Mining shares closed as follows

Cholor BO Plymouth
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Coo, Cal. and Va. 250 Sierra Novada
Deadwood 215 Standard
Gould & Curry 70 Union Coo
Hale & Norcross 135 Yellow Jacket
Homestake. 1440 Fron Silver
Mexican 110 Quicksliver
North Star. 600 Quicksliver pfd.
Unitario 2000
Plymit 200

& Co. The new plan comprises 31 acres of very level land, and adjoins the property recently purchased by the city of Pitts-

burg from the People's Savings Bank,

A sale of city property involving \$50,000 is known to be in hand and likely to be closed

A gentleman who is interested in consider-

able property on the Southside reports in-creased activity in realty in that locality.

Building Parmits

Reports From the Agencies.

brick two-story dwellings and a brick stable,

for \$13,000. A lot 20x110 on Resaca street. Al-

\$1,250; also a residence and lot in the East

WHEAT AND CORN LOWER

and Oats and Mil feed Drifting Upward-

Graebing & Lyon sold to J. C. Dick the

ORN—No. 2 yellow ear
High-mixed ear.
Mixed ear.
No. 2 yellow shelled.
High-mixed shelled.
Mixed shelled.
OATS—No. 1 white.
No. 2 white.
Kxtrs No. 3 white.
Mixed.
Mixed.
BYE—No. 1 Western.
No. 2 Western.

burg from the People's Savings Bank, which tract adjoins Highland Park. The stack of the purchased two years ago by a gentleman very prominent in realty circles. About one year ago the purchaser sold an undivided one-half interest in the tract to a gentleman who requests that his name be withheld from publication for the present. The owners have refused some very flattering offers for their plot to sell in acreage, having decided to pursue the course as stated above. The exact number of lots the plan will contain cannot be definitely stated at present, as a portion of the land will not be placed on the market for a few days. The lots will front to feet on Jouett street, Stanton avenue, Winterson and Heberton streets principally and will vary in depth. A certain restriction will be enforced regarding the building of houses on the lots. All buildings erected must be a certain distance back from the street, thus leaving sufficient space for a lawn in front of each 4welling.

Groceries,

Groceries.

SUGARS—Patent cut-loaf, 6%c; cubes, 5%c; powdered, 5%c; granulated (standard), 4%c; confectioners A, 4%c; soft A, 4%gMc; fancy yellow, 64c; fair yellow, 64%c; common yellow, 3%g33%c.

COFFEE—Rosated, in packages—Standard brands, 33-30c; second grades, 19620c; fancy grades, 28628c. Loose—Java, 30c; Mocha, 31%g35c; Santos, 35%g35c, Maracaibo, 77c; Peaberry, 25%g36c; Caracas, 29c; Rio, 224%g35c.

COFFEE—GREEN—O, G. Java, 23623c; Padang Java, 226234c; Mocha, 31633c; Peaberry, 21%g35c; Caracas, 22624c; golden Santos, 21%g224c; Rio, 192214c.

OIL—Carbon, 1160, 6c; headlight, 65%c; water white, 7c; Elaine, 13%c; Ohlo legal test, 6%c; miners winter white, 25626c; summer, 31633c.

Motasses—New Orleans, fancy new crop, 466 (ic; choice, 376638c; centrilugals, 19c.

Syrup—Corn syrup, 22625c; sugar syrup, 22629c; fancy flavors, 31622c.

FRUITS—London laver raisins, 25%; California London layera, 319062 10; California muscatels, bars, 6634c; boxed, 31 1561 25; Valencia, 546 65%c; Ondara Valencia, 7%c605%c; California sultanas, 9631c; currants, 46c; California prunes, 96631c; currants, 46c; California prunes, 96631c; currants, 46c; California seedless raisins, 1-B cartons, 57%; citron, 19%g3c; layer, 54665c; California seedless raisins, 1-B cartons, 57%; citron, 19%g3c; layer, 54665c; citron peel, 10%g11c; layer, 10 creased activity in realty in that locality. Within the past few weeks inquiry has increased wonderfully, and many large deals are under way at the present time.

A new plan of lots is being prepared for the masket. The plot will be located in the West End, and will contain more than 100 lots. With a rapid transit line in this direction, property will undoubtedly enhance in value to a great extent.

A large tract of land located on Perrysville avenue, near the terminus of the elec-

A large tract of land located on Perrys-ville avenue, near the terminus of the elec-tric road, may soon change hands. If the deal is consummated a large sum will be paid, as the property is very valuable, hav-ing several houses erected thereon with all The following building permits were is-ued vesterday: Mrs. Catherine Balley, frame

bright outlook for this branch of trade. There has been no material increase in the request for pig iron, but the great activity in manufactured iron and steel, and the fact that the weekly output of the furnaces has shown a marked falling off, argues strongly in favor of his her prices for crude material. There is a firmer feeling on the part of leading producers in various sections, but the offerings on the part of the Southern furnaces at prices below anything previously reported tend to keep values at a low level. A number of consumers are salling close to shore as to supplies, while others have made liberal purchases of billets, Bessemer and mill iron, as the sales published in this paper show. Stocks of unsold pig iron continue heavy throughout the country, but the decreasing production and the increasing consumption will tend to eliminate, in a measure, this important check to improved prices. Dairy Products. Butter is firmly held at the last advance, and the expectation is that prices will again be advanced next week.

BUTTER—Choice Kigin creamery, D@Mc; other brands, D@Mc; choice to fancy country roll, D@Mc; low grades, DMG; cooking, E@Hoc. CHEESE—Chio, new Jok@Hoke; New York, 104@Hoke; fine fall make, fancy new Wisconsin Swiss, blocks, 14@Hote ob bricks, 105@Hic; Wisconsin swritzer, in tubs, 12@H35c for new, 13@H5c for old; imberger, 10@Hic; Ohio Swiss, 12@H3c, as to quality. Ecgs and Poultry. Eggs-Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, 16%

advances. There is a vast amount of business in sight and in hand, and prices will ness in sight and in hand, and prices will soon begin to show an encouraging degree of firmness. There is irregularity, of course, and in places where strength was confidently looked for it has failed to materialize. On the other hand, there is increased strength where weakness would not have caused any surprise. SITMC.

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POULTRY-Spring chickens, 40,500 per pair for kmall and 55,655 for large; old chickens, 70,600; ducks, 60,670c; geese, 75,6,641 00,

Dealers in hog products reported a steady market to-day, but there were intimations that a few declines would be established at the regular meeting. able for business in the iron trade. The Large hams.

Medium
Smail.

Trimmed...
California
Shoulders, sugar-cured...
Dry salt sales reported below confirm that view of the situation, the first sale reported being 10,000 tons of Bessemer. The sales of the week show up well, prices for all kinds of iron have been well maintained, standard brands in all cases being preferred. Steel Dry salt

following property: A lot 47x100 feet on Center avenue, on which are erected two for \$13,000. A lot 20x110 on Resaca street, Allegheny, on which are erected two brick twostory dwellings for \$10,000, and a lot 58x160 in
West Bellevue, on which is erected a ten,
room frame dwelling for \$5,500.
George Schmidt sold another jot in his
Eureka Place plan, being No. 158, situate at
Lookout avenue and Wallace street, to Mrs.
Jane Roberts for \$550.
Black & Baird sold to Patrick Connoley
for Mrs. K. N. Anderson, lot No. 5 in J.
Walter Hay's plan of lots, fronting 24 feet
on Madison avenue, by depth of 100 feet on
Herron avenue for \$600.
C. H. Love sold three more lots in the
Hunter plan at Wilkinsburg, Nos. 49 and 41
to W. E. Askins and No. 42 to W. R. Scobe,
for \$300 each.
James W. Drape & Co. report the sale of
a house and grounds near the city for \$2,250;
also a small house and lot at Homewood lor
\$1,250; also a residence and lot in the East Clear beilles, smoked Clear bellies, dry salt Pork, heavy...... Light... Dried beef, knuckles. Lard (pure) tierces ...

> Berries, Vegetables and Fruits. Huckleberries were quoted at 75@85c per basket and \$1 00@1 25 per pail, blackberries at 75c@\$1 00 per pail and elderberries at 50@

\$1,250; also a residence and lot in the East End or \$5,750.

The Burrell and Kensington Improvement Companies report the following sale of lots at Kensington: Thomas Balley, Pittsburg, lot \$60, block 18, for \$830; John R. Wellons, Pittsburg, lot \$1, block 13, for \$550; Mrs. Ella W. Williams, Pittsburg, lots \$27, 828 and \$23, block 23 for \$5,90.

F. B. Tomb sold for George Fornof to Jacob Weinman a lot on Penn avenue, Wilkinsburg, 90x182 feet, jor \$2,444. Peaches were again in rather excessive supply, but prices were well maintained, despite a slow movement, at \$2 00@3 00 per

Cotton.

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 26.—Cotton nominal; middling, 7%c.

AMATEUR sports a special feature in THE

On the charge of aggravated riot pre-ferred by Secretary Lovejoy, of the Carnegie Company, Benjamin Thomas, of Homestead, was arrested yesterday. He was apprehended by one of Alderman Mc-Masters' constables and committed to jail for a hearing to-day.

ear corn, 1 car middlings, 1 car feed, 8 cars A BETTER OUTLOOK.

Blight Advance.

For certain descriptions of raw material

the demand is certainly improving. The labor troubles are slowly but certainly drawing to a close. The time for inau-

gurating the fall trade is near at hand.

During the week a number of plants have

started up, some on single turn, others on

July. The change from intensely warm to

Higher Priced Crude Probable.

The demand for all kinds of finished material still continues large, and, with most of

the mills full of work, there is certainly a bright outlook for this branch of trade.

Plenty of Business in Sight.

sive than was looked for. It is a difficult market to estimate as regards its immediate movements, although it is confidently ex-pected to turn out favorable as the season

A Big List of Transactions,

Last week the outlook was reported favor-

billets sold to a fair extent at last week's

prices, prompt delivery commanding the nighest figures. The iron men who have been absent on their summer vacation are beginning to return, and all indications point to material enlargement of the vol-ume of business. The sales of the week fol-

CORE-SMELTED LAKE AND NATIVE ORE.

10,000 tons Bessemer, September, Octo-ber, November, at valley fur-

nace, f, o. b. cars...

3,500 tons Bessemer, October, November...

3,000 tons Bessemer, city furnace...

1,000 tons Bessemer, September...

1,000 tons gray forge, prompt...

1,000 tons gray forge, prompt...

1,000 tons gray forge...

1,000 tons gray forge...

500 tons gray forge...

STEEL SLABS AND BILLETS.

Finished material holds up better than might have been expected. At the same time, the crude article has been less respon-

mproved prices.

A Good Deal of Business in Sight and Prices Improving.

FRIDAY, Aug. 26.

1,000 tons No. 1 W. R. R. scrap, net 14 25 400 tons No. 1 W. R. R. scrap, net 14 59 100 tons leaf springs, gross 19 50 100 tons coll springs, gross 18 00 BESSEMER AND GRAY FORGE FIRM SPELTER. 50 tons spelter, September and Oc-And Holders Generally Are Demanding a

PERBO MANGANESE. 80 tons, 80 per cent, seaboard 37 08 cash

SCRAP MATERIAL.

PAIR TRADE AT CHICAGO.

SALES LIBERAL IN ALL LINES Nothing Remarkable, but Enough to Keep Things Going Right Along.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—[Special.]—Rogers, Brown and Merwin say: This district is showing about the usual amount of business for this season of the year. Small orders up to 100 or 200 tons are numerous, there always being considerable trade going for small lots of considerable trade going for small lots of this sort from consumers who confine their purchases to nearby requirements. The metal being sold is almost exclusively Northern and Southern coke. Prices remain practically unchanged. Here and there furnaces are found with accumulations of stocks willing to make even slight further concessions in order to effect quick shipment. One of the features of interest in the situation is the fact that many furnaces are being put out of blast for the purpose of repairs and otherwise. This is gradually cutting down production, and the effect must be felt later in the season.

Consumption is going forward at a healthy rate. Indications for the autumn trade are all good. There is little of any kind doing in Lake Superior charcoals. Large consumers purchased earlier in the season, and those who have not provided for their entire season's requirements have enough contracted for to last through the present year, and feel disposed to take their chances on the remainder on any stiffening in this class of metal. double. This movement has given employ-ment to thousands of workmen, most of them having been idle since the first of July. The change from intensely warm to temperate weather will undoubtedly have an invigorating effect on trade generally. A better feeling has already been aroused and confidence is making its appearance. Production, however, will have to come down to the point where anxiety prevails as to the probability of obtaining supplies when wanted. Just as long as the supply exceeds the demand consumers will be easy about their requirements, and producers will be found who will not only make concessions, but force sales at almost any price they can obtain. The rule that establishes fixed relations between supply and demand, and which arbitrarily governs the price of all commodities can neither be abrogated nor temporarily set aside for the convenience of men who recklessly ignore all the fundamental laws of business.

No Improvement at St. Louis.

Sr. Louis, Aug. 25. - [Special.] - Rogers, Brown & Meachan say: There has been little if any improvement during the past week. Most of the sales have been carload lots, with one or two 500-ton orders. We hear that several of the Southern furnaces will c.ose down soon, and we are in hopes that this will have the effect of bolstering up prices and stop the decline that has been going on for the past three months.

LIVE STOCK.

Hogs Lower at East Liberty and Cattle and Sheep Very Duit. EAST LIBERTY, Aug. 26.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,932 head: shipments, 1,050 head; nothing doing; all through consignments; no cattle shippen to New York to-day.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,800 head; shipments, 1,800 head; s Hous-Receipts, 4.500 head; shipments, 2,500; very market dull; prime corn-fed, \$5.505 is 70; grassers, \$4.75@5 25; 11 cars hogs shipped to New York to-day.

SHEEF-Receipts, 2,000 head; shipments, 1,200; market very dull at about unchanged

[By Associated Press.]

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New York—Beeves—Reccipts, 3,414 head, including 35 cars for sale; market very dull; native steers, \$3.70@4 30 per 100 nounds; Texans, \$3.50; bulls and cows, \$1.92@3 12½; dressed beef dull at 7@9c per pound; shipments te-day, 500 beeves; to-morrow, 631 heaves and \$5.76 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 707 head; market very dull; veals, \$5.00@7 90 per 100 pounds; grassers, \$2.30@2 50. Sheep—Receipts, 3,597 head; sheep dull; lambs ½c per pound lower; sheep, \$4.00@5 50 per 100 pounds; lambs, \$5.00@6 50; dressed mutton steady at \$3.00 be per pound; dressed lambs lower at \$3.00 beef. Bound: dressed lambs lower at \$3.00 beef. Sheep. Receipts, \$7.15 head, including 2 cars for alle; market lower at \$5.70@6 05 per 100 pounds.

Chicago—The Evening Journal reports: Cat-

\$5 70@6 05 per 100 pounds.

Chicago—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts, 12,000 head; shipments, 4,000 head; market steady; prime native steers, \$5 20@5 55; good to choice, \$4 80@4 35; others, \$1 75@6 65; Texans, \$2 40@2 75; mangers, \$2 50 @2 75; canners, \$1 90@2 25. Hors—Receipts, 3,000 head; shipments, 10,000 head; market 20@40e lower than yesterday; rough packers, \$4 50@4 75; good mixed, \$4 90@5 10; prime heavy and butchers' weights, \$5 15@5 35; assorted light, \$5 15@5 20; others, \$4 50@7 10. Sheep—Receipts, \$000 head; shipments, 2,000 head; market steady; natives, \$3 50@5 75; Texans, \$3 90@4 75; Westerns, \$4 25@4 60; lambs, \$3 50@6 50.

Ransas City—Cattle—Receipts, 6,200 head; shipments, 3,100 head; the market for good steers was steady to strong, others lower at \$2.75@4.75; cows 10e lower at \$1.70@2.240; Texan and Indian steers duil; steady to 10e lower at \$2.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.10. \$2.70. Hozs—Receipts, 1.300 head; whipggs 10. Hogs-tecerpts, 1,500 head; ship-ments, 1,300 head; the market was 180,250 lower; all grades, \$3 5,65 30; bulk, \$4 7565 10. Sheep-Receipts, 1,400 head; shipments, 500 head; the market was dull and steady. St. Louis—Cartle—Receipts, 3,100 head; shipments, 3,100 head; market active, but 10 @15c lower; fair to chice native steers, \$3 15 @4 60; Texans and Indians, \$2 10@3 00; canners, \$1 10@2 18 Hogs—Receipts, 4,300 head; shipments, 3,000 head; market 10c to 20c lower; heavy. \$5 30@5 50; packing, \$4 80@5 40; light, \$5 00@6 85. Sucep—Heceipts, 600 head; shipments, 1,500 head; market strong; fair to choice native muttons, \$3 50@5 00; Texans, \$3 00@4 50.

\$3 00@4 50.

Buffelo — Cattle — Receipts, 3,000 head; through, 2,150 head; on sale, 400 head; duil, lower and lew sold. Hogs—Receipts, 3,150 head; through, 3 150 head; on sale, 3,500 head; duil and fully 25c to 30c lower; Yorkers, \$5 20@5 30. Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 5,600 head; through, 1,600 head; on sale, 2,600 head; duil and weak; best sheep, \$5 00@5 10; native lambs, \$5 75@6 00.

Cincinnati—Hors dull: common and light, \$3 75@5 40; packing and butchers', \$4 90@5 50; receipts, 4,070 head: shipments, 1,365 head. Cattle steady at \$1 75@4 60; receipts, 430 head; shipments, 770 head. Sleep steady at \$3 75@5 60; receipts, 4,340 head; shipments, 6,70 head. Lambs steady; common to choice, \$3 50 @6 50 per 100 pounds.

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orders but soon regained the lost ground, closing be higher than yesterday. Ribs were alrected much the same as pork and lard and closed with a loss of 12% of or Sep-READING SUPPORTED. Lake freights steady at 2c for corn to Chancellor McGill's Decision Only

Chancellor McGill's Decision Only Intensifies the Dullness.

BUGAR SCORES A LARGE DECLINE

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Con Heavy Trading and Fails to Recover Any of the Losa.

PRICES RULE LOWEST AT THE CLOSE

New York, Aug. 26.—The principal effect of the decision by Chancellor McGill was to intensify the tendency to dullness in the general list and to increase the movement to cover shorts in all portions of the list. There was considerable excitement in the Reading' crowd at the opening, but when it became evident that the insiders were disposed to support the stock against when it became evident that the insiders were disposed to support the stock against when it became evident that the insiders were disposed to support the stock against when it became evident that the insiders were disposed to support the stock against when it became evident that the insiders were disposed to support the stock against were disposed to support the stock against the control of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert and property in the leading futures furnished by John Robbert and property in the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert Angles of the leading futures furnished by John Robbert An

Range of the leading futures, furnished by John were disposed to support the stock against .

M. Oakley & Co., bankers and brokers, No. 45 Sixth street:					
ARTICLES.	Open- ing.	High-	Low-		Close Au. 25
October Dec-mber May	73% 78% 78	70%	75% 75% 77% 88%	8 74% 75% 75% 77% 83%	75 75 % 76 % 76 % 78 % 88%
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September	34%	31% 34%	3454 8134	34% 34% 34%	34% 34% 34%
May	87%	8732	37%	37%	87%
September	10 35	10 50 10 57 12 27	10 20 10 80 12 05	10 42 10 52 12 22	10 55 10 62 12 20
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GENE New York—I ages; exports, irregular and barrels. CORN MEAL dt WHEAT—Rece 46 000 bushela.	CRAL	MA Recarrels, ally will stead 157,000 ee 1,21	eipts, 50,000 reak.	TS. 40,200 sacks; Sales, ls; ex	pack- dull, 8,900 ports,
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The total sales of stocks to-day were 2%,801 shares, including Atchison, 7,970; Chicago Gaz, 5,200; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 4,300; Erie, 5,000; Louisville and Nashville, 4,200; Missouri Pacific, 3,309 New England, 15,200; Reading, 65,800; Richmond and West Point, 9,615; St. Paul, 6,300; Western Liston, 200;

ages; exports, 7,900 barrels, 50,000 sacks; duit, ilregular and generally weak. Sales, 8,900 barrels.

Corn Meal dull and steady.
Wheat—Receipts, 157,000 bashels; exports, 46,000 bashels. Sales 1,210,000 bushels fatures, 88,000 bushels spot. Spot dull, lower and closing steady; No. 2 red, 79% store and elevator; 80% 685% c. afloat; 80% 681% of . c. b.; No. 3 red, 75% c. nograded red, 70% 60% c. No. 1 Northern, 80% 85% c. No. 1 hard, 90% 90% c. No. 2 Northern, 80% 85% c. No. 1 hard, 90% 90% c. No. 2 Northern, 80% 85% c. No. 1 hard, 90% 90% c. No. 2 Northern, 80% 85% c. No. 2 Milwaniee, 70% 97% c. No. 3 spring, 76% 97% c. Options were less active, irregular and 20% fo lower on foreign selling, lower cables, flue weather abroad and the cholera scare, closing steady; No. 2 red August, 79% c. Sentember, 80% 85% c, closing 80% c. October, 81% 81% c. closing 81% c. November, 83c; Decamber, 84 9-166 85% c, closing 84% c. May, 89 15-166 90% c, closing 90c. Evr quist and weak.

Barley Maly dull.

Corn—Receipts 24,000 bushels; exports 23,000 bushels; sales 510,000 bushels intures, 45,000 bushels spot; spot dull and weaker; No. 2 file clevator; 626 % afloat; ungraded mixed, 60% 965c; options duli and 57% c. losing at 61c; September, 57% 655% c, closing at 57% c. February, 57% 964 % c. harch, 87% 957%; May, 55% c. Oats—Receipts 125,550 bushels; exports, 540 bushels; exports, 540 bushels; sales 260,000 bushels futures, 64,000 bushels snot; spot duli and steady; options moderately active and easier; August closing at 38% c. October, 89% 35% c. closing at 39c; Sentember, 89% 35% c. closing at 39c; Sentember, 89% 35% c. closing at 39c; Cotober, 89% 35% c. closing at 39c; Cotober, 89% 35% c. closing at 39c; No. 2 Spot white, 42c; mixed Western, 1994 90% white do, 42% 47c; No. 2 Chicago, 35% c. Watson & Gibson to Oakley & Co.: "We feel like waiting a few days before advising purchases of stocks, for if a few cases of choicer should be discovered on the scaboard choicers should be discovered on the scaboard it would cause a momentary selling movement. Bears would do most of the selling and that would be a good time to make purchases. Sanitary conditions in this country are excellent and very different from Hamburg and Havre. The market at the close did not look quite right for to-morrow's husiness, and we are inclined to expect a little break in quotations."

The following table shows the prices of active stocks on the New York Stock Exchange, corrected daily for The PITTSBURG DISPATCH by WHITNEY & STEPHENSON, oldest Pittsburg members of New York Stock Exchange, 57 Fourth ave-

at \$7 90.

Darky Products—Butter dull and steady.
Cheese weaker and in light demand.

Cheese weaker and in light demand.

Minneapolis—The cash market was quite lively all day. There was a good demand for No. I and Northern, but other grades dragged a good deal and it was necessary to make liberal offers to effect sales; old No. I Northern sold at 1867914c. New wheat sold at 73674c, with elevator wheat ic better. There was quite liberal receipts of new wheat, with the bulk of lower grades; No. 2 Northern new wheat sold as high as No. 2 old, about 67663c. This was the only place where new wheat sold as high as old. No grade wheat sold generally below 50c, much of it being of poor quality and going between 30640c. Receipts of wheat here were 160 cars and at Duluth and Superior 40 cars. Close: August, 72%c; September, 74%c. December, 74%c. On track: No. I hard, 79%c; No. I Northern, 78c; No. 2 Northern, 65669c; old August, 79c; old September, 74%c. old August, 79c; old September, 74/4c.

St. Louis — Flour quiet and unchanged.

Whent—Cash higher at 70½/270½c: options opened to er and continued to decline, the close beint ½/20½c under yesterday; September, 70½/270½c: becember, 74½c. Corn scarce and better at 47½/247½c for cash; futures started lower and finished at ½c below yesterday; September and October closed at 47½c; December, 45½c; year, 45½c; May, 45½c. Oats—Cash higher at 32½/23½c; options lower. August closed at 32½c; September, 32½c; October, 32½c; May, 36½c Rye firm at 61c. Bran lower on East track. Hay slow and unchanged. Flaxseed firm at 98c. Cornmeal lower.

Cornmeal lower.

Philadelphis—Flour dull: winter wheat straight, \$4 0004 10: do patent, \$4 35; Minnesota patent, \$4 5004 10: do patent, \$4 35; Minnesota patent, \$4 5000 10: Wheat easier: No. 2 red, August, 75% 676; September, 7607 86; No. 2 red, August, 75% 676 80; Corn—Local carlots a shade firmer. Futures wholly nominal; No. 2 mixed in grain depot, 60c: No. 2 mixed August, 57% 65796; September, 560556; Coats—Carlots duil and lower; futures inactive: new No. 3 white, 38c; new No. 2 white, 42c; No. 2 white, August, 41% 42%; September, 40% 640; October, 46% 40%; November, 40% 641c. Butter dull and weak, Eggs scarce and firm.

Baltimore—Wheat easy; No. 2 red spot, CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—The grave aspect of the situation as regards cholera in Eastern Eu-rope, as shown by the dispatches published

weak. Eggs scarce and firm.

Baltimore—Wheat easy; No. 2 red spot, 76%c; the month, 76c: September, 76%c; October, 78%c: December, 82c; steamer, No. 2 red, 70%71c. Corn weak; mixed spot and August, 56c bid; September, 56c; October, 55%c; vear, 54c asked: steamer mixed, 5.c bid. Onts—Good inquiry; No. 2 white Western, 436,44c; No. 2 mixed Western, 39c. Ryedult; No. 2, 71½c bid. Provisions unchanged. Butter firm; creamery, 25@26c. Eggs firm at 20c. Coffee strong; Rio, 17%c; No. 7, 14%@14%c.

Teledo—Wheat active and lower No. 2

14%c.

Toledo—Wheat active and lower No. 2 cash, 78c: August, 78%c; September, 77%c; October, 78 %c; December, 80c. Coruli, No. 2 cash, 85c. Oats quiet: cash, 33c. Kye dull; cash and September, 63%c. Cloverseed dull; prime cash, \$5 80; October, \$5 67%; No. 2 cash, \$6 60. Receipts—Flour, 79 barrels; wheat, 254,567 bushels; corn. 6,200 bushels: oats, 2,500 bushels: ryc. 3,773 bushels. Shipments—Flour, 3,377 barrels; wheat, 292,727 bushels; oats, 2,850 bushels. Cincinnati-Flour dull. Wheat stronger:
No. 2 red, 74½c; receipts, 15,000 bushels; shipments, 10,500 bushels Corn dull and lower:
No. 2 mixed, 50@51c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 50@54½c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 63c. Pork dull at \$11 25. Land quiet at \$7 50. Bulkmeats dull at \$7 52½@7 75. Bacon dull at \$2 05@2 2 10. Whisky steady: sales \$38 barrels at \$1 15. Butter steady and firm. Sugar strong. Eggs firm at 14c. Cheese firm. \$1 15. Butter steady and firm. Sugar strong. Eggs firm at 14c. Cheese firm.

Milwankee — Flour quiet. Wheat steady; September, 73%c; No. 2 spring, 72c; No. 1 Northern, 80c. Corn easier: No. 3, 50c. Oats ateady; No. 2 white, 36@25%c; No. 3 do 34@35c. Earley quiet; September, 63%c; sample, 40@55c. Ryc quiet; new No. 1, 63%c. Pofk, \$10 40. Lard, \$7 65. Receipts—Flour, \$100 barreis; wheat, 78,200 bushels; barley 2,100 bushels. Shipments—Flour, \$,100 barreis; wheat, \$4,500 bushels; barley, none.

Kansas City—Wheat weak: No. 2 hard, old, 56c; new, 61%@62c; No. 2 red, 65@66c. Corn weak; No. 2 mixed, 45%c; No. 2 white, old, 51@32c. Beceipts—Wheat, 58,000 bushels; corn, 10,000 bushels; corn, 11,000 bushe Receipts of live hogs were much larger than expected with the market at the yards demoralized and 200225e lower. September pork opened 25c lower at \$10 20, remained weak for some time, then advanced to \$10 50 and closed at \$10 40. Lard was very weak early on liquidating sales and stop loss

gone to a great deal of trouble to deny in positive terms the statement exclusively made in The Wall Street Dady New that a proposition of consolidation, merger of purchase, had been made by the General Electric Company to the Westinghouse Company. In Justice to ourselves we desire to again repeat the statement, and further state that the proposition was to purchase the Westinghouse stock on the basis of \$30 for the common and \$50 for the preferred, both stocks being par \$50. The proposition was declined as being too low, and we understand that before long another will be made in which the bid price will be increased. In the meantime watch General Electric and Westinghouse stocks.—Wall Street News. And Only Standard Underground Cable Continues to Advance. REACTION SEEMS IMMINENT To Many and Others Are Looking for a

as strong as usual to the casual observer, though the close, analyzing tabkeeper thought he detected signs of a reactionary tendency in some of the shares that have advanced most of late. There certainly were no further advances of note, excepting in one or two instances, and those who favored the idea of a reacof note, excepting in one or two instances, and those who favored the idea of a reaction pointed to this fact as justifying their position. They also called attention to the evidences of realizations in Electric second preferred, to its isilure to hold up to the highest point of the day, and to what looked like a slumping tendency in P. & B. Traction and Central Traction. Besides all this they claimed People's Pipeage was not so high; that the other gassers were only about holding their own, and that the general demand was comparatively feeble. On the other hand, the enthusiasts and optimists claimed that the market had merely bolted to get a fresh hold; that there were plenty of buyers ready to rush in as soon as they saw prices were not going to break, and that big orders were already on the books at slight concessions from current prices, the execution of which would place all the leading shares on a much higher plane. There is, in a general way, great confidence in the stability of the present market. It is not believed that prices have run ahead of actual values, except, perhaps, where manipulation has been at work, and the abundance and ease of money, it is argued, will work out the salvation of all who believe stocks are yet too low. At the same time it is admitted that a reaction is possible, if not probable. It will be well, therefore, to look out for squalls, as a natural reaction often hurts as badly as the sudden collapse of an unhealthy boom.

The Markst's Course, The items which figured in the day's trading on 'Change were P. & B. Traction, P., A. & M. Traction, Pleasant Valley. Central Traction, Union Switch and Signal, Underground Cable, Duquesne Traction 5e, Philadelphia Company and Westinghouse Electric second preferred, P. & B. Traction opened at 26½ sales, sold down to 26% and closed with an unsteady look at 25½@26½. P. A. & M. Traction sold at 442½½ in a small way, and while the same price was bid for more, the stock had the appearance of weakness, Pleasant Valley sold at 25½ also in a small way, and the final quetations were 25½@25½, with no positive tendency apparent. People's Pipeace was barely steady at 16 sales, offered at 18½. Central Traction was weaker at 25½ sales and a close at 25½. 253½. Union Switch and Signal sold at 18½, closing with a toppy look at 18½%. Underground Cable sbored the only advance, selling up to 78 and closing strong at 78@79. Duquesne Traction 5e sold at 100½ and interest, but the stock was a triffa weak at 25½ saked. Philadelphia Company cut a small figure in the day's operations, ten shares selling at 23. The close, however, was steady to strong at 230.3½. Westinghouse Electric second preferred opened up at 38½ sales, ruled barely steady and closed slightly unsettled at 35½ asked. Sales of the stock occurred at 38 in Boston, the business being mainly in the way of executing stop loss orders, which indicated that a decline was in progress. The items which figured in the day's orders, which indicated that a decline was in progress.

Among the inactive shares few features developed, and so far as news or gossip affecting any of the stocks was concerned the day was a barren one. There was a little fresh talk on Central Traction and Duquesne Traction, however, being a revival of the story that the Duquesne, or rather the Pittsburg-Duquesne combine, is to operate the Central Traction's short route to East Liberty, which is to be built by the Central Passenger.

Duquesne combine, is to operate the Central Traction's short route to East Liberty, which is to be built by the Central Passenger Railway Company. The Duquesne is laying another track from East Liberty to Wilkinsburg on the north side of the Pennsylvania Railread to get the traffic of the little towns between East Liberty and Wilkinsburg, and the only way they can get and keep it from the Citizens' Traction Company, which is also laying a line through route, which they will secure, as mentioned above.

There was also an intimation that the Westinghouse Electric Company had discovered some new method of producing electricity. If it is the process of production from heat direct, which many have always claimed would be discovered sooner or later, the company can arise and safely declare the world is theirs.

Reading's Eurnings.

Reading's Errnings. The Philadelphia and Reading Railros Company's statement for the month of July, 1892, shows: Gross traffic receipts, \$1,881,558 30; 1892, shows: Gross traffic receipts, \$1,881,355 39; gross expenses, \$996,409 73: profit for the month, \$471,970 76; from this is deducted \$13,979 37 expended for permanent improvements, and \$625 000 as one-twelith of the current year's fixed charges, leaving a surplus of \$332,990 79, a decrease of \$69,532 86 compared with the month of July, 1891. The surplus for eight months of the current fiscal year is \$1,710,193 65, an increase of \$673,137 10 compared with the same period inst year.

The statement of the Philadelphia and Realing Coal and Iron Company for the month of July shows: Gross receipts, \$1,835,-498 60: operating expenses, including improvements, \$1,727,633 32; profit, \$107,805 28. From this is deducted \$68,000 as one-twell the of the current year's fixed charges, leaving a surplus of \$39,805 26, a decrease of \$3,470 68 compared with the month of July, 1891. For eight months of the current fiscal year there is a deficit of \$349,237 40, a decrease of \$392,46 12 compared with the same period last year.

The result of the operation of the Phila-

\$32.45 is compared with the same period last year.

The result of the operation of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company, lessee of the Lenigh Valley Railroad, for the month of June is: Receipts, \$1,549.811 41: expenses, \$1,089.231 67; earnings, \$451,579 74, an increase of \$81,693 49 compared with the month of June, 1891. For seven months of the current fiscal year the earnings are \$2,563.850 30, an increase of \$729,447 56 compared with the same period last year.

As lessee of the Central Railroad of New Jersey the Port Reading Railroad of New Jersey the Port Reading Railroad Company's statement for the month of July shows: Earnings, \$1,310,918 9: expenses, \$745,89 63; net earnings, \$130,918 9: expenses, \$745,89 63; net earnings are \$3,833,339 75, an inincrease of \$35,495 12 compared with the same period last year.

Financial Notes.

Financial Notes. Unlisted street railway shares closed as tollows: P. & B. Traction, 26% (225%; Duquesne Traction, 29% asked; P., A. & M. Traction,

Traction, 29% asked; P., A. & H. Traction, 44 bid.

After the close Electric scrip was quoted at 38,2100, and Philadelphia Company was offered at 23, seller 10.

For the third week in August the earnings of the Wheeling and Lake Erie were \$29,284 against \$25,785 for the same period last year, an increase of \$2,493.

Hill & Co. sold Duquesne Traction bonds to W. R. Thompson & Co.

Sproul & Co. and Rinehart sold Underground Cable to Hill & Co.

Lawrence & Co. and Morris & Brown bought Electric second preferred, and Long and Sproul & Co. sold.

Hill & Co. were the chief sellers of P. & R. Traction, and Kuhn Bros. and Lawrence & Co. bought.

Caster and Hill & Co. sold P., A. & M. to Fink and Sproul & Co. sold Pipeage to A. A. Adams.

Lawrence & Co. sold Central Traction to Fink and Sproul & Co. sold Pipeage to A. A. Adams.

Lawrence & Co. sold Central Traction to W. H. Watt.

Billy Riobinson sale Pleasant Valley to John D. Bailey.

There was a sale of Electric second preferred after the close at 38 and one of Philadelphia Company at 23.

"Look out for the tractions; they will soon be given another whiri."—H. M. Long.

The Comptroller of the Currency has sent a circular letter to the cashlers of all the national banks in the country calling upon them for a statement showing the amount of exchange drawn by their association on national and other banks in New York, Chicago and St. Louis, etc., together with commission, charged during the year ended June 30 last.

A short time ago, when oil was selling around 52, we called attention to its attractive speculative aspect. Since then it has been stendily advancing, and we believe it will soon sell ten points higher than its closing price yesterday (about 19)(a), basing the belief on intimations given us by a Standard Oil insider, always found reliable, and the fact that oil is rejectively cheap at 90.—Philodelphia Stockholder.

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AFTER CALL. STOCES. MONETARY.

Bankers continue to report a gradual improvement in the demand for discounts, but rates remain unchanged at 566 per cent and the market is quoted in borrowers' favor. Eastern exchange and currency are trading even.

New York, Aug. 26.—Money on call easy at 20% per cent; last loan, 1%; closed offered at 2. Prime mercantile paper, 4205%. Sterling exchange easy at \$4 88% for 60-day bills and \$4 87% for demand. Clearing House Figures.

PARIS, Aug. 26.— Three per cent rentes, 39: 57%c for account.

BERLIN, Aug. 26.—The statement of the Imperial Bank in Germany shows an increase in specie of 3,120,000 marks.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—4 P. N.—Close—Consols money, 97-3-16; do account, 97-3-16; N. Y. P. & O. firsts, 33%; (annadian Pacific, 30%; Erie, 239%; do seconds, 167%; Illinois Central, 161%; Mexican, 23%; St. Paul common 84%; New York Central, 118%; Pennsylvania, 55%; Reading, 29%; Mexican Central, new 4s, 69% bar silvet, 38%d; money, 16c. Rate of discount in open market for both short and threemonths' bills, 1@11-16 per cent.

Boston, Aug. 26 .- [Special.] -The latest elec trie stock quotations to-day were: Soston Electric Light Co...

Boston Stocks-Closing Prices.

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Buffazo, N. Y. & Philadelphia
Lehigh Valley
Lehigh Navigation
Philadelphia and Erie
Northern Pacific com
Northern Pacific pref

General Markets. Duluth—The close in wheat was steady, and from 1/2 to 3/2 lower than yesterday, as follows: No. 1 hard, cash and August, 30c; September, 79/3/c; December, 81/2c; No. 1 Northern, cash and August, 76c; September, 76/4/c; December, 77/4/c; No. 2 Northern, cash, 71c; No. 3, 60c; rejected, 50c; on track, No. 1 hard, 80/4/c; No. 1 Northern, 78c. hard, 50%c; No. 1 Northern, 78c.

New Or:eans—Rice in fair demand; ordinary to good, 3%c44%c. Sugar firm; centrifugal choice yenow clarified, 4 1-16c; prime do, 3%c3 15-16c; off do, 3%c3 15-16c; seconds, 2%c3 16c; off do, 3%c3 15-16c; o

Wool

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 55.—Wool—Quiet and steady; prices unchanged.

New York, Aug. 25.—Wool firm and less active: domestic fleece, 25035c; pulled, 200 20c; Texas, 15021c. New York Metal Market.

Pittaburg—
Exchanges to-day...
Balances to-day
Same day last week:
Exchanges

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Bank clearings, \$87,1478,638; balances, \$4,777.382.
1605 toxox, Aug. 26.—Bank clearings, \$12,539,1603; balances, \$1,719,994. Money 3 per cent.
Exchange on New York 10@15 c discount.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Aug. 26.—Rank clearings, \$9,630,396; balances, \$1,633,575. Money
24,623 per cent.
BALTIMORE, Aug. 26.—Bank clearings, \$1,728,388; balances, \$320,454. Rate 6 per cent.
CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Money steady and unchanged. Bank clearings, \$14,496,502. New
York exchange, 70c discount. Sterling exchange slow and unchanged.
St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 26.—Bank Clearings,
\$33,94,332; balances, \$539,634. Money at
667 per cent. Exchange on New York, 50c
discount.
MEMPHIS, Aug. 26.—New York exchange
selling at \$1 50. Clearings, \$165,535; balances,
\$43,535.
LINGINNATI, Aug. 26.—Money, 4@6 per cent.

Efectric Stocks.

New York, Aug. 26.—Copper dull; lake, \$11 50@11-50. Lead firm; domestic, \$4 05@4 15.
Tin stendy; straits, \$20 56@20 50.
New York, Aug. 28.—Pig from quiet and strait; American, 515 60@15 50.

Other Staples Firm and Unchanged-Trade Fairly Active-Fresh Crop Gossip -No Radical Changes in Quotations. . FRIDAY, Aug. 26. More activity was apparent to-day along

20x132 feet, for \$2,444.

the wholesale mercantile line than on any previous day of the week, the operations in all branches being on a comparatively liberal scale. Prices were unchanged, however, excepting in the grain and feed market, where the tendency of wheat and corn was downward and cats and millfeed upward. As a rule other staples were firm at the recent advances.
Following is the latest from Prime's Crop

Bureau: No change in general weather conditions, hot and dry weather in Central ditions, hot and dry weather in Central Southern Illinois hurting corn very badly. Do not see how under the most invorable circumstances early corn can make much more than feed, and that will be poor. Reports from Northern Missouri show that the quality of wheat does not improve, as late tureshings come in; expect to see present movement let up at once. Corn needing rain badly. Weather too hot and dry for it to fill well. Southern Indiana reports 75 to 80 per cent winter wheat threshed and irred movement not locked for until fall seeding is completed. All winter wheat reports, covering Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, Kansas and Missouri, show probable decided falling off in large winter wheat movement.

There has been no State to which oats is a Missouri, show probable decided failing off in large winter wheat movement.

There has been no State to which oats is a surplus crop where the yields and weights have not been light. Indications are now that Illinois, Iowa and Neuraska will not produce much over half a crop compared with last year. Generally at harvest time farmers sell oats very ireely. This season, however, the situation is the reverse, and grain dealers accustomed to handle from 35,000 to 50,000 bushels of oats a day report that so far their daily receipts have not exceeded 1,000 bushels. These small receipts are not caused by low prices, for oats are now higher than in an average season. I think the reason can be traced plainly to the fact of a light crop, coupled with the uncertainty of the final outcome of the corn crop.

A few lemons from the California crop just maturing have been received. California goods are vastly in the lead this year in the green fruit trade.

Jersey sweet potatoes are becoming more plenty, and prices in consequence are weakening.

SPOT.

14 00 12 00 7 00 9 50 TEN DAYS.

Grain, Flour and Feed. Only one transaction occurred on call at the Grain and Flour Exchange to-day, viz.: One car mixed hay, spot, \$11 00. Bids and offers:

despite a slow movement, at \$2 00@3 00 per bushel and 50c@31 50 per basket, according to size of package and quality of fruit. Bartlett nears were held at \$6 00@7 00 per barrel and \$2 50@3 00 per keg, apples at \$1 50@3 00 per barrel, damson plums at \$3 50@4 00 per bushel, green razes at \$2 00@2 25, Calliornia plums at \$1 75@2 25 per case, lemons at \$6 00 @7 00 per box and bananas at \$1 50@1 75 per bunch for firsts. Grapes were quoted at 4@ 50 per pound for Ives and Concords and 7@ 100 for fancy varieties.

Watermelons were unchanged at \$10 00@2 20 00 per 100, according to size, and canteloupes were easy at \$2 50@3 50 per barrel for good to choice Anne Arundels, and \$2 00@2 50 Ior Jenny Linds.

Onions sold at \$2 50@3 00 per barrel, celery at 25@300 per bunch, and egg plants at 50@ 750 per bushel basket. No cabbage or tomatoes on the market.

Jersey rose potatoes \$1 75@3 00 per barrel on track, and \$2 00@2 25 from store; Jersey sweets, \$3 75@4 25 per barrel: Baltimore do, \$2 50@3 50. Miscel'an-ous.

BEANS-New crop New York and Michigan peabeans, \$1 95@2 05 per bushel; hand-picked medium, \$1 90@1 05 per bushel; hima, new, 33@3Nc; Pennsylvania and Ohio beans, \$1 80@1 85 per bushel.

BEESWAX-Choice yellow, 34@35c; dark, 27@30c, HONEY-New crop white clover, 15@20c per pound; buckwheat, 12@15c.

Tallow-Country, 34@4c per pound; city, 4@4%c. Tallow—Country, 34@4c per pound; city, 4@4c.

Frattiers—Extra live geese, 38@50c per pound;
No. 1 do, 45@50c; mixed, 30@40c.

Franvirs—Green, 4@5c per pound; do roasted,
\$1 35@1 35 per bushel.

Cider, Said 50.

Hides, Said 50.

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Hides, Trimmed, all weights, 3%c; green sider hides, trimmed, 60 to 75 lbs, 6c; green steer hides, trimmed, 60 to 75 lbs, 6c; green steer hides, trimmed, 60 to 75 lbs, 6c; green steer hides, trimmed, all weights, 3%c; green bull hides, trimmed, all weights, 3%c; green bull hides, trimmed, all weights, 3%c; green bull hides, trimmed, side branded, 4c; green cowhides, trimmed, is frimmed, side branded, 4c; green cowhides, trimmed, side branded, 4c; green soler hides, trimmed, side branded, 5c; green salt steers, No. 1, 60 lbs and ni. 767/4c; green salt steers, No. 1, 60 lb and less, 46/4/c; green salt swis, No. 1, all weights, 49/4/c; green salt swis, No. 1, all weights, 49/4/c; green salt swis, No. 1, 16@25 lb, 4@5c; runner kip, No. 1, 16@25 lb, 4@5c; runner kip, No. 1, 16@25 lb, 3@4c; No. 2 bides, 1½c off; No. 2 calf, 2c off.

Cotton.

GALVESTON, Aug. 26.—Cotton steady; middling, 6%c; low middling, 6%c; good ordinary, 5%c; net and gross receipts, 989 bales, all new crop; sales, 412 bales; stock, 18,453 bales. Weekly—Gross receipts, 3,831 bales; exports coastwise, 1,484 bales; sales, 997 bales; spinners 121 bales.

New Obleans, Aug. 26.—Cotton steady; middling, 7c; low middling, 6%c; good ordinary, 6c; net and gross receipts, 1,620 bales, all new crop; exports coastwise, 67 bales; sales, 1,200 bales; stock, 64 121 bales. Weekly—Net and gross receipts, 5,276 bales; caports to Great Britain, 3,550 bales; to the Continent, 3,008 bales; coastwise, 2,363 bales; sales, 2,700 bales.

New York, Aug. 26.—Cotton futures closed steady; August, 6,59c; September, 6,57c; Oc ober, 7,17c; December, 7,35c; January, 7,46c; February, 7,56c; March, 7,65c; April, 7,74c; May, 7,53c.

Cincinnari, O., Aug. 26.—Cotton nominal; middling, 74c.

Another Homesteader Arrested.

2 35 cash
L5:6 tons billets and slabs, September to
October. 24 00 cash
1,000 tons billets, November, at mill 23 25 cash
700 tons billets, prompt 24 00 cash
300 tons billets, prompt 27 6 cash
500 tons billets, September to October,
27 75 cash 23 25 cash 500 tons billets, September to October, at mill. 23 75 cash 500 tons billets, delivered. 24 50 cash 500 tons billets, September, October and November, at mill. 23 75 cash 500 tons billets, prompt. 24 75 cash 255 tons billets, prompt. 24 00 cash 200 tons billets, spot. 25 00 cash STREL WIRE RODS. IRON SKELP. STEEL SKELP. 200 tons wide grooved..... SHEET BARS.

2,000 tons billets, sport

MUCK BAR.

2,000 tons neutral, September to Janu
ary 53 00 cash
150 tons neutral, November 25 00 cash
neutral, prompt 25 00 cash
neutral, prompt 25 00 cash
24 50 cash 5.0 tous neutral prompt. 25 00 ca 200 tous neutral september. 25 00 ca 250 tous neutral prompt. 25 00 ca BLOOM, BEAM, BILLETS AND RAIL ENDS. 000 tons sheet bars, Sept. to Jan CHARCOAL IRONS.

100 tons No. 1 foundry..... 100 tons No. 2 foundry..... 100 tons cold blast....

apso-s5 Fourth Avenue. OLD IRON AND STEEL BAILS. 500 tons old steel rails, long lengths... 18 10 cash 500 tons old steel rails, short lengths... 15 50 cash

for Infants and Children.

"The use of 'Castoria' is so universal and its merits so well known that it seems a work of supercrogation to endorse it. Few are the intelligent families who do not keep Castoria within easy reach."

and the talk of quarantine caused the trade and the talk of quarantine caused the trade to take a gloomy view of the future. The receipts of wheat continue in good volume notwithstanding reports freely circulated that they were sure to decrease greatly. The bears, who have all along contended that the situation was weak, considering the crops at home and abroad and the large sur-plus carried over, now feel that since the cholera has added its weight there can be no doubt of the correctness of their position and are steadily increasing their short lines. Many former builts are showing discourage Many former bulls are showing discouragement and are unloading freely as the market can take their holdings. Of course there is more or less bull sentiment yet, but it is feeble, hesitating and cautious and consequently without much influence.

Sales of September around the opening were made at 75% c and 75c against 75% c at the close yesterday. The price worked its way up, with some slight reactions, to 75% c, reacted and closed weak at 75% c. Corn was weak, almost from the start and before noon had failen by c on September from yesterday's close. The cholers scare, the weakness in wheat and the demoralization in provisions were the depressing factors. September opened by lower at 51% c, with a possible sale at 51% c, and sold down to 51c, reacted to 51% c, weaknesd and closed at 51% c. any former bulls are showing discourage

Norfolk & W. pfd. 45%
North American Co. 12%
Northern Pacific. 25%
Northern Pac. pfd. 55% 56% 55%
Soft

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS WEAK,

The Markets Demoralized by the European

Cholera Situation.

this morning, demoralized the markets on

the Board of Trade, especially hog meats.

Yesterday the stories going about in regard to it were received with some caution. To-

det, however, the published reports con-cerning the spread of the epidemic abroad

regon Implement.

raw, dull and firm; refined, active and firm; Molasses, foreign, nominal; New Orleans dull. Rice in fair demand and firm.
COTTONSERD OIL dull and steady.
TALLOW quiet and firm.
ROSIN firm and in fair demand; strained, common to good, \$1 22½@1 27½.
TRURENTINE quiet and steady.
EGGS easier and dull; Western prime, 19%@ 20c; receipts, 5,26 packages.
HIDES quiet and steady.
HOE PRODUCTS—Pork dull and easy. Cutmeats dull and weak. Sales, 12,000 pounds pickled bellies, 10 pounds at 8½c; middles, quiet and easier; short clear, \$7 95. Lard duil and steady; Western steam closed at \$8 05; sales, 250 tierces at \$8 05. Option sales, 250 tierces; September, \$7 95; October, closing at \$7 90.

Datary Propurers—Rutter dull and steady.

Cincinnati-Flour dull. Wheat stronger:

Higher Range of Prices.

LOCAL AND GENERAL FINANCIAL NEWS

FRIDAY, Aug. 26.

Trading in local securities on 'Change today fell off somewhat as compared with the volume of business transacted yesterday, but it was still sufficient to justify the use of the word active in describing the market, Besides being somewhat less active it was less buoyant, the rise in all the leaders appearing to have been temporarily cheeked. The tone of the market, however, was not uncertain. It was quite as strong as usual to the casual observer,

Sales and Closing Prices.

In the meantime watch General Electric and Westinghouse stocks.—Wall Street News.

On 'Change to-day A. A. Adams bid 75 for Mannfacturers' Bank of the Southside.

Three hundred shares Motobins Mining and Developing Company were offered at 75c per share.

At the second call J. D. Batley offered \$100 for the privilege of calling 500 shares Pleasant Valley at 25½ within the next 40 days, and Charley Kunn repeated his bid of 25½ for 500 shares bayer 40 days.

People familiar with the American Sugar Refining Company's bustiness declare that it is making a profit of over \$80,000 net per day.

They figure in this way: The present daily output its \$3,000 barrels of an average of 300 pounds each. The company pays an average of 3 6-16c for raw sugar, and sells refined for an average of 412-16c. The cost of refining is about ½ of a cent a pound, which leaves a profit over and above all expenses of 18-16 of a cent a pound or \$85,050 per day.

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AFTER CALL. 50 shares People's Pipeage 50 shares P., A. & M. Traction ... SECOND CALL. 30 shares Central Traction.
10 shares Union Switch and Signal, seller 10,
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10 shares P. & B. Traction.

THIRD CALL.

10 shares Underground Cable.
50 shares Underground Cable.
50 shares Underground Cable.
10 shares Philadelphia Company.
10 shares Westinghouse Electric 2d pfd.
100 shares Westinghouse Electric 2d pfd.
*And interest.

| 1st call, | 5d call, | 5d call, Bid | Ask Bid | Ask Bid | Ask

The following building permits were issued yesterday: Mrs.Catherine Balley, frame two-story dwelling, Fifth avenue between Oakland and Boquet streets, cost \$1,300. C. E. Jones, eight brick two-story dwellings, corner Plummer and Home streets, cost \$16,500. Guy P. McCandless, a block of 12 brick two-story dwellings, Home street between Plummer and Hatfield streets, cost \$2,900. Robert S. Glass, a frame two-story dwelling, Rural avenue near Negley avenue, cost \$2,900. John Newell, an additional story to building on Fifth avenue between Wood and Smithfield streets, cost \$7,000. Jacob Solomon, a brick two-story tin shop, Chatham street between Wylle sand Fifth avenues, cost \$655. John Hays, a brick two-story dwelling, Wylie avenue, near Green street, cost \$2,500. William Davis, a frame two-story addition to dwelling, Soho street, near Reed street, cost \$1,000. D. P. Black, a brick one-story restaurant, Diamond street, between Wood and Smithfield streets, cost \$1,500. T. J. Skipp, two frame two-story dwellings, Lincoln street, near Apple avenue, cost \$1,500. McFarland Bros., a stone front three-story dwelling and store, Penn avenue, between Sheridan and Highland avenues, cost \$1,500. Rigo and a frame two-story dwellings, Ellens street, near Terrace street, cost \$1,500. also two frame two-story dwellings, Ellens street, near Wallace street, cost \$1,500. also two frame two-story dwellings, Ellens street, near Wallace street, cost \$1,500. also two frame two-story dwellings, Ellens street, near Wallace street, cost \$1,500. and a frame two-story dwellings, Ellens street, near Wallace street, cost \$1,500. and a frame two-story dwellings, Ellens street, near Wallace street, cost \$1,500. and a frame two-story dwellings, Ellens street, cost \$1,500.

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CINGINNATI, Ang. 26.—Money, 466 per cent. New York exchange, 40c discount bid. Clearings, \$1,945.600.

NEW ORLEANS. Aug. 26.—Clearings, \$868,585. New York Exchange—Commercial, 50c; bank, \$1 50 per \$1,000 premium.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The amount of bullion witherawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day was £5.000. Sugar, Cuba centrifugal, 95 test, 14s 9.1@155 cwt.
PARIS, Aug. 25.—Three per cent rentes, 98.574c for account.