

Business closed on the exchange today with the sale of 17,806 shares for the sum of \$17.256.62. The sales of the week amounted to \$112,579.48, which represented the sale of 108,625 shares of stock. Lower Mammoth, Star Consolidated and Mammoth have furnished the features of the week. A phenomenal business has been done in Lower Mammoth, which has sold between \$1.22 and \$1.75% per share since last Monday. The strike on the 860 level and the generally improved condition of the mine is responsible for the spurt. The stock was weaker today and sold down to

\$1.6974. Star Consolidated was also very much in evidence this week. The stock weakened to about 65 during the week after selling at 78 on Monday. It was much stronger on the exchange today, when over 8,000 shares changed hands at prices ranging between 71 and 87%. The stock closed quite firm. Mammoth was sensational yesterday afternoon on a rumor that a big strike had been made. The stock sold up to \$2.50, but after opening at \$2.41 today it declined to around \$2.26. Grand Central has weakened to \$5.50 today after being held at \$5.921/2 with \$5.70 bid on Monday. Daly-West has been strong, selling up to \$26 .-70, but it is a little weaker today at \$26.25. Ingot has advanced during the week and the sale of 1,000 shares at 41/2 is reported today. A material decline is reported today in Consolidated Mercur. On Monday the stock was held at \$3.97%, but it has shrunk to \$3.45 since then. A couple of hundred shats changed hands today around the above figure. May Day continues steady around 42%, while Silver Shield is firm around 26. Swansea was a little off to-day, when 200 shares sold around \$3.50. Martha Washington has been active this week. A decline is recorded in Bullion-Beck and Ajax, but Tetro is much stronger owing to favorable reports from the mine. Closing quotations were posted as fol-

lows: Bid. Asked

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DESERET EVENING NEWS: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1900.

tween four and five feet of mixed cop per ore is showing, that includes some first-class, but is mostly fine milling quality. The Fortune will send anquality. The Fortune will send an-other lot of ore down the road between

the holidays. When at highest speed the Highland wire tram at present dumps 120 buckets an heur. The buckets are distributed along the wire 250 feet apart-this distance to be reduced when the enlarged smelter calls for a greater delivery of ore. A higher speed to increase deliv-ery would be likely to cause vibration and increase liability to accidents.

Spanish Fork Canyon Claims.

Special Correspondence. Provo, Dec. 22 .- Eight notices of lacer locations, each location containing 160 acres, have been recorded in the county recorder's office. The ground appropriated embraces sections 27 and 28, township 10 south, range 5 east, situ-ated south and east of the Red Narrows in Spanish Fork canyon. The follow-

In Spanish Fork caryon. The tonow-ing are the locators, each having an eighth interest in each location: Nellie M. Bialr, Geo. E. Biair, J. B. Moore, W. C. Crawford, L. C. Johnson, Chas Smith Jr., W. J. Seare and A. J. Seare, The claims are stated in the notices location to be located on a valuable bed or deposit of oil sand.

Tintic Shipments.

The shipments from the district for the past week are as follows, says the

Tintic Miner: Cars of Ore Godiva.. May Day..... Humbug......1 Grand Central.....10 Carissa... Tesora..... Joe Bowers..... Swansea..... Star Cons. South Swansea..

Cars.

Concentrates. Eureka Hill

MINING NOTES.

Capt. De Lamar Announces That No The North Mammoth tunnel is now Monthly Statement Will be Made. : in 800 feet.

On Monday the fortunate stockhold-

ers of the Silver King Mining company

will receive checks amounting to \$100,-

000, in payment of the extra dividend

declared for Christmas. This makes

\$175,000 paid by this company during

the present month, and it is probable

true that no Christmas present of such

proportions has been paid by any other

company in Utah. The payment of this

sum enables, this matchiess mine to

close the year with the record of \$1,000,-

000 in dividends to its credit for the past

twelve months. The payment of this

sum makes the total paid in dividends

thus far this month amount to \$228,500.

The Daly West has not declared an ex-

tra for the holidays, but it is practi-

ally settled that the company will be-

gin distributing \$45,000 monthly eitner in

January next or after the annual meet-

CON. MERCUR REPORT.

De Lamar the officers of the Con. Mer-cur in this city will not make public

they have done since the consolidation last summer. It may be thought that

this is caused by a decrease in the amount of bullion turned out, which has failen short of the record made during

the first month of the consolidation

Whether or not the output for Novem-ber is much short of that of October

cannot be learned, and in the absence

not refer to decreased shipments as be-

ing responsible for the change of poli-

cy. It is stated that it is due to the

influence of Eastern stockholders who

have opposed the monthly statement

plan from its inception. Some of them

the mailing of the monthly statements tends to bring them into disrepute

among people who consider men who

dabble in mines as unsafe persons. There may be something to this reason

of Captain De Lamar's, in England or

object principally, it is said, because

positive information it were folly to speculate. It is well to know, how-ever, that the captain's telegram does

ing in February.

A car of ore was at the sampler to-day from Boise, Idaho, Acting under instructions from Capt. The Ophir Hill was on the market tothe earnings of the Mercur mines, as day with eight cars of concentrates.

The Humbug, of Tintic, had a car of high grade ore on the market today. The Grand Central, of Tintic, had five the cars of ore on the market today.

Five cars of ore from the Horn Silver at Frisco, reached the market today. The Bingham Copper and Gold com-pany reported another car of ore today.

The force at the R. G. W. has been increased to run a crosscut across the vein.

Five cars of concentrates were re ported today from the Eureka Hill, of Tintle The Tetro company is said to have struck some fine looking quartz on the

200 level. The management of the West Morning Clory at Tintie are arranging for the resumption of work on that prop-

erty. in the East, but it may be asked is not as great publicity given to the trans-Max Johnson reports an important actions of certain individuals by the mailing of their dividend checks. It is strike in the Pat Mehan property, one

ceedingly animated but very irregular and at widely varying net gains. CLOSING STOCKS.

Atchison, 46%; preferred, 87%; A. S. & W., 44%; A. S. & W., preferred, 87%; American Tobacco, 112; Ameri-can Tin Plate, 54; B. R. T., 84%; B. & O., 81%; C. B. & Q., 141%; C. C. C., 71; C. F. & L., 54%; C. G. W., 16%; Continental Tobacco, 2010, C. C. 41%; Continental Tobacco, 2010, C. C. 41%; Continental Tobacco, 394; C. & O., 41%; D. & R. G. 294; D. & H., 122; Federal Steel, 554 Federal Steel preferred, 791/2; Glucose 47: Illinois Central, 1201a; Jersey Cen-tral, 146; L, & N., \$73a; Leather, 14; Leather prferred, 75; M. K. & T. preferred, 46%; Manhattan, 1131/2; Misson Pacific, 69%; Metropolitan Street Rail way, 174%; Northern Pacific, 8, Northern Pacific preferred, 89; N. Northern Pacific, Northern Pacific preferred, SS; N. Y. C., 142%; Pennsylvania, 144%; Pacific Mail, 44%; Pcoples' Gas, 101½; Read-ing, 24%; Reading first preferred, 59; Rock Island, 119%; Rubber, 28; South-ern Pacific, 45; Sugar, 140%; St. Paul, 136%; U. P., 77½; U. P. preferred, 83; W. U., 83½.

SUGAR.

New York, Dec. 22 .-- Sugar-Raw, steady; fair refining, STs; centrifugal,96 test, 4%; molasses sugar, 3%. Refined-Quiet; crushed, 6; powdered, 5.70; granulated, 5.60.

MONEY AND BONDS. Close: Money on call steady, at 4

per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4% @5¼ per cent, Sterling exchange, nominal, with actual business in banker's bills at 4.84% for demand, and 4.80% (4.80% for 60 days.

Posted rates, 4.81½ and 4.85½. Commercial bills, 4.79% @4.80%. Silver certificates, 64@65. Bar silver, 6314. Mexican dollars, 50. State bonds, inactive, Railroad bonds, firm. Government bonds, weak. Re-funding 2s, registered, 1.05; do. coupon,

3s, registered and coupon, 1.10; new 4s, registered and coupon, 138; old 4s, registered, 1.15; coupon, 1.16; 5s, gistered and coupon, 1.131/2.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION.

New York, Dec. 22 .- The annual celebration on the floor of the Stock Exchange today after the two hours' trading had been disposed of, eclipsed all former records. An enormous Christmas tree had been provided and several thousand dollars had been subscribed among members of the exchange to provide a present for every one connected with the institution. Galleries were closed to the public, having been reserved for the use of the friends of the board.

Such preparations for a holiday celebration are expected to interfere with the general progress of business, but that was not the case today. The olume of orders to buy stocks has not been larger on any day during the re-cent excited bull market.

An idea of the urgent demand for stocks is afforded by the simultaneous sales recorded at the opening in some of the most important stocks. The opening sale in Northern Pacific was in one block of 16,000 shares, at a gain of a point over last night. Sugar rose General Electric 4, Brooklyn Transit 3%, St. Paul nearly 3 points, and Tennessee Coal from 2 soon after the While the buying in these opening. stocks was rather congested, the mar-ket was very broad and the demand without any discrimination. Realizing at extreme advances caused reactions running from 1 to 2 points in many active stocks, but new stocks constantly came forward into the ad-vance and there was no sign of a de-

velopment of what is usually called a holiday market. The confusion and disorder about the exchange increased as the hour approached for the festivities to begin, and there was difficulty in restraining the exuberant brokers from anticipating the stroke of twelve and keeping within the rules of conduct enforced during the hours of business on the floor of the exchange.

.00@3.00 Hogs-Receipts, 100 head; market

higher, Light packers, 4.50@4.85; mixed and heavy, 4.82%@4.87%. Sheep-Receipts, 400 head; market steady and unchanged.

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN.

San Francisco, Dec. 22 .- May wheat .03% bid; cash, 96%. Barley-No sales; cash, 73%.

DAIRY AND POULTRY.

Chicago, Dec. 21 .- On the produce exchange today the butter market was dull; creamery, 15@23%c; dairy, 12%@

Cheese-Quiet, 10%@10%. Eggs-Quiet; fresh, 20-

New York, Dec. 21.—Butter-Receipts 3,654 packages. Market steady. Cream-ery, 17@25c; June creamery, 17@25c; factory, 11%@16c.

Eggs-Receipts, 5,856 packages. Mar-ket steady. State, 24926c; western regular packing at mark, 209234c; western, loss off, 25c,

SAN FRANCISCO WOOL MARKET.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 21.-Quotations on wool today were: Spring-Nevada, 11@13c; eastern Oregon, 14c; valley Oregon, 15@17c. Fall-Mountain lambs, 9@10c: San Joaquin plains, 6@8c; Humboldt and Mendocino,

REVIEW OF WOOL MARKET.

over 37 per cent, to the highest point in many years. Mill operations were stimulated by the artificial price of the Boston, Dec. 21.-The Commercial Bulletin tomorrow will say of the wool market: "The market is steady and the sales compare favorably with those raw material, and goods were accur lated far in excess of requirements fo consumption. Speculation was active and sales at the three chief castern cities amounted to 514,436,620 pounds during the year 1899, against 232,461,131 of a year ago in the same week. Most of the business done has been in the shape of large-sized blocks of Montana, in 1898. The manufactured article di not keep pace with the material, aver Oregon and Idaho wool to one or two large mills. The American Woolen coinaging only 10 per cent advance during the same period, and, while holders were not long able to secure even this pany has bought but sparingly. Prices are firm and London cables note private sales at advancing figures. Stocks on hand are large. The sales for the week are 3,727,000

pounds domestic, and 260,500 pounds foreign, a total of 3,988,100 pounds for this week, against a total of 3,881,000 failed to materialize, while the raw pounds last week and a total of 3,-804,000 pounds for the corresponding week last year. The receipts to date show a decrease of 319,220 bales do mestic and an increase of 47.377 bales foreign, against last year. The sales to date show a decrease of 157,635,600 pounds domestic and 35,197,800 pounds foreign."

BUSINESS NOTES.

As the quotations below indicate, the upward movement of local stocks still continues. Ogden Sugar is again mounting towards \$175, where it stood last summer prior to the declaration of the dividend. The Utah Sugar company paid its dividend of 3 per cent yesterday and some curiosity was felt as to how far the stock might settle back after the disbursement. Quite a number of sales were made yesterday afternoon and this morning at \$19.10, \$19.15 and \$19.20; \$19.25 was bid today for a small block. Z. C. M. I. has again reached \$140, the highest point in its history except at the brief period prior to the panic of 1893, when several sales were recorded at \$145. Deseret Savings has also reached a new high point at \$150. The latest quotations are as follows:

Deseret National Bank \$244 00 19 20

THE WOOL MARKET DEPRESSION

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the revival of business that was gen-

erally anticipated in the wool indus-

the difficulty was of a more serious na-

turers, and it was thought that unpre-

cedented mild weather caused the trou-

ble. Probably the tardiness of low temperature had some influence, al-

though recent developments suggest

that it is necessary to search elsewhere

There, is food for thought and a par-tial solution of the problem in the ex-cessive production of goods and infla-

tion of prices last year. The average price of domestic wool rose in the sev

inditions would soon improve

Unfortunately, the desired activity

material gradually settled back until

prior to the Dingley tariff, aggregated

over \$102,500,000, putting stocks up to

en months beginning with May 1, 1899,

for the principal cause.

Seasonable weather has not brought | such a high point that it required some

time to absorb the surplus. Substitution of cotton has also had substitution of heavy clothing being offered at remarkably low prices this try, and it is becoming apparent that tenson, owing to improved methods of season, owing to improved methods of manufacture, which utilize a larger proportion of the cheaper material. Paper mills find that the better grades ture. Many manufacturers were idle during the months when heavy weight if rags are no longer offered them so reely because shoddy milis make betgoods are usually taken by jobbers and wholesalers, but it was hoped that afer terms, and the production of this ter terms, and the production of this class of goods increases noticeably. Foreign wool was imported to the ex-tent of 128,250,944 pounds in the last ter the election had disposed of all fears of a change in the tariff, stagnation would cease and normal conditions fiscal year, and about 80 per cent was prevail. Later there came a series of of the cheapest quality. Vigorous co petition among clothing dealers has disasters among dealers and manufaccendered necessary these changes in he kind of raw material used by manufactures, and it is at the expense of domestic fleeces .-- New York Tribune,

WHEAT.

The local wheat market continues to present a good demand at prices rang. ng from 46 to 49 cents, car load There is also a reasonably fair call for better grades for Eastern ment-that is to points as far east as the Missouri river.



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the present level is 22 per cent below the top, and sales for the year thus far have been only 217,541,784 pounds, against 492,163,720 in the same part of 1899. Followng such a year of heavy manufacture and high prices, it is not surprising that less activity is now ex-perienced. It has been suggested that smaller imports of manufactured woo should stimulate domestic operation and last year's record indicates that such was the case, although not entirely on that account. While imports of ods for the fiscal year 1900 were only \$15,620,486, and in 1899 only \$13,078,852, it must not be forgotten that the move-ment in the two years 1896 and 1897 just and County wanted.

Albion Alice.. 50 Anchor., ., Antler 3 50 Bullion Beck ... Boston & De Lamar.. . Blue Bird Ex., 1% Centennial Eureka.. .. 24 25 Chloride Point 1 Congor.. Daisy..... Dalton & Lark..... Dexter.. 1 00 Dalton.. 31/2 Four Aces.. Geyser Marion Galena.. 814 Galena King Grand Central.. 5 321/2 Horn Silver.. 1 10 Ingot.. 4% Joe Bowers.. Little Pittsburg Mammoth.. 2 27 Manhattan. Martha Washington . . Ontario.. 5 90 ·· ·· · 11% Petro Rocco Homestake . . . -90 39 25% Sunbeam., Sunshine.. Star Con., South Swansea.. Showers Con Tetro., j. resora............. 20% Valeo. West Mt. Placer., Yankee Con., 1048

TRANSFERS OF STOCK.

Con. Mercur, 100 at 3,50; 100 at 3,46; 100 at 3.45; 100 at 3.43; 100 at 3.40, Daly-West, 50 at 26.25. Grand Central, 100 at 5.50, Ingot, 1,000 at 412.

Lower Mammoth, 500 at 1,76; 100 at 1.75%; 25 at 1.80; 100 at 1.75; 100 at 1.74; 100 at 1.72%; 100 at 1.73; 100 at 1.71; 100 100 at 1.691/2; 100 at 1.68%. Mammoth, 100 at 2.41; 100 at 2.3215; 225 at 2.30; 300 at 2.25; 100 at 2.28; 100 at 2.2815; 100 at 2.29; 200 at 2.27; 400 at 2:26.

2.284/2; 100 at 2.28; 200 at 2.27; 400 at 2:26, May Day, 100 at 424/2; 200 at 424/2.
Northern Light, 1.500 at 75.
Silver Shield, 500 at 26.
Star Con., 1.000 at 71; 1.200 at 72; 200 at 71/2; 600 at 71/2; 200 at 70; 100 at 69%; 100 at 73%; 100 at 73/5; 100 at 73/4; 600 at 73/2; 100 at 73/4; 600 at 73/4; 100 at 73/4; 600 at 73/4; 100 at 73/4; 100 at 74/4; 500 at 73/2; 100 at 73/4; 100 at 74/4; 500 at 73/2; 100 at 74/4; 500 at 73/2; 100 at 73/4; 100 at 73/4; 100 at 73/4; 100 at 74/4; 500 at 73/2; 100 at 73/4; 100 at 738; 100 at 7816; 100 at 7814; 100 at 79; 100 at 7734; 100 at 7814; 100 at 7745; Swansea, 100 at 3.85; 100 at 3.80. Martha Washington, 1,000 at 2. Tetro, 1,000 at 7. Shares sold, 17 800.

Selling value, \$17.256.62,

WALL STREET REVIEW.

New York, Dec. 22 .- The breadth and warlety and the general tone of strength and confidence reflected in the week's stock market have never before been equalled, according to competent au-thorities. The recent large buying for banking interests and with a view to consolidation of railroad interests as well as the tacitly admitted projects " some very important readjustments of railroad capitalization are the spurt to the speculation which has its ground work a deeply underlying confidence in the sound prosperity, present and pros-pective, of the country. The case of the money market gives full sway to the speculative spirit, and has led to free discounting of the demand for troub synchronic process.

ng several properties in the interest | the final realizing movement there were

rather strange in the opinion of some men that the decision was not reached before, but whatever reasons may be at the back of the decision, it will no doubt inspire more confidence to give no report than to publish one which might prove a little disappointing.

LOWER MAMMOTH.

R. G. Wilson Says a Great Quantity

of Ore is Now in Sight. R. G. Wilson reached town today after an extended trip through the Lower Mammoth and other Tintic properties. Of the Lower Mammoth Mr. Wilson said if the value of the ore is equal to the quantity the company has all that is claimed for it. Mr. Wilson was through the mine yesterday with Mr. Dave Wood who sampled the latest development on the 800 level. The cross-cut has been run some 8 or 10 feet in ore, but it will be a few days longer before the value of the strike will be thoroughly proved. Owing to the fact that patches of extremely rich silver ere is found, it is almost impossible to determine the average value of the ore. It will need a shipment to show whether the average is 40 ounces or 120 cunces in silver, as assays running lower and higher than these figures have been made

A BIG JUDGMENT.

A Decision Against W. S. Stratton for the Sum of \$130,555.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 22 .- A judgment for \$139,555 was given in the United States circuit court here in favor of Orrin B. Peck, of Chicago, against 39%Winfield S. Stratton, the Cripple Creek millionaire. Peck had contracted to 42% erect a concentrating plant at the In-pedendence mine and Mr. Stratton claimed the contract was not fulfilled.

SPOKANE EXPOSITION.

Will be Held in 1902 to Exhibit the Mineral Wealth of Several States.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 22.-At a meet-ing presided over by Mayor J. M. Com-stock tonight and attended by 30 business and mining men it was decided to hold an exposition in Spokane from June to November, 1992. A committee was appointed to develop the details of an exposition management. Exposition of the mineral wealth of Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Montana and British columbia will be the feature show. Congress will be asked for an appropriation of \$250,000, and each State nd district represented will also contribute. Those interested in the project are the wealthiest and most prominent nining and business men of Spokane The goverors of each Northwestern State will be given official titles and be made members of the executive staff of the fair. The name adopted was the Northwestern International Mining Exposition.

Mammoth Rumors.

Every effort posishle was made today o find out the extent and value of the rumored strike in the Mammoth mine at Tintic, but nothing could be learned. Mr. McIntyre was in the mine all day and could not be reached at any time. Mr. Cunningham had heard nothing of strike, but Director Thomas W Jen nings intimated that a body of rich sil-ver ore had been found. Mr. Jennings volunteered the information that the report of a gold strike on the 1,800 level was without foundation.

Bingham Notes,

In its story of the week, the Bingham Bulletin says.

Pending a change in management, which rumor says is the result of a sale, the Last Chance laid off 15 to 18 men-this week. The mines are in fine shape—said to be looking better than it any previous time under present

CLAUS WILL ATTEND TO THE REST. Henry N. Crowther, Prof. Roberts formerly occupying chair of metallur-Cannon Book Store, 4.80/74.211 Sheep-Receipts, 200 head, Market 141 and St. Paul recovered to the top. gy in Colorado school of mines), and steady. Fed muttons, 3.70@3.90; West-erns, 3.65@3.55; common and stock sheep, 3.40@3.55; lambs, 4.00@5.00. Messrs. Lathrop and Effinger of the city were in camp yesterday, examin- ment at advances of from 1 to 1%. In stocks expected in January when prof. its will be seeking reinvestment. The demand has embraced all classes of se-

district. Just before press time Samuel Mc-Intyre, Jr., telephoned the "News" and

said that some good gold ore had been found on the 1,800 level. The Taylor-Brunton sampler reported eleven cars of ore from Tintic, five from Frisco, eight from Stockton, one from Bingham and one from Idaho today.

The shipment of ore from Col. Wall's Yampa mine, at Bingham, assayed 35 per cent lead besides gold, silver and copper. It brought \$22 per ton. The Tintic Miner says that a body of

good shipping ore has been opened up in the south drift on the 400 level of the Alaska mine at Silver City. James Long Jr., is up from Gold Mountain, where he reports a great deal of activity. The fires have been lighted under the boilers at the Annie

Laurle. Col. Heffron is still awalting news that Mr. McVichle's prospecting on the Tesora, has led to any new disclosures notwithstanding a report earlier in the

week. The Utah of Fish Springs will market a car of high grade ore on Monday. The controls show 47 per cent lead, with 166 ounces of silver per ton. There

was no talk of a Christmas dividend at noon today. Manager L. A. Copeland of the Taylor-Brunton sampler reports the iron coping being put on the new smelter tack of the American Smelting and

Refining company, which gives it a very finished appearance. The height is a little over 200 feet. Tintic Miner: George Silks, manager of the Minnie Argentum Mining Co.,

was out today to arrange for contin-uous work on the property, which lies a short distance east of the Uncle Sam and Godiva. Work will continue in the tunnel, which is being driven to cut the croppings at a depth of about 175 feet. Mr. Silks and his associates purchased the property at sheriff's sale

ast April. They propose to reorganize the company and admit all the old stockholders pro rata who are willing to pay their proportion of the assess-ment that will be necessary to reimburse Mr. Sliks and his partners.

ADVANCES ALONG THE LIST

Favorable Showing at the Opening on Wall

Street Today.

Early Sales Heavy-Reaction Makes a Lively Close-Live Stock and Produce Steady.

New York, Dec. 22 .- The market opened with advances all through the list. The opening transactions in North. ern Pacific were of 16,000 shares with an advance of one point. There was some heaviness among the steel stocks, but otherwise the market was very buoyant in tone. The demand for special stocks seemed insatiable. Sugar touched 139%, St. Paul 137 and Brooklyn Transit 84. Scattered all through the list were gains of from 1 to 11/2 Tennessee coal rose 21%, and general electric 4 points. Profit-taking forced

declines of a point or more in a half dozen of the leading stocks. Toward 11 o'clock People's gas was run up to 1021 and some other stocks were lifted strongly but without material effect on the general market. The market had fallen into a rather quiet state with the reaction from the top, but there was another outbrust of buying on the bank statement. Sugar was rushed up to

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

New York, Dec. 22.-The weekly statement of averages of the associated banks of New York shows:

Loans\$787,098,700 Circulation 30,902,500 Increase ... 178,500 Legal tenders 60,157,100 178,500Increase 820,000 Specie 159,041,000 Increase 1,385,700 Total reserve 219,198,10 2,205.5

CHICAGO MARKETS. LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Dec. 22.-Cattle-Receipts, 200 head; market nominally steady. Good to prime steers, 4.25@6.00; poor to medium, 3.65@5.30; cows, 2.40@4.00; helfers, 2.50@4.50; canners, 1.75@2.35; bulls, 2.40@4.30; calves, 3.75@5.50; bulls, 2.40@4.30; calves, 3.75@5.50; Texas fed steers, 4.00@4.85; Texas grass steers, 3.25@4.00; bulls, 2.40@3.25. steers, 3.25074.00; bulls, 2.40@3.25. Hogs-Receipts today, 19,000 head; Monday, 38,000; left over, 3,540; market about steady. Top, 4.95; mixed and butchers, 4.65@4.95; good to choice heavy, 4.75@4.95; rough heavy, 4.60@4.70; light, 4.65@4.90; bulk of sales, 4.80@4.90. Shear-Receipts, 500 head Sheep-Receipts, 500 head; market steady. Good to choice wethers, 3.70@ 4.25: fair to choice mixed, 1.75@3.65; western sheep, 3.60@4.20; Texas sheep, 2.25@3.50; native lambs, 4.00@5.25; west-ern lambs, 4.50@5.25.

PRODUCE.

Chicago, Dec. 22.-May wheat opened at 72%, touched 72%, then reacted to 7816 Close-Wheat-Dec., 70%; Jan., 70%@

Corn-Dec., 37%; 37%; May, 35%. Corn-Dec., 37%; 37%; May, 35%. Oats-Dec., 21%@14; Jan., 214; May,

Pork-Dec., 11.15; Jan., 12.20; May, 12.15

Lard-Jan., 6.80; May, 6.8714. Ribs-Dec., 6.35; Jan., 6.2714; May, 6.371

Cash-Wheat-No. 2, red, 7214@7414; No. 3, red 70@744; No. 2, hard winter, 6844@704; No. 3, do., 67@704; No. 1, northern spring, 71@7334; No. 2, do., 71@

734; No. 2, spring, 65@72. Corn-No. 2, 375; No. 3, 35. Oats-No. 2, 2242&23; No. 3, 2242. Flax-N. W., 1.60.

Rye-47. Barley-38@60, Timothy-4.85.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK. Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 22 .- Cattle-Receipts, 200 head. Market unchanged. Hogs-Receipts, 8,000 head. Market Astrony to shade lower. Bulk of sales, 4.85@4.90; heavy, 4.80@4.95; packers, 4.87\2014,95; mixed, 4.85@4.92\4; light, 4.75@4.92\4; yorkers, 4.90@4.92\4; pigs,

No sheep. OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

4.10@4.80

Ornaha, Neb., Dec. 22.-Cattle-Re-celpts, 400 head. Market nominally Native beef steers, 4.00@5.40 iteady. Western steers, 4.00@4.50; Texas steers, 3.00@4.45; cows and helfers, 3.00@4.10; canners, 1.75@2.75; stockers and feed-ers, 3.00@4.40; calves, 4.00@6.00; bulls, stags, etc., 2.25@4.00.

Hogs-Receipts 10.000 head. Market steady to shade easier. Heavy, 4.850 4.875; mixed, 4.80@4.825; light, 4.750 4.85; pigs, 4.00@4.40; bulk of sales,



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