GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Wheat Market Goes Above Monday and Then Eases Down.

SNOW MAKES SOME BULLISH FIGURES

Corn Increase is Heavy, but Valentine is Said to Be Buying—Great Increase in Visible Oat Supply.

OMAHA, Jan. 10, 1905.

Wheat was not quite so strong as Monday and some of the talent looked for a sharp break. Valentine was reported selling the May. The market opened at $1.17, ⅛c under Monday's close, and early in the session advanced to $1.18⅛, but this was not held long and the market slackened off to $1.17 by noon. The July advanced in sympathy, opening at 99½c, and advancing several times to the dollar mark.

Snow has been furnishing some bullish wheat figures. He estimates the amount of wheat in the farmers' hands at 136,000,000 bushels, against 228,000,000 bushels for last year, 273,000,000 bushels for 1903 and 244,000,000 bushels for 1902. He finds 25 per cent of the 1904 crop to be still in first hands. Of the winter wheat condition he says it began the winter with the low average of 83 per cent. There has been drouth conditions ever since the time of seeding, so the severe weather finds a small plant without vigor, not in condition to meet unfavorable conditions. The snow has been light and the severe weather has found bare fields nearly everywhere, a condition distinctly unfavorable to a weak plant. This condition is reported to exist now everywhere, but in the Ohio valley, where there is a fair covering of snow.

Bradstreet's shows the great decrease of 6,395,000 bushels. Last year the increase was 1,280,000 bushels. The total visible is given an increase of 87,000 bushels, the total being 40,266,000 bushels. The Minneapolis stocks have decreased 350,000 bushels for the half week. The Minneapolis receipts were 156,000 bushels and the shipments were 88,000 bushels. Flour shipments were 40,000 barrels. The northwestern market has received so far 532,000 bushels of Canadian wheat, seventy-five cars of this coming Monday. This wheat does not accumulate, but is ground and exported under bond. St. Louis at one time this morning reported the May at $1.20¼. The Kansas City market refused to follow Chicago. Minneapolis reported the cash market a little duller.

Corn seems to be a little more favorably considered today. Valentine was reported buying the May. Bradstreet's, however, showed an increase of 1,333,000 and the total visible supply is given at 10,919,000 bushels, an increase of 4,211,000. Iowa is said to have already shipped out 100,000,000 of its 326,000,000 crop. The shipments this week are said to be four times those of last week. Most of the Iowa corn is going east.

The total visible supply of oats is 21,202,000, an increase of 12,502,000, or over half. Bradstreet's gives a decrease of 2,035,000. The market is still flat and does not look profitable to the trade.

Omaha Cash Sales.

WHEAT—No. 3 hard, 1 car, 56 lbs., $1.05; 2 cars, 55 lbs., $1.03½.

OATS—1 car standard, 32½c.

Omaha Cash Market.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.06@1.08; No. 3 hard, 98c@1.04; No. 4 hard, 90@98c; No. 3 spring, $1.07.

CORN—No. 2, 38¾c; No. 3, 38⅝c; No. 4, 37⅝c; no grade, 33@36c; No. 2 yellow, 38⅝c; No. 3 yellow, 38⅜c; No. 2 white, 38⅝c; No. 3 white, 38⅜c.

OATS—No. 2 mixed, 28c; No. 3 mixed, 27½c; No. 4 mixed, 26½c; No. 2 white, 29c; No. 3 white, 28⅝c; No. 4 white, 27½@28c; standard, 28⅝c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	27	594	144
Kansas City	167	108	14
Minneapolis	177	...	...
Duluth	68	...	...
St. Louis	71	31	39
Omaha	11	199	17

Grain Markets Elsewhere.

Closing prices of grain today and Monday at the markets named were as follows:

CHICAGO.

	Today.	Monday.
Wheat—		
May	1.16⅞A	1.17¼A
July	99½A	99½
Corn—		
May	44⅝B	44½
July	45⅛B	45⅛B

KANSAS CITY.

Wheat—		
May	1.06½	1.07⅛
July	90½	91⅛
Corn—		
May	42¼	41⅞B
July	42¼	42

ST. LOUIS.

Wheat—		
May	1.19 B	1.19⅝
July	96⅜	96⅝
Corn—		
May	42⅞	42⅞
July	43¼	43¼

MINNEAPOLIS.

Wheat—		
May	1.17⅝B	1.18¼
July	1.15⅛	1.15⅛

DULUTH.

Wheat—		
May	1.17⅛	1.17⅝
July	1.15⅛	....

NEW YORK.

Wheat—		
May	1.16½	1.17⅛
July	1.03⅝	1.03⅝

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—FLOUR—Receipts, 28,165 bbls.; exports, 1,875 bbls.; market was firm with fair demand; winter patents, $5.50@5.85; winter straights, $5.30@5.45; Minnesota patents, $5.85@6.35; winter extras, $3.65@4.30; Minnesota bakers', $4.30@4.65; winter low grades, $3.45@4.10. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, $4.40@4.70; choice to fancy, $4.75@5.00. Buckwheat flour, quiet, $2.50 per 100 lbs.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.30; coarse, new, $1.13@1.14; kiln dried, $2.90@3.10.

RYE—Nominal; No. 2 western, 75c asked.

BARLEY—Quiet; feeding, 44c, c. i. f. New York; malting, 45@52c, c. i. f. Buffalo.

WHEAT—Receipts, 10,725 bu.; exports, 39,959 bu.; spot market irregular; No. 2 red, $1.22⅝, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.24, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.27½, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, $1.11½, f. o. b. afloat. Options opened off a little under easy Liverpool cables and foreign selling, but had a strong advance later on Wall street buying. A big decrease in world's stock for the week and room covering. Eventually the market broke under elevator selling west and closed ⅛c to 1c net lower; May, $1.16½@1.18; closed, $1.16½; July closed at $1.03⅝.

CORN—Receipts, 146,200 bu.; exports, 77,504 bu.; spot market, steady; No. 2, 53¼c, nominal elevator, and 51⅜c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 52c; No. 2 white, 51¾c. Option market was generally steady all day with the west closing unchanged. May closed, 50⅜c.

OATS—Receipts, 33,000 bu.; spot market, steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 36½@37½c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs., 37½@38½c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 39@41c.

HAY—Firm; shipping, 60@65c; good to choice, 80@85c.

HOPS—Firm; state, common to choice, 1904, 29@37c; 1903, 30@33c; olds, 14c. Pacific coast, 1904, 29@36c; 1903, 30@33c; olds, 14@17c.

HIDES—Firm; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 18c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 19c; Texas, dry, 24 to 30 lbs., 14½c.

LEATHER—Firm; acid, 24@26c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $11.00@12.00; mess, $9.00@9.50; beef hams, $22.00@23.50; packet, $15.50@15.60; city extra India mess, $14.50@16.50. Cut meats, quiet; pickled bellies, $6.75@7.00; pickled shoulders, $6.12½; pickled hams, $8.75@9.00. Lard, firm; western steamed, $7.10; refined, steady; continent, $7.10; South American, $7.75; compound, $4.87½@5.25. Pork, quiet; family, $14.00@14.50; short clear, $13.50@16.00; mess, $12.75@13.25.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 4⅝c; country, 4⅝@4⅞c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 2¾@5⅛c; Japan, nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; street price, extra creamery, 19@29½c. Official prices, creamery, common to extra, 19@29c; creamery, held, common to extra, 21@27c; state dairy, common to extra, 15@22c; western factory, common to choice, 14@18c; western imitation creamery, common to choice, 17@23c.

CHEESE—Strong; state, full cream, small, colored and white, fancy, 12¼c; fine, 11⅝c; late made, colored and white, poor to choice, 8¾@11¼c; large, colored and white, fancy, 12c; fine, 11¼@11½c; late made, colored and white, poor to choice, 8¾@11c.

EGGS—Strong; western fancy selected, 31c; western average best, 30c.

POULTRY—Alive, steady; western chickens, 11½c; fowls, 13½c; turkeys, 13@14c. Dressed, firm; western chickens, 11½@15c; fowls, 11@12c; turkeys, 15@19c.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red, cash, $1.19; track, $1.19; May, $1.19, bid; July, 96⅜c; No. 2 hard, $1.14@1.15.

CORN—Firm; No. 2 cash, 43c; track, 44@44½c; May, 42⅞c; July, 43¼c.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 cash, 30½c; track, 32c; May, 31⅝c; No. 2 white, 32¾c.

SEED—Timothy, nominal at $2.00@2.40.

FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $5.40@5.50; special brands, $5.60@5.75; extra fancy, $5.00@5.15; clear, $4.35@4.70.

CORNMEAL—Steady at $2.40.

BRAN—Steady; sacked, east track, 88@87c.

HAY—Lower; timothy, $8.00@13.00; prairie, $8.00@9.50.

IRON COTTON TIES—93c.

BAGGING—7½c.

HEMP TWINE—7½c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, easier; jobbing, $11.25, old; new, $12.50. Lard, unchanged; prime steam, $6.35. Dry salt meats (boxed), steady; extra shorts, $6.62½; clear ribs, $6.87½; short clears, $7. Bacon (boxed), steady; extra shorts, $7.50; clear ribs, $7.62½; short clear, $7.87½.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 10½c; springs, 10½c; turkeys, 13c; ducks, 11c; geese, 8c.

BUTTER—Higher; creamery, 22@30½c; dairy, 15@28c.

EGGS—Steady, 23c, case count.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	8,000	19,000
Wheat, bu	71,000	56,000
Corn, bu	39,000	38,000
Oats, bu	39,000	44,000

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Heavy profit-taking today caused a weak finish in the wheat market. The May delivery after almost equalling last September's high figures, closed at a loss of ⅜c as compared with yesterday. Corn is up a shade. Oats show a gain of ⅜c. Provisions are down 2½@5c.

The wheat market at the opening gave indications of some willingness to sell below the figures current at the end of the previous day's session. Initial quotations on May were unchanged to ⅛c lower, at $1.17 to $1.17⅛. The factor that inspired the early selling was a decline in prices at Liverpool. Aside from the weakness of foreign grain markets, however, the tenor of general news was bullish. Northwestern receipts were small and the extreme cold weather in the northwest promised a continuance of light movement from the farms. The visible supply statistics showed a decrease of 353,000 bushels. As a result, bearish sentiment in the pit soon gave way and the market became remarkably strong. Shorts were anxious buyers and quickly bid up the price of May to $1.18⅛, a price only a trifle below the high point touched during the speculative furore due to the northwestern crop calamity. Later in the day all advance was lost and prices dropped to a point considerably below yesterday's closing quotations, May selling off to $1.16½. The break was due largely to heavy realizing sales by a leader of the bull clique. There was also moderate selling resulting from a partial let up in demand for cash wheat at Minneapolis. The market closed rather weak with May at $1.16⅞. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 56,000 bushels. The world's visible supply as shown by Bradstreets, decreased 6,395,000 bushels. Primary were 470,000 compared with 780,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 272 cars, against 781 cars last week and 468 cars a year ago.

Covering by local shorts and a fair demand from commission houses held the corn market comparatively firm in spite of lower prices at Liverpool. The bulge in wheat also had considerable influence. May opened a shade to ⅛c lower, at 44⅜@44½c to 44½, sold between 44⅜@44½c and 44⅝@44¾c and closed at 44⅝c. Local receipts were 594 cars with five of contract grade.

The oats market was dull with trading mostly of a scalping character. A large decrease in the visible supply had a tendency to strengthen prices. An improved cash demand was an additional bullish factor. May opened unchanged at 30⅞c, sold up to 31¼c, and closed at the highest point. Local receipts were 144 cars.

Provisions held fairly steady in the face of heavy offerings. Higher cables and moderate receipts of hogs had a tendency to revive bullish sentiment. No special demand, however, was in evidence. Prices at the close showed slight losses, May pork being off 5c, at $12.57½. Lard down 2½@5c, at $6.85@6.87½. Ribs were 2½c lower, at $6.62½.

Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 16 cars; corn, 143 cars; oats, 76 cars; hogs, 39,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat					
May	1 17@⅛	1 18⅛	1 16½	1 16⅞	1 17¼
July	99½@⅝	1 00	99¼	99½	99½@⅝
*Corn—					
Jan.	41¼	41⅜	41¼	41⅜	41⅜
May	44⅜@½	44⅝@¾	44⅜@½	44⅝	44½@⅝
July	45	45¼@⅜	45	45¼@⅜	45⅛
*Oats—					
Jan.	29⅞	30	29⅞	30	29⅞
May	30⅞	31¼	30⅞	31¼	30⅞
July	30⅞	31⅛	30⅞	31⅛	30⅞
Pork—					
Jan.	12 30	12 30	12 25	12 25	12 27½
May	12 65	12 67½	12 57½	12 57½	12 62½
Lard—					
Jan.	6 70	6 70	6 62½	6 62½	6 67½
May	6 92½	6 92½	6 85	6 85	6 90
July	7 02½	7 02½	6 95	6 95	7 00
Ribs—					
Jan.				6 35	6 35
May	6 67½	6 67½	6 60	6 62½	6 65
July				6 77½	6 77½

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $5.10@5.20; straights, $4.80@5.00; spring patents, $5.00@5.50; straights, $4.50@4.90; bakers, $2.70@3.90.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, $1.16@1.17; No. 3, $1.02@1.15; No. 2 red, $1.18½@1.21.

CORN—No. 2, 43c; No. 2 yellow, 43c.

OATS—No. 2, 30c; No. 2 white, 32c; No. 3 white, 30@31½c.

RYE—No. 2, 75c.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 36@37c; fair to choice malting, 41@47c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flax, $1.16; No. 1 northwestern, $1.23. Prime timothy, $2.77½. Clover, contract grade, $12.75.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $12.25@12.35. Lard, per 100 lbs., $6.62½. Short ribs sides (loose), $6.12½@6.25. Short clear sides (boxed), $6.50@6.62½.

Receipts and shipments for the day were as follows:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	18,800	21,900
Wheat, bu	103,000	71,100
Corn, bu	665,800	400,100
Oats, bu	197,200	307,500
Rye, bu	7,000	8,500
Barley, bu	105,400	50,100

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 19@29c; dairies, 18@24c. Eggs, firm; at mark, cases included, 21@26c; firsts, 25c; prime firsts, 27c; extras, 29c. Cheese, firm, 11@12c.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 10.—WHEAT—Steady; May, $1.06½; July, 90½@90⅝c. Cash: No. 2 hard, $1.09@1.10; No. 3, $1.06½@1.08½; No. 4, 98c@$1.06; No. 2 red, $1.11@1.12; No. 3, $1.07@1.11; No. 4, $1.03@1.07.

CORN—Firm; May, 42⅛c; July, 42¼c. Cash: No. 2 mixed, 41⅜c; No. 3, 41½c; No. 2 white, 42c; No. 3, 42c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 32c; No. 2 mixed, 31c.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $9.00@9.50; choice prairie, $7.50.

RYE—Steady, 75c.

EGGS—Steady; Missouri and Kansas new No. 2, whitewood cases included, 25c; case count, 24c; cases returned, ½c less.

BUTTER—Creamery, 25@27c; dairy, 19c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu	30,400	41,600
Corn, bu	24,000	56,000
Oats, bu	13,600	11,000

Changes in Available Supply.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies, as compared with previous account:

Wheat—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 1,095,000 bu.; afloat for and in Europe, decrease, 5,300,000 bu.; total supply, decrease, 6,395,000 bu.

Corn—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase, 1,333,000 bu.

Oats—United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 2,035,000 bu.

The leading decreases reported this week include an estimate of 300,000 bu. at the northwestern interior elevators, 186,000 bu. in Manitoba, 65,000 bu. at Rochester, 53,000 bu. at Coteau and 50,000 bu. at Port Huron. Stocks held in the Chicago private elevators increased 51,000 bu.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The visible supply of grain Saturday January 7, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as follows:

Wheat, 40,206,000 bu.; decrease, 353,000 bu.
Corn, 10,919,000 bu.; increase, 1,342,000 bu.
Oats, 21,202,000 bu.; decrease, 1,690,000 bu.
Rye, 2,038,000 bu.; increase, 55,000 bu.
Barley, 6,574,000 bu.; decrease, 154,000 bu.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 10.—WHEAT—May, $1.17⅝; July, $1.15⅛; September, 93⅝c; No. 1 hard, $1.18⅝; No. 1 northern, $1.16⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.13½c.

FLOUR—Higher; first patents, $6.50@6.60; second, $6.30@6.40; first clears, $4.15@4.25; second, $2.60@2.70.

BRAN—In bulk, $14.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, Jan. 10.—WHEAT—To arrive, No. 1 northern, $1.15½; No. 2, $1.08⅝; on track, No. 1 northern, $1.15½; No. 2 northern, $1.08⅝; May, $1.17⅛; July, $1.15⅛; September, 95⅛c.

OATS—To arrive and on track, 29¼c.

Bank Clearings.

Tuesday's bank clearings were $1,572,370.99. For the same day last year they were $1,194,005.70, an increase of $378,365.70.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Market is Generally Dull, an Early Rise Being Followed by Slight Reaction.

TRADING IS OF PROFESSIONAL CHARACTER

Reduction of German Bank Rate of Discount Marks Cessation of Flow of Gold to that Center.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Today's unimportant stock market was very similar to that of yesterday, except that today the neglect was even more pronounced; the early rise less vigorous and the following reaction not so sharp. As a trial of speculative sentiment on the part of professional element it followed yesterday's lines almost exactly and demonstrated quite clearly that a momentary advance in prices has no power yet to attract public attention. There was some apprehension that the advance in prices was made to afford a basis for selling on the part of speculative holders, but the character of the market did not offer much intrinsic probability for this view. Dealings were much larger on the advance than on the decline. That is to say, in the phrase of the board room, the market bulled hard, but there was no notable pressure to sell, and such as there was was not pushed at the lower level of prices. Such a condition serves to dissuade the bears from making short sales in the market. The trading is so narrow and of so highly professional a character as to lend itself to description only in technical terms. The appearance of a published interview by an active speculative leader professing extremely hopeful views of higher prices roused but tepid interest on account of some of the market precedents as to former responses to similar outgivings.

Attention was given to the active discussion in the political world of the prospects for tariff revision and the probable period for the undertaking, and the activity of this discussion modified to some extent the feeling caused by yesterday's conviction that no action would be taken at the present session of congress. A reduction in the German bank discount rate, while it marked the cessation of the drawing of gold to the center, was obviously designed to prepare the money market for the placing of the Russian loan and the reports received later in the day of the prospective success of that loan relieved some apprehension of a shock to the financial world, due to earlier reports that the issue would prove unsuccessful. Meantime a strong attraction for gold at Paris continued, as did the preparations for further large shipments from New York. The official statement of the production of gold at the Rand for December, giving the output as 362,264 ounces, attracted attention on account of the uninterrupted expansion shown in the monthly rate of output from that center. The maximum monthly production of gold in the Transvaal was 459,709 ounces, which was in August, 1899. The present rate of increase, which has gone on steadily since the resumption after the Boer war, thus promises to bring the supply from that field up to the maximum within the next year. The importance of this large source of replenishment for the world's stock of gold must be taken account of in the consideration of money and financial prospects.

Of special movements in today's market that in Louisville & Nashville was plainly due to the increase in the dividend of its subsidiary stock, Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis. Professional attention centered in the Pacifics. The restoration of the full preferred dividend rate by United States Cast Iron Pipe was the ground for the activity with profit taking in that stock and probably influenced some of the trading in other industrial specialties. The Chicago Union Traction stocks reflected the financial adjustment of the street railroad companies. Not much of the early advance was left at the closing, which was heavy.

There was variety in the bond market, but the prices moved irregularly. Total sales, par value, $3,735,000. United States bonds were unchanged on the last call.

Quotations on the New York Stock exchange ranged as follows:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison	2,700	87⅝	87¼	87¼
do pfd	900	101	100⅝	100¾
Atlantic Coast Line	.....	..	..	123
B. & O.	6,800	105	104½	104½
do pfd	300	96¼	96	96
Can. Pacific	1,000	132⅞	132⅝	132⅝
Central of N. J.	.....	..	..	192
Ches. & Ohio	1,000	48⅛	48	47⅞
Chicago & A.	800	42⅝	42	42¼
do pfd	.....	..	..	80
Chicago Gt. Western	5,700	22⅞	22¼	22¼
C. & N. W.	.....	..	..	205
C., M. & St. P.	1,600	173	172¼	172½
Chicago T. & T.	1,700	10⅝	9¾	10⅝
do pfd	600	20	19½	19½
C., C., C. & St. L.	.....	..	..	88
Colo. & Southern	.....	..	..	22¾
do 1st pfd	100	61	61	60½
do 2d pfd	.....	..	..	35½
Del. & Hudson	.....	..	..	184
Del., L. & W.	.....	..	..	335
D. & R. G.	.....	..	..	31½
do pfd	200	85⅝	85⅝	85½
Erie	13,200	40⅛	39½	39½
do 1st pfd	4,500	78⅛	77⅞	77⅞
do 2d pfd	1,900	61⅝	61	60½
Hocking Valley	100	90½	90½	90½
do pfd	.....	..	..	93¾
Ill. Central	5,300	159	158¼	158¼
Iowa Central	.....	..	..	29
do pfd	100	56	56	55¾
K. C. Southern	.....	..	..	28¼
do pfd	1,900	53⅞	53¼	53½
L. & N.	5,100	141	139⅞	140¼
Manhattan L.	4,300	168½	167¼	167¾
Met. Securities	2,000	75¼	74	75
Met. St. Ry.	1,400	116	114½	115¾
Mexican Central	20,200	24½	23⅝	23½
Minn. & St. L.	.....	..	..	50
M., St. P. & S. Ste M.	.....	..	..	89½
do pfd	.....	..	..	146
Mo. Pacific	4,600	106⅞	106¼	106
M., K. & T.	1,500	32	31½	31⅝
do pfd	3,000	63⅛	62	62⅝
Nat'l R. R. of M. pfd	9,900	43½	42⅝	43⅛
N. Y. Central	1,200	144⅛	143½	143½
N. Y., Ont. & W.	400	41⅛	41	41
Norfolk & W.	1,300	79⅝	79¼	79¼
do pfd	.....	..	..	90
Pennsylvania	28,100	138⅛	137⅝	137¾
P., C., C. & St. L.	.....	..	..	76
Reading	26,200	82¼	81¼	81¼
do 1st pfd	.....	..	..	91⅞
do 2d pfd	.....	..	..	84
Rock Island Co.	11,000	36⅞	36¼	36¼
do pfd	.....	..	..	84
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	300	70½	70¼	70½
St. L. S. W.	200	25¼	25⅛	24½
do pfd	700	58⅝	58	58
So. Pacific	18,500	65½	64⅝	65¼
do pfd	1,900	116¼	116⅛	116¼
So. Railway	3,700	35⅝	35	35
do pfd	100	96⅝	96⅝	96¼
Texas & Pacific	1,400	35⅜	34½	34¾
Tol., St. L. & W.	100	36½	36½	36
do pfd	.....	..	..	51
Union Pacific	61,100	115⅛	114½	114⅝
do pfd	800	97⅛	97⅛	97
Wabash	400	21⅞	21½	21⅜
do pfd	600	42½	42⅛	42½
W. & Lake Erie	.....	..	..	18¾
Wis. Central	.....	..	..	21½
do pfd	100	45¼	45¼	45
Adams Ex	.....	..	..	236
American Ex	.....	..	..	212
U. S. Ex	.....	..	..	119
Wells-Fargo Ex	.....	..	..	233
Amal. Copper	13,100	74	73¼	73¼
Amer. Car & F.	1,300	34¼	33½	33⅝
do pfd., ex-div	200	93	93	92⅛
Amer. Cotton Oil	.....	..	..	35⅛
do pfd	.....	..	..	95
Amer. Ice	300	6⅝	6¼	6¼
do pfd	1,300	36½	35¼	36⅝
Amer. Linseed Oil	.....	..	..	15⅝
do pfd	.....	..	..	37
Amer. Locomotive	800	35½	35	34⅞
do pfd	300	104½	104½	104¼
Amer. Smelting & R.	5,000	81⅛	80⅝	81⅛
do pfd	600	112½	112½	112
Amer. Sugar Ref.	2,100	142	140⅝	141½
Amer. Tob. pfd certif	3,200	94⅛	93¼	94
Anaconda M. Co.	100	107½	107½	107½
Brooklyn R. T.	3,000	69⅛	68⅛	69⅛
Colo. Fuel & I.	900	46⅝	45⅞	45⅞
Con. Gas	700	196	195¼	195⅝
Corn Products	4,000	21⅛	20⅛	20⅞
do pfd	1,800	79	77¾	78⅛
Distillers' Securities	300	37⅞	37⅝	37¾
Gen. Electric	.....	..	..	186¼
Inter. Paper	600	22	22	22
do pfd	500	77½	77½	76¾
Inter. Pump	400	37¼	37	36½
do pfd	.....	..	..	86
Nat'l Lead	3,400	25½	24⅞	25
No. American	100	100½	100½	100¼
Pacific Mail	100	45½	45½	44½
People's Gas	2,200	106⅝	106	106⅝
Pressed Steel Car	.....	..	..	37½
do pfd	200	90½	90	89⅝
Pullman P. Car	100	238	238	238
Republic Steel	300	16½	16¼	16¼
do pfd	.....	..	..	68
Rubber Goods	400	28¼	27	26⅞
do pfd	200	85	85	84½
Tenn. Coal & I.	100	71	71	70⅝
U. S. Leather	4,100	13⅛	12⅛	13
do pfd	1,900	101⅛	100⅝	100⅝
U. S. Realty	300	79⅝	79⅝	79¼
U. S. Rubber	7,200	34⅞	36½	35
do pfd	2,700	101	100	100⅝
U. S. Steel	24,200	29⅝	29⅛	29¼
do pfd	25,700	92⅝	92	92⅝
Va. Caro. Chemical	1,200	38½	37½	37½
do pfd	100	109	109	108⅞

Westingh. Electric	200	180	180	179
Western Union	.....	..	..	92½

Total sales for the day, 436,600 shares.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—MONEY—On call, steady at 2¼@2½ per cent; closing bid, 2¼ per cent; offered at 2½ per cent; time loans, very easy; sixty days, 2¾ per cent; ninety days, 3 per cent; six months, 3¼ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Strong and closed easier, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8750@4.8760 for demand and at $4.85@4.8505 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, $4.85½ and $4.88; commercial bills, $4.84⅝.

SILVER—Bar, 60⅝c; Mexican dollars, 47½c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, irregular.

The following are the quotations on stocks and bonds:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104¼	Japan 6s, ctfs.	99½
do coupon	104¼	L. & N. uni. 4s	102⅝
do 3s, reg.	103¾	**Man. c. g. 4s	105
do coupon	104¾	**Mex. Central 4s	74½
do new 4s, reg.	131	do 1st inc	22½
do coupon	131	**Minn. & St. L. 4s	96¾
do old 4s, reg.	105½	**M., K. & T. 4s	100½
do coupon	105½	do 2s	86½
Am. Tobacco 4s, ctfs.	72½	**N. R. of M. c. 4s	81
do 6s, ctfs.	111	**N. Y. C. g. 3½s	100
Atchison gen. 4s	103½	**N. J. C. g. 5s	134½
do adj. 4s	96⅝	No. Pacific 4s	106¾
Atlantic C. L. 4s	101¼	do 3s	77½
Bal. & Ohio 4s	104¼	N. & W. c. 4s	102
do 3½s	96	O. S. L. rfd. 4s	97½
Central of Ga. 5s	113½	Penn. conv. 3½s	103½
do 1st inc	91	Reading gen. 4s	101¾
do 2d inc	73	**S. L. & I. M. c 5s	116½
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	109	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	88½
*Chicago & A. 3½s	81	St. L. S. W. c. 4s	80½
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	99½	Seaboard A. L. 4s	86
C., R. I. & P. 4s	81¾	So. Pacific 4s	95½
do col. 5s	92½	So. Railway 5s	118
CCC & St. L. g. 4s	101¼	**Texas & P. 1s	120½
**Chicago Ter. 4s	87	T., St. L. & W. 4s	84¼
**Colo. & So. 4s	92	Union Pacific 4s	105¼
**Colo. Mid. 4s	74½	do conv. 4s	[illegible]
Cuba 5s, ctfs.	104¾	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	92¾
**D. & R. G. 4s	100	Wabash 1s	118½
Distillers' Sec. 5s	79	do deb. B.	67
Erie prior lien 4s	100⅝	Western Md. 4s	91¼
do gen. 4s	91¾	W. & L. E. 4s	94
**F. W. & D. C. 1s	108¾	Wis. Central 4s	91
Hocking Val. 4½s	109⅜		

*Offered. **Bid.

Boston Stock Market.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Call loans, 2½@3½ per cent; time loans, 3¾@4½ per cent. Official closing of stocks and bonds:

Atchison adj. 4s	94¾	Westing. common	92
do 4s	102½	Allouez	20¼
Mex. Central 4s	74½	Amalgamated	73¼
Atchison	87	American Zinc	12
do pfd	100¼	Atlantic	17½
Boston & Albany	256	Bingham	33
*Boston & Maine	175	Cal. & Hecla	660
Boston Elevated	156½	Centennial	25
*Fitchburg pfd	142	Copper Range	68¾
Mexican Central	23½	Daly West	14½
N. Y., N. H. & H.	202	Dominion Coal	60
*Pere Marquette	80½	Franklin	11½
Union Pacific	114⅝	Granby	5
Amer. Arge. Chem.	20	Isle Royale	25½
do pfd	85½	Mass. Mining	9½
Amer. Pneu. Tube	4½	Michigan	10
Amer. Sugar	141½	Mohawk	51½
do pfd	138	Mont. C. & C.	4½
Amer. T. & T.	146	Old Dominion	27½
Amer. Woolen	22¾	**Osceola	93
do pfd	93	Parrot	28½
Dominion I. & S.	18¾	Quincy	108
Euison Elec. Illu.	251	Shannon	8¾
General Electric	186	**Tamarack	120
Mass. Electric	17½	Trinity	9
do pfd	58½	U. S. Mining	25¾
Mass. Gas	38¾	U. S. Oil	10⅝
United Fruit	104¾	Utah	42
United Shoe Mach.	68	**Victoria	5
do pfd	32	Winona	11½
U. S. Steel	23¼	*Wolverine	105
do pfd	92		

*Bid. **Asked.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Closing quotations on stocks and bonds:

Consols, money	88 5-16	N. Y. Central	145
do account	88 7-16	Norfolk & W.	81½
Anaconda	5⅜	do pfd	95
Atchison	89⅝	Ontario & W.	42¾
do pfd	103½	Pennsylvania	70⅝
Bal. & Ohio	107⅞	Rand Mines	11½
Canadian Pacific	136⅝	Reading	42
Ches. & Ohio	49⅜	do 1st pfd	47
Chicago Gt. W.	23½	do 2d pfd	43
C., M. & St. P.	176½	Southern Railway	36⅝
DeBeers	18	do pfd	99
Denver & R. G.	31	Southern Pacific	66⅝
do pfd	78¾	Union Pacific	117½
Erie	41½	do pfd	99½
do 1st pfd	80	U. S. Steel	30¼
do 2d pfd	63¼	do pfd	94½
Illinois Central	163½	Wabash	22
Louis. & Nash	143½	do pfd	44
M., K. & T.	32¾	Spanish 4s	89½

SILVER—Bar, quiet, 27 13-16d per ounce.

MONEY—1⅜@2¼ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2⅝ per cent; for three months' bills, 2¾@2 11-16 per cent.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The following are the closing quotations on mining stocks:

Adams Con	20	Little Chief	5
Alice	50	Ontario	275
Breece	20	Ophir	525
Brunswick Con	5	Phoenix	9
Comstock Tunnel	5	Potosi	18
Con. Cal. & Va.	170	Savage	40
Horn Silver	134	Sierra Nevada	48
Iron Silver	220	Small Hopes	25
Leadville Con	2	Standard	160

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The rates for money hardened in the market today, owing to the deposits of tenders for Irish land loan stock and the call for $8,750,000 of the Mexican 4 per cent loan. Discounts were dearer, due partly to the continued demand for gold from France. On the Stock exchange a better undertone prevailed. The business was small at first, operators awaiting the result of the Irish loan tenders and the general carry-over tomorrow. Consols relaxed after opening with an advance, owing to the uncertainty of the money market. Americans started lower, but afterward generally were buoyant, especially Union Pacific, Denver & Rio Grande, United States Steel Corporation and Illinois Central. Realizations caused a few setbacks, but the market closed steady. Russians showed a further improvement owing to continued continental support. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 97⅝. Argentina rails were bought on heavy crop prospects.

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Prices at the opening of the bourse today were firm. The lowering of the German discount rate from 5 to 4 per cent produced a good impression. Toward the close prices became heavier. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 90.40 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 500.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—Trading on the bourse today was extremely quiet.

Bank of Germany Statement.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes: Cash in hand increased 41,240,000m, treasury notes increased 480,000m, other securities decreased 162,549,000m and notes in circulation decreased 155,080,000m.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $141,987,397. Gold, $71,835,858.

Wool Market.

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—WOOL—There is a strong market for wool, with trade quiet because of the small offerings. Large and small mills have been buying, but not in large lots. The most important movements have been in Delaine wools and the closing out of some Montanas. The trading in territory wool has been distributed with prices maintained. Pulled wools are steady. Foreign grades are firm. Territory and Idaho—Fine, 18½@19c; heavy fine, 16@17c; fine medium, 18½@19c; medium, 22@23c; low medium, 23@24c. Wyoming—Fine, 17½@18½c; heavy fine, 15@16c; fine medium, 17½@18½c; medium, 23@24c; low medium, 23@24c. Utah and Nevada—Fine, 17@18c; heavy fine, 15@16c; fine medium, 17½@18c; medium, 22@23c; low medium, 23@24c. Dakota—Fine, 18@19c; fine medium, 18@19c; medium, 23@24c; low medium, 23@24c. Montana—Fine choice, 21@22c; fine average, 19@20c; fine medium, choice, 21@22c; average, 19@20c; staple, 22@23c; medium choice, 23@25c; average, 21@22c.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10.—WOOL—Steady; medium grades combing and clothing, 23@28c; light fine 18@22½c; heavy fine, 14@18c; tub washed 27@41c.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market is moderately firm and active at full late prices. Common, 4@4½c; prime, 5c; choice, 5½@5½c; fancy, 6@7c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes show no fresh development, remaining firm on a fair jobbing demand. Quotations 2@5¾c, according to grade. Apricots are in sellers' favor with choice at 9¾@10c; extra choice, 10½@11c; fancy, 12@15c. Peaches rule firm on fair demand; choice, 9½c; extra choice, 10½@10¾c; fancy, 11½@12c.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—COFFEE—Futures opened steady at an advance of 5 points in response to higher European cables and rather bullish Brazilian cables estimating the amount of coffee. The close was steady, net unchanged to 5 points higher. Sales were reported of 24,250 bags including March at $7.90. May $8.15; July $8.30; September $8.30@8.55; December $8.75. Spot market steady; No. 7 Rio 8⅝c.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10.—BUTTER—Steady and good demand; nearby prints, 33c; extra western creamery, 30c.

EGGS—Steady and good demand; nearby fresh, 32c at mark; western fresh, 31c.

CHEESE—Firm but quiet; New York full creams, fancy, 12¼@12½c; New York full creams, choice, 11¾@12c; New York full creams, fair to good, 11@11½c.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Liberal Receipts of Cattle and Prices Ruled Steady to Ten Lower.

HOGS SOLD A TRIFLE BETTER

Demand for Fat Sheep and Lambs Fully Equal to the Supply and Trading Active, with Prices Strong to Ten Higher.

SOUTH OMAHA, Jan. 10, 1905.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	5,001	2,708	6,225
Official Tuesday	4,700	8,800	6,000
Two days this week	9,701	11,508	12,225
Same days last week	5,171	13,211	14,429
Same days week before	2,899	3,514	1,304
Same three weeks ago	7,185	13,997	13,941
Same four weeks ago	10,425	13,330	12,082
Same days last year	12,167	10,353	23,218

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE.

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date, with comparison with last year:

	1905.	1904.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	20,015	19,358	657	....
Hogs	47,933	54,064	....	6,131
Sheep	40,121	44,922	....	4,801

The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

Date.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.	1900.	1899.	1898.
Dec. 19	4 50½	4 30	6 01	6 12	4 77	3 92	3 38
Dec. 20	4 50¾	*	6 08	6 04	4 79	3 94	3 38
Dec. 21	4 44¾	4 34	*	6 06	4 81	4 01	3 32
Dec. 22	4 38½	4 39	6 16	*	4 80	4 02	3 34
Dec. 23	4 38¾	4 45	6 18	6 06	*	4 04	3 37
Dec. 24	4 41⅝	4 47	6 27	6 09	4 86	*	3 42
Dec. 25	**	**	**	**	**	**	*
Dec. 26	4 43¾	4 54	6 36	6 19	4 89	4 11	3 36
Dec. 27	4 51⅛	*	6 44	6 28	4 85	4 09	3 44
Dec. 29	4 55	4 61	*	6 26	4 77	4 14	3 48
Dec. 30	4 51⅝	4 52	6 35	6 35	*	4 14	3 45
Dec. 31	4 47	4 62	6 25	6 30	4 90	*	3 51
	1905.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.	1900.	1899.
Jan. 1	*	**	6 33	6 22	4 95	4 21	*
Jan. 2	4 39	4 61	6 37	6 27	4 96	4 33	3 57
Jan. 3	4 43¼	*	6 30	6 19	4 96	4 29	3 57
Jan. 4	4 44½	4 77	*	6 29	5 02	4 27	3 44
Jan. 5	4 46⅞	4 68	6 28	*	5 04	4 31	3 47
Jan. 6	4 45	4 58	6 34	6 21	*	4 35	3 48
Jan. 7	4 50	4 65	6 29	6 09	5 05	*	3 42
Jan. 8	*	4 60	6 49	6 09	5 06	4 34	*
Jan. 9	4 61	4 62	6 40	6 15	5 14	4 38	3 45
Jan. 10		*	6 40	6 14	5 25	4 35	3 50

* Indicates Sunday. ** Indicates holiday.

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

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sh'p.	H'ses.
C., M. & St. P. Ry.	16	6	3	..
Wabash	1	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific Ry.	10	4	6	..
Union Pacific system	16	29	6	1
C. & N. W. Ry.	9	6	..	..
F., E. & M. V. R. R.	43	1	..	..
C., St. P., M. & O. Ry.	47	11	2	..
B. & M. Ry.	63	21	6	..
C., B. & Q. Ry.	6	4	1	..
K. C. & St. J.	..	..	..	1
C., R. I. & P. Ry., east	3	8	..	..
C., R. I. & P. Ry., west	2	..	..	..
Illinois Central	7	1	..	..
Chicago Gt. Western	5	1	..	..
Total receipts	228	92	24	2

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

Buyers.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	578	1,283	119
Swift and Company	1,144	2,246	2,540
Cudahy Packing Co.	1,039	517	2,224
Armour & Co.	913	2,559	1,281
Vansant & Co.	227	....	....
Carey & Benton	15	....	....
Lobman & Co.	123	....	....
McCreary & Carey	32	....	....
Hill & Son	162	....	....
Huston & Co.	12	....	....
Hamilton & Rothschild	48	....	....
L. F. Husz	50	....	....
Wolf & Murnan	115	....	....
Mike Haggerty	65	....	....
Sol Degan	35	....	....
J. B. Root & Co.	236	....	....
Bulla & Kline	63	....	....
Other buyers	604	....	....
Totals	5,452	6,605	6,164

CATTLE—Receipts of cattle were quite liberal this morning and trains were very slow in arriving, which of course delayed the market to quite an extent. The quality of the offerings was inferior, which had a still further depressing effect. In most cases, however, the change in prices from yesterday was not at all radical and all things considered, a fairly good market was experienced.

Buyers took hold of the more desirable grades of beef steers as though they wanted them and the market on such kinds looked to be about steady with yesterday. When it came to the commoner kinds, though, the market was rather slow and sales were made weak to a dime lower. Owing to the fact that receipts were quite liberal and also to the slow arrival of trains, it was late before even the bulk of the cattle was disposed of.

The cow market suffered a little more than the trade on steers. The general market on cow stuff was right around a dime lower. There was considerable unevenness in the prices paid, though, so that while some sales were nearly a dime lower, others looked to be more than that. Trading was rather slow all the morning, as buyers did not seem to be as anxious for supplies as they have been of late, and the day was well advanced before the big end of the receipts was out of first hands.

Bulls were, if anything, a trifle lower and veal calves were slow and weak.

There were not many stockers and feeders in the yards and as a result the market held just about steady on anything at all desirable. Common kinds were slow and hard to sell at steady prices owing to the limited demand for that class of offerings. Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1330	3 00	5	1082	4 00
1	1160	3 00	48	1257	4 05
1	1320	3 00	3	1280	4 15
1	1230	3 00	3	1166	4 25
1	1220	3 00	13	1088	4 30
1	1270	3 00	20	1192	4 35
1	1000	3 00	18	1121	4 35
3	1126	3 00	20	1303	4 50
1	1170	3 00	13	1199	4 50
1	1130	3 50	58	1333	4 60
7	1048	3 75	19	1260	4 70
2	915	3 80	18	1353	4 90
3	973	3 90	34	1325	4 90
1	1070	4 00			

STEERS AND COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
21	853	3 50	29	1288	4 40

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	660	1 50	2	1040	2 75
1	1100	1 75	5	1008	2 75
2	925	2 00	5	1077	2 75
1	920	2 00	5	1068	2 80
11	877	2 00	12	1033	2 85
1	990	2 10	20	1040	2 85
23	913	2 10	19	1008	2 85
7	987	2 10	6	1153	2 90
1	900	2 10	16	1086	2 90
1	1060	2 20	1	1280	2 90
1	899	2 25	21	1102	3 00
7	1017	2 30	15	931	3 00
11	904	2 35	6	1088	3 00
14	907	2 50	5	1026	3 00
10	981	2 50	21	1028	3 05
1	1320	2 50	11	985	3 10
1	1043	2 50	17	1045	3 15
8	946	2 50	12	1090	3 15
26	891	2 50	7	1058	3 25
6	1118	2 65	1	985	3 30
22	810	2 65	4	1170	3 35
12	1092	2 65	16	877	3 40
8	852	2 65	16	1175	3 50

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	660	2 00	8	761	2 60
1	835	2 10	10	1053	2 65
2	725	2 25	11	841	2 90
1	560	2 75	6	756	3 00
10	701	2 75	11	805	3 10
6	520	2 35	13	980	3 55
15	648	2 40	24	969	3 55
1	780	2 40	2	1090	3 65
4	880	2 50			

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1250	2 00	1	880	2 50
1	1390	2 00	1	1270	2 60
1	1040	2 00	1	880	2 65
1	1410	2 40	1	1110	2 70
1	1070	2 50	1	1330	2 85

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	270	3 00	3	146	5 50
2	225	4 00	1	130	5 50
1	180	4 00	1	140	5 50
1	140	5 00			

STOCK CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
14	280	2 25	6	426	3 50
3	382	2 50	4	375	3 50

STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	330	2 25	1	750	2 30
1	540	2 50	3	583	2 60

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	600	2 50	16	672	3 45
3	578	2 75	5	844	3 45
1	650	2 75	9	591	3 45
1	620	2 75	21	665	3 45
1	560	2 75	13	610	3 45
1	470	3 00	20	717	3 50
1	1010	3 00	5	858	3 50
2	890	3 00	10	706	3 50
2	540	3 00	7	1085	3 50
2	750	3 25	2	854	3 55
1	750	3 25	51	798	3 55
1	770	3 25	8	970	3 60
1	850	3 25	36	800	3 60
8	538	3 25	20	889	3 60
12	975	3 30	7	897	3 60
22	785	3 35	10	934	3 65
12	684	3 35	24	881	3 65
2	875	3 40	19	907	3 70
11	876	3 40	128	1041	3 70
24	910	3 40			

WYOMING.

29 cows 770 2 00

HOGS—Receipts of hogs were more liberal this morning at all points, but the demand seemed to be about equal to the occasion, and a fairly good market was experienced. At this point the market opened steady to strong, or generally a shade higher. Trading was not very active, however, as packers were slow to pay the advance and salesmen were not willing to cut loose unless they could get a little more money than they did yesterday. The bulk of the early sales went from $4.60 to $4.65 and the choicer loads sold largely at $4.67½. Trains were rather slow in arriving, which delayed the market to quite an extent, but the majority of the early hogs was disposed of in good season.

The close of the market was very slow and weak. When the late trains began to arrive packers got very bearish and not only took off all of the advance, but closed the market lower than yesterday's average. The late sales were right around $4.57½, or mostly 5c lower than the early market. Packers, of course, did not like the idea of taking off that much, and as a result trading was very slow and at noon there were still several loads in first hands. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
51	222	480	4 50	51	269	200	4 62½
70	206	40	4 55	65	249	80	4 62½
63	245	40	4 57½	81	257	...	4 62½
87	178	...	4 57½	63	278	120	4 62½
53	218	40	4 60	54	301	320	4 62½
94	200	40	4 60	70	208	160	4 62½
75	265	120	4 60	51	259	80	4 62½
70	249	80	4 60	60	274	160	4 62½
28	267	120	4 60	75	281	...	4 62½
32	242	...	4 60	82	281	...	4 62½
48	217	...	4 60	67	307	40	4 62½
57	272	240	4 60	66	221	...	4 62½
56	254	120	4 60	65	230	...	4 62½
64	246	...	4 60	72	250	80	4 62½
67	240	40	4 60	65	266	160	4 62½
28	268	...	4 60	74	[illegible]	...	4 62½
61	249	80	4 60	55	277	...	4 62½
62	189	80	4 60	67	282	80	4 62½
58	301	80	4 60	58	297	80	4 62½
79	214	...	4 60	73	269	80	4 62½
59	266	40	4 60	63	276	40	4 62½
74	244	80	4 60	62	268	...	4 62½
52	234	160	4 60	64	282	80	4 62½
64	225	40	4 60	72	280	120	4 62½
77	250	80	4 60	72	262	80	4 62½
77	235	...	4 60	71	216	40	4 62½
66	201	...	4 60	63	288	...	4 62½
58	238	40	4 60	71	266	120	4 62½
16	295	...	4 60	68	[illegible]	...	4 62½
17	272	...	4 60	56	271	80	4 62½
53	315	280	4 60	61	[illegible]	...	4 62½
56	250	...	4 62½	69	252	80	4 62½
64	273	80	4 62½	77	[illegible]	...	4 62½
57	284	40	4 62½	78	347	120	4 65
59	307	...	4 62½	64	309	200	4 65
62	301	80	4 62½	58	267	80	4 65
63	275	80	4 62½	70	245	160	4 65
63	286	40	4 62½	62	262	...	4 65
67	271	...	4 62½	72	278	...	4 65
65	292	160	4 62½	72	[illegible]	...	4 65
61	281	120	4 62½	68	300	...	4 65
38	287	80	4 62½	63	337	40	4 65
57	316	80	4 62½	66	379	...	4 65
47	230	...	4 62½	126	287	280	4 65
60	280	160	4 62½	67	295	...	4 65
70	245	...	4 62½	22	262	...	4 65
53	299	...	4 62½	67	312	40	4 65
36	265	...	4 62½	77	324	...	4 65
58	258	80	4 62½	68	393	...	4 67½
58	272	80	4 62½	76	274	...	4 67½

SHEEP—There was another very moderate run of sheep and lambs here today, and with a continued liberal demand the market was strong and active on both sheep and lambs. Buyers were out early and practically everything changed hands as fast as offered. The general market can safely be quoted strong and active, and in a good many instances sales were made that were fully a dime higher. As high as $6.00 was paid for yearlings, wethers sold for $5.50, ewes $4.70 and a small bunch of native ewes sold for $4.90. A new top was put on the lamb market for the season, as high as $7.00 being paid for westerns.

There were practically no feeders in the yards this morning, but anything at all decent would have sold readily at good, strong prices.

Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
1	goat	70	3 50
3	goats	100	3 50
1	native buck	230	3 50
3	western bucks	183	3 90
18	western cull lambs	53	4 50
8	western cull lambs	46	4 50
134	western ewes	79	4 60
244	western ewes	80	4 60
3	western ewes	93	4 75
3	western ewes	106	4 75
21	western ewes	121	4 75
14	native ewes	153	4 90
14	native ewes	135	4 90
1	western wether	70	5 50
1	western wether	90	5 50
6	western yearlings	96	6 00
11	west. yearlings and wethers	72	6 00
73	west. yearlings and wethers	74	6 00
25	lambs	67	6 75
61	lambs	75	6 75
12	native lambs	110	7 00
1	native lamb	90	7 00
278	western lambs	82	7 00
20	western cull ewes	112	3 00
2	western cull ewes	110	3 00
119	western ewes	109	4 00
342	western ewes	98	4 00
123	western ewes	98	4 00
238	western ewes	108	4 15
24	western ewes	99	4 50
223	western ewes	126	4 60
428	western ewes	102	4 70
218	western ewes	96	4 75
211	western ewes	97	4 75
16	western lambs	56	5 25
490	western wethers	107	5 50
159	west'n year'gs and wethers	94	5 70
10	west'n year'gs and wethers	83	6 25
57	west'n year'gs and wethers	85	6 25
33	west'n year'gs and wethers	86	6 25
11	western lambs	89	6 75
269	western lambs	64	6 85
2	western cull lambs	70	4 00
30	western ewes	98	4 65
129	western lambs	98	5 60
217	western lambs	78	6 75
125	western lambs	66	6 85
419	western lambs	66	6 85

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Strong, Hogs Five Cents Higher and Sheep Strong.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000 head; market strong; good to prime steers, $5.70@6.10; poor to medium, $3.75@5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.15; cows, $1.25@4.40; heifers, $2.00@5.00; canners, $1.25@2.50; bulls, $2.00@4.00; calves, $3.00@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 29,000 head; market 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $4.55@4.80; good to choice heavy, $4.75@4.85; rough heavy, $4.50@4.65; light, $4.45@4.72½; bulk, $4.60@4.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 18,000 head; sheep strong; lambs firm; good to choice wethers, $5.00@5.60; fair to choice mixed, $3.90@5.00; western sheep, $4.25@5.60; native lambs, $6.00@7.75; western lambs, $5.75@7.60.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 11,000 head; market for select weak to 10c lower; cows and feeders strong; choice export and dressed beef steers, $4.75@5.75; fair to good, $3.50@4.75; western fed steers, $3.50@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.75; southern steers, $3.50@4.75; southern cows, $2.00@3.25; native cows, $1.75@4.00; native heifers, $2.60@4.50; bulls, $2.25@4.00; calves, $3.00@6.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 18,000 head; market steady; top, $4.75; bulk of sales, $4.45@4.70; heavy, $4.70@5.00; packers, $4.55@4.70; pigs and lights, $3.85@4.60.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,000 head; market 10@15c higher; native lambs, $6.00@7.25; native wethers, $5.00@5.75; native fed ewes, $4.00@5.00; western lambs, $6.00@7.00; western yearlings, $5.75@6.35; western sheep, $4.00@5.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.50.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000 head, including 2,500 head Texans; market slow, about steady; native shipping and export steers, $5.00@6.25; dressed beef and butcher steers, $4.00@5.40; steers under 1,000 lbs., $3.25@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.80; cows and heifers, $2.25@4.75; canners, $1.75@2.25; bulls, $2.50@4.00; calves, $3.25@6.75; Texans and Indian steers, $2.75@4.75; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,000 head; market slow and weak; pigs and lights, $3.75@4.40; packers, $4.60@4.75; butchers and best heavy, $4.70@4.80.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,500 head; market active and strong; native mutton, $4.00@5.40; lambs, $5.00@7.25; culls and bucks, $2.25@4.25; stockers, $2.00@3.25; Texans, $2.00@5.00.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Jan. 10.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,700 head; market steady to strong; natives, $3.75@5.40; cows and heifers, $1.75@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,898 head; market steady to strong; light, $4.40@4.60; medium and heavy, $4.50@4.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,045 head; market 10@25c higher; lambs, $7.50; yearlings, $6; ewes, $5.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 10.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,800 head; market easier; beeves, $3.75@5.00; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.25@3.75; stockers and feeders, $2.75@3.90; calves and yearlings, $2.25@3.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500 head; market 5c higher, selling at $4.40@4.70; bulk, $4.50@4.60.

Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the six principal western markets yesterday:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	4,700	8,800	6,000
Sioux City	1,800	3,500	....
Kansas City	11,000	18,000	4,000
St. Louis	6,000	11,000	2,500
St. Joseph	2,700	8,898	2,045
Chicago	6,000	29,000	18,000
Totals	32,200	79,198	32,545

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet, fifteen points lower; middling uplands, 7.15c; middling gulf, 7.40c; sales, 1,025 bales.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 10.—COTTON—Spot in moderate demand; prices 4 points lower; American middling fair 4.50c; good middling 3.97c; middling 3.85c; low middling 3.73c; good ordinary 3.59c; ordinary 3.43c. Sales were 6,000 bales of which 5,500 were for speculation and export and included 5,700 American. Receipts 83,000 bales including 82,600 American.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10.—COTTON—Dull, unchanged. Middling 7. Sales none; receipts none, shipments none.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 10.—COTTON—Steady; ordinary 4⅝c; good ordinary 5 11-16c; low middling 6 7-16c; middling 6⅞c; good middling 7¼c; middling fair 7⅝c; receipts 20,058 bales; stock 422,446 bales.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Candled stock, 23@24c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 8c; roosters, 5c; turkeys, 15c; ducks, 9c; geese, 7@8c; spring chickens, 9c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 17@18c; ducks, 10@11c; geese, 9@10c; chickens, 10@10½c; roosters, 6c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 16½@17c; choice to fancy dairy, 17@19c; creamery, 24@26½c; fancy prints, 25c.

FRESH FROZEN FISH—Trout, 10c; pickerel, 7c; pike, 8c; perch, 6c; bluefish, 12c; whitefish, 10c; salmon, 13c; redsnapper, 11c; lobster (green), 30c; lobster (boiled), 33c; bullheads, 11c; catfish, 14c; black bass, 25c; halibut, 12c; crappies, 12c; buffalo, 7c; white bass, 11c; frog legs, per doz., 25c.

BRAN—Per ton, $15.00.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale Dealers' association: Choice No. 1 upland, $6.50; No. 2, $6.00; medium, $5.50; coarse, $5.00. Rye straw, $5.50. These prices are for hay of good color and quality.

OYSTERS—New York counts, per can, 45c; extra selects, per can, 35c; standards, per can, 30c; bulk (standards), per gal., $1.50; bulk (extra selects), per gal., $1.75; bulk (New York counts), per gal., $1.90.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—California Redland navels, all sizes, $2.75@3.00; choice navels, $2.50@2.75; California seedlings, all sizes, $2.00@2.25.

LEMONS—California fancy, $2.75; 300 and 360, $3.75@4.00; choice, $3.25@3.50.

DATES—Per box of 30-lb. pkgs., $2.00; Hallowe'en, in 70-lb. boxes, per lb., 5½@6c.

FIGS—California, per 10-lb. carton, 75@85c; imported Smyrna, 4-crown, 12½c; 5-crown, 14c; 7-crown, 16c; fancy imported (washed), in 1-lb. pkgs., 16@18c; California, per case of 36 pkgs., $2.25.

BANANAS—Per medium sized bunch, $2.00@2.50; jumbos, $2.75@3.50.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box of 54 to 64, $5.00@5.50.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Home-grown Jonathans, per bbl., $3.25; Ben Davis, $2.75; New York Kings, $3.25; New York Greenings, $2.60; New York Baldwins, $2.75; Colorado Jonathans, $1.75. Wine Saps, per bu. box, $1.60.

PEARS—Utah, Colorado and California, fall varieties, per box, $1.50@1.75.

CRANBERRIES—Wisconsin Bell and Bugle, per bbl., $8.50; Wisconsin Bell and Cherry and Jerseys, per bbl., $7.75; per box, $2.75.

GRAPES—Imported Malagas, per keg, $6.00@6.50.

TANGERINES—Florida or California, per ½-box, $2.50.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Home-grown, in sacks, per bu., 40c; Colorado, per bu., 60c.

TURNIPS—Old, per bu., 40c; Canada rutabagas, per lb., 1c.

CARROTS—Old, per bu., 40c.

PARSNIPS—Old, per bu., 40c.

BEETS—Old, per bu., 40c.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., $1.95@2.00.

ONIONS—Home-grown, red, in sacks, per bu., $1.00; Spanish, per crate, $2.00; Colorado yellow, per lb., 2c; white, per lb., 2½c.

CUCUMBERS—Per doz., $2.00@2.25.

TOMATOES — California, per 4-basket crate, $3.25.

CABBAGE—Holland seed, per lb., 1½c.

SWEET POTATOES—Kansas kiln dried, per bbl., $2.50.

CELERY—Per doz., 35@50c; California, 45c.

RADISHES—Hothouse, per doz., 45c.

ONIONS—New, southern, per doz., 45c.

TURNIPS—New, southern, per doz., 45c.

BEETS—New, southern, per doz., 45c.

PARSLEY—New, per doz., 45c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SAUER KRAUT—Wisconsin, per keg, $2.50.

CIDER—New York, per bbl., $5.20; per ½-bbl., $3.25.

CHEESE—Wisconsin Twins, full cream, 12½@13c; Wisconsin Young America, 13c; block Swiss, new, 15c; old, 16@17c; Wisconsin brick, 14c; Wisconsin limburger, 13c.

HIDES—No. 1 green, 7c; No. 2 green, 6c; No. 1 salted, 8½c; No. 2 salted, 7½c; No. 1 veal calf, 9c; No. 2 veal calf, 7c; dry salted, 8@14c; sheep pelts, 25c@$1.00; horse hides, $1.50@2.00.

NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1 soft shells, new crop, per lb., 14c; hard shell, per lb., 13c; No. 2 soft shell, per lb., 12c; No. 2 hard shell, per lb., 12c; pecans, large, per lb., 12c; small, per lb., 10c; peanuts, per lb., 7c; roasted peanuts, per lb., 8c; Chili walnuts, per lb., 12@13½c; almonds, soft shell, per lb., 17c; hard shell, per lb., 15c; chestnuts, per lb., 12½@15c; new black walnuts, per bu., 75@90c; shellbark hickory nuts, per bu., $1.75; large hickory nuts, per bu., $1.50.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—METALS—The London metal markets were again easier, with the exception of spelter. Tin suffered the most severe shock, closing at £131 for spot and £130 10s for futures. The local market for tin, having advanced recently largely as a matter of sympathy with London, was affected by the foreign break and closed weak at $28.95@29.15. Copper, however, was unchanged locally and is reported in a firm position, with lake quoted at $15.37½@15.50; electrolytic, $15.12½@15.25; casting, $14.87½@15.12½. It was reported that in some instances lake and electrolytic were being quoted slightly below these prices, but it is probable that no transactions of importance could be made under the figures given. In London copper declined to £68 for spot and £68 5s for futures. Lead was quoted at £12 18s 9d in London. Locally the market is firm at $4.60@4.75. Spelter was unchanged at £25 2s 6d in London and $6.15@6.25 in the local market, with some dealers said to be asking as high as $6.60 for prompt delivery. Iron closed at 54s 6d in Glasgow and 49s 9d in Middlesboro. Locally the market continues firm. No. 1 foundry, northern is $17.50@17.95; No. 2 foundry, northern, $17.50; No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern, soft, $17.75@18.00.

Sugar and Molasses.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—SUGAR—Raw nominal; fair refining, 4½c; centrifugal 96 test, 5c; molasses sugar, 4¼c. Refined, firm; No. 6, 4.50c; No. 7, 5.70c; No. 8, 5.10c; No. 9, 5.15c; No. 10, 5.10c; No. 11, 5c; No. 12, 4.95c; No. 13, 4.85c; No. 14, 4.80c; confectioners' A, 5.80c; mould A, 6.30c; cut loaf, 6.65c; crushed, 6.65c; powdered, 6.05c; granulated, 5.95c; cubes, 6.20c.

MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 30@32c.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 10.—SUGAR—Strong, open kettle 3⅝@4¼c; open kettle centrifugal 4@4⅝c; centrifugal whites 5c; yellows 4½@4 5-16c; seconds 3⅜@4 5-16.

MOLASSES—Quiet, open kettle 15@28c; centrifugal 7@16c.

SYRUP—Steady, 23@25c.

Whisky Market.

PEORIA, Jan. 10.—WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods on basis of $1.23 for high wines.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 10.—WHISKY—Steady on basis of $1.27 for spirits.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 10.—WHISKY—Finished goods lower on basis of $1.23.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 10.—WHEAT—Spot, nominal; futures, steady; March, 7s 1⅛d; May, 7s ⅜d; July, 7s ⅜d.

CORN—Spot, easy; American mixed, new, 4s 2d; American mixed, old, 4s 11d. Futures, easy; March, 4s 1¼d; May, 4s 1⅛d.

Toledo Seed Market.

TOLEDO, Jan. 10.—SEEDS—Clover, cash and January, $7.90; February, $7.95; March, $8.00; prime alsike, $8.05; prime timothy, $1.30.

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