Timely Support in May Delivery Leads Wheat Up

Volume of Trade Not Large, With July Inclined to Market Recovers Readily.

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Chicago, April 1.—Timely support, concentrating in the May delivery, hovered in the wheat pit today on all dips and led to a higher and strong finish. Volume of business was not large with the July wheat inclined to drag because of further rains over the southwest, but generally there was a lack of pressure such as has been witnessed of late, and the market recovered readily from all weak spots.

Wheat finished ⅛@3¼c higher, corn was unchanged to ⅝c higher, oats were ⅜@½c higher and rye ruled 3@3½c advanced.

Outside interest in wheat is small, the support rendered the last two days being largely professional. One of the prominent operators was credited with buying wheat today for the first time. Minneapolis showed relative stability, selling at 7 cents under Chicago early, but closing 7¾@8c under.

The seaboard confirmed export sales of 1,600,000 to 1,250,000 bushels of wheat, mostly Manitobas and some Duluth springs. Liverpool closed 3¼@3½ pence up.

Corn had an irregular day. Prices were on the upgrade early, sold off under commission house pressure and then firmed at the last with wheat. A much better shipping demand for corn, combined with export inquiry, attracted considerable attention. Buying power in the pit, however, was hesitant.

Oats acted in healthy fashion. Resting orders to buy through leading commission houses absorbed all the offerings.

Rye moved up with wheat. Export news was still encouraging and there was fair demand in the pit from the seaboard.

Provisions closed firm. Lard was 25@27½c higher and ribs were 20@30c higher.

Pit Notes.

The wheat market appears to have definitely settled down, following its recent radical declines. The general belief prevails that some sort of recovery is due, the extent of which is contingent upon export news, speculative developments and crop reports from the southwest. Wheat is off over 60 cents from its high point of the year, and while there is no scarcity of supplies anywhere, the figures show an appreciably close adjustment of supply and demand.

What wheat is worth must be determined by developments during the next few weeks, but in as much as there has been such a severe decline in prices, the odds appear to be in the buyer's favor at the moment.

Liverpool at last night's close was around 23 cents over the Chicago May, a premium sufficiently large to encourage support locally.

News from the seaboard had it that there was improved demand for wheat in nearby positions. This, if true, appears significant in that supplies on the ocean are large and arrivals on the other side have been heavy the last few weeks.

Should foreign market continue to follow with readiness prices advances in this country, bulls will probably derive much confidence therefrom.

The forecast for Kansas and Nebraska indicated still further rainfall over the big regions of the belt. While the crop to date has not received enough moisture except to carry it along for a few days, should precipitation continue, fear of widespread abandonment might easily be allayed. Local experts, in their April estimates, forecasted the probable wheat yields thus year from 510,000,000 to 534,000,000 bushels.

CHICAGO PRICES.

By Updike Grain Co., Atlantic 6312.

Art.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
May	1.48	1.49¾	1.46¾	1.49¼	1.46
July	1.39½	1.39¾	1.36½	1.39¼	1.36¼
	1.39¾	.....	.....	1.37¾	1.37¾
Sep.	1.31	1.31¾	1.29¼	1.30¾	1.29½
	1.31½	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rye					
May	1.21	1.23¼	1.20½	1.23	1.19½
July	1.10	1.13¼	1.10	1.13	1.09⅝
Sep.	1.00	1.02½	1.00	1.02	.99¼
Corn					
May	1.05½	1.07	1.02¾	1.04⅝	1.04⅝
	.....	.....	.....	1.04⅝	1.04⅝
July	1.09¾	1.10¾	1.07¾	1.08⅝	1.08¼
	1.09¾	.....	.....	1.08½	.....
Sep.	1.10½	1.11½	1.09	1.09¾	1.09¼
	1.10¾	.....	.....	1.09¾	1.09¾
Oats					
May	.42	.42½	.41¾	.41¾	.41⅝
	.41⅝	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	.43¾	.44⅝	.43¼	.43⅝	.43¼
	.44⅝	.....	.....	.43¾	.43⅝
Sep.	.44½	.45⅛	.44	.44½	.44
	.44⅝	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lard					
May	16.00	16.27	16.00	16.15	15.90
	16.10	.....	.....	.....	.....
July	16.20	16.22	16.30	16.47	16.20
	16.40	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ribs					
May	16.95	17.10	16.95	17.05	16.80
July	17.00	17.20	17.10	17.15	16.85

Corn and Wheat Region Bulletin

For 24 hours ending at 8 a. m. Wednesday.

Stations—	High.	Low.	Rain.
Ashland, cloudy	55	48	0.00
Auburn, cloudy	70	44	0.00
Broken Bow, cloudy	73	40	0.00
Columbus, cloudy	68	42	0.00
Culbertson, cloudy	73	46	0.00
xFairbury, cloudy	72	50	0.18
xFairmont, cloudy	66	45	0.00
Grand Island, foggy	70	45	0.00
Hartington, foggy	70	41	0.00
xHastings, cloudy	69	45	0.00
Holdrege, clear	75	47	0.00
Lincoln, cloudy	68	50	0.00
xNorth Loup, cloudy	77	45	0.00
North Platte, cloudy	70	48	0.00
Oakdale, cloudy	73	47	0.00
Omaha, cloudy	65	48	0.00
O'Neill, foggy	75	41	0.00
Red Cloud, cloudy	68	42	0.00
Tekamah, cloudy	69	46	0.00
Valentine, cloudy	70	40	0.00

Highest and lowest durning 12 hours ending at 8 a. m. 75th meridian time except marked thus x.

Chicago Butter and Egg Futures.

Chicago, April 1.—Quotations furnished by George E. Clark Company, 1003 Woodmen of the World building. Phones JA. 1192, AT. 9165.

EGGS.

	Cars.	Open.	High.	Low	Close.
April Stg.	28	.30	.30½	.30	.30½
May	34	.29¾	.29¾	.29¼	.29¾
Dec.	175	.32¾	.32¾	.32¾	.32¾

BUTTER.

	Cars.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
April	37	.42	.42¾	.41¾	.42¾
May	.....	.....	.....	.....	.38¾
June	.....	.....	.....	.....	.39
Dec.	11	.41½	.41½	.41½	.41½

Chicago Cotton.

Quotations furnished by J. S. Bache & Co., 224 Omaha National Bank building. Phones Jackson 5187, 5188, 5189:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
May	24.55	24.59	24.40	24.53	24.51
July	24.82	24.82	24.63	24.77	24.72
Oct.	24.08	24.10	23.94	24.10	24.10
Dec.	24.10	24.15	23.99	24.15	24.09
Jan.	23.90	23.95	23.90	23.95	23.85

New York Sugar.

Quotations furnished by J. S. Bache & Co., 224 Omaha National Bank building. Phones Jackson 5187, 5188, 5189:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
May	2.89	2.92	2.88	2.91	2.89
July	3.06	3.08	3.04	3.07	3.05
Sept.	3.19	3.22	3.17	3.21	3.19
Dec.	3.27	3.30	3.25	3.30	3.28
Jan.	3.15	3.15	3.14	3.18	3.15

New York General.

New York, April 1.—Cornmeal—Unsettled; fine white and fine yellow granulated, $3.10@3.15.

Rye—Firm; No. 2 western, $1.34½ for New York and $1.32½, c. i. f. export.

Barley—Firm; malting, $1.01@1.06, c. i. f. New York.

Wheat, Spot—Firm; No. 1 dark northern spring, c. i. f. New York, lake and rail, $1.52½; No. 2 hard winter, f. o. b. lake and rail and No. 2 mixed Durum, do., $1.63½; No. 1 Manittoba, do., in bond, $1.69¾.

Corn, Spot—Steady; No. 2 yellow, c. i. f., track, New York, all rail, $1.24½; No. 2 mixed, do., $1.23¾.

Oats, Spot—Steady; No. 2 white, 52@53½c.

Hay—Easy; No. 1, $25.00; No. 2, $22.00@23.00; No. 3, $19.00@21.00; sample, $14.00@17.00.

Lard—Firm; middlewest, $16.70@16.80.

New York Coffee Futures.

New York, April 1.—A further decline of 3 to 12 points at the opening of the market for coffee futures today seemed to attract covering and a little trade buying. July rallied from 17.10c to 17.40c and closing prices were at about the best of the day, showing net advances of 5 to 15 points. Sales were estimated at 79,000 bags. Closing quotations: May, 16.40c; July, 17.40c; September, 16.58c; October, 16.40c; December, 16.03c; March, 15.40c.

Spot coffee: Dull; Rio 7s, 20c; Santos 4s, 25 to 26½c.

Oils and Rosin.

Savannah, Ga., April 1.—Turpentine—Firm; 83¾c; sales, 319 bbls.; receipts, 139 bbls.; shipments, 102 bbls.; stock, 2,096 bbls.

Rosin—Firm; receipts, 283 casks; shipments, 420 casks; stock, 51,209 casks.

Quotations unchanged.

Omaha Grain

Omaha, April 1, 1925.

Cash wheat sold on the tables today from 3c to 5c higher, with a good demand. Tables were well cleared of samples at the close. Receipts were 17 cars.

Corn sold from 1c to 3c higher, with a fair demand. Receipts were 12 cars.

Oats sold from ½c to 1½c higher. Receipts, 12 cars.

Rye and barley were quoted nominally about unchanged.

Omaha Carlot Sales.

WHEAT.

No. hard: 1 car, $1.45.
No. 2 hard: 1 car, $1.47; 1 car, $1.46; 2 cars, $1.43; 1 car, $1.43.
No. 3 hard: 1 car, $1.43; 1 car, $1.44; 1 car, $1.40.
No. 4 hard: 1 car, $1.42.
No. 2 mixed: 1 car, $1.40.

CORN.

No. 3 yellow: 1 car, $1.01.
No. 3 yellow: 2 cars, 98c.
No. 4 yellow: 1 car, 96c.
No. 4 mixed: 2 cars, 93c.

OATS.

No. 3 white: 2 cars, 44c; 1 car, 43c.
No. 4 white: 1 car, 41½c.

Daily Inspection of Grain Received.

WHEAT.

Hard: 12 cars No. 2, 1 car No. 4, 2 cars, sample.
Total: 15 cars.

CORN.

Yellow: 1 car No. 2, 2 cars No. 3, 1 car No. 6.
Mixed: 2 cars No. 3, 2 cars No. 4.
Total: 8 cars.

OATS.

White: 8 cars No. 3, 1 car No. 4, 1 car sample.
Total: 10 cars.
Total, all grains: 33 cars.

OMAHA RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.
(Carlots).

Receipts—	Today	Wk Ago	Yr Ago
Wheat	17	20	14
Corn	12	13	11
Oats	12	10	4
Rye	1	..	..
Barley	1	..	1
Shipments—			
Wheat	12	40	17
Corn	45	58	60
Oats	22	40	60
Rye	2	..	..
Barley	..	2	..

CHICAGO RECEIPTS.

Carlots:	Today.	W'k Ago.	Y'r Ago.
Wheat	14	27	6
Corn	122	55	47
Oats	37	39	24

KANSAS CITY RECEIPTS.

Wheat	16	20	16
Corn	23	23	10
Oats	2	12	9

ST. LOUIS RECEIPTS.

Wheat	41	47	43
Corn	27	44	6
Oats	41	41	41

NORTHWESTERN WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Minneapolis	123	135	230
Duluth	27	103	42
Winnipeg	387	401	330

Minneapolis Cash Grain.

Minneapolis, April 1.—Wheat—Cash: No. 1 northern, $1.42¼@1.45½; No. 1 dark northern spring: Choice to fancy, $1.60½@1.75½; good to choice, $1.49½@1.59½; ordinary to good, $1.41½@1.49½; No. 2 hard spring, $1.75½@1.85; No. 1 dark Montana on track, $1.39¼@1.66½; to arrive, $1.39½@1.66½; May, $1.41½; July, $1.42¼.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 96¾@98¾c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 38¾@39¾c.

Barley—67@83c.

Rye—No. 2, $1.15½@1.17½.

Flax—No. 1, $2.75½@2.77½.

Chicago Spot Market.

Butter—Steady at decline; receipts, 6,808 tubs last year, 8,608 tubs; cars on track, 25 old, 4 new; extras, 42½ standards, 43c; extra firsts, 42½@43c; firsts, 40½c; seconds, 33@38c; centralized, 89 score, 42c; centralized, 88 score, 39½c.

Eggs—Steady to firm; receipts, 16,891 cases; last year, 16,219 cases; cars on track, 95 old; 29 new; firsts, 28½c; dirts, 27c; checks, 27c; storage packed extras, 30¼@30½c; storage packed firsts, 30c.

Chicago Cash Prices.

Chicago, April 1.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.51.

Corn—No. 4 mixed, 97c@$1.00; No. 3 yellow, $1.03¾@1.07.

Oats—Unquoted.

Rye—None.

Barley—$1.15@1.25.

Seed—Timothy, $5.25@6.50; clover, $19.50@28.00.

Provisions—Lard, $16.12; ribs, $17.25; bellies, $20.50.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City, April 1.—Wheat—Cash: No. 2 hard, $1.40@1.61; No. 2 red, $1.59@1.65; May, $1.41¾; July, $1.31¾; September, $1.23.

Corn—No. 2 white, 95@98c; No. 2 yellow, $1.01@1.03; No. 3 yellow, 99c@$1.01; No. 2 mixed, 96c@$1.00; May, 97c; July, $1.00¾; September, $1.02½.

Hay—Unchanged.

Minneapolis Flour.

Minneapolis, April 1.—Flour—Unchanged.

Bran—$23.50.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, April 1.—Wheat—Close: May, $1.42½ bid; July, $1.33¾ bid.

Corn—May, $1.07⅝ bid; July, $1.07⅝ asked.

Chicago Butter.

Chicago, April 1.—Liberal supplies and offerings of top scores being freely made caused another sharp decline in the butter market today. Although trading at the decline was quiet, a fairly good inquiry for butter was reported. Dealers, however, were inclined to test out the market at the present price level, and, as a rule, were holding their goods closely. Centralized cars declined sharply and the market at the decline ruled steady.

Fresh Butter—92 score, 43½c; 91 score, 43c; 90 score, 42½c; 89 score, 42c; 88 score, 40½c; 87 score, 38c; 86 score, 33c.

Centralized Cars: 90 score, 43c; 89 score, 42½c; 88 score, 39c.

New York Sugar.

New York, April 1.—The price of raw sugar was unchanged today, sales being made at the basis of 4.95c for spot, duty paid. They included 5,000 bags of Porto Rican for shipment April 15, and 13,000 bags of Cubans in port.

Raw sugar futures were quiet and fairly steady until near the close when covering and trade buying caused moderate advances. Last prices were 1 to 3 points net higher. May closed, 2.91c; July, 3.07c; September, 3.21c; December, 3.30c.

Refined sugar was dull at the former range of 5.80c to 6.00c for fine granulated. It was reported that the trade has enough sugar on hand for the next 10 days or two weeks.

Refined futures were nominal.

New York Dry Goods.

New York, April 1.—Cotton goods were very quiet today, agents being willing to sell gray goods at lower prices when firm bids were made. Yarns were quiet. Printed fine goods, novelty wash fabrics, some of the suitings and fine ginghams sold moderately. Raw silk eased off 5c a pound on reports of bearish speculation in Yokohama. Burlaps were quiet. New textures in fine dress goods for the fall were being bought freely by large cutters.

Boston Wool.

Boston, Mass., April 1.—There is a little more confidence in the wool trade. Holders are less inclined to make even a small concession to move stock. Although fine staple territories have been quoted at around $1.50 of late, the market today was nearer $1.40 and $1.45 and one-fourth blood territories have been offered at slightly above $1.00 per pound clean basis.

New York Produce.

New York, April 1.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 5,955 tubs; creamery higher than extras, 46½@46c; do extras (92 score), 45c; do firsts (88 to 91 score), 40½@44½c.

Eggs—Weak; receipts, 52,275; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 31½@32c; do, storage packed, 28½@30c; do, firsts, 30@31c; do, storage packed, 21½@32c; do, seconds, 29½@29¾c.

Cheese—Steady; receipts, 169,187 pounds; state, whole milk, flats, fresh, fancy, 24@24½c.

Chicago Potatoes.

Chicago, April 1.—Potatoes—Early trading limited; market dull, few sales; receipts, 53 cars; total United States shipments, 742 cars; Wisconsin sacked round white, 85@95c; mostly 85@90c; few fancy higher; bulk, 80@90c; fancy, 95@$1.00; poor, 70c; Minnesota sacked round whites mostly, 80@85c; sacked Red River Ohios, $1.05@1.10; Idaho sacked russets, $2.30@2.50.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, April 1.—Butter—Lower; creamery extras, 43½c; standards, 43c; extra firsts, 42½@43c; firsts, 40½@41½c; seconds, 33@38c.

Eggs—Unchanged; receipts, 18,981 cases.

New York Cotton Futures Close.

New York, April 1.—Cotton—Futures steady, 3@10c higher; May, 24.62@24.63c, July, 24.87@24.88c; October, 24.32c; December, 24.63@24.35c; January, 24.12c.

Sioux City Livestock.

Sioux City, Ia., April 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000 head; market active; killers, 15@25c higher; stockers steady; fat steers and yearlings, $8.00@12.00; bulk, $9.00@10.50; fat cows and heifers, $4.50@10.00; canners and cutters, $2.50@4.00; veals, $5.00@9.00; bulls, $4.50@5.50; feeders, $6.50@8.00; stockers, $5.50@7.50; stock yearlings and calves, $5.00@7.50; feeding cows and heifers, $3.25@6.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,000 head; market steady, 15c higher; top, $12.65; bulk of sales, $12.50@12.60; lights, $11.75@12.40; butchers, $12.40@12.60; mixed, $12.00@12.50; packers, $11.50@11.75; stags, $9.50@10.00; native pigs, $10.50@11.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 500 head; market strong; lambs, $15.35; ewes, $9.25.

St. Joseph Livestock.

St. Joseph, Mo., April 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 4,500 head; steady to 10c higher; top, $12.75; bulk, $12.25@12.65.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,500 head; steady to 15c lower; bulk of steers, $8.75@10.25; bulk, $10.50; cows and heifers, $3.50@10.00; calves, $4.50@9.50; stockers and feeders, $5.00@8.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,500 head; lambs, $14.00@15.35; ewes, $8.25@9.50.

New York Cotton.

New York, April 1.—The general cotton market closed steady at net advances of 3 to 10 points.

Omaha Livestock

Livestock receipts at the principal markets Wednesday were:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha	5,500	7,500	4,500
Chicago	7,000	11,000	9,000
Kansas City	3,500	5,000	5,000
Sioux City	2,000	9,000	500
St. Louis	1,300	12,000	5,000
St. Joseph	3,500	4,000	4,500

Omaha, April 1, 1925.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	7,419	8,960	11,604
Official Tuesday	6,927	8,438	11,097
Estimate Wednesday	5,500	7,500	4,500
Three days this wk.	19,846	24,898	27,311
Same days last week	23,046	34,589	35,312
Same two wks ago	23,843	44,807	30,817
Same three wks ago	26,931	48,807	34,681
Same days year ago	23,899	46,355	27,671

Receipts and disposition of livestock at the Union stockyards, Omaha, Neb., for 24 hours ending at 3 p. m., April 1:

RECEIPTS—CARLOT

	Cattle	Hogs	Sh'p.
C., M. & St. P.	6	3	..
Wabash	3	..	..
Missouri Pacific	7	..	..
Union Pacific	57	15	15
C. & N. W., east	..	..	..
C. & N. W., west	24	27	..
C., St. P., M. & O.	12	3	..
C., B. & Q., east	12	1	..
C., B. & Q., west	25	16	1
C., R. I. & P., east	22	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west	3	1	..
I. C. R. R.	5	1	..
C. G. W. R. R.	4	1	..
Total receipts	187	79	19

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

Armour & Co.	729	2,016	1,336
Cudahy Pkg. Co.	957	1,406	2,067
Dold Pkg. Co.	255	927	....
Swift & Co.	1,215	627	2,256
Glassburg, M.	4	....	....
Hoffman Bros.	14	....	....
Mayerowich & Vail	28	....	....
Midwest Pkg. Co.	6	....	....
Omaha Pkg. Co.	18	....	....
John Roth & Sons	33	....	....
S. Omaha Pkg. Co.	20	....	....
Murphy, J. W.	..	1,075	....
Lincoln Pkg. Co.	29	....	....
Nagle Pkg. Co.	156	....	....
Sinclair Pkg. Co.	46	....	....
Wilson Pkg. Co.	83	....	....
Kornblatt & Mungers	..	470	....
Anderson & Son	142	....	....
Cheek, W. H.	10	....	....
Dennis & Francis	13	....	....
Ellis & Co.	8	....	....
Livey, John	334	....	....
Ingham, T. J.	30	....	....
Kellogg, F. G.	55	....	....
Kirkpatrick Bros.	34	....	....
Coffman Bros.	81	....	....
Jubeger, Henry S.	46	....	....
Noot, J. B. & Co.	41	....	....
Sargent & Finnegan	83	....	....
Smiley Bros.	62	....	....
Sullivan Bros.	2	....	....
Wthelmer & Degen	15	....	....
Other buyers	492	....	....
Totals	5,790	6,590	6,629

Cattle—Receipts, 5,500 head. With lighter receipts at all points today, steers and yearlings ruled active at prices that were fully 10@15c and in some cases 25c higher. Other cattle ruled about 10@25c higher. $11.25 and heavy steers sold as high as $11.10. Good grades of she stock were also active and 10@25c higher, while common cows continued at no better than steady prices. Stocker and feeder offerings were very limited and prices were unchanged.

Quotations on Cattle: Good to choice yearlings, $9.75@11.10; fair to good yearlings, $8.90@9.75; common to fair yearlings, $7.75@8.85; good to choice steers, $10.00@11.25; fair to good steers, $9.00@10.00; common to fair steers, $8.00@9.00; trashy warmedup cattle, $7.00@7.75; good to choice fed heifers, $8.75@10.00; fair to good fed heifers, $7.50@8.75; common to fair fed heifers, $6.50@7.50; good to choice fed cows, $7.00@8.25; fair to good fed cows, $5.50@6.75; common to fair cows, $2.35@5.25; good to choice feeders, $8.00@9.00; fair to good feeders, $7.00@8.25; common to fair feeders, $5.75@6.85; good to choice stockers, $7.65@8.75; fair to good stockers, $6.75@7.65; common to fair stockers, $5.75@6.75; trashy stockers, $5.00@5.75; stock heifers, $4.50@6.25; stock cows, $3.00@4.50; stock calves, $5.00@8.50; veal calves, $3.00@9.00; bulls, stags, etc., $3.75@7.25.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
10	1120	$8 00	10	754	$8 50
32	1178	9 25	39	990	9 40
7	892	9 50	13	650	9 60
13	1117	9 65	28	1011	9 75
14	1127	9 85	16	1080	9 90
38	1034	10 00	22	1104	10 00
8	1090	10 25	12	1416	10 25
11	1093	10 35	18	933	10 50
15	1069	10 85	18	1285	10 85
18	1415	10 75	20	1337	11 00
37	1427	11 10	20	1159	11 25

STEERS AND HEIFERS.

9	903	7 75	6	510	8 2
5	672	9 00	10	621	9 2
24	686	9 40	18	642	9 75
24	881	14 00			

COWS.

6	820	6 00	3	883	7 0
2	1356	7 25	8	1091	7 5
11	1319	7 60	7	1421	8 0
8	1143	8 00	16	1171	8 2

HEIFERS.

10	709	8 25	5	924	8 3
17	715	8 75	38	792	9 2

BULLS.

1	1180	5 00	1	1530	7 0

CALVES.

1	330	6 50	2	435	6 7
1	410	7 50	37	388	7 75
1	180	9 00			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

10	722	6 50			

Hogs—Receipts, 7,500 head. A trifle better tone dominated the market all around this morning, with sales to shippers largely steady, but the general packer market was slow at little change in quotations. Early top was $12.50, with bulk of sales at $12.10@12.50.

Representative sales:

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
28	166	....	$11 75	25	236	....	$12 40
61	190	....	12 00	78	223	....	12 45

Sheep—Receipts, 4,600 head. An urgent demand was apparent for the best light lambs today, and these classes ruled fully 25c higher than Tuesday. Shearers were slow and around steady, with aged sheep ruling firm.

Quotations on Sheep: Lambs, good to choice, $14.75@15.65; lambs, fair to good, $14.00@14.50; lambs, common to fair, $13.50@13.75; shearing lambs, $14.00@15.00; wethers, $9.50@10.50; fat ewes, $7.00@9.25; yearlings, $11.00@12.25.

Representative sales:

FAT LAMBS.

No.	Ave.	Pr.
264 fed	71	$14 90

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, April 1.—(United States Department of Agriculture.)—Hogs—Receipts, 11,000 head; mostly 15@25c higher than Tuesday's average; packing sows largely unchanged. Bulk 160 to 225-pound desirable 160 to 225-pound averages, $12.00@12.25; bulk, 240 to 325-pound butchers, $12.75@13.15; 140 to 150-pound kind largely $12.50@12.85; bulk packing sows $11.70@12.00; majority strong weight slaughter pigs, $11.75@12.25; heavy weight, $12.20@12.25; medium weight, $12.30@12.35; light weight, $12.75@13.25; light lights, $11.50@13.10; packing hogs smooth, $12.00@12.25; packing hogs rough, $11.50@12.00; slaughter pigs, $11.00@12.25.

Cattle—Receipts, 7,000 head; fed steers and yearlings, 15@25c higher; better grade weighty steers showing most advance; shipping demand broad, quality showing improvement over Tuesday; numerous sales above $11.00; top yearlings, $12.50; handy weights averaging 1,114 pounds, $12.60; several loads yearlings, $11.50@12.25; mixed yearlings, $11.50@12.25; mixed steers and heifers at inside prices; matured steers upward to $11.75; average weight 1,469 pounds, stockers and feeders slow at recent decline; killers taking practically everything showing decent flesh covering; she stock steady to strong; bulls very active; numerous weighty bologna bulls, $8.00; bulk, $4.50@6.00; vealers very uneven; kinds suitable for shipping purposes unevenly higher; choice handy weights upward to $11.00; light calves mostly $10.00 downward.

Sheep—Receipts, 9,000 head; fat lambs strong to 25c higher; good handyweights, $15.50@16.00; best held higher; weights kind mostly $14.50@15.00; choice 71 to 77-pound clippers, $13.00; bulk downward to $12.00; fat sheep and shearing lambs unchanged.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, April 1.—(United States Department of Agriculture.)—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500 head; calves, 300 head; beef steers and yearlings active; unevenly 10 to 25c higher; shipping demand fairly broad; bulk fed offering, $8.75@10.75; top yearlings, $11.00; she stock steady to 15c higher; bulk butcher cows, $4.85@7.00; heifers, $7.00@9.00; load lots upward to $10.85; canners and cutters, $2.75@4.25; bulls, 25 to 50c higher; veals up most; practical veal top, $9.50; bulls steady; bologna, $4.25@4.75; light butcher bulls upward to $6.00; stocker and feeder steers strong to a shade higher; stock cows and heifers steady to strong; stock calves steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000 head; early shipper market 10 to 15c higher than Tuesday's packer market; spots up more on light hogs; top, $12.75; bulk sales, $12.25@12.70; bulk desirable 190 to 240-pound averages, $12.55@12.70; packers 10c lower, $12.50 bid on choice heavy butchers; light lights and stock pigs strong 10 to 25c higher, 150 to 160-pound, $11.75@12.00; stock pigs, $10.50@11.50; packing sows, $11.75@11.90.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5,000 head; wooled and shorn lambs around 25c higher; top wooled lambs to shippers, $15.40; other heavier kinds to packers, $14.75@15.35; around 1,169-pound Arizona shorns lambs, $16.50; with 10 per cent at $12.00; sheep steady to 25c lower; shorn Arizona ewes, $7.00@7.60.

East St. Louis Livestock.

East St. Louis, Ill., April 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; higher; heavy butcher, $12.00@12.15; light and plainer kinds, $12.35@12.60; pigs, $12.00@12.75; packer sows, $11.75.

Cattle—Receipts, 2,800 head; steady to strong; cows 15 to 25c higher; good and choice light yearlings, 50 to 75c higher; bulk $12.00; steers, $8.25@9.85; mixed yearlings, $10.75; heifers, $10.50; cows, $5.75@7.00; canners, $2.25@3.00; most bologna bulls, $4.50@5.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 500 head; steady to strong; 87-pound wool lambs, $15.50; culls largely, $13.00; ewes, $9.50; clipped ewes, $8.00.

Motors and Tires Principal Stocks on Market Upside

Mack Trucks Lead Other Issues in Advance and Bankers Declare Climb Will Continue.

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New York, April 1.—Motor and tire stocks were the principal performers on the upside of the stock market today under leadership of Mack Trucks, which rose advancing prospects of a split-up of the shares.

United States Steel crossed 116 and Baldwin 114.

Bankers declared today that the good stocks will continue higher and seek levels in line with earnings and prospects. This included such stocks as Mack Trucks, Lehigh Valley, Woolworth, Cast Iron Pipe rose 4 points on buying, said to be for the account of influential interests, and Percy Rockefeller stock—United States Industrial Alcohol—showed considerable life at rising prices.

Goodyear Tire and Rubber on the curb is expected to profit by the Dodge deal as the same interests are now in control of both companies. Most of the Dodge tire business has gone to Firestone but with the new combination Goodyear may get it.

One reason for the buying of the motor stocks is the belief that the first and second quarter profits should be better than last year. Studebaker is favored in certain quarters.

Wheat recovered sharply following an early break and closed 3c higher. Corn was up slightly at the close and cotton 3 to 10 points higher on covering operations. The French franc was weak at times but recovered. Sterling maintained a steady tone.

New York Quotations

New York Stock Exchange quotations furnished by J. S. Bache & Co., 224 Omaha National Bank building:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Close. Tues.
Agri Chem	....	....	....	14⅛
Air Reduction	99¾	96¼	99	97¼
Ajax Rubber	11⅝	10⅝	11¼	11
Allied Chem	83	82	83	82
Allis-Chalmers	79¾	78	79¾	77½
Am Beet Sugar	40½	40⅛	40½	40
Am Brake Shoe	....	....	....	90¼
Am Can	164⅝	161⅝	163⅝	161⅝
Am Car & Fdry	202	....	199	202
Am H & L	10¼	9⅝	9⅝	8⅝
Am H & L pfd	63½	62	62	63
Am Car & Fdy	....	....	....	125
Am Linseed Oil	....	....	....	21⅝
Am Loco	125	123¼	124¼	124
Am Radiator	96⅝	96	96⅝	96¼
Am Ship & Com	....	....	11	11
Am Smelt	92½	92	92½	92¼
Am Smelt pfd	....	....	107	107
Am Steel Fdrs	49¼	48½	48⅝	49½
Am Sugar	62	60½	61	60⅝
Am Sumatra	14⅝	13¾	14¼	13½
Am T & T	133⅝	132⅞	133⅝	133⅝
Am Tobacco	88⅝	87½	88⅝	87⅝
Am Woolen & Elec	46⅞	45⅞	45⅞	46⅝
Am Woolen	47½	47	47¼	47¼
Anaconda	37¼	36	37½	35⅞
Asso Dry Goods	176¼	175	175	174½
Asso Oil	....	....	....	32⅝
Atlantic Refining	118⅞	118¼	118