Atmosphere.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1966.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

Kansas City grain options:

May 55% 54%

Minneapolia Grain Market.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.—EGGS-Market steady, fair demand; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, 25c at mark; same, current receipts in returnable cases. 25c at mark; western choice, 25c at mark; western, fair to good, 25c at mark.

CHEESE Quiet but steady; New York, fair to good, 152154c.

Peerla Market.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL DEC M - WHEAT-Spot.
firm; No. I red western winter, is \$14d;
futures firm; March is Hed; May To 10%d.
CORN-Spot. firm; prime mixed American,
new, is, sidd; prime mixed American, old,
is, fid; futures steady; January 8s. 4d.

Duluth Grain Market. DULUTH. Dec. B.-WHEAT-No. 1 northern, \$1.104; No. 2 northern, \$1.074; December, \$1.094; May, \$1.144; July, \$1.154.

New York Mining Stocks. NEW YORK. Dec. 28.—Chosing quotations on mining stocks were:

inches.

OMAHA. Dec. 28, 1907.

# WANTED-TO BUY WANTED—To buy second hand furniture, cook and heating stoves, carpets, the letters, office furniture, old clothes, and stress, pisates, feathers, bed pillogs, quilte and all kinds of tools, or will buy the furniture of your house complete. The highest prices paid. (all the right man Tel Doug, 1971. (5)—M760 Jy BECOND HAND feed sacks. No amount too large or too small Wagner, 80 N. 16 (E)-M765 WANTED-To buy calves. Tel. Doug. 4128 (25)-100

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### WANTED-SITUATIONS

DAY WOMEN furnished free of charge Telephone Douglas Illi. (27)-Mill EXPERIENCED registered pharmacist desires position; no fountain work. Box 22 Düncombe, Ia. (57)—ME4 J 2x A YOUNG gentleman as eard writer and advertiser can take charge of clothing or dry goods department. Furnish A 1 reference. Address G 50 care Rec. (27)—M197 Elx

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A VOUNG lady wister position in a physician's or desting a other; can keep books and attend correspondence if required.

Address P 772, care Box. (27)—127 Six WANTED-Position by first-clase book-keeper and accountant, best references. Address J TE care Bes. (27)-M104 30x

SITUATION WANTED. Young couple wants work in hotel (no children); city or county; best references. Box 61, York, Neb. (27)—M566 Jtx

EXPERIENCED stenographer, excellen references, K, Bes office, 18 Scott St. Council Bluffs (2)-577 4x

### LEGAL NOTICES

OFFICE OF THE REPUBLICAN VALleg, Kaneas & Southwestern Railroad
Company, Omaha, Neb., Now & 187.—To
the Stockholders: Notice is hereby given
that a special meeting of the stockholders
of the Republican Valley, Kansas & Southwestern Railroad company will be held at
the affice of the company will be held at
the affice of the company in Omaha, Nebraska, at & clock p. in. on January 16,
1868, for the purpose of action upon the
question of sciling the railroad, property
and franchises of this company to the Cnicage. Burlington & Quincy Railroad company, the railroad and property aforesaid
being now under lease to the said company.
By order of the board of directors. W. P.
Durkoe, Secretary. Nickell

OFFICE OF THE REPUBLICAN VALley & Wyoming Railroad company.
Omaha, Neb. Nov. & 1807—To the Stockholders: Notice is hereby given that a
special meeting of the stockholders of the
Republican Valley & Wyoming Railroad
company will be held at the office of the
company will to held at the office of the
company in Omaha, Nebraska, at a o'clock
p. m. on January 16, 1306, for the purpose
of acting upon the question of reiling the
reliroad, property and franchises of this
company to the Chicago, Burlington &
Quincy Railroad company, the railroad
and property aforesaid being now under
lease to said company. By order of the
board of directors. W. P. Durkee, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE KANSAS CITY & Omaha Railway Company, Omaha Neb., Nov. 8, 1967.—To the Stockholders: Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Kansas City & the stockholders of the Kansas City & Cmaha Railway company will be held at the office of the company in Fairfield, Nebraska, at \$ o'clock s. m. on January II, 1908, for the purpose of acting upon the question of selling the railroad, property and franchises of the company to the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Hailroad company, the railroad and property aforesaid being now under lease to said company, by order of the board of directors. W. P. Durkee, Secretary. by order of the boa Durkee, Secretary. N10d601

OFFICE OF THE GMAHA AND SOUTH-western Railroad Company. Omaha Nels., Nov. 8. 1807.—To the Stockholders: Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Omaha and South-western Railroad company will be held at the office of the company at Omaha. Neb., at 4 o'clock p. m., on January 10, 198, for the purpose of acting upon the question of seiling the railroad, property and franchises of the company to the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company, the railroad and property aforesaid being now under lease to said company. By order of the board of directors, W. P. DURKEE, Secretary.

CFFICE OF THE OXFORD & KANSAS
Railroad company. Omaha, Neb., Nov.

2, 1807—To the Stockholders: Notice is
bereby given that a special meeting of the
stockholders of the Oxford & Kansas Railroad company will be held at the office of
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the company at Omaha, Nebraska, at it
o clock p. m. on January 10, 1908 for the
purpose of acting upon the question of
helling the railroad, property and franchises
of the company to the Chicago, Burlington
& Quincy Railroad company, the railroad
and property aforecaid being now under
lease to the said company. By order of
the board of directors. W. P. Durkes,
Secretary.

RAILWAY TIME CARD-Continued. GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET Missouri Pacific. K. C. & St. L. Exp. a 5:00 am a 6:65 am K. C. & St. L. Exp. all:15 pm a 8:50 pm All Cereals Open with Firm Tone and Chicago Great Western.

Chicago & Northwestern.

Chicago Daylight a 7.25 am all 48 pm St. Paul-Minn. Exp. a 7.25 am all 48 pm Chicago Local all 29 am a 2.28 pm Sioux Chy Passenger a 7.39 am a 3.25 pm Chicago Passenger a 6.25 pm a 5.65 am Chicago Special a 6.25 pm a 8.25 am St. Paul-Minn Limited a 8.25 pm all 25 pm Chicago Special a 8.25 pm a 8.25 am St. Paul-Minn Limited a 8.25 pm a 8.25 am St. Paul-Minn Limited a 8.25 pm a 8.25 am St. Paul-Minn Limited a 8.25 pm a 8.25 am St. Paul-Minn Limited a 8.25 pm a 8.25 am St. St. Chy Local a 8.25 pm a 8.25 am St. Chy Local a 8.25 pm a 8.25 am Storage City Local a 8.25 pm a 8.25 am Pit is Devoid of Offerings and Prices

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OMAHA, Dec. 48, 1907.

Denver & California a 4:10 pm a 7:5 pm
Northwest Special a 4:10 pm a 7:5 pm
Black Hills a 4:10 pm a 2:45 pm
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Nebraska Express a 5:15 am a 6:10 pm
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Twin City Passenger 1 5 5:20 am b 2:0 pm Sioux City Passenger 1 a 3:05 pm a 3:05 am Emerson Local ... c 8:45 am c 5:55 pm Carlot Becetpts. Wheat, Corn. Oats Auburn Local ......... b 3:50 pm b11:25 am 43 161 29 Omaha.

a Daily b Daily except Sunday, c Sunday only, d Daily except Saturday, c Daily except Manday.

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OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET. Conditions of Trade and Quetations on

Staple and Pancy Produce. EGGE-Fresh selling eggs, candled, 24c. fancy tub and

APPLES New York King's, per barrel, 5.5; "None Such," per barrel, 5.75; Baldwins, per barrel, 5.75; Greenings, per barrel, 5.75; western box apples, Colurado Jonathans, per box, 5.00, Colorado Grimes Goldens, per barrel, 5.00, Colorado

company, to serve during the coming year and to transact such other busines as may be presented at such meeting. (Seal)

H. J. LEE, President. Attest: W. M. GLASS, Secretary.

Disdict.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING—THE AName and meeting of the stockholders of The South Omahs and Western Railroad Company for the election of sweet directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting will be held at the office of A. L. Mohler, corner of Ninth and Parnam streets, Omaha, N. E. Statistand, S. Species, S. Logalis, I. C. peaches, E. 100 at the office of A. L. Mohler, corner of Sinths and Parnam streets, Omaha, N. E. Sardines, Galifornia and the office of A. L. Mohler, corner of Sinths and Parnam streets, Omaha, N. E. Sardines, Galifornia and Parnam streets, Omaha, N. E. Sardines

St. Paol-Minneapolis Sim pm 720 am Higher.

St. Paul-Minneapolis 7100 am 11.25 pm Chicago Limited 6:06 pm 6:27 am Chicago Express 7.20 sm 11.25 pm NONE IS PRESSING FOR SALE Corn, bu. NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET Pentures of Trading and Prices on Leading Commodities.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—PLOUR—Receipts, 15.756 bbls., exports, 17.556 bu. Market dull, but firm. Minnesots patents, 25.356.70; winter straights, 44.5563.70; Minnesots pakers, 24.3563.00; winter grades, extras, 25.756.20; winter grades, extras, 25.756.20; winter low grades, 25.3564.16. Rye flour, firm; fair to good, 44.8036.15; choice to fancy, 25.256.25. Ruckwheat flour, steady, 25.00 per 100 pounds.

CURNMEAL — Firm; fine white and yellow, 51.55671.40; roarse, 51.35671.45.

RYE—Steady; No. 1 western, 25.56.0. b. New York. Leading Commodities.

Les Angeles Limited a 18 pm a 18 pm overland Limited a 18 pm a 25 pm b 250 am Fast Mail solut City Local a 250 pm a 250 am a 18 pm a 250 pm b 18 pm Lincoln-Long Pine b 750 am a 250 pm b 18 pm Lincoln-Long Pine b 750 am a 250 pm b 18 pm Lincoln-Long Pine b 750 am a 250 pm b 18 pm Casper Shoshoni a 190 pm a 540 pm Casper Shoshoni a 190 pm a 540 pm Hashings-Superior b 250 pm b 18 pm Hashings-Superior b 250 pm b 18 pm history Limited a 650 pm a 255 pm Lincoln-Long Express a 151 am a 255 pm Lincoln-Long Express a 151 am a 255 pm Chicago Limited a 650 pm a 255 pm Chicago Limited a 650 pm a 255 pm Chicago Limited a 558 pm a 255 pm Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul.

Chi & Colo. Special a 725 am all 50 pm Cal. & Ore Express a 650 pm a 255 pm Cal. & Ore Express a 650 pm a 255 pm Cal. & Ore Express a 650 pm a 255 pm Cal. & Ore Express a 650 pm a 255 pm Council Huffs) a 250 pm b 1615 am BURLINGTON STA.—10TH & MASON.

Leave Arrive Denver & California a 430 pm a 255 pm Northwest Special a 430 pm a 255 pm Stanberry Local (From Council Huffs) a 250 pm b 1615 am BURLINGTON STA.—10TH & MASON.

Leave Arrive Denver & California a 430 pm a 255 pm Northwest Special a 430 pm a 255 pm A 255 pm Northwest Special a 430 pm a 255 pm A 255 pm Northwest Special a 430 pm a 255 pm A 255 pm Northwest Special a 430 pm a 255 New York.

New York.

WHEAT-Receipts, 118,000 bu.; exports.

81.355 bu.; spot market firm. No. 2 red.

\$1.05, elevator; No. 2 red. \$1.08 f. c. b.

afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, \$1.295 f. c. b.

afloat; No. 1 hard, \$1.184 f. c. b. afloat.

New high tetels were made in wheat today on covering on small northwest receipts and light Argentina offerings. Final
prices were 15c net higher. December closed \$1.06.

CORN-Receipts. \$1.400 bu.; exports. 1.940

bu.; spot market firm. No. 2. 734c elevator

and \$75c f. c. b. afloat; No. 2 white. \$75c; i.

No. 2 yallow, nominal, f. c. b. afloat.

Option market was strong and higher, with

western markets and on active covering,
the close representing %6ftige net advance.

December, 73.6746c, closed 745c; May,

65c 105c f. c. c. f. c. c. c. c. c. c.

OATS-Receipts. 55.000 bu.; exports, 50

bu.; spot market steady Mixed oats. 55 to

21 lbs., 56c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs.,

15 15060676c, clipped white, 30 to 32 lbs.,

14 X - Steady; good to choice, \$1.0091.66.

bushels of oats and wheat and flour equation 282,000 bushels.

Liverpool closed and to ad lower on wheat and ad higher on corn.

Seabourd reported 72,000 bushels of wheat and 15,000 bushels of corn taken for export.

WHEAT-No. 2 hard, Stiggest; No. ard, Higgst; No. 4 hard, NO. 80; No. spring; no grade, Sm.
COHN-No. 3, Sic. No. 4, 50c; no grade, 476
45c; No. 3 vellow, 51½c; No. 3 white, Sic. OATS-No. 3 mixed, 46½647c; No. 3 white, 47½647½c; No. 4, white, 47½c; standard, 47½648c.

RYE-No. 2, 76676c; No. 3, 75676c.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Light receipts in the northwest formed the chief reason for a strong wheat market here today. At the close May wheat was 15.013c higher. Com was up 15.013c. Oats were to higher. Provisions were 16013c higher.

The wheat market was strong all day influential traders began to buy at the opening and continued until the close. The chief reason was the principal northwestern grain receiving points reported only higher today, with cars plentiful, against 48 cars hast year, during the prevalence of the car famine. The belief that the world's shipments will show a comparative decline within the next few weeks was also a strong bullish factor. There was also an improved demand for milling purposes, and from Texas came the report that wheat acreage had been reduced 20 per cent from that of last year, partly because the farmers lear the reappearance of the green bug, and also because of the desire of planters to use more land for cotton. The close was strong. May wheat opened 187% to 1505c higher at 11.05k to 11.05k, sold between \$1.05k and \$1.05k, and closed at \$1.075k. Chearances of wheat and flour were equal to 22.000 bu. Primary receipts were equal to 22.000 bu. Primary receipts were equal to 22.000 bu. Against \$1.000 bu. on the same day last year. Minneapolis. Duluth and Chi-

EGGP.—Fresh selling eggs, candled, Mc.

BUTTER—Common, 160: fancy tub and roils, 176186: creamery, 210.

CHEESE—New full cream, Wisconsin twing, 1762 new full cream brick, 176; do mestic new Swiss, 160; new limburger, 166 life; young Americans, 1740.

LIVE FOULTRY—Springs, 740: hens The croaters, 20; ducks, 20; geese, 161; processes, 20; ducks, 20; geese, 161; processes, 20; ducks, 20; geese, 162; trikeys, 162 ligreous, 20; ducks, 20; ducks, 20; geese, 162; trikeys, 162 ligreous, 20; ducks, 20 are; hogs, 41,696 head. The leading futures ranged as follows:

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relling the railroad, properly and franchises of the company to the Chicago. Eurington & Quincy Railroad company, the railroad and property aforesaid being now under lease to the said company. By order of the board of directors. W. P. Durkes. Nicolog.	\$4.75; western box apples. Colorade Jona- thans, per box. \$2.00; Colorade Grimes Gold- ens, per box. \$2.00; Idaho Jonathans, per box. \$2.75; Idaho Winter Bananas, per box. \$2.75; Washington San Davis \$1.75; Washing- ton Northern Spy. per box. \$1.75. Washing-	*Wheat Dec. May July *Corn— Dec.	1 06% (7 1 06% (7 1 06% (9 1 06% (9 1 06% (9)	1 61% 1 65 59%	26% 1 (6% 96%	1 00% 1 07% 10%	98% 1 06% 1 06% 28% 28%	riv
OFFICE OF THE OMAHA AND NORTH Platte Railroad Company. Omaha, Neb.	ton Greenings, per box, \$1.00; Washington Baldwins per box, \$1.75; Washington Rome Beauty, per box, \$1.75; Washington fall ap-	May	55 1 <sub>20</sub> 13 4 <sub>3</sub> 57 5 <sub>8</sub>	58%	581/2 67%	56% 58%	58% (3%) 57%	mi
Nov. 8, 1807.—To the Stockholders: Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Omaha and North l'iatte Railroad company will be held at the office of the company in Omaha. Neh.	ples, assorted per box \$1.5002.75.  VEGETABLES.  POTATOES—Fer bu. 6000c.  CABRAGE—Holland seed, per lb., 1611/gc.  ONIONS—Red Globs, per bu., \$5000c;	a May b May a July b July	53% 53% 65% 47%	5416 5746 4849 4016	53% 52% 46% 46%	54% 52% 45% 45%	5314 5314 6744 65	ful
at t o'clock p. m., on January 10, 1908, for the purpose of acting upon the question of selling the railroad, property and franchises	Denia, per crate, \$1.35. SWEET POTATOES-Small bbl., \$2.75. CARROTS-Per bu., 75c.	Pork- Jan. May	13 47% 13 10	13 53% 13 50	13 87%	12 5016 13 1716	12 43% 13 65	hi
of this company to the Chicago, Burlington a Quincy Railroad company, the railroad and property aforesaid being now under	TURNIPS-Per bu., Mc. PARSNIPS-Per bu., Mc. CELERY-Michigan, per bunch, Messe.	Jan. May	T 6746 T 8346	7 67% 7 86	7 6716 7 80	7 67% 7 85	7 66 7 80	64
case to the said company. By order of the board of directors, W. P. Durkes, Secretary.	NAVY BEANS—Per bu, No. 1, 219; Lima, 7c per lb. BEEF CUTS. No. 1 ribs. Mer. No. 2 ribs. No. 2	Ribs- Jan. May	8 65 7 66	6.70 7.30	6 65 7 00%	6 70 7 10	6 65 7 60%	594
STOCKHOLDERS MEETING-Office of Lee-Glass-Androesen Hardware Company. Omaha, Neb., Dec. 14, 1897.—Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Lee-Glass-Androesen Hardware company that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the offices of said company, corner of Ninth and Harney streets, in the city of Omaha, in the state of Nebraska, on Tuesday, January 14, A. D., 1908, at 3 o clock p. m for the purpose of electing a board of disctors for the company, to serve during the coming year, and to transact such other business as may be presented at such meeting.  (Saal) H. J. LEE, President Attest: W. M. GLASS, Secretary.  Disdot	No. 1 riba 14c; No. 2 riba 11c; No. 2 riba 75c; No. 1 loin, 15c; No. 2 loin, 13c; No. 2 loin, 13c; No. 2 loin, 15c; No. 2 loin, 15c; No. 2 round, 15c; No. 3 plate, 15c; Maille 15c; No. 2 plate, 15c; No. 3 plate, 15c; Miscellan Bolled Fruits-Frunca are somewhat unsettled by freer offerings from second hands, who seem desireus of moving supplies of immediate grades. Questions range from 6c to 8c for California fruit and from 15c to 8c for Oregon, 15c for 15c; No. 25c;	Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR — Steady; prices on patents, straights and bakers not available. WHEAT-No. 2 spring, \$1.092.12; No. 2. Section No. 2 red, \$85,083.014. CORN-No. 2. \$56,683.014. CORN-No. 2. \$56,683.014. CORN-No. 2. \$56,680; No. 2 yellow, \$1.00.00.00. RYE-No. 2. \$66. RYE-No. 2. \$66. RYE-No. 2. \$66. RYE-No. 1. \$66. RYE-No. 1 northwestern, \$1.00 Prime timothy, \$4.3094.56. Clover, contract grades, \$15.75. PROVISIONS-Short ribs. sides (loose), \$5,5097.60. Mess pork, per bbl. \$13.005. \$15.100.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00.00						fir fu
SPORTED BEDS MEDITAL WITH AN	\$1.45; standard S. nound cans \$1.00 Dine	Short c	lear si	idea ()	boxed),	\$6,87%	689.1345.	no

OATS-No. 1. 78c.

RYE-No. 1. 78c.

RARLEY-Fair to choice malting, 85076c.

SEEDS-No. 1 northwestern, 11.20 Prime timothy, 44 2004.50 Clover, contract grades, 15.75.

PROVISIONS-Short ribs, sides (10038), 36.75.

PROVISIONS-Short ribs, sides (10038), 36

Flour, bhis. 41.200 44.400
Wheat, bu. 77.200 105,500
Corn, bu. 480,600 218,900
Cotta, bu. 558,000 258,500
Rye, bu. 16.600 48.600
On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 200,200; dairies, 15,905. Express, easy; at mark, cases included, 23,910; firsts, 200; prime, firsts, 200; extrus, 240 Cheese, steady at 111,9750.

Bacon, steady; boxed extra short. 82.55; OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET BUILTER—Steady; creameries, 38,63%; BUILTER—Steady; creameries, 38,63%; BUILTER—Steady; creameries, 38,63%. Receipts. Shipments Killing Cattle of All Kinds Show Ad-

vance for Week. HOGS BIG TEN HIGHER FOR WEEK

Sheep and Lambs in Light Receipt All Week, Closing Twenty-Pive to Fifty Cents Higher Than

Week Ago.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 38, 180. Receipts were.
Official Monday
Official Tuesday
Official Wethesday
Official Wethesday Cattle Hogs Sheep ... 1.704 2.347 1.79 840 7.909 16 Christmas 1,782 2,778 L 1,245 5,727 L 240 5,561 Estimate Saturday Six days this week ..... 5,747 35,355

Six days this week 5.747 25.352 h.779
Same days inat week 16.455 26.35 17.276
Same days 2 weeks ago 22.389 45.288 21.875
Same days 2 weeks ago 19.442 50.341 20.245
Same days 4 weeks ago 11.682 14.288 28.877
Same days 4 weeks ago 11.682 14.288 28.877
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The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hoge and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date, compared with last year the year to date, compared with last year 1 1867, 1968, 1962

Cattle 1.153.420 1.075.82 78.237
Hogs 2.285.672 2.285.169 168.688
Sheep 2.025.288 2.156.003 128.655
The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

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TALLOW—Steady: city. \$ %c; country. I % \$ 5 %c.

RICE—Steady: domestic, fair to extra. 2 % \$ 4 %c; Japen, nominal

BUTTER—Market steady: creamery extras. 2 % \$ 4 %c; Japen, nominal

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Total receipts .... 11 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: seconds 1251Mc.
POULTRY-Alive, steady; western chickens, 9½c; fowls, 11½c; turkeys, 12½c; dressed, unsettled; western chickens, 126 20c; turkeys, 1401lc; fowls, 1612c. Cattle. Hogs, Sheep. WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT Fair Night and Sunday, with Milder

ber of head interest of 359 Other buyers An area of high pressure, accompanied by decidedly colder weather, spread over the central portion of the country during the night and temperatures are much lower in 499 Totals ... 200 5,649

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CATTLE-For a Saturday there was a pretty fair run of cattle, but the most of them were direct to packers. In other words, there were not enough cattle offered for saie to really make a market, so that the usual Saturday holiday prevailed in the cattle yards. The receipts for the week have been only about one-third as large as for the previous week, but that is nothing unusual for a holiday week, the run this week laving been very little different from what it was a year ago.

The supply of beef steers has been quite light all the week, while there has been about the usual holiday demand. As the requirements of packers were somewhat in excess of the supply, prices gradually firmed up and beef steers could safely be quoted borne higher for the week. Large receipts at Chicago and consequent breaks at that point have had a tondency to prevent advances being made at the Missouri river markets. A more equal distribution of receipts would have undoubtedly been beneficial to the market.

Cows and helfers have also been in very light receipt during the week and prices on that kind of cattle have also firmed up. night and temperatures are much lower in the lake region, upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys and west to the mountains. Generally cloudy and unsettled weather prevails east of the Mississippi river, with rains in the lower lake region. Ohio valley and southern states. Clear weather prevails west of the river to the mountains and fair weather will continue in this vicinity tonight and probably Sunday, with warmer tonight.

Omaha record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

1907, 1906, 1906, 1904.

Minimum temperature ... 17 22 24 -5

Precipitation ... 00 00 00 .00 .00 Normal temperature for today, 23 degrees. Deficiency corresponding period in 1865, 76 inches.
L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

light receipt during the week and prices on that kind of cattle have also firmed up, being right at 25c higher at the close of the week than a week ago.

Very little business has been transacted in the stockers and feeders division. Very KANSAS CITY, Dec. 28.—WHEAT—May, I.M. 13. July, 1914c. Cash: No. 2 hard, 90c ps. 0: No. 1 sed, 20146986; No. 1, 944,037c.

No. 1, 944,037c.

CORN-May, 524,c: July, 54c. Cash: No. 2 mixed, 134c; No. 3, 524,0534c; No. 2 white, 234,0334c; No. 2 white, 434,0350c; No. 2 mixed, are possibly firm as compared with a week ago, but no material advance can be re-

864814c. HAY-Steady; choice timothy, \$11.50@ 2.00; choice prairie, \$3.0069.50. RYE-78c. EGGS-Weak; extras 214c; firsts, 184c. 

mon to fair stockers and feeders, \$3.563.75; com-BEEF STEERS. 

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CAL MINNEAPOLIS. Dec. 25.—WHEAT—May. 21.14; July, 21.14%; No. 1 hard, 21.1314; No. 1 northern, 21.1314; No. 1 northern, 21.0314; No. 1.0914; No. 3 northern, 21.0414; 1642; FLOUR—First patents. 25.0025.70; second patents, 25.0025.60; first clears, 24.3034.40; second clears, 23.5022.60.

SEED—Fiax, strong; closing and to arrive, 21.174.

Representative sales:

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changed; heeves, \$3.5000.50; cown and helf-ers, \$2.0000.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.100 \$.70; calves and Yearlings, \$2.000.50. CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle and Sheep Stendy - Hoge Mostly Pive Cents Higher. CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—CATTLE—Receipts about 30 head; market steady; beeves, St. 45 (24.15; cows and heifars, \$1.2004.65; revans, 21.1062.50; calves, 25.0066.75; westerns, \$1.2006.16; stockers and feeders, \$2.2594.25.
HOGS—Receipts about 16,000 head; market mostly se higher; light, \$4.2596.25; mixed, \$4.2004.75; heavy, \$4.2004.15; rough, \$4.2004.66; higher, \$1.2004.75; head; market steady; native, \$1.0004.75; western, \$2.0004.65; yearlings, \$4.20094.75; lambs, \$4.20064.65; westerns, \$4.2006.15; Dec. B -- CATTLE-Receipts

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Inc. 28.—CATTLE Receipts, 1,000 head, including 10 southerns; market steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, \$4.80 m 5.50; fair to good, \$2.10 m 4.75; western steers, \$3.50 \$4.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 m 4.25; southern steers, \$2.50 m 4.30; southern cows, \$2.60 m 100; mative cows, \$2.150 2.90; native heifers, \$2.00 m 4.75; receipts for the week, \$6.300 head; market 18 \$150 higher; top, \$4.65; huis of sales, \$4.50 m 4.60; pigs and light, \$4.25 m 4.55; re-ceipts for the week, 26.000 head. SHERP AND slaMMES—Receipts, 200 head; market steady; lambs, \$5.50 m 6.40; ewes and yearlings, \$3.80 m 4.50; western yearlings, \$4.25 m 4.50; western sheep, \$3.50 m 4.55; stockers and feeders, \$2.00 head. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 28 CATTLE-leceipts, 50 Noad, including 25 Texans; Receipts, 50 fined, including 25 Texans; market steady; native shipping and export steers, \$6.0056.55; drenged beef and butcher steers, \$6.0056.55; steers under 1.009 pounds, \$2.0056.55; steers and leaders, \$1.5055.05; convers and bridges, \$1.5055.25; totals, \$2.0056.55; calves, \$2.5057.50; Texas and leaders calves, \$8.5007.50; Teres and indigo steers, \$2.5000.10; cows and helfers, \$1.50 HOGS—Receipts, 2,560 head, market higher, pigs and lights, \$1,6078.70; park-ers, \$1,568.70; butchers and best heavy.

No sheep on sale. St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

St. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 38.—CATTLEReceipts, 14 head; market nominal; natives, \$4.0027.75; cows and helfers, \$1.75

Grin; stockers and feeders, \$5.564.85;
HOOS-Receipts, 1.622 nead; market
opened 5610c higher, closed wind; top,
\$4.60; bulk of sales, \$4.3064.75;
SHEEP AND LAMIS-Receipts, none;
lambs, \$5.0002.80; yearlings and weiners,
\$5.5664.5; ewen, \$5.0003.80. Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the six prin-ipal western markets yesterday: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, South Omaha... 240 5.581 297 | Receipts of live stock at the Totals ...... 5.104 13.743 2.297 No. I. The law is well settled in this state Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—COTTON—Futures opened steady; January 10.55c; March 10.51c; May 19.66c; June 10.56c, bid; July 16.65c; August 16.50c, bid.

Futures closed steady; closing bids: December, 11.04c; January, 10.34c; February, 10.34c; February, 10.38c; March, 19.61c; April, 10.65c; May, 10.65c; June, 10.65c; July, 10.61c; August, 10.51c; spot closed steady; middling uplands, 11.50c; middling guif 12.05c; saics, 115 bales.

Liverprool. Dec. 28.—Cotton—Spot: Market duli; small business done, prices 4 points higher; American middling fair, 5.73d; good middling, 6.38d; middling, 6.12d; low middling, 1.78d; good ordinary, 5.55d; ordinary, 4.86d. The sales of the day were 4.00c bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 2.400 American. Futures. Market opened firm and closed steady; American middling, 6.00c.

c.ipts, 52,000 bales, including 42 100 American. Futures. Market opened firm and closed steady; American midding, G. O. C.: December, £,58d; December-January, £,68d; January-February, £,68d; February-March, £,79d; March-April, £,71½d; April-May, £,72d; July-August, £,69½d; August-September, £,61½d; August-September, £,61½d; October-November, £,40d.

GALVESTON, Dec. 28.—COTTON—Steady at 11½c.

GALVESTON, Dec. 28.—COTTON—Steady at 114c.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec 28.—COTTON—Spec, steady; low ordinary, 7c. nominal; cordinary, 75.—16c. nominal; good ordinary, 9c. nominal; low middling, 104c; middling, 114c; middling, 114c; fair, 124c, nominal; sales, 4.750 bales; receipts, 18.67 bales; stock, 253.304 bales;

bales.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 25 - COTTON - Quiet;
middling, 11%c; no sales; receipts, 40 bales;
shipments, 4 bales; stock, 18,246 bales. LOUIS. Dec. M -- COTTON-Quiet;

LONDON. Dec. E.—Money was in in-creased demand in the market today for year-end requirements and this caused firmer rates. Discounts were quietly steady: There was little business transsteady. There was little business transacted on the stock exchange, but quotations stiffened on the prespect of easier money bringing increased business in the near future. Consols benefited to the extent of 5-16. Americans were cheered by the improvement yesterday in Wall street. They started firm above parity and hardened later on the prospects of a better bank statement. The market closed firm at from one to three points better than yesterday.

BERIAIN Dec 28.—Trading on the Bourse today was light, but quotations were rather firm. The private rate of discount dropped one-half per cent, but loans running to a few days into January commanded ten and eleven per cent.

PARIS, Dec 28.—Trading on the Bourse today was quief and prices were firm.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Praits.

NEW YORK, Dec. E.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market continues quiet and quotalions are practically nominal. Pancy are quoted at lights: few choice, loc; prime, \$60 85c; 1996 fruit, 7671c.

DRIED PRIJITS—Prunes are being offered at slight concessions on some sizes owing to a desire to reduce stocks before the first of the year, but quotations still range from the year, but quotations are still range from the year, but quotations still range from the year.

See the fancy, Peaches are steady, with choice quoted at 12572c; extra choice, 125g (\$135c; fancy, 126135c; fancy, 126135c; extra choice, 125g (\$135c; fancy, 126135c; fancy, 1

Oils and Rosin. NEW YORK, Dec. 38.—OIL—Cottenseed, barely steady; prime crude, Sec. yellow, 26140. Petroleum, steady; New York, 28.75; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 28.20; in bulk, 44.45. BOSIN-Quist; common to good, Si 20, SAVANNAH, Ga., Doc. 38.—OIL—Turpentine, firm, 405c.

ROSIN-Firm; A. B. C. D., £2.85-97.75; E., 88-98.85; F. \$2.75-92.85; G. \$2.75-92.90; H., \$2.85-92.90; J. \$2.45-93.85; K. \$4.50; M. \$6.25; N. \$6.00; W. G., \$4.50; W. \$6.25; OIL CITY, Ps., Dec. 28.—OIL—Credit balances, \$1.78; Runs, 160,182 bbls; average, \$1.78; Runs, \$1.78; Runs,

135,171 bbls. Shipments, 195,304 bbls.; average 160,476 bbls. Sugar and Molasses. NEW YORK. Dec. 28.—SUGAR—Raw, quiet: fair refining. 8.86 9.25c. centrifugal. 96 test. 8.86. Refined, quiet: No. 6, 4.46c; No. 7, 4.5c; No. 10, 4.25c; No. 18, 4.15c; No. 11, 4.15c; No. 12, 4.65c; No. 13, 4.96c; No. 14, 8.5c; confectioners. 4, 4.65c; mould A, 5.15c; cut loaf, 5.65c; crushed, 5.56c; powdered, 4.26c; grammiated, 4.5c; cubes, 5.05c. MOLASSES—Steady: New Orleans, open kattle, good to chalce, 24.642c.

# SUPREME COURT SYLLABI.

Miller against Bradford, Appral. Red Willow, Affirmed, Pawcett, U vision No. 2 Pindings. Evidence Evidence examined and held sufficient to sustain the findings and judgment of the trial courts 1080. McMation against School District No. 66 of Anteliops County, et al. Appent. Antelope. Affirmed. Good, C. Division

No. 86 of Anteliops County, et al. Appeal.
Antelops. Affirmed. Good. C. Division
No. 1. Where the electors of a school district, in a motion so authorise, a change in the acheothemse site, designate the new location as the southerst corner of the northeast quarter of section 22, the failure to state the township and range in which the section is located does not render the location of the proposed site uncertain, when there is but one section numbered 23 in the achool district.

2. Under Sections 11,636 and 11,635, Codosy's Amounted Statutes, a school district may authorize the removal of the schoolinuse to a new site previous to the acquisition of the tille to the proposed site, but will have no right to remove the acquisition of the tille to the proposed site, but will have no right to remove the achoolinuse to the new site and the district has acquired title thereto.

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district.

1686. Bauer et all agninst Mitchel et al. Appeal, Antelepe. Affirmed. Calkins, C. Division No. 2.

Where an action is larguight without the authority or sanction of the party in whose mane it is presecuted, and an attachment is presured to be issued there-

on, such attachment is wrengfully ob-

inited within the meaning of Sec. 200, Code.

1982. In re Estate of Neckel, deceased. Neckel against Stemms. Appeal, Deusias. Epperson. C. Affirmed. Division No. I.

Inder the provision of section 225 of the Code of Civil Procedure, an interested party may testify early to such conversations and transactions had with the adverse party & decedent as were testified to by some witness called by the representative or to such facis. as may be presented in the preserved testimony of the deceased.

Italyer, Affirmed Amus. C. Division No. 2. When the evidence in the district court consists of oral testimony which is in sharp and irreconcilable conflict and the conclusion derivable therefrom a dependent in part upon inferences from discumstances, some of which are in dispate, and in part upon the weight and credibility of testimony to be determined from the degree of competency of the witnesses, their opportunity for knowledge and the apparent Clearness of their recollection, and the reason therefor, the findings of the trial sudge will be considered in determining the issues in this court.

1422. Harrison against Harrison. Appeal from Vark Affirmed. Duffie C. Division 1,500 1400 Harrison against Harrison, Appeal from York, Affirmed, Duffle, C. Division

I The law is well settled in this state that an oral agreement to convey real estate will be specifically enforced where the evidence of such agreement is clear and satisfactory, and the plaintiff has fully performed on his part.

"Where the acts performed by the plaintiff tend to show, not only that there was an agreement, but also throws some light on the nature of that agreement, the evidence cannot be said to rest wholly in parol, the parol evidence being auxiliary to the proof afforded by the case itself.

"Declarations against interest cannot be annulled or explained away by counter declarations.

declarations.

1568 Bridges against State. Error from Otco. Affirmed. Barnes. J.

1. Where the state, in a criminal prosecution, elects to proceed upon one of several counts contained in the information, and by the instructions of the court the jury are told, in effect, that their verdict must

are told, in effect, that their verdict must respond to the charge contained in that count, a verdict of guilty, as charged in the information, is sufficient.

2. An opinion based upon newspaper reports does not afford cause for a challenge where it is shown that such opinion will not interfere with the jurer's rendering a fair and impartial werdict upon the evidence under the instructions of the court.

3. Where, in a prosecution of one charged with the crime of incest, the court instructs the jury that they should not convict the defendant on the uncorroborated evidence of the prosecution, it is proper to conclude the instruction with the words. evidence of the presecutrix, it is proper to conclude the instruction with the words. "This does not necessarily mean that it must be corroborated by an eye witness to the particular act of intercourse, but it is necessary that she should be corroborated as to the material facts and circumstances, which tend to support her testimony, and which tends to establish or corroborate the truth thereof, and such corroboration can be by either direct testimony or by circumstantial evidence."

4. Where an instruction tendered by the defendant contains a statement not war-4 Where an instruction tendered by the defendant contains a statement not warranted by the evidence it is not error for the court to modify the instruction by striking out such unwarranted statement, and give it as thus modified.

5. A girl less than 16 years of age, who, under physical and moral coercion, has maintained incestuous relations with her

father, is not an accomplice in crime.

6. Evidence contained in the bill of exceptions found sufficient to sustain the verdict.

verdict

15200. Weinandt agniest State. Error from Cedar. Reversed. Good. C. Division No. I.

1 In a prosecution under section 20, chapter 50. Compiled Statutes, for unlawfully keeping intexicating liquors with the intent to sell the same without a license it is prejudicial error to permit the introduction in evidence, over objection, of the search warrant under which the premises of the defendant were searched and the liquors seiged. Nelson against State, SI Neb. 791, followed and approved.

2 In a prosecution under said section it is not error to admit evidence showing the keeping of other fluors in addition to those charged; nor is it error for the jury to taste of the liquors taken from the defendant's premises under the search warrant.

a Instructions numbered 6, 7 and 8 ex-amined and disapproved. 14607. Harrison against Rice et al.

14837 Harrison against Rice et al. Appeal, Boone. On rehearing former opinion adhered to. Epperson. C. Division No. 2.

1. No arbitrary rule exists for determining when a demand becomes stale, or what delay will be excussed, and the question of laches is to be decided upon the particular directions of the examination of laches and the question of laches is to be decided upon the particular directions as a bar to each chase.

2. Unreasonable delay alone, independently of any statute of limitations, may operate as a bar to equitable relief. Generally however, when a statute of limitations is applicable, lapse of time alone, whort of the period of limitation, will not operate as a bar.

2. When the suit is brought within that time fixed be the avalence of defendant to show the existence of defendant to show the existence of decemberances amounting to laches when the suit is brought after the statisticity time, district finust plead and prove that laches does not exist.

must plead and prove that laches does not exist.

4. "In applying the doctrine of laches the true inquiry should be whether the adverse party has been prejudiced by the delay in bringing the action, and whether a reasonable excuse is offered for the delay." Hawley against Von Lanken (Neb.) 10x N. 4.6.

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