BIG DAY AT SPRAGUE PARK

Omaha Driving Club's Opening Matinee is Splendid Success.

CROWDS ARE LARGE AND RACING IS GOOD

Many Fast Animals on the Track, Which is in Fine Shape and Managers Give Satisfaction.

Many a long day has passed since the better class of the horse racing element of this city, as exemplified in the Omaha Driving club, has been as satisfactorily and as entirely entertained with its favorite sport as was the case yesterday afternoon at the Sprague street track, on the occasion of the first matinee of the club under its present regime.

There were five races on the card, between local flyers driven by their owners and there was not a dull moment at any stage of the game. Neither was any of the rowdy element present that is so often characteristic of race track meets. The attendance was larger than the most sanguine promoters of the club had dared hope, considering the counter attractions of the day, and numbered in the vicinity of 2,000 people, a large proportion of whom were women, the friends and wives of the club members and their gay gowns and smiling faces added much to the picturesqueness of the scene.

One of the numerous innovations was the starting of the races promptly on time and in keeping with this was every other detail of the meet with the result that it went without a hitch or an unpleasant occurrence from start to finish. Taking it altogether, the club has established a precedent that it will be hard to live up to, but that if it is sustained will put it not only in an ideal light with the public but must in the natural order of things prosper it financially.

W. F. Sapp Starter.

The starter selected for the occasion was W. F. Sapp of Council Bluffs and to the fact that he knew his business all the way along is attributable much of the success of the races and the absence of the tedious delays that are so often characteristic of them. The judges were C. C. Kendall and G. G. Irey of this city and Fred Johnson of the Bluffs; timers, W. H. Dudley, Fred Paffenbargar and O. C. Redick.

The starters in the first were three well-known pacers, Black Hawk, a black gelding, owned by R. A. Thompson, F. J. Campbell's brown gelding, Roy F and L. F. Crofoot's Governor Taylor. Roy F drew the pole with Governor Taylor on the outside and after wasting two or three starts came down to the wire in a line. It was an even clip to the first quarter post and then Roy F, under forcing, went into the air while Black Hawk swung inside. Governor Taylor left his feet within the next few rods and came down in third place and so finished, Roy F gathering himself beautifully and giving the Thompson horse a neck and neck race for the wire after they both swung into the stretch. The next two heats were comparatively easy money for Campbell's horse, while Governor Taylor was third in the first and last.

The second race was between Sadie N., a chestnut gelding owned and driven by F. A. Nash; General Nuttingham, brown gelding, R. H. Healan and Myrtle Boy, a black gelding recently purchased by T. C. Byrne. This was the first time that any of the club members had seen Mr. Byrne's new horse driven for speed and much interest attached to his performance. He is a square trotter and a very handsome animal and won the first heat handily. But in the next two General Nuttingham trotted the half without a skip and without a fancy strap on his body, doing the second half in 0:32½ and the last in 0:33. Sadie N. showed a splendid burst of speed on the back stretch in the second heat and was slowly but surely closing up the gap between herself and Healan when a harness strap snapped and she went into the air, but finished second in spite of the accident.

General Nuttingham Leads.

The next heat General Nuttingham took the lead at the word and was never headed. The third event of the afternoon was the fastest, as well as the closest, and was worth going miles to see. The field consisted of Henry W. Dunn's The Kid, a brown gelding by Director, which has done a brush half in a little better than 0:07; R. W. Lowrey's Anawill and Toney W., owned by W. A. McKey. The Kid got the outside course with Anawill inside. They came down for the word like a whirlwind and got it the first time. For a quarter hardly a foot was gained by either animal, every one pacing like clockwork. Anawill forged ahead on the back stretch, but The Kid proceeded to close up as soon as the turn was made and came under with her nose out to win. The heat was made in 1:10 flat. In the next heat the program was the same except Toney W. showed a faster clip and until the turn was made either driver could almost have touched the other's horse with his riding whip. The time for the half was 1:08¼ and on a heavy track. The fourth event was a mixed pace and trot, in which three of the five entries were scratched, which, of course, detracted much from the interest. J. W. Carr's chestnut mare, Allie Chantwood, and Robert, O. J. Milligan's brown gelding pacer. Carr's mare took the second and third in easy fashion and slow time, neither horse being hurried.

The fifth and last event showed a pretty horse race between Rocks, owned by C. Lerch; Lady Bell, A. W. Henderson; Sam, Frank Moriarty; Fay S, E. C. Smith. Sam won this event in straight heats, but he had to go some all the time to do it. He showed himself equal to the occasion and went the course without a skip or a wobble in 0:34½. During the afternoon a pretty exhibition mile was trotted between J. Northcott's handsome black stallion, Baron Election, and J. M. Dow's Mabel L. Both these animals have fast marks and appeared to be very evenly matched. Both, too, are machine performers and made the mile the second heat in 2:26¾, Baron finishing first both times.

Following is the score:

First race, pacing:

Black Hawk, bl. g., R. A. Thompson	1	3	2
Roy F, br. g., F. J. Campbell	2	1	1
Lou Taylor, L. F. Crofoot	3	2	3

Time: 1:13, 1:16, 1:13.

Second race, trotting:

Sadie N, F. A. Nash	2	2	2
General Nuttingham, R. H. Healan	2	1	1
Myrle Boy, T. C. Byrne	1	3	2

Time: 1:12¾, 1:12¾, 1:13.

Third race, pacing:

The Kid, H. W. Dunn	1	1	
Anawill, R. A. Lowrey	2	2	
Toney, W. A. McKey	3	3	

Fourth race, mixed pacing and trotting:

Walter D., trotter, W. C. Russell	3	*	*
Allie Chantwood, pacer, J. W. Carr	2	1	1
Robert, pacer, O. J. Milligan	1	2	2

Fifth race, pacing:

Rocks, C. Lerch		4	4
Lady Bell, A. W. Henderson		2	2
Sam, Frank Moriarity		1	1
Fay S, E. C. Smith		3	3

ROWERS ARE BUSY AT HARLEM

Entries Smaller, but Quality is Good in the Annual Harlem Regatta.

NEW YORK, May 30.—The entries for the annual regatta of the Harlem Regatta association today were smaller than usual, but the quality was considered good. Among those entered were Titus and Vesely in the senior singles, the Atlanta and Bohemian in the senior doubles, the latter the champions of 1902, and the New York, Athletic-Columbia university and Staten Island crews in the eights.

The water was in fine condition for speed.

Intermediate single sculls won by C. E. Johnson of the Arlington Boat club, Arlington, Mass. W. S. Dunn, Metropolitan, second. Time: 2:28.

Intermediate four-oared shells, won by Columbia university, New York; Union Boat club, New York, second. Time, 5:02.

Intermediate eight-oared shells, won by Columbia university, New York; Staten Island, New York, second. Time, 4:34.

Intermediate double sculls: Won by R. W. Weed and F. Hoffman, Harlem Rowing club, New York; R. F. Stettig and W. Stettig, Dauntless Rowing club, New York, second. Time: 5:09.

Junior quadruple sculls: Won by Harlem Rowing club, New York. Time: 4:52.

Junior double sculls: Won by the New York Athletic club, C. Smith and P. H. Moore. Time: 5:10½.

Junior four-oared gigs: Won by Columbia university of New York. Time: 5:09.

Senior single sculls: Won by Frank Vesely, Bohemian Boat club, New York. Time: 5:36¼.

Senior four-oared shells: Won by Columbia University Rowing club, New York. Time: 5:08.

Junior eight-oared shells: Won by Union Boat club, New York. Time: 5:09¾.

Naval reserve cutter race: Second Division of New York naval reserves won. Time: 5:27.

Junior single shells: Jerry Sedlocek, First Bohemian Boat club, won. Time: 6:08.

Association single sculls: B. L. Zimm, New York Athletic club, won. Time: 0:5¼.

Senior double sculls: Bohemian Boat club won. No time taken.

Senior eight-oared shells: Won by Columbia university, New York. No time taken.

EVENTS ON THE RUNNING TRACKS

Glorifier Wins the Hudson Stakes at Gravesend Races.

NEW YORK, May 30.—J. V. Bell's Glorifier won the Hudson stakes for 2-year-olds, the feature of the card at Gravesend today. Diamond, an added starter, was second and Veto third. Despite the fact that Glorifier was asked to pick up 126 pounds, the majority of the betting by the 45,000 persons present was on the Bell horse. At the lifting of the barrier Diamond went to the front and led to the stretch with the favorite second. When straightened out for the run home Gannon sent Glorifier to the front and won cleverly by three-quarters of a length. Six favorites and a heavily played second choice won. Results:

First race, handicap, about six furlongs: Reliable won, James V. second, Rosetint third. Time: 1:10¼.

Second race, the Empire state steeplechase handicap, about two and one-half miles: Caller won, Land of Clover second, The Ragged Cavalier third. Time: 4:53.

Third race, handicap, one mile and a furlong: Duke of Kendal won, Andy Williams second, Lord Badge third. Time: 1:53¾.

Fourth race, the Hudson stakes, five furlongs: Glorifier won, Diamond second, Veto third. Time: 0:59¾.

Fifth race, selling, one mile and one-sixteenth: Sheriff Bell won, Charles Ellwood second, Aufwiedersehen third. Time: 1:48.

Sixth race, five furlongs: Agile won, Trapper second, Gilpin third. Time: 1:01¾.

Seventh race, selling, one mile and one-sixteenth: Go Between won, Courtmald second, The Cricket third. Time: 1:48¾.

CINCINNATI, May 30.—Results:

First race, six furlongs: Quiz II won, Van Ness second, Rachel Ward third. Time: 1:16¾.

Second race, one mile: Outcome won, Variora second, White Plume third. Time: 1:45¾.

Third race, five furlongs: Intense won, Maggie Mackey second, Sidixell third. Time: 1:03¾.

Fourth race, Decoration day handicap, one mile and one-sixteenth, value to winner, $1,640: Reservation won, Fonsoluca second, Harfang third. Time: 1:50.

Fifth race, five furlongs: Pendragon won, Panamain second, The Thrall third. Time: 1:04.

Sixth race, one mile and fifty yards: Hanmore won, Rosamond second, Binehello third. Time: 1:47¾.

CHICAGO, May 30.—Results:

First race, five and one-half furlongs: Tokalon won, Forehand second, Lord Wadsworth third. Time: 1:09¾.

Second race, one mile: Censor won, Albany Girl second, North Wind third. Time: 1:45¾.

Third race, six furlongs Flight stakes: Burleigh won, Skilful second, Sylvia Talbot third. Time: 1:16.

Fourth race two miles, Prairie stakes: Potheen won, Rankin second, Lacy Crawford third. Time: 3:44.

Fifth race, one mile: Gloriosa won, Louisville second, Elfin King third. Time: 1:45¾.

Sixth race, five furlongs: Miss Ines won, The Mist second, Tramotor third. Time: 1:03.

ST. LOUIS, May 30.—Results:

First race, five furlongs, selling: Matt Wadleigh won, Yellmantown second, Happy Hooligan third. Time: 1:10.

Second race, six furlongs, selling: Suave won, Sharp Bird second, Lady Idris third. Time: 1:24¼.

Third race, four and one-half furlongs, purse: My Eleanor won, Passive second, Limerick Girl third. Time: 1:01¾.

Fourth race, the Memorial handicap, five and one-half furlongs: Schwalbe won, Morgana second, Master third. Time: 1:15¾.

Fifth race, one mile, purse: Harmakis won, King Ellsworth second, Barkley third. Time: 1:39.

Sixth race, one mile and one-sixteenth, selling: Never Buck won, Nettie Regent second, Bessie McCarthy third. Time: 2:01¾.

Seventh race, seven furlongs, selling: Martius won, Conundrum second, Ralph Young third. Time: 1:29¾.

ROW OVER THE REGATTA COURSE

American Association in Events on the Schuylkill River.

PHILADELPHIA, May 30.—The second annual regatta of the American Rowing association over the Henley course on the Schuylkill river today furnished some good sport. Notwithstanding the choppy water and strong wind good time was made. Several of the races were closely contested. The feature of the day was the eight-oared shell race for the Stewards cup. The Vespers of this city carried off the prize after a good race. The University of Pennsylvania second 'varsity crew and the Union Boat club of Boston rowed a dead heat for second place.

There were only four out-of-town entries in the eleven events and not one of them landed a first place. The course was one and five-sixteenths miles straight away. The stewards of the association have decided to hold next year's regatta here, but have not fixed the date. Results:

First race, Singal cup: Won by Jesse Williamson; second, University Boat club, Philadelphia. Time: 10:09. The first pair owed shells was won by F. B. Coll and J. F. B. Atkins, West Philadelphia Boat club. Time: 9:46.

Eight-oared shell race, for school crews: Won by Central High school, Philadelphia. Time: 7:56.

Second four-oared shells: Won by Bachelor Boat club, Philadelphia. Time: 8:22.

First double sculls (Schuylkill cup): Won by S. W. Morris and John O. Pratt, University Boat club. Time: 8:37.

Second four-oared gigs: Won by Crescent Boat club, Philadelphia. Time: 8:26.

Second eight-oared shells (New England cup): Won by University of Pennsylvania Freshmen. Time: 7:29.

First race, eight-oared shells (Stewards' cup): Won by Vesper Boat club, Philadelphia. Time: 9:05.

Second singles: Won by R. Lockwood, Vesper Boat club. Time: 9:37.

First four-oared shells (Puritan cup): Won by Philadelphia Boat club. Time: 7:34.

First centipede: Won by University Boat club. Time: 7:08.

Field Day Sports at Harvard.

HARVARD, Neb., May 30.—(Special.)—Saturday a large representation of those interested in the high schools from Sutton, Edgar, Fairfield and Harvard took part in the field day sports in this city, and to this number were added a goodly representation from the farming interests of our county who had laid aside the duties of the farm and with their families came and joined in the pleasures of the day. Rain in the morning somewhat delayed the starting, but the program was well carried out in the afternoon and was much enjoyed by all, many of the games showing great skill and fine training by those taking part. Harvard won the ball game from Edgar, the score standing 5 to 2 in favor of Harvard High school team. They also won the bicycle races and several other games.

Kearney Has Field Meet.

KEARNEY, Neb., May 30.—(Special Telegram.)—The Kearney High school and Kearney Military academy held their first interschool field meet Saturday afternoon in this city. The following were the successful contestants: Running high jump, Johnston, academy; standing high jump, Nott, academy; hammer throw, Parrish, high school; shot put, Little, academy; 100-yard dash, Nott, academy; 50-yard dash, Nott, academy; 200-yard dash, Barnes, academy; one mile relay race, Clark, academy; standing broad jump, Price, academy; running broad jump, Nott, academy; base ball throw, Black, high school; low hurdle race, Nott, academy; running hop, step and jump, Nott, academy; pole vault, Carson, high school; Kearney Military academy won with 91 points, while the high school only made 57.

Argo Wins Once More.

The first Holliday race of the Manawa Yacht club was sailed yesterday afternoon at Lake Manawa. A very light wind was blowing. The Argo and the Manawa started in Class A, and the Greebe and the Petrel in special A. The Argo lead to the second buoy when the Greebe crossed the bows and led to the home stake. On the second round the Manawa made a large gain, the Greebe rounding the last buoy in the lead and the Argo and the Manawa fighting for right of way, with the Petrel astern. On the run home the Argo gained the lead and sailing across the finish line in 1:19:35, the Greebe in 1:10:50, the Manawa in 1:24:53 and the Petrel in 1:29:45. This was the first of the races for the Jacquemin and Bowling cups.

Winners at Naval Academy.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 30.—The annual exercises before the Board of Visitors of the Naval academy began today. This afternoon at dress parade the presentation of colors to the company for general efficiency during the past year was made. The second company, of which Midshipman Kenneth Whiting of New York is captain, was the winner of the colors.

COLLECTORS FOR LUTHERANS

Norwegians Vote in Opposition to Scheme Presented at the Synod in Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 30.—The finance committee at today's session of the Norwegian Lutheran synod voted against the employment of a collecting agent, declaring it would be an unnecessary expense. The majority of the delegates opposed the rebuilding of the Lutheran Normal school at Sioux Falls, S. D., until the necessary funds have been subscribed. Rev. J. S. Her of Denver, Colo., urged the Lutherans of the district to help build a sanitarium for the consumptive Lutherans of this country. The home is to be built near the outskirts of Denver.

DEWEY RELATIVE FOUND DEAD

Had Been in Ill Health and Evidence of Foul Play is Absent.

ST. LOUIS, May 30.—The body of C. M. Dewey, a relative of Admiral Dewey, was found in a clump of bushes in a pasture in the northwest part of the city today. Mr. Dewey disappeared from his home last Wednesday, saying he was going for a walk. The body bore no marks of violence and no bottles of poison could be found about person of the dead man. Mr. Dewey had been in ill health.

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Excitement Ceases at Rising Sun.

RISING SUN, Ind., May 30.—This city is remarkably quiet after the long tension of the Gillespie murder trial. The story that the witness found who saw James Gillespie walking from the Barbour house and fire the shot which killed his sister, is declared to be without foundation. The only incident of note today relating to the parties to this noted case is that Mother Gillespie made a pilgrimage to the cemetery and placed flowers on the grave of her murdered daughter.

NEBRASKA NEWS NOTES.

NEBRASKA CITY, May 30.—The fire department today made a record run for the benefit of a moving picture machine, the pictures to be put on exhibition next week.

HUMBOLDT, May 30.—Rev. J. F. Bennett of the local Baptist church yesterday issued the first number of the "Baptist Visitor," a small monthly publication intended to assist him in his pastoral work.

SEWARD, May 30.—Dr. Harry Moore, a prominent druggist of Germantown, has filed a petition for a divorce from his wife, Addie Moore. The petition was filed in the Seward district court last Tuesday.

FALLS CITY, May 30.—At the last meeting the Masons elected the following officers: B. C. Mettz, W. M.; F. C. Wiser, S. W.; George Kachehles, J. W.; E. E. Mettz, treasurer; A. E. Gantt, secretary.

HUMBOLDT, May 30.—Humboldt is undergoing a season of substantial improvement, several new business blocks and residences being in course of construction, while numerous others are being repaired.

FALLS CITY, May 30.—G. J. Crook has taken charge of the postoffice here, succeeding E. O. Lewis. Mr. Crook has reappointed Herbert Hedges deputy and Miss Clara Tanner and Miss Nell Snyder as clerks.

TABLE ROCK, May 30.—The election of officers of Table Rock lodge No. 33, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, resulted as follows: A. E. Lamar, noble grand; G. W. Purcell, vice grand; M. H. Marble, recording secretary; C. H. Norris, treasurer. The lodge is in a flourishing condition.

HUMBOLDT, May 30.—Drizzling rain set in Saturday morning and continued at intervals all of Saturday night and Sunday. It has interferred somewhat with the farmers' work, but a large percentage of them have their corn planting finished, so will not suffer materially.

EDGAR, May 30.—The baccalaureate sermon to the Edgar High school graduating class was preached last evening in the Methodist church by the Rev. L. E. Humphrey. The pastors of the Baptist and Methodist churches were present and assisted in the services.

CHADRON, May 30.—Two brakemen in the employ of the Northwestern railroad running out of Chadron were hurt this week. Fred Vanocken and William Schroeder each had a foot pinched, the former so severely it had to be amputated. Both are at Deadwood hospital at present.

HUMBOLDT, May 30.—The high water which has prevailed much of this time this spring has brought up the Nemaha any amount of large fish from the Missouri and local fishermen are reaping a rich harvest, some specimens weighing fifteen and sixteen pounds, while five and six-pounders are very numerous.

BEATRICE, May 30.—During an altercation tonight at Barneston, a young man was struck on the head with a rock and severely injured. It is reported at this place that his skull was crushed. The authorities are making an investigation and arrests may follow. It is impossible tonight to determine the result of the boy's injuries.

FALLS CITY, May 30.—The many friends of Prof. A. H. Biglow here will be glad to learn of his success in being chosen superintendent of the Lead, S. D., schools. Prof. Bigelow for several years has been at the head of the LeMars, Ia., schools, and has resigned to go to Lead. Mr. Bigelow was formerly superintendent at Falls City. As an educator Mr. Bigelow stands at the head of the list.

DAVID CITY, May 30.—At the regular meeting of Fidelity lodge No. 51, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, held Saturday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Worshipful master, M. Stenson; senior warden, A. E. Etting; junior warden, F. W. Sleeper; treasurer, George L. Krahl; secretary, John Harper; trustees, George L. Krahl, W. F. Quade and G. A. Becker.

HUMBOLDT, May 30.—A fair-sized crowd was at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning to listen to an able memorial sermon from Rev. John Calvert of the local Methodist church. In spite of the prevailing rainy and disagreeable weather, quite a delegation of veterans from the William Mix Grand Army of the Republic post marched to the house of worship and were given seats of honor. Special music was a feature of the service.

FALLS CITY, May 30.—The Woodmen of the World will unveil and dedicate monuments to the memory of Henry Beachel, F. A. Wylie and A. Vavra on Sunday, June 5, at 11 a. m. Rev. Elmer Coll of Hutchinson, Kan., will preach a memorial sermon at the Methodist church. At 1:30 the members will go to the Falls cemetery where the unveiling will take place. The principal address there will be by Rev. C. W. Clark of Omaha.

HUMBOLDT, May 30.—It has been decided to hold the pioneer picnic of Richardson county in the grove near Verdon, as has been customary in years past, and the mass meeting held this week to make definite arrangements selected officers as follows: President, A. D. Gise; secretary, Dr. Taylor; treasurer, C. G. Humphrey. The date has not yet been chosen, as the committee has not learned sufficient with regard to dates of chautauquas, picnics, etc.

SEWARD, May 30.—Wedding invitations have been received here announcing the coming marriage of Miss Blanche Gordon of Logansport, Ind., to Dr. Louis Henry Diers of Seward. The groom is of the Diers Mercantile company of Seward. Relatives conduct stores in eight towns of Nebraska. Miss Gordon spent several summers in Seward with her sister, Mrs. E. Betzer, of the Seward Blade. The wedding will occur at the home of the bride July 9.

FALLS CITY, May 30.—At a called meeting of the school board Friday night the resignation of Miss Flora Fifer, principal of the high school, was accepted and Dr. Tobie was elected to the principalship at $80 per month. Miss Mary Davies was elected as teacher of English literature and John Roberts of Lincoln as teacher of Latin and German. Miss Elizabeth Naylor was elected to the first grade Central building. By the resignation of Miss Fifer the schools have lost a valuable teacher.

TABLE ROCK, May 30.—The Table Rock Woman's Suffrage association held its annual peace meeting Friday afternoon in the Presbyterian church, the following organizations being represented: The missionary societies of the Methodist, Episcopal and Presbyterian churches, The Woman's Relief corps and the Woman's Christian Temperance union. Papers were read, and addresses made by representatives of each of the organizations named. Able addresses were made by Rev. J. D. Murphy of the Presbyterian church and Rev. W. A. Tyler, the Methodist Episcopal pastor at this place.

SOCIETIES STUDY OLOGIES

Tenth Annual Meeting of American Society Held at Chicago to Compare Notes.

CHICAGO, May. 30.—The tenth annual meeting of the American Laryngological, Rhinological and Otological society opened here today. Tomorrow the election of officers and the reading of papers on technical subjects by Drs. A. Logan Turner, Edinburgh, Scotland; Cornelius G. Coakley, New York; Ewing W. Day, Pittsburg; James P. McKernon, New York; G. H. Mackun, Philadelphia, Thomas Hubbard, Toledo, O.; S. E. Solly, Colorado Springs; H. Holbrook, Curtis, N. Y.; Joseph A. White, Richmond, Va.; S. M. Smith, Philadelphia; Redmond W. Payne, San Francisco; W. S. Bryant, New York, and James McCaw, Watertown, N. Y. The visiting delegates were given a banquet at the Auditorium hotel tonight.

CLASS FOUND DISQUALIFIED

Seventeen Midshipmen Will Have to Hand in Their Resignations at Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 30.—The result of the annual physical examination of midshipmen of three classes now at the academy shows that seventeen midshipmen are disqualified to continue in the service and their resignations will be handed in within a few days. The second class man found deficient was J. S. Dowell, jr., of Texas. The third class men include Kenneth C. Boush, at large, and Benjamin F. Tilley, jr., at large. Those of the fourth class include O. W. Howard, Omaha, Neb.; W. G. Coe, Baker City, Ore., and W. O. Wallace, Warrensburg, Mo.

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Same day last week	2,160	6,182	4,738
Same day week before	2,439	5,065	3,365
Same three weeks ago	4,221	5,190	4,979
Same four weeks ago	2,624	6,222	6,513
Same day last year	3,315	7,623	1,870

Average prices paid for hogs at South Omaha for the last several days with comparison:

Date.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.	1900.	1899.	1898.
May 1	*	$ 6 83	$ 6 90	$ 5 64	$ 5 26	$ 3 61	$ 3 90
May 2	$ 4 68	6 78	7 81	5 71	5 19	3 65	3 87
May 3	4 65½	*	7 01	5 72	5 24	3 65	3 87
May 4	5 59½	6 75	*	5 64	5 34	3 58	3 93
May 5	4 63½	6 72	7 03	*	5 23	3 62	3 56
May 6	4 65½	6 66	6 96	5 67	*	3 64	3 93
May 7	4 64½	6 63	6 93	5 69	5 21	*	3 90
May 8	*	6 63	7 00	5 64	5 19	3 69	*
May 9	4 67½	6 62	7 06	5 65	5 12	3 65	3 89
May 10	4 68½	*	7 07	5 61	5 15	3 62	3 95
May 11	4 66	6 54	*	5 65	5 16	3 63	3 97
May 12	4 61½	6 46	6 99	*	5 15	3 66	4 19
May 13	4 62	6 41	7 08	5 63	*	3 65	4 35
May 14	4 66½	6 36	7 13	5 71	5 17	*	4 21
May 15	*	6 33	7 12	5 68	5 21	3 67	*
May 16	4 66½	6 36	7 07	5 59	5 23	3 63	4 25
May 17	4 62½	*	7 18	5 72	5 20	3 60	4 46
May 18	4 52½	6 27	*	5 73	5 11	3 59	4 29
May 19	4 47½	6 31	7 12	*	5 10	3 65	4 28
May 20	4 46	6 27	7 11	5 73	*	3 65	4 23
May 21	4 41¼	6 18	7 03	5 63	5 06	*	3 62
May 22	*	6 18	7 04	5 58	5 08	3 62	*
May 23	4 36½	6 19	7 08	5 61	5 01	3 65	4 33
May 24	4 32½	*	7 05	5 67	5 04	3 62	4 25
May 25	4 33½	6 04	*	5 61	5 04	3 58	4 17
May 26	4 38	5 93	6 90	*	4 99	3 55	4 15
May 27	4 49½	5 97	6 90	5 60	*	3 60	4 30
May 28	4 49½	5 72	7 01	5 63	5 96	*	4 08
May 29	*	5 70	7 09	5 62	4 90	3 60	*
May 30	4 53½	5 80	7 10	5 68	4 85	3 57	4 10

*Indicates Sunday.

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR TO DATE.

The following table shows the receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at South Omaha for the year to date, with comparisons with last year:

	1904.	1903.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	392,201	398,556	....	6,355
Hogs	1,079,904	987,356	92,558	....
Sheep	648,224	517,133	131,091	....

The official number of cars of stock brought in today by each road was:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	H's's.
C., M. & St. P.	2	18	..	..
Union Pacific	7	10	..	..
C. & N. W.	4	4	..	..
F., E. & M. V.	45	29	..	..
C., St. P., M. & O.	18	6	..	2
B. & M. Ry.	19	17	1	..
C., B. & Q.	2	..	..	..
K. & St. J.	..	1	1	..
C., R. I. & P., east.	3	..	..	1
C., R. I. & P., west.	4	..	..	..
Illinois Central	1	2	..	..
Total receipts	105	87	2	3

The disposition of the day's receipts was as follows, each buyer purchasing the number of head indicated:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	407	733	246
Swift and Company	379	1,247	347
Cudahy Packing Co.	618	1,504	50
Armour & Co.	738	1,517	....
Swift & Co., K. C.	....	....	267
Armour & Co., S. C.	....	1,393	....
Vansant & Co.	14	....	....
Lobman & Co.	4	....	....
L. F. Husz	18	....	....
Root	65	....	....
Other buyers	68	....	....
Totals	3,311	6,369	910

CATTLE—There was a light run of cattle at all points this morning, and as the demand was fully as good as it was last week, packers had to hurry in order to get anything like enough cattle to meet their more urgent requirements. Buyers did not get in early hour before 10 o'clock in the morning.

The bulk of the receipts was made up of cornfed steers and the market could safely be quoted fully a dime higher than at the close of last week. In many cases the desirable grades showed an advance of as much as 15c. There were a good many cattle that could be classed as good to choice, but at the same time there was nothing strictly prime on sale, as is shown by the fact that $5.35 was the top of the market. Buyers all had liberal orders to fill and as a result trading was very brisk and an early clearance was made.

The cow market was active and stronger, but prices did not show as much improvement as in the case of steers. The advance would be covered by 5@10c, but the market was active and everything sold in a hurry. Some of the common stuff may have been a little neglected, but that has been the case for some time past.

Bulls and calves sold readily at strong prices.

There were so few stockers and feeders in sight this morning that it is difficult to tell much about the situation. There seemed to be considerable inquiry from the country, however, so that it is safe to quote the market on desirable grades fully steady. The few cattle that arrived sold readily enough at steady prices. Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	1000	$ 4 40	21	1291	$ 5 10
4	1020	4 40	1	1100	5 10
15	966	4 65	23	1263	5 10
2	1050	4 75	41	1117	5 10
20	926	4 85	13	1106	5 10
1	1178	4 85	36	1438	5 10
20	959	4 80	30	1271	5 15
22	1060	4 80	21	1263	5 15
23	1121	4 80	73	1302	5 15
2	1150	4 85	19	1261	5 15
2	1100	4 85	119	1290	5 15
6	1080	4 85	3	1400	5 20
46	1019	4 90	28	1501	5 20
13	1048	4 90	33	1276	5 20
22	1095	4 90	32	1297	5 25
23	1443	4 95	39	1343	5 25
44	1221	4 95	16	1226	5 25
63	1242	4 95	26	1256	5 26
1	1400	5 00	25	1338	5 25
15	1144	5 00	20	1490	5 25
39	1183	5 00	18	1323	5 25
14	1124	5 05	17	1454	5 30
20	1226	5 05	17	1424	5 30
17	1726	5 05	10	1521	5 30
22	1158	5 10	41	1307	5 30
23	1305	5 10	34	1491	5 35
64	1140	5 10	28	1339	5 35

STEERS AND COWS.

2	670	$ 3 50	5	943	$ 4 70
5	868	4 30	14	1148	5 15

STEERS AND HEIFERS.

10	761	$ 4 15	15	1109	$ 5 20
9	1113	4 80	15	1402	5 35
5	1084	4 85			

STEERS, STAGS AND HEIFERS.

40	1446	$ 5 20	1	1600	$ 5 25

STEERS AND STAGS.

2	1395	$ 4 25	54	1333	$ 4 80

COWS.

6	978	$ 2 25	6	1323	$ 4 10
1	890	3 00	2	816	4 10
1	1010	3 00	1	1170	4 10
3	1018	3 25	6	1136	4 15
5	830	3 25	3	1010	4 15
1	1100	3 50	4	1230	4 15
1	871	3 75	2	1065	4 15
1	1010	3 80	20	1061	4 20
1	840	4 00	5	1302	4 25
19	1023	4 00	5	970	4 30
1	1050	4 00	5	1130	4 30
2	850	4 00	1	1440	4 40
2	1300	4 00	1