COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Bulls Stimulate Market and Force Prices Up.

PROVISIONS COMMAND HIGHER PRICES

Crop Damage Reports and Short Harvest Announcement from Oklahoma and Kansas Ald Better Prices in All Grains.

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CHICAGO March 26—Bullish manipulations by speculators in all the pits of the Board of frade, aided somewhat by damage reports in winter wheat, influenced and May onta 16,000 per colored and colored per colored and considerable importance was attached to 11. Next in importance to this factor of an improvement in the cash corn situation, was the upturn in wheat resultant from crop damage in the winter wheat country. Solo house followed suit and bears evered ilberally. There was also some export business reported, which had its builtant from crop damage in the winter wheat country colored per colored and the date of colored and the colored and colore

only 14 loads taken.

There was only a moderate trade in oats, but the tone ruled firm, with other grains, Commission houses took some fair lines, though offerings were never on a large scale. July and September were in better demand than May options. In the latter month there was some early weakness on an absence of demand. The farther months felt the strength of corn and wheat more an absence of demand. The farther months felt the strength of corn and wheat more than May. Although favorable weather for oats was a good bearish argument, the corn strength overbalanced it and the short side was not popular. The tone of the market was helped by the news that Kansas City bids at the river were 1%c over Chicago's best bid on No. 3 white. May sold as low as 42c, advanced to 43%c and closed firm, ½c up, at 42%c. Receipts were 88 cars.

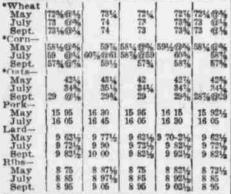
Covering of large short lines of pork was the principal bull factor in provisions. At the outset the same strong feeling that existed last week showed itself again, hogs were commanding better prices at the yards and there was a good speculative demand for everything on the list. Offerings were very small and the continent was reported bidding. Trading was heavier than usual in all lines. Commission houses bought freely for packers and bulls took

than usual in all lines. Commission houses bought freely for packers and bulls took lard and ribs. After a firm opening, prices advanced sharply, May pork gaining at one time 37½c. Profit-taking late reduced the gains. May pork closed 22½c up at \$16.15, May lard 7½@10c higher at \$3.70@9.72½ and May ribs 10c advanced at \$8.82½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 26 cars; corn, 130 cars; oats, 75 cars; hogs, 40.000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles. | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y



*No. 2. Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR—Market steady; winter pat-ents, \$3.8094.00; winter straights, \$2.20@3.70; clears, \$3.00@3.40; spring specials, \$4: spring patents, \$2.20@3.70; straights, \$2.80@3.10. WHEAT—No. 3 spring, 71%@73c; No. 2 red, 79680140. OATS-No. 2 white, 4462451/c; No. 3 white,

The following were the receipts and ship-ments for the day: Receipts, Shipments,

ments for the day;
Articles,
Plour, bbls. 49,000
Wheat, bu. 53,000
Corn, bu. 158,000
Oats, bu. 224,000
Rye, bu. 1,000
Barley, bu. 42,000 On the Produce exchange today the butter market was easier; creameries, 20@27c; dairies, 194@20c. Cheese, firm, 114@13c. Eggs, steady; fresh, 134@14c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET. Quotations of the Day on Various

Commodities.

NEW YORK, March 26.—FLOUR—Receipts, 21,340 bbls.; exports, 857 bbls.; more active and steadler; winter patents, 32.569 4.25; Minnesota patents, 32.7593.90; Minnesota bakers, 82.9693.25; winter patents, 33.9693.25; winter patents, 32.9693.25; winter patents, 32.9693.25; winter low grades, 32.9693.10. Rye flour, firm; fair to good, 32.9693.40; choice to fancy, 33.5693.75. CORNMEAL—Steadler; yellow western, 45.77; city, 31.25; Brandywine, 33.5693.55. RYE—Firm; No. 2 western, 65c c. 1, f. aflost; state, 60961c c. 1, f. New York, carlots. ots. BARLEY-Quiet; feeding. @#65c, c. i. f., New York; malting, 68#72c, c. i. f., New

WOOL—Quiet; domestic fleece, 259270.

PROVISIONS—Beef, firm; family, \$12.90\text{3.50}; mess, \$10.00\text{gis.05}; beef hams, \$19.50\text{pi.06}; packet, \$11.00\text{gis.00}; beef hams, \$19.50\text{pi.06}; packet, \$11.00\text{gis.00}; pickled shoulders, \$7.50\text{; pickled hams, \$9.75\text{gis.50}; pickled hams, \$9.75\text{gis.50}. Lard, irm; western steamed, \$10.0\text{gis.06}; refined, steady; continent, \$10.25; South America, \$10.75; compound, \$7.75\text{gis.00}. Pork, firmer; 2mily, \$17.50\text{gis.00}; short clear, \$17.25\text{gis.00}; ness, \$15.00\text{gis.70}.

family, \$17.50@18.00; short clear, \$17.25@20.00; mess, \$18.00@17.00.

BUTTER—Receipts, \$4.812 pkgs.; steady; state dairy, 22@37c; state creamery, 22@37c; creamery, held at \$19.25%; farcty; 18.22%; creamery, held at \$19.25%; creamery, held at \$19.25%; farcy pkgs; frm; fancy large full cream, fall made, colored, 12.912%; fancy small state full cream, early made, white, 12.912%; fancy small state full cream, early made, white, 12.913%; state full cream, early made, white, 12.913%; state state and Pennsylvania, 15%; western, at mark, 15%, 15%; western, at mark, 15%, 15%; western, at MOLASSES—Firm; New Orleans, 34.9410.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 4%c; Japan, 4%, 15%; LOW.

box, \$1.75 PEARS-Vikers, \$2.25; Lawrence, \$2.25@ GRAPES-Malagas, per keg, \$7.50. CRANBERRIES-Per bbl., \$7.50; per crate. \$2.75.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., \$1.90@2.00.

FIGS—California, new cartons, \$1; imported, per lb., 12@14c. TROPICAL FRUITS. ORANGES—California navels, fancy, \$2.50 63.75; choice, \$3.2563.50; budded, \$2.75 LEMONS—Fancy, \$3.50; choice, \$3.25, BANANAS—Per bunch, according to size,

\$2.25@2.75. MISCELLANEOUS. MISCELLANEOUS.

NUTS-New crop walnuts. No. 1 soft shell, per lb., 12c; hard shell, per lb., 11½c; No. 2 soft shell, 19c; No. 2 hard shell, 8c; No. 2 soft shell, 19c; No. 2 hard shell, 8c; Brazils, per lb., 14c; fliberts, per lb., 12c; almonds, soft shell, 11c; hard shell, 15c; pecans, large, per lb., 12c; small, 10c; cocoanuts, per sack, \$5.50.

HONEY-Per 24-section case, \$2.

CIDER-Nehawka, per bbi., \$3.25; New York, \$3.50.

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HIDES—No. 1 green, 5%c; No. 2 green, 4%c; No. 1 saited, 7c; No. 2 saited, 5%c; No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12% bls., 8c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 lbs., 6c; dry hides, 8@13c; sheep pelts, 75c; horse hides, \$1.50@2.25.

POPCORN—Per lb., 5c.

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St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, March 26.—WHEAT—Higher; No. 2-red cash, elevator, 77%c; track, 7867 foe; May, 77%c; Gray, 20,000 bu.

CORN—Higher; No. 2 cash, 5%c; track, 5%66c; May, 5%c; July, 59%c; September, 5%c.

OATS—Higher: No. 2 cash, 5%c, September, 5%c.

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OATS—Higher; No. 2 cash, 43%c; track, 44@45c; May, 42%c; July, 34%c; September, 29%c; No. 2 white, 45%@46c.
RYE—Lower at 57c.
FLOUR—Steady; patents, \$2.50@3.80; extrafancy and straight, \$3.50@3.40; clear, \$3.60@3.16.

fancy and straight, \$3.30(3.30; clear, \$3.00(3.30; clear, \$3.30; clear, \$3.3

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, March 26.—WHEAT—Spot, steady; No. 2 red western, winter, no stock; No. 1 northern, spring, 68 id; No. 1 California, 68 3d. Futures, steady; March, 65; May, 58 11%d; July, 58 10%d. (CORN—Spot, steady; American mixed, new, 52 2½d; American mixed, old, 58 2%d. Futures, quiet; May, 58 ½d; July, 48 11%d. HOPS—At London (Pacific coast), firm, £3 issg£4 ibs.

FEAUCH—St. Louis fancy winter, firm at £5 ibsg£4 ios.

PROVISIONS—Beef, firm; extra India mess, 80s. Pork, steady; prime mess, west-

PROVISIONS—Beef, firm; extra India mess, 89s. Pork, steady; prime mess, western, 71s. Ham, steady; short cut, 14 to 10 lbs, 47s 6d. Bacon, firm, 65s 6d; Cumberland cut, firm; 25 to 30 lbs, 46s; short rlbs, firm; 16 to 24 lbs, 5s; long clear middles, light, 25 to 24 lbs, 56s; long clear middles, light, 25 to 24 lbs, 56s; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 44s 6d; short clear backs, firm; 16 to 20 lbs, 46s; clear bellies, steady; 14 to 16 lbs, 48s. Shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, 38s 6d. Lard, firm; prime western, in therees, firm at 42s; American refined, in palls, 49s 3d.

BUTTER—Firm: finest United States, 70s.
CHEESE—Firm; American finest white, 53s; American finest colored, 53s.
TALLOW—Prime city, firm, 20s 3d.
Receipts of wheat during the last three days, 27,000 centals, including 194,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the last three days, 37,500 centals. BARLEY—Quiet; feeding. \$3665c, c. i. f.
New York; maiting, \$667c, c. i. f., New
York.

WHEAT—Receipts, 26,200 bu; exports,
\$2,391 bu; spot, firm; No. 2 red, \$35c elevator; No. 3 red, \$65c f. o. b. afloat; No.
i hard, Manitoba, \$65c f. o. b. afloat; No.
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Prices worked considerably higher today
on a broader speculative trade and light
pit offerings, in face of a restricted export
business. The buying motives were higher
cables, small receipts west and a big lump
in corn, together with active covering; the
close was firm at \$5c c for set advance; March
closed at \$75c; May, \$5-16678c, closed at
\$75c; July, \$79679c, closed at
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\$75c; OAN—Receipts \$2,000 bu; exports, 10,169
bu; spot, firm; No. 2, \$65c elevator and
\$67c f. o. b. afloat. Bull leaders in Chicago
dominated the corn market, foreing prices
over ic higher on a scare of shorts; receipts were small, cables higher and country offerings light; the market closed at
\$67c; July, \$79675c, closed at
\$67c; And \$7000c, and \$7000

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—BUTTER—Market 182c lower; extra western creamery, 12c; extra nearby prints, 19c. EGGS—Steady; fresh nearby, 154@16c; fresh western, 154@16c; fresh southwestern, 154@16c; fresh southwestern, 154@16c; fresh southern, 15c. CHEESE—Firm; New York full creams, fancy small, 13c; New York full creams, fair to choice, 11@124c.

Milwankee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, March 26.-FLOUR-Steady.
WHEAT-Higher; No. 1 northern, 74%;
No. 2 northern, 73%; May, 72%;
RYE-Steady; No. 1, 58%;
BARLEY-Higher; No. 2, 66c; sample,

60g65c. CORN—May, 59%c. Peorta Market. PEORIA, Ill., March M.-CORN-Firm; No. 3, 57c. OATS-Firm; No. 3 white, 43c, billed through.
WHISKY-On the basis of \$1.30 for fin-ished goods.

DULUTH, March 26.—WHEAT—Cash, No. hard, 74%c; No. 2 northern, 68%c; No. 1 orthern, 71%c; May, 72%c; July, 73%c.

Duluth Grain Market.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS. Market Soggy with Professional

Flavor Throughout.

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414 Pullman P. Car...

523 Republic Steel.

524 do pfd.

525 Tenn Cosl & I.

50 Union Bag & P.

524 do pfd.

14915 U. S. Leather

567 do pfd.

81 U. S. Rubber

82 do pfd.

83 U. S. Rubber

84 do pfd. Ainn. & St. L.

Ao. Pacific ...

E. K. & T.

do pfd.

N. J. Central

N. T. Central

Norfolk & W.

do pfd.

Ontario & W.

**Peonsylvania 81 d S Rubber 654 do pfd 66 U S Steel 8214 do pfd 715 Western Union 726 Amer. Locomo. 73 do pfd

*Trust receipts. **Ex-rights. Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, March 25.—Call loans, 465 per cent; time loans, 465 per cent. Official closing of stocks and bonds: E. G. & C..... 59 [Amalgamated 48% Parrot
S21 Quincy
T Santa Fe Copper.

86% Trimountain
100% Trimountain
100% Trimountain
20% United States
54 Utah
50 Victoria
50% Winoss
27% Walverine

London Stock Quotations.

LONDON, March 26.-4 p. m.-Closing: Anaconda Atchiaon do pfd Battimore & Canadian Facil Chesapeake & bicago G. W. M. & St. P. enver & R. G.

* Ex-dividend.

BAR SILVER-Quiet; 24 13-16d per ounce.

MONEY-24-673 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is
11-166724, per cent and for three-months'
bills 24, per cent.

Foreign Financial.

consect at 64%; September, 62-166644c, closed at 64%; September, 524; September, 524; Cosed at 64%; September, 524; Cosed at 6

456. Pacific coast, 1901 crop, 15618c; 1909
crop, 126134c; olds, 466c.
HAY—Quiet; shipping. 6066c; good to
choice, 26624c.
HIDES—Quiet; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs.,
18c; California, 19c; Texas dry, 14c.
LEATHER—Quiet; hemlock sole, 2466

Teledo Grain and Seed.

Wood cases included, 13c; cases returned, 18c; cosing up of engagements. First-class securities were firmer. Americans opened irregular and generally easier. The dealings were almost nil. Kaffirs were firm, on the their reported improvement in Cecli Rhodes' condition. The transactions were mostly professional. Rio tintos improved. wood cases included, 15c; cases returned, 184c.
RECEIPTS—Wheat, 48,400 bu.; corn, 64,000 bu.; oats, 25,000 bu.
SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 68,500 bu.; corn, 61,000 bu.; oats, 25,000 bu.
Toledo Grain and Seed.

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Toledo, March 26.—WHEAT—Market dull, firm; cash, 7540; May, 754c bid.
CORN—Dull, strong; cash, 554c; May, 189c; July, 604c.
OATS—Dull, strong; cash, 424c; May, 424c; July, 26c.
SEED—Clover dull, firm; March, 25.35; April, 35.10 bid; prime timothy, 81.10; No. 2 alsike, 82.10.

Minneapolis Wheat, Flour and Bran.
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bourse today was aimost at a standstill. Internationals were fairly steady. Exchange on London, 20m 46% pfgs for checks. Discount rate for short bilis, 2 per cent; for three months' bills, 2% per cent. New York Money Market. NEW YORK, March 26.—MONEY—On call firm, at 31466 per cent; closing offered at 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 566 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 44.874 for demand and at 44.854 for sixty days, Posted rates, 44.85 and 44.884; commercial bills, 44.84464.854.

SILVER—Bar, 53%c; Mexican dollars, 43%c. 434c. BONDS-Steady; state, steady; railroad, easier.

The closing quotations on bonds are as follows:

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New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, March 26.—The following are the closing prices on mining stocks:

Adams Con 40 |Little Chief 11 Ontario
Ophir
Phoenix
Potosi
Savage
Sierra Nevada
Small Hopes
Standard | Strinswick Con | 9 | Property |

Bank Clearings.

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OMAHA, March 26.—Bank clearings today, \$1,035,762.32; corresponding day last
year, \$947,485.50; increase, \$88,276.82.
CHICAGO, March 26.—Clearings, \$29,651,502; balances, \$1,907,167. Posted exchange,
\$4.85 for sixty days and \$4.88½ on demand.
New York exchange at par.
NEW YORK, March 26.—Clearings, \$244,250,500; balances, \$7,376,522.
BOSTON, March 26.—Clearings, \$20,918,474;
balances, \$1,508,745.
PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—Clearings,
\$20,316,200; balances, \$2,973,954. Money, 4½
per cent. per cent. BALTIMORE, March 26.—Clearings, \$3.-508,534; balances, \$673,732. Money, 4½@6 per

Condition of the Treasury. WASHINGTON, March 26.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balances, \$172,243,-859; gold, \$91,219,055.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 26.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet; middling upland, 8%c; middling gulf, 9½c; sales, 5,400 bales. Futures closed quiet and steady; March, 8.62c; April, 8.60c; Msy, 8.55c; June, 8.58c; July, 8.61c; August, 8.42c; September, 8.11c; October, 7.97c; November, 7.90c; December, 7.90c, The market opened firm, with prices unchanged to 5 points higher and immediately after the call worked up an additional point higher on room covering. The market was finally quiet and steady, with prices net 7 points higher to 1 point lower.

NEW ORLEANS, March 26.—COTTON—Steady; sales, 5,100 bales; ordinary, 7%c; good ordinary, 7%c; low middling, 8c; middling, 8%c; good middling, 8%c; middling fair, 8½c; receipts, 6,467 bales; stock, 286,853 bales. Futures, steady; March 8.3898.41c; April, 8.3898.40c; May, 8.51c; June, 8.5498.56c; July, 8.6198.65c; August, 8.498.50c; September, 8.6498.65c; October, 7.86c.

ST. LOUIS, March 26.—COTTON—Quiet; middling, 8½c; receipts, 2,662 bales; shipments, 1,975 bales; stock on hand, 47,473 bales.

GALVESTON, March 26.—COTTON—Mar-Cotton Market.

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bales.

GALVESTON, March 25.—COTTON—Market quiet at 87-16c.

LIVERPOOL, March 26.—COTTON—Spot,
quiet, prices 1-23d lower; American middling fair, 51-16d; good middling, 427-32d;
middling, 423-32d; low middling, 4½d; good
ordinary, 4½d; ordinary, 4½d. The sales of
the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were
for speculation and export, and included
6,400 American. No receipts. Futures
opened easier and closed barely steady;
American middling, g. o. c., March 439-64d;
sellers; April-May, 440-64d, sellers; MayJune, 440-6464 41-64d, sellers; June-July440-6464 41-64d, buyers; July-August, 441-64d,
sellers; August-September, 437-64d, sellers;
October-November, 423-64d, sellers; November-December, 426-64d, buyers. Oil and Rosin.

OIL CITY, Pa., March 26.—OIL—Credit balances, \$1.15; certificates, no bid; shipments, 133,612; average, 80,610; runs, 104,108; average, 70,020.

TOLEDO, March 26.—OIL—North Lima, TOLEDO, March 26.—OIL—North Lima, S5c; South Lima and Indiana, S0c. SAVANNAH, March 26.—OIL—Turpentine, quiet at 51c. Quote; A. B. C and D. 130; E. 135; F. 140; G. 146; H. 150; I. 175; K. 245; M. 285; N. 325; WG, 390; WW, 385. NEW YORK, March 26.—OIL—Cotton-seed, firm, petroleum, steady; rosin, firm; turpentine, dull at 50½661c.

ANTWERP, March 26.—OIL—Petroleum, 17 pfgs. ANTWERP, March 25.—OH.—Turpentine spirits, steady at 31s 6d; cottonseed, hull refined, spot, quiet at 24s 14d.

LONDON, March 26.—OH.—Calcutta linseed, spot, 52s; linseed, 30s 3d; turpentine spirits, 30s 6d.

ST. LOUIS, March 26.—WOOL-Market unchanged and slow. Stocks here are estimated at 6.00,000 lbs. Combing, 17%c; medium, 15%16c; light fine, 12%13½c; heavy fine, 10%11c; tub washed, 14%24c.
LONDON, March 26.—WOOL-The second series of the wool auction sales closed today. The offerings numbered 6.537 bales, chiefly cross-breds from New Zealand. Sales in detail: New South Wales, 1.00 bales; acoured, 4%1d%18 6½d; greasy, 5½%10½d. Queensland, 200 bales; scoured, 11½d%18 6d; greasy, 9d, Victoria, 1.200 bales; greasy, 4%1d%18 ½d. West Australia, 300 bales; greasy, 4%1d%18 ½d; greasy, 3½%10%2d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 600 bales; scoured, 4%5½d; greasy, 3½%10%2d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 600 bales; scoured, 7%1d%18 ld; greasy, 5½%55. ST. LOUIS, March 26.-WOOL-Market Evaporated Applea and Dried Fruits.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, March 26.—EVAPORATED APPLES—An easier feeling in evaporated apples prevails, but the trade is very quiet and prices are not quotably lower. State common to good, 76384c; prime, 26794c; choice, 94691c; fancy, 104,201c.

Prunes also are somewhat easier in tone and move slowly, with business mostly of a jobbing type. Apricots and peaches are held steadily and are receiving a good jobbing interest. No change in quotations. Prunes, 34,67c; apricots, royal, 106/14c; Moor Park, 114,67124c; peaches, peeled, 14618c; unpeeled, 8610c.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Fat Cattle Market Active and Fully Steady with Previous Day.

HOGS OPEN FIVE LOWER, CLOSE STRONG

Receipts of Sheep and Lambs Light and Trade Rules Active and Steady, with Spring Lambs Selling as High as Eciven Cents.

SOUTH OMAHA, March 26.
 Receipts were:
 Cattle, Hogs, Sheep.

 Official Monday
 2.920
 5.42
 6.991

 Official Tuesday
 3.711
 11,445
 8.149

 Official Wednesday
 3.335
 8,445
 2.880
 18,625 22,613 20,698 16,748 10,699 13,161 Three days this week 9,857 25,032 17,741 Same days list week . 10.155 17.741 Same week before . 10.155 22.204 Same three weeks ago . 2.33 23.86 Same four weeks ago . 5.645 26.817 Same days last year . 8,629 15,717 RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE. The following table shows the receipts of attle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for he year to date and comparisons with last year:

1902. 1904. Inc. 189,792 152,326 87,496 662,626 543,110 99,316 219,901 256,166 Date. | 1902.|15/1.|1900.|1899.|1898.|1897.|1896.

The following table shows the number of cars of feeders shipped to the country yesterday and their destination: Kunsman & R., Plattsmouth, Neb.-

Kunsman & R., Plattsmouth, Neu-B. & M.

Peter Mulhair, Verdigris, Neb.-F. E.

L. I. Severns, Harlan, Ia.-R. I.

T. W. Severns, Harlan, Ia.-R. I.

T. R. Lambert, Coon Rapids, Ia.-Mil.

A G. Bagley, Randolph, Ia.-Q.

M O. Imman, Randolph, Ia.-Q.

H. R. Laird, Tabor, Ia.-Q.

W. S. Dalton, Tabor, Ia.-Q. W. S. Dalton, Tabor, Ia—Q. 1
J. M. Jeffries, Russell, Ia—Q. 2
J. F. Dale, Russell, Ia—Q. 2
The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was: Cattle. Hogs. Sheep.H'r's. C., M. & St. P. Ry

C. M. & St. P. Ry... 5
O. & St. L. Ry... 4
Missouri Pacific Ry... 2
Union Pacific system 22
C. & N. W. Ry... 22
F., E. & M. V. Ry... 22
C., St. P., M. & O. Ry. 25
B. & M. R. Ry... 39
C., B. & Q. Ry... 4
C., R. I. & P., east... 5
C., R. I. & P., west... 2
Hilnois Central 7 Total receipts130 116

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated: | Der of head indicated: | Cattle Hogs. Sheep. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. | 76. |

HOGS—Receipts of hogs continued quite liberal this morning, which makes the supply for the three days this week considerable in excess of the same days of last week or of last week. The market opened about 5c lower, but under the influence of a good demand the market grew stronger and the loss was just about regained. Trading was active after the first round, so that everything was out of first hands in good season. The quality of the hogs was not as good today as it was yesterday, so that the market on paper does not look as high as it really was. There was not much change today in the range of prices, for the bulk of the sales. The heavier loads sold largely from \$4.00 to \$6.00. Medium weights went from \$8.30 to \$6.00, and the lighter loads sold from \$8.30 down. Representative sales:

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET. Cattle and Sheep Steady-Hogs Open

Wenk, but Close Strong.

KANSAS CITY, March 26—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,400 head of natives, 500 Texans and 200 calves. Market firm: choice export and dressed beef steers \$6,5006.65; fair to good, \$5,006.66; stockers and feeders, \$1,5006.55; western-fed steers, \$6,5006.55; Texas and Indian steers, \$4,7506.30; cows; \$2,506 5.00; native cows, \$2,506 5.00; helfers, \$4,7506.30; cows; \$2,506 5.00; native cows, \$2,5006.55; belifers, \$4,7506.50; calves, \$1,5006.50; belifers, \$1,5006.50; belifers, \$1,5006.50; calves, \$1,5006.50; belifers, \$1,5006.50; belifers, \$1,5006.50; calves, \$1,5006.50; belifers, \$1,5 Kanaan City Live Stock Market.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

shipping and export steers, \$5.00@6.70, with strictly fancy up to \$7.25; dressed beef and butcher steers, \$4.25@6.20; steers under 1,000 pounds, \$3.75@6.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@4.80; cows and helfers, \$2.25@6.00; canners, \$1.40@4.70; calves, \$3.50@7.25; bulls, \$3.90 994.55; Texas and Indian steers, grassers, \$3.40@4.50; fed, \$4.50@6.00; cows and helfers, translations. \$3.65(4.50) HOGS—Receipts, 4,100 head; steady; pigs and lights, \$6.00(6.30; packers, \$6.00(6.40; butchers, \$6.40(6.57), SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,200 head. Market steady; natives, \$4.40(6.50; lambs, \$5.40(7.50; cuils and bucks, \$2.50(94.50; Texas sheep, \$3,40(4.50.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, March 26.—BEEVES—Receipts, 2,239 head; steers 10 cents lower; bulls steady to 10 cents lower; medium and common cows, 10025c off; steers, 55.0036.70; stags and oxen, 44.8605.75; bulls, 35.0036.75; cows, \$2.0034.50. Cables weak; exports 3,550 quarters of beef. Calves, receipts, 3,333 head; active market; veals, firm to 25 cents higher; veals, \$5.0038.20; little calves, \$3.5034.60; veal culves, \$3.5003.25; city dressed veals, \$3.2025c per pound. veals, \$3.50g3.75; city dressed veals, \$92125c per pound.

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 6.638 head; trade dull; choice stock about steady; under grades, easy; sheep, \$4.002 5.50; extra, \$6.00; culls, \$4.0020.50; lambs, \$5.50g7.00; culls, \$4.50g6.00; few clipped, \$6.00; spring lambs, \$3.0026.00 per head.

HOGS-Receipts, 5,578 head; market firm; state hogs, \$6.50g8.85.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. St. Joseph Live Stock market.

ST. JOSEPH. March 26.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,300 head. Market steady: natives, \$5.3665.90: cows and heifers, \$1.5096.75; veals, \$4.0096.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.2595.25. HOGS—Receipts, 5,400 head; steady: light and light mixed, \$6.2096.50; pigs, \$4.0096.35. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,000 head; steady to strong; western lambs, \$6.0096.70; western sheep, \$4.2596.00.

Sioux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX CITY, Ia., March 26.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 500; market weak to 10c lower; \$4.0026.05; cows. bulls and mixed, \$2.5034.55; stockers and feeders, \$3.0034.75; yearlings and calves, \$3.0034.25.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,200; steady, \$6.2036.57; bulk, \$6.2536.35.

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal markets for March 26:

South Omaha. 2,328 8,445 2,885 Chicago 19,000 40,000 18,000 Kansas City 5,300 6,000 2,400 St. Louis 5,600 4,100 1,300 St. Joseph. 1,300 5,400 4,000

NEW YORK, March 26.—COFFEE—Spot Rio, steady; No. 7 invoice, 7%c. Mild, steady; Cordova, 8@12c. The market opened steady, and throughout the morning was devoid of feature. The Brazilian markets were closed in observance of a holiday and statistical statements from the crop country furnished little incentive. The European market news was quiet, as expected, and few buying orders from any quarter male their appearance. But early in the afternoon the buil "clique" became an active buyer of the remote position and this led to a small scramble of room shorts for cover. This combined demand sent prices up 19@29 points with a rush. The market held the rise all through the last hour and closed firm at a net advance of 19@29 points. Total sales were 46,759 bags, including April at 5.20@5.35c; May, 5.30@5.45c; June, 5.50c; July, 5.69@5.55c; August, 5.75c; September, 5.70@5.85c; October, 5.85c; December, 5.85@66c; January, 5.95c. Coffee Market.

Sugar Market.

NEW ORLEANS, March 26.—SUGAR—Firm; open kettle, 2½031-16c; open kettle centrifugal, 203½c; centrifugal yellow, 3½ 6315-16c; esconds, 2½031-16c. Molasses, steady; centrifugal, 7018c.

NEW YORK, March 26.—SUGAR—Raw, strong; fair refining, 3½c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3½c. Molasses sugar, 2½c. Refined, ferm. firm. LONDON, March 26.—BEET SUGAR—March, 6s 6d.

BIG SLUMP IN GOLD SUPPLY Forty Million Pounds Shortage Due to Closing South African Mines.

LONDON, March 26.—At a meeting here today of the shareholders of the Bank of Africa, the chairman said it was calculated that owing to the closing of the South African mines during the last two and a half years the world's gold supply was short to the extent of £40,00,000. He thought it surprising that such a serious diminution should not have been more acutely felt. diminution s acutely felt.

Marriage Licenses. Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to the following:
Name and Residence.
Jerome F. Dimick, Omaha.
Altha M. Evernden, Omaha
Morris Davis, Omaha Ida Hendler, Omaha Charles F. Johnson, Polk county, Neb. Anna Nelson, Omaha Edward Riley, Omaha Mamie Smith, Omaha

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

PROPOSALS FOR INDIAN SUPPLIES—
Department of the interior, Office of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., March I,
1962. Sealed proposals, Indorsed "Proposals for beef, flour, etc., as the case may be, and directed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, 235 Johnson street, Chicago, Ill., will be received until 1 o'clock, p. m., of Tuesday, April 15, 1902, for furnishing for the Indian service, beef, flour, bacon, beans, coffee, sugar, rice, tea and other articles of subsistence; also for boots and shoes, groceries, soap, baking powder, crockery, agricultural implements, paints, oils, glass, tinware, wagons, harness, leather, shoe findings, saddlery, etc., hardware, school and medical supplies, and a long list of miscellaneous articles. Sealed proposals, indersed "Proposals for blankets, woolen and cotton goods, clothing, etc." as the case may be, and directed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Nos. 77 and 79. Wooster, New York City, will be received until 1 o'clock, p. m., of Tuesday, May 12, 1962, for furnishing for the Indian service blankets, woolen and cotton goods, clothing, notions, hats and caps. Bids must be made out on government blanks. Schedules giving all necessary information for bidders will be furnished on application to the Indian Office, Washington, D. C., Nos, 77 and 79 Wooster street, New York City, 235 Johnson street, Chicago, Ill.; No. 815 Howard street, Omaha, Neb.; the Commissaries of Subsistence, U. S. A., at Cheyenne, Leavenworth, St. Louis, St. Paul and San Francisco; the postmasters at Sloux City, Yankton, Arkansas City, Caldwell, Topeka, Wichita and Tueson, Bids will be opened at the hour and days above stated, and bodders are invited to be present at the opening. The department reserves the right to determine the point of delivery and to reject any and all bids, or any part of any bid. W. A. JONES, Commissioner.

Mch-24 to Apr-24-d PROPOSALS FOR INDIAN SUPPLIES-

CHICAGO March 26.—CATTLE—Receipts, 19,000 head, including 169 head of Texans, 500 westerns. Market steady; good to prime steers, \$5.5697.40; poor to medium, \$4.25295.46; stockers and feeders, \$2.5095.00; canners, \$1.4095.240; bulls, \$2.5096.00; calves, \$2.5095.35; Texas-fed steers, \$6.0096.00; calves, \$2.5096.35; Texas-fed steers, \$6.0096.00; calves, \$2.5096.35; Head; hoge, \$0.000 head; estimated tomorrow, \$5.500 head; left over, 4,000 head. Market opened weak, closed strong; mixed and butchers, \$6.3096.70; good to choice heavy, \$6.5096.72½; rough heavy, \$6.3596.50; light, \$6.2096.60; bulk of sales, \$6.3596.50; light, \$6.2096.50; bulk of sales, \$1.0000.50; light, \$6.2096.50; light, \$

ments not yet due. 277,916.55
All other liabilities. 1,974,326.78
Capital stock paid up 2,000,000.00
Surplus beyond capital stock and other
liabilities. 7,938,530.43
9,838,530.43

Total
Witness my hand and the seal of the auditor of public accounts the day and year first above written.
(Seal.)
CHARLES WESTON.
By H. A. Babcock, Secretary.
Branch office, New York Life Bidg. W.
L. Killy, Supt., Omaha, Neb.

GRAIN, PROVISIONS, STOCKS

ST. LOUIS, March 28.—CATTLE—Recelpts. 1600 head, including 1,600 head of
Texans. Market steady to strong; native

Bought and sold for each or on margin.
All telegraph, telephone or mail orders
will receive careful and prompt attention.
Telephone 1000. OMAHA, NEB.