COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS

\$1,900,000 worth of wheat and flour during angea and lemons are still plentiful at unthe month of January. The distribution of this enormous sum of money in the channels of trade which naturally flow good market. into this city by a single industry, is HOPS-Business in hops continues light, probably the principal reason for nearly all. With prices practically unchanged. A few of the merchants reporting January trade uch better than a year ago. The month closing yesterday, is never regarded as specially favorable for business, and this ear climatic conditions have affected ourtain lines of trade which depend on cold, stormy weather for the best results. From all appounts, however, any loss in this direction has been made top by gains due to good weather for marketing crops and plenty of money for trading. The heavy novement of wheat shows by the customhouse records was to some extent on old account, as actual trading during the month was light, prices being unsatisfactory to holders, who are proving the strength of their financial position by steadily refusing to sell at prices warranted by the world's markets. The price of potatoes is apparently much more entiafactory than was light, prices being unsatisfactory to apparently much more entisfactory than the price of wheat and hops, for the tubers are arriving on the market in target quantities than ever before, and even a sharp break in San Francisco and attendand lower prices locally have not served. to lessen receipts to any noticeable exholders who have their stock tied up in the pool are still hopeful of an improvement in the market. Butter is firm and eggs are weak. Poultry is holding steady this week, at fairly good prices. Pork and vest are firm. Apples are becoming scarce for strictly first-class stock, and California is being drawn on again. Meats and provisions are all firm and tending upward. In groceries, prices are holding steady with offee showing further advances and sugar stated for higher prices.

WHEAT-In spite of the slow movement which has been so apparent for the past two months, Portland wheat shipments for January, were nearly double those of the shipments over 20,000 harrels greater than last January. These totals are partly the ket at the present time. In single-case result of delayed tonnage, which could not lots, sales of Oregon eggs are made at 17 get here in time for December loading; but tributary to Portland, with so many mil- held at 13 and 14 cents. Others are selling Hon bushels on hand, there is always as low as 10 cents per dozen at retail, and enough wheat comes dribbling along, regurdless of prices, to, in the aggregate, Ill up a cargo in a comparatively short time. While the January shipments are much heavier than those of a year ago, ind is still over 2,000,000 bushels behind last season's record, and Tacoma is look for better prices very soon is not over 2,000,000 bushels short compared with bright, as the mild weather has started It is a very difficult matter to quote ac-

curate prices at the present time. There is not very much wheat moving, and the mills are pretty heavy buyers, the flour trade being excellent, thus giving millers cents more is sometimes paid. With ships tered at raise varying from W to 40 shilgive buyers a leeway of from 2 to 3% cents per bushel, according to the price ship. None of the experters are anxious to give away the profit due them taking the chance of chartering ahead, indicate that all were not buying on the same export basis. Valley has sold during the week as high as 50 cents, but the price generally quoted is about a cent lower. are very firm, and March-April ships have advanced from 27s 6d to 40 shillings, with only a comparatively small amount of tonnage. The total wheat shipments from Portland for the present season-July 1. 1899, to February 1, 1990-were 5,679,571 bushels, compared with 7,902,295 bushels for the same period last season. Flour shipds are also smaller, but are larger proportionately this season than wheat. They are 570,500 barrely, compared with 582,-421 barrels last season. Puget sound has shipped to date this season, 1,509,645 bushels of webst, and 432,615 barrels of flour, apared with 4,947,564 bushels of wheat and 403,144 barrels of flour for a correspond-Ing period last season. The total shipsents from both ports (flour included) for the susson to date, and 11.858.762 bushels. compared with 17,738,038 bushels last sea-

Reports on the growing crop continue most favorable, and with present weather conditions continuing for a few weeks longer, Oregon and Washington will harvest another record-breaker, and will harwest it early in the season. The foreign crop situation remains practically unchanged, except when the Chicago manipulators give it a twist. In the East and Middle West, the crop outlook is good. The Cincinnati Price Current, reviewing its crop correspondence for the week ending last Saturday, says:

The mild weather which began in the early part of this month continues to pre-vail over the winter-wheat section. Very week, but there is ample moisture in the ground for the needs of the wheat plant. The condition of the crop is fully as bod as previously, the unfavorable spot being confined mostly to Ohio and the eastern and north central part of Indiana. There is some apprehension, however, that the extreme mild weather in midwinter may injury by severe weather late in the sea-

The interior movement of all grain last week was rather light, due to bad condi-tion of reade, as well as the indisposition of farmers to sell freely at present prices. In some sections, millers are making more argent inquiries for wheat, but at present there is no indication that this condition

POTATOES AND ONIONS .- The San Francisco market has materially weakeged under the pressure of heavy shipments from this city. With every steame eaving here taking from 7000 to 12,000 sachs of spods, it was only a question of fore the market in the Bay City would take advantage of the situation and cause the northern buyers to lower their lmits. With some demand for shipment by rail, the Portland market held up after when by rail, the Portland market held up after the first orcilhe in San Francisco, but now it has followed suit, and secents is the cettaide figure offered for fancy Burbanks, while ordinary stock grown on bottom hands is quoted down as low as 10 and 25 cents per cental. Culous are booming, and best stock is selling at 11 fogs of per cental. There was a fairly large crop of onlone last season, but they failed to keep as well as usual, and as San Francisco is drawing heavely on this market for sun-

By tables printed in another column, it box for the best. Common apples sell will be seen that Portland shipped over down as low as it and it is per box. Orchanged prices. Two carloads of bananas have serived this week, and have found a

sales are reported each week, generally of off grades, at low prices. The New York growers have apparently been selfing out pretty close, and the Journal of Commerce under date of January 25 says:

There was no decided change in the market here, and advices from the primary points were tamer than they have been for several days past. There is more than faint indication that cheap lots of desirable stock have been well cleaned up, and that stocks in growers' hands are unand that stocks in growers' hands are un-usually low, considering the large drop and natural tendency to operate in more than ordinary observative way.

The Waterville (N. Y.) Times says: and finds that 10 growers in Sangerfield have 672 bales, and in Marshall 55 bales are divided among nine producers. Taking these figures into consideration, it will be seen that the outlook for business in this ocality for the next six months is exceed-

BUTTER-The San Francisco market has stiffened up on best grades of creamery butter to such an extent that no shipments from that quarter to Portland will be looked for at present, and the price accordingly will hold firm, with a slight adstill selling at 55 cents, with dairy and store in poorer demand. The latter sells down as low as 22% cents, but a good article will bring 30 cents, and choice dairy will sell as high as 40 cents.

EGGS-The egg market is weakening under heavy receipts, and but small ship-ping demand. Store eggs in San Frangisco are now down to 16 and 17 cents, and, while the Oregon ranch egg is better than the California store egg, the dealers in ding month last year, with flour the Bay City will not pay any more for it, over 20,000 barrels greater than and as a result it is shut out of that marcents, but in round lots they are plentiful this is not the only cause, the principal at 18616%. There is still a few Eastern reason being that, in the big territory in the city, and the best of them are stock of this kind would 'seem a proper subject for investigation by the pure-food officials. With fresh Eastern eggs selling at 16 cents wholesale in Chicago, there is something rotten when Eastern eggs are retailed at 10 cents in Portland. The outthe hens to laying, and it will require considerable cold weather to stop them.

POULTRY-Best chickens are selling well this week at about \$4 50 per dozen for hens, with a fancy coop occasionally bringing half a dollar more. Mixed coops an advantage over export buyers. The and springs are steady at \$304, according to quality. Ducks are very weak, Wails Walls, but a cent, and even 2 Chinatown having withdrawn from the cents more is sometimes paid. With ships market with their demand well satisfied. in the river or near by, which were char- Geese are also very poor property this week, but there is some demand for good

turkeys at quotations. PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Etc.

Wheat — Walia Walia, hi@53c; Valley, 51@
52c; bluestem, 53@54c per bushel.

Flour—Beet grades, \$2 55;92 90 per barrel;
graham, \$2 25; superfine, \$2 15.

Onto—White, 35@55c; gray, 53@54c; stained,

Physios car bushel. Harley-Feed, \$15@16; browing, \$17 50@18 58 Millstuffs-Bran, \$17 per ton; middlings, \$22; Steady; timethy, \$10@11; clover, \$7@

7 30; Oregon wild hay, \$667 per ton Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Etc. Butter-Fanty creamery, 500055c; seconds, 424 Sulter-Fancy Greament, Sougast, Seconds, 425, Galter Astr, Sougast; P. 125,62715c per roll. Eggs-16G17c per dosen for Oregon. Publity-Chickens, mixed, \$384; hens, \$48 4 50; ducks, \$0 \$7 \$7 geess, \$7 \$8 \$ per dosen turierys, live, 125c; dressed, 14916c per pound. Game-Mallard ducks, \$3; widgeon, \$1 5002; real, \$181 25 ner dosen. rese-Full cream, twins, 124@13c; Young

America, 14c per pound. Vegetables, Fruit, Etc. Vegetables—Parming, \$1; carrots, \$1; turnips, \$0c; ontons, \$1 50 \$2 per cental; cabbage, like per pound; potatoes, 50580c per cental; sweet potatoes, 252%; per pound.

Fruit—Lemons, \$3525 50; oranges, \$2 7583

Fruit-Lemmas, \$355 50; orninges, \$2 7587 per box for navels, \$2 for seedlings; tangerines, \$1 75; Japanese oranges, \$00084 25 per box; piseappies, \$4 5000 per dozen; bananas, \$2 50 05 per hunch; Persian dates, 74608 per pound; apples, \$1 61 50; pears, 756841 25 per box; oranberries, \$6 5000 per barrel for livaco, \$1 75698 for Eastern.

Dried fruit — Apples, syaporated, 7 6 8c per pound; sun-dried, sacks or boxes, 485c; pears, sun and evaporated, 560c; plums, pitless, 49 56c; pranes, Italian, 540556; pitums, pitless, 49 56c; pranes, Italian, 540556; pitum, pitless, 40 56c; pranes, Italian, 540556; pitum, pitless, 40 56c; pranes, Italian, 540556; pitum, pitless, 40 56c; pranes, Italian, 540556; pound, pitless, 40 56c; pranes, Italian, 54056; pound, pitless, 40 56c; pranes, Italian, 54056; pitless, 40 56c; pranes, Italian, 54056; pitless, 40 56c; pitless, 4

choice, 5 @ 6c; figs, Smyrna, 225c; California black, 5@6c; do white, 10c per pound.

Groceries, Nuts, Etc.

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Coffee-Mocha, 25228c; Java, fancy, 28832c;
Java, good, 20828c; Java, ordinary, 18625c;
Coma Rica, fancy, 18826c; do good, 16818c; de
ordinary, 10812c per pound; Columbia, roast,
\$12 30 per case; Arbuckies, \$13 25; Lion, \$12 25.
Sugar-Cube, \$5 72k; reushed, \$5 72k; powdered, \$5 72k; dry granulated, cane \$5 22%,
best \$3 12k; extra C, \$4 72k; golden C, \$8 50
per ball barrels, he more than harrels conte

pet; half barrels, ic more than barrels; raple sugar, 15@16c per pound.
Salmon - Columbia river, 1-pound talls, \$1@ 1 80; 2-pound talls, \$3@2 50; fancy, 1-pound faus, \$1 65@1 75; 15-pound faus, \$1 65@1 75; 15-pound faus, \$1 65@10; 1-pound talls, \$1 20@130; 1-pound talls, at none; 2 Grain begs-Calcutta, \$797 10 per 100.

Beans-Small white, 3%c; bayou, 4c; Lima, 6c per pound.

Nuis-Peanuts, 64,97c per pound for raw, 10c for roasted; coccanuts, 80c per dozen; walnuts, 125,981mgc per pound; pine nuis, 15c; hickory nuts, 7c; chestnuts, 15c; fazzi, 11c; fiberts, 15c; fancy pecans, 12914c; almonds, 15917uc

Coal oil - Cases, 214c per gallon; barrels, Titic; tanks, 154c.
Rice-Esland, 64c; Japan, 54c; New Orleans, 64c054c; fanor bead, \$707 50 per sack.

Ment and Provisions. Mutton-Gross, best sheep, wethers and swess, \$483 25; dramed motton, Tellifo per pound. Bogs-Gross, choice heavy, \$5; light, \$4 50; dressed, 6c per jound. Bogs-Gross, thouse heavy, \$5; light, \$4 50; Heaf-Gross, top steers, \$464 M; cows, \$5.30 \$1; dressed beef, 6467%; per pound, Vesi - Large, 768c per pound; small, 546

curo, sach, ago; nager, each representation on, 220-40c, bousecat, 50 for, for common gray, 400-50c, do red \$1 200-15: do cross, \$2.76 go; tyrx, \$1 5002 50; mink 300281 25; marten, dark Northern, \$428; do pale phus, \$1.26 ten, dark Northern, segs, do pass, plus, \$1 28 g8: muskrat, \$6 10; skunk, E5940c; otter (lapd), \$466; panther, with head and claus perfect, \$183; raccson, 25060c; wolf, mountain, with head perfect, \$1 5065; wolverine, \$2 5065; beaver, per skin, large, \$667; do medium, per skin, \$460; do mini, per skin, \$162; do him, per skin, 50658.

Tallow-5654c; No. 2 and grease, 5466c per record.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Thesiday's Sharp Advance Caused a Large Outside Demand.

New York, Jan. 31.—Today's stock market showed the stimulating effect of yesterbay's sharp advances and increased activity in a largely augmented outside demand. The commission bitses showed more buying orders to execute this morning than for many weeks past, and their brokers made a lively opening quarter of the board rook. The great activity of the market and the steadiness of prices during the first hour made it obvious that speculators who had bought stocks yesterday were feeding the new demand with a judicious liberality, so as to realize profits on yesterday's rise and set disturb the new level of values.

The steady and confident absorption of these offerings proved highly mitisfactory to the professional builts and before the end of the first hour they commenced to bid up prices again and to take on new lines of stocks. The market was a good deal uncettled by a sudden break of 4 points in Sugar and the amnouncement of the faiting of the faiting of the susseon.

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First required was a factor in the weak of the faith proved caused a reaction, May ascending to 68km closing on a firm ma and to take on new lines of stocks. The market was a good deal unsettled by a sudden break of a points in Sugar and the amnouncement of the failure of an important stock-exchange bouse. The closing out of the accounts of this house under the rule of the exchange caused a pause in the speculative activity, though the shares were well absorbed and prices well surstaned. The best prices of the provision market, save for a period of easiness, actuated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though rather quiet, May lard the day in the majority of the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though rather quiet, May lard the day in the majority of the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though rather quiet, May lard the day in the majority of the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though rather quiet, May lard the large of the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though rather quiet, May lard the graph of the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though rather quiet, May lard the graph of the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though rather quiet, May lard the graph of the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though rather quiet, May lard the graph of the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat, was firm; though the stocks were made to the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat was firm; though the stocks were made to the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in wheat was firm; the stocks were made to the stocks were the stocks were indicated by the temporary decline in which is the stocks were the

after little episode, the demand from the short interest becoming eager and pressing for rome of the stocks which have been targets recently for the bear operations.

The frightened shorts were eager to cover and it cannot be said that the built contingent relained the same placid confidence during the latter part of the day. They were disposed is verifications. action part of the day. They were disposed to avail themselves of the forced demand from the shorts to realize, and prices yielded quite materially during the last hour. The mixed sentiments thus manifested were partly due to the facts disclosed by the day's incidents that an important part of yesterday's large buying was due to a recifeme and intemperate attempt to recoup hear losses by plunging into a long account. It was evident that operators short of the general market had made a prodigal outlay in Sugar, which relayed weakly in face of an effort to realize profits. There was very heavy covering in evidence at various points in the list, the industrial stocks recently under pressure being most complicates and affected.

The very heavy dealings in Brooklyn Transit and a gart of the demand for Steel & Wire

The very heavy dealings in Brooklyn Transit and w part of the demand for Steel & Wire were attributed to this cause. There was a very large demand, however, for Steel & Wire for the long account. The sympathetic effect on other metal stocks was less marked than yesterday. The aggressive strength seemed to impress foreign markets, and invited some small buying from London, Conspicuous strength was displayed by the grangers, the coalens and the Southwesterns, but the gains in the railroad stocks were much affected by the late realizing, and were hearly all reduced to fractional limits after having extended well above a point. Third Avenue and Pitishurg, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis continued heavy, in the face cago & St. Louis continued heavy, in the fac-of the general tendency of the market.

The money market continued very easy, with

The money market continued very stary, with our reflecting in any degree the enlarged stock market's scrivity, and merting exchange was distinctly reactionary.

The bond market was active, but yielded a some points. Total sales, \$2,855,000. Unite States Ss. coupen, declined is per cent and old the in the bid price. In rose is per cent.

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Money, Exchange, Stc.

SAN PRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Sterling on Lor for—90 days, \$4 85; do sight, \$4 884. Silver bars—904c. Mexican dollars—486484c. Drafts—Sight, 15c; do telegraphic#174c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 .- Money-On call: Easy At 2% per cent.

Prime mercantile paper—485 per cent.
Sterling exchange—Heavy, with actual business in bankers bills at \$4 87% 64 87% for demand and at \$4 8664 84%, for 00 days; posted rates, \$4 85 and \$4 8804 88%; commercial bills,

24 SIGN 876. Eliver certificates -00%/\$100%c. Mexican Collars 47Mc.

Bonds Government, irregular; state, weak; railwad, irregular.

LONDON, Jan, 31.-Consols-1004.

centre per centre. Contons are booming, and best stock is selling at \$1.7591 00 per centre. There was a fairly large crop of onlone last season, but they failed to keep as well as usual, ind as San Prancisco is drawing heavily on this market for supples, prices are very firm.

PRITT—Best Gregon apples are now in themselved at \$1.75 per box, and there is a considerable quantity of California apples on the market. This is fine-appearing fruit.

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Stocks in London, LONDON, Jan. 31.—Canadian Pacific, 97%; Union Pacific preferred, 77%; Northern Pacific preferred, 76%; Atchison, 20%; Grand Trunk, 7%; Anaconda, 8%.

THE GRAIN MARKETS.

BAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Wheat, inactive, Barley, weak. Oats, etcady.

Brot questions were:
Wheat.—Shipping, No. 1, 87%c; choice, 86%c; milling, \$1891 62%,
Barley-Fred, 70975%c; brawing, 77%655%,
Oats—Gray, Oregon, \$1 07%61 12%; milling, \$1 1501 17%; red, \$1 12%01 20.

Call board cales:
Wheat.—Inactive; Mny, \$1 61%; cnab, 38%d.

inactive; May, \$1 61%; cash, 98%4. Corn-Large reliow, \$1 10.

Chicago Grain, Produce, Etc.

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4.	up, and May ribs 5@7%c nigher.	ı
	The leading futures ranged as follows:	ı
y.	WHEAT.	ł
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6	CORN:	ı
	January 30% 30% 30% 30%	ł
	May 32% 32% 63% 82%	ı
	July 33% 33% 33% 33%	ı
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n.	May 23¼ 23½ 23¼ 23¼	ı
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-	COLUMN CO	1
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23	Cash quotations were as follows:	ł
e.	Flour-Steady.	1
#	Wheat-No. 2 red. 000094c.	1
e	Corn-No. 2 814c.	1
t.	Oats-No. 2, 22% 623c; No. 2 white, 25%0	1
2	25%c; No. 3 white, 25@25%c.	ı
200	Rye-No. 2, 5254054c.	ı
11.	Barley-No. 2, 374-942c.	ı
	Flaxaged-No. 1, \$1 56.	1
6	Timothy zeed-Prime, \$2.45.	1
ů.	Mess pork-Fer barrel, \$9 30@10 50.	ı
ħ.	Lard-Per cwt., \$5 6500 774.	ı
	Short ribe-Sides, loose, #5 75@5 85.	ı
	Dry salted shoulders Boxed, 5% 196c.	1
9	Short clear sides-Boxed, \$5 7585 85,	ł
N.	Buttor-Steady; creamery, 19824c; dairy,	ı
į,	196000.	ı
	Chicae-Steady; 12013c,	1
523	Eggs-Firm; fresh, 15@15%c.	1
5	Receipts Shipments Flour, barrels 98,000 32,000 Wheat, bushels 49,000 26,000 Wheat, bushels 49,000 157,000	ł
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3	New York Grain, Flour, Etc.	1
3	NEW YORK, Jan. 31Flour-Receipts, 22,007	J
5	barrels; exports 13,371 barrels. Market active.	Я
MG.	Wheat Receipts 4000 bushels: exports 22 565	а

wheat receipts and numers exports 22,500 bushels. Spot, firm; No. 2 red, 77%c f. o. b. Opotions opened and closed firm; March closed at 75%c; May closed at 75%c; July closed at 75%c. Wood-Outer Hope-Quiet.

European Grain Markets.

BAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Wool—Spring— Nevada, 12615c per pound; Hastern Oregon, 13 @16c; Oregon, valley, 20622c. Fall—Northern mountain, 106216c; mountain, 4610c; plains, 39 10c; Humboldt and Mendocino, 15817c.

ont, 38 5009: barley, \$507; alfalfa, \$507 50: chwer, \$708 per top; straw, \$0085c per bale. Pointoes—Early Rose, 50085c; river Burbanks, 50085c; Salinas Burbanks, 50005t 10; Oregon Burbanks 80o@\$1 10 per suck; sweets, \$1 65

60 75 per cental.

Onions-\$1 75@2 25 per cental.

Citrus fruit—Mexican limes, \$485; common California lemons, 75@31 20; choice, \$1 75@2 Tropical Fruit—Bannas, \$1 50 @ 2 50 per

Iropical Irul - Demains, a por purch; pineappies, nominal.

Apples-\$16120.

Butter-Fancy creamery, 27630c; do seconds, 186226; fancy dairy, 22625c; do seconds, 18621c; pickled 2262c; firkin, 21622c per pound. Cheese-New, 10611c; Eastern, 164617c per pound; Young America, 1646114c; Western, 18614c per pound. Eggs — Store, 16917c; Eastern, cold storage;

149/16; ranch, 21c per dogan.

Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 11.504; wheat cantals, 11.040; harley, centals, 220; oats, centals, 230; beans, sacks, 314; poutose, sacks, 1270; bran, sacks, 410; middlings, sacks, 610; huy, sacks, 306; wool, bales, 14; hides, 338.

EASTERN LIVESTOCK. CHICAGO, Jan. 31.-Cattle-Good to choice

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Cattle—Good to choice native steers steady, others week! Exams strong, cow market and camers steady to strong, feeders steady. Good to choice, \$5 256 6 30; pear to medium, \$4 9095; mixed stockers, \$5 25695 65; selected species, \$4 2004 85; good to choice cown, \$3 4004 50; heifers, \$3 25 56; canners, \$2 2093 80; bulls, \$2 5093 40; calves, \$4 5004 75; Texas beeves, \$485 20. Hose-Market a shade higher; top, \$4 55; good clearunces; mixed and butchers, \$4 556 4 30; good to choice heavy, \$4 7094 50; rough heavy, \$4 5564 30; bulls of sales, \$4 7094 75. Hhesp-Market steady to a shade lower; top, lambs, \$7; native wethers, \$4 5095 25; lambs, \$567; Western wethers, \$4 7536 25; Western lambs, \$937 90. amba, \$667 96. Receipts-Cattle, 15,000; hogs, 20,000; sheep,

OMAHA, Jan. 31. — Cattle — Heccipts, 2800. Markot steady; mative beef steers, 34 2566 69; Western steers, \$464 80; Texas steers, \$3 556 69; 4 35; coves and helfers, \$3 5566 40; canners, \$2 58; stockers and feeders, \$3 0066 25; calves, \$5 5067 25; bulls and stage, \$2 5564 10. Hogs.—Reccipts, 4000. Markot 5c higher; heavy sold at \$4 5566 574; mixed, \$4 35 5 4 575; light, \$4 4066 575; bulk of asles, \$4 5664 575; light, \$4 4066 575; bulk of asles, \$4 5664 575; Sheep.—Beccipts, 4706. Market 10c lower; fair to choice Westerns, \$4 6064 85; common and, stock sheep, \$3 5069 46; lambs, \$5 5056 50.

cubs, each, \$165; balger, each, 108140; wild-bought \$12,000 in Scandinavian coin. The week's consequences accesses acces CULLISON & CO. Wheat P Stock Brokers

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LONDON, Jan. 31.—Bar silver closed firm at

Coffee and Sugar, NEW TORK, Jan. 31.—Coffee—Options closed steady, 154(35 points higher; sales, 33,506 bags, including February at 86 85; March, 36 85; May, 87 13. Spot. Rio, firm, 16: biguer; No. 7, involve, 84c bid: No. 7, jobbing, 84c. Mild. va. 85/8125/c. Sugar-Raw, strong; fair refining, 40; centrif-agal, 96 test, 4 7-16c; refined, firm.

Boston Wool Market. BOSTON, Jan. 31.—The American Wool and lotton Reporter will say tomorrow: Several of the large consumers of wool have

Several of the large consumers of wool have been in the market during the past week, and they have purchased about all the medium and low wools, especially quarter-bloods, which they could get at a resultable price, especially, fleeces. As a result of the almost unprecedented demand for such wools, stocks of that grade in this market must be reduced to a gretty low point, but there are foreign wools of the same grade on the way to this country, which will fill up the gap, and it is needless to say that there are more obtainable, as outside of the United States supplies of such wools are plenti-Holders of wool will not concede, and consum-ers have to pay full prices when they purchase. The sales of the week in Boston amounted to 4,204,000 pounds dements and 250,000 pounds foreign, making a total of 4,654,000 pounds. foreign, making a total of 4,500,000 pounds, against a total of 5,120,000 pounds for the pre-vious week, and a total of 3,606,000 for the cur-responding week last year. The sales times January 1 amount to 17,606,000 pounds, against 17,888,000 pounds for the corresponding time last

or Paris, Guil; flour in Paris, weak; French country markets, weak; Spot, No. 2 red Western winter, easy, 26 114d; No. 1 Northern cities of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. The maid was inclined to be sentimental. What remedy, she aaked. Is there for a throw for the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. The maid was inclined to be sentimental. What remedy, she aaked. Is there for two the covers of the occasion. Whis not try splicing? In the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. Chicago is wasting through the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. The maid was inclined to be sentimental. What the sawage of a large city is a new subject for consideration. The maid was inclined to be sentimental. What is a large body of water and Chicago's intake pipes are several miles from shore, yet the sawage of the city tainted the supply to such an extent that frequent warning builetins were issued by the city authorities. The Chicago river holds a large volume of water. It has long been a Hope—1809 crop. 11915c per pound for choice.

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Milistuffs—Middlings, \$18921; bean, \$14 500

Hay—Wheat, \$6 5009 50 per ton; wheat and hay—Wheat, \$6 5009 50 per ton; wheat and ing disease in Chicago, and filling the large with poisonous odors. homes of the people with poisonous odors, is now turned south to be drained away by the channels of the Illinois and the Missinsippl. Chicago is gird to get fid of it. It creates it. Why, then, blame other

it. It creates it. Why, then, blame other communities for sternly challenging such a visitation from the outside and one marked by the abandonment of the natural builet?

By every law of self-defense the inhabitants along the Illinois and the Mississippi are compelled to say "Hait! Who comes there?" A great and increasing body of sewage for all time is the answer. Theories are offered by Chicago as to dilution and the purifying action of running currents. Not one is proved. The ning currents. Not one is proved. The whole draining canal enterprise, as far as sewage is concarned, is a wast, startling experiment. In every city in this country the health authorities are concerned about the health authorities are concerned about the water supply and in some cities ty-phoid fever is such a scourge that they are spending millions to obtain whole-some water. Bt. Louis and Missouri are doing nothing in this sewage problem that is not vitally necessary. The course pursued in Chicago is in definance of ordi-pary sanisation and the comments are nary sanitation and the common law of nulsances. No city can be permitted to better itself by deiling the surroundings of others.

New Year's Day in Japan, Onoto Watanna, in Frank Legie's Popular Montely, The ist of January bears the significant title, of Gansan (the three beginnings), meaning beginning of the year, beginning of the month, and beginning of the day. And to this might be added the beginning of a new and better life. What Christmas is to the Occidentals New Year's in to the Janafese sittents and security. Japanese, although greetings and congratulations are not confined to the first day of the year, but at any time between the 1st and the 15th.

The Japanese begin to prepare for the new year nearly a month before, and, in fact, give their houses and possessions a thorough cleansing, just as the good Amerlcan housewife does in the springtime. Even the very poorest people do this, lay-ing mats of rice straw, and cleaning every nock and corner with fresh bamboo dus-ters and brooms, which are said to sym-bolise prosperity and good fortune. And

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SAN PRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Bar silver, 60%.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Bar silver closed firm at interesting and animated spectacle at this

On New Year's eve the streets and stores. which, at this time, display their most at-tractive goods, are thronged with people intent on buying the requisites for the coming year. At night the streets are beautifully illuminated with lines of hig lanterns, family crests, flags, shop signs, etc., hungfrom every store. On this eve many of this people remain up all night and watch the old year out and the new year in, though a few old-fashloned ones prefer the custom of rising very early in the morning to warship the first rising sun of the new your.

Old German Wash Lists.

Cleveland Leader. The old German housewife had a strange way of keeping track of the clothes also way of keeping track of the clothes she gave out to be washed. It was nothing less than a pictorial and perpetual wash list. There was no possibility of making such an error as to mistake the abbreviation sh. for shirts or st. for stockings. She had pictures of each article, and simply wrote down the number of each thing opposite its picture with a piece of chalk, which was crased when the thing was returned and used again on the following week.

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