

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Stock Trains Arrive Late on Account of Storm-Cattle Some Easier.

HOGS TEN TO TWENTY UP

Omaha, January 31, 1917. Receipts were: Cattle, 1,000; Hogs, 1,000; Sheep, 1,000.

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NEW YORK STOCKS

Market Does Not Make Favorable Response to Steel Statement.

SHORT INTEREST EXTENDED

New York, Jan. 31.—The stock market did not make favorable response today to the financial statement of the United States Steel corporation.

Consideration of testimony brought out at the hearing on the steel trust in some quarters considered one of the day's dominant factors.

Other heavy stocks included General Electric, which registered a gross loss of 4 points.

Steel fluctuated throughout, opening with a gain which was forfeited, making full recovery at midday and falling back again in the last hour.

Alcoa at the new low record of 73 1/2 furnished the only noteworthy feature of the day's trading.

Not over half of the number of hogs expected had been yarded when the market opened, but buyers still needed hogs, and as the severely cold weather, which was reported as general over the northwest, made it uncertain as to whether everything would arrive in time for the market.

Chicago Live Stock Market. Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; market, steady; heavy, \$17.50-18.00; stockers and feeders, \$16.00-17.00.

New York, Jan. 31.—Prime Mercantile Paper—3 1/2% to 4% for 60-day bills, 4 1/2% for 90-day bills.

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St. Louis Live Stock Market. Cattle—Receipts, 6,200 head; market, steady; heavy, \$17.50-18.00; stockers and feeders, \$16.00-17.00.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Prices for All Kinds of Grain Move Up a Little on the Omaha Market.

PREMIUM FOR WHITE CORN

Omaha, January 31, 1917. The cash wheat situation was not particularly active today, but receipts were reported as being of substantially higher prices.

The demand, however, was not over-enthusiastic and trading was somewhat quiet before noon, with No. 3 hard wheat selling at \$1.74, No. 2 hard at \$1.73.

Clearances were: Wheat and flour equal to 487,000 bushels; corn, 276,000 bushels; oat, 292,000 bushels.

These sales were reported today: No. 3 hard winter, 2 cars, \$1.74; No. 2 hard winter, 1 car, \$1.73.

Omaha Futures Market. A lack of foreign demand and peace rumors caused a break on the local market, and May wheat ruled about 1/2 cent lower.

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RUSSIANS GAIN IN UPPER ROUMANIA

German Official Report Concedes Loss of Position Near Vale Putna.

TEUTONS WIN NEAR RIGA

Associated Press War Summary. The Russian offensive on the northern end of the Rumanian front has been resumed with some measure of success.

Berlin today conceded the capture of a point of support in the vicinity of Vale Putna. The previous advance here was effected by the Russians in a battle fought last Saturday.

Sinking of the French transport Amiral Magon by a submarine in the Mediterranean on January 25 is announced by Paris.

January Breaks All Records for Clearing House

The new year of 1917 got away to a flying start in the Omaha Clearing House. The first month of 1917 proved to be the biggest month in the history of the clearing house.

The bank clearings for January in Omaha totaled \$142,344,432.28, a gain over \$100,000,000 over the previous month. In October, 1916, the clearings were \$132,240,393.

Denverite's Visit to Daughter in Omaha Is Thrilling Affair. To be attacked by his daughter's sweetheart, who mistook him for an intruder.

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WOULD ALTER LAW ON CITY PLANTS

Senate Gets Into Warm Argument Over Reducing Majority to Vote Bonds.

TO ALTER COMPENSATION

Lincoln, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—Fear of contamination from the outside world prompted the senate today to exclude all people from the floor of that body except the members, officers and lieutenant governor during consideration of bills on third reading.

Immediately afterward the senate passed Senate File No. 2, prohibiting hogs from wallowing in irrigation canals.

Workmen's compensation law enforcement is removed from Labor Commissioner George Norman and placed in the hands of a "compensation commissioner" to be appointed by the governor.

Compensation Commission.

The law radically amends the present compensation law, making the commissioner the arbiter of disputes subject only to appeal to the district court within five days.

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ROADS COMMITTEE AGREES ON BILL

Measure Drawn Up That Will Meet Wants of Many Objectors.

SOME FARMERS OPOSED MANY ADVANCED IDEAS

(From a Staff Correspondent.) Lincoln, Jan. 31.—(Special.)—The roads committee of the house has finally agreed upon a bill which will meet the wants of those members of the legislature who have been somewhat opposed to accepting the government appropriation, and after a great deal of mending and fixing, the bill went to the house today providing for the division of the state into project districts, no district to contain more than five counties.

To a certain extent each district will control the roads of that district and after the appropriation is made will have the authority to build the kind of road it desires, but if it wants a more expensive road than the requirements of the bill provides, it has the right to raise money any way it sees fit and add it to the appropriation made.

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AMUSEMENTS

BRANDEIS Tonight, Fri. & Sat. JOHN MASON In A. H. Wood's New Production "Common Clay" Matinee Saturday.

Opheum THE BEST OF VAUDEVILLE Daily, Mat. 8:15, Night 8:15-8:45. ALICE EIS AND BET FRENCH & CO. "Holloway's" BERT FITZGERALD, CHARLEY GRAPEWIN & ANNA CHANCE, Raymond & Cawley, Mlle. Doris, Brent Hayes, Nell O'Connell, Opheum Travel Weekly. Prices: Gallery 10c; Best Seats, 75c; Sat. & Sun., 25c; Nights, 10c, 25c, 50c, 75c.

WILLIAM S. HART in "TRUTHFUL TULLIVER." A Classic of the Western Country.

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NEW CONSTITUTION FOR MEXICO SIGNED

Assembly Finishes Document On Which It Worked for Two Months.

Queretaro, Mexico, Jan. 31.—The delegates to the constitutional assembly, which concluded its labors last night, assembled at 11 o'clock this morning and signed the constitution, on which they had been working for two months. The ceremony was attended by great enthusiasm. All the members of the cabinet were present except Luis Cabrera, minister of finance, and Ygnacio Bonilla, minister of fomento and communications.

The new constitution contains some advanced legislation. Among the provisions are: Abolition of the office of vice president; prohibition of the re-election of a president; stringent and radical labor laws, which provided for an eight-hour day, seven hours of night work and six working days a week; compulsory arbitration; profit-sharing, free employment bureaus, anti-trust laws, a national department of health with penitentiary powers and compulsory military instruction.

PHOTOPLAYS BOYD Continuous 1 to 11 P. M. Prices 25c, Children 15c. TODAY Clune's Cinema Spectacle RAMONA Helen Hunt Jackson's Romance, The Love Story of the Ages. Entertaining More Than 300,000 Delighted Spectators Daily With the Ramona Companies on Tour. Great Is Its Popularity Unanimous Is Its ROMANTIC APPEAL.

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