Nebraska News Nubbins

FALLS CITY—Falls City home talent will fill the radio program of WOAW at Omaha on January 24, according to an announcement by the local Chamber of Commerce, which is sponsoring the affair. The Rotary boys' band of 40 pieces probably will provide the feature numbers. A committee now is at work arranging the program.

RED CLOUD—The Garfield Community church recently held its election of officers for the coming year, the following being elected: clerk, Mrs. N. P. Campbell; treasurer, Jasper Smith; finance secretary, Frank Alles; chorister, L. A. Wagoner; assistant chorister, Zelma Blickenstaff; pianist, Mrs. I. B. Wagoner, and assistant pianist, Irene Drake.

FRANKLIN—District Judge W. A. Dillworth and Court Reporter D. E. Baird are here on the third week of the grind in an attempt to clean up the jury trials carried over from the October term of district court. In the case of the Riverton State bank against E. L. Walker, suit on renewal of a note given for Missouri Valley Cattle Loan company stock, the verdict was for the defendant. In the case of State against Rehn, charged with wife and child desertion, a demurrer was sustained that the complaint was faulty. The defendant took french leave before a new complaint could be filed and he is now a fugitive from justice.

BROKEN BOW—Mrs. Henry Possehl of this city was badly scalded when a coffee urn she was placing on a china cabinet tipped in such a manner as to throw a large quantity of boiling coffee over her breast, shoulders and arms.

BEATRICE — Herbert Borscher, Lewiston, who was injured severely when his car turned over on the highway east of Virginia, is recovering from his injuries at a hospital here. He suffered a broken collar bone and internal injuries.

BEATRICE—At the annual meeting of the Gage County Red Cross chapter, Dr. J. C. Tucker was elected chairman. Other officers named were Mrs. W. H. Caman, first vice chairman; Mrs. W. H. Davison of Blue Springs, second vice chairman; Mrs. Edith Phillips, secretary; Mrs. Thomas Stubbs, treasurer. The resignation of Miss Florence Dohner, executive secretary, was received and adopted. According to the annual report, Miss Dohner has done excellent work during the past year.

ALBION—Gambling of any kind, including slot machines, punch boards and other devices, are taboo in Albion since Wednesday of this week. The mayor, backed up by the city attorney, ordered the chief of police to give warning to all that the lid was on at once.

BEATRICE—Amos Kaiser, Beatrice boy who has been assigned to duty on the United States battleship Texas for some time, writes to friends here that he is in the naval hospital at Mare Island, Cal., suffering from a badly crushed knee. He states that he is recovering and expects to return to the Texas in a short time.

BEATRICE—Paul Williams, late of the Brandeis store at Omaha, has arrived in the city to assist Dudley Scott in the management of the Scott Furniture company store here. His family will move to Beatrice next week.

BEATRICE—Mrs. Henry Hansgren, jr., resident of Plymouth, west of here, suffered a stroke of paralysis, and was brought to a Beatrice hospital in a serious condition. Her left side is entirely paralyzed, and, while she is very low, hopes are held out for her recovery.

HUMBOLDT — The funeral of Daniel Keedwell, 80, a former resident of this city, was held Wednesday from the Presbyterian church, with the Rev. W. H. E. Strate officiating. The burial was conducted by members of the Humboldt Lodge, of which Mr. Keedwell was a member.

TABLE ROCK—A. N. Aylor, proprietor of a billiard and pool hall for several years, has sold the business to Gus Metzner of Falls City.

HUMBOLDT—The Humboldt contingent of the Mistic Shrine will sponsor the annual municipal Christmas tree on Christmas eve. The Chamber of Commerce will co-operate.

Speeders Raise Christmas Fund for Chicago Wards

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Fifteen hundred dollars for Christmas presents to children, wards of the municipal court of domestic relations, is being raised in a large measure through the contributions of defendants in speeders' court. The judges began collecting the contributions Monday, when 300 cases were heard. Today 741 cases were set for trial.

John Barleycorn Solves High Price of Beer Problem

Munich, Bavaria, Dec. 14.—John Barleycorn will not be outdone in Bavaria by the high price of beer and the scarcity of money. Peasants who cannot afford to pay marks for beer have arranged with village saloonkeepers to open barley accounts. A peasant deposits a centner (that is 110 pounds) of barley with the barkeeper and gets credit for 35 liters of beer.

Beatrice Officials Seek Two on Bad Check Deals

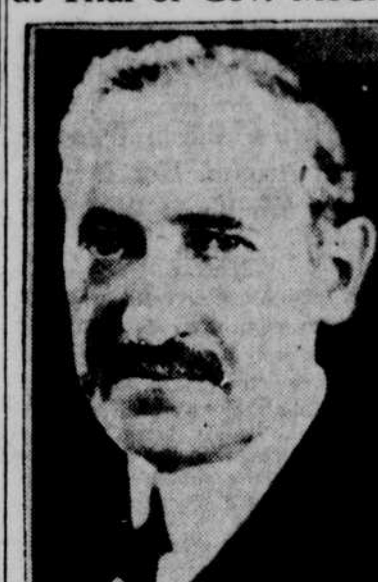
Beatrice, Neb., Dec. 14.—Authorities are looking for Mrs. Ira Ralston, who with her husband is charged with victimizing two merchants at Filley for about $100 by writing bad checks, buying goods and receiving the cash in return. They worked under the guise of farmers. A complaint was filed here today against the woman.

New York Law Firm May Aid Ex-Governor Walton

By Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 14.—Counsel representing Governor Walton of Oklahoma, recently deposed in impeachment proceedings, have approached a New York law firm with a view of seeking a review of the impeachment trial before the supreme court of the United States.

Judge Chosen to Preside at Trial of Gov. McCray



Judge James M. Collins of the Marion county, (Indiana) criminal court, will preside at the trial in January of Warren T. McCray, governor of Indiana, on eight indictments charging embezzlement, forgery and larceny in connection with his $3,000,000 financial collapse. Included in the charges are more than $150,000 of state funds. McCray claims his break is due to shattered agricultural conditions.

Women to Head County Officers

Officers of president, vice president and secretary-treasurer of the association of county clerks and registers of deeds were given to women at the election Thursday, the third and final day of their 29th annual convention, held at the Rome hotel.

The office of president went to Clara S. Jensen, St. Paul, of vice president to Maude E. Gillespie, Rushville, and that of secretary and treasurer went to Madge Disbrow, Beaver City.

The association of Nebraska county clerks and registers of deeds has been in convention since Tuesday. The election of officers closed all official business of the gathering.

Widow of Richard Croker Reported in Need of Cash

New York, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Bula Croker, widow of Richard Croker, Tammany chieftain, is in need of ready cash.

This statement was made in surrogate court by Edmond L. Money, who replaced Harold Nathan as Mrs. Croker's counsel, when Nathan raised before the court an objection to the transfer.

Costly litigation involving the estate of her husband has so tied up her funds that Mrs. Croker is unable to obtain $4,000 she owes Nathan, Money said.

Fancy Prices Paid at Columbus Stock Sale

Columbus, Neb., Dec. 14.—Eighty-seven animals were sold at an average price of $105 at the two-day's consignment sale of shorthorn and polled shorthorn cattle which closed at the Columbus stock sales pavilion late yesterday afternoon. Thirty-two bulls brought an average of $124, while the 43 cows maintained an average of $82. The sale, held under the direction of H. C. McKelvie of Lincoln, was one of the most successful purebred cattle sales held in the state thus far this winter.

Committee-at-Large.

George Brandeis, W. C. Frazer, W. F. Baxter and William Holzman were appointed members of the committee at large of the Omaha Welfare federation and Community Chest by the board of governors of the organization at a meeting Thursday afternoon.

Corn Show Is Planned.

Falls City, Neb., Dec. 14.—A county corn show will be held here in conjunction with the annual meeting of the Richardson county farm bureau federation on December 20. Experts from the state college of agriculture will act as judges.

Wool Demand Steady.

Boston, Dec. 14.—The Commercial bulletin of Boston will say tomorrow:

"The demand for wool continues steady and for practically all descriptions. The tendency of prices is against the buyer all the way along from wool to goods and the farther one gets from the raw material the weaker the situation becomes. The American market is sustained at the moment more by the strength of wool abroad than by any encouragement from the goods market here. Nevertheless the manufacturers recognize the growing scarcity of wool and are anticipating their wants to some extent.

"Foreign markets are all exceedingly buoyant and the tendency of values everywhere both on fine and cross breds were distinctly higher, whether in the primary or secondary markets, and even staid Bradford is showing rather a violent speculative tendency.

"In the west buying has slowed down due to the higher prices asked by the growers and local dealers. Purchases recently made show no profit as yet, but were bought in anticipation of a further rise at the seaboard markets.

"Mohair is in moderate request and very firm."

The Commercial Bulletin will publish the following wool quotations tomorrow:

Domestic: Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: delaine, unwashed, 55c; fine unwashed, 48@49c; half blood combings, 55c; ⅜ blood combings, 54@55c.

Michigan and New York fleeces: Delaine unwashed, 53@54c; fine unwashed, 46@47c; half blood unwashed, 53@54c; ⅜ blood unwashed, 54c; ¼ blood unwashed, 50@51c.

Wisconsin, Missouri and average New England: ½ blood, 53c; ⅜ blood, 52@53c; ¼ blood, 49@50c.

Scoured basis:

Texas fine 12 months, $1.25@1.30; fine 8 months, $1.10@1.15.

California northern, $1.25@1.28; middle county, $1.10@1.15; southern, $1.00@1.05.

Oregon: Eastern, No. 1, staple, $1.30@1.33; fine and fine medium combing, $1.20@1.25; eastern clothing, $1.15@1.20; valley, No. 1, $1.18@1.20.

Territory: Montana, fine staple choice, $1.30@1.35; ½ blood combing, $1.20@1.25; ⅜ blood combing, $1.05@1.10; ¼ blood combing, 88@92c.

Pulled: Delaine, $1.30@1.35; A A, $1.25@1.30; A supers, $1.05@1.10.

Mohair: Best combing, 78@83c; best carding, 70@75c.

New York Produce.

New York, Dec. 14.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 5,931.

Eggs—Unsettled; receipts, 11,992; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 50@53c; do firsts, 45@49c; do seconds and poorer, 30@44c; nearby hennery browns, extras, 59@62c; Pacific coast whites, extras, 60@62c.

Cheese—Unsettled; receipts, 87,436; state whole milk, flats, held, fancy to fancy specials, 25@27c, do average run, 23½@24½c.

Turpentine and Rosin.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 14.—Turpentine—Firm; 86½c; sales, 150 bbls.; receipts, 299 bbls.; shipments, 262 bbls.; stock, 14,642 bbls.

Rosin—Firm; sales, 1,025 casks; receipts, 1,161 casks; shipments, 692 casks; stock, 136,978 casks.

Quote: B, D, E, F, G, $4.25; H, $4.27½; I, $4.27½@4.30; K, $4.45@4.50; M, $4.80; N, $4.95@5.00; WG, $5.35@5.45; WW, X, $5.60.

New York Dried Fruit.

New York, Dec. 14.—Evaporated apples neglected. Prunes, nervous; apricots, and peaches, quiet but steady. Raisins, best grades, firm.

Omaha Grain

Total receipts at Omaha were 183 cars against 157 cars last year. Total shipments were 136 cars as compared with 114 cars a year ago.

Demand for grain in the Omaha market was rather slow today. Wheat sold 1 to 2c lower, corn was unchanged to 1c lower, the market being generally lower, oats were unchanged to ¼c higher, generally unchanged. Rye was quoted 1c lower and barley unchanged.

Influenced by heavy rains in Argentina, Liverpool cables were higher and this induced a higher range of values in the Chicago futures market during the early trading. Trade was very light and the market fluctuations narrow. No material pressure was in evidence. Country offerings of corn were light and corn futures were steady at the start. On the advance pressure increased and prices dragged lower all along the line, corn leading the decline with final prices being about the lowest of the day.

MARKET NEWS.

R. O. Cromwell says: Frost left corn in such a condition that rains since November 1 have been condusive to considerable spoilage, especially in down corn. The November report anticipated only shrinkage from reduced water content.

The amounts unfit for feed and other losses bring our November figures at 3,092,000,000 bushels to 3,081,000,000 bushels. We believe this is a conservative estimate. It compared with the last official estimate of 3,029,000,000 bushels.

The government's figures on wheat and oats are not expected to show marked changes in the December revision report to be released Monday, December 17.

Final figures in million bushels for all wheat are 774; oats, 1,311. November finals were wheat, 782; oats, 1,302.

Broomhall says: Argentine corn is being shipped to Belgium and the recent rain has benefited the the new corn. Total shipments this season have exceeded last year's figures by 10,000,000 bushels.

The remaining surplus of corn in the Argentine is smaller than ever before at this time, there being no carry-over from the previous crop.

Modern Miller Corn Outlook says: Winter wheat remains in generally fair condition. Complaints are too scattered to indicate any important injury to the crop as a whole.

Favorable rains have fallen in various portions of the belt covering a wide area, while snowfall in some sections has been even more beneficial. Growth condition in the southwest has been stopped by a reasonable drop in temperature.

Export Demand—Russell's News says: A very dull market in export grains featured the local trade, with overnight business reported flat. Unconfirmed rumors were current of a cargo of wheat having been worked to Lisbon yesterday.

Chicago.—A local operator, in discussing the grain situation, calls attention to the fact that despite the much smaller wheat and rye crops than last year, the price now is much lower than it was at this season a year ago.

In the case of corn, however, the price is practically the same as it was at this season in 1922, in the face of a larger supply. This makes him believe that ultimately corn prices will have to decline.

Omaha Carlot Sales.

WHEAT.

No. 2 hard winter: 4 cars, $1.02; 1 car, $1.04.

No. 3 hard winter: 1 car, $1.04; 2 cars, $1.03; 1 car, 99c.

No. 4 hard winter: 1 car, 98c; 1 car, 96c; 1 car, 95c, 10 per cent damaged.

No. 5 hard winter: 1 car, 92½c.

Sample hard winter: 1 car, 88c; 1 car, 3c, smutty.

No. 1 spring: 1 car, $1.07.

No. 2 spring: 2 cars, $1.07, dark.

No. 3 spring: 1 car, $1.07.

Sample spring: 1 car, 96c.

No. 2 mixed: 1 car, 88½c, durum.

No. 4 mixed: 1 car, 87c, durum.

No. 5 mixed: 1 car, 87c.

Sample mixed: 1 car, 82c, 48.7 lbs.

No. 4 durum: 1 car, 85c.

CORN.

No. 3 white: 2 cars, 64½c.

No. 4 white: 2 cars, 63½c; 2 cars, 62½c; 1 car, 62c.

No. 5 white: 1 car, 60c.

No. 2 yellow: 1 car, 68½c.

No. 3 yellow: 4 cars, 65½c; 2 cars, 64½c.

No. 4 yellow: 1 car (special billing), 62½c; 1 car, 62½c; 10 cars, 62c.

No. 5 yellow: 1 car (9.8 per cent damaged), 63c; 2 cars (9 per cent damaged), 61c.

No. 6 yellow: 1 car, 58c.

No. 3 mixed: 1 car, 64c; 1 car, 65½c.

No. 4 mixed: 1 car (14.6 per cent moisture), 67c; 1 car, 62½c; 4 cars, 62c.

No. 5 mixed: 1 car, 60c.

OATS.

No. 3 white: 3 cars (heat damaged), 41⅜c; 1 car, 42¼c; 12 2-3 cars, 42c.

No. 4 white: 1 car, 41⅜c; 1 car (special billing), 42c; 2 cars (heat damaged), 41¼c.

Sample white: 1 car (16 per cent heat damaged), 39½c; 1 car, 39½c.

RYE.

No. 2: 2 cars, 61c.

BARLEY.

No. 3: 1 car, 58c; 2 1-3 cars, 57½c.

No. 4: 1 car (musty), 56c.

OMAHA RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS. (Carlots.)

Receipts—	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Wheat	44	76	66
Corn	86	82	74
Oats	41	47	32
Rye	6	4	4
Barley	1	10	1

Shipments—	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Wheat	60	47	25
Corn	52	40	50
Oats	19	38	15
Rye	3	8	3
Barley			

PRIMARY RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS (Bushels.)

Receipts:	Today.	W'k Ago.	Y'r Ago.
Wheat	1,045,000	983,000	1,472,000
Corn	1,375,000	1,180,000	1,038,000
Oats	819,000	720,000	533,000
Shipments:			
Wheat	471,000	792,000	677,000
Corn	591,000	530,000	518,000
Oats	577,000	611,000	675,000

EXPORT CLEARANCES.

Bushels:	Today.	Y'r Ago.
Wheat and flour	248,000	475,000
Corn		108,000
Oats		70,000

CHICAGO RECEIPTS

Carlots—	Today	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Wheat	15	14	44
Corn	250	124	311
Oats	70	73	90

KANSAS CITY RECEIPTS

Wheat	201	127	178
Corn	114	81	39
Oats	33	31	15

ST. LOUIS RECEIPTS

Wheat	63	69	79
Corn	59	42	60
Oats	55	35	35

NORTHWESTERN WHEAT RECEIPTS

Minneapolis	246	203	221
Duluth	52	69	96
Winnipeg	1471	1585	592

New York General.

New York, Dec. 14.—Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 1 dark northern spring, c. i. f. New York, domestic, $1.35⅝; No. 2 red winter, c. i. f. New York, domestic, $1.23¼; No. 2 hard winter, f. o. b. New York, $1.20⅝; No. 1 Manitoba, f. o. b. New York, $1.11; No. 2 mixed durum, f. o. b. New York, $1.08⅛.

Corn—Spot, easy; No. 2 yellow and No. 2 white, c. i. f. New York rail, 90½c; No. 2 mixed, c. i. f. New York rail, 89⅝c.

Oats—Spot, easy; No. 2 white, 54½c.

Hay—Irregular; No. 1, $30.00@31.00; No. 2, $27.00@29.00; No. 3, $24.00@26.00.

Lard—Steady; middle west, $13.30@13.40.

Hops—Quiet; state and Pacific coast, 1922's, 22@25c.

Flour—Quiet; spring patents, $6.00@6.50; spring clears, $5.00@5.50; soft winter straights, $4.75@5.00; hard winter straights, $5.50@6.10.

Cornmeal—Market easy; fine white and yellow granulated, $2.15@2.35.

Buckwheat—Dull; milling, $2.15 nominal.

Pork—Steady; mess, $25.50@25.60; family, $30.00.

Tallow—Quiet; special loose, 7½c; extra, 7⅝s.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 14.—Wheat—Cash, No. 1 northern, $1.10⅝@1.12⅝; No. 1 dark northern spring, choice to fancy, $1.17⅝@1.21⅝; good to choice, $1.13⅝@1.16⅝; ordinary to good, $1.11⅝@1.13⅝; December, $1.08⅝; May, $1.11⅝; July, $1.12⅝.

Corn—No. 3 white, 65@63½c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 39⅝@39⅞c.

Barley—47@61c.

Rye—No. 2, 64⅝@65⅝c.

Flaxseed—No. 1, $2.44@2.57.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 14.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.02@1.19; No. 2 red, $1.09@1.10; December, 99c split asked; May, $1.03⅝ split bid; July, $1.01 bid.

Corn—No. 3 white, 66@66½c; No. 2 yellow, 68¼@69c; No. 3 yellow, 67½c; No. 2 mixed, 67½c; December, 66⅝c; May, 68⅝c asked; July, 69⅝c split asked; September, 69⅝c asked.

Hay—50c lower to $1.00 higher; alfalfa, choice, $26.50@27.50; prairie No. 1, $15.00@15.50.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 14.—Close: Wheat—December, $1.06; May, $1.10.

Corn—December, 73½c; May, 73¼@73⅛c.

Oats—December, 43⅝c; May, 47c.

Minneapolis Flour.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 14.—Flour—Market unchanged.

Bran—$26.00@27.00.

New York Coffee.

New York, Dec. 14.—The market for coffee futures opened at a decline of 5 points to an advance of 4 points. There was some further scattering liquidation, but the offerings were light and prices soon rallied on covering for over the weekend which was promoted by the firmer ruling of Rio exchange rates. March advanced from 9.15c to 9.34c and July from 8.33c to 8.52c, with the market closing at net advances of 13 to 19 points. Sales were estimated at about 21,000 bags. December, 10.18c; March, 9.34c; May, 8.68c; July, 8.51c; September, 8.29c; October, 8.25c, and December, 1924, 8.19c.

Spot coffee was reported in fair demand with prices unchanged at 10⅝c to 10⅞c for Rio 7s and 14⅝c to 15⅛c for Santos 4s.

London Metals.

London, Dec. 14.—Standard Copper—Spot, £63 5s; futures, £63.

Electrolytic—Spot, £67 10s; futures, £68.

Tin—Spot, £256 10s; futures, £257 15s.

Lead—Spot, £31 15s; futures, £29 15s.

Zinc—Spot, £32 7s 6d; futures, £32 15s 6d.

Chicago Grain

By CHARLES J. LEYDEN.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Weakness in corn spoiled a promising rally in the wheat pit today and led to a decline for all grain. Responding to bullish news from the Argentine and a "tip" that favorable advices were expected from Washington, wheat worked higher during the early trading. As the session progressed corn became independently weak and bulls in wheat were forced to unload.

Wheat closed ⅝c to ⅞c lower; corn was ⅜ to ⅝c down; oats were ¼ to ⅜c lower, and rye ruled off ⅛c to ¼c.

The feature of the trade in the leading cereal was the free selling by elevator interests who were credited with buying as a spread in the Canadian market. This together with the fact that the new crop deliveries were ruling relatively heavy compared with the December unsettled holders.

Corn was under steady pressure throughout. Selling by a prominent house was credited to eastern account. Buying orders were noticeable on every fraction down, but the selling in the way of liquidation more than filled the demand. The expectations that considerable corn will be delivered on contract by the end of this month has unnerved holders.

Liquidation in oats was forced when other grains developed distinct weakness, and prices dribbled downward.

Rye dropped with other grains. The export demand for this grain continues slow and there is not enough speculative trade to keep the market independently firm.

Provisions were strong early but dropped in sympathy with grains. Lard was 5 to 7½c lower and ribs were 2½ to 5c lower.

Pit Notes.

Cash wheat was again strong in most of the markets. In Chicago premiums on hard grades were advanced 1½c. The demand all around was for choice grades for milling purposes. Kansas City told of an excellent demand, while Minneapolis also advised of a snappy inquiry.

Favorable news regarding the growth of the winter wheat crop is attracting more attention. One authority said that rain and snow had helped the plant. The Oklahoma state report was very optimistic over wheat prospects.

Primary movement of wheat continued below last year's. Bradstreet's report on North American clearances of wheat and flour placed the figures at 8,807,000 bushels, compared with 7,921,000 bushels last year. Indications are that the world shipments of wheat for the week will aggregate approximately 14,000,000 bushels.

Some in the trade claim that the clearances of wheat from the United States represented considerable Canadian wheat, which was brought into this country, ground into flour and shipped out as United States flour. A local expert figures that of the 37,980,000 bushels of wheat cleared from July 1 to November 30, only 6,815,000 bushels represented imported wheat.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

By Updike Grain company. Atlantic 6312.

Art.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Wheat					
Dec.	1.04⅝	1.05	1.03⅝	1.03⅝	1.04⅝
May	1.09¼	1.09½	1.08¼	1.08⅜ 1.08¼	1.09⅞
July	1.07	1.07¼	1.06¼	1.06⅜ 1.06¼	1.07
Rye.					
Dec.	.68	.68⅛	.67½	.67⅝	.68
May	.74⅛	.74⅛	.73⅝	.73⅝	.74
July	.74⅛	.74⅛	.73⅝	.73⅝	.74
Corn					
Dec.	.71⅝	.72	.70⅞	.70⅞ .71	.71⅛
May	.73⅝ .73⅛	.73⅞	.72⅝	.72⅝ .72⅞	.73⅛
July	.74⅝ .74⅛	.74⅞	.74	.74	.74⅝
Oats					
Dec.	.42⅝	.42⅞	.42⅜	.42⅜	.42⅝
May	.46⅛	.46⅛	.45⅜	.45⅝	.45⅞
July	.43⅛	.43⅛	.43⅜	.43⅜	.43⅝
Lard					
Jan.	12.30	12.32	12.15	12.15	12.22
May	12.32	12.32	12.20	12.20	12.27
Ribs					
Jan.	9.77	9.77	9.72	9.72	9.77
May	9.92	9.95	9.87	9.87	9.90

Dun's Review.

New York, Dec. 14.—Dun's tomorrow will say:

It is not the season now for increased operations in other than retail channels, nor for definite indications of the probable future trend of business generally. Activities have centered on meeting holiday demands, which reflect the large public buying power, and some calls for quick shipments of Christmas goods have come to wholesale markets. Yet distribution of heavyweight apparel has been checked in many places by absence of low temperature, with lack of normal snowfall, and more is heard of accumulations of such merchandise. The moderate weather, however, has made possible a continuation of outdoor work for a longer time than usual, giving employment to labor which might otherwise be idle, and the November building statistics show that much construction has been planned. This is one of the strong points of the general situation, but elsewhere in the industrial field a slowing down process is visible.

Weekly bank clearings, $7,207,568,000.

Chicago Stocks.

	Bid.	Asked.
Armour & Co., Ill., pfd.	80	81
Armour & Co., Dela., pfd.	92	92½
Albert Pick	21½	22
Bassick	35⅛	35½
Carbide	56⅛	56½
Com. Edison	127	127½
Continental Motors	6⅞	7
Cudahy	60⅛	61
Dan Boone	33⅛	33½
Diamond Match	119	119½
Deere, pfd.	61⅛	62
Eddy Paper	33⅛	34⅛
Libby	4⅝	4⅞
National Leather	2	2⅛
Quaker Oats	270	280
Reo Motors	16⅛	16⅝
Swift & Co.	100	100¼
Swift Int'l	17⅛	17⅝
Thompson	49⅛	50
Wahl	38⅛	38¾
Wrigley	39⅞	40
Yellow Mfg Co.	96	96½
Yellow Cab	126⅝	127

Chicago Butter.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—There was little change in the market here today excepting some improvement in the demand for miscellaneous lots of butter scoring 90 or better, particularly whole milks.

On the whole, demand continues light and while supplies were not liberal, the tone of the market remains unsettled. The supply of cars was light but demand was also limited. Buyers were showing a preference for whole milk and were usually willing to pay premiums of half a cent to one cent.

Fresh butter: 92 score, 53c; 91 score, 52c; 90 score, 49½c; 89 score, 47½c; 88 score, 45½c; 87 score, 44c; 86 score, 43c.

Centralized car lots: 90 score, 49½c; 89 score, 46½c; 88 score, 44½c@45c.

New York Dry Goods.

New York, Dec. 14.—The cotton goods markets were firm and quiet today, traders being unwilling to make commitments at higher prices for the time being. Yarns again advanced. Burlaps were steadier. More raw silk buying was reported. Jobbers were doing a light spot business as retailers were busy with the holiday trade. Silks sold well for holiday purposes. Wool markets ruled firmed and unchanged.

New York Cotton.

New York, Dec. 14.—The general cotton market closed easy at net declines of 57 to 92 points.

N. Y. Curb Bonds

New York, December 14.—Following is the official list of transactions on the New York Curb exchange, giving all bonds traded in:

Domestic Bonds.

		High	Low	Close
11	Allied Packer 6s	65	62	65
9	Alum 7s '25	77	77	77
2	Alum 7s '33	102	102	102
5	Amer Cot Oil 6s	106	106	106
7	Am G & E 6s	99⅜	99⅜	99⅜
27	Am L & T 6s	94⅛	93⅞	94⅛
14	Am L & T 6s w w	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1	Am T & T 6s '24	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
6	Ana Copper 6s	102	101⅝	102
6	Asso Sim Hdw 6½s	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
1	At Gulf & W I 5s	44	44	44
3	Beaver Board 8s	72½	70	72½
5	Can Nat Ry 5s	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
2	Charcoal Iron 8s	88	89	89
4	Cities Ser 7s "C"	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛
29	Col Gph 8s par ctf	18⅛	17	18⅛
5	Con. Gas Balt 5½s	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
2	Deere & Co. 7½s	100	99⅞	99⅞
1	Detroit City Gas 6s	99⅜	99⅜	99⅜
7	Detroit Edison 6s	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
2	Dunlap T & R 7s	93	92⅝	92⅝
9	Fed Sugar 6s 1933	98	97⅛	97⅛
1	Fisher Bdy 6s 1925	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
3	Fisher Bdy 6s 1926	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
11	Fisher Bdy 6s 1928	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
6	Gair, Robert 7s	95⅛	95	95
1	Gen'l Asphalt 8s	104½	104½	104½
1	General Pet 6s	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜
1	Grand Trunk 6½s	104½	104½	104½
1	Gulf Oil 5s	94⅛	94	94
5	Hock Valley 6s	100	100	100
1	Hood Rubber 7s	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
33	Int. Match 6½s	94⅛	94	94⅛
11	Kennecot Cop. 7s	104	102⅞	104
2	National Leather 8s	96⅛	96	96⅛
4	Ohio Power 5s B	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛
24	Penn Pow & Lt 5s	88	87	88
11	Phil Elec 6s	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
1	Phillips P 7½s ww	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
5	Pub Ser Cor NJ 7s	101⅛	101	101⅛
4	Pub Ser Gas & El 6s	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
18	Read Coal 5s w i	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
30	Read Coal 4½s w i	85	85	85
13	Solvay & Cie 8s	104⅛	103⅞	103⅞
1	South Cal Ed	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
1	St Oil NY 7s 1925	102	102	102
1	St Oil NY 7s 1929	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
1	St Oil NY 7s 1930	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
4	St Oil NY 7s 1931	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
3	Sun Oil 7s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
3	Swift & Co 5s	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
3	U O Cal 6s '25	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
1	U Oil Prod 8s	88	87⅛	88
54	Chi. N. W. 5s	98	97⅛	98
1	K C Term 5½s	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
10	North State Pr 6½s	98⅛	98	98
1	Park & Tilford 6s	86	86	86
12	Web Mills 6½s	100	99⅛	100
4	Phil. El. 5½s 1953	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
	Foreign.			
14	Argentine 6s	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
14	K Netherlands 6s	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
10	Mexico Gov 6s	57⅛	57⅛	57⅛
3	Russian 6½s	10⅛	10	10⅛
21	Russian 6½s ctfs	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
2	Russian 6½s ctfs	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
2	Swiss 5s	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
11	U S Mexico 4s	33	33	33
1	Mex. Govt. 6s, ctfs.	56	56	56

Omaha Livestock

Receipts were— Dec. 14, 1923.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Official Monday	15,824	13,173	12,529
Official Tuesday	10,541	14,841	12,890
Official Wednesday	10,095	14,568	17,208
Official Thursday	5,439	8,808	9,295
Estimate Friday	1,300	7,000	3,000
5 days this wk	43,199	58,390	54,822
Same days last wk	35,441	57,579	50,817
Same days 2 wks. ago	24,646	34,498	38,325
Same days 3 wks. ago	24,262	50,670	38,987
Same days year ago	37,278	61,512	52,336

Cattle—Receipts, 1,300 head. Light Friday receipts of steers sold readily at prices about steady at the week's decline of 50@$1.00. The general quality continues plain. Good mixed yearlings brought $10.00. She stock was slow again and barely steady at the week's big decline. Stockers and feeders were in poor request and hard to move at the week's loss of around 25c to mostly 50c.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beeves, $8.75@10.00; Fair to good beeves, $7.75@8.60; Common to fair beeves, $7.00@7.75; trashy warmedup beeves, $6.00@7.00; choice to prime yearlings, $10.75@12.00; good to choice yearlings, $9.25@10.50; fair to good yearlings, $8.00@9.00; comman to fair yearlings, $6.50@7.75; good to choice fed heifers, $6.75@8.00; fair to good fed heifers, $5.25@6.50; common to fair fed heifers, $4.00@5.00; good to choice fed cows, $5.00@6.25; fair to good fed cows, $4.00@5.00; common to fair fed cows, $2.00@3.50; good to choice feeders, $7.15@7.75; fair to good feeders, $6.50@7.10; common to fair feeders, $5.00@6.50; good to choice stockers, $7.00@7.60; fair to good stockers, $6.25@7.00; common to fair stockers, $5.00@6.00; trashy stockers, $4.00@5.00; stock heifers, $3.75@5.00; stock cows, $2.85@3.60; stock calves, $4.00@8.00; veal calves, $3.00@9.50; bulls, stags, etc., $2.75@4.75; good to choice grass beeves, $6.75@7.50; common to medium grass beeves, $5.00@6.50; good to choice grass cows, $4.50@5.50; fair to good grass cows, $3.50@4.25; fair to choice grass heifers, $4.00@6.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head. With supplies of only moderate proportion and outside markets strong trade in the shipper division showed a strong tone again this morning with buyers out early taking on some of the best butcher hogs at around 15@25c higher prices. Packers were very slow to follow the advance and nothing of consequence was done in this direction early. Bulk of the sales was at $6.35@6.85 with top, $6.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,000 head. Supplies of lambs carrying killer flesh were of limited volume this morning and with demand fairly active the few at hand moved readily at prices mostly steady with Thursday. The few feeder lambs here also met with a ready sale at fully steady prices. The aged sheep trade was largely a steady affair.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Fat lambs good to choice, $11.75@12.30; fat lambs, fair to good, $11.00@11.75; clipped lambs, $10.50@10.90; feeding lambs, $11.25@12.00; wethers, $6.00@8.00; yearlings, $8.00@10.25; fat ewes, light, $6.00@7.00; fat ewes, heavy, $4.25@5.75.

Receipts and disposition of livestock at the Union stockyards, Omaha, Neb., for 24 hours ending at 3 p. m., December 14:

RECEIPTS—CARLOT.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
C. M. & St. P. Ry	1	4	....
Wabash R. R.	1	..	..
Missouri Pacific R. R.	1	1	..
Union Pacific R. R.	11	18	5
C. & N. W., east	2	2	..
C. & N. W., west	6	43	2
C. St. P. M. & O.	7	8	..
C. B. & Q., east	3	2	..
C. B. & Q., west	10	19	5
C. R. I. & P., east	3	..	..
C. R. I. & P., west	1	3	..
I. C. R. R.	2	1	..
C. G. W. R. R.	1	1	..
Total receipts	49	102	12

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Armour & Co.	122	1924	801
Cudahy Packing Co.	363	1381	1144
Dold Packing Co.	70	807	....
Morris Packing Co.	31	1209	....
Swift & Co.	646	1975	634
Hoffman Bros.	3	....	....
Mayerowich & Vail	12	....	....
Omaha Packing Co.	1	34	....
South Omaha Packing Co.	44	....	....
Murphy, J. W.	....	1922	....
Swartz & Co.	....	196	....
Lincoln Packing Co.	48	....	....
Wilson Packing Co.	3	....	....
Bulla, J. H.	47	....	....
Harvey, John	47	....	....
Ingraham, T. J.	16	....	....
Krebbs & Co.	5	....	....
Longman Bros.	17	....	....
Luberger, Henry S.	122	....	....
Mo. Kan. C. & C. Co.	21	....	....
Root, J. B. & Co.	120	....	....
Sargent & Finnegan	5	....	....
Wertheimer & Degen	82	....	....
Other buyers	541	....	728
Cudahy, Denver	177	....	....
Hess	....	491	....
Total	2523	9945	3307

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; dull, draggy; semi-demoralized trade on most killing classes; moderate supply fat steers and fat she-stock carried over; killing quality plain; few fat fat steers about steady at $7.25@$8.50; two loads rather weighty matured steers $9.00; best yearlings, $11.00; demand for yearlings less active than yesterday; few fat cows, $3.50@5.25; well finished kind at $6.50; canners getting best action at $2.25@$2.50; light fleshed heifers to killers, $4.50 and below; lower grade bologna bulls weak to unevenly lower, others steady; most sausage bulls, $4.00@4.25; kind on western order downward to $3.75 and below; bulk veal calves to packers, $8.75@$9.50; light stockers inactive; well bred feeders in moderate demand.

Hogs—Receipts, 29,000 head; mostly 25c higher, spots 25@35c up, closed extremely low, big packers refusing to follow advance; bulk choice and good 225 to 300-pound butchers, $7.15@7.25; top, $7.25; bulk desirable 160 to 210-pound average, $6.90@7.10; bulk packing sows, $6.50@6.80; slaughter pigs, 25c higher, bulk strong weights, $6.25@6.50; estimated holdover, 11,000 head; majority out of first hands.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 15,000 head; fat lambs steady to 25c lower; most loss on in-between grades; sheep and feeding lambs generally steady; bulk fat lambs, $12.50@12.90; top, $13.00; cull natives, $9.00@10.00; mostly $9.50@10.00; choice fat wethers, around 125 pounds, $8.25; choice medium weight fat ewes, $8.00; good feeding lambs around 70 pounds, $11.00; light weights, $11.75; no choice kind offered.

St. Louis Livestock.

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 14.—Hogs—Receipts 10,000 head; market active, mostly 25 to 40c higher; two loads choice weighty butchers, $7.50; bulk 160 pounds and up, $7.20@7.40; light lights, $6.75@7.20; good weight killing pigs, $6.50@6.75; lighter kinds and pewees, $6.00@6.50; packer sows, mostly $6.25@6.35; few up to $6.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 head; dull, not enough cattle to make a market with the exception of bulls which are not moving; few canners, 1.65@2.00; some beef cows, 3.00@3.65; small lots light vealers, 9.50, looks steady.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 500 head; market active, steady; two decks good 88-pound fed lambs, $12.70 to packers; one load natives, $12.25; few odd lots medium quality native, $11.00@11.50; culls, mostly $8.50; light mutton, ewes, $6.00@6.50.

Kansas City Livestock

Kansas City, Dec. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000 head; calves, 50 head; all classes generally steady; shortfed steers, $7.00@8.30; beef cows, $3.00@4.75; canners mostly, $2.25; top veal calves, $8.50; stockers and feeders scarce; bulk, $5.75@7.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; mostly 15 to 20c higher; shipper top, $6.90; packer top, $6.85; bulk desirable 210 to 280-lb. buchers, $6.75@6.85; better grades 170 to 200-pound averages, $6.50@6.70; bulk 130 to 160-lb. averages, $6.20@6.85; bulk of sales, $6.45@6.85; packing sows mostly $6.25@6.35; stock pigs steady; bulk, $5.00@5.50.

Sheep—Receipts, $5.00; limited offerings killing classes about steady; fed Texas lambs, $11.75.

Sioux City Livestock

Sioux City, Ia., Dec. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000 head; market very slow; killers weak; stockers draggy; fat steers and yearlings, $5.50@11.50; bulk, 7.00@8.50; fat cows and heifers, $3.00@5.00; veals, $3.00@10.00; bulls, $2.75@4.75; feeders, $4.50@7.50; stockers, 4.00@7.45; stock yearlings and calves, $3.50@7.25; feeding cows and heifers, $2.50@4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; market 15 to 25c higher; top, $6.80; bulk of sales, $6.40@6.75; lights, $6.25@6.40; butchers, $6.70@6.80; mixed hogs, $6.50@6.65; heavy packers, $6.40@6.55.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 500 head; market stead.

St. Joseph Livestock.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 14.—Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; market 15 to 20c higher; top, $6.90; bulk of sales, $6.40@6.85.

Cattle—Receipts, 600 head; market steady; steers, $6.00@12.00; cows and heifers, $3.50@12.00; calves, $4.00@8.50; stockers and feeders, $5.00@5.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,500 head; market, steady; lambs, $11.75@12.40; ewes, $6.00@7.10.

New York Sugar.

New York, Dec. 14.—Raw sugar was steady and unchanged today at 5 11-16c for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 7.47c, duty paid.

Raw sugar futures were irregular because of conflicting rumors of a threatened railroad strike in Cuba. The market opened unchanged to six points lower, was carried one to seven points net higher, with December advancing to 5.74c on commission house support, after which it became easier and closed rather weak at 1 to 3 points net decline. The later heaviness, which was attended by Wall Street and Cuban selling, was due to more reassuring labor advices from Cuba. January, 5.22c; March, 4.62c; May, 4.69c; July, 4.74c.

Refined sugar was quiet without change. Fine granulated 9.05c to 9.15c.

Refined futures nominal.

At the close there was a sale of 22,000 bags of Cuban, prompt shipment, at 5 11-16c, cost and freight, equal to 7.47c, duty paid.

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 14.—Eggs—1c lower, firsts, 40c; selected, 47c.

Poultry—Generally unchanged; hens, 1c lower, 17c; other poltry unchanged.

Butter and Eggs—Unchanged.

Financial

Total stock sales, 1,284,000 shares.

20 industrials averaged 94.96; net gain, .26.

High, 1923, 105.38; low, 85.76.

20 railroads averaged 83.22; net loss, .76.

High, 1923, 90.51; low, 79.53.

New York, Dec. 14.—Conflicting price movements took place in today's stock market, industrials swinging upward in vigorous fashion until checked by the usual week-end realizing movement just before the close, while railroad shares continued to fall back on a renewal of selling pressure against the northwestern carriers. Total sales, which again exceeded one and one quarter million shares, testified to increased public participation.

Large buying orders were placed in the market at the opening as a result of the favorable showing made in the November foreign trade statement and the growing speculative belief that the further reduction in crude oil output, coincident with an increase on certain Texas and Pennsylvania grades, foreshadowed a definite turn for the better in he oil industry.

Oils moved to higher ground in active trading under the lead of such issues as Producers & Refiners, Pan-American A and B, Cosden, Marland, Houston and Pacific, all of which closed a point or more higher on the day, although early gains were not entirely maintained. Sugars were heavily bought in the early dealings but they, too, fell back in the heavy realizing movement of the afternoon.

The so-called pivotal shares—United States Steel, Baldwin, American Can and Studebaker—also became active at higher prices but with the exception of American Can, which closed nearly a point higher, they forfeited all of their gains and closed either unchanged or fractionally lower.

The chief individual feature was United Cigar Stores which jumped 18 points to 205 and then slipped back to 200. United States Cast Iron Pipe jumped more than 4 points to 65, a new 1923 top and then eased to 63½. Some of the other strong spots were Corn Products, United States Alcohol, Republic Steel, Hayes Wheel, American Water Works and Hartman corporation. Considerable interest was aroused by the activity of American Telephone which touched 128⅝ and closed at 127⅝ for a net gain of nearly a point.

Willys Overland preferred, one of the recent strong spots, dropped back 2⅝ to 78⅛; Du Pont dropped 2¼ and Jones Brothers Tea closed 2 points lower after establishing a new low record for the year.

The deadlock over the chairmanship of the senate interstate commerce committee and the drop in car loadings for the week ending December 1, which was explained, however, by the Thanksgiving holiday, were regarded as contributing factors to the heaviness of the rail shares. Northern Pacific and Union Pacific dropped about a point while most of the other northwestern and a number of eastern issues yielded fractionally.

Call money opened at 4¾ per cent but dropped to 4½ before the close. Trading in the time money market was again quiet with short time loans arranged at 5 and the longer maturities at 5¼. The commercial paper market was moderately active with the best names commanding 4¾ per cent.

Principal foreign exchange rates were slightly reactionary. Uneasiness over the British political situation caused a further drop of ½c in the rate of demand sterling, which was quoted around $4.36⅝, while French francs eased about 2 points to 5.30 cents.

yesterday, bounded upward, closing 3½ points higher.

Trading was quite active in the industrial group and some fluctuations covered a wide range. Cerro de Pasco 8s, for instance, ran up more than a point, but closed 1⅝ points below yesterday's final figures. American Telephone and Telegraph convertible 6½s advanced 1¼ to a new high for the year.

Net changes in the railroad group were not large, although the bonds moved in large volume.

Active United States government bonds held steady.

New York Quotations

New York Stock exchange quotations furnished by J. S. Bache & Co., 224 Omaha National Bank building:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Thurs. Close.
Ajax Rubber	....	....	6⅞	6⅝
Allied Chemical	69	68	68	69½
Allis-Chalmers	45½	44½	44½	45¼
Am. Beet Sugar	43⅛	42⅝	42⅝	43⅜
American Can	106½	104¼	104⅝	104
Am. Car & Fdry	169	166⅞	167	168
Am. H. & L. pfd	43	41½	41½	42
Am. Int'l Corp	24⅛	22⅝	23½	22⅞
Am. Linseed Oil	17⅝	17	17⅝	16
Am. Locomotive	73⅞	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
Am. Ship & Com	12	10½	11½	10½
Am. Smelting	58⅝	58⅛	58⅜	58⅝
Am. Steel Fdry	38	37⅝	37⅝	38⅛
American Sugar	59½	58⅛	58⅛	57⅝
Am. Sumatra	20⅝	20¼	20½	20½
Am. Tel. & T.	128⅜	126⅞	127⅝	126⅝
Am. Tobacco	150½	150	150	150⅞
Am. Woolen	73⅝	72⅝	73	75½
Anaconda	37⅞	37½	37½	38½
Ass'd Dry Goods	80	78½	79	80
Atchison	97⅝	96⅞	97	97⅝
At. G. & W. I.	15¼	14⅝	14⅞	14⅝
Austin-Nichols	25	24⅝	25	25
Auto Knitter	....	....	9⅝	9⅞
Baldwin	127⅞	126	126	126
Baltimore & O	59⅝	58⅝	58⅝	59¼
Beth Steel	53⅛	52⅛	52⅝	53½
Bosch Magneto	38½	37⅝	37⅞	38
California pack	....	....	....	80⅝
Cal Pete	25½	24⅝	24⅝	24½
Can Pac	145	144⅝	144⅝	146
Cen Leather	10⅝	10⅛	10⅝	10⅝
Chand Motors	68½	66	66⅝	67½
Ches & Ohio	70⅝	69⅝	69⅝	70⅛
Chicago & N W	51⅝	50½	51	51½
C M & St P	12⅝	12⅛	12⅝	13⅛
C M & St P pfd	23⅝	23¼	23¼	22½
C R I & P	22⅞	22⅝	22⅝	22¾
Chile Copper	28⅛	27⅝	27⅞	28
Chino	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	17
Coca-Cola	73⅞	73	73⅝	75
Colo Fuel & Iron	24	24½	24½	24⅝
Col Gas	34	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
Con Cigars	....	....	16½	16⅝
Continental Can	51	50½	50½	50
Corn Products	148	144½	147½	145
Cosden	35⅛	34	34	35½
Crucible	67½	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar	15⅝	15	15	15½
Cuba Cane Sug p	59⅝	57⅝	58⅛	58⅞
Cub-Am Sug	34¼	33½	33⅝	33⅞
Cuyamel Fruit	64½	63½	63⅝	65
David Chem	79	76⅝	77	79
Del & Hud	107⅝	106½	106½	108
Dome Mining	19½	19⅛	19½	19½
Dupont De Nem	133	129	130½	132½
Erie	20⅝	20	20	20⅝
Famous Players	68½	66⅝	67	70
Fisk Rubber	8⅝	8½	8½	8⅝
Freeport, Texas	12½	12½	12½	12½
Gen Asphalt	37⅝	35½	35½	35⅞
Gen Elec	200½	195½	196½	197¼
Gen Motors	15½	15	15⅛	15⅝
Goodrich	....	....	22	22
Grt Nor Ore	29½	28⅝	29	29⅝
Grt Nor Ry pfd	58¼	56½	56⅝	57½
Gulf Sts Steel	83⅝	82	82½	83⅝
Hudson Motors	29	28½	28⅝	28⅝
Houston Oil	67	65	65⅝	64½
Hupp Motors	21¼	19	19	20½
Illinois Cent	102½	102¼	102¼	102½
Inspiration	26½	26	26½	25½
Int Har	77	76⅝	76⅝	76⅞
Int M M	7¼	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Int M M pfd	31	28⅝	30	29¼
Int Nickel	14¼	13⅝	13⅝	14¼
Int Paper	37¼	36½	36½	36⅞
Invincible Oil	11⅝	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞
K C South	....	....	19	19
Kell-Spring	33¼	32½	33⅛	32⅞
Kennecott	35	34½	34½	34⅝
Keystone Tire	3⅛	3	3	3¼
Lee Rubber	....	....	14½	14⅝
Lehigh Valley	61⅝	60⅝	60⅝	62½
Lima Locomotive	66¼	65½	65½	65½
Louis & Nashville	91	90¼	90¼	90⅝
Mack Truck	90⅞	89¼	89½	89⅝
Maxwell Motor A	48½	47½	47½	49
Marland	36⅝	34⅝	35⅝	34⅝
Maxwell Motor B	....	....	13½	13⅝
Mex Seaboard	14¼	13⅝	13⅝	13½
Middle States Oil	6⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Midvale Steel	....	....	28⅝	28⅝
Mo Pacific	10	9⅝	10	10
Mo Pacific pfd	28⅝	28	28	28½
Mont-Ward	25	24¼	25	24⅝
Nat Enamel	....	....	42	42
National Lead	128	127	127	129¼
N Y Air Brake	42	41¼	41⅞	41½
N Y Central	106¼	104⅝	105	105⅝
NY NH & H	14	13⅝	13⅝	14¼
Northern Pacific	54½	51⅝	52⅝	54
Orpheum	....	....	19	19
Owens Bottle	44¼	43⅝	44	45
Pacific Oil	45⅝	44	45⅝	44⅝
Pan-American	62	61⅝	62⅝	61⅝
Pan-American B	60	59	60¼	59
Penn R R	42¼	42	42	42½
Peoples Gas	....	....	96	95⅝
Phillips Petroleum	33½	32⅝	32⅝	33
Pierce Arrow	10⅛	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Pressed Steel Car	54⅝	54⅝	54¼	54⅝
Producers & R	29⅝	27⅝	29⅝	27⅝
Pullman	124½	122⅝	122⅝	122½
Pure Oil	20⅝	19	20	19½
Ry Steel Sprin	....	....	109½	109½
Ray Consolidated	11½	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
Reading	78⅝	77½	77½	78⅝
Replogle	13½	12⅝	12⅝	13⅝
Rep Iron & Steel	50⅝	48⅝	50	49
Royal Dutch, N Y	50	48⅝	49⅝	50
St. L. & S. F.	....	....	....	19½
Sears-Roebuck	85⅝	84½	85¼	84⅝
Shell Union Oil	16	15½	15½	15⅞
Sinclair Oil	26⅛	25	25⅝	24⅝
Sloss-Sheffield	60¼	58	59½	58⅝
Skelly Oil	24⅝	23¼	23¼	23⅞
Southern Pacific	87½	86½	86⅝	86⅝
Southern Ry	37½	37⅝	37¼	37½
Std. Oil of Cal	58⅝	57⅝	57⅝	57⅝
Std. Oil of N. J.	36½	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝
Stewart-Warner	91	90	90½	90⅝
Stromberg Carbur	82½	81½	81½	82
Studebaker	107⅝	106⅝	107¼	107¼
Texas Co.	42¼	42	42½	41⅝
Texas & Pacific	....	....	19½	19½
Timken Roller	38⅝	38	38	38½
Tobacco Prod	75⅝	73⅝	74⅝	74
Tobacco Prod "A"	92⅝	92	92½	92⅝
Trans Oil	3	2⅞	3	2⅞
Union Pacific	129⅝	127⅞	128	128⅝
United Fruit	....	....	178	178
US In Alcohol	67⅝	66½	66½	65½
U S Rubber	38⅝	38¼	38¼	38⅝
U S Steel	96½	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝
U S Steel, pfd	120	119⅝	120	119⅝
Utah Copper	62⅝	62¼	62¼	64¼
Vanadium	22⅝	22	22¼	22½
Vivaudou	14	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Wabash	11½	11	11	11⅝
Wabash "A"	35⅝	34½	34½	34⅝
West Electric	61⅝	60½	60½	61⅝
White Eagle Oil	25½	24⅝	25⅝	24⅝
White Motors	57⅝	56⅝	57	57
Willys-Overland	10⅝	10	10¼	10½
Wilson	23½	23¼	25	22⅝
Worthington P	28⅝	26⅝	25⅝	27

Total stocks, $1,324,200.

New York Bonds

New York, Dec. 14.—Bond prices generally slipped slightly lower in active trading today.

One of the most interesting features of the day's trading concerned the Chinese railway 5s, on which semi-annual interest is to be paid tomorrow. The bonds have been reactionary for several days, due to some speculative uncertainty over the payment of this interest. Under the terms of the loan, which was placed in France, England, Germany and America, the service on the bonds is to be deposited 15 days prior to the due date. It was not, however, until noon today that bankers received a cable from London that the money, amounting to about $800,000, had been deposited. The bonds which touched a new low for the year

U. S. Bonds.

(U. S. bonds in dollars and 32ds of dollars.)

Sales (in $1,000s):		High.	Low.	Close.
364	Liberty 3½s	99.30	99.28	99.29
13	Liberty 1st 4¼s	98.13	98.11	98.11
264	Liberty 2d 4¼s	98.12	98.10	98.11
277	Liberty 3d 4¼s	99.9	99.6	99.7
61	Liberty 4th 4¼s	98.13	98.11	98.11
441	U. S. Govt 4¼s	99.18	99.16	99.16

Foreign.

		High.	Low.	Close.
2	A J M Wks 6s	79	79	79
15	Argentine 7s	102	101⅞	102
48	Aus Gov gd ln 7s	88½	87⅝	88½
11	C of Bordeaux 6s	77	77	77
2	C of Copenhgn 5½s	87¾	87¾	87¾
16	City of Lyons 6s	77¼	77	77¼
12	C of Marseilles 6s	77¼	76⅝	77¼
4	C Rio de J 8s '47	88½	88	88½
1	C of Zurich 8s	110½	110½	110½
3	Czech Rep 8s ctfs	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜
23	Dept of Seine 7s	82⅝	82¼	82½
13	D of C 5½ nts '29	101	100¾	100⅞
50	D of Can 5s '52	99¼	99⅛	99⅛
16	Dutch E I 6s '62	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
12	Dutch E I 6s '47	96	95⅞	95⅞
15	French Rep 8s	96⅝	96⅛	96⅛
16	French Rep 7½s	92⅝	92⅛	92⅛
30	Japanese 1st 4½s	93⅜	93⅜	93⅜
1	Japanese 4s	80	80	80
3	King of Belgium 8s	98	98	98
32	King of Belg 7½s	97⅜	97⅛	97⅛
18	King of Denmark 6s	93⅜	93	93
14	King of Nether 6s	96¼	96⅛	96¼
8	King of Norway 6s	93⅝	93	93
20	King S Cro Sl 8s	65½	65½	65½
4	King of Sweden 6s	104	104	104
5	Oriental Dev deb 6s	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
48	Paris-Lyons-Med 6s	70	69⅝	69⅞
28	Rep of Bolivia 8s	86⅝	86	86⅝
25	Rep of Chile 8s '41	105	104½	104⅝
75	Rep of Cuba 5½s	90½	90¼	90¼
5	Re of Haiti 6s A '52	89	88½	88½
17	State of Queens 6s	100	100	100
3	St of Sa Pau s f 8s	97	97	97
2	Swiss Confed 8s	112	111⅝	111⅝
13	UKofGB&I 5½s '29	109⅝	109¼	109⅛
13	UKofGB&I 5½s '37	101	100⅝	100⅝
20	U S of Brazil 8s	95	95	95
16	US of Br-CeRyEl 7s	78⅝	78½	78½
12	U S of Mexico 5s	47	46½	46½
16	U S of Mexico 4s	27⅝	27¼	27¼

Railway and Miscellaneous.

		High.	Low.	Close.
4	Am Agri Ch 7½s	97½	97¼	97¼
11	Am Smelting 6s	103	102⅝	102⅝
10	Am Smelting	92½	92	92
6	Am Sugar 6s	100½	100¼	100⅜
23	Am T&T cv 6s	120½	118½	120
18	Am T&T col tr 5s	97½	97	97½
22	Am T&T col 4s	92⅛	91¾	91⅞
3	Am W W & E 5s	84	83⅝	83⅝
44	Ana Copper 7s '38	98⅛	98	98⅛
24	Ana Copper 6s '53	96½	96¼	96⅜
23	Armour & Co 4½s	84¼	83⅝	84⅛
74	AT&SF gen 4s	87	86⅞	86⅞
2	AT&SF ad 4s stpd	80½	80	80⅛
4	Atl C L 1st con 4s	87⅛	87	87
2	Atl Ref deb 5s	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
6	B & O 6s	100⅝	100⅜	100⅜
85	B & O cv 4½s	82⅜	82	82⅛
26	B & O gold 4s	82	81⅝	81⅝
14	B T Pa 1st rfg 5s	98	97⅞	98
5	Beth St c 6s Ser A	97¼	97¼	97¼
16	Beth Steel 5½s	88⅝	88⅜	88⅜
2	Bklyn Ed gen 7s D	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
1	Can No 7s	111⅝	111⅝	111⅝
53	Can Pac deb 4s	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
2	C C & O 6s	96⅛	95⅞	95⅞
18	Central Leather 5s	91½	91¼	91⅜
7	Central Pac gtd 4s	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
59	Cerro de Pasco 8s	140	136⅝	136⅝
17	C & O cv 5s	89⅝	89⅛	89⅝
11	C & A 3½s	33⅝	33⅛	33⅛
4	C B & Q ref 5s A	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
2	C & E I 5s	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛
34	CM&StP cv 4½s	54	52⅛	52⅛
4	CM&StP ref 4½s	48⅛	48	48
14	CM&StP 4s '25	67⅝	67½	67⅝
5	C & N W 7s	105	104⅝	105
20	Chicago Rys 5s	73⅝	73	73
26	C R I & P ref 4s	73⅛	73⅛	73⅛
18	C & W I 4s	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
42	Chile Copper 6s	99⅛	99¼	99⅛
1	CCC&StL ref 6s A	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1	Clev Un Ter 5½s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
4	C & S ref 4½s	81	81	81
7	Com Pow 6s	87	86⅞	86⅞
10	C C of Md 5s	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝
2	Con Power 5s	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝
49	C C Sugar deb 8s	96⅝	95⅛	95½
6	Cuban Am Sug 8s	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
7	Det Ed ref 6s	103⅛	103	103
3	DuP de Nem 7½s	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
11	Du Light 6s	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
131	Eastern C S 7½s	106	105½	105⅜
10	Em G & F 7½s	90	89⅞	90
88	Erie pr lien 4s	62	60⅞	61⅛
17	Erie gen lien 4s	54⅛	54⅛	54⅛
17	Fisk Rubber 8s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
15	Goodrich 6½s	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
8	Goodyear Tire 8s	101	100⅞	101
5	Goodyear T 8s 1941	114⅝	114⅝	114⅝
7	Grand T R of C 7s	111⅝	111⅝	111⅝
14	Grand Trunk 6s	103⅝	102¾	103⅝
24	Great North 7s A	106½	106¼	106⅝
18	Great Nor 5½s B	95⅝	95	95¼
9	Hershey Choco 6s	101	100⅝	101
11	Hudson & M 5s A	81	81	81
42	Hud & M 5s	58½	58½	58¾
4	Humb O & R 5½s	97⅝	97	97⅝
19	Ill Bell Tel 5s	94	93⅞	94
6	Ill Cen 5½s	100⅝	100½	100⅝
2	Ill Cen 4s 1952	80⅛	80⅛	80⅛
1	Indiana Steel 5s	101	101	101
22	Inter Rap T 7s	85½	85½	85½
18	Inter Rap T 6s	57	56⅝	57
49	Inter Rap T 5s stp	60⅛	60	60
11	In & Gt No 6s	42⅝	42	42
208	In Merc Ma 6s	78⅝	77½	78
29	Iowa Cen 4s	17½	17	17¼
12	Kas C F S & M 4s	74⅛	74	74
4	Kas C P & L 5s	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
27	Kan C Ter 4s	82⅝	82	82⅝
6	Kansas G & E 6s	92⅝	92¼	92¼
8	Kelly-S Tire 8s	102½	102⅝	102½
7	L S & M S db 4s '31	92½	92½	92½
7	Liggett & Myers 5s	96⅝	96¼	96¼
1	Lorillard 5s	95½	95½	95½
30	L & N 5s '03	97⅞	97½	97⅞
5	L & N unified 4s	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
2	Manati Sugar 7½s	98⅝	98½	98¼
22	Mkt St Ry con 5s	93⅝	93½	93⅝
11	Midvale Steel cv 5s	86⅝	86½	86½
4	Mil E Ry & L 5s '61	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝
12	Minn & St L ref 4s	18½	18	18
1	M St P & S S M 6½s	102	102	102
17	M K & T pr ln 6s C	95⅝	95	95⅝
13	MK & T n pr ln 5s A	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝
74	MK & T n adj 5s A	52⅝	52⅝	52
15	Mo Pac con 6s	89⅝	89	89
54	Mo Pac gen 4s	51⅝	51¼	51⅝
5	Montana Pow 5s A	95½	95	95
1	N E Tel & T 1st 5s	97½	97½	97½
19	N O T & M inc 5s	85½	85⅝	85⅝
229	N Y Cen deb 6s	104⅝	103⅝	103⅞
32	N Y C rfg & Imp 5s	95⅝	95	95⅛
2	N Y Central con 4s	82	81⅝	82
6	N Y C & St L 6s A	100½	100¼	100½
8	N Y Edison rf 6½s	110⅝	110½	110½
5	NY G E L H & P 5s	97	97	97
101	NY NH & H Fcs 7s	69	69	69
5	NY NH&H c 6s 48	60	59	59
4	N Y Ry ad 5s ct d	1½	1½	1½
57	N Y Tel rf 6s 41	104⅝	103⅞	104
10	N Y Tel gn 4½s	93½	93⅝	93⅝
15	N Y W & Bos 4½s	38⅝	38¼	38½
8	Nor & W cv 6s	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝
4	N Am Ed sf 6s	90½	90⅝	90½
24	Nor Pac rf 6s B	102⅝	102¼	102⅝
19	Nor Pac n 5s D ct	91½	91¼	91¼
35	Nor Pac pr ln 4s	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝
17	Nor St Pow 6s B	100⅝	100	100⅝
4	N W Bell T 7s	107⅝	107½	107⅝
2	Or & Cal 1st 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
27	O S L rf 4s	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
5	Or-Wsh RR&N 4s	80	79⅝	79⅝
7	Pac G&El 5s	91½	90⅝	90⅝
10	Pac T&T 5s 52	90⅞	90⅝	90⅝
10	Pan-Am P&T 7s	102⅝	102½	102½
21	Penn R R 6½s	108⅝	108	108⅝
11	Penn RR gen 5s	99⅝	99¼	99⅝
6	Penn RR gen 4½s	90⅝	90½	90⅝
20	Pere Marq rf 5s	91½	91⅝	91½
1	Phil Co ref 6s	100	100	100
20	Phila Co 5½s	90½	89⅝	90½
60	Perce Ar 8s	76⅝	76	76⅝
4	Pro & Rf 8s	106⅝	106⅝	106⅝
1	Pub Serv 5s	80	80	80
26	Punta Al Sg 7s	109⅝	109¼	109½
70	Reading gen 4s	86⅝	86½	86½
4	Rem Arms sf 6s	94½	94	94½
1	Rep I&St 5½s	88½	88½	88½
5	R I A & L 4½s	75½	74⅝	75½
1	St L I M & S rf 4s	83½	83⅝	83½
24	St L&S F p l 4s A	66⅝	66½	66½
14	St L & S F ad 6s	72½	72⅝	72⅝
66	St L & S F inc 6s	58	57⅝	58
8	St L S W cn 4s	78½	78	78
6	St P&K C S L 4½s	72⅝	72¼	72⅝
10	Seaboard A L cn 6s	68⅝	68	68⅝
50	Seaboard A L ad 5s	43½	42½	42⅝
13	Seaboard A L rf 4s	47	46⅝	47
49	Sinclair Con 7s	94	93⅝	93⅝
58	Sinclair Con 6½s	88	87⅝	88
83	Sinclair Crude 5½s	97½	97¼	97⅝
80	Sinclair Pipe 5s	81	80½	81
3	So Prt Ri Sg 7s	101	101	101
1	So Col Pow 6s	86½	86¼	86¼
23	So Pac cv 4s	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
4	So Pac rf 4s	86⅝	86⅝	86½
18	So Pac col tr 4s	83½	83	83⅝
16	So Ry gn 6½s	101½	101	101½
13	So Ry con 5s	96	95½	95½
4	So Ry gen 4s	68⅝	68⅝	68⅝
7	Sug Est Or 7s	95½	95½	95½
9	Tenn Elec rf 6s	94	93⅝	94
25	Third Ave adj 5s	44⅝	44	44½
12	Third Ave ref 4s	54	53½	53½
7	Tidwtr Oil 6½s	102⅝	102½	102½
2	Toledo Ed 7s	106⅝	106⅝	106⅝
34	Union Pac 1st 4s	90½	90¼	90½
4	Union Pac ref 4s	83	82⅝	83
2	Union Tank Car 7s	103⅝	103½	103½
1	United Drug 8s	110⅝	100⅝	100⅝
3	U S Rubber 7½s	103¼	103	103
14	U S Rubber 5s	85	84⅝	84⅝
21	U S Steel s f 5s	102¼	102	102
1	Utah Pow & Lig 5s	87⅝	87⅝	87⅝
1	Va-Car Ch 7½s w w	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝
14	Va-Carolina Che 7s	82¼	82⅛	82¼
67	Virginian Ry 5s	94	93⅝	93⅝
7	West Maryla 1st 4s	58½	58¼	58½
5	Western Pacific 5s	81½	81	81½
2	Western Union 6½s	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝
34	West Electric 7s	107⅝	106⅝	106⅝
13	Wickwire-Spe St 7s	82	81⅝	82
8	Wilson & Co s f 7½s	95½	95	95
15	Wilson & Co 1st 6s	94½	93¼	94
26	Young Sh & Tu 6s	94½	94¼	94¼

Total bonds, $9,550,000.

Bar Silver.

New York, Dec. 14.—Bar Silver—65¼c.

Mexican Dollars—50c.

Omaha Produce

Omaha, Dec. 14.

BUTTER.

Creamery—Local jobbing price to retailers: Extras, 53c; extras in 60-lb. tubs, 52c; standards, 52c; firsts, 50c.

Dairy—Buyers are paying 36c for best table butter in rolls or tubs; 30@32c for common packing stock. For best sweet, unsalted butter, 38c.

BUTTERFAT.

For No. 1 cream Omaha buyers are paying 48c at country stations; 54c delivered Omaha.

FRESH MILK.

$2.40 per cwt. for fresh milk testing 3.5 delivered on dairy platform Omaha.

EGGS.

Delivered Omaha, in new cases: Fresh selects, 37@38c; small and dirty, 23@25c; cracks, 20c. On loss off basis around $10.50 per case. Some buyers are paying 42c for nearby, new-laid, clean and uniformly large eggs, grading U. S. specials or better.

Jobbing price to retailers: U. S. specials, 47c; U. S. extras, 43c; No. 1 small, 30c; checks, 23@24c; storage selects, 31c; low grade storage, considerably less.

POULTRY.

Buyers are paying the following prices: Alive—Heavy hens, 5 lbs. and over, 17c; 4 to 5 lbs., 15c; light hens, 13c; springs, 15@16c; Leghorn springs, 12@14c; roosters, 10c; ducks, fat and full feathered, 12c lb.; geese, fat and full feathered, 13@14c; No. 1 turkeys, 9 lbs. and over, 18@20c; pigeons, $1.00 per dozen; no culls, sick or crippled poultry wanted.

Dressed—No. 1 turks, over 9 lbs., 26@28c; old toms, 22@24c; turks, under 9 lbs., 23c; No. 2 turks, not culls, 16@18c; geese, fat, fancy, 16@18c; ducks, No. 1, 17@18c; spring chickens, 16@17c; heavy hens, 18c; small hens, 15c; roosters, stags, 13c; capons, over 7 lbs., 25c. Some dealers are accepting shipments of dressed poultry and selling same on 10 per cent commission basis.

Jobbing prices of dressed poultry to retailers: Springs, 23@25c; broilers, 35c; hens, 21@25c; roosters, 16@17c; ducks, 20@22c; geese, 20@23c; turkeys, 30@35c; frozen stock, ducks, 15c; geese, 15@18c, geese, 15@18c.

BEEF CUTS.

Wholesale prices of beef cuts effective today are as follows:

No. 1 ribs, 26c; No. 2, 23c; No. 3, 16c; No. 1 rounds, 18c; No. 2, 23c; No. 3, 18c; No. 1 loins, 35c; No. 2, 27c No. 3, 17c; No. 1 chucks, 11½c; No. 2, 11½c; No. 3, 9c; No. 1 plates, 4½c; No. 2, 8c; No. 3, 13½c.

RABBITS.

Cottontails, per doz., $2.00; jacks, per doz., $2.00, delivered.

FRESH FISH.

Omaha jobbers are selling at about the following prices f. o. b. Omaha: Fancy white fish, market; lake trout, 28c; halibut, 28c; northern bullheads, jumbo, 21c; catfish, regular run, 25c; channel, northern, 30@32c; Alaska Red Chinook salmon, 25c; yellow pike, fancy, mkt.; pickerel, 28c; fillet of haddock, 25c; black cod sable fish, steak, 20c; smelts, 35c; flounders, 15c; crappies, 20@25c; red snappers, 27c. Frozen fish, 3@4c less than prices above. Fresh oysters, per gallon, $2.65@3.95.

CHEESE.

Local jobbers are selling American cheese, fancy grade, as follows: Single daisies, 28c; double daisies, 28c; Young Americas, 30c; longhorns, 30c; square prints, 30c; brick, 29½c; Swiss, domestic, 48c; block, 38c; imported, 60c; imported Roquefort, 65c; New York white, 34c.

FRUITS.

Grapefruit—Per box, $3.50@4.50.

Cranberries—100-lb. barrels, $11.00; 50-lb. boxes, $5.50; late Howes, bbl., $12.50; 50-qt. box, $6.00.

Oranges—California navel, fancy, according to size, $3.25@4.50; choice, 25c less; Florida, per box, $5.00; Alabama Satsuma, extra fancy, half box, $4.00@4.50.

Apples—In boxes: Washington Delicious, extra fancy, $3.25@3.50; fancy, $2.75@3.00; choice, $2.25; Washington Jonathans, extra fancy, $2.50; fancy, $2.00; Colorado Jonathans, extra fancy, $2.25; fancy, $2.00; choice, $1.50; Winter Bananas, fancy, $2.25; Washington, choice, $1.75; Spitzenberger, choice, $1.75; Delaware Reds, choice, $1.75; Rome Beauty, extra fancy, $2.50; fancy, $2.25.

Bananas—Per pound, 10c.

Pears—Colorado Keifers, basket, about 50 lbs., net, $2.75; Do Anjou, box, $3.75.

Avocades—(Alligator pears), per doz., $6.00.

Grapes—California Emperor, kegs, $5.00; Almeria, drum, $5.00.

Lemons—California, fancy, per box, $6.50; choice, per box, $5.50@6.00.

Quinces—California, 40-lb. box, $3.00.

Apples—In baskets, 42 to 44 lbs., Idaho Jonathans, extra fancy, $1.75; do fancy, $1.60; Delicious, ring pack, $2.25; King David, $1.50; old-fashioned Winesaps, $1.85.

Apples—In barrels of 145 lbs.: Iowa Winesaps, fancy, $6.00; Missouri Black Twig, fancy, $5.50; Jonathans, fancy, $6.00; Missouri York Imperials, fancy, $5.50; Ben Davis, fancy, $4.50; Jonathans, commercial pack, $4.25.

VEGETABLES.

Jobbing prices:

Peas—New, per lb., 25c.

Tomatoes—Crates, six baskets, $6.00.

Peppers—Green mango, per lb., 20c.

Shallots—Southern, $1.00 per doz.

Squash—Hubbard, 2c per lb.

Eggplant—Per dozen, $2.00.

Roots—Turnips, parsnips, beets and carrots, in sacks, 2@2½c per lb.; rutabagas, in sacks, 2c; less than sacks, 2½c.

Cucumbers—Hot house, per dozen, $2.00@3.00.

Lettuce—Head, per crate, $4.50; per doz., $1.25; leaf, 45c.

Onions—Yellow, in sacks, per lb., 4c; red, sacks, 4c; whites, in sacks, 5c per lb.; Spanish, per crate, $2.75.

Celery—Idaho, per doz., according to size, $1.00@2.00; Michigan, per doz., 75c.

Peppers—Green Mango, per lb., 20c.

Beans—Wax or green, per hamper, $4.50.

Potatoes—Nebraska Ohios, per hundred pounds, $1.15; Minnesota Ohios, $1.25; Idaho Bakers, 2½c per lb., White Cobblers, 1½c per lb.

Sweet Potatoes—Southern, hamper, $2.00; Jersey, extra fancy, 100-lb. crates, $4.00; Porto Rico, crate, $2.25.

Cabbage—Wisconsin, 25-50 lb. lots, per lb., 2½c, in creates, 2½c; 2,000-lb. lots, 2c; red, 5c per lb.; celery cabbage, 10c per lb.

Cauliflower—Colorado, crates, $2.25.

FLOUR.

First patent, in 98-lb. bags, $6.20@6.30 per bbl.; fancy clear, in 48-lb. bags, $5.10 per bbl.; white or yellow cornmeal, per cwt., $1.85. Quotations are for round lots, f. o. b. Omaha.

FEED.

Omaha mills and jobbers are selling their products in carload lots at the following prices, f. o. b. Omaha:

Wheat feeds, immediate delivery:

Bran, $25.50; brown shorts, $27.50; gray shorts, $29.50; middlings, $31.00; reddog, $32.50; alfalfa meal, choice, $32.60; No. 1, $27.00; linseed meal, 34 per cent, $50.10; cottonseed meal, 43 per cent, $53.20; hominy feed, white or yellow, $28.00; buttermilk, condensed, 10-bbl. lots, 3.45c per lb.; flake buttermilk, 500 to 1,500 lbs., 9c per lb.; eggshell, dried and ground, 100-lb. bags, $25.00 per ton; digester feeding tankage, 60 per cent, $60.00 per ton.

HAY

Prices at which Omaha dealers are selling in carlots f. o. b. Omaha:

Upland Prairie—No. 1, $14.00@15.00; No. 2, $11.00@12.00; No. 3, $7.00@9.00.

Midland Prairie—No. 1, $13.00@14.00; No. 2, $10.00@12.00; No. 3, $6.00@8.00.

Lowland Prairie—No. 1, $9.00@10.00; No. 2, $6.00@7.00.

Packing Hay—$5.00@7.00.

Alfalfa—Choice, $22.00@23.00; No. 1, $20.00@21.00; standard, $17.00@20.00; No. 2, $15.00@16.00; No. 3, $12.00@14.00.

Straw—Oats, $8.00@9.00; wheat, $7.00@8.00.

Conditions are generally unchanged this morning. Receipts continue moderate, and most of the stock coming in is not of the highest grade. Demand is slow, except for best quality alfalfa, little of which is coming in. Prices are unchanged, but a new list will be issued late today.

Most Omaha dealers are advising Nebraska and other western shippers to hold back shipments, except for the normal requirements of the trade, until after the holidays, as the market is expected to remain quiet until after the first of the year.

HIDES, WOOL, TALLOW.

Prices printed below are on the basis of buyers' weight and selections, delivered in Omaha:

Hides: Strictly short haired hides, No. 1, 5c; No. 2, 4c; long haired hides, 4c and 3c; green hides, 4c and 3c; bulls, 4c and 3c; branded hides, No. 1, 3½c; glue hides, No. 1, 2c; calf, 10c and 8½c; kip, 8c and 6½c; deacons, 60 cents each; glue skins, No. 1, 2c; horse hides, $3.50 and $2.50 each; ponies and glues, $1.50 each; colts, .50 each; hog skins, 15c each; dry hides, No. 1, 8c per lb.; dry salted, No. 1, 6c per lb.; dry glue, No. 1, 3c per lb.

Wool: Pelts, $1.25 to $1.75 each, for full wooled skins; clips, no value; wool, 28@35c.

Tallow and Grease—No. 1 tallow, 6½c; "B" tallow, 5c; No. 2 tallow, 4c; "A" grease, 6½c; "B" grease, 5c; yellow grease, 4½c; brown grease, 4c; pork cracklings, $35.00 per ton; beef cracklings, dressing table for what have you? 8-¼ ½, $35.00 per ton; beeswax, $20.00 per ton.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Butter—Higher; creamery extras, 52c; standards, 49½c; extra firsts, 49@52c; firsts, 45½@47c; seconds, 42½@43½c.

Eggs—Higher; receipts, 3,453 cases; firsts, 42@44c; ordinary firsts, 35@38c.

London Wool.

London, Dec. 14.—The offerings at the wool sales today amounted to 11,787 bales. There was a good general demand at unchanged rates.

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