COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

The wheet market fell with a thud yesterday, and Liverpool, which came full and strong at the opening, tailed off toward the close. In the local market, which as a general thing is quite independent of the rest of the world's marriage. pendent of the rest of the world har-kets, Walls Walls was still workship at 57% cents, and some sales were reported early in the day as high as 55 cents. Some of the exporters, however, are not paying above the export value, based on paying above the export value, based on existing freight rates, and have their limits down around 50% cents, Valley is steady at 60 and 61 cents, the demands of the mills keeping it well above export prices. Bluestem is about 60 cents per bushel. The rains up the Valley have interfered with trade in that direction, the unsatisfactory outlook being reflected in the diminishing size of the orders for the past two days. City trade was brisk yesterday in spite of the weather. Receipts of fruit and produce were light, and prices are steady. Some very fine Salaway peaches were received and sold at 75 cents per basket. Oregon Concord grapes are plentiful, and sell at 25 cents and 40 cents per basket. Ponitry is steady except for turkeys, which have declined under the contract of the contr the pressure of heavy receipts. Eggs are firm, fresh Oregon stock being unaffected by the presence of the Eastern eggs at slightly lower figures.

Bank Clearings. Exchanges, Balances, \$349,920 \$ 93,620 \$ 95,425 \$8,512 \$ 156,012 \$ 209,817 \$ 22,546

PORTLAND MARKETS. Grain, Flour, Etc.

Wheat-Walla Walla, 564@574c; Valley, 60c; luestem, 59960c per bushel. Flour-Best grades, \$2 7563 10 per barrel; Cate - White, 41 @ 42c; gray, 39@40c per

bushel.
Burley-Feed, \$15@15 50; brewing, \$16 per Milletuffs-Eron, \$18 per ton; middlings, \$20; shorts, \$16; chop, \$15. Hay-Timothy, \$12,913; clover, \$167 50; Oregon wild har, \$667 per ton.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc. Burter-Fancy creamery, 45655c; store, 250

Fers 224625c per dozen.
Poultry-Chickens, mixed, \$3 00 per dozen;
hens, \$3 5064; Springs, \$263 50; ducks, \$365; gense, 3088 per dezen; turkeys, live, 13c per ponid; dressed, 156/17c. Cheese-Full cream, twins, 11@12%c; Young America, 12%@13c per pound.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

Vegetables—Parentps, \$1; turnips, \$1; carrots, \$1 per sack; onions, \$1@1 25 for Oregon; cabbage, \$1.7582 per cental; potatoes, Bo@65c per sack; pens, \$200; benns, 4c per pound; tomatoes, 206125; per box; corn, 102124c per 4000m; sweet potatoes, 1%c per pound in sacsa;

Goren; sweet potstoos, 1%c per pound in succes; celery, 600666 per dozen.

Fruit-Lemons, \$4 5006; pineapples, \$4 5000 per dozen; benancs, \$2 5003 per bunch; Persian dates, 7c per pound; peaches, 60075c; pers. 50076c per bex; apples, 500631 per box; watermeions, Rogue River, \$1 5062; Gregon; nutmers, \$1 0 1 50 per crate; cassbas, \$1 25 per dozen; grapes, Sweetwater, 50c; Muscat, 75086c; black, 75086c; Tokay, \$1; Oregon Black Hamburg, 50c per crate; Concords, 40c per basket.

per basket.,
Dried fruit - Apples, evaporated, 607c per pound; sun-dried, suchs or boxes, 450c; pens, sun and evaporated 5 2 6c; plums, pittess, 4504c; prunes, Italian, 84054c; silver, extra choice, 5 6 6c; figs. Senyran, 124c; California biack, 526c; do white, 10c per pound.

Ment and Provisions.

Mutton - Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes sheared, \$150; dressed, 64,67e per 1b.; Spring lambe, to per pound gross; dressed, Sc. Hogs-Gross, choice heavy, \$5 6005 75; light, \$5; dressed, 080% per pound.

Veol-Large, 04,67% per pound; small, \$6

Syc per pound.

Beef-Gross, top steers, \$5 5004; cows, \$50 50; dressed beef, 607c per pound.

Provisions - Perlland pack (Shield brand):
Hams, emoked, are quoted at 12½c per pound;
pleate hams, 5½c per pound; breakfast bacon,
10½c; cason, 10c; backs, 5½ 6 10c; dry salt
sides 5½c; dried beef, 17½c; lard, 5 - pound
palls, 10c; 10 - pound palls, 5½c; 10s, 5½c;
tierces, 5½c per pound. Eastern pack (Hammond's) Hams, large, 12c; medium, 12½c;
small, 15½c; picrob hams, 5½c; abulders, 5½c;
small, 15½c; picrob hams, 5½c; abulders, 5½c;
small, 15½c; picrob hams, 5½c; abulders, 5½c; mail, 1950; pienie hams, Die; shoulders, Pho-Brenkfast bacon, 15c; dry sait sides, 9401

Groceries, Nuts, Etc. Coffee-Mocha, 28825c; Java, fancy, 28825c; Java, good, 2-826c; Java, ordinery, 18820c; Costa lilen, fancy, 18820c; do good, 16815c; do ordinary, southe per pound; Columbia, reast, \$13 in, Arthurnic's, \$18 in; Lion, \$13 in per

Sugar-Cube, \$7.25; crushed, \$7.25; powdered \$0 85; dry granulated, \$6 65; extra C. \$6 15. golden C. \$.45 het; half barrels, 1/c more tian bereels; mugde augar, 15@10c per-pound. Salmon-Columbia Bives; Papund talls, \$1.50 6/2, 2-pound mils, \$2.25@2.50; fancy 1-pound fiats, \$200 25; 14-pound famer flats, \$1 100 1 30; Alarka 1 - pound talls, \$1 4001 00; 2-pound talls, \$1 8002 25c

Nuts-Pennuts, Glaffite per pound for raw, 9c for roasted; coccanuts, 80c per dozen; wainsta, 10 @ 11c per pound; pme nuts, 15c; hickory nuts, 7c; chestnuts, 15c; Brazil, 11c; filberts, 15c; fanty pecans, 12c;14c; almonds, 100175c

me-Small white, 4%@4%c; large do, 3% 64c; bayon, Nac; Lima, de per pound. Grain bage-Calcutta, \$366 12% per 100 for Conl oil-Cases, 20c per gallon; barrels, 16c;

tanks, 14c.
Hios-Island, Oke; Japan, 51ke; New Orleans, \$1965be; fames head, \$16750 per each.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hope-5@7c per pound for 1899 crop, 11@15; for new crop.
Wool-Valley, 120,13c for coarse, 150,10c for best; Eastern Oregon, 10,913c; mohair, 25c per Sheepskins-Shearlings, 15@20c; short-wool,

Tallow-4c; No. 2 and gream, 263c per 15

Pelte Bearskins, each, as to size, \$5015; cubs, each, \$165; budger, each, 50c; wildcat, 25075c; housecat, 5625c; fox, common gray, 250The; housecat, 5625c; for common gray, 46c051; do red. \$1 Then 50; do cross. \$2 50g6; lynz. \$294 50; with 46c0\$1 75; marten, dark Northern. \$5010 to pale, pine. \$264; musk-rat, \$6 12c; a wink, 50785c; otter (land). \$4 68; panther, with head and claws perfect. \$1503; raccoom, 25680c; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, \$3 50 6 5; wolverine, \$2 50g6; beaver, per skin, large, \$607; do medium, per with \$465; do wall per skin \$152 do kits. skin, \$465; do small, per skin, \$162; do kits, per skin, \$1@3.

per skin, \$165.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and upward, 146115c; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 16 pounds, 15c per pound; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds, 15616c; dry saited, ope-third less than dry flint; saited hides, sound steers, 60 pounds and ever, 768c; do 30 to 60 pounds, 75c; do under 50 pounds and cows, 7c; kip, 13 to 30 pounds and cows, 7c; kip, 13 to 30 pounds and cows, 7c; kip, 13 to 30 pounds and cows, 10 to 14 pounds 75c; pounds, 75,68c; do veal, 10 to 14 pounds, 75,6; do calf, under 10 pounds, 75,6; green (unwilled), 1c per pound less; cuils (bulls, stags, mothesten badly cut, socred bair slipped, weather-boaten or grubby), one-third less.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Wholesale Selling Apparent, But Cause Not Explainable.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.-The closing of the stock market this afternoon was quiet and steady, with remarkable contrast to the disturbed feeling which prevailed all day. But there had been such lulls at various times before in the storm of liquidation which swept over the market, and whether the final quiet marked clearing weather or simply a gathering of forces for another outbreak of the storm was of the greatest interest in Wall street, and upon which opinions greatly varied. The volume of the selling and the scope of the movement in the of stocks moved indicated plainly chough some general cause or condition at work to induce selling. Special con-ditions in individual stocks aggravated the weakness, but these neculiar causes were quite inadequate to explain the gen-eral weakness. Neither was it very clear that any new factors have been intro-duced into the general situation which

are concerned, the violent liquidation of the day must be due to a growth of con-viction as to the, inevitable effect of these factors, rather than to any new status. These general conditions are the hardening money market and the coal stock, and, rather in the background, the Chinese situation. Those who found nothing in the actual news sufficient to account for the extreme weakness of the market offered a supposition that some development not yet generally known in the Chinese tangle had induced large selling by persons with advance informs selling by persons with advance informa-tion. Certainly, it is hard to account for such wholesale selling as that of today in a market which has been supposed to contain comparatively light speculative commitments, on the ground of fears of future events or sentimental considera-tion.

No selling was forced by actual contraction of credits, although the rates for money showed a continuance of the recent hardening tendency. The forces to-ward depletion of New York money re-serves continue operative, the day's out-go of currency to the interior being large. The relief on subtreasury opera-tions is also on a diminishing scale. The progress of the strike arouses keen ap-prehension of outbreaks of violence, and extension of the trouble into new fields. But no actual occurrence of the day seemed to bring such developments any nearer than did the first stoppage of

The letting go of speculative holdings which have been recently accumulated on the conviction that the prolonged duli-ness of the stock market would be terminated by a buying movement was an influence in the weakness, and professional short selling undoubtedly played a large part as well. The special weakness of the steel stocks seemed to show some peculiar apprehension that the con-ference over wages and the effort to adjust prices would not bring the industry to a profitable basis. Tennesee Coal was apparently without any support, and was nearly 8 points off at the lowest. The stock rallied 2½c on short covering. Pressed Steel Car, American Car preferred, Steel and Wire and Federal Steel preferred were down from 2 to 214. In the railroad list Massach the railroad list, Missouri Pacific, B. & O. and Reading first preferred suffered most severely among the active stocks, losing 2 points or over at the extreme low

evel.

Bonds yielded in sympathy with stocks, but the selling was not on anything like as large a scale. Today's sales, par value, \$1,125,000. United States new 4s and 5s declined 1/4

in the bid price. BONDS.

STOCKS. The total sales of stocks today were 436,300

shares. The closing qu	otations were:
Atchison 95%	Ilnion Pag smar 211
do pref 67%	Wahnsh
Balt. & Ohio 674	do pref 161
Can. Pacific 87	Wheel & L. E. Si
Can. Southern 48	do 24 pref 995
Ches. & Ohio 2614	Wis Central 12
Chl. Gr. Western, 10	P. C., C. & St. L. 50
C., B. & Q120%	Third Avenue 109
Chl., Ind. & L 20%	EXPRESS CO'S
do pref 53	Adams
Chi. & Enst. Ill 93%	American
Chicago & N. W. 1584	United States 45
Chi., H. L. & P 104%	Wells-Fargo123
C. C., C. & S. L. 58	MISCELLANEOUS.
Coio. Southern 5%	Amer. Cotton Oil., 301
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Del ad pref 14	Amer. Malting 49
Their Taraba & TT 100%	as pref 22
Deriver & Die Co 1811	Amer, Smelt. & R. 361
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Ebria 100	Amer. Spirits 15
do 1st pref 241	Amon Count Trans 11
Great N rth gret the	do seed moop, 18
Hocking Coal 125	Amer Steel & W 20
Hocking Valley 304	do pref
Illinois Central115	Amer Tin Plate 955
Iowa Central 18	do pref 79
do pref 43	Amer. Tobacco 875
Lake Erie & W 2014	do pref
do pref 9245	Anaconda Min. Co. 42
Lake Shore209	Brooklyn R. T 500
Louis, & Nash 70%	Colo. Fuel & Iron. 314
Manhattan El 85%	Cont. Tobacco 249
Met. St. Ry148	_ do pref 759
Mex. Central 10%	Federal Steel 304
atinn. & st. Louis 52%	do pref 639
Microsof Davida 471	Gen. Electric137
Mobile Auribic - 94	Gibcose Bugar 401
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New York Cent 1274	National Biscutt 211
Norfolk & West., 31%	do pref S5
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Northern Pacific. 40%	do pref 80
do pref 60%	National Steel 233
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O. R. & N 42	North American 14
do pref 70	Pacific Coast 513
Pennsylvania126	do 1st pref 80
Bending 13	do 2d pref 62
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Southern Pacific., 314	do pref 92
Southern Ry 1014	Western Union" 774
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Union Pacine 53%	
Total Control of the	

Stocks in London.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—Atchison, 274c; Canadian Pacific, 884c; Union Pacific, preferred, 744c; Northern Pacific, preferred, 72c; Grand Trunk, 6%c; Anacon Money Exchange, Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20.-Sterling on London, 60 days, \$4.87%; sterling on London, sight, \$4.84; Mexican dollars, 50% @51; drafts, sight, 5; drafts, telegraph,

NEW YORK, Sept. 20 .- Money on call, 1462 per cent; last loans, 14 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 44654 per cent; sterling exchange, easy, with actual busines in bankers' bills at \$4.86564.87 for

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> GRAIN **PROVISIONS** STOCKS and COTTON

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demand and at \$4 \$34.64 \$34 for 60 days; posted rates, \$4 \$44, and \$4 \$8; commercial bills, \$4 \$34.64 \$3; silver certificates, \$24.63 \$4.63 \$34.64 \$35.65 \$4.63 \$4 railroad bonds, weak.

LONDON, Sept. 20.-Money, 3% per cent;

Foreign Financial News. NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram:
The markets here opened weak today on the Chinese news but later recovered on Lord Robert's message. Business, however, was insignificant.

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Americans were below parity during the Americans were below parity during the morning. New York bought sparingly, rallying prices temporarily, but the close was about the worst. Anacondas weak-ened on New York sales, but Paris supported the interest.

Money was easy and discounts were inclined to go off. Silver was harder on a rumored Indian demand.

The Cotton Market. NEW YORK, Sept. 20 .- Cotton Futures The opening call was at a decline of 12 @15 points; the selling was general and with advances generally bearish the decline was increased to 27@30 points. At times the market was very fregular and almost panicky. The close was barely steady at a net decline of 25@29 points.

THE GRAIN MARKETS. Prices for Cereals in European and

American Ports.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20 .- Wheat-Inactive on call and weaker in the spot market. Barley easy, both on and off call. Oats steady. Spot quotalons were: Wheat-Shipping No. 1, \$1 05; choice, \$1 06; milling, \$1 074@1 10.

Barley-Feed, 68%@724; brewing, 80@ ol%C.
Osts—Gray, \$1 12\color 25; black for seed, \$1 22\color 20; red, \$1 25\color 10.
Call board sales:
Wheat—Inactive; December, \$1 03\color 25; cash, \$1 05

Barley-Easy; May, 74c. Corn-Large yellow, \$1 20@1 221/2.

Chicago Grain and Produce. Chicago Grain and Produce.
CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—Liquidation in lines of all sorts and sizes flooded the wheat pit all day. This was because Liverpool was up only 4d in the factor the bulge here yesterday, and because clear weather was predicted for the Northwest. The idea that it is well to market a commodity while the demand still exists was also a factor in the still exists, was also a factor in the slump which marked today's trading. There were considerations on the other side of the fence—such as higher English country markets and strength at London as well as rain in the Northwest early -but they did not count. October opened at 79%679%c. One big long set the bal rolling down, and the course thus indicated was followed by numerous others There was considerable stop-loss selling under 774c. Before the end had come October had dropped to 774/677%c, and

the close was 1%c under yesterday, at Corn was quiet and dull, paying but little attention to wheat. October closed %c lower, at 38%c.

Trade in oats was of a small local or-der, but the market was steady. October closed unchanged at 21%@21%c. Provisions were firm, the cash demand still being good and stocks low, with heavy shipments of products in prospect.

74	October pork closed 12%c higher, lard 10c higher, and ribs 5c beter,				
	H 1	HEAT:		15	
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100	Cash quotations Flour-Steady.	were as	follows:		

Wheat-No. 3 Spring, 73@781/2; No. 2 red, 7746804. Corn-No. 2, 40%@40%c; No. 2 yellow, 45460454c.

Oats—No. 2, 21%@22c; No. 2 white, 25c; No. 3 white, 22%@25%c. Rye-No. 2, 52½c. Barley-Good feeding, 59c; fair to choice malting, 51@55c.

Flaxseed-No. 1, \$1 58; No. 1 Northwest-Timothy seed-Prime, \$4@4 30. Mess pork—Per barrel, \$12 05@12 10. Lard—Per 10) pounds, \$7 1214@7 20.

Short ribs sides-Loose, \$7 50@7 75, Dry-salted shoulders—Boxed, 64,66% Short clear sides—Boxed, \$8 0568 15. Clover-Contract grade, \$10. the Produce Exchange today, the

butter market was steady; creamery, 15@

15c.	- AAT10
	Shipm'ts, 17,000 130,000 730,000 951,000
	Receipts, , 15,000 , 242,000 , 428,000 , 202,000 , 10,000

New York Grain Market. NEW YORK, Sept. 20 .- Flour-Receipt 29,390 barrels; exports, 3214 barrels; mar

ket, quiet.

Wheat-Receipts, 229,300 bushels; exports, 95,550; spot, easier; No. 2 red, 83%c Manila and cut the throat of every forf. o. b.; elevator, 81%c. Hops-Quiet.

Coffee options closed steady at a decline of 5 points. Sales, 13,500 bags, in-cluding September, \$7; October, \$7; De-cember, \$7 20; March, \$7 35@7 40. Spot, Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8½c; mild, quiet; Cordova, 9%@lle, Sugar-Raw, firm; fair refining, 4%e centrifugal 26 test, 5c; refined, firm,

European Grain Markets.

LONDON, Sept. 20 .- Wheat-Cargoes on passage, sellers asking 3d more; cargoes No. 1 standard California, 32s 9d; cargoes Walla Walla, 30s 3d; English country markets, firm.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 20.-Wheat-Firm 1 standard California, 6s 64d; wheat and flour in Paris, steady; French coun markets, firm; weather in England Spot wheat-Firm; No. 2 red Western Winter, 6s 34d; No. 1 Northern Spring, 6s 6d; No. 1 California, 6s 6d@6s Futures quiet; September, 6s 2%d; December, 6s 4%d.

Corn-Spot, steady: American mixed new, 4s 4d. Futures, quiet; October, 4s 2%d; November, 4s 2%d; December, 4s 2%d.

Floar Is Higher. CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—The local agents of the standard Minneapolis brands of Spring-wheat flour have notified the wholesale trade of an advance of 20 cents a barrel to go into effect this morning. The new price will be \$4.70 a barrel which is 40 cents more than was asked a month ago. Wholesale grocers will make a corresponding advance to the retail trade at once. Standard Winter patents have advanced 25 cents to \$4.35 in the last three or four days. Southern patents have been advanced 30g40 cents by the wholesale

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

BAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20.—Wool—Spring, Nevada, 11@13c; Eastern Oregon, 10@14c; Valley, Oregon, 16@13c; Fall, Mountain lambs, 9@10c; Humboldt and Mountain lambs, 9610c; Humboldt and With this brief statement I will close; Mendocino, 10612c.

Hops—Crop 1900, 13614c.

Hay—Wheat, \$8612; wheat and oat, \$36 Mendocino, 10@12c.

16 for best barley, 18,50; affaifa, 16@7 50; compressed wheat, 18,612 per ton; straw, 25,6374c per bale, Millstoffs-Middlings, \$17,620; bran, \$146

15 per ton.

Potatoes — River Burbanks, 30 @ 55c; sweet, new. 75c@1 30 per cental; Salinas Burbanks, 70c@31 05.

Vegetables—Green peas, 2@2½c per pound; string beans, 1½@2½c; tomatoes, 25c@6c a box; asparagus, 75c@32 50; uncombers, 2000. cumbers, 20040c. Green fruit—Apples; choice, \$1 10 per box; common, 35d. Butter—Fancy creamery, 2544625c; do

Room 4, Ground Floor

this howling of the "antis" ino longer.

But let us hear from some of the other

boys that were ready and went when the call came, instead of staying at home

and telling bow it ought, to be done and

kicking about everything that was done. It is not among these ranks that you

find the anti-imperialists.

A. ERNEST CLARK.

Late of Company A, First Colorado Vol-

BAD FOR SUGAR BEETS.

Dry Weather Has Caused a Short

Crop.

George Romney, of Salt Lake, who is

connected with the beet-sugar factory at

La Grande, and with several Oregon lum-

ber mills, is at the Perkins. The sugar-beet crop of the Grand Ronde Valley, he

thinks, will fall short this season, on ac-count of the dry Summer, and the output of sugar will therefore not exceed that of

last year, when about 4,000,000 pounds

"Beet-raising, thus far, has not paid the producers in Union County," he said yes-terday, "because the farmers attempted

it on too large a scale, and depended upon hired help, entirely. We will have to col-onize a number of Utah people on the

lands there before we can obtain beets enough to run the mill to its full capac-

"A family in which there are children

who can be put to work in the fleids will do well raising sugar beets at \$4.50 per

ton, and a 20-acre patch will be enough for a goodly sized beet farm.

"There are now about 1700 acres of beet

coming to maturity in the vicinity of La Grande; and the mill will shortly be put

to work crushing these. The plant, how-ever, can use the product of 5000 acres, and we hope to have that large un area devoted to their culture in the near fu-

ture. "Deep plowing is one of the necessities

to insure best results. With careful cul-tivation and favorable weather, the soil

of Grand Ronde Valley could be made to produce 20 tons of beets to the acre, and these beets should contain saccharine

matter enough to make 225 pounds of su-

gar to the ton. In this way the culture of beets can be made to pay well in

His company has two factories in Utah which will produce 20,000,000 pounds of su-

gar in the aggregate this year. No trou-ble is found in disposing of the sugar, at the same price obtained for the best cane

sugar, but sugar is lower in Oregon, on account of the cheap freight rates by wa-

ter with which she is blessed, and so the

fertile islands, it may damage the beetsugar industry at home."

In regard to lumber, he finds no diffi-

culty in disposing of Oregon fir in Salt Lake and vicinity, although freight rates

are 35 cents per 100 pounds, or within a few cents of the rate charged from Coast points to Chicago, double the distance.

Lumber, being charged for by weight, must be thoroughly seasoned to enable it to stand this rate. Utah will hereafter

Eastern Oregon.'

find the anti-imperialists.

unteer Infantry.

seconds, 334,935c; fancy dairy, 25,23c; seconds, 17621c. Citrus fruit — Mexican limes, 35 10676; common California lemons, 31 25,08 25; choice, \$2 5062 75; pineapples, \$263 per Poultry-Turkeys, gobblers, 1561se; do

hens, 15d10c per pound; old roosters, \$1500 bens, 15d10c per pound; old roosters, \$150d i; smail brotlers, \$2502 50; large do, \$363 20; fryers, \$363 50; hens, \$3 50d5 per dozen; old ducks, \$364 50; geese, \$1 2564 50 per Bananas—\$1@2 50 per bunch. Cheese - California flats, 94@10c per pound; Young America, 10@10%c; Eastern, 18@14%c.

Eggs-Store, 18@21c; fancy ranch, 31c; Eastern, 19@224c. Receipts-Flour, 12,20s quarter sacks; wheat, 1120 centals; barley, 6120 centals; onts, 1175 centals; beans, 288 sacks; potatoes, 160 sacks; bran, 400 sacks; middlings, 160 sacks; hay, 199 bales; wool, 199 bales;

EASTERN LIVESTOCK. CHICAGO, Sspt. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 8000, including 2000 Westerns and 300 Texans. Choice native steers, steady to strong. Medium and common slow to 10c lower. Westerns and Texans. 5@10. lower. Natives: Good to prime steers, \$5.45@5.90; poor to medium, \$4.50@5.40; selected feeders slow, \$3.90@4.60; mixed stockers, \$2.75@3.80; cows, \$2.90@4.40; helfers, \$3.00@5.50; canners, \$2.00@2.90; bulls, \$2.00@4.40; 5 10; canners, \$2 00@2 30; bulls, \$2 00@4.60; calves, \$4 50@6 50; Texas fed steers, \$4 40 @5 10; grassers, \$3 50@4 25; bulls, \$2 50@

Hogs-Receipts today, 19,000; temorrow, 20,000; left over, 2500. Opened stronger; closed steady. Top, \$5 623. Mixed and butchers, \$5 15@5 60; good to choice heavy, \$5 1065 574; rough heavy, \$4 9565 05; light, \$5 2565 624; bulk of sales, \$5 2565 45. Sheep-Receipts, 13,000. Choice and feeders about steady; others 10c lower, Lambs 15625c lower. Good to choice wethers, \$3 8064 15; fair to choice mixed, \$3 256 3 55; Western sheep, \$3 75@4 10; Texas sheep, \$2 50@3 50; native lambs, \$4 00@5 75; Western lambs, \$4 60@5 40.

OMAHA, Sept. 20,-Cattle-Receipts, 2200. Market, best steady, others slow; native beef, steers, \$4 4065 75; Western steers, \$404 80; Texas steers, \$3 25@4 25; cows and helfers, \$3 10@4 25; canners, \$1 75@2 85; stockers and feeds, \$3@4 70; calves, \$3@4 25;

bulls and stags, \$2 50@4. Hogs—Receipts, 4560 head. Market, 50 higher; heavy, \$5 15@5 22½; mlxed, \$5 20@ \$5 221/2; light, \$5 221/65 35; bulk of sales, Sheep—Receipts, 14.600. Market steady to stronger; fair to choice Westerns, \$3.650 \$4.10; common and stock sheep, \$3.673.65;

lambs, \$4@5 25. KANSAS CITY, Sept. 20.-Cattle-Receipts, 11,000; market, steady; Texas steers, \$2 75@5 20; Texas cows, \$2 75@3 10; native steers, \$4@5.55; native cows and helfers, \$374.50; bulls, \$2.50@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, \$000; market, strong; bulk of sales, \$5.224@5.30; heavy, \$5.124@ 5 30; packers, \$5 224,65 35; mixed, \$5 206 5 30; lights, \$5 224,5 35; yorkers, \$5 3065 35; pigs, \$5 05@5 20.

Sheep-Receipts, 4000; market, steady; lambs, \$3 75@5 15; muttons, \$3@3 85. New York Markets.

NEW YORK; Sept. 20 .- Aside from another drop of 30 points in tin, the local market for metals exhibited little animation. The loss was caused by weak advices from abroad and a lack of specu-lative interest. The close was very weak at \$28@28 3714.

Pig from warrants ruled dult and un-changed at 49 374/210 374. Lake copper dull at \$16 75/217. Lead was dull at \$4.37 and spelter \$4.10@
4.15. The brokers' price for lead was \$4,
and for copper \$16.75@16.87%.
Options opened firm on rains in the
Northwest, but collapsed later in the day through weakness at Minneapolis, a Liv-erpool reaction, unloading by locals and foreign houses, together with poor export developments. Closed weak at 1%@1%c net/decline; March closed 87c; May, 85%c;

Bar silver, 6214c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20.-Bar sil-

September, 81%c; October, 82c; December,

ver, 62340, LONDON, Sept. 20 .- Bar silver, 28 13-16d.

eigner and plunder to their hearts' con-

tent. In this we, as their friends, were

to assist them, sail away and leave them to the millennum that was to follow when there would be no government; but they would be free as before the Spanish landed. It was to prevent this

carnage and massacre that the Minne-sota regiment on the 13th of August marched at a "present arms" into the

face of several thousand of Aguinaldo's "soldlers" and literally forced them back

when they were coming to the city by

the eastern avenues, and held them in check until our troops had been so dis-

posed that they could preserve order. From that day on, sullenly they crowded up to gain a foot of ground wherever they could, and if ever they made a proposition to General Otis, or any other

American, to widen the space between the armies, it was with the hope that we would fall back and they could gain

. The charge is made that we kept rush

ing troops there. But did we not need

them? Barely 5000 able-bodied Americans entered Manila August 13. Their ranks were fast being thinned by disease and

overwork, in a torrid climate, with a city of 300,000 or more to police, and a

city of 300,000 or more to police, and a threatening army of semi-savages on every side, and several thousand Spanish prisoners to guard. They say we only took Manila, and the natives took the rest of the archipelago. Yes, they did, after Dewey had cut off the supplies from Manila. Not till then; for any one who cares to read can find that the insurrection of 1896 was committely uselled and

tion of 1896 was completely quelled and May 1, 1898, there was peace throughout

the islands, and garrisons in all the im

portant places. It was from these garri-sons that the Tagals captured all the

Spanish prisoners that we have been re-leasing at various times for the past year, and one of these Balare—was where a handful of men held out for 10 months

without relief or provisions, and where brave Lieutenant Gillmore and his party

that their fate. Of the 2000 prisoners mentioned, not one was captured prior to

so much.

May 1, 1898.

IN ANSWER TO THE ANTIS. A Volunteer Presents the Facts

About the Philippines. American Turf Congress. THE DALLES, Sept. 16 .- (To the Edi-. CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—The American Turf Congress which has been in session tor.)—In today's Oregonian I read a statement from the anti-imperial-ists of Portland. The undersigned here adjourned today. The next meeting will be held in Chicago. It was announced that the memberships of four associaspent one year in Manila and vicinity and had an unusual opportunity of obtions in the congress had expired and would not be renewed. They are: The serving conditions, being able to speak the Spanish language. I know (as every one does who mingled with the Tagals and spoke the Spanish language, so he could judge), that they (the Tagals) had Kentucky Racing Association, Lexington Ky.; the Western Turf Association, San Francisco, Cal.; the Cincinnati Livestock Show and Driving Park Association, Cincinnati, and the Pacific Coast Jockey Club, of San Francisco. The following officers were elected: President, James not the faintest idea of independence, as understand it. During the month we lay in the trenches before Manila, Howard, Chicago; vice-president, Robert Ault, St. Louis; secretary, E. C. Hopper, Covington, Ky.; treasurer, E. S. Lee, Cov-

been exhausted.

ington, Ky. Killed His Friend. SALT LAKE, Utah, Sept. 20 .- Warren F. Harrison, foreman of the Rocky Moun-tain Bell Telephone Company, was shot and instantly killed at Brigham City, Utah, last night, by James Burke, one of his linemen. Harrison was standing in drug store, when Burke entered and without a word of warning emptied the contents of a shotgun into the back of Harrison's head. Burke was placed un-der arrest, but refused to give any reason for the act. Both men had been close

Quarantine in Nevada.

RENO, Nev., Sept. 20.—Dr. J. E. Cohn.
Quarantine Officer for California, and Dr.
M. P. Matthewa, Secretary of the State
Board of Health, of California, are here to inspect all westbound trains to guard against the possible introduction of small-pox in their state. Smallpox is said to be very prevalent in Green River, Wyo., and several cases have developed in the east-

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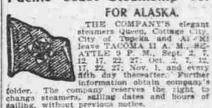
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