THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS

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CEREALS WEAKENED LATE IN THE DAY

On the Down Turn Local Holders Became Discouraged and Sold Freely—May Went Off With Some Excitement at the Close.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 29.—Wheat was dull, but advanced ⅛c over the closing figure of Saturday. The market was inclined to weakness for a time. The higher opening was attributed chiefly to cold weather in the northwest. Light snow was reported in the northern part of the winter wheat belt, with snow threatened elsewhere. The receipts in the northwest were unusually heavy. The early cables were not encouraging as London and Liverpool were quoted dull and unchanged, and as the seaboard markets were also slow and a large increase in the visible supply generally looked for, there was free selling for a time with a sagging market, which carried prices down to Saturday's last figures, but the decline left a good profit for some of the shorts here.

Prices gradually went up 1c from the lowest point. Good buying orders for New York account assisted in the advance, but perhaps the strongest factor was the unexpected result in the visible supply statement, which, instead of an increase, scored a decrease. The late private cables were also more encouraging. Milmine-Bodman, Baldwin and Pardridge were the leading sellers most of the day, although it was reported that W. Dunn and some of the other foreign houses ordered freely at the advance.

After the noon hour the market became very weak on free sales by New York and on the down turn, local holders also got discouraged and sold freely. May went off with some excitement and sold down, with some reactions, to 1⅝c from the highest point. May opened at 90⅝c, against 90⅛c at the close on Saturday, touched 90⅜c, sold off to 90¼c, rallied to 91¼c, broke to 89⅝c, and closed weak at 89¾c. Late cables and domestic market reports were nearly all weak.

Corn was inclined to be strong on the poor grading of the receipts and the wet weather, which tends to continue the state of affairs. There was a good demand from shorts to cover, but the offerings were only moderate. The firmer tone in wheat in the middle of the session also helped corn, but later, when wheat broke, corn was sympathetically affected. May opened ⅛c up at 42⅛c, touched 42c, advanced to 42⅛c, weakened and closed at 42⅛c.

Oats quiet but rather firm; there was less selling pressure and a good demand to cover shorts, but the market weakened with other grains near the close and closed ⅛c under Saturday's last figure.

Hog products were stronger, with a fair local demand. Receipts of hogs were about as expected, but prices at the yards were with shippers. Prices of provisions were affected some sympathetically by fluctuations in grain, but the close showed advances, particularly in cash, which is up 12c.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 190 cars; corn, 340 cars; oats, 225 cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	OPEN.	HIGH.	LOW.	CLOSE.
WHEAT—No. 2				
February	$ 88⅜	$ 89⅛	$ 87¾	$ 87¾
May	90⅝	91⅛	89⅝	89¾
CORN No. 2—				
February	41	41⅛	41	41⅜
March	41⅛	41⅞	41⅛	41⅜
May	42⅛	42⅛	42	42⅛
OATS No. 2—				
February	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
May	30⅝	30⅞	30½	30⅝
MESS PORK—				
February	11 10	11 25	11 10	11 17½
May	11 35	11 50	11 35	11 42½
LARD—				
February	6 37½	6 42½	6 37½	6 42½
May	6 50	6 55	6 50	6 52
SHORT RIBS—				
February	5 77½	5 80	5 77½	5 77½
May	5 90	5 92½	5 90	5 90

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady, unchanged; patents, $4.30@4.55; spring patents, $4.30@4.55; bakers, $3.40@3.60.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring wheat, 87¾c; No. 3 spring wheat, 82@82¼c; No. 2 red, 92c.

CORN—Higher; No. 2, 41c; No. 2 yellow, 38⅝c.

OATS—No. 2, 28⅜c; No. 2 white, 30½c; No. 3 white, 29@30c.

RYE—No. 2, 84½c.

FLAX SEED—No. 1, 98c.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime, $1.26@1.28.

PORK—Mess pork, per bbl., $11.17½; lard, per cwt., $6.42½; short ribs sides (loose), $5.77½; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $4.75; short clear sides (boxed), $6.25.

WHISKY—Distillers' finished goods, per gal. $1.14.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, unchanged at 5@5⅜c.

Receipts and shipments today were as follows:

ARTICLES.	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS.
Flour, barrels	17,000	11,000
Wheat, bushels	71,000	74,000
Corn, bushels	272,000	163,000
Oats, bushels	218,000	169,000
Rye, bushels	18,000	11,000
Barley, bushels	28,000	35,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady and unchanged; fancy creamery, 27@28½c; fine western, 25@27c; selected dairys, 23@25c; ordinary, 18@21c. Eggs, 14¾@15c.

CHEESE—Firm; full cream cheddars and Oats, 11@12c; Young Americas, 12@13c.

HIDES—Unchanged.

TALLOW—Unchanged.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—FLOUR—Receipts, 15,591 pkgs; exports, 9,224 bbls., 49,292 sacks; market dull and heavy; sales, 20,250 bbls.

CORN MEAL—Steady and quiet; yellow western, $2.75@3.10.

WHEAT—Receipts, 178,500 bu.; exports, 147,377 bu.; sales, 5,770,000 bu. of futures; 197,000 bu. of spot. Spot market unsettled and lower; active for export; closing weak; No. 2 red, $1.03¾@1.05 in store and elevator; $1.06@1.07¼ afloat; $1.05¼@1.08¼ f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 99c; ungraded red, 91½c@$1.00¾; No. 1 northern, $1.04@1.05½; No. 1 hard, $1.06@1.08; No. 2 northern, 99c@$1.00½; options declined ⅝@¾c on easier public cables, advanced ⅛@⅛c on decreased stocks and visible, with export demand, declined 1@1⅛c on longs selling through heavy receipts; reacted ⅛@¼c and closed weak at 1⅛@1⅛c under Saturday. March, $1.02⅞@1.04 5-16, closing at $1.03⅜; April, $1.03⅛@1.03½, closing at $1.03½; May, $1.01@1.02⅞, closing at $1.01¼; June, 99⅛c@$1.00⅜, closing at 99¼c; July, 97¼@98⅛c, closing at 97⅜c; August, 95¼@96⅛c, closing at 95⅝c.

RYE—Firm, quiet; western, 92c@$1.00. Stocks of grain in store and afloat: Wheat, 4,187,867 bu.; corn, 1,724,960 bu.; oats, 1,399,308 bu.; rye, 686,982 bu.; barley, 197,139 bu.; malt, 55,597 bu.; peas, 4,303 bu.

BARLEY—Dull and weak; Milwaukee, 68@70c.

BARLEY MALT—Dull; Canada country made, 85c.

CORN—Receipts, 151,903 bu.: exports, 96,221 bu.; sales, 1,229,000 bu. futures; 307,000 bu. spot. Spot opened firmer, closed weaker: fairly active; No. 2, 49@49½c in elevator; 50@50½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 48¼@51c; No. 3, 48½@49½c; steamer mixed, 48½@50½c. Options unchanged to ⅛c lower except July, which is ¼c up, with easier cables, closing quiet; March, 49@49¼c, closing at 49c; April, 49⅞@50¼c, closing at 49c⅝; May, 49⅜c, closing at 49⅜c; June, 48⅝c, closing at 48⅝c; July, 49⅛c.

OATS—Receipts, 74,225 bu.; exports, 25,597 bu.; sales, 50,000 bu. futures; spot, dull, lower; options, dull, weak; March, closing 36⅛c; April, 36⅛c; May, 36⅜@37c, closing at 36⅜c; No. 2 white, March, 38⅛c; spot, No. 2 white, 38⅛@38⅛c; mixed western, 36@37½c; white western, 38@42c; No. 2 Chicago, afloat, nominal.

HOPS—Easy, quiet.

SUGAR—Raw, quiet and steady; sales of a cargo of muscovado, 87 test, at $2.29 1-32 and a cargo of centrifugals, 96 test, at 3⅛c; refined, quiet and steady; off "A," 3⅛@3⅛c.

MOLASSES—Foreign, dull; 50 test, 12½c. New Orleans, steady and quiet; common to fancy, 28@36c.

RICE—Steady, fair demand; domestic, fair to extra, 4½@6½c; Japan new, 5⅛@5⅜c.

PETROLEUM—Opened steady, advanced ¼c, then declined ⅝c on liquidation and maturing March contracts and closed weak. Pennsylvania oil spot sales, none. March option, opening, 58⅛c; lowest, 57⅝c; closing, 57⅝c. Total sales, 158,000 bbls. No sales of Lima oil.

COTTON SEED OIL—Quiet; crude, 25½c; yellow, 29@29½c.

TALLOW—Steady and quiet; city ($2.00 for packages), 4 11-16c.

ROSIN—Quiet; strained common to good, $1.30@1.32½.

TURPENTINE—Dull and easy at 42@42½c.

EGGS—Opened weak, closed steady; western, 16¼c; receipts, 8,859 packages.

PORK—Dull.

CUT MEATS—Inactive; pickled bellies, 6 5-16@6½c; pickled shoulders, 5@5¼c; pickled hams, 9@9½c; middles dull; short clear, $6.60.

LARD—Steady, quiet; western steam $6.77½; sales, 3,500 tierces for export, $4.77½; option sales, 250 tierces; March, $6.74; May, $6.84 bid; July, $6.96; closing, $6.97 bid.

BUTTER—Dull; western dairy, 18@23c; western creamery, 21@30½c; western factory, 16@23c; Elgin, 30@30½c.

CHEESE—Quiet, firm; part skims, 6@10½c.

PIG IRON—Dull, weak; American, $15.75@17.75.

COPPER—Dull, steady; lake, $10.60@10.65.

LEAD—Quiet, firm; domestic, $4.20@4.25.

TIN—Slow, easy; straits, $19.50@19.55.

British Grain Trade Review.

LONDON, Feb. 29.—The Mark Lane Express in its weekly review of British grain trade, says: English wheats are flat. The average decline in prices for the week is 8d. Foreign wheats average 6d lower. The inquiry from the continent is slackening. English flour is heavy. There are large supplies of American at 28s per sack. American flour has been underselling the English product since the beginning of September. The imports have been 2,250,000 quarters in excess of the average requirements. Malting barley is neglected. Corn is 2d dearer in London. The Liverpool prices are unchanged. Beans and peas are steady. At today's market English wheats were offered at 6d decline. Foreign wheats were rather firmer. Foreign flours were down 6d. Oats were 3d better. The prices of corn were in sellers' favor.

St. Louis Markets.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 29.—FLOUR—Dull and unchanged; family, $3.00@3.25; choice, $3.30@3.40; fancy, $3.80@6.25; patents, $4.40@4.65.

WHEAT—Options advanced ⅝c early, dropped ⅝c, advanced again ⅝c and then went down and closed ⅛c below Saturday; cash was steady at 92c; May closed at 92c; July, 85⅞c.

CORN—Firm at the opening, advanced ⅛c, then eased off and closed 11-16@1⅛c above Saturday; No. 2 cash, 36½c; March, 36¼c; May, 37⅞@37⅜c.

OATS—Opened ⅛c higher, advanced ⅛c, then dropped and closed ⅛c below Saturday; No. 2 cash, 30c bid; May, 31@31⅛c.

RYE—Dull; 83c bid.

BARLEY—Steady; sample lots Minnesota sold at 55@57c.

BRAN—Lower at 70@70¼c.

HAY—Firmer; prairie, $7.00@8.50; timothy, $9.00@13.00.

LEAD—Weak; only $3.90 bid.

BUTTER—Quiet; creamery, 24@28c; dairy, 15@25c.

EGGS—Firm at 13c.

CORN MEAL—Steady at $2.10.

WHISKY—Quiet at $1.14.

BAGGING—Steady at 6¼@7⅜c.

IRON COTTON TIES—$1.20@1.25.

PROVISIONS—Quiet.

PORK—New, $11.50; old mess, $9.25.

LARD—$6.30@6.35.

DRY SALT MEATS—Loose lots, shoulders, $4.60; longs and ribs, $5.90; shorts, $6.10.

BACON—Shoulders, $5.50; longs and ribs, $6.45@6.50; shorts, $6.55@6.60.

HAMS—$9.00@10.50.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 10,000 lbs.; wheat, 45,000 bu.; corn, 396,000 bu.; oats, 69,000 bu.; rye, 3,000 bu.; barley, 14,000 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 10,030 lbs.; wheat, 33,000 bu.; corn, 65,000 bu.; oats, 23,000 bu.; rye, none; barley, none.

Omaha Produce Market.

FRUITS—California riverside oranges, $2.25@2.35; Washington navels, $3.50@3.75; California tangerines, $3.00 per box; Florida oranges, brights, $3.00; russets, $2.60@2.75; Florida tangerines, $3.50@4.00, half boxes; western apples, choice, $2.00@2.50 per bbl., fancy stand might bring more; New York apples, $2.75@3.00; fancy lemons, $5.00@5.25; choice lemons, $4.50@4.75; grapes, per bbl., $8.00@9.00; bananas, crated, $2.00@2.50; cranberries, $6.50@7.00.

VEGETABLES—California cabbage, 2½c per lb. in crates; home grown lettuce, 45c per doz.; potatoes, dull; California cauliflower, $2.00; onions, 80c@$1.00 per bu.; Nebraska hand picked beans, $1.90@2.00; medium, $1.50@1.75; celery, 35@40c; sweet potatoes, $2.25@2.50.

FLOUR—Omaha Milling company's Reliance Patent, $2.50; Invincible Patent, $2.40; Lone Star Superlative, $2.20; Snowflake, $1.85; Fancy Family, $1.75; S. F. Gilman's Gold Medal, $2.50; Snow White, $2.25; Snowflake, $2.00; low grade, $1.60; Queen of the Pantry, $2.60.

HIDES—No 1 green salted hides, 4¼@4½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 3@3½c; No. 1 green salted hides, 25 to 40 lbs., 4¼@4½c; No. 2 green salted hides, 25 to 40 lbs., 3@3½c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 6c; No. 2 veal calf, 8 to 15 lbs., 4c; No. 1 dry flint hides, 7@8c; No. 2 dry flint hides, 5@6c; No. 1 dry salted hides, 5@6c. Tallow, No. 1, 3½@4c; tallow, No. 2, 3½c; grease, white A, 4c; grease, white B, 3½@3¾c; grease, yellow, 3c; grease, dark, 2½c; old butter, 2@2½c; beeswax, prime, 16c; rough tallow, 1½@2c.

POULTRY—Chickens scarce, good stock, 10c; geese, ducks and turkeys, 11@12c.

BUTTER—Choice country roll, 19@21c; lower grades, 17@18c.

EGGS—General market about 13c.

Kansas City Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 29.—FLOUR—In good demand, firm and unchanged; patents, $2.50; extra fancy, $2.20@2.25; fancy, $2.05@2.15; choice, $1.90@2.00.

WHEAT—Nothing doing.

CORN—No. 2, cash and February, 32¼c bid.

OATS—No. 2, cash, 28½c; February, no bids.

RYE—Weak; No. 2, 80c bid.

FLAX SEED—87c.

BRAN—Steady at 65c.

HAY—Steady and unchanged; timothy, $8.50 per ton; fancy prairie, $6.00; good to choice, $5.00@5.50.

EGGS—Steady at 12½@13c.

BUTTER—Scarce and advancing; creamery, 22@28c; roll, 14@20c.

CHEESE—Young Americas, 10c; Kansas, 7@9c.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 21,000 bu.; corn, 5,030 bu; oats, none.

SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 18,500 bu.; corn, none; oats, 600 bu.

Omaha Grain Market.

Prices based on delivery at Mississippi river points, Nebraska inspection, and ten days' shipment, unless otherwise stated. Cash grain calls for shipment within five days.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 83c bid; No. 3 spring, 78c bid.

OATS—No. 2 white, 31½c bid, 31c asked; No. 3 white, 30c bid; 30½c asked; No. 3 colored, 29½c bid.

CORN—No. 2 St. Louis terms, shipped after March 15, 37½c bid; No. 3 or better, March, 37c bid, 37½c asked; No. 2 white, 39c bid; No. 3 white, 38c bid.

BOARD OF TRADE NOTES.

J. H. Winans of the firm of Congdon & Co., Chicago grain men, was a visitor at the Board of Trade building.

Mr. Hancock of Hancock & Tibbal was over from Defiance, Ia.

Bennington was represented by P. Mangold.

F. Faulkner of Schuyler, Neb., was looking over the market.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Options opened steady and unchanged to 5 points down; closed steady to 5 points down; sales, 11,750 bags, including March, $13.60@13.65; April, $13.00@13.10; May, $12.80@12.90; June, $12.60; July, $12.50; September, $12.30@12.35; December, $12.00. Spot Rio dull but steady; No. 7, $15.00.

RIO JANEIRO, Feb. 29.—Irregular; first nominal; good second, 10,750 reis per 10 kilos. Receipts during the week, 74,000 bags. Purchases for the United States, 62,000. Shipments to the United States, 10,500. Stock, 10,000 bags.

SANTOS, Feb. 28.—Good average, 10,500 reis per 10 kilos. Receipts during the week, 66,000 bags; purchases for the United States, 10,000 bags; shipments to the United States, 32,000 bags; stock, 375,000 bags.

Northwestern Grain Supply.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 29.—Figures compiled by the Northwestern Miller show that the stock of wheat in private elevators of Minneapolis to be 1,461,000 bu., 14,000 bu. less that last month. The total stock at Minneapolis and Duluth is 4,074,331 bu., a decrease of 207,500 bu. The Market Record reports the stock of wheat in country elevators of Minnesota and the two Dakotas at 12,091,800 bu., increase of 77,300 bu. over last week. This makes total stock in the northwest 43,025,931 bu., a gain for the week of 584,815 bu. A year ago the stock was 21,888,000 bu.

Milwaukee Markets.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 29.—FLOUR—Weak.

WHEAT—Irregular; No. 2 spring, 86c; No. 2 northern, 93c; May, 87½c.

CORN—Neglected; No. 3, 37c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 30¼@30⅜c; No. 3, 39½c.

BARLEY—Weak; No. 3, 52½c; sample, 48@52c.

PROVISIONS—Weak; pork, $11.35; lard, $6.52½.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 16,800 lbs.; wheat, 43,000 bu.; barley, 15,400 bu.

SHIPMENTS—Flour, 17,300 lbs.; wheat, 8,300 bu.; barley, 9,200 bu.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 29.—Cotton quiet; middling, 6½c; low middling, 5⅝c; good ordinary, 5⅜c; net receipts, 25,505 bales; gross, 26,440 bales; exports to Great Britain, 4,097 bales; to France, 2,507 bales; to the continent, 2,204 bales; sales, 2,400 bales; stocks, 444,413 bales.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Cotton futures closed very steady; sales, 70,800 bales; March, $6.75; April, $6.84; May, $6.95; June, $7.06; July, $7.16; August, $7.26; September, $7.36; October, $7.46; November, $7.57; December, $7.67.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 29.—WHEAT—Quiet; holders offer moderately.

CORN—Quiet and lower; mixed western, 4s 7½d per central.

BACON—Long and short clear, 55 lbs, 33s per cwt.; long clear, 45 lbs 33s 6d.

BUTTER—Finest, 102s 6d per cwt; good, 85s.

Cincinnati Markets.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 29.—WHEAT—Easy; No. 2, 95@96c.

CORN—Easier; No. 2 mixed 41@41½c.

OATS—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 32@32½c.

WHISKY—$1.14.

Toledo Grain Market.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 29.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2, cash, 84¾c.

CORN—Firm; No. 2 cash, 41c.

OATS—Quiet, cash, 32c.

Foreign Oil Market.

LONDON, Feb. 29.—CALCUTTA LINSEED—40s per quarter.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 29.—TURPENTINE SPIRITS—27s 3d per cwt.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—There was no new feature or development in the dry goods market, but the week is expected to show up a good trade.

Havana Sugar Market.

HAVANA, Feb. 29.—Sugar quiet; on Saturday 91,500 bags centrifugal, 96 degrees polarization, were sold at $3.00¼ gold per quintal.

Traders' Talk.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 29.—Kennett, Hopkins & Co. to S. A. McWhorter: Wheat was firmer early on fairly steady cables and a decrease in the visible supply instead of the expected increase. This was attributed to so much wheat going into private elevators last week, closing cables were steady and some firmer, while new export business showed an improvement. It was believed that the market would advance on this but a great deal of long stuff came out on the rallies mostly. It was believed to be for New York account and the market was too narrow to absorb it without breaking. Outside markets have been quite as weak as Chicago. Corn and oats were strong early, but the clique in corn sold freely at the advance and both cereals went off later in sympathy with wheat. Provisions were firmer on smaller supplies of hogs, and higher prices at the yard. Shorts were fair buyers and there was also some demand for long accounts.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 29.—Counselman & Day to Cockrell Bros.: Wheat opened ⅛c to ⅝c higher on reports of Liverpool and German markets, advanced ⅛c further through short covering on a decrease of 363,000 bu. in the visible supply, declined 1⅛c under heavy reselling on lower closing cables from Mark Lane, London, Berlin and Paris, and on a particular report that the outlook for the Kansas winter wheat crop was more favorable than last year, but rallied faintly and closed ⅛c lower with shorts about the only buyers. The selling pressure was undoubtedly started by shorts reselling after the visibly supply was announced, but holders acted tired and liquidated freely on receiving calls for additional margins. Corn ruled firm and closed higher, with shippers buying freely on all soft spots and a good business was reported at the seaboard. Oats were higher early on speculative buying of futures, but broke with wheat and closed easy at ⅛c lower.

Provisions opened higher on active buying from shorts, induced by a good shipping demand for hogs at 5c advance. The market ruled slow but firm and closed 12½c higher for pork and 2½c up for lard and ribs. Speculation in product is light and the shipping demand from the south is interrupted by the unsteady condition of the cotton market, which at the moment seems to be setting the pace for hog stuff.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

New Week Opened With a Renewal of the Excitement in Coalers.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—The stock market opened the new week with a renewal of the excitement over the coal stocks, and great activity in those shares was again accompanied by phenomenal movements in their process, which were all in the upward direction. The rest of the market sympathized to a limited extent, but New England and New York Central were the only ones to score any material improvement from the rise. Delaware & Hudson was the center of interest at this time. At the best price it was up over 7 per cent and Lackawanna nearly as much, while Jersey Central rose over 4 per cent and Reading was put to above 60. There was only one weak point in the list and that was distillers, which continued to decline slowly but steadily, while the other industrials were firm though quiet. The excitement in the market gradually died away though there was comparatively large trading in the late dealings in the evening up of contracts put out during the day and the liquidation of long accounts by the taking of profits on the advance. The opening was strong and active and unusually heavy buying by London houses created a bullish feeling which was quickly reflected in purchases for the long account and material advances.

The interests in the coal stocks, however, soon overshadowed the rest of the market and the heavy advances in these shares completely dwarfed the heavy movement in other shares. The improvement in values, however, was checked temporarily by the announcement of the taking of gold for export, but the check was of short duration and the advance was soon resumed. Reallizations also held the list down in the last hour, but the market closed firm and hopeful at or near the best prices of the day. The final gains included, Delaware & Hudson 5⅝ per cent; Lackawanna, 5½ per cent; Jersey Central, 3⅜ per cent; New York Central, 2 per cent; Sugar, 1¼ per cent; Cordage, 1¼ per cent; New England, 1⅜ per cent, and Union Pacific and Canada Southern 1 per cent each. The interest in the bond list was not so marked today, although the activity in the Reading run the total up to 2,910,000, but with the exception of a rise of 3 per cent in Kansas City and Omaha firsts there was no marked movement in the entire list. A firm temper prevailed, however, and advances are more numerous than losses tonight.

Government bonds are dull but firm. State bonds have been neglected.

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

Atchison	39⅝	do preferred	143½
Adams Express	145	N. Y. Central	46
Alton, T. H.	31	N. Y. Chi. & St. L.	18¾
do preferred	126	do preferred	74
American Express	116	Ohio Mississippi	22¼
B. C. R. & N.	50	do preferred	85
Canada Pacific	90¼	Ontario & Western	21
Canada Southern	61⅜	Oregon Improvement	26
Central Pacific	31⅝	Oregon Nav	89
Ches. & Ohio	25	Pacific Mail	36¾
do 1st preferred	62	P. D. & E.	19¾
do 2nd preferred	43	Pittsburg	150
Chicago & Alton	143	Pullman Palace	187½
C. B. & Q.	105¼	Reading	59⅜
C., C., C. & St. L.	71⅜	Rock Island	89⅝
Del. Hudson	143⅜	St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd	76
Del. L. & W.	165⅞	St. Paul	79⅝
D. & R. G. pfd	52	do preferred	127
East Tennessee	7⅛	St. P., Min. & Man.	113
do 1st preferred	46	St. Paul & Omaha	47¼
do 2nd preferred	15⅜	do preferred	115
Erie	32⅜	Tenn. Coal & Iron	45⅜
do preferred	73¾	Texas Pacific	10⅜
Fort Wayne	155	Tol. & O. Cen. pfd	84
Chi. & East Ill	65	Union Pacific	47¼
Hocking Valley	31¼	U. S. Express	48
Houston & Texas	3⅛	Wabash, St. L. & P.	13⅜
Illinois Central	105	do preferred	30⅛
St. P. & Duluth	43	Wells Fargo Ex	143
Kansas & Texas	17¼	Western Union	88⅜
Lake Erie & West	26¼	Am. Cotton Oil	36¼
do preferred	76	Colorado Coal	36⅝
Lake Shore	125⅛	Homestake	13
Louisville & Nash	74⅜	Iron Silver	120
Louisville & N. A	26⅝	Ontario	42
Memphis & Char	44	Quicksilver	3⅝
Michigan Central	106¼	do preferred	21¼
Mil. L. S. & W	92	Sutro	5
do preferred	128	Bulwer	30
Minn. & St. L	8⅝	Rich. & W. P. Ter	16⅛
do preferred	19	Wisconsin Central	18⅛
Missouri Pacific	62	Great Northern pfd	128⅜
Mobile & Ohio	39	Chicago Gas	78⅜
Nashville Chatt	86	Lead Trust	19⅜
N. J. Central	143⅞	Sugar Trust	84⅞
Norfolk & West pfd	50⅛	Southern Pacific	39
Northern Pacific	23⅞	O. S. L. & U. N.	29
do preferred	68	do preferred	37
U. P., Denver & G	20	Dist	68⅜
Northwestern	117⅛		

The total sales of stocks today were 615,798 shares, including: Atchison, 10,880; Chicago Gas, 6,805; Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, 65,380; Delaware & Hudson, 39,934; Erie, 31,640; Lake Shore, 5,845; Louisville & Nashville, 6,500; Northwestern, 3,930; New Jersey Central, 6,950; New York Central, 14,850; Northern Pacific preferred, 13,890; Common New England, 43,950; Reading, 166,418; Richmond & West Point, 9,250; St. Paul, 33,061; Union Pacific, 10,654; Western Union, 4,410.

Financial Review.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—The Post says: Although the buying was very heavy, activity was spasmodic, and there were intervals of some length when business was thoroughly dull. This was particularly the case in the afternoon when the exuberant board room stories of the forenoon began to receive positive and official denials. There was more or less selling provoked by these disappointments and doubtless encouraged by the further gold orders. But the operators for high prices stood by their gun with commendable courage and in the Central stocks the market was quick to bid up prices again on all downward reactions.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 1½@2 per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closed offered at 2 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@5 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet at $4.85 for sixty-day bills and $4.87¼ for demand.

The closing quotations on bonds:

U. S. 4s reg	115¼	M. K. & T. Gen. 5s	49⅝
U. S. 4s coup	116⅛	Mutual Union 6s	108
U. S. 4½s reg	100	N. J. C. Int. Cert	111¾
Pacific 6s of '95	109	North. Pacific 1sts	117
La. stamped 4s	84⅛	North Pacific 2nds	115
Tenn. new set 6s	105	Northwestern Con	137
Tenn. new set 5s	99	North. Debent. 5s	107
Tenn. new set 3s	70⅜	St. L. & I. M. Gen. 5s	85⅛
Canada So. 2nds	103⅛	St. L. & S. F. Gen. M	107
Cen. Pacific 1sts	106	St. Paul Consols	128
Den. & R. G. 1sts	117½	St. P., C. & Pac. 1sts	117
Den. & R. G. 4s	81	Tex. P. L. G. Tr. Rcts	80⅛
D. & R. G. West. 1sts	78	Tex. P. R. G. Tr. Rcts	33
Erie 2nds	107	Union Pacific 1sts	106⅛
M. K. & T. Gen. 6s	80⅛	West Shore	103⅜

London Stock Market.

LONDON, Feb. 29.—The following were the London stock quotations closing at 4 p. m:

Consols, money	96 1-16	Mexican Ordinary	29
do, account	96 1-16	St. Paul com	80⅜
N. Y., P. & O. 1sts	36⅜	New York Central	117⅜
Can. Pacific	92⅜	Pennsylvania	56⅜
Erie 2nds	109⅜	Reading	30⅛
Illinois Central	105⅛	Mexican Central 4s	72⅛

BAR SILVER—41 7-16d.

MONEY—2½ per cent.

Rate of discount in the open market for both short and three months bills, 2¼@2½ per cent. Amount of bullion gone into the bank of England today, £25,000.

Financial Notes.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Bank clearings today, $176,552,200; balances, $4,129,752.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 29.—Clearings today, $15,198,871; balances, $1,802,114; money, 2 per cent. Exchange on New York, 1½@2 per cent discount. For the month, clearings, $337,358,221; balances, $43,867,044; for the corresponding month last year, clearings, $347,364,630; balances, $37,38?,920.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 29.—Bank clearings today, $9,771,804; balances, $1,894,717. Money, 3½ per cent.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 29.—Clearings, $1,890,460.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 29.—Money, 3 per cent; New York exchange, quiet; clearings, $2,692,300; for the past month, $60,906,650; for February, $50,903,903.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 29.—Bank clearings today, $2,872,890; balances, $93,418; money, 6 per cent.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 29.—Bank clearings, $3,798,663; balances, $430,746. This month—Clearings, $97,370,011; balances, $12,094,119. February last year, $82,018,043; balances, $8,976,118. Increase, $15,351,968, or 18.7 per cent.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 29.—New York exchange selling at par. Clearings, $585,902; balances, $121,096.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 29.—Money unchanged at 4½@6 per cent. Bank clearings, $15,320,132. New York exchange, 50@60c discount. Sterling exchange, $4.85¾ for sixty-day bills and $4.88 for sight drafts.

HAVANA, Feb. 29.—Spanish gold, $2.40¾; exchange, quiet.

PARIS, Feb. 29.—Three per cent rentes 95f 40c for account.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 29.—The bank clearings today were $1,631,100. The clearings for the month ending today were $36,430,350, against $32,668,296 a year ago, showing an increase of 11.5 per cent.

Boston Stock Market.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 29.—The following were the closing prices on stocks on the Boston stock market today:

Atchison & Topeka	39⅝	Allouez Min. Co. new	1⅝
Boston & Albany	203	Atlantic	9
Boston & Maine	165	Boston & Montana	35
C. B. & Q.	105⅝	Calumet & Hecla	250
Eastern R. R. 6s	123	Catalpa	22¼
Fitchburg R R	[illegible]	Franklin	12
Flint & Pere M.	23	Kearsarge	11¾
Flint & Pere M. pfd.	80	Osceola	27¾
K. C., S. J. & C. B. 7s	122	Santa Fe Copper	22½
Little Rock & Ft. S.	94¾	Tamarack	155
Mass. Central	161¼	West End Land Co.	19
Mex. Cen. com	19⅛	Bell Telephone	200
N. Y. & N. England	51¾	Lamson Store S.	15¾
N. Y. & N. Eng. 7s	119¾	Water Power	3¾
Old Colony	170¾	Cont. M.	9¾
Rutland Com. pfd.	65	B. S.	3
Wis. Cen. com	18¼	B. & B.	3⅛
Wis. Cen. com. pfd.	40⅝	T. H.	59¾

Denver Mining Stocks.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 29.—The following list is the closing quotations on the Mining exchange today. Sales 8,800.

Alleghany	9	Ironclad	12½
Amity	2	John J.	⅛
Argonaut	15	Justice	17¾
Ballarat	10	Leavenworth	6
Bangkok-Cora B.	6	Lexington	40
Bates-Hunter	65	Little Rule	60
Big Indian	10	May Mazeppa	80
Big Six	4	Morning Glim	40
Brownlow	4	Oro	50
Calliope	14	Park Consolidated	6
Claudia J.	2¾	Pay Rock	5
Century	5¾	Potosi	⅛
Clay County	30	Puzzler	2
Diamond B.	4	Rialto	110
Denver Gas and Oil	7	Running Lode	20
Emmons	49	Whale	3
Gettysburg	25	Sutton	23
Golden Treasure	85	Paul Gold	9
Gold Rock	45⅛		

San Francisco Mining Quotations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 29.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	95	Ophir	285
Bulwer	40	Potosi	120
Best & Belcher	220	Savage	105
Bodie Consolidated	55	Sierra Nevada	130
Con. Pac.	125	Union Con	145
Consolidated C & V.	420	Utah	25
Crown Point	105	Yellow Jacket	75
Gould & Curry	135	Com	10
Hale & Norcross	175	N. Q.	25
Mexican	180	B. I.	25
Mono	80	N. B. I.	20
Navajo	5		

St. Louis Mining Quotations.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 29.—The mining stock market today was rather quiet with a firm tendency. Sales aggregated 2,200 shares. Following are closing bids:

Adams	90	Little Albert	6
Am. Nettie	93¾	Montrose	60 13-32
Bi-Metallic	1800	Pat Murphy	4
Central Silver	17¼	Silverage	1
Elizabeth	41¾	Silver Bell	25
Granite Moun	1500	Yuma	9⅛
Leo	9		

New York Mining Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—The following are the closing mining stock quotations:

Aspen	300	Homestake	1300
Best & Belcher	200	Horn Silver	375
Con. Cal. & Va	375	Iron Silver	120
Deadwood	190	Mexican	160
Eureka Con	175	Ontario	4100
Gould & Curry	125	Ophir	250
Hale & Norcross	150		

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Very Light Receipts of Poor Quality at South Omaha Yesterday.

OMAHA, Feb. 29.—The week opens with the lightest run so far this year, and weak and generally lower markets. Comparison of receipts:

	CATTLE.	HOGS.	SHEEP.
January, 1892	58,138	201,557	11,774
February, 1892	55,563	127,449	17,621
Total	113,701	329,006	29,395
January, 1891	50,972	162,105	11,364
February, 1891	47,057	130,681	12,421
Total	98,029	292,786	23,785
Increase this year	15,672	36,220	5,610

The exceptionally light run of cattle, thirty-eight cars, had no perceptible strengthening influence on the market. On the contrary, the lightness of the receipts was more than counterbalanced by advices of a heavy run and lower market at Chicago and the generally mediocre quality of the offerings here. The latter combination of circumstances prevented any activity on the part of shippers, and local slaughterers were not very active buyers. Sellers were somewhat bullish on account of the meagre supply and buyers were both indifferent and bearish. The result was a slow, mean market throughout, although in the end everything at all useful found a purchaser. Fair to pretty good 1000 to 1300 lb. steers sold from $3.30 to $3.70.

The trade in butchers' and canners' stock was slow and dragging and prices on all but really desirable cows and heifers shaded lower. Medium and common cows are selling 30 to 50c lower than ten days or two weeks ago. Right good cows and heifers sold at from $2.60 to $3.00, fair to good stuff at from $2.00 to $2.60, common and canning cows at from $1.25 to $1.75. Bulls, oxen and stags were steady at from $1.25 to $2.75, calves firm at from $2.50 to $5.25.

The strength and activity to the stocker and feeder trade during the early part of last week were entirely lacking, although desirable grades are still in very fair demand and firmly held. Common and inferior grades are dull and at from 15 to 25c lower than ten days ago. Representative sales:

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	1045	$3 25	12	1121	$3 40	8	1213	$3 60
16	1037	3 30	4	1293	3 50	11	1239	3 60
6	1013	3 30	5	1260	3 50	22	1210	3 60
18	1218	3 30	57	1336	3 57½	75	1232	3 70
23	977	3 40						

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	870	1 25	1	770	2 00	1	1110	2 50
16	928	1 40	5	666	2 15	19	894	2 60
5	914	1 40	7	1035	2 15	1	1410	2 65
6	865	1 50	2	1075	2 25	12	1082	2 70
18	941	1 75	23	903	2 25	1	920	2 75
2	1115	1 75	16	909	2 25	5	1080	2 75
1	910	1 75	11	978	2 30	19	1137	2 85
8	1015	1 75	10	1002	2 35	1	1080	3 00
6	1055	2 00	2	910	2 35	1	1260	3 00
3	883	2 00	2	1180	2 35	9	1038	3 00

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
9	1306	2 20	1	1760	2 60	1	1460	2 75
3	1376	2 30	2	1870	2 75	1	1750	2 75
2	1685	2 50						

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
14	862	2 85	17	1059	3 00

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	360	2 50	1	130	4 50	3	156	5 25
1	380	2 75						

OXEN.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
5	1506	2 00	1	1310	2 15

STAGS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
1	960	1 25

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	590	2 25	13	437	3 00	12	962	3 15
31	630	2 50	45	715	3 10	71	882	3 25
19	691	2 80	3	753	3 15			

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.		Av.	Pr.	No.		Av.	Pr.
2 feeders		1050	$2 35	1 stag		960	$1 25
22 feeders		900	2 35	1 stag		1400	2 50
1 cow		1070	2 00	23 feeders		657	3 05

HOGS—Including holdovers there were less than 1,000 hogs on sale and the quality in general was rather common.

Circumstances favored lower prices. In the first place there were no shipping orders to amount to anything, eastern reports were very discouraging and there were hardly enough hogs here to grease the wheels in one of the packing houses. The bulk of the offerings were light and medium weight hogs, and these went to the fresh meat trade at from $4.45 to $4.55. Heavy and mixed hogs fell into the hands of the packers at from $4.40 to $4.52½. The general market was slow and 5c to 10c, mostly 10c, lower than Saturday. Buyers of light hogs did considerable sorting, throwing out everything at all heavy or rough. These throw-outs sold from $4.35 to $4.45. There was a slightly better feeling toward the close, and everything was disposed of in very good season, the bulk selling from $4.45 to $4.55 against $4.50 to $4.65 Saturday, the general average of prices paid being $4.49, against $4.56 Saturday and $4.63½ last Monday. Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
11	361	160	$4 35	53	292	120	$4 50
69	261	240	4 40	70	229	160	4 50
5	306	—	4 40	68	262	40	4 50
65	313	360	4 40	84	256	160	4 50
138	327	680	4 42½	52	317	80	4 50
74	184	80	4 45	50	240	200	5 50
68	232	160	4 45	55	229	80	5 50
69	253	200	4 45	68	230	120	5 50
12	3?8	80	4 45	70	271	240	4 52½
6	251	—	4 45	65	249	40	4 52½
69	270	160	4 45	54	210	—	4 55
63	281	160	4 47½	75	188	—	4 55
59	272	120	4 47½	48	2?4	—	4 55
51	241	—	4 50	59	223	40	4 55
62	263	80	4 50	78	233	—	4 55
71	250	240	4 50	58	218	160	4 55
70	241	40	4 50				

PIGS AND ROUGH.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
18	127	200	3 75

SHEEP—Two double decks of good western wethers were received, one of them going direct to Swift & Co. The other sold for $5.05. There is a very active demand for desirable muttons at steady to strong prices. Quotations are as follows: Fair to good natives, $4.25@5.40; westerns, $4.00@5.25; common and stock sheep, $2.50@3.75; good to choice lambs weighing 40 to 90 lbs., $4.25@6.30. Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
211 western wethers		98	$5 05

Receipts and Disposition of Stock.

Official receipts and disposition of stock as shown by the books of the Union Stock Yards company for the twenty-four hours, ending at 5 o'clock p. m. February 28 and 29, 1892.

RECEIPTS.

CATTLE.		HOGS.		SHEEP.		HORSES & M'LS.	
Cars.	Head	Cars.	Head	Cars.	Head	Cars.	Head.
38	878	22	1,441	2	401	1	23

DISPOSITION.

BUYERS.	CATTLE	HOGS.	SHEEP.
Omaha Packing company	3	502	
Swift & Co	325	654	401
Cudahy Packing company	187	780	
Shippers and feeders	762		
Total	1,277	1,936	401

LAST WEEK'S PURCHASES.

BUYERS.	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing company	112	3,759	
G. H. Hammond company	940	3,285	50
Swift & Co	5,082	5,703	2,008
Cudahy Packing company	2,385	8,751	
Others	6,174	7,783	300
Total	14,693	29,281	2,358

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Nineteen thousand cattle is a big supply for any time of the year; at this particular stage of the season—the beginning of Lent—it is unprecedented and out of all proportion to the demand. Buyers could have been found for even so large a number but only at a greater sacrifice of prices than holders were willing to make. On the sales made there was a reduction from last week's prices of from 5c to 10c per 100 lbs., but after all legitimate demands had been satisfied there were many cattle still in sellers' hands that could not be moved at the above noted decline.

Indeed it is doubtful that the pens could have been emptied at 12½c to 15c off from Friday's prices. The greater part of the trading was at from $1.75 to $2.50 for cows and bulls, and at from $3.25 to $4.40 for steers. The extreme range of quotations was from $1.00 to $5.15. The market closed bad.

Sales of hogs were principally at from $4.60 to $4.72½ for light, and from $4.65 to $4.80 for medium and heavy. Poor and common stuff sold around $4.25 to $4.35, and a few choice heavy and medium lots fetched from $4.85 to $4.90. These are substantially the prices prevailing on Saturday. If there was any change it was in sellers' favor, the tone of the market being a little firmer.

Hogs weighing over 350 lbs. could not readily be disposed of. They were not wanted either by shippers or packers and had to be sold at a big discount. From $4.00 to $4.70 were the quotations for averages of 400 lbs. and over. Culls and little pigs sold at from $2.00 to $4.25.

Good sheep sold all right. There were not many of them and the demand was fair. Poor and common grades were neglected and weak. Quotations ran from $2.50 to $4.50 for culls and from $5.75 to $6.00 for choice grades with most of the business at from $5.00 to $5.55. There was a steady market for lambs, prices ranging from $5.00 to $6.75.

Receipts were: Cattle, 19,000; hogs, 30,000; sheep, 7,000.

The Evening Journal reports: CATTLE—Receipts, 20,000; shipments, 6,000; market steady to weaker; good to prime steers, $4.50@5.00; others, $3.80@4.35; feeders, $2.25@3.80; stockers, $1.75@2.25; cows, $1.60@2.95.

HOGS—Receipts, 26,000; shipments, 15,000; market steady to shade higher; common, $4.40@4.55; mixed and packers, $4.60@4.75; prime heavy butchers weights, $4.80@4.87½; light, $4.65@4.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000; shipments, 4,000; market steady; ewes, $3.50@4.25; mixed, $4.50@4.90; wethers and yearlings, $5.00@5.65; western wethers, $5.20@5.65; lambs, $5.50@6.60.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—BEEVES—Receipts, 545 head, including 31 cars for sale; market shade firmer; native steers, $3.60@4.90; bulls and cows, $2.15@4.00; dressed beef steady at 6@8½c per lb.; shipments today, 50 beeves and 580 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, 1,388 head; market ½c per pound lower; veals, $5.00@8.00; westerns, $3.00@3.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,602 head; sheep firm; lambs, ⅛c per lb. higher; sheep, $5.00@6.60; lambs, $6.65@7.60; dressed muttons, steady at 8@10c per lb.; dressed lambs, firm at 9@11c per lb.

HOGS—Receipts, 13,060 head, including four cars for sale; market higher at $4.90@5.50.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,900; shipments, 1,800; the market was steady throughout. Sales: Dressed beef and shipping steers, $3.05@4.35; cows and heifers, $1.50@3.15; stockers and feeders, $3.10@3.45.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,641; shipments, 2,567; the market was slow and steady to 5c lower; extreme range, $3.25@4.60; bulk, $4.35@4.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500; shipments, 1,300; the market was quiet and nominally steady.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by Judge Eller yesterday:

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Thomas Grenville, Omaha	60
Anna Giles, Omaha	53
Tom Shadonick, Omaha	29
Mary Swaboda, Omaha	18

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