COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Renewed Confidence and General Good Foo!ing the Market Features.

PRICES SUPPORTED, BUT BUSINESS LIGHT

May Wheat Closes a Shade Lower, but Corn and Oats Higher, White Provisions Make Some

Good Gains.

CHICAGO. Jan. 17.—Renewed confidence and general good feeling characterized the trade in crains today. From the start grains and provisions were given good support, even though business was quiet. May wheat closed a shade lower, May corn 'ye higher and May oats 'ye up. Provisions had net gains of from se to 17'ye.

Barring several active spirts, wheat ruled quiet throughout the day. At the start May had a steady tone on the influence of improved cables and dry weather reports. Opening prices were 'ye lower to 'ye higher at 80'ye to 80'ye. Foreigners were reported buying liberality in futures, but cash business was scarce. After yesterday's trade there was not much of a disposition to take a position one way or the other. The public naturally held off for some time after such a disturbance. The result was a trade largely local. Shortly after the opening the weather bureau predicted rain for some of the wheat states and prices at once slid off to 79'ye for May. Skeptical bulls made just as quick a turn and shoved the price up again to 80'ye. Shorts also covered freely and commission houses took advantage of low prices. Rain talk and lower closing cables pressed prices back to the low mark again, but the support was sufficient to bring a steady close for May, a shade lower at 80'4980'ye. Local receipts were 25 cars, one of contract grade, and Minneapolis and Dulith reported 41'4 cars, a total for the three points of 439 cars, against 59 jast week and 24 a year ago. Argentine shipments showed a heavy falling off—35,000 bu. for the week, against 648,000 the corresponding week last year. Primary receipts were 25 cars, one of contract grade, and Minneapolis and Dulith reported 41'4 cars, a total for the three points of 439 cars, against 59,000 bu. for the week, against 648,000 the corresponding week last year. Primary receipts were 36,000 bu., against 562,000 a year ago. Cfearances equaled 41,000 bu. The scaboard reported 30 loads taken for export. Corn in general found good support. The

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Outs were firm and quiet, supported well by professional traders. In general it showed considerable independence of the other grains. The early demand was in July, but later the bulk of the trade was for May. Prices fluctuated within a range of bc. The better cash situation was the leading influence. May closed firm, bc up at 45kc. Receipts were 122 cars.

Provisions had a duil but firmer market. There was a moderate demand to start with and prices at the yards were better. Prices yielded a few points on the grain sags, but local buying, especially for ribs, brought a good advance all round. May pork closed 17%c higher at \$17.06. May lard be up at \$9.79% and May ribs 5@7%c advanced at \$6.60% 67%.

Eestimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, \$5 cars; corn, 70 cars; oats, 180 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yest's

Wheat Jan. May	7614	76% 80%	76%	7614	7614
July *Corn-	80 0 4	80%	79%	801/4	80
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Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR—Easy; winter patents, \$3.80@ .00; straights, \$3.40@3.80; clears, \$3.20 [3.50; spring specials, \$4.30; patents, \$3.50@ .80; straights, \$3.20@3.40. WHEAT—No. 3 spring, 74½@77½c; No. 2

WHEAT—No. 3 spring, 744/26774c; No. 2 red, 524/2650c.
OATS—No. 2, 454/26454c; No. 2 white, 47c; No. 3 white, 462/47c.
RYE—No. 2, 624/26634c.
BARLEY—Fair to choice malting, 602/64c.
SEED—No. 1 flax, \$1.854; No. 1 northwestern, \$1.854; prime timothy, \$4.55; clover, contract grade, \$9.75.
PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., \$16.70 / 2016.75. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$9.40/29.424. Short ribs sides (loose), \$3.35/28.50. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$7.124/27.25. Short clear sides (boxed), \$3.80/28.90.
WHISKY—Basis of high wines, \$1.32.
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Articles. Receipts. Shipments.
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Wheat, bu 97,000 124,000
Corn, bu 97,000 124,000
Oats, bu 230,000 284,000
Rye, bu 18,000 3,000
Barley, bu 78,000 18,000
On the Produce exchange today the but-

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—FLOUR—Receipts, 12,607 bbls.; exports, 10,882 bbls.; quiet, but steadler on the firmness in wheat; winter patents, 13,75@4.00; winter straights, 13,600 3.70; Minnesota patents, 13,85@4.15; winter extras, 12,90@3.20; Minnesota bakers, 12,90@3.36; winter low grades, 12,70@3.80. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, 13,20@3.40; choice to fancy, 13,50@3.75.

CORNMEAL—Quiet; yellow western, 13,35; city, 13,34; Brandywine, 13,66@3.75.

RYE—Firm; No. 2 western, 70c, f. o. b., afloat; state rye, 66@67c, c. i. f., New York carlots. RYE—Firm; No. 2 western, 70c, f. o. b., afloat; state rye, 86067c, c. i. f., New York carlots.

WHEAT—Receipts, 90,250 bu. Spot, firm; No. 2 red, 80c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 red, 90-sc, elevator; No. 1 northern Duluth, 62%c, i. o. b., afloat; No. 2 red, elevator; No. 1 northern Duluth, 62%c, i. o. b., afloat. Options opened steadler and well sustained all the morning by foreign demand, cold weather in the southwest, better cables and small winter wheat offerings. Subsequent realizing, inspired by less active export inquiries and talk of snow in winter wheat states caused declipes, but the market finally recovered with corn and closed firm at 46%c net advance. March, 85%c96%c, closed at 85%c.

CORN—Receipts, 9,000 bu.; exports, 5,642 bu. Spot, firm; No. 2, 57%c, elevator, and 68c, f. o. b., afloat. Options market opened firm and experienced a strong tone all day by reason of higher cables and light pit offerings, together with prospects for lighter western receipts. Closed firmer and %c higher; January, 57%c, closed at 67%c. July, 87%g67%c, closed at 67%c.

OATS—Receipts, 82,500 bu.; exports, 9,736 bu. Spot, firm; No. 2, 50%c; No. 3, 49%c; No. 2 white, 53663%c; No. 3 white, 53c; track mixed western, 50651c; track white, 536 58c. Options fairly active and firmer with corn. 58c. Options fairly active and firmer with corn.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 60@65c; good to choice, 82½@90c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1901 crop, 11@15½c; 1900 crop, 12c; 1899 crop, 6@9c; Pacific coast, 1901 crop, 11@15c; 1900 crop, 8@12c; 1899 crop, 6@8c.

HIDES—Steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 18c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 19½c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 lbs., 14½c.

LEATHER—Steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavyweights, 25@25½c. dry, 24 to 30 lbs. 14%c.

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WOOL-Dull; domestic fleece, 25@26c; Texas, 16#217c.

PROVISIONS-Beef, firm; family, \$11.50@ 12.00; mess, \$19; beef hams, \$20.00@21.00; packet, \$10.50@11.50; city, extra India mess, \$17.50@19.00. Cut meats, quiet, easy; pickled bellies, \$3,@10c; pickled shoulders, 7c; pickled hams, \$3,@10c; pickled shoulders, 7c; pickled hams, \$3,@10c; pickled shoulders, 7c; pickled bellies, \$3,@10c; pickled shoulders, 7c; pickled bellies, \$3,@10c; pickled shoulders, 7c; pickled bellies, \$3,@10c; entired, \$11; compound, \$3,00@ \$2.50.

BUTTER-Receipts, \$2.53 pkgs; steady; state dairy, 14@213c; creamery, 16@233c; June creamery, 16@21c; creamery, 15@233c;
June creamery, 16@21c; factory, 13@153c.

CHEESE-Receipts, 1,031 pkgs. firm; fancy, large, state, full cream, fall made, 114@113c; fancy, iarge, late made, best, 10@103c.

EGGS-Receipts, 2,595 pkgs.; weak and lower; state and Pennsylvania, 23@29c; western, at mark, 25@25c.

SUGAR-Rew, barely steady; fair refin-

ing, 2%c; centrifugal, 96 test, 8%c; molasses sugar, 2%c; refined, dull; crushed, 5.75c; powdered, 4.75c; granulated, 4.65c. COFFEE—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 6.7-16c. MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 37@ MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 379

42c.

POULTRY—Alive, weaker; springs, 869c; turkeys, 10c; fowls, 10½c; dressed, slow; springers, 10½c; fowls, 10½c; dressed, slow; springers, 10½c; fowls, 10½c; turkeys, 13½c.

METALS—The London market for tin was 5s higher, with spot at £104 l5s and futures £101 l0s. The local market was a trifle lower on the bid price, which clossed at £2.62½, while £2.87½ was asked. Locally, the copper market was dull and weak, but not quotably lower, with spot lake quoted at £11.12½, electrolytic £11 and casting £10.75. Lead was quiet and unchanged at £1.20 90. Speiter was quiet and unchanged at £10 90. Speiter was quiet and unchanged at £16 l5s. The local fron market was quiet. The European markets were a trifle lower, with Glasgow closing at 49s and Middlesborough at 43s 90. Pig iron, \$11.009(12.09). No. 1 northern foundry, \$15.509(16.00). No. 1 southern foundry, \$15.509(16.00).

York, \$3.50. POPCORN-Per lb., 5c. HIDES—No. 1 green, 6c; No. 2 green, 5c; No. 1 salted, 7%c; No. 2 salted, 6%c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12% bs., 9c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 7c; dry hides, 8%13c; sheep, pelts, 75c; horse hides, 41.50%2.25.

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

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—WHEAT—Higher;
No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 87%c; track, 89@ 89%c; May, 87%@87%c; July, 86%c; No. 2 hard, 80@83c.
CORN—Higher; No. 2 cash, 63%c; track, 63%@66c; May, 65%@66%c; July, 66%c.
OATS—Higher; No. 2 cash, 47c; track, 47%@48c; May, 47c; July, 39%c; No. 2 white, 48%c.
MYE—Lower at 64c.
FILOUR—Steady; red winter patents, \$4.00@4.15; extra fancy and straight, \$3.55@3.70; clear \$3.25@3.40.
SEED—Timothy, steady, \$6.00@6.30.
CORNMEAL—Steady, \$3.25.
BRAN—Dull; sacked, east track, \$1.03@1.05.

CORNEAL—Steady, 3.2.3.

BRAN—Dull; sacked, east track, \$1.03@ 1.05.

HAY—Steady; timothy, \$10.00@15.00; prairie, \$12.00@15.00.

PROVISIONS — Pork, higher; jobbing, \$16.25. Lard, better, \$9.22½. Dry sait meats (boxed), dull; extra shorts and clear ribs, \$8.52½; clear sides, \$8.87½. Bacon (boxed), dull; extra shorts, \$9.50; clear ribs, \$9.62½; clear sides, \$9.75.

WHISKY—Steady, \$1.32.

IRON COTTON TIES—95c.

BAGGING—55%@64.c.

HEMP TWINE—9c.

METALS—Lead, dull at \$3.87½@3.90. Spelter, dull at \$4.15@4.17½.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 7½c; turkeys, 8½c; ducks, 8c; geese, 5½c.

BUTTER — Steady; creamery, 18@25c; dairy, 15@20c.

EGGS—Steady at \$30.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 9,000 bbls.; wheat, 12,000 bu; corn, 196,000 bu; oats, 90,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 7,000 bbls.; wheat, 24,000 bu; corn, 55,000 bu; oats, 35,000 bu.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 17.—WHEAT—Cash, 754c; May, 764@764c; July, 774c; on track, No. 1 hard, 774c; No. 1 northern, 754c; No. 2 northern, 734@74c.
FLOUR—First patents, \$3.85@3.96; second patents, \$3.75@3.85; first clears, \$2.85@2.95; second clears, \$2.15.
BRAN—Lower; in bulk, \$17.60@17.50.

Toledo Grain and Seed.

TOLEDO, Jan. 17.—WHEAT—Cash, 884c; May, 874c; July, 83c. CORN—January, 624c; May, 644c; July, 644c. OATS-January, 47c; May, 484c; July, CLOVERSEED-January, \$5.50; March, \$6.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Jan. 17.—WHEAT—Irreg-ular; No. 1 northern, 784c; No. 2 northern, 78977c; May, 804c. RYE—Steady; No. 1, 64c. BARLEY—Lower; No. 2, 644c; sample, 60 CORN-Higher; May, 6740.

FURNACES IN FULL OPERATION

Bright Outlook in the Iren and Steel Industry.

READJUSTMENT OF PRICES CONTINUED

General Average of Staples and Securities Reaches an Extremely Low Point, but Manufactured Products Are Not Disturbed.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.-R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will

unchanged at 1.8 is. The local tron market was quilet. The European markets at its and Middlesborough at 4.8 is. Print. BLOGGEO. No. 1 northern foundry, 18.50g15.09, No. 1 southern foundry, 18.50g

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Usual January Weakness in All Commodities Makes Its Appearance. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

The usual "January thaw" in prices arrived this week and securities, food products, particularly the cereals, pork and dairy products, coffee and sugar among the groceries and copper among the metals, have all weakened and closed lower on the week. The causes for this movement have been in many cases technical and the general trade situation has not on the whole been weakened. If anything, in fact, improvement may be expected to follow, striking example of this being in the cereals. High prices had killed off export trade, but this seems to have revived this week on the decline. In distributive trade the situation has certainly improved. A larger spring business has been done in cotton and woolen goods. Advices from the west are of an enlarged spring trade and collections remain satisfactory. Northwestern advices are particularly good. Trade in the southwest continues satisfactory, but the lack of needed moisture for the winter wheat crop is a disturbing element, tending to dull the edge of trade.

It is to be noted also that rain is needed in the wheat-growing sections of California. More is doing in leading eastern textile markets, prints and ginghams moving well with jobbers, while a good business is also reported in woolen goods, though the new prices made are rather lower than expected. There is even some improvement noted in southern trade, largely the result of the firmer tone of the raw cotton.

Among the industrials, iron and steel are NEW YORK, Jan. 17.-Bradstreet's to-

FOULTRY—Steady: checkens, 74c; turkeys, 85c; ducks, 8c; geese, 85d; checkens, 25, geese, 85d; durks, 8c; ducks, 8c; geese, 85d; geese, 85d; durks, 8c; ducks, 8c; geese, 85d; and 18d; geese, 8c; durks, 8c; durk

New York Mining Stocks. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The following the closing prices on mining stocks: Adams Con 25
Alice 45
Alice 55
Alice 70
Brusswick Con 9
Brunswick Con 9
Com Tunnel 55
Con Cal. & Va 140
Deadwood Terra 30
Horn Silver 180
Leadville Con 8
Leadville Con 8

Bank Clearings. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Clearings, \$128,-006.692; balances, \$13,541,434. ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—Clearings, \$8,840,683; alances, \$1,069,866; exchange on New York,

balances, \$1,059,866; exchange on New York, 20c premium.

OMAHA, Jan. 17.—Bank clearings today, \$1,210,537.96; corresponding day last year, \$1,159,583.26; increase, \$50,674.70.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 17.—Clearings, \$3,269,-350; money, 496 per cent; New York exchange, 10c premium.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Clearings, \$29,540,088; balances, \$2,354,520; posted exchange, \$4.85; sixty days, \$4.85 on demand; New York exchange, 30c premium.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Clearings, \$28,244,333; balances, \$12,334,978.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—Clearings, \$24,164,720; balances, \$2,506,695; money, 5 per cent. BALTIMORE, Jan. 17.—Clearings, \$6,613,-989; balances, \$571,998; money, 5 per cent.

WEEKLY CLEARING HOUSE TABLE. Aggregate of Business Transacted by the Associated Banks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The following ta-ble, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended January 16, with the per-centage of increase and decrease as com-pared with the corresponding week last year:

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1,540,069	44.3	
200,117	28.8	
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796,575	13.8	
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CITIES. Clearings. Inc. Dec. Ottawa

Totals, Canada.... \$ 40,616,194 14.4 *Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.
**Not included in totals because of no comparison for last year.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—MONEY—On call, steady at 35% per cent; closed offered at 4 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 414654 4 per cent; prime mercantile paper, report cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steadier, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.874, for demand and at \$4.844,04.845, for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.85 and \$4.85; commercial bills, \$4.834,04.836.

SILVER—Bar, 55\(\frac{1}{2}\)e; Mexican dollars, 444c.
BONDS-Government, steady; state and railroad, strong.
The closing quotations on bonds are as follows:

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BAR SILVER-Dull at 25 9	-16 per ounce.

MONEY-2 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 215-1663 per cent and for three months' bills is 3 per cent.

Coffee Market. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—COFFEE—Spot Rio, easy; No. 7, involce, 67-16c. Mild, quiet; Cordova, 74-21c. Futures opened steady at a loss of 5 points and closed steady in tone, with prices net unchanged to 5 points lower. Total sales reached 49.—500 bags including January at 666.65c; March, 8.1096.20c; May, 6.3096.35c; July, 6.45c; August, 6.60c; September, 6.5096.65c; October, 6.70c; November, 6.75c; December, 6.8066.90c.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—DRY GOODS—A moderate demand was reported today in cotton goods. Brown sheetings and drills and bleached cottons were steady. There was a dearth of denims and if ready delivery could be given some fair orders

could be placed. Other coarse colored cottons were steady. Frint cloths were quiet but firm. Linens were in somewhat better demand at firm prices. Burlaps were steady, but business continued light.

MANCHESTER, Jan. 17.—DRY GOODS—Cloths and yarns quiet and firm.

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS. Market Shows Renewed Activity and

Increased Strength.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—There was increased activity in the stock market and a show of strength, but the dealings did not rise much over 500,000 shares and were largely congested in the few stocks which were favorites in speculation. Statements were circulated as to the phenomenal earnings of the arithracite carriers, which were asserted to reach 13 and 20 per cent for the leading high-priced stocks. No difficulty was found in marking up these stocks, and there was a heavy demand at the same time for the lower priced stocks in the group, especially the Readings. There were resulting advances in Lackawanna of 11 points, New York Central, ex-dividend, 24. Reading 23, and other members of the group 1 to 2 points. The movement was extended in some measure by sympathy to some of the soft coalers. There was continued strength in the southwestern rallroads as a group at advances of 1 to 3 points. Such conspicuous stocks as Sugar, Amalgamated Copper, General Electric and the local tractions showed gains of 1 to 2 points. American Tobacco gained another 35 points, selling at 235, with a later bid at 245. This stock is exchangeable at par for 200 Consolidated Tobacco 4s. There is said to be less than 5 per cent of the stock still outstanding. American Tobacco preferred gained 6 and the Consolidated company's bonds were strong and active. Late in the day St. Paul was bid up quickly nearly 2 points and other grangers and Pacifics hardened in sympathy. This late movement was the effective factor in keeping the closing firm, as a wavering tendency had developed before St. Paul's rise.

The railroad bond market was active and strong. mortgages of railroads in the southwest being in particular favor. Total sales, par value, \$4,075,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call. The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: American stocks were dull and idle all day, but in the street New York bid up the coalers and Union Pacific a point. Copper was steady at 46% the ton. Money is sa Increased Strength.

The following are the New York Stock exchange:

Atchison 75% So. Pacific do pfd 98 Baltimore & O. 103 do pfd 98 Can. Pacific 114% T. St. L. & W. Can. Southern 86% do pfd Ches. & Ohlo. 45% Colo. F. & I. Chicago & A. 25% Con. Gas do pfd 76% Glucose Sugar Chicago & E. I. 134% Hocking Coal Chicago & T. & T. 17% National Salt Co. C. & St. L. 90% do pfd 40 2d pfd 43% Int'n'l Paper do 1st pfd 61% Nat. Biscuit Chicago T. & T. 17% National Lead do pfd 22% National Salt C. C. C. & St. L. 90% do pfd Colo. Southern 14% No. American do 1st pfd 61% Pacific Coast do 2d pfd 29% Pacific Coast do 2d pfd 29% Pacific Coast do 2d pfd 59% Republic Steel do 1st pfd 73% do pfd 100 pfd

Offered. Boston Stock Quotations. BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Call loans, 4@6 per ent; time loans, 4@6 per cent. Official losing:

OIL CITY, Jan. 17.—OII.—Credit balances, \$1.15; certificates, no bid; shipments, 118,383 bbls.; average, 28,799 bbls.; runs, 90,836 bbls.; average, 74,844 bbls.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—OII.—Cottonseed, firm; prime yellow, 444,645c. Petroleum, dull. Rosin, steady. Turpentine, firmer, 414,6745c. dull. Rosin, steady. Turpentine, firmer, 414,642c.
SAVANNAH. Jan. 17.—OIL—Turpentine, firm, 394c. Rosin, firm. Quote: A. B. C. D. \$1.20; E. \$1.25; F. \$1.27\footnote{1}; G. \$1.30; H. \$1.42\footnote{1}; I, \$1.70; K. \$2.25; M. \$2.65; N. \$3.25; WG \$3.60; WW, \$3.85.
LONDON, Jan. 17.—OIL—Linseed, 28a 9d. Turpentine spirits, 28s 8\footnote{1}d. Sugar Market.

Oil and Rosin.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—SUGAR—Quiet: open kettle, 2%@2%c; open kettle, centrifugal, 2%@3 3-16c; centrifugal granulated, 4%@4 3-16c; whites, 3%@3 11-16c; yellows, 2%@3 -16c; seconds, 2%@3c, Molasses, steady; open kettle, 10@25c; centrifugal, 6@15c. Syrup, steady, 10@25c.
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—SUGAR—Raw, dull; fair refining, 2%c; centrifugal, 56 test, 3%c; molasses, sugar, 2%c. Refined, quiet.
LONDON, Jan. 17.—SUGAR—Raw, centrifugal, 8s; beet, January, 6s 844d. Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—WOOL—Firm; medium grades, 132174c; light fine, 124215c; heavy fine, 10212c; tub washed, 14224c.
LONDON, Jan. 17.—WOOL—The sheep skin sales were concluded today, with offered 173,472 skins of slightly improved quality and condition. All were sold. The home trade secured most of the offerings. Long wooled stock was 4244d dearer and short wooled 4264d higher. Shorn were unchanged. Coarse wooled stock was in keen demand at an advance of 4d. Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—EVAPORATED APPLES—A fair business was transacted in the market today, with full prices paid for all lots. The feeling at the close was steady. State, common to good, 768%c; prime, 94,69%c; choice, 94,610c; fancy, 104,611c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Slow, but steady, Prunes, 3% 67c. Apricots, Royal, 196916; Moor Park, 9% 673c. Peaches, peeled, 18620c; unpeeled, 7% 6721/c. Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—BUTTER—Steady; fancy western creamery, 24c; fancy nearby prints, 27c.
EGGS—Dull. 1c lower; fresh nearby, western and southwestern, 28c; fresh southern, 27c. CHEESE-Firm; New York full creams, fancy small, 114c; New York full creams, fair to choice, 34-1211c.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—CATTLE—Receipts.
1,800 head, including 1,400 Texans; market steady; native shipping and export steers,
14.5066.25; dressed beef and butcher steers,
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14.0065.05; steers under 1,000 lbs., 12.5665.00; stockers and feeders, 12.5564.25; cows and heifers, 12.5665.00; canners, 11.5662.50; bulls,
12.5664.00; Texas and Indian steers, 13.2565
1.5076.00; packers, 15.5665.20; butchers, 15.2665.00; packers, 16.0065.20; butchers, 15.2665.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1.800 head; market steady; native muttons, 31.8064.50; lambs, 14.5666.20; culls and bucks,
12.0064.25; stockers, 11.5072.00.

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Boof Steers and Cows Sold Generally Five to Ten Cents Lewer.

HOGS BROUGHT STEADY TO STRONG PRICES

ery Few Sheep and Lambs Arrived

Today and Quality Common, but

Market Could Be Quoted About

Stendy with Yesterday.

SOUTH OMAHA, Jan. 17. Receipts were: Cr Official Monday Official Tuesday Official Wednesday Official Thursday Official Friday Cattle, Hogs. Sheep, 4,210 4,742 1,959 4,006 7,204 4,383 3,165 8,643 2,915 3,669 10,798 2,278 2,721 9,947 1,263 Five days this week 17,770 Same days last week 17,355 Same week before 13,011 Same three weeks ago 6,859 Same four weeks ago 16,176 Same days last year 12,694 41,334 47,341 43,821 30,446 56,077 38,693

Average price paid for hogs at South Omaha the past several days with com-parisons Date. | 1902. |1901. |1900. |1899. |1895. |1897. |1896.

"Indicates Sunday.
The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: Cattle Hogs Sh'p. C., M. & St. P. Ry. 4
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Missouri Pacific system. 8
Union Pacific system. 9
C. & N. W. Ry. 3
F. E. & M. V. R. R. 30
C. St. P., M. & O. Ry. 33
R. & M. R. Ry. 22
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Illinois Central 1 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

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Kinds of cattle was downward today owing to unfavorable reports from other points and also to the fact that receipts were quite liberal for this time of the week. The market, however, was fairly active and the bulk of the offerings was disposed of in good season.

A few bunches of steers soid at right afrom the first round packers were bidding around steady prices this morning, but after the first round packers were bidding around steady prices this morning. A few bunches of steers soid at right afrom the stuff to move it was an uneven market, however, so there was considerable variation in the prices paid.

The cow market was also lower today and vry uneven. The general market could be quoted all the way from steady to 15c lower. The better grades brought right close to steady prices, particularly on the opening market, but aside from a few early sailes the bulk of the stuff soid 560 to lower and in extreme cases, the kinds selling below \$3.00, were 15c lower. Trade was fairly active, though at the decline, so that the pens were cleared in good season.

Bulls were also a little lower than they were yesterday and the same was true of stags. Veal caives showed very little change from yesterday.

Receipts included quite a few stockers and feeders and as is very apt to be the case toward the close of the week buyers would not take anything unless they could get it for less money. Common kinds of cattle were very hard to move today, but the decline would be covered in the majority of cases by 56 be. Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No. Av. Pr. No. Av.

HEIFERS.

BULLS

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500 head; beef cattle steady to strong; cow stock slow; medium to prime, \$4.00g; 500; attackers and feeders, \$2.25g4.75; cows. \$1.25g4.65; helfers \$2.25g6.00; canners, \$1.25g2.65; bulls, \$2.00g4.50; calves, \$2.50g6.50; Texas fed steers, \$3.25g6.60. Texas fed steers, \$3.25g6.60. HOGS—Receipts, \$2.000 head; estimated tomorrow, \$3.000 head; left over, \$3.000 head; opened steady, closed strong; mixed and butchers, \$5.90g6.40; good to choice heavy, \$5.60g6.55; rough heavy, \$6.00g6.25; lights, \$5.60g6.00; bulk of sales, \$5.55g6.30.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 12.005 head; steady; lambs, \$4.30g6.00; fair to choice mixed, \$3.75g4.40; western sheep, fed, \$4.25g6.10; native lambs, \$3.50g6.00; western lambs, fed, \$5.00g6.00.

RECEIPTS—Official: Cattle, 13.138 head; hogs, \$2.752 head; sheep, 19.117 head.

SHIPMENTS—Official: Cattle, 5.660 head; hogs, 4.063 head; sheep, 3.446 head. Kansas City Live Stock Market. KANSAS CITY, Jan. 17.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500 head natives, 600 head Texans, 100 head calves; stockers and feeders, 162 lbc lower; others steady to strong; choice export and dressed beef steers, 5.80\(\tilde{a}\).6.70; fair to good. 44.75\(\tilde{a}\).6.70; stockers and feeders, 14.50\(\tilde{a}\).6.70; Taxas and Indian steers, 33.75\(\tilde{a}\).5.20; Texas and Indian steers, 33.75\(\tilde{a}\).5.20; Texas cows, \$2.50\(\tilde{a}\).25; canners, \$1.75\(\tilde{a}\).20; Texas cows, \$2.50\(\tilde{a}\).25; canners, \$1.75\(\tilde{a}\).20; heifers, \$3.50\(\tilde{a}\).4.75; heifers, \$3.50\(\tilde{a}\).50; calves, \$3.50\(\tilde{a}\).60; market steady to 5c lower; top, \$6.60; bulk of sales, \$5.75\(\tilde{a}\).70; heavy, \$6.50\(\tilde{a}\).00; mixed packers, \$6.10\(\tilde{a}\).25; lights, \$5.50\(\tilde{a}\).25; pigs, \$4.75\(\tilde{a}\).75; SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 700 head; market 15\(\tilde{a}\).20c higher; fed lambs, \$5.75\(\tilde{a}\).575\(\tilde{a}\). 1032 3 25
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New York Live Stock Market. New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Jan 1.—BEEVES—Receipts, 4.107 head; steers slow and 10@15c lower; common steers 15@25c off; bulls and cows steady to 10c lower; steers, 44.50@6.25; bulls, 33.25@4.20; cows, \$1.75@4.25; cables quote live cattle steady at 12½@13½c, refrigerator beef 10@104c; exports tomorrow, \$22 cattle, 812 sheep and 4.400 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Steady; veals, \$5.00@9.00; barnyard and western calves nominal.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 7.252 head; sheep easier, lambs 25c lower; sheep, 33.00@4.40; choice, \$4.50@4.60; culls, \$2.00@2.50; lambs, \$5.00@6.40; one deck, \$5.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 2.128 head; good medium and heavy, steady; pigs lower; whole range quoted at \$5.70@6.50.

Cattle, Hogs and Sheep Steady to

Strong.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH, Jan. 17.—CATTLE—Receipts. 1,000 head; steady: natives. \$3.550, 7.00; cows and heifers. \$1.2506.25; veals. \$3.50, 46.25; stockers and feeders. \$2.2504.50. HOGS—Receipts. 9.600 head; steady; light and mixed. \$5.5076.60; medium and heavy. \$6.1506.60; pigs. \$3.7075.00. SHDEP AND LAMPS—Receipts. 100 head;

eady; top lambs, \$6.		
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Totals1	1,121 71,747	15,86

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