CONDITION OF OMAHA'S TRADE

Merchandise Values Generally Have an Upward Tendency.

COUNTRY COLLECTIONS SATISFACTORY

Dealers in Summer Goods Want to See a Good Hot Spell-Rain and Threatening Wenther Interfere with Retail Trade.

There was a fair movement of merchandise of all kinds in a retail way during the week just closed in spite of the fact that the weather conditions were not such as to induce Tree buying. At this season of the year, when spring goods have gone into consumption, and when it is too late to buy such merchandise as might be wanted while the weather is cool or subject to sudden changes, there is nothing so conducive to an active buying demand as steady, warm weather. A few warm days will not do. Thus far this season the weather has not been warm enough to bring out the demand for mid-summer wearing apparel and consequently there is a rather quiet trade in many departments carrying such lines.

Satisfactory to the Grocers. Business with wholesale grocers continues to be very satisfactory. The volume of trade for last week was fully up with that of the preceding week and the outlook is bright for a continuance of present conditions. As long as crops are in good shape grocers have little fear for the future of trade. The market in most cases is firm, but a few lines that are influenced by peculiar conditions are constantly being quoted

prices are falling off and the market breaking up, as has been generally recorted, but that in every line but one prices are strong. Print cloth in cotton goods is the one exception, but the weakness in this line is due entirely to the fact that the capacity of the mills to turn out this class of goods is several times greater than the consuming demand and consequently there is nothing strange in the weakness of the market. Not only is the general dry goods market strong, but there is every indication that a sharp advance, especially woolen goods, is not far off. The high tariff on wool and the increased consumption this year over last of woolen goods are bound to cause an advance.

Nothing out of the ordinary took place last week in the hardware trade. The market remains firm, but no quotable changes are reported. Wire cloth, and in fact all seasonable goods are in good demand, and the indications are that the present brisk trade is going to continue indefinitely. Collections are good.

Trade in boots and shows is also about

Trade in boots and shoes is also about stationary. The majority of the jobbers make very favorable reports and appear to be well pleased with the amount of business being transacted. Country merchants are anticipating a heavy trade as soon as crops are harvested and for that reason are giving more liberal orders than they have been for several years past.

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Rubber goods men report the demand for mackintoshes and in fact for all kinds of rubber clothing as being very satisfactory. Traveling men seem to have little difficulty in taking orders for that class of goods, but footwear does not seem to be in quite such good request. The increase in the cost of rubber undoubtedly has a tendency to make merchants slower in giving their orders as many of them think there may be a cut in prices later in the season. It is probably true, though, that the volume of business for the year will not be materially reduced by the new schedule of prices. Lumber merchants are now busy filling the orders necessary to complete the concessionaires' buildings on the Midway, and the state buildings. The heavy orders, however, are practically all delivered and only a few odds and ends remain. When these are finished the exposition trade will be at an end and lumbermen will have to accustom themselves to the slack business that usually prevails at this season of the year.

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The market on yellow pine is weak, as is shown by the fact that the last price list issued is being cut by nearly every southern mill. This is being done because there is practically only the home market for the mills to depend upon, the foreign market being nearly destroyed by the war. The market on cedar shingles is showing a tendency to advance. Firms will not now take orders without a considerable advance being made over the quotations of a week ago and would willingly cancel orders taken then for future delivery.

Fruit and Produce.

Missouri strawberries are now about the only ones on the market and are being quoted at \$3.75 per crate. Occasionally a few Arkansas berries arrive, but they are not wanted by consumers, and commission men are forced to take what they can get for them. Missouri berries are of good quality, but are coming in rather slowly because of the late season. The crop is also rather small, as about half the plants are reported as having been destroyed by the dry weather of last year.

The market on lemons is firm, with a strong tendency to advance. A few more warm days will undoubtedly start the price upward.

The abundance of fruit is destroying the demand for cabbage, but as the supply is small the price remains about the same.

The receipts of country butter are now quite liberal and the quality fair. The bulk of it goes for packing stock.

Eggs are still quoted at \$\frac{3}{2}\$ cents and are coming just about fast enough to meet the consuming demand.

The quotations on live poultry have not changed for some time, but the demand is slacking somewhat, owing to the fact that fresh fruits and vegetables are now comparatively cheap.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKETS,

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce. EGGS—Good stock, 94c. BUTTER—Common to fair, 9@iic; sep-

arator, 15c; gathered creamery, 13g1tc.
VEAL—Choice fat, 80 to 120 lbs., quoted at
\$69c; large and coarse, 667c.
LIVE POULTRY—Chickens, 767%; old
roosters, 364c; spring chickens, 20622c.
PIGEONS—Live, \$1.1561.25; dead pigeons
not wanted.

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HAY-Upland, \$7.00; midland, \$6.00; low-land, \$5.50; rye straw, \$4.00; color makes the price on lany; light bales sell the best; only top grades bring top prices. VEGETABLES

ONIONS-New southern, per lb., 2½c. CABBAGE-Mississippi, per crate, \$2.25@

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2.50.

BEANS—Hand-picked navy, per bu., \$1.25.
POTATOES—Home grown, 50455c; Colerado stock, 70c; northern fancy early Ohio
seed potatoes, 85c; new potatoes, per bbl.,
\$4; bushel boxes, \$1.35g1.50.

TOMATOES—Per crate, \$3.0063.25.
BEETS—New, per bu. box, \$1.00.
RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 25630c,
LETTUCE—Per doz. bunches, 25630c,
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CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 10c,
CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 15c,
WAX BEANS—1-3 bu box, 75c,
PEAS—Per 1-2 bu, 55675c,
PIEPLANT—Home grown, per lb., 1c,
MISCELLANEOUS.

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NUTS—Almends, per lb., large size, 12@
13c; small, llc; Brazila, per lb., \$\tilde{\text{2}}\) file: English walnuts, per lb., fancy soft shell, 11@
11c; standards, \$\tilde{\text{2}}\) c; filberts, per lb., 10c;

pecans, polished, medium, \$67c; extra large, 869c; large hickory nuts, \$1.0061.10 per bu; small, \$1.2591.35 per bu; cocoanuts, per 100, \$4; peanuts, raw, 5654c; roasted, strettle. per bu.; sinali, 4. 22, 24; per 100. H; peanuts, raw, 50514c; ronsted, 90514c. MAPLE SYRUP.—Five-gal. can, each, 12.75; gal. cans, pure, per doz., fl2; haif-gal. cans, 16.25; quart cans, 15.50.

FIGS—Imported, fancy, 3-crown, 14-lb. boxes, 10c; 5-crown, 44-lb. boxes, 12c; 2-lb. boxes, 22022c per box; California, 16-lb. HONEY-Choice white, 12c; Colorado amber, 1961ic. KRAUT-Per bbl., \$3.50; per half bbl. 52.25.
DATES-Hallowee, 60 to 70-lb. boxes, 554c; Sair, 5c; Fard, 5-lb. boxes, 9c.
CIDER-Per half bbl., \$1; bbl., \$5.
FRUITS.

STRAWBERRIES Missouris, \$3.25. APPLES—Genetons, \$3.75. GOOSEBERRIES—Per 24-qt, case, \$2.00@ 2.25.

ORANGES—Seedlings, \$2.50; Mediterranean sweets, \$2.50g2.75.
LEMONS—Calfornia, \$3.00g3.25; fancy
Messina, \$3.50g4.00.
BANANAS—Choice, large stock, per
bunch, \$2.00g2.25; medium sized bunches,

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC. HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 6c; No. 2 green hides, 5c; No. 1 salted hides, 8c; No. 2 green salted hides, 7c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 9c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 7c.

TALLOW, GREASE, ETC.—Tallow, No. 1, 3c; tallow, No. 2, 2½c; rough tallow, 1½c; white grease, 2½62½c; yellow and brown grease, 1½62½c.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted each, 15675; green salted shearings (short wooled)

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and stews. 3c; tongues, each, 3c; forequarters. 5c.

PORK—Dressed pigs, 5%c; dressed hogs, 5%c; tenderloins, 12c; loins, small, 7%c; space ribs, 4%c; ham sausage butts. 5c; Boston Butts, 5%c; shoulders, rough, 5%c; shoulders, skinned, 5%c; trimmings, 4%c; leaf lard, not rendered, 6c; heads, cleaned, 3c; snouts and ears, 3c; fresh hams, 16 to 18 lbs., 7%c; fresh short clears, 5%c; cheek meat, 4c; neckbones, 2c; pigs talls, 3c; plucks, each, 5c; chitterlings, 5c; hocks, 4c; hearts, per doz., 25c; stomachs, each, 3c; tongues, each, 7c; kidneys, per doz., 10c; brains, per doz., 15c; pigs feet, per doz., 30c; livers, each, 3c; hog rinds, 3c; blade bones, 5c.

St. Louis General Markets. St. Louis General Markets.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—FLOUR—Weak and declining; patents, \$5,3006.15; straights, \$5,40 (65.65; clear, \$4,9005.15; medium, \$4,2504.50.

WHEAT—Lower, closing heavy and not far from the bottom, with May 2c, July 2c, September 1 5-8c and December 1c under yesterday; spot steady; No. 2 red cash, elevator, \$1.15; track, \$1.15; May, \$1.15; July, 92c asked: September, 80 3-8c; December, 794c; No. 2 hard cash, \$1.33.

CORN—Futures closed casy, tregular.

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RYE—Nominal at 60c.
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SEEDS—Flaxseed, nominal at \$1.25; prime timothy seed, \$2.60@2.65.
CORNMEAL—Lower at \$1.85@1.90.
BRAN—Quiet and steady; sacked, 55c country points and 55c east track.
HAY—Quiet and steady; prairie, \$7.50@14.50. the top being paid for new Kansas product; timothy, \$9.00@11.50.
BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 14@16c; dairy, 10@14c.
EGGS—Steady at 3c.

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WHISKY—\$1.23.
METALS—Lead, strong at \$3.60. Spelter,
lower at \$4.10.
COTTON TIES—70c.
BAGGING—5 7-8@6 3-8c.
PROVISIONS—Pork. lower; standard
mess, jobbing, \$11.40@11.50. Lard. lower;
prime steam, \$5,85; choice, \$5.95. Bacon,
boxed shoulders, \$5.87½; extra short clear,
\$6.75; ribs, \$6.87½; shorts, \$7.00. Dry salt
meats, boxed shoulders, \$5.37½; extra short
clear, \$6.25; ribs, \$6.37½; shorts, \$6.50.
RECEIPTS—Flour, 3.000 bbls; wheat, 31,000 bu; corn, 129.000 bu; oats, 40,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Flour, 2,000 bbls; wheat,
\$54,000 bu; corn, 142,000 bu; oats, 19,000 bu.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, May 28.—WHEAT—
Lower, duli; No. 1 hard, \$1.11@1.12; No. 2,
\$1.08@1.11; No. 3, \$1.08@1.084; No. 1 red, \$1.10;
No. 2, \$1.08; No. 3, \$1.04@1.07; No. 2 spring,
\$1.06@1.07; No. 3, \$1.02@1.05.

CORN—Lower, rather dult; No. 2 mixed,
204@304c; No. 2 white, \$14@324c; No. 3,
\$04@314c. OATS Slow, Irregular; No. 2 white, 30@

RYE-Wenk; No. 2, 55c. BUTTER-Firm; creamery, GGTFER-FIFM; Creamery, 12%414c; dairy, 10%12c.
EGGS-Firm; fresh, 8½c.
RECEIPTS (two days)—Wheat, 19,200 bu.; corn, 15,000 bu.; cats, 9,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS (two days)—Wheat, 52,800 bu.; corn, 80,000 bu.; cats, 1,000 bu.

Cincinnati Markets.

CINCINNATI, May 28.—FLOUR—Dull; fancy, \$5.3565.70; family, \$5.0065.25.

WHEAT—nominal; No. 2 red, \$1.15.

CORN—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 36½c,

OATS—Easy; No. 2 mixed, 30c.

RYE—Qulet; No. 2, 55c.

PROVISIONS—Lard, steady at \$5.23. Bulk meats, steady at \$6.15. Bacon, firm at \$7.00.

WHISKY—Qulet at \$1.23.

BUTTER—Firmer; Elgin creamery, 17½c;

Ohio, 120/15c; dairy, 9½c.

SUGAR—Easy; hard refined, \$4.4766.10.

EGGS—Qulet at \$0.

CHEESE—Easy and lower; good to prime Ohio flat, 70/7½c.

Grain Receipts at Principal Markets. ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Receipts: Wheat, 42 MINNEAPOLIS, May 28. — Receipts: Wheat, 426 cars.
CHICAGO, May 28.—Receipts today:
Wheat, 350 cars; corn, 1,142 cars; oats, 403
cars. Estimated cars for Tuesday: Wheat,
360; corn, 1,625; oats, 710.
DULUTH, May 28.—Receipts: Wheat, 111
cars.

Toledo Market.

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May 28. — WHEAT — Active, ower; No. 2 cash and May \$1.20.

CORN—Dull, steady; No. 2 mixed, 34%c, arminal OATS-Dull. steady; No. 2 mixed, 28c. CLOVERSEED-Dull, quiet; prime cash

OIL North Lima, 61c; South Lima and Indiana, 56c. Peoria Markets.
PEORIA, May 28.—CORN-Market lower: No. 2 32c.
OATS Market dull and lower; No. 3
white, 261-502634c.
WHISKY-Market firm; high proof
spirits, \$1.2214.

DETROIT, May 28.—WHEAT—No. 1 white, \$1.10; No. 2 red, cash and May, \$1.20. CORN—No. 2 mixed, 37c, OATS—No. 2 white, 31c. RYE—No. 2, 55c.

Philadelphia Produce.
PHILADELPHIA. May 28.—BUTTER—
Firm and & Gle higher; fancy western
creamery, 164c.
EGGS-Firm, 12c higher; fresh western,

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Promise of Superabundant Crops Causes Another Slump in Wheat.

JULY AND SEPTEMBER OPTIONS ARE LOWER

Corn, on the Other Hand, is Higher, but Onts Show a Decline, as Does Also Pork, with Lard and Ribs Stronger.

CHICAGO, May 28.-Lack of short inter-

Sept 5 024 5 95 5 874 5 95 6 80 Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, \$6.00\tilde{0}C.25; straights, \$6.00\tilde{0}C.25; short clear sides (boxed), \$6.25\tilde{0}C.25; short clear sides (boxed), Sept 5 92% 5 95 5 87% 5 95 5 90

*No. 2. Articles. Receipts. 9,100 187,100 584,000 7,406

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 12416c; dair-ies, 11413c. Eggs, fresh, 10c. Cheese, un-changed. Live poultry, dull; spring chick-ens, 84194c; ducks, 64164c; turkeys, 649c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKETS. Quotations for the Day on General Commodities.

NEW YORK, May 28.—FLOUR—Receipts

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patents, \$6.0007.10; winter extras, \$4.8005.35; Minnesota bakers, \$5.1005.35; winter low grades, \$2.9003.00. Rye flour, dull at \$3.650 degr. 10; winter extras, \$4.8005.35; miner low grades, \$2.9003.00. Rye flour, dull at \$3.650 degr. 2.9003.00. Rye flour, dull at \$3.600 degr. 2.9003

13c; California, 18c. LEATHER-Steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, 196204c. WOOL-Quiet; fleece, 16622c; Texas, 126

Ayres, 196204c.
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He PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, \$12.50
633.00; extra mess, \$10.50611.00; beef hams, \$13.50612.00 Cut meats, dull; pickled bellies, \$42.6774c; pickled shoulders, 44c; pickled hams, 73.678c. Lard, steady; western steam closed, \$5.556.69; refined, steady, Pork, quiet; mess, \$11.506, \$12.00 fl. \$55; fshort clear, \$12.50611.50; family, \$12.50
613.50. Tallow, firm; city, 41-8c bid; country, 37-864 1-8c, as to quality.
CHS—Petroleum, dull. Rosin, steady; strained, common to good, \$1.42561.45. Turpentine, easier at 284.629c. Cottonseed oil, steady and moderately active; prime crude, \$16022c; prime crude, \$1.00. mills, \$17618c; prime summer yellow, \$26; coff summer yellow, \$26; 25c; prime winter yellow, \$26; coff summer yellow, \$26; cof

Baltimore Market.

Bal.Timore, May 28.—Flour.—Weak and lower; western superfine, \$3.7564.00; western extra, \$4.5665.10; western family, \$5.7566.25; winter wheat patents, \$6.3566.65; spring patents, \$6.7567.00; spring wheat straights, \$6.5666.75; receipts, \$.887 bbls.; exports, \$.541 bbls.

WHEAT—Demoralized; spot and month, \$1.245-61.245-8; July, \$1.04 asked; steamer, No. 2 red, \$1.775 asked; receipts, 102.095 bu; exports, 104,000 bu; southern wheat, by

ample, \$1.30@1.254; southern, on grade,

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Holiday Tomorrow Causes a Curtail-

edly largely based on the expectation of such a development.

The bond market has broadened during the week and has given evidence of investment buying at home points. Prices are higher all around. United States 4s have advanced ½ per cent and the 5s ½ per cent in the bid price. Others are unchanged.

changed.

The Evening Post's London financial cablegram today says: The only feature was the demand for gold by Russia in the London market, notwithstanding this money

higher.

The following are the closing quotations of the leading stocks on the New York mar-

Total sales of stocks today 125,400 shares, including: Atchison preferred, 3,980; Burlington, 5,355; Manhattan, 6,330; Rock Island, 10,155; St. Paul, 10,592; Luion Pacific preferred, 3,683; People's Gas, 34,580; Sugar, 10,670.

BOSTON, May 28.—Call loans, 2\\daggeq 03\dagged per cent; time loans, 3\dagged per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares:

New England ds...

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Atlantic.

Butter & Boston...

57 Buttes Boston ...
44 Calumet & Hooia ...
94 Calumet & Hooia ...
95 Frankin ...
29 Goscala ...
104 Culter ...
23 Tambiracz ...
24 Wolgerines ...
22 Payrett ...
52 Old Bominton ...

Savage Sierra Nevada Silver Hill Unios Con Utah Con Yellow Jacket 'Standard

San Francisco Mining Quotations. SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—Official clos

A.T. & S. F. 124 Wis Cen
American Sugar 138 Atcluses of d.
Am. Sugar of d. 1134 Bonton L.
Bay State Gas. 14 E E I I
Bell Felephone 268 Gent Elec. pfd.
Boston & Albary 272 Atcluses 208
Boston & Mains 162 Kew England us
C. B. & Q. 1024 Allower Min. Co-

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Am. Sugar of d.
Bay State Gas.
Bell Felephone.
Boston & Mains.
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12% St. P. & Om.

31% do pfd
17% St. P. M. & M.

51% So. Pacific
52% So. Railway. Pfd
21% Texas & Pacific
102% U. P. D. & G
54% Wabash pfd
75 Wheel. & L. E. pfd
159 Adams Ex.

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ket today:

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200; legal tender, increase, \$2,284,800; deposits, increase, \$15,018,600; circulation, decrease, \$6,800. The banks now hold \$53,704,500 in excess of the requirement of the 25 per cent rule.

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, May 28.—MONEY ON CALL. Easier, 14614 per cent; last loan, 14 per PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-34644



Choliar.
Crown Point.
Con. Cal. & Va.
Deadwood
Gould & Curry.
Hale & Norcross.
Homestags.
Iron Silver.
Mexican. OMAHA, May 28.—The clearings for the day were \$596,401.31; balances, \$37,031.11. The clearings for 1887 were \$507,534.01, and the balances, \$32,789.35. Increase in clearings, \$228,867.30.

The clearings for six days with comparisons are:

1898. 1897. Increase.

Ontario.

 May
 23.
 \$1,021,038.83
 \$899,443.11
 \$121,595.72

 May
 24.
 1,099,416.52
 766,314.92
 333,101.60

 May
 25.
 1,010,341.92
 848,357.71
 161,934.21

 May
 26.
 1,030,415.19
 744,058.81
 286,356.28

 May
 27.
 970,901.65
 668,766.97
 302,134.68

 May
 28.
 896,401.31
 667,534.01
 228,867.30
 36,028,615.42 \$4,594,475.53 \$1,414,039.79
CHICAGO, May 28.—Clearings, \$17,805.990; balances, \$2,808,290; New York exchange, 10e discount; sterling exchange, posted, \$4.856, 4.87; actual, \$4.844,674.854; sixty days, \$4.874.654; Stocks dull; Biscuit, 28; Biscuit preferred, 88; Diamond Match, 137; North Chicago, 200; Strawboard, 2634; West Chicago, 9234.
ST. LOUIS, May 28.—Clearings, \$3,389,291; balances, \$441,173; money, 5678 per cent; New York exchange, 25c premium bid, 40c premium asked.

NEW ORLEANS, May 28.—Clearings, \$1,091,495; New York exchange, bank, \$1 per \$1,000 premium; commercial, 25c premium per \$1,000 premium; commercial, 25c premium; clearings, \$1,299.850.

MEMPHIS, May 28.—Money, 366 per cent; New York exchange, 15c premium; clearings, \$1,298.850.

MEMPHIS, May 28.—Clearings, \$257,150; balances, \$144,78; New York exchange, \$1.50, PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—Clearings, \$10,293,106; balances, \$1,789,005.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Bank clearings, \$12,97,11,706; balances, \$8,757,924.
BALTIMORE, May 28.—Clearings, \$3,207,-487; balances, \$41,711,435. \$6,028,615.42 \$4,594,475.53 \$1,414,039.79

Coffee Markets.

NEW YORK, May 28.—COFFEE—Options opened steady and unchanged; prices ruled steady and fairly active on evening up in anticipation of Monday's holiday; trading in futures almost entirely local; steadler cables offset by increasing receipts at Rio and Santos. Closed steady at unchanged prices to 15 points net higher; sales, 14,250 bags, including June at \$5.85. Spot coffee, Rio, steady; No. 7, invoice, \$6.50; No. 7, jobbing, \$7. Mild, steady; Cordova, \$8.50g; 15.50; fair jobbing business. Total warehouse deliveries from the United States, 23,004 bags, including 22,373 from New York. New York stock today, \$5.870 bags. United States, 23,004 bags, including 22,373 from New York. New York stock today, \$5.870 bags. United States stock, 4,016,680 bags. Affoat for the United States, 35,000 bags. Total visible for the United States, \$59,176 bags, against 721,054 bags last year.

SANTOS, May 28.—COFFEE—Inactive; good average Santos, nominan; receipts, 12,000 bags; stock, 323,000 bags.

HAMBURG, May 28.—COFFEE—Opened \$4,04pfg higher; at 2:30 p. m., \$4,04pfg net higher; sales, 4,000 bags.

HAVRE, May 28.—COFFEE—Opened steady and unchanged; at 12 m. \$4 higher; sales, 4,000 bags.

RIO DE JANEIRO, May 28.—COFFEE—Opened steady and unchanged; at 12 m. \$4 higher; sales, 4,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 4,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 4,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 4,000 bags; cleared for Europe, 1,000 bags; stock, 180,000 bags.

Wool Markets.

BOSTON, Mass., May 28.—The following are the quotations for leading descriptions:
Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: X and above, 250; Sc. XX and XX and above, 250; ing. 250; No. 1 combing, 30c; No. 2 combing, 29c. Michigan, Wisconsin, etc.: X Michigan, 23c; No. 1 Michigan combing, 29c; No. 1 Illinois combing, 29c; No. 2 Michigan combing, 28c; No. 2 Michigan combing, 28c; XV. New York, New Hampshire and Vermont, 226; XX. New York, New Hampshire and Vermont, 23c; unwashed medium, Kentucky and Indiana quarter-blood combing, 22623c; Missouri quarter-blood combing, 22623c; Missouri three-eighths-blood combing, 22623c; Missouri three-eighths-blood combing, 22623c; braid combing, 20c; lake and Georgia, 19620c. Texas wools: Spring medium (twelve months), 16618c; scoured, 40442c; spring, fine (twelve months), 16618c; scoured, 40442c; spring, fine (twelve months), 16618c; scoured, 40642c; spring, fine (twelve months), 16618c; scoured, 40642c; spring, fine (twelve months), 16618c; scoured, 43645c. Territory wools: Montana, fine medium and fine, 15618c; scoured, 43645c; staple, 48c. Australian wools: Scoured basis, combing superfine, 70672c; combing, good, 66685c; combing, average, 6266c; Queensland combing, 66c. Wool Markets.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The week has shown irregular results in the dry goods market. None of these have been entirely satisfactory except the sales of staple cottons for export use. The bad weather which has prevailed all week is the primary cause of poor business. It is reported that the consumptive trade in nearly all sections of the country has been light. Out of town jobbers have felt this and have been slow buyers on this account. Local jobbers state that they have been able to sell goods in the more stable lines only by liberal concessions. In woolen fabrics of all sorts the market has ruled firm. Print cloths are quoted at 115-16c, a perfectly nominal quotation. Odd goods have been sold with some freedom through the week. Cotton goods have been without feature, with the exception of continued heavy demand for brown sheetings and drills for export purposes. New York Dry Goods Market.

ing quotations on mining stocks today were as follows: NEW ORLEANS, May 28.—SUGAR—Steady; open kettle, 304c; centrifugals, white, 41,645-8c; yellow, 45,644-c; seconds, 21,637-8c. Molasses, steady; centrifugal, 5613c. 5613c. NEW YORK, May 28.—SUGAR--Raw, firm; fair refining, 3%; centrifugal, 36 test, 45-16c; refined, firm; mould A, 55-8c; stan-dard A, 5%c; confectioners' A, 5%c; cut loaf, 57-8c; crushed, 57-8c; powdered, 57-8c; granulated, 53-8c; cubes, 55-8c.

Sliver bars, 58e; Mexican dollars. 464.69

46%c; drafts, sight, 12%c; telegraph, 15c.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, increase, 12,893,345; loans, increase, 12,202,400; specie, increase, 14,69,-

Week Winds Up with Unusually Large Saturday Receipts.

CATTLE GENERALLY DULL AND LOWER

Buyers Not Inclined to Anticipate the Monday Trade Payorably-Hors Sheep Rule Strong.

SOUTH OMAHA, May 28.

Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.
1,914 6,996 3,517
1,972 6,188 1,493
1,341 3,519 772
934 8,853 1,774
1,582 5,900 1,323
1,519 7,916 1,858 Receipts today Official yesterday One week ago Two weeks ago One month ago One year ago Receipts for the week with comparisons: Cattle, Hogs. Sheep.
15,346 43,966 23,528
13,942 42,960 21,633
15,016 42,298 34,545
16,355 40,981 26,528
12,700 41,639 33,227
18,846 52,952 22,450
8,359 38,588 8,445 Week ending May 28...
Week ending May 21...
Week ending May 14.
Week ending May 7.
Week ending April 30...
Same week, 189...
Same week, 1896...

* Indicates Sunday.

All kinds of stock combined made a total of 196 cars, as against 185 yesterday, 118 a week ago and 192 a year ago. The receipts of hogs were large for the last day of the week and the market was decidedly against the selling interests. Cattle were in fair supply, Omaha, as usual on a Saturday, having more than Chicago and Kansas City combined. combined.

The official number of cars of stock

Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. Total receipts 80 103 13
The disposition of the day's receipts was is follows, each buyer purchasing the num-per of head indicated:

Buyers, Cattle
Omaha Packing company.
The G. H. Hammond Co. 131
Swift and Company 322
The Cudahy Packing company 554 Swift, from country 76
Swift, Chicago
Myers 131
North P. & P. Co.

Porreign Financial.

LONDON, May 28—All Liverpool and London exchanges are closed today. Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres at 25 1-89 grounce. Bar gold is 152.30. The amount of builion gone into the Bank of England on both the Bank of England on the Engla

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BULLS.
1. 1100 3 50
1. 1470 3 50
1. 1400 3 50
1. 1210 3 60
1. 620 3 80
CALVES.
1. 250 6 50
STAGS, 2.. 430 4 90 1.. 250 6 50 1.. 180 6 75
STAGS.

1..1260 3 75
STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

10..1038 4 25 1.. 340 4 4 50
HOGS—Only twice within the space of two months have hogs been in such large receipt on a Saturday as they were today. There were 185 fresh loads and twenty stale offered for sale, which would have looked large on the closing day or the week at most any other time, but especially so in view of the present poor condition of the market. It would seem as if after such a break in the market, and after all the discouraging reports that have been sent out from all market points that stappers would have held back their hogs today, but for some reason they did not. Possibly they figured that there might be a still further break and that it would be better to suffer a small loss at the commencement of the drop than to wait and get a heavier loss later on. At any rate the yards were full of hogs on a Saturday, a condition that is always unfavorable to the selling interests. In addition to the large offerings there was the further bear feature of lower markets at other selling points, with the result that the market here opened 10c lower than yesterday morning. A few of the best loads which just happened to suit some special orders sold at \$11041.15, as against \$42004.25 for the same kind yesterday morning. The general market on mixed loads, however, practically opened 10c lower than yesterday morning. \$4.05 being the popular price offered by the packers.

As a matter of course, with the market so much lower, salesmen were a little backward about parting with their holdings at the figures named, and the market was not very active, still the hogs kept selling and by 10 o'clock the yards were cleared.

The market most all the week has been on the down grade, with no reactions worthy the name. The week however, opened with prices a little higher, but large receipts and a falling off in the active 2.. 430 4 90 1.. 180 6 75

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET, Cattle and Hogs Are Lower Than at the Close of Last Week. CHICAGO, May 28.—The receipts of cattle this week foot up 50,850 head, as compared with 46,821 last week; prices are 10c

to 20c lower than a week ago; choice to

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St. Louis May 28.—CATTLE—Receipts. 600 head, including 425 Texans; shipments, 600 head; market steady; fair to fancy native shipping and export steers, \$4.35@5.15; bulk of sales, \$4.5694.90; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4.15@4.90; bulk of sales, \$4.35 @4.45; steers under 1.000 pounds, \$3.85@4.40; bulk of sales, \$4.15@4.30; stockers and feeders, \$3.85@4.75; bulk of sales, \$4.00@4.5; cows and helfers, \$2.25@4.70; bulk of sales, \$3.10@3.85; Texas and indian steers, \$3.40@4.25; bulk of sales, \$3.75@4.15; cows and helfers, \$3.00@3.85.

HOGS—Receipts, 2.200 head; shipments, 1.760 head; market 10@15c lower; yorkers, \$3.90@4.00; packers, \$4.00@4.25; butchers, \$4.25@4.35.

SHEEP—Receipts, 400 head; shipments,

4.35. SHEEP-Receipts, 400 head; shipments, 100 head; market dull and steady; native muttons, \$3.65@4.40; lambs, \$4.00@6.75; stockers, \$3.39; culls and bucks, \$1.75@3.75; Texas muttons, \$4.20.

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, May 28.—CATTLE—Receipts, 36 head; market unchanged. There was an excess of coarse heavy steers again this week and prices about 15c lower, while well finished steers and other grades of butcher stock are about steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000 head; general decline in provisions caused correspondingly lower hog market this week and prices have declined about 19c; bulk of sales today, \$4,0064,25; heavies, \$4,1094,30; nackers, \$3,9564,20; mixed, \$3,9064,22½; lights, \$3,7564, 10; yorkers, \$4,6664,10; pigs, \$5,0663,80.

SHEEP—Receipts, \$5 head; market today good demand; brisk trade and 30c advance in prices is main feature of the week.

New York Live Stock NEW YORK, May 28.—BEEVES—Receipts, 272 head; no trading; exports, 1,682 head cattle, 1,676 head sheep and 684 quarters of beef. Calves, receipts, 225 head; prices, 25c lower. Buttermiks, nominally, \$4.00\;\text{4.50}\), AND LAMBS—Receipts, 438 head; firm; lambs, 25c higher; sheep and yearlings, dull.

HOGS—Recelpts, 2,659 head; medium and heavy hogs, steady; southern and western pigs, \$3.80\text{4.50}\), ight western, \$4.10\text{4.15}\).

East Buffalo Live Stock. EAST BUFFALO. N. Y. May 28.—HOGS —Yorkers, good to choice, \$4,2924.25; rough, common to choice, \$3,3924.00; pigs, fair to choice, \$3,5923.95.

LAMES—Choice to extra, \$5,2525.35.
SHEEP—Coarse to selected wethers, \$4.45.

24.50; cuils to common, \$3,3523.50.

CINCINNATI, May 28.-HOGS-Dull at 1.4564.35. CATTLE-Steady at \$2.75@4.65. SHEEP-Steady at \$2.75@4.90. LAMBS-Steady at \$3.75@4.75.

 Stock in Sight.

 Record of receipts of live stock at the four principal markets for May 28;

 Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.

 Omaha
 1,914
 6,936
 3,517

 Chicago
 200
 11,000
 2,000

 Kansas City
 36
 5,000
 85

 St. Louis
 600
 2,200
 400

Totals2,850 23,136 5,997 San Francisco Wheat Market. SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—WHEAT-Steady; cash, \$1.52½; December, \$1.46 5-8. BARLEY—Steady; December, \$1.18½.

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