COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Heavy Northwest Arrivals Used to Force the Wheat Market Down.

SEABOARD REPORTS LARGE EXPORT TRADE

Corn Weak for September, But Steady for December-Outs at a Standstill -Provision Market Weak

and Dull.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.-A heavy increase in the arrivals of new wheat in the northwest was taken advantage of by elevator people and professional bears today to force wheat down and the market closed weak at about the decline. September corn was weak on renewed liquidation and closed %c lower. More distant futures closed about 1sc lower. Oats declined 1sc for December, but closed unchanged for September. Provisions closed unchanged to 750c higher,

For a good part of the morning wheat was fairly firm at a slight advance in prices. Liverpool showed but a small opening decline and more than recovered this before the close there. A more important consideration was the small world's shipments and more particularly those from Russia, whose large exports last week were an important factor in causing a downward turn to the market. Russia this week reported shipments of 499,000 bu., the total world's shipments being 5,739,000 bu. Northwest recursis were somewhat larger, but not enough so to bearishly affect the market. Minneapolis and Duluth reported arrivals of 399 cars, against 327 last week and 582 a year ago. Chicago receipts were life cars, 23 cars of contract grade. Shorts were the best buyers at the opening. Northwest and other outside markets were weaker than this and some pressure was put on the market by professionals and elevator people for this reason, which caused a temporary decline. September opened 140% chigher at 70% c and declined to 70% c. Docember opened 150% and eased off to 72% 72%. The decline was stopped by the announcement that the vibile supply had decreased 1,517,000 bu, and the slackening in the selling pressure coming at a time when shorts were covering, prices adments and more particularly those from the selling pressure coming at a time

the selling pressure coming at a time when shorts were covering, prices advanced again, September setting to 70% The and December to 73c.

These proved the high points of the day. A period of comparative inactivity followed, but before noon the market turned decidedly weak on the reported arrival of 200 cars of new wheat at Duluth and by much more favorable threshing returns from the northwest. Elevator people and professional bears were not slow to take advantage of this and pounded the marantage of this and pounded the mar-tot persistently from them until the end of the ression. December finally declined or 71% c and September to 70c. There was a tendency on the part of shorts to cover t those figures and a slight rally occurred, but the cash market here was poor. At-lantic port clearances amounted to 288,000 bu. Total primary receipts were 779,000 bu., compared with 1,281,000 bu. last year, New York put the export engagements at 70 September closed at 70@70% and

December at 72c bid. Corn was weak for September, but steady

dun. Receipts of thogs were moderate and large decreases in stocks were reported, particularly of ribs, which led the firmness in the speculative market. Packers were good buyers of lard and ribs. At the close September pork was unchanged at \$2.25. September lard 7½c higher at \$5.25 and September ribs 7½c higher at \$5.20.

Estimated receipts for Thursday: Wheat tember ribs 740 nigher at 30,20.
Estimated receipts for Thursday: Wheat, 170 cars; corn, 810 cars; oats, 740 cars; hogs,

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

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Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Firm; winter patents, \$3.50@3.50; straights, \$3.20@3.30; spring specials, \$4.20; spring patents, \$3.40@3.70; straights, \$2.80@ 3.20; bakers, \$1.90@2.60. WHEAT-No, 3 spring, 67@694c; No. 2 red, 7314. CORN-No. 2, 32@324c; No. 2 yellow,

CORN-No. 2, 32/3324c; No. 2 yellow, 32/4/3324c;
OATS-No. 2, 21/4/3214c; No. 2 white, 22/4/9 23: No. 3 white, 21/4/22c.

RYE-No. 2, 54c.
BARLEY-No. 2, 35/9/40c.
SEEDS-Flax: Cash, northwest, \$1.18; cash southwest, \$1.17; September, 1.08/4; October, \$1.04/4; December, \$1.04/4, Timothy; August, \$2.46; September, \$2.40; October, \$2.40; timothy seed, prime, \$2.5/9/2.40.
PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$7.55/9/8.20. Lard, per 100 lbs. \$5.07/4/36.20. Short ribs sides (loose), \$4.95/9/5.25. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$5.50/9/5.62/4. Short clear sides (boxed), \$5.50/9/5.60.
WHISKY-Distillers' finished goods, per gal., \$1.26.

gal., \$1.26, SUGARS—Cut loaf, \$6.02; granulated, \$5.50.
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 Following are the receipts and shipments:
 Articles
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 16,000

 Wheat, bu
 55,000
 85,000

 Corn, bu
 296,000
 244,000

 Oats, bu
 677,000
 822,000

 Rye, bu
 9,000
 2,000

2,000 On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 16720c; datries, 13077c. Cheese, firm, at 95,67904c, Eggs, steady, fresh, 125c. Dressed poultry, steady; turkeys, 85269c; chickens, 9690c; ducks, 869c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quotations of the Day on Various

Commodities.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—FLOUR—Receipts, 13.631 bbls.; exports, 15.347 bbls.; weak and inactive, with spring patents 5c to 10c in buyers' favor; Minnesota patents, \$3.85@ 4.00; winter patents, \$3.60@3.90; winter 4.00; winter patents, 33.503.40; winter straights, \$3.503.40; winter extras, \$2.4502.20; winter low grades, \$2.2502.40; Minnesota patents, \$3.8504.05; Minnesota bakers, \$2.0062.25; Eye flour, firm; good to prime, \$3.1503.25; choice to fancy, \$3.2003.25.

CORNMEAL—Dull; yellow western, 7207.73c; city, 74075c; Brandywine, \$2.1502.25.

RYE—No. 2 western, 613.c, f. o. b., afloat, 80.25

1896 crop, 507c; 1897 crop, nominal; 1898 crop, 109:15c; Pacific coast, 1896 crop, 4296c; 1898 op. 16616tje. HAY-Firm; shipping, 50265e; good HIDES Steady; Galveston, 29 to 25 lbs. HIDES—Steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 184c.

LEATHER—Quiet and steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavyweights, 21144234c; acid, 220234c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, quiet; family, \$9.50g 11.00; mess, \$9.00; beef hams, \$27.0023.50; packet, \$9.25010.00; city, extra India mess, \$14.00215.50. Cut meats, quiet; pickled belles, \$6.0027.25; pickled shoulders, \$6.0021.25; pickled shoulders, \$6.002.125; south American, \$6.25; compound, \$5.00. Fork, dull; mess, \$8.7509.50; short clear, \$10.25011.75; family, \$10.00211.00.

BUTTER—Receipts, \$11.303 pkgs.; dull but steady; western creamery, 170.21c; factory, 12015c.

12@15c.
CHEESE—Receipts, 9.938 pkgs.; firm; large, white and colored, 10%c; small, colored, 10%glie; small, white, 10%glo%c.
EGGS—Receipts, 10.620 pkgs., firm; state and Pennsylvania, 17glisc, loss off; western ungraded, at mark, 12@15c.
POTATOES—Quiet; fair to prime, \$1.00glie; fancy white, \$1.50gli6; southern sweets, \$1.00gli25.
TALLOW—Steady; city, 4%g4%c; spot.

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MOLASSES—Dull; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 32636c.
FREIGHTS—Dull; cotton, by steam, 50c; grain, by steam, 2% 33d.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce. EGG8-Good stock at 11%c. BUTTER-Common to fair. 12c; choice,

14@15c; separator, 20c; gathered creamery, POULTRY-Hens, live, 7403c; spring chlokens, 10c; old and stggy roosters, live, 34,94c; ducks and geese, live, 595c; turkeys, ve, 80. PIGEONS—Live, per doz., 75c@\$1.00. VEALS—Choice, 9c.

VEGETABLES. VEGETABLES.

WATERMELONS—Good stock, crated for shipments, 15@17c.
CANTALOUPE—Per doz., crated, 40@50c.
TOMATOES—Per 4-basket crate, 30@40c.
POTATOES—New, 25@30c per bu.
CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 10@15c.
CELERY—Per doz., 30@35c.
SWEET POTATOES—Per bbl., \$2.00@2.25.

FRUITS. BLUEBERRIES-Per 16-qt, case, \$1.60@ PLUMS—California, per crate, \$1.35@1.50. CALIFORNIA PEACHES - Freestone,

APPLES-Per bbl., \$2.00. GRAPES-Natives, 25@30c per California, \$1.40@1.75. TROPICAL FRUITS. LEMONS—California fancy, 34.25@4.50; choice California, \$3.75@4.00; Messina, fancy, \$5.00@5.25,
BANANAS—Choice crated, large stock, per bunch, \$2.50@2.75; medium-sized bunches, \$2.00@2.25.

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 calt, 12 to 15 lbs.,

TALLOW, GREASE, ETC.-Tallow, No. TALLOW, GREASE, ETC.—Tallow, No. 1, 3c; tallow, No. 2, 2½c; rough tallow, 1½c; white grease, 2½63c; yellow and brown grease, 1½62½c.

SHEEP Ph.TS—Green salted, each, 15675c; green salted shearings (short wooled early skins), each, 15c; dry shearings (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5c; dry filnt, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry filnt, Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 364c; dry filnt, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry filnt, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry filnt, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 465c; dry filnt, Colorado murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 364c.

Corn was weak for September, but steady for December and May. There was scattered liquidation of September all day, but most of the selling was done by elevator firms, which was taken to to indicate heavy country offerings. Corn reports continued favorable. Receipts were 519 cars. September ranged from 30%/331c to 31%/3013/c and closed %c lower at 31c sellers. December closed %c lower at 28%c.

The speculative market for oats was almost at a standstill. The market was a little easier, in sympathy with corn, but trade was too small to admit of material changes in values. Offerings were free from the country and most of the selling in the speculative market came from the outside and from elevator people. The outside and from elevator people. The cash demand was tame. Receipts were 519 cars. September ranged from 20%20%c and closed unchanged at 20%20%c. December, 25%c; May, 28c.

The market for provisions was weak but dull. Receipts of bogs were moderate and large decreases in stocks were reported, particularly of ribs, which led the firmness in the speculative market. Packers were food buvers of lard and ribs. At the close

CORNMEAL—Steady at \$1.75%1.80.

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EGGS—Easter at 12c.

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PROVISIONS—Dry Salt Meats—Steady; boxed shoulders, \$5.25; shorts, \$5.37½; clear ribs, \$5.60; clear sides, \$5.62½, Bacon, steady; boxed shoulders, \$5.50; extra shorts, \$5.87½; clear ribs, \$6.00; clear sides, \$6.25.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 11,000 bbls.; wheat, 108,000 bu.; corn, 168,000 bu.; cats, 58,000 bu. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 8,000 bbls.; wheat, 2,000 bu.; corn, 57,000 bu.; cats, 18,000 bu.

Kansas City Grain and Provisiosa.

KANSAS CITY. Aug. 23.—WHEAT—September, 63%c; December, 63%c; cash No. 2 hard, 65%66c; No. 3, 61½603½c; No. 2 red, 70c; No. 3, 65%69c; receipts, 225 cars.

CORN—September, 27%c: December, 24½c; cash No. 2 mixed, 28¾629½c; No. 2 white, 29½c; No. 3, 28¾c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 22623c.

RYE—No. 2, 53c.

HAY—Choice timothy, \$7.50; choice prairie, \$5.75%6.00

BUTTER—Creamery, 17%19c; dairy, 15c.

EGGS—Firm; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock, firsts, 11½c, cases returned.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 15,500 bu.; corn, 22,500 bu.; cats, 23,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 27,000 bu.; corn, 14,-900 bu.; cats, 2,000 bu. Kansas City Grain and Provisiosa.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions. Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 28.—PROVISIONS—Bacon, Cumberland cut, dull, 38s; short ribs, dull, 32s; long clear middles, light, dull, 32s 5d; long clear middles, heavy, dull, 32s; short clear backs, dull, 39s. Shoulders, square, dull, 28s 6d. Lard, prime western in tierces, steady, 27s 5d.

CHEESE—American finest white, firm, 50s 5d; American finest, colored, firm, 61s 6d.

WHEAT—Spot firm, Futures, steady; September, 5s 10%d; December, 5s 11%d.

CORN—Futures, steady; October, 3s 5d; November, 3s 5%d.

TALLOW—Australian in London, firm, 25s 3d.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The following statement of the visible supply of grain in store and affoat on Saturday, August 26, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange is as follows:

Wheat, 34.096,000 bu.; decrease, 1.382,000 bu., Corn, 6,970,000 bu.; decrease, 912,000 bu., Gats, 4,807,000 bu.; increase, 788,000 bu., Rye, 535,000 bu.; decrease, 87,000 bu., Barley, 334,000 bu.; decrease, 72,000 bu.

Minnenpolis Wheat and Flour.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 28.— WHEAT—
Close: In store, No. 1 northern, August, 69c; September, 67%; December, 68%; G63%; May, 71%; new August, 88c. On track, No. 1 hard, old, 67%; new, 68%; No. 1 northern, old, 67%; new, 66%; No. 2 northern, old, 67%; new, 66%; FLOUR—First patents, \$3,70@3.80; second patents, \$3,50@3.60; first clear, \$2,50@2.60.

BRAN—In bulk, \$10.00@1d.50.

shade firmer, with \$5,40 bid and \$5.50 asked. The brokers' price for lead is \$4.36 and for copper \$18.50.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS There is a Marked Falling Off of Interest in Railway Stocks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—There was a marked failing off of interest in the railway stocks today compared with that prevalling last week. interest shifted into the idustrial specialties and a number of these were marked up in a feverish and irregular

were marked up in a reverish and irregular manner. The general list was maintained with difficulty and a slight flurry in call money in the last hour carried prices with the few exceptions of strength below last night's level. In the final hardening movement on covering by shorts some of the specialties and a few obscure railroad stocks rose anew to the top level. This made the closing of the market firm in tone, but the majority of standard stocks show net lossess. one, but the majority of standard stocks show net losses.

An influential factor in the hesitating and loubiful tone of speculation was the relewed anxiety over the money market outlook caused by Saturday's bank statement. Call money was quite stiffly held at 2 per sent all day and was marked above that in the last hour mosthly now without manipulation. cent all day and was marked above that in the last hour, possibly not without manipu-lation, but the fact remains that the pres-ent low stage of surplus reserves of the New York clearing house banks keeps the financial world keenly observant and in a somewhat uneasy frame of mind. Pro-fessions of confidence that the west is amply provided with funds to finance the coming oreo movement without calling on amply provided with funds to finance the coming or provement without calling on New York do not avail altogether in the face of the condition of the local banks, neither does the suggestion that the local trust companies have large available funds which do not figure in clearing house banking reserves, although both of these explanations have undoubted force. The buying for London account which has served to sustain some stocks recently was missed. There were upward movements of

explanations have undoubted force. The buying for London account which has served to sustain some stocks recently was missed. There were upward movements of importance today in the tobacco stocks, Manhattan, Metropolitan Street railway, Sugar, and some of the iron and steel stocks, the latter under the influence of a declaration of the first dividend on the Republic Steel preferred of 1½ per cent, called quarterly. American Express jumped 10 points over Saturday's prices.

On the other hand there was weakness in International Paper, Colorado Fuel, Brooklyn Transit, Tennessee Coal and a few other specialties. In the railway list the only stocks to show any marked demand were Southern Railway preferred and Kansas & Texas preferred. The Chicago Great Western issues showed wide changes, but were rather feverish at the close. There were gains in Mobile & Ohio, Hocking Valley preferred. Omain, Northwestern, New York Central and St. Louis second preferred. There were notable gains in a group of high priced stocks, including Lacksewanna, St. Paul preferred, Northwest preferred. Wells-Fargo, and Pullman. New Haven and Omaha preferred were bid without sales, the latter 10 points.

Kansas & Texas preferred seconds 3% higher on the day. Otherwise there was no notable feature in the bond market. Total sales, par value, \$2,342,000. United States, is, news, advanced ½ in the bid price.

Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram. The markets here were dull today on Mr. Chamberlain's determined Transvaal speech and the report of friction with Russia in China. Consols fell %, but after ward recovered most of their losses. Americans were duil early, but New York bought Union Pacific and Atchisons heavily, causing a good close. Spanish is were 534; Tintos, 44%; Anacondas, Il Il-16. The bank bought £192,000 gold in bars. Discounts were steady but idle. Call money was unlendable late in the day.

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

Atchison 80 to 534 Union Pacific

70% Texas & Pacific ... 2112 55% Union Pacific ... 47% 56% do ptd ... 75% Can. Southern ... Central Pacific ... Wells Fargo ... Amer. Cot. Oil. do 1st pfd do 2d pfd BRAN—Firm; sacked lots, east track, 58c, HAY—Steady; timothy, \$7.00@10.00; prairie, 18c, P. & G. 11 Brooklyn R. T. 104 Colo. F. & I. 50 Con. Tobacco. 49% WHISKY—Steady at \$1.26. HEMPTWINE—Steady at \$1.15. HEMPTWINE—Steady at \$4.52½@4.55. Spelter, dull at \$5.40@5.50.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 7c old. 9c young; turkeys, 7½c old, 10c young; ducks, 6@6½c, geese, 6@6½c. BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 17@21c; dairy, 13@17½c. EGGS—Easter at 12c. PROVISIONS—Dry Salt Meats—Steady; boxed shoulders, \$5.25; shorts, \$5.37½; clear do pfd Nor. Pacific do pfd 23% People's Gas 61% Pressed Steel Car., 56% 534 do pfd 19 535 Hull. Pal. Car. 158 594 Stand. R. & T. 34 113 Sugar 1543 734 do pfd 119 574 Tenn. Coal & Iron. 954 154 U. S. Leather. 10 284 do pfd 254

Southern Pacific... 384 P., C., C. & St. L., 77% Southern Railway., 12% New York Money Market.
NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—MONEY—On call, steady, at 2%@3 per cent; last loan, at 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4406 per STERLING SILVER-Steady, with actual

STERLING SILVER—Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.80\(\frac{1}{2}\)4.80\(\frac{1}{2}\)6 for demand, and at \$4.83\(\frac{1}{2}\)4.83\(\frac{1}{2}\)6 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.84 and \$4.87\(\frac{1}{2}\); commercial bills, \$4.82\(\frac{1}{2}\).

SILVER—Certificates, 60.60\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; bar, 59.9-16c; Mexican dollars, 48c.

BONDS—Government bonds, firm; state bonds, inactive; railroad bonds, strong.

The following are the closing quotations on bonds:

U. S. 28, reg100 4	M. K. & T. 2ds 75
U. S. 3s. reg10814	M. K. & T. 48 9
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G. H. & S. A. 2da 108	Wab. 1sta 116
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H. & T. C. con. 6s 112	W. Shore 4s115
Iowa C. 1sts 11514	Wis. Cent. 1sts 78
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FRANKFORT, Aug. 28.—On the bourse boday business was dull. The transactions

MADRID, Aug. 28.—Gold was quoted today at 28.05. BUENOS AYRES Aug. 28,-Today's gold

New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The following are the closing quotations for mining offier 50

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LONDON, Aug. 28.-4 p. m.-Closing: Atchison do 1st pfd. 46 Archison Illinole Central 113 Louisville Nor. Paolic pfd. 80 Grand Trunk St. Paul common 1376 Amsconda

BAR SILVER-27 7-16d.
MONEY-1½ per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for short bills, 3½ per cent; for three months' bills, 3½ 76 5-16 per cent.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Clearings, \$83,595.

977; balances, \$5,585,765.

BOSTON, Aug. 28.—Clearings, \$11,870,327;
balances, \$1,164,714.

BALITIMORE, Aug. 28.—Clearings, \$2,305,127; balances, \$485,157.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Clearings, \$403,268;
\$10,064,800; balances, \$1,935,039.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 28.—Clearings, \$4,903,268;
balances, \$546,502. Money, steady at 4@7 per cent, mostly at 5@6 per cent. New York exchange, 30c discount bid, 20c discount asked. Bank Clearings.

Business on Berlin Bourse Dull. Business on Berlin Bourse Dull.

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—Business on the bourse today was dull during the early part of the day, transactions being checked by the unfavorable impression created by the speech delivered at Birmingham on Saturday by Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, British secretary of state for the colonies, and dearer settlement money. On realization prices declined toward the close of the day. Money was easier and there was a partial recovery. was easier and there was a partial recovery

On the Paris Bourse. PARIS, Aug. 28.—On the bourse today prices were inanimate, except for rentes, which improved on covering purchases. Foreigners were irregular. Rio Tintos improved with the advance in copper. Kaffirs were depressed owing to the speech delivered by the British secretary of state for the colonies, Mr Joseph Chamberlain, at Birmingham, on Saturday, but the fall was unimportant.

Declare a Quarterly Dividend. NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The directors of the Republic Iron and Steel company have declared the first quarterly dividend of 1% per cent on its preferred stock, payable October 1.

Oil Market.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 28.—OILS—Turpentine spirits, steady, 34s &d.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—OILS—Calcutta linseed, spot, 39s 9d.; linseed oil, 21s 9d; turpentine spirits, 33s 44;d.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—OILS—Cottonseed oil, easy; petroleum, steady; rosin, quiet; turpentine, easy, 479474;c.

OIL CHTY, Aug. 28.—OILS—Credit balances, \$1.27; certificates, closed offered at \$1.28;4; shipments, 25th to 27th, 183,537 bbls.; average, \$1.890 bbls.; runs, 25th to 27th, 208,-704 bbls.; average, \$4,263 bbls.

Coffee Market.

onds. 214.044c. Molasses, dail.
gal, 6014c.
NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—SUGAR—Raw,
steady, with Lendon and increased demand.
Fair refining. 3 15-16c. centrifugal, 96-fest,
41sc bid; molasses, sugar. 3 13-16c. Refined,
oulet and easy.

Louis Snaw—Wyo.
15 feeders...1120 \$4 50
6 cows.....1005 3 40
18 feeders...793 4 40 20 feeders...1156 4 50
6 cows.....903 3 39
Wyoming Cattle Co,—Wyo.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Light Receipts as Usual on the First Day of the Week.

EVERYTHING SELLS REASONABLY EARLY

Hogs Active at Little Stronger Prices-Sheep Active and 10c to 15c Higher -Lambs Dull and Lower-Killing Cattle Generally Steady.

SOUTH OMAHA, Aug. 28. Receipts were Cattle Hogs Sheap, ...4,004 2,469 3,528 ...7,958 3,129 8,329 ...8,901 2,148 1,531 .4,583 5,042 6,794 One week ago wo weeks ago Three weeks ago. Average price paid for hogs for the last 37 steers...1294 several days with comparisons:

Aug. 12. 4 28 3 73 2 81 2 75 4 4 5 5 6 6 1 1 5 1 5 1 1

C., M. & St. P. Ry 35 Total receipts......166 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

Omaha Packing Co.... G. H. Hammond Co... 82 G. H. Hammond Co... 216 Swift and Company... 883 632 ****

2..1050 8 15 1..1130 3 15 1..1039 3 50 2. 950 2 75 2.1050 3 15 6. 831 2 80 1.1130 3 15 1.1059 3 1. 850 8 00 STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS. 2.. 890 3 40 CALVES 1.. 200 6 25 8.. 130 6 25 1. 240 5 75 17. 669 3 75 8. 692 3 90 1. 580 4 00 3. 706 3 60 17. 669 3 75 2. 1040 4 25 54. 1002 42 5 HEIFERS 1.. 670 2 50 17., 771 3 25 1..1310 3 25

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points and ruled active, with local parties in control. September notices were issued in large quantities, but fell into good hands. Heavy receipts checked buying and caused a barely steady undertone. Closed steady, unchanged, to 5 points lower. Sales, 30,500 bars, including September \$4.30; October, \$4.40; November, \$4.45; December, \$4.89; May, \$5.16; June, \$5.20; July, \$5.25. Spot coffee. Rio, dull and nominal, Mild, quiet, but about steady.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 28.—SUGAR—Steady, with Lendon and increased demand.

1.1310 3 25 1.1780 4 40 WESTERNS.
NEBRASKA.

1 bull. 1580 3 25 2 heifers. 985 3 70 1 bull. 1580 3 25 7 heifers. 814 4 60 2 bulls. 1685 3 55 3 feeders. 586 4 10 Western Ranches—S. D.

21 steers. 1203 4 30 84 steers. 1264 4 00 21 steers. 1201 4 30 84 steers. 1201 4 30 81 steers. 1201 4 30 81 steers. 1201 4 30 81 steers. 1211 4 15 45 cows. 1063 3 60 37 steers. 1211 4 15 31 steers. 1217 4 15 38 steers. 1201 4 15 40 steers. 1217 4 15 38 steers. 1201 4 15 40 steers. 1210 4 15 40 steers. 1220 4 50 1 steer. 1240 4 45 1 steer. 1240 4

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—DRY GOODS—
More business doing in staple cottons and demand for prints improving. Strong tone in brown, bleached and coarse colored cottons. Further advances being reported and the New York prices being still upward. White goods strong and tending upward. White goods strong and tending upward. White goods strong and tending upward. Firm market in woolens and worsteds.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK Aug. 28.—CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Quiet: evaporated apples. common. 7%c: prime wire tray. 8%g. Steers. 1281 4 69

Steers. 1283 4 60

Steers. 1281 4 69

Steers. 1283 4 69

Steers. 1284 4 69

Steers. 1284 4 69

Steers. 1285 4 69

Steers. 1286 3 50

Steers. 1286 3 50

Steers. 1286 4 50

winter patents, 15-06/25-09, winter cutras, 25-06/25, winter low grades, 25-26/25 Minnegative cutras, 25-06/25 Minnegative cutras, 2

Glbeon Cattle 996 8 66 1092 4 00 5 8 100 4 56 50 hetfers. 1 feeder, 1090 54 feeders, 1096 59 feeders, 1100 9 cows. steers .. COWS. steers. steers. steers. 50 3 steers. 1273 50 35 steers. 1042 50 18 steers. 1325 50 133 steers. 1250 75 25 steers. 1410 Benton-Wyo. 11 feeders .. 1043 4 37% E. D. Armstrong-Wyo. .1210 3 50 23 steers .1221 4 25 .1153 4 20 18 feeders .1305 4 40 ranklin L. S. Co.—S. D. .1016 3 50 8 steers .1131 3 85

17 steers 1004 4 M

1 bull. Simmons & D.—Neb. 1055 3 50 5 cows. 1053 3 00 3 cows. 1140 3 50 5 cows. 1000 3 00 3 cows. 1140 3 50 5 cows. 1000 3 00 3 cows. 1140 3 50 5 cows. 1000 3 00 3 cows. 1140 3 50 5 cows. 1140 3 cows. 1

101 steers. . 1225 4 20

..1016 3 50 ...1294 3 75

age prices that the week opens with selling not far from where they were or two weeks ago Representative sale

Av. Sh. Pr. .260 120 44 3214 ..307 ... 4 32½ ..289 80 4 32½ ..323 80 4 32½ ..318 80 4 32½ WAGON LOTS-PIGS.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—CATTLE—There was a good demand for the better class of cattle today on firm prices, but common grades were slow and weak. Good to choice cattle sold at \$5.60\footnote{0}6.60; commoner grades at \$3.90\footnote{6}5.5 tockers and feeders, \$3.25\footnote{0}4.90; bulls, cows and helfers at \$2.00\footnote{0}5.25. Texas steers at \$3.30\footnote{0}4.25 and calves at \$4.00\footnote{0}72.5. HOGS—Choice droves of hogs were strong, with high coarse packers slow and weak. There was a good demand for the rather small offerings. Heavy hogs sold at \$4.00\footnote{0}4.75; mixed lots at \$4.30\footnote{0}4.60 and culls at \$2.00\footnote{0}3.95.

SHEEP—Sheep were steady with a good general demand and prime lambs sold at unchanged prices, but ordinary lambs were 10\footnote{0}150 lower. Sheep brought \$2.00\footnote{0}3.00 for culls, up to \$4.25\footnote{0}4.50 for good native wethers. Western range sheep brought \$3.50\footnote{0}4.15. Lambs sold at \$3.50\footnote{0}4.00 for ordinary, up to \$5.75\footnote{0}6.85 for choice lots.

RECEIPTS—Cattle, 29,000 head; hogs, 26,000 head; sheep, 17,000 head.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—BEEVES—Receipts, 4,150 head; good steers opened firm; others steady; closed easier on Chicago advices; bulls and cows 102/15c lower; three cars cattle unsold; steers, \$4,6026.00; stockers, \$4,00; bulls, \$2,502/3.50; cows, \$1,502/4.10; western helfers, \$4,502/5.10. Cables quote live cattle slow at 11½/20/2½/c; tops, 12½/c; refrigerator beef, lower at 8½/c per h; exports tomorrow, 630 cattle, \$5 sheep and 7,211 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, 3,030 head; firm to 5c higher; 200 head unsold; veals, \$4,502/7.50; grassers and buttermilks \$2,62½/25.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 7,757 head; sheep firm to a shade higher except for common; lambs 22/250c higher; 2 cars unsold; sheep, \$2,502/42.5; export wethers, \$4,252/4.50; culls, \$2,002/4.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,246 head; slow and will sell lower. New York Live Stock.

Sf. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 28—CATPLE—Receipts, 3.909 head, including 2.200 head Texans. Market steady; native shipping and export steers, 44.75@6.25; dressed beef. 44.25@6.75; steers under 1.000 pounds, 43.50@6.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@5.09; cows and helfers, \$2.40@6.25; canners, \$1.50@2.75; bulls, \$2.60@4.400. Texans and Indian steers, \$3.00@4.75; cows and helfers, \$2.50@3.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 3.100 nead. Market, 5@16c better. Pigs and lights, 44.75@4.85; packers, \$4.60@4.80; butchers, \$4.75@4.85.

SHEEP—Receipts, 600 head. Market strong; native muttons, \$3.75@4.25; lambs, \$4.60@4.60; stockers, \$3.00@3.65; culls and bucks, \$1.85@3.00. St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Joseph Live Stock

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SOUTH ST. JOSEPH. Mo., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—The Journal quotes:
CATTLE—Receipts, 2.200 head, including 1,000 head quarantines; natives strong; others weak; natives, \$4.6565.85; Texans and westerns, \$3.6565.85; cows and heifers, \$2.00 64.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.5004.85; year-lings and calves, \$4.0075.00; bulls and stags, \$2.0064.75; veals, \$4.5067.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 2.200 head; steady to easy; no lights; heavy and medium, \$4.5064.40; lights, quotable at \$4.5564.70; pigs, \$4.45.64.65; bulk of sales, \$4.524.64.574.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2.300 head; market active and steady; demand strong for all kinds. Stock in Sight.

Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets for August 2s:

Cattle. Hogs Sheep.

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Chicago 20,000 25,000 17,000

Kansas City 9,000 4,500 3,660

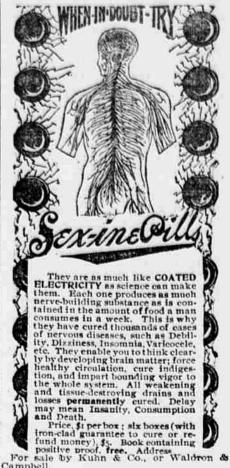
St. Louis 6,000 3,100 660 Totals 39,004 34,069 30,188 Kensas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts. 6.300 head natives, 2.600 head Texans; market steady for good; shade lower for poor grades; heavy weight native steers, \$5.456.50; light weights, \$1.1565.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.1565.50; channers, \$1.2565.30; western steers, \$4.0064.65; Texans, \$3.0064.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 4.450 head; market active and steady to be higher; heavy and mixed, \$4.5564.60; lights, \$4.6564.775; pigs, \$4.5566.60; lights, \$4.6566.60; lights, \$4.65666.60; lights, \$4.

18 feeders. 944 4 35 | 38.75694.25; stockers and feeders, \$1.25/74.10; colls, \$2.5003.25.

Rich Prospect Near Rawlins. RAWLINS, Wyo., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—F.
A. Luckfield and J. M. Rumsey of this place have had men working on a mineral prospect in the hills north of here for several weeks, Several days ago Mr. Luckfield sent a specimen of ore found in the prospect to Denvey for analysis. He was greatly surprised to receive a return showing that it ran \$716 a ton in gold. The ore is free-milling and the lead is three feet wide. Messrs, Luckfield and Rumsey decline to divulge the exact location of the find. They are now sending 100 pounds of the ore to Denver for a mill



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