THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Fluctuations in Chicago Wheat Confined to Narrow Limits.

CORN TRADE CONTROLLED BY THE BULLS.

Range of Leading Futures—New York Wheat Lower and Other Cereals Higher—Business on Wall Street.

CHICAGO, June 5.—The fluctuations in wheat were confined to narrow limits today. July practically sold at 98¾c to 98¾c all day, though it ranged as high as 99¼c on one occasion and as low as 98¼c on another. There was but little fresh news from the outside. The public cables told of improved crop conditions in Russia on account of the recent rains there. The later public and private cables quoted Liverpool higher, London unchanged, Paris easier, and Berlin lower. There were charters of 180,000 bushels wheat for export, receipts in the northwest were moderate, and there was more or less talk concerning the acreage of the growing wheat crop. Estimates by some authorities was that the government crop report due the 10th would show a lighter acreage than in 1884 when the total crop was 512,000,000. The early weakness was due to fair offerings and light outside demand. The reaction which followed, and which carried prices to the highest point of the day, was attributed to firmer cables and the working of cash wheat here for export. There was some "bear" news received from New York saying that cash offers to sell wheat last night brought responses that possibly at a shilling less some business could be transacted. Also that shippers were anxious to relet ocean room on account of falling on demand for grain. This, together with weaker continental markets caused a reaction to bottom prices near the close.

The corn market appeared to be in control of a bull clique. It was weak at the start, then advanced sharply and was then beaten down by sales of local operators. The clique then beg n buying and speedily put the market beyond the early figures, assisted by the shorts, who first came over. July started at 57¼@57⅝c, touched 58c, advanced to 58⅝c, receded to 57¾c, but was rallied to 58⅜c, declining again to 58c at the close.

Trading in oats was rather limited. Prices were governed largely by the fluctuations in corn. August and September were in good demand.

Provisions were easy at the outset because the receipts of hogs were larger than anticipated. T e strength in corn caused an improvement later, but the trading was at all times quiet and fluctuations were confined to a moderate range. The September option at the close showed an advance of 2½c for pork since yesterday. In lard there was no change, while ribs were 5c up.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
WHEAT—No. 2—				
June	$ 1 01	$ 1 01	$ 1 00¾	$ 1 00⅞
July	99	99¼	98¼	98¼
August	96⅝	96⅝	94¾	94¾
CORN—No. 2—				
June	58⅛	58¼	58⅜	58¼
July	57⅛	58⅛	57	58
August	56⅜	57⅜	56⅜	57⅛
OATS—No. 2—				
June	44⅝	45¼	44⅜	45
July	43⅝	44¼	43⅝	44⅛
August	35⅝	36⅜	35¾	36
MESS PORK—				
July	10 60	10 72½	10 57½	10 65
September	10 85	11 10	10 80	10 90
LARD—				
July	6 25	6 32½	6 25	6 30
September	6 50	6 55	6 47½	6 52½
RIBS—				
July	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 07½
September	6 17½	6 25½	6 15	6 25

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady and unchanged.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring wheat, $1.00¼@1.00¾; No. 3 spring wheat, 96½@98c; No. 2 red, $1.02¾@1.01¾.

CORN—No. 2, 58¼c.

OATS—No. 2, 45c; No. 2 white, 47@48c; No. 3 white, 46@46½c.

RYE—No. 2, 84c.

BARLEY—No. 2, nominal; No. 3, 73c; No. 4, nominal.

FLAX SEED—No. 1, $1.11½.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $1.30.

PORK—Mess, per barrel, $10.55; lard, per cwt, $6.20; short ribs, sides, (loose), $5.85@5.90; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $5.00@5.10; short clear sides (boxed), $6.25@6.35.

WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods per gallon, $1.16.

SUGAR—Cut loaf, unchanged; granulated, unchanged; standard "A," unchanged.

Receipts and shipments today were as follows:

ARTICLES.	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS.
Flour, barrels	7,000	15,000
Wheat, bushels	26,000	122,000
Corn, bushels	297,000	508,000
Oats, bushels	216,000	331,000
Rye, bushels	4,000	10,000
Barley, bushels	4,000	8,000

On the produce exchange today, the butter market was lower; extra creamery, 16½@17c; extra firsts, 15@16c; firsts 14@15c; extra dairy, 15@16c; extra firsts, 13@14c; firsts, 12@13c. Eggs, 15@16c.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, June 5.—FLOUR—Receipts, 16,662 packages; exports, 7,617 barrels, 6,451 sacks; market dull and heavy; sales 17,650 packages.

WHEAT—Receipts, 141,000 bushels; exports, 72,859 bushels; sales, 2,496,000 bushels of futures; 131,000 bushels spot. Spot market lower, unsettled, heavy; No. 2 red, $1.08¼@1.08¾ in store and elevator; $1.09¾@1.09¾ afloat; $1.09¾@1.10¼ f. o. b.; ungraded red, $1.04¾@1.15¼; No. 1 northern to arrive, $1.10¼@1.11; No. 1 hard to arrive, $1.15¼@1.15½; No. 2 Chicago, $1.09. Options opened ¼@⅝c upon firmness at the west, declined ⅝@1¼c on lower cables and closed heavy. No. 2 red, June, $1.08⅝@1.09⅝, closing at $1.08⅝; July, $1.06⅝@1.07⅛, closing at $1.06⅝; August, $1.03¾@1.04¼, closing at $1.03¾; September, $1.02⅝@1.03⅛, closing at $1.02⅝; October, $1.00¾@1.01¼, closing at $1.03⅝; November closing, $1.03⅛; December, $1.04⅞@1.05¼, closing at $1.04½; May, (1892), $1.08⅛@1.09⅝, closing at $1.08⅜.

CORN—Receipts 150,250 bushels; exports, 48,880 bushels; sales, 768,000 bushels futures; 113,000 bushels spot. Spot market firm; light offerings, fair demand, firm; No. 2, 64½ 65¼c in elevator; 65@66¼c afloat; ungraded mixed, 61½@65¾c. Options advanced early 1@1¾c on lighter supplies of contract grades and cool weather west, declined ½@¾c on realizing and closed le over yesterday; June, 64@ 65¼c, closing at 65¼c; July, 63 7-16@65¾c, closing at 64¾c; August, 63@64¼c, closing at 63¾c; September, 62½@63⅝c, closing at 63¼c; December, 56¾c.

OATS—Receipts, 52,300 bushels; exports, 928 bushels; sales, 240,000 bushels futures; 124,000 bushels spot. Spot market irregular, higher, closing weak. Options quiet, irregular, June closing at 40¼c; July, 40¾@51¼c, closing at 50c; August, 44@44c, closing at 44c; September, 40@41c, closing at 40c; spot, No. 2 white, 51¾ @52c; mixed western, 42@53c; white western, 51@52c; No. 2 Chicago, 51¾@51¾c.

HAY—Steady, quiet.

HOPS—Steady, quiet; state common to choice, 2@6c; Pacific, 2@6½c.

COFFEE—Options opened barely steady, 5@20 points down; closed steady, 10@15 points down. Sales, 53,750 bags, including June, $16.80@16.90; July, $16.45@16.70; August, $16.00@16.20; September, $15.45@15.60; October, $14.90@15.15; November, $14.40@14.55; December, $14.20@14.40; March, $14.20. Spot Rio, dull, lower; fair cargoes, $19.00; No. 7, $17.50.

SUGAR—Raw, more active, steady at the decline; fair refining, 2 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 5-16c. Sales, 9,670 bags, centrifugal, 96 test, at 3 5-16c; 3,300 bags molasses sugar, 89 test, at 2 11-16c; 5,430 bags molasses sugar, 87 test, at 2 17-32c; refined, quiet at 1-16@⅛c lower; No. 6 3 9-16c; No. 8, 3 7-16c; No. 9, 3¾c; No. 10, 3 5-16c; No. 12, 3 5-16c; off A, 3 5-16@3¼c; mould A, 4¼c; standard A, 4¼c; confectioners' A, 4⅝c; powdered, 4¾c; granulated, 4¼c; cubes, 4 5-16c.

MOLASSES—Foreign, steady at 13c bid for 50 test in hogsheads.

RICE—Steady, quiet.

PETROLEUM—Steady, quiet; united closed at 68¾c for July.

CottonSEED OIL—Firm; crude, off grade, 25 @29c; yellow, off grade, 33@36c.

TALLOW—Quiet.

ROSIN—Quiet and steady; strained, common to good, $1.52½@1.55.

TURPENTINE—Quiet at 38½@38¾c.

EGGS—Quiet and steady; western, 17¼@18c. Receipts, 7,639 packages.

HIDES—Moderate demand, firm.

WOOL—Easy, dull; domestic fleece, 32@37; pulled, 27@34c; Texas, 17@24c.

PORK—Steady, moderate demand; old mess, $10.50@11.50; new mess, $12.00@12.50; extra prime, $11.00.

CUT MEATS—Steadier; pickled bellies, 5¼c; pickled shoulders, 4¼c; pickled hams, 9¾ @9¾c.

MIDDLES—Quiet; easy.

LARD—Opened easy; closed firmer; western steam, 6.47½. Option sales, 5,000 tierces, June, 6.46; July, 6.47@6.48; closing at 6.51; August, 6.50, closing at 6.63, nominal; September, 6.71@6.75, closing at 6.73.

BUTTER—Moderate demand; steady; western dairy, 10@13c; western creamery, 14@19c; western factory, 10@14c; Elgins, 19c.

CHEESE—Fair demand; easy; part skims, 4@5c.

PIG IRON—Dull.

COPPER—Fairly steady; lake, June, $12.00.

LEAD—Dull; easier; domestic, $4.30.

TIN—Firm; less active; straits, $24.90.

Duluth Wheat Market.

DULUTH, Minn., June 5.—Wheat was steady today. Receipts, 62 cars. No. 1 hard, cash, $1.01¼; July, $1.00½; No. 2 northern, cash, $1.02, July, $1.03¼; No. 2 northern, 99c.

Minneapolis Wheat Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 5.—All grades but No. 1 northern wheat dull. Receipts, 125 cars; shipments, 50 cars. Close: No. 1 hard, June, $1.04; on track, $1.04½; No. 1 northern, June, $1.01½; July, $1.02¼@1.02⅝; on track, $1.01½@ 1.02; No. 2 northern, June, 97½c; on track, 97¼ @98c.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 5.—FLOUR—Very dull and unchanged.

WHEAT—Quiet; No. 2 hard, cash, 91½@92c; June, the bid; No. 2 red, cash, 92c.

CORN—Stronger and higher; No. 2 cash, 52¼c; July, 53c.

OATS—Stronger; No. 2 cash, 42c; June, 43c.

HAY—Steady and unchanged.

BUTTER—Steady and unchanged.

EGGS—Steady at 11c.

PROVISIONS—Quiet and unchanged.

WOOL—Dull and unchanged.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 29,000 bushels; corn, 44,800 bushels; oats, 6,000 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 19,800 bushels; corn, —— bushels; oats, 9,000 bushels.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, June 5.—WHEAT—Firm, demand better and holders offer sparingly; California, 8s 5½d@8s 6d per cental; Kansas winter hard, 8s 5d. Receipts of wheat the past three days were 167,000 centals, including 58,000 American.

CORN—Firm, demand improved; mixed western, 5s 2½d per cental. Receipts of American corn for the past three days were 45,000 centals.

PEAS—Canadian, 6s 3d per cental.

FINE MEAL—5s 5d per cwt.

BEEF—American refrigerator beef, forequarters, 6½d per pound.

Milwaukee Markets.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 5.—FLOUR—Quiet.

WHEAT—Easier; No. 2 spring on track, cash, 98c; July, 96c; No. 1 northern, $1.04.

CORN—Higher; No. 3, on track, 50c.

OATS—Higher; No. 2 white, on track, 48c.

BARLEY—Quiet; No. 2, in store, 73½c.

RYE—Firm; No. 1, in store, 88c.

PORK—July, $10.67½.

LARD—July, 6.27½.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 2,000 barrels; wheat, 21,800 bushels; barley, 97,400 bushels.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 14,200 barrels; wheat, 7,000 bushels; barley, none.

London Markets.

LONDON, June 5.—BEEF—American refrigerator beef, forequarters, 28 4d per cwt.; hindquarters, 3s 8d per cwt. Tallow, 28s 6d per cwt.

SUGAR—Cuba centrifugal, 96 degrees test, 14s 9d per cwt.; Cuba muscovado, fair refined, 13s 3d.

CALCUTTA LINSEED—43s 4½d per quarter.

LINSEED OIL—24s 10½@25s per cwt.

RESIN—Common, 7s 6d per cwt.

ROSIN—American steady; 4s 4d per cwt.; American fine, 5s@6s.

St. Louis Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 5.—WHEAT—Lower; cash, $1.00 bid; July, 83¾@85⅝c.

CORN—Firm; cash, 54½c; July, 55¾c.

OATS—Steady; cash, 44½@45c bid; July, 40¾c.

PORK—Firm; $10.87½.

LARD—Steady; $6.75.

WHISKY—Steady; $1.16.

Cincinnati Markets.

CINCINNATI, O., June 5.—WHEAT—In moderate demand; No. 2 red, $1.03@1.04.

CORN—Strong; No. 2 mixed, 60c.

OATS—Easy; No. 2 mixed, 47½c.

WHISKY—$1.16.

Toledo Markets.

TOLEDO, O., June 5.—WHEAT—Easier; cash and June, $1.03½.

CORN—Dull; cash, 60c.

OATS—Nominal; cash, 45c.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, June 5.—The stock market today seemed to have fully digested the Rock Island dividend affair, but renewed gold engagements were against it and the promise of an The influence, however, was as usual of late advance shown last evening and during the early trading this morning were not fulfilled, exerted in the direction of a repression of trading rather than by a depression of prices, though the result of the dullness offered the usual opportunity for professional hammering of a few of the leading stocks and specialties, which after all gave what character to the market it possessed. There was apparently no effort to hold Rock Island up, and with Burlington in close attendance it settled away to about the lowest figure of yesterday, though the rest of the Rock Island list including St. Paul and Louisville, which were active, were kept within narrow limits throughout the day and presented no feature whatever indicating the prevailing apathy among speculators.

In the market today the industrials attracted as much attention as the railroad list, with one or two exceptions, and while the expected collapse in sugar had no power to advance the price, further realizations on yesterday's improvement sent it down again nearly to its late limit. The absorption of the rival distilleries in Chicago by the whisky trust helped that up a little but the realizations were afterward as marked as in the other case and little was gained during the day. The opening of the market showed a continuance of the covering operations of yesterday, but the movement went no further and a general decline was made in the early trading in which both railroad stocks and industrials shared all through, excepting in sugar, where there was no material decline incurred. The west then began to buy its favorite industrial, and Chicago gas was started on an upward movement which lasted throughout the remainder of the day, and which in the late trading succeeded in bringing to a limited extent the general list along with it. Rock Island was a weak feature throughout, though the concession from the best price was no more than the rally from the lowest of yesterday. Sugar on the realizings lost about 2 per cent, which was not made up during the day, although the strength of the last hour did much to recover the loss. Chicago gas was carried from 51¾c to 53c and it closed only a slight fraction below the best figure. The general list, however, was brought only to about the level of the opening figure, with the single exception of Wabash preferred, which was exceptionally strong throughout. The close was fairly active for the leading shares and firm to strong at the most insignificant changes. Chicago gas is up 2¾ per cent, and Wabash preferred 1 per cent, but the other final changes are of no importance.

Railroad bonds were very dull and showed in the main a weak tone, though the final losses are generally on the same scale as those in the share lists. The business of the day reached only $467,000, and no special animation was to be noted in any portion of the list. Dubuth and Manitoba road firsts lost 3 at 97, and Norfolk & Western 6s, 2 at 114.

Government bonds were dull and steady to firm.

State bonds were dull and steady.

Petroleum opened steady, but gave way under pressure of a few selling orders from the west, declined 1¾ and closed weak. Pennsylvania oil spot opening, 69½; highest, 69¾; lowest 68, closing 68. July option opened 70¼; highest, 70¾; lowest, 68¾, closing 68¾. Total sales, 21,030 barrels.

The following are the closing quotations for the leading stocks on the New York stock exchange today:

Atchison	30⅜	do preferred	83
Adams Express	146	N. Y. Central	99½
Alton & Terre Haute	31	N. Y. C. & St. L	13²¼
do preferred	85	do preferred	65
American Express	117⅝	Ohio & Mississippi	18
B. C. R. & N	25	do preferred	85
Canada Pacific	78⅛	Ontario & Western	16¾
Canada Southern	49	Oregon Improve	27½
Central Pacific	40⅜	Oregon Nav	91
Ches. & Ohio	16¾	Oregon Trans	14⅝
do 1st preferred	40⅝	Pacific Mail	45⅜
do 2nd preferred	28¾	Peoria, Dec. & Evans	18¾
Chicago & Alton	142	Pittsburg	141⅝
C. B. & Q	87⅛	Pullman Palace	177
C. C. C. & St. L	81⅜	Reading	31½
Delaware & Hudson	119	Rock Island	71½
Del., L. & W	135⅞	St. L. & S. F. 1st pref'd	65
D. & R. G. preferred	55¼	St. Paul	93¼
East Tenn	6⅝	do preferred	111
do 1st preferred	50	St. P., Minn. & Man	103
do 2d preferred	14	St. Paul & Omaha	23
Erie	19⅝	do preferred	84
do preferred	51⅝	Tenn. Coal & Iron	54⅛
Fort Wayne	159	Texas Pacific	12⅝
Chi. & East. Ill	63⅝	Tol. & O. Cen. pref'd	78
Hocking Valley	55	Union Pacific	44⅝
Houston & Texas	34	U. S. Express	92
Illinois Central	96⅜	W. St. L. & P	16⅝
St. Paul & Duluth	29	do preferred	22⅜
Kansas & Texas	14⅜	Wells-Fargo Ex	140
Lake Erie & West'n	13⅛	Western Union	80⅝
do preferred	52⅜	Am. Cotton Oil	22½
Lake Shore	109⅜	Colorado Coal	35⅛
Louisville & Nash	74⅜	Homestake	10¼
Louisville & New A	92⅜	Iron Silver	30
Memphis & Char	34	Ontario	38⅛
Michigan Central	90¼	Quicksilver	5⅛
Mil., L. S. & W	70	do preferred	30¾
do preferred	103	Sugar	92⅝
Minn. & St. L	34	Bulwer	2
do preferred	9	Rich. & W. P. Ter	15¾
Missouri Pacific	67¾	Wisconsin Central	18
Mobile & Ohio	21	Great Northern pfd	80
Nashville Chatt	78	Chicago Gas	54⅜
N. J. Central	118	Lead Trust	18⅝
Norfolk & West pfd	54⅜	Sugar Trust	87⅜
Northern Pacific	24⅜	Southern Pacific	30¾
do preferred	64⅜	Ore. S. L. & Utah Nor	25
N. P. Denver & Gulf	19¾	Rio Grande West	38¼
Northwestern	108⅜	do preferred	67

The total sales of stocks today were 175,348 shares, including Atchison, 4,630; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 3,600; Louisville & Nashville, 11,100; St. Paul, 26,240; Union Pacific, 5,087.

Financial Review.

NEW YORK, June 5.—The Post says: Exchange in this market was again easier and demand bills were quoted as low as $4.87½ for actual sales, and though some of the foreign houses were expecting this morning to ship more gold tomorrow they agreed in the morning that gold shipments are about over. Sugar refineries common fluctuated from 82½ at the opening to 86 and 87¾ on varying rumors about the expected dividend on the common stock. The directors met today, but took no action. They may do so at the meeting next week, but in the meantime they are absolutely non-committal in their expressions as to whether there will be any dividend.

The Money Market.

NEW YORK, June 5.—MONEY ON CALL—Easy, ranging from 3 to 3½ per cent; last loan, 3 per cent; closed offered at 3 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet and easier at $4.84 for sixty-day bills and $4.88 for demand bills.

The following were the closing prices on bonds:

U. S. 4s registered	119	M. K. & T. 5s	88
U. S. 4s coupons	120	Mutual Union 6s	106
4½s registered	103	N. J. Cent 1st Cert	109
4½s coupons	103	Northern Pac. 1sts	116⅛
Pacific 6s of '95	109	do 2ds	110¾
Louisiana Stamp 4s	97	Northwest consols	136
Tennessee N. S. 6s	100½	do debenture 5s	105
do 5s	97	St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5s	80⅝
do 3s	70	St. L. & S. F. Gen. M.	102¾
Canada Southern 2ds	99	St. Paul consols	128
Central Pacific 1sts	102	St. P. C. & P. 1sts	113
D. & R. G. 1sts	114	T. P. L. G. Tr. Rets	85⅛
do 4s	82	T. P. R. G. Tr. Rets	41
D. & R. G. West 1sts	87	Union Pacific 1sts	109
Erie 2ds	108	West Shore	102
M. K. & T. Gen'l 6s	76		

Bank Clearances.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 5.—Clearings, $1,295,-508.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Clearings, $105,502,357; balances, $1,577,349.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 5.—Clearings, $2,762,-545; balances, $240,830. Money, 6 per cent.

PHILADELPHIA, June 5.—Clearings, $8,794,031; balances, $1,357,058. Money, 4@4½ per cent.

BOSTON, June 5.—Clearings, $12,142,017; balances, $1,278,307. Money 6 to 7 per cent. Exchange on New York 25c discount.

CHICAGO, June 5.—Clearings, $15,871,000. New York exchange selling 75@80c premium. Rates for money were unchanged at 5@6 per cent on call; and 5½@6 per cent on time loans. Sterling exchange was steady and unchanged.

Boston Stock Market.

BOSTON, Mass., June 5.—The following were the closing prices on stocks in the Boston stock market today:

Atchison & Topeka	30¾	Franklin	17
Boston & Albany	127½	Huron	2
do Maine	165¼	Kearsarge	17
Chi. Bur. & Quincy	97⅝	Oceola	12
Fitchburg R. R	79½	Quincy	102
Flint & Pere M pfd	57½	Santa Fe Copper	45
Mass. Central	18	Tamarack	150
Mexican Cen. ctfs	5⅞	Boston Land Co	3¾
N. Y. & N. England	37¾	San Diego Land Co	18½
Old Colony	162½	West End Land Co	20¾
Wis. Cent. com	18¼	Bell Telephone	136
do pfd	44½	Hanna Store S	18¾
Allouez Min Co new	3	Water Power	2¾
Atlantic	15¾	Centennial	15
Boston & Mont	43¾	New England	59
Calumet & Hecla	250	B. & R.	14

London Stocks.

LONDON, June 5.—Closing at 4 p. m.:

Consols, money	95 1-16	do 2nds	101½
Consols, account	95⅛	Illinois Central	99½
U. S. 4s	121¼	Mexican ord	34¾
U. S. 4½s	102	St. Paul common	64¾
N. Y. P. & O. 1st	85	N. Y. Central	102⅜
Canadian Pacific	80½	Reading	16¾
Erie	20¾	Mex. Cent. new 4s	74⅜

Bar silver, 44⅜d per ounce. Money, 2½ per cent. Rate of discount in the open market for both short and three-months bills, 3⅛ per cent.

Havana Exchange.

HAVANA, June 5.—Spanish gold $2.37½@2.37⅝. Exchange quiet.

SUGAR—Quiet; buyers reluctant to transact business; 37.00 bags, centrifugal, 96 degrees polarization, were sold at $3.09 gold per quintal.

Bank of England Bullion.

LONDON, June 5.—Amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance today, £215,000.

Paris Rentes.

PARIS, June 5.—Three per cent rentes, 95f 92½c for the account.

Denver Mining Stocks.

DENVER, Col., June 5.—Quotations on the mining exhange today closed:

Alleghany	15	Justice	13½
Amity	3	Legal Tender	3¼
Argonaut		Little Rule	108
Ballarat	51	Matchless	285
Smuggler	6	May Mazeppa	125
Bangkok	69	Morning Glim	46
Bates Hunter	9½	Pay Rock	23½
Big Indian	12	Potosi	6¾
Big Six	10	Park con	23
Brownlow	15¾	Reed National	69
Calliope	134	Rialto	95
Century	16	Running Lode	21
Clay County	1	Seymourwith	14½
Cashing	3½	John J. pfd	5½
Diamond B	8¼	Puzzler	5¾
Denver Gas & Oil	31½	Claudia J	13
Emmons	36	Gettysburg	15
Gold Treasure	2½		

San Francisco Mining Quotations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., June 5.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	80	Navajo	100
Bulwer	25	Ophir	512½
Best & Belcher	415	Potosi	462
Bodie Consolidated	95	Savage	210
Challar	255	Sierra Nevada	195
Con. Cal. & Va	1.02½	Union Con	220
Crown Point	170	Tails	60
Eureka Con	215	Yellow Jacket	225
Gould & Curry	215	Commonwealth	75
Hale & Norcross	220	New Quo	65
Mexican	310	Lhuet N. C	50
Mono	40		

St Louis Mining Quotations.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 5.—There was not much trading on the mining exchange this morning and prices were firm and in some cases higher. The following bids were made on call:

American	35	Mountain Key	48¾
Bimetal	.3500	M. Green	62¾
Granite Mountain	2.75	Silver Age	160
Hope	2.40	Elizabeth	100
Little Albert	9½	Yuma	80¾
Montrose	4.47½		

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, June 5.—The following are the closing mining stock quotations:

Alice	165	Horn Silver	330
Adams Con	185	Iron Silver	160
Aspen	260	Mexican	300
Bodie	210	Plymouth	225
Eureka con	350	Sierra Nevada	190
Hale & Norcross	1.00	Union con	210

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, June 5.—There has been a moderate demand for wool and the sales of the week amount to 1,500 pounds of all kinds. Prices remain the same and the market is steady. Ohio fleeces sell at 30c for X and 31½@32c for XX and above, Michigan X selling at 28@28½c. Washed combing and delaine fleeces are dull at previous prices. Unwashed delaine 24@25c and unwashed combing at 26@28c. Territory woo's are in steady demand, fine selling on a basis of 62@65c; fine medium at 60@62c, and medium at 55@57c. New California wool sold at 18@24c, as to quality. One small lot of new spring Texas at 23c. Pulled wools are in steady demand, choice supers sell ng at 40@45c; fair to good supers at 30@35c, and extras at 25@32c. Australian wools are in demand at 35@42½c. Foreign carpet wools are steady and in fair demand.

Traders' Talk.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 5.—Langenburg Brothers to Cockrell Brothers: The following is the official range of prices on the July option at this market.

COMMODITY	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y
WHEAT—					
July	94⅝	94⅞	93⅝	93⅝	94⅜
CORN—					
July	54⅜	56⅛	54⅜	55⅜	54⅜
OATS—					
July	40⅝	41	40⅝	41	40

CHICAGO, June 5.—Logan & Co. to Toneray & Bryan: Another quiet day in the wheat pit. Early cables were strong, with higher prices, but reports on the crop outlook not sustained and the demand checked. Advices from the seaboard are no demand and freights offered at 2d for Liverpool. If we are to have no demand prices will rule lower independent of foreign influences. The market closes weak at the lowest price of the day. Crop advices continue favorable both for winter and spring. Corn has been strong from the opening. The cash demand is good at a premium of 2c over July, and unless receipts increase we will see higher prices, as the market is short. In oats the interest daily increases. All reports of the growing crops are poor and late. Provisions less active than should be with the excitement in corn. Values unchanged. Hog receipts still keep up.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to S. A. McWhorter: The only feature of interest today has been Rock Island and Chicago Gas. The former opened strong, but subsequently declined under continued offerings of long stock. The confidence of some has been shaken in the management of the company because of the irregular way in which the recent dividend of half the usual rate was declared and although the short interest has covered freely the supply of long stock has been more than sufficient to meet the demand. Chicago Gas has fluctuated under selling shorts, which have been received regarding negotiations with the city of Chicago. The stock finally became strong and went up 3c, when it became known that the proposition of the company, which probably includes a satisfactory settlement of all outstanding matters with the city, would be submitted to the council next Monday evening. We think it probable that the proposition will be to supply all the classes with gas at $1 a 1,000, and we think it doubtful whether the stock is a purchase. Railroad earnings are not uniformly good. Louisville & Nashville for the fourth week in May shows a decrease of $40,746 on the publication of which considerable stock was sold. Wabash on the contrary shows an increase of $30,000 for the same week. There have been considerable engagements for gold for tomorrow's steamer, making the total for the week $5,000,000 Sterling exchange is weak and nominally cheap in London. The stock market closed firm but not active except the two stocks of which we made a special mention of.

CHICAGO, June 5.—Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to S. A. McWhorter: Wheat had more friends today, but the patience of operating were exhausted before the close and the market close t heavy. Early cat le were disappointing, as they fai d to re 5c t the improvement on this side the water, but later ones were stro ger. Sales of 180,000 bushels of cash wheat n fore here were announced. The export b siness was light at the seaboard and clearances rather small. A r port that ocean freight room was being pressed added to the weakness, but the large engagements made yesterday would c ndicate little foundation for the rumor. The government report to appear on the 10th May stir things un, but the trade expect it to be bearish and are operating accordingly. Ver, and oats show increasing activity and strength. The wheat pit was lost to many traders who have transferred their operations to corn and oats. The bulls talk confidently of much higher prices predicting an advance of 60@80 before a decline of 2c; they say receipts will grow lighter and lighter; that the surplus grain has been practically exhausted and the future will show it. One of the best houses takes more of a conservative view and thinks there is too much steam on, and advises sales on bulges. The provision market was in the hands of local traders who take corn for their guide. For the present the value of provisions is fixed in the corn pit. There was no trading of special interest. Receipts of hogs this week will be about 30,000 over the estimate.

CHICAGO, June 4.—Schwartz, Dupee & McCormick to P. C. Swartz & Co.: The wheat market has been a disappointment to the bulls today. London and Liverpool cables were both fractionally higher at the opening but seemed to have no influence in bulling our market, be ng outweighed entirely by the favorable condition of our home crops. The west and northwest have been free sellers of wheat and send most glowing accounts of their growing crop, and to these are added favorable accounts from Dakota and Minnesota alleging that seeding in which drouth was feared is now showing ample moisture. Much interest is taken in the forthcoming government report, which is expected to show the winter and spring wheat acreage. If the area is as large as in 1884, in which the yield was 512,000,000 bushels on a condition of 91 for winter wheat and 86 for spring, the yield this year must be much larger, as the condition is certainly much higher. Receipts at eleven primary points, 458,000 bushels; shipments, 306,000 bushels. Clearances from four ports were small, being 58,000 bushels of wheat and 14,000 packages of flour. The market closes very heavy and our home influences seem to much for the strength of the markets abroad. Since the close of the market we received a private cable from France estimating their crop at only 60,000,000 hectolitres (equal to 170,000,000 bushels). This estimate would be 140,000,000 bushels under the average crop. Corn has been excited and trading very large. The shorts were made uneasy by reports that the growing crop was very spotted as to condition and that planting was being seriously delayed by the continued rains and cold weather. Shorts have covered freely. The receipts today and estimated for tomorrow were considered small and shippers report a revival of the demand for car lots. July sold from 57c to 58⅜c, closing at 58⅛c. The market is undoubtedly strong, and with the present light receipts may be carried much higher. Oats dull, advancing fractionally with corn and light receipts. There is but little short selling of this grain and but little speculative activity. Provisions opened weak on heavy receipts of hogs, and at no time did the market show strength, although it reacted somewhat in sympathy with the advance in corn. Large stocks, heavy receipts of hogs, a minimum cash demand and but little outside speculation will give in brief the reasons for the heaviness of the provision market. Estimated for tomorrow, 14,000 hogs.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

OMAHA, June 5, 1891.

CATTLE—Official receipts of cattle 604 compared with 504 yesterday and 508 Friday of last week. The market was active and all sold. The best grades of beeves were strong an 1.5@10c higher. Other grades were steady to strong. Good butcher stock was active and firm, other grades slow and weak. Feeders were lifeless and unchanged.

HOGS—Official receipts of hogs 4,814 as compared with 6,870 yesterday and 5,122 Friday of last week. The market was active. The best grades were strong to 5c higher. Other grades were steady 10 strong. All sold early. The range of the prices paid was $4.00@4.40, the bulk selling at $4.25@4.35—light $4.00@4.25; heavy $4.25@4.40; mixed, $4.25@4.35. The average of the prices paid was $4.30 as compared with $4.22½ yesterday and $4.27 Friday of last week.

SHEEP—There were no fresh receipts of sheep. The market was nominally steady. Natives, sheared, $5.00@5.25; westerns, shorn, $5.00@5.25; westerns, shorn, $4.75@5.25.

Receipts and Disposition of Stock.

Official receipts and disposition of stock as shown by the books of the Union stockyards company for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 o'clock p. m. June 5, 1891:

RECEIPTS.

CATTLE.		HOGS.		SHEEP.		H'S'S & M'L'S	
Cars.	Head.	Cars.	Head.	Cars.	Head.	Cars.	Head.
31	604	65	4,814				

DISPOSITION.

Buyers.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co	2	899	
The G. H. Hammond Co		325	
Swift & Co	376	215	23
The Cudahy Packing Co	204	1,211	
A. Sorby		364	
R. Webber		144	
Kingan & Son		723	
J. W. Overbrect		117	
Nelson Morris	120		
R., Becker & Degen	178		
Heatley		75	
J. M. Hood		721	
Teufel & Vickery		504	
Ruff	1		
Welker		508	
Lobman & Haas	21		
Left over		198	
Total	102	7,002	32

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

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