

THE CONDITIONS OF TRADE.

Money Easy and Presenting No Exceptional Features. AN INCREASE IN BANK CLEARINGS.

Satisfactory Business Reported in Groceries, Lumber, Hardware and Dry Goods—Good Weather Had For the Leather Trade.

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OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle. Saturday, May 4, 1889. The market opened strong and active and with only 1,000 cattle were reported in Chicago, salesmen were enabled to obtain an advance of 5c per lb.

Receipts.

Cattle 1,600 Hogs 1,200 Sheep 1,200

Prevailing Prices.

The following is a table of prices paid in this market for the grades of stock mentioned.

Representative Sales.

Table with columns: No., Av. Pr., No., Av. Pr. listing various stock sales.

THE BUILDING RECORD.

Since January 1 the building inspector has issued 622 permits in 217 cases for the construction of buildings to cost \$443,807.

The Clearances.

There is a constant increase in the bank clearances, the amount for the past week reaching nearly \$4,000,000.

The Realty Market.

INSTRUMENTS placed on record during the week ending May 4, 1889.

Live Stock Notes.

Cattle high. Hog market lower. Mr. Austin, of Neola, came in with a car of cattle.

THE REALTY RECORD.

An increased Demand for Business and Residence Property.

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What could the real estate outlook be but promising? almost sorted a prominent broker, in response to a reporter's query yesterday.

THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Follows a Predicted Falling of the Barometer. APRIL'S GREAT TRADE IN CATTLE.

THE ARGENTINE REPUBLIC CALLING FOR AMERICAN BREADSTUFFS—HOG PRICES ARE LOWER AND THE DEPENDANT LIGHTER.

CHICAGO, May 4.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Wheat was rather firm early and then soft and declining on a low barometer.

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

Salvin's daughter has given evidence of great histrionic genius. Her Irving has been invited to produce "Macbeth" in Germany this summer.

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WEEKLY BUSINESS REVIEW.

Money is Easy and Gilt-Edged Paper in Demand. DOWN TO 2 1/2 PER CENT.

Cheap Money Promised Through the Summer Months—Produce Active in Chicago—Crop Reports are Favorable.

Trade in Goods Rather Disappointing. CHICAGO, May 4.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The money market remains in the same quiet, uneventful condition as recorded last week.

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