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visions: Pork, 116.20; lard, 29.50; rich, 50.55010.00. BUTER-Steady: creamery, 246530. EGGS-Steady: receipts, 2,800 cases: at mark, cases included, 256246; ordinary firsts, 26650; firsts, 246250. POTATOES-Steady: receipts, 15 care: Michigan and Wisconsin red, 356450; Michigan and Wisconsin white, 356450; POULTRY-Alive, steady: spring, 11%; fowis, 10% 011%; turkeys, 18; Cash Sales for Week Largest of the Wheat Crop from Last Harvest.

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Operators in the Pit Change from

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<text><text><text><text><text><text> NEW YORK, Dec. 14 .- FLOUR-Firmly NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-FLOUR-Firmly held. WHEAT-Spot. firm: No. 2 red and No. 2 hard, \$1.26, all rall, c. i. f. track, export; No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1.28%, and No. 1 northern, Manitoba, \$1.32%, c. i. f. Buffalo, to arrive. Futures were strong early on foreign buying but eased late on the in-crease in the visible supply: December, \$1.35%; May, \$1.35%. HOPS-Steady; state, common to choice, 1914, Mar28c; Pacific coast, 1914, 116915c; 1913, \$6005c. HIDES-Firm; Bogota, 29467304c; Cen-tral America, 294c. OMARA, Dec. 14, 1914

HIDES-Firm: Bogota, 29467304c; Cen-tral America, 294c. CORN-Spot, firm: No. 2 yellow, 73c, c. I. f. to arrive; Argentina, prime, 73c, nom-inal, delivered. OATS-Spot, stcady; standard, 54c; No. 3 white, 55%c; fancy clipped white, 56657c; HAY-Steady; prime, \$1.07%c; No. 1, \$1.02%61.05; No. 2, 95c0\$1.09; No. 3, 8865 90c; shipping, 75630c; LEATHER-Firm; firsts, 31632c; sec-ands, 30681c.

nds, 30931c. PROVISIONS-Pork, steady, \$20.50921.00;

amily, \$24,006/25.00; short clear, \$21,006 5.00. Beef, quiet; mess, \$21,006/23.00; fam-ly, \$24,006/25.00. Lard, firm; middlewest, 10.05010.15. TALLOW-Steady: city, 6%c; country, 6440510; special, 6%c. BUTTER-FITM: Receipts, 6.100 tubs; creamery extras (92 score), 93033%c; creamery (higher scoring), 34c; firsts, creamery (higher scoring), 34c; firsts,

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various

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BUTTER-No. 1. 1-1b cartons. 32c; No. 60.1b. tubs, 31c. CHEESE-Imported Swiss, 35c; Amer-fcan Swiss, 35c; block Swiss, 22c; twins, 16c; dalates, 16%c; triplets, 16%c; Young Americas, 18%c; blue label brick, 17c; lim-burger, 2-1b., 30c; 1-1b. 30c; New York white, 13%c; imported French Requefort, 6c. Morris & Co.

white, 13%c; imported French Requestor, do.
BEEF CUTS-No. 1 ribs, 18c; No. 2, 16%c; No. 3, 11%c. No. 1 loins, 19%c; No. 2, 16%c; No. 3, 13c. No. 1 chucks, 10%c; No. 2, 1%c; No. 3, 1%c. No. 1 rounds, 13c; No. 2, 1%c; No. 3, 1%c. No. 1 plates, 9%c; No. 2, 1%c; No. 3, 8c. FIBH-Trout, 1%c; large crapples, 15c; salmon, 8%c; hallbut, 11%c; channel cat-fish, 12c; pike, 1%c; pickerel, 10c. FOULTEY-Brollors, 14%c; spring chick-ens, 11c; hens, 9%11c; cocks, 8c; ducks, 10c; geese, 8c; turkeys, 15c pigeons, per dos., 90c; ducks, full feathered, 10c; geene, full feathered, 5c; squabs, No. 1, 31.5c; No. 2, 50c.

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All Points-Feeders in Light Supply.

SOUTH OMAHA, Dec. 14, 1914.

of the alles were made at \$7.502.80. Not enough aged sheep were on hand to test the trade, though feeling was Jecidedly weak on the few ewes at the disnosal of buyers. A load of ewes sold to a feeder buyer at \$5.00. Quotations on Sheep and Lambs-Lambs, good to choice, \$5.2008.50; lambs, fair to good, \$7.7595.51; feeders, fair to good, \$7.90 87.75; yearlings, good to choice, \$7.00027.80; yearlings, fair to good, \$6.7697.00; year-lings, feeders, \$5.5098.10; wethers, good, 57. choice, \$5.75695.20; wethers, fair to good, \$5.4905.70; wethers, fair to good, \$5.4905.70; wethers, feeders, \$4.4005.00; swea, good to choice, \$5.1895.40; ewes, fair to good, \$4.7565.15; ewes, feeders, \$4.4095.00; swea, good to choice, \$6.1895.40; ewes, fair omparisons: Date. | 1914. [1913.(1913.(1911.)1910.[1908.11908.

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Cattle Weak-Hogs Steady to Shade 2,000 head; market weak, mostly Sc lower; navy steers, \$5,50010.75; western, 5,1548.55; cows and hellers, \$3,10078.25; calves, \$6,0005.75; HOGS-Receipts, 50,000 head; market ac-

"Sunday, "Holiday. Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, tive, stendy to a shade higher; bulk, 36.86 677.10; light, 56.4067.10; mixed, 46.6567.15; heavy, 56.6067.15; rough, 36.6066.75; pigs, \$5.0067.15; for twenty-four hours ending at

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET Coal of Alaska is 195 7 60 All Shares to Be Restored to the List Today. DUE TO GENERAL SUCCESS trade was attr.buted to the discourseing advices from outside points and to the packers claiming that the schedule of prices on this market was already too high compared with Chicago and other points. Reports from Chicago this morn-ing indicated a decline of fully lagane on both sheep and lambs at that point. It was well along toward noon before any movement of consensors took place Action of Exchange Taken as Indiention that All Fear of Foreign

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was well along toward noon before any movement of consequence took place. What few offerings changed hands dur-ing the early hours consisted of a few decks of native tambs at \$250 and a stipment of yearlings at \$2.50. Around the noon hour the bulk of the lambs began to move in a fairly active way, at prices generally weak to 100gHe lower than the close of last week. Most of the sales were made at \$7.503.80. Not enough aged sheep were on hand to test NEW YORK. Dec. 14.—The inqualified auccess today of the first full seasion of open stock dealings caused the authorities of the exchange to decide to restore all shares to the list tomorrow. The issues thus placed in the open market include such internationals as Great Northern, Southern Pacific, Canadian Pacific, New York Central and Baltimore & Ohio, as well as other issues of speculative im-nortance.

The action of the exchange was taken The action of the exchange was taken as an indication that all fear of foreign liquidation was at an end. It reopened virtually all the restrictions which have been in force since July 30, except those which apply to cash dealings and sales

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live position. Long before it became known that the ban was to be lifted from the internaban was to be lifted from the interna-tional list, those shares moved up from two to four points over Saturday. Soon as it was possible to judge from surface conditions, Europe was in no sense a factor of the day's operations. Such selling as might have proceeded from that quarter left no impression upon quoted values. The day's business amounted to 28,000 shares, which compared favorably with the average for this period of the year. CHICAGO, Dec. H .-- CATTLE-Receipts,

with the average for this period of the year. Routine news was in keeping with the movement of stocks, in that it was mainly of a constructive character. The financial community was again encouraged by un-official advices respecting the prospects for increased freight rates, the middle west reported a broadening of general business and an increase of traffic, and more emergency currency was retired by local banks, which loaned freely of their cash at easy rates. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 28,000. head; market firm; sheep, \$5.2546.50; searlings, \$6.405/7.60; lambs, \$5.505/8.60. Kansas City Live Stock Market. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 14.—CATTLE —Receipts, 16,000 head; market. lower; prime fed steers, 35.509(1109; dressed beef steers, 17.359(9.25; western steers, 57.00678.40; stockers and feeders, 36.009(10.00; HOGS—Receipts, 7.300 head; market, steady to strong; bulk, 85.0077.00; heavy, 56.0057.00; packers and buchers, 56.009(10.00; HOGS—Receipts, 7.300 head; market, steady to strong; bulk, 85.0077.00; heavy, 56.0057.00; packers and buchers, 56.009(10.00; 1.05; light, 36.5697.00; pigs, 36.25696.75; SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts 6.300 were a fraction lower. Total bend sales, with a strong market in speculative is-suc, amounted to \$2,877,000. Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks were: Kansas City Live Stock Market,

Sales. 2,000 35,000 1,408 5,800 8,000 8,000 900 1,700 1,200 Alaska Gold Amalgamated Cupper American Best Bugar American Can American S. & R. Am. Sugar, Refining, American T. & T. American Tobacco American Tobacco American Mining ... Atchicon 25% 52% 28 57% 50% 107 117 217 St. Louis Live Stock Market. ST. LOUIS Dec. 14.-CATTLE-Req ceipts, 12,300 head; market, lower; native beef steers, \$7.500011.00; cows and heifers, \$5.00079.25; southern steers, \$5.7507.75; cows and heifers, \$4.00056.00; native calves, \$5.00079.00; 100075, Dec. 100075, 00; native calves, HOGS-Receipts 10,300 head: market, steady: pigs and lights, \$6,00607.15; mixed and butchers, \$6,95607.29; good heavy, 57,10607 20 29% 4,700 more & Ohio \$7.10677.20 SHEEP: AND LAMBE-Receipts, 2,000 head; market, lower; lambs, lower; native muttons, \$4.75875.50; lambs, \$8.0039 \$25; yearlings, \$5.50697.25. 1,000 irooklyn Rapid alifornia Petrole anadian Pacific Sentral Leather 114 2,700 28% Central Leather Chesapeaks & Ohio... Chicago Great Western Chicago & N W. China Copper Colorado F. & I. Denver & Rio Grande. Desver & R. G. pfd. Distillers' Securities Frie 10 91% 124% 580 4,100 11 92% Sloux City Live Stock Market. Sloux City Live, Stock Mabket, Sloux CITY, Dec. 14.-CATTLE-Re-ceipts, 3.500 head; native steers, 35.00(8:50; butchers, 35.1667.25; cows and heifers, 14.5005.75; canners, 34.0005.00; stockers and feeders, 35.25(7.26; bulk, stags, etc., 35.10 (95.00, HOGS-Receipts, 3,000 head; market strong; heavy, 35.30(96.55; mixed, 56.750) 506; light, 36.50(96.75; bulk of sales, 38.75 506.50. 300 408 13,700 300 10% 14 24 141 117 24 2075 140 117 neral Electric lreat Northern pfd et(m aggenheim Exploration terborough Met. pfd. 83% 18 91% 22% 15% 15% 12% 12% 12% SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 750 6, soft 4, 600 200 1, 600 500 1, 400 1, 800 1, 800 4, 200 52% 16% 11% 11% 11% 12% 10% nation Copper ... national Harvester as City Southern... gh Valley St. JOSEPH Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 14.—CATTLE— Reccipts, 2,100 head; market slow; steers, 47.000000; cows and heifers, \$4.50029.00; calv a \$4.0029.50. HOGS-Reccipts, 3,500 head; market, stendy; top, \$7.05; bulk, \$6.7007.10. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Reccipts, 500 head; market steady; lambs, \$7.5003.50. o & Nashville. diami Ca K. & T. Biscuit Lead ... Cupper ational Setional National Co New York Co N. Y. N. 1 Narfolk & 2456 1,809 87 38 4, 200 \$04% Northern Pacific Pacific Mail

Coffee Market. NEW YORK, Dec. 14 .- The

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

Practically Perfect For Uses of Navy WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 - Secretary Daniels today told the house naval comnittee that tests completed ten days ago on coal from Alaska Matanuska fields had proved practically perfect for naval

> The report of successful naval tests of Matanuska coal was sprung as a surprise by the secretary, who was elated particularly because of plans going forward for the Alaska railway to open up the coal fields. It was more gratifying, he said, in view of the fact that last year tests indicated that Bering river coal was not suitable for naval use.

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The report shows that the Bering tests were repeated on the coal from the Matanuska for seven days on a forced draft of four hours at a speed of twenty knots, a natural draft test of twenty-four hours at fifteen knots, and another

which apply to cash dealings and sales under minimum prices. These will be continued as necessary safeguards against concerted or professional selling. From start to finish, except for oc-casional wavering moments, today's movement of prices was upward, with special activity in the metal or copper group and some of the higher paid rai-ways, including Reading. Lehigh Valley and Northern Pacific. The demand for the coppers was ascribed to a variety of causes, including better trade prospects their relatively low prices and specula-tive position. is a fair indication of the general character of the coal in that field.

"The official report of the tests states that the firemen pronounced the forced draft trial the easlest twenty-knot run the armored cruiser Maryland had ever made. On the other trials also there was absence of those difficulties usually met when poor coal is used. The firing was easy and steam pressure was easily maintained," said the secretary. "The coal is

said to have burned like pine knots. An unofficial report on the evaporative test at the experiment station practically confirms the Maryland's tests.

The general result is very gratifying to the Navy department and point the way to an adequate supply of coal on the Pacific coast for the navy as soon as reasonable transportation facilities are available."

The Matanuska coal, he said, was as good as any coal to be found anywhere.

Stock Market Will Be Open for All the Issues Tomorrow

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 .- An open market for all stocks on the floor of the New York Stock exchange will be created tomorrow. This was decided on this afternoon. It was voted to eliminate, beginning tomorrow, the socalled clearing house list and to place the stocks therein on the same base of trading as the 153 issues already approved.

The solitary restriction placed upon all stocks is to be that their prices shall not go below the minimum_already established.

The chief issues thus placed in the open market are United States Steel, Southern Pacific, Great Northern, Canadian Pacific, New York Central and Anaconda Mining issues-all known as international securities.

23% 137% 135% 135% 13% Formal decision to create an open market subject only to minimum prices was made by the committee of five of the stock exchange at 2 o'clock this afternoon -after the exchange had been opened for trading in stocks only seven hours since it was closed on July 30, last, During the session of Saturday and today the last vestige of apprehension that foreign investors would diluge the local ising foreign investors would diluge the local ieu market with a vast volume of selling orders was swept away. It was the fea-it that had prevented the committee from listing the international issues among the approved list for open trading made public list Friday afternoon. Trading under re-striction and supervision of the committee was brisk, both Saturday and today in the restricted issues, but it revealed to the 21 entire satisfaction of the governors that there would be no foreign landslide of orders to disorganize the market here. Today's action of the committee means, it is believed, that tomorrow the exchange will go back to practically the same footas it occupied before the European war clouds were visible. The minimum price restriction is only nominal; both Saturday and today nearly all issues dealt in rose high above the minimum.

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LEGAL NOTICES

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION. Notice to Bidders, Extension Water Works System, Elliott, Iowa: Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Elliott, Iowa, until 7:30 p. m. on Mon-day, Dec. Elst, 1914, for the furnishing of all material and the construction of an extension of the Municipal Water Works system as authorized by special election system as authorized by special election

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CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.

Prices on Board of Trade. Prices on Board of Trade. CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—Unexpected enlarge-ment of the Uni.ed States visible supply total acted more than an offset in wheat today, for an advance due mainly to bull-ish cables. The market closed steady, but 'se to 140% under Saturday night. Other cereals, too, showed net declines—corn. 140% to 340% and oats a shade to 340% or Provisions gained 5010 What chiefly upset the accuracy of predictions in re-gard to the visible supply of wheat was the fact that the report of stocks afloat at Buffalo exhibited an increase of 10,485.-000 bushels, whereas the aggregate on the whole chain of lakes last week was on'y 7.165,000 bushels, with none at Bur-falo. Rumors that the kalser would have to undergo a surgical operation tended further to weaken the market. As a re-sult prices crumbled rapidly in the last hour, and there was no sign of any im-portant raily.

hour, and there was no sign of any im-portant rally. Higher quotations at Liverpool had siven the wheat market a decided lift at the outset. Besides, it was disclosed that breadstuffs were going to Great Brotain from Montreal much more liberally than had been reported and North American shipments to Italy were being made on a huse scale. There were also bullish ad-vices from Australia and Argentina, but such reports were soon lost sight of when the late decline got fully under way.

Kausas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 14.-WHEAT-No. hard, \$1.1261.13; No. 2 red, \$1.1261.129; way. Corn, like wheat, was affected by an

December, 51.10%; May, 51.14% (01.14%, CORN-No. 2 mixed, 63c; No. 2 white, 63960%; December, 61%; May, 67%; OATS-No. 2 white, frc; No. 2 mixed, BUTTER-Creamery. Sic: firsts, 29c; BUTTER-Creamery. Sic: firsts, 29c; seconds, 20c; packing stock, 20%c. EXG48-Firsts, 30%c; seconds, 20c. POULTRY-Hens, IIc; roosters, 10c; tur-keys, 15c.

Omaha Hay Market.

Corn, like wheat, was affected by an increase of the visible supply. At first, however, the tendency of prices was up-ward in sympathy with other grains and because of the lightness of country offer-ings in contrast with improved ahipping demand, partly the result of zero weather emphasizing the call from feeders. Oats wore swayed by the action of wheat and corn. Most of the time trading was of a local character, although cash sales amounted to \$00,000 bushels. Larger receipts of hogs failed to have much effect on the provisions market. Shorts were active buyers and there was virtually no selling pressure on the part of holders. Omaka Hay Market. PRAIRIE HAY-Choice upland. \$10,50, extra choice \$11.00; No. 1. \$5,006010.00; No 2, \$3,00975.50; No. 3, \$5,00605.00, Choice midland, \$10,00; extra choice, \$10,50; No. 3, \$0,00975.50; No. 5, \$3,0079.00; No. 3, \$6,0069 \$00. Choice lowland, \$5,50; No. 1, \$7,509 \$00; No. 2, \$5,0097.00; No. 3, \$5,0098.00; Straw: Choice wheat, \$5,50; choice oat or rye, \$6,00066.50, Alfaila: Choice pea-streen, fine stem and leafy \$12,00911.50; No. 3, \$8,00910.50; of holders. Gran prices furnished by Logan & Bryan, office 35 South Sixteenth street:

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Minucapolis Grain Market.

Grimes Golden, \$1.05; Idaho choice, Grimes Golden, \$1.25; Wash, fancy Grimes Golden, \$1.60; Idaho fancy Jonathans, \$1.25; Idaho fancy Fulton, \$1.25; Idaho fancy Straw-berry, \$1.25; Idaho fancy Wolf River, \$1.25; Wash, Wagner, \$1.25; N. Y. Baldwins, \$3.00 per bbl; N. Y. Greenings, \$3.50 per bbl, \$1.75 per craits; fancy Malagas, \$5.60 per keg.; extra fancy Malagas, \$6.00 per keg. Pears: Anjou, \$2.00 per box; Jer-se, \$2.25 per box; Sheldon, \$2.30 per box; Lawrence, \$3.00 per box; Bonco, \$2.40 per box; Easter, \$2.50 per box, Bonco, \$2.40 per box; Easter, \$2.50 per box; Bonco, \$2.40 per box; Lettuce, Head, Calif, \$1.00 per dox; least, 40c per doz, Onions; Yellow, 2c per bb, cettuce, Head, Calif, \$1.00 per doz, ieaf, 40c per doz, Onions; Yellow, 2c per bb, cale, \$2.60 per crate, Onions (shallot), 50c per bb, Horsendish, \$1.60 per case, Garlic, Italian, 20c per bb. Squash, 1%c per bb, Pumpkin, 1%c per bb. Squash, 1%c per bb, Pumpkin, 1%c per bb. MISCELLANEOUS-Nuits, No. 1 Call-fornia walnuis, 1%0 per box; 17-crown importer, 35 00 per bb, 190, 190, 250 250 per bbl.; Jersey, \$1.75 per hamper. MISCELLANEOUS-Nuits, 100, 12 (2all-fornia walnuis, 1%c per bb, 190, 190, 250 250 per bbl.; Beras, 2100 per box; 7-crown importer, 35 0 e-oz, \$2.00 per box; 7-crown importer, 35 0 per case, 4-case, \$1.75 Checkers \$1.50 per case, 4-case, \$1.75 Honey, \$2.50 per case, 4-cas

Devine to the extreme demoralisation of the market at Chicago and the discour-aking reports sent out at that point all western markets broke more or less, while the trade was extremely slow and duil from start to finish. Nearly every year the country makes the mistake of flooding the market with hair-fat cattle in December, which its the poorest month in the year during which to market that class of stock. De-cember is first of all a poultry month, all the demand for beef is in conse-quence more or less rearricted. Such de-mand as there is for beet during Decem-ber is largely for the choicer grades bence, while a few Christmas cattle self exceedingly well in the early part of De-cember, half-fat, warmed-up or unfin-ished beeves of all kinds are neglec.ed, and it does not take very many catte of that description to break the market if yon possible to prevent western markets from point as there is not take very many catte of that description to break the market. With Chicago breaking down it is im-possible to prevent western markets from point in the same direction. It is es-presented that they will all be needed between the first of the year and the coming of grass cattle. The trade on killing cattle at this point disters, cows and helfers was not only sow. But around 15025 lower. While a few of the feeder cattle that the appened to attrike the rance of a first from steady, the general markets, strong hour to good corn-fed beeves, strong blower on stockers and feeders. Tous 5.5; fair to good corn-fed beeves, strong 5.5; common to fair corn-fed beeves, strong 5.5; common to fair corn-fed beeves, strong 5.5; fair to good corn-fed beev

Representative sales: DEEP STEERS.

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STOCKERS AND FEEDLES

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 31 HOGS-Supplies totaled about seventy-four cars, or 5,200 head, but with twenty-four cars, or 5,200 head, but with twenty-four cars, or 5,200 head, but with twenty-four cars, or 5,200 head, but with the thy loads on saile. Today's receipts are 1,100 head larger than last week, but 2,00 head smailer than a year ago.
 32 Chicago reported prices there as slightly easies and the local trade opened out dull, with easy bids as much as loc lower. These were make the box of sales were made that looked to be a nickel nigher. The general market is easily steady to a strong with the best time Saturay.
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coffee futures opened at an advance of coffee futures opened at an advance of 5 to 10 points in response to a further advance of 5d in the rate of Brasilian exchange at the close on Saturday, and reports of continued firmness in the pri-mary markets. There was a little buying by houses with European connections, but general husiness was quiet at the advance, and prices later eased off from the best under realizing and predictions that the heavier Brazilian receipts would ultimately tend toward easier prices. The ultimately tend toward easier pr close was 2 points lower to 5 points lighter. Sales. 6.500 bags. December, 6.50c; January, 6.52c; February, 6.60c; March, 6.66c; April, 6.74c; May, 6.88c; June, 6.76c; July, 7.00c; August, 7.00c; September, 7.77c; October, 7.79c; Novem-ber, 7.85c. Sont firm: Bio 7s, 7240754c; Sentes 4s

Spot firm; Rio 7s, 75607%c; Santos 4s, 10%c; Rio 75 reis lower at 4 \$150. Santos. unchanged.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits NEW YORK, Dec. M.-EVAPORATED APPLES-Quiet; fancy, 74,07%c; choice,

APPLES-Quiet; fancy. 74/974c; choice, 89/97c; prime, 54/97c; DRIED FRUITS-Prunes, firm; Cali-fornias, 56/91/4c; Oregons, 84/011c; apri-cots, quiet and steady; choice, 99/94c; extra choice, 99/910c; fancy 10/4/911c; Peaches, quiet; choice, 69/04/2c; extra choice, 64/96/4c; fancy, 76/74c; ralsins, firm; loose muscatels, 64/07/5c; choices to fancy seeded, 74/918c; seedless, 64/97 54/5c; London layers, \$1.85.

Cotton Market,

Cotton Marker, NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-COTTON-Spot, quiet; middling, upland, 7.35c. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 14.-COTTON-Spot, in moderate inquiry: prices steady: Amer-ican middling, fair, 5.5d; good middling, 4.53d; middling, 4.29d low middling, 8.8d; good ordinary, 2.20d; ordinary, 2.7iid, Sales, 8,000 bales. The cotton market closed steady at a net sdvance of 12 to 13 points.

Wool Market.

LONDON, Dec. 14.-WOOL-The offer-ings at the wool auction sales today amounted to 11,000 bales, including a good show of crossbreds which were readily sold to the home trade at firm prices. New Zealand scoured realized 2s 45d and New Zealand greasy 1s 4d. Merinos were neglected and largely withdrawn.

St. Louis Grain Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 14.-WHEAT-No. 2 red, \$1.1815; No. 2 hard, \$1.1814@1.18; De-cember, \$1.1415; May, \$1.1915 CORN-No. 2, 45c; No. 2 white, 6615c; December, 635c; May, 6014@6016c; = OATS-No. 2, 48c; No. 2 white, 4915c.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, Dec. 11-Hank clearances for Omaha today were \$2,989,901.32 and for the corresponding day last year \$1,963,025.89.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Closing quotations on bonds today were

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-MERCANTILE PAPER-45,6945 per cent. STERLING EXCHANGE-Easy; sixty-day bills M.866; for cables, M.875; for demand M.816. BILVER-Bar. 49%c. MONEY-Call, casy; high, 3% per cent; iast loan, 3% per cent; closing bid, 5% per cent; ruling rate, 3% per cent; LONDON, Dec. 14.-MONEY-1% per cent.

Cent. DISCOUNT RATES-Short and three months, 2% per cent. SILVER-Bar, 23 1-16c per cent.

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Local Stocks and Bands.

Quotations furnished by Burns, Brinker & D Omaha National bank building:

440 Omaha National bank building: Stocks-Beatrice Creamery pfd. Commonwealth Life Insurance. Pairmont Creamery 7 per cent pfd. Primont Creamery 7 per cent guar. Primont Creamery 8 per cent guar. Primont Creamer 8 per cent guar. Primont 8 per cent
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Union Stock Yards, South Omaha... Bonds-Columbus, Neb., L. & P. Is, 1824... Florence, Nub., ref. 8s, 1928. Jancoln G. & E. Ist. Lincoln G. & E. Ist. Ombiosh, Neb., School 6s, 1928. Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. 5s, 1928. Somotha School 454s, 1921. San Francisco, Cal. 5s, 1934. Superior, Nub., Watter 5s, 1934. Wharion Co., Texas, 5453. 1954. Whenits Union Shock Tarda 6s, 1934. 90,00 51.00 105.56 107.50 92.00 53.01 96.60 55.00 104.00 105.00 94.60 05.50 95.50 100.00 99.50 100.00 98.50 100.00 94.50 54.75 197.50 93.03 95.00 101.00 05.80 100.00 109.00 109.00 94.75 100.00 109.00 109.00

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-SUGAR-Raw, NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-SUGAR-Raw, siteady; molasses, 3.340; centrifugal, 3.89c; refined, steady; cutloaf, 5.75c; crushed, 5.55c; mould A, 5.30c; cubes, 5.16c; XXXX powdered, 5.00c; powdered, 4.55c; fine granulated, 4.85c; diamond A, 4.85s; con-fectioners A, 4.75c; No. 1, 4.69c.

Dry Goods Market. NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-DRY GOODS-Yarns, quiet; dross goods, quiet; raw sliks, steady.

Czech at Prague Is Shot; Corresponded

LONDON, Dec. 14 -- A dispatch to the

CHICAGO, Dec. 14 -- Little surprise was expressed in Bohemian circles here today at a dispatch telling that a Czech restdent of Prague had been shot for corresponding with the Crech union in Chi-CARO.

It was freely admitted by Chicago Bohemians that there are several organizations which have as their object the freedom of Bohemia and any one of them might had correspondence with

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them might had correspondence with agents in Austria. "Most of the Czechs outside of Bohemia are united to free their country." said J. R. Fzenka, secretary of the Bohemian National union. "There are at Bheimer. National union. "There are at Rheims a number of Bohemian military companies which are supporting the allies. Shooting an agent of ours will not delay the end which is certain to come. Victory for the allies against Austria and Germany means freedom for us."

Hee Want Ads Produce Results.

Committee Cuts Estimate for the President's Dept.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 .- "Economy was the watchword of the appropriations committee in the preparation for the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, first of the supply measures, which was reported to the nouse today. The committee lopped off nearly \$2,000,000 from the estimates submitted by the vari-

ous departments discounting salary allowance along the line and brought in a measure aproppriating \$38,744,755.50. The bill provides for more than 16,000 salaries of government employes.

The total of the bill shows an increase of \$1,128,843 over last year's measure. But this year's measure includes a special appropriation of \$2,296,100 and authorizes 1,000 additional employes for taking the agricultural census authorized by the law covering the last regular census in 1910. The committee in its report says that this is an extraordinary expenditure, which With Chicago Union will come once every ten years, and mainis materially less than the last appro-

priation. The bill contains the usual pro-Daily Mail from Copenhagen asserts that vision cutting down the mileage allow-. Czoch resident of Prague has been ance of members of congress from 20 cents shot for corresponding with a Czech union in Chicago, which, it is alleged, is carrying on a campaign for the estab-for years and although the committee lishment of an independent kingdom in each year reports the reduction in the bill, it is defeated either on the floor of the

house or in the senate. The committee cut \$102,360 from the estimate of the secretary of commerce for the work of the burden of foreign and domestic commerce, although an increase of \$25,000 over last year's appropriation was allowed for premoting commerce with South and Central American points.

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