COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Wheat Opened Strong, but Weakened on a General Raid.

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CHICAGO, May 27.—Wheat, after an encouraging opening, succumbed to a general raid, late in the session, and July closed ⅝c lower than yesterday, the lowest price of the session. To the failure of prices to respond to Bradstreet's visible supply decrease is ascribed the selling movement. Corn was affected, but declined only ⅛@⅜c; oats closed practically unchanged and provisions made slight advances.

Wheat made a staggering effort during the first half hour of the session, but soon wearied and fell back, selling at a trifle below the close the day before, but up to noon kept very close to the finishing price the day previous. The early steadiness was due in a measure to the rather bullish advices in this week's weather crop bulletins and especially in regard to Michigan, and then cables did not show the declines generally expected, the Liverpool being quoted ½d lower for spot and 1d off on futures. Northwest receipts were much more moderate, amounting only to 252 cars, and New York reported 408,000 bu. cash taken for export there yesterday. But the advance was too tempting to be resisted and there was sufficient selling on the advance to cause the slight improvement to quickly disappear. Bradstreet's showed a decrease in the world's available supply of 4,807,000 bu. against a decrease for the same period of 1895 of 2,868,000 bu. This caused a moderate rally when announced. July opened about unchanged at from 59¼c to 59⅜c, sold up to from 59⅝c to 59¾c, declined to 59¼c and back to 59½c. About noon the market had a sharp break and became semi-demoralized for a few minutes, numerous stop loss orders being executed, many of which were unable to sell at the limits, so quick was the decline. The weak closing cables, Liverpool coming from 1d to 1½d lower on futures, started the break. St. Louis turned a seller and a prompt local trader with large elevator interests was credited with selling freely. Parties who bought early sold out and for a while the market was most excited. July finally closing weak at from 58⅝c to 58¾c, after touching 58⅜c.

Corn was quiet and closed easier, influenced by the liberal local receipts and favorable weather. Fair support was given, however, and the decline, in spite of the unfavorable conditions prevailing, was slight. July opened ⅛c lower at 28½c, touched from 28⅝c to 28¾c and closed at the opening figure.

Oats were active. The feeling at the opening was rather easy, but later good, general buying steadied the market and prices advanced slightly. July opened unchanged at 18¼c, touched from 18⅛c to 18⅜c and closed steady at from 18⅛c to 18¼c.

Provisions were moderately active and opening prices were practically unchanged. There was a little more disposition among packers to buy and this, with fair outside support, caused a slight advance, which was maintained to the close. July pork closed 5c higher at $7.02½. July lard closed 2½c higher at $4.20. July ribs closed 2½c higher at $3.80.

Estimates for Thursday: Wheat, 13 cars; corn, 567 cars; oats, 256 cars; hogs, 30,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2				
May	58¼	59	57⅞	58
July	59¼@⅜	59⅝@¾	58⅜@½	58⅝@¾
Sept	60@60⅛	60⅜	59⅜@⅝	59½
Corn, No. 2				
May	27¾	27⅞	27½	27½@⅝
June	27¾	27⅞	27½	27⅝@¾
July	28⅜	28⅝@¾	28⅜	28⅜@½
Sept	29⅜	29⅜@⅞	29⅛	29½
Oats, No. 2				
May	17⅝	17⅝	17⅜	17⅜
July	18⅜	18⅜	18⅛	18¼
Sept	18⅛@⅜	18⅜	18⅛	18⅜
Pork, per bbl				
July	7 00	7 05	7 00	7 02½
Sept	7 10	7 22½	7 07½	7 20
Lard, 100 lbs				
July	4 17½	4 22½	4 17½	4 20
Sept	4 32½	4 37½	4 32½	4 37½
Short Ribs—				
July	3 75	3 82½	3 75	3 80
Sept	3 92½	3 97½	3 90	3 95

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Firm; winter patents, $3.50@3.80; winter straights, $3.25@3.40; spring patents, $3.40@3.75; spring straights, $3.00@3.25; bakers, $2.25@2.40.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 58c; No. 2 red, 61¾@62c.

CORN—No. 2, 27⅞@28c; No. 2 yellow, 28⅛@28½c.

OATS—No. 2, 18c; No. 2 white, 19½@20¼c; No. 3 white, 18½@19¾c.

RYE—No. 2, 33c.

BARLEY—No. 2, nominal, f. o. b., 30@34c.

FLAXSEED—No. 1, 84.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $3.20.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $6.95@7.00; lard, per 100 lbs., $4.00@4.12½; short ribs sides (loose), $3.60@3.80; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $4.00@4.25; short clear sides (boxed), $3.75@4.00.

WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal., $1.22.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, $6.09; granulated, $5.45.

POULTRY—Steady; turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 8c; ducks, 11@13c.

The following were the receipts and shipments today:

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	10,000	9,000
Wheat, bu	11,000	187,000
Corn, bu	472,000	91,000
Oats, bu	669,000	171,000
Rye, bu	130,000	28,000
Barley, bu	39,000	10,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery, 11@15c; dairy, 9@13c. Eggs, firm; fresh, 10@10½c. Cheese, steady; 7¼@7¾c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKETS.

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, May 27.—FLOUR—Receipts, 7,300 bbls.; exports, 16,500 bbls. Lower to sell on everything but assorted brands of spring patents and choice bakers, but the break in wheat was a further check to business and small trade was done. Winter low grades, $1.85@2.25; Minnesota patents, $3.75@4.15; Minnesota bakers, $2.65@3.05; winter patents, $3.70@3.75; spring low grades, $2.00@3.50; winter patents, $3.70@3.75; winter straights, $3.35@3.45. Rye flour, dull; superfine, $2.60@2.70; fancy, $2.75@2.85.

CORN MEAL—Easy at 68@69c; yellow western, coarse, 71c; Brandywine, $2.15.

BARLEY—Nominal; feeding barley, 35¾@37c.

BARLEY MALT—Quiet; western, 45@55c.

RYE—Easy; 41½@42c for western.

WHEAT—Receipts, 269,800 bu.; exports, 144,500 bu.; spot active and lower; No. 2 red, 71⅛c; No. 1 hard, 68c, elevator. Options were generally firm until late in the afternoon, when they broke badly under liquidation, closing ⅛@1⅛c net lower. Foreign houses were good sellers. The early firmness was attributed to covering, small spring wheat receipts and a heavy reduction in world's stocks. No. 2 red, May, 66@67⅛c, closed 66c; September, 66@66⅛c, closed 65c.

CORN—Receipts, 63,400 bu.; exports, 16,500 bu.; spot weak; No. 2, 34c. Options ruled firm on a good demand from shorts until wheat broke in the afternoon, when corn followed, closing ¼@½c net lower. May closed 34c; September, 35⅛@36c, closed 35⅝c.

OATS—Receipts, 14,400 bu.; exports, 145,200 bu.; spot active and weaker; No. 2, 23⅛c. Options fairly active and weaker, especially on near months; owing to liquidation closed unchanged to ⅛c lower; May, 22⅛@23c, closed 22⅞c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, $7.00@7.50; good to choice, 19.00@9.50.

HOPS—Weak; state, common to choice, 1894 crop, 2½@4½c; 1895 crop, 3@8c; Pacific coast, 1894 crop, 2½@4c, 1895 crop, 3@7c.

HIDES—Steady; wet salted New Orleans, selected Galveston, 11c; Buenos Ayres, dry, 16c; Texas, dry, 8c; California, 12½c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock sole, B. A., light to heavy weights, 19@20c; acid, 18@23c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $9.50@11.00; beef hams, $15.00. Cut meats, irregular; pickled bellies, 4@4¾c; pickled shoulders, 4¼@4½c. Lard, quiet; western steam, $4.45, nominal; May, $4.60, nominal. Pork, dull; old to new mess, $8.25@8.95; short clear, $9.50@11.00.

OILS—Cottonseed oil, inactive; prime crude, 21c; prime yellow, 24½c; off grades, 19½@20½c; prime summer yellow, 25c; off summer yellow, 25@25½c; prime white, 28@29c. Petroleum, quiet; United closed at $1.08. Rosin, steady; strained, common to good, $1.80@1.85. Turpentine, steady at 26@26½c.

RICE—Quiet and steady; domestic, fair to extra, 3½@6c; Japan, 3⅝@4c.

MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 29@37c.

BUTTER—Receipts, 10,825 pkgs.; market steady; western dairy, 8@11c; creamery, 11@15½c; Elgins, 15½c.

CHEESE—Receipts, 4,723 pkgs.; market quiet; large, 5@9½c; small, 4½@9¾c; full skims, 2@2½c.

EGGS—Receipts, 11,458 pkgs.; market steady; state and Pennsylvania, 12@12½c; western, 10½@12c.

METALS—Pig iron, steady; southern, $10.75@13.00; northern, $11.00@13.00. Copper, firm; brokers, $11.50; exchange, $11.50. Lead, steady; brokers, $3; exchange, $3.02½@3.05. Tin, quiet; straits, $13.50@13.60. Plates, weak. Spelter, flat; domestic, $4.05.

Wool Market.

BOSTON, May 27.—The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say tomorrow of the wool trade: The market continues very dull and features have been entirely lacking. The tendency continues downward in domestic wools; territory having been the most active, being quite irregular. A moderate quantity of new wool is coming in, being in good condition. Fleece wools are very quiet. Foreign wools have also been dull, particularly in Boston, where sales fell considerably below last week's figures. The sales of the week in the three most important markets, aggregated 3,524,500 lbs., 1,400,700 lbs. being domestic, and 1,943,000 lbs. foreign. In Boston business continues dull and prices are very unstable. Foreign wool has been particularly quiet, sales of Australian being comparatively small. Little is doing in fleeces. Territories have been the most active, but prices have been irregular, ranging from 9c to 31c. More or less new territory is coming in, both consigned wool and stock purchased. This is, to some extent, from all the territories, but more especially from Wyoming. Sales of the week aggregate 1,476,000 lbs., 763,000 lbs. being domestic and 533,000 lbs. foreign. Since January 1, total sales amount to 41,573,000 lbs., previous year 66,749,450 lbs.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Choice stock, 7@8c; slow.

BUTTER—Common to fair, 6@7c; choice to fancy country, 10@12c.

VEAL—Choice fat, 80 to 120 lbs., are quoted at 7@7½c; large and coarse, 4@5c.

CHEESE—Domestic brick, 13c; Edam, per doz., $9.50; club house, 1-lb. jars, per doz., $3.50; Limberger, fancy, per lb., 13c; Roquefort, ½-lb. jars, per doz., $3.60; Young Americas, 12c; twins, fancy, 11½c.

POULTRY—Live—Hens, 6@6½c; cocks, 3@5c; turkeys, 7@9c; ducks, 8@10c; geese, 6@7c; spring chickens, 15c per lb. for weights running from 1½ to 2 lbs.; springs, under 1 lb., very dull.

HAY—Upland, $6; midland, $5.50; lowland, $5; rye straw, $4; color makes the price on hay; light bales sell the best; only top grades bring top prices.

BROOM CORN—Extremely slow sale; new crop, delivered on track in country; choice green self-working carpet, per lb., 2½c; choice green, running to hurl, 2¼c; common, 1½c.

PIGEONS—Live, $1.00@1.20; dead pigeons not wanted.

VEGETABLES.

A car of Mississippi cabbage and tomatoes is reported to arrive on Friday.

All Texas is liable to be planted to wax and string beans next season. The growers in that state obtained such big prices early this season for their shipments to this market that they all went wild. Quotations:

TOMATOES—Choice stock, 6-basket crates, $3.50; per 4-basket crate, $2.50@2.75.

PEAS—Home grown, per bu., $1.25.

TOP ONIONS—Per doz. bunches, 5@10c.

CUCUMBERS—Per doz., 60@75c.

NEW ONIONS—Southern stock, per lb., 2c.

WAX BEANS—Per bu. box, $1.50.

STRING BEANS—Per bu. box, $1.50.

PIE PLANT—Home grown, per lb., 1c.

CAULIFLOWER—None.

CABBAGE—California stock, per lb., 2¼c; Mississippi, per crate, $3.00@3.25.

BEANS—Hand picked navy, per bu., $1.40.

SWEET POTATOES—None.

LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 4c.

WATER CRESS—None.

POTATOES—Minnesota Burbanks, 37@40c; Colorado, 45c; Red River, valley seed potatoes, 35@40c; southern, per bbl., $3.25.

BERMUDA ONIONS—Per crate, $2.00.

FRUITS.

There were a good many berries in today, but as usual, a good many of them were too soft. There were, however, some good home grown St. Louis berries, which were pretty good. The market is firmer on desirable berries and sales of good stock were made to the city trade as high as $2.50. Quotations:

STRAWBERRIES—Missouri stock, $2.25@2.50.

APPLES—None.

CRANBERRIES—None.

CALIFORNIA CHERRIES—Per 10-lb. box, $2.00.

SOUTHERN CHERRIES—Per 24-qt. case, $2.25@2.50.

GOOSEBERRIES—Per 24-qt. case, $2.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

ORANGES—Mediterranean sweets, $3.50@3.75.

LEMONS—Messinas, fancy, $3.75@4.00; extra fancy, $4.25@4.50; choice, $3.75.

BANANAS—Choice large stock, per bunch, $2.00@2.25; medium sized bunches, $1.50@2.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., according to size, $2.00@2.25.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NUTS—Almonds, California, per lb., medium size, 10c; Tarragona almonds, per lb., large, 12½c; Brazils, per lb., 8c; English walnuts, per lb., fancy soft shell, 12c; medium size, 10c; filberts, per lb., 10c; pecans, polished medium, 8c; large, 10c; peanuts, raw, 6½@7c; roasted, 7½c.

HONEY—Fancy white, per lb., 14c; choice, 13c; California amber color, 10c.

MAPLE SYRUP—Five gal. cans, each, $2.75; gal. cans, per doz., $12; ½ gal. cans, $6.25; quart cans, $3.50.

CIDER—Clarified juice, per half bbl., $3; per bbl., $5.

PRESERVES—Assorted, 20-lb. pails, each, $1.40.

COCOANUTS—Per 100, $4.50; each, 5c.

FIGS—Imported fancy, 5 crown, 30-lb. boxes, 14c; choice 10-lb. boxes, 3 crown, 9@10c.

DATES—Halloween, per lb., 5c; fards, 10-lb. boxes, per lb., 7c.

MAPLE SUGAR—Choice, per lb., 9c.

DRESSED MEATS.

BEEF—Good steers, 400 to 600 lbs., 6½@7c; western steers, 6@6½c; good cows and heifers, 6@6¼c; medium cows and heifers, 5@5½c; good forequarters, cows and heifers, 3¾@4½c; good forequarters, native steers, 4½@5c; good forequarters, cows and heifers, 3¾@4½c; good hindquarters, cows and heifers, 7½@8½c; good hindquarters, steers, 8½@10c; cow rounds, 5¼c; cow plates, 3c; boneless chucks, 4c; cow chucks, 3c; steer chucks, 3¾c; beef tenderloins, 25c; beef rolls, boneless, 9c; sirloin butts, boneless, 9c; loin backs, boneless, 9c; loin backs, 7½c; cow ribs, No. 3, 8c; cow loins, No. 3, 10c; beef trimmings, 3c; rump butts, 5c; shoulder clods, 5c; frozen, 4½c.

MUTTON—Dressed lambs, 8½c; dressed mutton, 7c; racks, 8c; legs, 10c; saddles, 10c; stews, 3c; sheep plucks, 3c; sheep tongues, per doz., 25c.

PORK—Dressed hogs, 4¾c; pork loins, 6¼c; spare ribs, 4c; ham sausages, butts, 4½c; pork shoulders, 4½c; pork shoulders, skinned, 4¾c; pork trimmings, 4c; leaf lard, not rendered, 5¼c; tenderloins, 11c.

HIDES AND TALLOW.

HIDES—No. 1 green hides, 4c; No. 2 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 green salted hides, 5c; No. 2 green salted hides, 4c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs., 6c; No. 2 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 4c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 6@7c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 4@5c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 6c; part cured hides, ½c per lb. less than fully cured.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, each 25@60c; green salted shearlings (short wooled early skins), each 15c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), No. 1, each, 10c; dry shearlings (short wooled early skins), No. 1 each, 5c; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 5@6c; dry flint Kansas and Nebraska Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry flint Colorado butcher wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@6½c; dry flint Colorado Murrain wool pelts, per lb., actual weight, 4@5c; dry pieces and bucks, actual weight, 4@5c; feet cut off, as it is useless to pay freight on them.

TALLOW AND GREASE—Tallow, No. 1, 2¾c; tallow, No. 2, 2c; grease, white A, 2¾c; grease, white B, 2¼c; grease, yellow, 1½c; grease, dark, 1¼c; old butter, 2@2½c; beeswax, prime, 15@22c; rough tallow, 1½c.

BONES—In car lots weighed and delivered in Chicago: Dry buffalo, per ton, $12.00@14.00; dry country, bleached, per ton, $10.00@12.00; dry country, damp and meaty, per ton, $6.00@8.00.

WOOL—Unwashed, fine heavy, 6@7c; fine light, 8@9c; quarter blood, 10@12c; seedy, burry and chaffy, 8@9c; cotted and broken, coarse, 7@9c; cotted and broken, fine, 6@8c. Fleece washed—Medium, 15@18c; fine, 14@16c; tub washed, 16@18c; black, 8c; bucks, 6c; tag locks, 2@2c; dead pulled, 5@6c.

Liverpool Market.

LIVERPOOL, May 27.—WHEAT—Quiet; demand, poor; No. 2 winter, 5s 6d; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 3d; No. 1 California, 5s 4½d. Futures quiet, with near and distant positions 1d lower; closed easy with near and distant positions ½d lower; No. 2 May, 5s 1½d; June, 5s 1½d; July, 5s 1½d; August, 5s 1½d; September, 5s 1½d; October, 5s 1½d.

CORN—Spot, quiet; No. 2 mixed, new, 13s 1¾d. Futures opened quiet, with near and distant positions ½d lower; closed easy with near and distant positions ½d lower; business about equally distributed; American, 2s 11½d; June, 2s 11½d; July, 3s ½d; August, 3s 1d; September, 3s 1½d; October, 3s 2d.

FLOUR—Dull; demand, poor; St. Louis fancy winter, 7s 2d.

PEAS—Canadian, 4s 7½d.

PROVISIONS—Bacon, dull; demand, poor; Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., 24s 6d; short ribs, 28 lbs., 27s; long clear, light, 38 to 45 lbs., 24s 6d; short clear backs, light, 18 lbs., 25s; short clear middles, heavy, 55 lbs., 23s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 22s 6d; shoulders, square, 12 to 18 lbs., 22s 6d; hams, short cut, 14 to 15 lbs., 39s 6d. Tallow, fine North American, 37s 3d. Beef, extra India mess, 55s; prime mess, 45s. Pork, prime mess, fine western, 47s 6d; medium western, 40s 2d. Lard, nominal; prime western, 22s 6d; refined lard, in pails, 24s.

CHEESE—Weak; demand, poor; finest American, white, 44s; finest American, colored, 40s.

BUTTER—Finest United States, 70s; good, 50s.

LINSEED OIL—19s 3d.

REFRIGERATOR BEEF—Forequarter, 2 5-32d; hindquarter, 5¼d.

HOPS—At London (Pacific coast), £1 16s.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, May 27.—COFFEE—Options opened irregular at 10@15 points lower; ruled generally weak under lower cables, foreign and local selling and bull spot market; closed firm; May, 25 points lower. Other months except April unchanged to 15 points lower. Sales, 19,850 bags, including May at $12.15; September, $10.10@10.55. Spot coffee, Rio, weak; No. 7, 13⅛c; mild, dull and nominal; Cordova, 16¼@18c; sales, 200 bags Central American p.t.; total warehouse deliveries from the United States, 3,920 bags, including 3,325 bags from New York; New York stock today, 161,313 bags; United States stock, 164,865 bags; afloat for the United States, 167,500 bags; total visible for the United States, 332,365 bags, against 562,815 bags last year.

SANTOS, May 27.—Weak; good average Santos, 12,500 reis; receipts, 9,000 bags; stock, 80,000 bags.

HAMBURG, May 27.—Dull, ¼@¾pfg decline; sales, 4,000 bags.

RIO, May 27.—Dull; No. 7, 11,500 reis; exchange, 10 5-16d; receipts, 7,000 bags; cleared for the United States, 5,000 bags; stock, 104,000 bags.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, May 27.—WHEAT—Weak; No. 2 hard, 54c; No. 3, 43@48c; No. 2 red, 60c; No. 3, 50@57c; No. 2 spring, 54c; No. 3, 49@52c.

CORN—Weak; No. 2 mixed, 22½c; No. 2 white, 23½c.

OATS—Weak; No. 2 mixed, 16c; No. 2 white, 18¾@19c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2, 32@33c.

HAY—Steady; unchanged.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 12@13c; dairy, 10½@12c.

EGGS—Weak; strictly fresh, 6¾@7¼c.

Peoria Markets.

PEORIA, May 27.—CORN—Market steady; No. 3, 26½c.

OATS—Market easy; No. 2 white, 18¾@19c; No. 3 white, 18@18½c.

RYE—Market dull, nominal.

WHISKY—Market steady, $1.22.

RECEIPTS—Corn, 57,200 bu.; oats, 44,300 bu.; rye, 600 bu.; whisky, none; wheat, 1,800 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Corn, 10,500 bu.; oats, 27,150 bu.; rye, none; whisky, 525 gals.; wheat, 600 bu.

Accumulation of Grain Stocks.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreet's covering the principal points of accumulation show the following changes in available supplies Saturday, May 23, as compared with the previous Saturday: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decrease, 3,775,000 bu.; afloat for and in Europe, decrease, 1,032,000 bu.; total decrease in world's visible, 4,807,000 bu.; corn, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, receipts, 1,517,000 bu.; oats, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase, 1,306,000 bu.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Security Market Was in a Condition Bordering on Stagnation.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The stock market today was in a condition of virtual stagnation. The only stock that made a respectable total was Sugar, and the speculation at large merely reflected the scalping board room "eight chasers." There was but little news bearing upon prices, aside from the engagement of $1,250,000 in gold for export to Germany. The day's record of railway earnings was disappointing and included the April returns of the Reading and St. Paul companies, which were decidedly below expectations. The movement of prices was devoid of significance, except in the industrial properties. General Electric was pressed for sale and yielded 1⅜ per cent. On the announcement of impending competition, a partial recovery was made eventually.

Sugar and Tobacco moved rates widely on manipulation, with the effect of important net changes. The grangers developed a decided tendency toward a lower range in the final dealings and closed at the lowest. The general market left off heavy in tone, with fractional concessions as a rule. Railway bonds were generally steady, and the net changes in prices were light. The sales were $742,000.

Governments were a shade easier for the new 4s, with sales of $32,500.

The following were the closing quotations on the leading stocks of the New York exchange today:

Atchison	14⅛	do pfd	148
Adams Ex	150	N. Y. Central	96½
Alton, T. H	57	*N. Y. & N. E	45
Am. Express	114	Ontario & W	14¼
Baltimore & Ohio	17⅛	Oregon Imp	⅛
Canada Pacific	62⅝	Oregon Nav	14
Canada Southern	18⅝	O. S. L. & U. N	5
Central Pacific	14¼	Pacific Mail	25¾
Ches. & Ohio	16⅝	Peoria Dec. & E	2
Chicago & Alton	157	Pittsburg	163
C., B. & Q	78⅛	Pullman Palace	157
Chicago Gas	67⅛	Reading	10⅜
Consolidated Gas	156	*R. G. W	15
C. C. C. & St. L	34⅝	R. G. W. pfd	42
Colo. Coal & Iron	1⅜	Rock Island	68⅛
Cotton Oil Cert	12⅛	St. Paul	76⅝
Delaware & Hud	124¼	do pfd	128
Del., Lack. & W	160½	St. P. & Omaha	43⅛
D. & R. G. pfd	47⅝	do pfd	122
D. & C. F. Co	17⅜	Southern Pacific	19
East Tenn	14⅛	Sugar Refinery	122⅞
Erie	36	Tenn. Coal & Iron	25¾
Erie pfd	23	Texas Pacific	8
Fort Wayne	163	T. & O. Cent. pfd	72
G. Northern pfd	118	Union Pacific	7¾
C. & E. I. pfd	98	U. S. Express	35
Hocking Valley	16	W. St. L. & P	6⅝
Illinois Central	92½	W. St. L. & P. pfd	17⅛
St. P. & Duluth	23	Wells Fargo Ex	97
K. & T. pfd	25	Western Union	85⅛
Lake Erie & West	18	Wheeling & L. E	9⅜
do pfd	71½	do pfd	35
Lake Shore	150	M. & St. L	18⅜
Lead Trust	25⅛	D. & R. G	12⅝
Louisville & N	49⅛	G. E	34
L. & N. A	9	N. L	16
Manhattan Con	103⅜	C. F. & I	27¾
*Memphis & C	15	do pfd	92
Michigan Cent	95	T. St. L. & K. C	5¼
Missouri Pacific	24⅝	T. St. L. & K.C. pfd	10
Mobile & Ohio	2⅝	S. R. R	9
Nashville Chat	68	S. R. R. pfd	29
National Cordage	5¼	Am. Tob. Co	66⅛
Nat. Cordage pfd	10¼	do pfd	99
N. J. Central	105	Am. Tel. & C. Co	92⅛
N. & W. pfd	7¾	Com'l Cable Co	150
North Am. Co	5¼	Am. Sugar pfd	103¾
Northern Pacific	5⅛	U. S. Cordage gtd	20⅛
N. Pacific pfd	15⅝	U. S. Leather pfd	64
U. P. D. & G	3	U. S. Rubber	23½
Northwestern	105¼	do pfd	83½

* offered.

The total sales of stocks today were 64,200 shares, including: American Sugar, 18,500; Baltimore & Ohio, 3,900; General Electric, 6,700; Louisville & Nashville, 3,000; Reading, 3,600; St. Paul, 4,300; Lake Erie & Western, 4,600.

Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:

U. S. 4s, reg. new	116½	Southern 5s	93⅛
U. S. 4s coup. new	116½	C. P. 1sts of '95	102
U. S. 5s, reg	112⅛	*D. & R. G. 7s	111
U. S. 5s, coup	112⅛	D. & R. G. 4s	91
U. S. 4s, reg	108⅛	Erie 2ds	65
U. S. 4s, coup	109⅜	G. H. & S. A. 6s	105
U. S. 2s, reg	94½	G. H. & S. A. 7s	101
Pacific 6s of '95	101½	H. & T. C. 5s	109
Ala., class A	103	do 6s	100
Ala., class B	105	M., K. & T. 1st 4s	83⅛
*Ala., class C	100	do 2d 4s	59⅛
Ala. Currency	100	Mutual Union 6s	111
La. New Con. 4s	98	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	119
Missouri 6s	100	No. Pacific 1sts	117
N. C. 6s	124	do 2ds	115⅛
N. C. 4s	106	N. W. Consols	138
S. C. nonfund	1	do S. F. Deb. 5s	108½
Tenn. new set 6s	84½	R. G. West. 1sts	76
*Tenn. new set 5s	108	St. P. Consols 7s	131
Tenn. old 6s	60	do C. & P. W. 5s	114½
Va. Centuries	61	St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5	79⅛
do deferred	5	St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6	112⅛
Atchison 4s	78⅛	Texas Pac. 1sts	90⅛
Atchison 2d A	40⅛	do 2ds	21⅛
Canada So. 2ds	104½	U. P. 1sts of '95	103½
L. & N. unified 4s	79	West Shore 4s	106⅛

* offered.

San Francisco Mining Quotations.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	9	Hale & Norcross	335
Alpha Con	27	Justice	12
Andes	8	Kentucky Con	5
Belcher	80	Lady Wash. Con	44
Best & Belcher	135	Mexican	105
Bodie Con	68	Occidental Con	155
Bullion	27	Ophir	175
Bulwer Con	37	Overman	15
Caledonia	10	Potosi	145
Challenge Con	46	Savage	145
Chollar	285	Scorpion	6
Confidence	135	Sierra Nevada	100
Con. Cal. & Va	285	Silver Hill	6
Con. Imperial	2	Union Con	88
Crown Point	71	Utah Con	18
Exchequer	8	Yellow Jacket	61
Gould & Curry	150		

Silver bars, 68⅛c; Mexican dollars, 51¼@53c. Sight drafts, 12½c; telegraphic, 15c.

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, May 27.—Call loans, 3@5 per cent; time loans, 3½@5½ per cent. Closing prices for stocks, bonds and mining shares:

A. T. & S. F	14¼	West End pfd	91
Am. Sugar	122⅞	Westingh. Elec	29
Am. Sugar pfd	104	W. Elec. pfd	53
Bay State Gas	14⅛	Atchison 2ds	22
Bell Telephone	205	Atchison 4s	79
Boston & Albany	212	New England 6s	112
Boston & Maine	165	Allouez Mining Co	1
C. B. & Q	78⅛	Atlantic	22
Fitchburg	93	Boston & Montana	84⅛
Gen. Electric	34	Butte & Boston	9½
Illinois Steel	68	Calumet & Hecla	303
Mexican Central	9⅜	Franklin	11
Old Colony	178½	Kearsarge	13¾
Ore. Short Line	6	Osceola	30
Rubber	23	Quincy	119
Union Pacific	7⅛	Tamarack	95
West End	71⅛	Wolverine	7¾

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The following are the closing mining quotations:

Bulwer	35	Ontario	1200
Chollar	270	Ophir	170
Crown Point	340	*Plymouth	20
Con. Cal. & Va	280	Quicksilver	100
Deadwood	115	†Quicksilver pfd	1500
Gould & Curry	140	Sierra Nevada	100
Hale & Norcross	290	Standard Con	170
Homestake	2700	Union Con	95
Iron Silver	17	Yellow Jacket	60
Mexican	100		

*asked. †offered.

London Consols.

LONDON, May 27.—Consols for money, 112 13-16; consols for account, 112⅞.

Financial Notes.

BOSTON, May 27.—Clearings, $14,292,693; balances, $1,629,745.

BALTIMORE, May 27.—Clearings, $2,192,823; balances, $264,480.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Clearings, $87,228,959; balances, $6,034,703.

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Clearings, $10,384,313; balances, $1,938,455.

NEW YORK, May 27.—An aggregate of $850,000 in gold has been ordered for shipment by steamers sailing for Europe tomorrow.

Foreign Financial.

BERLIN, May 27.—Exchange on London, eight days' sight, 20 marks 42½ pfg.

PARIS, May 27.—Three per cent rentes, 101f 75c for the account. Exchange on London, 25f 17c for checks.

LONDON, May 27.—4 p. m.—Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres today at 203.60; Madrid, 19.25; Lisbon, 27⅞; Athens, 171; Rome, 106.97½. Amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance, £8,000.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, May 27.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3⅝c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4c; sales, 4,169 bags; centrifugal, 96 test, 4c, ex-ship, 1,143 hhds., 497 bags and 79 bbls.; Muscovado, 89 test, 3⅝c, ex-ship. Refined, dull.

LONDON, May 27.—SUGAR—Cane, very dull; centrifugal Java, 13s; Muscovado, fair refining, 10s 3½d. Beet, flat and lower; May and June, 13s 6d.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, May 27.—COTTON—Dull and easy; middling, 7 7-16c; low middling, 7⅛c; good ordinary, 7c; net receipts, 748 bales; gross, 875 bales; sales, 1,650 bales; stock, 121,168 bales.

NEW YORK, May 27.—COTTON—Dull and easy; middling, 8 1-16c; net receipts, none; gross, 1,627 bales; exports, to the continent, 848 bales; forwarded, 521 bales; sales, 819 bales; spinners, 119 bales; stock, 128,375 bales.

'Frisco Wheat.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 27.—WHEAT—Quiet; December, 98⅛c.

Marie Decca on Her Honeymoon.

CINCINNATI, O., May 27.—Marie Decca, the prima donna, and Charles Smith of Harrisburg, Pa., arrived at the Burnett house yesterday. They were traveling on their honeymoon incognito, having been married four weeks, a few days after she had secured her divorce. They go hence to Germantown, Mason county, Ky., to see her old friends. Then they go east, where she sings for the season at the Mother Chautauqua, and will make their home on the Susquehanna, near Harrisburg.

Actor Bachtel Dies in Jail.

htel, the actor who recently tried to shoot

HARTFORD, Conn., May 27.—Edwin Bachis wife, Dallas Tyler, the actress, in this city, has died in jail here. A general breakdown, owing to his imprisonment, is ascribed as the cause of his death.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Biggest Day's Business in Months Done by the Dealers Yesterday.

CATTLE PRICES GO DOWN A DIME

Liberal Receipts and Discouraging Eastern Advices the Cause—Hogs Sell Freely at a Five-Cent Decline.

WEDNESDAY, May 27.

Receipts for the days indicated are:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
May 27	2,403	8,649	798	15
May 26	2,249	6,235	571	....
May 25	922	2,081	2,875	92
May 23	529	5,012	....	....
May 22	957	4,123	230	....
May 21	959	5,664	10,837	2
May 20	1,833	8,294	870	....
May 19	1,205	8,394	2,899	23
May 18	1,019	1,607	2,326	22

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
C., M. & St. P	2	3	..	..
O. & St. L	5	2	..	..
Missouri Pacific	5	..	2	..
U. P. system	24	32	..	..
C. & N. W	2	..	..	..
B. & M. R	29	43	..	..
C., B. & Q	6	2	1	..
C., R. I. & P., east	..	1	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west	1	1	..	..
C., St. P., M. & O	20	11	..	1
F., E. & M. V	26	48	..	..
Total receipts	120	143	3	1

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

Buyers.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co	...	2,018	...
G. H. Hammond Co	310	1,767	...
Swift and Company	901	1,907	...
Cudahy Packing Co	785	3,267	...
Sinclair	...	261	...
R. Becker & Degan	145	...	...
Hamilton	16	...	...
Benton & Underwood	4	...	...
Hill & Lewis	84	...	...
Cudahy, K. C	...	...	547
G. H. Hammond, K. C	40	...	251
Other buyers	157	...	...
Held over	300	...	...
Total	2,242	9,250	798

CATTLE—It was another day of big cattle receipts, there being 2,424 here as against 2,249 yesterday and 1,633 on Wednesday of last week. Other markets were also reporting very liberal runs.

With the very moderate demand for the product that has prevailed all the year, it does not take many cattle to break the market, and anything like a liberal run is sure to bring lower prices. Today did not furnish any exception to the rule, but on the contrary there was a general decline at all the markets of the country. The Omaha market held up as well as any other, and the situation here was only the reflection of the conditions prevailing at other points. The fact is, the Omaha market is higher than most other markets, as this market has been receiving fewer cattle and not enough to really supply the requirements of the local packers.

Handy little cattle were, as usual, in the best demand, and they sold in good season this morning, but at a little lower prices, in some cases as much as 5@10c lower. Heavy cattle were slow all the morning and it was late before the market on that kind of stuff opened, and when it did, it was at a decline of fully 10c. The most of the cattle here were heavy beeves and it took a long time to effect anything like a clearance. At the close about 300 head were left over unsold, owners being unwilling to accept the prices bid.

The tendency of the market on butchers' stock was also lower and even the best little heifers and steers sold lower than last week.

Hardly enough stockers and feeders were in the yards to make any showing on the market. The few here sold at about the same prices as yesterday. One bunch of western feeders brought 5c less than some of the same lot sold for yesterday. Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
19	1058	$3 30	21	957	$3 60	11	1032	$3 70
19	1375	3 40	11	1106	3 60	17	1221	3 70
27	994	3 40	19	1227	3 60	8	1012	3 70
18	915	3 45	1	1050	3 60	18	1324	3 70
6	806	3 50	17	784	3 60	4	1155	3 70
14	810	3 50	9	894	3 60	8	1193	3 70
2	1270	3 50	28	1227	3 60	22	974	3 70
37	1112	3 55	14	1313	3 60	41	1110	3 70
21	1513	3 60	21	1188	3 65	29	1386	3 70
19	1301	3 75	16	1072	3 65	23	1197	3 70
108	1391	2 75	18	1335	3 65	16	1023	3 75
23	770	3 55	22	1036	3 65	38	1503	3 75
19	1030	3 55	35	1364	3 65	62	1079	3 75
20	1270	3 55	29	1230	3 65	20	1086	3 75
27	1038	3 55	23	1143	3 65	19	1238	3 80
15	1178	3 60	16	1183	3 65	22	1238	3 80
59	1073	3 60	51	1812	3 70	16	1455	3 85
40	1121	3 60	42	1297	3 70	11	1349	3 85
18	1353	3 60	18	1273	3 70	21	1188	3 85

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1200	1 50	1	1120	2 50	1	1320	3 00
1	690	1 50	1	1110	2 50	4	1135	3 10
1	720	1 50	2	1090	2 50	1	1410	3 10
2	950	1 50	1	930	2 50	1	1020	3 10
1	880	1 90	2	1090	2 60	14	1187	3 15
1	940	2 00	1	1080	2 70	2	1190	3 15
1	1050	2 00	1	1210	2 75	1	1130	3 15
1	960	2 10	2	1170	2 75	4	1130	3 15
2	865	2 10	1	1150	2 75	4	995	3 15
1	860	2 15	1	1210	2 75	11	1127	3 15
1	760	2 20	6	996	2 90	1	1270	3 20
1	900	2 25	2	1170	2 95	3	1176	3 20
1	970	2 25	1	1150	3 00	1	1150	3 20
1	1050	2 40	2	925	3 00	39	1103	3 25
1	910	2 40	1	1150	3 00	1	1220	3 25
1	980	2 40	2	925	3 00	1	1360	3 25
6	1123	2 40	1	1150	3 00	1	850	3 25
1	980	2 40	2	1410	3 00	8	1297	3 25
2	1025	2 40	3	1233	3 00	1	1270	3 25
1	1010	2 50	1	1380	3 00	2	1135	3 30
1	1000	2 50	5	1044	3 00	17	1154	3 30
1	1070	2 50	2	1330	3 00	1	1410	3 35
2	1060	2 50	1	1070	3 00	1	1280	3 35
2	1045	2 50	2	935	3 00			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	595	2 75	4	760	3 05	23	753	3 50
6	583	2 75	2	400	3 20	4	882	3 50
2	640	3 00	13	586	3 25	7	798	3 60
2	775	3 05	1	870	3 50	2	705	3 60

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1600	2 10	3	1298	2 65	1	1290	2 75
1	1090	2 25	1	1420	2 65	1	1050	2 75
2	985	2 35	1	980	2 75	1	1220	2 80
1	1380	2 40	1	1300	2 75	1	1350	2 85
2	1570	2 50	1	1680	2 75	1	1830	2 85
1	1410	2 50	2	1620	2 75	1	1220	2 85
1	1370	2 60						

STAGS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1230	2 80	1	1020	3 25	1	1870	3 25

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	250	2 60	2	150	5 00	1	230	5 50
1	110	3 00	1	120	5 00	2	175	5 50
1	330	3 25	1	250	5 00	1	160	5 50
2	525	3 55	2	160	5 25	11	138	5 50
1	370	3 85	1	140	5 25	1	138	5 50
1	190	4 25	1	110	5 25	3	146	5 50
1	110	4 50	1	150	5 50			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	820	3 00	1	970	3 45	3	956	3 60
3	853	3 25	18	685	3 50	1	730	3 65
6	436	3 20	3	733	3 50	10	541	3 65
2	515	3 35	14	917	3 55	1	1000	3 70
9	518	3 35	6	446	3 55	4	617	3 70
22	1115	3 40	2	885	3 60			

WESTERNS.

WYOMING.

North & Stone.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
93 feeders	1128	$3 45			

HOGS—Over 9,000 hogs were on sale today, there having been a few holdovers in addition to the fresh receipts of 8,649. On Wednesday of last week the receipts numbered 8,294, and today's run was the largest since last January.

Large runs and lower markets were the rule at all points and this market followed along the same path. The market opened 5c lower than yesterday and held about there all the morning. The best light sold up to $3.05, as against $3.10 yesterday. The heavy and mixed hogs sold at $2.90@2.95, as against $2.95@3.00 yesterday. The most of the hogs here were heavy and heavy mixed and most everything in the yards sold at the range mentioned for that kind, very few loads reaching $3.00 or above.

The demand was good at the decline, the local packers being free buyers and everything in the yards changed hands before the close. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
44	333	320	$2 [illegible]	17	218	...	$2 95
46	361	80	2 87½	69	262	160	2 95
43	387	...	2 87½	54	305	...	2 95
46	279	80	2 [illegible]	26	287	...	2 95
100	309	160	2 [illegible]	60	272	40	2 95
54	257	80	2 [illegible]	72	254	...	2 95
59	315	80	2 [illegible]	51	236	80	2 95
53	310	160	2 90	69	302	160	2 95
165	300	200	2 90	135	249	80	2 95
113	302	80	2 90	62	251	120	2 95
53	284	80	2 90	60	261	...	2 95
55	271	...	2 90	62	259	80	2 95
55	308	80	2 90	62	270	...	2 95
52	339	...	2 90	68	275	40	2 95
38	310	...	2 90	64	264	...	2 95
57	300	...	2 90	63	254	80	2 95
59	272	...	2 90	53	292	80	2 95
53	318	...	2 90	60	263	...	2 95
51	348	...	2 90	55	251	...	2 95
55	290	...	2 90	57	267	40	2 95
54	280	80	2 90	16	197	...	2 95
49	326	160	2 90	52	225	...	2 95
53	287	...	2 90	68	223	160	2 95
50	307	80	2 90	58	253	120	2 95
47	335	80	2 90	41	233	40	2 95
55	303	...	2 90	61	252	...	2 95
106	295	...	2 90	61	247	...	2 95
45	319	80	2 90	59	286	80	2 95
37	218	80	2 90	54	289	80	2 95
37	313	80	2 90	54	270	80	2 95
20	303	...	2 90	61	245	80	2 95
56	336	...	2 90	55	295	240	2 95
56	352	...	2 90	64	272	...	2 95
33	279	...	2 90	33	286	...	2 95
153	297	...	2 90	59	255	...	2 95
45	258	80	2 90	45	253	40	2 95
49	307	40	2 90	52	244	160	2 90
54	284	...	2 90	72	270	...	2 95
54	311	80	2 90	68	273	...	2 95
53	290	80	2 90	55	272	120	2 95
54	284	...	2 90	101	272	160	2 95
54	307	240	2 90	68	238	...	2 95
19	319	...	2 90	61	267	...	2 95
60	291	80	2 90	67	236	...	2 95
44	307	240	2 90	71	236	40	2 95
57	293	...	2 90	77	236	...	2 95
62	265	...	2 90	59	263	80	2 95
53	227	80	2 90	47	277	...	2 95
63	300	80	2 90	44	271	80	2 95
60	313	...	2 90	56	290	...	2 95
54	311	...	2 90	66	278	...	2 95
43	315	80	2 90	65	277	80	2 95
55	300	80	2 92½	61	270	...	2 95
58	283	80	2 92½	62	260	...	2 95
57	267	80	2 92½	61	249	80	2 95
58	294	...	2 92½	63	250	...	2 95
61	290	...	2 92½	69	266	...	2 95
57	283	...	2 92½	68	253	80	2 95
58	285	...	2 92½	65	270	...	2 95
55	310	...	2 92½	69	241	...	2 97½
57	252	...	2 92½	65	247	80	2 97½
65	289	...	2 92½	60	223	80	2 97½
65	289	...	2 92½	67	225	80	3 00
51	281	80	2 92½	85	236	240	3 00
59	291	80	2 92½	67	238	240	3 00
57	295	...	2 92½	62	252	...	3 00
66	277	...	2 92½	69	252	...	3 00
65	274	80	2 92½	61	236	80	3 00
62	263	80	2 95	62	235	...	3 00
74	280	80	2 95	68	243	...	3 00
59	276	...	2 95	75	207	...	3 05
30	230	80	2 95	82	191	...	3 05
41	231	80	2 95	71	202	80	3 05

PIGS—ODDS AND ENDS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
6	275	80	2 85	3	400	...	2 85
5	290	...	2 85	7	215	...	2 90
3	300	...	2 85	4	227	...	2 90
2	285	80	2 85	4	437	...	2 90
5	318	...	2 85	5	356	...	2 90
4	325	...	2 85	5	314	...	2 90
5	304	...	2 85	7	285	...	2 90
1	390	...	2 85	1	390	...	2 95
4	367	...	2 85	16	131	...	3 00
7	331	...	2 85				

SHEEP—There were a few sheep in, but they were consigned direct to packers and were not offered for sale.

PACKING HOUSE WEEKLY OUTPUT.

Slight Improvement in the Movement of Hogs.

CINCINNATI, May 27.—(Special Telegram.)—Tomorrow's Price Current will say: Total western packing for the week, 275,000 hogs, against 350,000 head the preceding week and 385,000 head for corresponding time last year, making a total of 3,710,000 head since March 1, against 3,305,000 head a year ago. Prominent places compare as follows:

Place.	1896.	1895.
Chicago	1,325,000	1,180,000
Kansas City	561,000	515,000
St. Louis	285,000	198,000
Omaha	247,000	255,000
Indianapolis	177,000	120,000
Cincinnati	142,000	123,000
Milwaukee	180,000	138,000
Cedar Rapids	52,000	84,000
Ottumwa	92,000	62,000
Sioux City	48,000	50,000
St. Joseph	53,000	78,000
St. Paul	76,000	85,000

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, May 27.—BEEVES—Receipts, 217 head; opened active and closed slow; native steers, poor to prime, $3.45@4.50; "stillers," $4.20@4.30; stags and oxen, $2.50@2.85; bulls, $2.75@3.30; dry cows, $1.70@3.00. European cables quote American steers at 9@10c dressed weights; refrigerator beef at 6@8c; export, 3,700 quarters of beef.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,874 head; sheep, poor to prime, $2.25@4.25; yearlings, $4.50@5.75; southern lambs, ordinary to choice, $6.25@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,185 head; firm at $3.60@4.10.

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY, May 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 2,700; Texans about steady; other grades weak and 10c lower; Texas steers, $2.40@3.60; Texas cows, $2.30@2.70; beef steers, $3.03@4.00; native cows, $2.15@3.30; stockers and feeders, $2.85@3.75; bulls, $2.00@3.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; shipments, 1,800; opened steady to slightly lower; closed weak; bulk of sales, $3.00@3.15; heavies, $2.50@3.05; packers and mixed, $3.00@3.15; lights, $3.05@3.20; Yorkers, $3.10@3.20; pigs, $2.50@3.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,400; shipments, 1,800; market strong; lambs, $3.00@4.75; muttons, $2.00@4.00.

Stock in Sight.

Record of receipts at the four principal markets for Wednesday, May 27, 1896:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	2,424	8,649	798
Chicago	19,500	28,000	20,000
St. Louis	1,000	14,000	3,400
Kansas City	1,500	8,000	3,000
Totals	24,424	58,649	27,198

St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, May 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500 head. Market 10c lower; native steers, $3.25@4.25; Texas steers, $2.50@3.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000 head. Market 5c lower; light, $3.00@3.25; mixed, $2.80@3.15; heavy, $2.50@3.20.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000 head. Market steady and unchanged.

SOUTH OMAHA NEWS

The program for the commencement exercises of the High school, which will be held at the First Presbyterian church Thursday evening, June 4, was completed yesterday. The graduating class consists of Grace W. Birge, Estelle E. Campbell, Menzo B. Darling and Margaret D. Kruse. Gold and lavender have been chosen as the class colors. The motto of the class is "We Have Crossed the Gulf, the Ocean Lies Before Us." Following is the program: Invocation, Rev. D. C. Winship; piano trio, Messrs. Albert, Lanzberg, Heyn; oration, "Military Training in the Public Schools," Grace W. Birge; string quartet, Messrs. Albert, Hoffman, Thiele and Heyn; essay, "Altruism," Menzo B. Darling; violin solo, Mr. Hans Albert; oration, "American Institutions of English Origin," Margaret D. Kruse; vocal solo, "Heart's Springtime," Miss Jean Boyd Mullen; essay, "Black the Heels of Your Boots," Estelle E. Campbell; piano solo, "Rondo," Sigmund Landsberg; presentation of diplomas, W. B. Cheek, president of the Board of Education; string quartet; benediction.

Superintendent Munro is making arrangements for Chancellor MacLean of the State university to address the pupils and their parents on Tuesday evening, June 2, at the First Presbyterian church.

Memorial Exercises in the Schools.

Friday afternoon in the assembly room at the High school the High School Literary society will give an interesting memorial day program as follows: Instrumental solo, "Grand Centennial March," Alice Rafferty; recitation, "How Girls Study," Bertha Clark; vocal solo, "Deep, Deep Sea," Lelia Chase; question box, Louella Daniels and Lorena Johnson; song, "America," High school and eighth grade; recitation, "Decoration Day," Willie Petit; vocal solo, "Five Months Ago," Libbie Donahue; selected oration, "Belligerent Non-combatants," Earle Brown; instrumental duet, "Tally-ho March," Addie Campbell and Anna Brayton; oration, Fred Winship; selected oration, "Our Fallen Heroes," Rowland Smith; instrumental duet, Ethel Honey, Gertie Honey; essay, "A War Sketch," May Darling; instrumental solo, Christie Condron; selected oration, "A Battle," Roy Dennis; recitation, "The Soldier's Reprieve," Mina Gifford; vocal duet, Mabel Gray and Jessie Carpenter; address by members of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Banks Will Carry the Coupons.

Arrangements were made yesterday with the Packers' bank to take care of the interest on coupons which becomes due June 1. A little over $7,000 was borrowed from the bank to pay this interest, and the coupons will be sent to the bank from the fiscal agency at New York to be held as security for the loan. When the loan is paid, the coupons will then be cancelled. One-half of this amount is interest on the general indebtedness of the city, and the rest is on special bonds. When the levy is made in July warrants can be drawn upon the funds to take up this and other loans. In July other bonds and coupons will become due and money will have to be borrowed to pay the interest.

Candidates for Convention Honors.

Primaries will be held today at Twenty-fourth and Q streets for the purpose of selecting fourteen delegates to the republican county convention. The names of the persons to be voted for follow: Scott Kenworthy, John C. Trouton, George Thompson, L. F. Etter, W. A. Bennett, O. E. Bruce, P. J. Barrett, J. C. Bowley, T. B. Scott, William Sherman, H. L. Carpenter, J. O. Eastman, Alex Schlegel, Nels Neilson, P. Traynor, Charles Allen, C. L. Talbot, John F. Schultz, Sam Davis, L. L. Gibson, Frank Tlustus, J. F. Cooley, Ivor Thomas. The polls will be open from noon until 7 p. m.

Magic City Gossip.

Ed Hines returned yesterday from a western trip.

E. Saterel of Chadron spent yesterday looking about the city.

Henry Hanson, a well known Scribner farmer, is in the city on business.

J. J. Moss of Silver City, Ia., was at the yards yesterday with four cars of cattle.

Lon T. Martin of Long Island, Kan., was visiting friends at the Exchange yesterday.

William Rider of Nebraska City was a visitor at the stock yards yesterday afternoon.

The W. M. I. club will meet with Mrs. L. F. Stearns, Twenty-first and J streets Friday evening.

This afternoon the Kings' Daughters will meet with Mrs. R. B. Montgomery for the last time this season.

Mrs. F. Gentine, who has been visiting friends here, returned yesterday to her home at Rapid City, S. D.

A. L. P. Thompson, a prominent Nemaha county farmer was at the yards yesterday afternoon with two cars of cattle and one of hogs.

Judge Jacob Levy leaves Monday for St. Louis on business connected with the Woodmen of the World order. He expects to be gone about two weeks.

John Herman, an employe at Cudahy's, fell yesterday and broke one of his legs. He was taken to the South Omaha hospital, where the fracture was set.

The committee of arrangements for Memorial day will meet at J. O. Eastman's office, 2414 N street, this evening at 8 o'clock. All old soldiers are requested to be present so that arrangements for visiting the public schools Friday afternoon can be made.

Crusade encampment No. 37, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, has elected the following officers to serve for the next six months: George Houseman, C. P.; C. J. Bennett, H. A.; A. Hutton, S. W.; A. L. Stergback, J. W.; F. J. Etter, scribe; J. B. Wilcox, treasurer; J. H. Bliss, representative to grand lodge.

Attorneys are attempting to procure bonds for Fred Parks and John and Jack Ford, who are now in jail being held as accessories in the Oswald murder. County Attorney Baldrige has written Judge Christmann that he is willing to release Parks on a bond of $900 and the Ford boys on $2,800 each. The attorneys for the prisoners are confident that the amount can be raised.

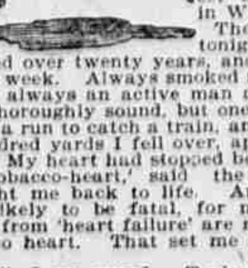
Morton Returns from His Trip.

KANSAS CITY, May 27.—J. Sterling Morton, secretary of agriculture, and Paul Morton, his son, third vice president of the Santa Fe railway, arrived in the city this morning in a private car over the Santa Fe from Los Angeles. Secretary Morton went to California three weeks ago with his son to take a rest. He left tonight for Washington by way of Chicago. The secretary was in excellent health.

Breath Brought Back

A Curious Case of Weakened Heart-Action.

A West Virginian Who Could Not Move Without Exhaustion Within Two Weeks Runs Half a Mile Without Effort.



WHITEFIELD, W. Va.—(Special.)—The people of our town are about to form and anti tobacco-using club. The direct reason for this agitation is the remarkable cure of Col. D. R. Banks, who for a long time enjoyed the palm as the greatest stogie smoker in West Virginia.

The colonel said tonight: "Yes, I smoked over twenty years, and over 200 stogies a week. Always smoked five at a time. I was always an active man and thought I was thoroughly sound, but one day I had to make a run to catch a train, and in less than a hundred yards I fell over, apparently lifeless. My heart had stopped beating.

"'Tobacco-heart,' said the doctor who brought me back to life. Another attack was likely to be fatal, for most cases of death from 'heart failure' are really cases of tobacco heart. That set me figuring on a cure.

"Well, I am cured. Took two boxes of No-To-Bac and it cured me. Can run half a mile now without a long breath or any oppression. I tell you it's great stuff," and the colonel dug his knuckles into the reporters ribs and chuckled. "There are no flies on No-To-Bac. When you get old and worn out, think you're no good, just use it now and then. It will waken forgotten sensations, and you can't sit still for feeling good."

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