Water Compact Provisions Are Given to Public

Agreement Between Colorado and Nebraska Must Be Ratified by Two Legislatures and Congress.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Lincoln, April 26.—Gist of a compact reached between representatives of Colorado and Nebraska in conference for several days in the office of Attorney General O. S. Spillman over water rights of the two states was made public tonight. This compact will be referred to the Nebraska legislature for ratification in a few days and a special session of the Colorado legislature will be called to ratify the compact. Later the national congress will be called upon to ratify.

Purpose of the compact is to settle the controversy between the two states respecting use of water of the South Platte river and an opportunity is made available for further development in both states under the compact. It is expected to save hundreds of thousands of dollars in the way of litigation in the future.

The compact protects legal appropriations now existing on the river by assuring a definite flow in the river for Nebraska. It permits the development of the Perkins county project which will reclaim an approximately area of 60,000 acres. The diversion point of this project is located in Colorado, 14 miles from the interstate line. It gives to Nebraska the power to exercise the right of eminent domain in Colorado. It recognizes the Western Irrigation district and the Perkins county projects in their priority for summer and winter flow, respectively. It is binding on states of Colorado and Nebraska, when ratified by the two legislatures and national congress. It authorizes dismissal of litigation now pending after ratification and approval.

Butler Will Not Disturb "Pill Box" Patrol System

Police Commissioner Dan Butler announced yesterday that he will not disturb the "pill box" system of patrol stations if he finds it necessary to curtail department expenses to meet a deficit this year.

Mr. Butler stated that his accountant had gone over the police department accounts and reported that if operations are continued for the remainder of the year under present strength there will be a deficit of $26,660.

Omaha Has 229 Oil Filling Stations, Fire Warden Reports

Are there too many oil filling stations in Omaha?

John Trouton, city fire warden, reported that there are 229 such stations, including those under construction.

John Hopkins stated that as long as the oil stations continue to be ornaments and tend to create competition among oil companies Omaha will benefit by their presence.

Sisterhood Service Program at Temple Israel Completed

Mrs. M. L. Sugarman will sing a solo at the Sisterhood Sabbath service, to be held at Temple Israel Friday night. Mrs. Nathan Mantel, president of the sisterhood, will give an introductory talk and Rabbi Frederick Cohn will speak. "The New Dawn," a film showing the activities of the Union of American Hebrew Union colleges at Cincinnati, will be shown

"The Use of Milk as Food" to Be Broadcast from WAAW

W. J. Martin, assistant supervisor of agriculture, Union Pacific system, will broadcast a talk, "The Use of Milk as Food," tonight at 8 from the Omaha Grain Exchange radio station, WAAW. This is Mr. Martin's second talk on milk.

Poet to Give Reading

John G. Neihardt, Nebraska's poet laureate, whose poems are appearing in The Omaha Bee, will read from his lyrics Friday night in John Jacobs Memorial hall at the University of Omaha under the auspices of Theta Phi Delta fraternity.

AT THE THEATERS

ONLY today and tomorrow are left of the Orpheum season. The stellar act for the final bill is contributed by Renee Robert, solo dancer, and the Giers-Dorf, jazz instrumentalists, an organization of five boys and five girls, all of whom are gifted and well trained musicians. The protean sketch, "Bill Sikes," is presented by Owen McGivenny, and is made the basis for the hilarious travesty, "The Wager," which is offered as an afterpiece. Zelaya, pianist and wit, lasts entertainingly in addition to displaying his technique as a musician. William and Joe Mandel in their acrobatic skit, and the fun-making of Bert and Betty Wheeler are other prominent features in this week's bill.

"Laugh Week" starts at the World theater tomorrow. It introduces nine fun features. Josie Heather, famous English comedienne, offers her series of exclusive comedy songs. Palo and Palet, the musical buffoons, introduce a novel instrument in a most novel fashion, playing numbers on different musical instruments. John Philbrick, assisted by Sayde de Veau, offer a hilarious comedy called "Samples." Kate and Wiley present "Watch Your Step." Kyrion Sisters and Mack, billed as "Two Baby Grands and An Upright," offer a snappy program of harmony songs, yodeling and syncopated melodies. Ford and Truly, in "Pals," a unique comedy novelty, complete the vaudeville portion of the bill. Two comedy photoplays will be shown at all performances. These include the hilarious adventure story, "The Gentleman From America," with an all-star cast, and Charlie Murray in his latest screen comedy, "The Pill Pounder." Arthur Hays offers the new fox trot, "Barney Google," at the organ.

Fred Webster's company has a habit of "hitting the ball" with each of the twice-weekly changes of musical comedy at the Gayety ever since their arrival nearly three weeks ago. The current offering, "All Aboard!" is reminiscent, in a wey, of Gilbert and Sullivan's delightful "Pinafore." But Fred Webster and his funny limbs as "Abie," soon steer the piece into a riotous farce which will continue, including Saturday. The motion picture feature is sweet little Colleen Moore in "When Dawn Came." The stage show is given three times daily—2:40, 7 and 9.

Dave Burt, at the Empress, in the musical comedy, "A Dangerous Girl," received many rounds of applause when the show was presented for the first time yesterday. This show has a very funny plot and many songs and dances are intermingled with the show as are also several vaudeville bits. The principals in this production are Dave Burt, Adele Lewis, Chuck Wilson, Ed Smith, Arthur L. Lines, Fay Warren and a young and beautiful chorus of singing and dancing dolls. This show closes tomorrow night and will be followed by Arthur Harrison's big lyric revue, a company of 22 musical comedy artists.

MARKET, FINANCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL NEWS OF THE DAY

Omaha Grain

Omaha, April 26.

Total receipts at Omaha were 83 cars against 126 cars last year. Total shipments were 184 cars as compared with 128 cars a year ago.

Cash wheat on the Omaha market was in good demand at ½c to 1c higher prices. Corn sold readily at unchanged to ½c higher. Oats were generally ¼c higher. Rye was quoted firm and nominally unchanged and barley was 1c higher.

Sharply higher Liverpool wheat cables on account of expected higher Argentine shipments and a good demand for cash wheat in the United Kingdom and the continent. This influenced a good bulge in the Chicago markets at the start this morning scoring a new high level for the season for all months of wheat and corn on the advance the market run into resting orders to secure profits and highest prices were not maintained. The weather in the northwest and Canada was still unsettled with rains but fair and warmer weather is promised for tomorrow. This forecast was the cause of further pressure and a further recession in prices but there appears to be good buying on the dips and the market rallies from each set back.

WHEAT.

No. 1 dark hard: 30 sacks, $1.21.
No. 2 dark hard: 1 car, $1.28; 3-5 car, $1.21.
No. 1 hard winter: 2 cars, $1.19½; 1 car, $1.20½.
No. 2 hard winter:: 1 car, $1.20; 2 cars, $1.19½; 1 car, $1.21.
No. 3 hard winter: 1 car (77 per cent dark), $1.27; 2-5 car (0.3 per cent heat damaged), $1.18; 1 car (smutty, 3.3 per cent damaged), $1.18; 1 car (70 per cent dark), $1.21; 1 car (70 per cent dark), $1.20.
No. 5 hard winter: 1 car (1.5 per cent heat damaged), $1.16.
Sample hard winter: 2-5 car, $1.16; 3-5 car (0.6 per cent damaged), $1.00.
No. 2 yellow hard: 3 2-5 cars, $1.19½.
Sample yellow hard: 3-5 car (14.5 per cent heat damaged), $1.05.
No. 1 spring: 1 car (dark northern), $1.33; 1 car (northern), $1.26.
No. 1 mixed: 1 car (durum), $1.14½.
No. 1 durum: 2-5 car (amber), $1.15.
No. 2 durum: 1 car (smutty), $1.14½.

CORN.

No. 1, white: 1 car, 83½c (special billing).
No. 2, white: 1 car, 82½c.
No. 3, white: 1 car, 82c.
No. 4, white: 1 car, 81½c.
No. 2, yellow: 1 car, 84½c.
No. 3, yellow: 1 car, 83½c.
No. 4, yellow: 1 car, 83½c (special billing).
No. 2, mixed: 2 cars, 82c.

OATS.

No. 2, white: 3-5 car, 46½c.
No. 3, white: 1 car, 45½ (shippers weight); 3 cars, 45¾c.
No. 4, white: 1 car, 44¾c.

RYE.

No sales.

BARLEY.

No. 2: 1 car, 64c.

OMAHA RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS. (Carlots.)

	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Receipts—			
Wheat	14	26	65
Corn	23	44	50
Oats	14	23	6
Rye	1	1	5
Barley	1	4	2
Shipments—			
Wheat	37	52	66
Corn	80	88	52
Oats	44	29	16
Rye	23	15	...
Barley	...	4	...

PRIMARY RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS (Bushels)

Receipts—			
Wheat	682,000	782,000	626,000
Corn	543,000	595,000	563,000
Oats	496,000	572,000	354,000
Shipments—			
Wheat	399,000	547,000	526,000
Corn	1,141,000	1,120,000	482,000
Oats	686,000	556,000	510,000

EXPORT CLEARANCES.

Bushels—	Today	Year Ago.
Wheat	599,000	547,000	521,000
Corn	264,000	472,000
Oats	50,000	143,000

CHICAGO RECEIPTS.

Carlots—	Today.	Week Ago.	Year Ago.
Wheat	42	26	79
Corn	211	92	124
Oats	61	62	92

KANSAS CITY RECEIPTS.

Carlots—			
Wheat	38	99	14
Corn	42	56	51
Oats	11	49	5

ST. LOUIS RECEIPTS.

Wheat	50	87	20
Corn	59	49	12
Oats	29	25	12

NORTHWESTERN WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Minneapolis	191	216	117
Duluth	147	142	61
Winnipeg	226	409	*207

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 26.—Wheat, cash: No. 1 northern, $1.27¾@1.35¾; No. 1 dark northern fancy, $1.37¾@1.50¾; No. 1 dark northern, $1.29¾@1.30¾; May, $1.27⅝; July, $1.29¼; September, $1.25¾.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 79@79½c.

Barley—55@64c.

Rye—No. 2, 81¼c.

Flax—No. 1, 3.9½c.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, April 26.—Wheat—Cash: No. 2, hard, $1.21@1.27; No. 3, red, $1.31@1.56.

Corn—No. 2 white, 85c; No. 2 yellow, 89c.

Hay unchanged.

Minneapolis Flour.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 26.—Flour unchanged to 10 cents higher; family patents, $7.10.

Bran—$26.50@28.00.

New York Sugar.

New York, April 26.—The raw sugar market was firm early and sales were confirmed of 10,000 bags of Cubas to a New Orleans refiner at 6⅝c cost and freight, equal to 5.45c for centrifugal, a new high record for the movement, but in the afternoon an easier feeling prevailed and sugars were offered more freely from operators. At the close it was reported that Cubas were available at 6⅝c, cost and freight, equal to 5.41c for centrifugal from operators, but found no buyers at this level and it was possible that even less might be accepted. Refined was quiet and 2 points higher to 2 lower but soon turned easier under scattered liquidation, prompted by reports of a less active inquiry for refined sugar for prompt delivery and the easier feeling in the spot market. Final prices were 16 to 18 points net lower. The report by Sir Herbert Holt, president of the Royal Bank of Canada, stating that his estimate of 3,600,000 tons for the Cuban crop would probably have to be reduced to 3,500,000 tons, had no effect on sentiment. Closing: May, 6.48c; July, 6.62c; September, 6.74c; December, 6.24c.

There were no changes in refined sugar with fine granulated listed at from 7.10c to 10.25c but the demand for prompt shipment was light, although fair for later delivery, while refiners were not inclined to accept orders only for nearby delivery.

New York Coffee.

New York, April 26.—The market for coffee futures opened at an advance of 3 to 8 points on the rather firmer showing of Brazil. May notices estimated at about 38,000 bags were reported in circulation and caused some scattering liquidation of the near months right after the call. This was absorbed at a decline of 10 points to 9.50c for that position, however, and the market later advanced quite sharply on reports that the notices had been stopped and coverings. May led the advance, selling up to 9.60c, or 20 points net higher, while September advanced to 8.37c, or 12 points above Wednesday's closing quotation. Last prices were a few points off from the best under realizing, but the close was 3 to 9 points net higher. Sales, including exchanges, were estimated at about 52,000 bags. Closing quotations: May, 9.59c; July, 9.10c; September, 8.28c; December, 8.16c; March, 8.13c.

Spot Coffee—Quiet; Rio 7s, 11¾@11¾c; Santos 4s, 14½@15¼c.

Sioux City Livestock.

Sioux City, Ia., April 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000 head; market steady to weak; fat steers, $7.50@9.50; fed yearlings, $7.00@9.10; fat cows and heifers, $5.25@8.25; canners and cutters, $2.75@4.60; veals, $5.00@10.50; feeders, $6.50@8.25; stockers, $6.00@7.60; stock yearlings and calves, $7.00@7.50; feeding cows and heifers, $4.00@5.50; 89-pound feeders, $8.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000 head; market steady to 10c lower; top, $7.60; bulk of sales, $7.35@7.50; lights, $7.45@7.50; butchers, $7.40@7.45; mixed, $7.10@7.35; heavy packers, $6.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000 head; market steady.

Chicago Grain

By Universal Service.

Chicago, April 26.—After swinging rapidly into new high ground early in response to the persistent advance at Liverpool and reports of heavy export business, liberal profit-taking in wheat started a reaction, which was accelerated later by advices of beneficial rainfall over the dry areas of western Kansas.

Wheat closed unchanged to 1-8c lower, corn 1-8c lower to 3-8c higher, oats 1-8c off to 1-8c up, rye 3-8c to 5-8c down, and barley finished unchanged.

The bulk of the early demand was credited to a prominent eastern short and to foreign interests, while local and outside longs supplied the buying on the way up.

Weather conditions northwest remained unfavorable for seeding operations, but this angle was shaded by the fairly heavy rainfall southwest where needed.

Corn Trade Heavy.

May corn held part of its early gain to the close, while the deferred months showed a fractional loss. Trade in this grain was big, with elevator interests taking the May and cash interests selling. Leading longs were credited with reducing their lines in the late months.

Cash interests bought May oats and sold the July at a difference of 1c. Outside buying of the September was better.

Seaboard houses bought rye early, and effected a higher range of prices, but important selling by longs in the May and July options took the edge off the market.

Provisions maintained a slight gain. Lard was 2½c to 5c higher and ribs were unchanged to 2½c higher.

Pit Notes.

It appeared to many that the reactionary trend in wheat that quickly started after the initial bulge today was due to the outlook for better weather over the entire country. Private reports that sections of Nebraska had needed moisture and that 1½ inches of rain fell over western Kansas were the news items that finally determined the setback in the market.

Talk of labor shortage continued to filter in from the northwest, particularly from Canada. Private advices had it that all three Canadian prairie provinces were experiencing serious farm labor shortage and that governmental employment bureaus had over 1,000 unfilled applications.

The impression prevailed in the trade that the export sale of wheat the past few days was larger than reported. Aside from the 1,000,000 bushels, confirmed today, the seaboard maintained that there were bids in the market for around 400,000 bushels more not far from a workable basis.

Cash markets throughout the country were firm early, but weakened fast. At Minneapolis cash wheat met with a good demand at unchanged premiums. Milling wheat in the southwest was slow, private message from Kansas City had it that mills were loaded up with supplies and that the demand was indifferent.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

By Updike Grain Co. AT. 6312; JA. 2547.

Art.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
Wht.					
May	1.26⅛	1.27¼	1.25⅞	1.26	1.21¼
	1.26⅜			1.26⅛	1.21⅜
July	1.24⅝	1.25⅞	1.24⅝	1.24½	1.24⅛
	1.25			1.24⅝	1.24⅝
Sept.	1.22⅝	1.23½	1.22	1.22	1.22½
	1.22⅝			1.22⅛	1.22⅛
Rye					1.22⅛
May	.86⅛	.86⅛	.85⅛	.85⅝	.86⅛
July	.88⅛	.88⅝	.87⅛	.87⅝	.88
Sept.	.88½	.88⅝	.87⅞	.87⅞	.88⅝
Corn					
May	.81⅝	.82	.81⅝	.81⅝	.81⅞
	.81½				
July	.83⅝	.83⅞	.83	.83	.83⅛
				.83½	.83⅜
Sept.	.82⅛	.82⅜	.83	.83	.82⅞
	.82½				.83⅛
Oats					
May	.45½	.45⅝	.45⅛	.45⅜	.45⅝
July	.46⅝	.46⅝	.46⅛	.46⅜	.46⅛
	.46½				
Sept.	.45½	.45⅝	.45⅝	.45⅝	.45⅛
Lard					
May	11.15	11.20	11.15	11.15	11.10
July	11.40	11.45	11.42	11.42	11.37
Ribs					
May	9.60	9.65	9.60	9.60	9.60
July	9.95	10.00	9.92	9.92	9.90

Crude Oil Production.

New York, April 26.—The daily average gross crude oil production of the United States decreased 5,800 barrels for the week ended April 21, totaling 1,821,450 barrels, according to figures filed with the 1,951,650 for the preceeding week, according to the weekly summary of the American Petroleum institute.

The daily average production east of the Rocky mountains was 1,220,850 barrels, as compared with 1,236,650. California's production was 715,000 barrels, the same as the previous week.

Oklahoma-Kansas showed a daily average gross production of 532,050 barrels, an increase of 12,800. North Texas showed an increase of 200; Central Texas a decrease of 5,000; North Louisiana an increase of 400 and Arkansas a decrease of 3,650 barrels.

Midcontinent crude was reduced 10 cents a barrel, now being quoted at $1.46 to $2.50 a barrel, according to the gravity of the oil. There were no other changes reported for the major districts. Bradford district, Pennsylvania, being quoted at $4.60 a barrel, and Gulf Coast, $1.75 a barrel.

Imports of petroleum (crude and refined oils), for the week ended April 21, totalled 2,117,500 barrels, compared with 1,874,000, for the week ended April 14. Receipts of California oil (crude and refined oil) at Atlantic and gulf coast ports for the week ended April 21 totaled 1,575,000 barrels, against 1,146,000 for the week ended April 14.

Foreign Exchange Rates.

New York, April 26.—Foreign exchange, irregular. Quotations (in cents):

Great Britain—demand, 463¼; cables, 463⅝; 60-day bills on banks, 461¾.
France—Demand, 6.78⅛; cables, 6.79.
Italy—Demand, 4.92¼; cables, 4.93.
Belgium—Demand, 5.85½; cables, 5.86.
Germany—Demand, .0034½; cables, .0034⅝.
Holland—Demand, 39.02; cables, 39.06.
Norway—Demand, 17.20.
Sweden—Demand, 26.70.
Denmark—Demand, 18.77.
Switzerland—Demand, 18.21.
Spain—Demand, 15.28.
Greece—Demand, 1.17.
Poland—Demand, .0021.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand, 2.97.
Argentine—Demand, 36.50.
Branzil—Demand, 10.87.
Montreal—Demand, 97⅜.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, Mo., April 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500 head; calves, 500 head; beef steers, steady to strong; early sales, $7.00@9.00; best held around $9.75; bulls and calves, strong; bolognas generally $4.75@5.25; choice vealers, $9.00@9.50; small lots, $10.00; other classes, steady; canners and cutters mostly $2.75@4.50; good heifers, $7.00@7.50; desirable cows, $6.50@7.00; common Texas stockers, $5.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000 head; slow; 180 to 230-pound averages to shippers at $7.65@7.75; or steady to strong; bulk of sales, $7.45@7.70; packers holding back; bidding 5 to 10 cents lower on butchers; $7.65 bid on medium weight butchers; packing sows, steady to strong; mostly $6.40; stock pigs, steady; bulk $6.75@7.00; a few at $7.10.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 8,000 head; lambs, steady to 15 cents lower; top wooled lambs, $14.80; clipped, $11.75; sheep, steady to 10 cents lower; clipped ewes, $7.75.

New York General.

New York, April 26.—Wheat — Spot barely steady; No. 1 dark northern spring, c. i. f. track New York export, $1.56; No. 2 hard winter, $1.41½; No. 1 Manitoba, $1.42, and No. 2 mixed durum, $1.36½. No. 3 red winter c. i. f. track New York domestic, $1.52.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 yellow and No. 2 white c. i. f. New York rail, $1.02½, and No. 4, mixed, $1.02.

Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2 white, 57c.

Lard—Firm; middlewest, $11.75@11.85.

Tallow—Weak; special loose, 8¼c; extra, 8¾c.

Other articles unchanged.

New York Dry Goods.

New York, April 26.—More business was offered in cloth markets today at low prices, but mills would not accept. Inquiries for print cloths were more general, but trading was light. In the early part of the day the busines was more promising, but it fell off soon after cotton markets began to weaken. Yarns were weak, but quotably unchanged here. Spinners held quite steady. Canton raw silk was higher and Japans were unchanged. Burlaps were quieter with further weakening reported from Calcutta.

New York Dried Fruits.

New York, April 26.—Evaporated Apples—Neglected.

Prunes—Quiet.

Apricots—Steady.

Peaches—Slow.

Raisins—Quiet.

Omaha Live Stock

Omaha, April 25, 1923.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	8,576	7,796	11,957
Official Tuesday	10,159	8,814	7,344
Official Wednesday	7,099	8,313	13,746
Estimate Thursday	8,500	11,000	8,000
Four days this week	31,344	35,922	41,077
Same last week	29,988	61,122	44,150
Same 2 weeks ago	32,056	65,385	42,148
Same 3 weeks ago	29,776	69,609	40,587
Same days year ago	28,437	47,713	50,596

Cattle—Receipts, 8,500 head. Tolerably liberal supplies of beef steers tended to slow up the trade Thursday, although for the most part prices were steady on attractive offerings. Plain unfinished yearlings were very hard to move and show some decline for the week. Cows and heifers were in limited supply and steady, and, while there were not a great many stockers and feeders on sale, prices were generally firmly held for anything of this nature.

Quotations on cattle: Choice to prime beeves, $9.15@9.50; good to choice beeves, $8.65@9.10; fair to good beeves, $8.25@8.65; common to fair beeves, $7.50@8.15; choice to prime yearlings, $9.00@9.40; good to choice yearlings, $8.50@9.00; fair to good yearlings, $6.50@7.50; good to choice heifers, $7.50@8.25; fair to good heifers, 7.00@7.50; choice to prime cows, $6.75@7.60; good to choice cows, $6.25@6.75; fair to good cows, $5.00@6.85; common to fair cows, $3.50@4.75; good to choice feeders, $7.65@8.25; fair to good feeders, $7.00@7.60; common to fair feeders, $6.25@7.00; good to choice stockers, $7.50@8.10; fair to good stockers, $6.75@7.50; common to fair stockers, $6.00@6.75; stock cows, $4.00@5.25; stock heifers, $4.00@8.00; veal calves, $5.00@10.50; bulls, stags, etc., $4.40@7.50.

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
12	566	$7 25	11	1166	$7 35
7	794	7 50	11	982	7 75
12	864	8 00	8	952	8 40
5	1098	8 50	29	1371	8 60
5	1062	8 65	14	1092	8 70
15	1095	8 75	29	1130	8 85
29	1068	8 90	12	950	9 00
17	1135	9 25	19	1529	9 35

STEERS AND HEIFERS.

27	858	8 25	22	883	8 70
23	1029	8 85			

COWS

3	1170	5 85	4	1160	6 00

HEIFERS

8	548	6 00	3	958	7 00
4	710	7 50	3	733	7 60
24	761	7 65			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

6	666	6 00	4	566	7 25
9	582	7 40	11	803	7 50
7	681	8 00			

BULLS.

2	1720	4 85	1	1600	5 00
1	1630	5 25	1	880	6 00

CALVES.

4	412	7 50	1	240	9 00
1	150	10 00			

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000 head. Supplies were somewhat more liberal today than the trade expected and the market was slow at mostly 10@15c lower prices. Good quality light hogs and butchers sold largely in the range of $7.35@7.50, and packing mostly around $6.25. Bulk of sales was at $7.40@7.50.

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
60	130	40	$7 45				

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000 head. Fat lambs were a little slow, but moved about steady, with little change in range of prices. Clipped lambs made up the big end of the supply and moved largely at $11.25@11.50, with handyweight lambs quoted on up to $12.00. Best wooled lambs are quoted at $14.50. Feeders were generally steady, one lot averaging around 70 pounds going out at $14.15, and some ewe lambs going out at $14.50. Sheep were steady.

Quotations on sheep: Fat lambs, good to choice, $14.00@14.50; fat lambs, fair to good, $12.50@14.00; clippd lambs, $9.50@12.00; feeder lambs, $12.50@14.00; yearlings, $11.75@13.25; wethers, $7.50@9.75; fat ewes, light, $8.00@9.25; fat ewes, heavy, $2.50@8.00.

FAT LAMBS

No.	Av.	Pr.
31 fed	78	$14 25

Receipts and disposition of livestock at the Union stockyards, Omaha, Neb., for 24 house ending at 2 p. m. April 26, 1923:

RECEIPTS—CARLOT.

	Cattle.	Horses and Mules.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Wabash		3		
Missouri Pacific	6	2		
Union Pacific	46	28	38	
C. & N. W. east	6	6		1
C. & N. W. west	56	50		
C., St. P., M. & O.	28	16		
C., B. & Q. east	9			
C., B. & Q. west	38	29	1	
C., R. I. & P., east	11	6		
C., R. I. & P., west	2		2	
Illinois Central	2	1		
C. G. W.	3	1		
Total receipts	328	147	41	1

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Armour & Co.	1571	2,147	2,056
Cudahy Pack. Co.	879	2,864	1,427
Swift Pack. Co.	70	747	
Morris Pack. Co.	995	1,496	1,808
Swift & Co.	1,264	2,347	2,803
Higgins Pack. Co.	3	24	
Hoffman Bros.	8		
Mayerovitch & Vail	18		
Midwest Pack. Co.	1		
Omaha Pack. Co.	16		
John Roth & Sons	23		
S. O. Pack. Co.	5		
Murphy, W.		1,611	
Lincoln Pack. Co.	42		
Wilson Pack. Co.	145		
Anderson & Son	26		
Hulla, J.	52		
Carey, Geo.	44		
Check, W. H.	24		
Christie, E. G. & Son	2		
Dennis & Francis	56		
Harvey, John	252		
Ingham, T. J.	13		
Kellogg, F. G.	42		
Kirkpatrick Bros.	12		
Longman Bros.	44		
Oberger, Herman S.	78		
M.-K. C. & C. Co.	40		
Neb. Cattle Co.	9		
Root, J. B. & Co.	12		
Rosenstock Bros.	13		
Sargent & Finnegan	52		
Smiley Bros.	2		
Sullivan Bros.	20		
Van Sant, W. B. & Co.	7		
Wertheimer & Degen	72		
Hess		810	
Other buyers	50		1,602
Total	5,918	12,046	9,677

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, April 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000, about steadily on beef steers; lower grades yearlings, uneven, weak, lower in spots; top steers, $10.40, weight 1,312 pounds; few loads $10.00; bulk, $8.25@9.50; bulls, steady to 15c lower; closed best time; other classes generally steady; stockers and feeders, fairly active; bulk bologna bulls, $5.15@5.35; few heavies, $5.40 and above; bulk vealers, around $8.50; bulk stockers and feeders, $6.50@7.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 31,000; slow, steady to 10c lower; top, $8.00; bulk 160 to 210-pound averages, $7.85@8.00; 220 to 250-pound butchers, $7.60@7.80; packing sows, mostly $6.15@6.40; pigs, uneven, desirable 100 to 130-pound weight, $6.25@7.00; plain light kind, $6.00 down; estimated holdover, 12,000.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,000; lambs uneven; choice handyweight lambs strong to 10c higher; other kinds steady, with heavy clipped lambs somewhat lower; top wooled lambs, $14.50, to shippers, city butchers and packers; bulk Colorado, $14.75@15.00; five loads Navajo, $14.25; clipped lambs, largely $11.35@12.25; one load 75-pound Wisconsin fed, $12.65; sheep steady; clipped 92-pound ewes, $8.00; heavy clipped wethers, $7.50.

St. Joseph Livestock.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 26.—Hogs—Receipts, 4,000 head; market, uneven, steady to 5 cents higher; bulk choice butchers to shippers, $7.65; bulk medium weight butchers to packers, $7.50@7.60; top sorted and packer top, $7.65; weightier kinds mostly $7.50@7.55; packing sows, steady, $6.25@6.35; stags, mostly, $5.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 1,800 head; steers, yearlings and beef cows, steady to strong; spots a shade higher; other classes fully steady; bulk desirable steers, $8.40@9.40; two loads Texas quarantine steers, $6.25; averaged 1,100 pounds mixed yearlings, $7.75 down; bulk desirable cows, $6.00@7.00; canners and cutters, $2.50@4.00; veal calf top to packers, $8.00; a few to city butchers, $8.50; light stockers, $6.85.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,000 head; sheep, steady; fat lambs weak to 10 cents lower; closing yesterday's best time; bulk fat lambs, early $14.40; local shorn lambs, $11.50; a few Missouri spring lambs, $15.00; handy weight fat ewes $9.40.

St. Louis Livestock.

East St. Louis, Ill., April 26.—Hogs—Receipts, 8,500 head; slow, steady to 5c lower; top, $8.15; bulk 140 to 210-pound averages, $8.05@8.10; 220 to 250 pounds, $7.90@8.00; 250 pounds and up, $7.75@7.90; pigs, strong; unevenly higher; bulk good and choice 110 to 150-pound averages, $6.75@7.25; packer sows, strong, bulk, $6.10@6.15; few $6.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 1,500 head; beef steers steady; light yearlings, 15 to 25c lower; cows, 10 to 15c lower; other classes steady; bulks follow: Steers, $6.65@7.85; Texas, $6.65@7.45; yearlings, $7.50@8.25; cows, $5.75@6.75; bologna bulls, $5.25@5.50; light vealers, $8.50@8.75; top calves, $9.00; stocker steers, $6.50@7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1,500 head; steady; few heavy spring lambs, $14.00; medium weight shorn ewes, $7.50; two decks choice 75-pound clipped lambs, $12.00; two decks 93-pound local fed clipped, $11.00.

Financial

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New York, April 26.—A flood of favorable earnings statements for industrial companies for the first quarter of this year swept the stock market upward today, notwithstanding a rise in the call money rate to 6 per cent and a total turnover of less than three-quarters of a million shares. These reports attested to the good business being done throughout the country and frightened many shorts into covering their outstanding commitments.

Steel companies' shares were prominent for their strength, scoring advances of from a fraction to a full point. Baldwin and Studebaker were also favorites, as were Consolidated Gas and local traction issues.

Prominent among the shares to reach new high levels for this year were Tobacco Products and Sloss-Sheffield.

Sugars Less Active.

Sugar shares were less active and after early strength eased off. Dealings continue to be almost entirely for the account of professional floor traders and habitants of commission houses.

Less optimism prevailed marketwise relative to the oil group although the biggest producers are hopeful, owing to the heavy consumption of gasoline and oil by motors.

Developments in connection with the steel group absorbed attention. Sloss-Sheffield came forward with an advance of 2 points to a new high price for the year, following publication of a statement of earnings showing figures at the rate of about $28 a share on the common stock annually.

Gulf States Steel also made a good showing, earnings for the first three months of this year being equal to $4.43 a share on the stock. Bethlehem Steel did not earn its dividend in the first quarter.

Crude Rubber Lower.

Crude rubber was lower, but the tire and rubber shares continued to show strength. Good absorption continues of the securities of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company, the preferred shares of which were listed recently on the Stock Exchange. The buying is based on the good earnings for the first quarter.

Cotton declined on realizing sales induced by the rally of about 90 points from the recent low. A somewhat better demand is reported for spot cotton in the south, but there has been no renewal of the export movement of consequence. Reports state that there is a scarcity of spinable cotton.

Foreigners, chiefly London, continue to be conspicuous on the buying side of foreign government issues. French government issues reached new high levels again today.

New York Quotations

Range of prices of the leading stocks furnished by Logan & Bryan, 248 Peters Trust building.

RAILROADS.

	High	Low	$Close	*Close
A T & S F	101⅞	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
Balti & Ohio	52½	51⅝	51⅝	52⅜
Canadian Pac	156	154⅜	155	155¼
Chi & North Central	94¼	93⅝	93⅝	94⅛
Ches & Ohio	70	69	70	
Gt Northern	77⅜	76⅞	77⅜	77⅝
Illinois Cen	114	113	114	113
K C Southern				21½
Lehigh Val				51
Mo. Pacific	15⅜	15⅛	15⅜	15⅜
N Y & H	19	19	19	19
No Pacific	74⅜	74⅛	74⅜	74⅜
Pere Marq	24	23⅞	24	24
Penna R R	43⅝	43⅛	43⅝	43⅝
Reading	77⅛	76⅞	76⅞	76⅝
C R I & P	32⅜	32⅛