MINING, BUSINESS AND STOCKS

STOCKS HIGHER ON MINING EXCHANGE

Colorado Mining Reaches New High Record for This Year.

HEAVY SALES OF SIOUX CON.

Curb Has Lively Market in Unlisted Stocks—Demijohn is Disposed of At Twelve Cents.

Throughout the morning session of the exchange, stocks were higher, with the market in somewhat of a bullish condition. Black Jack was the first to show any signs of the attitude of the market and although it sold for 38 and 39 cents there was a tendency to draw out the stock.

Colorado mining reached a new record for the year 1909, when it sold for $3.67½. The present conditions at the mine as well as the way in which the mine is looked upon by eastern people has brought the public into the market in hopes of the price going up.

Considerable attention has been shown in Sioux Consolidated lately and the stock has thus far gone through without any heavy breaks. At present there is plenty of stock on the market, as it is understood that several of the heavy stockholders have unloaded a small portion of their holdings. It is understood that physical conditions at the mine are as good as ever, but the large amount of stock held by the public has made the stock "fussy."

An effort was made again this morning to trim Iron Blossom, but the price remained remarkably steady under the conditions. It was slightly better this morning than at the close yesterday.

FORENOON QUOTATIONS.

Listed Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Addie	$.....	$ .11
Ajax	.28	.30
Albion	.....	.24
Alice	2.60	3.00
Beck Tunnel Con	.75	.78
Big Hill	.02½	.05¼
Bingham Amalgamated	.12½	.15
Black Jack Con	.39	.39½
Bonnie Brier	.01	.03
Brooklyn Con	.....	.07
Bullock	.06¾	.07
Carisa	.89	1.00
Century	.12	.....
Colorado Mining	3.05	3.10
Columbus Con	1.52½	1.60
Con. Mercur	$.....	.34
Crown Point	.18	.19
Daly Judge	4.20	4.75
Dragon	.37	.....
Dromedary Hump	.....	.12
Eagle & Blue Bell	.70	.....
Eagle's Nest	.....	.11
East Tintic Dev	.....	.06
Emerald	.....	.20
Galena	.03	.....
Godiva	.....	.30
Gold Circle Crown	.....	.30
Goldfield Daisy	.57	.....
Grand Central	2.75	2.80
Ibex	.....	.14½
Indian Queen	.13	.13½
Ingot	.01	.02
Inyo	.01	.06½
Iron Blossom	2.35	2.37½
Iron Hat	.00½	.....
Iron King Con	.12	.17
Joe Bowers	.01	.02½
Keystone	.31	.35
King David	.....	.51
King William	.40	.43
Lead King	.00½	.03
Little Bell	2.45	2.50
Little Chief	.20	.23
Lower Mammoth	.23½	.27
Mason Valley	2.50	2.55
May Day	.25	.26
Mountain Lake	.35	.36
Nevada British	.....	.33
Nevada Fairview	.....	.02
Nevada Hills	1.52½	1.67½
New York	.03½	.04
North Cliff	.01½	.02½
Newhouse	5.00	5.25
Prince	1.45	1.55
Richmond Anaconda	.....	.20
Silver King	4.22½	4.30
Sacramento	.03	.....
Scottish Chief	.....	.05
Seven Troughs	.20½	.21
Silver Shield	.09¾	.12½
Sioux Con	1.32½	1.35
South Columbus Con	.54	.55
Southern Swansea	.....	.04
Swansea Con	.30	.31½
Swansea Ext	.....	.04
Stray Dog	.03	.08
So. Iron Blossom	.....	.08
Tetro	.15½	.16
Tintic Central	.09¾	.09½
Tintic Silver	.....	.12½
Tintic Silver Crown	.22½	.25
Uintah P. M. L. Co.	.....	.75
Uncle Sam Con	.46½	.47
United Mercur	.....	.05
Utah Con. (Tintic)	.18	.19
Victor Con.	.12	.13
Victoria	1.80	1.92½
Wabash	.17	.25½
Wes. Nev.	.42½	.48
Yankee Con.	.26	.....
Yerington Copper	.07	.07½
Zenoll	.05	.10

Unlisted Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Seven Trough Coal	1.00	.....
Bing. Cent. Standard	.27	.27½
East Crown Point	.02	.....
Demijohn	.12	.12½
East Tintic Con	.04½	.....
Cedar	.05	.05½
Plutus	.17½	.18
Weimer Copper	.04	.....
Uintah Treas Hill	.23	.....
Mineral Flat	.12	.12½
Eureka Swansea Ext	.10	.12
Bingham Standard	.13½	.....

FORENOON SALES.

B. Jack, 500 at 38; 500 at 39.
Colorado, 200 at 3.07½.

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In 105 Preferred Utah Sugar Stock was eagerly bought at from $10 to $11 per share. TODAY preferred Utah-Idaho Sugar stock with greater assurance of safe returns than the old company alone ever had, can be bought at $8.90 per share. This stock is good and will yet again sell at or above 'Par. The officers include Joseph F. Smith, President; Thos. R. Cutler, Vice President, and General Manager; and other capable and safe directors. The time to buy for investment is when others want to sell. The prefered stock IN SIX YEARS has never failed to pay EVERY QUARTER 1¾ cents per share dividends. If you have money BUY NOW. We buy and sell this and other stocks and our price is the fair market price at the time your order reaches us.

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This Morning's Metals.

SILVER,	52⅝
COPPER, (cathodes)	14 3-16
LEAD,	4.20

NEW YORK QUOTATIONS.

LEAD, dull,	4.17@4.22
COPPER, easy,	14⅝@14¾

Col. Con., 100 at 1.52½; 800 at 1.55.
Crown Point, 500 at 18.
Indian Queen, 2,000 at 13.
Iron Blossom, 500 at 2.35.
New York, 3,800 at 3½.
Newhouse, 200 at 5.50.
Seven Troughs, 3,950 at 21.
Sioux Con., 1,000 at 1.30; 8,500 at 1.32½.
South Columbus Con., 1,500 at 55; 200 at 54.
Tintic Central, 6,500 at 9¼.
Utah Con., 500 at 18½.

OPEN BOARD.

Black Jack, 500 at 39½.
Bullock, 1,000 at 7, B. 60; 1,100 at 6¾.
Carisa, 100 at 1.00.
Colorado, 600 at 3.07½.
Grand Cen., 100 at 2.80.
Ind. Queen, 5,500 at 13½.
Iron Blossom, 1,000 at 2.37½; 1,000 at 2.40, B. 30.
L. Bell, 100 at 2.50.
Mt. Lake, 200 at 35.
Sioux Con., 1,700 at 1.32½; 2,000 at 1.35, B. 10; 3,700 at 1.35.
Swansea, 500 at 30½.
Tin. Cent., 2,600 at 9½; 5,000 at 9¾, B. 60; 14,000 at 9¾; 11,000 at 10, B. 60.

TOTALS.

	Shares.	Amount.
Regular	39,850	$39,814.25
Open	58,300	22,102.75
	89,150	$41,917.00

AFTERNOON QUOTATIONS.

Listed Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Addie	.....	.07
Ajax	.28	.30
Albion	.....	.24
Alice	2.60	2.75
Beck Tunnel Con	.76	.79
Big Hill	.02½	.05½
Bingham Amalgamated	.15	.20
Black Jack Con	.38½	.39
Bonnie Brier	.....	.02
Brooklyn Con	.03	.06½
Bullock	.06½	.07
Boston Con	15.25	.....
Carisa	.9 9	1.00
Century	.12	.30
Colorado Mining	3.07½	3.10
Columbus Con	1.50	1.65
Con. Mercur	.32	.34
Crown Point	.19	.20
Daly Judge	4.20	4.75
Dragon	.39	.44
Dromedary Hump	.....	.11½
Eagle & Blue Bell	.70	1.00
Eagle's Nest	.....	.11
East Tintic Dev.	.....	.06
Emerald	.....	.20
Galena	.03½	.....
Godiva	.....	.30
Gold Circle Crown	.....	.30
Goldfield Daisy	.55	.75
Grand Central	2.75	2.80
Ibex	.....	.14
Indian Queen	.13	.14
Ingot	.01	.01¼
Inyo	.....	.07
Iron Blossom	2.37½	2.40
Iron King Con	.12	.15
Joe Bowers	.01	.02½
Keystone	.30½	.34
King David	.40	.51
King William	.40	.43
Lead King	.00½	.03
Little Bell	2.45	2.75
Little Chief	.20	.20½
Lower Mammoth	.23½	.27
Mason Valley	2.52½	2.55
May Day	.25	.27
Mountain Lake	.35	.36
Nevada British	.....	.33½
Nevada Fairview	.....	.02
Nevada Hills	1.52½	1.60
New York	.04½	.04
North Cliff	.....	.02½
Newhouse	5.10	5.30
Prince Con	1.52½	1.50
Richmond Anaconda	.....	.20
Sacramento	.03	.07
Scottish Chief	.01	.04
Seven Troughs	.20	.21
Silver Shield	.09½	.13
Sioux Con.	1.35	1.37½
South Columbus Con.	.54	.55
Southern Swansea	.....	.03½
Swansea Con.	.30½	.31½
Swansea Ext.	.....	.04
Stray Dog	.03	.....
Silver King Coal.	4.05	4.30
Tetro	.15½	.16½
Tintic Central	.09¾	.10
Tintic Silver	.....	.12½
Tintic Silver Crown	.22	.25
Uintah P. M. L	.....	.75
Uncle Sam Con.	.46½	.47½
United Mercur	.....	.05
Utah Con. (Tintic)	.18	.19
Victor Con.	.12	.13
Victoria	.75	.....
Western Nev.	.43	.44½
Wabash	.16	.25½
Yerington National	.17½	.....
Yankee Con.	.26	.35
Yerington Copper	.06¾	.07¼
Zenoll	.05	.....

AFTERNOON SALES.

Black Jack, 900 at 38½.
Colorado, 400 at 3.10.
Indian Queen, 1,000 at 13½.
Iron Blossom, 100 at 2.37½.
Mason Valley, 100 at 2.55.
Seven Troughs, 500 at 21, buyer 30; 500 at 21.
Sioux Con., 6,300 at 1.35; 1,000 at 1.37½, buyer 30.
Tintic Central, 1,100 at 9¾.
Uncle Sam, 400 at 47½.
Yerington Copper, 1,000 at 7.

CURB MARKET.

Considerable activity was shown on the curb market this morning and a large number of stocks were drawn out. Demijohn registered three sales of small lots at 12 cents. Bingham Central Standard sold for 26½ and 27 cents. Bingham Standard was also disposed of at 13½ cents. A bid of 31 was made for Seven Troughs coalition.

WORK AT COPPER BULLION.

Activity has been revived in the Santaquin mining district and considerable work is being done there at present. Under the direction of C. W. Cook, president of the Copper Bullion mine, work is being pushed on that property. The shaft in the mine is now down 200 feet and work has just been commenced to sink another 200 feet. Most of the work has been through a granite formation, but Mr. Cook contends that the ore continues to increase in volume and increase in quality.

Assays have been made on some of the ore taken from the property which assays as high as 20 per cent copper, with good showing of gold and silver. It is the intention of the company to cross cut the vein at the 400 foot level.

Another property that is being worked is that of the Union Chief. At present eight men are on duty there.

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EXCELLENT MATTE FROM FINK PLANT

Produces Product With a Saving Of Seventy Per Cent In Values.

FIGURES ON NEW PROCESS.

Can Smelt Matte at One-Eighth Cost Of Old Method With Greater Savings—What Smelter Men Say.

Some excellent matte from the new Fink Smelter at Arthur, near Garfield, was shown to a number of mining and smelter men this morning. All expressed themselves as certain that the matte was of as good quality as any produced by the old process. According to information obtained this morning the saving under the new method of ore treatment is 70 per cent of the values and that this is done at a cost of 50 cents a ton for smelting.

It is understood that concentrates used at the plant cost $4 a ton for treatment at the American Smelting & Refining smelter. These same concentrates were used at the Fink smelter and produced an excellent quality of matte at an actual cost of 50 cents. Instead of 100 men as is required at the old smelters, eight men can do the work at the Fink plant.

The building of the new smelter in Pine canyon by the Cole-Ryan people will cost in the end about $10,000,000. It is said that with the new process a plant that could treat the same amount of ores could be erected at $400,000 and the saving in fuel and labor would be about 87 per cent.

A smelting engineer who recently visited the plant says that practically by one step is the ore smelted. A charge is mixed and placed in one of the two cylinders, composing a unit, where they are roasted from the gasses arising from the smelting process in the other, the two cylinders smelting and roasting alternately. Thus the smelting is done with one charge of fuel, without the old cooling process. The mechanism is so handled that the smelter fumes are caught and not sent out through the stack into the air. The cylinders are kept constantly in motion.

"The production of matte was made very successfully while I was there recently," says H. P. Saunders. "Then the slag is tapped off and silica is introduced for reducing or slagging the ferrous exide. While the matte is being stirred by the revolving cylinders the blowers get in their work, and blister copper is produced. The converter slag remains in the cylinder with the next charge of concentrates, thus assisting the roasting process. In other words, there is only one apparatus necessary, where several are used in the old process."

SMELTER DIRECTORS' MEETING.

International Concern to Hold Session Within Next Few Days.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 13.—The Republican today says:

The interests identified with the International Smelting & Refining company will hold a meeting within the next few days for the purpose of organization. There will be 15 directors representing banking business and mining interests. Dennis Sheedy, who recently tendered his resignation as a member of the board of directors and executive committee of the American Smelting & Refining company, will probably go on the board. One other smelting director is also expected to join the forces of the new company.

It is stated that at least two smelting and refining plants will be erected in Colorado, besides others in the various western mining districts. The construction of the new plants will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible and will be completed before the close of the year.

UNCLE SAM'S NEW MAP.

Mining Districts of the Western States by Geological Survey.

A report on the production of gold, silver, copper, lead, and zinc in the western states, which has just been published by the United States geological survey as an advance chapter from "Mineral Resources of the United States, Calendar Year 1907," is accompanied by a map that, because of its unique character, deserves special mention.

The map is 35 by 51 inches, each inch representing approximately 40 miles. Its eastern limit is the western Dakotas and on south. Its western limit is the Pacific coast and its north and south limits are the Canadian line and the Mexican border. The various mining districts are represented by red dots and more than 4,200 of these are on the map. Each foot is numbered and a corresponding number in the map legend is applied to the name of the district. Other signs are also given besides the dots representing gold and silver camps. Symbols are also given for platinum, iron, quicksilver, antimony, tin, nickel, cobalt and manganese.

The report of which the map forms a part may be obtained free of charge, until the comparatively small edition is exhausted, by applying to the director of the survey at Washington, D. C. It is expected, however, that the supply of the book will fall far short of meeting the demand for the map by mining engineers and others interested in the mineral development of the west, and a special though small edition of the map has been prepared for sale. The price has been fixed at 25 cents. As the map in this edition is not folded it is much better adapted for mounting for wall use than that in the report.

NEW YORK CURB.

Butte & London, ⅝@⅞; Cumberland Ely, 8⅛@8⅝; Giroux Con., 8¼@8¾; Nevada Con., 18⅛@18⅛; Nevada Utah, 2 11-16@2¾; Nipissing, 9⅜@10; Newhouse, 5¼@5⅝; Tennessee Copper, 44¼@44½; Utah Copper, 44⅛@45; Davis Daly, 2⅝@2⅞; Dominion Copper, 1 9-16@11-16; Ely Central, ¾@⅞; Ely Con., 16@18; Furnace Creek, 9@10; Greene G. ⅝; S. Com., 5@8 Mitchell, ½@⅝; Montgomery Shoshone, 15-16@1 1-16; Nevada Smelting, ⅞@1; Silver Queen, 92@98; King Edward, ⅝@¾; Foster Cobalt, 50@53; Ray Con., 8⅜@8¾; Cobalt Central, 55@57; McKinley-Darragh, 97@102; Tintic Mining, 3½@4½; Gibraltar, 3@5; Begola, 2¼@2¾; First Natl. Copper, 7@7¼; Boston Cons., 15¼@15½; Yukon Gold, 4 5-16@4 71-6; North Butte Extension, 6@8, Miami Copper, 13¾@14; B. S. Gas, 1⅜@1½; Penna-Wyoming, 10@12; Tl Rayo, 3@3¾.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following from San Francisco, on Nevada mining stocks today:

COMSTOCK.

Ophir, 1.57½@1.60; Mexican, 99@1.00; Gould & Curry, 14@15; Con. Va., 18 bid; Savage, 36 bid; Hale & Norcross, 38 bid; Belcher, 45@46; Confidence, 1.35 bid; Exchequer, 35 bid; Union, 44@45; Challar, 20 bid.

TONOPAH.

Montana Tonopah, 74 bid; Tonopah Extension, 45 bid; MacNamara, 26 bid; Tonopah Belmont, 81 bid; Tonopah Lone Star, 3@4; West End Cons., 38 bid; Rescue, 3@4; Jim Butler, 17 bid.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following quotations on San Francisco mining stocks, received this morning over their private wire:

GOLDFIELD.

Colorado Mtn., 17 asked; Booth, 26 bid; Blue Bull, 11@12; Adams, 3 bid, Silver Pick, 10 bid; Nevada Boy, 3 asked; Blue Bell, 4@5; Dixie, 2 asked; Hibernia, 2 bid; Conqueror, 6@7; Black Rock, 1 asked; Oro, 12@13; Kendall Ext., 3 asked; Mayne, 1 bid; Atlanta, 14@15; Great Bend, 18@19; Empire, 2 bid; Red Top Ext., 6@7; Florence, 4.33½ bid; Diamondfield B. B. Con., 8@10; Goldfield Deisy, 63@65; Combination Fraction, 1.22½@1.25; Great Bend Ext., 4@5; Great Bend Annex, 5 asked; B. B. Bonanza, 1 bid; Kewanos, 23@25; Portland, 4@5; Crackerjack, 5@6; F. Mohawk, 10 bid; Red Hills, 15@16; Mohawk, 1 bid; Y. Tiger, 17 bid; Grandma, 4@5; S. P. Ext., 1@2; Goldfield Con., 8.11½; bid; Diamondfield Triangle, 3@4; Florence Ext., 6 bid.

SHIPPING ELATERITE.

At present considerable elaterite is being shipped by the Raven Mining company from Soldier Summit. All the gilsonite that it coming out of the company's property is by way of Price. According to Superintendent Ferron, the company is preparing for a larger output in the spring. Work is being done during the winter months so as to be prepared for the increased work of spring.

NEW YORK CURB RANGE.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following, received over their private wire yesterday afternoon:

Stock.	High.	Low.	Sales.
Cum. Ely	9	8½	25000
Nevada Utah	2¾	211-16	1200
Giroux Con.	9	7⅞	18000
Tintic Mining	4	4	100
Boston Con.	15⅝	15½	300
Nevada Con.	18⅞	18⅝	800
Yukon Gold	4⅞	4⅝	700
Mont. Sho.	1	1	300
Miami Copper	14	13⅞	2800
Cobalt Central	60	56½	15000
Ray Con.	8¾	8⅝	1200

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Stock.	High.	Low.	Sales.
Newhouse	5⅝	5¼	305
Utah Copper	44¼	44¼	200
Tenn. Copper	44¾	43⅞	1800

GOVERNMENT BOND LIST.

2's reg'd, 3@2; Coupons, 3 bid; 3's reg'd, 100¾@101½; coupons, 100¾@101½; short bonds, 100 bid; 4's reg'd, 19½@20¼; coupons, 20½ bid; Panama, 2's 2@3; coupons, 2 bid; Panama, 1938's 2½@3; Dis't. Col., 109 bid; Phillipine 4's 100 bid.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

James A. Pollock & Co., bankers and brokers, furnish the following, received over their private wire this afternoon:

Stock.	Hgh.	Low.	Sales
Boston Con.	15⅝	15⅝	350
Butte Coalition	26	25¾	1400
Butte & London	.....	40	.....
Cal. & Arizona	116	114½	45
Copper Range	78¾	78¼	519
Cumberland Ely	9	8 1-16	7820
Davis Daly	3	2⅝	4155
East Butte	8	7½	45
Giroux Cons.	8⅝	7¾	2530
Greene-Cananea	11⅝	11½	1175
Nevada Cons.	18⅝	18½	320
Nevada Utah	2¾	211-16	345
Nipissing	9⅞	9⅝	110
North Butte	81	80	2531
Trinity	15⅞	15½	385
Unit. Cop. com.	14½	14¼	15
U. S. Smelt. com.	44½	44½	255
U. S. Smelt. pfd.	46¼	46	23
Utah Cons	44½	43¾	705

BOSTON COPPER CLOSE.

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5 First National Bank of Ogden, $250.
500 Independent Coal, 80c.
100 Utah-Arizona Gold & Copper Mining, 10c.
2 Commercial National Bank, $127.
100 Utah-Idaho Sugar Pfd., ex-dividend, $8.50.
100 Utah-Idaho Sugar, Com., $3.05.
1000 People's Coal, 30c.

Black Mtn., 3⅛@3¼; Cumberland Ely, 8⅞@9; Dominion Copper, 48@50; Globe, 6½@7; Helvetia, 4@4½; Majestic, 76@79; Nipissing, 9⅝@10; Shawmut, 7@10; Gas, 73; First National, 71-16@7⅛; Chemung, 19½; B. & L., 40 asked; Davis Daly, 2⅝@2⅞; Giroux, 8¼@8¾; Hancock, 12 asked; Kew, 4⅞@5⅛; Nevada Utah, 2 11-16@2 13-16; Raven, 86@87; Troy, 12@13; Yukon, 4⅛@4 5-16; S. & B., 16@18½; Rh. Coalition, 69@71; Arcadian, 36@38; C. & A., 1.15@1.16; Cent., 32@33; Cop. Range, 78½@79; Franklin, 15⅛@16; G. C., 11½@11¾; Mass., 5⅛@5¾; N. B., 80½@80¾; Mohawk, 69@70; Osceola, 1.29@1.31; Quincy, 93¾@94; Santa Fe, 2¼@2¾; Tamarack, 78@80; Trinity, 15¼@15¾; Utah Con., 43¾@45; Victoria, 4½@5; Wolverine, 1.32@1.55; Zinc, 24@24½; Corbin, 20½@20¾; Royale, 24⅛@24½; Miami, 13¾@14; Newhouse, 5¼@5⅝; U. S. S., com., 44½@45; do., pfd., 46@46½; Ariz. Coml., 25⅝@26; B. Coaln, 25¼@25½; C. & H., 665@670; C. M., 31@38; D. W., 10@10½; Granby, 106@107; La Salle, 13⅝@14; Old Dom., 54⅝@55; Michigan, 12½@13½; Nevada Con., 18⅝@18⅞; Parrot, 28½@29; R. L., 5@5¼; Shannon, 16⅝@16¾; T. C., 43¾@44½; United Cop., 14⅝@14⅞; Utah Cop., 44@44½; Winona, 5@6; Wyandot, 3½@⅝; Boston Con., 15¼@15½; East Butte, 7⅞@8; Lake, 21¼@21½; Oil, 28@28½; North Lake, 6¾@⅞; Apex, 5⅞@6.

OFFERINGS FREE, CLOSING IRREGULAR

New York, Jan. 13.—Most of the standard railroad stocks were little changed today from last night's prices in the opening dealings but there were wide movements in some of the minor stocks. Wisconsin Central preferred advanced 2¾. National Biscuit 2, and Toledo, St. Louis & Western 1½. A decline of ⅝ in St. Paul was the largest change shown in the mixed results in the general list.

Stocks began to be offered more freely than the market could absorb and there was a rather sharp break, in which Union Pacific and the New York utilities stocks were prominent. Erie first preferred declined 1⅞; the second preferred 1. Colorado Fuel 1⅝. Amalgamated Copper, Consolidated Gas, Westinghouse Electric 1¼ and St. Paul, Union Pacific, Southern Railway and Pressed Steel Car preferred 1. Chicago Great Western preferred "A" sold at 2, a loss of 5½. National Biscuit extended its rise to 4, and American Smelting and St. Louis Southwestern gained 1.

Intermittent selling carried prices to successively lower levels without much interruption. Stocks of fertilizer companies were the exceptions to the weakness. American Agricultural Chemical, Virginia-Carolina Chemical and American Cotton Oil rising 1 to 1½. St. Paul was notably weak at a decline of 2. Amalgamated Copper lost 1¾ and a large number of others a point or more.

Bonds were irregular.

A better tone prevailed during the noon hour but the demand was languid and the recoveries were poorly held. Pacific coast yielded 3 points.

There was practically no change in the speculative condition during the best part of the afternoon. Transactions were few in number and the price variations unimportant except that a few minor stocks covered a wide range. Chicago & Alton sagged 3¾ and Chicago & St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha preferred 6.

The market closed irregular. The action of the market became very irregular in the last hour. On a renewed decline Wabash preferred sold 2 lower than last night, Western Union 1¾ and People's Gas 1½. New York Central rose rapidly 2¼ and Erie 1⅝ over last night, and the market rallied briskly. Toledo, St. Louis & Western gained 3 in all. The advances were not fully held.

LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated, 18,000; market steady. Beeves, 4.00@7.35; Texans, 4.35@5.25; westerns, 4.00@5.60; stockers and feeders, 3.25@5.00; cows and heifers, 1.75@5.50; calves, 7.50@9.25.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, esti-

Hogs—Estimated, receipts, 32,000; market 10c higher. Lights, 5.00@6.10; mixed, 6.00@6.30; rough, 5.75@5.90; good to choice heavy, 5.90@6.40; pigs, 4.40@6.40; bulk, 5.90@6.20.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated 15,000; market strong. Native, 3.25@5.85; western, 3.25@5.90; yearlings, 6.25@7.25; lambs, natives, 5.25@8.15; westerns, 5.25@8.10.

OMAHA.

Omaha, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,100; market steady to strong. Western steers, 3.50@6.40; Texas steers, 3.00@5.25; range cows and heifers, 2.75@4.75; canners, 2.00@3.00; stockers and feeders, 3.75@5.40; calves, 4.00@8.00; bulls and stags, 3.25@5.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,800; market 5 to 10c higher. Heavy, 5.75@6.10; mixed, 5.75@5.90; lights, 5.50@6.06; pigs, 3.50@5.25; bulk of sales, 5.80@6.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 900; market steady. Yearlings, 6.00@7.00 wethers, 5.00@5.75; ewes, 4.00@5.25; lambs, 6.75@7.75.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000; market steady. Stockers and feeders, 3.25@5.75; bulls, 3.25@5.00; calves, 4.00@8.50; western steers, 4.00@6.25; western cows, 3.00@5.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; market 10c higher. Bulk of sales, 5.60@6.10; heavy, 6.00@6.20; packers and butchers, 5.60@6.15; lights, 5.40@5.95; pigs, 4.75@5.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; market steady. Muttons, 5.00@6.10; range wethers, 4.00@6.90; fed ewes, 3.00@5.35.

WOOL.

ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Jan. 13.—Wool, unchanged. Territory and western mediums, 17@21; fine mediums, 15@17; fine, 12@16.

BOSTON.

Boston, Jan. 12.—Trading in the local wool market has revived and several large transfers are reported.

Prices hold firm, especially in fleece wools, although the demand runs through all grades.

The leading domestic quotations range as follows:

Scoured values:

Texas fine, 12 months, 60@62; fine, 6 to 8 months, 52@55; fine, fall, 48@50.

California—Northern, 55@58; middle county, 48@50; southern, 40@42; fall free, 42@45.

Oregon—Eastern No. 1, staple, 70@72; eastern No. 1, clothing, 53@55; valley No. 1, 46@48.

Territory—Fine staple, 68@65; fine medium staple, 62@65; fine clothing, 57@60; fine medium clothing, 55@57; half-blood, 60@62; three-eighths blood, 52@56; quarter blood, 50@52.

Pulled—Extra, 60@62; fine, 57@60; A supers, 62@65.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Leading bulls supported the wheat market here today causing a moderate rally after a weak opening. There was quite general selling at the start and initial quotations were ¼ higher to ⅜@½ lower. Within the first 15 minutes, however, all of the opening losses had been regained and for a time, the market held firm. A steadily improving demand for the cash grain and small receipts were bullish factors, but these were offset by weak cables. May opened at 1.04 to 1.04⅛ and sold at 1.05⅛.

A moderate advance was scored in corn prices owing to the light movement. May opened a shade to ⅛@¼ higher at 61½ to 61⅝ and sold at 61⅞.

Oats were firm owing to light receipts. Prices at the start were unchanged to ⅛ higher. May opened at 41½ to 51⅝ and later sold at 51⅝@51¾.

Provisions were firm because of fairly active demand by commission houses inspired by a 10c advance in live hogs. Prices at the opening were a shade to 5c higher.

Close—Wheat—May, 1.06; July, 97¼; Sept., 94.

Corn—Jan., 57¾; May, 61½@61⅝; July, 61⅝@61¾; Sept., 62.

Oats—May, 51½@51⅝; July, 48⅝; Sept., 29¼.

Pork—Jan., 16.50; May, 16.70.

Lard—Jan., 9.20; May, 9.30; July, 9.82½.

Ribs—Jan., 8.60; May, 8.82½; July, 8.95.

98.20¼.

Rye—Cash, 76¼; May, 77½.

Barley—Cash, 61@67.

Timothy—March, 4.68.

Clover—March, 9.40.

The wheat market rallied sharply during the last half of the day. The top for May was reached at 1.06. The close was strong with prices at almost the top, May being up 1⅜ at 1.06.

Corn—The early buoyancy was lost during the final hour owing to profit-taking. The close was steady, May ¼ higher at 57⅞@58.

NEW YORK CLOSING STOCKS.

New York, Jan. 13.

Amalgamated Copper	86⅝
American Car & Foundry	47⅞
American Locomotive	56
American Smelting & Refining	85
Am. Smelting & Refining pfd	103
American Sugar Refining	127½
Anaconda Mining Co.	47½
Atchison	98⅝
Atchison pfd	100¼
Baltimore & Ohio	109¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	68
Canadian Pacific	175
Chesapeake & Ohio	56½
Chicago Northwestern	174¼
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	147⅛
Colorado Fuel & Iron	40¼
Colorado & Southern	66⅛
Delaware & Hudson	176
Denver & Rio Grande	38¼
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	79¾
Erie	30¾
Great Northern pfd	142⅛
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	70½
Illinois Central	142½
International Paper bid	11½
Interborough Met	15
Interborough Met. pfd	43
Louisville & Nashville	122½
Missouri Pacific	68¼
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	42¾
National Biscuit	107
National Lead	76½
New York Central	127⅝
Northern Pacific	138½
Pacific Mail	33½
Pennsylvania	131⅞
People's Gas	102
Pressed Steel Car	40½
Pullman Palace Car, bid	169

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