COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

CHICAGO, May 18.—Builish crop reports gave strength to the wheat market today and closing prices were near the top figures of the day, July being up %@%c. July corn was off %@%c, but oats was %%%c higher, with September provisions from 2%c to 5c

with September provisions from Eqc to 5c lower.

Favorable weather caused an easier tone in wheat at the start, July being unchanged to 14c lower at 724,67124c, and the early transactions were at some decline, July selling off to 725,67124c. Reports of damage to the crop in the southwest were again in evidence, and with outside markets higher and good ouying orders from St. Louis and the northwest the market became strong. Foreign advices were bullish and under these conditions shorts turned active buysers, advancing the price materially, July selling up to 73%c. The selling was scattered and principally by scalpers with profits. July closed with a gain of \$650 to a \$750 to \$150 to \$15

cars, against 17s cars last week and 112 cars a year ago.

Corn ruled dull and easy, the favorable weather being the main factor in the situation. There was rather free selling by receiving houses against country acceptances and the buying was scattered, but mostly by shorts with profits. The strength in wheat was a bull factor late in the day and caused a steady tone at the close, July being %3½c lower at 4½%4½c after selling between 4½c and 45045½c. Local receipts were 25c cars, 23 of contract grade.

Trading in oats was rather light, but the market ruled firm the greater part of the day, the bullish crop being the main stimulating influence. There was a fair demand from brokers, but offerings were light, local traders being disposed to await some definite information regarding the crop prospects. The close was steady at July ½ @½c higher at 35½433½c, after ranging between 15%c and 35½c. Local receipts were 115 cars.

Trading in provisions was dull and prices.

Trading in provisions was dull and prices had a downward tendency after a steady opening. There was some selling by outsiders on the easier corn market and on expectations of increased hog receipts. Wheat was easier, with September pork 2½c lower at \$8.59. September lard was off 5c at \$8.99 and ribs down 5c at \$9.17½.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 20 cars; corn, 180 cars; oats, 95 cars; hogs, 35.-000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows: The leading futures ranged as follows:

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

May	TR14-07-4	7934	781 <u>6</u>	73½62%	7896
July	723-4-07-4	73%	7274 <i>6</i> 074	71	72%
Bept.	703-4-07-4	71	7014 <i>0</i> 74	71	70%
May	45%	451/6	44%	45	4516
July	45@%	45@1/6	44%	44%(12%)	4516
Sept.	44%@%	445/6	41%	44%(12%)	44%
May	3614	35%	2614	36%	3034
July	33(314	33%	3276	3314@14	33
Sept.	3014(314	30%	30%	301/2@%	30%/354
May	18 90	18 90	18 90	18 90	18 90
July	17 20	17 20	17 17%	17 17%	17 1746
Sept.	16 65	16 67%	16 60	16 63%	16 65
May July Sept.	8 95 8 9736	9 0234 9 05	8 90 8 96	8 85 8 921/4 8 95	8 85 8 96 9 00
May	9 321/2	9 321/4	9 25	9 25	9 30
July	9 40	9 421/2	9 35	9 35	9 40
Sept.	9 221/2	9 25	9 17%	9 1714	9 2214

weeks late.

Corn is being moved from the country points where they have a reserve, to the points in Iowa and Missouri, where last year's crop was not large enough to meet requirements, and this demand is rapidly cleaning up what supplies there are in the small elveators and inquiries are beginning to reach Kansas City from as far north as northern lows for corn in small lots to meet immediate needs of feeders.

These conditions certainly indicate higher prices. We feel friendly toward July corn and would like to see the trade wake up to the fact that it is cheap before it is too late for them to be benefited by the advance, which seems almost a certainty in view of the conditions as they appear to us. Well posted grain handlers of our acquaintance are so sanguine that judgment they are putting out no heiges against their cash purchases.

There is a short interest in July corn, not of a fighting nature, but one that will run to cover as soon as there is any determine toutside interest manifested on the buil side.

OATS—The oats situation has been a

odf's—The cats situation has been a very quiet one, and aside from the advance in the May, which is quite in line with the predictions we have been making for some time past, there is little to report.

Dry weather throughout those counties in Illinois which supply the heaviest amount of cats is becoming a much-talked-of factor, and even if the damage is not great this will delay the crop to a considerable extent.

make up what they lose from crop damage.
PROVISSONS—After a liberal movement
of hogs, with considerable drop in prices,
the hog situation is steadler and prices. Wheat Gets Strength from Bullish Crop
Reports.

PRICES CLOSE NEAR THE HIGHEST

Outs is Up with Wheat, but Corn and
Provisions Are a Trifle Lower
in Price, with Some
Seiling.

CHICAGO, May 16.—Bullish crop reports

PROVISIONS—After a liberal movement of hogs, with considerable drop in prices, the hog situation is steadler and prices the hog situation is steadler and prices railying.

Provisions followed the decline in hogs, but improved as hog prices advanced.

The provision situation is steadler and prices for a few days will hinge on the hog movement. If receipts let up, provisions undoubtedly will improve.

On the other hand, an increased movement will put provisions lower.

The cash demand, except for cured hams, is very silm. Europe in a general way has been bearish, but the feeling in England is that provisions over there have pretty learly touched the bottom.

Packing last week, 425,000, against 255,000.

Estimates of stocks in store: Pork, 18,000 bbls.; lard, 17,000 therees; ribs, 10,000,000 lbs., a slight decrease from last week.

WEARE GRAIN COMPANY.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET. Condition of Trade and Quotations of

Staple and Fancy Produce.

OATS—35c.
RYE—No. 2, 45c.
VEGETABLES.
POTATOES—Per bu., 20235c.
NEW POTATOES—Southern, per lb., 4%c;
per bbl., 85.50.
LETTUCE—Per doz. bunches, 25c.
PARSLEY—Per doz. bunches, 25c.
CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, per doz., \$1.25.
GREEN ONIONS—Southern, per doz.
bunches, 45c; home grown, 12%c15c.
RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 15650c.
SPINACH—Home grown, per bu. basket, 40c.

BEANS—Wax, per bu. box, \$4; string, er bu. box, \$3.0033.50. CABBAGE—Holland seed, per lb., 2%c; new California, per lb., Sc. TOMATOES-New Florida, per 6-basket TOMATOES—New FIORIDA, per 8-DARKET CRAFT. 3.50g3.75.
RHUBARB—Per lb., 1c.
ASPARAGUS—Per dozon bunches, 45g50c.
NAVY BEANS—Per bu., \$2.50.
FRUITS.
STRAWBERRIES—Arkansas, per 24-

STRAWBERRIES—Arkansas, per 24quart case, \$2.562.50.
CHERRIES—California, per box, \$1.75.
TROPICAL FRUITS.
FIGS—California, per 19-lb. cartns, 90c;
Turkish, per 18-lb. box, 18c.
ORANGES—California navels, fancy, for 176 and smaller sizes, \$3.75; for 156 and larger sizes, \$2.5; Mediterranean, all sizes, \$3; Jaffa, \$3; fancy blood, per half box, \$2.00. CHERRIES—California, per box, \$1.75.

TIGS—California, per 10-lb. cartns, 90c;
Turkiah, per 13-lb. box, 18c.
ORANGES—California navels, fancy, for 176 and smaller sizes, \$3.75; for 150 and larger sizes, \$3.25; Mediterranean, all sizes, \$3.50; Mediterranean, all si

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MILWAUKEE, May 16.—WHEAT.—14c higher: No. 1 northern. 8744683c; No. 2 northern. 81883c; July. 8344834c.
RYE.—No. 1, 53c.
RARLEY—14c higher; No. 2, 60c; sample. CORN-July, 49%c.

Peoria Market. PEORIA, May 16.-CORN-Steady; No. 3,

track, No. 1 hard, 80%; No. 1 northern, 78%; No. 3 northern, 77%; No. 3 northern, FLOUR-First patents, \$4,1094.20; second patents, \$4,0094.10; first clears, \$2,9593.05; second clears, \$2,3092.45.

BRAN-In bulk, \$12,50912.75.

Philadelphia Produce Market. Philadelphia Produce Market,
PHILADELPHIA, May 16.—BUTTER—
Quiet but steady; extra western creamery,
224c; extra nearby prints, 24c.
EGGS—Dull and unchanged; fresh nearby,
154c at the mark; fresh western and southwestern, 16c at the mark; fresh southern,
15c at the mark.
CHEESE—Firm, fair demand; old full
creams, choice fall, 144,635c; fair to good,
146144c; New York full creams, choice,
124,6124c; fair to good, 114,613c.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS,

Southern Pacific Breaks as Result of

NEW YORK, May 16.—The illness of E. H. Harriman made its influence felt on today's stock market and this was supplemented by the showing made by banks, which was interpreted as poor by the trading element. The weakness of Southern Pacific was directly traceable to the condition of the health of the president of the company. The stock declined an extreme lik. touching a new level for the year. This weakness had some sympathetic effect elsewhere in the market. St. Paul and New York Central also made low record prices for the year. A light demand from the bears to cover shorts made an impression just at the close, which was in consequence steady. The nominal increase in the cash item of the banks was as much as was expected. The fact that today's gold export of \$1,250,000 to South America was withdrawn only yesterday, and so figured for only day in the weekly averages, upon which the bank statements are computed, left the probability that some effect of the transaction would be thrown over into next week's showing. The increase in loans was generally regarded as reflecting the further transfer of obligations from foreign to domestic lenders. During the money stringency of last fall the recall of over-extended foreign credits was an important factor in upsetting the money market. The tendency to cut down these foreign credits now is yiewed with satisfaction in financial circles. But the professional sentiment on the Stock exchange confined itself to the bare showing of the statement, with its consequent inroad upon the reserve. Today's London discount market showed a hardening tendency, resulting from the paying off of the market's heavy obligation to the Bunk of England, and the bank left over \$1,000,000 in gold withdrawn for South America. This increases the likell-hood of further gold exports from New York next week.

United States 2s have declined 4 per cent, as compared with the closing call of last week.

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

Atchison 78% foreign credits of the dap Harriman's Illness.

exchange:
78% Texas & Pacific.
95% Toledo, St. L. &
90% do pfd......
93 Union Pacific American Ex... United States Ex Wells-Fargo Ex... 28 Wells-Fargo Ex.
20 Amal. Copper
21 Amer. Car & F.
63 do pfd.
33½ Amer. Lib. Oil.
172 & do pfd.
350 American S. & R.
24 do pfd.
550 American S. & R.
24 do pfd.
552 Amac. Mining Co.
24% Brooklyn R. T.
68½ Colo. Fuel & Iron.
185 Cont. Tobacco
1017 Gen. Electric
64 Hocking Coal 185 Cont. Tobacco
101% Gen. Electric
4 Hocking Coal
1184 Inter. Paper
22 do ptd.
23 Inter. Power
37 Laclede Gas
100 National Biscuit
115 National Lead
140 No American
120% Pacific Coast
127% Pacific Coast
127% Pacific Mail
128 Paper
129 People's Gas
91 Pressed S. Cat.
110% do ptd. 704 Tenn. Coal & 1 884 Union Bag & 1 284 do pfd..... 1284 U. S. Leather. 67 Wetsern Union 2214 Amer. Locomot 5214 do ptd.....

New York Money Market.

157% K. C. Southern ...

NEW YORK, May 16.—MONEY—On call, nominal; on time, steady; sixty and ninety days, 3%@4 per cent; six months, 4½ per cent.

New York Mining Quotations. NEW YORK, May 16 .- The following are Adams Con Allos 2 Outario Designation of the Communication of

SOUTH OMAHA, May 16.

Cattle Receipts Very Heavy and Prices Lower Than a Week Ago.

HOGS HAVE BEEN GOING DOWN RAPIDLY

Fair Receipts of Sheep and Lambs for Time of Year and Tendency of Prices Downward at All Points, Especially on Common Stuff.

 Receipts were:
 Cattle Fiogs.
 Sheep.

 Official Monday.
 2,487
 5,372
 3,178

 Official Tuesday
 3,556
 6,664
 3,489

 Official Wednesday
 5,890
 10,531
 4,215

 Ometal Thursday
 5,894
 15,692
 4,502

 Official Friday
 2,411
 16,669
 1,232

 Official Saturday
 700
 8,000
 ...
 3,489 4,215 4,502 1,292 Total this week. Week ending May 2...... 19,843 45,376 16,871 Week ending May 2..... 19,843 45,376 16,871 Week ending April 25.... 18,763 59,279 24,411 Week ending April 18... 22,533 45,355 28,335 Same week hast year... 12,969 46,334 11,085 KECELPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE. The ioliowing table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sneep at south Omana for the year to date, and comparisons with last year;

parisons; Date. 1903, 1903, 1901, 1900, 1899, 1898, 1897

Date. | 1803. | 1903. | 1904. | 1800. | 1899. | 1898. | 1897. |

April 15. | 7 16% | 6 35 | 8 01 | 3 72 | 3 61 | 3 51 |

April 16. | 7 07% | 6 31 | 5 35 | 5 45 | 3 72 | 3 61 | 3 87 |

April 17. | 7 13 | 6 96 | 5 92 | 6 56 | 3 72 | 3 61 | 3 87 |

April 18. | 7 14 | 6 99 | 8 32 | 5 49 | 3 68 | 3 80 | 3 91 |

April 19. | 6 6 96 | 5 89 | 5 40 | 2 71 | 3 61 | 3 91 |

April 20. | 7 10 | 6 85 | 6 85 | 3 77 | 3 73 | 3 83 |

April 21. | 7 10% | 6 88 | 8 18 | 3 77 | 3 84 | 3 84 |

April 22. | 7 10 | 6 88 | 5 80 | 6 3 | 7 7 | 3 73 | 3 83 |

April 23. | 7 10 | 6 88 | 5 80 | 6 3 | 3 77 | 3 73 | 3 83 |

April 24. | 7 06% | 6 87 | 5 76 | 5 32 | 3 67 | 3 73 | 3 83 |

April 25. | 7 06% | 6 97 | 5 76 | 5 32 | 3 67 | 3 73 | 3 83 |

April 26. | 7 06% | 6 97 | 5 76 | 5 32 | 3 67 | 3 73 | 3 83 |

April 27. | 6 96 | 5 97 | 5 76 | 5 32 | 3 67 | 3 83 |

April 28. | 6 90 | 6 77 | 5 39 | 3 65 | 3 74 | 3 83 |

April 29. | 6 77% | 7 03 | 6 65 | 8 3 | 3 79 | 3 74 |

April 29. | 6 77% | 7 03 | 6 65 | 8 3 | 3 79 | 3 74 |

April 29. | 6 77 | 7 03 | 6 65 | 8 3 | 3 89 | 3 77 | 3 75 |

April 29. | 6 77 | 7 07 | 5 64 | 5 26 | 2 61 | 3 89 | 3 79 |

April 29. | 6 77 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7 07 | 7

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was:
Cattle, Hogs. Sh'p. H'ses.
C. M & St. P. Rv. 1 76 C., M. & St. P. Ry. 1
Wabash Ry.
Missouri Pacific Ry. 1
Union Pacific system 3
C. & N. W. Ry.
F. E. & M. V. R. R. 19
C., St. P., M. & O. Ry.
H. & M. Ry.
C., B. & Q. Ry.
K. C. & St. J. Ry. 2
C., R. I. & P., east.
C., R. I. & P., west.

Total receipts 26 143 1 3 The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows each buyer purchasing the num-

Cattle, Hogs, Sh'p. Omaha Packing Co..... Omaha Packing Co.
Swift and Company. 55
Armour & Co.
Cudahy Packing Co.
Cudahy Ransas City.
Swift from country. 59
Armour, Sloux City. 24
Other buyers. 8 1,237 1,972 1,331 2,787 1,889 9,216 . 137 247

receipts were very heavy and on Wednesday and Thursday buyers took off just about 25c on all kinds. The situation improved a little on Friday and as compared with the close of last week prices are just about 10015c lower. Handy weight cattle of good flesh and quality sold to the best advantage all the week, while the tendency was to neglect the heavy cattle. The commoner class of cattle sell largely from \$4.00(4.50), fair to good from \$4.50 to \$4.75, and good to choice from \$4.50 to \$5.10.

The cow market followed very much the same course as the steer market, except that the decline was hardly as severe. The more desirable grades of cows are not over more desirable grades of cows are not over a dime lower than the close of last week, although medium kinds may have suffered a little worse than that. Texas steers are

a dime lower than the close of last week, although medium kinds may have suffered a little worse than that. Texas steers are beginning to arrive on the southern markets and packers claim that they are cheaper than the medium grades of cows that they have been buying on this market. Cows showing the effects of grass are expected at any time. Canners are selling largely from \$2.00 to \$4.00, fair to good cows from \$3.00 to \$4.00 and choice from \$4.00 to \$4.50.

Bulls commanded just about steady prices all the week. The bulk sold from \$3.00 to \$4.00 and strictly choice largely from \$4.00 to \$4.51.

It takes something fancy in veal calves to bring over \$6.00.

The supply of stockers and feeders has been very light this week and the tendency of prices upward. The advance is quotable all the way from 90 to 25c. Common light stockers have shown the least improvement, while cattle weighing around 700 peunds that would do to run on grass during the summer and put on feed in the fall and also good heavy fleshy feeders weighing around 1,000 pounds for summer feeding have shown the greatest advance. Good to choice grades are selling largely from \$4.00 to \$4.50, with the less desirable grades from \$4.00 down.

HOGS—There was a liberal run of hogs here today for a Saturday and with favorable reports at other points the market opened with prices ranging mostly 25265 higher than yesterday's general market. The bulk of the hogs sold from \$5.56,6.715, with prime loads at \$6.40 and a top at \$6.45. Later in the morning, however, packers became bearish and with about thirty loads on sale were bidding about 5c lower. The close was slow and weak at the decline, most of the hogs selling from \$6.30 to \$6.29\footnote{1}{2} and lighter loads even lower.

The receipts for the week have been very heavy, the tetal receipts amounting to \$3.00 head and showing a gain of \$1,000 over last week and 17.000 over the same week of last year. The market opened lower on Monday and dropped every day so that the

last week and 17,000 over the same week of last year. The market opened lower on Monday and dropped every day so that the average today shows a decline of from 1868 20c from last Saturday. Representative soles:

not shown the decline quoted at most points. Packers seem to want desirable grades, but are apparently not at all anxious for common stuff.

There has been some little inquiry for feeders this week, but prices have shown no particular change. The quality of the offerings has been very inferior.

Quotations for clipped stock; Choice western lambs, \$5.0095.00; fair to good lambs, \$5.0095.00; choice western wooled lambs, \$5.0095.00; choice lightweight year-lings, \$5.0095.75; fair to good wooled lambs, \$5.0095.75; fair to good yearlings, \$5.5095.75; choice wethers, \$5.0095.25; fair to good wethers, \$4.5095.55; choice ewes, \$4.5095.00; fair to good ewes, \$4.0095.50; fair to good ewes, \$4.0095.50; fair to good ewes, \$4.0095.50; feeder lambs, \$3.5095.50; feeder yearlings, \$3.5095.00; feeder wethers, \$5.0095.00; feeder wethers, \$5.0095.00; feeder wethers, \$5.0095.00; feeder ewes, \$2.2593.50. Representative sales:

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Hogs Stendy to Ten Cents Lower-Sheep and Lambs Steady,
CHICAGO, May 16.—CATTLE—Receipts,
900 head; prime to good steers, \$5.50%.70;
poor to medium, \$4.00%5.00; stockers and
feeders, \$3.00%5.00; cows and helfers, \$1.60%
4.75; canners, \$1.60%2.75; bulls, \$2.50%4.25;
calves, \$2.50%6.00; Texas-fed steers, \$4.00%
5.00.
HOGS—Receipts, 11,000; estimated for
Monday, \$6.900; left over, 12,000; market
steady to 10c lower; mixed and butchers,
\$8.30%6.00; good to choice, heavy, \$6.00%6.90;
rough, heavy, \$8.30%5.50; light, \$5.10%6.35;
bulk of sales, \$4.00%5.60.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1.000
head; sheep and lambs steady; good to
choice wethers, \$4.30%5.50; fair to choice
mixed, \$3.75%4.75; western sheep, \$4.75%5.50;
native lambs, \$4.50%7.15.
Official yesterday: Sheep and Lambs Steady.

native lambs, \$4.50@; Official yesterday: Receipts. Shipments, 1,890 3,108 15,404 2,444 Cattle 1,890 Hogs 15,404 Sheep 2,829

Kansas City Live Stock Market. KANSAS CITY, May 16—CATTLE—Receipts, 300 head; market unchanged; choice export and dressed beef steers, \$4.4545.20; fair to good, \$4.00(5.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.3094.75; western-fed steers, \$3.5095 5.06; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.5094.55; Texas cows, \$1.7563.75; native cows, \$2.1564.40; native heifers, \$3.0094.75; canners, \$1.1562.50; bulls, \$3.2524.00; calves, \$2.5096.50. Receipts for the week: Cattle, 28,400; calves, 650.

6.90. Receipts for the week: Cattle, 26,400; calves, 650.

HOGS — Receipts, 5.000 head; market steady; top, 36.50; bulk of sales, 36.27426 6.474; heavy, \$6.37426.50; mixed packers, 36.3046.40; light, 36.0526.30; yorkers, \$6.3076.35; pigs, \$4.7546.05. Receipts for the week, 64.800.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts none; market steady; lambs, \$4.5067.60; western lambs, \$4.0065.50; fed owes, \$3.7565.30; native wethers, \$4.005.75; Texas-clipped sheep, \$3.5065.90; stockers and feeders, \$3.0064.25. Receipts for the week, 34,700.

New York Live Stock Market. NEW YORK, May 16.—BEEVES—Receipts, 25 head; no sales reported; dressed beef, steady; city dressed beef, native sides, 12@12%c; refrigerator beef, 9@9%c; exports today, 1,207 beeves and 3,300 quarters of beef.
HOGS—Receipts, 1,544 head, all consigned direct

SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 3,502 head; sheep, generally slow; medium to good grades, about steady; common rated, easier; lambs, '1674c lower; spring lambs, quiet, steady; sheep, \$3.5095.50; a few export at \$5.75; lambs, \$7.7596.75; southern spring lambs, '7676c; dressed mutton, \$601c; dressed lambs, 114714c; dressed spring lambs, 124716c.

St. Louis Live Stock Market. St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head, including 150 Texans; market steady; native shipping and export steers, 34.3565.69; dressed beef and butcher steers, 34.0035.25; steers under 1,000 lbs., \$4.0036.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.503(4.50; cows and heifers, \$2.5034.00; canners, \$2.233(3.00; bulls, \$2.5034.00; calves, \$3.0036.25; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.8534.45; cows and heifers, to mark 40. Indian steers, \$3.8509.45; cows and \$2.3563.40. HOGS — Receipts, 2.000 head: market strong; pigs and lights, \$6.2005.30; packers, \$5.2006.50; butchers, \$6.4006.70. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 600 head; market steady; native muttons, \$4.2005.25; lambs, \$6.2567.75; culls and bucks, \$3.000 4.50; stockers, \$2.0003.00; Texans, \$4.1004.75.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market, ST. JOSEPH, May 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, \$55 head; steady.
HOGS—Receipts, \$.944 head; steady to 5c lower; lights, \$6.30@6.40; medium and heavy, \$6.374@6.55; bulk, \$6.35@6.50; pigs, \$5.50@6.25.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 272 head; steady

Sioux City Live Stock Market. SIOUX CITY, Ia., May 16.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 200; steady; beeves, \$4.00@4.95; cows, bulls and mixed, \$2.50@4.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.69; calves and yearlings, \$1.00@4.50.

#6.20@6.45; bulk, \$6.25@6.35 Following were the receipts of live stock at the six principal western cities yester-
 Omaha
 700

 Chicago
 900

 Kansas City
 300

 St. Louis
 209

 St. Joseph
 855

 Sloux City
 200

St. Louis Grain and Provisions, ST. LOUIS, May 16.—WHEAT—Higher; No. 2 red cash, elevator, nominal; track, 5275%c; May, 74%c; July, 70%c; No. 2 hard, Thereo, alsy, reac; July, roac; No. 2 hard, Thereo. CORN—Firm: No. 2 cash, 44c, nominal; track, 464646%c; May, 44c; July, 42c; September, 41%c.

OATS—Quiet: No. 2 cash, 34c, nominal; track, 34%c; July, 32%c; September, 23%c; No. 2 white, 38c.

RYE—Higher at 49c

FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, 33,403,355; extra fancy and straight, \$3,103, 246.

SEED—Timothy, steady, \$2.00@2.40. CORNMEAL—Steady, \$2.40. BRAN—Strong; sacked, east track, 73@

75c. HAY—Firm; timothy, \$10.00@15.00; prairie,

HAY—Firm; timothy, \$10.00gis.00; prairie, \$1.00gis.00; prairie, \$1.00gis.00; prairie, \$1.00gis.00; prairie, \$1.00gis.00; prairie, \$1.00gis.00; provided by the standard mess, \$17.67½, Lard, steady, \$8.60; Dry salt meats (boxed), steady; extrashorts, \$9.25; clear ribs, \$1.00; short clears, \$10.37½; clear ribs, \$10.00½; short clears, \$10.37½; clear ribs, \$10.00½; short clears, \$10.37½; clear ribs, \$10.00½; short clears, \$10.00gis.00; prairie, \$10.00gis.00; p \$10.75. METALS—Lead, dull at \$4.17½ Spelter, firm at \$5.4095.50. POULTRY — Steady: chickens, 10½c; springs, 15020c; turkeys, 10c for hens; ducks, 11c; geese, 3675c. BUTTER—Easy; creamery, 15022c; dairy, 130212c.

Bank Clearings. OMAHA, May 16.—Bank clearings for the week and the corresponding week of last year are;

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK. May is COFFEE-Fu-tures opened quiet and unchanged, in keep-ing with the fatureless character of cable news, ruled inactive in the absence of local operations on either side and closed dull, net unchanged, with sales of 1,500 bags, in-cluding September, 4.15c, and December, 4.35c. Spot quiet; No. 7, invoice, 75c; Cor-dova, 74,612c.

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Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, May 16.—COTTON—Much less excitement and activity was displayed this morning. First prices were at an advance of 3 points to a decline of 3 points, the gain being due to covering. Port receipts were estimated to exceed last year's and there were many reports of curtailed consumption. The closing Liverpool cables reported a subsiding demand for spots and a decline of 2 points in spot prices. These factors naturally encouraged the early seiling, and in spite of a brief rally on New Orleans buying. If o'clock found the market 3@19 points lower, with August leading the weakness. In the last hour, however, buying orders predominated and the market at the close was net 4 points higher on May, while other options were \$@19 points lower. at the close was net 4 points higher on May, while other options were 3@10 points lower. May closed at 11.15c, July, at 10.71c and August at 10.45c, the latter being a loss of 10 points from last night's final. Sales were estimated at 150,000 bales. Spot closed quiet and 10 points lower; middling uplands, 10.46c; middling gulf, 10.65c; sales, 288 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, May 16.—COTTON—Futures quiet and steady; May, 11.50c, nom-

POULTRY — Steady: chickens, 10½c; springs 156/20c; turkeys, 10c for hens; ducks, 11c; gene, 36/5c.

BUTTER—Easy: creamery, 166/20c; dairy, 13971c.

EGGS—Steady at 12½/614c for fresh nearby.

Receipts Shipments, 11.75(11.18c). September, 2.5490.65c; October, 8.293.83c; November, 8.673.83c; December, 1.73(11.18c). September, 2.5490.65c; October, 8.293.83c; November, 8.673.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; November, 8.673.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; November, 8.673.83c; December, 2.5493.83c; December, 2.5493.83c

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