GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Sentiment in Wheat Trade Shifts to the Buying Side.

LITTLE HOPE FOR CORN BEARS

As Far as Big Run is Concerned a Lively Movement is Not Expected for Some Time—Cash Demand Better.

OMAHA, Jan. 20, 1912.

The sentiment in the wheat trade was undoubtedly on the buying side today. The Argentine news is positively bullish, as both the quality and quantity of wheat from that country has been reduced considerably. At the same time all foreign markets are showing good strength.

The one thing lacking to make a good bull market is the lack of any adequate cash demand to reduce the big visible supply.

There is little hope for the bears to corn as far as a big run of receipts is concerned in the near future. The cash demand is steadily improving and all natural conditions point to higher levels, and sentiment among the best traders favors an advance.

Wheat ruled firm and higher, helped by the strength in corn and strong foreign cables. Cash wheat was unchanged.

Corn continues to more than hold its own and news is bullish and values will likely be higher. Cash corn sold ½c higher today.

Primary wheat receipts were 450,000 bu. and shipments were 241,000 bu., against receipts last year of 352,000 bu. and shipments of 202,000 bu.

Primary corn receipts were 715,000 bu. and shipments were 469,000 bu., against receipts last year of 553,000 bu. and shipments of 481,000 bu.

Clearances were 119,600 bushels of corn, 1,500 bushels of oats and wheat and flour equal to 272,400 bushels.

Liverpool closed ¼d higher on wheat and ¼d lower on corn.

The following cash sales were reported: Wheat: No. 2 hard, 2 cars, $1.01; No. 3 hard, 2 cars, $1.01. Corn: No. 4 yellow, 1 car, 62c; 1 car, 61½c; No. 3 mixed, 2 cars, 63½c; No. 4 mixed, 1 car, 61½c; no grade, 1 car, 60c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.00½@1.04; No. 3 hard, $1.00@1.02; No. 4 hard, 97c@$1.01½.

CORN—No. 3 white, 63½@64c; No. 4 white, 62@63c; No. 3 color, 63@63½c; No. 2 yellow, 63@63½c; No. 4 yellow, 61½@62c; No. 3, 63@63½c; No. 4, 61@61½c; no grade, 59@60c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 48@48½c; standard, 48¼@48c; No. 3 white, 48@48½c; No. 4 white, 46½@48½c; No. 3 yellow, 45½@45½c; No. 4 yellow, 45@45½c.

BARLEY—No. 3 Malting, $1.00@1.32; No. 1 feed, 85@95c; rejected, heavier feed, 95c@$1.00.

RYE—No. 2, 90@92c; No. 3, 88@90c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	14	219	122
Minneapolis	250	....	....
Omaha	19	30	9
Duluth	12	....	....

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Wheat traders today showed themselves responsive to confirmed reports of famine prices prevailing throughout large districts in Russia. Accordingly, the close left the market at an advance of ⅛@⅜c over last night. Corn finished ⅛@⅜c up, oats unchanged to ⅜c higher and hog products at a decline of 2½@10c.

Scantiness of wheat offerings from Russia influenced buyers, who also were affected because of reduced estimates on the Australian crop and owing to receipts northwest of Chicago being small compared with the corresponding day a year ago. Prospects of a substantial falling off in the United States visible supply total counted likewise against the bears. Notwithstanding that selling grew liberal, the market suffered no important setback, closing steady at practically the top figures of the day. May ranged from $1.00⅛@1.00¾, with last sales at $1.00⅜, a net gain of ⅛c.

Corn was strong from the start. Buying appeared to be both for investment and speculative account despite the fact that the weather had taken a more favorable turn. May fluctuated between 66@66⅝c, closing steady, ⅝c net higher, at 66⅜c. Cash houses were large buyers in the sample market. No. 2 yellow was not quoted.

Oats, although extremely dull, took their cue from other grain. Upper and lower levels touched by May were 49⅜c and 49½@49⅝c, with last sales at 49⅝c, a gain of ⅛c over last night.

In the provision crowd it began to look as if the friends of the hog had been overconfident. Prices gradually slid off and tonight pork was down 5@10c and the rest of the list 2½@5c.

Leading options closed as follows:

Article.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat					
Jan.	96	96⅜	95⅞	96⅜	95⅞
May	1 00⅛@¼	1 00¾	1 00⅛	1 00⅜	1 00¼
July	95	95½	94⅞	95⅜	94⅞
Corn					
Jan.			½	63⅝	63⅛
May	66@66⅛	66⅝	66	66⅜	65⅞
July	66@66⅛	66⅝	66	66⅜@½	65⅞@66
Sept.	66⅛@¼	66⅝	66⅛@¼	66⅝	66⅛
Oats					
Jan.				49¼	
May	49½@⅝	49⅞	49½@⅝	49⅝	49½
July	45⅛	45⅜	45⅛	45⅜	45@45⅛
Sept.	40½	40⅝	40½	40⅝	40⅜
Pork					
Jan.	15 50	15 50	15 47½	15 50	15 60
May	16 17½	16 20	16 05	16 10	16 17½
July	16 35	16 35-37	16 25	16 25	16 30
Lard					
Jan.	9 10	9 10	9 07½	9 07½	9 10@12
May	9 35@37	9 40	9 32½	9 32@35	9 37½
July	9 60@62	9 60@62	9 60	9 60	9 50
Ribs					
Jan.				8 42½	8 47½
May	8 65@70	8 72½	8 65	8 65	8 67½@70
July	8 70	8 75@77	8 70	8 70	8 75

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Barely steady; winter patents, $4.00@4.95; winter straights, $3.80@4.70; spring patents, $5.30@6.00; spring straights, $1.40@4.60; bakers, $3.60@2.90.

RYE—No. 2, 96c.

BARLEY—Feed or mixing, 85c@$1.00; fair to choice malting, $1.20@1.34.

SEED—Timothy, $12.00@15.00. Clover, $15.00@22.00.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, old, $15.50; new, $15.62½. Lard, in tierces, $9.07½. Short ribs, loose, $8.42½.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 274,000 bu. Primary receipts were 430,000 bu., compared with 351,000 the corresponding day a year ago.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 5 cars; corn, 108 cars; oats, 62 cars; hogs, 38,000 head.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red, 97@98c; No. 3 red, 95@97c; No. 2 hard, 96c @$1.03; No. 3 hard, 95c@$1.00; No. 1 northern, $1.09@1.11½; No. 2 northern, $1.06½@1.10; No. 3 northern, $1.05@1.08; No. 2 spring, 96c@$1.07; No. 3 spring, 96@$1.07; No. 4 spring, 90c@$1.05; velvet chaff, 90c @$1.05; durum, 90c@$1.05. Corn: No. 2, 63½@63½c; No. 2 white, 63½@64c; No. 3 yellow, 63@63½c; No. 4, 61@62c; No. 4 white, 62½@63c; No. 4 yellow, 61½@62½c. Oats: No. 2 white, 50½@51c; No. 3 white, 49½@50½c; No. 4 white, 49@50c; standard, 50@51c.

RYE—No. 2, 96c.

BARLEY—90c@$1.27.

CLOVER—$15.00@22.00.

TIMOTHY—$12.00@15.00.

BUTTER—Easy; creameries, 30@38c; dairies, 28@36c.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 1,417 cases; at mark, cases included, 19@25c; ordinary firsts, 23@25c; firsts, 31½@32c.

CHEESE—Steady; daisies, 16¾@17c; twins, 16@16½c; young Americas, 16¾@17c; long horns, 16¾@17c.

POTATOES—Easy; receipts, 53 cars; $1.00@1.05.

POULTRY—Steady; turkeys, 13@18½c; chickens, 12@13c; springs, 11c.

VEAL—Steady, at 7@12c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—Cash, dull; track, No. 2 red, 99½c@$1.00; No. 2 hard, $1.03@1.11; May, 99¾c; July, 92½c.

CORN—Strong; No. 2 track, 64@65c; No. 2 white, 67½@68c; May, 67½@67¾c; July, 67@67¾c.

OATS—Steady; track, No. 2, 50c; No. 2 white, 51½@51½c.

RYE—Higher, 95½c.

FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $4.50@4.90; extra fancy and straight, $3.90@4.50; hard winter clears, $3.40@3.60.

SEED—Timothy, $14.00@15.00.

CORNMEAL—$3.20.

BRAN—Strong; sacked, east track, $1.20 @1.22.

HAY—Weaker; timothy, $23.00@25.00; prairie, $15.00@19.00.

PROVISIONS—Pork, lower; jobbing, $15.25. Lard, lower; prime steam, $8.92½@8.97½. Dry salt meats (boxed), unchanged; extra shorts, $9.50; clear ribs, $9.50; short clears, $9.75. Bacon (boxed), unchanged; extra shorts, $9.50; clear ribs, $9.50; short clears, $9.75.

POULTRY—Dull; chickens, 10c; springs, 10c; turkeys, 15½c; ducks, 12c; geese, 9c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 31@38c.

EGGS—Firm, 29c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	5,800	8,200
Wheat, bu.	44,000	27,000
Corn, bu.	142,000	87,000
Oats, bu.	14,000	11,000

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—FLOUR—Quiet; spring patents, $5.10@5.40; winter straights, $4.15@4.25; winter patents, $4.35@4.70; spring clears, $4.20@4.60; Kansas straights, $4.60 @4.75. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, $4.70@4.90; choice to fancy, $4.95@5.20. Buckwheat flour; quiet; fine white and yellow, $1.50@1.55; coarse, $1.45@1.50; kiln dried, $2.65.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2, 98c, c. i. f. Buffalo.

BARLEY—Easy; malting, $1.25@1.35 c. i. f., Buffalo.

WHEAT—Spot market, steady; No. 2 red, 99½c elevator, export basis, and $1.01½ f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.20½ f. o. b. afloat. Futures market was steady with small offerings due to steady cables, less favorable Australian crop advices and sympathy with the outside markets, closing ¼c net higher; May closed $1.04⅝; July, $1.00⅜.

CORN—Spot market, firm; export, new, 72c, f. o. b. afloat; futures market was nominal.

OATS—Spot market steady; standard white, 55½c in elevator; No. 2, 58c; No. 3 and No. 4, 55½c; natural white and white clipped, 53½c on track. Futures market nominal.

HAY—Steady; prime, $1.35; No. 1, $1.30; No. 2, $1.15@1.20; No. 3, 95c@$1.00.

HIDES—Quiet; Central America, 22c; Bogota, 22½@23½c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock firsts, 28@27c; seconds, 24@26c; thirds, 21@22c; rejected, 15c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; mess, $17.00 @17.50; family, $19.00@20.00; short clears, $17.50@18.50. Beef, quiet; mess, $13.00@13.50; family, $14.50@15.00; beef hams, $25.90@28.00. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, 10 to 14 pounds, $9.35; pickled hams, $11.00@11.25. Lard, easier; middle west, prime, $9.15@9.25; refined, steady; continent, $9.75; South America, $10.40; compound, $6.87½@7.12½.

TALLOW—Steady; prime city hogsheads, $6.00; special, $6.62; country, $5.62½@6.62½.

BUTTER—Irregular; creamery specials, 40c; extras, 39c; firsts, 36@38c; process specials, 29@29½c.

CHEESE—Steady.

EGGS—Steady; fresh gathered, extras, 36@37c; extra firsts, 34@35c; firsts, 32½@33c.

POULTRY—Alive, nominal; dressed, easier; western chickens, 13½@15c; fowls, 14@17c; turkeys, 13@21c.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

BUTTER—No. 1, 1-lb. carton, 40c; No. 1, in 60-lb. tubs, 39½c; No. 2, 35c; packing, 24c.

CHEESE—Imported Swiss, 32c; American Swiss, 24c; block Swiss, 20c; twins, 19½c; daisies, 20c; triplets, 20c; young Americas, 20c; blue label brick, 19½c; limberger, 2-lb., 19c; 1-lb., 20c.

POULTRY—Broilers, $5.00 per doz.; springs, 15c; hens, 14c; cocks, 10c; ducks, 15c; geese, 15c; turkeys, 25c; pigeons, per doz., $1.20. Alive, broilers, 12½c; hens, 11c; old roosters and stags, 8c; old ducks, full feathered, 10c; geese, full feathered, 10c; turkeys, 16c; guinea fowls, 25c each; pigeons, per doz., 75c; homers, per doz., $1.50; squabs, No. 1, $1.50; No. 2, 50c.

FISH—(fresh frozen)—Pickerel, 7c; white, 10c; pike, 8c; trout, 11c; large crappies, 12@15c; Spanish mackerel, 7c; eel, 18c; haddocks, 13c; flounders, 13c; green catfish, 15c; roe shad, $1 each; shad roe, per pair, 65c; salmon, 14c; halibut, 10c; yellow perch, 8c; buffalo, 9c; bullhead, 11c.

Beef Cut Prices—Ribs, No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 13½c; No. 3, 9¼c. Chucks, No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7½c; No. 3, 6½c. Loins, No. 1, 19½c; No. 2, 14½c; No. 3, 10½c. Rounds, No. 1, 10½c; No. 2, 9¼c; No. 3, 8½c. Plates, No. 1, 6½c; No. 2, 6c; No. 3, 5½c.

FRUITS, ETC.—Apples, cooking varieties, per bbl., $2.75; Jonathan and Grimes' Golden, per bbl., $4.50; Ben Davis, per bbl., $3.00; fancy Winesaps, per bbl., $4.00; fancy Missouri Pippins, per bbl., $3.50; fancy Ganos, per bbl., $3.75; California Bellefiower, per box, $1.35; Colorado Jonathan, extra fancy, per box, $2.50; Washington Spitzenberg, per box, $2.50; Washington R. Beauty, per box, $2.50; Washington Staman Winesaps, per box, $2.50. Bananas, fancy select, per bunch, $2.25@2.50; Jumbo, per bunch, $2.75@3.75. Cranberries, Wisconsin fancy, per bbl., $10.00, per box, $3.50. Dates, Anchor brand, new, 30 1-lb. pkgs., in boxes, per box, $2.25; Dromedary brand, new, 30 1-lb. pkgs. in boxes, per box, $2.60; bulk, in 25- and 30-lb. boxes, per lb., 10c. Figs, California, per case of 12 12-oz. pkgs., 85c; per case of 36 12-oz. pkgs., $2.50; per case of 50 6-oz. pkgs., $2.00; new Turkish, 5-crown, in 20-lb. boxes, per lb., 15c; 6-crown, in 20-lb. boxes, per lb., 16c; 7-crown, in 30-lb. boxes, per lb., 17c. Grapefruit, Florida, 46-36 sizes, per crate, $5.00; 80-54-64 sizes, per crate, $5.50. Grapes, Malaga in bbls., $5.50@6.00. Lemons, Limoneira brand, extra fancy, 300 size, per box, $4.50; 360 size, per box, $4.25; Loma Limoneira, fancy, 300-360 sizes, per box, $4.00; 240 and 420 sizes, 50c per box less. Oranges, California Navels, extra fancy, 96-126-150-176-200-216-250 sizes, per box, $2.75; 288-300-324 sizes, per box, $2.25.

VEGETABLES—Cabbage, Wisconsin, per lb., 2½c. Celery, California Jumbo, per doz., 90c. Cucumbers, hothouse, per doz., $2.00. Eggplant, fancy, Florida, per doz., $2.00. Garlic, extra fancy, white, per lb., 15c. Lettuce, extra fancy leaf, per doz., 45c. Onions, California, white, per lb., 3c; Wisconsin, yellow and red, in sacks, per lb., 2½c; Spanish, per crate, $1.90. Parsley, fancy southern, per doz. bunches, 50@75c. Potatoes, Minnesota Early Ohio, per bu., $1.35; Wisconsin white stock, per bu., $1.25; in 10-sack lots, 5c less. Sweet potatoes, Kansas, per bu. bsk., $2.00. Rutabagas, in sacks, per lb., 1½c. Tomatoes, Florida, per 6-bsk. crate, $8.00.

MISCELLANEOUS—Almonds, Tarragona, per lb., 18½c; in sack lots, 1c less. Cocoanuts, per sack, $5.00. Filberts, per lb., 14c; in sack lots, 1c less. Peanuts, roasted, per lb., 8c; raw, per lb., 6½c. Pecans, large, per lb., 17c; in sack lots, 1c less. Walnuts, new crop, 1911, California, per lb., 17c; in sack lots, 1c less. Cider, new Nehawka, per 15-gal. ½ bbl., $3.00; per 30-gal. bbl., $5.50; New York Mott's, per 15-gal. ½ bbl., $3.50; per 30-bal. bbl., $6.50. Honey, new, 24 frames, $3.75. Kraut, per 15-gal. keg, $3.00; per 5-gal. keg, $1.19; Wisconsin, per ½-bbl., $3.50.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—Unchanged to ½c down; No. 2 hard, $1.03@1.08; No. 3, $1.01@1.06½; No. 2 red, 99@99½c; No. 3, 97@98c; May, $1.00⅜; July, 93@93⅛c.

CORN—Unchanged to 1c lower; No. 2 mixed, 65@65½c; No. 3, 63½@65½c; No. 2 white, 68@69c; No. 3, 66½@67c; May, 67c, sellers.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 51½@52½c; No. 2 mixed, 49½@50½c.

RYE—95@96c.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $21.00@22.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, 40c; firsts, 38c; seconds, 36c; packing stock, 24½c.

EGGS—Extras, 35c; firsts, 32c; seconds, 25½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu.	35,000	20,000
Corn, bu.	64,000	52,000
Oats, bu.	14,000	4,000

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—May, $1.04; July, $1.06⅜@1.06⅞; cash, No. 1 northern, $1.06; No. 2 northern, $1.04; No. 3, $1.02.

FLAX—$2.15½.

BARLEY—90c@$1.25.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 61@62½c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 47@47½c.

RYE—No. 2, 89c.

BRAN—$24.00@24.50.

FLOUR—First patents, $5.10@5.40; second patents, $4.75@5.00; first clears, $3.50@3.85; second clears, $2.40@2.80.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 20.—BUTTER—Quiet and steady; western creamery special, 42c; extra, 40c; nearby prints, 44c.

EGGS—Firm and in good demand; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, $10.50 per case; current receipts, free cases, $10.20 per case; western firsts, free cases, $10.50 per case; current receipts, $10.50 per case.

CHEESE—Firm and in good demand; New York full creams, 17¼@17½c; fair to good, 16½@17c.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, $1.09½@1.10½; No. 2 northern, $1.06½@1.08½; No. 2 hard, 98c@$1.01; May, $1.03⅝; July, 99½c.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 64½c; No. 3 white, 65c; No. 3, 64c; May, 65½@66⅝c; July, 66⅝c.

OATS—Standard, 50½@50⅝c.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Brief Session Remarkable for Activity and Strength.

SOME INFLUENCES SPECULATIVE

Buying Movement Resumed in Moderate Degree, General Advances Marking First Hour—No News of Decided Character.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—For a half holiday and taking the recent dullness into account, today's brief session was noteworthy for its activity and strength. The buying movement was resumed in a moderate degree, general advances marking the first hour.

There has been no news of a definite character to account for the sudden range of market sentiment.

Certain phases of the situation, however, are obviously of a manipulative character, particularly the movement in the coal issues. Reading was again the leader today, selling up to 158. Buying of that stock was traceable to a group of operators prominent in former movements.

The list as a whole held strong. St. Paul was steady, although Wall street believes the dividend will be cut to 5 per cent in the coming week. There was some activity in Denver and Rio Grande preferred, rising from the current rumors connecting the western Pacific with the Hill lines.

Best prices of the day were registered in the last hour.

The tone at the close was active and strong.

The bond market was active with further price improvements. Total sales, par value, $1,500,000. Panama 3 per cent advanced ⅛ per cent on call, during the week.

Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks today were as follows:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers pfd	100	6¼	6¼	6
Amalgamated Copper	2,000	66⅝	65⅞	65⅞
American Agricultural	200	61⅞	60⅝	61
Am. Beet Sugar	1,204	58⅞	56⅞	58⅜
American Can	10,400	12⅝	11⅝	12⅜
American C. & F.	3,300	53⅞	53	53⅜
American Cotton Oil	7,400	47⅞	46½	47⅝
American H. & L. pfd	....	....	....	20½
Am. Ice Securities	....	....	....	19⅞
American Linseed	....	....	....	10½
American Locomotive	....	....	....	34½
American S. & R.	3,403	73¼	71⅞	72⅝
Am. S. & R. pfd	....	....	....	103¾
Am. Steel Foundries	200	29	28½	29¼
Am. Sugar Refining	....	....	....	115
American T. & T.	1,600	142	141½	141½
American Tobacco pfd	700	108	107⅞	107⅞
American Woolen	....	....	....	27
Anaconda Mining Co.	1,300	35⅝	35½	35½
Atchison	3,300	106⅝	106	106¼
Atchison pfd	....	....	....	102⅞
Atlantic Coast Line	2,800	138¼	137	138
Baltimore & Ohio	3,400	106⅜	105¾	106⅛
Bethlehem Steel	700	31⅜	31	31⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	1,300	78⅜	78	78
Canadian Pacific	300	231⅞	231⅜	231⅝
Central Leather	100	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞
Central Leather pfd	....	....	....	94⅝
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	310
Chesapeake & Ohio	2,300	72⅛	71⅝	71⅞
Chicago & Alton	....	....	....	24
Chicago G. W.	400	18⅞	18½	18⅛
Chicago G. W. pfd	100	36⅞	36½	36⅝
Chicago & N. W.	200	141⅞	141⅞	141⅝
Chicago, M. & St. P.	4,000	108⅞	108	108⅛
C., C., C. & St. L.	....	....	....	60
Colorado F. & I.	100	26¼	26¼	26⅛
Colorado & Southern	....	....	....	49
Consolidated Gas	700	142[illegible]	142	141[illegible]
Corn Products	300	11[illegible]	11[illegible]	11[illegible]
Delaware & Hudson	200	172	172	172[illegible]
Denver & Rio Grande	800	21[illegible]	21[illegible]	21[illegible]
D. & R. G. pfd	400	45	44[illegible]	44[illegible]
Distillers' Securities	....	....	....	30[illegible]
Erie	2,900	31[illegible]	31[illegible]	31[illegible]
Erie 1st pfd	....	....	....	51[illegible]
Erie 2d pfd	....	....	....	42
General Electric	600	160	158[illegible]	158[illegible]
Great Northern pfd	7,700	129[illegible]	128[illegible]	129[illegible]
Great Northern Ore ctfs.	1,000	42[illegible]	40[illegible]	41[illegible]
Illinois Central	700	141	140	141
Interborough Met.	4,400	18[illegible]	17[illegible]	18[illegible]
Inter. Met. pfd	13,200	53	52[illegible]	53[illegible]
International Harvester	100	108	108	108[illegible]
Inter-Marine pfd	....	....	....	20[illegible]
International Paper	....	....	....	11
International Pump	850	31[illegible]	30[illegible]	31[illegible]
Iowa Central	....	....	....	14
Kansas City So.	600	28	27[illegible]	27[illegible]
K. C. So. pfd	400	63[illegible]	63[illegible]	63
Laclede Gas	800	106[illegible]	107[illegible]	107
Louisville & Nashville	1,900	154[illegible]	153[illegible]	153[illegible]
Minn. & St. Louis	100	26	26	24[illegible]
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	300	133[illegible]	133[illegible]	133
Missouri, K. & T.	500	29[illegible]	28[illegible]	29[illegible]
M., K. & T. pfd	....	....	....	62
Missouri Pacific	800	40[illegible]	40	40[illegible]
National Biscuit	300	149	149	149
National Lead	200	54	54	54[illegible]
N. R. R. of M. 2d pfd	3,300	36[illegible]	35[illegible]	36
New York Central	6,200	108[illegible]	108[illegible]	108[illegible]
N. Y., O. & W.	....	....	....	38[illegible]
Norfolk & Western	700	109[illegible]	109[illegible]	109[illegible]
North American	800	76[illegible]	76[illegible]	76[illegible]
Northern Pacific	300	118[illegible]	118[illegible]	118[illegible]
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	31[illegible]
Pennsylvania	2,800	122[illegible]	122[illegible]	122[illegible]
People's Gas	200	106	105[illegible]	105[illegible]
P., C., C. & St. L.	700	101½	101	101
Pittsburgh Coal	....	....	....	18[illegible]
Pressed Steel Car	....	....	....	31[illegible]
Pullman Palace Car	100	160[illegible]	160[illegible]	160
Railway Steel Spring	200	30	29[illegible]	29[illegible]
Reading	129,000	153	150[illegible]	152
Republic Steel	1,100	19	18[illegible]	18[illegible]
Republic Steel pfd	400	65[illegible]	65	65[illegible]
Rock Island Co.	1,197	24[illegible]	24[illegible]	24[illegible]
Rock Island Co. pfd	2,300	51[illegible]	51	51[illegible]
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	200	41[illegible]	41[illegible]	41[illegible]
St. Louis S. W.	....	....	....	29[illegible]
St. L. S. W. pfd	....	....	....	66
Sloss-Sheffield S. & I.	....	....	....	41
Southern Pacific	1,200	110[illegible]	110[illegible]	110[illegible]
Southern Railway	1,300	29[illegible]	29	29[illegible]
So. Railway pfd	....	....	....	73[illegible]
Tennessee Copper	700	38	35[illegible]	36
Texas & Pacific	200	22[illegible]	22[illegible]	22[illegible]
T., St. L. & W.	900	14	13[illegible]	13[illegible]
T., St. L. & W. pfd	804	34[illegible]	34[illegible]	35
Union Pacific	27,500	169[illegible]	168[illegible]	169[illegible]
Union Pacific pfd	200	92[illegible]	92[illegible]	92
United States Realty	....	....	....	68[illegible]
United States Rubber	....	....	....	47
United States Steel	48,400	62[illegible]	61[illegible]	62[illegible]
U. S. Steel pfd	400	111[illegible]	111[illegible]	111[illegible]
Utah Copper	4,400	57	56[illegible]	56[illegible]
Va.-Carolina Chemical	200	54[illegible]	54[illegible]	54[illegible]
Wabash	200	7	7	7
Wabash pfd	300	19	18[illegible]	18[illegible]
Western Maryland	....	....	....	57
Westinghouse Electric	400	73[illegible]	73[illegible]	73[illegible]
Western Union	700	83[illegible]	83[illegible]	83[illegible]
Wheeling & L. E.	1,000	5	4[illegible]	4[illegible]
Lehigh Valley	18,000	167[illegible]	166[illegible]	167
Chino Copper	500	24[illegible]	24[illegible]	26
Ray Consolidated	500	18[illegible]	18[illegible]	17[illegible]

Total sales for the day, 278,300 shares.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—MONEY—On call, nominal. Time loans, very soft and active; sixty days, 2¼@2½ per cent; ninety days, 2½@2¾ per cent; six months, 3@3¼ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.84 for sixty day bills and at $4.8720 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.83¾.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—3¾@4¼ per cent.

SILVER—Bar, 57½c. Mexican dollars, steady.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, strong.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	100	Inter. M. M. (½)s	67½
do coupon	100	Japan 4s	87
U. S. 3s, reg.	101½	do 4½s	93
do coupon	101½	K. C. So. 1st 3s	73½
U. S. 4s, reg.	113	L. S. deb. 4s 1931	93¾
do coupon	113¾	L. & N. unl. 4s	99½
Allis-Chal. 1st 5s	43	M., K. & T. 1st 4s	97
Amer. Ag. 5s	102½	do gen. 4½s	89
A. T. & T. cv. 4s	111¾	*Mo. Pacific 4s	73
Am. Tobacco 6s	98¾	N. R. R. of M. 4½s	92½
do 4s	120¾	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	88
Armour & Co. 4½s	93¾	do deb. 4s	93
Atchison gen. 4s	99¾	N. Y., N. H. & H.	
do cv. 4s	109	cv. 6s	132½
do cv. 5s	107¾	N. & W. 1st c. 4s	98¾
A. C. L. 1st 4s	95	do cv. 4s	109
Bal. & Ohio 4s	98¾	No. Pacific 4s	100¼
do 3½s	93¾	do 3s	70
*do S. W. 3½s	91	O. S. L. rfdg. 4s	94¾
Brook. Tr. cv. 4s	89½	Penn. cv. 3½s 1915	97½
*Cen. of Ga. 5s	111	*do con. 4s	101
Cen. Leather 5s	98¾	Reading gen. 4s	98¾
*C. of N. J. g. 5s	123	S. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	80¾
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	101½	*do gen. 5s	[illegible]
do ref. 5s	[illegible]	St. L. S. W. c. 4s	80
Chicago & A. 3½s	63	*do 1st gold 5s	91
C., B. & Q. j. 4s	96¾	S. A. L. 4s	85
do gen. 4s	96¾	So. Pac. col. 4s	92¾
*C. M. & S. P. 4 4s	92	do cv. 4s	95¾
C., R. I. & P. c. 4s	71¾	do 1st ref. 4s	94¾
do rfg. 4s	91½	So. Railway 5s	107¾
Colo. Ind. 5s	74	do gen. 4s	78¾
**Colo. Mid. 4s	58¾	Union Pacific 4s	100¾
*C. & S. r. & e. 4½s	97½	do cv. 4s	105¾
D. & H. cv. 4s	98¾	do 1st & ref. 4s	96¾
D. & R. G. 4s	89¾	U. S. Rubber 6s	104¾
do ref. 5s	80¾	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	104¾
Distillers' 5s	74	Va.-Car. Chem. 5s	100½
Erie p. l. 4s	88	*Wabash 1st 5s	103½
do gen. 4s	78¾	do 1st & ex. 4s	57½
*do cv. 4s, ser. A	88¾	Western Md. 4s	87¾
do series B	78¾	West. Elec. cv. 5s	94½
Gen. Elec. cv. 5s	150¾	Wis. Central 4s	93¾
Ill. Cen. 1st ref. 4s	96¾	Mo. Pac. cv. 5s	89¾
Inter. Met. 4½s	82¾	*Panama 3s	101½

*Bid. **Offered.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

Alice	2	Little Chief	5
*Com. Tunnel stock	25	Mexican	200
*do bonds	16	Ontario	150
Con. Cal. & Va.	5	Ophir	145
Iron Silver	10	Standard	65
*Leadville Con.	5	Yellow Jacket	45

*Offered.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—On the Stock exchange here today American securities opened steady and around parity. Later the market advanced on light covering and closed steady, with prices ranging from unchanged to ⅜ higher than yesterday's New York closing.

London closing stocks:

Consols, money	77 1-16	Louisville & N.	161¾
do account	77 3-16	M., K. & T.	29
Amal. Copper	67⅝	N. Y. Central	111
Anaconda	7⅜	Norfolk & W.	112
Atchison	108⅝	do pfd	92
do pfd	103	Ontario & W.	39¾
Baltimore & Ohio	108⅝	Pennsylvania	63½
Canadian Pacific	237⅝	Rand Mines	6⅜
Chesapeake & O.	73⅝	Reading	77¾
Chicago G. W.	19	Southern Ry.	29⅝
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	110⅝	do pfd	73¾
De Beers	20	Southern Pacific	113⅝
Denver & Rio G.	22	Union Pacific	171⅞
do pfd	45⅞	do pfd	93¾
Erie	32⅜	U. S. Steel	63⅞
do 1st pfd	53⅜	do pfd	114
do 2d pfd	44	Wabash	7½
Grand Trunk	24⅞	do pfd	19⅝
Illinois Central	144		

SILVER—Bar, steady at 26⅛d per ounce.

MONEY—3@3¼ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3¼ per cent; for three months' bills, 3⅜ per cent.

Clearing House Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold $36,902,000 reserve in excess of the legal requirements. This is an increase of $7,842,750 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement follows:

DAILY AVERAGE.

		Inc.
Loans	$1,955,961,000	$35,924,000
Specie	365,633,000	18,934,000
Legal tender	9,160,000	1,856,000
Net deposits	1,856,059,000	51,353,000
Circulation	50,827,000	1,000
Banks cash reserve in vault	390,230,000	....
Trust companies' cash reserve in vaults	61,564,000	....
Aggregate cash reserve	460,794,000	....
Excess lawful reserve	36,902,000	7,842,750

Trust companies' reserve with clearing house members carrying 25 per cent cash reserve, $83,903,000.

ACTUAL CONDITION.

		Inc.
Loans	$1,959,980,000	$728,133,000
Specie	376,809,000	16,424,000
Legal tenders	92,095,000	1,442,000
Net deposits	1,869,004,000	42,372,000
Circulation	51,006,000	181,000
Banks cash reserve in vaults	407,525,000	....
Trust companies' cash reserve in vaults	61,264,000	....
Aggregate cash reserve	468,889,000	....
Excess lawful reserve	42,074,700	7,124,600

Trust companies reserve with clearing house members carying 25 per cent cash reserve, $86,199,000.

Summary of state banks and trust companies not reporting to the New York clearing house.

	Amount.	Decrease.
Loans	$601,324,900	$10,621,700
Specie	66,271,400	1,626,900
Legal tender	11,115,000	*16,300
Total deposits	697,359,600	*8,197,400

*Increase.

Boston Stock Market.

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—Closing quotations on stocks were as follows:

Allouez	42	*Mohawk	55
Amal. Copper	66⅝	Nevada Con.	18⅝
A. Z. L. & S.	25⅝	Nipissing Mines	6⅝
B. & C. C. & S. M.	8⅝	North Butte	26
Butte Coalition	20⅝	North Lake	4⅞
Cal. & Arizona	61⅝	Old Dominion	48⅞
Cal. & Hecla	455	*Osceola	108
Centennial	21⅝	Quincy	74
Cop. Range C. C.	54	Shannon	10⅝
East Butte C. M.	13⅝	Superior	27
Franklin	12	Superior & B. M.	4⅝
Giroux Con.	4 7-16	Tamarack	30
Granby Con.	37⅝	U. S. S. R. & M.	34⅝
Greene Cananea	7⅝	do pfd	47⅝
Isle Royale Copper	21⅝	Utah Con.	10⅝
Kerr Lake	3 13-16	Utah Copper Co.	56⅝
Lake Copper	34⅝	Winona	5⅝
Miami Copper	24⅝	Wolverine	99

*Ex-dividend.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—COFFEE—Futures opened steady at an advance of 5 to 12 points in response to better European cables than expected. Demand was not particularly active, but there were reports of covering of week-ends, as well as a little fresh buying inspired by the steadiness abroad, and with the offerings light the market closed steady at a net gain of 7 to 16 points. Sales, 26,750 bags. January, 12.55c; February, 12.60c; March, 12.64c; April, 12.63c; May, 12.62c; June, July and August, 12.63c; September, 12.64c; October, 12.62c; November, 12.56c; December, 12.54c. Havre was ⅝f. higher. Hamburg was ½@¾ pfg. higher. Rio, unchanged, at 7$750; Santos 4s, unchanged, at 7$700; 7s, 25 reis higher, at 6$925. Receipts at the two Brazilian ports, 20,000 bags, against 12,000 last year. Jundiahy receipts, 11,000 bags, against 3,000 last year. Rain was reported in all districts of Sao Paulo. New York warehouse deliveries yesterday were 9,739 bags, against 19,597 last year. Spot coffee, quiet; Rio No. 7, 14c; Santos No. 4, 15⅝c. Mild, quiet; Cordova, 15½@17½c, nominal.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Quiet and prices are steady; on the spot fancy quoted at 10@10½c; choice, 9½@9¾c; prime, 8½@9¼c.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, irregular with a little more pressure to sell some grades. Quotations range from 5@13½c for California up to 30-40s and 10½@12c for Oregons. Apricots, firm with an upward tendency; choice, 15@15½c; extra choice, 16@16½c; fancy, 17@18c. Peaches, firm with a fair demand; choice, 11@11½c; extra choice, 11½@12c; fancy, 12@12½c. Raisins, quiet and steady; loose Muscatels, 5½@7c; choice to fancy seeded, 7½@8½c; seedless, 6@7c; London layers, $1.40@1.45.

Coton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—COTTON—Futures closed barely steady; closing bids: January, 9.22c; February, 9.24c; March, 9.33c; April, 9.38c; May, 9.46c; June, 9.52c; July, 9.60c; August, 9.61c; September, 9.66c; October, 9.71c; November, 9.74c; December, 9.80c. Spot closed quiet, 5 points lower; middling uplands, 9.50c; middling gulf, 9.75c; no sales.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 20.—COTTON—Spot, quiet; prices unchanged; American middling fair, 6.04d; good middling, 5.66d; middling, 5.40d; low middling, 5.16d; good ordinary, 4.92d; ordinary, 4.68d. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Jan. 20.—TURPENTINE—46c bid and refused; sales, none; receipts, 401 bbls.; shipments, 2,161 bbls.; stocks, 32,322 bbls.

ROSIN—Firm; sales, 4,200 bbls.; receipts, 2,300 bbls.; shipments, 7,000 bbls.; stocks, 128,428 bbls. Quotations: B, $6.47½; D, $6.52½@6.67½; E, $6.57½@6.70; F, G, H and I, $6.22½@6.72½; K, $7.20; M, $7.45; N, $7.50; WG, $7.80; WW, $7.80.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—DRY GOODS—Cotton drills in twills and duck have been advanced. Prices on outing flannels and domets will be made by leading houses on Monday. Trade for the week was of a conservative character, but very steady. Linens are higher, with buyers showing a disposition to operate on late deliveries. Burlaps are in fair inquiry, with a light business passing.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; Muscovado, 89 test, 3.95@3.98c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.46@4.48c; molasses sugar, 89 test, 3.70@3.73c; refined, firm; cubes, 5.75c; granulated, 5.30c; fine, powdered, 5.65c.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, Jan. 20.—CORN—Higher; No. 2 white, 64c; No. 2 yellow, 62c; No. 4 yellow, 61c; No. 3 mixed, 62c; No. 4, 61c; sample, 45@58c.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 white, 50c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 20.—WHEAT—Spot, firm; No. 1 Manitoba, 8s 5½d; No. 2 Manitoba, 8s 4½d; No. 3 Manitoba, 7s 11½d; futures, steady; March, 7s 7¾d; May, 7s 5¾d; July, 7s 5¼d.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT WILL NOT VISIT IN WASHINGTON

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The fact that the duke and duchess of Connaught with their daughter, the Princess Patricia, are not to visit Washington while they are in the United States is causing some comment here, although it is believed there must be some good explanation for their decision.

It is usual when royal personages visit a foreign country, even if semi-officially, to pay their respects to the head of the nation. The duke of Connaught has the reputation of always doing the right thing, and people here refuse to believe he is now making any mistake.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Most Kinds of Cattle Lower for the Week.

HOGS TEN LOWER FOR WEEK

Fat Sheep Show a Drop in Prices of About Twenty-Five Cents, While Fat Lambs Are Fifty Cents Lower.

SOUTH OMAHA, Jan. 20, 1912.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	3,147	8,837	4,283
Official Tuesday	6,219	17,877	12,944
Official Wednesday	3,236	11,871	10,044
Official Thursday	4,257	15,346	4,288
Official Friday	2,024	16,001	2,009
Estimate Saturday	350	9,500	....
Six days this week	21,437	85,302	33,666
Same days last week	19,723	68,583	28,118
Same days 2 wks. ago	19,926	60,128	23,211
Same days 3 wks. ago	17,491	23,403	22,870
Same days 4 wks. ago	13,824	52,962	17,601
Same days last year	20,679	39,857	40,963

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date as compared with last year:

	1912.	1911.	Inc.
Cattle	60,975	61,420	455
Hogs	214,913	106,259	107,734
Sheep	108,195	107,797	398

The following table shows the range of prices paid for hogs at South Omaha for the last few days, with comparisons:

Date.	1912.	1911.	1910.	1909.	1908.	1907.	1906.
Jan. 11.	6 12@[illegible]	7 [illegible]	8 15	5 [illegible]	4 16	6 2[illegible]	5 2[illegible]
Jan. 12.	6 1[illegible]	7 78	8 26	5 82	*	6 20	5 23
Jan. 13.	6 06½	7 72	8 48	5 86	4 09	*	5 25
Jan. 14.	*	7 60	8 56	5 87	4 20	6 28	*
Jan. 15.	6 15	*	8 47	5 87	4 25	6 35	5 23
Jan. 16.	6 13	7 68	*	5 83	4 22	6 42	5 23
Jan. 17.	6 07½	7 72	8 [illegible]	*	4 20	6 42	5 24
Jan. 18.	6 02½	7 79	8 44	6 06	4 20	6 50	5 27
Jan. 19.		7 84	8 33	6 09	*	6 49	5 29
Jan. 19.	6 07½	7 84	8 33	6 08	*	6 49	5 30
Jan. 20.		7 69	8 31	6 03	4 27	*	5 31

*Sunday.

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, for twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. Friday:

RECEIPTS—CARS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	H'r's.
C. M. & St. P. Ry.		4	..	..
Wabash R. R.		3	..	..
Missouri Pacific Ry.	2	3	..	..
Union Pacific R. R.		14	..	..
C. & N. W., east	2	6	..	..
C. & N. W., west		62	..	..
C., St. P., M. & O.		5	..	..
C., B. & Q., east		6	..	..
C., B. & Q., west	2	13	..	..
C., R. I. & P., east	1	18	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west		1	..	..
Illinois Central Ry.		3	..	..
Total receipts	12	130	..	..

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	....	1,665	....
Swift & Co.	....	2,218	345
Cudahy Packing Co.	....	3,967	120
Armour & Co.	....	4,120	....
Schwartz & Co.	....	220	....
Hill & Son	16	....	....
J. H. Bulla	6	....	....
H. F. Hamilton	65	....	....
Mo. & Kan. Calf Co.	27	....	....
Other buyers	18	....	....
Totals	132	12,140	465

CATTLE—There were more cattle here than usual on a Saturday, but still not enough to cut very much figure in the trade or really make a market. For the week receipts foot up 21,437 head, being the largest in a number of weeks back and larger than a year ago.

Beef steers of good quality have been scarce all the week and as a result cattle of that description have commanded fully steady prices throughout the week. On the other hand the common and medium grades of cattle have eased off a little and at the close of the week are around 15@25c lower.

Cows and heifers have been in very liberal supply throughout the week and very fair sellers. Toward the close of the week receipts became so large that prices eased off, the trade being especially weak on Friday and at the close of the week the market is 15@25c lower than one week ago.

Strictly good feeders have been in light supply every day this week and have commanded good, steady prices. On the other hand light stock cattle have been very slow sellers at low prices.

It would be well for shippers to understand that the supply of refrigerator cars for the shipment of the product to points of consumption is very limited owing to poor railroad service consequent upon the cold and storms. Until packers are able to move the product to market with perfect freedom it will be an easy matter to flood the market with cattle. Hence it would seem to be the part of wisdom for the country to follow a conservative plan in shipments until the railroad service is back to normal.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beef steers, $6.50@7.75; fair to good beef steers, $6.00@6.50; common to fair beef steers, $5.00@6.00; good to choice heifers, $5.00@6.00; good to choice cows, $4.50@5.40; fair to good cows and heifers, $3.75@4.50; common to fair cows and heifers, $3.00@3.75; good to choice stockers and feeders, $5.40@6.00; fair to good stockers and feeders, $4.50@5.40; common to fair stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.75; stock heifers, $3.50@4.50; veal calves, $4.50@8.00; bulls, stags, etc., $3.50@5.50.

HOGS—Unfavorable advices from other leading hog markets were chiefly instrumental in causing a lower trade locally, prices ruling about a dime under those of yesterday. The decline was featured by slow buying in all quarters, as receipts amounted to fully 9,000 head and selling effort was heavily taxed all through the session. Clearance was further delayed by the late arrival of several trainloads, so that the big bulk had not changed hands until well along toward midday.

Packing demand was reasonably broad, especially in the light of recent big supplies, but buyers were in no hurry to put up droves and the movement scaleward had no life whatever. Shippers took very little interest in the trade, furnishing an outlet for only a few scattered loads.

Bacon averages sold from $5.90 downward and the best lard animals on sale dropped to $6.20, a dime under yesterday's high price. Good butcher weights ranged around $6.00@6.10, the amount of business under $6.00 proving unusually large.

During the week receipts have been remarkably heavy, giving a total that exceeds any week's record in several years. Despite these big supplies, amounting to over 85,000 head, the demand has been generous throughout and prices have held up in very good shape, current sales showing net declines of only a dime as compared with values a week ago.

Representative sales.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
117	160	...	5 70	82	222	80	6 00½
57	161	...	5 70	68	206	...	6 00
90	179	80	5 75	76	228	120	6 00
82	166	...	5 75	15	267	...	6 02
79	162	...	5 80	41	217	...	6 05
82	186	120	5 85	23	221	...	6 05
82	190	...	5 85	82	237	40	6 05
75	183	40	5 85	74	250	...	6 05
81	201	80	5 90	78	231	40	6 05
82	196	...	5 90	62	217	40	6 05
81	204	...	5 90	73	207	80	6 05
80	199	...	5 90	73	224	40	6 05
66	201	...	5 92½	69	264	80	6 05
73	203	...	5 95	77	235	...	6 05
78	177	...	5 95	81	234	40	6 05
82	200	200	5 95	78	241	...	6 05
80	211	...	5 95	68	234	...	6 05
65	247	40	6 00	73	254	80	6 10
87	196	120	6 00	70	270	280	6 10
78	218	...	6 00	62	241	40	6 10
81	209	...	6 00	73	273	...	6 10
79	195	...	6 00	64	268	...	6 10
78	218	...	6 00	72	280	...	6 10
87	215	...	6 00	72	249	...	6 15
87	197	80	6 00	57	281	...	6 15
89	223	120	6 00	65	269	...	6 15
74	195	...	6 00	73	227	...	6 15
84	235	...	6 00	57	270	...	6 20

SHEEP—Nothing arrived in the way of sheep or lambs today and, as is usually the case on a Saturday, the market was a barren affair, nominally steady.

During the week the trade in general has been more or less unsatisfactory to selling interests owing to the shortage of refrigerator cars. Compared with last week there has been some slight improvement in the service, but railroads are still unable to supply enough empty freezers to meet the requirements of packers and product has been piling up in chill rooms despite the fact that the consumptive outlet in the east is unusually broad.

In the live stock market these conditions have been plainly reflected both in the character of demand and trend to values. Packers have been buying cautiously at all times, inquiry late in the week proving almost lifeless. Clearances were difficult and prices broke severely, fat lambs showing a rough decline of about 50c, while fat sheep are quotable about a quarter lower than a week ago.

Plain kinds of fed stock made up the bulk of total offerings, with lambs and ewes in heavy majority. Fully two-thirds of the moderate supplies were merely fair to good, the strictly prime varieties being rare exceptions. High-grade fat lambs as a result are still holding at liberal premiums over medium and common grades, the price range amounting to about $2. Toppy strings would probably land around $6.35@6.40, ewes claiming an uncertain market from $4.15 downward.

The feeder situation has shown no changes of consequence, supply and demand both being very small. The week's purchase on country account amounts to a scant 4,000 head, according to packers' tab.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice, $6.00@6.35; lambs, fair to good, $5.50@6.00; yearlings, good to choice, $5.00@5.50; yearlings, fair to good, $4.65@5.00; wethers, good to choice, $4.15@4.50; wethers, fair to good, $3.90@4.15; ewes, ewes, good to choice, $3.65@4.15; ewes, good, $3.00@3.65.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Demand for Cattle and Sheep Weak—Hogs Lower.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500 head; market weak; beeves, $4.80@8.50; Texas steers, $4.50@5.80; western steers, $4.80@7.25; stockers and feeders, $3.75@6.00; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.75; calves, $6.50@9.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 25,000 head; market 5c off; light, $5.75@6.20; mixed, $5.90@6.35; heavy, $5.95@6.35; rough, $5.95@6.10; pigs, $4.40@5.70; bulk of sales, $6.15@6.30.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,000 head; market weak; native, $3.25@4.70; western, $3.50@4.75; yearlings, $4.90@5.85; lambs, native, $4.50@6.80; western, $5.00@6.85.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head, including 100 head of southerns. Market steady; native steers, $5.50@8.35; southern steers, $4.75@6.30; southern cows and heifers, $3.00@5.00; native cows and heifers, $3.00@6.50; stockers and feeders, $4.00@6.00; bulls, $3.50@5.50; calves, $4.50@8.50; western steers, $4.75@7.00; western cows, $3.00@5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000 head. Market steady to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $5.90@6.25; heavy, $6.25@6.30; packers and butchers, $6.00@6.25; light, $5.70@6.15; pigs, $4.50@5.25.

No sheep on sale.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000 head, including 600 head of Texans. Market steady; native beef steers, $4.50@7.50; cows and heifers, $3.00@6.50; stockers and feeders, $3.75@5.50; Texas and Indian steers, $5.00@7.00; cows and heifers, $3.00@5.00; calves, in carload lots, $5.00@7.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,500 head. Market steady at 5@10c lower; pigs and lights, $4.25@6.20; mixed and butchers, $6.00@6.35; good heavy, $6.35@6.75.

No sheep market.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Jan. 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head. Market steady; steers, $5.50@8.50; cows and heifers, $3.00@7.00; calves, $4.00@8.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,500 head. Market slow and lower; top, $6.25; bulk of sales, $5.90@6.15.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—No receipts. Market unchanged; lambs, $6.00@6.75.

Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the five principal western markets yesterday:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	350	9,500	.....
St. Joseph	200	4,800	.....
Kansas City	300	8,000	.....
St. Louis	3,000	2,500	.....
Chicago	1,500	25,000	2,000
Totals	5,350	49,800	2,000

COMMITTEE SUSTAINS WILEY

House Members Give Chemistry Bureau Chief Clean Bill.

REPORT TO BE MADE MONDAY

Practically Only Dissent from Sweeping Verdict for Doctor Based on Irregular Employment of Rusby.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the chemistry bureau of the Department of Agriculture, the storm center of the food administration controversy last summer, is given a clean bill of health in the report of the house committee that investigated the charges and countercharges. The committee, in its report, which will be presented to the house next Monday, sustains Dr. Wiley all along the line, except on technical, unimportant details.

The evidence taken in the case was voluminous and it is not repeated in the report except by brief references, the document being confined to the actual conclusions of the committee. The republican members of the committee joined with the democrats in making the report unanimous. The report of the subcommittee was amended in a number of particulars, particularly in its references to the Remsen board, which investigated and passed expert judgment upon the greater food problems.

"There is no politics in the report," said Chairman Moss of the committee.

The report pays much attention to the Remsen board, to the activity of Solicitor McCabe, who was the principal opponent of Dr. Wiley in the department, and its recommendations in general recommend that Dr. Wiley be given a free hand in the enforcement of the pure food and drug law, thus limiting very largely the power formerly exercised by Solicitor McCabe. This limitation already has been put into effect under the action taken by President Taft shortly after the adjournment of the extra session, which brought the active congressional investigation to a close.

The final stamp of approval of the conclusions reached after the months of investigation was affixed by all the members of the committee today. The committee immediately ordered the report printed confidentially and declined to announce the recommendations until the report is made public next Monday.

Representative Sloan of Nebraska is a member of the committee.

Virtually the only dissent from the sweeping verdict for Dr. Wiley is based upon the irregular employment of Dr. H. H. Rusby of New York as a $20 a day expert.

HARRISON COUNTY SHORT COURSE LARGELY ATTENDED

LOGAN, Ia., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—With 238 full tickets sold and 50 or more day tickets in force, the Harrison county short course has assumed proportions which causes much rejoicing among the managers. In the domestic science department presided over by Mrs. Campbell, there is a large attendance. Exhibits in cooking contests are unusually fine, 270 entries being made this morning.

Prof. H. A. Kinney of Woodbine brought his class in agriculture to hear the lecture by Prof. Holden here yesterday afternoon on drainage. Prof. Holden also lectured on advancement in education of the daily affairs of life. His lecture was largely attended, not only by the members of the short course, but also by the citizens of Logan and its vicinity.

Judging in live stock has a large attendance. Corn judging is largely attended, not only by farmers, but also by teachers and a few ministers.

OLD MAN AND GIRL ARE REFUSED LICENSE

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 19.—When Cora Garrett, 14 years old, and Chester Carpenter, 66, applied for a license to marry here today they were refused and the girl was committed to the Detention home by Judge Ryan of the criminal court. Her parents had given consent.

CREAMERY COMPANY LOSES

Commerce Commission Decides Adversely on Cream Rates.

ALDEN AURORA POSTMASTER

Representative Sloan Recommends Reappointment of Former Newspaper Man to Postal Position.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 20.—(Special Telegram.)—The Interstate Commerce commission today dismissed the complaint of the Fairmont Creamery company against the Burlington. The creamery company complained of a rate of 32 cents per ten gallon can of cream from Concordia, Kan., to Crete, Neb., on the ground that the rate was unreasonable in view of the fact that the Burlington had established a rate of 26 cents per ten gallon can of cream in lots of 100 cans or more shipped from Concordia to Crete by passenger train.

This special rate was continued in force until March 1, 1909. On that date the rate was advanced to 32 cents without limitation as to the number of cans shipped.

In September of 1909 a special rate of 30 cents was restored with an increase of the number of cans in each shipment to 100 cans during the summer months, the minimum remaining at 100 cans from October to March of each year. This rate is still in force. The complainant contended the rate was unjust because of a 26 cent rate since 1906 with the exception of six months interval above referred to.

Testimony showed that the complainant first suggested the present rate and the commission thought it all right and has no reason now to change its mind.

Mill Complaint Dismissed.

The Interstate Commerce commission today dismissed the complaint of the Brook-Rauch Mill and Elevator company against the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railroad company, wherein the complainant alleges unreasonable rates for the transportation of grain and grain products from points in Nebraska and Kansas to Little Rock.

The commission in its decision of today holds that "charges for necessary out-of-direct line service on shipments of grain and grain products from Omaha to Conway and Morrilton, Ark., with transit privileges at Little Rock, Ark., are found not be to unreasonable or unduly prejudicial," and then dismisses the complaint.

General John C. Cowin of Omaha is in Washington on departmental matters. He believes that Taft will carry Nebraska in the primaries, be nominated and elected. "The delegates selected to be voted for at the primaries in April by the republicans are extremely strong men and I cannot conceive how a better selection could have been made. Wisdom was displayed in their selection and they have my unqualified approval. In my judgment Taft is getting stronger every day."

Representative Kinkaid today recommended the appointment of Carl H. Fay as postmaster at Hecla, vice J. J. Vickery, resigned, and L. C. Barker postmaster at Gracie, vice Robert Williams, resigned.

Upon the motion of Senator Norris Brown, E. B. Perry of Cambridge and Robert C. Orr of McCook were admitted to practice before the supreme court today.

Trust Provided by Cudahy Will Decided Void in California

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 20.—Under the oral opinion of Judge Rives in the probate court, delivered today, the trust which the late Michael Cudahy, the Chicago packer, sought to create by his will is void so far as the property in California is concerned.

Cudahy died in 1910, leaving an estate of many millions, most of which was in Illinois. The value of the estate in California, it was asserted, was approximately $800,000. In his will, according to the petition filed by the contestants, Mr. Cudahy undertook to prevent the sale of this property, known as the Cudahy ranch, for a period of five years, the income meanwhile to be used for certain purposes.

The Cudahy Ranch company, organized by the heirs-at-law, contested the will, claiming this property should be distributed free from the trust.

Banks Allowed to Take Desired Title

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—For the first time in history the way has been opened, it developed today, for state banks and trust companies to become known as "United States depositaries." According to the view of the Treasury department, any financial institution in America, national or state bank or trust company, holding postal savings deposits or other government funds may assume that title without legal impediment, even though the designation is not officially conferred by the secretary of the treasury.

From an unofficial source it was learned that the Treasury department had decided there is no law restricting the term "United States depositary" to those national banks named by the secretary as depositaries of public money. This leaves national or state banks or trust companies, in which the trustees of the postal savings system deposit the postal savings funds or national banks holding certain Indian funds for the secretary of the interior, free to adopt the title.

The privilege of becoming known as a depositary of the nation's funds is much sought by every bank in the country, because it is presumed to convey an advantageous impression of character and stability. Of the 7,300 national banks, only about 1,400 are officially designated as "United States depositaries."

Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh, it is said, is constantly besieged by senators and representatives in congress to make national banks in their states or districts "United States depositaries." In many cases one or two banks in a town are so designated, while others in the same community are not. This, it is declared, works virtually as a discrimination by the government, and the Treasury department's decision is expected to solve the problem in large measure.

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