

**Council Bluffs Loan and Trust Company.**

First Mortgage Loans Negotiated. Commercial Paper and all Good Securities dealt in. 39 Pearl Street, and 606 First Avenue, Council Bluffs.

**FINANCE AND COMMERCE.**
**FINANCIAL.**

**NEW YORK,** March 10. Money—Easy at 1 1/2 per cent. **Prins Paper**—At 5%. Exchange Bills—Steady at 4 1/2; demand, 4 9/10. **Governments**—Firm.

The stock market was tame to-day. Union Pacific was the feature of the early trading, and advanced. The stock was in good buying demand; 3 to 3 1/2 per cent per diem was paid for the use of shares.

As compared with Saturday's closing, prices are 1 to 2 per cent lower for the general list.

**COUPONS.**

3%	101
4% Coupons	113
4%	124
Pacific 6's of '80	129

**STOCKS AND BONDS.**

American Express	98
Bust. Cedar Rapids & N.W.	79
Central Pacific	594
Chicago & Alton	135
do do pfd.	145
Ohl., Burl. & Quincy	123
Erie	248
do id.	142
Pot. Wayne & Chicago	134
Hannibal & St. Joseph	383
do do do pfd.	884
Illinoian Central	130
Ind. Bloom. & Western	16
Kansas & Texas	139
Missouri & Kansas	130
Michigan Central	132
Minneapolis & St. Louis	16
do do do pfd.	323
Missouri Pacific	891
Northern Pacific	212
do do pfd.	402
New York Central	113
do	140
New York Central	1175
Olio & Mississippi	224
Pearl, Doctor & Evansville	145
Rock Island	130
St. Paul & Milwaukee	903
do do do pfd.	116
St. Paul Minn. & Manitoba	94
St. Paul & Omaha	203
do do pfd.	913
Texas Pacific	183
Union Pacific	178
Wabash, St. L. & Pacific	153
do do pfd.	263
Western Union Telegraph	745

\* Asked. Ex-div. +

**GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.**

**CHICAGO PRODUCE.**

**CHICAGO,** March 10.—Flour—Quiet and choice spring wheat flour, 5 00@5 85; soft spring wheat, 4 00@4 50; Minnesota baker's, 4 50@5 25.

Wheat—Regular wheat quiet and lower; opened, easier, later declined 1 1/2, fluctuated slightly, and finally closed about 1 1/2 lower than Saturday's close; cash, 90@92@93; July, 98@98 1/2; winter wheat, 80@81@83; spring earer, at 92@93¢.

Corn—Weaker; quiet; opened at lower, fluctuated, declined 1 1/2@ below Saturday's close; finally closed about 1 1/2 lower; prices reached, cash, 35@36¢; March, 51@52; May, 56@57; July, 58@59¢; rejected, 43@44¢.

Oats—Quiet; easier; decline influenced by other markets; cash, 32¢; March, 31¢; May, 35@36¢; year, 29¢.

Rye—Steady at 53¢.

Barley—Quiet.

Flaxseed—Choice, 1 30@1 32¢; common to good grades, 1 25@1 27¢.

Flax Seed—1 33 on track; 1 39 for choice.

Meat—Pork—Trading light; prices 10@15¢ lower on the whole range; cash, 17 5/8@17 7/8; March, 17 5/8@17 60; May, 17 7/8@17 75; June, 17 5/8@17 60; July, 17 5/8@17 65; packing, 6 00@6 80; medium to choice, 4 00@5 00; stockers, 3 80@4 80; feeders, 4 90@5 40.

Sheep—Market slow and unchanged; inferior to fair, 2 75@4 00 per ewt; medium to good, 4 25@5 00; choice to extra, 5 25@6 00.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.

**CHICAGO,** March 10.—Receipts and shipments of live stock for the past 24 hours have been as follows:

Receipts. Ship'ts.

Wheat, bushels..... 36,000 81,000

Corn, bushels..... 133,000 40,000

Oats, bushels..... 51,000 .....

LIVE STOCK.

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Receipts. Ship'ts.

Cattle..... 5,200 .....

Hogs..... 9,000 .....

Sheep..... 2,000 .....

KANSAS CITY, March 10.—Receipts and shipments of live stock for the past 24 hours have been as follows:

Receipts. Ship'ts.

Cattle..... 7,000 .....

Hogs..... 2,300 .....

Sheep..... 340 .....

St. Louis, March 8.—Receipts and shipments of live stock for the past 24 hours have been as follows:

Receipts. Ship'ts.

Cattle..... 1,300 1,200

Hogs..... 2,600 2,130

Sheep..... 400 1,000

DRY STOCK.

**CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.**

Chicago, March 10.—The Drovers' Journal reports this afternoon as follows:

Hogs—The general market is unchanged; regular packing, 6 45@6 90; heavy packing and shipping, 6 95@7 00; light grades, 6 25@6 85; skins, 5 00@6 20.

Cattle—Steady; export grades, 6 40@6 70; good to choice, 6 50@6 80; common to medium, 6 15@6 40; good to choice, 6 15@6 40; medium to choice, 6 00@6 30; stockers, 3 80@4 80; feeders, 4 90@5 40.

Sheep—Market slow and unchanged; inferior to fair, 2 75@4 00 per ewt; medium to good, 4 25@5 00; choice to extra, 5 25@6 00.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK.

**CHICAGO,** March 10.—Cattle—Firm and active; exporters, 6 50@6 70; good to choice, 5 80@6 40; common to medium, 5 00@5 75; stockers and feeders, 4 50@5 25; corn fed, 3 65@4 00.

Sheep—Choice full cream sheldars, 14@15¢; choice full cream date, 14@15¢; good part skin lambs and flats, 8@10¢.

Eggs—Weak; 20@21¢.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, country, 7¢; cake, 7¢.

Green salt—Cured salt and damaged; 1¢; green salt cake, 12@12¢; dry salt, 1¢.

Whisky—17¢.

CAL BOARD—Wheat—March, April, May and June, 4¢ lower. Sales, 1,900,000 bushels.

Corn—June 4¢ lower; July 4¢ higher. Sales, 550,000 bushels.

Pork—May, 2¢ lower; June, 2¢ higher; Sales, 18,250 bbls.

Lard—May and June, 2¢ higher. Sales, 2,500 tons.

NEW YORK.

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Eggs—Lower and quiet at 18@19¢.

Whisky—Quiet and steady at 1 1/2@ 19¢.

ST. LOUIS PRODUCE.

**ST. LOUIS,** March 10.—Wheat—Lows and slow; No. 2 red, 10¢; No. 1 1/2, 11¢; closing at 11¢. **Corn**—Steady; fairly active; mixed, cash, 5¢ bushels.

Oats—Steady and quiet; western white, 43¢.

Barley—Medium, 42¢@43¢.

Rye—Scarce and firm at 72@74¢.

Butter—Steady; western packed, 10@12¢; creamy, 12¢@13¢.

Eggs—Lower and quiet at 18@19¢.

Whisky—Quiet and steady at 1 1/2@ 19¢.

LIVERPOOL.

**LIVERPOOL** March 10.—Wheat—Quiet and steady; winter, 8¢; spring, 7¢; 10¢.

Corn—Dull; new, 4¢; old, 5¢.

KANSAS CITY.

**KANSAS CITY,** March 10.—Wheat—Quiet; offered for cash, 8¢ bid for April; 10¢ for May; 12¢ for June; 14¢ for July; 16¢ for August.

Corn—Dull; new, 4¢; old, 5¢.

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