GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

About Two Hundred Thousand Bushels of Corn Delivered on May.

OVER TWO HUNDRED CARS IN TWO DAYS

Closing of Delivery Hindered by Litigation, Still Seventy Thousand Bushels Get in on Last Day.

Local Cash Grain Market.

OMAHA, May 30, 1904.

The closing of the May delivery is about reached, and although hindered by litigation, 70,000 bushels have been delivered to the exchange this morning. During the first week of May 125,000 bushels were delivered and practically none has been delivered since then until the last week. A. B. Jaquith is practically the only holder of the corn being delivered. There is a very small and scattering interest outside of his line.

The weather of the last three days has been a trifle cool for corn, but excellent for wheat and oats. The entire southwest has received a good wetting since Saturday and the northwest is now receiving the rain.

The Illinois state report is reported to be bearish on wheat, corn and oats. Word is received from Minneapolis that some of the mills have started up today and that the rest will resume tomorrow morning. Liverpool closed ⅝d to ¾d lower on account of the pressure of Indian wheat. The total visible supply is now 21,575,000, against 24,528,000 bushels last year. The primary receipts were 686,000 as against 790,000 bushels for last year.

The range in prices of Omaha grain for future delivery and the close yesterday and Saturday were as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.	
Wheat—						
May	.....	....	....	92 B	92	B
July	82	82	81⅛	82½A	82	B
Sept.	72	72½	72	72½B	73	A
Corn—						
May	50	57	47 A	57	49	B
June	....	....	....	46 A	46	A
July	44⅛	45½	44½	45½	44¼A	
Sept.	42⅝	43¾	42⅝	43⅝B	42⅝B	
Oats—						
May	.....	....	....	41½B	42	B
July	37	38	37	38 B	37½B	
Sept.	30	30¼	30	30¼B	30	B

A asked. B bid.

Cash business was livelier this morning and wheat, which is unusual, occupied the prominent place in the trading. Receipts were: Wheat, 5 cars in and 6 cars out; one week ago, 8 and 32 cars. Corn, 47 cars in and 11 cars out; one week ago, 60 and 32 cars. Oats, 7 cars in; one week ago, 3 cars in.

Representative sales of carlots by sample on track, Omaha:

Corn—No. 2, 1 car, 47½c; No. 4, 1 car, 44½c. No. 2 yellow, 1 car, 48c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car, 47c; No. 3 white, 2 cars, 47c.

Hard Wheat—No. 2, 1 car, 91c; No. 3, 2 cars, 90½c; 1 car, 87c.

White Oats—No. 4, 1 car, 40⅝c.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 90@91c; No. 3 hard, 87@89½c; No. 3, 75@82c, nominal.

CORN—No. 2, 47½@48c; No. 3, 45½@47c; No. 4, 44½c; no grade, 40c; No. 2 yellow, 47½@48c; No. 3 yellow, 47c; No. 2 white, 47½c; No. 3 white, 47½@48c.

OATS—No. 2, 42c; No. 3, 38@39c; No. 4, 36@37c; No. 2 white, 43c; No. 3 white, 40@41c; standard, 43c. Oats quotations are nominal.

Notes from the Exchange Offices.

J. J. Trompen of Lancaster county, formerly sheriff of that county and a state senator, was on the exchange this morning. He reports little grain in farmers' hands and planting going on nicely.

Omaha inspections of grain were 206 cars (two days); of wheat, 2 cars graded No. 2 hard, 4 cars No. 3 hard and 2 cars No. 4 hard; of corn, 144 cars graded No. 2, 29 cars No. 3, 1 car No. 4, 8 cars No. 2 yellow, 3 cars No. 3 yellow, 3 cars No. 2 white and 9 cars No. 3 white; of oats, 1 car graded No. 3 white and 3 cars No. 4 white.

Omaha stocks of grain in regular warehouses are as follows: Wheat, 92,718 bushels; corn, 408,852 bushels; oats, 26,563 bushels. Omaha contract stocks of corn are 228,386 bushels, divided between Morrison & Holmquist's elevator (112,075 bushels) and the Union elevator (116,629 bushels.)

Grain Markets Elsewhere.

Closing prices of grain today and Saturday at the markets named were as follows:

CHICAGO.

	Closed— Today.	Sat'y.
Wheat—		
July	85⅝	85⅝B
September	80⅝A	80⅝
Corn—		
July	47⅝A	47 A
September	47⅝B	46⅝

KANSAS CITY.

Wheat—		
July	75⅝	75⅝
September	70⅝	70⅝
Corn—		
July	43⅝	43
September	42⅝	41⅝

ST. LOUIS.

Wheat—		
July	84⅛B	84⅛B
September	80⅝B	80⅞
Corn—		
July	46⅛	45⅞B
September	46	45⅛

MINNEAPOLIS.

Wheat—		
July	92⅝B	93⅝B
September	81	81⅝A

DULUTH.

Wheat—		
July	92⅝B	93⅝B
September	83⅝B	81⅝

NEW YORK.

Wheat—		
July	90⅝B	91⅝A
September	84	....

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.

Chicago Receipts—Today: Wheat, 30 cars, 19 contract grade; corn, 850 cars, 91 contract grade; oats, 175 cars, 16 contract grade; cattle, 3,500 head; hogs, 22,000 head. Estimated tomorrow: Wheat, 23 cars; corn, 783 cars; oats, 232 cars; hogs, 33,000 head.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Trading and Closing Prices on Board of Trade.

CHICAGO, May 31.—A break of 4⅝c today in the price of May wheat due to collapse in the theory that there was an outstanding short interest caused weakness in other options. The July option closed with a loss of ½c. Corn is up ⅝c. Oats show a gain of ⅛@¼c and provisions 12½@42½c.

July wheat started ⅛@¼c down at 85⅛@85¼c. Sentiment soon changed, however. During the last half hour the feature of trading was the wide fluctuations of May, in which month, however, trading was very light. From 98⅛c the price suddenly dropped to 88½c. A quick rally to 93c followed. The close was at 87c. After selling off to 85⅛c July closed at 85⅝c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 167,400 bushels. Primary receipts were 686,200 bushels, as compared with 790,000 bushels a year ago. The amount on passage decreased 1,032,000 bushels, while the visible supply decreased 2,536,000 bushels. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 570 cars, against 109 last week and 570 a year ago.

Trading in corn was active throughout the day and the volume of business was large. July opened ⅛c lower to ¼c higher at 46⅝@47⅛c, sold up to 48@48⅛c and closed at 47⅝c. Local receipts were 850 cars, with 9 of contract grade.

Oats were quiet. After opening unchanged to ¼c lower at 38⅝c to 38¼c July sold between 38⅝c and 38¼c, closing at 38⅝@38⅝c. Local receipts were 175 cars.

Provisions were strong on an active commission house demand. After ranging between $11.27½ and $11.75 July pork sold at $11.72½@11.75, a gain of 45@47½c; July lard was up 12½c at $6.60 and ribs showed a gain of 17½c at $6.75.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
*Wheat					
May	96⅛	98⅛	93⅛	97	96⅞
†July	86⅛@⅞	87⅝	86⅛@⅞	86⅛	87
‡July	85⅛@⅞	86⅛	85⅛	85⅝	85⅞
†Sept.	82⅛@⅞	82⅞	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛
‡Sept.	80⅛@⅞	81⅛@⅞	80⅛@⅞	80⅛	80⅝
*Corn—					
May	47	47⅝	46⅞	47	46⅝
July	46⅞@⅞	48⅛	46⅞	47⅝	47
*Oats—					
May	41⅛	41⅛	40⅝	40⅞	41⅛
July	38⅝@⅞	38⅞	38⅝	38⅝@⅞	38⅛
Sept.	30⅝@⅞	30⅞	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Pork—					
July	11 27½	11 75	11 27½	11 75	11 27½
Sept.	11 55	11 97½	11 55	11 95	11 55
Lard—					
July	6 50	6 65	6 50	6 60	6 47½
Sept.	6 67½	6 82½	6 65	6 77½	6 67½
Ribs—					
July	6 57½	6 75	6 57½	6 75	6 57½
Sept.	6 75	6 85½	6 65	6 92½	6 75

*No. 2. †Old. ‡New.

FLOUR—Market was quiet and steady; winter patents, $4.70@4.80; straights, $4.40@4.60; spring patents, $4.80@4.70; straights, $3.90@4.20; bakers, $2.65@3.30.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 93@97c; No. 3, 85@96c; No. 2 red, $1.05@1.06.

CORN—No. 2, 48@48½c; No. 2 yellow, 49@49½c.

OATS—No. 2, 40½@40⅝c; No. 3 white, 41@43c.

RYE—No. 2, 74@76c.

SEED—No. 1 flax, $1; No. 1 northwestern, $1.06½; prime timothy, $3; clover, contract grade, $10.75.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 38@41c; fair to choice malting, 45@56c.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $11.60@11.65. Lard, per 100 lbs., $6.50@6.52½; short ribs sides (loose), $6.50@6.75; short clear sides (boxed), $6.50@6.75.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	16,100	31,100
Wheat, bu	49,000	46,200
Corn, bu	334,600	309,000
Oats, bu	213,200	87,900
Rye, bu	6,000	1,500
Barley, bu	44,700	5,500

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 13½@17½c; dairies, 12@16c. Eggs, steady, at mark, cases included, 15@15½c. Cheese, easy, 7⅞@9c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, May 31.—FLOUR—Receipts, 23,901 bbls.; exports, 14,254 bbls.; market barely steady; Minnesota patents, $5.10@5.35; Minnesota bakers, $4.00@4.20; patents, $5.10@5.40; winter straights, $4.90@5.10; winter extras, $3.35@4.00; winter low grades, $2.15@3.80. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, $3.90@4.15; choice to fancy, $4.15@4.50.

CORNMEAL—Steady; yellow western, $1.08@1.18; city, $1.10@1.12; kiln dried, $2.95@3.10.

RYE—Slow; No. 2 western, 70c.

BARLEY—Quiet; feeding, 55@56c c. i. f. Buffalo.

WHEAT—Receipts, 167,000 bu. Spot market easy; No. 2 red, nominal in elevator and $1.12 nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.03½c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, nominal f. o. b. afloat. Options weakened through realizing sales and fell ¼@1c. May, 91½@93c; July, 90⅝@91 9-16c, closed at 90⅝c; September, 84⅞@84⅝c, closed at 84½c; December, 83⅞@84¼c, closed at 83½c.

CORN—Receipts, 203,815 bu.; exports, 2,248 bu.; sales, 80,000 bu. futures. Spot market, steady; No. 2, 62⅞@64c in elevator and 64¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 60c; No. 2 white, 60c. Option market was generally strong, closing ¼c lower to ¼c higher. May, 57½@58½c; July, 53⅝@54½c, closed at 54c; September, 52⅝@53¼c, closed at 52⅝c.

OATS—Receipts, 271,500 bu.; exports, 9,550 bu. Spot market, steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 45½@46c; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 48@49c; clipped white, 36 to 40c lbs., 50@52c.

HAY—Quiet; shipping, 65@70c; good to choice, 95c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1903, 28@35c; 1902, 23@26c; olds, 9@14c; Pacific coast, 1903, 34@30c; 1902, 23@30c; olds, 9@14c.

HIDES—Steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 18c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 19c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 lbs, 14c.

TALLOW—Steady; city, per pkg., 4½c; country (pkgs. free), 4¼c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 3¼@5¼c; Japan, nominal.

LEATHER—Steady; acid, 23@25c.

WOOL—Quiet; domestic fleece, 28@32c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $9.50@10.00; mess, $8.00@8.50; beef hams, $20.00@21.50; packed, $8.50@9.50; city extra mess, $14.00@16.00. Cut meats, quiet; pickled bellies, 6¼@7c; pickled shoulders, 6½c; pickled hams, 9@10c. Lard, firm; western steamed, $6.90; refined, firm; continent, $6.95; South America, $7.50; compound, $5.50@5.75. Pork, firm; family, $15.75; short clear, $13.00@15.00; mess, $13.00@13.50.

St. Louis Grain and Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, $1.10; track, $1.10; July, 84⅛@84⅜c; September, 80⅝c; No. 2 hard, 93@96c.

CORN—Higher; No. 2 cash, 47c; track, 48@49c; July, 46⅛c; September, 46c.

OATS—Lower; No. 2 cash, 41c; track, 41½@42c; July, 36⅝c; September, 30¼c; No. 2 white, 44½c.

FLOUR—Firm; red winter patents, $5.00@5.10; special brands, 15@25c higher; extra fancy and straight, $4.70@4.95; clear, $4.00@4.10.

SEED—Timothy, steady, $2.40@2.75; prime higher.

CORN MEAL—Steady; $2.40.

BRAN—Easy; sacked east track, 95c@$1.00.

HAY—Strong; timothy, $13.00@15.00.

IRON COTTON TIES—$2.50.

BAGGING—6½c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, higher; $11.75. Lard higher; prime steam, $6.05. Bacon, firm; higher; boxed extra shorts, $7.37½; clear ribs, $7.75; short clear, $8.00.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 9½c; springs, 20@23c; turkeys, 11c; ducks, 8c; geese, 5c.

BUTTER—Lower; creamery, 13@18c; dairy, 10@14c.

EGGS—Higher at 13c, case count.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	16,000	6,000
Wheat, bu	94,000	87,000
Corn, bu	45,000	85,000
Oats, bu	140,000	32,000

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, May 31.—WHEAT—Steady; May, 86½c; July, 75⅝@75½c; September, 70⅝@70⅝c; cash, No. 2 hard, 87@90c; No. 3, 83½@86c; No. 4, 75@80c; rejected, 60@70c; No. 2 red, $1.01@1.03; No. 3, $1.01. Receipts, 42 cars.

CORN—Mixed, steady; white, lower; May, 46½c; July, 43⅝@44c; September, 42½@42⅝c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 46@46½c; No. 2 white, 46½@47c; No. 3, 45@46½c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 42@43c; No. 2 mixed 39@40c.

HAY—Weak; choice timothy, $10.50@11.00; choice prairie, $8.50.

RYE—No. 2, 64c.

BUTTER—Creamery, 15@17c; dairy, 12c.

EGGS—Steady; Missouri and Kansas cases returned, 15c; new No. 2 whitewood cases included, 12c.

	Receipts.	Shipments
Wheat, bu	33,600	46,500
Corn, bu	101,600	37,600
Oats, bu	45,000	4,000

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 31.—BUTTER—Steady; fair demand; extra western creamery, 18½c; extra new prints, 20c.

EGGS—Firm; fresh western, 15c; fresh southwestern, 17c; fresh southern, 16½c.

CHEESE—Steady; fair demand; New York full creams, choice to fancy, old, 8½c; New York full creams, fair to good, old, 8@8¼c; choice to fancy, new, 8@8½c; fair to good, new, 7@7½c.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, May 31.—The visible supply of grain May 28, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as follows:

WHEAT—21,575,000 bu.; decrease, 2,536,000 bu.

CORN—3,740,000 bu.; decrease, 1,424,000 bu.

OATS—5,738,000 bu.; decrease, 504,000 bu.

RYE—958,000 bu.; decrease, 30,000 bu.

BARLEY—2,406,000 bu.; decrease, 130,000 bu.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, May 31.—WHEAT—In store: No. 1 hard, 96⅝c; No. 1 northern, 94½c; No. 2 northern, 91⅝c. To arrive: No. 1 hard, 98½c; No. 1 northern, 94½c; No. 2 northern, 91⅝c. On track: No. 1 northern, 91⅝@88c; No. 2 northern, 90⅝@93⅝c; May, 94½c; July, 92⅝c; September, 81⅝c.

OATS—To arrive, 41c.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, May 31.—WHEAT—Weak; No. 1 northern, 98@98½c; No. 2 northern, 95@97c; old July, 86½c asked.

RYE—Dull; No. 1, 77c.

BARLEY—Steady; No. 2, 63c; sample, 40@60c.

CORN—Weaker; No. 3, 49@50c; July, 47⅝c bid.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 31.—WHEAT—May, 93⅝c; July, 92⅝c; September, 81c. On track: No. 1 hard, 95½c; No. 1 northern, 94½c; No. 2 northern, 92½c.

FLOUR—First patents, $5.10@5.20; second patents, $5.00@5.10; first clears, $3.60; second clears, $2.90.

BRAN—In bulk, $17.00@17.50.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, May 31.—WHEAT—Spot, easy; No. 1 California, 6s 10½d; futures, steady; July, 6s 3⅞d; September, 6s 4½d.

CORN—Spot, steady; American mixed, new, 4s 6d; American mixed, old, 4s 7d. Futures, firm; July, 4s 4d; September, 4s 3d.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, May 31.—CORN—Steady; No. 3, 45c; No. 2, 47½c.

WHISKY—On the basis of $1.28 for finished goods.

Toledo Seed Market.

TOLEDO, May 31.—SEED—Clover, cash, $6.20; October, $5.72½; prime alsike, $6.15; August, $6.40; prime timothy, $1.47½.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—METALS.—Tin underwent a very sharp decline in London over the local holiday and today's cable reported a decline since the closing of the market last Friday of £120 to £122 for spot and to £121 12s 3d for futures. Locally the market, responding to the lower cables, was weak and lower, closing at $27.00@27.37½. Copper was also weak in London, declining 1s 3d for spot and 12s 6d for futures, with both positions closing at £56 7s 6d. Locally copper was unchanged. Lake is quoted at $13.00@13.12½, electrolytic at $12.75@13.00 and casting at $12.50@12.75. Lead declined 1s 3d in London, closing at £11 8s 9d, and was quiet locally, with prices a shade lower, being now from $4.35 to $4.45 for jobbing lots out of store. Spelter advanced 5s in London closing at £22 7s, while it remained steady here at $4.87½@5.00. Iron closed at 51s 6d in Glasgow and at 43s 6d in Middlesborough. Locally iron was unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $14.75@15.25; No. 2 foundry northern $14.25@14.75; No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern soft, $15.50@16.75. Pig iron warrants are nominal at $9.26.

ST. LOUIS, May 31.—METALS—Lead, lower at $4.17½. Spelter, dull at $4.65.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Meager Dealings and Narrow Fluctuations Characterize Market.

NO ESSENTIAL CHANGE FROM LETHARGY

Prices After a Slight Rally Drop Back to the Monotonous Level Which They Reached Last Friday.

NEW YORK, May 31.—Three days of leisure for the contemplation of stock market prospects did not result in any accession of speculative confidence so far as revealed by the meager dealings and the halting and narrow fluctuations today. The market showed no essential change from its recent lethargic character. The firm tone of the London market and the Saturday bank statement, which was called favorable by commentators, were worth a fractional rise this morning, which amounted to an average of about ⅝. Prices then slipped back to below last Friday's level. The nominal cause was the suspension of a firm on the Cotton exchange, but although the failure was announced as due to a defalcation, with no bearing on market or financial conditions, the market failed to recover its lost ground.

The tenor of the weekly talks by traffic officials of the railroads was distinctly affected by the brighter hopes felt for the crops, which have had some effect in turning the downward side of railroad traffic in evidence since the middle of April. Some of the roads in the central traffic region are enjoying the benefit of the traffic diverted to them by the tieup of lake traffic and are making favorable comparisons with May of last year. The percentage of decrease from last year's traffic has shown a declining figure for several weeks past and for the third week of May the decrease has fallen to but little more than 1 per cent.

Money was easy in all departments of the money market as a result of the bank statement, and the subtreasury paid out $2,709,000 on account of Japanese gold deposited in San Francisco. The $700,000 in gold bars engaged for export on Thursday was all that was available at the assay office in that form. There was a light covering movement by shorts late in the day, but the closing was steady. A number of inactive bonds made wide declines from long preceding sales and the general tone was heavy. Total sales, par value, $1,340,000.

United States 2s, registered, declined ¼ and the 2s, coupon, advanced ¼ per cent on call.

Yesterday's quotations on the New York Stock exchange were as follows:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atchison	49,000	69⅝	68⅝	68⅞
do pfd	200	92	92	92
Baltimore & Ohio	2,100	78⅛	77½	77⅞
do pfd	....	....	....	90⅝
Canadian Pacific	400	117¾	117	117⅛
Central of N. J.	....	....	....	156
Chesapeake & Ohio	300	30	29½	29⅝
Chicago & Alton	1,700	36½	35⅛	35⅝
do pfd	....	....	....	80½
Chicago G. W.	200	14⅝	14½	14⅝
Chicago & N. W.	....	....	....	129
C., M. & St. P.	3,000	140	139½	139½
do pfd	....	....	....	175½
Chicago T. & T.	....	....	....	6½
do pfd	200	13⅝	13½	13½
C., C., C. & St. L.	....	....	....	69
Colorado Southern	....	....	....	14½
do 1st pfd	400	60	50	50
do 2d pfd	600	19⅝	19	19
Delaware & Hudson	200	153¼	153¼	153
D., L. & W.	....	....	....	206
Denver & Rio Grande	200	19½	19	19½
do pfd	....	....	....	62
Erie	9,900	23½	22⅝	22⅞
do 1st pfd	7,100	57½	55	56
do 2d pfd	800	34	33	33½
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	61
do pfd	200	78½	78½	78½
Illinois Central	400	129⅝	129½	129½
Iowa Central	....	....	....	12½
do pfd	....	....	....	32
K. C. Southern	300	19⅝	19	19¼
do pfd	200	38	37½	37
Louisville & Nashville	600	107⅝	107⅛	107¼
Manhattan L.	....	....	....	143½
Met. Securities	200	78	77⅝	78
Met. Street Ry.	1,000	110	109½	109½
M. & St. Louis	....	....	....	40
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	....	....	....	31⅝
do pfd	....	....	....	118
Missouri Pacific	1,500	90	89½	89½
M., K. & T.	200	15½	15½	15⅝
do pfd	200	33½	33¼	33¼
N. R. R. of Mex. pfd.	....	....	....	35½
New York Central	300	114⅝	114¼	114½
Norfolk & Western	400	55⅝	55⅝	55⅝
do pfd	....	....	....	80
Ontario & Western	4,600	22	21⅝	21⅝
Pennsylvania	4,700	113⅝	113	113⅝
Pittsburg, C. & St. L.	100	56	56	56
Reading	4,900	43⅝	43¼	43⅝
do 1st pfd	....	....	....	78
do 2d pfd	....	....	....	62
Rock Island Co.	300	21⅛	20⅝	20⅝
do pfd	800	64½	63⅝	63⅝
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	800	64⅛	6wy	yp
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	400	44⅛	44⅛	44
St. L. Southwestern.	800	11⅛	10	10
do pfd	1,700	28½	26	27
Southern Pacific	2,800	46⅞	45¼	45⅝
Southern Railway	100	20	20	20
do pfd	....	....	....	83
Texas & Pacific	700	21	20⅛	20⅛
T., St. L. & W.	500	23¼	22½	23
do pfd	....	....	....	37
Union Pacific	6,600	83⅝	82⅞	82⅞
do pfd	400	91½	91⅛	91
Wabash	200	15⅝	15½	15½
do pfd	700	33½	33⅛	33¼
Wheeling & L. E.	....	....	....	15
Wisconsin Central	200	16⅝	16⅛	16½
do pfd	....	....	....	37½
Mexican Central	1,100	7	7⅛	7¼
Adams Express	....	....	....	222
*American Express	....	....	....	175
U. S. Express	....	....	....	100
Wells-Fargo Express	....	....	....	200
Amal. Copper	12,700	51	49⅝	49⅝
American C. & F.	300	16⅝	16½	16½
do pfd	....	....	....	62½
American Cotton Oil	....	....	....	27
American Ice	....	....	....	6⅝
do pfd	....	....	....	26½
Amer. Linseed Oil	100	7⅛	7⅛	7
do pfd	....	....	....	25
American Locomotive	....	....	....	29
do pfd	....	....	....	19
American S. & R.	8,300	53½	52⅛	52½
do pfd	3,000	97⅝	96⅞	96⅞
Amer. Sugar Refin.	700	136	135⅝	135½
Anaconda M. Co.	....	....	....	72
Brooklyn R. T.	6,800	47	46⅝	46⅞
Colorado F. & I.	....	....	....	38⅝
Consolidated Gas	1,600	206⅝	204	204
Corn Products	1,100	11	10½	10¼
do pfd	....	....	....	66½
Distillers' Securities	....	....	....	20½
General Electric	300	156	155⅞	155⅞
International Paper	....	....	....	10
do pfd	....	....	....	65⅝
International Pump	....	....	....	36
do pfd	....	....	....	70
National Lead	1,800	19¼	19	19⅛
North American	200	81	81	81
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	25
Peoples Gas	300	96⅛	96	96⅛
Pressed Steel Car	....	....	....	24½
do pfd	....	....	....	67
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	210
Republic Steel	1,100	6⅝	6⅛	6⅛
do pfd	1,400	38	37⅝	38
Rubber Goods	....	....	....	14⅛
do pfd	100	75½	77½	77½
Tennessee C. & I.	....	....	....	34½
U. S. Leather	500	6½	6½	6½
do pfd	....	....	....	79½
U. S. Realty	1,800	6⅝	6⅛	6⅛
do pfd	2,700	61	60⅝	60⅝
U. S. Rubber	7,100	16	16	15⅞
do pfd	100	67⅞	66⅞	65
U. S. Steel	2,000	9⅛	9	9
do pfd	9,000	53⅞	53¼	53½
Westinghouse Elect.	300	155½	155	154
Western Union	400	86½	86	85⅝

*Ex-dividend.

Total sales for the day, 138,700 shares.

Boston Stock Quotations.

BOSTON, May 31.—Call loans, 2@3½ per cent; time loans, 4@6 per cent. Official closing of stocks and bonds:

Atchison adj. 4s	90⅝	Adventure	1½
do 4s	100⅝	*Allouez	6¼
Atchison	68⅝	Amalgamated	45⅝
do pfd	91⅛	American Zinc	9⅛
Boston & Albany	243	Atlantic	26½
Boston & Maine	166½	Bingham	30½
Boston Elevated	140¼	Cal. & Hecla	462
Fitchburg pfd	134⅝	Centennial	13
Mex. Central	6⅝	Copper Range	41⅝
N. Y., N. H. & H.	188	Daly West	24
Pere Marquette	77	Dominion Coal	63
Union Pacific	82⅝	Franklin	7
Amer. Arge. Chem.	14	Granby	3⅝
do pfd	72	Isle Royale	6¼
Amer. Pneu. Tube	4⅝	Mass. Mining	3⅛
Amer. Sugar	135⅝	Michigan	4
do pfd	125½	Mohawk	52
Amer. T. & T.	128	Mont. C. & C.	3⅛
Amer. Woolen	10⅛	*Old Dominion	21½
do pfd	74	Osceola	54½
Dominion I. & S.	9	Parrot	23⅛
Edison Elec. Illu.	284	Quincy	80
General Electric	154	Shannon	5⅛
*Mass. Electric	18	Tamarack	75
do pfd	72	Trinity	3⅝
Mass. Gas	40	U. S. Mining	19⅝
United Fruit	113⅝	U. S. Oil	9⅛
United Shoe Mach.	29	Utah	21½
do pfd	29	Victoria	5⅝
U. S. Steel	9	Winona	5⅝
do pfd	53⅝	Wolverine	70
Westing. common	78		

*Bid.

Foreign Financial.

BERLIN, May 31.—Discount rates, short bills, 3⅛ per cent; three months bills, 2⅞ per cent. Trading on the bourse today was dull and featureless.

PARIS, May 31.—The tone on the bourse was firm throughout the day. Russian imperial 4s closed at 90.50c. The private rate of discount was 2 5-16 per cent; three per cent rentes, 97f 60c for the account; exchange on London, 25f 13c for checks.

LONDON, May 31.—Money was in keen demand in the market today for the month and requirements besides various calls on new issues and the console settlement. The tone on the stock exchange was firm, but the trading was inactive. Consols were strong, being helped by the settlement; Americans at first were listless, but closed firm.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, May 31.—MONEY—On call, lower at 1 per cent, easy; closing bid, 1 per cent; offered at 1⅛ per cent. Time loans, easy; sixty and ninety days, 2@2½ per cent; six months, 2@2½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—3⅝@4½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8725 for demand and at $4.8535@4.8545 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, $4.86@4.88; commercial bills, $4.83⅝@4.85¼.

SILVER—Bar, 55c; Mexican dollars, 44½c.

BONDS—Government, irregular; railroad, heavy.

The closing quotations on bonds are as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104⅛	Manhattan c. g. 4s	103⅝
do coupon	106	Mex. Central 4s	64⅝
do 3s, reg.	108⅝	do 1st inc.	19
do coupon	109⅝	Minn. & St. L. 4s	94⅛
do new 4s, reg.	132	M., K. & T. 4s	100⅝
do coupon	132	do 2s	77⅛
do old 4s, reg.	102⅝	N. R. R. of M. c. 4s	74
do coupon	104⅝	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	95⅝
Atchison gen. 4s	102⅝	N. J. C. g. 5s	131
do adj. 4s	91	No. Pacific 4s	104⅛
Atlantic C. A. 4s	85	do 3s	72
B. & O. 4s	101⅛	N. & W. c. 4s	94⅝
do 3½s	95	O. S. L. 4s & par	94⅝
Central of Ga. 5s	107	Penn. conv. 3½s	94⅛
do 1st inc.	74	Reading gen. 4s	99⅛
Chta. & Ohio 4½s	104⅛	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	114⅛
Chicago & A. 3½s	79	St. L. & S. F. fg. 6s	81⅞
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	94⅝	*St. L. S. W. 1s	93⅛
C. M. & S. P. g. 4s	109	Seaboard A. L. 4s	70
C. & N. W. c. 7s	137⅝	So. Pacific 4s	92
C., R. I. & P. 4s	93⅝	So. Railway 5s	115⅝
do coll. 5s	73⅛	Texas & P. 1s	118
C.C.C. & S. L. g 4s	101	T. St. L. & W. 4s	79⅛
Chicago Ter. 4s	73⅛	Union Pacific 4s	104⅞
Con. Tobacco 4s	59⅝	do conv. 4s	96⅝
Colo. & So. 4s	84	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	73⅛
D. & R. G. 4s	94⅛	Wabash 1s	115⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	98⅝	do deb. B.	56⅝
do gen. 4s	85	W. & L. E. 4s	89⅝
F. W. & D. C. 1s	106	Wis. Central 4s	90
Hocking Val. 4½s	107	*