## GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Wheat Shows Slight Decline on Report frem Argentine Fields.

PRICE OF CORN IS ABOUT UNCHANGED

Onts Shared General Duliness, with Prices Somewhat Easter, with Provisions Also Weak on Selling.

CHICAGO, Ill.. Dec. IL.-Large primary receipts and tavorable harvesting weather in Argentine were bear factors in wheat today. Covering by shorts, however, held prices almost steady, hay closing by lower. May corn was unemanged and onts were of a fraction. Provisions were weak, the May products closing so to high lower. Interest flagged in the wheat pit and trading assumed a holiday outliness. The news of the day was bearsh. Receipts in the southwest were much larger, weather in Argentine was better and harvesting is progressing favorably, while English markets were lower. Moreipts in the horthwest were also large, being about 100 cars more than a year ago. With all these factors to depress it the market, however, held up remarkably well and prices showed only small. recessions. The opening was steady with May unchanged to by figher, at 55% to 83c. Shorts were still somewhat concerned in regard to the situation in the far east and bought quite freely at the start. Offerings were rather Hmilted and during the first hour May ranged within by the tinders later in the season and the market became easier, May going down to 82%c. Active dovoring by shorts, however, checked the decline and caused a slight raily. A steady tone prevailed at the close and finally figures on May were at 8%c, a loss of %c for the day. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to \$1,800 bushes, against 56,600 bushes, against 56,600 bushes as year ago. Braying on small declines by a prominent commission house was the only important feature in trading in corn. Local traders were buillshand offerings from this source were exceedingly light. The country movement continued light in spile of fine weather, there being no offerings from anywhere except Illinois, and they were today only small changes. The close was steady with May unchanged at 5%c, after opening unchanged to 5% lower, at 45%c to 6%c, and selling between \$1%c and \$5%c. Local receipts were 5% cars, said \$1 of contract grade.

Oats shared in the principal long inchanged in 5% houses re

ligher, at 27937%c to 27%c. Local receipts were 277 oars.

Belling of provisions by brokers for Engsh houses resulted in a weak market, with pork showing the greatest loss. The arly market was firm in appropriate with alight advance in prices at the yards. fay pork closed 15617%c lower, at 212.05. day lard was 7%c lower, at 25.57%, and ribs were off 5671%c, at 5.57%, and p. 6.57%, are also care, at 5.57%, and p. 6.57%, are also care, at 5.57%, and p. 6.57%, and p. 6.57%, are also care, at 5.57%, and p. 6.57%, and p. 6. Satimated receipts for timorrow: Wheat, cars; sorn, 180 cars; oats, 140 cars; hogs,

rticles, Open. | High; Low. | Close. Yes y.

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PLOUR—Dull, prioss easy; winter patnts, 4,0024.50; winter straights, 55.7894.10;
oring patents, 44.0024.20; spring straights,
1,5022.75; bakers, 42.5642.20;
WHEAT—No. 1 spring Tagesc; No. 3
pring Suc; No. 2 red, 534-6750.
CORN—No. 2, 4550; No. 2 yellow, 434c,
OATS—No. 2, 370; No. 2 white, 544-6574c.
RYE—No. 2, 526-624.6;
BARLEY—Good feeding, 35-634-6; fair to
holes mailting, 456-626. BARLEY—Good feeding, 250304c; fair to choice malting, 35050c.

REED—No. 1 flax, 85c; No. 1 northwestern, El: prime timothy, 32.9c; clover, contract grade, 511.75.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., 311.75 gsi.57b, Lard, per 100 lbs., 34.463.50. Short clear sides (locae), 35.26.37b. Short clear sides (boxed), 35.26.37b.

Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:

Receipts, Shipments.

NEW YORK, Dec. II.—FLOUR—Receipts, 1.257 bbla; exports, 5.26 bbls; market institute, but sustained at old prices; winter atents, \$6.0004.25; winter straights, \$6.000 bb; minimatents, \$6.0004.25; winter straights, \$6.000 bb; Minnesota bakara, \$2.000 sc; winter low grades, \$2.0004.20, \$7.000 sc; winter low grades, \$2.0004.20, \$1.000 bb; winter low grades, \$2.0004.20, \$1.000 bb; \$1.000

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HAY—Steady: shipping, 600756; good to holice, 1858-56.

-OPS—Firs: state, common to choice, 35 crop, McSte; 1825 crop, 196264; olds, 765 cr. Pacific woast, 1826 crop, 196264; olds, 765 cr. Pacific woast, 1826 crop, 196364; 1951 rep, 196364; olds, 1951c.

HIDSH—Firm: Galveston, 26 to 25 lbs., 180; Osliforia, 21 to 25 lbs., 180; Texas dry, to 25 lbs., 189; Texas dry, to 25 lbs., 189;
LCATHER—Firm: acid, 18655c.

PROVIBIONS—Beef, steady; family, \$13.00 gill ol; meast scroping; plckled belies, E. 1866.

Lit meats, irregular; plckled belies, E. 1866.

Lit, pickled—shoulders, \$15.0031; collicit came, \$10.0031075. Lard, steady; western steamed. [1.60]; resined, quiet; combinent, \$1.00; South America, W. 50; compound, \$1.250; L50. Pork, steady; family, \$15.1 gill 50; short close, \$13.00416.50; mess, 21.7 5041.50; hort close, \$13.00416.50; mess, 21.7 5041.50; family, \$15.1 gill 50; family \$15.1 gil

BUTTER-Receipts, All phys.; steady; camery Mone; state dairy, 14220c. CHEFFE Receipts, 2.757 phys.; quiet; tate full cream, fancy, large and small obored and white, September, Dc; late nn. mense.
POULTRY—Alive, firm; western chickens, odinisc; fowls, 115c; turkeys, 14915c.
Pressed, ensy; western chickens, 115615c;
owls, 115615c; turkeys, 16615c.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET,

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Pancy Produce. EGGS-Receipts more liberal; fresh stock

LIVE POULTRY Hens, 1950; spring chickens, to; receivers according to age, (600; turkeys, 199180; ducks, 5000; geens, DHESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 15616c; old toms, 14c; ducks, 10611c; gesse, Bulle; chickens, 8430c.
BUTTER—Packing stock, 124613c; choice to fancy dairy, in tubs, 14616c; separator,

to fancy dairy, in tubs, lapike; separator, No.

FRESH FISH—Trout, 10c; pickerel, 6c; pize, 2c; perch, 7c; bluefish, the; whitefish, 5c; salmon, lic; haddock, 10c; codfish, 12c; redsnapper, lic; loisters, boiled, per 10., 30c; lobsters, green, per 15., 35c; buriheads, 10c; caffsh, let; black bass, 10c; per 10., 30c; losters, green, per 15., 35c; buriheads, 10c; loisters, green, per 15., 35c; buriheads, 10c; losters, 12c; herring, 5c; white bass, 13c; chuchns, 8c

OTSTRINS—New York counts, per can, 45c; per gal., \$1.75; standard, per can, 37c; per gal., \$1.75; standard, per can, 37c; per gal., \$1.75; tandard, per can, 37c; per gal., \$1.75; tandard, per can, 37c; per gal., \$1.75; tandard, per can, 37c; per gal., \$1.75; no. \$1.75;

OATS-570.

RYE-NO. 2 50c.

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EVERGREEN WREATHING-m coils of twenty yards, per coil, \$1.00.

WREATHS-Magnolis and galax wreaths, per dozen, \$1.50; evergreen wreaths, per dozen, \$1.50; holly wreaths, per dozen, \$1.50.

These dosigns are twelve inches in diameter HOLLY BRANCHES-Per case of 222M4 feet, about fifty pounds, \$4.50; per bbl., \$1.50.

LONG NEEDLE PINES-Per dozen, \$2.00 \$5.50.

MISTLETOE-Branches, per 5-1b. box, \$1.25; per lb. 30c. Mistletoe orders will be filled about December 20 and snipped by express only.

POTATORS Colorado, Se; Dakota, per bu., 70575c; native, 65075c.
SWEET POTATORS - Illinois, per bbl., NAVI BEANS—Per bu., \$2.35.

CELERY—Small, per dos., 25605c; large California, 40575c.
ONIGNS—New home grown, dry. per lb., \$4c; Spanish, per crate, \$1.50; Celorado yellow and red, 14c.
CABBAGE—Wisconsin Holland, 24c.
TURNIPS—Canada rutabagas, per lb., 14c; white, per bu., 50c.
CARROTS—Per bu., 50c.
PARSNIPS—Per bu., 50c.
BESTS—Per bu., 50c.
CAULIFLOWER—California, per crate, \$2.75.

52.75.
TOMATOES - California, ber 4-basket crate, \$2.75.
CUCUMBERS-Per dos., \$1.

FRUITS.

APPLES-California Bellflowers, per box, 1.00; New York Greenings, Baldwins and other varieties, 20.25

GRAPES-Pony Catawbas, 20c; Imported Maiagas, per keg. 15.0026.00.

CRANBERRIES-Jersey, per bbl., 27.50; per box, 27.75; Wisconsin Bell and Bugie, 33; Bell and Cherry, 28.

QUINCES-California, per box, 21.25.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES-Fiorida Brights and Russets.

QUINCES—California, per box, \$1.25.

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ORANGES—Florida Brights and Russets, all sizes, \$2.50; navets, large size, \$3.0062.50.

LEM NS—California Inney, 320 to 300 sizes, \$41; choics, 260 to 270 sizes, \$3.50; insured Smyrna, 3-crown, 14c; 5-crown, 15c; imported Smyrna, 3-crown, 14c; 5-crown, 15c.

COCOANUTS—Per sack, \$4; per dox, 60c.
DATES—Persian, per box of 30 pkgs., \$2.1 per 15., in 60-15, boxos, 5%; Oriental stuffed dates, per box, \$2.60.
BANANAS—Per medium-sized bunch, \$2.00 \$2.50; Jumbo, \$2.75(2.25.

CHEESE—Wisconsin Toung Americas, 124c; block Swiss, 15c; Wisconsin brick, 124c; wisconsin Imberger, 13c.

HONEY—Nebraska, per 24 frames, \$2.5; Utah and Colorado, per M frames, \$2.5; Utah and C DATES-Persian, per box of 59 pkgs. 31
per 1b., in 60-lb boxos, 5%c; Oriental stuffed
datas, per box, 32.60
BANANAS-Per madium-sized bunch, \$2.00
62.60; Jumbo, \$2.7863.25.

MISCELLANEOUS.
CHEEBE-Wisconsist twins, full cream, 12%c; Wisconsist Toung Americas, 12%c; Wisconsist Imberger, 12%.
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MAPLE SUGAR-Ohio, per 18, 10%.
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POPCORN-Per bb., 15.75; per 14-bbi., 18.35.
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POPCORN-Per bb., 18.6; ahelled, 893%c.
HORSE RADISH-Per case of 2 dos.
packed, 80%.
NUTS-Wainuts, No. 1 soft shell, per lb.
lise; hard shell, per lb., 14c; No. 2, soft shell, per lb., 15c; No. 2, hard shell, per lb., 12%c
almonds, soft shell, per lb., 12%c; small, per lb., 100; peanuts, per bb., 12%c; shell barks, 1

Minneapolis Wheat, Flour and Bran, Minneapolis Wheat, Flour and Bran.
MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 22—WHEAT-December. 75%c; May, 81%c; July, file. On
track: No. 1 hard, 85%c; No. 1 northern,
181%c: No. 2 porthern, 784c; No. 3 northern,
78754c.
FLOUR-First patents, \$4.084.55; second
patents, \$4.084.65; first clears, \$2.583.60;
second clears, \$1.5082.65
ERAN-In bulk, \$12.75814.00.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Dec. 21. — WHEAT — Steady; No. 1 northern. Misse: No. 2 north-ern. Southers, May Edge. RYE—Steady; No. 1, 57c. BARLEY—Steady; No. 2, 40c; sample, 35 CORN-Steady; No. 2, 10g tic; May, 45%c.

DULUTH, Dec. M.—WHEAT—On track: No. I aerthern, 10%c; No. I northern, 17%c; No. I apring, 17%c; December, 75%c; May, 17%c. OATS—On track and to arrive: 26c. Peoria Grain Market.
PEORIA, Dec. II - CORN-Lower; No &

Market Very Quiet in Anticipat'on of Holiday Vacation with Brokers Leaving.

SOME SPECULATION IN UTILITY STOCKS Advancing Price in Some Stocks Re

certly Dormant Fails to Bring Offers and Higher Level is Expected.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Today's stock market was only nominal and the greater part of the day was spent in complete idieness by the brokers. Many members lost hope of any business and betook themselves to out-of-town points in anticipation of holiday enjoyments. The most vigorous efforts which the handful of floor traders could muster had no success in diffing prices and there was no urgent pressure to sell, with the consequence that prices were linert. A few stocks moved sufficiently to be distinguished from the general level of semistagnation, but even in them the movements were of no consequence. A desultory speculation was kept up in the stocks of New York public utilities, but their advances were feely held. Operations in these stocks have been pretty constant ever since the November election. Talk of large earnings accompanied the dealings and in the case of Consolidated Gas there are suggestions of a satisfactory adjustment of claims against the city for gas. There was some pressure against Rock island and affiliated securities of a kind which developed last week, when rumors found acceptance of a pending bond issue. On the other hand, some of the industrials are inclined to harden on the assumption that, money will be available after New Year's to the rafficades to make their equipment purchases. The heaviness of the London raw copper market may have caused the slight decline in Amaigamated Copper after an early advance in that stock. United States Bisel preferred was the subjection of the customary surmises as to dividend possibilities, but fell into profound neglect with the rest of the market. Lackawanna reacted from its recent wide advance, which was due to talk of a distribution of surplus. The coalers generally were firm on the contemplation of results of a year of unexampled prosperity as a whole, rather than on the immediate out look, which is somewhat clouded. The uncertainties of the far eastern war outlook are a repressive influence on all the world's markets, but local sentiments within the past

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Amn Linseed Oil.

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Amn Locomotive. 6,385 184 18

do pfd. 419 78% 784

Amn Buelt & Refin 959 485 48

do pfd. 180 855 82%

Amn Sugar Refining 1,100 125% 122

Amnonda Min Co.

Brook Rapid Transitz 850 51% 50%

Colo. Fuel & Iron. 120 23% 26%

Colom & Hock Coal. 710 15 14%

Consolidated Gas. 1820 1972 11

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Inter Paper 210 11 105%

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NEW YORK. Dec. 21.—The following are the closing quotations on mining stocks:

LONDON. Dec. II—MONEY—There was an increased demand for money in the market today, owing to the holiday requirements, the payment of \$1.50,000 of call leans and the outflow of cash to the provinces. Discounts fluctuated. Business on the stock exchange was depressed and there was no prospect of any real improvement for the present. The tension caused by the far eastern outlook abated a little through the latest news being regarded compared to the opening the error practically neglected, and closed were practically neglected, and closed were practically sunsitive but closed with a slightly better tone.

FARIS, Dec. II—Trading on the bourse today opened healtating on the contradiction.

strengthened on the news of the negotia-tions continuing, and they closed firm. Rio Tintos galned six points. The private rate of discount was I is is per cent. Three per cant remass 77 574c for the accounts. Exchange on London of 184c for checks. BERLIN, Dec. 2.—Prices on the bourse today were firm and trading was quiet. Exchange on London, to marks timpings for checks.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—MONEY—On call, easy, 304 per cent, closing at 3% per cent, offered at 4 per cent. Time loans, casy; 60 days, 5 per cent; 30 days, 505% per cent; six months, 525% per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 546% per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Weak, with actual business in bankers bills at \$8.850% taste of the commercial bills, 14.80% per cent.

SILVER—Bar, 55%; Mexican dollars, 100 per cent.

BOSTON, Dec. 22.—Call loans, 5466 pent; time loans, 5664 per cent. Officioning prices on stocks and bonds:

LONDON, Dec. 22.-Closing:

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Louis & Nash 1805 do pid

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SILVER-Bar, firm, 25 11-16d per our
MONEY-3469 per cent; the rate of count in the open market for short bi
34.63% per cent; for three months'
34.63 13-16 per cent. Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, Dec. 22.—Bank clearings for to-day were \$1,175.862.56, an increase of \$3,-062.02 over the corresponding day last year.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23, COTTON Opened firm, 3@10 points higher, following cables that were better than due, but with receipts heavy and the weather fine, soon saged back to withino 1203 points of yesterday's finals, under continued liquidation.

At the decline, hewever, feading bull interests came to the support of the market and during the balance of the forenoon prices ruled steady to firm, though the trading was not particularly active. Bhortly lerests came to the support of the market and during the balance of the forencon prices ruled steady to firm, though the trading was not particularly active. Shortly after midday the market showed a net advance of 19920 points and trading was of 19920 points and trading was quiet. Then suddenly the list was thrown into wild excitement by heavy buying orders from New Orleans and a sharp jump in the market, while the local buil leader also began supporting the market aggressively. The advance was accompated by rumors of a leak in the census buseau resport, which is expected around the first of the year and is expected to be first of the year and is expected to December 14. According to rumors current on the floor this report would show that some 2,000,000 bales of cotton have been ginned to December 14 and point to a crep of 9,500,000 bales. The rumor was that the amount of cotton remaining to be ginned would approximate 7 per cent. In this connection a letter has been received by a local house from the director of the census stating that no estimate would be made of cotton remaining to be ginned. The alleged leak was backed up by very agreesive tactics on the part of the buil operators, however, and prices were rapidly advanced, as they were also in New Orleans. The market here closed within a point or two of the top and steady at a net advance of 15955 points, these prices being new high records for the season. Sales were estimated at 1,200 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 22.—COTTON—Firm and 18ch; March, 18ch; March, 18ch; July, 18.50213.31c; Pebruary, 1941, 18ch; July, 18.50213.31c; Pebruary, 18ch; March, 18ch; March, 18ch; March, 18ch; July, 18.50213.31c; Pebruary, 18ch; March, 18ch;

Wool Market,

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—WOOL—Firm; domestic ficece, 2632c.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22—WOOL—Nominal; medium grades combing and clothing 179 He; light fine, lbg174c; heavy fine, 129144c; tub washed, 2071c.

BOSTON, Dec. 22—WOOL—Buyers have taken over large orders of wool in the market during the past week at firm prices. No speculative demand has been noticeable, although conditions favor higher values in the near future. In the market for territory wools the tone is firm, with a good demand in progress. The tendency is in hold for better prices. The demand for pulled wools continues steady and values hold firm. Foreign wools are quiet. Among the current quotations are the following: Territory, Idaho, line, 144617c; fine medium, 18617c; medium, 18627c; the medium, 18627c; fine medium, 18627c; medium, 18627c; fine medium, 18627c; medium, 18627c; medium, 18627c; medium fine choice, 19620c; fine medium choice, 19620c; fine medium choice, 19620c; fine medium choice, 19620c; fine medium choice, 19620c. Wool Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. B.—COFFEE—Spot Rio, firm; mild, firm. The market for futures opened steady at a decider of 10420 points in sympathy with lower European cables, which in connection with rather heavier primary receipts attracted considerable liquidation and selling by European interests. On the opening decline, however, leading built interests came to the support of the market and during the entire session was a fair demand from scattering sources, so that in the absence of aggressive bear operations the market ruled generally steady to firm, recovering its etril loss and closing at unchanged prices to an advance of I points. Sales were 180,000 lags, including January at 6506.56c; Feb uary, 6.75c; March. 6.75g.8.6c; Essy. 75561.55c; July, I.ESF Mec. August, 755c; September, I.ESF Lee; October, I.ESF September, I.ESF Lee; October, I.ESF September, I.ESF

Oattle Receipts Very Light and Prices

Ruled a Little Strongen

HOGS SOLD ABOUT FIVE CENTS HIGHER Grades of Sheep and Lambs Sold Freely at Steady Prices, While the Commoner Kinds Were Dull the Same as Unual.

SOUTH OMAHA, Dec. 21. Cattle, Hogs, Sheep. 2,871 5,133 4,653 ..... 1,965 7,624 5,500 [ 1903, [1902,[1901,[1900,[1880,[1893,[1897]

\*Indicates Sunday.

The official number of cars of stock brought in by each road was:

Cattle, Hogs. Sheep.H'r's.

Total receipts..... 78 115 El

The disposition of the day's receipts way
as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

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than they have been on some days of late.
Buils were also a little stronger, with veal calves selling in the same notches they have been for some time past.
The supply of stockers and feeders was very limited, so that in spite of the fact that there will be no market on Friday speculators took hold freely and everything was soon disposed of at prices ranging a little stronger than were paid yesterday. Representative sales:

BREF STREES,
No. Av. Fr.

No.
102 western cull ewes
444 Wyoming grass ewes
123 western ewes
3 western ewes
100 Wyoming

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Light Receipts of Cattle, With Fair of

CHICAGO, Dec. 72.—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000 head. The market was steady; good to prime steers, 34.0056,75; poor to medium, 53.2504.80; stockers and feeders, \$1.7504.00; cows, \$1.5093.90; helfers, \$2.0094.75; canners, \$1.5092.40; bulls, \$2.0004.00; caives, \$2.0066.90.

HOGS—Receipts, 25.000 head; estimated tomorrow, 35.000. The market for light was slow; for others, 5000c higher; mixed and butchers, \$4.4094.65; good to choice heavy, \$4.0094.574; rough heavy, \$4.0094.50; light, \$4.15694.60; bulk of sales, \$4.5594.80; BHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, \$4.000. BHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, \$4.000. head. The market for sheep was steady to strong; for jambs, steady; good to choice wethers, \$3.5094.90; fair to choice mixed, \$1.7593.50; western sheep, \$2.2593.75; native lambs, \$4.0065.70; western lambs, \$3.7506.50. Hogs and Sheep.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—BEEVES—Receipts, 217 head, mainly consigned direct; no sales reported. Dressed beef steady; the city dressed native sides exclusive of extra and Christmas beef 6c to 8%c per pound. Cables quoted American atcers at 15012%c dressed weight; refrigerator beef, top price, 10c per pound.

CALVES—Receipts, 315 head. The market rated slow, about steady all around. Veals sold at \$4.0008.75 per 109 lbs.; barnyard calves at \$2.5002.00; western calves at \$3.00. City dressed veals, general sales, 7%4312%c per pound.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,031 head. The market was about steady. State hogs sold at \$4.55 ct. 200 per 100 lbs.

BHEEF AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,226 head. The market for sheep was very dull and weak; for lambs, slow and lower. Sheep sold at \$3.2665.75 per 100 lbs; cuils at \$2.00; lambs at \$2.00\$, 30, one deck at \$3.55. Dressed mutton general sales, 5%407c ber 10; dressed lambs general sales, 5%407c

Kannas City Live Stock Market. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts. 5,000 head, including 700 head of southerns. The market was 10c. higher; saport and dressed beef steers. \$4.0094.90; fair to good. \$3.5093.95; western fed steers. \$2.5094.00; stockers and feeders. \$2.5094.00; southern steers. \$2.5093.40; southern cows. \$1.5092.66; native cows. \$1.5092.66; native heifers. \$2.5094.00; bulls. \$3.0093.40; calves. \$2.5095.75.

HOGS—Receipts. 5,000 head. The market was 56100 higher; top, \$4.55; bulk of sales. \$4.5594.40; pigs and light. \$4.2094.65; ackers. \$4.3594.40; pigs and light. \$4.2094.65; head. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts. 2500 head. The market was strong; native lambs. \$4.5095.00; sockers and feeders. \$2.0093.00.

\$1.5004.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.0093.50.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22—CATTLE—Receipts, 3.598 head, including 1.400 Texans; market steady; native shipping and export steers, 44.5596.55; dressed beef and butcher steers, 34.0095.55; steers under 1.000 lbs., \$1.4594.99; stockers and feeders, \$2.0093.50; cows and helfern, \$2.2503.55; carners, \$1.7592.16; bulls, \$1.5592.66; calves, \$3.0096.00; Texas and Indien steers, \$2.0094.10; cows and helfern, \$2.0093.70.

HOGS—Receipts, 4.500 head; market firm and 56910c higher; pigs and lights, \$4.5594.40; packers, \$4.3094.45; butchers and best heavy, \$4.3094.65; butchers and best heavy, \$4.3094.65; butchers and best heavy, \$4.3094.65; and \$1.5094.65; culls and bucks, \$3.0096.00; stockers, \$4.3065.50; culls and bucks, \$3.0096.00; stockers, \$4.0095.00.

\$1. Joseph Live Stock Market.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. IOSEPH Mo., Deg. 22.—CATTLE—

Remight. 1,518 head. The market was steady to 10c higher; natives, \$2.2564.85; own and heters. \$1.2564.00; stockers and feeders. \$2.5068.85;

HOGS—Reccipts. 3,716 head. The market was steady to strong; light. \$4.004.85; medium and heavy, \$4.3064.60; bulk. \$4.834.00

4.85.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Reccipts. 2,804 head. The market was steady; lambs, \$6.50; wethers. \$4.00. Stoux City Live Stock Market.

BIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 1.000; steady; beeves, \$2.7565.00; cows, bulls and mixed. \$1.5664.20; stockers and feeders, \$2.56625.50; calves and yearlings, \$2.2569.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 5.500; market 5c bigher, selling at \$4.75694.65; bulk, \$4.30694.86.

Stock in Sight, Metal Market.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 - METALS—Tin was about its lower in London with spot closing at £150 and futures at £150, while in New York the metal was 15 points higher on the average, with spot quoted at £35.50. Copper gained 2s 6d in London to £55 like for spot and £56 is 6d for futures. Locally copper was dull and unchanged Lake is quoted at £12.54,601.25% lectrolytic at £12.54,612.50; casting at £12.134,611.27% Lead/was also lower in London, declining 2s 5d to £11 is 8d but was steady here at £4.37%. Speiter was unchanged at £11 7s 6d in London and at £50 in He local market. Iron closed at #8s in Glasgow and at £18 log in Middlesboro. Locally from was unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at £15.00016.00; No. 2 foundry northern and No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern soft at £12.500 lide.

ST. LOUIS. Dec. 22—METALS—Lead firm, £17%. Speiter, quiet, £1.76.

011 and Bostu. NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—OILS—Cottonseed firm; prime orade-nominal; prime yellow, No. Petroleam, Srin; refined New York, 19:50; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 19:40; prime in bulk, 19:55.

ROSIN—Steady; strained common to good, 19:56.

TURPENTINE—Quiet at 594,600c.
SAVANNAH, Dec. 22.—TURPENTINE—Pirm at 19:6.

ROSIN—Firm 1, quoted: 'A. B. C. D. E. P. 19:55; G. 12:55; M. 19:55; I. 19:56; K. 19:55; M. 19:56; W. W., 21:56.

OIL CITY, Dec. 22.—DIJS—Credit balances, 11:50; certificates, no bid; shipments,

77,005, average, 20,631; runs, 30,634, average, 68,906; shipments, Lima, 65,766, average, 68,-236 bbls; runs, Lima, 13,501 bbls; sverage, 54,750 bbls.

NEW YORK, Dec. B.—SUGAR—Raw, quist; fair refining, \$11-16074\( \) c; centrifugal, \$0 tout, \$15-160; melasnas sugar, \$16-160; melasnas sugar, \$16-1 Sugar and Molasses.

Dry Roods, Market. NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—DRT GOODS—The market does not respend as-rapidly as it did when on a lower basts to the radical changes of the raw cotton market, yet the advances registered give added strength to sellers position and make them more independent regarding any attempts to secure concessions. The market is not active and is not expected to be until after the holidays. Jobbers are doing an indifferent business, except in local demand for holiday goods.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits NEW YORK, Dec. 21—EVAPORATED APPLES—The market is firm with demand good; common are quoted at 465c; prime at \$450c; prime at \$ are firm with quotations ranging 5% according to grade. Apricots are quoted at 94694c; extra c at 946904c; fancy at 1195c. Peaches steady with choice quoted at 74675c; choice at 756854c; fancy at 946764c.

PEORIA, Dec. 22.—WHISKY—Steady on basis of \$1.27 for distillers' finished goods. CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—WHISKY—Steady on basis of high wines. 31.318.
CINCINNATI, Dec. 22.—WHISKY—Distillers' finished good quiet on basis of \$1.27. Toledo Seed Market.

TOLEDO, Dec. 22.—SEEDS—Clover, cash, December and January, \$7.62; February, \$7.65; March, \$7.10. Timothy, prime, \$1.40, Alsike, prime, \$6.65. RAILHOAD HOLIDAY RATES

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District Court Brevities.

Ella Monroe, colored, in the district court plended guilty to, the charge of assault with intent to wound Hannah McCoy, colored, and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

A large number of prisoner are now in confinement in the county jatt who have been convicted of variouse crimes during the present term of court. These will be up for sentence Wednesday morning before Judge Estelle.

During the morning Judge Estelle pro-During the morning Judge Estelle pro-nounced sentence upon John Wyman, who was charged with incorrigibility. An ef-fort had been made to have Wyman sent to work on a farm. It was afterward deemed inadvisable to thus dispose of his case, and he was sent to the reform school.

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