulled, 19654c. light to heavy weight, 226,22c; acid, 216,22c; WOOL-Firm; domestic deece, 154,25c; pulled, 19524c.

PROVISIONS—Beef,quilet; family, 511,505,13.0c, extra, 55.5c; beef harms, 19.505,25.0c; city, extra India mess, 517,056,19.0c. Cut meats, steady; pickled shoulders, 55.0c. Lard, dull; western steam closed at 56.7c arked; city at 56.1566,25; sales, 150 theres; July closed 16.87b, nominal; September, 57.07b, nominal; refined, quilet; Western dairy, 56,14c; western creamery, 126,18c; western factory, 86,13c; western creamery, 126,18c; western factory, 86,13c; et al., 114,17c; sale creamery, 116,18c; small, 55,26; CHEESE—Firm; large, 56,73c; small, 55,26; et shift stime, 161,15c; EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylavnia, 146,145,2c; western fresh, 125,26,13c; southern, 125,26,13c; receipts, 5,314 pkgs.

PETROLEUM—Steady; United closed at 51,54c, bid; refined, New York, 57,55; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 16,56; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 16,56; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 18,56; Quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 44,6054c; Japon, 35,65;

12 13. Copper, steady; brokers' price, \$10.62%; exchange price, \$10.55. Lend, strong; brokers' price, \$3.20£; exchange price, \$3.20. Tin, firm; straits, \$16.70; pigits, fairly active. Speiter, quies; domestic, \$3.70.

TUILPENTING—Steady, 25%; 250c.

COTTON SEED OIL—A weaker feeling prevailed today owing to increased offerings, notably prime summer yellow at 25c; off crude, \$16.22c; prime summer yellow, 25%; (927c; off summer yello

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce. The general market on country produce steady, there being little or no change in quotations. In most lines trade is slow and the demand rather light. Quotations:

EGGS Choice stock, 18c, BUTTER-Packing stock, \$c; choice to fancy, 10012c; gathered country, 14c; separator LIVE POULTRY-Hens, 696%c; roosters, 30 4c; spring chickens, \$2,9003.50 per doz.; ducks, \$c; turkeys, \$c; geene, 5c. VEAL—Choice fat, 70 to 100 lbs., are quoted at

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CHEESE—Wisconsin full cresm. 9c; Yung Americans, 10c; twins, 11c; Nobraska and Iowa, full cream, 10c; Nebraska and Iowa, part skims, 5677c; Limburger, No. 1, 10c; brick, No. 1, 11c; Nwiss, No. 1, 14c.

HAY—Upland hay, 85.50; midland, 38; lowland, 15, 150; rye straw, 45; color makes the price on hay. Light bales sell the best. Only top grades bring for prices.

ring top prices. PIGEONS—Per doz., \$1.00@1.50. VEGETABLES.

The prospect is now that this week will see a cleanup in petatoes, and while no material advance is anticipated a better tone to the market is expected. Pealers do not look to see her positions go above 75c unless it might be a pinch due to a temporary shorting in the supply.

Prices on a good many lines of vegetables are gradually working lower. Cabbase, string and wax beams are quoted lower. Tomatoes, owing to the large offerings, are decidedly lower. Quotations: VEGETABLES. ations: CAULIFLOWER-Southern stock, per crate. 2.00.
ONIONS—Bermudas, per crate, 11.50@1.89; Calfornia, in sacks, per ib., 2c.
FFTTATOES—Western stock, car lots. 70@75c;
mail lots, 70@75c; fancy new potatoes, 75c; OLD BEANS Hand picked, navy, \$2.20; Lima

cans, per lb., 54954c.
CARBAGE—On orders, 74c.
SPINACH—Per bu, basket, 3594c.
RADISHES—Per doz, bunches, 1592c.
GREEN UNIONS—Per doz, bunches, 15c.
LETTICE—Per doz, 20025c.
ASPARAGUS—Choice stock, on orders, 50c per logs, bunches

oz. bunches.
PHE PLANT-Per lb., %file.
CUCUMBERS-On orders. 50975c per doz.
PEAS-On orders. per bu. \$1.50.
STRING HEANS-On orders, per 15-bu. box.

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WAX BEANS—On orders, per 15-bu, box, 75c.

TOMATOES—Florida stock, per 5-basket crate.

12.75; per 4-basket crace, \$1.50.

TEXAS SQUASH—Per doz., on orders, 40@50c.

FRUITS.

There were a few Fort Smith peaches received yesterday, but the quality of the stock was very poor.

The berry market experienced quite a siump yesterday, owing to the large offerings and the poor quality of some of the stock. Quotations:

APRICOTS—California, choice stock, per box, \$2.50.

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CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Per box, \$2.50.
SOUTHERN PEACHES—Per 15-bu, box, \$1.
APPLES—Southern, per 15-bu, box, \$1.
STRAWHERRIES—Choice shipping stock, per case of 24 gts, \$1.009.5.25.
CHERRIES—California, black, per 10-lb, box, \$1.50, Royal, per box, \$1.50, choseniar, per box, \$1.50, choseniar, per box, \$1.50, followed by \$1.50 e, \$3.00@3.25.

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TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES-Navels, per box, none; choice seedlings, per box, \$2.25\pi2.00; Mediterranean sweets, \$2.25\pi.navy St. Michaels, \$12.5.

LEMONS-Extra fancy lemons, \$60 size, \$4.50\pi
BANANAS-Choice shipping stock, per bunch, \$2.00\pi2.25 12 00 07 2 25. PINEAPPLES-Per dox., 11.75 07 2.25, according MISCELLANEOUS. FIGS-Fancy, 15c; choice, 12013c; California.

FIGS-Fancy, 15c; choice, 12913c; California, bugs, 7c.

HONEY-California, 14915c.

MAPLE SYRUP-Gallon jugs, per doz., 512;

Rixby, 5-gal, cans. 53.

NUTS-Almonds, 14c; English walnuts, softshelled, 15c; standards, 11c; filberts, 2c; Brazil
nuts, 8c; pecans, 9c.

DATES-In 60 to 70-1b, boxes, 5c per lb.; fard
dates, 9c per lb.

CIDER-Pure juice, per bbl., 55. half bbl., 53.

COCOANUTS-Per hundred, 34.60.

HIDES-No. 1 streen hides, 85c; No. 2 green

COCOANUTS—For hundred, \$4.00.

HIDES AND TALLOW.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, \$ige; No 2 green hides, \$c; No. 1 green saited hides, \$c; No. 2 green saited hides, \$c; No. 2 green saited hides, \$ige; No. 1 veal calf, \$c 10.15 lbs., \$2c; No. 1 dry flint hides, \$ige; No. 1 veal calf, \$c 10.15 lbs., \$2c; No. 1 dry flint hides, \$ige; Partly cured hides, \$ige; Partly perfect hides, \$ige; Partly perfect hides, \$ige; Partly skins), No. 1, each, \$ige; Partly skins, \$ige; Partly skins,

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ST. LOUIS, June 12.—WHEAT—Great weakness was a prominent feature, the market declining from barks at the opening till further declines of \$40% took place. For a time prices hung increasing a tree of the process in the process and the process and the second took place. For a time prices hung in the said of the process and the process and

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BALTIMORE, June 13.—FLOUR—Quiet, un-changed, receipts, 11.063 bbis; shipments, 175 Bildimore, \$7.60; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, \$5.10.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, fair to extra, \$46064c; Japan, \$34656c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, \$28020c.

TALLOW—Easter; city (12 per pkg.), 45cc; country qkgs free), \$45cc.

RICE—Quiet; strained, common to good, \$1.555c.

RICEIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, \$1.555c.

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METALS—Pig iron, steady; American, \$10.000;

southern white corn, 52@54c; southern yellow, 55c.
OATS-Firm, at steady prices; No. 2 white western, 271,603c; No. 2 mixed, 2415c asked; receipts, 11,606 bu; stock, 125,632 bu.
HAY-Firmer; choice timothy, \$13,00613.59.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Speculation in Securities Continues to Display Some Activity.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Speculation on the Stock exchange continues to display a fair degree of activity, and the upward movement of prices is still unchanged. Today's market, while trregular at times, exhibited a strong undertone and the short interest took but little pains to conceal their desire to curtail their outstanding contracts when the conditions of the market warranted covering operations. There were some stocks which were governed by special conditions and which moved independently of the general list. Distilling was a notable example. The impending decision of the supreme court of Illinois in the quo warranto case, which rumor said would be unfavorable to the trust, rendered the stock weak in the early dealings, when a decline of \$4 per cent was recorded, which, however, was quickly followed by a rally of 14 per cent. When it was learned that the court had declared the trust illean! a reaction of only 'b per cent followed, and this was quickly recovered, as the judgment had been expected, and it was thought it would not hinder the reorganization of the company. A further advance of 1/8 per cent was made, with a final reaction of 'a per cent, making an improvement on the day of 'a per cent. The general market opened active and buoyant and continued to move upward during the first quarter of an hour, when on realizing sales a slight reaction took place. This was but brief, and the appreciation in values was resumed and continued until after it o'clock, the advance ranging up to 1/2 per cent. The most pron unced advances were made in the coalers, Surar, Tobacco, Pacific Mail and General Electric, Sales to take profits brought about another reaction of 'agiz per cent, but before midday speculation had usuan taken an upward turn, From 1 o'clock to the close the market was strong, the advance extending to 14 per cent. Compared with yeaterly, the closing prices are generally higher, the chief gains being: Sugar, 24 per cent; Lackawanna, 2 per cent; Reading and Susqueshanna & Western preferred, 1% per cent, and Great Northern preferred, 1 per cent, eneral list. Distilling was a notable example

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	Consolidated Gas.	148	Reading	18%
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	Colo. Conl & Iron.	836	R. G. W. pfd	44
	Cotton Oil Cert	27%	Rock Island	7134
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	Lake Erie & West	2434	Wells Parco Ex	108
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NEW YORK, June 13.—MONEY ON CALL-asy at 1 per cent; last loan, 1 per cent; closed per cent. PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-24934 per ent. STERLING EXCHANGE-Steady, with actual asiness in bankers' bills at \$4.89464.894 for lemand and \$4.88464.889 for sixty days; posted ates, \$4.80 and \$4.90; commercial bills, \$4.874; SILVER CERTIFICATES—6.0907%; GOVERNMENT BONDS—Firm; state bonds,

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New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, June 13.-The following are the closing mining quotations: London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, June 13 -4 p. m. closing: 
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 BAR SILVER-30 9-16d per uonce, MONEY-14 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for both short and three months' bills is 9-10494 per

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Receipts for the Week Show a Slight Increase Over Last Week-

MORE GOOD CATTLE COMING TO MARKET

l'esterday's Offerings-Were a Surprise in This Line-Trading Fairly Active-Hogs Slump a Nickel Under Lower Eastern Advices.

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THURSDAY, June 13. Today's receipts consisted of 853 cattle, 4,138 hogs and 350 sheep, as against 691 cattle, 4,945 hogs and 1,169 sheep yesterday, and 883 cattle, 4,462 hogs and 455 sheep on Thurs-

day of last week.

The receipts for the week thus far are 3.28 cattle, 15,510 hogs and 1,424 sheep, as against 2,881 cattle, 15,516 hogs and 1,153 sheep for the same four days last week.

CATTLE—There were, all told, thirty-one loads of cattle in the yards, as against twenty-eight yesterday. Of the cattle here tine loads were billed direct to the local packing houses and were not offered on the market. It was, so far as numbers were concerned, about the average run of cattle. Good cattle, however, were plentiful, there being several loads of pretty fair stuff. In addition to the natives there fair stuff. In addition to the natives there were several loads of good westerns. The quality of the cattle was something of an inducement to the buyers, and they bought the most desirable of the natives at a little stronger prices. Common and half-fat cattle are not in favor, and the market on such can be quoted no more than stendy. A load of 1,407-lb, steers sold at \$5.25, the highest price paid for steers on this market since May 25. A small bunch of lighter cattle went at \$5.05. Cattle welghing from 700 to 1,200 lbs. sold largely at \$4.50@4.65.

There were a few cows on sale, the most of them on the commonish order, which changed hands. The market on this class of stuff did not present any material change.

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only fifty-five fresh loads. The quality of the offerings was pretty good. In fact the hogs all this week have averaged good. Reports from other market centers were far from favorable to the selling interests and the trade opened fully 5c lower. In some cases salesmen thought they were asked to take off 10c. The demand was good, and under more favorable conditions the market gained in strength sind closed with the loss mostly regnined. The best were practically cleared at an early hour. The best hogs sold at \$4.55, the top price of the day, as against \$4.55.

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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

For Good Native Cattle the Price Was

Stronger. CHICAGO, June 13.—Only about 7,500 cattle arrived today and good native cattle prices were stronger, the demand being quite animated. common to strictly choice native steers that weighed from 900 to 1,600 lbs, sold at from \$3,60 o \$5.80, with fat cattle weighing from 1,350 to 1,450 lbs, selling around the top. Bulls sell mostly at from \$2.40 to \$3.60, and cows sell anywhere from \$1.75 to \$4.60 for inferior to extra with more sales at from \$2.25 to \$4.25 than a few days ago. Caives sell at from \$3 to \$5.75 few days ago. Calves sell at from \$3 to \$5.75, chiefly at \$5 and upward. Colee feeders sell at from \$4 to \$4.25, and feeding bulls bring from \$2.00 to \$2.85. Grass Texans sold around from \$3.00 to \$2.85. Grass Texans sold around from \$3.00 to \$4.25. Grass Texans sold around from \$3.00 to \$4.25. Chily about 28,000 hogs were received today, but the hogs that were left over last night increased the supply to 20,000 head. Saless were not particularly lively at yesterday's decline in prices. The hogs sold today went at from \$4.35 to \$4.70 for heavy, from \$4.25 to \$4.65 for mixed and at from \$4.25 to \$4.55 for light. The bulk of the sales were at from \$4.25 to \$4.55 for heavy and from \$4.45 to \$4.55 for light. The bulk of the sales were at from \$4.55 to \$4.55 for heavy and from \$4.45 to \$4.55 for light. and from \$4.45 to \$4.55 for light.

In sheep the supply continues much less than in recent weeks and destrable offerings are active and tenting upward. There is a call for choice sheep of large size to expert, but such are very scarce. Inferior to fair sheep sell at from \$2 to \$2.75; fair to choice at from \$3 to \$4.25; clipped lambs at from \$3 to \$4.25, dipped lambs at from \$3 to \$4.60, and spring lambs at from \$4.25 to \$5. Common Texas and native sheep are hard to sell, even at concessions.

Receipts: Cattle, 7,500 head; culves, 1,000 head; hogs, 28,000 head; sheep, 9,000 head.

St. Louis Live Stock. St. Louis live Stock.

ST. Louis, June 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,760 head; shipments, 2,000 head; market steady, but offerings were not first class; heef and shipping steers ranged 84,265,46; light steers, 12,5564,00; cows. 12,0563,00; feed Texas steers, 12,5564,00; cows. 12,0563,00; fed Texas steers, 12,0564,00; cows. 12,0563,00; fed Texas steers, 12,0564,00; cows. 12,0563,00; fed Texas steers, 12,0564,00; cows. 12,0564,00; cows. 12,0564,00; downward fed to the first steers, 12,0564,00; cows. 12,0564,00; downward fed to the first steers, 12,0564,00; cows. 12,0564,00; downward fed to the first steers, 12,0564,00; cows. 12,0564,00; downward fed to the first steers, 12,0564,00; downward fed to the first steed for the first steers, 12,0564,00; downward fed to the first steed f HERT. H 2474.50.
SHEEP-Receipts, 1,400 head; shipments, 600 head; market steady for sheep, 25c off for lambs, native muttons sold at 1,000,2.10; lambs ranged 14,2584.65. Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, June 12.—CATTLE—Receipts.
2,400 head; shipments. 1,400 head; market strong
to loc higher; Tvans steprs, 12.55424.00; Texas
cows. \$2.4062.00; beef steprs, 12.55454.00; Texas
cows. \$1.0034.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.0034.30;
buils. \$1.0034.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.0034.30;
buils. \$1.0034.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.0034.30;
head; market opened weak, closed strong; buils
of sales. \$4.1554.40; heavies. \$4.3054.55; packers.
\$4.254.55; mixed. \$4.1034.45; lights. \$3.3034.30;
Yorkers. \$4.1034.30; pigs. \$1.5934.00;
SHEEP—Receipts. 2.300 head; shipments, 3,200
head; market steady.

Record of receipts at the four principal mar-kets for Thursday, June 13, 1895; South Omaha. Caltle. Hogs. Sheep.
Chicago 7.500 28.603 9.600
Kansas City 2400 7.500 2.200 5.000
St. Louis 4.700 4.500 1.400 Totals ...... 15 453 44.138 13.030 New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, June 12—BEEVES-Receipts, 25 head; none on sale. European cables quote American steers at 11612c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 94,0104c. No exports today, CALVES-Receipts, 26 head; quiet but steady; veals, poor to prime, \$4.0044.20.

Sheriff to J L Oison, n. t<sub>2</sub> lot 12, block 10, First add to South Omaha. G T Edney, guardian, to E T Melaughlin, e tigerator beef at 94,014c. No exports today, CALVES-Receipts, 260 head; quiet but steady; veals, poor to prime, \$4.0044.20.

Sheriff to J L Oison, n. t<sub>2</sub> lot 12, block 10, First add to South Omaha. G T Edney, guardian, to E T Melaughlin, e tigerator beef at 94,014 to 10, block 40, Omaha.

Special Inaster to N G Gurnsey, lot 8, block 20, Monmouth park

sale, 6,000 head; sheep, higher; others unchanged; ismiss, active and firm; over 2,000 head community medium sheep unsold; sheep, poor to prime, \$.175474.50; lambs, common to good, \$4.0006.75; no prime or choice offered, HCGS-Hcccipts, 2,672 head; lower at \$4.75695.00.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL. June 13.—WHEAT—Spot. dull; demand. page: No. 3 red winter, 68 19d; No. 2 red winter, 68 19d; No. 2 red winter, 68 3d; No. 1 California, 58 3d; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 68 3d; No. 1 California, 58 3d; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 68 3d; No. 1 California, 58 3d; October, 2 closed steady with near and distant positions 13d lower; closed steady with near and distant positions 14d lower; business about equality distributed; June, 58 19d; July, 69 3d; August, 58 10d; Geptember, 58 10d; July, 68 3d; August, 58 10d; July, 68 3d; August, 58 10d; July, 68 3d; August, 58 2d; August, 58 2d; Sptember, 48 6d; July, 68 3d; August, 58 3d; Sptember, 48 6d; FLOUR—Firm, demand, fair; freely supplied; St. Louis fancy winter, 58.

PROVISIONS—Bacon, steady: demand moderate; Cumberiand cut, 28 to 58 10s, 21s; short ribs, 28 18s, 22s 6d; long clear, light, 28 to 45 fbs, 23s; 6d; long clear, heavy, 55 lbs, 13s; dots one clear heavy, 65 lbs, 13s; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs, 14s; short clear backs, light, 18 clear belifies, 14 to 16 lbs, 23s. Shoulders, square, 12 to 18 lbs, 25c. Harm, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 43s; 6d. Pork, prime mess, fine western, 60s; prime medium, 52s 6d. Land, dull prime western, 25s 6d. refined, in palls, 34s. CHEESE—Firm; demand fair; finest American white, 43s; finest American colored, 43s; ordinary new, 26s. BUTTER-Finest United States, nominal; good,

COTTON SEED OIL—Liverpool refined, 18s 34. LINSEED OIL—21s 9d. LINSEED OIL-218 9t.
PETROLEI M-Refined, Sigl.
REFRIGERATOR BEEF-Forequarters, Fig. iindquarters, 5½d, HOPS—At London (Pacific coast), 42.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, June 12.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at a partial advance. June notices ruled dull the rest of the day and closed quiet at unchanged to 15 points net advance. Sales. 5,250 bags, including March, \$14,45914.55; July, \$14.50; October, \$14.70, and December, \$14.55; July, \$14.50; July, \$14.50; October, \$14.70; United State stock, \$15.213 bags, and \$15.212 bags; United State stock, \$15.213 bags, angainst \$28.422 bags hast year.

SANTOS, June 13.—Quiet; good average Santos, nominal; receipts, \$000 bags; stock, \$14.500 bags. HAMBURG, June 13.-Steady; 14 pfg. decline HAMRURG, June 13.—Steady; A pig. decine; sales, 3,000 bags.

RIO, June 13.—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 815.50; exchange, 94d; recepts, 6,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 16,000 bags; cleared for Europe. 8,000 bags; stock, 118.008 bags.

HAVRE, June 13.—Op ned quiet, unchanged; at 12 m., quiet, unchanged; at 3 p. m., quiet, clessed quiet and unchanged for the day. Sales, 7,000 bags.

Peoria Markets.

PEODIA June 12 - CORN-Slow: No. 2, 5014c; OATS-Dull; No. 2 white, 31(131%c; No. 3 white, HYE-Scarce; No. 2, 65466c, WHISKY-Firm; finished goods, on the basis of \$1.25 for high wines.

HECKIPTS-Wheat, 2,000 bu; c.rn, 37,700 bu; cats, 39,500 bu; rve, none; barley, 1,400 bu; shiPMENTS-Wheat, 600 bu; c.rn, 1,300 bu; cats, 45,000 bu; rye, none; barley, 1,400 bu. Sugar Mark ".

NEW YORK, June 12.—SUGAR—Raw, dull: refined, quiet: No. 7, 7, 15-16844c; No. 8, 3, 11-16674 1-166; No. 9, 3, 13-16684bc; No. 10, 314-16665 No. 11, 314-16665 No. 12, 3, 9-1668 55c; No. 13, 3%c; off A, 41-16945c; mold A, 411-16645c; standard A, 47-16945c; confectioners' A, 45-16945c; cut loaf, 5, 1-16965c; cut loaf, 5, 1-16965c; granulated, 47-16945c; cubes, 4, 11-16645c; granulated, 47-16945c; cubes, 4, 11-16645c; Oli Mark t.

LONDON, June 13.-TURPENTINE-Spirits. III8 2d, CHARLESTON, June 13.—ROSIN—Firm; \$1. Turpentine, freely offered at 2644c, WILMINGTON, June 13.—ROSIN—Firm; strained; \$1.15, good, \$1.20, Spirits, steady; 28446; 26c. Tar, steady; \$1.25, Turpentine, firm; hard, \$1.20; soft, \$1.80; virgin, \$2.25. Milwank e Martets.

MILWAUKEE, June 13.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 spring, 80c; No. 1 northern, 86c; July, 81c, CORN—Lower; No. 3, 504c, GATS—Quiet; No. 2 white, 32c; No. 3 white, HARLEY-Nominal: No. 2, 49c; sample, 489 RYE-Lower; No. 1, 691gc.

Duluth Wheat Market

DULUTH, June 13.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard, cash, 1984c; June, 89c; July, 8914c; No. 1 northern, cash, 784c; June, 7814c; July, 80c; September, 18c; No. 2 northern, cash, 7814c; No. 3 northern, 71c; rejected, 6914c; to arrive, No. 1 hard, 81c; No. 1 northern, 8014c. Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS. June 13.—WHEAT—Firm: June, 80c; July, 80c; September, 70½c, On track; No. 1 hard, 80½c; No. 2 northern, 80½c; No. 2 northern, 1996. FLOUR-St ady; first pat nts, \$4.156(4.6); second patents, \$4.056(4.4); first clears, \$3.506(3.6).

otton Warket. NEW YORK, June 18 .- COTTON-Quiet; midreported; receipts, 156 bales; shipments, 255 bal-stock, 25,551 bales.

'Frisco Wheat Quotations. SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—WHEAT—Dull; December, \$1.06%; cleared, 691,822 centals wheat. Foreign Financial Affairs.

Foreign Financial Affairs.

BERLIN, June 13.—Exchange on London, eight days' sight, 20 marks 44% pfg.

PARIS, June 12.—The weekly statement of the Hank of France issued today shows the following changes, as compared with the previous account: Notes in circulation, decrease, 22,759, 680f; treasury account, current, increase, 12,755, 680f; treasury account, current, increase, 15,675, 690f; gold in hand, decrease, 2,575,690f; bills discounted, increase, 12,125,690f; silver in hand, increase, 1,350,690f. Three per cent rentes, 1927 724gc for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 214gc for checks.

LONDON, June 13.—The Bank of England's

LONDON, June 13.—The Bank of England's rate of discount remains unchanged at 2 per cent. Gold is queted at Busenos Ayres today at 244; Madrid, 13.50; Lishon, 29; St. Petersburg, 53; Athens, 77; Rome, 194.92%; Vienna, 193. The weekly statement of the Bank of England; issued today, shows the following changes, as compared with the previous account. Total reserve, increase, 1968,000; circulation, decrease, ff92,000; buillion, increase, 1575,852; other securities, increase, 190,000; other deposits, increase, ff1.730,000; public deposits, decrease, ff24,000; notes, reserve, increase, 1946,000; government securities, increase, ff0.000. The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability, which last week was 62.18 per cent, is now 62.85 per cent. LONDON, June 13.—The Bank of England's

HOSTON, June 13.—Clearings, \$15,138,217; bal-nees, \$1,732,835. nces, \$1,133,835.

BALTIMORE, June 13.—Clearings, \$2,376,998; salances, \$331,131. NEW YORK, June 13.—Clearings, 105,600,593; salances, \$7,505,627. DRIANCES, \$1,650,627.
PHILADELIPHIA. June 13.—Clearings, \$11,158,-657; balances, \$1,625,520.
ST. LOUIS, June 13.—Clearings, \$4,022,826; balances, \$57,446. Meney, 5546 per cent. New York exchange, 56e premium bid.
WASHINGTON, June 13.—Today's statement of the candition of the treasury shows: Available the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$183.318,074; gold reserve, \$99,559,446. CHICAGO, June 13.—Clearings, \$15,563,000. Money, easy: rates, 46:5 per cent on call: 516:76 per cent for commercial paper. New York exchange, 25c premium. Sterling, posted rates, \$4.90 for demand, \$4.80 for 60 days.

Miss Cayford's Lecture on Girls, Miss Laura Cayford, who has been doing such excellent rescue work at the Twelfth Street Rest, delivered her lecture "Six Classes of Girls," at the Young Men's Christian association hall last evening to Taylor struck him with something and he a fair audience. Misses Wood, Tuttle and Pennock helped entertain the audience with instrumental and vocal music. Miss cayford's lecture was enjoyed by all, and is of a refining, poetical character. She lectured under the joint auspices of the Woman's Christian association and the Woman's Christian Temperance union of Omaha.

The following marriage licenses were is-sued yesterday by the county judge:

INSTRUMENTS placed on record June 13,

WARRANTY DEEDS. Conrad Eisele to Maria Wilson, lot 3, block 6, Omaha View. Samuel Pruyn and wife to Margaret E As-gel, e ½ lot 5, block 3, Patrick add. QUIT CLAIM DEEDS.

MURPHY AND THE CORN PROPAGANDA

CHICAGO, June 11 .- To the Editor of The Bee: I feel that the western people would like to hear from me a few parting words in regard to the corn propaganda which I had he honor of inaugurating in Europe nearly nine years ago. Two years after I started my work I was honored by our late greatly lamented Secretary Rusk by an official recegnition as a representative of his department in Europe, he realizing the importance of the work I was trying to do under very adverse circumstances. This official status, nowever, increased the scope of my useful ness and gave to it a dignity which always follows official distinction. My efforts were first confined principally to the United Kingdom, where I met with considerable success, especially in the International exhibition held at Edinburg in 1890. Thousands were in-terested in my exhibit, which was consid-ered by many important Europeans as worthy of their serious attention. A year after this, was ordered by Secretary Rusk, during the hortage of the rye crop, to praceed to Ger-nany, and, if possible, impress upon the miliary authorities the advisability of using our Indian corn as a ration for their army. It can be very readily understood the difficulcan be very readily understood the difficul-ties I had to contend with. I might say, the prejudice of centuries among a people who considered our Indian corn as a food fit only for animals. The press of Germany, how-ever, gave to my work a helping hand by the agitation which followed. A royal com-mission was appointed by the government to decide upon the extral best advances. decide upon the cereal best adapted as a mix-ture with their rye for bread. A most severe test was made, the authorities remaining in council from time to time. After six months a most complete official report was given to the people, and it was decided that Indian corn was the best cereal known for a mixture with their rye for the army. Many prominent papers throughout the empire advocated its use, and the eminent scientists

advocated its use, and the eminent scientists and privy counsellor of the emperor. Dr. Thiele, was ordered to give a lecture in one of the large workingmen's halls in Berlin, wherein I had cooked and handed to the people many varieties of our corn food. Dr. Thiele strongly advocated the use of maize as human food, and among the many reasons he gave for its adoption was that by using American corn in time of short crops the German people by so doing would become independent of Russia for their bread supplies. dependent of Russia for their bread supplies. Three mills were crected in the city of Hamburg alone during that year, which ground American corn for bread, and had a large de-mand. In the city of Dresden one miller ground 780 tons, which was baked into bread. In Hanover and other cities of Germany many bakeries were established for the sale of maize bread. The plentiful harvest which followed would make it natural to conclude that the demand would fall off. But one thing remains certain—that there is now no ignorance in Germany as to the healthful-ness and desirability of our food when cir-cumstances demand it.

But what I regard as the crowning success f the government was its efforts in Scandinavia, a country which is or has been but little traveled by our exporters, who drop their efforts generally with middle Europe. Previous to the giving of the corn banquet by the Agricultural department in the city of Copenhagen, manufactured maize was not obtainable in the kingdom of Denmark, and our minister, Mr. Carr, who represented our government, was obliged to send to New York for what he required for the use of his family. Now the traveled American, in regard to

his food, can feel quite at home in the Danish capital. After fourteen months of hard labor, now nearly every variety of manufactured corn can be seen displayed, and extensively so, in the principal metropolitan shops. Also California wines, fruits, American cysters, when in season, cranberries and other products. Thirteen of their largest breweries use our corn and brew by American methods. As several of our large milling firms in America can testify as to the very large shipment they have made into Denmark, where previous to my work they had not a foothold. As time rolls on our exports will increase, but never decrease.

I regret to say that Secretary Morton closed the foreign work on January 1, 1895, and I was reluctantly obliged to withdraw from a service which was ever congenial to me and wherein I have used every honest endeaver and Holland, where the work of the Agricul-tural department made excellent strides. It was my privilege to be a delegate to th International Chemical congress, embled in the city of Brussels on August last, where delegates from nearly every im-portant country of the world were present, I being the only American, was asked to deliver a lecture on the possibilities of maize for human food and for brewing. It was well received.

The seed has been sown on good ground in those countries, and for the sums appropriat; by congress a good harvest has been reaped. This work I have made, in one sense, espectally my own, and shall return to London in the interest of agriculture, and there locate my office, but will travel into the various ountries where American products now go and their sales can be increased. Lately Governor Jackson has honored me with the appointment of commissioner for the great state of Iowa in Europe. This official distinction will strengthen my hands and en-able me to pursue my work under most favorable circumstances. Secretary Morton

closed the foreign work for the reason of our scarce corn crop of this year and the high price which prevailed. I should not forget to mention that at the Edinburg exposition I received for the excellence of the corn food by my exhibit there, the first prize, a silver medal, the only one ever received on foreign soil for Indian corn product as human food CHARLES J. MURPHY.

FOUGHT IN AN ALLEY.

Case in Which Assault and Larceny Are Well Mixed Up.

On Wednesday evening a colored man J. O'Neil finally came to blows over a garden plot. The plot has furnished a bone of contention between the two for some time.

Taylor claims that on the night in question he went out into the alley between the prembase of the content of the cont named Taylor and a white man named P. out armed with a hammer. He says that O'Nell remarked that he intended to settle the matter right then and there and struck at him with the hammer several times. Taylor jerked the hammer from him and Yesterday O'Neil swore out a complaint

against both Taylor and his wife. The body of the complaint charges Taylor and his wife with assaulting O'Neil, but in the title they are charged with larceny. Consequently, when the warrant was issued it charged the two with larceny and in this shape it was placed in the officer's hands for service.

PANIC IN A SCHOOL ROOM. Plastering Falls from a Ceiling, Injuring a

Number of Children. CHICAGO, June 13 .- In a panic at the East Side school in Evanston, 200 children were badly frightened by the falling of a section of plaster from the ceiling of one of the rooms, and the following were injured: Frances Willard Singleton, 7 years old, head cut in two places; very serious.

Richard A. Smith, 8 years old, head cut. Cameron Overbache, 6 years old, head cut. It was in the room of Miss Nellie Sick-ls. who teaches the first grade, that the plaster There were forty-five pupils under Miss Sickels, ranging in ages from 6 to 8 years. They had just finished singing a song and were taking their seats when the crash came.

NEW YORK, June 13 .- A special to a local paper from Panama says: There is little confidence that the Ecuador government at Quito will last much longer. The patriots are securely intrenched at Guayaquil and are only waiting for Alfaro's arrival to continue their victories. General Ramon Uloa is persuaded, at least he acts as if he were persuaded, that Quito will fall soon.

Contract Let for a Big Distillery. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., June 13 .- The contracts for the erection of the new anti-trust distillery were signed last night. The dis-.58.404 !illery will be the largest in the world.

AKSARBEN KNIGHTS MEET

Hold Secret Conclave Respecting Shows for the People in September.

HALL FOR FEAST OF MONDAMIN BALL

Omaha Man to He Crowned as King, buf the Queen is to Come from Another City-Planning to Bring Spiendor from Mystery.

The executive committee of the Knights of Aksarben held the first secret meeting in ts history at the Commercial club last evening. The line was drawn on reporters, and even Commissioner Utt was compelled to give the pass word before being admitted. There was a full attendance of the committee, and it was rather late before the mysterious sons of autumnal festivities got down to business. There was some discussion on a communication submitted by Commissioner Utt. The 125 costumes recently received from New Orleans were accepted. It was decided to give four parades, and one night of state fair week will be devoted to a display of floats representing the various cities of the state. It was further decided to col-

lect the subscriptions as soon as possible. It is said on good authority that many of the floats purchased at New Orleans must have considerable attention from the painters and carpenters before they will be in presentable shape for the parade, but that the

floats generally are in fair condition and will make a good showing.

The committee is considering where to hold the Feast of Mondamin ball, and it is regarded as possible that the new Creighton theater will secure the honor. In point of space the Coliseum is urged as the best place for 500 couples to dance to the tune of the consolidated orchestras of the city, but it is thought that the location will be he determining point against it. Boyd's theater has been mentioned frequently for the big event, and it is a certainty that one of the three places will be chosen.

From the drift of gossip among the "com-nittee of the order of the golden key" it is

possible an illuminated beyele parade will be given. Each wheel will be decked with Japanese lanterns and dressed in gala atre. Ploomers will be permitted in line, otwithstanding the objection of a hopeless

minority of the committee.

It is rumored that Rex will be one of three men, Colonel W. F. Cody, Lou's Rheem or W. A. L. Gibbon. This has not been yet decided and Colonel Cody has positively de-clined the honor. The queen will be se-lected from one of Nebraska's other cities.

Place of State Fair Promoters,

The Omaha Speed and Pair association met at the Commercial club yesterday to agitate prompt collection of local subscriptions to he state fair and raise the money at once necessary to make the fair a success. The State Fair Board of Managers held a brief meeting at the Millard yesterlay and ac-cepted a suggestion to go to the grounds in the afternoon with a delegation of Council Bluffs implement men.

FOREST FIRES CONTINUE,

Cennsylvania Still Being Devastated by the Raging Flames.

BRADFORD, Pa., June 13.-Forest fires ontinue to destroy property. Last night at 12 o'clock word came from Simpson stating that the flames were dangerously near to the wells of Urquhart & Lavens and that it would be difficult to save the property from destruction. Yesterday a force of 150 men had a hard fight with the destroying element near Lafayette Corners.

Nearly 2,000,000 feet of lumber at W. D. Johnson's mill were destroyed, entailing a loss of \$15,000. The lumber was partially insured. The mill was saved. Another fire to make my work tell in the interest of American agriculture. I must not close this without making especial mention of Belgium wood for Harlin & Knowles. Fires are renear Taintor's destroyed a large quantity of

WEATHER FORECAST.

Showers and Warmer in Western Nebrasks Today.

WASHINGTON, June 13 .- The forecast for Friday is: For Nebraska-Showers; warmer in the western portion; southerly winds. For Missouri-Fair; easterly winds.

For South Dakota-Fair; warmer in the southern portion; easterly winds.
For Kausas-Showers; slightly cooler in the eastern portion; southerly winds.
For Iowa-Fair; southeasterly winds. Local R cord.

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Maximum temperature 84 90 89 84 Minimum temperature 57 70 69 64 Average temperature 18 90 80 79 74 Precipitation 18 90 80 60 81 Condition of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1895; Normal temperature..... 71 

Reports from Other Stations at 8 P. M.

Tempor-STATIONS. 78 84 .00 Clear.
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(eq. indicates trace of precipitation, L. A. WELSH, Observer.

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