REAL ESTATE

most beets; 500 acres, jevel valley land, around town; 500 per acre. Real estate ground; attention. D. C. Patterson, gents; attention. (20)—M331 20

COR SALE—A bargain. Bay State farm one and one-half miles west of North Bend, Dodge county, Nebraska, on main line of Union Facific Rafiroad. 775 acres all choics corn land. Grain elevator, 50,000 bushels cap., large dwelling. barns, cribs, sheds and other farm buildings. A choics grain and stock farm. Well equipped for handling grain and feeding stock. Address A. L. Norris. North Bend, Neb. (20)—M94 II

"Hillersat" 160-acre fruit and stock arm; \$5,200; easy terms; send for illustrated description J. T. Campbell, Litchfield, Neb. (20)—M970 22

1,500 cash, bglance long time, will buy 160 acres near Pawnee City. Well improved, good orchard, 105 acres cultivated, 15 acres tame hay, 45 acres pasture. Price \$10,000; mortgage \$4,000 (optional). Bemis, Paxton Bik., Omahs. (20)—M107 19

DAKOTA bargain, 160 acres, two miles from Huron; 100 acres tilled, 10 acres fina grove; a number of large, bearing pinm frees; a acres of asparagus that produces about \$500 worth a year; new 5-room nouse 24x36 new barn 18x23; another building 28x50; a large root cellar; a new 2-isch flowing well, flows 30 gailons per minute. Vegetables and grain took \$51 worth of prizes at the South Dakots state fair in 1908. Soil is a deep sandy loam, with clay subsoil. If taken soon I will sell for \$11,000; \$6,000 cash and \$5,000 on time at 6 per cent. D E. McMonies, Huron, S. D.

Missouri.

Mitchell's Bargain List

farm land, \$16 an acre.

500 acres Hitchcock county, all fenced, 500 acres good farm land, close to railroad town, \$15 an acre.

180 acre well improved Rock county farm, ask about this; it is a bargain; \$30 an acre.

acres. Sedswick county. Colorado. 30 acres irrigated; all good land. \$13.50 an acre. another of \$30 acres; 65 acres irrigated. \$18 an acre. One of 160 acres, 160 acres inder irrigation, \$10 an acre. These lands are under the Julesburg reservoir ditch and are now being farmed and are bargains; close to lown.

180 acres in the wheat belt of western Kansas; all good farm land and close to town. \$2,600.

Northern New Mexico Irrigated Lands, The finest and best proposition in irrigated lands in the west; ask about these.

W. W. Mitchell,

332 Board of Trade Bidg., Omaha, Neb. (20)-M154,19

Miscellaneous.

INVESTORS TAKE NOTICE

BIGGEST SNAP IN THE MIDDLE WEST

3.640-acre well improved ranch in northeast Nebrasks, \$7,000 worth of improvements. 400 acres now in cultivation, 2,000 acres would make good farm land, 800 acres of ne hay land, all fenced and cross-fenced with three wires, running water in pasture, good black soil with clay sub-soil.

This is one of the finest stock and grain

BUNDLE washing to take home. Tel. Webster 2831.

(27)—M322 19 callty are selling for \$30 to \$50 per acre. cap offer this ranch till March 1 for \$13 per acre, \$16,000 cash, balance long time. This will be \$30 per acre as soon

S. E. WAIT & CO.

417 Bee Building, Omaha.

Tel. Douglas 1832 CORN farm? Clover farm? Blüegrass farm? Home? Speculation? Free pockst map of Missouri if you write me. Ed. H. Smith, Chillicothe, Mo. Bus man knows my resi-dence. (20)—M146 25x

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Farm and Ranch Lands. FOR RENT. FARMS

120 acres on payed road, 76th and Center
streets, Omaha. See owner, C. E. Wilk
Ins, Dewey botel.

REAL ESTATE LOANS

WANTED-City loans and warrants. W. Farnam Smith & Co., 1210 Farnam St. (E2)-683 PAYNE, BOSTWICK & CO., N. Y. Life. Private money; \$500 to \$5,000; low rate.

8700 TO 25,000 on homes in Omaha. O'Keefe Real Estate Co., 1001 N. Y. Life. Doug. or A-2152. (22)—685

SECOND MOBTGAGE loans negotiated.
Apply Room 41, 18 First Nat'l Bank Pidg.
Bell 'phone Douglas 2318. (22)—886 MONEY TO LOAN-Payne Investment Co.

WANTED-City loans. Peters Trust Co.

FIVE PER CENT MONEY

Donaha Business Property.

THOMAS BLENNAN.

Room 1 New York Life Bidg.

(21)—600

LOWEST RATES-Bemis. Paxton block. Wead Bigs., 18th and Farnam. (25) 295

MONEY TO BUILD.

18-30 to £500,000 al current rates.

W. H. THOMAS, 506 First Nat'l Bank Bldg.
(22)—664 PRIVATE money to loan. J. H. Sherwood, 616 Brandels Bldg. (22)-666

CHOICE LOANS ON IMPROVED OMAHA
PROPERTY OR FALMS: low rate, no
delay, I. Sinhernsen, Gld Boston Store Ed.
(22)—600

WHEN you write to advertisers, kindly mention the fact that you saw the ad in Tas Bee. REAL ESTATE WANTED

WANTED Scape to farms or ranches; sive full larticulars. Shoux Realty Com-pany. 3 and 7 Schulein Bidg. Sloux City.

WANTED-TO BUY

HIGHEST prices for secondhand furniture curpets, clothes and shoes, Tel. Doug. 351

O BUT Good secondhand woodworking machinery W R. Shankland, Ills N. 25th St., Lincoln, Neb. (28)-M162 ibx WHEN you write to advertisors, remam-ber that it takes but an extra stroke or two of the pan to mantion the fact that gou as w the ad in The Bos.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Wheat Dull, but Corn Jumps Higher Thursday.

CASH WHEAT STEADY TO HIGHER

But Far More Activity Prevails in Corn, Wet Weather Having Con-

OMAHA, Feb. 18, 1908. Cables on wheat were lower on account of the larger Argentine shipments, and this unexpected happening brought out scattered selling at the opening. The speculative market ruled dull, however, throughout the session, while cash wheat sold steady to higher.

Corn was active and worbed into a runa-way market on heavy demands from re-

way market on heavy demands from re-ceivers and very light offerings. Country acceptances were surprisingly light and the wet weather over the corn belt caused light

shipments.

Wheat was dull and inactive, with prices ruling in a narrow range. Outside markets were easier and millers were not taking more than enough for immediate supplies. Cash wheat on the floor was steady, but lacked singer. May wheat opened at \$1.07% and closed at \$1.05%.

Corn started strong with outside markets all higher. Demand is very good and values improve easily. Shorts covered freely and advance after advance was made until a new high level was made both on the cash and closed at \$0.00.

Primary wheat receipts were 496,000 bu. and shipments were 221,000 bu., against receipts last year of 242,000 bu. and shipments of 212,000 bu.

Corn receipts were 419,000 bu. and shipments were 197,000 bu., against receipts last year of 401,000 bu. and shipments of 222,000 bu.

Ciearances were 141,000 bu. of corn, none of oats and wheat and flour equal to \$3,000 bu.

Liverpool closed 36d lower on wheat and

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat- May July	1 07%	1 07% 94%	1 0676 9456	1 08% 94%	1.07%
May	60	60%	60	60%	160
May	6136	5216	51%	52%	80.14

Omaha Cash Frices.

WHEAT-No. 3 hard, \$1.084-61.074; No. 8 hard, \$1.034-01.054; No. 4 hard, \$80-01.034; No. 3 spring, \$1.082-1.06.

CORN-No. 2, 55-4; No. 3, 55-4; No. 2 yellow, 55-4; No. 3 white, 614-061-1.0.

OATS-No. 3 mixed, 50-4; No. 3 yellow, 51-6; No. 3 white, 51-6; No. 3 white, 51-6; No. 4 white, 50-4; 61-6; RYE-No. 2, 74-6; No. 8, 73-6.

RYE-No. 2, 74-6; No. 8, 73-6.

carlot Receipts. CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Interest in the bull campaign in wheat experienced a partial scilpse today, sharp advances in corn and oats attracting the attention of traders to coarse grain. After a tame session wheat closed easy at a not loss for the day of the to take. Corn closed the to the higher,

WANTED-TO RENT

WANTED—By permanent couple on March 1, 3 or 4 rooms for housekeeping, on first floor, with private bath; rent must be reasonable. Address P 23, oare Bee. (26)—M148 19x

YOUNG MAN wants good home with tele-phone privileges—first class; city refer-ences. Would consider rooming with congenial party. C. S. B., 600 Brandels Bldg., Tel. Doug. 2239. (26)—978 ISX

WANTED—A position, April 1, in general store, by experienced clerk, thoroughly competent, perfectly reliable, with the best of references: capable of managing, keeping books and writing ada. Address Y 2, care Bee. (27)—M151 22x

STOVE REPAIRS

FURNACE, steam and hot water repairs; Thermostats and other heat regulators; new furnaces and hot water combination heating. Omaha Stove Repair Works, 1906-1208 Douglas St. "Phones: Ind. A-321; Bell, Douglas 560.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

\$ 1,500

park
Harry A. Tukey to Gould C. Ellets
and Frederick J. Adams, all feet of
ne2 feet of lot 3, block 22 West
Omahs Omaha County treasurer to Reserve

Samuel S. Kimball'to New Hampshire Savings bank, lot 19. block 2, subviv. of John I. Redick's add....
Shimer & Chase to Louis J. Pascal,
89 feet of lot 14 and ni0 feet of lot
13, block 8, Boulevard park.

Prudential Real Estate company to
John S. Vanderbeck, lot II, block 1,
Elimwood park.

Frank R. Vierling and wife to E. L.
Dunn, lot 2, block 8, Shull's 2d add.
Philadelphia Mortgage and Trust
company to Ings O. Minner, part
lot 8, block 10, Isaacs & Selden's add.

Total amount of transfers

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING-Notice is hereby given that the
regular annual meeting of the stockholders
of the South Piatte Land company will be
held at the office of said company at
Lincoln, Nebraska, at il o'clock a m., on
the third day of March. A. D., 1968.
C. H. MORRILL, President,
A. B. MINOR, Secretary,
Lincoln, Nebraska, February 1, 1969.

Fi-dsot

NOTICE. OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETing. The regular annual meeting of stockholders in The Bee Publishing company will
be held in the office of the company in The
Bee building, corner fith and Parnam
streets, Omaha, Nebrasks, on Monday,
March, I, 1999, at t o'clock p. m. By order
of the president. HENRY A. HASKELL,
Secretary.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

CANADIAN PACIFIC

LESS THAN FOUR DAYS AT SEA

Two days on the beautiful St. Lawrence River and the shortest ocean route to Europe.
Nothing better on the Atlantic than our Emprosues. Wireless on all steamers.
First class \$90; second \$50, one class cable \$45.
Ask your licket agent, or write for, sailings, rates and booklet. G. B. WHMFAMIN, G. A., GRE S. Clark St. Obicago, XII.

The most important item of news for the wheat trading at the opening was the estimate cabled here that Argentine shipments of wheat for the week were likely to reach 6.000,000 bu. This prediction on the movement from the South American country was soon followed by one on the week's movement from Australia, which placed exports from the latter country at 2.00,000 bu. As a result of these statistics sentiment in the pit was bearish during the first hour. There was general selling by commission houses and also some profit-taking by the leading holders. Toward midday a firm tone developed, inspired largely by the activity and strength of coarse grain. Cash wheat continued to sell at stiff prices owing to the brisk demand by millers, and this halped to strengthen options. Trade in the pit, however, was inclined to drag throughout the entire day and the range of prices was narrow. May sold between \$1.13% and \$1.14%. The market closed easy, with May at \$1.13% \$1.14, and July at \$1.004.

Decided strength marked trading in the corn pit, the May delivery scoring a new high record mark for the present upward movement of prices at 86%. Other deliveries were almost equally as strong. The "weather map" was chiefly responsible for the buillsh situation. Unsettled weather was reported throughout the corn belt and the official forecast predicted additional rain or snow tonight and tomorrow. Reports from lillinois indicated that the movement of grain to market was being delayed by the poor condition of country roads. An advance of %@ic in the price of the cash grain was an important factor. The market reacted from the high point of the day owing to selling by cash interests, but closed firm, with May at \$2.00% and July at \$5%.

Oats scored a net gain of 1c for the day, compared with the closing ouctations of the

reacted from the high point of the day owing to selling by cash interests, but closed firm, with May at 624,065%c and July at 65%c.

Outs scored a net gain of le for the day, compared with the closing quotations of the previous seasion. During the day the May delivery sold at 65%c, a new high record mark for the season. Trading was unusually active and commission houses reported a large increase in buying orders from outsiders. The demand was based mainly on the stock of oats in store, which is said to be extremely light, and on the reserves, which are said to be far below those of last year. The Illinois report showed stocks in farmers' hands to be is per cent smaller than a year ago. The market closed strong at almost the top, with May at 554,055%c and July at 40%c.

Provisions were rather weak at the start, owing to a Joe decline in live hogs, but rallied with the bulge in coarse grain and closed at net advances of 246,056 to 567%c.

Trade was quiet nearly all day.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

1 12% 113% 94 1 1414 1 00 1 0014 1 00% 95% 95% 95% 95% 5446% 40 4046% 9 823/2

Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR-Steady. RYE-No. 2, 761/2c. BARLEY-Feed or mixing. 636641/2c; fair BARLEY—Feed or mixing, 63064½c; fair to choice maiting, 63½656.

SEEDS—Flax, No. 1 northwestern, 21.68½.
Timothy, 32.75. Clover, 25.00.
PROVISIONS—Pork, mess, per bbl., 518.75
(316.90. Lard, per 100 lbs., 39.47½. Short rlbs., sides (1000e), 38.2508.75; short clear sides (boxed), 28.87½69.12½.

BUTTER—Steady; creameries, 22608c;

BUTTER-Steady: creameries, mosse; dairies, mozse.

Gairies, mozse.

EGGS-Weak; at mark, cases included, mosse; dairies, mozse, firsts, mosses, moltided, mosses; firsts, mosses; moltided, mosses; firsts, mosses; moltided; molti

Commodities.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—FLOUR—Receipts, 27,063 bbls.; exports. 10,444 bbls. The market was firm, with light trade. Minnesota patents, 35,4095.75; winter straights, 35,0096 5.15; Minnesota bakers, 34,2094.50; winter extras, 32,75624.20; winter patents, 35,1095.50; winter low grades, 33,5564.30; Kansas straights, 35,0095.20. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, 34,0094.25; choice to fancy, 34,253 6.55. Buckwheat flour, dull, \$2,1092.30 per 100 bbs. BUCKWHEAT-Dull; New York state,

BUCKWHEAT—Dull; New York state.

BUCKWHEAT—Dull; New York state.

BUCKWHEAT—Dull; New York state.

BUCKWHEAT—Firm; fine white and yellow, \$1.55@1.00; coarse, \$1.50@1.55; kiln dried.

RYE—Qulet; No. 2 western, \$2½c, f. o. b.

New York.

BARLEY—Steady; maiting, 74675c, c. i. f.

New York; feeding, 70671c, c. i. f., New Iver.

WHEAT—Receipts, 45,600 bu. Spot market firm. No. 2 red, \$1.19%, elevator; No. 2 red. \$1.20%, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 northern in Duluth, \$1.23%, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 northern in Duluth, \$1.23%, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.20%, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.20%, f. o. b. afloat, After an easier opening, due to poor caples and prospects for large argentina shipments, wheat did better and was quite steady all day, a following strong, coarse grain markets and a better export trade, closing partly ½c ner lower. May, \$1.17½@1.18%, closed at \$1.17%; July, \$1.07%, 1.08%, closed at \$1.08.

CORN—Receipts, 30,250 bu. Spot market firm. No. 2, 74c, elevator, and 71%c, f. o. b. afloat. No. 2 white, nominal, and No. 2 yellow, 71%c, f. o. b. afloat. Options without transactions closed ½c net higher. May closed at 72%c.

OATS—Receipts, 30,600 bu. Spot market firmer. Mixed, 25 to 22 lbs., 550555%c; natural white, 25 to 32 lbs., 55556669c; clipped white, 34 to 42 lbs., 57½g260c.

FEED—Quiet; spring brain \$27.50; mid-clings, \$27.50; city, \$27.50.

HAY—Quiet: No. 2, 60c; good to choice, \$00555c.

HIDES—Quiet; Bogota, 19%6204c; Cen-

80gs5c. HIDES-Quiet; Bogota, 19%620%c; Cen-HIDES—Quiet; Bogota, 1946204c; Central America, 204c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, \$15.50 gds.0; mess, \$10.50g11.00; beef hams, \$24.00g 25.00; packet, \$14.00g14.50; city extra India mess, \$74.00g24.50. Cut meats, steady; pickled beliles, \$2.00g54.50, pickled hams, \$2.00g 10.00. Land, firm; western, \$3.70g9.80; refined, quiet; continent, \$10.05; Bouth America, \$10.75; compound, \$7.25g7.50. Pork, steady; family, \$18.00g18.00; short clear, \$19.25; \$21.00; mess, \$17.50g18.00.

TALLOW—Quiet; city (\$2 per pkg.), \$60; country (pkgs, free), \$4.0544c.

RICE—Firm; domestic, fair to extra, 25; \$65c; Japan, no minsl.

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT Fair and Colder Friday, Says the Prophet.

OMAHA. Feb. 18, 1909.

The pressure is high over the eastern and southern states and generally fair weather prevails everywhere east of the Mississippi river, except light snows are falling in the lower lake region. A trough of low pressure extends from Manitoha south over the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys to Texas, with its center over Oklahoms. This low is accompanied by general cloudy and threatening weather throughout the central valleys, with hight enows in the extreme upper valleys and rains in Kansas and the Texas panhandle. Temperatures have moderated rapidly oversywhere east of the Rocky mountains, but colder weather prevails in the mountain districts and west to the coast, and it will be somewhat colder in this vicinity tonight and Friday, with unsettled weather today, followed by fair tonight and Friday, with unsettled weather today, followed by fair tonight and priday.

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

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

100 Mahi A. Feb. 25. Quotations of stocks and bonds, furnished by Burns, jr., 614 New York Life built of Combination Bridge, Siouz City.

Combination Bridge, Siouz City.

Combination Bridge, Siouz City.

Kansas City Ry. & Light is 1915.

Combination Bridge, Siouz City.

Kansas City Ry. & Light pid.

Shout colder weather prevails in the mountains of the Rocky mountains.

Omaha Elevato Li. & Power is 1985. 10 Omaha Co. Builts St. Ry is 1914.

Omaha Co. Builts St OMAHA, Feb. 18, 1909.

grees. Deficiency in precipitation since March' 1. 5.90 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1907,
L. A. Will.SH,
Local Forecaster.

Active Selling Movement Starts with

No Counterbalancing Demand. Market Movement Hinges on Proposed Cut in Prices of Steel Products and Illness of E. H. Harriman.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The stagnation that has prevailed in the stock market was changed today into an active selling movement without any counterbalancing demand that has prevailed in the stock market was changed today into an active seiling movement without any counterbalancing demand to meet it. A severe inroad on prices was the consequence.

The whole market hinged on the development in the steel trade. While no formal announcement was made during the session of the Stock exchange it was generally known that conferences were going on among officials of the United States Steel corporation which was likely to issue changes in the schedule of prices which had been determinedly held by the corporation. The notable effect on sentiment produced by this development owed its depth to its abrupt reversal from the supposed determination of the corporation to hold to its former policy. Reports that the independent steel companies were making concessions and were getting what business was done were met by deprecatory comments on the small proportions of such business as to the capacity of the trade at large and its lack of significance as a reflection of trade conditions. A different view of the situation seems to have been adopted some time yesterday. The stock market promptly took up the burden of this reversal of policy and began to discount an expected cut in steel prices. The position was complicated by the fact that the market prices of the stock of the United States Steel corporation had been held by main force as well as the prices of its product. Since the common stock was allotted to the corporation's employes at 50 there has been widespread assumption that adequate support would be given the market to prevent the price falling below that point. The action of the stock discouraged bear selling and prompted covering of shorts as oftan as that account grew to anything like unwieldy proportions. The belief that the position se included in Mr. Harriman's supplemented as a factor by the fears that the state of E. H. Harriman's health was not such as to enable him to carry out the projects which have been a main incentive to speculative confidence on the part of a large elem

ward again at the close.

Bonds were easy. Total sales, par value, 4,496,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Number of sales and principal quotations on stocks were as follows: lows: 251-28 High, Low. Close. 44,200 74% 73% 73% 73% 100 100 110% 110% 11.8 800 105% 82% 53% 1.600 41% 40 40 2.000 23% 22% 22% 22% 13%

Amalgamated Copper
Am. C. & F.
Am. C. & F.
Am. C. & F.
pfd.
Am. Lee Securities.
Am. Linseed Oil.
Amstrian Locomotive pfd.
Am. S. & R.
Am. S. & R.
Am. S. & R.
Am. Sugar Refining
Am. Tobseco pfd.
Amserican Woolen
Amaconda Mining Co 85 70 121 % 176 % 176 % 80 % 46 % 166 % 171 % 167 % 171 % 167 % 171 % 17 Int. Paper ptd.
International Pump
lowa Central
Kanma Chty 80
K. C. 80 ptd.
Louisville & N.
Minn. & St. LouisM. St. P. & S. 8.
Missouri Pacific
M. K. & T. ptd.
National Lead
New York Central.
N. Y. O. & W.
Nortolk & W.
Nortolk & W.
Nortolk & M.
North American
Northern Pacific
Facific Mail
Peonogivanta

Bo. Railway p(f)
Teuneasee Copper
Texas & Pacific.
T. St. L. & W.
T. St. L. & W.
pfs.
Union Pacific pfd.
U. S. Rubber.
U. S. Rubber is pfd.
U. S. Steel
U. S. Steel
U. S. Steel
U. S. Steel
Wa-Carollina Chemical
Va.-Caro. Chem. pfd.
Wabash
Wabash pfd
Wastinghouse Electric
Western Union

Total sales for the day, \$22,50) shares.

OMAHA, Feb. 85.—Quotations on Omaha stocks and bonds, furnished by Samuel Burns, jr., 61s New York Life building: Sheridan Coal seem.
Sloux City Stock Yards pdd.
Sloux City Stock Yards com.
Stoux City Stock Com.
Stoux City Stock Stock
Stound Stock Yards Co. stock
Stound Stock Conservation Co., Kanass City 50
Wright-Wilhelmy Co. pfd.
Stound Stock Yards Co. stock
Stound Stou

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, III., Feb. 17.—CORN—Higher, No. 2 yellow, 645,2614c; No. 3 yellow, 645,614c; No. 3 Sec; No. 4 Sec; No. 4 Sec; No. 5 Sec; No. 5 Sec; No. 6 Sec

creased, £164,000; public deposits, increased, £1,550,000; notes reserve, increased, £1,150,000; government securities, decreased, £70,000. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is \$6.59 per cent; last week it was 40.72 per cent.

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, Feb. IS.—MONEY—On call easier, 2624 per cent; ruling rate, 24 per cent; closing bid, 2 per cent; offered at 34 per cent. Time loans, quiet and steady; sixly days, 24,635 per cent; ninety days, 24,635 per cent. PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—24,64 per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with
actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.84956;
4.8595 for sixty-day bills and at \$4.87 for
demand; commercial bills, \$4.84956;
SILVER—Bar, 514c; Mexican dollars, \$4c.
BONDS—Government, steady, railroad,

easy.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as

Boston Stocks and Bonds. BOSTON, Feb. 18.-Money, call loans, 384 Franklin
334 Granby
355 Greene Cananea
359 Isle Royale
1774 Mass. Mining
25 Michigan
2 Mohawk
1258 Mont. C. & C.
28 Nevada
964014 Dominion
35 Ouccola
14 Parrot
55 Quincy
1964 Shannon
644 Tamarack
284 United Copper
1134 U. S. Mining
784 U. S. Oil
41 Ulah
784 Victoria NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Closing quotations in mining stocks were:

*Brunswick Con.
Com. Tunnel stock.
*do bonds
Con. Cal. & Va.
Horn Silver
Lendville Con.
*Offered. PARIS, Feb. 18.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes: Notes in circulation, decreased, 30,425,000 francs; treasury deposits, increased, 28,150,000 francs; general deposits, decreased, 20,25,00 francs; silver in hand, increased, 20,25,00 francs; silver in hand, increased, 800,000 francs; bills discounted, decreased, 25,600,000 francs; advances, decreased, 800,000 francs; advances, decreased, 800,000 francs.

Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve shows: Available cash balance, \$140,900,582; gold coin and bullion, \$35,727,801; gold certificates, \$28,947,360.

OMAHA, Feb. 18.—Bank clearings for today were \$2,348,601.92 and for the corre-sponding date last year \$1,558,876.24.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions. Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 18.—WHEAT—Unchanged; No. 2 hard, \$1.05@1.11; No. 3 hard, \$1.05@1.05%; No. 3 red, \$1.25@1.25; No. 3 red, \$1.20@1.25; No. 2 red, \$1.20@1.25; No. 2 red, \$1.20@1.25; No. 2 mixed, 61%@61%c; No. 2 white, 63c; No. 3 white, 63c; No. 2 white, 63c; No. 3 white, 63c; No. 2 white, 63c; No. 2 mixed, 50g51c.

RYE—75@50c.

HAY—Prairie, 25c higher; others, unchanged; choice timothy, \$9.75@10.09; choice prairie, \$3.50@6.75; choice alfalfa, \$15.00@16.09.

Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. A asked. B bid. Cotton Market.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—COTTON—The market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 2 points and sold 1 to 3 points higher.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 9.58c; middling gulf, 10.10c; sales, 100 bales.

Cotton futures opened steady; March, 5.54c; May, 9.54c; July, 9.55c; August, 9.44c; bid; October, 9.38g9.39c; Denember, 9.34c; January, 9.34g; 35c.

Futures closed steady; February, 9.45c; March, 9.51c; April, 9.48c; May, 9.48c; June, 9.48c; July, 9.48c; August, 9.41c; September, 9.33c; Otcober, 9.34c; November, 9.31c; December, 9.38c; January, 9.27c.

ST LOUIS, Feb. 18.—COTTON—Unchanged. Sales, 184 bales; receipts, 1,561 bales; shipments, 2,729 bales; slock, 42,253 bales.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—METALS—The London tin market had a sharp break, with spot quoted at \$125 5s and futures at \$130 12s 5d. Locally the market was easy at \$28.60 258.80. Copper was lower in London, with spot quoted at \$57 15s 3d and futures at \$58 12s 5d. The local market was dull and showed a continued declining tendency, with lake quoted at \$12.25 \$013.50; electrolytic, \$12.87 \(\psi \) \$018.00; casting, \$12.75 \$12.87 \(\psi \) \$12.87 \(\psi \) \$018.00; casting, \$12.75 \$12.87 \(\psi \) \$10.00; casting, \$10.00; casting, \$12.75 \$12.80; casting, \$12.75 \$12.80; casting, \$12.75 \$12.80; casting, \$12.80; casting,

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—COFFEE—Market for coffee futures opened steady, unchanged to 5 points lower, in response to easier French cables, and ruled around the opening figures under scattered realising in the absence of good support. The close was steady, net 5 points lower. Sales 14,750 bags, including March at 5.45c; May, 6.45 \$.50c; July, 6.50c; September, 5.905, 55c; October, 5.85c. Spot steady; Rio No. 7, \$9.816c; Santos No. 4, 856c; mild. steady; Cordova, \$14,613c.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Killing Cattle Generally Steady, with Tendency on Feeders Weak.

Sheep and Lambs Command Steady Prices, but the Market is Twenty-Five Cents Lower Than Last Week.

SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 18, 1909. Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.
...2,450 2,555 3,789
...3,766 11,657 11,634
...6,363 14,842 7,789
...4,000 12,300 4,000 Four days this week. 16.418 42.257 27.282
Same days last week. 11.656 2.045 19.482
Same days 2 weeks ago. 13.500 34.190 35.605
Same days 2 weeks ago. 14.602 40.847 22.841
Same days 4 weeks ago. 30.67 40.697 25.613
Same days 1 weeks ago. 30.67 40.697 25.613
Same days 1 weeks ago. 30.67 40.697 25.613
Same days last year. 14.742 31.257 18.500
The following table shows the receipts of cattle. hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date, compared with last year:
1906. 1908. Inc. Dec.
Cattle 120.135 138.346 5.210
Hogs 514.279 45.311 83.532
Sheep 30.252 189.266 14.017
The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last saveral days, with comparisons: Datés. | 1808. | 1808. | 1907. | 1906. | 1806. | 1806. | 1903.

*Sunday. The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, H'rs

Missouri Pacific. 3
Union Pacific 36
C. & N. W., east 9
C. & N. W., west 38
C., Si. P., M. & O. 15
C., B. & Q., east 3
C., B. & Q., west 6
C., R. I. & P., east 6
C., R. I. & P., west 3
Illinois Central 3
Chicago Gi. Western 2 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

Swift and Company. 1,234
Cudahy Packing Co. 209
Armour & Co. 265
Vansant & Co. 51
Carey & Benton 44
Lobman & Rothchild. 76
W. 1, Stephen Hill & Son.
F. P. Lewis.
J. B. Root & Co.
J. H. Bulla
L. F. Husz.
McCreary & Carsy.
Sam Werthiner
H. F. Hamiton.
M. Hageriy & Co.
F. G. Ingnram.
Sullivan Bros.
Lehmer Bros.
Rothschild.
Other buyers.

the same days last year by almost 6,000 head.

The market on all kinds of killing cattle did not show any very material change today, steers, cows and hetfers selling in about the same notches as yesterday. There was some unevenness to the trade, some sales looking a little better and some sales not quite so good, but the general market was about steady. The trade was rather slow and the forenoon was pretty well advanced before buyers tried very hard to do business, but when the ice was once broken there was a fair movement. vanced before buyers there very many of business, but when the ice was once broken there was a fair movement.

Stock cattle and feeders seemed to have an easier tendency, speculators being generally bearish in their views, the same as they have been for the last two or three days. To call the market steady to easier would just about cover the situation, so far as cattle in first hands are concerned.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice corn-fed steers, \$5.0006.00; fair to good corn-fed steers, \$6.0006.00; good to choice cows and helfers, \$4.0006.00; good to choice cows and helfers, \$4.0006.00; good to choice stockers and feeders, \$4.5006.00; fair to good stockers and feeders, \$4.5006.00; common to fair stockers and feeders

COWB. HEIFERS. BULLS

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS

changed to 5 points lower, in response to easier French cables, and ruled around the opening figures under scattered realising in the absence of good support. The close was steady, net 5 points lower, Sales 14,750 bags, including March at 5.45c; May, 6.45@ 5.5c; July, 6.26c; September, 5.90@5.95c; October, 5.85c. Spot steady; Rio No. 7, 5@8%c; Santos No. 4.8%c; mild, steady; Cordova, 94,@13c.

Oils and Resin.

Oils Bhipments, 52.815 bbis; average, 123.303 bbis. Bhipments, 52.815 bbis; average, 125.305 bbis, 125.3

having weight and quality, that sold on the uarly market. Light hose were neglected to a very considerable extent uptil the last. The market instead of improving steadily grew worse, closing 150,300 hower on light hose and as much as 250 lower on the commoner loads weighing 350 pounds and under. The close was, in fact, about as bad as could well be imagined. Salesmen worked hard to maintain prices, but it was impossible under the circumstances to do more than accept the low bids of packers or keep the hose. HOG VALUES MAKE A BIG SLUMP

on it.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Good to choice lambs, \$7.0097.25; fair to good lambs, \$6.5057.00; feeding lambs, \$6.5095.75; good to choice light yearlings, \$6.5095.25; feeding yearlings, \$8.0095.25; feeding yearlings, \$8.0095.25; feeding yearlings, \$5.0095.75; good to choice wethers, \$6.0095.25; fair to good wethers, \$4.5085.00; feeding wethers, \$4.50894.75; good to choice ewes, \$4.0084.75; fair to good ewes, \$7.0094.40; feeding ewes, \$7.5094.86; cuits and bucks, \$1.0092.75.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET Cattle Fifteen to Twenty-Five Cente

Lower—Hogs Lower.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, estimated at 7,500 head; market 15@25c lower; steers, \$5.50@7.00; cows, \$2.50@5.50; heifers, \$3.25@5.00; bulls, \$3.40@5.50; heifers, \$3.25@5.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.25@5.50.

HOGS—Receipts, estimated at \$5.000 head; market 10@15c lower; choice heavy shipping, \$6.40@6.50; butchers weights, \$6.35@6.40; light mixed, \$6.20@6.30; choice light, \$6.35@6.40; packing, \$6.25@6.40; pigs, \$6.25@6.40; pigs, \$6.25@6.40; pigs, \$6.25@6.40; pigs, \$6.25@6.25; SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, estimated at 15,000 head; market 10c lower; sheep, \$4.25@6.75; lambs, \$6.25@7.50; yearlings, \$5.00@6.85. Lower-Hogs Lower.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY. Feb. 18.—CATTLED—Receipts, 5,500 head, including 1,200 head southerns; market steady to 10c lower; choice export and dressed beef steers, 25,5096.25; fair to good, \$4,5065.50; western steers, \$4,50 96.25; fair to good, \$4,5065.50; western steers, \$4,50 96.05; southern steers, \$4,2595.40; southern cows, \$2,7069.4.50; native cows, \$2,8060.25; native helfers, \$3,0065.50; bulls, \$2,5060.65; native nerfers, 16,000 head; market 109.20c lower; top, \$6,33%; bulk of sales, \$5,750.6.25; heavy, \$6,15696.32%; packers and butchers, \$8,0006.25; light, \$6,5596.05; pigs, \$6,000 head; market steady; lambs, \$6,0007.50; yearlings, \$6,5006.55; wethers, \$4,7506.50; ewes, \$4,3505.00; stockers and feeders, \$3,00 964.50. Kansas City Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,235 head, including 600 Texans; market 10615c lower; native shipping and export steers, 35.0097.00; dressed beef and butcher steers, M.0096.25; steers under 1,000 hs., 37.5095.80; stockers and feeders, 32.2865.00; cows and heifers, 32.2866.05; canners, 31.7569 2.25; bulls, \$2.75@5.00; calves, \$5.60@5.00;
Texas and Indian steers, \$3.50@6.20; cows and heifers, \$1.75@4.15.

HOGS—Receipts, 12.350 head; market 10c lower; pigs and lights, \$4.50@6.30; packers, \$3.25@6.65; butchers and best heavy, \$6.50@ S.60.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,970 head; steady to 19c lower; native muttons, \$3.75@5.40; lambs, \$4.50@7.60; culls and bucks; \$3.15@5.00; stockers, \$3.00@4.00.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. St. Joseph Live Steck Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000 head; market 10g35c lower; steers, 34.75g5.00; cows and heifers, 32.50g 5.50; calves, 43.50g7.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000 head; market 10c lower; top. \$4.35; bulk of sales, \$5.90g6.25.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,000 head; market steady to 10c lower; lambs, 36.00g7.50.

Sloux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX CITY Lave Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Is.; Feb. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000 head; market lower; beeves, \$4.5095.00; fat cows and helfers, \$2.0094.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000 head; market 50970c lower; range of prices, \$5.5096.20; bulk of sales, \$5.5096.05.

Stock in Sight. Receipts of live stock at the six principal Total receipts 29,325 52,550 St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—WHEAT—Steady: track. No. 2 red cash. \$1.27\(\frac{1}{2}\); No. 2 hard. \$1.10\(\frac{1}{2}\); 10\(\frac{1}{2}\); 21\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 32\(\frac{1}{2}\); 31\(\frac{1}{2}\); 32\(\frac{1}{2}\); 32\(\frac{1}{2 No. 2 white, 67@674c; May, 84%c; July, 65%c; OATS—Higher; track, No. 2 cash, 53%c; No. 2 white, 55%c; May, 64%c; July, 45%c, FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, 55.50@5.75; extra fancy and straight, 24.90 @5.35; hard winter clears, 33.76@410. HEED—Timothy, \$2.00@2.45.

CORNMEAL—\$3.20.

BRAN—Higher; sacked, east track, \$1.13.40.

HAY-Weak; timothy, \$10.00@14.50; prairie, \$8.5(@11.00.

HAT—Weak; timothy, \$10.00@14.50; prairie, \$8.5@11.00.

JRON COTTON TIES—7.00.

BAGGING—674c.

HEMP TWINE—7c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, higher; jobbing, \$16.45. Lard, higher; prime steam, \$9.224.06.

\$4.324. Dry salt means (boxed), steady; extra shorts, \$9.124; clear ribs, \$9.25; short clears, \$9.1245. Bacon (boxed), steady; extra shorts, \$10.3745, clear ribs, \$10.25; short clears, \$10.75.

POULTRY—Firm; chickens, \$19.25c; ducks, \$18.55 (springs, \$16c; turkeys, \$19.25c; ducks, \$19.2

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA. Feb. 18—BUTTER—
Steady; extra western creamery. Mc; extra nearby prints, 25c.

EGGS—2c lower: Pennayivants and other nearby firsts. free cases. Mc. at mark; Pernsylvants and other current receipts, in returnable cases, 25c. at mark; western firsts, free cases, 20c. at mark; western firsts, free cases, 20c. at mark; western current receipts. free cases, 200c. at mark.

CHEESE—Firm: New York full creams, choice, 14% file: fair to good, 169646c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

11.10%; July 11.11%; Cash: No. 1
hard, \$1.12%; No. 2 northern, \$1.12%;
No. 2 northern, \$1.10%; No. 3 northern, \$1.12%;
PLOUR-Demand strong; first patents, \$5.50%, 5; second plants, \$5.405.50; first clears, \$4.1084.25; second clears, \$2.6663.16.

BRAN-in bulk, \$22.00823.50.

Milwanker Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, Feb. 18.—WHEAT—Firm: No. 1 northern, B.16; No. 2 northern, \$1.16; May, \$1.14 CORN—Higher; May, 644,0664c. BARLEY—Firm; standard, 654,060c; sample, 624,0664c