New York Money Market.

31 Franklin 574 Granby

574 Tamarack

Landon Stock Market

181% Greene Cananea 22% Isle Royale 24% Mass. Mining .

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET Wheat Steady to Strong, but Regarded as Holiday Effect. NO DECIDED CHANGE IN SIGHT Point and Market in Greenld and Likely to Sell Bligher. Wheat proves steady to strong, but is gooded on as a hollday market, and no long as present conditions last no decided change is expected. Prices have advanced 20 from the low point, and the market is heavily oversold and is likely to sell higher. Sentiment in form is less bearish and shorts are inclined to take their profits on all recessions in prices. Receipts have failen off, but the demand cannot be called good and experters are complaining still. Wheat opened steady in face of lower cables. Demand was only scattered, but the market shows firm tone. Buying continued throughout the season and values closed on the high point of the day. December wheat opened at 80%c and closed at 86%c. days. Corn receipts were 835,000 bu. and ship-ments were 382,000 bu. against holidays last year. Clearances were 129,000 bu. of corn, 1,000 dil bu. of oats and wheat and flour equal to 22,000 bu. Liverpool closed 140% d lower on wheat and 140% d higher on corn. Beabord reported 40,000 bu. of wheat and 120,000 bu. of corn taken for export. Liocal range of options: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y

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Omaka Cash Prices.

WHEAT-No. 2 hard, 25000c; No. 3 hard, 25000c; No. 3 spring, 25

CORN-No. 3, 52% 6785c; No. 3 yellow, 58c; No. 2 white, 55c; No. 2 white, 544 6754 45c. OATS-No. 3 mixed, 4674 46c; No. 3 yellow, 464,6746 46c; No. 3 white, 47c; No. 4 white,

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

effect The market closed firm, with prices showing net gains of %5% to %c. May closing at 61% and July at 46% 946%. Trade in provisions was active. The close was strong at gains of 12% 500c.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

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

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*No. 2.
Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, \$4.65@ i.10; winter straights, \$4.65@ i.10; winter straights, \$4.65@ i.10; straights, \$4.60@ 4.90; sakers, \$2.56@ 4.18.
WHEAT—No. 2 spring, \$1.06@ 1.08; No. 3 spring, \$90@ 4.00; No. 2 red, \$1.07% @ 1.08% CORN—No. 2, 5866844c; No. 2 yellow, 5844

OATS-No. 2 white, 51%c; No. 3 white,

ter market was steady; creameries, 25501c; lairies, 216525c. Eggs, firm; at mark, cases netuded, 25525c; firsts, 20c; prime firsts, ic. Cheese, strong, 14515c.

BT. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—WHEAT—Firm; rack, No. 2 red, cash, \$1.004@1.06; No. 2 lard, \$1.004@1.06; No. 2 lard, \$1.004@1.06; No. 2 lard, \$1.004@1.06; May, \$1.004; July, \$5%c. CORN—Higher: track, No. 2 cash, \$84@ \$14c; May, \$5%c; July, \$5%c; track, No. 2 cash, \$1.004. May, \$5%c; July, \$5%c; No. 2 cash, \$1.004. May, \$50%@50%c; July, \$5%c; No. 0 white, \$146c.

White, \$146c.

RYE—Nominal, 764c.

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Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 23.—WHEAT-December, E. 684; May, \$1.084; Cash No. 1 ard, El.184; No. 2 orthorn, El.084; No. 3 porthern, El.084;

Olls and Rosin.

OLL CITY. Pa., Dec. 22.-OILS-Credit balances \$1.78. Runs, 163.780; average, 127.950; shipments, 212.044; average, 185.794

HAY-Steady, timothy, \$8.00@13.50; prairie, ern.

St. Louis General Market

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Wheat, Corn. Oats.

Commodities.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—FLOUR.—Receipts.

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and aboist steady; Minnessia patchis, 50.259

5.55; winter straights, 12.054.5; Minnesota
bakers, 12.054.59; winter extres, 51.554.25;
winter patents, 14.7556.25; winter low
grades, 13.5594.15. Rys flour, duli, fair
to good, 14.054.25; choice to fancy, 14.55

4.55; Huckwheat flour, duli; at 52.5572.85 per 100 lbs.
CORNMEAL—Firm; fine white and yellow, 11.4821.50; coarse, 11.4081.45; kiln dried, 13.4021.50.
RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 814c, f. o. b., OMAHA, Dec. 23, 1908.

Wheat preves steady to strong, but is looked on as a holiday market, and so long as present conditions last no decided change is expected. Prices have advanced 2c from the low point, and the market is heavily oversold and is likely to sell higher.

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Wheat opened steady in face of lower cables. Demand was only scattered, but the market shows firm tone. Buying continued throughout the seasion and values closed on the high point of the day. December, \$1.005.21.033, closed \$1.04%.

Corn is stronger on lighter receipts and values advanced when shorts take profits. Liquidation was not heavy and reports for export. Inquires gave firmness to the market. December corn opened at \$15% and closed \$1.4%.

Frimary wheat receipts were \$00,000 bu. and shipments were \$15,000 bu. and ship.

Corn receipts were \$35,000 bu. and ship-pounds, \$4666146c; cilipped white, \$26632 pounds, \$4666146c; cili 67%c. OATS—Receipts, 40,500, bushels; experts, 1,450 bushels. Spot steady. Mixed, 20632 pounds, 549544c; natural white, 20932 pounds, 54957c; clipped white, 24942 pounds, 564262c. FEED-Dull; spring bran, 24.50; mid-llings, \$2.46; city, \$24.5624.85, HAY-Dull; No. 3, 65670c; good to choice, HIDES-Quiet; Bogots, 204@214c; Central HIDES—Quiet; Bogots, 20%@21%c; Central American, 21%c.
PROVISIONS—Beef steady; family, \$17.00 @17.50; mess, \$18.00@13.50; beef hams, \$26.00@ \$2.00; packet, \$14.60@15.50; city extra India mess, \$26.50@27.60. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, \$5.50@27.60. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, \$5.50@27.60. Fickled hams, \$9.00@9.50; Lard, steady; western, \$9.50@9.50; refined, firm; continent, \$9.80; South America, \$10.60; compound, \$6.75@7.50. Pork steady; family, \$17.50@15.50; short clears, \$20.00@23.00; mess, \$18.50@17.50. #18.50@17.00.

TALLOW—Steady; city (#2 per pkg.), 5%c; country (pkgs. free), 5%@5%c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 2% 66%c; Japan, nominal,

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 22%c; (official price, 32c); extras, 31g32c; thirds to firsts, 23g30c; held creamery, common to specials, 23g30c; held creamery, common to specials, CHEESE-Market firm; state, full cream, CHEESE—Market firm; state, full cream, specials, 14%(15%c; September, small or large, colored or white, fancy, 14c; October, small or large, best, 13%c; late made, small, best, 15c; good to prime, 11%(12%c; common to fair, 10%(2013)c; skims, full to specials, 23%(11%c).

EGGS—Firmer; state, Pennsylvania and nearby brown and mixed, fancy, 346/36c; fair to choice, 31%(35c; western firts, 35c; seconds, 31%(35c.).

POULTRY—Alive, irregular; chickens, 11c; fowla, 12%c; turkeys, 10%(6c; dressed steady; western spring chickens, 16%(20c; western fowls, 11%(14c; spring turkeys, 18%) 23c, WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT Prices on Bears of Trade.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Covering by shorts in the December delivery caused firmness in the wheat market here today, final quotations showing net gains of '45%c. Cornotations and provisions also, closed firm at the exception of a brist perfect at the start when slight declines were recorded; also selling brought out by Jower prices at Liverpool. The strength was mainly due to the desire of shorts to "even up" for the Christmas holidays. Demand was chiefly for the December delivery and offerings during the 'gressis part of the day were rather meager. News was scanty and principally of a bearish character. Weather in the strength was canty and flour were equal to 23,000 bushels.

Corn scored a moderate advance, chiefly on account of the strength were active bidders for market closed firm, with prices up 146%c. Cash interests were active bidders for onte cover the strength were active bidders for cash interests were active bidders for cash interests were active bidders for onte and the market was firm all day. A brink demand to the early of the chiefly for the December delivery and of-terings during the 'gressis part of the day were rather meager. News was scanty and principally of a bearish character. Weather in the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of the chief at the strength was a strength of Cloudy and Possibly Snow Flurries Kansas City Grain and Provisions. Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 22.—WHEAT—Unchanged: December, 974c; May, \$1.004c; Canadian Facific Central Leather July 964c, Cash: No. 2 hard, \$1.0061.04; No. 3 hard, 954c(941.02; No. 2 red. \$1.05; No. 3 red. \$1.0021.03.

CORN—Mark to higher: December, 564c; Central Leather pfd. Central Leather pfd. Central Leather pfd. Central Central Leather pfd. Central Central Central Leather pfd. Central Cen EGGS-Steady; fresh extras, 314c; current Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. May 99% 1 00% 1 99% 1 00% A July 913699% 91% 91% 91% orn— May 57% 57% July 56% 57% A asked. Philadelphia Produce Market. Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL. Dec. 23.—WHEAT—Spot. Republic Steel pfd. Rock Island Co. pfd. Rock Island Rock

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NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

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Minn. & St. Louis.
M., St. P. & S. S.
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M. K. & T.
M. K. & T.
National Lead
New York Central.
S. Y. O. & W.
Norfolk & W.
North American Steel pfd

Market is Spotty at Times, Owing Partly to Reactionary Tendency of Some of the Minor NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—MONEY—On call, firm at 24,00% per cent; ruling rate, 35, per cent; closing bid, 3 per cent; offered at 31, per cent; time loans, dull and easier; sixty and ninety days, offered at 33, per cent; six months, 34,04 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 46,04% per cent; per cent; prime mercantile paper, 46,04% p NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The speculative community remained convinced today that important realignments are in progress of a contemplation in railroad relations. The contemplation in railroad relations of the contemplation in railroad relations. The contemplation in railroad relations. The control of the announced purchase of control of the use o mand; commercial bills, \$4.84\pg4.so.
SILVER-Bar, 48\pc; Mexican dollars, 45c,
BONDS-Government, steady; railroad, irregular. Closing quotations on New York bonds BOSTON, Dec. 23.—Money, call loans, 3 34 per cent; time loans, 42445 per cent. Closing prices on stocks and bonds were as demand for first class bonds continues excellent, and the ready absorption of new bond issues as fast as they are offered constitutes one of the strong underlying conditions of the present financial situation. So long as this condition is manifest and the call money market is kept free from violent fluctuations there is little influence felt from the more immediate changes in the money market. Large incursions are still being made on the cash holdings of the banka. Today's subtreasury operations disclosed a withdrawal of \$3,584,000 from the banks. Undoubtedly due to a further payment of subscriptions to the Panama bonds. This brings the loss of the banks on this account for the present banking week up to \$5,55,000. There is a falling off in demand for time loans and an unwillingness to pay the current asking rates which argues an expectation that easier terms will be procurable after the turn of the year. There seems confidence that supplies of banking funds would be forthcoming from outside sources before money rates had risen materially above the present moderate levels. Examples of the day's movements were those in Brooklyn Transit on the revival of the often repeated rumor of a dividend declaration impending, and in Bethlehem Steel on a story that Andrew Carnegle would resume active business by taking part in its affairs. The market showed no aspect at any time of what is called holiday dullness, the day's business proving a large one both in stocks and bonds.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, \$10,636,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks were: LONDON, Dec. 23.—American securities opened steady and about unchanged from yesterday's New York closing. At noon the market was steady, values ranging from ½ below to ½ above parity.

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Rumors of More Railroad Consolida-

tions Encourage Speculation.

VOLUME OF BUSINESS IS LARGE

London closing stocks:

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Anaconda 25% Norfolk & Western 87

Atchison 90% do pfd 87

do pfd 104% Ontario & Western 47

Baittmore & Ohio 117 Pennsylvania 664/

Canadian Pacific 1814 Rand Mines 73%

Chesspeake & Ohio 604 Reading 71%

Chi, Great Westorn, 11% Southern Railway 284/

Chi, Mil. & St. F. 151% do pfd 60% do pfd
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De Beers
Denver & Rio G.
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Go lat mfd. Wool Market.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 23.—WOOL—The scarcity of stock, the firmness of prices and the absence of extensive dealings are still the features of the local wool market. There is, however, a slight tendency to easier prices in poorer grades. The leading domestic quotations range as follows: Domestic, Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces, XX. 34635c; X, 31632c; No. 1 washed, 38639c; No. 2 unwashed, 37635c; fine unwashed, 23625c; knifblood, combing, 23625c; quarter-blood, combing, 23625c; quarter-blood, combing, 23625c; fine unwashed, 23627c; delaine, unwashed, 23627c; delaine, unwashed, 23627c; three-eighths blood, unwashed, 23627c; three-eighths blood, unwashed, 23627c; quarter-blood, 23627c; guarter-blood, 23627c; guarte Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits. NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market unchanged; fancy are quoted at 8%499%c; choice, 7%498c; prime at 44407c. DRIED FRUITS—Prunes are in better demand, with quotations ranging from 4%.25 for Ore California and from 6%.655 for Oregons, latter 50% to 20%. Raisins are unchanged, with loose muscatel quoted at 5%.05%; choice to fancy seeded at 6376; seedless at 4%.56c and London layers, \$1.505(1.60). Apricots are higher on the coast, but the total market, is sustained by light supplies, with choice quoted at 5%.58%; extra choice at 10%.05%; nead-total market, in sustained by light supplies, with choice quoted at \$1.505(1.50). Penches are steady; holders showing no anxiety to sell, evidently in expectation of a strong market during the spring. Choice are quoted at 7%.56c; extra choice at 7%.56c and fancy at \$1.500(1.50). 300 48%

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4,500 24% 290 23 240 54 600 7854 48,600 1191₈ 200 1274 13,500 25% 1,500 0 2,900 45 6,800 241₆ 800 426₆ 800 426₆ 2,200 95 800 33 250 105 141,600 1816₆ NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—COTTON futures opened steady; December, 8.98c; January, 8.68c; March, 8.74c; May, 8.81c; June, 8.11c; July, 8.77c; August, 8.67c, bid; October, 8.58c, 8pot closed quiet at 6 points advance; mddling uplands, 9.30c; middling guif, 9.55c; sales, 1,469 bales, Futures closed steady; December, 9.68c; Junary, 8.61c, February, 8.66c; March, 8.73c; April, 8.76c; May, 8.81c; Jule, 8.78c; July, 8.80c; August, 8.72c; September, 8.58c; October, 8.58c.
GALVESTON, Dec. 23.—COTTON—Market higher at 8 13-16c. Peoria Market.

PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 22.—CORN—Higher; No. 3 yellow, 57%c; No. 3 yellow, 57%c; No. 3 yellow, 57%c; No. 4 to 20 1134, Ill.

E74c; No. 4, 55c.

OATS—Higher; No. 3 white, 49%c; No. 4 white, 49%c.

Duluth Grain Market.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, Dec. 23.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, \$1.09%; No. 2 northern, \$1.09%; December, \$1.07%; May, \$1.09%; July, \$1.09%;

OATS—45%c.

New York Mraing Stocks. NEW YORK, Doc. 23.—COFFEE—Futures opened steady at unchanged prices to 5 points decline and closed net unchanged to 5 points decline and closed net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales were 18,000 bags, including December at 5.30c; February, 5.30c; March, 5.30c; May 5.30c; July, 5.30c; Mac, Spetember and October, 5.30c, Spetember and October, 5.30c, Spetember and October, 5.30c, Spetember and October, 5.30c, Spetember, and Cotober, 5.30c, Spetember, 5.30c, Spetember, 5.30c, Spetember, 5.30c, Spetember, 5.30c, Spetember, 5.3 NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Closing quotations an mining stocks:
Alice ... 200 Leadville Con ... 3½
Brunswick Con ... 3 Little Chief ... 7
Com. Tunnel stock ... 23 Merican ... 53
Com. Tunnel bonds ... 10 Outario ... 255
Con. Col. & Va ... 71 Ophir ... 155
Horn Silver ... 78 Standard ... 172
Iron Silver ... 100 Yellow Jackst ... 65
*Offered. Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.-Today's state ment of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve. shows: Available cash balance, \$156,844,580; gold coin and bullion, \$28,333,607; gold certificates, \$59,729,690.

Sugar and Molasses. NEW YORK Dec. 23.—SUGAR—Raw, nominal; fair refining 3.17@3.20c; centrifugal, 96 test. 3.67@2.70c; molasses eugar, 2.95@2.58c. Refined, steady; confectioners' A. 4.50c; mould A. 5.69c; cut loaf, 5.45c; crushed, 5.35c; powdered, 4.75c; granulated, 4.65c; cubes, 4.90c.
MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 28@42c. St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH. Dec. 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000 head; market active to strong; issuesers, \$4.5097.00; cows and heifers, \$2.509 strong; issuesers, \$4.5098.00. HOGS—Receipts, 6,000 head; market steady to 5c higher; top, \$6.56; bulk of sales, \$6.56; 2006.55. Bank Clearings. OMAHA. Dec. 23.—Bank clearings for to-day were \$1,962,560.28, and for the corre-sponding date last year \$2,077,652.72.

8 2006.55.
SHEEP AND LAMBS Receipts, 1,000 head; market active; lambs 20c higher; sheep strong; lambs, \$5.7667.35. LONDON, Dec. 22.—Money was in good demand today and discounts were inclined to ease on the gold shipments from New York, Business on the Stock exchange continues quite cheerful on the optimistic forecasts on the new year's business. White the rally in American railroad stocks today. Sugar Ten Cents Lower. NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—All grades of re-fined sugar were reduced 10c per 100 pounds

Cotton Market.

Coffee Market.

helped the tone teday consols did not move much, but home rails, foreigners and Kaffirs, in which there was a fair business, called higher. American securities started over parity and were fairly active in the forenoon on a higher level. New York came as a buyer in the afternoon, but offered slock later and the market sagged and closed uncertain. Bonds were higher on the change of government in that country.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Prices on the Bourse today opened firm on advices from New York, but closed irregular.

BERLIN, Dec. 28.—Trading on the Bourse today was light, but prices were firm. American securities were higher. OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET Beef Steers Ten to Fifteen Higher Than Last Week. HOGS SHOW MORE STRENGTH Fat Sheep and Lambs Quarter Higher Than Tuesday-Lambs Fifty to

Than Theaday—Lambs Fifty to

Seventy-Five Higher Than

Last Week.

SOUTH OMAHA, Dec. 2, 1908.

Receipts were: Cattle, Hogs. Sheep. Official Monday. 1, 241 2, 45 2

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105 W. & L. E. 4s. 83
106 Wis. Central 4s. 85%
824N, Y. N. H. & H.
11% ev 6s cfrs. . 135%
91% Lake Shore 4s 1331 95% Total receipts..... 73

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep. Omaha Packing Co..... Swift and Company. Cudahy Packing Co.....

HOGS—There were only a few hogs here this morning, receipts being very mederate, while the market was in a good healthy condition. Prices were anywhere from steady to 5c higher than yesterday. While the market was not so very active thero was a fair movement. Most everything changed hands in pretty good season in the morning. The hogs sold largely at 5.30 65.50 and on up to \$5.00 for right good loads. Representative sales:

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| Representative sales: | Av. Pr. | 100 western lambs | 71 7 6.5 | 163 western lambs | 70 7 00 | 175 western lambs | 69 7 00 | 162 western lambs | 710 7 00 | 12 western lambs | 611 6 00 | 17 western ewes | 89 7 00 | 163 western ewes | 99 4 00 | 21 western ewes | 99 4 00 | 21 western ewes | 25 00 | 21 western ewes | 25 00 | 22 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 25 0 | 2 CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Steady-Hogs Five Cents Higher-Sheep Steady to Strong. Higher—Sheep Steady to Strong.
CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—CATTLE—Receipts, 20,000 head; market steady; steers, \$4.60%, 7.90; cows, \$3.00%.55; heiters, \$2.50%4.60; buils, \$4.75%4.60; caives, \$3.60%3.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.50%4.60.
HOGS—Receipts, \$3,000 head; 5c higher; choice heavy shipping, \$5.75%5.85; butchers, \$5.70%8.60; light mixed, \$5.00%6.55; choice light, \$5.35%6.55; packing, \$5.35%6.55; pigs, \$4.00%5.55; bulk of sales, \$5.55%6.65.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, \$8.000 head; steady to strong; sheep, \$4.00%5.00; lambs, \$5.20%7.60; yearlings, \$4.56%6.15.

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

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 23.—CATTLE—
Receipts. 4,000 head, including 100 southerns; market for heavy steers, slow; other cattle, strong; choice export and dressed beef steers, \$6,0027.20; fair to good, \$4.350 5.90; western steers, \$3,5006.60; stockers and feeders, \$3,0006.25; southern steers, \$4,000 6.40; southern cows, \$2,2009.475; native helfers, \$3,0006.75; bulls, \$2,760.40; calves, \$3,0007.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,000 head; market, steady to \$6 higher; top, \$6.75; bulk of sales, \$5,1506.50; heavy, \$6,6006.75; packers and butchers, \$5,3006.70; light, \$5,0006.45; pigs, \$3,5005.05.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,000

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18351—Kemp against Kemp. Appeal, Colfax, Affirmed. Fawcett, C. Division No. 2.

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1. In the absence of any direct evidence to the contrary, possession is prima facile presumptive evidence of ownership; but when direct evidence is offered, the fact of possession loses its presumptive character and is to be considered only in connection with the other facts at its real prohibitive value.

2. Under the practice established by the statute of 1897, where the printed brief of the appellant particularly sets out the error in giving a specified instruction alleged to be erronsous, such error will not be disregarded because in the assignment of errors filed in this court by the appellant, the only specification of such error was that made to a group of several instructions of which this was one.

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from Hayes. Affirmed. Good, C. Division No. 1.

1. Parties to a judgment are not bound by it in a subsequent action, unless they were adverse parties in the original action.

2. In an action upon a promissory note against W., the maker, and S., who assumed and agreed to pay the note, and where no issue is joined as between W. and S. as to the contract of assumption of payment, the rendition of a judgment of dismissal as to S. will not in a subsequent action against him by W. to recover damages for a breach of the contract constitute a defense.

2. An agreement to pay an existing note and mortgage as part of the consideration for a conveyance of the mortgaged premises may be established by parole testimony.