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Made by the New York Stock Market.

BUT BUSINESS WAS CONGESTED.

Dealings in a Number of Long Neglected Stocks.

CHICAGO GRAINS LOWER.

Quotations on the Leading European, American and Canadian Stock, Grain and Produce Markets.

IN WALL STREET.

New York, Dec. 30.—To-day's market made an imposing show of strength, with an appearance of great activity and breadth, but a close analysis reveals that the business was congested. The broad appearance of the market was accounted for by dealings in a number of long neglected stocks. The action of the market was something of a surprise coming on the day before the end of the year.

added strength to the stock market, the whole list closing strong and active at about the best figures of the day. No doubt a large portion of to-day's operations were of a professional character, as the cliques and pools seem to be confident that with the advent of the New Year will be marked easing off of money. This opinion, however, is not field by many of the bankers.

WALL STREET NOTES. Press Despatch. ket was something of a surprise coming on the day before the end of the year, which long has been decided as threatening a pinch in money. Not only have elaborate precautions been taken to guard against money difficulties, but a large short interest has remained uncovered. The money market gave evidence of weakness early in the day and there was considerable calling of loans, especially by trust companies, through which dividend and interest payments are to be by trust companies, through which dividend and interest payments are to be made after Jan. 1, but such careful arrangements had been made to meet the situation that call rates did not get above 14 per cent. Later it ran off to 6. Strong confidence that funds from the bankers pool would be forthcoming to avert any dangerous emergency reassured speculative centiment that the dangerous period was over. The coalers were easily the leaders of the market, the movement centering in Erie on account of the increase of \$341,540 in net earnings reported for rates November. This was regarded as a rapid recuperation of strike losses, and the present eager demand for the large out.

Stock of anythreating engineering the favorable. put of anthracite confirmed the favorable impression. The enormous absorption of Erie gave rise to various rumors as to the cent. profit to members. source of buying and the possibility of a contemplated deal. Assertions that Union Pacific labor troubles had been adjusted also was favorable influence. Various ong neglected stocks were traded in and the possibility of a contemplated deal. Assertions that Union Pacific labor troubles had been adjusted as favorable influence. Various of the profit to members.

Banks have gained from sub-treasury since Friday \$112,000.

Twenty-eight banks reported less than 25 per cent. reserve on Saturday last.

A Union Pacific official is quoted as folng effect as to possible future de-ds upon New York by London. The ket closed strong and practically at

| casier tone of exchange had a reason greefect as to possible future deals upon New York by London. The ket closed strong and practically at least the local cases and the local cases are all sales, par value, \$2,980,000. United tess bonds were all unchanged on the call.
| see:—Money on call firm; lowest, 3 cent.; highest, 14 per cent.; adhing a cent.; highest, 14 per cent.; adhing a cent.; highest, 14 per cent.; athing a cent.; site of 14 per cent.; see:—ship of Eric and Reading issues, in life, good buying was conspienous. The sixty and ninety days, 6 per cent.; steriling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.85.62.6 at 4.86.65 for demand and at 4.85.62 at 4.86.65

By special wire to H. C. Becher, Stock Broker, Bank of Commerce Building from Bartlett, Frazier & Co:— New York, Dec. 30.—During the firs hour there was a good deal of hesitation in the market owing to rumors that money rates would be even higher than they were yesterday. There was, however particular pressure to sell, and i adually transpired that it was difficul buy any large blocks of stock withou bringing about material advances. Activity in Eric developed after the firs hour and from that time to the close this

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wholly due to the excellent statement of earnings for the month of November, which was published this morning, and

the buying was of such a prominent char-acter and at times urgent that the street cast about for some other explanation. The old story was revived that money would shortly be raised for the purpose of The old story was revived that money would shortly be raised for the purpose of putting the road in first class physical condition and that the result of this would be that the operating expenses of the road would materially decrease. Another very active stock was Rock Island, but the trading in it was, to a large extent, confined to houses, which are credited unchanged at 123. Commerce unchanged to the road in the word of the road in the stock mass against the during the last hour, owing to the publication of the November statement, which showed that although the gross carnings had increased over \$305,000. The net carnings actually showed a decrease of over \$70,000. The first loan in the money market gave and commoney to the publication of the stock manner of the result that the quotations gradually declined in the enemal of the result that the quotations gradually showed a decrease of over \$70,000. The first loan in the money market gave and policy of the result that the quotations gradually showed a decrease of over while the succession of the stock manner of the publication of the November statement, which showed that although the gross carnings had increased over \$305,000. The local money in New York open cent; lastled at a per cent; lastled at 12 per cent; lastled at 2 per cent; last

under parity.

Better weather for grading is helping Better weather for grading is helping grain exports.

There are rumors of Pennsylvania opposition to Gould entry into Baltimore.

Unsatisfactory showing of railroad commission inquiry into over-crowding is causing selling of Brooklyn Rapid Transit.

Forty-eight roads, the third week of Dogember show average gross increase December, show average gross increase of 13.68 per cent.

Atchison November earnings show about

6.66 per cent. on common, after provision for serial bonds. Wisconsin Central earnings for November show about 51/4 per cent, earned on

The present weather is making good business for rubber companies.

Tightness in the money market is expected up to Wednesday night and high rates considered possibly up to January Stocks plentiful in loan crowd.
London quite bullish on American stocks.
Atlantic coast syndicate to finance
Louisville is dissolved, distributing 8 per

tations established, which seemed to lows:—'There is no reason why there cate revived hopes of a market for should be a conference and we have not rifties, which have been a drug for called one. The strike began over five e time. A feature of the day was months ago, and is over now because all activity and advance in the curb martice of the international marine securities. W. F. Dever & Co., New York, send the Dever & Co., New York, send the

following by private wire to their cor-respondent, Wm. Abbott, Stock Broker,

MONTREAL STOCKS.

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| 8 | C. P. R | 131% | 1311/4 | 1321/4 | 132 |
| 6 | Duluth | 25 | | 17 | 16 |
| 7 | Tolodo Pr | 24 | 99 | 94 | 20 |
| 4 | Toledo My | 070 | 000 | 94 | 99 |
| 8 | Montreal Ry | 263 | 271 | 210 | 211 |
| | Toledo Ry. Montreal Ry. Toronto Ry. Twin City Detroit Ry | 113% | 1131/2 | 114 | 113 |
| 8 | Twin City | 117 | 1161/6 | 117 | 116 |
| 8 | Detroit Ry | 88 | 87 | 88 | 87 |
| 4 | Holifor Tram | 00 | 1001/ | .00 | 100 |
| | Haillax Hall, | 100 | 100/4 | 100 | 100 |
| 8 | St. John Ry | 130 | 113 | 120 | 115 |
| 8 | Montreal Ry. Toronto Ry. Twin City Detroit Ry. Halifax Tram. St. John Ry. R. & O. Com. Cable. | 95 | 941/2 | | |
| 244 | Com. Cable Bell Telephone | | | 175 | |
| 4 | Rell Telephone | 170 | 1641/2 | 170 | 164 |
| 7. | Mont Tol | 170 | 166 | 170 | |
| 1 | Mont. Tel | 110 | 100 | 071/ | 100 |
| , | Mont. Power | 86 | 81% | 81/2 | 80 |
| 1 | Dom. Coal, xd | 1321/2 | 1301/2 | 1321/4 | 131 |
| | Dom. Steel | 613% | 611/8 | 611/2 | 61 |
| 6 | do pref | 95 | 941/ | 95 | 94 |
| 8 | Mont. Tel. Mont. Power Dom. Coal, xd. Dom. Steel do., pref. N. S. Steel Ogilvie | 105 | 94½ 103 131 | 105 | 103 |
| 2 | Ordinia | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| 4 | Ognvie | 130 | 151 | 135 | 130 |
| 2 | Dom. Cotton | 60 | 50 | 55 | 51 |
| 44/2 | Col. Cotton Mont. Cotton Laur. Pulp | | | 60 | 50 |
| 6 | Mont Cotton | 130 | 122 | 130 | 122 |
| 4 | Laur Puln | 9714 | 9914 | 971/- | 92 |
| | T W Milliam | 105 | 165 | 180 | 165 |
| k | b. W. Milling | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| 5, | L. W. Milling NW. Land Bank of Montreal. | | 269 | 275 | 269 |
| | Bank of Montreal. | 275 | 269 | 275 | 269 |
| t | Bank Hochelaga | 140 | 1331/2 | 140 | 133 |
| | Bank Hochelaga Union Bank Molsons Bank Royal Bank Bank of Toronto. Mer. Bank E. Town, Bank. Bank of Com. Dom. Steel Bonds Ogilvie Bonds Mont. Ry. Bonds. | | 127 | | 127 |
| n | Wolsons Bank | 915 | 914 | 913 | 214 |
| t | Dorol Donk | -10 | 200 | -10 | 200 |
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| t | Morning Sales, I | Dec. 3 | 0Pa | cific. 2 | 200 |
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| - | Morning Sales, 1 130%; 50 at 130%; 800 at 131%; 300 Toronto Ry., 50 at common, 300 at 60%; 125 at 61%; at 61%; 10 at 619 87%; 1509 at 87; 27 100%; 2 at 1024. | at 13 | 154 - 56 | M at | 131 |
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| | inion Cott 10 at | 1391/. | 94 at | 139 . | 200 |
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TORONTO STOCKS. Toronto, Dec. 30.—The local stock market was quieter to-day, with prices gen-

| the local monetary si | tuation, | but | those |
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| who are bullishly incli conditions after New | ned loo | k for | easier |
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| Ontorio | 1321/2 | | 1321/ |
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| Imperial239 | 238 | 239 | 238 |
| Dominion2471/ | 2461/2 | 248 | 247 |
| Standard | 250 | | 245 |
| Hamilton23114 | 231 | 2311/2 | 231 |
| Nova Scotia270 | 250 | 265 | 260 |
| Ottawa230 | 2271/4 | 226 | 2213/4 |
| Tradore | 130 | | 130 |
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| Waste America | | | 100 |
| Westerly Assur101 | 98 | 99 | 98 |
| Imperial Life | 150 | | |
| National Trust | 136 | | 136 |
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| Western Assur. 101 Imperial Life National Trust Tor. Gen. Trusts. 165 Con. Gas Ont. & Qu'Ap. | 212 | | 212 |
| Ont. & Qu'Ap | 80 | | 80 |
| NW. L., prefdo., commonC. P. R. Stock131% Tor. El. Light | 99 | | 99 |
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| Lon. El. Light105 | | 105 | |
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| Rich. & Ont 97 | 941/2 | 96 | 941/2 |
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| North. Nav 132 St. L. & C. N 138 | 1301/2 | 135 | 132 |
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| Winnipeg St. Ry | 175 | | 175 |
| Sao Paulo 93 | 911/2 | .:: | 93 |
| Carter Crume | 1021/2 | | 1021/2 |
| Dunlop Tire | 106 | 105 | 1041/4 |
| W. A. Rogers | 102 | 104 | 102 |
| Packers, "A"102 | 981/2 | 102 | 981/2 |
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| Dom Steel 62 | 61 | 611/2 | |
| do pref | 94 | 01/2 | 00 /2 |
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| do., bonds | 111 | | 11114 |
| Superior, 22 91/2 | 9 | 93/4 | 91/2 |
| War Eagle | 15 | 18 | 15 |
| Crow's Nes | 300 | | 300. |
| Can. Salt | 121 | | 121 |
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| Dom. S. & L | 70 | | 70 |
| Ham. Prov | 118 | | 118 |

181%: 25 at 131%: 100 at 131%. Dominion Cotton. 15 at 52. Dominion Steel, 25 at 614; 25 at 614; 150 at 61: 25 at 614; 150 at 61: 25 at 61%; 150 at 61: 25 at 61%; 150 at 61: 25 at 61%; 100 at 81: 25 at 87%; 26 at 87%; 27 at 87%; 28 at 87%; 29 at 87%; 20 at 87%; 20 at 87%; 30 at 86. Halifax Tramway, 16 at 100. Hochelaga Bunk, 10 at 135. Pulp Bonds, \$1,000 at 108. Dom. Steel Bonds, \$1,000 at 91%. Detroit Railway, 25 at 87%; 25 at 88. Halifax Tramway, 16 at 100. Hochelaga Bank, 10 at 135. Pulp Bonds, \$1,000 at 108. Dom. Steel Bonds, \$1,000 at 91%.

POTATOES.

Toronto, Dec. 30.—Potatoes—The market is firm, with few car lots offering. Cars are quoted at \$1 per bag on track, and small lots job at \$1.15 to \$1.20.

money, 93; do. for account, 93; Anaconda, 4%; Atchison, 85%; do. pref., 102%; Baltimore & Chio, 1014; Canadian Pacific Railmore & St. Paul, 182; De Beers, 22%; Chicago Great Western, 26; Chicago, Milmaukee & St. Paul, 182; De Beers, 22%; Denver & Rio Grande, 40%; do. pref., 68; do. 2nd pref., 484%; Illinois Central, 148%; Louisville & Nashville, 129; Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 26%; New York Central, 156; Norfolk & Western, 74; do. pref., 94; Ontario & Western, 32; Pennsylvania,

79½; Rand Mines, 11½; Reading, 31½; do. 1st pref., 44½; do. 2nd pref., 30½; Southern Railway, 33½; do. pref., 95; Southern Pacific, 65½; Union Pācific, 102½; do. pref., 94½; United States Steel, 35½; do. pref., 86¾; Wabash, 28¾; do. pref., 43½. Bar silver steady, 22 3-16d per ounce. Money, 4 @ 4½ per cent.; the rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3 15-16 @ 4 per cent.; do. for three months' bills is 3½ @ 3 15-16 per cent.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE Glazebrook & Becher, foreign exchange and Bond prokers, Traders' Bank building, Toronto, report exchange rates as follows, Dec. 10:— Between banks.
Buyers. Sellers.
N. Y. Funds 5-64 dis 3-64 dis
Mon. Funds... 15c dis 5c dis Counter.

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Reported by F. H. Butler, Stock Broker, Masonic Temple, for the Free Press. Chicago, December 30. Chicago, December 30.
Open. High. Low. Close.
Wheat, Dec. 74% 74% 73% 73% 73%
May. 76% 77 76½ 76%
Corn, Dec. 45¼ 45½ 44¼ 44¼ 44¼
May. 43% 43% 43¾ 43¼ 43¼
Oats, Dec. 32% 32% 32½ 32½
" May. 34¼ 34% 33%
Pork, Jan. 17 20 17 27 17 20 17 27
" May. 16 45 16 47 16 42 16 45
Lard, 10 00 10 00 9 90 9 90
" May. 9 55 9 57 9 52 9 55
S. Ribs, Jan. 8 47
" May. 8 62 8 65 8 62 8 62 May..... 8 47 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ... | | | | | ..

Press Despatch. FIGURE 100 choice malting, 45c @ 56c. No. 1 FLAXSEED, \$1.14; No. 1 north-western, \$1.22. PRIME TIMOTHYSEED, \$3.75. MESS PORK, per barrel, \$1.725. LARD, per 100 pounds, \$10.35 @ \$10.37½. SHORT RIBS SIDES, loose, \$8.37½. @ \$8.50½. DRY SALTED SHOULDERS, boxed, \$8.25 @ \$8.50. SHORT CLEAR SIDES, boxed, \$8.25 with a stand of the summer and steady. The deliveries of butter and eggs were not large, and found ready sale at the quotations enumerated below.

Apples were offered at from 25c to 30c Single First-Class Fare, Dec. 31, 1902, and Jan. 1, 1903, good returning until Jan. 2, 1903.

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Dairy Produce of all kinds was quiet and steady. The deliveries of butter and eggs were not large, and found ready sale at the quotations enumerated below.

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@ \$8.50. SHORT CLEAR SIDES, boxed, \$8.20 @ \$9.12½. WHISKEY, basis of high wines, \$1.31. CLOVER, contract grade, \$11. EGGS quiet but firmer; loss off,

| The content of the

Rand Mines, 11%; Reading, 31%; December, 34c; May, 34%c. Rye, No. 2, 1st pref., 44½; do. 2nd pref., 39%; 52½c. Cloverseed fairly active and firm; tern Railway, 33%; do. pref., 95; January, \$6.90; March, \$6.40. Prime alsike, \$8.20.

MILWAUKEE. Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 30.—Close:—Wheat steady; No. 1 morthern, 77c; No. 2 northern, 75½c; May, 76½c. Rye steady; No. 1, 51½c @ 52c. Barley firm; standard, 58c; sample, 39c @ 57c. Oats steady; standard, 33½c. Corn, May, 43%c. BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 30.—Flour—Firm. Wheat—Spring firm; No. 1 northern, 85c; winter, state No. 2 red offered at 77c. Corn—Firm; No. 2 yellow, 53½c; No. 2 corn, 51½c. Oats—Firm; No. 3 white, 36¾c; No. 2 mixed, 35½c. Barley, 49c @ 622 No. No. 1 in store 56c. 62c. Rye, No. 1, in store, 56c. MINNEAPOLIS.

second patents, \$3.45 @ \$3.65; first clears, \$2.90 @ \$3.10; second clears, \$2.30 @ \$2.60. Bran, in bulk, \$13 @ \$13.25.

| | Dec. 23 | | Dec. 24 | | Dec. 29 | | Dec. 30 | |
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| Red Winter | 6 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 21 |
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| No. 1 Cal | 6 | 81 | 6 | 84 | 6 | 81 | 6 | 81 |
| Dec | 6 | 11 | 6 | 21 | 6 | 21 | 6 | $2\frac{1}{2}$ |
| March | 6 | 117 | 6 | 13 | 6 | 13 | 6 | 2 |
| May | 6 | 01 | 6 | 07 | 6 | 03 | 6 | 1 |
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| Jan | 4 | 61 | 4 | 61 | 4 | 61 | 1 | 63 |
| March | 4 | 27 | 1 | 21 | 1 | 25 | 1 | 24 |
| Flour | 22 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 22 | 0 |
| Peas | 6 | 73 | 6 | 71 | B | 7 | 6 | 7 |
| Pork, prime mess | 90 | 0 | 90 | 0 | 95 | ò | 85 | ò |
| Lard | 56 | 0 | 55 | 6 | 55 | 0 | 55 | 0 |
| Tallow | | 3 | 27 | 3 | 27 | 3 | 27 | 6 |
| Bacon, light | 18 | 6 | 18 | 6 | 48 | 0 | 18 | 6 0 |
| Cheese, white | 59 | 0 | 59 | 0 | 59 | ŏ | 59 | 6 |
| Cheese, colored | | 0 | 59 | 0 | 59 | 0 | 59 | 6 |
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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

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steers, \$3.60 @ \$4.75. Hogs—Receipis to-day, 50.000; to-morrow, 30,000; left over, 21,00; 15c @ 25c lower; mixed and butchers, \$6.15 @ \$6.45; good to choice, heavy, \$6.50 @ \$6.70; rough, heavy, \$6.20 @ \$6.50; light, \$5.90 @ \$6.35; bulk of sales at \$6.30 @ \$6.55, Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep 10c @ 15c lower; lambs 15c @ 25c lower; good to choice wethers, \$4 @ \$4.60; fair to choice, mixed, \$3.25 @ \$4; native lambs, \$4.10 @ \$4.50.

NEW YORK. NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 30.—Beeves—Receipts, 655; mainly consigned direct; no sales reported; dressed beef steady; city dressed native sides, 7½c @ 10c per pound; Texas beef, 6½c @ 7½c; cables quoted American steers at 12½c @ 13½c; dressed weight, refrigerator beef at 10c per pound; exports to-day, 810 beeves, 1,657 sheep and 4,400 quarters of beef, the latter estimated. Calves—Receipts, 64. qulet and steady; veals sold at \$5 @ \$9 per 100 pounds; city dressed veals, 11c @ 14c per pound. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,685; generally active and steady; sheep sold at generally active and steady; sheep sold at \$3 @ \$4.50; lambs at \$5 @ \$6.25; on deck at \$6.30; culls at \$3.50 @ \$4.75; dressed mutton, 51/2c @ 71/2c per pound; dressed lambs, 71/2c @ 101/2c. Hogs—Receipts, 433; steady; a few state hogs at \$6.75; a deck westerns at \$6.30.

LONDON MARKETS.

Wheat, 66c to 691/2c per bushel. Oats, 311/4c to 321/4c per bushel. Peas, 85c to 92c per bushel. Corn. 56c to 611/2c per bushel.

Tuesday, December 30.

The last market day of the year was on a par with the many others which have preceded it, the attendance being meagre and the supplies, as a rule, limited to certain lines of produce. Still, there was a 195 Richmond street, Phone 295.

per basket, and by the barrel from 95c to \$1.25—the latter figure for best grades.

Poultry—Fully 1,000 turkeys were on the Poultry—Fully 1,000 turkeys were on the Print Class Fare and One-Third, good golug \$11. EGGS quiet but firmer; loss off, cases returned, 25c.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 22,500 barrels; wheat, 77,900 bushels; corn, 390,200 bushels; TORONTO.

ENGLAND.

London, Dec. 29.—Canadian cattle are steady at from 11½c to 12½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c to 10½c per lb.

They were decidedly easier than on Saturday, and local provision dealers did not Ticket Agent.

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| | FOR THE HOUSEKEEPERS. |
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| | DAIRY PRODUCE. |
| | Eggs, crates, per dozen |
| | Potatoes, per bag 1 00 @ 1 10 |
| | Turnips, per bag 25 @ 30 |
| 1 | Beets, per bushel 45 @ 50 |
| H | Carrots, per bag 25 @ 30 |
| | Celery, per dozen 30 @ 40 |
| | Cabbages, per dozen 30 @ 40 |
| 1 | Onions, per bag 50 @ 60 |
| | Parsley, per dozen 15 @ 20 |
| 1 | Parsnips, per bag 45 @ 50 |
| 3 | Sage and Savory, per doz 15 @ 20 |
| | Vegetable Marrow, per doz 25 @ 30 |
| | Pumpkins, each |
| 1 | |
| 1 | FRUITS. |
| ļ | Pears, per bushel 50 @ 75 |
| | Apples, bag 30 @ 45 |
| 3 | Apples, barrel 95 @ 1 25 |
| | FROM FARMERS' WAGONS. |
| | GRAIN, PER CENTAL. |
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