## COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Bearish Report on Corn Puts Down Prices in the Grain Pits.

FIRST SCARE FAILS TO RUN IN SHORTS

Big Bear House Pats Out a Line of September and December That Helps to Depress Prices.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Grain traders were waiting for a sign today. Business was ess active than it has been for many days. supporting orders were not in evidence waiting for a sign today. Business was less active than it has been for many days. Supporting orders were not in evidence enough to hold up prices and with a bearish report on the corn crop put out by a leading statistical journal several processionals took advantage of the duliness to put a selling pressure on all markets. The weather condition was an early aid to prices, particularly to corn, but depression soon followed the selling. At the close December corn was 142%c lower, December wheat 142%c down, September oats 16 lower and December oats 16 off. Provisions closed Pace to 25%c down.

Corn business was the most active of the quiet markets. At the start reports of trosts and rain in much of the corn belt, with freezing temperatures in Iowa and Nebraska, stiffened prices. The frost talk, however, failed to hold up prices. A promnent journal printed a report on the corn setuation, saying that the crop condition had been lowered a little by the frosts, but that practically all the big crop was made. A big interest that is short heavily in both September and December put some lorce on the selling side, with a result that prices broke in December. The local crowd look to the same position and on a few stop-loss orders the decline was augmented. September held fairly steady on the poor condition of arrivals. There was an increase of receipts, cables were lower and estimated receipts for tomorrow were liberal at 850 cars. St. Louis had reports of new corn to come to that market soon. It was a pet theory that an attempt was made to sell a line, while the frost talk helped up prices. On the down-turn houses with country connections took some of the stuff and a small rally resulted. December opened a shade to 142%c up at 44c to 44%c, dipped to 43%c, and closed weak, 140%c off at 42%c. Receipts were 350 cars, 77 of contract grade.

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ract grade, Wheat ruled dull, but held up fairly well Wheat ruled dull, but held up fairly well under the pressure. Corn was an influence in bringing about an easier tone, but the adverse weather for spring wheat movement, the lighter northwestern receipts than were expected and a fair export business made the market stubborn. The murket in the main was of a waiting character. Reports had fine weather for seeding of winter wheat. Cables were lower. December opened unchanged to 14c up at 89c to 694c, fell off to 684c and closed weaker, 14 694c lower at 6856684c. 20cal receipts were 244 cars, 10 of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 651 cars, making a total for the three points of 896 cars, against 770 a week ago. This day last year was a holiday; consequently no compartwas a holiday, consequently no compari-sons can be made with statistics. Seaboard learances in wheat and flour equaled 596,-00 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,211,000

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There was an early drive against September oats by elevators, which knocked to off the price. Receipts were only fair at 173 cars, 18 of contract grade. But private houses put out 62 cars and sold against them. The weather worked against the grading of new stuff, but the corn break was a bearish influence. Trade was small. September sold from 32c to 32c and closed weak, %c off at 32%c. December sold from 31 isc to a weak close, ½c down at 30%c. Provisions were fairly active, especially in October pork. Hogs started out weaker and later held only barely steady, and were a depressing influence. There was an attempt to cover October pork, but some support was put under that commodity. Prices railled well for a time, but renewed seling resulted in final losses in everything. October pork closes be off at \$16.20, January pork 7½c lower at \$14.87½. September lard 15c off at \$10.60. October lard 17½c down at \$9.60 and January lard 7½c lower at \$14.87½. September lard 15c off at \$10.60. October lard 17½c down at \$2.60 and January lard 7½c lower at \$14.87½. September lard 15c off at \$10.60. October lard 17½c lower at \$14.87½. September lard 15c off at \$10.60. October lard 17½c lower at \$14.87½. September lard 15c off at \$10.60. October lard 17½c lower at \$14.87½. September lard 15c off at \$10.60. October lard 17½c lower at \$1.60 a cars, corn, 330 cars; oats, 150 cars; leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y.

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No. 2. a Old. b New. Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Steady; winter patents, \$3.40 61.60; straights, \$3.1093.30; clears, \$2.7063.00; spring specials, \$4.30; patents, \$3.4063.70; pring apecials, \$4.30; patents, \$3.40g3.70; straights, \$2.90g3.20. WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 72g74c; No. 3 spring, 73g73½c; No. 2 red, 72g72½c. CORN—No. 2, 58½g69½c; No. 2 yellow,

Quotations of the Day on Various

Commodities. NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—FLOUR—Receipts, 25.575 bbls.; exports, 40.429 bbls.; quiet and shade lower to sell; winter patents, \$3.600 2.90; winter straights, \$3.5505.50; Minnesota patents, \$3.564.00; winter extras, \$2.3563.15; Minnesota bakers, \$3.1563.35; winter low grades, \$2.7562.26. Rys flour, quiet; fair to good, \$3.1563.40; choice to fancy, \$3.5963.30. Buckwheat flour, dull, \$1.7522.25, according to delivery.

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CORNMEAL.— Steady; yellow western. \$1.32; city. \$1.30; Brandywine. \$1.4563.55; state. 55665.56. c. l. f. New York.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western. 55%c. f. o. b., afloat; Na. 2.55%c, track; state, 55%c, c. l. f., New York.

BARLEY—Dull; feeding. 43c. c. l. f., Buffalo; malting. 51%632c. c. l. f., Buffalo; malting. 51%632c. c. l. f., Buffalo. WHEAT—Receipts. 101,773 bu.; exports. 127.589 bu. Spot market easter; No. 2 red. 75%c. f. o. b. afloat. No. 1 northern. Duluth. 75%c f. o. b. afloat. Bears had their luning in the wheat market today. Led by September, which broke starply under liberal contract deliveries. the whole market soid off and was weak hil day, being affected also by lower cables, small exports. more favorable northwest weather and liquidation. The close was easy at \$1.560 kc. net loss; May. 74% \$75%c; closed at 74%c; September, 74% \$175%c; closed at 74%c; December, 75%c.

CORN—Receipts. 2.100 bu.; exports. 336 bu. Spot, easy; No. 2, 73c. elevator, and 85%c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow. 70c; No. 2 white, 79c. The option market opened firm on the frost news, but later fully shared the wheat break, together with large receipts and firm offerings, easier cables, more denials of crop damage and liquidation, closing weak and 16%c net lower. January closed at 45%c; September, 66% 96 Cc; closed at 65%c; October closed at 65%c; December, 49.7-16959%c; closed at 45%c.

OATS—Receipts. 133.100 bu.; exports, 23.00 bu. Spot, dull; No. 2 oats, 25%c; No. 2 white, 35c; No. 3 white, 35c; irack, white. 35c; closed at 35%c; becember, 35.60 bu. Spot, while. 35%c; hoped at 55%c; hoped at 55%c. HAY—Steady; shipping, 16970c; good to choice, 50c. choice, 80c. HIDES—Quiet; Galveston, 18c; California, 19c; Texas, 14c. LEATHER—Firm; acid, 24@254c. HOPS—Firm; state. common to choice, 1901, 21@28c; 1909, 15@20c; olds, 8@10c; Pacific

coast, 1901, 20@2694c; 1905, 19@30c; olds, S@ 12c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, firm, family, \$15.50 gels.50; mess, \$12.00gels.50; city, extra India mess, \$24.00gels.50. Cut meats, firm; pickled bellies, 12gelsc; pickled shoulders, 9c; pickled hams, 11/2gelsc. Lard, weaker; western steamed, \$11.00gels.50; refined, quiet; configuration, \$11.30gels.60; compound, \$7.75ges.00; South America, \$11.50. Pork, easier; family, \$20.50gels.60; short clear, \$19.00gels.60; mess, \$17.75gels.50.

TALLOW—Dull; city, 5%c; country, 5% ges. BUTTER-Receipts, 5.707 pkgs.; steady; state dairy, 16% 221%; creamery, extra, 2%: June creamery, common to choice,

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CHEESE-Receipts, 2,825 pkgs.; firm; fancy large colored, 164c; white, 194-2114c; fancy small new state full cream, colored, lic; fancy small white, lic.

EGGS-Receipts, 11,993 pkgs.; steady; western uncandled, 1862034c.

POULTRY-Alive, steady; chickens, 12c; turkeys, 13c; fowls, 120/13c; dressed, firm; western chickens, 14c; western fowls, 1320; 134c; spring turkeys, 18c.

METALS-Tin was duil today both at London and here. A decline abroad of 5s placed the closing price of spot at £121 10s and of futures at £18 5s. A sale of five tens at £36.474; was reported on the local exchanges, where the quotations declined to \$28.45628.50. Copper was also lower in London, where prices declined is 3d, spot closing at £53 and futures at £55 5s. In the local market copper was duil, standard closing at \$11.50211.65. Lead was unchanged both at London and in the local market, spot closing here at \$4.50 and in London at 16s 8d. Spelter was steady and unchanged \$5.50 locally, but declined 2s in London. Iron was lower abroad, Glasgow closing at 57s and Middlesborough at 53s and Middlesborough at 53s id. Locally iron was lower abroad, Glasgow closing at 57s and Middlesborough at 53s id. Locally iron was unchanged. No. 1 northern foundry, £2.00623.00; No. 1 southern foundry, £2.00623.00; No. 1 southern foundry, £2.00623.00; No. 1 southern foundry, £2.00623.00.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS. Condition of Trade and Quotations or Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Candled stock, 18@19c. LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 9@314c; roosters, according to age, 4@5c; turkeys, 8@10c; ducks and geese, 5@5c; spring chickens, per 1b. 11@114c. BUTTER—Packing stock, 13%@14c; choice BUTTER—Packing stock, 124@14c; choice islry, in tubs, 14@17c; separator, 22@22c. FRESH CAUGHT FISH—Trout, lic; hering, 6c; pickerel, 8c; pike, 10c; perch, 6c; buffalo, dressed, 7c; sunfah, 8c; bluefins, 1c; whitefish, 10c; salmon, 16c; haddock, 11c; odfish, 12c; redsnapper, 10c; lobsters, boiled, per lb., 30c; lobsters, green, per lb., 27c; bullheads, 10c; catfish, 13c; black bass, 18c; salmor 13c; black bass, 18c; salmor 13c; black bass, 18c; salmor 13c; black bass, 18c;

bullheads, 10c; catfish, 13c; black bass, 18c; haifbut, 14c.
CORN-55c.
OATS-Old, 48c; new, 25c.
BRAN-Per ton, \$14.00.
HAY-Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale
Hay Dealers' association: Choice No. 1 upland, \$8; No. 1 medium, \$7.50; No. 1 coarse, \$7.00. Rye straw, \$6.50. These prices are for hay of good color and quality. Demand fair, receipts light.
OYSTERS-Standards, per can, 30c; extra selects, per can, 37c; New York counts, per can, 45c.
VEGETABLES.

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VEGETABLES.

NEW CELERY-Kalamazoo, per doz., 30c; Kearney, per doz., 3565c.

POTATOES-New, per bu., 25630c.

SWEET POTATOES-Per lb., 2c.

TURNIPS-Per bu., 30c.

BEETS-Per basket, 40c.

GREEN CORN-Per doz., 566c.

CUCUMBERS-Per bu., 25c.

RADISHES-Per doz., 10c.

WAX BEANS-Home grown, per market basket, 25c; string beans, per market basket, 25c.

CABBAGE-Home grown, new, 1c.

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CABBAGE—Home grown, new, ic.
ONIONS—New home grown, in sacks, per bu., 50,260c.

TOMATOES—Per market basket, 45,250c.
NAVY BEANS—Per bu., \$2.15.

FRUITS.

PEACHES—California late Salways, 75,20 sec; Colorado, 75,2650c.

PLUMS—California, per 4-basket crate, fancy, \$1.25; California egg, per box, \$1.10; home grown, per 8-lb, basket, 16,218c; Colorado and Idaho, per 4-basket crate, \$0.85,30 i.00.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. L. Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 18.—WHEAT—September 614c; December, 634c; cash, No. 2 red, 614g66c; No. 3, 624g66c; No. 2 red, 614g66c; No. 3, 624g66c.

CORN—September, 524c; December, 244c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 58c; No. 2 white, 584g59c; No. 3, 584c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 324g66c.

RYE—No. 2, 484c.

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HAY—Choice timothy, \$9.00g9.50; choice prairte, \$7.50g8.90.

BUTTER—Creamery, 19g20c; dairy, fancy, 17c.

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA. Sept. 18.-BUTTER-PHILADELPHIA. Sopt. IR—BUTTER—Steady and quiet; extra western creamery. 23c: extra nearby prints, 24c.
EGGS—Steady; fair demand; fresh nearby. 23c. loss off; fresh western, 25c. loss off; fresh southwestern, 25c. loss off; fre

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Sept. 18.—WHEAT—Mar-ket ateady; No. 1 northern, 724/72c; No. 2 northern, 714/672c; December, 654/c. RYE—Steady; No. 1, 514/672c; BARLEY-Lower; No. 2, 63/670c; sample,

tember, 66%c; December, 65%c; on track, No. 1 hard, 60%c; No. 1 northern, 65%c; No. 2 northern, 66%c. FLOUR-First patents, \$3.75@3.85; second patents, \$3.99@3.70; first clears, \$2.90@3.90; second clears, \$2.30@2.40.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 18.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 65½; track, 65½66 68c; September, 65½; December, 65½; May, 85½666; No. 2 hard, 67069c.

CORN—Lower; No. 2 cash, 59½c; track, 65½c; September, 55½c; December, 57½c; May, 37%g37½c.

OATS—Lower; No. 2 cash, 29c; track, 29g; 29½c; September, 29c; December, 27½c; May, 23½625½c; No. 2 white, 34½35c.

RYE—Lower at 48c.

FLOUR—Dull; red winter patents, 33.15 (31.5; extra fancy and straight, \$2.85µ3.10; clear, £7092.80.

SEED—Timothy, quiet, \$3.4092.80.

CORNMEAL—Steady, \$2.90.

BRAN—Steady; sacked, east track, 63665c, HAY—Steady to firm; timothy, 36.00µ11.00; prairie, 36.00µ9.00.

IRON COTTON TIES—\$1.67½.

BAGGING—65-16071-16c.

HEMP TWINE—9c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, unchanged; Jobbing, 20c. 36200 por 316.50. Large lower, \$10.20. St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

HEMP TWINE—9c.
PROVISIONS—Pork, unchanged; jobbing, old, \$16.30; new, \$16.70. Lard, lower, \$10.20. Dry salt meats (boxed), quiet; extra shorts and clear ribs, \$11.12½; short clear, \$11.61½; Bacon (boxed), quiet; extra shorts, \$12. clear ribs, \$11.75; short clear, \$12.37½.
METALS—Lead: Firm at \$4.02½. Speiter: Higher at \$5.295.30.
FOULTRY—Steady; chickens, \$½c; springs, loc; turkeys, 196111½c; ducks, 7½c; geese, 4½c. geore, 4%c, BUTTEF-Steady; creamery, 16@23c BUTTEF-Steady; creamery, 18923c; dairy, 15@18c.
EGGS-Steady at 17½c, loss off.
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Corn, bu 22,000 10,000
Oats, bu 97,000 36,000

Toledo Grain and Seed. Toledo Grain and Seed.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 18.—WHEAT—More active, easier; cash, 72½c; September, 72½c; December, 72½c; May, 73c.

CORN—Dull. easier; cash, 61½c; September, 60c; December, 42½c; May, 49½c.

OATS—Dull. easy; September, 31c; December, 30½c; May, 31½c.

SEED—Clover, fairly active, strong; October, \$5.65; January, \$5.59.

RYE—61½c, nominal.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS.

Money Market is Quiet, but Rates Still Hold Stiff.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The stock market maintained its undertone of strength today, but the trading was extremely apathelic cutside of a spotty assortiment of stocks whose show of strength helped to sustain the general list. The money market was quieter, but rates were still stiff. Loans were left undisturbed, however, and as pressure of liquidation was forced. The return as the sympathetic influence of the strong as the sympathetic influence of the strong as the sympathetic influence of the strong of of official sanction for an exchange of St. Leuis Southwestern preferred for a Missouri Pacific came into the movement late in the day and took the leadership of the whole market. The return to New York of President Gould from a tour of inspection served to stimulate the movement. Hock Island made a much larger gain on a small volume of dealings. The advance was based upon the decision of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authorities that the Rock Island reorganization plan is not in contravention of the power of the reorganization plan is not in contravention of the lowa state authori worker, ber were the backet, 6000c.

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Straights, 32,9933.20.

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CORN-No. 2, 58@4@694c; No. 3 white, 29@4c.

HYE-No. 2, 50c.

ATS-No. 2, 25@34c; No. 3 white, 29@4c.

RYE-No. 2, 50c.

BARLEY-Fair to choice malting, 45@

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SEEDS-No. 1 flax, 31.35; No. 1 north-western, 31.35; prime timothy, 34.10; clover, contract grade, 58.90@1.00.

PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., 416.10

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London Stock Market. LONDON, Sept. 18 .- 4 p. m.-Closing: onsols, money..... 35 1-16 N. Y. Central..... do account........ 93% Norfulk & Western do pfd.

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BARLEY-Lower; No. 2, 56/70c; sample. CORN—December, \$24/6475c.

Duluth Grain Market.

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Duluth Sept. 18.—WHEAT—Cash. No. 1 northern. 62/6c; No. 1 northern. 62/6c; No. 2 northern. 62/6

unchanged at 3 per cent. Gold premiums are quoted: At Buenos Ayres, 128.90; at Mark IIVE STOCK MARKET

Addid, 5.75; at Rome, 27. Gold bars are quoted at 718 P4d. Gold amounting to Eligiand today, £20,000 for sulpment to South America and £10,000 for South Africa. PARIS, Sept. 18.—Three per cent rentes, 1001 15c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 195c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 195c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 195c for the account. Exchange on the burse today was unsatisfactory. Prices opened weak and somewhat active on realizations. Turks were firm, owing to an impression that the last obstacle to the unification of the Turkish debt had been removed. Later Russishs and Thomson-Houston railied. Rio tintos reacted early in the day on New York advices and the unsatisfactory state of copper, but railied briskly. Spanish to improved. Rentes and Argentines were depressed. Kaffirs were weak in sympathy with LeBeers and were extensively offered for English account. The private rate of discount was 21-16 per cent. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes: Notes in circulation increased 2,550,000f, bills discounted increased 2,550,000f, BERLIAN, Sept. 18.—Exchange on London, 20m 4699fgs. Discount rate for short bills, 25c per cent; for three months bills, 25c per cent.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18 .- MONEY-On call, n, 669 per cent; close, bid and asked, per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5%66 er cent. STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady at ad-

104c. HONDS-Government, irregular; state, easier; railroad, steady.

The closing quotations on bonds are as follows:

New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, Sept. 18.-The following are the closing prices on mining stocks;

OMAHA. Sept. 18.—Bank clearings, \$1,-243.865.18; corresponding day last year, \$1,-198.650.14; increase, \$55,215.04. CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Clearings, \$28,215,815; balances, \$1,416.249; posted exchange, \$4.84 for sixty days and \$1.8852 on demand; New York exchange at par. OMAHA, Sept. 18.-Bank clearings,

tion of a slump later on, which new ven-tures could be made to advantage. Speculatures could be made to advantage. Speculation in a feverish way was very active and general. The Liverpool market was weak and irregular all day, closing at about the bottom. Belief that a stampede of the shorts there will occur tomorrow caused local traders near the close to take the bull side. Predictions for a large export clearance in the near future and much stronger conditions in southern spot markets were more than offset by heavy receipts at the ports and interior towns. The market at the close was steady, with prices net 3gs points higher. Total sales estimated at from 630,000 to 750,000 bales, the bulk of which were January contracts.

Liverpool. Sept. 18.—COTTON—Spot, moderate business, prices higher; Ameri-

Which were January contracts.

LIVERPOOL. Sept. 18.—COTTON—Spot, moderate business, prices higher; American middling fair, 57-18d; good middling, 57-32d; middling, 54-31 low middling, 51-32d; good ordinary, 428-22d; ordinary, 428-22d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 1,500 were for speculation and export, and included 6,100 American. Receipts were 4,000 bales, including 3,700 American. Futures opened steady and closed irregular; American middling, g. o. c., September, 456-6464 57-64d, buyers; September-October, 47-64d, buyers; October-November, 423-64d, buyers; November-December, 423-64d, buyers; December-Junuary, 438-64d, 543-64d, buyers; Pebruary, 437-643; 438-64d, buyers; February-February, 437-643; 438-64d, buyers; February-March, 437-64d, buyers; March-April, 436-6464, 437-64d, sellers, April-May, 438-6464, 37-64d, value; May-June, 436-6464, 37-64d, sellers. Woot Market.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 18.—WOOL—Quiet; medium grades and combing, 15@18c; light fine, 13@17c; heavy fine, 19@13c; tub-washed,

LONDON, Sept. 18.—WOOL—The offerings LONDON. Sept. 18.—WOOL—The offerings at the wool auction sales today numbered 10:263 bales, chiefly low, medium sorts. Fine grades were in good request. The beme trade continued to purchase cross-breeds freely. Scoureds and merinos were ir good demand for Germany. Withdrawals were frequent holders, remaining firm. America took a few parcels of suitable merinos and fine cross-breeds. Cape of Good Hope and Natal sold well to the contirent. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 1,100 Cales; scoured, 2566 is 956; greasy, 346618. Queensland, 100 bales; scoured, 1246 stad. Wictoria, 1,400 bales; scoured, 8466 is 356. Victoria, 1,400 bales; scoured, 8466 is 1564. West Australia, 100 bales; greasy, 3466 is 1564. West Australia, 100 bales; greasy, 3466 is 1564. West Australia, 100 bales; greasy, 3466 is 1564. Greasy, 3466 is grea

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1902. 1901. Inc.

Cattle 68,533 517,337 31,256
Hogs 1,721,363 1,765,473 15,830
Sheep 218,924 813,145 29,779
The following table shows the average price of hogs sold on the South Omaha market the last several days, with comparisons with former years:

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3 calves... 146 5 50 G. S. Gale—Colo. 3 calves... 106 5 00 6 heifers... 511 2 50 5 calves... 304 3 40 1 feeder... 750 3 25 3 calves... 333 4 75 5 feeders... 604 3 25 1 steer... 960 3 50 50 feeders... 942 3 75 15 cows... 1002 3 60 35 cows... 765 2 20 W. A. Insinger—Colo. 1 bull... 1210 2 50 1 stag... 790 3 25 3 bulls... 553 2 90 A. R. Bender—Wyo. Date. | 1902. | 1901. | 1900. | 1899. | 1896. | 1897. | 1896. A. R. Beader—Wyo. 17 feeders...1112 2 50 1 cow.... 5 feeders...1670 4 15 9 steers... 5 feeders. 1670 4 15 3 steers... 1088 3 50

Jack Daly—Wyo.

15 steers... 1237 4 35 8 feeders... 967 3 80

Green Cattle Co.—Wyo.

82 feeders. 1105 4 40 1 steer... 1060 3 25

83 feeders. 1105 4 40 1 feeder... 1080 3 50

15 feeders. 1105 3 50 1 feeder... 880 3 50

Badger Sheen and Cattle Co.—Wyo. Badger Sheep and Cattle Co.—Wyo. 19 cows.... 994 3 75 1 feeder...1120 4 3 cows.... 919 3 10

\* Indicates Sunday.

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was:

Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.H'r's. C. M. & St. P. 1
Wabash
Missouri Pacific. 2
Union Pacific system 36
C. & N. W.
F. E. & M. V. 111
C. St. P., M. & O. 6
B. & M. 80
C. B. & Q.
C. R. I. & P., west. 1
Illinois Central. 8. Morris & Co.—S. D.

50 cows. 239 3 10 1 bull.... 750 2 50

1 bull....1300 2 60

W. L. Austin—S. D.

1 cows. 1055 3 75 26 steers. 1275 5 00

1 cow. 780 2 50 4 steers. 1275 5 00

5 2 cows. 1010 2 50 1 steer. 1050 4 00

1 cow. 260 3 35

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Total receipts ..... 237 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: ber of head indicated:
Buyers. Cattle.
Omaha Packing Co. 218
Swift and Company. 1,197
Cudahy Packing Co. 895
Armour & Co. 779
R. Becker & Degan. 111
Vansant & Co. 154
Carey & Benton. 329
Lobman & Co. 143
W. I. Stephen. 262
Hill & Huntzinger. 110
Livingstone & Schaller. 307
Hamilton & Rothschild 322
L. F. Husz. 92 Cattle, Hogs. Sheep.
... 218 143 194
... 1,197 905 858
... 895 1,910 484
... 779 1,276 1,166

COWS.

1000 2 50 2

1070 2 50 10

510 2 50 2

780 2 75 5

600 2 80 8

CALVES.

400 3 50 4

365 3 50 4

367 4 90

STOCK CALVES.

280 3 90 1 ....975 2 00 ....1090 2 00 ....1092 3 60 STOCKERS AND FEEDERS. 340 4 50 

\$4.50@7.25; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3.35@ 5.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.30@4.85; cows and heifers, \$2.35@5.50; canners, \$1.75@2.75; buils, \$3.10%3.65; calves, \$4.00@1.00; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.70%4.75; cows and heifers, \$2.30%5.40.

HOGS - Receipts, 4.000 head; market steady; pigs and lights, \$7.50%7.55; packers, \$7.50%7.75; butchers, \$7.50%7.55.

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 2.000 head; market steady; native multons, \$3.45. \$94.20; lambs, \$4.50%3.25; culls and bucks, \$2.50%4.00; stockers, \$1.50%3.00; Texans, \$3.00%3.00. 58 feeders.. 745 3 75 19 cows.... 940 2 80

WYOMING

1 cow....1090 3 50 9 steers....1088 3 50

7 3 20 1 bull.....1250 2 40 2 75 T. Snow—Wyo. 2 75 4 50 14 steers....1080 4 00 2 75

Instey & Reeder-Wyo.

104 steers...1021 4 19 50 steers...1170 4 30
D. Jones-Wyo.

13 cows... 533 3 20 1 bull....1250 2 40

J. T. Snow—Wyo. 2 cows. 936 3 30 14 steers. 2 cows. 875 2 75 Morris & Co.—S. D.

163 Idaho lambs
. S Wyoming lambs
25 Wyoming cull ewes
. 34 Wyoming cull feeder lambs.
290 Wyoming feeder ewes
. 1 Wyoming feeder lamb
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. 1 Wyoming feeder lamb
. 2,615 Wyoming feeder lamb
. 7 Wyoming feeder lamb
. 7 Wyoming ewes
. 49 Wyoming ewes
. 11 western ewes
. 11 western ewes

western ewes...... western wethers..... Wyoming wethers.... 154 feeder lambs.......

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH. Sept. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,448 head; steady to weak; natives, \$1.5568.25; cows and heifers, \$2.5065.25; veals, \$2.6066.25; bulls and stags, \$2.5066.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.75675.15.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,969 head; 56810c lower; light and light mixed, \$7.4067.50; medium and heavy, \$7.4567.55; pigs, \$3.7566.80; bulk, \$7.4567.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts. 2,159 head; strong to 10c higher.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET,

Cattle Generally Steady-Hogs Close

Lower-Sheep Stendy. CHICAGO. Sept. IS.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,500 hend, including 550 hend Texans, 2,000 hend westerns; steady: good to prime steers, 31,5098.65; poor to medium, 34,009 7,00; stockers and feeders, \$2,2595.75; canners, \$1,5098.2,50; buils, \$2,2595.00; calves, \$3,0098.50; Texas fed steers, \$3,0094.50; western steers, \$3,7565.90. \$3.7565.90.
HOGS-Receipts, 16.000 head; estimated to-morrow, 15.000 head; left over, 7,500 head; market opened steady to loc higher, closed lower; mixed and butchers, \$1.2567.85; good to choice heavy, \$5.5667.96; rough heavy, \$7.2067.40; light, \$7.3067.75; bulk of sales, \$7.4067.80.

\$7.4047.60. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 13,000 head; steady; good to choice wethers, \$3.500 4.00; fair to choice mixed, \$2.50. RANSAS CITY, Sept. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,300 natives, 2,100 Texans, 225 Texas valves, 566 native calves; quarantine dull and lower; bulls dull and lower; choice export and dressed beef steers, 47.1068.00; fair to good, 85.3507.35; stockers and feeders, \$3.10 g5.30; western-fed steers, \$2.25674.65; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.0063.75; Texas cows, \$2.25672.75; native cows, \$1.50674.00; native helfers, \$2.75694.00; canners, \$1.0062.25; bulls, \$2.4063.20; calves, \$3.0063.65.
HOGS—Receipts, 4,750 head; market 56100 lower; top. \$7.55; bulk of sales, \$7.4067.50; heavy, \$7.4067.55; mixed packers, \$7.3067.45; light, \$7.2506.55; yorkers, \$7.5067.55; pigs. \$6.6067.00.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 5.500 head; market steady to strong; native leads; \$1.25067.00. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

SHEEP AND LAMBS Record native head; market steady to strong; native lumbs, \$3.20@1.10; western lambs, \$3.00@4.00; native wethers, \$2.50@4.00; western wethers, \$2.60@3.50; ted ewes, \$2.50@3.50; Texas clipped yearlings, \$2.75@3.70; Texas clipped sheep, \$2.75@3.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.00@2.55. New York Live Stock Market.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK. Sept. 18.—BEEVES—Receipts, 265 head; dressed beef steady; city dressed native sides, extreme range, 26124c per lb. Cables quoted American steers at 144@154c, dressed weight, and refrigerator beef at 136134c per lb.

CALVES—Steady; veals sold at \$5.50 per 100 lbs.; a car of western calves at \$4.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 3.057 head; no sales reported up to a late hour.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1.190 head; sheep steady, selling more freely; lambs averaged 10615c stronger; sheep sold at \$2.0063.25 per 100 lbs.; lambs at \$5.0065.25; dressed mutton at 567c per lb.

Sloux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; steady; beeves, \$8.00@7.75; cows, bulls and mixed. \$.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@6.25; yearlings and calves, \$2.75@4.00.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,000; market steady at \$7.25@7.50; bulk, \$7.30@7.40.

Stock in Sight. following were the receipts of live The following were the receipts of live stock at the six principal cities yesterday: Cattle. Hogs Sheep.

Omaha 5,776 4,420 11,440 Chicago 6,550 16,000 13,000 Kansus City 7,400 4,750 6,600 St. Louis 5,500 4,000 2,000 St. Joseph 3,448 2,959 2,159 Sioux City 1,000 2,000 ... Totals .......29,624 32,139 35,190

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.-COFFEE-Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 5 7-16c. Mild, firm; Rio, quiet; No. 7 involce, 5 7-16c. Mild, firm; Cordova, 8@119c. Futures opened sloady, with prices 5 points lower, affected by easier cables and light room trading. Subsequently the market became more active and rallied 5 points, partly on covering, followed by a rally in the late French market. During the day the usual bear operators were the chief sellers and the demand came principally from the bull leaders and shorts. Heavy exchanges of nearby for the later positions were a feature of the transactions. At the close September stiffened up a further 5 points, closing net 5 points higher, and other months unchanged to 5 points higher, with the tone steady. Sales were 37,250 bags, including September at 5.2005.25c; December, 5.350 5.40c; January, 5.4005.45c; March, 5.60c; May, 5.7065.75c; July, 5.8565.50c. 5.70@5.75c; July, 5.85@5.90c

Coffee Market.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits, NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—EVAPORATED APPLES—The market shows no change from the situation recently reported. Futures are firm around recent prices and spots are steady at 768c, with 667% for western and 566c for southern.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes continue firm and unchanged. Aprices continue firm and unchanged. Apricots remain quiet. Peaches are in fair demand at 12@16c for peeled and 7@10\c for un-peeled.

NEW CRLEANS, Sept. 18.—SUGAR—Strong; open kettle, 3½@3 3-16c; centrifugal, 2@3½c; centrifugal yellow, 3½@4½c; seconds, 1½@3½c.

MOLASSES—Dull; centrifugal, 5@15c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 3½c; molasses sugar, 2½c; refined, firm; No. 8, 4.16c; No. 9, 4.05c; No. 19, 4c.

Dry Goods Market. NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—DRY GOODS— There has been no change of any moment in the general demand for cotton goods at first hands today and prices continue firm for both staple and fancy lines. Jobing trade quieter. Local weather conditions bad. Print cloths firm, but quiet.

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE-ANNUAL MEETING.
NEW YORK, September 5, 1902.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of St. Joseph & Grand Island Rallway company, for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the corporation in Hiawatha, Kansas, on Tuesday, the 21st day of October, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon. o'clock noon.

The books for the transfer of the company's stock will be closed on the 20th day of September, 1902, and will be reopened on the 22d day of October, 1902.

WM. I. BULL, President.
W. S. WILSON, Secretary, 819 O9-18M

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION—Office of Chief Q. M., St. Paul. Minn., September 19, 1902.—Scaled proposals. In triplicate, will be received at this office, until 11 o'clock a. m. October 18, 1902, and opened then, for the construction of one double barrack at Fort Meade, S. D. Plans and specifications may be seen and blank proposals with full instructions had upon application here, or to the Quartermaster, Fort Meade, S. D. United States reserves the right to accept or reject any or all ST. LOUIS, Sept. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts
5.500 head, including 4,990 Texans; market
steady; native shipping and export steers,
\$5.00@7.65; dressed beef and butcher steers,
\$1.00@7.65; dressed beef and butcher steers,



Buy December Wheat for 80c.

With cash Wheat a premium over September, and September a promium over December, bears instead of buds are paying carrying charges. Exports from this country are averaging 5,000,000 bu, weekly, or fully equal to last year, largest on record. Stocks of Wheat everywhere are at a minimum, and not increasing. Threshing returns of Spring Wheat a big disappointment and receipts at primary markets about hait as large as one year ago. Croothis year under 639 070,000 bu.: last year 750,030,000 bu. Such a combination we rents a price for December Wheat above 80c. I believe it will sell there. Purchases made now, and margined 5c per bus, should result in bir profits. Write for my market letters.

Your orders in futures and construments of cash grain solicited.

CEO. H. PHILLIPS, 231-235 Rialto Building, Chicago.

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