GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Opening Cables Lower Against Domestic Advance of Day Before.

CASH MARKET CONTINUES LIGHT

Corn Values Working Higher, with Light Run of Receipts and No Change Regarded Likely for Some Time.

OMAHA, April 29, 1909.

Opening cables were ⅛@¼d lower against the domestic advance of yesterday. The local market opened steady Thursday with tone. Argentine shipments are estimated very light and the foreign demand is inconsistent under these conditions. The cash situation is still high, controlling American markets and higher prices are predicted.

Corn values are working higher with a light run of receipts. No change for a decline is looked for until country receipts increase.

Wheat was strong in face of lower opening cables. Buying support was general, included by light Argentina shipments and steadily decreasing stocks. Cash prices are holding steady to higher and further advances are predicted. May wheat opened $1.18¼ and closed at $1.20⅝.

Corn started steady and strong, gaining strength with wheat and finally showed a good gain. Receipts are very light and cash offerings are bringing fancy and advanced values. With receipts holding light prices are expected to work higher. May corn opened at 66⅝c and closed at 67½c.

Primary wheat receipts were 200,000 bushels and shipments were 255,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 291,000 bushels and shipments of 329,000 bushels.

Corn receipts were 242,000 bushels and shipments were 509,000 bushels, against receipts last year of 346,000 bushels and shipments of 356,000 bushels.

Clearances were 120,000 bushels of corn, 2,000 bushels of oats and wheat and flour equal to 181,000 bushels.

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

Local range of option:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat—					
May	1 18½	1 20⅝	1 18½	1 20⅝	1 18½
July	1 09⅝	1 06½	1 05⅝	1 06½	1 03⅝
Corn—					
May	66⅝	67½	66⅝	67½	66⅝
July	64½			64½	64½
Sept	64			64	64
Oats—					
May	53	53½	53	53⅛	53
Sept	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.22@1.23; No. 3 hard, $1.18@1.20; No. 4 hard, $1.12@1.18; No. 3 spring, $1.18@1.20.

CORN—No. 2, 68½c; No. 3, 68½@68¾c; No. 4, 68@68½c; No. 2 yellow, 68½c; No. 3 white, 69½c.

OATS—No. 3 mixed, 53¼@53½c; No. 3 white, 53½@53¾c; No. 4 white, 53@53½c; standard, 53¾c.

RYE—No. 2, 76c; No. 3, 75c.

Car Lot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	7	87	52
Minneapolis	103	...	...
Omaha	6	38	21
Duluth	12	...	...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, April 29.—Additional delay to seeding operations in the northwest, owing to continued unfavorable weather, caused further advance in wheat prices today, closing quotations showing net gains of ⅛@1½c to 1¾c. Corn and oats closed moderately firm and provisions firm.

The wheat market was strong all day and at one time the July delivery was up 2½c from the low point of the day, while other deliveries showed almost equally as sharp advances. The bulge, however, induced liberal realizing, which resulted in a break of about 1c from the best mark of the session. A heavy snowfall in the Canadian northwest and snow or rain throughout Minnesota and the Dakotas was the chief factor in the situation. Reports from Minneapolis claimed that seeding has already been delayed more than a week and that it will be fully another seven days before farm work can be resumed generally in the spring wheat territory even with favorable weather. An improved demand for spring wheat for shipment to the east from Duluth and a revival in flour business at the northwestern markets prompted additional buying of wheat here. The loss of a large quantity of wheat in the destruction by fire of a local elevator had a slight bullish influence at the start. The trade was inclined to ignore the bearish reports emanating from the southwest, where weather conditions were decidedly favorable for the growing crop, and also to disregard the weak tone of cables. During the day the July delivery ranged between $1.09⅝ and $1.12¼ and closed at $1.11½. September sold between $1.03¼ and $1.04¼ and closed at $1.03½.

Wet weather and the bulge in wheat had a strengthening effect on the corn market. During the day the May delivery sold between 70¾c and 71¾c. The close was firm, with prices unchanged to ¼@½c higher, with May at 71@71¼c.

Cold weather in the west and northwest inspired considerable buying of oats and the market was firm all day. At the close prices were unchanged to ¼c higher, compared with the previous final quotations. May ranged between 56¼c and 56⅝c and closed at the low figure.

Trade in provisions was extremely quiet. At the close prices were 5@12½c lower than the previous close.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat—					
May	1 23	1 23⅝	1 23	1 23⅝	1 22
July	1 12½	1 12½	1 09⅝	1 11½	1 09⅝
Sept.	1 03½	1 04⅛	1 01⅞	1 03½	1 02
Dec.	1 01½	1 03	1 01	1 02⅝	1 00⅞
*Corn—					
May	71⅛	71¾	70⅝	71@71¼	70⅛@71
July	69½	69⅝	68¼	68⅝	68½
Sept.	68@68⅛	68½	67½	67⅝	67½
Dec.	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝@58¾	58¼
*Oats—					
May	56⅛	56⅝	56⅛	56⅛	56¼
July	49⅝	49⅝	49½	49⅝	49⅝
Sept.	42⅛	42⅛	41⅞@42	42⅛	41⅞
Dec.	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛
Pork—					
May	17 77½	17 77½	17 70	17 70	17 82½
July	18 00	18 00	17 92½	17 95	18 05
Sept.	17 95	18 00	17 90	17 92½	18 00
Lard—					
May	10 30	10 30	10 25	10 25	10 32½
July	10 45	10 45	10 37½	10 37½	10 45
Sept.	10 57½	10 57½	10 52½	10 52½	10 57½
Ribs—					
May	9 75	9 77½	9 72½	9 72½	9 80
July	9 82½	9 85	9 80	9 80	9 85
Sept.	9 95	9 95	9 90	9 92½	9 97½

*No. 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Firm; winter patents, $5.60@5.80; winter straights, $5.45@5.60; spring patents, $5.90@6.10; spring patents, 4.50@5.70; bakers, $4.00@4.70.

BUTTER—Steady; creameries, 22@26c; dairies, 18½@25½c.

EGGS—Steady; at mark, cases included, firsts, 20c; prime firsts, 21c.

CHEESE—Steady; daisies, 15@15½c; twins, 14½@15c; young Americas, 14½@14½c; long horns, 14½@14½c.

POTATOES—Weak; choice to fancy, $1.00@1.02; fair to good, 90@95c.

POULTRY—Steady; turkeys, 17c; chickens, 15c; springs, 15c.

VEAL—Steady; 50 to 60-pound weights, 9@9½c; 60 to 80-pound weights, 8½@9c; 80 to 110-pound weights, 7½@8c.

RYE—No. 2, 82@83c.

BARLEY—Feed or mixing, 65@66c; fair to choice malting, 66@67c.

SEEDS—Flax, No. 1 southwestern, $1.36½; No. 1 northwestern, $1.36½. Timothy, $3.50. Clover, $8.50.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $17.70@17.75. Lard, per 100 lbs., $10.37½. Short ribs sides (loose), $9.75@9.75. Short clear sides (boxed), $9.75@10.25.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 181,000 bu. Primary receipts were 224,000 bu., compared with 291,000 bu. the corresponding day a year ago.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 6 cars; corn, 79 cars; oats, 90 cars; hogs, 15,000 head.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, April 29.—WHEAT—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures steady; May, 5s 7½d; July, 5s 9½d; September, 5s 3½d.

CORN—Spot strong; new American mixed, via Galveston, 6s 5d; futures quiet; May, nominal; July, 5s 4½d.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 29.—WHEAT—May, $1.22¼@1.22½; July, $1.12¼@1.12½; No. 1 hard, $1.22@1.22½; No. 1 northern, $1.20@1.20½; No. 2 northern, $1.21@1.21¼.

BRAN—In bulk, $22.00@22.50.

FLOUR—First patents, $5.90@6.10; second patents, $5.60@5.80; first clears, $4.75@4.85; second clears, $3.25@3.45.

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT

Rain and Possibly Snow and Much Colder.

OMAHA, April 29, 1909.

The barometric depression central over the mountain districts Wednesday morning has developed into a disturbance of unusual energy that now overlies the central valleys, with its center between Omaha and Kansas City. This disturbance is causing high winds in the valleys and lake region and generally unsettled weather throughout the country. Rains and snows are falling in the lower lake region and eastern states, throughout the upper Mississippi and upper Missouri valleys, and snows are general throughout the entire northwest and upper Rocky mountain region. A very rapid and marked rise in temperature has occurred in the Ohio and lower Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys since the last report. An area of high pressure, accompanied by much colder weather, is moving down from the northwest, and will follow the low over the central valleys, and it will be much colder in this vicinity tonight, with rain, and possibly snow, followed by partly cloudy and continued cool during Friday.

Record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1909.	1908.	1907.	1906.
Minimum temperature	44	35	32	47
Precipitation	.05	.00	.00	T

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

Corn and wheat region bulletin for Omaha, Neb., for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., 78th meridian time.

Ashland, Neb.	72	40	.09	Cloudy
Auburn, Neb.	86	43	.00	Pt. cloudy
Broken Bow, Neb.	75	43	.28	Cloudy
Columbus, Neb.	74	40	T	Cloudy
Culbertson, Neb.	80	50	T	Clear
Fairbury, Neb.	82	47	.00	Clear
Fairmont, Neb.	87	43	.00	Clear
Gr. Island, Neb.	80	46	.00	Cloudy
Hartington, Neb.	87	38	.65	Cloudy
Hastings, Neb.	87	45	.00	Clear
Holdrege, Neb.	85	47	.00	Clear
Oakdale, Neb.	74	41	.25	Cloudy
Omaha, Neb.	66	44	.10	Cloudy
Tekamah, Neb.	64	42	.02	Cloudy
Carroll, Ia.	49	37	.74	Cloudy
Clarinda, Ia.	73	42	.09	Clear
Sibley, Ia.	41	32	.53	Cloudy
*Sioux City, Ia.	54	36	.58	Cloudy

* Minimum temperature for twelve-hour period ending at 8 a. m.

DISTRICT AVERAGES.

Central.	No. of Stations.	—Temp.— Max.	Min.	Rain. Inches.
Chicago, Ill.	25	50	38	.64
Columbus, O.	17	52	38	.08
Des Moines, Ia.	13	48	38	.78
Indianapolis, Ind.	12	62	41	.62
Kansas City, Mo.	21	62	54	.01
Louisville, Ky.	18	72	46	.00
Minneapolis, Minn.	30	40	40	.28
Omaha, Neb.	18	72	42	.18

The weather is decidedly warmer in the eastern and southern portions of the corn and wheat region. Colder weather is moving in over the northwest portion this morning, and rains and snows are falling throughout the upper Mississippi and upper Missouri valleys.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster, Weather Bureau.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Staple and Fancy Produce Prices Furnished by Buyers and Wholesalers.

BUTTER—Creamery, No. 1, delivered to the retail trade in 1-lb. cartons, 31c; No. 1 in 60-lb. tubs, 30½c; No. 2, in 1-lb. cartons, 28c; in 60-lb. tubs, 27½c; packing stock, 18c; fancy dairy, in tubs, 20@21c; common roll, fresh made, 15@19c. Market changes every Tuesday.

EGGS—Fresh selling stock, candled, 20@22c. No storage stock in Omaha market.

CHEESE—Finest Wisconsin full cream, twins, 15c; young Americas, 4 in hoop, 15½c; favorite, 3 in hoop, 15c; daisies, 20 in hoop, 15½c; cream brick, full case, 15c; block Swiss, 15c; full cream limburger, 16c.

POULTRY—Alive, springs, 12c; hens, 11c; cocks, 6c; ducks, 11c; geese, 10c; turkeys, 19c; pigeons, per doz., 65c; guinea fowls, per doz., $2.00; squabs, per doz., $2. Dressed, hens, 11c; springs, 12@17½c; cocks, 9½c; ducks, 13c; geese, 11c; turkeys, 21c.

FISH—Whitefish, frozen, 10c, herring, 5½c; salmon, 10c; pike, 9c; pickerel, 8½@7c; trout, 10c; catfish, 10@12c; halibut, 9c; red snapper, 12c; black bass, 25c; crappies, 6@9c; perch, 8c; codfish, 13c; smelts, 9c; eels, 15c; lobsters, green, 37c; boiled, 40c; frogs' legs, 45c.

RIBS—No. 1, 17c; No. 2, 13c; No. 3, 8½c. Loins—No. 1, 18c; No. 2, 13½c; No. 3, 10½c. Chuck—No. 1, 7½c; No. 2, 6½c; No. 3, 6½c. Round—No. 1, 8½c; No. 2, 8½c; No. 3, 8c. Plate—No. 1, 5½c; No. 2, 5½c; No. 3, 5c.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, western box apples, $2.00@2.50. Bananas, 5-bunch lots, 1¾c per lb. Oranges, $2.50@3.25. Lemons, $3.50@4.00; Grape fruit, $4.50. Grapes, Malagas, $7.50 per keg. Florida pineapples, per crate, $3.00.

VEGETABLES—Kansas sweet potatoes, $2.75 per bbl. California celery, large, 90c; smaller, 60c. New York Holland seed cabbage, 4½c per lb. Wisconsin Red Globe onions, 2c per lb. California cauliflower, $3 per crate. Tomatoes, Florida, 5-basket crate, $5; Cuba, 6-basket crate, $3. Lettuce, per doz., 40c. Old vegetables—parsnips, turnips, carrots—$2.25 per bbl. Florida new beets, carrots, parsnips, turnips, etc., per doz., 75c.

STRAWBERRIES—$3.00@3.25.

HIDES—No. 1 green, 8c; No. 1 cured, 9c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 29.—WHEAT—Higher; track: No. 2 red, cash, $1.46@1.47; No. 2 hard, $1.30@1.35; May, $1.25⅞; July, $1.07⅝.

CORN—Futures, higher; cash, weak; track: No. 2 cash, 73½@74c; No. 2 white, 74@75c; May, 71c; July, 68⅝c.

OATS—Firm; track: No. 2 cash, 55@55½c; No. 2 white, 57c; May, 54½c; July, 48⅝c.

RYE—Nominal; 83½c.

FLOUR—Higher; red winter patents, $5.25@5.60; extra fancy and straight, $5.25@5.15; hard winter clears, $4.25@4.80.

SEED—Timothy, $2.25@3.35.

CORNMEAL—$3.40.

BRAN—Quiet; sacked, east track, $1.25@1.28.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $12.00@17.00; prairie, $11.00@12.50.

BAGGING—7 1-16c.

HEMP TWINE—7c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, lower; jobbing, $17.65. Lard, lower; prime steam, $10.07½@10.17½. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed, extra shorts, $10.75; clear ribs, $10.75; short clears, $10.87½. Bacon, steady; boxed, extra shorts, $11.75; clear ribs, $10.75; short clears, $11.87½.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 12½c; springs, 32c; turkeys, 12@15c; ducks, 11c; geese, 5c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 20@26c.

EGGS—Higher; 18½c, case count.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	6,000	7,000
Wheat, bu.	16,000	32,000
Corn, bu.	97,000	52,000
Oats, bu.	72,000	19,000

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, April 29.—WHEAT—1c to 2c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.30@1.38; No. 3 hard, $1.27@1.37; No. 2 red, $1.44@1.50; No. 3 red, $1.40@1.48.

CORN—½c to 1c higher; No. 2 mixed, 72@72½c; No. 3 mixed, 72@72½c; No. 2 white, 72@72½c; No. 3 white, 72@72½c.

OATS—Unchanged; No. 2 white, 56@56c; No. 2 mixed, 53@54c.

RYE—80@83c.

HAY—Firm; choice timothy, $12.50@13.00; choice prairie, $11.00@11.25; choice alfalfa, $16.00@17.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, 26c; firsts, 24c; seconds, 22c; packing stock, 16½c.

EGGS—Extras, 21c; current receipts, 19c; seconds and dirties, 18c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu	22,000	52,000
Corn, bu	16,000	29,000
Oats, bu	15,000	20,000

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	1 23⅝	1 25⅝	1 23⅝	1 25⅛
July	1 02⅝	1 04⅝	1 01½	1 03⅝
September	96⅝	98⅛	96⅝	98A
Corn—				
May	69	69⅝	69	69⅛A
July	66⅝	67⅛	66⅝	67⅛
September	64⅛	64⅝	64⅛	64⅛A

A asked. B bid.

Options at Kansas City.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, April 29.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.43c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.92c; molasses sugar, 3.17c; refined, steady; crushed, 5.75c; powdered, 5.15c; granulated, 5.05c.

COFFEE—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 6½@¾c; No. 4 Santos, 8½@9c.

BUTTER—Very firm; fine goods short; creamery extras, 26½c; thirds to firsts, 20@25½c; process, common to special, 16@23c.

CHEESE—Firm and unchanged.

EGGS—Firmer; western storage or mixed, 22½c; western firsts, 22@22½c; seconds, 21c; southern firsts, 21@21½c; seconds, 20½c.

POULTRY—Alive, firm; chickens, broilers, 30@35c; fowls, 16½c. Dressed, firm; western chickens, 13½c; fowls, 15@16c.

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, April 29.—WHEAT—May, $1.22; July, $1.12⅞; No. 1 northern, $1.24½; No. 2 northern, $1.22½.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Overflowing Speculative Confidence of Wednesday Sensibly Subsides.

PRICE MOVEMENT IS IRREGULAR

Efforts to Realize Profits Find So Inconsiderable Demand that Values Decline—Undertone is Strong.

NEW YORK, April 29.—The overflowing speculative confidence which made itself strongly felt in the stock market yesterday had sensibly subsided today. The movement of prices was halting and irregular and the demand showed no disposition to follow various stocks upward. Efforts of yesterday's buyers to realize their profits found so inconsiderable a demand that prices gave way before the attempt. The cessation of the important selling when the decline in prices had gone but a little way led to an inference of a strong undertone for the market, but this manifestation stopped at a negative impression. The profit-taking was conducted with skill and care, the market being sustained by advances at new points.

The opening stock market today, although quite active, moved within a very narrow range and was extremely irregular. Canadian Pacific advanced 1½ and American Locomotive and Pressed Steel Car 3. Otherwise the changes were limited to trivial fractions and the movement showed no pronounced tendency either way.

The market continued to show hesitation, some of the industrials advancing vigorously, while the grain carriers receded. Reading spurted to above 147 before it fell back to yesterday's closing. At 11 o'clock some of the specialties were advancing, but the railroads were reactionary.

The rise in a few special stocks and the irregular course of the general list did not disguise the realizing in progress in the Harriman stocks, Reading, United States Steel and other speculative leaders. Bonds were firm.

Room operators stopped selling when Reading began to move up in a resolute way. That stock rose 1½ above yesterday's price, but the balance of the railroad list did not rally more than a small fraction from low prices. Republic Steel preferred and American Linseed preferred rose 2 and St. Louis Southwestern preferred 1.

There was the same disinclination to respond to special movements as there had been earlier, the rise in the local tractions passing unnoticed, the market afterwards falling to the lowest. Wisconsin Central yielded 1.

The market closed easy. Except for a rise in United Railway and Investment of 2 and in St. Louis & San Francisco second preferred and Railway Steel Spring of 1, prices sagged during the final hour. Reading lost nearly all of its advance. Union Pacific and Atlantic Coast Line declined 1½.

Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks were:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalgamated Copper	18,400	77¼	76¼	76¼
American C. & F.	1,600	51⅝	50⅝	51
Am. C. & F. pfd.	...	...	...	121½
Am. Cotton Oil	300	58½	57⅞	57⅞
Am. H. & L. pfd.	200	40⅝	40⅝	40
Am. Ice Securities	2,100	40⅝	39⅝	39⅝
American Linseed	300	19	18	18⅝
American Locomotive	4,300	56⅝	54	54
Am. Locomotive pfd.	...	...	...	112½
Am. S. & R.	16,000	90	88	89
Am. S. & R. pfd.	720	105½	105½	105
Am. Sugar Refining	200	137½	133	133⅝
Am. Tobacco pfd.	100	96½	96½	96½
American Woolen	300	35	34⅝	34⅝
Anaconda Mining Co.	4,700	46¼	45⅝	46
Atchison	9,800	109⅝	108¼	109⅝
Atchison pfd	100	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	500	136	135½	135½
Baltimore & Ohio	10,900	117⅝	117¼	118⅝
Bal. & Ohio pfd.	100	96	96	96½
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	20,400	78½	77⅝	78½
Canadian Pacific	6,200	178	177½	177⅝
Central Leather	600	29⅝	29	29⅝
Central Leather pfd.	...	...	...	103
Chesapeake & Ohio	5,500	76	75	75½
Chicago Gt. W.	500	5	4⅝	4⅝
Chicago & N. W.	300	180	180	179
C., M. & St. P.	4,100	150½	149	149⅝
C., C., C. & St. L.	...	...	...	78
Colorado F. & I.	16,700	40⅝	38⅝	39⅝
Colorado & So.	200	64	63⅝	63⅝
Colo. & So. 1st pfd.	600	81½	81	81
Colo. & So. 2d pfd.	...	...	...	79½
Consolidated Gas	400	137½	137	137
Corn Products	1,400	22	22½	22½
Delaware & H.	1,200	182½	181	181½
Denver & Rio Grande	2,800	53½	51⅞	51⅝
D. & R. G. pfd.	...	...	...	87½
Distillers' Securities	500	58½	57⅝	57⅝
Erie	8,500	31⅝	30⅝	31⅛
Erie 1st pfd.	3,200	47⅝	46⅝	47⅛
Erie 2d pfd.	300	39	38⅝	38
General Electric	200	158	157⅝	157⅝
Great Northern pfd.	3,700	144⅝	143⅝	143⅝
Great Northern Ore ctfs.	600	69½	68⅝	68⅝
Illinois Central	200	145⅝	145⅝	145
Interborough Met.	10,900	16⅝	15⅝	16⅛
Int. Met. pfd.	22,900	46⅝	45	45⅞
International Paper	...	...	...	12⅝
Int. Paper pfd.	...	...	...	64⅝
International Pump	1,100	39⅝	39⅛	38⅝
Iowa Central	800	23⅝	22	22½
Kansas City So.	3,200	45½	44⅝	44⅝
K. C. So. pfd.	600	73⅝	72⅝	72⅝
Louisville & N.	500	139	138½	138½
Minn. & St. L.	...	...	...	58½
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	200	136	136	135
Missouri Pacific	1,500	74½	72⅝	73½
M., K. & T.	6,100	43⅝	43	43⅝
M., K. & T. pfd.	200	73	73	73
National Lead	1,000	88½	87½	87⅝
New York Central	2,500	130½	129⅝	129⅝
N. Y., O. & W.	1,200	49½	49½	49½
Norfolk & W.	900	91	90½	91
North American	5,200	83	82	83
Northern Pacific	4,100	144⅝	143⅝	143¼
Pacific Mail	100	30	30	30
Pennsylvania	3,900	134½	133½	133½
People's Gas	1,200	116⅞	116½	116⅝
P., C., C. & St. L.	200	91½	91½	91½
Pressed Steel Car	2,200	29⅝	28	28⅝
Pullman Palace Car	100	186	186	185
Railway Steel Spring	1,300	40⅝	39½	40
Reading	181,000	147½	146	146⅞
Republic Steel	1,600	24⅝	24⅛	24⅛
Republic Steel pfd.	700	81	80	81
Rock Island Co.	11,500	29½	28⅞	28⅝
Rock Island Co. pfd.	300	71⅝	71	71½
St. Louis S. F. 2d pfd.	4,600	46	44⅝	45⅞
St. Louis S. W.	5,400	27	24½	24⅝
St. L. S. W. pfd.	4,200	60	58⅝	59⅝
Sloss-Sheffield S. & I.	500	77½	77	76⅝
Southern Pacific	17,600	120⅝	119⅛	119⅝
So. Pacific pfd.	200	124⅝	123½	123½
Southern Railway	45,400	29⅝	28⅝	29⅛
So. Railway pfd.	3,000	69⅝	68⅝	69
Tennessee Copper	500	41	40½	40⅝
Texas & Pacific	100	33½	33½	33
T., St. L. & W.	700	52½	52	51⅝
T., St. L. & W. pfd.	700	69½	68⅝	69
Union Pacific	60,700	189⅝	187⅝	187½
Union Pacific pfd.	200	86	85⅞	85⅝
U. S. Rubber	100	33	33	32⅝
U. S. Rubber 1st pfd.	100	104⅝	104½	104
U. S. Steel	62,600	55	54½	54½
U. S. Steel pfd.	2,400	118⅝	118	118
Utah Copper	600	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝
Va.-Carolina Chemical	4,000	48⅝	45½	45
Va.-Caro. Chem. pfd.	...	...	...	117
Wabash	600	19	18⅝	18½
Wabash pfd	9,200	40⅝	39⅝	40⅛
Westinghouse Electric	500	82½	82	81
Western Union	2,000	71⅝	70½	70½
Wheeling & L. E.	...	...	...	9
Wisconsin Central	400	55	54½	54½
Am. T. & T. Co.	4,100	141	140⅝	140⅝

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, April 29.—MONEY—On call, easier, 1½@2 per cent; ruling rate, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1⅝ per cent; offered at 1⅝ per cent. Time loans, easy and dull; sixty days, 2@2½ per cent; ninety days, 2½@2⅝ per cent; six months, 2⅝@3 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—3½@4 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.86@4.8616 for sixty-day bills and at $4.8740 for demand. Commerical bills, $4.85½@4.85⅞.

SILVER—Bar, 57⅞c; Mexican dollars, 44c.

BONDS—Government, steady, railroad, firm.

Closing quotations on bonds were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s. reg.	101½	Japan 4s	85⅝
do coupon	101⅝	do 4½s	93½
U. S. 3s. reg	101⅝	do 2d series	92½
do coupon	102	*N. C. So. 1st 5s	75½
U. S. 4s. reg	119	L. S. deb. 4s 1931	93⅝
do coupon	120⅝	*L. & N. uni. 4s	101½
Atlc-Chal. 1st 5s	85½	M. K. & T. 1st 4s	95⅝
Am. Ag. 5s	100⅝	do 1st & ref. 4s	87
Am. T. & T. cv. 4s	104⅝	*do gen. 4½s	91½
Am. Tobacco 4s	78⅝	Mo. Pacific 4s	81
do 6s	110	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	82½
Atchison gen. 4s	100⅝	do deb. 4s	86½
do S. L. 1st 4s	94⅝	N. Y. City 4½s new	112⅝
do cv. 4s	108	N. Y., N. H. & H.	
do 5s	108⅝	cv. 6s	138½
*At. C. L. 1st 4s	97	N. & W. 1st c. 4s	96½
Bal. & Ohio 4s	101	do cv. 4s	86½
do 3½s	94⅝	No. Pacific 4s	102⅝
do S. W. 3½s	81	do 3s	72
Brk. Tr. cv. 4s	86	O. S. L. rfdg. 4s	96⅝
*Can. So. 1st 6s	106⅝	Penn. cr. 3½s 1915	87
Central of Ga. 5s	110⅝	do con. 4s	105
Central Leather 5s	93⅝	Reading gen. 4s	98⅝
C. of N. J. g. 5s	129⅝	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	88
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	106⅝	St. L. S. W. 1st 4s	79
*Chicago & A. 3½s	76½	do 1st gold 5s	94½
C., B. & Q. 4s	98½	Seaboard A. L. 4s	77
*C., M. & S.P. g. 4½s	91⅝	So. Pacific col. 4s	91½
C., R. I. & P. c. 4s	89⅝	do 1st ref. 4s	84⅝
*do col. 5s	77	So. Railway 5s	112½
do rfdg. 4s	92½	do gen. 4s	82⅝
*CCC. & St. L. g. 4s	98	Union Pacific 4s	102⅝
Colo. Ind. 5s	78⅝	do cv. 4s	107½
*Colo. Mid. 4s	50	do 1st & ref. 4s	99½
C. & S. F. c. & 4½s	90⅝	*U. S. Rubber 6s	104⅝
Del. & H. cv. 4s	102½	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	104½
do 1st ref. 4s	102⅝	Va.-Caro. Chem. 5s	94⅝
*D. & R. G. 4s	94⅝	Wabash 1st 5s	112⅝
*Distillers' 5s	75½	do 1st & ex. 4s	78
*Erie p. l. 4s	83	Western Md. 4s	82½
do gen. 4s	74⅝	West. Elec. cv. 5s	83
do cv. 4s series A	74⅝	Wis. Central 4s	86⅝
do series B	66⅝	D. & R. G. ref. 5s	94⅝
Gen. Electric cv. 5s	140⅝	C. & O. r. ctfs. 4s	101⅝
Ill. Cen. 1st ref. 4s	100⅝	N. R. S. of M. 4½s	91⅝
Int. Met. 4½s	79½	So. Pacific 4s ctfs.	88⅝
Int. M. M. 4½s	73½		

Bank of England Statement.

LONDON, April 29.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increased £154,000; circulation, decreased £99,000; bullion, increased £53,186; other securities, decreased £565,000; other deposits decreased £428,000; public deposits, increased £64,000; notes reserve, increased £175,000. Government securities, unchanged. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 50.31 per cent; last week it was 49.76 per cent.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, April 29.—American securities were steady and without important changes during the early trading today. At noon the tone was firm and prices ranged ⅛ below to ⅛ above yesterday's New York closing.

The Stock exchange here will be closed on Saturday, May 1.

London closing stocks:

Consols, money	83	M., K. & T.	44½
do account	83	N. Y. Central	132⅝
Anaconda	8⅛	Norfolk & W.	94
Atchison	110	do pfd	90
do pfd	106⅝	Ontario & W.	30⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	117⅝	Pennsylvania	63⅝
Canadian Pacific	187⅝	Rand Mines	8⅝
Chesapeake & O.	77½	Reading	15⅝
Chicago G. W.	5	Southern Ry.	30⅝
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	134	do pfd	64
De Beers	18½	Southern Pacific	120⅝
Denver & Rio G.	53⅝	Union Pacific	193½
do pfd	90	do pfd	88⅝
Erie	31	U. S. Steel	56⅝
do 1st pfd	45	do pfd	118⅝
do 2d pfd	39	Wabash	19½
Grand Trunk	22	do pfd	40⅝
Illinois Central	144½	Spanish 4s	93⅝