GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Declining Prices are Features of Local Wheat Pit.

SEPTEMBER CLOSE HALF-CENT LOWER

Rallies Few and Cash Houses Sell on Every Upturn—Corn Inactive and Prices Trifle Higher—Receipts Continue Light.

OMAHA, Aug. 3, 1906.

Wheat was lower early this morning, foreign news being bearish and cables lower. For a time the market rested steady on a very light trade, then followed the weakening northwestern market to a new low point. There were few rallies and cash houses stood ready to sell on any little upturn. Receipts were large and export inquiries few, and the northwest reported a poor cash demand. Considerable covering was done after reports of heavy rains in Kansas, which probably will check receipts. Bulls are looking to an export demand or an accident to the northwestern crop as their only help. The close was ½c below yesterday.

Corn was active and prices a trifle higher. Rains through the west and southwest were beneficial to the crop, but no moisture was reported in Illinois, from where some complaints of drouth have been coming. Receipts are light and the cash demand fair.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,188,000 bushels and shipments 671,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 752,000 bushels and shipments of 432,000 bushels. Corn receipts were 357,000 bushels and shipments 384,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 349,000 bushels and shipments of 6..,000 bushels. Clearances were 128,000 bushels wheat, 25,857 barrels flour, 101,000 bushels corn and 140,000 bushels oats.

Liverpool closed ⅝d lower on wheat and unchanged on corn.

The Modern Miller will say today: "Farmers' deliveries of wheat are small of soft winter and heavy of hard winter. Most of the soft winter wheat farmers refuse to sell at present prices. In Missouri feeding of wheat to hogs is reported, but so far this is of little consequence. The returns from the threshing machines indicate that the average yield per acre nearly everywhere is the largest ever reported."

Local range of options:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y
Wheat—					
Sept...	67A	67A	66½	66½B	67A
Dec...	69½A	69½A	68⅞A	*68⅞A	69½
Corn—					
Sept...	44½B	44⅞45B	44½B	44⅞A	44¾A
Dec...				42⅝	42¼A

A asked. B bid.

Omaha Cash Sales.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 1 car at 67¾c, 2 cars at 67½c; No. 3 hard, 1 car at 67c, 1 car at 66¾c, 1 car at 66c; No. 4 hard, 1 car at 64c.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 47¼c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 66@68½c; No. 3 hard, 65@68c; No. 3 spring, 68c.

CORN—No. 3, 46½@47c; No. 3 yellow, 47c; No. 3 white, 48c.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 30c; No. 3 white, 30½c; No. 4 white, 30c.

RYE—No. 2, 51c; No. 3, 50c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	392	155	250
Kansas City	300	69	17
Minneapolis	156	...	...
Omaha	122	85	10
Duluth	17	...	...
St. Louis	130	40	131

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—Likelihood of a large yield of wheat in the United States caused weakness today in the local wheat market, the September delivery closing at a net loss of ½c. Corn was up ⅛c. Oats showed a gain of ⅛c. Provisions were a shade to 32½c higher.

Sentiment in the wheat pit was bearish all day, there being very little news of a character to encourage the bulls. The volume of trading, however, was small owing to a scarcity of offerings. The principal sellers were cash houses, who sold against purchases in the country. The market was depressed at the start by a moderate decline at Liverpool. Liberal receipts in the northwest also exerted a bearish effect early in the day. Later a St. Louis trade paper's report on the winter wheat crop of the United States caused additional weakness. This report claimed that threshing returns indicated that the yield will be the largest ever harvested in this country. It also stated that farmers in Missouri are feeding wheat to the hogs. The market closed easy. September opened ⅛@¼c to ¼c lower at 73¾c to 73⅝@73¾c, sold between 73½c and 73⅞@73½c and closed at 73⅜c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 257,800 bushels. Exports for the week as shown by Bradstreets were equal to 2,895,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,188,000 bushels, compared with 752,000 bushels the corresponding day one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 545 cars, against 665 cars last week and 372 cars a year ago.

Continued absence of rain in Illinois was chiefly responsible for a firm tone in the corn market. The Missouri report showing deterioration of 1 point in the condition of the corn crop during July helped to stimulate demand. Commission houses and cash interests were the principal buyers. Selling was mainly by pit traders. The close was firm. September opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 49½@49⅝c, sold between 49⅛c and 49⅝c and closed at 49⅝c. Local receipts were 155 cars, with 74 cars of contract grade.

Despite liberal receipts, both local and at all primary points, the oats market was firm all day. The Missouri state report was the chief cause of bullish sentiment, as it showed the crop in that state to be in poor condition, threshing returns indicating a yield of only nineteen bushels to the acre. There was a good demand by commission houses throughout the entire session. September opened ⅛c to ¼c higher at 31c to 31⅛c, sold between 30⅞c and 31⅛c and closed at 31⅛c. Local receipts were 250 cars.

Provisions were strong on lively demand by shorts and commission houses. Receipts of hogs were lighter than expected and this caused much of the firmness. An advance at Liverpool was another bullish factor. At the close September pork was up 32½c at $16.97½. Lard was a shade higher at $8.87½@8.90. Ribs were 7½c higher at $9.15.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 547 cars; corn, 160 cars; oats, 237 cars; hogs, 15,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat—					
Sept...	73⅝@¾	73¾@⅞	73	73⅜	73⅞
Dec...	76⅛@¼	76⅜	75⅝	75⅞@⅞	76⅜
May...	79⅝@¾	79⅞	79	79¼	80
Corn—					
Sept...	49½@⅝	49⅝	49⅛	49⅝	49½
Dec...	46⅝	47	46⅝@⅞	46⅞@⅞	46⅝
May...	47⅝@⅝	47⅞	47⅝	47⅞	47⅝@⅝
Oats—					
Sept...	31 @⅛	31⅛	30⅞	31⅛	30⅞
Dec...	32 @⅛	32⅜	31⅞@⅛	32⅛@⅛	32
May...	34⅛@¼	34½	34	34½	34@34⅛
Pork—					
Sept...	16 80	17 00	16 80	16 97½	16 65
Lard—					
Sept...	8 82½	8 95	8 87½	8 90	8 87½
Oct...	8 97½	9 00	8 95	8 95	8 95
Nov...	8 90	8 90	8 82½	8 85	8 87½
Ribs—					
Sept...	9 12½	9 20	9 10	9 15	9 07½
Oct...	8 95	8 95	8 92½	8 95	8 85

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Easy; winter patents, $3.50@3.50; straights, $3.30@3.60; spring patents, $3.70@4.00; straights, $3.45@3.75; bakers, $2.30@2.90.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 76@76½c; No. 3, 70@76c; No. 2 red, 71⅞@72⅛c.

CORN—No. 2, 50¼@50½c; No. 2 yellow, 51¼@51½c.

OATS—No. 2, 30½c; No. 3 white, 31¼@32½c; No. 3 white, 30½@33c.

RYE—No. 2, 56c.

BARLEY—Good feeding, 35@39c; fair to choice malting, 42@46c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flax, $1.06; No. 1 northwestern, $1.09. Clover, contract grade, $12.00.

PROVISIONS—Short ribs sides (loose), $9.05@9.10. Mess pork, per bbl., $17.00@17.12½. Lard, per 100 lbs., $8.82½. Short clear sides (boxed), $9.50@9.62½.

Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:

	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.
Flour, bbls.	17,700	8,400
Wheat, bu.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn, bu.	125,300	260,300
Oats, bu.	324,000	74,300
Rye, bu.	5,800	
Barley, bu.	7,700	4,000

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 16@21c; dairies, 15@20c. Eggs, firm; at mark, cases included, 12½@16½c; firsts, 15½c; prime firsts, 17c; extras, 19c. Cheese, strong; 11@12½c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 3.—WHEAT—Spot, nominal; futures, steady; September, 6s 4⅝d; December, 6s 5⅝d; March, nominal.

CORN—Spot, quiet; American mixed, old, 4s 8½d. Futures, steady; September, 4s 6⅝d; December, 4s 7¼d.

PEAS—Canadian, steady at 6s 10d.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—FLOUR—Receipts, 16,285 bbls.; exports, 7,007 bbls. Market was dull and lower for top grades; Minnesota patents, $4.25@4.50; Minnesota bakers, $3.45@3.80; winter patents, $4.00@4.25; winter straights, $3.75@3.95; winter extras, $2.90@3.40; winter low grades, $2.60@3.35. Rye flour, quiet; fair to good, $3.40@3.80; choice to fancy, $3.85@4.10.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.20@1.25; coarse, $1.10@1.12; kiln dried, $2.75@2.85.

RYE—Nominal; No. 2 western, 67½c, f. o. b., New York.

WHEAT—Receipts, 87,900 bu. Spot market easy; No. 2 red, 87¾c, elevator, 80¼c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 85¼c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 81c, f. o. b. afloat. With few exceptions wheat was weak and lower today, touching the low point of the season. The selling motives were big receipts, favorable northwest news, less export demand and the bearish Modern Miller report. The close was ¼@⅜c net lower; May, 84⅞@85¼c, closed at 85c; September, 80@80⅛c, closed at 80⅛c; December, 82⅛@82 15-16c, closed at 82⅝c.

CORN—Receipts, 51,900 bu.; exports, 100,787 bu. Spot market steady; No. 2, 56½c, elevator, and 57¼c, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 58c; No. 2 white, 59c. The option market was without transactions and closed unchanged. September closed at 56½c, December closed at 54⅝c.

OATS—Receipts, 48,000 bu.; exports, 1,540 bu. Spot market steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs., 38c; natural white, 30 to 33 lbs., 38@39½c; clipped white, 38 to 40 lbs., 42@44½c.

HAY—Firm; shipping, 65@75c; good to choice, $1.00@1.05.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to good, 1905 crop, 10@17c; 1904 crop, nominal; olds, nominal; Pacific coast, 1905 crop, 10@18c; 1904 crop, 12c; olds, nominal.

HIDES—Steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs., 20c; California, 21 to 25 lbs., 23c; Texas dry, 23 to 30 lbs., 19c.

LEATHER—Steady; acid, 26½@27c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, steady; family, $10.50@11.00; mess, $8.00@8.50; beef hams, $21.00@22.50; packet, $9.00@9.50; city extra India mess, $16.50@17.00. Cut meats steady; pickled bellies, $11.50@13.25; pickled shoulders, $8.50@8.75; pickled hams, $12.25@12.75. Lard, firm; western prime, $8.95@9.05, nominal; refined, firm, continent, $9.00; South America, $10.00; compound, $7.12½@7.37½. Pork, steady; family, $19.50; short clear, $17.00@19.00; mess, $18.25@18.75.

TALLOW—Steady; city ($2 per pkg.), 5c; country (pkgs. free), 4⅞@5⅛c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, fair to extra, 3½@6¼c; Japan, nominal.

POULTRY—Live, slow; western chickens, 14c; fowls, 13c; turkeys, 10c. Dressed, slow and unchanged, but tone easier.

BUTTER—Steady; street price, extra creamery, 21c. Official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 15½@19c; renovated, common to extra, 16½@21c; western factory, common to firsts, 13@17c; western imitation creamery, extras, 18½c; western firsts, 16½@17½c.

CHEESE—Steady; new state, full cream, large, fancy, 11⅛c; fair to good, 10⅜@11c; small, fancy, 11⅛c; fair to good, 10½@10⅝c; inferior, 8½@9½c.

EGGS—Steady; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 24@25c; choice, 22@23c; mixed extra, 22@23c; western firsts, 17@18c; seconds, 16@16½c; southern 15½@16c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, August 3.—WHEAT—Lower; No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 70c, nominal; track, 70@71c; September, 70c; December, 73½c; No. 2 hard, 69@71½c.

CORN—Steady; No. 2 cash, 50c; track, 50½@51c; September, 48½c; December, 45c.

OATS—Lower; No. 2 cash, 30½c; track, 31@31½c; September, 30⅝@30¾c; December, 32c bid; No. 2 white, 34@34½c.

FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $4.35@4.50; extra fancy and straight, $3.75@4.20; clear, $2.75@3.25.

SEED—Timothy, steady, $3.75@4.00.

CORNMEAL—Steady, $2.60.

BRAN—Dull; sacked, east track, 73@75c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $12.50@17.00; prairie, $8.00@12.50.

IRON COTTON TIES—$1.00.

BAGGING—9c.

HEMP TWINE—7½c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, higher; jobbing, $16.72½. Lard, firm; prime steam, $8.52½. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed extra shorts, $9.37½; clear ribs, $9.62½; short clears, $9.75. Bacon, steady; boxed extra shorts, $10.12½; clear ribs, $10.37½; short clear, $10.50.

POULTRY—Quiet; chickens, 9c; springs, 12½c; turkeys, 12½c; ducks, 8½c; geese, 5c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 17@22½c; dairy, 16@20c.

EGGS—Steady; 13c, case count.

Receipts and shipments of flour and grain were as follows:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	7,000	7,000
Wheat, bu.	130,000	23,000
Corn, bu.	40,000	46,000
Oats, bu.	131,000	48,000

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 3.—WHEAT—September, 69c; December, 72½c; cash, No. 2 hard, 68½@70c; No. 3, 67½@69c; No. 2 red, 70c; No. 3, 68½c.

CORN—September, 42⅝c; December, 42⅝c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 48c; No. 3, 48c; No. 2 white, 49½@49⅝c; No. 3, 49½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 34½@35½c; No. 2 mixed, 32@33c.

RYE—Steady, 56@58c.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $10.25@10.50; choice prairie, $7.75@8.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, 20c; packing, 14½c.

EGGS—Market ½c higher; Missouri and Kansas, new No. 2 whitewood cases included, 18c; case count, 17½c; cases returned, ½c off.

Receipts and shipments of grain today were as follows:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu.	282,000	322,000
Corn, bu.	50,000	19,000
Oats, bu.	1,000	4,000

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 3.—FLOUR—First patents, $4.10@4.20; second patents, $3.95@4.05; first clears, $3.25@3.45; second clears, $2.50@2.60.

BRAN—In bulk, $13.50@13.75.

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

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y
Wheat—					
May...	79@78⅞	79	78⅞	78⅝@¾	79⅛
Sept...	73@73⅛	73⅛	72⅝	72½@⅝	73⅛
Dec...	74⅛@⅝	74⅝	73⅞	74	74⅝
Flax—					
Sept...	1 11⅝	1 11⅝	1 11¼	1 11¼	1 12
Oct...	1 09¼	1 09¼	1 09	1 09	1 09½
Nov...	1 09	1 09	1 09	1 09	......

Peoria Grain Market.

PEORIA, Aug. 3.—CORN—Firm; No. 3 yellow, 50½c; No. 3, 50¼c; No. 4, 49½c; no grade, 48@48½c.

OATS—Higher; No. 2 white, new, 31@31½c; No. 3 white, new, 30½@31c; No. 4 white, new, 30c.

WHISKY—On the basis of $1.29 for finished goods.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 3.—WHEAT—Dull; No. 1 northern, 78@79c; No. 2 northern, 76@77c; September, 73⅝c, bid.

RYE—Lower; No. 1, 55@55½c.

BARLEY—Dull; No. 2, 55@55½c; sample, 40@54c.

CORN—Firmer; No. 3 cash, 49½@51c; September, 49⅝c.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, Aug. 3.—WHEAT—To arrive and on track, No. 1 northern, 75⅜c; No. 2 northern, 74⅛c; September and December, 74c; May, 78⅛c; September durum, No. 1, 60@67½c; No. 2, 64½c; October, No. 1, 67c; No. 2, 64c; old, No. 1, 69c; No. 2, 67c.

OATS—To arrive, on track and August, 30⅛c.

Toledo Seed Market.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 3.—SEEDS—Clover, steady; timothy, $2.00. Alsike, $6.80.

Sugar and Molasses.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3⅜c; centrifugal 96 test, 3⅞@3 15-16c; molasses sugar, 3c. Refined, steady; No. 6, 4.20c; No. 7, 4.15c; No. 8, 4.10c; No. 9, 4.05c; No. 10, 4c; No. 11, 3.95c; No. 12, 3.90c; No. 13, 3.85c; No. 14, 3.85c; confectioners' A, 4.65c; mould A, 5.15c; cut loaf, 5.50c; crushed, 5.50c; powdered, 4.90c; granulated, 4.80c; cubes, 5.05c.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 3.—SUGAR—Steady; open kettle centrifugal, 3@3 7-16c; centrifugal yellow, 3⅝@4¼c; seconds, 2¼@3¾c.

MOLASSES—Firm, 25@30c.

Oils and Rosin.

OIL CITY, Pa., Aug. 3.—Credit balances, $1.58. Shipments, 27,437 bbls.; average, 81,-986 bbls. Runs, 73,416 bbls. Shipments, Lima, 57,147 bbls.; average, 33,512 bbls. Runs, Lima, 25,900 bbls.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 3.—OIL—Turpentine, firm, 57¼c.

ROSIN—Firm; stock, 72,294 bbls.; A, B, C, $3.80@3.85; D, $4.00@4.05; E, $4.10@4.15; F, $4.12½@4.25; G, $4.15@4.25; H, $4.30@4.25; I, $4.25@4.30; K, $4.55@4.70; M, $4.75@4.90; N, $5.00@5.05; W G, $5.05@5.10; W W, $5.10@5.15.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Market is Spotty and Isolated Instances of Strength Are Fewer.

SLUMP IN TRANSCONTINENTAL ROADS

Successive Disappointment Over Expected Confirmation of Rumors of Deals Disappoints Holders of These Stocks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Today's stock market became even more spotty than that of yesterday and the isolated instances of strength were fewer. This showing told on speculative sentiment in the course of the day and the tone of the speculation became less confident and led to a sharp reaction. This change was derived more from the action of the market itself than from any development in the condition of business or industry until the slightly firmer tone of the call money market may have partly been responsible. Larger importance was attached, however, to the fact that St. Paul and Union Pacific showed clear evidence of being fed out when attempts were made to bid them up, while Southern Pacific was given over to positive depression.

The opening course of prices was quite generally downwards, but this was attributed to the influence of the earlier dealings in foreign markets, in which the troubled affairs of Russia were once more a factor. The lower opening here was almost immediately repaired, in sympathy with the sharp upbidding of St. Paul and Union Pacific. Their relapse was the cause of some misgivings over the vague information on which much of the accumulation in these stocks has been based. Successive disappointments over the expected confirmation of the "deal" rumors which have hung about these stocks for many weeks proves wearing upon the patience of the ill-informed holders except when they have the example of large buying and advancing prices before their eyes. The new features of strength proved poor substitutes for these favorite leaders of market sentiment. The rise in New York Central was connected with some revival of some reports that a comprehensive merger of the Vanderbilt railroad properties was in contemplation. There was a joint advance in a number of the north and south trunk line railroads which was associated with the government's cotton report which was expected to be favorable, but which even exceeded anticipation. Amalgamated Copper was helped by a sharp upward movement in the price of the metal in the London market. But these evidences of strength did not prove wholly convincing in face of manifest realizing that was going on in other quarters of the market. It was pointed out also that the first transactions which occurred in United States Steel after the dividend was declared, which were in the opening dealings of Wednesday, were at the highest prices on the movement. The 41⅛ touched then for an instant was not equaled afterwards. The deduction is unavoidable that a very large supply of the stock was ready for the market to take advantage of the dividend.

The firmer tone in the day's call loan market was due to the indicated decline for the week in the cash holdings of the banks which amounts to $4,771,000 on subtreasury account alone and which seems to be only slightly offset by the receipts by express from the interior. It is supposed that the subtreasury excess of receipts, which is largely on account of Panama in national bond payments, has been partly offset by redeposit of government funds with the banks. But these deposits do not go entirely into New York banks, while bond payments have come almost wholly from that source. The week's stock market operations and the August settlements also point to some further loan expansion. The impression of the profit-taking tendency of the day's market was emphasized by the response to the late two-point rise in St. Paul, which was met by an outpouring of stock which carried a long list of active leaders from 1 to 2 points below last night. There was very little recovery and the closing was easy.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,007,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

The following are the quotations on the Stock exchange:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adams Express	......	......	......	245
Amalgamated Copper	146,900	104⅝	102⅛	102⅝
American C. & F.	1,200	38⅞	38⅛	38¼
Am. C. & F. pfd	......	......	......	100⅝
American Cotton Oil	200	32⅝	32⅛	32
Am. Cotton Oil pfd	......	......	......	91½
American Express	......	......	......	227
American H. & L. pfd	......	......	......	23
American Ice securities	1,800	67⅞	67½	67½
American Linseed Oil	100	21	21	20⅝
Am. Linseed Oil pfd	......	......	......	41
American Locomotive	10,600	70¼	68⅝	69
Am. Locomotive pfd	100	113⅝	112	113¼
American S. & R.	37,100	154⅝	151⅝	152½
Am. S. & R. pfd	600	117½	117	116⅝
American Sugar Refining	5,600	137⅞	137¼	137⅝
Am. Tobacco pfd ctfs	500	101½	101	101
Anaconda Mining Co.	43,900	260	257½	258⅝
Atchison	16,300	94	92⅝	92½
Atchison pfd	......	......	......	100½
Atlantic Coast Line	6,200	145¼	142	143¼
Baltimore & Ohio	10,800	120⅝	119⅝	119⅝
Bal. & Ohio pfd	......	......	......	92½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	18,800	79⅝	78	78⅝
Canadian Pacific	5,900	166½	165¼	165¼
Central of New Jersey	......	......	......	225
Central Leather	600	39⅝	39	38⅞
Central Leather pfd	100	101⅝	101⅝	101⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	3,700	60½	59¼	59¼
Chicago Great Western	2,400	18⅞	18⅝	18⅝
Chicago & Northwestern	7,500	208⅝	206	206
Chicago, Mil. & St. P.	49,900	189	186⅝	187½
Chicago T. & T.	......	......	......	12
Chicago T. & T. pfd	......	......	......	25
C., C., C. & St. L.	400	94½	94	94¼
Colorado F. & I.	12,400	55½	53⅝	53⅝
Colorado & Southern	2,400	32⅞	27½	27⅝
Colorado & So. 1st pfd	200	71⅝	71⅝	71
Colorado & So. 2d pfd	700	53⅝	53½	53
Consolidated Gas	3,200	138	136½	137
Corn Products	500	19¾	19½	19⅝
Corn Products pfd	100	77¼	77¼	76⅝
Delaware & Hudson	500	222⅝	220	219
Delaware, L. & W.	......	......	......	540
Denver & Rio Grande	1,000	44⅝	43½	43½
D. & R. G. pfd	......	......	......	84½
Distillers' Securities	2,000	60½	60	59½
Erie	28,500	44¼	43	43
Erie 1st pfd	200	79⅝	78⅝	78
Erie 2d pfd	200	71¼	71¼	70⅝
General Electric	700	168⅝	168	168
Great Northern pfd	1,200	298⅝	296½	296
Hocking Valley	......	......	......	120
Illinois Central	5,700	178⅝	176½	176½
International Paper	......	......	......	19
Int. Paper pfd	......	......	......	84¼
International Pump	700	46	44	45½
Interborough Metropolitan	1,000	38	37	37
Interborough Met. pfd	800	78½	77½	77¼
Int. Pump pfd	......	......	......	80
Iowa Central	......	......	......	26½
Iowa Central pfd	......	......	......	51½
Kansas City Southern	......	......	......	26¼
Kansas City So. pfd	700	55¼	55¼	55
Louisville & Nashville	43,600	147⅝	145¼	145½
Mexican Central	700	21¼	20⅝	21
Minneapolis & St. L.	100	63	63	63
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	1,400	155	153⅝	153½
M., St. P. & S. S. M. pfd	100	172¼	172¼	170
Missouri Pacific	2,000	94½	93⅝	93⅝
Missouri, K. & T.	1,100	34	33½	33⅝
M., K. & T. pfd	1,600	68⅝	68½	68
National Lead	2,900	81½	80	79⅝
National R. R. of M. pfd	300	38⅝	38½	38¼
New York Central	32,400	142⅝	140⅝	140⅝
New York, O. & W.	900	47⅝	47	46⅞
Norfolk & Western	2,200	91	90½	90¼
Norfolk & W. pfd	......	......	......	89
North American	100	96½	96½	96
Northern Pacific	3,200	206½	204	203⅝
Pacific Mail	600	36	36	35½
Pennsylvania	37,600	133¼	131⅝	131⅝
People's Gas	900	92	91⅝	91⅝
P., C., C. & St. L., ex-div.	100	79	79	78
Pressed Steel Car	3,800	53½	52⅝	52⅝
Pressed S. C. pfd	100	99½	99	99
Pullman Palace Car	1,000	240	240	237
Reading	96,900	135	132⅝	132¼
Reading 1st pfd, offered	......	......	......	93
Reading 2d pfd, offered	......	......	......	95
Republic Steel	900	29⅝	29	28⅝
Republic Steel pfd	......	......	......	99
Rock Island Co.	4,700	26⅝	25⅝	25¼
Rock Island Co. pfd	800	64⅝	63½	63
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	200	44	44	44
St. Louis S. W.	2,500	23	22½	22⅝
St. L. S. W. pfd	600	53	52½	51½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel	200	78	77	76½
Southern Pacific	81,200	76¼	74⅝	74⅞
So. Pacific pfd	600	118⅝	117⅝	117½
Southern Railway	21,900	37⅝	36⅝	36⅝
So. Railway pfd	100	99⅝	99½	99
Tennessee Coal & Iron	......	......	......	155
Texas & Pacific	1,900	32½	32	32½
Toledo, St. L. & W.	200	28⅝	28⅝	28
T., St. L. & W. pfd	500	48⅝	48	47⅝
Union Pacific	139,200	158¼	156½	156½
Union Pacific pfd	......	......	......	94
United States Express	......	......	......	125
United States Realty	......	......	......	77
United States Rubber	400	45½	45	45
U. S. Rubber pfd	......	......	......	107
United States Steel	74,300	40⅝	39⅝	39⅝
U. S. Steel pfd	12,400	107⅝	106⅞	107⅛
Va.-Carolina Chemical	1,100	38⅝	38	38
Va.-Carolina Chem. pfd	......	......	......	108½
Wabash	200	20½	20½	20½
Wabash pfd	700	48	46⅝	47
Wells-Fargo Express	......	......	......	290
Westinghouse Electric	......	......	......	151
Western Union	100	92½	92½	91½
Wheeling & Lake Erie	3,100	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
Wisconsin Central	600	25½	25½	25⅝
Wis. Central pfd	500	49⅝	48	48⅝

Total sales for the day, 1,002,100 shares.

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Money was in better supply today, rates were a shade easier and the demand was quiet. Discounts were steady. On the Stock exchange the attendance was small and business was dull. Consols and other British securities were maintained on moderate investment purchases, while foreigners benefited by Paris support, Russians hardening 10¼ per cent discount. Americans were again the most active section. Profit taking caused a slight setback from the firm opening, except in the case of Union Pacific, Southern Pacific and New York Central, which were actively supported to a higher level. In the afternoon the advance continued on New York support and the market closed firm at fractionally below the best prices of the day. Kaffirs were dull in the absence of outside support. Japanese imperial 6s of 1904 closed at 103.

BERLIN, Aug. 3.—Trading on the Bourse today was quiet.

PARIS, Aug. 3.—Prices on the Bourse early today were steady, except for Russians, which were depressed and irregular. Later the general market showed firmness, including Russians. Toward the close there was considerable realizing in Russians, but the general close was well sustained. Russian imperial 4s, 79.35; Russian bonds of 1904, 460.

REPORT OF THE CLEARING HOUSE

Transactions of the Associated Banks for the Week.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ending August 2, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

CITIES.	Clearings.	Inc.	Dec.
*New York	$1,751,691,436	5.8	
*Chicago	211,745,208	12.5	
*Boston	137,189,500		3.2
*Philadelphia	211,745,203	12.5	
*St. Louis	49,689,778	18.5	
Pittsburg	50,949,513	1.3	
*San Francisco	39,917,019	1.7	
*Baltimore	27,485,496	15.6	
Cincinnati	25,159,000	10.3	
*Kansas City	25,834,755	16.9	
*New Orleans	13,638,817		31.6
*Minneapolis	15,240,182	7.7	
*Cleveland	15,154,970	9.9	
*Louisville	10,514,753		11.0
Detroit	11,147,406		10.8
*Los Angeles	9,696,427	6.0	
OMAHA	9,224,948	2.5	
*Milwaukee	8,366,369	6.7	
*Providence	6,442,000	3.4	
*Buffalo	5,080,302	5.6	
*Indianapolis	6,520,822	6.7	
*St. Paul	7,997,788	42.3	
Denver	6,342,476	8.2	
Seattle	7,750,530	6.9	
Memphis	2,234,947		30.7
Fort Worth	4,024,969	9.4	
Richmond	5,098,852	5.1	
Columbus	4,706,900	.1	
Washington	5,338,549	9.2	
*St. Joseph	4,658,968	11.7	
*Savannah	3,073,639		20.6
*Portland, Ore	4,844,215	23.3	
Albany	5,384,781	21.5	
Salt Lake City	4,291,982		4.5
*Toledo, O.	3,797,683		12.0
Rochester	3,571,920	49.1	
*Atlanta	3,338,719	21.4	
Tacoma	3,510,467	19.3	
*Spokane, Wash.	3,531,617	32.2	
Hartford	3,853,639	21.7	
Nashville	2,422,456		.5
Peoria	2,498,449		7.9
Des Moines	2,078,441		2.7
New Haven	2,921,098	31.3	
Grand Rapids	2,158,756		10.4
Norfolk	2,226,805	20.0	
Augusta, Ga.	1,163,046		15.9
Springfield, Mass.	1,592,829	.8	
Portland, Me.	2,156,292	36.3	
Dayton	1,584,057		3.8
Sioux City	1,607,971	9.4	
Evansville	1,484,092	13.5	
*Birmingham	1,660,283	17.3	
Worcester	1,339,834		1.0
Syracuse	1,478,034	.4	
Charleston, S. C.	771,230	1.3	
Lincoln, Neb.	1,974,269		
Mobile	1,456,119	44.7	
Erie	568,713		
Knoxville	1,234,946		
Jacksonville, Fla.	1,211,964		
Wilmington, Del.	1,361,649	4.2	
Wichita	1,149,021	6.3	
Wilkesbarre	985,624		3.5
Chattanooga	977,048	22.8	
Davenport	831,655	2.7	
Little Rock	963,874	33.1	
Kalamazoo, Mich.	767,564	1.9	
Topeka	802,973	62.0	
Wheeling, W. Va.	853,278	10.4	
Macon	356,372		8.4
Springfield, Ill.	834,576		4.2
Fall River	750,611		2.8
Helena	596,789		11.0
Lexington	635,014	23.3	
Fargo, N. D.	339,981		
New Bedford	424,672		6.6
Youngstown	685,375	28.0	
Akron	466,925	15.6	
Rockford, Ill.	488,884	16.7	
Cedar Rapids, Ia.	470,760		3.2
Canton, O.	422,581	4.7	
Binghamton	546,000		21.5
Chester, Pa.	5,6,379	26.7	
Lowell	464,511		
Greensburg, Pa.	436,661		18.0
Bloomington, Ill.	273,888		33.2
Springfield, O.	319,905		10.3
Quincy, Ill.	349,197	23.3	
Mansfield, O.	299,561		3.8
Decatur, Ill.	273,437		9.9
Sioux Falls, S. D.	368,275	75.4	
Jacksonville, Ill.	284,977	21.3	
Fremont, Neb.	121,648		53.9
§South Bend, Ind.	392,849		
†Houston	16,252,049	56.9	
†Galveston	8,383,000		21.8
Fort Wayne	674,383		15.6
Total, U. S.	$2,709,276,011	7.4	
Outside N. Y. City	957,688,575	5.0	

CANADA.

Montreal	$27,877,460	.1	
Toronto	21,426,282	15.6	
Winnipeg	9,725,502	23.6	
Ottawa	2,719,254	1.6	
Halifax	1,684,936		14.3
Vancouver, B. C.	2,197,993	31.6	
Quebec	1,731,945	.7	
Hamilton	1,689,194	31.0	
St. John, N. B.	1,263,281	17.3	
London, Ont.	1,026,820	2.0	
Victoria, B. C.	592,154	1.8	
Calgary, Alberta	1,042,351		
Edmonton	596,346		
Total, Canada	$71,933,793	8.6	

*Balances paid in cash.

§Not included in totals. Comparisons incomplete.

†Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—MONEY—On call, steady, 4¼@3½ per cent; ruling rate, 2¾ per cent; closing bid, 2 per cent; offered at 2½ per cent. Time loans, firm; sixty days, 3½@4 per cent; ninety days, 4½@4¾ per cent; six months, 5¼ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5½@5¾ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm, then easier, at $4.8520 for demand and at $4.8235 for sixty day bills; posted rates, $4.82½@4.83 and $4.83½@4.86; commercial bills, $4.81¾@4.82.

SILVER—Bar, 64⅝c Mexican dollars, 50½c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, irregular.

Quotations on New York bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	103½	Japan 6s, 2d series	99⅝
do coupon	104⅝	do 4s ctfs	93
U. S. 3s, reg.	103½	do 4½s ctfs	94⅝
do coupon	103½	do 2d series	91
U. S. old 4s, reg.	103½	L. & N. uni. 4s	101½
do coupon	103⅝	Man. c. g. 4s	101
U. S. new 4s, reg.	129	Mex. Central 4s	75
do coupon	129	do 1st inc	18½
Am. Tobacco 4s	73¼	Minn. & St. L. 4s	93½
do 6s	112½	M., K. & T. 4s	99⅝
Atchison gen. 4s	102⅝	do 2s	87
do adj. 4s	95	N. R. R. of M. c. 4s	84½
Atlantic C. L. 4s	100½	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	93½
Bal. & Ohio 4s	102½	N. J. C. g. 5s	125
do 3½s	94½	No. Pacific 4s	103½
Brk. R. T. c. 4s	95¼	do 3s	76
Central of Ga. 5s	111	N. & W. c. 4s	100½
do 1st inc	96	O. S. L. rfdg. 4s	94⅝
do 2d inc	88⅝	Penn. conv. 3½s	97¼
do 3d inc	88	Reading gen. 4s	99⅝
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	107⅝	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	114
Chicago & A. 3½s	74½	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	88⅝
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	97⅝	St. L. S. W. c. 4s	77
C., R. I. & P. 4s	77¼	Seaboard A. L. 4s	86½
do col. 5s	91¼	So. Pacific 4s	91⅝
CCC. & St. L. g. 4s	101⅝	do 1st 4s ctfs	95½
Colo. Ind. 5s, ser. A	77⅝	So. Railway 5s	116
do series B	75¼	Texas & P. 1s	119¼
Colorado Mid. 4s	73½	T., St. L. & W. 4s	80
Cuba 5s	106	Union Pacific 4s	103
D. & R. G. 4s	99½	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	96½
Distillers' Sec. 5s	87½	Wabash 1s	114½
Erie p. l. 4s	100½	do deb. B	81⅝
do gen. 4s	91	Western Md. 4s	84
Hocking Val. 4½s	106	W. & L. E. 4s	89½
Japan 6s	99½	Wis. Central 4s	89½

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—Call loans, 3@4½ per cent; time loans, 5@5½ per cent. Official closing on stocks and bonds:

Atchison adj. 4s	90	Amalgamated	103⅞
do 4s	101	Atlantic	11½
**Mex. Central 4s	76	Bingham	32½
Atchison	92⅝	Cal. & Hecla	700
do pfd	100½	Centennial	23
Boston & Albany	247	Copper Range	74½
**Boston & Maine	169	Daly West	17
Boston Elevated	149½	Franklin	16½
Fitchburg pfd	137	Granby	11⅝
Mex. Central	21½	Isle Royale	19
**N. Y., N. H. & H.	195	Mass. Mining	7⅝
*Pere Marquette	57	Michigan	12
Union Pacific	156½	Mohawk	61½
Amer. Arge. Chem.	25⅝	Mont. C. & C.	2⅝
do pfd	92	Old Dominion	39
Amer. Pneu. Tube	14	Osceola	106
Amer. Sugar	137¼	**Parrot	27½
do pfd	134	Quincy	95
Amer. T. & T.	133½	Shannon	9⅝
Amer. Woolen	35½	Tamarack	95
do pfd	103⅝	Trinity	5½
**Dominion I. & S.	28	U. S. Mining	56
Edison Elec. Illu.	237	U. S. Oil	10½
Mass. Electric	19	Utah	57½
do pfd	68	Victoria	6½
Mass. Gas	57⅝	Winona	6⅝
United Fruit	110½	**Wolverine	150
United Shoe Mach.	78	North Butte	94½
do pfd	29⅝	Butte Coalition	32½
Greene Con	24⅝	Nevada	17½
U. S. Steel	39⅝	Mitchell	4½
do pfd	106⅝	Cal. & Arizona	100⅝
Adventure	5⅝	Tecumseh	10
Allouez	43		

*Bid. **Asked.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, Aug. 3.—Bank clearings for today were $1,550,442.37 and for the corresponding date last year $1,359,542.75.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Not Enough Cattle Here to Make a Test of Values.

HOGS ARE FIVE TO TEN CENTS HIGHER

Sheep of All Kinds in Good Demand, with Receipts Light—Lambs Are Steady to a Little Lower.

SOUTH OMAHA, Aug. 3, 1906.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	5,260	5,436	9,201
Official Tuesday	4,350	10,808	3,265
Official Wednesday	3,694	12,562	3,897
Official Thursday	1,526	8,682	4,066
Official Friday	750	5,776	1,538
This week, five days	15,580	43,444	24,960
Same days last week	17,275	38,237	30,933
Same two weeks ago	13,853	45,039	25,626
Same three weeks ago	15,161	37,870	21,932
Same four weeks ago	8,940	37,040	13,450
Same days last year	13,390	32,901	39,289

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	549,972	501,331	48,642
Hogs	1,676,858	1,544,266	132,592
Sheep	879,947	872,118	7,829

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	$5.20@6.00
Fair to good corn-fed steers	4.65@5.20
Common to fair corn-fed steers	3.40@4.65
Good to choice cows and heifers	3.40@4.15
Fair to good cows and heifers	2.75@3.40
Common to fair cows and heifers	1.50@2.75
Good to choice stockers & feeders	3.50@4.00
Fair to good stockers and feeders	3.25@3.50
Common to fair stockers	2.00@3.25
Bulls, stags, etc.	2.50@4.00
Veal calves	3.75@5.75

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.
July 23	6 52⅝	*	4 94	*	6 99	5 91	4 97
July 24	6 55	5 47	*	5 18	7 41	5 70	5 15
July 25	6 52⅝	5 55	5 04	5 05	7 53	5 74	5 06
July 26	6 49⅞	5 60	5 11	*	7 52	5 69	5 03
July 27	6 44⅞	5 58	5 11	4 96	*	5 59	5 06
July 28	6 45	5 51	5 19	4 99	7 53	*	5 13
July 29	*	5 50	5 11	*	7 55	5 47	*
July 30	6 36½	*	5 08	5 06	7 47	5 64	5 08
July 31	6 32⅞	5 58	*	5 02	7 52	5 61	5 09
Aug. 1	6 15	5 69	4 99	4 98	7 41	5 67	5 15
Aug. 2	6 11¼	5 73	4 97	*	7 37	5 76	5 18
Aug. 3	......	5 63	4 94	4 99	*	5 79	5 15

*Sunday.

RANGE OF PRICES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.
Omaha	$2.00@6.10	$6.12½@6.35
Chicago	1.25@6.50	5.60 @6.90
Kansas City	2.00@6.15	5.00 @6.35
St. Louis	2.00@6.00	6.00 @6.55
Sioux City	2.50@6.15	5.95 @6.35

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

	Cattle.	Hogs.	She'p.	H'r's.
C., M. & St. P.		3	..	..
Missouri Pacific	2	4	..	1
Union Pacific system	5	11	16	4
C. & N. W., east	3	25	..	..
C. & N. W., west	3	25	..	..
C., St. P., M. & O.		10	..	1
C., B. & Q., east		7	..	..
C., B. & Q., west	15	14	..	1
C., R. I. & P., east	3	1	..	..
C., R. I. & P., west		1	..	..
Illinois Central		2	..	..
Chicago Great West'n		1	..	..
Total receipts	28	84	16	7

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

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	33	1,181	.....
Swift and Company	192	1,586	2,222
Cudahy Packing Co.	360	1,262	551
Armour & Company	1	1,741	594
Lobman & Co.	42	.....	.....
Hill & Son	16	.....	.....
Bullan	4	.....	.....
Other buyers	85	.....	1,212
Total	733	5,770	4,579

CATTLE—It seemed almost like a Saturday at the cattle yards, there not being enough cattle to make a market, only twenty-eight fresh cars being reported early. The arrivals consisted of odds and ends and a sprinkling of almost everything except right good stuff. As usual when there is so little on sale, it was a difficult matter to tell just what the market was. Sellers who happened to have something that buyers wanted were able to secure possibly a little stronger prices, but, on the other hand, a good deal of the stuff did not sell any more than steady. In fact, a considerable proportion of the receipts was the kind that it is very hard to judge a market by anyway. The most of the offerings changed hands in reasonable season.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	940	2 85	20	1183	4 90
4	1282	3 85	16	1292	5 40
17	1317	4 55			

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1030	1 75	1	1170	2 40
1	820	1 85	1	1040	2 40
2	895	2 00	1	1050	2 50
1	880	2 00	1	970	2 75
7	952	2 00	1	1150	2 75
3	840	2 25	62	840	2 85
2	855	2 25	5	1060	3 10
24	900	2 30	1	1180	3 25
1	1100	2 35	1	1150	3 50
1	965	2 35			

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
6	596	2 25

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1350	2 25	1	1650	3 00
1	1010	2 55			

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	320	3 50	1	190	4 75
1	300	3 75	2	220	5 00
2	220	4 25	4	170	5 75

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	950	2 75	38	950	3 20
11	690	2 75	2	820	3 25
1	570	2 80	1	810	3 25
2	360	3 00			

WESTERNS.

NEBRASKA.

1 heifer	760	2 50	7 heifers	822	2 50
3 heifers	833	2 65	3 heifers	1060	2 65
1 cow	930	2 40	1 cow	910	2 40
2 cows	895	2 40	19 cows	956	2 65
14 cows	975	2 40			

C. C. Coker—Nebraska.

1 steers	1010	3 10	6 heifers	533	2 55

C. C. Coker—Neb.

3 cows	840	2 75	1 cow	870	2 75
1 heifer	800	2 25	4 heifers	887	3 25
1 cow	830	2 10	3 heifers	400	3 00
4 calves	232	4 25	5 cows	858	2 75
2 cows	1040	2 00			

W. L. Johns—Neb.

1 heifer	770	2 65	2 heifers	850	2 00
2 heifers	440	3 00	1 heifer	790	2 65
3 heifers	713	2 00	5 cows	1014	2 00
6 cows	1105	2 50	5 calves	241	4 25
2 calves	170	5 25	1 cow	890	2 50
3 heifers	743	2 65			

HOGS—It was another day of uneven hog values, and so uneven in fact that it is no easy matter to describe it in a way to meet the views of all sellers. One thing is certain, the market was higher. It opened slow but stronger, and gradually worked upward, becoming 5c higher, and for a time 5@10c higher. During the high point the trade was very lively and some hogs sold at wild prices. Later on it eased off and closed with most of the advance lost. It can readily be understood from this that hogs of the same kind and quality sold at a wide range of prices. This was true especially of heavy and mixed hogs, as will be noted from the sales below. Quite a good many of the hogs that sold early did not get the full benefit of the advance, and the same thing could be said of those which sold on the close, all of which contributed to the general unevenness of the market. It was, to say the least, a difficult market to do business on, and the price which a salesman obtained for his hogs depended largely upon his luck in securing the right buyer at just the right time. If he happened to be a little too early, or a little too late, his sales would show a good deal lower than sales made at the best time.

This is the first day that the market has shown any advance since Tuesday of last week.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
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64	200	...	6 25	90	212	...	6 35
60	243	...	6 25	84	209	...	6 35
80	268	...	6 25				

SHEEP—The receipts of sheep have been moderate all this week, the total showing a decided falling off as compared with last week and with a year ago. This morning there were only sixteen cars reported in.

The market, as has been the case on most every day this week, was in very satisfactory condition. Packers were all looking for supplies of desirable killers and practically everything answering to that description was sold and weighed up by 9 o'clock in the morning or soon after. Wethers and yearlings sold up to $5.50, with old wethers at $4.75. The best lambs here sold at $7.00, which was a little lower than yesterday. Feeder buyers were complaining that there were not enough of their kind of stuff coming to anywhere near meet their requirements. One bunch of feeder lambs sold at $6.00. The feeling was that anything in the feeder line would have met with very ready sale at good steady prices.

Quotations on killers: Good to choice spring lambs, $6.75@7.50; fair to good spring lambs, $6.25@6.75; good to choice yearlings, $5.25@5.75; fair to good yearlings, $5.00@5.25; good to choice wethers, $4.75@5.00; fair to good wethers, $4.60@4.75; good to choice ewes, $4.30@4.75; fair to good ewes, $3.90@4.30.

Quotations on feeders: Lambs, $5.50@6.00; yearlings, $5.00@5.25; wethers, $4.50@4.90; ewes, $3.50@4.15.

Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
1	buck	160	3 50
397	Idaho yearlings and wethers	89	5 50
384	Idaho yearlings and wethers	88	5 50
89	Idaho yearlings and wethers	85	5 50
1	Idaho buck lamb	60	3 50
346	Idaho lambs, feeders	52	6 10
4	buck lambs	80	6 00
102	Idaho lambs	65	6 75
1	Idaho lamb	70	6 75
422	Idaho lambs	71	6 75
29	Oregon wethers, culls	92	3 75
250	Oregon wethers	102	4 75
384	Oregon wethers	102	4 75
413	Oregon wethers	102	4 75
4	buck lambs	55	5 00
517	Oregon wethers, feeders	93	4 60
213	Idaho lambs, feeders	59	6 00
300	Idaho lambs, culls	65	6 15
251	Idaho lambs	71	7 00
234	Idaho lambs	70	7 00

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Cattle Steady to Dull—Hogs and Sheep Steady.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500 head; market, beat steady; others, dull; common to prime steers, $3.90@6.25; cows, $2.75@4.50; heifers; $2.50@5.25; bulls, $2.00@4.35; calves, $3.00@6.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 12,000 head; market steady; choice to prime heavy, $6.35@6.50; medium to good heavy, $6.15@6.30; butcher weights, $6.25@6.65; good to choice heavy mixed, $6.15@6.30; packing, $5.50@6.15.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market steady; sheep, $4.25@6.00; yearlings, $5.00@6.00; lambs, $6.00@7.75.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 3.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000 head, including 1,300 southerns. Market steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5.50@6.15; fair to good, $4.00@5.35; western fed steers, $3.50@6.00; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.40; southern steers, $2.75@4.50; southern cows, $2.00@3.25; native cows, $2.00@4.25; native heifers, $2.75@5.25; bulls, $2.00@3.50; calves, $2.50@5.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,800 head. Market 7½@10c higher; top, $6.40; bulk, $6.25@6.35; heavy, $6.20@6.30; packers, $6.15@6.37½; lights, $6.30@6.40; pigs, $5.25@6.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,000 head. Market strong; lambs, $5.50@7.50; fed ewes and sheep, $4.25@5.25; western fed yearlings, $4.75@5.75; western fed sheep, $4.00@5.10; stockers and feeders, $4.00@5.25.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 3.—WHEAT—Receipts, 1,700 head, including 1,150 head of Texans; market steady; native shipping and export steers, $4.95@6.00; dressed beef and butcher steers, $4.20@5.75; steers under 1,000 pounds, $3.25@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2.00@4.25; cows and heifers, $2.40@5.50; canners, $1.00@2.00; bulls, $2.40@3.50; calves, $3.00@5.75; Texas and Indian steers, $3.15@5.00; cows and heifers, $2.00@3.35.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,000 head; market 10@15c higher; pigs and lights, $6.35@6.50; packers, $6.00@6.50; butchers and best heavy, $6.35@6.55.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 500 head; market steady; native muttons, $3.00@5.50; lambs, $4.00@7.50; culls and bucks, $2.60@3.50; stockers, $3.50@5.15.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Aug. 3.—CATTLE—Receipts, 528 head; market steady; natives, $4.00@5.90; cows and heifers, $1.50@4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.00@3.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,975 head; market 5@10c lower; light, $6.20@6.35; medium heavy, $6.05@6.25; bulk, $6.17½@6.30.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2,814 head; market steady to strong; wethers, $4.85.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Aug. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 200 head. Market steady; beeves, $4.50@6.15; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.00; calves and yearlings, $3.00@3.85.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,600 head. Market 5@10c higher, selling at $5.85@6.35; bulk of sales, $6.05@6.20.

Stock in Sight.

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

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	750	5,776	4,538
Sioux City	200	4,600	......
Kansas City	2,000	5,800	4,000
St. Joseph	528	3,975	2,811
St. Louis	1,700	6,000	500
Chicago	1,500	12,000	5,000
Totals	6,678	38,151	16,850

Wool Market.

BOSTON, Aug. 3.—WOOL—The Commercial Bulletin of this city will say tomorrow of the wool market: Careful investigation has proved that the local market is comparatively quiet and that business is confined to small transfers and to the taking of sample bags for examination. According to the bulletin of the government wool authorities prices will be maintained on their present basis for some time, but material advances are not expected. In fact, the merchants feel that current values are high enough to sustain a safe and steady market. Manufacturers are continuing to show interest in the offerings, but they are not making purchases of consequence. Quite a fair business is being done in territory wool at 26½@27½c for half-bloods, fine medium is selling at 24½c. Fine staple is nominal at about 74@75c and fine medium at 69@70c. Fine clothing is unchanged at 70@71c and fine medium at 68@70c. Fine medium Utah and Idaho is moving at 23@24½c. Fine scoured is in demand at 68@70c; moderate trade in eight months' Texas is passing at 24@25c, or 68@70c clean. Twelve months' is being taken at 26@27c, or 72@73c scoured. Best northern California brings 27@28c, or a clean cost of 79c. Free fall scoured is selling at 56@57c. Shaniko (Ore.) wool is arriving in good condition and is considered to be worth 24½@25c, or 72@73c clean. The finer grades of pulled wool are moving steadily at 63@64c for good A supers and at 72@75c for Bs. The shipments of wool from Boston to date from December 27, 1905, according to the same authority, are 146,763,993 lbs., against 137,757,354 lbs. a year ago. The receipts to date are 163,128,144 lbs., against 223,646,650 lbs. for the same period last year.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—WOOL—At the Cape of Good Hope and Natal sheepskin sales today 102,664 skins were offered, of which 81,653 were sold. The supply was moderate, but improved in quality. The demand was poor and mainly confined to the home trade. Long and short wool realized ½@1½d and coarse ½@1½d decline from the last sale.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—WOOL—Steady; medium grades, combing and clothing, 23@28c; light fine, 18@22c; heavy fine, 14@17c; tub washed, 32@38½c.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—METALS—There was a sensational advance in the London tin market, following the considerable gains of yesterday. Spot closed at £179 15s, or £5 5s higher, and futures advanced £5 to £179 15s; locally the market was firm and higher in consequence and spot was quoted at $39.50@39.85. The London copper market was also much higher, with spot quoted at £83 2s 6d and futures at £82 12s 6d; locally the tone was firm, but no further advance in prices was reported, with lake quoted at $18.62½@18.75, electrolytic at $18.37½@18.50 and casting at $18.00@18.25. Lead was unchanged at $5.75 in the local market, but advanced 1s 3d to £16 11s 3d in London. Spelter was unchanged at £26 12s 6d in London and at $6.00@6.10 locally. Iron was higher in the English market, with standard foundry quoted at 51s 4d and Cleveland warrants at 51s 7½d; locally the market was unchanged. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $19.00@19.50, No. 2 foundry northern at $18.50@19.00, No. 1 foundry southern at $18.25@18.50, No. 2 foundry southern at $17.75@18.00. The London metal market will be closed until next Tuesday.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 3.—METALS—Lead, quiet at $5.65. Spelter steady at $5.92½.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—COFFEE—The market for futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of ten points in response to lower cables and heavy selling for European account. There was a good deal of demand at the decline from local trade interests and some of the Wall street bulls, but the market showed little rallying power and it looked as if the failure of the Brazilian markets to show greater aggressiveness in the advance was disappointing to local bulls. The close was barely steady, at a net decline of 5@10 points. Sales for the day were reported of 34,250 bags, including September, 6.90@7c; October, 7@7.05c; December, 7.15@7.20c; January, 7.20c; March, 7.30c; May, 7.40c; July, 7.10@7.15c. Spot Rio, steady; No. 7 invoice, 8⅛c.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

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

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 9c; roosters, 5c; turkeys, 12@13c; ducks, 7c; spring chickens, 14c per lb.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 14½c; choice fancy dairy, 15@16c; creamery, 21@21½c.

HAY—Prices quoted by Omaha Feed company: Choice upland, $9.50; medium, $9.00; coarse, $8.00@8.50. Rye straw, $6.50@7.00.

BRAN—Per ton, $16.00.

VEGETABLES.

TOMATOES—Home grown, per basket of 20 lbs., 50@60c.

WAX BEANS—Per market basket of about 15 lbs., 35c.

TURNIPS, BEETS AND CARROTS—Per bu., 90c@$1.00.

LEAF LETTUCE—Hothouse, per doz. heads, 20c.

CUCUMBERS—Home grown, per doz., 25@30c.

ONIONS—Home grown, 3c per lb.

GREEN ONIONS—Per doz bunches, 20c.

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 15c.

POTATOES—Per bu., 65c.

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

LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 5½c.

GREEN PEPPERS—Per market basket, 75c.

ORANGES—Mediterranean sweets, all sizes, $4.00@4.50; Valencias, all sizes, $5.00@5.50.

LEMONS—Limoniers, extra fancy, 240 size, $6.00; 300 to 360 size, $7.00; other brands, $1.00 less.

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

PINEAPPLES—Florida, sizes, 24, 30 and 36, $3.50.

FRUITS.

PEACHES—Yellow freestone, $1.00; Texas Elbertas, per 4-basket crate, 75c; 6-basket, $1.25.

PLUMS—California, $1.50@1.75.

BLACKBERRIES—Per 24-qt. crate, $3.25.

PEARS—California, $3.50 per box.

MELONS.

WATERMELONS—Per lb., 1½c, or about 30@35c each.

CANTELOUPES—Colorado and Arizona, per crate (standard), $6.50; ponies, $2.50; Texas, per crate (about 45 melons), $2.75; ponies, $2.00.

CUT BEEF PRICES.

No. 1 ribs, 12c, No. 2 ribs, 10c; No. 3 ribs, 6c; No. 1 loin, 15c; No. 2 loin, 12½c; No. 3 loin, 9c; No. 1 chuck, 5½c; No. 2 chuck, 5c; No. 3 chuck, 4c; No. 1 round, 8½c; No. 2 round, 8c; No. 3 round, 6c; No. 1 plate, 3c; No. 2 plate, 2½c; No. 3 plate, 2c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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

HONEY—New, per 24 lbs., $3.50.

CHEESE—Swiss, new, 16c; Wisconsin brick, 12c; Wisconsin limberger, 12c; twins, 13½c; young Americas, 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. Chili walnuts, per lb., 12@12½c. Almonds, soft shells, per lb., 17c; hard shells, per lb., 15c. Cocoanuts, $4.00 per sack of 100.

SUGAR—Granulated cane, in bbls., $5.26; granulated cane, in sacks, $5.21; granulated beet, in sacks, $5.11.

SYRUP—In bbls., 27c per gal.; in cases, 6 10-lb. cans, $1.70; cases, 11 5-lb. cans, $1.80; cases, 24 2½-lb. cans, $1.85.

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 quarter bbl., 100 lbs., $4.00; Norway mackerel, 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, $12.00; Norway, 3k, $13.00; Holland, mixed, $11.00; Holland herring, in kegs, milkers, 80c; kegs, mixed, 70c.

CANNED GOODS—Corn, standard western, 55@60c; Maine, $1.15. Tomatoes, 3-lb. cans, $1.05@1.40; 2-lb., 97½c@$1.00. Pineapples, grated, 2-lb., $2.05@2.30; sliced, $1.90@2.20; gallon apples, fancy, $3.00; California apricots, $1.75@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, $2.50; ¾ mustard, $2.50@3.10. Sweet potatoes, $1.15@1.25; sauerkraut, $1.00; pumpkins, 80c@$1.00; wax beans, 2-lb., 75@90c; lima beans, 2-lb., 75c@$1.25; spinach, $1.35; cheap peas, 2-lb., 60c; extra, 75@90c; fancy, $1.35@1.75.

HIDES AND TALLOW—Green salted, No. 1, 12½c; No. 2, 11½c; full hides, 8½@9½c; green hides, No. 1, 10c; No. 2, 9c; horse, $1.50@3.25; sheep pelts, 50c@$1.25. Tallow, No. 1, 4c; No. 2, 3c.

WOOL—Per lb., 18@25c.

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, Aug. 3.—Closing quotations on the Stock exchange were:

Consols, money	87⅞	N. Y. Central	145¼
do account	87 13-16	Norfolk & W.	94
Anaconda	13⅜	do pfd	91
Atchison	96½	Ontario & W.	49⅝
do pfd	104	Pennsylvania	68⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	124¼	Rand Mines	6⅜
Canadian Pacific	171¼	Reading	69⅝
Ches. & Ohio	61⅝	do 1st pfd	46
Chicago Gt. W.	19¼	do 2d pfd	45
C., M. & St. P.	193	Southern Railway	38⅝
DeBeers	17	do pfd	102⅝
Denver & R. G.	46⅝	Southern Pacific	78
do pfd	88⅝	Union Pacific	162⅝
Erie	45⅝	do pfd	97
do 1st pfd	82	U. S. Steel	41⅝
do 2d pfd	73	do pfd	110⅝
Illinois Central	181	Wabash	21⅝
Louisville & Nash.	150	do pfd	49⅝
M., K. & T.	36⅝	Spanish 4s	92⅝

SILVER—Bar, quiet, 29⅞d per ounce.

MONEY—2¼@2½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3@3 1-16 per cent; for three months' bills, 3 1-16@3⅛ per cent.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

Adams Con	20	Little Chief	5
Alice	335	Ontario	260
Breece	25	Ophir	850
Brunswick Con	30	Phoenix	2
Comstock Tunnel	14	Potosi	12
Con. Cal. & Va.	80	Savage	65
Horn Silver	165	Sierra Nevada	19
Iron Silver	500	Small Hopes	30
Leadville Con	3	Standard	175

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 3.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 10.90c; middling gulf, 11.15c.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 3.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet. Sales, 500 bales; ordinary, 7⅞c, nominal; low middling, 9⅝c; middling, 10⅛c; good middling, 11c; middling fair, 11⅝c, nominal; fair, 12c. Receipts, 141 bales; stock, 28,981 bales.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Edwin A. Casey and wife to Alexander C. Reed, lot 2, block 7, Hazel Terrace	$ 2
Fred Ciman to William S. Wendell, lot 16, block 475, Grand View	800
Charles O. Hutchings to Arthur H. Laird, lot 3, Wallace's subdivision lot 12, S. E. Porter's add	2,800
Peter E. Iler to Omaha Paint, Pottery, Brick and Tile company, 249 4-10 ft. east of west line of Second street	500
Same to same, lots 11 and 12 and w½ of lot 13, block 443, Grand View	12,500
Clarkson Memorial Hospital to City of Omaha, strip 5 ft. wide off south side of north 40 ft. of lots 1 and 2, Preston & William's add	1
Hastings & Heyden to George H. Swoboda, lot 8, block 1, Hastings & Heyden's 2nd add	475
G. Y. Craig and wife to George H. Swoboda, lot 4, George Forbe's subdivision of sw¼ of section 34-16-13	750
Delia C. Patrick to Kate O'Brien, lot 22, block 3, Melrose Hill	....
Balthas Jetter and wife to Sarah E. Harris, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 10, Drew's Hill, South Omaha	500
Helen Kerr and husband to James Calder, lot 16, block 15, Walnut Hill	2,000
Josephine English to Louis H. Rose, lot 4, block 3, Hawthorn add	1,500
Nora O'Connor and husband to Annie M. Connelly, lots 8 and 9, block 1, Hammond Place, South Omaha	300
Jane A. Russell and husband to Burke E. Bodwell, lot 12, block 6, Shull's 2d add	4,000
Eliza Ferguson, et al. to Herschel P. Hamilton, lot 1, block 4, Kountze Place	1,800
Charles Snyder and wife to Harry C. McClellan, lot 3, block 11, Druid Hill	1,500
Ellen C. Rasmussen, et al. to Jennie Butley et al., 24 rods north of northeast corner of w½ of e½ of ne¼ section 34-15-13	1,900
Clarence W. Edwin and wife to Josie A. Hoepe, north 33½ ft. lot 7, block 2, Hanscom Place	3,450
Charles W. Conkling and wife to Jetur P. Conkling, 502½ ft. of sw¼ of ne¼ section 34-16-13 and 515 ft. south of intersection of south line of Florence boulevard	2
Jetur Conkling to Charles W. Conkling, south 157½ ft. east of Florence boulevard and south 70 ft. west of Florence boulevard	2
Total for August 3, 1906	$41,288