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NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Prices of stocks traversed a considerable range today, moving forward in the early dealings, and then pursuing a retrograde course to about last night's level. The market to be drawn is that the professional traders are disinclined to undertake extensive speculative commitments.

Prall, West Concord, hogs and sheep; T. Larson, Waltham, hogs; G. Noid, Nelson, 2 lots cattle, hogs, and sheep; J. O. Brown, hogs; M. C. Black, Cannon Falls, hogs; C. H. Richards, Stewart, cattle and hogs; J. B. Bunn, Cannon Falls, 2 loads sheep; G. Putnam, Becker, cattle and hogs; G. W. Redford, Brown's Valley, cattle and hogs; S. J. Co., Brown's Valley, cattle and hogs; S. J. Co., Manchester, hogs; R. C. Field, Coe, Co., 5000 lbs. hogs; J. M. Cattle & Hogs; Fairbanks & Prall, Bixby and Watonwan, 2 loads hogs; J. E. Merritt, Northrop, hogs; A. D. Sackett, Janesville, hogs; M. W. Ayer, 1000 lbs. hogs; J. M. Minnesota Transfer, St. Paul; Barrett & Zimmerman's report: The warm weather is causing the marketing of horses, which is causing an overstock of horses on the market.

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LEATHER—The market for leather is not in demand and prices are low. The market for hides is not in demand and prices are low. The market for skins is not in demand and prices are low.

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THEY ARE DECIDEDLY UNFAVORABLE TO THE BEAR ELEMENT—Shipments of Gold to London Much Greater Than Had Been Estimated—Drain Expected to Continue Indefinitely—Banks Show Some Gains.

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