Foreign Trade Is Growing in Volume.

EXPORT PRICES HIGHER

of 20 Cents Bringing the Quotation Up to \$4 a Barrel. Wheat Firm but Quiet.

export grades of flour was announced yesterday, bringing the quotation up to \$4 harrel. The price of exports and pat-nts is getting closer together, as millers slieve it should, holding that the spread beretofore this season has been entirely too

The foreign business shows a satisfactory degree of improvement and there is a good deal of trade now passing at full prices. Next month's shipments to the Orient should

wheat markets has added strength to the markets of the Pacific Northwest, but not increased the volume of husiness, so far as Portland is concerned. The demand locally was light yesterday and former prices were dven out. On the Sound there is some equiry from millers who are still needing wheat and are ready to pay up to 90 cents for it, consequently the Northern markets are at present higher by several cents than

as is to is 6d higher, at 35s 6d to 36s for Walla Walls. The English speculative mar-kets also advanced sharply. Even with this advance in cargoes, the local market s still considerably above an export basis. The strength abroad was attributed partly to the serious crop news from America, but

This Wk. Last Wk. Last Yr. 992,000 1,128,000 1,200,000 1,000,000 360,000 800,000 1,072,000 2,504,000 Osts were quoted firm, with a fair amount of activity. The supply east of the mountains is well cleaned up and prices are stiffer there than here, sales being reported from the country on the basis of \$27.50. Local ratus have been held down by the liberal stocks left in the valley and the prospects of a hig crop, but since buyers have turned their attention to the valley, the Western Prezen holders have become firmer in their presents have become firmer in their

deas and are asking mure.

There is not much trade passing in the barley market. There is said to be considerable harley still unsold and consumers are not showing much interest in the trade. Local receipts, in cars, were reported by Merchants Exchange as follows: Wheat Barley Flour Oats Hay

CANTALOUPES SELL AT HIGH PRICES elons Plentiful and Lower-Penches Clean Up.

Cantaloupes sold yesterday at the highest the case of the street week of the season. Itself of the season that a few express shipments were received and the best of them brought \$4.25 per crate. Two cars of waterneions were added to the supply already on hand, and prices were reduced to 15.615, cents per pound.

A car of California Crewtords arrived and was cleaned up at 75685 cents. The stock of Fiberna was the cleaned up at 15.615 cents. Elbertas was also cleaned up. Alexanders are quit coming from Southern Oregon id it will be a week yet before there are any Hale's Early peaches from that section A good many small apricots are coming from The Dalles, which have to be sold as

offered at \$2.25 per box. New apples of various sorts were available at \$1.20@2.25 per box. A large shipment of Gravensteins on hand early next week and will tell at \$2,250; 2.50 per box. Three cars of sunanas arrived in good condition,

Poultry Receipts Are Larger.

Receipts of poultry yesterday were larger than for some time past. The 20-cent quotation was maintained on hens, but the market was not as strong as it has been. If receipts start out heavy next week, prices may recede somewheat. Good Oregon eggs sold without touble at cents in spite of the free offerings of The butter market was firm and active at

English Hop Crop-Estimate,

No change in weather. Market is quiet, General estimate of English crop is 323,000

Sharp Advance in Linseed Oil.

An advance of 6 cents a gallon in linseed oil was announced yesterday. The new quotation on raw in barrels is 32 cents and in cases 97 cents; holled in barrels, 54 cents, and in cases 39 cents.

Bank Clearings. Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

1 ortiand 21,450,679 \$111,495 Seattle 1,002,882 253,850 Tacoms \$83,120 70,000 Spokane 688,685 64,517

> PORTLAND MARKETS. Grain, Flour, Fred, Etc.

WHEAT—Bluestem, 86 @ STo: club, 82 m SSc; red Russian, 80c; Valley, 84c. FLOUR—Putents, \$5.15 per barrel; Straights, \$4.05 @ 4.75; export 51; Valley, \$5.30; graham, \$4.80; whole wheat, quar-ters, \$5. BARLEY-Feed and browing, \$200 22 per

to;

HAY—Track prices: Timothy, Willamette Valley, \$20@21 per ton; Eastern Oregon, 522@25; airafa, new, \$13@14.

CORN—Whole, \$32; cracked, \$33 per ton, Mil.1.87UFFS—Bran, 320 per ton; mid-dinas, \$30; shorts, \$21@22; rolled bariey, \$24.00@25.50.

OATS—No. I white, \$26@27.50 per ton.

Dairy and Country Produce.

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BUTTER - City creamery, extras, frei fancy outside creamery, 200 31c per pound; store, 28c, butter fat, 31c.

EGGS-Orspen candled, 21c per dox; Eastern, 210 25c.

CHEESE-Fill cream twins 17 917 %c per pound; Young America, 18 9 18 %c.

POULTRY-Hen. 20c; Springs, 22 % 25c; ducks, 14 8 10c; seese, 10 8 12c, turkeys, dezen.

PORK-Pancy, 12 cents, country

PORK-Pancy, 124-818c per pound, VEAL-Fancy, 114-812c per pound.

Vegetables and Fruits.

GREEN PRUITS—Apples. Oregon Newtown 82 per bein new 31.25 per box;
cherries. 3@12% per pound; apricots. 5000
\$1.50 per box; pluma. 500@\$1.25 per box;
pears. \$2.25 per box; peaches. 750@\$1.25 per
box; grapes. \$1.00@2.25.

BERRIES—Loganberries. 500@\$1.25 per
crate: blackberries. \$1.30@2 per box.
MELONS—Watermelons. 15.26.25, per
crate: blackberries. \$1.75@\$1.25 per
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crate: blackberries. \$1.30@\$2 per box.

MELONS—Watermelons. 15.26.25;
TROPICAL FRUITS—Oranges. \$2.30@\$4;
lemons. \$7@\$5; grapefruit, \$1.25@6 per box;
lemons. \$7@\$5; grapefruit, \$1.25@6 per box;

bananas, 8%c per pound; pinsapples, 769c per pound.

VEGETABLES—Artichokes, 00275c per dozen; beans, 195c per pound; calbage, 2%; 62%c per dozen; celery, 90c per dozen; com, 45c per dozen; cucumbers, 80% 90c per box; esge pinnt 12%c per pound; hothouse lettuce, 50c 21 per box; arrite, 10% 12%c per pound; horseradish, 3% 10c per pound; press, 15c per pound; squase, 15c per dozen; radishes, 15% 20c per dexen; rhubart, 2c per pound; squase, 15c per crate; tomatoze, 75c \$1.50 per pet.

SACK VEGETABLES—Carrots, 85c \$1.50 per pet.

POTATOES—Old Oregon, 75c \$1.

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Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

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DRIED FRUIT—Apples, 10c per pound; peaches, 7c; prunes, 1alians, 4@5c; prunes, French: 4@5c; currante, 10c; apricots, 15c; dates, 7c per pound; figs, fancy white, 6%c; fancy black, 7c; choice black, 5%c.

SALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, \$2 per dozen; 2-pound talls, \$2.95; 1-pound fails, \$2.10; Alaska pink, 1-pound talls, 90c; red, 1-pound talls, \$1.45; sockeye, 1-pound talls, \$2.

COFFEE—Mochs, 24@28c; Java, erdinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20e; good, NUTS—Walnuts, 15c per pound.

NUTS—Walnuts, 15c per pound. Brazil puts, 13%c 13c; filberts, 16c; almonds, 17c; pecans, 19c; cocoanuts, 90c@51 per dozen, SALT—Granulated, \$15 per ton; half-ground, 100s, \$10.50 per ton; 30s, \$11 per ton.

HEANS—Small white, 154c; harss white.

ground, 100s, \$10.50 per ton; 30s, \$11 per ton.

HEANS—Small white, 5½c; large white, 5½c; Lima 5½c; pink, 7c, red Mexicans, 7½c; bayou, 7½c.

SUGAR—Dry granulated, fruit and herry, 50.25; beet, \$6.05; extra C, \$5.75; golden C, \$5.65; pollew D, \$5.65; cubes (barrels), \$5.65; powdered, \$6.50; Domno, \$10.40@ \$16.90 per case. Terms on romittances within 15 days deduct ½c per pound, if later than 15 and within 30 days, deduct ½c per pound. Majle sugar, 15£18c per pound. RICE—No. 1 Japan, 4%c; cheaper grades, \$3.50g 4.53c; Southern head, 5% \$7c.

HONEY—Choles, \$3.25\$ 43.50 per case; strained, 7c per pound.

BACON—Fancy, Blc per pound; standard, 30c; choice. Bc; English, 20 m22c, HAMS—10 to 18 pounds, Fic; 14 to 15 pounds, 21½c; skinned, 22c; pienics, 15½c; LARD—Kettle rendered, 1cs, 15½c; standard pure, 15c; choice, 1cs, 15c. SMOKED BEEF—Beef tongues, each, 60c; dried beef sts, 22c; dried beef knekles, 23c; dried beef knekles, 22c. PICKLED GOODS—Barreis, Pickles, feet. PICKLED GOODS—Barrels: Pigu' feet. \$16; regular tripe, \$10; honeycomb tripe, \$12; lunch tongues, \$22; mess beef, ex-tra, \$14; mess pork \$36.

LINSEED OIL—Pure raw in barrels, 22c; kettle boiled, in barrels, 24c; raw, in classes, 27c; kettle boiled, in cases, 24c; raw, in classes, 27c; kettle boiled, in cases, 29c. Lots of 250 gallons, I cent less per gallon.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 82c; in wood barrels, 79½c.

COAL OIL—Water white in drums, iron barrels or tank wagon, 19½c. special water white in drums or iron barrels, 14c; union kerosens in cases, 2-5s, 25c; oleum kerosens in cases, 2-5s, 25c; oleum kerosens in cases, 2-5s, 21c, Aurora kerosens in cases, 2-5s, 25c; union motor spirit in bulk, 18c; union motor spirit in bulk, 18c; union motor spirit in cases, 2-5s, 25c; No. 1 engine distillate in cases, 2-5s, 15½c; V. M. & P. napitha in cases, 2-5s, 25c; V. M. & P. napitha in cases, 2-5s, 22c.

BENZINE—Union benzine in iron drums or barrels, 15c; union storels, 15c; union store distillate in ron drums or barrels, 15c; union benzine in ron drums or barrels, 15c; union store distillate in ron drums or barrels, 15c; union store distillate in ron

Furs.

FURS—Prices paid for prime No. 1 skins: Mink. Northwest Canada and Alaska, \$8\$ 10; Colorado. Wyoming, Montana, Idaho and California, \$5,67.50; British Columbia and Alaska Coast, \$5,67.50; British Columbia and Alaska Coast, \$5,67.50; British Columbia and Alaska Coast, \$5,67.50; British Columbia, \$45; Pacific Coast, \$28. Raccoon, \$1,67.50 Skinnk, Canada, \$22.50; Pacific Coast, \$1,50,67. Skinnk, Canada, \$22.50; Pacific Coast, \$1,50,67. Beaver, Oregon, Washington, Canada, Alaska, \$5,50,677; Idaho, Montana, \$10; Utah, Wyoming, \$6,50,677; cubs, \$2,69.2.50. Otter, Canada, Alaska, \$12,50,671; cubs, \$1,50,675; Caps, \$2,50,671; Caps, \$2,50,671; Caps, \$2,50,671; Caps, \$2,50,671; Caps, \$2,50,671; Caps, \$1,75; Pacific Coast, \$10,6715; cubs, \$12,6715; Pacific Coast, \$10,6715; cubs, \$12,6720; Pacific Coast, \$10,6715; cubs, \$10,6715; cubs, \$12,6720; c

PRICES RANGE FROM 19. TO

Less Than One-Tenth of the Clip of the State Has So Far Been Disposed Of.

MILES CITY, Mont. July 15 .- (Special.) --MILES CITY, Mont. July 15.—(Special.)—
Buyers for Chicago wool houses are getting active at this point. Sales recorded
this week are: The Lehfeldt clip of \$6,000
pounds at 20 cents a pound, the Pope &
Yawmah clip of 20,000 pounds at 20 cents,
the Pope & Billstnead clip of 20,000 pounds
also at 20 cents to Joseph Guthrie, of Sitherman Bros. of Chicago. Healt, Liboman
& Co., of Boston, secured the Storey &
Herd clips, aggregating 200,000 pounds,
prices ranging from 19 to 20%, the latter
figure representing the top price paid for
weel in Montana so far this season.

Five million pounds of wool are stored in
the railroad warehouses at this point, the
few sales made to the 15 buyers for Eastsern houses at present in the city being

weel on hand and still coming in.

There is practically no activity in wool sales in any other part of Montana, although at Billings the largest individual city in the world, the Bair clip, representing 1,500,000 pounds of wool, has been secured by Boston buyers.

A committee of woolgrowers and the buyers will meet soon to devise means and discuss will meet soon to devise means and discuss the same and di

ers will meet soon to devise means and dis-cuss prices with a view to expediting the market. Less than 10 per cent of this year's clip in Montana, estimated at about 20,000,000 pounds, has thus far been sold or consigned, in contrast with former years, when the market usually finds all the state's fleeces, or nearly so, contracted for by the middle of July. WOOL TRADE DULL IN THE EAST.

Manufacturers' Purchases Are Insignificant In Amount.

In Amount.

BOSTON, July 15.—The Commercial Bullstin, of Boston, will say tomorrow:

Business is still dull here, although some manufacturers are examining supplies and making a few comparatively insignificant purchases. The wools involved are fine to medium territory at about 50 to 50c, the unwashed Ohio at 20c, but some leading houses have relected that price. The firmness shown at the London auctions, which opened Tuesday, is responsible for increasing interest in Australian stock on this market and prices are tending upward. The deadlock continues in the Middle West and a comparatively small part of the Cilp has been sold by the farmers. Wools are accumulating in New Mexico and Texas with prices above buyers' views.

Wool Firm at London.

LONDON, July 13.—The offerings at the wool suction sales today amounted to 12-200 bales. The wool was in fine condition and the competition was keen at higher prices for merinos and cross-breds, while poorer sorts sold with a botter spirit.

Sheepskin Prices Decline. LONDON. July 16.—A saie of Cape of Good Hope and Natal sheepskins was held here today. The offerings amounted to 196,387, of which 135,464 were sold. The skins generally were in poor condition and the demand was restricted. Frices declined 14d to 24d, except lambs, which advanced 14d 914d.

Merchandise Goes Into Consumption at Fair Rate.

CONDITIONS ARE SOUND

Improved Demand for Footwear Boom in the Iron and Steel Industry Is Expected in

NEW YORK, July 15.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review tomorrow will say:

Business in all its branches waits on the outcome of the year's crop. In the meantime the leading industries are experiencing something more than the customary midsummer duliness, and ourtailment of production and price concessions continue.

There is an improved demand in footwear. The bot weather has helped the distribution of merchandise in some lines and retarded it in others. Retail trade is much better than wholesale trade, which has been largely demoralized by the price movement. This indicates a fair consumption of merchandise, making for sound conditions at the bottom.

With the advent of Fall a great swakening of interest is looked for in iron and steel. Production of pig from continues at a good rate, but uncertainty as to prices is a deterrent influence and accumulated stocks have a depressing effect. Advices from the Pittsburg district indicate that the railroads are in somewhat urgent need of equipment and they are expected to enter the market as active buyers before long. In most directions the structural trade gives promise of a good future business. Iron bars are fairly active and prices are not firm, but steel bars continue in good demand.

The outlook as regards the fuel situation has alightly improved and there has been some contracting for the last half at an advance of 10 to 15 over quotations for spot coke.

Dry goods buyers are coming to the markets more freely and many will attend the somianual meeting of the Wholessiers' Association next week. High cost of cutton and low price of goods still force a material our-tailment of preduction. Some export trade was booked for China-and Red Sea delivery at values based on 12-cent cotton, and miscellaneous export trade holds steady.

The opening of men's wear lines for Spring is under way and the leading producers will show their new styles next week. The strike of garment workers impedes dress goods deliveries to cutters. There is a better tone in all markets where Spring or

Operations Are Cautious, Pending Clearer

NEW YORK, July 15 .- Bradstreets to-

or in excess of hast year at this period, but except where hot weather demands or clearance sales have resulted in broken stocks, shipments of goods are light. Cal-lections are generally classed as fair to slow

In the South, trade is quiet. At the largest Eastern markets the trade is still largely of the waiting character. Curtailment is largely in evidence in the iron and steel, cotton, woolen, coal, lumber and coke trades. The labor situation is disturbed, owing to strikes of clothing-makers at New York and threats of strikes for higher wages on the Pennsylvania system east and worst.

182 last week, 206 in the same week of 1999, 258 in 1908, 177 in 1907 and 188 in 1906. Business failures in Canada for the week Business failures in Canada for the were number 24, which compares with 16 hast week and 36 in the same week of 1909. Wheat (including afour) exports from the United States and Canada for the week end-ing July 14, aggregate 1,190,248 bushels, against 1,565,775 last week and 1,468,105 this week last year. this week last year. Corn exports for the week are 94,757 bush-els, against 196,672 last week and 100,123 in 1909.

Bunk Clearings.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Bradatreet's bank clearings report for the week ending July 14 shows an aggregate of \$5,000,339,000, as against \$3,342,401,000 last week and \$3,004.-280,000 in the corresponding week last year.

Chicago	278,388,000	2014
Boston	183,230,000	3810
Philadelphia	147,009,000	27.0
St. Louis	73,790,000	10.0
Kansas City	49,628,000	22.7
Pittsburg San Francisco	52,951,000	13.8
San Francisco	47,446,000	11.8
Baltimore	32,692,000	28.7
Cincinnati	20,710,000	*10.0
Minneapolts	20,442,000	38.5
New Orleans	16,432,000	* 7
Cleveland	24,428,000	25.8
Detroit	20,724,000	35.8
Omahs	14,805,000	
Los Angeles	16,209,000	15.8
Louisville	12,558,600	*1.8
Milwaukee	113,322,000	231,20
Portland	11,045,000	28.2
Seattle	12,702,000	*11.7
St. Paul	11,164,000	201.1
Roffalo	10,895,000	30.7
Buffalo	9,181,000	2.3
Indianapolis	11,139,000	14.0
Atlanta	9,627,000	35.€
Providence	7,848,000	*6.0
Memphis	4,173,000	499.7
Rithmond	7,829,000	12.0
Fort Worth	5,268,000	25.4
Salt Lake City	6,648,000	#421 B
Washington, D. C	7,408,000	10.0
St. Joseph	6,488,000	24.0
Columbus	6,007,000	49.1
Albany	5,390,000	
Tacoma	5,781,000	+917
Savannah	23,960,000	38.5
Savannah	5,015,000	32.0
Oakland, Cal.	3,651,000	66.0
Sagramento	1,468,000	17.4
Helona	ST7,000	*14.0
Duluth, Minn	3,268,900	6.4
Hogston	24,118,000	#3.4
Galveston	11,623,000	12.4
	- Contraction	200

STOCK MARKET NARROW.

Prices Cannot Be Moved Either Way. Strong Bank Statement Expected Today. Strong Bank Statement Expected Today.

NEW YORK, July 15.—The stock market today displayed its narrow limitations in every way. Dealings were small and fluctuations narrow. The appressive weather and the apathetic interest in the dealings played their part in the showing. The rigidity of the market was due also to the obstacles which were encountered in the course of any price movement. Buying orders uncovered on declines intimidated the bears and their efforts to accure stocks showed how scarce were the offerings. These efforts were not purgued urgently on the advance in prices, and with the subsidence of this demand the buying orders disappeared and left prices to drift in an almost idle market. Selling pressure was not conspicuous at any level, and it was this fact which gave the market its negative strength and power of resistances. A deuressing effects was covered by the were encountered in the course of any price incovement. Buying orders uncovered on decidines intimidiated the bears and their efforts to secure stocks showed how scarce were the offerings. These efforts were not pursued urgently on the advance in prices to drift in an almost idle market. Seiling pressure was not conspicuous at any level, and it was this fact which gave the market its negative strength and power of resistance. Last prices were not much changed on the day.

A depressing effects was exerted by the fresh show of strength in the wheat markets, sensecially those in the Northwest. Renewed reports of bad Spring wheat conditions poured into the market, increased attention being given to the Canadian struction. This was responsible for the special weakness of Canadian Pacific. The weather

map was unfavorable for Spring wheat and predictions were for continued drouth and heat. The spurt in cotton added to the inflicence of the wheat news, although the exemption of new crop factors in cotton from the movement pointed to more purely market conditions for the rise in that commedity.

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The demand for Amalgamated Copper was attributed to an uncovered short interest, built up in the course of the recent heavy decline in that stock. The raily in its price was accompanied by rumors of betterment in the copper brade situation and by a recovery in the price of copper in London.

The Pennsylvania labor situation weighed on the market, although the effect on Pennsylvania stock liself was slight.

The frospects were for a strong bank statement tomorrow. The inflow of currency from the interior has been heavy. The first shipment of imported gold arrived to-day, amounting to over \$1,800,000. The payment of the corporation income tax has been practically completed, thus relieving the New York banks from the effect of that requirement and leaving the week's substreasury absorption merely nominal. The general result promises to be an addition of \$0.00,000 or \$10.000,000 to bank cash by tomorrow's bank statement.

Private discount rates receded again in London today and sterling exchange first declined and then recovered. Early next week the Bank of England will pay out \$20,000,000 for maturing Treasury bills, of which a series falls due in uninterrupted succession throughout the Summer and Fall, The tone of the time money market here was slightly easier, especially for the shorter periods.

Bondy were irregular. Total sales, par

periods.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value \$1,416,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Sales. High. Low. Allis Chalmere pf.
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Am Agriculturel
Am Beet Sogar
American Can
Am Cotton Oll
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Am Lanseed Oll
Am Locomotive
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Wabash
do preferred
Western Md
Westinghouse Elec
Western Union
Wheel & L Erie: Total sales for the day, 300,800 shares, BONDS.
NEW YORK, July 15.—Closing quotations

U. S. ref. 2s reg 100% N. Y. C. gn. 3% 87% do coupon 100% No. Pacific 3s. 70% B
U. S. 2s reg. 101% No. Pacific 4s. 100 do coupon 101% Union Pacific 4s.100%
U. S. new 4s reg.114% Wis. Central 4s. 91 do coupon 114% Wis. Central 4s. 91 do coupon 114% Japanese 4s ... 90%
D. & R. G. 4s. 92% B

Money, Exchange, Etc.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Money on call steady, 24,624 per cent, ruling rate, 25 per cent; closing bid, 24, per cent; offered at 25 per cent. Time loans, slightly easier; 60 days, 35 per cent, and 80 days, 48,44 per cent, ax months, 545,54 per cent. Prime mercantile paper closed 54,666 per cent. Sterling exchange firmer, with astind business in bankers bills at \$4,835,664,8360 for 66-day bills and at \$4,8355 for demand. Commercial bills \$4,824,64,8345.

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LONDON, July 15 .- Bar silver-Steady,

25 4d per ounce.

Money—1814 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 1% per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 2 per cent.

Consols for money. 824; consols for account. 8243-16.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Sterling on London, 60 days, \$4.83%; sterling on Lon-don, sight, \$4.85%. Silver bars—54%c. Mexican dollars—45c. Drafts—Sight, 4; telegraph, 7.

CHICAGO, July 15.—New York Exchange, Dully Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows: fices
In banks to credit of Treasurer
of the United States.
Subsidiary silver coin 19.727.946
Minor coin 1.194.054
Total balance in general fund 101,638,470

Eastern Mining Stocks.

Chicago Pit Is in a Tumult All Day.

PRICES LIFTED SHARPLY

Northwestern Spring Crop Placed by an Expert at Only 125,000,000 Bushels-Torrid Conditions in Manitoba--Foreign Higher.

CHICAGO. July 15.—It was a day for the extremists. One crop expert put the total wheat yield of the Dakotas and Minnesota at only 125,000,000 bushels for this year, with further deterioration certain unless conditions appendily improved. World's shipments for the week were figured at 6,400,000 bushels, against 8,272,000 bushels last year. Sharp advances in foreign markets, particularly at Liverpool, attracted widesproad attention. The real focus, however, was Winnipes, where the temperature was 100 in the shade, with no rain in the foreocust and the rise in prict greater than anywhere in this country or across the Atlantic. Trade in Chicago was on a huge scale and the pit was in tumuit hour after hour without cossing. There was free realizing of profits by longs, but the market developed extraordinary recuperative powers. September ranged from \$1.05\psi\$ to \$1.07\psi\$ and closed 2\psi 2\psi\$ to \$2\psi 2\psi\$ up at \$1.07\psi 1.07\psi\$.

Corn was helped by the wheat bulge and by increased shortings of fodder in the Northwest. September fluctuated between \$0\psi\$ cand \$1\psi\$ c. The cash market was also firm. No. 2 yellow closed at \$3\psi\$ \$2\psi\$ up at 30\psi\$ \$2\psi\$ c.

Shorts covered freely in cats. Winnipes has advanced to cents in three days. September reached as high and low limits \$0\psi\$ c. and \$3\psi\$ up at 30\psi\$ 0.

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89%c.

Except for July pork, which continued to advance, there was no trade worth mentioning in provisions. On the option named the highest prices of the day were enforced at the close, \$225.67%.

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The leading futures ranged as follows:

Nov. 11.59 11.50 11.625 11.62

SHORT RIBS.

July. 12.30 12.20 12.10 12.10

Sept. 11.50 11.50 11.50 12.10

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Cet. 11.50 11.50 11.50 11.50

Cet. 11.22½ 11.25 11.10 11.10

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Firm.

Rye—No. 2. 78c.

Barley—Feed or mixing. 52@68c; fair to choice maiting. 62@76c.

Flax seed—No. 1 Southwestern, \$2.25; No. 1

Northwestern, \$2.25.

Timothy seed—\$5.50.

Clover—\$11.50.

Pork—Mess, per barrel—\$25.50@27.

Lard—Per 100 pounds. \$11.65.

Short ribs—Sides (loose), \$12.12½ @12.50.

Sides—Short, clear (boxed), \$13.25@13.50.

Grain statistics;

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 123,000 bushels. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreet's, were equal to 1,129,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 535,000 bushels, compared with 264,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 8 cars; corn, 162 cars; oats, 14 cars; hogs, 3000 head.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Flour—Active and stronger. Spring patents, \$5.6585.99; Win-ter straights, \$4.4694.89; Winter patents, \$4.6585; Kansas straights, \$4.7595, Receipts, 11.985 barrels; shipments, 13.678 barrels, Wheat Store Wheat—Spot, strong, No. 2 red, \$1.15 c. i. f. to arrive elevator; No. 1 Northern, \$1.33% f. o. b. Sensationally bullish news resarding the crop in the Northwest, together with bullish cables, sent wheat up rapidly early, with some foreign buying, but part of the advance was lost under profit-taking, closing 2%66% net higher, with July showing the greatest gain, July closed at \$1.12% and December at \$1.13%. Receipts 3600 bushels; shipments, 15,598 bushels.

Hops—Dull.
Hides—Easy.
Petroleum—Steady.
Wool—Quiet. Minneapolis Grain Market. Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 12.—Close: Wheat—
July. \$1.12\%; September, \$1.13\%; December, \$1.14\%. Cash. No. 1 hard, \$1.25\%; No.
1 Northern, \$1.23\% \$1.25\%; No. 2 Northern,
\$1.21\% \$61.23\%; No. 3 Northern, \$1.17\% \$2.26\%

1.20%.

Flax closed at \$2.37.

Corn.—No. 3 yellow. 58%@59%o.

Oats.—No. 3 white, 43644%c;

Rye.—No. 2, 72674c. English country markets firm; French coun-

try markets holiday.

LIVERPOOL, July 15.—Wheat—July, 7s 514d; October, 7s 5d; December, 7s 64d. Weather overcast.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15 .- Wheat-Strong.

Barley—Strong.
Spot quotations: Wheat—Shipping, \$1.55

\$1.60. Barley—Feed. \$1.07\\(\frac{1}{2}\): brewing.
\$1.10 & 1.11\\(\frac{1}{2}\): Oats—Red. \$1.25\\(\frac{1}{2}\):35; white, nominal; black, nominal.
Call board sales: Wheat—No trading.
Barley—December, \$1.14\\(\frac{1}{2}\). Corn—Large yellow. \$1.37\\(\frac{1}{2}\): \$2.40.

Grain Markets of the Northwest. TACOMA, July 15.—Wheat—Milling: Blue-siem, Sbc: club. 84c. Receipts yesterday: Wheat 2 cars, barley 1 car, hay 5 chrs.

SEATTLE. July 15.—Milling quotations: Bluestem, S5c; fortyfold, 85c; club, 84c; Fife, 84c; red Russian, S1c.
Export wheat: Bluestem, 82c; fortyfold, 82c; club, 81c; Fife, 81c; red Russian, 79c; Yesterday's car receipts, wheat 4 cars, oats 12 cars, barley 2 cars. Dairy Produce in the East. CHICAGO, July 15. — Butter — Steady; creameries, 245/25c; darries, 236/25c. Eggs—Receipta, 10,297 cases; steady at mark cases included, 10@14c; firsts, 15c; prime

Cheese-Steady; daisies, 15% @18c; twins, 15 \$15%c; Young Americas, 15%@16c; borns, 16@16%c. NEW YORK, July 15.— Butter—Weaker; creamery specials, 2014.92014c; extrus, 254.69 284.c; thirds to firsts, 244.6-274.c; state dairy common to firsts, 236.274.c.

Cheese Steady, unchanged, Eggs-Firm, unchanged. Imports and Exports. NEW YORK. July 15.—Imports of merchandise and dry goods at the Port of New York for the week ending July 2 were valued at \$16.116.515.

Imports of apacie for the week ending today were \$33.043 silver and \$110.277 gold.

Exports of specie for the week ending today were \$33.047 silver and \$22,400 gold.

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SEATTLE DEALERS COVERING THEIR SHORT SALES.

Market Overstocked With Peache and Apricots-Exchange Advances Price of Local Eggs.

SEATTLE. Wash. July 15.—(Special.)—
Wheat advanced a cent all around today. The market appeared strong at those prices. It was learned that several dealers sold short during the recent slump and that they are endeavoring to cover and take as small a loss as possible. Bluestem sold at 80 cents and club at 86 cents. Outs were quoted a haif dollar higher at \$28,500.29. Barley was unchanged.

Three straight carloads of peaches arrived in addition to about two carloads of small express shipments from Eastern Washington. The top of Crawfords was 75 cents. Apricots were in heavy supply and did not sell above 85 cents. Bartlett pears sold at

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rived, making II carloads to reach Seattle during the last 48 hours. Cantaloupes sold at \$4.50. Petatees were higher, with good new stock held at 2 cents.

The Dairy Produce Exchange today ad-

vanced the price of fresh local eggs to 33 cents. That price, however, was not general. Poultry was in fair supply and veal European Grain Markets.

LONDON, July 15.—Cargoes firmer. Walla
Walla for shipment is to is 6d higher, 35s
Ed to 36s.

European Grain Markets.

Salmon packers here today received offers
of \$1.30 for red Alaska salmon for July destocks just about equal to the demand. Butlivery. This is said to be the highest price ever bid for July reds.

Coffee and Sugar. Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Coffee closed barely steady at a fiet decline of 25t5 points. Sales, 11,000 bags, July, 6.70c; August, 6.75c; September and Gerober, 6.85c; November and December, 6.90c; January, 6.95c; February, 7c; March, 7.04c; April, 7.05; May and June, 7.06c. Spot steady, No. 7 Rio, 8½c; No. 4 Santos, 5½c, Mild steady, Cordova, 10412½c, Raw sugar steady, Muscovado, 55 test, 3.89c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.90c; molasses sugar, 89 test, 3.55c, Refined, guiet Crushed, 6.85c; granuigted, 5.15c; powdered, 5.25c.

New York Cotton Markets, New York, July 15.—Cotton—Spot closed quict, 40 points higher. Mid-uplands, 16.40c; do gulf, 16.65c. Sales, 5300 bales. Futures closed firm. Clesing bids: July, 16.34c; August, 15.08c; September, 18.46c; October, 12.78c; November, 12.63c; December, 12.60c; January, 12.57c; February, 12.57c; March, 12.58c; May, 12.61c.

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