COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Develops Into a Strong Bull Market and Closes at an Advance.

FALLING OFF IN PRIMARY RECEIPTS

Brilliant Corn Prospect Causes Shade of Decline-Oats Practically at a Standstill-Provisions Quiet.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.-Wheat today developed into a strong bull market and closes continual falling off in primary receipts and generally disappointing spring wheat threshing returns caused free covering and brought outside support to the market. Coarse grains were utterly indifferent to the wheat strength and closed a shade lower for nearly all options. Lard declined 24/25c, but other products made little

Considerable irregularity was shown by wheat during the morning, though prices at all times were above Saturday's closing quotations. An opening advance of \$40.50 at Liverpool and a still further advance at 1:30 made the opening here strong. September starting at 71%c, an advance of \$40.50 at Liverpool and a still further advance at 1:30 made the opening here strong. September starting at 71%c, an advance of \$40.50 at the advance and the market wavered for a short time, September selling at 71%c, but the strength of the foreign markets and some poor threshing reports from the northwest gave confidence to the buils and all offerings were readily absorbed. September advancing to 71%c. A period of comparative casiness followed. Outside selling orders came in in insufficient quantities to depress prices, the decline being rendered easy by the favorable foreign crop news. A feature of this was the announcement that Russia, in spite of the famine reports, would have some wheat for export. The market declined to 71%c for September and, though rallies were frequent, the tendency until after noon was lower. During the afternoon, however, the market developed marked strength. Primary receipts for the first time in months showed a decrease from a year ago. The figures were \$56,000 bu., compared with \$63,000 bu. 'ast year. The visible supply, which was not expected to show any material change, decreased \$60.000 bu. The general tenor of northwest harvesting reports was disappointing, some returns being decidedly unfavorable. The weather in the northwest was favorable and the cash demand here was poor, but this did not discount the effect of the crop prospects and in the last hour a strong buying movement set in, which carried prices steadily upward. Minnespolis and Duiuth receipts were 231 cars, against 274 last week and 314 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 64 cars. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour aggregated 314.000 bu. September advanced to 71%c72c and closed strong at 71%c.

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Corn was barely steady. The brilliant crop prospects caused some selling, but sympathy with wheat, small country offerings and a good cash inquiry supported the market and declines were inconsequential. Receipts were 338 cars, September ranged from 20%@30%c to 30%@31c and closed a shade lower at 30%c. December closed %c. During most of the session oats was practically at a standstill and the range was barely %c. There was a good demand for cash, however, and the visible showed a decrease of 624,000 bu. Heavy estimated receipts for tomorrow caused some easiness

decrease of 624,000 bu. Heavy estimated re-ceipts for tomorrow caused some easiness in the speculative market late in the day. Today's receipts were 444 cars. September ranged from 19% to 19% c and closed a shade higher at 19% c. December closed a shade lower at 19% c.

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Provisions were quiet and irregular. The market was strong early on the sharp advance in hogs prices. Declines followed on rather free selling by a prominent packer, but in the afternoon the market was steaded by the advance in wheat. The close was easy for pork and lard and steady for ribs. At the close September pork was unchanged at \$8.30, September lard 2½45c lower at \$5.2062.22½ and September ribs a shade higher at \$5.05.

Estimated receipts Tuesday: Wheat, 115 cars; corn, 465 cars; oats, 500 cars; hogs, 15.000 head.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

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Oct	5 15	5.15	5.07%	5 10	6 0754
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Sept	8.37%	8 3716	8 224	8 30	8 3 /34
Pork.			20100000		
May	2136	2136	21%	2156	21%
Dec	10%	1994	19%	1956	19960036
Sept	19%	19%	19%	19%	10%@%
Oats.		21774	-1779,0070	2 U 7 8 UP 7 W	2074 0078
May	28146696	20%	28%	2914 @14	291-64
Sept	3094@34	30%-31	30%	30%	30%商品
*Corn.			www.com		
May	7636-77	775600%	7634	7739	7636
Dec	784 636	74%	7234	7414	7334
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*No. 2. Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, \$3.4500 \$.56; straights, \$3.0003.25; spring specials, \$4.16; spring patents, \$3.3003.50; straights, \$2,7003.10; bakers, \$2.2002.50. WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 69070c; No. 2 red,

\$2,7093.10; bakers, \$2.2092.50.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 69670c; No. 2 red.

73%c.

CORN—No. 2, 31%c; No. 2 yellow, 32%c.

OATS—No. 2, 219121%c; No. 2 white, 24%c;

No. 3 white, 22%6733%c.

HARLEY—No. 2, 53%c.

BARLEY—No. 2, 32%2638c,

SEEDS—No. 1 flaxseed, \$1,01; northwest, \$1,03%; southwest, \$1,05; September, \$1,66%; October, \$1,65%; December, \$1,06%, Timothy, August, \$2,55; September, \$2.45; October, \$2.45.

Prime timothy seed, \$2.5062.55.

Clover, contract grade, \$6.40.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., \$7.5068, \$30. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$5.1065.25. Short rbs sides (loose), \$4.5065.15. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$5.5065.62%. Short clear sides (boxed), \$5.5065.62%. Short clear

| WHISKY - Districts | gal. \$1.28: | SUGARS - Cut loaf, unchanged. | Following are the receipts and shipments: Articles | Receipts Shipments | Articles | Receipts Shipments | Flour, bbls | 12.000 | 8.000 | Wheat, bu | 49.000 | 4.000 | 4.000 | Corn, bu | 22.000 | 490.000 | Corn, bu | 418.000 | 555.000 | Rye, bu | 2.000 | 1.000 | Rye, bu | 2.000 | 1.000 | Barley, bu | 19.000 | 1.000 | Contains | 1.000 | Contain

on the Fronce exchange today the but-ter market was firm; creameries, 13½319½c; dairies, 12½16c. Cheese, firm at 9¼310c. Eggs, firm; fresh, 12½c. Dressed poultry, steady; turkeys, 8½325c; chickens, 9½3111½c; ducks, 839c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quotations for the Day on Various

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—FLOUR—Receipts, 24.657 bbls.; exports, 5.843 bbls.; sales, 7.100 bbls. Market fairly active, firm and higher. Commodities. winter patents, \$3.6593.90; winter straights \$3.35@3.45; Minnesota patents, \$3.75@4.00; 33.5973.46; Minnesota patents, \$3.7574.40; Minnesota bakers, \$3.05673.15; Minnesota straights, \$3.35673.45; Minnesota extras \$2.45 62.56; Minnesota low grades, \$2.35672.40. Rye flour, steady; good to fair, \$2.50673.10; choice to fancy, \$3.15673.30.

COHNMEDAL.—Dull; yellow western, 7206 73c; city, 74c; Brandywine, \$2.10672.20.

RYE—Firm; No. 2 western, 60c, f. o. b., afloat, spot; state rye, 56c, c. i. f., New York car lots.

BARLEY—Quiet; feeding, 371/20381/c. c. i Buffalo; malting, 48465c, delivered at BARLEY—Quiet; feeding, 374,0384c, c. 1 f. Buffalo; malting, 4805c, delivered at New York.

BARLEY MALT—Duil; western, 58265c.
WHEAT—Receipts, 188,750 bu.; exports, 141,252 bu.; sales, 2,400.00 bu. futures; 40,000 bu. spot. Spot, strong; No. 2 red, 784c, f. o. b., afloat, spot; No. 1 northern Duluth, 794c, f. o. b., afloat, spot; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 834c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 red, 764c in elevator. Options opened strong at 4cc advance. A setback under realizing followed at midday, but the afternoon witnessed a second active advance, based on a liberal decrease in visible supply figures, covering, strong late cables and a sharp rise at St. Louis; closed strong at 15-614c advance; May closed at 254c; September, 76426775c, closing at 774c; December, 796795c, closing at 794c.

CORN—Receipts 216,450 bu.; exports, 169,-108 bu.; sales, 16,000 bu. futures; 200,000 bu. spot. Spot. Spot. steady; No. 2, 354c, f. o. b. afloat; 374c in elevator. Options opened firm at 4cc advance, with wheat, and ruled steady all day. Shorts covered on higher cables and light offerings; closed steady and unchanged; December, 314,0344c, closing at 344c; September closed at 365c.

OATS—Receipts, 151,500 bu.; exports, 48,562 bu.; sales, 170,000 bu. Spot, easier, No. 2, 27c; No. 3, 25c; No. 2 white, 27c; on track, mixed western, 264725c; ca track, white western, 264734c; on track, white state, 26473c. Options neglected. HAY—Firm; shipping, 5046c; good to choice, 75648c.

choice, 759,89c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1896 crop, 697c; 1897, 119/14c; 1888, 189/17c; Pacific coast, 1896 crop, 697c; 1897, 119/13c; 1898

HIDES Steady: Galveston. 20 to 25 lbs. 1614617c: Texas, dry. 21 to 30 lbs., 1214613c; California. 21 to 25 lbs., 1814c. LEATHER—Firm; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavyweights. 216622c; acids.

neef hams, \$27.50028.50; packet, \$9.50010.00; city extra india mess, \$14.00215.00. Cut mesta, quiet; pickled bellies, \$8.0006.25; pickled hams, \$20.00010.00. Lard, casy; western steamed closed at \$5.55; city, \$5.20; August, \$5.55; refined steady. Pork, steady; mess, \$3.500.50; short clear, \$10.20411.75
BUTTER—Strong, factory, \$120.55; imitation creamery, \$13715c; state dairy, \$140; creamery, \$13715c; state dairy, \$140; February, \$5.00; March, \$5.000 arry, \$1,000 arry,

WATERMELONS — Southern, trace of shipment 16918c.
CANTALOUPE—Per basket 40950c.
TOMATOES—Per 4-basket crate, 45950c,
POTATOES—New polatoes, 30935c per bu.
CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 12915c.
CELERY—Per doz., 30935c.
FRUITS.
BLUEBERRIES—Per 16-qt. case, \$1.509

PLUMS-California, per crate, \$1.3561.50. CALIFORNIA PEACHES - Freestone, APPLES-Per bbl., \$1.75/22.25. TROPICAL FRUITS.

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ORANGES—Mexican oranges, \$4.50@5.00,
LEMONS—California, fancy, \$4.25@4.50;
choice California, \$3,75@4.00; Messina, fancy,
\$5.00@5.25,
BANANS—Choice, crated, large stock,
per bunch, \$2.50@2.75; medium-sized
bunches, \$2.00@2.25.

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HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 7½c; No. 2 green hides, 6½c; No. 1 salted hides, 9c; No. 2 salted hides, 8c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 10c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs. 8c. to 12 lbs., 10c; No. 2 veal.
lbs., Sc.
TALLOW, GREASE, ETC.—Tallow, No.
1, 3c; tallow, No. 2, 2½c; rough tallow, 1½c;
white grease, 2½@3c; yellow and brown
grease, 1½@2½c.
SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each, 15@
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75c; green salted shearings (short wooled
early skins), each, 15c; dry snearings (short
wooled early skins). No. 1, each, 5c; dry
flint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool
pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry flint,
Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts,
per lb., actual weight, 3@4c; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual
weight, 4@5c; dry flint, Colorado murrain
wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3@4c.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions. St. Louis Grain and Provisions.
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 14.—WHEAT—Stronger;
No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 72c; track, 71½@
73½c; September, 72½c asked; December,
75½c; May, 78½c; No. 2 hard, 69½@70c,
CORN—Stronger; No. 2 cash, 31c; track,
32c; September, 30½c; December, 27c,
OATS—Firm; No. 2 cash, 21c; track, 22c;
September, 20½c; No. 2 white, 28½c.
RYE—Strong; 55½c to arrive,
FLOUR—Held higher but dull; patents,
\$3.46@3.55; straights, \$3.15@0.25; clears, \$2.75@
3.77½.

\$3.4673.55; straights, \$3.1546.25; constant \$3.77\frac{1}{2}\$.

SEEDS—Prime timothy, \$2.50, to arrive; flax, higher at \$1.02\frac{1}{2}\$, CORNMEAL—Steady at \$1.75@1.80.

BRAN—Steady; sacked, east track, 55c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, \$6.00@7.25; prairie, \$1.50@8.00.

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WHISKY—Steady at \$1.26,
IRON COTTONTIES—\$1.15.
BAGGING—6064c.
POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 7074c; springs, 100104c; turkeys, \$c; springs, 14c; ducks, 5426c; geese, 6064c.
BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 16019c; dairy, 12016c.

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Leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles Open. High. Low. Close. Satr'dy.

Wheat.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 16@19c; dairy 1.30/16c.

PROVISIONS—Pork steady at \$9.00, Lard, easy; prime steam, \$5.07½; choice, \$5.12½; easy; prime steam, \$5.07½; clear shorts, \$5.75; clear ribs, \$5.87½; clear sides, \$5.75; clear ribs, \$5.87½; clear sides, \$5.75; clear ribs, \$5.37½; clear sides, \$5.50.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 7,000 bbls; wheat, 89,-000 bu; corn, 148.000 bu; corn, 000 bu.; corn, 148,000 bu.; oats, 42,000 bu. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 8,000 bbls; wheat, 13,000 bu.; corn, 15,000 bu.; bats, 14,000 bu.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, Aug. 14.—WHEAT—September, 65c; December, 67½c; cash, No. 2 hard, 64½c; No. 3, 61½663½c; No. 2 red, 845c; No. 3, 64665c; receipts, 248 cars. CORN—September, 27%c; December, 24%c; ush, No. 2 mixed, 28c; No. 2 white, 294c; No. 3, 2845c. CATS—No. 2 white, 22462345c. RYE—No. 2, 51c. HAY—Choice timothy, \$7.50; choice prairie, 6,00.

BUTTER—Creamery, 1714c; dairy, 14c.
EGGS—Higher: fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, firsts, 10c. cases returned.
RECEIPTS—Wheat, 148,800 bu.; corn, 40.
300 bu.; casts, 13,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 1,800 bu.; corn, 17.
500 bu.; cats, 2,000 bu.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

Bacon, Cumberland cut, firm at 36c. Short ribs, firm at 32s; long clear middles, light, firm at 32s; long clear middles, light, firm at 32s; long clear middles, heavy, firm at 31s 6d; clear bellies, 34s 6d.

CHEESE—American, finest white, firm at 46s 6d; colored, firm at 47s 6d.

WHEAT—Spot, No. 2 red western winter, firm at 5s 8d; No. 1 red, northern, spring, 6s ½d. Futures, firm; September, 5s 10½d.

December, 5s 11¾d.

CORN—Spot, American mixed, new, firm at 3s 3¾d; American mixed, old, firm at 3s 4½d. Futures, steady; September, 3s 4½d.

TALLOW—Australia, in London, firm at 25s 3d.

Cincinnati Market. CINCINNATI, Aug. 14. - FLOUR-Unhanged.
WHEAT-Firmer; No. 2 red, 684,668e.
WHEAT-Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 334gc.
CORN-Dull and easy; No. 2 mixed, 334gc.
OATS-Stronger; No. 2 mixed, 224gc.
RYE-Steady; No. 2, 56c.
PROVISIONS-Lard, quiet at \$5.1065.124g.
3ulk meats, firm at \$5.35. Bacon, firm at 5.25.

WHISKY-Steady at \$1.26. BUTTER-Steady, SUGAR-Steady, EGGS-9c. § CHEESE-Steady,

Grain in Store and Affont.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The statement of he visible supply of grain in store and float on Saturday, August 12, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as ollows: Wheat, 36,256,000 bu.; decrease, 786,000 bu. Corn. 10.185,000 bu.; decrease, 158,000 bu. Cats, 3.857,000 bu.; decrease, 264,000 bu. Rye, 525,000 bu.; decrease, 21000 bu. Barley, 338,000 bu.; decrease, 58,000 bu.

Minneapolis Wheat and Flour. Minneapolis Wheat and Flour,
MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 14—WHEAT—Close
In store: No. 1 northern, August, 71c;
September, 69c; December, 70%;c; May. 73%;c,
On track: No. 1 hard, 72%;c; No. 1 northern,
714c; No. 2 northern, 70c.
FLOUR—First patents, \$3,75@3.85; second
patents, \$3,55@3.65; first clear, \$2,60@2.70.
BRAN—In bulk, \$9,75@10.00.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, O. Aug. 14.—WHEAT—Higher;
No. 2 cash, 72½c; September, 73½c.
CORN—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 33½c.
OATS—Dull and steady; No. 2 mixed, 20½c.
RYE—Dull and higher; No. 2 cash, 54½c.
SEEDS—Clover, higher and firm; prime
ash, \$407½; October, \$4.60 asked.

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA. Aug. 14.—BUTTER—Firm and higher; fancy western creamery, 1914;629c; fancy western prints, 22c.
EGGS—Firm; fresh, nearby, 15c; fresh western, 15c; fresh southwestern, 14c; fresh western, 15c; tresh a couthern, 12@13c, CHEESE—Steady,

Milwankee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Aug. 14. WHEAT—Firmer; No. 1 northern, 71% G74c; No. 2 northern, 726724c. RYE-No. 1, 545c. BARLEY—Quiet; No. 2, 404c; sample, 364c

Duluth Wheat Market.

DULUTH, Aug. 14.—WHEAT—No. 1 hard.
assh. 75c; September, 734c; December, 734c;
No. 1 northern, cassh. 724c; September,
114c; December, 724c; No. 2 northern, 694c;
No. 3 spring, 654c.

Elgin Butter Market.

BLGIN, Ill., Aug. 14.—BUTTER—Firm at 20c; offerings, 90 tubs; sales, 40 tubs, at 204;c.

the conclusion that Saturday's bank statement with the statement indicated that all vexed problems in the money market had been settled and that ease and abundance of funds were now at hand. The first sharp advance in stocks, however, demonstrated that the pressure of some heavy selling would have pressure of some heavy selling would have to be encountered on any general upward movement, \$18,00021.00.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Questions on Siaple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Good stock, 10½c.

BUTTER—Common to fair, 11@12c; choice, 12@14c; separator, 18@19c; gathered creamery, 1@015c.

POULTRY—Hens, live, \$c; spring chickens, 11@12c; old and staggy roosters, live, 3½q5c; ducks and geese, live, 5@5c; PIGEONS—Live, per doz., 75c@\$1,00.

VEGETABLES.

WATERMELONS—Southern, crated for shipment, 16@19c.

CANTALOUPE—Per basket orate, 46@50c, POTATOES—New polatoes, 30@35c per bu. CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 30@35c per bu. CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 12@15c.

CELERY—Per debentures started downward after their notable rise on Saturday and are nearly 2 points off on the day, but the preferred "A" stock is up over 2 points and the preferred "B" stock over a point, Bes.des these there are notable gains in the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis stocks, Louisville, Kansas & Texas preferred, the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Saulte St. Marie stocks, Cleveland, Lorraine & Wheeling preferred; New York, Chicago & St. Louis stocks and some of the low priced railroad stocks. St. Louis stocks and some of the low priced railroad stocks.
Confidence over the money situation had a relapse, the conviction growing that the Saturday bank statement may not be a fair reflection of Saturday conditions in the market. Uneasiness in France and advancing money in London and Berlin threatening some pressure of liquidation from those quarters should this country's credits be called home. Whatever ease is manifest in the money market is realized to be due to the quietude of speculative markets the world over and conservative heads in the financial world are inclined to frown upon an outbreak of speculation. The closing of the market was active, but extremely stregular. People's Gas mounted whom a long the market was active, but extremely stregular. The closing of the market was active, but extremely irregular. People's Gas mounted above 122 on the announcement of the acquisition of the Pullman Gas company, while other stocks tended downwards. Net changes are mixed.

The bond market showed increased activity, Kansas & Texas seconds leading. Prices are higher. Total sales, par value, \$2.581,900. United States 3s and new 4s advanced ¼ and the old 4s, registered, and the 5s ¼ in the bid price.

The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: The tone of the markets here was generally better today till the Labori incident in Rennes became a disturbing factor. Consols are geing better, closing steady. Americans opened firm on the bank statement, though little was done in them till New York opened. The close was at the top, Denvers and Louisvilles were features. Contangoes were 6; on St. Paul a shade lower. Tintos were 45½ on Paris weakness. Spanish 4s were 59%. The bank bought £100,000 gold in bars and £92,000 in German coin and £8,000 arrived from Portugal.

The following are the closing quotations for the leading stocks on the New York exchange today:

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*Offered. New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The following are the closing quotations for mining

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Foreign Financial. Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—American securities opened firm, in response to better prices in New York, and were well maintained throughout the day. The closing was firm, with a moderate demand. Spanish 4s, 54%. The amount of buillon taken into the Bank of England on balances today. £19s.—600. Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres at 127.40. owing to the situation in the Transvaal and the unsatisfactory state of internal affairs of France.

FRANKFORT, Aug. 14.—Business was dull on the bourse today prices were weak.

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PARIS, Aug. 14.—Prices on the bourse today opened undecided. Subsequently unfavorable advices from London produced duliness and stagnation. Government securities, notably Spanish 4s, reacted. Kaffirs were weak on outside seiling orders.

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Boston Stock Quotations. BOSTON, Aug. 14.—Call loans, 314@414 per cent; time loans, 4@5 per cent. Closing

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London Stock Market. LONDON, Aug. 14.-4 p. m.-Closing:

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BAR SILVER-27%d per om.

MONEY-2672% per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 3%63% per cent; three months bills, 311-1663% per cent.

liquidation, following rumors of reductions in Texas and elsewhere. The market was very sensitive and prompt to respond to a feeling that looked like a breaking up of drouth through the southwest. The final phase of today's market was bearish on the expectation of weak cables tomorrow morning. The close was barely steady at a net loss of 9 to 10 points.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 14.—COTTON—Spot, moderate demand; American middling fair, 33-16d; good ordinary, 33-16d; ordinary, 3d. Sales of the day were 16,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 9,300 bales. American. No receipts, Futures opened and closed quiet; American middling, 1 m. c., August, 331-6d, buyers; August-September, 329-64@3 20-64d, buyers; September-October, 329-64@3 20-64d, sellers; December, January, 325-64@3 26-64d, sellers; November-December, 325-64@3 26-64d, sellers; January-March, 326-64@3 26-64d, sellers; January-March, 326-64@3 26-64d, sellers; June-July, 328-64d, sellers; March-April, 326-64d, sellers; March-

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NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The week opens with an improved general demand in the cotton goods market and business all around shows an increase. The tone is cotton goods market and business all around shows an increase. The tone is strong in all staple varieties and occasional advances of 1/5c per yard reported in four-yard brown sheetings and low grade bleached cottons. Wide print yarn gray goods are tending upward. Regular print cloths very firm. Prints and ginghams firm, with full average sales. Fancy worsteds for men's wear in good request and very firm.

Sugar Market.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—SUGAR—Beet sugar, TAugust, 10s 54d.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—SUGAR—Raw, easier: lower to sell; fair refining, 4c; centrifugal, 96 test, 49-19c; raw sugar, steady, NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 14.—SUGAR—Steady: no open kettle, centrifugal yellows, 43,643c; seconds, 24,644c, Molasses, duil; centrifugal, 6614c. Sugar Market.

NEW YORK Aug. 14.—CALIFORNIA DRIED PRUITS—Quiet. Evaporated ap-ples, common 714c; prime wire tray, 8149 815c; choice, 83499c; fancy, 9146934c, Prunes, 31408c, as to size and quality. Apricots, Royal, 14c; Moor park, 14916c, Peaches, un-pecied, 1197114c.

Wool Market. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 14—WOOL—Steady to firm: medium grades, 14m195.c; light fine, 13m195.c; heavy fine, 16m15c; tub washed, 190265.c.

Coffee Market.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—COFFEE—Options of points described by the coast, 1896 crop, 607c; 1897, 110713c; 1898.

HIDES—Steady: Galveston. 29 to 25 lbs. 1897 loss of bis., 124-2613c; California. 21 to 25 lbs., 1897 loss of bis., 1897 l

-Hogs Sell Rendily at an Advance of Five to Ten Cents-Sheep in Same Notches as Last Week.

SOUTH OMAHA, Aug. 14. Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, ...3,901 2,148 1,591 ...4,583 5,042 6,794 ...2,076 2,278 3,305 ...3,361 4,830 2,985 for hogs for the last Official today 3.901
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The market was active at an advance of Soller and everything changed hands at an The market was active at an advance of 5000c and everything changed hands at an early hour. Buyers evidently wanted them and they were not long in wiping out the few loads on sale. A good load of light hogs sold at \$4.50, with the most of the light mixed loads going at \$4.45. Heavy mixed loads brought \$4.402.42\(\frac{1}{2}\), a part of a load of rough heavy sows sold at \$4.37\(\frac{1}{2}\) and some grassy skibs at \$4.30.

It will be noted from the table of average prices above that the week opens with the market 5c higher than it was at the opening of last week and only a shade lower than the high day August 5. Representa-

4 45 40 4 45 80 4 45 ... 4 45 40 4 45 SHEEP—All told there were seven loads of sheep reported in the yards, but three of them were consigned direct to a packer and not offered for sale. The remaining four loads consisted of Wyoming mixed stuff, about a third of them being ewes and wethers and two-thirds yearlings. They brought \$3.55, which looked like a good strong market, in spite of the fact that Chicago reported the market there as 100 20c lower.

Quotations: Prime matter weathers \$4.000.

Quotations: Prime native wethers, \$4.006 4.25; good to choice grass wethers, \$3.7563.85; fair to good grass wethers, \$3.7563.85; good to choice grass ewes, \$3.5063.75; good to choice spring lambs, \$5.7565.25; fair to good spring lambs, \$5.0065.75; common spring lambs, \$4.0064.50; feeder wethers, \$3.5063.80.

No. Pr. 900 Wyoming ewes and wethers, 98 \$3 95

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HOGS—Receipts, 3.700 head; market 5@10c higher; pigs and lights, \$4.60@4.75; packers, \$4.70@4.86; butchers, \$4.70@4.86; SHEEP—Receipts, 1.500 head; native muttons, \$3,75@4,10; stockers, \$3.30@3.50; lambs,

St. Joseph Live Stock. SOUTH ST, JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 14.—(Spe-sal.)—The Journal quotes: CATTLE—Receipts, 1,700 head, including CATTLE—Receipts, 1,700 head, including 400 quarantines; nothing good; market active and steady. Natives, \$4.75\(\pi\)6.60; Texas and westerns, \$3.50\(\pi\)6.50; cows and teifers, \$2.35\(\pi\)6.25; bulls and stags, \$2.35\(\pi\)4.75; yearlings and calves, \$4.00\(\pi\)5.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.50\(\pi\)4.75; Texas veals, \$4.75\(\pi\)5.50; native veals, \$5.50\(\pi\)7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 1.300 head; no lights offered; market 10c higher. Heavy and medium, \$4.42\(\pi\)4.55; lights, \$4.45\(\pi\)4.55; pigs, \$4.25\(\pi\)4.50; bulk of sales, \$4.45\(\pi\)4.55; pigs, \$4.25\(\pi\)55; bulk of sales, \$4.45\(\pi\)4.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 600 head, Market steady.

Stock in Sight. Following are the receipts at the three principal western markets for August 24:

Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.

Omaha 3,991 2,148 1,691

Chicago 18,000 23,000 23,000

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VERY HIGH WIND AND RAIN Remnants of West Indian Hurricane Strikes Jacksonville-Severe Storm Raging at Savannah.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 14.—Remnants of the West Indian hurricane struck here early this morning, bringing with it a very high wind and rain. The velocity of the wind was about forty miles an hour. No damage of any importance was done here and none is reported from St. Augustine, Pablo Beach or any of the seaside resorts. SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 14.-There has been a downpour of rain here today and the wind has been blowing in gusts. At Tybec, on the coast, it is now blowing about forty miles an hour. There has been no damage done here, and none is reported from Brunswick or intermediate points along the coast.

LONDON, Ky., Aug. 14.—Last night Charley Jones was shot and instantly killed by Cam Williams at East Bernstadt. was formerly deputy town marshal and went while intoxicated to the home of A. Willams and drove him and his friends into he yard. Williams surrendered and is in the jail here.

Kriegerbund in Session. CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—The Kriegerbund of North America convened today. President Joseph Schlenker delivered his annual address. Various reports, showing the pres-perous condition of the bund, were read. Officers will be elected tomorrow. Adjour-ment will probably be taken Wednesday.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 14.—The man arrested by focal detectives two weeks ago. suspected of being James V. Dunham, the sextuple murderer of Santa Clara county, California, was identified this morning as Chris Netherfield of Warren, O. He will oe released from custody.

Governor Declines to Interfere. COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 14.—Governor Bushnell has declined to interfere in the case of Brunok Kirves, the Dayton man under sentence to be electrocuted for having killed his daughter. Kirves is to be electro-

Mrs. Botkin Secures a Stay. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Judge Car-roll Cook today granted fifteen days' further stay of execution to Mrs. Cordelia Botkin, the convicted murderess of Mrs. John P. Dunning. The bill of exceptions in the case has been filed, but not yet settled,

One Life is Lost. RED BLUFF, Cal., Aug. 14.—The hotel at Tuscan Springs, near here, has been de-stroyed by fire. One life was lost and the financial loss will be in the neighborhood

Racing Gear of Shamrock Arrives rought the racing spars and rigging and ear of Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht Sham



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