GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Little News Comer, Either Bearish or Eullish.

LOWER PRICES RULE WHOLE CEREAL LIST

Small Receipts Estimated in Wheat-Armour Controls Large Line of Contract Corn-Final Government Estimate Coming.

OMAHA, Dec. 12, 1905. There was little wheat news, either bear ish or bullish. Better conditions are reported in Argentina and good weather i Australia. The market opened %c lower o weak cables and declined %c%c further reacting then about he under suppose Armour support. December was weak earling the morning, but liquidation caused it to close strong at he higher. Small receipts are estimated for tomorrow. December closed at 8%c. May at 8%c and comber closed at 8%c. May at 8%c and OMAHA, Dec. 12, 1905.

in the morning, but liquidation caused it to close strong at \(\frac{1}{2} \) higher. Small receipts are estimated for tomorrow. December closed at 85%c, May at 85%c and July at 83%c.

Corn was bearish on larger receipts, which were almost equal to those of last year. The opening was lower. There was a further decline of \(\frac{1}{2} \) cand a reaction almost to opening prices. December closed at \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold December at \(\frac{1}{2} \) c, May at \(\frac{1}{2} \) degree and July at \(\frac{1}{2} \) degree.

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Primary wheat receipts were \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels and shipments \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels. Corn receipts were \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels and shipments of \(\frac{2}{2} \) cold bushels. Corn receipts were \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels and shipments of \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of corn. It, \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels and shipments of \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of corn. It, \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of corn. It, \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of oats, \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of corn. It, \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of oats, \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of wheat and \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of oats, \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels of wheat and \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels for a same week last year. Inverpool closed \(\frac{1}{2} \) dower on wheat and \(\frac{1}{2} \) cold bushels decrease the same week last year. Liverpool closed \(\frac{1}{2} \) dower on on wheat and \(\frac{1}{2} \) dower on or corn.

A cable from Argentina to Bartlett-Frazier says: "Northern district raining partially. Hail storm of no importance. Forty per cent of crop already harvested." Advices from Washington say the final estimate of the total acreage, production and farm values of the principal crops for 1908 will be issued December 20 at 4 \(\frac{0} \) clock. From t

Omaha Cash Sales.

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WHEAT—No. 3 hard, 1 car at 75½c, 1 car at 75½c; No. 3 spring, 1 car at 76½c; No. 4 spring, 1 car at 76c; No. 4 hard, 1 car at 76½c.

CORN—No. 3, 1 car at 39c; No. 4, 3 cars at 38½c, 1 car at 38c, 1 car at 37½c, 1 car at 37c; no grade, 1 car at 37½c. Omaha Cash Prices.

Omaha Cash Prices.
WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 80@82c; No. 3 hard, 76½@79c; No. 4 hard, 74@77c; No. 2 spring, 77@78½c; No. 3 spring, 75@77½c.
CORN—No. 3. 39@839½c; No. 4, 37@38½c; No. 3 yellow, 39c; No. 3 white, 39@39½c.
OATS—No. 3 mixed, 29c; No. 3 white, 39c; No. 4 white, 29@29½c.
RYE—No. 2, 55@39½c; No. 3, 61@62c. Carlot Receints. Wheat Corn Oats

Chicago Kansas City Minneapolis

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS Features of the Trading and Closing

Prices on Board of Trade.

that the damage to the crops in that country by rain had been slight and that about 40 per cent of the crop had already been larvested. The fact that prices for wheat at Liverpool were lower substantiated in the minds of local traders the accuracy of the advices from Argentina. A decreased demand for cash wheat at the principal grain centers in this country was another weakening influence. During the first half of the session commission bouses and pit traders were persistent sellers, but their offerings met with only moderate response. This resulted in a considerable decline. Later there was active buying by shorts and much of the early loss was regained. The market closed fairly steady. May opened a shade to \(\frac{1}{2}\text{disc}\) bucer at 895814c, soil off to 833468815c and closed at 8875c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 92.000 bu. Primary receipts were 727,000 bu., against 774,000 bu, one year ago. The world's visible supply, as shown by Bradstreet's, increased 3,500,000 bu. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 556 cars, against 555 cars last week and 722 cars a year ago. by rain had been slight and that about

of 556 cars, against 585 cars last week and 723 cars a year ago.

Prospects of a liberal increase in the movement of corn weakened today's market. There was liquidation by a number of prominent longs and much selling by commission houses. Weather throughout the corn belt was reported as highly favorable for handling the crop and this caused an increased selling pressure, which continued until the close. May opened 1,674c lower at 44,6444c and closed easy at 44,6445c. Local receipts were 684 cars, with 13 cars of contract grade.

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Weakness of wheat and corn caused moderate selling of oats by pit traders. As a result the market had a weak understone, but buying by several bulls checked the decline. The close was steady. May opened a shade to be lower at 2256325c. sold off to 32560325c ars.

Provisions were weak because of free selling of pork and lard. The chief decline was in January, which sold off 55c. Heavy receipts of live hogs caused the decline in price. Ribs held steady because of light offerings. At the close May pork was off 25c at \$13.40. Lard was down 25c at \$7.324, Ribs were up a shade at \$7.15.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 7 cars; corn, 317 cars; cars, 113 cars; hogs, 44.006 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows: The leading futures ranged as follows:

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No. 2. fold. fNew. PLOUR-Steady; winter patents, \$3.8569 4 ir: straights, \$3.6565.90; spring patents, 7 75-4.10; straights, \$3.6063.80; bakers, \$2.35

17 15-4 10; straights, 23.6033.80; bakers, 42.25
163.10.

WHEAT-No. 2 spring, 869874c; No. 3, 82
1937c; No. 2 red, 8848844c,
COBN-No. 2, 40c; No. 2 yellow, 46c,
OATS-No. 2, 8946c; No. 2 white, 224663c;
No. 2 white, 214,633c,
RYE-No. 2, 6868c,
BARLEY-Good feeding, 86984c; fair to obtain the second strains, 414648c,
SEEDS-No. 1 flax, 96c; No. 1 northwestern, 81.67, Prime timothy, \$3.30. Clover, contract grade, \$12.76613.00.
PROVISIONS-Mess pork, per bbl., \$13.00
11.124; Lard, per 100 bs., \$7.75. Short the sides (loose) \$5.87467.00. Short clear sides (loose) \$5.87467.00. Short clear sides (boxed), \$7.12467.25.

Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:
Receipts, Shipments, Flour, bbls. 19.100 20.900

Corn. bu.... On the Produce exchange today the but-ter market was steady; creameries, 176 Ebec dairies 1762bc. Eggs, easier; at mark, cases included, 19622c; firsts, Ec; prime firsts, Ec; extras, Ec., Cheese, steady, 11460

Liverpool Grain Market. steady; No. 2 red. western winter, 6s 7d.

c'utures easy; December, 5s 115d; March, s; May, 6s 105d. CORN-Spot steady; American mixed, 4s 105d. Futures easy; January, 4s 45d; March, 4s 35d.

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

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—FLOUR—Receipts, 35,831 bbis.; exports, 3.848 bbis. Market dull, but steady; winter patents, \$4.2024.55; winter straights, \$3.9024.10; Minnesota patents, \$4.0025.90; winter extras, \$2.8523.25; Minnesota bakers, \$3.6063.20; winter low grades, \$2.7523.20. Hye flour, steady; fair to good, \$5.904.10; choice to fancy, \$4.1524.50. Buckwheat flour, steady, \$2.1022.15, spot and to arrive. BUCKWHEAT-Duil, 65c nominal, de-

ivered. CORN MEAL—Firm; fine white and yellow, \$1.25; coarse, \$1.14@1.16; kiln dried, \$1.00@2.10

RYE—Nominal; No. 2 western, 75c, c. i. f., Buffalo,
BARLEY—Stendy; feeding, 41c, c. i. f., BARLEY-Stendy: feeding, 41c, c. l. f., Buffalo.
WHEAT - Receipts, \$9,000 bu.; exports, 31,946 bu.; spot, casy; No. 2 red, 34%c, elevator; No. 2 red, 36%c, f. o. b., affoat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 36c, f. o. b., affoat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal, f. o. b., affoat; Options up to midday in wheat were weak and lower, showing the effects of better

Options up to midday in wheat were weak and lower, showing the effects of better Argentine weather news, poor cables and liquidation. A late raily followed on moderate built support and room covering with the closing \$10 down on May and 1\$10 of on December. May, \$25,933\$10 closed \$3540; December. May, \$25,933\$10 bu; exports, 59,247 bu; spot market easy; No.2 old, 580, nominal, sievator, and 520 f. o. b. affoat; No. 2 yellow, 5210; No. 2 white, 5250, nominal, sievator, and 520 f. o. b., affoat; No. 2 yellow, 5210; No. 2 white, 5250. The option market was without transactions, closing partly \$20 net lower; January closed at 5550. May closed at 5650, December closed at 5550. OATS—Receipts, 72,000 bu; exports, \$545 bu; spot market firm; mixed oats, 25 to 32 lbs., \$775,3750; natural white, 30,332 lbs., \$775,3350; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 40,0420. HOPS—Easy; state common to choice, 1905 crop, 10,9130; 1904, 11,2160; olds, 56380; Pacific Coast, 1905, 10,9140; 1904, 9,9130; olds, 56380. HAY—Steady; shipping, 50,9650; good to choice, 80,9850.

choice, 80@85c. HIDES—Firm; Galveston, 20@25 lbs., 20c; California, 21@25 lbs., 21c; Texas dry, 24@ 30 lbs., 19c.

California, 21625 lbs., 21c; Texas dry, 246
30 lbs., 19c.

LEATHER—Firm; acid, 2846274c;
PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, \$11.50
6712.50; mess, \$3.50710.50; beef hams, \$20.5062
20.00; packet, \$10.50611.50; city extra India
mess, \$17.50618.50. Cut meats, quiet; pickled bellies, \$8.50692.50; pickled shoulders, \$8.50
637.00; pickled hams, \$9.2509.75. Lard,
steady; western steamed, \$7.7068.00; refined,
quiet; continent, \$8.30; South America, \$8.65;
compound, \$3.62465.874; Pork, barely
steady; family, \$15.50; short clear, \$15.006
17.00; mess, \$15.0065.25.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 446c; country,
44404.6c. 41404%c. RICE-Dull; domestic fair to extra, 3%@

RICE—Duill; domestic fair to extra, 3%6 6c; Japanese, nominal. BUTTER—Firm; street price, extra cream-ery, 246244c. Official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 16624c; state, dairy, com-mon to extra, 16625c; renovated, common to extra, 15620c; western factory, common to firsts, 156274c; western initation cream-ery, extras, 184619c; western firsts, 1746

CHEESE-Steady; state, full cream, small and large, colored and white, September, fancy, 174c; state, October, best, 12%@13c; state, late made, average, best, small col-ored and white, 11%c; state, large, 12c; state, air, 11%c. EGGS Quiet; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 38c; state, choice, 35936c; state, mixed, extra, 32834c; western finest selected, 29930c; state, average. 28c.
POULTRY—Alive, easy; western chick-ens, 11½c; fowls, 12½c; turkeys, 14c.
Dressed, quiet; western chickens, 13@15c; turkeys, 12@15c; fowls, 11@13c.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 12.—WHEAT—
Steady; December, 79%c; May, 81c; July,
78%c; Cash: No. 2 hard, 82686c; No. 3,
78%sic; No. 2 red, 91%g52c; No. 3, 87699%c.
CORN—Lower; December, 39%c; May;
35%c; July, 35%c. Cash: No. 2 mixed,
40%c; No. 2 white, 40%c; No. 3, 40%c.
OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 31632c; No.
2 mixed, 30%c.

Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO. Dec. 12—Favorable weather for harvesting in Argentina caused weakness today in the wheat market here. At the close wheat for May delivery was off 447%c, corn was down 447%c, oats showed a loss of 447%c and provisions were practically unchanged.

The sentiment in the wheat pit was hearish throughout the day. The factor chiefly responsible for this feeling was a saliogram. From Argentina which stated that the damage to the crops in that county by rain had been slight and that about The leading futures at Kansas City as re-95,000 83,000 9,000

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St. Louis General Market. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 12.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 200733c; track, 40944c; No. 2 hard, 830864c; May, 87%6 543944c; No. 2 hard, 836884c; May, 8746 874c; July, 817c. CORN-Lower; No. 2 cash, 42c; track, 436 434c; December, 414c; May, 424c. OATS-Lower; No. 2 cash, 32c; track, 324 633c; December, 31c; May, 32c; No. 2 white,

82% 86% 86% 87% 87% 87% 88 87% 87% Dec.... 1 00½ 1 01 1 00½ May... 1 06 1 06½ 1 06 Minneapolis Cash Close—Wheat: No. 1
hard, 85%; No. 1 northern, 84%; to arrive,
84%; No. 2 northern, 82%; to arrive,
No. 3 northern, 80%; No. 1 Durum, 73%;
No. 2 Durum, 70%; No. 2 Durum, 70%; No. 3 40%; Corn: No. 3
white, 29%; Flax: \$1.01%.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Dec. 12. — WHEAT — Steady; No. 1 northern, 88989c; No. 2 northern, 844-6895c; May, 875c. RYE—Steady; No. 1, 154c. BARLEY-Dull; No. 2, 54665c; sample, 27 68c. CORN-Dull; May, 44c.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—BUTTER—
Firm, Mc higher: extra western croamery,
24M625c; extra nearby prints, 27c.
EGGS—Dull, ic lower; nearby fresh and
western fresh, 25c, at mark.
CHEESE—Firm; New York full cream,
12Ag14c. Philadelphia Produce Market.

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PEORIA. Dec. 12.—CORN—Lower; No. 3
yellow, 414c; No. 3, 414c; No. 4, 404c; no grade, 3563ac.

OATS—Easy; No. 3 white, Migsitic; No. 4
white, 304,6304c.

OATS-Easy: No. 3 white, Biggilde: No. 4 white, 2014 (23014c.)

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, Dec. 12 --WHEAT-Te serive, No. 1 northern, 85%c, No. 2 northern, 85%c, No. 2 northern, 85%c, No. 1 northern, 85%c, No. 2 northern, 85%c, No. 3 northern, No. 3 northern, 85%c, No. 3 northern, No. 3 nort

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Selling to Realize Profits in Evidence

Throughout the Day. DEALINGS ARE LARGELY PROFESSIONA

Rally in the Last Hour Followed by a Sharp Brenk and Close is Irregular.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—This was another day of active and varied speculation in the stock market, although the volume of the trading was not fully up to that of yesterday, which reached the maximum for the season. Selling to realize profits was very clearly in evidence at many points throughout the day, but this process was accomplished with good success and was in fact one of the most encouraging incidents of the market. The only decided breaks were at the very last.

The small general public share in the speculation has been the subject of constant comment and skepticism has gained force as to the ability to dispose at a profit of the enormous accumulations in special stocks which have been made by pools and organized parties in the process of advances in prices to the unprecedented levels reached. Nearly all the stocks which made conspicuous gains vesterday were under this realizing process today. Some of them opened higher and maintained some of their gains without extending them. Reading being a notable example. In others the opening gains were yielded almost immediately but prices were not allowed to recede to any extent below last night. As sustaining forces in the market there was a return to the method of furious activity and spectacular advances in special stocks and those selected today were found again amongst the industrials in the majority of cases. Stocks having to do with the various metal industrials, especially Copper and Iron, were consplexious. A substantial basis for the strength in this group were the and those selected today were found again amongst the industrials in the majority of cases. Stocks having to do with the various metal industrials, especially Copper and Iron, were conspicuous. A substantial basis for the strength in this group were the trade conditions in those industries. The market price of copper was again advanced in this market and trade reports asserted that sales ahead for many months had already been made up to the productive capacity of the trade at the prosent profitable level of prices. The brilliant conditions in the iron and steel trade also received extensive attention and discussion by the presentation of many detailed facts bearing upon different departments of that trade. It was asserted that the value of November exports of the products of the United States Steel corporation was the largest on record, not withstanding the enormous demands and the high prices prevailing. Some of the southern railroads having a large iron traffic were affected by this movement.

The corn carrying railroads showed a degree of strength, Missouri Pacific being especially affected by the Missouri state crop report. A wide advance in the New York public utilities was due to the views of a operators regarding the probable outcome of the legal contest over the New York election. Rates for money on call were decidedly easier, the rate for renewals reading at 10 per cent or under. This was attributed to the additional supplies attracted to this center from outside sources by the profitable rates prevailing. Nothing occurred in the routine of the money market to indicate a change in the course of affairs.

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Foreign exchange was firm, with the relaxation in the money rate. There were still large offerings of foreign trade funds, however, in this market. Discounts in London were easier and sterling exchange at Paris recovered a fraction, but made a short drop at Berlin. The situation at that point is watched with apparent anxiety and there were various surmises affoat of special measures of relief there, including the lending of a large sum in Berlin by the Bank of England and the reported intention to anticipate the payment of January 1 Russian bond coupons in Berlin. The subtreasury continued to take funds from the New York market and the credit by that institution at the clearing house today reflected a continuance of this drain. Stocks made a good rally from the profit-taking early in the last hour, but broke rather feverish with the final dealings and a violent rush of smelting stocks and lead. The closing was decidedly unsettled and irregular.

Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, \$3,000,000. United States new 4s, coupon, decidined ½ per cent on call.

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LOUR—Quiet; red winter patents.

Ga.50; extra fancy and straight, \$2.50; to. 2

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Ga.50; extra fancy and straight, \$2.50; to. 2

CORNMEAL—Steady; \$2.50; to. 2

GORNMEAL—Steady; \$2.50; to. 2

BRAN—Firm: sacked, east track, 78g.80c.
HAY—Steady; timothy, \$8.00g15.00; prairie,
googil.00.

HEON COTTON TIES—99c.
BAGGING—94c.

Gof free
HEMP TWINE—74c.
PROVISIONS—Pork. steady; jobbing.
HEMP TWINE—74c.
BAGGING—94c.

GR. 35.75; clear ribs. steady; prime steam. \$7.25

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Texas & Pacific
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U. S. Realty
U. S. Rubber
do pfd
U. S. Steel
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156,400 394, 38,500 106 4,600 44 600 1137, 2,300 214, 2,400 42

Total sales for the day, 1,450,300 shares.

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—MONEY—On call, firm at 6012 per cent; lowest, 6 per cent; closing bid, 10 per cent; offered at 12 per cent. Time money, strong; sixty, ninety days and six months, 6 per cent. For shorter period, 6 per cent with commission added, making it net rate of 7 per cent.

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per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.85% tual business in bankers' bills at 4.8575@4.8550 for demand and at 4.8270@4.875 for 60-day bills; posted rates, 4.83 and 44.869 4.864; commercial bills, 44.82494.824, SILVR—Bar, 65%c; Mexican dollars, 50c. BONDS—Government, weak; railroad, firm. firm. Ciosing quotations on bonds were as fol-

| lows: U. S. ref. 2s, reg. 162% Japan 6s, 2d series | da coupon 105% do 4% ctfs. U. S. Ss, reg. 193 do 2d series | do coupon 104 L. & N. uni. 4s. U. S. old 4s, reg. 104 Manhattan c. g. 4s. da coupon 104 Mex. Central 4s U. S. new 4s, reg. 151 do 1st inc. do coupon 181 Minn. & St. L. 4s. Am. Tobacco 4s. 114 M. K. & T. 4s. do 5s. 116% do 2s.

Distillers' Sec. 5s... Erie prior lien 4s... do gen. 4s... Hocking Val. 4\ss... Japan 6s Offered. Boston Stocks and Bonds. BOSTON, Dec. 12.—Call loans, 7610 per cent; time loans, 54,66 per cent. Official quotations on stocks and bonds: 111 Centennial
141 Copper Range
23th Daly West
156 **Dominion Co
141th Pranklin
24 Isle Royale
94 Mass. Mining
8 Michigan
147th Mohawk
1139th Mont. C. & C.
139th Old Dominion
138th Osceola 63% Osceola 05 Parrot . 105 Parrot
254 Quincy
240 Shannon
182 Tamarack
15 Trinity
60 United Copp
484 U. S. Minin
1044 U. S. Oil
775 Utah
31 Victoria
254 Winena
1572 Wolverine

London Closing Stocks LONDON, Dec. 12.—Closing quotations he Stock exchange were as follows: Consols, money 89% N. Y. Central do account 38 9-16 Norfolk & W 9% do pfd 90% Ontario & W. 108 Pennsylvania 116% Rand Mines 178% Reading 178% Reading 57% do 1st 32% do 2d 185 Southern 22 to do 2d pfd.

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do pfd.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 12. Closing quotations on mining stocks were as follows:

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PARIS, Dec. 12.—Prices on the Bourse today were very irregular owing to fears of
an aggravation of the Russian situation.
There was an improvement toward the
close. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at
81.10 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 483.00.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance. \$138,180,451; gold coin and bullion, \$87,016,125; gold certificates, \$52,842,140.

Bank Clearings. OMAHA, Dec. 12.—Bank clearings for today were \$1,626,112.26 and for the corre-sponding date last year \$1,528,829.76.

Wool Market.

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—WOOL—More wool was sold during the last week than for some time before. The fact that some of the largest buyers were in the market purchasing freely is interpreted as proof of strength in the situation. Holders of territory wool are firm, as the stocks are depleted. Half bloods will cost 71c clean, with not many to be had. Pulled wools are quiet, but prices are steady. Foreign wools are firm. Leading quotations follow: Ohlo and Pennsylvania XX and above. 35675c; X. 34635c; No. 1, 35640c; No. 2, 40941c; fine unwashed. 27 (25c; quarter-blood unwashed, 33140344c; half-blood, 34635c; unwashed delaine. 25c (ne washed delaine. 25c (quarter-blood unwashed, 33140344c; half-blood, 34635c; unwashed delaine. 25c (half-blood, 34635c; unwashed. 25c (half-blood, 34635c; unwashed.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—METALS—The London tin market was somewhat irregular, following the sensational advance of yesterday; spot closed at £163 los and futures at £161 lis; the local market was steady, with spot quoted at £35.70635.56. Copper also was irregular in London, spot being quoted at £79 lis and futures at £79. Locally the market is said to be in a very strong posttion, with producers sold ahead for three months or more; lake and electrolytic are quoted at £18.74.7618.75 and casting at £18.00 for in the local market, but was higher at £17. See 3d in London. Spetter also advanced in the English market, closing at £28 lis; locally the market was firm at \$4.056.50. Iron was lower in England with standard foundry closing at £28 id and Cleveland warrants at £28 did, the local market was firm and unchanged: No. 1 northern foundry is quoted at £18.75; No. 2 northern foundry at £18.00 ff18.75, and No. 2 southern foundry at £18.00 ff18.75. and No. 2 southern foundry at £18.00 ff18.75. E. LOUIS, Dec. £2.—METALS—Lead, firm

18.37. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 12.—METALS—Lead, firm t \$5.75. Spelter, firm at \$6.35. TOLEDO, Dec. 12.—SEED.—Clover, cash and December, 26.07%; February, 48.26; March, 48.26, Timothy, 41.56; alsike, 48.00.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Choice Steers Steady, Others Lower-Cows Generally Ten Lower.

HOG TRADE FAIRLY ACTIVE AND HIGHER

Run of Sheep Only Moderate, with the Fat Kinds Steady and Lambs Unchanged-Feeding Sheep Stendy to Strong.

SOUTH OMAHA, Dec. 12, 1905. Two days this week. 13,022
Two days last week. 10,588
Same week before. 8,970
Same three weeks ago. 9,497
Same four weeks ago. 13,720
Same days last year. 10,425 RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE. The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for

1 1905 [1904, 1903, 1902, 1901, 1900, 1899,

Indicates Sunday. *Indicates Sunday.

The following table shows the prices paid at the river markets for cattle:

Good to choice corn-fed steers. \$5.00@6.00
Fair to good cornfed steers. \$4.60@5.00
Common to fair cornfed steers. \$3.50@4.50
Good to choice cows and heifers. \$2.60@4.55
Fair to good cows and heifers. \$2.70@3.55
Canners and cutters. \$1.70@2.25
Good to choice stockers and feed's \$3.00@4.00
Fair to good stockers and feeders. \$2.50@3.00
Common to fair feeders. \$2.50@3.00
Veal calves. \$3.00@6.00 RANGE OF PRICES.

Omaha Cattle Hogs.
Chicago 1,0006.75 \$4,0004.9
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Kansas City 2,0006.25 4,0005.0
St. Louis 1,9506.00 4,0005.0 Cattle. Hogs. Sh'r. H'ser C., M. & St. P..... Missouri Pacific Missouri Pacific 5
Union Pacific system 29
C. & N. W. (east). 11
C. & N. W. (west). 48
G. St. P. M. & O. 18
C. B. & Q. (east). 1
C. B. & Q. (west). 123
C. R. i. & P. (east). 9
C. R. I. & P. (west). 1
Illinois Central 2
Chi. Gt. Western 6

Total receipts277 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated Buyers. Omana Packing Co..... Cattle. Hogs Swift and Company 1,345 Cudahy Packing Co. 1,115 1,115

Soi Degan

J. B. Root & Co...

Bulla & Kline
Other buyers 3,412

mand for the kind of cows offered for sale with the result that the market was rather slow and in most cases fully loc lower.

There was a moderate supply of stockers and feeders, but the quality of the offerings was generally rather poor. There were quite a number of country buyers in, but they were looking for the better grades of stock. There was not much attention being paid to the weight of the feeder cattle, but buyers were looking at the quality. Generally speaking, the market on stockers and feeders was steady on the good choice kinds to some easier on the medium and common class of cattle, keptesentative sales:

WESTERNS-NEBRASKA.

27 feeders. 223 3 10
A. C. Morrison-Neb.

12 cows... 1225 3 35
14 heifers... 767 3 25 4 cows....1117 2 25
Hugun & Jensen, Wyoming.

28 feeders. 1097 4 25
15 feeders. 1097 4 25
26 cows.... 25 24 feeders... 230 3 40
16 cows.... 961 3 06
Jacob Nostrum-Wyoming.

24 steers... 1208 2 35
HOGS-There was a liberal run of hogs

Jacob Nostrum-Wyoming.

24 steers...1265 255

HOGS—There was a liberal run of hogs on the market today, 150 cars—about 16,500 head—being reported in up to noon. This is a good run for the day and was rather beyond expectations. However, the market opened with trade rather slow and buyers in most cases bidding prices that were just about steady with yesterday. Sellers were unwilling to sell at that price and held on, with the result that soon buyers raised their bids about 2½c. where the bulk of the sales took place. The bulk of the sales for the day was at 14.8039.55. Later on the market improved still more and a number of sales were made at prices about a nickel higher. The top sale of the day was made at 14.22½, which was 7½c librher than yesterday. The market was in a good, healthy condition and sales were made at prices that were generally 2½565c higher. The quality of the offerings was good, excepting for a few loads, which were rather slow in selling. The market closed active and generally a 4ckel higher.

Representative sales:

No. Av. Sh. Pr.
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No. 155 450 4824

80 4 75

214 4 85
225 4 85
317 80 4 85
310 4 85
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Quotations on fat sheep and lambs: Good to choice fed lambs, \$7.25/27.50; good to choice range lambs, \$7.20/27.30; good to choice yearling wethers, \$5.00/26.25; good to choice old wethers, \$5.40/26.26; good to choice old ewes, \$4.65/36.40.

Quotations for feeder sheen and lambs; Good feeding lambs, \$5.75/36.25; good feeding yearlings, \$4.75/35.25; good feeding wethers, \$4.50/35.00; good feeding ewes, \$3.50/36.10; breding ewes, \$4.50/35.00.

Av. Pr.

western western 183 western yearlings and ewes.
23 native lambs.
1 native lamb

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET Cattle Dull-Hogs Strong-Sheep and Lambs Steady.

Lambs Steady.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12—CATTLE—Receipts.
6,000 head. Market dull; common to prime steers, \$2.0095,05; cows, \$2.80034,40; helfers, \$2.0055,06; bulls. \$2.0094,15; stockers and feeders, \$2.1504,25.

HOGS—Receipts, \$5,000 head. Market was strong; choice to prime heavy, \$4.9005.00; medium to good heavy, \$4.804,490; butchers weight, \$4.9065.00; good to choice heavy mixed, \$4.8564,95; packing, \$4.7564,90.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 18.000 head. Market steady; sheep, \$4.0066.00; yearlings, \$6.0007.00; lambs, \$7.0067.75.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

Kansas City. Dec. 12.—CATTLE—Receipts, 18,600 head, including 300 southerns; market steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, \$5,500,650; fair to good, \$2.50 (95.25; western steers, \$3,250,445; stockers and feeders, \$2,500,440; southern steers, \$2,500,440; southern cows, \$2,000,255; native cows, \$2,000,400; native helfers, \$2,500,500; holls, \$2,000,400; calves, \$3,00,37,90.

HOGS—Receipts, 17,000 head: market opened 5c lower and closed strong; top. \$5,06; bulk of sales, \$4,800,457½; heavy, \$4,900,506; packers, \$4,900,457½; bigs and lights, \$4,000,4,22½;

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 9,000 head: market steady; native lambs, \$5,50 (97,50); western lambs, \$5,50 (97,50); western lambs, \$5,50 (97,50); western fed yearlings, \$5,500,60; western fed sheep, \$4,250,610; stockers and feeders, \$3,250,475. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. St. Leuis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 12—CATTLE—Receipts, 7,500 head, including 1,500 Texans, market weak; mative shipping and export steers, \$4.7506.00; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$2.606.25; steers under 1,000 pounds, \$2.406.400; stockers and feeders, \$2.0063.10; cows and helfers, \$1.556.4.40; canners, \$1.756.2.10; bulls, \$2.2563.50; calves, \$2.506.50; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.1063.80; cows and helfers, \$2.1063.15.

HOGS—Receipts, 13,000 head; market steady; pigs and lights, \$4.406.4.90; packers, \$4.506.4.90; butchers and best heavy, \$4.756.5.00.

Receipts of live stock at the six principal estern markets yesterday were as follows: Hogs. Sheep. 9,000 9,000 11,200 9,000 11,200 9,000 11,200 3,006 13,000 2,500 35,000 18,000 outh Omaha Cattle.

loux City 1,400
ansas City 18,000
L Joseph 4,651
Louis 7,500
hicago 8,000 Sioux City Cansas City

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. — COTTON — Spot closed quiet 30 points decline; middling uplands, 11.80c; middling gulf, 12.05c. Sales, none.
ST. LOUIS. Mo., Dec. 12.—COTTON—
steady; middling, 11%c. Sales, none; receipts, 636 bales; shipments, 391 bales;
stock; 30,184 bales. stock. 20.184 bales.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 12.—COTTON—Spot. limited demand; orices lower; American middling fair, 6.60d; good middling, 6.26d; middling, 6.08d; low middling, 5.92d; good ordinary, 5.74d; ordinary, 5.58d. The sales of the day were 6.000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 5.100 bales of American. Receipts, 27.000 bales, including 29,200 bales of American. Dec. 12. - COTTON - Spot. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 12.—COTTON—Steady, quiet; sales, 1,200 bales; ordinary, 9c; good ordinary, 19.3c; low middling, 11 1-5c; middling, 11 1-15c; good middling, 12 1-15c; middling fair, 12%c. Receipts, 11,-582 bales; stock, 312.104 bales.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Special telegraphic and cable 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, decreased 708,000 bu.: afloat for and in Europe, increased 4,400,000 bu.: total supply, increased 3,252,000 bu.

Corn, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increased 2,172,000 bu.: decreased, 439,000 bu.

The leading increases reported this week are 1,250,000 bu. in Manitoba, 561,000 at Portland, Me. 216,000 at Omaha, 137,000 at Goodrich. Ont. 75,000 at Cieveland, 71,000 at Louisville and 70,000 at Port Huron.

The leading decreases are 652,000 bu. at Chicago private elevators, 70,000 at Ogdensburg, 60,000 at Lincoln and vicinity, 66,000 at Burlington and 50,000 at the Minneapolis private elevators.

Sugar and Molasses.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—SUGAR—Raw, strong; fair refining, 34c; centrifugal 96 test, 434c; molasses sugar, 25c; Refined, firm; No. 6, 4.10c; No. 7, 4.66c; No. 8, 4c; No. 2, 2.96c; No. 10, 2.90c; No. 11, 2.85c; No. 12, 2.86c; No. 13, 3.75c; No. 14, 3.56c; confectioners; A. 4.56c; mould A. 5.66c; cut loaf, 5.40c; crushed, 5.40c; nowdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c; cubes, 4.95c.

MOLASSES—Firm; New Orients open kettle, good to choice, 29638c.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 12.—SUGAR—Firm; open kettla, 2964c; open kettle centrifugal, 3446c; vellows, 34,633c; seconds, 2923c; MOLASSES—Open kettle, 20636c; centrifugal, 84490c. Syrup, 20620c. Sugar and Molasses.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—COFFEE—Market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points, under a continuance of Wall street liquidation, rather disappointing French cables and somewhat heavier Brazilian receipts. The solling pressure was not so aggressive as recently, however, and after some irregularity the market turned firm in the late session on buying by local interests,

moderate demand from Europe and cov vance of 50715 points. Bales were toported of 52.56 bags, including January at 4.500 bags, at 6.300 bags, April at 6.500 bays, at 6.300 bags, and October at 6.300 between at 6.300 bays, nominal; No. 7, invoice, 7540.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Condition of Tride and Quotations on Simple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS-Fresh receipts candled stock, 3c. LIVE POULTRY-Hens, 84c, roosters, turkeys, 129413c; aucks, 84c; spring be; turkeys, liggille; ducks, Sige; spring chickens, Sige; geese, Sc.
DRESSED POULTRY-Turkeys, 1491be; old toms, 125gille; chickens, Spille; old roosters, 7c; ducks, 1021bc; geese, 10c.
BUTTER-Packing stock, 15c; choice to fancy dairy, 186180; creamery, 216214c; prints, 214c. SUGAR-Standard granulated, in bbls. \$5.11 per cwt.; cubes, \$6.00 per cwt.; cut-loaf, \$6.50 per cwt.; No. 6, extra C. bags or bbls. \$5.00 per cwt.; No. 16, extra C. bag only, \$4.90 per cwt.; No. 16 yellow, bags only, \$4.90 per cwt.; No. 16 yellow, bags only, \$4.90 per cwt.; XXXX powdered. 8.55 per cwt. FRESH FISH—Trout 19311c; halibut 13c; buffalo, dressed, 5c; pickerel, dressed, 646; white bass, dressed, 12c; suntish, 6c; perch, scaled and dressed, 8c; pike, 15c; catfish,

scaled and dressed, Sc.; pike, Ne.; catfish, 13c.; red snapper, Ne.; salmon, He.; redpples, 12c.; eels, 18c.; bullheads, He.; slack bass, 25c.; whitefish, 12c.; frog legs, per doz., 35c.; lobsters, green, 27c.; bulled lobsrers, 80c.; shad roe, 45c.; bluefish, 15c.; herring, 4c.

HAY-Prices quoted by Omaha Feed company; No. 1 upland, \$7.; medium, \$6.5c; coarse, \$8. BRAN-Per ton, \$14.50. TROPICAL FRUITS DATES—Per box of 30 1-1b, pkgs., \$2.00; Hallowee, in 70-1b, boxes, per 1b., 54c; layer, per lb., 5c; walnut-stuffed, 1-1b, pkgs. \$2.00 per dox., bulk, 7c per 1b.; 7-1b, boxes,

22.00 per doz., bulk, 7c per 10.; 7-16. boxes, \$1.00.

ORANGES—California Navels, all sizes, \$3.25; Florida, all sizes, \$5.00.

LEMONS—Limoniera, extra fancy, 240 size, \$4.25; 300 and 300 sizes, \$4.75@5.00.

FIGS—California, per 10-16. carton, 75@ 56c; imported Smyrna, 4-crown, 12c; 6-crown, 14c.

BANANAS—Per medium-sized bunch, \$1.75 g2.25; Jumbos, \$2.50@3.0s.

TANGERINES—Florida, per box of about 125, \$3.00. about 125, \$3.00. GRAPE FRUIT-Per box, \$5.50. FRUITS.
PEARS - Lawrence and Mount Vernon, \$2.50. APPLES - California Belleflowers, \$1.50 per bu. box; Colorado Jonathans, \$2.00 per bu. box; Ben Davis, \$1.65 per bu. box; Winesaps, \$2.00 per bu. box; other, varieties, \$2.00 per bu., New York apples, \$4.50 per

ybl.
GRAPES-Imported Malagas, \$5.5006.00.
CRANBERRIES-Jerseys, \$12.00 per bbl.;
Bell and Bugie, \$12.50.
OLD VEGETABLES. PCTATULES - Home-grown, per bu., 60% Ec. South Pakota, per bu., 75c.
ONIONS-Home-grown, yellow and red,

per bu. Sec. Spanish, per crate, \$1.70.

NAVY BEANS—Fer bu. \$4.00.

LIMA BEANS—Per bu. 54.0.

CABBAGE—Home-grown and Wisconsin, CARROTS, PARSNIPS AND TURNIPS -Per bu., togree. Cr.Lenti-Kammazoo, per doz., 25c. SWEET POTATOES-Kansas, per 3-bu. NEW VEGETABLES.

CAULIFLOWER-FOR crate, \$2%. TOMATOES-California, per crate of 10 WAX BEANS-Per namper of about 50 Ibs. net, \$3.50.
STRING BEANS-Per hamper of about 30 bs. net, \$3.004.00.
EGG PLANT-Florida, per doz., \$1.25@ 1.50, GREEN PEPPERS-Florida, per hamper of about 10 doz., \$2.50. TURNIPS-Louisians, per doz. bunches, BHALLOTTS - Louisiana, per doz.

HEAD LETTUCE-Louisiana, per bbl., \$3.00g10.00; per doz heads, \$1.00. LEAF LETTUCE—Hot house, per box of 12 to 15 heads, 65c. CUCUMBERS—Hot house, per doz., \$1.25 \$1.50. RADISHES-Hot house, per doz. bunches,

RADISHES—Hot house, per doz. bunches, 75c.

MUSHROOMS—Hot house, per lb., 50/275c.
Sterling coffee sets. Edholm, jeweler.

BEEF CUTS.

No. 1 rib, 12½c; No. 2 rib, 8½c; No. 3 rib, 6c; No. 1 loin, 19c; No. 2 loin, 10½c; No. 3 loin, 7½c; No. 1 chucks, 6c; No. 2 chucks, 4c; No. 3 chucks, 3c; No. 1 round, 5c; No. 2 round, 6½c; No. 3 round, 5½c; No. 1 plate, 4c; No. 2 plate, 3c; No. 3 plate, 2½c.

MISCELLANEOUS. MISCELLANEOUS.

CIDER-Per keg, \$1.75; per bbl., \$6.7 HONEY-New, per 24 lbs., \$5.50. CHEESE-Swiss, new, 5c; Wise brick, He; Wisconsin Imperger, 13c; Wisconsin brick, 14c; Wisconsin imberger, 13c; twing, 144c; young Americas, 144c.

NUTS-Walnuts, No. 1 soft shells, new crop, per lb., 154c; hard shells, per lb., 134c. Pecans, large, per lb., 14c; small, per lb., 12c. Peanuts, per lb., 7c; roasted, per lb., 8c. Chill walnuts, per lb., 12g134c. Almonds, soft shells, per lb., 15c; hard shells, per lb., 15c. Shellbark hickory nuts, per bu., \$2.2s; large hickory nuts, per bu., \$2.3s large hickory nuts, per bu., \$2.5c. Chestnuts, per lb., 16c. Coccanuts, \$4.30 per

bu. \$2.25; larg. hickory nuts. per bu. \$1.50. Chestnuts, per lb., lic. Coccanuts, \$4.50 per sack of 100.

HIDES—No. 1 green, 9c; No. 2 green, 8c; No. 1 salted, 10½c; No. 2 salted, 9½c; No. 1 veal calf, lic; No. 2 /eal calf, 9c; dry salted, 7½14c; cheep pelts, 25c%\$1.00; horse hides, 21.50\$25.00.

HOLLY—In cases, 2x2x4 feet, 50c per case; in bbls. \$1.50 per bbl.

MISTLETOE—Per lb., 25c.

WREATHS—Holly, magnolia and evergreen, \$1.50 per doz.

Oils and Rosin NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—OILS—Cottonsecd, steady: prime crude, nominal; prime yellow, 296294c. Petroleum, steady: refined, New York, \$7.50; Philadelphia and Baltimore, \$7.75, prime, in bulk, \$4.65. Turpentine, quiet, \$46644c.

ROSIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, \$5.30.

83.30 SAVANNAH, Dec, 12.—OIL—Turpentine, SAVANNAH. Dec. 12.—OIL—Turpentine.
frm. 51c.
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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following deeds were filed for record M. Graham to Charles Collen.

J. M. Graham to Charles Collen, same
F. M. Shoemaker et al. to Mary I, Shoemaker, lots 5 and 6, block C. Saunders & H's Add...
Ida D. Glass and husband to J. J. Fitzgerald, lot 6, block 2, Mount Douglas Add...

DEEDS.

Frank Thompson et al. to leaac Levy, lot 11, block 77, South Omaha.
G. H. Thummel (special administrato) to J. O. H. Pitney, 5 acres in new swiig 25-15-12

Total amount of transfers...... PRIVATE WIRES Von Dorn Grain Co.

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