THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS

Trade on 'Change Was Paralyzed by the Derby Yesterday.

DIRECTORS CLOSED THE SESSION EARLY

What Business There Was Occurred the First Hour—First Trades Were at About the Final Figures of Friday.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 25.—The derby paralyzed trade on 'change today, and the directors readily closed the session forty-five minutes before the usual hour.

There was a poor excuse for a wheat market most of the session. The principal matters to consider were the weather, the harvesting reports, and the probabilities of the anti-option bill. None of these contained anything to change prices much. Fluctuations were confined to from ⅛c to ⅜c range, and the closing was about ⅛c lower than yesterday.

The corn market was not quite so narrow as wheat. What action there was occurred the first hour. The receipts, owing probably to railroad washouts, fell considerably under the estimate at 511 cars for the day. The grading was not improved, with only forty-four cars contract corn.

First trades were at about the final figures of yesterday. Upon the filling of a few orders which came in the market firmed up ⅛c, but reacted from ⅛c to ¼c, a local operator supposed to be interested in the long side selling freely of September. July sympathized in the decline. The market again rallied, and at the close July had gained from ⅛c to ¼c and September but a fraction.

Oats closed from ⅛c to ⅜c lower on the near futures and about steady on the deferred deliveries. Trade was feature less.

An advance of 12½c in lard for the day was the feature of the provision trade. The demand was remarkable from first to last and he offer ngs were light. While pork and ribs were a little active and higher the advance was not in keeping with lard, usually the slowest thing on the list. The receipts of hogs were light, which may have encouraged the buyers for the long account and caused some buying also for shorts.

Lake rates were rather slow. The rapid current in the river prevents vessels from getting to the elevators to load. Rates held steady at 2c for wheat and 1¾c for corn to Buffalo.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 210 cars; corn, 580 cars; oats, 200 cars; hogs, 24,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
WHEAT No. 2				
June	$ 78¾	$ 78⅞	$ 78⅝	$ 78¾
July	78¾	78⅞@⅝	78¼	78⅝@¾
August	78	78¼	78	78¼
CORN No. 2—				
June	50	50⅛	50	50⅛
July	49⅝@49½	50	49⅝	49⅞@¾
Sept	47⅜@47⅝	47⅞	47⅜	47⅝@¾
OATS No. 2—				
June	32⅞	33	32⅝	32⅝
July	32¼	32⅜	32⅛	32⅜
Sept	30¼@30⅜	30⅝	30¼	30⅜
MESS PORK—				
July	10 75	10 85	10 75	10 80
Sept	10 92½	11 05	10 92½	11 00
LARD—				
July	6 60	6 72½	6 60	6 70
Sept	6 75	6 87½	6 75	6 87½
SHORT RIBS—				
July	6 92½	7 00	6 92½	7 00
Sept	7 03	7 10	6 97½	7 07½

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Neglected; winter patent, $4.20@4.40; winter straits, $3.70@4.00; spring patents, $4.10@4.50; spring straits, $4.30@4.40; bakers', $3.00@3.75.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 78¾c; No. 3 spring, 73½c; No. 2 red, 80½c.

CORN—No. 2, 50½c.

OATS—No. 2, 32¾@32½c; No. 2 white, 34½; No. 3 white, 34c.

RYE—No. 2, 76½c.

BARLEY—No. 2, 60c; No. 3, f. o. b., 38@45c; No. 4, f. o. b., 45@48c.

FLAX SEED—No. 1, $1.03.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $1.27@1.33.

PORK—Mess, per bbl., $10.77½@10.80; lard, per 100 lbs., $6.67½@6.70; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $5.75@6.00; short ribs sides (loose), $6.97½@7.00; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $5.75@6.00; short clear sides (boxed), $7.12@7.27½.

WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., $1.13.

SUGARS—Unchanged; Cut loaf, 4⅞@5⅝c; granulated, 4½c; standard "A," 4⅛c.

Receipts and shipments today were as follows:

ARTICLES.	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS
Flour, barrels	16,000	6,000
Wheat, bushels	77,000	66,000
Corn, bushels	454,000	165,000
Oats, bushels	282,000	143,000
Rye, bushels	11,000	17,000
Barley, bushels	21,000	2,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; fancy creamery, 18½@19c; fine western, 17@18c; ordinary, 14@16c; dairies, 16@17c. Eggs, firm at 13@13½c.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, June 25.—FLOUR—Receipts, 10,628 pkgs.; exports, 4,474 bb'ls, 24,638 sacks; dull, heavy; sales, 16,800 bbls.; low extra, $2.35@2.45; city mill, $4.25@4.55; city mill patents, $4.00@4.85; winter wheat, low grades, $2.35@3.15; fair to fancy, $3.25@4.40; patents, $4.00@4.50; Minnesota clear, $4.25@4.00; straights, $3.65@4.50; patents, $4.00@4.85; rye mixtures, $3.00@4.75.

CORN MEAL—Held higher; yellow western, $2.85@3.15.

WHEAT—Receipts, 143,250 bu.; exports, 193,248 bu.; sales, 315,000 bu. of futures; 134,000 bu. of spot. Spot quiet, winter steady, spring stronger; No. 2 red, 83½c in store and elevator; 91⅝@92½c afloat; 90⅝@91½c f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 80½c; ungraded, 65@81½c; No. 1 northern, 87⅞@88¼c; No. 1 hard, 91½c; No. 2 northern, 81½c; No. 2 Chicago, 87c; No. 2 Milwaukee, 85½c; No. 3 spring, 80½c. Options were remarkably dull, everything being upset by the agitation of the anti-option bill, with buyers and sellers both indifferent. Changes were slight. Early prices were ⅛c down, reacted ⅛@¼c, closing steady; No. 2 red, June, 86c; July, 86⅝@86 7-16c, closing at 86⅛c; August, 86⅞c, closing at 86⅝c; September, 86⅝@86⅞c, closing at 86⅝c; October, 87½c; November, 88½c; December, 89 7-16@89⅝c, closing at 89½c; May (1893), 93⅝@94½c, closing at 93⅞c.

RYE—Firm, scarce; western, 83@89c.

BARLEY MALT—Quiet; Canadian, 95c.

CORN—Receipts, 29,975 bu.; exports, 48,638 bu.; sales, 340,000 bu. futures; 3,000 bu. spot. Spot dull; No. 2, 59c in elevator, 60c afloat; ungraded mixed, 58@62c. Opt ons continued a little firmer tone on the wet weather west, with an advance of ⅛@⅜c; June, 55¾c, July, 54¾@55⅝c, closing, 55c; August, 55c, closing, 54⅞c; september, 53⅝@55⅞c, closing, 53⅞c; October, 53½c.

OATS—Receipts, 107,155 bu.; exports, 720,000 bu.; sales, 20,000 bu. of futures, 24,000 bu. of spot. Spot market dull and irregular. Options dull, firmer; June, 38¼c; August, 37¼c, closing at 37⅛c; September, 35c; No. 2, white, 43⅝@43c; mixed western, 37⅝@42c; white western, 42@47½c; No. 2, cargo, 39½c.

HAY—Steady, quiet.

HOPS—Dull, steady; state, common to choice, 25@27c; Pacific coast, 25@27c.

SUGAR—Quiet; fair refining, 2 13-16c; centrifugals, 96 test, 3 9-32@3 3-16c; refined, active and firm; No. 6, 3⅞@4c; No. 7, 3 13-16@4 1-16c; No. 8, 3¾@3⅞c; No. 9, 3⅝@3¾c; No. 10, 3 11-16@3 13-16c; No. 11, 3 9-16@3 11-16c; No. 12, 3¼@3½c; No. 13, 3⅛@3 3-8; off A, 3 15-16@4 3-16c; mould A, 4⅝@4⅞c; standard A, 4 5-16@4 7-16c; confectioners', 4 1-16c; cut loaf, 5¼c; crushed, 5⅝@5⅞c; powdered, 5⅛@5⅜c; granulated, 4 5-16@4 9-16c; cubes, 4 9-16@4 11-16c.

MOLASSES—Foreign, nominal; 50 test, 19½c; New Orleans, dull, steady; common to fancy, 26@30c.

RICE—Inactive, steady; domestic, fair to extra, 4¾@6c; Japan, 5½@7¼c.

PETROLEUM—Dull but steady; crude, in bbls.; Parkers, $5.30; crude, in bulk, $1.80; refined New York, $6.00; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $5.95; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, $3.45@3.50; united closed at 55⅝c for July.

COTTONSEED OIL—Quiet; crude, 23@29½c; yellow, 32½c.

TALLOW—Quiet but steady; city ($2.00 for packages), 4⅝c.

ROSIN—Dull but steady; strained, common to good, $1.27½.

TURPENTINE—Quiet and firm at 36@36½c.

EGGS—In moderate supply and firmer; western prime, 14½@15½c; receipts, 5,518 pkgs.

HIDES—Dull but steady; wet salted New Orleans, selected, 45 to 75 lbs., 6½c; Texas select, 50 to 60 lbs., 6½c.

PORK—Firm; old mess, $10.00@11.00; prime pork, $11.00.

CUT MEATS—Quiet; firm; pickled bellies, 7⅜c; pickled shoulders, 6@6¼c; pickled hams, 11@11¼c; middles, firm; short clear, $7.00@7.63.

LARD—Higher on packers buying; western steam closed at $6.92½; option sales, 1,250 tierces; July, $6.80@6.91, closing at $6.94 bid; August, $7.01 asked; September, $7.00, closing at $7.08 asked; October, $7.10; November, $7.22.

BUTTER—Firm; fairly active; western dairy, 13½@16c; western creamery, 13½@22c; western factory, 12½@15c; Elgin, 23c.

CHEESE—Steady; moderate demand; part skims, 2½@2¾c.

EGGS—Steady; American, $14.25@16.75.

COPPER—Dull; lake, $11.70@11.80.

LEAD—Inactive; domestic, $4.15@4.19.

TIN—Quiet; straits, $21.40@21.60.

Omaha Produce Market.

EGGS—Receipts liberal; general market, 12c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, if good, 11@12c; small lots of extra choice stock to retail trade, 12@15c.

POULTRY—Old fowls, weak at 6@7c per lb., live weight; springs, $2.50@3.75 per doz.

HIDES, ETC.—No. 1 green hides, 3c; No. 1 green salted hides, 3½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 2½c; No. 1 green salted hides, 25 to 40 lbs., 3½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 25 to 40 lbs., 2½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 6c; No. 2 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 4c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 7c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 5c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 5@6c. Sheep Pelts—Green salted, each, 35c@$1.25; green salted shearings (short wooled early skins), each, 15@25c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins) No. 1, each, 5@10c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins) No. 2, each, 5c; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 10@14½c; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska murrain wool pelts, per pound, actual weight, 8@12c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per pound, actual weight, 10@12½c; dry flint Colorado murrain wool pelts, per pound, actual weight, 8@10c; dry pieces and tucks, actual weight, 7@9c. Tallow and Grease—Tallow, No. 1, 3¾@4c; tallow, No. 2, 3@3½c; grease, white A, 3¾c; grease, white B, 3½c; grease, yellow, 3c; grease, dark, 2¾c; oil butter, 2½c; beeswax, prime, 16@25c; rough tallow, 1½@2c.

St. Louis Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 25.—FLOUR—Unchanged.

WHEAT—Cash, 76c; options dead, dull and closed easy; July, 77c; August, 76⅛@76¼c; September, 76c bid; December, 80c.

CORN—Cash, lower, 49½c; options slow, but firm and unchanged; July, 44½c; September, 44¼@44⅛c.

OATS—Cash, better, 33½@31c; July closed lower at 33c; September, ⅛c higher at 28⅜c.

BRAN—Dull; 60@65c, east track.

HAY—Quiet and unchanged; timothy, $12.00@15.00; prairie, $8.50@13.00.

LEAD—Held higher at $4.00.

FLAXSEED—Lower at 97c.

BUTTER—Unchanged; creamery, 14@18c; dairy, 12@15c.

EGGS—Unchanged, dull; 11c for guaranteed.

CORNMEAL—Quiet at $2.35@2.40.

WHISKY—Steady at $1.16.

BAGGING AND COTTON TIES—Unchanged.

PROVISIONS—Firm, with good demand.

PORK—$11.50.

LARD—$6.40.

DRY SALT MEATS—Loose shoulders, $5.75; longs and ribs, $7.10; shorts, $7.25; boxed lots, 15c more; bacon, shoulders, $8.50; longs and ribs, $8.00; shorts, $8.12½; sugar cured hams, $11.00@11.50.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 3,000 lbs.; wheat, 46,000 bu.; corn, 82,000 bu.; oats, 32,000 bu.; rye and barley, none.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 5,000 lbs.; wheat, 9,000 bu.; corn, 87,000 bu.; oats, 15,000 bu.; rye and barley, none.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 25.—WHEAT—Weak and lower; No. 2 hard, 65@67c; No 2 red, 67@69c.

CORN—Steady to lower; No. 2 mixed, 42½c; No. 2 white, 49c.

OATS—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 29@29½c; No. 2 white, 30½@31c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2, nominal at 68c.

FLAXSEED—90c.

HAY—Weak but unchanged; timothy, $8.00@8.50; prairie, $7.00@7.50.

BRAN—Steady; sacked, 53c.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 11@17c; dairy, 11@14c.

EGGS—Dull at 11c.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 70,000 bu.; corn, 10,000 bu.; oats, none.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 45,000 bu.; corn, 3,000 bu.; oats, none.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, June 25.—WHEAT—Quiet; holders offer moderately; No. 1 California, 7s per central; red western spring, 6s 7½d@6s 8d; No. 2 red, winter, 6s 8d@6s 8½d.

CORN—Quiet; mixed western, 4s 10½d per central.

BACON—Long clear, 37s.

CHEESE—American finest white and colored, 46s 6d per cwt.

LINSEED OIL—23s per cwt.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 25.—Dull; middling, 7⅞c; low middling, 6⅞c; good ordinary, 6 3-16c. Net receipts, 230 bales; gross, 702 bales; exports to the continent, 1,963 bales; coastwise, 39 bales; sales, 350 bales; stock, 119,397 bales. The Cotton exchange will be closed Saturday, July 2, and Monday, July 4.

Philadelphia Grain Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 25.—WHEAT—Quiet; No. 2 red, July, August and September, 83¾@86c.

CORN—Closed steady; No. 2 mixed, July, 53½@53¾c.

OATS—Dull; No. 2 white, 41c.

Cincinnati Markets.

CINCINNATI, O., June 25.—WHEAT—Quiet; No. 2 red, 82c.

CORN—Weak and lower; No. 2 mixed, 47½c.

OATS—Weaker; No. 2 mixed, 34c.

WHISKY—$1.15.

Toledo Grain Market.

TOLEDO, O., June 25.—WHEAT—Steady; No. 2, July, 82½c.

CORN—Dull, steady; No. 2 cash, 50c.

OATS—Cash, 34c.

Traders' Talk.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 25.—Counselman & Day to Cockrell Bros.: Wheat ruled extremely dull after a little early selling by St. Louis and Minneapolis and some buying by Pardridge and New York. The anti-option terror has seized speculators, and ante-harvest indifference possesses shippers. The market closed quiet and about unchanged. Contract grades of corn and oats are scarce and firmly held, but shippers have been freely supplied from liberal arrivals of low grades. Crop prospects are below the average and we think the market in a condition to sell much higher on any diminution of current receipts. Provisions are in better demand for shipment and export and outside speculative holders are increasing their lines, but as packers are steadily meeting both classes of buyers it seems difficult to get much more advance in prices at present. In fact the market looks a little tired this week, although the local crowd in ribs have succeeded in establishing higher prices.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 25.—F. G. Logan & Co., to Duncan, Hollinger & Co.: Our wheat market today has been of a holiday character. July opened at 78⅛c, sold as high as 78⅛c to 78⅜c and closed at 78⅜c to 78½c. The general trade feels the influence of the widely advertised bearish conditions of a surplus of 70,000,000 bushels of wheat left over from last crop and the prospect of a crop which, if not equal to last year, promises to be above the average for the eight years preceding 1891. Future values are dependent entirely on our export demand after our crop is secured. The Hatch bill keeps the trade in suspense. Corn is strong, we believe on all breaks that it is a safe purchase. Business in oats is unimportant. Hog product is steady. The receipts of hogs are light, should they continue light prices will go higher.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 25.—Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to S. A. McWhorter: With continued heavy receipts and decreasing exports it is expected that the visible supply of wheat will show little change on Monday. In fact it is not expected that our stocks will diminish materially before the new crop begins to move, and a rapid increase in them is looked for. Domestic flour trade for a fortnight has been unusually slack, affected no doubt by the harvest now in progress and already finished in the southern states. Occasionally some country trader long of wheat lobs up and insists that the crop outlook is wretched. But reports from disinterested sources are generally favorable. Prime says that conditions in the northwest are fully as favorable for spring wheat as last year. The market has been dull and featureless, with more talk about the anti-option bill than anything else. Corn and oats have participated in the general dullness. But for the purchases for a prominent local trader corn would doubtless have sold lower, despite receipts falling below expectations in consequence of railroad washouts. Oats are stubborn and have a good many friends who think them relatively cheap and a purchase on all soft spots. Provisions are firm to strong, especially for ribs. It cannot be possible to manufacture at a profit with hogs at these high prices, and it would seem that they must either decline or provisions advance to an equality.

Financial Notes.

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 25.—Clearings, $954,133.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 25.—Clearings, $1,346,286.

PARIS, June 25.—Three per cent rentes, 98f 7½c for the account.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 25.—Clearings, $1,165,815; balances, $221,991. Rate 6 per cent.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 25.—New York exchange selling at $1.50. Clearings, $346,043; balances, $195,858.

NEW YORK, June 25.—Clearings, $95,701,657; balances, $4,963,654. For the week, clearings, $509,790,613; balances, $31,917,879.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 25.—Clearings, $21,617,677; balances, $1,761,761. For the week: Clearings, $74,243,239; balances, $11,801,460. Money 2½ per cent.

BOSTON, Mass., June 25.—Clearings, $15,394,229; balances, $1,604,003. Money, 2 per cent. Exchange on New York, 10c. For the week, clearings, $93,337,315; balances, $10,878,838. For the same week last year, clearings, $79,576,394; balances, $8,234,234.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 25.—Clearings, $13,048,531. For the week, $90,789,097, against $79,604,897 for the same week last year. Money quiet and unchanged at 4@5 per cent. New York exchange 40c premium. Sterling exchange dull at $4.87 for sixty day bills and $4.88¼ for demand.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 25.—Clearings, $4,314,777; balances, $530,989; clearings this week, $21,781,661; balances, $3,755,962; clearings last week, $24,495,512; balances, $3,455,663; clearings corresponding week last year, $8,443,165; balances, $2,734,722. Money quiet at 4 to 6 per cent. Exchange on New York 90c premium.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Business Was Tame and Uninteresting Throughout the Session.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The stock market was tame and uninteresting throughout the session today, the dullness being extreme, while the trading was almost wholly confined to the present element, and while the temper was strong throughout, it was due entirely to the covering operations of local operators. Naturally the stocks which have been most under pressure for the last week were strong and conspicuous. Among them was Burlington, which was the only stock which succeeded in reaching five figures in the amount of its transactions and was the only one in which the extreme fluctuation reached 1 per cent. As might be supposed, it led the list in strength and closed with a net gain of 1 per cent, the only other strength showing any approach to that being Lackawanna, which rose ¾ per cent. The rest of the list were, with the exception of Rock Island, New England, Atchison and St. Paul, intensely dull and almost stagnant through sympathizing with the leaders in their upward tendency. No feature of any kind marked the dealings, however, and the tamest session of the Stock exchange in many weeks finally closed with a firm tone at the best prices but intensely dull.

Government bonds dull and steady.

The Post says: The feeble bear demonstration of the last few days against the stocks of corn-carrying granger roads was swept under today by a fresh batch of favorable crop despatches. The weather in the crop region has been extraordinarily propitious throughout the week, and Wall street always prefers to discount the future rather than the past the expectation of poor statements of earnings for May has not served as an effective bear argument.

This made the traders who have been making so loud a noise over Rock Island and Burlington, give up the fight and were the only active buyers in the market. The feeling then rose a point. Rock Island ¼ per cent, and the futility of such attacks may be judged by the fact that these stocks now sell as high as at the close of last week, and the second less than a point higher. Outside of these stocks little or no business was done, but the undertone of the market was firm. New England held higher than was expected after yesterday's revived absurdities.

The following are the closing quotations for the leading stocks on the New York Stock exchange today:

Atchison	36⅝	N. Y. Central	115
Adams Express	147	N. Y., C. & St. L.	16
Alton, T. H.	93	do preferred	71
do preferred	150	Ohio & Mississippi	21
American Express	118	Ontario & Western	18½
Canadian Pacific	89¾	Oregon Improvem't	21
Canada Southern	56¾	Oregon Nav	72
Central Pacific	30	Oregon Trans	135
Ches. & Ohio	23	Pacific Mail	35¾
do 1st preferred	69⅛	Peoria, Dec. & E.	17½
do 2d preferred	49¾	Pittsburg	156
Chicago & Alton	148	Pullman Palace	196
C., B. & Q.	101⅝	Reading	60
C., C., C. & St. L.	67¾	Rock Island	82⅛
Delaware & Hudson	136⅞	St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd.	76
D., L. & West.	157	St. Paul	83¼
D., S. S. & A. pfd.	50¼	do preferred	137¾
East Tennessee	4	St. P., Min. & Man.	113⅞
do 1st preferred	30	St. Paul & Omaha	49¾
do 2d preferred	9	do preferred	124¾
Erie	23⅞	Tenn. Coal & Iron	39⅝
Erie preferred	65¼	Texas Pacific	8⅞
Fort Wayne	132⅝	Tol. & O. C. pfd.	49
Chicago & E. Ill.	69	Union Pacific	39⅝
Hocking Valley	35¼	U. S. Express	50
Illinois Central	101	Wabash, St. L. & P.	10⅞
St. Paul & Duluth	42¼	do preferred	25⅝
Kansas & Texas	15	Wells-Fargo Ex.	145
Lake Erie & West.	21	Western Union	93⅝
do preferred	75⅛	Am. Cotton Oil	39⅝
Lake Shore	133½	Colorado Coal	32½
Louisville & Nash.	71⅞	Homestake	14
Louisville & N. A.	25¾	Iron Silver	59
Memphis & Char.	50	Ontario	39
Michigan Central	107½	Quicksilver	4¼
Mil., L. S. & W.	90	do preferred	20½
do preferred	130	Sutro	04
Minn. & St. L.	11½	Bulwer	39
do preferred	28½	Rich. & W. P. term.	6¾
Missouri Pacific	59⅝	Wiscon-in Central	17
Mobile & Ohio	37½	Great Northern pfd.	132¼
Nashville Chatt.	91	Chicago Gas	62¼
N. J. Central	37½	Lead Trust	35¼
Norfolk & West pfd	45¼	Sugar Trust	97¾
Northern Pacific	20⅝	Southern Pacific	37½
do preferred	76⅝	O. S. L. & U. N.	22½
U. P. Den. & Gulf	16	R. G. W.	35½
Northwestern	117½	do preferred	72½
do preferred	144	Distillers	47¾

The total sales of stocks today were 56,703 shares, including: Atchison, 5,100; Chicago Gas, 1,500; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 1,800; Missouri Pacific, 3,430; Northern Pacific preferred, 1,550; New England, 3,050; Reading, 1,305; St. Paul, 4,100.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, June 25.—MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 1½@2 per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; close offered at 2 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—3@5 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet but steady at $4.87¼ for sixty-day bills, and $4.88¼ for demand.

The closing quotations on bonds:

U. S. 4s reg	110¾	*Mutual Union 6s	109
U. S. 4s coup	112¾	N. J. C. Int. Cert	113¾
*U. S. 4½s reg	109	*North. Pacific 1sts	118⅛
*Pacific 6s of '95	105	*North. Pacific 2nds	111
Louisiana st'ped 4s	93¼	Northwestern Con.	138⅝
Tenn. new set. 6s	107	*Northwest'n deb 5s	128
Tenn. new set. 5s	103	St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5s	85
Tenn. new set. 3s	73½	*St. L. & S. F. Gen. M	109⅝
Canada So. 2nds	103	*St. Paul Consols	130½
*Central Pacific 1sts	108	*St. P. C. & P. 1st	119⅝
Den. & R. G. 1sts	116¼	Tex. P. L. G. Tr. Rcts	81⅛
Den. & R. G. 4s	84½	Tex. P. R.G. Tr. Rcts	28⅛
Erie 2nds	105⅛	Union Pac. 1sts	104
M., K. & T. Gen. 4s	80¼	R. G. W.	62¾
M., K. & T. Gen. 5s	47		

*bid.

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The following are the closing mining stock quotations:

Aspen	100	Homestake	15½
B. & B.	15	Horn Silver	215
Con. Cal. & Va.	145	Mexican	145
Deadwood	215	Ophir	160
Eureka Con.	150	Savage	149
Hale & Norcross	125	Standard	15

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Are Higher and Active—Hogs Still Above $5.

OMAHA, June 25.—The week's receipts foot up 9,268 cattle, 46,523 hogs and 4,898 sheep, against 11,087 cattle, 41,573 hogs and 556 sheep last week and 7,458 cattle, 28,984 hogs and 351 sheep the corresponding week of June last year.

During the early part of the week, with fairly liberal supplies, the cattle market continued to droop and the outlook was rather discouraging. For the past three days, however, receipts have been unusually light and in consequence values have firmed up considerably. Especially has this been the case with good to choice dry lot cattle of all weights. These are selling anywhere from 10c to 15c better than a week ago. Shipping, half fat and green steers are selling about as low as last week and they will probably go lower from now on as grass cattle begin to arrive in numbers. The recent improvement in eastern markets has put new life into the shipping and export trade and a good share of the sales of good cattle the latter part of the week have been to these buyers. Butchers' stock and canners have shown comparatively little change all week and the same holds true of stockers and feeders. Prices are ruling pretty much the same as a week ago.

Hog values have shown an upward tendency. The continued liberality of the receipts has been more than counterbalanced by the activity in shipping circles. Prices are about 5c higher than a week ago, the advance being confined to no particular grade or weight. Heavy and butcher hogs continue to command a premium of from 2½c to 5c over light and mixed stuff and the spread refuses to widen, although one reason for this lies in the unusually even quality of the hogs now coming to market. The general tone to the trade is decidedly firm.

CATTLE—Receipts were quite liberal for the last day of the week, and the quality was very good taken as a whole. Continued favorable advices from eastern and continental markets led to considerable activity on the part of shippers and exporters. This, together with a very respectable inquiry from local dressed beef houses, produced a strong, healthy tone, although in general there was no notable advance except perhaps on the more desirable handy grades of corn fedsteers; these in some cases were 5c to 10c higher. Heavy cattle, that is steers weighing from 1,250 to 1,500 pounds, moved rather freely at from $4.85 to $4.35. Fair to good 1,050 to 1,200 pounders were good sellers at all the way from $3.70 to $4.15. Common to inferior light grass and half fat stuff was not more than steady at from $3.50 down to $3.00. It was a tolerably active, healthy market throughout and an early clearance was effected.

Cows and mixed stock was unchanged, poor to choice stock selling at from $1.55 to $4.25. Bulls were in meager supply and about steady at from $2.25 to $2.85. Calves moved slowly and at nominally steady prices.

Offerings of stock and feeding cattle were limited and in quality common. The outside demand was light and the feeling weak. Sales of 4 4 to 1,031-lb. animals were at from $2.70 to $3.30. Representative sales:

DRESSED BEEF.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1180	$3 80	15	1034	$3 80	23	1250	$4 00
1	1360	3 25	44	1091	3 80	61	1260	4 00
20	949	3 35	22	1079	3 85	1	1010	4 05
8	1175	3 50	18	1351	3 85	1	1090	4 05
1	1240	3 50	1	970	3 90	62	1218	4 05
19	913	3 50	22	1230	3 90	17	1319	4 10
1	1100	3 50	22	1238	3 90	17	1198	4 10
2	1135	3 50	19	1156	3 95	20	1224	4 10
33	1028	3 50	15	1238	4 00	41	1186	4 10
2	970	3 60	16	1223	4 00	51	1332	4 15
19	986	3 60	21	1251	4 00	45	1324	4 20
3	913	3 65	23	1131	4 00	47	1310	4 20
10	1210	3 70	21	1207	4 00	68	1324	4 20
22	1125	3 75	17	1296	4 00			

MIXED.

12	906	3 40						

SHIPPING AND EXPORT.

15	1128	3 80	39	1213	4 00	92	1354	4 12½
1	1310	3 90	40	1370	4 00	111	1400	4 20
15	1247	3 90	4	1305	4 10	38	1461	4 20
20	1170	3 90	38	1286	4 10	1	1420	4 25
40	1211	3 90	76	1333	4 10	18	1474	4 35

COWS.

1	860	1 85	2	750	2 05	1	960	2 50
1	950	1 75	1	1140	2 10	2	1040	2 60
1	1250	1 85	1	890	2 25	2	1225	2 75
1	840	2 00	1	1170	2 25	1	1350	3 25
1	870	2 00	1	1140	2 50	1	1410	3 25
11	873	2 00	1	1050	2 50			

HEIFERS

18	533	1 60	1	500	2 50	1	410	2 50

CALVES.

2	195	3 00	1	140	3 50			

STILLS.

1	1810	2 25	1	1720	2 75	1	1460	2 85
1	1340	2 25	7	1231	2 83			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

1	470	2 50	2	840	2 90	15	831	3 15
10	454	2 70	4	762	3 00	1	1060	3 15
13	924	2 75	7	926	3 00	16	1031	3 30
14	721	2 75	12	853	3 00	2	955	3 40

COLORADO CATTLE.

No.		Av.	Pr.
78 feeders		973	$3 30

HOGS—Receipts were fully up to, even beyond, expectations and the quality in general was very fair. There were plenty of choice medium weight hogs here, but good heavy hogs were rather scarce. The week's receipts were 2,000 heavier than a week ago and 17,000 heavier than a year ago. The market opened up rather favorably for the selling interests, shippers and fresh meat men paid $5.05 and $5.10 for good to choice heavy and butcher weight hogs, or a shade to 5c higher than the same hogs brought Friday. There was also an active demand from local houses, especially packers. They paid $4.95 to $5.03 for common to good hogs of all weights.

Some very inferior stuff sold below the latter quotation. While the competition lasted the market was active and firm, but with the filling of shipping and fresh meat orders and the receipt of bearish news from Chicago, the market closed weak with a few loads unsold. The bulk of the sales were at from $4.95 to $5.05, against from $4.90 to $5.00 Friday and $4.80 to $4.85 last Saturday. The general average of prices paid was $5.01½, against $4.95½ Friday and $4.82½ last Saturday. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
2	289	40	$4 70	53	250	160	$5 00
2	183	—	4 80	69	207	200	5 00
4	200	—	4 85	77	241	280	5 00
2	225	—	4 85	80	192	120	5 00
6	226	—	4 90	82	258	320	5 00
74	186	120	4 90	56	267	400	5 00
66	201	200	4 95	68	243	40	5 00
77	221	320	4 95	77	224	240	5 00
90	173	240	4 95	64	229	120	5 00
62	233	200	4 95	62	253	280	5 00
5	246	—	4 95	74	226	120	5 00
69	225	240	4 95	64	216	240	5 00
84	178	80	4 95	71	216	160	5 02½
95	222	440	4 95	70	205	160	5 02½
86	223	180	4