END OF THE OAT DEAL.

January Oats Forced Up to Quite a Fancy Figure and Eagerly Bought.

The Manipulators Rapidly Bid Up the Price to Thirty-Six Cents for Cash.

A Dull Day in the Wheat Pit--Corn and Provisions Show Considerable Improvement.

The New York Stock Market Keeps Very Dull, With the Street Full of Bear Talk.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Special to the Globe.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—The markets of the last week have for the most part been in an unsettled condition. This state of things has been especially true of wheat. A week ago May wheat closed at 85c, which was a cent lower than the close to-day. It is to be remarked that in spite of the wide fluctuations which have been prevalent in that cereal during the week, prices have not been since as low as they were a week ago. The prediction voiced at that time has been fulfilled to a nicety. The prediction was that prices would show a healthy but not a large or rapid advance. Local manipulations have been a disturbing element and caused an unnatural appreciation at times, but the close to-day is somewhat nearer actual value. An impartial observer of the market cannot help but notice the change of position of some of the heaviest dealers and in fact a general change of opinion all around. A great deal more reluctance about putting out large short lines has been evidenced, while the market has responded very readily to every rumor tending toward the bull side. Several large shorts have attempted to cover their lines during the week and until yesterday none of them had extended his short sales to any extent. Besides

LOCAL MANIPULATION

and a large decrease in the visible supply, rumors of European wars have cut quite a figure in the inflation of values, which have shown a range of 3c during the week. The largest advance of any one day was on Wednesday, when prices fluctuated 1⅜c, but nearly every day of the week has seen a wild market, with the movement quite rapid and radical. The probabilities are that values will steadily advance from this out, subject, of course, to the ups and downs of manipulation. In oats there has been so little excitement for such a long time that the crowd on 'change was treated to a surprise yesterday, when the January option jumped from 30c up to 33c. The light receipts during the month have caused a scarcity of the article for which the regular operators seemed to have made no allowance, and when the shorts came to fill their contracts yesterday the supply was so apparently deficient that an advance was the immediate result. Corn has been traded in to a very small extent and values show an extreme fluctuation of a scant ½c. Lack of support and a

TENDENCY TO SYMPATHIZE

with the wheat market have at times been the factor in its movement, but beyond these the market has been bare of features. In provisions there is little change of note since a week ago, the May option in pork closing but little higher than it closed a week ago. In the intervening time there has been both an advance and a decline of from 15c to 25c in pork, while lard and ribs have scarcely fluctuated. The two latter are, however, firm at the present writing. There has been a very quiet trade in provisions throughout the entire week, but the indications point to a heavier demand from consumers and a higher scale of prices. Wheat was dull and firm to-day. It opened at yesterday's closing prices, fell away ¼@⅜c and advanced ⅝@¾c, May being traded in at 86⅜@86½c. That option then dropped back to the neighborhood of 86c, where it closed at 1 o'clock. Business was light and chiefly of a local scalping nature. The great speculators and the country were "out of the market" apparently. The guesses on

THE VISIBLE SUPPLY

are generally that there will be a decrease of about 1,250,000 bushels. Lindblom says that the decrease will not be more than 1,000,000 bushels. Hutchinson sat stolidly on the floor and did not sell any wheat. The crowd of little fellows, which has been expecting him for two days to send in his brokers and throw over the wheat that he is believed to hold, finally gave it up, and those who were short and were waiting for Hutch's selling to cover gave up waiting and covered. This put May up to 86⅜c. Corn was stronger and higher for the distant futures, partly in sympathy with the strength in oats and to the buying of large operators, who advanced it ¼@⅜c. Receipts were fair, but the shipping demand was small. May opened at 40⅛c and advanced to 40⅜@40½c, and closed at 40⅜c, ⅛@¼c higher than yesterday. February sold at 36@36¼c, and closed at 36¼c. Oats this morning started at 35c for January, with Lamson Bros. bidding that figure for cash and with a great crowd of hungry brokers standing around anxious to buy cheap. The outlook was that horse feed before night would sell higher than the horses themselves. The Lamsons are stirct Presbyterians and the fellows who are "short" are sorry to see them

RUNNING A "CORNER,"

operating as if it were a sort of gambling deal. The stock of oats is said to be not over 150,000 bushels. The receipts are pretty liberal, but they "grade" execrably, not more than one-fifth of the cars going No. 2. The Lamsons have picked up the cash stuff quietly for the past thirty days and shipped out actively. The principal short house is said to be Orr, Crittenden & Comes. The squeeze is a sharp one, the January option having advanced 7c a bushel in two days. The shortage is of course an unknown quantity. Nobody ever admits being "short" when stuff is advancing as rapidly as oats have, but the shortage must be several hundred thousand bushels. George Ellison says it is only 150,000 bushels. It is more apt to be 250,000 bushels. To-day, of course, practically closes the deal, and January at the close sold at 36c. Provisions were active, strong and higher. Trade was good in all product and was well distributed throughout the months, May and February leading. February pork and meats were in especially good demand. The light receipts of hogs and anxiety of packers were two explanations of the strength of the market. Pork closed at 15@17½c higher, lard 2½@5c, and ribs 7½@12½c higher. The movement of lard during the month is thought to have been larger than calculated upon, and many look for a showing of stocks below the usual estimates.

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The Quotations.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Flour steady and unchanged. Wheat fluctuated within a range of ¾c, closing at yesterday's figures; sales ranged: January and February, 80¾c, closing at 80⅝@80½c; March, 80½@81½c, closing at 80⅞c; May, 85¾@86½c, closing at 86c; No. 2 spring, 80½@81¾c. Corn ruled a shade firmer; cash, 36½c; January and February, 36@36¼c, closing at 36¼c; March, 36¼@36½c, closing at 36½c; May, 40⅛@40½c, closing at 40⅜@40⅝c. Oats excited for cash and January; cash, 30½@31c; January, 35@36c, closing at 36c; February, 28⅞@29c, closing at 28⅞c; May, 31⅞@32c, closing at 31⅞c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 58c. Barley quiet; No. 2, 60c. Flax seed steady, No. 1, $1.12½. Mess pork stronger; cash, $11; February, $10.87½@11, closing at $11; March, $10.95@11.05, closing at $11.12½@11.15; May, $11.10@11.25, closing at $11.20@11.22½. Lard firm; cash, $6.12½; February, $6.10@6.15, closing at $6.12½; March, $6.15@6.17½, closing at $6.15; May, $6.25@6.27½. Boxed meats steady; dry salted shoulders, $3.95@4; short rib sides, $5.47½@5.50; short clear sides, $5.65@5.70. Whisky steady at $1.16. Sugar unchanged. Butter and eggs unchanged. Receipts—Flour, 9,000 bbls; wheat, 11,000 bu; corn, 162,000 bu; oats, 146,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 61,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 8,000 bbls; wheat, 20,000 bu; corn, 99,000 bu; oats, 56,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 32,000 bu.

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The Fluctuations in Detail.

ST. PAUL, Jan. 30.—The following quotations, giving the range of the Chicago markets during the day, were received by M. Doran, commission merchant:

Time.	Wheat.		Corn.		Pork.	
	Feb	M'y	Feb	M'y	Feb.	M'y.
Yes. close.	80½	85⅞	36¼	40¼	10 85	11 07½
Opening.	80¼	85⅞	36¼	40¼	10 90	11 10
9:40 A. M.	80	85¾	36⅛	40¼	10 90	11 12½
9:50 "	80¼	86	36⅛	40⅛	10 92½	11 15
10:00 "	80⅜	86⅛	36⅛	40⅛	10 95	11 17½
10:10 "	80¼	86	36⅛	40⅛	10 95	11 17½
10:20 "	80¼	86	36¼	40¼	11 00	11 22½
10:30 "	80⅜	86⅛	36¼	40¼	11 02½	11 25
10:40 "	80¼	86⅛	36¼	40⅜	10 97½	11 20
10:50 "	80⅜	86⅜	36¼	40¼	11 00	11 22½
11:00 "	80⅝	86⅜	36¼	40⅜	10 97½	11 20
11:10 "	80¾	86½	36¼	40⅜	11 00	11 22½
11:20 "	80½	86¼	36¼	40⅜	10 97½	11 20
11:30 "	80½	86¼	36¼	40⅜	10 97½	11 17½
11:40 "	80½	86½	36⅜	40½	11 00	11 20
11:50 "	80⅝	86	36⅜	40½	11 00	11 20
12:00 M.	80¾	85⅞	36¼	40⅜	11 00	11 20
12:10 P. M.	80⅝	86	36¼	40⅜	11 00	11 20
12:20 "	80¼	85⅞	36¼	40⅜	11 00	11 20
12:30 "	80½	86⅛	36¼	40⅜	11 02½	11 22½
12:40 "	80½	86⅛	36¼	40⅜	11 02½	11 22½
12:50 "	80½	86⅛	36¼	40⅜	11 05	11 25
1:00 "	80⅝	86	36¼	40⅜	11 00	11 22½

CLOSE.

Close—	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats	Pork
January	80⅝	36¼	36	$11 00
March	80⅞	36½	....	11 02½
June	87⅝	....	....	11 30

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Duluth Wheat.

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DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 30.—Our wheat market was very dull to-day. Opening sales were at 93⅛@93¼c, but soon droppdd off to 93c, where but little was done. An improved feeling on outside markets was soon noticeable, and values quickly improved to 93¾c, and prices as suddenly declined to 93⅛c again. Toward the close the feeling was steady at 93½c bid. Cash wheat was in demand and sold at 80c for No. 2 Northern, 76½c for No. 3 and 67@70c for rejected. Cash No. 1 hard nominal at 87½c. At the close May sold at 93¾c. Sales to-day were 600,000 bu; receipts, 2,700 bu.

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Milwaukee Produce.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 30.—Flour quiet. Wheat firm; cash, 80¾c; February, 80⅛c; May, 85⅞c. Corn tame; No. 2, 36¼c. Oats excited: No. 2, 36c. Rye dull; No. 1, 58c. Barley steady; No. 2, 51¾c. Provisions higher; mess pork, cash or February, $10.95: March, $10.05; prime steam lard, cash or February, $6.12; March, $6.17½; butter dull; dairy, 15@18c; cheese, quiet at 9@11c; eggs dull at 18@19c. Receipts—Flour, 12,610 bbls; wheat, 21,340 bu; barley, 29,875 bu. Shipments—Flour, 6,075 bbls; wheat, 423 bu; barley, 14,375 bu.

Toledo Produce.

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 30.—Wheat closed quiet; cash, 91½@92½c; February, 91½c; May, 94c; June 95¼c. Corn steady; cash, 38c; May, 40¾c. Oats little doing; cash, 31c; May, 33½c. Clover seed, nominal; cash or February, $5.80; March, $5.90 asked. Dressed hogs, $4.75. Receipts—Wheat, 6,000 bu; corn, 19,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 19,000 bu; corn, 18,000 bu; oats, 2,000 bu.

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New York Produce.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Flour—Receipts, 8,150 bbls; exports, 380 bbls. 14,144 sacks; dull; sales, 10,000 bbls; common to good extra Ohio, $3.15@5.25. Wheat—Receipts, 10,450 bu; exports, 81,429 bu; spot, dull and more or less nominal; options opened weak, afterwards ruled stronger, closing steady; sales: 1,960,000 bu futures, 5,000 bu spot; ungraded spring, 90c; No. 2 red, 90½c f. o. b.; No. 1 white, 94½c; ungraded white, 81c; No. 2 red, January, 90½c; February, 90¾c, closing at 90½c; March, 91¼@91¾c, closing at 91⅝c; April, 92½@93⅛c, closing at 93c; May, 93 15-16@94 9-16c, closing at 94⅜c. Corn—Spot firm, options moderately active; January, ½c lower; others generally steady; receipts, 166,800 bu; exports, 113,380 bu; sales: 256,000 bu futures, 249,000 bu spot; ungraded, 45@46c; rejected, 44¾@45c; No. 3, 48½@47c; steamer, 47⅝@47¾@c; elevated, 49c; afloat, 47⅜c February; No. 2, 49¼@49¾c elevated; steamer, yellow, 49@49¼c; steamer, white 47½c, yellow 50¼@50½c; No. 2 January, 49½@50c; February, 49⅝@49½c, closing at 49½c; March, 49¾c@49⅞c, closing at 48⅞c; May, 48¼c. Oats higher and less active; receipts, 6,022,800 bu; exports, 39,463 bu; mixed Western, 37@39c; white do, 39¼@43c. Hay steady and fairly active; shipping, $7@7.50. Hops steady but quiet. Coffee—Spot fair; Rio dull at 8¼c; options steady and fairly active; sales: 27,250 bags; February, $6.55; March, April, and May $6.65. Sugar dull and rather weak; fair to good refining 5 7-16@5⅝c; refined, dull at 5½@5⅝c; extra C 5 7-16@5⅝c; mould A, 6½; confectioners' A, 6⅝@6 7-16c; powdered, 6 11-16@6¾c; granulated, 6½c. Molasses dull 50; test 23c. Rice steady, demand fair. Petroleum quiet; United closed at 82⅝c. Tallow easier, at 4½c. Turpentine dull, at 41c. Eggs steady and quiet; receipts, 1,402 pkgs: Western, 21½@22c. Pork dull; mess, $10.50@10.75; cut meats firm; pickled bellies, 5 3-16@5¼c; middles firm; long clear, 5⅝c. Lard higher, less doing; February, $6.41@6.43; March, $6.46@6.47; May, $6.58@6 60. Butter firm; Western, 12@33c; Elgin creamery, 31c. Cheese quiet, very steady; Western, flat at 7@9½c.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 30.—Wheat dull; California No. 1, 6s 10d@7s per cental; do No. 2, 6s 7d@6s d. Corn steady; fair demand. Lard, prime Western, 32s 3d per cwt.

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FINANCIAL.

New York.

Special to the Globe.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The stock market exhibited few features of interest to-day. The talk among operators, however, favored the bull side. It was claimed that, while no material decline was expected in any case, the tendency of values would be upward, with the usual reductions incident to a dull bull market. The Grangers were strong. Northwestern receiving a good advance, notwithstanding Vice President Sykes' prediction that the January statement would show a decrease of $200,000. The Vanderbilts were not so strong, and points were circulated advising the sale of Lake Shore and New York Central. The statement of the shipments east-bound from Chicago was unfavorable, showing only 25,000 tons carried, against 75,000 for the corresponding week last year. Missouri Pacific developed a good deal of activity, advancing two points. It was claimed that the stock was intrinsically cheap, and that the right to subscribe for the securities of new lines on favorable terms should advance the stock 10 to 15 points. The November statement of the Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indianapolis didn't seem to justify the bull talk which the Vanderbilt people have been guilty of recently. The statement showed the net surplus decreased during November $15,300. For the first eleven months of 1885 the earnings showed a deficiency of $76,000 against a surplus of $5,300 for the corresponding time the previous year. Lake Shore was broken on talk of a cut in west-bound freight rates. After the entire market had slumped off ½ to ¾, White began buying Lackawanna and quickly bid up the price from 118½ to 119¾. The rest of the list sympathized with the movement in coal stocks, Union Pacific, Pacific Mail and Louisville & Nashville leading the advance. The close was firm at about the best prices for the day.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Money on call easy at 1½@2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@5. Sterling exchange quiet but steady and unchanged. Government bonds were dull and steady to-day. State bonds were fairly active and strong. There is continued improvement in the railroad bond market, both in amount of business and in quotations, due in part to the announcement of another government bond call and the prospective increase of the large surplus of money seeking investment. The total sales to-day were $3,142,009, of which the East Tennessee issues contributed $717,000, and the West Shore 4s $332,000. East Tennessee consols 55, made a further advance of 1⅜ to 76, and the same coupons of 1 ½ to 69. The total sales for the week were $13,430, and for the month of January $55,860,000. Stocks were decidedly strong, but only moderately active, although the opening was somewhat irregular, nearly everything was fractionally high, the greatest gain among active stock being in Delaware & Hudson, while Lake Shore and St. Paul were a shade lower. The Vanderbilts show only slight changes. A bear raid was made on Lake Shore after midday, driving the stock down to 84⅝, but it rallied sharply the moment the pressure was withdrawn and closed at 85⅛, a decline of ¼. It is the only stock on the list that is lower. There was active buying of the ex-Villiards, which was considerably pursued by board-room traders, as it did not appear to come from the old friends of those companies. Parafine, after selling at 58, closed at 57¾, a gain of 1⅝. On small transactions there was a decided upward movement in Missouri Pacific, and it closed with an advance of 2¼. The upward movement to-day was made in the face of unmerous reports tending to show that there was a general demoralization on both freight and passenger rates, not only in the west, but also on the seaboard. This was also true of the coal trade, which is described as being in as bad condition as was ever known. Prices, as compared with last Saturday, show advances generally of ½ to over 4 per cent. The total sales of the week were 2,003,008 shares, and for the month of January 8,788,560 shares, and prices of the active stocks this evening, as compared with the closing figures of Dec. 31, are generally from 1 to 6 per cent. lower, although Pacific Mail is down 8¾. Lackawanna lost 6¼ and Delaware & Hudson 5⅝, and others less amounts.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 317,176 shares, including Delaware, Lackawanna & Western 56,670, Delaware & Hudson, 6,905, Erie 9,010, Kansas & Texas 7,684, Lake Shore 29,130, Louisville & Nashville 10,216, Missouri Pacific, 31,360, Northwestern 18,355, New York Central 7,270, Pacific Mail 14,275, St. Paul 42,830, Union Pacific 9,525, Western Union 13,490, Northern Pacific preferred 29,175, Oregon Transcontinental 11,857.

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Quotations of Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Following are the closing prices bid to-day and the three preceding business days:

	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.
United States 3s	100⅞	100¾	100¾	100⅜
United States 3½s	112½	112½	112½	112⅝
United States 4s	123⅞	123⅞	123½	124
Pacific 6s of '95	126	126	125¾	126
C P bonds, 1sts	114	114	114	114
Erie seconds	90¾	91	90¼	91¾
Lehigh & Wilkesb'e	104¼	104½	103¾	104¼
Louisiana consols	84	84	84	84
Missouri 6s	100	100	100	100
St. Joe	120	121	120	121
St. P. & S. C. 1sts	126	126	126	126¾
Tennessee 6s, old	54⅞	55⅜	54⅝	56¼
do new	55	55⅝	54⅝	56¾
Texas Pac. grant	37⅞	38¾	37¾	39
do Rio Grande div	53	53	53	53
Union Pac. 1sts	115½	115½	115¼	115⅞
U. P. land grant	105½	105¾	105½	105½
U. P. sinking fund	121¾	121½	121½	122
Virginia 6s	43	43	43	43
Virginia consols	*57	*52	*52	*52
do deferred	11	11	12	11
Adams Express	140	140	140	140
Alton & T're H'te	43	43	42	43
do preferred	90	90	90	90
American Express	101½	102	102	102
B., C. R. & N.	70	70	70	70
Canadian Pac.	‡65	65½	‡65½	65
Canada Southern	41½	42¼	40⅞	42⅜
Central Pac.	42	43	39⅝	43⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	10½	10⅛	10½	10¾
do preferred 1sts	18	17¾	18¼	18
do 2ds	12½	12	12¼	12
Chicago & Alton	140½	141	140	141
do preferred	150	152	151	150
C., B. & Q.	137½	138	137	138½
C., St. L. & Pittsb'g	12	13½	13	13½
do preferred	30	30	30	30
C. S. & C.	32	32	32	32
C. C., C. & I	52½	53⅛	52	53½
Delaware & Hudson	90	89½	89¼	90⅞
Del., Lac. & West'n	118⅝	117⅝	117⅞	119¼
Den. & Rio Grande	15½	16½	16	16½
Erie	24⅜	24½	24⅛	24⅝
do preferred	53	52½	50	54
East Tennessee	4	4¼	4	3⅞
do preferred	7¾	7¾	6¾	7½
Ft. Wayne	146	146	145	146
Harlem	213	213	212	213
Houston & Texas	28	27	30	28
Illinois Central	140	140¾	139½	140
Ind., B. & W.	24¾	25¼	24½	25½
Kansas & Texas	29⅛	29	28⅞	30
Lake Erie & West'n	14	13	12⅞	13
Lake Shore	85⅜	85¼	84⅛	85½
Louisville & Nashv	39⅝	39⅞	39⅝	41¼
Louisville & N. A.	35	35½	35	37½
Memphis & Charles	34	34	34	34
Michigan Central	72	71	70¼	70
Minn. & St. Louis	18	18¼	18¼	19
do preferred	45¼	45½	45½	46½
Missouri Pac.	108¾	108½	108½	111½
Mobile & Ohio	14	13½	13½	14⅝
Morris & Essex	133	132½	131	132½
Nashville & Chat.	46	47	45½	47½
New Jersey Central	45	44⅝	43¾	44⅞
Norfolk & W. pref.	25⅝	26⅜	25½	27
Northern Pac.	25⅜	26	25⅜	26¾
do preferred	57⅝	57⅝	56⅞	58⅞
Chicago & Northw.	106⅜	106¾	106½	107½
do preferred	136	136	136¼	136
New York Central	103⅝	105⅛	103⅝	105⅛
Ohio Central	1½	1¼	1⅜	1½
Ohio & Mississippi	23	22¾	23½	22¾
do preferred	82½	82½	82½	82½
Ontario & Western	18½	19¼	19¼	19¼
Oregon Navigation	100½	101	101¼	102
do improvement	28	29	29	29½
do Transcontin'l	29⅝	29½	28⅞	30¾
Pacific Mail	56¼	56¼	55⅝	57¾
Panama	98	98	98	98
Peoria, D. & E.	19¼	19¼	19¼	20¼
Pittsburg	147	147	147	147
Pullman Palace Car	133	133	133	134½
Reading	22¼	21⅞	21¼	21⅞
Rock Island	127	127¼	127½	128
St. L. & San. Fran.	20¼	20½	20	21¼
do preferred	44½	44½	44	44½
do 1sts preferred	99½	100	98	100
C., M. & St. Paul	92	91⅞	92⅝	92½
do preferred	120¾	120¼	112	121
St. Paul, M. & M.	114½	115	111	115
St. Paul & Omaha	37½	37¼	36⅝	38¼
do preferred	99½	99¾	99¾	100½
Texas Pacific	12	12¼	12	12⅞
Union Pac stock	50½	50¼	49⅞	51
U. S. Express	60	61	60¼	62
Wab., St. L. & Pac.	9⅜	9½	9	9⅝
do preferred	19	19	19⅛	18⅞
Wells & Fargo Exp.	119½	119	118	120
W. U. Telegraph	69⅞	70	69	70⅜
Colorado Coal	22¾	22¾	22¼	22¾
N. Y., C. & St. L.	8⅞	8¾	8½	8⅞
do preferred	19⅜	19	17½	19

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Chicago.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—The only improvement in business at the banks was due to the arrangements being made by operators in grain and provisions, for funds with which to pay for property deliverable on Monday on February contracts. But the supply of funds available for loans on collaterals was ample for the wants of such borrowers, and rates were steady at 5@6 per cent. on call, and 6@7 per cent. on time, although a few borrowers claimed to have arranged for large loans at 4½ per cent. Street rates on collaterals were at 4@5 per cent., and business names passed at 5½ per cent. Country collections, although slow, are slightly improving. The bank clearings to-day aggregated $6,685,000. New York exchange was quoted at par between banks. Foreign exchange was a trifle weaker for short bills, bankers' sight sterling on London being quoted at $4.88¾@4.89, long bills at $4.87, and shippers' documentary at $4.85½@4.85¾.

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CAPITAL $100,000. SURPLUS $30,000

L. E. REED, President. W. D. KIRK, Cashier.
J. W. WAIT, Assistant Cashier.

New York Mining.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—Mining shares were dull, but strong. Sales:

Robinson	$1 00	Bassick	$ 14
Alta	17	Homestake	22
Little Chief	31	Iron Silver	2 25
American Flag	9	Ontario	29
Cala. & Va.	1 95	Quicksilver	07
Bodie	1 75	do preferred	25
Bulwer	48	Sutro	17
Eureka	2 40		

GERMANIA BANK,

Corner Fifth and Wabasha streets, oppos'te Post-office.

CAPITAL $300,000.

E. ALBRECHT, Prest. ALEX. RAMSEY, Vice Pr.
WM. BICKEL, Cashier. P. M. KERST, Asst. Cash.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The weekly bank statement of the associated banks, issued today, shows the following changes:

	Decrease	Increase.
Loans	$763,000	.....
Specie	.....	$1,928,400
Legal tenders	855,600	.....
Deposits	.....	122,000
Circulation	90,800	.....
Reserve fund	.....	1,042,900

The banks now hold $36,952,418 in excess of the 25 per cent. rule.

San Francisco Mining.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—Mining shares closed here to-day as follows:

Alta	$ 15	Mexican	$ 30
Bulwer	50	Mono	4 12½
Bodie Con	1 75	Navajo	10
Challar	80	Ophir	50
Con. Cal. & Va.	2 12½	Potosi	40
Eureka Con	2 25	Savage	50
Gould & Curry	70	Sierra Nevada	35
Hale & Nor	2 37½	Union Con	20

WILLIAM LINKER & CO.,

Brokers in Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions.

155, DRAKE BLOCK, ST. PAUL, MINN.

Boston Railway and Mining Shares.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 30.—Following were the closing prices at the stock exchange today:

A. & T. 1st 7s	12 5	Old Colony	160½
do land gts 7s	124	Rutland pref	25½
do railroad	90⅞	Wis. Cen. com	20⅝
Bos. & Albany	180	do pref	30
Bos. & Maine	189	Allouez Min. Co.	100
C., B. & Q.	138¾	Calumet & Hecla	216
Cin., San & C.	17½	Catalpa	40
Eastern railroad	81½	Franklin	10⅛
do. 6s	123	Osceola	12
F. & P. M. pfd	84	Pewabic	3
Mex. Cen. com	10½	Quincy	48
do bond scrip	82	Bell Tel	166½
do 1st m't'g b'ds	48	Boston Land	7¼
N. Y. & N. E.	41¾	Water Power	6½
N. Y. & N. E. 7s	130	Tamarack M.	80

London and Paris.

LONDON, Jan. 30, 5 p. m.—Consols 100¼ for both money and the account.

U. S. bonds, 4s	126	Ill. Central	143¾
do, 4½s	114⅝	Mex. ordinary	25¾
A. & G. W. 1sts	36	St. Paul common	93⅞
do 2ds	11	New York Cent.	107⅝
Canadian Pacific	66⅛	Pennsylvania	55¼
Erie	25⅛	Reading	11
do 2ds	81		

PARIS, Jan. 30.—Three per cent. rentes 82f for the account.

ST. PAUL TRUST COMPANY,

Corner Jackson and Fourth streets.

Safe Deposit Vaults. 800 boxes of convenient sizes for rent at low rates.

HOXSIE & JAGGAR

SELL

Cider,
Apples,
Cranberries.

353 ROBERT STREET, ST. PAUL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

ST. PAUL, Jan. 30.—The board opened this morning ⅛c higher on wheat, and though the market was strong on everything the trading, however, was very light indeed, sellers being altogether too high and buyers too low. Corn was steady and firm, with small offerings and a fair demand. Oats were in considerable request and very firm. Barley and rye quiet and unchanged. Mill stuffs, etc., quiet. The call:

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 87c bid; January, 87c bid; No. 1 Northern, 82@84c bid; No. 2 Northern, 78@80c bid.

Corn—No. 2, 33¾c bid, 34½c asked; January, 33½c bid, 34½c asked; February, 33½c bid, 34c asked; March, 35c bid; May, 37c bid, 39c asked.

Oats—No. 2 mixed, 29c bid, 29½c asked; January, 29c bid, 29½c asked; March, 30c bid, 31c asked; May, 32½c bid, 33½c asked; No. 2 white, 29½c bid, 30c asked; No. 2 30½c asked.

Barley—No. 2, 56c bid; No. 3 extra, 48c bid; No. 3, 40c bid.

Rye—No. 2, 47c bid, 49c asked; February, 47c bid.

Ground Feed—$13.75 bid, $14.50 asked.

Corn Meal—Bolted, $15 bid, $17 asked; coarse, $14 asked.

Shorts—$9 bid.

Bran—$9.50 bid.

Baled Hay—$6.50 bid, $6.75 asked.

Timothy Hay—$9 bid, $10 asked.

Live Hogs—$3.50 bid.

Dressed Hogs—$4.30 bid.

Flax Seed—$1 bid.

Timothy Seed—$1.65 bid, $1.80 asked,

Clover Seed—$5.10 bid.

Eggs—Ice house stock 15c asked; fresh, 17c bid, 18½c asked.

CARS RECEIVED—438.

Bran	1	Const'n material	3	Oats	16
Beer	2			Oil	3
Barrel st'k.	1	Feed	5	Paper	2
Corn	3	Fruit	3	R. R. ties	1
Cattle	1	Horses and mules	2	Salt	1
Can'd goods	3			Scrap iron	1
Coal	155	Hay	6	Sundries	31
Coke	4	Lumber	25	Wheat	11
Castings	5	Merch'dise	79	Wood	72
Flour	2	Machinery	1		

CARS SHIPPED—184.

Agricultural imp.	1	Horses and mules	1	Oil	1
Coal	30	Linse'd m'al & oil cake	4	Paper	1
Emigrant movables	1	Lumber	11	Sugar	1
Flour	4	Merch'dise	97	Scrap iron	15
Feed	2	Machinery	1	Sundries	9
Hay	2	Malt	1	Wheat	1

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