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advices from English textile centres Liverpool, Dec. 24.—Cotton futures closed steady. Dec., 21.61; Jan., 20.01; Feb., 19.07; March, 18.26; April, 17.24. report a scarcity of goods, with no re-lief in sight until the end of next year. Canadian prints for spring de-

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NEW YORK CURB.

Closing prices yesterday in the Cobalt and Porcupine stocks on the New York curb, as supplied by Hamilton B. Wills, in the Royal Bank Building, were as fol-lows:

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Montreal, Dec. 24.—The local market for cash grain was dull and the under-tone was casy, but in the absence of any business of importance, prices were nominally unchanged. Car lots of On-tario extra No. 3 barley were quoted at \$1.16; No. 3 at \$1.15, and Manitoba sample grades at \$1.05; Canadian west-ern No. 3 oats at \$7½c; extra No. 1 feed at \$8c; No. 2 feed at \$1½c; heated No. 1 feed at 75½c; contario No. 2 white 86½c; and No. 3 white at \$5½c per bush-el ex-store. The outside demand for flour today was very limited. A good steady trade continues to be done in all lines of millfeed for local and country account, and the market is ac-tive with a firm undertone. The butter trade today in a whole-sale way was dull and the market was f without any phase to note.

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There was nothing new in the cheese market to note, business being dull and prices unchanged.
Oats-Extra No. 1 feed, 88c.
Flour-Manitoba spr ng wheat, new standard grade \$11.25 to \$11.35.
Rolled oats-Bag, 90 lbs., \$4.25 to \$4.50.
Bran, \$37.25; shorts, \$42.25; moufile, \$68 to \$70.
Hay-No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$20 to \$21.
Cheese-Finest easterns, 24c to 25c.
Butter-Choicest creamery. 52½c to 53½c.
Eggs-Selected, 55c; No. 1 stock, 50c.
Potatoes-Per bag, car lots \$1.70.
Dreezed hogs-Abattoir killed, \$24.50
to \$25.50.
Lard-Pure wood pails, 20 lbs. net, 31c

UNITED STATES SENATE

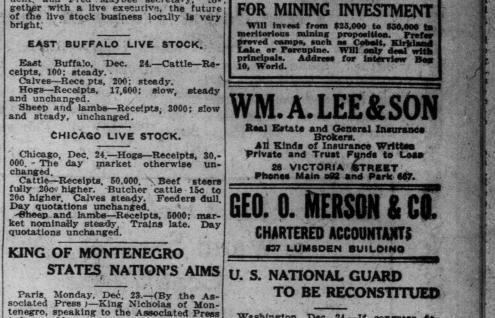
PASSES WAR REVENUE

Washington, Dec. 24.—Having passed the war revenue bill fixing taxes for next year and for 1920, the senate today becan its Christmas recess.
The revenue bill, reduced to raise about six billion dollars next year and four the senate without a record vote. The measure, which had been before the senate finance committee, now years of conference.
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KING OF MONTENEGRO

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Basle, Dec. 24.—Seizure of property owned by the Prussian royal family (the Hohenzollerns) would produce immediately the sum of 900,000,000 marks, according to figures compiled



STATES NATION'S AIMS
 Paris, Monday, Deć, 23.-(By the Associated Press)
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