EAST BUYS BARLEY

Brewing Demand Strengthens Local Markets.

SHIPMENTS FROM INTERIOR

Wheat Trading in the Interior Continues Active at Steadily Advancing Prices-Foreign Markets Strong.

The barler market is kept in a firm our tition by the demand from the East, both and in California. Up to the present time the buying at interior Northwestern points for Eastern account has been limited, set the movement has been sufficient to keep prices on a firm basis in the face of s

neep prices on a firm haste in the face of a slow local demand. The Enstern Inquiry was wholly for brewing batley.

The cais market was quiet. Prices quot-ad by local dealers showed a wide range, but a cale of No. I white outs at \$12.50 was reported. Advices from Seattle were of a \$29 market there. Montana is shipping eats to Culorado, Wyoming and North and South Daketa.

of the reports from the country sgreed as to the good demand for wheat by dealers at tide water. For club, 82 and 83 cents was said to be offered by local dealers and 84 cents for blusstem. It was under-sped that the buying was mainly for ex-pert account. The foreign market was firm. The Merchanis' Exchange London cable was

Cargoes, a firmer feeling, sellers firm, buyers quiet; Walls Walls for shipment, ad higher at Eds Ed. Options closed about 14d higher at Liverpool. The Chicago market was lower, chiefly because of the Improved Argentine crop prospects.

Weekly foreign wheat shipments, as reported by the Murchants' Exchange, were:

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Exchange as follows:
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STEADY DEMAND FOR POULTRY,

Dressed Hogs in Over-Supply and Weak-Eggs Firm. Poultry receipts were moderate and the demand was sufficient to take care of all that name in. Hene soid at 15 cents and Springs at 14 cents. A few dressed turkeys were moved at 22 cents.

Oregon eggs were scarce and firm at 45 nts. Eastern were active at the old Pork arrivals were heavy and butchers

buck. The top of the market was cents and many sales were made for There was no change in the butter situa

HART BUYS THORNSBURY HOPS. Points.

A small movement is reported in Oregon hops. H. L. Hart yesterday bought the Thornshury crop of 113 bales at Eugene at 11% cents. This practically cleans out that section. T. A. Livesier & Co. bought 85 bales from Jee Chamness, of Silverton, at 12% cents, 38 bales from Mrs. Gallagher, of North Tambill and the Keppinger olds and news at Gervale. B. O. Shucking se-cured the Orell lot of olds at Gervale. Beer sales in the United States continue

to increase, the month of October showing sales of 5.057,406 barrels, an increase of 676,010, or 12.5 per cent, over October, 1900.

Cranberries Are Firm,

Aside from express receipts, there were no fresh arrivals of fruits or vegetables on Front street yesterday. The demand in both times was brisk. Cranberries were the firmest feature. Oranges, lemons and grapefruit sold readily and there was a Blank Clearings.

Hank clearings of the Northwestern office yesterday were as follows:

Crearings.

Pectland \$1,660.778 \$161,226 \$20,703

Colored Beans Higher. All kinds of colored beans have advanced as a result of the higher markets in Callfornia. Pinks, bayous and rods are p quoted at 64 cents.

, PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc. WHEAT-Track prices: Hiussiam, Sig-Sec. club, Sig-Sic; red Russian, SSc; Valley, SSc; forty-fold, Sig-Sic. BARLEY-Feed, 12155 per ton; brewng. 233 per ton. MILLETUFFS-Bran. \$24@25 per ton; middlings. 220@22; shorts. \$21.50@25; rolled MillistOFFs-Bran, \$14@25 per ten; middlings 175@25; shorts \$15.00@25; relied barley, \$24@25.

FLOUR - Patents, \$5.15 per barret; straights, \$4.10@4.50; exports, \$3.30; Valley, \$8.20; grains, \$4.80; whois wheat quarters, \$5.

HAY—Track prices: Timothy, Willamette Valley, \$25@21 per ten; Hastern Oragon, \$12@18; sitalfs, \$14@18; grain hay, \$15.20 ag16.00; clover, \$13.014.

CORN-Whole, \$79; cracked, \$20 per ten. OATS—No. I white, \$35@28.80 per ten.

Dairy and Country Produce. Polity and Country Produce.

POULTRY-Hona, 13o; Springs, 14o; ducks, white, 14@1fc; geese, 13c; tarkeys, alive, 15e; drossed, 1fc; squabs, 1f per dozen.

EGGS-Oregon rabeth, candled, 45o; Eastern, Aprila, 15@15 per dozen. Eastern fresh, 17the per dozen.

CHEESE-Pull cream, twins, 17@17the per pound; young America, 13@15the.

BUTTER-Official quotation; City creamers solid pack, 1fc per pound; botter fat, 25@16 per pound; Dozen, 16@16 per pound.

PORK-Fancy, 16@16 to 120 persons, 12th@13the per pound.

Vegetables and Fruits. APPLES-King, 40@750 per box; Wolf River, The@31; Waxen, 55e@\$1.25; Baldwin, The@\$1.25; Northern, 5pr. The@\$1.25; Brow, \$1.25@1.25; Northern, 5pr. The@\$1.25; Brow, \$1.25@1.25; Winter Banana, \$1.75@3.20 Back Vicigraniths—Carrock, \$1@1.25 hundred: parantys, \$1@1.25; turnips, \$1; bests, \$1.25@1.06 GREEN FRUITS—Pears, \$1.25@2 per box;

numbers: parsnips, \$1(91.23; turnips, \$1; bests \$1.25 @1.00.

GREEN FRUITS—Pears, \$1.23.02 per box; grapes, \$1.31.50 per box; grapes, \$1.31.50 per box; Maingas, \$3.50 @7.10 per boxres, \$1.20.21 per larrei; quinces, \$10.13 per box; hucklebertes, \$0.81 lb. persimmons, \$1.85 per box; VKGHTABLASS—Beans, 100.11e per pound; rabbage, \$1.91.20 per crate; celery, California, \$1.25 per crate; per committee, \$1.20 mer celery, California, \$1.25 per pound; green chilan, \$1.50 per committee, \$1.20 per committee, \$1.20 per committee, \$1.20 per committee, \$1.20 per box; \$1.25 per box. \$1.25 per lbx. \$1.25 per lbx. \$1.25 per lbx. \$1.25 per lbx. \$1.25 per box.

185 per hox.

THOPPICAL FRUITS — Oranges, navels, \$1.35 per hox.

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POTATORS—Oregon, \$1.25 per hundred; excet potathes, \$7 u per pound.

ONIONS—Oregon, Johning price, \$1.400 1.00 per hundred.

Greenries, Dried Fruits, Etc. DRIED FRUIT-Apples, 10c per pound:
currants, 13 % 6 15c; apricots, 13 % 15c; dates,
te pound; figs, bulk, white or black, by
NEW TORK, Dec. 2.—Hope steady.

anck, f@Sc; 56s, \$1.50@1.75; 15-12s, 85c; 56-12s, \$225; 10-1s, 85c; Smyrna, 18c SALMON-Columbia River, 1-pound tails, \$210 per dezen; 2-pound tails, \$2.95; 1-pound flats, \$2.25; Almaha pins, 1-pound tails, \$1; red, 1-pound tails, \$1.65; sockeys, 1-pound tails, \$2. COFFEES—Roasted, in drums, 15@32%c 2-pound talls. \$2.

COFFEE Roasted, in drums. 198324c per pound.

NUTS-Wainuts. 17818c per pound; Branit nuts. 14813c; niberts. 14813c; almends,
18838c; pecans. 180; occoanuts. 90cg \$1 per
dozen; chestnuts. 10c per pound; hickory
nuts. \$813c per pound.

BALT-Granulaired, \$15 per fon; Raif
ground, 1988, 28.50 per tun; 50s. \$5 per ton,
BEANS-Small whits. 45c; large whits.
44c; Lima \$4c; pink, 64c; red Mexicans.
44c; Lima \$4c; pink, 64c; eleaper grades.
\$15.08 \$45; Bouthern head, 24 \$7c.
HONET-Choice, \$2.15 per case; strained,
15c per pound.

SUGAR-Dry granulaired, fruit and borry,
\$5.60; beet, \$5.40; extra C, \$5.10; poiden C,
\$5; yellow D. \$4.90; cubes (barrais), \$5.20;
powdered, \$4.50. Terms on remittainces with
in 10 days deduct 4c per pound, if later
than 15 days, and within 20 days, deduct 4c
per pound. Maple sugar, 15c 15c per pound.

Provisions.

HAMS—10 to 12 pounds, 18c; 12 to 14 puunds, 17%c; 14 to 16 puunds, 17%c; 16 to 20, 178/17%c; skinned, 18c; picnics, 18%c, cottage roll, 15c

BACON—Fancy, Sic; standard, 30c; choice, 18c; English, 18c;

SHOKED MEATS—Beef tangues, 75c; dried heef sets, 22c; coutsides, none; insides, 23c; knackles, 22c.

DRY SALY CURRED—Regular short clears, try satt, 15%c; smoked, 17c; backs, heavy, sait, 18c; smoked, 17c; backs, heavy, sait, 16%c; smoked, 18c; c.

LFRD—10s, hettle rendered, 16%c; standard purs, 15%c; choice, 14%c; shortening, 12%c.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

ROPS—1910 crop, 11@13%c; 1900 crop, 7@ 5c; olds, nomitual.

WOOL—Kastern Oregue, 12@17c pound; Valley, 17@19c per pound.

MOHAIR—Choice, 27@33c per pound.

ANOHAIR—Choice, 27@33c per pound.

CASCARA BARK—1%c per pound.

HIDES—saited hides, 8c per pound; saited caif, 15c; saited hip, 5c; maited siagx, 8c; green hides, 1c less; dry hides, 18% C PELTS—Dry, 10%c; saited, butchers' take-eff, 40@75c; Spring lambs, 25@45c.

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LINSEED OIL.—Pure raw in barrels, 51.07; kettle boiled, in barrels, 51.09; raw, in cases, 51.12; kettle boiled, in cases, 51.14. Lots of 250 gallons, 7 cont less per gallon.

COAL OIL.—Water Whits, cases 17c, wood bbis, 13 tige, from bbis, 9 tige, from bas, 11 tige; Eccene, cases 20c; special Water White, wood bbis, 17c from bats, 18c; Etaline, cases 27c; Falta Star, cases 20c; V. M. & P. Naphtha, cases 23 tige, from bbis, 16t; cases 35c, from bbis, 18c; etaline, cases 37 tige, from bbis, 18c; etaline, cases 37 tige, from bbis, 18c; 56 gasoline, cases 37 tige, from bbis, 38c; etagine distillate, cases 15 tige, from bbis, 38c; etagine distillate, cases 15 tige, from bbis, 85c; etagine distillate, cases 15 tige, from bbis, 85c.

DEMAND IS SPIRITED

WHEAT PRICES ARE ADVANCED A CENT AT SEATTLE.

Millers Are Liberal Purchasers. Portland Jobbers Said to Be Trying to Buy Cranberries.

SEATTLE Dec. 2-(Special.)—Wheat advanced a cent all around today, bluestem going to 84 cents and club, fife and 40-fold to 82 cents. The demand was spirited. Millers were Regrat purchasers. Osts and barley were neglected and unchanged.

Cranberry and sweet potato prices were lifted. The former went to \$9.50 and the latter to 3 cents. Portland and San Francisco, bothers tried to buy cranberries here today. Earlier shipments to 8an Francisco, however, have depleted local stocks and it is doubtful if Seattle jobbers will ship many cranberries South.

The potato market was strong. Receipts have been light this week. Good stock sold readily at \$27 yrs.

The apple market was weak. A Chilfornia heat due tonight or tomorrow morning has on board a large supply of green truck. The only grapes offered is stock that has been in coid storage.

With the slump in the price of eggs at San Francisco, dealers here look for Southern-segs to be shipped North at one. California butter is already arriving, the 4-cent differential enabling jobbers to lay it down profitably. Poultry was unchanged.

MILLS NOT DISPOSED TO TAKE HOLD NOW.

Merchants Are Holding Firmly in View of the Strong Statistical Position and Firmness Abroad.

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—The Commercial Bulle-in will say of the west market tomorrow: The market has been very quiet, with no important transactions naide from a few in fine and medium Montana and other ter-licity on account of French worsted spin-ers. Staple woods of all kinds are dull tocks of foreign weeks are small and are not moving.

mot moving. And indifferent to raw material, owing to the uncertainties regarding the coming heavy weight season. Holders are confident, owing to the airong statistical situation and the firmer tendency in all foreign markets.

PRODUCE AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Quotations Current in the Bay City Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—The following produce prices were current today:
Vegetables—Cucumbers, 81-91.50; garile, 4-95c; green pear, 49-9c; nring bears, 59-9c; nring, 11-91.72.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 84c.
Eggs—Store, 45-9c; tancy ranch, 45-9c.
Chesse—Loung America, 16-9-97.
Milletuffs—Bran, 827-930; middlings, \$12-936. kets.

Hay-Wheat, \$9@14; wheat and oats, \$9@ Hay-Wheat 30@11.
Fruit-Apples, choice, 65c; common, 40c; Marican limes, 34.50@5; California lemons, choice, 4.00; common, 25; cranges, navel. 21.50@2.50; pineapples, 25@2.50.
Potatows-Salines inuranks, \$1.50@1.75; sweets, \$2.15@2.40; Oregon Burbanks, \$1.40 @1.50.
Outons-Soc@\$1.16.

@1.00.
Onions—Soc@\$1.10.
Receipts—Ffour, 4824 quarter sacks;
wheat, 615 centals; barley, 81,630; cats, 203
centals; potatoes, 6085 sacks; middlings, 60
sacks; hay, 200 tone.

Coffee and Sugar. Coffee and Sogne.

NEW TORK, Dec. 1.—Coffee futures closed steady at a net advance of 15 to 12 points. Sales, \$5,750 bags. December, 10.55c; January and Pebruary, 10,56c; March, 10,75c; April, May and June, 1974c; July, 10.58c; Angust, 10,56c; Septembes, 10,84c; Outober and November, 16,55c. Spot coffee firm. Rio, No. 7, 13 kc; Santon Na. 4, 13 kg; Santon No. 1, 15 kg; Santon No. 1, 1

Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Evaporated apples atrong for new crop, with small offerings.
On the spot fancy is quoted at 12c, choice at 10% c. prims at \$600c, common to fair at \$6.

at Sc. Prumes firm on small stock, especially the medium. Quotations range from 614 to 10% of for Californias up to 30-40s and 83 0 10c for Oregons from 60-30s.

Peaches firm. Choice, 7676c; extra choice, 8684c; famo, 84 60c.

New York Cotton Market. NEW YORK, Duc. 2.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet. 15 points decline. Mid-uplands, 15c; do. Guif. 15.25c. Sales, 8400 bales.
Cotton futures closed barely steady at a net decline of 11 to 20 points.
December, 18.90c; January, 14.62c; February, 14.72c; March, 14.55c; April. 14.92c; May, 15.02c; June, 18.95c; July, 18.95c; August, 14.85c; October, 12.20c.

Duluth Flor Market. DULUTH, Det. 2.-Flax to arrive and on track, December, \$2.51 ij; May, \$2.51 ij asked.

Small Load Brings \$8.10 at the Yards.

RECEIPTS NOT HEAVY

Cattle Market Holds Its Own and Sheep Sell at Fairly Good Prices-Comparison of Arrivals in Two Months.

There were light receipts of livestock at the yards yesterday and most of the sales were of stock carried over from the preced-

the sale of a small load of choice lightweight hogs at \$5.10.
A good many lambs were disposed of at prices ranging from \$4.63 to \$5.30 and ewes brought \$5.50.

The cattle market held its own in good October and November are given by the Livestock Reporter: Cattle, Caives, Hogs. ..6786 1346 11,809 ..6995 710 6,209 October6786 November6995

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*Decrease. **Increase, Receipts yesterday were 90 cattle and 173

hegs. Shippers of the stock were J. C. More-Bhippers of the stock were J. C. More-head, of Centerville, Wash., 1 car of hogs, George Vehrs, of Lebanon, 1 car of hogs; J. L. Baker, of Caldwell, Idaho, 1 car of cattle; Charles McCully, of Baker City, 1 car of cattle, and William Shepard, who drove in 10 cattle. The day's sales were as follows:

	Weight.	Pric
1	255 lambe 62	\$4.0
	200 lambs 72	6.3
е.	122 lambs	6.3
	2 ewes 80	3.5
	23 steers	4.7
	30 steers	5.1
27	1 stees	25.0
30	5 cows	3.5
	23 cows	4.0
	1 cow	5.2
	15 cows	4.2
	5 cows 939	11.5
	3 bulls	3.5
*	1 bull	2.0
	2 bulls1440	5.5
	85 hogs 233	8.0
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		8.1
		3.5
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n.	21 lambs 57	
4	198 lambs	4.6
+	197 lambs 61	4.6
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were as follows: Good to choice steers.

Fair to good steers.

Common steers

Choice to prime cows.

Good to choice heef cows.

Fair to good heef cows.

Pair to good heef cows.

Common to fair helfers.

Common to fair helfers.

Fair to good beliers.
Common to fair helfers.
Choice to scood fat holls.
Fair to good fat holls.
Fair to good fat holls.
Good choice light calves.
Good choice heavy calves.
Fair to good heavy calves.
Common calves
Good to choice stags.
Fair to good heavy calves.
Choice hogs.
Good to choice stags.
Fair to good atags.
Choice hogs.
Good to choice hogs.
Yearling wethers, grain-fed.
Choice swes, grain-fed.
Good to choice ewes, grain-fed.
Feeders.
Choice lambs, grain-fed.
Good to choice wes, grain-fed.
Feeders.
Choice lambs, grain-fed.
Good to choice was, grain-fed.
Feoders.
They fed sheep and lambs 50c grain-fed.

Chicago Livestock Market. Chicago Livestock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 2000; market steady. Beeves, \$4.50 gr.1.0; Texas steers, \$4.20 gr.5.40; Western steers, \$4.25 gr.5.40; Western steers, \$4.25 gr.5.40; Moskers and feeders, \$2.20 gr.7.5; cows and helfers, \$2.25 gr.2.5; calves, \$7 gr.9.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 26.800; market steady to \$6 lower. Light, \$6.35 gr.2.5; rough, \$6.35 gr.7.27; heavy, \$6.35 gr.7.27; rough, \$6.35 gr.7.27; gr. 1.20 to choice heavy, \$7 gr.7.27; plgs, \$5.40 gr.1.27; bulk of sales, \$7.05 gr.2.5; heep—Receipts estimated at 25.000; markets—Receipts estimated at 25.000; markets—Receipt

7.25.
Sheep—Receipts estimated at 25,000; marstate and to 10c lower. Native, \$2.25@
25. Western, \$2.75@4.20; yearlings, \$4.20@
20; lambs, native, \$4.25@6.50; Western,

DIFFICULT TO INTEREST BUY-ERS AT PRESENT TIME.

Mixed Cars Now Going Forward Cannot Be Readily Placed. Export Situation.

western Fruit Exchange follows: The market is inactive. By dint of per-sistent salesmanship and extensive tele-The market is inactive. By dint of persistent salesmanship and extensive tole graphing, we have dug up enough orders to avoid gateway accumulation, but there is no "smap" to the demand, and orders are coming pretty hard. It is a period of the market requiring considerable thought and judgment to avoid making mistakes.

For instance, we had car G. N. 92.100, from Cashmere, 20th, to arrive at Minneapolis today, and although we have been working for orders on this car for several days, we have had no inquiries. The trouble is that the car is very badly assembled. There are 172 extra famoy Ben Davis, 50 cancy Ben Bavis and 153 choice Ben Davis; then there are a lot of mixed choice varieties such as Willow Twing, Missouri Pippins, Ganca, a few odd boxes of famey Black Bens and choice Bisck Bens, Winesaps and Rome Beauty. If the car contains only these it would have been easier to sell, but it contains in addition 153 boxes of choice Newtowns. Now choice Newtown are not wanted in 69 per cent of the markets of this country. They only have sale in a very few domestic markets, but have considerable sale abread. Considering the miscellaneous character of this car, and the fact that the export situation is favorable at the mousant, provided fruit can be put in the forcign markets in time for the Christmas trade, we are rushing this car on to New York for export, although there is some question as to its going through in time.

We report the following sales:

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We report the following sales:

8 F. R. D. 1451, from Monitor, 21st, containing 12 different varieties, all grades and sizes, rather an awkward mixture. The sale was made to a buyer in Alabama, and we understand this is the first car of baxed apples ever sold in the city of Montgomery. The sale was made at an average price f. o. b., equivalent to about the following: Spitzenberga, extra fancy \$1.55, fancy \$1.20, choice Sec; White Winter Fearmains, artra fancy \$1.25, choice Sec; Black Bens, extra fancy \$1.25, choice Sec; Black Twing, choice \$1.7 Jonathans, extra fancy \$1.35, fancy \$1.25, winter Hamanas, choice \$1.35, fancy \$1.25, winter Hamanas, choice \$1.35, fancy \$1.25, choice \$1.6; genuine of \$1.35, fancy \$1.25, choice \$1.6; genuine winesapa extra fancy \$1.35, choice \$1.6; genuine \$1.35, fancy \$1.25, choice \$1.6; genuine \$1.65, fancy \$1.25, choice \$1.6; genuine \$1.65, fancy \$1.25, choice \$1.6; genuine \$1.65, fancy \$1.25, choice \$1.65, genuine \$1.65, choice \$1.65, genuine \$1.

warded to New York for sale on arrival.

G. N. 90,900, from Wenatchee, 25d. This is also a hadly mixed car containing all grades and five varieties. The car contains 215 5-tier apples, entirely too many to make the car salable f. o. b. We have exported this car. P. F. E. 3724, from Caldwell, Idaho, 28th, mixed varieties mostly small sizes, forward-

mined varieties, mostly small sizes, forward-ed for export.

1. C. 39.426, from thashmers, 29th, 432 ex-tra fancy, 158 fancy, 10 choice Stayman Winesape at \$1.50 straight f. ao. h. Cath-mers, to a buyer in Massachusetts.

P. F. E. 2388 from Caddwell, idaho, 22d, all choice, mostly small sizes, mixed varie-ties at \$1 straight f. o. b. to a buyer in Oklahoma. Oklahoma.
P. F. S. 4298, mixed varieties, choice, from Caldwell, Idaho, 22d; mostly small sizes, at \$1 straight f. o. b. to a buyer in Oklahoma.
G. T. 340,16h. from Wenatchee, 21st, 400 fancy Ben Davis, balance of the car mixed varieties at an average price of \$1.25 f. o. b. based on the proportionate values of each variety.

Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Standard copper quiet, Spot, December and January, 12.45@ 12.00c; February, 12.52½ 21.26c; March, 12.51½ 21.27c. London steady, Spot, 157 28.6d; futures, 157 18s 9d. Custom-house returns show exports of 867 tons so far this month, Lake copper, 138, 13.25c; electrolytic, 12.87½ 613c, and ensting, 12.50% 12.75c.

Tin quiet, Spot, 87.80@ 38.25c; December, 37.70@ 38.15c; January, February and March, 37.70@ 38.15c; January, February and March, 37.70@ 38.15c; January, February and March, 36.70@ 38.15c; det. London dull. Spot and futures, 1172 78 6d.

Lead quiet at 4.40@ 4.55c New York and 4.30@ 4.57½ 6c. East St. Louig, London firm

tures, 1172 7s 6d, Lead quiet at 4.45@4.55c New York and 4.50@4.87%c East St. Louis, London firm at 513 1s 3d.

Speiter quiet at 5.85@5.95c New York and 5.87% 95.82%c East St. Leuis, London, 124. Iron—Cleveland warrants, 45s 10%d in London, Locally from was quiet. No. 1 foundry Northorn, do. Southern and No. 1 do. soft, 315.75@16.25c; No. 2 foundry Northorn, \$15.50@18.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—At the beginning of business today the condition of the United States Treasury was:
Balance in Treasury offices...\$33,071,532
In banks and Philippine treasury. 58,270,565
Total balance in general fund. 88,227,594
Ordinary receipts resterday... 2,487,076
Ordinary disbursements... 2,785,760
The deficit to date this fiscal year is \$9,058,946, as against \$27,838,617 at this time last year.

These figures excluded Panama Canal and public debt transactions. Condition of the Treasury

SPECULATORS INFLUENCED BY WALL STREET WEAKNESS.

Aside From Argentine Crop Reports, News of the Day Is Mostly Bullish.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2 .- Conditions in the stock CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Conditions in the stock market led to unexpected setbacks in wheat when other news was strong and the regular shorts were covering. The argument was that the downward course of securities affected business in other directions and that it was no time to buil anything. Simultaneously reports were current that the water situation for Minneapolis flour mills was serious. Selling, due to New York and Minneapolis reports was accelerated by denials that the outlock for Oklahoma wheat was that the outlook for Oklahoma wheat was that the outlook for Oklahoma wheat was as bullish as had been reported. Earlier in the day, an authoritative estimate had been received raising the Argentine export surplus to 112,000,000 bushels. The day's range for May was from 96%c to 97%c, with the close % 5% c off, at the lower level.

Corn. affected by wheat, fell back somewhat. May fluctuated between 47%g47%c and 45% 54%%c. closing easy at 47%c, a net gain of %c. Cash corn was firm. No. 2 yellow finished at 525%c and the new crop at 50%c.

yellow finished at 52@52'he and the new crop at 50'he. Notwithstanding active buying of onts, the market finally yielded under sales by some of the largest houses. May ranged from 34'he to 34'he and closed he up, at 34'h 23'he. Selling attributed to packers forced 381-89-86.
Selling attributed to packers forced provisions to share in the general late reactions. Pork closed 10:8121-2 off to 5c up, lard down 21-c to 71-818c, and ribs unchanged to 6c decline.
The leading futures ranged as follows:

CORN. OATS. 22 % 24 % 24 %

SEATTLE. Dec. 2.—Milling quotations, bluestenn S2c; fortyfold, S1c; club. Tec; ffe, Tec; red Russian, Tfc. Except wheat, bluestem, Tec; fortyfold, 78c; club. Tec; ffe, 76c; red Russian, T4c. Yesterday's car receipts, wheat, 9 cars; oats, 4 cars; barley, 2 cars; bay, 6 cars.

Minneapelis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 2.—Wheat—December, \$1.02; May, \$1.05%. Cash, No. 1 hard, \$1.05%; No. 1 Northern, \$1.04%; \$1.05; No. 1 Northern, \$1.00%; No. 3 wheat, \$9e \$41.02.

European Grain Markets.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Chrgoos, a firmer feeling: sellers firm: buyers, quiet. Walla Walla fee shipmann, 3d higher, 56s 3d.

English country markets, steady.

French country markets, firm. LIVERPOOL Dec. 2.—Wheat—December, da 10 hd; March, 7s hd; Mar, 7s 14d. Weather, rain,

Grain at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Wheat—Firm, SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2—Wheat—Firm, Barley—Standy. Spot quotations: Wheat—Shipping, \$1.40 @1475. Harley—Food. \$1.02\6 g1.03\6; brewing, \$1.06\6 g1.11\6. Cata—Bed, \$1.05\8 2.25; white, \$1.46\g1.05; black, \$1.85\g1.40. Call board sales: Wheat—No trading. Barley—December, \$1.04; May, \$1.10.

Stocks at Boston.

Last Stock Prices Firm on Short Covering.

SOME FRACTIONAL GAINS

Sentiment of Speculators Generally Is Pessimistic-Steel Trade Conditions Not Satisfactory. Bonds Are Heavy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The reactionary novement with which the week in the stock narket began was continued today, material Sentiment has apparently taken a pessimis-tic turn and evidence was forthcoming to account for the setbock. In various lines of trade, more particularly the steel industoday, that the pool which is commonly sup-posed to have engineered the recent upward movement has dissolved, leaving a large part of its holdings, estimated into the hundreds of thousands of shares, unsold. The Controller of the Currency submitted another batch of statements of condition of National banks as of November 10 last. Not a few of these institutions reported a fur-

a few of these institutions reported a further expansion of leans and discounts, instead of the hoped-for contraction.

Recovery was made in the stock market during the final hour and some fractional gains were shown, but this was due in a measure to short covering. London's operations here were moderately extensive for both accounts, the balance probably representing purchases of about 10,000 shures.

European markets were firm. The Imperial Bank of Germany reported a cash loss of more than \$17,500,000, a lean increase of \$8,500,000 and a loss in gold of almost \$11,000,000.

The bond market was heavy. Total sales, par value, \$1,700,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS 70%

2,000 140%

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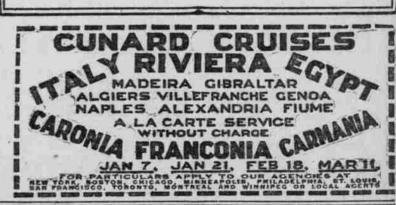
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LONDON. Dec. 2.—Bar silver—Steady, 25%d her cance.
Money—54% a per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 4% per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for three mouths bills is 3 15-16% per cent. CHICAGO, Dec. 2—Exchange on New York, 10c discount.

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50c; prime firsts, 52c.
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Twins, 14@14%c; Young Americas, 15%@1
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