COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Bulls Get Control of the Market and Force Prices Upwards,

WHEAT MAKES THE LARGEST ADVANCE

Crop Injury Reports and Liberal Shipments for Day Provide Leading Aids to Rising Tendency-All Markets Gain.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.-Wheat today re covered twice as much at it lost yester-day, the May option closing at a full There was no particular reason for the advance, as far as the day's

higher. 7614e for May, as against 7614-976%c, its closing price yesterday. The Liverpool market, which recently has displayed a good deal of readiness to follow declines on this side, opened at 14d decline. The chief reason for the weakness here, which may have also been an influence in Liverpool, was a statement made by the Liverpool Corn Trade News to the effect that the world's stocks of wheat and flour, which decreased 15,000,000 bu, between January 1 and February 1, 1896, only decreased 1.and February I, 1898, only decreased L709,000 bu. In the similar time this year.
That statement was a surprise to the
trade, as the reverse of such a result of
the supply and consumption this year as
compared with last had been generally expected. The later cables showed recovery
in the English market. Explanations from
the other side hinted at the political complications on the other side which might
result in war. This became a factor. The
heavy northwest receipts of 352 cars were
offset by the flour sales of 35,000 bbls, and
there was talk of nills paying May price
for wheat and prices then started to mend.
After the recovery was fairly started the
trade got bull help. St. Louis messages
revived the crop injury talk. Central fillnois points sent compisiants of a serious
nature. New York reported liberal exports
for the day. The four ports cleared 350,600 bu. in wheat and flour. The buying on
the foreign war talk before midday put
the May price to 775c. Bradstreet's report
of the world's visible, showing only a
for,000 bu. loss last week, caused the price
to react to 774c, where it closed, the
board adjourning at 12:15 p. m. to enable
the members to attend the funeral of the
late Mr. MeMilan.

Corn was casy at the opening with wheat
and firmed later on the same account.
Speculative business was rather better
than the recent average and was largely
in the nature of covering shorts. Export
clearinces were liberal at \$2,000 bu. May
opened a shade higher at 24c, soid at 275,
6724c, reacted to 244c and closed steady at
246,2345c. 700,000 bu, in the similar time this year,

were fairly active and firm. The Oats were fairly active and firm. The scling pressure was less urgent and shorts showed a disposition to take profits. The firmness in wheat and corn also helped onts. May opened unchanged at 174c, sold to 1720175c and back to 1720175c, where it closed. Eusiness in the pork pit was of moderate dimensions and prices improved considerably. Some of the improvement was due to the disappointingly light hog revelops and some of it to the rise in wheat. English concerns were again good buyers. At the close May pork was about 15c higher at \$1.7767.30, May lard 5c higher at \$4.0004.0245. estimated receipts for Wednesday

are: Wheat, 15 cars; corn, 310 cars; oats, 250 cars; hogs, 39,000 head. The seading futures ranged as follows: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yest'y.

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Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR-Steady: winter patents: 44.35\sq. 60;
straights, 34.10\sq. 420; spring specials, 34.50 bakers, 33.00\sq. 340.
WHEAT-No. 2 spring, 75\sq. 67\sq. 54.50\sq. 38 spring,
76c: No. 2 red. 85\sq. 887\sq. c.
CONN-No. 2. 15\sq. 87\sq. c.
QATS-No. 2. 15\sq. 10.00\sq. 2 white, f. o. b., 19\sq. 62
e. No. 3 white, f. o. b., 16\sq. 18\sq. 62
HYE-No. 2. 35c.
HARLEY-No. 2, nominal; No. 3, f. o. b.,
24\sq. 63\sq. 10.4 f. o. b., 24\sq. 25c.
FLANSEED-No. 1, 74\sq. 67\sq. 69\sq. 25.
FROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl. \$7.70\sq. 75;
lard, per 190 lbs., \$3.75; short ribs, sides (loose),
28.55\sq. 410; dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$4.2\sq. 450
WHISKY-Distillers' finished goods, per gal.,
\$1.17.
SUGARS-Cut loaf, \$5.14; granulated. \$4.51.

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Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments
Flour, bbls Wheat bu Corn, bu Cais, bu Rye, bu	0.000	5,000 68,00 146,00 190,00 1,00 55,00
	164,000 today the b . 15:2056c: 1456c. Chee	dairy.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quotations of the Day on General Commodities.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—FLOUR.—Receipts, 14,900 bbls.; exports, 11,025 bbls.; quiet but very steady; winter patents, 14,0004.75; Minnesota patents, 14.3569446; winter extras, 23.1543.55; Minnesot, bakers, 23.6563.95. Rye flour, steady; superfine \$2.55@2.75; fancy, \$2.50@3.09. Buckwheat flour. quiet at \$1.25.

quiet at 11.25.

BUCKWHEAT—Dull at 34925c.
CORN MEAL—Quiet; yellow western, 58955c.
RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 4097404.c.
BARLEY—Dull; feeding, 2845c.
BARLEY MALT—Dull; western; 50958c.
WHEAT—Receipts, 12.850 bu.; exports, 141,693 bu.; spot dull; firm; No. 1 hard, New York, 3185c. Options opened easier on bearish foreign nows, but railled and ruled firm all day on covering, influenced by better late cables, waf rumors, crop damage news and liberal seaboard clearances; closed 45c higher; No. 2 red. February, closed at 856c; May, \$2.5-16983 5-16c, closed at 836c.

clearances, ary closed at 85c; May, 82 5-16983 5-15c, closed at 834c.

CORN-Receipts, 122.856 hu.; exports, 167,826 hu.; spot quiet; No. 2, 285c. Options opened barely steady on cold weather, but were steady thereafter, closeds at 45 decline; February closed at 285c; May, 295,8295c, closed at 255c.

OATS-Receipts, 68,400 hu.; exports, 56,452 hu.; spot dull; No. 2, 215c. Options steady and unchanged. February closed at 215c; May, 215c.

HAY-Easy; shipping, 525-2455c; good to choice, 675,4724c.

674,6724c. HOPS—Quiet; 1895 crop, 367c; 1896 crop, 8673c; Pacific coast crop, 1895, 34,67c; 1896 crop, 26

RICE—Steady; fair to extra, Sig7the; Japan, 13444c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Gricans, open kettle, good to choice, 22472c.

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BUTTER—Receipts, 8,126 pkgs; western creamery, 124114c; Elgins, 213714c; factory, 1374c.

CHEESE—Receipts, 8,260 pkgs; steady; state large, 937124c; state, small, 937124c; part skims, 23734c.

EGGS—Receipts, 9,360 pkgs; market quiet; state and Fennsylvania, 154c; western, 124416c; southern 143714c.

METALS—The feature of the metal market was the decided strength developed by lead; brokers, advanced to \$1.05; exchange, \$2.2545, \$774c. The market closed firm, St. Louis lead market advices strong; exchange, \$3.2545, ron, dull; southern, \$11,00012.06; northern, \$11.65 gill.06; Cupper, firm; brokers, \$11, exchange, \$12. Tin, quiet; straits, \$11,456713.8c; plates, easy. Spelter, exsier; domestic, \$1,00512.0c.

Changes in Available Supply.

tors and 27,600 bu, at Pittsburg. Corresponding increases include 96,000 bu, at Port Williams, Ont.; 25,000 bu, in various Manitoba storage points, and 30,000 bu, at New Orleans.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET. Condition of Trade and Quotations on

Staple and Fancy Produce, EGGS-Fresh gathered, 11612c, BUTTER-Common to fair, 9619c; choice fancy roll, 13@14c; separator creamery, 20c; gathred creamery, 15916c. GAME-Blue winged teal ducks, \$1.75; green wing, \$1.50; redheads and mallards, \$3.75; small rabbits, 40@50c; jacks, \$1.00@1.25; squirrels, 60@ ce; Canada gerse, large, \$6.00@7.00; small, \$4.00@

Co. Canada geess, large, so.oug..co; sman, c. co. CHEESE—Domestic bricks, 10½c; Edam, per doz., 19; club house, 1-lb. lars, per doz., \$3.15; Limberger, fancy, per lb., 8½c; Roquetort, ½-lb. lars, per doz., \$1.26; Young Americas, 10½c; twins, fancy, 10½c.
VEAL—Choice fat, 50 to 120 lbs., are quoted at 78/1½c; large and coarse, 4%5c.
DRESSED POULTRY—Chickens, 5½@6c; turkeys, 100Hite; grees, 70%c; ducks, \$690c.
LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 5c; cocks, 364c.
PIGEONS—Live, 75/200c; dend pigeons, not wanted. son for the advance, as far as the news was concerned, but the buils were news was concerned, but the buils were once more in the majority and prices were forced upward. Corn recovered the and any light hales sell the best jointy top grades bring top prices.

BROOM CORN-Extremely slow sale; new all of the country; choice green and all of the country choice and all of the country choice and all of the country choice green and all of the country choi

crop, delivered on track in country; choice green self-working carpet, per lb. 2621/c; choice green running to huri, 2824/c; common, 14/c. VEGETABLES. VEGETABLES.

SWEET POTATOES—On orders, per bbl., \$1.75,
ONIONS—Good stock, per bu., \$1.
LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 4c.
BEANS—Hand picked mavy, per bu., \$1.25@1.35,
CABBAGE—Fancy stock, per 100 lbs., \$2.
CELERY—Per dow., 26c; fancy, large, 45c,
POTATOES—Good native stock, per bu., 20c,

FRUITS.
MALAGA GRAPES—Per kog, 47.
CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod. per bbl., 16.00@ APPLES-Fancy, New York, \$1.60@1.65; extra CALIFORNIA PEARS-Per box. \$2.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—Per box, 32.
TROPICAL FRUITS.
ORANGES—Mexican, 32.75@2.00; California navek, 150s to 200s, \$3.75; large sizes, \$3.25@3.50; seeding, \$2.75,
LEMONS—Messinas, \$3.00@3.50; choice California, \$2.75; fancy, \$2.75@3.60.
HANANAS—Choice, large stock, per bunch, \$2.00@2.25; medium-sized bunches, \$1.50@2.00.
MISCELLANEOUS,
HONEY—Choice, lagel4c.

HONEY-Choice, 13614c. CIDER-Clarified Juice, per half bbl., \$2.50; per CIDER—Clarified Juice, per half bbl., \$2.50; per bbl., \$4.0094.25.

MAPLE SYRUP—Five gal, cans, each, \$2.5092.

2.75; gal, cans, per doz., \$12; half-gal, cans, \$6.25; quart cans, \$5.25.

NUTS—Almonds, California, per lb., large size, 13c; Brazils, per lb., 10c; English walnuts, per lb., ancy, soft shell, 1261214c; standards, 1161114c; filberts, per lb., 10c; pecans, polished, large, \$9210c; stambo, 116215c, large hickory nuts, \$1.25 per bu., small, \$1.50; cocoanuts, 5c each,

FICS—Imported fancy, 5 crown, 30-lb. boxes, 15c; choice, 10-lb. boxes, 3 crown, 11c.

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

15c; choice, 16-1b boxes, 3 crown, 11c.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 5½c; No. 2 green bides, 4½c; No. 1 green saited hides, 7c; No. 2 green saited hides, 6c; No. 2 green saited hides, 6c; No. 1 green saited hides, 6c; No. 1 green saited hides, 6c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 50; No. 2 dry flint hides, 8g9c; No. 1 dry saited hides, 8g9c; part cured hides, ½c per ib. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS—Green saited, each, 25@60c-green saited, shearlings ishort wooled early skins), each, 15c; dry shearlings ishort wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 5c; dry flint, Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4g5c; dry flint, Calorado Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3g4c; dry flint Colorado Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4g5c; dry flint Colorado Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 3g4c; feet cut off, as it is useless to pay freight on them. TALLOW AND GREASE—Tallow, No. 1, 3c; tallow, No. 2, 2½c; grease, white A, 2c; grease, white H, 2c; grease, yellow, 2c; grease, dark, 1½c; old butter, 2g2½c; beswax, prime, 15g22c; rough tailow, 1c.

WOOL—Unwashed, file, heavy 6g7c; fine light, 8g9c; quarterblood, 10si12c; sendy, burry and chafty, 8f9c; otted and broken, fine, 4g5c, Fl-ece washed—Medium, 15g18c; fine, 14g18c; tun w-shed, 15g18c; black, 8c; buclos, 6c; tag locks, 2g5c, dead pulled 5g6c.

BONES—In car lots, weighed and delivered in HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

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FRESH MEATS. FRESH MEATS.

BELFF-Good native steers, 400 to 600 lbs., 647 ic; western steers, 54466c; good cows and heifers, 54466c; medium cows and heifers, 5446; good forequarters cows and heifers, 44c; good forequarters steers, 5c; good hindquarters cows and heifers, 74c; good hindquarters mative steers, 84c; canderloins, 20c; boneless strips, 9c; stripions, 7c; rolls, 84c; strion butts, 84c; shoulder clock, 54c; rump butts, 3c; steer chucks, 4c; cow chucks, 34c; boneless chucks, 4c; plates, 34c; boneless, 6c; steer chucks, 4c; cow chucks, 6c; loins, No, 1, 194c; loins, No, 2, 194c; loins, No, 3, 84c; rbs, No, 1, 104c; ribs, No, 2, 84c; ribs, No, 3, 84c; ribs, No, 5, 8c; ribs, No, 5, 8c; ribs, No, 6c; cow rounds, 52c; rounds, shank or rump off, 6c; rounds, shank and rump off, 7c; trimmings, 34c; brains, per doz, 35c; sweetbreads, per lb.

31₂c; brains, per doz., 35c; sweetbreads, per lb., 15c; sidneys, each 5c; ox talls, each, 3c; Heers, per lb., 3c; hearts, 2c, tongues, per lb., 12c, PORK—Dressed hogs, 4½c; tenderiolns, 13c; loins, 6c; spare ribs, 4c; ham sausage butts, 5c; oins, &c.: spare ribs, &c; ham sausage butts, &c; houlders, rough, &c; shoulders, skinned, &c; rimmings, &c; leaf lard, not rendered, &c; eads, cleaned, 3½c; snouts and ears, 3½c; backones, figc; neckbones, figc; pigs talls, &c; lucks, each, &c; chitterlings, &c; hocks, &c; sarts, per doz., 25c; stomachs, each, &c; tongues, MUTTON-Dressed lambs, 7c; dressed sheep, 6c; racks, 8½c; legs and saddles, 8c; breasts, and stews, 2½c; tongues, each, 5c; plucks, each,

WOOL ACTIVE AND PRICES FIRM

No Material Advance in Quotations is to Be Recorded.

INOSTON, Feb. 9.—Business in wool continues active yet, while prices are firm, it is difficult to work up any material advance. The bulk of the wool now being sold is for future use and the activity of the market is said to be owing to manufacturers anticipating a duty on wool. The market for territory wools is steady and the reports show large lines being taken on the secured basis of from 58c to 32c for most offerings of fine medium and fire white choice staple lots are commanding from 34c to 35c.

The sales of fleece wooth have been light, owing to a number of dealers holding their products above the market price. Australian wools show to a number of dealers holding their products above the market price. Australian wools show large lines being taken, with prices firm Quotations: Missouri quarter-blood combing, fee; Missouri three-eighths blood combing, lee; braid combing, 15918c. Texas woors, spring medium (12 months), 11912c; scoured price, 21923c. Territorial wools: Montana, fine price, 31932c. Territorial wools: Montana, fine medium and fine, 91-911c; scoured price, 30932c; staple, 34935c; Utah, Wyoming, etc. fine medium and fine, 8941c; scoured price, 30932c; staple, 34935c. California wools, northern spring, 119 12c; scoured price, 23934c; middle county spring, 5011c; re-ured p ice 30135c. Au tral'an scoured basis, combing, superfine, 47948c; combing, good, 42946c; combing, average, 38941c; Queensland combing, 4244c.

Wool Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—WOOL—Steady.

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Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

Liverpool, Feb. 9.—WHEAT—Spot quiet; demand poor: No. 2 red. spring, 6s fid; No. 1 California, 6s 74d. Futures opened quiet, with near and distant positions 4d lower, but later reacted and closed firm, with near and distant positions unchanged; business about equally distributed; February, 6s 32d; March, 6s 44d; May, 6s 54d; July, 6s 44d.

COHN—Steady; American mixed, new, 2s 7d. Futures opened easy, with near and distant positions 4d lower; closed steady, with near positions 4d lower; and distant positions 4d lower; closed steady, with near positions 4d lower; and distant positions 4d lower; closed steady, with rear positions 4d lower; and distant positions 4d lower; closed steady; demand poor; Cumberland cut, 2s to 30 lbs. 2s; short ribs. 2s 10d June, 2s 84d.

FROVISIONS—Bacon, steady; demand poor; Cumberland cut, 2s to 30 lbs. 2s; short ribs. 25 to 24 lbs. 25s; long clear, light, 25 to 33 lbs. 25s; long clear, heavy, 40 to 45 lbs. 24s; short clear middles, heavy, 45 to 50 lbs, 2s; short clear billes, 14 to 16 lbs. 2s. Shoulders, square, 12 to 18 lbs. 25s 6d; Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs. 2s. Taillow, fine North American, 18s. Beef, extra India mess, 61s; prime mess, 60s; Pork, prime mess, fine western, 46s. Lard, dull; prime western, 20s; refined, in pails, 2ls 9d.

CHEESE—Firm; demand moderate; finest American white and colored. September, 25s.

BUTFER—Firest United States 50s; good, 55s. OH.S—Linseed, 16s 3d. Petroleum, refined, 64d. REFRIGERATOR BEEF—Forequarter, 4c; hindquarter, 54d.

HOPS—At Leanden (Pacific coast), £3 lbs.

Receipts past three days; Wheat, 287,600 centais, including 50,600 centais. American; American con, 225,600 centais. Weather warm and Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

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Am. Sagar pfd	10152	Ed. Eles. Ili	145
Bay State Gas	534	Gen. Elec. pfd	7.5
Boston & Albany.	209%	Atchison pfd	244
Boston & Main	1414	Austrison 4s.	811
C. B. & Q	7.434	New England 6s	114
Fitchburg	222	Allonez Mining Co	1
General Electric	6494		425
Illinois Steel	31	Boston & Montana	1085
Mexican Central	8	Butte & Boston	113
N. Y. & N. E	60	Calumet & Hecta	355
Old Colony	15	Centennial	0.01
Union Pacific		Kearsarge	18
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West End pfd	804	Ta narack	119
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6013.00. Tin.	Capper, firm; brokers, \$11; exchange, \$12; quiet; straits, \$13,45grid.35; plates, easy, exsier; domestic, \$4,00g4.65.	West End
NEW graphi princip follow urday: Whee Rockit Europs world' Corn Rockie Oats, Rockie The wheat official of Corn	at, United States and Canada, east of the s. decrease, 1831,000 bu; affeat for and in s. increase, 1831,000 bu; total decrease, savailable, 575,000 bu. United States and Canada, east of the s. increase, 1830,000 bu. United States and Canada, east of the s. decrease, 172,000 bu. more important decreases in available stocks last week, not included in the visible supply statement, were 114,000 bu. in Milwaukee private weland 72,000 bu. in Milwaukee private	Coasols in y. 112 9-16 St. Paul common. 77% Consols acct. 112 11-16 N. Y. Ceatral. 96 Cas. Pacific 67 Pennsylvania 53% Eric 15% Earling 13% Eric 18 pfd. 35% Mex. Con. new 4s. 70 Mil. Central. 97 Mextean ordinary. 21 BAR SILVER—25% deper oz. MONEY—161% per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 113-1661% per cent; for three months' bills. 113-1661% per cent. Cotton Markets.
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dling guif, 74c; sales, 500 bales. Futures, quiet and steady; seles, 110,500 bales; February, \$6.85; March, \$6.87; April, \$6.94; May, \$7.91; June, \$7.95; July, \$7.11; August, \$7.11; September, \$6.81; October, \$6.81; November, \$6.71; December, \$6.75. Favorable news from Liverpool caused a firm opening on the Cotton exchange his morning. Fices were from \$10 6 points highed and trading was generally active during the first hour. Later Liverpool cables were disappointing and the market got weak and declined from \$10 6 points. Estimates of receipts were liberal and commission houses sold freely. After the execution of these orders the market became quiet and at 11 o'clock showed a net decline of from \$10 \$2 points.

NEW ORLEANS, Peb. \$-COTTON-Quiet; middling, \$56; low middling, \$56; good ordinary, \$56c.

STOCKS AND BONDS. Lexow Trust Investigation Continue to Depress Industrials. NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The stock market continued to feel the influence of the bear aggress sions on the industrial stocks, but the generalist did not respond so sharply to this depression and railway shares held their own fairly well in the face of a market tending downward That the market is largely given over to th industrials is shown by the fact that consider ably more than half the total shares traided in were those of a few of the high-priced industrials and more than one-third of the sales were of Sugar stock alone. The movement resulted in a decline in Sugar of 2% per cent; Rubber in version of the sales were of Sugar stock alone. The movement resulted in a decline in Sugar of 2% per cent; Rubber preferred, 2% per cent, and Leather, 1 per cent. All of these stocks suffered in common from the continued effect of the legislative investigation of trusts still pending in this city. Sugar was also markedly affected by further resports from Washington that the protection on Sugar was likely to be impaired by approaching tariff changes. Whatever affected Sugar immediately and markedly affected sail the other infustrial stocks by sympathy. Tobacco was sold by inside interests. The trading even in tases active industrial stocks was almost wholly professional, and the market for other securities was stagnant and seemingly waiting for developments, though of what, is not clear to any observer. If the waiting is for co gress tariff changes, it is strange that only properties which will be immediately affected by those changes are dealt in in any volume. With money a glut on the market, however, and speculation almost at a standytill, it is certain that investors are waiting for some development. There were signs today that the same ecouvagement was felt over the general trade outlook and over the prefspects for railronds. In spite of the depressing influence on the market the drive at the industrials and the stagnation in the London market over the European political situation, which might have been reflected here, the railways exhibited considerable firmness, and even advanced fractionally early in the day. The enormous sale of print cloths at Fall River yesterday was no small factor in the hardening tendency of the general list. This hardening tendency of the general list. This hardening tendency of the general list. This hardening tendency in hubitals and the light per c

business, though leading financial opinions do not regard the situation as serious, and consols sold at 1124. Americans were steadler than the regard the Situation as serious consistency of the policy of the policy

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8	Adams Ex	148	O. S. L. & U. N	15
2	Alton. T H	56	Pacific Matl	25
9	Am. Express	110	Peorla, Dec. & E .	166%
8	Haltimore & Ohio.	15	Pittsburg	166%
o,	Canada Pacific	554	Pullman Palace	154
	Canada Southern	4414	Reading	25
-	Central Pacific	1114	R. G. W	12
3	Ches. & Ohio	1736	do pfd	40
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	Chicago Gas	7714	St. Paul & Omaha.	1324
	Consolidated Gas.	147%	St. Paul & Omaha.	4856
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	Colo. Coal & Iron	14	Southern Pacific	1516
	Cotton Oil Cert	1116	Sugar Refinery	11114
	Delaware & Hud	10796	Tenn. Coal & Iron.	28%
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ĸ.	D. & R. G. pfd	4114	Tol. & O. Cen. pfd.	50
e.	East Tenn	14%	Union Pacific	636
	Erie	34	U. S. Express	36
r.	Erie pfd	20%	W. St. L. & Pac	634
1	Fort Wayne	165	W. St. L. & P. pfd Wells Fargo Ex	15%
	G. Northern pfd	121	Wells Fargo Ex	98
• 77	C. & E. I. pfd	95	Western Union	8214
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Ø	St. P. & Duluth	20	Minn. & St. Louis.	19
	K. & T. pfd	2916	Den. & R. G	
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	Lake Shore	154	Col. Fuel & L	25
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ш	Memphis & C	15	Southern	914
ø	Michigan Central.	8914	Southern pfd	28
2)	Mo. Pacific	22	Tobacco	69%
8	Mobile & Ohio	20	Tobacco pfd	100%
v	Nashville Chat	66	Am. T. & C. Co	8734
ц	N. J. Central	9814	C. C. Co	150
e,	North Am. Co	416	Am. Sugar pld	1014
8	Northern Pacific	14%	Leather pfd	5834
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	U. P., D. & G	2 . 2	Rubber pfd	72
п	Northwestern	103%	Cotton Oil pfd	4314
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úl	N. Y. W N. E	37	Am. Spirits pfd	32%
ı	Ontario & W	1494	O. R & N. 48	4356
u	The total enter	of at	tocks today were	131,078
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Reading, 9,900. New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—MONEY ON CALL—
Easy at 11662 per cent; last loan, 1½ per cent; closed at 1462 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—364 per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.854,864,865 for demand and at \$4.854,864,847 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.854 and \$4.874,64.88; commercial bills, \$4.854, and \$4.874,64.88; comp., \$1.244; \$5.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$4.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.854, \$1.134, \$1.1

STATE HONDS—Quiet.
RAILROAD HONDS—Firm.
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OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Run for the Day Proves Good in Point of Numbers.

BEEF CATTLE SLOW, WEAK AND LOWER

Demoralization at Other Markets Finds Reflection Here in a Ten-Cent Drop_Hogs Strong

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February 4	3,681	4,780	2,237	7177
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(February 2	2,372	6,307	948	Y2.7.5
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ber of head indicated: Buyers, Cat Omaha Packing Co..... G. H. Hammond Co... Swift and Company. Cudahy Yacking Co.... R. Becker & Degan... Vansant & Co.... Cattle. Hogs, Sheep. 508 1,089 1,018 1,311

argest of any day since Thursday of last week. The market as a whole was a little slow, and in that respect not altogether satisfactory. The tendency of the market was downward, which was another feature

buyers Left over

that could not be regarded as pleasing to the selling interests. While the total receipts of cattle were While the total receipts of cattle were above the average, the offerings of cornfed beeves were comparatively light, less than twenty loads being on sale.

Yesterday's Chicago market was bad and buyers put on their bear clothes this morning. The light receipts were to some extent an element of strength, but that was more than offset by the poor quality of the cattle on sale. It finally resolved itself into a slow, dragsy market that was in most cases 5@10c lower. Buyers, however, claimed that while the sales might look lower on paper, the quality of the cattle was poor enough to make up the difference and that the market was in reality not enough lower to be worth quoting.

The best grades of coxy and he fers were about steady, but the common and medium kinds were easier. The offerings were larger than usual and while the demand was very fair, it was some time before a clearance was effected.

The stocker and feeder trade was active and the better grades, at least, were fully steady. In some cases salesmen thought the common kind were not quite so strong as at the close of last week. Hepresentative sales:

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whose was in very satisfactory condition to the celling interests.

The trade opened strong to 5c higher and the movement was active on that basis, so much so that the pers were soon cleared. Heavy liogs weighing 50c his, and over soid pretty generally at \$2.7042.5c, as against \$3.1542.5c, vesterday. The medium weights and light loads brought \$2.25472.4c, the top being 10c higher than anything yesterday.

Today's advance carries the market to a point where it is 5690c fligaer that at the close of last week and higher than it has been any day since Monday of last week. Representative sales: Av. Sh. Pr. No. Av. Sh. Pr.

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CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Limited Offerings of Cattle Quickly Sold at Unchanged Prices. CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—In cattle it did not take long to dispose of the limited offerings at unchanged prices, sales being on a basis of fror \$3.70 to \$4 for the poorest dressed boof steer up to from \$4.50 to \$5.25 for good to prime ship ping and export cattle. The bulk of the catt sold between 14 and 15. Calves were unchanged Receipts of hogs were light and buyers had to pay advances of from 25c to 5c per 100 lbs (Common to the best lots sold at from 31.20 to 25.60, heavy packing hogs fetching from 31.20 to 31.35, and hog sales were largely at from 51.4 to 31.50. There are more light and medium weights coming here than earlier in the season and the present average is the lightest in seven. nd the present average is the lightest

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 2.—CATTLEE—Rec. 000 head; shipments, 1,500 head; best g teady; others slow; Texas steers, \$3,300 cxas cows, \$2,0063.00; native steers, \$3,400 native cows and heifers, \$1,2562.90; stockers native cows and helfers, \$1.256(2.90; stockers and feeders, \$3.006(4.15; bulls, \$12.506(2.50; hedges, \$3.006(4.15; bulls, \$12.506(2.50; hedges, \$3.006(4.75; bulls, \$1.006(2.50; bulls, \$13.006(3.71); heavies, \$3.206(3.40; packers, \$1.206(3.25; mixed, \$1.306(3.42); lights, \$2.106(3.35; Yorkers, \$3.306(3.35; pigs, \$3.106(3.25; heavies, \$3.106(3.35; heavies, \$3.106(3.35; heavies, \$3.506(4.60; head; market steady; lambs, \$3.506(4.60; muttons, \$2.506(4.10, head; heavies, \$3.506(4.60; muttons, \$2.506(4.10, heavies, \$3.506(4.60; muttons, \$3.506(4.10, heavies, \$3.506(4.60; muttons, \$3.506(4.10, heavies, \$3.506(4.60; muttons, \$3.506(4.10, heavies, \$3.506(4.10, h

New York Live Stock NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—HEEVES—Receipts, 167 head; no trading; cables quote American steers at 104-26114c, dressed weight; sheep at 845c; refrigerator beef at 2610c; experts, 550 beeves; 1,00 sheep, and 2,350 quarters of beef.

SHEEP AND LAMIS—Receipts, 240 head; theep, firm at \$1.00f(4.50). HOGS-Receipts, 4,246 head; market steady at

St. Louis Live Stock. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 9.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000 head; market steady; native shipping steers, 3,5095.10; stockers and feeders, 32,2563.10 light steers, \$2,6564.25; cows and mixed, \$2,0002.70; Texas steers, \$3,0004.20; cows, \$1,7562.00, HOGS—Receipts, 8,600 head; market strong; light, \$3,4063.50; mixed, \$3,1563.45; heavy, \$3.1063.50; SHEEP-Receipts, 1,000 head; market strong;

muttons, \$3.00074.40; lambs, \$5.42075.		
Stock in Sight.		
Record of receipts of live stock	at th	e four
principal markets for February 9:		
Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha	4,126	2,454
Chicago 3,000	15,000	14,000
Kansas City 9,000	12 000	5,000
Record of receipts of live stock principal markets for February 9; Cattle Omaha 3,374 Chicago 3,660 Kansas City 9,000 St. Louis 3,900	8,000	1,00
Total	39,126	22,464

St. Louis General Markets, St. Louis General Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 2.—FLOUR—Unchanged. WHEAT—Futures opered weak and lower, but became stronger and advance if r a wille, finally letting 1,611g, 1611g, 17 a wille, finally steady; No. 2 red. cash, elevator, 57c; track, 896704c; No. 2 hard, cash, 80c asked; May 85%c asked; July, 72%c bid.

CORN—Futures, dull and steady to easy. Spot unchanged; No. 2 cash, 20c bid; May, 21%c; July, 236724c. OATS_Dull and steady: No. 2 cash, 164c.

May, 18%@18%c. RYE-25c. BARLEY-Dull; malting, 38c. BARLEY—Dull; malting, 58c.
CORN MEALS—51.25.
BRAN—Quiet, but firm; sacked, east track,
worth nominally, 43@41c.
HAY—Quiet and stendy; timothy, 46.00@10.50;
prairie, 44.00@1.50.
BUTTER—Higher; creamery, 16@22%c; dairy,

BUTTER—Higher; creamery, 1692-292; daily, 9616c.
EGGS—Firm at 12c,
WHISKY—\$1.18,
METALS—Lead, higher at \$3.9963.05. Spelter, firm at \$2.85 bid.
COTTON TIES—Unchanged.
BAGGING—Unchanged.
PROVISIONS—Pork, firm; standard ment, job-bing, \$7.556.10. Lard, better; prime steam, 13.674; choice, \$2.75. Bacon, boxed shoulders, 14.20; extra short clear, \$4.70; ribs, \$4.95; shorts, \$4.00. Dry salt meats, boxed shoulders, \$4.55; extra short clear, \$4.70; ribs, \$4.95; shorts, \$4.00. Dry salt meats, boxed shoulders, \$4.55; extra short clear, \$4.50; ribs, \$4.55; short, \$4.60. RECEIPTS—Flour, 5.000 bis; wheat, 19.00 bu; corn, 26,000 bu; oats, 55.600 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Flour, 2.000 bis; wheat, 15,600 bu; corn, \$6,000 bu; oats, 55.600 bu.

Coffee Markets.

NEW YORK Feb. 2.—COFFEE—Options opened basely steady and unchanged to 5 points lower, following easier European news and furopean selling. Local commission houses bought. A further decline of 5 points followed later on disappointing Havre cables. Closed quiet at from 5 to 19 points net decline; sales, 17.560 bass, including February. 28.15. Shot coffee, Rio, dult. No. 7, invoice, 28.75; No. 7, jobbing, 210.25. Mild, quiet; Cordova, 15.50410.75; sales, 1.590 baga Maracatbo, 26 bass Central American. Total warehouse deliveries from the United States, 24.500 bags, including 22.501 bags from New York; New York stock today, 29.478 bags United States, 442.222 bags; alloat for the United States, 25.400 bags; total visible for the United States, 25.400 bags; total visible for the United States, 25.400 bags; and 1.200 reis; receipts, 10.600 bags; stock, 48.500 bags.

HAMRURG Feb. 9.—COFFEE—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 10.000 reis; exchange, 32.13-221; receipts, two days, 9,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 11.600 bags; cleared for the United States, 14.625f net decline; sales, 2000 bags. Coffee Markets.

London Colonial Wool Sales.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—At the wool auction sales today 10.07 bales were offered, of which Lioubales were withdrawn. The relection was fail and American buyers were active bidders for specialties. Fleece washed, Cape of Good Hone and Natal were redected, while lambs rilled firm. Good New Zoaland crossbred, greasy and superior merinos were actively hid for. To attendance was large. The series will close tomorrow. Following are the sales in detail. New South Wales. 2 222 bales; greasy 43.4 Queensland, 3.27 bales; cour d. 1 51s 21; ps sy 649d. South Australia, 447 bales; recoved is 146 is 4d; greasy, 45474d. New Zealand, 2.80 bales; scoured, 65481dd, greasy, 6548104d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 529 bales; scoured, 654681s 2d; greasy, 3574d. London Colonial Wool Sales.

PEORIA, Feb. 9.-CORN-Steady; new No.

19%c.
OATS-Irregular; No. 2 white, 18@19%c.
RYE-Duil; nominal.
WHISKY-Market steady; finished goods on
the basis of \$1.17 for bigh wines.
RECEIPTS-Corn. 99.159 bu.; oats. 50.869 bu.;
rye. 1.798 bu.; whicky, none; wheat, 1.898.
SHIP-MENTS-Corn. 39.309 bu.; oats. 23.450 bu;
rye, none; whisky, 80 bbls.; wheat, 1.250 bu. Fall River Print Cloths Market.

Toledo Markets.

Snear Markets. Sugar Markets.

LONDON Feb. 3.—SUGAR—Cane, steady, with only slight offerings; rent. ffogal Java. Hs; Muscovado, fair refining, 9-35. Boot, firm; February, 9s; March, Se Mc.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—SUGAR—Raw, quiet; sales, late yesterday, 1.26; hage; San Domingo, centrifugal 56 test, at 13 5-19c. Refined, dull; crushed, 4%c; powdered, 4%c; granulated, 4%c.

Oll Markets. OIL CITY, Pa. Peb. 9.—Credit balances, 90c certificates, no bids; shipments, 37,612 bbbs.; runo 100,022 bbls.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Linseed oil, 15s 4%d. Minneapolis Wheat Quotations.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 8.—WHEAT—Closed: February, 784c; May, 74%c; July, 73%c. On rack! No. 1 hard, 76%c; No. 1 northern, 73%c; receipts, 149 cars. San Francisco Wheat Quotations, SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.-WIEAT-Dull; Mny, \$1.374.

Manchester Textile Trade. MANCHESTER, Feb. 6.—The cloths and yarns market quiet and easy.

Financial Notes. HOSTON, Feb. 9.—Clearings, \$19,829,428; but-

NEW YORK, Peb. 9.—Clearings, \$192,474,970; mlances, \$6,116,425. 099; balances, \$1,388,412.

ST. LOUIS. Feb. 9.—Clearings, \$4,102,589; balances, \$972,280. Money, 5 per cent. New York exchange, 25c discount bid; \$1 asked.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Clearings, \$1,817,437, Money, unchanged. New York exchange, 20c discount. Foreign exchange, steady; posted rates, \$4,861,247,484.

Foreign Financial. BERLIN, Feb. 9.—Exchange on London, eight lays' sight, 29 marks 29% pfg.
LONDON, Feb. 3.—Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres today at 208.00; Liebion, 40%; Rome. PARIS, Feb. 8.—Three per cent rentes, 1927 50 for the account. Exchange on London, 254

SLIGHTLY IMPROVED AS STOVER. Removal of the Pith from the Cornstalk and Its Effect.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 .- In a bulletin rom the Agricultural department "A New Jorn Product" is discussed as follows: This material is a by-product obtained i various ways, as in the manufacture of linoleum among other things. The refuse after the pith has been sepa-

rated from corn stalks is ground fine and is suggested for feeding animals. It is evilently dried at some stage of the process, as samples analyzed contain only from 9 to 10 per cent of water, whereas field-cured corn stover contains something over 40 per cent. In composition the dry matter con-tains about 0.6 per cent more protein than the average for corn stover and about 1.1 per cent more than the average for corn stalks without leaves or husks.

The only feeding trials thus far reported with the new by-product were made at the Maryland Experiment station (Bulletin No. 43). A number of digestion experiments were made with steers, comparing the digestibility of the "new corn product" with a material purporting to be corn stover ground to a similar mechanical condition, and with shredded cornfodder. Both of the latter materials were somewhat below the ground to a similar mechanical condition, and with shredded cornfedder. Both of the latter materials were somewhat below the average composition. It appears from the results that the lamily was of a susplcious character and were convinced that they were therefore he is allowed to remain at his average composition. It appears from the residence. A couple of officers are on guard results that the lamily was of a susplcious character and were convinced that they were results that the "new corn product" is di-gested to a larger extent than the "ground stover" or shredded corn fodder, either when these were fed dry, moistened with water or steamed. The difference in this respect was quite marked. This naturally increases the feeding value of the material, glving a larger proportion of digestible nutrients per

LOCATING STOLEN PROPERTY

Accumulations from Numerous Burglaries Committed in the City and Vicinity.

D.SCOVERIES MADE AT THE DAVIS PLANT Indications that Members of the Gang Now Under Arrest Have Piled Their

Trade for Months Without

Police Interference.

As additional articles recovered from the Davis house on West Jackson street are being identified as stolen property, it becomes more and more evident that the gang under arrest at the present time operated in this city and vicinity for months past without arousing in the minds of the police the least suspicion, and the authorities were absolutely at a loss to whom to assign the

burglaries that were being committed. It is becoming also more and more apparent that it was luck instead of detective astuteness that led to the discovery of the gang and the den. No effort whatever was made by Chief of Detectives Cox and his band of sleuths to locate any of the stolen property until driven by the expose of The Bee to make some display of activity. Then search warrants were issued for half a dozen places in the city limits that have been known for months to bear questionable BALTIMORIS, Feb. 5.—Clearings, \$2.614,776; balland suspicious records. After several of incres, \$184,018. these warrants had been served, the Davis homestead was visited, and then the discovery was made. Accident figured largely in bringing about the final result.

Another step in the case was taken Mon-

day, and the result bears out the heretofore mentioned impression. A warrant was issued for the premises of the family of Ed Johnson, one of the priseners under arrest, who has also given the names of Ed Miller and Ed Willis. These premises are located near Twenty-ninth and Charles streets. In a barn there was found a quantity of prop-erty that had been stolen a long time ago. One of the articles was a valuable saddle. This was identified yesterday at the police station by R. D. Bassett of 1513 South Twenty-sixth street. The loss of this piece of properly was reported to the police on Sep-tember 5, last year. The robbery itself oc-curred a day or two before that. At the same time some robes were taken. These were also recovered. The booty in another old robbery was also found in the barn. It This material is a by-product obtained in consisted of a couple of horse blankets and the separation of the pith from corn stalks. a harness. These were the results of two It is understood that the corn stover is raids upon the barn of O. G. Doane at 316 stripped of its leaves and husks and then North Forty-first street. The first was reput through a mill, by which, with the aid ported on December 17, the other on January put through a mill, by which, with the aid of winnowing the tight pith is separated. About one prund of pith is said to be obtained from fourteen or fifteen pounds of corn stover. This pith, it is asserted, can be saddle that was found in the barn was yes. and Charles Davis for this larceny. Another saddle that was found in the barn was yesterday identified by David Reed, who lives used for various purposes in the arts on account of its great absorptive power for on the Dodge street road, West Omaha prewater. It has been suggested for use in cinct. He stated that it was stolen from building arrived vessels, in cofferdams and him about four weeks ago. The saddle is ferts, and for taking the place of cork in claimed by Johnson's father. In the field was also discovered a harness which Pete O'Rourke, who lives west of Forest Lawn cometery, has identified as belonging to him. He says that it was stolen from his barn something over a week ago. In the property that was found in the Davis house was some that had been stolen in the city over a month ago. Some portions which had been stolen in the cenarry precincts were reported to the local department even earlier than that. From this it is judged that the gang has been operating in this vicinity at least two

months, if not longer. It was entirely pos-sible for the members to have disposed of some of their spoils.

Davis has lived on Jackson street for about four months, going there shortly after he was released from the penitentiary. The residents in the neighborhood considered that the family was of a suspicious charhis escape. As soon as he recovers suffi-ciently he will be removed to the police station. It is thought that this can be done by Friday afternoon, as the cases that have been filed against him are set for trial on that day.

Four cases have so far been started. In ton. A statement of the amount of digestible nutrients in 100 pounds as compared with some other folders is given here:

Pour cases have so the foldered as one of the defendants. The other members of the gang are defendants in some two or three of them.

				Carbo- hydrates. Pounds.	
product" (with 9.22	per cent of water)		3.8	49.5	2.4
twith 40.5 per cent of	water	****************	2.0	33.2	0.6
, field cured (with 42.2			2.5	33.4	1.1
mixed grasses (with 12.)	a per cert of water		4.2	43.3	1.0

Hay from Eliminating the difference in water con ent, there remains a difference of only abou 0.8 pounds of digestible protein between the new product and corn stover, in favor of the former. The material is considerably lower in digestible protein than most kinds of hay (except timothy) and does not begin to compare with hay containing some clover. As the author of the Maryland Station Bulletin says, the "new corn product" is essentially a carbonaceous feeding stuff, as distin-guished from nitrogenous, and cannot be used as a substitute for such materials as

Farmers buy the nitrogenous feeds, as wheat bran, gluten feeds, cottonseed meal, etc., but do not as a rule buy the carbon-accous foods, which they produce in sufficient quantity on the farm. "Coarse fodder" or "roughage," to which class the "new corn product" belongs, is too bulky and must sell for too low a price to admit of shipping any considerable distance. Other waste products of the nitrogenous class contain all the way of the nitrogenous class contain all the way from 10 to 30 or 40 per cent of protein, most of them between 12 and 20 per cent. Hence this "new corn product" should not be confused with the numerous by-products rich in nitrogenous materials (protein) which are on the market. It is understood that none of the material is yet on the market and that the factories are not yet ready for making it. It remains to be seen whether the ing it. It remains to be seen whether the product ultimately put on the market on a large scale will have the composition and feeding value which were found for the car-load studied. The matter is to be regarded as in an experimental stage. Steers fed upon it with the addition of grain made somewhat larger gains than when fed on shredded corn fodder, but it has not been tested with cowe or horses. It is in more convenient form for feeding and is fed with less waste than earn fodder. The proposition has been made to mix other by-products with it and put it on the market as a balanced ration. At present it may be said that it is a dry. coarse folder, probably somewhat more val-uable for feeding than corn fodder or corn

wheat bran

stover. HAD SUPPOSED SMITH A QUAKER.

Surprised at the General's Burial by the Catholics.. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 9.—The Republic says this

morning that the use of the Catholic ritual last week at the funeral of the late general A. J. Smith was a surprise to his friends and fellow soldiers who had known him through life as a Protestant. His family was of the old stock of Pennsylvania Quakers and General Smith was understood to be at least a nominal member of that denomination. Upon investigation, it was learned by the Republic that the baptism of the Roman church had been administered to the general during his liness by Father Gerhard D. Power of the Church of the Im-maculate Conception, who also officiated at the obsequies. It was also asserted at the obsequies. It was also asserted that General Emith was unconscious at the time of the administration of the sacrament and that the ceremony had been performed at the request of Mrs. Smith, who is a member of Father Powers' church.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, Feb. 2.—WHEAT—Market somewhat higher; No. 2 hard, 76c; No. 3 hard, 72c; No. 4 hard, 76c; No. 2 red, nominally, 1949 56c; No. 3 red, nominally, 194856; No. 4 nomi-nally, 70g79c; No. 2 spring, 78c; No. 2 spring, nally, Togrise; No. I spring,
Tharife;
CORN-Market fairly steady; No. 2 mixed,
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POWDER FIRMS GET TOGETHER. End of a Fight Which Has Been Going

on for Five Years. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb., 9.—The powder war which has been waged on this coast for nearly five years is over. During that time the contending companies, it is estimated, have let between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000 in profits slip from them and the holders of stocks have gone without dividends. For several months, however, negotiations looking for peace have been in progress. They resulted yesterday in the adjustment of all difficulties and the attorneys for three companies interested were instructed to draw up the final papers for signature. Upon the general proposition of an agreement as to the prices of dynamite, the Judson, Califor-nia and Giant companies have been in accord. They manufacture over 15,000,000 pounds of high explosives annually. An advance on this product of 2 cents a pound is anticipated. This, it is judged, will not be sufficient to invite outside competition and it will enable the manufacturers to divide between them \$300,000 or \$320,000 yearly. The difficulty was to harmonize on black powder, of which there were two producers. The arrangement had is that the California company shall pay the Giant an annual sub-sidy of \$10,000 to close its black powder works and shall fill 50 per cent of the Giant's black powder contracts at the low figures at which they were made, ranging from \$1 to \$1.30 a keg. The yearly output is about \$5,000 kegs and the advance in price is expected to be from 25 to 40 cents a keg. Schedules for both dynamite and black powder will be figured out and submitted to the

three companies for their approval at the same time the details of the combine, pre-pared by the attorneys of the contracting parties are placed before the boards of direc-tors for final action. Business Troubles of a Day. ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 9 .- The State Savings bank of this city failed today. Its capital is \$100,600 and the deposits amount to \$75,-

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 9.-Notice was filed in the Third district court that ap-plication will be made on Thursday for the appointment of a receiver for the Penn-sylvania Smelting company. The application will be made by Dickson Ellis, Ellis is atwill be made by Dickson Ellis. Ellis is attorney for George S. Griscom and H. E. Anderson, assignees of the Pennsylvania Lead company of Pittsburg, who are suing the local company for \$159.872. The notice of the application sets cut that the Pennsylvania Smelting company property is worth \$320.000, and that the aggregate amount of the indebtedness exceeds \$270,000.

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JAMES E. BOYD & CO FALL, HIVER, Mass. Feb. 2.—Print clotus, spot extrate, firm at 2.9-Re, with some inquiry for future deliveries at 2%c. Orders on a slightly better basis.

New York Bry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—There were a very large number of new buyers present, and their shopping was attended by many personal selections.

CORN.—Market fairly steady; No. 2 mixed, nominally, 17c; No. 2 white, 176:20c.

RYE.—Market fairly steady; No. 2 mixed.

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