etting the new line.

MASKA FORESTS CAN SPARE

zton, D.C., July 28.-The Alaskan Engin-Commission, which is to Build the Govern-

her in the Chugach National Forest for use in con-

The permit was issued by the district forester as

Alaskan Forests, and is in conformity with the act

March 4 last, which authorized the Secretary of

mission and the Navy Department to take from the

tional forests, free of charge, earth, stone and

The timber will be cut in designated areas along

LIVERPOOL COTTON OPENED QUIET.

At 12.30 p.m.-There was good business done in spots. Prices steady; middlings at 5.20d. Sales,

4,000 bales. Receipts, 2,000, including 100 American.

Spot prices at 12.45 p.m.-American middlings

fair, 6.06d.; good middlings 5.50d.; middlings 5.20d.;

low middlings 4.74d.; good ordinary 4.34d.; ordinary

Liverpool, July 28.-2 p.m.-Futures quiet 14 to 11points decline. Sales 14,000 bales, including 12,600 American, Oct.-Nov. 5.24½, Jan.-Feb. 5.38.

LONDON MARKET IDLE.

Spot tin £160 5s, off £1. Futures £160, unchanged.

Can. Pac. 145. Crucible Steel 52, up 21/2, B. & O.

N. Y. SUGAR MARKET.

New York, July 28 .-- All local refining companies

uote standard granulated on basis of 6.10, but are

taking business at \$6.00. Spot quotation for raw.

NAVAL STORES MARKET

New York, July 28 .- Locally the market for naval

ores was quiet though the tone was steady, in sym

pathy with Savannah, where the receipts are being

8214, up 14. Reading 14758, up 58.

London, July 28 .- Market idle: Consols 65; Wat

5.391/2

5.38

5.39 1/2 5.50 1/2

1p.m. Equivalent, Changes

1433₈ Off 15%

SSF4 Off 58

1285₈ Off 5₈

off 11/2 points at 12.30 p.m. Marke: was quiet.

.. 5.25

Can. Pacific 15014

Southern Railway 141/4

Union Pacific 13434

Southern Pacific

Demand sterling 4.77.

unchanged at \$4 86

J. S. Steel

.. 5.231/2

Due 5 . 24

portland, Ore., who has direct supervision of

timber for use in Government works.

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EUTRAL

avian Countries Have Remain Strictly Neu-Move Them From

-In conversation with a prominent Swede, at must for certain reawho can speak with auents of his countrymen, imong the general pubathetic with Germany. d (he declared). I have find some people exathy in Sweden is al-

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Sven Hedin, Everyone rer and a man of great ryone in Sweden who also knows that he is ve seen English news-Agitator," but it would him as an exponent of n Sweden we read his great pleasure, but we wisdom

ian Menace

a section of the Swedermany in the present e former sympathy, lt l: Russia! For years des have looked upon r with fear. It is thus Swedes have come to ossible deliverer from Nevertheless, many

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England or with Gerhere is one thing that leading person in we are not going to nless our neutrality is e threatened. From tion in respect of our can change it. We present Government rties-Conservative as thing to gain by en-

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rature 50 to 66. Preed snowers. n o to 0.28.

OR SALE

The School District as, and five square There is no debenthe Trustee Board has Bank to meet current debentures for one and the second to the

Quote: A, B, \$2.80; C, D, \$2.90; E, \$3.00 to \$3.05; G \$3.05; G, \$3.10 to \$3.12½; H, I, \$3.15 to \$3.20; K, \$3.50; M, \$4.05; N, \$4.90; W G, \$5.80; W W. \$5.90. THE PAS, No. 1635 a sum of thirty thous-rest at the rate of six st of June, 1915. Fif-interest are payable ary for twenty years. The School District

 COFFEE MARKET.
 North America
 14.514.048
 19.372,229

 New York, July 28.— Rio up 75 reis, stock 332,000
 South America
 13.049,289
 19.867,266

 bags, against 376,000 year ago. Santos unchanged.
 Asia
 7.535.429
 12.538,006

 Stock 1,118,000: year ago 1,022,000. Port receipts, 72. Oceania
 1.793,901
 1.671,969

Rio exchange on London 13d, up 3-32d.

BOO,000,000 FEET ANNUALLY EXPORTS TO ALLIES

ment railroad from Seward on the Pacific 471 miles to Fairbanks in the Interior, has received a permit from the Forest Service to cut 85 million feet of times. \$32,000,000 More Than a Year ago

GERMAN TRADE VANISHED

Agriculture to permit the Alaskan Engineering Com-No Merchandise Sent to Enemies Compared With Exports of \$7,500,000 to Austria and Germany in June, 1914.

The timber with the second decision and the second trend and imports of merchandise "by countries" for the New York, July 27.-The compilation of exports grough the Chugach National Forest for several month of June, prepared at the Custom House, shows that not a dollar's worth of merchandise was shipped Experiments and tests of Alaskan spruce and hemmonth last year the exports to these two countries lock are being made at the forces service and analy and so far have substantiated the aggregated over \$7,500,000. The imports from Germany last month amounted to a little over \$1,200,000. apinion of foresters that Aussian timoer is sumi-dently strong for practically all structural purposes. compared with over \$9,000,000 in June, 1914, while the This cut of 85 million feet will be the largest imports from Austria amounted to \$154,000, compared amount of timber ever felled on the Alaskan forests with \$1.031,000 a year ago.

in one operation. At the average rate per thousand In the table of exports of domestic merchandi in one operation. At the average rate per throughout in the table of exports of domestic merchandise the chief increases are noted in the cases of United board feet obtained for timeer son from the Chus-ach Forest during the fiscal year 1914, it is worth Kingdom, France, Russia, Italy and the Netherlands. The increases are: United Kingdom, \$32,000,000: The two national forests of Alaska contain about France, \$27,500,000; Russia, \$12,400,000; Italy, \$7,000. The two manufactures of merchantable timber, and it is cs. 000, and the Netherlands, about \$1,000,000. The eximated by the Forest Service that more than 800 pc.t business with South American countries inmillion feet could be cut every year forever without creased about \$4,000,000 and the import business fuse to Discuss Matter Seriously—Would Have showed a gain of \$6,800,000. The following figures are for imports and domestic exports for the month of June, compared with June, 1914, and also a r Liverpool, July 28.—Cotton.—Futures opened quiet, capitulation giving the foreign trade with countries other than those situated in Europe and South Am Oct.-Nov. Jan.-Feb. March-April. erica:

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Domestic	Exports.

Domestic Exports.				
	June.	June.		
Europe-	1914.	1915.		
Austria-Hungary	\$1,133,178			
Belgium	1.661,479	\$1.583.746		
Denmark	566.586	2.059.092		
France	4.347.076	31,992,415		
Germany	6,420,517			
Grecce	180,756			
Italy	2.287.422	9.145,459		
Netherlands	3,867,165	4.747,294		
Norway	404.291	684,496		
Portugal	586.113	493,574		
Russia	1,342,793	13,781,865		
Servia and Montenegro	144	147.152		
Spain	438,893	601,358		
Sweden	331,159	618,721		
Switzerland	54,373	171,190		
Turkey	63,891	5.498		
United Kingdom				
England	10,402,343	40.587.773		
Scotland	1.264.923	2.654.035		
Ireland	45,244	465.213		
All other Europe	300.766	372,982		
Total \$	35,699,112	\$110.886,008		
South America-				
Argentina		\$3,493,565		
Bolivia	76.065	85,359		

Demand sterling 4.77.	Argentina	\$1,704,049	\$3,493,56
-	Bolivia	76,065	85,33
N. Y. COTTON PRICES UP.	Brazil	1,662,358	2.714.10
New York, July 28 On first call prices were up	Chile	933,248	1.367.18
to 7 points with short covering due to the opening	Colombia	141.084	781.99
strength of the stock market. There was little out-	Ecuador	138.216	186,29
side business. Liverpool reportel a quiet market	Guiana		
with heavy spot sales totalling 14,000 bales. Weather	British	104.408 -	74.58
in belt generally clear.	· Dutch	33.207	33.71
New York, July 28Market steady, Oct. 2.15, up 6,	French	21.953	20,33
Dec. 9.43, up 6; Jan. 9.54, up 7; March 9.79, up 7.	Paraguay	6.884	6.99
Annual and	Peru	314.668	461.76
LONDON METALS.	Uruguay	202,194	339,98
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2 1. Futures £ 150, unchanged.	1 10000
Straits £160 15s., off £1 15s. Sales spot tin 50 tons.	Recapitulation of Domestic.
Futures 120. Lead £24 7s. 6d., unchanged. Spelter	
£92 10s., unchanged.	Europe \$35,699,112 \$110,886,008
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N. Y. MARKET OPENING.	South America 6.012,301 10,254,716
New York, July 28 American Beet Sugar 55, up 14.	Asia 4.128,646 4.136,905
Bethlehem Steel 251, up 4, So. Pac 1678, up 1/2, Good-	
rich 53%, up %, Westinghouse 108%, up 34, General	Africa 1.955,701 2,586,731
Electric 1754, up 4, N. Y. Air Brane 1034, up 14.	
Can. Pac. 145. Crucible Steel 52 up 214 P. S. O.	Total \$60,208,921 \$142 502 655

Imports.		
	June. Ju	me.
Europe	1914 1	915.
Austria-Hungary \$1,0	031,125 \$1	53.97
Belgium 2.0	026,787	72.56
Denmark	97,786	72,56
France 7,5	501.054 4.7	67,78
Germany 9,1	148.822 1.2	02,91
Greece	179.573 4	96.88
Italy 3.	703,863 4.0	93.21
Netherlands 1.8	852,293 2.1	59.70
Norway :	231.175 2	16.40
Portugal	379,406 4	71.00
Russia :	377,120 1	34.67
Servia and Montenegro :	261,187	
Spain :: :: :: :: ::	501,297 8	51,23
Sweden	323,715 3	57.0:
Switzerland L.	429.167 1.2	35.9
Turkey	127,219	79.45
United Kingdom -		

pathy with Savannah whom the veccinta one being	A CONTRACTOR OF THE CONTRACTOR		ŧ
pathy with Savannah, where the receipts are being		134,676	ı
taken at former prices. The jobbers are maintaining	Servia and Montenegro 261,187	******	r
a waiting policy, as usual at this time of the year,	Spain 501,297	851,233	ċ
and the manufacturers despite the fact that prices are	Sweden 323,715	357,022	c
low, do not anticipate materially. However, dealers	Switzerland 1.429.167	1,235,945	0
are hopeful that improvement will be witnessed once	Turkey 427,219	79,497	
the country realizes that the crop may be very short,	United Kingdom -		,
	England 12.166,094	14.261,813	,
Spot turpentine was repeated at 421/2 cents, with	Scotiand 1,129,622	1.283.470	1
sales of round lots the exception.	Jreland 1.131,284	1,188.791	
Tar was quoted at \$5.00 to \$5.50 for kiln burned	All other Europe	89.229	
and retort. Pitch is held at \$3.50.			
Rosins are steady at the basis of quotations. The	Total \$44,181,222	\$33,158,978	
demand is hand-to-mouth. Common to good strained is held at \$3.25.	South America -		,
. neid at \$3.25.	Argentina \$2,795,021	\$6.308,128	1
Savannah, July 28,-Turpentine firm 39 4 c. Sales	Brazil 4.375,989	7,115,584	,
98; receipts, 789; shipments, 247; stock, 26,751. Rosin	Chile	767,686	,
firm; sales 1,469; receipts 2,185; shipments, 2,147;	Colombia 1.874.848	1.423,804	,
stock, 59,188.	Ecuador 146,208	210,333	,
Quote: A, B, \$2.80; C, D, \$2.90; E, \$3.00 to \$3.05;	Guiana-		
F, \$3.05; G, \$3.10 to \$3.12½; H, I, \$3.15 to \$3.20; K,	British 8,289	15,071	1
\$3.50; M, \$4.05; N, \$4.90; W G, \$5.80; W W, \$5.90.	Dutch 189,738	59,714	1
	French	8.169	1
Liverpool, July 28.—Turpentine spirits, 36s; rosin	Paraguay / 1,120	1.545	
common, 11s 3d.	Peru	2.126.268	
	Uruguay 1.125,018	858,940	1
London, July 28.—Turpentine spirits 34s 6d. Rosin.	Venezuela 1,109,616	972,024	1
American strained 12s; type G, 12s 3d.	1		-
	Total \$13.049,289	\$19,867,266	
Paris, July 28.—Spot wheat unchanged at 1.88.	Recapitulation of Imports.		1
	Europe \$44.181,222	\$33,158,978	
COFFEE MARKET	27 14 America 14 514 048		



THE CZAR AND CZAREVITCH.

BRITISH PLAN FOR DISPOSAL

Appropriated \$150,000,000 to Buy

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from 11.500,000 bales to 14.500,000 bales. Surely it is

Mr. Henry H. Royce, president of the New York
yet too early to consider the ultimate outturn for the
Cotton Exchange, declined yesterday to discuss for treacherous month of August is now at hand to 'make
publication the British proposal. He said the matter or break the crop.

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The furgier political situation is such affects. Cotton Exchange, declined yesterday to discuss for treacerous month of August is now at hand to make publication the British proposal. He said the matter or break' the crop. had not been brought to him in any formal way, and that he had not given the subject any consideration, to create a feeling of caution in speculative circles in Other members of the New York Cotton Exchange all markets. The sinking of the Leelanaw, the possible fall of Warsaw and the Mexican complications, all tend to undermine confidence at the moment. But the moment of the confidence at the moment of the seems to be that of buying on sharp breaks and self-

RUBBER SLIGHTLY EASIER.

New York, July 28. Market for crude rubber was this year's crop will cost 7 cents or 2½ cents per poor August and September, slightly easier, up-river fine being available at 50c and pale crepe at 63c, per pound, Manufacturers contin 688.886 to restrict their purchases to quantities sufficient for their current needs and such sales as were reported vesterday were limited to small lots. The London market was quiet at 30d for pale crepe.

Consular advices from Bolivia Java said: Figur supplied by the department of agriculture, industry and commerce of India, reveal a marked 6 growth during 1914 in the rubber exports of Java 5 Contrasted with 1913 there was a gain of 2.841.822

LIVERPOOL CASH WHEAT EASY.

Liverpool, July 28.—Cash wheat easy unchanged to lower from Tuesday, No. 1 northern spring, 11s 8 ½n. No. 2 hard winter, 11s 7d. No. 2 soft winter, 11s 71/20.

Corn quiet and unchanged to 1/2 lower. America 62 mixed 8s 6d. La Plata, 6s 9d.

THE HIDE MARKET

New York, July 28.- The market for common dry from tanners was rather light, and no sales were reported. The market retained the same firm tone that has characterized it for some time past, and previous quotations were repeated. No changes were reported in wet or dry salted hides. Later in the day it was reported that sales have been made restocks here have been greatly reduced.

Turkey 427,219	79,497		Bid.	Asked
United Kingdom -		Orinoco	30	31
England 12.166,094	14.261,813	Laguayra		284
Scotiand 1,129,622	1.283.470	Puerto Cabello		283
Jreland 1,131,284	1,188.791	Caracas		283
All other Europe 282,633	89,229	Maracalbo		28
		Guatemala	28	29
Total \$44.181,222	\$33,158,978	Central America	28	
South America-		Ecuador		241
Argentina \$2.795.021	\$6.308,128	Bogota	30	31
Brazil 4.375,989	7,115,584	Vera Cruz	26	
Chile	767.686	Tampico	26	•••
Colombia 1.874.848	1.423,804	Tabasco · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	- 26	
Scuador 146.208	210,333	Tuxpam	26	
Julana-		Dry Salted Selected:-		
British 8,289	15,071	Payta		20
Dutch 189,738	59,714	Maracaibo		26
French	8.169	Pernambuco	• • • •	20
Paraguay / 1,120	1.545	Matamoras		20
Peru 915,929	2,126,268	Wet Salted:-		
Jruguay 1,125,018	858,940	Vera Cruz	18	181
renezuela 1,109,616	972,024	Mexico	18	187
		Santia50		17
Total \$13.049,289	\$19,867,266	Cienfuegos		17
Recapitulation of Imports.		Havana		171
Europe\$44.181,222	\$33,158,978	City Slaughter Spreads	••••	26
North America 14,514.048	19.372.229	Do., native steers, selected 60 or over		22
South America 13.049,289	19.867.266	Do., branded	• • • •	191
Asia 7.535,429	12,538,006	Do., Bull	••••	173
Oceania 1.793,901	1.671,969	Do., cow, all weights		21
Africa 321,388	1,282,223	Country slaughter: Steers 60 or over	16	- 12
		Do., cow	17%	18
Total \$81,395,277	\$87,890,671	Do., bull. 60 or over	14%	
				- ARTHURST BEEN

Making Purchases on all Soft Spots Seems to be the Only Safe Method of Trading

DOMINATING FACTORS

The Uncertain Outcome of Negotiations With Germany and the Precarious Weather Conditions are the Cause of the Market's Present Condition.

New York, July 28 .- Discussing the cotton situation Messrs. E. and C. Randolph, brokers, of New York and Montreal, make the following statement in their isual weekly letter:

market the past week have offered splendid opporlowing the plan of making purchases on all soft spots. As a matter of fact, this method of trading just now seems to be the only plan warranted by the factors effecting the market. It would require almost supernatural intelligence to figure out a safe position for the season at the present time for not only are list. There was no feature reported, interest in fu-market influences diametrically opposed to each oth-For instance, the very best minds of the cotton trade parity. take issue as to whether war with Germany would be a bullish or bearish factor. Much the same attitude pound at the plantation is a problem. Certain it is, is taken as to the present dry weather in Texas. Some consumption at American mills is at the high water mark of past records and exports to foreign countries American Cotton.

| Crop students assert the absence of rain, tonowing the heavy precipitation of the early season, permits the plant to get a good tap root before the August heat waves set in, and that the daily suns kill off the weev-least than 14,000,000 bales, and possibly as Sir Henry Dalziel and other members of the House of Commons that the British Government appropriate out tap root, will soon collapse and cause a crop fall the enormous carry-over of some 4,000,000 or more about \$150,000,000 for the purchase of that part of the American cotton crop which is available for export has attracted a great deal of interest in cotton circumstance. These who have bought on the weak spots and of last year's panie of Southern sellers, relying upon of last year's parie of Southern sellers, relying upon about \$150,000,000 for the purchase of that part of ure; that rain now would be too late and only result

prevent the exportation of cotton to Germany and Austria cotton not being on the contraband list.

In the opinion of leading cotton merchants and brokers the scheme is not a practical one. 41 is

Taking the weather news for the week and for the belt as a whole it has been favorable to the crop. Clear position to sell October and December hedges in the New York market in a small way and it would be only natural to expect this to grow to very considerable proportions during the next ten weeks. But as an officient of the crop days brokers the scheme is not a practical one. It is pointed out that unless Great Britain undertook to buy the entire cotton crop, together with the surply surplying the entire cotton crop, together with the surply surplying the past 30 days in the belt, this morning's Journal of Commerce states of the crop development over Alabama, Mississippi and Florida that the month has been fairly satisfactory and deterioration has not been heavy. There are no insects except weekils and those are doing little damage as a rule. The heavy rains earlier in the month, causing considerable grass, have been followed by dry weather which has been fairly satisfactory and deterioration has not been heavy. There are no insects except weekils and those are doing little damage as a rule. The heavy rains earlier in the month, causing considerable grass, have been followed by dry weather which has permitted much needed cultivation. Alabama has lost for strictly ammunition making claim at least 3000. trian spinners. No matter how large a quantity of cotton Great Britain should buy, it is said, the balance left in this country would be made available to German consumers provided they were willing to pay the price. Moreover, it is argued that \$150,000,000 is not sufficient to pay for the cotton that American producers expect to export in addition to the usual quantity that is nurchased by English submers.

Some of the brokers asserted that the poposition was history tells us cotton is the best of all investments to be that the August government report on crop can

JAPANESE LABOR SECURED TO HARVEST FRUIT CROPS

New York, July 28,-That approximately 1,000 Jan ese laborers would be brought to Fresno, Cal., and vicinity to handle the raisin and fruit crop was reently stated by Kura Dol, secretary of the Japan

Association at Fresno,
This mobile Japanese labor will be handled through a number of labor contractors who will bring the men together from all parts of California, including Sacramento, Stockton, Watsonville, Los angeres, and

Though a greater number of laborers will be brought into the county this year than ever before owing to the unusually good crops, they will be brought in later, as the fruit is not expected to ma-ture as early this year as usual. Some of the contracts call for men the latter part of July, but the

majority will arrive in August.

The price of this labor is about the same as last year, which was from 21/2 to 21/2 per tray for raisins and from \$2 to \$2.50 per day for work in other

Frequent sudden price movement in the cotton Kura Doi stated that since the Japanese Government had ceased to issue passports to the coolie claus tunities for investment for those who have been fol. of Japanese this type of mobile labor was on the decrease in California

MARKET FOR SPICES QUIET.

New York, July 28,-The market for spices was quiet, with a fair grinding demand for the general er but in certain instances seem to "work both ways." recent activity. Cables were still firm and above local

cles, both here and in the South. The object of the sold on the bulges have found the market most satisfactory.

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practical and did not warrant screens consideration. 241 tend to undermine confidence at the moment. But ing on all strong advances. The general idea seems in times of stress for cotton is well nigh indestruct- dition will show a loss of 3 points, or indicating the ible and when bought below the cost of production possibility of a good crop under favorable conditions er or later assert its true value. Whether the rest of the season, as well as a short crop with a

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