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PILLSBURY WADES IN.

The Big Minneapolis Miller Credited With Taking More Wheat This Morning.

Moderate Firmness in Wheat at the Opening Develops Into a Positive Bull Boom.

Provisions Easier Than for Some Time, Losing Quite Sharply--Corn and Oats Dull.

Deacon White Gets a Taste of His Own Terrible Medicine--Wall Street Gossip.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Special to the Globe.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Pillsbury, the millionaire miller, was on the floor to-day. The market was very weak at the opening, and the May option sold down to 83⅝c. It was the gossip that Pillsbury took hold and bought at this figure. While the gossip was going around the market firmed up nearly a cent a bushel in very short order, and gave color to the talk. Pillsbury was the leader of the Minneapolis crowd on the short side of wheat a month ago, and which is supposed to be losing not a little money on the long side just now. It is said by some that the holdings of cash wheat reach into the millions of bushels, and some put them as high as 8,000,000 bushels. At any rate he was the cynosure to-day and got the credit for the day's advance. Wheat closed yesterday and opened to-day at very nearly the same point. The market displayed a firmness quite unexpected to a majority of the traders and advanced ¼@⅜c, May climbing to 84⅜c. The heavy-weights made their appearance at this juncture and offered property on a scale of great liberality, pushing the market down ¾c. May striking 83⅝c and showing great weakness. One or two large scalpers, who had been long considerable amounts of wheat, let go on the down turn under the belief that the market was

GOING TO SMASH.

Meantime outside buying orders multiplied, and the staying force eventually made itself felt in hardening values. The price steadily advanced, and the bear party, after trying unsuccessfully to stem the tide, drew off, determined apparently to offer no further active resistance, but let the bull sentiment exhaust itself if it would. By 12 o'clock March was selling at 84⅛c, and the market was seemingly as solid as a rock. The tone of foreign advices was rather less bearish than usual, and the posting of the amount of wheat on passage to the continent and United Kingdom, which showed about 6,000,000 bushels less than at the corresponding period last year, reports that about 250,000 bushels had been taken in Baltimore and New York for export late yesterday and this morning, together with a general revival of country confidence, as plainly manifested in the increasing number of orders from the interior, all contributed to the firmness that infused the crowd after the early break. The bears showed that to-day's firmness is ephemereal, and that when the demands of the country bulls are satisfied the market will react and drop back of its own weight. A report that the

NORTHWESTERN MILLERS

had lowered their bids at country points 3 cents in order to discourage further delivery, was seized upon as a bear argument. This, added to free selling by scalpers toward the close, caused prices to fall away, and at 1 o'clock May was quoted at 84⅛c, but this afternoon the market was stronger, again advancing ⅜@¾c, May closing at 84⅝@84¾c and June at 86⅛c, a gain of ¾c for the day. Corn manifested little business, but the market was steadier owing to the early strength in wheat and small receipts. Liverpool and New York markets were quiet, the latter being easier. Shippers purchased moderately, but their actions had no particular effect on the market. May sold at 39¾@40⅛c, and closed at 40c, the same as twenty-four hours before, February at 36@36⅛c, closing at 36⅛c. Oats were quiet and without important change as to condition and price. Provisions were active and lower, pork closing at a loss of 20c compared with yesterday, ribs 15@17½c lower and lard unchanged. There were no strikingly sensational features in the market, speculators who had profits on the long side showing a disposition to realize. With a shipping inquiry at the stock yards that keeps live hogs 25c per 100 lbs above the profit for packing, and no immediate prospect of an improvement in the receipts, provision bulls do not evince alarm at the decline. The stuff is widely scattered, but brokers say that on every break holdings become more concentrated.

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The Quotations.

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat advanced ⅜c at the opening, broke off ¾c, rallied ⅞c, fluctuated and closed at yesterday's figures. Sales ranged: February, 78½@79c, closing at 78 11-16c; March, 78½@79⅝c, closing at 79 1-16c; May, 83⅝@84½c, closing at 84 3-16c; No, 2 spring, 78⅝@81½c. Corn ruled a little firmer; cash and February, 36 1-16c; March, 36⅛@36½c, closing at 36 3-16c; May, 39¾@40⅛c, closing at 40c. Oats quiet; cash, 28⅛@28½c; February, 28 3-16c; March, 29⅜c; May, 31 11-16. Rye dull: No. 2, 58½c. Barley dull; No. 2, 60c. Mess pork opened easy, declined 20c, closing at inside figures; cash, $11.10@11.12½; February, $11.10@11.30, closing $11.10@11.12½; March, $11.12½@11.30, closing $11.15; May, $11.35@11.55, closing $11.35. Lard steady; cash and February, $6.12½; March, 6.17½; May, $6.27½. Boxed meats; dry salted shoulders, $3.95@5; short rib sides, $5.50½@5.55; short clear sides $5.85@5.90. Whisky steady at $1.16. Sugar unchanged. Produce Exchange—Butter and eggs unchanged. Receipts—Flour, 13,000 bbls; wheat, 15,000 bu; corn, 110,000 bu; oats, 95,000 bu; rye, 3,000 bu; barley, 36,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 11,000 bbls; wheat, 10,000 bu; corn, 86,000 bu; oats, 102,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 28,000 bu. Afternoon Board—Wheat stronger and ½@⅝c higher, May closing at 84 11-16c. Corn, oats, pork and lard unchanged.

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Duluth Wheat.

Special to the Globe.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 4.—In our market we have had an active day, attended with considerable excitement at times. Opening trading was done on a basis of ½c higher figures than last night at 91½c for May wheat, and in a single instance sold at 91½@⅝c. Prices broke rapidly under liberal offerings to 90¾c, with but little disposition to check it. A gain of ¾c took place in short order with good demand, fair trading being done at 91½c, and in a few instances at 91⅝c. Sentiment again changed and all markets broke in concert, values declining ⅜c, May selling freely and being liberally offered at 91¼c. The demand for cash wheat was not so liberal to-day. We quote No. 1 hard at 85¼c and No. 2 Northern at 78c, with sales. At the close the market was quiet and the feeling rather easy, traders being somewhat indifferent; 91¼c was bid for May, with sellers on the split at ¼@⅜c. The afternoon market opened strong at 91½c for May and quickly advanced to 91⅞c, with a good demand and few sellers at the market. At the close there were sellers at 91⅞@91¾c bid. After the close the feeling was quiet and rather easier; May offered at 91¾@91⅞c, with 91¾c bid; sales, 1,500,000 bu; receipts, 5,500 bu.

Milwaukee Produce.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 4.—Flour quiet. Wheat firm; cash, 81c; February, 78¾c; May, 84⅛c. Corn quiet; No. 2, 36c. Oats dull; No. 2, 28½c. Rye dull; No. 1, 58c. Barley easy; No. 2, 51¾c. Provisions lower; mess pork, cash or February, $11.25; March, $11.30; prime steam lard, cash or February, $6.15; March, $6.17½. Butter quiet; dairy, 15@18c. Cheese very quiet at 9@11c. Eggs unchanged at 18@19c. Receipts — Flour, 7,915 bbls; wheat, 12,170 bu; barley, 20,525. Shipments —Flour, 250 bbls; wheat, 1,395 bu; barley, 11,500 bu.

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The Fluctuations in Detail.

ST. PAUL, Feb. 4.—The following quotations, giving the range of the Chicago markets during the day, were received by M. Doran, commission merchant:

Time.	Wheat.		Corn.		Pork.	
	M'h	M'y	M'h	M'y	March.	May.
Yes. close.	78¾	84	36	39¾	11 37½	11 57½
Opening.	78⅞	84⅛	36⅛	39⅞	11 35	11 55
9:40 A. M.	78	84¼	36¼	40	11 25	11 45
9:50 "	79⅛	83¾	36⅛	39⅞	11 20	11 40
10:00 "	78⅞	83⅝	36⅛	39⅞	11 25	11 45
10:10 "	78⅝	83¾	36⅛	39⅞	11 25	11 45
10:20 "	78¾	83⅞	36⅛	39⅞	11 25	11 45
10:30 "	78¾	84	36⅛	39⅞	11 27½	11 47½
10:40 "	78	84⅛	36¼	40	11 30	11 50
10:50 "	79⅛	84¼	36¼	40	11 30	11 50
11:00 "	79¼	84⅝	36¼	40⅛	11 30	11 50
11:10 "	79¼	84⅝	36¼	40⅛	11 30	11 50
11:20 "	79⅛	84¼	36¼	40	11 30	11 50
11:30 "	79⅛	84⅛	36¼	40	11 30	11 50
11:40 "	79⅛	84⅝	36¼	40⅛	11 30	11 50
11:50 "	79⅜	84⅛	36¼	40	11 27½	11 47½
12:00 M.	79⅛	84⅝	36¼	40	11 25	11 45
12:10 P. M.	79⅛	84¼	36¼	40	11 22½	11 42½
12:20 "	79¼	84⅝	36⅛	40	11 22½	11 42½
12:30 "	79	84⅛	36¼	40	11 12½	11 32½
12:40 "	79⅛	84¼	36¼	40	11 20	11 40
12:50 "	79	84⅛	36¼	40	11 15	11 35
1:00 "	79	84⅛	36¼	40	11 15	11 35
2:00 "	79⅛	84¼	36¼	40⅛	11 15	11 35
2:10 "	79⅛	84⅛	36¼	40⅛	11 15	11 35
2:20 "	79⅛	84⅝	36¼	40⅛	11 17½	11 37½
2:30 "	79⅝	84¾	36¼	40⅛	11 15	11 25

CLOSE.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats	Pork
February.....	79¼	36⅛	28¼	$11 15
April.....	....	36⅞	....	11 25
June.....	86¼	....	....	11 35

Toledo Produce.

TOLEDO, O., Feb 4.—Wheat closed firm; cash, 90¾@92c; February, 91c asked; May 92½c. Corn strong; cash, 38½c bid; May, 40½c bid, 40¾c asked. Oats firm, unchanged; cash, 31c bid; May, 33½c. Dressed hogs, $4.80. Receipts—Wheat, 8,000 bu; corn, 12,600 bu; oats, 1,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 6,000 bu; corn, 5,000 bu.

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New York Produce.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Flour—Receipts, 8,159 bbls; exports, 1,175 bbls, 12,414 sacks; sales, 11,000 bbls. Wheat, higher; receipts, 15,950 bu; exports, 41,952 bu; sales, 2,880,000 bu future; 95,000 bu spot; No. 2 spring, 92c; ungraded red, 86c@91½c; No. 2 red, 81½c; February, 91⅜@91⅞c afloat; No. 1 white, 94⅛c; No. 2 red, February, 89¾@90c⅞, closing at 90c; March, 90@90⅞c, closing at 90⅞c; April, 91⅞@92⅛c, closing at 92⅛c; May, 92⅞@93⅝c, closing at 93⅜c; June, 93⅞@94⅜c, closing at 94⅛c; August, 94⅞@96; October, 95⅞c. Corn, higher, closing firm. Receipts 82,400 bu; exports, 40,182 bu; sales, 1,115,000 bu futures, 250,000 bu spot; ungraded, 48¾@50c; No. 3, 48⅞@49¼c; steamer, 48⅛@48½c; elevated, ungraded white 49; No. 2, February, 50@50⅜c.; closing 50½; March, 48⅞@49⅜c, closing at 49⅜c; April, 48⅞@49c, closing at 49c; May, 48⅛@48⅝c, closing at 48⅝c. Oats very dull; receipts, 19,000 bu; exports, none; mixed Western, 37@39c; white Western, 40@43¼c. Hay, firm demand. Coffee—Options steady, and moderately active; sales, 21,250 bags; February, $6.60; March, $6.50@6.60; May, $6.60. Sugar dull and nominal; fair to good refinery, 57-16@5 9-16; refined steady; off A, 5⅞c; granulated, 6 7-16@6⅜c. Petroleum quiet; united closing at 82⅞c. Tallow steady at 4½c. Turpentine steady at 40½@41c. Eggs higher and in good demand; receipts, 956 packages; Western, 24@24½c. Pork firmer and very quiet; mess, $10.50; cut meats firm and quiet; pickled bellies, 5¼c; middles firm; long clear, 5⅞c. Lard more doing for export; Western steam, $6.46@6.48; February, $6.45; March, $6.45@6.47; April, $6.53; May, $6.60. Butter firm and in fair request. Cheese quiet and barely steady. Lead firm; common, $4.55.

Foreign.

LONDON, Feb. 4, 5 p. m.—Calcutta linseed, 43s 3d per quarter; turpentine spirits, steady; spot, 28s per cwt.

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FINANCIAL.

New York.

Special to the Globe.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—The stock market again danced attention on Lackawanna. The course of the market on this stock was rapidly upward from the opening until an advance of 3½ points had been secured. It was generally conceded that there was something more substantial behind the advance than a short interest. The theory was that Drexel, Morgan & Co. had engineered a deal, the result of which would place the anthracite coal interests of the country in the hands of the Pennsylvania and Lackawanna companies, and render possible a coal combination strong enough to limit production and control prices. It was said Drexel, Morgan & Co. had, with this end in view, secured control of the Pennsylvania company of a majority of the Reading first mortgage bonds. This combination was also credited with having at the same time bought Lackawanna, and had bought it all the way up on its recent advance and it was said to be still buying it and predicting much higher prices. The talk was very

BULLISH ON LAKE SHORE.

The Grangers were all strong in spite of decreased earnings. It was said that the report of the Union Pacific company for 1885 would show a surplus of $2,500,000, equivalent to 4 per cent, on the stock. The December statement of the Erie showed a net increase of $165,000. Canadian Pacific increased $2,033,000 net for the year. The entire market was active and strong with all the old cliques buying and many new ones forming. The market kept strong until just before the close, when there was a general slump. Western Union, after advancing 1½ points, declined a point on heavy selling by parties reported to be on the inside. It is said that the next Western Union dividend would likely be passed. It was announced that the Chicago and east-bound roads had formed a new east-bound pool, and that the fact that the Chicago & Atlantic did not subscribe to the agreement was considered unfavorable to its stability. The market closed at a decline of about 1 point from the best prices of the day.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Money on call easy at 1½@2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@5 per cent. Sterling exchange quiet but steady at $4.86¾ for sixty days and $4.88¾ for demand. Government bonds were dull and steady. State bonds were quiet and firm. Railroad bonds continue fairly active, with a well distributed business, and as a rule there were further advances in quotations. It is stated that the coupons of $27,000,000 of a total of over $33,000,000 of the Erie second consols have been deposited in accordance with the Drexel money scheme. Stocks continued active, with Lackawanna the most conspicuous feature. At the opening the market was somewhat irregular, but early developed decided strength, which continued with frequent moderate fluctuations until about the middle of the afternoon. During this time prices advanced from fractions to over 3 per cent., the coal stocks leading. In the final dealings renewed strength prevailed and the market closed firm. The continued strength in Lackawanna is due to an increasing belief that the Pennsylvania company will secure control of the Reading and put an end to the coal troubles. To aid the upward movement to-day Lackawanna was made difficult to borrow and as much as 1 1-16 was paid for twenty-hours' use. After opening at 127⅝, a gain of ¼ over last evening, it reached 131 during the first hour. There was a quick reaction to 129¾, a rally of over 1 per cent., and then a comparatively steady tone until after 1 o'clock, when it yielded, selling as low as 128⅛. It closed at 129½, a gain of 2¼. Delaware & Hudson, in sympathy with this movement, sold as high as 96½, but closed 1⅜ lower, while Central of New Jersey is down 1½c and Reading ¾c. With the exceptions mentioned the most active stocks are generally fractionally higher. St. Paul, Western Union and Northern Pacific preferred were the only remaining really active stocks. They are all higher by small fractions. The total sales of stocks to-day were 508,732 shares, including Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 116,805; Delaware & Hudson, 9,785; Erie, 20,240; Kansas & Texas, 7,400; Lake Shore, 83,485; Louisville & Nashville, 7,400; Lake Shore, 83,485; Louisville & Nashville, 7,400; Northwestern, 21,685; New Jersey Central, 14,745; New York Central, 10,648; Ohio Central, 3,200; Pacific Mail, 14,610; St. Paul, 38,595; St. Paul & Omaha, 6,850; Union Pacific, 27,475; Western Union, 86,133; Northern Pacific preferred, 34,268; Oregon Transportation, 7,893.

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Quotations of Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Following are the closing prices bid to-day and the three preceding business days:

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.
United States 3s...	100⅞	100½	100⅝	100½
United States 4s...	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝	112⅝
United States 4s...	124	124	124⅛	124¼
Pacific 6s of '95....	126	126	126	126⅛
C P bonds, 1sts....	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾
Erie seconds.....	91¾	92¼	92⅛	92½
Lehigh & Wilkesb'e	101¼	106	106	106½
Louisiana consols.	84	84	86½	87½
Missouri 6s.....	100	100	100	100
St. Joe.....	121	120⅝	121	121
St. P. & S. C. 1sts..	127	127	126¾	126¼
Tennessee 6s, old..	56½	56½	56½	56
do new.....	56½	56½	56½	56
Texas Pac. grant..	39	39	39⅝	39¾
do Rio Grande div	53	55	53	53
Union Pac. 1sts....	115½	115¾	115¾	115¾
U. P. land grant...	105¼	106	106	106
U. P. sinking fund	122	121½	121¾	121¾
Virginia 6s.....	43	44	43	43
Virginia consols...	*52	*53	*53	*52½
do deferred.....	11	11¼	11	11
Adams Express...	145	145	145	145
Alton & T're H'te..	45	45½	46	45
do preferred.....	92	92	90	90
American Express.	102	102	102	102½
B., C. R. & N.....	65	65	65	65
Canadian Pac.....	65¼	65⅞	65½	63½
Canada Southern..	43⅝	43⅞	43¾	42½
Central Pac.....	44⅝	44	43	43
Chesapeake & Ohio.	11	11	10½	10¼
do preferred 1sts	18½	19	18½	18½
do 2ds	13	13	12	12
Chicago & Alton...	141	141	141	141
do preferred.....	155	155	155	149
C., B. & Q.....	138½	139	138¼	138½
C., St. L. & Pitts'g	14	14	13¾	14
do preferred.....	31	31	31	31
C. S. & C.....	32	32	34	34
C. C., C. & I	54	55	55	53
Delaware & Hudson	91⅝	93⅜	95	95
Del., Lac. & West'n	121⅝	124¾	127⅜	129½
Den. & Rio Grande	16½	17¾	18	17½
Erie.....	25¼	24⅞	25	25⅛
do preferred.....	52	52	52¾	53
East Tennessee....	3⅛	4	3⅝	3⅝
do preferred.....	7½	7⅜	6⅞	7
Ft. Wayne.....	147	147	147	147
Harlem	213	212	213	213
Houston & Texas..	30	30	30	30
Illinois Central....	140¼	141	141	141
Ind., B. & W.....	26⅝	26¼	26	26
Kansas & Texas...	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Lake Erie & West'n	13½	13	13	12½
Lake Shore.....	86⅛	86¼	87¼	87⅝
Louisville & Nashv	42½	41½	41⅝	4
Louisville & N. A..	40⅛	39	39	38¼
Memphis & Charles	35	36	35	35
Michigan Central..	72½	73	73¼	73
Minn. & St. Louis..	19⅝	19¼	19½	19
do preferred.....	47½	47½	48	47¼
Missouri Pac.....	111⅛	110	111	111¼
Mobile & Ohio.....	14¾	15¼	15	15
Morris & Essex....	135	135	135	135
Nashville & Chat..	47½	47½	48	48
New Jersey Central	46⅝	46⅞	47⅛	45¾
Norfolk & W. pref.	29	28	27½	27
Northern Pac.....	27¼	27	27¼	27½
do preferred.....	59¼	59⅛	59¾	59¾
Chicago & Northw.	109⅝	109¼	109	109¼
do preferred.....	136½	136½	136	135½
New York Central.	106	105¼	105⅝	105⅝
Ohio Central.....	1⅝	1¾	1¾	1¾
Ohio & Mississippi.	23⅝	23¼	23	23⅛
do preferred.....	82½	82½	82½	82½
Ontario & Western	19¾	19	19¼	19
Oregon Navigation	103½	103¼	103½	103½
do improvement.	29	29	29	29
do Transcontin'l	31⅝	31⅝	32¼	32
Pacific Mail.....	57¾	58	57½	58¼
Panama.....	98	98	98	98
Peoria, D. & E....	20⅞	21	20⅞	21¼
Pittsburg	149	149	149	148
Pullman Palace Car	133¼	133¼	133	133
Reading.....	22½	21⅝	21½	21
Rock Island.....	128⅞	128	128⅝	128
St. L. & San. Fran.	22¼	22¼	22	21½
do preferred.....	45¾	45½	45½	45¼
do 1sts preferred	103½	103	102½	102
C., M. & St. Paul..	93½	92⅞	93⅝	93⅜
do preferred.....	122	122½	122¾	123
St. Paul, M. & M...	115¼	114⅞	115⅝	115⅝
St. Paul & Omaha.	38½	38½	40⅛	39
do preferred.....	102½	102½	102¾	102
Texas Pacific.....	13⅛	13	12⅝	12⅝
Union Pac stock...	52	52⅞	51¾	52
U. S. Express.....	62	62	62	63
Wab., St. L. & Pac.	10½	10	10⅜	10¾
do preferred.....	19	18¾	19½	19½
Wells & Fargo Exp.	120	120	120	120
W. U. Telegraph..	72½	72¼	72⅛	72⅞
Colorado Coal.....	23¾	23½	23¼	23¾
N. Y., C. & St. L..	9	9	8⅞	8⅞
do preferred.....	20	20½	20¼	20

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CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—The money market was substantially without attention. The demand for discounts from miscellaneous borrowers was up to the customary average of the past ten days, but the supply of funds ample and rates without quotable alteration at 5@7 per cent., according to the character of the loan and security, time paper generally being quoted at 6@7 per cent. Street rates are quoted at 3½@7 per cent. Business among the jobbing houses was quiet, and an early improvement is entirely dependent on the matter, but, despite the low temperature and dullness of trade in the interior, collections are fair. The bank clearings were $7,960,000. New York exchange was in light supply, due to the small amount being made by shipments of produce to the seaboard, and rates between banks were firm at par. Bankers' sight sterling on London were quoted at $4.88¾, sixty days' sterling at $4.86¾@4.87, and sixty days' commercial documentary at $4.85¼@4.85½ and dull.

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New York Mining.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Mining shares were quiet, but strong. Sales:

Father Desmet..$	3	Iron Silver.....$2	35
Horn Silver.....	3 50	Ontario.....	29
Freeland	1 75	Quicksilver.....	7
Bodie.....	1 70	do preferred....	24
Homestake	22	Sutro.....	18

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Boston Railway and Mining Shares.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 4.—Following were the closing prices at the stock exchange to-day:

A. & T. 1st 7s....	126	Mex. Cen. com...	10
do land grts 7s..	124	do bond scrip..	82
do railroad.....	92	do 1st m't'g b'ds	48¼
Bos. & Albany ..	181	N. Y. & N. E....	35⅜
B. & M.....	188	do. 7s.....	128½
C., B. & Q.....	138⅞	Calumet & Hecla.	216
Cin., San & C....	17½	Franklin.....	10½
L. R. & Ft. S....	44	Quincy	48½
Old Colony.....	161	Bell Tel.....	165
do. common.....	6	Boston Land	7⅛
Rutland pref	26	Water Power....	8⅛
Wis. Cen. com...	20		

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155. DRAKE BLOCK. ST. PAUL, MINN.

San Francisco Mining.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4.—Mining shares closed here to-day as follows:

Con. Cal. & Va..	1 87½	Mexican.....$	35
Eureka Con....	2 25	Mono.....	3 75
Gould & Curry.	80	Navajo.....	05
Hale & Nor....	2 50	Ophir	50
Bodie Con.....	1 50	Potosi	40
Best & Belcher.	75	Savage.....	1 12½
Con. Pacific....	25	Sierra Nevada..	40
Crown Point...	80	Union Con.....	30
Mount Diablo..	3 00	Utah.....	75
Yellow Jacket.	90		

London Money and Stocks.

LONDON, Feb. 4, 5 p. m.—The followin were the quotations to-day:

U. S. bonds, 4½s	114¼	Ill. Central.....	144¼
A. & G. W. 1sts..	37¼	Mex. ordinary...	26⅛
do 2ds.....	11⅝	St. Paul common	95¼
Canadian Pacific.	66⅛	New York Cent..	108⅛
Erie.....	25¾	Pennsylvania....	56⅛
do 2ds.....	82⅝	Reading	11

The proportion of the Bank of England reserve to liability which last week was 43⅜ per cent., is now 45⅛ per cent.

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Paris Rentes.

PARIS, Feb. 4.—Three per cent. rentes, 81f 80c for the account. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows an increase of 2,997,000f gold and of 2,919,000f of silver.

HOXSIE & JAGGAR

SELL

Cider, Apples, Cranberries.

353 ROBERT STREET. ST. PAUL.

LOCAL MARKETS.

St. Paul.

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 86½c bid; February, 86½c bid; No. 1 Northern, 83c bid; No. 2 Northern, 77c bid.

Corn—No. 2, 33c bid, 34c asked; February, 33c bid, 34c asked; March, 34c bid, 35c asked; May, 37c bid, 38½c asked.

Oats—No. 2 mixed, 29c bid, 29½c asked; February, 29c bid, 29½c asked; March, 29½c bid, 30½c asked; May, 32c bid, 33½c asked; No. 2 white, 29½c bid, 30c asked; No. 3 white, 29c bid.

Barley—No. 2, 55c bid; February, 55c bid; No. 3 extra, 48c bid; No. 3, 40c asked.

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

Ground Feed—$14 bid. $14.52 asked.

Corn Meal—Bolted, $15 bid, $17 asked; coarse, $12 bid, $13 asked.

Shorts—$10 asked.

Bran—$9.50 bid.

Baled Hay—$6 50 bid.

Timothy Hay—$9 bid, $10 asked.

Live Hogs—$3.50 bid.

Dressed Hogs—$4.35 bid.

Flax Seed—$1 bid.

Timothy Seed—$1.65 bid.

Clover Seed—$5.25 bid.

Eggs—Ice house stock 15c asked; fresh, 18c bid, 19c asked.

Sales—1 car 500 bushels rye f. o. b., 49c; 1 car No. 2 corn, May, track, 38c; 1 car ground feed, $14.25; 15 cases eggs, 18c; 1 car hay, $6.75.

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND LUMBERMEN'S SUPPLIES.

Liberal Advances Made on Consignments of Grain

322 SIBLEY STREET. ST. PAUL.

Produce Exchange.

Business on the board was quiet this morning and changes were few. Eggs are in only moderate demand with prices unchanged. The poultry market is in practically the same condition as yesterday, and is characterized with a slightly better demand for fresh turkeys, while prices are a shade firmer. Butter unchanged; apples rather quiet.

Florida oranges are scarce and $5 per box; Florida Russett oranges, $4.50; Messina oranges, $3.25@3.50; Valencias, 420 in a case, $8 per case.

Lemons—Best Messina, $5; fair to good, $4@4.50; Malagas are very poor at $3.

Nuts—Pecans, Texas polished, medium to large, 9@12c per lb; almonds, Terragonas, 18c; California soft shelled, 15c; filberts, Sicily, 9@12c; walnuts, 12@15c.

Dates—Persians, 9c; dates in mats, 6c; figs 12½@18c.

Bananas—Yellow, per bunch $3.50@5.

Apples are slow of sale with plenty on hand and light demand. Choice winter fruit is quoted at $1.75@2.25 for car lots; for nice selected, small lots, $2.25@2.50; eating or stand apples, $2.50; cooking, $2@2.25.

Cranberries are dull, and are selling for $2@2.25 per bu, and $5@6 per bbl.

Cocoanuts—Per hundred $5@5.50.

Dressed Poultry—There is a little better inquiry for fresh turkeys and prices are a little firmer and we quote the outside price 1c higher. Chickens are the same as before. The whole poultry market will probably advance sharply when it takes a start, as it is likely to do at almost any time now. It is really too low and but little stock is coming in. Quotations are as follows: Turkeys, 9c to 11c; chickens, 7c to 9c.

Game—Quail, $2@2.25; rabbits, $1 per doz; squirrels, $1@1.25 per doz.

Cider—Choice Michigan, 16-gal. kegs, $2.75@3.25 per keg; choice refined, 16-gal. keg, $3@4 per keg; choice refined, 32-gal. barrels $5.50@6.50 per bbl. Ohio cider, $4 for ½ bbls, $7 for full bbls.

Butter—Extra choice, fresh creamery, 30c; extra creamery, 28c bid, 25c asked; extra firsts, 18c bid, 20c asked; fresh made, sweet dairy, 15 to 19c; choice stock, 16 to 18c; roll and print, choice, 10@15c; common to fair, 8@10c; packing stock 4@6c; grease, 2@3c. Most of the butter coming in is of the lower grades.

Cheese—Young Americas and fancy, 11@12c; October and late made full cream, 9½@10½c; August and September full cream, 8½@9½c; fine, 9@10c; fine, partly skimmed, 4@6c.

Eggs—Ice stock, 15c asked; fresh, 18c bid, 19c asked.

Onions, per bbl, $2 to $2.25

Potatoes—65c asked per b