Last Year's Imports to Philippines Over One Million More.

EXPORTS GREATER BY SIX PER CENT

Twenty-Seven Per Cent Larger Imports to Islands Last Year as Com-Year Previous,

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The insular fivision of the War department has prepared for publication a comparative statement showing the commerce of the Philippine Islands for the nine moths ended September 39, 1991, and 1990.

The total value of merchandise imported during the nine months ended September 39, 1991, was \$21,813,212, against \$17,181,391 for the corresponding period of 1990, and the exports of merchandise amounted to \$15,896,798, against \$17,883,250 for 1990.

These ligures show an increase of 27 per cent for the imports and 6 per cent for the exports during the nine months.

Gold and silver was imported during the nine months of 1991 to the value of \$2,802,544; same period of 1990, \$2,202,897; corresponding period of 1990, \$2,202,897.

The value of merchandise coming from the United States for the nine months ended September 30, 1991, was \$2,712,190, an increase of \$1,190,218 over the corresponding period of 1990, while the exports for the period of 1991 amounted to \$2,767,658, an increase of \$5,757,503.

Volume of Transactions Diminishes and Coal Shares Weaken with

values, there is no prospect of lower cloth prices.

Some business in light goods and specialties was transacted with India, and the eventual outlook is fairly hopeful, the satisfactory tenor of the recently published Indian budget justifying that view. The low level of the present offerings is attributed largely to distrust of the stability of cotton values. During the last week a moderate trade in the standard makes was transacted with China at comparatively reasonable figures. There was some inquiry from South America, with occasional regults, and there was some extensive buying from Chile and Peru.

Yarns have a tendency to harden and buyers hesitate to operate largely. Spinners complain of the unremunerative margin and that the cost of production is rarely realized.

CALM ON STOCK EXCHANGE Money is Searce, with No Prospect of Increase, and Mines Are Stagnant.

LONDON. March 23.—The movement of the last week on the Stock exchange is hardly worth recording. Money was scarce and there is a prospect of its becoming scarcer with the approaching quarter day, while the selling of continental securities on the London market, probably in view of the new Russian loan, further restricted the cash supply and generally affected internationals adversely.

The uncertainty of the form to be taken by the new British loan was also a disturbing factor of the week. The public seems to have shaken off its speculative fervor entirely. Home rails declined considerably in spite of favorable traffic returns. American securities railled somewhat toward the end of the week in response to the improvement in New York. Mines were absolutely stagnant.

MADRID, March 23.—The report of the Bank of Spain for the week ended vester-day shows the following changes: Gold in hand increased 134,000 pesetas, silver in hand increased 8,968,000 pesetas, notes in circulation decreased 6,187,000 pesetas. Gold was quoted yesterday at 38.06.

DMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on

Staple and Fancy Produce. EGG8-Including new No. 2 cases, 134c; Cases returned, 13c.

LIVE POULTRY-Chickens, 8449c; old roosters, 344c; turkeys, 10912c; ducks and geese, \$435c.

DRESSED POULTRY-Turkeys, 12615c; ducks, 10611c; geese, 10611c; chickens, 96 BUTTER—Packing stock, 18%c; choice dairy, in tubs, 1962ic; separator, 27632c.
FROZEN FISH—Black bass, 18c; white bass, 19c; bluefish, 12c; bullheads, 19c; buffaloes, 7c; catfash, 12c; cod, 19c; crapples, 194c; halibut, 11c; herring, 5c; haddock, 9c; pike, 8c; red snapper, 19c; salmon, 12c; sunfish, 6c; trout, 9c; whitefash, 8c, pickerel, 5c; fresh mackerel, each, 20535c; smeits, 19c. OYSTERS—Mediums, per can, 22c; standards, per can, 25c; extra selects, per can, 12c; New York counts, per can, 40c; bulk standards, per gal, \$1.2c; bulk, extra selects, \$1.60g1.55; New York counts, per gal,

PIGEONS-Live, per don, 60c. VEAL-Choice, 66sc. OATS—18c.
BRAN—Per ton, \$18
HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Hay Dealers' association: Choice upland, \$8: No. I upland, \$7; medium, \$6.50;
coarse, \$8. Eye straw, \$5. These prices
are for hay of good color and quality. De-

VEGETABLES.

SEED POTATOES—Per bu., Ohios, \$1.50; tose, \$1.50; Triumphs, \$1. POTATOES—Northern, \$1.05; Colorado,

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CARHOTS—Per bu., 75c.
BEETS—Per bu. basket, 50c.
TUHNIPS—Per bu., 50c; Rutabagas, per 100 ibs., \$1.25.
PARSNIPS—Per bu., 50c; Rutabagas, per 100 ibs., \$1.25.
GREEN ONIONS—Per dos., according to size of bunches, 3050c.
LETTUCE—Heast, per hamper, £2.50; hothouse, per dos., \$050c.
PARSLEY—Per dos., 2055c.
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RADISHES—Fer dos., 2055c.
CABBAGE—Holland seed, crated, 14,52c.
ONIONS—Spanish, per crate, \$2.25; Michigan, red or yellow, per ib., 34,635c.
CELERY—California, 4051c.
TOMATOES—Florida, per 6-basket crate, \$4.50.

BIG INCREASE IN COMMERCE | Sape, \$5; Jonathans, \$5.50; Bellehowers, per | COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL PEARS-Vikers, \$2.56; Lawrence, \$2.569 crate, \$1.75 NAVY HEANS—Per bu., \$1.2032.00, FIGS—California, new cartons, \$1; im-ported, per ib., 12314c. TROPICAL FRUITS. ORANGES-California navels, fancy, \$3.50 \$3.75; choice, \$3.25\$3.30; budded, \$2.75. LEMONS-Fancy, \$3.50; choice, \$3.25. BANANAS-Per bunch, according to size,

MISCELLANEOUS. MISCELLANEOUS.

NUTS—New crop walnuts. No. 1 soft shell, per lb., Ilc; hard shell, per lb., Ilc; No. 2 hard shell, so; No. 2 soft shell, loc; No. 2 hard shell, so; Brazils, per lb., lc; filberts, per lb., l2c; almonds, soft shell, l7c; hard shell, l5c; pecans, large, per lb., l2c; small, loc; cocounuts, per sack, \$3.50.

HONEY—Per 24-section case, \$3.

CIDER—Nehawka, per bbl., \$2.25; New York, \$3.50.

York, \$3.50.
HIDES—No. 1 green, 5%c; No. 2 green, 5%c; No. 1 saited, 7c; No. 2 saited, 5%c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12% lbs. 8c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs. 6c; dry hides, 5%lbc; sheep pelts, 75c; horse hides, \$1.50\forall 2.25.
POPCORN—Per lb. 8c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Commodities.

NEW YORK, March 22.—FLOUR—Receipts, 28,159 bbls.; exports, 2,224 bbls.; weak and nominally 5610c lower; winter patents, 43,30694.25; Minnesota patents, 43,7563.39; Minnesota bakers, 42,2063.25; winter patents, 43,5064.25; winter extras, 43,1063.30; winter low grades, 42,0063.10. Rye flour, dull; fair to good, 43,2563.40; choice to fancy, 43,5063.75.

CORNMEAL—Quiet; yellow western, 51,30; city, \$1,28; Brandywine, 33,5563.60.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western, 634.0, f. o. b., afloat; state, 60661c, c. l. f., New York, carlots. BARLEY-Dull; feeding, 53055c, c, i. f., New York; maiting, 68072c, c, i. f., New

Releases of Labor.

BERLIN, March 28.—During the last week the stagnation on the bourse growing the last week the stagnation on the bourse growing the last week the stagnation on the bourse growing the last week the stagnation on the bourse growing the last week the stagnation on the bourse growing the last week the stagnation on the bourse growing the last week the stagnation on the source of the last week the stagnation on the source of the last week the stagnation on the source of the last week the stagnation on the stagnation of the last week the stagnation on the stagnation of the last week the stagnation on the stagnation of the last week the stagnation on the suspensionals attempted to reside, but outsiders were consplictously holding aloof. Domestic loans have held their own fairly well and some large investors have been buying in all the departments.

Industrials were weak. The convictions have also weakened upon the announcement that many operatives had been discharged in Westphalia, thirty-five mines having dismissed 1,570 men. Wage reductions have also been announced for April. The coal syndicate has just decided to rate tract increased attention. Two cargoes of L890 tons of speigeleizen will leave soon for Baltimore.

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ST. LOUIS, March 22.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 76%c; track, 76%@77%c; May, 76%@76%c; July, 71%c; No. 2 hard, 72%@75c; receipts, 60,023 bushels.

CORN—Lower; No. 2 cash, 57%c; track, 58%@61%c; May, 58%@58%c; July, 58%c; track, 44c; May, 41c; July, 58%c; No. 2 white, 47%@48c.

HYE—Lower at 58c.
FLOUR-Lower; red winter patents, \$3.60 (33.80; extra fancy and straight, \$3.30(3.40; clear, \$3.00(3.16).
SEED—Timothy, steady, \$5.00(6.00; prime CORNMEAL.—Steady, \$3.10.
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HAY—Timothy, easier, \$12.00@14.50; prairie, scarce and firm; not quoted.
WHISKY—Steady, \$1.30.
IRON COTTON TIES—\$1.
BAGGING—554@65c.
HEMP TWINE—9c.
PROVISIONS—Higher; jobbing, \$16.22½, new; \$15.22½, old. Lard, firmer at \$9.22½, new; \$15.22½, clear ribs, \$8.52; clear sides, \$8.87½, Bacon, boxed, strong; extra shorts, \$2.2½; clear ribs, \$9.5; clear sides, \$9.75.
METALS—Lead, steady, \$4.00@4.65. Spelter, steady, \$4.10@4.12½,
POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 9c; turkeys, \$12c; ducks, 9c; geese, \$465c.
BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 21@28c; dairy, 18@22c.
EGGS—Steady at 14c.

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Liverpool Grain and Provisions. Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

Liverpool., March 22.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 2 red western, winter, quiet at 6s 1d; No. 1 northern, spring, quiet at 6s 1d; No. 1 California, firm at 6s 4d. Futures quiet; March, 6s 1d; May, 5s 1ld. July, 5s 1ld. CORN—Firm; American mixed, new, 5s 2%d; American mixed, old, 5s 3ld. Futures, dult; May, 5s 1kd. July, 5s %d. HOPS—At London (Pacific coast), firm, PEAS—Canadian, steady at 5s 3d. FLOUR—St. Louis fancy winter, firm at 8s.

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PROVISIONS—Beef, firm; extra India mess, 8ss. Pork, steady; prime mess, western, 7ts. Ham, steady; short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., 47s. Bacon, steady, 32s; Cumberiand cut, firm; 35 to 30 lbs., 44s; short ribs, steady; 16 to 24 lbs., 43s 6d; long clear middles, light, 23 to 24 lbs., 50s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., 44s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 53s 6d; clear bellies, 16 to 26 lbs., 43s 8d; clear bellies, 16 to 26 lbs., 43s 8d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 53s 6d; clear bellies, 16 to 26 lbs., 43s 8d; clear bellies, 16 to 26 lbs., 43s 8d; clear bellies, 16 to 26 lbs., 43s Bhoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., 36s. Lard, firm; prime western, in tierces, firm, 48s; American refined, in pails, 48s 9d.

BUTTER—Firm; finest United States, 56s; good United States, 70s.

CHEESE—Firm; American finest white, 53s; American finest colored, 53s.

TALLOW—Prime city, firm, 20s 9d.

Kauses City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, March 22.—WHEAT—May, 68c; July, 684c; cash, No. 2 hard, 682 76c; No. 3, 67c; No. 2 red, 67268c; No. 2 spring, 78c CORN—May, 584c; September, 564c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 61c; No. 2 white, 63294c; No. 2 sprenger, 164c; No. 2 white, 164c; No.

, 6200 GC. OATS—No. 2 white, 45\\03\000 66c. HAY—Choice timothy, \$13.50; choice prai-HAY-Choice timothy, \$13.50; choice prai-ie, \$12.25@12.50. BUTTER-Creamery, 28c; dairy, fancy, EGGS-Steady; at mark, new No. 2 whitewood cases included, quoted on change 13c per dox; cases returned, 124c. RECEIPTS-Wheat, 24,300 bu; corn, 28,000 bu.; oats, 16,000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 43,300 bu.; corn, 44,800 bu.; oats, 14,000 bu.

Duluth Grain Market. DULUTH, March 22.—WHEAT—Cash, No. 1 hard, 734c; No. 2 northern, 674c; No. 1 northern, 794c; May, 714c; July, 734c. CATS—60c. CORN—674c.

PEORIA, March 22.-CORN-Lower; No. APPLES-Ben Davis, per bbl., \$4.50; Wine- WHISKY-11.50 for finished goods,

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MINNEAPOLIS, March 22. — WHEAT — May, 70c; July, 714,671%c; on track, No. 1 hard, 73%c; No. 1 northern, 70%,671%c; No. 2, northern, 63%,26%.c; FLOUR.—First patents, \$3.70@3.75; second patents, \$3.50@3.65; first clears, \$2.40@2.50; second clears, \$2.20.
BRAN—in bulk, \$13.

14. 3.80c; standard A. 4.60c; confectioners A. 4.60c; moxid A. 5.15c; cut loaf, 5.20c; crushed, 5.30c; powdered, 4.90c; granulated, 4.90c; cubes, E.05c.
LONDON, March 22.—BEET SUGAR—
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BRAN—In bulk. 33.

Milwaukec Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE. March 22—WHEAT—Lower; No. 1 northern. 7267%c; No. 3 nearthern. 72%,673c; May. 72c.

RYE—Scarce; No. 1. 55%c.

BARLEY—Lower; No. 2.6566%c.

CORN—May. 58%c.

NEW ORLEANS, March 22—SUGAR—Quiet; open kettle, centrifugal, 365%c; centrifugal yellows, 3% 631-16c; seconds. 3%,631-16c; open kettle, 2%,6311-16c; open kettle, 2%,6321-16c; open kettle, 8%,631-16c; open kettl

Both Beef Steers and Good Cows Have Advanced During the Week.

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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Nominal, Hogs Strong to Higher and Sheep Steady. CHICAGO, March 21.-CATTLE-Receipts,

CHICAGO, March 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head; nominal; good to prime steers, 26.0027.10; poor to medium, 34.2503.50; stockers and feeders, 32.5005.25; cows, 51.2505.50; helfers, 42.5005.00; canners, \$1.4022.40; bulls, 32.5005.00; cnives, \$3.0006.85; Texas-fed steers, 45.0005.00.

HOGS—Receipts today, 19.000 head; Monday, 37.000, estimated; strong to 5c higher; mixed and butchers, 36.2605.55; good to choice heavy, 36.4505.62½; rough heavy, 36.2506.40; light, 36.0006.30; bulk of sales, 36.2506.45; light, 36.0006.30; bulk of sales, 36.2506.45; and lambs, steady; good to choice where, 35.0000.60; fair to choice mixed, 34.2506.00; western sheep and year-lings, 35.2506.25; native lambs, \$3.5006.75; western lambs, \$5.2506.75.

Official yesterday: Receipts—Cattle, 2.776; hogs, 30.172; sheep, 5.28. Shipments—Cattle, 2.166; hogs, \$.738; sheep, 1.358.

weight; refrigerator beef, 10610% oper lb; exports today, partly estimated, 10,118 head beeves, 8,189 quarters of beef.

CALVES-Receipts, 9 head, no market; city dressed veals, 9212% per lb.

HOGS-Receipts, 1,267 head; market about steady; state, 96,76.

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 2,000 head; sheep, quiet, steady; lambs, firm; sheep sold at \$5.006,50 per 100 lbs; culls, 25.50; lambs, \$6.0067.10, one car desirable weight at \$7.15; culls, \$5.25,65.50; dressed mutton, 8695% per lb.; dressed lambs, 1039 l2c.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. ST. LOUIS, March 22.-CATTLE-Re-ceipts, 250 head, including 150 Texans; mar-

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, March 22.—CATTLE-Recelpts, 200 head; steady; natives, \$5.2596.30; cows and heifers, \$1.5095.75; veals, \$1.0096.62; stockers and feeders, \$2.5095.25.

HOGS-Receipts, 3.600 head; \$6100 higher; light and light mixed, \$6.0096.30; medium and heavy, \$6.3096.60; plgs, \$4.0095.30; shead; steady; western lambs, \$6.0096.60; western sheep, \$4.3596.00.

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal markets for March 22: Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. Chicago
Chicago
Ransas City
St. Louis
St. Joseph Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 22.—WOOL—Market quiet, easy; medium grades, 15@17\c; light fine, 12\c; grades, 16@24c.
LONDON, March 22.—WOOL—The offer-Washed, 14924C.

LONDON, March 22.—WOOL—The offerings at the wool auction sales today numbered 12.736 bales. Sales: New South Wales, 3.300 bales; scoured, 244d@ls 5d; greasy, 5%@ld. Queensland, 200 bales; scoured, 11d@ls 5½d; greasy, 8675½d. Victoria, 600 bales; greasy, 3%@95½d. West Australia, 700 bales; greasy, 5%10d. Tasmania, 2.500 bales; greasy, 5%10d. Tasmania, 2.500 bales; greasy, 5%10d. West Zealand, 2.700 bales; greasy, 5%10d. Tasmania, 2.500 bales; scoured, 4d@ls 25½d; greasy, 2%265½d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 200 bales; scoured, 1s 5d; greasy, 4%26d. Punta Arenas, 3.900 bales; greasy, 4%26d. The arrivals for the third series of sales amount to 34,397 bales, including 35,000 forwarded direct. The imports of wool during the week were: New South Wales, 3,633 bales; Queensland, 128 bales; Victoria, 3,476 bales; South Australia, 1,543 bales; New Zealand, 8,067 bales; Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 7,029 bales; elsewhere, 692 bales.

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