

THE DAILY BEE---OMAHA, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1884.

Council Bluffs Loan and Trust Company.

First Mortgage Loans Negotiated. Commercial Paper and all Good Securities dealt in. 28 First Street, and 500 First Avenue, Council Bluffs.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK, February 12.
Money---Easy at 1½% per cent.
Prime Paper---at 5½ per cent.
Exchange Bills---Strong at 4 ¾%; demand, 4 ¾%.

Governments---Weaker for 4%.

Stocks---The stock market opened slightly lower, but before 11:30 became strong and higher. The strengthening continued almost throughout the day, and an advance of from ½ to 2½ per cent was recorded. Late in the day the old bear party made a vigorous raid on the market. Nixon Pacific and St Paul were favorite points of attack, and were forced down 1½ to 2½ for the former, and 1½ to 2½ for the latter. The general list declined from ½ to 1½ per cent. The market closed weak.

Commodities---May options active; 50¢ for cash; 50¢ for February; 50¢ for March; 50¢ for April; 50¢ for May.

Oats---Nothing done; bids 2½¢ below those at noon.

MILWAUKEE,
February 12---Wheat---Steady; No. 2, 96¢; February, 95¢; March, 95¢; May, 102¢.

Corn---Scarce and firm; No. 2, 53¢.

Oats---Easier; No. 2, 50¢.

Barley---Steady at 82¢.

Whisky---Steady at \$1 15.

Provisions---Firm but slow; only jobbing trade.

CLOSING BOARD---Wheat---Lower; 1 ½¢ for March; 1 ½¢ for 1 ½¢ for May; 1 ½¢ for June.

Corn---Dull; 50¢ for March; 50¢ for April; 50¢ for May.

Oats---Nothing done; bids 2½¢ below those at noon.

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CHICAGO, February 12---The Drovers' Journal reports this afternoon as follows:

Hogs---Strong and prices 15¢ higher; rough packing, \$5067 00; packing and shipping, \$5100 00; live, 6 ½¢ per lb.; skips, 4 ½¢ per lb.

Cattle---Quiet and firm; No. 2 cash and February, 50¢; bids 50¢ asked.

Oats---Dull; No. 2 cash and February, 30¢ asked.

NEW ORLEANS,

February 12---Corn---In

good demand and firmer; mixed, 58¢; white, 58¢; yellow, 60¢.

Oats---Strong and in good demand; choice, 4¢.

Corn Meal---Quiet and steady at 2 ½¢.

Pork---Strong and higher; new, 18 75.

Lard---Higher; tierce refined, 9 62½; keg, 10 12½.

Rock Meats---In good demand but scarce.

Whisky---Steady and unchanged at \$1 10.

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Cattle---Slow exports, 6 25¢ to 6 10¢; good to choice, 5 75¢ to 6 10¢; common to medium, 5 50¢ to 6 00; fair to cows, 2 50¢ to 3 00¢; medium, too good, 4 70¢ to 4 75¢; stock, 75¢ to 8 00¢; feeders, 5 00¢ to 5 40¢.

Oats---Firmer and demand good; common to medium, 50¢ to 55¢; good to choice, 5 00¢ to 5 50¢; choice, 5 50¢ to 6 00¢.

MINES & CLOUDS.

American Express, 96¢.

Baird, Cedar Rapids & Northern, 114¢.

Central Pacific, 62¢.

Chicago & Alton, 138¢.

do do, 145¢.

Chi., Burlington & Quincy, 126¢.

do do, 146¢.

Fort Wayne & Chicago, 132¢.

Hannibal & St. Joseph, 138¢.

do do do pfd., 138¢.

Hill Central, 138¢.

Ia., Rock Island Western, 131¢.

Kansas & Texas, 213.

Lake Shore & Michigan, 192¢.

Michigan Central, 192¢.

Minneapolis & St. Louis, 18¢.

do do do pfd., 18¢.

Rock Island, 132¢.

St. Paul & Milwaukee, 125¢.

do do do pfd., 125¢.

St. Paul Minn. & Manitoba, 95¢.

St. Paul & Omaha, 321.

do do pfd., 321.

New York Central, 116¢.

Ohio & Mississippi, 22¢.

do do pfd., 22¢.

Penn. Decatur & Evansville, 15¢.

Rock Island, 125¢.

St. Paul & Milwaukee, 125¢.

do do do pfd., 125¢.

St. Paul Minn. & Manitoba, 95¢.

do do pfd., 95¢.

St. Paul & Omaha, 321.

do do pfd., 321.

Western Union Telegraph, *asked.

NOTE---No U. P. quotations received.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

CHICAGO PRODUCTS.

CHICAGO, February 12---Flour---Steady; winter wheat flour firm and 15¢ to 20¢ per barrel higher.

Wheat---Active and unsettled; opened higher and gradually advanced 2¢ to 3¢ yesterday, closed 1¢ better than yesterday, closed 1¢ higher than yesterday, closed 1¢ higher than February 32¢ to 35¢; March, 54¢ to 55¢; May, 59¢ to 59¢; June, 59¢ rejected 5¢.

Oats---Quiet and nominal; cash and February, 33¢; futures, 34¢; year, 3¢; St. Louis, 35¢ to 36¢; barley, 12¢.

Timothy---Heavy sales; prime to high, 1 27¢; choice to fine, 1 32¢ to 136¢.

Fine Steel---Quiet at 1 56.

Adams---Firm and active and advanced 20¢ to 25¢ last week, then rallied 5¢ to 10¢ and closed steady cash and February, 32¢ to 35¢; March, 54¢ to 55¢; May, 59¢ to 59¢; June, 59¢ rejected 5¢.

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Barley---Dull; stock fair with a tendency among buyers for lower prices.

Cheese---Quiet stock of full creams very low and held firm.

Butter---Fresh, 29¢ to 30¢.

Eggs---Quiet and unchanged.

Tallow---Unchanged; No. 1 country, 6¢; cake, 5¢.

Whiskey---Unchanged at 1 16.

CALL BOARD---Regular wheat higher for February; others unchanged; sales 655,000 bushels.

Brown---to higher for February, March and April; closed 10¢ to 15¢; sales, 375,000 bushels.

Oats---Unchanged; sales 56,000 bushels.

Pork---2¢ lower for March and June; 2¢ higher for May; sales, 10,500 barrels.

Lard---2¢ higher for March; sales, 1,150 barrels.

WHEAT.

NEW YORK, February 12---Wheat---Cash, 16¢ to 18¢ higher and firm; options opened 6¢ to 8¢ lower, recovered 6¢ to 8¢, closing a shade above inside rates; ungraded red, 8¢ to 11¢; No. 4 red, 9¢; No. 3 red, 1 03¢; No. 2 red, 1 10¢; No. 1 red, 1 12¢.

Corn---Cash---new mess, 17 75¢ to 18 00¢.

Lard---Steady; prime steam 19 10¢.

Barley---Dull.

BALTIMORE.

BALTIMORE, February 12---Wheat---Higher; active; closing dull and weak; No. 2 winter red cash, 1 08¢ to 1 08¢.

Corn---Western, easy and dull; mixed, cash and February, 6¢ to 6¢.

Oats---Firm; light supply; western white, 42¢ to 43¢; dark, 41¢ to 42¢.

Barley---Irregular and lower; 25¢ to 35¢.

Butter---Steady; western packed 10¢ to 20¢; creamery 25¢ to 35¢.

Whiskey---Market quiet and steady at 1 18¢ to 1 18¢.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, February 12---Wheat---Firm; 8¢ bid for cash; 8¢ for March; 8¢ for May.

Corn---Steady; 4 1/2¢ for cash; 4 1/2¢ for May.

Oats---Dull and nominal.

LIVERPOOL.

LIVERPOOL, February 12---Wheat---Market quiet and steady; winter, 8¢ 2d to 8¢ 5d; spring, 7s 11d to 8d.

COFFEE.

COFFEE, February 12---Fancy, 10¢ to 12¢; choice, 10¢ to 12¢; Wisconsin, 8¢ to 10¢; box, 10¢ to 12¢; fancy, 10¢ to 12¢; choice, 10¢ to 12¢; regular, 8¢ to 10¢.

TEA.

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SPICES.

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