RAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

-Face of Heavy Short Selling Market Remains Firm.

CTIVE BULLS ARE LIQUDATING

heory is that Some Further Declines Are More Than Probable, as Corn Movement Will Increase.

OMAHA, Nov. 24, 1911.
In face of the heavy short selling yes- rday the wheat market held firm today. ables were much more reassuring and te advices from Argentina stated heavy ins were interfering with the progress harvesting. Regardless of all news om day to day it must be remembered at supplies will be diminishing from w until the close of the crop year.

Active bulls in the corn trade have quidated heavily during the last two ays on the theory that some further de- ine is more than probable, as the move- ent of new corn is sure to increase uring the next few weeks. However, is does not change the general view f the trade, for undoubtedly all the corn ill be taken by a strong eastern de- and.

The tone of the wheat market was eavy, but prices held firm on the higher ables and some bullish Argentine news. ash wheat was unchanged.

Corn was very dull, prices ranged arrow and practically unchanged. With n increase in receipts some decline is xpected. Cash corn was ½c higher to c lower.

Primary wheat receipts were 687,000 ushels and shipments were 1,027,000 ushels, against receipts last year of 104,000 bushels and shipments of 756,000 ushels.

Primary corn receipts were 674,000 bush- ls and shipments were 182,00 bushels, gainst receipts last year of 633,000 bush- ls and shipments of 275,000 bushels.

Clearances were 8,000 bushels of corn, 0 bushels of oats and wheat and flour qual to 801,300 bushels.

Liverpool closed ½@⅝d higher on wheat nd ¼d higher on corn.

The following cash sales were reported:

WHEAT—No. 2 hard: 1 car, 98⅜c. No. hard: 2 cars, 98¼c; 1 car, 98c. No. 4 mixed: 1 car, 95c.

CORN—No. 2 white: 1 car, 66c. No. 3 white: 3 cars, 63½c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 2c. No. 2 yellow: 1 car, 63c; 1 car, 62½c. No. 4 yellow: 6 cars, 60½c; 2 cars, 60c. No. 3 mixed: 1 car, 62½c; 1 car, 62c. No. mixed: 1 car, 60¼c; 1 car, 60c; 1 car, 9½c. No grade: 1 car, 58c.

OATS—Standard: 1 car, 47½c. No. 3 white: 3 cars, 47¼c; 1 car, 47c. No. 4 white: 3 cars, 46¾c; 1 car, 46½c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 98½c@$1.02; No. 3 hard, 97½c@$1.01; No. 4 hard, 94½@99c.

CORN—No. 2 white, 63@63½c; No. 3 white, 62@62½c; No. 4 white, 61½@62c; No. color, 62¾@63c; No. 2 yellow, 62½@63c; No. 3 yellow, 62½@63c; No. 4 yellow, 60@ 0½c; No. 2, 62@62½c; No. 3, 62@62½c; No. 59½@60½c; no grade, 58@58½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 47⅛@47¾c; standard, 47¼@47½c; No. 3 white, 47@47¼c.

BARLEY—Malting, $1.14@1.24; No. 1 feed, $1.05@1.17.

RYE—No. 2, 93@94c; No. 3, 92@93c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats
Chicago	17	251	107
Minneapolis	288	...	...
Omaha	15	33	13
Duluth	124	...	...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—Doubt as to what will be the outcome of the Argentina harvest made the wheat market today sensitive, but left prices at last practically the same as twenty-four hours before. Final sales were ⅛c off to a shade up. Other leading staples all showed a net decline; corn, ⅝@¾c to ⅝c; oats, ¼@⅜c to ⅜c, and provisions, 5@17½c.

In the wheat pit the day was a disappointment to the entire trade, as there was no good swing to prices in either direction. Although the harvest had fairly begun in Argentina, cutting will not be general even in the northern part of the country for the next two weeks. According to some experts there is a lively chance for serious damage. There were circumstantial assertions of the spread of black rust in central portions of the province of Cordova. From other sources, however, came statements that a record yield was still expected. In like manner, a promise of small world shipments was offset by statements outlining a hopeful prospect for winter wheat in the United States and forecasting lessened European requirements. The range for May was from $1.00⅝@1.00¾ to $1.00⅞, with the close easy at $1.00½@1.00⅝, exactly the same as last night.

With the weather fine for an increased movement and for the curing of the new crop the corn market took on a rather heavy tone. May fluctuated between 64½c and 65⅛c, closing at ⅝@¾c net lower, at 64⅝c. Cash grades were more freely offered. No. 2 yellow finished at 78@78½c for carlots.

Scattered longs reduced their holdings, pulling down oats. Top and bottom levels touched by May were 50c and 49⅝c, with the close ⅛c net lower at 49⅝c.

Provisions prices succumbed under a heavy load—poor cash trade, liberal stocks and the fact that the short interest was stripped. At the close pork had declined 12½@17½c and other products 5@ 7½c.

Leading futures ranged as following:

Artic'l.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat					
Dec.	95¼@⅜	95½	95	95	95¼
May.	1 00⅝@¾ 1 00⅝½	1 00⅞	1 00⅝@½	1 00½@⅝	1 00⅝@¾
July.	94⅝	94⅞@95	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝@⅞
Corn.					
Dec.	64⅛@¼	64½	63⅞	64⅛	64⅞
May.	64⅞@65	65⅛	64½	64⅝	64⅞@65
July.	64⅝	65	64⅜@½	64⅜@½	64⅞
Oats.					
Dec.	47½	47½@⅝	47¼	47¼	47⅝@½
May.	49⅞	50	49⅝	49⅝	49⅞
July.	46⅛	46 @⅛	45⅞@46	45⅞@46	46⅛
Pork.					
May.	16 72½ @16 75	16 75	16 52½	16 57½	16 72½
Lard.					
Jan.	9 32½	9 32½	9 25	9 27½	9 35
May.	9 57½	9 60	9 50	9 52½	9 57½
Ribs.					
Jan.	8 55	8 55	8 42½	8 45 @8 85	8 52½@55
May.	8 80@ 8 82½	8 82½	8 70	8 72½	8 77½@80

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $4.00@ 5.00; winter straights, $3.75@4.15; spring patents, $5.00@5.40; spring straights, $4.40@ 4.60; bakers, $3.75@4.85.

RYE—No. 2, 94c.

BARLEY—Feed or mixing, 70c@$1.05; fair to choice malting, $1.10@1.24.

SEEDS—Timothy, $13.00@15.25; clover, $12.00@20.25.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $16.00@16.25. Lard, per 100 lbs., $9.05. Short ribs, sides (loose), $8.12½.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 309,000 bu. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreet's, were equal to 4,002,000 bu. Primary receipts were 687,000 bu., compared with 1,161,000 bu. the corresponding day a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 38 cars; corn, 332 cars; oats, 113 cars; hogs, 35,000 head.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red, 97@98c; No. 3 red, 96@98c; No. 2 hard, 98c@$1.03; No. 3 hard, 95c@$1.00; No. 1 northern, $1.09@1.10; No. 2 northern, $1.07 @1.09; No. 3 northern, $1.05@1.08; No. 2 spring, $1.00@1.05; No. 3 spring, 98c@$1.03; No. 4 spring, 90c@$1.02; velvet chaff, 90c@ $1.04; durum, 90c@$1.07. Corn: No. 2, 64c; No. 2 white, 64@64½c; No. 2 yellow, 64@ 64½c; No. 4, 61½@62½c; No. 4 white, 61¾@ 62½c; No. 4 yellow, 61½@62c; No. 4 yellow, old, 75c. Oats: No. 2 white, 48@ 49½c; No. 3 white, 48@48½c; No. 4 white, 46@48½c; standard, 48½@49½c.

Rye: No. 2, 94c. Barley, 50c@$1.28. Timothy, $12.00@15.25. Clover, $12.50@20.25.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 25@33c; dairies, 22@28c.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 2,581 cases; at mark, cases included, 22@28c; firsts, 28@ 30c; ordinary, 25@27c.

CHEESE—Steady; daisies, 14¾@15c; twins, 14½@14¾c; young Americas, 14¾@ 15c; long horns, 14¾@15c.

POTATOES—Easy; choice to fancy, 85 @90c; fair to good, 85@88c.

POULTRY—Firm; turkeys, dressed, 19½c; live, 15c; chickens, dressed, 9@10c; live, 8½c; springs, live, 9c.

VEAL—Steady at 7@11c.

Carlot Receipts—Wheat, 17 cars, with 4 of contract grade; corn, 251 cars, with 1 of contract grade; oats, 107 cars. Total receipts of wheat at Chicago, Minneapolis and Duluth today were 429 cars, compared with 543 cars last week and 879 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—FLOUR—Steady; spring patents, $5.20@5.45; winter straights, $4.20@4.25; winter patents, $4.35@4.70; spring clears, $4.30@4.50; winter extras, No. 1, $3.60@3.80; winter extras, No. 2, $3.45@3.55; Kansas straights, $4.60@4.80; receipts, 21,415 bbls.; shipments, 28,673 bbls. Rye flour, steady; choice to fancy, $5.00 @5.20. Buckwheat flour, quiet, $2.65 per cwt.

CORNMEAL—Firm; fine white and yellow, $1.60@1.65; coarse, $1.55@1.60; kiln dried, $3.65@3.75.

RYE—Dull; No. 2, 93c, nominal, c. i. f., Buffalo, to arrive.

BARLEY—Quiet; malting, $1.10@1.25, c. i. f., Buffalo.

WHEAT—Spot market, barely steady; No. 2 red, 98c, elevator, export basis, to arrive, and 99c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.13½, f. o. b., afloat. Futures market made moderate gains at the opening on the cables and further reports of rust and unfavorable weather in Argentina, but eased off under selling due to large stocks and a poor cash and export demand, closing net unchanged; December, 99 5-16@99¾c; closed at 99½c; May, $1.04 7-16@1.04¾; closed at $1.04⅝. Receipts, 130,200 bu.; shipments, 120,896 bu.

CORN—Spot market easy; export, new, 70½c, f. o. b., afloat, to arrive; futures market was nominal. Receipts, 32,550 bu.; shipments, 8,599 bu.

OATS—Spot market steady; futures market was nominal. Receipts, 19,325 bu.; shipments, 599 bu.

HAY—Quiet; prime, $1.30; No. 1, $1.25; No. 2, $1.15; No. 3, $1.05.

HIDES—Quiet; Central America, 21½c; Bogota, 22½@23½c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock firsts, 25@ 27c; seconds, 23@24c; thirds, 19@21c; rejects, 15c.

PROVISIONS—Pork steady; mess, $17.50@18.00; family, $20.50@21.50; short clears, $17.25@18.25. Beef steady, mess, $12.50@13.00; family, $14.10@14.50; beef hams, $29.00@31.00. Cut meats, easy; pickled bellies, 10 to 14 lbs., $10.00@10.50; pickled hams, $11.00@ 11.50. Lard, firm; middle west prime, $9.35@9.45; refined, quiet; continent, $9.85; South America, $10.50; compound, $7.25@ 7.50.

TALLOW—Quiet; prime city, hhds., 6⅝c, naked; country, 6¼@7c.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery specials, 36c; extras, 35c; creamery held specials, 33½@ 34c; extras, 31½@32½c; factory current make, firsts, 22½@23c.

CHEESE—Firm.

EGGS—Strong; fresh gathered extras, 41@42c; extra firsts, 37@39; firsts, 33@36c; held, fresh poor to fair, 21@27c; fresh gathered dirties, No. 1, 22@23c; fresh gathered checks, prime, 20; refrigerator special marks, fancy, local storage, charges paid, 23½c; western gathered, white, 35@45c.

POULTRY—Alive, easy; western chickens, 9½@11c; fowls, 9½@11c; turkeys, 14@ 16c; dressed, irregular; western chickens, 6@16c; fowls, 6@16c; turkeys, 11@22c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 24.—WHEAT—Cash, lower; track, No. 2 red, 96@97c; No. 2 hard, 96c@$1.06½; December, 95⅝c; May, $1.00½.

CORN—Lower; track, No. 2, 75c; No. 2 white, 75c; December, 65c; May, 64½c.

OATS—Steady; track, No. 2, 46½c; No. 2 white, 50c; December, 47⅝c.

RYE—Unchanged, at 91c.

FLOUR—Dull; winter patents, $4.35@ 4.75; extra fancy and straight, $3.80@4.30; hard winter clears, $3.40@3.70.

SEED—Timothy, $14.00@15.50.

CORNMEAL—$3.30.

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

HAY—Firm; timothy, $21.00@25.00; prairie, $12.50@16.50.

PROVISIONS—Pork, lower; jobbing, $13.25. Lard, lower; prime steam, $8.80@ 8.90. Dry salt meats, unchanged; boxed extra shorts, $8.62½; clear ribs, $8.62½; short clears, $8.87½. Bacon, unchanged; extra short, $9.62½; clear ribs, $9.62½; short clears, $9.87½.

POULTRY—Firm; chickens, ..c; springs, 8½c; turkeys, 14c; ducks, 10½c; geese, 8½c.

BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 25@32c.

EGGS—Firm, at 29@31c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	7,100	6,700
Wheat, bu	30,000	19,000
Corn, bu	66,000	20,000
Oats, bu	19,000	21,000

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 24.—WHEAT—Cash, unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 hard, 99c@$1.06; No. 3, 97c@$1.05; No. 2 red, 97c; No. 3, 95@96c; December, 97⅜@98c; May, $1.00⅜; July, 92½c.

CORN—Unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 70@ 73c; No. 3, 72@72½c; No. 2 white, 72½@ 73c; No. 3, 72@73c; December, 63⅝c.

OATS—Unchanged; No. 2 white, 50@ 50½c; No. 2 mixed, 48@49c.

RYE—93c.

HAY—Steady; steady; choice timothy, $19.50@20.00; choice prairie, $13.25@13.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, 32c; firsts, 30c; seconds, 28c; packing stock, 20½c.

EGGS—Extras, 32c; firsts, 30c; seconds, 17c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu	14,000	17,000
Corn, bu	48,000	22,000
Oats, bu	4,000	10,000

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 24.—BUTTER—Firm; western creamery specials, 38c; western creamery extras, 37c; extra nearby prints, 35c.

EGGS—Firm; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, $10.20 per case, Pennsylvania and other nearby current receipts, free cases, $10.20 per case; western firsts, free cases, $10.80 per case; western current receipts, free cases, $10.20 per case.

CHEESE—Firm; New York full creams, fancy, 16c; fair to good, 15@15½c.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, Ill., Nov. 24.—CORN—Lower; No. 2 white, 63½c; No. 4 white, 61c; No. 3 yellow, 63½c; No. 4 yellow, 61@61⅝c; No. 3 mixed, 63½c; No. 4 mixed, 61@61⅝c; sample, 59½@60c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 48½c; standard, 48½c; No. 3 white, 48c; No. 4 white, 47½c; No. 3 mixed, 47c; No. 4 mixed, 46½c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 24.—WHEAT—Spot steady; No. 2 Manitoba, 7s 10½d; No. 3 Manitoba, 7s 3d; futures firm; December, 7s 3d; March, 7s 2d; May, 7s 11¼d.

CORN—Spot steady; American mixed, 6s 4½d; futures firm; January, 5s 8⅝d; February, 5s 7⅝d.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 24.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, $1.09@1.09½; No. 2 northern, $1.07½@1.08; No. 2 hard, winter, $1.02@1.04; December, 95⅝c; May, $1.00½.

OATS—Standard, 48⅝@50c.

BARLEY—Malting, $1.13@1.27.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 24.—WHEAT—Cash, No. 1 hard, $1.05½; No. 1 northern, $1.05@1.05⅞; to arrive, $1.04⅞@1.05½; No. 2 northern, $1.03@1.03⅝; to arrive, $1.02⅞@ 1.03⅝; No. 3 wheat, 97@99½c.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—COFFEE—Futures opened at a decline of 6@10 points in response to lower cables, foreign selling and scattering liquidation, but soon rallied and during the afternoon developed considerable firmness on covering and bull support. Closing cables from Havre showed a partial recovery there and the buying here was encouraged by reports of bullish news from Brazil, both as to market conditions there and as to the new crop outlook. The close was steady at a net advance of 2@8 points. Sales, 166,750 bags. November and December, 14.33c; January, 14.01c; February, 13.85c; March, 13.55c; April, 13.45c; May, 13.29c; June, 13.37c; July, 13.38c; August, 13.35c; September and October, 13.34c. Havre closed ¼f net lower after having shown a net loss of ¾f. Hamburg was ¾ @1 pfg. lower. Rio, 25 reis lower at 8 $475; Santos 4s, 100 reis higher at 8 $650; 7s, 50 reis higher at 7 $800. Receipts at the two Brazilian ports were 62,000 bags, against 57,000 bags last year. Jundiahy receipts were 25,000 bags, against 25,500 bags last year. Rain was reported in all but one district of Sao Paulo. New York warehouse deliveries yesterday were 10,575 bags, against 17,395 bags last year. Today's special Santos cable reported 4s unchanged at 8 $650 this morning and Sao Paulo receipts of 43,000 bags, against 48,000 bags the previous day. Spot coffee, steady; Rio No. 7, 14⅞c; Santos No. 4, 16 3-7c. Mild, quiet; Cordova, 16½@18½c, nominal.

Oils and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 24.—TURPENTINE—Firm; 44½@44¾c. Sales, 493 bbls.; receipts, 804 bbls.; shipments, 345 bbls.; stocks, 29,568 bbls.

ROSIN—Firm. Sales, 2,566 bbls.; receipts, 382 bbls.; shipments, 3,035 bbls.; stocks, 108,529 bbls. Quote: B, $6.07½@ 6.12½; D, $6.10@6.15; E, $6.15@6.20; F, G, $6.20@6.25; H, $6.25@6.27½; I, $6.25@6.30; K, $6.45; M, $6.60; N, $6.65; WG, $7.40; WW, $7.75.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Quotations Follow No Well Defined Trend During Day.

BULLS LACKING IN ASSURANCE

Varying Course of Prices Apparently Largely Reflection of Varying Temper of Speculation in Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—With no important influences to affect the securities market quotations followed no well defined trend today. The opening was irregular. For a time prices rose with some vigor. The bulls were unable to muster the same degree of force as yesterday and the market lacked buoyancy. Union Pacific and United States Steel at the close, stood a point or so below yesterday's final quotations.

The varying course of prices apparently was largely the reflection of the varying temper of speculation. Buying was vigorous early in the day, and southern and western railroad stocks, as well as some of the industrials, rose from 1 to 2 points. The recession was due in part to profit-taking sales. Local traction securities were again prominent. Third Avenue fell 2⅝ to 4, the lowest price at which it has ever sold. Owing to a belief that the action of the courts in the Third Avenue reorganization case would facilitate rehabilitation of the Metropolitan Street Railway company, there was increased activity in those securities. The 4 per cent bonds rose 5 points, and the 5s gained 4. Interborough common and preferred lost heavily. Trading was begun today in the new Third Avenue securities "when issued," the 4 per cent bonds selling at 83¾ to 84½, the 5s at 71½ to 72½ and the stock at 23 to 24.

Expectations of a poor showing in tomorrow's bank statement contributed to the growth of bearish sentiment. Known movements of currency suggest a loss in cash of about $5,000,000. As the actual surplus reserve at the close of last week was only $10,400,000, a loss of the size indicated would almost eliminate it. The movement of gold out of New York continued today, $800,000 being forwarded to San Francisco. The money market showed no reflection of this condition and rates held steady. Bank clearings this week at the leading centers made a favorable showing, with considerable advances over 1910 and 1909.

The Copper shares showed the effect of profit taking today and did not respond to reports of sales of the metal at the highest price touched on the present movement.

Bonds were active and irregular. Some of the low priced speculative issues moved widely. Total sales, par value, $5,056,000. 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	......	.....	.....	13
Amalgamated Copper	11,400	64½	63⅝	63¾
American Agricultural	......	.....	.....	55
Am. Beet Sugar	600	55⅝	55½	55¼
American Can	600	11⅝	11½	11¼
American C & F	2,000	56⅝	54⅞	55
Am. Cotton Oil	1,500	45	44½	44⅝
American H. & L. pfd	......	.....	.....	24
Am. Ice Securities	200	19	19	19
American Linseed	......	.....	.....	9
American Locomotive	1,100	37½	37	36⅝
American S. & R.	6,400	74⅝	73½	73⅞
Am. S. & R. pfd	500	104	103½	103½
Am. Steel Foundries	200	34	34	34
Am. Sugar Refining	100	118	118	117⅞
American T. & T.	4,700	142	141⅝	141⅝
American Tobacco pfd	300	98½	98	98½
American Woolen	100	28½	28½	27½
Anaconda Mining Co	3,100	39⅝	38½	38⅝
Atchison	6,900	108⅜	107½	107½
Atchison pfd	200	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	1,400	138⅜	138	137⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	1,500	104	103	103
Bethlehem Steel	600	30⅝	30½	30
Brooklyn Rapid Tr	1,900	78⅝	78	78
Canadian Pacific	6,900	242	240	239⅞
Central Leather	300	22¼	22¼	21¼
Central Leather pfd	......	.....	.....	98⅜
Central of New Jersey	......	.....	.....	325
Chesapeake & Ohio	2,600	76⅛	75½	75⅛
Chicago & Alton	......	.....	.....	30
Chicago G. W., new	200	21⅛	20⅞	20⅞
Chicago G. W. pfd	......	.....	.....	38⅞
Chicago & N. W.	900	146⅝	146⅝	145½
Chicago, M. & St. P.	17,600	112⅜	110	110⅜
C., C., C. & St. L.	......	.....	.....	75
Colorado F. & I.	200	28⅛	28⅛	28
Colorado & Southern	......	.....	.....	48
Consolidated Gas	1,200	142	141½	141
Corn Products	400	11⅝	11⅝	11
Delaware & Hudson	200	171½	171½	170
Denver & Rio Grande	......	.....	.....	23
Denver & R. G. pfd	100	48⅛	48⅛	45
Distillers' Securities	1,000	32⅞	32⅛	32
Erie	1,900	33½	33⅜	32⅞
Erie 1st pfd	3,000	54⅝	53⅞	53⅞
Erie 2d pfd	500	44⅞	44½	44⅝
General Electric	300	155	155½	155
Great Northern pfd	3,300	129⅝	128⅝	128⅝
Great Northern Ore ctfs	400	43⅝	43	42⅞
Illinois Central	700	145½	144	144
Interborough Met.	6,800	15⅝	14	14½
Int. Met. pfd	9,700	47⅝	44⅝	45⅞
International Harvester	100	109	109	108½
Inter-Marine pfd	300	15⅝	15⅛	14⅞
International Paper	......	.....	.....	10
International Pump	100	34	34	33⅞
Iowa Central	100	17	17	16½
Kansas City Southern	400	30⅝	30⅛	29½
K. C. So. pfd	100	66	66	65
Laclede Gas	100	105⅛	105½	106¼
Louisville & Nashville	3,900	160⅞	158½	158⅞
Minn. & St. Louis	......	.....	.....	32
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	600	135	134½	134½
Missouri, K. & T.	2,800	32⅛	31⅝	31⅝
M., K. & T. pfd	......	.....	.....	66⅝
Missouri Pacific	2,800	40⅛	40	39½
National Biscuit	400	139⅝	139	139½
National Lead	1,100	52¼	51½	51½
N. R. R. of M. 2d pfd	100	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
New York Central	2,700	108⅝	108⅛	108
N. Y., O. & W.	1,300	41¼	40⅝	40⅞
Norfolk & Western	2,800	111⅛	110⅝	110⅝
North American	2,700	75⅝	74⅝	74
Northern Pacific	4,700	121	119½	119⅜
Pacific Mail	1,100	33⅛	32⅝	32½
Pennsylvania	5,100	123½	122⅝	122
People's Gas	700	105⅝	105	105
P., C., C. & St. L.	100	96	96	94½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	18⅝	18⅝	18½
Pressed Steel Car	300	34½	34	33½
Pullman Palace Car	100	158⅝	158⅝	158½
Railway Steel Spring	......	.....	.....	32
Reading	124,400	154⅝	153⅞	152¼
Republic Steel	200	23⅝	23¼	23
Republic Steel pfd	500	84⅝	84	84
Rock Island Co.	1,000	27⅜	26⅝	26½
Rock Island Co. pfd	400	51¼	50	50
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	800	44	43	43½
St. Louis S. W.	......	.....	.....	21⅛
St. L. S. W. pfd	200	71⅝	71½	71⅝
Sloss-Sheffield S. & I.	......	.....	.....	40
Southern Pacific	8,700	115⅝	114¼	114¼
Southern Railway	6,500	31¼	30⅝	30⅝
So. Railway pfd	1,200	74	72⅞	73
Tennessee Copper	1,300	38⅛	37⅝	37⅛
Texas & Pacific	100	24½	24½	24½
T., St. L. & W.	600	18⅝	18	18
T., St. L. & W. pfd	200	41⅝	41⅝	41
Union Pacific	99,400	178⅝	176½	176⅝
Union Pacific pfd	600	94½	94	93
United States Realty	100	68⅝	68⅝	67
United States Rubber	300	47½	47	47
United States Steel	127,000	65⅛	64	64¼
U. S. Steel pfd	1,600	109⅝	109⅜	109⅜
Utah Copper	6,700	51⅝	50⅞	50½
Va.-Carolina Chemical	800	54⅛	53⅝	53⅝
Wabash	800	11⅛	11	10⅞
Wabash pfd	700	22	21½	21½
Western Maryland	1,000	63⅞	62½	62
Westinghouse Electric	400	66	65⅞	65
Western Union	700	78½	78¼	78¼
Wheeling & L. E.	......	.....	.....	4
Lehigh Valley	19,600	180¼	178⅝	178⅝

Total sales for the day, 466,900 shares.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—American securities opened steady with prices a fraction below parity today. Later most of the list advanced on covering and at noon values ranged from ⅛ above to ¼ below yesterday's New York close.

London stocks closed as follows:

Consols, money	78¼	Louisville & N.	164½
do account	78 5-16	M., K. & T.	32¼
Amal. Copper	66⅝	N. Y. Central	111⅝
Anaconda	41⅛	Norfolk & W.	114
Atchison	110⅝	do pfd	91
do pfd	107	Ontario & W.	42
Baltimore & Ohio	107	Pennsylvania	62½
Canadian Pacific	247½	Rand Mines	6⅝
Chesapeake & O.	78¼	Reading	79
Chicago G. W.	21	Southern Ry	32
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	115¼	do pfd	75½
De Beers	18⅛	Southern Pacific	118⅝
Denver & Rio G.	24⅛	Union Pacific	182⅝
do pfd	49⅝	do pfd	97
Erie	34	U. S. Steel	67⅛
do 1st pfd	55	do pfd	112⅝
do 2d pfd	44	Wabash	14
Grand Trunk	26⅝	do pfd	22
Illinois Central	150		

SILVER—Bar, uncertain at 25⅜d per oz.

MONEY—2½@3 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅝@3¾ per cent; for three months' bills, 3½@3 9-16 per cent.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

Alice	200	Little Chief	4
*Com. Tunnel stock	23	Mexican	250
*do bonds	18	Ontario	100
Con. Cal. & Va.	68	Ophir	150
Iron Silver	105	*Standard	100
*Leadville Con.	10	Yellow Jacket	60

*Offered.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, Nov. 24.—Bank clearings for today were $2,092,483.96 and for the corresponding day last year $3,318,191.63.

Imports at New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Imports of merchandise and dry goods at the port of New York for the week ending November 18 were valued at $30,064,367. Imports of specie at this point for the week ending today were $105,551 silver and $153,113 gold. Exports of specie for the week were $1,801,858 silver and $1,833,100 gold.

REPORT OF THE CLEARING HOUSE

Transactions of Associated Banks for the Week.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending November 23, shows an aggregate of $3,214,614,000, as against $3,529,521,000 last week and $2,221,463,000 in the corresponding week last year. Following is a list of the cities:

CITIES.	Amount.	Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,838,999,000	18.5	......
Chicago	285,407,000	25.8	......
Boston	167,232,000	22.1	......
Philadelphia	152,742,000	11.5	......
St. Louis	83,441,000	20.0	......
Kansas City	55,875,000	23.2	......
Pittsburgh	51,240,000	23.9	......
San Francisco	53,314,000	30.8	......
Baltimore	38,379,000	36.2	......
Cincinnati	25,134,000	16.8	......
Minneapolis	27,075,000	29.4	......
Cleveland	19,433,000	19.7	......
New Orleans	24,563,000	24.5	......
Detroit	20,606,000	31.7	......
OMAHA	14,466,000	7.9	......
Los Angeles	24,250,000	65.7	......
Louisville	12,723,000	11.0	......
Milwaukee	13,474,000	29.2	......
Seattle	10,283,000	15.2	......
St. Paul	13,390,000	28.2	......
Atlanta	15,606,000	42.4	......
Portland, Ore.	7,653,000	......	13.3
Buffalo	10,806,000	23.8	......
Denver	11,190,000	24.0	......
Indianapolis	9,142,000	21.1	......
Providence	7,771,000	7.9	......
Richmond	8,398,000	44.5	......
Washington	7,041,000	12.8	......
St. Joseph	6,916,000	28.1	......
Fort Worth	9,151,000	27.7	......
Memphis	11,676,000	19.9	......
Kalamazoo, Mich.	697,000	29.7	......
Columbus	5,712,000	19.2	......
Albany	7,250,000	37.0	......
Tacoma	4,578,000	23.2	......
Savannah	7,699,000	21.5	......
Spokane, Wash.	4,429,000	8.2	......
Toledo	4,504,000	11.6	......
Hartford	4,032,000	39.1	......
Rochester	4,482,000	34.4	......
Des Moines	3,987,000	18.8	......
Nashville	5,476,000	68.3	......
Duluth	6,300,000	45.7	......
Wichita	3,434,000	13.3	......
Peoria	4,054,000	45.4	......
Norfolk	3,067,000	23.0	......
Oakland, Cal.	2,071,000	7.6	......
Sioux City	2,414,000	6.2	......
New Haven	2,860,000	24.5	......
Grand Rapids	3,112,000	40.7	......
Scranton	2,613,000	13.0	......
Birmingham	2,895,000	......	2.5
Jacksonville, Fla.	3,162,000	38.1	......
Oklahoma City	2,360,000	5.5	......
Syracuse	2,307,000	27.3	......
Augusta, Ga.	3,076,000	11.2	......
Worcester	2,287,000	......	2.5
Evansville	2,730,000	14.3	......
Springfield, Mass.	2,748,000	23.2	......
Dayton	2,062,000	24.3	......
Portland, Me.	2,167,000	11.4	......
Wheeling, W. Va.	1,836,000	36.4	......
Little Rock	2,656,000	19.9	......
Charleston, S. C.	2,538,000	12.6	......
Knoxville	1,780,000	21.8	......
Chattanooga	2,396,000	32.9	......
Lincoln	1,516,000	34.8	......
Davenport	1,570,000	8.1	......
Wilmington, Del.	1,295,000	2.0	......
Mobile	1,575,000	41.2	......
Salt Lake City	10,862,000	66.5	......
Wilkesbarre	1,454,000	18.4	......
Sacramento, Cal.	1,864,000	24.9	......
Kalamazoo, Mich.	697,000	29.7	......
Topeka	1,549,000	10.3	......
Cedar Rapids, Ia.	1,025,000	......	6.7
Macon	4,997,000	308.5	......
Fall River	1,441,000	......	......
Youngstown	1,025,000	31.0	......
New Bedford	969,000	......	18.9
Springfield, Ill.	926,000	22.1	......
Fort Wayne	969,000	24.0	......
Canton, O.	1,176,000	29.8	......
Sioux Falls, S.D.	512,000	7.1	......
Akron	1,415,000	76.4	......
Helena	1,032,000	18.6	......
Columbia, S. C.	1,316,000	45.5	......
Lexington	884,000	......	1.1
Fargo, N. D.	441,000	30.8	......
Erie, Pa.	839,000	......	.3
Rockford, Ill.	860,000	......	2.9
Quincy, Ill.	650,000	19.4	......
Bloomington, Ill.	655,000	39.0	......
Chester, Pa.	503,000	4.3	......
Springfield, O.	480,000	3.8	......
South Bend, Ind.	583,000	20.7	......
Lowell	560,000	15.7	......
Jackson, Miss.	439,000	14.6	......
Binghamton	514,000	......	9.6
Decatur, Ill.	334,000	2.1	......
Mansfield, O.	398,000	22.0	......
Fremont, Neb.	276,000	35.2	......
Vicksburg, Miss.	228,000	......	36.7
Jacksonville, Ill.	285,000	43.9	......
York, Pa.	991,000	23.8	......
Waterloo, Ia.	1,014,000	12.8	......
*Houston	39,874,000	47.8	......
*Galveston	24,195,000	60.4	......
Stockton, Cal.	1,150,000	81.6	......

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

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—MONEY—On call, steady, at 2¾@2½ per cent; ruling rate, 2⅝ per cent; closing bid, 2⅝ per cent; offered at 2¾ per cent. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 3¼@3½ per cent; ninety days, 3½ per cent; six months, 3½ @3⅝ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@4½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8575 for sixty-day bills and at $4.8650 for demand; commercial bills, $4.83.

SILVER—Bar, 55⅛c; Mexican dollars, 46½c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, irregular.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg	100¼	Int. M. M. 4½s	65½
do coupon	100¼	*Japan 4s	88¼
U. S. 3s reg	100½	do 4½s	94¼
do coupon	101⅞	*K. C. So. 1st 3s	73⅝
do 4s reg	113¼	L. S. deb. 4s 1931	93½
do coupon	113⅝	L. & N. uni. 4s	99¼
Allis-Chal. 1st 5s	59⅝	*M., K. & T. 1st 4s	97¼
Amer. Ag. 5s	103	*do gen. 4½s	87⅝
A. T. & T. cv. 4s	111	*Mo. Pacific 4s	74½
Am. Tobacco 4s	90⅝	N. R. R. of M. 4½s	93⅞
do 6s	116	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	88⅝
Armour & Co. 4½s	92⅞	do deb. 4s	92⅝
Atchison gen. 4s	99⅛	N. Y., N. H. & H.	
*do cv. 4s	108	cv. 6s	131⅞
do cv. 5s	109⅛	*N. & W. 1st c. 4s	110½
A. C. L. 1st 4s	95⅛	No. Pacific 4s	100⅝
*Bal. & Ohio 4s	98⅞	do 3s	69⅝
*do 3½s	92⅛	O. S. L. rfdg. 4s	94⅝
do S. W. 3½s	91	Penn. cv. 3½s 1915	97
Brook. Tr. cv. 4s	84⅝	*do con 4s	102
*Cen. of Ga. 5s	109	Reading gen. 4s	98⅛
Cen. Leather 5s	99⅝	S. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	80½
C. of N. J. g. 5s	122	do gen. 5s	88⅝
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	101⅞	St. L. S. W. c. 4s	79⅛
do ref. 5s	93⅝	*do 1st gold 4s	91½
*Chicago & A. 3½s	63	S. A. L. 4s	82¼
C. B. & Q. j. 4s	96½	*So. Pac. col. 4s	92¼
do gen. 4s	96⅝	do cv. 4s	97
*C. M. & S. P. g. 4s	92¼	do 1st ref. 4s	94⅛
C. R. I. & P. c. 4s	73⅝	So. Railway 5s	108
do rfg. 4s	89⅝	do gen. 4s	79½
Colo. Ind. 5s	74¼	Union Pacific 4s	101
**Colo. Mid. 4s	60	do cv. 4s	103⅝
C. & S. r. & e. 4½s	97⅝	do 1st & ref. 4s	97⅛
D. & H. cv. 4s	97⅝	U. S. Rubber 6s	104
D. & R. G. 4s	90⅝	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	102
do ref. 5s	88	Va.-Car. Chem. 5s	100⅛
*Distillers' 5s	76	Wabash 1st 5s	105½
Erie p. l. 4s	87⅛	do 1st & ex. 4s	62⅝
do gen. 4s	79⅛	Western Md. 4s	88
do cv. 4s, ser. A	87	West. Elec. cv. 5s	93⅛
do series B	77⅝	Wis. Central 4s	92½
*Gen. Elec. cv. 5s	152	Mo. Pac. cv. 5s	98⅝
*Ill. Cen. 1st ref. 4s	96⅛	*Panama 3s	102½
Int. Met. 4½s	79⅝		

*Bid. **Offered.

Boston Stock Market.

BOSTON, Nov. 24.—Closing quotations on stocks were as follows:

Allouez	35¾	Miami Copper	42⅝
Amal. Copper	63½	Mohawk	47
A. Z. L. & S.	26⅝	Nevada Con.	18½
Arizona Com.	15	Nipissing Mines	7⅛
B. & C. C. & S. M.	5¼	North Butte	22½
Butte Coalition	17½	North Lake	6⅛
Cal. & Arizona	58	Old Dominion	48
*Cal. & Hecla	390	Osceola	97
Centennial	10	Shannon	10
Cop. Range C. C.	51	Superior	26
East Butte C. M.	11	Superior & B. M.	3¼
Franklin	9	Tamarack	27
Giroux Con.	4⅝	U. S. S. R. & M.	35⅞
Granby Con.	31	do pfd	47½
Greene Cananea	8 11-16	Utah Con.	10½
Isle Royale Copper	19	Utah Copper Co.	50½
Kerr Lake	2¾	Winona	5¾
Lake Copper	33½	Wolverine	90
La Salle Copper	5⅛		

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—METALS—Standard copper, firm; spot, $12.75@13.10; futures, $12.80@13.25. London market, firm; spot, £59 1s 3d; futures, £59 16s 3d. Lake copper, $13.12½@13.25; electrolytic, $13.12½@ 13.25; casting, $12.62½@12.87½. Tin, steady; spot and futures, $41.75@45.00. London market, firm; spot, £201; futures, £189 5s. Lead, quiet, $4.35@4.40, New York, and $4.20@4.22½ at East St. Louis. London, £15 17s 6d. Spelter, nominal, $6.60@6.80, New York, and $6.60@6.80 at East St. Louis. London, £26 17s 6d. Antimony, dull; Cookson's, $7.87½@8.00. Iron, Cleveland warrants, 47s 10½d in London. Locally, dull; No. 1 foundry northern, $15.00@15.25; No. 2, $14.75@15.00; No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft, $15.00@15.50.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Not Enough Cattle Here to Make a Market.

HOGS COMMAND STEADY PRICES

Steady Prices Prevail in the Sheep Barn, While Receipts of All Kinds Are Very Moderate and Trade Limited.

SOUTH OMAHA, Nov. 24, 1911.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	8,065	6,278	18,668
Official Tuesday	5,821	9,037	16,082
Official Wednesday	5,508	6,165	8,466
Official Thursday	3,374	7,097	795
Estimate Friday	500	6,000	4,500
Total five days	23,258	34,577	48,511
Same days last week	27,748	34,503	60,768
Same 2 weeks ago	30,590	23,236	98,195
Same 3 weeks ago	26,362	24,538	127,011
Same 4 weeks ago	35,208	26,1..	155,115
Same days last year	18,020	25,469	41,762

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.	Dec.
Cattle	1,083,076	1,113,130	......	30,054
Hogs	2,123,384	1,730,322	393,062	......
Sheep	2,827,154	2,859,246	......	32,092

The following table shows the average prices paid for hogs at South Omaha for the last few days, with comparisons.

Date.	1911.	1910.	1909.	1908.	1907.	1906.	1905.
Nov. 15.	6 26	7 56	7 97	*	4 94	6 05	4 71
Nov. 16.	6 30½	7 36	7 96	5 59	4 99	6 10	4 65
Nov. 17.	6 33	7 44	7 93	5 54	*	6 05	4 67
Nov. 18.	6 30⅝	7 32	7 99	5 59	4 83	*	4 68
Nov. 19.	*	7 20	7 94	5 70	4 61	6 02	*
Nov. 20.	6 15½	*	7 95	5 69	4 53	6 02	4 68
Nov. 21.	6 12½	7 06	*	5 76	4 49	6 10	4 66
Nov. 22.	6 17⅝	6 89	7 88	*	4 32	6 15	4 64
Nov. 23.	......	6 93	7 89	5 87	4 06	6 12	4 66
Nov. 23.	6 25⅝	6 93	7 89	5 87	4 08	6 12	4 66
Nov. 24.	......	**	7 97	5 76	*	6 06	4 69

*Sunday. **Holiday.

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

RECEIPTS—CARLOADS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
C. M. & St. P. Ry.	..	3	..
Wabash R. R.	1	..	..
Union Pacific R. R.	1	24	11
C. & N. W. Ry., east	..	3	..
C. & N. W. Ry., west	4	34	3
C., St. P. M. & O. Ry.	3	5	3
C., B. & Q. Ry., east	1	..	1
C., B. Q. Ry., west	6	13	..
C., R. I. P., east	..	5	..
Illinois Central Ry.	..	1	..
Chicago Gt. Western Ry.	..	1	..
Total receipts	16	89	18

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	...	904	...
Swift & Company	187	1,461	225
Cudahy Packing Co.	38	2,882	936
Armour & Company	77	1,339	786
Murphy	...	514	...
Cudahy, from St. Paul	...	...	759
Cudahy, from Denver	78	...	...
Omaha, from Denver	59	...	...
Hill & Son	3	...	...
Huston & Company	37	...	...
J. H. Bulla	1	...	...
L. F. Husz	10	...	...
Wertheimer & Degen	13	...	...
Other buyers	158	...	1,920
Totals	661	7,100	4,626

CATTLE—Receipts of cattle today were very small, even for a Friday, 500 head all told being reported. This leaves the total for the five days at 23,258 head. This is the smallest run for any similar period since the last week in July. Still the receipts are larger than a year ago by 5,000 head.

With so few cattle in sight this morning trading was necessarily limited. There were not, in fact, enough cattle to really make a market, but what few there were commanded about steady prices. For the week strictly desirable kinds of cattle, both cornfeds and rangers, have shown comparatively little change. On the other hand the yards have been full of half-fat and warmed-up grades that have been very poor sellers, with prices steadily working lower. It seems as if the country has been very anxious to unload cattle, being unwilling to wait until they have put on a reasonable amount of flesh, and as a result all markets have been glutted this week with inferior stuff, which naturally has caused a sharp break in prices.

Cows and heifers of strictly choice quality have been very scarce all the week, and as a result have not shown much change. On the other hand, the medium to fair grades have been working steadily lower and are now safely 15@20c lower than last week, while canners are around 10@15c lower.

Good to choice feeding steers also have been in very light supply, and anything coming under that head has commanded steady prices. On the other hand the yards have been flooded with inferior and common trashy stuff for which the demand has been poor. As a result prices have been sharply lower on all stuff of that kind, stock calves showing a loss of 30@50c from last week.

Quotations on native cattle: Good to choice beef steers, $6.50@7.75; fair to good beef steers, $5.25@6.50; common to fair beef steers, $4.40@5.00; good to choice heifers, $4.50@6.25; good to choice cows, $4.25@4.85; fair to good cows, $3.50@4.25; common to fair cows, $2.75@3.50; veal calves, $3.50@7.50.

Quotations on range cattle: Good to choice beef steers, $5.75@7.00; fair to good beef steers, $5.00@5.75; common to fair beef steers, $4.40@5.00; good to choice cows and heifers, $4.25@4.75; fair to good cows and heifers, $3.50@4.25; common to fair cows and heifers, $2.75@3.50; good to choice stockers and feeders, $5.00@6.00; fair to good stockers and feeders, $4.30@ 5.00; common to fair stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.30; stock heifers, $3.25@4.25; bulls, stags, etc., $3.00@4.85.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
18	921	4 95	14	1020	5 65

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
5	870	2 75	2	976	3 15
2	760	2 85	2	1090	3 25
2	880	2 95	12	916	3 25
10	816	3 05	5	848	3 65
7	890	3 10	7	1117	3 75
10	850	3 10	7	937	3 80
2	975	3 10	14	1115	3 90

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
8	685	3 15	29	744	3 40
10	610	3 25	11	576	3 60
4	537	3 35	9	522	3 70

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	350	3 00	2	380	4 75
8	233	3 75	10	127	5 00
12	271	4 00	23	153	6 50
6	433	4 20	2	140	6 50
4	480	4 30	1	150	7 00
2	430	4 50			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
8	542	[illegible]	[illegible]	674	4 75
5	670	[illegible]	[illegible]	865	4 75

MONTANA.
L. S. Howes.

21 steers	1019	4 75	8 steers	956	4 50
15 cows	788	4 40	18 cows	872	4 00
13 cows	848	3 65	4 bulls	1267	3 25
19 cows	795	3 00			

NEBRASKA.

6 steers	1078	5 15	38 cows	982	4 10
5 cows	964	3 15	8 cows	907	2 90

H. P. Allen.

19 feeders	928	4 75

SOUTH DAKOTA.
J. Julius.

31 cows	893	3 15	27 cows	946	4 00
15 heifers	700	3 60	11 calves	230	4 50
21 feeders	750	4 40			

WYOMING.

9 steers	1097	5 25	8 cows	891	4 20
7 steers	1111	5 25	22 feeders	634	4 60
10 steers	1026	5 25	9 cows	824	3 00
12 cows	883	3 95	8 cows	985	4 30
9 feeders	701	4 60	4 feeders	715	4 60
10 feeders	827	4 55	6 cows	798	3 65

HOGS—Trade in hogs wavered about a steady level, some early business in heavy shipping grades showing strong to nickel higher figures, while bacon weights usually had to sell at prices steady to a little lower in spots. Cost of larger droves showed little change, but range of values was a trifle wider than usual, as indicated by discrimination in favor of lard offerings.

Movement as a whole was featured by a fair degree of freedom, a dull period being followed by active buying. The yards were practically cleared of a moderate supply by 10:30 o'clock and closing trade appeared especially active. Receipts amounted to about ninety loads, an estimate that included almost everything ranging from choice heavies to little pigs.

Heavy orders from shipping and speculative quarters that were filled during the early part of the session proved one of the leading features, over twenty loads selling to buyers not associated with local packing concerns. Smooth lard and heavy mixed varieties were generally favored on outside and speculative account.

Good to choice hogs weighing around 300 pounds sold largely at $6.30@6.40, the latter price being the highest paid. Desirable butcher averages ranged around $6.25 and bacon classes landed from $6.20 downward. Proportion of pigs was limited and trade in little stuff remained nominal.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
36	189	...	5 90	71	248	40	6 25
62	161	...	6 00	90	287	160	6 25
76	197	40	6 05	62	246	120	6 25
68	185	80	6 05	61	251	...	6 25
87	168	...	6 05	61	233	80	6 27½
78	174	...	6 05	44	287	240	6 27½
77	191	120	6 07½	75	246	240	6 27½
69	197	...	6 10	67	258	...	6 27½
80	210	...	6 10	77	227	200	6 27½
58	197	...	6 10	58	274	240	6 27½
67	228	...	6 15	42	274	80	6 30
74	217	...	6 15	69	219	40	6 30
69	192	...	6 15	40	293	160	6 30
28	190	80	6 15	61	277	40	6 30
51	211	40	6 15	28	297	...	6 30
81	212	...	6 15	61	282	240	6 30
23	212	40	6 15	64	270	120	6 30
35	189	...	6 15	32	247	...	6 30
90	224	80	6 15	69	248	200	6 30
93	172	...	6 15	67	272	80	6 30
88	187	...	6 15	60	291	40	6 30
60	204	...	6 20	60	258	160	6 30
70	188	...	6 20	60	277	40	6 30
72	207	40	6 20	71	222	...	6 30
68	289	...	6 20	62	241	160	6 30
89	207	...	6 20	74	287	120	6 30
80	193	...	6 20	64	244	...	6 30
80	197	40	6 20	61	262	160	6 30
71	232	80	6 20	73	263	120	6 30
79	189	...	6 20	54	265	120	6 30
28	218	...	6 20	60	277	80	6 32½
73	214	120	6 20	46	241	320	6 35
96	185	...	6 20	56	312	100	6 35
50	224	...	6 20	53	254	200	6 35
79	228	280	6 22½	59	299	80	6 35
61	219	40	6 22½	70	269	40	6 35
74	225	160	6 22½	64	290	...	6 35
74	247	120	6 25	71	272	120	6 35
73	235	160	6 25	40	345	120	6 35
64	243	80	6 25	72	277	...	6 35
70	232	160	6 25	55	326	80	6 35
72	193	...	6 25	40	353	120	6 35
69	246	80	6 25	36	334	80	6 40

PIGS—ODDS AND ENDS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
22	145	...	5 70	26	96	...	4 75
53	72	...	4 75				

SHEEP—Amount of business in sheep and lambs proved small, the market holding only twelve of fifteen loads, and prices showed no changes that could be applied to a trade claiming anything like normal offerings. It was a generally steady deal all along the line and the demand from no quarter had very much life.

Belated shipments from the range country made up the bulk of the run and it follows naturally that desirable fat classes were rare exceptions. Only a handful of killing ewes and lambs arrived, feeder strings being in heavy majority. Quality considered, fat stock cleared easily on a short market at figures much the same as those in force recently. Toppy lambs are now quotable up to $5.40, while choice ewes would probably land around $3.25. Common, tubby ewes are wanted only at $3.00 and less, with canner grades well under the $2.00 mark. The wether trade has been poorly tested lately, but something attractive in this line would sell at usual premiums over extra good ewes.

Compared with last week's close, fat lambs and matured muttons are closing about 10@15c lower, an excessive supply at eastern points causing weakness. Wethers and ewes, if anything, have suffered slightly more than good lambs, as the approach of Thanksgiving always finds rapidly filling poultry markets, a condition that is proverbially unfavorable to retail trade in dressed mutton.

Country demand for feeders was rather quiet today and business as a whole proved uninteresting. Strong weight feeder lambs are selling up to $4.55 and thrifty feeder ewes have been going back for a final finish from $2.50 up to $2.85@2.90. During the week the trend to values was stronger at times and present values are firm to a little higher in spots, as compared with last Friday's quotations. Four days' buy on country account amounts to only 23,000 head.

Quotations on sheep and Lambs—Good to choice, $5.10@5.40; fair to good, $4.75@5.10; feeders, $3.50@4.65. Yearlings: Fair to choice, $3.65@4.15; feeders, $3.25@3.65. Wethers: Good to choice, $3.35 @3.50; fair to good, $3.15@3.35; feeders, $3.00@3.35. Ewes: Good to choice, $3.10@ 3.25; fair to good, $2.75@3.10; feeders, $2.25@ $2.90; culls, $1.15@1.75.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Demand for Cattle Dull—Hogs Weak —Sheep Strong.

CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000 head; market dull; beeves, $4.50@9.00; Texas steers, $4.00@5.70; western steers, $4.40@7.30; stockers and feeders, $2.90@5.60; cows and heifers, $1.80@ 5.80; calves, $5.50@8.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 25,000 head; market weak at opening prices; light, $5.75@6.40; mixed, $6.05@6.60; heavy, $6.10@6.62½; rough, $6.05@6.30; good to choice heavy, $6.30@6.62½; pigs, $4.25@5.65; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 6,000 head; market strong; native, $2.25@3.70; western, $2.40@3.70; yearlings, $3.65@4.50; lambs, native, $3.50@5.65; western, $3.50 @6.60.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,200 head, including 200 southerns; market steady to strong; dressed beef and export steers, $6.50@8.75; fair to good, $5.25@6.50; western steers, $4.60@6.75; stockers and feeders, $3.65@6.75; southern steers, $4.00@6.00; southern cows, $3.00@ 4.25; native cows, $2.25@5.00; native heifers, $4.00@6.50; bulls, $3.25@4.75; calves, $3.50@7.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,600 head; market steady to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $6.00@ 6.55; heavy, $6.50@6.60; packers and butchers, $6.30@6.57½; lights, $5.75@6.40; pigs, $4.50@5.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,400 head; market steady to strong; muttons, $4.00@5.50; yearlings, $3.50@4.50; wethers, $3.00@3.50; ewes, $2.70@3.20; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.60.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,600 head, including 800 Texans; market steady; native shipping and export steers, $7.50@9.00; dressed beef and butcher steers, $5.00@7.00; steers under 1,000 lbs., $4.00@7.00; stockers and feeders, $3.00@6.00; cows and heifers, $3.00@7.00; canners, $1.00@3.00; bulls, $3.75@5.25; calves, $4.00@8.25; Texas and Indian steers, $4.00 @7.00; cows and heifers, $4.50@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000 head; market 5c higher; pigs and lights, $4.75@6.35; packers, $6.15@6.50; butchers and best heavy, $6.30@6.60.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 100 head; market steady; native muttons, $3.00@3.50; lambs, $4.25@5.55; culls and bucks, $1.25@3.00; stockers, $1.25@3.25.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Nov. 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500 head; market steady to strong; steers, $4.50@8.00; cows and heifers, $3.00@ 6.25; calves, $4.00@7.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,800 head; market steady to 5c lower; top, $6.52½; bulk of sales, $6.15@6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—None on sale; no change in market; lambs, $4.50@5.25.

Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the five principal markets yesterday:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	500	6,000	4,500
St. Joseph	500	4,800	.....
Kansas City	1,200	9,600	1,400
St. Louis	1,600	14,000	100
Chicago	2,000	25,000	6,000
Totals	5,800	59,400	12,000

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruit.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Inactive, but steady; on the spot fancy, 10c; choice, 8⅝@9c; prime, 8¼ @8½c.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, easier, on the spot, owing to liberal supplies; quotations range from 7@7¼c for Californias up to 40-50s and 10½@12c for Oregons. Apricots, dull and featureless; choice, 15 @15½c; extra choice, 16@16½c; fancy, 17@ 18c. Peaches, quiet and steady; choice, 11¼@11½c; extra choice, 11¾@12c; fancy, 12½@12¾c. Raisins, irregular, with a quiet demand; loose muscatels, 6½@7¼c; choice to fancy seeded, 7¾@8½c; seedless, 6@7c; London layers, $1.40@1.45.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—COTTON—Spot closed dull and unchanged; middling uplands, 9.45c; middling gulf, 9.70c; no sales.

Cotton futures closed quiet. Closing bids: November, 9.28c; December, 9.22c; January, 9.02c; February, 9.07c; March, 9.13c; April, 9.16c; May, 9.21c; June, 9.24c; July, 9.28c; August, 9.30c; September, 9.33c; October, 9.36c.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—DRY GOODS—Cotton goods values are steadier on a slightly higher basis. Cotton yarns are improving in tone. Local wool markets are quiet. Jobbers are doing a steady seasonable trade.

Omaha Hay Market.

OMAHA, Nov. 24.—HAY—No. 1, $14.00; No. 2, $13.00; coarse, $12.00; packing stock, $8.50@9.00; alfalfa, $15.00. Straw: Wheat, $6.00; rye and oats, $7.50.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Business Outlook Improving in Confidence and Volume of Trade.

MANY CONTRIBUTING FACTORS

Dress Goods and Men's Wear Mills in Better Position as to Orders and Cleaning Up Stocks Rapidly.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Both in business confidence and in volume of business transactions the situation continues to improve. The gain is very gradual and conservative and there is little disposition to go beyond satisfaction of immediate wants, but it is a gain, and the significant thing is that this improvement has now been maintained for several weeks. The cessation of disturbing international difficulties, the easier conditions of the international money markets, the growing conviction that domestic economic problems are shaping themselves for the better and the pressing need of doing something to replenish depleted stocks all contribute to the improvement which is being achieved.

A notable development is the more active buying of rails, cars and other equipment by the railroads, a fact which imparts a decidedly better feeling in the iron and steel and supply trade. With their 244,000 miles of track the railroads, by the volume of their purchases, affect acutely, for the improvement or injury, the whole industrial situation.

Purchasing of cotton goods of the heavier and coarser descriptions for the manufacturing trades has steadied prices during the week. Print cloths are selling more freely and wide cloths are from 1-16 to ⅛ cent higher. Large sales of blue denims have been made and jobbers report a fair business on colored domestics. Prints are being bought steadily, ducks are well sold up and underwear and hosiery for fall is firmer. Shipments on old orders to China are being made regularly, but new business is slow. Miscellaneous export trade, however, is steady. Dress goods and men's wear mills are in a better position as to orders and are cleaning up stocks very rapidly. The yarn markets are steadier, a fairly broad movement of merchandise being shown, and in the New England wool market transfers aggregate 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 pounds for the week and prices tend higher.

Footwear conditions improve as the season advances and the influx of orders for prompt shipment, as well as for future delivery, show a substantial increase this week. The demand for leather is still rather quiet, but trade shows some improvement over a week ago and prices are firmly held. The recent active buying of domestic hides has fairly well supplied the requirements of tanners and sales are now in comparatively small volume.

BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW

Seasonable Weather and Holiday Buying Expand Business.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Seasonable weather has continued to exert a salutary influence on retail trade, holiday buying has expanded, jobbers at a number of centers have done a better business in a way of reorders, operations in iron and steel display more zest as the result of recent heavy buying by the railroads and the outlook in the latter line is quite encouraging. On the other hand, spring trade, speaking of it as a whole, is still feeling the checkrein of conservative buying, prices for iron and steel remain very low because competition is yet in evidence, trade in larger lines at southern points is quiet, due principally, if not wholly, to the low price of cotton, and outdoor operations generally are waning. In fact, a strict analysis of all the trends indicates that there is considerable room for further improvement, and that from the viewpoint of profits things are not altogether satisfactory. Requests for prompt shipments are still a feature with most orders, thus confirming the belief that stocks do not take up much space on the shelves of final purveyors.

There is a stronger tone of cotton goods and considerable quiet buying, which has taken place with manufacturers and cutters figuring in the movement, while woolen goods, particularly men's wear lines, are being bought for delivery in 1912, and advances in shoes are coming in. Collections on the whole exhibit no particular improvement, ranging from slow to fair, positively poor reports coming from the south, owing obviously to the low level of cotton prices.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending November 23 were 293, against 238 last week, 212 in the like week of 1910, 217 in 1909, 193 in 1908 and 258 in 1907.

Failures in Canada for the week were 34 in number, compared with 31 last week and 23 in the like week of 1910.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending November 23 aggregate 4,002,440 bu., against 3,513,674 last week and 4,014,610 this week last year. For the twenty-one weeks ending November 23 exports are 65,879,125 bu., against 46,129,939 in the corresponding period last year.

Corn exports for the week are 188,803 bu., against 164,278 last week and 501,813 in 1910. For the twenty-one weeks ending November 23 corn exports are 10,992,501 bu., against 7,531,689 last year.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

BUTTER—No. 1, 1-lb. carton, 35c; No. 1, in 60-lb. tubs, 34½c; No. 2, 33c; packing, 19c.

CHEESE—Imported Swiss, 32c; American Switt, 22c; block Swiss, 18c. twins, 17½c; daisies, 18c; triplets, 18c; young Americas, 18c; blue label brick, 18c; limberger, 2-lb., 18c; 1-lb., 19c.

POULTRY—Broilers, 18c; springs, 11½c; hens, 11½c; cocks, 10c; ducks, 18c; geese, 13c; turkeys, 22c; pigeons, per doz., $1.50. Alive, broilers, 12½c. hens, 8c; old roosters and stags, 4½c; old ducks, full feathered, 11½c; geese, full feathered, 19½c; turkeys, 15c; guinea fowls, 15c each; pigeons, per doz., 60c; homers, per doz., $2.50; squabs, No. 1, $1.50; No. 2, 50c.

FISH—Pickeral, 11c; white, 18c⅝ pike, 15c; trout, 11@13c; large crappies, 15@18c; Spanish mackeral, 19c; eel, 18c; haddocks, 13c; flounders, 13c; green catfish, 13@15c; roe shad, $1.00 each; shad roe, per pair, 30c. salmon, 13c; halibut, 13c; yellow perch, 8c; bullafo, 8c; bullheads, 14c.

BEEF CUTS—Ribs, No. 1, 18c; No. 2, 12½c; No. 3, 8½c. Loins, No. 1, 19½c; No. 2, 12½c; No. 3, 9⅝c. Chucks, No. 1, 7½c; No. 2, 6c; No. 3, 6½c. Round, No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 8⅝c; No 3, 8½c.Plates, No. 1, 6¼c; No. 2, 5c; No. 3, 4½c.

FRUITS, ETC.—Apples, cooking varieties, per bbl., $2.75; Jonathan and Grimes Golden, per bbl., $4.50; Ben Davis, per bbl., $2.50; California Bellefiower, per box, $1.25; Colorado Jonathan, extra fancy, per box, $2.50; Washington Spitzenberg, per box, $2.50; Washington R. Beauty, per box, $2.50; Washington Staman Winesaps, per box, $2.50. Bananas, fancy select, per bunch, $2.25@2.50; Jumbo, per bunch, $2.75 @3.75. Cranberries, Wisconsin fancy, per bbl., $9.50, per box, $3.00; extra large Jumbo, per bbl., $10.50. Dates, Anchor brand, new, 30 1-lb. pkg. in boxes, per box, $2.50. Figs, California, per case of 12 12-oz. pkgs., 85c; per case of 36 12-oz. pkgs., $2.50; per case of 50 6-oz. pkgs., $2.00; New Turkish, 5-crown in 20-lb. boxes, per lb., 15c; 6-crown in 20-lb. boxes, per lb., 16c; 7-crown in 30-lb. boxes, per lb., 17c. Grape fruit, Florida, 46-36 sizes, per crate, $4.75@5.00; 80-54-64 sizes, per crate, $5.25. Grapes, California Tokays, per 4-basket crate, $1.25; Malaga grapes in bbls., $5.50@ 6.00. Lemons, Limoneira brand, extra fancy, 360 size, per box, $6.75; 300 size, per box, $6.50; Loma Limoneira, fancy, 300-360 sizes, per box, $6.00; 240 and 420 sizes, 50c per box less. Oranges, Niagara Redlands Valencias, 96-126 sizes, per box, $3.25; 150-176 200-216-250 sizes, per box, $3.50. Pears, California B. Clarigeau, per 50-lb. box, $3.00.

MISCELLANEOUS — Almonds, Tarragona, per lb., 18½c. in sack lots, 1c less. Brazil nuts, per lb., 16c; in sack lots, 1c less. Cocoanuts, per sack, $5.50. Filberts, per lb., 14c; in sack lots, 1c less. Peanuts, roasted, per lb., 8½c; raw, per lb., 7½c. Pecans, large, per lb., 17c; in sack lots, 1c less. Walnuts, new crop, 1911, California, per lb., 17½c; in sack lots, 1c less. Cider, New Nehawka, per 15-gal. ½ bbl., $3.00; per 30-gal. bbl., $5.50; New York Mott's, per 15-gal. ½ bbl., $3.50; per 30-gal. bbl., $6.50. Honey, new, 24 frances, $3.75. Krout, per 15-gal. keg, $2.75; per 5-gal. keg, $1.10; Wisconsin, per ½-bbl., $2.50.

Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 24.—WOOL—Steady; territory and western mediums, 17@20c; fine mediums, 16@18c; fine, 11@15c.