MONETARY.

MONEY AND COMMERCE.

THUESDAY EVENING, Feb. 13. In the local money market, the progress toward an easier condition is perceptible, not-withstanding the increased demand from the four hours, and for the corresponding date one grain-dealers, and, as the products of all kinds | year ago : move off Eastward with the increasing supply of transportation, further progress in that direction may be expected. The demand from the country for currency seems to have fallen off some, and a sufficient supply has probably been sent out to facilitate all the exchanges that will be made for some time.

In the open market there is a better supply of money, and local stocks are more firmly held, and higher prices asked. Money is freely offered on these at 10 to 12 per cent.

Exchange continues very weak, owing to a sarger supply, and was offered freely at 75c per

THE BEAL VALUE OF GREENBACKS.

In response to some queries lately made by a citizen of Indianapolis, Professor A. L. Perry. who occupies the chair of Political Economy in Williams College, Mass., assents to the following

That the true value of gold, in our currency, instead of being 12 per cent premium, would be at least 40 if our laws had not in effect demonstized it, and if Mr. Boutwell did not control the market by the sale of Gorgowner cold. This is only another way of saying that if

greenbacks were not a legal tender, they would be worth only about 70 cents on the dollar (711/2 with gold at 140), instead of 8914, as they are when gold is at 112.

Of the means by which he arrives at this estimate of the real depreciation of greenbacks,

Trofessor Perry says:

The comparison of the amount of currency per rapida in 1861 with the present, will be one test to determine it; a comparison of current prices at the two points will be another; neither of them quite perfect, but the test attainable.

Now, to sustain this theory, it must be assumed that all commodities in this country are 40 per cent higher in currency than they were in 1861. It is possible that this may be the case, but if so, it must be remembered that, at least, half of the increase of prices since 1861 is due to increased taxation, and the increased cost of transportation in the United States. The latter is, of course, to some extent, only a secondary effect of increased taxes; but the growth of the country has been so great that even if we had a specie currency, and there had been no increase of taxes since 1861, the cost of transportation on the great trank lines of railway would be greater than it was in 1861. But, aside from these considerations, it is a well-established fact that prices of commodities are higher in Great Britain and other countries in Europe, where the currency is on a specie basis, and where prices are not affected by our depreciated currency, than they were in 1861. We should, therefore, regard Professor Perry's test of a comparison of prices as an unsatisfactory one. If the Legal-Tender act were repealed, the value of greenbacks would depend entirely upon the time when they were to be redeemed or funded into an interest-bearing obligation. If they were redeemed or funded at once, they would of course be worth par in gold. The rate of interest for money on long and secure investments in this country is about 6 per cent. If, therefore, greenbacks were not a legal tender, but were certain to be redeemed at par in gold at the end of ten years, they would be worth nearly 60 cents on the dollar in gold, because an investor could pay nearly that for them and get over 6 per cent simple interest at the end of the ten years by the redemption of greenbacks at par. New the Government has an annual surplus of say \$50,000,000 annual revenue. If this surplus were directed as fast as collected to the redemption of greenbacks at par, the whole \$356,000,000 would be redeemed and retired, and other currency would take their place by the end of seven years. An investor rould therefore aftord to pay 70 cents on the dollar in gold for them, even if he did not present them for redemption until the last green-backs were redeemed at the end of the seven years. But, if the \$50,000,000 of annual revenue were devoted as fast as collected to the redemption of greenbacks, some of them would United States. The latter is, of course, to some extent, only a secondary effect of increased

vnue were devoted as fast as collected to the redemption of greenbacks, some of them would be worth par in gold at once, and an equation of the redemptions would probably show three years to be the longest time for which interest would have to be deducted, and 85 cents in gold would be about the real value of greenbacks without any reference to their character as legal tenders. We conclude, therefore, that if backs without any reference to their character as legal tenders. We conclude, therefore, that if Congress would dovote \$50,000,000 annually to the redemption of greenbacks it might repeal the Legal Tender act, and yet greenbacks would ries to par in three or four years. But if the \$50,000,000 per annum were redeemed—say by receiving them for 25 per cent of the duties on imports, and the Legal-Tender law still maintained, we should have greenbacks at par in gold within two years, and probably in one year. This was in fact the principle of Secretary McCulloch's plan of getting back to specie payments, a plan not understood by the specie payments, a plan not understood by the specie at the time he tried it, but one to which resort will have to be made whenever resumption is successfully inangurated. The value of greenwill have to be made whenever resumption is successfully inaugurated. The value of greenbacks does not depend so much upon their legal quality, nor upon the amount of currency per capita in the country as it does upon the prosect of actual redemption in gold. This is the hain point for legislators and financiers to keep in view. With greenbacks at par, no one need arouble themselves about the amount of currency per capita in the country. If there is not enough, the commercial community will supply itself with gold and silver without any legislation of Congress. As long as specie redemptions are maintained, there never can be too much paper currency for any considerable time, as it will go home to its issuers for redemption.

LOCAL STOCK AND DOND MARKET.

Mesers. Lunt, Preston & Kean quote as follows

	Euging.	Settin
5-20s of '62	115	115
5-20s of '64	11532	115
5-20s of '65	115	115
5-20s of '65, Jan. and July	114	114
5-20s of '67, Jan. and July	11614	- 116
5-20s of '68, Jan. and July	116	116
10-405	114	114
U. S. 5s (New Issue,) ex int	.11322	113
Northern Pacific Gold 7-30s		100 & in
Chicago City 7s		93% & in
Cook County 7s		99% & in
Illinois, County and Township 10)s	95@97
Sterling Exchange (large drafts).		10914-110
Gold Exchange		114
Gold and Gold Coupons	.11337	114
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SOUTH OF CITY LIMITS.

Lot 5, in Block 3, and Lot 44, in Block 2, in n 1/2 n w

Sec 9, 33, 14, dated Oct. 18, 1872; consideration, \$800.

COMMERCIAL.

THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 13. The following were the receipts and shipments

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	BECEIPTS.		SHIPA	LENTS.
	1873.	1872.	1873.	1872
Flour, brls	3,726	2,060	4,529	2,0
Wheat, bu	43,410	4.567	5.240	3.25
Corn, bu	98,415	48,955	4,346	42,40
Gats, bu	37,030	19,291	12,494	12.69
Rye, bt	3,557	1.000	1.132	2,5
Barley, bu	15.720	5,020	11,545	8,5
Grass Seed, Ibs	244,733	141,680	75,685	78,80
Flax Seed, ibs	18,000		l	
Broom Corn. ibs	8,100	28,000	5,566	
Cured Meats, ibs	250,800	54,390	1317,500	1451.75
Beef, brls	. 60	32	70	
Pork, bris	45	320		47
Lard, the	169,160	148,530	934,170	654,47
Tallow, ibs	33,621	210	41,500	40,67
Butter, ibs	47,150	21,378	45,720	25
Dressed Hogs, No	3,115	2,941	5,848	2,80
Live Hogs, No	15,613	10,925	6,117	1,20
Cattle, No	1.328	1,286	839	1,07
Sheep, No	1,882	1,500		1,02
Hides, Ibs	62,374	45,742	69,230	145,84
Highwines, brls	343	250	324	32
Wool, Its	112,406	7,000	350,470	7,00
Potatoes, bu	1,081	1,706		
Lumber, M feet	375	382	700	88
Shingles, M	710	370	550	40
Lath, M	40		82	
Salt, bris		1,200	1,439	1,62
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Withdrawn from store yesterday for city consumption: 3,216 bu wheat; 1,329 bu corn; 2,675 bu oats; 1,955 bu rye; 8,039 bu bariey. The following grain has been inspected into store this morning, up to 10 o'clock: 125 cars wheat; 197 cars corn; 26 cars oats; 8 cars rye; 19 cars barley. Total, 375 cars, or 107,000 bu.

The leading produce markets were irregular to-day, with not much doing on the average, though some departments were moderately active, and the majority were strong in tone, The receipts were not so voluminous as for two or three days past, and the weather outlook was construed by some to be favorable to another storm, with its retardation of the movement of produce towards this city.

We are informed that the pressure for freightroom would not be so severely felt here, were it not for the difficulty experienced in unloading cars at the eastern termini of the roads. The Michigan Central has cars enough to be able to send 350 per day through to Detroit, but they can only get about one-third of that number across the river. The other lines running east are similarly hampered by the glut on the sea-

are similarly hampered by the glut on the seaboard, where cars cannot be unloaded into vessels as fast as the cars are forwarded. The difficulty is largely due to a radical change in the provision trade within one or two years past. Formerly the bulk of our hog product was put up in pork barrels, which were shipped out in summer. Now the great bulk is packed in boxes (meats) and forwarded in winter. Hence but little space for freight-room is left for grain. It is pitiable, too, to note the effects of our present scarcity of money, as well as of cars, on the transportation question; some of the freight-charges seem to be paid in goods instead of money. Only two or three days ago a prominent railroad official is reported to have accepted a box of champagne from a gentleman engaged in the shipment of oats; and it is not yet two weeks since a party of railroad workers sat down to a feast of fat and sparkling things provided by a gentleman who had a lot of hogs to send forward. It is not impossible that these were in partial payment of freight charges; but people on 'Change will talk about such things when they have nothing better to do, and some are mean enough to hint that these little pledges of friendship are signs of improper preferences to shippers.

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There was a very satisfactory business doing in the grocery market, both staple and fancy goods sharing in the activity. The feeling developed was again one of firmness, sugar being the only article for which the market was weak. Refined and raw grades have suffered a further decline at the East, and prices here were off an ½c in sympathy. Coffees continue firm, and in two or three grades of Rio we note a ½c advance. Rice, soans, spices, and candles remain firm. Pepper was 1c higher. The demand for dry goods exhibits steady improvement, and in bleached and brown cottons, prints, denims, and some other lines, the market is hardening. Butter was again in good request, and was firmly held at the advanced prices established last week. The supply still falls short of the demand. There was a satisfactorily active inquiry for canned goods and pickles, and firmness was a feature of the market. An advance of 10c in Yarmouth corn was the only quotable change. Cheese, coal, hay, hides, and leather were without important change. The oil trade was moderately active, and, if we except carbon, which was weak at a ½c decline, former prices were firmly sustained.

The demand for lumber and building materials continues light, and previous prices are generally adhered to. Metals and tinners' stock were in moderate request and firm. Iron, steel, and nails are meeting with an improved demand, and a firm tone prevails, in sympathy with the Eastern and English markets. The wool trade continues quiet; manufacturers are buying for current necessities only, but the general market is dull and prices are unchanged. Hops and broom corn are without new feature. A fair amount of business was transacted in seeds, though the general market was reported dull. The receipts were heavy, and chickens were rather weak. Choice turkeys and chickens were in demand among shippers, but for other descriptions of poultry the inquiry was light. shippers.
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at \$5.25; 200 brls do on private terms; 100 brls superfines at \$4.50; 50 brls do at \$4.25; 100 brls rye (Oshkosh) at \$4.75; 25 brls do at \$4.75; 20 brls buckwheat at \$8.50. Total, 1,095 brls. Also, 10 tons bran at \$12.00; 20 tons at \$11.50, all on track; 10 tons corn meal at \$12.00 at mill; 10 ions feed at \$13.00 at mill. The following were the closing quotations:

Fair to choice white winter extras. \$8.00 \(\begin{array}{c} \

Wheat was in fair demand, and relatively strong, advancing 13/2 from the lowest figure touched yesterday afternoon, though the range of the two days was about the same. New York was firmer, owing to the reception of private advices of greater strength in Liverpool and London, and our receipts were less in volume, which produced a reaction in the general feeling. A good many operators sold short very freely during the decline of the past few days, and some of these gentlemen thought it advisable to cover. This brought out an active inquiry, that resulted in an upward movement in prices. Seller March opened at 51.22, advanced ½c, declined to \$1.21½, and rose to \$1.239½ at the close. Seller the month, or cash No. 2 spring, sold at \$1.20%@1.223½, and celler April at \$1.21½(\$1.26½, both closing at the outside. There was a better demand for shipment, and other grades than No. 2 were moderately active. No. 1 spring closed firm at \$1.27½; No. 3 do closed at \$1.09, and do seller to April 1 sold at \$1.08½, and seller this month, gilt edged receipts when delivered, at \$1.10½. Rejected spring closed at 97c. Cash sales were reported of 800 bu No. 1 spring at \$1.27½; 5000 bu do at \$1.22½; 5000 bu do at \$1.22½; 5000 bu do at \$1.22½; 5000 bu do at \$1.21½; 30.600 bu. do at

wool. Harding, Gray & Dewey, of Boston, write as Harding, Gray & Dewey, of Boston, write as follows:

If we are not mistaken the result of the recent auction sale will strengthen the market and check the depression which has existed for some weeks past. The best proof that manufacturers have no intention of stopping machinery at present was the large number attending this sale. We also made special inquiry about the general stoppage of machinery, so much talked about recently, and repeat that manufacturers in this neighborhood will, very generally decline to be a party to any such arrangement. The demand for goods still falls short of expectation and prices are and have been unsatisfactory for a long time past, but all well conducted mills will continue to run, in anticipation of a favorable change at an early day. The severe cold weather throughout the country, North and South, East and West, has, no doubt, had an influence in keeping trade backward, and a favorable change may not be so far off as some predict.

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At the same time holders of wool must not expect extreme figures. The speculative excitement, commencing at this time last year, and the resoction which followed, has been a serious drawback to the trade ever since, and is not likely to be repeated. A comparison of prices, now and then, will show that the present current rates are certainly not unreasonable. It appears to us, in fact, a good time now for manufacturers to buy, when holders are willing to meet them at current rates. Both fleece and pulled wool are now from 3@5c \$\frac{1}{2}\$ blower than a few weeks ago, notwithstanding stocks are small and prospective receipts light.

LATEST.

In the afternoon wheat was moderately active and irregular, declining %@1c. No. 2 spring ginger, pure, 28@30c; do No. 1, 20@25c; do No. 2. 16 and irregular, declining %(@1c. No. 2 spring sold at \$1.21%(@1.22 seller the month, and 1.22% (@1.23 seller March. Corn was quiet and a shade firmer, closing at 31@31% seller the month, and 31%(@31% seller March. Other grain and provisions were neglected.

CHICAGO DAILY MARKET.

THURDAY EVENING, Feb. 13.

ALCOHOL—Was in moderate request; 94 per cent proof is quotable at \$1.7591.80.

BROOM CORN—Dealers report a light order trade in the higher grades of corn. Other descriptions are plentiful and dull. We again quote: No. 1 hurl, 685% per h; No. 1 stock braid, 685% pic, No. 2 do, 464%; No. 2 do, 369%; inside green 3%c; do red tip, 364c; do pale andred, 262%c.

BEANS—Were in fair request. The receipts are fair, and the offerings of all grades except prime navies are liberal. We quote: Navies at \$2.40@.455; fair to prime, \$2.00@2.40; common tomedium, \$1.60@\$2.00.

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BUILDING MATERIALS—The seems to be a slight improvement in the domand, but generally speaking the market is quiet. There were no changes in prices. We quote: Stucco, \$2.5062.75; New York stucco, casting, \$4.00; superfine do, \$4.0064.50; Rosendale cement, \$2.20; \$3.50; Utica cement, \$2.00 per br!: Louisville cement, \$2.00; marble dust, \$3.25; \$3.50; lime in bulk, \$1.10; lime (brle), \$1.256; \$1.50 per br!; white sand, per br!, \$2.7563.00; plastering hair, per bu, 406.50c; fire brick, per 1.000, \$40.00.290.00; bullding brick (common), \$9.506.14.00; country brick, \$10.506.11.00; Woodstock pressed range at \$25.00.340.00; St. Louis hydraulic pressed, \$45.00, del; Hillsdale, \$25.00, del; fire clay, per br!, \$4.006.500; Hillsdale, \$25.00, del; fire clay, per br!, \$4.006.500. The following is the list of prices per box of 50 feet for domestic window glass, from which a reduction of 40 and 5 per cent is made to dealers.

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7x10 to 8x10	6.75	9.0
8x11 to 10x13	7.25	10.0
8x14 to 10x15		12.0
1x14 to 12x17		14.0
2x18 to 16x20		16.0
4x22 to 16x24		18.0
8x22 to 18x30		19.0
0x28 to 24x30	13.00	21.0
6x28 to 24x36		24.0
5x34 to 26x40	15.00	26.0
8x38 to 28x44	16.00	28.0
8x46 to 30x48	18.00	29.0
0x50 to 32x52	10.00	30.0
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BUTTER—There was only a slight increase in the receipts of this staple, and, although there was less activity in the demand, there was no "softening" of price, the advance of last week being thoroughly sustained. The inquiry is chiefly for good to choice packed, though roll butter, if really fine, finds ready buyers at good prices. The stocks now in store are remarkably light for this season of the year. We quote: Common to choice roll, 17@24c; strictly choice dairy, packed, 27@29c; medium to good, 20@24c; inferior common, 9@48c.

BAGGING—Cotton scamless bags continue to move on a liberal scele, and the market still exhibits a bouyant tone. Stock, though not yet as full as could be desired, are in much better chape than a formight ago, and even jobbers are now filling orders with a fair degree of promptness. Burlaps and gunnies are in ample stock and rule steady. We quote: Start, 37c; Ludlow, 35%c; Lewistown, 35c; American, 33c; Amoskeag, 33c; Otter Creek, 34c; burlap bags, 4 and 5 bn, 20@22%c; wool ancks, 58c.

CANNED GOODS AND PICKLES—Continued activity is witnessed in the demand for canned goods and pickles, and the general market exhibits a decidelly firm tone. The only notable exception is peaches, the supply of which is large. Corn is in light stock, and prices are advancing, Yarmouth now being quoted at \$2.0023.00. Lobsters and oysters are also scarce. Otherwise stocks are in fair condition. We quote:

Small, brie, 2,200 per pictures.

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Small, brie, 2,200 per pictures.

Small, brie, 1,200 per pictures.

Solo Medium, brie, 1,200 per pictures.

Solo Medium, brie, 600 per pictures.

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Braurs—Diamond drips, \$1.35@1.40; silver drips, extra fine, 72@75c; good sugar-house syrup, 45@48c; extra do, 50@55c; New Orleans molasses, choice, 75@80c; do prime, 70@75c; do common, 60@65c; Porto Rice molasses, choice, 55@69c; common molasses, 30 SALERATUS—Common to best, 8@10c.

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SRICES—Allspice, 17(3]85; cloves, 35(3)75; cassia, 38(40c; pepper, 22%(223%c; nutmegs, \$1.20c].25; cigner, pure, 226(30c; do No. 1, 20(2) 25c; do No. 2, 16 (20c).

SOAPS—French mottled, 6%(65%c; brown Windson, 4%(64%c; Boxon Imperial, 6%(65%c; White Lily, 6%(65%c; Wh

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French calf, 24 to 25 lbs. 1.89@ 2.35
French calf, 26 to 30 lbs. 1.75@ 2.25
French calf, 30 to 36 lbs. 1.75@ 2.25
French calf, 30 to 36 lbs. 1.60@ 2.15
French kip, 50 to 100 lbs. 1.00@ 1.50
LUMBER—Nothing of importance has transpired in connection with this market. Trade seems to be "picking up" a little, and a more active demand is generally anticipated before long. Prices range as follows:
First clear. \$52,00@55.00
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Third clear, 1 inch to 2 inch. 38,00@40.00
Third clear, 1 inch. 38,00@40.00
Third clear, thick. 43,00@45 00
First and second clear flooring, together.

rough 40.00@42.00
First and second clear siding, tegether 23.00@24.00
Common siding 20.00@24.00
Common fooring, dressed, first. 37.00@31.00
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Wagon-box boards, selected, 16 inches and upward 35.00@40.00
B stock boards. 37.00@40.00
B stock boards. 28.00@30.50
Common boards 15.00@16.00
Joist, scantling, small timber, etc., 16 feet and under 15.00@16.00
Fencing 15.00@16.00
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Pickets, square
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Cedar posts, split.
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 20,00@22,00

 Lath
 3,75@ 4,00

 No. 1 sawed shingles
 1,50@ 2,00

 A or Star
 3,50@ 3,75
 Oak (dry) \$25,00@40.00
Black walnut. 25,00@90.00
Maple 14,00@35.00
Ash (dry) 30,00@40.00
Butternut. 25,00@60.00
Counter tops (select). 1,00@ 1,50
Flooring, 6-in, grooved and matched @75.00
Axles 60@ 75
Wagon poles (each). 55@ 60
Hickory 50,00@75.00
Box boards 50,00@45.00
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doz ducks at \$4.00.

SALT—Continues to meet with a fair inquiry. We again quote: Onondaga and Saginaw, fine, \$2.40; ordinary coarse, \$2.40; corse Diamond C, \$2.50; ground solar, \$2.50; dairy, without bags, \$4.25@4.50; dairy, with bags, \$4.25@4.50; Ashton dairy, per sack, \$5.00; ground alum, \$2.50@2.75; Turk's Island, \$2.00.

SASH, DOORS, AND BLINDS—Were quiet and stocky. steady. We quote:
DOOES—FOUR PANEL. жоо. Size.2x 6 by 6x 8.....

1 3-16	2	z 8 by 6x	8	2,90
1 3-8	2	x 6 by 6x	6	2,57
1 3-8	2	x 8 by 6x	8	3.00
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9x14	1 3-16 in	2x 7	by 5x2	640
10x12	1 3-16 in	2x10	by 4x6	570
10x14	1 3-16 in	2x10	by 5x2	64c
9x14	13-8 in	2x 7	by 5x2	80c
10x14	13-8 in	2x10	by 5x2	80c
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dealers report a comparatively dull market. The receipts are liberal, especially of clover, Hungarian, and millet, and prices are rather weak in consequence. Timothy is quotable at \$3,006,34.5; clover at \$4,806,5,75; Hungarian, \$1,07%,61.15; millet, 75,685c; buckwheat at 85c for common. Sales include 45 bags timothy at \$3,45; 116 bags at \$3,40; 425 bags prime at \$3,35; 445 bags at \$3,30; 30 bags at \$3,20; 21 bags at \$3,30; 30 bags at \$3,20; 21 bags at \$3,30; 30 bags at \$3,50; 32 bags at \$3,50; 34 bags do \$1,25; 6 bags at \$3,50; 32 bags at \$3,50; 34 bags poor at \$4,80; 50 bags at 19,9; 20 bags at \$1,124; 110 bags do at \$1,10; 150 bags at \$1,124; 110 bags do at \$1,10; 150 bags at \$1,124; 110 bags at 75c; 15 bags at \$1,07%; 20 bags millet at \$5c; 40 bags do at 80c; 50 bags at 78c; 50 bags at 78c; 15 bags buckwheat at \$50. bags at 78c; 50 bags at 75c; 15 bags buckwheat at 85c.
TEAS—Under this head no new features are noted.

Extra, pulled..... Burry wool 5@10c less.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 13.
The receipts of live stock since Saturday

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheer
onday	1,661	9.660	2,03
uesday	1,557	15,189	54
ednesday	1,328	15,643	1.80
hursday	1,500	16,000	1,00
·•	C 0/6	56,491	5.40
Total	6,046		
me time last week	9,740	82,516	6,81
eek before last	8,318	83,211	7,25
Shipments were as follo	we:		
	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep
onday	1.977	7,160	43
onday	619	8.061	•••
ednesday	833	6,117	•••
Total	3,334	21,383	48
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CATTLE-There was a	dmer	feeling	

cattle market. The supply of stock was moderate, and transportation facilities were again ample; but these favorable circumstances were counterbalanced by the discouraging tone of advices from the East, and the undesirable advices from the East, and the undesirable quality of the offerings, and not only were sellers unable to establish any advance, but it was with difficulty that former rates were sustained. The arrivals embraced no really choice stock, and with, perhaps, a half-dozen exceptions, there were no transfers at over \$5.00. The extreme range was \$2.50@6.05, though most of the day's sales were at the low range of \$3.00@4.75. Stockers met with more inquiry than on the preceding days of the week, and all suitable offerings found buyers at fair prices, or at \$3.25@3.75 for common to medium lots, averaging from 700 to 900 hs, and at \$4.00 @4.25 for good to prime droves; averaging from 955 to 1.100 hs. Butchers bought to a mod-950 to 1.100 ths. Butchers bought to a mod-

erate extent at \$3.00@3.75 for common to good cows, and at \$4.00@4.25 for fairish steers. The market closed steady, with some thin stock unsale. Sold. QUOTATIONS.

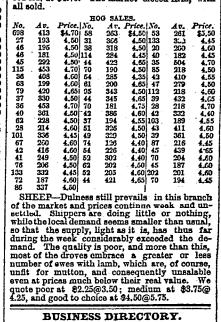
Extra—Graded steers averaging 1,400 bs and upwerds. \$6.00\(\text{G6.25}\) Choice Heeves—Fine, fat, well formed 3 year to 5 year old steers, and averaging 1,300 to 1,400 bs. \$5.00\(\text{G6.25}\) Choice Heeves—Well-fattened, finely-formed steers, averaging 1,200 to 1,200 bs. \$5.00\(\text{G5.25}\) Medium Grades—Steers in fair fiesh, averaging 1,100 to 1,250 bs. \$4.50\(\text{G4.75}\) Butchers' Stock—Common to medium steers, and good to extra cows, for city slunghter, averaging 800 to 1,100 fs. \$3.50\(\text{G4.25}\) Stock Cattle—Common cattle, in decent fiesh, averaging 700 to 1,050 bs. \$3.25\(\text{G4.15}\) Inferior—Light and thin cows, helfers, stegs, bulls, and scallawag steers. \$1.75\(\text{G2.75}\) Cattle—Con-form summered. \$2.50\(\text{G3.50}\) Cattle—Con-form summered. \$2.50\(\text{G3.50}\) Cattle—Con-form summered. \$2.50\(\text{G3.50}\) Cattle—Con-form summered. \$2.50\(\text{G3.50}\) Cattle—Con-form summered. \$2.50\(\text{G3.50}\)

Price \$4.337, 4.435, 4. 14 butchers' steers. 1,103 4.75

41 good steers. 1,301 4.75

HOGS—Activity and firmness characterized the hog market from the beginning to the close. Receipts were again light, and, with shippers and local buyers both eager to invest, sellers had no difficulty in clearing the pens, and at a further slight advance, the appreciation averaging about 10c per 100 ibs. Nothing sold under \$4.35, while, with two or three exceptions, \$4.40 was the lowest figure. Extra light, and extra heavy, sold at \$4.65@4.70, but the great bulk of the sales were at \$4.45@4.60. The most important transaction of the day was reported by Conger Bros., they selling to the Chicago Packing & Provision Company a drove of 698 head at \$4.70. The average weight of the hogs was 413 ibs. They were owned by D. Fargo, of Farmington, Illinois. Among the day's receipts were a number of droves, the average weight of which was over 400 lbs. Gregory, Strader & Co. sold three bunches, averaging respectively 453, 453, and 504 ibs, at \$4.70. The market closed firm, with all sold.

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TDaily, via Main Line, and daily except Saturday, via Jacksonville Division. # Daily, via Main Line, and daily, except Monday, via Jacksonville Division. CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY RAILROAD. Depois-Foot of Lake-st., Indiana-av., and Sixteenth-st., and Canal and Sixteenth-sts. Ticket office in Briggs House

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.

office, 75 Canal-st., corner of Madison.		
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urdays this train will be run to Champaign CHICAGO, INDIANAPOLIS & CINCINNATI THROUGH LINE, VIA KANKAKEE ROUTE. Trains arrive and depart from the Great Central Railroad Depot, foot of Lake-ti. For through tickets and aleeping, car berto apply at Thicket offer, in Canal-ti., corner kadison; 120 Weakington-ti., Premont House, corner Confession and Mchigan-en; also foot of Themissecond-si.

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CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND & PACIFIC RAILROAD.			

Omaha, Leavenw'th&Atchison Ex *10:00 a. m. * 4:00 p. m Peru Accommodation. * 5:00 p. m. * 9:80 a. m. Night Express. * †10:00 p. m. t 7:00 a. m. LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILROAD. Depot, corner Harrison and Sherman-sts. Ticket affec, northwest corner Clark and Randolph-sts.

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Mail (via main and air line). 5.20 a m \$9.45 p. m.
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