Early Strength in Wheat Gives Way to Bearish Aspect.

CORN MARKET HEAVY, BUT CLOSES STEADY

Elevators Almost a Unit in Selling Onts, While Buying is Senttered-Market in Provisions is Dull and Weak.

CHICAGO, March 5 .- The strength in when, thenest early today by higher cables, later gave way to the bearish aspect of the movement and the lack of demand. May closed \u00e4\u00e the close were 25/2715c depressed from Sat-

May wheat opened the over Saturday at 664restic, encouraged by higher cables. Trade for a few minutes was moderately active. The export orders which had been hoped for by reason of the firmer foreign mar-kets failed to materialize, however, and the market turned easy, giving much considera- \$12.50. tion to the large world's shipments, the heavy increase on passage and the favorabla crop reports. May early relapsed to 65% 9765 ac, where it clung for some time, ready, however, to toppie over still further. Holders finally grew weary of waiting for support that never came and about noon began selling and the price tumbled, May declining to 65½c. The close was weak. May %c under Saturday at 65%c. The cash business was slack, which had its effect on futures. Atlantic and gulf port clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 110,99 bu. New York reported 10 loads taken for export. Primary receipts were 22,000 bu., against 52,000 bu. last year. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 737 cars, compared with \$17 last week and 884 a year ago. Local receipts were 50 cars, 2 of contract grade. The corn market was heavy, but closed fairly steady. The opening was firm with wheat and on light country offerings, but the market broke early in sympathy with the dip in wheat. At the decline there was sufficient covering by shorts to have a however, to topple over still furthe dip in wheat. At the decline there was sufficient covering by shorts to have a steadying effect. They were influenced considerably by reports that roads in some parts of the corn belt were in such a bad condition as to check the movement entirely. Save for some animation early trade was dull. Receipts were 705 cars, 185 cars over the estimate. May sold from 34%4034% of to 34%e and closed &c down at 31%c.

The selling of oats was better than the buying, the latter being scattered, while in the former the elevators were almost a unit. It was a small market, however, May ranging from 23%c. Receipts here were 234 cars, 144 cars over the estimate.

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here was some demand from English ouses, but it was insufficient to hold up the houses, but it was insufficient to hold up the price. Outside interests as well as local traders were sellers. The opening was firm, because of higher prices at the yards and receipts of hogs under the estimate, but these influences were short-lived in the face of the poor demand. May pork ranged from \$10.071½ to \$10.571½ and closed 71½c down at \$10.571½. May lard, from \$5.90 to \$5.85, closing 21½c depressed at \$5.85, and May ribs, from \$5.85 to \$5.771½05.80, with the close 5c down at \$5.80.

signated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 45 trs; corn, 800 cars; oats, 275 cars; hogs, 30,000 head.
The leading futures ranged as follows:

| Articles. | Open.       | High.   | Low.     | Close.   | Sat'y   |
|-----------|-------------|---------|----------|----------|---------|
| .Wheat    |             | 1       |          |          |         |
| March     | 6474        | 6436    | 643%     | 64%      | 64%     |
| May .     | 966254      | 6616    | 6556     | 65%      | 65 4576 |
| July .    | 66369767    | 67      | 6619     | 661-02%  | 66 8716 |
| ·Corn-    |             | -       |          |          |         |
| March     | 8.000       | 1,000   | 00000    | 33       | 33%     |
| May       | 345,9854    | 34 44 1 | 3456     | 3416     | 34%     |
| July      | 34% 12%     | 34%     | 3459     | 347mm    | 345     |
| Sept.     | 351%        | 3656    | 35       | 3516     | 35%     |
| ·Oats-    | Name Vinter | 4007    | 10000    | 1000     |         |
| May       | 235-01-     | 2319    | 23%      | 23%      | 235,401 |
| July .    | 2214        | 2474    | 2214     | 2014     | 921     |
| Pork-     | 22.22       |         | Service. | المستعدا | box out |
| May .     | 10 65       | 10 6746 | 10.5756  | 10 57%   | 10 65   |
| July .    | 19 65       | 10 66   | 10 60    | 10 6214  | 10 70   |
| Lard-     |             |         | 4.04     | 2000     | 2 1000  |
| May .     | 5 90        | 5 90    | 5 85     | 5 85     | 6 874   |
| July .    | 5 971/4     | 5 9716  | 5.9214   | 5.95     | 5.971   |
| Ribs-     | e 100       | P 100   |          |          | 2       |
| May .     | 5 85        | 5 85    | 5 7716   | 5.80     | 5 85    |
| July .    | 5 85        | 5 85    | 5 80     | 5 8216   | 6 871   |

Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR—Steady: winter patents, 3.60: straights, \$2.9094.30: clears, \$2. spring specials, \$3.80: patents, \$2. pring specials, \$3.50; patents, \$1.1993.45; draights, \$2.6093.00; hakers, \$2.0092.40. WHEAT—No. I spring, \$2964c; No. 2 red. 6814 76814c. CORN—No. 2, 33347334c; No. 2 yellow,

CORN-No. 2, 334,4334c; No. 2 yellow, 334c.
OATS-No. 2, 234,4334c; No. 2 white, 254264c; No. 3 white, 25426c.
BARLEY-No. 2, 374,404c.
SEEDS-No. 1 flaxsed and northwest, \$1,60; prime timothy, \$2.45.
PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$2,6540, 10.60, Lard, per 100 lbs. \$5,734,405,774. Short ribs sides (loose), \$5,6545,90. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$5,6545,90. Short clear sides (boxed), \$5,966,65.
WHISKY-Distillers' finished goods, on basis of high wines, per gal., \$1,24.
SUGARS-Cut loaf, \$5,66; granulated, \$5,49. SUGARS-Cut loaf, \$5.05; granulated, \$5.49. Following are the receipts and shipments

| - 3 | Clour,  | bbls        |       |           |        | 55,000    | 23,000  |
|-----|---------|-------------|-------|-----------|--------|-----------|---------|
| - 3 | Theat   | . bu        |       |           |        | 34,000    | 18,000  |
| - 1 | orn.    | bu.         |       |           |        | 314.000   | 103,000 |
| - ( | mats, l | bu          |       |           |        | . 249,000 | 124,000 |
| - 1 | tye, 1  | M           |       |           |        | 5,000     |         |
| - 3 | Barley  | bu.         |       |           |        | . 114.000 | 39,000  |
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| -4  | or m    | arket       | WILL  | stre      | ong: c | reamerie  | 8. 1867 |
| - 1 | te: d   | airles      | 167   | 621c.     | Chees  | e, firm,  | 12@13c. |
|     | Gggs.   |             |       |           |        | -         | -       |
|     | - Marie | W. C. W. C. |       | - Carrier | -      |           |         |
|     |         |             |       |           |        |           |         |

## NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET, Quotations for the Day on Various

NEW YORK, March 5. — FLOUR — Re ceipts, 155,645 bbls.; exports, 9,203 bbls.; market fairly active on spring wheat brands; Minnesota patents, \$3.7023.90; Minnesota bakers, \$2.9023.05; winter patcists, \$3.6963.86; winter straights, \$3.406 3.50; winter extras, \$2.8062.90; winter low grades, \$2.2562.40. Rye flour, fair to good, \$1.0063.30; choice to fancy, \$3.2062.60. Buckwheat flour, dull at \$1.6061.75. BUCKWHEAT—Dull at 56657c, c. j. f., New York.

New York CORNMEAL—Dull: yellow western, 83c; city, 80c; Brandywine, \$2,20672.30 RVE—Steady; No. 2 western, 63% c.f. o. b. afoat; state, 56957c, c. i. f., New York, car

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BARLEY—Quiet: feeding, 434,646c, New York: maiting 49654c, New York: maiting 49654c, New York: BARLEY MALT—Dult: western, 55665c. WHEAT—Receipts, 5,660 bu.; exports, 48,133 bu. Spot, steady; No. 2 red, 735,c. elevator; No. 2 red, 735,c. elevator; No. 2 red, 756,c. f. o. b. affoat, in store; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 774c, f. o. b. affoat, prompt; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 795,c. f. o. b. affoat, prompt; No. 1 hard, Duluth, 795,c. f. o. b. affoat, prompt; Duluth, 794c, f. o. b. affoat, prompt; 21,156, 21

36%c. OATS-Receipts, 39 000 bu.; exports, 265 bu. Spot, steady; No. 2, 28447284c; No. 3, 26c, No. 2 white, 31%c; No. 3 white, 30%c; track mixed western, 28424336c; track white, 314735c. mixed wostern, 28½636c; track white, 31635c. Options inactive and easy.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 65676c; good to choice, 806876c; state, common to choice, 100PS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1806 crop 6c; 1898 crop, 7696c; 1899 crop, 1267 flc; Pacific coast, 1896 crop, 406c; 1898 crop, 126715c.

HIDES—Firm; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 10½6c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 20c; Texas dry, 24 to 39 lbs., 16c.

LEATHER—Steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Avres, light to heavyweight, 25½c; acid, 25

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COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL and easy; lake copper closed quiet at \$16.25, which was unchanged at the closing of last week. The brokers price for lead was \$1.45 and for copper \$16.25% 16.26. OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Pancy Produce.

EGGS-Receipts, light; fresh stock firm DRESSED POULTRY - Choice to fancy turkeys, 10@11c; ducks, 10c; geese, 10c; spring chickens, 8%29c; hens, 8%29c; pring chickens, 81,429c; neur, pring chickens, 50,50c.
LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 7271/5c; spring chickens, 7271/5c; young, staggy and old roosters, 425c; ducks, 3c; geese, 5c; turkeys, fair 16c; choice,

roosters, 496c, ducks, 8c; gcess, 8c; turkeys, 1543c; BUTTER—Common to fair, 18c; choice, 1518c; separator, 25c, gathered creamery, 25c; 18c; separator, 25c, gathered creamery, 25c; 18c; separator, 25c, gathered creamery, 25c; 18c; separator, per doz., 90c@1.00, VEALS—Choice, 8910c, 0VSTERS—Medium, per can, 18c; standars, per can, 22c; bulk standard, per gal., 11.25; extra selects, per can, 36c; extra selects, per can, 36c; extra selects, per can, 37c; New York counts, per can, 37c; New York

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HIDES.—No. 1 green hides, 7½c; No. 2 green hides, 6½c; No. 1 saited hides, 8½c; No. 2 saited hides, 7½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 9c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 16 lbs., 5c. HAY.—Per carload lots: Upland, choice, 56 midland, choice, \$5.50; lowland, choice, \$5. rye straw, choice, \$4.50; No. 3 corn, 27½c; No. 3 white oats, 22½c; cracked corn, per ton, \$12.50; bran, per ton, \$12.50; bran, per ton, \$12.50; shorts, per ton, \$13.50;

VEGETABLES. VEGETABLES.

NEW TURNIPS—Per doz. bunches, 50c.

SPINACH—Per box, \$1.

NEW BEETS—Per doz. bunches, 40g50c,

LETTUCE—Per doz. bunches, 40c; fancy
head lettuce, per bbl., \$\overline{E}\$.

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, \$5c.

SWEET POTATOES—Per bbl., Illinois,

\$\overline{E}\$; Jerseys, \$\overline{S}\$; large bbls., kansas, \$\overline{E}\$.

POTATOES—Per bu., choice, \$00240c.

CABBAGE—Holland seed, \$2c.

CAULIFLOWER—California, per crate,

\$2.35.

CELERY-Per doz., 25@30c; California, per bunch, 40275c. TURNIPS-Rutabagas, per lb., 14c. TOMATOES-Florida, per 6-basket cr

MUSHROOMS—Per lb. box, 50c, RHUBARB—Per dox., 65@75c, ONIONS—Retail, yellow, 50c; red, 85@00c; Ohios, per bbl., \$7.25. FRUITS.

APPLES—Choice western snipping stock. 5.506:3.75; New York stock, \$4; fancy, \$4.50 (34.75.) GRAPES—Malaga, per bbl., \$7.00(29.00.) CRANBERRIES—Bell and Bugie, per

bbl., \$9.00. TROPICAL FRUITS. ORANGES-California, fancy navels, per box, \$3.2503.50; choice navels, \$2.7503.00; California seedlings, ser box, \$2.5062.75.
LEMONS-California, choice, per box, \$3.50; fancy, \$3.50; Messinas, choice, per box, \$3.00; fancy, \$4.00.
BANANAS-Per bunch, medium, \$1.750, 2.00; fancy, \$2.0072.25. MISCELLANEOUS.

HONEY-Per 24-section case, \$3.50, NUTS-Hickory, large, per bu., \$1.25; shellbarks, \$1.25. FIGS-California, layers, per 10-lb. box. 90c; California carton, per 10-lb. box, \$1.00; imported figs, per 1b., 15c.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions. St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, March 5.—WHEAT—Lower;
No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 68½c; track, 71½c;
72c; March, 60½c; May, 65½c;65½c.
CORN—Slow; No. 2 cash, 33c; track, 34c;
March, 33c; May, 33½c;33½c; July, 33½c.
OATS—Lower; No. 2 cash, 24c; track, 24½c; March, 24c; May, 24@24½c; No. 2
white, 26c.

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RYE—Firm at 55c.
FLOUR—Steady; patents, \$2.55@3.55; extra fancy, \$1.20@3.25; clear, \$2.70@3.00.

SEEDS—Timothy, easy, but inactive at
\$2.00@2.39 for ordinary; prime worth more.
Flax, nominal at \$1.57.
COENMEAL—Steady at \$1.80@1.85,
BRAN—Firm; sacked, east track, 88c.
HAY—Firmer; timothy, \$7.50@13.00; prairie, \$7.00. 26c. —Firm at 55c.

Butter, Egg and Cheese Market.

KANSAS CITY, March 5.—BUTTER—
reamery, 20213c; dairy, 18c.

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Hocking Coal.

Hocking Valley, 18c.

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Central. etock, 12% dozen, cases returned; new whitewood cases included, 13c.
LIVERPOOL, March 5.— CHEESE — la Central ....
American finest white, firm at 61s; Amerido pfd.....

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ST. LOUIS March 5.—BUTTER—Steady;
Creamery 2002Nig; dairy, 16919c.
EGGS—Lower at 13c.
PHILADELPHIA. March 5.—BUTTER—
Firm and ige higher; fancy western creamery, 20c; fancy western prints, 27c.
EGGS—Steady, but quiet; fresh nearby, 154c; fresh western, 154c; fresh southern, 15c.
CHEESE—Firmer.

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.
Liverpool Gra No. 2 red western, winter, steady at 6s 4-d;
No. 1 northern, spring, 6s. Futures steady;
March, \$a 954d; May, 5s 854d; July, 6s 814d.
CORN-Spot firm; American mixed, new,
5s 854d; American mixed, old, 2s 954d;
Futures steady; May, steady at 3s 754d;
July; 7s 754d.
PROVISIONS—Bacon, Cumberland cut,
firm at 37s; short ribs, firm at 35s; long
clear middles, light, 36s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, steady at 36s; short clear
hacks, steady at 3s. Shoulders, equare,
firm at 32s 6d. Lard, prime western, firm
at 30s 3d; American refined in pails, steady
at 32s 3d.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, March 5.—WHEAT—May,
624c; No. 2 hard cash, 63c; No. 3, 59862c;
No. 2 red, 69470c; No. 3, 64466c.

CORN—May, 314c; cash, No. 2 mixed,
3144314c; No. 2 white, 32c; No. 3, 314c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 24440244c.

RYE—No. 2, 53c.

HAY—Choice timothy, \$10.00410.50; choice prairie, 57564750.

prairie, \$7,2597.50. RECEIPTS Wheat, 162,000 bu.; corn, 99,-400 bu.; oats, 28,000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 18,600 bu.; corn, 17,500 bu.; oats, 2,000 bu.

Statement of Visible Supply. NEW YORK, March 5.—The statement of the visible supply of grain in store and affout on Saturday, March 3, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as ollows: Wheat, 54,083,000 bu.; increase, 635,000 bu. Corn, 19,006,000 bu.; increase, 14,000 bu. Oats, 6,038,000 bu.; increase, 163,000 bu. Rye, 1,176,000 bu.; increase, 24,000 bu. Barley, 1,250,000 bu.; decrease, 91,000 bu.

Milwankee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, March 5.—WHEAT—Irregular: No. 1 northern, 654,965%; No. 2 northern, 558,034c; No. 1, 574;; No. 2, 43c; sample, 334,942c.

Elgin Butter Market. ELGIN, Ill., March 5.—BUTTER—Firm at 24½c; offerings, 20 tubs, all selling at 25c; the weekly output was 10,180 tubs.

No. 7 Jobbing, 87ac; mild, quiet; Cordova, 21/2014c. The market for futures opened firm, with prices 109725 points higher, and tuled active on higher European and Brazillian cables. It finally closed steady at a not advance of 15979 points. Total sales reached 38,220 bags, including; March and May, \$5,5076.85, July, \$6,95, August, \$6,856, September, \$1,5997.00; October, \$7,5997.05; November, \$7,0997.10; December, \$7,2997.25; January, \$7,2507.30; March, 1901. \$7,35.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

Excited Fluctuations in Small Number of Stocks Diverts Market.

NEW YORK, March 5.—Attention in the stock market continued to be largely diverted to the feverish and excited fluctuations of a small number of stocks, Manipulation by the bears was largely responsible for the changes. In the case of Sucar the documents of the changes.

certed to the feverish and excited fluctual tions of a small number of stocks. Manipulation by the bears was largely responsible for the changes. In the case of Sugar the operations of the professional traders were interrupted by the unexpected action of the directors in declaring a quarterly dividend of 11s per cent on the common stock. This sudden tearing aside of the veil of mysters, rather nonplussed the non-professional trader, who had counted on a period of uncertainty until Wednesday in which to circulate vague tips and keep up an excited fluctuation in the stock, with opportunities for profit both up and down. The cutting in half of the dividend was about what was in that of the dividend was about what work in the support and was railled to 1954; by noon. A 2,000-share lot was taken at that price when the news became known of the dividend action. Enormous selling for both accounts immediately followed and the price sumped by wide breaks, with occasional spasmodic railles to 37. Fluctuations, were wild on the recovery to par. The flood of offerings prevented the rise above that, but on the reaction to 38 large buying was in evidence again, which railled it to 1954. In the half hour after midday transactions in this single stock reached the corremous aggregate of 62,600 shares. There were sharp breaks in Tobacco and Tom-nessee Coal at the same time with the slump in Sugar, but the general market was again unsettled in the late dealings by an attack on Steel Hoop. People's Gias and Consolidated Gas, driving them down 3 to 4 points. New York Central reacted 15s, and attack on Steel Hoop. People's Gias and Consolidated Gas, driving them down 3 to 4 points. New York Central reacted 15s, but otherwise the railroad list was little affected and retained a fair sprinkling of the gains, and Tennessee Coal also yielded to pressure. A quotation of 25s per cent was made for call money in the course of the late bear raid on stocks. The money market during the day showed no sign of disturbance, and there was no evidenc

The bond market was rather dull and irregular, Total sales, par value, \$1,760.000. United States bonds were unchanged in bid United States bonds were unchanged in bid quotations.

Commercial-Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "The markets here were very dull today, but there was a slight tendency to better prices toward the close. Everybody is awaiting fresh war news and the budget to be read in Parliament tonight. Americans opened well and kept steady but idle until the afternoon, when they spurted, mainly on New York buying of Atchison and Norfolk & Western preferred stocks. The bank received £6,000 in gold from Australia. Call money was in demand, but bills were plentiful. There was good buying of Mexican dollars at 27% for the Straits. Paris checks, 25.18; Berlin, 29.494. A German war loan of £15,00,000 is said to be meditated.

The following are the quotations for the leading stocks on the New York exchange today:

COENMEAL—Steady at \$1.80a(1.8).

BRAN—Firm: sacked, east track, 88c.

HAY—Firmer; timothy, \$7.50\( \)(2013.00); pralrie, \$7.00.

WHISKY—Steady at \$1.24.

IRON COTTONTIES—\$1.25.

BAGGING—\$2\( \)(67\) %c.

HEMP TWINE—\$6.

PROVISIONS—Fork, steady; jobbing, old, \$10.15; new, \$11.25.

Lard, steady prime steam, \$5.60; choice, \$5.65. Dry salt meats, boxed, weak; extra shorts, \$6.00\( \)(20.30); clear ribs, \$6.25\) & 2.5 Bacon, extra shorts, \$6.00\( \)(20.30); clear ribs, \$6.25\) & 1.26c and \$1.25\), with \$1.25\] METALS—Lead, dull at \$4.57\( \)(20.40\) & 8.50; clear ribs, \$6.25\) & 1.26c and \$1.25\), with \$1.25\] Clear sides, \$6.75\].

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125% do pfd. 80
37¼ Amer S. & W. 55
157 do pfd. 90%
16¼ Amer Tin Plate 31¾
31½ do pfd. 91
113 Am. Tobacco 191%
14 do pfd. 157
14 Janac. Mining Co. 41
12½ Brik. Rap. Tr. 60%
12½ Coh. F. & 1. 44%
12½ Brik. Rap. Tr. 60%
12¾ do pfd. 84
13¼ Con. Tobacco 30%
12¾ do pfd. 84
13¼ Federal Steet 51¼
24½ Go Gen. E.ectric 12¼
12 Giucose Sugar 51
61% do pfd. 98½
112 Giucose Sugar 51
61% do pfd. 98½
91½ Int'n'l Paper 19
46¾ do pfd. 98½
91½ Int'n'l Paper 19
46¾ do pfd. 66 10½ National Biscuit.
373, do pfd.
1155; National Lead.
133½ do pfd.
32 National Steel.
10¼ do pfd.
52¾ N. Y. Air Brake.
74 No. American.
23½ Pacific Const.
12 do 1st pfd.
76 do 2d pfd.
124½ Pacific Mail. do pfd....
Ontario & W....
Ore. Ry. & Nav.
do pfd.
Pennsylvania ...
Reading
do 1st pfd...
do 2d pfd...
Rio G. W....
do pfd...
St. L. & S. F.
do 1st pfd... 

> New York Money Market. W YORK, March 5.-MONEY-On steady at 25635 per cent; last loan 5 per cent; prime mercantile paper,

at 2½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 44,0050 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Soft, with actual business in bankers bills at 34,8604 for demand and at 34,8234 for sixty days; posted rates, 34,364,844 and 34,874,64.85; commercial bills, 34,8274,824, and 34,874,64.85; commercial bills, 34,8274,824, and 34,874,64.85; commercial bills, 34,8274,824, and 34,874,64.85; commercial bills, 34,8274,664,c; bar, 564-c; Mexican dollars, 475-c.

BONDS—Governments, steady; state, inactive; railroads, irregular.

The following are the closing quotations on bonds:

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Totedo, March 5.—WHEAT—Dull and lower, No. 2 cash, 76½c; May, 72c.
CORN—Dull, but steady; No. 2 mixed, 25½c.
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COATS—Weak; No. 2 mixed, 25c.
RYE—Steady, No. 2 cash, 57c.
CLOVERSEED—Active and higher; prime cash, old, 44,90 March, new, 25,90; October, 35,10; No. 2, 34,6004.75.

Minneapolis Whent and Flour.
MINNEAPOLIS March, Sig.; May, 20de, 10de, 1 do con. 6s. 112 do 2s. 3832
In. Central 1s. 11214 West Shore 4s. 11414
K. C. P. & G. 1s. 7331 Va. Centuries 8s
La. n. c. 4s. 10612 do deferred 844
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Offered. New York Mining Stocks. NEW YORK, March 5.- The following are

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HARLEST STY: New York exchange, 40c discount.

FT LOUIS, March 5.—Clearings, \$8,440,259; balances, \$741,247. Money, \$976 per cent;
New York exchange, 50c discount bid, 20c
discount select.
NEW YORK, March 5.—Clearings, \$113,620,838; balances, \$6,712,396.

Boston Mining Stocks. BOSTON, March 5-Call loans, \$83½ per cent; the loans, \$5,95 per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares; 224 West, Electric 552 Wis, Central 56 Atchisen 4s 108 N. E. G. & C. 5s 310 Adventure 1 115 Allouez M. Co. 194 Amal. Copper 1224 At antic 43 Boston & Mont. 116 Butte & Boston Butte & Boston Cal. & Heela. Centennia; Quincy Santa Fe Cop. Tamarack Urah Mining Winena Woiverines .....

London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, March 5.-4 p. m.-Closing: Cons., money., 100 3-16 Pennsylvania .... do acct....100 7-16 Reading 

BAR SILVER-Steady; 277-16d per ounce. MONEY-3% per cent. MCNEY-31s per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills was 313-16; for three months' bills, 313-169335 per cent.

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, March 5.—American securities on the Stock exchange onened steady at about parity level and remained so throughout the session. The final tone was firm, Szanish is closed at 69%. The amount of buillion taken into the Bank of England on balance today was £8,609. Business was generally dull on the Stock exchange in anticipation of the budget causing the worst of the depression, added to uneasiness regarding the disloyal Dutch at the Cape. Later there was a slight improvement. Gold premiums are quoted: Madrid, 27.50; Lisbon, 43.50; Rome, 1.

PARIS, March 5.—On the bourse today business was unfavorable and apprehension of tighter money, promitaking and the dullness in London intensified the decression. Rlo tintos were agitated, but closed firm on a sharp rise in the price of copper. Three per cent rentes, 102f for the account, Exchange on London, 25f 15c for checks. Scanish 4s, 70.29.

BERLIN March 5.—Business was dull. Foreign Financial.

Standard 4s, 76.20, Bernon, Jan Schoff Checks, BERLIN, March 5,—Business was duit and unsatisfactory on the bourse today, the money conditions having caused realizations, Americans and Canadian Pacifics were steady. Exchange on London, 20m 494, pfgs. for checks. Discount rates, unchanged

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OII. CITY. Pa. March 5.—OII.8—Credit balances, \$1.68; certificates, sales, 2,000 cash, \$1.68½; \$1.69 bid for cash at close; shipments, 64.596 bbls., average, 59.364 bbls.; runs, 123.882 bbls, average, 74.878 bbls.

LONDON. March 5.—OIL.—Turpentine spirits, 40s 1½d.

NEW YORK, March 5.—OILS—Cotton-seed, dull; prime crude, 33½@34c; prime yellow, 36½@37c.

LONDON, March 5.-BEET SUGAR- 14...... March, 98 94d. NEW ORLEANS, March 5.-SUGAR-Quiet; open kettle, 3%@4%c; centrifugal, 4% @49-16c; centrifugal yellow, 4%@413-16c; econds, 2%94%c. MOLASSES—Quiet; centrifugal, 8@38c.

Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 5.—WOOL—Dull and nominal: medium grades, 19928c; light fine, 19928c; heavy fine, 15977c; tub washed, 24 935c.

The following dairy rules are recom-mended by the Illinois experiment station: Keep the cows clean and wash the udders before milking. Keep the barn clean, with walls and ceilings whitewashed; have it well lighted, ventilated and free from dust at milking time. Always make a clean tollet before commencing to milk. Keep the utensils clean and bright. Remove the milk from the stable as soon as drawn, and cool at once. Do not mix fresh, warm milk with that which has been cooled. Give the cows only good, wholesome food and pure water. Never add anything to milk to prevent its souring; cleanliness and cold are the only preservatives needed. Milk regularly, quickly, quietly and theroughly. Always treat the cows kindly and never excite them by loud talking, hard driving or abuse of

Model Goat Dairy. An attempt to improve the goat as a

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OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Weather Conditions Against Handling Stock of All Kinds.

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Lover Than at Close of a Week—

Sheep and Lambs About

Steady, but Slow.

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SOUTH OMAHA March 5.

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\* Indicates Sunday.

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: Cattle, Hogs, Ship, H'ses, C., M. & St. P. Ry ... C. M. & St. P. Ry. 2
O. & St. L. Ry. 4
Missouri Pacific Ry. 1
Union Pactfic System 22
C. & N. W. Ry. 2
F. E. & M. V. R. R. 14
S. C. & P. Ry. 2
C. St. P. M. & O. 11
B. & M. R. R. R. 31
C. R. I. & P. Ry. E. 7

Total receipts 94 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the num-

Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, 
 Vansant & Co
 95

 Lobman & Co
 26

 Benton & Underwood
 73

 L. F. Husz
 23

 Other buyers
 218

| See higher: sales 1.709 bales: middling, 9%c; receipts, 818; shipments, 1.440; stock, 82.203 balts. | LIVERPOOL, March 5.—COTTON—Fair demand, 1.16d higher: American middling fair, 5.25-32d; middling, 5.17-32d; low middling, 5.13-32d; good ordinary, 5.7-32d; ordinary, 5.1-32d, The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,000 bales, or which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,000 bales, american middling, 1, m. c. March 5.31-64 (9.52-64d buyers; March-April, 5.28-64d (9.52-64d (9.52-64d)) (9.52-64d) (9.5 .1290 3 40 .1170 3 40 .1200 3 40 .1135 3 40 .1619 3 45 .1619 3 50 .1940 3 50 .1970 3 55 .1177 3 55 .1210 3 60 1100 2 65

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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Generally About Steady-Sheep chicago, March 5.—CATPLE—Receipts, last 18,000; generally about steady; quality only age. fair: natives, good to prime steers, \$5,000p

Kansas City Live Stock. KANSAS CITY, March 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3.500 natives, 2.300 Texans; good killing steers steady; inferior grades rlow and 10c lower; butcher cows and feeders, steady, heavy native steers, \$4.7565.20; light weights, \$4.2564.80; stockers and feeders, \$3.565.10; butcher cows and heifers, \$3.2565, \$4.50; canners, \$2.0060.25; fed westerns, \$3.9064.35; western feeders, \$3.5064.35; Texans, \$3.5064.35.

HOGS—Receipts, 6.500; excellent demand HOGS-Receipts, 6,500; excellent demand for all grades at advance of 5@10c; heavy, \$4.75@4.87\\(\frac{1}{2}\); packers, \$4.70\(\pi\)4.80; light, \$4.25\(\pi\) 4.77\\(\frac{1}{2}\); pigs, \$4.10\(\pi\)4.30. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4.000;

moderate supply sold readily at steady prices: lambs, \$6.697.00; yearlings, \$6.00; 6.65; muttons, \$5.5095.65; ctockers and feed-6.05; muttons, \$5.50\(\alpha\)5.65; etockers ers, \$4.00\(\alpha\)5.50; Texans, \$1.00\(\alpha\)4.00. St. Joseph Live Stock.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 5.—
(Special.)—The Journal quotes:
CATTLE—Receipts, 300 head; market steady; quality poor; natives, \$4.10\$£1.15;
Texas and westerns, \$1.50\$5.00; cows and heifers, \$2.25\$\$(1.50; bulls and stags, \$2.90\$\$4.80; yearlings and calves, \$4.10\$\$5.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.40\$\$4.60; veals, \$1.50\$\$

7.50.
HOGS-Receipts, 3,200 head; market 5@10c higher; all grades, \$4,70@4.87\\(\frac{1}{2}\); bulk of sales, \$4.75@4.85.
SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 2,200 head: active and steady; lambs, \$5.00@7.15; yearlings, \$5.35@6.25; sheep and yearlings, \$5.00@5.75; ewes, \$4.00@5.25.

Stock in Sight. Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets for March 5;
Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.
South Omaha 2.120 4.725 6.105
Thicago 18,000 25,000 18,000
Kansas City 2.500 6.500 4.000
St. Louis 3,800 8,200 1,600 Totals .............27.420 44.426 29.706

St. Louis Live Stock.
ST. LOUIS, March 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 802, including 2,500 Texans; market steady 3.803. including 2.600 Texans; market steady for natives; slow and lower for Texans; native shipping and export steers. \$4.506 5.80; dressed beef and butcher steers. \$3.7506 4.95; steers under 1.000 bounds. \$3.4094.55; stockers and feeders. \$3.5094.85; cows and helfers. \$2.0094.75; canners. \$1.5092.85; bulls. \$1.0094.00; Texas and Indian steers. \$2.1509. HOGS-Receipts. \$2.25093.75.
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SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts. 1.600;

Some Lessons in Cattle Feeding. R. M. Allen, manager of the Standard Cattle company at Ames, Neb., prepared a paper on the subject, "Some Lessons in Cattle Feeding," which was read at the Central Shorthorn Breeders' association meeting at Kansas City. Following is an extract: "As I look back over an experience of fourteen years in feeding cattle in Nebraska engaging in the business a year or so after several Wyoming companies had made a first beginning-a few points in controversy at that time appear fairly well set-It is perhaps curious that Wyoming men should have attempted to build barns for feeding cattle or to cook food, the plan for cooking food being really responsible for the construction of barns.

"Cattle fed in close confinement do not make large gains, and it requires a long time to fatten them, so that it should only practiced where the waste of some product from a factory may be fed. It was in search of this waste product that I was led to attempt to secure a beet factory, believing that I could feed young cattle successfully in the barn on pulp. Now that we have secured our factory, however, we have fixed up our barn for sheep, and the chapter of our experience in barn feeding of cattle is closed.

"My experience in cattle feeding up to the present time has been almost entirely with that portion of our annual shipments of steers and spayed helfers from our western ranches that did not get fat, and the old cown or dry cown taken from the herd every year because it was probably that they would no longer be useful as breeding cows. I have never made such gains in my experience as I frequently hear of in discussions of gains with acquaintances or feeders ! happen to meet. We always figure the gains from the net weight of the cattle on arrival at Ames, at which time they are weighed up after feeding and watering as they would get at market-getting a better fill, in fact, than they would at market, and the final Chicago weights.

market steady; native muttens. \$4.756.75 lambs, \$3.0097.25; culls and bucks, \$3.759

"Last year the net gain of 6,657 cattle was 303 pounds, after a feeding period of 222 days, which is the largest in our experience, The length of our feeding period varies very greatly, being determined by taking the difference between the average date of arrival of the cattle at Ames, which takes place during a period of four or five months. We do not know how long any particular cattle are on the farm. The feeding period averages from 180 to 215 days, this period last year being a little longer than the aver-

"We do not pretend to try to get our cat-

leations. Americans and Canadian Petunes (1988) from checked. Discount rates, uncluding of the Treasury.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON March 5.—Today's statement of the condition of the Treasury.

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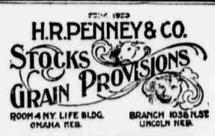
Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 5.—COTTON—There was great excitement on the Culton was a stated and men—the storm made the carting of the was great excitement on the Culton was a stated and the prices made the was great excitement on the Culton was recorded. There was a steady full of sleet and rating and the cattle processes of the was part of the was contracted leading between the culton was recorded. There was a great struggle among shorts and speculative by the contract leading the prices showing an advance of 11 to 82 hours were recorded. There was a great struggle among shorts and speculative by the contract leading the prices showing an advance of 11 to 82 hours was recorded. There was a great struggle among shorts and speculative by the price of the was a structure of the price of the

and we could not breed with precision, and, next, because breeding became too hazardous in Wyoming under any circumstances and we drifted into a Texas steer business. In three different seasons, 1894, 1895 and 1896, I brought up to Wyoming some importations of young Texas heifers, since we were spaying all our own female calves. These formed a large proportion of the remnant of cows removed from Wyoming in 1898, now

forming our herd in western Nebraska. "For a number of years I had bought Hereford and Shorthorn bulls in about even numbers, but I judged it best in removing to Nebraska to confine ourselves to Shorthorn bulls. I am therefore now buying only Shorthorn bulls and shall permit our Hereford bulls to die out, though of course our herd is very largely marked with Hereford."

To Cure a Kicking Cow. When milking set your head tight in her flank against her hip bone. When she gets ready to kick, raising her foot, push her over with your head; this will throw her down. This will soon cure her, unless she is a born kicker. In that case, fatten and sell her to the butcher.



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