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PRESSED METALS.

COTTON STATISTICS.

Liverpool, Sept. 19.—Weekly cotton statistics: Impors. 63,000 bales; American, 30,000; stock, 18,000; American, 597,000; forwarded, 73,000; American,

60,600; exports, 6000; sales, 27,000; American, 18,000.

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SATURDAY MORNING SEPTEMBER 20 1919 **BIG MARKET IN** CANADA CEMENT

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Tucketts, Ames-Holden, Iron, for Week—Liberty Bonds Strong.

New York, Sept. 19.—Apart from its received particles and the heavy selling streament at law of the present and the heavy selling the news that the labor leaders had make and with apparent indifference and the heavy selling of the present at the other had a been opportunity for bullish and with apparent indifference and protection of the proposed walk-out. but had were not credited in forement in the final proposed walk-out. but had were not credited in forement in the first proposed walk-out. but had were not credited in forement in the first proposed walk-out. but had been in the horts found that stocks were put presend for asis.

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Toronto reports to Bradstreet's that trade in general is very brisk especially in the wholesale drygoods lines, but that there seems to be a little change

Canada Cement and Tucketts

that there seems to be a little change in the outlook of the hardware trade. Builders' hardware continues very settive, but other lines are showing sims of a slightly less active trend. Drygoods houses report larger turn-evers than in any previous September. Prices seem to have little effect on the buying power of the merchants. This line of business has witnessed so many upward changes in quotations that the retailers are buying far ahead of their requirements. Since the first of the month many large western suyers, who are in the habit of importing direct from the United States of the month many large western suyers, who are in the habit of importing direct from the United States of the month many large western suyers, who are in the habit of importing direct from the United States of the month many large western suyers, who are in the habit of important of the month of the month of the same and the surness of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers in the same liens of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers of the manufacturers of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers of the manufacturers of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers of the manufacturers of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers of the manufacturers of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers of the manufacturers of the manufacturers of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers of the manufacturers of the manufacturers of the manufacturers. The firmness of the manufacturers in the outlook of the hardware trade. Builders' hardware continues very active, but other lines are showing signs of a slightly less active trend.

New York, Sept. 19 .- The general tarket opened irregular, but during the second hour a strong tone developed which was well maintained.
Cosden held firm around \$12. Good buying was in evidence in Allied Oil and Home Oil. Quiet accumulation still continues in progress in the leading Tonopah stocks, altho the trading has been rather restricted, due to the uncertainty of the strike situation Taking the market as a whole, the traders seem to be waiting to see how the threatened strike for next Monday shapes up, and there was no particu-lar feature. Cassels and Biggar report \$195 bid for Pressed Metals yesterday and 205 ask-

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Sept ... 41.75 41.90 41.50 41.50
Oct ... 35.40 35.50 34.55 34.90 35.25
Lard—
Jan ... 22.40 22.45 21.95 22.02 22.47
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Heavy rains have completely tied up threshing operations in the western provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, according to Canadian National Railways' detailed crop report for the week ending Sept. 13. covering points served by the line between Port Arthur and the Pacific coast, and which was received at the head office in Torointo yesterday.

This being the case, a comparatively small amount of hauling and shipping has been done. Decker and Eden in Manitoba have shipped 27 and 63 cars respectively to date, while Rhein, Sask. has shipped 39 cars; 35,000 bushels of grain have been hauled to the elevator from Girvin, Sask. Langham in the same province has marketed 7500 bushels els and Gravelbourg, Sask., 60,000 bushels els.

While the yield in Manitoba compares.

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Merchants' ...194 favorably with the other provinces, the grade in all areas reporting is second, third and fourth, probably due to rust. In Easkatchewan the grain in the main where mentioned, is of first and second strade either and second sec week of September amounted to \$36,790, as compared with \$33,353 for the
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Only two points in Alberta report on
the grade, and in both of these the
Stade is No. 1.

Week of September amounted to \$36,790, as compared with \$33,353 for the
corresponding week last year, an inthe cosden Oil Company today declared a dividend of 2½ per cent. in
cash, and of 2½ per cent. in stock,
payable Nov. 1 to shareholders of reStade is No. 1.

Sterling demand,
12.7 per cent.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS. STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE. | Porc. V. & N. T. | 22½
| Porcupine Crown | 31
| Porcupine Imperial | 2
| Porcupine Tisdale | 2½
| Preston | 3¾
| Schumacher Gold M | 24½
| Teck-Hughes | 20
| Thompson-Krist | 8½
| West Dome Cons | 11½
| Wasapika | 98
| Silver— | 11¼
| Acanac | 11¼
| Beaver | 40½
| Chambers-Ferland | 200
| Crown Reserve | 39½
| Foster | 5
| Gifford | 2
| Great Northern | 4

> STANDARD SALES.

Vacuum Gas 21 24 21 24 Total sales—83,480. NEW YORK STOCKS.

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COSDEN OIL DIVIDENDS

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Glazebrook & Cronyn, exchange and bond brokers, report exchange rates as follows:

CORN SELLS LOWER ON PROFIT-TAKING

Prices Showed Early Strength Because of Prospect of Rainy Weather.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Profit-taking sales on the part of new buyers of corn acquired sufficient volume today to operata as more than a counterbalance for bullish sentiment, associated with prospects that rainy weather would delay receipts. The market closed weak, ½c to 1½c lower, with December \$1,23% to \$1.23%, and May \$1.21% to \$1.21%.

Oats lost ½c to ½c.

In provisions, the outcome varied from 50c decline to a rise of 7c.

Altho at first the corn market showed a somewhat pronounced upward tendency, the later dealings were mostly in favor of the bears. It was a popular view early that the recent big smash in grain quotations have overdiscounted all bearish factors in corn, as compared with other commodities, and that the market should now be governed by any current influence which ordinarily would work toward higher prices. The temptation, however, to take profits, rather than to incur risks that might grow out of the threatened steel strike, and other industrial disturbances, ruled the trade more and more toward the end of the session. Eastern interests led in the selling.

Oats were swayed by the action of corn. Slowness of both domestic and foreign shipping demand had a depressing effect on provisions. For the most part, higher quotations on hogs were ignored.

ON CHICAGO MARKET

Tomenson, Forwood & Co. received the following Chicago wire from Thomson, McKinnon Co.
Corn—The news seems to indicate lower prices. The movement of pide corn is as large as the car situation will permit it. Included in the received in the northwest, which is decidedly out of the ordinary at this time of the northwest, which is decidedly out of the ordinary at this time of the northwest, which is decidedly out of the ordinary at this time of the ordinary at the second prices claim that interior points are under second in the interior points are under the interior points are under second in the interior points are under the inter Tomenson, Forwood & Co. received the following Chicago wire from Thomson, McKinnon Co.:

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Flour—New standard grade, \$11 to \$1.10.

Rolled oats—Bag, 90 lbs., \$4.90 to \$5. Bran—\$46.

Shorts—\$55.

Hay—No. 2. per ton, car lots, \$20 to \$22. Cheese—Finest easterns, 25c.

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Butter—Choicest creamery, 54c to 544c, Eggs—Fresh, 68c; selected, 64c; No. 1 stock, 57c; No. 2 stock, 52c to 54c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, \$1.75.

Dressed hogs—Abattoir killed, \$27.50 to \$23.00.

Lard—Rure, wood pails, per lb. 33%c.

TRADE SITUATION OF

CANADA FAVORABLE

The monthly commercial letter of the Canadian Bank of Commerce says:
This country, relatively speaking, is in a favorable position. Our debt abroad has not increased materially since the outbreak of the war; our chief products are foodstuffs for which the demand remains great, while under the stress of war the machinery for their production has gained efficiency. Favorable as these conditions are, we can reap the advantage from them only by husbanding our reciency. Favorable as these conditions are, we can reap the advantage from them only by husbanding our resources in credit and goods. By unnecessary personal expenditure, or by state interference in maintaining and artificially creating more costly standards of living which are not conductive to efficiency or social contentment, the advantages of the position 19,700 now enjoyed by Canada may easily be 4.100 lost. New York, Sept. 19.—Laden with 350 tons of toys, glassware and sugar beetseeds, the Kerr Line steamship Jason arrived here today from Ham-

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London, Sept. 19.—Money, 3½ per cent.
Discount rates: Short bills, 3 7-16 to 3½ per cent.; three-month bills, 3 9-16 to 3½ per cent. Gold premiums at Lisbon, 130.00.

Liverpool, Sept. 19.—Cotton futures closed steady. Sept., 19.16; Oct., 19.16; Nov., 19.14; Dec., 19.16; April, 202; May, 19.11; March. 19.06; April, 202; May, 18.98; June, 18.92; July, 18.86.

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