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The Liverpool Cern Trade News says: A very gloomy view of the situation a pears to be taken in Liverpool, where, after a fairly complete canvass of the Crn Exchange, not a single expression in favor of hedding was met with. Broomball, in referring to this, says: It is a trusm that one should be shy of a market when all speak well of it, and probably the reverse sequally true; the writer falls to reolled a case where the market went on declining when the whole trade took a bear's) view of the situation. The colinion is that experting countries never beforg half such big supplesses, and that as the Southern Hemisphere has been exceptionally for unate in reaping fine crops just in the middle of the British cereal year, there will not be a single month's relief from the pressure to se'l. On the other hand, merchants' stocks in the chief importing countries remain at the point of exhaustion. One of the causes

British cereal year, there will not be a single month's relief from the pressure to see!. On the other hand, merchants' stocks in the chief importing countries remain at the point of exhaustion. One of the cases of the special dufness in Liverpool has been the alteration and reduct on of the standard grade at that pert. Mr. H. C. Woodward complains bitter y of the Infustice to buyers through this reduction. He cays that the standard now adopted we'ge's about 58% lbs. per imperial bushel, is extremely small and wasteful, with red in color, and with a large proportion of sprouted and unsound gradins, and complains that dealers and millers are compelled to accept this, "hen corn" in fulfilment of contracts based on a much higher standard.

The Paris correspondent writes that although the weather has become, faverable for threshing, formers continue less evid and only offer very moderately. The Dipper correspondent advices that the make that had been stimulated by recent advance in America, which, however, has little importance for France, as that country is morning hardly any whent for home continued having the courage to buy at precent advance in had although the weather has been a prices in had been stimulated by recent advance in America, bus respectively. The Dipper continued having the courage to buy at precent advance in had been stimulated by recent advance in had been stimulated by recent advance in America, which, however, has little importance for France, as that country is morning hardly any whent for home continued having the courage to buy at precent advance in had been stimulated by recent advance in America, which, however, has little importance for France, as that country is morning hardly any whent for home continued having the course of the religious formers and only of the religious formers. The formers are compelled to accept t

Kingdom, as compared with same time his year.

Oats—In unsatisfactory d mand, both in Liverpool and at Mark Lant. In one sale of white Canadian there was a d cline of 1d per bushel from provious transaction. According to the estimates of the Washington and Ontario Sureaus, the oat car, both in the United States and in Canada, was somewhat larger than in 1907. Testing was somewhat larger than in 1897. Tese countries have exported since Aug. 1 4,184,000 bushels to the United Kingtom and 15 256,000 bushels to the Continent of Europe, less than in some period last year, and the visible surply in United States and Canada is 7 million hypothesis these them.

Corn-Canadian. 36c west, and American, 411/2c to 42c on track here.

Oatmeal-Carlots of rolled oats, in bags, on track in Toronto, \$3.60; in barrels,

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

farm produce were light to-day, 850 bushels of grain and 25 loads of hay.

Wheat, a shade haster; 400 bushels sold as follows: White 7314c, red 73c, goose 7014c.

Barley caster, 300 bushels selling at 48c.
Oats steady; 150 bushels sold at 3414c to 35c.

Oats steady: 150 business soid at 34%c to 35c.

Hay steady: timothy at \$8 to \$9, and clover \$8 to \$7 per ton.

Straw nominal.

There were 13 carloads of potatoes on track, which sold at 55c to 60c per bag by

 Wheat, white bush
 \$0.73½ to \$...

 " red, bush
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 " fife, spring, bush
 0.71½
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 " goose, bush
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 Rye, bush
 0.53%
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 Oats, bush
 0.31½
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Hay and Straw-Hay. timothy. per ton ... \$8 00 to \$9 00
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S'raw, sheaf, per ton ... 6 00 7 00
Straw, loose per ton ... 4 00 5 00

Dairy Products-Butter, lb. rolls 0 16
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