Selling Operations Fredominate Fit on Liverpool Weakness.

GOOD INCREASE IN VISIBLE EXPECTED

Winter Wheat Plant Bare of Snow and When Hard Freeze Comes Damage Reports Will Not Be Surprising.

"There was quite a large trade at the start," says the Exchange Grain company's letter, "selling operations predominating on the weakness in Liverpool, which was due to free offerings of Argentina sorts, with predictions for large world's shipments. Commission houses were on both sides of the market, and while fluctuations were narrow the local crowd, including the soulpers, were inclined to be bullish on the situation, and there was free covering by shorts. The market quieted down to quite an extent, but there was some selling on expectations of a good sized increase in the visible. Many conservative people in the trade were of the opinion that declines had gone far enough and as the winter wheat plant is bare of snow a hard freeze might create sufficient injury to bring in damage reports. There are hints of a better cash demand.

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"The bear crowd started in with raiding tactics again at the start on improved weather and increased receipts, but strong support was extended, commission houses buying very freely, many resting orders being reached in the May and under that point was more than sufficient to absorb all offerings. There was a big trade and it looks to us as if stout resistance would be shown toward all declining tendencies.

"There was free selling of May kind by local longs, commission houses buying, however, on resting orders, bus-the market did not show much snap and closed easy."

Primary wheat receipts were 64,000 bu. and shipments 22,000 bu, against receipts a year ago of 63,000 bu, against receipts a year ago of 733,000 bu, and shipments of 753,000 bu. Clearences were 48,000 bu. and shipments of 753,000 bu. Clearences were 48,000 bu. Liverpool closed %694d lower on wheat and 4d lower on corn.

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Broomhall estimates world's wheat shipments at \$600,000 bushels, as compared with \$112,000 bushels last week and \$112,000 bushels last year.

A large export business in wheat and corn has been closed the last few days, owing to decline in prices, but the exact figures are withheld, exporters not caring to tell all their business. If the claims of the seaboard are right, sales of wheat in the last three days are close to 1,000,000 bushels and corn over 500,000 bushels. That there is more export business on the way is evidenced by the enlarged engagements of ocean room of late, which has taken up the surplus tomage and strengthened ocean rates from New York to Liverpool from 13d to 13d.

Local range of options:

Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y

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Omnha Cash Prices. WHEAT-No. 2 hard, 590554c; No. 8 hard, 19654c; No. 4 hard, 54655c; No. 3 spring. OATS-No. 3 mixed, 314662c; No. 8 white, 24c; No. 4 white, 32c. RYE-No. 2, 59c; No. 3, 58c.

Carlot Receipts.

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

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—A new low record price for the May delivery in wheat was reached in the local market today, when that option sold at 75 kg. The decline was caused to some extent by liberal receipts at all primary points in the United States. At the close May was a point below the final muotations of yesterday. Corn was unchanged. Oats were 150 kg lower. Provisions were from 250 higher to 25425c lower.

Sentiment in the wheat pit was bearish Sentiment in the wheat pit was bearish all day, but during the last hour the de-sire to sell became less urgent and the market became steady. The new low record

market became steady. The new low record mark was touched boon after the opening and also later in the day. The general situation showed little change. Weather conditions were favorable for the movement, the demand for cash wheat continued slow and trade in flour was exceedingly dull. The market was influenced at the opening by lower prices at Liverpool and by liberal receipts in the northwest. Later the market was bearishly affected by large primary receipts, the total movement today being 635,000 bu. as against 63,000 for the corresponding day one year ago. Cash and primary receipts, the total movement today being 654,000 bu. as against 633,000 for the corresponding day one year ago. Cash and commission houses were the principal sellers and shorts the chief buyers. The market closed steady. May opened unchanged to 560 lower at 754,07556. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 452,000 bu. Minneapells, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 657 cars, as against 550 last week and 425 one year ago.

Despite renewed efforts by the bears to break the corn market, prices held steady all day, because of good support by several leading commission houses. Improved weather conditions and liberal receipts were factors favoring lower prices, but they were offset by large clearances. The market closed steady. May opened unchanged to a shade higher at 45c to 439,435c, sold off to 455c and closed at 48c. Local receipts were 585 cars, with two of contract grade.

Trading in oats was fairly active and the market was easier because of liberal receipts and in sympathy with wheat. Commission houses and cash interests were the chief sellers, while the principal demand came from shorts. May opened 455c and closed at 554,6255c, sold up to 3556cs and closed at 554,6255c, sold up to 3556cs and closed at 554,6255c, sold up to 3556cs and closed ars.

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closed at \$3,935%c. Local receipts were
256 cars.
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sales, but soon railied on buying by local
packers and shorts. The demand for lard
was especially active. At the close May
pork was up 25%c at \$15.65%, lard was off
25.65%c at 35.65 and ribs were up 25%c at
\$5.05%g\$.05.
Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat,
77 cars; corn, 563 cars; oats, 573 cars; hogs,
45.000 head.
The leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y.

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WHEAT-No. 2 spring, 7607840; No. 3 spring, Tightlic.

CORN-No. 2 \$250; No. 2 yellow, \$640. OATS-No. 2 354c; No. 2 white, 3540 Styc: No. 2 white, 35405c. RYE-No. 1 slc. BARLEY-Fair to choice maiting, 4740

SEEDS-No. 1 flax, H.15; No. 1 north-westers, H.20. Prime timothy, H.35. Clover, contract grade, \$12.75.
PROVISIONS-Short ribs, sides (loose), \$2.5008.75. Mess pork, per bbl., \$16.02%, Land, per 103 lbs., \$2.25. Short clear sides (boxed), \$124409.35.

CRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET ter market was steady; creamery, 22631c; dairy, 20627c. Eegs, firm; at mark, cases included, 116226c; firsts, 28c; prime firsts, 24c; extras, 86c. Cheese, steady, 13614c. NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

> Commodities. Commodities.
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> NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—\$LOUR—Receipts, 16.717 bbis.; exports, 11.827 bbis. Market dull and barely steady; Minnesota patents, \$4.00\(\pi \).30; Minnesota bakers, \$2.75; winter patents, \$3.50\(\pi \).275; winter straights, \$2.40\(\pi \).3.50; winter extras, \$2.30\(\pi \).3.00; winter low grades, \$1.70\(\pi \).90. Rye flour, duil; fair to good, \$2.65\(\pi \).280; choice to fancy, \$2.85\(\pi \).4.26. Buckwheat flour, quiet; \$2.15\(\pi \).25, spot and to arrive. BUCKWHEAT—Quiet; \$1.25 per 100 pounds.

> pounds.
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> CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow. \$1.20 \(\frac{1}{2} \); coarse, \$1.10 \(\frac{1}{2} \). 12; kiln dried, \$2.75 \(\frac{1}{2} \). 80.
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> RYE—Nominal: No. 2 western, 60% c. s. f. New York; Jersey and state, \$44786c, delivered New York.
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> BARLEY—Nominal; feeding, \$4.15 c. l. f. Buffalo.

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WHEAT-Receipts, \$1,000 bu.; exports, \$,000 bu.; sales, \$1,200,000 bu. futures. Spot market easy; No. 2 red. 78%c, nominal, in elevator; No. 2 red. 50%c, nominal, in elevator; No. 1 northern Duluth, 58%c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, \$3%c, f. o. b., afloat. The early wheat market sold at new low prices for the season on prospects for large world's shipments and easier cables, but rallied on covering and closed %c net lower. May, \$17.16 \$11-15c, closed at \$1%c; July, \$1.981%c, closed at \$1%c; July, \$1.981%c, closed at \$1%c; July, \$1.981%c, closed at \$1%c; f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 yellow, \$9c; No. 2 white, 50c. Option market was quiet and about steady, closing %c net lower. January closed at \$1%c; May, 50% \$50%c, closed at \$0%c.

OATS-Receipts, \$172,500 bu; exports, \$4.495 bu. Spot market steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, \$28 kg, mixed

July closed at 50 %c.

OATS—Receipts. 172,500 bu.; exports.
5,495 bu. Spet market steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 39 %29 %c; natural white. 30 to 32 pounds, 40 %4c.

HAY—Firm; shipping, 85 %96; good to choice. 31.05 %1.15.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice. 1906, 18 % 23c; 1905, 8 %11c; Pacific coast, 1906, 14 % 17c; 1905, 10 % 14c.

HIDES—Steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 pounds, 20c; California, 21 to 25 pounds, 20c; California, 6 % 6 %c.

EEATHER—Steady; Galveston, 10 to 25 %c.; country (pkgs. free), 6 %6 %c.; country (pkgs. free), 10 %6 %6 %c.; ountry (pkgs. free), 10 %6 %6 %c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, firm; family, \$14.50 15.00; mess, \$25.50 %25.00 city extra India mess, \$20.50 %25.00 city extra India mess, \$20.50 %6 %6 %c.

Poot 11 %6 pickled hams, \$12.00 Lard, barely steady; western prime, \$9.40 % %5 %6 %6 %c.; Japan, nominal.

POULTRY—Live, quiet; fowis, 18c; western chickens, 12c; turkeys, 15c, Dressed, steady; western chickens, 12 %6 %c. creamery common to extra, 22 %5 c; official price, creamery common to extra, 22 %5 c; state dairy common to firsts, 21 %22; western imitation creamery firsts, 22 %24c.

CHEESE—Firm; state full cream, small and large, September, fancy, 14%c; state, October best, 12 %6 %6; state, where made, average best, 12 %6 %6 %c; state, inferior, 116 12c.

EGGS—Irregular; selected, 32 %3 %c; choice, 28 %60c; mixed, extra, 26c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5.—WHEAT-Lower; track, No. 2 red cash, 7446754c; No. 2 hard, 7046724c; May, 744c; July, 774c.
CORN-Lower; track, No. 2 cash, 294600; May, 414c; July, 42c; No. 2 white, 41c.
OATS-Lower; track, No. 2 cash, 356354c; January, 34c; May, 3546354c; No. 2 white, 507364c.

\$8678634c.
FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, \$2.55 (2.75; extra fancy and straight, \$2.1003.45; clear, \$2.5502.85.
SEED—Timothy, steady; \$3.2503.75.
CORNEAL—Quiet, \$2.20.
BRAN—Dull; sucked, east track, \$26054c.
HAY—Steady; timothy, \$16019; prairie, \$12615.

HAY—Steady; timbers, 1.02.

126:15.

IRON COTTON TIES—\$1.02.

BAGGING—\$14c.

HEMP TWINE—\$c.

PROVISIONS — Pork, lower; jobbing.
\$18.60. Lard, higher; prime steam, \$9.05.

Dry sait meats, steady; boxed extra shorts,
\$9.124,499.374; clear ribs, \$9.374; short clears,
\$9.50. Bacon steady; boxed extra shorts,
\$9.59.754; clear ribs, \$10.124; short clear,
\$10.25.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 5.—WHEAT—May, Mac; July, &c. Cash: No. 2 hard, 69471c; o. 3, 6434080c; No. 2 red, 70440714c; No. 3, 56770c. CORN-May, 384c; July, 294c; September, 394c. Cash: No. 2 mixed, 254c; No. 2, 9%c. Cash: No. 3 mixed, 36%c; No. 3, 8c; No. 2 white, 37%c; No. 3, 37%c. OATS—No. 2 white, 36c; No. 2 mixed,

Board of Trade quotations for Kansas City delivery. The range of prices, as re-ported by Logan & Bryan, 112 Board of Trade building, was: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y

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Philadelphia Froduce Market.
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—BUTTER—
Unchanged: extra western creamery, official price, 32%c, street price 33%c; extra nearby prints, 36c.
EGGS—Steady but quiet; nearby fresh and western fresh, 37c, at mark.
CHEESE—Dull and steady; New York full creams, fancy, 14%c; New York full creams, choice, 14%c; New York full creams, fair to good, 14c.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Jan. 5.—WHEAT—Steady; No. 1 northern, 75440794c; No. 2 northern, 1446078c; May. 75440754c, asked. BARLEY—Steady; No. 2, 5544056c; sample, H@55c. OATS—Steady; standard, 25@554c. CORN—Steady; No. 3, cash, 39@394c; May, 43c, asked.

Minneapolis Grain Market. Minneapolis Grain Market.

Minneapolis, Jan. 5.—WHEAT—May,
764,676%c; July, 77%c; No. 1 hard, 77%c;
75%c; .o. 1 northern, 75%677%c; No. 2
northern, 74%cfff%c.
FLOUR—First patents, \$4.2004.20; second patents, \$4.0564.15; first second clears, \$2.2002.25;
BRAN—\$16.50.

PEORIA, Jan. 5.—CORN—Lower: No. 3 yellow, 354c; No. 3, 354c; No. 4, 374c.
OATS—Firm: No. 2 white, 35c: No. 2 white, 244@345c; No. 4; white, 334c.
RYE—Steady: No. 2, 3566c.
WHISKY—On basis of \$1.29 for finished

Liverpool Grain Market LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.—WHEAT—Spot, firm: No. 2 red western winter, 6s. Futures, dull; March, 6s 2%d; May, 6s 2%d; Juty, 5s 11%d.
CORN—Spot, steady; American mixed, new, 4s 2%d; old, 4s 4%d. Futures, quiet; January, 4s 11%d; March, 4s %d.

Duluth Grain Market. DULUTH. Jan. 8.—WHEAT—On track: No. 1 northern. 78%c; No. 2 northern, 74%c; May, 77%c; July, 78%c. OATS—To arrive, 28%c. RYE—58c. BARLEY—350 @c.

Toledo Seed Market. TOLEDO, Jan. 5.—SEEDS-Clover, cash and January, \$8.55; February, \$8.60; March. \$8.60; April. \$8.60; prime timothy, \$2.66; prime alsike, \$7.60.

PROVISIONS—Short ribs, sides (loose).
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but steady, with choice quoted at 12c; ex-tra choice, 12%c; fancy, 13c. Raisins are unchanged; hose muscatel are quoted at 74@84c; seeded raisins, 7240c; London lay-

condition of Trade and Quotations of Staple and Fancy Produce. GGS-Per dor. 25923c; market easy. VE POULTRY-Hens. 5684c; roosters, turkeys, 10613c; ducks. 9610c; young osters, \$684c; geese, \$69c. BUTTER-Packing stock, 194c; choice o fancy dairy, 255 Sc; creamery, 275 Sie. HAY-Choice upland, 25.50; medium, 25.50; coarse, 25.0038.50. Rye straw, 26.5037.50; BRAN-Per top, 15.00.

NEW VEGETABLES.
TOMATOES-Florida, per 6-basket crate
d 30 lbs., \$7.50gs.00.
WAX BEANS-Per bu. box, \$1.00g6.00.
LEAF LETTUCE-Hothouse, per dos. cads, 46c. CELERY—California, per doz., 75c@\$1.00. CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, per dox., \$1.58g HORSERADIBH-Case of 2 doz., \$1.90. RADISHES-Per doz. bunches. southers. arge bunches, 75c; hot house, \$5240c. GREEN PEPPERS-Per 6-basket crate, PARSLEY-Hothouse, per don bunches, c; southern, 20c. HEAD LETTUCE-Southern, per dos.

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SHALLOTS—Southern, per bu., 50c.
OLD VEGETABLES.
TURNIPS, CARROTS, BEETS, PARSNIPS—Per bu., 75c.
SWEET POTATOES—Kansus, per bbl., 25.25. Illnois, per large bbl., 23.00.
ONIONS—Home grown, per bu., 60c; Spanish, per crate, 22.00; Colorado, per bu., 75c. NAVY BEANS-Per bu., \$1.65; No. 114c per lb. EGG PLANT—Per doz., \$2.25@\$3.00. POTATOES—Per bu., 40@50c. RUTABAGAS—About 150 lbs. to sack, \$1.50.

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FRUITS.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., \$8.00@9.00.

APPLES—Hen Davis, choice, \$2.00; fancy, per bbl., \$2.25; Jonathans, \$3.50; New York apples, \$3.25.

PEARS—Winter Nells, per box, \$3.00.

GRAPES—Malaga, per bbl., \$5.00@7.00.

TROPICAL FRUIT.

ORANGES—Florida oranges, all sizes, \$1.25@2.50; California navels, extra fancy, all sizes, \$3.00; fancy, \$2.85.

LEMONS—Limonners. extra fancy, 240 size, \$4.50; 300 and 390 size, \$4.50; other brands, 50c less.

BANANAS—Per medium-sized bunch, \$2.00@2.25; jumbos, \$2.50@3.50.

DATES—Kadaway, 54.c; sayers, 5c; Hallowis, new stuffed wainut dates, 9-lb. box, \$1.10.

GRAPE FRUIT—Size 54 to 64 and 20 to 26, \$4.55. FIGS-California, bulk, 5%c; FIGS—California, bulk, 5½c; 6-crown Turkish, 15c; 6-crown, 14c; 3-crown, 12c. COCOANUTS—Per sack of 100, 24.50, CUT BEEF PRICES.

Ribs: No. 1, 14½c; No. 2, 9½c; No. 3, 6½c. Loin: No. 1, 18c; No. 2, 12½c; No. 3, 9c. Chuck: No. 1, 6½c; No. 2, 6c; No. 3, 4c. Round: No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7c; No. 3, 6½c. Piate: No. 1, 4½c; No. 2, 4c; No. 3, 3c.

Plate: No. 1, %c, No. 2, 4c; No. 3, 6%c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CHEESE—Swiss, new, 16c; Wisconsin brick, 16%c; Wisconsin limberger, 14c; twins, 16%c; Wisconsin limberger, 14c; twins, 16%c; Young Americans, 16%c.

FISH—Trout, 12c; haibut, 12c; catfish, 16c; buffalo, 8c; bullheads, 12c; black bass, fine stock, 25c salmon, 12c; pike, 12c; red snapper, fresh frozen, 13c; willow perch, dressed and scaled, 3c; pickerel, fresh frozen, 9c; frog legs, 40c per doz. saddles.

CURED FISH—Family whitefish, per quarter bbl., 100 ibs, 4,00; Norway mackerel, No. 1, \$35.00; No. 2, \$28.00; herring in bbls, 200 ibs. each, Norway, 4k, \$5.00; Norway, 3k, \$5.00; Holland herring, in kegs, milkers, 80c; kegs, mixed, 70c.

HIDES AND TALLOW—Green salted, No. 1, 12%c; No. 3, 11%c; bull hides, Jeji0c; green HIDES AND TALLOW—Green saited, No. 1, 12½c; No. 2, 11½c; bull hides, Jülloc; green hides, No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 10c; horse, \$1,509 3.75; sheep pelts, 50c@\$1.25. Tallow, No. 1, 4½c; No. 2, 3¾c.

NUTS—French walnuts, 12½c; California walnuts, No. 2, hard shell, 12c; No. 1, soft shell, 15½c; Brazils, 15g/16c; pecans, 18g/1c; fiberts, 13g/16c; peanuts, raw, 7¼c; roasted, 9c; California almonds, hard shell, 16c; soft shell, 17c.

HONEY—Per 24 frames, \$2.50.

CIDER—New York, half barrel, \$2.75; barrel, \$6.00.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—COTTON—Spot closed steady, 10 points higher; middling uplands. 10.86; middling gulf. 11.10e; no sales.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.—COTTON—Spot, good business done, prices 527 points higher; American middling fair, 6.64d; good middling, 6.16d; middling, 5.94d; low middling, 5.74d; good ordinary, 5.34d; ordinary, 5.10d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 8,400 American. Receipts, 4,000 bales, all American.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 10%c; sales, 341 bales; receipts, 1,000 bales; shipments, none; stock, 27,211 bales. Cotton Market. NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 5.—COTTON—Spot closed firm; sales, 4.775 bales; receipts, 11.2% bales; stock, 388,000 bales; low ordinary, 63-16c, nominal; ordinary, 73-16c, nominal; good ordinary, 8½c; low middling, 9½c; middling, 10½c; good middling, 11 5-16c; middling fair, 12 5-16c, nominal; fair, 12 15-16c, nominal.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—OII.—Cottonseed, irregular; prime crude, f. o. b., mills, 35c; prime yellow, 404c. Petroleum, steady; refined, New York, \$7.50; Philadelphia and Baltimore, \$7.45; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, \$4.35. Turpentine, steady, 702704c.

ROSIN—Steady; strained, common to good \$4.35. ROSIN—Steady; strained, common to good, 44.25.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 5.—TURPEN—TINE—Firm, 67%-67%-6.

ROSIN—Firm; sales, 2.961 bbls.; stock, 74.166 bbls.; A. B and C. \$5.9694.00; D. \$2.9594.00; E. \$2.9544.024; F. \$4.0094.05; G. \$4.00994.0745; H. \$4.1694.25; I. \$4.3694.40; K. \$5.06; M. \$5.50; N. \$6.25; W. G., \$6.65; W. W. \$4.80. OIL CITY, Pa., Jan. 5.—OIL—Credit balances, \$1.58; runs, 99.489 bbls.; average, 107,251 bbls.; shipments, 107,062 bbls.; average, 145,860 bbls.

Sugar and Molasses. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 1-16c; centrifugal, 9s test, 3 9-16c. Molasses sugar, 2 13-16c. Refined, steady; No. 6, 4.30c; No. 7, 4.25c; No. 8, 4.30c; No. 10, 4.65c; No. 11, 4.00c; No. 12, 2.96c; No. 13, 2.90c; No. 14, 8.55c; confectioners' A, 4.69c; mouid A, 5.15c; cut leaf and crushed, 5.50c; powdered, 4.50c; granulated, 4.50c; cubes, 5.65c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, 37648c.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 5.—SUGAR—Market steady; open kettle, 256515; centrifugal white, 4.8-16c; seconds, 23468.9-16c.

MOLASSES—New, 29634c.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—METALS—In the absence of cables, the metal markets were generally quiet and prices showed no quotable change. Tin was practically nominal at \$41.00941.25. Copper continued firm, with Lake quoted at \$24.00324.25; electrolytic, \$22.75624.00; casting, \$22.50922.75. Lead was quiet and unchanged, with quotations ranging from \$6.0092.5, according to delivery. Speiter was unchanged at \$6.5595.75. Iron is rather unsettled and holders are said to be a little casier in some instances. Metal Market.

stances. 8T. LOUIS, Jan. 5.-METALS-Lead, higher at \$6.10; spelter, strong at \$6.70. NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—COFFEE—Market for futures opened steady at unchanged prices and improved a partial 5 points during the session on steady European cables, talk of decreasing primary receipts and buying by trade interests. The close was steady, net unchanged to 5 points higher. Sales were reported of 28,250 bags, including March 5.7565.80c; May 5.3565.00c; July 5.16c; August 6.15c; September 6.2565.50c; December 6.4061.63. Spot markets steady; No. 7 Rio 7%c; Santos No. 8, 8%c; mild coffee steady; Cordova 9612%c.

BOSTON, Jan. 5.—One of the most sense tional breaks in the copper market in years occurred today. Trinit, which has been steadily rising for some time, dropped 14 points, from 40 to 28. It railied to 31% at the close. ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5-WOOL-Steady; medium grades, combing and clothing, 249 254c; light fine, 20622c; heavy fine, 169174c; tub washed, 20625c.

Cattle Generally Steady with Last Week's Closing Frices. HOGS ARE HIGHEST SINCE OCTOBER

for the Week, with Sheep and Lambs Ten to Fifteen

Lower All Around. Cattle, Hogs, Sneep, 8,947 2,427 6,135, 2,389 2,686 4,509 8,809 4,814 4,619 4,252 5,547 4,769 1,919 5,560 1,951 250 6,100 128 Official Monday
Official Monday
Official Wednesday ...
Official Thursday ...
Official Friday ...
Official Saturday ... Six days this week... 16,596 Same day last week... 7,117 Same day 2 weeks ago... 25,604 Same day 3 weeks ago. 31,817 Same day 4 weeks ago. 21,005 Same week last year... 12,348

Date. | 1907. | 1906. | 1906. | 1904. | 1908. | 1902. | 1901. Dec. 27... 6 14% 5 00 4 52 * 6 45 6 37 4 82 Quotations on feeders: Good to choice Dec. 28... 6 15% 4 90 4 55 4 61 * 6 25 4 77 lambs, \$5.25@6.50; medium lambs, \$5.7597425; Dec. 29... 6 21% 5 00 4 57 4 49 6 51 * 4 81 light lambs, \$4.25@6.25; yearlings, \$5.15@5.50; Dec. 50... * 6 68 4 52 4 51 6 25 6 24 4 30 light lambs, \$4.25@6.25; ewes, \$3.50@4.50; breed-ling ewes, \$4.55@5.26.

Date. | 1907. | 1906. | 1905. | 1904. | 1903. | 1902. | 1901. RANGE OF PRICES.

Chicago Kansas City Sloux City
The official number of cars of stock
brought in today by each road was:
Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. H'ses M. & St. P. Ry

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: mumber of head indicated:
Buyers. Cattle. I
Omahs Packing Co.
Swift and Company... 100
Cudahy Packing Co.
Armour & Co.
F. P. Lewis... 12
Mike Haggerty 6
J. B. Root & Co. 17
T. B. ingram 3
Other buyers 2 Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.

CATTLE—The yards were practically bare of cattle this morning, as usual on a Saturday, but the receipts for the week have been very liberal, showing a large gain over the corresponding week of a year ago. The quality of the cattle coming forward at the present time is not too good, the receipts commisting largely of warmed-up or half fat steers, with only a light sprinkling of the batter grades.

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The market on beer steers has been in pretty fair shape all the week, in spite of the fact that it broke in the middle. At the commencement of the week prices firmed up under the very good buying demand, but on Wednesday under the influence of liberal receipts the advance was lost, the market for that day being both slow and lower. During the latter half of the week prices have gradually firmed up until at the close they are back to where they were at the close of the week. No very choice cattle have arrived during the period under review, but there was a load or two good enough to bring it, which was the top price for the week.

The trade in cows and helfers has been characterized by a very excellent demand for the better grades, which have been free sellers all the week and which on most days have commanded strong prices. On the other hand, common to medium kinds have been pretty slow sale a good share of the week and still at the close are about as high as they were a week ago. Veal calves have been in exceptionally good demand, especially toward the close of the week, and in spite of pretty fair offerings prices have tended upward, as high as \$6.50 being paid for the best.

The demand for the better kinds of feeders weighing around 800 to 900 pounds has been especially good all the week and there have not been enough cattle of that description to meet the requisements of buyers. In consequence of this prices have been very firm and are, if anything, as much as 10615c higher for the week. On the other hand, the lighter and commoner kinds of cattle are not much wanted, the trade being rather duil, although the demand has been sufficient to keep the moderate supplies well cleaned up. The favorable weather for feeding operations, together with the fact that many of the short-fed cattle being marketed have proven good money-makers, is evidently stimulating the demand for cattle suitable to be placed on immediate feed.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS. COWS.

HOGS—Soid Mc Bigher this morning and the market was reasonably active at the advance, so much so that the great bulk of the receipts changed hands before in o'clock in the morning. As will be noted from the sales below the most of the hogs soid at \$6.30\text{96.35}, as against \$8.27\text{96.35}\text{97.55}, as against \$8.27\text{97.55}\text{96.35}\text{97.55}\text{98.55}\text{97.55}\text .Av. Sh. Pr. ..100 ... 5 40 .. \$2 ... 5 50

Av. Sh. Pr. 246 6 22% 6 160

Same day 4 weeks ago. 21,095 31,295 32,237
Same week last year... 12,348 31,454 22,318

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

1997. 1906. Inc. Dec.
Cattle ... 12,619 12,348 271

Hogs ... 24,510 31,544 ... 6,344

Sheep ... 15,918 22,318 ... 6,302

CATTLE QUOTATIONS.
Good to choice corn fed steers... 4,5625.40
Common to fair steers... 4,5025.50
Fair to good cows and helfers... 2,6023.50
Good to choice st kers and feeders 4,294.50
Fair to good to choice st kers and feeders 4,294.50
Fair to good stockers and feeders 4,294.50
Fair to good stockers and feeders 4,294.50
Fair to good stockers and feeders 4,294.50
Common to fair stockers ... 2,752.49
Bulls, stags, etc... 2,1594.55
The, following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

Date. | 1902. | 1906. | 1905. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1902. | 1905. | 1

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

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

Kansas City, Jan. 5.—CATTLE—Recepts, 350 head, including 150 southerns; market steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, \$5.5096.50; fair to good, \$4.500 5.50; western fed steers, \$3.7595.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.0094.75; southern steers, \$3.2596.00; southern cows, \$2.0098.50; native cows, \$2.2594.25; native helfers, \$3.0096.00; bulls, \$3.0094.25; calves, \$3.5097.50. Receipts for the week, 30.500 head; opened steady to a shade higher, advance lost; top, \$4.524; bulk of sales, \$6.4096.474; heavy, \$6.450 head. #5.25076.40. Receipts for the week, 45,400 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—No receipts; market steady; lambs, \$6.5607.50; fed ewes and yearlings, \$4.7506.15; western fed yearlings, \$5.7506.50; western fed sheep, \$4.5000.65; stockers and feeders, \$3.2503.75.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—BEEVES—Receipts, 510 head; nothing doing; market feeling firm; dressed beef quiet, but firm at 759c per pound for native sides; extra beef, 9½c; exports, 699 cattle and 5,100 quarters of beef. OALVES-Receipts, 21 head; market feel-CALVES—Receipts, 21 head; market feeling steady; dressed calves in light supply and steady; city dressed veals, 8574c; country dressed, 7@123c; SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1.705 head; market steady; demand moderate, but fully equal to supply, all sold early; fairly good sheep, \$5.00; lambs, \$7.85@8.20; no very prime or choice lambs here.

HOGS—Receipts, \$5.98 head; none for sale

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

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5.—CATTLE—Receipts.
400 head, including 100 Texans. Market was
steady; native shipping and export steers,
\$4.2566.75; dressed beef and butcher steers,
\$4.0667.500; steers under 1.000 ibs., \$3.75624.40;
stockers and feeders, \$2.0064.50; cows and
helfers, \$2.2665.00; canners, \$1.7562.35; buils,
\$2.20694.00; calves, \$3.0068.00; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.5066.50; cows and helfers,
\$2.5063.50.
HOGS—Receipts, 2.000 head. Market was
5c higher; pigs and lights, \$5.7560.50; packers, \$4.1566.50; butchers and best heavy,
\$3.4060.55.

SHEEP AND LAMBS-None on sale. St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH, Jan. 5.—CATTLE—Receipts. 84 hoad. Market nominal; natives. 44.509 7.00; cows and heifers. \$2.2594.90; stockers and feeders. 13.2594.90; hOGS—Receipts. 4.568 head. Market was strong to 5c higher; top, \$6.5596.50; bulk of sales. 84.4696.45 sales, \$6.4006.45. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 152 head

Sioux City Live Stock Market. BIOUX CITY, Jan. 5.—(Special Telegram.)
—CATTLE—Receipts, 360 head; market steady; beeves, \$5.5696.55; cows. bulls and mixed, \$2.5064.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 64.25; calves and yearlings, \$2.5063.85.

HOGS—Receipts, 5.250 head; market steady to weak, selling at \$5.5076.35; bulk of sales, \$6.2266.27. Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the six principal

western markets yesterday were as follows. Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. Boston Stocks and Honds. BOSTON, Jan. 5.—Call loans, 8912 per cent: time loans, 697 per cent. Official quotations on stocks and bonds were: 12% Parrot Tumarack do pfd Adventure ... Alloues ... Amaigamated *Bid. **Asked. Boston Copper Market.

Closing quotations on Boston copper mar-ket, reported by Logan & Bryan, 112 Board of Trade building, Omaha: Allouez 54 Mohawk
Allouez 64% Nevada Consolida
Atlantif 15% North Butte
Bingham 24% Gld Dominion
Black Mountain 10% Osceeda
Boston Consolidated 13 Pusu. Service
Butte Coalition 25% Pusu. Service, pfd.
Calumet & Arizona 179 Quincy
Calumet & Hecia 35 Shannon
Centennial 436 Tennon

eral fund exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve shows: Available cash balance \$341,415,472. Gold coin and bullion \$166,255,-642. Gold certificates \$50,446,310.

New York Money Market. YEW YORK, Jan. 8,-MONEY-On call, minal; time loans, casy; sixty and ninety days and six months, 6 per cent. PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-606% per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual business in bankers bills at 34.85354
4.8535 for demand and at \$4.807364.8885 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, \$4.80464.814; and \$4.80464.86; commercial bills, \$4.80466 SILVER-Bar, 69%c; Mexican dollars, BONDS-Government, steady; railroad,

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The supplies of money were increased in the market today owing to the further distribution of dividends. Rates were easier. Discounts were weak. On the stock exchange a week of fair activity finished with a firm undertone and a further increase in consols and kindred

securities awing to the cheaper rates for money. Home rails benefited by invest-ment purchases, while Kaffirs and foreign-ers hardened on continental support. Americans started firm in sympathy with the better tone at the close of business in New York Americans started arm in sympathy with the better tone at the close of business in New York yesterday. Local buying was still small, the business transacted being principally for New York account in anticipation of a better New York bank statement. The market closed firm Japanese Imperial sixes of 1904, closed at 101%, BERLIN, Jan. 5.—Prices on the bourse today were firmer. The strength of Americans was a prominent feature of the session.

day were stronger owing to the better money conditions in London and New York. Russian imperial fours closed at 78.70 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 4.88.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Closing quotations the Stock exchange werg: STATES WOLSE

ST 5-16 N. Y. Central.

15's Norrolk & W.

10's do pfd

10's Optario & W.

12's Pennsylvania

20' Land Mines

15' central work

15' central work

15' de pfd

15' de pfd

25's de pfd

25's de pfd

25's de pfd BILVER-Bar, quit. 32 5-16d per ounce.

MONEY-8031/2 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 422 per cent; for three months' bills, 42435 per cent.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5 .- The statement

\$1,049,657,500 1,000,578,300 77,341,000 d 250,144,675 19,277,300 5,969,500 4,819,500

Why Not Read CHICAGO. Jan. 5.—CATTLE—Recelpts. 600 head; market steady; beeves. \$4.1597.20; cows and helfers. \$1.5505.25; stockers and feeders. \$1.5505.25; stockers and feeders. \$2.5094.60; Texans. \$2.7594.50; calves. \$5.0095.52.5 [Rockers and feeders. \$3.25094.60; Texans. \$2.7594.50; calves. \$5.0095.52.5 [Rockers and feeders. \$1.50095.52.5 [Rockers and feeders. \$1.50095.52.5] [Rockers and feede

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