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Liverpool May 15.

Liverpool wheat futures advanced \$6 to Liverpool wheat futures open and the printy of the pr

eek ending May 9 were \$714,576, and at ancouver \$726,549.

Wall Street.

The stock market was abandoned almowholly to professional traders on the floof the exchange. No outside demand any importance was apparent at any polin the fist. Prices were marked up sharf at the opening; on a demand from shor who sold the specialties yesterday. Sugnerally showed the largest gains, the mand being obviously from the shorts' terests. Anaconda Mining showed streng both in London and here, which was walntained throughout the day, and tone of Manhattan was also firm, without one of Manhattan was also firm, without any published news to account for it. Topening demand from the shorts was so satisfied, and prices slipped away, but without any pressure to sell. The dulness at decline seemed to impress the profession with the idea that the reaction was ovand they turned buyers, again markingrices up, especially in Sugar and Brodyn Transit. But it became quickly evide that the large buil interests, which were tive early in the week, were not yet pared to resume operations, and the avance did not hold. The absence of a demand for stocks caused, the traders turn bears again, and the market sagg and drifted quite aimlessly for the balar of the day. The short sales by the tradewere covered before the close, bringing prices in a great many cases back to abolast night's level. The Grangers show weakness, which is attributed to the ctinued rumors of crop damage. Lond bought a few stocks in this market, I took no active part, owing to the period of the single price of the sum of the sum of the stocks in this market, I took no active part, owing to the period of the sum of the sum of the stocks in this market, I took no active part, owing to the period of the sum of the sum

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The Bank Clearings.

New York, May 19.—Bank clearances at the principal United States cities for the week ending May 19 show total clearances at \$1,009,403,066, an increase of 43.8 per cent. as compared with the corresponding week last year. Outside of New York city the clearances were, \$637,085,116, increase 20.4 per cent.

For the Dominion of Canada, the clearances were as follows: Montreal, \$15,821,232,230; Hamilton, \$678,295, decrease \$9.2 per cent.; Halifax, \$1,232,230; Hamilton, \$678,295, decrease \$9.2 per cent.; Vancouver, \$780,935; Victoria, \$531,212.

Notes by Cable.

Consols unchanged in London to-day.

In London American rails fluctuated fractionally and in an irregular fashion to-day.

In Paris 3 per cent. rentes were at 102f 42½c.

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Montreal May 19.—Close: C.P.R., 97 and 66%; Duluth, 5½ and 5; do., pref., 14 and 112; Montreal Ry., 150, and 183; Cable, 186 and 183; Richelieu, 113 and 112; Montreal Ry., 150, and 180; Halifax Ry., 113 asked; To-round Ry., 125 and 30; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 113 asked; To-round Ry., 125 and 374; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 113 asked; To-round Ry., 125 and 374; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, 201½ and 310; Halifax Ry., 110 and 201½; Montreal Gas, Montreal Stocks

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