

A BEAUTIFUL PRISONER
Charged With Robbery in Mystifying the
Authorities of Huntington.
Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.
HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Nov. 29.—
A small brunette woman, giving her
name as Helen West, is being held in
jail here on a charge of being an accomplice
in the burglary of a store, sup-
posed to be located in Harrison county,
twelve miles from Clarksburg. The
woman reached the city on last Friday
night over the Chesapeake & Ohio rail-
road, and registered at the Florentine
hotel as Helen West.

She declares that she never was in
Harrison county, and says her home is
in Chicago. A dress worn by her bears
the mark of a Chicago firm, while her
shoes have the imprint of Foreman &
Co., Vine street, Cincinnati. She is abso-
lutely mum as to her real identity and
is certainly an interesting prisoner, be-
ing highly educated and refined.
John T. Reynolds swore out the war-
rant for her arrest and immediately left
the city after her arrest, presumably
for Clarksburg or Harrison county.

The case is enshrouded in mystery, as
no one saw Reynolds except Squire
Miser, who issued the warrant.
Refused to Pardon Them.
Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.
CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 29.—
Governor Atkinson on Saturday refused
a pardon to Alex. Armstrong and Frank
Cumberland, who were sent to the peni-
tentiary two years ago from Pocahontas
county for highway robbery. They were
sentenced for eighteen and fifteen
years respectively, and their friends in
Ohio, believing them innocent, have made
strenuous efforts to secure their
release. Governor Atkinson has re-
viewed the case carefully, and after due
deliberation was convinced they were
guilty as charged. In the event they
had been released, they would have been
re-arrested immediately for another
robbery in Pocahontas, which occurred a
year before the one for which they are
now paying the penalty.

Weston Hotel War.
Special Correspondence.
WESTON, W. Va., Nov. 27.—The
trouble at the Camden Hotel broke out
anew to-night. During the day Corpening,
who claims to be sole proprietor, put
new locks on the various doors,
drawers and cases and left Nolan with-
out keys. Nolan asked Corpening for a
key to the cigar case and, being refused,
smashed the glass out of the case and
helped himself. A half hour later he re-
turned and was refused admittance be-
hind the office counter by Corpening,
whereupon he drew from his pocket a
gun and pointed it threateningly in
Corpening's face. A policeman, who
stood by, placed him under arrest, dis-
armed him and at police court he was
fined \$10 and costs.
Later in the evening Nolan swore out
warrants for Corpening and A. H.
Hodges, Cree Ervin, two temporary
clerks, charging them with assault and
battery. They were recognized to ap-
pear for trial on Monday morning.

FRANCE'S ACTION
In Placing a Prohibitory Tariff on Cer-
tain American Products.
NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The authori-
ties in Washington, according to the
correspondent of the Herald, have been
informed that France, while ostensibly
engaged in negotiations with this gov-
ernment for a reciprocity treaty is tak-
ing steps to place a prohibitory tariff
upon some American products. The
state department has been notified that
a bill is pending in the legislative as-
sembly of France imposing a high duty
upon certain products which will prac-
tically make that country a closed mar-
ket so far as the United States is con-
cerned. Ambassador Porter undoubtedly
will be directed to make an earnest
protest against the measure.

This bill may cause the authorities
here to go slowly in negotiations for the
reciprocity agreement. The department
has received no reply to its proposition
that in exchange for a lower tariff on
French wines, the French government
shall remove the prohibition against
the importation of American cattle.
Unless this concession be granted and
the bill referred to shall be defeated,
the reciprocity negotiations may come
to naught. Should this happen the
French government may retaliate by
imposing the maximum tariff under its
laws upon American products, which
now enter under the minimum tariff.
As these products are few, however, the
authorities are not greatly disturbed
over the outlook.
Dr. Von Holben, the new German am-
bassador to the United States, will be
formally presented to the president to-
morrow. He is expected to immedi-
ately make representation to the state
department in regard to the tariff mat-
ter. The department is informed that
Dr. Von Holben has already in con-
templation the submission of several
propositions designed to lead to a recip-
rocity arrangement. It is believed the
United States will require in return for
any concession the removal or abate-
ment at least of restrictions now im-
posed upon the importation into Ger-
many into American cattle and beef.

Opposed to Immigration Restrictions.
ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29.—By a vote of
forty-one to five the delegates to the
Central Trades and Labor Union placed
themselves on record as being opposed
to further restriction of immigration.
The question was discussed for over
three hours. A resolution was passed,
which set forth the restriction of im-
migration in direct contradiction to the
progressive spirit of the age and is a
reactionary attempt to check the pro-
gressive movement of the wage earners
of all countries. The resolution further
held that immigration is not responsible
for the present condition of wage
workers, or any other country, and that
the industrial and commercial crisis
from which this country has been suf-
fering for several years, is the result of
certain economic conditions which may
in the near future cause a new and
more serious industrial and commercial
crisis regardless of immigration.
A notification of the proceedings will
be sent to the headquarters of the
American Federation of Labor.

Five Lives Lost.
VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 28.—The col-
lectors of customs at Tagish Lake, in a
letter says five lives have been lost in
the lake and rivers on the route to
Dawson, within the last few weeks.
Frank Anthony was the last of the victims.
The collector does not know the names
of the others. A number of boats have
been wrecked in the rapids.

Australia's Wheat Crop.
SYDNEY, N. S. W., Nov. 29.—An un-
official estimate places the wheat yield
of New South Wales at eleven million
bushels, and it is anticipated that the
exportable surplus of wheat from Aus-
tralia will be five million bushels.
How to Cure Billions Cripple.
I suffered for weeks with colic and
pains in my stomach caused by bilious-
ness and had to take medicine all the
while until I used Chamberlain's Colic,
Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which
cured me. I have since recommended it
to a good many people. MR. P.
BUTLER, Fairhaven, Conn. Persons
who are subject to bilious colic can
ward off the attack by taking this
remedy as soon as the first symptoms
appear. Hold by druggists.
Dr. Miles' Pills are guaranteed to stop
headache in 30 minutes. "One cent's dose."

RHEUMATISM
Starvation Figures.
The Awful Record of Death in Cuba from
Lack of Nourishment.
NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—A dispatch to
the World from Havana says:
The World's first figures of Cuba's
starvation were timidly moderate. They
showed the death of only 300,000. But
every painful fact unearthed tends to
prove them nearly double that number.
When the grim returns are all in it is
now almost certain that this Cuban
massacre of the innocents will reach
400,000. And this awful number does
not include those killed in a battle, or
the thousands of women and children
who have died of exposure disease and
malaria in the "Managuas" and
swamps.

It now seems certain that more than
half a million people, for the most part,
loyal subjects of Spain, have been killed
by Spanish war in Cuba.
A week's trip through the provinces
of Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara
has tended to make moderate this tre-
mendously extreme figure. The figures
of Spanish official reports show but a
part of the mortality. They only give
the number buried in consecrated
ground—they do not give that fully.
And, yet, these official ultra-Spanish
reports of burial permits issued admit
that in the province of Santa Clara
there have died and been buried since
Weyler's flat 71,847 persons.

The number of people for whose exist-
ence Weyler is directly responsible, is
185,132 in Santa Clara province, and of
these he has killed 86,216, or over one-
half of them.
Santa Clara has so far been by far
the least destitute of the provinces. It
has many cattle and not a very thick
population. Between its fifty-three per
cent dead to Pinar del Rio's ad-
mitted eighty per cent mortality, re-
spectively. These percentages are es-
tablished now by the actual figures in
some thirty cities and towns. Applied
to the denser populations of their re-
spective provinces, the total deaths
since Weyler's "Bando" will foot up
nearly a million.

MR. M. O. OSBURN, well known at
Woodstock, Mich., was troubled with a
back ache. He was persuaded to use
Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It gave him
relief in one night. This remedy is also
famous for its cures of rheumatism.
For sale by druggists.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

The Features of the Money and Stock
Markets.
NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Money on call
easy at 1 1/2 to 2 per cent; last loan 1 1/2 to 2
per cent; closed at 2 per cent. Prime
mercantile paper 3/8 to 1/2 per cent. Ster-
ling exchange firm, with actual business
in bankers' bills at 4 1/2 to 4 5/8 for de-
mand and at 4 3/8 to 4 1/2 for 60 days.
Posted rates 4 1/2 to 4 3/4. Commercial
bills 4 1/2 to 4 3/4. Silver certificates
69 to 69 1/2. Bar silver 58c. Mexican dol-
lars 46 1/2c.

There was an accumulation of com-
mission house orders in the market at
the opening this morning, which had
come in over Sunday as a result of the
strength displayed by the stock market
on Saturday. The quotations for Ameri-
cans were also run up on the London
exchange before the opening here. As a
consequence the market opened with
quite an animated buying movement and
advance of a marked fraction along the
line. But the buyers of Friday and Sat-
urday immediately set about realizing
their profits and the advance came to an
end. The motive for the selling was the
withholding of the decision on the
Nebraska maximum freight rate case
by the supreme court. There were occa-
sional rallies during the day, sugar
mounting strongly upward after a pre-
liminary decline to the extent of almost 3
points. There was very heavy specula-
tion in this stock during the day, sales
amounting to one-third of all sales, or
over 100,000 shares, and its prices closed
unchanged from Saturday. There was
some buying for the London account and
the decline to cover contracts made in
London at the early higher level and the
market tended to steady the market. The
early weakness soon overtook it and was
the prevailing tone for the balance of the
day, net declines reaching to near a point
in many leading stocks and exceeding
that in special cases. Manhattan was
markedly weak all day and suffered a
net loss of 1 1/2 per cent. Peoples Gas
also developed late weakness and lost nearly
a point on the day. The Grangers were
quite conspicuous in the decline as being
the most interested in the Nebraska
freight law. As a result of the lively
realizing movement and the active specu-
lation in sugar, sales of stocks ran up
to near 200,000 shares before noon, a fig-
ure in excess to any total day's trading
for several weeks. The continued
strength of sterling exchange attracts
much attention in view of the status of
the international banks. Posted rates
were advanced 1/2 to 3/4 for both long and
short sterling. There is a feeling that
the investment buying of long exchange,
the leaving of funds due on balance in
interest abroad and the arrivals of gold
at San Francisco from Australia are not
sufficient combined to account for the
strength of exchange and that there is
much heavier selling of high class Ameri-
can securities by European holders for
transfers to this side of the water than
on the surface appears. The high level
of price for this grade of securities goes
to confirm this view. The very heavy
increase in the loans of clearing house
banks, amounting to over \$1,000,000 as
shown in Saturday's bank statement, is
also being scrutinized. The explanation
that the increase was connected with the
Union Pacific committee's payment to
the government does not entirely cover
the ground, as the expansion of the
previous Saturday's sale of loans was
sufficient to account for that operation
and was attributed to it. Saturday's
statement seems to indicate that the pay-
ment to the government, which was left
on deposit in the banks, had already been
immediately replaced in loans. As the
Union Pacific reorganization committee
was supposed to have already secured all
needed funds before last Monday's pay-
ment to the government, it is difficult to
account for this large absorption of money
in view of the known condition of the
money market, demand for money being
very high in all departments.

The bond market was quite active and
broad and prices were higher in almost
all cases. Total sales \$1,800,000.
U. S. old 4s registered are 1/4 per cent
higher bid, the 5 1/2s higher bid, and the
new 4 1/2s 1/2 per cent bid. There were
sales of the new 5 1/2s coupon
at 128 1/2, the highest on record.
The total sales of stocks to-day were
\$22,100 shares.

Evening Post's London financial cable-
gram.
The stock markets were quiet to-day
as a whole, but consols were still rising.
Americans had a steady opening and be-
came firmer, but sagged off at the close.
The tone, however, was better than it
had been for days past.
The 2,300,000 India treasury bills have
been taken in six months papers at 2
pence over 2 1/2 per cent, but the money
market is easy.
The Paris bourse had a dull opening,
but closed firm.

BONDS AND STOCK QUOTATIONS.
U. S. New 4s reg. 120 1/2; Ore. R. & Nav. 34
do coupon..... 120 1/2; Pittsburg..... 167 1/2
U. S. 4s..... 119 1/2; Reading..... 21 1/2
do coupon..... 119 1/2; Rock Island..... 37
do seconds..... 118 1/2; St. Paul..... 27 1/2
U. S. 5s reg. 115 1/2; St. P. & O. M. & N. 75 1/2
do coupon..... 115 1/2; St. P. & O. M. & N. 75 1/2
Pacific 6s of '95..... 112 1/2; do preferred..... 117
Atchison..... 12 1/2; Southern Pac..... 20
U. S. 6s reg. 110 1/2; Texas Pac..... 11 1/2
do coupon..... 110 1/2; Adams Ex..... 156
Bal. & Ohio..... 12 1/2; U. S. Trust..... 12 1/2
Can. Pacific..... 8 1/2; Wabash..... 7 1/2
Can. Southern..... 8 1/2; do preferred..... 12 1/2
Central Pacific..... 12 1/2; Wheel'g & L. E. 14 1/2
Chi. & O. 10 1/2; do preferred..... 10 1/2
Chi. & Alton..... 10 1/2; Adams Ex..... 156
Chi. Bur. & Q..... 2 1/2; U. S. Express..... 40
C. C. & St. L. 2 1/2; Wells Fargo..... 112
Del. & Hudson..... 10 1/2; Am. Spirits..... 24 1/2
Del. Lack & W. 15 1/2; do preferred..... 24 1/2
Den. & Rio G..... 11 1/2; Am. Tobacco..... 30 1/2
do preferred..... 11 1/2; do preferred..... 11 1/2
Erie (new)..... 14 1/2; People's Gas..... 25 1/2
do old..... 14 1/2; Col. R. & I. 31
Fort Wayne..... 15 1/2; do preferred..... 30
Illinois Central..... 10 1/2; Gen. Electric..... 31 1/2
Lake Erie & W. 15 1/2; Illinois Steel..... 41
do preferred..... 15 1/2; Lead..... 22 1/2
Laf. & Ohio..... 12 1/2; do preferred..... 12 1/2
Lou. & Nash..... 5 1/2; Pacific Mail..... 29 1/2
Mich. Central..... 10 1/2; Pullman Car..... 17 1/2
Mo. Pacific..... 2 1/2; Silver Cert..... 29
N. Y. Central..... 28 1/2; Sugar..... 12 1/2
N. Y. & N. E. 10 1/2; do preferred..... 10 1/2
Northwestern..... 12 1/2; Tenn. Coal & I. 24 1/2
do preferred..... 12 1/2; U. S. Leather..... 7
Northern Pac..... 10 1/2; do preferred..... 6 1/2
do preferred..... 10 1/2; Western Union..... 8 1/2

Breakfasts and Provisions.
CHICAGO—Wheat was weak at the
start to-day and hardly changed ex-
cept for the worse as long as the session
lasted. At the close December was 1 1/2
lower and May 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 lower. Wheat
cables and heavy world's shipments
were the main factors in the decline,
though the extreme dullness of the
trade contributed not a little toward
the weakness. Other markets were
weak in sympathy, corn losing 1/4 and
oats 1/2. Provisions closed unchanged
to 1/2 lower. Bulls in wheat were given
a body blow right at the start by the
enormous world's shipments, which in-
cluding India, amounted to 9,113,000.
The effect was seen in the opening fig-
ures and slowly starting 1/4 lower at 9 1/2
and slowly declining to 9 1/4. It recov-
ered for a short time to 9 1/2, but soon
turned weak again. December was
even weaker, starting 1/4 lower at 9 1/2
and selling off without a stop to 8 1/2.
In neither option was there anything but
scattered liquidation, but there was an
almost utter lack of support and a de-
cline was inevitable. Liverpool was 1/4
lower to start with, due, it was said, to
the unlooked for increase in Russian
shipments, which last week amounted
to 3,250,000 bushels. The quantity on
ocean passage was also reported 1,220,000
bushels heavier than it was a week
ago and the northwestern receipts were
sent to the liberal to be other than bearish
in their effect, although Minneapolis
and Duluth reported only 1,445 cars,
against 1,876 the Monday previous, but
to-day's reduced number was still more
than on the corresponding day of 1896.
Only one feature of the early news af-
fecting wheat was considered favorable
to the bulls and that was the big drop
in the temperature. But this was all
lost. Primary market receipts were as
encouragingly heavy to the bears as at
any time during the season, 1,524,782
bushels for the day against 518,853 a
year ago. Chicago also contributes its
quota of bearish statistics. Receipts, 184
cars, against only seventeen last year.
Actual regular elevators increased
575,000 bushels. The visible supply in-
creased 948,000 bushels last week, com-
pared with a decrease the similar week
a year ago of 1,057,000 bushels. The total
visible is 33,658,000, against 58,914,000 last
year. Figures on the export movement
arrested the decline for a time. At-
lantic seaboard clearances since Satur-
day amounted to 730,000 bushels. Paris
advices to St. Louis were to the effect
that France would require 20,000,000
bushels between November 1 of this
year and September 1, 1898. The Eng-
lish visible was estimated to have in-
creased 1,000,000 bushels, notwithstanding
deliveries from English farmers last
week were much heavier than usual.
After the posting of the closing Liver-
pool cables, which showed 1 1/4 to 1 1/2
decline, Long wheat began dribbling out
again. May gradually sold down to
90 1/2, but was bringing 90 1/2 to 90 3/4
at the close. December declined to 96c
and closed at that price.

Corn was easier from the start. The
action of wheat and a 1/4 decline at
Liverpool were chiefly responsible for
the course of prices. Elevator inter-
ests were moderate. Sellers of Decem-
ber and May and there was quite a
general selling of December by com-
mission houses. Shorts were the prin-
cipal buyers. Receipts were 377 cars.
Atlantic clearances were 320,000 bushels.
The spread widened to 2 1/2c. May rang-
ed from 2 1/2 to 2 3/4 to 2 1/2 to 2 1/4, and
closed 1/4 lower at 2 1/4.
The market for oats was dull and un-
interesting, though steady in compari-
son with the other grain markets.
Business consisted chiefly of changing
from December to May, and it was of
that. The break in wheat had a de-
pressing effect. Oat trading was too
narrow to admit of much decline. Re-
ceipts were 475 cars. The visible supply
increased 253,000 bushels. May rang-
ed from 2 1/2 to 2 1/4, and closed 1/4
lower at 2 1/4.
Provisions, though very dull, were
firm during the greater part of the day,
with prices averaging a little higher.
Hog prices were higher and foreign ad-
vices were more favorable. Toward the
end the market felt the prevailing de-
pression in the grain pits and settled
back to their former steady state. At
the closing January pork was un-
changed at \$5 17 1/2, January lard 5c low-
er at \$4 22 1/2, and January ribs also
unchanged at \$4 17 1/2.
Estimated receipts Tuesday: Wheat
250 cars; corn 825 cars; oats 600 cars;
hogs 37,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:
Articles. Open. High. Low. Close.
Wheat, No. 2
Nov. 97 1/2 97 1/2 96 1/2 96 1/2
Dec. 97 1/2 97 1/2 96 1/2 96 1/2
Corn, No. 2
Nov. 25 1/2 25 1/2 25 25
Dec. 25 1/2 25 1/2 25 25
May 25 1/2 25 1/2 25 25
Oats, No. 2
Dec. 20 1/2 20 1/2 20 20
May 20 1/2 20 1/2 20 20
Mess Pork
Dec. 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2
Jan. 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2
May 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2
Lard
Dec. 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2
Jan. 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2
May 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2
Short Hibs.
Dec. 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2
Jan. 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2
May 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2
Cash quotations were as follows:
Flour—Ducks
Wheat—No. 1 spring 90 to 91; No. 2
spring 84 to 85; No. 2 red 80 to 81 1/2.
Corn—No. 2, 2 1/2 to 2 3/4; No. 2 yellow
2 1/2 to 2 3/4.
Oats—No. 2, 20c; No. 2 white 23 to 24.
Rye—No. 2, 46c.
Barley—No. 3, 25 to 26c.
Flaxseed—No. 1, 11 to 12c.
Tinned—Prime, 12 to 13c.
Lard—Per 100 lbs., 44 to 45c.
Short Hibs—8 lbs. (boxed) 44 to 45c.
Short Hibs—5 lbs. (boxed) 44 to 45c.
On the produce exchange to-day, the
butter market was firm; creameries 15 to
22c; dairies 12 to 15c.
Cheese—50 lbs., 12 to 13c.
Eggs—Per 100, fresh 16c.
NEW YORK—Wheat, receipts 35,708
barrels; exports 12,487 barrels; market
quiet and lower to sell.

Wheat, receipts 305,000 bushels; ex-
ports 116,970 bushels; spot market quiet;
No. 1, 99c; options opened weak under
bearish cables, foreign selling and big
northwest receipts, closed 1 1/2 to 1 3/4
higher; November closed at 97 1/2; De-
cember closed at 97 1/2.
Corn, receipts 104,200 bushels; exports
83,414 bushels; spot weak; No. 2, 33 1/2;
options opened easy under prospects of
large receipts, closed 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 net lower;
December closed at 31 1/2; May closed
at 34 1/2.
Oats, receipts 44,000 bushels; exports
20,467 bushels; spot quiet; No. 2, 25 1/2;
options dull and featureless all day,
closing unchanged; December closed at
25 1/2.
Hay quiet. Hops firm. Hides steady.
Leather quiet.
Beef steady. Cutmeats easy. Lard
easy; western steam 44 1/2; refined
quiet. Pork more active. Tallow dull.
Cottonseed oil steady. Rosin steady.
Turpentine firm. Rice firm. Molasses
steady.

Coffee options opened steady at an
advance of 15 points on better cables,
smaller Brazilian receipts, fair ware-
house deliveries and moderate foreign
buying, but later eased off under re-
newed selling; closed quiet at a net ad-
vance of 5 points; sales 16,250 bags, in-
cluding December at 54 to 55.50c; March
5.70 to 58c. Sugar, raw firm; refined
firm.
BALTIMORE—Flour dull; western
superfine 12 80 to 13 30; do extra 13 40 to
14 20; do family 14 50 to 15 75; winter wheat
patent 14 90 to 15; spring do 15 00 to 15 25;
spring wheat straight 14 80 to 15 00; re-
ceipts 10,211 barrels; exports 542 barrels.
Wheat dull and easy; spot and month
97 1/2 to 97 3/4; May 97 1/2 to 98; steamer No. 2
red 92 to 92 1/2; receipts 67,753 bushels; ex-
ports 126,832 bushels; southern wheat by
sample 93 to 94; do grade 93 to 93 1/2.
Corn easy; spot 33 to 33 1/2; month 33 1/2
to 34; December 32 1/2 to 33; November
or December new or old 32 to 32 1/2; steam-
er mixed 31 to 31 1/2; receipts 125,217 bush-
els; southern white corn 34 to 35; do yellow
33 to 34. Oats firm; No. 2 white 29 to
29 1/2; No. 2 mixed 28 1/2 to 27 1/2; receipts
32,253 bushels. Rye easy; No. 2 west-
ern 53 1/2; receipts 4,252 bushels. Hay
steady. Grain freights firm. Butter
steady; fancy creamery 23 to 24c. Eggs
steady; fresh 20c. Cheese steady.

CINCINNATI—Flour dull; fancy
14 20 to 14 40; family 13 50 to 13 75. Wheat
firm; No. 2 red 9c. Corn active; No. 2
mixed 27 to 28c. Rye quiet; No. 2 mixed
46 to 47c. Lard easy at 44 to 44 1/2. Bulkmeats
quiet at 44 to 50. Bacon easy at 35 to 38.
Whiskey steady at 1 1/2. Butter easy.
Sugar steady; hard refined 14 03 to 15.
Eggs firm. Cheese firm; good to prime
Ohio fat 56 to 57c.
TOLEDO—Wheat active but lower;
No. 2 cash and December 93 1/2. Corn
lower but active; No. 2 mixed 27c. Oats
dull but steady; No. 2 mixed 21 1/2c. Rye
active but lower; No. 2 mixed 46 1/2c.
Cloverseed active and steady; prime
cash and December 33 1/2 to 34. Oil un-
changed.

CHICAGO—The cold weather seemed
to impart more vigor to trade in cattle
to-day and sales were brisk at steady
prices for the general run with choice
beaves in quick demand at stronger
prices. Beef steers sold largely at \$4 40 to
5 10; poorest lots selling around \$3 80 to
4 00 and fancy Christmas holiday
beaves \$5 30 to 5 50. The stocker and
feeder trade was fairly active, with
sales at \$2 00 to 2 50. Northern fed Texas
steers \$3 75 to 4 10; bulls, cows and heif-
ers ranged from \$1 75 for common can-
ners to \$4 50 for extra heifers, and in
good demand. Calves unchanged, best
57 to 60c. Hogs in plenty and in active
demand at advancing prices, largely
2 1/2 to 3 per 100 lbs. higher. Packing lots
\$2 25 to 3 75; prime shipping 3 50 to 3 60;
greater part of the hogs crossing the
river sold at \$2 35 to 3 50. Late market
was weaker. Sheep and lamb demand
active at stronger prices. Sheep, com-
mon, \$3 00 to 4 50 for prime lots; lambs
4 00 to 8 50; fancy selected lambs
brought \$6 00. Heavy export sheep were
salable around \$4 50. Receipts—Cattle,
15,500 head; hogs 40,000 head; sheep, 15,000
head.
EAST LIBERTY—Cattle slow and
lower; prime 14 75 to 14 85; common 13 25 to
13 60; bulls, stags and cows \$2 00 to 3 60.
Hogs fairly active at a decline of 6 to 10c.
Prime assorted mediums \$3 00 to 3 50; all
other grades \$3 45 to 3 75; roughs \$2 50 to
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