### COFFEEPRICESFIRM

Position of the World's Markets Is Good.

### PROBABLE SHORTAGE TALK

Existing Stocks of Mild Coffees Much Smaller Than Usual-Wheat Trade Is Dull-Hops Are Strong.

An authority in the coffee trade is authority for the statement that conditions governing the present growing crops indicate a probable shortage of 3,000,000 bags; this in the face of the increased consumption that is taking place throughout the world should mean higher prices, for the bean. Receipts at Rie up to January 12, were 2,528,000 bage, and at Santary 15, were 2,025,000 bags, and at Santos 16,450,000 bags, making a total crop movement thus far of 13,515,000 bags. Trading in the Eastern coffee market has been rather limited, sales having been small, but at no time has there been any disposition to sell. From now on for the remainder of the season the receipts at Pilo and Santos will amount to practically Rie and Santos will amount to practically nothing. Reports from Santos indicate that in the absence of offerings at that point, as exports cannot be resumed before the first of July unless the extra lax is paid, freight business is practically at

a standstill.

The existing stocks of mild coffees in Europe and the United States on the first of the month, according to another authority, were down to 1,500,000 bags, whilst the world consumes about 4,600,000 bags of this kind of coffee per annum, A further reduction of these stocks will A further reduction of these stocks will take place during the present year, as the crops of these are again smaller than the crops of these are again smaller than the consumption. Europe, which consumes about 2,750,000 bags of mild coffee per annum, had on the 1st inst. a stock of only about 750,000 bags, which is less than she carried at any time for many years past. European buyers started in as early as last Summer to segure supplies of these coffees for forward shipment from producing countries, and kept up their purchases since then. Buyers in the United States did not wake up to the situation until very recently, when they found it difficult to secure any supplies at all unless they granted a conplies at all unless they granted a con-siderable advance. It appears that a comparatively small quantity will reach the United States during the current

WHEAT MARKET FIRM BUT QUIET Until California Wakes Up, Not Much Business Is Expected.

Trading in the wheat markets of the Northwest has almost come to a stop. The undertone of the market is quite firm, but the advances in the East and elsewhere have not yet affected the Callfornia buyers to the extent of sending them here for wheat, and until they come there is not likely to be a renowal of there is not likely to be a renewal of activity in this section.

Conditions are also unchanged in the

barley and cais markets.

The local flour market is steady with a fair amount of business passing. Flour prices at Sentile were reduced 20 cents a barrel yesterday, but this market was not affected. The decline in the north was due to the unwill sent the north was due to the unwill sent the provider to the control of th was due to the unsettlement caused by the congestion of grain and other freight in the Seattle railroad yards. Twenty-five hundred cars, mostly loaded with grain, are said to be tied up there. Weekly foreign wheat shipments were reported by the Merchants Exchange as follows:

Argentina ... 504,000 256,000 2,704,000 Australia 2,720,000 3,200,000 2,896,000 Russia 3,488,000 2,008,000 572,000 Danube ... 448,000 512,000 157,000 Local receipts, in cars, were reported by name Exchange yesterday as follows:

Wheat, Barley, Plour, Oats, Hay Wednesday .... 

CABBAGE SELLING AT A HIGH PRICE. Supply in This State and in California Is

Cabbage is likely to get into the luxury class if the market continues to strengthen. The price now is firm at 2 cents a pound with every prospect of going to 24 or 24 cents before the close of the week. The California market is of the week. The California market is very strong and advancing steadily. San Francisco advices say there is a demand there from Los Angeles for cabbage, something almost unprecedented.

A car of celery and a car of cauliflower are due Monday. Large celery and something almost unprecedented.

are due Monday. Large celery and cauli-flower of all kinds were scarce yesterday. A good demand for apples, particularly fancy sorts, has been in evidence all Among yesterday's receipts were a car

of Newtons from Rogue River and a car of Ben Davis apples from Yamhili Only a moderate interest is shown in the retail trade in oranges.

ONION MARKET IS IN GOOD SHAPE.

Fifteen Cars Shipped in Past Week-Association Price Is \$1.15.

Fifteen cars of onions were shipped out in the past week, according to the reports made at a well-attended meeting of the Confederated Onion Growers' Association vesterday of this Association yesterday, Of total 13 cars belonged to the members of the association and were sold for \$1.15. Two cars were sold by outsiders 

the week went to Puget Sound points, but there has been some demand from California, as three cars were shipped recently to Sacramento and four to Stockton. The market now is considered in good shape.

DRAGGING WEEK IN POULTRY MARKET Eggs Steady With a Good Shipping and Poor

Local Demand.

The week has been an unsatisfactory one in the poultry market. Receipts have been rather under the average, yet prices have shown an easy tone throughout Eggs closed steady with a very small local demand on Front street, but ship-ments to outside points prevented an

accumulation. firm, but a good deal of outside butter was offered. There was a steady de-mand, however, for all grades. Cheese will be quoted at the uniform price of 19 cents Monday.

Higher Hop Prices Expected.

An impression prevails in the hop market that business will be transacted in the coming week at a higher level.

The week closed with the market inactive, because of the refusal of growers to consider offers, but with a plen-

tiful supply on hand, some of which are believed to be an urgest character. That prices will have to advance or the market continue in a state of absolute deadlock is conceded by all.

Bank Clearings.

Bank clearings of the Northwestern cities yesterday were as follows:

Clearings Balances.

Portland \$1,170,324 \$143,379 \$62,852 \$170,324 \$143,379 \$62,852 \$130,000 \$10

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Grain, Flour, Feed. Etc.

WHEAT-Track prices: Bluestem, \$1.16; club, \$1.06; red Russian, \$1.04; Valley, \$1.06; 40-fold, \$1.19.

BARLEY-Feed and brewing, \$28.60@29 per ton.

FLOUR-Patents, \$6.35 per barrel; straights, \$6.70; export, \$4.60; Valley, \$5.80; graham, \$5.70; whole wheat, quarters, \$5.90. COFN-Whole, \$35; cracked, \$36 per ton, MILITUFFS-Bran, \$250 per ton; middlings, \$54; shorts, \$28239; rolled barley, \$32633.

OATS-No. 1 white, \$81.50 per to; middlings, \$1.00 per tou. Eastern Oregon, \$21622; alfalfa, \$17618; clover, \$16; grain hay, \$16017.

Dairy and Country Produce.

BUTTER—City creamery extras. 39c; fancy outside creamery, 34@39c per Bistore, 30@25c. (Butter fat prices average 1 %c per paund under regular butter prices.)

POULTRY—Hens, 18@15%c; Springs, 15% @16%c; ducks, 20@37c; geese, 12@13c; turkays, 1ve. 20c; dressed, 25c.

EGGS—Frash Oregon extras. 31@32c per dozen, Eastern, 22@27c per dozen, CHEESE—Full cream twins, 18% @19c per pound, voung Americana, 19% 20c.

PORK—Fancy, 11@11%c per pound.

Vegetables and Fruits. FRESH FRUITS—Apples, \$1@3 box; poars, \$1@1.50 per box; Spanish Mainga, \$5,50@6 per barrel; cranberries, \$5@9 per

OTATOES—Carload buying prices: Ore-706180c per mick; sweet potatoes, 214624c TOTATION per mack; sweet pointons, 24,8214c oper pound.

TROPICAL PRINTS—Oranges, 22,275; lemens, fancy, 35,25; choice, 34,50; grape-fruit 31,50 H per box, bananas, 52,54; per pound; Jupaness oranges \$1,65 1.75 per bundle; tangerines, \$1,75 per box.

VEGETABLES—Artichokas, \$1,91.25 per dozen; cabbage, \$2,92.25 per hundred; cauliflower, \$1,75 per doz; celery, \$1,92.50 per crate; explaint, \$1,75; hothouse lettuce, \$1,91.25 bax; pens, 10c lb.; garlic, 124; c. lb.; horseradish, \$4,10c per pound; pumpkins, 14,914; c. radishes, 25c per doz, sprouts, 795c per lb.; squash, 2c; tomatoes, \$1.50 per sack; carrois, \$1.25 per box.

SACK VEGETABLES—Turnips, \$1.50 per sack; carrois, \$1.25 per box.

ONIONS—Oregon, \$1.50 per sack.

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Groceries, Dried Fruits, Etc.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples, 10c per pound; peaches 7c, prunes, Italians, 425c; prunes, French, 425c; currants, 10c; apricots, 124c; dates, 74c per pound; figs. 10c half pounds, \$3.25 per box; 50 six-ounce, \$1.75 per box; 2 12-ounce, 75c per box; 8ALMON—Columbia River, 1-pound talls, \$2 per dosen; 2-pound talls, \$2.05; 1-pound falls, \$2.105; Alaska pins, 1-pound talls, 90c; red 1-pound talls, \$2.105; Alaska pins, 1-pound talls, 90c; red 1-pound talls, \$2.105; Costs Rica, 42628c; Java, ordinary, 176,20c; Costs Rica, fancy 185,20c; good, 165,15c; ordinary, 123,00; Costs Rica, fancy 185,20c; good, 165,15c; ordinary, 124,00; fiberts, 15c; almonds, 185,17c; pecans, 156,16c; coccanuts, 90c; \$3 per dozen.

per dozen.

BEANS—Small white. 5½c; large white, 4½c; Lima, 5½c; bayou. 6½c; large white, 4½c; Lima, 5½c; bayou. 6½c; pink, 4½c; ren Mexican, 7½c.

SUGAR—Dry granulated, fruit and berry, \$6.05; beet, \$5.85; extra C. \$5.55; golden C. \$5.65; cubes (barrel), \$6.30. Terms on remittances within 15 days, deduct ½c per pound, if later than 15 days, and within 30 days, deduct ½c per pound. 11 later than 15 days, and within 30 days, deduct ½c per pound. 15 SALT—Granulated, \$14.50 per ton, \$1.90 per baie; haif ground, 100s, \$10 per ton; 50s, \$10.50 per ton.

HONEY—Unoice, \$2.25@3.50 per case; strained, 7c per pound. Provisions.

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BACON—Fancy, 27c per pound; standard, 22c; choice, 21c; English, 20 9 20 %c.

DRY SALIT CURED—Regular short clears, dry salt, 15 %c; smoked, 18 %c; short clear sacks, heavy dry saited, 15 %c; smoked, 16c.

Oregon exports, dry saited, 16c; smoked, 17c.

HAMS—10 to 13 pounds, 17 %c; 14 to 18 pounds, 17 %c; 18 to 20 pounds, 17 %c; hams, skinned, 18c; pienics, 13 %c; cottage rolls, 15c; boiled hams, 24 9 25c; boiled pienics, 21c. LARD—Kettle rendered, 10s, 17%c; standard pure, 10s, 16%c; choice, 10s, 16%c. Compound, 10s, 11%c. SMOKED BEEF—Beef tongues, each, 60c; dried beef sets, 19c; dried beef outsides, 17c; dried beef knuckles, 21c; dried beef knuckles, 21c; PICKLED GOODS—Barrels: Pigs' feet, \$12,50; regular tripe, \$10; honeycomb tripe, \$12; lunch tongues, \$19,50; mess beef, extra, \$12; mess pork, \$25.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

WOOL—Eastern Gregon, 16 23c pound, wool.—Eastern Gregon, 16 23c pound, oids, nominal MOHAIR—Choice, 25c pound.

CASCARA BARK—4 5c per pound.

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HIDES—Dry hides, 18 2185 c per pound; dry kip, 18 2185 c per pound; dry kip, 18 218 5c pound; dry caffskin, 19 2 21c pound; saited hides, 10 210 40 10 4c; salted caffskin, 15c pound; green, 1c less.

FURS—No. 1 skins: Goatskins, 15c 2 1.25; badger, 25 26 5c; bear, 8 20 20; beaver, \$0.50 98 5c; cat. wild. 25c 21.30; cougar, perfect head and claws, 32 210; faher, dark, \$1.50 2 11; pule, \$4.50 27; fox, cross, \$3.95; fox, gray, 60 28 5c; fox, gray, 60 25c; fox, gray, 60 25c; atter, \$3.50 20 25c, as to size and color; 15c 25c; atter, \$2.50 26; rescoen, 60 375c; nkunts, 55 28 5c; civer cat. 10 215s; wolf, \$3.93 50; coyet, 75c 251 25; wolverine, dark, \$3.95; wolverine, paic, \$2.92 50

THOSE OF BANKS GREATER, OF TRUST COMPANIES LESS.

Surplus Reserve of New York Clearing-House Institutions Greatest Since Last Summer.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The Financier will

\*Decrease.

The percentage of actual reserve in the clear-ing-house banks today was 27.52.

The antenent of banks and trust companies of Greater New York, not reparting to the clearing-house, shows:

Decrease

Loans \$1,157,687,100 \$8,202,100 \$9coic \$1,122,238,600 \$173,400 \$1,500 \$1,500,500 \$1,502,600 \$1,502,

Stocks on the Market to Fill All Orders.

STEEL RISES AND FALLS

Strong Most of the Day, but a Reaction Near the Close Wipes Out Its Gain-Bonds Are Steady.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 .- There was a disposition to press stocks for sale to take profits on the stock market today. Even where there was a further rush of buying orders, they were met by selling orders of that character with effect on prices.

The coming dividend action by United

States Steel at next Tuesday's quarterly meeting absorbed a large share of speculative surmise. The rumor that showed most vitality and persistence was that an extra dividend in addition to the one per cent quarterly dividend would be declared sufficient to bring the distribution for the calendar year up to 4 per cent. The prevalence of this rumor proved a powerful incentive to speculative buying of the stock and carried the prices up to \$20.000. carried the prices up to 89, a rise of 7 3-8 over the low price touched in the slump on Wednesday. The force of this movement pulled prices up from the depression caused by the heavy selling of the earlier part of the session.

Foreign influences were helpful to values, the easing money markets abroad and the increasing satisfaction abroad and the increasing satisfaction of financial London over the course of the English elections having a beneficial effect. The abrupt interruption to the rise in United States Steel, which caused the stock to react over two points, wiping out its rapid advance, made the closling tone very unsettled. made the closling tone very unsettled. Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value \$1.755,000. United States 2's have declined 1-8 per cent on call during the

week. CLOSING STOCK QUOTATIONS Aillis Chalmers pf. 100 48
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Am Agricultural 200 46
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Union Pacific 26,100
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U.S. Steel 281,500
Va-Caro Chemical 2,000
Wabash ...

U.S. Western Md 1,200
Western Md 1,200
Western Md 1,200
Western Md 2,000
Western Lifton 290
Wheel & L Erie ...

Wilsonian Central ... Westinghouse Elec 700 75½ 75 70
Western Union . 200 73 73 73 73½
Wheel & L Eric . 100 67% 67% 61%
Wisconsin Central . 400 23% 22½ 22%
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United Dry Goods . 170
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Total sales for the day, 557,800 shares. BONDS. NEW YORK, Jan. 22.-Closing quotations. U. S. ref. 2s reg.1004 N. Y. C. gen 34s 91 do coupon ...1006 Nor. Pacific 2s. 74 U. S. 3s reg. 1013 Nor. Pacific 4s. 1028 do coupon ...1014 Union Pacific 4s. 1018 A. S. sew 4s reg.1144 Wis. Central 4s. 944 do coupon ...1149 Japanese 4s ... SS4 D. & R. G. 4s., 964

Daily Treasury Statement. Daily Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust funds—
Gold coin \$871.696.859
Silver dollars \$381.000
Silver dollars of 1890. \$3.008.000
Silver dorlificates outstanding \$4.411.000
General fund—
Standard silver dollars in general fund \$6.044.148

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Money, Exchange, Etc. NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Prime mercantile paper, 4½ to 5 per cent.
Sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.8350@4.8385 for 60-day bills and at \$4.8010@4.8615 for de-

mand.
Commercial bills, \$4.83@4.83%.
Bar silver, 52%c.
Mexican dollars, 44c.
Money on call nominal. Time loans slightly stronger, 60 days, 4 per cent; 90 days, 4 @4% per cent; sig months, 4%@4% per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22 -Sterling on the Grand Union.

London, 60 days, \$4.54; sterling on London sight; \$4.56%, Silver bars, 52%c. Mexican dollars, 45c. Drafts, sight, 7%c; telegraph, 12%c.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Bur silver, steady, LONDON, Jan. 22—3ar sliver, steady, 24 3-16d per counce.

Money, 14 32 per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 21-16@22 per cent.
The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 21:16@24 per Consols for money, 82 13-16c. Consols for account, 82 hc.

Enstern Mining Stocks. BOSTON, Jan. 22 - Closing quotations; BOSTON, Jan. 22 — Closing quotations.
Adventure 94 Mohawk
Allouse 50 Nevada
Amalgamated 85% Old Dominion
Arlgona Com. 46% Oscola 1
Atlantic 10% Parrot
Butte Coalition 26% Quincy
Cal. & Arlgona 85
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Cal. & Hecla 650
Centennial 32 U. S. Mining
Copper Range 85 U. S. Oll
Franklin 18% U. S. Oll
Grandy 610 Victoria
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Grandy 161 Victoria
Grandy 161 Winona
Isle Royale 24% Wolverine 1
Mass. Mining 88 North Butte
Michigan 7%

Dried Fruit at New York Dried Fruit at New York.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 — Evaporated apples, quiet; spot fancy, 10½@lite: choice, 1880½c; prime, 7@7½c; common to fair, 0@6½c.

Prunes firm; California up to 30-40s, 2¾@ 9½c; Oregons, 6@6c.

Apricota quiet; choice, 11½@11½c; extra choice, 11½@12½c; fancy, 12½@13½c.

Peaches firm; choice, 6½@7c; extra choice, 7@7½c; fancy, 7½ggc.

Raisins irregular. Loose muscatel, 4@6½c; choice to fancy seeded, 5@6½c; seedless, 3½gg-6½c; London layers, \$1.15g1.20.

Dairy Produce in the East. Dairy Produce in the East.

CHICAGO, Jan 22.—Butter Steady,
Creameries, 32c; dairies, 25@30c. Eggs.
weak. Receipts, 3438 cases. At mark, cases
included, 24%@28%c; firsts, 32c; prime
firsts, 34c, Cheese—Steady. Daisies, 17:8
17%c; twins. 16%@17c; Young America,
10%@16%c; long horns, 16%@16%c. NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Butter, unsettled

and lower. Cheese, firm; unchanged. Eggs, unsettled; prices unchanged.

Metal Markets. NEW YORK, Jan. 22 - The market for netals was practically nominal today in the obsence of exchanges. Tin was weak at 32632.85c. Tin was weak at \$25,32.85c.

Copper quiet; lake, 13.75@15c; electrolytic,
13.50@15.75c; casting, 13.25@13.624c.

Lend, dull, 4.67494.724c.

Spetter, casy, 0.10@6.25c.

Iron unchanged.

New York Cotton Market. New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Catton—Futures closed steady. January, 14.50c; February, 14.40c; March. 14.48c; April. 14.55c; May. 14.61c; June. 14.62c; July. 14.61c; August, 14.34c September, 13.29c; October, 12.83c; November, 12.58c; December, 12.60c.

Spot closed quier, 25 points higher. Miduplands, 14.70c; do guif, 14.95c. Sales, 4535 bales.

Wool at St. Louis. ST. LOUIS, Jan. 22.—Wool, unchanged Territory and Western mediums, 25@28c; fine mediums, 20@24c; fine, 12@21c,

BUT WEEK CLOSED WITH LIVE-STOCK TRADE QUIET.

Cattle, Hogs and Sheep Firm in Price-College Students at the Yards.

Trade was not brick at the stockyards yegterday, but a healthy tone in the market was
apparent from the sales. Values in all lines,
especially cattle, are holding their own well.
There have been no sales of hogs for several
days at the previous high quotations, but the
quality of the recent offerings has not come
up to the top standard. The sheep market
likewise shows firmness.

Among the visitors at the yards yesterday
were the members of the class in animal husbandity at the Oregon Agricultural College,
accompanied by the head of the department,
Professor E. J., Potter.

The day's receipts were small, only 22 cat-

HOGS—Top, \$9.1049.25; fair to good bega \$8.6039. SHEEP—Best wethers, \$5.500%; fair to good wethers, \$4.5005, good ewes, \$505.50; lambs, \$526.50.

Eastern Livestock Markets.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Estimated receipts. 2000. Market, weak Beeven, \$4.10 @ 7.60; Texas steers, \$2.80 @ 4.80; Western steers, \$4.00 @ 6.90; stockers and feeders, \$2.90 @ 5.90; cows and helfers, \$2.80 @ 4.50; calves, \$2.50 @ 10.00.

Hogs—Estimated receipts. 17.000. Market, weak to be lower. Light, \$8.20 @ 8.55; mixed, \$8.35 @ 8.65; heavy, \$8.30 @ 8.70; rough, \$8.30 @ \$4.5; good to choice heavy, \$8.45 @ 8.70; pigs, \$7.10 @ 8.15; bulk of sales, \$8.45 @ 8.70; Sheep—Estimated receipts. 3500 Market, steady. Native, \$4.00 @ 6.00; Western, \$4.00 @ 6.00; yearlings. \$4.75 @ 8.00; lambs, native, \$8.25 @ 8.75; Western, \$6.25 @ 8.70. Eastern Livestock Markets.

OMAHA, Jan. 22—Cattle—Receipts, 100.
Market, unchanged. Native steers, \$4.00 %
7.25; cows and heifers, \$3.00 \$5.25; Western steers, \$3.50 \$6.25; cows and heifers, \$2.80 \$6.40; canners, \$2.25 \$6.25; steekers and feeders, \$2.75 \$5.30 \$6.30; calves, \$4.00 \$8.00; hulls, stars, etc. \$3.00 \$5.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 3800. Steedy to lower. Henry, \$8.30 \$8.30; mixed, \$8.25 \$8.30; light, \$5.10 \$8.35; pigs, \$7.00 \$7.75; hulk, \$8.25 \$6.85. 856. Sheep—Receipts, 1700. Steady. Yearlings, \$6.50@7.50; wethers, \$5.25@6.25; ewes, \$5.00 @6.90; tambs, \$7.65@8.65.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 500. Market, steady. Native steers. \$4.80@ 7.15; cows and heiters, \$2.50@ 6.00; stockers and feeders. \$2.40@5.20; buils. \$3.50@5.10; caives, \$3.75@8.75; Western cows. \$1.60@5.100. Hogs—Receipts, 3000. Market, steady to 5e lower. Buik. \$8.25@88.30; heavy. \$8.50@8.60; packers and butchers. \$5.40@8.65; Right, \$8.15@8.45; pigs. \$8.75@7.75.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.-Coffee futures closed unchanged. Sales were \$250 bags, in-cluding March at 6.28c; May, 6.9096.95c; Pe-cember, 6.95c. Spot coffee quiet. No. 7 Rio, 8 11-1696%; No. 4 Santos, 9894%c; mild quiet; Cordova, 981118c.

\$ 11-169634c; No. 4 Santon, 99944c; mild quiet; Cordova, 991114c.

Sugar—Steady; Muscovado, 89 test, 3.58c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.08c; molanses sugar, 89 test, 3.3c. Refined, steady; cut loaf, 5.85c; crushed, 5.85c; mould A, 5.6c; cubes, 5.40c; powdered, 5.30c; granulated, 5.15c; diamond A, 5.15c; confectioners A, 4.75c; No. 1, 4.90c; No. 2, 4.85c; No. 3, 4.75c; No. 4, 4.85c; No. 5, 4.70c; No. 6, 4.85c; No. 7, 4.60c; No. 8, 4.55c; No. 9, 4.50c; No. 19, 4.45c; No. 11, 4.40c; No. 12, 4.35c; No. 13, 4.30c; No. 14, 4.30c; 4.30c.

Nrothwest People in New York.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(Special.)— People from the Pacific Northwest reg-istered at New York hotels today as follows: From Portland—C. S. Unna, at the Algonquin; Dr. P. A. Turnier, H. L. Joslin, at the Empire; M. G. Myers, at the Hermitage; E. Hart, R. M. Gray. at the Martinique. From Tacoma—A. G. Dojezy, at the Seville; A. G. Dempsey, at the Hoffman. From Spokane—G. H. Rohiles, at the

From Spokane—G. H. Ronnes, at the Flanders.
From Seattle—H. Himelhoch, at the King Edward; J. Rosene, at the Plaza; C. Walte, at the Astor; W. L. Reynolds, at the Cumberland; M. Malkan. E. G. Anderson, at the Seville; W. R. Tonkin, at the Holland; A. B. Houlett, at

Cause an Advance in Chicago Wheat Prices.

CABLES ARE HIGHER

MARKET STRONG ALL DAY

Higher Quotations From Liverpool and Argentina-Coarse Grains Are Lower - Slump in January Provisions.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—In the wheat pit today a well defined advance at the start kept its hold upon the market throughout the session. Prices during the day moved over a range of from ½c to ½c. One of the principal factors in the advance was foreign cables, telling of higher prices for the grain in Liverpool and Argentina. May touched \$1.11% and later dropped to \$1.11, closing strong at \$6.2% higher than yesterday's final figures, at \$1.11% @1.11%.

\$1.11% @1.11%.

Corn prices started comparatively strong, helped by the advancing wheat market. Weakness, induced by a flood of selling orders from the larger commission concerns, carried prices down over a range of from %c to 1%c. The close was weak at nearly the low point of the day, with May %c lower than yesterday, at 68% @68%c.

Trade in oats exhibited the general characteristics of the corn market, advancing oarly and falling off later. May touched 48%c and fell to 48c, closing at 48@48%c.

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A noticeable effect of the country-wide agitation against high meat prices was seen in a marked decline in provision values. January pork closed at \$20.90, 35c lower; lard at \$12.15, 30c lower, and ribs at \$11.52\footnote{1}, 42\footnote{1}c lower than yesterday's final figures. The final prices for May products were: Por \$21.25; lard, \$11.85; ribs, \$11.37\(\frac{1}{2}\). The leading futures ranged as follows:

WHEAT.

Muy....\$1.11\\(\frac{4}{5}\) \$1.11\\(\frac{5}{5}\) \$1.11\\(\frac{5}{5}\) \$1.12\\(\frac{5}{5}\) \$1.02\\(\frac{5}{5}\) \$1.05\\(\frac{5}{5}\) \$1.05\\(\frac{5 MESS PORK. LARD. Jan..... 12.27½ 12.27½ 12.15 12.15 May..... 12.02½ 12.02½ 11.85 11.85 July..... 11.92½ 11.92½ 11.77½ 11.77½ SHORT RIBS.

SHORT RIBS.

Jan ... 11.70 11.70 11.50 11.52½

May ... 11.55 11.55 11.37½ 11.37½

July ... 11.45 11.45 11.37½ 11.37½

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Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Firm. Winter patents, \$5.20⊕5.70;

straights, \$5.30⊕5.40; Spring straights, \$4.65 ⊕4.90; bakers, \$3.20⊕5.40;

Ryc—No. 2, 72½c;

Bariey—Feed or mixing, 66⊕69c; fair to choice malting, 70⊕74c,

Flaxseed—No. 1 Southwestern, \$2.11; No. 1 Northwestern, \$2.11;

Short of the Short, clear (boxed), \$12.12 to the Short, clear (boxed), \$1.21.5 to the Short, \$2.11. No. Northwestern, \$2.11. Timothy seed—\$4.05@4.16. (Clover-\$14.70. Pork—Mess, per barrel, \$21.25@21.56. Lard—Per 100 pounds, \$12.15@12.17th. Short fibs—Sides (losse), \$11.25@11.75. Sides—Short, clear (boxed), \$12.12 to \$2.25.

12.25.
Grain statistics:
Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 223,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 582,000 bushels, compared with 395.-000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 14 cars; corn, 180 cars; eats, 25 cars; hogs, 42,000 head.

Receipts, Shipments. 
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 Receipts.
 Shipments.

 Flour, barrels.
 32,600
 16,205

 Wheat, bushels.
 30,000
 25,500

 Corn, bushels.
 240,000
 125,200

 Oats, bushels.
 147,600
 211,000

 Rye, bushels.
 1,000
 6,600

 Barley, bushels.
 77,800
 1,200

Grain and Produce at New York. NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Flour—Quiet; market steady, unchanged, with slow trade, Spring patents, \$5.5095.75; Winter patents, \$5.4095.90; Winter extras No. 1, \$4.6094.90; Winter straights, \$5.40@0.45; Spring clears, \$4.40@4.85; Winter extras No. 2, \$4.40@4.85; Kansas straights, \$4.90@6.15,
Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red, \$1.31 elevator domestic and f. o. b. affoat nominal; vator demestic and I. c. b. affoat nominal; No. I Northern Duluth and No. 2 hard Win-ter, \$1,25%, nominal affoat. Wheat was firm and higher on firmer cables and light offerings. May closed

Receipts, 10,200; shipments, 103,899.

Hops Firm; state, common to choice, 1909, 2009, 1908, 140,180.

Hides—Steady, Petroleum and wool—Steady. Petroleum and wool-Steady.

European Grain Markets. LONDON, Jan. 12.—Cargoes, firmer with tore inquiry; Walla Walla for shipment at English country markets quiet, French country markets quiet. LIVERPOOL, Jan. 22.—Wheat—March. 8s 3%d; May 8s 1%d; July, 8s 34d. Weather fine

Minneapolis Grain Market. Minneapolis Grain Market.

Minneapolis, Jan. 22.—Close: Wheat,
May, \$1.12%; July, \$1.15%@1.11%.
Cash wheat, No. 1 hard, \$1.14%@1.15%c;
No. 1. Northern, \$1.14%1.14%; No. 2, \$1.12%
Il12%; No. 3, \$1.10%1.12
Plux closed at \$2.25%,
Corn, No. 3 yellow, 60%@61%c.
Cats, No. 3 white, 45%c.
Bye, No. 2, 76%@47%c.

Grain Markets of the Northwest.

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TACOMA. Jan. 22.—Wheat, bluester \$1.17@1.18; club, \$1.08; red Russian, \$1.07. SEATTLE, Jan. 22.—Milling quotations: Bluestem, \$1.14; club. \$1.11; fife, \$1.11; red Russian, \$1.08. Export, bluestem, \$1.11; club, \$1.08; fife, \$1.08; red Russian, \$1.05. No car receipts up to noon. Yeaterday's re-ceipts: Wheat, 2 cars; oats, 1 car; barley, 3 cars.

Grain at San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.-Wheat-

Barley—Steady,
Spot quotations; Wheat—Shipping, \$1.93%
\$2.02%; milling, \$1.97%,
Barley—Feed, \$1.37% \$1.40; brewing, \$1.40
\$1.42%;
Oats—Red, \$1.55@1.62%; white, \$1.60@
1.65; black, \$1.50@2.30,
Caliboard sales; Wheat, no trading; barley, May, 1.40%8 bid; corn, large yellow, \$1.75@1.80.

BLUESTEM SELLS AT \$1.17 AT SEATTLE.

Large Shipment of Canadian Oats to Be Sent to the Philippines. Eggs Go to Alaska.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 22—(Special.)—
Wheat was firmer here today, 5000 hushels
being sold on the Merchants' Exchange at
\$1.17. a cent advance over yesterday's price.
There was a better feeling all around, and
millers are more disposed to buy, now that
prices have shrunk considerably. Bariey and
oats dragged. A shipload of Canadian oats
will reach here from Vancouver, B. C., next
week for reshipment to the Philippines.
Hay is easy, with \$22 the prevailing track
price on timothy.
Eggs were barely steady and sold under
yesterday's prices. Most sales were made at
36 cents, aithough some claimed to be getting more. One hundred and fifty cases of
eggs will be shipped North before the middie of next week. These shipments have
helped to keep the market firm during the
last few days. Poultry was scarce, none was
carried over nor were any eggs carried over.
Butter was firm, but unchanged. Cheese
closed very firm.

Commission men state that there is an accumulation of potatoes. Thirteen cars arrived yesterday and five today. These receipts bear out statements recently made by
dealers that growers would endeavor to dispose of a part of their holdings as soon as
the weather moderates. Eastern Washington
shippers are trying to secure \$1 advance on
fancy stock and have been successful in a

QUOTATIONS AT SAN FRANCISCO. Prices Paid for Produce in the Bay City Market.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.- The following were the quotations in the market today:
Vegetables—Cucumbers, \$16,150; string
beans, nominal; tomatoes, \$162; garlic, 466
5c; green peas, \$215c; espplant, 106,20c,
Millstuffs—Hran, \$276,26; middlings, \$346 Butter-Fancy creamery, 3014c; creamery,

seconds, 33c; fancy dairy, 29c. Eggs—Store, 31c; fancy, 32c. Cheese—New, 17@184c; Young Americas. Eggs—Store, 31c; talley, 32c.
Chesse—New, 17@18½c; Young Americas, 18@20c.
Hay—Wheat, 15@10.50; wheat and oats, \$13@16; nifaira, \$0@12; stock, \$7@10; struw, per bale, 50@25c.
Fruits—Apples, choice, 75c@\$1; common, 50@65c; bananas, 50c@\$3.26; limes, \$4@6.30; lemons, choice, \$3@3.26; common, \$1.50 @2.50; oranges, navels, \$1.65@2.50; pine-apples, \$2@2.50.
Wool—South Plains and San Joaquin, \$@10c.

Hops—18@25c per pound. Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, \$1.20@1.30; Salinas Burbanks, \$1.25@1.45; sweets, \$1.50 @1.65.

Receipts—Flour. 3536 quarter sacks; wheat, 475 centals; barley, 7530 centals; beans, 2268 sacks; corn, 10 centals; potatoes, 12,515 sacks; bran, 195 sacks; hay, 861 tens; wool, 3 barrels; hides, 1440.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. C. Mann, of Corvallis, is at the Jacob Bauer, a hotelman of Enterprise, s at the Perkins E. C. Chesebro, a Hood River real

estate dealer, is at the Seward E. G. Rexford and wife, Hood River, are registered at the Ramapo H. B. Kershaw, of Walla Walla, reg-istered at the Oregon yesterday. Dr. W. E. Carli, Mayor of Oregon City, is registered at the Cornelius. J. L. Rand, prominent attorney of Baker City, is also at the Portland. G. E. Fowler and wife, of La Grande, are at the Imperial for a few days. Mrs. E. Lee, of The Dalles, is in the city. She is registered at the Oregon. LEWISTON, Idaho, Jan. 22—(Special.)— city. She is registered at the Oregon. George H. Huntley, a business man of

J. M. Beake and wife and Mrs. A. E. Beake, of Spokane, are at the Portland. C. J. Butsch, of Tacoma, was in the

city yesterday, registering at the Nor-George H. Burnett, Circuit Judge for Marion County, is at the Imperial from

Mrs. James Geary and Mrs. Freeman and daughter, of Marshfield, are at the Lenox. J. C. Moreland, clerk of the Oregon Supreme Court, is at the Cornellus from

Mrs. W. B. Neff, wife of a Seattle automobile dealer, is registered at the Seward. Daniel J. Fry and wife, well-known business people of Salem, were in the city last Thursday.

Charles A. Petrain, a Portland attorney, has returned from a two weeks es trip to Seattle.

J. B. Butler, an ex-member of the faculty of the Oregon State Normal School, is at the Perkins. John F. Stevens, president of the Oregon Trunk, has taken apartments at the

Nortonia for the Winter. R. F. Lytle, a prominent lumber manufacturer of Hoquiam, Wash., registered at the Cornellus yesterday. G. H. Van Alstine, a civit Kilburn, Wis., is visiting his father, M. Van Aletine, at the Lenox.

Frank S. Baille, a prominent Bastern Oregon mining man, accompanied by his wife, is registered at the Portland. Frederick Warde, the eminent actor, who numbers his friends here by the hundreds is at the Portland and will remain until Tuesday. He is on a lecture tour of the Pacific Coast.

Mrs. Anna B. Kinney, who has been associated with Dufur & Co., public stenographers, has accepted a position with t.e Lewiston Water & Land Co., and leaves for Lewiston this evening. Mrs. H. C. McAllister, wife of the Master Fish Warden, returned home yesterday after two months' sojourn in the Mr. McAllister returned home a ago, but Mrs. McAllister remained in Chicago visiting relatives over the holi-

Platform tickets are issued by some Ger-man railroads for the use of non-travelers who wish to say goodbye to departing friends.

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