GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Oats and Wheat Open Strong, but Prices Decline Later.

EXCHANGE CLOSED TUESDAY FOR HOLIDAY

Reports of Further Green Bug Ravages Cause Advance in Wheat, Which Weakens Later on Denials.

OMAHA, April 1, 1907.

Opening prices were firmer and the entire market took a sharp upward turn in sympathy with the strength displayed in wheat. Oats led in the bull movement and scored an advance of ½c on the close of Saturday. A reaction followed, however, which carried prices generally below the opening and the market continued nervous to the close.

Wheat opened higher on receipt of more damage reports by green bugs. Receipts were heavy and rains were reported in the southwest, with generally favorable weather conditions, but a decrease was reported in the visible supply and the recurrence of green bug reports caused a higher market. The subsequent reaction, which wiped out nearly all gains, was caused by denials of the bug reports and a nervous and erratic market resulted. It was reported that the bugs had advanced into the fields of Nebraska, but confirmation was lacking. The weather conditions continue to be the controlling factor in the market, which promises to be feverish for some time. The close was firm at an advance of ¼c over the closing price of Saturday for May options.

Corn was steady and offerings were light. The market weakened in sympathy with the reaction in wheat, but changes were within a narrow range.

Good buying and light offerings of oats resulted in higher prices. May options opened at 42c bid, an advance of ½c over the close of Saturday, but the market broke on scattered selling to below the opening prices. Trading was lively, but little support was offered in the downward movement and the close was weak.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,057,000 bushels and shipments 220,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 822,000 bushels and shipments of 191,000 bushels. Corn receipts were 1,056,000 bushels and shipments 871,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 610,000 bushels and shipments of 438,000 bushels.

Clearances were 434,000 bushels corn, 3,000 bushels oats, and wheat and flour equal to 300,000 bushels.

The Liverpool exchange was closed for the Easter holidays.

The world's wheat shipments for the last week were 9,456,000 bushels, against 8,576,000 bushels last year. Corn shipments were 3,228,000 bushels, against 2,340,000 bushels last year.

The visible wheat supply decreased 565,000 bushels to 47,213,000 bushels, against a supply of 46,468,000 bushels last year. The corn supply decreased 630,000 bushels to 12,213,000 bushels, against 11,391,000 bushels last year. A decrease of 126,000 bushels was recorded in the visible supply of oats, which is 10,503,000 bushels, against 21,332,000 bushels last year.

The exchange will be closed Thursday, which is election day throughout the country.

Local range of options:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
Wheat—					
May...	70B	70⅛B	70B	70⅛B	69⅞A
July...	71⅛B	71⅞B	71⅛B	71⅞B	71⅛B
Corn—					
May...	41¼A	41¼A	41⅛A	41¼A	41¼A
July...	41A	41B	40⅞A	41B	41A
Sept...	41¼A	41¼A	41¼A	41¼A	41¼A
Oats—					
May...	42B	42⅛B	41⅞A	41⅞A	41⅞B
July...	38⅛B	38⅛B	38⅛A	38⅛B	38⅛B

A asked. B bid.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 68½@69½c; No. 3 hard, 63@67c; No. 4 hard, 56@63c; No. 3 spring, 65@69½c.

CORN—No. 3, 36@36½c; No. 4, 31@33c; no grade, 26@27c; No. 3 yellow, 36¼@36½c; No. 3 white, 38½@39c.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 38@38½c; No. 3 white, 39@39½c; No. 4 white, 38½@38¾c.

RYE—No. 2, 60c; No. 3, 58½c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	14	299	186
Kansas City	140	147	54
Minneapolis	573	...	...
Omaha	56	103	41
Duluth	150	...	...
St. Louis	60	260	221

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, April 1.—Green bug reports and unfavorable weather for the growing crop caused firmness today in the wheat market, the May delivery closing at a net gain of ¼@⅜c. Corn and oats were each off ⅛c. Provisions were 7½c to 10@10½c higher.

An active demand for wheat, especially for the May option, caused reports of an increased area affected by the green bug and by statements of damage by frost in Indiana. About the middle of the day the market eased off because of the report of a crop expert, which made the condition of wheat on April 1, 88.1, compared with 91.2 for the corresponding day last year. This report seemed to dispel some of the fear aroused by reports of green bug damage. The market rallied again near the close on buying by shorts. The close was steady. May wheat opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 76⅛c to 76½c, sold up to 76⅞c and then declined to 76⅛c. The close was at 76⅜@76½c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 207,300 bu. The amount on passage increased 434,000 bu., and the visible supply increased 740,000 bu. Primary receipts were 1,057,600 bu., against 821,000 bu. for the same day last year. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 746 cars, against 644 cars last week and 681 cars one year ago.

Trading in the corn pit was very quiet and the tone of the market was easy. Scattered liquidation by local longs and some selling by receiving houses was in evidence. Large primary receipts, poor shipping demand and the possibility of liberal local receipts by Wednesday had a depressing effect. The close was easy. May corn opened unchanged at 46¼c, sold at 46⅜c and then declined to 45⅞c. Final quotations were at 45⅞c. Local receipts were 299 cars, with two contract grade.

May oats at the opening sold at 43⅛c, the highest price of the season. The advance was caused by the covering by shorts, who were alarmed at the congested condition of the market. Prices eased off later on selling by elevator interests. The deferred futures were also sold freely because of reports that seeding is progressing rapidly. May opened a shade to ⅛@¼c higher at 43c to 43⅛c, sold off to 42⅝c and closed at 42⅝@42¾c. Local receipts were 186 cars.

Provisions were firm because of a 10@15c advance in the price of live hogs. Offerings came mainly from longs. At the close May pork was up 10c at $16.40. Lard was up 7½c at $9.02½. Ribs were 10@12½c higher at $8.80.

Estimated receipts for Wednesday: Wheat, 27 cars; corn, 634 cars; oats, 352 cars; hogs, for tomorrow, 30,000 head.

The Board of Trade will be closed Tuesday, election day.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y.
*Wheat					
May	76⅛@⅜	76⅞	76⅛	76⅜@½	76⅛
July	78⅛@⅜	78⅞	78⅛	78⅜@½	78⅛@½
Sept.	79⅛	79⅝	79⅛	79⅜	79⅛
Dec.	81¼	81¾	81	81⅜	81¼
*Corn—					
May	46¼	46⅜	45⅞	45⅞	46¼
July	46⅛	46⅛@¼	45⅞@46	45⅞	46⅛
Sept.	46⅛@46¼	46⅜	46⅛@46¼	46⅛@46¼	46⅛
*Oats—					
May	43	43⅛	42⅝	42⅝@42¾	42⅞@43
July	37⅝	37⅞	37⅝	37⅝@37¾	37⅝
Sept.	33	33	32⅞	32⅞@33	33
Pork—					
May	16 27½	16 45	16 27½	16 40	16 30
July	16 27½	16 45	16 27½	16 45	16 35
Lard—					
May	9 02½	9 02½	9 00	9 02½	8 95
July	9 12½	9 15	9 10	9 15	9 05
Sept.	9 22½	9 22½	9 20	9 22½	9 15
Ribs—					
May	8 77½	8 80	8 75	8 80	8 70
July	8 95	8 97½	8 92½	8 97½	8 85
Sept.	9 02½	9 02½	9 00	9 02½	8 95

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $3.10@3.40; straights, $2.90@3.25; spring patents, $3.40@3.50; straights, $2.90@3.30; bakers, $2.00@2.90.

WHEAT—No. 2 spring, 80@82c; No. 3 spring, 73@82c; No. 2 red, 74⅜@77⅝c.

CORN—No. 2, 44⅝c; No. 2 yellow, 45¼c.

OATS—No. 2, 43c; No. 3 white, 43@43½c; No. 3 white, 40½@43½c.

RYE—No. 2, 65c.

BARLEY—Fair to choice malting, 63@67c.

SEEDS—No. 1 flax, $1.13; No. 1 northwestern, $1.20. Prime timothy, $4.30. Clover, contract grades, $15.50.

PROVISIONS—Short ribs sides (loose), $8.60@8.70. Mess pork, per bbl., $15.50@15.62½. Lard, per 100 lbs., $8.90@8.92½. Short clear sides (boxed), $8.87½@9.12½.

Following were the receipts and shipments of flour and grain:

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	34,700	17,400
Wheat, bu	22,800	25,800
Corn, bu	285,000	110,100
Oats, bu	226,500	141,600
Rye, bu	9,000	11,800
Barley, bu	97,700	265,800

On the Produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 20@29½c; dairies, 20@27c. Eggs, easy; at mark, cases included, 13½c; firsts, 15c; prime firsts, 16½c. Cheese, steady, 13@15c.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, April 1.—FLOUR—Receipts, 26,527 bbls.; exports, 5,674 bbls.; market steady with light inquiry. Minnesota patents, $4.10@4.35; winter straights, $3.35@3.50; Minnesota bakers, $3.45@3.50; winter extras, $2.80@3.00; winter patents, $3.60@3.85; winter low grades, $2.70@2.90. Rye flour, dull; fair to good, $3.65@3.80; choice to fancy, $3.85@4.20.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.20@1.25; coarse, $1.08@1.10; kiln dried, $2.65@2.75.

WHEAT—Receipts, 132,000 bu.; exports, 92,964 bu. Spot market steady; No. 2 red, 82⅝c, elevator; No. 2 red, 83⅝c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 89⅛c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 87⅛c, f. o. b., afloat. Between further bug damage news from Oklahoma and low temperatures in the southwest, wheat was generally firm all day, although quiet. A bearish snow report caused moderate selling pressure in the last hour, but there was a rally near the close, final prices showing ⅛@¼c net rise. May, 85⅛@85 7-16c, closed at 85⅜c; July, 85⅝@86c, closed at 86c; September closed at 86⅛c.

CORN—Receipts, 156,950 bu.; exports, 59,689 bu. Spot market steady; No. 2, 56c, elevator, and 52c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 white, 54½c and No. 2 yellow, f. o. b., afloat. Option market was without transactions, closing net unchanged.

OATS—Receipts, 228,000 bu.; exports, 300 bu. Spot market steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 46½c; natural white, 30 to 33 pounds, 47@49c; clipped white, 36 to 40 pounds, 48@52½c.

HAY—Easy; shipping, 70@80c; good to choice, $1.10@1.15.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice, 1906, 18@23c; 1905, 8@11c; Pacific coast, 1906, 11@14c; 1905, 8@12c.

HIDES—Quiet; Central America, 24½c; Bogota, 25c.

LEATHER—Steady; acid, 27½@29c.

PROVISIONS—Beef, quiet; family, $14.50@15.00; mess, $9.50@10.00; beef hams, $24.00@26.00; packet, $10.50@11.00; city, extra India mess, $20.00@21.00. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, $10.50@12.00; pickled hams, $11.50@12.00. Lard, firm; western prime, $9.10@9.20; refined, steady; continent, $9.60; South America, $9.50; compound, $8.37½@8.62½. Pork, firm; family, $19.00; short clear, $17.75@19.25; mess, $17.50@18.25.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 6⅜c; country, 6¼@7c.

RICE—Dull; domestic, fair to extra, 2⅝@6½c; Japanese, nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; street price, extra creamery, 30½@31c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 22@30c; state dairy, common to finest, 21@29c; renovated, common to extra, 16@25c; western factory, common to firsts, 19@25c; western imitation creamery, extras, 26@27c; firsts, 23@24c.

CHEESE—Firm; state, full cream, colored and white, small September fancy, 15c; October best, 14@14½c; good to prime, 13@13½c; winter made, average best, 12½c; October best, 14@14½c; good to prime, 12¾@13½c; inferior, 11½@12½c.

EGGS—Irregular; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 19½@20c; choice, 18½@19c; firsts to extra firsts, 17@18c; western firsts, 16½@17c; seconds, 16@16½c.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c; molasses sugar, 3⅛c. Refined steady; crushed, 5.40c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—WHEAT—Higher; track, No. 2 red cash, 76¾@77¼c; No. 2 hard, 76@78½c; May, 75¾@75⅞c; July, 77⅛@77¼c.

CORN—Lower; track, No. 2 cash, 43¼@43⅝c; No. 2 white, 45c; May, 43⅝c; July, 44¼@44⅜c.

OATS—Weak; track, No. 2 cash, 41c; No. 2 white, 42@42½c; May, 41¼c; July, 36¼c.

FLOUR—Dull; red winter patents, $3.60@3.80; extra fancy and straight, $3.20@3.50; clear, $2.65@2.85.

SEEDS—Timothy, steady, $3.00@4.00.

CORNMEAL—Steady, $2.40.

BRAN—Easy; sacked, east track, 90@97c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $15.00@19.00; prairie, $10.00@13.00.

IRON COTTON TIES—$1.10.

BAGGING—10⅝c.

HEMP TWINE—10c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, higher; jobbing, $16.92½. Lard, higher; prime steam, $8.62½@8.77½. Dry salt meats (boxed), firm; extra shorts, $9.62½; clear ribs, $9.62½; short clears, $9.75. Bacon (boxed), firm; extra shorts, $10.50; clear ribs, $10.50; short clears, $10.62½.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 11c; springs, 13½c; turkeys, 11c; ducks, 12c; geese, 7½c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 23@31½c; dairy, 21@26c.

EGGS—Firm at 14c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	14,000	11,000
Wheat, bu	61,000	51,000
Corn, bu	203,000	144,000
Oats, bu	201,000	86,000

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, April 1.—WHEAT—May, 69⅝c; July, 71⅝c; September, 73c; cash, No. 2 hard, 70½@73½c; No. 3, 66½@72½c; No. 2 red, 72½@75c; No. 3, 67@73½c.

CORN—May, 40⅝c; July, 41⅝c; September, 42¼c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 40c; No. 3, 38@38½c; No. 2 white, 41c; No. 3, 40@40½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 42c; No. 2 mixed, 41c.

RYE—Steady, 63@65c.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $14.50@15.25; choice prairie, $11.00@11.50.

EGGS—Easy; firsts, 15c per dozen.

BUTTER—Creamery, 29c; packing, 18c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu	146,000	62,000
Corn, bu	147,000	65,000
Oats, bu	34,000	11,000

Closing quotations at Kansas City, as furnished by Logan & Byron, 2 Board of Trade:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	69⅝	70	69⅝	69⅝
July	71⅝	72	71⅝	71⅝@¾B
Corn—				
May	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝	40⅝
July	41⅝	41⅝@⅝	41⅝	41⅝@⅝B

B bid. A asked.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, April 1.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, March 30, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, was as follows:

Wheat, 47,207,000 bu.; decrease, 546,000 bu. Corn, 11,977,000 bu.; decrease, 680,000 bu. Oats, 9,296,000 bu.; decrease, 134,000 bu. Rye, 411,000 bu.; decrease 102,000 bu. Barley, 2,349,000 bu.; increase, 109,000 bu.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, April 1.—CORN—Dull and easy; No. 3 yellow and No. 3, 39½c; No. 4, 38c; no grade, 28@32c.

OATS—Higher; No. 2 white, 42c; No. 3 white, 41½c; No. 4 white, 40½c.

RYE—Steady; No. 2, 67@68c.

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

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—EGGS—Steady and in fair demand; western fresh, 18c at mark.

CHEESE—Firm and in fair demand; New York full creams, fancy, 14½@14¾c; New York full creams, choice, 14¼c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 1.—WHEAT—May, 78⅜c; July, 79⅝@80c; No. 1 hard, 81⅛@81¼c; No. 1 northern, 80⅛@80¼c; No. 2 northern, 78⅛@78⅜c; No. 3 northern, 75@76c.

FLOUR—First patents, $4.15@4.40; second patents, $4.00@4.10; first clears, $3.20@3.30; second clears, $2.40@2.50.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, April 1.—WHEAT—Market steady; No. 1 northern, 82@83c; No. 2 northern, 79@81c; May, 76⅞c, asked.

BARLEY—Steady; No. 2, 72½@73c; sample, 55@73c.

CORN—Lower; No. 3 cash, 41@41½c; May, 45⅞c, bid.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, April 1.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, 80⅝c; No. 2 northern, 79⅝c; May, 80⅛c; July, 81⅛c; September, 80c.

OATS—On track, 41c; April, 40c.

Toledo Seed Market.

TOLEDO, O., April 1.—SEEDS—Clover, cash, $9.20; April, $8.40; October, $6.80. Alsike, prime, $7.45. Timothy, prime, $2.20.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, April 1.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 10.95c; middling gulf, 11.20c; sales, 4,600 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet; sales 1,725 bales; low ordinary, 5 15-16c, nominal; ordinary, 6 15-16c, nominal; good ordinary, 8⅛c; low middling, 9 7-16c; middling, 10⅛c; good middling, 11⅛c; middling fair, 12⅝c, nominal; fair, 13⅛c, nominal. Receipts, 1,204 bales; stock, 247,461 bales.

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—COTTON—Steady; middling, 10 13-16c; sales, 50 bales; receipts, 1,077 bales; shipments, 729 bales; stock, 59,760 bales.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Market Opens Higher, but Falls on Fear of Offerings from Abroad Tomorrow.

NET LOSSES FROM LOW LEVEL OF FRIDAY

Great Northern Preferred a Drag on the Market Because of Call for Payments on New Issue.

NEW YORK, April 1.—The New York market operated again to day without London to serve as an index of the foreign attitude. There was a time today when this seemed to arouse misgivings over the extent to which prices were being carried away from the level when London last traded in our securities on Thursday last. The rebound of Friday was materially extended by the gains which were added today. The resumption of trading in London tomorrow is awaited with interest to see what view will be taken of the rapidity of the recovery here.

The drop in Canadian Pacific at the opening here was largely due to stock supplied from foreign sources, as the extent of the short interest in that stock reviewed on Friday last made it in eager demand still. The demand from the shorts promptly reasserted its influence on the stock and it rebounded violently. The fact that Friday's rebound in that stock was sufficient to bring out large offerings of foreign holdings suggested a possibility of what might happen in the general list when London resumes tomorrow and led to the general reaction after the opening, wiping out practically all of the gains and establishing some striking losses from the low level of last Friday. The movement of Great Northern preferred also acted as a damper on the early strength of the market. The heaviness of this stock seemed to be connected with the official notification by the company that the original terms of payment of subscriptions to the new stock would be unchanged by the delay in the issue caused by the litigation to enjoin it. This would call for the payment of four 10 per cent installments, amounting to some $24,000,000 on April 9. The subscription rights were dealt in on the Stock exchange for the first time today and declined to a lower level than was touched on the curb when the judicial decision in favor of the company was first announced. Another factor in the early reaction was the knowledge that a formal announcement was imminent from President Roosevelt on the subject of governmental policy towards the railroads. Rumors first current on the Stock exchange were that the expected statement was to be in effect a reiteration of former views and an expressed determination to continue in them. This version caused a distinct halt in the rise in prices, but the rise was actively renewed when reports got abroad that emphasis was to be laid by the executive of disapproval of any project that would invalidate railroad securities.

Decided relief was felt over the improved money situation and with the first of April fairly passed it was believed that relaxation would follow in the money market. Rates for time loans were marked down decisively. The sub-treasury report showing a gain by the banks since Friday of nearly $6,000,000 demonstrated that the effects of the treasury relief makeshures were not to be confined to the bank statement of last week. Another decisively strengthening influence on the market was the better prospect reported of a settlement without a strike of the claims of western railroad employes for higher wages and a reduced working day. Most of the day's gains were retained to the last, although the closing tone was rather feverish.

Bonds were firm. Total sales par value, $1,324,000. United States 2s coupon declined ¼ per cent on call.

Number of sales and quotations on the New York Stock exchange:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adams Express	.....	.....	.....	250
Amalgamated Copper	132,900	92¾	89⅛	91⅝
Am. C. & F.	3,100	36½	35½	36
Am. C. & F. pfd	100	97⅝	97⅝	96¼
Am. Cotton Oil	800	30	29½	29½
Am. Cotton Oil pfd	.....	.....	.....	85
American Express	100	210	210	205
Am. H. & L. pfd	100	22	22	21¾
American Ice	100	77	77	77
Am. Linseed Oil	200	13½	13¼	12¼
Am. Linseed Oil pfd	100	29	29	28
Am. Locomotive	100	64	63¼	63
Am. L. pfd., ex-div	.....	.....	.....	105
Am. S. & R.	59,400	123¼	118¾	122⅝
Am. S. & R. pfd	2,300	104⅝	104	104½
Am. Sugar Refining	4,700	126	124	125⅛
Am. Tobacco pfd ctf	400	91	90½	91½
Anaconda Mining Co.	26,000	64¾	63	64
Atchison	35,500	93¾	89⅝	93¼
Atchison pfd	100	94⅛	94⅛	94
Atlantic Coast Line	1,700	103	101	103
Baltimore & Ohio	3,700	98⅝	97	98¼
Bal. & Ohio pfd	.....	.....	.....	87
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	25,900	56⅛	53	56⅝
Canadian Pacific	37,500	180⅝	177½	184
Central of New Jersey	.....	.....	.....	175
Chesapeake & Ohio	2,400	41⅛	40¾	41
Chicago Gt. W.	600	14¼	13¾	13½
Chicago & N. W.	2,000	150	147¼	149¼
C., M. & St. P.	20,400	134⅝	132	134¼
Chicago T. & T.	.....	.....	.....	5
Chicago T. & T. pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
C., C., C. & St. L.	300	10¼	10	10¼
Colorado F. & I.	300	72	71¾	71½
Colorado & So.	3,700	25⅝	24⅞	25⅛
Colo. & So. 1st pfd	1,700	28	25⅛	25⅛
Colo. & So. 2d pfd	500	60⅝	60	60
Consolidated Gas	500	46⅛	46⅛	46¾
Corn Products	1,000	125¾	123¼	125
Corn Products pfd	1,000	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛
Delaware & Hudson	100	79	79	79
Del., L. & W.	800	184⅜	181½	184⅛
Denver & Rio Grande	.....	.....	.....	467
D. & R. G. pfd	600	30⅝	30⅛	30⅝
Distillers' Securities	.....	.....	.....	73
Erie	1,400	71	69⅝	70⅛
Erie 1st pfd	23,700	25⅝	24⅝	25⅛
Erie 2d pfd	1,000	60	58⅝	59⅛
General Electric	500	40	39⅝	39⅝
Illinois Central	900	146½	146	146
International Paper	100	146⅛	146¼	144
Int. Paper pfd	300	14½	14½	14
Int. Pump	500	74	73	72½
Int. Pump pfd	100	27⅝	27⅝	27
Iowa Central	.....	.....	.....	74
Iowa Central pfd	200	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
Kansas City So.	200	34	34	34
K. C. So. pfd	1,400	24	23	23
Louisville & N.	2,400	54	53	53⅝
Mexican Central	3,200	119⅝	117½	119
Minn. & St. L.	600	21⅛	21	21⅝
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	100	49⅛	49⅛	49
M., St. P. & S. S. M. pfd	300	107	106	106
Missouri Pacific	200	131⅝	131¼	130
M., K. & T.	4,400	75⅝	74⅛	75
M., K. & T. pfd	7,600	36⅝	35⅝	36⅝
National Lead	500	64⅛	63⅝	64
N. R. R. of M. pfd	2,700	60	58⅝	59⅝
New York Central	.....	.....	.....	49⅝
N. Y., O. & W.	3,300	118⅝	117½	118⅝
Norfolk & W.	300	38⅛	38	38⅛
Norfolk & W. pfd	900	78⅝	77¼	78⅝
North American	.....	.....	.....	80
Pacific Mail	1,400	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
Pennsylvania	300	25⅛	25	25⅛
People's Gas	43,300	125	122⅝	124⅝
P., C., C. & St. L.	2,400	91	89⅝	91
Pressed Steel Car	100	69⅛	69⅛	69⅝
Pressed S. C. pfd	600	35⅛	34½	35⅛
Pullman Palace Car	.....	.....	.....	91⅛
Reading	400	161⅛	161⅛	162
Reading 1st pfd	144,500	106⅝	103	106
Reading 2d pfd, offered	.....	.....	.....	84
Republic Steel	.....	.....	.....	80
Republic Steel pfd	3,200	28⅛	26⅝	28
Rock Island Co.	2,500	83⅛	81	83
Rock Island Co. pfd	2,100	23	21	21⅛
Rubber Goods pfd	.....	.....	.....	46⅝
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	.....	.....	.....	80
St. Louis S. W.	100	35	35	35
St. L. S. W. pfd	.....	.....	.....	20⅝
So. Pacific, ex-div	200	51⅛	51	51⅛
So. Pacific pfd	53,100	79⅝	77⅝	79⅝
So. Railway	200	114	114	113
So. Railway pfd	6,300	22⅝	21⅛	22⅝
Tennessee C. & I.	700	72⅝	70⅝	70
Texas & Pacific	400	142	140	142
T., St. L. & W.	1,300	28⅛	28	28¼
T., St. L. & W. pfd	300	37⅝	37⅝	37⅛
Union Pacific	1,400	51⅝	51⅛	51⅝
Union Pacific pfd	165,100	139⅝	135	138⅝
U. S. Express	200	86⅝	86⅝	86⅝
U. S. Realty	.....	.....	.....	100
U. S. Rubber	900	75	74	77⅛
U. S. Rubber pfd	300	42⅝	42	42⅝
U. S. Steel	400	103	101⅛	103⅛
U. S. Steel pfd	46,900	37	36⅝	36⅝
Va.-Caro. Chemical	14,800	99⅝	97⅝	99⅝
Va.-Caro. Chem. pfd	300	25	24⅝	25
Wabash	100	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
Wabash pfd	1,100	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Wells-Fargo Express	.....	25⅛	25	25
Westinghouse Electric	.....	.....	.....	289
Western Union	.....	.....	.....	147
Wheeling & L. E.	1,100	81⅛	80⅝	81
Wis. Central pfd	400	18⅝	18⅛	18⅛
Northern Pacific	.....	.....	.....	35
Central Leather	14,100	135⅝	130⅝	135⅝
Central Leather pfd	2,400	31⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Great Northern pfd	.....	.....	.....	.....
Int. Metropolitan	20,300	141⅝	136⅝	140⅝
Int. Met. pfd	1,300	25⅝	24⅝	25
Sloss-Sheffield Steel	1,300	60⅝	58⅝	60⅝
	500	54⅝	53⅝	54

Total sales for the day, 1,025,600 shares.

Government Balance Sheet.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures for March, 1907, shows the total receipts to have been $54,232,952 and the expenditures $43,502,007, leaving a surplus for the month of $10,629,946. The surplus for the nine months of the present fiscal year is over $51,200,000. One year ago the surplus was a little less than $8,000,000.

As compared with March, 1906, the customs receipts show an increase of $1,300,000, internal revenue an increase of over $2,000,000 and miscellaneous a surplus of $192,000.

The expenditures for last month are over $2,000,000 less than for March, 1906.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, April 1.—Bank clearings for today were $1,801,310.07 and for the corresponding date last year $1,796,222.17.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $252,368,003; gold coin and bullion, $113,742,672; gold certificates, $42,618,890.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, April 1.—MONEY ON CALL—Steady, 3½@4 per cent; ruling rate, 4¼; closing bid, 3; offered at 3½. Time loans, soft; sixty days, 5½@6%; ninety days, 5¾; six months, 5½@5¾ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—6@6½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Strong with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8305@4.8370 for demand and at $4.79@4.7910 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, $4.80 and 4.84½; commercial bills, $4.79.

SILVER—Bar, 65⅝c; Mexican dollars, 50½c.

BONDS—Government, easy; railroad, firm.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104⅝	Japan 4s, 2d series	89⅝
*do coupon	104⅝	do 4s ctfs	89⅝
*U. S. 3s, reg	102⅝	do 4½s ctfs	88⅝
do coupon	103⅝	do 2d series	87⅝
U. S. old 4s, reg	100⅝	L. & N. uni. 4s	100⅝
*do coupon	100⅝	*Man. c. g. 4s	97⅝
U. S. new 4s, reg	129⅝	Mex. Central 4s	81⅝
*do coupon	129⅝	**do 1st inc	21
Am. Tobacco 4s	73⅝	***Minn. & St. L. 4s	89
*do 6s	104⅝	M., K. & T. 4s	95⅝
*Atchison gen. 4s	97⅝	**do 2s	80
do adj. 4s	90⅝	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	90⅝
Atlantic C. L. 4s	93⅝	***N. J. C. g. 5s	123⅝
*Bal. & Ohio 4s	98⅝	*No. Pacific 4s	100⅝
**do 3½s	91	do 3s	72
Brk. R. T. c. 4s	82⅝	****N. & W. c. 4s	98⅝
**Central of Ga. 5s	105	O. S. L. rfdg. 4s	90
***do 1st inc	90	Penn. conv. 3½s	94⅝
***do 2d inc	75	Reading gen. 4s	96
***do 3d inc	66	St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	110
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	103⅝	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	78
C. & A. 3½s	70	**St. L. S. W. c. 4s	72⅝
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	93⅝	Seaboard A. L. 4s	71
C., R. I. & P. 4s	70⅝	So. Pacific 4s	88⅝
do col. 5s	82⅝	do 1st 4s ctfs	91⅝
CCC. & St. L. g. 4s	97⅝	***So. Railway 5s	109⅝
Colo. Ind. 5s, ser. A	64	Texas & P. 1s	114
Colorado Mid. 4s	67	T., St. L. & W. 4s	75
Colo. & So. 4s	90⅝	Union Pacific 4s	101
**Cuba 5s	99	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	96
**D. & R. G. 4s	95	**Wabash 1s	110
*Distillers' Sec. 5s	83	do deb. B	60
Erie p. l. 4s	85⅝	*Western Md. 4s	74
do gen. 4s	81	***W. & L. E. 4s	84
***Hock. Val. 4½s	103⅝	Wis. Central 4s	84⅝
Japan 6s	99⅝		

*Ex-interest. **Bid. ***Offered. ****Ex-interest and offered. ‡Ex-interest and bid.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, April 1.—Call loans, 6@8 per cent; time loans, 6@6½ per cent. Official closing quotations were:

*Atchison adj. 4s	92	Bingham	30
do 4s	97	Cal. & Hecla	875
Mex. Central 4s	81½	Centennial	23⅝
Atchison	92⅝	Copper Range	81⅝
do pfd	94⅝	Daly West	15
**Boston & Albany	231	Franklin	20
Boston & Maine	160	Isle Royale	21⅝
Boston Elevated	140	Mass. Mining	6
*Fitchburg pfd	130	Michigan	15⅝
Mexican Central	21⅝	Mohawk	80
N. Y., N. H. & H.	174	Mont. C. & C.	2⅝
Union Pacific	138⅝	*Old Dominion	58
*Amer. Pneu. Tube	7⅝	Parrot	23⅝
Amer. Sugar	125⅝	*Quincy	123
*do pfd	125	Shannon	19⅝
Am. T. & T.	119⅝	Tamarack	113
Amer. Woolen	27⅝	Trinity	31⅝
do pfd	96	United Copper	59
Edison Elec. Illu	206	U. S. Mining	55
Mass. Electric	17⅝	U. S. Oil	10⅝
Mass. Gas	59⅝	Utah	61⅝
United Fruit	106⅝	Victoria	8⅝
United S. M.	60	Winona	8⅝
do pfd	27	Wolverine	160
U. S. Steel	36⅝	North Butte	91⅝
do pfd	99⅝	Butte Coalition	27
Adventure	3⅝	Nevada	13⅝
**Allouez	55	Cal. & Arizona	161⅝
Amalgamated	94	Arizona Com.	35⅝
Atlantic	15⅝	Greene Con.	24⅝

*Asked. **Bid.

Boston Copper Market.

These quotations are furnished by Logan & Bryan, members New York and Boston Stock exchanges, 2 Board of Health:

Adventure	3⅝	Michigan	15⅝
Allouez	55	Mohawk	80
Atlantic	15	Nevada Cons.	14⅝
Bingham	30⅝	N. Butte	92
Black Mountain	6	Old Dominion	53⅝
Boston Cons.	26⅝	Osceola	135
Butte Coalition	27⅝	Parrot. Service	7
Calumet & Arizona	162	Pneu. Service Pfd.	17⅝
Calumet & Hecla	870	Quincy	123
Centennial	24	Shannon	19⅝
Copper Range	81⅝	Tamarack	114
Daily West	15⅝	Trinity	30⅝
East Butte	11	United Fruit	106⅝
Franklin	20	U. S. Common	55
Greene Copper	25	U. S. pfd	44⅝
Granby	123	Utah Cons.	61⅝
Helvetia	3⅝	Victoria	8⅝
Isle Royal	21⅝	Winona	8
Junction	9	Wolverine	160
L. S. & Pittsburg	21	Can	30
Mass	6⅝	Nip	13⅝

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

Adams Con.	15	Little Chief	6
Alice	575	Ontario	500
Breece	250	Ophir	220
Brunswick Con.	45	Potosi	11
Comstock Tunnel	27	Savage	75
Con. Cal. & Va.	100	Sierra Nevada	64
Horn Silver	130	Small Hopes	25
Iron Silver	405	Standard	250
Leadville Con.	6		

Statement of Public Debt.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business March 30, 1907, the total debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $909,106,566, which was a decrease as compared with March 1, of $11,538,288.

The debt is recapitulated as follows: Interest bearing debt, $908,737,260; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity, $1,095,365; debt bearing no interest, $32,645,542. Total, $1,211,974,568.

This amount, however, does not include $1,130,146,869 in certificates and treasury notes outstanding, which are offset by an equal amount of cash which is held for their redemption.

The cash in the treasury is given as follows:

Gold reserve, $150,000,000; trust funds, $1,130,146,869; general funds, $190,530,546; in national bank depositories, $165,236,679; in treasury of Philippines, $3,887,713. Total, $1,648,-790,810.

Against which there are demand liabilities outstanding amounting to $1,245,922,-, which leaves a cash balance on hand of $402,868,003.

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, April 1.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Steadier, with holders of strictly prime fruit asking higher prices; fancy are quoted at 8¼c, choice at 7c, prime at 6¼@6½c and poor to fair at 5¼@5¾c.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes show no improvement on spot, in spite of bullish reports from the coast. Prices range from 3c to 13c for California fruit and from 5½c to 10c for Oregon. Apricots are in light supply and prices are firm, with choice quoted at 18c, extra choice at 18¼@19c and fancy at 19@20c. Peaches are quiet and barely steady, with choice quoted at 11@11½c, extra choice at 12@12½c, fancy at 13¼@13c and extra fancy at 13@15c. Raisins are rather quiet, demand being from hand to mouth, but prices are firmly held. Loose muscatels are quoted at 8¼@10c, seeded raisins at 7¼@11c and London layers at $1.50@1.60.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, April 1.—METALS—With the London market closed, metals were quiet today, and with the exception of tin were generally unchanged. Tin was higher, with spot quoted at $40.30@40.62½, an advance of a little over 20 points on the average. Copper continued dull and more or less nominal, with lake quoted at $24.75@25.25, electrolytic at $24.25@25.00 and casting at $23.75@24.25. Copper exports for the month of March were 3,006 tons. Lead was quiet and unchanged at $6.00@6.30, according to shipment. Spelter was dull at $6.80@6.90. Iron was unchanged. No. 1 northern foundry being quoted at $25.25@26.25, No. 2 northern foundry at $24.25@25.75, No. 1 southern foundry at $26.00@26.50 and No. 2 southern foundry at $25.00@25.50.

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—METALS—Lead, quiet, $6.05. Spelter, quiet, $6.75.

Oils and Rosin.

NEW YORK, April 1.—OILS—Cottonseed, easy; prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 36@37c; prime yellow, f. o. b. mills, 45½c. Petroleum, steady; refined, New York, $8.20; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $8.15; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, $4.70. Turpentine, quiet; 73½@73c.

ROSIN—Steady; strained, common to good, $4.50@4.55.

OIL CITY, Pa., April 1.—OIL—Credit balances, $1.78. Runs, 271,523 bbls.; average, 137,116 bbls.; shipments, 278,922 bbls.; average, 155,567 bbls.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 1.—OIL—Turpentine, steady; 67½c.

ROSIN—Firm; quote: A, B, C, D, E, $4.20; F, $4.25; G, $4.30; I, $4.60; K, $5.15; M, $5.20; N, $5.35; W G, $5.40; W W, $5.50.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, April 1.—COFFEE—Futures opened steady at unchanged prices. There were no European cables to influence sentiment. Brazilian markets were unchanged, and trading here was quiet. Prices were slightly influenced by small orders, in the absence of general business, and the market closed steady at a net advance of 5 points to a decline of 5 points. Sales were reported of 23,000 bags, including May at 5.75@5.80c; July, 5.85c; September, 5.90c; December, 5.85c; March, 5.70@5.75c. Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7 invoice, 7c; No. 4 Santos, 8c. Mild, dull; Cordova, 9@12½c.

Sugar and Molasses.

NEW YORK, April 1.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾c. Molasses sugar, 3⅛c; refined, steady.

MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, good to choice, 37@45c.

NEW ORLEANS, April 1.—SUGAR—Steady; open kettle, centrifugal, 3⅛@3¾c; centrifugal whites, 4 3-16@4¼c; centrifugal yellow, 3⅝@4⅛c; seconds, 2⅝@3¼c.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Strong to Ten Cents Higher and Active.

HOGS OPEN HIGHER, BUT CLOSE LOWER

Large Run of Sheep and Lambs, with Prices Weak to Ten Cents Lower on All Kinds.

SOUTH OMAHA, April 1, 1907.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	4,300	3,700	25,000
Same day last week	4,245	4,669	11,210
Same day 2 weeks ago	5,393	4,128	23,786
Same day 3 weeks ago	5,403	5,028	3,663
Same day 4 weeks ago	3,383	5,162	10,444
Same day last year	2,787	5,725	12,133

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

	1907.	1906.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	284,046	247,434	36,612	......
Hogs	623,249	676,967	......	53,718
Sheep	510,167	465,377	44,790	......

CATTLE QUOTATIONS.

Good to choice corn-fed steers	$5.25@5.75
Fair to good corn-fed steers	4.65@5.25
Common to fair steers	4.00@4.65
Good to choice fed cows	3.85@4.65
Fair to good cows and heifers	3.00@3.25
Fair to choice stockers & feeders	4.40@5.00
Fair to good stockers and feeders	3.80@4.40
Common to fair stockers	3.00@3.80
Bulls, stags, etc.	2.75@4.40
Veal calves	4.00@6.50

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

Date.	1907.	1906.	1905.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.
March 23	6 15¾	6 25	5 01	4 97	7 44	6 08	5 15
March 24	*	6 24	5 08	5 03	7 27	6 08	5 22
March 25	6 07¾	*	5 15	5 08	7 24	6 14	5 13
March 26	6 05¾	6 20	*	5 13	7 22	*	5 13
March 27	6 11¾	6 27	5 13	*	7 28	6 13	*
March 28	6 22¾	6 26	5 10	5 17	*	5 95	5 22
March 29	6 30½	6 28	5 09	5 14		5 98	5 23
March 30	6 39	6 30	5 09	5 07	7 21	6 05	5 26
March 31	*	6 26	5 14	4 98	7 28	5 97	5 13
April 1	6 37¾	*	5 16	5 04	7 29	6 05	5 07

*Sunday.

RANGE OF PRICES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.
Omaha	$2.65@6.50	$6.40@6.60
Chicago	1.80@6.80	5.80@6.75
Kansas City	2.75@6.80	5.75@6.55
St. Louis	1.90@6.50	6.00@6.70
Sioux City	3.00@5.65	6.35@6.50

CATTLE—There was a fair Monday's run of cattle, not far from 200 cars being on sale.

Under the influence of a good local demand and encouraging reports from other selling points the market opened early and fairly active, with prices on beef steers generally strong to 10c higher. The proportion of fat cattle on sale was not very large, so that the most of the offerings changed hands in good season at the advance noted.

Cows and heifers were in fair supply; still the offerings were not large enough to be at all burdensome. The demand, as was the case with beef steers, was good and the market fairly active, pretty much everything changing hands in good season. The prices paid were strong to 10c higher than last week's close.

There were quite a good many stockers and feeders on sale, but there was also a good demand, anything in the way of desirable cattle commanding strong prices. The bulk of the offerings changed hands in good season in the forenoon.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
23	1175	4 20	19	1103	4 95
16	958	4 40	19	1171	5 00
18	1000	4 60	20	1177	5 00
2	813	4 65	2	1175	5 00
26	811	4 65	25	1154	5 00
10	1043	4 75	18	1190	5 10
28	1089	4 80	20	1107	5 25
2	1020	4 80	16	1304	5 35
18	1288	4 90	37	1410	5 35
14	1137	4 90	11	1351	5 55

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
4	1020	2 65	13	1007	3 90
4	1050	3 10	4	1187	4 00
3	860	3 25	22	990	4 00
4	980	3 25	10	913	4 00
10	844	3 25	9	1190	4 10
2	1035	3 50	4	1175	4 10
8	1095	3 50	10	1047	4 10
13	1035	3 50	10	1055	4 15
6	840	3 55	21	868	4 15
5	1060	3 55	1	1300	4 15
8	771	3 50	3	1060	4 15
6	1111	3 70	6	1218	4 20
13	1017	3 70	3	966	4 20
11	1151	3 75	4	982	4 20
11	956	3 75	8	1025	4 35
19	986	3 75	12	1033	4 35
7	1150	3 75	4	1287	4 30
2	1240	3 75	11	1199	4 35
10	1060	3 75	9	1060	4 40
23	1009	3 85	22	1045	4 35
13	1106	3 90	21	1128	4 35
11	824	3 90	10	1215	4 35

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
8	583	3 00	42	578	3 50
6	480	3 00	17	610	3 65
4	570	3 10	3	560	4 00
4	524	3 15	3	570	4 00
3	423	3 20	2	1140	4 35
8	426	3 25	4	600	4 35

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1250	3 00	1	1500	3 65
2	1610	3 40	1	1765	3 65
1	1260	3 40	1	1660	3 70
1	1300	3 50	1	2000	3 75
1	1400	3 60	1	1510	4 00

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	230	4 00	5	132	6 50
8	320	4 25	1	160	6 50
1	100	5 20	4	155	6 50
1	250	6 00	4	120	6 50
2	170	6 00	1	110	6 50
3	*190	6 00	4	150	6 50
1	140	6 25	3	165	6 50
1	170	6 50	1	150	6 50

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
16	700	3 80	19	817	4 40
8	617	3 90	64	664	4 45
20	563	3 15	10	801	4 45
13	854	3 80	28	725	4 50
4	831	4 00	55	890	4 60
4	535	4 10	17	822	4 60
1	580	4 10	18	803	4 65
14	473	4 25	49	897	4 70
13	395	4 30	36	920	4 75
9	695	4 30	143	931	4 90
70	663	4 40	18	966	4 35
13	372	4 40	1	1020	4 90
2	465	4 40			

FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
14	433	4 00	21	849	4 50
23	573	4 25	10	568	4 50
36	599	4 25	6	416	4 60
4	471	4 35	19	726	4 65
16	833	4 45	18	1113	4 80
22	677	4 50	13	1178	4 80
30	695	4 50			

WESTERNS.

IDAHO.

24 steers...1008 4 80 9 cows.....983 3 20
10 feeders..875 4 40

HOGS—Hogs opened 10c higher than last week's close, the early sales being largely at $6.47½@6.50, as against $6.27½@6.40 on Saturday. The demand, however, at those prices was limited, some of the heaviest packers holding back and not trying to do anything on that basis. After about half the hogs had been sold and the more urgent orders filled the packers who had been holding back had things more nearly their own way, with the result that on the late market it was hard to get over $6.45 for anything.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
75	188	40	6 40	53	237	80	6 47½
60	221	120	6 40	47	221	40	6 47½
46	265	...	6 45	69	263	80	6 47½
70	248	40	6 45	53	240	...	6 47½
77	212	...	6 45	60	218	...	6 50
67	296	120	6 45	50	242	80	6 50
60	276	...	6 45	56	228	...	6 50
21	264	...	6 45	62	228	...	6 50
79	231	40	6 45	62	202	...	6 50
76	214	...	6 45	79	219	...	6 50
81	226	40	6 47½	70	208	40	6 50
63	247	...	6 47½	73	222	...	6 50
54	239	...	6 47½	43	218	...	6 50
68	209	...	6 47½	66	197	40	6 50
21	168	80	6 47½	64	241	160	6 50
57	249	...	6 47½	66	264	...	6 50
67	224	...	6 47½	66	226	...	6 50
65	226	...	6 47½	37	201	...	6 50
64	200	...	6 47½	64	217	...	6 50
57	243	80	6 47½	68	243	160	6 50
80	224	80	6 47½	68	225	...	6 50
22	272	...	6 47½	60	240	...	6 50
71	215	...	6 47½	71	250	40	6 50

STAGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
1	370	80	5 50	1	490	80	5 50
1	380	80	5 50				

SHEEP—Receipts of sheep this morning were very large, 108 cars being reported. In other words, there were about 25,000 head of sheep and lambs. The receipts consisted largely of lambs and ewes, there being few yearlings or wethers among the arrivals.

Chicago also reported a liberal run, with quite a little sprinkling at down the river market points. As a result of the large receipts and the reported break at eastern points the market here eased off. The prices looked anywhere from weak to 10c lower than last week's close. Still, in spite of the large receipts and the weaker market, the trade, though not exactly active, was in a good healthy condition and a considerable proportion of the offerings changed hands in reasonable season.

Quotations on killers: Good to choice lambs, $7.65@7.80; fair to good lambs, $7.25@7.65; good to choice yearlings, lamb weights, $6.50@6.75; fair to good yearlings, heavy weights, $6.10@6.50; fair to good yearlings, heavy weights, $5.90@6.10; good to choice old wethers, $6.00@6.25; fair to good old wethers, $5.75@6.00; good to choice ewes, $5.40@5.70; fair to good ewes, $5.00@5.40.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Pr.
196 Colorado ewes	97	5 60
130 Colorado ewes	84	5 25
548 Colorado ewes	104	5 65
131 Colorado ewes	102	5 60
364 Colorado ewes	105	5 65
157 western ewes	114	5 65
302 western ewes	114	5 80
224 Colorado ewes	102	5 65
236 Colorado ewes	102	5 65
335 western lambs	80	7 65
469 western lambs	80	7 65
485 Colorado lambs	92	7 65
120 Colorado lambs	86	8 00
405 western ewes	98	5 50
480 western ewes	98	5 50
442 western ewes	100	5 40
330 western ewes	117	5 65
218 western ewes	118	4 65
224 western lambs	75	7 60
418 western lambs	76	7 60
350 western lambs	76	7 60

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Ten Cents Higher—Hogs Ten to Fifteen Cents Higher.

CHICAGO, April 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 22,000 head; market 10c higher; common to prime steers, $4.00@7.00; cows, $3.25@5.00; heifers, $3.00@5.25; bulls, $3.40@4.60; calves, $2.75@7.75; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 20,000 head; market 10@15c higher; choice heavy shippers, $6.77½@6.80; light butchers, $6.77½@6.82½; choice light, $6.80@6.82½; packing, $6.25@6.77½; bulk of sales, $6.75@6.80.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 28,000 head; market slow and weak; sheep, $4.25@6.60; yearlings, $5.25@7.25; lambs, $6.00@8.10.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, April 1.—BEEVES—Receipts, 1,292 head; steers more active and 10@15c higher, some sales 25c higher; bulls and cows steady to 10c higher; bulls, $3.50@4.25; cows, $1.70@4.15. Latest Liverpool cables quoted live cattle steady at 11¼@12⅜c per lb., dressed weight. London cables quote live cattle steady at 11½@15c per lb., dressed weight, and refrigerator beef firm at 9@9¼c per lb. Exports were 400 cattle and 1,600 quarters of beef.

CALVES—Receipts, 5,411 head; lower; all sold; common to prime veals, $5.00@8.50; some early sales at $8.75@9.00; culls, $4.00@4.50; few barnyard and fed calves, $3.50@4.00; dressed calves lower; city dressed veals easier at 8@13c per lb.; country dressed lower at 6@11½c.

HOGS—Receipts, 12,068 head; higher; state and Pennsylvania hogs, $7.25@7.35.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 7,119 head; sheep weak; lambs 10@15c lower; sheep, $4.00@4.50; lambs, $7.75@8.65.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500 head, including 1,000 Texans; market 10c higher. Native shipping and export steers, $5.40@6.50; dressed beef and butcher steers, $4.90@6.00; steers under 1,000 pounds, $4.00@4.65; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.25; cows and heifers, $2.65@5.25; canners, $1.90@2.50; bulls, $2.65@4.50; calves, $3.50@7.00; Texas and Indian steers, $2.60@5.50; cows and heifers, $1.90@4.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market 15@20c higher. Pigs and lights, $6.00@6.65; packers, $6.15@6.65; butchers and best heavy, $6.60@6.70.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,200 head; market steady. Native muttons, $3.25@6.00; lambs, $4.00@9.00; culls and bucks, $2.75@4.00.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000 head, including 1,700 southerns; market strong to 10c higher. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $5.35@6.40; fair to good, $4.50@5.25; western fed steers, $4.25@6.80; stockers and feeders, $4.00@5.00; southern steers, $4.20@5.65; southern cows, $3.00@4.25; native cows, $2.75@4.50; native heifers, $3.65@4.70; bulls, $3.20@4.50; calves, $3.50@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000 head; market 5@7½c higher. Top, $6.60; bulk, $6.45@6.50; heavy, $6.47½@6.50; packers, $6.45@6.55; pigs and lights, $6.25@6.60.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 8,000 head; market strong. Lambs, $7.40@7.80; ewes and yearlings, $5.25@6.60; western fed yearlings, $6.00@6.90; western fed sheep, $5.00@6.00; stockers and feeders, $5.50@6.50.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 1.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,812 head; market steady to strong. Natives, $4.25@6.25; cows and heifers, $2.25@4.65; stockers and feeders, $3.75@4.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,270 head; market 5@10c higher. Top, $6.55; bulk, $6.50@6.52½.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 7,233 head; sheep 10@20c higher. Lambs, $7.50@7.90; yearlings, $6.50@7.00; wethers, $6.00@6.50; ewes, $5.40@5.76.

Sioux City Live Stock Markets.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., April 1.—(Special Telegram.)—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500 head; market 10c higher; beeves, $4.25@5.65; cows, bulls and mixed, $3.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.75; calves and yearlings, $3.00@4.30.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,800 head; market 5@10c higher, selling at $6.35@6.50; bulk of sales, $6.40@6.45.

Stock in Sight.

Receipts of stock at the six principal western markets yesterday:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	4,300	3,700	2,500
Sioux City	2,500	1,800	......
Kansas City	10,000	7,000	8,000
St. Joseph	2,812	2,470	7,233
St. Louis	3,500	5,000	1,200
Chicago	22,000	20,000	28,000
Total	45,112	39,970	46,933

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKET.

Condition of Trade and Quotations on Staple and Fancy Produce.

EGGS—Per doz., 16c.

LIVE POULTRY—Hens, 10½c; old roosters, 5c; turkeys, 12c; ducks, 10c; young roosters, 6@9c; geese, 6c.

BUTTER—Packing stock, 19c; choice to fancy dairy, 22@24c; creamery, 26@29c.

HAY—Choice upland, $10.00; medium, $9.50; No. 1 bottom, $8.00; off grades, $6.00@6.50; Rye straw, $7.00; No. 1 alfalfa, $10.50.

BRAN—Per ton, $19.50.

FRUITS.

PINEAPPLES — Florida, $5.00@5.50 per crate.

STRAWBERRIES—Choice Texas, 24 quart cases, $4.00.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., $4.50@8.50; in bushel box, $1.50@2.75.

APPLES—Northern Spies, Fancy Greenings, per bbl., $3.50; Iowa and Missouri Ben Davis, $3.50; Winesaps, $2.00 per box.

COCOANUTS—Per sack of 100 lbs., $1.50@2.75.

TROPICAL FRUITS.

FIGS—California, bulk, 4½c; 5-crown Turkish, 14c; 4-crown Turkish, 11c; 3-crown Turkish, 9c.

LEMONS—Limoniera, 300 and 360 size, $6.00; other brands, 50c less.

BANANAS—Per medium sized bunch, $2.00@2.25; jumbos, $2.50@3.50.

GRAPE FRUIT—Sizes 64 to 80, $5.50.

DATES—Kadaway, 5¼c; sayers, 5c; hallowis, 5c; new stuffed walnut dates, 9-lb. box, $1.60.

ORANGES—California navels, extra fancy, 176, 200, 216, 250 sizes, $3.75; fancy, 126, 150 sizes, $3.25; choice, large sizes, per box, $2.75@3.00.

NEW VEGETABLES.

BEETS, TURNIPS AND CARROTS—Per doz. bunches, 45@50c.

TOMATOES—Florida, 20-lb. crate, $4.50.

LEAF LETTUCE—Hot house, per doz. heads, 45c.

CUCUMBERS—Per doz., $1.50.

RADISHES—Per doz. bunches, 35c.

PARSLEY—Hothouse, per doz. bunches, 40c.

HEAD LETTUCE—Southern, per doz., $1.00@1.25.

OLD VEGETABLES.

NAVY BEANS—Per bu., $1.65; No. 1, $1.50.

LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 5½c.

SWEET POTATOES—Illinois, per large bbl., $5.00; Wisconsin Rurals and Burbanks, 65c per bu.; seed sweet potatoes, per bbl., $1.85, April 1.

CABBAGE—Holland seed, home grown, 1c per lb.; new cabbage, per lb., 3¼c.

POTATOES—Table stock, per bu., 60c; seed stock, 75c@$1.00.

ONIONS—Home grown, per bu., 75c; red or yellow, Colorado, per lb., 2c; Spanish, per crate, $1.90.

RUTABAGAS—About 180 lbs. to sack, $1.60.

TURNIPS, CARROTS, BEETS—Per bu., 75c; parsnips, per bu., $1.00.

CUT BEEF PRICES.

Ribs: No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 9c; No. 3, 8c.
Loins: No. 1, 15c; No. 2, 12c; No. 3, 10c.
Chuck: No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 5c; No. 3, 4c.
Round: No. 1, 7½c; No. 2, 7c; No. 3, 6½c.
Plate: No. 1, 5½c; No. 2, 4c; No. 3, 4c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HONEY—Per 24 frames, $2.80.

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

COFFEE—Roasted, No. 32, 26c per lb.; No. 33, 21c per lb.; No. 34, 18c per lb.; No. 20, 15c per lb.; No. 21, 13c per lb.

CHEESE — New full cream Wisconsin twins, 17c; new full cream brick, 15c; wheel Swiss cheese, 18c; block Swiss, 17c; limberger, 15c; young Americas, 18c.

CIDER—New York, half barrel, $2.75; barrel, $5.50.

NUTS—California walnuts, No. 2, soft shell, 13c; No. 1, soft shell, 16c; Brazils, 15½@16c; pecans, 10@12c; filberts, 13½c; peanuts, raw, 8½c; roasted, 9½c; California almonds, hard shell, 17½c; Taragona, 17½c; cocoanuts, $5.00 per 100.

CANNED GOODS—Corn, standard, western, 55@60c; Maine, $1.15. Tomatoes, 3-lb. cans $1.45; standard 3-lb. cans, $1.20. Pineapples, grated, 2-lb., standard, $1.20@1.30; sliced, $1.75@2.25; fancy Hawaiian, 2½-lb., $2.25; 1½-lb., $1.75. Gallon apples, fancy, $3.40@3.75. California apricots, $2.50. Pears, $1.75@2.25. Peaches, fancy, $1.75@2.40; L. C. peaches, $2.00@2.50. Alaska salmon, red, $1.15; fancy Chinook, flat, $2.10; fancy sockeye, flat, $1.85. Sardines, quarter oil, $3.25; three-quarters mustard, $3.00. Sweet potatoes, $1.10@1.25. Sauerkraut, 90c. Pumpkins, 90c@1.00. Wax beans, 2-lb., 90@95c. Lima beans, 2-lb., 75c@$1.25. Spinach, $1.25. Soaked peas, 2-lb., 60c; extras, $1.00@1.15; fancy, $1.25@1.65.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUITS—Prunes are somewhat unsettled by freer offerings from second hands, who seem desirous of moving supplies of immediate grades; quotations range from 3c to 13c for California fruit and from 5½c to 10c for Oregon. Apricots are firm and it is reported that offerings for prompt shipments are being withdrawn; choice are quoted at 18c; extra choice, 18¼@19c; fancy, 19@20c. Peaches are unchanged, with choice quoted at 11@11c; extra choice, 12½@13c; fancy, 13¼@13½c; extra fancy, 13@15c. Raisins are firm; loose Muscatels are quoted at 8@9c; seeded raisins, 9½@11c.

HIDES AND TALLOW—Green salted, No. 1, 10½c; No. 2, 9½c; bull hides, 8c; green hides, No. 1, 8½c; No. 2, 7½c; horse, $1.50@2.75; sheep pelts, 50c@$1.25. Tallow, No. 1, 4½c; No. 2, 3½c. Wool, 22@25c.

FISH — Pickerel, dressed, 9c; pike, dressed, 12c; white fish, dressed, winter caught, 12c; trout, 13c; halibut, 11c; salmon, 10c; catfish, 15c; herring, dressed, pan frozen, 6c; perch, scaled and dressed, 7c; perch, skinned, dressed, headless, 7c; crappies, round, 6@9c; crappies, large, fancy, 15c; black bass, 25c; smelts, sweet and fine, 10c; eel, 16c; blue fish, 15c; red snapper, 11c; roe shad, per pair, 30@40c; frog legs, 40c; lobsters, green, per lb., 37c; lobsters, boiled, per lb., 40c; mackerel, Spanish, per lb., 16c; mackerel, native, 35c per lb.

CURED FISH—Family white fish, per quarter bbl., 100 lbs., $4.00; Norway mackerel, No. 1, $35.00; No. 2, $28.00; herring, in bbls., 200 lbs. each, Norway, 4k, $11.00.

Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 1.—WOOL—Steady; medium grades, combing and clothing, 25@28c; light fine, 20@22c; heavy fine, 16@18c; tub washed, 30@38c.

Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, Ill., April 1.—BUTTER—Firm at 30c; sales for the week, 547,600 lbs.

BOOM TOWN DOWN EAST

Bay Staters Imbibe Western Ideas and Start the Circulation in One Town.

It is not only in the west that towns spring up in the night. For years the little town of South Hanson, Mass., has lain dormant, unambitious and nearly decadent. It has consisted mostly of unbroken forest land, with a house here and there. A year ago it woke suddenly, and there are indications that in a few months it will be a well developed city. Thomas Lawson, A. C. Burrage and two or three other prominent men are directly responsible for the sudden awakening, but the discovery that South Hanson peat could be turned into a gas to drive engines is indirectly responsible. Sammy's Neck, a barren stretch of land, is now the most important locality in the town, for it is there the power plant has been erected, and from that source the town will derive all its activities.

Factories have sprung up which will be set going just as soon as the power plant gets down to business. One is a large porcelain factory, and another is a tin foil factory. Still another will be occupied by an electrical firm. And at another the cement bricks are made from which all the new buildings have been constructed. Near the brickyard a gigantic water tower has been erected, from which the factories will get their supply of water. The tower is of such a height that an enormous pressure will be exerted.

A new street has been laid out, with houses going up thickly on it, and the once sparsely settled Pleasant street now fairly bristles with neat homes, where the operatives of the factories will live. A hotel, which will accommodate several hundred persons, has been erected, and between the hotel and the porcelain factory a postoffice is being constructed.

All these changes have taken place within a year, and the conservative people of the old Bay State are [illegible] at these western methods right [illegible] heart of Massachusetts. This boom [illegible] will probably be known as Burrage and not as South Hanson.—New York Tribune.

Now is the time to make your wants known through The Bee Want Ad page.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The National Land company to Ephriam W. Dixon, lots 28 to 45, Kelley's addition	$ 525
Same to Ellery R. Hume, lots 1 and 2 and other lots, Kelley's addition	375
Same to same, lot 5, Kelley's addition	1
Thomas Q. Breneman and wife to Arthur B. Adams et al., n33 feet of lot 1, block 33, Florence	1,200
Robert O. Fink, county treasurer, to Fred Sullivan, lot 62, Nelson's addition	......
Same to Caroline Krause, lots 1 and 2, block 3, Mayne's addition	......
Same to E. R. Hume, lots 1, 4 and 9, Miller's subdivision	......
Same to same, lot 17, block 5, Orchard Hill	......
Same to same, lot 11, block 2, Hillside addition No. 1	......
E. R. Hume to Jennie V. Bovell, same	1
Josephine H. Weidenfeller to Annie C. Obert, lot 5, block 10, Summit addition	1,700
Northwestern National bank to Ernest Weiss, lot 14, block 2, Jetter's addition to South Omaha	1,400
Harry A. Tukey to Emil Fleischer, lot 8, Tukey's subdivision	800
Anna Kettnacker and husband to John Hoffman, part lots 7 and 8, block 14, Improvement Association addition	1,600
Henry Realty company to Commonwealth Trust company, lot 8, block B, Horbach's subdivision, and other lots	1
Rev. Richard Scannell to St. Cecelia's church, n191¼ feet of lots 18 and 19, block 8, Park Place	1
A. G. Edwards and wife to E. C. Hodder, lots 9 and 10, block 5, Thornburg	1
Fritz E. and Menzo B. Darling to Marshal S. Newkirk, n20 feet of lot 4, block 63, South Omaha	4,000
L. M. Bowers and wife to Nora E. Melvin, lot 10, block 4, Bower's addition	200
E. R. Hume and wife to Belle H. Dunham, lots 14 and 15, block 2, Monmouth Park	80
George Dewey and wife to William H. Gates, lot 13, block 24, Kountze Place	3,000
F. W. Carmichael to Louise A. Hitchcock, lots 11 and 12, block 98, Dundee Place	1,600
Robert O. Fink, county treasurer to Charles Ladd Thomas, lots 3, 4, 6 and 7, block 115, Florence	......
Same to same, lot 20, block 16, Orchard Hill	......
Same to same, s40 feet of lot 13 and n20 feet of lot 14, block 9, Lincoln Place	......
Same to same lots 3 to 7, Middletown	......
Same to same lots 13 to 17 and lots 19 and 20, block 470, Grand View	......
Same to same, lots 16 and 18, block 2, Koster's addition	......
Same to same, lot 8, block 85, Florence	......
Mike Morley and wife to Edward Gisin, s40 feet and n130 feet of lot 9, Barker's Allotment	825
Mary S. Atkins to Harry L. Mitchell, lot 7 and w7 feet of lot 6, block 7, Jerome Park	8,500
William Sawyer and wife to Dennis Cushing, s½ of lot 2, block 26, South Omaha	100
Emma Sawyer and husband to Dennis Cushing, n½ of lot 2, block 26, South Omaha	100
Sarah H. Dunham to Martin Dunham, w98 feet and n½ of lot 22, block 5, Kountze & Ruth's addition	1
John W. McDonald, sheriff, to Edward W. Homan, blocks 151 and 152, Florence	1,725
Edward W. Homan to Myron L. Learned, same	1
W. Farnam Smith to Agnes J. Webb, e35 feet and w70 feet of lots 1 and 2, block 6, Hanscom Place	4,000
James A. Buchanan and wife to Francis E. Fitzgerald, e52 feet of lots 1 and 2, Howe's addition	5,700
City of Omaha to George Forgan, strip adjoining lot 3, Griffin & Smith's addition	......
Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company to Jacob Katleman and M. Tatel, w27 feet of lots 21 and 22, block 5, Kountze & Ruth's addition	7,000
Robert O. Fink, country treasurer, to Mamie B. McCombs, s21 feet of lot 6, block 9, Horbach's Second addition	......
Total	$42,443