Speculative Wheat Market Basks in the Sunshins of Active Cash Demand.

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HEAVY NORTHWEST RAINS KEEP PRICES UP

Corn Firm for September, But Barely Stendy for Later Months-Oats Show More Activity Than Usual-Provisions Strong.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18 .- Speculative wheat market again basked in the sunshine of an active cash demand. An advance of %c was scored in September and Mc in December. Corn closed irregular, %@%c higher for September, but barely steady for deferred futures. Oats closed a shade higher.

Provisions advanced 25/25c. Liverpool, always an influence on local wheat trading, showed an opening decline of %d, which was unlooked for after yesterday's advance here and had the result of depressing prices about %c at the opening, September starting at 71%@71%c. The sell ing pressure, however, came almost entirely from small speculators, and was of a local nature. It was not heavy enough tirely from small speculators, and was of a local nature. It was not heavy enough to long depress prices and soon after the opening the market began to rise and for the remainder of the session showed con-siderable firmness. Reports of a big cash business done yesterday, industribusly de-nied by the bear crowd, were confirmed to-day, and the influence of the cash demand was augmented by further heavy bids to-day. The actual amount of business done could not be ascertained, as shippers would not give out their transactions until freight rates had been secured, but rumors of large quantities worked were so thick that they had a marked effect on speculation. Heavy rains were reported in the north-west and apprehension of wheat sprouting and being otherwise damaged increased the demand. Another and more buillsh feature of the northwest news was the continued disappointing threshing reports, which strengthened the belief that re-cent crop estimates were too large. Commission houses had numerous bids from the east, based on foreign de-mand, but the actual article was hard to get, elevator people refusing to let go. The cash business late in the day was put at 320,000 bu, but it is questionable if this amount was worked. St. Louis and local chorts bought heavily at times and local chorts bought heavily at times and local chorts bought heavily at times and local wheat. September advanced to 72c, well above

builed the market, bringing the smaller fry to cover. Professional longs with a belief in still higher prices also took considerable wheat. September advanced to 72c, well above calls and a good deal of realizing was done at around that price, resulting in a reaction to 71%@71%c. Minneapolls and Duluth receipts were 212 cars, against 115 last week and 327 a year ago. Chicago re-ceipts were 51 cars, 6 of contract grade. Total primary receipts were 521.000 bu, against 605,000 bu, last year. The fact that primary receipts are now daily under last at a work of the strength. Atlantic port clearances of wheat and flour amounted to 733,000 bu. Northwest stocks will probably decrease 1,500,000 bu, and a decrease in the world's visible was hoked for. The demand for September was inuch greater than for the more deferred futures, and December and May in conse-quence showed but little advance. Septem-ber closed firm at 71%@71%c. Con was firm for September, barely steady for later months, and dull for all. It was mostly a scalpers' market. The strength of September was due to the strength of wheat supported September. There was considerable sciling at 100 figures. Receipts were 607 cars. September, there was considerable weiling at 100 figures. Receipts were 607 cars. September, there was considerable sciling at 100 figures. Receipts were 607 cars. September, there was considerable sciling at 100 figures. Receipts were 607 cars. September, there was considerable sciling at 100 figures. Receipts were 607 cars. September, the speculative strength. Lack of offer-ings was a feature. At the close September ind, 2% bighter at 35.22%c. September ribs, 200 chigher at 35.1006.12%. Estimated receipts fo

Leading futures ranged as follows: Articles Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'd'y

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Biglife, HIDES-Steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., Bigglife; Texas, dry, 24 to 30 lbs., 124@13c;
 California, 21 to 25 lbs., 184c.
 LEATHER-Firm; hemiock sole, Buenos
 Ayres, light to heavy, 214@234c.
 BUTTER-Receipts, 2,743 pkgs; market
 firm; western creamery, 17@21c; factory, 13

@15%c. CHEESE-Receipts, 2,534 pkgs.; quiet; large and small white, 9%c; large colored, 9%c; small colored, 9%@10c, EGGS-Receipts, 4,559 pkgs.; firm; western ungraded, 12@15c at mark.

### OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

## Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS-Good stock at 10% @11c. BUTTER-Common to fair, 12c; choice, 4%15c; separator, 20c; gathered creamery, 1897190

POULTRY-Hens, live, Sc; spring chickens, 1107114c; old and staggy roosters, live, 3405c; ducks and geese, live, 506c; irkeys, live, Sc. PIGEONS-Live, per doz., 75c@\$1.00. VEALS-Choice, Sc.

VEGETABLES.

WATERMELONS-Southern, crated for hipment, 16218c. CANTALOUPE-Per basket, 50260c. TOMATOES-Per 4-basket crate, 45255c. POTATOES-New, 30235c per bu. CUCUMBERS-Per doz., 12215c. CELERY-Per doz., 30235c.

FRUITS. BLUEBERRIES-Per 16-qt. case, \$1.60@

PLUMS-California, per crate, \$1.35@1.50. CALIFORNIA PEACHES - Freestone, APPLES-Per bbl., \$2.00@2.25.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

TROPICAL FRUITS. ORANGES-Mexican oranges, \$4,5065.00, LEMONS-California, fancy, \$4,2564.50; choice California, \$3,7564.00; Messina, fancy, \$5,0066.25, BANANAS-Choice, crated, large stock, per bunch, \$2,5062.75; medium-sized bunches, \$2,0062.25,

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

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., Sc.

8c. TALLOW, GREASE, ETC.-Tallow, No. 1, 3c; tallow, No. 2, 2¼c; rough tallow, 1¼c; white grease, 2½@3c; yellow and brown grease, 1¼@2¼c. SHEEP PELTS-Green saited, each, 15@ The state of the state o

SHEEP PELTS-Green salted, each, 15@ 75c; 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, 4%5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3%4c; dry flint, Colo-rado 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. 18.-WHEAT-Higher; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 72%c; track, 72%0 73%c; September, 71%@72c; December, 74%0 74%c; May, 73%c; No. 2 hard, 70c; receipts, 64.659 bushels. CORN-Higher: No. 2 cash, 31%c; track, 23%c; September, 30%c; December, 27c bid; May, 28028%c. OATS-Higher; No. 2 cash, 21%c; track, 2%c; September, 30%c; No. 2 white, 28%c. RYE-Firm at 55c. FLOUR-Firm at 55c. FLOUR-Firm at 55c. FLOUR-Firm at 55c. HAY-Steady to easy; timothy, \$6.00210.00; prairie, \$7,0007.50. WHISKY-Steady at \$1.26. HCOR COTTONTIES-\$1.15. HEMP TWINE-9c. BAGGING-666%c. METALS-Lead: Dull, but firm at \$4.550 4.57%. Spelter: Dull at \$5.50. POULTRY-Weak; chickens, 707%c; springs, 969%c; turkeys, \$c; springs, 13c; ducks and geese, 660%c. BUTTER-Firm at 12c.

EGGS\_Firm at 12c. PROVISIONS\_Pork, steady at \$9.00. Lard, \$5.10. State Choice. \$5.15. PROVISIONS-Pork, steady at \$9.00. Lard, firm; prime steam, \$5.10; choice, \$5.15, Dry sait meats. boxed shoulders, \$5.12'; ex-tra short clear, \$5.25; clear ribs, \$5.37'; clear sides, \$5.50. Bacon (boxed), shoulders and extra shorts, \$5.75; clear ribs, \$5.87'; clear sides, \$5.00. RECEIPTS-Flour, 6,000 bbls.; wheat, 65,-600 bu.; corn, 72,000 bu.; oats, 65,000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Flour, 6,000 bbls.; wheat, 18,000 bu.; corn, 60,000 bu.; oats, 7,000 bu.

Kausas City Grain and Provisions.

KAUSAS CITY, Aug. 18.-WHEAT-Sep-tember, 65c; December, 673/c; cash, No. 2 hard, 65c; No. 3, 614/26614/c; No. 2 red, 6900 70c; No. 3, 664/26654/c; receipts, 104 cars. CORN\_September 276/c; December, 24%c; CORN-September, 27%c; December, 24%c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 296294c; No. 2 white, 296294c; No. 3, 28%c. OATS-No. 2 white, 236244c. RYE-No. 2, 52%c. HAY-Choice timothy, \$7.50; choice prairie, \$6,00.
BUTTER—Creamery, 17@19c; dairy, 16c.
EGGS—Firm; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, firsts, 10c. cases returned.
RECEIPTS—Wheat, 62,400 bu.; corn, 20,-209 bu.; oats, 11,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 46,200 bu.; corn, 20,800 bu.; oats, 1,000 bu.

asked; lead quiet, with \$4,57% bid and \$4,52% asked; spelter dull at \$5,55. The brokers price for lead is \$4.35 and for copper \$18,50. MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

Market is Acvilve and Strong and the Dealings Were Distributed, NEW YORK, Aug. 18.-Today's stock

market was active and strong, the dealings were remarkably well distributed and the strength was more generally diffused than

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Boston Stock Quotations.

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London Financial Market. LONDON, Aug. 18.—There was a general rally in American securities here today in sympathy with the improved tendency noticeable in Wall street yesterday. Prices opened firm and remained so all day. Louis-ville & Nashville, Norfolk & Western and the Atchison shares were the leaders in the advance. The closing was steady. The amount of buillon taken into the Bank of England on balance today, £29,000. Spanish 4s, 59%c. Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres at 127. The Stock exchange will be closed to-morrow.

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WYOMING.

NJ3073.53. HOGS-Receipts, 6,500 head. Packers and shippers active buyers, 5@10c advance; heavy, \$4.45@4.65; mixed, \$4.40@4.55; light, M 4564.75; light, Neavy, 34.30(4.55; mixed, \$4.40(4.55; light, \$4.45(4.75; SHEEP-Receipts, 2,920 head. Supply largely range stock, of poor quality. Active, unchanged; lambs, \$4.75(5.50; muttons, \$4.10) (45.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.00(4.00; culls, 2,40(3.00). St. Louis Live Stock. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1.900 head, including 1.500 Texans. Market steady for natives; slow and lower for Tex-ans. Native shipping and export steers, 45.55%(5.00; dressed beef steers. \$4.00%(5.55; steers under 1.000 pounds. \$3.40%(5.00; stock-ers and feeders. \$2.90%(4.55; cows and helf-ers, \$2.22%(5.00; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.40%(4.70; cows and heifers, \$2.65%(3.50; HOGS-Receipts, 3.600 head, Market, 50 higher: pigs and lights, \$4.75%(4.55; pack-ers, \$4.60%(4.75; butchers, \$4.70%(4.55; SHEEP-Receipts, 600 head, Market slow and lower; native mutions, \$3.50%(4.00; and lower; native muttons, \$3.5 lambs, \$3.75@5.50; stockers, \$2.25@3.40. 

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 Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets for August 13: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep,

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LONDON, ENGLAND.

Charles A. Gillig's American Exchange

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Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Firm; winter patents, \$3.45@ .55; straights, \$3.00@3.25; spring specials, 4.10; spring patents, \$3.30@3.60; straights, 2.70@3.10; bakers, \$2.20@2.50.

WHEAT-No. 3 spring, 69@71%c; No. 2 red. 73'4C. CORN-No. 2, f. o. b., 33c; No. 2 yellow,

CORN-No. 2, f. o. b., 33c; No. 2 yellow, f. o. b. 33/4c. OATS-No. 2, 21@22c; No. 2 white, 23@24c; No. 3 white, 22@23/4c. RYE-53/4c. BARLEY-No. 2, 34@39c. SEEDS-No. 1 flax, cash, \$1.04; northwest, \$1.05; southwest, \$1.03/5; September, \$1.03; October, \$1.03; December, \$1.03. Timothy, August, \$2.55; September, \$2.50; October, \$2.47/5; Clover contract grade, \$6.40. TIMOTHY SEED-Prime, \$2.50@2.55. PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$7.60@ 5.35. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$5.12@5.25. Short ribs sides (loose), \$4.90@5.26 Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$6.50@5.60. WHEKY-Distillers' finished goods, per sal, \$1.26.

SUGARS-Cut loaf, unchanged.

Following are the receipts and shipments or yesterday:

Articles.	Receipts, S	hipments.
Flour, bbls	10.000	8,000
Wheat, bu	59.000	60,000
Corn, bu	261,000	428,000
Oats, bu	600,000	315,000
Rye, bu	4,000	1.000

428,000 315,000 1,000 Barley, bu..... 15,000 Barley, bu..... On the Produce exchange today the but-ter market was firm; creameries, 156/20c; dairies, 13@17c. Cheese, firm, at 94/2010c. Exgs. firm; fresh, 12%c. Dressed poultry, steady; turkeys, 84/290c; chickens, 91/2012c;

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

# Quotations for the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.-FLOUR-Receipts, 23,791 bbls.; exports, 27,982 bbls.; sales, 7,100 23.791 bbls; exports, 27.982 bbls; sales, 7.100 bbls; firmly held but quiet, apart from a fair inquiry for standard brands; winter patents, 33.7003.90; winter straights, \$3.400 fair inquiry for standard brands; winter patents, \$3.70(3,90); winter straights, \$3.40(2)
5.50; Minnesota patents, \$3.75(24.10) Rye flour, firm; sales, \$50 bbls.; good to fair, \$2.90(3.35). CORNMEAL-Dull; yellow western, 72(2)
78c; city, 74c; Brandywine, \$2.10(2.20). RYE-Easy; No. 2 western, 5944c, f. o. b., afloat; state, 55c, c. i. f., New York, car lots. BARLEY-Steady; feeding, 37½(2)38c; malt-ing, 48(6)5c.

BARLEY Steady; feeding, 37/2038c; mait-ing, 48765c. WHEAT-Receipts, 149,550 bu; exports, 22,25 bu; sales, 2400,000 bu, futures and 185,000 bu, spot. Spot. firm; No, 2 red, 78/4c. f. o, b., afloat; No, 1 northern, Duluth, 80/4c, f. o, b., to arrive; No, 1 northern, Duluth, 80/4c, f. o, b., to arrive; No, 1 northern, Duluth, 80/4c, f. o, b., afloat; No, 2 red, 76/4c, ele-vator. Options opened easy at unchanged prices in consequence of lower cables, but inster developed strength which it retained until the last hour, influenced by export rumors, buffish northwest crop advices and covering. Local realizing prompted a set-back which was finally received on the strength in corn. Closed firm at 1626 a net advance; May, 81%c; September, 765/80 71 3-160, closed Tfc; December, 765/80

arvance, May, Mixe: September, 765,26 77 3-160, closed Tre; December, 785,2679%c, closed 79%c. CORN-Receipts, 146,250 bu.; exports, 262,-005 bu.; sales, 35,000 bu. futures and 525,000 bu. spot. Spot, firm; No. 2, 35%c. f. o. b. afloat, and 35%c, elevator. Options opened stoady and advanced later on strength of cash property, enormous clearances and a demand from shorts. Closed firm at a 1%6 %c advance. August closed at 37%c; Sep-fember, 35%67%c, closed 37%c; December, 54%m35%c, closed 35%c; OATS-Receipts, 238,500 bu.; exports, 185,-055 bu.; Spod, steady; No. 2, 20%c; No. 3, 20%c; No. 3 white, 27c; track white western, 26%34c; track white state, 25%34c. Options slow.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions. LIVERPOOL, Aug. 18.-PROVISIONS-Closing: Lard, prime western, in tierces, firm, 27s 6d; American refined, in pails, firm, 28s. WHEAT-Spot, No. 2 red, western winter,

dull, 55 914d; No. 1 California, 69 1d@68 2d; No. 1 red, northern spring, dull, 68 1d; fu-tures weak; September, 58 1014d; December, do pfd.... N. J. Central..... N. Y. Central..... Norfolk & W..... tures weak; September, 5s 10½d; December, 5s 11½d, CORN—Spot American mixed, old, steady, 3s 4d; futures quiet; September, 3s 2½d; Oc-tober, 3s 4½d; November, 3s 4½d. Receipts of wheat during the last three days, 537,000 centals; including 327,000 Ameri-con. Receipts of American corn during the last three days, 218,100 centals. Weather cloudy and rainy. 

Toledo Market.

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Philadelphia Produce Market. Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA. Aug. 18.-BUTTER-Steady; fancy western creamery, 21c; fancy western prints, 22c. EGGS-Unchanged; fresh nearby, 15@15½c; fresh western, 15@15½c; fresh southwestern, 14½@15c; fresh southern, 12@13c. CHEESE-Firmer; New York full cream, fancy small, new, 10@10½c. \*Ex-dividend. \*\*Offered.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Call loans, 3½@4½ per cent; time loans, 4@5 per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining

Minneapolis Wheat and Flour. MINDEAPOLIS, Aug. 18.-WHEAT-Close -In store: No. 1 northern, August, 704c; September, 65%@65%c; December, 704c; May, 73%c, On track: No. 1 hard, 72c; No. 1 northern, 71c; No. 2 northern, 65%c, FLOUR-Unchanged, BRAN-Unchanged. shares: A., T. & S. F ..... 27% Union Pacific ...... 44% 
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 C., B. & Q.
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 Calumet & Hocla.
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 Fitchburg pfd.
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 Centennial
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 Gen. Electric
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 Franklin
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 Steel
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 Federal Steel
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 Quincy
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Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 18. - WHEAT -Steady; No. 1 northern, 73%@74c; No. 2 northern, 72c. RYE-Quilet; No. 1, 53%@54c. BARLEY-Dull; No. 1, 41@42c; sample, 56

@3942C. Duluth Wheat Market.

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 Old Colony
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 Winona
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Wool Market.

NEW YORK. Aug. 18.-The following tree the closing quotations for mining Wool Market. BOSTON, Mass. Auz. 18.-The Boston Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow of the wool market: The decrease in business has not been followed by any drop in prices. The demand during the week has been from the smaller mills and entirely for pur-poses of consumption. Foreign markets continue extremely firm and the mills in this country are sold months ahead. Good Ohlo XX and above has been sold at 32c, and that price is now bottom. Round lots of Montana have sold at 18c. The scoured cost of even fine medium clothing is 53c. There is a better business in carpet wool following the advance in the price of car-pets this week. The general tendency of the market is still upwards, with no signs of weakness. The sales of the week are 3.375,000 pounds domestic, and \$13,000 pounds foreign, a total of 3.85,000 pounds against 6.250,000 pounds last week, and 2.433,000 pounds for the same week last year. The sales to date show an increase of \$5,313,100 pounds domestic and 13,655,900 pounds foreign from the sales to the same date in 1895. The receipts to date show an increase of 21,591 bales domestic and a de-crease of 41,255 bales foreign. shares:

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 Gould & Currie
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 Hale & Norcross
 38

 Homestake
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 Hron Silver
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 London Stock Market.

## LONDON, Aug. 18 .- 4 p. m.-Closing:

New York Mining Quotations.

lilinois Central ... Nor. Pacific pfd... Nor. Pacific pfd.... 79% Anaconda ... St. Paul common... 196% Grand Trunk

BAR SILVER-27 11-16d. MONEY-2 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills. 3%63 9-16c per cent; rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills. 3 9-1663% per cent.

March. \$5.97; April, \$6.00; May, \$6.04; June, \$6.08. LiVERPOOL, Aug. 15.—COTTON—Spot, small business; prices 1-32d higher; Ameri-can middling, 4d; good middling, 313-16d; middling, 35-16d; low middling, 33(4) good ordinary, 31-16d; ordinary, 27(4). The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and includes 5,800 bales American. Receipts, 1,000 bales, including 700 bales American. Futures opened steady and closed steady; American middling, 1. m. c., August, 323-64(d, values; August-September, 321-64(3)22-64(d, sellers; September-October, 320-64(d, sellers; November - December, December, January, seliers; September-October, 3 20-64d, seliers; October-November. 3 18-64@3 19-64d, buyers; November - December. December - January, January-February. 217-64@3 18-64d, buyers; February-March. 3 18-64d, buyers; March-April, 3 19-64d, seliers; April-May, 3 19-64@ 3 20-64d, seliers; May-June, 3 20-64d, buyers; June-July, 3 21-64d, seliers. NEW YORK. Aug. 18.-COTTON-The cotton market opened with prices higher by 5 to 7 points on strong early cables and continued bad crop accounts. Covering was a feature of the early session, but later cables showed pronounced weakness in the English cotton market and prices declined 10 points under active selling pressure from all sources, led, however, by one or two rainfall four-hundredths of an inch. The market was exceptionally uneven, although the general scope of the fluctuations was not so great as heretofore. Again the mar-ket took a generally upward tendency on renewed covering and some buying for investment account following a telegram from Texas saying that only showers had visited some sections of that state with the rainfall four-hundredth of an inch. The final phases of the market reflected a very nervous sentiment, with the close at a net gain of 2 to 3 points. Coffee Market.

**42...727 3 50** 1...810 3 50 6...640 3 50 7...774 3 65 35...470 3 75 22...709 3 80 2...735 4 00

Coffee Market. NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at unchanged prices to 5 points decline and ruled very quiet with weak underione, cables being unsatisfactory and receipts at Rio and Santos increasingly heavy. There was no outside speculative support. Light local covering arrested material decline. Closed steady, net un-changed to 5 points lower. Sales, 2.750 bags, including September, 34.40; October, 34.45; November, 34.59; March, 35.50. Spot coffee, Rio duil and nominal; mild, quiet. Coffee Market. No. Av. Pr. 2 cows....1110 \$2 75 1 heifer...700 3 00 1 cows....940 3.10 4 cows...1075 3 10 1 stag...1430 3 25 4 feeders...817 3 255

WYC 3 cows....983 3 00 2 cows...983 3 00 2 cows...805 3 15 3 feeders..817 3 30 3 cows...945 3 30 3 cows...923 3 30 10 cows...923 3 30 19 cows...968 3 50 4 cows...975 3 50 19 cows...976 3 60 1 feeder...810 3 50 32 cows...939 3 55 1 calf...220 4 00 1 cow...100 4 00 1 feeder...540 4 00 Hide Market is Strong. Hide Market is Strong. CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—The Shoe and Leather Review tomorrow will say: The packers hide market is very strong. The packers hide market is very strong. The packers hide market is very strong the packers hide market is very strong. The packers hide market is very strong the packers hide market is very strong. The pac

### New York Dry Goods Market.

New York Dry Goods Market. NEW YORK, Aug. 18.-DRY GOODS-Good general demand again today for staple cottons. Brown sheetings and drills with-out quotable change in prices, but against buyers. Market bure of stocks. Print cloths firm, but inactive for regulars, wide odds in good demand. Bleached firm; lead-ing makes scarce in all grades. No change in coarse colored cottons. Linens are quiet, but prices firm. Burlaps further advanced but prices firm. Burlaps further advanced % per yard.

Visible Supply of Cotton. NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 18. – Secretary Hester's estimate of the world's visible sup-ply of cotton shows a total of 3.256,381 bales, against 2.329,225 inst week, 1.755,561 inst year and 2.492,279 in 1895. Of this the total of American cotton is 2.044,381 bales, against 2.115,226 last week, 1.657,561 last year and 2.383,079 in 1895.

Sugar Market. NEW YORK, Aug. 18.-SUGAR-Raw. firmer: centrifugal, 96 test, 49-16c; refined, market firm and good demand. NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 18.-SUGAR-Steady: no open keitle: centrifugal yellow, 45.694 13-16c; seconds. 256244c. Molasses, duil; centrifugal, 6914c.

California Dried Fruits. NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Quiet: evaporated apples. common. 74c; prime wire tray. 814084c; choice. 83409c; fancy. 9140914c. Prunes. 314 08c. Apricots. Royal. 14c; Moor Park, 1409 16c. Peaches, unpecled, 1109114c. Manchester Cloths and Fabrics.

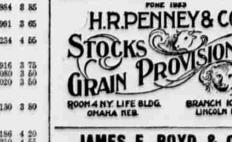
MANCHESTER, Aug. 18.-Cloths quiet with a moderate inquiry. Yarns quiet with little business doing.

# STOCKERS AND FEEDERS. Totals...... 16,111 30,362 1. 450 4 00 16. 728 4 20 5. 800 4 35 33. 783 4 35 10. 660 4 40 13. 1067 4 55 47. 1064 4 45 WESTERNS, NERRASY 4 011 Market. Oll Market. LONDON, Aug. 18.-OILS-Turpentine spirits, 365 7d. LiVERPOOL, Aug. 18.-OILS-Turpentine spirits, firm, 37s. OIL CITY, Pa., Aug. 18.-OILS-Credit balances, \$1.27; certificates, no bids or sales; shipments, 127,445 bbls.; average, \$8,557 bbls.; runs, 92,398 bbls.; average \$5,614\_bbls. NEBRASKA. Av. Pr. Silver for Europe. NEW YORK, Aug. 18.-The steamer Um-bria, sailing for Europe tomorrow, will take out 432,000 ounces of silver.

Veteran on the Rounds. **dING:** 4 feeders..1025 16 feeders..728 13 feeders..753 4 steers...920 21 feeders...957 1 feeders...970 1 feeders...970 3 feeders...963 30 feeders...963 15 steers...1166 3 steers...1166 1 calf....230 2 calves...250 Atlanta Constitution: One of the old-time darkies, on being asked "how he was making out," replied in this fashion: "Well, sub, times is mighty tight wid me but I manage ter make a livin'." "What are you doing now ?" "Well, suh, I keeps de pot b'ilin' by doin a little plowing', a little votin' en a little baptizin'; en w'en dey's nuttin' doin' at dem three I hangs 'roun' de white folks en waits twell dey gets in de notion ter run fer office ag'in!" Horse on Him.

Indianapolis Journal: "Got a good joke on myself," said the man who has accumulated little property by hard work. "I asked my wife what was the difference between me and a horse, intending to say that I was a forehanded man and the horse was a fourfooted beast. What do you suppose she said?"

"Give it up," said the other man. "Said she guessed it must be the length of my cars."



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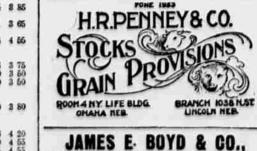
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