# SATURDAY MARKET FIGURES

The Props Fall out of Wheat in the Last Half Hour.

STRENGTHOIN CORN TEMPORARY

Provisions Lose Most of the Improvement Gained on Friday-Only Certain Kinds of Cattle Wanted.

### CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28 .- | Special Telegram to the YEE. |-The wheat market held up fairly well until the last half hour, when the prop seemed to fall out from under it and there was a sudden drop of 1/2c per bushel. About all the advance gained yesterday was lost to day in ten mmutes. Hutchinson's buying had turned local sentiment bullish and the crowd appeared to be prepared with plenty of long wheat for the expected continuation of the bulge to-day, but it did not come, and there followed the natural result of an attempt to "even up" in the last trading hour of the week. Hutchinson was a moderate buyer again this morning, but it was thought that other brokers were selling out the load he took on yesterday, and the market had a sagging tendency almost from the first. There was a very large quantity of wheat for sale for St. Louis account, and that market, being relatively lower than ours, gave an opportunity for some traders to buy there and sell here and realize a profit, all of which was so much added weight for this market to the bears. There was but little outside support, such as was expected to follow yesterday's advance, and, in deed, the country seemed to rathe like taking advantage of the bulge to sell out on. And so "the Hutchin-son bulge," as it was called yesterday, was pulled down much quicker than it was built. May wheat opened at \$2%c and the lowest point reached in early trading was \$2%c, and there was an almost immediate recovery to \$256.08254c. At about \$254.08254c, the price hung for a long time, then suddenly dropped almost without a halt to 81%, and the highest price touched thereafter was 82683%c, the close being at \$13/6682c February opened nominally at 75%c, sold at 70%c and closed nominally at 75%ce76c. Corn showed some strength at the opening but it did not last and a gradual decime was

followed by a sharp one, May corn closing 34 followed by a sharp one, May corn closing %c under the opening and at the lowest point of the day. Country speculators were evidently taking advantage of the bulge to unload their long corn, and receiving houses were steadily selling against the cribbel corn held by their customers. When the local crowd had thus been pretty well filled up there was still plenty of corn for sale and up there was still plenty of corn for sale, and local scalpers becoming alarmed, all tried to sell at once, and down went the price. May corn opened at 53%c and during the early trading sold at 53%(a.53%c, then slowly sagged to 53%c and suddenly dropped in the last half hour to 52%c, which was the February corn opened at 48%c asked and sold down to 48c bid.

Yesterday's bulge in the speculative oats market was as ephemeral as that of the other grain markets. May oats opened at 35%c, which was yesterday's closing price, and fell to 33c and closed at that price asked.

In provisions yesterday's improvement was in a great measure lost. In the absence of any particular demand and largely in antici pation of largely increased receipts of hogs the coming week, the bear side rather held control. No direct or open effort was made to crowd the depression, yet the market was casier from the start and suffered a general decline. At adjournment pork was 20622%, lard 10612%c and short ribs 567%c lower than last night's closing. Trading was a little slow. May, the active speculative delivery, sold from \$14.75 down to \$14.50 for pork, from \$7.75 down to \$7.65 for lard and from \$7.85 down to \$7.75 for short ribs.

## CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28 .- | Special Telegram to any other Saturday. The receipts were light and but few wanted outside of canners and ctty butchers, yet there were sufficient orders here on shipping and export account to take about all the good natives on sale. Owing to the searcity of Texans there was a fair demand for cows and heifers. Nearly every thing at all useful was sold out, the genera market closing steady with an advance of 25 @30c over the current rates last Monday The advance is largely on nice, medium natives and choice handy litrle steers. Deal ers generally look for a big run next week, as telegrams have gone out in all directions naming an advance and ordering cattle for next week, Fancy, \$5.25. St 1350 to 1500 lbs, \$4.45@5.00; 1200 to 1350 \$3.90@4.40; 950 to 1200 lbs, \$3.00@3.80. Stockers and feeders, \$2.00@3.40; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1.75@3.20; bulk, \$2.15@2.60. grass steers, \$2,25@3.00.

Hogs-Trade was brisk and prices fully as strong as yesterday, some few fancy heavy going as high as \$5.85@5.95; mixed, \$5.60@ 5.75; light mixed, \$5.40@5.60; light sorts 5.75; light mixed, \$5.40@5.60; light sorts \$5.25@5.50; pigs, \$4.90@5.19. The general market closed steady and 20@25c higher tha

# FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28 .- [Special Telegram

to the BEE. |-STOCKS-The firmness and upward tendency of the stock market the past two days was continued to-day with increased force, in many instances the advance exceeding those of any preceding day this week and extended to 1% per cent, the largest gains being on Missouri Pacific and Lackawanna. Grangers were up 140014 per cent, Northwestern having the lead of that class. Western Union advanced % and Pullman 1/4 per cent, the only stocks showing an exception being Jersey Central, which dropped % and Oregon Railway 1/4 per cent. Trading was active for Saturday, aggre gating 127,447 shares, including 28,200 of shares Lackawanna, 14,525 shares of Read ing, 10,275 of Missouri Pacific and 7,000 of St Paul. There was less disposition to sell stocks, but a decided demand, particularly from shorts who have been forced to cover at a loss. The advance was materially assisted by the favorable bank statement, the reserve showing an increase of \$2,344,300, a gain of about \$15,000,000 since January I: The con tinued case of the money market encourages the bulls and they are beginning to think that there are better things in store for them

GOVERNMENTS Government bonds were
dull but steady.
YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS.
U. S. 4s registered 126 C. & N. W. 110 U. S. 4s coupon. 128 do preferred 144 U. S. 4's registered 108 N. Y. Central. 1074 U. S. 4's registered 108 O. R. N. 944 Pacific 6s of '96. 1195 P. T. 224 Canada Southern 54's Pacific Mail. 35's Central Pacific 33's O. D. & E. 20 Chicago & Alton. 1384 Paliman PalaceCarl 43's C. B. & Q. 1294 Reading. 66's D. A. R. G. 25's Rock Island. 114 D. A. R. G. 25's L. & S. F. 36 do preferred. 73 do preferred. 73 do preferred. 74 do preferred. 75's H. & W. 13 S. P. & O. 30's I. R. & T. 17's do preferred. 15's I. R. & T. 17's do preferred. 15's L. & N. 66's
STERLING EXCHANGE - Steady at \$4.84%

for sixty day bills, and \$4.86% for de-

# PRODUCE MARKETS.

Chicago, Jan. 28 .- Following are the 2:30 closing prices: Flour—The market was unchanged; winter wheat bbls, \$3.50(@5.50; sacks, \$2.50(@3.75; wheat, bbls, \$3.50(@4.50; sacks, \$2.70(@4.25; spring, \$1.75(@3.90; rye flour, \$2.85(@3.10 per bbl; buckwheat flour, \$5.00(@6.75 per bbl; Wheat—Moderately active but weak; market opened the same as yesterday's closin;

and closed %c lower; cash and I 15-16c; May, 81 15-16c.	February, 75
Corn-Fairly active, fluctuati moderate range, closing weak an yesterday; cash and February,	d Me below
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Dry Salted Meats—Shoulders, \$5.90@6.00; short clear, \$7.95@8.00; short ribs, \$7.50. Butter - Unchanged; creamery, 22@32c; dairy, 21@26c. Cheese-Unchanged; tull cream cheddars,

Cheese—Unchanged; full cream cheddars, 11@11½c; flats, 11½@11¾c; young Americas, 12@12½c.

Eggs—Unchanged at 20@22c.

Hides—Unchanged; green hides 5½c; green frozen, 5c; heavy green salted, 6½; light green salted, 6½; salted bull, 5½c; green bull, 4½c; green salted calf, 8c; dry flint and dry calf, 12@13c; branded, 15 per cent off; deacons, 30c each; dry salted, 10c.

Tallow—In fair demand; No. 1, country, 4@4½c, No. 2, 3½; cake, 4½c per lb.

Wheat, bu 23,000 Corn, bu 68,000 Oats, bu 107,000 17,000 52,000 Rye, bu ...... 5,000 Barley, bu ...... 37,000 3.000

St. Louis, Jan. 28.-Wheat-Lower; cash, 80%c; May, 27%c. Corn—Lower; cash, 470%47%c; May, 48%c. Oats—Weak; cash, 30% May, 31%c. Pork-\$15.00, Lard -\$7.25, Whisky-\$1.08.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 24@30c; dairy, 18@26c. Minneapolis, Jan. 28.—Best grade mill-

fraction higher; receipts, 162 cars; shipments, 41cars; Closing; In store—No. 1 hard, cash and February, 75; May, 80c. No. 1 northern, cash and February, 75; Con track—No. 1 hard, 79c; No. 2 northern, 75; No. 2 northern, 75c. 76c; No. 2 northern, 74c. Milwaukee, Jan. 28.—Wheat—Weak; cash, 76c; May, 80%c. Corn—Dull; No. 3, 47%c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white, 35c, Rye—Weaker; No. 1, 6514c. Barley—Higher; No. 2, 78c. Provisions-Firm. Cincinnati, Jan. 28.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, 87¼@81½c. Corn—Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 52c. Oats—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 31½c. Rye—Firm; No. 2, 70c.

Provisions—Pork, \$14.75; lard, \$7.45. Whisky—\$1.08.

New York, Jan. 28.-Wheat-Receipts 550; exports, 111,000; options declined \( \frac{1}{2} \) (as \( \text{carly}, \text{ but recovered most of loss, closed firm; spot lots, neglected; No. 1 red. \( \text{93} \) \( \text{cc}, \text{No. 2} \) red. \( \text{90} \) \( \text{cd}, \text{ to clevator; } \) \( \text{91} \) \( \text{carly} \) firm; spot lots, neglected 100.

No. 2 red, 9034c in elevator; 913409134
afloat; 9034c f. o. b.; February closed at 90c.
Corn—Receipts, 26,400; exports, 3,400; spot advanced \( \frac{1}{2} \) \( \frac{1}{2} \) \( \text{c. closing steady: ungra 61\) \( \text{61} \) \( \frac{1}{2} \) \( \text{c.} \) \( \text{No. 3, 61} \) \( \text{de} \) \( \text{in clevator, 6} \) \( \text{delivered: February closed at 61} \) \( \text{c.} \) Oats—Receipts, 26,000; exports, 900, 54,00 4c higher; mixed western, 39@4034c; white

western, 40@46c. Coffee—Spot, western, 40@46c.
Coffee—Spot, fair; Rio dull and nominal at \$17.00; options opened 10@15 points lower, closed steady with trifle better sales, 101,250 bags; January, \$13.90@14.50; February, \$12.55@12.70; March, \$12.00@12.40; April, \$11.95@12.25.
Petroleum—Steady; United, 88%c.

Eggs-Steady: Western, 23\(\frac{1}{2}\) (@21c. Pork—Quiet. Lard—Lower; western steam, \$7.80. Butter—Steady; western, 14@34c. Cheese—Firm; western, 11%@12c. Kansas City, Jan. 28.-Wheat-Steady No. 2 soft, cash, 80c.

Corn—Quiet; No. 2, cash, 43c; May, 47c. Oats—No. 2, cash, 30c. New Orleans, Jan. 28. - Corn-Lower, Oats-Easier; No. 2, 41c; others un-

## LIVE STOCK.

changed.

Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Jan. 28. -The Drovers' Journal reports: Cattle - Receipts, 4.000; market lower; steers, \$3.00(a5.000); stocker and feeders, \$2.00(a3.40; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1.75(a3.20; Texas steers, \$2.25(a3.00.

Hogs - Receipts, 15,000; market steady mixed, \$5.20@5.70; heavy, \$5.50@5.90; light, \$5.10@5.60; skips, \$3.50@5.00. Sheep—Receipts, 2.000; steady; natives, \$3.00@5.10; western, \$4.50@5.10; Texans, \$3.00 @4.00; lambs, \$4.75@6.15.

National Stock Yards East St.

Louis, Jan. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; shipments, 800; market active and strong at verterday's quotations.

Hogs—Receipts, 700; shipments, 800; market atrong; choice heavy and butchers' selections, \$5.70(a5.90; packing, \$5.25(a5.75; light grades, \$5.70(a5.90; packing, \$5.75; light grades, \$5.70(a5.90; packing, \$5.75; light grades, \$5.75(a5.90; packing, \$5.75(a5.90; pac light grades, \$5,00@5.30.

Kansas City, Jan. 28.—Cattle—Receipts. 1,000; shipments, 800; weak and 10c lower except choice which are steady; common to choice, \$3.25@4.75; stockers, \$1.75@2.50 feeding steers, \$2.60@3.25; cows, \$1.30@2.00 Hogs — Receipts, 5,000; shipments, 400; common to choice, \$4.75@5.50; skips and pigs, \$3.00@4.60.

# OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

General.

Saturday, Jan. 28, 1888. The receipts of cattle for the week ending to-day have been fairly liberal and while the class of stock has not been above the aver eass of stock has not been above the average the number of head sold to local buyers exceeds that of any corresponding period for some time. Prices on stock have fluctuated considerably but at present the market is in a fair condition when the class of stock and ondition of other markets is considered.

The receipts of hogs have been moderate and prices have improved since the first of the week, as will be seen by the table below. There is no good reason to doubt an improve-ment from this time forward. True a radical change may not instantly occur, but there is no reason to doubt that the prospects for a steady change for the better are good.

The sheep market has been fair with mod erate receipts and some sales at first-class

The receipts to-day were light and the market devoid of any special features. The offerings were principally common stock and but few head changed hands as far as local buyers were concerned. Eastern roads being blockaded makes the getting of cars in which to ship dressed beef almost impossible and packers do not desire to accumulate too much stock. Prices were some lower than on the day previous, but this is accounted for by the receipts consisting of poorer grades

Hogs. The receipts were moderate and the quality fair. The market opened strong at yester-day's prices and closed a little weak. Some good heavy hogs sold at prices a shade higher, one load of choice bringing \$5.45. One load of inferior stuff was left over.

Sheep. The receipts of sheep were 102 head of natives which sold at \$6.75. Official Receipts. Cattle..... Sheep.....

The Week's Receipts. Showing the number of head of live stock received on the market during the past 
 Monday
 201

 Tuesday
 1,300

 Wednesday
 793

Thursday Friday Saturday 2,912 Prevailing Prices. Showing the prevailing prices paid for live

stock on the market:
Prime steers, 1300 to 1500 lbs. \$4.00 @4.25
Choice steers, 1100 to 1700 lbs. 3.35 @4.00
Fat little steers, 900 to 1050 lbs. 3.60 \$3.85
Corn-fed range steers, 1200 to
1500 lbs. 3.50 @3.75
Good to choice corn-fed cows. 2.25 @3.00 Common to medium cows..... 1.75 Western cows. 1.50 @2.50 Good rame feeders. 2.30 @2.65 good native feeders, 900 lbs and upwards. 2.25 @3.40 Common to medium buils . . . . 2.25 @2.40

Fair to medium native feeders. Fair to medium native feeders.

900 lbs and upwards. 2.25 @2.50
Stockers, 400 to 700 lbs. 2.15 @2.75
Prime fat sheep. 3.75 @4.25
Good fat sheep, 90@100 lbs. 3.25 @3.50
Fair to medium sheep. 2.25 @3.00
Common sheep. 1.75 @2.25
Light and medium hogs. 4.50 @5.10
Good to choice heavy hogs. 5.30 @5.45
Good to choice mixed hogs 5.20 @5.35 Representative Sales. NATIVE STEERS

No. Av. Pr. 3. 990 2.70 58. 1100 3.85 No. Av. 82.....1262 4.....1062 3.50 15.....1248 3.65 3....1093 3.00 13....1251 3.30 cows. 6.....1006 2.00 8..... 900 2.40 8..... 575 2.75 8.....575 2.75 1....1300 2.75 21....1137 2.95 6......1166 2.00 8....1101 2.1234 1.....1250 2.25 BULLS. 1.....1400 1.75 1.....1400 1.75 1.... 1230 1.75 SHEEP. 162..... 89 3.75 No. Av. Shk. Pr. 105. . . 06 160 3.25 1. . . . 210 — 3.32 Av. Shk. Pr. 226 120 5.30 . 226 120 5.30 . 235 80 5.30 . 229 80 5.30 . 278 200 5.30 . 251 200 5.30 . 250 120 5.30 - 3.75 40 3.60 200 120 40 163 - 4.25 .262 .269 .275 160 160 200 130 .250 .254 .276 .264 .161 40 4.70 .170 120 4.75 .186 120 5.15 120 200 160 5.35

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Harris & Fisher..... 
 Shippers
 219

 Feeders
 31

 Local
 21
 Harris & Fisher 776
Swift Packing Co 437
Armour & Cudahay 1,078 Local.....Speculators..... Shipments. 

Range of Prices. Showing the extreme highest and lowest rates paid for leading grades of hogs on dates mentioned: Date | Heavy. Jan. 17. 5 25 65 45 5 15 65 39 Jan. 18. 4 95 65 29 5 15 65 50 Jan. 19. 4 95 65 29 4 75 65 15 Jan. 20. 4 50 65 20 4 75 65 15 Jan. 21. 5 20 65 40 Jan. 21. 5 20 65 40 Jan. 22. 5 20 65 40 4 25 Ø5 05 4 25 Ø4 75 4 30 Ø4 75 4 30 Ø4 90 4 15 Ø5 00 Jan. 21, 5 20, 65 40 4 10 95 15 Jan. 22, Sunday Sunday Jan. 23, 5 25, 65 45 5 15, 65 30 Jan. 23, 5 15, 65 30 5 00, 65 20 Jan. 25, 5 15, 65 35 5 00, 65 20 Jan. 25, 5 15, 65 35 5 10, 65 35 Jan. 26, 5 15, 65 35 5 15, 65 30 Jan. 28, 5 25, 65 45 5 20, 65 35

Dockage and Commission. Public inspectors dock pregnant sows 40 pounds, stags 80 pounds each.

Dead hogs, 100 pounds and over, \$1.75@ Dead hogs. 100 pounds and over, \$1.75@
2.00 per cwt, less than 100 bs, of no value.
Yardage: Cattle, 25e; hogs, Se; sheep, 5e
per head, Feed: Corn, \$1.00 per bu; timothy
hay, \$30; prairie hay, \$20 per ton.
Commissions: Cattle, 50e per head; calves
and yearlings, \$10 per car. Hogs and sheep:
Single decks, \$5; public inspection on hogs,
15e per car. All sales unless otherwise
stated per 100 be live resight. stated per 100 lbs live weight.

Live Stock Notes. Cattle dull and but few sold.

Hogs a shade stronger, closing easy. J. Paul, of Dorchester, marketed 40 cent Joseph Ellis, of Dewitt, had cattle on the

E. C. Goodell, of Western, had cattle on Emly Bros., of Wisner, sold a load of fancy

hogs at the top price. S. E. Thompson, of Council Bluffs, was on the market with stock. William Carter, of Beemer, had sheep and

cattle on to-day's market. Mr. Weeks, of the shipping firm of Weeks & Sullivan, of O'Neill, was on the market with cattle and hogs.

The Improved Stock Breeders association of Nebraska will hold their next meeting at Kearney, Neb., on February 21. Everybody interested in this important industry is invited to be present and take a part in the proceedings. E. P. Savage, of Savage & Green, South Omaha, is secretary, and any information can be obtained of him.

Trade Topics. The condition of Omaha's trade is much the same as it was one week ago, although there has been some variations in prices on a few lines. The dry goods market is un changed and has been for sometime, although there are very strong indications that a change will be noted this coming week Groceries as a matter of course are subject to changes and while variations have occurred in some lines, more especially lard. meats, sugars, etc., prices as a rule are about steady. Flour and feed, hay and grain are steady, and although the former has varied considerably in other markets, prices here have remained firm. Spirits have advanced and are quoted in some instances 3 cents higher per gallon. Leather, hides and furs are quoted as about steady, a slight upward movement being noted. Drugs, paints, oils, etc., are steady. All lines of produce have been especially dull during the cold weather, but at present a slight improvement in the tone of the market can readily be seen Lumber is steady and but little doing at present, although small spring orders are beginning to come in. Wholesale dealers in all lines report that salesmen are already taking good orders for spring trade and that

# the prospects for the ensuing year are very flattering. Collections are good. OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS

Produce, Fruits, Etc.

Saturday, Jan. 28.

The following are the prices at which round lots of produce are sold on this market. Fruits or other lines of goods requiring extra labor of packing cannot always be supplied on outside orders at the same prices quoted the local trade.

BUTTER—Creamery, solid packed, 22-24c; choice rolls, 176/19c; medium, 156/17c; low grades, 106/19c.

PULLIFIT — Dressed chickens, 200

POULTA: - Dressed chickens, 8@9c per 1b; turkeys, 8@9c; ducks, 8@9c; geese, 9@10c. POTATORS-- Utah and Colorado stock, \$1.10 home grown, 95@1.00; common grades at 60c. Cabrage—Prices unchanged at \$1 per doz., and 2½@3c per B for California. Oranges—Valencias, \$7.50@8.00 per case of

420; Louisiana, \$4.00@4.25; Florida, brights, \$4.25@4.50; russetts, \$3.50@4.00; Mexican, LEMONS—Malaga are now out of the mar-ket, and orders are now filled from the stock of Messina, which are quoted at \$5.00@5.50

per box.

Bananas—\$3.00 to 3.50 for medium and \$3.50 TURSIPS—Are selling at 75c per bushel, with rutabagas at 556660c per bushel.

APPLES—We quote eastern fruit, fair to choice stock, \$3.5563.75; fancy stock, \$3.756

4.00.
CELERY—We quote 40@45c per dozen for choice and 45@50c for fancy.
GRAPES—Are without change and we quote \$7.50@8.00 per bbl. for Malagas, and larger sized bbls. in proportion up to \$10.
Ontons—Home grown, 756:85cc; Spanish ontons, per 50-fb crate, \$1.50cc1.75. Ecos 20@21c for cold storage; 21@22c for strictly fresh. Limed eggs are very slow at 15c.

BEANS-Good stock, \$2.00@2.30; fair to good, \$1.60@1.50, and California beans at \$2.25@2.40
SWEET POTATOES-Are nearly out of the market. We still quote: 2@21/c per lb., with extra at 3c. Cipen—Choice Michigan cider, \$6.00@6.50 Porcons Choice sheingan cider, \$6.00@0.50 per bbl. of 32 gal.

Porcons Choice rice corn is quoted at 4@44@ per b, other kinds, 24@3c per b.

SAUER KRAUT—Choice per bbl. of 36 gal., \$8.85@9.00; 14 bbl., \$4.57@5.00. \$11.00 per bbl of 50 gal.

Dol of 50 gal.

Carnots \$2.35(#2.50 per barrel.

Pausnips+Nuw stock, \$2.50 per barrelThere are few on the market.

Oystens—Plain standard, 25c; plain selects, 30c; standard, 40c; extra selects, 35c; New York counts, 40c; bulk oysters, counts \$1.85 per 100; selects, \$2.00 per gal; standard \$1.25 per gal. CAULIFLOWER-Good stock, \$2.60@2.80.

California FRUITS—There are only a few pears in the market, at \$2.50@2.75; extra nne, \$3,00. Cranbernies - Bell & Cherry, \$10.00@10.50 Bell & Bugle, \$10.50@11.00; Cape Cods, \$11.00 Figs-In layers, 13@16c; cake, 11c per lb.

DATES—Prussian, Sc per lb.
NUTS—Peanuts, 614@7c, raw; Brazil nuts,
13c; almonds, Tarragona, 22c; English
walnuts, 15@18c; filberts, 18c; Italian chestnuts, 15e: pecans, 12c.

HONEY Is somewhat scarce and found at previous quotations; 19@21c for 1-lb frames; canned honey, 10@12c per lb.

#### Grocer's List.

Provisions—Hams, 11@11½c; breakfast bacon, 11@11½c; bacon sides,0½@9½c; dry salt, 8@8½c; shoulders, 6½@7c; dried beef,

CANDY—Mixed, 9@11c; stick, 9@914c. CANDY—Mixed, 9@11c; stick, 9@914c. CANDED—Goods—Oysters, standard, per case, \$3.30@3.35; strawberries, 2-lb per case, \$3.20@3.30; raspberries, 2-lb per case, \$3.15@ 3.25; California pears, per case, \$4.70@4.80; apricots, per case, \$4.00@4.70; peaches, per case, \$5.70@5.80; white cherries, per case, \$600; Cal. plums, per case, \$4.30@4.40; blueberries, per case, \$2.30@2.40; egg plums, 2-lb per case, \$2.50; pineapples, 2-lb, per case, \$3.20@5.75; 1-lb salmon, per doz, \$1.75@1.90; 2-lb gooseberries, per case, \$3.25@3.35; 2-lb string beans, per case, \$1.80@1.85; 2-lb Lima beans, per case, \$1.60@1.65; 2-1b marrowfat peas, \$2.60@2.70; 2-1b early June pear, per case, \$2.85; 3-1b tomatoes, \$2.50; 2-1b corn,

DRIED FRUITS-Apples, new, 4s, 7@74c evaporated 50-lb ring, 9% 6010c; raspberries, evaporated, 26% 6027c; blackberries, evaporated, 10 6010c%; pitted cherries, 21 6022c; East ern, 15g peaches, new, 8@815c; California peaches, new, 14s, 15@16c; evapor-ated, peeled peaches, 22@30c; evapor-ated, unpared, 20@21c; new cur-rants, 7@715c; prunes, new, 5@515c; citron, 25c; raisins, London layers, \$2.45@ 2.50; California loose muscatels, \$2.10@2.15; new Valencia, 7\(\beta\)\_i@8c. Refined Land—Tierce, 7\(\delta\)c; 40-lb square

cans, 714c; 50-lb round, 75c; 20-lb round, 75c; 10-lb pails, 8c; 5-lb pails, 85c; 2-lb pails, 84c.

Brooms—Extra 4-tic, \$2.60; No. 1, \$2.00; No. 2, \$1.75; heavy stable, \$4.00. Syntr-No. 70, 4-gallon kegs, \$1.50@1.55; New Orleans, per gallon, 38(446c; maple syrup, half bbls, "old time" per gallon, 80c; 1-gallon cans, per doz, \$10.50; half galon cans, per doz, \$6.25; quart cans, \$3.25.

STARCH—Mirror glass, 5%c; Graves' corn,

4c; Oswego gloss, 6c; Oswego corn, 7c. HOLLAND HERRINGS-70@73 per keg. WOODENWARE—Two-hoop pails, per doz., \$1.45; three-hoop pails, \$1.70; No. 1 tub, \$6.50; No. 2 tub, \$5.50; No. 3 tub, \$4.50; wash-boards, \$1.40(@2.75; assorted bowls, \$2.25; No. 1 churns, \$7.00; No. 2 churns, \$8.00; No. 3 churns, \$7.00.

Pickles—Medium in bbls, \$7.00; do in half

bbls, \$4.00; dimail, in bbls, \$8.00; do in half bbls, \$4.50; gerkins, in bbls, \$9.00; do in half bbls, \$5.00. bbls, \$5.00. ;
COFFEE—Ordinary grades, 19.023c; fair, 20.0201<sub>2</sub>c; prime, 21.0211<sub>4</sub>c; fancy green and yellow, 22.023c; old government Java, 28.030c; interior Java, 25.022c; Mocha, 28.030c; Arbuckle's roasted, 23%c; McLaughlin's XXXX, 23%c; Dilworth's, 23%c; Red Cross,

JELLIES-39-lb pails, \$1.50@1.75. TEAS—Japans, 20(2)55c; gunpowder, 20(2)60c; Young Hyson, 25(2)5c; Oolong, 20(2)

65c.

ROPE—Seven sixteenths, 11@1114c.

Tonacco—Loritlard's Climax, 45c; Splendid, 45c; Mechanic's Delight, 44c; Leggett & Meyer's Star, 45c; Cornerstone, 39c; Drummond's Horseshoe, 44c; J. T., 40c; Sorg's Spearhead, 44c; Catlin's meerschaum, 31c;

Spearhead, 44c; Cathir's increases: Cathir's Old Style, 23c, Sugar-Granulated, 734@734c; conf. A, 714@734c; white extra C, 634@6736c; extra C, 634@636c; yellow C, 514@536c; cut loaf, 834@6814c; powdered, 814@814c; New Orleans, 534

change. Soda, 5c; soda (city goods), 7c; soda snowliakes (in tins), 11c; soda dandy, 64c; soda wafers (in tins), 10c; soda zephyr, 8c; city oyster, 6,4c; excelsior, 7c; farina ovster, 5,4c; gem oyster, 5c; monitor, 7c Omaha oyster, 7c; pearl oyster, 5c; pienic, 5c snowdrop oyster, Sc; butter, Sc; Boston, Sc; Omaha butter, Tc; saw tooth butter, 6½c; cracker meal, 5½c; graham, Sc; graham wafers, 10c; graham wafers in pound packages, 12½c; hard bread, 5c; milk, 7½c; oatmeal, Sc: oatmeal wafers, 10c; oatmeal wafers in 1b pkgs, 1234c; animals, 12c; boliver ginger (round), 7c; cream, 8c; Cornhill, 10c; cracknells, 16c; frosted cream, 834c; ginger snaps, Sc; ginger snaps (city), 9c; nome made ginger snaps in boxes, 13c; home made ginger snaps (1 lb cans) per dozen, \$2.50; lemod cream, Sc; pretzels (band made), 11½c; assorted cakes and jumbles, made), 11½c; assorted cakes and jumbles, 11½c; assorted fingers, 15c; afternoon tea (in tins) per dozen, \$7.00; banana fingers, 14c; butter jumbles, 11½c; Brunswick, 15c; brandy snaps, 15c; chocolate drops (new), 16c; checolate wafers, 15c; Christmas lunch (in tins), per dozen, \$4.50; cocoa taffy snaps, 14c; coffee cake, 12c; Cuba jumbles, 11½c; cream puffs, 20c; egg jumbles, 14c; ginger drops, 11c; honey jumbles, 11½c; jelly tingcream pulls, 20c; egg jumbles, 14c; ginger drops, 11e; honey jumbles, 11½c; jelly fingers, 15c; jelly wafers, 15c; jelly tart (new), 15c; lady fingers, 13c; vanilla bar, 14c; vanilla wafers, 14c; Vienna wafers, 1 dozen packages in box, per dozen, \$2.50.

All goods packed in cans 1 ct. per 1b. advance except Snowflake and Wafer Soda, which is packed only in cans. Soda in 2 lb. and 3 lb. paper boxes. ½ cent per lb. advance: and 3 lb. paper boxes, 14 cent per lb. advance

all other goods, I cent per lb. advance. Soda in 1 lb. paper boxes, I cent per lb. advance. The 2 lb. boxes are packed in cases holding 18 in a case. The 3 lb. boxes are packed in cases holding 12 in a case. The 1 lb. boxes are packed in cases holding 12 in a case. The 1 lb. boxes are packed in cases holding 36 in a case. One lb.

in a case.
Show Tops for boxes, with glass opening to \$3.00 not returnable. Cans for Wafer Soda, \$3.00 not returnable. Cans for Snowflake Soda, \$6.00 per doz. Tin Cases with Glass Face to display the goods, 75cents each. No charges for Packages except for cans and returnable cases. Glass Front Tin Cans and "Snowflake" Soda Cans are returnable at prices charged

# Dry Goods.

DUCK—West Point 29 in. 8 oz., 10%c; West Point 29 in. 10 oz., 12%c; West Point 10 in. 12 oz. 15c; West Point 40 in. 11 oz., 16c. Checks—Caledonia X, 9Yc; Caledonia XX, 10%c; Economy, 9%c; Otis, 8%c. KENTUCKT JEANS-Memorial, 15c; Canton,

RENTUCKÝ JEANS-Memorial, 15c; Canton, 18c; Durham, 27½c; Hercules, 18c; Leamington, 22½c; Cottswold, 25c.

CRASH-Stevens' B, 6c; bleached, 7c; Stevens' A, 7½c; bleached, 8½c; Stevens' P, 8½c; bleached, 5½c; Stevens' N, 9½c; bleached, 10½c; Stevens' N, 70½c; bleached, 10½c; Stevens' S R T, 12½c.

Miscellangot's-Table oil cloth, \$2.85, plain Holland, 8½c to 9c; Dado Holland, 12½c.

Cambrics Slater, 41/4c; Woods, 41/4c; Standard, 43gc; Peanock, 43gc. Comforters—\$6.60@35.00. BLANKETS—White, \$1.00@7.50; colored \$1.10

8.00.
BLEACHED SHEETING—Berkeley cambric, No. 60, 9\(\frac{1}{2}\)c? Best Yet, 4-4, 6\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; butter cloth OO, 4\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Cabot, 7\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Farwell, 8c; Fruit of Loom, 9c; Greene G, 6c; Hope, 7\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; King Phillip cambric, 11c; Lonsdale, 11\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Lonsdale, 8\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; New York mills, 10\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Pepperell 42-in, 10\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Pepperell, 46-in., 11\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Pepperell 6-4, 15c; Pepperell, 8-4 20c; Pepperell 9-4, 22c; Pepperell, 10-4, 24c; Canton 4-4, 8\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Canton, 4-4, 9\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; Triumph, 6c; Wamsutta, 11c; Val-4, 9%c; Triumph, 6c; Wamsutta, 11c; Val-FLANNELS-Plaid-Raftsman, 20c; Goshen,

014c. Danss-Charter Oak, 414c; Ramapo Lodi, 7%c; Allen, 5%c; Richmond Windsor, 6c; Eddystone, 6c; Pacific,

COTTON FLANNELS-10 per cent trade dis-COTTON FLANNELS—10 per cent trade dis-count—LL.6%; CC, 7%; SS, 8%; Name-tess 5%; No. 5, 6c; EE, 9%; GG, 10%; XX, 12c; OO, 14c; NN, 16c; RX, 18c; R, 20c; No. 10, 8%; 40, 10%; 60, 12%; SO, 15c; 80 colored, 10c; 50, colored, 12c; 70, colored, 15c; Bristol. 13%; Union Pacific, 18c.

CARPET WARF—Bebb white, 10%; colored, 90%; 60

Brown Sherring -- Atlanta A, 44, 74c tlantic H, 44, 7c Atlantic D, 44, 64c; At BROWN SHEETING — Atlantia A, 44, 7½c;
Atlantic H, 44, 7c; Atlantic D, 44, 6½c; Atlantic P, 44, 5½c; Aurora LL, 44, 5½c; Aurora C, 44, 4½c; Crown XXX, 44, 6¾c; Hoosier LL, 44, 5¾c; Indian Head, 44, 7½c; Lawrence LL, 44, 5¾c; Old Dominion, 44, 5½c; Pepperell R, 44, 6½c; Pepperell O, 44, 6c; Pepperell, 84, 18c; Pepperell, 94, 20c; Pepperell, 104, 22c; Utica C, 44, 4¾c; Wachusett, 44, 7c; Aurora R, 44, 6½c; Aurora B, 44, 6c.

chusett, 4-4, 7c; Aurora R, 4-4, 6-5c; Aurora B, 4-4, 6c.
BATTS—Standard, 8c; Gem, 1015c; Beauty, 123c; Boone, 14c; B, cased, 86, 50.
Gingham—Plunkett checks, 7-5c; Whittenton, 7-5c; York, 7-5c; Normandi-dress, 8-5c; Calcutta dress, 8-5c; Normandi-dress, 9c; Renfrew dress, 9@125c.
Ticks—Lewiston, 30-in, 125c; Lewiston, 32-in, 133-5c; York, 32-in, 14c; Swift river, 7-5c; Thorndike, OO, 8-5c; Thorndike, EF, 8-5c; Thorndike, 120, 9-5c; Thorndike, EF, 8-5c; Thorndike, 120, 9-5c; Thorndike, XXX, 15c; Cordis, No. 5, 9-5c; Cordis, No. 4, 11c.
DENIMS—Amoskeag, 9-oz, 18c; Everett, 7-oz, 13c; York, 7-oz, 13c; Haymaker, 8-5c; Jaffrey, XX, 11-5c; Jaffrey, XXX, 12-5c; Beaver Creek, AA, 12c; Beaver Creek, BB, 11c; Beaver Creek, CC, 10c. He; Beaver Creek, CC, 10c.

General Markets. Prices on all articles quoted in this col-umn are wholesale and are corrected daily. Rates on flour and feed are folbers prices and are not retail. Prices on grain are those paid by Omaha millers delivered. Quo-tation on hides and furs are those given by the leading purchasers of the city.

FLOUR AND FEED—Minnesota patents, \$2.60 per cwt; Kansas and Missouri fancy winter patents, \$2.60(\alpha 2.75 per cwt; Nebraska patents, \$2.45\alpha 2.50 per cwt; rye flour, \$2.00 per cwt; wheat graham, \$1.75 per cwt; rye graham, \$1.40 per cwt; New York buck-wheat, \$6.50(\alpha 2.00 nor bbd; Eventure 2.50) rye graham, \$1.40 per cwt; New York buck-wheat, \$6.50/\(\alpha\)7.00 per bbl; Execisior, \$6.00 per bbl; ready raised, \$5.00 per 100-lb case; cornmeal, yellow, \$1.00/\(\alpha\)1.10 per cwt; white, \$1.10/\(\alpha\)1.15 per cwt; bran, \$16.00/\(\alpha\)1.700 per ton; screenings, \$14.00/\(\alpha\)15.00 per ton; hommy, \$3.25 per bbl; chopped feed, \$20.00 per ton; chopped corn, \$19.00 per ton. Hay—Upland prairie, \$7.00/\(\alpha\)7.50; common coarse, \$6.00/\(\alpha\)6.50; straw, \$6.00/\(\alpha\)50; nut, \$10.50; range, \$10.50; walnut block, \$4.25; Iowa lump, \$3.75; Iowa nut, \$3.00; Illmois, \$45.00/\(\alpha\)4.75. Datos—Ammonia (carb, 14c; camphor

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Olls—Carbon, 12(625c; linseed, boiled, 62c; linseed, raw, 59c; castor, No. 1.

62c; linseed, raw, 59c; castor, No 1, \$1.20; No. 2, \$1.12; sperm whale, \$1.00; fish, bank 35c; neatsfoot extra, 55c; neatsfoot No. 1, 50c; gasoline, 74 degrees, 15c; W. S. lard, 65c; No. 1 lard, 50c; No. 2 lard, 50c; W. Va. zero, 14c; W. Va. summer, 12c; golden No. 1, 40c; golden No. 1, 10c; golde 40c; golden No. 2, 25c; whale, 20c; naptha degree, 14c; headlight 150 degrees, 12c; head light, 175 degrees, 15c; turpentine, 46c. PAINTS-White lead, pure, 614c; white ead, fancy, 614c; putty, in bladders, 3; Paris white, 3c; common, 25c; red lead 7c Window Glass—Single, 60.10@65 per cent: double, 70 and 5 per cent discount. double, 70 and 5 per cent discount.

SPHHTS—Cologue spirits 188 proof, \$1.13;
do, 101 proof, \$1.15; spirits, second quality, 101 proof, \$1.13; do, 188; proof, \$1.12; alcohol, 188 proof, per wine gallon, \$2.16; redistilled whiskies \$1.00@1.50; gin, blended, \$1.50@2.00; Kentucky bourbons, \$2.00@1.00; \$2.00@6.00; Kentucky and Pennsylvania ryes, \$2.00@6.50; Golden Sheaf bourbon and rye whiskies, \$1,50003.00; brandles, imported, rye whiskies, \$1.30@3.00; brandles, imported, \$5.00@85.00; domestic, \$1.30@3.00; gins, imported, \$4.50@6.00; domestic, \$1.25@3.00; champagnes, imported, per case, \$23.00@33.00; American, per case, \$10.00@15.00.

HEAVY HARDWARE—Iron, rate, \$2.60; plow HEAVY HARDWARE—Iron, rate, \$2.60; plow steel, special cast, 4½c; crucible steel, 6½c; cast tools, do, 12@15c; wagon spokes, per set, \$2.00@5.50; hubs, per set, \$1.50; felloes, sawed dry, \$1.50; tongues, each, 75c; axles, each, 75c; square nuts, per lb, 6@13c; coil chain, per lb, 6½@13c; melleable, 8@10c; iron wedges, 6c; crowbars, 6c; harrow teeth, 4c; spring steel, 4@5c; Burden's horse shoes, \$4.75; Burden's mule shoes, \$5.75; barbed wire, in car lots, \$4.00 per 100 lbs; iron nails.

wire, in car lots, \$4.00 per 100 lbs; iron rates, 10 to 50, \$2.40; steel nails, \$2.50. LEATHER—Oak soles, 35@37c; hemlock slaughter sole, 26@29c; hemlock dry sole, 21@25c; hemlock kip, 65@90c; A. & B. runner kip, 500075c; A. hemlock calf, 90c00\$1.00; A. A. hemlock calf, "backs," 75c; hemlock upper, 19@24c; English grain upper, 25c; hemlock grain upper, 21@24c: Tampico B. L. Morocco, 23@33c: Tampico pebble, O. D. Mo., 22@29c: Curacoa, B. G. Mo., 30c: Simon O. D. Mo., \$2,75@3,00: Dangola kid, 30@35c: X. M. Kangaroo, 40c: American calf kid, 32c: Gresen kids, \$3.00@3.50; French calf kids, \$3.00@3.50; French ca \$3.20; oak kip skins, \$0e@\$1.00; oak calf skins, \$1.00@1.25; French calf skins, \$1.25@ 2.05; French kip skins, \$1.10@1.50; Russitt linings, \$6.00@6.50 per doz; pink, cream and white linings, \$7.50@10.00 per doz; colored

toppings, \$0.00@11.00; green ox pelts, 3@34c; kip skins, (unfrozen), 4@64c; cowhides, 34 HIDES-Green butchers', 5@51/c; green butchers, 5(25)c; green cured, 6(26)c; dry fait, 8c; green calf skins, 7c; damaged hides, two thirds price. Tallow-31c. Grease-Prim white, 44c; yellow, 3c; brown, 2c. Sneep pelts, 25c(21.00. Steady and unchanged. GRAIN-Wheat, No. 2, 60c; rye, 55c yellow, 40@43c; corn, white, 42@45c; cats, 29@30c; barley, 60@65c, according o quality.
FLAXSEED—Is unchanged and is quoted at

\$1.25 per bushel. Ft as—Raccon, 10@60c; mink, 15@40c; musk rat fall, 2@7c; striped skunk,5@25c; mountain wolf, No. 1, \$1.50@2.50; No. 2, prairie, 50@ 75c; No. 2, 25@40c; beaver, No. 1, per lb, \$2.00@3.00; No. 2, \$1.00@1.25; otter, \$1.00@ 6.00; dry deer skins, 20@35c per lb; dry ante lope, elk, moose, etc., 15@25c.

### Dry Lumber. DIMENSIONS AND TIMBERS.

2, 14 & 18ft 20ft 22ft 24 17 50 20 00 21 00 22 00 22 17 50 38 00 21 00 22 00 23 17 50 20 00 21 00 22 00 22 17 50 20 00 21 00 22 00 23 18 25 20 00 21 00 24 00 24 18 50 19 50 20 50 23 00 23 No. 1 com, s 1 s.\$18.50 | No. 3 com, s 1 s.\$15.50 No. 2 com, s 1 s. 17.00 | No. 4 com, s 1 s. 13.50 FENCING. No. 1, 4 & 6 in 12 & 14 ft., rough ...... \$19.50 No. 1, " No. 2, " No. 2, " 12 14 " ..... 19.50 13 14 " ..... 16.50 16 16 " ..... 18.00

A, 12, 14 & 16 ft.\$21.50 | C, 12, 14 & 16 ft.\$15.50 | B, 12.50 FLOORING. B 6 in " 33.50 C 6 in " 30.00 D 6 in " 21.50 E 6 in " (Sel. Feneing) 19.90 n " " (Sel. Fencing)...... 6 in. Drop Siding 50c per M extra. CEILING AND PARTITION.
2d com<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in White Pine Ceiling . . . . . \$34.00 STOCKBOARDS. A 12 inch s 1 s..... D 12 " 23.00 No. 1 com, 12 in s 1 s, 12 ft. 20.50 14 ft. 19.00 □ " " 16 ft. 18.50 " " 10, 18, 20 ft. 21.50 

12 in Grooved roofing, \$1 per M. more than 12 in Stock Boards same length.

10 in Grooved Roofing same price as 12 in Stock Boards. FLANNELS—Plaid—Raftsman, 20c; Goshen, 324c; Clear Lake, 324c; Maple City, 365c; White—G H No. 2, 36, 21c; G H No. 1, 36, 375c; B H No. 2, 36, 225c; B H No. 1, 36, 375c; Quechee No. 4, 36, 324c; Anawan, 135c; Windsor, 224c, Red—C, 24-inch, 154c; E, 24-inch, 21c; GG, 24-inch, 18c; H A F, 36, 25c; J R F, 36, 275c; G, 36, 35c.

PRINTS—SOLID Colors—Atlanta, 55c; Slater, 5c; Berlin Oir, 64c; Garner Oil, 66c, 7c, Pixk and Robes—Richmond, 6c; Allen, 6c; River point, 5c; Steel River, 6c; Richmond, 6c; Pacific, 65c; Intrico Bluk—Washington, 6c; Century Indigo biue prints, 10c; American, 65; Arnold A, 12c; Arnold Gold Seal 

No. 2, "

Six inch 40c less. Clear & inch Partition 22 above & inch Ceiling. 25.00
Clear Finish, 1 and 14 inch, s 2 s. 25.00
Clear Finish, 15 and 2 inch, s 2 s. 30.00
Clear Corrugated Ceiling, 4 inch. 25.50
Clear Yellow Pine Casing and Base. 27.00 CPoplar Bx. Bds. 3½ in., s 2 s. . . . . . \$35.00
" " \$\frac{1}{2}\$ in. Panel, s 2 s. . . . . 27.00
" " Corrugated Ceiling, 3½ . 28.50 BATTENS, WELL TUBING, PICKETS.

O. G. Batts, 2½ in 65c; ½x3, s 1 s. 40c; 3in Well Tubing, D. & M. and Bev., \$23.00; Pick ets, D. & H. Flat, \$20.50; D. H. Sq., \$21.50. SHINGLES, LATH.

XX clear, \$10; extra \*A\*, \$2.85; \*A\* standard No. 5, No. 1, \$1.45; lath, \$2.55. white cedar, 6 in., 14 s. 1214c; 9 in. qrs., White cedar, 6 in., 14 s. 1214c; 9 in. qrs., 1144c; white cedar, 5 in. 14 s. 1114c; 8 in. qrs. 10c; white cedar, 4 in. round, 1614c; Tennessee red cedar, split, 14c; split oak, 10c; 6 in 7 in., and 8 in. (14 cedar) 8 ft., round, W.C. posts.

REALTY AND BANKING.

# The deals in Dirt Continue Active.

Increase in Clearings. The realty market continues active and the demand for Omaha dirt seems to be increasing, one indication of which was the purchase yesterday of land in South Omaha adjoining Armour's packing houses for \$95,000, by Rinaban & Maloney of this city. The brokers and other interested parties feel confident that 1888 will be the most prosperous year yet experienced in the history of the city. The great improvements made during 1887 have commanded the attention of the entire country. The project of the cable line extending its lines to the city limits and the large number of private improvements already announced to be pushed to completion during the coming spring and summer, are most gratifying and tend to increase confidence in the city. Many prominent citizens fidence in the city. Many prominent citizens express their belief that building will be car ried on more extensively during 1888 than during 1887. The New York Life Insurance company will expend at least \$5000,000 during the year, while the BEE Publishing compan-Then the city hall will probably be pushed forward and several business blocks. Work on the new bridge across the Missouri will be continued and there will undoubtedly be employment for every one. The follow-ing table shows the real estate deals for the week just ended: Monday..... \$ 45,511 Tuesday Wednesday Thursday.....

Total \$338,528 The bank clearances for the week were as follows: Monday ...... \$510,614 24 Puesday ...... 331,981 62 Wednesday ...... 466,513 02 Thursday..... 

Real Estate Transfers. W W Lemon and wife to Amelia A W Holbrook, lot 3, blk 5, Hawthorne's add, w d.
G N Sigwart and wife to A H Ennis, 2,000 w 1/4 lot 13, McCandlish place, w d... A S Billings and wife to J B Parrott, 2,000

same, wd.
David M Ure and John F Flack to the
public plat of Flack's sub of lot 27½,
Millard & Caldwell's add.
H Schonboe to Katey Waddell, lot 2, blk P, Lowes' 1st, w d F E Bailey and wife to Joseph Red-man, n 22 ft by 66 ft of lot 1, blk 2015, Omaha, w d. Wm H Alexander and wife to John J Wilkinson, lot 13, blk 4, Grammercy G F McDonald and wife to M. M.

Gardner, lot 9, blk 3, Colner & Archer's add, w d... G F McDonald and wife to Ernest Riall, lots 10, 11 and 12, blk 1, lot 18, blk 4, Colner & Archer's add, w d... Ernest Riall and wife 40 M M McDon-2,400 ald, lots 10, 11 and 12, blk 1, lot 18, blk 4, Comer & Archer's add, wd... John F Bitchhart and wife to F J Me-ECarthy, w 25 ft of lot I, blk 79, South

mann, lots 11 and 12, blk 23, Millard, Wd... Eleonore Helene L. Mittmann to G Eleonore Helene L. Mittmann to G
Zimmermann, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6,
Eblk 32, Millard, w d
Francis A McCall and wife to Ella E
Latson, lot 5, Potter & Cobb's subdy
of lot 1, blk 5, Park place, w d
J H Thalken and wife to W Luitjens,
lots 6 and 7, blk 3, Elkhorn, w d
South Omaha Land Co to J. Mulvihil et al, lot 7 blk 39 South Omaha, w d J M Switman et al to Patrick Rooney,

lot 17 blk 39 South Omaha, w d. Case, lot 24 blk 3 Cotner & Archer add, w d.

Wm G Albright and wife to Charles
Corbett, lot 4 blk 5 Matthews sub, W d. BEE Publishing Co to BEE Building Co, lots 7 and 8 blk 116, Omaha, w d 132,000

Pierre Felix et al the Jos H Parsons et al, und 1/2 of n 1/2 se and se se 9, 15, 13, w d. Twenty two deeds......\$157,224 TWO NEEDY WOMEN.

> Investigate. Mrs. Mary Lipps, a widow tady living north of the waterworks, near the pump house, while passing out of the BEE office yesterday afternoon, fell in a fit and although the best of assistance was rendered her it was nearly an hour before she recovered sufficiently enough to be sent home. This woman's case is very urgent and demands immediate at-tention. She is a widow, her husband hav-ing been dead for some three months, leaving her three children to support, which is almost unable to do, being in a delicate condition. Prompt action may relieve her

Cases For County Agent Mahoney to

distress, while delay may be fatal.

A second case is that of a woman with a baby in South Omaha, the wife and child of a man named Jess McCracken, who left them in charge of a Mrs. Crawford some two or three weeks since and went to Boone, Ia., and has not been heard of since. The woman and child are both ill, seriously ill, and while Mrs. Crawford has done what she could they need and must have substantidlaid. Other wise it is possible and very probable that both will die.

Plainview Gazette: Quite a numbe of cattle and hogs were lost in the great storm of January 12, and yet from all accounts Crawford township lost less than most other localities. No human lives have been reported as sacrificed; but numerous hair-breadth escapes are among the incidents that furnish subject matter for conversation with one other when we meet, and gratitude to the great ruler always in our hearts. At the McConnell school-house Jacob

Davis, a stout robust fellow of nineteen years, went out to get coal at the coal house which was about a hundred feet from the school-house, got blinded with the storm, lost the route. missed the coal house, wandered around and finally run into a clothes line and followed that to Mr. McConnell's house. just in time to save his life, but froze his hands badly and ears somewhat. The scholars and patrons of the school owe a life long debt of gratitude to E.

C. Connell for his heroic and successful efforts to save the children. He went to the school house, nearly eighty rods north from his house, organized the pupils into a solid square with the larger ones where they would best pro-tect the smaller ones, had them all take hold of hands, then took hold of the A, select, 1 in s 2 s

A, 134, 135, 2 in s 2 s

B, 134, 134, 2 in s 2 s

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A total data one s hands and followed a row of trees home, where he and his excellent wife fed and cared for twenty-three children besides their own family until the storm abated and the anxious parents 23.00 | came for them.

# WEEKLY BUSINESS REVIEW

Only a Moderate Demand in the Money Market.

INTEREST RATES FAVORABLE

Foreign Speculation Improving-Exports Not Very Extensive-Railroad Earnings Falling Off-Provisions Weak and Unsettled.

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the BRE. ]-Bankers have their available funds well placed and are able to loan their daily collections readily. The demand for money, however, during the past week was chiefly from the larger western cities and considerable paper was placed at outside figures. The inquiry for loans on behalf of board of trade operators was comparatively light as they are able to carry property offered with private means. Packers need a little financial assistance but their wants are not pressing and their loans make no perceptible change in the market. Some currency has been forwarded to smaller interior points for the purchase of grain, but the snow blockade has checked this business to a considerable extent. Most of the grain received at the larger cities has been withdrawn from country clevators. Wholesale merchants have presented considerable paper for discount and in most cases they have been accommodated. As a rule bankers are very cautious in placing their funds at present. As usual a crop of "after-holiday fadures" is coming to the surface. Consequently they give warehouse receipts and well-known securities preference in granting favors to borrowers. Rates of interest have been a little more favorable to borrowers, though only exceptionally good names succeed in obtaining concessions. Very little money is loaned at over 7 per cent, and some round lots were placed at 6006 per cent. On the street rates range at 60061, per cent. Reports from castern financial centers indicated no particular change in that quarter. Money is not quite so close, though interest rates are steadier at 54@7% per cent for time paper. Advices from foreign markets showed an merease in specie in leading governmental banks, with money loaned at low rates to reliable borrowers. The speculative trade in that quarter is re-ported to be improving. New York exchange was in fair supply and the feeling was easier. The demand was only moderate. Sales between banks were made at par@5 per cent premium, per \$1,000 and the market closed steady at 256630c. Foreign exchange was in mod-erate demand and the supply only fair. Exports of produce, cotton and petroleum are moderate, consequently the offerings of ship-pers' sixty days documentary bills on Lon-don were not very large. Sales were made at \$4.82\cdot @4.83, and the market closed steady at \$4.825 a4.83. Stocks in New York were only moderately active. Speculators were not disposed to do much trading, though the undertone of the market indicated more steadiness and prices averaged on all leading properties. Apparently there was less pressure to sell at the recent decline, operators not being willing to accept lower prices.

The earnings of leading railroads are beginning to compare rather unfavorably with the returns of one year ago. Advices

with the returns of one year ago. Advices from foreign markets indicated little more for prominent stocks on investment and ac-count. Western operators were backward about trading and the greater portion of bus-iness was credited to 'room traders." The aggregate sales on the New York stock exchange for the past were 977,000 shares. A dult, weak and unsettled set of produce markets prevailed during the greater portion of the week, and the "short" interest appeared to have had control of the situation emporarily at least. The "longs" seemed to be somewhat demoralized and apparently were anxious to unload a good share of their holdings, while the chief aim of the "shorts" appeared to be for prices to a lower range, with a view of bringing "stop orders" to the surface so as to enable them to realize handsome profits. No special features were pre-sented favorable to improved prices. Forsented favorable to improved prices. Foreign news was unsatisfactory. The
movement of grain was light
to all leading markets, while
the export movement was limited. Near
the close, there appeared to be a little better
demand for leading articles and the market
exhibited a little more strength, accompanied
with a sharp advance in prices which was with a sharp advance in prices, which was moderately well supported. Outside of wheat and barley there is no particular de-crease in the supplies of grain. Owing to the snow blockade and severe cold weather, business has been greatly interfered with in the interior, and it is presumed that several weeks will clapse before business will be actively resumed. In provisions the market has been unsettled, with fairly active trading at irregular prices. Stocks are gradually increasing at the leading packing centers. Speculative trading centered largely in contracts for May de-

livery. In fact, operators are anxious to transfer their contracts ahead as much as possible. The shipping demand has been only fair, with orders generally for limited quantities to meet pressing wants. Shippers anticipate an equalization of freights from all western points about February I, so that the Chicago market will not be discriminated against. Exports both of grain and pro-visions are lighter than reported one year ago. The movement of live stock is moderate and the packing of the west shows a further slight decrease compared with the returns of last season.

# BENCH AND BAR.

District Court. THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD SUED. Suit was brought yesterday by Sozie Christiner, through her father and next friend, John Christiner, to recover from the Union Pacific railroad damages in the sum of \$1,999.99 for crushing the foot of Sozie with

their cars. BUIT AGAINST AN ESTATE. H. Pearl England alleges in his suit brought yesterday against the heirs of Charles T. Lyon, that he loaned the deceased \$700 and never received from him the lean. Mr. England asks for a judgment against the

estate.

County Court. A JUDGMENT RENDERED. Yesterday Judge Shields granted a judgment for \$186.65 in favor of Murphy & Co. against Mergell & Rosenzweig.

Notice of Incorporation. To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that "The Bee Building Company" has flied in the office of the county elerk of Douglas county, Nebraska, articles of incorporation. The principal place of transacting its business is at Omaha, in Douglas county and state of Nebraska. The general nature of its business is to acquire, own, hold, lease, mortgage, sell and convey real estate, erect buildings and improvements upon the same, for renting such real estate, &c.

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The amount of capital stock authorized is \$450,000, ten per cent of which to be paid at the time of subscribing for the same, and the remainder as required by the board of directors.
The corporation commenced January 18th, A. D. 1888, and will terminate the 18th day of January, A. D. 1888.
The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time subject itself is two-thirds of the capital stock issued.

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The business affairs of the corporation are to be conducted by a board of directors of five members who shall select from their number a president, secretary and treasurer.

EDWARD ROSEWATER,

MAX MEYER,

GEO. B. TZSCHUCK,

BRING TZSCHUCK,

HENRY A. HASKELL.

Notice to Contractors. Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the county clerk up to 20 clock p. m., of Friday, February 10, 1888, for running the county grading machines for the year 1888. For full particulars inquire at county clerk's office. A deposit of one hundred dollars must accompany each bid as a guaranty of good faith. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. By order of the Board of Commissioners.

M. D. ROCHE, 111dlewit County Clerk, Douglas Co., Neb.