alnes Are Steady and Firm Early, but Sales Lower Them.

SOME BULLISH WEATHER REPORTS They Are Not Strong Enough to Sus

Primary wheat receipts were 200,000 bush-

Primary wheat receipts were 200,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 32,000 bushels, and shipments of 35,000 bushels, and shipments of 35,000 bushels, against were 320,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 208,600 bushels and receipts last year of 208,600 bushels a hipment of 31,000 bushels.

Clearances were 15,000 bushels corn, 430 bushels of oats and wheat a flour equal to 54,000 bushels.

Liverpool clessed unchanged to 440 nigher Liverpool closed unchanged to %d higher n wheat and %d lower on corn. Local range of options:

Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y. 1 07% 1 08% 1 07% 1 00% 1 07% 1 08% 61% 6714 45 4514 45 4114 \$194 \$194 39% 39% Omaha Cash Prices.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, \$1.2001.25; No. 3 hard, \$1.1821.22; No. 4 hard, \$1.1001.15; No. 5 hard, \$1.1001.15; No. 7 Omaha, Neb. 71 Tekamah, Neb. 72 CORN—No. 2 640644c; No. 3 64c; No. 4 lata, 1s. 72 lata, 1s. 65 Clarinda, 1s. 65 Clarinda, 1s. 73 Stoley, No. 3 white, 474.068c.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 434.044c; No. 2 yellow, 650454c; No. 3 white, 434.044c; No. 4 Minimum tempers white 450444c; No. 4 Minimum tempers Nite, 449444c. RYE-No. 1, 74978c; No. 3, 72974c.

Wheat Corn. Oats. Central. Carlot Receipts. 

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Wheat Market Fluctuates During CHICAGO, July 8.—The wheat market fluctuated nervously today over a comparatively narrow range, but closed firm on coverings by shorts, final quotations being 4c lower to 460-46 higher, compared with yesterday's close. Corn and oats closed irregular and provisions fabry steady.

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higher.
Onto closed %c lower to %c final quotations of yesterday. Provisions were weak at the start. At the close prices were 5c higher to 19c

The leading futures ranged as follows:

July 68668% 69%65% 50%65% 56%05% 69% 67% 67% 47% 47% (\$48 4815 42% 42% 42% 42% 43% 42% 15% 42% 42% 44% 44% 15% 44% Fork-July Sept. Lard-

Outs, bu..... receipts, 17%c; seconds and daisies, 16c. Kansas City options closed as follows:

's Open. | High. | Low. | Close. September December 6314 5914 6014 52% 53% 53% 61% 62% B 58% 59% 50% 50% B September December

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Philadelphia Provision Market. PHILADELPHIA, July 8.-BUTTER-46 le higher; extra western croamery, 25c; nearby prints. 25c.
EGGS-Firm; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, 25tic at mark; western firsts, free cases, 25tic CHEESE-Steady; New York full creams, choice, itc; fair to good, 134,6134c.

Liverpool Grain Market. LIVERPOOL. July 8.—WHEAT—Spot.
No. 2 red. western, winter, nominal. Futures, quiet; July, 36 41-dt; September, 88
71-dd; December, 88 51-dd.
CORN—Spot steady; new, American,
mixed, via Galveston, 68 ld. Futures,
steady; September, 58 52-dt; October, 58 64. Tid: December, 8s 8id.

CORN—Spot ateady: new, American, mixed, via Gaiveston, 6s id. Futures, closed steady net unchanged to 5 points steady; September, 5s 5id; October, 5s 6d.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

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Minneapolis July 8 - WHEAT - July, 11.8s; September, 1.095, 10.095, 1

\$1.07%; cash, No. 1 hard, \$1.05%; G. 05%; No. 1 northern, \$1.25%; No. 2 northe

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT Possibly Showers for the Night and

Fair Friday.

OMAHA, July 8, 1909.

tain the Market—Prices Are Expected to Slump When
Skies Clear.

OMAHA, July 8, 1000.

Grain values were steady and firm early, but selling caused declines near the close. Some bullish weather reports were received, but were not strong enough to sustain the market. With clearing weather prices are expected to slump, as the general opinion prevalls that prospects in all grains could hardly be better. No very damaging reports are confirmed and values whom realising sales caused prices to decline. Wheat ruled steady until near the close, when realising sales caused prices to decline. Wet weather reports from the hardvest, but sentiment was strongly on the bear side and resulted in a decline.

Corn was strong early in the session on the bear side and resulted in a decline.

Corn was strong early in the session of light receipts and bad weather reports. Cash corn advanced and the demand improved with better values. Toward the close selling developed and prices eased back and were unchanged.

Primary wheat receipts were 200,000 bushels and shipments were 120,000 bushels.

Minimum temperature... 67 59 72 61
Precipitation ... 01 ... 09 0 .00
Normal temperature for today 76 degrees.
Excess in precipitation since March 1.
Excess for control of the control of

.65 of an inch.
Excess for corresponding period in 1908.
4.45 inches.
Deficiency corresponding period in 1907.
6.38 inches.
L. A. WELSH, Local Forceaster.

Corn and Wheat Region Bulletin. For Omaha, Neb., for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, Thursday, July 8, 1909; OMAHA DISTRICT.

-Temp.- Rain-Max. Min. fall. Stations. Auburn, Neb..... Broken Bow, Neb. olumbus. Neb. albertson, Neb. Fairbury, Gr. Island, Neb. Cloudy Holdrege. Ratning

\* Minimum temperature for period ending at 8 a. m. DISTRICT AVERAGES. Central. Columbus, O.... Bes Moines, Ia. VISIONS Indianapolis, Ind. 12 Kansas City, Mo. 20 Louisville, Ky. 17 Minneapolis, Minn 31 Omaha, Neb...... 19 St. Louis, Mo..... 12

oroke sharply early in the day on liberal sales of the July delivery, but soon ralied in the fifthen minutes following the costing of the government crop report the market developed moderate firmness, the official fluores on the new crop being the shariest than expected in some quarters.

The feature of trade in the corn market was an advance of more than 2c in the price of July. The close was strong for July, and barely steady for other deliveries.

MEW YORK, July 8.—FLOUR—Receipts, Am. 8. 2 R. 96.

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BARLEY—Dull; feeding, 60@70c, c. l. f.,

New York.

WHEAT—Receipts, 15,500 bu.; spot market steady; No. 1 red (old), \$1.45, elsvator, and \$1.45, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 red (new), \$1.298, end August, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1, northern, Duluth (old), \$1.354, nominal, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard winter (old) \$1.338, nominal, f. o. b., afloat, Although firmer during forencon on reported heavy rains and floods throughout southwest, wheat weakened at noon with corn, but finally jumped on covering due to the small farm reserves, closing net unchanged. July closed at \$1.234; September, \$1.168; December, \$1.15; May, \$1.17.

CORN—Receipts, 38,500 bu.; exports, 16,000 bu. Spot market easy; No. 2 (old), 78c, elevator, and 77%c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 (new), 68c, winter shipment. Options were without transactions, closing \$40%c net higher, July closed at 70%c; September, 72c; December, \$57%c.

OATS—Receipts, 28,000 bu.; exports, 400 bu.; spot market, duil; mixed, 26 to 32 lbs., 54670; clipped white, 34 to 42 lbs., 574625%c.

HAY—Steady; No. 8, 75650c; good to thoice, \$60g91.00.

HIDES—Quiet; Bogota, 21973c; Central America, 22c.

LEATHER—Steady; acid, 23675.

St. Louis General Market. ST. LOUIS General Market.

ST. LOUIS, July & WHEAT-Higher; track, No. 2 red, cash, \$11.154(21.18; No. 2 hard, \$1.15(1.28, nominal; July, \$1.10%; September, \$1.05(1.28, nominal; July, \$1.10%; September, \$1.05(1.18); Track, No. 2 cash, \$26(3)(c); No. 2 white, \$5c; July, \$75(2575c; September, \$34(2576c; No. 2 cash, 50c; No. 2 white, \$32(c, nominal; July, \$65(c); September, \$43(c); nominal; July, \$65(c); September, \$43(c); No. 2 cash, 50c; No. 2 white, \$32(c, nominal; July, \$65(c); No. 2 white, \$32(c, nominal; July, \$65(c); No. 2 white, \$32(c, nominal; July, \$65(c); No. 2 cash, 50c; No. 2 white, \$32(c, nominal; July, \$65(c); No. 2 cash, \$60(c); No. 2 cash, \$60(c

No. 2 white, 52'sc, nominal; July, 46'sc; September, 48'sc.
RYE-Nominal at 80c.
HAY-Firm.
BRAN-Dull.
FLOUR-Steady; red winter patents 35.50 pf.001R-Steady; red winter patents \$6.50; qf6.90; extra fancy and straight, \$6.75(9.40); hard winter clears, \$4.35(94.90); SEED-Timothy, \$2.75(9.25); CORNMEAL-53.40.

BBAN-Dull; sacked, east track, \$1.05(9); 16.

HAY-Firm; timothy, \$13.00@18.00; prairie, LEMP TWINE-IC. HEMP TWINE-Ic.
PROVISIONS—Pork, steady: jobbing, 120.37% Lard, lower: prime steam, \$11.47% GH.57%. Dry sait meats, steady. Bacon, steady: bexed extra shorts, \$12.57%; clear ribs, \$12.57%; short clears, \$12.60.
POULTRY—Steady: chickens, \$1c. sprins, 18615c; turkevs, \$1c. ducks, \$c.; seese, \$c. BUTTER—Steady: creamery, \$11.40.55%; EGGS—Steady at \$1c.

Receipts, Shipments Receipts. Shipments Flour, bbls. 14 000 Wheat, bu. 44,000 Corn, bu. 17,600

Milwaukee Grain Market. MII.WAUKEE, July 8.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, \$1.3961 70; No. 2 northern, \$1.366 1.35; September, \$1.00% OATS—50c. BARLEY—Samples, 60% 366c.

Peoria Grain Market. PEORIA. III., July 5.—CORN—Firm: No. 2 yellow, 76c; No. 2 mixed. 604c; No. 4 mixed. 604c; no grade. 656654c.

OATS—Higher: No. 2 white, 40c; No. 4 white, 46c.

Coffee Market.

public deposits decreased 61.861.000, notes re-ceived decreased 170.000, government securi-ties increased 61.800,000. The proportion of the bank's reserve liability this week is 45.52 per cent; last week it was 41.29 per NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS Favorable Crop Report Fails to Make

Market Brisker. IS DISCOUNTED IN ADVANCE

Wickersham's Speech and Senate Amendment Taxing "Holding Companies" Both Reflected in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, July 8.-The lethergy of NEW YORK, July 8.—The lethergy of the speculation was strikingly demonstrated by the sluggish response today to the highly important government report of July 1, condition of the cereal crops. Buidently, this was partly due to the plain predictions of the favorable charter report, which came for several days from official state reports and from truntworthy private estimates. This gave opportunity for speculation to anticipate the government report.

From the action, both of the stock and cereal markets after the ampearance of From the action, both of the stock and cereal markets after the ampearance of the report, it appeared that this pre-liminary action had been overdone and the realising movement forced prices in a direction contrary to the signification of the crop figures as a consequence. Thus it happened that prices of stocks declined and of grains advanced on a prediction that promised a cereal crop, exceeding in value than ever before produced in the country.

value than ever before produced in the country.

The promised yield of corn rising to 3.131.174.000 hu, reaches above the 3,000.000,000 hushel mark for the first time in the country's history. This gives assurance of an enormous tonnage to be moved by the railreads and, in that way, is of primary importance to holders of railroad securities. The cats report, which with a indicated yield of \$25,932.000 bushels of the country's largest record of the crop.

The condition of wheat, while promising a crop considerably below the bumper crop, shows the winter wheat so far improved as to have made up in large part the condition well above the ten year average.

the condition well above the ten year average.

The indicated total wheat crop of 655,900,000 bushels, estimated on the basis of the high prices reported today, for cash wheat of the new harvest, promises so profitable a return to the country's agricultural interest as to afford a substantial guarantee for the country's future prosperity founded as that is on the welfare of the farming classes as a starting point.

point.

Today's good news proved inadequate to incite such a demand and this fact gave rise to some anxiety on the part of holders who had bought stock with the intention of reselling at a profit, when the promise of favorable developments was realized.

Reasons for the sluggish demand were not clear. One deterrent influence was the amount of a mention given to the direction taken by government measures against "the holding company." This is a financial device upon which much of the efficacy of great corporation is dependent. The fact that at Washington the senale wiped out of the tariff bill the exemption accorded to holding companies from the corporation earning tax, while at Louisville the attorney general in the cabinet was formulating a proposed measure which would, in his own language, "go far toward their destruction," was taken rather ominously by financial observers. Prices closed the day at the lowest and on a descending scale. point.
Today's good news proved inadequate to

descending scale.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value \$6,520,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks today were as follows:

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LONDON, July 8—The offerings at the word author of the chief surgeon of the day of the composed of eight standard sleepers, one word and prices rules of the standard sleepers, one word and the composed of eight standard sleepers, one word and the composed of eight standard sleepers, one word and the composed of eight standard sleepers, one word and the composed of eight standard sleepers, one word and the composed of eight standard sleepers, one stan

Higher. New York Money Market. NEW YORK, July a.-MONEY-on call, itself per cent; ruling rate. 1% per cent; closing bid, I'd per cent; offered at 1% per cent. Time loans, steady to strong; sixty days, 2 per cent; ninety days, 2 per cent; six months, 1% 55% per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-3% to 4 Continued Light Receipts of Sheep and Lambe, While Trade is per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with
actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.800
64.865 for sixty-day bills and at \$4.875
for demand; commercial bills, \$4.8924.855,
SILVER—Bar, 50%c; Mexican dollars, \$40.
BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, with Active and Prices Steady on All Kinds.

SILVER-Bar, 50%c; Mexican dollars, 44c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, irregular.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg. 161 Int. Met. 44c. 21% do coupen 101% lat. M. M. 4%c. 11% U. S. 2s, reg. 101% lat. M. M. 4%c. 11% U. S. 2s, reg. 101% lasan 4s 25% do coupen 101% do 4%c. 25% do 200 do 2 June 56.

July 1.

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London Stock Market. London Stock Market.

LONDON, July 8.—The opening of the market today on Americans was from 1/8 lower to 3/8 above parity. A slight improvement followed, but this was lost before midday and at noon prices were from 1/8 lower to 3/8 higher than yesterday's New York closing.

London closing stocks:

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Consols meney 88% Louisville & N. 144% do account 811-15 M. K. & T. 45% Armai. Copper. 88% N. Y. Central. 144 Armai. Copper. 88% N. Y. Central. 144 Armai. Copper. 88% N. Y. Central. 144 Armai. Copper. 88% Nerfolk & W. 22 Atchison 150 do pfd. 90 Central & W. 54% Baltimore & Ohlo. 180% Pennsylvania 70 Censadian Pacific 187% Rand Mines. 10 Chesapeake & O. 75% Rosding ... 10 Chesapeake & O. 75% Rosding . Local Securities Quotations.

New York Mining Stocks. NEW YORK, July 8.—Closing quotations ions on mining stocks were as follows: Alice
Alice Leadville Con. ..... 

Bank of France Statement. PARIS, July 3.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes: Circulation decreased 23,625,000f, treasury deposits decreased 62,675,000f, general deposits decreased 44,700,000f, gold in hand increased 1,275,000f, gilver in hand in-creased 175,000f, bills discounted decreased 154,425,000f, advance decreased 8,275,102f.

Foreign Financial. BERLIN, July &-Trading on the Bourse today was dull and prices were irregular. PARIS. July &-Trading on the Bourse today was quiet and prices were irregular. Bank Clearings,

OMAHA, July 8.—Bank clearings for to-day were \$2.807,954.11 and for the corre-sponding date last year \$1.887,561.72. Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits. NEW YORK, July 8—EVAPORATED APPLES—A little Jobbing business is reported in the market for evaporated apples, with fancy quoted at \$4,5940, choice at \$6840, prime at 7574c and common to fair at 1584c.

DRIED FRUITS—Market for spot prunes are reported to the state of the state o

DRIED FRUITS—Market for spot prunes is unchanged, quotations ranging from 8c to 9c for Oregon fruit. Apricots are rather easier in tone, as there seems to be more fruit offering for early shipment. Choice are quoted at 19500½c, extra choice at 19½60½c, and fancy at 11412c. Peaches are attracting little attention, with choice quoted at 5½60c, extra choice at 5½60½c, and fancy at 7385½c. Raisins are dull and more or less nominal, with loose muscatel quoted at 5½64½c, choice to fancy seeded at 4½66c, seedless at 5½65½c and London layers at \$1.1561.20.

Cotton Market. NEW YORK, July 8-COTTON-Fu-tures opened firm; July 12.04c; August, 12.06c; September, 12.11c bid; October, 12.12c; November, 12.15c offered; December, 12.25c; January, 12.25; March, 11.22641.32c; May, 11.27c. Futures closed steady Closing bids: July, 12.13c; August, 12.10c; September, 12.16c; October, 12.20c; November, 12.20c; December, 12.20c; January, 12.22c; March 12.18c; May, 12.21c Spot quiet, 5 points lower; medium up-lands, 12.60c; medium guif, 12.85c; no sales. GALVESTON, July 8.—COTTON—Steady

at 11%c.
ST. LOUIS, July &-COTTON-Steady;
middling, 12c; sales, 50 bales; receipts, 829
bales; shipments, 765 bales; stock, 14,290 Otla and Rosin. NEW YORK. July 8.—OILS—Petroleum. steady; rsfined, New York, \$8.66; New York and Baltimore, \$8.35; New York and Baltimore, in bulk, \$4.55. Turpentine, steady at \$6c. Cottonseed oil, steady; prime crude, \$4.556.460, nominal; prime yellow, \$5.00d, \$66c; July, 5.605.66c.

ROSIN—Quiet; strained, common, \$3.1562, 2.30.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Beef Steers Are Strong to Ten Cents

HOGS FIVE TO TEN CENTS LOWER

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., July 8, 1909.

Receipts were: Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.
Official Monday. 1.256 1.851 3.033
Official Tuesday 2.163 8.855 2.243
Official Wednesday 1.250 14,468 1.247
Estimate Thursday. 2.884 18,680 1,540 Four days this week...16,433 Same days last week...12,229 Same days 3 weeks ago...9,672 Same days 3 weeks ago...12,768 Same days 4 weeks ago...13,148 Same days last year....6,767 39,832 32,244 39,539 28,117 46,349 24,347

The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons: | 1809. | 1908. | 1907. | 1906. | 1906. | 1904. | 1903. 7 62 5 98 5 92 6 47 5 23 5 05 5 07 7 5614 6 08 5 46 5 17 5 93 5 55 7 614 5 95 5 94 5 23 5 13 5 90 7 623 5 57 5 84 48 5 13 5 90 1 694 5 97 8 84 6 48 5 19 5 56 7 714 5 5 79 6 48 5 25 5 25 7 754 6 18 5 79 6 42 5 26 8 27 5 56 7 594 6 35 7 6 43 5 29 5 17 5 39 "Sunday. ""Holiday.

The official number of cars of brought in today by each road was: Cattle Hogs, Sheep. H'r's. C., M. & St. P. 1

Missouri Pacific. 10

Union Pacific. 10

C. & N. W. east. 1

C. & N. W. west. 25

C., St. P. M. & O. 7

C. B. & Q. east. 14

C., B. & Q. west. 36

C., R. I. & P., east. 11

C., R. I. & P., west. 1

Illinois Central. 1

C. G. W. 6 C. G. W.....

Total receipts......124 184 7 The disposition of the day's receipts as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: 1,818 3,047 3,629 3,882 W. I. Stephen...
Hill & Son...
F. P. Lawis...
Huston & Co...
J. B. Root & Co... J. H. Bulla.... L. Wolf.... Sam Werthimer.... H. F. Hamilton..... F. G. Inghram....

.....8,447 13,154 1,278

quality sold up to \$5.80.

Cows and helfers, at least the desirable kinds, were fully steady with yesterday and the market fairly active at current prices. Inferior grass cows were a little slow and sellers in some cases thought they did not get out on that kind to very good advantage.

There were very few stockers or feeders in sight this morning and for that reason it was hardly possible to see very much change in the market. On the other hand the feeling was weak and had there been any great number on sale the market would undoubtedly have been decidedly lower.

would undoubtedly have been decidedly lower.

Quotations on cattle; Good to choice cornfed steers, \$8.560,50; common to fair cornfed steers, \$8.560,50; common to fair cornfed steers, \$8.560,50; good to choice yearlings, \$8.500,50; good to choice cows and helfers, \$8.500,50; common to fair cows and helfers, \$8.500,50; common to fair cows and helfers, \$1.500,50; good to choice stockers and feeders, \$1.500,50; fair to good stockers and feeders, \$1.500,50; fair to good stockers and feeders, \$1.500,50; common to fair stockers and feeders, \$2.500,50; common to fair stockers and feeders, \$2.500,50; took helfers, \$2.500,50; veal calves, \$2.750,5.75; bulls, stags, etc., \$2.000,500.

Representative sales:

80 1 60 80 7 60 800 7 65 160 7 65

and native trade was largely of a peddling nature.

Quotations on range sheep and lambs: Good to choice spring lambs, \$7.5025.00; fair to good spring lambs, \$4.0027.50; good to choice yearling lambs, \$4.5024.75; good to choice wethers, \$4.2524.50; fair to good wethers, \$4.0024.50; good to choice wethers, \$4.0024.50; good to choice ewes, \$3.5024.15; fair to good ewes, \$3.5025.90.

western ewes, culls..... 22 western ewes, culls.
22 western ewes
23 western spring lambs.
24 western lambs, culls.
25 western ewes, culls.
26 native ewes.
26 native ewes.
27 native lambs, culls.
28 native lambs, culls. 3:9 native ewer 31 native spring lambs. 17 native ewes 16 native spring lambs..... 205 western wethers.....

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET Story of Day's Trading in Cattle,

Hogs and Sheep.

CHICAGO, July 8.—CATTLE—Receipts, estimated at 5.000 head. Market steady. Steers, \$5.0067.00; bulls, \$3.0065.75; helfers, \$13.0067.50; colves, \$3.0067.50; bulls, \$3.0065.25; calves, \$3.0067.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.3065.10.

HOGS—Receipts, estimated at 20.000 head. Market opened 10c to 15c lower, but closed strong. Choice heavy, \$7.0068.06; butchers, \$7.8868.00; light mixed. \$7.5067.80; butchers, \$7.8868.00; light mixed. \$7.5067.80; holice light, \$7.7067.80; packing, \$7.6667.80; pigs. \$6.0027.00. Bulk of sales, \$7.0067.80; pigs. \$6.0027.00. Bulk of sales, \$7.0067.80; pigs. \$5.0027.00. Bulk of sales, \$7.0067.80; pigs. \$5.00 Hogs and Sheep. head. Market steady. Sheep. \$2,5064.75 lambs, \$7.5068.65; yearlings, \$4.5066.00.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, July 8.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,490 head. including 2,300 Texans. Market steady. Native shipping and export steers, \$2,500,710; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$5,700,6.25; steers under 1,000 ibs. \$4,500,6.50; stockers and feeders. \$3,250,4.86; oows and helfers, \$2,500,6.75; canners, \$2,200,6.75; buils, in time of war is organized as stated, in time of peace such organization is prohibited by the regulations. Yet this form of organization is not forbidden in the HOSS—Receipts. 5,500 head. Market 5c

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 2,500 ular establishment. head: Market strong. Native muttons, \$2.85 @4.25; lambs, \$6.50@8.40; culls and bucks, \$3.45@6.25; stockers, \$5.50@4.80.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH. July 8.—CATTLE—Re-eipts, 2,000 head. Market steady; steers, 4.50@6.75; cows and helters, \$2.50@6.50; calves, \$3,0007.00. HOGS-Receipts, 8,000 head. Market 100 lbg lower; top. \$7,90; bulk of sales, \$7.060

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts. head. Market steady; lambs, \$5.50@8.25. Sloux City Live Stock Market.

SIGUX CITY, Ia., July 8.—(Special Telegram)—CATTLE—Receipts 500 head; market steady; beeven, 55.000 head; market steady; beeven, 55.000 head; cows and heifers, 14.0004.75; yearlings, 52.7504.50.
HOGS—Receipts 5.00 head; market 10c lower; range of prices, \$7.1007.70; bulk of sales, \$7.3007.50.

Receipts at the six principal western markets yesterday were 2 (84 500 2,000 4,400 5,490 5,000 South Oamah ..... Bloux City..... Bt. Joseph..... Kansas City..... St. Louis...... Chicago 20 000 

Sugar and Molasses. NEW YORK, July 8.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 8.4003.45c; centrifugal, 98 test. 3.9263.95c. Molasses sugar, 3.1763.20c. Refined, steady; No. 6, 4.25c; No. 7, 4.30c; No. 8, 4.25c; No. 10, 4.15c; No. 11, 4.16c; No. 12, 4.06c; No. 13, 4.00c; No. 14, 4.60c; confectioners, A, 4.55c; mould A, 5.20c; cut loaf, 5.55c; crushed, 5.56c; powdered, 4.25c; granulated, 4.55c; cubes, 5.16c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 28042c.

GLIDDEN TOUR SUPPLY TRAIN corned beef. Special Will Be Composed of Thirteen Cars and Carry Equipment for Tourists.

CROPS BETTER THAN YEAR AGO

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Government Report Shows Imprevement in Condition of Grains,

CORN ACREAGE IS LARGER

Preliminary Estimate to 7.1 Per Cent. Higher Than Final Estimate of Last Year-Wheat Bins Are Drafued.

WASHINGTON, July 8.-The average ondition of the corn crop of July 1 was

age of July 1, of 87. The average condi-tion of spring and winter wheat combined was \$6.2 last month; \$1.6 on July 1, 1907, and 82.5 for ten years on July L The condition of the oat crop is compared with \$8.7 last month; \$1 on July 1, 1907, ten-year average of 86.8; barley with 80.6 last month and a ten-year average of 88.8; rys, 89.6 last month and a ten-year average of 89.8. The acreage of other crops and their condition on July 1, 1909, and July 1, 1908,

respectively, follow: Condition of Other Crops. White potatoes, 3.452,000 acres, 98 and 89.6; tobacco, 1,108,336 acres, 89.8 and 88.6; flax, 2,741,000 acres, 98.1 and 92.5. The hay crop condition was 87.8 against 92.5 a year ago; timothy, 87.1 against 90.2; clover, 83.8 against 96.5, and apples, 54.6 against 57.5. Following are the figures for important states, giving the percentage of acreage, compared with a year ago and the condition on July 1, 1909, and a ten-year average on July 1, respectively, for corn:

respectively, follow: North Dakota, 96 and 85; South Dakota, 94 and 89. The same for oats follows:

organization of the regular army if the states are organized into brigades and

\$2.5005.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,500 head. Market 5c lower. Figs and lights, \$5.6007.75; packers, \$7.5007.20; butchers and best heavy, \$7.850 any wise out of conformity with the regany wise out of conformity with the reg-

Captain Edward H. Schultz, chief engineer of the Department of the Missouri, has been promoted to the rank of major in the corps of engineers.

Captain Jack Hayes, formerly of the Bixteenth infantry, but now assigned to the commissary department of the army, has been transferred to Atlanta, Ga., from Chicago, where he is assigned to temporary duty in charge of the office of the chief commissary of the Department of the

Captain James L. Griffes, Fourth cavalry, Fort Meade, has been ordered before the army retiring board. The Johnson-Rowe-Paige company of

Omaha has been awarded the contract for 1.500 plumbing and heating one four-set of offi-2.5.0 cers quarters at Fort Riley, Kan. The 15,000 amount of the bid was \$7,833. The big polo tournament is now on at Fort Riley, beginning Monday and will continue the remainder of the week. The

competing teams are the Missouri Hunt and Polo club of Kansas City, one from Junction City, Kan., the Sixth field artillery and the Seventh cavalry clubs of Fort The British war office has recently awarded a contract to a Chicage packing

company for 1,000,000 pounds of canned Private George W. Owens of Battery C. Second field artillery, has been transferred

to the hospital corps upon the recommen-