LIGHT FLOUR TRADE

Orientals Are Buying Sparingly at Present.

WANT LOW PRICES

Wheat Holds Steady at Forme Rates-Barley and Oats Firm. Crop Conditions in Foreign Grain Countries.

FLOUR-Oriental demand light at

WHEAT-Market steady at former

OATS-Strong and slightly higher. FRUIT-Wet weather checks trad-

POULTRY-Prices probably at low-

HOPS-Picking not finished at Che-

te rather quiet. The Japanese are making some ffers, but do not respond readily to the late advance in prices here. Not much trading is looked for for the next two weeks at least, but if the market holds steady it is believed the Orientale will then take hold more freely. Just now they have apparently all the flou urchases in July and August. There is no cott there is still effective. The local flour market continues moderately active, with prices steady in accordance with the unchanged wheat values.

The wheat market yesterday had a quiet appearance, and prices were quoted as formerly, club at Tic and bluestern at 74c. Oats ere firm and slightly higher, some dealers quoting \$24.50. The barley market was strong at the old price.

conditions in foreign countries are thus reported by Broomhall's Corn Trade news of

United Kingdom-A week of fine weather has nabled growers in the United Kingdom to inish harvest work in all, except the very inness narvest work in all, except the very latest, districts; and, moreover, owing to the prevailing low temperatures, the crops appear to have taken little serious harm from the recent rains. Reports generally speak well of threshing results for wheat, although naturally there are some complaints both as regards quality and yield. Deliveries of English farmers continue on a liberal scale, but last week's rs continue on a liberal scale, but last week's

verage price, viz., 25s 11d per 480 big., was d lower than the previous week's. Germany-Autumn field work is progressing noter favorable conditions, and with more faunder raworable conditions, and with more fa-torable weather people are feeling more hope-ful about the potato and root crops. There are continued complaints of the scarcity of native rye. Wheat rye and coarse grains meet a good demand, parily owing to the in-different harvest and parily because of the prospective increase of import dutice. The fearness of meat is also a factor and there. can be no doubt that raisers of cattle and pigs will feed on a large scale, in order to take advantage of the present high prices.

Russia-The preliminary crop estimates we mentioned last week have been since withdrawn, and the semi-official Journal of Industry and Commerce has issued estimates making the supposed crop of Winter and Springwheat in 64 governments 440 000 000 husbels inst \$16,000,000 bushels in 1904. In spite this, however, and notwithstanding contin-talk of scarcity of railway wagons the export movement is on an immense scale. Ship-pers still say they expect to see the moveat present there are no signs of any reduc-tion, and it is fairly certain that if the Germans want the wheat and keep prices high enough they will be able to fill their require-ments. Very hot weather now prevails in th Russia. A report just received says that not a drop of rain has fallen for about three weeks, while the thermometer has daily registered 90 to 100 degrees Patrenheit. It is guite impossible to commence plowing or seedng for the cross of 1906.

India-Wheat crop prospects have been great-improved by the recent heavy rains. Ship-ers are now more disposed to offer, and it expected that shipments will increase at me distant date.

Argentina-The wheat crop continues to row well and the latest sown, in the South, ow shows an excellent plant. Shipments of wheat and corn are very fair for the time of year, but a strike is reported from Rosario. it develops the movement may be re-

POULTRY PRICES AT BOTTOM. Low Quotations Are Expected to Shut Off Shipments.

sesterday, notwithstanding the liberal buying. Retailers were out in force, attracted by the low prices, but probably would not have oper-

mand yesterday for grapes and peaches. Of the latter, a few obly came in from The les, and they were rather small. The best brought 75@85 cents a box. A car of delayed bananas arrived in very fair condition, and we cars of sweet potatoes also came in. Tomatoes were a drug on the market and were not quotable above a or 40 for the best

In the cargo of the wrecked Meamer St. Paul was a lot of grapes, lemons, navel oranges and coccanute. The fruit orders will he duplicated for shipment North by the Coiumbia.

THIRTEEN CENTS FOR HOPS. Harris, of Salem, Buys the Yeargen Crop at That Price.

teen cents is the market quotation for noice Oregon hope, another sale having been

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

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COFFED—Mocha, 26g28c; Java, ordinary, 18g26c; cook a 13c, making the purchase for Schwartz & Sons, of New York, for export.

The Oregonian Tuesday last reprinted an article from the Waterville, N. Y., Times, credited to the Kentish Observer of September 14, forecasting the English crop at "something over 500,000 cwt." The figures in the Kentish paper were "600,000 cwt." and the miscake made by the Waterville Times was therefore inadvertantly continued in this paper. The subsequent issue of the Kentish Observer, that of September 21, quotee the East

the growers to be very firm in their viewa."

Press telegrams continue to report the New York hop market as firm. The Boston Com-mercial Bulletin of latest date says of that

"The stock of old hope is practically cleaned up, and dealers are on the eve of opening up their supplies of the 1905 crop. Actual business during the past week has been small. There is a good inquiry, however, from brewers, many of whom are now much shorter stocked then for yours past, and much exchanging of letters and telegrams between the buyers here and the sellers on the Coast. Alwhole, very fine, it is apparent that the crop will be somewhat shorter than last year. The New York state output will fall very far behind that of 1904, and the Coast output slightopening sample bales just arriving and ex-press satisfaction at the general good quality. The following quotations contain prices for the 1905 and 1904 crops, and are representative of the quotations at which all present actual business is being accomplished: Pacific Coast, 1904, 20g23c; do, 1965, 23g24c; New York state, 1904, 20@23c; do, 1905, 23@ 24c.*

Veni Market Lower.

The yeal market is very weak, owing to heavy receipts in the past few days, and prices generally show a half-cent decline. Pork, is in good condition, sells readily at the old quotations. There is no change in beef utton, both of which are very dull.

Bank Clearings. Bank clearings of the Northwestern citie esterday were as follows:

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT—Club, Tie per bushel; bluestem, 74c; Vailey, 71g/72c.
FLOUR—Patents, \$4.20@4.80 per barrel; straights, \$3.90@4.10; clears, \$5.65@3.90; Vailey, \$3.60@4.10; Dakota hard wheat, \$6.50@7.25; Graham, \$3.25@3.75; whole wheat, \$4.75@4; rye flour, local, \$5; Eastern, \$5.50@5.00; cornmeal, per bais, \$1.90@2.20.
OATS—No. 1 white feed, \$24@24.50; gray, \$24@24.50 per ton.
Mill.STUFFS—Bran, \$18 per ton; middings, \$24.50; shorts, \$19; chop, U. S. Mills, \$18; ilinseed dairy feed, \$18; alfaifa roeal, \$18 per ton.

sils, linseed dairy feed, 518; alfalfa rocal, \$18; linseed dairy feed, \$18; alfalfa rocal, \$18 per ton.

BABLEY-Feed, \$20,50621 per ton; brewing, \$21,50622; rolled, \$21,50622.

RYE-\$1,4061.45, per cental.

CEREAL FOODS-Rolled oats, cream, 90-pound sacks, \$6.75; lower grades, \$5.66.25; oatmeal, steel cut, 50-pound sacks, \$5 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4.25 per hale; oatmeal (ground), 50-pound sacks, \$5.00 per barrel; 10-pound sacks, \$4 per hale; split peas, \$5 per 100-pound sacks, 25-pound boxes, \$1.40; pearl barley, \$4.25 per 100 pounds; 25-pound boxes, \$1.25 per box; pastry flout, 10-pound sacks, \$2.50 per bale.

BAY-Eastern Oregon timothy, \$14@15 per ton; Valley timothy, \$11@12; clover, \$8.29; cheat, \$7.50@9; grain hay, \$8.69.

Vegetables, Fruit, Etc.

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DOMESTIC FRUITS—Apples, \$1@1.50 per box; peaches, 75@50c per crate; plums, 50@ 75c per crate; cantaloupes, 75c \$1.25 per crate; pears, \$1.25 \$1.50 per hox; watermelons, \$ @1c per pound; crahapples, \$1 per box, grapes, muscat, \$1.25 a box; 70%, \$1 \$1.50; black, \$1; Concord, 15@25c; casabas, \$2@2.50 per dozen; cranberries, \$2.50@510 per barrel; quinces, \$1 per box.

TROPIUAL FRUITS—Lemons, choice, \$4 per box; fancy, \$5, oranges, Valencla, fancy, \$5@5.63 per box; grapefruit, \$3@3.50; pineapples, \$2.50 dozen; pomegranates, \$1.85 per box.

FRESH VEGETABLES—Beans, 1@4c per pound; cabbage, 1@15c per pound; cabbage, 1

FRESH VEGETABLES Beans, 194c per pound; cablishing, 1814c per pound; caulinower, 78c per dozen; celery, 75c per dozen; corn, 68c per sack; cucumbers, 100 lbc per dozen; corn, 68c per sack; cucumbers, 100 lbc per dozen; cap per pound; \$1.75 per crate; peppers, 3c per pound; pumpkins, 14 glisc; somatoes, 30040c per crate; squash, 5c per pound. NOOT VEGETABLES—Turnips, 90c 81 per sack; carrots, 53c 75c per sack; beets, 53c 91 per tack; garilo, 12 per per pound.

ONIONS—Oregon Yellow Danvers, \$1.25 per sack.

sack; common, nominal; Merced sweets, 27

sack; common, nominal; Merced sweets, 2 7 24c per pound, DRIED FRUITS-Apples, 769c per pound; pricots, 126 12 4c; peaches, 10% \$12 4c; apricots, 126 12 4c; peaches, 10% \$12 4c; apricots, 12 14 counce peackages, 75 85c per box, 55 counce, \$2 22 4c; Smyrna, Noc per pound; dates, Fard, \$1.40 per 15-pound case. RAISINS-Seeded, 12-ounce packages, 76 5c; 16-counce, 84 6 3c; loose muscatels, 54 8 7 3c; unbleached seedless Suitanns, 64c; London layers, 3-crown whole boxes of 20 pounds, \$1.85; 2-crown, \$1.75.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc.

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BUTTER-City creameries: Extra creamery, 30 SUT the per pound. State creameries: Fancy creamery, 20 SUT to the pound. State creameries: Fancy creamery, 20 SUT to the state of the creamery, 20 SUT to the state of the creamery, 20 SUT to the state of t

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc. HOPS-Oregon, 1905, choice, 12@13c; olds, 10

low prices, but probably would not have operated so heavily had quotations been advanced.

Receipts were not so heavy as on the preceding day, and stocks were cleaned up long before nightfall. Prices on chickens ran all the way from 11 to 12 cents.

Turkeys were a drug on the market and were hard to dispose of at any price. Gesso and ducks were in good demand. It is helleved that the low prices that have prevailed on chickens and turkeys will result in much smaller receipts in the coming week.

There were no changes in other lines yesterday. Strictly fresh Oregon eggs were firm at the top price and other kinds were steady. Butter quotations remained unchanged.

RAIN CHECKS FRUIT TRADE.

Orders for Produce Lost on the Wrecked St. Faul Will Be Duplicated.

The rainy weather put a damper on the fruit business, but still there was a fair demand yesterday for grapes and peaches. Other latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common, 10 gibs each; Angora with vol on the latter, a few only came in from The common to the latter of the common, 10 0 15c each; Angers with a col on, 25c 8 31.50 each, TALLOW-Prime, per pound, 3 6 3 kg; No.

TALLOW-Prime, per pound, 3@34c; No. 2 and grease, 2@3c.
FURS-Bear skins, as to size, No. 1, \$2.50g10 each; cube, \$1.52; badger, 25@50c; wild cat, with head perfect, 25@50c; house cat, 5@10c; fox, common gray, 50@70c; red, £2.65; cross, \$5@15; silver and black, \$100.20c; nahere, \$5@6; lynx, \$4.50g0; mink, atricity No. 1, according to size, \$10.250; marten, dark Northern, according to size and color, \$10.915; marten, pale, pine, according to size and color, \$2.50g4; murket, large, 10.615; citer, large, prime skin, \$6@10; panther, with head and claws perfect, \$2.85; racconourseline, 30.650c; munket, \$6.00g1; wolverine, 30.650c; mountain wolf, with head parfect, \$2.50g5; coyote, 60c.@81; wolverine, \$40.85; beaver, per skin, large, \$5.66; medium, \$3.64; smail, \$1.91.50; kits, \$0.675c.
BEIDSWAX-Good, clean and pure, 20.672c.
per pound.
CASCANA SAGRADA (Chittana basis) per pound. CASCARA SAGRADA (Chittam bark)-

Kentish Chamber of Agriculture as authority for the statement that the crop of 1905 will equal that of 1901, which was 640,000 cst.

Etnest Wells, the local representative of the E. Clemens Horst Company, who returned yesterday from a trip to Chehalis, reports that hoppicking is still under way there.

"Bome of the yards," he said, "will not finish picking until the middle of next week, but there is little, if any, sign of mold as a real, it is that section, as a rule, is very fine. I found the growers to be very firm in their views."

Frem telegrams continue to report the New York here that the growers to be very firm in their views."

Beans Spall white, 40 per pound; 10 days, deduct %c per pound; not days, deduct %c per pound; not days, deduct %c per pound; sail per ton, \$1.50 per 100 days, decduct %c per pound; not days, deduct %c per pound; not days, decduct %c per pound; not d

Provisions and Canned Ments.

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HAME-10 to 14 pounds, 14c per pound;
14 to 16 pounds, 13%c; 18 to 20 pounds,
13%c; California (picnic), 9%c; cottage
hams. Sc; shoulders. 9c; boiled ham, 21c;
boiled picnic ham, boneless 15c.

DRY SALT CURED-Regular short clears.
11c; dry salt, 12c smoked; clear backs, 11c;
dry salt, 12c smoked; clear backs, 12c
dry salt, 12c smoked; clear backs, 12c
fry salt, 12c
smoked; Union butts, 10 to 18 pounds arerage, none.

BACON-Fancy breakfast, 10 ic per pound;
standard breakfast, 11 to 14 pounds, 15c; peach
bacon, 14c
PULY ED COODS. bacon, 14c, PICKLED GOODS-Pork, barrels, \$18; ¼-barrels, \$9.50; beef, barrels, \$12; half-bar-

PACKLESS GOODS-FORK DEFFERS \$15, 9-barrels, \$6.30. beef, barrels, \$12; half-barrels, \$6.30. SAUSAGE-Ham, 13c per pound; minced ham, 10c; Summer, choice dry, 174c; bologna, long, 54c; weinerwurst, Sc. liver, 3c; pork, 56 loc; headchess, Sc; blood, Sc; bologna sausage, link, 44c.

CANNED MEATS-Corned beef, pounds, per dozen, \$1.25; two pounds, \$2.35; six pounds, \$2.35; six

BEEF-Dressed Meats.

BEEF-Dressed bulls. 192c per pound;
cows. 364c; country steers. 46445c.

VEAL-Dressed. 75 to 125 pounds. 76745c;
125 to 250 pounds. 4654c; 200 pounds and up.
364c.

MUTTON-Dressed. fancy. 64.67c per
pound; ordinary. 46.5c; lambs. 76.74c.

PORK-Dressed. 100 to 150 pounds. 76.

Tic: 130 and up. 6664c per pound.

TURPENTINE Cases, 880 per gallon.
WHITE LEAD—Ton lots, 7%c; 500-pound
lots, 7%c; less than 500-pound lots, 8c.
GASOLINE—Stove gasoline, cases, 23%c;
iron barrels, 17c; 86 deg. gasoline, cases, 32c;
iron barrels or drums 26c. tron barrels of drums, 26c.
COAL OIL-Cases, \$2.05 per case; from barrels, 15c per gallon; wood barrels, 15c.
LINSEED OIL-Raw, 5-barrel lots, 46c;
1-barrel lots, 50c; cases, 55c; boiled, 5-barrel lots, 51c; 1-barrel lots, 55c; cases, 57c.

PRODUCE ON ST. PAUL INSURED BY STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Large Orders Expected to Be Placed at San Francisco for Shipment on the Columbia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 6 .- (Special) -- Portland and San Francisco firms who shipped large quantities of grapes, lemons and other products on the wrecked steamer St. Paul are fully protected against joes, as the freight charges of the steamship company included the insurance. It is expected that unusually large shinments will be made on the Columbia to leave here October 9 in anticipation of a big demand during the closing days of the Fair. A report in current that the Melville Dollar has been chartered to take care of freight business on the Portland run, re-

ture today. Grapes suitable for shipping were quite stendy. Apples were weak. Lemons were easy. Oranges were firm. California new-crop navels are expected in the market between October 15 and 20. River potatoes arrived freely and continued

quiet and easy. Fancy Salinas were firm. demand. Garden vegetables were generally

The grain congestion on the seawall is slow ly being relieved and the market for leading cereals showed more steadiness. December barier had a sharp upbeaval and touched

\$1.10%. December wheat rose to \$1.38%. Spot barley was strongly held, but cash wheat was culet and easy.

Dairy products were generally unchanged, though eggs are weakening. Receipts, 24,000 pounds buffer, 45,100 pounds cheese, 22,100 dozen exes. lozen eggs.

Gozen eggs.

Hops are rather more active and steadler.
-VEGETABLES-Cocumbers, 50075c; garlir,
5°06c; green pean 364c; string beans, 16 5c; tomatoes, 25650c; okra, 40665c; eggplant.

POULTRY-Turkey gobblers, 21@25c; récat-rx, old, \$4,50@5; roosters, young, \$4,50@5.50; rollers, small, \$2,50@3; brollers, large, \$3@ .50; fryers, \$1.5064; hens, \$464.50; ducks, 4d, \$4.5065; young, \$486. EGGS-Fancy ranch, 40c; Eastern, 20828c.

BUTTER-Fancy creamery, 27c; creamery seconds, 22c; fancy dairy, nominal; dairy seconds, nominal; dairy

MILLSTUFFS-Bran, \$22022.50; middlings,

HAY-Wheat, \$10@15.50; wheat and oats, \$10 @14; bariey, \$8@11; alfalfa, \$6.50@0; clover, \$7@10; stock, \$5@0; straw, per bale, 30@30c. POTATORS-Salinas Burbaoks, The@\$1.15; sweets, \$1.25@1.50. CHEENE-Toung America, 12*@15c; Eastern, 18615c.

19618c.
FRUITS-Applea choice, \$1.25; common 30c; bananas, \$193; Mexican limes, \$494.50; California lemona choice, \$3.50; common, \$1.50; pincapples, \$223.
HOFS-1904, 12614c; 1905, 12614c.
RECEIPTS-Flour, 2363 quarter eacks; wheat, 2005 centals; bariey, 5521 centals; bats, 3510 centals; beans, 5918 sacks; potatoss, \$600 me/ks/ beans, 600 sacks; medilines, 25, 5600 me/ks/ bean, 600 sacks; me/ks/ be

5800 mcks; bran. 640 sacker middlings, 230 sacks; hay, 383 tons; wool, 328 bales; hides, 56,200.

LATE HOP-PICKING. Season Practically Wound Up in the Inde

pendence District. It is not often that hoppleking runs into Oc-tober, but such is the case this year. Today, tober, but such is the case this year. Today, October 6, practically winds up the hoppicking sesson. The scarolty of pickers, the independence of these who did pick and rainy weather the past 10 days have combined to prolong the season. Most of the white pickers have quit and gone home. A few, however, remain to see the wind-up of picking and all the Indians are still here. The local pointing office jurned out the least believed. printing office turned out the last batch of hop tickets today. They are being used in the Percival yard run by J. F. Groves, and are a change from the weight to the box system. The Bore yard has more unpicked hops than any yard in this district. If the weather should clear up and the same force he now has would remain, there is about two days picking yet, and they are fine hops.

C. A. McLaughlin finished the Hirschberg yards today in the rain. T. A. Riggs has quit in the George Wells yard. Krebt pickers all pulled out this week.

Hops have been less on account of the carly rains in this district. printing office turned out the last batch of

reins in this district.

futures closed firm at a net advance of 59 15 points. Sales were reported of 37,500 bags, including November, 7,10c; December, 7,15g 7,25c; March, 7,50c; 7,50c; April, 7,50c; May, 7,50g7,70c; July, 7,50g7,70c, and September, 7,75g7,88c. Spot Sio, quiet; No. T invoice, 8 11-16c; mild, firm.
Sugar—Baw, steady; fair refining, Sc; centrifugal, 96 test, 3%c; molasses sugar, 2c Refined is quiet; crushed, \$5,50; powdered, \$4,50; granulated, \$4.8c. futures closed firm at a net advance of 50

New York Cotton Market NEW YORK, Oct. 6 -- Cotton futures closed barety steady at a net decline or 25930 ; October, 2 63c; December, 9.51c; Ja; 9.85c; February, 10.05c; May, 10.17c.

January.

German Buying Indicates Poor Crops There.

FOREIGNERS TAKING FLOUR

Chicago Market Shows a Strong Undertone at the Start Due to Support Given It by Leading Bull Operator.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.-For the first time in sev eral weeks the wheat market today showed a strong undertone, due to support from a hull leader who has of late been a completuous buyer. Throughout the whole seesion values had an upward tendency. At the opening De-cember was up \60% to \60. at \$450 to \$450 SSc. Commission-houses and shorts were per-sistent buyers. While there was heavy realizaletent buyers. While there was heavy realizing at times, sales were easily aborbed. Export news was apparently the most powerful factor in the situation. The fact that the Germana have been buying American wheat seemed the principal point around which revolved influences. Considerable attention was given a report by an eminent English statistictan regarding the world's supply of bread-atuffs. According to this authority, Germany is buying unexpectedly large quantities of foreign wheat, supposedly for immediate consumption. This may be taken as a "sign," says the statistician that the German crops of wheat and rys are even worse than had says the statistician that the German crops of wheat and rys are even worse than had been thought and that more demand for foreign wheat exists. Further confirmation of the improved demand for wheat for expert was received in dispatches from Duluth and Washington of preferred. the improved demand for wheat for export was received in dispatches from Duluth and Winnipeg. Numerous sales, also, of flour for export, are said to have been made by country mills in the Northwest. The highest point for December was 85%c. The market closed airong. December 85%S5%c.

Notwithsfanding ideal weather for the crop, the corn pit was bullish. The market closed firm, December & up, at 44%c.

Outs were firm. December closed 16%c up, at 28%c.

Trading in provisions was of extremely small volume. The market was firm and closed 15% higher for January pork, Thefice for lard and ribe were \$6 higher.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Kansas City Southern & Cannary Country and Winning St. Louis, Mank Thankstan L.

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December	.86%	High, 8 .83% .86%	\$.84% .86	Close. \$.8516 .85%
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Dec. (old) Dec. (new) May	.45%	-45% -45% -45%	.50 :45% .44 .43%	.501/4 .43 .441/4 .439/6
	OA.	TS.		
October December May		2815	.28%	28% .28% .80%
1	MESS	PORK!	2500	-
October			14.8T% 12.30	15.10
	LA	RD.		
October November January	7.17%	7.17% 7.22% 6.85	7.10 7.12% 6.80	T.111/2 T.221/4 6.80
1	SHORT	RIBS.		
October	8.55:	8.60	8.35 6.45	8.80 6.47%
Cash quotation Flour-Steadler		as follo	W8:	1-

Wheat-No. 2 Spring, 84c; No. 3, 7946 864c; No. 2 red, 83884c. Corn-No. 2, 5149514c; No. 2 yellow, 5448 544c. Oats-No. 2, 29c; No. 2 white, 28%@29c; No.

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Mess pork-Per barrel, \$15@15.10. Lard-Per 100 pounds, \$7.20. Short ribs sides-Loose, \$8.55@5.00.

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Flour, barrels	30,700	49
Wheat, bushels	119,000	12
Corn. bushels		. 88
Oute, bushels		200
Rye, hushels		. 98
Barley, bushels	125,600	25

NEW YORK, Oct. 6 .- Flour-Receipts, 21 tarrels; exports, 16,600 barrels. Market, dull,

hyshels. Spot. firm: No. 2 red. 88%c elevator; No. 2 red. 88%c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duiuth, 19%c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Manitobs, 91%c f. o. b. afloat. With little exception, wheat was firm all day, closing \$65\text{ic} net higher. May closed 80\text{ic}, December, 80\text{ic} closed 80\text{ic}, December, 80\text{ic} closed 80\text{ic}.

Wool and hides—Steady, closing

Hope-Firm. *Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 6.-Wheat and bar ey, strady. Spot quotations: Wheat — Shipping, \$1.374,61.424; milling. Barley-Fred. \$1.0661.10; brewing. \$1.106 .12%. Oats-Red, \$1.15@1.50; white, \$1.35@1.45;

Oach St. 6091.75.
Call board sales:
Wheat-December, \$1.36%.
Barley-December, \$1.10% bid.
Corn-Large yellow, \$1.4031.42%. Minneapolis Wheat Market MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. & Whest December, Hudstige; May, Soc. No. 1 hard, 834c; No. Northern, 82c; No. 2 Northern, 80c.

Wheat at Liverpool, LIVERPOOL, Oct. 6.—Wheat—December, 6s 95d; March, 6s 84d. The weather in England today was cold.

TACOMA, Oct. 6.-Wheat, unchanged; blue stem, 73c; club, 70c; red, 66c.

AWAITING THE OUTCOME

CESSATION OF SPECULATIVE IN-TEREST IN STOCKS.

Operators Watching Developments in the Money Market-Harriman Railway Earnings.

NEW YORK, Oct. & Speculative Interes retty well died out of the market today and the determination seemed to be reached to await more definite outcome of the money sita wait more definite outcome of the money sit-uation. The rate for call leans did not rise to the high level of yesterday. But the ave-rage rate at which call money was placed was above that of yesterday. Intimations from Washington that plans were taking form for an issue of Panama Canai bonds took their place with other subjects hearing on future requirements on the money market. News of the day otherwise was not of much interest and was of scarcely any ef-

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cluding those of the Harriman Pacifics and St. Paul, were notable for the large portion of the increase in gross earnings which was absorbed by increased operating expenses, which, in the case of St. Paul, was sufficient o leave only a nominal increase in the net emings. The rate for sterling exchange went lower here in response to the stiff money market. Exports of wheat for the week showed a de-cline of 992,290 bushets from those of last week, explaining the scarcity of grain bijis

The early downward movement of stocks 19940

changed on call. CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS

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Amer. Tobacco fd. 5,000 100th
Althatic Coast Line 600 105 104th
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NEW YORK, Oct. 6.-Closing quotations: U. S. ref. 2s reg. 103 to D. & R. G. 4s. 101 to do coupon. 103 to N. T. C. G. 34 to 29 to do coupon. 103 to Nor. Pacific ils. 77 to do coupon. 104 to Nor. Pacific 4s. 105 U. S. new 4s reg. 134 to So. Pacific 4s. 105 U. S. new 4s reg. 134 to Union Pacific 4s. 105 to coupon. 134 to Union Pacific 4s. 105 to C. S. old 4s reg. 104 to U. S. califat 4s. 95 to do coupon. 104 to Jap. 6s. 2d ser. 98 to Atchison Adj. 4s. 90 to Jap. 4 to 2. cer. 91

LONDON. Oct. 6.—Consols for money, 88%; consols for account, 88 11-16. SSA: consols for account. SS 11-16.

Anaconda 64 Norfolk & West ST 4

Atchissa 91% do preferred 93

do preferred 108

Can Pacific 177

Ches & Ohlo 50 Norfolk & West 55%

Baltimore & O. 116%

Pennsylvania 74%

Can Pacific 177

Ches & Ohlo 50 Norfolk & West 55%

Reading 63%

C. Gt. Western 22

C. M. & St. P. 186

DeBeers 177

D. & R. Grande 35%

do preferred 92

D. & R. Grande 35%

do preferred 102%

Analysa 11%

D. & R. Grande 35%

do preferred 92

Erie 51

Union Pacific 138%

do 2d pref 73

LUIIon Pacific 138%

do 2d pref 34

do 2d pref 35%

LOUIS & Nash 158

Mo. Kas & T. 34%

N. Y. Central 1355

Spanish Fours 93%

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Money on call, strong, Knoxville
24,6714c per cent; lowest 24, ruling rate, 7. Charleston, S. C. closed offered at 2. Time money, firm, 60 and Wilmington, Del Wichita Wilkesbarre Davenport

10 days, 5634; six months, 45.

20 days, 5634; six months, 45.

Little Rock... 90 days, 5634; six months, 4%.
Prime mercantile paper, 44,65 per cent.
Scering exchange easy, with actual business
in bankers' bills at \$4.852694.8325 for demand and at \$4.818064.8185 for 60 days. Post-64 rates, \$4.83@4.83%, and \$4.86%, ctal bills, \$4.81%. Bar eliver, 61%c

Mexican dollars, 47c. Bonds-Government, steady; railroad, irreg-

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 6.-Silver bare, Drafts, sight, 3c; telegraph, 5c. Sterling, 60 days, \$4.88; sight, \$4.86.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—Bar silver, branky, 287-166 per ounce. Money, 28/63% per cent. The rate of discount for short bills, 34/63% per cent; for three months' bills, 34/64 per

Dally Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Today's statement of the Treasury shows:

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.-The London tin marhet was higher, closing at f148 lie for spot and f147 lie for futures. Locally the market was firm, closing at \$2.45@32.75c.

Copper was higher in London, closing at f71 lie for spot and f70 lie for futures. Locally there was no change. Lake is quoted 16.37% @1675c; electrolytic.els.37%@16.67%c and cast, ing. 16.17%@16.77%c.

ing. 16.129@16.87iqc.
Lead was firm at 4.85@4.90c locally. London was easier, ciceing at 410 10s.

Spelter was unchanged in London and at 6@6.10c in the local market.

Iron was higher, closing at 50s 1d for standard foundry and at 52s 8d for Cleveland warrants. Locally no change. No. 1 foundry Northern, \$17.75/\$18; No. 2 foundry Northern, \$17.75/\$18; No. 2 foundry Northern, \$17.75.00 No. 1 foundry Southern, \$16.75@17.75. 17.75; No. 2 foundry Southern, \$16.75@17 Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO, Dot. 6.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery,

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.-Butter, cheese and Wool at St. Louis, ST. LOUIS, Oct. 6.-Wool, steady; medium grades combing and clothing, 266304c; tight fine, 21626c; heavy fine, 18622c; tub washed,

Eggs steady at mark, 15@174c; firsts, 184c; prime firsts, 204; extras, 224c.

174-620c; dalry, 164-619c.

was generally recovered before the end of the day on a dult buying movement. The closing tone was irregular.

Bonds were bregular. Total sales, par value, \$2,080,000. United States bonds were all un-

Failure Statistics Not More Statistics Not More Muttons, \$4,00@5.25; fambs, \$5,50@6.10: range wethers, \$4,50@5.25; fed ewes, \$4.00 Favorable Since 1875.

TRADE GOOD EVERYWHERE

No Anxlety Regarding the Future. Collections for the Country as a Whole Good - Agricul-

tural Products Lower.

NEW TORK, Oct. 6.—Dun's Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Favorable trade reports still predominate and there is no anxiety regarding the future. Superlatives are needed in commenting on real estate transactions, building permits, bank exchanges and railway earnings, and statis-tics for the third quarter show a very low commercial death rate. Quarterly records back to 1875 disclose no three months period when the ratio of liabilities to solvent payments through the clearing-house was lower than just recorded, while the average loss to each firm in business was less in any year

except 1881.

Latest reports of railway earnings in September show a small gain of .I per cent over last year's figures, and forelegn commerce at this port provided an increase of \$2,178,290 in imports and a gain of \$222,891 in exports. in imports and a gain or as compared with the same week of 1904, as compared with the same week of 1904. Strength prevails in the hide market, despite increased receipts of cattle and some deterioration owing to the longer hair that is a seasonable factor at Northern points.

Commercial failures this week in the United States are 195, against 240 hast week, 204 the preceding week and 222 the corresponding week last year. Failures in Canada number 22, against 21 last week, 34 the preceding week and 25 last year

COLLECTIONS ARE GOOD. Money Still Moving to the Country-Agricultural Products Lower,

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.-Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:
Collections for the country as a whole are
good. Money is still moving to the country,
and while in liberal supply for ordinary trade

purposes, higher quotations at home and abroad mems certain. Something like a downward swing in prices of agricultural products is in evidence this week as a result of the pressure of new large crops of fine quality, which augurs for lower prices of feedstuffs. Meat products are becom-

ing cheaper.

Husiness fallures for the week ending Ochanics fallures fallures for the week ending Ochanics fallures fallure tober 5 number 189, against 185 last week and 195 in the like week of 1994. In Canada, failures for the week number 25, as against 28 last week and 19 in this week a year ago. Wheat including flour, exports for the week ending October 5 are 1,072,642 bushels, against 2,054,002 last week, 1,005,125 last year, 2,378,722 in 1983. From July to date the experts are 17,099,375 bushels, against 18,478,731 last

Bank Clearings. NEW YORK, Oct. 6.-The following table compiled by Bradstreet's shows the bank

clearings at the principal cities for the week ended October 5, with the percentage of in-crease and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year: P.C. P.C. \$1,970,190,572 18.6 211,124,562 1.9 109,408,826 21.4 162,634,306 32.7 Boston*
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Springfield, Ill.
Fall River
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Rockford, Ill.

Total United States \$3,030,701,911 17.0 Outside New York... 1,060,571,339 14.2 · CANADA.

Montreal \$ 50,130,530 Torente 24,337,256 24, 337, 236 22, 9 24, 337, 236 22, 9 24, 550, 694 55, 2 2, 527, 480 7.6 1, 520, 312 6, 0 2, 120, 744 25, 8 1, 384, 739 29, 9 1, 673, 947 8, 0 1, 150, 944 13, 8, 0 960, 380 21, 7 Ottawa
Halifax
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St. John, N. B. London, Ont. Total Canada\$ 75,919.382 25,5 *Balances paid in cash, *Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS.

Prices Quoted Locally on Cattle, Sheep and Hogs. The following livestock prices were quoted yesterday in the local market:
CATTLE-Best Eastern Oregon steers, \$56

CATTLE—Best Eastern Oregon steers, 150 of his captots.

1.26° good cows, \$1.2562.50; common cows, \$1.2661.75; calves, 125 to 150 pounds, \$5; 200 to 250 pounds, \$3.5064.

SHEEP—Best Eastern Oregon and Valley. \$1.2562.50; medium, \$5; lambs, \$464.25.

HOGS—Best large fat hogs, \$666.25.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK.

3000, market steady. Native steers, \$4.00 3 5.90; stockers and feeders \$2.50@4.25; bulls. \$2.00@4.00; Western steers, \$2.75@4.50;

Western cows, \$2.00@3.23., Hogs-Receipts, 4000; market steady. Bulk of sales, \$5.15@5.22½; heavy, \$5.15@ 5.25; packers, \$5.10@5.22%; pigs and lights, \$5.00 @ 5.20.

64.50. SOUTH OMAHA. Oct. 6.-Cattle-Ra-

celpts, 1100; market steady to strong. Na-tive strees, \$3.80@3.80; native cows and helfers \$2.75@4.25; Western steers, \$3.00@ 4.50; Texas steers, \$2.75@4.10; Texas come and helfers, \$2.00@3.00; canners, \$1.50@2.30; stockers and feeders, \$2.40@4.15; calves, \$2.00@5.50; buils, stags, etc., \$2.00

Hogs-Receipts, 3500; Heavy, \$4.85@3.20; mixed, \$5.00@3.65; light, \$5.15@5.35; pigs, \$4.50@5.10; bulk of males. \$4.95 @ 5.20. Sheep-Receipts, 3200; market steady, Westerns, \$4.90@5.15; wethers, \$4.20@4.75;

ewes, \$4.15@4.30; lambs, \$6.40@6.55. CHICAGO, Oct. 6 .- Cattle-Receipts. 900; market steady. Beeves, \$3.65@4.33; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.20; cows and neifers, \$1.40@4.50; Texas fed steers, \$3.35 \$4.50; Western steers, \$3.25@4.53. Hogs-Receipts today, 15.000. Market, steady; mixed and butchers, \$5.10@5.77%; good to choice beavy, \$5.25@5.75; rough beavy.

\$4.95@5.20; light, \$5.05@5.75; bulk of sales, \$5.20@5.05; pige, \$4.75@5.30. Sheep—Receipts, 10.000. Market steady. Sheep-Receipts, 10,000. Market sheep, \$3.90@5.00; lambs, \$4.50@7.60. Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 6.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks roday were as follows: Alpha Con. \$.10 Justice Andes 21 Mexican
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Best & Belcher 1 190 Ophir
Bullion 31 Overman Bullion Caledonia Challenge Con... 14 Savage Challenge Con. 12 Scarage Chollar 12 Scarpion Confidence 10 Seg Belcher Con Cal & Va. L25 Sierra Nevada. Crown Peint 07 Silver Hill Exchequer 47 Inion Con. Gouid & Curry, 19 Utah Con. Hale & Norcross 1.00 Yellow Jacket

NEW YORK, Oct. 6 .- Closing quotations

BOSTON, Oct. 6 .- Closing quotat Adventure \$ 2.37's Mchawk \$ 38.25 Allouez \$40.00 Mont C & C 3.87 Amalgamated \$3.25 Old Dominion 26.50 Am Zine \$ 0.00 Oscebia 108.30 Atlantic 28.00 Parret 20.00 Blingham 21.25 Quincy 108.60 Parret 20.00
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Shannon T.62
Tamarack 128.00
Trinity 9.12
United Cop. 34.00 agham 32.00
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Mass. Mining 10.00
Winona
Michigan 14.62 Wolverine

New York 9,12% 34,00 37,00 10,00

NEW YORK, Oct. & .- The market for evap orated apples is unchanged, Common to good, 5610c, and prime, Pac. Prunes, unchanged, 45075c, according to

grade. Apricots, quiet, Choice, SiggSe; extra choice, SigSig: fancy, 106111/je. Peaches, nominal and firm. California raleins were higher. Spot market is firm. Loose muscatels, NaffTige; seeded raisine, NaffTige, and London layers, \$1.130

BANKER SCHIFFER IS LOST

1.20.

Partner in Wrecked Alamosa Bank Disappears Suddenly.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.-Through police headquarters a country-wide glarm has been sent out for Abraham Schiffer, a part owner of the Alamosa Bank, of Alamosa. Colo., which closed its doors a few days ago, after \$250,000 of its funds were

reported missing. Mr. Schiffer left New York last Thurs day, estensibly for Alamosa, and Mas not been heard from since. He did not reach his destination, and telegraph messages to various, parts of the country having failed to reach him, his brother, Herman, fearing that he had met with violence, yesterday asked the police to aid in find

ing him. Isaac Schiffer, another brother, was Abraham's partner in the Western bank. According to a statement made at their office yesterday, they were interested to the extent of \$55,000 each. Their first knowledge of trouble in the bank's affairs came to them last week, when it was re-ported that \$70,000 had been lost in some unknown manner. They at once prepared to go to Alamosa, Isaac starting first. He is there now. Abraham was unable to go until last Thursday.

About a year ago Mr. Schiffer was shot

while in charge of the bank at Alamosa, and his brother thinks he may have been again assaulted. In speaking of the management of the Alamosa Bank, Herman Schiffer said yes-terday he knew nothing of any speculation in mining stock or mines, which is re-ported to have caused the collapse of the bank. He said that, so far as he knew,

TRAFFIC AGENTS TO MEET Portland Railway Men Leave for

his brothers were not interested in any such deals. He said he was unable to ex-

press any opinion on the cause of the fail ure because he was without news, except

Spokane. A party of Portland railway men left last night for Spokane to attend the regu-lar quarterly meeting of the first district of the Pacific Coast Association of Traffic Agents. There will be a session this afternoon at & o'clock, and in the evening at 8 o'clock W. W. Cotton, of Portland, will defiver an address upon the subject, "Pro-posed National Legislation Affecting Railroad Rates." The evening programme will be followed by a banqeut at the Spokane Hotel. Large delegations are going from Seattle and Tacoma and the attendance will probably be about 150. In the Portland party are W. W. Cotton, B. H. Trumbull, W. C. McBride, F. Baumgariner and wife, W. A. Cox and

wife, C. J. Gray and wife, Paul Shoup J. H. O'Neill, J. Alexander, Alexander Gavin, W. E. Coman and wife, William Murray, M. J. Roche, H. H. Hallock, W. A. McDonald, E. F. Baird, Le Roy Tucker and wife and C. H. Gielm.

No Clew to Black Hand Gang.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.-The abandonment of Tony Marendine by the persons who had kidnaped and held him for ransom and the return of the little Italian boy to his parents, which occurred last night. has given the pofice no clew to the kid-napers. So impressed with fear of the persons who had stolen him was the littie fellow that he either could or would give no other description of his captors than a mass of confusing contradictions. out of which the police could extract nothing that would point to the identity of his captors. He had even been so schooled by them that he called them "papa" and "mamma," but said, upon

If Baby Is Cutting Teeth

Prices Current at Kansas City, Omaha and Chicago.

KANSAS CITY. Oct. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, and diarrhoea.