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I AM going out of the harness business; have 50 sets of double Concord harness at a big saving to the public. You can see them at 4408 Farnam. For Sale.

FOR SALE—Several very good delivery wagons at sacrifice prices. Wm. Hempili, Alamito Dairy Co., 26th and Leavenworth.

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Sealed bids will be received by the city
clerk of Central City, Nebraska, for \$30,600.00 in paving bonds of said city, which
bonds draw interest from Nov. 1, 1917, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum; also bids will be received for \$3,000.00 in intersec-tion bonds drawing into est at the rate of tion bonds drawing into est at the rate of 5 per cent per annum from Sept. 1, 1917. All bonds are in denominations of 7500.00 each and are made payable at the option of the city. The intersection bonds are due in 16 years

date and paving bonds in 10 years Bidders may bid on all or any part and all bids must be on file by Feb. 9, 1918.
For further information write city clerk

Ventral City, Nebraska W. W. WOLCOTT, City Clerk, No. 500-Jan. 30-31-Feb. 1-2-3-4-5.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Michael Kovacs and wife to James A. Nickerson and wife, Second and Realty company to Julia M.

modes Resity company to Julia at Moylan, southwest corner Forty-ninth avenue and Farnam street, 15x536, and other proporty derningsfus Land company to M. H. Butler Decatur street, 295 feet west of Cottner avenue, north side, \$9x123 Harris Katzper and wife to Hyman Weisscop, Clark street, 35 feet east of Twenty-second street, south side.

Slaud High and husband to Raiph

L. Staple and wife, Thirty-seventh street, 97 feet south of Dodge street, west side, 55x132 ch W. Dorrance and wife to Jules A. DuRae Chicago street, 140 feet west of Forty-fourth street, south

side, 40x128 lenry Monsky and wife to Carl C. Katleman, Thirty-third street, 208.5 fect south of Davenport street, west aide. 100x136 Michael L. Clark, sheriff, to Henry Tangeman, Bedford avenue. 250 feet west of Forty-cighth aireet south

nide 56x140 and other property... lichael L. Clark, sheriff, to Con-servative Savings and Loan associa-tion, autheast corner Twenty-sev-och and Lake streets, 67,8x47.3 Michael L. Clark, sheriff, to Con-acreative Savings and Loan association. Sprague street, 88 feet cast of Twenty-fifth street north side, 44x so. Twenty-fifth street, 20 north of Sprague street, east side. 1.800

Michael L. Clark, sheriff, to Conservative Savings and Loan association. mmet street. 200 feet west of wenty-first street, north side, 50x

## CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL **ACTIVITIES**

Students of the Central High school have been enlisted in the national campaign to save fuel. Tags for shovels were distribsave fuel. Tags to: sufed yesterday morning.

Cadet drill begins today. The freshmer will be given elementary instruction and will be allowed until February 11 to secure

The girls' student club will meet Thurs-ing at the Young Women's Christian asso-clation. Reports of work at the grade \$10.50@12.50; wethers, \$11.50@12.25; can-

choofs will be made. Central High will meet Sloux City in a dual debate Friday hight. Omeha will have the negative at Omeha of the question. Resolved. That federal laws providing for the compulsory arbitration of labor dis-putes be adopted.", Raiph Kheras, Raiph Cohn and Tom Mathews will uphold the af-firmative at Sioux City. The Omaha debaters who will ten in at home are Barton Kuhns, Harold Boggs and Hareid De Lano.

## OMAHA LIVE

GAMES

Cattle 10 Cents Higher; Hogs Up 10 to 15 Cents; Demand for Medium Lambs.

Omaha, Jan. 31, 1917. Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. 5.891 7.493 12.933 9.707 17.169 16.445 Receipts were: Official Monday ... 5,891 Official Tuesday ... 9,707 Official Wednesday ... 6,401 2,000 8.000 Estimate Thursday. Four days this week. 24,999 Same days last week. 33.674 Same days 2 wks. ago. 25,808 Same days 3 wks. ago. 35,825 53,838 58,269 Same days 4 wks. ago. 22,838 32,764 46,563 Same day last year. 27,457 58,161 43,663 Receipts and disposition of live stock at

the Union Stock yards, Omahu, Neb., for twenty-four hours ending at 3 o'clock yesterday; RECEIPTS-CARS Cattle Hogs Sheep H'r's C. & N. W., east .. 15

Wabash Missouri Pacific... Union Pacific Pacific .... W., bast... W., west... P., M. & O. .. C. St. P. M. & O. 13 C. B. & Q. east. 16 C. B. & Q. west. 92 C. R. I. & P. east. 2 C. R. I. & P. west . Illinois Central. 14 Chicago Gt. West. 3

Total receints ... 154 125 DISPOSITION-HEAD. Cattle Armour & Co. ... Schwarts & Co.... J. W. Murphy ..... Lincoln Packing Co... S. Omaha Packing Co. 1,020 Wilson Packing Co., 151 B. Vansant Co ... W. B. Vansan
Hill & Son......
F. B. Lewis....
J. B. Root & Co...
J. H. Bulla.
F. G. Kellogg ullivan Bros. ..... Mo. & Kans, Calf Co.

13,417

Baker, Jones & Smith. Pat O'Day ...... Other buyers ...... Totals ..........5,917 of cattle showed up, about 5,000 head, and

of cattle showed up, about 5,000 head, and the four days' supply has beer only about 24,000 head, or 4,000 less than a week ago, and 2,500 less than a year ago. While there was no very great demand for shipping accounts all the buyers were looking for desirable beef steers, and bids and sales were atrong to 10c higher than Wednesday This was also true as to cows and helfers. Trade so far this week has been decidedly more active, and decidedly stronger than a weeg ago, the advance amounting to fully more active, and decidedly stronger than a weeg ago, the advance amounting to fully 25@50c in the case of useful killers. Call for stock cattle and feeding steers was also rather lively, notwithstanding the severe weather, and anything at all useful in this line commanded good, strong prices, the market being quotably fully 25c higher than toward the close of last week. in this line commanded good, strong presenter market being quotably fully 25c higher than toward the close of last week.

Quotations on Cattle: Good to choice beeves, \$12.00@13.40; fair to good beeves, \$10.85@11.85; common to fair beeves, \$8.50@10.50; good to choice yearlings, \$11.50@11.50; fair to good yearlings, \$10.80@11.00; \$12.50; fair to good yearlings, \$10.90.50; good \$12.50; fair to good yearlings, \$10.@11.00; common to fair yearlings, \$7.50@9.50; good to choice grass beeves, \$19.50@11.50; fair to good grass beeves, \$19.50@11.50; common to fair grass beeves, \$7.60@8.50; good to choice helfers, \$9.90@10.00; good to choice cows, \$8.50@9.50; fair to good cows, \$8.25@8.50; common to fair cows, \$8.26@7.25; good to choice feeders, \$5.75@9.50; common to fair feeders, \$5.25@9.50; common to fair feeders, \$5.25@7.25; good to choice stockers, \$7.5@9.75; stock helfers, \$7.00@8.50; stock calves, \$7.00@9.00; veal calves, \$9.00@13.00; buils, stags, etc., \$6.75@10.00.

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Hogs—There w. a considerable falling off in the receipts of log\_ this morning compared with the two previous days. Trade was rather slow, as sellers were asking around 15@25c higher prices for their hogs, while buyers for the most part were inclined to hold off or were bidding only 10c to possibly 15c higher than resterday, so there was a rather slow and draggy trade until toward midforenoon. About this time a few hogs were sold that looked ne more than 10c higher. A top of \$15.25 was paid for heavy butchers, with the bulk moving at \$15.95@16.15. Theg renter portion of the offerings, however, were still in first hands at a late hour. Cold weather continues to delay the trade to a great extent.

tinues to delay the trade to a great extent 50. 239 ... 16 20 68. 290 ... 16 25
Sheep—Receipts of sheep and lambs were
fairly liberal for a Thursday. Opening
trade was active and values fully steady to
a shade higher in spots. Fat lambs found
a ready market, handyweight lambs selling a ready market, nandyweight lambs seiling up to \$17.15@17.20, with choice stuff still unsold. Medium weight lambs were in good demand at prices ranging from \$16.90 to \$17.10, with the heavier and in-between grades selling on down to \$16.25. The bulk of the desirable offerings changed hands early. Undertone to the trade was good and there was a present of some improvement. there was a prospect of some improvement Supply of feeders was liberal and the may

ket fairly active. Ida. o lambs of fair que ity bringing from ".50 to \$16.35, which about steady with yesterday. Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, heavyweight, \$16.75 @17.59; lambs, heavyweight, \$16.00 @16.75; lambs, feeders, \$16.00 @16.50; lambs, shorn, \$11.50 @13.50; lambs, suils, \$10.00 @14.00; yearlings fair to choice, \$11.50 @15.00; yearlings, feeders, \$12.00 @14.25; wethers, fair to choice, \$11.00 @13.00; ewes, fair to choice, \$11.50 @15.50; ewes, breeders, \$17.00 @15.50; ewes, feere, \$7.50 @16.50; ewes, feere, \$7.50 @16.50; ewes, wills, and cappears bout stendy with yesterday.

ers, \$7.50@10.50; ewes, cuils and canners \$5.00@7.25. Representative sales:

400 fed ewes 125 \$12 45 287 Idaho feeder ewes 109 11 40 218 fed lambs 78 17 25 54 fed lambs 90 17 00

St. Louis Live Stock Market. St. Louis, Jan. 31 .- Cattle-Receipts, 3,900 head; market steady; native beef steers, \$5.00@13.50; yearling steers and heifers, \$7.00@13.50; cows, \$6.00@11.50; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@10.50; fair to prime and heifers, \$6.00 ⊕12.75; beef cows and heifers, \$6.00 ⊕10.00; prime y-arling steers and heifers, \$7.50 ⊕10,00; native calves, \$6.00@16.00,

Beccints, 9,600 head; market higher: \$15.95@16.40; pigs, \$12.75@15.25; and butchers, \$18.15@16.60; good mixed heavy, \$16.14 @ 16.60; bulk of sales, \$16.15@ ners and choppers, \$6.00@9.00

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 31 .- Cattle-Re ceipts, 4,000 head; market steady to strong; prime feed steers, \$12.25@13.75; dressed beef steers, \$10.50@12.50; western steers \$9.00@12.25; cows. \$7.00@1h00; heifers \$7.25@11.25; stockers and feeders, \$7.00@ 11.75; bulls, \$6.75@10.00; calves, \$7.00@

er; bulk of sales, \$16.00@16.20; heavy, \$16.10 @16.30; packers and butchers, \$16.05@16.25; light, \$15.85@16.20; pigs, \$11.00@14.00. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 2,500; market higher; lambs, \$16.00@17.25; yearlings, \$13.00@14.50; wethers, \$11.50@13.50; ewes, \$11.00@12.50.

Chicago Live Stock Market
Chicago, Jan. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 13,000
head; tomorrow, 9,000 head; market strong;
native steers, \$8.75@14.30; stockers and
feeders, \$7.50@10.75; cows and heifers,
46.56@12.00; calves, \$9.50@16.00.
Hogs—Receipts, 25,000 head; tomorrow,
33,00 head; market unsettled, 10c above yes-16.65; rough, \$15.90@16.15; pigs, \$13.25@

15.46.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 15,000 head; tomorrow, 10,000 head; market steady; wethers, \$10.00@13.50; ewes, \$9.75@13.10; ewes, \$9.75@13.10; lambs, \$14.75@17.85.

Sloux City Live Stock.

Sioux City, Ia., Jan. 31.—Cattle—Receipts.
2,200 head; market steady; beef steers.
\$9.00@13.00; fat cows and helfers. \$7.50@
10.50; canners. \$6.00@7.00; stockers and feeders. \$7.50@11.00; caives. \$8.00@12.50; buils, stags, etc., \$7.50@10.00; ferding cows and helfers, \$6.25@8.50.

Hogs—Receipts. \$,000 head; market 10 cents higher; light, \$15.80@15.95; mixed, \$15.95@16.05; heavy, \$16.00@16.15; pigs. \$12.50@13.50; builk of sales. \$15.95@16.05.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 700 head; market strong.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 31.—Cattle—Receipts. 1,800 head; market active; steers, \$8,00@13.75; cows and heifers. \$6.00@12.25; calves. \$8.00@13.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000 head; market higher; top, \$16.15; bulk of sales, \$15.85@16.10.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; market higher; lambs, \$13.00@17.35; ewes, \$6.00@12.25.

New York Money. New York, Jan. 31.—Mercantile Paper 

strong.

Time Loans—Firm; 60 days, 90 days, and six months, 5½ @6 per cent.
Call Money—Steady; high, 4 per cent; low, 3½ per cent; ruling rate, 3½ per cent; closing bid, 3½ per cent; offered at 4 per cent; last loan, 4 per cent. closing bid, 3% per cent; offered at 4 per cent; last loan, 4 per cent.

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Gen. Elec. 5s.... 96 1/2 French Gvt. 5 1/2 97

Coffee Market New York, Jan. 31 .- The market for cofee futures showed renewed firmness today, recovering part of its recent losses on the ore optimistic talk of peace prospects. May contracts sold up to 9.03c and September to 9.47c, or about 25 to 27 points net higher, with the close showing a net advance of 20 to 24 points. The opening was two to eight points higher on reports of la-bor troubles in Germany and buying became more active following publication of the president's letter, intimating that the issue of the war would be determined this year. There was some realizing on the advance of 32 to 36 points from yesterday's low level. but it was well taken and the close was

Spot coffee, quiet; Rio 7s, \$%c; Santos 4s, 10%c. Sales of Santos 2. 10%c. Sales of Santos 3s and 4s were re-ported in the cost and freight market at 10%c. London credits, via sailers; also a small lot of Santos 4s at \$10.25 for prompt shipment by steamer. Shippers reported difficulty in securing freight room at ressonable rates and the situation in this re-

spect restricted offers.

The official cables reported a decline of 50 rels in the Rio market. The Santos spot market was unsettled with futures unchanged to 25 reis higher. Rio cleared 16 -

ceipts, 55,000 bags. Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits. New York, Jan. 31.—Evaporated Apples— Nominal; state, 1614@1614c; California, 15

Nominal; state, 15%@16%c; California, 10 @15%c.
Dried Fruits—Prunes, firm; Californias, 5%@14c; Oregons, 13@14c. Apricots, quiet; choice, 17%c; extra choice, 17%c; fancy, 18%@20c. Peaches, quict; standard, 11%c; choice, 12%@13c; fancy, 13%@14c. Raisins, scarce; loose muscatels, 9@9%c; choice to fancy seeded, 9%@10%c; seedless, 9@ 10%c; London layers, \$1.80.

Turpentine and Rosin.
Savannah. Ga., Jan. 31.—Turpentine—Firm: 44c; sales, 71 bbls.; receipts 34 bbls. shipments, 125 bbls.; stock, 25,557 bbls. Rosin-Firm: sales, 274 bbis.; receipts, 382 bbis.; shipments, 1,774 bbis.; stock, 89,144 bbis. Quote B, D, E F, G, H, I, \$6.19; K, \$6.50; M, \$6.90; N, \$7.29; WG, \$7.40; WW. \$7.59.

New York Dry Goods.

New York, Jan. 21.—Dry Goods—Cotton goods here were strong. Yarns were firm and raw silk, easier. Burlaps were quiet. Fur auctions were well attended and sales active Buyers were numerous in dry goods

New York, Jan. 31.—Cotton—Cotton closed teady, net 7 points higher to 13 point lower.

Minneapolis Grain. Minneapolis, Jan. 31.—Flour—Market un

Barley-\$1.50@1.70. Rye—\$2.16@2.19.
Bran—\$32.56.
Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.57@1.75.
Oats—No. 3 white, \$4@85c. Flaxseed-\$3.52@3.66. Chicago Produce.

5146924c; ordinary firsts, \$7660c; at mark, cases included, 54661c; refrigerator firsts, 42644c. Potatoes-Receipts, 25 cars; unchanged. Poultry-Alive unchanged. Metal Market.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Butter—Unchanged. Eggs—Higher; receipts 317 cases; firsts.

Metal Market.

New York, Ja 31.—Mctals—Lead steady; spot. \$7.00 @ 7.25. Speiter quiet; East St. Louis delivery, spot. \$7.75 @ 7.95.

At London: Cop -, spot fil0; futures, fil0; electrolytic, fil25; tin. spot, fil29; futures, fil0; electrolytic, fil25; tin. spot, fil29; futures, fil0; speiter, spot, fil4; futures, fil0; speiter, spot, fil4; futures, fil0.

London Money. London, Jan. 31.—Silver—Bar, 4334d per

Money—3½ per cent.
Discount Rates—Short bills, 4 1-32 per cent; three-month bills, 4 1-16 per cent. New York Cotton. New York Jan. 31.—Cotton—Futures steady; March. 30.34c; May. 29.82c; July. 29.42c; October. 28.97c; December. 27.83c.

Duluth Oil. 1.75; bulls, \$6.75@10.00; cfives, \$7.00@ Duluth, Jan. 51.—Linseed—\$3.54@2.65; 4.00. January, \$2.52 asked; May, \$3.54; July, \$1.00—Receipts, 10.000 head; market high-

Receipts Continue Moderate; Corn Market Stronger; Oats Show Advance; Rye 3 Cents Higher.

Omaha, January 31, 1918. Wheat receipts today continued to be very light with only 7 cars, while those of corn were fairly moderate, 127 cars of this grain being reported in. Arrivals of onts were very light, with 18 cars, while receipts of rye and barley were 6 and 5 cars. respectively.

The corn market today was again some-what stronger, sales of the spot article showing a further advance of 2 and 3 cents. the bulk of it selling generally at higher figures and a few odd cars at unchanged figures and a few odd cars at unchanged prices. The interest in this cereal today was noticeably better, with a fairly good shipping demand. Elevator interests were the biggest buyers, operators taking the bulk. No. 4 white sold at \$1.79 and \$1.71 and No. 5 white at \$1.60 and \$1.62. No. 4 yellow sold at \$1.58 and the No. 5 grade at \$1.45 and \$1.50. No. 4 mixed brought while No. 5 mixed ranged from \$1.43

to \$1.48.
Oata followed corn, advancing generally 4c to 4c and established a new high record, the standard grade selling at the top, \$5%c. No. 3 white sold at \$54c and No 4 white at \$5 kg. A part car of extremely poor sample grade oats went at 75c, Trade was more active today and the greater part of these offerings disposed of early. A report was given out that exporting interests in the east were bidding 88½c for No. 2 white oats, 30 days, gulf shipment, and this was a strengthening factor, while bids from cereal makers were also somewhat

hicher.

Rye was 3c higher, while barley was up 3c to 5c. Either cereal was in good demand and found a ready disposal. No. 2 Trye sold at a new high figure. \$2.15, as did the No. 2 and No. 3 grades of barley, these offerings bringing \$1.70. No. 4 barley sold \$1.55. A leading miller questing his onlyat \$1.68. A leading miller, quoting his opinion of rye and barley, says that the strength in these cereals is principally a sentimental one, and that there is no reason why they should retain their present levels, and are about due for a slight decrease in value. Fifty-six-pound rye at \$2.15 is more than the price fixed on wheat, and the weight per hushel four pounds less, so there is no visible reason for any expectancy of higher prices. higher prices.

higher prices.

Clearances were, Wheat and flour none;
corn, none; cats. 1,259,000 bushels.

Primary wheat receipts were 213,000 bu,
and shipments 111,000 bu, against receipts of 753,000 bu. and shipments of 730,000 bu last year.

Primary corn receipts were 781,000 bu. and

shipments 233,000 bu., against receipts of 1,146,000 bu. and shipments of 603,000 bu. last year.

Primary oats receipts were 549,600 bu. and shipments 481,000 bu., against receipts of 631,000 bu, and shipments of 386,000 bu.

inst year CARLOT RECEIPTS. Wheat, Corn."Oats. 

These sales were reported today: Corn—No. 4 white: 1 car, \$1.70. No. 5 white: 4 cars, \$1.62; 2 cars, \$1.61; 1 car, \$1.60. No. 6 white: 6 cars, \$1.75. Sample white: 1 car, \$1.41; 1 car, \$1.30. No. 4 yellow: 5 cars, \$1.58; 1 car, \$1.56. No. 5 yellow: 2 cars, \$1.50; 6 cars, \$1.48; 2 cars, \$1.47; 10 cars, \$1.46; 1 car, \$1.48, 2 cars, \$1.37. No. 5 mixed: 2 cars, \$1.48; 2 cars, \$1.37. No. 5 mixed: 2 cars, \$1.48; 2 cars, \$1.50; 2 cars, \$1.47; 2 cars, \$1.46; 1 car, \$1.45; 3 cars, \$1.44; 2 cars, \$1.43, No. 6 mixed: 1 car, \$1.36; 1 car, \$1.36; 1 car, \$1.36; 1 car, \$1.36; 1 car, \$1.28; 1 car, \$1.28; 1 car, \$1.28; 1 car, mixed: 1 car. \$1.36; 1 car, \$1.28; 1 car, \$1.22; ½ car. \$1.20.
Oats—Standard: 2 cars, 85½c. No. 3 white: 6 cars, 85½c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 85½c. Sample white: ½ car, 75c.
Rye—No. 2: 4½ cars, \$2.15; 2-5 car, \$2.15.
Barley—No. 2: 1 car, \$1.70. No. 3: 1 car, \$1.70. No. 4: 1 car, \$1.58;
Wheat—No. 2 hard winter: 1 bulkhead, \$2.12 No. 2 durum: 1 car, \$2.12. No. 2 amber urum: 1 car (7 per cent spring), \$2.16. Omaha Cash Prices—Corn: No. 4 white, \$1.70@1.71; No. 5 white, \$1.50@1.52; No. 6

\$1.70@1.71; No. 5 white, \$1.80@1.02; No. 6 white, \$1.55; sample white, \$1.36@1.41; No. 4 yellow, \$1.55; No. 5 yellow, \$1.45@1.50; No. 6 yellow, \$1.57@1.40; No. 4 mixed, \$1.50; No. 5 mixed, \$1.43@1.48; No. 6 mixed, \$1.34@1.43; No. 6 mixed, \$1.34@1.43; sample mixed, \$1.20@1.30. Oats: Standard, \$5%c; No. 3 white, \$5%c; No. 4 white, \$5%c; Sample, 75c; Barley; No. 3, \$1.70; No. 4, \$1.58. Rye: No. 2, \$2.15. Chicago closing prices, furnished The Ber 1 27 126% 1 26% 127 1 25% 125 1 25% 125%

by Logan & Bryan, stock and grain brokers \$15 South Sixteenth atreet, Omaha: Art. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes. 85% 83% 83% @% 84% 84% 83 83% 84 47 65 47 20 47 20 47 60 46 90 46 60 46 60 46 85 46 90 25 95 | 25 45 26 95 | 25 45 25 50 | 25 35 | 25 40 | 25 50 25 45 25 50 Ribs. Jan. May

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. Better I respects of Car Supply in West Ease Corn Market.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Better conditions regard to the supply of cars on western roads helped today to ease the corn mar-Prices closed atendy at 18,918% to it decline, with March, \$1.26% and \$1.25%. Oats finished %c to 1%c May \$1,25%. down, and provisions unchanged to 500

selves on record as saying that improve-ment in the car situation was becoming apparent. Liberal numbers of east ern cars were reported as having been de-livered to western roads, and as being rapity distributed in the cern belt.

It was further announced that energetic measures had been taken to care for new deliveries h; farmers. Under such circumstances, unfavorable weather was soon offset as a bullish influence. The market however, held within narrow limits both as to volume of business and as to changes in values.

Gossip that the government was buying freely at interior points carried the oats market here up to new high price levels for the season, but commission house sel-ling on the bulge led to a sharp reaction. Some of this selling was secribed to bear-ish sentiment, resulting from President Wilson's letter to the farm conference at Ur

Realizing sales on the part of recent buyers weakened provisions.

Cash Prices—Corn: No. 2 yellow, nominal;
No. 3 yellow, \$1.78; No. 4 yellow, \$1.65@
1.65, Oats: No. 3 white, 88@88%c; standard,
88@88c, Rye: No. 2, \$2.12, Barley: \$1.60@
1.75. Seeds: Tinothy, \$5.00@8.25; clover, lard, \$25.40; ribs, \$23.35@24.19

New York General Market. New York, Jan. 31.—Flour—Steady prings, \$18,55@10.70; winters. \$10.25@ 0.60; Kansas, \$10.56@11.00. Cornmest—Steady; fine white and yellow 14.65@4.70; Coarse, \$4.75@4.85; killn dried -Spot, firmer; kiln dried, No. 3 yes

Corn-Spot, firmer; kiln dried, No. 3 yellow, \$1.85%; No. 3 mixed, \$1.84%, cost and freight New York, prompt shipment; Argentine, \$2.06, sales f. o. b. cars.
Oats—Spot. firm; natural, \$1.00@1.02.
Hay—Stead; No. 1, \$2.00; No. 2, \$1.90.
No. 3, \$1.80 shipping \$1.50 all nominal.

Hopa—Easy; state medium to choice, 1917, 40@50c; 1915, nominal; Pacific coast, 1917, 21@24c; 1916, 14@17c.

Hides—Steady: Begota, 38%@40%c; Central America, 38@40c.
Leather—Firm; hemlock sole overweights.
No. 1, 51c; No. 2, 49c.
Tailow—Quiet; city special, loose, 17%c.
Weol—Firm; domestic fleece XX. Ohio and Penrayiyania, 70c.

and Penrayivania, 70c.
Rice—Firm; fancy head, \$% 69c; blue rose, \$684c.
Lard—Strong; middlewest, \$75.90626.00. Butter-Market steady; receipts, 11,456 tubs; higher than extras, 52@52%c; extra (92 score), 51@51%c; firsts, 48%@50%c; seconds, 46@48c.
Eggs-Market firm; receipts, 6,305 cases;

Eggs—Market firm; receipts, 6,303 cases; fresh gathered, 65c; extra firsts, 64c; firsts, 63c; 52c; seconds, 56c; 62c.
Cheese—Market firm; receipts, 1,687 boxes; state whole milk flats held special, 26c; 26c; do, average run, 25c; 62c.
Poultry—Alive, market steady; chickens, 28c; 25c; fowls, 33c; 34c; turkeys, 36c, Dressed, market firm; chickens, 24c; fowls, 22c; 33c; turkeys, 24c; 35c.

## STOCKS

President Wilson's Message to the Western Farmers' Conference Contributes to Strength of Market.

New York, Jan. 31 .- Well defined causes contributed to the unusual activity, breadth and strength of today's stock market, chief among which was the message of President Wilson to the Western Farmers' conference.

Other potent developments included the cumulative signs of serious disturbances within the central empires and an advance in inter-mountain freight rates, coupled with the reported decision of the senate's railroad committee to recommend restora tion of the railroads to shareholders a year after the war.

United States Steel was confidently ab-

sorbed in single lots of 1.000 to 4,000 shares, closing at 97%, the slightest fraction under its best and a net gain of 4%. Pacifics, coalers and minor western and southwestern issues featured the ral's at gross gains of two to five points. Sales aggregated 965,-000 shares.

Bonds were active, but irregular interna

tionals hardening perceptibly, while Liberty issues were heavy to weak. The 34s made a new minimum at \$7.20, likewise the second 4s at 95.76, both rallying substantially later. The first 4s sold between 96.60 and 96.50. Total bond sales (nar values), amounted to \$6.375,000. Old United States issues were 4 to % per cent higher on call
Number of sales and range of prices o leading stock:

Sales, High Low, Bid. 1,500 78% 78 781/2 8,100 39% 38 38 600 bu. Am. Beet Sugar. 1,500 600 bu. American Can.... 8,100 ceipts of Am. Car & Found. 5,800 Am. Sugar Ref. ... 2,600 1061 Am. Tel. & Tel. ... 3,500 108 Central Leather..., 14.600 Chesapoake & Ohio 4,500 C., M. & St. P. ..., 10,100 Chicago & N. W. . 300 Chicago & N. W. 300 C., R. I. & P. ctfs. 4,000 Crucible Steel .... Cuba Cane Sugar .. Erie General Electric... General Motors. Gt. No. Ore cus.

Illinois Central... 600
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Int. Paper... 5,100 Int. Paper...... Kan. City So..... Kennecott Copper. 5,800 334 2314 Louisville & Nash. Maxwell Motors ... Mex. Petroleum... 23,200 Miami Copper.... 2,400 Missouri Pacific... 5,800 Missouri Pacific... Montana Power.... Nevada Copper.... N. Y. Central.... 2,800 72% 70 N. Y. N. H. & H. 1,900 31½ 29 Norfolk & Western 2,200 104% 102% Northern Pacific ... 1,200 85% 84% Pacific Mail.... Pennsylvania ... 2,009 46% 46% Pitteburgh Coal... Ray Con. Copper.. 3,000 Reading 27,900 75%
Rep. Iron & Steel 9,700 79
Shattuck Ariz. Cop. 200 17%
Southern Pacific. 3,600 84

Southern Railway. 4,000 24 1/4 23 3/4 Studebaker Cor. 21,805 55 1/4 61 3/4 Texas Co. 5,200 155 1/4 151 1/4 Union Pacific. 5,700 116 114 1/4 J. S. Ind. Alcohol. 9,400 122% 121 U. S. Ind. Alcohol. 9,409 122% 121 United States Steel 222,700 98 93% U. S. Steel pfd. . 1,199 112% 110% Utah Copper. . 5,000 82% 82% Wabash pfd "B". 405 22% 22% Westers Union 700 82 Utah Copper. 5,000 224 224 83 Wahash pfd "B". 406 224 224 22 Western Union. 700 32 904 91 Westinghouse Elec. 5,200 42 405 41 Total sales for the day, \$45,000 shares.

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Live Poultry-Brollers, 1% to 2 the, in meparate codp, 35c ib; springs, 2 to 3 ibs. 25c ib; springs, all sizes, smooth legs, 21c ib; hens, any size, 21c ib; old roosters and stags, 15c ib.; poor chickens, 5c ib.; ge-se full feathered, fat, 18c ib.; ducks, full feathfull freithered, fat, 18c ib.; ducks, full feathered, fat, 20c ib. turkeys, over 10 ibs., fat. 25c ib.; turkeys, 8 to 10 ibs., 25c ib. capons, over 5 ibs., 24c ib.; guineas, each any sitze, 35c each; squabs, Homers, 14 to 16c ozs., per dozen, \$3.50; squabs, Homers, 12 to 14 zzs each, per dozen, \$2.58; squabs, Homers, 10 to 12 ozs each, per dozen, \$2.00, squabs, Homers, 8 oz each, per dozen, \$1.50; squabs, Per dozen, \$2.50; squabs, \$1.50; squabs, Homers, under a oz each, per dozen, suc; pigeons, per dozen, \$1 00. Wholesale prices of beef cuts: No. 1 toins 29½c; No. 2 loins, 25½c; No. 3 toins, 16½c No. 1 ribs, 24½c; No. 2 ribs, 22c; No. 3 ribs, 15c. No. 1 rounds, 20c; No. 2 rounds, 18½c. No. 3 rounds, 15½c. No. 1 chucks, 15c; No. 2 chucks, 15c; No. 3 chucks, 14c. No. 1 plates, 14½c; No. 2 pintes, 14c; No. 3

plates. 14'5c: No. 2 plates. 14c; No. 3 plates. 12'5c.

Oysters—"King Cole" northern standards. 52'50 gal; "King Cole" northern selects. 52'15 gal; "King Cole" New York counts. 52'95 gal; blue points. large or small shells. \$10.00 per jbbl.; blue points, per 100 \$1.25, large shells, per 100, \$1.50; Cotuits per 100, \$1.75. per 100, \$1.75 Frozen Fish (per ib.)-Whiting, round, 7c. headless and skinned, 18c; herring round, 9c; dressed, 11c; tullibes, white

round, 11c; yellow pike, 17c; pickerel, round, 12c; dressed, 15c; hallout, 21c; salmon, pink, 20c; red, 22c; black cod, 14c; black bass, 23c; Pacific red snapper, 11c; silver amelts, 16c; cropples, 16c. Very little poultry was put in cold stor-age the past fall, comparatively no broilers. Live Poultry-Broilers: 14 to 2 pounds.

in separate coop, 38c pound; springs, 2 to 3 pounds, 25c pound; springs, all sizes, amosth legs, 24c pound; hene, any size, 24c pound; stags, 19c pound; old receivrs, 17c pound: poor chickens, 5c pound' geese, full feathered, fat, 21c pound; ducks, full feath-ered. fat, 22c pound; turkeys over 10 pounds, fat, 25c pound; turkeys 8 to 10 pounds, fat, 28c pound; capons, over 5 pounds, 28c pound; guineas each, any size. youngs, 18c pound; guineas cach, any 812c.
40c pound; squabs homers, 14 to 16 ounces
each, \$3.50 dozen; 12 to 14 ounces each,
\$2.50 dozen; 10 to 12 ounces each, \$2.00
dozen; 8 ounces each, \$1.50 dozen; under 8
ounce each, \$6c dozen; pigeous, \$1.00 per

WILL MAKE HIS HOME CHICAGO

Walter J. Roseberry

Walter J. Roseberry, manager and editor of the Omaha and Council Bluffs department of the Implement and Tracto. Trade Journal, left Omaha last night for Chicago where he will take an important position with the National Implement and Vehicle association in the headquarters office. After February 1, his headquarters will be at 76 West Monroe street, Chicago, the headquarters of the association.

# AT THE SAME TIME

Flames in Armour Plant Cause \$10,000 Damage; Hannon Coal Office Destroyed; Blaze in Stock Yards.

a dressing room at the Armour pack- snow, but just cold. No wind, no new ing plant at 10 o'clock Thursday | morning and spread to the hair drying house, where the flames made rapid headway. R. C. Howe, manager of Armour & Co., said he believed

\$10,000 will cover the damage. The hair drying house is the place where the hair from the hogs is dried so that it can be made into bristle brushes

While South Side companies were at the Armour fire two more alarms were turned in, necessitating a call for companies from Omaha.

The office of the Hannon Coal company, 4722 South Twenty-seventh street, caught fire while employes were thawing water pipes that had frozen. The building was a mass of flames when firemen reached the

scene and was completely gutted.

The yard office of the Union Stock Yards company was slightly damaged by fire of unknown origin. The fire was extinguished with slight damage. Heney Hunts for

## **FOOD SPEAKERS** TO OPERATE IN-**BLOCKS OF THREE**

Federal food speakers, who will be in Omaha Monday, February 25, are having a busy day arranged for them by the federal food administrator. Mr. Wattles desires that every Omahan may have an opportunity to hear one of these speakers. With this in view he is splitting the team of

One speaker will speak at the Commercial club at a noonday luncheon, while another will speak before the University club. The woman member of the party will talk to women at the Young Women's Christian as-

sociation. In the afternoon the teachers of Omaha will be called together in mass meeting by Superintendent Beveridge and the first-hand message will be told to them. Another mass meeting will be arranged for women during the afternoon.

In the evening the speakers will

appear in the theaters, eight having

already given time during the per-

Mrs. Doane Makes Appeal

For Children's Clothing Mrs. G. W. Doane, general secre-

tary of the Associated Charities,

makes an appeal for shoes and cloth-

ing for children. She said: "I can not emphasize too strongly the need of shoes and clothing for children during this cold weather. I could cite case after case and we are receiving many calls every day. I have in mind a family where three children actually cannot go to school because of lack of shoes, A boy called at our office this week and his feet showed through the shoes. Many children are attending school with shoes whose soles are almost worn through.

Louis, Jan. 21.—Corn—No. 5, \$1.55@ No. 4 white, \$1.80; May, \$2.25%, 1s—No. 2, \$2@\$\$5ec. No. 2 white, S8 5c; May, 80% c.

New York Sugar. New York, Jan. 21 - Sugar - Raw, market study; centrifugal, 6 bede: motasses sugar nominal; refined sugar, steady; fine granu-

## 20 BELOW HERE WITH NO LETUP YET TILL FRIDAY

Weather Man Sees Relief From the Severe Cold: January Makes Record for Low Temperatures.

The official thermometer at the local weather bureau reached 20 below zero at 6 a. m. yesterday morning. At 7 o'clock it stood at 19, but dropped back to 20 at 8 o'clock. It rose slowly until mid-afternoon.

"Continued severe cold tonight. Slowly rising temperature tomorrow," is the forecast. "But it will be very slow in rising," says Colonel Welsh.

The month of January has been, perhaps, the coldest on record in Omaha. Until the month's records have been made up it will not be possible to determine whether the 45 years' record has been broken. There were 12 days in the month with temperatures below zero. The average number of days in January with below zero temperatures is seven. Colone Welsh says that in 1888 there were 18 days with below-zero temperatures

in January.
Some minimum temperatures reported Thursday morning were these: Prince Albert, Canada, 36 below zero: North Dakota points, 30 below; Sioux City, 22 below; Kansas City, 6 below.

The cold wave has swept east. By a freak of weather it has missed Chicago, which had 12 above zero, though cities near by had below zero temperatures. New York City had only as low as 22 above zero. Cold Throughout State.

From the railroad viewpoint the cold Wednesday night was the most intense of the season and, according to the morning report, there was not a point in Nebraska where the temperature was above zero. It was sim-

The Union Pacific reports temperatures of 15 to 24 below all the way from Omaha to Laramie, Wyo. West of Laramie the weather was warmer, with 20 to 30 above from Rock

Springs to Ogden. Over the Nebraska lines of the Burlington temperatures were 10 to 24 below, with the coldest at Ran-dolph and Ericson. Up in Wyoming was where it was cold, the report indicating 36 below at Ulm and 35 at Crow agency, with numerous stations

reporting 28 to 33 below.

Along the Northwestern it was frigid. Long Pine and Chadron, Neb., each reported 36 degrees below zero, with two degrees colder at Winner, just over the Nebraska line and in South Dakota. All through the Black Hills country it was 20 to 24 below. At Casper, Wyo., it was 30 degrees below, with a couple of degrees warmer at Lander.

More Evidence

Against Packers Washington, Jan. 31.—Hearings in the federal trade commission's investigation of the meat packing industry are suspended today while Francis J. Heney, special counsel for the government, is hurrying to Chicago to direct the search for more documentary evidence against the packers. Mr. Heney was informed yester-

day that Henry Veeder, counsel for Swift & Co., had refused to permit further examination of the contents of his vault. Hearings here were postponed to allow Mr. Heney to take charge of

the Chicago situation. Mr. Heney said that unless Mr. Veeder, who is characterized by Mr. Heney as the "clearing house" of the packers' joint operation, re-considers his refusal to permit ex-

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