# CHICAGO MARKET.

CABLES EASY FOR WHEAT, FIRM FOR CORN.

TRADE WAS LIGHT.

PRIMARY RECEIPTS OF WHEAT CONTINUE LARGE.

CORN STEADY.

Weather 38, cloudy, north west. Curb Wheat Dec., 663.

CARS RECEIVED—Winter wheat, 18; Spring, 205; Corn, 236; Oats, 241; Rye, 42; Barley, 137.

STOCK YARDS—Hogs—Est'd rec'ts, 19,000; Offic'l yest'y, 28,972; Shipped, 697; Left over, 6,188; Est. to-morrow, 38,000; Rec'ts for to-day, 19,000; Shipped, 230.

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Light mxd, \$3.15 to \$3 47; Mxd pk'g, \$3.20 to \$3.52; Heavy shpg., \$3.20 to \$3.55; hough, \$3.20 to \$3.30; Receipts of Pork, 600 bbls.; Shipments, 439 lbs.; Receipts of Lard, 123,916 lbs.; Shipments, 1,227,454 lbs.; Receipts of Cut Meats, 2,684,772 lbs.; Shipments, 117,004 lbs.

## CEREALS.

Actual clearances for the last week show a falling due partially to the election holiday, and partly evening up with the previous abnormal movement well above 1893, and only exceeded by 1897 for the crop season. The large receipts at Western centres made a good sized increase in supplies and last Monday's visible showed an increase of two and a half million bushels. Exports from Russia and the Danube are expected also to show increases over the recent also to show increases over the recent

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Since the wonderful increase in transportation facilities the price of wheat in this country becomes more and more dependent on the world's visible supply in distinction from the crops of the United States. The big crop of 1891 was marketed around a dollar a bushel at Chicago, because of a previous running down in the world's wheat reserves. Since that year total supplies increased to a maximum in January, 1894, after several years of full crops and the low prices of 1894 and 1895 were due princ pally to this fact. For five years the visible supplies on two hemispheres have been slowly consumed till the world's reserves have returned to about the figures of 1891. In seven years the world's crops are calculated at 16 992 millions of bushels, or 2,400 million bushels per annum. The estimated world's crop for 1898 is 2,640 millions, leaving an apparent surplus of 200 millions. Allowing 100 millions for reconstructing reserves there still remains in apparent surplus over estimated requirements. For an incentive to any considerable advance in price therefore a concerted holding back of supplies on a foreign war scare would appear necessary. With the crop made for 1898 and prospects for more than an average crop in 1899 the former of these is unlikely and it would than an average crop in 1899 the for-mer of these is unlikely and it would appear that December wheat would make the top for the crop.

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The exports of corn from all ports during October were 12,547,155 bu., against 7,976,187 bu. last year and for the ten months ended Oct. 31 the total was 178,086,505 bu., against 156,-356,373 bu. last yea. On this amount New York held first position during October, but for ten months Baltimore held first position. The exports of wheat from all ports were 16,225,047 bu., in October and for ten months 112,137,761 bu., against 79,428,-685 bu., last year, in the export of wheat New York makes a long reach ahead of the other ports for the month of October and shipped nearly three times as much for ten months as any other port, The value of the exports of all breadstuffs in October was \$24,653,262, against \$26,097,106 last year and for the ten months \$250,237,455, against \$185,416,854.

# N. Y. BANK STATEMENT.

Reserve, Inc	1,655,575
Loans, Inc	5,897,800
Specie, Inc	2,947,600
Legals, Inc	1,066,200
Deposits, Inc	9,452,900
Circulation, Inc	182,000

# SHOWING RATE OF INCOME ON STOCK INVESTMENTS.

PRICE.	4	5	6	7
50	8.00	10.00	12.00	14.00
55	7.27	9.09	10.90	12.72
60	6.66	8.33	10.00	11.66
65	6.15	7.69	9.23	10.76
70	5.71	7.14	8.57	10.00
75	5.33	6.66	8.00	9.33
80		6.25	7.50	8.75
85		5.88	7.05	8.23
90		5.55	6.66	7.77
95		5.26	6.31	7.36
	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00
105		4.76	5.71	6.66
110		4.54	5.45	6 36
115		4.35	5.21	6.08
120		4.16	5.00	5.83
125		4.00	4.80	5.60
130		3.84	4.61	5.38
135		3.70	4.44	5.16
140		3.57	4.28	5.00
145		3.44	4.13	4.82
		3.33	4.00	4.66
150	2.00	0.00	1.00	1.00

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Expense account... 18,434.99
Mill account...... 17,352.62
Personal property. 354,51
Mineral tax ...... 1,810.83
Building account... 575.73
Profit and Loss.... 8,700.00
Labor account..... 133,361.60
Mine and Mill supply account ..... 65,283.98 ply account ..... 65,283.98 Bills receivable.... 518.40 Treasurers account 34,047.38

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