CARRIER STOCKS COME TO FRONT

Market Active—Baking and Biscuit Issues Start on Rise.

Average Stock Prices

Average price of twenty industrial stocks Friday was 122.32, up .71 to new high. Average price of twenty rails was 100.78, up .59 to new 1925 high.

By United Press

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The usual crop of new highs were registered during today's short session with railroads contributing their quotas to the golden records. No longer is Saturday being ignored by the brokerage and trading fraternities for they are down in full force and following the 2¾-hour session of a week ago the trading element is not missing a Saturday trick.

The motors, which have been more or less disappointing during the week, proved more attractive under the able leadership of General Motors which advanced approximately three points with the semi-motor issue Dupont coming up smartly, too. Studebaker showed a firm tone and Nash, the motor issue with a huge bankroll, sold at 211, up 3.

In the railroad group, Gulf, Mobile and Northern kicked up its heels at the industrials and vied with the latter's best by advancing something like [illegible] 98, 99, 100, 101 and 101½. This stock has $25 in back dividends coming to it.

Associated Dry Goods which has been climbing quietly, again sold sharply through to a new high of 142¾, compared with a record low of 128½ and Macay sold at 48½, up 4½, high grade issues like Fidelity Phoenix selling at 164¾, and Continental Insurance at 110½ touch new high and indicated that the public is alive to real values.

The "people's favorite," United States Steel, was singularly quiet, holding around 124, but traders said it was the quiet before a storm and that the bears would get its full impact.

The market closed irregular.

Unfilled Tonnage Increases

By United Press

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The United States Steel Corporation's unfilled tonnage report for Dec. 31, made public today, showed an increase of 784,787 tons at 4,816,758, as against 4,031,969 on Nov.30, and 4,445,339 on Dec. 31, 1923.

Local Bank Clearings

Bank clearings Saturday were $2,972,000. For the week, $20,536,000.

Bank debits amounted to $6,025,000. For the week, $40,600,000.

New York Liberty Bonds

—Jan. 10—

	High.	Low.	Close.
3½s	101.4	101.3	101.3
1st 4s	101.31	101.31	101.31
2d 4s	100.31	100.29	100.31
3d 4s	101.9	101.7	101.7
4th 4¼s	101.31	101.30	101.31
New Conv.	105.12	.....	105.12

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Foreign exchange closed irregular. Demand sterling, 4.78⅝c, off ⅛c; francs, 5.36c; lire, 4.19¼c, up .01¼c; Belgium, 4.98¾c, up .01¼; marks, 22.80c; Holland, 40.42c, off .01¼; Shanghai, 75⅞c; Yokohama, 38.44c; Hong Kong, 58c.

Produce Markets

Strictly fresh, new-laid No. 1 eggs, loss off, 53@55c; fowls, 4½ lbs. up, 20c; fowls under 4½ lbs. 16c; cocks, 12c; springers, 24c; Leghorn poultry, 2c per cent discount; young tom turkeys, 12 lbs up, 33c; old tom turkeys, 25c; young hen turkeys, 33c; ducks, 4 pounds up, 16c; geese, 10 pounds and up, 20c; squabs, 11 pounds to dozen, $4.50; oung guineas, 2-pound size, 87 dozen; butter fat delivered Indianapolis at packing stock, butter delivered Indianapolis, 19@22c lb. Rabbits, $1.75@2.25 dozen drawn.

CARS STOP AMBULANCES

Dr. Nafe Says Tractions Cause Some Delays on Emergency Runs.

Strict enforcement of the ordinance requiring street cars to stop at the sound of sirens on city ambulances was advocated today by Dr. Cleon Nafe, superintendent of the city hospital after a conference with Police Chief Herman Rikhoff on ambulance delays in accident cases. Delays often are caused by movi[illegible] street cars, Nafe said.

Direct telephone line to city hospital from police headquarters by the Gamewell system is also under consideration. Nafe promised to appear before the board of safety Tuesday to urge this line be installed. Reorganization of the system of handling ambulance calls by internes was promised by Nafe.

BUILDING SUPPLIES

Portland Cement—Cloth, a bag, 85c; paper, 80c.

Mortar—Novite prepared, 75c a 100-lb. sack.

Hydrate Lime—Finish, 55@60c a sack; mason's 50c a sack.

Plaster and Finishes—Ivory Neat, 70-lb. paper sacks, 78c; Michigan stucco, $1 a 100-lb. sack; plaster paris, $1 a 80-lb sack; Stonewall prepared first coat-cloth sacks, 90c.

Flooring—1x6 Y. P. clear, $75; common, $70; No. 2 common, $45.

Bevel Siding—1½x6 clear redwood, $60; 1x6 Y. P.

Finish—Clear yellow pine, 6, 8 and 10-inch, $100; 12-inch, $110; clear redwood, 6, 8 and 10-inch, $140; 12-inch, $150.

Drop Siding—1x6 Y. P. clear, $75; No. 1 common, $70; 1x8 No. 1 common, Y. P. $60; No. 2 common, $50.

Boards—1x4 No. 1 common, $60; No. 2 common, $40; 1x6 No. 1 common, $65; No. 2 common, $45; 1x8 and 10 No. 1 common, $70; No. 2 common, $45; 1x12 No. 1 common, $75; No. 2 common, $50.

Finish—Clear yellow pine, 6, 8 and 10-inch, $100; 12-inch, $110; clear redwood 6, 8 and 10-inch, $140; 12-inch, $150.

Shingles—Clear red cedar, $7.50 per 1,000.

Dimensions—2x4x12 to 16-ft. $45; 2x6x12 to 18-ft., $45; 2x8x12 to 16-ft., $45; 2x10x12 to 16-ft., $45 2x12x12 to 16-ft., $55; 18 to 20 feet, $2 more.

Board of Trade Weekly Report

—Output of Flour—

	Barrels.
January 10, 1925	11,973
January 3, 1925	10,849
January 12, 1924	9,463
January 13, 1923	11,093

—Inspection for Week—

—Bushels—

	In.	Out.
Wheat	62,000	16,000
Corn	304,000	192,000
Oats	130,000	72,000
Rye	1,400	.....
Mixed hay	.....	.....

—Stock in Store—

Date	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Rye.
1-10-25	571,000	617,870	347,880	72,500
1-2-24	611,200	202,000	292,000	3,600
1-3-23	372,873	161,800	347,000	.....

Shippers' Forecast

Slightly cooler tonight; warmer Sunday night. North and East to 25; south and west, 18 to 28.

Commission Market

Fruits

Apples—Fancy Jonathans, $7.50@8.50 a bbl.; fancy Delicious, $4.75 a box; N. Y. Greenings, $5.50 a bbl.; Grimes Golden, $7.50 a bbl.; fancy Baldwins, $6.50 a bbl.

Apricots—California, $3.50 a box.

Bananas—9@10c a pound.

Cherries—Argentine, $3.50 4 to 10-lb basket.

Cranberries—$7.50@8 a half barre box.

Grapefruit—$3 a box.

Grape—Fancy California Emperors $4.25 lug.

Lemons—California, $5@5.50.

Limes—$1.50 a hundred.

Oranges—Extra fancy California Valencias, 126s to 250s, $4.50@5.50; Florida, $4@4.50.

Plums—Argentine, $3@3.50 a 20-lb box.

Pears—Bartlett, $3 a bushel; extra fancy N. Y. D'Anjou $3 bu.

Persimmons—Fancy, Indianas, $1.50 a crate.

Strawberries—60@70c a quart.

Tangerines—$4.25.

Vegetables

Beans—Fancy Southern Green, $3@3.50 a bushel.

Beets—Fancy home-grown, 35@40c doz. bunches, $1.75@1.90 a bushel.

Cabbage—Fancy Holland seed, 1¾@2c pound.

Carrots—$1.65 a bushel; New Texas, $2.75.

Cauliflower—California, $2.75 a crate.

Celery—N. Y. Golden Heart, $3 a 2-3 crate; trimmed 90c bunch; California, $7 a crate.

Cucumbers—Home-grown, $6 a dozen.

Eggplant—$1.75 a dozen.

Endive—60c dozen.

Kale—Southern, $1.50 a bushel.

Lettuce—Head, Iceberg Blue Boy, $4.50 a crate; hot house leaf, $2.25 a fifteen-pound basket.

Mangoes—Fancy Southern, 60c a basket.

Onions—Spanish $2.15@2.25 a crate; home-grown, $3 a 100-lb sack; Indiana yellow, $3; Indiana Red, $3; hot house greens, 65c dozen bunches.

Parsley—Home-grown, 75c doz. bunches.

Radishes—Southern, hot house, $1.50 dozen bunches; long red or white, 75c dozen.

Rutabagas—$1.25 fifty-lb. basket.

Shallots—75c basket.

Spinach—$2 a bushel.

Squash—Hubbard, 3½@4c a pound.

Tomatoes—Fancy California repacked, $7.50 a six-basket crate.

Turnips—$1.65 a bu.; $4.50 a barrel.

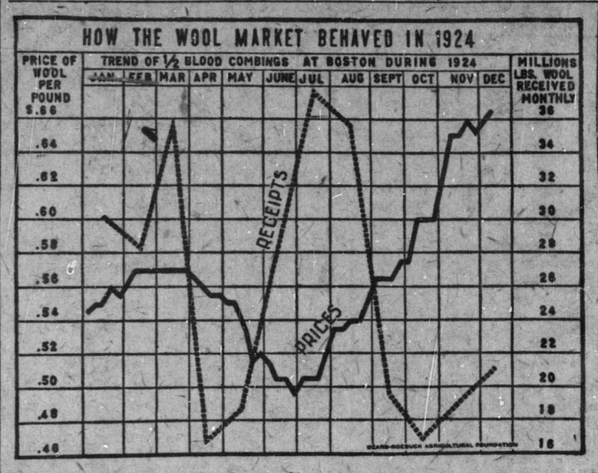
Potatoes

Fancy Michigan round white, $2.35 a 150-lb. bag; Minnesota, $2 a 150-lb bag; Red River Early Ohios, $2.15 a 120-pound bag; Idaho Russets, $3@3.25 a 120-lb bag Kentucky cobblers $3@3.25 a bbl.

Sweet Potatoes—Virginia, $4.75 a barrel; Eastern Delaweys, $3.75 a hamper; Indiana, $3.50 a bushel; Arkansas, $2.75 hamper.

Rabbits

Fur on, $2.75@3.25 a dozen.



Supply and demand have ridden the year 1924 on widely separated tracks in the wool industry. Supply is reduced now to the point where consumption cannot be greater than current production. By October, 1924, demand had pushed the index for the price of wool to rest at 221 over the standard of 100 for 1913. Indications point to a situation within the next few years when production, which is expanding, will once more bring prices to swing at a lower index.

America has consumed 750,000,000 to 800,000,000 pounds of wool annually within the last three years, while it has produced less than 300,000,000 pounds of the required amount. The United States has been forced, in consequence, to be a heavy importer.

New York Stock Quotations

(By Thomson & McKinnon)

Railroads—	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
—Jan. 10—				
Atchison	119½	...	118½	118½
Atl C Line	151	...	150½	150
B & O	81	80⅛	80½	80⅝
Can Pac	152¼	...	152¼	151⅞
C & O	98⅝	...	96½	98
C & NW	75⅛	74	74½	74¼
C M & P	49	46½	46¾	48⅝
Del & Hud	139⅛	138	139	137⅞
Del & Lac	143	...	142¼	142
Erie	33½	...	33½	33½
Erie 1st pf	45½	...	45½	...
Gt No pfd	71	...	70½	70⅝
Lehigh Val	82½	81¼	81½	82⅝
L & N	112	...	112	112⅝
Mo Pac pf	79⅝	...	78⅝	75
N Y Cent	124⅛	123⅝	123⅝	123⅛
NY NH & H	32	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
Nor Pac	70⅝	...	70⅝	70⅝
Pere Marq	132⅝	...	131⅝	132½
Pere Marq pf	70½	...	69¾	70⅝
Pennsy	48¼	...	48¼	48⅝
Reading	79¼	79¼	79¼	80
South Ry	81½	...	80¾	80⅝
South Pac	108¼	107	107⅝	108¼
St Paul	16	...	15¼	15¾
St Paul pf	27⅝	26½	26½	26½
St L & SW	52⅝	...	51⅞	52
St L & S F	60½	59	59½	60⅝
Un Pac	153¼	151⅝	151⅝	152½
Wabash	22½	...	22½	22⅝
Wabash pf	59½	...	58⅝	59
Rubbers—				
Fisk Rub	13¼	13	13¼	13
Goodrich R	40	39⅝	40	39⅝
Goodyear pf	93⅝	...	92½	92½
Kelly-Sprgfld	16⅝	...	16⅝	16⅝
U S Rub	43½	41¾	43	42
Equipments—				
A C and F	198	...	197¼	199½
Am Stl Fdy	48⅝	...	48¼	47⅝
Am Loco	110⅝	109¼	110	108⅝
Bald Loco	135⅝	134½	135⅝	135½
Gen Elec	306	...	303	306½
Lima Loco	...	...	...	70
Pr Stl Car	64⅛	...	64⅛	...
Pullman	...	...	...	147½
Ry Stl Spgs	...	...	...	138½
Westh Ab	112½	...	112½	111½
Westh El	78½	...	77⅞	78⅝
Steels—				
Bethlehem	52¼	...	51⅝	52½
Colorado F	44	...	43¼	43½
Crucible	76½	...	75½	75⅝
Gulf States	89½	88	88½	89
P R C & I	52½	...	51½	52⅛
Rep I & Steel	62½	61⅝	62	62½
Sloss-Sheff	84⅝	...	84⅝	85
U S Steel	124½	124	124	124
Vanadium	30½	...	30⅛	30
Motors—				
Am Bosch	43½	...	42⅝	43½
Chandler M	32⅝	31½	32½	31
Chrysler Mot	69⅝	...	69	65½
Mack Mot	123⅝	122½	122½	123⅝
M Mot (A)	80½	...	80⅝	79½
M Mot (B)	36⅝	36	36¼	35½
Moon Mot	24⅝	...	24⅝	23½
Studebaker	45½	44⅞	45	45
Stromberg	...	...	...	74
Stewart-W	76½	73⅝	76	73⅝
Timken	40½	40¼	40½	40⅝
Willys-O	10½	10¼	10⅝	10⅝
Yel Mfg	...	...	...	41
Minings—				
Dome M	15¼	15¼	15⅝	15¼
Gt Nor Ore	37⅝	37½	37⅝	37⅝
Int Nick	26¼	...	25⅝	26½
Tex G & S	104⅝	103½	104	104
Coppers—				
Am Smelt	97	96½	97	97
Am Sm pf	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝	97
Anaconda	37	36⅝	37	36⅝
Inspiration	32⅝	31⅝	32	31⅝
Kennecott	57	56⅝	56⅝	56¼
Utah Cop	88⅝	...	88⅝	87¼
U S Smelt	...	...	...	38
Oils—				
Cal Petrol	27⅝	...	26⅝	27¼
Cosden	27⅝	26⅝	26⅝	28⅝
Houston O	80½	...	79⅝	80½
Marland O	40½	40	40¼	39⅝
P-A Pete	66½	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝
P-A Pete (B)	66	65	65¼	65⅝
Pacific Oil	56	55¼	55⅝	54⅝
Phillips P	38½	38	38¼	38⅝
Pro & Ref	29	...	29	29
Pure Oil	30¼	29⅞	30	30⅝
Royal Dutch	53⅝	...	53⅝	53⅝
S Oil of C	63⅝	...	63⅝	63½
S O of N J	42	...	41⅝	42
Sinclair	18	...	17⅞	18
Texas Co	44	...	43⅞	44
Trans C Oil	5¼	...	5¼	4⅝
Industrials—				
Allied Ch	84⅝	83⅝	83⅝	83¼
Al-Chal	74	72½	73	72
Am Can	103⅝	101⅝	102⅝	104⅝
A H & L pf	72⅝	...	72⅝	72⅝
Am Ice	91½	...	91½	91
Am Wool	62⅝	62¼	62¼	62½
Cen Leath	20⅝	...	20⅝	20½
Coca Cola	86¼	85½	86	86¼
Congoleum	43	42¼	42½	42½
Con Can	69	68½	68½	69½
Dav Chem	44	43½	43½	44
Fam Play	100⅝	99½	99½	99⅝
Gen Asph	61⅝	60½	60½	60⅝
In Paper	59¼	59¼	59¼	58½
In Harv	109½	109¼	109¼	109

Chicago Grain Table

—Jan. 10—

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
WHEAT—					
May	1.70½	1.70½	1.70	1.70½	1.70½
July	1.54½	1.54½	1.53½	1.54¼	1.54
CORN—					
May	1.28⅝	1.29⅝	1.28⅝	1.28⅝	1.28⅝
July	1.29¼	1.30¼	1.29¼	1.29½	1.29⅝
OATS—					
May	.61⅞	.62⅝	.61⅝	.62¼	.62
July	.61⅝	.62⅝	.61⅝	.61⅞	.61⅝
LARD—					
Jan	15.80	15.90	15.75	15.90	15.82
RIBS—					
*Jan	.....	.....	.....	14.95	14.85
RYE—					
May	1.55⅝	1.57¼	1.55¼	1.56⅝	1.55½
July	1.37⅝	1.39	1.37⅝	1.38	1.37⅝

*Nominal.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Primary receipts: Wheat, 683,000, against 569,000; corn, 1,520,000, against 1,093,000; oats, 893,000, against 547,000. Shipments: Wheat, 662,000, against 457,000; corn, 450,000, against 772,000; oats, 616,000, against 580,000.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Carlot receipts were: Wheat, 27; corn, 352; oats, 78; rye, 10.

Cash Grain

Saturday's receipts, 104 cars. Prices quoted 41¼c f. o. b. basis to New York, hay on track. Indianapolis bids for grain at the Indianapolis Board of Trade were:

Wheat—Strong; No. 2 red, $1.68@1.92; No. 3 hard, $1.75@1.76. Corn—Steady; No. 3 white, $1.12@1.16; No. 4 white, $1.12@1.14; No. 3 yellow, $1.15@1.17; No. 4 yellow, $1.13@1.15; No. 3 mixed, $1.13@1.15; No. 4 mixed, $1.11@1.13. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 56½@57½c; No. 3 white, 56@57. Hay—Steady; No. 1 timothy, $16@16.50; No. 1 light clover mixed, $15.50@16; No. 1 clover mixed, $15@15.50; No. 1 clover hay, $14.50@15.

—Inspections—

Wheat—No. 1 red, 1 car; No. 2 red, 3 cars; No. 2 hard, 1 car; No. 2 mixed, 1 car; total, 6 cars. Corn—No. 3 white, 1 car; No. 4 white, 23 cars; No. 5 white, 10 cars; No. 6 white, 1 car; No. 4 yellow, 11 cars; No. 5 yellow, 21 cars; No. 6 yellow, 10 cars; sample yellow, 6 cars; No. 4 mixed, 3 cars; No. 5 mixed, 1 car; No. 6 mixed, 3 cars; sample mixed, 2 cars; total, 90 cars.

Oats—No. 3 white, 3 cars; No. 4 white, 1 car; sample white, 2 cars; total, 6 cars.

Hay—No. 2 timothy, 1 car; No. 1 clover hay, 1 car; total, 2 cars.

TOLEDO, Jan. 10.—Wheat—Cash, $1.94@1.05. Corn—Cash, old, $1.35@1.36, new, $1.33@1.34. Oats—Cash No. 2, 65@66c. No. 3, 63½@64½c. Rye—Cash, $1.48. Barley—Cash, $1. Cloverseed—Cash, old, $19.50; new and January, $19.50; February and March, $19.60; October, $17.50. Alsike—Cash, old, $13.10; new and January, $13.25; March, $13.45. Timothy—Cash and January, $3.35; March, $3.42½. Butter—16@47c. Eggs—54@55c. Hay—$25.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.92¾@1.93. Corn—No. 2 yellow, $1.12@1.20; No. 5, $1.15⅝; $1.17; No. 6, $1.07@1.09; No. 5 mixed, $1.17; No. 6, $1.10@1.13; No. 6, $1.06. No. 3 white, $1.21¾; No. 4, $1.18@1.18¾; No. 5, $1.11@1.14; No. 6, $1.07. Oats—No. 3 white, 58¼@59c; No. 4, 57¼@58c. Barley—92@98c. Rye—No. 2, $1.51. Timothy—$5.75@6.75. Clover — $25@30.

New York Cotton Futures

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	23.05	23.35	23.05	23.05
March	23.85	23.91	23.77	23.88
May	24.12	24.23	24.06	24.21
July	24.25	24.44	24.25	24.42
October	23.85	23.90	23.78	23.87

Chicago Cotton Futures

	High.	Low.	Close.
January	23.60	23.53	23.60
March	23.90	23.85	23.90
May	24.30	24.19	24.30

HOG QUOTATIONS UP 10c; TOP, $11.10

Run of 10,000 Practically All Sold.

—Hog Prices Day by Day—

Jan.	Bulk.	Top.	Receipts.
5.	10.60@10.75	11.00	10.000
6.	10.15@10.25	10.85	21.000
7.	10.15@10.35	10.85	13.000
8.	10.25@10.50	10.85	10.500
9.	10.40@10.60	11.10	13.000
10.	10.50@10.70	11.10	10.000

Hog prices scored 10c at the local livestock yards today. Urgent buying and light receipts were the principal factors in the rise. Top was $11.10, and bulk of sales was at $11.50@11.70. Heavy hogs sold at $10.95@11.10; mediums, $10.70@10.85; lights, $10.50@10.70, and light lights, $9.25@10.50. Pigs sold at $9.25 down. Sows were steady at $10 down. Receipts were estimated at 10,000 and the holdover was 590.

Receipts this week were estimated at 81,210, compared with 82,319 last week. Total gain in top quotations this week was 20c. Bulk quotations were practically steady with the first of the week. The market has had a good undertone and the finish of the week fully demonstrates the strong position of the market, both local and outside.

Cattle prices were unchanged from Friday. Prices during the week have been well maintained and stockmen generally feel that the market is in a better situation now than at the first of the week. A stronger trend was especially noticeable in steers valued from $9 up. Prices on common to fair female killing stuff were steady and sales were made in fairly large volume. Further improvement in the market was undoubtedly hampered by absence in volume of good to choice stock. Steer sales for the week were rarely higher than $9.50, although on one day a fair sized bunch of fat yearlings brought $10.75. Cheaper kinds of cows and heifers were more active toward the week's close, but prices were unchanged.

Veal quotations were unchanged at $15 top and bulk, $13.50@14.50. Trade for the week has been fairly strong and prices were on the advance. The gain was approximately 50c.

Sheep and lambs were steady in light receipts. Quotations on lambs finished the week $1 over the opening and sheep were about steady, although on one day a load of choice medium ewes sold at $8.50. This rise was not maintained, however. Prevailing prices were: Choice light native lambs, $17; good to choice, $16@16.50, and medium to good heavy lambs, $10@15.50. Sheep, $8 down.

—Hogs—

Good hogs, 140-160-lb., av.	$ 9.60@10.10
160 to 180 pounds	10.10@10.50
180 to 200 pounds	10.50@10.60
200 to 225 pounds	10.60@10.70
225 to 275 pounds	10.70@10.95
275 pounds up	10.95@11.10
Pigs, 140 pounds down	6.50@ 9.50
Heavy light sows	9.75@10.00
Light sows	9.00@ 9.75

—Cattle—

Steers, 1,300 lbs. up, choice	$ 9.75@10.50
Good	9.00@ 9.50
Steers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., prime and choice	10.50@11.90
Plain, 1,000 lbs.	7.50@ 9.00
Medium and good heifers	6.50@ 7.00
Choice light heifers	8.50@10.00
Common to medium cows	3.25@ 4.50
Choice	5.00@ 5.50
Canners	2.00@ 2.25
Cutters	2.50@ 3.00
Butcher bulls	4.25@ 6.00
Bologna bulls	3.50@ 4.25
—Calves—	
Choice veals	$15.00
Medium veals	8.00@10.00
Good veals	13.50@14.50
Common calves	5.00@ 7.00
—Sheep and Lambs—	
Choice lambs	$16.00@17.00
Mediums	11.00@14.50
Cull lambs	6.00@10.00
Yearlings	7.00@12.00
Medium to choice ewes	4.00@ 7.00
Culls	1.00@ 3.00

Other Live Stock

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; market slow and steady; shipping steers, $9@10.50; butcher grades, $8@9.25; cows, $2@6. Calves—Receipts, 50; market slow and steady; culls to choice, $3.50@10.50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,500; market slow; choice lambs, $18@18.50; cull to fair, $10@17; yearlings, $9@16; sheep, $3@11.50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,800; market slow, steady; 10c higher; Yorkers, $8@10.75; pigs, $7@8; mixed, $10.70@10.90; heavies, $11@11.10; roughs, $9@9.25; stags, $4.50@6.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, light; market, steady; choice, $9.25@9.75; good, $8.40@9; fair, $6.50@7.25; veal calves, $14.50@15. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, light; market, higher; prime wethers, $10.50@11; good, $10@10.50; fair mixed, $8@9; lambs, $14@19. Hogs—Receipts, 35 dd; market, higher; prime heavy, $11.15@15.25; medium, $11@15; heavy yorkers, $10.60@10.75; light yorkers, $8@8.50; pigs, $7.50@7.75; roughs, $8.70@8.80; stags, $4.50@5.50.

Chicago Stocks

(By Thomson & McKinnon)

—Jan. 10—

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Armour pfd	89⅝	89⅝	89	89
Armour Leather	5¼	5¼	5	5¼
Cudahy	80½	80½	80½	81
C Motors	10⅝	10	9⅝	10
C Edison	137½	138	137½	138
Dia Match	117½	...	...	...
N Leaf	6⅝	6¼	6	6
L McN new	8⅞	9	8⅝	9
Mont Ward	52½	53	52¼	52⅝
Pick	22⅝	22½	22⅝	22½
Read Silk	64½	64½	64⅝	64½
Reo Mot	18	...	...	...
Swift & C	115	115	114½	114½
Swift Intl	34	34⅝	34	34
Stewart W	74	76⅝	74	76¼
Union Car	68⅝	69	68⅝	68⅝
Wrigley	48¼	48¼	48	48¼
Yellow Taxi	54	54	53½	54

Wholesale Meat Prices

Meat prices today announced by local wholesale houses, with the following changes: Cow carcasses, steady to ½c higher; sheep, 3c higher; spring lambs, 1c higher; fresh veals, 1c higher; hams, ½c higher; smoked hams, ½c higher; fresh pork loins, ½c higher; fresh pork lard, ½c lower, and second quality, ½@¾c lower.

Fresh Meats

Beef—Native steers carcasses, 500 to 800 pounds, 18½@20c; steers fores, under carcass, 4c; hinds over, 6c; native heifers, 300 to 450 pounds, 17½@20c heifer hinds, 2c over carcass, 1c under. 1c; cows, 400 to 700, 10@12c; cows hind same as carcass; hinds, over carcass, 1c.

Fresh Mutton—Sheep, 10@12c; spring lambs, 29@31c.

Fresh Veal—Carcasses No. 1, 70 to 200 pounds, 22@25c; hind quarters, 9c over carcasses; fores, 6c under carcasses.

Smoked Meats and Lard

Hams—Sugar cured first quality, 8 to 10 pounds, 25½c; 10 to 12 pounds, 24½c; 14 to 16 pounds, 24½c.

Fancy Breakfast Bacon—Three to 4 pound average, 31c; 5 to 7 pound average, 31c.

Sausages—Frankfurters, 15½@17½c; bologna, 12½@16½c.

Dried Beef—Outside, 26c; inside, 37½c; knuckle, 38c.

Lard—Tierces, first quality, 18¾c; second quality, 17¾@18¾c.

BOND THEFT CHARGED

Two New Yorkers Arrested in Connection With $100,000 Robbery.

By United Press

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Alfred Gulden, 28, a dealer in loans and mortgages and Harry Lester, 29, a real estate dealer, were arrested today in connection with disappearance of half of a shipment of $200,000 in bonds sent recently to the Liberty Central Trust Company of St. Louis.

WHEAT RALLIES TO CLOSE HIGHER

Coarse Grains Respond With Slight Gains.

By United Press

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Grain futures rallied under leadership of wheat and finished higher on the Board of Trade today. Coarse grains responded only fractionally.

Local professionals gave wheat strong support and there was some short covering. The absence of larger outside interest prevented a more extensive advance.

Heavy receipts and dull demand prevented corn from following more closely the upturn in wheat.

Oats followed corn and closed the smallest fraction higher. Provisions rallied and finished strong on packers buying.

BETTER BUSINESS IS FORECAST FOR NEXT HALF YEAR

Trade Slowly Emerging From 1924 Depression Period.

Emerging from a period of irregular, in most cases disappointing, trade and industry—a year of only fair volume as a whole in fact—and standing out most prominently when the future is under discussion, is the markedly optimistic feeling bred of the excellent rally shown from the depression of the mid-year of 1924.

Seldom, if ever at this season, has confidence as to the future been so manifest; rarely has the evidently excellent progress made in the line of recuperation and repair seemed to furnish a better foundation for this confidence. In fact, considering the almost uniformly favorable feeling at the threshold of 1925, the question naturally presents itself whether there is not in this very optimism a likelihood of things being seen in such a roseate light that some disappointment is possible, if not indeed probable.

Still Problems Unsolved

It would be inexpedient not to recall that there are still some problems to be met and solved, even if the exchange situation, which has such a close bearing upon our export trade, has been partially mended, it needs to be remembered that some "fretful realms" may, throw a wrench into the machinery.

Also, the matter of high costs of all business has certainly not been settled satisfactorily to all concerned, and if we are to get a foreign trade outlet for other things than grain and cotton, particularly our surplus production of manufactured goods, the problem of prices must still be met.

This trouble will also be encountered when our business men go out to get domestic trade after a year when piece-meal buying was exalted to the extent it was.

Steel Bookings Large

It is a hopeful augury that the iron and steel industry, often a very good barometer of trade, has almost a full quarter's capacity sold ahead, and it is an additional comfort that the country's grain-growing farmers have had a good year after several very poor ones. Despite predictions of a decline in building, there seems to have been an immense arrearage of work carried over into the new year.

The railroads promise to be free spenders in the work of keeping abreast of the expanding needs of the country. If these four great industries and the stock market movement are to be esteemed good guides, and numerous reports of large undertakings involving big expenditures and furnishing work for a large part of the population are correct, earning capacity should be excellent, once favorable weather arrives in the spring.

All in all, the prospect for the half year to come seems very good. Beyond this the careful may hesitate to predict, pending a clearer view of foreign and domestic happenings still to be disclosed to the business world.—Bradstreet's Forecast.

Marriage Licenses

William Epstein, 24, 2203 Parker, salesman; Lillian Unger, 21, 2208 N. Talbott.

Richard Francis Evard, 22, 1112 N. New Jersey, jeweler; Ruth Ellen Blake, 4348 Park.

Nelson Beasley, 37, 614 N. California, fireman; Mabel Connor, 21, 615 W. Vermont, seamstress.

George Rusher, 22, State hospital worker; Celia Miller, 21, 414 N. Delaware, hospital worker.

Births

Boys

Willis and Helen Croan, Deaconess hospital.

Virgil and Helen Winters, Deaconess hospital.

Leon and Hazel Boyless, Deaconess hospital.

Peter and Mathilda Tohlan, 333 W. Twelfth.

Arthur and Loretta Lynn, 857 S. Pennsylvania.

George and Lola Martin, city hospital.

Thomas and Katherine Burns, city hospital.

John and Orricy Bryan, Methodist hospital.

Charles and Bessie Edmonds, 2012 E. Maryland

Girls

James and Mildred Montgomery, Deaconess hospital.

Charles and Opal Hartman, Deaconess hospital.

Harry and Ethel Lash, 1467 W. Thirty-Third.

Everett and Mary Metcalf, city hospital.

Charles and Rhoda Spears, 164 N. Blackford.

Glenn and Nina Jackson, 2312 Brookside.

Deaths

John Overhizer, 96, 1222 Linden, hypostatic pneumonia.

John M. Miller, 41, 1636 Shelby, lobar pneumonia.

Charles Raymond Knight, 4, 411 S. Holmes, bronchopneumonia.

Sarah A. Barsott, 31, St. Vincent hospital, acute myocarditis.

Jessie D. Piercy, 25, 429 Minerva, pulmonary tuberculosis.

Marion Ward, 79, 1807 N. Meridian, influenza.

Jerome Henderson, 73, 627 Woodlawn, lobar pneumonia.

Samuel V. Perrott, 60, 3851 N. Pennsylvania, acute cardiac dilatation.

Mary McElroy, 72, 23 Eastern, acute myocarditis.

Lucy T. Johnson, 66, 1317 N. Keystone, chronic myocarditis.

Fletcher Crosley, 78, Central Indiana hospital, bronchopneumonia.

William H. Davenport, 74, 3029 N. Illinois, chronic myocarditis.

Hardware Trade Takes Inventory

By Times Special

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