GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Wheat Quiet, with Prices Ruling Under Previous Day.

BEARISH SENTIMENT PREVAILS IN PIT

Too Much Rain in Northwest and Short Grain in Southwest—Corn Receipts Large and Prices Are Lower.

OMAHA, May 25, 1906.

The wheat market was quiet, with prices under last night's close. Yesterday's American advance did not affect the foreign market and cables this morning came only ¼d higher. Sentiment was bearish at the start and opening prices were ⅛@¼c lower. The market turned strong soon and prices went to yesterday's high point. Holders took profits at the advance and the market reacted to the opening. The close was ⅛c under yesterday for July.

Complaints came from the northwest of too much rain, and from the southwest of wheat heading out short.

Receipts which overran the estimates and the expectation of a good movement for the coming week started corn lower. The market was weak through the session, losing more than yesterday's advance and closing ⅝c lower for July. The cash demand was slow at about ⅝@1c lower. The market is a question of receipts.

Primary wheat receipts were 266,000 bushels and shipments 352,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 303,000 bushels and shipments of 168,000 bushels. Corn receipts were 928,000 bushels and shipments 403,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 592,000 bushels and shipments of 351,000. Clearances were 15,000 barrels flour, 33,720 bushels wheat, 24,000 bushels corn and 6,000 bushels oats.

Liverpool closed ¼d lower on wheat and ¼d higher on corn.

From the Record-Herald: "Marfield of Minneapolis, who is in touch with the grain situation throughout the northwest, says he is neither bullish nor bearish on wheat from anything he can see in that section as yet. He says conditions in the Red river valley, where a great deal of wheat is raised, are not good—too much rain, ground soggy and sour and is in no condition to be seeded with wheat. The excess of rainfall, however, will make a better wheat promise on the more arid lands farther west. He says he does not agree with the bears in the northwest that there is to be increased receipts from the country, as he cannot see where the wheat is coming from."

Local range of options:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat—					
May...	78⅝B	79⅝B	78⅝B	79⅝B	79¼B
July...	76 B	76⅝B	75⅝A	76¼A	76¼A
Sept...	74½B	74 ⅝	74 ¼	74⅝B	74½B
Corn—					
May...	44 ¼	44⅝B	44¼	44⅝A	44⅝B
July...	43⅝A	43⅝A	43¼	43⅝A	43⅝B
Oats—					
May...				32 B	
July...				31 B	

A asked. B bid.

Omaha Cash Sales.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 1 car, 78c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 2 cars, 44⅝c; No. 3, 1 car, 44c; No. 4, 1 car, 43c; no grade, 1 car, 39c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 1 car, 32c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 77½@80c; No. 3 hard, 73@77c; No. 4 hard, 70@72½c; No. 2 spring, 78c; No. 3 spring, 72@76½c.

CORN—No. 3, 44@44½c; No. 3 yellow, 44⅝c; No. 3 white, 45@45½c.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 32½c; No. 3 white, 33c; No. 4 white, 32½c.

RYE—No. 2, 56c; No. 3, 54½c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	8	560	183
Kansas City	32	54	8
Minneapolis	120	..	..
Omaha	12	93	8
Duluth	34	..	..
St. Louis	42	105	47

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, May 25.—Additional rains in the southwest had a weakening effect on the local wheat market today. At the close the July delivery was off ⅛c. Corn was down ⅝c. Oats showed a loss of ½c. Provisions were 2½@5c higher.

Sentiment in the wheat pit was bearish for the greater part of the day, although no great weakness was manifested. The chief reason for the easier feeling was that the weather bureau predicted wet weather for the entire wheat belt with the exception of the Ohio river valley. There was considerable selling by pit traders at the opening because of weather conditions, but the market soon rallied on a good demand by commission houses. A report attributed to a St. Louis trade journal, which claimed that the crop had deteriorated materially because of dry weather before the present rains, created a firmer tone in the market. Another reaction soon occurred on profit-taking, however, and the market was inclined to be weak until late in the day, when a steadier tone developed on covering by shorts. This late demand was due to heavy weekly exports of wheat and flour, as shown by Bradstreet's, the total clearances of the week being 4,334,000 bushels. The market closed steady. July opened ⅛@¼c lower at 82¾@83c, sold between 82⅝@82⅞c and 83⅜c and closed at 83⅛c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 167,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 266,000 bushels against 303,000 bushels for the corresponding day one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 162 cars against 115 cars last week and 229 cars a year ago.

With the exception of a moderate degree of firmness early in the session, the corn market was weak all day. The chief source of the weakness was last night's rain over a large portion of the corn belt and the forecast of additional showers for today and tomorrow. Liberal local receipts and indications of a continued free movement also depressed prices. Pit traders and commission houses were the principal sellers, while shorts and cash buyers took the offerings. The market closed weak near the lowest point of the day. July opened ⅛c to ⅛@¼c lower at 47¼@47⅜c to 47⅝c, sold at 47⅝c and declined to 47c. The close was at 47⅛c. Local receipts were 560 cars with 361 cars of contract grade.

Wet weather had a depressing effect on the oats market. Sentiment in the pit was bearish all day. There was considerable selling by pit traders and a fair amount of realizing by local longs. The market closed weak near the lowest point of the day. July opened ⅜c lower at 33⅛c, sold off to 33@33⅛c and closed at 33⅛c. Local receipts were 183 cars.

Provisions were strong early in the day on an active demand by shorts, a 10@15c advance in the price of live hogs being the cause of the lively buying. Later the market eased off somewhat because of free selling by local packers. The close was steady with July pork up 5c at $16.25. Lard was up 2½c at $8.77½. Ribs were 5c higher at $9.30.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 4 cars; corn, 562 cars; oats, 183 cars; hogs, 10,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat					
May	85½	86¼	85½	86⅛	86
July	82⅞@83	83⅜	82⅝	83⅛	82¾
Sept.	81⅛@⅜	81⅞	81	81½@⅝	81½@⅝
*Corn—					
May	48⅛	48⅛	47⅝	47⅝	48⅜
July	47½@⅝	47⅝	47	47⅛	47⅝
Sept.	47⅝@⅞	47⅞	47⅛	47⅛@¼	47⅞@⅞
*Oats—					
May	33⅛@⅜	33⅜	33⅛	33¼	33⅝
July	33¼	33½	33	33⅛	33⅝
Sept.	31⅛@32	31⅛@32	31¼	31⅛@⅝	32
Pork—					
May	16 20	16 20	16 20	16 30	16 10
July	16 30	16 40	16 22½	16 25	16 20
Sept.	16 20	16 30	16 17½	16 17½	16 07½
Lard—					
May	8 70	8 70	8 70	8 70	8 67½
July	8 80	8 85	8 77½	8 77½	8 75
Sept.	8 95	9 00	8 92½	8 92½	8 90
Ribs—					
May	9 27½	9 27½	9 25	9 25	9 17½
July	9 30	9 40	9 30	9 30	9 25
Sept.	9 35	9 32½	9 22½	9 22½	9 18

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Firm; winter patents, $3.50@4.00; straights, $3.20@3.70; spring patents, $3.60@3.90; straights, $3.45@3.65; bakers, $2.20@2.90.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 85@87; No. 3 spring, 80@85c; No. 2 red, 90@90c.

CORN—No. 2, 48⅛c; No. 2 yellow, 49c.

OATS—No. 2, 33½c; No. 2 white, 34½@34½c; No. 3 white, 33⅝@34⅛c.

RYE—No. 2, 61⅛@62c.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 41@43c; fair to choice malting, 47@52c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flax, $1.09½; No. 1 northwestern, $1.15. Prime timothy, $3.30@3.35. Clover, contract grade, $11.25.

PROVISIONS—Short ribs sides (loose), $9.20@9.30. Mess pork, per bbl., $16.20@16.25. Lard, per 100 lbs., $8.72½. Short clear sides (boxed), $9.50@9.60.

Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	21,400	13,400
Wheat, bu.	15,000	6,800
Corn, bu.	602,900	155,700
Oats, bu.	210,000	134,500
Rye, bu.	2,000	1,000
Barley, bu.	38,300	58,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 13½@19c; dairies, 13@17c. Eggs, steady; at mark, cases included, 13@13½c; firsts, 14½c; prime firsts, 15½c; extras, 18c. Cheese, steady, 10@11c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, May 25.—FLOUR—Receipts, 25,277 bbls.; exports, 15,182 bbls.; market steady, with better demands; Minnesota patents, $4.00@4.30; straights, $3.90@4.00; extras, $2.90@3.40; low grades, $2.80@3.35. Rye flour, firm; fair to good, $3.45@3.90; choice to fancy, $3.95@4.55.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.20; coarse, $1.07@1.09; kiln dried, $2.70@2.80.

RYE—Easy; No. 2 western, 67½@68c; nominal, f. o. b. afloat, New York.

BARLEY—Steady; feeding, 47½c; c. i. f. New York; malting, 52@57c, c. i. f. New York.

WHEAT—Receipts, 70,600 bu.; spot, market steady; No. 2 red, 93c, nominal elevator; No. 2 red, 94c, nominal f. o. b. and afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 92⅞c, nominal f. o. b. and afloat; No. 1 northern, Manitoba, 89½c, nominal, f. o. b. and afloat. The wheat opening was lower, owing to rains in the central belt and unloading. A sharp rally on reports of excessive rains in the northwest was followed by conflicting news and irregularity of prices after midday, the close showing a partial ⅛c net loss. May, 90⅝@91c, closed at 90⅝c; July, 88⅝@89 7-16c, closed 88⅞c; September, 86⅛@86⅝c, closed at 86⅛c; December, 86⅞@87⅛c, closed at 86⅞c.

CORN—Receipts, 32,650 bu.; exports, 20,120 bu.; spot market, easy; No. 2, 56⅛c, nominal elevator and 56⅛c nominal f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 yellow, 57c, nominal; No. 2 white, 57½c, nominal. Option market opened lower on better weather and with wheat, rallied on covering and for the balance of the day was heavy on big receipts and light clearances. Last prices were unchanged to ½c net lower. May, 56¼c, closed at 56¼c; July, 54½@54⅝c, closed at 54¼c; September closed at 54½c, December closed at 53⅜c.

OATS—Receipts, 124,700 bu.; exports, 5,825 bu.; spot market, steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 39½c; natural white, 30 to 33 lbs., 39⅝@40⅛c; clipped white, 38 to 40 lbs., 39⅝@42⅛c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 35@60c; good to choice, 90@95c.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice, 1905, 9@13c; 1904, 9@10c; olds, nominal; Pacific coast, 1905, 10@14c; 1904, 11@12c; olds, nominal.

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

LEATHER—Steady; acid, 25½@27c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $11.50@12.00; mess, $8.00@9.50; beef hams, $20.50@22.00; packet, $9.50@10.50; city, extra India mess, $17.00@17.50. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, $9.50@12.00; pickled shoulders, $8.00@8.50; pickled hams, $11.25@12.00. Lard, steady; western prime, $8.75, nominal; refined, firm; continent, $9.15; South America, $9.75; compound, $7.00@7.37½. Pork, firm; family, $18.00; short clear, $16.25@18.00; mess, $16.75@17.75.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 5c; country, 5@5⅛c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra, 3¼@6c; Japan, nominal.

BUTTER—Firmer; street price extra creamery, 19¾c; official prices creamery common to extra, 14@19½c.

CHEESE—Firm; new state full cream, large, best, 10¼c; new state, fair to good, 9⅛@10c; small, best, 10¼c; fair to good, 9⅛@9¾c; inferiors, 7½@8½c.

POULTRY—Live, steady; western broilers, 25@26c; fowls, 13½c; turkeys, 12c. Dressed steady; western broilers 22@23c; turkeys, 14@15c; fowls, 11@13½c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red cash, elevator, 94@96c; track, 95½@97½c; July, 81½@81⅝c; September, 80⅝c; No. 2 hard, 83⅜@86c.

CORN—Lower; No. 2 cash, nominal; track, 49½@50c; July, 46¼@46⅝c; September, 46⅝c.

OATS—Lower; No. 2 cash, 34½c; track, 35½c; July, 33⅝c; September, 31½c; No. 2 white, 36½c.

FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $4.40@4.55; extra fancy and straight, $3.75@4.35; clear, $2.75@3.00.

SEED—Steady; timothy, $2.50@2.90.

CORN MEAL—Steady; $2.50.

BRAN—Steady; sacked east track, 90@92c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $14.00@17.00; prairie, $11.50@13.50.

IRON COTTON TIES—$1.00.

BAGGING—8⅝c.

HEMP TWINE—7½c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, higher; jobbing, $16.25; lard higher; prime steam, $8.47½; dry salt meats higher; boxed extra shorts, $9.12½; clear ribs, $9.37½; short clears, $9.50; bacon higher; boxed extra shorts, $9.87½; clear ribs, $10.12½; short clears, $10.25.

METALS—Lead, lower at $5.87; spelter, quiet at $5.75 asked.

POULTRY—Dull; chickens, 9½c; springs, 20@25c; turkeys, 9c; ducks, 8½c; geese, 4@5c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 15@20c; dairy, 14@16c.

EGGS—Steady at 13c, case count.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	7,000	6,000
Wheat, bu.	42,000	34,000
Corn, bu.	105,000	114,000
Oats, bu.	47,000	98,000

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 25.—FLOUR—First patents, $4.35@4.45; second patents, $4.20@4.30; first clears, $3.50@3.60; second clears, $2.45@2.55.

BRAN—In bulk, $15.25@15.50.

(Superior Board of Trade quotations for Minneapolis and Chicago delivery.) The range of prices, as furnished by F. D. Day & Co., 110-111 Board of Trade building, was:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat—					
May...	82⅝@⅞	82⅝	82¼	82¼	82¼
July...	82⅝@¾	83	82⅝	82⅝@⅝	82⅝
Sept...	80⅝@⅞	81⅛	80⅝@½	80⅝	80⅝@⅞
Flax—					
May...	1 15½	1 16	1 15½	1 16	1 15
July...	1 16½	1 17	1 16½	1 17	1 16½
Sept...	1 16⅛	1 16⅝	1 16¼	1 16⅝	1 15¼

Minneapolis Cash Close—Wheat: No. 1 hard, 85¼c; No. 1 northern, 84¼c; to arrive, 83⅝c; No. 2 northern, 82⅝c; to arrive, 82⅝c; No. 3 northern, 80⅛@81½c; No. 1 Durum, 74⅛c; No. 2 Durum, 72⅛c. Corn: No. 3 yellow, 44⅝c; No. 3, 43⅝c. Oats: No. 3 white, 32⅛c. Barley: 40@47c. Rye: 56¼@57⅝c. Flax: $1.14⅝.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, May 25.—WHEAT—May, 77⅝c; July, 75⅝c; September, 74c. Cash: No. 2 hard, 79½@82c; No. 3, 77@81½c; No. 4, 70@71c; No. 2 red, 90@92c; No. 3, 86@91c; No. 4, 75@86c.

CORN—May, 44½c; July, 44⅝c; September, 44⅝c; December, 42⅝c. Cash: No. 2 mixed, 46c; No. 3, 45⅛@46c; No. 2 white, 48½c; No. 3, 48½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 35@36c; No. 2 mixed, 33⅛@34c.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $13.00@13.50; choice prairie, $11.00@11.25.

RYE—Steady, 56@58c.

EGGS—Lower; Missouri and Kansas, new No. 2, whitewood cases included, 13c; case count, 12c; cases returned, ½c less.

BUTTER—Creamery, 18c; packing, 12c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu.	21,600	23,000
Corn, bu.	65,000	37,000
Oats, bu.	11,000	8,000

Liverpool Grain and Provisions.

LIVERPOOL, May 25.—WHEAT—Spot, nominal; futures, steady; July, 6s 6⅛d; September, 6s 7d; December, 6s 7d.

CORN—Spot, firm; American mixed, new, 4s 7d; American mixed, old, 4s 9½d; futures, quiet; July, 4s 5d; September, 4s 6½d.

HOPS—In London (Pacific coast), firm, £3@3 15s.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, May 25.—WHEAT—Steady; No. 1 northern, 86@87c; No. 2 northern, 83@85½c; July, 83⅛c asked.

RYE—Higher; No. 1, 65@65½c.

BARLEY—Steady; No. 2, 56c; sample, 40@54c.

CORN—Steady; No. 3 cash, 49@49½c; July, 47⅛c asked.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, May 25.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, to arrive, 84⅝c; No. 2 northern, 82⅝c; on track, No. 1 northern, 84⅝c; No. 2 northern, 82⅝c; May, 84c; July, 84⅛c; September, 81⅛c.

OATS—To arrive, on track and May, 33⅛c.

Peoria Grain Market.

PEORIA, May 25.—CORN—Firm; No. 3 yellow, 45½c; No. 3, 45½c; No. 4, 47c; no grade, 42@45c.

OATS—Strong; No. 2 white, 34½c; No. 3 white, 33¾c; No. 4 white, 33@33¼c.

WHISKY—On the basis of $1.29.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, May 25.—COFFEE—Market for futures opened steady at an advance of 5 points in response to steady European cables. There was no demand of consequence, however, and the market eased off during the session under scattering liquidation. The close was steady at a net decline of 5 points to an advance of 5 points. Sales were estimated at 21,250 bags, most of the business being in the late trading. Sales included June, at 6.20c; July, 6.25@6.30c; September, 6.40@6.45c; December, 6.65@6.75c; February, 6.90c; March, 6.90@7c. Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 7⅝c.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Market Undergoes a Comprehensive Recovery in Values on Active Demand.

SHORT INTERESTS DRIVEN TO COVER

Buying of Leading Issues by Banks Affiliated with These Companies Causes Excitement Among Bears.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Stocks underwent a comprehensive recovery in price today on dealings which, at times, showed great animation. There were one or two conspicuous exceptions to the sweep of the upward movement and a select few stocks led the market aggressively and a heavy congestion of activity in them. The undoubted strength of the market was, nevertheless, fairly general. There was a notable unanimity of opinion that the strength of the advance was largely due to the necessities of an uncovered bear account. The dimensions of the short interest were quite unsuspected on the part of speculative element, but the campaign against it was evidently founded on accurate information of its position. At the same time reports were current of an absorption of some of the day's favorite stocks on account of banking interests closely affiliated with the companies and entrusted with their financial operations or representing the actual control of the properties. The belief in buying of this kind was particularly effective in intimidating the bears and in driving them into covering shorts. Reading was still the conspicuous leader of the advance and the upward rush in the price carried the price higher than that ruling when the news of the San Francisco earthquake was first received in New York. Erie shared pretty fully in the strength of Reading, but outside of these the coalers did not fully keep pace with the movement. The supposition that the anthracite carriers were considering a project to divest themselves of ownership of the coal companies by a division of these assets amongst stockholders was the main influence in the movement. The Hill stocks made a characteristic upward flight without any news to explain the movement. The movement in general was not based on any known development in the situation to justify the radical change in the speculative temper since the early part of the week.

The speculative element is fostering a supposition that banking negotiations with foreign money centers have been going on which promise a supply of money resources for the use of the New York money market, which will insure it against stringency during the coming season. The Pennsylvania bond sale in Paris is the concrete fact on which this supposition is based. Beyond that authoritative information on the subject is not to be had in banking quarters. The lack of other explanation for the day's revival of speculative activity in stock caused some credence to be given to these reports. The money market was firm today both for call and time loans, the latter partly in sympathy with the former. Syndicate requirements account for the rise in call loan rates. A 20 per cent installment on Baltimore & Ohio stock subscriptions called for $5,500,000 today and a 50 per cent installment on Delaware & Hudson convertible bond subscriptions called for $7,000,000. Next Tuesday the subscriptions to the $50,000,000 Pennsylvania note issue are payable and later in the week comes a payment on Chicago & Northwestern subscriptions. The sentiment of relief caused by a promise of replenishment of the money market under these conditions and with large new capital issues in prospect beyond is understandable. London discounts were harder today, but the impression prevailed in Wall street that there might be some early renewal of the gold import movement. The currency movement of the week indicates a small change in the cash item, but syndicate operations may have an influence on the loan item of the banks. The stock market showed some signs of weariness late in the day and prices receded considerably with the closing tone easy.

Bonds and convertible interest stocks were strong, rose in sympathy and there was heavy buying of Wabash debenture bonds. Total sales, par value, $3,720,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

The following was the range of prices on the New York Stock exchange:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adams Express	.....	.....	.....	240
Amalgamated Copper	85,200	109⅛	108¼	108⅝
American C. & F.	2,300	41⅝	41	41¼
American C. & F. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	100½
American Cotton Oil	600	32¼	31⅞	31½
Am. Cotton Oil pfd.	.....	.....	.....	90
American Express	100	217	217	215
American H. & L. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	32¼
American Ice securities	600	63¼	62	62
American Linseed Oil	.....	.....	.....	18¼
Am. Linseed Oil pfd.	.....	.....	.....	38
American Locomotive	11,700	70⅜	69½	69¾
Am. Locomotive pfd.	.....	.....	.....	114½
American S. & R.	20,300	155½	154¼	154½
American S. & R. pfd.	500	119⅛	119	119
American Sugar Refining	1,300	135⅜	135½	135⅝
Am. Tobacco pfd. ctfs.	100	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
Anaconda Mining Co.	38,100	271	268½	265⅜
Atchison	5,500	89⅛	89¼	89⅛
Atchison pfd.	100	102¼	102⅛	102⅛
Atlantic Coast Line	2,800	147⅛	145¼	146⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	4,100	108⅜	108¼	108½
Baltimore & Ohio pfd.	200	95	94	94
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	24,000	82	81¼	81⅜
Canadian Pacific	4,000	161	159⅞	160¼
Central of New Jersey	700	229	228	228
Chesapeake & Ohio	2,000	59⅝	59	59¼
Chicago & Alton	.....	.....	.....	25
Chicago & Alton pfd.	.....	.....	.....	71
Chicago Great Western	2,000	19⅛	19	19⅛
Chicago & Northwestern	700	205	203⅜	203½
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	19,500	170	168⅝	168⅝
Chicago T. & T.	100	12¼	12¼	11¾
Chicago T. & T. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	32
C., C., C. & St. Louis	400	95¼	95¼	95¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	38,500	55⅜	53¼	54⅛
Colorado & Southern	1,500	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛
Colorado & So. 1st pfd.	400	70⅝	70	69½
Colorado & So. 2d pfd.	200	47¼	47⅛	47
Consolidated Gas, ex-div.	900	138¾	137	138⅝
Corn Products	1,100	22⅝	22¼	21⅝
Corn Products pfd.	400	79	78½	78⅝
Del. & Hudson, ex-div.	4,200	215	212	211
Delaware, L. & W.	600	560	560	540
Denver & Rio Grande	1,100	43⅝	43¼	43¼
Denver & R. G. pfd.	400	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
Distillers' Securities	8,300	65⅛	64	64⅛
Erie	77,800	47	46⅛	46¼
Erie 1st pfd.	3,100	80⅜	79½	79⅛
Erie 2d pfd.	6,700	72½	71½	71⅛
General Electric	600	167⅛	167⅛	167⅛
Hocking Valley	.....	.....	.....	128½
Illinois Central	2,600	176	174½	174½
International Paper	100	19¼	19¼	19¼
International Paper pfd.	.....	.....	.....	85¼
International Pump	100	55⅛	55⅛	55
International Pump pfd.	200	89⅛	89⅛	89
Iowa Central	300	27⅛	27⅛	27
Iowa Central pfd.	300	52	51⅛	51
Kansas City Southern	500	35⅝	35½	35⅝
Kansas City So. pfd.	500	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛
Louisville & Nashville	14,200	147⅛	145⅞	146⅛
Manhattan L.	.....	.....	.....	152
Metropolitan Street Ry.	.....	.....	.....	112
Mexican Central	3,200	23	22⅛	22⅛
Minneapolis & St. Louis	200	71	71	70
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	400	157⅛	157⅛	157⅛
M., St. P. & S. S. M. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	173
Missouri Pacific	2,300	95⅛	94	94
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	4,100	35⅛	34⅛	34⅛
M., K. & T. pfd.	200	69⅛	69	68⅛
National Lead	3,100	77⅝	76⅛	77
National R. R. of M. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	38
New York Central	6,100	140¼	138	138⅛
New York, O. & W.	3,300	53	51⅛	51½
Norfolk & Western	5,400	90¼	89⅛	89⅝
Norfolk & W. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	90
North American	1,000	97⅛	96⅛	96⅛
Pacific Mail	800	40	39	39⅛
Pennsylvania	29,300	134⅛	133	133⅛
People's Gas	.....	.....	.....	91½
P., C., C. & St. Louis	100	85	85	82
Pressed Steel Car	1,000	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛
Pressed Steel Car pfd.	.....	.....	.....	97
Pullman Palace Car	100	230	230	226
Reading	234,500	141⅛	139⅝	140⅛
Reading 1st pfd.	100	92	92	91
Reading 2d pfd.	200	98⅛	98	95
Republic Steel	500	28⅛	28⅛	27⅛
Republic Steel pfd.	1,400	102	102⅛	102⅛
Rock Island Co.	1,400	26⅛	26	25⅛
Rock Island Co. pfd.	1,000	64⅛	64	64⅛
Rubber Goods	.....	.....	.....	40
Rubber Goods pfd.	.....	.....	.....	100
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd.	.....	.....	.....	45
St. Louis S. W.	200	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
St. Louis S. W. pfd.	200	54⅛	53⅛	54
Southern Pacific	19,300	66⅛	65⅛	65⅛
Southern Pacific pfd.	.....	.....	.....	118⅛
Southern Railway	22,700	38	38	38⅛
So. Railway pfd.	.....	.....	.....	98⅛
Tennessee Coal & Iron	3,200	152⅛	151⅛	151⅛
Texas & Pacific	2,400	30⅛	30	32⅛
Toledo, St. L. & W.	100	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛
Toledo, St. L. & W. pfd.	100	50	50	49⅛
Union Pacific	84,600	150⅛	148⅛	150⅛
Union Pacific pfd.	200	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
United States Express	.....	.....	.....	108
United States Realty	1,700	91	87⅛	90⅛
United States Rubber	700	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛
U. S. Rubber pfd.	400	109⅛	109⅛	109⅛
United States Steel	62,400	41⅛	40⅛	41⅛
U. S. Steel pfd.	4,300	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
Va.-Carolina Chemical	900	41	40⅛	40⅛
Va.-Carolina Chem. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	108
Wabash	700	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Wabash pfd.	6,200	50⅛	48⅛	48⅛
Wells-Fargo Express	100	260	260	260
Westinghouse Electric	.....	.....	.....	158
Western Union	200	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
Wheeling & Lake Erie	500	18⅛	18	18
Wisconsin Central	200	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Wisconsin Central pfd.	100	50	50	50⅛
Northern Pacific	7,200	209⅛	204⅛	207⅛
Central Leather	2,800	42⅛	42	42⅛
Central Leather pfd.	100	105	105	104⅛
Sloss-Sheffield Steel	3,100	80⅛	79⅛	79⅛
Great Northern pfd.	300	306	302	304

Total sales for the day, 1,100,300 shares.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, May 25.—Bank clearings for today were $1,642,955.26 and for the corresponding date last year $1,296,970.17.

Bank of France Statement.

PARIS, May 25.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes: Notes in circulation decreased 49,100,000 francs; treasury deposits increased 27,525,000 francs; general deposits decreased 9,575,000 francs; gold in hand increased 5,450,000 francs; silver in hand increased 2,750,000 francs; bills discounted decreased 42,825,000 francs; advances decreased 1,300,000 francs.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, May 25.—MONEY—On call, steady at 3½@5 per cent; ruling rate, 4 per cent; closing bid, 3½ per cent; offered at 4 per cent; time loans, firmer; sixty days, 4¼@4½ per cent; ninety days, 4½@4⅝ per cent; six months, 4⅝@5 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4⅝@5¼ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady at $4.8525@4.8530 for demand and at $4.8205@4.8210 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, $4.83 and $4.86½; commercial bills, $4.81⅝.

SILVER—Bar, 67⅜c; Mexican dollars, 52½c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, firm.

Quotations on New York bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	103½	Japan 6s, 2d series	98¼
do coupon	103¾	do 4s	85¾
U. S. 3s, reg.	102⅝	do 4½s ctfs.	93½
do coupon	102⅝	do 2d series	92⅝
U. S. old 4s, reg.	103¼	L. & N. uni. 4s	102
do coupon	103¼	Man. c. g. 4s	101
U. S. n. 4s, reg.	128⅝	Mex. Central 4s	79½
do coupon	128⅝	do 1st inc.	21⅝
Am. Tobacco 4s	79¼	Minn. & St. L. 4s	90
do 6s	118	M., K. & T. 4s	101½
Atchison gen. 4s	102	do 2s	86⅝
do adj. 4s	94⅝	N. R. R. of M. c. 4s	84
Atlantic C. L. 4s	100½	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	98⅝
Bal. & Ohio 4s	102¼	N. J. C. g. 5s	127½
do 3½s	95½	No. Pacific 4s	103⅝
Brk. R. T. c. 4s	97⅝	do 3s	76
Central of Ga. 5s	111	N. & W. c. 4s	100½
do 1st inc.	98	O. S. L. rfdg. 4s	95⅝
do 2d inc.	90	Penn. conv. 3½s	98
do 3d inc.	89	Reading gen. 4s	101
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	105½	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	113⅛
Chicago & A. 3½s	79⅝	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	85½
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	99⅝	St. L. S. W. c. 4s	80
C., R. I. & P. 4s	78¼	Seaboard A. L. 4s	87½
do col. 5s	90⅝	So. Pacific 4s	92⅝
CCC. & St. L. g. 4s	102½	do 1st 4s ctfs.	96⅝
Colo. Ind. 5s, ser. A.	78⅝	So. Railway 5s	117½
do series B.	75¼	Texas & P. 1s	122
Colo. Midland 4s	76½	T., St. L. & W. 4s	80⅝
Colo. & So. 4s	93½	Union Pacific 4s	104⅝
Cuba 5s	104½	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	98¼
D. & R. G. 4s	100	Wabash 1s	114
Distillers' Sec. 5s	90	do deb. B.	80⅝
Erie p. l. 4s	101¼	Western Md. 4s	88½
do gen. 4s	93	W. & L. E. 4s	88¼
Hocking Val. 4½s	106¼	Wis. Central 4s	92½
Japan 6s	99⅝		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, May 25.—Call loans, 4@5 per cent; time loans, 4⅝@5½ per cent. Official closing on stocks and bonds:

Atchison adj. 4s	94	Westing. common	77
do 4s	101¼	Adventure	5
Mex. Central 4s	77½	Allouez	39
Atchison	89½	Amalgamated	108⅝
do pfd	104¼	American Zinc	108
Mex. Central 4s	77½	Atlantic	13¼
Atchison	89½	Bingham	34⅝
do pfd.	102¼	Cal. & Hecla	690
Boston & Albany	252	Centennial	24
*Boston & Maine	179	Copper Range	76⅝
Boston Elevated	155	Daly West	16⅝
Fitchburg pfd	139	Franklin	17½
Mex. Central	22¼	Granby	12⅝
N. Y., N. H. & H.	197	Isle Royale	20½
Union Pacific	150	Mass. Mining	7⅞
Amer. Arge. Chem.	25	Michigan	12⅝
do pfd	95	Mohawk	65¼
Amer. Pneu. Tube	21½	Mont. C. & C.	3½
Amer. Sugar	135¼	Old Dominion	41½
do pfd	134	Osceola	110
Amer. T. & T.	137¼	Parrot	28½
Amer. Woolen	37	Quincy	99
do pfd	106½	Shannon	9¼
Dominion I. & S.	31½	Tamarack	100
Edison Elec. Illu.	245	Trinity	9¼
Mass. Electric	20	United Copper	64½
do pfd	65¼	U. S. Mining	56⅝
Mass. Gas	35¼	U. S. Oil	12
United Fruit	110	Utah	63
United Shoe Mach.	81	Victoria	7¼
do pfd	30½	Winona	7
U. S. Steel	41	Wolverine	135
do pfd	105⅝	North Butte	39

*Asked.

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, May 25.—Closing quotations on the Stock exchange were:

Consols, money	89 11-16	N. Y. Central	142¼
do account	89⅝	Norfolk & W.	92½
Anaconda	13⅝	do pfd	94
Atchison	92¼	Ontario & W.	54½
do pfd	106½	Pennsylvania	68⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	111⅝	Rand Mines	6¼
Canadian Pacific	164½	Reading	71⅝
Ches. & Ohio	61¼	do 1st pfd	47
Chicago Gt. W.	19⅝	do 2d pfd	49
C., M. & St. P.	174	Southern Railway	39⅝
DeBeers	15⅝	do pfd	100
Denver & R. G.	44½	Southern Pacific	68¼
do pfd	90	Union Pacific	154⅝
Erie	47½	do pfd	96
do 1st pfd	82½	U. S. Steel	42⅝
do 2d pfd	74	do pfd	109½
Illinois Central	179	Wabash	22
Louisville & N.	150⅝	do pfd	50½
M., K. & T.	35½	Spanish 4s	93¼

SILVER—Bar, steady, 31 3-16d per ounce.

MONEY—3@3¼ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅝ per cent; for three months' bills, 3½@3 9-16 per cent.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

Adams Con.	20	Little Chief	6
Alice	325	Ontario	215
Breece	30	Ophir	375
*Brunswick Con	55	Phoenix	2
Comstock Tunnel	22	Potosi	15
Con. Cal. & Va.	90	Savage	70
Horn Silver	200	Sierra Nevada	25
Iron Silver	350	Small Hopes	30
Leadville Con	4	Standard	200

*Offered.

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, May 25.—Rates for money were firm in the market today and the supplies were much wanted. The calls included $5,000,000 for Canadian Pacific stock. Discounts were firm, due partly to talk of probable American competition for gold next week. Business on the stock exchange continued steady without much expansion. Consols hardened on moderate investment purchases. Home rails improved. Americans were active and firm. They opened above parity and improved during the morning on Wall street support, especially in the case of coal lines. Later New York advices were responsible for further hardening of prices, which closed firm, though a shade below the best quotations of the day. Foreigners were quietly steady. Kaffirs had a better tone. Japanese imperial 6s of 1904 were quoted at 101¾.

PARIS, May 25.—Prices generally on the Bourse today were unsteady. Russians were unsteady and the market closed dull. Imperial Russian 4s were quoted at 82.30 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 490.50.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $158,720,031; gold coin and bullion, $73,196,397; gold certificates, $43,677,900.

Wool Market.

BOSTON, May 25.—WOOL—The Boston Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow of the wool market: There is a slightly better undertone to the market and buyers are showing more interest in the limited offerings. The bulk of the business is being done in foreign wool. A few lines of fine medium Utah and new Montana clip have been purchased at 25c. Sales of wool, including Montana, are reported at prices considerably under those ruling in the west. Some selections are 4c cheaper in the greasies. Fine clothing sells at 70c and fine medium, 66@68c. Half blood is firm, at 68@70c, three-eighths at 63@65c and quarter blood at 60@62c. Fleeces are dull, although a few lots of quarter blood are moving at 31@32c for Ohio and 32c for Michigan. Three-eighths is being taken in a similar manner, at 32@33c and 31@32c respectively. Washed Ohio delaine sells in a cleaning up way at 36@36½c. Texas and California wools are quiet; quotations are nominally steady. Pulled wools are having a fair movement, at 60@64c for A supers, while B supers range from 52c, for ordinary ones, up to 6c for high whites touching the A grade. Leading Boston dealers are still waiting for the territory sheepmen to modify their demands, but other firms are picking up wools here and there. On Tuesday the first Oregon sale was held at Pendleton and about 1,000,000 pounds were bought at prices that will mean an average clean cost of 72c. A sale was held on the following day, but bids were so unsatisfactory to growers that about two-thirds of the offers were withdrawn. At Bitter Creek, Wyo., sales have been made at 20½@22c, but some growers, dissatisfied with the bids, have consigned their wools to Boston and Philadelphia. The shipments of wool from Boston today, from December 7, 1905, are 23,-287,368 pounds, against 100,685,607 pounds at the same time last year. The receipts are 99,759,042 pounds against 117,806,195 pounds for the same period last year.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—WOOL—Steady; medium grades, combing and clothing, 25@30c; fine, 22@25½c; heavy fine, 18@20c; tub washed, 33@39½c.

Cotton Market.

NEW ORLEANS, May 25.—COTTON—Spot closed firm; sales, 2,425 bales; ordinary, 8 9-16c; good ordinary, 9⅞c; low middling, 10 1-16c; middling, 11 5-16c; good middling, 11 5-16c; middling fair, 12 3-16c. Receipts were 2,488 bales; stock, 128,396 bales.

LIVERPOOL, May 25.—COTTON—Spot in fair demand; prices 5 points higher; American middling fair, 6.66d; good middling, 6.20d; middling, 6.20d; low middling, 6.02d; good ordinary, 5.84d; ordinary, 5.64d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 bales were for speculation and export and included 8,700 bales American. Receipts, 1,000 bales, including 600 bales American.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 11⅛c; sales none; receipts none; shipments, 250 bales; stock, 32,000 bales.

Toledo Seed Market.

TOLEDO, O., May 25.—SEED—Cash clover, $6.80; October, $6.65; prime timothy, $1.60; No. 2 rye, 64c.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Trade Without New or Interesting Features.

BETTER PRICES REALIZED FOR HOGS

No Sheep or Lambs in Sight to Make Test of Values—Eastern Markets Decidedly Lower for the Week.

SOUTH OMAHA, May 25, 1906.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	3,745	8,263	4,119
Official Tuesday	6,678	19,193	3,948
Official Wednesday	4,732	15,935	2,527
Official Thursday	2,042	14,443	1,861
Official Friday	1,116	9,225	....
Five days this week	19,313	67,059	12,465
Same days last week	18,740	33,775	13,404
Same week before	20,900	36,518	21,503
Same three weeks ago	19,011	43,029	27,862
Same four weeks ago	14,165	53,774	26,207
Same days last year	16,536	64,616	28,296

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, compared with last year:

	1906.	1905.	Inc.
Cattle	388,441	331,602	56,839
Hogs	1,077,050	953,626	123,424
Sheep	707,065	659,592	47,463

CATTLE QUOTATIONS.

The following will show the prices paid for the different kinds of cattle on the South Omaha market:

Good to choice corn-fed steers	$4.80@5.50
Fair to choice corn-fed steers	$4.65@4.80
Common to fair corn-fed steers	4.00@4.65
Good to choice cows and heifers	4.00@4.65
Fair to good cows and heifers	3.00@4.00
Common to fair cows and heifers	2.00@3.00
Good to choice stockers & feeders	4.00@4.65
Fair to good stockers and feeders	3.40@4.00
Common to fair stockers	3.00@3.40
Bulls, stags, etc.	2.50@4.25
Veal calves	3.00@6.00

The following table shows the average price of hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

Date.	1906.	1905.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.	1900.
May 15...	6 29⅝	5 15	*	6 34	7 11	5 66	5 21
May 16...	6 29	5 20	4 61	6 35	7 07	5 69	5 23
May 17...	6 33¼	5 28	4 63	*	7 12	5 72	5 20
May 18...	6 37½	5 26	4 52	6 27	*	5 74	5 11
May 19...	6 35½	5 20	4 47	6 32	7 12	*	5 11
May 20...	*	5 24	4 46	6 27	7 11	5 73	*
May 21...	6 29⅝	*	4 41	6 25	7 07	5 68	5 00
May 22...	6 23	5 29	*	6 19	7 02	5 64	5 08
May 23...	6 19	5 28	4 37	6 19	7 08	5 62	5 01
May 24...	6 22½	5 17	4 35	*	7 06	5 67	5 04
May 25...		5 16	4 34	6 04	*	5 62	5 05

*Sunday.

RANGE OF PRICES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.
Omaha	$1.75@5.75	$5.00@6.37½
Chicago	1.75@5.90	5.50@6.57½
Kansas City	2.50@6.60	5.40@6.42½
St. Louis	2.00@6.00	5.90@6.55
Sioux City	3.00@5.20	6.15@6.35

THURSDAY'S SHIPMENTS.

The following shows the number of cars of stockers and feeders shipped to the country and their points of destination:

CATTLE.	Cars.
H. Voepel, Springfield, Neb.—M. P.	1
S. Bartling, Hooper, Neb.—F. E.	1
Butler & M., Gilliatt, Ia.—Q.	1
F. Bock, West Side, Ia.—N. W.	1
F. E. Anderson, Boyer, Ia.—N. W.	1
E. H. Hotchkill, Valparaiso, Neb.—I. C.	1
Fineran Bros., Denison, Ia.—I. C.	1

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

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sh'p.	H'r's.
C., M. & St. P.	..	1	..	..
Wabash	..	1	..	..
Missouri Pacific	1	2	..	..
U. P. System	10	31	..	1
C. & N. W., east	1	5	..	..
C. & N. W., west	23	46	..	..
C., St. P., M. & O.	..	6	..	..
C., B. & Q., east	5	3	..	..
C., B. & Q., west	2	25	..	..
C., R. I. & P., east	2	6	..	1
C., R. I. & P., west	..	1	..	..
Illinois Central	..	2	..	..
Chicago Gt. Western	..	1	..	..
Total receipts	44	130	..	2

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

	Cattle.	Hogs.
Omaha Packing Co.	1,404	....
Swift and Company	217	2,079
Cudahy Packing Company	382	3,064
Armour & Co.	270	2,640
Vansant & Co.	92	....
W. I. Stephen	2	....
Hill & Son	5	....
J. B. Root & Co.	10	....
Other buyers	119	....
Total	1,100	9,222

CATTLE—Receipts of cattle this morning were very small, even for a Friday, only forty-five cars being reported in, the total for the week, however, is large as compared with all previous weeks of recent date. It was just as well after the large runs that the market should have a breathing spell and an opportunity for recovery.

Hardly enough fat cattle were in sight to really make a test of the market, but such as there were sold generally at steady prices, there being no quotable change in the market in any direction. The quality of the cattle was nothing extra, so that sales on paper do not show up especially well.

Only a very few loads of cows and heifers in addition to a few odds and ends were on sale. As was the case with beef steers, the market did not show any material change, being generally steady with yesterday.

Four or five cars constituted about all the stockers and feeders there were in the yards and the trading in that department was entirely devoid of new or interesting features.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	520	2 50	50	1029	4 80
4	975	4 15	3	958	4 80
20	627	4 30	18	1209	4 85
17	755	4 50	18	1201	4 90
20	1000	4 55	20	1158	4 95
18	1125	4 60	19	1150	4 95
1	1110	4 65	20	1243	5 00
16	1158	4 65	80	1088	5 00
22	1048	4 65	11	1306	5 10
20	1164	4 70	19	1207	5 15
7	1142	4 75	55	1299	5 15
3	1135	4 75	34	1387	5 20
30	1262	4 80	21	1379	5 30
21	1209	4 80			

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	685	1 75	7	1131	3 50
1	850	2 00	1	1040	3 75
2	765	2 35	1	1070	3 75
1	970	2 50	1	785	3 90
1	1020	2 70	18	791	3 95
1	1010	2 90	1	1180	4 00
7	738	3 00	16	1002	4 15
1	1060	3 65	6	1118	4 25
1	1170	3 75	3	1000	4 30
1	1150	3 85	1	1470	4 50
3	910	3 00	1	950	4 35
1	1020	3 10	3	1122	4 35
1	1220	3 25	3	1458	4 40
3	840	3 40	2	1270	4 50
1	1100	3 90			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	420	3 00	9	1032	3 65
1	300	3 00	21	890	4 15
4	675	3 10	4	1097	4 30

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1420	3 40	1	1440	3 85
1	1270	3 75	1	1650	4 00
1	1740	3 80	1	1410	4 10
1	1720	3 90			

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	80	3 50	2	245	6 00
1	290	5 25	1	180	6 00
2	130	5 50	1	140	6 00
1	110	5 75	1	190	6 00

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	489	3 40	1	930	4 10
2	636	3 60	5	736	4 15
1	340	3 75	5	590	4 25
1	690	3 90	27	499	4 40
5	768	4 10	40	835	4 60
4	827	4 10			

HOGS—The slight reaction which took place in hog values yesterday was followed by a more substantial advance today. The trade opened a little slow, with packers bidding $6.30@6.32½ for the general run of hogs, the first bids being largely at $6.30. Salesmen, however, seemed to feel that after so much grief during the last week they were entitled to even more advance than that and were generally refusing to sell at the opening bids. As the demand proved to be quite extensive packers gradually strengthened their bids, until $6.32½ became the prevailing price for good hogs, at which the bulk of the receipts changed hands. This was practically 10c higher than yesterday's market, when $6.22½ bought almost everything in the yards. There was, however, quite a sprinkling at $6.30 today as against $6.20 yesterday. The market was active at the advance and everything in sight sold in good season, the close being strong. It would be well for shippers to note that heavy hogs are being given the preference, the demand for that kind being much better as compared to light hogs than was the case a short time ago. Yesterday and today's advance makes up for most of the decline suffered this week, leaving the market only about 2½c lower than it was at the close of last week, or 5c lower than last Friday.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
2	90	...	5 00	54	202	...	6 32½
97	182	...	6 30	77	208	40	6 32½
74	202	...	6 30	82	214	200	6 32½
64	265	200	6 30	81	231	120	6 32½
56	212	...	6 30	73	248	120	6 32½
89	218	120	6 30	66	208	80	6 32½
51	282	...	6 30	[illegible]	[illegible]	120	6 32½
81	207	40	6 30	70	224	80	6 32½
59	197	...	6 30	71	233	200	6 32½
76	214	...	6 30	74	238	80	6 32½
83	190	...	6 30	53	261	...	6 32½
53	216	240	6 30	66	247	80	6 32½
77	200	200	6 30	61	211	...	6 32½
68	201	80	6 30	86	263	...	6 32½
79	181	120	6 30	59	252	40	6 32½
75	221	240	6 30	10	270	40	6 32½
71	233	80	6 30	71	222	40	6 32½
73	190	240	6 30	66	289	40	6 32½
62	224	160	6 30	71	200	120	6 32½
65	208	80	6 30	79	215	120	6 32½
64	229	40	6 30	66	264	40	6 32½
76	226	40	6 30	72	240	80	6 32½
60	259	80	6 30	74	215	...	6 32½
69	241	80	6 30	74	226	...	6 32½
73	200	80	6 30	67	221	120	6 32½
70	240	80	6 30	62	251	...	6 32½
71	248	...	6 30	40	245	80	6 32½
18	244	...	6 30	61	223	...	6 32½
73	189	80	6 30	60	265	...	6 32½
69	243	80	6 30	62	204	40	6 32½
62	277	160	6 30	76	217	...	6 32½
79	216	160	6 30	71	242	80	6 32½
71	257	80	6 30	74	[illegible]	80	6 32½
62	240	160	6 30	79	229	...	6 32½
33	180	...	6 30	74	228	80	6 32½
64	296	40	6 32½	71	243	...	6 32½
66	257	160	6 32½	79	202	120	6 32½
74	228	120	6 32½	57	261	40	6 32½
60	248	...	6 32½	142	275	120	6 35
73	241	280	6 32½	65	260	160	6 35
75	233	80	6 32½	71	255	120	6 35
71	246	80	6 32½	69	264	40	6 35
67	262	80	6 32½	68	267	80	6 35
81	222	...	6 32½	73	254	80	6 35
72	237	80	6 32½	64	253	...	6 35
76	242	160	6 32½	71	241	...	6 35
74	217	...	6 32½	62	257	40	6 35
61	211	160	6 32½	69	250	80	6 35
66	248	40	6 32½	64	254	80	6 35
78	210	120	6 32½	58	253	160	6 35
72	230	120	6 32½	62	266	...	6 35
70	230	...	6 32½	62	238	40	6 37½
71	250	120	6 32½	57	279	80	6 40
74	255	...	6 32½				

STAGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
1	450	80	5 80	1	700	80	5 80
1	390	80	5 60	1	520	80	5 35
1	530	80	5 25				

SHEEP—Not a single car of sheep was received today and there was nothing to make a market. The big sheep barn was deserted and there was absolutely nothing doing. It was apparent, however, that packers had use for fresh supplies, as their buyers were inquiring as to the possibility of getting something in on Saturday.

As noted yesterday the market is in very good condition at this point, due to the good demand and to the very light receipts. Yesterday good western lambs sold as high as $6.75, while at Chicago the best price was only $6.60 and the lambs selling at that figure were quoted as very choice. Native ewes were hit hard at Chicago during the last two days, the best selling there at $6.00, as against $6.50 on Monday. The few native ewes at this point yesterday, which were very good, sold as high as $6.25.

While the prices prevailing at South Omaha are very strong, as noted above, it will be understood that there is a feeling that with large receipts weakness would be almost certain to result, owing to the heavy declines that have taken place this week at Chicago, consequent upon heavy shipments to that point.

Quotations on clipped stock: Good to choice western lambs, $6.50@6.75; fair to good lambs, $6.00@6.50; cull lambs, $4.50@5.25; good to choice yearlings, $5.75@6.25; fair to good yearlings, $5.50@5.75; good to choice wethers, $5.75@6.00; fair to good wethers, $5.50@5.75; good to choice ewes, $5.50@5.75; fair to good ewes, $4.75@5.50; bucks, $4.25@4.75.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Dull—Hogs Ten to Fifteen Cents Higher—Sheep Steady.

CHICAGO, May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500 head; market dull; common to prime steers, $4.00@6.30; cows, $3.25@5.00; heifers, $2.75@5.35; bulls, $3.25@4.25; calves, $2.75@6.75; stockers and feeders, $2.75@5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,000 head; market, 10@15c higher; choice to prime heavy, $6.52½@6.57½; medium to good heavy, $6.50@6.52½; butcher weights, $6.50@6.57½; good to choice heavy mixed, $6.45@6.55; packing, $6.00@6.52½.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market, steady; sheep, $5.50@6.25; yearlings, $5.75@6.10; shorn lambs, $5.60@6.60.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, May 25.—BEEVES—Receipts, 3,324 head; market slow to 10c lower; fat bulls steady; bologna bulls higher; cows firm to a shade higher, steers, $4.70@5.50; extra, $5.90; bulls, $3.30@4.35; cows, $2.40@4.30. Liverpool and London cables quoted live cattle easy, at 11@12c per pound dressed weight; sheep firm, at 14@15c per pound dressed weight; refrigerator beef lower, at 8¾@8½c per pound. Exports tomorrow, 1,010 cattle and 7,275 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, 418 head; market steady to strong; veals, $5.00@7.12½; extra selected, $7.50; dressed calves, firm; city dressed veals, 7@11c per pound; country dressed, 6½@9½c.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,439 head; market full steady; state hogs, $6.85@7.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 3,054 head; market sheep steady; yearlings, nominal; spring lambs, steady; sheep, $4.50@5.25; choice and export wethers, $5.75@6.00; spring lambs, $5.00@8.25.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,200 head, including 500 southerns; market steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5.25@5.55; fair to good, $4.25@5.30; western fed steers, $3.75@5.30; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.50; southern steers, $3.50@4.50; southern cows, $2.50@4.00; native cows, $2.50@4.50; native heifers, $3.40@5.25; bulls, $3.00@4.50; calves, $3.25@6.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 800 head; market 10@15c higher; top, $6.50; bulk of sales, $6.35@6.45; heavy, $6.35@6.50; packers, $6.40@6.45; pigs and lights, $5.50@6.40.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 3,000 head; market steady; native lambs, $6.00@7.50; fed sheep and yearlings, $5.00@6.20; western clipped yearlings, $5.25@6.25; western clipped sheep, $5.00@6.00; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.00.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000 head, including 800 Texans; market natives steady, Texans strong; Native shipping and export steers, $4.65@6.00; dressed beef and butcher steers, $3.80@5.40; steers under 1,000 pounds, $3.50@4.65; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.60; cows and heifers, $2.00@5.15; canners, $1.50@2.25; bulls, $2.50@4.00; calves, $2.75@6.25; Texas and Indian steers, $3.00@4.85; cows and heifers, $2.10@4.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market 10@15c higher; pigs and lights, $5.90@6.50; packers, $6.20@6.50; butchers and best heavy, $6.40@6.55.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 500 head; market strong; native muttons, $4.10@6.10; lambs, $5.00@8.25; culls and bucks, $3.75@6.00; stockers, $2.75@4.00.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, May 25.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 300 head; market steady; beeves, $4.00@5.20; cows, bulls and mixed, $3.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.25; calves and yearlings, $3.00@4.10.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,400 head; market 10c higher, selling at $6.15@6.35; bulk of sales, $6.20@6.32½.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,100 head; market steady.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 797 head; market steady; natives, $4.50@5.75; cows and heifers, $1.75@4.75; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.15.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,919 head; market 10@15c higher; light, $6.25@6.40; medium and heavy, $6.30@6.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 556 head; market steady; lambs, $7.40.

Stock in Sight.

Receipts of live stock at the six principal western markets yesterday:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	1,116	9,225	....
Sioux City	300	5,000	500
Kansas City	1,200	800	3,000
St. Joseph	797	4,919	556
St. Louis	1,000	5,000	500
Chicago	1,500	11,000	5,000
Total	5,913	35,944	9,556

Oils and Rosin.

NEW YORK, May 25.—OILS—Cottonseed oil, steady; prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 20@21c, nominal; prime yellow, 27½@28½c. Petroleum, steady; refined New York, $7.80; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, $5.65. Turpentine, steady at 70@71½c.

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 25.—OIL—Turpentine, firm at 59½c.

ROSIN—Firm; A, B and C, $3.80; D, $4.00; E, $4.35; F, $4.50; H, $4.55; K, $4.65; N, $4.70; WG, $4.70@4.80; WW, $4.80@4.85.

OIL CITY, Pa., May 25.—OIL—Credit balances, $1.64; shipments, 58,938 bbls.; average, 61,647 bbls.; runs, 86,480 bbls.; average, 65,576 bbls.; shipments, Lima, 49,180 bbls.; average, 64,242 bbls.; runs, Lima, 46,435 bbls.; average, 39,807 bbls.

Sugar and Molasses.

NEW YORK, May 25.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 2 19-32@2 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 13-32@3 7-16c; molasses sugar, 2 21-32@2 11-16c; refined, steady; crushed, 5.20c; powdered, 4.60c; granulated, 4.50c.

NEW ORLEANS, May 25.—SUGAR—Market quiet; open kettle, Centrifugal whites, 3@3 7-16c; Centrifugal whites, 3⅝@4c; yellows, 3⅝@3¾c; seconds, 2@3½c.

MOLASSES—Nominal; open kettle, 17@30c; centrifugal, 7@20c.

SYRUP—Nominal; 25@30c.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, May 25.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market shows no fresh feature; strictly prime, 11c; choice, 11¼@11½c; fancy, 11¾@12c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes are unchanged, with quotations ranging from 7⅛c for 50-60's to 8⅝c. Apricots are in very small supply on spot, with choice quoted at 12½c; extra choice, 13@13½c; fancy, 14@14½c. Peaches are more active as to futures, but spot supplies being light, hardly any business is reported. Choice, 11c; extra choice, 11¼@11½c; fancy, 11¾@12c; extra fancy, 12@12½c. Raisins are very quiet; loose muscatel, 6@6⅝c; seeded raisins, 5¼@7⅝c; London layers, $1.50@1.60.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Receipts, liberal; fresh stock, case count, 15c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 10½c; roosters, 6@7c; turkeys, 15c; ducks, 11c; spring chickens, $4.00@6.00 per dozen.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 12½c; choice to fancy dairy, 15c; creamery, 21@21½c.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Feed company: No. 1 upland, $10.50; medium, $9.50; coarse, $9.00. Rye straw, $6.50.

BRAN—Per ton, $17.50.

NEW VEGETABLES.

TOMATOES—Florida, per crate of 20 lbs., net, $3.00.

WAX BEANS—Per box of about 25 lbs., $3.00.

STRING BEANS—Per box of about 15 lbs., net, $1.00.

TURNIPS, BEETS AND CARROTS—Louisiana, per doz. bunches, 45c.

HEAD LETTUCE—Home grown, per doz. heads, 45@60c.

LEAF LETTUCE—Hothouse, per doz. heads, 35c.

CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, per doz., 75c.

ONIONS—Colorado, yellow and red, 1½c per lb.; Texas, in crates, white, $1.75; yellow, $1.25.

MUSHROOMS—Hothouse, per lb., 50@60c.

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 25c.

CABBAGE—California, 2⅜@3c per lb.

CELERY—Florida, $1.00 per doz.

OLD VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Home grown, per bu., 50@60c; South Dakota, per bu., 65c; Colorado, per bu., 80c.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., $1.85; No. 2, $1.75.

LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 5½c.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

DATES—Per box of 30-lb pkgs., $2.00; Hallowe'en, in 70-lb boxes, per box, 5c. Sayers, per lb., 4c; walnut stuffed, 1-lb. pkgs, $2.00 per doz.; 8-lb boxes, $1.00.

ORANGES—California, extra fancy Redland, large sizes, $3.50@3.75; Mediterranean sweets, all sizes, $3.50@4.00; fancy navels, $5.00.

LEMONS—Limoniers, extra fancy, 240 size, $5.00; 300 to 360 size, $5.95.

FIGS—California, per 10-lb. carton, 75@85c; imported Smyrna, three-crown, 11c; six-crown, 13c.

BANANAS—Per medium sized bunch, $1.75@2.25; jumbos, $2.50@3.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—California, per box, $4.50.

PINEAPPLES—Sizes 24, 30 and 36, $5.00; size 42, $3.50.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Utah, Ben Davis, $2 per bu. box; Winesaps, $2.50 per bu. box; other varieties, $2.00@2.50 per bu. New York apples and Russets, $5.50 per bbl.

CHERRIES—California, $2.00 per 8-lb. box.

BEEF CUTS.

Ribs: No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 10c; No. 3, 8c.
Loin: No. 1, 14c; No. 2, 12c; No. 3, 11c.
Chuck: No. 1, 5½c; No. 2, 5¼c; No. 3, 5c.
Round: No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7⅝c; No. 3, 7¼c.
Plate: No. 1, 3c; No. 2, 3c; No. 3, 2½c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CIDER—Per keg, $3.75; per bbl., $6.75.

HONEY—New, per 24 lbs., $3.60.

CHEESE—Swiss, new, 16c; Wisconsin brick, 12c; Wisconsin limberger, 13c; twins, 13½c; Young Americans, 15c.

NUTS—Walnuts, No. 1, soft shells, new crop, per lb., 15½c; hard shells, per lb., 13½c. Pecans, large, per lb., 14c; small, per lb., 12c. Peanuts, per lb., 6½c; roasted, per lb., 8c. Chili walnuts, per lb., 12@13½c. Almonds, soft shells, per lb., 17c; hard shells, per lb., 15c. Cocoanuts, $4 per sack of 100.

FRESH FISH—Trout, 11c; halibut, 11c; pickerel, dressed, 7c; white bass, 11c; sunfish, 6c; perch, skinned and dressed, 8c; pike, 9@10c; redsnapper, 11c; salmon, 13c; crapples, 6c; eels, 15c; black bass, 22c; whitefish, 10@12c; frog legs, per doz., 55c; lobsters, green, 15c; boiled lobsters, 42c; bluefish, 15c; herring, 5c; Spanish mackerel, 16c; haddock, 10c; shrimp, $1 per gal.; smelts, 12c; cod, 13c; bullheads, 13c; catfish, 15c; roe shad, 75c; flounders, 11c.

HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—No. 1 green hides, 9c; No. 2, 8c; No. 1 salted, 11c; No. 2, 10c; bull hides, 7½@8½c; dry hides, 12@20c; horse hides, large, $3; small, $2; sheep pelts, each, 50@$1.25. Tallow, No. 1, 4⅜c; No. 2, 3⅝c; rough, 1½c.

SUGAR—Granulated cane, in bbls., $4.96; granulated cane, in sacks, $4.91; granulated beet, in sacks, $4.81.

SYRUP—In barrels, 24c per gal.; in cases, 6 10-lb. cans, $1.60; cases, 11 5-lb. cans, $2.80; cases, 24 2½-lb. cans, $1.90.

COFFEE—Roasted, No. 35, 25½c per lb.; No. 30, 20½c per lb.; No. 25, 18½c per lb.; No. 20, 15½c per lb.; No. 21, 12½c per lb.

CURED FISH—Family whitefish, per ½ bbl., 100 lbs., $4.50; Norway mackerel, per bbl., 200 lbs., bloaters, $40.00; No. 1, $28.00; No. 2, $26.00; No. 3, $20.00; Irish, No. 2, $16.00; herring, in bbls., 200 lbs. each, Norway, 4k, $13.00; Norway, 3k, $12.00; Holland, mixed, $11.50; Holland herring, in kegs, milkers, 80c; kegs, mixed, 70c.

CANNED GOODS—Corn, standard western, 55@60c; Maine, $1.15. Tomatoes, 3-lb. cans, $1.25@1.50; 2-lb., 97½c@$1.00. Pineapples, grated, 2-lb., $2.05@2.20; sliced, $1.90@2.20. Gallon apples, fancy, $3.90; California apricots, $1.40@2.00; pears, $1.75@2.50; peaches, fancy, $1.75@2.40; H. C. peaches, $2.00@2.50. Alaska salmon, red, $1.25; fancy Chinook, F., $2.10; fancy sockeye, F., $1.95; sardines, ¼ oil, $3.50; ¾ mustard, $3.50@3.10. Sweet potatoes, $1.15@1.25; sauer kraut, $1.00; pumpkins, 80c@$1.00; wax beans, 2-lb., 75@80c; lima beans, 2-lb., 75c@$1.35; spinach, $1.55; cheap peas, 2-lb., 80c; extra, 75@90c; fancy, $1.35@1.75.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, May 25.—METALS—There was a sharp break in the London tin market today, speculative conditions there remaining very nervous and unsettled. Spot closed at £185 15s, and futures at £185 10s. The market here was weak, in sympathy and closed at $40.50@41.00 for spot. Copper also declined in London, closing at £85 for spot and at £84 10s for futures. Locally the copper situation was unchanged. Lake was quoted at $18.75@19.00; electrolytic, $18.37½@18.75; casting, $17.25@18.37½. Lead was 1s 3d lower, at £16 7s 3d in London. Locally the market was without further change, quotations ranging from $5.75 to $5.95. Spelter was a shade higher abroad, closing at £27 10s. The local market was dull and barely steady, with spot quoted at $5.85@5.95. Iron was lower in the English market, with standard foundry quoted at 50s 1d and Cleveland warrants at 50s 6d. Locally the market was unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $18.75@19.00; No. 2 foundry northern and No. 1 foundry southern, $18.25@18.50, and No. 2 foundry southern, $17.75@18.00.

ST. LOUIS, May 25.—METALS—Lead, lower at $5.87; spelter, quiet at $5.75 asked.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—BUTTER—Firm; extra western creamery, 20c; extra nearby prints, 22c.

EGGS—Steady; nearby fresh, 17c at mark; western fresh, 17½c at mark.

CHEESE—Firm; New York full creams, 10@10⅝c.

Great Wheat Crop in India.

LAHORE, India, May 25.—The wheat crop of the Punjab for this year has broken all records, being 500,000 tons in excess of the previous best crop.

Mrs. Davis Better.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Continued improvement was reported today in the condition of Mrs. Jefferson Davis. It is now two days since she had a sinking spell.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John W. McDonald to Ed Munshaw & Co., lot 3, block 1, Jetter's 2d add. $—
J. C. Havemeyer and wife to Mary A. Hall, lot 5, block 3, Hillside add No. 2 1,750
Winter Byles to Josephine Kelly, part lot 49, Gise's add 1,200
C. S. Shepard and wife to Shimer & Chase Co., part lot 102, Gise's add 1
Mahala E. Cox and husband to Cox Realty company, se¼ ne¼ 21-15-13 8,000
Same to same, part lot 17, block 112, South Omaha [illegible]
Fannie D. Bringle et al to A. E. Thomas, 25½ ft 8th st. and part Pierce st. north [illegible]
Hastings & Heyden to Emil Scholl, lot 5, block 1, Hastings & Heyden's add [illegible]
John L. Webster Co. to Minnie C. McCague, part lots 1 and 2, block 4, Reed's 1st add [illegible]
Robert L. Bailey to Louis and Mary Bauer, lot 6, block 11, Orchard Hill [illegible]
The Chicago Lumber company to Luis Svach, lot 9, block 1, Mayne's add [illegible]
National Life Insurance company to Kate A. O'Hanlon, part lots 13 and 14, block 7, Hanscom Place [illegible]
William M. Hastings to Grace C. Wilbur, part lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, block 7, Hanscom Place 2,800
Bertha Paturel et al to Oscar B. L. Berndes, part lots 2 and 4, Collins' Place [illegible]
L. I. Abbott to same, part lots 2 and 4, Collins' Place [illegible]
William T. Wyman to E. W. Dixon, part lots 1 and 2, block 16, Parker's add., and lots 1, 2, 19 and 20, block 116, Florence 400
Harry Christopherson to Charles J. Carlson, lot 6, Moore's subdiv 2,650
Omaha Realty company to Lester G. Hicks, tax lot 14, se¼ nw¼ 21-15-13 8,000
Leslie G. Hicks to Harvey May, same 3,350