## COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

Lewer Prices Prevail on All Board of Trade Products During Day.

WHEAT IS ERRATIC, MAY CLOSING HIGHER

Corn, Oats and Provisions All Drop Slightly After Henry Sales and Generally Active Business in Pits.

CHICAGO, April 27.—Lower prices pre-valled on the Board of Trade today, but wheat railled late in the day and closed firm, with May 5c higher and July up \$60. May oats were off 5c and July 1875c lower. Provisions were weak, the July product closing from 106125c to 125615c lower.

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Trading in wheat was fairly active and prices were rather erratic. High Liverpool cables caused a strong opening, May being 48%c higher, at 77%gl7%c, with July 40%c to %c higher, at 77%gl7%c, with July 40%c to %c higher, at 12% to 72%gl72%c. Pit traders who had sold short over Sunday were good buyers at the start and with limited offerings the market quickly advanced, May selling up to 77%c and July to 72%c. Both primary and northwest receipts were more liberal and with improved conditions this was general commission house selliling on the advance, which soon caused a reaction. Large world's shipments were also against the market and at times the selling pressure was quite pronounced, prices breaking sharply under this influence, May decilining to 78½c and July to 72c. A moderate visible supply probably broke the supposed leading caused a rally later in the day, the market becoming firm. Closing prices showed a gain for May of ½c, at 77½c, and July was up ½67½c at 72½c, and July was up ½67½c. at 72½c. The amount on passage increased 712,000 bu., while the visible supply showed a decrease of 1,005,000 bu. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 160,400 bu. Primary receipts were 400,200 bu., against 362,000 bu. a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 28 cars, which, with local receipts of 40 cars, none of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points of 235 cars against 228 cars last week and 253 cars a year ago.

Trading in corn was active, but the greater part of the business was for local account. The market was strong at the opening on higher Liverpool cables, with provisions interests disposed to support prices. May was especially strong and advanced to 45%c, after opening at 45%grb5%c. Later the rumor was circulated that a big long was unloading and this started a selling movement among smaller holders, which was helped along by the improved weather, r

closed %c lower at 44%, with July %c lower, at 45%c. Local receipts were 85 cars, two of contract grade.

Heavy liquidation of May oats by longs resulted in a sharp break in May and July and stop-loss orders coming out on the decline added to the weakness. The better weather, increased receipts and small cash demand were responsible for the selling movement. Closing prices were near the bottom, May being %c lower at 33%c. May selling between 33%33%c and 33%c. July closed %2%c lower at 31%31%c. After ranging between 31%331%c and 31%c. July closed %2%c lower at 31%31%c, after ranging between 31%331%c and 31%c. Local receipts were 148 cars.

Provisions were weak at the opening, due to liberal receipts of hogs and lower prices at the yards, which caused free offerings at the start. Packers bought moderately on the decline, but there was very little support with closing prices steady. July pork being 12%c lower, at 31.25; July lard, 12%Glöc lower, at 35.50, and ribs down 10% 12%c, at 35.55.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 75 cars; corn, 230 cars; oats, 250 cars; hogs.

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Commodities.

NEW YORK, April 27.—FIAUR—Receipts, 29,300 bbis; exports, 3,557 bbis; duil, but steady and unchanged; winter patents, 33,70004.00; winter straights, 43,5003.60; Minnesota patents, 14.0004.30; Minnesota bakers, 51,2003.60; winter extras, 52,5003.60; winter low grades, 52,5003.20; choice to fancy, 51,2503.46.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, 51,06; city, 51,04; Brandywine, 53,4063.55.

RYE—Steady; No. 2 western 50%c, f, o, b, affoat; state, 52658c, c, l, f, New York, BARLEY—Duil; feeding, 51c, c, l, f, Buffalo, WHEAT—Receipts, 228,577 bu.; exports, 52,663 bu. Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 51%c elevator; No. 2 red, 51%c f, o, b, affoat; No. 1 northern, Duiuth, 38c f, o, b, affoat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 56%c f, o, b, affoat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 56%c f, o, b, affoat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 56%c f, o, b, affoat; No. 1 hard, manitoba, 56%c f, o, b, affoat; No. 2 tender, 51,000 at the supply decrease, with the close easy and 1%c net lower; May 50%cf81%c, closed, 31c, 131y, 78 11-160774c, closed, 76%c; September, 74%cf75c, closed, 74%c.

CORN—Receipts, 110,250 bu.; exports, 42,-366. Spot, steady; No. 2, 36c; elevator, and 53%c f, o, b, affoat; No. 2 white, 54%c. Option market opened rather strong. Shorts bid May up %c and cables were firm. Later the market broke under general selling and the poor export trade, closed, 56c; July, 51%cf52/c, closed, 58c.

OATS—Receipts, 133,500 bu; spot dull; No. 2, 35c; standard white, 50%c; No. 3 white, 53%c; track, mixed western, nominal; track, white, 53%c; copeting and barely steary. May closed at 38%c.

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HIDES—Steady. Galveston, 20 to 25 ibs., 18c: California, 21 to 25 pounds, 18c; Texas dry, 2s to 30 lbs., 14c.
LEATHER—Steady. Acid, 34928c.
RICE—Firm. Domestic, fair to extra.
4487c; Japan, nominal.
TALLOW—Duil. City, 5%c asked; county, 34,6834c. TALLOW-Dull. City, 5%c asked; country, 5%,65%c.
PROVISIONS-Beef, easy. Family, 112 50 (p13.00; mess, 12.00@10.00; beef hams, 120.00 p1.50; packets, 140.00@10.00; city, extra India, 120.0021.00; Cut meats, irregular; pickled bellies, 9610%c; pickled shoulders, 9c; pickled hams, 11%c. Lard, easy; western steamed, 10.00; refined, easier, continent, 110.20; South American, 112.00; compound, 57.100 p3.00. Pork, easy; family 110.56; short clear, 15.75@20.25; mess, 118.75@10.25; short clear, 15.75@20.25; mess, 118.75@10.25; ateady; tate dairy, 17@25c; creamery, extra, 23c; common to choice, 18922c.
CHEESE-Receipts, 1.579 pags.; steady; fancy, large, state, full cream, colored,

fall made, 14%@14%c; white, 14%@14%c; small, colored, lici white, 14%c, EGGS-Receipts, 22.65 pkgs.; steady; state and Pennsylvania, 16@16%c; western. fresh, 16c. resn, lec. POULINY-Alive, unsettled; quotations mitted. Dressed, firmer; fowls, 14c; tur-

omitted. Dressed, firmer; fowls, 14c; turkeys, 15c.

METALS—Spot tin was 2s 6d higher in London, at £1s7 15s, while futures advanced slos to £137. In New York tin was quiet, but nrm at \$20.0000129. Copper declined £1 5s in London closing at £5s 7s 6d for both spot and futures, while locally it remained quiet and nominal. Lake and electrolytic and casting are quoted at \$14.500014.75. Lead was 5s lower in London, at £12 and was also lower and easier here, closing at \$4.574, spelter declined 17s 6d in London to £21 17s 6d, while in New York it remained quiet at \$5.75, Iron closed at 52s 3d in Giasgow and at 46s 74d in Middlesborough. Locally, iron was quiet. No. 1 northern foundry is quoted at \$21.25g(22.75). No. 2 northern loundry at \$20.50g(21.00), No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, northern soft, \$21.50g(22.00).

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

## Condition of Trade and Quotations or Staple and Fancy Produce.

Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Fresh stock, 13c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 11c; roosters, according to age, busc; turkeys, 12m16c; aucas, 10m11c; geese, busc.

BUTTER—Facking stock. 12m2c; choice dairy, in tubs, lomic; separator, 2m23c.

OYSTEKS—Standards, per can, 2sc; extra selects, per can, 3sc; New York counts, per can, tac; bulk, extra selects, per gal, \$1.75; bulk, standards, per gal, \$1.85.

Fitesh Fish—Trout 2m10c; herring, 5c; pickerel, 5m2c; picke, 9c; perch, 6c; buffaio, dressed, 5c; sunfish 3c; butensn, 11c; whitefish, 2c; samon, 15c; haddock, 11c; codfish, 12c; redsnapper, 10c; lobsters, bolled, per lo, 27c; lobsters, green per 15., 25c; builterning, 25c; bulllb. 25c; lobsters, green per lb., 25c; bull-heads, 16c; catfish, 14c; black bass, 17c; hall-but, 11c; shad roe, 35c each; roe shad, 35c

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BRAN-Per ton, \$15.00.

HAY-Prices quoted by Omaha Wholesale
Dealers' association: Choice No. 1 upland,
\$8.00; No. 2, \$7.50; medium, \$7.00; coarse,
\$6.50. Rye straw, \$6.00. These prices are
for hay of good color and quality. Demand
fair and receipts lights.

CORN-40c.
OATS-34c.

RYE-No. 2, 45c.

VEGETABLES.

VEGETABLES. POTATOES-Per bu., 25g30c. SEED POTATOES-Northern grown, per NEW CARROTS-Per dozen bunches, 40c.

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CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, per doz., \$1.50.
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GHEEN ONIONS—Southern, per dozen bunches, 45c; home grown, 123/G15c.
RADISHES—Southern, per dozen bunches, 75c; nome grown, 3eg49c.
TURNIPS—Canada rutabagas, per ib., 13c; new southern, per dozen bunches, 50c.
ONIONS—Red Wisconsins, per ib., 1c; white, per ib., 13c.
SPINACH—Southern, per 3/bu. box, \$1.00.
NAVY BEANS—Per bu., \$2.50.
BEANS—Wax, per bu. box, \$2.50.
String, per bu. box, \$2.0.92.50.
CABBAGE—Holland seed, per ib., 24/63c; new Cantornia, per ib., 24/64c.
TOMATOES—New Florida, per 5-basket crate, 44.00.
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RHUBARB—Per lb., 14c.
ASPARAGUS—Per doz. bunches, 75c.
FRUIT'S.

APPLES—New York stock, 33.00.
STHAWBERRIES—Texas, per 24-qt. case, 33.00g3.25.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

FIGS—California, per 10-1b cartons, 90c; Turkish, per 35-1b, box, 14@18c. ORANGES—California navels, fancy, for 176 and smaller sizes, \$1.5000.75; for 160 and larger sizes, \$1.5; choice, \$5.0003.00; Medi-terranean sweets, \$2.5000.00; sweet Java, 2.7cg2.00.

LEMONS—California fancy, \$3.25.

DATES—Persiasf, in 70lb. boxes, per ic; per case of 30-lb. pkgs., \$2.35.

PINEAPPLES—Cuban, \$2.25.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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MAPLE SUGAR—Ohio, per lb., 10c.
POPCORN—Per lb., 2c; shelled, 4c.
HIDES—No. 1 green, 64c; No. 2 green,
54c; No. 1 saited, 74c; No. 2 salted, 64c;
No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 lbs, 84c; No. 2 veal
calf, 12 to 15 lbs, 64c; dry saited hides, 8g
12c; sheep peits, 25g/75c; horsehides, 31.50g
2.50.

No. 1 veal calf, 8 to 12 los, 8%c; No. 2 veal calf, 12 to 15 los, 6%c; dry saited hides, 8g 12c; sheep pelts, 25@75c; horsehides, \$1.50@2.50.

NUTS-Walnuts, No. 1 soft shell, per lb., 16c; hard shell, per lb., 14c; No. 2 soft shell, per lb., 18c; No. 2 hard shell, per lb., 12c; almonds, solft shell, per lb., 16c; hard shell, per lb., 15c; pecans, large, per lb., 12c; small, per lb., 16c; pecans, large, per lb., 12c; small, per lb., 16c; cocoanuts, per doz, 61c; chestnuis, per lb., 16c; cocoanuts, per doz, 61c; chestnuis, per lb., 16c; peanuts, per lb., 5½c; roasted peanuts, per lb., 6; black walnuts, per bu., \$1.20; hickory nuts, per bu., \$1.20; cocoanuts, per 100, \$6.00.

OLD METALS, ETC.—A. B. Alpira quotes the following prices: Iron, country mixed, per ton, \$11.00; iron, stove plate, per ton, \$3.00; copper, per lb., 8%c; brass, heavy, per lb., 8%c; orass, light, per lb., c%c; lead, per lb., 3c; sinc, per lb., 2%c.

WARRE GRAIN COMPANY.

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METALS-Lead, dull at \$4.27. Spelter, METALS—Lead, dult at 18.20. Speiter, firm at 38.40.

POULTRY—Quiet; chickens, 10%; springs, 12.5084.00 per dezen; turkeys, 12c; ducks, 11c; geese, 485c.

BUTTER—Quiet; creamery, 20025c; dairy.

17600c. EGGS-Bleady at 14c. Flour, bbis. 10,000 8,000 Wheat bu 61,000 51,000 Corn, bu 100,000 61,000 0015, bu 46,000 49,000 Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, April 27.—WHEAT-May, 670; July, 63%; cash, No. 2 hard, 68%6600;

No. 3. 659674c; No. 4. 63965c; rejected, 606 63c; No. 3 red, 6946704c; No. 2. 6666c; re-celpts, 193 cars. CORN-May, 3749374c; July, 3746274c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 3746374c; No. 2 white, 3746374c; No. 3. 3646394c. OATS-No. 2 white, 336334c; No. 2 mixed, RYE-No. 2, 45c. HAY-Choice, timothy, \$12.56; choice prairie, \$2.0069.50. BUTTER-Creamery, 18621c; dairy, fancy, 

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA, April 27.-BUTTER-PHILADELPHIA, April 27.—BUTTER—Weak, ½c lower; extra western creamery, 24c; extra nearby prints, 28c.
EGGS—Firm, good demand; fresh nearby, 16c at the mark; western, 16½c at the mark; southwestern, 16c at the mark; southern, 15½15½c at the mark.
SHEESE—Quiet but firm; New York full creams, prime small, 14½214½c; fair to good, 13½@14½c; prime large, 14½@14½c; tair to good, 13½@14½c. Toledo Grain and Seed.

TOLEDO, April 27.—WHEAT—Dull, weak; cash, 751/c; May, 75%c; July, 72c.
CORN—Dull, easy; April, 45c; May, 44%c; uly, 45%c. OATS-Dull, weak; April, 34c. May, 33%c; July, 314c. RYE-No. 2, 58c. SEED CLOVER-Dull, strong; cash and April, \$7.35; October, \$5.30; prime timothy, \$1.45.

Milwankee Grain Market. MILWAUKEE, April 27.—WHEAT—Dull. Close: No. 1 northern, 80@80½c; No. 2 north-ern, 77½979c; July, 71½c asked. RYE—Firm; No. 1, 52½c. BARLEY—Firm; No. 2, 58@60c; sample, 4655c. CORN.-July, 4546454c. Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, April 27.—WHEAT-To arrive, No. 1 hard, 73½c; No. 1 northern, 75½e; May, No. 1 hard, 75½c; July, 75½c. OATS-May, 33½c. Peoria Market. PEORIA, April 27.-CORN-Lower; No. 2. OATS-Lower; No. 3 white, 33c.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS. General Tone of Market is Dullest

Thus Far This Year.

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NEW YORK, April 27.—The sommolent condition of today's stock market was significant of the indifference of the speculative and general investment public. Even professional traders found discouragement in their efforts to move prices by trading with each other, and the general tone of the market in consequence was the dullest thus far this year. Special movements in a few individual stocks were all that offered any feature. A report by expert accountants on behalf of the Metropolitan Street rallway intended to refute the charges of irregular accounting against that company, which are the object of present inquiry by the authorities, was made the occasion for marking up that stock 2½c. A hostile purpose toward the bear party in the stock was apparent and the gain was practically lost before the end of the day. A rather languid attempt was made to induce a general rise in the market in company with the Metropolitan movement, and Missouri Pacific and Baitimore & Ohlo seemed to be chosen as leaders. The weakness of Amalgamated Copper caused by the fall in the metal was an adverse influence. Then, too, there developed a remarkably strong tone in foreign exchange, which narrowed the gamated Copper caused by the fall in the metal was an adverse influence. Then, too, there developed a remarkably strong tone in foreign exchange, which narrowed the gap between the export materially. Discounts on money hardened in London and the advance in British consols was checked. This had a somewhat chiling effect on the expectation that a decline in the Bank of England discount rate this week would mark the easing tone of money all over the world. Money rates here continued to decline and there were depressing rates for periods extending over six months. The increasing supply of money does not show any inclination to take up securities. The tone of the bond market is relatively better that that for stocks, but the actual business in that department is still profoundly dull. The approach of the May 1 period, with the skies in the labor world comparatively serene, is accepted as a favorable factor, but is not a positive factor in the market. There is a feeling in stock market circles that the quiet in the labor world has been secured at the expense of concessions, which are constantly raising the operating cost and making inroads on net earnings. The increase in gross earnings for March of Atchison was wiped out and a decrease in net of \$249.817 establisned by the large growth in operating expens. a decrease in net of \$249.817 establisne; by the large growth in operating expenses. The weekly expenses of railroad traffic showed a considerable falling off in the movement, especially in the grain movement eastward.

Bank Clearings. NEW YORK, April 27.—Exchanges, \$124,-276,731; balances, \$5,512,622.
BOSTON, April 27.—Exchanges, \$17,606.-636; balances, \$13,625,526.
PHILADELPHIA, April 27.—Clearings, \$14,671,400; balances, \$2,582,257; money, 52,554. CHICAGO, April 27.—Clearings, \$31,863,245;

balances, \$2,726,258. New York exchange, balances, \$4,725,238. New York exchange, 6 per cent premium; foreign exchange, sterling, posted at \$4.85 for sixty days and at \$4.85 for demand.

CINCINNATI, April 27.—Clearings, \$4.551,250.

Money, 5096 per cent. New York exchange, par.

ST. LOUIS, April 27.—Clearings, \$8.511,252; balances, \$1,248,521; money, 5096 per cent:

New York exchange, 30c premium.

BALTIMORE, April 27.—Clearings, \$2,951,550; balances, \$436,633. Money, 6 per cent.

Boston Stock Quotations. BOSTON, April 27.—Call leans, 44.65 per cent; time leans, 566 per cent. Official closing prices on stocks and bonds: 78% Amalgamated 78% Bingham 81% Cal. & Hecia. 99% Centennial Atchison
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New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, April 27.—The following are the quotations on the New York Stock 20 Little Chief ...

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LONDON, April 27.—Money was scarce in the market today and there was a fair demand. Discounts were firm on the Stock exchange, business opened mooerately cheerful, operators being occupied with the mining contangos. Consous reacted on dearer money. Prior to the settlement Americans were heavy and there were a few selling orders, which resulted in a general decline to below parity. Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe and Eric were the weakest stocks. Prices recovered somewhat during the last hour and closed steady. Argentines were firm. Rio Tintos were lower in sympathy with copper, which was weak, closing at 65%. Kaffirs started dull but hardened.

The amount of buillon taken into the Bank of England on balance today was £22,000.

PARIS, April 27.—Prices were weak on the bourse through the greater part of the day, but there was a siight improvement toward the close. Rentes dropped on account of heavy offers and Spanish 4s went off owing to the results of the general election in Spain. Thomson-Houston and other tractions were weaker. Rio tintos went further downward, closing 6f on the fall in the price of copper. The private rate of discount was 2%.

BERLIN, April 27.—Owing to the first payment being made today on the new imperial loan the subscription business was generally inactive on the bourse. Canadian Pacific was lower, following the quotations in New York. Private London telegrams say the Bank of England's rate of discount is likely to be reduced Thursday. Money on call was quoted at 3½.

The rate of discount for short bills is 2½ per cent. PARIS, April 27.—Prices were weak on

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, April 27.—COTTON—Firm; sales, 3,450 bales. Ordinary, 8½c; good ordinary, 8½c; low middling, 97-16c; middling, 198-16c; good middling, 19%c; middling fair, 113-16c. Receipts, 3,382 bales; stock, 188,365 bales. Futures, steady; May, 12,97@12,08c; July, 10,33@10,34c; August, 9,86@9,87c; September, 9c; October, 8,60@8,51c; November, 8,47@8,48c; December, 8,7@8,49c.

ST. LOUIS, April 27.—COTTON—%c higher, Middling, 10%c; sales, 107 bales; receipts, 733 bales; shipments, 873 bales; stock, 18,177 bales.

LIVERPOOL, April 27.—COTTON—Spot, moderate business done, prices 2 points higher; American middling, fair, 5,34d; good middling, 5,34d; good ordinary, 5,14d; ordinary, 5,02d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 7,500 American. Receipts 2,300 bales, all American Futures opened steady and closed firm; American middling, 50. c.; April, 5,34d; April-May, 5,31d; MayJune, 5,21@5,32d; June-July, 5,31@5,32d; July-August, 5,31d; August-September-October, 4,87d; October-November-December, 4,550; November-December, 4,550; Cotton Market.

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4.61@4.62d.

movement, especially in the grain movement eastward.

A general move has developed among the trust companies to withdraw from the clearing house privileges rather than comply with that institution's reserve requirement, has induced an unsatted feeling and a good deal of puzzled conjectures as to the effect on the money situation, and there is a disposition to await the final adjustment of the controversy.

The bond market was extremely dull and irregular. Total sales, par value, \$1,605,000.

United States 4s advanced ½ per cent on the last call.

The following are the quotations on the New York Stock exchange:

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Wool Market.

Liondon, April 77.—WOOL—For the season of auction sales closed today with the following lists: New South Wales, \$1,605 south Australia. 6,657: West Australia. 1984; Queensland, 2,542; Victoria, 46,691; South Australia. 9,545; New Zealand, 108,620, and Cape of Good Hope and Natal and 45,500 bales Australia. 1984; The total available for the series is 208,000, including 17,000 old stock.

ST. LOUIS, April 27.—WOOL—Steady Medium grades and combing, 15618c; lighting, 14611, Trass & Pacific 1975 de pid 1975 de

Visible Supply of Grain. NEW YORK, April 27.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, April 25, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as fol-

lows; Wheat, 3,556,000 bu; decrease 1,125,000 bu. Corn, 7,734,000 bu; decrease, 610,000 bu. Oats, 6,505,000 bu; increase, 16,000 bu. Rye, 1,137,000 bu; increase, 173,000 bu. Barley, 1,355,000 bu; decrease, 263,000 bu.

Minneapolis Wheat, Flour and Bran. MINNEAPOLIS, April 27. — WHEAT — Cash, 76%c; May, 74%675c; July, 74%674%c; on track, No. 1 hard, 77%c; No. 1 northern, 76%c; first patents, \$4.05@4.05; second patents, \$2.35@4.05; first clears, \$2.35@2.05; second clears, \$2.45.

BRAN—In bulk, \$11.00.

Elgin Butter Market, t ELGIN, III., April 2.—BUTTER—Dropped in price to 22%c per lb. on the Board of Trade today. Sales of the week for the district were 549,600 lbs.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, April 27.—CATTLE—Recelpts, 7,000 natives, 1,000 Texans; calves, 220 natives. Beeves active, steady to 10c lower; Texans steady to easy; cows steady to 10c lower; stockers and feeders steady to weak. Choice export and dressed beef steers, 47.565.40; fair to good, 44.1524.75; stockers and feeders, 33.564.90; western fed steers, 33.0063.10; Texans and Indian steers, 33.0064.90; Texans cows, 32.2667.75; native cows, 32.2564.45; native heifers, 33.304.45; canners, 31.5062.45; hulls, \$2.5064.00; calves, \$2.7567.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,300 head. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.05; bulk of sales, \$6.907.0; heavy, \$6.9067.0; huxed packers, \$6.7567.0; heavy, \$6.9067.0; huxed packers, \$6.8569.6.774; pigs, \$4.0066.624.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 6.60) head. Market generally lower. Native learner, \$4.0067.0; heave, \$4.0067. Kansas City Live Stock Market. head. Market generally lower. Native lambs, \$4.2567.19; western lambs, \$4.0967.00; fed ewes, \$4.0967.00; native wethers, \$4.1566.00; Texas clipped sheep, \$4.1066.19; stocke s and feeders, \$3.7564.20.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, April 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500 head, including 2,000 Texans. Market steady to strong. Native shipping and export steers, 14.4006.30, with strictly lancy quoted up to 35.75; dressed beef and butcher steers, 14.006.25; steers under 1,(0) lbs., 25.5005.00; stockers and freeders, 13.0004.75; cows and heifers, 12.2505.00; canners, 12.2505.00; bulls, 22.5005.00; canners, 12.2505.00; bulls, 22.5005.00; canners, 12.2505.00; texas and Indian steers, 12.5004.80; cows and heifers, 12.4003.45.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000 head. Market 1003.15c lower. Pigs and lights, 16.7505.85; packers 25.5006.00; butchers, 16.9007.05.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 3,500 head Market steady. Native muttous, 14.5006.00; lambs, \$1.0006.75; culls and buck, \$2.5004.00; stockers, \$2.0004.00; Texans, \$2.7505.00. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,680 head. Light and medium higher; heaviest lower. Natives, 44 35 pc. 30; cows and heifers, 22.35 pc. 10; stockers and feeders, 23.75 pc. 15.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,010 head; 10 pc. 15 to wer. Pigs steady; light and mixed, 26.35 pc. 16.14; medium and heavy, 26.35 pc. 17.12 pc. 16.15 p SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 5.075 head. Active, steady to strong; top Colorado lambs, \$6.85; bulk of sales, \$6.75@

Stock in sight. Following were the receipts of live stock at the six principal western cities yester-day: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, 3,412 5,629 2,681 28,200 57,000 16,000 2,500 5,600 3,500 1,640 3,010 5,076 5,000 3,500 ....

OMANA LIVE STOCK MARKET

All Kinds of Cattle in Active Demand at Steady to Strong Prices.

HOGS BROKE TEN TO FIFTEEN CENTS

Only a Few Cars of Sheep and Lambs Arrived and Packers Took Hold in Good Shape, Everything Selling Early at Steady Prices.

SOUTH OMAHA, April 27. 127,001 800,012 444,380 804,601 140,284 South

\* Indicates Sunday. The official number of cars of stock brought in by each road was: Cattle, Hogs. Sh'p. H'ses Roads, Cattle Wabash 1
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B. & M. Ry. 35
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Total receipts ...... 149 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the num-ber of head indicated:

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Swift, from country.
Armour, from Sloux City.
Carey & Benton
Lobman & Co.
W. I. Stephen.
Hill & Huntzinger.
Livingstone & Shaller.
L. F. Husz.
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E. F. Hobblek.
Dennis & Co.
Hothschilds
Werthelmer
Hamilton
Other buyers. 1,613 123 \*\*\*\*\*

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HOGS—There was a fair run of hogs here this morning, but quite a rew of them were consigned direct to local packers, so that the actual number on sale was not very large. Chicago, though had an unasually large run, and prices there broke logists. Owing to the decline there local packers thought they ought to get their supplies correspondingly low. They started in bidding logists lower, and that was the way the bulk of the offerings changed hands. There was not much change in the market from start to finish, but as trading was slow it was late before all the hogs were disposed of. The bulk of the medium weight hogs soid from \$6.90 to \$6.95 prime heavies from \$6.96 to \$7.00, and the light weights sold from \$6.90 down.

Today's decline takes the market to the lowest point reached since the last day of February. Representative sales:

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Cows were also in active demand at tated to strong prices. The supply was for very large, as the big end of the recipits was made up of steers, so that an early clearance was made. The handy weight helfers, were in the best demand, and in some cases sold a little higher.

There was not enough change in the prices paid for buils, veal calves and stags to be worthy of mention.

The better grades of stockers and feeders were again in active demand at fancy prices. The best grades sold around \$5.00, which was almost as much as was paid for fat stuff. Feeder buyers also bought short fed corn cattle where the quality was good. The commoner grades of feeders were not as active as the good stuff, but still all kinds sold to fully as good avantage as they did last week. Representative sales:

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While Sheep Are Higher.

CHICAGO, April 27.—CATTLE—Receipts, 26,200, including 500 Texans. Active, steady to strong. Good to prime steers, 25.00\( \psi\$

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Stoux City Live Stock Market. BIOUX CITY LAVE STOCK MAPKET.

BIOUX CITY April 27.—(Special Telegram.) — CATTLE — Receipts, 5,200 head; best stockers, 10c higher and killers steady; beeves, 44,0066.10; cows, bulls and mixed, \$2,0064.25; stockers and feeders, \$3,5064.90; calves and yearlings, \$3,0064.25; hOGS—Receipts, 2,200 head; 10695c lower, selling at \$4,7087.06; bulk, \$6,8066.36.

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Transatiantic 3:.....

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WEDNESDAY-At 3:30 a. m. for IRE-LAND, per s. s. Celtic, via Queenstown (mail for other parts of Europe must be directed "per s. s. Celtic,"); at 6:30 a. m. for IRE-LAND, per s. s. Celtic, via Queenstown (mail for other parts of Europe must be directed "per s. s. Centle,"); at 6:30 a. m. for EUROPE, per s. s. Ryndam (mail must be directed "per s. s. Ryndam").

THURSDAY-At 7 a. m. for FRANCE, SWITZERLAND, ITALY, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, TURKEY, EGYPT, GREECE, PRITISH INDIA and LORENZO MAR-QUEZ, per s. s. La Gascogne via Havre (mail for other parts of Europe must be directed "per s. s. La Gascogne").

FRIDAY-At 6:30 p. m. for AZORES ISLANDS, per s. s. Cambroman, from Boston. SATURDAY-At 6 a. m. for EUROPE, per s. Campania, via Queenstown; at a a. m. for EUROPE, per s. s. Campania, via Queenstown; at a a. m. for BELGIUM direct, per s. s. Vaderland (mail must be directed "per s. s. Vaderland"); at 8 a. m. for lTALY direct, per s. s. Weimar (mail must be directed "per s. s. Weimar"); at 8:30 a. m. for SCOTLAND direct, per s. s. Coumbia (mail must be directed "per s. s. Coulumbia").

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for ARGENTINE, URUGUAY and PARAGUAY, per s. s. Sallor Prince; at 6:30
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CORNELIUS VAN COTT.

Postmaster.

Postoffice, New York, N. Y., April 24,

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