Grain Markets Are All Weak on Favorable Crop Conditions-Wheat Declines Over a Cent.

not been equalled in many months. Pork declined 57%c, lard 17%w20c and ribs 2500 275c. Grain markets were all weak on favorable crop conditions, wheat declining 15c, corn 5c and oats 5c for September. July oats, alleged to be cornered, showed a decline of 514c for this, the last day of the

With almost everything favoring lower prices at the opening, wheat started at a decline of a full cent for September, that option opening at 69% 670c. In the course of the first half hour's trading a further slight decline took place, September touching 69% fr69%c. Liverpool showed a decline of about 14d, while continental markets all showed weakness. Foreign advices all told of favorable crop conditions throughout Europe. Domestic conditions were also favorable. Frost had been apprehended in the northwest, but the weather was reported as exceptionally favorable, with crops in many localities already out of danger. World's shipments were put at 7,350,000 bu, compared with 3,880,000 bu, a year ago. Northwest receipts continued liberal. Minneapolis and Duluth reporting 535 cars, against 565 last week and 217 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 102 cars, 7 of contract grade. When the visible figures were announced, showing an unexpectedly small increase of 6,000 bu, the showed weakness. Foreign advices all told Year ago. Chicago receipts were to care to a form of contract grade. When the visible figures were announced, showing an unexpectedly small increase of 6,000 bu, the market became noticeably stronger, a rally to 704c taking place in September. The rally did not last long. Export demand was light, New York putting the engagements at but 15 loads. Total primary receipts were put at 72,000 bu. Atlantic clearances consided 435,000 bu. During the afterncon the market became very weak again on a remarkably small amount of trading. Longs who had withstood this pressure during the morning weakened when the price again got below 70c and offerings from that price caused a gradual decline to 639c. The close was weak at 69%/269% of r September. Corn in the main followed wheat and was bearish, crop conditions being favorable, arish, crop conditions being favorable, ceipts large and foreign markets weak, series was scattered liquidation all day, sceipts were 681 cars. The seaboard restred engagements of 50 loads. September ager from 30% to 31% and closed %c

wooled early skins, No. 1, each, 5c; dry ranger from 30% to 31% cand closed % lower at 30% c.

Interest in oats centered in the July deal and heavy selling by elevator interests and country receivers caused a steady decline in the option aleged to have been cornered, the close showing a loss of 5½ c. Shorts were the only buyers and they took hold sparingly. Receipts were liberal, 894 cars, 317 cars being of contract grade. Distant toptions were weak in sympathy, but so little traded in that only slight declines resulted. There was a good cash demand, July opened le lower, at 25c, and closed at 20½ c. September ranged from 18c to 19½ c.

A yellow fever panic raged in the provision pit and the market was in a badiy demoralized condition all day. All classes of holders sold at the best prices they could get and, as the demand was light at all times, prices melted away with remarkable rapidity. The market opened weak and lower for all commodities and under steady selling pressure ruled weak to the close. Liquidation was mostly from the outside, commission houses leading in the selling.

At the close September pork was 575 clower, at \$2.25; september ribs, 2572 lower, at \$4.29; and September

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*Wheat. July Sept Dec May	69% 69%-70 71%@% 74%@%	69.4 @94 70.4 72.4 75	6754 6954 7134 <b>65</b> 4 7434	68% 69% 6% 71% 74%	70% 70%-71 72%
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Sept Oct Lard.	8 40 8 50	8 52% 8 60	8 25 8 30	8 25 8 30	8 825 8 85
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Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR—Market steady; patents, \$3.45@
\$.55; straights, \$3.00@3.25; clears, \$2.80@3.10;
spring specials, \$4.00; hard patents, \$3.50@
\$.50; soft patents, \$3.30@3.40; straights, \$3.00
@3.10; bakers, \$2.40@2.50.
WHBAT—No. 2 spring, 66@67½c; No. 2 red, 71½c. red, 714c. CORN—No. 2, 31@314c; No. 2 yellow, 314

@32c.
OATS—No. 2, 19@22c; No. 2 white, 23½@
26½c; No. 3 white, 21½@24½c.
RYE—No. 2, 51½@62½c.
BARLEY—No. 2, 32@34½c.
SEEDS—Flax, July, 97c; September, 95½c;
October, 95½c; northwest, \$1.00½; southwest, 97c. Frime thmothy, \$2.46; August, \$2.55; September, \$2.47½; October, \$2.47½.
Clover, contract grade, \$6.50.
WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal. \$1.26. gal., \$1.26. SUGARS-Cut loaf, \$6.02; granulated, \$5.50. Following are the receipts and shipments:

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Flour, bbls. 16,000 15,000
Wheat, bu 63,000 794,000
Corn, bu 453,000 794,000
Outs, bu 633,000 233,000 7,000 On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 134/2017c; dulries, 122/154/c. Cheese, steady, \$54/20c. Ebggs, firm; fresh, 114/c. Poultry, weak; turkers, 74/2084/c; chickens, 9/294/c; springs, 124/2018

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations for the Day on Various Commodities. NEW YORK, July 31.-FLOUR-Receipts,

24,780 bbls.; exports, 4,276 bbls; weak and lower, with little demand for spring patents; winter patents, \$3.606r3.65; winter straights, \$3.30@3.45; Minnesota patents, \$3.70@3.85; Minnesota bakers, \$2.90@3.10; win-ter extras. \$2.40@2.80 Rye flour, weaker; good to fair, \$3.00@3.15; fair to choice, \$3.20@ 2.40. CORNMICAL-Weak; yellow western, 72@

73c; city, 74c, RYE-Easler; No. 2 western, 595c f. o. b., affoat, spot.

BARLEY—Quiet; feeding, 374c c, i. f.,
Buffalo; maiting, 46c, delivered in New

Buffalo; malting, 46c., delivered in New York.

BARLEY MALT—Dull: western, 58265c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 206.775 bu.; exports, 131.33 bu. Spot, weak; No. 2 red, 76%c f. o. b., float, spot; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 77%c f. o. b., afloat, spot; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 80%c f. o. b., afloat to arrive; No. 2 red, 74%c, elevator, Options opened weak at 1c decline, influenced by lower cables, favorable crop news at home and abroad and liquidation. All day the market ruled heavy on a small room trade. Later selling motives were light on export transactions, yellow fever news and disappointing clearances. Shippers said that high freight rates prevented business. Closed weak at 1%c net decline, July opened at 74%c; becember opened at 74%c; September opened at 76%c; decline, following wheat; later sold off under fine crop news, small export business and liberal country offerings, closing weak at ¼c net decline. September opened at 364,2364c and closed at 36%c; December opened at 364,2364c and closed at 36%c.

cember opened at 354,6135% and closed at 354.0.

OATS—Receipts, 214,800 bu.; exports, 193,-139 bu. Spot weaker: No. 2, 27%; No. 3, 27c; No. 2 white, 29c; No. 3 white, 29c; track mixed western, 276,22c. Options, dull and featureless all day.

PEED—Easier: bran, \$14,500,14.75; middling, \$16,00; city, \$16,00; ci

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ern, 10015c. POTATOES—Quiet; fair to prime, \$1,009 1,50; fancy \$1.7592.25; southern sweets, \$3.50 84.00. RICE-Firm; domestic, fair to extra, 4%@ MOLASSES-Firm: New Orleans open

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Conditions of Trade and Quotations ou Staple and Fancy Produce. EGGS-Good stock, weak at 16c.

BUTTER-Common to fair, 11@12c; choice, 13@14c; separator, 18@19c; gathered cream-POULTRY-Hens, live, 74c; spring chickens, 11@12c; old and staggy roosters, live, 314:35c; ducks and geese, live, 69:614c;

urkers, live, sc. PIGEONS-Live, per doz., 75c@\$1.00. VEALS-Choice, 9c. VEGETABLES.
WATERMELONS-Southern, crated for

shipment, 17@20c. CANTALOUPE-Per crate, \$1.50@1.65; blisket, 70@80c.
TOMATOES—Per 4-basket crate 60@65c.
POTATOES—New potatoes, 25@35c per bu.
CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 30c.
CELERY—Per doz., 30c.

FRUI'S.
BLUEBERRIES—Per 16-qt. case, \$1.75.
BLACKBERRIES—Per 24-qt. case, \$3.90.
PLUMS—California, per crate, \$1,4921.50.
CALIFORNIA PEACHES—Froestones, 1.15@1.20 per box. APPLES—Per bbl., \$2.00@2.25.

TROPICAL FRUIT.

ORANGES—California Valencias, \$5.00. LEMONS—California farcy, \$4,2524.75; Messina, fancy, \$5.0026.50. BANANAS—Choice, crated, large stock, per bunch, \$2,502.75; medium-sized, bunches, \$2,002.25.

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BANANAS—Choice, crated, large stock, per bunch, \$2,5000.2.76: medium-sized, bunches, \$2,0000.2.25.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 greet, hides, 7½c; No. 2 green hides, 8½c; No. 1 saited hides, 8½c; No. 2 saited hides, 7½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 10c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 8c.

TALLOW GREASE, ETC.—Tallow, No. 1, 3½c; tallow, No. 1, 3½c; tallow, No. 1, 3c; rough tallow, 1½c; white grease, 1½6000; No. 2 veal calf, 15 condend to the saited 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, 455c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 455c; dry flint, Colorado murrain wool pelte, per lb. actual weight, 364c.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

Lard, lower; prime steam, \$5.10; choice, \$5.15. Dry sait meats, steady; boxed shoulders, \$5.25; extra shorts, \$5.25; clear ribs, \$5.37!; clear sides, \$5.50. Bacon, quiet; boxed shoulders, \$5.75; extra shorts, \$5.87!; 6.60; clear ribs, \$5.87!; 66.00; clear sides, \$5.124 \$6,1214. METALS-Lead, firm at \$4.5714; spelter,

METALS - 1546, dull at \$5.556.50.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 7½c; young, 9½@10c; turkeys, 8c; young, 15c; ducks, 6@6½c; geese, 6@6½c; ereamery, 15@18c; BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 15@18c; dairy, 12/015c. EGGS—Slow at 9c. RECEIPTS—Flour, 10,000 bbls.; wheat 118,000 bu; corn, 214,000 bu; oats, 69,000 bu. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 6,000 bbls.; wheat 19,000 bu; corn, 28,000 bu; oats, 8,000 bu.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, July 31.—WHEAT—September, 62%; December, 65c; cash, No. 2 hard, 63½c; No. 3, 59½d65½c; No. 2 red, 68c; No. 3, 52d65c; receipts, 202 cars.

CORN—September, 27½c; December, 24½c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 28½d29½c; No. 2 white, 9314d30c; No. 3 29c 29\\(\alpha\)30c; No. 3, 29c. OATS-No. 2 white, 25\\(\alpha\)26c. RYE-No. 2, 51c.

HAY-Choice timothy, \$7.50; choice prairie. \$6.00.
BUTTER—Creamery, 14½@16½e; dairy, 14c.
EGGS—Market quiet and prices steady.
Eggs continue to arrive in bad condition.
Fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, firsts, N2c, cases returned. RECEIPTS—Wheat, 121,200 bu.; corn, 33, 00 bu.; oats, 12,000 bu. SHIPMEN'TS-Wheat, 33,000 bu.; corn, 26,

000 bu.; oats, 1,000 bu.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL. July 31.—The Grain exchange will be closed Saturday and Monday, August 5 and 7, and the Provision exchange Monday, August 7.

PROVISIONS—Bacon, short clear backs, full at 29s. d. \$5.50. PROVISIONS—Bacon, short clear backs, dull at 29s. CHEESE—American finest white, firm at 45s. American finest colored, 45s 6d. WHEAT—Spot, No. 2 red western, winter, dull at 5s 9d; No. 1 northern, spring, dull at 5s 11d. Futures, dull; September, 5s 8%d; 17,000 he but-34\(\phi\)17c; \$\$\frac{3}{2}\(\phi\)2010; \$\$\frac{3}{2}\(\phi\)2010

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, July 31,—The statement of the visible supply of grain in store and affoat on Saturday, July 29, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as olows: Wheat, 36.512.000 bu.; increase, 146.000 bu. Corn, 11.646.000 bu.; decrease, 1.724.000 bu. Oats, 3.794.000 bu.; decrease, 203.000 bu. Rye, 587.000 bu.; decrease, 24.000 bu. Barley, 582.000 bu.; decrease, 297.000 bu.

Minneapolis Wheat and Flour. MINNEAPOLIS. July 31.—WHEAT— Mose: In store, No. 1 northern, July 66%c; September, 664,2066%c; December, 67%c; On rack; No. 1 hard, 68%c; No. 2 northern, waste.

66@68c. FLOUR-First patents, \$3.60@3.70; second patents, \$3.40@3.50. BRAN-In bulk, \$9.75@10.00.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, July 31.—WHEAT—Active and steady; No. 2 cash, 704c; September, 714c bid.

CORN—Dull and lower; No. 2 mixed, 33c. OATS—Dull and easy; No. 2 mixed, 24c. RYE—Dull and lower; No. 2 cash, 52c bid. SEEDS—Clover, active and steady; cash, new, \$3.75; October, \$4.50 bid.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, July 31.—FLOUR—Steady. WHEAT—Lower: No. 1 northern, 71% (F 72½c; No. 2 northern, 706770½c, OATS—Dull at 236728c, RYE—Quiet: No. 1, 52c, BARLEY—Dull; No. 2, 40c; sample, 34@

Duluth Wheat Market.

DULUTH, July 31.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard, cash, 72c asked; September, 70%c; December, 72c; No. 2 northern, cash, 69%c; September, 68%c; No. 2 northern, 65%c; No. 3 spring, 62%c, To arrive; No. 1 hard, 72%c; No. 1 northern, 69%c.

Philadelphia Produce Market.
PHILADELPHIA, July 31.—BUTTER—
Steady: fancy western creamery, 18½c;
fancy western prints, 21c.
EGGS—Steady; fresh nearby, 13½c; fresh
western, 13½@14c; fresh southwestern, 13c;
fresh southern, 10@11c.

last few weeks. Excitement was reported at all points and business as extensive. Strong cables, builtsh reports from primary markets and very heavy demand were responsible for the additional improvement. The other departments were about unchanged at the close the Metal exchange called pig Iron warrants. No. 2, unchanged with \$15.25 bid and \$15.75 asked; lake copper, unchanged at \$18.50; tin, unsettled with \$15.00 bid and \$15.00 asked; lend, quiet but firm with \$4.56 bid and \$4.57\forall asked; spelter, quiet at \$5.00. The brokers price for lead is \$4.35 and for copper \$18.50.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

Depressing Influences Brought to Bear on the Stock Exchange. NEW YORK, July 31.—There were a number of depressing influences brought to bear upon the stock market today and prices A. T. & St. F. CHICAGO, July 31.—Yellow fever in the United States demoralized the provision market today and caused a break that has opened lower, but later there was a rully Am. Sugar

ous of the depressing influences was the reported outbreak of yellow fever at Hampton, Va., Soldiers' home. The group of railroads liable to suffer from a yellow fever epidemic and the resulting quarantines have been favorites in the recent speculation, especially on the part of London.

A setback to them, therefore, was calculated to have a far-reaching influence in the general list. Louisville & Nashville did in fact open down 14 per cent, and the Norfolk & Western stocks, Southern Railway and Chesapeake & Ohio were also depressed and ruled below Saturday's level all day, only fully recovering in the late dealings. The exhibit of the associated banks in the Saturday's statement also had some unfavorable influence in the early dealings. A decrease of nearly 12,000 tons in the eastbound shipments from Chicago, as compared with last week's movement, had a rather halting effect on railroads.

The effects of these combined influences was to turn the tide of speculation at first from the railroads into the industrials. The stocks of fron and steel companies were rquite largely bought, but the earliest strength was confined to a few of them. Federal Steel, Tennessee Coal, Steel and Wire sind American Smelting being the exceptions to the early strength. Later the entire group was affected, gains ranging from 1 to 3½ per cent, the latter Pressed Steel Car. American The Plate, American Hoop, American Car and Foundry and American Smelting all shared in the movement.

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The tobacco stocks were strong and People's Gas moved upward on the declaration of the quarterly dividend. There was early depression in Sugar on a report of additional control of the strong control of the cont

weight, 465c, dry fifnt, Coforado murrain wool pelte, per lb. actual weight, 364c.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

There was considerable selling of the bonds of Southwestern Rallway, which lost something in prices. Otherwise bond prices were unchanged or higher. Total sales, par value, \$2.374,000. United States 2s and 3s, 118.221 bushels.

CORN-Lower: No. 2. cash, 31c; track, 32c; July, 305 c; September, 29%c; December, 27%c.

OATS-Lower: No. 2. cash, 31c; track, 2021%c; July, 2054c; September, 29%c; May, 21%c; No. 2 white, 26625%c.

FLOUR-Duil; straights, \$3.1063,25; patents, \$3.2562,50; clear, \$2.7563,00.

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South Pacific .... .. 35% Western Union \*Offered. New York Money Market. NEW YORK, July 31.—MONEY—On call, steady at 31/64 per cent; last loan, at 31/2 PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-34644 sterling Exchange-Weak. STERLING EXCHANGE—Weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.864.64 4.864, for demand and at \$4.834.64, \$344, for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.8464.85 and \$4.874.44.85; commercial bills, \$4.824.64.83. SILVER—Certificates, \$69.5661c; bar, \$69.5c. MEXICAN DOLLARS—48c. BONDS—Government bonds, strong; state bonds, inactive; railroad bonds, irregular.

U. S. 2s, reg101	M. K. & T. 2ds 695
U. S. Sa. reg10814	M. K. & T. 48 9314
U. S. 3s. coup109	*N. Y. C. lata 114
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F. W. & D. C. 1616., 77	T. P. 18ts
Gen. Elec. 58 119	T D OOS SKL
G. H. & S. A. 6a 110%	T. P. 2ds 555 U. P. 4s 1655 Wab. 1sts 117 Wab. 2ds 1025
G. H. & S. A. 2ds 111	Wab late 117
H. & T. Cent. Sa 110%	Wab. 2ds. 1024
H. & T. C. con 6s 112	W. Shore 48 1144
*lows C. 1sts 115	Wis. Cent. 1sts 76 9
K. C. P. & G. 18ts 61%	Va. Centuries 864
La. New Con. 48 106	Va. deferred 5
L & N. Uni. 48 98%	Colorado South'n 4s. 884

mixed western, 1362%. Options, dull and featureless all day.

PEED-Easler: bran, 24:50004.75; mid-dilng 31:600 city 31:60006.50

HAY-Easy: shipping, 55:600 good to folice, 76:635c.
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HOPS-Quiet; state, common to choice, 35:65 crop, 6:67c; 187, 11:613c; 188, 16:67; Pacific const, 188 crop, 6:67c; 187, 11:613c; 188, 18:67; Pacific const, 188 crop, 6:67c; 187, 11:67; Pacific const, 187, 11:67 Foreign Financial.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

rentes were particularly benefited. Spanish is and Italian securities improved and Rio tintos and DeBeers were atrons. Kaffirs were maintained. Three per cent rentes. 1901 57% for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 23% for checks.

LONDON, July 31.—American securities opened firm with prices above parity, but afterwards receded on a disposition to realize. Later in the day the tone was more cheerful and the close was firm. Spanish 4s, 80,37%. The amount of buillon taken into the Bank of England on balance today was £54,000. Gold at Buenos Ayres, 114. Arrivals During July Have Been Above the Average of June.

CONSIDERABLE GAIN OVER LAST YEAR

BOSTON, July 31.—Call loans, 312914 per cent; time loans, 312914 per cent, Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining sharesi Seston & Albany Seston L Toston & Maine

Boston Stock Quotations.

New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, July 31.—The following are the closing quotations for mining shares:

Frown Point 220 From Cal. & Va. 200 Seadwood 65 Gould & Currie ... Hale & Norcross... do pfd Sierra Nevada Standard on Silver

 
 Consols, money.
 105 9-16 9-1.
 P. Paul common
 1554

 Consols, acct.
 106 13-16
 N. Y. Central
 1354

 Can.
 Pacific
 1005
 Pennsylvania
 70

 Srie
 1376
 Reading
 1004

 do 1st pfd
 3814
 U. P. pfd
 801s
 ... 117% Louisville II. Central ...... 117% 7. Pacific pfd ..... 80% BAR SILVER-Uncertain at 27%d per

London Stock Quotations. LONDON, July \$1 .- 4 p. m .- Closing:

ounce.

MONEY-2½ per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 3.7-16 per cent; for three months' bills, 3.7-16@3.13-16 per cent.

NEW YORK, July 31,—Clearings, \$91,219,—100; balances, \$6,451,371,
BOSTON, July 31.—Clearings, \$15,916,882; balances, \$1,741,434,
BALTIMORE, July 31.—Clearings, \$2,474,—487; balances, \$450,963,
PHILADELPHIA, July 31.—Clearings, \$9,962,182; balances, \$2,032,282,
CHICAGO, July 31.—Clearings, \$19,163,020; balances, \$2,033,577. New York exchange, 10e discount, Posted rates, \$4.85674,88,
ST. LOUIS, July 31.—Bank clearings, \$4,933,70; balances, \$407,872. Money, quiet at 4677 per cent. New York exchange, par bld, 10c asked, Bank Clearings.

Condition of the Treasury. WASHINGTON, July 21.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$280,440,-416; gold reserve, \$245,118,668.

DIMINISHED WHEAT ACREAGE

Small Grains in Nebraska in Good Condition - lowa's Corn Crop Never Was in Better Shape.

CHICAGO, July 31 .- The Corn Belt will print tomorrow condensed information about the condition of the growing crops

in Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri and Kansas.

It says: There is a large diminished acreage in wheat. Nebraska: Corn-120 reports say the stand

Nebraska: Corn—120 reports say the stand is excellent, 128 good, fourteen fair, four poor. Three reports only mention damage by grasshoppers. The scare about the ravages of that insect is unfounded. Winter wheat—thirty-one reports say the quality is excellent, 117 good forty-five fair, seven-teen poor. It may be safely concluded that all the stands of winter wheat that escaped the winter kill and have been cut show increase in yield and quality of grain. Oats—eighty-four reports say the quality is good, two excellent, twenty-eight fair, ten poor. Spring wheat—eighty-nine reports say the quality is good, six excellent, forty fair, twenty-four poor. Rye—Seventy-four reports say the quality is good, two excellent, twenty-eight fair, ten poor.

the present stand is excellent, fifty-two good, nine fair, two poor. It is evident that except locally and in spots, the prospects except locally and in spots, the prospects of a corn crop in Iowa were perhaps never more flattering in the history of the state. Winter wheat—Two reports say the quality is excellent, seven good, fourteen fair, five poor. Oats—Sixty-five reports say the quality is good, four excellent, ten fair, two poor. Spring wheat—Fifty-four reports say the quality is good, two excellent , eleven fair, three poor. Rye—twenty-seven reports say the quality is good, nine fair, one poor. fair, three poor. Rye—twenty-seven reports say the quality is good, nine fair, one poor. Northern Missouri: Corn—Forty-one reports say the stand is good, twelve excellent, nine fair and two poor. Winter wheat—Twenty reports say the quality is good, two excellent, eight fair and six poor. Oats—Five reports call the quality excellent, thirty good, ten fair and none say it is poor. Spring wheat—All reports call the quality fair to good. Rye—Quality and yield both at least average. it least average. Northern Kansas: Corn—Eleven reports Northern Kansas: Corn—Eleven reports from ten counties say the present stand is excellent, ten fair and one poor. Seventeen reports say it is better than at the same time last year, two practically the same and one not so good. The present outlook is by a large majority declared to be excellent. Winter wheat—Nine reports say the quality is good, two excellent, three fair and two poor. Spring wheat—The majority of the reports say the quality is fair to good. Rye—All reports but one make the quality good to fair.

Over all the territory included the potato

Cotton Market.

LIVERPOOL, July 31.—COTTON—Spot, fair demand, prices unchanged; middling, American, 3%d; sales of the day, 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 8,300 American; receipis, 3,000 bales, including 2,800 American, Futures quiet at opening and closed barely steady; American middling I, m. c., August, 3 19-640; American middling I, m. c., August, 3 19-640; American middling I, m. c., August, 3 19-640; 3 18-64d, buyers; September and October, 3 15-64d, buyers; October and November, 3 15-64d, sellers; November and December, 3 15-64d, sellers; December and January, 3 15-64d, sellers; December and January, 3 15-64d, sellers; January and March, 3 15-64d, 316-64d, sellers; January and March, 3 15-64d, 316-64d, sellers; April and May, 3 17-64d, buyers; March and April, 3 16-640; Sillers; April and May, 3 17-64d, buyers; May and June, 3 18-64d, sellers.

NEW ORLEANS, July 31.—COTTON—Quiet and steady; sales, 300 bales; ordinary, 3 11-16c; good ordinary, 4 3-16c; low middling, 67-16c; middling, 5%c; good middling, 6 7-16c; middling fair, 6 13-16c; recepts, 2,200 bales; stock, 155,587 bales. Futures steady and quiet; July, nominal; August, 53-42; September, \$5,4465,45; December, \$5,4465,42; November, \$5,4465,45; December, \$5,4465,50; January, \$5,5566,55;

March, \$5,606,62.

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—COTTON—Quiet; middling, 5%c; sales, none; receipts, 219 bales; shipments, 12) bales; stock, 69,526 bales.

NEW YORK, July 31.—COTTON—Scarcely Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, July 31.—COFFEE—Options opened steady, with prices unchanged to 5 points lower, and ruled more active, though weak, on liquidation and exchanging. Receipts were heavy, cables adverse, investors indifferent and the spot article neglected—thus the bearish feeling in professional circles. Closed steady and unchanged to 1 point lower. Sales, 22500 bags, including September at \$4.40. October, \$4.5: November, \$4.50; December, \$4.5: January, \$4.90; March, \$5: April, \$5.65; May, \$5.10. Spot coffee, Rio, dull and easy. Mild, dragging market.

Receipts of Hogs This Month the Largest in the History of the Yards Except in the Month of July, 1894,

SOUTH OMAHA, July 31, Receipts were: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.

Cattle, Hogs, Sh'p, H'r's,

M. & St. P. Ry. C. M. & St. P. Ry. 1
O. & St. L. Ry. 1
Missouri Pacific Ry. 1
Union Pacific System. 26
C. & N. W. Ry. 1
F. E. & M. V. R. R. 27
C. St. P., M. & O. 4
B. & M. R. R. R. 29
C. R. I. & P. Ry. E. 5
C., R. I. & P. Ry. W. Total receipts .... 85

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the num-ber of head indicated: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep

Omaha Packing Co....
G. H. Hammond Co...
Swift and Company...
Cudahy Packing Co... McVicker & Co...... | Kray Packing Co. | 117 | Hammond & Standish | 104 | Other buyers | 138 | Held over | 500 731

GENERAL—The closing of the month brings to mind the question of receipts and a glance at the figures above will show that the arrivals this month have been above the average for the month of June. The the average for the month of June. The cattle receipts show a considerable gain over last year, but were not quite so large as during July, 1897, or July, 1894. The receipts of hogs were the largest for the month of July in the history of the yards, with the single exception of July, 1894, when the crop failure compelled farmers in Nebraska to ship everything they had. There have been only four or five months in the history of the yards when the receipts of hogs have been larger than this month, so that the showing has been most gratifying.

at \$5.65.

It is impossible to say whether the market on range cattle was higher or not, as the cattle here today were better than any seen here before. One thing can be said with certainty and that is that the cattle sold at high prices. The G. de S. Hamilton cattle from Gillette, Wyo., brought \$1.85, the Swans' sold at \$1.65 and the V. R. cattle at \$1.45. The demand was good and everything that would do for beef changed hands early in the morning.

Only about eight to ten loads of cows and helfers, the most of them westerns, were on sale, but the demand was good and they brought good strong prices, everything changing hands at an early hour, Bulls, stags, calves, etc., were just about steady. stags, calves, etc., were just about steady Great improvement is noticeable in the feeder division. The offerings today were as a rule picked up readily at prices that could safely be quoted 10c higher than last week. Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

Av. Sh. Pr. 230 4 25 256 80 4 2715 262 169 4 2715 262 169 4 2715 262 169 4 2715 262 169 4 30 2715 4 30 275 129 4 30 245 80 4 30 245 80 4 30 230 4 30 230 4 30 230 4 30 231 4 30 231 4 30 231 4 30 231 4 30 231 4 30 231 4 30 120 4 30 4 30 77 307 8 4 27% 89 230 1 160 4 32% WAGON LOTS-PIGS. 1.....830 ... 8 00 6.... 1.....800 ... 8 2712 8....

SHEEP—Thirteen cars of all kinds were reported in today, but the market was a little slow as a whole, and it was late before much business was transacted. Some good Idaho yearlings sold at \$4.00g4.45, which was fully steady with last week. The offerings of sheep were not overly good and the market on everything but right good kinds was slow.

There were a few feeding sheep here and there was some inquiry for that class of stuff, but as has been mentioned several times in these columns, buyers appear to have their ideas lower than the present ruling prices, so that the trade was slow. The market has got to come down or buyers have got to raise their ideas before there can be much life to the market.

Quodations: Prime native wethers, \$4.25 (34.50; good to choice grass withers, \$4.15 (34.50; good to choice grass withers, \$4.50; 4.50; good to choice grass wethers, \$3.750f 4.10; good to choice grass wethers, \$3.750f 4.30; fair to good grass wethers, \$3.750f 5.50 (37.5); sood to choice spring lambs, \$5.00g6.30; common spring lambs, \$4.00g4.25; feeder wethers, \$3.750f 5.50 (37.5).

Av. Pr.

termilks, steady; car of westerns unsold; yeals, \$4.5007.00; buttermilks, \$3.12\2013.62\6;

grassers, \$3.00; westerns, \$4.00.
SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 17.330 than ever. Should the bank take back its head; sheep, steady to firm; lambs, un-evenly lower, averaging 15@25c off from Sat-urday; three cars unsold; sheep, \$3.00@4874; culls, \$2.00@2.7c; lambs, \$5.00@7.0c; culls, \$3.50. HOGS—Receipts, 9.102 head; two cars on sale; market higher at \$4.80@4.20. St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,400 head, including 2,500 Texans; market steady; fair to fancy native shipping and export steers, \$4,6005.85; butcher and dressed beef steers, \$4,0005.35; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3,7504.85; stockers and feeders, \$4,0005.35; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3,7504.85; stockers and feeders, \$4,0005.35; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3,7504.85; stockers and feeders, \$4,0005.35; steers under 1,000 lbs. 1,000 lbs., \$3.75@4.85; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@4.80; cows and helfers, \$2.25@5.00; bulls, \$2.25@5.80; campers, \$1.50@2.75; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.15@4.95; cows and helfers, \$2.50@3.75.

KANSAS CITY, July 31.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3.50 head natives and 4.400 head Texas ans; quiet and generally poor quality; desirable, steady; common, 10c lower; no good institutes and generally poor quality; desirable, steady; common, 10c lower; no good institutes and firm; steady, 32.5063.00; western steers, \$3.0064.75; butchers' cows and helfers, \$3.0064.75; canners, \$2.5063.00; western steers, \$3.0066.20; Texans, \$3.25064.40.

HOGS—Receipts, 3.520 head; market active and firm; heavy, \$4.5064.55; mixed, \$4.5566.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4.130 head; most common; good killing stuff, active and shade higher, common, slow and about steady; spring lambs, \$5.0065.75; yearlings, \$4.5064.55; mixed, \$4.55666.

Lessub Live Stock.

The trade of the country continues and the firm and the remainder is held by the bank. Until last week the Bank of France was competing against us for the supply of metal, but the flow of French money to. London already mentioned has raised Paris exchange and driven our rival buyer off. It is probable, therefore, that lower discount rates may prevail for a short time without checking the absorption of new gold by the Bank of France was competing against us for the supply of metal, but the flow of the them. Kansas City Live Stock.

St. Joseph Live Stock. SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, July 31.—(Special.)

Following are the receipts at the three principal markets for July 31:
Chicago 17,000 30,000 17,000
Kansas City 4,750 3,620 4,130
St. Louis 7,200 4,500 1,000

Chicago 1,700 4,500 1,000

St. Louis 7,200 4,500 1,000

American famous reports from France are now indifferent, but are again better from Russia. The latter's prospects for cereals are fair to good, but roots are generally bad. On an average I should say that the probability is that European demands upon Stock in Sight. Totals ......28,960 28,120 22,130 OH Market.

OII Market.

OIL CITY. July 31.—OILS—Credit balances, \$1.27; certificates opened \$1.25 bid for cash; closed, \$1.27 bid; sales, 5,000 bbls, cash oil at \$1.25; shipments, 182,550 bbls; average, 71,536 bbls.; runs, 227,913 bbls; average, 81,485 bbls.

NEW YORK, July 31.—OILS—Cottonseed, firm. Petroleum, firm; Philadelphia and Baltimore, \$7,75; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, \$5.25. Rosin, steady. Turpentine, firm at 4444442c; Turpentine spirits, 318 44d. Rice, steady.

LONDON, July 31.—OILS—Calcutta linseed. 38 5d. TOLEDO, O., July 31.-OILS-Unchanged.

NEW YORK, July 31.—SUGAR—Raw, firm and held higher, with good demand; fair refining, 3 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 46614c. Molasses sugar, 3 13-16c. Refined, rm but quiet, NEW ORLEANS, July 31.—SUGAR—Dull; open kettle, 344745-16c; centrifugal, yellow, 44474c; seconds, 244744c. Molasses sugar, dull; centrifugal, 6674c.

ST. LOUIS. July 31.—WOOL.—Strong on all upper grades and good demand; combing 194,620c; light medium, 186,194,2c; dark me-dium, 156,154,c; Texas grades range, 106

Diamond Match Increases Capital. CHICAGO, July 31 .- An important special meeting of the stockholders or the Diamond Match company was held here today. Of their holdings of old stock on that date, the total of 110,000 shares of stock 96,022 The remainder will be held in the treasury shares were represented at the meeting. It was unanimously voted to increase the capital stock from the present basis of \$11,000,-000 to \$15,000,000. It was also voted to in-crease the number of directors from five to seven. Another meeting of the stockholders will be held this afternoon, at which the two new directors will be elected. It is considered probable that Edwin Gould and James Hopkins will be elected to the potential Match company, for

Two Murderers Electrocuted. NEW YORK, July 31.-Louis Pullerson and Michael McDonald were put to death by electricity in Sing Sing prison today. Puller-son, who was a colored man, was taken to the electric chair at 8:21 and a current 1:720 volts strong was turned on at 8:22. fifty-five seconds he was declared to be dismissed. He objected to the dust being dead by the attending physicians. dead by the attending physicians.

McDonald was put to death at 8:42, a current of 1,710 volts being turned on at that time and it continued for sixty-five seconds.

NEW YORK, July 31.—The first bale of the new crop of Texas cotton, grown at Sinton, Patricia county, and shipped by Governor Sayers, was sold at public auction in field. front of the Cotton exchange today for the benefit of the sufferers by the floods in Texas. It brought \$2,000.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., July 21.-Miss Fannie Goodwin, milliner at Fairview, this county, shot and mortally wounded Bryan Allegree. She charged that he wrote scurrilous notes and cut offensive phrases in her windows with a diamond. She was released Gold from the Yukon.

and the quartz kind came from Alaska and the British Yukon on the steamer Al-Ki, which has arrived here, to the amount of about \$300,000. Frobably one-third of the amount is Treadwell product. Nothing is put in Cook's Imperial Extra Dry Champagne to make it ferment; the effervescence is natural; its bouquet un-

SEATTLE, July 31 .- Gold of the places

CHEAP MONEY IN ENGLAND

Rates of Interest Decrease and Bank of England Loses Trade.

LOANS PLENTIFUL AT LESS THAN BANKRATE

Inflow of Gold Partly Responsible for Fall of Discount Rate-England in a Most Prosperous Condition.

NEW YORK, July 31 .- The Times' Lon-

don financial correspondent cables: As

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> bank again on the warpath, and then the game of see-saw would be renewed. Influx of Gold.

> consols this week money is bound to be cheap, as the government is also paying out

> cash heavily. This week also the holiday season definitely commences and the promise, therefore, is for easy money till

September. But is is obviously most diffi-

cult to be sure, just because of these

secret and sudden efforts to force rates up.

Some political flunk or sharp fall in New

York or Berlin exchange might put the

Apart from the causes mentioned, di-HOGS-Receipts, 4.500 head; market 5c higher and strong; pigs and lights, \$4.500 minished speculation and the influx of bul4.65; packers, \$4.5004.65; butchers, \$4.600 lion work together to produce moderate 4.70. SHEED-Receipts, 1.000 head; market steady; native muitons, \$3.5064.50; lambs, \$4.5066.00; stockers, \$2.0063.55; culls and bucks, \$2.2563.25; Texans, \$4. industrial activity, and the remainder is

The trade of the country continues good, SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, July 31.—(Special.)

The receipts of sheep are the largest for a July since the yards were opened.

The receipts of sheep are the largest for a Stady on best others a shade lower; and the cattle here this morning were grass rangers, possibly more than half, some of them very good. Some twenty-five or thirty loads were good enough for beef and went to the packers. There were also about twenty-five loads of cornfed steers on sale. The general market was in good shape. Cornfed cattle could be quoted fully steady and one bunch of good but not fancy fat cattle soid at \$5.66.

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—The Journal quotes:

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,300 head; market important labor disputes have arisen to mark the prospect. The people and the government are both pleased with themselves; \$2.55075.40; cows and helders, \$2.35074.75; bulls and stage, \$2.35074.75; bulls selves and all are spending money jovially. A few years ago the announcement that an additional £6,000,000 was wanted for naval works, making about £24,000,000 was wanted for naval works, making about £24,000,000 in all for the new naval program, would have excited a storm of wrath. Now it scarcely draws any passing remark beyond "all right, we can afford it." especially internal trade, and thus far no

The harvest reports from France are now American farmers will be heavier this year than last. Should the crops in the Indian northwest fail, as it is now feared they will, much larger food supplies must come from you and again give to you supreme command over our money market.

GOULD IS MADE A DIRECTOR

Important Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Diamond Match Company.

CHICAGO, July 31 .- An important special meeting of the stockholders of the Diamond Match company was held here today. Of the total of 110,000 shares of stock, 96,092 shares were represented at the meeting. It was unanimously voted to increase the capital stock from the present basis of \$11,-000,000 to \$15,000,000. It was also voted to increase the number of directors from five to seven. Another meeting of the stockholders will be held this afternoon, at which the

two new directors will be elected. Edwin Gould of New York and James Hopkins of St. Louis were elected directors. Of the \$4,000,000 new stock voted by the stockholders, \$2,750,000 will be issued September 15 at par to stockholders of record July 24, in the proportion of 25 per cent of their holdings of old stock on that date. of the company, to be disposed of by the board of directors as they see fit. Although there has been no official announcement, it is generally understood the bulk of the \$4,-000,000 will be used in buying up some com-

Edwin Gould is the principal owner of the Utah Continental Match company, for which, it is asserted, he is to receive between \$750,000 and \$1,000,000 in Diamond Match stock.

A. Rachman, 607 Pacific street, who was arrested some days ago on the charge of obstructing a public highway, has excavating for a new building, and during the night time he erected a fence across the alley. The next morning he put some slugs in his shotgun and mounted guard over his trochs and awaited the appearance



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