in the Blizzard-The Elks' Ball-Art Notes-Social Brevities -Personals.

Cold Weather and Society.

Society has struggled bravely on through the cold snap of last week, and the round of parties and receptions has been kept up with a perseverance worthy of a better cause. Among the affairs that are included under the head of receptions are the sociable afternoons at Trinity chapel, where a committee of ladies is appointed each Wednesday to receive and welcome their fellow church members. The idea is a good one and was inaugurated by the worthy dean for the purpose of thawing the long enduring frost that has too often ere this nipped in the bud the good intentions of many a well disposed church member. The peo-ple of Trinity have at various times had the doctrine of charity expounded to them with more or less directness, but for the first time they are confronted with the fact that they cannot be consistent church members and at the same time selfish exclusively society votaries. A revolution seems to be working, and under the present regime something besides money is required to give a mem-ber unimpeachable standing and put him on comfortable terms with his own

Musical Melange.

The announcement that Patti will be here this month has put all society on the quivive and the 25th will undoubtedly be a red letter day in the annals of Omaha. After her enormous successes in New Mexico and ovation in San Francisco. Omaha cannot too highly congratulate itself on being one of the few cities in this country that will be given an opportunity to hear Patti on this tour. Aside from the pleasure and interest incident to the eyent, it is a great advertisement for the town that it is to be visited by a diva whose beauty, elevervisited by a diva whose beauty, cleverness and marvelous voice has given her a prestige beyond that of royalty, when so many of the larger cities, as Rochester, Philadelphia and others will not be similarly favored. On both of Patti's former visits we were denied the satisfaction of having her sing. On her first visit to Omaha, Mapleson could not afford to have her sing and substituted Gerster. It seems perfectly in keeping with the steady advancement of the place that Patti should at last be induced to sing here, and it shows the confidence of Mr. Abbey in Omaha to bring Patti here without a guarantee. It is to be hoped that our people will not prove themselves lacking in appreciation, and that the diva will meet with such a reception as will justify meet with such a reception as will justify the compliment paid to Omaha in her singing here.
The people of the M. E. church are to

The people of the M. E. church are to be congratulated on having secured Mrs. J. T. Clark for the soprano of their new quartet choir. The other members are also excellent, and include Mr. Breckenridge, tenor, Miss Vapor, alto, and Dr. Woodburn, bass.

Trinity has gone back to its old love and the former quartet choir will be resumed to-day, with the acquisition of Mr. Wilkins' voice for tenor. The other members are Mrs. Cotton, soprano, Miss Rath, contralto, Mr. France, bass.

A Successful Musicale. The musicale given under the auspices of St. Andrews' brotherhood Thursday evening, was a complete success from every standpoint. The programme, which was arranged by Mrs. Cotton, was an excellent one and nearly every number was encored. The audience was large and composed of the clite of Omaha, The concert opened with a brilliant piano duet by Messrs. Butler and Trench. The Mendelssohn quartette appeared next Mendelssohn quartette appeared next and their entrance was greeted with a burst of applause. They sang Pinsuti's "Parting Kiss" with great finsh and precision. In response to an encore they gave "Come Dorothy." Mr. Wilkins sang "One Summer Night." by Grieg, in his usual happy manner. Miss Tracy of Burlington made a very pleasing impression in her number. pleasing impression in her number, 'Knowest Thou the Land,' from 'Mignon.' Her voice is rich and voluni-nous and she sang with much earnestness, eliciting a recall. Mr. Wilkins and dr. Francis' voices blended beautifully an the duet, "Lost Proscribed." Their voices are so sweet and rich that they zave even that hackneyed air a new wharm. Mr. Franko's performance was ap to its usual high standard. Omaha should do all in its power to keep such an artist. He won a rapturous mouble recall last night. The trio, "The Rapers," by Mrs. Cotton, Miss Rath and Miss Tracy, was one of the most pleasing and novel features of the programme. The two sopranos and contraits blended so perfectly as to win the singers a recall. cored. Mrs. Cotton's solo, "La Separa-zione," by Rossini, was one of the best centures, and displayed the sweetness and purity of her voice to perfection. Her song was re-demanded. The concert ended with Sullivan's beautiful

quartet, "O Hush Thee, My Baby." M. D. C. Club. The M. D. C. club met at the home of Miss Eva Parsons Thursday evening, and the following programme was very credtably presented:

Miss Mabel Stuht.
Recitation Miss Cora Young
Tableau, "The Execution of Joan of Are,"
Edith Stuht, Messrs. Broadhurst
and Plumber.
Music Miss Eva Parsons
Tableau "Near the Cross,"
Miss Hattle Bell, Miss Maud Parsons as angel.

Miss Hattle Bell, Miss Maud Parsons as angel.

10. Tableau "Clinging to the Cross," Misses Bell and Maud Parsons.

11. Music Eva Parsons.

12. Tableau "Temptation," Misses Nellie Magee and Edith Stuht and Messrs C.W. Smith and Ira Atkinson.

13. Recitation Miss Nellie Magee 14. Tableau "Queen of the May," Miss Hattle Bell and Lee Plumber.

15. Tableau "Sleeping Beauty," Miss Hattle Bell and Lee Plumber.

16. "History of Omaha" Mr. Broadhurst 17. Tableau "Blue Beard," Lee Flumber and C.W. Smith.

Six young ladies impersonated Blue Beard's wives.

A Card Party.
Colonel and Mrs. Henry gave the first of a series of enjoyable card parties Thursday evening at "Plausante," as Miss Clark's house has been named. The rooms were very attractive with flowers and wax candles. After an interesting game of whist and enchre an excellent supper was served. Those presout were Mr. and Mrs. Callaway, Dean Gardner, Mr. Collins, General Breck, Colonel and Mrs. Hali, General and Mrs.

FIRST WEEK OF FEBRUARY.

Numerous Small Socials, but None of a "Orush" Nature.

ENTERTAINING EUCHRE EVENTS.

Pleasant Informal Receptions—Music

Crook, Mrs. Read, Judge and Mrs. Savage, Dr. and Mrs. Somers, General and Mrs. Dandy, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. and Mrs. Royd, Bishop Worthington, Mrs. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. Worthington, Mrs. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton, Mrs. And Mrs. Wheaton, General and Mrs. Hawkins. An agreeable feature was the serving of punch during the evening.

Mrs. Clark's Reception.

Mrs. S. H. H. Clark gave a reception Toesday which was quite largely at-tended notwithstanding the severity of the weather. About three hundred invitations were issued and fully two hundred ladies called in the course of the afternoon. Mrs. Clark was assisted by Mrs. James Dorman, Mrs. Sherrill, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. J. W. Morse, Mrs. William Burns, Mrs. Warren Chase, Mrs. J. B. Evans and Mrs. Perine. The house presented quite an attractive appearance with its handsome floral decorations and with its handsome floral decorations and smilax festooned chandeliers and arches. Large flower pieces were placed in convenient nooks. The grate was filled with flowers and the mantel banked with them. The receiving ladies also carried ho uquets of lily of the valley tied with long loops of ribbon.

An Enjoyable German. Mrs. Garneau entertained in her charming way Friday evening a number of the younger people. The usual order of dances was kept up until after supper, when the german was danced. It was led by Miss Garneau, of St. Louis, and led by Miss Garneau, of St. Louis, and Mr. Ringwalt. The other couples were: Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Ringwalt, Mr. and Mrs. Kellar, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Miss Carr and Mr. Sanborn, Miss Chanute and Mr. Wilson, Miss McLane and Mr. Mitchell, Miss Lake and Mr. Dickey, Miss Woolworth and Mr. Deuel, Miss Barber and Mr. Hamilton, Miss Bishop and Mr. Hodges, Miss Richardson and Mr. Drake, Miss Miller and Mr. Voss, Miss May and Mr. Patrick, Mr. Johnson. Mrs. Kountze assisted Mrs. Garneau in dispensing the favors.

A Dickens Party. Mrs. Curtis instituted quite an innovation in the way of social entertainments giving a Dickens party Monday night. Our Mutual Friend was taken up. The descriptive portions were omitted leaving only the dialogue which was admirably read by those present and made a sort of dramatization of the work. The evening was pronounced one of the work. The evening was pronounced one of the most pleasant of the season. The participants besides Mr. and Mrs. Curtis were: Mr. and Mrs. Coutant, Mrs. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Keysor, Dr. and Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Richie, Mr. and Mrs. Carrier, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Morse, Professor Lewis.

Mrs. Coffman's Reception. Mrs. V. H. Coffman's reception yesterday was one of the most noteworthy of the season. The handsome house is well adapted for entertaining, and it was made doubly attractive by means of extensive floral decorations and wax candles. Mrs. Coffman was assisted by Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Bierbower, Mrs. Bradford Mrs. Samuel Burns, Mrs. Nyc. Mrs. W. Wood, of Chicago, Miss McParlin, Miss Ijams, Miss McConnell, Miss McCormick, Miss Boyd, Miss Butterfield. The ladies were attired elegantly and fulfilled their duties admirably.

Professor Lewis.

A Lunch Party.

Mrs. Ramsey gave a luncheon Wednesday, entertaining about thirty ladies. Flowers were profuse and the cuisine covered all the delicacies of the season served in seven different courses. Those present were Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Callaway, Mrs. D. V. Barkalow, Mrs. J. J. Buras, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. An-drews, Mrs. Contant, Mrs. Pritchett, Mrs. Hanscom, Mrs. Chase, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Garneau, Mrs. Morsman, Mrs. Yost, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Sargent, Mrs. Dr. Jones, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Savage, Mrs. Garrabrant, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Wakeley, Mrs. Popple-

Mrs. Brown's Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown received their large circle of acquaintances Thursday evening from 8 to 11. Notwithstanding the invitations were confined exclusively to the married, over 200 were issued, and there were comparatively few regrets considering the state of the weather. Those who braved the cold weather. Those who braved the cold felt repaid by the warmth and geniality within. The house was attractively dec orated with flowers and all the appointments of the affair were on a scale of

The Elks' Ball.

The first annual ball of the Omaha lodge of Elks at the Millard hotel to-morrow evening promises to be a most brilhant affair. The invitations have been accepted by our prominent society leaders and the gathering will be in every respect a noteworthy and representative one. The preparations by the committee in charge are of such a nature as to make this reception one of the most enjoyable select social events of the present season.

Scuventrs.

Miss Boyd gave a "coffee" Thursday afternoon at which the ladies were invited to bring their fancy work, about three o'clock, the gentlemen coming later. Many dainty and unique work bags were displayed, and an afternoon of delightful sociability was enjoyed.

An Elegant Luncheon. Miss Luna Dundy entertained a number of her friends superbly at a luncheon party Friday in honor of Miss Graves. The table was particularly attractive and the menu exceptionally fine. The guests were Miss Richardson, Miss Chanute, Miss Bishop, Miss Wakeley, Miss Lake, the Misses Sharp, Miss Woolworth, Miss Hoagland, Miss Congdon, Miss Lehmer, Mrs. Skip Dundy, Miss Boyd.

A "Coffee." A pleasant afternoon was spent by the ladies who were so fortunate as to be bidden to Mrs. Andrew Bevins' lunch Thursday. The menu cards were skill-fully painted with various designs and made valuable souvenirs. The guests were Mrs. R. S. Risdon, Mrs. Byron Reed, Mrs. Samuel Bean, Mrs. G. H. Parsell, Mrs. George C. Metcaif and Mrs. A. S.

Brevities.

Mrs. R. H. Clarkson went east Wednes-Bishop O'Connor is kept in his room

with illness. Miss Kate Chase is visiting Mrs. Burns in Council Bluffs. Miss Annie Murphy has returned from

a visit to Albia, Ia. S. R. Johnson went to California last week on business. Mrs. E. L. Stone is recovering from a

severe illness of several weeks. Miss Kilbourne, of Milwaukee, is visit-ing her cousins, the Misses Shears. Miss Stevens, of Council Bluffs, was the guest of Miss Clara Brown last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Annin attended the Pad-dock reception at Beatrice last week. Miss Peck, who has been visiting Miss Richardson, returned home last week. J. B. Christian, of Hamburg, visited his numerous acquaintances in Omaha last

Miss Gilbert is in from Cherokee and

will spend several weeks with Mrs. G. I.

Mrs. F. W. Lee, of Des Moines, who has been visiting Mrs. R. Shreve, has re-

Guy Barton has gone to join Mrs. Barton in California. Mrs. McConnell also went last week. L. H. Baer leaves to-day to join his

wife, who is visiting at her home in Moberly, Mo. Mrs. Lewis Reed and her children, ac-companied by Miss Balcombe have gone outh to spend the winter months.

Miss Mary Sculley, who has been visiting Mrs. Ben Ryan on Ohio street, has returned to her home in Georgetown. Miss Dickey is visiting in Topeka, whither she accompanied Miss Williams

and Miss Ferguson, who have been guests of Mrs. J. J. Burns, David McMonies, of Lyons, formerly of Omaha, went to Canada last week to be present at the bedside of his father, exmember for Wellington.

Miss Anna Downs lest yesterday for St.

Louis, where she will join her aunt, Mrs. M. W. Brown. They sail for Europe on the 9th on the steamer Allen. W. U. Fitch, manager of the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad, re-turned Saturday week from the St. Paul ice carnival, accompanied by Mrs. Fitch and Miss Fitch, General and Mrs. Crook and Mrs. Read. The trip was a most delightful one to all parties, Mr. and Mrs. Fitch entertaing the guests in their private car.

private car. OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Saturday, Feb. 5.

Cattle. The market was strong to-day with an ac-tive demand. The few there were in sold readily.

The receipts were light to-day even for a Saturday. The market opened brisk and a few sales were made at about yesterday's prices, the market then eased off and was in, clined to be slow. Later it revived and every thing was sold out.

Sheep. There was nothing doing in the market

to-day.
Receipts. 20 Hogs
Prevailing Prices.
Showing the prevailing prices paid for live slock on this market: Choice steers, 1350 to 1500 tbs. \$4,25@4.50 Choice steers, 1100 to 1300 lbs. \$3,35@4.00 Good to choice corn-fed cows. 2,75@3.25 Fair to medium grass cows. 2,00@2.50 Good to choice bulls. 2,00@2.50 Light and medium hogs. 4,75@4.05 Good to choice heavy hogs. 4,85@5.00 Good to choice mixed hogs. 4,85@4.90 Choice sheep, 90 to 120 lbs. 3,50@4.00

Choic	ce shee	ep, 90 to 120	0 lbs 3.	50@4.00
	R	Pr. 83,1234 3,25 3,50 3,50 3,50 3,75	ative Sales.	
		ST	EERS.	
No.	Av.	Pr.	No. A	v. Pr.
	950	83 1917	36112	
	1020	9.08	81117	3.85
	. 850	2.50	121163	
	1230	9.50	10 1911	
		3,30	161311	
	1020	3,00	101260	
3	1060	8.75	111350	4.30
		CC	WS.	
No.	Av.	124	No. A.	v. Pr.
1	1110	82.00	17112	5 S3.00
	1000	\$3.00 9,95 9,50 2,50 2,75	7 106	1 8.00
	1059	2.5)	3100	3.00
	1138	2,75	15107	5 3,10
	1052	2.85	101111101	3 0,10
	4 1 7 60 100			
850.	40	ri Bu	LLS.	
No.	Av.	Pr.	No. A	v. Pr.
	1480	89.95	4,105	2 \$2,65
	1870	2.50	2159	0 2,65
1	1710	2.60	2159 1185	0 3,25
		3(1)	XED.	
No.	Av.	Pr.	No. Av	. Pr.
		3.15	101.000 (4.61)	
			KERS.	
No	Av.	The		The state of
	6.120	\$2.50	10 56	2000
	. 000	62.00	10 60	5 50,00
	(2)	COWS A	ND BULLS.	
NO.	AV,	Pr.	No. A	v. Pr.

No. Av. Shk, Pr 12 ...205 00 84.87 80 .188 120 4.75 84 ...209 40 4.80 77 ...210 160 4.80 87 ...191 120 4.80 68 ...195 — 4.80 77 ...212 40 4.85 77 ...212 40 4.85 79 ...227 200 4.85 81 ...201 120 4.85 No. Av. Shk. Pr.
72 . 215 40 \$4.90
66 . 247 40 4.90
70 . 244 200 4.90
66 . 277 80 4.90
65 . 251 120 4.90
58 . 250 240 4.90
74 . 211 120 4.90
70 . 240 120 4.90
70 . 240 120 4.90 120 4.85 70....967 120 4.90 68...237 120 4.85 84...188 — 4.85 60...259 40 4.90 51....370 120 5.00

Range of Prices. Showing the highest and lowest prices paid for loads of logs on this market during

4.15 (24.40	17,000		
4.15 (64.50	4,70 @4.80	3.65 @3.75 Sunday Feb. 1886	
Jan. 1887	Feb. 1837		
Sunday 4.40 @4.70 4.40 @4.75 4.35 @4.70	4.75 @4.90 4.80 @4.95 4.70 @5.00 4.80 @5.00 4.70 @5.00	3.62½@3.90 3.65 @1.00 3.80 @4.05 3.75 @3.95 3.75 @4.05	
	Sunday 4.40 @4.70 4.40 @4.75	Sunday 4.75 @4.90 4.80 @4.95 4.40 @4.70 4.70 @5.00 4.40 @4.75 4.80 @5.00	

Showing the number of cattle, hors and sheep shipped from the yards during the day.

| No. cars. | CATTLE. | Dest. | 14. | N. W | Chicago | 6. | Mil. | Chicago | All sales of stock in this market are made All sales of stock in this market are made percept, live weight unless otherwise stated. Dead hogs sell at 1/2c per lb. for all weights. "Skins," or hogs weighing less than 100 lbs, no value. Pregnant sows are docked 40 lbs. and stags 80 lbs, by the public inspector.

No hogs left over. Cattle active and strong.

The yards were cleared to-day, all stock in being sold out. J. T. Kent, Shenandoah, Ia., was here looking over the market.

Among those having cattle on the market were the following: C. Wilcox, North Bend; Keine & Maloney, St. Edwards: R. B. Gammel, Herman; Win, Priestman, Shenandoah; B. F. Stilley & Co., Dewitt: Hoy & T., Silver Creek; J. Degnan, Marysyille; Trekel & B., Cortland.

B., Cortland.

Among those having bogs on the market were the following: J. W. Uhl, Stromsburg: W. J. Davis, Doniphan; H. Lewis, Kent: Farrington & Son, Lyons; A. Spearman, Springfield; Findlay & H., Marne; Fisher & W., York: Standard & N., Ravenna; F. J. Tobill, O'Neill; D. S. Handy & Co., Loun City; Arbuckle & C., Villisea; L. Akin, Shanbaugh: W. C. Potter & Son, Corning; O. H. Burd, Murray; Trekel & B., Cortland.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—The Drover's Journa reports as follows:
Cattle—Receipts. 1,000; steady; shipping steers, \$3,45@5.00; stockers and feeders, \$2,45@5.00; stockers and mixed, \$1.75@3.85; bulk, \$2,25@3.40.
Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; steady and strong; rough and mixed, \$4.70@5.15; packing and shipping, \$5,00@5.40; light \$450@5.10; skips, \$3,50@4.40.
Sheep—Receipts. 1,200; slow but steady: Sheep-Receipts, 1,300; slow but steady; natives, 2,50@4.75; western, \$3.50@4.50;

Sheep—Receipts, 1,300; slow but steady; natives, 2,50@4.75; western, \$3.50@4.50; lambs, 4.00@5.50,

St. Louis, Feb. 5.—Cattle—Choice heavy native steers, \$4.40@5.00; fair to good shipping steers, \$2.50@43.35; butchers' steers, fair to choice, \$3.10@4.20; feeders, fair to good. \$2.80@3.60; stockers, fair to good, \$2.10@ 8.00, Hogs—Receipts, 900 head; strong; choice heavy and butchers' selections, \$5,25@5.40; packing, fair te good, \$5.00@5.30; Yorkers, medium to fancy, \$4.00@5.05; pigs, common to good, 4.20@4.80.

Kansas City, Feb. 5.-Cattle-Receipts. 800 head; shipments, none; cows and butchers, strong; common to choice shipping, \$3.50g4.50; stockers, \$2.60g4.10; feeding steers, \$3.15c43.65; cows, \$1.75cg4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 8.500 head; shipments, 700 head; steady; common to choice, \$4.50c6

"Boss Shepherd's Mexican silver mines are paying him so well that he thinks of returning to Washington to reside per-

Mrs. Hettie Greene, of New York, who can put up \$30,000,000 in eash any time, pays only \$5 a week for her board at Far Rockaway.

# ONDON TAILORS.

### The Most Extensive Merchant Tailors On Earth.

### LARGE CITY

Eighty-three stores using the entire output (in our combined wholesale and retail trade) of some of the largest wooles mills of England. They will occupy quarters at

# South 15th Street,

Until their new store is finished, which will be, by the way, the largest building devoted exclusively to tailoring this side of New York city. Omaha will be headquarters for our Northwestern trade. Being induced to locate here instead of St. Paul by some of Omaha's most prominent citizens.

## Our Work Will Be Made

We will bring some of the best tailors from our New York and Chicago stores. Our designers and cutters are, in addition to those we have engaged here, the best money can procure. Artists who have introduced not a few of the styles so popular for the past ten years. They are constantly consulted by fashion reporters from the fact that the adoption of any new style in our store makes it fashionable among the best dressed society of Europe and America. For the first ten days we shall display a line of Fresh Bright Spring Goods in medium weights. We term them our North of England Line. Consisting of about 250 Suit Patterns, which we make up to order for \$25; 317 Suit Patterns at \$30 to \$35 to order; 175 styles Fine Clothing that range from \$18 up for Coat and Vest; 70 styles Spring Overcoating to order for \$18, \$20 and \$25; 516 styles in Trouserings which we will cut and make to your order for from \$5, \$7 and \$10.

Modesty forbids our claiming more. We certainly aim at the finest in the world. We have repeatedly shown the super riority of our work.

### We Will Open on Tuesday, February 8th,

And will keep our store open every week day thereafter until 9 p. m. ELECTRIC LIGHT SIGN.

SATURDAY MARKET FIGURES.

Wheat Develops a Feeling of Weakness All Through the Session.

CORN NEGLECTED AND EASIEH

ates and Prices Average Lower-The Usual Saturday Dullness Pervades Cattle.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5,-|Special Telegram to the BEE. !- Wheat was dull all through the session and the feeling doveloped was one of weakness, owing to rain in California and an advance in British securities. There was scarcely anything done in the way of filling outside orders, and local traders had the pit pretty much to themselves. In New York and at other leading points values were lower. The range of prices was narrow and inside figures the closings, which show a shrinkage of half a cent on the finishing ones yesterday. At eight western points the receipts were 191,000 bushels and the shipments 97,000 bushels. May, which opened at 8334c and closed at 83%c, sold at and between 83% @83%c. June sold at 84%@85%c, closing at 85c. July sold at 8516c. futures closed at 7714c for February, 77%e for March and 78%e for April. Corn was rather neglected, an easier feeling prevaued. Offerings were not large, but the absence of demand and the decline in wheat caused a 14@%c decline, and list sales were  $\frac{37}{36}$  below yesterday. May opened at 41c, broke to  $40 \times (0.40\%)$  and closed at 40%c. July closed at 42%c. Oats were dull, but a fluctuation of 5c created a good deal of merriment, ation of %c created a good deal of merriment, and the closings were ½c under those of yesday. February closed at 25%c, March at 25%c and April sold at 25%. May sold at 30 460 and closed at 30½c, June sold at 30½c, 30%c and closed at 30½c. The excitement in provisions moderated to-day exeitement in provisions moderated to-day and prices averaged lower, though the market could not be called weak or shaky at any stage of the trading. May pork opened at \$13.59\,\(\frac{1}{2}\), and several times sold as low as \$13.40 and once struck \$13.57\,\(\frac{1}{2}\). The 1 o'clock price was \$13.45, a loss of loc as compared with yesterday. Ribs and lard show a very slight depreciation in value. May ribs closed at \$6.90, and May lard at \$6.82\,\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5,-| Special Telegram to the BEE.]-CATTLE-The market to-day was dull and quiet as is apt to be the case Saturday, A few cattle here and there, which just suited the fancy of certain buyers, sold at steady prices, while some inferior cattle sold lower and other cattle did not sell at all. On the whole, it was a typical Saturday market. Shipping steers, 1,350 to 1,500 lbs., 84.35

ket. Shipping steers, 1,350 to 1,500 lbs., \$4.35 (£5.00): 1,200 to 1,350 lbs., \$4.35: \$50 to 1,200 lbs., \$5.45£4.75. Stockers and feeders, \$2.10 (£3.50): cows, bulls and mixed, \$1.75£3.85; bulk, \$2.25£3.40.

Hogs—A few buyers and a few salesmon reported light sorts a shade lower, but in a general way there was nothing to show that there was any change worth noting. Values have advanced \$5£35cs since \$5.100(£5.05): and today at \$5.35cs, \$40. Prime packing and butcher weights soldat \$5.00(£5.30); and common at \$4.80(£4.90). Light sorts sold within a range of \$4.90(£5.25). The latter was the outside price and somewhat above the average.

FINANCIAL

New York. Feb. 5.—Monsy—On call, easy at 3@4 per cent, closing at 3@4 per cent. PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-526 per STERLING EXCHANGE—Dull but steady at \$4.85\, for sixty day bills; \$4.88\, for de-

Hand.

Government bonds were dull but steady.

STOCKS—The signing of the inter-state commerce bill had no appreciable effect on stocks, which created some surprise, though it is well understood that the effects have been discounted for a time. The opening was strong, advances over last evening's final figures ranging up to % per cent. There were further other slight advances in early

Subdivision of Blocks 86 🕍 95, Benson,

TWO OF THE FINEST BLOCKS IN ALL BENSON!

Prices Reasonable.

Street Cars Guaranteed Within Two Blocks by September 1st, 1887, Call and See the Guarantee.

Over one-fourth already sold. Call early and get your choice.

### Wise & Parmele, Sole Agents, 1509 Farnam.

bears forced prices down to small fractions below the opening tigures during the first haif hour. The advance, however, was resumed and made slow but steady progress, subject to frequent slight reactions, until 1 p. m. After that time a great rush to cover took place, and more vim being imparted to deals the advance was accelerated and was only checked toward the close, which was strong at about the highest figures reached. STOCKS ON WALL STREET.

## STOCKS ON WALL STREET.

### cent bonds... 100
U. S. 4½ s... 110¼
New 4's... 128½
Pacific 0's of '95. 126
| entral Pacific... 35½
| c. & A... 142 |
| preterred... 155 |
| D. L. & W... 135¼
| D. & R. G... 235¼
| Erie... 3115 |
| Dreferred... 675¼
| Differred... 675¼
| Illinois Central... 132 |
| L. & N... 18 |
| Kansas & Texas... 28¼
| L. & N... 605%
| Mich. Central... 89½ |
| Mich. Central... 89½ |
| Mo. Pacific... 107½ |
| Northern Pac... 265¼ |
| Dreferred... 585% |
| C. & N. W... 113¾ |
| C. & N. W... 125 |
| C. & N. W... 125 |
| C. & N. W... 125 |
| C. & N. W.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 5.-Following quotations

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Following quotations are the 2:30 closing figures:
Flour—Dull, steady and unchanged; flour, \$4.2064.30; southern, \$4.1064.30; Wisconsin, \$4.3064.30; Michigan soft spring wheat, \$3.7064.30; Jacks and barrels, \$3.603.70.

Wheat—Influenced by dull and weak cables, higher consols and French senter opened weak and about 1/2 lower and closed 1/2 under yesterday; cash, 774c; March, 75.3-16c; May, \$3.7-16c.

Corn—Dull and easier, 3/2 lower than yesterday; cash, 35%c; March, 35.11-16c; May, 40%c.
Oats—Dull and easy; 1/2 lower; cash, 25.7-15c; March, 25.9-16c; May, 30c.

Rys—Quiet at 54c.
Barley—Dull at 566.52c.
Timothy seed—Prime, \$1.80.601.87.
Flaxseed—\$1.00.
Whisky—\$1.18.
Pork—Active and weak and delined 156620c closing weak; cash and March, \$13.30613.35; May, \$13.472.6013.50.

Lard—Moderately active and easier, 24665c lower; cash, \$6.62466.65; March, \$6.67469.

5.70; May, \$6.83466.65; March, \$6.67469.

5.70; May, \$6.83466.65; March, \$6.67469.

Butter—Tame; creamery, 26677.4c; dairy, 144.6224c.
Cheese—Tame; full cream cheddars, 133464. 14 (capie. Cheese—Tame: full cream cheddars, 123/64

18c; flats, 1314(4)134c; young Americas, 13 (4)134c; skima, 844(4)124c. Eggs 256284c. Hides Steady and unchanged; Green; 65c: heavy green saited, 75c; saited built, 61c; dry saited, 11@12c, dry lint, 18@14c; deacons, 25c sach.
Tailow—No. 1 country, 85c; No. 2, 25c; Receipts. Shipments.

Flour, bbls. 11,000
Wheat, bu 45,000
Gern, bu 62,000
Sats, bu 88,000 

St. Louis, Feb. 5.-Wheat-Weak; No. OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS 2 red, cash, 81@81%c; May, 85%c. Corn—Easy; No. 2 mixed, cash, 34%c; May, 35%c, Oats—About steady; No. 2 mixed, cash.

Oats—About steady; N 27%c: May. 28%c: Hye—Firm at 52c. Whisky—\$1.13. Pork—Steady at \$13.85. Lard—Strong at \$6.50.

Butter-Steady; creamery, 24@27c; dairy. Mansas City, Feb. 5.—Wheat—Quiet: No. 2 red, cash, March, 72/4e bid; May, 77/8c Corn-Lower; No. 2, cash, 3014c bid; March, 31 4c; May, 334 @33/sc. Oats-Nominal.

New Orleans, Feb. 5 .- Corn-Dull, weak and lower at 47c.
Oats—Quiet and steady at 37@3734c.
Hog Products—Good demand with prices

Hog Products—close demand with Prices tending upward.

Pork—\$13.50,
Lard—Refined tierce, \$6.37%.
Bulk Meats—Shoulders, \$5.50; long clear, and clear rib, \$6.87%.

Liverpool, Feb. 5.—Wheat—Quiet; demand has fallen off; supply good.

Corn—Quiet and stead.

mand has fallen off; supply good.

Corn—Quiet and steady.

New York, Feb. 5.—Wheat—Receipts,

17,000; exports, 65,000; spot 14w14c lower,
options opened heavy, declined 246w4c, reacted stronger, closing showing a recovery of
about 14c; ungraded red, 916w14c; No. 3
red, 914c; No. 1 red, 95c; No. 2 red, 9246w
gsc in elevator, 92146w3c February, March
closing at 924c

Corn—Spot 146w4c and options 146w14c
lower, closing heavy; receipts, 19,000; exports, 54,000; ungraded, 476w18k1c; No. 3,

474c; No. 2, 484c in elevator, 494c delivered; March closed at 49c.
Oats—Less active; receipts, 49,400; exports,
Oats—Less active; receipts, 49,400; exports,

livered: March closed at 49c. Oats—Less active; receipts, 49,400; exports, 907; mixed western, 37(2)9e; white western, 38(2)47c. Fotroleum—Steady; United closed at 65%c.

Fotroleum—Steady; United closed at 65%c. Eggs—Quiet and weak; western, 28c. Pork—Quiet but very steady. Lard—A shade lower and dull; western steam spot, \$6,92%.
Butter—Quiet and weak; western, 12@28c; Elgin creamery, 29c. Cheese—Quiet; western flat, 11@12%.

Milwankee, Feb. 5.—Wheat—Weak; cash, 78c; February, 775%c; May, 83c.
Corn—Firm; No. 3, 36%c.
Oats—Firm; No. 2, white, 31%c.
Rys—Steady; No. 1, 55c.
Barley—Easy; No. 2, 50%c.
Provisions—Firm; pork, \$1c.42%; May, \$13, 55.

Cincinnati, Feb. 5 .- Wheat-Strong; No. red, 844@35c.
Corn—Qulet; No. 2 mixed, 3614c.
Oats—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 31c.
Rye—Dull; No. 2, 69c.
Pork—Qulet at \$13.90.
Lard—Strong at \$6.69.
Whisky—Steady at \$1.13.

Minacapolis, Feb. 5.—Wheat—Futures weak, samples on track in good demand; No. 1 hard, cash and February, 79c; May, 186; No. 1 northern, eash and February, 78c; No. 1 northern, eash and February, 78c; May, 80c.
Flour-Quiet; patents, \$4.59.24.60; bakers, \$3.582.70.
Receipts—Wheat, 75.080 bu.

Colonel Noah E. Smith, of Laconia, N. H., who piloted General Scott's army into the City of Mexico. Is critically iii.

Shipments-Wheat, 13,000 bit.; flour, 15,000

Former friends of ! when he looms up in dear sighted General Produce.

Saturday, Feb. 5.
The following prices are for round lots of produ ce, as sold on the market to-day. quotations on fruits represent the prices at which outside orders are filted. Eags—The bulk of the fresh stock sold at 21,325c, it being hard even to obtain the BUTTER—The choicest is selling mostly at 15@18c; fair to good, 14@15c; common,

GAME-Prairie chickens, quail and ven-GAME—Prairie chickens, quail and ven-ison are out of season and it is con-trary to the law for dealers to handle them. The law has never been very strictly en-forced, and a good many dealers handle them after they are out of season: Ducks, Mailard, per doz, \$1.75@2.00; ducks, Teal, \$1.25@1.50; ducks, mixed, \$1.25; geese, \$2.50@3.00: Brants, \$2.00; Jack rabbits, \$5.00; small rabbits, 50@60c. Ponitry—The receipts were very light to-

Si.00; small rabbits, 50@60e.

Poultry—The receipts were very light today and choice chickens sold at 10e and turkeys at 10@11e.

OVEGETABLES—Beels, carrots, parsnips and turnips are quoted at 50e. Horse-radish roots \$4.00@4.50 per bbl.

Porators—The weather has been so cold during the past few days that it was impossible to handle potatoes to any extent. The trade is limited almost entirely to the sale of small lots from the store. Fair to good stock, from store, small lots, 60@65c; choice stock, from store, small lots, 65@70e.

Oysters—Mediums, 20e; standards, 20e; selects, 28e; extra selects, 23e; N. Y. counts, 38e.

selects, Se; extra selects, Se; N. Y. counts, Sec.

Applexs—The apple market is firm and stocks on hand are light; Choice Missouri stock per bbl. \$3.75@4.00; Choice Michigan stock per bbl. \$4.00.

Onions—Home grown stock, per bu. \$1.00 @1.40.

ONIONS-Home grown stock, per bu. \$1,00 @1.40.
CELERY—Choice stock, per doz. 40@45c.
ORANGES—There is a liberal supply of good stock on the market; Valencia per case, \$4.00@6.50; California, per box, \$3.00@3.25; Florida, per box, \$3.00@3.25.
LEMONS—The market leeking up and prices have advanced in New York; Messina fancy, per box, \$5.00.
CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, fancy, per bbl, \$12.00; bell and bugle, per bbl, \$10.00; Bell and Cherry, \$9.75.
BEANS—Inferior stock, 75@81.00; good elean country, \$1.00@1.25; medium, hand picked, \$1.40@1.50; hand picked navy, \$1.50 1@.60.
PROVISIONS—Ham, 12c; breakfast bacon, 95c; clear side bacon, \$5c; dry sait

Provisions—Ham, 12c; breakfast bacon, 914c; clear side bacon, 84c; dry sait sids, 8c; shoulders, 7c; dried beef, regular, 11c; dried beef, ham pieces, 14c; lard, 50 lb cans, 7c; lard, 20 lb cans, Fairbanks, 73c; lard, 10 lb cans, Fairbanks, 74c; lard 5 lb cans, 75c; lard, 3 lb cans, 75c; lard 5 lb cans, 75c; lard, 3 lb cans, 75c; lard 6 lb cans, 75c; lard, 3 lb cans, 75c; lard 6 lb cans, 75c; lard, 3 lb cans, 25c; do, do, beat flour, patent, 82,40c;25c; W. J. Welshan's buckwheat flour, per bbl, 36 00; do, double sacks, 83.00 per hundred; W. J. Welshan's No. 1, ready raised, forty 2% lb packages in case, 84.50; do, twenty 5 lb packages in case, 84.50; bran, 70c per cwt; chopped feed, 75c per cwt; white corn ineal, 8c; yellow corn, meal, 8c; wellow corn, meal, 8c; wellow corn, meal, 8c; wellow corn, largellam, 81.7c; hay, in bales, 87.00 per cwt; gralam, 81.7c; hay, in bales, 87.00 per ton.

An artesian well at St. Augustine, Fla., throws up 15,000,000 gallons of sulphur

water daily.

Sited may be bronzed by covering it with olive oil and exposing to the steam of a kettle of boiling water.