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Ak-Sar-Ben Parades Attract Hundreds of Buyers to the City.

THEY STIMULATE TRADE AMONG JOBBERS

Country Merchants Plan to Do Their Buying at that Period to Combine Business with Pleasure.

The last six days have witnessed great activity in commercial circles in this city. The annual parades and festivities instituted by the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben are becoming more and more popular every year and the crowd of visitors in attendance becomes larger each season. Many country merchants have arranged their affairs to be able to visit the city at that time and make their purchases of winter goods as well as enjoy the spectacles.

Last year it was noted that the attend-ance of country merchants during the week of the parades was the largest in the history of the city, but this year there has been the additional attraction of the exposition and a still larger attendance is noted. The jobbing district has been crowded all the week with merchants from all sections of the state, many of them strangers, who drop down to form the acquaintance of Omaha jobbers, and in most cases leave an order as a pleasant reminder of their visit. Regular customers were strongly in evidence all the week and they bought with a freedom that was refreshing. According to all accounts conditions in the country as regards trade for the coming winter are most encouraging and every retailer looks for a large business. position and a still larger attendance is

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In the retail district there was no time during the week when the stores were not crowded. A good many of the visitors in the city came unprepared for such cool weather and all stores did a rushing business in fall wearing apparel of all kinds. Besides that the cool weather served to remind strangers of the approach of winter and many of them took advantage of their presence in the city to lay in a liberal supply of merchandise to take home with them. The large number of people in the city have to be fed and that has given the grocers, provision dealers and all others who handle food supplies all that they can attend to.

Bank Clearings Show Gains.

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The satisfactory condition of business is reflected in large bank clearings, which show heavy gains over a year ago.

At South Omaha there has been a large business doing, especially in cattle. The receipts of cattle for the week were the largest of the year to date and on Tuesday the run was the largest in the history of the yards. The most of these cattle are going into the feed lots of lowa, Missouri and various eastern states, and only an occasional car finds its way back to some Nebraska point. Nebraska farmers, however, are buying a good many cattle, but they are holding up the cattle as they come from the west and buying them before they reach South Omaha.

Groceries Change Little.

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The wholesale grocery trade continues to be exceptionally heavy even for this time of year. The market, however, shows little change, the general tone being firm. The one exception is that of sugar, which is declining because of what is supposed to be a war between the various refineries. The decline last week amounted to from 1/2 to 1/2 per pound, which is one of the most sudden drops that has taken place in several years. It is now claimed that refineries are selling the finished product at less than cost, based on the present price of raw sugars. Local jobbers say it is impossible to predict just what the market will do.

In canned goods, tomatoes continue to to predict just what the market will do.

In canned goods, tomatoes continue to firm up, and each succeeding day, it is eaid, discloses the fact that the shortage is greater than at first supposed. Mackerel, on account of a light catch, is also steadily advancing in price. Farinaceous goods, however, show no change. The market on raisins is still firm, but recent rains in the raisin producing sections, which have to some extent delayed the marketing of them, has contributed to this end.

Jobbers in hardware are still talking of the shortage in most lines of seasonable goods. They say they are experiencing considerable difficulty in getting their orders filled promptly, the same as they did last spring. The market is firm on all lines, with every indication of its remaining in that condition for some time to come. All that condition for some time to come. All zinc articles advanced last week ic per pound, but that is the only quotable change reported on the market. The volume of trade with local jobbers is still surprisingly large, and without doubt the largest ever experienced. A good indication of this is the statement made by a leading jobber to the effect that his business this year is 25 per cent better than a year ago. that condition for some time to come. All

Dry Goods Men Busy.

In the dry goods situation there is but little change. The weather, however, has been more favorable of late to the seiling interests, and consequently the demand for all lines of winter goods, and especially for hostery and underwear, shows, if anything, an improvement. Local jobbers are still having all the trade they can handle, and say that country merchants are buying more freely and are showing a greater tendency to anticipate their wants than ever before. A great many dealers have been in the city during the last week, and have visited the jobbers, so the house trade is still an important factor. By far the majority of retailers calling on the jobbers speak most encouragingly of the trade outlook in their various localities and predict a heavy demand for winter supplies, and their orders are in keeping with their predictions. No change in the market of importance is reported, and the general impression is there will be none in the near future. Dry Goods Men Busy.

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The cooler weather is also beneficial to the boot and shoe jobbers. Many retailers are discovering that their stock is already running low, and consequently jobbers are kept busy filling orders for goods to be shipped immediately. In looking over their accounts for last month jobbers find that they have been doing even a larger business than was anticipated and say that the figures compare favorably with those of the corresponding month of any year since they have been operating. Local dealers are well pleased with prevailing conditions and are making preparations for a big trade throughout the fall and winter.

Trade last week with commission men was satisfactory, considering the time of year. The demand for vegetables is good and for such fruits as are now to be found on the market. Cantaloupes are no longer to be had. Peaches are by no means plentiful and dealers report considerable difficulty in getting enough to supply their customers. California Bartlett pears are also out of the market, but other varieties are plentiful and are quoted \$2.00\text{92.25}. The supply of native grapes it is thought will be practically exhausted in a few more days. They are now bringing 13\text{913.35}c. New York grapes are arriving in fairly large quantities, and are being quoted at 14 6015c, which is some lower than a week ago. Ohlo grapes are no longer to be had. Apples are quoted practically the same as a week ago.

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The egg market is still 14c. Receipts are only fair and the demand heavy. Poultry is not quoted as high as a week ago, hens being held at \$6354c, and spring chickens. 7426c. The butter market is reported as being firm at the advance. Separator creamery is seiling at 21c, and gathered creamery at 1920c. No change in the common stock. The receipts of game are rather light on account of the uncertain condition of the weather. Prices are unchanged.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, Oct. 8.—WHEAT-Active and lower; No. 1 hard, 60060c; No. 2, 500

CONDITION OF OMAHA'S TRADE 1624c; No. 2, 56666c; No. 2 red, 656674c; No. 3, 526 COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL CORN-Steady to lower; No. 2 mixed, 271/2 @28c; No. 2 white, 274@28c; No. 3, 27c. OATS—Active and about steady; No. 2

white, 11,622c.

RYE-Firm; No. 2, 454,646c.

HAY-Choice firm, others weak; choice timothy and prairie, 56,7567.00.

BUTTER-Firm; separator, 184,620c; dairy, 16c. EGGS-Firm; fresh, 13c. RECEIPTS-Wheat, 178,860 bu.; corn, 13,

600 bu.; oats, 7,000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 153,000 bu.; corn, 1,300 bu.; oats, 7,000 bu.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET. Condition of Trade and Quotations on

Staple and Fancy Produce. EGGS-Good stock, 14c. BUTTER-Common to fair, 10@12c; separator, 21c; gathered creamery, 19629c. LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 6467c; old roos

VEGETABLES. CELERY-Per bunch, 30g/35c. ONIONS-New, per bu., 25@40c. BEANS-Hand-picked navy, per bu., \$1.25

POTATOES—Per bu., 35@45c. CABBAGE—Per lb., 1c. TROPICAL FRUITS. TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—Seedlings, \$2.75; Mediterranean sweets, \$3.00.

LEMONS—California, \$5.50@6.00; fancy
Messina, \$5.50@7.00.

BANANAS—Choice, large stock, per
bunch, \$2.00@2.25; medium sized bunches,
\$1.75@2.00. FRUITS.

APPLES-Per APPLES—Per bbi., Jonathans, \$3.50; thoice shipping stock, \$2.75@3.00; other stock, \$2.00@2.50.
WATERMELONS—Crated, 14@15c; loose, WATERMELORS—trace, 174, 100012c.
PEACHES—California, 20-lb. case, \$1.00.
PLUMS—Oregon, \$1.0001.25.
PEARS—Bartiett, California, out of the market; other varieties, \$2.0002.25.
GRAPES—Native, per basket, 130134c; California Tokays, \$1.5001.85; New York grapes, 14015c.
CRANBERRIES—Wisconsin, per box, \$1.25; Cape Code, per bbl., \$6.2506.50.
MISCELLANEOUS.

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NUTS—Almonds, per lb., large size, 12@
13c; small, 11c; Brazils, per lb., \$610c; English walnuts, per lb., fancy soft shell, 11@
12c; standards, \$69c; filberts, per lb., 10c;
pecans, pollshed, medium, \$67c; extra large, \$69c; large hickory nuts, \$1.0021.10
per bu; small, \$1.15@1.25 per bu; cocoanuts, per 100, \$4.5065.00; peanuts, raw, 6½c;
roasted, 7½c;
NATE COUNTY COMMENTS. MISCELLANEOUS. per 100, \$4.5020.00; pearete,
roasted, 7½c.
MAPLE SYRUP-Five-gal, can, each,
\$2.75; gal, cans, pure, per doz, \$12; halfgal, cans, \$6.25; quart cans, \$3.50.
HONEY-Choice white, 12½c.
DATES-Hallowee, 60 to 70-lb. boxes, 5½c;
Sair, 5c; Fard, \$-lb. boxes, 9c.
FIGS-Imported, fancy, 3-crown, 14-lb.
boxes, 10c; 5-crown, 44-lb. boxes, 13c; 3-lb.
boxes, 22@23c per box; California, 10-lb.
boxes, \$1. boxes, \$1. CIDER-Per half bbl., \$3.25@3.50.

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

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 7c; No. 2
green bides, 6c; No. 1 salted hides, 84c; No.
2 salted hides, 75c; 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, 2½@25c; yellow and brown
grease, 1½@25c. white grease, 24,624c; yellow and brown grease, 14,624c;
SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each, 15675c; green salted shearings (short wooled early skins), each, 15c; dry shearings (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 374c; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry flint, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry flint, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 364c.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 8.-FLOUR-Quiet and ST. LOUIS, Oct. 8.—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged.

WHEAT—Steady to a shade lower for futures. Spot lower; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 67c bld; track, 69c; October, 65c bld, 67½c asked; December, 65 5-8965½c bld; May, 66½ 4966 3-8c asked; No. 2 red cash, 64265c.

CORN—Futures fractionally lower. Spot steady; No. 2 cash, 29c bld; October, 29c asked; December, 29 5-8c bld; May, 35c bld. OATS—Futures dull, nominally lower. Spot dull, bld higher; No. 2 cash, 23c; track, 23½c; October, 23c; December, 22½c bld; May, 23½d23 7-8c bld; No. 2 white, 25½c.

RYE—Steady, 47½c.

SEEDS—Flaxseed, steady, 87c bld; prime timothy seed, unchanged.

timothy seed, unchanged. WHISKY—Steady, \$1.25. CORNMEAL—\$1.50@1.55. BRAN-Quiet, steady; sacked, east track, HAY-Timothy, easier, \$6.50@8.00; prairie, firm, \$5.00@6.50. BUTTER — Steady; creamery, 18@22c; R

BUTTER — Steady; creamery, 18@22c; dairy, 13@17\\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.

EGSS—Firm, 13c.

POULTRY — Market easy; chickens, spring, 8c; old, 7c; ducks, 7\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; geese, 8c.

COTTONTIES—Firm, 68c.

BAGGING—Higher, 7@7\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.

METALS—Lend, lower, \$3.70 asked. Spelter, nominal, \$4.62\\(\frac{1}{2}\)s.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; standard mess, jobbing, \$7.75. Lard, higher; prime steam, \$4.62\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. (choice, \$4.67\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. Dry sait meats, boxed shoulders, \$4.62\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. extra short clear, \$5.37\(\frac{1}{2}\); ribs, \$4.50\(\frac{1}{2}\)c. shorts, \$5.62\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.

Bacon, boxed shoulders, \$5.12\(\frac{1}{2}\); extra short clear and ribs, \$6; shorts, \$6.25\).

RECEIPTS—Flour, 7,000 bbis.; wheat, \$7,000 bu.; corn, 53,000 bu.; cats, 35,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, \$0.00 bbis.; wheat, 77,000 bu.; corn, 16,000 bu.; cats, 12,000 bu.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 8.—FLOUR—Dull; winter patents, \$3.40@3.75; fancy, \$3.00@3.25; family, \$2.60@2.80; extra, \$2.16@2.45; low grades, \$1.90@2.80; extra, \$2.16@2.45; low grades, \$1.90@2.10; spring patents, \$3.85@4.25; spring fancy, \$3.25@3.50; spring family, \$3.00@5.20; low grades, \$2.75@2.90.

WHEAT—Firmer: No. 2 red, 57c.
CORN—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 31c.
OATS—Firmer: No. 2 mixed, 23½@23½c.
RYE—Steady; No. 2, 49c.
PROVISIONS—Lard, quiet, \$4.55. Bulk meats, quiet, \$5.37½. Bacon, steady, \$6.55.
WHISKY—Steady; \$1.25.
BUTTER—Fancy Elgin creamery, 22c; choice Ohio, 16@17c; gathered creams, 14@15c; prime dairy, 12c per 1b.
SUGAR—Active and lower; hard refined, \$4.30@6.57.
EGGS—Dull at 13c.
POULTRY—Chickens sell at 8c; roosters, 3½c; springers, 9c; spring ducks, 7c; old, 6c; spring turkeys, 8½c; old, 7c per 1b.
CHEESE—Quiet.

conditions and are marking plant and winter a big trade throughout the fall and winter. There is nothing new to report about the rubber trade, as jobbers are still shipping goods into the country as rapidly as possible. During the summer, when there was but little doing, local dealers waited patiently and said it was only a question of time before they would have all the business they wanted, but it is doubtful if any of them expected such a run of trade as they have been having for the last few weeks. No complaints are heard now of inactivity or demoralization, as every one is too busy with customers.

One Exception.

The lumber situation shows no improvement. Jobbers all agree in saying they are not doing as much business at the present time as they expected. This should be the busy season with lumber dealers, but instead of that trade is decreasing rather than increasing. Last month's accounts, they say, do not show up well, and it is doubtful if October will be as good. This condition of duliness,

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. S. — WHEAT — Steady; October, 61c; December, 59 3-8c; No. 1 hard, 63c; No. 1 northern, 62c; No. 2 northern, 594c. FLOUR—Strong, BRAN—In bulk, \$8.00@3.25.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 8.—WHEAT—Market closed steady. 464d lower; October, 5s 54d; March, 5s 55-8d.
CORN—Market steady, unchanged to 4d higher; October, 3s 34d; November, 3s 5d; December, 3s 5d.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Oct. 8.-WHEAT-Lower; RYE-Higher; No. 1, 48c. BARLEY-Dull; No. 2, 44%c; sample, 35

Peoria Market. PEORIA, Oct. 8.-CORN-Firm, higher; No. 2, 29%c. OATS-Firm: No. 3 white, 22%@23%c, WHISKY-Firm at \$1.55.

Trading is Paralyzed by Regulation Requiring Tax on Scalping Transactions.

WEAKNESS IS SHOWN IN ALL MARKETS

Wheat and Oats 1-4 of a Cent Lower Corn a Shade Under Yesterday and Provisions 5 and 10 Cents Lower.

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.-Board of Trade ters, 4c; spring chickens, 74,68c; ducks, 5
66c; geese, not wanted.
GAME—Teal, blue wing, \$1.75; greenwing, \$1.50; mixed, \$1.7562.25; prairie chickens, young, \$1.50; old, \$2.50.

PIGEONS—Live, per doz., \$1.00.

VEAL—Choice, 9c.

When and oats closed 4c lower. Corn was a shade under yesterday's price and ing scalping transactions. It caused an alwas one of the principal features in the weakness shown by all markets.

mind on the part of the traders.

The opening tendency was

at 22 7-8c and declined to 22 1-8c bid, the closing price.

Disturbing yellow fever rumors from the south, in addition to the stamping out of the scalping element by the government tax, depressed provisions. Selling in a small way of ribs and pork by packers caused some concession in prices. Meat shipments for the week were 19,518,000 pounds and shipments of lard 14,826,000 pounds. January pork started 5@74c lower at \$8.85@8.874, sold off to \$8.824 and closed at \$8.82@8.85. The range in lard and ribs was inconsequential.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 400 cars; corn, 1,015 cars; oats, 530 cars; hogs, 21,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

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orn. Det May	29464 314634	2934 2934 3134	294 20% 31%@%	29% 29% 31%	2914@H 294 3134
Dec May	214 2236	2134 2234	214 22%	214	2134@14
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Dec	4 70 4 80	4 70 4 80	4 70 4 80	4 70 4 80	4 75 4 85
bs. Oct	5 20 4 62%	5 20 4 62%	5 20 4 60	5 20 4 62%	5 20 4 85

Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR—Stendy; Minnesota hard patents,
\$3.4073.90; soft patents, \$3.3073.40; straights,
\$3.0073.50; soft patents, \$3.3073.40; straights,
\$3.0073.50; bakers', \$2.25.22.40.
WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 62½663c; No. 3
spring, 60663c; No. 2 red, 64c.
CORN—No. 2, 2½46229½c.
OATS—No. 2, 2½46229½c.
OATS—No. 2, 2½46220; No. 2 white, 24½
625c; No. 3 white, 23½624½c.
RYE—No. 2, 49c.
BARLEY—34645c.
SEEDS—Flaxseed, No. 1, 90c; prime
timothy seed, \$2.37½.
PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., \$7.70
67.75. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$4.7564.77½. Short
ribs sides (loose), \$5.1075.30. Dry salted
shoulders (boxed), \$4.5064.62½, Short clear
sides (boxed), \$5.2563.35.
WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per
gal. \$1.25. gal., \$1.25. SUGARS—Cut loaf, \$5.77; granulated, \$5.39. The following are the receipts and ship-

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipment	
Flour, bbls	9,000	11,00	
Wheat, bu	194,000 659,000	57,0 461.0	
Oats, bu	452,000	526,00	
Rye, bu	23,000 105,000	26,00 59,00	

ter market was steady; creameries, 13% 1946; dairies, 12@17c. Cheese, steady; 7@9c. Eggs, 14c. NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quotations for the Day on General NEW YORK, Oct. 8.-FLOUR-Receipts, 24,376 bbls.; exports, 5,818 bbls.; market dull but steady; spring patents, \$3.90@

\$3.15@3.40; extra No. 1 winter \$2.80@3.00; extra No. 2 winter, \$2.65@2.75; no grade, \$1.72½ to arrive. Buckwheat flour, duil and

TALLOW-Steady; city, 34c; country, 34 @35-8c. RICE--Firm; fair to extra, 45-8@5c; Japan, 5c. MOLASSES-Steady; New Orleans, open

New York Dry Goods Market. NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The week's operations in the dry goods market have been ST. LOUIS, Oct. 8.—Clearings, 24.323.554;

overshadowed by the course of the market for print cloths. Frices have declined in both extras and odd goods, the former falling from a nominal quotation of 2c to an actual selling price of 115-18c. At this price about 25,000 pieces were sold late in the week. Odd goods are quiet in nearly all lines, but they are in general not as low in price as print cloths. Staple cottons have shown very dull conditions. Both brown and bleached goods are quiet in all lines. Coarse colored cottons are firm and in continued quiet demand. White goods are in steady demand and feature less. Blankets and flannels show no change in any grade. There is no change in any grade. There is no change in the print market.

OPERATIONS IN STOCKS AND BONDS.

Transactions of the Day of Small Volume and Not Widely Distributed.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The stock market

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NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The stock market today continued in the hands of the profesmarkets today were seriously affected by sional trading element. Transactions were the recent revenue department ruling tax. small in volume and not widely distributed.

was one of the principal features in the weakness shown by all markets.

Wheat and oats closed \(\frac{1}{2} \) lower. Corn was a shade under yesterday's price and provisions lost \(\frac{1}{2} \) lower.

Wheat showed weakness at the opening.

Liverpool failed to respond to the strength shown by this market yesterday. On the contrary it showed 1-80\(\frac{1}{2} \) decline at the close and this small decline was reflected by 1-80\(\frac{1}{2} \) loss in the December price here, that option starting at \(\frac{62}{2} \) \(\frac{7}{2} \) c. Slight selling pressure from longs was sufficient to clip another small fraction from the price a few minutes after the opening. December selling at \(\frac{62}{2} \) \(\frac{5}{2} \) \(\frac{7}{2} \) c. Slight in Tobacco, which rose \(\frac{21}{2} \) per cent, supplemented by support in Brooklyn Transit, but hough Americans had been supported in London on orders from New York. Strength in Tobacco, which rose \(\frac{21}{2} \) per cent, supplemented by support in Brooklyn Transit, but hough Americans had been supported in Tobacco, which rose \(\frac{21}{2} \) per cent, supplemented by support in Brooklyn Transit, for payment of interest on government bonds in pessetas instead of francs. This had some influence on the opening here, although Americans had been supported in Tobacco, which rose \(\frac{21}{2} \) per cent, supplemented by support in Brooklyn Transit, rot on orders from New York. Strength in Tobacco, which rose \(\frac{21}{2} \) per cent, supplemented by support in Brooklyn Transit, for payment of interest on government bonds in pessetas instead of francs. This had some influence on the opening here, although Americans had been supported in Tobacco, which rose \(\frac{21}{2} \) per cent, supplemented by support in Brooklyn Transit, for the traders of the decline at the color on orders from New York. Strength in Tobacco, which rose \(\frac{21}{2} \) per cent, supplemented by support in Brooklyn Transit, for the traders of the decline at the color of th

and resulted in a slow recovery to 63c. Most of the trading of the day was confined to the first hour. After that transactions were few and far between. The recent internal Revenue department ruling that scalpers and others must pay taxes on the first hour. After that transactions were few and far between. The recent internal Revenue department ruling that scalpers and others must pay taxes on the trade transfers appeared to paralyze trading. The duliness that resulted had a depressing effect on prices and during the last lour December dragged around 624c.

The ordinary news of the day did not recently attention. Minneapolis and Dulines were few and 12 cars, compared with the recepts were few and 12 cars, compared with the recepts were finded as a few of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans, though less than \$1,000,000 cars of large the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans though less than \$1,000,000 cars of large the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans though less than \$1,000,000 cars of large the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher. The expension of loans though less than \$1,000,000 cars of large the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 higher the surplus reserve \$3.416.450 hig

being left there at interest, as reflected in
the investments in "long sterling," in the
increase. Apprehensions that the holding
back of winter wheat for higher prices
would result in decreased earnings for the
railroads, as compared with last year's
high level, have been dissipated by the large
earnings shown in the traffic statements of
St. Paul Northern Pacific and other important grain-carrying roads, showing increase in general business in spite of decreased grain movement.

The large and persistent foreign demand
for breadstuffs and the advancing prices,
with the markets free from large speculative manipulation, give increasing ground
for confidence in a profitable disposition of
the country's crops. But, in spite of the
numerous favorable factors in the situation,
prices of stocks have failed to advance materially. One reason has been the unset-

prices of stocks have failed to advance materially. One reason has been the unsettling influence of the violent fluctuations and feverish activity in the great industrial specialties. Tobacco suffered from the completion of speculative liquidation, dropping to 113, with a subsequent rally of over 10 points. Sugar has been affected by the opening of the war in the trade and therewere violent breaks in other industrials were violent breaks in other industrials and as violent advances at some points, notably Metropolitan Street Railway and Brooklyn Rapid Transit. The most potent influence in checking the advance in the market was the weakness of Northern Pamarket was the weakness of Northern Pa-cific common, which was offered in enormous volume and in spite of a large ab-sorption sold off to 39 1-8. The rumors of differences between the two largest inter-ests in the property, if true, would involve such grave consequences in the whole rail-road world, and especially among transcon-tinental railroads. The weakness of the stock had a strong sympathetic influence on 'he whole list.

The bond market has shown improvement

during the week, especially among the speculative bonds, Wisconsin Central 1sts speculative bonds, Wisconsin Central 1sts advancing an extreme 6 points.

U. S. old 4s, reg., have advanced 5-8; the 2s, ½; the 5s, ½, and the new 4s, coup., 1-8 per cent in the bid price.

The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says: The stock markets here were stagnant and foatureless today. The settlement in mines is to begin Monday next and the settlement in general securities on Tuesday. Americans were dull and New York is still buying gold at 77s 11½d. The London market discount rate is 2 13-16 per cent, in expectations of a rise in the German bank rate on Monday. It is reported that the Bank of Austria is lending the Bank of Germany £2,000,000, but apparently the only foundation for the rumor is that there was a similar operation about a year ago.

The following are the closing quotations of the leading stocks on the New York market today:

market today:

Atchison 12% | Reading 1st do pfd 31% | Brooklyn R. T. Baitimore & Ohio 40% | St. P. & O. Canada Pacific 81% | do pfd Canada Pacific 81% | do pfd Canada Southern 52% | St. P. M. & M. Central Pacific 24% | Southern Ry Choago & Alton. 15% | Southern Ry Choago & Alton. 15% | Southern Ry Chi. & E. Ili. 54% | Texas & Pacific Chi. & E. Ili. 54% | Union Pacific pfd C. C. C. & & St. L. 39% | U. P. D. & G. do pfd 81% | Wabash do pfd 81% | Wabash do pfd 81% | Del. & Hudson. 15% | Del. & Hudson. 15% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | do pfd 81% | Del. & Rio G. 12% | Del. The standard of the Day on General Commodities.

EW YORK, Oct. 8.—FLOUR—Receipts, Sale Pacific.

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OMAHA, Oct. 8.—Clearances today were \$1,267,492.58; balances, \$67,079.08. Clearances last year were \$952.549.06; balances \$93,068.09. Increase in clearings, \$314.642.88, Clearings for the last six days with com-

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, choice, 25@33c.

METALS—it was a short day of small prices in the market for metals. Buyers and sellers were equally indifferent and the situation taken generally lacked radical change. The Metal exchange issues no report Saturdays. The firm naming the settling price for the leading western miners and smelters quotes lead at \$3.77½; copper, \$11.00 and casing copper, \$11.00.

POULTRY—Chickens, &c per lb.; ducks, per pair, \$0060c; turkeys, spring, dry picked, large 13@14c per lb. Total... \$7,888,701.15 \$6,088,662.89 \$1,589,498.26

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The imports of specie for the week at this port amounted to \$3,460,455 in gold and \$61,212 in silver. The exports were: Silver, \$361,740; gold, \$91,300. The imports of dry goods and general merchandise for the week were valued at \$5,736,834. Clearings, \$140,257,622; balances, \$8,915,966.

New York Money Market NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—MONEY ON CALL-Nominally 2½33 per cent. PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-3½44

Closing quotations on bonds were as fol-

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Boston Stock Quotations.

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San Francisco Mining Quotations

quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:		
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London Stock Quotations. LONDON, Oct. 8.-4 p. m.-Closing:

Un'on Pacific pfd... 27% St. Paul, common...110% BAR SILVER—Steady, 28 1-16d per ounce, MONEY-14@1½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 2 11-16@2½ per cent; for three months' bills, 2 7-8 per cent.

Oil Market. Oil Market.

OIL CITY, Oct. 8.—Credit balances, \$1.10; certificates opened \$1.09 bid for cash; highest, \$1.11½; closed \$1.10½ bid. Sales, cash oil, 2,000 bbls, at \$1.10½, 3,000 bbls, at \$1.11; shipments, 78.302 bbls.; runs, 93,088 bbls.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 8.—OIL—Turpentine, firm, 29½c. Rosin, firm, unchanged.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 8.—OIL—Turpentine, firm, 29½@30c. Rosin, nothing doing. Crude turpentine, firm, \$1.10@1.70. Tar, steady, \$1.15. steady, \$1.15.
ANTWERP, Oct. 8.—Petroleum, 10f 19½c.
BREMEN, Oct. 8.—Petroleum, 6 marks

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Swan Sugar Market.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 8.—SUGAR—Dull;
no open kettle; centrifugal, new off A, 4c.

MOLASSES—Strong; centrifugal, new 27c;
New cane syrup, 38c.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—BEET SUGAR—October, 98 9d; November, 98 9d.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 311-18c bid; centrifugal, 96 test, 43-18c bid. Refined steady; mould A, 5½c; standard A, 47-8c; confectioners' A, 47-8c; cut loaf, 5½c; crushed, 5½c; powdered, 51-8c; granulated, 5c; cubes, 51-8c.

Wool Market.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—The arrivals of wool for the sixth series of wool auction sales amount to 31,518 bales, including 5,500 forwarded direct. The imports of wool during the week were: New South Wales, 1,751 bales; Melbourne, 64 bales; New Zealand, 3,112 bales; Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 321 bales; Busres, 19,309 bales; China, 500 bales; Russia, 749 bales, and elsewhere, 339 bales. A sale of sheep skins will be held on October 27 and 28. Wool Market.

Eastbound Freight Shipments. Eastbound Freight Shipments.

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—Eastbound freight shipments for the week ending October 6, were 63,063 tons, against 54,555 tons for the previous week, and 46,187 tons for the corresponding week last year, divided among the different roads as follows;

Panhandle, 11,380 tons; Michigan Central, 3,766; Wabash, 5,129; Lake Shore, 7,795; Fort Wayne, 8,416; Baltimore & Ohio, 2,963; Grand Trunk, 6,771; Erie, 9,903; Nickel Plate, 5,781; Big Four, 2,056.

Coffee Market. NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—COFFEE—Options opened steady, declined 10 points, ruled fairly active, with weak undertone, European and Brazilian decline, rallied partially active and control of the on covering, closing quiet, net 5 points higher to 5 points lower; sales, 13,990 bags, including November, \$5.40; December, \$5.60. Spot, Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 61-8c; No. 7 jobbing, 65-8c. Mild, quiet; Cerdova, 8@15c.

California Dried Fruits. NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Steady. Evaporated apples, common, 6@8c; prime wire tray, 5½c; choice, 9c; fancy, 9½c. Prunes, 9½c. Apricots, 11@13c; Moor Park, 12@15c. Peaches, unpeeled, 7@9c; peeled, 7@12c.

Manchester Textile Fabrics. FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 8.-The print cloth market remains unchanged at 1 15-16c.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—BEEVES—Receipts, 300 head, Feeders slow; exports, 810 and cattle and 2,997 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, 57 head, Veals, \$5.50 g5.75. No westerns or grassers.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 330 head, 8ales Sheep, slow; \$3,2504.09. Lambs, active and higher: \$5.8505.15.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,700 head; nominal at \$5.8004.09.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 8.-HOGS-Strong. 71. \$3.00073.75. CATTLE—Steady, \$2.5004.85. SHEEP—Steady, \$2.0006.25. Lambs, strong, 72.

SOUTH OMAHA, Oct. 8. Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, 2,191 7,068 2,708 Receipts today. Receipts today
Official Monday
Official Tuesday
Official Wednesday
Official Thursday
Official Friday 4,269 6,901 8,088 4,178 4,762 3.848 8.513 8.211 5,102 3,231 1,685 30,906 15,429 24,367 28,241 29,036 22,490 Total this week. 35,973 41,106 34,403 41,103 Week ending Sept. 24 24 24 3 Week ending Sept. 17 24 619 Week ending Sept. 17 24 619 Week ending Sept. 10 118 344 Week ending Sept. 3 20,110 31,200 38,827 Average price paid for hogs for the last several days with comparisons:

1898. |1897. |1896. |1893. |1894. |1893. |1892.

The sheep market all this week has been in very satisfactory condition as regards the selling interests. The demand has been good right along for all kinds, and it has been no trouble to keep the pens cleared. Both killers and feeders have been free buyers and values have been just about stationary. The week's business could be summed up in a very few words by describing it as a good, active and steady market. * Indicates Sunday. The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: C., M. & St. P. Ry.... Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. H'r's market.
Quotations are: Good grass westerns, \$1.00\text{24.16}; fair to good grass westerns, \$3.90 \text{34.00\text{24.16}}; good vearings, \$4.20\text{24.35}; good to choice lambs, \$5.15\text{35.30}; fair to good lambs, \$4.90\text{35.00}; feeder wethers, 2-year-olds and over, \$3.75\text{34.00}; feeder yearlings, \$4.00\text{41.16}; feeder lambs, \$4.25\text{34.85}; culls, \$2.50\text{33.00}.00. Representative sales: C., M. & St. P. Ry.
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11 Union Pacific system. 11
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No. 17 Utah mixed 161 Wyoming ewes, feeders 419 western ewes Total receipts 95 101 12 4
The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: 800 Utah mixed 303 Wyoming lambs, feeders. Cattle, Hogs, Sheep. CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET, Saturday Offerings Disposed Of at Unchanged Prices.

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—The cattle pens, as is usual on Saturday, were nearly all empty and the market was in consequence practage. tically a nominal one. The offerings were

BULLS.

WESTERNS.

NEBRASKA.

13 cows.... 963 3 25 22 feeders. 1057 3 85 COLORADO. A. Critchlow. 1 steer.... 710 2 75 55 feeders... 935 4 20 25 steers... 1018 3 40 2 steers... 1080 3 40 1 feeder... 1010 4 20 W. H. Violet. 9 cows... 1035 3 25 34 feeders... 966 4 00 12 steers... 1296 4 00 5 calves... 240 5 25 IDAHO.

7 cows.... 857 2 80 36 heifers.. 821 3 45 18 cows....1061 3 35

1 cow... 1040 1 cow... 850 2 cows... 970 3 cows... 1040 1 feeder... 980 27 steers... 1158 1 feeder... 600 Badgett.

430 2 50 840 3 75

season to date, the receipts having run very heavy, as will be noted from the table of figures at the head of the column. Nearly all the cattle received during the week were range cattle, with a sprinkling of cornfeds, Grass beef cattle of good quality were scarce all the week, and they have sold just as well as any time, in spite of the large receipts and lower prices on other kinds. Cornfed cattle sold most too high here, as compared with other markets. Some cattle that went on to Chicago brought considerably less money than was bid for them here, and it is safe to say that such cattle as sold here brought Chicago prices. For that reason buyers were weak and inclined to bear prices on cornfed steers, and at the close of the week it is safe to call the market 10915c lower than last week. The most of the cattle received during the week were feders and stockers, and with the medium and common kinds in the majority. With such large offerings of cattle of that kind it was only natural that values should break badly and the middle of the week, when the supply was the largest, the market were shipped out and at the close of the week the market on feeders is about 10% 20c lower than last week. Representative sales:

COWS.

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St. Louis Live Stock.

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St. Louis Cet. 8.—CATTLE—Receipts, 700 head; shipments, 1,800 head; market steady, with choice native beef steers 10c lower than last week and all others 15@25c off. No Texans on sale today. Fair to fancy native shipping and export steers, \$4.85@6.40; bulk of sales, \$5.15@5.35; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$3.70%2.25; bulk of sales, \$4.25@4.15; stockers and feeders, \$4.26@4.15; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3.45@4.70; bulk of sales, \$4.25@4.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.60@4.25; bulk of sales, \$3.75@4.00; cows and helfers, \$2.00@4.75, with good helfers scarce; bulk of cows, \$2.50@3.25; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.90@4.50; bulk of sales, \$3.25@3.70; cows and helfers, \$2.10@3.25, HOGS—Receipts, 1,900 head; shipments, 1,900 head; market steady; yorkers, \$3.60@3.70; packers, \$3.65@3.80; butchers, \$3.75@3.85, SHEEP—Receipts, 400 head; shipments, 3,100 head; market quiet; native muttons, \$4.00@4.25; culls and bucks, \$2.25@3.75; stockers, \$2.70@3.75; lambs, \$4.50@5.50. 6..1123 2 90 1..1290 2 90 1..1300 3 00 STOCKERS AND FEEDERS. 1.. 430 2 50 1..1060 4 00 3.. 320 4 50 Nebraska.
No. Av. Pr. No. Av. Pr.
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1 feeder. 960 4 15 3 feeders. 796 3 50
39 feeders. 821 3 90 38 feeders. 653 4 00
F. D. Arnot.
3 bulls. 980 3 20 35 feeders. 859 3 35
5 cows. 1022 3 25 1 bull. 1400 3 95
3 cows. 1043 3 30 15 feeders. 1002 4 15
1 feeder. 1390 3 35
D. M. Gurley.
2 feeders. 950 3 25 75 feeders. 950 3 50

St. Joseph Live Stock. St. Joseph Live Stock.
ST. JOSEPH, Oct. 8.—(Special.)—CATTLE
—Receipts, 900 head; steady; nearly all
Texans; natives. \$4.0074.95; Texans and
westerns, \$3.2507.25; cows and heifers, \$2.009
4.00; stockers and feeders. \$3.0074.75,
HOGS—Receipts, 2,900 head; strong, 50
higher, slow; top. \$3.75; bulk, \$3.6073.67\frac{5}{2}.
SHEEP—Receipts, none.

Stock in Sight. Record of receipts of live stock at the four principal markets for October 8:
 Cattle.
 Hogs.
 Sheep.

 Chicago
 390
 14,090
 3,500

 Kansas City
 50
 3,500
 592

 St. Louis
 700
 1,900
 409
 Totals3,241

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