with Oats Firm.

LATTER OPENS AND CLOSES SAME

Cables Are Lower, Setting Continues and Values Undergo an Emphatic Slump-Trading in Not Active.

OMAHA, March 21, 1908. Wheat and corn markets show decided weakness, while cats held fairly firm.
Cables were lower and selling continues and values underwent a decided siump. The regular Saturday interest was shown and trading was not active.
Wheat responded to the lower cables and general commission house selling. Some

wheat responded to the lower cables and a general commission house selling. Some buying was done on the decline, but no strength was shown. May wheat opened at 18% and closed at 18%. Corn was weak and lost heavy on general selling against downs, the weak wheat market and by the more liberal country acceptance. Ceptances.

Oats were more firm than wheat or corn and values were well sustained in spite of the weakness shown by the other markets.

the weakness shown by the other markets. Trading was not active and values were marrow. May osts opened at 5% and closed at 55% c.

Primary wheat receipts were 550,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 509,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 509,000 bushels, and shipments of 272,000 bushels.

Corn receipts were 696,000 bushels and thipments were 184,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 769,000 bushels and shipments of 600,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 769,000 bushels and shipments of 600,000 bushels.

Clearances were 141,000 bushels of corn, \$,000 bushels of oate and wheat and flour equal to 223,000 bushels.

Liverpool closed 425% d lower on wheat Liverpool closed 1551d lower on wheat and 15d lower on corn.
Local range of options:

Articles. C	pen. [High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat- May July Sept	83% 84% 80%	93% 84% 80%	9136 8459 8059	91 . 84% 80%	903) 8432 8049
May July Hept	50% 58% 57%	60% 58% 57%	5914 587a 575a	59% 58% 57%	58% 57%
May July Sept	50% 44% 34%	50% 44% 34%	50% 44% 34%	50% 44% 34%	50% 44% 34%

Omnha Cash Prices. WHEAT-No. 2 hard, 94697c; No. 3 hard, 14698c; No. 4 hard, 90698c; No. 3 spring, 95 OATS-No. 3 mixed, 50%4661c; No. 3 white, 50%4661c; No. 4 white, 50%460%c. : hypono. 2, 77678%c; No. 5, 75%478%c.

*	Carlot	Receipts.		
1		Wheat.	Corn.	Oat
Chicago		23	2219	2
Minneapo	olia		22.5	1.5
Imaha .	***********	34	118	
Duluth .	***********	Consessed To	300	1.0

THICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS Features of the Trading and Closing

Prices on Board of Trade. CHICAGO, March 21.—Fine weather in his country and lower markets abroad ombined to produce a weak wheat market oday. At the close May wheat was 14:00 tac lower. Corn was off 14:01%c. Oats were 3:0%c lower. Provisions declined

sec lower. Corn was off 149c18c. Oats ster 2619c lower. Provisions decimed the control of the seaters per series 2619c lower. Provisions decimed the control of the seaters per series 2619c lower at the opening were lower cables and finerassed receipts of the seaters and slightly lower in the seaters of the control of the seaters per series at the opening were lower cables and finerassed receipts when the seaters in the seaters and slightly lower at the opening were lower cables and the post of the market was bought early in the say in hope of a rise before the close of the market was being the market. The decline resulted in a slight improvement in the demand for the close of the close and aided in weakening the market were and the seaters of the close of the close and slightly of the close were at 364c and 656c and 656

ars; hogs, 45,000 head. The leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y.

Wheat May July Sept	895,0076	95% 89% 86%	98% 88% 86%	94 88%@% £6	95% 69% 90 02% 57%
Sept	62%-3%	65% 63% (2% 63%	65% 62% 63	6:4 6:4	63 63 64 64 64 64 64 64 64 64 64 64 64 64 64
onts— aMay bMay aJuly bJuly	53% 48%	54% 53% 45%	54 5294 47 % 4654	51% 52% 47% 46%	3% 9% 53% 46% 9% 46%
Pork- May July	12 42% 12 87%	12 501/a 12 90	12 42% 12 77%	12 45 12 85	12 42% 12 12%
May July Sept		7 95 8 20 8 40	7 90 8 10 8 371/2	7 95 8 17% 3 40	7 98% 8 15 8 37%
May July Sept	7 15	6 85 7 15 7 40	6 80 7 10 7 37%	6 85 7 15 7 40	6 88% 7 13% 7 40

No. 2 a Old. b New.
Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR-Market casy; winter patents, \$4.504.55; straights, \$4.0094.60; spring patents, \$5.3065.60; straights, \$4.3064.90; baktrs, \$2.3064.00. 2 spring, \$1.0762.08; No. 3.5063.05; No. 2 red, 935,49354.c.
CURN-No. 2, 6265356; No. 2 yellow, 6456 page. "No. 2 a Old. b New. OATS-No. 2, 52% 054c; No. 3 white, 52% 0 53%c.

BARLEY-Fair to choice malting, 780%c.

RYE-No. 2, 78c.

SEEDS-Flax, No. 1 northwostern, 31.20.

Prime timothy, 34.75. Clover, contract trade, 421.00.

grade, \$21.00.
PROVISIONS—Short ribs, sides (loose), be 150 ft. Mess pork, per bbl., \$12.50gulf.25.
Lard per 100 the, \$7.75. Short clear sides (boxed), \$6.624ggt.876.
Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:

Receipts. Shipments.

		Hoceipts.	Shipments.
FI	our bbls	21,900	72,70
1001	heat bu	25,000	74.30
- 36	ew Pass	901 650	244.40
3n	In. bu	367,000	350,10
186.0	er. 2011	0.003	39,70
Ha	chey, buch	71,500	23,43
	in the produc	es exchange tod	av the but
		firm; creamerle	
		Eggs, steady;	
		456c; firsts, 15c;	
		Cheuse, steady	
-	American view	Catchard, accords	1 35 9 9 1 350

St. Louis General Market.

United States Steel is Mainstay of

CRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

| \$7.50 | Bacon, steady; boxed extra shorts, \$8.50; short clears, \$8.50 | POULTRY-Firm; chickens, 10%c; spring, lie; turkeys, 15018c; ducks, Lie; geese, 5%c. BUTTER-Steady; creamery, 28018c. EGGs-Unchanged, ilc, case count. Receipts, Shipments, Receipts, Shipments, Receipts, Shipments, 11.00

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Commodities.

365c. HIDES-Quiet; Bogotas, 174c; Central America, 17c.

J.E.ATHER—Outet, acid, 29G27c.

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PROVISIONS—Beaf, steady; family; 314 50
G15.00; mess, \$11.00G11.50; beef hams,
\$25.00G27.00; packet, \$12.00G12.50; city
extra India mess, \$21.00G12.50; city
extra India mess, \$21.00G12.50; city
extra India mess, \$21.00G12.50; City
meats, dull; pickled bellies, \$7.25G8.00;
pickled hams, \$8.00, Lard, steady; western
prime, \$7.90G8.00; refined steady; continent
\$8.35; Bouth America, \$8.90; compound, \$6.87%
G7.12%, Pork, firm: family, \$15.50G16.00;
short clears, \$15.00G16.25; mess, \$14.25G14.75.

TALLOW—Firm; city (\$2 per pkg.), 5%c;
country (pkgs. free), \$675%c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra,
3 % \$6.8%c. 有音號e. BUTTER-Easy; creamery, thirds to

BUTTER-Easy: creamery, thirds to the state of the state full cream, small, colored, fancy, 154c; state full cream, small, colored, fancy, 154c; white, fancy, 15c; good to and white, fancy, 15c; good to prime, 144g154c; late October and early November made, 134g144c; winter made, 12g13c; common to fair, 10g114c.

EOGS-Firmer; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 13g20c; good to choice, 17g184c; brown and mixed extra. 17c; firsts, 154g164c; western and southern 17c; firsts, 154g164c; conds, 144g164c.

POULTRY-Alive, firm; fowls, 14c; turkeys, 15c; dressed, firm; turkeys, 12g17c; fowls, 10g14c.

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT Cloudy and Cooler Tonight and Fair and Cooler Sunday.

OMAHA, March 21, 1908. OMAHA. March 21, 1908.

The pressure is high over the eastern and western portions, with a trough of low pressure extending from Manitoba acress the Missouri vailey to the southwest. The weather h s cleared in the eastern portion and temperatures are much lower in the southern states and slightly lower along the upper Atlantic coast. It is warmer in the lake region, central vaileys and west into the mountains, but the high

Wheat, bu Corn, bu Oats, bu	1	35,0 32,0 12,0	00	42,000 24,000 3,000
Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat-	921/6 831/6	9214 8314	90% 83%	91% 83 A
May	5914 5814	5816	5814 5714	58%@% 57%

PHILADELPHIA, March 21.→BUTTER-Stendy; extra western creamery, 30c; prints

Me.'
EGGS-Steady, with fair demand; Pennsylvania and other firsts, 17c. at mark; current receipts, in returnable cases, 16c. at mark; western firsts, 17c.
CHEESE-Firm, with good demand; New York full creams, choice, 15% 6715c; New York full creams, fair to good, 15% 15% c.

Liverpool Grain Market. Liverpool Grain Market,
Liverpool Grain Market,
steady; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 346.
Futures, steady; March, nominal; May,
7s 4d; July, 7s 18d.
CORN-Spot, firm; prime mixed American, new, 5s 5d; prime mixed American, old,
5s 7d. Futures, quiet; March, nominal;
May, 5s 6d.

Minneapolis Grain Market. MINNEAPOLIS. March 21.—WHEAT—May, \$1.044; July, \$1.024; No. 1 hard, \$1.075; No. 1 northern, \$1.054; No. 2 northern, \$1.054; No. 3 northern, \$1.054; No. 3 northern, \$6.001; No

Milwankee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, March 21.—WHEAT-Mar-ket lower; No. 1 northern, \$1.09(1.10%; No. 1 northern, \$1.00(1.07%; May, 94c. BARLEY-Dull; No. 2, 87c; sample, 68(5) CORN-Lower; No. 3 cash, 63663c; May,

Peoria Market. PEORIA, III. March 21.— CORN— Unchanged; No. 3 yellow, \$2,60%; No. 4, 61%; no grade, 579%; OATS—Lower; No. 3 white, 524,665%; No. 4 white, 51652c.
WHISKY—\$1.35.

Duluth Grain Market. DULUTH. March 21.-WHEAT-No. 1 northern, \$1.05%; May, \$1.05%; July, \$1.05%. Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS. March 21.—WOOL—Steady; medium grades, combing and clothing, 20% medium grades, 20% mediu

St. Louis General Market.

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St. Louis March 21.—WHEAT—Lower: track, No. 2 red, cash, 196231.60; No. 3 hard, 25.—WHEAT—Lower: London, March 21.—The offerings at London, March 21.—The offerings at the world metric sales today amounted to sale; No. 2 white, 19673446; May, 6186; No. 2 white, 19673446; May, 6186; No. 2 white, 19673446; May, 6186; No. 2 white, 19673466; May, 6186; PLOUR—Dull; red winter patents 11.0045; SEED—Timothy, steady; 21.004.20; Next week 85.160 bales have been withdrawn. Next week 85.160 bales will be offered.

Movements of Merchandise.

NEW YORK, March 21.—Imports of merchandise and dry goods at the port of New York for the week ending March 14 were valued at \$10.284,217. Imports of species at the port of New York for the week ending day were \$16.284,217. Imports of species at the port of New York for the week ending today were \$16.500.20 silver and \$16.284. Day asit means, steady; boxed extrashorts, \$7.25; clear ribs, \$7.25; short clears.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

the Market.

INDUSTRIALS RISE OTHER

Quotations of the Day on Various Strength Also Imparted to Railronds but Final Dealings Show Effect

Commodities.

NEW YORK, March 2.—FLOUR—Receipts, 22,828 bbls.; exports, 18,379 bbls.; dull and berely steady; Minnesota patents, 15.25 bf.75; winter stringhts, 24,496,169; Minnesota barets, 44,509,50; winter extragily steady; fair to good, 44,509,50; winter oxtragily steady; fair to good, 44,509,40; choice to fancy, \$5,009,6,5.

CORNEAL—Steady; coarse, \$1,409,728; kiin dried, \$1,55.

RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, \$8c. f. o. b., New York.

WHEAT—Receipts, 19,000 bu.; exports, 70,168 bu.; spot market easy; No. 2 red, affoat, No. 1 northern, Duluth, \$1,185, f. o. b., affoat, No. 2 nard winter, \$1,115, f. o. b., affoat, No. 2 nard winter, \$1,115, f. o. b., affoat, No. 2 nard winter, \$1,115, f. o. b., affoat, No. 2 nard winter, \$1,115, f. o. b., affoat, No. 2 nard winter, \$1,115, f. o. b., affoat, No. 2 nard winter, \$1,115, f. o. b., affoat, No. 2 narket closing weak, May, \$1,609,10; closed, \$1,000,40; closed, \$ ports from Pittsburg that the revival of the steel trade was shifting, was aliayed by this information. Sustained revival in the steel trade is accepted as a reliable barometer of the tendency of the whole industrial situation. Hence the strong sentiment produced by this pews. Industrial securities shared most of the strength of United States Steel. Strength of the railiroad ist was most conspicuous in a few stocks which are favorite mediums of speculative activity. Some of the prominent railroad stocks were not fully responsive to the rise. The weekly reviews of the mercantile agencies gave conservative encouragement to the hopeful spirit prevalent in the stock market. Advices from the cotton manufactures were an exception, and the rate of demoralization reported in the print cloth trade, with plans for curtailment of production, were not liked.

The expectation of a message from the president dealing with economic and labor conditions, again came into sight as a factor in the market. The strength in United States Steel was well maintained, but the general list showed plainly the effects of profit-taking before the end of the requirement for the return of an instailment of government deposits on Monday, which will call for a sum of over \$21,000,000 from the banks of the country. New York banks are likely to be called on to meet more than their proportionate share of this call by drafts from the interior correspondents for payment to the government.

Total sales, par value, \$1,830,600. United States 4s, registered, have declined % per cent on call during the week.

Number of sales and quotations on stocks were as follows:

Sales High Low Close.

Sales, High Low. Close. Adams Express.

Amalgamated Copper.

Am. Car and Foundry...
do pfd. . 17,300 5814 5714 57% . 1,600 31 2014 3014 . 200 2014 2014 3014

	do pfd	398 200	9014 2716	90% 27	96 26 85
1	do pfd	111111	1111	110	182
1	Am. Hide & L. pfd	2,500	19%	19	19
J	do ptd. Am. Express. Am. Hide & L. ptd. Am. Linseed Oil. do ptd. Am. Locomotive	WELLES	1111	300	17
۱	Am. Locomotive	2,109	39%	39	77 92
	Am. Locomotive do pfd Am. Smelting & Ref do pfd Am. Sugar Ref Am. Tob. pfd certif. Anaconda Mining Co.	31,600	73	6914	70 98
	Am. Sugar Ref	3,489	124 81%	19016 8416	124
1	Anaconda Mining Co	3,400	77%	3714 7314	78
	An mfd	100	81 87	87	66
	Atlantic Coast Line	1.700	81%		81 84
1	B. & O. do ptd. Brooklyn R. T. Canadian Parific. Central of N. J. Ches. & Ohlo. Chicago Gt. Western. C. & N. W. C. M. & St. P. **Sto ptd. C. C. C. C. & St. L. Colo. Fuel & Iron. Colorado Southern. do 1st ptd.	11,000	145%	46% 146	146
i	Central of N. J	200	3044	33%	177
1	Chicago Gt. Western	100	146%	14614	140
	C., M. & St. P	8,300	117%	11614	116
	do pfd	22.007		**	2/
5	Colo. Fuel & Iron	8,400	2314	21%	24
	do lat ptd	200 600	51%	5414 45	E4
6	Consolidated Gas	200	10236	102%	100
ų	do pfd	200	156	155	154
	Consolidated Gas Corn Products do pid. Del. & Hudson Del. & & W D. & R. O. do pid. Distliers' Securities.	200	20	19%	480
1	do pfd.	2,700	2314	3156	5
•	Eris do 1st pfd	900	15%	15%	11
P	do 2d pfd	100	21.14	123	12
	Blinois Central	400	125	194%	12
36	de pfd	200	5614 24%	54	5
2	do pfd	500	71%	71%	7
2	Illinois Central Inter. Paper de pfd. Inter. Pump do pfd. Iowa Central do pfd K. C. Southern de pfd	400	10	20	2
9	do ptd	500	97%	9634	5
	Mexican Central	200	19	18 5214	1 2
	dev ptd. L & N Mexican Central. M. & St. L M. St. F. & S. Ste. M de ptd. Mo, Pacific. N. K. & T de ntd	300	1041/2	100%	10
0	Mo. Pacific	1,690	2036	2214	3
g	do pfd	10,200	5316	58%	5
t	M. K. & T. do ptd. National Lead. Nat'l R. R. of M. ptd. N. Y. Central. N. Y. Central. N. Y. Ont. & W. Norfolk & W.	1,600	9994	97%	4 9
١,	N. Y., Ont. & W	200	3214 63	82%	3 6
9	The state of the s			1111	3
Ö	Pacific Mali	2,000	117%	116%	31
	People's Gas	500	88%	58	7
6.	Pacific Mali Pennsylvania People's Gas P. C. C. & St. L. Pressed Steel Car. do pfd. Pullman Palace Car	600	22	22%	3
7	Pullman Palace Car	81,500	105%	101%	10
% A	Reading do let pfd			****	1
	Republic Steel	2,400	ARIBA I	71	1
N.	do pfd. Rock Island Co. do pfd. St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd. St. L. & W. de pfd. So. Pacific. do pfd. So. Relivery	1,700	14% 96%	26	3
ī	St. L. & S. F. 2d ptd	199	12%	1214	1
	do pfd	5,200	7416	72%	-
8,	do ptd	500	12%	12%	36
1-	Texas & Parific	. 800 600	35 17	1616	-1
it	Tol., St. L. & W	400	1514 2714	111/4	4
w	do pfd. So. Railway. do pfd. Texas & Parific. Tol., St. La & W. do pfd. Union Pacific. do pfd. U. S. Express. U. S. Raily. U. S. Rubber. do pfd. U. S. Stael. do pfd. VaCaro, Chemical. do pfd. Wabash	. \$1,200 200	126 16 80%	80	1
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t.	do pfd	4,600	26%		
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	Wahash de pid	. 100 800	44	16%	3
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Westinghouse Electric.
Western Union...
W. & Lake Eric.
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do pfd.
No. Fastinc.
Central Leather
do off 100 50 50 50 50 5,600 122% 121% 121% 700 7% 7 7 700 18% 17% 17% Total sales for the day, 460,600 shares.

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Boston Stock Quotations.
STON, March 21.—Call loans, 2694 per time loans, 5366 per cent. Official g on stocks and bonds:
on adj. 4s 85 Atlantic 915
Central 4s. St. Calumet & Hecia. 600 on TS-is Contennial 22% 56 Stie Copper Range 63%
& Albany 187 Dair West 8 & Maioe 120% Franklin 7%
Hievated128 Granby
Omtral 172 Name Model 2% N. H. & H. 123 Michigan 10% Panide 1354 Mohawk 40
ofd
pen. Tube
Voolen 17 Tamarack 18
fd
Electric 10% Utah 20%
Ges. 50 Winons 54
Fruit 102 Wolvering 121 Shoe Mach 424 North Rutte 234 Set Coalition 205
Studi H Calumet & Arisons 104
ture
-dividend.

\$362,536,738; gold coin and builton, \$24,124,800; gold certificates, \$31,697,310.

New York Money Market. NEW YORK, March II.—MONEY—On call, nominal. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 3½ per cent; ninety days, 3½ per cent; six months, 5½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER - 5½66 per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE — Steady, with
actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.889
4.8996 for demand and at \$4.825694.8390 for
sixty-day bills; commercial bills, \$4.89429

81LVER-Bar, 554c; Mexican dollars, 47c. BONDS - Government, steady; railroad,

LONDON, March 21.—On the Stock ex-change here today American securities re-flected the stendy close in New York yes-terday, and professional operations in an-ticipation of a good New York bank state-ment put values over parity. The market finished a fraction below the best, but was steady. steady, London closing stock quotations:

STOCK QUARTED AND A TEXAS 25% STOCK NO. KAN & TEXAS 25% STOCK NO. KAN A TEXAS 25% STOCK NO. KAN A TEXAS 25% STOCK A do phi Baltimore & Ohle. Canadian Pacific Chesapeake & Ohle Chi. Great Western Chi. Mil. & Bt. P. De Beern Denver & Rio G. de 1d pfd. 22 Wabash 3 Grand Trunk 15% do pfd 17 Hilnels Central 130 Spanish 44 92% Louisville & Nash. 9% Amail Coppler 59% The rate of Giscount in the open market for short bills le 2% 02% per cent; for three months' bills, 2% per cent.

Clearing House Bank Statement. NEW YORK. March 21.—The statement of clearing nouse banks for the week shows that the banks hold \$37,424.40 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent reserve rule. This is an ingrease of \$6,759,375 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement followed.

d	lows:	The state	ment loi-
И			Increase.
u	Loans	.161,653,600	\$ 934,100
П	Deposits	.182,080,200	10,250,900
Я	Circulation		*161,200
9	Legal tender		1,828,500
3	Specie	271,500,000	7,493,600
21	Reserve	332,944,500	9,322,100
Л	Reserve required	37,424,450	0,759,375
	Ex. U. S. deposits		6,504,050
81	*decrease.		
	The percentage of a	ctual reser	ve of the

clearing house banks at the close of busi-ness yesterday was 28.55.

The statement of banks and trust com-panies of Greater New York not members of the clearing house shows that these institutions have aggregate deposits of \$749,-183,700; total cash on hand, \$53,590,500, and loans amounting to \$775,340,100.

4	Igalia allocation of a fiction of
	Bank Clearings.
4455	OMAHA, March 11Bank clearings for today were \$1.911,925.74 and for the corre- sponding date last year \$1.896,519.74. 1908. 1907.
14	Monday\$ 2,374,024,72 \$ 2,341,314.85 Tuesday 2,014,834.04 1,762,956.48
16	Wednesday 2.112.001.3/ 1,001.0/0.0/
14	Thursday 2,041,402.55 1,802,015.47 Friday 2,106,987.49 1,744,220.17 Saturday 1,911,996.74 1,895,519.74
16/16/16/16	Total\$12,561,285.91 \$11,399,784.79 Increase over the corresponding week last year, \$1,161,551.12.
14	New York Mining Stocks.
35	NEW YORK, March M.—Classing quotations on mining stocks were; Adams Con. 5 Little Chief. 5 Alice 200 Ontario 250

Breece 10
Brunswick Con. 10
Comatock Tunnel 21
Con. Cal. & Va. 50
Horn Silver 155
Leadville Con. 6 Potosi Savage Sierra Nevade..... Small Hopes

Foreign Financial. LONDON, March 21.—Money was in fair supply and demand in the market today. Discounts were steady, in anticipation of continental competition for gold on Monday. BERLIN, March 21.—Trading on the Bourse today was listless. American securities alone showed activity.

PARIS, March 21.—Prices on the Bourse today were firm.

BERLIN, March M.—Exchange on Lon-lon, 20 marks, 43 pfennigs for checks. Dis-count rates: Short bills, 44 per cent; three nonths' bills, 45 per cent.

Cotton Market. NEW YORK, March 21.—COTTON—Fu-tures opened steady; March, 9.63c; April, 9.63c, bid; May, 9.78c; July, 9.72c; August, 9.62c; Otober, 9.50c; December, 9.53c. Futures closed steady; March, 9.61c; April, 9.61c; May, 9.74c; June, 9.70c; July, 9.75c; August, 9.59c; October, 9.51c; December, 9.44c. Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower, with

9.44c. Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower; mid-dling uplands, 10.55c; middling gulf, 10.89c. No sales.

LIVERPOOL, March IL—COTTON—Spot, quiet; prices 8 points lower; American middling, fair, 640d; good middling, 6.04d; middling, 5.78d; low middling, 5.44d; good ordinary, 5.00d; ordinary, 4.50d. The sales of the day were 4.000 bales of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 2.600 bales American. Receipts, 1.000 bales all American. Futures opened firm cluded 2,600 bales American. Receipts, 1,000 bales, all American. Futures opened firm and closed quiet; American midding, g. o. c., March, 5,25%d; March-April, 5,25%d; bluy-June, 5,36d; June-July, 5,35%d; July-August, 5,34d; August-Beptember, 5,25d; September-October, 5,24d, October-November, 5,18%d; November-December, 5,16d; December-January, 5,12%d, of international sales made to the trade late yesterday amounted to 3,000 bales, all American.

GALVESTON, Tex., March 21.—COTTON 101.

GALVESTON, Tex., March 21.-COTTON | GALVESTON, Tex., March 21.—COTTON 91.

Steady, 10%c.
ST. LOUIS, March 21.—COTTON—25.
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Dull: middling, 11c; sales, 22 bales; recelpts, 225 bales; shipments 25 bales; 85.
NEW ORLEANS, March 21.—COTTON 81.
—Spot quiet, with prices unchanged; middling, 10%c; sales, 50 bales spot and 350 bales to arrive. Futures closed; March, 10.01c; April, 8.96c, nominal; May, 9.95c; June, 9.94c; July, 9.94c; August, 8.76c; October, 2.68c; December, 9.46c.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits. Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, March II.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market steadier in tone perhaps, but quotations show no improvement. Fancy are quoted at 104,611c; choice, 184,8194c; prime, 64,674c; common to fair, 54,964c. CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Pruncs were unsettled, with quotations averaging from 45c to 16c for California and from 6c to 10c for Oregons. Apricots are in light demand, with choice at 18620c; extra, 19621c; fancy, 10204c. Peaches are steady, with choice at 106104c; extra choice, 116114c; fancy, 114612c; extra fancy, 13614c. Raisins are unchanged, with loose Muscatels at 56 84c.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 21.—METALS—87.

Markets were quiet in the absence of cables with quotations practically nominal. Copper was said to be firmly held, with lake quoted at \$12.87% \$13.00; delectrolytic, \$12.75 \$12.87%; casting, \$12.62% \$12.75. Lead was unchanged at \$13.908 \$1.40. Speiter continued quiet at \$13.908 \$1.40. Speiter continued quiet at \$1.65% 4.70. Iron was unchanged.

ST. LOUIS. March 21.—METALS—1. Lead, lower, at \$3.75. Speiter, lower, at \$4.55.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Fat Cattle Forty to Fifty Higher for the Week.

HOGS ADVANCED THIRTY CENTS

No Sheep or Lambs on Sale Today-Receipts for West Smaller Than Year Ago-Prices Quarter Higher for Week.

SOUTH OMAHA, March 21, 1908.
 Receipts were:
 Cattle, Hoas Sheep,

 Official Monday
 4,512
 7,961
 7,8,1

 Official Tuesday
 5,027
 13,590
 7,917

 Official Wednesday
 3,555
 18,581
 14,041

 Official Thursday
 2,801
 11,797
 5,019

 Official Thursday
 1,218
 9,793
 2,410

 Estimate Saturday
 227
 6,902
 642
 Six days this week 17.470 62,633 68,250 67,046 57,988 Same days 1 weeks ago. 16.198
Same days 2 weeks ago. 16.198
Same days 2 weeks ago. 16.198
Same days 4 weeks ago. 18.297
Same days 1 weeks ago. 18.298
Same days last year. 24.425 The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Ornaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

Date. | 1908. | 1907. | 1906. | 1905. | 1904. | 1903. | 1902. | Date. | 1908. | 1907. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1904. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906. | 1906

C., M. & St. P. Ry. 9
Wabash R. R. ...
Mo. Pacific Ry. ...
Union Pacific Total receipts ... 9 98 3 4
The unsposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.

Omaha Packing Co..... Omaha Packing Co.
Switt and Company
Cudany Packing Co.
Armour & Co.
Omaha Pack. Co., Denver 108
Cudany Pack. Co., Denver 108
Cudany Pack. Co., Denver 108
Hoffman ...
Blackshire 340

it is generally admitted that this will depend largely upon the size of the receipts at leading markets the coming week. There seems to be at the present time very little doubt but what there is a real shortage in the supply of fat cattle. The feeling that the cattle are not in the country, together with the moderate receipts, has been the real cause of the rapid upward movement in values.

Cows and heifers of good killing quality kept pace all the week with beef steers showing about the same advance, although for the three weeks they have not shown as much gain. The fact is cows and heifers of good quality were higher in proportion to steers three weeks ago. The better grades of cornfeds have been very active sellers all the week and the market entirely satisfactory to sellers.

The flurry in beef steers was naturally reflected in a somewhat better buying demand for stockers and feeders. Prices on good feeding cattle gradually firmed up during the week, being quoted anywhere from 15@25c higher than at the close of last week.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice d largely upon the size of the receipts

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Quotations on cattle: Good to choice corn-fed steers, \$5.9020.40; fair to good corn-fed steers, \$5.5020.40; fair to good corn-fed steers, \$4.5035.90; common to fair corn-fed steers, \$4.5035.50; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.7525.40; fair to good cows and heifers, \$4.3064.75; common to fair cows and heifers, \$2.3233.90; good to choice stockers and feeders, \$4.5035.60; fair to good stockers and feeders, \$3.5534.50; common to fair stockers and feeders, \$3.504.50; common to fair stockers and feeders, \$3.504.50; common to fair stockers and feeders, \$3.00 \$3.56.

HOGS-While a few of the early sales did the market was fairly active at an advance of 10c over yesterday. Later on it eased off again, a good share of the advance being lost on the close. The market as a whole might best be described as 50 loc higher, mostly 10 higher. The hogs sold very largely at and around \$4.75, while nearly haif of the hogs sold yesterday at \$4.55. The top today was \$4.85, as against \$4.55 yesterday. Considering that it was the last day of the week, the market was certainly in a very satisfactory condition so far as selling interests were concerned. The hog market this week, barring only Monday, when it was steady, has been higher every day, and at the close of the week prices on an average show an adhigher every day, and at the close of the week prices on an average show an advance of 30c. This advance has taken place in the face of very liberal receipts, the runs at this point having been a little larger than for the same days a year ago. Hogs are now selling on this market at the highest point touched since November 18 of last year.

Representative sales:

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and at the close of the week prices on both sheep and lambs are He higher than at the close of last week. On most days the

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Quotations on wooled sheep and lambs:
Lambs, good to choice, \$7.1547.65; lambs,
fair to good, \$5.767.15; good shearing lambs,
\$6.5090.90; yearlings, good to choice light,
\$6.5090.90; yearlings, good to choice heavy,
\$6.2665; yearlings, fair to good, \$6.0096.50;
wethers, good to choice, \$6.15466.50; wethers,
fair to good, \$5.7586.15; ewes, good to choice,
\$6.0096.55; ewes, fair to good, \$5.5096.00;
cuils and bucks, \$3.5094.50.

Quotations on shorn sheep are 50c under
wooled stock and shorn lambs 75c under wooled stock.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET Cattle and Sheep Steady-Hogs Five to Ten Cents Higher.

CHICAGO, March 21.—CATTLE—Receipts, 700 head; market steady; beeves, 44.60@6.65; cows and heifers, \$2.10@5.40; Texans, 44.25@

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

BT. LOUIS, March 21.—CATTILE—Receipts, 200 head; market steady. Native shipping and export steers, \$5.4005.40; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$5.4006.65; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$4.3065.00; stockers and feeders,\$ 3.0064.85; cows and helfers, \$3.3565.50; canners, \$2.0065.00; bulls, \$3.0064.70; calves, \$3.5007.50; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.5005.00; cows and helfers, \$1.75664.10. HOGS—Receipts, 3,500 head; market steady. Pigs and lights, \$3,7595.00; packers, \$1,2595.00; butchers and best heavy, \$5,00

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 100 head; market steady. Native muttons, \$3,5095,50; lambs, \$4.267.00; culls and bucks, \$3,7593.40.

Hansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, March 71.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500 head; including 100 southerns; market steady: native steers, \$5.0907.5; southern cows, \$3,0004.50; native cows and helfers, \$3.5095.55; stockers and feeders, \$2.5095.55; blands, \$3.5095.55; western cows, \$3.5094.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000 head; market 56710c higher; bulk of sales, \$4.005.90; heavy, \$4.5095.50; packers and butchers, \$4.850 head; market steady: muttons, \$3.7506.60; lambs, \$6.5097.75; range wethers, \$6.0097.10; fed ewes, \$8.5006.20.

Sloux City Live Stock Market.

SHEEP AND LAMPS—Receipts, \$00 head; market steady: muttons, \$3.7506.60; lambs, \$6.5097.75; range wethers, \$6.0097.10; fed ewes, \$8.5006.20.

Sloux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX CITY, ia., March II.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE — Receipts, 300 head; market steady; beeves, \$1.5026.15; cows and heifers, \$2.7565.09; stockers and feeders, \$2.0064.60; calves and yearlings, \$2.55674.00; HOGS — Receipts, 4.500 head; market strong, selling at \$4.5024.80; bulk of sales, \$4.0024.70.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

CABBAGE—Wisconsis Cabbage Cabbage Wisconsin Red Globe, per lb., 1½c.
SHALLOTS—Per doz., 20c.
HORSERADISH—Per doz., 20c.
BRUSSELS SPROUTS—Per qt., 20c.
CELERY—Michigan, per bunch, 25655c.
KUMQUATS—Owing to quality, per qt.,

STRAWBERRIES-Owing to quality, 500 NAVY BEANS-Per bu., No. 1, 12.00; lima. 7c per lb.
TOMATOES-Florida, extra fancy, per 8-basket crate, \$6.00; choice, per 6-basket crate, \$4.00; Cuban, fancy, per 6-pasket crate, \$4.00 PEARS—Extra fancy winter wells, per

PEARS—Extra fancy winter Mellis, per box \$2.75.
ORANGES—Fancy Washington navels, all sizes, per box, \$2.75: extra fancy Sun-Tangerines, 200 size and smaller, per box \$2.25.
RADISHES—Hothouse, per doz., 40c
BANANAS—Fort Limon, owing to size, per bunch, \$1.50 to \$2.00.
LEMONS—Extra fancy Southerland Beauty, 200 to 200 size, per box, \$4.00: extra choice Justrite, 320 to 360 size, per box, \$3.75.
FIGS AND DATES—Smyrna figs. 5 crown, per lb., 146116; Smyrna figs. 5 crown, per lb., 146116; Smyrna figs. 4 crown, per lb., 10611c; California figs. boxes, 12 cartons, \$5c; California figs, bulk, per lb., 54c; Hallowi dates, per lb., 54c; Fard dates, per lb., 54c; Fard dates, 13-lb. boxes, per lb., 54c; Fard dates, 13-lb. boxes, per lb., 54c; Fard dates, per keg, \$5.00. ib., 3c.

GRAPES—Malaga, choice, per keg, \$5.00;

Malaga, extra fancy, \$4.50; extra choice,
per keg, \$4.35; extra fancy, extra heavy,

\$5.00.

CRANBERRIES—Extra fancy Bell and
Bugie, per bbl., \$10.00; extra fancy Jersey,
per bbl., \$5.00; extra fancy Jersey,
per bbl., \$5.00; extra fancy Jersey,

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Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fracey Produce.

EGGS—Fresh selling eggs, candled, 14c.
BUTTER—Common, 15c; fancy tub and rolls, 196 lic, creamery, 30c.
CHEESE—New full cream, Wisconsin twins, 17%c; new full cream brick, 17c; domestic new Swiss, 18c; new limburger, 159 lic; young Americans, 17%c.
LIVE POULTRY—Springs, 8½c; hens, 10c; roosters, 4c; ducks, 3c; geese, 7½c; turkeys, HAY—Choice No. 1 upland, 37.39; medium 25.50; No. 1 bottom, \$5.00; off grades, \$4.006 lic, No. 1 bottom, \$5.00; off grades, \$4.006 lic, No. 2 by Canadian rutabages, per bbl., \$2.35 per bot., \$2.50 per doz., 40c.
PARSILEY—Per doz., 40c.
CARROTS AND TURNIPS—Old, per bbl., \$2.35 per bot., \$2.00; Canadian rutabages, per bb., 1%c.
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CARROTS BAND TURNIPS—Old, per bbl., 1%c.
SHALLOTS—Per doz., 30c.
PRISSELS SPIGOUTS—Per qg., 50c.
CELERY—Michigan, per busch, 25685c.
CTIVICIATS—Daving rog numbers are now to be suffered bearing the per box, \$1.50; filterts, Brazils and Jumbo pecans, 150; filterts, Brazils and Jumbo

per huts, per box, \$1.15; Italian chestnuts, per ib.. 108.

SUGAR- Granulated, cane, per sack, \$5.40; beet, \$5.00, cut loaf, \$74c; cubes, \$74c; powdered, \$1.7c.

COFFEE—Roasted, No. 35, 25c; No. 30, 21c; No. 5, 19c; No. 20, 144c.

FISH—Halibut, He; trout, He; pickerel, 10c; pike, 5c; pike, fresh, frozen, 17c; white fish, 13c; buffalo, 14c; builheads, skinned and dressed, 15c; catfish, dressed, 15c; white sunfish, \$29c; crapples, 15c; large crapples, 15c; herring, fresh, frozen, \$2c; white fish, perch, 7c; white bass, 15c; black bass, 25c; frozen, 13616-, bickerel, fresh, frozen, 7c.

HIDES AND TALLOW—Green salted, No. 1, 5c; No. 2, 4c; buil hides, 2c; green unsalted, No. 1, 4c; green unsalted, No. 2, 3c; horse hides, \$1.0082.5c; steep pelts, 25cg\$1.00, Tallow, No. 1, 46c; No. 2, 35c.

Sugar and Molasses NEW YORK, March 21.—SUGAF\$-Raw, firm: fair refining, 3.86c; centrifugal, 98 test, 4.35c; molasses sugar, 3.61c; refined, firm; No. 6, 4.90c; No. 1, 4.75c; No. 8, 4.80c; No. 9, 4.75c; No. 11, 4.55c; No. 12, 4.55c; No. 13, 4.50c; No. 14, 4.55c; confectioners' A, 5.40c; mould A, 5.85c; cut loaf, 6.10c; crushed, 6.00c; powdered, 5.40c; granulated, 5.30c; cubes, 5.35c,

ROADS FOLLOW HEAD HUNTERS Civilization Gradually Driving Say-

age Tribes Into the Hills

of Formosa.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 21.-K. Hastgawa, president of the Formosa Government ratirood, arrived from Japan on the Nippon yesterday. This road, which was built by Japan, connects Kelung and Takow. The trunk line, 270 miles in length, took eight years to build and is now complete. It taps a rich country and the building of numerous branches is contemplated. Mr. Hasigawa says that the head hunters are giving little trouble now, having been driven into the hills by the Japanese military force, of which a strong force

is maintained on the Island. President