Business Still Held in the Doldrums of Post-Holiday Dullness.

ONLY CHANGE NOTICED IS FOR THE BETTER

Traveling Men Are Out Again and Are Meeting with Fair Success, Though Merchants Are Buying for Immediate Consumption.

During the month immediately following the holidays the weekly review of business conditions and prospects is largely a repetition. The stagnation which is common to all lines of trade at this season admits of but little comment and is accepted by business men as a dose of medicine which they must take once a year. Some of them may be inclined to make wry faces, but as a rule they regard the situation philosophically and build their hopes upon the future.

While the last week has brought but little thange in local business conditions, that lit-He has been on the right side of the ledger, and is accepted as an indication that the situation is not so bad after all. Some merchants complain that business is not what it should be, but there was never a season so prosperous that the same wall was not audible. The great majority of the jobbers and merchants report that they are doing all and in many cases more than they had any right to expect in such a year as the present.

Traveling Men Out. The last week has practically chronicled the beginning of the business of the year with the lobbing trade. The traveling men have been called in during the holidays, and It is only recently that they have gone back on the road. Most of them are now out and the remainder will follow within the next few days. The men who are out have re-ported a fair business in all lines. Orders are not as large as usual, as very few dealers are buying stock for future delivery. Business is conducted on the conservative basis While single orders do not loom up to the usual expectation, the volume of trade is trade is steady, and in the end it is expected to ag-gregate a considerable per cent more than

was anticipated. Some of the firms have sent men out to new territory during the week with gratifying results. A local dry goods house received a long list of orders from Colorado and other points in the southwest, and the lows men who have gone out have met with fair success. Money is still hard to get and many customers are asking for time. Mos of these, however, are paying their ac counts in part and jobbers generally profess to be well satisfied with their collections.

Retail Trade Quiet. The retail trade is quiet and most people are only buying what they actually need. In dry goods some of the merchants have offered special inducements to clear up their neavy goods and report a satisfactory business. The clothing trade is not what it was at this time last year, but 1893 was an exceptionally good year and dealers are not

while some improvement has been noticeable during the week in general trade no very marked change is looked for until the spring lines are on the market. The spring trade is what the majority of the jobbers are pinning their hopes on. The fact that coun-tag merchants are only ordering what goods they need and can pay for encourages the idea that the spring sales will be unusually heavy for the times, as stocks will run very low and require general replenishing.

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Business Prospects Not Flattering-Enterprises Being Pushed.

W. H. Roberson, manager of R. G. Dun & Co.'s mercantile agency, speaking of the trade situation, says: "There has been almost no life in the job-

keep up very well and money is abundant enough at banks, with very little demand for it from the best ss of borrowers. Country banks are calling for some money. The stagnation of business generally is commented upon on all sides because many shrewd people predicted easier conditions by this time. The fact is prospects are not good for any

mmediate recovery.
"Locally, interest centers now in the union depot enterprise, and it is probable a proposition for bonds will shortly be sub-mitted to the people, as the first definite step toward realizing the passenger station at the foot of Farnam street. Everybody agrees that the location is the best that rould be found and most of our citizens would probably favor a reasonable bonus. though these are not good times for asking

people to go into debt. 'The beet sugar enterprise is making headway, and the Commercial club is reaching its strong right hand out to grasp some other undertakings which mean a good deal for Omaha. If there is a revival of business and a recovery from the present want of confidence in the future, this city will see better times as soon as the spring is

"The suffering poor of Omaha are being fairly well cares for by the various char-itable organizations and the churches. That many worthy men are drifting about really anxious for work was demonstrated by Rev. Mr. Clark one cold day last week. He obtained authority to employ fifty men on the streets. Their remuneration was to be three plain means and a place to sleep on the Boor in Rescue halt. When Mr. Clark called for volunteers fifty-seven men stood up and fifty-two stepped up to be given employment and followed their benefactor to the streets, where they toiled hard for four hours, some of them with bare hands and without over-

Minneapoits Wheat Market.

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

Minneapolis, Jan. 13.—The Minneapolis wheat market weakened again today, closing at the low point. May has closed at 600c two it three times recently, the same as it closed today. The weakeness is not owing to heaviness to cash grain, for spot wheat on track brought nearly the May pirce, and in some instances sold above May, although the mominal close was lower than that. It was so because there was wheat left to sail when the close rame. Some think that snot on track will sell above May they have the formills are shot down temporarily, but if they are started in a few days, as they are expected to be, more wheat will have to come in from the rountry or spot wheat will be above May next week. The local elevators will not sell to millers without a premium, which they expect to get. Of course there are indires who hold considerable wheat, but they are holding it for later emergencies. Millers would like much to get a lower freight rate, but the railroads have not yielded yet, except it be a secret cut, which is not probable. But the stocks of wheat to get a lower freight rate, but the railroads have not yielded yet, except it be a secret cut, which is not probable. But the stocks of wheat have soon to be replenished. Minneapoits and Pulath received this week 1,015,000 bu, of wheat, and farmers are supposed to have sold about 700,000 bu, in the northwest, or a little more than 1,00,000 bu, daily. May opened at 61½c and July at 62½c. The market closed: January, 58½c. May, 90½c; July, 52½c. Tenck, hard, 62c; No. 1 northern, 50½c. No. 2 northern, 50½c. No. 2 northern, 50½c. No. 2 northern, see Receipts, 164 cars; thipments, 22 cars. The mills are now shipping mainly 10 points west and south or New York, and the lake prices are weak. Shipments, 15,000 bbls; output, 18,000 bbls; bran, \$10,00210,00210.25; shorts, \$10,00211,00.

Kansas City Markets. KANNAS CITY, Jun. 13. WHEAT-1c igher; No. 2 hard, 51c; No. 2 red, 54c; Coun-4c least and weak; No. 2 mixed, 0c; No. 2 white 314314c; OATS-Unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 28@284c;

Oars—Unchanged: No. 2 mixed, 2: No. 2 white, 252.79 g. RYE-Stoady; No. 2, 50c. FLAX SEED-irregular: \$1.2361.24. BRAN-Firm at 584500c.

HAY-Steady; timothy, \$8.0049.50; prairie, BUTTER-Steady; creamery, 19@23c; dairy,

15415c. 4 Eggs Very dull at 18c. Receives Wheat, 9,000 bu.: cors, 1,000 bu.: oats, none. SHIPMENTS - Wheat, 48,000 bu.: cors, 1,000

New York Dry Goods Market.

CONDITION OF OMAHA TRADE | fairly sustained. Print cloths rule quiet on the basis of 25c for sixty-four squares. The jobbing trade in general shows some improvement in demand without change in price.

STOCKS AND BONDS. Story of Operations in Securities Yesterday Beieffy Told.

New York, Jan. 13 .- The story of today's operations on the Stockexchange can be told briefly. The speculation was devoid of animation and the volume of business extremely light even for Saturday. The improvement in the London market for securities, more encouraging reports of trade prospects and the placing of the tariff and income tax clauses of the ways and means committee bill into separate measures had the effect of giving a strong tone to the opening dealings, causing an advance of from & to & per cent. New York, Chicago & St. Louis first preferred, which fell off 2 per cent, led the upward movement. Small realizing sales quickly changed the temper of speculation, the active list receding from % to 1 per cent, the latter being Burlington & Quincy, 13, per cent in Man-hattan, Minneapolis & St. Louis and Con-

solidated Gas and 3 per cent in Rubber. The weakness continued until about fifteen The weakness continued until about fitteen minutes before noon, when reports of a very strong bank statement, counied with a desire on the part of the short interest to cover, resulted in a strong buying movement which sent prices up sharply, the greatest part of the decline being recovered, and in some instances the figures going above the best prices of the merning. The market closest strong and, compared with the final sales of yesterday, \(\frac{1}{2} \) to \(\frac{1}{2} \) per cent higher. sales of yesterday, it to be per cent higher.
The Post says: Opening very dull, the stock market today advanced on moderate London buying. Hardly any local business was done and speculation was at a stand-

The following are the closing quotations on the leading stocks on the New York ex-

Atchison		Northern Pacific North in P. pref d. U. P., D. & Gulf	15
Altou, T. H	145	Northwestern	99
do pref1	1.110	do pref d	188
Baltimore & Ohio.	48	New York Central.	97
Canada Pacific	7234	N. Y. & N. E	11
Canada Southern	4854	Ontario & Western	15
Central Pacific	1.7	Gregon Imp.	13
Clies, & Ohio	16%	Oregon Nav	20
Chicago Alton	133	U. S. L. & U. N.	. 5
C., B. & Q.	7450	Pacific Mail	1.4
Chicago Gas	0.514	Peorla, Dec. & E	(1
Consolidated Gas.	125	Plitaburg	148
C. C. C. & St. L	32%	Puliman Palace	167
Col. Con: & Iron	8	Reading	18
Cotton Oil Cert	28	Blehmond Term	10
Del. & Hodson	135%	do pref d	14
Del. Lack & West.	162	Rio Grande West.	42
D & R G prefit	25%	do pref'd	60
Dia &C. Fdrs. Co	18	Rock Island	57
East Tennessee		do prefú.	11:
Erie	304	St. Paul & Omaha.	.35
do prefd Fort Wayne	148	do pref d	110
Great North'n pf'd.	102	Southern Pauthe	91
Chi. A East. Ill. pf'd	93	Sugar Refinery	83
Hocking Valley	194	Tenn. Coal & fron.	17
Il inois Central	90	Texas Pacific	10.10
St. Paul & Duluth	00	T. & O. Cen, prefd.	-50
Kan A Texas pfd.	2436	Union Pacific	123
Lake Erie & West.	14	U. S. Express	-50
do pref'd	64	W. St. L. & Pac	1
Lake Shore	122	do prefu.	. 1
Lend Trust	2534	Wolls Fargo Exp	12:
Louisville & N.	4234	Western Union	99
Louisville & N. A	859	Whreling & L. E	13
Manhattan Con	120%	do prefd	4
Memphis & C	10	M. & St. L	1.5
Michigan Central	\$1534	D. & B. O'	16
Missouri Pacine	200	G. E	100
Mobile & Ohlol	16	National Linseed	1915
Nushville Chatt.	70	C.F. & L.	414
National Cordage.	16%	C. F. & I. pref'd	- 22
do pref d	114	T. A. A. & N. M.	- 1
N. J. Central Norfolk & W. pf'd.	20	T. St. L. & H.C.	. 3

Stocks	Open	High	Low.	Close	Ye
Brie	1434	1439	1434	1.654	14
Pacific Mail			270.053	1454	2.4
L. & N		4234	4234	42%	42
Northwestern	100	100	69434	994	99
Mo. Pacine	21	2134	21	214	21
Union Pacific	1854	1836	1814	1814	17
N Pacific, pfd	14%		14%	15	1.4
N. Pacific com	454	43%	4.	4	4
C. B. & Q	7.4%	7534	7434		74
Rock Island	65%				0.5
St. Paul	5734			57.7%	54
Western Union			84%		85
Sugar Trust	82%	83%			80
New England	12	124			11
Atchison			10%		10
Chleago Gaa	0.534	0.514	0436		65
Reading	18%	1	258m24	18%	-18
Del. & Hudson			Sec.		134
D. C. F	25%	25%			95
E. G. E	3654	3039	36	3636	36
Cordage	1196				18

there has been almost no life in the 100-bing trade during the week, and retail flealers, outside two or three large estab-lishments, are complaining. Collections

The total sales of stocks today were 50,430 shapes, including: American Sugar, 8,000; Burlington, 8,700; Chicago Gas, 1,800; Louis-ville & Nashville, 6,300; St. Paul, 13,100; Western Union, 4,300. New York Money Market. NEW YORK, Jan. 13 .- MONEY ON CALL-

Easy at 2 per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.8634.84 87 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates \$4.8634.88; commercial bills, \$4.83464.83%.
Silver Centificates—69%c last bid; no

GOVERNMENT dull.	Boxbs-Di	ill. State	bond
The closing qu	iotations of	n bonds:	
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M. K. & T. Gen. 5		n. old 68	
Mumal Union 68		Centuries	
N. J. C. Int. Cert.		Centuries of	
N. Pacific Ists		class A	95
N. Pac. 2ds		class B	
N. W. Consols		Currencies.	
N. W. Deb. 5s.		confund.	

St. L. & S. F. Gen. M	80
Boston, Jan. 13 time loans, 34-55	St ck Quotations.)Cull loans, 14552 per cent. 4 per cent. Closing qui bonds and mining shares:
Boston & Albany. Boston & Malise. Boston & M. prefit C. B & Q. Fitchiouse. General Ries. Mexican Central. N. Y. & N. Eug. Old Colony. Giveno Short Line. Rubber. San Diego.	10h West End pf d. 7: 83th Westfugh Elec. 2: 85th Westfugh Elec. 2: 85th Wisconsin Cent. 1: 188 Atenison 2nds. 3: 1202 Atenison 2nds. 3: 12716 Gen. Elec. 2s. 7: 140 Wis. Cent. 1s. 65 7414 Altouer Min. Co. 408506 12 Atlantic. 10 30th Boston & Montana 26 0 Butte & Boston . 8 1156 Calumet & Hecla. 200 174 Centomial. 4 175 Franklin . 9 37 Kearsarge . 7 5 Oscoola. 22
Union Pacific	18% Quincy 120

West End 45% Tamarick London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, Jan. 13.-2 p. m.-Close Consols, money, 9813-16, St. Paul common, 5858 Consols, acc nt. 98 15-10, New York Central, 1015, Canadian Pacific, 975, Pennsylvania, 4958 Eric, 1418 Reading, 978, Hillmots Central, 93, Mex. Cent. new 48, 4054

RAR SHVER 31% d per oz.

MONEY 1 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for both short and three months bills, 11426
1 9-16 per cent.

Financial Notes. RANSAS CITY, Jan. 13 .- Clearings, \$1,580,578. NEW OBLEANS, Jan. 13 .- Clearings, \$2,187,974. Paris, Jan. 13.—Three per cent rentes, 98f Oc for the account.

New York, Jan. 13.—The imports of specio for the week are: Gold, \$31,302; silver, \$2.843. Meagurs, Jan. 13.—New York exchange sell-ing at par. Clearings, \$545,428; balances, \$150,072

LONDON, Jan 13.—The amount of buillon gone into the Bank of England on balance today, £64,000. New York, Jan 13.—Clearings, \$77,710,897; balances, \$4,779,846. For the week, \$528,776,-088; balances, \$35,684,845. New York, Jan. 13.—The imports of general merchandise from the port of New York for the week amounted to \$6.599,382

Boston. Jan. 13.—Clearings, \$13,225,468; hnisness, \$1,409,402. For the week, clearings, \$85,828,937; balances, \$10,247,563.
Philapeteria, Jan. 13.—Clearings, \$8,586,—399; balances, \$1,248,943. For the week; Clearings, \$52,805,281; balances, \$7,684,380. New York, Jan. 13. The exports of specie from the port of New York for the week end-ing today were: Gold, \$212,946; sliver, \$602,-

Baltimore, Jan. 13.—Clearings, 82,190,302; balances, \$278,803. For the week ending January 13: Clearings, \$14,252,593; balances, \$1,628,870. Cricago Jan. 13.—New York exchange, 75c premium. Stering exchange, dull; actual sixty-day bills, \$4.85\(\gamma\); demand, 4.87\(\gamma\), Clearings, \$12.573.000; total for the week, \$85,223,-000; corresponding week last year, \$107,058,-000.

New York Jan. 18.—Favorable weather, continued advance in raw cotton and rather more cheerful outlook as to the trade led to more cheerful talk in the dry goods district. Quits a fair representation of out-of-town abbuyers and a sustained local interest are features of the market. Prices as a rule are

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CHICAGO, Jan. 13.-The poor export demand and free selling sent wheat down again today. May closed with a loss of %c; May corn closed Mc lower, May outs Mc lower and provisions finished with pork slightly higher and lard and ribs a little lower.

Wheat started weak with May &c lower at 65% and under heavy pressure to sell began a decline which continued with few reactions throughout the session. The weakness was attributed to the smaller clearances, the exports of wheat and flour from both coasts being reported about 800,000 bu. smaller than the preceding week. The receipts at primary markets were a little smaller than during the preceding week and operators look for a small decrease in the visible supply, estimated at from 300,000 to 500,000 Cables were not encouraging. Export clearings were small yesterday and aggregated 210,000 bu. The speculative offerings were fairly large and exceeded the demand. Domestic markets were quiet and casier. Kennett-Hopkins, Swartz-Dopee, Baldwin-Kennett-Hopkins, Swartz-Dopee, Baidwin-Farnum and other big traders sold per-sistently, and May closed but he from the bottom figures of the day. May opened at 65%c, lost he, railied he, lost he and railied he to the close at 65%c. Corn was moderately active at times with the feeling manifestly easy, and shightly

lower prices occurred. The action of wheat together with sales by several prominent operators, were the principal factors in creating depression. The lack of outside speculative interest was instrumental in bringing about the easier sentiment. ceipts were rather heavy, estimates for Monday's receipts were liberal, and May closed but 14c above the day's bottom figures. May opened at 38 cc, advanced 'go, lost 'go and reacted 'go to the close at 38c.

Pressure to sell caused a weaker feeling in the oats market. May opened 15c lower, at 30%c, and after advancing %c on a little buying, declined %c and closed at the day's bottom figures, 30%c.

The provision market opened active and lower on receipts of live hogs being 8,000 over the estimate and lower prices for them. On somewhat limited offerings the feeling was steady, except that ibs were weak and comparatively lower than anything else. Pork was more active than anything else, and, after scoring an ad vance over yesterday's final figures, reacted to the opening figures of the day on support being withdrawn and the offerings a little more free, with lard and ribs ruling steady. Subsequently a little bidding sent prices up again, the market ruling firm, finally reacting to a limited extent and closing steady. Compared with last night May pork is 5c higher. May lard 10c lower and May ribs 5c lower. Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 125 cars: corn, 500 cars; oats, 200 cars;

Articles	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT- Jan May July	60% 65% 67	603g 65% 67	60% 65% 66%	6014 6514 6636414
Jan Feb May	34% 35% 38% 38%	34% 35% 38%9%	34% 35 37%	34% 35 37%9%
DATS— Jan May July MESS PORE	90% 28%	30146814 2874	20% 05% 28%	27 2914 284
Jan	13 20	13 42%	13 20	13 25 13 40
Jan Feb May	8 70 7 75	8 17% 7 80	8 10 7 72%	8 15 7 85 7 77%
Jan Feb May	6 70	6 77%	6 65	6 65 6 65 6 75

Cash quotations were as follows: Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR-Firm.

WHEAT-No. 2 spring, 604c; No. 3 spring,
V2c; No. 2 red, 604c; No. 3 yellow, 334c;
OATS-No. 2, 244,3344c; No. 2 white, 2843

S14c; No. 3 white, 27442284c;

RYE-No. 2, 45c;
BARLEY-No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 44252c;
No. 4, 414254c;

BARLEY-No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 44@52c; No. 4, 41%346c.
FLAX SEED-No. 1, \$1.36.
Timothy Seed-Prince, \$4.15.
PORK-Mess, per bbi., \$13.25@13.30; lard, per 100 lbs., \$8.22%38.25; short ribs sides (looses, \$6.62%36.67%; dry salved shoulders (boxed, \$6.25%65.50; short clear sides (boxed), \$7.00 @7.50.
Whiteney Prince

WHISKY-Distillers' finished goods, per gal.

ABTICLES.	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS
Flour, bbls	17,000	18,00
Wheat, bu	46,000	18.00
Corn, bu	392,000	467.00
Oats, bu	274,000	207,00
Rye, 011	8,000	4,00
Barley, bu	45,000	38,00

16@21c. Eggs, dull; fresh, 16@17c. New York Markets.

New York, Jan. 13 — FLOUR—Receipts, 29,200 bbls; exports, 700 bbls; sales, 3,000 bkgs; city mills, \$4,15624.50; city mill clears, 23,60623.65; Minnesota natents, \$3,5524.10; Minnesota bakers, \$2,3063.60; winter patents, \$3,4063.60; winter low grades, \$4,4562.25; spring low grades, \$1,6061.90; spring extras, \$1,9062.40; southern flour, dull; common to fair extra, \$2,2062.70; good to choice extra, \$2,70623.60; rye flour, steady; sales, 650 bbls; superfine, \$2,7062.85; fancy, \$2,8563.00; buckwheat flour, easier; \$2,75623.00; buckwheat flour, easier; \$2,75623.00; Buckwheat flour, easier; \$2,75623.00; Brandywine, \$2,70. Rye-Neminal, Bahley—Dull; No. 2 Milwankee, 65@66c; two-rowed state, 62@63c. New York Markets.

vo-rowed state, 62@63c. Вакину Малт—Dull: western, 65@60c: Cana-

BARLEY MALT—Dull: western, 65 E80c: Canadlan, 905250c; ist-rowed, 806850c.

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Wheat—Receipts, 3,300 bu.: exports, none: sales, 455,000 bu. futures and 13,000 bu. spot. Spot market easier: No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 60 kc; affoat, 67 kc; f. o. b. 67 kc; No. 1 porthern, 71 kc. Options were dull and weak on local liquidation and unfavorable estimates on the visible supply, closing dull at 146 kc. net delline; No. 2 red, January closed at 66 kc; February closed at 67 kc. March, 68 1-16 ft 68 kc.; February closed at 67 kc. March, 68 1-16 ft 68 kc.; Goising at 68 kc.; May, 708 kc.; closing at 70 kc.; June, 71 kc. 21 kc.; closing at 71 kc.; July closed at 72 kc.; Corn.—Receipts, 20 kc.; closing at 76 kc.; Corn.—Receipts, 20 kc.; dono bu.; sales, 240,000 bu. futures, 50,000 bu. spot. Spot dull and easier; No. 2, 41 kc. 41 kc. In elevator; 42 kc. 42 kc. affoat; yellow, 42 kc. ungraded mixed, 41 kc. 40 kc.; Option market opened easier with wheat, ruled quiet and closed weak at kc. 41 kc. Option market opened easier with wheat, ruled quiet and closed weak at kc. War, 44 kc. Corn.—Receipts, 80 kc. War, 42 kc. No. 3 kc.; Corn.—Spot. Spot market dull, but steady; No. 2, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 32 kc.; No. 2, white, 35c.; No. 3 white, 35c.; track, white western 350 kd.; ruck, white western 350 kd.; ruck, white state, 36 kd.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 2, delivered, 34 kc.; No. 3, 33 kc.; No. 3, 35 kc.; No. 3 white, 35c.; deed at 33 kc.; Hay—Oplet; shipping, 80.01; good to choice, 160 0000 kc.;

Hors Dull; state, common to choice, 183; 22c; Pacific coast, 183;22c; London market holders, no offerings.

Hings Steady; wet salted New Orleans selected, 454650 lbs., 4425c; Buenos Ayres, dry, 20340 lbs., 104611c; Texas, dry, 24330 lbs., dc., 184401. Steady; hemlock sole. Buenos B lis., 10 (40 11c; Texas, dry, 24 (230 1bs., dc., LEATHER-Steady; hemiock sole. Bueges Ayres, light to heavy weights, 14 (219c., Provisions—Reef., firm: family, 12 (215c; extra mess, 80 8 %c; beef hams, \$16; city extra India mess, 19 (25c; cut meats, quiet; pickled beilies, 7 (25c; pickled shoulders, 0 (25c) pickled hams, 2 (40) (25c) pickled hams, 2 (40) (25c) Land dull; western steam closed at \$8.65; January closed at \$8.55; nominal; February, \$8.25; nominal; May, 88.15; nominal; February, 88.25; nominal; May, 88.16; nominal; refined, dull; continent, \$9.10; S. A. \$3.10; compound, \$6.50. Pork, quiet; new mess, \$14.50 (215, 25c); short clear, \$15.00; 17.50.

BUTTER—Oulet: western dany, 15 (18.5c)

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BUTTER-Quiet: western dairy, 15218c; western creamery, 182254c; western factory, 14217c; Elgins, 254c; state dairy, 1722c; state creamery, 18222c.
CHEMBE-Steady; state, large, 92114c; small, 118124c; part skins, 4810c; full skins, 283c.

EGGS-Quiet: Ice house, 14217c; western fresh, 18427c; southern, 182204c Receipts, 3.640 pkgs.

Tallow-Strong; city #2 per pkg., 584554c; country pkgs, freet, 542554c, as to quality, Personau-Puil; United closed at 78c bid; Washington, bbis, 80; Washington in bulk, 83.50; refined New York, \$5.10; Phila-

delphia and Baitimore \$5.10; Philadelphia and Baltimore in bulk, \$2.50. Rosrs-Dull; strained, common to good, \$1.125431.15.

Rosar-Dull: strained common to good, \$1.12\squares 1.15.
Tunrestring-Steady at 30\squares 20 dec. \$1.12\squares 4.15.
Tunrestring-Steady at 30\squares 31c.
Rice-Steady: domestic, fair to extra, 3\squares 5\squares 2.10c.
Molasses-Quiet: New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 30\squares 35c.
Pio Ison-Quilet: American, \$12.00\squares 15.00.
Corpen-Easy: lake, \$16.
Lean-firm; domestic, \$3.10.
Tin-Dull: Straits, \$20\squares 20 nominal.
Spritze-Quiet: domestic, \$3.45, nominal.
Corponseno Uni-Strong; offerings light on builish talk from the scuth as to diminished production. Some forcensed interest on the part of exporiers. Local demand is also better, out strong views of holders checked business; prime crude, 35c. domestic, 25c. 25c.
yellow butter grades, 30c. choice yellow, 57\squares 38c; prime white, 38c. 45c.
Sucare Raw, quiet, but firm: fair refined, 25-15c; centrifugal, 90 test, 2 15-15c; sales, none; refined, quiet, but steady. No. 6, 3 11-10
\$3.3c; No. 7, 3\squares 13-10c; No. 8, 3 9-10\squares 3c; No. 9, 3\squares 13-10c; No. 10, 3 7, 10\squares 3c; No. 10, 3 3\squares 20 dec. No. 12, 3 5-10\squares 3c; No. 13, 3\squares 20 dec. No. 12, 3 5-10\squares 3c; out A, 3\squares 20 dec. No. 10, 3 7, 10\squares 3c; No. 13, 3\squares 20 dec. No. 12, 3 5-10\squares 3c; out A, 3\squares 20 dec. No. 10, 3 7, 10\squares 3c; No. 13, 3\squares 20 dec. No. 12, 3 5-10\squares 3c; out and A, 4 5-10\squares 4c; cut loaf, 4 13-10\squares 2c; crushed, 4 13-10\squares 2c; cut loaf, 4 13-10\squares 2c; crushed, 4 13-10\squares 2c; cut loaf, 4 13-10\squares 2c; crushed, 4 13-10\squares 2c; cut loaf, 4 13-10\squares 4c; cut loaf, 4 13-10\squares

Omaha Produce Market. BUTTER-There is plenty of butter on the market, but it is mostly of the medium grade. Really choice stock is a scarcity and is in fair demand. Choice country, 14216c; packing

lemand. Choice country, 14216c; packing stock, 12c. Duessed Pountry-The market is weaker han yesterday on chickens and turkeys. Ducks are steady and in demand. Dhickens, 55gGc: turkeys, 85Dc: goese and lucks, 9510c. Inferior stock would sell beow the above figures.

Live Poulthy-Dealers generally are advisainst the shipment of live poultry, as mand is very light, the trade generally ring dressed poultry. The few sales

VEAL-The arrivals are not heavy and the arket firm at previous quotations; choice sall and fat years, 767-c; thin or heavy.

Smail and fat vesis, 78,79c; thin or heavy,

GAME—Prairie chickens, quail and venison
are out of season, and there is not little on the
market except ducks. Canada goese, \$6; mailard ducks, \$2,000;2,50; back rabbits, \$1,500;
2,00; smail rabbits, \$1, squirrels, 75c.
Edgs—The market continues to go down and
dealers freely predict that the best eggs will
sell at 12;c by the first of the week.
Nothing, but the best stock is called for and
even that meets with but few sales. Prices
are a shade lower. Fresh stock, 12@14c; cold
storage, 11@12c. HONEY-Choice white clover, 15e; California, 18c.

Orsters Medium, I. X. I., 13c; horseshoes, 18c; extra standards, 20c; selects, 21c; extra selects, 22c; company selects, 25c; counts, 30c.

Nurs-Chestnuts, 12c per lb., Italian chestnuts, 12d; 13c; almonds, 15c; English walnuts, 12d; 14c; filberts, 125c; Brazil nuts, 11d; 12c; pecans, large, 12d; 14c; pecans, medium, 10c. The market on black walnuts is low and no one wants to buy.

VEGETABLES BEANS—California hand-picked navy, \$1.903 2.00; western navy, \$1.85@1.90; common white beans, \$1.50@1.75. Oxions—Onlons are quoted at 50@65c, and on orders at 65@70c; Spanish onlons, per

Crate, \$1.50.

WATER CRESS—Out of the market.
POTATOES—Nebraska, lowa and Minnesota grown potatoes, in small lots from store, 56% 70c; same in car lots, 56% 50c; colorado, from store, 75c; Colorado lots, 55%70c.
CABBAGE—Orders for cabbage from the country are filled at 2c per lb.
CELERY HOOTS—According to size, 40%60c ner doz. CELERY-Good stock, 35c; extra fancy Cali-CELERY—Good stock, 35c; extra fancy California, 50c;8\$1.00.

Sweet Potators—The supply is fair; good stock, per bbl., \$3.50.

Green Vegetrants—Spinach, per bbl., \$2; salsify, 30;35e per doz.; radishes, per doz., 35c; endive, per doz., 75c; onlons, per doz., 20c; cautiflower, per doz., \$1,50;32.00; lettuce, per doz., 50;375c; cucumbers, \$2; tomatoes, per crate of 20 ibs. \$2; string beans, \$2.50 per \$;-ba; box; parsicy, per doz., 30c; egg plant, per doz., \$2.50.

FRUITS GRAPES—There are no Catawbas on the mar-ket: Malagas, per 50-th. bbls. net. \$5.25@6.00; Malagas, per 55-th. bbls. net. \$6.00@6.50. California Fruirs—California fruits are Apples The supply is light on this market and prices higher; fancy western, \$1,9032.00 CRANBERRIES - Cranberries are arriving very freely and are in good demand; Cape Cod, per bbl., \$6.00@6.50; bell and bugle, \$6.50; Jersey, \$6.00@6.25; bell and cherry, \$5.

TROPICAL PRUITS. BANANAS—Prices remain about steady; per bunch, large, \$2.0052.50 per bunch, small to medium, \$1.75 \(\pi \)2.00.

LEMONS—New Messina lemons, size 300, \$5.50; size 360, \$52505.50.

ORANGES—Mexicans, per box, \$2.50; large sizes \$2.25 \(\pi \)2.40; fancy Fioridas, \$2.75; choice Fioridas, \$2.60.

TANGERINES-Per box, \$2.75. GRAPE FRUIT-Per box, \$4.

FURS.

Bear-No. 1 black, large, \$20.00\(\tilde{a}\)25.00; medium, \$15; small, \$8.00\(\tilde{a}\)10.00; black yearlings, large, \$12.00\(\tilde{a}\)15.00; medium, \$10; small \$7; black cubs, large, \$6.00\(\tilde{a}\)80; medium, \$5.00\(\tilde{a}\)60; small, \$7; black Montana and lings, large, \$12.00g,15.00; medlum, \$10; small \$7; black cubs, large, \$5.00g,8.00; medlum, \$5.00g,6.00; small, \$7; black Montana and Rocky mountain, large, \$18.00g,22.00; medlum, \$10; black Montana and Rocky mountain, large, \$18.00g,22.00; medlum, \$11; small, \$10; black Montana yearlings, large, \$12; medlum, \$8; small, \$5; black Montana cubs, large, \$6.50; medlum, \$4.50; small, \$3; silver tip, large, \$20; medlum, \$12; small, \$8; silver tip yearlings, large, \$11; medlum, \$5; small, \$3; silver tip cubs, large, \$6; medlum, \$5; small, \$3; silver tip cubs, large, \$6; medlum, \$5; small, \$6; small, \$12; yearlings, large, \$10.00g,12.00; medlum, \$8; small, \$6; cubs large, \$7; medlum, \$5; small, \$8; small, \$6; cubs large, \$7; medlum, \$5; small, \$8; badger—No. 1 large, \$1.00g,1.50; medlum, \$60; small, \$60; fisher—No. 1 large, \$100; medlum, \$60; small, \$40; silver pale, according to beauty, large, \$50; medlum, \$30; small \$20; cross, large, \$7; medlum, \$30; small, \$2; red, large, \$150; medlum, \$3; small, \$2; red, large, \$150; medlum, \$3; small, \$2; red, large, \$150; medlum, \$1.25; small, \$2; red, large, \$150; medlum, \$1.50; small, \$40; kit large, 50c; medlum, 50c; small, 40c; kit large, 50c; medlum, 50c; small, \$40; kit large, \$50; medlum, \$60; small, \$1; mink, No. 1, large, \$2; medlum, \$1.50; small, \$1; mink, No. 1, large, \$2; medlum, \$1.50; small, \$1; mink, No. 1, large, \$00; medlum, 75c; small, 65c; mink, dark, No. 1, large, \$1; medlum, 75c; small, 50c; small, \$5; otter, No. 1, large, \$1; medlum, 75c; small, 50c; small, \$5; otter, pale, No. 1, large, \$7; medlum, \$5; small, \$8; raccoon, black, as to beauty, No. 1, large, \$1; medlum, 75c; small, 50c; small, \$6; small, 50c; raccoon, black, as to beauty, No. 1, large, \$1; medlum, 75c; small, 50c; small, \$5; otter, pale, No. 1, large, \$1; medlum, \$75c; small, 50c; small, \$6; small, 50c; heaver—per skin, No. 1, large, \$1; otter, No. 1, large, \$2; otter, No. 1, large, \$2; medlum, \$2; small, \$6; kits, large, \$2; medlum, \$1,50; small, \$2; kits, large, \$2; medlum, \$1,50; small, \$

HIDES. TALLOW. ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green blides, 2%c; No. 2 green hides, 2c; No. 1 green salted hides, 3c; No. 2 green salted hides, 2c; No. 1 green salted hides, 3c; No. 2 green salted hides, 25 lbs. to 40 lbs., 3c; No. 2 green salted hides, 25 lbs. to 40 lbs., 3c; No. 1 yeal calf, 8 lbs. to 15 lbs., 6c; No. 2 yeal calf, 8 lbs. to 15 lbs., 6c; No. 2 yeal calf, 8 lbs. to 15 lbs., 4c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 5c; No. 2 dry flint hides; 4c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 4c; No. 2 dry flint hides; 4c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 4c. Part cured hides; 4c; per lb. 1 dry salted hides, 4c. Part cured hides; 4c; per lb.; 4s hearlings ishort wooled early skins, shearlings ishort wooled early skins, no. 1, ench 5a10c; dry shearlings ishort wooled early skins, No. 1, ench 5a10c; dry shearlings ishort wooled early skins, No. 2 each 5c; dry flint, kansas and Nebraska murrain wool beits, per lb., actual weight, 1036 l1c; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool beits, per lb., actual weight, 17322c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 7459c; dry pleces and bucks actual weight, 7459c; dry pleces and bucks actual weight, 637c.

New York, Jan. 13.—Corree—Ontions opened hull, with hids 5 to 10 points lower and ruled exceptionally flat with 50 speculation. Closed oursely steady at 5 to 10 points down; sales, 170 bags, including: January \$17.05; February, 116.55, and March, \$16.55. Spot coffee, Rio, pilet; No. 7, \$18.25; nink, inactive; Cordova, 220.00620.25; sales, noons. quiet; No. 7, \$18.25; hilbl. functive; Cordova, \$20.00620.25; sales, noon.
Sastos Jan. 13. Market quiet; good average, \$16.10; receipts (two days), 8,000 bags; stock, 153,000 bags.
Hamberg, Jan. 13.—Market quiet; prices unchanged to 5 pfg lower.
Havng, Jan. 13.—Market quiet and unchanged. Rio De Janeiro, Jan. 14.—Market quiet; re-celpts, 5,000 bags; stock, 185,000 bags. Losion, Jan. 13.—Market quiet and un-changed to 4d lower.

MIIWAUKEO MARKEIS. MILWAUKEE, Jan. 13.—Prous-Steady, WHEAT-Lower; No. 2 spring, 60c; No. 1 Cons-Lower; No. 3, 84c; OATS-Lower; No. 3, 84c; OATS-Lower; No. 2 white, 29c; No. 3 white 2828846 Bankey-Steady; No. 2, 4914c; sample, 43@ Nys.—Weak: No. 1, 47%c. Provisions—Steady: pork, \$13.30; lard,

RECEIPTS Flour, 3,500 bbls.; wheat, 10,400 bu.; barley, 42,500 bu. SHIPMENTS Flour, 1,200 bbls.; wheat, 2,000 bu.; barley, 2,400 bu. Duinth Wheat Market. DULUTH Jan 13. WHEAT The week closed with a dull, weak and declining market. Close: No. 1 hard, cash, 614c; January, 604c; May, 644c; July, 604c; No. 1 northern, cash, 604c; January, 505c; May, 635c; July, 65c; No. 2 northern, cash, 57c; No. 3, 92c; rejected, 464c; On track; No. 1 northern, to arrive, 614c.

Wool Market. Sr. Louis, Jan. 13.-Woot.-Depressed, weak but continues without quotable change.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Receipts for the Week Show an Improvement Over the Last.

UNRIPE CATTLE ARE COMING TOO FAST

Half Fat and Short Fed Stuff Forced on the Market Breaks Prices-Hogs Still Keep the Dealers Guessing on Supplies.

SATURDAY, Jan. 13. Receipts for the past week generally show a good increase over the week previous, but fall considerably short of the second week of January last year. The figures are as follows:

Receipts this week. 17,522 27,088 1,638 Receipts last week. 13,971 22,879 7,230 Same week last year. 21,914 30,802 4,506 The cattle narket has been just about the reverse of the preceding week, and the advance of that period has been lost and more too. Supplies here have not been too liberal, but Chleago receipts have been excessive, and the market being very bad there, prices have ruled lower at all western markets in sympathy. On account of the heavy runs east the speculative shipping demand and the inquiry from exporters have been almost entirely shut off, and local dressed beef men have had little formidable competition. This state of affairs very naturally resulted in slow, lower markets and the week closes with a decline of 25c to 40c on beef steers, and more than that on butchers' and canpers' stock. The with what it usually is at this time of year, and the forcing on the market of thousands of balf fat and short fed cattle is mainly responsible for the present very unsatisfactory condition of the market.

Saturday's Trade Was Slow. There was only an average run here today, but dealers all anticipate liberal supplies next week, and no one was in any hurry to cattle. The market was very slow dull. Buyers' wants were few, and as the weather was fine and the offerings ample, they were in no hurry about making their purchases. Prices were all of 10c to 15c lower than Friday and there was hardly any life or snap to the trade. Several loads of good to choice 1,150 to 1,400-lb. beeves brought from \$4 to \$4.30, but fair to very good 1,000 to 1,250lb. steers were very slow sale at from \$3.50 to \$4, with fair to poor stuff and odds and ends

at from \$3.40 down. In the butchers' stock and canner line the market was even worse. Supplies were fairly liberal, the demand not pressing from any quarter, and trading dull and dragging at prices all of 10c to 20c lower than Friday and 30c to 60c lower than Tuesday, the high point of the week. One thing that made the market seem so bad was the rather commoner than usual quality of the offer-ings. Extreme sales of poor to faucy cows and heifers were at from \$1.50 to \$3.50, the bulk of the fair to good stuff selling at from \$2.10 to \$2.70. There was little quotable change in the calf market, and poor to choice stuff sold at from \$2 to \$5. Rough stock was in liberal supply and only moderate demand, even at rather shaded prices. Poor to choice buils, oxen and stags sold at from \$2 to \$3. There was not much doing in the stocker and feeder line. There never is on Saturday. Receipts were light and the country demand nominal. Regular dealers paid about steady prices for suitable grades, but holders of common and inferior stuff found it hard work to get rid of it at all. In general, good to choice feeders are stronger than at the opening of the week, while common stuff is undoubtedly lower. Good to choice feeders are quoted at \$3 to \$3.60; fair to good at \$2.75 to \$3, and lighter, commoner grades at from \$2.70 down.

Representative Sales, DRESSED BEEF. Av. Pr. 650 \$3 00 698 3 00 986 3 25 800 3 25 760 8 25 No. 3. 20 5. 7 1044 1006 14 .1132 SHIPPING AND EXPORT.

WEARLINGS. 493 580 658 3.00 BULLS

Uncertainty in Hogs. During the early part of the week the hog market was active with prices steadily advancing, but with free marketing the latter half of the week prices started on the down grade. Closing prices, however, are still fully a nickel better than the close of last week. Conditions continue much the same as they have been so far this winter. Aside from the usual government estimate the only attempt to ap-proximate the future hog supply is found in the annual exhibit and estimate of the Cincinnati Price Current. It is but fair to say that this estimate meets the views of the bir majority of those in the trade, although there are notable exceptions, and among them some of the shrewdest men in the business. The Price Current's figures as as fol-

Returns and estimates show the total west-Beturns and estimates show the total west-ern packing since November 1 to be 2,780,000, against 3,030,000 a year ago—a decrease at date of 250,000 hogs. The week's total is 325,000, compared with 225,000 the preceding week, and 290,000 for the corresponding period

week, and 200,000 for the corresponding period last year.

In regard to expectations for the remainder of the season, it is to be noted that in the larger centers, where special effort is made to ascertain the probabilities for such localities, there is a wider range in view than ordinarily. This is notable, especially with reference to Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and Omaha, and we have necessarily been obliged to adopt figures in our calculations which seem justified by all the available evidence, rather than the acceptance of individual statements for such points.

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It is clearly the expectation of the trade that the number of hogs to be marketed during January and February will quite decidedly exceed the total for corresponding months has year. This finds support from all sources, with the exceptions of shork City and Louisville all the prominent points count on a decided gain over January and February last year.

year.

A consolidation of estimates submitted from the minor points and figures accepted for the larger centers indicates a total of 4,950,000 hogs for the winter season, ending March 1, as the western packing. This compares with 4,633,000 shown for last winter, and implies an increase of something over 300,000 hogs as the western packing. This compares an 16.73,000 shown for last winter, and implies an increase of something over 300,000 hogs as apparently probable. For the remaining portion of the season last year the packing was 1,505,000 hogs, and if the total of 4,950,000 hogs, and if the total of 4,950,000 hogs, and if the total of 4,950,000 were corresponding time last year.

On the basis of the estimate suggested, the packing for the remainder of the season would average 310,000 hogs per week, compared with last season's average of 230,000 for the corresponding period.

While recognizing the probabilities of a considerably enhanced production of provisions this winter, compared with last year, it is proper to bear in mind the fact that the indicated total falls short of any previous season in eighteen years; that not withstanding the fact that the winter season has more than half

that the winter season has that the winter season has more than ball passed away there is far less than ordinarily of accumulations of product for the time of year, and also, with chances favoring some gain in the spring months, there is ground for the view that there will be no burdensome offerings of that there will be no burdensome offerings of hogs or of product for many months to come, and possibly at no time until late in the sum-mer season, if in fact such conditions should develop before another year. It is true that the season has been one of inducement for enlarging the production of swine, and also that it has been more than ordinarily favora-ble with reference to health of stock.

Bears Had the Best of It, Receipts today were the heaviest in nearly a menth, and the quality was in the main very good. Dealers are wondering whether the pradicted heavy marketing of hogs has commenced or this is simply a spurt fol-lowing the recent sharp advance in prices. Dealers were all prepared for a lower market today on account of the weakness in provisions at the close Liberal receipts and lower markets east still further assisted the bears and the market opened all of 10c to 15c lower than Friday. There was a good demand, both from local ises and shippers, and trade started out houses and snippers, and trade started out brisk at the decline. Some very low prices were bid, but the bulk of the fair to good hogs sold early at right around \$5.10. Choice stuff brought \$5.15, and poor \$5.05. The hogs were being cleared up rapidly and buyers began hustling to fill orders. This caused a temporary bulge, and on the bulge a few loads brought \$5.15 and three or four choice heavy loads scratched out \$5.20, and \$5.25. This strength, however, was of short duration, and the close was fully as weak as the opening. ens were cleared in good season, the bulk against \$5,20 and \$5.25 Friday and \$5.05 to \$5.10 one week ago today.

Representative Sales.

Sheep Trade Active. Receipts of sheep were meager, the demand fair and the market active and firm Quotations were as follows: Fair to good natives \$2.75cm.50; fair to good westerns \$2.25@3.25; common and stock sheep, \$1.50; good to choice 40 to 100 lb. lambs, \$2.5 024.50. Representative sales.

Receipts and Disposition of Stock. Official receipts and disposition of stock as

shown by the books of the Union Stock Yaras company for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 o'clock p. m., January 13, 1894;

RECEIPTS. CATTLE | MOON | SHEEP, HORSERA MEA Cars. Head Cars. Head Cars. Head Cars. | Head. 105 2.506 100 6,472 1 280 DISPOSITION. BUVERS. | CATTLE | BOGS | SHEEP Omaha Packing Co.
The G. H. Hammond Co.
Swift & Co.
The Cudany Packing Co.
Nelson Morris.
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P. D. Armour 8 836 258 749 472 1,165 702 2,061 201 146 1,40a 1.429 815 2,630 6,512 250

Chreago Live Stock Market. Chicago, Jan. 13.—Today's receipts of cat-tle were estimated at 2,000 head, making 61,-813 for the week, which is about 20,500 head more than for the previous week, and 4,000 head less than a year ago. For the corre-spending week in 1892 the arrivals reached 83,000 head. There was a quiet and un-changed market, the offerlars being taken on a basis of Friday's quotations. The range of prices was from \$1,25 to \$6, but there were few sales outside of the limit of from \$2,25 to \$4,55.

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Whatever firmness may have been left in the log market at the close of bus mess verterday was squeezed out of it today and it was as limp as a rag. There was a slump of from 10c to 15c, making a decline since Thursday of from 25c to 30c per 100 lbs, which quite equals the advance gained during the preceding two days. The cause of the break was, of course, the continued large receipts, today's run being the largest recorded for a Saturday since December, 1891, and the supply for the week not having been equaled since January, 1892. Soon after the opening prices dropped to from \$5.10 \$5.40 for common to choice grades and there was no subsequent time when sellers could unload to any better advantage. The bulk of sales were at from \$5.20 to \$5.37.

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The sheep market was nominally steady. There was a light demand at from \$1.25 to \$3.60 for poor to choice qualities, with sales principally at from \$2.50 to \$3.25. Lambs were firm at from \$3 to \$4.85 for poor to choice. Extra were quoted at from \$4.50 to \$5. The week's receipts amount to about 55,500 head, which is \$1.00 more than a year ago.

Receipts: Cattle, 2,900 head; calves, 100 head; hogs, 31,000 head; sheep, 2,000 head.

The Evening Journal reports:

Cattle, Heceipts, 2,000 head; shipments, 1,000 head; market, slow and a trifle lower; no extra steers here; nominal at \$5.50,95.75;

no extra steers here: nominal at \$5.50(85.75 good to choice, \$4.75(85.25; others, \$3.75(84.40 Hogs Receipts, \$1,000 head; market active audio-size lower; heavy rough, \$4,00055.05; packers and mixed, \$5,1065.25; prime heavy rough, \$4,0005.05; packers and mixed, \$5,1065.25; prime heavy d butcher weights, \$5.30@5.35; prime light

SHEEP AND LAMES-Receipts, 2,000 head; market steady; top sheep, \$3.00@3.70; top lambs, \$4.50@4.95. St. Louis Markets, St. Louis, Jan. 13.—Flour-Unchanged; extra fancy, \$2.65@3.75; buckwheat flour, WHEAT-Went off from the first on heavy

selling and closed ac below yesterday's final prices; No. 2 red. cash, closed at 57%;; January, 57c; May, 62%; June, 63%;. Cons-Weak with wheat, closing 4c off, but was firm at the decline; No. 2 mixed, cash, and lanuary, closed at 32%; May, 34%;34%; July, 65c. dry, bac. Weak and lower; No. 2 cash and anurry, classed 284c; May, 304c. Ryg-No. 2, 45c bid. Bantey-Notbing doing; sales of lowa at

BRAN-Steady at yesterday's decline; 59c bid BIGN-Steady at yesterday a decime; 35c on east track.

FLAX SEED-Firm at \$1.32.
CLOVER SEED-Fair to prime, \$8.75@9.35.
HAY-Dull and unchanged; prime to choice timothy, 9.50@10.50.

BUTTER-Unchanged; separator creamery, 22@23c; choice dairy, 19@20c.
EGGS-Lower at 12½c.
LEAD-Unchanged; \$3 asked.

SPELTER-Unchanged; \$3 asked.

CORN MEAL-\$1.65.
WHISKY-\$1.15.

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WHISKY-\$1.15.

BAGGING-5686c.
HOS COTTON TIES-95c681.00.
PROVISIONS-Easier, with light demand.
Ork, lower; standard mess, \$13.874; Lard,
stime steam, \$8.15. Dry sait meats, loose
houlders, \$6.25; longs and ribs, \$6.75; shorts,
6.874; boxed, 15c more, Bacon, nacked
houlders, \$7.25; longs, \$7.50; ribs, \$7.624;
horts, \$7.75.

Provinces, Flore, 20.0003bbb, whent 19.000 shorts, \$7.75.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 30,000 bbls.; wheat, 19,000 bb.; corn, 101,000 bu.; oats, 41,900 bu.; Shirments—Flour, 5,000 bbls; wheat, none; corn, 65,000 bu.; oats, 33,000 bu.

On the Lundon Market.

On the London Market.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—The weather has been mild and the crops are in good condition. Wheat was firm owing to the wintry weather. British trade is poor now that the French demand has largely subsided. The market for barley was steady and there was no pressure to sell; parcels trade was moderate. American fluctuated and offers were light; spot was quiet and rates steady. California arrived

quiet and rates steady. California arrived was quoted at 28s and hard Manitoba parcel affoat was quoted at 27@27s 6d. The country markets were weaker.

Flour-Eirmer, owing to the cold weather, at 3d up. American's tocks were in good demand for shipment: Minnesota first bakers was quoted at 15s 3d to 17s. The country markets were steadler. Malze was firm on the cold weather, and American has since been 3d down. Spot was easy: American was quoted at 19s 6d. The country markets were steady.

Bankey-Firm for oarly shipments at 6d up. Peas-Steady at full rates; the country markets were firm. UATS-Fully 6d up. Peoria Grain Market.

PEORIA, Jan. 13.—CORN—Market quiet and lower; No. 2, 31%; No. 3, 32c.
OATS—Market slow and easy; No. 2 white, 284,8284; No. 3 white, 27%; 28c.
Rye—Market steady but inactive; No. 2, 1676,186. 45648c. Winsky-Market firm; whigh wines, basis, \$1.15. RECEIPTS Wheat, 7,800 bu.; corn, 57,900 bu.; oats, 27,500 bu.; rye, 600 bu.; bariey, 14,000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 2,400 bu.; corn. 89,000 hur; oats, 50,000 bur; rye, none; barley, Kansas City Live Stock Market.

Kansas City Lave stock Market.

Kansas City, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts,
4,000 head; shipments, 3,700 head; best
cattle were steady; others weak to 10c
lower; Texas steers, \$2,7594,00; shipping
steers, \$4,0004,55; Texas and native cows.
\$1,4063,40; butcher stock, \$3,1764,15;
stockers and feeders, \$2,6593,70.

Hous-Receipts, 7,900 head; shipments,
1,600 head; market 5610c lower; buik,
\$5,1065,20; heavy, packing and mixed, \$4,95
(\$5,25); lights, Yorkers and pigs, \$4,900,52,50.

Sheep-Receipts, 7,00 head; shipments,
none; market slow and weak. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

St. Louis Live Stock Market,
Sr. Louis Jan. 18.—Cartile—Recolpts, 700
head; shipments, 300 head; market active
and steady without change from yesterday's
prices; fed Texas steers, \$3.2023.65; grass
lows, \$1.6022.10.
Hoss—Receipts, 2.000 head; shipments,
8.300 head; market 10220c lower; top price,
\$5.35; hulk of sales, \$5.0065.30; butcher
grades, \$5.2565.35; mixed, \$5.0025.35; light,
\$5.1025.25.
Super-Receipts none adjacents 500 bead. \$5.1055.25.
SHEEP—Receipts, none; shipments, 800 head; harriet nominally steady.

Liverpool Markets, Liverscor. Jun. 13.-Wheat-Quiet: de-mand poor; holders offer moderately; No. 1 California, 5s 4d@5s 5d; red western winter, 5s 20355 4d.
CORN Steady; demand moderate; No. 2
mixed, 4s 14d for new.
Phovisions—Lard, prime western, 42s 4d,
pors, prime mess, 77s 6d; theef, extra India
mess, 105s; bacon, long and short clear, 55-lis.,
40s; long clear, 45-lis., 42s. Stock in Signi.

| Stock in Signal | Receipts of live stock at time four principal western markets Saturday, January 13; | Western markets Saturday, January 13; | South Omaha. | 2,566 | 6,472 | 280 | Chicago. | 2,000 | 31,000 | 2,000 | Kansas City | 4,000 | 7,200 | 700 | St. Louis | 700 | 2,000 | ... Total..... 0,266 47,372 2,980 Sioux City Live stock Market.

Siorx Crrv. Jan. 13.—House Receipts, 2,400 head; afficial yestersby, 3,246 head; shipments, 519 head; marke; 10c lower at 45,000 5,125; butk, \$5,05; Carrise Receipts, 100 head; official yesterday, 103 head; shipments, 325 head; market slow and steady.

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