## COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

There Was Plenty of Bull News in the Grain Market.

RULED MODERATELY ACTIVE

Corn Showed Some Weakness Enrly Following Wheat, but Advanced with that Cereal Very Rapidly.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29 .- There was plenty of bull news in the grain markets today. It did not come out until rather late, but it had its effect and wheat recovered all its lost ground, closing ic higher than yester-Corn and oats each closed Me higher. Provisions were weak and closed

Wheat ruled moderately active, but was somewhat nervous; a period of weakness early was due to the easier cables and the larger deliveries in the northwest, 441 cars, which were 175 cars in excess of those a The New York exports were light and Armour was said to be a heavy seiler, as well as many of the leading private wire houses, and longs liqui-dated rather freely. Then Thoman's report on the condition of the

dated rather freely. Then Thoman's report on the condition of the growing wheat was made public, and as it showed a loss in condition in the six principal states of nearly 4 points since January 1, 10 points since December 1, the market was quickly strengthened by it. The more it was discussed the more influence it seemed to have on the sensitive and nervous market. Shorts got alarmed and many of the carly sellers began to cover and a good investment demand sprung up, under which the market rapidly improved, and before boon had sold up 1½c from the low point early.

On the advance the trade became active and breader and many of the selling operators of yesterday boldly took the buying side. May wheat opened at about yesterday's close, 63½c, fell gradually to from 63c to 63½c, then reacted and went pretty steadily to 64½c, and at noon was 64c. The market turned very strong during the last hour on continued covering by shorts on the report that 400,000 bu, had been taken in New York for export. May sold up to from 64½c to 64½c, but eased off a fraction, finally closing steady at 64½c.

Corn showed some weakness early, following wheat, but as that cereal began to bulge corn went in the same direction. Business was slow early, but shorts covered later and the trading was fair. May corn opened fractionally lower at 25½c, weakened to 25½c, but reacted later and sold to 30½c, at which price it closed.

Oats were weak early, but regained the less as wheat went up. May opened slightly lower at 25½c, cand sold to 20½c. There was a stronger tone during the last hour and May sold to 21½c, closing there. Some good general business was transacted.

The provision trade was fairly brisk, but during the greater part of the day the tendency was downward, owing to the weakness in the live stock market. Near the close a good demand sprung up in consequence of the closing strength in wheat. The lowest prices were made early in the day. May pork opened 15c lower as the net result of the day's business.

The leading futures ranged as growing wheat was made public, and

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Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Steady: winter patents, \$3,5062.60; straights, \$2,9063.35; spring patents, \$3,1063.20; spring straights, \$2,4062.75; bakers, \$2,1062.35.

Bring straights, \$2.40\(\pi\_2.75\); bakers, \$2.10\(\pi\_2.35\).

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, \$2\(\pi\_6.65\); No. 3 spring.

\$2\(\phi\_2\); No. 2 red, \$6\(\phi\_6.65\); \$65\(\phi\_6.65\);

CORN—No. 2 28c.

OATS—No. 2 19\(\phi\_c\); No. 2 white, \$20\(\phi\_6.62\); No. 3 white, \$10\(\phi\_6.62\); No. 3 white, \$10\(\phi\_6.62\); No. 2, \$2\(\phi\_6.62\); No. 3, \$24\(\phi\_6.76\); No. 4 92\(\phi\_6.62\); \$10\(\phi\_6.62\); No. 3, \$24\(\phi\_6.76\); No. 4 92\(\phi\_6.62\); \$10\(\phi\_6.62\); No. 3, \$24\(\phi\_6.76\); No. 4 92\(\phi\_6.62\); \$10\(\phi\_6.62\); \$

BARLEY-NO. 2, Bolland, No. 4, 249-66.

FLAX SEED-No. 1, 82½-663e.

FIMOTHY SEED-Prime, 33.70.

PROVISIONS-Mess park, per bbl., \$19.30-610.25:
lard, per 100 lbs., \$5.67½-65.70; short ribs sides (loose), \$5.12½-65.75: dry salted shoulders (soxed), 4½-65e; short of ar sides (boxed), 5½-66-26.

WHISKY-Distillers' finished goods, per gal., 11.20.

\$1.22 SUGARS—Cut loaf, \$5.81; granulated, \$5.19; standard "A," \$5.06,
The following were the receipts and shipments today:

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NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Closing Quotations on the Principal

Commodities and Staples.
NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—FLOUR—Receipts, 14.— 400 bbls.; exports, 9,700 bbls.; firm, with trade chiefly in winter wheat; spring wheat flours held too high to attract buyers. Minnesota patents, 53.4563.75; bakers, \$2.8063.00; city mill patents, 44.1064.35; winter patents, \$3.6563.75; spring low grades, \$1.85@2.50; winter straights, \$3.40@3.50; winter extras, \$2.65@3.00; winter low grades, \$2.20@2.50. Rye flour, quiet; superfine, \$2.25@2.75. Buckwheat flour, dull; \$1.20@1.25 for spot and to arrive.

BUCKWHEAT—Quiet; 28640c. CORN MEAL—Dull; yellow western, choice, 70c; Brandywine, 12.35. RYE—Nominal; state, 41642c. BARLEY—Dull; western, 28645c; feeding.

RYE—Nominal; state, 44642c.
BARLEY—Dull; western, 38645c; feeding, 326234c.

BARLEY MALT—Steady; western, 46654c.
WHEAT—Receipts, none; exports, 112,500 bu.; No. 1 hard, 76c, f. o. b., afloat. Options opened steady, eased off under foreign selling and lower cables, railied on Thoman's bullish crop report and decreased Liverpool stocks, and advanced very shaprly in the afternoon on heavy covering, stimulated by rumors of large export purchases and predictions of unfavorable weather west; closed ic net higher; January, 224c; May, 704g7118c, closing at 714c.

CORN—Receipts, 48,800 bu.; exports, 3,600 bu.; spot, casy; No. 2, 354c. Options opened steady and advanced on prospects of bad roads west, with a further advance later in sympathy with wheat; closed 4464c higher; January, 25-5-169 364c, closing at 364c.

OATS—Inceepts, 81,600 bu.; exports, 300 bu.; spot, casing at 364c.

OATS—Inceepts, 81,600 bu.; exports, 300 bu.; spot, quiet; No. 2, 25c. Options were quiet all day, advancing a little with corn, closing 4664c net higher, January closing at 244c; May, 25-46 364c, closing at 255c.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 18,0068.50; good to choice, 19,50610.00.

HOPS—Wesk; state, common to choice, 1894 crop, 24,644c; 1895 crop, 469c; coast, 1894 crop, 24,644c; 1895 crop, 469c; coast, 1894 crop, 24,644c; 1895 crop, 469c.

HIDES—Dull; wet saited, 20 to 25 lbs., 11c; Buenos Ayres, dight to heavy weights, 11c; and 21622c; pulled, 18635c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, meady; extra India mess,

WOOL—Steady; domestic fleece, 16972c; pulled, 19672c;
PROVISIONS—Reef, "steady; extra India mess, 38; packed, 49.092.50. Cut meats, firm; pickied hams, 38,679c. Lard, quiet; closed steady; western steam, closed 56 asked; January, 15.95, nominal. Pork, steady, but firm; mess, 411.00611.25; short clear, 411.50612.50; family, 11.
BUTTER—Receipts, 7.300 pkgs. Market steady. Creamery, 14572c; Elgins, 21c.
EGGS—Receipts, 6.25 pkgs. Market steady. State and Pennsylvania, 154616c; lee house, 1261444c; western fresh, 15c; southern, 1461444c.
TALLOW—Dull; city, 3 13-16c; country, 3 15-16

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CHEERE—Receipts, 172 pkgs.; firm; stats.
large, \$1,46104c; smail, 72,47104c; part skims,
25,66c; full skims, 263c.
FETROLEUM—Weak; United closed at \$1.38
bid; refined, \$7.65; Philadelphia and Baitimore,
7.60; Philadelphia and Baitimore in bulk, \$5.16.
HOSIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, \$1.65
61.65.

ROSIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, 41.69 G1.55.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra. 3½c.
MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 293Te.

METALS—Pig fron, irregular; 311.75-912.75; northern, 112.09:815.9. Copper, steady; brokers, 9½c; exchange, 110.09310.25. Lead, steady; brokers, 12.20; exchange, 12.35. Tin, easter; straits, 113.0913.30. Plates, fairly active. Speiter, dull, domestic, 44, nominal.

COTTONSEED OIL—Quiet and irregular, with prices nominal; prime crude, 24.625½c; yellow, 27.4625c; prime white, 316.23c.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—At the wool auction sales today 12.527 bales were offered, of which 1,600 bales were withdrawn. A good selection was offered, and American buyers bought freely of sulfable grades, their purchases amounting to

2,000 bales. German buyers were most active and bought all merinon. The hope trade was quiet, its purchases being chiefly cross breds, of which a capital show was offered. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales. 3517 bales. secured. 83618 61; greasy. 64618 1444. Queensland. 2,555 bales: scoured. In 144618 62; greasy. 64618 2444. Victoria. 2,171 bales; scoured in 150ghs 84d; greasy. 64618-64. South Australia. 1,002 bales: greasy. 64618-64. South Australia. 1,002 bales: greasy. 64618-64. South Australia. 1,002 bales: greasy. 5467d. New Zealand, 4,79 bales; scoured. 7546818-64; greasy. 7567d. New Zealand, 4,79 bales; scottred. 7546818-64; greasy. 7677d. New Zealand, 1,79 bales; scottred. 7546818-64; greasy. 7677d. New Zealand, 1,79 bales; scottred. 7546818-64; greasy. 7677d. New Zealand, 1,79 bales; scottred. 1,7946818-64; greasy. 7677d. New Zealand, 1,799 bales; scottred. 7546818-64; greasy. 7547d. New Zealand, 1,799 bales; scottred. 756818-64; greasy. 7547d. New Zealand, 1,799 bales; scottred. 756818-64; greasy. 7547d. New Zealand, 1,799 bales; scottred. 756818-64; greasy. 7567d. New Zealand, 1,799 bales; stock and 1,794,799 b

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce. The egg market is lower owing to the large receipts, light demand and decline in the eastern market. In fact, it is not very easy to say just what the market is, as there are so few eggs moving. The open weather has stimulated production in all sections, while the consumption is unusually small. The market is very low for this season of the year. A year ago at this time eggs were selling for almost double the

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The poultry market is also slow. A good many large and coarse dressed chickens or fowls A's arriving and are selling to very poor advactage. Quotations:

ENGS-Strictly fresh stock, 12c.

BUTTER-Fair to good stock, rolls, 10c; tubs, 1879c; choice to fancy country, 13@14c.

VEAL-Choice fat, 70 to 100 lbs., are quoted at 6g7c; large and coarse, 4g5c.

CHEESE-Domestic brick, 11½c; Edam, per doz., 85.50; Club house, 1-lb. Jars, per doz., \$3.50; Limberger, fancy, per ib., 11½c; Roquefort, ½-lb., Jars, per doz., \$3.60; Young Americas, 11½c; Twins, fancy, Ilc.

1-OULTRY-Drossel-Chickens, 6607c; ducks, choice, 9g10c; turkeys, choice, 11g12c; geeze, 12g8c.

POULTRY-Live-C. Jacobson of the Montana Tayler, turkeys, choice, Harler; geese, 1988.

POULTRY-Live-C. Jacobson of the Montana Poultry Prickleg and Supply company, quotes live poultry firm and wanted at: Hens and young roosters, 5%c; old cocks, 2%c; turkey hens, 5%c; young turkey gobblers, 7%c; old Toms, 5c; ducks, full fenthered, 7c; geese, 5c, HAY-Upland, \$5.00; midland, \$4.50; lowland, \$4.00; rye straw, \$2.50; color makes the price on hay; light bales sell the best. Only top grades tring top prices. hay; light bales sell the best. Only top grades bring top prices.

HROOM CORN-Extremely slow sale; new crop, delivered on track in country; choice green, self-working carpot, per lb., 2½c; choice green, running to hurl, 2½c; common, 1½c; GAME-Jack snipe, 75c#81.00; golden plover, \$1.25; jack rabbits, per doz., \$1.00#1.40; small rabbits, 90c#81.00; mallard ducks, \$1.00#1.40; small rabbits, 90c#81.00; mallard ducks, \$1.00#3.7c; redheads, \$2.75#1.00; canvasback ducks, \$5.00#8.00; teal, blue wing, \$2.00#2.25; teal, green wing, \$1.75#2.20; mixed ducks, \$1.75#2.25; Canada geese, \$6.00#7.50; small geese, \$4.50#2.00; brants, \$3.50; squirrels, per doz., \$00f55c.

PIGEONS-Live, very slow; dead pigeons not wanted.

VEGETABLES. CAULIFLOWER-Per crate, \$2.50@3.00, or \$1.50 CAUTH LOWER CO. 11. CO CELERY-California, per doz., No. 1, 90c; No. , 75c; Kalamazoo, 25c.
LIMA BEANS-Per lb., 5c.
WATER CRESS-Per 16-qt. case, \$1.50\$1.75. FRUITS

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MEXICAN STRAWBERRIES—None.

APPLES—Fancy New York, \$3.25@3.50; choice western, \$2.50@2.75; fancy western, \$3.00.

CRANIERRIES—Jersey, \$5.75.

MALAGA GRAPES—Per 60-th bbl., \$5.50@6.00; per 65 to 70-lb, gross., \$6.50@7.00.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

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ORANGES-California budded seedlings, regular sizes, \$2.5062.65; 220 to 28s sizes, \$1.7562.00; navels, \$3.50; large sizes, \$2.0061.25, LEMONS-Messinns, \$3.5064.25, BANANAS-Cholce large stock, per bunch, \$2.00 (92.25; medium sized bunchs, \$1.7562.00, MISCELLANIOUS.

G2.25; medium sized bunches, \$1.75@2.00.

MISCELLANEOUS.

OYSTERS—Mediums. Lic: standards, 20c: extra selects, 25c: Branch & Co.'s selects, 27c: New York counts, 30c; standard bulk, per gal., \$1.10.

HONEY—Fancy white, per lb., 15c.

MAPLE SYRUP—Five gal. cans, each, \$2.75; gal. cans, per doz., \$12; ½ gal. cans, \$6.25; quart cans, \$3.75.

CIDER—Pure juice, per half bbl., \$3; per bbl., \$4.75.

SAUER KRAUT—Per bbl., \$3.75; half bbl., \$2.25. SAUER KRAUT—Per bbl., \$3.75; half bbl., \$2.25.
FIGS—New crop, California, 10-lb, boxes, per lb., 10c; imported fancy, 20-lb, boxes, 15c; choice, 10-lb, boxes, 114-612c, DATES—New Persian, 60-lb boxes, per lb., 5/2c; fards, 10-lb, boxes, per lb., bec, MAPLE SUGAR—Choice, per lb., 9610c, PRESERVES—Assorted, 20-lb, palls, each, \$1.40.

PRESERVES—Assorted, 20-1b. pails, each, 81.40. COCOANUTS—Per 100, \$4.50; each, 5c. NUTS—Almonds, California, per lb., medium size, 10c; Tarragona almonds, per lb., large, 125c; Brazils, per lb., 8c; English walnuts per lb., fancy soft shell, 12c; standards, 11@115c; liberts, per lb., 10c; peacans, pollshed medium, 10c; large, 12c; peacuts, raw, 515c; roasted, 7@715c; hickory nuts, small, per but, \$1.75; hickory nuts, large, per but, \$1.50; black walnuts, per bbl., \$2. DRESSED MEATS. DRESSED MEATS.

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BEEF-Good western steers, 400 to 600 lbs., 5\\ 266c; good cows and helfers, 4\\ 265c; medium cows and helfers, 4\\ 265c; good forequarters cows and helfers, 3\\ 263c; good hindquarters cows and helfers, 6\( 66\) bc; cow rounds, oc; cow chucks, 3\\ 26c; steer chucks, 4\( 64\) bc; beef tenderloins, fresh, 20c; frozen, 1c; beef rolls, boneless, 8\\ 16c; sirloin butts, boneless, 8\\ 16c; loin backs, 6\\ 26c; cow ribs, No. 3, 6\( 47c; cow loins, No. 3, 7\\ 14\) 8\\ 16c.

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MUTTON—Dressed mutton, \$\frac{6}{6}c; racks, \$\frac{9}{6}c; legs. \$\frac{7}{4}c; saddles, \$\frac{7}{4}c; stews, \$\frac{3}{6}c.\$

FORK—Dressed hogs, \$\frac{4}{3}c; pork loins, \$\frac{6}{6}c; spare ribs, \$\frac{5}{4}c; pork shoulders, \$\frac{1}{6}c; pork shoulders, \$\frac{1}{6}c; pork shoulders, \$\frac{1}{6}c; pork trimmings, \$\frac{1}{6}c; tender-loins, \$\frac{1}{3}c; pols feet, cleaned, per doz., \$\frac{3}{6}c.\$

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, \$\frac{1}{6}c; No. 2 green hides, \$\frac{1}{6}c; No. 2 green salted hides, \$\frac{1}{6}c; No. 2 dry film hides, \$\frac{1}{6}c; No. 1 dry salted hides, \$\frac{1}{6}c; part cured hides, \$\frac{1}{6}c; No. 1 dry salted hides, \$\frac{1}{6}c; part cured hides, \$\frac{1}{6}c; por lb, less than fully cured.

SHEEP FELTS—Green salted, each \$\frac{1}{2}c\text{6}6c; green salted shearlings (short wooled early skins), each 15c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), each 15c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), no. 1, each, 19c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), kno. 1 each, 5c; dry film Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, \$\frac{1}{6}c; dry film Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, \$\frac{1}{6}c; dry film colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, \$\frac{1}{6}c; dry film colorado butcher wool pay freight on them.

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Dry Goods Market. NEW YORK, Jan 22.—In keeping with priving reports there was some inquiry as the result of an increased number of buyers and while better than average sales was concluded the business was not in proportion to the attention extended. All kinds of cotton goods, with the exception of bleached shirtings, shared in the request, with fancy cotton stuffs leading. Cloth-ing woolens were very slow. Printing cloths in better demand, with sales of 78,000 pieces at 5% c. FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 29.—Print cloths, quiet and steady at 2% c.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Speculative Movement in Securities Was Not of Special Interest. NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The speculative move-ment in stocks today was not attended by any ment in stocks today was not attended by any news of a general bearing, and the widest fluctuations that were recorded were unexpected, except in so far as professional manipulation was concerned. This was especially true of Sugar, which by far outuanked any of the other leading active stocks in point of activity and advance, and of Tobacco, which came second in both respects. There was not even a vestige of gessip regarding either of the stocks mentioned. The larger percentage of bisiness was in the industrials, only three of the railroad life, St. Faul, Burlington and Reading, recording noteworthy totals. London was not much of a factor beyond moderate selling orders. The sichs from yesteddays cleshing manipulation in herearly dialings pressure was noted against the grangers. The tone of the market scon changed to positive strength, and, under heavy purchases for both accounts, advances occurred in the excited strength, and under heavy purchases for both accounts, advances occurred in the conters. Tobacco, Sugar and St. Paul leading. The movement in the first named was due primarily to the prevailing impression that the officials controlling the great anthracite properties have determined to put an end to the demonstillation which has so seriously affected revenue in the past two years, Careful analysis of the Reading report of operations for December 1 and 1 an news of a general bearing, and the widest fluctuations that were recorded were unex-pected, except in so far as professional manipu-

were steady.

The following were the closing quotations on the leading stocks of the New York exchange today: | March | Marc 

The total sales of stocks today were 221,672 shares, including American Sugar, 11,400; Tobacco, 23,700; Atchison, 4,000; Burlington, 12,000; Chicago Gas, 11,100; Long Island traction, 3,800; Louisville & Nashville, 7,100; Manhattan, 4,600; Ontario & Western, 3,300; Reading, 16,800; Rock Island, 8,000; St. Paul, 18,000; Southern Rallway, 6,500; Southern Rallway preferred, 3,500.

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—MONEY ON CALL— Easy at 3\%64 per cent; last loan, 3\% per cent; closed, 3\% per cent. PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—6@8 per cent. STERLING EXCHANGE—Dull, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.83\% 64.83\% for demand and \$4.87\% 4.81\% for sixty days. Posted rates, \$4.87\% 4.83\% and \$4.83\% 4.90; commercial bills \$4.83\% 4.83\% and \$4.83\% 4.90;

each loc; dry ghearlings (short wooled early skins). No. 1, each, loc; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins). No. 1 each, loc; dry film Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 5656c; dry film Kansas and Nebraska Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4676c; dry film Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4676c; dry film Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4676c; dry pieces and bucks, actual weight, 4676c; feet cut off, as it is useless to pay freight on them.

TALLOW AND GREASE—Tallow, No. 1, 3½c; grease, white A, 3½c; grease, white A, 3½c; grease, white A, 3½c; grease, white B, 2c; grease, yellow, 2½c; grease, dark, 2c; old butter, 262½c; becawax, prime, 15672c; cough tallow, 1½c.

BONES—In car lots weighed and delivered in Chicago; Dry buffalo, per ton, 312,00631.00; dry country, bleached, per ton, 312,00631.00; dry country, bleached, per ton, 312,00631.00; dry country, bleached, per ton, 32,00638.00.

WOOL—Unwashed, fine heavy, 667c; fine light spirit grain and meaty, per ton, 32,00638.00.

MOOL—Unwashed, fine heavy, 667c; fine light spirit grain and broken, fine, 668c, Fleece washed—Medium, 15673c; fine, 146716c; tub washed, 1667 spirit grain and 48.5724.57½ for sixty days. Posted rates 48.5724.58½ and 48.5924.90; commercial blushes, 48.5724.58½ and 48.5924.90; commercial demand and 48.5724.57½ for sixty days. Posted rates 48.5724.58½ and 48.5924.90; commercial blushes, 46.52; dry film lactual weight, 4675c; dr

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New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29. The following are the | Crown Point | 20 | Crown Point | 20 | Plymouth | 2000 | Con. Cal. & Va. | 230 | Plymouth | 2000 | Con. Cal. & Va. | 230 | Quicksilver | 150 | Con. | 230 | Quicksilver | 150 | Con. | 250 London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, Jan. 29.-4 p. m. closing: BAR SILVER—30%d per ounce.
MONEY—% per cest.
The rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills is %615-16 per cent.

OSTON, Jan. 29.—Clearings, \$12,490,004; bal-BALTIMORE, Jan. 29,-Clearings, \$2,634,195; alances, \$357,237. palances, \$327,227.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29,—Clearings, \$85,969,242;
palances, \$5,503,654. balances, 45,503,654.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—Clearings, 49,556,515; balances, 41,696,032.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—Clearings, 43,899,534; balances, 4849,580. Money, 6638 per cent. New York
exchange, 500 premium bid, 75c asked.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Clearings, 412,427,697, Mon y
cell stready at 5 per cent, on time, 5637 per on call steady at 6 per cent; on time, 667 per cent. New York exchange, 25c. Foreign ex-change, unchanged. Bankers sterling, \$4.8926 4.873.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—FLOUR—Higher, but quiet; patents, \$3.5673.65; extra fancy, \$3.3063.49; fancy, \$2.8062.29; choice, \$2.5062.25.

WHEAT—Futures opened dull and weak at a slight decline; later shorts began to cover and prices advanced, the close being strong, \$467 ke higher than yesterday. Spot dull and firm, \$6.2 red, cash, 674e; No. 2 hard, 62c; January, 625e; May, 654e.

CORN—Futures declined at the opening, there being considerable pressure to sell, but advanced later with wheat and closed \$4676c higher for May and July, with others steady. Spot easier; No. 2 mixed, cash, 254e; January, 255e; May, 274e; July, 284e.

OATS—Futures easy and lower carly, but raillied and closed higher with other grains; spot steady; No. 2, cash and January, 18%e; May, 25662. St. Louis General Market.

Quiet; 36c. MEAL-\$1,30@1,35. BRAN-Scarce and firm, 45 ye east track.
FLAX SEED-Quiet; 87c.
TIMOTHY SEED-\$1,0093.60.
HAY-Ch ce grades, steady; low grades, easier; orairie, \$3,0093.45; timothy, \$6,00913.00, this ide.

EGGS—Lower; fresh, 10½c, POULTRY—Quiet; turkeys, 969½c; chickens, 167½c; ducks, 8½69c; geese, 565½c, BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 15622c; dairy, 10 15c. WHISKY-\$1.22.

WHISKY-\$1.22.

LEAD-Stronger, \$2.77\(\frac{1}{2}\). Spelter, quiet, \$3.70.

PROVISIONS-Perk, lower; standard mess, jobbing, old, \$10.12\(\frac{1}{2}\); new, \$10.62\(\frac{1}{2}\). Lard, lower; prime steam, \$5.50; choice, \$5.60. Hacon, boxed shoulders, \$5.50; longs, \$6; ribs, \$6; shorts, \$6.25.

Dry salt meats, boxed shoulders, \$4.75; longs, \$5.90; ribs, \$5.62\(\frac{1}{2}\); shorts, \$5.75.

RECEIPTS-Flour, \$0.000 bils; wheat, \$8,000 bu.; corn, \$2,000 bu.; cats, \$2.500 bu.

SHIPMENTS-Flour, \$4.600 bu.; wheat, \$12.000 bu.; corn, \$3.000 bu.; oats, \$15.000 bu.

Liverpool Markets.

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Liverpool Jan. 29. + Wheat-Spot quiet; demand poor; No. 2 red winter, 5s 8d; No. 2 red spring, stocks exhausted; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 75d; No. 1 California, 5s 85d. Futures opened firm, with near and distant positions 3d lower, but later reacted and closed easy with prices unchanged from yesterday, business about equally distributed; January, 5s 75d; February, 5s 75d; March, April, May and June, 5s 75d. CORN-Spot dull; American mixed new, 3s 2d. Corn-Spot dull; American mixed new, 3s 2d. Futures opened easy with near and distant positions 3d lower; closed quiet with March 4d lower, business about equally distributed; January, 3s 5d; March, 3s 2d; April, 3s 23d; Mayand June, 3s 24d. FLOUR-Market firm, demand fair; St. Louis fancy winter, 7s 6d. PROVISIONS-Bacon, dull; demand poor; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, 21s 6d; short ribs, 28 lbs, 28; long clear, light, 18 to 45 lbs, 28s; long clear, heavy, 55 dbs, 27s 6d; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs, 27s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 3ls; shoulders, square, 12 to 18 lbs, 27s. Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 4ls 6d, Tallow, fine North American, 21s 2d, Beef, extra India mess, 5ns; prime mess, 18s 9d; prime mess, medium, 47s 6d. Lard, dull; prime western, 25s 3d; refined, in palls, 30s.

CHEESEL-Steady; demand moderater finest American, white, 46s; finest American, colored, 46s. Liverpool Markets.

46s.
BUTTER—Finest United States, 36s; good, 50s.
OILS—Turpentine spirits, 21s. Cottonseed oil,
Liverpool refined, 17s 6d. Linseed oil, 20s. Pereleum, refined, 8d. REFRIGERATOR BEEF-Forequarter, 3%d; BLEACHING POWDER-Hardwood, f. o. b.,

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—COFFEE—Options opened steady at from 5 to 15 points advance; ruled retive but easier on foreign buying and local selling, the latter increased by a further decline in spot coffee, closed casy and generally unchanged to 5 points net decline. Sales, 24,000 bags, including March, 312,46912.60. Spot coffee, Rio, nominal; No. 7, \$13.25. Mild. quiet; Cordova, \$17.00217.75; sales, 600 bags, Maracalbo, pt. Warchoure deliveries from New York yesterday, 19,175 bags; New York stock today, 257,722 bags; United States atock, 250,170 bags; affoat for the United States, 175,000 bags; total visible supply for the United States, 425,170 bags; against 502,775 bags last year.

SANTOS, Jan. 29.—Dull; good average Santos, nominal; receipts, 3,000 bags; stock, 286,000 bags. HAMBURG, Jan. 29.—Steady; 4,645 pfg. net decline; sales, 25,000 bags; cleared for Europe, 2,516d; receipts, 4,000 bags; cleared for Europe, 2,000 bags; stock, 245,000 bags; HAVRE, Jan. 29.—Closed steady at 4,641f advance; sales, 37,000 bags. Coffee Market.

Toledo Grain Market. TOLEDO, Jan. 29.—WHÉAT—Higher; active; No. 2 cash and January, 714c; May, 754c; July, No. 2 cash and January, 114c; May, 154c; July, 69c.

CORN—Active; steady; No. 2 mixed, 274c; No. 3 mixed, 254c; May, 304c.

OATS—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 20c; No. 2 white, 21c; May, 22c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 cash, 41c.

CLOVER SEED—Active; steady; prime cash and January, 34.40; February, 34.45; wheat, 5,000 bu.; corn, 14,500 bu.; cats, 1,000 bu.; clover seed, 425 bags.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 15,500 bu.; corn, 3,500 bu.; clover seed, 517 bags.

Kansas City Markets. Kansas City Markets.

Kansas City, Jan. 29.—Wheat—More active but unchanged; No. 2 hard, 634c; No. 3, 50955c; rejected, 55942c; No. 2 red, 74c; No. 2 spring, 52965c; CORN—4695c No. 3 spring, 59966c, CORN—4695c lower; No. 2 mixed, 23½623%c; No. 2 white, 24c.

OATS—Steady; demand not strong; No. 2 mixed, 164c; No. 2 white, 19½c.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 19½c.

HAY—Weak; timothy, \$10.00621.59; prairie, 14.0067.00. 14.00@7.00, BUTTER-Steady; creamery, 17@19c; dairy, 136715c. EGGS—Quiet, inactive, 12½c.

Cotton Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 71-16c; sales, 490 bales; receipts, 1,150 bales; shipments, 1,162 bales; stock, 75.781 bales, NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 29.—COTTON—Dull; middling, 8c; low middling, 7%c; good ordinary, 7,7-16c; net receipts, 6,29 bales; gross receipts, 6,54 bales; exports, to the continent, 3,209 bales; castwise, 1,074 bales; sates, 1,509 bales; stock, 28,570 bales.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—COTTON—Quiet; middling, 8%c; net receipts, 15,313 bates; gross receipts, 7,295 bales; forwanded, 1,899 bales; sales, 519 bales, all spinners; stock, 188,954 bales.

Peorin Markets. Peoria. Markets.

PEORIA, Jan. 29.—CORN—Easier; No. 2, 26c; 61.

new No. 3, 254c.

OATS—Easy; No. 2 white, 18c; No. 3 white, 18c.

RYE—Firm; No. 2, 2524febc.

WHISKY—Market standy: finished goods, on 52.

the basis of \$1.22 for high wines.

RECEIPTS—Corn. 12,357; bu.; oats, 44,400 bu.; 55.

rye. none; whisky, 225 gmls; wheat, 2,600 bu.

SHIP MENTS—Corn. 48,560 bu.; oats, 50,150 bu.; 63.

rye, 1,200 bu.; whisky, \$10 ggl.; wheat, 1,200 bu.

63.

Minneapolis Wheat Market. MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 22.—WHEAT-Strong; January, 575c; May, 595-695-6c; July, 615-c; On track, No. 1 hard, 515-c; No. 1 northern, 575-c; No. 2 northern, 581-c. FLOUR-Steady: first patents, \$3.2962.40; do-nestic takers, \$2.50; expert bakers, \$2.0962.45. NEW YORK, Jan. 28 MIGAR-Firm; sales. 2,530 tons Java, 96 test, 81 3%c, ex store. Re-

and, quiet. LONDON, Jan. 28.—SUGAR—Cane and beet, Duluth Wheat Market. DULUTH, Jan. 22.—WHEAT-Higher; No. 1 24. hard, cash, 53½c; January, 55½c; May, 64. 62½c; No. 1 northern, cash, 55½c; January, 55½c; May, 64. 62½c; No. 1 northern, 55½c.

'Frisco Wheat Quotations, SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—WHEAT—Quiet; December, 11.15%; May. 11.15%. Permits to wed were issued yesterday to the following parties:

Trade Controlled by Conditions at Kansas Cattle Receipts Were Somewhat Larger Than Usual.
City and Chicago. CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Cattle receipts were some-

VERY FEW KILLING CATTLE OFFERED

Hogs. 1,125 1,125

cattle on sale was very small. Chicago re ported 16,000, 10c lower, and Kansas City came slow with 5,000 on sale, so that there was not much encouragement to be had from other markets. The result was a slow and lower market on killing cattle at this point, in spite of the light receipts.

Some of the handy little cattle, which

just suited the buyers, did not sell much, if any, lower than yesterday, but the buyers were all very bearish on the heavy cattle. It would be safe to quote the latter fully 10c lower, and as salesmen were reluctant about making the concession, the market

was slow from start to finish. Butchers' stock was in very light receipt, only twelve to fourteen loads of cows and heifers being reported on saie. Under ordinary conditions such light offerings ought to have made an active market, but the buyers did not appear to need many cattle and they were in no hurry to fill orders. In most cases they were bidding fully loc lower, and the market was dull. A good many of the cattle were not very desirable, but in some instances salesmen who happened to have desirable stuff did not think that they had to take off much from yesterday's prices.

The feeder market was in very good condition. Yesterday the demannd was good from the country and speculators were enabled to close out the most of their holdings. This morning opened with good inquiry from the country and that made speculators all anx ous for cattle again, and they Butchers' stock was in very light receipt.

ulators all anx ous for cattle again, and they bought the fresh receipts at good strong prices. Representative sales:

BULLS. ..1510 2 45 . 1300 2 50 . 1620 2 60 . 1520 2 60 . 1530 2 60 . 1530 2 60 . 640 2 60 . 1600 2 65 1....2059 2.75 1....1940 2.85 STAGS. 1....2000 3 70 1.... 100 4 25 1.... 120 4 50 STOCKERS AND PEEDERS

5DERS,

15... 716 3 40
13... 898 3 40
14... 750 3 40
6... 729 3 45
5... 790 3 45
15... 460 3 45
17... 415 2 45
4... 287 3 50
16... 821 3 50
1... 1003 3 55
29... 843 3 55 No. Av. Pr. No. Av. Pr. 3 feeders.... 733 2 65 4 feeders.... 1013 3 00 22 feeders.... 1016 2 95 17 steers..... 947 3 60 MILKERS AND SPRINGERS.

120 PIGS-ODDS

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

what larger than usual, and in consequence the market was weak and lower today. Sales of common to choice native dressed beef and shipping steers were made at from \$2.20 to \$4.00, with extra cattle largely nominal at from \$4.70 Buyers Unanimously Bearish and a Ten-Cent Decline Follows

-Hogs Break in Price with Provisions.

WEDNESDAY, Janr 29.

Receipts for the days indicated are:

Cattle Hogs Sheep, Horses.

January 29 1,494 4,129 1,319 474 37

January 27 565 590 674 31

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January 28 1,611 3,739 474 37

January 29 1,494 4,129 1,319 3,325 985 31

January 21 1,012 2,424 329 4,339 3,340 3,340 4

New York Live Stock Market.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 5.200 head; shipments, 2.700 head; market slow, weak, 10c lower; Texas steers, \$2.80@3.55; Texas cows, \$1.75@4.25; beef steers, \$3.15@4.20; native cows, \$1.75@4.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@4.70; bulls, \$2.25@4.20;

HOGS—Receipts, 10.800 head; shipments, 700 head; market 5@15c lower; bulk of sales, \$3.55@4.00; lights, \$2.50@4.00; Yorkers, \$3.55@4.00; pigs, \$3.45@3.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2.400 head; shipments, 2.000 head; slow but steady; lambs, \$3.85@4.50; muttons, \$2.00@3.55. St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,09. head; market barely ateady; native beeves, \$2.20 \$4.75; cown and heifers, \$1.89\$2.20; stockers and feeders, \$2.00\$3.75; Texas steers, \$2.50\$4.00, grass feeders, \$2.0003.75; Texas steers, \$2.004.09, grass and fed.
HOGS—Receipts, 7,000 head; market 104715; lower; heavy, \$3.9064.29; mixed, \$3.8064.15; lights, \$3.9544.10.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000 head; market weak; natives, range, \$2.5063.59; southern, \$2.2563.25; lambs, \$3.2564.50. Stock in Sight.

Totals ...... 25,694 54,923 21,400 SUPREME COURT SYLLABI. School District No. 1, Harlan County

against Bishop. Error from Harlan county. Affirmed. Opinion by Commissioner Irvine. Findings of fact reported by a referee stand in the same position as the verdict of a jury; and in reviewing the action of a district court in setting aside such a re-port the same rules will be observed as in reviewing an order setting aside a ver-The granting of a new trial is largely

in reviewing an order setting aside a verdict.

2. The granting of a new trial is largely within the discretion of the trial court. A stronger showing is required to reverse an order allowing a new trial than to reverse one denying it.

3. Where an action at law has been referred this court will not reverse an order of the trial court setting aside the referee's riport and allowing a new trial, when the referee failed to report any finding on material issues presented by the pleadings.

4. A court of record has the inherent authority to amend its records so as to make them conform to the facts. This power extends as well to supplying omssions as to correcting mistakes; and in the exercise of the power the court is not confined to an examination of the judges minutes or other written evidence; it may proceed upon any satisfactory evidence.

5. A record disclosing a stipulation for the continuance of a cause and a peremptory order of the court dismissing it at the same term, the judgment of dismissal cannot be reviewed in the absence of a bill of exceptions or matter of record disclosing the grounds of the court's action.

City National Bank against Thomas, Error from Adams county. Affirmed. Opinion by Commissioner- Irvine.

When a bill of exceptions has been quashed it cannot be afterward considered for any purpose in the case. Jones against Wolfe, 42 Neb., 272, followed.

2. In reviewing a judgment on petition in error without a bill of exceptions, this court is necessarily confined in an examination of instructions to an inquiry whether the instructions given could under any circumstances be properly given under the pleadings. The refusal of instructions cannot be reviewed.

3. The repetition of a proposition of law in the court's charge is not reversible error unless it be made to appear that the defeated party was prejudiced thereby.

4. A party entitled to an estoppel are in any way sufficiently pleaded he is entitled to the benefit of the law arising therefrom.

5. Possession of instruments negotiable by d

delivery is prima facie evidence of ownership.

6. A person purchasing negotiable paper from the president of a bank, with a guaranty of payment executed by the president, is justified in relying on the president's representation that the paper belonged to the bank; and the bank is bound by his representation to that effect—at least, where the transaction occurred in the banking house, and while the president was apparently engaged in performing his duties as such officer.

7. Certain instructions examined and held not erroneous as applied to the case under consideration.

A. G. Bartley of Magic, Pa., writes: "I

A. G. Bartley of Magic, Pa., writes: "I feel it a duty of mine to inform you and the public that Dewitt's Witch Hazel salve cured me of a very bad case of eczema. It also cured my boy of a running sore on his log."

Springer Tired of His Piace. ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—A special to the Re-public from Muskogeen, Indian Territory, says: It is stated here, on excellent authorsays: It is stated here, on excellent authority, that ex-Congressman William M. Springer, judge of the Indian Territory court, has grown tired of his judicial duties and is anxious to return to the east. Your correspondent is informed that Judge Springer is an applicant for the position of general solicitor of the Baltimore & Ohio rallroad, the place recently vacated by John K. Cowan, elected president of the road. It is stated here that Judge Springer has written to several influential friends in the government, asking their influence to help him into the law department of the Baltimore & Ohio.

Dewitt's Little Early Risers cure indiges-tion and bad breath. REALTY MARKET.

INSTRUMENTS placed on record January 29, 1896: WARRANTY DEEDS.

WARRANTY DEEDS.

W. T. Graham and wife to Mattie
Roys, lot 2 block 16, Bedford Place.

South Omaha Investment company to
P. L. Hughes, lot 6, block 3, McGavock & O'K,'s add
Cathne Kennedy to Jorgen Jorgensen,
lots 11 and 12, block 8, Dwight & L.'s
add
C. S. Hulbert and wife to C. M. Amslois 11 and 12, block 8, Dwight & L. s add
C. S. Hulbert and wife to C. M. Amsden, lot 5, Preston & W.'s add.
George Van Beek and wife to E. E.
Lemon, lot 2, block 7, Omaha View.
J. A. Latson to J. W. Carr, lot 14,
block 4, Pulman Place.
Mary Basus to John Basus, w 15 of lot
2, block 254, Omaha, n of n line 2715-13
G. S. Nason to E. S. Dailey, c 30 feet
of n 92 feet of lot 3, block 12, Omaha, E.
A. Benson, trustee, to Benson Land
company, lots 6 to 15, block 1; lots
7, 8, 10 to 20, block 2, Highland Place;
lots 1, 2 and 4, block 84; lot 4, block
73, Benson 1,500

73, Benson
Same to same, blocks \$9, 101, 102, 102
and 104, Benson
Same to same, various lots and blocks
in Benson
Same to same, lots 15 and 16, block 2,
Briggs' Place; lots 7 and 8, block 35;
lot 3, block 41; lots 8 and 9, block 77,
Benson 10,000

Benson QUIT CLAIM DEEDS. Mutual Investment company to J. F. Vila, lot 24, block 7, Douglas add... J. L. Pierce, receiver, to E. P. Darrow, lot 8, block 459, Grandview

Total amount of transfers.....\$41,505

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET during the next four or five months, as the WILL BOOM THE STATE BRISKLY. South Dakota's Resources to Be Sys-

tematically Set Forth. SIOUX FALLS, Jan. 29.—(Special.)— Thomas H. Brown, one of the executive committee of the recently organized South Dakota Immigration association, reports that the work of advertising the state is to be pushed with vigor. The committee will hold a meeting in this city, February 12, and will then formally adopt plans. It is already practically decided to issue a map, which shall accurately distinguish the four natural geological divisions of the state and clearly show their varied characteristics and resources. These four divisions are the Sloux valley, which comprises the eastern and southern counties of the state, and which is really a continuation of Iowa, in character, the artesian basin, which comprises the Jim and eastern Missouri valleys, the cattle belt, which consists of the rich grazing lands west of the Missouri, and the mineral belt. Colonel Brown has been ordered to prepare this map and to report on it at the next meeting.
The first thing necessary was to raise suffi-

cient money to carry on the work, and an assessment of \$50 for each \$1,000,000 of assessed valuation was made on each county. The committee has practically decided to Issue a pamphlet, which shall at length deseribe the advantages and resources of each of the grand divisions. The matter for each district is to be prepared by the residents of each and submitted to the executive committee, who will revise it, leaving out any discrepancies, and equalizing the space between the sections. As many of these pamphlets will be issued as the funds will

The committee will also call district conventions some time next month, and will urge each district to take up the work of adwertising separately. In about a week an edition of 50,000 copies of an address will be issued to the people, outlining the intended work of the association, and calling for popular subscriptions.

La Grippe Promptly Cured.

S. T. Wiley, a well known school teacher at Gibbon Glade, Fayette Co., Pt., says: "I am very much pleased to testify to the officacy of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, one bottle of which I purchased of James O'Neil. of this place. It gave me prompt and per-manent relief from a severe attack of the grip. Since then I have used it whenever attacked by any throat trouble, and it has always effected a prompt cure." For sale by

Winter Wheat in Good Condition. COWLES, Neb., Jan. 29 .- (Special.) -- Winter wheat throughout this section of the state appears in good condition, though the weather has been uniformly dry, a late rain having put the soil in very fair shape, and the mild, open winter having reduced danger of freezing out to a minimum.

A McKinley club will be organized at this place in the near future. The matter is being agitated, and a large membership is

A considerable amount of adverse crit-leism is being expressed by stockmen in re-gard to the new rates on live stock inaugurated by the railroads and in effect from augurated by the railroads and in check from January 1 to the Omaha market. Kansas City is seventy-five miles more distant, but under the new tariff, which does not change the rate to that point, Omaha is at a disadvantage of from \$4 to \$6 per car, to which is added an arbitrary switch charge of \$1.50.

The audience assembled at the regular The audience assembled at the regular meeting of a literary society, four miles north from Cowles, Saturday evening last, were treated to an impromptu fistic encounter, in which the president, Peter Hill, accepted the urgent though unsolicited invitation to "come out of doors," issued by J. P. Sprinkle, a colleague of Hill's on the debate. The center of interest was immediately transferred from the Venezuelan controversy, which had been the subject under discussion to the more bostile preparations for war. The building was quickly evacuated, and a very pretty two-round bout was pulled off, in which President Hill scored many telling points. Sprinkle retiring in confusion

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