COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Markets Dull in Expectation of Tomorrow's Heliday.

CORN OPENS FIRM ABOVE SATURDAY CLOSE

Trade in Wheat is Quiet-Liquidation of May Feature in Oats-Provisions Market Quiet and Easy.

CHICAGO, April 30.-Board of Trade markets were quiet today, as many traders cek to be even over the holiday tomor-Corn was strong, helped by cables, and closed Mc to MaMc improved. Wheat closed Mc to MaMc down and oats a shade 1/2c depressed. Provisions closed 21/27/5c 17lec under Saturday.

forn opened firm, fractionally over Satclose. Cables were strong and though rather scattered demand and no particular selling pressure. There was some houdards of May, with purchases of July in exchange at 14,014c difference. During the session a spurt of liberal offerings from an influential trader caused a dip, but this was recovered, helped by the visible decrease of 2.196,000 bn. Local receipts were liberal offerings from an influential trader caused a dip, but this was recovered, helped by the visible decrease of 2.196,000 bn. Local receipts were liberal of the cars. May ranged from 384c to 40c and closed \$47.5c up at 40c. July sold from 50 ct of 414c and closed \$4 hipsen at 41c. The trade in wheat was quiet and consisted mostly in exchanging May for July at a sproad of 13cc. As a result, May was relatively weaker than July, the latter closing with an appearance of steadhers. Traders generally were inclined to play even over the holiday tomorrow, a fact which contributed much to the quietude of the session. Cables were weak and the veather favorable, but as an offset to these influences was the visible decrease of 2.312,000 bu, larger than had been anticipated. The decrease and the strength of corn caused a raily following the early exiness, but it was lost. New York reported three loads taken for export. Attactic port clearances in wheat and flour were equal to 796,000 bu. Primary receipts were \$17,000 bu., compared with \$69,000 bu. a year ago. Local receipts were \$3 cars. 2 of contract grade. May ranged from \$55c to \$54c and closed \$60 down at \$674c.

Liquidation of May was the feature in cats and the discount between that option and July during the day widened to \$6.

The market was dull and easy all day. The fine weather as much as anything was the factor. Receipts were 175 cars. May sold between 224c. July ranged from 234c. untry offerings small. There was a fair, rough rather scattered demand and no

he provisions market, under the in-The provisions market, under the influence of a weak hog market, was quiet and easy all day, but closed fairly steady. The feature was changing. There was a moderate amount of liquidation through rommission houses. July pork sold from \$12.72½ to \$12.55, and closed 17½c lower at \$12.60; July lard from \$7.20 to \$7.1007.12½, closing 19c depressed at \$7.15, and July ribs from \$0.25 to \$5.90, with the close 2½25c down at \$5.50. Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 48 pars; corn, 370 cars; oats, 240 cars; hogs, 1,000 head.
The leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y.

*Wheat	1				
April May July Sept. *Corn-	65% 65% 67% 65% 68 65%	65% 67% 68%	6514 6714 68	65¼ 65¼(£)% 67¼ 68%	65% 65% 67% 68% 26%
April May July Sept, *Cats-	39% 99% 40% 941 41% 99%	40 411/4 411/2	39% 40% 41%	40 40 41 41%@½	39½03% 39½03% 40% 41½03%
May July Sept. Pork-	2214-61-44 2314 2314-61-14	23% 23% 23%	221/6/07/4 231/6 221/2	2214@46 2314@14 2234	2274 2314 2214
May July Lard—	12 45 12 65	12 50 12 72%	12 36 12 56	12 4214 12 60	12 574 12 774
May July Sept.	7 15 7 20 7 20	7 15 7 20 7 20	7 071/2 7 10 7 121/4	7 15	7 20 7 25 7 25
Ribs- May July Sept.	6 87% 6 95 6 92%	6 90 6 96 6 9214	6 871/2	6 90 6 90	6 96 7 00 6 973

winter straights, \$3.45@3.50; winter extras, \$2.60@2.85; winter low grades, \$2.25@2.40. Rye flour, easy, fair to good, \$2.20@3.15; choice to fancy, \$3.20@3.50.

CORNMEAL—Dull; western, 87c; city, 85c; Brandywine, \$2.25@2.35.

RYE—No. 2 western, 64c f. o. b. afloat; state rye, 56c c. i. f. New York car lots.
BARLEY—Quiet; feeding, 43%@45c c. i. f. New York; maiting, 50@56c c. i. f. New York; winter straights, \$3.45@3.50; winter extras,

BARLEY —Quiet; feeding, 425,245c c. 1. f. New York.

New York; maiting, 50265c c. 1. f. New York.

BARLEY MALT—Dull; western, 55265c.

WHEAT—Receipts, 118,00 bu.; exports, 40,669 bu. Spot, firm; No. 2 red, 75%c f. 0. b. affoat; No. 2 red, 76%c. elevator; No. 1 northern. Duluth, 73%c f. 0. b. affoat to arrive. Options were generally firm all day on strength. the local cash situation, a big visible supply decrease and crop damage news from the west. This served to offset cables, which were bearish, but the market finally yielded to realizing and closed easy at 13c net decline; May, 725,673 13-16c, closed at 72%c; July, 73.3-166/725c, closed at 734c; September, 74,46745c, closed at 734c; September, 74,46745c, closed at 744c.

CORN—Receipts, 565,725 bu.; exports, 46,-117 bu. Spot, firm; No. 2, 45%c f. 0. b. affoat and 46%c elevator. Options firmly held pretty much all day on an active demand from shorts, higher cables and scarcity of country offerings. Closed firm, 18678c net advance, May, 55,6345c, closed at 46%c; September, 464,46%c, closed at 46%c; September, 464,46%c, closed at 46%c.

OATS—Receipts, 127,900 bu.; exports, 125,-911 bu. Spot, weak, No. 2, 275c; No. 3, 276c; No. 2 white, 126, No. 3 white, 285c; track, mixed western, 275,275c; track, white western, 285,266c; track, white state, 285,266 25c; Options inactive and weak, closing 15c lower; No. 2 white, May closed at 254c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 65,675c; good to choice, 100,000.

choice, 80990c.

HOPS—Quiet: state, common to choice, 1896 crop, 395c; 1899 crop, 10gri3c; Pacific coast crop, 899c.

HIDES—Steady; Galveston, 20g24c; Callfornia, 21 to 25 pounds, 25c; Texas dry, 24 to 39 nounds, 15c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres, light to heavy weights, 25½c; acid, 2016. WOOL Duil; domestic fleece, 25928c;

ket for metals. Tin, however, in sympathy with favorable advices from abroad showed some improvement in price, but was very quiet, closing duli at \$23.55619.75. Lake copper ruled dull at \$15. Iron, dull; northern, No. I foundry, \$21.00921.00. Spelter, easy at \$4.5624.55. The brokers price for lead was \$4.45 and for copper \$17.25.

FREIGHTS—To Liverpool, quiet and steady; cotton, by steam, 25c.

OMARA WHOLESALM MARKETS. Condition of Trade and Quotations or

Staple and Fancy Produce. EGGS-Receipts, liberal; fresh stock

10'4c.

LIVE POULTRY-Hens. 8'4c; roosters.
according to age and size, 5@7c; ducks, 7'4c;
5'4@6c; turkeys, 8c.
BUTTER-Common to fair, He: choice,
14015c; separator, 20c; gathered creamery,
17018c.
OYSTERS-Medium, per can, 18c; stand-OYSTERS—Medium, per can, 18c; standard, per can, 22c; bulk standard, per gallon, \$1.25; extra selects, per can, 39c; extra selects, per can, 37c; New York counts, per can, 37c; New York counts, per 160, \$1.25

PIGEONS—Live, per doz., \$1.

VEALS—Choice, 9610c.

HAY—Per carload lots: Upland, choice, \$1.00; midland, choice, \$5.00; lowland, choice, \$5; rye straw, choice, \$5; No, 3 corn, 35-5c; No, 3 white oats, 25c; cracked corn, per ton, \$14.50; corn and oats, chopped, per ton, \$15; bran, per ton, \$13.50; shorts, per ton, \$13.50.

VEGETABLES.

ASPARAGUS-Home grown, per doz. OUTSC.
NEW TURNIPS—Per dew bunches, 50c.
SPINACH—Per box, 50@75c.
NEW BEETS—Per doz. bunches, 35@40c.
LETTUCE—Per doz. bunches, 35@40c.
RADISHES—Home grown, per doz., 20@

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SEED SWEET POTATOES—Per bbl., \$2,009/2.25; Kansas, eating, \$3,00.
POTATOES—Per bu., choice, 250/30c, CABBAGE—California, per ib., 3c.
CAILLIFLOWER—None on market.
CELERY—Per doz., 25/2/30c; California, per bunch, 75c.
TOMATOES—Florida, per six-basket crate, \$4,50.
MUSHROOMS—Per ib. box, 56c.
RHUBARB—Per ib., 4c.
ONIONS—Retail, yellow, \$1,10@1.15; red, \$1,20@1.25.
FRUITS.

FRUITS. STRAWBERRIES-Texas, per,24-qt. M.5095.00; Louistana, per 21-pt. case, \$2.50. APPLES-Choice western shipping stock, 5.0095.25; New York stock, \$5; fancy, \$5.50. CRANBERRIES-Jerseys, per bbl., \$10.50; per crate. \$3.50.

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TROPICAL FRUITS.
PINEAPPLES—Per doz., \$2.5063.00.
ORANGES—California, fancy navels, per box, \$3.7564.00; choice navals, \$3.50; Mediterranean Sweets, per box, \$3.25; Budded seedlings, \$2.5563.00.
LEMONS—California, choice, per box, \$3.25; fancy, \$3.50.
BANANAS—Per bunch, medium, \$2.006; 2.50; large, \$2.7593.00.
HIDES—No. 1 green nides, 74c; No. 2 green hides, 64c; No. 1 salted hides, \$4c, No. 2 salted hides, 74c; No. 1 veai caif, 8 to 12 ibs., 9c; No. 2 veai caif, 12 to 15 ibs., 8c.

MISCELLANEOUS.
NUTS—Hickory, large, per bu., \$1.25;
shellbarks, \$1.35
HONEY—Per 24-section case, \$3.50@3.75.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions. T. LOUIS, April 30.—WHEAT—Better; 2 red cash, elevator, 70%c; track, 71%fe; 3 April, 70%c; May, 60%fe; July, 67%c; 2 hard, 61%fe66. CORN—Firm; No. 2 cash, 40c; track, 401/46, 14c; April, 394c. CORN—April, 394c; May, 394c; July, 204. 404c; April, 394c. Cash, 40c; track, 4046. CORN—April, 394c; May, 394c; July, 394c. OATS—Firm: No. 2 cash, 244c; track, 254c; April, 244c; May, 244c; July, 234c; No. 2 white, 28c. RYE—Steady at 56c. FLOUR—Dull; patents, \$3,4063.66; extra fancy and straight, \$3,1063.25; clear, \$2.70 3.00;

GI.00.
SEEDS-Timothy, steady; ordinary, \$2.00
GI.20; flax, higher, at \$1.73.
BRAN-Firm; sacked lots, east track, 69% 70c. CORNMEAL—Steady, at \$1,9592.00, HAY—Better; timothy, \$0.306/11.30; prai-

HAY-Better; timothy, \$3.30a11.30; prairie, \$9.00.
WHISKY-Steady, at \$1.25½.
IRON THES-\$1.30; bagging, 7½a3½c; hemp twine, 9c.
PROVISIONS-Pork, steady; jobbing, old, \$13.00; new \$13.50. Lard, lower; prime, steam, \$6.96; choice, \$7.00. Dry sade boxed meats, lower; extra shorts, \$7.00; clear ribs, \$7.2½; clear sides, \$7.25. Bacon, boxed shoulders, lower; extra shorts, \$7.50; clear ribs, \$7.62½; clear sides, \$7.25.
METALS-Lead, quiet at \$4.57½a4.60.
Spelter steady at \$4.50.
POULTRY-Duil: chickens, 7½c; turkeys, \$638c; ducks, 7½c; geese, 3a4½c.

Toledo Market.

ToleDo. O., April 30.—WHEAT—Dull, unchanged; No. 2 cash, 73%c; May, 73%c; CORN—Dull, higher; No. 2 cash, 40%c; OATS—Dull, unchanged; No. 2 cash, 24%c; RYE—Dull, lower; No. 2 cash, 56%c; CLOVERSEED—Firm, higher; cash, prime old, \$4.75; prime new and April, \$5.00; October, \$5.00 bid; No. 2, \$3.50@4.35.

Daluth Grain Market. Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, April 30 - WHEAT-No. 1 hard, cash. 65%c; May. 68%c; July. 68%c; September, 69%c; No. 1 northern, cash. 66%c; May. 65%c; July. 67%c; September, 68%c; No. 2 northern, 64%c; No. 3 spring, 61%c. OATS-246/24%c. CORN-37%c.

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA. April 30.—BUTTER—Firm and 1/20 higher; fancy western creamery, 20c; fancy western prints, 22c.
EGGS—Steady; fresh nearby, 12%124c; fresh western, 121/2c; fresh southwestern, 121/2c; fresh southern, 111/2%12c.

Milwaukee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, April 30.—WHEAT-Firm No. 1 northern, 676/68c; No. 2 northern 54/9865-c. RYE-Steady; No. 1, 579575-c. BARLEY-Firm; No. 2, 423-2443c; sample,

Minneapolis Wheat Market. MINNEAPOLIS. April 30 - WHEAT-In store. No. 1 northern. April, 64%c May, 65%c; July, 65%c; September, 65%c; May, 65%c; No. 1 northern, 64%c; No. 2 northern, 63%c.

WOOL—Duil; domestic fleece, 25628c;
Texas 15618c.

PROVISION—Recf. steady; family 313.00 provided from the control of the cont

MOVEMENTS OF STOCKS AND BONDS. Day Starts with Another Attempt to

NEW YORK, April 30.—The day on the closing; stock market started off with another at- A., T. & S. tempt to rush up prices by speculative do pfl. ... American Sugar unipulation with the purpose of attracting an outside following, but the ghost Bell interest had been so far eliminated by the Bosto ing an outside following, but the ghost interest had been so far eliminated by the events of the latter part of last week that there was not sufficient demand from that source to keep up prices. Neither was there any awakened interest developed through the commission houses. The market, therefore, fell back and became dull and heavy, but without positive weakness until some of the later developments, when the bears showed renewed vigor and sold prices to the lowest of the day.

The violent break in sugar was the principal element in the decline. That stock sold up to 121by in the early dealings and recovered to that figure after a reaction and then fell away with occasional spasmodic rallies to 11by, closing only slightly above that. The news bearing on the stock consisted of a story from Boston giving elaborate details of alleged terms of settlement of the trade war and the expressed opinion of a prominent speculator just before stilling for Europe that the war was settled. Several of the principals in the trade conflict denied the allegations during the day.

The threstened strike on the New York Central caused a fall of 2½ points in that stock and had a sympathetic effect elsewhere in the list. Missouri Pacific was pushed up to 80 on rumors that a dividend would be declared at today's meeting of directors and that John D. Rockefeller would be admitted to the directory. Both rumors failed to be confirmed by the event and the stock fell back, but saved a small net gain. net gain.

The steel industrials, after some show of

net gain.

The steel industrials, after some show of weakness, also became firm and closed generally with a small net gain. The only developments bearing on the group were rumors regarding the threatened legal process against officials of the Steel and Wire company. United States Leather made a considerable show of strength. Otherwise the market generally yielded to the reactionary tendency and closed very near the lowest and easy in tone. There were no developments of importance in the money or exchange market, though both were seamned with eager interest.

Discounts in London and sterling exchange here were slightly easier, but London has to prepare for a 10 per cent installment of the government loan, which will be taken up this week. The tightening of the London money market and the demand for exchange in New York to pay the installment of American subscription will both tend toward gold exports.

The money market here continues easy and shows no sign of hardening, notwithstanding the diminished supply of cash for the market on subtreasury operations. It is worthy of remark in this connection that Saturday's treasury statement at Washington showed an excess of receipts over sturday's treasury statement at Wash-ngton showed an excess of receipts over xpenditures for the day of \$1,321,681, thus naterially raising the figure of the month's

expenditures for the day of \$1.321,681, thus materially raising the figure of the month's surplus.

Railroad bonds were weak in sympathy with stocks, but the dealings were rather light. Total sales, par value, \$1,470,000. United States 28 advanced 4, and new 48 declined 4½ in the bid price.

Commercial Advertiser's London financial cable: The markets here today were dull, ostensibly on dear money, but really because of the persistent pressure, realizing sales and the general disinclination to buy. Funds relapsed fractionally, Americans opened slightly above parity, but there was absolute stagnation in them until 3 o'clock, when a futile attempt was made to improve prices. New York came heavy and sagged till the close. Thitos fell 7-16 in connection with the Paris settlement and on sales. Call money was in good demand, heavy installments of Westralian copper loans fulling due. Bills were steady, but had a slightly easier tendency. The bank renewed smail sums here and did a good business in discounts.

The following are the closing prices on the New York Stock exchange today:

Atchison 26% Union Pacific.... do pfd...... 60% do pfd..... 6616 do 835 Wabash anadian Pacific. *No. 2.
Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, \$3.600
\$7.00 \$7.00 \$8.00 \$1.00 Chicago Gt. W.... C., B. & Q.... Chicago, I. & L... do pfd...... 8 Brooklyn R 1 1914 Colo, F. & I. 195 Con. Tobacco. 10 do pfd... 8114 Federal Steel do pfd..... General Electric do pfd.

Int'n'i Paper
do pfd.

Sti National Ris National Biscuit do pfd.... National Lead... National Steel do pfd. | North American | To Pacific Coast | To Pacific Coast | To Pacific Coast | To Pacific Coast | To Pacific Mail | To Paci

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, April 30.—MONEY—On call, asy, at 2024 per cent; last loan at 24 er cent; prime mercantile paper, 4054 per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE Irregular, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.884, for demand and at \$4.844, \$484, for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.8564.8514, and \$4.893.814, commercial bills, \$1.834,64.844, \$67.814, \$1.844, *U. S. refunding. 192% N. Y. Central 1s., 178% **do 2s. ref. 26% N. J. C. g. 5s. 123 do 3s. reg. 193% No. Carolina 6s. 127% do coupon 195% No. Pacific 3s. 196% do 4s. reg. 124% No. Pacific 3s. 68 do 4s, reg. | 121 No. Pacific 2s. 6s do coupen | 124 do 4s | 1045 do old 4s, reg. | 114 N. Y. & S. L. 4s. | 1053 do coupen | 115 N. & W. con. 4s. | 1053 do coupen | 112 do gen. 6s. | 124 do coupen | 1134 Ore. Nav. 1s. | 108 do coupen | 1134 Ore. Nav. 1s. | 108 0. of C. J. 66s. | 121 do 4s. | 1085 Atch. gen. 4s. | 1005 Ore. S. L. 6s. | 129 Atch. gen. 4s. | 1005 Ore. S. L. 6s. | 129 | Section | Color | Co

eral fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, \$148,08,096; gold, \$79,483,200.

Roston Stock Quotations. BOSTON, April 30.—Call loans, 3\294\2 per cent; time loans, 495 per cent. Official closing: .191 Atlantic do pfd......
Fitchburg pfd.....
Ed. Electric III.
Mexican Central
N. E. G. & C....
Old Cotony...
Old Dominion ... 13% Quincy 35 Santa Fe Copper... 36 Utah Mining... 184 Winona.... 30 Wolverines

London Stock Quotations. LONDON, April 30 .- 4 p. m.-Closing: Cons. money 100% St. Paul common 122
do acct 100% N. Y. Central 139
Canadian Pacific 57% Pennsylvania 70%
Erie 12% Icaaling 10
do 1st pfd. 40% Anaconda 9%
Italianis Central 177 Atchison 27%
Rand Mines 36% Louisville 84
Nor. Pacific pfd. 77%
Crand Truck Grand Trunk ..

*Ex-dividend. BAR SILVER-Steady, at 277-16d per ounce.

MONEY-34@4 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills, 4@4½ per

Financial Notes.

CHICAGO, April 30.—Clearings, \$22,258,460; balances, \$2,482,322. New York exchange, 30c discount. Exchange, \$4,854,694,894, PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—Clearings, \$16,321,064; balances, \$2,07,713.
BALITIMORE, April 30.—Clearings, \$3,182,-211; balances, \$525,78.
ST. LOUIS, April 30.—Clearings, \$5,577,671; balances, \$784,308. Money, \$627 per cent. New York exchange, par bid, 15c premium asked. asked. NEW YORK, April 30.—Clearings, \$105,-425,702; balances, \$6.880,366.

Cotton Market.

LIVERPOOL. April 30.—COTTON—Spot in moderate demand and unchanged; American middling, 5½d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export, and included 7,500 American; receipts, 5,000 bales, including 2,500 American. Futures opened and closed steady at the advance. American middling, l. m. c. May, 523-6466 24-64d, sellers; May and June, 521-64d, sellers; June and July, 518-64d; sellers; July and August, 516-64d, sellers; September and October, 431-64d, sellers; October and November, 431-64d, sellers; December and December, 431-64d, sellers; January and February, 429-64d, sellers.

ary, 4 31-64d, sellers; January and February, 4 29-64d, sellers.

NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—COTTON—Steady: sales, 1,000 bales; ordinary, 8 5-16c; good ordinary, 8 13-16c; low middling, 9 5c; middling, 9 15-16c; middling, 9 15-16c; receipts, 6,732 bales; stock, 184.720 bales. Cotton futures steady; May, 32-4169, 42; June, 39-41 bid; July, 22-409, 9-41; August, 39-18-9-18, 18-520, 8-46. October, \$8.0768.08; November, \$7.946, 7.95; December, \$7.946, 7.95; December, \$7.946, 7.95; January, \$7.956 LOUIS, April 30.—COTTON—Steady; 325 bales; middling, %%c; receipts, 728 ; shipments, 1,848 bales; stock, 51,872

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, April 30.—There has been a large attendance of buyers today and decidedly slow business. Mail orders were limited in all kinds, and market at first hands consequently dull. No change in princes in any staple cottons in leading makes, but some irregularity in outside lines. Print cloths idle for regulars and barely steady for odd goods. Prints dull in all lines, no change in prices. Ginghams generally firm. White goods, both plain and fancy, continue scarce and steady in price. Sellers more reserved in accepting orders for 1901. Dry Goods Market.

orders for 1901.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK. April 30.—COFFEE—Spot Rio, No. 7, mild, market quiet: Cordova, 34.2131½c. Futures opened unsteady at unchanged prices to 5 points advance and trading and scarcely any further variation. There was a steady undertone on the better average of cables than looked for. The market closed steady, with prices net unchanged to 5 points higher. Total sales, 3.700 bags, including May at \$5.65. June, \$6.75; August, \$5.90; September, \$6.85; June, \$6.75; August, \$5.90; September, \$6.85; June, \$6.75; August, \$6.90; September, \$6.85; June, \$6.75; August, \$6.75; August, \$6.90; June, \$6.75; August, \$6.75; August, \$6.90; June, \$6.75;

Statement of Visible Supply. NEW YORK, April 30.—The statement of the visible supply of grain, in store and affoat, on Saturday, April 28, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as Tollows:

Wheat, 52,541,000 bu.; decrease, 2,415,000 bu.;

wheat, 52,541,000 bu.; decrease, 2,197,000 bu.;

oats, 7,987,000 bu.; increase, 886,000 bu.; rye,
1,200,000 bu.; decrease, 19,000 bu.; barley,
1,099,000 bu.; increase, 36,000 bu. OIL CITY, April 30.—Credit balances, 51.47; certificates, no bid; shipments, 142.194 bbls; average, 88,413 bbls; runs, 131,432 bbls; average, 89,146 bbls.

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LIVERPOOL, April 30.—OIL—Cottonseed,
Hull, refined May-August, firm at 23s.

LONDON, April 30.—OIL—Calcutta linseed, spot, 51s 6d; linseed, 30s 6d; turpentine spirits, 42s 6d. Sugar Market. NEW ORLEANS, April 30.—SUGAR—Steady; open kettle, 34,243-160; open kettle, centrifugal, 44,444-40; centrifugal, yellow, 43,2413-160; seconds, 24,244-40.

Elgin Butter Market. ELGIN. III. April 30.—BUTTER-Firm, at 18c. No offerings on the board. Sales of the week, 10,300 tubs.

St. Louis Live Stock. St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS. April 30.—CATTLE—Receipts.
100 head, including 550 Texans; market weak and a shade lower for natives; 10c lower for Texans; native shipping and export steers. \$4.5025.75; dressed beef and butcher steers. \$4.5025.90; steers under 1,000 lbs. \$4.0024.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.25 16.00; cows and helfers, \$2.5025.00; canners, \$1.5022.85; bulls. \$3.1524.25; Texas and Indian steers. \$3.7525.00; cows and helfers, \$2.5026.55. \$2.50028.85. HOGS-Receipts, 6,100 head; market 5c lower; pigs and lights, \$5.2005.40; packers, \$5.2505.40; butchers, \$5.4005.50. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 500 head; market steady; native muttons, \$5.0025.75; lambs, \$6.2526.75; spring lambs, \$7.0028.00; curls and bucks, \$4.0024.75; stockers, \$3.0026.00.

BUSINESS AT PORT OF HAVANA Shows a Heavy Increase Over One Year Ago and Previous

Month. WASHINGTON, April 30 .- The statement was made today by the division of customs and insular affairs of the War department that the total collections at the customs port of Havana twenty-seven working days of March, 1900, were \$1,006.269, an increase of total collections over the corresponding month of the previous year of \$109,226. The collections for March, 1900, include import duties to the amount of \$895,421; export duties, \$58,763.

There landed at the port of Havana during March, 1900, from points outside of the island of Cuba 3,899 passengers. Of this number 1,603 came from the United States, 1,893 from Spain and 320 from other countries. During the same period there were imported into the port of Havana 18,-855 domestic animals. The total number of vessels of all kinds,

foreign and coastwise, that entered the port of Havana, March, 1900, was 304, with a total gross tonnage of 297,463. The total number of vessels, foreign and coastwise, that cleared from that port for other ports during the same period was 308, of a total gross tonnage of 292,141. During the month of February, 1900, only 224 vessels of all kinds, foreign and coast-

wise, entered the port of Havana, while there cleared from the port named during the month of February, 1900, only 243 vessels, foreign and coastwise, of all kinds.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

All Kinds of Live Stock Show a Decline from Saturday.

GENERAL TRADE VERY SLOW AND DRAGGING

Hogs Sell Fully Five Cents Lower Than Last Week-Both Sheep and Lambs on the Down Grade-Cattle Slow and Wenk.

SOUTH OMAHA, April 30.
e: Cattle, Hogs. Sheep.
2.382 4.345 2.000
2.202 3.015 6.624
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0. 1.541 3.380 4.134 Receipts were: Official today ... One week ago... Two weeks ago... Three weeks ago... Four weeks ago... .58,926 169,571 .50,382 166,564 .53,695 147,698 .61,811 108,850 .33,825 83,654 .98,773 142,637 .68,469 190,871 .61,563 97,826 .35,946 106,842 Total April 1900 ...

Average price paid for hogs for the last several days with comparisons: | 1900 | 1899 | 1898 | 1897 | 1896 | 1896 | 1894 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | 1896 | [1900. [1899. [1898. [1897. [1896. [1896. [1894.

Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Hor's,

Cattle.

C. M. & St. P. Ry. 1

Missouri Pacific Ry. 1

Union Pac. System. 21

C. & N. W. Ry. 1

F. E. & M. V. R. 25

S. C. & P. Ry. 20

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B. & M. R. R. R. 30

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K. C. & St. J. 1

C. R. I. & P. west ...

Illinois Central 2 Crip's and driven in 189

Total receipts.... 106 58 11 1 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

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Buyers. Cattle.
Omaha Packing Co. 216
G. H. Hammond Co. 214
Swift and Company. 443
Cudahy Packing Co. 559
Armour & Co. 377
R. Becker & Degan. 80
Lobman & Co. 104
Livingstone & Schaller. 42
Hamilton & Rothschild. 79
H. L. Dennis & Co. 38
Other buyers. 112

No.	AV.	Pr.	No. Av.	Pr	
1		\$2 75	31110	4 50	
1	570	3 75	151080	4 5214	
4	882	3 90	41112	4 55	
2	1035	4.00	101044	4 55	
3	966	4.00	4	4 56	
3	846	4.00	61074	4.55	
1	770	4 00	42	4 35	
1	175	4 10	391082	4 55	
26	973	4 20	301142	4 5714	
2	866	4 20	71147	4 50	
24	1014	4 25	201921	4 60	
1	1040	4 25	4	4 60	
9	1031	4 40	161)32	4 60	
89	SAT	4 40	26	4 60	
8	1167	4 40	311156	4 60	
5	630	1 40	71203	4 65	
1	1360	4 40	191257	4 65	
1		4.40	561036	4 65	
1	1240	4 40	14	4 63	
61		4 45	181190	4 55	
19		4 45	381301	4 0714	
17	1043	4 45	301209	4 70	
25		4 45	111400	4 75	
18		4 45	131264	4 75	
16		4 45	361330	4 50	
14		4 45	50	4 80	
4	992	4 50	12	4 50	
37	1154	4 50	261155	4 50	
8		4 50	31	4 50	
30		4 50	501263	4 80	
44		4 10	31316	4 50	
15		4.50	45	4 80	
10	1263	4 50	431341	4.85	
		C	ows.		
1	840	2 50	61026	3 75	
2	900	2.50	1	8.75	
1	1110	3 65	21120	2.75	
2	875	2.75	11290	3 50	
2	1110	2.75	31823	3 83	
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STOCK COWS AND HEIFERS. STEERS AND HEIFERS.

COWS AND HEIFERS. 1158 4 30 STAGS

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87. 219 80 5 235 84 223 40 6 28
64. 248 5 1715 56 250 120 5 25
75. 210 80 5 2335 76 216 5 57
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77. 247 80 5 325 69 249 5 46
77. 225 5 5 525 74 225 80 5 45
8HEEP—The receipts were very light and of the few loads reported in the yards there were four loads which were sold last week for delivery today, so that the actual offerings on today's market were very light.
Advices from other markets were unfavorable and the condition of the market here was none too good. Sheep were slow, but just about steady, and lambs weak. The prospects are that from now on the receipts will be light and if that prove to be the case the chances are good for this market being strong as compared with other markets.

Quotations: Clipped wethers, \$5.3065.40; clipped ewes, \$4.2564.60; good to choice to cood units and to choice of the case the chances are good for this market being strong as compared with other markets.

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| No. | Av. | 3 culls | 103 | 1 goat | 90 | 1 goat | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 1

and it was late before a clearance was effected.

Cows and helfers were in as good demand as usual at this point, which means that buyers had use for all that were on sale. For that reason the market on cow stuff was steady and reasonably active in spite of the decline of fat steers. Bulls also sold about steady and veal calves the same as last week.

HOGS—Receipts today, 25,000 head; tomorrow, 18,000 estimated; left over, 5,000 head; big71% lower; top, 25,57%; mixed and butchers. 25,206.55; good to choice heavy, 25,40 (25,57%; rough heavy, 25,256.35; light, \$5,15 (26,47%; bulk of sales, \$5,356.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 20,000 head; sheep, steady to slow; lambs weak to 10205c lower; top lambs, 27,25; good to choice wethers. 25,256.60; fair to choice mixed, 24,606.25; western sheep, 8,256,56; yearlings, 25,5006.15; native lambs, 25,6007.25; western lambs, 25,8507.25.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, April 30.—BEEVES—Receipts, 3,391 head; opened firm, closed dull and weak for steers, all sold; steers, \$4,20 ff.60; oxen, \$3,0004,50; bulls, \$3,2504,65; cows, \$2,1504,25; extra fat cows, \$4,60. Cables quoted state cattle firm at 11½312½c per pound; refrigerator beef steady at 834c per pound; live sheep, 14c. Exports, none; tomorrow, 670 cattle, 1,150 sheep and 4,500 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, \$.442 head; opened slow and lower, closed 50c off; veals, \$2,50. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 5,813 head; slow; prime clipped stock, steady; others unevenly lower; 2½ cars unsold. Unshorn sheep, \$5,2005,50; extra, export wethers, \$7,50; unshorn lambs, \$5,0008,10; clipped lambs, \$5,0006,75; choice lambs, \$6,907,70; spring lambs, \$2,5005,00 each. HGGS—Receipts, 11,40 head; slow for all weights; mixed western hogs, \$5,6005,75; state hogs, \$5,5005,50; western pigs, \$5,30 (95,50. New York Live Stock.

Kansas City Live Stock.

KANSAS CITY. April 30.—CATTLE—Receipts. 4.300 natives, 1.200 Texans; heavy grades a shade easier; others steady; native steers. \$4.25\(\overline{a}\)6.00; stockers and feeders. \$3.50\(\overline{a}\)6.40; butcher cows and helfers. \$3.25\(\overline{a}\)6.15; canners. \$2.50\(\overline{a}\)3.25; fed westerns. \$4.15\(\overline{a}\)4.55; Texans. \$4.20\(\overline{a}\)4.55

HOGS—Receipts. 7.200 head; choice heavy, steady; others. 5c higher; heavy, \$6.30\(\overline{a}\)6.5\(\overline{a}\)5.40; light, \$6.00\(\overline{a}\)6.5\(\overline{a}\)6.5\(\overline{a}\)5.40; light, \$6.00\(\overline{a}\)6.5\(\ Kansas City Live Stock SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 3,400 head: supply mostly common quality: good grades steady; Colorado lambs, \$5.6606.75; clipped lambs, \$5.5966.55; clipped muttons, \$4.8605.00; ewes, \$3.7504.65; culls, \$3.2504.00.

SOUTH ST. JOSEPH. Mo. April 20.—(Special.)—The Journal quotes:
CATTLE—Receipts. 1.100 head: market steady to 10c lower; natives. \$3.9065.05. Texas and westerns. \$2.75676.09; cows and heifers. \$2.2564.45; bulls and stags. \$2.25694.85; yearlings and calves. \$4.0066.15; stockers and feeders. \$1.4064.70; yeals. \$6.0067.70. HOGS—Receipts. 2.800 head; market steady to 25c lower; all grades. \$5.3065.45; bulk of sales. \$5.32456.50. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts. 2.600 head; market, 10615c lower; Colorado lambs. \$6.55. St. Joseph Live Stock

Stock in Sight. Following are the receipts at the four principal western markets for April 39: South Omaha 2382 4345 2.600 Chicago 22.000 35.000 20.000 Kansas City 5.500 7.200 3.400 St. Louis 1.100 6.100 500 Totals 30,982 52,645 26.500 LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE OF RECEIVER'S SALE.

District Court. Douglas County, Nebraska:
The State of Nebraska, plaintiff, vs. American Savings Bank. Defendant.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of order of court herein made on the 28th day of April, 1900, by Hon. Charles T. Dickinson, judge, the undersigned will sell at public auction at the east door of the county court house in the city of Omaha. Nebraska, on the 10th day of May. 1909, at 10 a. m. of said day, all the remaining assets of said defendant bank.

Dated April 28, 1900.

J. W. THOMAS.

Receiver.

E. M. BARTLETT, Attorney for Receiver. A-29-d-4t-m



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