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	by Local Longs.  Corn Ruled Firm on Light Business  Outs Steady at an Advance — Provision Market Looks Bullish— Latest Commercial News.  Thursday Evening, Dec. 7. Wheat closed stronger in Chicago to-day, December at 66c and May ac 60%. There was no specially bullish news, but there was no specially bullish news, but there was a decided increase in outside orders, and buying was good. The tone of the market was firm all day.  Liverpool wheat futures opened %d lower to-day, and rallied ¼d to %d, closing ¼d to %d lower than yesterday. Corn closed 2/dd to 3/d lower than yesterday.  Car receipts at Chicago to-day were: Wheat 13%, corn 206, and oats 147. Wheat receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth were	Receipts of live stock at the cattle market to-day were fair for Thursday, 47 loads, composed of 607 cattle, 1655 hogs, 613 sheep and lambs, 8 calves and 2980 turkeys.  The quality of fat cattle, with a few exceptions was only medium, and not enough of the good classes, both butchers' and cosing strong at 102% bid but the good classes, both butchers' and cosing strong at 102% bid 184 asked. Montreal Railway sold up the good classes, both butchers' and cosing strong at 102% bid 184 asked.	exactly as nature had made it, strong-symmetrical-handsome.  It has been revolutionized from what it was to the foot of to-day by sixteen centuries of distorting tightness and freakish styles.  "Slater Shoes" are made to fit feet as they are to-day, comfort first, but good appearance never forgotten.  Twelve shapes, six widths, all sizes leathers and colors.  Goodyear welted, name and price stamped on the soles,  \$3.50 and \$5.00.  For Sale at the Slater Shoe Stores, 89 King St. W. and 123 Yunge St.	It's From Michie's It's Good.  Try West India Cocktails 75c bottle.	Investment Securities, Foreign Exchange, General Financial Business. A. B. AMES. E. D. FRASER. Members Toronto. Stock Brokers and Financial Cents 18 King St. West, Toronto, Deslers in Debentures, Stocks on London, Eng., New York, Montreal and Toronto Exchanges bought and sold on commission. E. B. OSLER. H. C. HAMMOND, F. G. OSLER. STOCK, BOND AND DEBENTURE BROKER, MEMBER TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE, 30 Victoria Street,
8	Little change in corn situation; in mily held though less tenacious; corn is in demand from feeders.  Hog packing in the west for the week 465,000, as against 705,000 the corresponding week of last year.  Leading Wheat Markets.  Following are the closing prices at Important wheat centres to-day:  Cash. Dec. May. July.  Chicago A. A. O. O. So. Univ. So. U	mixed, sold at \$3.87½ to \$4 per cwt.  Butchers' Cattle—Choice picked lots of butchers' cattle, equal in quality to the best exporters, weighing 1000 to 1100 lbs. each, sold at \$4.25 to \$4.40.  Loads of good butchers' cattle sold at \$2.70 to \$3.85, and medium butchers' mixed cows, neiters and steers, \$3.35 to \$3.50 per cwt.  Common butchers' cattle sold at \$3 to \$3.20, while inferior sold at \$2.60 to \$2.80.  Heavy Freeders—Choice, well-bred steers, weighing from 1050 to 1200 lbs. each, were scarce, with prices firm at \$3.75 to \$3.85, and \$4  was paid for a few short keepers. Rough steers of the same weights were more plentiful, and sold at \$3.40 to \$3.60 per cwt.  Light Feeders—Steers, weighing 800 to 1000 lbs. each, were selling at \$3 to \$3.30 to \$3.60 per cwt.  Light Feeders—Steers, weighing 800 to 1000 lbs. each, were selling at \$3 to \$3.30 to \$3.60 per cwt.	Montreal	St. Elmo	City Agent. W. N. Eastwood.  John Stark & Co.,  Stock Brokers and Investment Agents, 26 Toronto Street.  Mining and other stocks bought and sold on commission.  Members Toronto Stock Exchange.  John Stark. Edward B. Freeland.  F. G. Morley & Co.
	and unchanged, but sold up 3%c on light offerings, steady cables and a good demand from shorts, particularly for May. March, 75%c: May, 74 5-16c to 74 11-16c; Dec., 72%c to 72%c. Rey. steady; State, 57c; No. 2 western, 61%c f.o.b. afloat. Corn, receipts 51,675; sales, 10,000. Options opened steady and unchanged, later advancing on reports of less active country offerings. Dec., 28%c to 39c. Oats, receipts, 88,200 bushels, Options slow but steady; track white State, 31c to 34c; track white western, 31c to 34c. Butter, receipts, 2860 pkgs., firm. Cheese, receipts, 3830 pkgs., strong. Eggs, receipts 5690 pkgs., steady. Sugar, raw, steady; fair refining, 31 2-16c; refined. steady. Coffee, steady: No. 7, 6%c. Hops, steady. Lead, steady; bullion price, \$4.40; exchange price, \$4.70 to \$4.80.  Chicago Gossip.  McIntyre & Wardwell say; Wheat—The market has been influenced to-day more by the fact of good commission house buying and leading local talent taking the long side than by any especially builish news. There was a decided increase in outside orders here to-day. The market advanced nearly %c or %c over "cah!" prices. The fivere the usual rea-	Calves—About 10 caives sold at \$4 to \$10 each.  Calves—About 10 caives sold at \$4 to \$10 each.  Calves—About 10 caives sold at \$4 to \$10 each.  Sheep—Prices firm, at \$3 to \$3.25 per cwt. for ewes, and bucks at \$2.50; butchers can be compared by the directors, 30 days' notice the compared by the directors, 30 days' notice manded in calls of \$4.30 per compared by the directors, 30 days' notice manded	Ottawa St. Ry	Knob Hill	J. LORNE CAMPBELL  (Member Toronto Stock Exchange).  STOCK BROKER.
	lizing sales and profit-faking by the local scalpers, causing a slight reaction. The tone of the market, however, continued firm.  Corn ruled firm early, and advanced 1/4c, but inclined to drag later in the day with a light speculative business. General conditions unchanged. Country offerings are light, and the cash and export demand fair. Clearances to day were 1,250,000 bushels.  Oats ruled steady at a slight advance over yesterday. There has been some local selling at the advance by local longs. Provisions opened a shade lower on larger receipts of hogs than expected. Commission houses sold. Packers bought moderately. Packing in the west for last week was only 465,000 hogs, against 705,000 lest year. This is a bullish argument. The market closes steady in small decline. Estimated hogs to-morrow, 36,000.  British Markets.  Liverpool, Dec. 7.—(12.3).—Wheat, Nor., spring, 5s 11d; No. 1 Cal., 6s 14/3d to the 2d; red winter, 5s 74/3d; corn, 3s 5/3d; peas, 5s 44/3d; pork, prime western mess, 578 6d; lard, prime western, 27s 3d; American, good to fine, 25s 6d; bacon, 10g clear, light, 35s; heavy, 34s 6d; short clear, heavy, 33s; cheese, colored, 58s 6d; white, 57s; wheat, steady; corn, firm. Landon—Opening—Wheat, off const, more enquiry; on passage, quiet and steady; corn, off	Export buils, choice 3 80 4 35 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 4 80 Export buils, choice 3 80 4 35 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, choice 4 25 40 20 20 20 Export buils, cho	Manifoba Loan 50  do. 20 per cent 113  do. 20 per cent 123  do. 20 per cent 113  do. 20 per cent 123  do. 20 per cent 123  do. 20 per cent 123  do. 20 per cent 126  Real Estate 54  Real Estate 54  th in  The Sarles at 11.30 a.m.; Bank of Commerce, 2 at 146; Dominion Bank, 20 at 272½; 50  rat 272½; Bank of Hamilton, 2 at 180; C-  prove since the opening. There is no new of 3 at 109; 100, 50, 100, 50, 25, 75, 25, 25  at 54 the Sarles at 11.30 a.m.; Bank of Commerce, 2 at 146; Dominion Bank, 20 at 272½; 50  rat 272½; Bank of Hamilton, 2 at 180; C-  prove since the opening. There is no new of 180; C-  prove since the opening of shorts and some new outside buying and prices have shown a tendency to in prove since the opening. There is no new of importance. Local feeling is rathe mixed. The bears, however, at 181; C-  prove since the opening. There is no new of importance. Local feeling is rathe mixed. The bears shown at tendency to in pr	Ontarlo—	E.L. SAWYER & CO., Investment Agents Canada Life Building, TORONTO.  We Will Sell FAIRVIEW CORP., VAN ANDA, COLD HILLS, I. X. L., BONANZA.
	english country markets greatly the coast, nothing doing; on passage, quiet and steady.  Paris—Wheat, Dec. 18f 20c, March and June 19f 15c; flour, Dec. 24f 10c, March and June 25f 15c.  French country markets firm.  Liverpool—Opening—Spot wheat steady futures flat, Dec. 3s 6½d, March 5s 9½d; flour, 15s 9½d; spot corn firm, 3s 5½d; flour, 17s 9d.  Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat steady; rec winter, 5s 7½d; northern spring, 5s 11d futures steady, Dec. 3s 7½d, March 5s 9½d; May 5s 9½d; spot corn firm, 3s 5½d; flour, 17s 9d.  Linerpool—Close—Spot wheat steady; rec winter, 5s 7½d; northern spring, 5s 11d futures steady, Dec. 3s 5¼d, March 5s 9½d; spot corn firm, 3s 5½d; flour, 17s 9d.  London—Close—Maize, spot quotations Gal., Fox, Bess., 18s; American mixed, 17s 3d; flour, spot quotations Minn., 23s 6d.  Antwerp—Wheat, spot steady, quotations, No. 2 R.W., 15½f.4.  Paris—Wheat, tone firm, Dec. 18f 5c, March and June 19f; flour, tone firm, Dec. 23f 80c, March and June 24f 90c.  Chicago Markets.  McIntyre & Wardwell report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day;  Open. High. Low. Close	d Cables quote American cattle steady; refrigerator beef lower, at \$c per pound. No exports to-day or Friday. Calves receipts described and the considerably of the calves receipts of the considerably the steady; other calves dull, 75 unsoid, veals, \$5.00 to \$0.00; grassers, \$2.50 to \$3.25. Sheep and lambs, receipts 4742; 20 cars on sale; sheep tirm; lambs a trifle weak; one car unsoid. Sheep and lambs, \$5.87½ to \$6.10. Candada lambs, \$6.80 to \$4.60.  Strong Feeling at East Buffalo.  East Buffalo, Dec, 7.—Cattle—There was only one load on sale, and with a fair inquiry the feeling was full strong. Calves were in moderate supply, good demand; steady. Choice to extra, \$8.00 to \$8.50. Sheep and lambs—The offerings were about 40 loads, including 22 loads of Canadas. The market opened with a fair demand on the basis of \$5.50 to \$5.60, principally \$5.50. Choice to extra lambs were quotable, \$5.50 to \$6.00; good to choice, \$4.00 to \$4.25. The market weakened considerably towards the close, and the basis was \$5.40 to \$5.50. There were several loads of Canadas left over at the close, and the basis was \$5.40 to \$5.50.	## Athabasca	Winnipeg	WATERLOO, DEER TRAIL, B.C. FIELDS.  881/2 48/4 48/4 WILSON BARR & SONS, Sun Life Building, Hamilton, 36 King St. Hast, Toronto.  TORONTO  AND  WESTERN.  **Accepting information for investors on ap-
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4	Beans, bush	well maintained. Cattle, cnoice sold at from 4½c to 4½c per lb.; good sold at from 3½c to 4c per lb.; lower grade, from 2c to 3c per lb. Calves were sold from 3c to 5c per lb. Sheep brought from 2½c to 3c per lb.; lumbs were sold from 3½c to 4c per lb.; lumbs were sold from 3½c to 4c to 3c per lb.; lumbs were sold from 3½c to 4c to 3c per lb.; lumbs were sold from 3½c to 4c to 3c per lb.; lumbs were sold from 3½c to 4c to 3c per lb.; lumbs were sold from 3½c to 4c to 3c per lb.; lumbs were sold from 3½c to 4c to 3c per lb.; lumbs were sold at Sixty days' sight   4.87½[4.86½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.87½[4.86½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.87½[4.86½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.87½[4.86½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4.82½[4.81½ to 5c per lb.; good sold at Sixty days' sight   4	at 114.  New York Stocks.  Bartlett. Frazier & Co. (J. A. MacKellar), Money Money ins at Sugar	8¼ Application was made in the Surro	gate il of Ministers' Money.

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