NEWS OF INTEREST FROM

COUNCIL BLUFFS

MINOR MENTION.

Davis, drugs. Stockert sells carpets. Fine engravings at Lefferts. Ed Rogers' Tony Faust beer. Plumbing and heating, Bixby & Son. lewis Cutier, funeral director, 'phone 97. Weedring Undertaking company. Tel. 339. DIAMONDS AS AN INVESTMENT. ALK TO LEFFERT ABOUT IT. BUDWEISER BOTTLED BEER IS SERVED ONLY AT FIRST-CLASS BARS AND CAFES.

A beautiful and ornamental gas burner, the Welsbach chick lamp, complete, 11.25. Stephan Bros., 529 West Broadway. The young son of C. M. Gould, 1016 Sixth avenue, was reported to the Board of Health yesterday as suffering from diph-

ALL SIZES OF STORM DOORS, STORM SASH, STORM WINDOWS AND WEATHER STRIPS AT GEO. HOAG-Sheridan and Rock Springs, Wyo., coal n stock; also all other "rudes. Fenion Vickham Coal Co., 107 Pearl street. Both others 28

Council No. 146, United Commercial Trav-lers, will meet this evening in Danish all. Following the business session there a smoker. We make the lowest prices on picture framing in the city. First-class work. Council Bluffs Paint, Oil and Glass com-pany, Merriam block.

The pupils of the public schools are pre-paring for tests which will begin Tuesday and which will be the basis of promotions at the end of the first semester of the school year.

BEST, ADS. BETTER, JARVIS WINE F. J. Ely, from the freight office, has succeeded Harry Ball as ticket agent of the city offices of the Great Western. Mr. Ball has quit the service of the road and expects to go west.

Rob Limmerick, who amused himself Thursday night by breaking into splinters a club over the head of Harvey Nealey, a negro, was fined \$10 and costs in police court yesterday morning. "B" FOR BREAKFAST, JARVIS WINE FOR DINNER.

Gretchen, the 5-year-old daughter of County Attorney Hess, was reported yester-day to be sick with the measles. Mr. and Mrs. Hess are in Colorado and are not ex-pected home until Sunday. The annual meeting of the Knights of Pythias of the Eleventh district will be held February 27 at Missouri Valley. The district includes Pottawattamie, Harrison and Mills counties. The meeting last year was held in this city.

"B" LEADS JARVIS LIQUORS TO

The meeting called by W. S. Mayne, ref-cree in bankruptcy of the creditors of the Union Transfer company, will be held to-day. A large number of representatives of the creditor firms arrived in the city yesterday. The meeting is for the appoint-ment of a trustee. yesterday. The mement of a trustee. "B" BEST PAPER, JARVIS BEST

Proceedings have been brought by creditors of Joseph Marcus, proprietor of the Glen avenue grocery on West Broadway, to have him declared a bankrupt. The proceedings followed the closing of the store by the Hochman-Welter Mortgage company, which held two mortgages on the stock.

An opportunity special. I shall offer Sat-urday the small line of beautiful hand-painted china from the White Art com-pany, Chicago, among which are pieces by Kendricks, Aulich, Phol and other noted artists—Saturday, at half price. W. S. Heweston's Wall Paper and Art Store, Ma-sonic Temple, Broadway, Council Bluffs, In. John McCaffery, a lodger at the city jail, who was found to be wearing an overcoat stolen about two months ago from the Ogden hotel, was discharged yesterday with orders to leave town at once. The owner of the overcoat, it is said by the police, left the hotel between sundown and sunrise one day without going through the formality of paying his bill.

Shoe Store for Sale. Will invoice about \$3,000, doing a good "B" HIVES FOR HONEY, JARVIS FOR

A large, new line of 1907 patterns in wall paper. Council Bluffs Paint, Oil and Glass company, Merriam block.

Real Estate Transfers.

These transfers were reported to The Bee January 18 by the Pottawattamie County Abstract company of Council Bluffs: Abstract company of Council Bluffs;
Max F. Schlager and wife to Louis
F. Prior, lot 5, in Auditor's subdivision of swi; nel; 29-75-43, w. d.;
Zalre A. Brown to Jacob Stein, wig
of lot 2, in block 5, in Bayliss' first
addition to Council Bluffs, Ia., w. d.
Charles C. Mackrill and wife to Leon
Wood, lot 4, in block 1, in Arnold's
first addition to Cakland, Ia., w. d.
Helen W. Allen and husband to C.
C. and R. M. Sprague, west 2 feet
of lot 2 and east 17 feet of lot 3, in
block 18, in Bayliss' second addition
to Council Bluffs, Ia., w. d.

Meirs of Edmund B. Bowman to C.
C. and R. M. Sprague, west 42 feet
of lot 3, in block 16, in Bayliss' second addition to Council Bluffs, Ia.,
w. d.

w. d.

Executor of estate of Mary E. Johnson to Anthony B. Klein, lot 6, in block 13, in Stutsman's second addition to Council Bluffs, Ia., e. d. Ida Christoffersen and husband to Thomas Mackland, lot 2, in block 5, in Mynster Place addition to Council Bluffs, Ia., w. d.

O. C. Brown to Leona M. Brown, wife, lots 1 and 2, in block 18, in Beers' subdivision in Council Bluffs, Ia., and lot 10, in Auditor's subdivision of part of swi, nel, 25-75-44, q. c. d.

Eight transfers, total\$ 6,976 Being Called Down

For delivering a poor quality of lumber has not been my experience, I am glad to say, having only well seasoned stock of the best grades obtainable. I am prepared to furnish hardwood and soft wood lumber in any reasonable quantity at reasonable prices and on short notice. C. Hafer, Council Bluffs, Ia.

ICE CREAM AT WHOLESALE. WE ANY REASONABLE DISTANCE FROM THE CITY, I MUCCI, CO. BLUFFS, IA. BOTH PHONES.

"B" A-COMING. JARVIS LEADS.

Fackage Containing \$12,000 Found While Repairing Express Car.

MONEY HAD BEEN STARTED FOR ST. LOUIS

No One Connected with the Local Express Office Able to State When or Where the Money Had Disappeared.

Gus Mitchell, a carpenter employed is repairing an express car in the Wabash yards, made a discovery which will doubtless solve a mystery which has been bothering the officers of the express company. The package, which had slipped down inside the lining of the car, contained \$12,000 in currency. It had been billed to St. Louis parties from a point in the west. Just how long it had been there or how it found its way into its hiding place no one in the railroad or express service at this point was able to state, but from this fact it is probable that the loss did not occur in this jurisdiction.

The package and money was turned over to the local officers of the express com- rant for \$1,000, the sum paid Expert Kier pany by Mr. Mitchell and will be forwarded sted for his report on the water works to its destination. Besides being a financial benefit to the company Mr. Mitchell's find will doubtless relieve some innocent mploye of the company from suspicion of year, warrants to the amount of \$17,802.04 having misappropriated the money. What reward, if any, the finder will receive has not yet become apparent.

Owner needs money and will sell the folowing at bargain prices: Dwelling, 9 rooms, modern, No. 112 S Seventh St.

Dwelling, 7 rooms, modern, No. 514 S Dwelling, 7 rooms, barn, etc., Frank St Dwelling, 7 rooms, Lincoln Ave. Several lots, E. Washington Ave., nicely

Six lots, E. Broadway, nicely graded. Forty-four lots, near S. Ninth St. CHAS. T. OFFICER, 419 Broadway.

A neat window and many nice things in Look in; there is something in it you want. O. Mauthe, 228 West Broadway. "B" A BOOSTER. JARVIS DON'T KNOCK

D. L. KERR has 160-acre improved Oklahoma farm to exchange for Council Bluffs or Omaha residence. Houses on monthly payments and for rent. Address 546 Broadway, 'Phones 417 and 406 Red.

"B" WILLING TO TRY JARVIS.

ASSESSORS DECIDE LAND VALUES the Figure at Forty-Eight Place

Dollars Per Acre. While land in Pottawattamie county session in the court house yesterday deupon land. A valuation of \$48 an acre would mean a taxable valuation of \$12 an acre.

The county supervisors when in session business and making money. Will discount as a board of review or equalization have tober 13 of the same year. 25 per cent for quick sale. Duncan & Dean, the power to raise the values placed by the assessors, but the chances are, as has been the case in previous years, the state Treynor. Both indictments are based on New York man visiting Boston a short board will interfere with the findings of to correspond with the average valuation the Board of Supervisors of Pottawattamie

placed by the assessors.

County Auditor Cheyne, discussing the county to meet each year and agree upon ; valuations of real estate and personal property. I have serious doubts if it is lawful. In fact such an arrangement, I believe, is directly in contravention of the law and in violation of the oath taken by the assessors. The assessors should fix their values by taking the market price of land, cattle, etc., at the time they make the valuation for taxation purposes. To place a valuaion of \$48 an acre on land in Pottawattamie county, which means a taxable value of \$12, or one-fourth of the value, appears to me to be not only absurd, but entirely wrong, in view of the fact that very little land in this county can be bought for less than \$100 an acre. Why, two years ago farm land in the immediate vicinity of one then be bought for less than \$125 to \$150 an | 338 Broadway. acre. Yet the people wonder why taxes

county." The assessors also decided to place a in feeding and \$4 a head on sheep. These were the only values agreed upon. J. M. Coons, assessor of Macedonia township, presided, while J. C. Larimore of

Avoca acted as secretary, The committee which recommended the valuation of \$48 an acre on land, which recommendation was concurred in, consisted of E. G. Springer, assessor of Silver Creek TAKE ORDERS TO BE DELIVERED township; Paul Beesley of Center township, Gus Geise of York township, L. C. Wood of Knox township and Henry Hoist

of Washington township. The committee to which was entrusted the duty of placing a value on hogs, cat-

The meeting was well attended, only further increase. hree assessors, those of Wright township CARPENTER DISCOVERS CASH

> for attending this annual meeting. Combination gas and electric chandellers and the celebrated Welsbach incandescent gas burners. Why not see us before you coal. Bridenstein & Smith, Sixth and Fourbuy. We can certainly please you on price and quality of go a's. Stephan Bros., 529 West Broadway.

tle and sheep was composed of M. H.

Parks of Belknap township, J. G. Smith of

"B" CONTENTED WHEN JARVIS PLEASES.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR SCRAP IRON, METALS AND RUBBER BY J. KATALMAN, 800 MAIN ST. 'PHONE 650. CITY FUNDS ARE RUNNING LOW

Money to Keep Streets Cleaned and

Repaired Practically Exhausted.

The report of City Auditor McAneney, howing the condition of the city funds at the close of December, the ninth month of the fiscal year, reveals the fact that the committee on streets and alleys has but \$14.08 out of its appropriation of \$10,000 with which to keep that department running for the next three months. The report also shows that the contingent fund t date has been overdrawn \$2,243.57, part of this being due to the fact that the war was drawn on this fund. The general improvement fund will be largely overdrawn before the commencement of the new fiscal

teenth and Twentleth streets. The city saved \$227.08 on its lighting bill for December, by reason of the breakdown at the power plant in Omaha, this being he amount deducted for "outage" during

having been already drawn on it. This is

largely due to the fact that the city had

paving of Lawer Broadway between Thir-

to bear a big proportion of the cost of the

the month. The following shows the amount expended out of the appropriations for the several nunicipal departments and the balance left for the remaining three months:

	Salaries, executive dept	kmt. Yr. \$ 8.290.30	Unused. \$ 2,429.70
1	dept	15,624.26	5,700.74
1	Fire dept	17 692.83	5,687.17
١	Fire and police telegraph.	1,733.91	266,90
1	Engineer's dept	2,478,83	400.40
	Printing and supplies Contingent fund.	\$49.60 8,405.00	400.40
1		44.000	

Annual 20 per cent discount on picture frame moulding. Alexander's, 333 B'way.

"BEE" ADS. BRING JARVIS TRADE. Stephan Bros. for the latest and best inverted burners. 529 West Broadway.

Indictments by Grand Jury. E. S. Jeffrey, former manager of the local store of the Union Pacific Tea company at 404 West Broadway, was indicted which is within a reasonable distance of a by the recent district court grand jury on railroad cannot be bought today for less a charge of embezzling the funds of the than \$100 an acre and other land which is company. He furnished a bond yesterday not so conveniently situated for less than morning in the sum of \$1,000 for his ap-\$80 an acre, the assessors at their annual pearance in court when called upon. The embezzlement is alleged to have been comcided to place an average of \$48 an acre mitted during the year 1906, and it is charged that Jeffrey converted \$1,069.79 of the company's money to his own use. Jeffrey was manager of the company's think of a rest cure in Chicago or Kansas local store from January 6, 1906, to Oc-

Two indictments were returned against Indictments.

where he was found to be living with a young woman to whom he was not martheir homes in Avoca, Ia. After being in the grand jury failed to indict them.

A. Metzgar & Co. New Location of Wholesale Bakery. 516 Mynster Street, Council Bluffs, Ia. Home-Made Bread a Specialty. Visitors Welcome.

See our show windels for granite ware of the best towns in this county was valued this week. Odds and ends sale on granite at only \$50 an acre, or \$12.50 an acre assess. ware that will make you buy. See prices able valuation, when that land could not in our window. Swaine & Mauer, 336 and

Matters in District Court are as high as they are in Pottawattamie The divorce suit of John C. Lindsay against Mary E. Lindsay came to a sudvalue of 5 cents on hogs, 4% cents on cattle den and unexpecteed termination for the time being in district court yesterday. An agreement had been reached between the parties by which the defendant was to be allowed to secure the decree on her cross petition, the plaintiff consenting to pay all the costs with a certain amount of allmony to the defendant and the only matter left for the court to decide was the custody of the four children, two of whom are with their mother and two with sworn when, after a brief consultation with off to slumber. her attorney, S. B. Wadsworth, she decided she would not abide by the agreement made. When Mrs. Lindsay persisted in her refusal to abide by the agreement made, Mr. Wadsworth withdrew from the pillow flung far into the street in the pillow flung far into the street in the pillow flung far into the street in the configuration of the slumber.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The following table compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week, assaults from the rear; or when quali roost upon the ground, their tails to the center, their heads outward; or, as when cattle bitter wind heard screams from the house, as and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year: made, Mr. Wadsworth withdrew from the case and, under the circumstances, Judge Phornell continued the hearing indefinitely. The plaintiff in his petition made statutory charges against his wife, while her crosspetition was based on charges of cruel and inhuman treatment. Since leaving her

The application of Thomas H. James, administrator of the estate of T. J. Troup. who wal run down and killed by a Great Western freight train in South Omaha a sergeant smelled gas and walked into the "Minneapolis few months ago, to settle with the railroad company for \$2,550 was granted by Judge

BUDWEISER BOTTLED BEER IS SERVED ONLY AT FIRST-CLASS BARS AND CAPES.

"B" SURE TO GET BEST. JARVIS.

Wahnsh Officials in City. P. J. O'Brien, superintendent of transfor equipment to handle the increasing busi- at the frightened figures in the doorway. of their road at these termina's. Mr. O'Brien was feeling in a particular happy the bed cloths and my stove?" frame of mind yesterday, as a report rethe Wabash in east-bound shipments, via Buffalo News. trunk lines, for 1906, had resulted in earnings of \$1,106.778.51, as against \$579.32.37 for

Mr. O'Brien stated that General Traffic Manager Colonel D. O. Ives had expressed Layton township, John A. Knox of Grove himself as greatly pleased with the intownship, Titus Fair of James township creased business from Council Bluffs, and and J. H. Waison of Waveland township, felt assured that 1967 would show a still

During the grain blockade at these etrmand the towns of Minden and Treypor, be- inals Mr. O'Brien and Trainmaster Carter ing absent. The assessors are granted by spent several weeks in Council Bluffs rushaw a per diem allowance and mileage ing in cars from all sections of the system to relieve the then existing conditions.

Hard Cont.

We have all the different sizes of hard teenth avenue. Both 'phones 182.

"B" WARE OF OTHERS. JARVIS. NEBRASKA MAN FOR PRESIDENT

Joseph Jironsek of Plattsmouth is Chosen by Catholic Workers. IOWA CITY, In., Jan. 18.-The Catholic Workmen of America closed its annual naional convention here today. Joseph Jirousek of Plattsmouth, Neb., was elected president.

The next meeting place will be La Crosse. Wis. There was considerable of a contest over the selection of the next meeting place, but La Crosse won out over a half dozen cities.

ROBERT BURNS 10c CIGAR, OLD TIMES & AND SPINA 10c CIGAR. MA-LONEY CIGAR CO., DISTRIBUTORS, COUNCIL BLUFFS, 1A.

N. Y. Plumbing Co. Tet. 250. Night, 603.

SCIENCE BUSY EVERY DAY Marvels from Dome Tanks of Sages Thrill and Edify Less Favored Mortals.

A proper pride in the 'progress of science" is the habit of every well regulated mind. Every man respects it as he does the Ten Commandments, and, respecting it, he respects himself. It is inellectual virtue to believe every new thing the "scientists" tell him, and, believing, to marvel, and, marveling, to utter that ever true exclamation, "What wonderful things science keeps discovering!" The ensations of science entertain the public equally with the sensations of crime and politics, and it is hard to satisfy the demand for novelties of knowledge. Especially does the science of diseases

and their healing interest the general mind. Disease is the surest of human expectations. Life is a course in it. The list of diseases in a medical cyclopaedia is the curriculum. Not everybody, to be sure, gets through the curriculum, but that is gets through the curriculum, but that is \$2,530,800 in trading and \$305,627 in other compactable in response to numerical diseases of commercial failures thus far reported for January amounted to \$5,230,346, of which \$2,333,918 were in manufacturing, \$2,530,800 in trading and \$305,627 in other commercial investigation of the second control tions. Life is a course in it. The list of because of the shortness of life. Everybody doubtless read with interest the other \$61,550.75 \$15,440.25 day the news that a Chicago "expert neurologist" had declared this country was getting over nervous prostration from east to west. Westward the course of neurasthenia takes its way. The east is recovering from its nervousness; the middle west is in an acute stage, but it, too, will be convalescent when the disease has reached its height beyond the Rockies. The older parts of the country are getting well first. Nervousness is something like national "growing pains." Boston has acquired the sedate and settled ways of age. There are sedate and settled ways of age. There are no nerves in Boston, which is nearer the calm orient than New York, Philadelphia, though without the advantage in longitude over New York, is a town with an old head on young shoulders. Nerves are unknown in Philadelphia. We need only mention the circumstances that the rest is that of dry goods, particularly contons.

West and southern states have had weeks of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through through through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through through through through which is nearer the of heavy rains, culminating in swollen through thro mention the circumstances that the rest mention the circumstances that the rest cure originated and reached its highest perfection in Philadelphia. Can any one think of a rest cure in Chicago or Kansass City or Goldfield or Bullfrog or Big Gulch?

In connection with this a strange circumstance is called to our attention. A Relatively the most active line at present is that of dry goods, particularly cottons, which are strong and tending upward, with the mills heavily sold ahead. Collections are irregularly slow. The textile markets are irregularly sold ahead. Collections are irregularly sold ahead. Collections are irregularly sold ahead. Collections are irregularly slow. The textile markets are irregularly sold ahead. Collections are irregularly slow. The textile markets are irre

Fred Awater, a young man living near cumstance is called to our attention. A the one charge, that of breaking into the time ago took with him to that embodithe county board and reduce the valuations store of F. G. Schoening at Treynor and ment of all that is highest in American stealing two hides on January 5 of this civilization his best and latest cut Fifth in other and adjoining counties. At least year. In one indictment the charge of avenue "dress suit." He found, he writes this has been the experience heretofore of breaking and entering is made and in the to the Boston Herald, that when he wore other the charge of larceny. Awater fur- it he was a conspicuous exception among when it attempted to raise the values nished bonds in the sum of \$550 on both Bostonians. The men of that sedate and unterrified metropolis of the east, he says, Fred Schiefler, the young man indicted treat the first of the ten commandments matter yesterday, said: "While it has on a charge of lewdness, entered a plea of dress with superb indifference. They been the custom for the assessors of this of guilty yesterday and Judge Thornell wear what they like in the evening, and sentenced him to 120 days in the county there is no punishment for that sartorial jail. Schiefler was arrested at Minden, immorality. Why is Boston so different from New York in this matter? We feel sure that Chicago and Omaha show no ried. Schiefler and another young fellow such complacent disregard for the laws or were arrested last summer at Platts- dress. We read constantly of the anxiety mouth in company with two girls, whom which is felt on that subject in such westit was alleged they had decoyed from ern cities as Salina, Dodge City, Platte, Keckuk, Cairo and Kalamazoo, The home jail for some time they were released as press of western towns a decade or so ago used to chronicle the arrival of the first "dress suit" as a matter of prime importance. Soon they began to boast of the number of such garments in town The oldtime intermunicipal rivalry regarding population gave place to a rivalry regarding the number of "dress suits"-gar-

> We note this westward course of the "dress suit," and ask, Has it anything to do with the westward course of nervous prostration noted by the Chicago scientist? This is a deep medical and sociological question, and it seems to us that a sclentist properly trained in inductive reasoning might make much of it.-New York Tri-

ments to hire excepted-which the towns

CHAMPION SOUND SLEEPER Slumbered in Peace While Bedding Burned Around Him.

William Rumohr went to bed in a boarding house at 85 Eagle street, Buffalo, and the parents of the plaintiff. The case had because of the cold he pulled a gas heater been called and the defendant had been close to the bed and lighted it and floated

pillow flung far into the street. A figure in white rushed madly to the corner, gave despairing look for a fire alarm and dis-

Throug the smoke in the hall Sergeant Jordan saw more figures in white. He dashed up the stairs only to have Lena husband Mrs. Lindsay has made her home Palma fall in his arms gasping for the ambulance. Then she rushed into a room from which the smoke was curiting and emerged presently with burning bed clothes which she tossed out of the window. The

room and turned the stopcock. Then an ambulance clanged up and a doctor rushed upstairs with his case. Sergeant Jordan found a man sleeping on the bed whence the burning bed clothes had been plucked.

"Are you dead?" demanded the doctor, shaking the fellow by the shoulder. "Huh?" queried Mr. Rumhor, You aren't dead, then?"

"No, but someone else will be if you don't portation, and M. G. Carter, trainmester of let me alone," growled the belligerent felthe Wabash, were in the city yesterday on low as he roused himself. He looked around one of their frequent trips trips arranging the room. He looked at the officer and

"Say," he bellowed in his wrath, "where's the bed cloths and my stove?"

"Huh!" remarked Bergeant Jordan as he Rochester

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"Atlanta" seived by him showed that the business of turned out into the cold, cheerless street.-

Now is the time to make your wants the previous year, an increase of \$10,50% | known through The Bee Want Ad Page. | Peorla

CENTRAL GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET

Both 'Phones 24.

Business in Winter Fabrics Improves as

DEMAND FOR PIG IRON INCREASING

Premium of \$1 a Ton Being Paid for

Prompt Delivery-High Prices

Still Prevail for Cotton

Goods.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.-R. Ge. Dun &

Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow,

Trade in winter fabrics improved as the

arade in winter fabrics improved as the weather became more seasonable, but reports for the week are irregular on account of varying temperatures. Improvement in the traffic situation was checked by snow blockades and the best railway authorities state that expanding needs of the nation can only be met by a much greater expenditure for new track and rolling stock than has yet been content.

greater expenditure for new track and rolling stock than has yet been contemplated. Clearance sales have made good progress and new bushess for spring delivery in coming to jobbers and wholessle houses in large volume, while collections show some improvement. Manufacturing returns could not well be more favarable, contracts in many cases covering deliveries

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A few labor disputes are in progress, bu

hides are improved in tone by

actory. Cotton fluctuated in response to numer-

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Industry and Transportation Feel

NEW YORK, Jan. 18 .- Bradstreets to-

Retall and wholesale trade, industry and

transportation alike feel the effect of vary-

ng features. Cast iron pipe, which has been rather

fications are coming in more freely. Rail-road interests are the most liberal pur-chasers. An eastern mill has advanced its

prices on shapes to \$1.85 at mill, which was the quotation heretofore prevailing at tide-water. Buying of pigiron, chiefly malie-able, foundry and basic, for distant de-livery has progressed still further, the Chicago district reporting a particularly

Prices for these grades, except in isolated

Canadian failures for the week number 23 as against 24 last week and 36 in this week

orn exports for the week are 1.906,873 hels, against 1.296,187 last week; 5.944,577 hels a year ago and 3,185,529 bushels in

For the fiscal year to date exports are 9.007.148 bushels, against 54.505.421 in 1906-06 and 24.705.409 in 1904-06.

REPORT OF THE CLEARING HOUSE

Transactions of the Associated Banks

Clearings. Inc. Dec.

46,788,000 10.7 21,142,000

31,142,000 34,194,000 28.0 36,386,000 26,597,000 4.2 19,277,000 18,735,000 5.9

14,709,000

12,458,000 9,736,000 8,613,000 9,972,000 8,124,000 8,663,006

9,028,000

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3,963,000 4,443,000 8,069,000

6,044,000 29,706,000 7,005,000 5,788,000 4,6,256,000 2,7,6,023,000 18.0,5,474,000 27,4

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29.5 12.5

\$2,193,878,000 236,184,000 239,270,000 184,530,000 69,226,000 51,944,000

for the Week.

last year.

CITIES

Louisville

Detroit

Wash.

Effect of Adverse Wenther.

will say:

eign dry

mercial lines.

orrow will say:

Weather Becomes More Seasonable.

600-602 Broadway

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

Strictly Fresh Eggs, Best Country Roll Butter, per pound25¢ Oranges or Lemons, each, at1¢

BREAKFAST BACON, IN STRIPS, per pound. . 1114c Fine, large Potatoes, per Fancy Norway Mackerel, Good Boil Beef, 8 lbs.25¢ Corn Beef, 8 lbs.....25¢ No 1 Beef Steak, 3 lbs.25¢ Sausage, per lb. 71/2¢ Hamburger Steak, Bologna, per lb.....5¢

TRY OUR CENTRAL FLOUR, Every sack warranted, per sack......

Fancy Prunes, per lb. .5¢

\$1.05

In the 1988.

A few labor disputes are in progress, but most wage earners are fully employed and several liberal advances in pay are announced. Consumption of pig iron exceeds production, despite the greatest rate of domestic output ever recorded. Premiums of \$1 or more per ton are frequently paid for prompt delivery, and orders covering shipments during the last half of the year are placed with little dispute as to price. Available supplies of coke do not increase. High prices still prevail in primary markets for cotton goods, yet the element of specelation is not conspicuous, many lines being in a position where no severe reaction is to be feared. A little more export business with Cuba has been accomplished, but the total is still small. Clothing manufacturers are taking samples of woolen goods to a greater extent than last year.

Footwear buyers in the Boston market are examining fall samples and placing moderate supplementary orders for spring goods. Leather trade broadens gradually and the leading producers have advanced prices of sole. Western tanners sell all descriptions of side uppers and calfskins freely, St. Louis shoe manufacturers are operating extensively. Packer hides have again shown great activity, sales of 195,000 being reported at unchanged prices. Foreign dry hides are improved in tone by stronger European markets. Des Moines Augusta, Ga. 2,197,000 5.9 Dayton, 2,957,000 4.2 harleston, 5.2 Mobile 2,209,000 eign dry hides are improved in tone by stronger European markets.

Wheat advanced on reports of small interior arrivals, but reacted as the Argentina crop estimates increase. Corn had the support of statements that excessive moisture was affecting the quality, but shipments increased and exports continued most insatisfactory. Northwestern flour mills have increased production until there appears an increase over last year's figures, but shipments abroad are unsatisfactory. 14.4 5.6 3.6 ilmington, Del. 1,469,000 Wichita. .149,000 Chattanooga Calamazoo, Mich. Topeka Wheeling, W. Va. 906,000 887,000 1,237,600 790,000 890,000 679,000 Springfield, 111... Fall River 14.0 5.1 exington Argo N. D... New Bedford 18.0 924,000 675,000 oungstown 47.8 11.8 889,000 624,000 772,000 573,000 615,000 514,000 9.5 owell Springfield, Quincy, Ill. Mansfield, (iransportation alike feel the effect of varying adverse weather conditions which retard or check activity, and make the congestion visible some time ago in railroad matters even more acute. The entire northwest has struggled with snow storms and intensely cold weather; the central west and southern states have had weeks of heavy rains collimating in swallen Jacksonville, |South Bend, Fremont, Neb.

> CANADA. 9,471,000 3,215,000 1,864,000 14.5 52.0 6.2 Calgary ... Edmonton

Cast from pipe, which has been latter quiet, is more active and some good sized contracts have been placed, while additional business is pending. Demand for structural material also shows improvement, particularly in the west, where spect-fications are coming in more freely. Rail-*Balances paid in cash. †Not included in totals because contain-ing other items than clearings [Not included in totals; comparisons in-

Temptations of the Game. Mr. and Mrs. Stockson Bonds are in veterate bridge whist players, and their home is the meeting place of bridge play ers of all grades. On one evening in every week they are "at home" to any of their friends who wish to play, and on other Prices for these grades, except in isolated cases, are being firmly maintained. However, Bessemer and grain forge pig are off 50c a ton, at Pittsburg.

Shot pig iron brings fancy prices everywhere. Large orders for steel rails are said to be pending, but business for the week was only fair. The mills are well sold up, and it is figured that orders now blooked total 2,500,000 tons, in addition to the \$50,000 tons carried over from 1998. Pressure of offerings from the new Cuban sugar crop is reflected in the market for raw sugar there, which is six points lower on the week, centrifugal selling at \$3\cupeccepc. Business failures in the United States for the week ending January 17 number 224 against 281 last week, 275 in the like week of 1906, 306 in 1905, 225 in 1904, and 253 in 1903. Canadian failures for the week number 23 as awainst 24 last week and 36 in this week evenings they entertain parties of their own selection for games, which range from cent a point to a much higher figure Recently, long after the house had beeclosed, a noise was heard downstairs, and regardless of his wife's protests. Stock son Bonds went below to ascertain the cause. The noise continued and grew louder, but no answer came to the wife's calls from above. She became alarmed opened a window, saw a policeman, and he made a rush for the basement door. A few minutes later the husband appeared fore his panic-stricken wife and told her he had found the servants playing bridge and wrangling over the propriety of a as, against 24 last week and 36 in this week a year ago.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the Unitel States and Canada for the week ending January 17 aggregated 2,636,459 bushels against 4,673,110 bushels last week; 3,448,862 this week last year; 1,178,974 in 1906, and 4,600,700 in 1902. For the past twenty-nine weeks of the fiscal year the exports are 194,633,074 bushels, against 77,-257,634 bushels in 1901.

Corn exports for the week are 1,966,873.

certain play. "Did you send the whole lot away? asked the wife. "Why, no; I took a hand and decided the question before I realized where I was." New York Tribune.

Animals Never Commit Suicide. "I do not believe that animals ever com mit suicide. I do not believe that they have any notions of death, or take any note of time, or ever put up any bluff game, or ever deliberate together, or form plans or forecast the seasons. They may practice deception, as when

and 24,06,69 in 1904-06.

Bank clearings for the week ending January 17 aggregate \$3,44,461,977, 1 per cent under last week and 10 per cent below the same week last year. Excluding New York City the total is \$1,248,182,998;1.5 per cent in excess of last week and 6.5 per cent over a bird feigns lameness or paralysis to decoy you away from her nest, but this, of course is instinctive and not conscious deception. "There is at times something that suggests co-operation among them, as when wolves bunt in relays, as they are said to do, or when they hunt in couples, one en gaging the quarry in front while the othe

or horses form a circle when attacked in the open by wild beasts, the cattle with their heads outward and the horses with "Of course, all this is instinctive, and not the result of deliberation. The horse always turns his tail to the storm as well, and cows and steers, if I remember rightly,

Musings of the Gentle Cynic. The lofty ideals of some men are restricted to high living.

turn their heads."-John Burroughs in Out-

Contentment is merely dividing what you have with what you want. There is plenty of room at the top without

pushing anybody else off. Some people's only idea of preparing for the next world is to take sulphur baths,

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Eureka Soap, 10 bars....25¢ Gold Medai Flour, per sack. \$1 Meadow Gold Flour, per sack. \$1 Good Country Butter, per 1b25¢ Egg-o-See, per pkg......7¢ J. M. Mincemeat, per pkg. . . 4¢ Soda or Oyster Crackers, 1b.56 Tea Siftings, per pkg Sé Evaporated Apples, per lb. 10¢

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Armour's Woodchuck Soap, ten bars25¢		
Twenty lbs. Sugar. \$1.00	Salt P	
Seeded Raisins, 2 lbs25¢ Cheese, per lb 15¢	Pork F	
Soda and Oyster Crackers,		
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Soda and Oyster Crackers, per lb	Bacon, per lb121/2¢	
Good Coffee, per lb15¢	Lamb Stew, per lb4¢	
Tea Dust, 2 lbs25¢	Pot Roast, per lb5¢	
	Cranberries, per quart.10¢	