THE COMMERCIAL RECORD.

On the Chicago Board of Trade Wheat Opened a Shade Firmer Yesterday Morning.

The Receipts Were Quite Free and Included Several Cars of New Crop.

Lively Buying Toward Noon Tended Still Further to Strengthen the Situation.

Transactions in the Financial Circles of Wall Street---The General Quotations.

Special to the Globe.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Yesterday's experience seems to have been profitable. It was a costly experience, perhaps, to a few, but it was valuable to those who did and those who did not pay for it dearly. Its tendency was to look the situation squarely in the face and when they had done that and the worst was over, the worst was found to be better than the majority had expected. As one result the feeling this morning was stronger and prices were higher. September wheat opened at 70⅜c, September corn 38⅜c, oats 25¼c, lard $6.70, and short ribs $8.22½. "No quotations to-day" This was the legend which appeared on the blackboard of Schwartz, Dupee & Co., and in the space usually devoted to the price of wheat, corn, oats, lard, pork and ribs, was, "Leep away from the ticker." In close proximity to the ticker in the office of Jones, McCormick & Kennel stood Sentinel Thomas J. White, whose mission it was to see that too curious people did keep away. Covering the instrument in the office of Schwartz, Dupee & Co., with vigilance that would have put Sheriff Matson to the blush, stood Sentry George D. Emery. Those who had no business around the ticker did not fail to take in the injunction chalked on the door, "Please move on," and they moved. All this bulletin business was very unusual. It signified that "something was up." It meant that the authorities and members of the regular board were acting in concert in an attempt to prevent the open board from securing quotations. The directorate of the big board are in earnest in the campaign recently begun against "the crowd across the way," and this means a sharp fight all along the line, if it takes all summer, consumes the fall and eats into the winter. The intimation yesterday that the figures so promptly wired to the rebellious hosts on the other side came from bucket-shops protected temporarily by injunctions, seems to have been acted on. To-day there was evidence going to show that

THE OFFENDING PARTIES

had taken counsel of their better judgment and decided to let the little board wriggle out of its difficulty.

For fully three hours to-day prompt quotations were almost entirely shut off from the junior board. The figures which were displayed over there were generally correct, but were late, and several times the corn and wheat factions were badly mixed. Correct information was obtained, but at intervals, When men came over from the regular board and offered to sell wheat at 70½c. "The crowd across the way" knew that the quotation of 70⅜c was incorrect and changed it in the sixteen part of a second. They had a tough experience and this was all the more lamentable because when information was the most desirable it was the most difficult to obtain. This was while wheat was soaring. September wheat advanced a cent to-day, and to some of the operators a cent never looked bigger. When it was selling at 71⅛c some one shouted, "what's the matter with wheat?" and the refrain went up from a hundred throats, "wheat's all right." September corn remained steady and ribs were in fair demand.

THE ROUTINE REPORT.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Wheat opened a shade firmer this morning. Receipts of wheat are quite free, 220 cars being reported this morning, ten of the latter being new wheat. The shipments, however, are large enough to counteract any effect the receipts might have on the market. September started at 70⅜c and went slowly to 70¾c. Toward noon some lively buying was done by several prominent operators, and a still greater degree of strength than had characterized the early market was contributed by the purchases mentioned and without any special effort the price for September went up to 71⅛@71¼c. New York dispatches reported exporters as "looking around" and the prospects good for large shipments. Local buying continued up to the close of the session and September's final figure, 71¼@71⅜c, was the highest of the day. Corn continued the bullish feeling of yesterday at the opening to-day. September started at 38⅝c and soon sold at 38⅞c, and continued firm at the latter figure for some time, most of the buying being done for "country account." While interest cannot be said to have died out at any time, it was certainly not as active toward noon as earlier, September, however, after selling at 38⅞c only reacted to 38¾c, at which figure it closed. The decline in oats of the past few days brought in fair orders. The offerings were also somewhat curtailed and a firmer feeling prevailed. September finally closed where it opened. There was a pretty fair business in provisions, but of different character than was transacted during the closing days of last week, being chiefly liquidating. The receipts of hogs were light, and prices 5c higher early, but closed with the advance lost. Parties who have been buying short ribs for several days past were disposed to sell them. The short interest has been well eliminated, and the offerings proved too much for the small demand, and a sharp decline resulted. September opened at $8.22½, dropped to $8.20 and closed at $8.02½; January at $5.95. Lard was quiet but easy at $6.67½@6.72½, and closed at $6.67½. September pork was slow compared with yesterday's close. Short ribs were 17½c lower, and 2½c on lard.

THE QUOTATIONS.

The leading futures ranged as follows: Wheat—No. 2 July opened at 68½c, closing at 69½c; August, 68½c, closing at 69⅝c; September, 70⅜c, closing at 71¼c; October, 72⅜c, closing at 73c. Corn—No. 2 July opened at 37¾c, closing 37⅝c; August, 38c, closing at 37⅞c; September, 38⅜c, closing at 38¾c; October, 39c, closing at 39c. Oats —No. 2 July opened at 24¼c, closing at 24½c; September, 25¼c, closing at 25¼c; October, 25⅝c closing at 25⅝c. Mess pork, per bbl, year, $11.10, closing at $11.10. Lard, per 100 lbs, July opened at $6.57½, closing at $6.57½; August, $6.57½, closing at $6.57½; September, $6.70, closing at $6.67½; October, $6.75, closing at $6.72½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs, July opened at $8.12½, closing at $7.95; August, $8.12½, closing at $7.95; September, $8.22½, closing at $8.02½; October, $7.95, closing at $7.80. Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was dull and neglected with prices unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 69¼@69½c; No. 2 red, 71¼c. Corn—No. 2, 37⅞c. Oats—No. 2, 24¼@24⅝c. Rye—No. 2, 44c. Flax seed—No. 1, $1.06½. Prime timothy seed, $2.15. Mess pork, per bbl, $11. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6.57½@6.60. Short ribs sides, loose, $7.95@8; dry salted shoulders, boxed, $5.80@5.95; short clear sides, boxed, $8.15@8.20. Whisky—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1.10. Sugar—Cut, loaf, 6⅜@6⅝c; granulated, 6¼c; standard A, 5¾c. Receipts—Flour, 21,000 bbls; wheat, 64,000 bu; corn, 144,000 bu; oats, 260,000 bu; rye, 3,000 bu; barley, 2,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 12,000 bbls; wheat, 2,000 bu; corn, 29,000 bu; oats, 141,000 bu; rye, 500 bu; barley, 1,000 bu. On the produce exchange to-day the butter market was firm and tended higher; creamery, 13½@22½c; dairy, 12@16c. Eggs quiet and in large supply at 10@10½c.

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	NO. 2 WHEAT.			CORN.		
	J'ly	Aug	Sep.	J'ly.	Aug	Sep.
Opening	69½	68½	70⅜	37⅞	38	38⅝
Highest	69½	69½	71⅜	37⅞	38¼	39
Lowest	68⅛	68⅜	70¼	37⅝	37¾	38⅝
Closing	69½	69½	71¼	37⅝	37⅞	38⅝

	OATS.		PORK.		LARD.	
	Aug	Sep.	July.	Aug.	Aug	Sep.
Opening	24¼	25¼	.....	.....	6 60	6 70
Highest	24½	25¼	.....	.....	6 60	6 70
Lowest	24¼	25⅛	.....	.....	6 57	6 67
Closing	24½	25⅛	.....	.....	6 57	6 67

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Receipts of hogs to-day, 10,000; official yesterday, 10,136; left over, 3,000; light hogs, $5.30@5.60; mixed packing, $5.20@5.35; heavy shipping, $5.35@5.60. Receipts—Cattle, 8,000.

VISIBLE SUPPLY.

Wheat, 32,122,208 bu; corn, 7,945,960 bu; oats, 1,972,529 bu; rye, 236,581 bu; barley, 128,296 bu.

RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, 230; corn, 287; oats, 352; rye, 10; barley 6.

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Duluth Wheat.

Special to the Globe.

DULUTH, Minn., July 26.—There was a quiet and strong, but featureless market to-day. No wires were in operation to points east of Chicago and no reports came from New York. The market opened ⅜c above yesterday's close at 73½c for August and sold up to 74c, with September 1c below. Reports of unfavorable weather caused an advance as well as heavy buying by Chicago scalpers. The absence of Eastern advices and foreign reports had a quieting effect on the market, though early there seemed to be some orders. Cash wheat —9,000 bu No. 1 Northern sold at 70c and one car No. 1 hard at 73½c. Beyond this nothing was done. August opened at 73⅜c and sold steadily up to 74c, closing at 74c. It is 1c above September. September opened at 72½c, advanced to 72¾c, then declined back to 72½@72⅝c, and then advanced to 73c, closing at 73⅛c. Chicago close was 69½c for August, 81¼@81⅜c for September.

BANK OF MINNESOTA,
Paid Up Capital $600,000;
Surplus $100,000.
Wm. Dawson, Pres. Robt. A. Smith, V. Pres. Wm. Dawson, Jr., Cashier.

Milwaukee Produce.

MILWAUKEE, July 26.—Flour steady. Wheat firm; cash, 69⅜c; September, 71⅜c. Corn higher; No. 3, 38c. Oats stronger; No. 2 white, 30½c. Rye steady; No. 1, 50c. Barley firmer; September, 63½c. Provisions steady. Mess pork, July, $15. Lard, July, $6.60; August, $6.65. Butter steady; dairy, 15@17c. Eggs quiet at 12c. Cheese firm; cheddars, 9½@10c. Receipts—Flour, 9,302 bbls; wheat, 35,830 bu; barley, 575 bu. Shipments—Flour, 10,437 bbls; wheat, 65,565 bu.

GERMANIA BANK,
CAPITAL, - - $300,000.
Alex. Ramsey, Pres. Anthony Yoerg, Jr., V. Pr. Wm. Bickel, Cashier. P. M. Kerst, Asst. Cashier.
Corner Fifth and Wabasha streets, opposite Postoffice.

New York Produce.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Flour—Receipts, 19,660 packages; exports, 2,210 bbls, 7,477 sacks; steadier; sales, 31,200 bbls. Wheat—Receipts, 127,500 bu; exports, 120,073 bu; cash advanced, ¾@1c and options 1¼@1½c, closing with the best figures ruling strong; export trading fair; speculation moderately active; sales, 7,176,000 bu futures, 652,000 bu spot and arrears; No. 2 Chicago, 79⅜@79⅞c; No. 2 Chicago, c. f. and i., 78⅝@79½c; No. 2 Chicago, f. o. b, 79c; No. 2 Northwest 79¾c; No. 1 hard, 86⅞c; ungraded red, 74@83c; No. 3 red, 76½c; No. 2 red, 79½@80¼c elevator, 80⅞@80¼c delivered, 79½@80¼c f. o. b., 80½c c. f. and i; No. 1 red, nominal; No. 1 white, nominal; No. 2 red, July nomial, 80⅜c; August 79½c@80¾c, closing at 80¾c; September, 80¾@82c, closing at 82c; October, 87⅛@83⅜c; closing at 83⅜c; November, 83 7-16@84¼c, closing at 84¾c; December, 85@86c, closing at 86c; January, 86½@87⅜c, closing at 87⅜c; February, 87⅞@88¼c, closing 88¾c; March, 89⅛@89½c; closing at 89¾c; May, 90¾@92⅛c, closing 92⅛c. Corn—Spot lots ¼c and options ⅛@⅜c, higher, closing steady; receipts, 126,500 bu; exports, 43,747 bu; sales, 920,000 bu; futures, 1,120,000 bu spot; ungraded, 45¼@46c; No. 2, 45¼c in elevator; 45¾@46c delivered; No. 2 July, nominal, 44⅞c; August, 45 3-16c, closing at 45¼c; September, 46⅛@47c, closing at 46¾c; October, 47¾@48c, closing at 47¾c. Oats—A trifle better; receipts, 103,600 bu; exports, none; sales, 210,000 bu; future, 101,000 bu spot; mixed Western, 33@37c; white do, 38@43c. Hay quiet and steady; shipping, 50c. Hops light demand. Coffee—Spot, fair; Rio, $20@20¾; options easier and moderately active; sales, 84,000 bags: August, $18@18.35; September, $18.40@18.70; October, $18.50@18.90; November, $18.60@18.85; December, $18.70@19; January, $18.75@19; February, $19; March, $18.85@19.15; April, $18.90@19.15; Sugar quiet but strong; refined steady; white extra "C," 5@5 1-16c; yellow, 4⅛@4½c; mould "A," 5 15-16c; confectioners' "A," 5 13-16c; standard "A," 5½@5 9-16c; powdered, 6 1-16@6⅛c; granulated, 5 15-16@6c. Molasses dull and nominal. Rice steady and fair demand. Petroleum steady; united, 56c; crude, 5¾@6⅛c; refined, 6⅜c. Tallow dull. Rosin steady at $1@1.10. Turpentine dull at 31c. Eggs quiet but steady; receipts, 4,874 packages; Western, 12@14½c. Wool dull; domestic fleece, 30@37c; pulled, 14@35c; Texas, 9@25c. Pork steady and in moderate request; sales 350 bbls mess. Cut meats quiet and rather weak. Lard opened stronger, but later declined 2@4 points, closing weak; Western steam spot quoted at $6.92¾; August, $6.90@6.93; September, $6.99@7.03; October, $7.02; December, $6.84@6.86; January, $6.89@6.91; city steam, $6.65. Butter in fair demand for choice grades; Western, 11@21c; Western creamery, 16@21c. Cheese firm; fair inquiry. Copper steady; lake, 10⅝c. Lead firm; common, 4⅜c. Tin steady. Other articles unchanged.

COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK,
Corner of Fourth and Jackson Sts., St. Paul, Minn.
PAID UP CAPITAL, - - $500,000.
Albert Scheffer, President.
P. H. Kelly, First Vice President.
Chas. Kittelson, Second Vice Presid'nt.
Herman Scheffer, Cashier.

St. Louis Grain.

ST. LOUIS, July 26.—Wheat higher; weather in England made trading active and caused an advance of ⅜@1c; No. 2 red, cash, 75c; July, 71@71⅛c, closing at 71⅛c; August, 70⅛@71⅛c, closing at 71⅛c; September, 72@72⅜c, closing at 72⅜c; October, 73¾@74½c, closing at 74½c. Corn strong and higher; cash, 33½c; August, 34⅛c; September, 35@35½c, closing at 35⅝c; October, 35⅝c. Oats firmer; cash, 23⅞@24c; August, 23⅝c; September, 24½c. Rye neglected at 46½c.

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Bank and Land Corporation Stocks bought and sold.
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Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, July 26.—Wheat flat; holders offer freely; California No. 1, 7s 1d@7s 2d per cental; red Western, spring, 6s 3d@6s 4d; red Western, winter, 6s 5d@6s 6d; the receipts of wheat for the past three days were 232,000 centals, including 156,000 American. Corn dull and demand poor; new mixed, Western, 3s 11½d per cental. The receipts of American corn for the past three days were 11,100 centals.

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Toledo Grain.

TOLEDO, O., July 26.—Wheat active and higher; cash, August, 74c; September, 75¼c; October, 76¼c; December, 79¼c. Corn dull and steady; cash, 39c. Oats quiet; No. 2 white 27c. Receipts—Wheat, 106,000 bu; oats, 8,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 100,000 bu; corn, 3,000 bu.

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FINANCIAL.

New York.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Money on call easy at 4@5 per cent., closed offered at 4. Prime mercantile paper 5@6 per cent. Sterling exchange dull but steady and unchanged. There was still no change in the character of the stock market to-day, outsiders and the cliques doing absolutely nothing, and the transactions were entirely in the hands of the professional element. There was some selling by London early in the day, but the business done for that interest was insignificant. There was no attempt to support prices, and the traders being bearishly inclined again, sold the list down, and in the afternoon made a vigerous drive at New England, the result being material losses throughout the list. There was some improvement in Pacific Mail early in the day, upon Paris advices of the success of the Panama loan, but the improvement was short-lived and the steady pressure soon began to tell. The agitation of the money question also aided somewhat to produce a depression. The opening was irregular, but there was some degree of animation displayed in the early dealings. Fractional advances were established in the first few minutes, but these were soon wiped out and small fractions in addition were lost. The market then became very dull, with a general firm undertone, which continued until the last hour. Decided weakness in tone was then developed in the entire list, with New England as the special feature, and the close was quiet though heavy to weak at the lowest prices of the day. The entire active list is lower, the principal declines being New England, 2⅝; Manhattan, 2½; Jersey Central, 1⅞; Canada Southern, 1⅝; Colorado Coal, 1¼; Missouri Pacific 1⅛, and Louisville & Nashville, 1 per cent. Railroad bonds were dull; sales, $631,000; prices were heavy to weak, and Hannibal & St. Joe consols declined 2, to 109; Indiana, Bloomington & Western 1st certificates, 4, to 92. Government bonds were dull and heavy. State bonds were neglected. The total sales of stocks to-day were 166,544 shares, including:

Del. L. & W.	10,350	Northern Pac.	3,700
Erie	4,374	Pacific Mbil	6,730
Lake Shore	7,560	Reading	21,700
Lous. & Nash.	5,500	St. Paul	14,414
Missouri Pac.	3,251	Union Pacific	5,700
Northwestern	5,020	Western Union	14,945

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Quotations of Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Bonds closed at the following prices bid.

U. S. 4s coup.	127½	Lake E. & W.	19⅞
do 4½s coup.	108¾	Lake Shore	93¼
Pac. 6s of '95	122	Louisville & N.	61¼
La. stamped 4s	85	Lou. & N. A.	60
Missouri 6s	100	Memphis & C.	50
Tenn. 6s set'mts	106	Mich. Central	84
do 5s do	101	Min. & St. L	15¼
do 3s do	72	do pref	34
Cen. Pac. 1sts	114¼	Mo. Pac	100½
D. & R. G. 1sts	120	Mobile & O.	13½
D. & R.G.W. 1sts	79	Morris & E off'd	139
Erie 2nds	98½	Nash & Chat	80
M.K.&T. gen. 6s	94⅞	N.J. Central	75⅞
N. Pac. 1sts	115	Nor. & W. pref	44½
do 2nds	105½	Northern Pac.	34¼
N'thrn consols	140½	do pref	69⅜
do beb 6s	108½	Chic. & N.W.	115½
St.L.&S.F.,G.M.	112½	do pref	146
St. Paul consols	127½	N.Y. Central	108¾
St.P.C.& P. 1sts	119	Ohio & M.	26
Tex. Pac. L.G.	55¼	do pref	85
T. P. R. G. ex. c.	74¼	Ont. & W.	16¾
Union Pac. 1sts	114¼	Ore. R'y & Nav.	96
West Shore	100½	Ore. Trans.	28⅝
Adams Ex	150	do Imp. Co	48½
Alton & T.H.	39	Pacific Mail	41⅝
do pref	75	Peoria, D. & E.	30¾
American Ex	108	Pittsburg	153
B.C. R. & N.	45	Pullman P. Car	149
Canada Pacific	58	Reading P. Car	54⅞
Can. Southern	54½	Rock Island	130
Central Pacific	36½	St. L. & S. F	38
Chesapeake & O	6½	do pref	76½
do pfd 1sts	10¾	do 1st pf ex.p.	112
do 2nds	8	C., M. & St. P.	85¼
Chicago & A.	15	do pref	119
do pref	161½	St. P. C. & M.	114½
C. B. & Q.	142	St. P. & Omaha	49¼
C. St. L. & P.	16	do pref	111
do pref	42	Texas Pac	28⅛
C. S. & C.	56¼	Union Pac	54⅝
Cleveland Col.	54	U.S. Ex	67
Delaware & H.	100¾	Wab., St.L.& P.	18
Del. L.& W	131½	do pref	31
D. & R.G.	27¾	Wells-Fargo Ex.	128
Erie	30⅜	W.U. Tel	73
do pref	68⅛	Wheel. & L. Erie	43
East Tenn	12¼	N.Y. C. & St. L.	18¼
do pref	63	do pref	31⅜
Fort Wayne	150	M., L. S. & W.	87
Harlem	215	do pref	111
Houston & Tex.	28	Penn. C. & I. R'y	32½
Illinois Central	123	Col's., H.V.& T.	26¾
Ind. B. & W.	19	T. & O. C. pref.	57
Kansas & Tex.	27	Ft. Worth & D.	44⅞

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LONDON.

U. S. bonds, 4s	131¼	Illinois Central	127¼
A. & G. W. 1st	45	Mex. Ordinary	59½
Can. Pacific	62	St. Paul com	88⅜
Erie	32	N. Y. Central	112⅞
Erie, 2nd	102¼	Reading	28¾

NEW YORK.

Alice	100	Homestake	14
Amador	110	Iron Silver	260
Brunswick	150	Security	575
Caledonia, B. H.	140	Phoenix, Ark	175
Cal. & Va.	1700	Santiago	280
Deadwood	270	Standard	780
Eureka	550	Tornado	11
El Cristo	550		

BOSTON.

A. & T. R. R.	110¾	Mex. Cen. com.	14½
Boston & A.	201½	do 1st m. bds.	69½
C., B. & Q.	142½	N. Y. & N. E.	47½
C., San. & Cleve.	25	do 7s	124
Flint & P. M.	33¾	Old Colony	180
do pref	101	Rutland com. pfd	42½
Wis. Cen. com.	23	Calumet & H.	211
do pref	42	Central	12
Franklin	12	Osceola	27
Quincy	53	Bell Telephone	220
Boston Land	8½	Water Power	1050
Tamarack	100	S. D. L. Co.	55½

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Closing Prices St. Paul Banks—National German American bank, 125 bid, 128 asked; St. Paul National bank, 111 bid, 114½ asked; First National bank, 182 bid; Second National bank, 255 bid; Third National bank, 119 bid; Merchants National bank, 160 bid; Commercial National bank, 115 bid, 120 asked; Bank of Minnesota, 131 bid, 145 asked; Capital bank, 130 bid; Germania bank, 123½ bid, 128½ asked; The People's bank, 107 bid; Seven Corners bank (par 50), 50 bid, 52 asked; West Side bank, 100 bid, 106 asked; Savings Bank of St. Paul, 140 bid; Scandinavian American, 100 bid, 105 asked; First National bank, Stillwater, 110 bid, 130 asked; Lumbermans National bank, Stillwater, 125 bid, 150 asked.

Minneapolis Banks—Bank of Minneapolis, 110 bid; City bank, 106 bid, 115 asked; the Commercial bank, 96 bid; Union National bank, 103 bid, 105 asked: First National bank, 133 bid; German American bank, 100 bid, 125 asked; Hennepin County Savings bank, 150 bid, 175 asked; National Bank of Commerce, 103 bid, 112 asked; Nicollet National bank, 115 bid, 120 asked; Northwestern National bank, 133 bid; People's bank, 105 bid, 120 asked; Scandia bank, 125 bid, 135 asked; State bank, 107 bid, 110 asked; The Security bank, 120 bid, 150 asked; First National Bank of Shakopee, 104 asked.

Miscellaneous Stocks—St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance company, 135 bid, 145 asked; St. Paul Trust company, 85 bid, 105 asked; St. Paul Real Estate Title Insurance company, 110 bid, 115 asked; Minnesota Security company (par $50), 60 asked; St. Paul Land company (par $100), 110 asked; Union Land company (par $100), 75 asked; Warrendale Improvement company, 39 bid, 40 asked; Minnesota Scale, 50 asked; Ramsey County Loan and Trust company, 46 asked; St. Anthony Park North Real Estate Improvement company (par $100), 125 asked; West Publishing company, (par $50), 52 bid, 55 asked; North St. Paul Land company, 90 asked; Como Heights Land and Improvement company, 100 asked; St. Paul Plow works 5 bid; Ballard's Express 14 asked; Minnesota Electric company 7 ¾ asked; St. Paul opera house, 100 bid; Murray opera house, 50 asked; Northwestern Panorama company, Minneapolis, 60 asked; Capitol Real Estate and Improvement company 50 asked; Marvin Land and Loan company 125 bid; Northern Pacific Railroad company (common) 33 bid, 34 asked; Northern Pacific Railroad company (preferred) 58 bid; St. Paul & Sioux City Land company (special) 84 asked.

Mining Stocks—Abacus iron .8 bid, .10 asked: Gelena Silver 1.40 bid, 1.60 asked; United Iron and Land syndicate .15 bid, .20 asked; Alidor Iron (assessable) .7 bid, .10 asked; Golden Hope (assessable). 20 asked; Creston Iron (assessable) .65 bid, .75 asked.

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Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Bank clearings, $8,083,000. New York exchange steady at 50@60c discount. No quotable change has taken place in money rates. Funds are in ample supply at 6@8 per cent., varying with length of the loan and class of security.

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WEEKLY REVIEW.

Market reports indicate a healthy condition of business, the volume being good for the time of year, with indications pointing to an early and satisfactory trade. Prices are well maintained, and while irregularities exist and lower quotations are made on a few lines, the general tone of the market is decidedly firm and some advances are to be looked for soon. Although quotations are strong and there are indications of an advance in prices, there are no changes at all to note this week. Collections are good and hopeful anticipations are generally expressed, especially in view or the present very favorable reports from the crop regions. These have been set forth from day to day in the news columns of the daily papers and everybody should be familiar with the situation all through the wheat districts. Minnesota, Dakota, and in fact all the Northwest, seems to be specially favored so far with suitable conditions for the proper ripening of the crops. The dry goods trade continues to improve, and sales show a gratifying increase. A number of new stocks were sold during the week. From the increased number of buyers, whose purchases were made with freedom, indicate their confidence in prices as well as their ability to handle the goods. The order demand during the past week has been very much larger. The salesmen of all our leading jobbing houses are out on the road with a complete assortment of samples of fall goods, and they have succeeded in placing liberal orders in about every instance. It is now so near harvest time that the result of the crops can be pretty well determined, and the indications are favorable, and there is therefore a disposition to purchase very liberally. When the crops do not promise so well purchases are made with more or loss cautiou, and this conservative course is being encouraged by all wholesale houses, for the reason that they believe it to be the best and wisest course to pursue. The outlook on the whole may be safely called promising. While certain sections of the country tributary to St. Paul are more or less discouraged by the crop failure, the main portion of the country tributary to us will harvest a full average crop. The market exhibits no specially new features and prices are very firm, with a continued upward tendency in cotton goods. Woolens are steady at unchanged prices. Groceries are active. Sugars steady. Coffee firm, no change in prices. The drug market continues active, with collections improving. Hardware is very active, with good collections and no changes in quotations. Other articles are the same.

Groceries.

Dried Fruits—Currants, new, 6¾c; Turkish prunes, new, 4¾c; blackberries, in barrels, 9c; Valencia, new, 6⅝c; dried apples, New York quarters, 7c; N. Y. sliced, 7½; dried apples, evaporated, 17½c.

Canned Goods—Per doz. oysters, 2-lb cans, $1.50@1.65; peaches, 3-lb cans, standards, $1.85; peaches, 3-lb cans, seconds, $1.40; salmon, 1-lb cans, Columbia river, $1.75; tomatoes, 3-lb cans, standards, $1.25; gallon apples, Erie, $3.75.

Coffee—Java, fancy grades, 28@30c; inferior, 24@26c; Rio, washed, 22@23c; prime, 20½c.

Tea—Japan, common to fair, 25@30c; superior to fine, 30@40c; extra fine to finest, 40@60c; gunpowder and imperial, common to fair, 25@35c; superior to fine, 40@50c; extra fine to finest, 60@75c; Young Hyson, common to fair, 22@30c; superior to fine, 35@45c; extra fine to finest, 55@70c; Oolong, common to fair, 25@35c; superior to fine, 35@50c; extra fine to finest, 60@80c; English breakfast Souchongs and Congoes, common to fair, 20@30c; superior to fine, 46⅞@55c; extra fine to finest, 60@80c.

Sugar—Cut loaf, 6⅞c; powdered, 6¾c; standard granulated, 6⅜c; standard A, 5⅞c; white extra C, 5¼@5⅜c; yellow extra C, 5⅛c; yellow C, 5¼.

Syrup and Molasses—Syrup, No. 6, 28c; syrup, fair, 30c; syrup, good, 35c; syrup, prime, 42c; molasses, common, 17c; New Orleans, common, 35c; New Orleans, fair, 45c; New Orleans, good, 60c.

Cheese—New York factory, 10c; Young America, 11c.

Beans—Medium hand-picked, $2; navy hand-picked, $2.15.

Woodware—Two-hoop pails, $1.40; three-hoop pails, $1.65; No. 1 tubs, $6.25; No. 2 tubs, $5.25; No. 3 tubs, $4.25; washboards, "Wilson Singles," $1.75; washboards, "Wilson Doubles," $2.75.

Spices—Pepper, Singapore, 20c; cassia, China, 9@12c; cassia, Saigon, 45@50c; pimento, 8@10c; cloves, Ambogyna, 32@35c; cloves, Zanzibar, 30c; nutmegs, No. 1, 65c; nutmegs, No. 2, 50c; mace, 60@70c.

Salt—Fine, car lots, $1.02½; less than car los, $1.10; ordin ary coarse, $1.65.

Dry Goods.

Brown Sheeting and Shirting—Hyde Park AAA, 8c; Indian Head, 7¾c; Wachusett, 7c; Dominion 7c; Endurance, 6¾c; Crown Sheets, 7c; J. R. King, F. F. 6c; Badger State LL, 5¾c; Oreylock LL, 5¾c; Lawrence LL, 5¾c; Agawam F, 4½c; cheese cloth, 3½@5c.

Fine Brown Sheeting—Pepperell R, 6½c; Cast Iron extra, 7¾c; Pendleton R, 6½c; Atlas o. n. B, 7c; Dwight Star, 6½c; Lockwood B, 6¾c; Badger State R R, 6¼c; Cambria, 6¼c; Echo Lake, 6½c.

Bleached Cottons—Wamsuttas and N. Y. mills, 11c; Fruit of Loom, 8½c; Lonsdale, 8½c; Lonsdale cambric, 11¼c; Hill S. I., 8c; The Bell, 10c; Imperial, 100s, 9½c; Cascade, 7½c; Melrose, 8¼c; Water Lily, 7c; Montclair, 7½c; Dexter, XX, 6¼c; Hercules, 6¼c; Guilford, 6c; Best Yet, 6¼c.

Cheviots—Tonawanda, extra, 17½c; Germania, XX, 32-inch, 10c; Germania, XX, 12½c; do X, 11c; Glenriddle, 11½; Imperial Winery, 11½c; Kinlock, XXX, D. C., 11c; Amoskeag stripes, 9½c; do plaids, 01½c; Edinburg printed, 9c; Glenolden and Balbriggan printed, 9c; Manchester do, 12c; Fleeting, 10c; Bates extra D. C., 12½c; Shotwell, 7½c; Mable, 8c.

Prints—Francies Arnold, Pacific, Simpson, Windsor, Merrimack, Manchester, 6c; American, Allen, Richmond, Hamilton, 5½c; Lode, Belmont, 4c.

Berwick, 4c, Ramapo, 3½c.

Prints—shirtings—Merrimack, Anchor, 4¾c; Allan American, Hortel, 4½c.

Prints—Indigo Blue—Arnold, American, 6½c; Bombay and Martha Washington, 6c.

Ginghams—Dress Styles—L'Etoile du Nord, cable cords, 10½c; Renfrew, 8½c; Normandie, Warwick Calcutta, 8c; Glenerie, 7½c.

Ginghams—Staples—Lancaster, Amoskeag, 7½c; Plunkett, York, Gloucester, Bales, 7¼c.

Shirtings—Stripes and Checks—Dexter 6-3 stripes, 10¼c; extra stout do, 10½c; Amoskeag 6-3 do, 10c; Hamilton 6-3 do, 10c; Aradpha, 6-3 8c; Rider Mills 6-3, 6c; Park No. 150, Turkey red furniture checks, 16c; No. 90 do, 15c; James Long No. 850 do, 14½; Shelly do, 10¼c; Otis do, 9½c; Economyo do, 8½@9c.

Denims—Amoskeag, 9 oz, 16½c; do Fay mixed 8 oz, 15½c; do twilled, 13½c; old York 9 oz