GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Dry Weather in Northwest Promises to Be Bull Factor.

CASH CORN GROWS STRONGER

Good Advance Over May Deliveries is Expected—Shippers in Omaha Report Big Sales for the Month.

OMAHA, May 5, 1911.

Dry weather in the northwest is the active influence in wheat at the moment. So far it amounts to an apprehension only. Until rain comes, however, it will likely continue to be an increasingly bullish factor. With the seeding hardly completed in the spring wheat belt it looks rather premature to bull the market on drouth talk.

Cash corn is in a stronger position than at any time this season and is expected to advance to a good premium over May delivery contracts. Local shippers report good big sales for the present month and receipts are very light.

Wheat ruled strong and higher but steadier today, bulls were in supreme control and the advance was well sustained. Cash wheat had a sharp advance, samples selling 2@3c higher.

The demand for corn is steady and urgent, while receipts keep higher with a strong shipping demand decreasing stocks.

Primary wheat receipts were 335,000 bu. and shipments were 288,000 bu., against receipts last year of 217,000 bu. and shipments of 556,000 bu.

Primary corn receipts were 426,000 bu. and shipments were 600,000 bu., against receipts last year of 251,000 bu. and shipments of 361,000 bu.

Clearances were 62,000 bu. of corn, 10,000 bu. of oats and wheat and folur equal to 11,000 bu.

Liverpool closed 1⅛@1¼d higher on wheat and ½d higher on corn.

The following cash sales were reported:

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 1 car, 91¼c; No. 2 hard, 1 car, 91c; No. 3 hard, 1 car, 90½c; No. 3 hard, 1 car, 90c; No. 4 hard, 1 car, 88½c.

CORN—No. 3 white, 2 cars, 50c; No. 3 white, 5 cars, 49½c; No. 3 yellow, 2 cars, 50c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car, 50c; No. 3 color, 1 car, 49¾c; No. 2 mixed, 2 cars, 50c; No. 2 mixed, 1 car, 49¾c; No. 3 mixed, 4 cars, 49¾c; No. 3 mixed, 3 cars, 49½c; no grade, 1 car, 48c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 2 cars, 31½c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car, 31½c; no grade, 2 cars, 30½c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 91@96c; No. 3 hard, 89@95c; No. 4 hard, 80@86½c; No. 3 spring, 92@99½c; No. 4 spring, 90@96½c; No. 2 durum, 88@91½c; No. 3 durum, 87@90½c.

CORN—No. 2 white, 49¾@50c; No. 3 white, 49½@50c; No. 4, 49@49½c; No. 3 color, 49¼@49¾c; No. 2 yellow, 49¾@50c; No. 3 yellow, 49½@50c; No. 4 yellow, 49@49½c; No. 2, 49½@50c; No. 3, 49¼@49¾c; No. 4, 48¾@49¼c; no grade, 46½@48½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 31¾@32c; standard, 31½@31¾c; No. 3 white, 31¼@31½c; No. 4 white, 31@31¼c; No. 3 yellow, 31¼@31½c; No. 4 yellow, 31@31¼c.

BARLEY—No. 3, 88@92c; No. 4, 80@90c; No. 1 feed, 75@88c; rejected, 60@85c.

RYE—No. 2, 88@89c; No. 3, 87@88c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	40	221	120
Minneapolis	148	...	...
Omaha	29	65	22
Duluth	10	...	...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Signs of rain over the dry belt northwest helped turn wheat prices downward today. The close was irregular, varying from ⅛c under last night to ⅛c above. Corn finished ⅛c up to ⅛@¼c off, oats without change and hog products 7½c lower to 5c advance.

The idea that a break of the drouth was at hand came through dispatches from various points in South Dakota. These telegrams reported the weather cloudy and indicating a supply of moisture soon. At the same time millers' advices told of an improvement during April in every important winter crop state. The Ohio official figures made the condition there 87 per cent, against 84 a month ago and 85 a year back. All day, too, purchases were on foot to bring cash wheat here from unusual sources, but in season to be available for delivery on May contracts. Some of the larger longs here put all futures on sale in consequence and there was a decided reaction from earlier high prices. An easy tone prevailed at the close. The day's range for July was from 88⅝@88¾c to 89⅞c, with last sales at the first named level, a net loss of ⅜@½c.

With planting conditions fine and the trade expecting liberal receipts in the near future, corn suffered a backset. July fluctuated between 52⅝c and 53⅜c, closing easy at the last named figures, a net gain of a shade. Cash grades were firm. No. 2 yellow finished at 55@55¼c.

Excellent weather for the growing crop had a bearish effect on the market for oats. High and low points for the July option were 33c and 32½c, with the close 32⅝c, just the same as last night.

Heaviness was the rule in provisions. In the end pork was 7½c lower to 5c up and other products either unchanged or averaging 2½@5c decline.

Prices in Chicago, furnished by the Updike Grain company, Telephone Douglas 3478, 708 Brandeis building, Omaha:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat—					
May...	97¼@½	98	97⅛	97½	96⅝
July...	89⅝@⅞	89⅞	88⅝@⅞	88⅝@⅞	89½
Sept...	88⅝@⅞	88	87⅞	87⅞@88	88½@⅞
Corn—					
May...	53⅞@54	54⅝	53⅝	54	52⅝
July...	52⅝@⅞	53⅜	52⅝	52⅝	52½@⅝
Sept...	53½@⅝	54	53⅛	53¼	53⅜@½
Oats—					
May...	32⅞	33⅛	32⅝	32⅝@⅞	32⅝@⅞
July...	32⅝@¾	33	32½	32⅝	32⅝
Sept...	32½@⅝	32½	32	32¼	32½
Pork—					
May...	15 65	15 70	15 65	15 70	15 65
July...	14 90	14 90	14 82½	14 85	14 92½
Sept...	14 42½	14 42½	14 40	14 42½	14 45
Lard—					
May...	7 95@ 8 00	8 00	7 95	7 92½	7 92½
July...	8 27½	8 07½	8 00	8 02½	8 05
Sept...	8 12½@15	8 15	8 10	8 10	8 12½
Ribs—					
May...	7 95@ 8 00	8 00	7 92½	7 92½	7 92½
July...	7 87½@90	7 90	7 80	7 85	7 87½
Sept...	7 80	7 80½	7 77½	7 80	7 80

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Firm: winter patents, $3.80@4.40; straights, $3.50@4.20; spring straights, $4.10@4.25; spring patents, best hard, higher, held, $5.55@5.75; bakers, $3.25@4.40.

RYE—No. 2, $1.10.

BARLEY—Feed or mixing, 55@85c; fair to choice malting, $1.02@1.12.

SEEDS—Timothy, $12.00. Clover, $11.00@13.50.

PROVISIONS—Pork, mess, per bbl., $15.75@15.87½. Lard, per 100 lbs., $7.92½. Short ribs, sides (loose), $7.25@7.87½; short clear sides (boxed), $8.00@8.25.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 111,000 bu. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreet's, were equal to 1,944,000 bu. Primary receipts were 335,000 bu., compared with 217,000 bu. the corresponding day a year ago.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 55 cars; corn, 329 cars; oats, 127 cars; hogs, 11,000 head.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red, 96@98½c; No. 3 red, 95@98c; No. 2 hard, 98@98½c; No. 3 hard, 95@98c; No. 1 northern spring, $1.03@1.05; No. 2 northern spring, $1.02@1.04; No. 3 spring, 98c@$1.00. Corn: No. 2 cash, 55@55½c; No. 3 cash, 54¼@54¾c; No. 2 white, 55@55½c; No. 3 white, 54¾c; No. 2 yellow, 55@55¼c; No. 3 yellow, 54¾@55c. Oats: No. 2 cash, 32½c; No. 3 white, 33@34c; No. 4 white, 33¼@33¾c; standard, 33@34½c.

BUTTER—Steady; creameries, 18@21c; dairies, 13@18c.

EGGS—Receipts, 30,685 cases. Market steady; at mark, cases included, 13¼c; firsts, 15½c; prime firsts, 16c.

CHEESE—Steady; daisies, 12¼c; twins, 11¼@11¾c; Young Americas, 12½@13c; long horns, 12¾c.

POTATOES—Firm; choice to fancy, 60@62c; fair to good, 55@58c.

POULTRY—Live, steady; turkeys, 14c; fowls, 14c.

VEAL—Steady; 50 to 60-lb. weights, 6¼c; 60 to 85-lb. weights, 6½@7½c; 85 to 110-lb. weights, 7½@8c.

Receipts Today—Wheat, 40 cars; corn, 221 cars; oats, 120 cars. Estimated tomorrow—Wheat, 57 cars; corn, 329 cars; oats, 127 cars.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—WHEAT—Futures, weak; May, 92c; July, 85½c. Cash, higher; track, No. 2 red, 94½@97c; No. 2 hard, 93c@$1.00.

CORN—Higher; May, 53½c; July, 52c. Cash, higher; track, No. 2, 54½@55c; No. 2 white, 54@56c.

OATS—Higher; May, 32¼c; July, 32½c. Cash, steady; track, No. 2, 33c; No. 2 white, 34¼@34½c.

FLOUR—Firm; red winter patents, $4.30@4.70; extra fancy and straight, $3.00@4.10; hard winter clears, $3.60@5.15.

SEED—Timothy, $5.00@9.50.

CORNMEAL—$2.50.

BRAN—Quiet; sacked, east track, $1.15@1.16.

HAY—Strong; timothy, 18@21c; prairie, $12.50@15.50.

PROVISIONS—Pork, unchanged; jobbing, $16.00. Lard, unchanged; prime steam, $7.65@7.75. Dry salt meats, unchanged; boxed, extra shorts, $8.37½; clear ribs, $8.37½; short clears, $8.62½. Bacon, unchanged; boxed, extra shorts, $9.37½; clear ribs, $9.37½; short clears, $9.62½.

RYE—Higher, at $1.05.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 12c; spring, 20@25c; turkeys, 14½@15½c; ducks, 14c; geese, 5c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 15@21c.

EGGS—Higher, at 15c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbl	69,000	7,700
Wheat, bu	37,000	33,000
Corn, bu	76,000	45,000
Oats, bu	82,000	57,000

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, May 5.—FLOUR—Firm; spring patents, $4.85@5.10; winter straights, $3.85@4.00; winter patents, $4.00@4.40; spring clears, $3.75@4.10; extra No. 1 winter, $3.30@3.50; extra No. 2 winter, $3.15@3.25; Kansas straights, $4.15@4.30. Rye flour, firm; fair to good, $4.60@4.80; choice to fancy, $4.90@5.05.

CORNMEAL—Firm; fine white and yellow, $1.15@1.20; coarse, $1.10@1.15; kiln dried, $2.90.

WHEAT—Spot market easy; No. 2 red, 96¼c, elevator, and 97⅝c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.08¾, f. o. b., afloat. Futures market was firm at the start on the cables, continued dry weather in the northwest and covering, but eased off under liquidation due to favorable crop advices and a poor cash and export demand, closing ⅛@⅝c net lower. May closed at 96¼c; July, 95¾c; September, 94½c.

CORN—Spot market firm; export new, No. 2, 60c, nominal, f. o. b., afloat. Futures market was firmer on covering, due to reports of a better cash demand, closing at unchanged to 1c net advance. May closed at 61c; July, 60c.

OATS—Spot market firm; standard white, 40c; No. 2, 40¼c; No. 3, 39¾c; No. 4, 39½c. Futures market was without transactions, closing nominal.

HAY—Firm; prime, $1.35; No. 1, $1.25@1.30; No. 2, $1.15@1.20; No. 3, $1.00.

HIDES—Steady; Central America, 20c; Bogota, 22½c.

LEATHER—Steady; hemlock firsts, 23@25c; seconds, 21½@23c; thirds, 19@20c; rejects, 14@15c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; mess, $17.75@18.50; fall, $18.50@20.00; short clears, $16.50@18.00. Beef, steady; mess, $12.00@13.50; family, $14.50@15.00; beef hams, $26.00@28.00. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, $11.00@13.00; pickled hams, $11.25@12.00. Lard, steady; middle west prime, $8.00@8.15; refined, firm; continent, $8.55; South America, $9.60; compound, $7.12½@7.37½.

TALLOW—Dull; prime city, hogsheads, 5 15-16c; country, 5¾@6¼c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery extras, 21½c.

EGGS—Firm; fresh gathered selected extras, 19½@20c; firsts, 17@18c; seconds, 16@16½c; fresh gathered dirities, No. 1, 15½@15¾c; No. 2, 14½@15c; poor to fair, 12@14c; fresh gathered checks, good to prime, 13½@14c; western gathered white, 18@19c.

POULTRY—Alive, steady; western spring chickens, 30c; fowls, 14½c; turkeys, 13; dressed, steady; western fowls, 14@15½c; turkeys, 13@16c.

Corn and Wheat Region Bulletin.

Record for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. Friday, May 5, 1911:

OMAHA DISTRICT.

Stations	Temp. Max.	Temp. Min.	Rain-fall	Sky.
Ashland, Neb.	65	40	.00	Clear
Auburn, Neb.	65	39	.00	Clear
Columbus, Neb.	63	39	.00	Clear
Culbertson, Neb.	48	40	.08	Cloudy
Fairbury, Neb.	64	40	.00	Clear
Fairmont, Neb.	61	36	.00	Clear
Gr. Island, Neb.	60	44	.00	Cloudy
Hartington, Neb.	68	35	.00	Clear
Hastings, Neb.	58	34	.00	Cloudy
Holdrege, Neb.	52	40	.00	Cloudy
*No. Platte, Neb.	46	44	.00	Cloudy
Oakdale, Neb.	65	38	.00	Cloudy
Omaha, Neb.	66	43	.00	Clear
Tekamah, Neb.	64	36	.10	Clear
*Valentine, Neb.	48	44	.00	Clear
Alta, Ia.	67	42	.00	Clear
Carroll, Ia.	68	34	.00	Clear
Clarinda, Ia.	60	36	.00	Clear
Sibley, Ia.	68	35	.00	Clear
*Sioux City, Ia.	64	40	.00	Clear

*Minimum temperature for twelve-hour period ending at 8 a. m.

DISTRICT AVERAGES.

District.	No. of Stations.	Temp. Max.	Temp. Min.	Rain-fall.
Columbus, O.	17	60	34	.00
Louisville, Ky.	20	66	38	.00
Indianapolis, Ind.	11	64	34	.00
Chicago, Ill.	25	66	34	.00
St. Louis, Mo.	25	66	40	.00
Des Moines, Ia.	17	66	38	.01
Kansas City, Mo.	24	61	42	.40
Omaha, Neb.	21	60	38	.00

Temperatures continue to rise slowly throughout the corn and wheat region, but frosts and freezing temperatures are again reported in the northern portions of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and the lake region. Heavy frost occurred at one and light frosts at three stations in the Des Moines district. Light showers occurred in southern Nebraska and Kansas.

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Local Forecaster, Weather Bureau.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, May 5.—WHEAT—May, 89⅝c bid; July, 83⅝c bid; September, 83⅜c, sellers; cash, ½c higher; No. 2 hard, 91@98c; No. 3, 87@96c; No. 2 red, 92@93c; No. 3 red, 88@91c.

CORN—May, 50½c, sellers; July, 50⅝@50¾c, sellers; September, 50½@50⅝c bid; cash, ½@1c higher; No. 2 mixed, 52¾@53c; No. 3, 52@52½c; No. 2 white, 52½@52¾c; No. 3, 52@52½c.

OATS—Steady to ½c higher; No. 2 white, 33½@35c; No. 2 mixed, 30½@31c.

RYE—No. 2, 95@98c.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $15.50@16.00; choice prairie, $12.50@13.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, 21c; firsts, 18c; seconds, 16c; packing stock, 13c.

EGGS—Extras, 17½c; firsts, 16c; seconds, 13c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu	31,000	72,000
Corn, bu	18,000	69,000
Oats, bu	12,000	5,000

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 5.—WHEAT—May, 98⅝c; July, 99⅝c; September, 93½@93⅝c. Cash, No. 1 hard, $1.01⅝; No. 1 northern, $1.00⅛@1.01½; No. 2 northern, 97⅛@97⅝c; No. 3, 93⅛@98⅛c.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 52c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 31½@32c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.06.

BRAN—$21.50@22.00.

FLOUR—First patents, $4.70@5.00; second patents, $4.60@4.90; first clears, $3.20@3.65; second clears, $2.20@2.25.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, May 5.—WHEAT—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures strong; firsts, 6s 11⅜d; July, 7s; October, 6s 10⅝d.

CORN—Spot firm; new American mixed, 4s 11d; old American mixed, 5s 3½d; new American kiln dried, 5s 3d; futures firm; July, 4s 9d; September, 4s 10⅛d.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, May 5.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, $1.05@1.06; No. 2 northern, $1.03@1.04; May, 97c; July, 88⅝c.

OATS—Standard, 34¼@34½c.

BARLEY—Malting, $1.02@1.12.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, May 5.—CORN—Higher; No. 3 mixed or better, all colors, 54½c; No. 4 mixed, 53½c; sample, 50c.

OATS—Higher; No. 2 white, 33½@33¾c; standard, 33½c; No. 3 white, 33½c; No. 4 white, 32¾c.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, May 5.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, $1.01½; No. 2 northern, 98½@99½c; May, $1.00⅝c, bid; July, $1.01, bid; September, 94½c, nominal.

OATS—32⅝c.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, May 5.—COTTON—Spot, closed quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 15.45c; middling gulf, 15.70c; sales, 1,311 bales.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 15¼c; sales, 7 bales; receipts, 314 bales; shipments, 1,024 bales; stock 16,680 bales.

New York Cotton market as furnished by Logan & Bryan, members New York Cotton exchange, 315 South Sixteenth street.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
May...	15 23	15 38	15 15	15 37	15 20
July...	15 23	15 40	15 17	15 39	15 21
Aug...	14 67	14 87	14 63	14 86	14 65
Oct...	12 87	13 01	12 85	12 99	12 87

LIVERPOOL, May 5.—The following are the weekly cotton statistics: Imports, all kinds, 16,000 bales; imports, American, 11,000; stock all kinds, 982,000; stock, American, 837,000; American, forwarded, 65,000. Total exports, 164,000.

Imports and Exports.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Imports of merchandise and dry goods at the port of New York for the week ending April 29 were valued at $19,640,329. Imports of specie for the port of New York for the week ending today were $213,211 silver and $258,780 gold. Exports of specie from the port of New York for the week were $902,340 silver and $34,575 gold.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Trading Assumes No Well Defined Trend During Day.

SELLING PRESSURE IS ABSENT

Buyers Not Inclined to Follow Market on Advance and Prices Fluctuate Within Comparatively Narrow Range.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Trading in stocks assumed no well defined trend today and the market was hesitating with several diverse movements. There was an absence of sustained selling pressure which upset prices yesterday and the short interest seemed to be more concerned about covering. The result was a keen demand at the lower levels established yesterday and at the opening stocks were quickly forced up to a point which showed a substantial recovery. Buyers were not inclined to follow the market on the advance and prices accordingly fluctuated within a comparatively narrow range. Changes on the day as a rule were unimportant.

Although trading in bonds fell back from yesterday's large figures the market was active and prices in some issues made further advances.

Amalgamated copper was the strong feature of the late part of the session. A factor contributory to the strength of this issue was the statement made on the authority of a representative of the Guggenheim interests that the demand for copper abroad was excellent.

Bank exchanges this week again make an unsatisfactory comparison, the total at the leading cities of the country showing a loss of more than 12 per cent from the corresponding week of 1910.

The bond market was firm. Total sales, par value, $4,348,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks were as follows:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers pfd	200	27¼	27	27
Amalgamated Copper	6,000	63⅝	62⅞	63⅜
American Agricultural				57½
American Beet Sugar	10,700	48	47	47¼
American Can	600	10¼	10⅛	10⅛
American C. & F.				52
American Cotton Oil	1,500	57⅝	57	57
American H. & L. pfd				22
Am. Ice Securities	200	23	23	22⅝
American Linseed				10½
American Locomotive	100	38	38	38
American S. & R.	300	75½	74⅝	74⅝
Am. S. & R. pfd	100	105	105	104¾
Am. Steel Foundries	200	43½	43½	43
Am. Sugar Refining	500	118	117⅝	117½
American T. & T.	2,100	149¼	148¾	148⅝
American Tobacco pfd	400	98¼	98⅛	98
American Woolen	300	33	33	33
Anaconda Mining Co.	100	37⅝	37⅝	37¼
Atchison	8,800	109⅞	109	109
Atchison pfd	300	103⅜	103⅜	103⅛
Atlantic Coast Line				123½
Baltimore & Ohio	400	105	105	104⅝
Bethlehem Steel				31½
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	5,200	78⅞	78⅜	78⅝
Canadian Pacific	14,600	236	232	234¼
Central Leather	200	27¾	27¼	27¼
Central Leather pfd	200	99	99	98½
Central of New Jersey				278
Chesapeake & Ohio	2,100	81¼	80⅝	80⅝
Chicago & Alton				20
Chicago G. W., new	300	21½	21½	21½
C. G. W. pfd				47½
Chicago & N. W.	400	145	145	144½
C., M. & St. P.	1,300	120⅜	120	119⅞
C., C., C. & St. L.				64
Colorado F. & I.				30
Colorado & Southern	100	53	53	53
Consolidated Gas	1,200	144⅝	144¼	144
Corn Products				14
Delaware & Hudson	100	170½	170½	169
Denver & R. G.				28¼
D. & R. G. pfd	800	65½	65	65
Distillers' Securities				34½
Erie	8,900	31⅛	30⅝	30⅝
Erie 1st pfd	500	48⅝	48½	48½
Erie 2d pfd	100	37⅝	37⅝	37
General Electric	300	157½	156½	157
Great Northern pfd	1,600	127¼	126⅝	126½
Great Northern Ore ctfs	500	60⅞	60⅝	60
Illinois Central				137⅝
Interborough Met.	2,800	19⅞	18⅝	18⅝
Int. Met. pfd	8,900	53⅛	52	52⅝
International Harvester	7,900	129⅜	126⅜	127⅞
Int. Marine pfd				16¾
International Paper				10
International Pump				40
Iowa Central	1,000	16½	16	16
Kansas City Southern	100	34¼	34¼	34½
K. C. So. pfd				67⅝
Laclede Gas	500	105⅝	105¼	105¼
Louisville & Nashville	100	146⅝	146⅝	146
Minn. & St. Louis				32½
M., St. P. & S. S. M.				138
M., K. & T.	200	32⅞	32¾	32⅞
M., K. & T. pfd				68
Missouri Pacific	1,400	49⅝	49¼	49¼
National Biscuit	1,600	138	136	136⅝
National Lead	100	52½	52½	52½
N. R. R. of M. 2d pfd	300	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝
New York Central	400	107	106⅝	106⅞
N. Y., O. & W.	200	42⅝	42⅝	42⅛
Norfolk & Western	800	106⅞	106⅝	106⅝
North American				73
Northern Pacific	2,500	124⅞	124¼	124¼
Pacific Mail	200	24¼	24¼	24¼
Pennsylvania, ex-div	4,100	122⅝	122¼	122¼
People's Gas	100	105½	104½	104
P., C., C. & St. L.				94
Pittsburg Coal	100	20⅝	20⅝	20¼
Pressed Steel Car				33½
Pullman Palace Car				160½
Railway Steel Spring				32¼
Reading	31,500	156	154⅞	155
Republic Steel	1,500	31½	31	30⅝
Republic Steel pfd				94½
Rock Island Co.	1,200	30⅝	30	30
Rock Island Co. pfd	200	63	62⅝	62¾
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	100	41	41	40½
St. Louis S. W.				30
St. L. S. W. pfd				66½
Sloss-Sheffield S. & I.				49⅝
Southern Pacific	1,400	115⅝	114⅝	114⅝
Southern Railway	500	27⅝	27	27¼
So. Railway pfd	600	64⅝	64½	64
Tennessee Copper	100	37¾	37⅜	36⅝
Texas & Pacific				26½
T., St. L. & W.	100	19⅞	19⅞	19
T., St. L. & W. pfd	200	49⅝	49⅝	48
Union Pacific	39,400	178⅝	177¼	177½
Union Pacific pfd	200	95	94½	94½
United States Realty	900	75	73⅝	75
United States Rubber	900	41½	41⅛	40⅝
United States Steel	61,600	75½	74⅝	74⅝
U. S. Steel pfd	400	119¼	119	119
Utah Copper	200	45	45	45
Va.-Car. Chemical, ex-div.	5,100	62½	61¼	61⅝
Wabash	200	16	16	16
Wabash pfd	100	36⅝	36⅝	36
Western Maryland	400	55	54⅝	54½
Westinghouse Electric				65½
Western Union	7,400	75⅜	74½	74⅝
Wheeling & L. E.				4¼
Lehigh Valley	6,200	175⅜	174½	174⅝

Total sales for the day, 327,000 shares.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, May 5.—MONEY—On call, steady at 2¼@2½ per cent; ruling rate, 2⅜ per cent; closing bid, 2⅛ per cent; offered at 2¼ per cent. Time loans, firm; sixty days, 2½ per cent; ninety days, 2¾@3 per cent; six months, 3@3¼ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—3½@4 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8450 for sixty-day bills and at $4.8645 for demand; commercial bills, $4.83⅝.

SILVER—Bar, 53¼c; Mexican dollars, 45c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, firm.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	101	Int. M. M. 4½s	66⅞
do coupon	101	*Japan 4s	88¼
U. S. 3s, reg.	101⅝	do 4½s	94
do coupon	101⅝	*K. C. So. 1st 3s	73¼
U. S. 4s, reg.	114⅝	L. S. deb. 4s 1931	94½
do coupon	115	L. & N. uni. 4s	98⅞
Allis-Chal. 1st 5s	76⅜	*M. K. & T. 1st 4s	96⅞
Am. Ag. 5s	101⅝	*do gen. 4s	87¼
Am. T. & T. cv. 4s	110⅝	Mo. Pacific 4s	77⅝
*Am. Tobacco 4s	85¼	*N. R. R. of M. 4½s	91
*do 6s	107⅛	*N. Y. C. g. 3½s	85½
Armour & Co. 4½s	93	*do deb. 4s	93⅞
Atchison gen. 4s	99⅜	*N. Y., N. H. & H. cv. 6s	133
do cv. 4s	109½	*N. & W. 1st c. 4s	98½
do cv. 5s	111½	do cv. 4s	106⅝
A. C. L. 1st 4s	95¼	No. Pacific 4s	100¼
Bal. & Ohio 4s	98⅝	do 3s	71⅛
do 3½s	92½	O. S. L. rfdg. 4s	94¼
*do S. W. 3½s	91½	Penn. cv. 3½s 1915	97
Brook. Tr. cv. 4s	84⅞	*do con. 4s	103⅝
Cen. of Ga. 5s	108½	Reading gen. 4s	97⅝
Cen. Leather 5s	99	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	82⅝
C. of N. J. g. 5s	122½	do con. 4s	85½
*Ches. & Ohio 4½s	100⅝	St. L. S. W. c. 4s	79½
do ref. 5s	96¼	do 1st gold 4s	91¼
**Chicago & A. 3½s	69⅞	S. A. L. 4s	87
C., B. & Q. j. 4s	96⅝	So. Pac. col. 4s	92½
do gen. 4s	97¼	do cv. 4s	97⅝
C. M. & S. P. g 3½s	92⅝	do 1st ref. 4s	95½
C. R. I. & P. c. 4s	76⅞	So. Railway 5s	108⅝
do rfg. 4s	89⅝	do gen. 4s	79⅝
Colo. Ind. 5s	75	Union Pacific 4s	101⅝
*Colo. Mid. 4s	62	do cv. 4s	105¼
C. & S. r. & e. 4½s	99⅝	do 1st & ref. 4s	97⅞
*D. & H. cv. 4s	99	*U. S. Rubber 6s	104½
*D. & R. G. 4s	92⅝	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	106⅛
do ref. 5s	91½	Va.-Car. Chem. 5s	101½
*Distillers' 5s	77⅝	Wabash 1st 5s	108⅝
Erie p. l. 4s	86¾	do 1st & ex. 4s	68⅝
do gen. 4s	75¼	Western Md. 4s	86⅞
do cv. 4s, ser. A	79	West. Elec. cv. 5s	93
do series B	72⅝	Wis. Central 4s	93½
Gen. Elec. cv. 5s	156	Mo. Pac. cv. 5s	93⅝
Ill. Cen. 1st ref. 4s	97½		
Int. Met. 4½s	79⅝		

*Bid. **Offered.

New York Curb Market.

The following quotations are furnished by Logan & Bryan, members New York Stock exchange, 315 South Sixteenth street:

Amer. Tobacco	467	Nevada Cons	18⅝
Bay State Gas	38	Newhouse	73
Butte Coalition	17¼	Nevada-Utah	34
Cactus	16	Ohio Copper	1⅝
Chino	24⅝	Rawhide Coalition	4¼
Davis-Daly	1⅝	Ray Central	1 1-16
Ely Central	3	Swift Pkg. Co.	101⅝
Ely Cons	34	Sears-Roebuck Co.	143¼
Giroux	6	Superior & Pittsburg	14½
Belmont	6½	Trinity Copper	4
Greene Cananea	6½	United Copper	14½
Inspiration	7⅝	North Lake	6⅝
Larose	4⅝		

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, May 5.—American securities opened steady and about unchanged today. During the first hour prices advanced on light covering. At noon the market wa

steady and from ⅛ to ¼c higher than yesterday's New York closing.

London closing stock quotations:

Consols, money	81¼	Louisville & Nash	158
do account	81⅜	Mo., Kan. & Texas	32⅞
Amal. Copper	64⅞	N. Y. Central	109⅞
Anaconda	7⅞	Norfolk & Western	109⅝
Atchison	112⅝	do pfd	90
do pfd	106	Ontario & Western	43½
Baltimore & Ohio	108	Pennsylvania	63⅞
Canadian Pacific	240	Rand Mines	7⅞
Chesapeake & Ohio	81	Reading	79⅞
Chi. Great Western	22	Southern Railway	28
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	122¾	do pfd	65
De Beers	18⅜	Southern Pacific	115¼
Denver & Rio G.	29⅜	Union Pacific	181¼
do pfd	67⅞	do pfd	96½
Erie	32⅜	U. S. Steel	77¼
do 1st pfd	49⅝	do pfd	122½
do 2d pfd	39	Wabash	16⅝
Grand Trunk	27⅞	do pfd	37¼
Illinois Central	141¼		

SILVER—Bar, steady at 24 9-16d per ounce.

MONEY—1½@1¾ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills is 2 3-16 per cent.

REPORT OF THE CLEARING HOUSE

Transactions of the Associated Banks for the Week.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending May 4 shows an aggregate of $3,329,129,000, as against $2,730,374,000 last week and $3,765,014,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the cities:

CITIES.	Clearings.	Inc.	Dec.
New York	$2,006,880,000		17.2
Chicago	302,480,000	1.2	
Boston	156,219,000		11.2
Philadelphia	170,450,000		6.9
St. Louis	72,397,000		5.5
Kansas City	48,114,000	1.3	
Pittsburg	56,836,000		2.0
San Francisco	50,529,000	11.6	
Baltimore	37,523,000	15.7	
Cincinnati	24,830,000		9.0
Minneapolis	20,686,000	3.1	
Cleveland	20,330,000	4.5	
New Orleans	16,281,000	3.5	
Detroit	19,763,000	13.3	
OMAHA	15,074,000		7.3
Los Angeles	20,406,000	25.0	
Louisville	11,093,000		14.3
Milwaukee	13,211,000	12.2	
Seattle	10,234,000		16.0
St. Paul	10,817,000		13.8
Atlanta	11,578,000	19.6	
Portland, Ore	11,807,000	22.1	
Buffalo	10,362,000	5.9	
Denver	8,698,000		7.5
Indianapolis	8,435,000		10.1
Providence	8,614,000	5.2	
Richmond	7,789,000		3.3
Washington	8,103,000	4.0	
St. Joseph	6,421,000		.07
Fort Worth	5,321,000		22.0
Memphis	6,382,000	22.7	
Salt Lake City	5,642,000		24.8
Columbus	5,614,000		14.7
Albany	5,495,000		10.9
Tacoma	4,229,000		16.2
Savannah	5,570,000	47.3	
Spokane	4,105,000		16.6
Toledo	4,665,000	1.9	
Hartford	5,002,000	13.5	
Rochester	5,063,000	1.6	
Des Moines	5,094,000	6.3	
Nashville	4,934,000	36.4	
Duluth	2,635,000		39.3
Wichita	3,235,000	12.8	
Peoria	3,135,000	5.6	
Norfolk	3,694,000	23.0	
Oakland	3,257,000	.4	
Sioux City	2,630,000		8.2
New Haven	3,080,000	13.9	
Grand Rapids	2,667,000		11.4
Scranton	2,893,000		2.2
Birmingham	2,835,000	12.4	
Jacksonville, Fla	3,063,000	15.0	
Oklahoma City	2,141,000		16.1
Syracuse	2,846,000		.6
Augusta, Ga	1,657,000		14.1
Worcester	2,156,000		5.8
Evansville	2,555,000	3.3	
Springfield, Mass	2,238,000		26.7
Dayton	2,211,000	1.3	
Portland, Me	2,077,000		3.3
Wheeling	1,907,000		9.2
Little Rock	2,031,000	22.2	
Charleston	1,609,000	3.2	
Knoxville	1,757,000		1.5
Chattanooga	1,526,000		9.8
Lincoln	1,778,000	18.1	
Davenport	1,676,000		13.8
Wilmington	1,400,000		
Mobile	1,817,000	4.0	
Wilkesbarre	1,406,000		11.8
Kalamazoo	764,000	9.3	
Sacramento	1,592,000	25.0	
Topeka	1,734,000	25.2	
Cedar Rapids	1,500,000	19.6	
Macon	2,972,000	190.2	
Fall River	1,071,000		
Youngstown	1,074,000		12.3
New Bedford	1,052,000		
Springfield, Ill	1,044,000		2.6
Fort Wayne	1,068,000		8.1
Canton	1,125,000	2.9	
Sioux Falls	1,136,000	27.0	
Akron	782,000		5.7
Helena	882,000		21.1
Columbia, S. C.	974,000	5.4	
Lexington	783,000	4.9	
Fargo	311,000		16.4
Erie	851,000		9.7
Rockford	696,000		9.9
Quincy	757,000	12.1	
Bloomington	638,000	12.5	
Chester, Pa	594,000	29.1	
Springfield, O	500,000		16.6
South Bend, Ind	578,000	1.7	
Lowell	566,000	5.6	
Jackson, Miss	484,000		.6
Binghamton	561,000	25.7	
Decatur	378,000		25.5
Mansfield	371,000		1.0
Fremont	362,000		4.4
Vicksburg	256,000		4.1
Jacksonville, Ill	456,000		25.6
York, Pa	1,063,000		
Waterloo, Ia	1,364,000		
*Houston	20,843,000		25.9
*Galveston	14,595,000	5.8	

*Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.

Local securities.

Quotations furnished by Burns, Brinker & Co., 449 New Omaha National bank building:

	Bid.	Asked.
Beemer municipal 5s	99	100
Columbia Fire	200	....
Colorado Tel. Co. 7 per cent	54¼	55
Chicago Railway 5s, 1927	99	99½
City of Omaha 4½s, 1931	104¾	105⅞
Cudahy Packing 5s, 1924	99	99½
Denver Gas & Elec. 5s, 1949	89½	90½
East St. Louis & Sub. 5s, 1932	98¼	98¾
Fairmont Creamery 1st g. 6 per cent	99½	100
Fairmont Creamery pfd, 7 per cent	99	100
Iowa Portland Cement 6s	..	98
K. C., M. & O. 4s, 1951	65	75
Kansas City R. & L. 5s, 1913	97¼	98
Omaha Water 5s, 1946	92¼	93¼
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. 5s, 1928	96½	97½
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. pfd 5s	..	82
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry., com	.....	47½
Omaha & C. B. R. & B.	63	66
Omaha Gas 5s, 1917	97½	98
Portland G. & C. 6s, 1940	98	99
Tri-City R. & L., 1923	97½	98½
Swift & Co., 5s, 1914	100½	101
Seattle Electric 5s, 1930	98	99

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, May 5.—Closing quotations on stocks were as follows:

Allouez	50	Mohawk	58
Amal. Copper	63⅝	Nevada Con.	18⅝
A. Z. L. & S.	24⅝	Nipissing Mines	10⅝
Arizona Com.	15½	North Butte	26¼
Atlantic	5¾	North Lake	6½
B. & C. C. & S. M.	12½	Old Dominion	39½
Butte Coalition	17⅝	Osceola	100
Cal. & Arizona	61	*Parrott S. & C.	11⅝
Cal. & Hecla	480	Quincy	65
Centennial	11½	Shannon	10⅝
Copper Range C. C.	61	Superior	32
East Butte C. M.	15⅝	Superior & B. M.	4½
Franklin	9½	Superior & P. C.	14½
Giroux Con.	6⅛	Tamarack	24½
Granby Con.	32¼	U. S. S. R. & M.	34
Greene Cananea	6 1-16	do pfd	46½
Isle Royale Copper	13⅝	Utah Con.	14
Kerr Lake	6⅛	Utah Copper Co.	44⅝
Lake Copper	32½	Winona	6⅛
La Salle Copper	5½	Wolverine	108
Miami Copper	5⅝		

*Bid.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

Alice	200	*Little Chief	5
Com. Tunnel stock	25	Mexican	300
*do bonds	19	Ontario	150
Con. Cal. & Va.	125	Ophir	180
Horn Silver	25	*Standard	100
*Iron Silver	140	Yellow Jacket	38
*Leadville Con.	10		

*Offered.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, May 5.—Bank clearings for today were $2,527,928.54 and for the corresponding date last year $2,790,774.27.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, May 5.—METALS—Standard copper, dull; spot and futures, $11.60@11.70. London market firm; spot, £53 17s 6d; futures, £54 10s. Locally, lake, $12.37½@12.50; electrolytic, $12.12½@12.25; casting, $11.87½@12.00. Tin, firm; spot and futures, $41.00@42.00. Lead, dull; $4.40@4.50, New York; $4.25@4.35, East St. Louis. London, £12 17s 6d. Spelter, dull; $5.40@5.45, New York; $5.30@5.30, East St. Louis. London, £24 5s. Antimony, dull; Cookson's, $9.00@9.50. Iron, quiet.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—METALS—Lead, dull, at $4.27½. Spelter, quiet, at $5.27½.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, May 5.—DRY GOODS—The cotton goods market holds steady, with a very light trade passing in samples. Yarns are quiet. Jobbers say trade is light and very small orders are being placed by retailers when anything is done. Wools are easier, with a better movement reported.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Receipts Light and Little Change in Prices.

HOGS STEADY TO FIVE LOWER

Stronger Prices Paid for the Better Grades of Sheep and Lambs, While the Trade is Fairly Active.

SOUTH OMAHA, May 5, 1911.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	2,798	3,625	3,289
Official Tuesday	4,559	9,051	8,462
Official Wednesday	5,230	17,216	9,479
Official Thursday	4,063	13,823	6,796
Estimated Friday	542	7,500	1,539
Five days this week	17,202	51,215	29,555
Same days last week	14,803	64,955	36,242
Same days 2 weeks ago	20,946	52,984	31,206
Same days 3 weeks ago	17,789	50,816	29,741
Same days 4 weeks ago	14,449	42,384	29,111
Same days last year	18,981	28,128	23,798

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date as compared with last year:

	1911.	1910.	Inc.
Cattle	358,745	348,754	9,991
Hogs	911,988	749,988	162,000
Sheep	614,954	522,927	92,030

The following table shows the range of prices on hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

Dates.	1911.	1910.	1909.	1908.	1907.	1906.	1905.
April 27	5 85¾	9 61	6 96	5 26	6 35	6 34	5 16
April 28	5 81¾	9 08	7 06	5 28	*	6 25	5 10
April 29	5 74	9 12	7 01	5 34	6 35	*	5 11
April 30	*	9 14	6 98	5 46	6 28	6 29	*
May 1	5 60¾	*	6 95	5 41	6 24	6 28	5 11
May 2	5 74	9 01	*	5 34	6 24	6 27	5 12
May 3	5 62¾	8 94	7 01	*	6 28	6 27	5 19
May 4	5 61¼	9 00	7 04	5 26	6 25	6 21	5 25
May 5	5 60¾	9 19	7 00	5 38	*	6 15	5 30

*Sunday.

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock yards, South Omaha, for twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. yesterday:

RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	H'r's.
C., M. & St. P.	..	1	..	..
Wabash	..	3	..	..
Missouri Pacific	..	2	..	..
Union Pacific	6	32	..	5
C. & N. W., east	1	2	..	..
C. & N. W., west	5	41	1	..
C., St. P., M. & O.	3	1	..	..
C., B. & Q., west	6	20	1	..
C., B. & Q., east	1	3	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west	..	1	..	..
Illinois Central	..	1	..	..
Total receipts	22	114	7	5

DISPOSITION.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	168	786	.....
Swift and Company	108	1,004	572
Cudahy Packing Co.	203	1,740	745
Armour & Co.	119	854	317
Murphy	..	682	.....
J. B. Root & Co.	8	.....	.....
J. H. Bulla	3	.....	.....
McCreary & Carey	1	.....	.....
S. Wertheimer	10	.....	.....
Other buyers	74	.....	.....
Totals	685	7,754	1,634

CATTLE—Receipts of cattle this morning were very light as usual on a Friday, and as a matter of fact, there were hardly enough cattle of any one kind in sight to really make a market. The trade was in about the same condition as usual on a Friday, there being an entire absence of any new or especially interesting features.

What few beef steers there were in sight were generally disposed of by 10 o'clock in the morning, although the trade was at no time active. Prices paid were, in the main, steady with yesterday, there not being enough change to quote.

The better grades of cows and heifers were in fair demand and they also sold at steady prices. Inferior kinds were a little slow and the market was dull and weak on that kind.

There were no stockers and feeders in of any consequence and not enough along that line to really make a market.

For the week light and handy-weight beeves and the best heavies are around 10c higher than at last week's close, with other grades about steady. Cows and heifers are fully steady for the week, with good light heifers possibly a litle stronger. Bulls have not shown much change and they are at least steady and possibly strong in spots. Stockers and feeders have been in light supply and light demand, with prices anywhere from weak to 10@15c lower.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beef steers, $5.70@6.00; fair to good beef steers, $5.40@5.70; common to fair beef steers, $5.00@5.40; good to choice cows and heifers, $4.75@5.50; fair to good cows and heifers, $4.20@4.75; common to fair cows and heifers, $2.75@4.25; good to choice stockers and feeders, $5.40@5.60; fair to good stockers and feeders, $5.25@5.40; common to fair stockers and feeders, $4.25@5.25; stock heifers, $4.25@5.00; veal calves, $4.00@6.25; bulls, stags, etc., $3.75@4.90.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
14	675	5 35	21	1181	5 70
7	1064	5 40	18	1387	5 70
24	1079	5 45	25	1043	5 70
18	1138	5 55	21	1210	5 75
20	1021	5 55	18	1072	5 75
23	1064	5 60	27	1277	5 80
11	1203	5 60	16	1470	5 80
20	1155	5 65	16	1224	5 80
11	1163	5 65	11	1210	5 90

STEERS, HEIFERS AND COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
14	968	4 45	15	936	5 50
22	912	4 90	13	811	5 60
10	777	5 25	10	1152	5 75
6	822	5 30	6	755	5 75

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	790	3 25	10	1132	4 65
3	1126	4 00	10	1194	4 75
3	1203	4 55	15	1199	5 00

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	626	5 00	2	500	5 15
12	591	5 15			

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	810	4 25	1	1600	4 85
3	836	4 50	1	1150	4 90
1	1620	4 85	1	570	5 10
1	1440	4 85			

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
5	474	4 75	1	140	6 25
1	480	5 50	1	150	6 25
2	260	5 75	3	135	6 25
1	190	6 00	3	155	6 35

HOGS—Trade in hogs acted saggy this morning, but was fairly resistant early. Some business was done during opening rounds at figures generally steady, but demand proved dull and the market gradually weakened, closing a nickel lower. Cost of loads gathered in larger droves averaged within this margin spread.

Supplies were normal for a Friday, amounting to fully 7,000 head with assortment of weights and quality much the same as recently. Packers furnished main outlet for offerings, but speculative orders were also presented with some frequency. Almost 10 per cent of receipts moved through channels other than local packing.

Clearance was draggy but decreased shipments made it possible to empty most of the pens in very good season. Long strings ranged from $5.55 to $5.65, good butchers selling around $5.60. Best bacon animals made a $5.75 top, a price that was also yesterday's high limit.

For the five days this week receipts give a total that is much smaller than the heavy five-day supply last week, as well as much larger than receipts of the same period last year. Present prices show declines of 10@20c from those of last week's close.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
62	209	...	5 50	66	254	...	5 60
48	311	240	5 50	44	267	...	5 60
66	283	...	5 50	60	251	40	5 60
65	312	40	5 50	62	278	80	5 60
64	281	80	5 50	46	259	...	5 60
65	302	80	5 55	77	256	320	5 60
62	294	...	5 55	64	255	40	5 60
63	313	80	5 55	62	268	80	5 60
61	302	...	5 55	73	256	200	5 60
62	262	...	5 55	75	242	...	5 60
69	277	80	5 55	42	263	80	5 60
30	295	...	5 55	74	264	...	5 60
21	300	120	5 55	66	246	160	5 62½
42	302	180	5 55	63	261	...	5 62½
60	258	40	5 55	67	257	160	5 62½
56	301	...	5 55	68	249	...	5 62½
69	273	80	5 55	66	249	...	5 65
48	269	80	5 55	77	227	40	5 65
50	328	80	5 55	69	264	160	5 65
59	292	80	5 55	68	250	80	5 65
60	295	80	5 55	57	220	240	5 65
62	254	120	5 55	76	236	...	5 65
58	294	80	5 55	73	234	...	5 65
62	301	80	5 55	74	247	80	5 65
49	298	160	5 55	69	260	80	5 65
64	284	80	5 55	61	231	40	5 65
47	260	...	5 55	67	232	40	5 65
49	277	240	5 55	80	217	...	5 65
46	268	80	5 57½	61	214	40	5 65
74	224	160	5 57½	85	236	120	5 65
65	252	80	5 57½	72	220	80	5 65
64	308	...	5 57½	72	214	80	5 65
65	304	80	5 57½	80	229	160	5 65
66	270	...	5 57½	75	228	200	5 65
66	256	40	5 60	61	250	...	5 65
72	250	40	5 60	68	241	40	5 65
74	237	...	5 60	69	224	...	5 65
64	268	...	5 60	74	271	...	5 65
66	278	...	5 60	73	237	...	5 65
71	250	120	5 60	59	207	...	5 65
22	273	...	5 60	66	235	...	5 65
76	247	40	5 60	80	242	80	5 65
70	259	...	5 60	69	234	...	5 65
26	246	80	5 60	72	236	160	5 65
22	279	...	5 60	72	247	...	5 65
49	253	200	5 60	72	235	40	5 67½
65	260	...	5 60	69	224	...	5 70
68	229	40	5 60	43	185	...	5 70
67	234	120	5 60	75	243	...	5 70
84	221	120	5 60	62	228	200	5 70
78	247	...	5 60	67	240	...	5 70
62	279	40	5 60	66	221	40	5 70

69	286	...	5 80	64	266	40	5 75
67	252	80	5 68	70	233	40	5 70
72	231	160	5 80	78	258	80	5 70
69	264	...	5 80	61	279	...	5 75
66	226	...	5 80	75	297	...	5 75

SHEEP—There was not much volume to sheep and lamb trade this morning and prices actually paid showed a little improvement over those of yesterday. About eight doubles of stock arrived, including choice wooled lambs, shorn lambs and shorn ewes. As compared with yesterday the general market ruled quotably strong.

Mexican lambs in fleece brought the highest price noted in many days, $6.20, and shorn westerns moved around $4.75. Offerings of mutton sheep were even more limited than lamb shipments, but one consignment of shorn ewes changed hands at $3.85. The wether and yearling branches of the market were practically barren.

Daily receipts this week give a total of about 27,000 head, well up to a seasonable average. Lambs made up the bulk, a condition of long standing, and shorn and wooled strings were about evenly divided. Business in various classes of sheep on most days was hardly large enough to properly try out the scale of values.

Demand lately has had a much better edge than last week and the entire trade is closing strong to unevenly higher. Good lambs, both wooled and shorn, claim the long end of any advance, present prices appearing, 15@25c above quotations a week ago. Sheep of all kinds range from strong to possibly 15c higher in spots for the week. These margins fail to do full justice to conditions, however, as improvement is best reflected by more active inquiry.

Quotations, Wooled: Spring lambs, $5.00@9.00; Mexican lambs, $5.85@6.20; western lambs, $5.25@5.85; yearlings, $4.40@4.90; wethers, $4.10@4.60; ewes, $3.50@4.35.

Quotations, Shorn: Mexican lambs, $4.75@5.10; western lambs, $4.35@4.85; heavy lambs, $4.15@4.40; yearlings, $3.85@4.35; wethers, $3.75@4.15; ewes, $3.40@4.00.

Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
554	Mexican lambs	81	6 20
142	western shorn lamsb	85	4 75
20	western shorn lambs, culls	56	3 25
317	western shorn lambs	81	4 50
201	western shorn lambs	82	4 50
190	western ewes, shorn	109	3 85
5	spring lambs	50	8 00

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Strong—Hogs Weak—Sheep and Lambs Steady.

CHICAGO, May 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500 head. Market strong. Beeves, $5.00@6.40; Texas steers, $4.60@5.50; western steers, $4.80@5.60; stockers and feeders, $4.00@5.40; cows and heifers, $2.40@5.60; calves, $4.50@6.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 20,000 head. Market weak. Light, $5.65@6.50; mixed, $5.65@6.00; heavy, $5.50@5.85; rough, $5.50@5.65; good to choice heavy, $5.65@5.85; pigs, $5.50@5.96; bulk of sales, $5.80@5.95.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 5,000 head. Market firm. Native, $3.00@4.65; western, $3.25@4.65; yearlings, $4.40@5.40; native lambs, $4.25@6.40; western lambs, $4.75@5.60.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 900 head, including 100 Texans. Market steady. Native shipping and export steers, $5.75@6.60; dressed beef and butcher steers, $5.40@6.50; steers under 1,000 lbs., $5.00@6.25; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.55; cows and heifers, $3.50@6.25; canners, $3.00@3.35; bulls, $3.75@5.50; calves, $5.00@8.50. Texas and Indian steers, $4.50@6.15; cows and heifers, $3.50@5.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,500 head. Market 5c lower. Pigs and lights, $5.00@6.00; packers, $5.75@5.90; butchers and best heavy, $5.85@5.95.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 200 head. Market steady. Natives, $3.75@4.35; lambs, $5.75@6.25; culls and bucks, $3.00@3.50; stockers, $2.00@3.00.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500 head, no southerns; market steady; dressed beef and export steers, $5.75@6.25; fair to good, $5.25@5.70; western steers, $4.75@5.90; stockers and feeders, $4.75@5.80; southern steers, $4.25@5.75; southern cows, $3.25@4.75; native cows, $3.00@5.25; native heifers, $4.50@6.00; bulls, $4.00@5.00; calves, $4.00@6.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,800 head; market 5@10c lower; bulk of sales, $5.75@5.85; heavy, $5.75@6.80; packers and butchers, $5.75@5.85; lights, $5.80@5.87½.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 3,000 head; market steady; Texas wethers, $4.10; lambs, $5.00@6.10; yearlings, $4.50@5.25; ewes, $3.50@4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.00@3.75.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, May 5.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500 head. Market steady; steers, $4.50@6.00; cows and heifers, $3.50@5.75; calves, $3.00@6.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000 head. Market 5c lower; top, $5.90; bulk of sales, $5.70@5.85.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,000 head. Market strong to 10c higher; lambs, $5.00@6.20.

Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the five principal western markets yesterday:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	500	7,500	1,500
St. Joseph	500	5,000	1,000
Kansas City	500	8,800	3,000
St. Louis	900	10,500	200
Chicago	1,500	20,000	5,000
Totals	3,900	51,800	10,700

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

BUTTER—Creamery, No. 1 delivered to the retail trade in 1-lb. cartons, 24c; No. 2, in 30-lb. tubs, 22c; No. 2, in 1-lb. cartons, 22c; packing stock, solid pack, 13c; dairy, in 60-lb. tubs, 14@16c; market changes every Tuesday.

CHEESE—Twins, 14½@15c; young Americas, 17@17½c; daisies, 16c; triplets, 15½c; limberger, 18c; No. 1 brick, 15½; imported Swiss, 32c; domestic Swiss, 22c; block Swiss, 19c.

POULTRY—Dressed broilers, under 2 lbs., $6.00 per doz.; hens, 16c; cocks, 12½c; ducks, 20c; geese, 15c; turkeys, 25c; pigeons per doz., $1.20; homer squabs, per doz., $4.00; fancy squabs, per doz., $3.50; No. 1, per doz., $3.00. Alive: Broilers, 25c, 1¼ to 1½ lbs., and 1½ to 2 lbs., 20c; smooth legs, 14c; hens, 12c; stags, 10c; old roosters, 8c; old ducks, full feathered, 13½c; geese, full feathered, 5c; turkeys, 11c; guinea fowls, 30c each; pigeons, per doz., 90c; homers, per doz., $3.00; squabs, No. 1, per doz., $1.20; No. 2, per doz., 50c; capons, over 8 lbs., 14c; old turkeys 14c.

BEEF CUTS—Ribs: No. 1, 13c; No. 2, 11½c; No. 3, 11c. Loins: No. 1, 14½c; No. 2, 12½c; No. 3, 12c. Chucks: No. 1, 7½c; No. 2, 7¼c; No. 3, 7¼c. Round: No. 1, 9½c; No. 2, 9½c; No. 3, 9¼c. Plate: No. 1, 5½c; No. 2, 5¼c; No. 3, 5c.

FISH (all frozen)—Pickerel, 9c; white, 15c; pike, 14c; trout, 11c; large crappies, 6@20c; Spanish mackerel, 19c; eel, 18c; haddock, 13c; flounders, 13c; green catfish, 16c; roe shad, $1 each; shad roe, per pair, 55c; frog legs, per doz., 35c; salmon, 10c; halibut, 7c; herring, 7c.

FRUITS—Apples, Kansas pippins and Jonathans, 4½ tier, per box, $2.50; Kansas Ganos, per box, $2.50. Bananas, fancy select, per bunch, $2.25@2.50; Jumbo, bunch, $2.75@3.75. Dates, Anchor brand, new, 30 1-lb. pkgs. in boxes, per box, $2.00; bulk in 70-lb. boxes, per lb., 6½c. Figs, Turkish 7-crown, per lb., 16c; 5-crown, per lb., 14c; 4-crown, per lb., 13c. Grape fruit, Florida, 54-64-80 sizes, per box, $5.00; 36-46 sizes, per box, $4.25. Lemons, Limoneira brand, extra fancy, 300-360 sizes, per box, $5.00; fancy, 300-360 sizes, per box, $4.50; 240 size, 50c per box less. Oranges, Camelia Redlands navels, all sizes, per box, $3.25@3.75; fancy navels, 80-96-126 sizes, $3.00; 150 and smaller sizes, $3.25@3.50; California Jaffa oranges, 150 and larger sizes, per box, $3.00; 176 and smaller sizes, per box, $3.25. Pineapples, 24-30-36 sizes, per crate, $4.75. Strawberries, Louisiana, per 24-pint case, $1.75@2.00; Arkansas, per 24-quart case, $3.00.

VEGETABLES—Beans, string and wax, per hamper, $3.50. Beets, per bu., 75c. Cabbage, New York, per lb., 2¼c; California new, per lb., 2½c. Carrots, per lb., 2c. Cucumbers, hot house, 1½ and 2 doz. in box, per doz., $2.00. Egg plant, fancy Florida, per doz., $1.50. Garlic, extra fancy, white, per lb., 15c. Lettuce, extra fancy leaf, per doz., 45c. Onions, Texas Bermuda, white, per crate, $2.25; yellow, per crate, $2.00. Onion sets, white, per bu., 32 lbs., $1.75; yellow, per bu., 32 lbs., $1.00; red, per bu., 32 lbs., $1.25. Parsley, fancy southern, per doz. bunches, 50c. Parsnips, per lb., 2c. Potatoes, Iowa and Wisconsin, white stock, per bu., 85@90c; Colorado, per bu., $1.00; new stock, per lb., 5c; per hamper, $2.75. Rutabagas, per lb., 1¼c. Tomatoes, Florida, per 6-bsk. crate, fancy, $3.00; choice, $2.50. Turnips, per bu., 75c.

MISCELLANEOUS—Almonds, California soft shell, per lb., 18c; in sack lots, 1c less. Brazil nuts, per lb., 12c; in sack lots, 1c less. Cocoanuts, per sack, $5.00; per doz., 75c. Filberts, per lb., 14c; in sack lots, 1c less. Hickorynuts, large, per lb., 5c; small, per lb., 6c. Peanuts, roasted, per lb., 8c; raw, per lb., 6½c. Pecans, large, per lb., 16c; in sack lots, 1c less. Walnuts, black, per lb., 2½c; California, per lb., 19c; in sack lots 1c less. Cider, New York, Mott's, per bbl., $6.75. Honey, new, 24 frames, $3.75.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, May 5.—SUGAR—Steady; Muscovado, 89 test, 3.30c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.80c; molasses sugar, 89 test, 3.05c; refined, steady.

Omaha Hay Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—WOOL—Unchanged; territory and western mediums, 15@17c; fine mediums, 13@15c; fine, 11@12c.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Brighter Outlook for Wheat Crop Makes Better Feeling.

VOLUME OF TRADE IS STILL SLOW

Fundamental Conditions Are Favorable, But Enterprises Await Removal of Uncertainties and More Faith in Future.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Dun's Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

The brighter outlook for the wheat crop is responsible for a better feeling in business, but the volume of trade, while necessarily large, is nevertheless slow, halting and without enthusiasm. Taken in the aggregate, especially in iron and steel and dry goods, consumption is below producing capacity and concessions in prices fail to produce activity.

Fundamental conditions are favorable, but enterprise continues to wait for the removal of uncertainties and for that leadership which is born of faith in the future. The export trade is more vigorous than the domestic, because manufacturers, no longer finding the home market sufficient, are seeking outlets abroad. General dullness prevails in the pig iron market and advances from Pittsburg indicate new business in finished lines and on smaller scale.

Railroad buying continues spasmodic and one mill has closed down for May, but in the structural division conditions are more satisfactory.

Curtailment is the order in cotton goods while woolens are affected by tariff agitation.

The shoe trade is fair, but not up to high-water mark. The mail order houses complain of reduced orders. The retail trade does not hold the improvement resulting from better weather.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Trade and Industry Remains Quiet with Less Activity.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Trade and industry remains quiet with less activity than last week. Cool weather with frosts, rains or snow north, east and west, and excessive moisture south, have made for quiet in retail lines and retarded crop growth or preparation.

Reorder business in wearing apparel and spring goods has been checked by backward retail demand, while futures are affected by crop and tariff uncertainties. Lowered prices for manufactured goods have evoked some response, but not enough to remove the impression that stocks are larger than anticipated.

Industry has been quieter, notably in building, because of sporadic strikes. Still May 1 has brought less than expected disturbances. Iron and steel have been quieter with a slowing down of output. More furnaces will be blown out next week.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending May 4 were 234 against 240 last week.

Business failures in Canada for the week number twenty-six with twenty-six last week and eighteen in the corresponding week of last year.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending May 4 aggregate 1,944,327 bushels against 1,685,666 last week and 1,854,070 this week last year.

Corn exports for the week are 275,939 bushels against 733,567 last week and 205,973 in 1910.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, May 5.—COFFEE—Futures closed quiet, net 2 points higher to 3 points lower; May, 10.60c; July, 10.49c; August, 10.39c; September, 10.25c. Spot coffee, quiet, No. 7 Rio, 11⅛c; No. 4 Santos, 12¾c. Mild, dull; Cordova, 13@15c.

COST OF SICKNESS ENORMOUS

Hundreds of Millions Lost Annually by American Wage Earners.

Notwithstanding the great advances made in preventive medicine and sanitary science, it is likely that most people still regard sickness as a visitation of Providence and something to be endured rather than to be cured. Informed persons, of course, know that typhoid and other diseases can be prevented by sanitation, and effective work is being done in this way against the great white plague itself, but few are aware of the tremendous money loss annually through preventable disease.

The indefatigable Germans have the problem reduced statistically to fractions of lives and to "pfennige," and a beginning has been made in America in the work of collecting information to indicate the exact extent and character of the problem to be dealt with. A hypothesis warranted by European experience is that in an industrial population of the age of 15 and over, with two males for one female, there will be fifty cases of disability per annum for each 100 persons employed. Of these fifty cases five will result from accidents. Reduced to other terms, this means, approximately, 1,000 days per annum of disability, or ten days per employe. The city of Leipsig has for many years collected disability statistics, and these show further that the number of days of sickness per employe increases with age. For ages under 15 the average disability is about six days, and this increases to 9.5 per days at ages 35-39, twenty-one days at ages 60-64 and forty days at ages over 75.

A conservative estimate of the wage earners in America in 1910, 15 years of age and over of both sexes, is 35,000,000, and of this number at least 40 per cent may be assumed to experience during the year some disability from sickness or accident which will prevent the unfortunate from working. This means that during each year there will be 13,400,000 cases of disability. The German statistics show an average period of disability of 8.5 days and in view of the poorer sanitary conditions in this country it is perfectly safe to assume that average in America. This would give us, on the basis of 13,400,000 disabled, approximately 284,750,000 days lost annually by American wage earners. Estimating the average wage at $1.50 per day, we have a direct loss in wages of approximately $428,000,000 annually.

Another loss to be taken into consideration is what the sick ones must pay for medicine and a physician's attendance, and this could hardly be less than $1 per day. This means over $284,000,000 annually. Still another loss, based on the assumption that sickness will reduce the value of output at least 50 cents per day, is over $142,000,000 annually. Adding the three losses together we have an annual drain on industry from sickness of over $800,000,000.

If the humanitarian aspect of the question does not command the co-operation of all enlightened people in reducing the amount of preventable sickness, certainly the economic loss should be impressive.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Pessimistic Publisher.

The magazine publisher sighed.

"There is no doubt that the world is steadily getting worse and worse," he said.

"Why, where did you find that idea?" the bystander inquired.

"In my own magazine," the publisher replied. "It is the essential thought of a new series that costs me a great deal of money. Everybody should read it."

"I will look it up," said the courteous bystander.

"Price 15 cents at all news stands," said the publisher mournfully.

And he moodily strode away.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Bachelor's Reflections.

When a girl says she'll ask her mother she already has.

An awful lot of enthusiasm is wasted hating people who don't care whether you do or not.

Hardly anything can make such a fool of a man as side whiskers for him to be proud of.

The man who has been married fifty years is willing to let his wife do the boasting about it.

No matter how much money a man is glad to inherit from those ahead of him, he is never willing to have it inherited from him by those behind him.—New York Press.