Grain Markets Everywhere Featureless and Very Dull.

WHEAT AND COARSE GRAINS STEADY

Large Increase in World's Visible-Rains in India and General Snows in America-No. Break in Corn.

OMAHA, Dec. II, 1981.
The grain markets of the United States were peculiarly dult today. Nothing was apparent on the surface in any of the speculative centers and nothing new appeared to break the present trend of cash business. Locally the grain compatiles expressed themselves at a loca to remember a dulter day.

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Wheat showed some strength, but this was perhaps due largely to lack of offers. There were few trades, large or small. The large increase in the world's visible, 1500,000 bushels, caused a slackness in the market. Liverpool opened 4d lower than Saturday, but gained strength enough to close 4d higher. The world's shipments for the week were 8,50,000 bushels, against 9,285,000 bushels for the previous week, and 10,600,000 bushels last year. Agra, India, vables to announce a most opportune rain for the central and united provinces. The light shows in the Ohio valley. Illinots, lowa and elsewhere have bettered the winter wheat prospect. The receipts from the southwest are lighter, but from the north they have been enormous. Minneapolis, however, reports country movement now very light and North Dakots grain is practically in in the Minneapolis receipts today eighty-one cars were Canadian wheat, which tends to corroborate the reports of light movement from first hands in Minneapolis. The market at present is governed by the news of the day, the receipts and the milling demand.

The corn movement through the Omaha market continues heavy, but most of it is already sold south and does not come on to the floor for sale. The world's shipments for the past week were 2,782,000 bushels, against 2,255,000 bushels for the preceding week, and 3,634,000 hushels for the same period of last year. The receipts

bushels, against 2,525,000 bushels for the preceding week, and 3,624,000 bushels for the same period of last year. The receipts in all the big markets are rather liberal and the demand continues good. Chicage was off a little from the Saturday close. The break traders have anticipated has not arrived, and friends of corn are slightly more confident of a stronger market. The shorts have not forced the corn below 460.

yet and are losing patience.

The oats market is flat. Speculators keep the large stocks in mind and do not look for an advance. Omaha Cash Prices.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT-No. 2 hard, \$1.0221.04: No. 2, hard, \$5c231.01; No. 4 hard, 90c; No. 3 spring, \$1.03; no grade, 86:

CORN-No. 2, 25c. No. 3, 3504c; No. 4, 3702

The no grade, 23035c; No. 2 yellow, 39c; No. 3 yellow, 39c; No. 2 yellow, 39c; No. 3 yellow, 39c; No. 2 white, 25c; No. 3 white, 334c;

OATS-No. 2 mixed, 25c; No. 3 mixed, 27c; No. 4 mixed, 26c; No. 2 white, 25c; No. 3 white, 254c; No. 4 white, 27b2c; standard, 284c.

Omaha Cash Sales. Wheat-One car No. 2, 56 lbs., \$1.04; ar No. 3 hard, \$1.01; I car No. 4 hard, 90c

car Mc. 3 hard, \$1.01; 1 car No. 4 hard, 90c; 1 car no grade, 88c.
Oats—Two cars No. 2 white, 28%c.
Harley—One car No. 4, 24c.
Rys—One car No. 3, 68c.
Carlet receipts in Omaha were: Wheat, 22 cars; corn, 130 cars; oats, 20 cars. Chicaga rardpis; Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 1,625 cars; only, 181 cars.

Orain Markets Elsewhere. Cleaning prices at the following markets today and Saturday were: CHICAGO.

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July	**********	**********	981	4A	983
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July		***********	641	4.1	425
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May	*********		1.125	14	1.12%
July	**********	**********	1.03		1.024
	-		1000		
NEW	YORK	GENERA	L	MA	RKE

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities. NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—FLOUR—Receipts, 14.126 bbls; exports, 5,670 bbls; market, dull and featureless; Minnesota patents, \$5.5666.10; Minnesota bakers, 34.406 4.75; winter patents, \$5.85; winter straights, \$5.56676.30; winter extras, \$3.66674.30; winter low grades, \$3.4564.10. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, \$4.4064.70; choice to fancy, \$4.566.50. Buckwheat flour, steady, \$2.20. 2.20. CORNMEAL—Steady, fine white and yel-low, \$1.20@1.35; coarse, \$1.24@1.26; kiln dried, \$2.20@31

low. \$1.30@1.35; coarse, \$1.24@1.25; kiln dried.
\$2.30@3.10.
RYE—Nominal.
BARLEY—Steady; feeding, 44%c, c. 1. f.,
New York; malting, 44@5lc, c. 1. f., Buffalo.
WHEAT—Receipts, 42,000 bu.; exports,
15.630 bu.; spot market, firm; No. 2 red,
nominal, elevator; No. 2 red, \$1.18 f. o. b.
afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1.22% f. o. b.
afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, nominal, f. o.
b. afloat, Options were strong. Smaller
world's shipments and northwest receipts
caused early strength in wheat today, the
price advancing, unchecked by the large
visible supply decrease. Realizing developed after midday and the close of the
market was irregular at 100%c advance.
May closed \$1.12%; July, \$1.02%gflows, closed
at \$1.03; December, \$1.17%@1.18, closed at
\$1.18.
CORN—Receipts, 282.735 bu. exports.

May closed \$1.12%; July, \$1.02%@1.63%, closed at \$1.03; December, \$1.17%@1.18, closed at \$1.18.

CORN—Receipts, 282.726 bu; exports, 283.930 bu; spot market, casy; No. 2 nominal elevator and 53%c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 53%c; No. 2 white, 53%c. Option market was dull all day and about steady with wheat, closing net unchanged. May closed at 51%c; December, 55c. closed 55c. OATS—Receipts, 61.500 bu; exports, 3.075 bu; spot market, firm; mixed oats, 28% 32 lbs., 34%@35%c, natural white, 300.02 lbs., 38%c; clipped white, 35%40 lbs., 37%g33%c; clipped white, 35%40 lbs., 37%g33%c. HAY—Quiet; shipping, 60%05c; good to choice, 77%55c.
HAY—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1904 crop, 29%37c; 1968 crop, 30%33c; olds, 14c; Pacific coast, 1904 crop, 29%36c; 1903 crop, 30%33c; olds, 14%TC.
HIDES—Quiet; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 18c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 19c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 lbs., 14%c.

PROVISIONS—Reef, firm; family, 311.00 %12.00; mess, \$3.00%50; beef hams, \$22.00% 22.50; packet, \$10.50%11.00; city, extra India mess, \$14.50%16.50. Cut meats, quiet; pickled bellies, \$7.26%7.75; pickled shoulders, \$5.75; pickled hams, \$8. Land, quiet; western steamed, \$7.20; refined, steady; continent, \$7.50; South American, \$8; compound, \$5.12%g6.50. Pork, steady; family, \$14.50%16.50; short clear, \$13.75%16.50; mess, \$14.50%16.50; short clear, \$13.75%16.50; mess, \$14.50%16.50; short clear, \$13.75%16.50; mess, \$14.00%15.75; TALLOW—Steady; city, 4%c; country, 4%g6.50.

FALL.

Give RICE—Quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 2%@
Fic: Japan, nominal,
BUTTER—Weak: street price extra creamery, 260784c. Official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 12016c; held, common to extra, 12016c; held, common to extra, 19624c; state dairy, common to extra, 19624c.

15624c.
CHEESE—Firm; state full cream, small.
September, colored and white, fancy, 12c;
state, late made, poor to choice, 84,4911c;
state, large, September, colored and white,
fancy, 184c; state, late made, colored, good
to choice, 109104c; state, late made, white,
fancy, 194c; state, poor to prime, 2610c.
EGGS—Weak; western fancy selected, 31
635c; western, average best, 29630c.
POULTRY—Alive, dull; western chickens,
lic; kowls, 114c; turkeys, 12913c; dressed,
quiet; western chickens, 104,615c; fowis,
114c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The visible supply of grain December 17, compiled by the New York Produce Exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 38,585,000 bushels; increase, 1,477,000 bushels. Corn. 6,356,000 bushels; increase, 784,000 bushels. Oats, 24,189,000 bushels; decrease, 12,000 bushels. Hye. 2,165,000 bushels; increase, 12,000 bushels. Barley, 7,116,000 bushels; increase, 1,573,000 bushels.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Dec. 19.—WHEAT—Duil; No. 1 northern, \$1.12g1.14; No. 2 northern, \$1.00g1.004; May, \$1.11, RYE—16: lower; No. 1, 774c. BARLEY—Dull; No. 2, 53c; sample, 36g

CORN-Steady; No. 2, 43943,c; May, 4514

Duloth Grate Market.

DULUTH, Dec. 18.—WHEAT—To arrive:

1 northern, \$1.104; No. 2 northern, timothy, \$1.30.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS Market Falls Into a Holiday But and is

54 cars: corn, 937 cars; cats, 110 cars, hogs, 30,000 head. The leading futures ranged as follows:							
Articles.	Open.	High.	Low	Close.	Sat'y		
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May	4500 16	\$0769236	45	4034	4959		
July	45%	45%	4579	杨州级	45%925		
*Outs				UNIVERSAL STREET			
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July	31%	3156	31%	3114	31%		
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\$3.80, \text{WHEAT-No. 2 spring, \$1.0\text{0.00} do 31, 15\text{fd. do 3d pfd. Delaware & Hudson Delaware & Hudson Delaware & R. G. do 5d. do 3d pfd. do 3d pfd. do 3d pfd. do 3d pfd.

springs, 7%c; turkeys, 12%c; ducks, 5%c; geese, 7c.
BUTTER+Steady; creamery, 20628c; EGGS—Steady at 24c, case count.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA. Dec. 19-BUTTER-Unchanged: western creamery, 28c; extra nearby prints, 31c.

EGGS-Quiet, but steady; nearby fresh.
30c, at mark; western fresh, 2930c, at
mark.

CHEESE-Pirm; fair demand; New York
full creams, fancy, 124c; New York full
creams, choice, 114,612c; New York full
creams, fair to good, 1161114c.

Minneapolis Grain Market. Minneapolis, Dec. 18. Wheat-December, \$1.104; May, \$1.125,61.18; July, \$1.125,61.124; No. 1 hard, \$1.125; No. 1 northern, \$1.105; No. 2 northern, \$1.05,65,61; Second patents, \$5.7065.80; first clears, \$4.1084.35; second clears, \$2.70872.85.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 19. — WHEAT—Spot. nominal; futures, casy; December, nominal; March. 7s Phd; May, 7s Phd.
CORN—Spot. American mixed, new, steady, 4s Shd. American mixed, old, firm, 4s lld. Futures, steady; January, 4s 4hd; March, 4s Phd.

Toledo Seed Market.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$15,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$145,189,314; gold, \$85,08,097.

1,000 8814 18,500 3754 1,600 75 1,100 56 100 91 200 92% 2,900 15514

Metal Market.

NEW YORK. Dec. 19.—METALS—The London tin market was easter by about 10915s. with spot at £135 10s. and futures at £145 10s. and fut | St. Louis Grain and Provisions. | ST. LOUIS, Dec. 19.—WHEAT—Higher No. 2 red cash, elevator, \$1.12½; track, \$1.15; May, \$1.13\sqrt{21.13\sqrt do pfd...... Ont rio & Western ...

#1.571g Mexican Central 2.300 21% Adams American United States Wells-Fargo Amai Copper 52.800 68% Amai Copper 52.800 68% Amer. Car Foundry 3.000 33% do pfd 200 82% Amer. Cotton Oil 1.000 26% American Ice 4.400 7% 49.000 35.000 Amer Linseed Ool 1.000 33% Amer. Locomotive 1.400 33% Amer. Locomotive 1.400 33%

Sugar and Molasses,

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—SUGAR—Raw,
firm; fair refined, 4%c; centrifugal, 96 test,
4%c; molasses sugar, 4%c; refined firm;
No. 6, 5.06c; No. 7, 7c; No. 8, 49c; No. 9,
48c; No. 10, 480c; No. 11, 4.70c; No. 12,
48c; No. 10, 480c; No. 11, 4.70c; No. 12,
48c; No. 10, 480c; No. 11, 4.70c; No. 12,
48c; No. 13, 48c; No. 14, 4.50c; confectioners A, 5.50c; mould A, 6c; cut loaf,
6.65c; crushed, 6.35c; nowdered, 5.75c; granulated, 6.55c; cubes, 5.70c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, open
kettle, good to choice, 30637c;
NEW ORLEANS, Dec 19.—SUGAR—Market steady; white clarified, 4 15-16655c; open
kettle, 3%644c; open kettle, centrifugal, 4%
fifse; seconds, 3%644c.

MOLASSES—Dull: open kettle, 18698c;
centrifugal, 7620c; Syrup, steady, 226725c. | Color | Colo

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—MONEY—On call, stendy at 25625, per cept, yowest, 25 per cent, closing bid and offered, 25 per cent, tim loans, very case, sixty days, ninety days and six months, 35635, per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—48645, per cent. Cattle Receipts Light and All Desirable

HOGS MOSTLY FIVE CENTS HIGHER

Grades Sold a Little Stronger.

Demand for Sheep and Lambs Not Very Active and with Liberal Receipts Slow and Ten Lower on All but Cholcest Grades.

Receipts were Cattle Hors. Sheep.
Official Monday. 2.835 2.410 8.855
Same day last week. 5.138 3.504 8.855
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Same four weeks ago. 5.256 6.056 18.195
Same day last year. 2.851 5.132 4.855
RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE.
The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date with comparisons with last year:

1904. 1903. Inc. Dec.
Cattle 225.785 1.653.312 127.598
Hogs 2.122.085 2.122.855 8.135
Sheep 1.735.025 1.825.086 91.831
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Dec. 3. 4476 4476 22 6 8 6 17 7 509 584 3 285 3 5 70
Dec. 4. 4276 437 6 2 6 8 6 8 1 3 5 1 3 5 5 5 5 6 8 1 1 1 2 5 0 5 1 1 1 1 2 5 0 5 1 1 1 1 1 3 0 0

Date. | 1906 | 1908 | 1902 | 1901 | 1900 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1800 | 1 * Indicates Sunday. The official number of cars of stock, brought in today by each road was:

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9 Mo. Pac. Ry
15 Union Pac. system 26
15 C. & N. W. Ry 1
25 F. E. & M. V. 15
26 C. St., M. & O. 2
28 E. & M. Ry 4
105 C. B. & Q. Ry 1
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106 C. R. I. & P. east 1
107 C. R. I. & P. east 1
108 Union Control 2
109 Union Control 2
109 Chi. Gt. Western 2

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: Buyers. Cattle, I
Omana Packing Co. 66
Swift and Company. 843
Cudahy Packing Co. 521
Armour & Company. 300
Cudahy Co., Fort Worth
Armour & Co., Soo City
Vansant & Co. 112 Cattle, Hogs, Sheep. 625 Armour & Co., Soo City Vansant & Co. Lobsian & Co. McCreary & Clark. W. I. Stephen. Hill & Huntzinger Huston & Co.

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Cotton Market.

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... ser 2 75 COWB. NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet, 15 points lower; middling up-lands, 7.90c; middling gulf, 8.15c. Sales, 1.564 lands, 7.90c; middling gulf, 8.15c. Sales, 1.564 bales.
LIVERPOOL. Dec. 19.—COTTON—Spot, in limited demand, prices 4 points higher; American middling fair, 4.61d; good middling, 4.37d; middling, 4.27d; low middling, 4.15d; good ordinary, 4.91d; ordinary, 3.85d. NEW ORLEANS. Dec. 19.—COTTON—8 Spot, easy. Sales, 5.300 bales; ordinary, 5c; good ordinary, 65-16c; low middling, 71-16c; middling, 75c; good middling, 71-16c; middling fair, 8½c. Receipts, 18,154 bales; stock, 414.055 bales.
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 19.—COTTON—Quiet, 14c lower; middling, 75c. Sales, 16 bales; receipts, 600 bales; shipments, none; stock, 24,036 bales. 545 7 00 ZI 781 F 25 HEIPERS 819 2 25 876 2 35 578 2 35 BULLS. 1315 1 25 1 1160 2 00 1 1240 2 00 1 1 1240 2 100 1 1 1240 2 100 1 1 1266 2 25 1 1080 2 35 CALVES. STOCKERS AND PEEDERS. 25 2 75 24 185 22 185 22 185 23 186 NEBRASKA

thow the comparisons for the last several years: Representative sales:

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2 western ewes.
552 western ewes.
240 South Dakota ewes.
145 Nebraska ewes.
467 Nebraska ewes.
1 Nebraska ewes.
1 Nebraska ewe.
484 Montana ewes.
72 western ewes.
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4 west, wethers and yearlings, 85
11 west, wethers and yearlings, 110
12 west, wethers and yearlings, 110
13 west, wethers and yearlings, 84
4 western lambs, 48
216 western lambs, 70 CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

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L. F. Husz

Wolf & Murnan

J. B. Root & Co

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Totals

CATTLE—There was a very light run of cattle here this morning and as all the packers were willing to take a few the market showed some little improvement. Buyers started out in good season and it was not long before everything in sight was disposed of.

Cornfed steers were very scarce today and in fact there were not cnough on sales to make a test of the situation. The few that did arrive soid at prices that looked.

Totals 4.07 3.017 5.24

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New York Live Nock Market.

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New York Dec. 19.—PEEVES—Revents for the situation, The few that did arrive sold at prices that looked was evident that had anything choice been on sale very satisfactory prices would have been paid.

There several cars of westerns in the paid of t

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 19.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5.506 head, including 2.000 Texans; market slow and stendy to strong; native spring and export steers. \$5.0026.50; native spring and export steers up to \$7.0028.00; dressed heef and butcher steers, \$4.0026.00; dressed heef and butcher steers, \$4.0026.00; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$3.5024.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.0026.90; cows and helfers, \$2.2595.25, the top for fancy fed helfers; canners, \$1.5022, 2.00; hulls, \$2.0024.00; caives, \$3.0027.50; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.0023.30; cows and helfers, \$2.5023.00; hulls, \$2.0024.00; processed markets, \$2.0024.00; head markets, \$2.5022.00; hulls, \$3.7524.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19—CATTLE—Receipts, 7,500 head, including 500 southerns. Market steady to 10c higher; choice export and dressed beef steers, \$5.6 @6.00; fair to good, \$1,500,5.00; western fed. \$2.50 @5.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.500,4.00; southern steers, \$2.500,4.50; southern cows. \$1,750,2.25; native cows, \$1,750,2.25; native cows, \$1,750,2.25; native helfers, \$2.200,5.00; buils, \$2.000,4.00; calves, \$2.200,5.50.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST JOSEPH, Dec. 19.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2.840 head; market active, stondy; natives, 33.75@5.50; cows and helfers, \$1.75@4.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@3.90.

HOGS—Receipts, 3.141 head; market 5@10c higher; light, \$4.30@4.60; medium and heavy, \$4.45@4.675. higher; light, \$4.3064.60; medium and higher; light, \$4.3064.60; medium and higher; \$4.4564.67%.
SHEEP AND LAMES—Receipts 800 head; market 10c lower; lambs, \$5.50; wethers, \$5.50.

Sloux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX CITY, In., Dev. 19—(Special Telegram.)=CATTLE—Receipts. 3,600 head; gram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 3.500 head; market strong; stockers, steady; beeves, \$3.50@6.00; cows. bulls and mixed, \$2.70@3.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.70@3.60; culves and yearlings, \$2.568.35. HOGS—Receipts, 4.800 head; market strong, selling at \$4.25@4.50; bulk, \$4.421.67 4.474.

Receipts of five stock at the six principal western cities yesterday were as follows:

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 St Louis
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 St Joseph
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NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market shows firmness for fruit of attractive quality, but it is reported that a considerable portion of the arrivals are undesirable and this fact gaves the general market a rather unsettled tons. Common are quoted at \$4545c, prime at \$45645c, choice at \$5554c and fancy at \$6544c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Frunca of the larger sizes are in light supply at fairly firm and trading was inactive. It is not not anticipated that there will be much anticipated that there will be much business transacted for the week apart from the closing up of engagements. Considerative way and are evidently and rather below parity. The operations were unimportant. Later prices railied and rather below parity. The operations were unimportant. Later prices railied and the market closed easier. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were dealered at \$55.

RERLIN. Dec. 19.—Prices on the bourse to day were unchanged.

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NEW YORK. Dec. 19.—Prices as an initial point is reported that morning, and with a good local demand interesting morning, and with a good local demand are evidently waiting for a further decline, which the general from the closing up of engagements. Considerable portion of the arrivals are undestrable and this fact gaves the general from the morning, and with a good local demand and encouraging reports from other points and encouragi

OWAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

ondition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Product. EGGS Candled stock 35c.
LIVE POULTRY-Hers, Sc. receives, Sc;
turkeys, No. ducks, Sc. geese, Sife; spring chickens, Sq.
DRESSED POULTRY-Turkeys, Issue:
ducks, No. geese, Sobbe; hers, No. spring chickens, Side; receives, Sobbe; hers, No. spring chickens, 150c; receives, Scholes to farry outry, 17618c; creamery, 25628c; fancy prints, 27c.

fancy only, 1761bc; creamery, 2026; taber prices 2:
FRESH FROZEN FISH-Treut life; nickerel, Sc; pire, lee perct. 7c; Linesian 12c;
whitefish, loc; sammen, 18c; redshapper, 11c;
lobater (green), 20c; lobater (boxed), 30c;
outliheads, lic; catalish, 14c; black bass, 28c;
halbut, 10c; erappies, 12c; ree shad, 51;
buffalo, 1c; white bass, 14c; from legs, per
doz, 25c;
HAN-Fri ton, 315.00;
HAY-Filess quoted by Omeha Wholesale
Dealers association; Choice No. 1, pland, 1650; No. 2, 56.00; medium, 55.50; coarre, 55.00;
kye straw, 55.50. The e prices are for hay
of good color and quality.

OYSTERS-New York counts, per can,
de; extra selects, per can, 37c; shandards,
per can, 32c; bulk (standards), per gal, 41.50; bulk (new York counts), per gal, 21.75;
bulk (Section 15), 50; feet, per doz, 32.50; 7 to 3 feet, per
doz, 31.75; 5 to 7 feet, per doz, 32.50; 7 to 5 feet, per doz, 32.50; 9 to 11 feet per doz, 31.50; extra large, 15 to 20 feet, each
EVERGREEN WREATHING—In coils of

EVERGREEN WREATHING-in coils of To vards, per van as for \$1 WREATHS—Magnoris and galax wreaths, per doz., \$1.25g1.50; svergreen wreaths, per doz., \$1.25g1.50; holly wreaths, per doz., \$1.25g1.50.
HOLLY BRANCHES—Per case of 24x2x4 feet, about 50 ibs., \$4.50; per bbl., \$2.00.
LONG NEEDLE FINES—Per dox., \$2.000

LONG NEEDLE FINES For Stanches, per 5250
MISTLETCE Mistletoe branches, per 51b box, \$1.25; per 17, 20c.
TROPICAL FRUITS
ORANGES Florida, sines 12s, 126, 178, 206,
778 and 250, \$2.00**rg.25, California Rediand
navels, all sizes, \$2.00; choice navels, \$2.50.
\$2.75.
LEMONS California fancy, \$2.75, 200 and LENONS—California fancy, \$2.72, 300 and \$90, \$4.25; choice, \$2.36.

DATES—Per box of 40-lb. rkgn., \$2.00; Hallowi, in 10-lb. bo= per in, 57,676.

FIGS—California, per 10-lb. carton, 78.99

\$50; imported Smyrna, 4-crown, 125/c; 5-crown, 140, 7-crown, 160; fancy imported (washed), in 1-lb. pkgs, 18278.

per case of 36 pkgs., \$2.73.

BANANAS —Per medium-sized binch, \$2.0062.50; jumbos, \$2.75483.50.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box of 14 to \$4, \$5.0096.50.

FRUITS.

APPLES — Home-grown Johathans, per bbl. \$2.75. Ben Davis, \$2.25. New York Kings, \$3.25. New York Kings, \$3.25. New York Greenings, \$2.60. New York Baldwins, \$2.75. New York Greenings, \$2.60. New York Baldwins, \$2.75. Colorado Johathans, \$1.65. Wins Saps, per bu box, \$1.50. PEARS—Utah, Colorado and California, fall varieties, per box, \$1.75.22. Chanherries, per box, \$1.75.22. Chanherries, per box, \$1.75.22. Wisconsin Bell and Bugle, per bbl., \$5.50. Wisconsin Bell and Guerry and Jerseys, per bbl., \$7.75. per box, \$2.75. GRAPES—Imported Malagus, per keg, \$6.0076.50.

TANGERINES—Florida or California, per \$4.50. \$2.50. VEGETABLES. FRUITA.

VEGETABLES

POTATOES—New home grown, in sacks, per bu., de; Colorado, per bu., 60c.

TURNIPS—Per bu., sc; Canada rutabagas, per lb., lc.

CARROTS—Per bu., 40c.

PARSNIPS—Per bu., 40c.

REETS—Per bu., 40c.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., \$1.85@2.00.

ONIONS—Home grown, in sacks, per bu.,

90c@\$1.00. Spanish, per crate, \$2.00.

CUCUMBERS—Per doz., \$1.76@2.00.

TOMATOES—California, per 4-basket VEGETABLES.

TOMA COMMON TO THE PART OF THE SWEET POTATOES-Kansas kin-dried, er bbl. \$2.25 SQUASH-Home grown, per doz., 50c. CELERY-Per doz., 25000c; Celifornia,

RADISHES-Per doz., 20c. LETTUCE-Hot house, per doz., 40@60c; MISC SLLANEOUS.
SAUER KRAUT-Wisconsin, per keg,

PEORIA. Dec. 19.—CORN—Steady; No. 3, 48c; No. 4, 42c; no grade, 41c. CHURCHES HAVE GOOD GROWTH

Some Bodies Increase Membership Faster Than the Growth of Population.

HOGS-Receipts, 7.500 bend: morker strong and higher; pigs and lights, \$3.75\$ head: market steady; native muttons, \$3.75\$ head: market steady; native muttons, \$3.75\$ g5.00; lambs, \$4.75\$05.75; culls and bucks, \$2.00\$04.25; stockers, \$2.00\$3.25; Texans, \$2.60

growth exceeds the usual ratio of increase in the population. This is notably the case in the Episcopal church, which last year gained 3 per cent on its membership of the previous year, while the population growth is estimated at about 2 per cent. In the Presbyterian church the increase in 2% per cent. The ratio of gain by the Methodist membership was 1% per cent, or

New York, Dec. 19.—All offices of the bead; market lambs, \$5.006.50; western sheep. \$2.7094.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.5094.50; western yearlings, \$1.0095.50; western sheep. \$2.7094.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.5094.50; western yearlings, \$1.0095.50; western sheep. \$2.7094.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.5094.50; western yearlings. stopped from 1 o'clock until 1:10 in respect to the memory of O. D. Ashley, former president of the company, who died in this city on Friday last. An order to this effect was issued today by President Ramsey.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass. Dec. 19.—Of the vessels driven ashore in Sunday's storm in the harbor at Vineyard Haven all but three had been floated. There were fully twenty inches of snow on a level, but in many places huge drifts are piled up. The storm, although very severe, was not attended by loss of life in this vicinity as far as could be learned today.

Bishop Phelan Still Lives. PITTSHURG. Dec 18.—Right Rev. Richard Phelan, bishop of the Pittsburg diocese of the Catholic church, was still living at 10:30 o'clock today. During the night he took a turn for the worse. His physicians regarded his death as but a question of a few hours.

Deep Snow in Massachusetts. BOSTON, Dec. 18.—Wire communication with Cape Cod, broken off with Sunday's storm, was still interrupted today. The snow is from two to four feet deep and is, many places drifted by the gale so as to block highways and street car lines.

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