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TODAY'S FORECAST.

Weather conditions and general forecast for Oregon, Washington and Idaho:
Light snow has fallen generally throughout the North Pacific states, and in the Sound country it was moderatisy heavy. Bain fell list night in Northern California, which has light followed by clear and colder weather, and heavy frosts have occurred as far south as Los Angeles. Zero weather continues in the Candian Northwest, and the indications are for celder weather in Eastern Oregon. Eastern Washington and Idaho tonight, with light show, it will continue cold in Western Oregon and Western Washington, with snow squalls this afternoon and tought.

Maximum temperature in the last 24 hours, afternoon and tonight.

Maximum temperature in the last 24 hours, 78; minimum temperature, 32; precipitation, .18.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Mabel Korns, aged 20, and Frank Lucon, aged Effic M. Abernathy, aged 26, and William S.

#### BIRTHS.

January 18, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Bryan, at 168 Teith street, a daughter. January 6, to Mr. and Mrs. M. de la Cruze, at 476 Division street, a daughter. January 1, to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Glibert, at 852 Corbett street, a daughter.

#### CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

Ralph Cobin, at 938 Mississippi avenue, January 18, Clark Terry, at 747 Corbett First street, measles.

January 17, Mary Johnson, at 1610 Peninsula invente, diphtheria.

January 15, Lottie Griffith, at 322 Caruthers treet, diphtheria. January 17, Evangeline Michaelson, at 707 January 18, Nelson Cornellus, at 110 Porter Street, measles.

January 18, George Houston and Joseph Houston, at 403 Fourth eirect, scarlet fever.

January 18, Bessie Bradley, 739 Albina avenue, diphtheeta.

January 17, Henry Kniss, at 833 Vancouver

venue, diphtheria, January 18, Buth Teal, at 231 Twenty-fourth freet, North, measies. January 16, Helen Kane, at 226 North Eightdiphtheria. Hoxel street, diphtheria.

### DEATHS,

January 13, Daniel O'Conneil, at St. Vincent's hispital, of cardiac disease. Interment Mount Calvary cemetery.

\*\*Sanuary 15, Dr. Mt. Dest, at Good Samaritan Lospital, of Eright's disease. Interment Wood-land, Wash.

January 15, Harry F. McMillan, at Northern Pacific sanitarium, of diabetes gangrene. Interment Lone Fir cemetery.

Creamatorium, on Oregon City car line, near Sellwood; modern, scientific, complete. Charges —Adults, \$35; children, \$25. Visitors 9.a. m. to 5 p. m. Portland Cremation association, Portland, Or.

The Edward Holman Undertaking Co., fuperal directors and embalmers, 220 Taird street. Phone 507.

J. P. Finley & Son. feneral directors and embalmers, have removed to their new estab-lishment, corner Third and Madison streets. Both phones No. 9.

RIVER VIEW CEMETERY.

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## BEAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. F. and Sarah L. Chase to Alfred Haworth, 4 acres section 21, township 1 south, range 4 east
Henry F. McClure and wife to Winifred M. Way, lots 11, 12 and 13, block 4, Maegley Highland
Laura J. Barnes to Lars Swanson and wife, parcel land section 13, township 1 south, range 3 cast 

Calkins, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 5, Arbor Lodge
Emma N. and M. Lang to A. F. Neunert, sundry lots Carathers' addition to Caruthers' addition
D. McKeen et al, to W. E. Finzer, north
33-1-3 feet lot 8, block 245, East Port-

Thomas Spillman to Martha Rahn, lot 23. Melrose M. and L. M. Dayls to T. H. Vaught, lets 12 and 13, block 2, Highland School-louse addition

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John Quay to Catherine Quay, 20 acres section 6 township 1 north range 1 west.
Sheriff (for Oregon Real Estate company) to C. X. Larrabee, strip 30x130 feet of and adjoining block 111, East Portland. John Thorall to J. Henry Smith, lots 7 and 3, block 5, Central Albina.

Y. A. Torgelmann to O. L. Applegate, lots 3, 4 and 5, block 74, Sollwood.

Lydia A. Carter et al. to Pacific States Trust company, parcel land in Frances addition
W. H. Joyce and wife to Lillie Greenfald. ddition

H. Joyce and wire to Lillie Greenfield, mudry lots block 1. Willamette addi-

## BUILDING PERMITS.

To Mary Boyer, erect 14-atory cottage at Mildred and East Seventh, to cost \$1.800.

To S. A. Tucker, erect two-atory dwelling at Ganfembel; and ley, to cost \$500.

To C. H. Scott, erect one-atory dwelling at East Twenty-first and Ellsworth, to cost \$500.

To W. E. Stokes & Co., erect four two-story dwellings at East Tenth and East Ash, to cost \$7,500.

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SHORT LOANS on all kinds of chattle security.
Northwest Loan Co., 321 Abington bldg.

# TRANSACTIONS IN THE FINANCIAL WORLD

# **BOOMING AGAIN**

SALES ARE MANY AND PRICES ARE SHOWING AN ADVANCE-POTA-TOES ADVANCE WHILE ONIONS GO DOWN-COFFEE IS HIGHER-

Front Street, Jan. 19 .- The principal vents in the local wholesale markets

Hops selling higher. Potatoes advancing again. Onlons weaker and lower. Columbia smelt are lower. Valley wheat is higher. Feed markets stronger. Arbuckle coffee advanced. Eggs feeling better. Chickens not moving, Eastern hams, lower. Eastern provisions lower.

#### Hops Selling Righer.

The sales of hops in this state during the past few days have broken all records and the total number of bales remaining unsold in the hands of the farmers is fast getting to the bottom of the there are now about 2,000 bales of hops in the hands of the growers who have not sold and with the present outward movement there will not be a single bale in their hands within the next two weeks. The American brewers are standing firm and say they do not care how high the price goes. They say there are not enough hops left to make much difference one way or the other and if they were very short-as the buyers say they are—the few bales remaining unsold in the country would not make much of a difference. Oregon has more hops than any other state in the country remaining unsold and it is figured by experts that the total number of bales remaining in the hands of the growers of the country will not number over 6,000 bales. The fact that the English brewers are invading this market for hops is just what is keeping the price up and the few bales in this state unsold are in the hands of very strong holders who are not going to sell until the market price reaches a dizzy height. Several sales of hops have been made of late as high as 27% cents.

Hop Contracts Higher. The following dispatch to The Journal from its Salem correspondent tells the condition of the hop contract market: "Contracting for the coming hop crop is beginning to attract attention in this section, and already a number of contracts have been signed up by leading dealers. Eastern dealers are anxious to secure contracts, and up to this time the ruling prices for next year's crop, but yesterday advices from New York, received by local agents, were to the effect that 17 to 18 cents could be paid on contracts for one year, and 16 % cents for three years' contracts. Dealers seem eager to make contracts at these figures. and especially anxious are some of those representing some of the New York ouses, an indication that in the best informed trade circles the reported shortage in the production of this val-uable crop is founded on fact, and that surplus, such as caused the extremely low prices in the middle '90's, is not looked for again very soon. At 16 to 18 cents a pound growers can afford to raise good hops and make money, as hops can be produced at from 61/2 to 8 cents per pound in the Willamette val-

#### Changes in Valley Wheat. The entire wheat market is strong and

the quotations are showing an upward ency. Farmers are generally hold-The price of valley is 1 cent higher this city. Other grades are unchanged. The flour market is firm with no change in prices.

Potatoes Are Higher. There is a better demand for potatoes from the outside and the local market is firm and higher. The top of the market today for buying is 85 cents. There

much better demand for all grades

#### but the choicest are making the largest gains in quotations. Onions Are Lower.

A drop of about 10 cents in the San Francisco onion market has caused weakness in this market and the quotations show a decline. No buys have been made at the new prices for the farmers are holding for higher figures. The top of the buying price for onions is now \$1 in the country and \$1.05 in this

The expected large run of Columbia river smelt has arrived and the Cowlitz s now filled with the delicate little fish, The receipts in this city are beginning to make records for their largeness and quotations went down 2 cents a pound oday. The arrivals of all grades of Columbia river salmon are larger.

Arbuckle Coffee Up. The extra high prices which have ruled during the week in the New York Coffee Exchange have caused a firmer feeling all along the line and a general advance in package coffees is expected Arbuckle advanced his brand 50 cents a hundred this morning, a No other changes have yet been received, but all are expected to follow. The new quotations on package coffees range from

\$14.25 to \$14.75. Eggs Are Running High.

The cold snap has had a very stiffening effect on the egg market. Receipts are now but nominal and the demand is showing a vast improvement over what it was a few days ago. Eggs were sel ling today from 27 to 27% cents a dozen with sales at both prices.

Chickens Not Moving. There is no movement at all in the chicken market and stocks are accumulating. Prices today showed a slight

coming in rather slowly and the demand Eastern Hams Are Down. The Sinclair Provision company an-neunces a drop of about 4 cent in its former quotations on Eastern hams and breakfast bacon. The quotations on sides and backs, smoked and unsmoked,

Geese, ducks and turkeys are

are also down about the same amount, Firm Tone in Fresh Meats. The fresh meat markets are firm in fened the demand for hogs. Veal is in as great demand as ever and mutton and

beef are both being called for. No changes in quotations. Opinions on Today's Market. W. B. Glafke company-The better grades of butter are in good demand and the stocks are lower than they have been for some time.
Turner & Co. — Chicken market

steady with receipts and demand about equal; ducks, geese and turkeys are not n large enough supply; egg market active on account of cold weather. Bell & Co.-Car sweet potatoes arrived in this morning.

Page & Son .- We have no eggs to-

dred and thirty-three sacks of potatoes and 433 of onlons went down on last steamer; 3,000 sacks of potatoes were left behind; receipts are now quite heavy and if next steamer takes all offered there is liable to be another weak market below; had 13 or 14 cars potatoes myself in last 10 days.

Smith Bros.—Weather in excellent shape for handling and packing dressed hogs and this is time they ought to come; customers want veal; don't ques-McKinley-Mitchell-Hops are selling very fast; potatoes are in larger de-mand and higher; onions weaker and

Toft, Hine & Co .- The markets are now active with the demand good and everybody wants eggs, hogs, veal and ducks; chickens are slow; mutton and beef in fair demand. Today's quotations, as revised, are as

lower.

#### PORTLAND WHOLESALE PRICES.

Grain, Flour and Feed.

WHEAT—Export quotations—Walla Walla, 73@74c; bluestem, 75@79c; valley, 78c.

BARLEY—Feed, \$20.00; rolled, \$21.00@22.00; brewing, \$21.00@22.00.

OATS—No. 1 white, \$24.00@25.00; gray, \$24.00@25.00 per ton; price to farmers, white, \$22.00@25.00; gray, \$22.30 per ton.

FLOUR—Eastern Oregon: Patents, \$4.10@4.40; straights, \$5.60; valley, \$3.75@3.85; graham, 4a, \$5.40; 10a, \$3.70.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, \$10.00 per ton; middings, \$25.00; shorts, \$20.00; chop, \$15.00.

HAY—Timothy, \$16.00@18.00; Eastern Oregon, \$16.00@20.00; mixed, \$14.00; clover, \$15.00@14.00; wheat, \$13.00@15.00; cheat, \$12.00@14.00; oat, \$13.00@15.00; cheat, \$12.00@14.00; wheat, \$13.00@15.00; cheat, \$12.00@14.00; wheat, \$13.00@15.00; cheat, \$12.00@14.00; wheat, \$13.00@15.00; cheat, \$12.00@15.00; cheat, \$12.00@16.00; Grain, Flour and Feed.

Hops, Wool and Hides.

HOPS—New, 26@274c for choice; 24@25c for prime; poor quality, 184@20%c; contract, 1904, 16@17c.

WOOL—Valley, coarse to medium, 16@16%c; fine, 16@16%c; Eastern Oregon, 10@15c; mohajr, nominal, 25@26c.

SHEEPSKINS—Shearing, 10@20c; short wool, 20@30c; medium wool, 30@50c; long wool, 50c@31.00 each.

TALLOW—Prime, per lb, 4@5c; No. 2 and greens, 2@24c.

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HIDES—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 lbs and up, 14c per ib; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 lbs, 12c; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 lbs, 15c; dry salted bulls and stags, 1-3 less than dry flint; salted hides, steer, sound, 60 pounds or over, 6@7c; 50 to 60 lbs, 6c; under 50 lbs and cows, 5@6c; stags and bulls, sound, 4c; kip, sound, 15 to 30 lbs, 6c; sound, 10 to 14 lbs, 6c; calf, sound, under 10 lbs 8c; green (unsalted), 1c per lb less; culls, 1c per lb less; horse hides, salted, each, \$1.20@1.15; dry, sach, \$1.00@1.5c; cofts hides, each, 25@50c; goat skins, common, each, 10@15c; Angora, with wool on each, 25c@\$1.00. Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

BUTTER—Creamery, extra fancy, 30c; ordinary, 27%c; cold storage, 25@27%c; Eastern, 25%c; ?enovated, 20@21%c dairy, 16@17%c; store, 10@12%c, 24@27%c; cold storage, 24c; bakers, 20c; Eastern, 22%@24c.

CHEESE—Full cream, twin, 13%@14c; Young CHEESE—Fill cream, twin, 13½ @14c; Young America, 15c.
POULTRY—Chickens, mixed, 14c per lb, hens, 12@12½c per lb; rocsters, 10½ @11c lb; broilers, 11½ @12½c per lb; fryers, 12c per lb, ducks, old, 12c per lb; young, 13c per lb; gress, 8c per lb; turkeys, 15@16c per lb; dressed, 18c per lb.

Fruits and Vegetables.

POTATOES—90c@\$1.00; buyers' prices, for shipping, 80@85c cwt; ordinary, 65@75c sack; buying, 65@70c; sweets, 2%@2%c per lb; new, 4c per lb.
ONIONS—Oregon, \$1.15; buying prices, best \$1.00; f.c.b. Portland, \$1.05. \$1.00; f.o.b. Portland, \$1.05.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, Oregon, 40c@\$1.50
per box; oranges, navels, \$2.00@2.50 per box;
seedlings, 80c@\$1.25 per box; Japanese, 60c; banamas, 5@5½c per lb; lemons, choice, \$5.00 per
box; fancy, \$3.50@4.00 per box; limes, Mexican, 65c per 100; phicapples, \$3.50; cranberries,
local, \$7.00 per bbl; Jersey, \$10.00; persimmons, \$1.50.

VEGETAHLES—Turnips, \$5c per sack; carcan, osc per 10; pienspies, \$2.30; canderries, local, \$7.00 per bbl; Jersey, \$10.00; persimmons, \$1.00.

VEGETAHLES—Turnips, 85c per sack; carrots, \$1.00 per sack; beets, \$1.00 per sack; radishes, 12% \$215c per dos; cabbage, Oregon, 1½c per b; fettuce, bead, 15c per dos; hothouse lettuce, \$1.00£1.50 per box; green peppers, 5c per bi; horseradish, Tgisc per bi; celery, 50c per dos; tomatoes, \$1.00£1.25 per box; parsalips, \$1.25; cucumbers, 50£75c per bc; prutes, cauliflower, Oregon, \$1.00 per dos; artichokes, 75£95c per de, evaporated, 6£7c per lb; apricots, 11£13c per lb; sacks, ½c per lb; pruces, Italian, 3½£4½c per lb; pruces, Italian, 3½£4½c per lb; french, 5½£4½c per lb; dos whites, 6½£7c pei lb; piums, pitted, 5½£6c per lb; dates, giden, 6½c per lb; fards, \$1.50 per 15:1b box. RAISINS—Seeded, fancy, 1-lb cartons, 50 peckages to case, 9½c pkg; seeded, 12-ox cartons, 7½c; losse Muscatels, 50-lb boxes, 7½ \$1.50 per lb; London layers, \$1.85£2.20; clusters, \$2.50£3.75; ½s, 25c; ½s, 50c advance over pound cartons.

FIGS—Ten 1-lb cartons, choice brand, \$1.00;

\$2.50\(\text{gr}\)3.75; \(\frac{1}{2}\text{s}\), \(\text{zbc}\); \(\frac{1}{2}\text{s}\), \(\text{zbc}\); \(\frac{1}{2}\text{s}\), \(\text{zbc}\); \(\frac{1}{2}\text{s}\), \(\text{zbc}\); \(\text{zbc}\); \(\frac{1}{2}\text{s}\), \(\text{zbc}\); \(\text{z

Groceries, Muts, Etc.

SUGAR—"Sack basis"—Cube, \$5.70; powdered, \$5.65; dry granulated, \$5.55; beet granulated, \$5.55; beet granulated, \$5.55; extra C, \$5.05; golden C, \$4.95; bbis, loc; ½ bbis, 25c; boxes, 50c advance on anck basis, less 25c cwt for cash, 15 days; muple, 146318; per lb.

HONEY—1456215c.

COFFEE—Green Mochs, 216236; Java, fancy, 216336; Java, ardinary

COFFEE—Green Mocha, 21@23c; Java, fancy, 226; 33c; Java, good, 29@25c; Java, ordinary, 15@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 19@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Costa Rica, ordinary, 11@13c per le; package coffee, 514.25@14.75.

TEAS—Oslong, different grades, 25@65c; gunpowder, 28@32@35c; English breakfast, different grades, 12%@65c; spiderleg, uncolored Japan, 30@65c; green Japan (very scarce),30@65c

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SALT—Fine—Bales, 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, 10s, \$2.00; fine table, dairy, 50s, 35c; 100s,65c; imported Liverpool, 50s, 50c; 100s, 98c; 224s, \$1.90. Worcester—Bbls—2s, 3s, \$5.50; 5s, \$5.25; 10s, \$6.00; bulk, 320 lbs, \$5.00; sacks, 50s, \$6c. SALT—Coarse, balf ground, 190s, per ton, \$7.00; 50s, per ton, \$7.50; Liverpool lump rock, 233.00 per ton; 50-lb rock, \$7.50; 100s, \$8,50. GRAIN BAGS—Calcutts, \$5.75@6.00 per 100, RICE—Imperial Japan—No. 1. 5c; No. 2, 4%;c; New Orleans head, 6%;67%;c. BEANS—Small white, 3%c large white, \$3.50@3.60; pink, \$3.40@3.50; bayou, 3%;c; Limas, \$4.00.

63.60; pink, \$3.40@3.50; bayou, 3%c; Limas, 54.00.

NUTS—Peanuts, 6@7c per 1b for raw, 9@10c per 1b for roasted; occoanuts, 85@30c per dos; walnuts, 14%@15%c per lb; pine nuts, 10@12%c per lb; hickory auts, 10c per lb; chestnuts, Eastern, 15@16c per lb; Brasil nuts, 15c per lb; fillerts, 15@16c per lb; fancy pecans, 14@15c per lb; almonds, 13@15c per lb.

WIRE NAILS—Present base at \$2.75.

ROPE—Pura Manila, 13%c; standard, 12%c; sisal, 10%c.

Paints, Coal Oils, Etc.

COAL OIL—Pearl or Astral—Cases, 23e per gal; water white, iron bbls, 18½c per gal; wooden, —; headlight, cases, 25c per gal; headlight, fron bbls, 18½c per gal.

LINSEED OIL—Pure raw, in bbls, 43c per is cases, 48c per gal; genuine kettle beiled, ea 50c per gal, bhis 45c per gal; ground te, car lots, \$25.00 per ten; less than cars, 6.00 per ton. BENZINE-63-deg., cases, 22c; iron bbis, PAINT OIL Raw, bbls 33c per gal, cases 38c PAINT OIL—Raw, bbls 35c per gal, cases 38c per gal; boiled, cases 40c.
GASOLINE—88-deg., cases 32c per gal, iron bbls 25c per gal; stove, cases 24½c per gal, iron bbls 15c per gal; stove, cases 24½c per gal, iron bbls 15c per gal, mooden btls, 84½c per gal, iron bbls 82c per gal, 10-lb case tots, 87c per gal.
WHITE LEAD—606-ib lots 6½c per lb, less tots 7c per gal.

lots Te per lb. Meats and Provisions. FRESH MEATS — Inspected — Beef, prime, 14, 22714c per lb; cows, 54,6c per lb; mutten, dressed, 61,467c per lb; lambs, dressed, 714c per dressed, 0.2 gre per by tout street—Beef steers, 580c per lb; balls, 3½64c per lb; cows, 4½66 per lb; per, block, 6666½c per lb; packers, 660c per lb; packers, 660c per lb; packers, 1660c per lb; packers, 1660c per lb; packers, 1660c per lb; packers, 1660c per lb; par, 1660c per

day; chickens are in better demand with the receipts not so large; best butter is scarce but country store stocks are drugging market.

Mark Levy & Co.—Car navel oranges and car of sweet potatoes arrived in today.

Chatterton & Co.—Eggs better; veal market very firm; hogs slow sale at market very firm; hogs slow sale at market quotations.

Malarkey & Co.—Sturgeon is again in market, following the run of smelt. They are quoted at 7 cenis; smelt lower. Everding & Farrell—Eggs firm; chickens in light receipt but demand is not so very great; ducks, geese and turkeys wanted; butter market about the same.

W. S. Swank.—Five thousand six hundred and thirty-three sacks of potatoes days.)
CANNED SALMON—Columbia river 1-ib talls, \$1.75; 2-ib talls, \$2.40; fancy 1-ib flats, \$1.00; \$1.75; 2-ib talls, \$2.40; fancy 1-ib ayal, \$2.60;

\$1.75; 2-lb talls, \$2.40; fancy 1-lb flats, \$1.00; 16-lb fancy flats, \$1.15; fancy 1-lb oval, \$2.90; Alaska talls, pink, 80c; red, \$1.50; 1-lb talls, 12.60 Alaska talis, pink, 80c; red, \$1.50; 1-lb talls, \$2.00.

FISH—Rock cod, 7c per lb; flounders, 5c per lb; halibut, 5½c per lb; crabs, \$4.50 per doz; razor clams, 5@10c per dox; little-neck clams, 3c; striped bass, 12½c per lb; Puget Sound smelt, 5c per lb; catfish, 7c per lb; black cod, — per lb; salmon treut, 12½@15c per lb; lebsters, 15c per lb; perch, 5c per lb; salmon, sliversides, 6c per lb; steelheads, 8c per lb; chinook, 12@12½c per lb; herring, 4c per lb; Columbia river smelt, 20c per lb; soles, 6c per lb; tom cod, 6c per lb; Columbia river smelt, 3c per lb; stringeon, 7c per lb.

OYSTEES—Shoulwater bay, per gal, \$2.25; per sack, \$3.75 net; Olympia, per sack, \$5.25.

## **COTTON HITS A NEW** HIGH LEVEL TODAY

(Furnished by Overbeck, Starr & Cooke Co.)
New York, Jan. 19.—McIntyre & Marshall say: The cotton market broke into new high levels today, after having been put up for more than a week by rumors of war and efforts to belittle the falling off in receipts, and to induce operators to hang on to the idea of supples being plentiful enough to justify lower prices for the staple. The effect of all this has been to create a short interest and to hold buils out off the market until forced to buy at an advance, and stronger evidence in favor of the market. The southern spot markets, while not active, are strong, with pressure only enough at present to supply the demand. We prefer to advise trading on individual judgment at this juncture. We see no menace in values at this time, other than the willingness of holders to sell at what appears to be a high level, but as every day passes nearly 30,000 bales go into consumption, the world's supply will grow less with decreasing receipts, much faster than would appear probable by comparison with last season. New York spots are up to 14½ cents.

The cotton market is favorable. The fact that May wheat in this market is 2 cents a bushel of the Liverpool price shows the effect to which local holders dominate the market and how impossible any satisfactory opinion of the future is.

Corn a Quarter Up.

The corn market is about ½ cent higher. It was active but there were didications of a good deal of profit-taking by the large holdings, the accumulation of which has contributed to the recent strength. Apart from the strength in wheat the action of the market would rather indicate that some reduction at least is due. General conditions are, however, so far unchanged, as far as we can see. There seems no probable increase in the movement and good grades are still active. Under normal conditions the market should have reaction, but we would buy on the breaks.

Little Change in Oats.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	18.92	14.12	13.88	14.00@04
February	18.92			14.18@21
March		14.35	14.07	14.226223
April		14.39	14.21	14.28 (230
May	14.31	14.48	14.24	14.376239
Tune	14.83	14.43	14.31	14.406243
July	14,40	14.57	14.32	14.45@46
August	13.80B	13.98	13.80	13.87@88
September.		17.87	11.71	12.70/273
October			215.0	11.806782

NEW YORK STOCKS.

DESCRIPTION.

Anamonda Mining Co.... Amal. Copper Co..... Atchison, com.... Chi., Mil. & St. Paul. 1
Chi. & North., com. 1
Chesapeake & Ohio.
Colo. Fuel & Iron, com.
Colo. South., com.
do 2d preferred.
do 1st preferred.
Dela., Lucka. & West.
D. & R. G., com.
do preferred.
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Manhattan Elevated... 

Reading, com...
do 2d preferred...
do 1st preferred...
Bep. Iron & Fteel, com...
do preferred...
Rock Island, com...
do preferred...
Southern Rv. com... do preferred

United States Steel, preferred, extra dividend of 1% per cent. Total sales for day, 511,000. Money, 1% per cent.

CHICAGO GRAIN CAR LOTS.

Chicago, Jan. 19.-The grain cars for today 

CLOSING GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

San Francisco, Jan. 19.—11:30 a. m.—Wheat— Ing., \$1.38% asked. Barley—May. \$1.65% sked. New York—Wheat—May, 92%c; July, 88%c dd. Cotton—May, 55% neked; July, 53%. Milwankee—Wheat—May, 98%c; July, 83%c ked. Corn—May, 49%c; July, 48%@48%c bid.
St. Louis—Wheat—May. 85%c; July. 81%c.
Kansas City—Wheat—May. 75%c; July. 75%c.
Corn—May. 42%@42%c; July. 42@42%c.

Chicago Cash Business.

Chicago, Jau. 19.—The cash business here yesterday was 150,000 bushels of wheat and 400,000 bushels of corts. At the scaboard exporters bought 168,000 bushels of wheat and 100,000 bushels of

## BIG ADVANCE IN LINSEED.

Late this afternoon the W. P. Fuller company mounces still another advance in the linseed oil motations. This time the advance is 4 cents ser gallon. This makes an advance of 12 cents ig gallon in the price during the last 10 days.

# COTTON FORT RECEIPTS.

New York, Jan. 10.—Receipts at cotton poets today were 30,959 bales. New Orleans stocks show 427,478 bales, against 376,055 bales a rear ago. Sales on spot today were about 6,000 bales.

# WHEAT QUARTER

(Furnished by Overbeck, Stage & Cooke Co.) Chicago, Jan. 19.—Logan & Bryan ad-

The wheat market is 1/2 to 1 cent day.... The wheat market is 72
higher: The volume of trade is small, higher: The volume of trade is small, but the market is simply without presbut the market is simply without pressure. Armour apparently has it bought sure. Armour apparently has it bought have been small there is enough scattered covand there is enough scattered covland. 13.20
Jan. 7,10 price. In supply and demand there is also very little activity. Primary receipts are again in excess of last year, the export is small and consists mostly July... 6.80 of flour. Minneapolis reports flour in good demand, partially for export. Southwest is still without rain, and while this is commented upon to a certain extent, it is not seriously thought that any material damage has so far been realized. The cables show only duilness abroad and no disposition to follow the advances here. Argentine weather is favorable. The fact that May wheat in this market is 2 cents a bushel

higher. It was active but there were indications of a good deal of profit-taking by the large holdings, the accumulation of which has contributed to June strength in wheat the action of the mar-ket would rather indicate that some re-duction at least is due. General con-November

except for the strength in wheat, prices might have a setback. There was a good deal of profit-taking, although as far as can be observed the Patten line, which has been the important one, had not been impaired. No indications of increased receipts. The price is pretty high but the situation is not weak.

The provision market is unchanged to 10 cents higher. The principal strength is in lard. Stocks of lard are not large and there is more or less talk of the reduced stock of cottonseed oil. Receipts of hogs are a little in excess of last year and while the distributive demand is fairly good yet stocks are accumulating. Packers are making no effort to support prices, but are as a rule rather free sellers of the product. Except for the strength in coarse grains, we are in-

New York, Jan. 19 .- Dow, Jones & Co. say New York, Jan. 19.—Dow, Jones & Co. say:
There are persistent reports of the termination
of the Shipbuilding Hitigation and an agreement on a reorganization plan. Financial plan
for Colorado Fuel & Iron is likely to fall
through, News on Far Eastern situation is improving. Reports are current of a settlement
among the conflicting copper interests. Prost. proving. Reports are current of a settlement among the conflicting copper interests. President Thomson of Republic Steel & Iron says United States Steel cannot buy that property. Seven roads for November show an average net decrease of 1.51 per cent; 47 roads for the first week of January show an average gross increase of .13 per cent. Foreign houses expect a wide and active market for Steel 5s in London. There is a good demand for Pennsylvanis, United States steel preferred and Atchison in the loan crowd. The banks gained from the subtreasury since Fridny \$2,000,000. Twelve industrials advanced .24 per cent; 20 rails advanced .39 per cent.

American Stocks in London.

London, Jan. 19.—2 p. m.—Baltimore & Ohio advanced %: Canadian Pacific advanced %: Chesspeake & Ohio advanced %: Chicago. Milwaukee & St. Paul advanced %: Deuver & Rio Grande advanced %: Louisville & Nashville advanced %: Mescan Central advanced %: Missouri, Kansas & Texas advanced 4: New York Central unchanged; Nerfolk & Western advanced %: Pennaylvania advanced %: Southern Pacific advanced %: Southern Raliway advanced %; preferred unchanged; Union Pacific advanced %: preferred unchanged; Union Pacific advanced %: preferred advanced %: Western Steel advanced %: preferred advanced %: Wabsah unchanged, preferred advanced %: Consols 88%, advanced %. American Stocks in London.

EASTERN HOGS STRONG.

VOLUME OF TRADE IS SMALL BUT the high point, and closed at 89% @90c THE MARKET IS SIMPLY WITH-PARENTLY BOUGHT IT DRY- day. This is an advance of %-cents since yesterday's close. The various

Unchanged to 10 Cents Up.

clined to think provisions will sell lower.

New York Summary. \*

Capital and Surplus \$600,000.00.

PORTLAND CLEARING-HOUSE REPORT. The report of the Portland clearing-house for

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# CHICAGO WHEAT STRIKES 90 CENTS FOR SALE ON EASY PAYMENTS

(Furnished by Overbeck, Starr & Cooke ( -Chicago, Jan. 19.—Wheat has touc the 90c mark. All was excitement to-day in the grain pit, the operations of Armour in buying everything in sight in the way of wheat being somewhat sensational. May wheat opened at 88% c. of 11% cents since yesterday. July wheat opened at 82%c, the low point, and OUT BUSINESS ARMOUR HAS AP- closed at 83 1/2c, the highest point of the markets ranged today as follows:

Open, High, Low,

BRADSTREET'S VISIBLE REPORT.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—Bradstreet's report of the grain visible supply shows: Wheat—East of Rockles, increase of 230,000 bushels; Europe and affoat, decrease of 4,200,000 bushels; total decreuse, 3,910,000 bushels. Corn—Decreu 14,000 bushels. Oats—Increase of 200,000 els. Wheat—Last week, increased 1,22 bushels; last year, decreased 2,517,000 bu Corn-Last year, decreased \$45,000 bushels; car, decreased 31,000 bushels. Oatsweek, increased 844,000 bushels; last year, decreased 278,000 bushels

NEW YORK COFFEE CLOSE.

CHICAGO CASH WHEAT.

HOGS AND SHEEP ACTIVE. Portland Union Stockyards, Jan. 19.-Receipts of livestock in the local yards during the past 24 hours consisted of 75 cattle and 253 sheep. Hogs and sheep are, quoted firmer while cattle sre slower. Buling prices are:
Hogs—Beat, 5 % 5 % c; medium, 4 % 6 4 % c.
Cattle—Beat, \$4.25@4.50; medium, \$3.75@

Sheep-Best, 31/2; medium, 3c. BOSTON COPPER CLOSE.

Boston, Jan. 19 .-- Copper close: Victoria
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