GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET Weak Cables Make the Opening Features of Trading and Prices on Lower Than Ordinary. TRADING IS NOT SO ACTIVE Start-Off is Made Smoothly Scalpers and Demand for Cash Grain is Not Conniderable. OMAHA, Dec. 22, 1997. Weak calls caused a slightly lower opening. Trading is not so active as during the past week and the start off was made mostly by scalpers. Not much demand for cash grain. Wheat opened lower, due to larger world's shipments, than was expected and decidedly lower cables. The market acts congested particularly in the May options. Demand is light and is expected to hold off until after the holidays. May wheat opened at 21.014 and closed 31.01. Corn opened strong with slues stoady in spite of lower foreign advices. Receipts are increasing and trading is stimulated accordingly. Prices closed at a slight advance. May corn opened at 524c. Oats started steady to higher and held firm, showing good independent strongth on good commission house orders and heavy cash demand. May oats opened at 613c and closed at 52c. Clearances were 48,000 bu. of corn, nond of oats and wheat and flour equal to 754. Liverpool closed 13.4224d lower on wheat 000 bu. Liverpool closed 1%6724d lower on wheat and 3d lower on corn. Seaboard reported 310,000 bu. of wheat and 40,000 bu. of corn taken for export. Local range of options; Articles. | Open. | High. | Close. | Low. | Sat'y. WHEAT-No. 2 hard, 95449944c; No. 3 hard, 934c; No. 4 hard, 89c; No. 3 spring. 96(198c. CORN-No. 3, 49%c; No. 4, 446(198c; No. 3 yellow, 50%c; No. 3 white, 49%c. OATS-No. 8 white, 48%c; No. 4 white, 48c; standard, 484(198%c RYE-No. 2, 75%c; No. 3, 746(75c. Cariot Receipts, Wheat Corn, Oats CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade. CMICAGO, Dec. 23.—Lower prices at Liverpool had a depressing effect today on the local wheat market, the May delivery closing at a net loss of \$60.00 comes of \$60. Prices on Board of Trade. grades. Oats were weak att day. A slight rally took place in sympathy with corn. May Oats were weak-all-day. A slight rally took place is sympathy with corn. May opened to law at 53%c. advanced to 53% lifeto, and then declined to 16. The close was at 53%c. Local receipts were 33 cars. The provision market was inclined to be weak on the selling of lard by the packers. This offset a loc advance in live hogs. May pork was off 19612%c at the close. Last was down 7%c. Ribs were 5c lower, at \$1.07%. Lard was down 746. Ribs were 5c lower, at \$7.074. Estimated receipts for tomorrow are: Wheat, 31 care; sorn, 549 cars; oats, 353 cars; hogs, 30,000 head. The leading futures ranged as follows:

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 22.—WHEAT—May, 99½c; July, 90½c; cash: No. 2 hard, 96@99½c; No. 3 red, 96@99½c; No. 3, 94@90c.
CORN—May, 52½c; July, 51½c; cash: No. 2 mixed, 50½@61c; No. 3, 80½@61c; No. 2 white, 51@61½c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 49c; No. 2 mixed, 48c.
HAY—Choice timothy, \$12.00@12.50; choice prairie, \$3.00@10.00,
RYE—75@800.
Butter—Creamery, 22@27½c; packing, 15c.
EGGS—Fresh, 24c.
Receipts. Shipments. Articles. Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Sat'y. 57% 57% \$6% 19 65 18 65 12 65 12 65 12 70 18 25 13 25 18 12 14 13 13 14 18 32 14 *No. 2. a Old. b New. Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR-Firm; winter patents, 14.4094.80;
straights, 14.2094.56; spring patents, 15.2094.25.
5.70; straights, 14.4094.85; bakers, 15.2094.25.
WHEAT-No. 2 spring, 51.6893.12; No. 3
spring, 51.0091.11; No. 2 red, 974.6994.c.
CORN-No. 2, 574.6694.c; No. 3 yellow,

63/4646.

OATS—No. 2, 48%c; No. 3 white, 47851c.

RYE—No. 8, 78c.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 65675c; fair to choice mailing, 88685c.

BEEDS—Flax, No. 1 northwestern, \$1.15%.

Prime timothy, \$4.3064.55. Clover, contract grades, 516.56.

PROVISIONS—Short ribs. sides (loose), \$6.50497.55. Mess pork, per bbl. \$12.12%6 12.55. Lard, per 100 ibs., \$7.87%. Short clear sides (boxed), \$7.0067.12%.

Following were the receipts and ship-

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, December 28, as compared by the New York Produce exchange, was as follows. Wheat, 8,33,000 bushels; Lagrange, 14,000 bushels. Corp. 2,317,000 bushels; Lagrange, 14,000 bushel Visible Supply of Grain.

els. Barley, 5,922,000 bushels; increase, NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Leading Commodities. Leading Commodities.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—FLOUR—Receipts, 25,231 bbls.; exports, 12,847 bbls.; market quiet and about steady; Minnesota patents, 8,25(6.70; Minnesota bakers, 4,0006.00; winter patents, 14,0005.5; winter straights, 14,0004.70; winter straights, 14,0004.70; winter settrae, 13,7604.00; winter low grades, 25,0004.10 Rye flour, steady; fair to good, 24,8505.15; choice to fancy, 55,2005.540. Buckwheat flour, steady; 73,00 per 100 lbs.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, \$1,2507.40; coarse, \$1,3007.22; kiln dried, \$2,356.25.

RYE—Firm; No. 2 western, No. f. o. b., New York.

No. 2 hard. \$1.01@1.044; May, \$1.04@1.044; Iuly, 94%. CORN—Lower; track, No. 2 cash, 53@54c; May, 55%c; No. 2 white, 54c. OATS—Lower; track, No. 2 cash, 49c; May, 55%c; No. 2 white, 51%c. FLOUR—Dull. Red winter patents. \$4.569.50; extra fancy and straight, \$4.25%4.50; lear, \$3.75%4.00. SEED—Timothy, steady; \$2.90.4.10. CORNMEAL—Steady; \$2.90. BRAN—Dull; snoked, east track, \$1.08%-11.

HAY-Easy; timothy, \$8.50@15.00; prairie, HEMP TWINE-HE.

HEMP TWINE—He.
PROVISIONS—Pork, firm; jobbing, \$13.25.
Lard, lower; prime steam, \$7.70. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed, extra shorts, \$8.37%; clear ribs, \$8.25; short clears, \$8.75. Bacon, steady; boxed, extra short, \$3.25; clear ribs, \$9.12%; short clears, \$9.62%.
POULTRY—Firm; chickens, 7c; springs, 8c; turkeys, 11%c; ducks, 8c; geese, 64%c.
BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 23629c.
EGGS—22c, case count.
Receipts, Shipments

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

Receipts. Shipments. Minneapolia Grain Market.

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July, St. 11%; No. 1 hard. \$1.0%; No. 1 northern. \$1.0%; No. 2 northern. \$1.0601.06%; No. 3 northern. \$1.004.01.02%. FLOUR—First patents. \$5.5005.50; second patents, \$5.4005.50; first clears. \$4.3004.40; second clears. \$3.3003.50.

FLAX—The demand was just about fair; closing prices were \$1.12%; to arrive, \$1.12%. BRAN—In buil. \$30.7602.50. Liverpool Grain Market.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 23.—WHEAT—Spot firm; No. 2 red. western, 7s \(\frac{1}{2} \) . Futures dull; December, nominal; March, 7s 11\(\frac{1}{2} \) d. CORN—Spot firm; prime mixed, American, new, 5s \(\frac{1}{2} \) d. Putures quiet; December, nominal; January, 5s \(\frac{1}{2} \) d.

FLOUR—Winter patents steady at 30s \(\frac{1}{2} \) d.

HOPS—Pacific coast, (in London), quiet at \(\frac{1}{2} \) 0.22 16s. Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 23.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, \$1.10@1.11; No. 2 northern, \$1.05@ \$1.00\(\frac{1}{2}\); May, \$1.05 asked, BARLEY—Market firm; No. 2 &7c. CORN—Market lower; No. 2 cash, 55@59c;

Duluth Grain Market. DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 23.—WHEAT-No. northern, \$1.05%; No. 2 northern, \$1.04%; December, \$1.04%; May, \$1.11%.
OATS-48c.

Cotton Market.

The sales of the day were 5.000 bales, of which 4.800 were speculation and export, and included 60 American. Receipts were 2.000 which 4.800 were speculation and export, and included 60 American. Receipts were 2.000 which 4.800 were speculation and export, and included 60 American. Receipts were 2.000 which 4.800 were speculation and export, and included 60 American. Receipts were 2.000 which 4.800 were speculation and export, and included 60 American. Receipts were 2.000 which 4.800 were speculation and export, and included 60 American. Receipts were 2.000 which 4.800 were speculation and export, and included 60 American. Receipts were 2.000 which 4.800 were speculation and export, and included 60 American. Receipts were 2.000 which 4.800 were speculation and export, and which 4.800 were speculation.

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NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Tightening Up of Money Warns Speculators to Slow Up.

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Total sales for the day, 243,300 shares New York Stocks and Bonds NEW YORK, Dec. 23.-Closing quotations

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Money was dearer on the market today and much in demand for year-end purposes. Discounts were firmer on Germany as well as the United States taking bar gold on the spen market. Trading on the Stock exchange was quiet but cheerful. A steady undertone prevailed and dealers marked up quotations in anticipation of increased husiness and better money conditions in the new year. American shares, assisted by the favorable New York bank statement and the Union Pacific report, ruled firm in the forenoon above parity, bear covering and a few outside buying orders heiping the improvement. Laie, the New York opening came steady, but early buyers turned sellers, prices declined and the market closed easy. For-

eigners were quietly steady and Peruvians were weak.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—Prices on the Bourse today were firm, but the trading was dull. BERLIN, Dec. 23.—Trading on the Bourse today was dull and prices were tregular. Industrials as a rufe were weak upon the reduction in prices of coal in England.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. E.—PRIME MERCAN-TILE PAPER-74608 per cent. Sterling ex-change weak with actual business in bank-ers bills, \$4.80064.8000 for demand and at \$4.8004.8006 for sixty-day bills; commercial ills, 14,79.

SILVER-Bar, 1746; Mexican dollars, 41c.

BONDS-Government, steady; railroad,

Amalgamated

London Clesing Stocks LONDON, Dec. 28.-Clesing quotations on Denver & R. G. SILVER-Bar, steady, 244d per ounce.
MONEY-4446 per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market
for short bills is 544744 per cent; for three
months bills, 6264 per cent.

Trensery Statement. WASHINGTON, Best 12k-Today's state ment of the treasury balances in the gen-eral fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balan

Bank Clearings. OMAHA, Dec. 23.—Bank clearings for today were \$2,135,174.01 and for the corre-sponding date last year \$1,912,296.70.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—OILS—Cotton-seed, easy; prime crude, 29@23%c; prime yellow, 27%c. Patrolcum, steady; re-fined, New York, \$8.75; Philadelphia and Baltimore, \$8.76; refined in bulk, \$4.95. Turpentine, easy, 46%c. ROSIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, 23.205235

\$3.2063.25. OIL CITY, Pa. Dec. 23.—OIL—Credit balances, \$1.78. Runs, 199.389; average, 137.467; shipments, 315.637; average, 175.620. 175,626.

SAVANNAH, Dec. 23.—OII.—Spirits turpentine, firm, 41½c.

ROSIN—Firmer; sales, 2,098; receipts, 3,260; shipments, 757; stock, 113,650 Quotes A B C, \$2,7562.89; D, \$2,7562.80; E, \$2,80@2.90; F, \$7,90@2.95; G, \$2,90@2.95; H, \$2,95@2.00; I, \$3,50; K, \$4,45; M, \$5,20; N, \$5,95; W G, \$6.00; W W, \$6.00@5,25.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market continued quiet and prices are a shade easier. Fancy are quoted at 11@12c; prime, 84.65%c; 19.6 fruit, 84.601c.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes are unchanged, with quotations ranging from 5%c to 16c for California fruit and from 8c to 14c for Oregons, 50s to 30a. Apricots steady, choice, 226.25c; extra choice, 236.25c; No. 1 fancy, 246.25c. Peaches are quiet, but steady, with choice quoted at 126.16c; extra choice, 12% 675%c; fancy, 146.14%c. Raisins are steady in tone, with loose muscatels quoted at 56.5%c; seeded raisins, 76.9%c; London layers, \$1.7061.80. Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits

Sugar and Molasses. NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3.30 \$3.35c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.85c; moiasses sugar, 3.00 \$3.55c; refined, steady; No. 6, 4.40c; No. 7, 4.25c; No. 8, 4.30c; No. 9, 4.25c; No. 10, 4.15c; No. 11, 4.10c; No. 12, 4.90c; No. 13, 4.90c; No. 14, 3.85c; centectioners' A, 4.00c; mould A, 5.15c; cut loaf, 5.60c; crushel, 5.40c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.50c; cubes, 5.05c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 34 \$42c.

Elgin Butter Market. ELGIN, III., Dec. 22.—BUTTER— Board of trade market today was firm at 29 cents a pound. Cutput for the week was 624,000 pounds.

More Gold Engaged. NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Lazard Freres today announced the engagement of \$1,-000,000 in gold for import. This makes the total \$108,350,000 for the present

Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS. Mo., Dec. 23.—WOOL—Steady. Medium grades, combing and clothing, 2149 22c; light fine, 18620c; heavy fine, '5615c; tub washed, 26635c. Stock in Sight. Receipts of live stock at the six principal western markets yesterday
 western markets yesterday:
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.... 20.327 42,007 19,103 Total Sloux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX CITY, Dec. 23.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 700 head; market stronger; beeves, 34.5005.50; cows and heliers, \$2.0094.50; tockers and feeders, \$2.7563.70; calves and yearlings, \$2.2563.50; higher, selling at \$4.5064.50; bulk of sales, \$4.5064.45.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET Cattle in Light Receipt, with Prices

Showing Some Strength. HOGS HERE TEN HIGHER

sheep and Lambe in Light Receipt, While There is a Good Demand and Prices Are Ten to Fifteen Higher.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 23, 1907. account of the holiday season it is port:

Receipts were: Cairle Hogs Sheep.
Estimate Monday. 1,800 2,300 2,300
Same day last week 4,012 2,900 5,114
Same days 2 weeks ago. 4,791 6,128 12,928
Same day 3 weeks ago. 4,791 6,128 12,928
Same day 4 weeks ago. 4,992 1,802 12,548
Same day 4 weeks ago. 4,992 1,802 12,548
Same day last year. 998 5,852 534
The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date, compared with last year:

1907 1906 100 Dec.
Cattle 1,149,482 1,082,211 81,271
Hogs 2,213,420 2,560,440 147,010
Sheep 2,209,509 2,142,533 111,924
The following table shows the average

The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons: ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 23.—CATTLE—Receipts, \$27 head; market steady. Natives, \$4.0078,75; cows and heiters, \$1.7594.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.2594.00; hCGS—Receipts, 4.507 head; market 107, 15c higher; top, \$4.60; bulk of sales, \$4.506, 4.55. Date. | 1907. [1906. | 1908. | 1904. | 1903. | 1901. market steady. Lambs, \$5.0665.75; year lings, \$4.10634.40; wethers, \$3.7564.25; ewes \$3.2563.75.

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Total receipts 73 34 9 ne disposition of the day's receipts was Omana Packing Co.
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T. B. Inghram
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2,695 1,671 overload the cattle market and that the only safe way to svoid an over-supply is to cut down the supply. The result of this policy was moderate receipts and firm markets at all points.

There were a few beef steers in sight this morning and a few were wanted, but this morning and a few were wanted, but the demand was not any too urgent, so that there were no great advances in prices even though receipts were so light. Steady to a little stronger would just about cover the general situation. Among the offerings today were some pretty good cattle, in fact, better than have been seen here in several days.

Cows and helfers were free sellers at

days.

Cows and heifers were free sellers at prices strong to lon higher than last week. The light receipts changed hands quite readily and in good season in the morains. Only a few loads of stockers and feeders were on sale and they were generally picked-up at steady prices.

It will be well for shippers to all bear in mind that there will be no market on Christmas day. The yards will be open for the receipt of stock and anything arriving will be cared for, but not offered for sale.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice corn-fed steers, \$4.25@4.25; good to choice cows and heifers, \$2.564.25; fair to good corn-fed steers, \$4.25@4.25; fair to good cows and heifers, \$2.564.25; common to fair cows and heifers, \$2.564.25; common to fair cows and heifers, \$2.564.25; fair to good to choice stockers and feeders, \$3.7024.25; fair to good to good stockers and feeders, \$3.7024.25; fair to good stockers and feeders, \$3.7024.25; fair to good to good stockers and feeders, \$3.7024.25; fair to good to good stockers and feeders, \$3.7024.25; fair to good to good stockers and feeders, \$3.7024.25; fair to good to good stockers and feeders, \$3.7024.25; fair to good to good stockers and feeders, \$3.702 Representative sales: BEEF STEERS.

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WESTERNS-WYOMING.

HHEEP-Receipts of sheep were very light at this point this morning, white arrivals were also very moderate claewhere. There was a little demand on the part of packers and the few loads in sight changed

packers and the few loads in sight changed hands very readily at prices that were fully 10c higher than last week, in some cases possibly ise higher. Pretty decent kind of lambs sold up to \$6.75, with yearlings at \$4.40, which sold at the low point last week at \$4.25.

There being no market on Christmas day, no one is anticipating very large receipts or a very interesting market this week.

There is never very much husiness dains. There is never very much business doing during the holidays and there is no reason for expecting an exception to the general rule this week.

Quotations on good to choice fed sheep

and lambs: Lambs, \$8.50\$5.85; yearing wethers, \$4.50\$6.85; wethers, \$4.60\$4.50; southern cows, \$2.50\$4.55; southern cows, \$2.50\$4.55; southern cows, \$2.50\$3.10; native cows, \$1.75\$3.50; native helfers, \$2.40\$3.50; native helfe

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St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

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

ST. LOUIS. Dec. 21.—CATTLE-Receipts, 1.300 head. Including 400 head Texaus; market steady to strong; native shipping and export steers, \$4.7566.55; drassed beef and butcher steers, \$2.596.56; steers under 1,000 ibs., \$3.0094.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.2594.00; cows and heifers, \$2.7594.55; canners, \$1.5092.50; bulls, \$2.0094.50; calves, \$3.0097.50; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.569 head; market \$6.00; cows and heifers, \$1.5093.25.

HOGS-Receipts, 4.500 head; market \$6.01; height; pigs and lights, \$4.5094.85; packers, \$4.2594.85; butchers and best heavy, \$4.709.4.96. CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET attle Strong-Hogs Higher- sheep and Lambs Active.

CHICAGO. Dec. 23.—CATTLE—Receipts. about 15.000 head; market strong to 156935c higher; steers, \$3.9066.35; cows, \$2.7564.50; hetfers, \$2.5066.25; bulls, \$2.60694.90; calves, \$3.0067.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.4094.50. HOGS—Receipts, estimated about 25,000 head; market 10915c higher; choice heavy shipping, \$4.50694.85; butchers, \$4.8064.85; light mixed, \$4.55694.65; choice light, \$4.656 4.75; pucking, \$4.0064.75. pigs. \$3.7564.25; bulk of cales, \$4.6064.76.

BHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, estimated about 12,000; market active, 156735c higher; sheep, \$2.0064.50; lambs, \$5.0066.25; yearlings, \$4.0066.00. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts 500 head: market strong; native muttons, \$2.0005.00; lambs, \$2.0006.00.

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