RENTALS HOUSES AND COTTAGES. SOUTH.

S. 19774 St., Sr. all med. house, well arranged for renting rooms, close in, \$40. RASP BROS. Douglas 1833. POR RENT—A fine home, all modern; neat and pretty, easily heated ready for tenant; good location; near best car lines. Inquire 712 Fark Ave. H 1241.

6-ROOM cottage; gas, electric lights; near Commercial High school. 122 Call Webster 5376.

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St. mod. 10-room brick house. Hot water heat Inquire T. J. O'Brien. Tel. H. 1094; D. 1216. MISCELLANEOUS.

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HOUSES

Fr.—3304 Davenport St., West Farnam.

Fr.—330 Enimet St., mod ex. heat, \$16.

Fr.—350 Farker St. (colored), mod., \$30.

Fr.—530 So. 21st Ave., modern, \$42.50.

PETERS TRUST CO., DOUG. \$38.—0

.C. Reed Exp. Co. moving storage storage FIREPROOF WAREHOUSE REPARATE, locked rooms, for house-hold goods and pianos; moving, packing and shipping. OMAHA VAN AND STORAGE CO., 506 So. 15th St. Doug. 439.

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Fireproof garage, centrally located, equipped with elevator, stock room, office, steam heat, about \$.000 square feet—will be for rent in a few days. Very reasonable rent. Conrad young, \$22 Brandeis Theater. Doug. 1571. GARAGE.

GARAGES.

REAL ESTATE FARM & RANCH LANDS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Best large body high grade medium priced land in Nebraska: very little money required. C. Bradley, Wol-bach, Neb. BAVE \$3,000. We offer our well improved \$60-acre farm near Naper, Neb., for \$10,000 if sold quick. John D. Isaak, American Falls, Idaho

200 ACRES of southern Texas, Hogg county, clear; for live stock, livery or property in north; same land selling for 550 an acre; will take \$20 an acre in good trade. A. Miller, care Midiand Hotel. WISCONSIN.

UPPER WISCONSIN-Best dairy and general crop state in the union; settlers wanted; lands for sale at low prices on easy terms. Ask for booklet 34 on Wisconsin Central Land Grant. Excellent lands for stock raising. If interested in fruit lands ask for booklet on apple orchards. Address Land and Industrial Dept., Soo Line Railway, Minneapolis, Minn.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HAVE YOU A FARM FOR SALE?
Write a good description of your land and send it to the Sloux City (Ia.) Journal, "Iowa's Most Powerful Want Ad Medium." Twenty-five words every Friday evening, Saturday morning and every Saturday evening and Sunday for one month, giving sixteen ads on twelve different days for \$2; or 50 words, \$4, or 75 words, \$5.

Largest circulation of any lows newspaper; \$50,000 readers daily in four great states.

REAL ESTATE LOANS

Wead, Wead Bldg., 18th & Farnam Sta. CPTY and farm loans, 6, 5%, 6 per cent.
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FARM and city loans at lowest rates. TOLAND & TRUMBULL, 48 Bee Bldg. W. H. Thomas, 28 State Bank Bldg. TO % for loans on best class city residences in amounts £2,000 up, also farm loans. Reasonable commissions. PETERS TRUST CO., 1822 Farnam St. OMAHA homes. East Nebraska farma. O'KEEFE REAL ESTATE CO., 1815 Omaha National. Phone Douglas 2715. MONEY on hand for city and farm loans. H. W. Binder, City National Bank Bldg. 6% CITY LOANS, C. G. Carlberg, 33-

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Quarter section, 4 miles from Center,
Saguache county, Colorado, in the heart
of the San Louis valley; choice land;
clear, with a paid-up water right, to exchange for a good farm in Canada. Address Box 211, Osceola, Ia.

SIX well located houses, located in different parts of the city, consisting of \$, 6 and 7 rooms each, renting for \$158 per month. Will exchange for acreage or good farm land in castern Nebraska or wastern lowa. Total value, \$22,706. Loan, p.300. Equity, \$12,800. E. T. Heyden, 1614 Harney St. Phone Douglas 1606.

WANT AUTO.

Light "6" or "4," late model, for 2 clear Omaha lots; cash value, 5000 each. Address 4109 N. 19th St. Phone Colfax 2834 eveninge, or Doug. 5236 days.

REAL ESTATE-NORTH SIDE 5-R. AND 7 LOTS, only 3 blocks from North Omaha St. car; easy terms, or will exchange clear for other Omaha property. Rasp Bros., 196 McCague Bldg.

REAL ESTATE-INVESTMENTS

24th, Near Farnam Corner-\$12,000 with brick improvements, renting for \$1.200 a year; sure renters. Cheap now and sure to advance in value rapidly. A sure snap. \$5,200 cash required. Glover & Spain

Doug. 2962. 919-30 City Nat. Farnam Street A Growing Street We can offer on this atreet for a short time 100 feet near 31st St. for \$12,500. 136 feet near this, some improvements.

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SAFETY FIRST INVESTMENT.
Choice first mortgages, better than a bank, higher rate and no loss of interest—500 to \$5.00.
W. T. GRAHAM, Bes Bidg.

REAL ESTATE-SUBURBAN

HOUSE and lot, fruit, electric light, water, part payments. Call or write Charles Savell, Raiston, Neb.

Kansas Crop Near Recod, TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 28.—Kansas produced field crops valued at \$34,561,435 in 1915, according to the annual report of J. C. Mohler, accretary of the State Board of Agriculture, issued today. In only one year, 1914, has production been

DEMAND ONLY FAIRLY ACTIVE

OMAHA, December 29, 1915. There was only a fairly active demand in the wheat market today, the better grades of wheat again seiling at unchanged prices, while the off grade wheat soid at fully ic lower.

The corn market was unsettled, corn selling at lower acres the old wellow. selling 3c lower, some of the old yellow selling 3c higher to 2c lower, some of the old yellow selling at 3c higher, while the poorer grades sold 2c lower.

There was only a few sales of tye made, and this cereal sold 1461c higher.

Outs were also down, selling ic to 1715c lower.

There was only a few sales of type made, and this cereal sold 4-691c higher. Oats were also down, selling ic to 1971-c lower.

Sales reported today: Wheat—No. 2 hard winter: 1 car, \$1.094. No. 3 hard winter: 2 cars, \$1.08; 2 cars, \$1.09; 1 car, \$1.09, 5 cars, \$1.0814; 2 cars, \$1.09; 1 car, \$1.00, 5 cars, \$1.0814; 2 cars, \$1.09; 1 car, \$1.06, No. 4 hard winter: 1 car, \$1.06; 2 cars, \$1.09; 1 car, \$1.09; 2 cars, \$1.09; 1 car, \$1.016; 1 car, \$1.01; No. 3 durum: 1 car, \$1.01; 1 car, \$1.01; No. 3 durum: 1 car, \$1.01; 1 car, \$1.01; No. 3 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 3 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 4 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 3 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 4 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 5 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 4 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 5 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 6 mixed: 1 car, \$1.01; No. 6

bu, last year.

Primary oats receipts were 1,247,000 bu, and shipments 885,000 bu, against receipts of 751,000 bu, and shipments of 787,000 bu, last year.

CARLOT RECEIPTS. Wheat, Corn. Oats.
 Chicago
 Wheat.

 290
 280

 Minneapolis
 79

 Duluth
 436

 Omaha
 74

 Kansas City
 167

St. Louis 53 36 12
Winnipeg 53
Omaha Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 hard, \$1.1021.13; No. 3 hard, \$1.00421.08; No. 4 hard, \$1.1021.13; No. 3 hard, \$1.00421.08; No. 2 spring, \$1.0021.10; No. 3 spring, \$1.0021.10; No. 2 durum, \$1.10
Mi.11; No. 3 durum, \$1.00021.08; sample, 750
obc. Corn: No. 3 white, 55006c; No. 4 white, 55006c; No. 5 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 7 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 5 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 5 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 5 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 2 white, 55006c; No. 4 white, 55006c; No. 2 white, 55006c; No. 4 white, 55006c; No. 5 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 5 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; No. 5 white, 55006c; No. 6 white, 55006c; N Article Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y.

Corn Dec. 7267174 May 757464 July 7614 Oats Dec. 43% May. 47@47% Pork Jan. 18 25 18 25 18 25 18 26 18 60 May. 18 85 18 86 18 55 18 57 18 75 Lard Jan. 9 70 9 75 9 6714 9 6714 9 70 May. 10 00 10 06 9 35 9 96 967-100 May. 10 00 10 00 9 9214 9 9214 9 9714 May. 10 2746 10 40 10 25 10 2746 10 25-27

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Despite numerous allies wheat today averaged lower, inluenced largely by a decline at Liverpool. The close was unsetted, varying from 1-to-fit to 5c up, with May at \$1.24501.35, and July, \$1.575, Corn gained 1-255c and ats, 1-556c, in provisions the outcome anged from 25c decline to a shade advance. caused one of the temporary rallies in wheat. Another trans'est was turning out better than expected.

Bush Another trans'est was the assessment of the temporary rallies in wheat appeared to regard the setback shown by Liverpool quotations as decidedly significant. In this connection a leading authority said that United States exports up to January I would be 50,000,000 bushels less than at the corresponding time last year, whereas the primary arrivais had overtaken those of a year ago, and the outlook wos for a steady increase of the domestic visible supply total. There were advices also that the Argentine harvest was turning out better than expected.

Buillish crop estimates from Kansas caused one of the temporary rallies in wheat. Another trans'ent upturn was more or less lowered by news that an embargo on shipments of grain to Philadelphia had not been removed.

Notwithstanding that corn at times showed sympathy with the wheat weakness, prices during the greater part of the day were inclined to advance. Higher cable quotations tended to help the buils and so, too, did diminished estimates of the Kansas crop.

Oats were dominated by the strength of corn.

Packers' selling more than counterbal-

Packers' selling more than counterbal-anced in the provisions market the ef-fect of a falling off in slaughterings of LEGAL NOTICES

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LEGAL NOTICE,

To the Stockholders of The Conservative Savings & Loan Association of Omaha, Nebraska:

As provided in Section 1 of Article 1 of the By-Laws of said Association, you are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Conservative Bavings & Loan Association of Omaha, Nebraska, will be held January 10, 1916, at the office of said Association in the Conservative building, No, 1614 Harney Street, Omaha, Nebraska, for the purpose of electing three directors for a term of five years, to receive the reports of the officers and directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

The polls will be open for the recent

business as may properly come before
the meeting.
The polls will be open for the reception of ballots for the election of directors from 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock p. m. of
said date, and the business meeting of
the stockholders will immediately follow
the closing of the polls.
The Conservative Savings & Loan Association of Omaha, Nebraska,
By Geo. F. Gilmore, President,
Attest: Paul W. Kunns, Secretary,
Omaha, Nebraska, December 27, 1815,
D-37d5t.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETI. G.
The Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the HASTINGS AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY, for the election of seven Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of A. L. Mohler, corner of 15th and Dodge Streets, Omaha, Nebraska, on Monday, the 3rd day of January. A. D. 1516, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The Union Land Company.
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE UNION LAND COMPANY.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Union Land Company will be held at the office of the Company in Omaha.
Neb. on January 19th, 18ts, at 10 o clock Neb. on January 19th, 18ts, at 10 o clock A. M., for the election of five directors, and for the transaction of such business as may legally come before the meeting.

ALEX. MILLAR, Secretary.
D.20d.39t.

PUBLIC OPTIMISM AND THE PUBLIC'S STOCKS. An article in the December 15th issue of THE ODD LOT HEVIEW if a year Published by John Muir & Co. 41 Hroadway New York City. Send for sample copy.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET hogs Pork showed greater weakness than Better Grades of Wheat Sell at Unchanged Prices, While Poorer Grades Fall a Cent.

Changed Prices, While Poorer Grades Fall a Cent.

Chicago Cash Prices Wheat No. 2 red. 11.184; No. 2 hard. 11.184; No. 2 hard. 11.184; No. 2 hard. 11.184; No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, 65% No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 5 red. 11.184; No. 2 hard. 11.184; No BUTTER-Unsettled; creamery, 2340

Sec. EGGS—Unsettled; receipts 1,415 cases; firsts, 25427c; ordinary firsts, 25425c; at mark, cases included, 12627c.
POTATOES—Higher; receipts, 17 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin whites, 83620c; Minnesota and Dakota whites, 83630c; Minnesota and Dakota whites, 83630c; POULTRY—Alive, higher; fowis, 15c; springs, 179c; turkeys, 16c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET Quotations of the Day on Various

Commodities. NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—FLOUR—Quiet. WHEAT—Spot, weak; No. 1 durum. \$1.37 f. o. b. New York; No. 1 northern Duluth, \$1.29, and No. 1 northern Manitoba, \$1.284 c. i. f. Buffalo. Futures, weak; December, \$1.294 CORN—Spot, steady; No. 2 yellow, Sc prompt. prompt.
OATS-Spot, quiet.
HAY-Stendy; No. 1, \$1.20@1.25; No. 2, HAY-Stendy; No. 3, %cc@1.07%; shipping, \$5

| 1.074@3 | 15. No. 2, Sec. | 10.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 2.15 | 090c. HOPS—Easy; state, common to choice. 1915, 16925c; 1914, 5690c; Pacific coast, 1915, 111 18c; 1914 8610c. HIDES—Steady; Bogota, 30631c; Central

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

POULTRY—Alive: Turkeys, any size over 7 lbs. 17c; broflers. 154,251;c; springs. 11c; ducks. 16c; geese, 16c; hens, 9601c; young giunea hens, each, 35c; roosters, 8c. OYSTERS—Chesaceaks, standards, bergallon, \$1.40; standards, \$1.25; selects, \$1.50; northern, standards, \$1.26; selects, \$1.50; northern, standards, \$1.96. Northern, small cans, 140,25c; large cans, 256,45c, Chesapeake, small cans, 250,75c; large cans, 356,55c. FISH-Hallbut, 11½c; salmon, fresh pink, Fig. 1. Action 1. 12 c. salmon, fresh pink, Sc. fresh red. 12 c. action. fresh, Sc. trout, fresh, 18c; white fish, fresh, 30c; red snapper, fresh, 18c; catfut, fromen, 12c; smeits, fromen, 10-lb. coxes, \$1.25; amoked white fish, 18c; kippered salmon, 18c.

SMOKED FISH—White. 10-lb. baskets, per lb., 14c.
KIPPERED FISH—Salmon. 10-lb. baskets, per lb., 17c.
Prices of beef cuts: No. 1 ribs, 18%c; No. 2 ribs, 18%c; No. 3 ribs, 12%c; No. 1 loins, 20%c; No. 2 loins, 18c; No. 3 loins, 14c; No. 1 chucks, 9c; No. 2 chucks, 8%c; No. 2 chucks, 8%c; No. 2 rounds, 12%c; No. 2 rounds, 12%c; No. 2 rounds, 12%c; No. 3 plates, 8%c; No. 3 plates, 7c.

No. 1 plates, 8%c; No. 2 plates, 8%c; No. 3 plates, 7c.

CELERY—Mammoth, per doz., 80690c.

BEEF CUTS—Ribs: No. 1, 19%c; No. 2, 18%c; No. 3, 12%c. Loins: No. 1, 11%c; No. 2, 18%c; No. 3, 12%c. Loins: No. 1, 11%c; No. 2, 18c; No. 3, 9c. Rounds: No. 1, 14c; No. 2, 9c; No. 3, 9c. Rounds: No. 1, 14c; No. 2, 9c; No. 3, 12c. Plates: No. 1, 1%c; No. 2, 9c; No. 3, 8c.

LIVE POULTRY—Broners, 1% to 1% ibs., 18c; springs, any size, 12%c; ducks, picked, 4c price, but not wanted, 18c; hens. ever 4 ibs. per ib., 11%c; roosters, 1%c. Turkeys, 17c; old Toms, 18c; under 8 ibs., 8c; less than 5 ibs. each not wanted. Gene, full feathered and fat, 8c; picked, 4c price, but not wanted. Guineas, each, 15c; young, 1 to 1% ibs. each, 36c. Hotner squabs, 14 os, and ever, 8 oz., 31.50; under 8 oz, 50c. Pigeons, any kind, per dox, 60c.
Star Brand—Ben Davis, 42.75 per barrel; 12.00; 10 to 12 oz, 12.00; No. 1, must weigh Willow Twigs, 32.56 per barrel; Winosaps, 83.50 per barrel; Sheid Brand—Biack Twigs, 33.50 per barrel.

St. Der barrer: Jonathans. 35.50 per barrer.

Bheid Brand-Black Twigs. 35.50 per barrer. Black Twigs. commercial brand. 35.50 per barrer. Ben Davis, Illinois. 35.15 per barrer. Ben Davis, Illinois. 35.15 per barrer. Butter. Ben Davis, Illinois. 35.15 per barrer. Butter. Ben Davis, Illinois. 35.15 per barrer. Butter. Best creamery. Det. 20cc. 25.50 per barrer. Butter. Best creamery. Det. 20cc. Butter. Best creamery. Det. 20cc. CHEESE - Imported Swiss. 46cc. domestic. 30c; block. 24cc; twins. Bect. daisy, 194cc; triplets, 194cc; twins. 19cc. daisy, 194cc; triplets, 194cc; twins. 19cc. and 70cs. 20cc. New York white. 20cc imported French Rocquefort. 48c. FRUITS-Navai oranges. extra fancy. 126s. 28cs. and 26s. 21.56 box; extra fancy California navels. 15cs. 15cs box; 46s, 34.00 box; 54s, 34.25 box; 54s, 59s, 54.00 box.

LEMONS—Extra fancy California Sunkist lemons, 350s, 360s, 35.00 box; extra fancy California Sunkist lemons, 350s, 360s, 45.00 box; extra fancy California Red Hall lemons, 34.50 box; extra fancy Florida limes, 31.5052.00 basket.

SUNKIST—Naveis: 50s, 36s and 109s, 32.5; 150s, 23.50 and 324s, 31.25; 150s, \$3.50, 176s, 30s, 216s and 250s, 34.60.

GRAPES—Uncle Bam brand, clusters, 34.50 per bbl. Catawbas, 18c basket.

CRANBERRIES—Jersey Bell, late Howes, 31.50; cranberries, 42.75 box.

PEARLY—Exclusive lancy Winter Nellies (small sizes), 32.50 box.

CIDER—New York Mott's Sweet (very best grade), 32.75 box.

Nehawka, 33.35 keg.

SWEET—POTATOES—Market strong

best grade), \$1.75 keg; Nebraska Ne-hawka, \$3.35 keg. SWEET POTATOES—Market strong and advancing; extra fancy California Jersey (about 100-ib. crates), \$3.00 crate; extra fancy California Jersey, \$1.50 hamper.
POTATOKS-Colorado white, 75c bu.;
Hed River Ohlos, 85c bu.
ONIONS-Yellow, 2c ib.; Red Globe, 2c ib.; Spanish (imported Bermudas), \$1.65

ib.; Spanish (imported Bermudas), \$1.66
Crate.

NUTS-No. 1 walnuts, 184c lb.; blk.
walnuts, 2c lb.; blckory, 4c lb.; filberts,
isc lb.; pecans, 124c lb.; Brazils, 15c lb;
almonds, 15c lb.

MISCELLANEOUS-Crackeriack, \$1.56
case; crackeriack, one-half case, \$1.75;
case; fard dates, 124c lb.; salted poanuts,
\$1.56 case, popcorn, 40, 1 lb. package, \$2.50
case; cornpops, \$2.25 case; cornpops, 52.25 case; cornpops, 52.55
box. Honey, \$3.75 case. Alriine, 1 doz. 4
oz. \$1.50 case. Cider: Motts, \$3.75 keg;
Motts, one-half bbl., \$7.26 bbl.; Nehawka,
\$1.25 keg. Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

Omaha Hay Market. Omaha Hay Market.

HAY—Prairie, choice upland, \$10.009
10.50, must be extra choice to bring \$10.50;
No. 1, \$8.00910.00; No. 2, \$7.0098.00; No. 3,
\$5.0097.00; choice midiand, \$9.50976.00; No. 1,
\$8.0090.00; No. 2, \$8.0098.00; No. 3, \$6.00
98.00; choice lowland, \$8.0099.00; No. 1,
\$7.0095.00; No. 2, \$8.007.00; No. 8, \$4.0095.00;
BTRAW—Wheat, \$5.0096.50; choice oat
or ryc, \$6.0096.50.

ALFALFA—Choice, \$12.50918.50; No. 1,
\$11.50912.50; No. 2, \$9.00911.00; No. 2, \$7.009

Minneapolls Grain Market. MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 23.—WHEAT—December, \$1.194; May, \$1.294; No. 4 hard, \$1.254; No. 1 horthern, \$1.194;91.294; No. 2 horthern, \$1.194;91.174; BARLEY-61668c.

HRAN-\$ 80 918.50. CORN-NSo. 2 yellow, 77678c, OATS-No. 2 white, 41% 1/42c, FLAX-\$1.1095.16.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Receipts Moderate and Prices
Steady to Strong—Sheep Ten
to Fifteen Lower.

HOGS SLOW AND FIVE LOWER

COMAHA, December 20, 1915.

Receipts were: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.
Cofficial Monday ... 4,507 1,502 4,507 1,502 1,50

Illinois Central. Chicago Gt. Western.... Total receipts. DISPOSITION Morris & Co.

Swift & Co.

Cudahy Packing Co.

Armour & Co.

Schwartz & Co.

J. W. Murphy

Lincoln Packing Co.

So. Omaha Packing Co.

W. B. Vansant Co.

Hill & Son. Mo. & Kan. Calf Co.... Christie Higgins Glassberg Baker, Jones & Smith. Banner Bros.

Banner Bros. 53
John Harvey 57
Dennis & Francis 9
Kline 92
Jensen & Londgren 20
Other buyers 508

Stockers and feeders were in light sup-ply and for that reason commanded good firm prices.

Quotations on Cattle—Good to choice Quotations on Cattle—Good to choice yearlings, \$8.2569.25; good to choice beeves, \$7.5068.25; fair to good beeves, \$6.7567.40; common to fair beeves, \$5.7566.50; good to choice grass heifers, \$5.7566.50; good to choice grass cows, \$5.2566.50; fair to good cows, \$4.5065.25; common to fair cows, \$3.5064.50; good to choice feeders, \$6.0037.15; fair to good feeders, \$6.0036.50; good to choice stockers, \$6.0036.50; stock heifers, \$5.256.00; stockers, \$6.0036.00; stock heifers, \$5.256.00; stock cows, \$4.506.52; stock calves, \$6.0037.25; veal calves, \$7.0039.50; buils, stags, etc., \$3.7506.25; httpresentative sales;

BEEF STEERS.

had been cleaned up on a large basis.

Late rounds were, however, very dail and weak on the commoner sorts of light and mixed hogs, and some of the good lights that failed to sell early got pinched a little. Closing prices were generally a dime lower, and some sellers thought them even more than that. A pretty fair clearance was made by noon but even then there were still several loads of underweights still in first hands at middle.

SHEEP-Receipts assumed more liberal

SHEEP—Receipts assumed more liberal proportions this morning, some forty-sever loads, or 10,000 head, being reported in Total for the first half of the week, 20,041 head, being 11,000 head smaller than last week, over 15,000 head smaller than lest week ago and smaller even than last year by about 7,000 head. Receipts the last three days are smaller than for any similar period in a long time.

Lamb trade opened of pretty slow, and packers with more liberal supplies at their diaposal announced their intention of trimming values a little. Sellers bucked the decline for a while, but when the offerings finally started to move it was at prices that were anywhere from a dime to 15c below the high point yesterday. Shippers paid a top of \$2.00 for one

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Cattle firm, Hogs Strong, Sheep Wenk. CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 18,000 head; market, firm; native beef steers, \$6,3569,75; western steers, \$6,305,510; caws and heifers, \$2,8068,40; calves, \$6,78800,789

\$6,75gg0.50.

HOGS-Receipts, 44,600 head; market, strong and unchanged to be higher bulk, \$6,209.6.5; mixed, \$6,209.6.70; heavy, \$6,209.6.70; rough, \$6,209.6.30; p.gs., \$6,009.6.10.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. ceipts, 3,800 head; market, steady, native beef steers, \$7,5009.50; yearling steers and heifers, \$8,5009.50; cows, \$8,5009.00; stocks, ers and feeders, \$8,0009.50; and heifers, \$4,0008.50; hative crives, \$6,0009.50; hitcher; pigs and lights, \$6,7508.70; mixed and butchers, \$6,0008.50; stocks, higher; pigs and lights, \$6,7508.70; mixed and butchers, \$6,0008.50; stocks, higher and lights, \$6,7508.70; mixed and butchers, \$6,0008.50; stocks, higher and lights, \$6,7508.70; mixed and butchers, \$6,0008.50; stocks, higher and lights, \$6,0008.50; stocks, higher and lights, \$6,0008.50; stocks, higher and steers, \$6,0009.50; cheape and ewes, \$6,5008.50; stocks, higher and feeders, \$6,0008.50; cheaped beef steers, \$6,0008.50; cheaped steers, St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3.800 head; market, steady; native heef steers, \$7.5009.50; yearling steers and helfers, \$8.5009.50; cows, \$5.5009.50; stock, ers and feeders, \$6.009.7.5; southern steers, \$5.25008.50; cows and helfers, \$4.0008.50; native caives, \$6.009.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 6.500 head; market, higher; pigs and lights, \$5.7500.70; mixed and butchers, \$6.4008.90; good heavy, \$6.76

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,300 head; market steady; prime fed steers, 18,0009.50; dressed beef steers, 18,0009.50; dressed beef steers, 18,0009.50; western steers, 36,0008.26; stockers and feeders, 35,0008.00; bulls, 35,000 f.25; calves, 16,0009.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,500 head; market, higher; bulk of sales, 36,3508.66; heavy, 36,0006.70; packers and butchers, 36,4606.70; light, 18,2500.56; pigs, 35,000.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,800 head; market lower; lambs, 38,500.9.30; yearlings, 37,00096.00; wethers, 36,0006.55; ewes, 35,3506.25.

Sloux City Live Stock Market. Sloux City Live Stock Market.
SIOUX CITY, Ia. Dec. 29.—CATTLE—
Receipts, 1,500 head; market, steady; native steers, 35.2507.50; butchers, 34.5009
6.50; cows and helfors, 34.6008.20; canners, 33.50094.25; stockers and feeders, 36.2509
6.90; bul's, stags, etc., 34.7506.00,
HOGS-Receipts, 11,000 head; market, steady; heavy, 38.3506.45; mixed, 32.509
6.35; light, 35.90091.25; bulk of sales, 36.25
68.40.
SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 1,500
head; market 10015c higher; lambs, 37.60
69.15.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. St. Joseph Live Stock Market.
ST. JOSEPH. Dec. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts. 1,500 head; market steady; steers, 18,5000.00; cows and helfers. 34.0008.50; chives. 16,0009.25.
HOGS—Receipts. 12,000 head; market lower; bulk of sales, 26,4000.55.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,000 head; market steady; lambs, 38,5000.45.

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Coffee Market.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29,—The market for ceffee futures was easter today under a renewal of near month liquidation which appeared to be inspired by the droulation of a few January notices. The market opened at a decline of 2 to 4 points, with September easter at the start under a little solling by brokers credited with buying recently for European account and later sold off to 6.80c for January, 6.50c for March and 8.93c for September. The close was 2 to 14 points net lower. Sales including exchanges from from December and March to later deliveries were 22.250 hars. Closing bids. December, 8.90c; July, 8.83c; August, 8.80c; September, 6.80c; July, 8.83c; August, 8.80c; September, 6.80c; July, 8.83c; August, 8.80c; September, 6.80c; October, 6.70c; November, 7.01c.

Set, dull; SRio 7s, 7%c; Santos is, 9c. Cost and freight offers were reported somewhat more numerous with quotations ranging from about 8.80c; to 9.0%c for Santos is, English credits.

The official cables reported no change in Milrels prices with Rio exchange on London 11-16d lower.

Cotton Market.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—COTTON—Spot. Quiet: middling uplands, 12.00c. Sales, 42 bales.

Futures opened steady; January, 12.16c; March, 12.30c; May, 12.62c; July, 12.75c; October, 12.6c.

Putures closed barely steady; January, 11.96c; March, 12.22c; May, 12.66c; July, 12.61c; October, 12.26c.

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Cotton closed barely steady today at a net lose of 17 to 22 points.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 28.—COTTON—Spot, steady; good middling, 8.15d; middling, 7.82d; low middling, 7.38d; sales, 8.000 hales. Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28, METALS—Lead offered, \$6.40. Spelter not usoted. Copper firm; electrolytic, \$22,008(2.00. Iron, ateady and unchanged. Tin, firm; spot, \$79.50, bid. At London: Spot copper, £85.17s. 6d; futures. £86; electrolytic, £168. Spot tin. £187.5s; futures. £158 fs. Antimony, £135. Lead, £20 16s. 6d; spelter, £90. St. Louis Grain Market,

ST. LOUIS. Dec. 29 -WHEAT-No. 2 red. \$1.20; No. 2 hard, \$1.18%; December, \$1.15%; May, \$1.20%.
CORN-No. 2, Tie; No. 2 white, 72c; December, 134c; May, \$14.674%; OATS-No. 2, 41c; No. 2 white, nominal. Sugar Market,

NEW YORK, Dec. 2-SUGAR-Raw, easy; centrifugal, 4-294.5c; molasses, 2-893.8ic. Refined, dull. Sugar futures opened firmer today on commission hruse buying. At noon prices were 4 to 12 points bigher.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 29 -- WHEAT-Spot, No. 1 Manitoba, 13s 2d; No. 2 not austed; No. 3, 12s 5d; No. 2 hard winter, 12s 5d. CORN-Spot American mixed, new, bs

Dry Goods Market. NEW YORK, Dec. 28 - DRY GOODS-Cotton goods strong today. Tarns, firm today. Burlap sold at record prices in carload lots. Knit goods, very firm. Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Dull. DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, unsettled; apricots and peaches, firm; raisins, dull.

London Stock Market. LONDON, Dec. 28.—Anaconda responded to the increased dividend in the Ameri-can section of the stock market today, but the rest of the list was dull, and only a few transactions were made at easier

new minimum. Sales of this issue aggregated \$2,000,000.

Demand bills on London rose to 473%, with steadiness in france, but Austrian and Russian remittances again approached lowest rates quoted since the

on call.

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Washington Affairs

Investigations to determine the cause of soaring gasoline prices will be conducted simultaneously by two government agencies. Federal trade commission investigations are at work and Department of Justice officials are considering undertaking an inquiry.

At the night session of the convention of the American Association of Labor legislation, the retiring president, Henry Seager of Columbia university, delivered his annual address. He urged that social industrial and political preparedness should come before military preparedness.

The Interstate Commerce commission

AUSTRIAN COLORS

Underwater Boat Sinking French

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Increased activity over the foreign situation, particularly the Austrian outlook and the acoute political conditions in Great Britain, together with a new low quantation for the Angio-French bonds, served as a check to speculation today. Trading suffered some curtailment also as a result of the storm which interrupted communication with this center.

Adverse developments were parity nullified, however, by others of a highly constructive character, such as additional record-breaking November railways earnings, the further strength of exchange on London, heavy buying of equipment by the railways and the optimistic forecast of steel trade authorities.

Hoaviness prevailed at the opening of the market followed by apagmodic railies in which specialties were most conspiration. United States Steel and leading rails inclined to lower levels. St. Paul proving the most notable exception on its rise of 1% to 1%, prior to the publication of November carnings disclosing a net increase of \$2,00,000. Canadian Pacific was unresponsive to that road's remarking the angion of November carnings disclosing a net increase of \$2,00,000. Canadian Pacific was unresponsive to that road's remarking the most increase of \$2,00,000. Canadian Pacific was unresponsive to that road's remarking the exhibit, a net gain of \$2,00,000 but Sirie first and second preferred hardened on announcement of the terms of the new convertible bond issue. Specialties is a first and second preferred hardened on announcement of the terms of the selling. There were on board 255 passengers. For the most part French, amons when it of 40,000 shares.

The fall in Anglo-French is to the new looking the explosion there was a terrible in-rush of water through a big to fit and Bethlehon and an umber of women, and thirteen officers and a crew of 163, the sailors being chiefly lascars. In the stern, yet there was no panic. The passengers gathered on deck, showing the additional and all in it were drowned and another the political proposed and another thro

loaded with women and children capsised and all in it were drowned and another boat was smashed against the steamer's nide.

war.

Bonds as a whole reflected the heaviness of the Anglo-French leave. Total sales, par value, agregated \$4,60,000.

United States bonds were unchanged which a majority of the deaths were due, and the control of t Greek steamer were in eight just previous to the torpedoing and therefore they believe that one of them sheltered the submarine. The steamers disappeared after

the tornedoing. "The submarine, according to the accounts of these passengers, remained on the scene until the torpedoed vessel sank and then circled around the lifeboats calling in a jeering manner, There is a British steamer behind you; she will

pick you up.' Picked Up Survivors. "Two hours later the steamer Meros picked up the survivors and brought them to Malta, although it had insufficient food and accommodations for 23 extra passengers. "Among the lost were six first class

and twenty-nine steerage passengers, including some Senegalese, and twenty-two white and twenty-three Lascars, mem bers of the crew. "One survivor relates that the submarine picked up two persons struggling

in the water and placed them on a raft." Berlin Not Informed. BERLIN, (Via London), Dec. 28.-The German admiralty has no information of the sinking of the French steamer Ville de La Ciotat in the Mediterranean.

French Mothers Cry

Not for Slain Sons,
But for Vengeance

PARIS, Dec. 25.—Upon request of General Gallieni. French war minister, the senate today passed a bill approving the action of the Chamber of Deputies in giving the war minister the 1917 class of recruits for January 5.

Prolonged applause greetes the address of the war minister in which he said:

"Eighteen months ago France wanted peace. Today she wants war most energetically and to that ene will use all her resources.

"Whoever says a word of peace in the

"Whoever says a word of peace in the streets is considered a bad citizen. Mothers are not mourning for lost sons; they want them avenged. The 1917 class will leave with the assent of the nation. It demands that those charged with the duty receive and instruct these young men and prepare them for the great contest, which will not end before France, in accord with her allies, says: Til stop! I have attained what I wanted; I resume my work of peace!" " Redoubled applause interspersed with

shouts of "excellent" came from the entire senate, which arose as a mark of

Powerful Motor Car Wrecks Garage

HARTINGTON, Neb., Dec. 28.-(Special.)-While the sixty-horse-power automobile of Adam Waldschmitt was being cleaned in a garage here today in some way the gear was shifted to reverse and the clutch engaged so that the powerful car got away and shot backward at full speed out of the front of the building.
It completely demolished the front of the garage, tore across the street, leaped about two feet up onto the pavement and was only stopped by the solid brick wall of the Richards photograph gallery. The car was quite badly damaged, but not ody was injured.

No Owl Cars After The State Goes Dry

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec., 28.-Beginning Sunday night, two nights after statewide prohibition becomes effective, atreet cars will not run after midnight, according to announcements made today by the street car companies. Officials of the companies stated that a majority of the passengers of after midnight cars were patrons of saloons.

TRAINING SCHEDULE FOR THE GIANTS ANNOUNCED

NEW YORK, Dec. 29 .- The New York National league club today issued its the following games: the following games:

March 11 and 12, Dallas, Tex.; March 18, Galveston, Tex.; March 19, Houston, Tex.; March 19, Houston, Tex.; March 23 and 24, Detroit Americans in Dallas, Tex.; March 21, Houston, Tex.; April 1, Beaumont, Tex.; April 2, Detroit Americans in Houston, Tex.; April 2, Louisians State University at Baton Rouge, La.; April 4, New Orleans, La.; April 5, Chattanooga, Tenn.; April 7, 5 and 10, New York Americans on Pologrounds; April 11, Yale on Pologrounds.

TAFT FAVORS WAR DRILL FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 28,- Former Presi hut the rest of the list was duil, and only a few transactions were made at easier prices.

The Interstate Commerce commission dent William H. Taft, who spoke on directed the Missouri Facific and other ratiways to put in effect class rates from St. Paul to Denver and points in Colorado taking the same rates, not higher than those contemporaneously in the corresponding day last year \$2,88,-86, and for the corresponding day last year \$2,88,-13,88,-14, and for the corresponding day last year \$2,88,-14, and for the correspondin dent William H. Taft, who spoke on "College Athletics," at the annual con-vention of the National Collegiate Ath-letic association in this city tonight, de-