Market, Financial and Industrial News of the Day

Omaha Grain

Omaha, June 24.

Scattered rains fell in sections of the northwest and cooler weather was reported in the southwest and west, causing an easier feeling in all markets, especially in corn. Although very good export sales of corn were made at the seaboard, that grain was particularly heavy. The department of agriculture will issue a warning on chinch bugs. This pest has appeared in South Dakota, where they are expected to do great damage. They are also intrenched in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri and some northern counties of Texas. Plowing is said to be the only remedy. Receipts at Omaha somewhat heavier today, aggregating 129 cars as compared with 67 cars last year. Total shipments, 109 cars of all kinds of grain, as against 116 cars a year ago.

Cash wheat in the local market was in fair demand with samples changing hands at unchanged to 1 cent lower. Corn sold readily at unchanged to 1-4c lower prices. Oats were unchanged to 1-4c higher. Rye was quoted about 1 cent lower and barley nominally unchanged.

WHEAT.

No. 1 hard winter: 4 cars, $1.09; 2 cars, $1.10.
No. 2 hard winter: 2 cars (shippers' weights), $1.07; 1 car, $1.08.
No. 3 hard winter: 1 car, $1.07; 1 car, $1.05; 1 car (smutty, 69 per cent dark), $1.10.
No. 5 hard winter: 1 car, $1.05; 1 car, $1.07.
Sample hard winter: 1 car (weevil), $1.06.
No. 2 yellow hard: 1 car (shippers' weights), $1.07; 2 cars, $1.08; 1 car, $1.07.
No. 3 yellow hard: 1 car (shippers' weights), $1.06; 1 car, $1.05.

CORN.

No. 1 white: 2 cars, 56½c; 1 car, 56¼c.
No. 2 white: 7 cars, 56½c; 1 car (shippers' weights), 56¼c.
No. 4 white: 1 car, 55½c.
No. 1 yellow: 1 car (shippers' weights), 57¼c; 3 cars, 57½c.
No. 2 yellow: 3 cars, 57¼c; 4 cars, 57½c; 1 car (shippers' weights), 57½c.
No. 3 mixed: 4 cars, 56c; 1 car (near yellow), 57c.

OATS.

No. 3 white: 8 cars, 35½c; 1 car, 35c.
No. 4 white: 1 car, 34¼c; 1 car, 35c.

RYE.

No. 2: 1 car, 78½c.

OMAHA RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.
(Carlots.)

Receipts—	Today	Week Ago	Week Ago
Wheat	28	40	16
Corn	78	60	37
Oats	20	25	73
Barley	1	1	0
Rye	1	2	1
Shipments—	**Today**	**Week Ago**	**Week Ago**
Wheat	13	5	49
Corn	71	86	58
Oats	24	22	9
Rye	0	1	0
Barley	1	1	4

PRIMARY RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.
(Bushels.)

Receipts—	Today	Year ago
Wheat	593,000	989,000
Corn	1,029,000	992,000
Oats	529,000	716,000
Shipments—	**Today**	**Year ago**
Wheat	559,000	666,000
Corn	1,159,000	470,000
Oats	715,000	248,000

EXPORT CLEARANCES.

Bushels—	Today	Year ago
Wheat and flour	255,000	382,000
Corn	40,000	69,000

CHICAGO RECEIPTS.

Carlots—	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Wheat	18	20	23
Corn	262	176	408
Oats	73	89	178

KANSAS CITY RECEIPTS.

Carlots—	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Wheat	149	289	263
Corn	49	62	52
Oats	10	12	11

ST. LOUIS RECEIPTS.

Carlots—	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Wheat	55	87	60
Corn	26	59	52
Oats	28	41	47

NORTHWESTERN WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Carlots—	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Minneapolis	102	228	242
Duluth	141	110	189
Winnipeg	130	143	199

CHICAGO CLOSING PRICES.

By Updike Grain Co. DO. 2627. June 24.

Art.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Wht.					
July	1.13⅝	1.13⅝	1.12⅞	1.13⅝	1.14
	1.13¼			1.13¼	1.13⅝
Dec.	1.14⅝	1.14⅝	1.13⅞	1.14⅝	1.15
	1.14⅝			1.14⅝	1.14⅝
Dec.	1.17½	1.17½	1.17½	1.18	1.18
	1.17¼			1.17⅞	1.18½
Rye					
July	.88	.88	.87½	.87½	.88⅝
Sept.	.87⅞	.87⅞	.87¼	.87½	.88⅝
Dec.	.89⅝	.89⅝	.89⅝	.89⅝	.90½
Corn					
July	.63¼	.63¼	.62¼	.62½	.63⅝
	.62¼				
Sept.	.67	.67	.66¼	.66⅝	.67⅝
	.66½			.66⅝	
Dec.	.67	.67	.65⅝	.66⅝	.67½
	.66⅝				.67⅝
Oats					
July	.37⅝	.37⅝	.36⅞	.37⅞	.37⅞
Sept.	.39¾	.40½	.39⅝	.40¼	.39⅞
				.40¼	
Dec.	.42¼	.42⅝	.41½	.42⅝	.42¼
	.42¼			.42⅝	.42¼
Lard					
July	11.45	11.45	11.37	11.37	11.47
Sept.	11.72	11.72	11.65	11.65	11.77
Ribs					
July	12.15	12.20	12.07	12.07	12.25
Sept.	12.00	12.00	11.92	11.92	12.15

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Mo., June 24.—Eggs—Unchanged, 20c.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 39c.

Poultry—Unchanged; broilers, 37c; hens, 19c; roosters, 11c.

Kansas City, June 24.—Wheat—July, $1.06⅞; September, $1.07⅝; December, $1.10⅞.

Corn—July, 58½c; September, 61½c; December, 62⅞c.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 24.—Wheat—July, No. 1 northern, $1.40½@1.42½; July, $1.33¼@1.35¼; September, $1.22⅞; December, $1.21.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 55@55½c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 35@36c.

Barley—46@51c.

Rye—No. 2, 84¼@86¼c.

Flaxseed—No. 1, $2.55½@2.57½.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, June 24.—Wheat—July, $1.10¼; September, $1.12¼@1.12⅜.

Corn—July, 62⅝c; September, 65c.

Oats—July, 38c; September, 38½c.

Minneapolis Flour.

Minneapolis, June 24.—Flour—Unchanged to 20c higher; family patents, $7.60@7.75.

Bran—$14.50@17.00.

New York Metals.

New York, June 24.—There continues to be a good demand for steel plates while the building activity has resulted in a scarcity of pipe and other structural requirements. The scarcity of fuel is noted in the industry but many mills are starting up and the tone of the market is firm. The trend of the pig iron market is steadily upward and charcoal iron was advanced $1 this week. The entire market is broadening, all meiters reporting an increase of business, although it is checked somewhat by the fuel situation.

Copper has remained quiet. Except in the case of a few wire drawers buyers for domestic consumption have shown little or no interest and exporters have also been holding off, partly owing to the uncertainty of exchange rates. Some of the smaller producers and second-hands have been shading prices and electrolytic is reported available in small lots around the 12¾c level. Larger producers, however, are making no effort to book orders at the decline.

Tin has been sensitive to fluctuations in exchange and easier. Consumers have shown little interest.

Lead is steady to firm with more buying interest shown, especially on the part of the cable interests.

Zinc has ruled quiet with prices a shade easier.

A better inquiry is noted for antimony, leading to a better undertone, but without change in prices.

Butter Markets Steady.

Chicago, June 24.—Supplies short of the demand resulted in very firm butter market today and advances on all scores. Trading was not exremely lively, but offerings were firmly held. Thirty-seven cents was the inside prices on 92 scores. Cars 90 score centralized were in active demand for delivery on June contracts. The week closed with price tendencies upward.

Chicago Grain

By CHARLES D. MICHAELS.
Omaha Bee Leased Wire.

Chicago, June 24.—Better weather conditions over the grain belt and general week end evening up brought about a lower range of prices. Wheat finished with a net loss of 1-8@3-4c. Corn was off 1-2@5-8c, and rye 7-8c. Oats finished 1-8@1-2c higher.

Unfavorable crop reports, with apprehension that heavy damage to winter wheat would be revealed in the government July returns, led to a more active market last week. While the best figures were not maintained, the finish was at net gains of 1 3-8 @2 1-4c. Coarse grains attracted increased attention. They got out of the rut for the first time in many weeks. Corn gained 1 3-8@2c, and oats 2 7-8@3 3-4c. Dry weather and damage talk were factors in both grains. Rye was up 1 3-8@1 1-2c. Provisions held within narrow limits, but closed weak, with lard off 5@7 1-2c and ribs 27 1-2@30c lower.

While rain hardly will have much effect on winter wheat, except where the grain is very late, there was rather general early selling on the reports of rains in parts of Nebraska and Iowa. While the rains turned out mainly to be local showers, there was a pronounced disposition on the part of the traders to even up for over Sunday. Support was lacking early. Hedging sales had considerable effect in the July. That option went to about 1¼c under September at one time.

Threshing Disappointing.

Country offerings of new grain from some sections showed improvement. Threshing returns from the southwest continue to be rather disappointing. The Missouri reports suggested a loss of 8,000,000 bushels from the June government estimate, due to heat damage.

Corn showed more weakness than other grains as the result of the rain reports. Oats were the stronger. After being lower early they rallied sharply to above the previous days finish. Oats received good support on the weak spots. In the corn market pressure was in evidence on all the upturns. Rather general evening up on the part of local traders was shown. No general breaking of the drouth was indicated by the weekly forecast, although some local thunder showers are expected. Temperatures will be somewhat above normal. A good export business was put through in corn at the seaboard.

Rye reflected the action of wheat and declined. Black rust has been found on rye at a North Dakota point, but it had little effect.

Pit Notes.

Temperatures above normal, with thunder showers, are the predictions for this week in the grain regions. Minneapolis reported temperatures of 100 on Friday and very hot Saturday. It was said that Friday was the hottest day since the weather bureau was established there. Seven points in Nebraska reported temperatures of 100 to 102, with plenty of points showing 95 to 99. Wheat and oats in the milk will be shriveled by such temperatures.

Warning against chinch bugs has been sent out by the Department of Agriculture. The pest has made its appearance in South Dakota for the first time. Its ravages are expected to be great. Already it has entrenched itself in Ohio, Indiana, Missouri, Illinois and Iowa and in some of the northern counties of Texas. The plowing under the grain fields is the only thing possible to prevent spread of the pest, the department says.

There were deliveries of 15,000 bushels of oats on June contract the other day that cost only 1½c a bushel, but oats having been in store since October, 1920.

Indications are that wheat stocks in Chicago will show a decrease of more than 1,250,000 bushels for the last week, as shipments were 1,655,000 bushels and receipts only 221,000 bushels. A reduction in oat stocks is to be expected, as shipments were 208,000 bushels and receipts 1,259,000 bushels.

Omaha Produce

Furnished by the state of Nebraska, department of agriculture, bureau of markets and marketing:

LIVE POULTRY.

	Wholesale Buying Price:	Wholesale Selling Price:
Fowls	.35@ .35	.37@ .40
Leghorn broilers	.25@ .27	.27@ .30
Hens, light	.15@ .20	.22@ .24
Hens, heavy	.18@ .20	.22@ .24
Cocks	.10@ ...	.12@ .15
Ducks	.15@ .18	.20@ .25

DRESSED POULTRY.

Broilers	.....	.42@ .45
Hens	.....	.25@ .27
Cocks	.....	.16@ .18

EGGS

No. 1	.18@ .21	.23@ .25
No. 2	.16@ .18	.20@ .22
Cracks	.14@ .16	.18@ .20

BUTTER.

Country, common	.22@ .25	.24@ .27

Butter fat, station price, 27c.

HAY.

Prairie—No. 1 upland, $13.00@14.00; No. 2 upland, $11.00@12.00; No. 3 upland, $7.00@9.00; No. 1 midland, $12.00@13.00; No. 2 midland, $10.00@11.00; No. 3 midland, $7.00@8.00; No. 1 lowland, $8.00@10.00; No. 2 lowland, $7.00@8.00.

Alfalfa—No. 1, $16.00@17.00; standard, $12.00@13.00; No. 2, $10.00@11.00; No. 3, $8.00@9.00.

Straw—Oat, $8.00@9.00; wheat straw, $7.00@8.00.

HIDES AND WOOL.

Beef hides: Green salted No. 1, per lb., 6@7c; green salted No. 2, per lb., 5@6c; green hides No. 1, per lb.,4@5c; green hides No 2, per lb., 3@4c; green salted old stock, per lb., 2@3c; green salted bull hides No. 1, per lb., 4c; green salted bull hides No. 2, per lb., 2c.

Horse hides: Large, each, $3.00; medium, each, $2.50; small, each, $2.00; pony and glues, each, $1.00@1.25.

Sheep pelts: Green salted, as to size and wool, each, 75c@$1.00.

Wool: Choice fine and ¼-blood, per lb., 27@32c; medium and ⅜-blood, per lb., 26@30c; low and ¼-blood, per lb., 18@22c; burry wool, per lb., 12@17c.

Wholesale prices of beef cuts are as follows: No. 1 ribs, 20½c; No. 2 ribs, 19½c; No. 3 ribs, 15c; No. 1 loins, 27½c; No. 2 loins, 26c; No. 3 loins, 20c; No. 1 rounds, 19c; No. 2 rounds, 18½c; No. 3 rounds, 15½c; o. 1 chucks, 12c; No. 2 chucks, 11c; No. 3 chucks, 8½c; No. 1 plates, 5½c; No. 2 plates, 5c; No. 3 plates, 4c.

FRUITS.

Bananas: Per lb., 7½c.

Oranges: Size 216 and larger, $9.00@9.50; size 250, $8.00@8.25; size 288, $7.00; size 324, $6.00@6.50.

Lemons: According to size, per box, $6.50@9.00.

Grapefruit: According to size, per crate, $3.50@7.50.

Apples: Winesap, according to size and grade, $2.75@4.00; Ben Davis, according to size and grade, $3.00; Newton Pippins, according to size and grade, $3.50.

Strawberries: Missouri, per crate 24 qt. boxes, $3.50@4.00.

Figs: 23 pkgs. 8-oz., $2.25; bulk, per lb., 15@16c.

Pineapples: Cuban, according to size, $2.25@5.25.

Cherries: California, 6-lb. boxes, $4.00@4.50.

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes: New, No. 1, per lb. 4½c. Old stock, Idaho Whites, No. 1, per cwt., $2.70; Red River Ohio, No. 1, per cwt., $3.00; Oregon Netted Gems, per cwt., $3.00.

Sweet Potatoes: Per bu., $1.50@2.00.

Lettuce: Head, per crate, $3.50@4.00; head, per doz., $1.00@1.50. Leaf, per doz., 35c.

Egg Plant: Per doz., $1.50@2.00.

Onions: Crystal Wax, 45-lb. crate, $2.25@2.50; yellow, 45-lb. crate, $2.25@3.00; home-grown, per doz., 35c.

Cucumbers: Hot house, per doz., $2.50@3.00; southern, bu. basket, 4 to 6 doz., $2.25.

Young Onions: Home grown, per doz., 15@20c.

Cabbage: New, per lb., 4@5c.

Tomatoes: Crates, 4 baskets, $1.00@1.75.

Radishes: Per doz., 15@20c.

Carrots and Turnips: New, per doz., $1.00@1.25.

Beets and Turnips: Per hamper, $1.50@2.50.

Spinach: Home grown, per doz., 50c.

Green Peppers: Market basket, $1.25@1.50.

Green and Wax Beans: Per hamper, $2.50@3.00.

Parsley: Per doz. bunches, market basket, 75c.

Watermelon: Per lb., 3@3½c.

Cantaloupe: Per crate, $2.25.

Asparagus: Per doz., 75c@$1.00.

New Peas: Basket, about 8 lbs., $1.00@1.25.

PLANTS.

Tomato: Per box, $1.00.

Pansy Plants: Per doz., 10c; per box, $3.75.

London Money.

London, June 24.—Bar Silver—35⅝d per ounce; money, 3 per cent; discount rates, short and three months' bills, 2¾@2⅞ per cent.

Flaxseed.

Duluth, Minn., June 24.—Flax—July, $2.56; September, $2.54¾; October, $2.49 bid.

Live Stock

Omaha, June 24.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	8,714	11,437	5,490
Official Tuesday	8,067	15,155	7,574
Official Wednesday	7,932	15,446	9,067
Official Thursday	7,528	13,351	4,578
Official Friday	1,961	12,497	5,447
Estimate Saturday	100	11,000	...
Six days this week	34,312	79,086	32,156
Same days last week	31,549	73,172	26,449
Same days 2 w's a'o	32,972	61,515	35,458
Same days 3 w's a'o	30,884	63,991	25,059
Same days year ago	27,896	75,522	45,814

Receipts and disposition of livestock at the Union stockyards, Omaha, Neb., for 24 hours, ending at 3 p. m., June 24, 1922.

RECEIPTS—CARLOTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.
C. M. & St. P. Ry.	...	4
Mo. Pac. Ry	3	3
Union Pacific Ry.	...	42
C. & N. W. Ry., east	...	3
C. & N. W. Ry., west	1	64
C., St. P., M. & O. Ry.	...	8
C., B. & Q. Ry. east	...	3
C., B. & Q. Ry., west	...	28
C., R. & P., east	...	4
C., R. I. & P., west	...	1
Illinois Central R.	...	1
Total receipts	3	165

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Hogs.	Sheep.
Armour & Co.	725	...
Cudahy Packing Co.	3397	796
Dold Packing Co.	590	...
Morris Packing Co.	1947	...
Swift & Co.	2525	...
J. M. Murphy	717	...
Swartz & Co.	1055	...
Armour, Sioux Falls	510	...
Total receipts	11471	796

Cattle—Receipts, 100 head. Not enough cattle were here to make a market today, the all classes were nominally steady. The week's run is among the largest of the season, 34,300 head, and while the best steers with weight are strong to 10@15c higher than a week ago, medium and plain beeves have declined 10@25c under a slow demand and yearlings and she stock are mostly 25@50c, and in spots 75c lower for the week as a result of excessive supplies. The week's top of $9.80 on heavy steers is the high mark of the season. In sympathy with the slump on killers, stockers and feeders have declined 25@50c.

Quotations on cattle: Choice to prime beeves, $8.85, $9.00@9.50; good to choice beeves, $8.50@9.00; fair to good beeves, $8.00@8.50; common to fair beeves, $7.50@8.00; choice to prime yearlings, $8.60@9.15; good to choice yearlings, $8.10@8.60, fair to good yearlings, $5.50@8.00; common to fair yearlings, $6.50@7.50; choice to prime heifers, $7.75@8.50; good to choice heifers, $7.00@7.75; fair to good heifers, $6.75@6.75; choice to prime cows, $6.15@6.75, good to choice cows, $5.00@6.00; common to good cows, $3.50@5.00, cutters, $2.75@3.50; canners, $2.00@2.75; butcher bulls, $5.00@7.00; beef bulls, $4.10@4.75; bologna bulls, $3.50@4.00; veal calves, $4.00@7.50; good to choice feeders, $7.15@7.75; fair to good feeders, $6.65@7.15; common to fair feeders, $6.00@6.50; good to choice stockers, $7.25@7.85; fair to good stockers, $6.50@7.25; common to fair stockers, $5.75@6.50; stock heifers, $4.00@5.75; stock cows, $3.50@4.50; stock calves, $5.50@7.50; stock bulls, $4.50@6.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000 head. On good demand both from shippers and packers light hogs were fairly active at a decline of 5@10c. Mixed loads and packing grades were slow and mostly 10@15c lower. Light hogs sold at $10.10@10.15, with a top price of $10.20. Good quality butchers were mostly within a range of $9.50@10.00, and light mixed loads at $9.50@9.75, with heavy mixed and packing grades at $8.75@9.40. Bulk of good hogs was $9.65@10.10. For the week prices are $10@15c lower, heavy hogs showing the most decline.

HOGS

No. Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No. Av.	Sh.	Pr.
39..406	250	$ 8 25	58..280	320	$ 8 50
54..348	180	8 85	50..320	70	8 90
42..314	70	9 00	65..298	140	9 10
27..257	...	9 20	66..258	250	9 25
66..272	...	9 35	67..266	210	9 40
70..271	...	9 45	71..265	40	9 50
61..237	40	9 60	53..211	190	9 65
66..226	70	9 75	71..249	70	9 85
82..210	70	9 90	75..219	40	9 95
81..215	140	10 00	89..230	...	10 05
63..208	...	10 10	90..180	...	10 15
76..219	...	10 20			

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, none. The feature of this week's lamb market has been the improved tone of the trade in marked contrast to the dull undertone a week ago. Notwithstanding liberal supplies for the closing session Friday, the market ruled steady on the opening to 15c higher at the close, with values 25@50c higher than week ago. Western lambs moved readily at $12.50@12.65, as against $12.00@12.25 week ago. Native lambs sold mostly at $18.00@12.25, with $12.50 high mark for week. Feeders and sheep have held about steady, best feeders selling at $11.00@11.25, and light ewes at $5.00@5.25.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Fat lambs, westerns, $11.50@12.65; native fat lambs, $11.00@12.25; feeding lambs, $9.00@11.00; cull lambs, $6.00@10.00; fat yearlings, $9.00@10.75; fat wethers, $5.50@6.50; fat ewes, light, $4.00@5.25; fat ewes, heavy, $2.50@4.00.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 500 head compared week ago, strictly good to prime corn fed steers, 15@25c higher; other grades, grassers and all except strictly choice yearlings, 15@25c lower; extreme top beef steers, $10.00; best long yearlings, $9.75; in between grades, butcher cows and heifers, weak to 15c lower; others and canners and cutters, largely steady; bulls, 35c to 50c lower; veal calves, 75c to $1 lower; stockers and feeders, 25c to 50c off; lower grades declining most; week's bulk prices beef steers, $8.25@9.25; stockers, $6.00@7.25; butcher she-stock, $4.55@7.25; canners and cutters, $3.00@4.00; veal calves, $8.00@9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; market steady to strong with Friday's average; top, $10.80; bulk, $9.80@10.75; pigs, strong to 25c higher; mostly $9.75@10.50; holdover light; heavyweight, $10.35@10.60; medium, $10.50@10.75; light, $10.70@10.80; light light, $10.40@10.75; packing sows, smooth, $9.20@9.70; packing sows, rough, $8.50@9.25; killing pigs, $9.50@10.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5,000 head; practically all direct; compared week ago, killing classes mostly 25 to 50c higher; lambs and heavy sheep, gaining most; week's top western lambs, $13.25; natives, $13.00; week's bulk prices, best lambs, $12.00@13.00; yearlings, $9.50@10.15; wethers, $5.00@7.50; ewes, $3.00@6.50; top feeder lambs, $12.00; top westerns, yearling breeding ewes, $11.10.

Sioux City Live Stock.

Sioux City, Ia., June 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 700 head; market steady. Compared to week ago: Choice beeves, steady to strong; warmed up steers and yearlings, 25c to 50c lower; grass cows and heifers, 25c to 50c lower; fat cows and heifers, steady; canners, 25c lower; veals top, $10.00; feeders, steady; calves, weak; bulls, weak, 25c lower; feeding cows and heifers, 25c lower; stockers, steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head; market, good butchers, 15c lower; butchers, $9.50@10.15; packers, 25c lower; lights, $10.25; heavy mixed, $8.75@9.50; heavy packers, $8.50@8.75; bulk of sales, $9.60@10.15.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, none; not quoted.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Mo., June 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 550 head; market for week, better grade beef steers weak to 25c lower; she stock and yearlings, 25@75c lower; canners and cutters 50c lower; bulls steady; stock cows and heifers and stock calves, 25@50c lower.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,200 head; market fairly active to packers; steady to 10c lower; bulk choice 173 to 230-lb. weights, $10.25@10.35; top, $10.35; bulk of sales, $10.00@10.35; throwout sows, $8.50@8.75.

Sheep—No receipts; market for week, sheep generally 25c higher; lambs 50@75c higher; top natives, $12.60.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Mo., June 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 300 head compared with week ago, best steers steady, others weak to 50c lower; best she stock, 10@25c lower; others, 50@75c off; bulls uneven, steady to 50c lower; calves, $1.00@1.25 lower; week's bulk prices, beef cattle, $7.75@9.20c; beef cows, $4.75@6.25; canners and cutters, $2.25@4.00; calves, $7.00@7.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 800 head; today's receipts selling about steady; compared with week ago, fat lambs, 25@50c higher; culls, 50c@$1.00 higher; sheep, steady; week's bulk prices, lambs, $11.60@12.25; yearlings, $8.00@8.75; ewes, $3.50@4.00.

Chicago Potatoes.

Chicago, June 24.—Potatoes—Steady; receipts, 84 cars; total United States shipments, 990 cars; southern sacked Bliss Triumphs, No. 1, $2.75@3.00 cwt.; Louisiana sacked Bliss Triumphs, field run, $1.75@2.00 cwt.; Alabama sacked Spaulding Rose, $2.20@2.30 cwt.; North Carolina Norfolk section, stave barrels, Irish Cobblers, $4.25@4.45.

Cotton Futures.

New York, June 24.—Cotton futures opened easier; July, 21.50c; October, 21.55c; December, 21.39c; January, 21.18c; March, 21.05c.

Cotton futures closed easy; July, 21.40c; October, 21.40c; December, 21.23c; January, 21.08c; March 21.01c. Spot quiet; middling, 21.90c.

Financial

The New York Times.
By ALEXANDER DANA NOYES.
Omaha Bee Leased Wire.

New York, June 24.—In today's generally narrow and desultory market the advance in railway shares attracted such interest as existed. This was natural enough in view of the fact that July 1 has been designated as the date for calling a railway strike if it is to be called at all. At the moment the prevalent consensus of opinion undoubtedly is that the unions will not venture to take the step, for the reason, first, that the operating forces were not affected by the last wage reduction and are not disposed to a purely sympathetic strike; next that the shop and maintenance forces, which were affected, would not tie up traffic, even by a complete walkout, and finally, that the federal government is known to stand explicitly behind the railway labor board. If this view is correctly taken, the intimations that the total vote of the union membership was small on acceptance or rejection of the wage award may point out the ground of acquiescence.

After the heart to heart talk by the chairman of Mexican Petroleum in the morning papers, from which Wall street learned that the stock is worth about three times the highest price at which it sold last week, the course of the shares in today's market was observed with moderate curiosity. They advanced seven points, mostly an over night gain, then settled back into inactivity. For the present, even the stock's speculative promoters would probably be glad to have the stock withdrawn from the lime light. Other industrial stocks showed signs of at least temporary lassitude.

The week as a whole has brought to the stock market changes of great unevenness, mostly advances ranging from a fraction to several points in various industrial shares and 35¾ in Mexican Petroleum. Comparison of today's closing prices for bonds with those of the preceding week gives us a rather striking array of net advances. This trend of values has been the most noticeable in Liberty bonds and the least so in foreign government loans.

Declines in the German mark to the lowest price yet reached was the outstanding movement in foreign exchange. Measured in hundredths of a cent, the rate of 28¼ touched today compares with a previous low level of 29¼, reached in March. The market probably had no opportunity to reflect the German view of Walter Rathenau's death. This is a calamity of the first importance in Germany's present financial predicament. Not less so in that it leaves the Stinnes group, and its purely selfish and speculative policies without a strong and powerful opponent.

New York Stocks

Range of prices of the leading stocks furnished by Logan & Bryan, 248 Peters Trust building:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Close. Friday
A., T. & S. F.	99⅝	98⅝	99⅝	98⅞
Balti. & Ohio	50½	49½	50½	49⅝
Canadian Pac.	139⅝	137⅝	139⅝	138
N. Y. Central	95½	93½	94⅝	93¼
Ches. & Ohio	66⅞	66½	66⅞	66½
Great North.	80	79½	80	80
Illinois Cent.	104¼	104¼	104¼	104½
K. C. Southern	25¼	25	25¼	24½
Lehigh Valley	64½	64	64½	64
Missouri Pacific	21⅝	21	21⅝	20¾
N. Y. & N. H.	30½	29¼	30⅛	29¾
Northern Pacific	77	76	76½	76¼
Chicago & N. W.	74	74⅜	74⅝	74*
Penn. R. R.	42⅝	42½	42⅝	42½
Reading	74½	74	74	73⅞
C., R. I. & P.	43	41⅞	43	42½
Southern Pacific	90⅝	89⅞	89⅝	89
Southern Railway	24⅝	23½	24⅝	23⅝
C., M. & St. P.	26½	25⅝	25⅝	25⅛
Union Pacific	138⅝	137⅝	138½	137

STEELS.

Am. Car. Fdry.	163	163	163	163
Allis-Chalmers	49½	49½	49½	49½
Baldwin Loco.	113¼	112⅝	113¼	112
Bethlehem Steel	76	75¼	75	75⅝
Colo. F. & I.	...	...	...	30½
Crucible	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝	72½
Am. Steel Fdry.	...	...	...	37¼
Lackawanna Steel	73⅝	72½	73	73⅝
Midvale Steel	33	32⅝	32⅝	33
Pressed Steel Car	75½	75½	75½	...
Rep. S. & I.	70¼	70¼	70¼	71
U. S. Steel	99½	98⅝	98⅞	99
Vanadium	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛

COPPERS.

Anaconda	52	51⅝	51⅞	51⅝
Am. S. & R. Co.	60⅝	59⅝	59⅝	59⅞
Cerro De Pasco	36	36	36	...
Chili	21¼	21⅛	21¼	21⅛
Calumet & Ariz.	61¼	61¼	61¼	61
Inspiration	40½	40½	40½	40½
Kennecott	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
Miami	...	...	...	28⅛
Nevada Con.	16½	16½	16½	16½
Ray Consolidated	16½	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜
Seneca	14	13⅞	13⅞	14
Utah	64	63⅞	63⅞	64¼

OILS.

Ben. Asphalt	66⅞	65⅝	66	65⅞
Cosden	47⅝	47¼	47¼	47½
California Peterol	66	64⅞	65	64⅝
Island Oil	1⅛	1	1⅛	1
Invincible Oil	16	15⅝	16	16
Mexi. Petrolemu	183	180	181¼	176
Middle States	14	13⅞	14	13⅞
Pacific Oil	58⅝	57⅝	58	58⅝
Pan-American	82½	80	80	75½
Philips	53	51⅝	52	52⅝
Pierce Oil	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Pure Oil	30⅝	30½	30½	31
Royal Dutch	60⅝	59⅝	59⅞	60
Sinclair Oil	33⅝	32⅞	33	33
Texas Co.	47⅞	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝
Union Oil	21⅝	21¼	21¼	21
White Oil	...	...	...	8⅝

MOTORS.

Chandler	69½	68⅞	69⅝	69¼
Gen. Motors	14	13⅞	13⅞	14
Willys-Overland	8⅝	8¼	8¼	8¼
Pierce-Arrow	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	19⅝
White Motor	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	...
Studebaker	129⅝	128½	128⅝	129¼

RUBBER AND TIRES.

Fisk	15⅝	15¼	15⅝	15¼
Goodrich	39¼	39¼	39¼	38½
Kell-Springfield	48⅝	47⅝	48⅛	46⅞
Keystone Tire	15½	14⅝	15	15⅝
Ajax	15	14⅝	14⅝	14½
U S Rubber	62⅛	61⅝	62	61

INDUSTRIALS.

Am. Beet Sug	...	...	...	45½
At G & W I	38⅝	38½	38⅝	38⅝
Am Int Corp	...	...	...	42¼
Am Sumatra	41⅞	39½	41⅞	39
Am Telephone	120⅝	120	120⅛	120
Am Can	47⅛	47	47	47⅝
Central Leather	37½	37⅝	37⅝	...
Cuba Cane	16½	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
Cuban-Am. Sugar	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	24
Corn Products	104½	103⅝	103⅝	104½
Famous Players	79	79	79	79⅛
General Electric	...	...	...	144⅝