FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

MONEY 8 PER CENT., NEW YORK EXCHANGE 1-4 PREMIUM.

Cotton Steady—Middling, 9 3-8c—Sales Yesterday, 400 Bales.

Money in fair demand at 8 per cent. Local securities dull.

The cotton market closed steady; middling 9⅛c. Sales, 400 bales.

At New York yesterday spots closed easy; middling, 9 9-16c.

A leading cotton circular says: Liverpool failed to follow up the promises of yesterday and the disappointment induced considerable unloading, sellers pushing matters a little under reports of a failure at Manchester. There was not much, however, in the way of new selling on the short side, and toward the close somewhat more steadiness developed at 3 points under last evening.

At New Orleans spots were steady; middling, 9 3-16c; futures quiet and steady; July, 9.20@9.22c.

At Liverpool spots were reported "fair business;" middling 5 5-16d; futures quiet and steady; July, 5.15d. In the general market corn advanced to 50 cents for white, 47 cents for mixed. Other articles unchanged.

IMPORTS.

Four pkgs butter, 122 pkgs bacon, 324 pkgs boots and shoes, 4 pkgs cheese, 51 sks coffee, 381 sks cotton seed, 1 car cotton seed, 185 pkgs dry goods, 46 pkgs eggs, 408 brls flour, 72 pkgs hats, 8 hd sheep, 31 hd cattle, 33,500 ft lumber, 36 pkgs liquors, 125 brls meal, 25 brls molasses, 4 cars oats, 2 cars pork sides, 5 brls sugar and 30 pkgs tobacco.

ELEVATOR REPORTS.

The following shows the amount of grain received, withdrawn and in store by regular elevators, as reported to the Merchants' Exchange today: Corn received, none; withdrawn, 1713 bu; in store, 5434 bu. Oats received, none; withdrawn, 640 bu; in store, none. Wheat received, none; withdrawn, none; in store, none.

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BUYS AND SELLS
AMERICAN COTTON,
OIL TRUST CERTIFICATES.

FINANCE.

Money in good demand at 8 per cent. The Clearing House report is as follows:

CLEARINGS.

Friday, July 23d, $110,906 36; thus far this week, $712,707 08; same time last week, $787,409 30; same time in 1885, $556,120 73; same time in 1884, $363,105 06.

BALANCES.

Friday, July 23d, $42,476 23; thus far this week, $239,060 47; same time last week, $262,548 77; same time in 1885, $126,499 34; same time in 1884, $82,225 27.

EXCHANGE.

New York sight on all points, par buying, ¼ premium selling; New England demand, ½ discount buying; New England sight, ¼ discount; New Orleans, ¼ discount buying, par selling.

BANK STOCKS.

Bank of Commerce	*146 bid, 149 asked
First National	*147 bid, 152 asked
German Bank	*192 bid, 196 asked
State National	*145 bid, 148 asked
Union and Planters	*150 bid, 151 asked
Mercantile Bank	135 bid, 137½ asked

INSURANCE STOCKS.

Bluff City	100 bid, ... asked
Hernando	102 bid, 105 asked
Home	75 bid, 80 asked
Memphis City	102½ bid, 105 asked
Peoples	82½ bid, 86 asked
Phœnix	100 bid, 102 asked
Planters	103 bid, 105 asked
Vanderbilt	25 bid, 26 asked
Arlington	30 bid, ... asked
Factors	20 asked

MISCELLANEOUS.

M. and C. R.R. shares	37 bid, ... asked
M. & T. R.R. shrs	45 bid, 50 asked
M. & C. consols, 7s	118 bid, ... asked
M. & L. R. 1st m. 8s	105 bid, ... asked
Miss. & T. R.R. cs, A	117 bid, 118 asked
Miss. & T. R.R. cs, B	106 bid, 108 asked
Tenn. wts. ser. D	90 bid, 93 asked
Tenn. wts. ser. E to J	82 bid, 85 asked
Shelby Co. 6s	108 bid, 110 asked
Tax. Dist. 4, 6s	96 bid, 97 asked
Tax. Dist. 6s	104 bid, 105 asked
Mem. Gas bonds	105 bid, ... asked
Mem. Water bonds	96 bid, ... asked
Hanauer Oil Works	... bid, 65 asked
Am. Cot. Oil trust,	31½ bid, 32½ asked
Pioneer Cotton Mills	25 bid, 30 asked
Mem. Stor. Com. Co.	100 bid, 102 asked
Mem. Gas stock	78 bid, 82 asked

*Ex-dividends.

New York, July 23.—Money on call is easy at 1½@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@5. Sterling exchange —485¾c for 60 days bills, and 486¼c for demand.

Bonds—Government bonds were dull, with quotations a shade weaker. State bonds were quiet and firm. Railroad bonds were dull; sales $1,641,500. The Texas and Pacific issues were the only feature of the market, the sales of the reals, coupons off, amounted to $157,000. Northwestern registered debentures are up 1½, at 110½; Louisville and Nashville consols 1½, at 122½; Utah Southern extension sevens 2½, at 75; Texas and Pacific incomes 1, at 46½ and the reals, coupon off, 1¾, at 81; Wabash, Detroit Division, 1, at 85, and the sevens of 1879 4, at 79. Ohio Southern firsts are down 2¾, at 100½, and Utah Southern general mortgage 1½, at 85.

There was very little news on the street today of a character to affect values. The news from the West related principally to the damage of the corn crop, and there was undoubtedly heavy selling of the grangers, principally for Western account, and they continued heavy throughout. There is more talk of the consolidation of the Vanderbilt interests under one corporation, and evidences accumulate that this interest, which has been out of Wall street for some months past, is again making itself felt in the market. The coal stocks still continue sluggish, principally because large buyers think they will not have to pay scheduled prices for coal before September, and most operators think that the agreement will not be adhered to. The bright spot in today's market was the Northern Pacifics and Oregon Transcontinental. The general belief was that positive action has been taken upon the report of land sales, and a favorable time to announce it is waited. Also, that more harmonious relations between the two companies named are soon likely to be brought about. The market was weak at the opening, first prices showing declines of ½ to ¾ percent., the latter in Delaware and Hudson. The only exceptions were Louisville and Nashville, which was up ½, and Omaha ¼ per cent. Further fractional declines were made in the early dealings, though a partial rally was established before noon, after which time the market continued dull and lifeless without apparent movement in prices until the close, which was dull and steady. The net result of the day's business is declines in almost everything on the active list of small fractions, ranging from ⅛ to ¾ per cent. Northern Pacific preferred is the only prominent exception, with an advance of ½ per cent., although Indiana, Bloomington and Western is up 1⅜. Consolidated Gas shows a decline of 1⅜ per cent.

The total sales of stocks today were 165,383 shares, including Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 18,600; Erie, 6370; Lake Shore, 9600; Louisville and Nashville, 3670; Northwestern, 17,056; Northern Pacific, 4200; St. Paul, 24,840; Union Pacific, 4170; Western Union, 3370; Northern Pacific, preferred, 14,800; Oregon Transcontinental, 11,860. Closing quotations:

GOVERNMENTS.

U. S. 3s, 100¼	4s, coup, 126⅝
4½s, coup, 111⅞	Pacific 6s of 1895, 126⅝

BONDS.

La. stamps, 4s, 77½	Missouri, 6s, 100¼
Tenn. 6s, old, 61½	Tenn. 6s, new, 61½
Cent. Pac. 1sts, 114¼	Den. & R.G. 1sts, 122
Den. & R.G.W. 1sts, 82½	Erie seconds, 112½
M.K.&T., Gen. 6s, 96½	North. Pac. 1sts, 115¼
North. Pac. 2ds, 101	N. Western con., 145
N. West. deb. 5s, 110	St. L. S.F. Gen. M, 110¼
St. Paul, con., 131	St. P., C. & P. 1sts, 120
T. P. land grants, 46½	T. P., R.G. ex cou. 61
U. P. 1sts, 116	West Shore, 102⅞

STOCKS.

Adams Express, 142	Morris & E., offd., 138
Allegheny Cen., —	Nashville & C., 57¼
Alton & T. H., 30	N. J. Central, 55¼
A & T. H., pfd., 85	Nor. & W., pfd., 39¼
American Ex., 106	Northern Pac., 28½
B. C. R. & N., 59	Northern P. pfd., 61½
Canada Pac., 65½	C. & N. W., 112¾
Canada Sou., 44½	C. & N. W., pfd., 140
Central Pacific, 42¼	N. Y. Central, 106¼
Chesapeake & O., 8	N. Y. C. & St. L., 8⅞
C. & O., 1st pfd, 16	N. Y. St. L. & C., p., 20
C. & O., 2d pfd., 10	Ohio Central, —
C. & A., 143	Ohio & Miss., 24
C. & A., pfd., 150	O. & Miss., pfd., 90
C., B. & Q., 134¼	Ontario & West., 19
C., St. L. & N. O., —	Oregon Nav., 109¾
C., St. L. & P., 11¾	Oregon Trans., 34¼
C., St. L. & P., p., 28	Oregon Imp., 18
C., S. & C., 27	Pacific Mail, 157
C. & C., 56	Panama, 98
Del. & Hud., 98	Peoria, D. & E., 25½
Del., L. & W., 126¾	Pittsburg, 152¾
Den. & Rio G., 28	Pullman P. C., 136
Erie, 32¼	Reading, 24⅞
Erie pfd., 75	Rock Island, 125½
East Tenn., 5¼	St. L. & S. F., 29¾
East Tenn. pfd. 14	St. L. & S. F., p., 91½
Fort Wayne, 146	St. L. & S. F., 1st p, 114¼
Hannibal & St. Jo., —	C. M. & St. P., 92¼
H. & St. Jo., pfd., —	C. M. & St. P., p. 122
Harlem, 235	St. P., M. & M., 113
Houston & T., 37	St. P. & Omaha, 45⅞
Illinois Cen., 137¾	St. Paul & O. pfd., 109
Ind., B. & W., 15¾	Texas Pacific, 10⅞
Kansas & T., 31¼	Union Pacific, 55⅞
Lake E. & W., 8⅞	U. S. Express, 64
Lake Shore, 86½	W., St. L. & P., 17¾
Lou. & Nash., 43⅞	W., St. L. & P., p., 29¼
Lou. & N. A., 51	W. & P. Ex., 126
M. & C. first pfd., —	W. U. Tel., 66½
M. & C. pfd., —	Colorado Coal, 34¼
Mem. & Char., 36	Homestake, 22
Mich. Cen., 76	Iron Silver, 200
M., L. S. & W., 69	Ontario, 28¼
M., L. S. & W., pfd., 92¾	Quicksilver, 7½
Min. & St. L., 20½	Quicksilver, pfd, 27
Min. & St. L. pfd, 44½	South Pacific, —
Missouri Pacific, 107¾	Sutro, 11
Mobile & Ohio, 15	

LONDON, July 23.—Consols, 101 1-16 for both money and the account. United States bonds—4s, 114⅜.

PARIS, July 23.—Three per cent. rentes, 82f 92½c for the account.

BANK CLEARINGS.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Exchanges, $90,559,024; balances, $3,296,184.

BOSTON, MASS., July 23.—Exchanges, $12,371,747; balances, $1,258,688.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 23.—Associated bank clearings today were $7,101,000.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 23.—Bank clearings, $1,717,509; balances, $302,031.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 23.—Bank clearings, $9,097,108; balances, $1,343,576.

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 23.—Bank clearings, $2,830,907; balances, $604,829. Exchange on New York easy at 25 per cent discount.

COTTON MARKETS.

The local cotton market opened steady, and closed steady; middling, 9⅛c. Sales, 400 bales, all to spinners.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

	Yesterday.	Thursday.
Ordinary	7⅞	7⅞
Good Ordinary	8⅞	8⅞
Low Middling	8⅞	8⅞
Middling	9⅛	9⅛
Good Middling	9⅜	9⅜
Middling Fair	10⅛	10⅛
Fair	Nom.	Nom.
Dusty	7@8¼	7@8¼
Stains, tinges	8@9	8@9

COTTON STATEMENT.

MEMPHIS, July 23, 1886.

Stock Sept. 1, 1885	1,392	
Received to-day	31	
Received previously	543,738	545,161
Shipped to-day	756	
Shipped previously	533,720	
Home consumption to date	135	534,611
Stock running account		10,550

Imports.

Thus far this week	569
Thus far last week	494
Since September 1st	543,769
M. and C. R. R.	8
M. & L. R. R. R.	4
L., N. O. & T. R. R.	6
Steamers	8
Wagons and other sources	5
Total	31

Exports.

Thus far this week	3,591
Thus far last week	4,019
Since September 1st	534,476
L. and N. R. R.	224
Steamers north	532
Total	756

WEEKLY STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS.

WHENCE RECEIVED.	Week ending July 23, 1886. This Year	Week ending July 23, 1886. Last Year	Since September 1st. This Year	Since September 1st. Last Year
M & C R R	35	7	77325	78989
M & T R R	28	22	58832	45874
L & N R R	14	5	43770	46217
M & L R R R	293	145	82220	73696
C, O & S W R R	69	4	24377	25225
L, N O & T R R	7	1	38187	13391
K C, S & M R R	3	.....	19566	19855
M, B & A R R	7	.....	17406	97
Miss. river	79	6	89631	64740
White river	5	5	20829	16618
St. Fran river	2	.....	7332	3199
Ark'sas river	2	.....	11664	4486
Wagons, etc	30	60	52630	36483
Total	569	254	543769	428870
SHIPMENTS.				
M & C R R	.....	64	106614	58425
M & T R R	.....	.....	37333	54614
L & N R R	2316	3	108252	86084
C, O & S W R R	50	193	95964	54435
L, N O & T R R	.....	.....	51208	42414
M, B & A R R	.....	.....	11523	.....
Steam's n'rth	1225	397	104763	89248
Steam's s'uth	.....	.....	18819	40085
Total	3591	657	534476	425305

New York spots opened steady, and closed easy. Sales, 846 bales. Quotations were as follows:

	Yesterday.	Thursday.
Ordinary	6 15-16	6 15-16
Good ordinary	8 5-16	8 5-16
Low middling	9 1-16	9 1-16
Middling	9 9-16	9 9-16
Good middling	10 1-16	10 1-16
Middling fair	10⅞	10⅞
Fair	11⅝	11⅝

New York futures opened easy, and closed dull and steady. Sales, 63,800 bales. The closing quotations were as follows:

	Yesterday.	Thursday.
July	9 49@ 9 50	9 52@ 9.54
August	9.49@ 9 50	9.53@ 9.54
September	9.45@	9.48@ 9.49
October	9 32@ 9.33	9.36@ 9 37
November	9 30@ 9.31	9.35@ 9.36
December	9 33@ 9.34	9 38@ 9.39
January	9.43@ 9.44	9.47@ 9.48
February	9 52@ 9 53	9.56@ 9.58
March	9.62@ 9.63	9 66@ 9.68
April	9.72@ 9.73	9.76@ 9.78
May	9 82@ 9.83	9.86@ 9.88

New York cotton statement for the week ending Friday, July 23, 1886:

Net receipts at all United States ports for week	10,548
Total receipts to date	5,324,481
Exports for the week	32,853
Total exports to date	4,187,517
Stock at U. S. ports	255,259
Stock at 16 interior towns	25,829
Stock at Liverpool	601,000
Stock of American afloat for Great Britain	48,000

The New Orleans spot market opened quiet, and closed steady; midding, 9 3-16c. Sales, 800 bales. Quotations were as follows:

	Yesterday.	Thursday.
Ordinary	7⅞	7⅞
Good ordinary	8½	8½
Low middling	8 11-16	8 11-16
Middling	9 3-16	9 3-16
Good middling	9 15-16	9 15-16

The New Orleans future market opened steady, and closed quiet and steady. Sales, 11,500 bales. Quotations were as follows:

	Yesterday.	Thursday.
July	9.20@ 9.22	9.22@ 9.25
August	9.23@ 9.24	9.25@ 9.26
September	9.01@ 9.02	9.03@ 9.04
October	8.89@	8.90@ 8.91
November	8.85@ 8.86	8 87@ 8 89
December	8.90@ 8 91	8.92@ 8.93
January	9.01@	9.02@ 9.03
February	9.12@ 9.14	9.14@ .....
March	9.24@ 9.26	9.25@ 9.26
April	9 36@ 9.37	9.36@ 9.38
May	9.46@ 9 49	9.47@ 9.49
June	@	.....@.....

DAILY PORT AND INTERIOR MARKETS.

	Tone.	Rec.	Prices	Stock.
Galveston	nom.	11	9 1-16	2,574
N Orleans	quiet.	217	9 3-16	16,613
Mobile	nom.	15	9	4,700
Savannah	quiet.	22	8⅞	5,850
Charl'ston	quiet.	485	9	3,110
Wilm'ton	firm.	.....	9	585
Norfolk	steady	200	9⅜	4,396
Baltimore	firm.	.....	9 9-16	9,630
New York	easy.	.....	9 9-16	187,200
Boston	quiet.	111	9⅝	6,310
Philad'a	firm.	40	9⅞	11,484
St. Louis	steady	11	9½	16,755
Augusta	firm.	23	8 15-16	8,765

Receipts at ports, this day, 1886. 1,135
Receipts at ports, this day, 1885. 925

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT.

	1886.	1885.	1884.
R'ts U. S. p'rts 7 d'ys	10,548	2,194	2,789
Ex. Gr. Br	23,971	5,326	15,479
Stock	255,259	223,128	240,105
R'ts Sept. 1	5,348,136	4,713,400	4,753,059
For'gn Ex.	4,198,735	3,784,171	3,766,087

Increase in receipts this year, 635,036

At noon: Liverpool spots were reported "fair business." Sales, 10,000 bales, of which American 8100 bales. Receipts, 5000 bales, of which American 5000 bales.

Closing quotations were as follows: Ordinary, 4 6-16d; good ordinary, 4 13-16d; low middling, 5¼; good middling, 5 9-16d; middling uplands, 5 5-16d; middling Orleans, 5⅜.

Manchester cloths steady, fair demand. Yarns firm, demand better.

[*The prices are given in pence and 64ths, thus:* 4 63 *means* 4 63-64*d; and* 5 01 *means* 5 1-64*d.*]

At noon: Liverpool futures were quiet at decline; July, 5 17d; July-August, 5 17d; August-September, 5 16d; September-October, ——; October-November, 5.08d; November-December, 5 07d; December-January, 5 07d; January-February, 5 08d; September, 5.17@5 16d.

At 2 p.m.: Liverpool futures were steady; July, 5 15d buyers; July-August, 5 15d buyers; August-September, 5 15d buyers; September-October, 5 11d buyers; October-November, 5 07d buyers; November-December, 5 06d buyers; December-January, 5 06d buyers; January-February, 5 07d buyers; September, 5 16d sellers.

At 4 p.m: Liverpool futures were quiet and steady; July, 5 15d sellers; July-August, 5 15d sellers; August-September, 5 15d sellers; September-October, 5 11d sellers; October-November, 5 07d value; November-December, 5 06d buyers; December-January, 5 06d buyers; January-February, 5 07d buyers; September, 5 15d buyers.

Liverpool weekly statement for the week ended July 23, 1886:

	1886.	1885.
Weekly sales	54,000	43,000
Of which American.	43,000	35,000
Including for export	3,400	2,900
Incl'g for spec'lation	2,900	1,100
Forw'd f'm ship side	7,300	6,000
Total stock	601,000	781,000
Of which American.	437,000	564,000
Week's receipts	33,000	17,000
Of which American.	27,000	17,000
To'l rec. since Sep. 1	2,968,000	3,118,000
Of which American.	2,415,700	2,364,000
Actual week's exp't.	4,300	3,600
Stock afloat	137,000	50,000
Of which American.	48,000	16,000

GENERAL TRADE.

BREADSTUFFS.

CORN—White, 50c; mixed, 47c, from store; from levee or depot, white, 45c; mixed, 43c; in sacks, in round lots, white, 49@50c; mixed, 46½@47c.

HAY—Choice, from store, 75@80c; prime, 70c; prairie, 50c; round lots from levee or depot, choice, $12@12 50; prime, $11@12; prairie, $7@7 50.

OATS—White, 39c; mixed, 37c, from store; round lots from levee on track—white, sacked, 35@36c; mixed, sacked, 33½@34c.

BRAN—From store, 65@70c per cwt.; round lots from levee, $10 25 per ton.

BEANS—Navy, $1 75@2; medium, $1 50; German millet, $1 20@1 40.

CORNMEAL—Standard, $2 30; pearl, $3 25@3 50 from store, 5c cheaper from mill, levee or track.

RICE—Louisiana, 4½@6c; Carolina, 6½@7c.

OATMEAL—In half-barrels, $3@3 25 from store.

FLOUR—From store, triple extra, $3 25; family, $4; choice, 4 25; fancy, $4 50; extra fancy, $4 75; patents, $5 25@5 50; in car lots, trible extra, nominal; family, $3 35@3 50; choice, $3 75@3 90; fancy, $4 05@4 15; extra fancy, $4 35@4 50; patents, $5@5 15.

CRACKED WHEAT—In half-barrels, $4 25 from store.

HOMINY AND GRITS—From store, $3 15@3 25.

CRACKERS—Soda, extra, 4c; soda, treble extra, 4½c; lemon crackers, extra, 7c; lemon cream crackers, treble extra, 7½c; ginger snaps, extra, 5c; ginger snaps, treble extra, 6c; assorted jumbles, 9c.

KANSAS CITY, MO., July 23.—Wheat lower; No. 2, red, cash, 50c asked; August, 60c asked; September, 61c Corn lower; No. 2, cash, 34½@34¾c August, 34½c; September, 35½@35¾c. Oats—cash, 26½c bid; 27½c asked.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., July 23.—Flour dull; choice, $3 65@3 80; fancy, $3 90@4; extra fancy, $4 20@4 40; Minnesota patent process and winter wheat patents, $4 70@4 90. Corn scarce and firm; in sacks, 50@51c. Oats weak; choice Western, 40@41c. Cornmeal steady, $2 60. Hay quiet; prime, $14 50@15; choice, $16@16 50.

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 23.—Flour dull and easier; XXX, $2 25@2 35; family, $2 40@2 50; choice, $2 90@3 10; fancy, $3 45@3 55; extra fancy, $3 75@3 95; patents, $4 25@4 50. Wheat weak and lower; the market ruled about steady at the opening, but early in the session sold off 1½@1¾c, later rallied ⅞c, declined again near the close and closed ⅜@½c under yesterday; No. 2 red, cash, 75c; August, 75@75½c, closing at 75½c; September, 77⅜@77½c, closing at 77½c; October, 79⅜@80c, closing at 79⅞c. Corn weak and ⅛c lower; No 2 mixed, cash, 38c; August, 37⅞@38c, closing at 37⅞c; September, 38⅞@40c, closing at 38⅞c; October, 39⅞@40½c, closing at 39½c asked. Oats firm but dull; No. mixed, cash, 28⅞@28½c; August, 28c; September, 28½c. Rye easier, at 52c. Barley—no market. Hay fairly active and firm; prairie, $5@8; timothy, $9@12. Bran firm at 46c. Cornmeal steady, at $2 25. Receipts—Flour, 3000 brls; wheat, 234,000 bu; corn, 16,000 bu; oats, 41,000 bu; rye, 1000 bu; barley, none. Shipments—Flour, 8000 brls; wheat, 12,000 bu; corn, 7000 bu; oats, 5000 bu; rye and barley, none.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 23.—The day on 'Change was quiet and somewhat dragging with an easier tone to wheat. The market opened lower at 75⅞c for August, broke off to 75⅛c, rallied on reports of a better export movement to 76⅛c and closed at 76c. The receipts here and at other points continue quite liberal. Corn was fairly active and considerably unsettled. Early in the session the market ruled strong then eased off ⅜c, again recovered but later on reports of rain in Kansas the market became weak and declined ⅜@1c, recovered slightly and closed ⅛@½c under yesterday. Oats were inclined to be dull and heavy early but developed strength later on, and closed ⅛@⅜c over yesterday. Flour quiet. Wheat quiet and generally easier; July, 74⅛@75⅛c, closed 75⅛c; August, 75⅞@76⅛c, closed 76c; September, 77⅞@78⅛c, closed 77⅞c; No. 2 spring, 75c; No. 3 nominal; No. 2 red winter, 77c. Corn—Fairly active, unsettled, closing ⅛@⅛c lower; cash, 40c; July, 39⅞@40⅛c, closed 40⅛c; August, 40⅞@41⅛c, closed 40⅞; September, 41⅞@42⅜c, closed 41⅞c. Oats—Opened dull and heavy but rallied, closed ⅜@½c higher; cash, 29⅛@29⅜c; August, 28⅞@29 1-16c, closed 28⅞c; September, 29⅞@30⅛c, closed 29⅞c. Rye steady, No. 2, 53c. Barley quiet, No. 2, 62c. Flaxseed firm, No. 1, 1 15½. Receipts—Flour, 22,000 brls; wheat, 89,000 bu; corn, 188,000 bu; oats, 84,000 bu; rye, 8000 bu; barley, 3000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 9000 brls; wheat, 93,000 bu; corn, 359,000 bu; oats, 51,000 bu; rye, 5000 bu; barley, 1000 bu.

PROVISIONS.

BUTTER—Creamery, 20@23c; dairy, 12@17c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Mess pork, $11 50; sugar cured hams, 11½@12½c; breakfast bacon, 8½@10c; clear side pork, 7½c; clear rib side pork, 6⅞@7c; long clear pork, 6⅞c; pork shoulders, 6½c. Bacon—Clear rib side, 7½@7⅞c. Lard—Tierces, 6½@6⅝c; half-barrels, 6⅞@7c; kegs, 6⅞c; pails, 7⅛@7½c; half-pails, 7½@7⅞c; 50 lb tins, 6⅞c; 20-lb tins, 6⅞@7c; 10-lb tins, 7⅛@7½c; 5-lb tins, 7⅞c; 3-lb tins, 7½@7⅞c; choice kettle, tierces, 8@8½c.

FRESH MEATS—No. 1 beef, 7c; Mutton, 7c; hind quarters of beef, 9c; lambs, $2 50@3 50.

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 23.—Provisions very dull but about steady. Pork $10 20. Lard $6 20@6 25. Bulk meats, loose lots—long clear, $6 20; short ribs, $6 25; short clear, $6 40; boxed lots—firm; long clear, $6 37½; short ribs, $6 40; short clear, $6 50. Bacon weak; long clear and short ribs, $7; short clear, $7 05. Hams firmer, 11½@12½c. Butter firm and higher; creamery, 17@20c; dairy, 10@16c. Eggs easy, 5@6c.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 23.—Mess pork quiet and easy and 5c lower; cash, $9 55@9 60; August, $9 55@9 60, closed at $9 57½@9 60; September, $9 65@9 70, closed at $9 67½@9 70. Lard quiet and easy; cash, $6 52½@6 55; August, $6 52½@6 60, closed at $6 52½@6 55; September, $6 60@6 67½, closed at $6 60@6 62½. Short rib sides steady; cash, $6 05@6 07½. Boxed meats steady; dry salted shoulders, $6 05@6 10; short clear sides, $6 50@6 55. Butter firm; creamery, 13@18½c; dairy, 11@13½c. Eggs, 11c.

GROCERIES.

COFFEE—Common, 9½@9⅞c; ordinary, 9⅞@10⅛c; prime Rio, 10½@11c; choice to fancy, 11½@12½c; old government, 24@25c; Ceylon, 20c.

SOAP—3½@5½c per pound.

SUGAR—Pure white, 6⅞c; off white, 6⅝c; yellow, 6⅛@6⅜c; open kettle, 5½@5⅞c; refined A, 6⅞c; granulated, 7@7⅛c; powdered, 7⅛c; cut loaf, 7½@7⅞c.

SALT—$1 25 per barrel; sacks, fine, $1 45@1 50; coarse, $1 15@1 20; pockets, bleached, 2⅞@7c; car-loads from levee or depot, 5c cheaper.

CANDIES—Sticks, all sizes, in boxes, pails and barrels, 7⅞@8½c.

CANDLES—Full weight, 10c.

CANNED GOODS, ETC.—Prices per dozen: Pineapples, $1 35@1 65; peaches, 2-lb, standard, $1 35@1 55; seconds, $1 10@1 15; tomatoes, 2-lb, standard, $1 25@1 35; 3-lb, $1 15@1 30; strawberries, $1 35@1 40; raspberries, $1 15@1 25; blackberries, $1@1 15; greengages, $1 60@1 75; pears, $2@2 25; plums, $1 60@1 70; asparagus, $2 60@4; green corn, $1@1 35; green peas, $1 55@1 65; cove oysters, full weight, 1-lb, $1@1 10; cove oysters, full weight, 2-lb, $1 75@1 85; cove oysters, light weight, 1-lb, 65c; cove oysters, light weight, 2-lb, $1; condensed milk—Crown, $5 90; Eagle, $7 75; Swiss, $6.

MOLASSES—Louisiana, common to fair, 20@30c; prime to choice, 30@40c; syrup, 20@40c; common to fair, 20@25c; prime to choice, 30@33c; centrifugal, fancy, 32@34c.

TOBACCO—Common, 11-inch, 25@30c; other grades and styles, 35@85c. Snuff—Garrett's, $10 85 per case; Ralph's, $10 25 per case; R. R., $9 50.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Coffee—options lower and fairly active; sales, 31,000 bags; July and August, 7.60@7.65c; September, 7.70c; October and November, 7.70@7.75c; December, 7.75@7.80c; January, 7.80c; February, 7.80@7.85c; March, 7.90c. Sugar dull and nominal; fair to good refining, 4⅛@4½c; refined steady; extra C., 5@5 3-16; yellow, 4⅞@4½c; standard A., 5 11-16c; powdered 6½@6 3-16c; granulated, 6⅛@6 3-16c. Molasses dull; 50° test, 17½c. Rice steady, demand fair.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., July 23.—Coffee quiet, but firmer; Rio cargoes and common to prime, 7½@10½c. Sugar in light demand, but holders firm; Louisiana open kettle, choice, 5½c; strictly prime, 5⅝c; prime, 5⅛c; fully fair, 5⅛c; good fair, 4⅞c; fair, 4⅝c; common to good common, 4½@4⅝c; inferior, 3⅞@4½c; Louisiana centrifugal, choice white, 6 3-16c; off white, 5⅞@6 1-16c; prime carified, 5 13-16@5⅞c; off yellow clarified, 5⅛c; seconds, 4⅞@5⅛c. Molasses quiet and weak; Louisiana open kettle, good prime to strictly prime, 32c; prime, 20@22c; good fair, 17@18c; fair, 15@16; good common, 13@14c; Louisiana centrifugal, prime to strictly prime, 15@19c; fair to good fair, 12@13c.

HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES.

APPLES—Dried apples, 2½@3c per pound from store. Dried peaches, 3@3½c from store.

VEGETABLES — Onions, $2 75 from store; $2 50@2 60 from levee or depot. Cabbage, $2 75@3 per crate. Garlic, 40@60c per 100. Turnips, 50c per bushel.

FRUIT—Oranges, Louisiana, none; California, $7. Lemons, $8@9 per box. Bananas, $1 50@2 50 per bunch. Cocoanuts, $6 per 100. Peanuts—Virginia, 7½c; Tennessee, farmers' stock, 3@4c; roasted, 2½c. higher; shelled, 10c. Almonds, 18@20c.

PICKLES—In jars, pints, 95c; quarts $1 50; half-gallons, $2 75; gallons $3 75; loose, barrels, $6; half-barrels, $3 [illegible]; mixed, barrels, $10 50; mixed, half-barrels, $6.

RAISINS—London layers, $3 40; layers, $2 75; California, ——; Imperial, $3 50@4.

POTATOES—New, $1 25.

PECANS—Texas, 8@10c for small to medium, 10@14c for large; Arkansas, 3@5c.

WALNUTS—French, 12c; Naples, 15c Grenobles, 15c. Filberts, 12c.

CIDER—New York, $6 50 per barrel and $3 50 per half-barrel; Vinegar, 12½@15c per gallon.

POULTRY—Chickens, $1 00@2 00; old hens, $2 25@2 50.

GAME—Game fish, 11@12c.

EGGS—Quiet at 8c.

FISH—Mackerel, half-barrels, No. 1, $4 50@5; No. 2, $3 25@3 50; No. 3, $2 75@3; 10-lb kit, No. 1, 80c; No. 2, 70c; 15-lb, No. 3, 50c. Dry herrings, family, 30c per box.

COTTON SEED OIL, ETC.

SEED—Delivered at depot and wharf, $8 per ton; wagon at mills, $8.

Car-load lots.—Prime crude C. S. oil, 22@25c; off crude, 16@20c; prime summer yellow C.S.Oil, 33@34c; off summer yellow C. S. oil, 32@33c; Miner's summer yellow C. S. oil, 33@34c; Choice cooking summer yellow, 34@35c; prime cotton seed meal, (f. o. b.) $13 75@14.

Less than car-load lots.—Prime summer yellow C. S. oil, 28@30c; choice cooking summer yellow, 30@33c.

BAGGING AND TIES, ETC.

BAGGING—Flag, 7½@9½c. Ties, $1 10@1 15.

NAILS—$2 25@2 50.

HIDES AND TALLOW.

HIDES—Dry flint, 12½@16c; dry salt, 10@12c; green salt, 7⅛@8½c; green, 5@6c; deer skins, 15@17c. Beeswax, 20@21c; tallow, 3@3½c.

WHISKY, WINES, LIQUORS, ETC.

WHISKY—Straight Kentucky Bourbon, $1 60@6; rye, $1 75@6; domestic, 90c@$1 50.

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 23.—Whisky steady at $1 07.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 23.—Whisky steady at $1 12.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

COAL OIL—Prime white, wholesale lots, 11c per gallon.

CLEVELAND, O., July 23.—Petroleum quiet; s. w., 110°, 7½c.

PITTSBURG, PA., July 23.—Petroleum dull but firm; opened at 66½c and advanced to 66½c at 1 o'clock.

LIVE STOCK.

Receipts of cattle the past week have been quite liberal. Prices on all grades were a shade lower. Today there is a fair supply on sale. Prices weak. Receipts of hogs light. Market bare today. Prices firm. Demand for light weights very good. Market overstocked with sheep and dull. Prices lower. Choice lambs in light supply and in fair demand. Prices firm.

CATTLE—Choice grass fed, 3½@3⅝c