EARLY ADVANCE DUE TO BETTER CABLES

Prediction of Colder Weather Gave Additional Strength to the Market and on These Features a Strong Improvement Was Made.

CHICAGO, March 2.-Wheat went up with a rush and down with a thud today, finishing 4c lower for May after a bulge of %c. The early advance was due to better cables, the prospects of a cold wave and good buying, while free selling and the discouraging export outlook was responsible for a le de eline later, May closing but 16c from the "May corn closed 1/2c higher, May pats unchanged and provisions lower all Sund.

Among one or two items in the early news of a bullfish character was one of a somewhat different complexion and the latter gave the wheat market its opening drift. The Liverpool market was called firm, with an upward tendency at 15d advance for spot wheat. The receipts here and in the north-west were comparatively light, but New York wired that a banking firm there had arranged to ship \$1,259,000 in gold and some long wheat was rushed upon the market as soon as opportunity offered. Leopold Bloom, who had bought yesterday some of the wheat he sold out on Wednesday, was the leader of a little gold panic with which the wheat market opened. He sold through Clark-Catlin and others about 590,000 bu., it was reported, within a few minutes of the start, The buying orders were such that a good deal over three or four times the quantity sold out for Bloom was absorbed in the time named and the cry was still for more. More could not be had at the then prevailing price, so bids were advanced from 60% to 60%c, which was the range during the for the minutes. The price shot up to 60%c and a little later to 60%c. A prediction of colder weather gave additional strength to the market and before the wings of the budding enthusiasm could be clipped the price of May wheat had advanced to 60%c and 61c. There was a radical change after that, due principally to the eastern advices reporting the impossibility of making sales of wheat abroad at the rates now current here, and May dropped 1c. The spring wheat markets of the northwest maintained the firm tone which had so long distin-guished them, and sent dispatches regarding an improved demand for flour for export, which it was claimed that section is now experiencing, but export clearances were not more than half what were reported yesterday from the four principal Atlantic ports, and primary market receipts as a whole, in comparison with the shipments from the same, were quite heavy. The western markets usually quoted received 285,000 bu, and shipped 55,000 bu. Shaking the whole of the above matters up together, the traders apparently concluded that they were more promising for lower than for higher prices, and accordingly sold May wheat until it was down to 60%c. price declined to 59%c for a moment, and the closing rate was 60c bid.

Some life was displayed in the market for corn, a fair trade taking place within a wider range of prices. The sentiment displayed was decidedly bullish and a very firm market was witnessed, with the offer ings all day on the restricted order, and at no time liberal. The demand was good and the limited offerings appeared to bring in a good many small buying orders, the filling of which stimulated values. Today's receipts did not come up to expectations, and aided by this the market opened at yesterday's close, and on an urgent demand and limited offerings sold up with a very little reaction from %c to %c, eased back %c with the decline in wheat, ruled setady, and closed with May between the day's top and bottom figures.

In oats there was a moderate trade and a firmer feeling, prices averaging higher, but after an advance of 14c the close was at about the same prices to a trifle easier than yesterday. The market followed wheat in its fluctuations and May closed at the bot-

Continued liberal receipts of live hogs at the yards in excess of the estimates, with a further decline in prices for them, were responsible for a weak and lower opening in provisions. Prices fluctuated within a moderate range during the first hour of the session, with the tendency downward on some of the private houses selling and a few stop loss orders coming in. The volume of trading was light. Later on the market ruled weak and lower on slightly increased offerings. Some covering by the short interest subrequently caused a moderate reaction in pork and ribs with lard ruling steady There was, however, very little trading. Compared with last night, May pork is 15c lower, May lard 2½c lower and Compared with last night, May

May ribs 716c lower. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 50 cars; corn, 475 cars; oats, 170 cars; hogs, The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
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WHEAT-No. 2 spring, 574,4657%; No. 3 spring, 546584c; No. 2 red, 574,4657%c. WHEAT No. 2 rod, 57% \$657%c.

CORN—No. 2, 34%c.

OATS—No. 2, 25c; No. 2 white, 31\$32c; No. 4 white, 30% \$6314c.

RYE—N. 2, 46c,

BARLEY—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 45\$52c; No.

HARLEY—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 159552; No. 44\\[\frac{44\\ \pi}{464}\] ELANSIED—No. 1, \$1.38.

FIANSIED—Prime, \$4.15.

PROVISION—Mess pork, per bbl., \$11.62\\ \pi\] [FIANSIED—Prime, \$4.15.

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(boxed), \$6.25g16.50; short clear sides (boxed), \$6.75g7.125. WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., \$1.15. SUGARS—Unchanged. The following were the lowing were the receipts and shipments

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On the Produce exchange today the butter market was quiet; creamery, 18@23\(\gamma_c\); dairy, 15\(\gamma 20\)e. Eggs, quiet; strictly fresh, 16c.

NEW YORK, March 2.—FLOUR.—Receipts, 17, 509 bbls; exports, 14,500 bbls, asles, 28,200 pkgs. Market decidedly better in tone and more active, with an encouraging export demand. City mills report a good demand for the West Indies. Rye flour slow. Buckwheat flour, quiet; \$2.2592.35; flour slow. Buckwheat nour, quiet, saids, sales, 190 bairs.
BUCKWHEAT-Dull; state, 68670c; Canadian, CORN MEAL-Steady.

ex bond, 654,65c.
CORN MEAL—Steady.
RYE—Dull.
BARLEY—Dull.
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WHEAT—Receipts, none; exports, 231,300 bu.; sales, 4,25,000 bu. futures and 45,500 bu. spot.
Spot. firmly held; No. 2 red, in store and elevator, 63c afloat, 635,c; f. o. b., 64c; ungraded red, 65c delivered. Options opened higher on stronger cables and foreign buying, further advanced at moon on heavy clearances from New York, but reacted later on realising by early buyers and closed 5x off from the top and 5c below to 5x above hist night's prices. Local Mocks of contract wheat are decreasing rapidly. No. 2 red, March, 615,9625c. closed at 615c; June, 635,9355c, closed at 65c; July, 63 fa. 16 (174c; September, 655,9765c, closed at 635c; December, 75,9775c, closed at 674c; September, 655,9765c, closed at 635c; December, 75,9775c, closed at 75c.
COHN—Receipts, 4,600 bu.; exports, 4,800 bu.; sales, 90,000 bu futures and 16,000 bu. spot. Spot market firmer; No. 2 red, 435c in elevator; 435c affoat. Option market opened firm with wheat and on expected unfavorable weather and bad roads west, reacted a little in the afternoon, but closed steady at 4x not advance, March, 475c 425c, closed at 435c; OA35-Receipts, 17,000 bu.; exports, 690 bu.;
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OATE-Receipts, 17,900 bu.; exports, 600 bu.; ales, 135,000 bu. futures and \$7,900 bu. spot. pot, steady and more active; No. 2, 27c; No. 2 lelivered 38c; No. 2, 364c; No. 2 white, 36c; No. white, 3fc; track white western, 386425c; track white state, 385425c. Options, quiet, but firmer

olf day, closing tiglic net advance; March, 2416 215c, elemel at Easte; May, 245cottpe, closed at HAY-Firm; shipping, \$6; good to choice, \$6.00 405.00, HOPS-Dull, state, common to choice, 1387.22c; Pacific const. 1587.22c; Pacific const. 1587.22c; HIDES-Quiet, unchanged) wet saited, New Orleans selected, 45 to 50 lbs. 45-9554c; Texas, selected, 55 to 56 lbs., 4675c; Ruenos Ayres, dry. 29 to 24 lbs., 105-941c; Texas, dry. 24 to 30 lbs.

29 to 24 fbs., losquire, Texas, ary, at the list, 6a.

LEATHER—Quiet.
PROVISIONS—Beef, dull. Cut meats, easy; pickied beliles, 757'vc; pickied shoulders, 6'1.0', 6'1c; pickied hams, 8'4c. Lard, steady; western steam closed at 57.50 asked; March closed at 57.50, nominal; May, 77.35, nominal; refined, weaker; continent, \$8.0038.30; compound, \$6.00. Fork, dull and easy, new mess, \$12.250'15.75; extra prime, \$13.00313.25; family, \$14.003'14.50; short clear, \$14.003'18.50;
BUTTER—Quiet; western dairy, 103'17c; western creamery, 103'25c; western factory, 113'16c; Elgins, 25c; state dairy, 153'25c; state creamery, 159'13c, old. 56(19c. old. CHEESE—Firm: large, NiGillic; small, 10156) 23c; part skims, 26(19c; full skims, 26(19c) EGGS—Weak; state and Pennsylvania, 18156; seitern fresh, 175(1715c) southern, 10156; TALLOW—Dull but steady; city (\$2 per pkg.). PETROLEUM-Dull but stendy; United closed PURPENTINE-Dull.

ROSIN-1791.

RICE-Quiet; fair to extra, 284c.
PIG IRON-Sceady; American, \$11.50@15.00.
COPPER-Quiet; lake, Fig.
LEAD-Sceady; domestic, \$1.10.
TIN-Lower; straits, \$19.25 bid; plates dult,
SPELITER-Exsier; domestic, \$2.50 bid.
COTTONSIED OIL-Continues dull and without feature; no encouragement in advices from
out of town points, prices rule about the same;
prime crude, 28c; off crude, in bids, 25027c;
yellow butter grades, \$18.50.00c; prime yellow,
35021c; yellow, off grades, \$18.50.00c; prime yellow,
\$5027ac.

Strate, SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 2 13-15c; cen-prifugals, 96 test, 3.3-15c; sales, 109 bags Musco-vado, 98 test, at 2 9-16c, ex-wharf; refined, steady.

Local Produce Market.

BUTTER—Stock is accumulating with most of the dealers and the market is slow and weak. Choice country, 1545162; packing stock 164516.

DRESSED POLLTHY—The receipts consist mostly of rough stock and trade is very dull especially on urkeys. Chickens, 65262; urkeys, 36362; grosse and slucks, 95902.

LIVE POULTRY—There is some call for choice stock and dealers have no difficulty in filling orders. Good stock is quotable at 5656.

VEAL—The receipts are somewhat more liberal and there is a moderate call for good stock; choice, good fat veals 5576; thin or heavy, 3556.

EGGS—The receipts continue very light, but the fear of heavy arrivals toward the end of the week has a tendency to keep prices down. The market is firm at 18c, with small lots of fancy stock selling at 15c. Strictly fresh eggs, 16c; dark honey, 125-6712.

OUSTERS—Medium, I. N. L. 16c; horseshoes. 18c; extra standard, 25c; selects, 25c; counts, 35c. NUTS—Cheistnuts, 12c per 15.; Italian chestnuts, 127-152; inmonds, 1567-15c. English walnuts, 127-15c, inmonds, 1567-15c. English walnuts, 127-15c, inmonds, 1567-15c. English walnuts, 125-15c; need bil., \$5. half bbl., \$3. SAUERKRAUT—Per bbl., \$5.5096-00; half bbl., \$3. SAUERKRAUT—Per bbl., \$5.5096-00; half bbl., \$5.006-30; per 15bl., \$5.5096-00; half bbl., \$5.006-00; half Local Produce Market.

BEANS—California hand-picked navy, \$1,90@2.00; western navy, \$1.75@1.80; common white beans, \$1.50@1.75, 201.000; yestern navy, \$1.75@1.80; common white beans, \$1.50@1.75, 201.000; yellow onlons, in bbis., \$2.75.

ONIONS—Onlons are quoted on orders at 75@30c; yellow onlons, in bbis., \$2.75.

POTATOEES—Nebraska, Towa and Minnesota grown polatoes, in small lots from store, 75c; same in car lots, \$52@50c; Colorado, from store, 75c; same in car lots, \$52@50c; Colorado, from store, 75c; same in car lots, \$2.675c.

CABBAGE—Orders for cabbage from the country are filled at 2% per th.

CELLERY—Extra fancy California, \$60c@31.00.

SWEET POTATOES—The supply is fair; good stock, per bbi, \$2.5.

GRIEEN VEGETABLES—Spinach, per bbl., \$2.50; saisify, 30c@35c per doz., 75c; saisify, 30c@35c per doz., 35c; onlons, per doz., \$3.694c; cauliflawer, per doz., \$1.50c; 1.75; tomatoes, per crate of 20 lbs., \$1.50; parsiey, per doz., 50c@35c; egg plant, per doz., \$2.25; aspairagus, per doz., \$3.60c; turnips, per doz., 75c; beets, per doz., 75c; sais, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., 90c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., 90c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., 90c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., 90c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., 90c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., 90c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., 90c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$9c; water cress, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per doz., \$1.50c; beets, per VEGETABLES.

FRUITS.

APPLES—There are but few apples on the market and the trade is largely going to oranges. Fancy westerns, \$2.25 per box.

CRANBERRIES—Much of the stock is becoming too soft for shipment, but there is still a considerable demand for standard varieties.

Cape Cod, per bbl., \$6; bell and bugle, \$6; Jersey, \$6. CALIFORNIA ORANGES. The stock is arriv-CALIFORNIA ORANGES—The stock is arriving in good condition and the trade is increasing. Riverside seedlings, regular sizes, \$2.25; small sizes, \$2.2 Riverside Washington navels, \$2.306, \$2.50; small sizes, \$2.000, \$2.16; small sizes \$2.30, \$0.2.40; small sizes, \$2.000, \$2.16; small sizes in 10-box lots, \$1.90; Redland navels, \$2.75; Riverside seconds, sizes 250 to 200, \$1.8062,00.

STRAWBERRIES—The Florida berries are now on the market at 35,40c per quart.

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BANANAS—Prices remain about steady; per bunch, large, \$2.25@2.59; per bunch, small to medium, \$2.00@2.25,
LEMONS—Messinas, fancy, \$4; choice, \$1.50; good, \$1.50; lots, \$2.75%1.09,
ORANGES—Fancy Floridas, \$3; choice Floridas, \$2.75,
TANGERINES—Per box, \$2.75,
GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, \$4.

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Idas, \$2.75.

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BEAR—No. 1 black large, \$29.99@25.90; medium, \$15; small, \$8.00@10.00; black yearlings, large, \$12.00@15.00; medium, \$15; small, \$10; black yearlings, large, \$12.00@15.00; medium, \$5.00@65.00; small, \$4; black Montana and Rocky mountain, large, \$18.00@22.00; medium, \$14; small, \$10; black Montana, yearlings, large, \$12; medium, \$3; small, \$2; black Montana cubs, large, \$5.00; medium, \$15; black Montana cubs, large, \$5.00; medium, \$15; small, \$3; silver tip, large, \$20; medium, \$12; small, \$3; silver tip yearlings, large, \$11; medium, \$4.50; small, \$3; silver tip yearlings, large, \$11; medium, \$4.50; small, \$5; black montana, \$12; yearlings, large, \$10.00@12.00; medium, \$15; small, \$12; yearlings, large, \$10.00@12.00; medium, \$15; small, \$12; yearlings, large, \$10.00@12.00; medium, \$6; small, \$12; yearlings, large, \$10.00@12.00; medium, \$6; small, \$12; yearlings, large, \$10.00@12.00; medium, \$6; small, \$10; chisher—No. 1, large, \$1.00@12.00; medium, \$6; small, \$10; chisher—No. 1, large, \$1.00@12.00; medium, \$6; small, \$10; medium, \$10; small, \$10; small, \$10; medium, \$10; small, \$10; small, \$10; medium, \$10; small, \$10;

Te; small, 6c; kits, large, 2g3c.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 green saited hides, 2½g5c; No. 2 green saited hides, 2½g5c; No. 2 green saited hides, 2½g5c; No. 2 veal caif, 8 lbs. to 15 lbs. 5c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 5c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 5c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 5c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 5c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 5c; No. 1 dry saited hides, 4c. Part cured hides ½c per lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each, 25g50c; green salted shearlings (short-wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5g10c; dry shearlings (short-wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5g10c; dry shearlings (short-wooled early skins), No. 2, each, 5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4g5c; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4g5c; dry flint, Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4g5c.

Tallow No. 2 3¼g4c; grease, white A, 4c; grease, white B, 3½c; grease, white B, 3½c; grease, white B, 3½c; grease, white B, 3½c; grease, dark, 2½c; old butter, 2g22gc.

St. Louis Markets. ST. LOUIS, March 2.-FLOUR-Trade poor; ST. LOUIS, March 2.—FLOUR—Trade poor; prices unchanged.
WHEAT—Was bid up 5c by the bulls early, but weakened later and lost 15c, closing 5c off; No. 2 red, cash and March, 55c; May, 565c; July, 585c.
CORN—Advanced 5c with wheat, but slipped back 5c; No. 2 mixed, cash, Elbic, March, 13c; May, 355c; June, 344c; July, 545c.
OATS—Etrm; No. 2 cash and March, 205c; May, 305c.
RYE—No. 2, 49c bid, east side.
BARLEY—Nothing doing,
BRAN—Steady; cast track, 68c.
FLANSEED—31.36.
CLOVER SEED—Unchanged; \$8.00@10.00.
HAY—Unchanged; prime to choice timothy, \$8.75c/10.00.
BUTTER—Unchanged.

SUTTER-Unchanged.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, March 2 COTTON—Quiet, steady; sales, 1,70 bales; to arrive, 600 bales; low ordinary, 511-16c; ordinary, 63-16c; good ordinary, 515-6c; low middling, 74-16c; middling, 75-16c; good middling, 75-16c; middling fair, 8 1-16c; fair, 9 loc. Receipts, 1,250 bales; exports to Great Britain, 16,200 bales; to the continent, 7,400 bales; constwise, 2,000 bales; stock, 70,000 bales, sales, 67,000 bales, Futures, quiet; March, \$1,13; May, \$1,1767,18; June, \$7,3467,73; July \$7,4007,41; August, 57,607,41; September, \$1,337,44; October, \$1,4457,48; November, \$1,4917,51; December, \$7,5497,51; Dece Cotton Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 2-WOOL-In fair demand at steady but unchanged prices. LONDON, March 2-At the wool auction sales today 9,720 bales were offered and 1,100 bales of this number were withdrawn. The catalogues were moderate, but they included a good assertment of Victoria washed consistings, which sold freely. Forkshire paying up to 4s for limbs. Otherwise there was little luterest. France took most of the wood, Germany was inactive, and there was nothing suitable for America. The following are the safest Sydney, 1,889 bules, scoured, Sydditt 2d; greasy, 5491; Queensland, 2,294 bales, scoured, 114,691s tad; greasy, 5497 bales, scoured, 5494d greasy, 5497 bales, scoured, 54974d Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,9774d Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,9774d Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,9774d Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,9784d Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,9784d; Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,9784d; Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,9784d; Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,978d; Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 74,978d; Tagmania, 145 bales, greasy, 54,978dd.

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Minneapolis, March 2—Receipts of wheat today were 197 cars; shipments, 51 cars. The market spensed steady in the morning and advanced later about \$4c, with large trading at the advance. Selling later caused a decline. The earlier buyers sold out later to realize, excepting some orders from the outside, which were carried over. May opened at 584c; July, 595c. Prices ranged about 15c spread between May and July. The close was at 585c for March, 594g-585c for May and 595c for July. On track: Hard, 62c; No. 1 northern, 60c; No. 2, 594c. The movement from farmers' granaries in the country is increasing and has been very fair this week compared with the receipts there the past two or three weeks. It is claimed this movement will not long continue and it is accounted for by the people from the country on the theory that the money obtained for wheat is needed to pay taxes due in March, After that movement has been encouraged by the grood weather and improved reads for movements. Prices have also been a little better, which caused more farmers to sell that might have otherwise held longer. Mills are increasing the production of flour and are necessarily consuming more wheat. The wheat receipts here during the week have been very fair, so that the reductions in supplies is not expected to be large from the regular elevators here this week. It is understood that farmers are preparing to sow more outs, barley and flax this season, and on that account it is claimed that the acreage of wheat will be considerably less in the north-west. west.
Flour was selling better at a range of from \$3.35 to \$3.65 for patents and from \$1.60 to \$2 for bakers. These figures are the extremes of the prices in the bulk of the sales.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Trading in Securities Yesterday Was Not as Active as Thursday.

NEW YORK, March 2.-The continuation of yesterday's trading was reversed on the Stock, exchange today and of the buying last evening no trace was to be found at the opening of business this morning. Some reaction was natural by reason of sales to realize profits, but the offerings were too large to be ascribed to such a source. This selling movement was materially assisted by the announcement that \$1,250,000 of gold had been engaged for shipment tomorrow and by the passing of the seigniorage bill, for the bears affected to regard the progress of this measure as inimical to the stability of speculative values. The first prices were made irregular, but generally below yesterday's closing figures, Sugar being the weak-est on the list and in the early trading carried the other shares traded in along with it in its general downward course. General Electric, Cordage and New York Central

showed marked depression.

A slight rally occurred shortly after 11 o'clock, which was followed by a decline in Lead, Sugar, General Electric and the grangers, bringing the figures down to a lower level than before. As the market moved into the afternoon some of the shorts began to cover and the decline brought in some buyers for the London account, which had the effect of causing a temporary advance in which New York Central, Sugar and Lead participated most largely, the grangers showing slight improvement. at 1:30 o'clock the upward movement received a check and from then until the close the prices moved down, the lowest figures of the day being touched in the final dealings. Compared with yesterday's last sales the close showed a decline ranging from 1/4 to 1% per cent. The railway and miscel-laneous bond market was firm all day.

The Evening Post says: After yesterday's rather excited advance in prices some re action was in order today, if only from precautionary sales of yesterday's buyers to take profits. No doubt the gold engagement had some slight influence, and possibly, too, yesterday's vote at Washington. The market sold off rather rapidly at the opening and then, with occasional slight movements in each direction, lapsed into its accustomed inactivity. The closing was irregular and weak, with most prices at the lowest. The weak, with most prices at the lowest. The engagement of \$1,500,000 gold for export by tomorrow's steamer created great surprise. Today's actual selling price of demand sterling is still %c below the regular commercial shipping point, but it is a full 1c higher than the rate at which the other \$2,000,000 in gold was sent out in December. the following are the closing quotations on .ne leading stocks of the New York exchange

	coday:			
	Atchison	12%	No. Pac. pfd	185
	Adams Express	150	U. P. D. & G	
	Alton, T. H	21	Northwestern	1037
	do pfd	150	do pfd	140
	Am. Express	112	N. Y. Central	995
		0994	N. Y. & N. Eng	10
	Baltimore & Ohlo			
	Canada Pacific	6636	Ontario & W	16
	Canada Southern.	50	Oregon Imp	14
	Central Pacific	1314	Oregon Nav	20
	Ches. & Obto	17%	O. S. L. & U. N	754
	Chicago Alton	133	Pacific Mall	16%
ı	C., B. & Q	7736	P. D. & E	436
ľ	Chicago Gas	6232	Pittaburg	140%
U	Consolidated Gas.	127	Pullman Palace	168
ľ	C. C. C. & St. L	3736	Reading	22
ı	Colo. Coal & Iron	10	Richmond Term	436
ı	Cotton Oil Cert	26%	do pfd	16%
Ì	Del. Hudson	105	R. G. W	1434
ı	Del. Lack. & W	16536	do pfd	42
ı	D. & R. G. pfd	2016	Rock Island	67%
Ì		2484	St. Paul	59
ı	D. & C. F. Co	2474	do pfd	119
J	East Tenn			37
١	Erie	1696	St. P. & Omaha	
ı	Fort Wayne	150	do pfd	110
ı	G. Northern pfd	10136	Southern Pac	23
ı	C. & E. I. pfd	93	Sugar Refinery	8314
ı	Hocking Valley	19%	Tenn. Coal & Iron	1854
ı	III. Central	9136	Texas Pacific	. 8
١	St. P. & Duluth	23	T. & O. Cent. pfd	69
ı	K. & T. pfd	2334	Union Pacific	18
ı	Lake Erte & W	15	U. S. Express	50
ı	do pfd	6434	W. St. L. & P	- 7
١	Lake Shore	126%	do pfd	1334
ı	Lead Trust	2614	Wells Fargo Ex	120
ı	Louisville& N	4736	Western Union	85%
1	Louisville & N. A.	8	W. & L. E	1236
ı	Manhattan Con	124	do pfd	4746
ı	Memphis & C	20	M & St. L	10%
ı	Michigan Cent	98	D. & R. G	936
ı	Mo. Pacific	2336	G. F	40%
ı	Mobile & Ohlo	16%	N. Linseed	18
ı	Mashville Chat	70	C. F. & 1	2436
ı			do not	63
1	National Cordage.	15%	do pfd	00
1	do pfd	3136	H. & T. C	534
ı	N. J. Central	115%	T. A. A. & N. M	
۱	N. & W. pfd	20%	T. St. L. & K. C	1
۱	North Am. Co	4	do pfd	7
1	Northern Pacific.	496		

The total sales of stocks today were 135,800 shares, including: American Sugar, 44,900; Eurington, 15,400; Chicago Gas, 7,700; Distillers & Cattlefeeders, 106,400; General Electric, 8,390; Louisville & Nashville, 4,700; New York & New England, 3,700; Reading, 10,400; Rock Island, 3,700; St. Paul, 24,700; Western Union, 5,800. The range of prices as reported by J. W. Dean & Co., Board of Trade hall, is as follows:

Stocks.	Open	High	Low.	Close	Yesy
rie	15%	16%	1696	1656	1636
rie acific Mail				1 734	17
. & N	4814	4814	4.734	4714	4834
orthwestern	10436	104%	104	104	104%
lo. Pacific	2316	23336	2334	2316	2334
nion Pacific	19	10	1.85%	1.894	19
Pacific, p'fd	18%	1854	1.094	1.794	1.8%
. Pacific com	222234	122723	Section.	434	496
B. & Q	78	78%	7714	7734	7836
lock Island		69%	6.794	6776	61196
t. Paul	60%	60%	59	5914	6036
Vestern Union	8016	86	80%	85%	8016
ugar Trust	8456	85	8356	8334	8534
ew England	10%	1.09%	1994	1016	10%
tehison	1236	1254	1216	1234	1234
hiengo Gas	6496	6496	62%	6236	6434
eading	2214	223%	2176	99	2234
I. Y. Central	100%	100%	9996	100%	100
. C. F	24%	2556	24%	2456	2496
. Е	4194	4194	40%	4034	4136
ordage			*>***	1.434	1436

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, March 2.-MONEY ON CALL-Easy at 1 per cent; last loan and closed at PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-36514 pe STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual pushess in bankers' bills at \$4.88\\ \frac{1}{2}\text{4.88\\ \chi}\ \text{for demand and at \$4.88\\ \chi\ \text{2.648\\ \chi}\ \text{2.648\\ \chi\ \chi\ \text{2.648\\ \chi\ \ rates, 44.87½(4.89; commercial bills, 14.85%; SILVER CERTIFICATES—25½(4):59%c. GOVERNMENT BONDS—Firm. State

The closing quotations on bonds:

*offered. St. Louis Mining Stock Quotations. ST. LOUIS, March 2.—Mining stocks listless and to change in prices. Close: | Bid. Asked. | Bid. Asked. | Adams | \$1.30 \$ 60 | Elizabeth \$1.5 \$.224 | Am. Nettie. | 25 | 284 | S. Hopes | 50 | Elizabeth \$1.5 \$.224 | Am. Nettie. | 2.50 | 3.50 | Elizabeth \$1.65 | 2.00 | Elizabeth \$1.50 | 3.50 | Elizabeth \$1.50 | Elizabeth \$1.50 | 2.50 | Elizabeth \$1.50 | Eli DUN'S AND BRADSTREET'S

More Manufacturing Establish monts Resuming than Have Been Closing-

LOW WAGES RESTRICTING DISTRIBUTION

Iron and Steel Showing a Marked Increase in Activity-The Wool Market Improving Business Fallures for the Past Week.

NEW YORK, March 2.-R. G. Dun's weekly review of trade will say: With no more definite information than a week ago regarding the outcome of internal revenue disputes, perhaps more people have come to the belief that the end will answer their wishes. Certainly rather more are taking limited risks in business, especially in stocks. A substantial basis is the steadily growing demand for goods caused by gradual exhaustion of stocks held by dealers, and this has further enlarged the working force in manufacturers. More works have resumed or increased hands or hours than have stopped or reduced, while numerous reductions in wages ontinue to lessen the purchasing power of those at work.

The demand of distributors is almost ex-

clusively for medium or low priced woolen and cotton goods, for \$1.50 and \$3 boots, and for shoes rather than boots. Some salesmen and traders find indications that stocks of the higher priced goods remaining on hand are much larger than usual, the bankers judge that much of the demand for commercial loans is virtually for renewals to carry unsold stocks. In all branches of the woolen manufacture the demand is yet far below the usual mark, but is somewhat im-proved in worsted and dress goods, and leading mills have been taking wool quite largely, so that in three chief markets the sales, 4,397,200 pounds for the week, against 5,197,-200 last year, impart confidence, because scarcely any foreign wools have been imported for months and supplies are short. Western markets were also broader without

mprovement in price. Continued weakness appears in prices of metal products, notwithstanding some increase in actual business; Pittsburg offers steel bars here at \$1.15, which is only 1 cent higher than at the mill. Plates are offered at \$1.25 at tide water and beams are de-livered here at \$1.35. Moderate orders for cast pipe have been placed, and some large structural contracts, with others expected. Even in the Pittsburg region little over half the force is employed and only 57 per cent of the Connellsville coke ovens are yet in operation. A few more furnaces are in blast; southern pig is weaker, and 5,000 tons, southern warrant, have been taken by English holders, who now have 45,000 tons. There are heavy transactions in lake ore at Pittsburg and it is said that with ore at \$2.75, coke at 85 cents, and wages reduced 20 per cent, many furnaces can make iron at a profit, even at present prices. Minor metals are weaker, tin in particular, be-cause of the fall in silver and disorganized eastern exchanges, and lead, because of expected legislation.

Receipts and exports of wheat for the week have been only about half last year's, while there is a great increase both in receipts and exports of corn, but scarcely any change is seen in prices of other products Railway tonnage from Chicago was but 21 per cent less than last year, against 35 per cent for February Imports of merchandise still show a de

crease of 40 per cent, while exports of do-mestic products for three weeks are 5 per cent larger than last year. The buy ng power of the people is necessarily restricted, with many works idle and wages much reduced, and apprehensions for the future cause general

economy.
The most encouraging feature of the week's record is the continued decrease in number and importance of failures. For the third week of February liabilities thus far reported are only \$2,886,346, and for three weeks of the month only \$11,429,418, of which \$5,045,847 were of manufacturing and \$5,218,698 of trading concerns. The number reported in February is 1,260, against 2,080 in January, and the full liabilities were probably less than \$15,000,000, against \$30,-946,497 in January. In November and De-cember the amount exceeded \$60,000,000. For the past week the fallures have been 264 in the United States, against 206 last year, and forty-two in Canada, against forty-five last year, scarcely any of much importance,

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE. Peculiar Conditions Mark the Business of the Country at Present.

NEW YORK, March 2.-Bradstreet's to-

morrow will say: Storms and cold weather south and southwest have checked the course of business this week, while west and northwest brighter weather had an opposite effect. No better illustration of the necessarily halting and irregular movement of the volume of business at the beginning of the improvement may be found than the record of the week with its decreased volume of trade and renewed unfavorable reports from the south and the Pacific coast, in contrast with the more cheerful tone and increased sales at important cities in the Ohio and Mississippi river valleys and in the north-west. Thus, while advices from Providence, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cincinnati, Nashville, Birmingham, Galveston and San Franclsco are less inclined than in late weeks to regard the situation hopefully, those from Buffalo, Indianapolis, Louisville, Memphis, Mobile, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Duluth all report evidence of distinct improvement. The general industrial situation is both better and worse. There are thirty resump-tions of factories reported, contrasted with two shut-downs; wages have been reduced at thirteen establishments and fifteen strikes are announced. The latter is a feature noticeable at Paterson, N. J., where 2,000 silk weavers have struck for higher wages at a time when thousands are still receiv-ing aid from the citizens relief committees. The general tendency of prices is down-

ward, leading staples showing an advance in coffee of 1/2 cent, cattle and hogs, 10 cents per 100. Some varieties of leather have sold lower; coal is off 25 cents a ton in New England; wheat is down % cent; corn. % cent oats, % cent; cotton, % cent; sugar, % cent; pork, 25 cents a barrel, and lard, % cent a pound. As compared with prices one year ago, those for print cloths and lard are 40 per cent lower at this time, steel billets 30 per cent lower, flour, wheat and corn 20 per cent lower, while decreases within a year in prices of wool are 22 per cent; iron, 15 ton, 12; sugar, 8 per cent, and coffee 4 per cent. Quotations for oats and for cheese are practically unchanged compared with one

year ago, while those for butter and petro-leum are higher.
Exports of wheat from the United States and Canada, both coasts (flour included as wheat), equal 2.972,000 bushels, against 1,730,000 bushels last week, 3,251,000 bushels in the week a year ago, and 2.908,000 bushels in the week two years ago. The extraordinary increase of 2,252,000 bushels of wheat afloat last week, reported by cable from Europe exclusively to Bradstreet's, was due to decreases afloat for the United Kingdom and in stocks, at Odessa and France. Total stock of wheat here, in Canada, affoat for and in Europel increased 182,000 bushels last month, compared with an increase of 93,000 bushels in February last year, but contrasting with a decrease of 693,000 bushels in February, 1892, and heavy de-

creases in that month in preceding years. There are only 272 business failures re ported in the United States, compared with 235 a week ago, 217 in the week a year ago, and 247 two years ago, indicating business embarrassments have reached a normal level much earlier in the year, following a severe panic, than had been supposed pos-

At Chicago the volume of dry gods sales is larger; there are more buyers there and increased demand is reflected in sales of

early date for the purpose of arriving at an agreement. Since the Brussels conference important changes have occurred in connection with the silver problem. India has suspended free coinage and the United States government has repeated the Sher-man law. Silver, therefore, is now really without a responsible sponsor and is drift-ing about like a ship without a radder, while it is recognized almost everywhere as essential that it should be utilized as a money metal and regulated as such through international action, which is now really the only solution. The greatest necessity for such an agreement at the time of the Brussels conference was felt in this country owing to our especial needs. The attuation has since changed, however, so that all the European nations are at present much more concerned in such an outcome than we are. The initiative, therefore, will doubtless soon come from that quarter, and Germany, it would appear, is likely to take that action. The fesignation of Mr. Gladstone as premier of Great Britain, if the recent reports to that effect materialize, will remove England's opposition to international bimetallism. Such an agreement, if entered into, will have a most important influence upon the world's finances, products and secur-ities by infusing new life therein, and cannot fail to cause a material enhancement of all values, besides make a strong metal link between all nations that cannot fail t be productive of strengthening friendships and commercial and business alliances of every description throughout the world for the mutual benefit of all. HENRY CLEWS.

CLEARING HOUSE REPORTS.

CLEARINGS.

Record of the Business Done Through the Associated Banks Last Week. NEW YORK, March 2-The following table, compiled by Bradstreet's, shows the total clearances at the principal cities and the percentage of increase or decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last

year:

New York ... \$ 452,963,970 Buffalo..... Milwaukee. Denver.... Indianapolis 9,363,229 3,402,400 1,870,383 2,393,403 1,425,130 1,832,915 2,127,583 1,362,555 1,612,565 25.3 8.8 39.8 10.0 Savannah. Springfield, Mass. Worcester. Portland, Me.... $\frac{13.2}{20.3}$ 26.1 52.1 34.1 32.6 20.1 76.4 acksonville. 41. New Bouford... Wienita.... Birmingham ... Topeka Lexington, Ky Binghamton Emporia, Kan *Bay City, Mich *Fall River 19.4 32.9 ·Fargo. ·Nashvi.le.... DOMINION OF CANADA 9,093,515 4,659,007 919,554 580,716 654,678

Totals \$15,252,792 *Not included in totals. WALL STREET FOR A WEEK.

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Better Tone Shown by the Market, and an Increase in Prices. NEW YORK, March 2.-Bradstreet's financial review will say: Not only have quotations tended higher during the past week, but the market as a whole has been broadened. It cannot be said that the later values involve a decided increase in interest on the part of the public or that European participation had assumed any real proportions. Commission houses have been somewhat more active, but the movement of prices is no less dependent than before upon the purely professional element of the board room and "street." The essential differ-ence between the condition of speculation during the past few days and the market as it was for some weeks before is that the trading, instead of being confined to a few stocks in which manipulative influences are uppermost, has tended to securities in different parts of the list and that railroad shares in particular have been rescued from the neglect to which they had been subject. the neglect to which they had been subject.
The movement of prices, while not rapid, has been more general and would apparently indicate that leading operators who had been undecided and adverse to taking any position had to some extent resumed activity on the bull side.

London Stock Quotations. LONDON, March 2 .- 1 p. m. close: Consols, money 99 3-16 Mexican ordinary. 1534 Consols, acc nt. 99 5-16 St. Paul common. 61 Canadian Pacific 684 New York Central 19284 Eric. 1734 Pennsylvania 504 Eric 2nds 845 Reading 114 Illinois Central 944 Mex. Cen. new 48. 514

BAR SILVER -2714d per ounce.

MONEY-14 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 14 per cent, and for three months' bills, 14 per cent. Peoria Grain Market.

Peorla Grain Market.

PEORIA, March 2.—CORN—Market active and higher; No. 2, 34c; No. 3, 33c.

OATS—Market active and higher; No. 2 white, 20% 53c; No. 3 white, 20% 52.5%; RYE—Scarce; No. 2, 476748c.

WHISKY—Market firm; high wine basis, 11.15.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 1.800 bu.; corn, 104.000 bu.; coats, 54,900 bu.; rye, 1,200 bu., barley, 6,300 bu. shift MENTS—Wheat, 600 bu.; corn, 62,450 bu.; coats, 101,200 bu.; rye, none; barley, 4,900 bu.;

Liverpool Markets

LIVERPOOL. March 2.—WHEAT-Firm, demand fair; holders offer sparingly; No. 1 California, is 1\(\frac{1}{2}\)d\(\frac{1}{2}\)Solution 2\(\frac{1}{2}\)d\(\frac{1}{2}\) No. 2 red western winter, 4s 10d\(\frac{1}{2}\)Solution 3\(\frac{1}{2}\)d\(\frac{1}{2}\) d\(\frac{1}{2}\) 3s 7%d. PROVISIONS—Bacon, long and short clear, 5a ths., 34s 6d; long clear, 45 lbs., 33s 6d, Lard, prime western, 39s 3d. Financial Notes.

MEMPHIS, March 2.-Clearings, \$262,555; bal-

PARIS, March 2.—Three per cent rentes, 29f 60c or the account.

BOSTON, March 2.—Clearings, \$20,085,923; bal-inceg, \$2,667,171. BALTIMORE, March 2.—Clearings, \$2,289,129; mlances, \$291,401. NEW YORK, March 2.—Clearings, 492,263,864; balances, 46,193,668. PHILADELPHIA March 2.—Clearings, \$18,937,-963; balances, \$1,980,948.

At Chicago the volume of dry gods sales is larger; there are more buyers there and increased demand is reflected in sales of cotton, dry goods, shoes, rubbers, clothing and leather. At St. Louis like influences have stimulated the distribution of dry goods, hats and clothing, while Kansas City and Omaha Jobbers make corresponding reports, the demand for light hardware and agricultural implements being specified at these points.

Henry Clews on Silver.

NEW YORK, March 2.—The present attitude of Germany in connection with silver foreshadows a strong probability of a conference of nations being convened at an ference of nations being convened at an ference of nations being convened at an exercise.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Rec ipts of All Sorts Still Well Ahead of Last Week's Offerings.

BEEF CATTLE SELL SLOW TO DULL

Cows and Under Grades Active to Strong-Hogs Weaken Still Further in the Absence of Speculators -

Sheep About Steady.

FRIDAY, March 2. CATTLE-Receipts fell off somewhat today, but there were plenty of hogs and sheep on sale. So far this week, compared with last, there has been a slight decrease in cattle, but supplies of hegs have increased something like 4,300 head and sheep over 400 head.

In the cattle market trade was far from brisk, but prices were not much if any lower. . The demand was not urgent from any quarter, shippers being very cautious in the light of recent experiences and dressed beef men indifferent on account of the fine weather and the limited consumptive demand. Desirable beef steers sold easy at right around steady prices, but the feeling was easier and it was not long before buyers were bidding lower. Trading was rather dull and dragged along through nearly the entire day, and late sales generally showed a decline of anywhere from a shade

to a dime. Nearly everything finally changed hands. In the cow market it was different, Supplies were more nearly equal to the demand and the thirty odd loads on sale met with a ready sale at steady to a shade firmer prices. Offerings of butchers' and canners' stock have been falling off and as there is usually a very good demand for that class of stock at this season of the year prices have been well held up. The demand for year calves continues good and prices are quot-ably strong. Good fat bulls are ready sellers at firm prices, while the rough thin stock meets with an indifferent demand.

The stocker and feeder trade was without new features. Both supply and demand were restricted and while the volume of business was small prices were not quotably changed. Good to choice feeders are at from \$3 to \$3.30; fair to good at from \$2.75

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HOGS-The supply fell nearly 1.500 short of Thursday's run, but there were just about as many hogs on sale as there were a week ago today, and the four days' supply compared with last week shows an increase of about 4,300 head. Prices dropped a notch or two lower, as the spippers and speculators interposed no objections to local packers filling their orders at their own prices. Bad reports from the east also helped depress the trade, and the market opened out 5c to 10c lower than Thursday. pared with last week shows an increase with sales at \$4.65 and \$4.70. On this basis trading was slow, but under free buying the situation improved and the big bulk of the hogs went at \$4.70, or about a nickel lower than Thursday's weak close. The final close was weak, however, with a few loads still in first hands. It was pretty much of a one price market, two-thirds the offerings going at \$4.70, as against \$4.75 and \$4.80 Thursday, and \$4.85 and \$4.90 on last Friday. Representative sales: Av. Sh. Pr. .285 ... \$1 60 ... 185 80 4 60 222 ... 4 60

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PIGS AND ROUGH. SHEEP-Supplies were comparatively lib-eral and included all kinds and conditions. Local houses wanted some muttons, and bids, while low, were about steady. Trade was

slow and the beling rather casy. Fair to good natives at \$2.7563.25; fair to good westerns, \$2.2593.10; common and stock sheep, \$1.50@2.15; good to choice 40 to 100-lb, lambs at \$2.50@3.75. Representative sales:

WL Pr. 140 \$2.00 1.15 1.15 1.15 1.15 Receipts and Disposition of Stock.

Official recoipts and disposition of stock as shown by the books of the Poion Stock Yards company for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 o clock n. m., March 2, 1894; RECEPTS. CATTLE | HOUS | SHEEP, HOUSES A MIA Cars. Head Cars. Head Cars. Head Cars. | Head. 92 2 030 | 100 7 331 | 0 1 388 | 1 | 32 BUTEION, INTERPO CATTLE, HOGS, SHEEP, 811 1.614 4.65 814 1.254 1.130 227 2.729 ... 55 860 400 Omaha Packing Co.
The G. H. Hammond Co.
Swift & Co.
The Cudally Packing Co.

1,800 7,328 1,582 CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

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Prices Were a Little Higher as a Result of Light Receipts.

CHICAGO. March 2.—Prices were a little higher again today. We cause of yesterday's advance—light receipts—being the strengthening factor. All classes of bayers were well represented, and as there were not enough cattle to fill all the orders sellers cassily had the best of the situation. They asked an average gain of about lee, there was no excitement in the market, and it is safe to say that had yesterday's and today's arrivals been of average proportions there would have been no subancement of values. The choicest heavy hors on today's market—and there were many choice beas—could not be moved at over \$4.50 cut a small figure. The prevailing prices were from \$4.80 to \$4.95 for light weights. These are the lawest prices of the year. They showed a decline from yesterday's quotations of lee. There was nath an active demand from shippers and packers, and sellers who were willing to accept the reduction did not find it necessary to carry over any steek. Hereight entities to carry over any steek. Hereights entities to carry over any steek. Hereights continue to run ahead of the most sangular at necessary to carry over any steek. Hereights continue to run ahead of the most sangular at packers of the excepts continue to run ahead of the most sangular at some time last we keep and the season of 18.180 for the last five days is in excess of 18.180 for the same time last we keep and the season of 18.180 for the same time last we keep and today and the forth for the last five days is in excess of 18.180 for the same time last we keep and today and the forth for the same time last we keep and today and the forth seed arrived during the first three days of the week, and there was a for line week. From \$1.50 for the first during the line of from the to like per 100 lbs. Yesterlay and today the affective, \$0.00 head arrived during the line of from satisfactory to the selling interest. The bulk of the offerings said at from \$1.50 for \$1.50 and from \$2.75 to \$1.25 hought the bulk. The large such safe process and mixed \$4.800 he CHICAGO, March 2.-Prices were a little higher again today, who cause of yesterday's ad-

5.10. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 7,000 head; market steady; top sheep, \$1.60; top lambs, \$1.02 \$4.25.

New York Live Stock Market.

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NEW YORK, March 2.—BEEVES-Receipts, 2,000 head; market active, stronger; native steers, 34.4094.59; medium to fair, \$4.15394.55; common to ordinary, \$3.5594.10; good confed Coloradoes, \$4.15; oxen, \$2.4062.75; dry cows, \$1.9562.75.

CALVES-Receipts, 1,000 head; market dul; fair to choice yeals, \$8.2967.50.

SHEEP AND LAMIS-Quiet, unchanged; market demoralized, comparatively nothing dioing; sheep, good, \$3.25693.50; lambs, good, \$4.5007.50; HOCS-Receipts, 3,000 head; market nominally firm; \$5.0098.00.

Kansas City Live Stock Market. KANSAS CITY. March 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500 head; saipments, 6,000 head; shipments, 6,000 head; shipping steers, \$2,506,250; shipping steers, \$3,506,400; Texas and native cows. \$1,500, 2,15; stockers and feeders, \$2,600,160; bulls, \$1,50,60,80. 62.80.
HOGS-Receipts, 7,500 head; shipments, 700 head; market weak to 5c lower; bulk, \$4,700 head; sheavies, packers and mixed, \$4,65@4.82°2; lights, Yorkers and pigs, \$4,25@4.85.
SHEEP-theceipts, 2,500 head; market slow, about steady.

St. Louis Live Stock Markets. St. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, March 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,100 head; shipments, 1,400 head; market steady but trading fight; native steers, 1,100 to 1,300 lbs., \$2,0097.3; cows, \$1,0097.25; calves, \$4,0097.0; Fed. cows, \$2.15, HOGS—Receipts, 5500 head; shipments, 3,500 head; market 56/10c fewer; top prices, \$5.05; bulk of sales, \$1.8505.00. f sales, \$4.8595.00.
SHEEP'—Receipts, 1.600 head; shipments, 1.300 head; market nominal; Texas, \$3; native lambs,

Sloux City Live Slock Market. SIOUN CITY, March 2.—HOGS—Receipts, 1,206 head; shipments, none; market 5c lower at \$1,6.7\(\frac{1}{2}\) \$\text{F4.70}\$; bulk, \$44.6948.67\(\frac{1}{2}\). \$200 head; shipments, 623 head; market strong, feeders, \$2.5093.20; yearlings, \$2.359(2.85; cows, \$1.5092.46; bulls, \$1.5092.25); oxen, \$1.5092.75.

Stock in Sight. The following are the receipts at the four prin-ipal cities Friday, March 2:

Coffee Market.

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NEW YORK, March 2.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at generally unchanged prices to 5 points decline, and ruled dull zerd generally easy throughout the session, closed dull at 5 points decline to 5 points advance; sales, 7,000 bags, including; March, \$15.85, April, \$15.69.715.55; May, \$15.46, June, \$15.10; July, \$14.85. Spot coffee, Rio, steady; No. 7, \$17.25; mild, quiet; Cordova, \$19.253719,50; sales, 1,000 bags Santos, spot, \$17.872; 3,000 bags Hahin, \$16, 3,000 bags Central America, \$16, 2,000 bags Maracaibo and 1,000 bags, Jamaica, \$16, 2,000 bags, \$17.50; receipts for three days, 15.000 bags; stock, 74,000 bags.

HAMBURG, March 2.—Market quiet; good average Santos, \$17.50; receipts for three days, 15.000 bags; stock, 74,000 bags, HAVRE, March 2.—Market steady to ½ pfg. higher; sales, 18,000 bags, HAVRE, March 2.—Market steady, unchanged to ½ higher; sales, 18,000 bags, including \$1,000 bags Brazil, against \$12,000 bags, including \$1,000 bags Brazil against \$12,000 bags; cleared from Rio March 1. 25,000 bags; cleared from Rio March 1. 25,000 bags.

KANSAS CITY, March 2 -WHEAT-Slow at yesterday's prices; No. 2 hard, 594c; No. 2 red.

CORN-tic higher; No. 2 mixed, 3154c; No. 3 OATS Firm; No. 2 mixed, 28@29e; No. 2 white, BUTTER-Weak; creamery, 196720c; dairy, 1479 6c. EGGS—Quiet: 14c. RYE—Firm: No. 2, 48c. FLAXSEED-Firm: \$1.25qc1.27. BRAN—Firm: 09664c. HAV—Dull: timothy, \$5.0002.00; prairie, \$5.500

RECEIPTS - Wheat, 18,000 bu.; corn, none; ats, 1,000 bu. SHIPMENTS-Wheat, 26,000 bu.; corn, money

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