REAL ESTATE LOANS
(Continued.)

MORTGAGE LOANS.
I desire to announce to home owners and home builders of the cities of Omaha and South Omaha, that I am prepared to loan money on residence property at the same rate that the building and loan associations pay their depositors for the use of the money they are loaning, thereby effecting a saving to borrowers of the expenses of managing and maintaining building and loan associations. No commission is charged for making loans, only a nominal sum is required to cover the expense of recording mortgage and examining abstract of title.
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WANTED—City loans. Peters Trust Co.

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REAL ESTATE WANTED

WE HAVE BUYERS for a 5-room house, a 6-room house and a couple of vacant lots. NOWATA LAND AND LOT COMPANY, Suite 624 N. Y. Life Bldg., Omaha. Phone Red 1909. Open Evenings. (22)—825

WE have customers waiting for 4, 5 and 7-room houses. If you want to sell call us up and a man will investigate your property at once. Dean-Andrews Co., 422 N. Y. Life Bldg.

MODERN dwelling, (3 bedrooms). Address B 572, Bee.

INFORMATION wanted, from owner who has good, modern, residence for sale, in or within 15 miles of Omaha; wish to learn of best bargain being offered at between $5,000 and $12,000; give price and brief description; no agents need answer. Address G. Currier, Room 75, N, 46 West Monroe St., Chicago, Ill.

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NEW furnaces; hot water and hot air combination heating, 2 and 4-hole laundry hot water heaters, mantle grates, gas stoves repaired, water fronts and flower vases. Omaha Stove Repair Works, 1206-1208 Douglas St. Phones Ind. A-3621, Bell Douglas 960. —826

WANTED—TO BUY

BEST price paid for second-hand furniture, carpets clothes and shoes. Tel. Doug. 2971. (25)—827

BEST price paid for 2d-hand furniture, stoves, clothing. Wm. Rosenblatt. Tel. Douglas 5401. (25)—828

WE buy joblots of shoes. Address H. Marks, 1308 No. 22d St. Phone Webster 2322.

WANTED—A female coyote. Address, Rudolph Rovigno, Merchants Hotel.

WANTED—TO RENT

WE are getting inquiries for well located houses. Must have sole agency. Nowata Land and Lot Company, suite 624 N. Y. Life Bldg. Phone Red 1909. Omaha, Neb. Open evenings. (26)—830

COUPLE without children desire furnished cottage or small apartment. Must be desirable location. Address, O. 567 Bee.

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SITUATION wanted as drug clerk in small town in Neb.; eight years experience; registered; college graduate; good references. Address Mell Hooper, Paola, Kan.

For high grade men, call Omaha Y. M. C. A.

POSITION for summer by young lady. Address A 571, care Bee.

WANTED—Summer outing position with pleasant people by young woman high school teacher, expert in camp life and catering, skilled in securing safety, comfort and pleasure under rough conditions. Entire charge if desired. Address Miss Garrison, 2501 R St., Lincoln, Neb.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

County treasurer to C. T. Schmidt, lots 1 and 3, block 5, Dwight & Lyman's add	
Lottie B. Gage and husband to Laura M. Cox, lot 7, block 10, Plainview	800
Caroline Peters et al. to John A. Peters, lots 1 and 2, block 8, Millard	700
Rudolph Robde et al. to Regina Ludwig, same	1
Anna Rohde et al. to John A. Peters, same	46
F. D. Wead and wife to J. J. Dereight, lot 23, block 4, Vassar Place	100
Charles Edwards and wife to Mary R. Sorensen, lot 3, block 15, Shull's 2d add	2,600
Elva Baker et al. to A. J. Donahoo, se¼ ne¼ 23, and s½ nw¼ and n½ sw¼ 24-15-10	1
Josephine Vogelsang to Fritz Stark, one-third interest in lot 13, block 8, McCormack's 2d	550
Fritz Stark and wife to Josephine Vogelsang, one-third interest in lot 9, block 2, Kirkwood	700
Victor Bruickstein to Rebecca Bruickstein, lot 3, block 1, Kountze 4th	1
C. George Carlberg and wife to Alida M. Benedict, lot 3, Cariberg's replat	2,800
J. F. Behm and wife to Leo Baroch, und. nw¼ lot 19, Kountze 2d	437
A. O. Peterson and wife to Gertrude Buchholz, lot 4, block 4, Hazel Terrace	2,200
Peter C. Cramer to J. A. Wolf, lot 3, block 7, Myers, Richards & Tilden's	1,900
William Gaslin to P. C. Cramer, lots 3 and 4, block 7, Myers, Richards & Tilden's	800
L. M. Gans and wife to John Murtey, lot 11, block 16, Hanscom Place	1,000
F. C. Hayward and wife to H. H. Genau, lot 18, block 16, Hanscom Place	2,650
Francis Smith to George W. Smith, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 146, and other lots, Omaha	1
B. C. Fowler and wife to National Bank of Commerce, lots 24, 25, 26, block 2, Pruyn Park	1
Mary D. Dever to Zelda Robinson, lot 2, Schneil's add	1
H. Neuhaus and wife to Herman Neuhaus, part sw¼ nw¼ 5-15-13	1,568
Susan E. Eveleth to Dana E. Voorhees, lots 11 and 12, block 2, Mahoney & Minahan's 1st add	1
Total	$18,798

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—OMAHA, Neb., June 10, 1909. The Board of Education of the School District of Omaha invites sealed bids for the construction, plumbing and electric wiring of a four-room brick addition to the Beals school, located at Forty-eighth and Walnut streets. Plans, specifications and bidders' blanks giving the necessary information, may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Buildings, 215 Pacific street (old Pacific school building). All bids must be made on bidders' blanks furnished by the Superintendent of Buildings. A certified check payable to the School District of Omaha for not less than 3 per cent of the amount of the bid must accompany each bid. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any defect or informality in any bid, should it be deemed in the interest of the School District so to do. Bids will not be received after 7:30 o'clock p. m., June 21, at which time all bids on file with the Secretary will be opened in open board meeting in the presence of the public. Send sealed envelopes containing bids to the undersigned, marked as follows: "Bids on Beals Addition." J. F. BURGESS, Secretary Board of Education, 506 City Hall, Omaha, Neb. J16d3t

NOTICE TO ENGINEERS.—NOTICE IS hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Directors of the Bancroft Drainage District, Bancroft, Nebraska, for the engineering work in connection with the location and construction of a system of drainage in said district according to the specifications for said work now on file with Caryl E. Farley, Bancroft, Nebraska, secretary of said board. Said bids must be on file with the Secretary on or before twelve o'clock noon on Thursday, June 17th, 1909. Dated June 10th, 1909. By order of the Board of Directors. Caryl E. Farley, Secretary. J-13d1t

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

To the stockholders of THE MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY:
In conformity with the requirements of the Constitutions and laws of the states of Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska and the by-laws of the Company, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that by resolution of the Board of Directors of The Missouri Pacific Railway Company duly adopted at a meeting of said Board on the 29th day of May, A. D., 1909, a meeting of the stockholders of The Missouri Pacific Railway Company has been called to be held at the office of the Company, Room 706 Missouri Pacific Building, in the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, on the sixth day of August, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon,
(1) For the purpose of considering a Contract and Articles of Consolidation bearing date the 29th day of May, 1909, heretofore made and entered into by and on behalf of The Missouri Pacific Railway Company and the following named corporations by order of their respective Boards of Directors:
The Kansas and Colorado Pacific Railway Company, a consolidated corporation of the State of Kansas;
The Central Branch Railway Company, a consolidated corporation of the State of Kansas;
The Rooks County Railroad Company, a corporation of the State of Kansas;
The Nevada and Minden Railway Company, a corporation of the State of Missouri;
Nevada and Minden Railway Company of Kansas, a corporation of the State of Kansas;
Kansas City and Southwestern Railway Company of Missouri, a corporation of the State of Missouri;
Kansas City and Southwestern Railway Company, a corporation of the State of Kansas;
The Fort Scott Central Railway Company, a consolidated corporation of the State of Kansas;
Kanopolis and Kansas Central Railway Company, a corporation of the State of Kansas;
The Kansas Southwestern Railway Company, a corporation of the State of Kansas; and
The LeRoy and Caney Valley Air Line Railroad Company, a corporation of the State of Kansas,
whereby all or any of said corporations and The Missouri Pacific Railway Company have agreed to consolidate in the whole, and that to consolidate the stock of the respective companies making such consolidation, and to form and make under and pursuant to the laws of the States of Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska, a new, consolidated corporation, to be known as The Missouri Pacific Railway Company, owning, controlling, possessing and bringing under one management all and singular the lines of railroad and other properties, real, personal and mixed, powers, rights, privileges, immunities and franchises, belonging to any of the companies making such consolidation, upon the terms and conditions fixed and stated by said Contract and Articles of Consolidation;
(2) For the purpose of voting upon the question whether such Contract and Articles of Consolidation, so made and entered into, shall be ratified, assented to, approved and adopted and such consolidation consummated or whether such Contract and Articles of Consolidation shall be rejected;
(3) To consider and vote upon the adoption of a resolution accepting the provisions of Article II of Chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Missouri, 1899, and to authorize the filing thereof, all as required by Section numbered 1059 of such Revised Statutes in the case of consolidation of railway corporations; and
(4) To take any other action in the premises, and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
Such Contract and Articles of Consolidation will be submitted to the meeting of the stockholders so called for examination and every stockholder attending will be furnished with a printed copy thereof, and at any time before such meeting any stockholder will be furnished with a printed copy of such Contract and Articles of Consolidation upon application therefor during business hours to the Assistant Secretary of the Company at the office of the Company in the City of St. Louis, Missouri.
Dated, May 29th, 1909.
GEORGE J. GOULD,
President of The Missouri Pacific Railway Company.
A. H. CALEF,
Secretary of The Missouri Pacific Railway Company. J2toA6

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED bids will be received at the Atkinson National bank, Atkinson, Neb., up to 9 o'clock p. m., Monday, June 28, 1909, for the erection of a brick school building in Atkinson, Neb., for School District No. 21, Holt county, Neb., according to plans and specifications now on file at the office of A. H. Dyer Co., Architects, Fremont, Neb. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. J12-13-16

COUNTY OFFICIAL NOTICE.

NOTICE TO THE TAXPAYERS OF Douglas County, Nebraska—The County Board of Equalization will sit for the purpose of equalizing the assessment of Douglas county, Nebraska, for the year 1909, as required under section 121, chapter 77, article 1, statutes of Nebraska, commencing Tuesday, June 15, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the County Commissioners' chamber at the court house, Omaha, Nebraska. The duration of the session shall "not be less than three days nor more than twenty days." Therefore, all persons owning real estate or personal property subject to taxation shall call and examine their assessment, that any errors as to valuation, etc., may be adjusted by said board as the law provides.
Section 26, chapter 18, article 1, statutes of Nebraska, makes it the duty of the Board of County Commissioners at their regular session in January in each year to prepare an estimate of the necessary expenses of the county during the ensuing year. The estimated expenses of the county of Douglas, for the year 1909, are as follows:

For general fund	$335,000
For bridge fund	30,000
For road fund	85,000
For bond sinking fund	90,000
For soldiers relief fund	10,000
Total	$600,000

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.
D. M. HAVERLY, County Clerk.
J12d11t

Mme Ruiz Was St. Louis Girl

Woman Who Killed Herself Because of Vanderbilt Was Daughter of Boiler Maker.

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—Mme. Agnes O'Brien Ruiz, whose suicide in London was kept from the press for weeks, has been identified by St. Louis friends as the daughter of the late Charles O'Brien, a local boilermaker. She was born near Ninth street and Cass avenue, and had a brother, Charlie, formerly a member of the St. Louis fire department and now living in North St. Louis, and one sister. She used to attend the Everett school on Eighth street and was well known then as adventurous. When she was about 13 years old, friends of the family say, she ran away from home, journeying to New Orleans and beating her way back in a box car.

Sweetheart Dies, Kills Himself

Suicide Follows Fatal Accident and a Double Funeral Will Be Held.

PHILADELPHIA, June 12.—Brooding over the death of his fiance, Reymond Heintzelmann, aged 20 years, of Bowmanstown, Pa., swallowed poison yesterday and then, hurrying to the cemetery, shot himself through the heart at the grave dug for Miss Florence Rehrig, aged 19 years.
On Memorial day the young couple were out driving and met with an accident, which caused the young woman's death on Wednesday in this city. A double funeral will take place on Sunday.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Higher Values in Northwest Gives Wheat Firm Opening.

BEARS ARE STILL AGGRESSIVE

Trading Becomes Dull After the First Rush of Orders and Regular Inactive Saturday Market Was Result.

OMAHA, June 12, 1909.
Wheat had a firm opening, due to higher values in the northwestern markets. Bears, however, were still aggressive and sold freely on the early advance and eased the market. Trading became dull after the first rush of orders and the regular inactive Saturday market resulted.
Corn is moving freely and the market is active, with the general sentiment on the bear side. Favorable reports are general.
Wheat was a nervous scalping affair and at the close showed little change from yesterday. Early buying advanced the market, but late selling reduced the early bulge and prices were only a shade better at the close.
Corn was steady and showed a better tone early, but was unable to advance although cash corn was higher and the action of the market much livelier. Receipts are good and while the present demand continues prices are sustained.
Primary wheat receipts were 190,000 bu. and shipments were 154,000 bu., against receipts last year of 236,000 bu. and shipments of 109,000 bu.
Corn receipts were 406,000 bu. and shipments were 505,000 bu., against receipts last year of 553,000 bu. and shipments of 323,000 bu.
Clearances were none of corn, none of oats and wheat and flour equal to 139,000 bu.
Liverpool closed ¼d lower to ¼d higher on wheat and unchanged on corn.
Local range of options:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat					
July	1 09⅝	1 10¼	1 09⅝	1 10¼	1 09⅝
Sept.	1 02⅞	1 03¾	1 02⅞	1 03¾	1 03⅞
Corn					
July	69⅝	.....	.....	69⅝	69⅝
Sept.	65½	.....	.....	65½	65½
Oats					
July	49⅝	.....	.....	49⅝	45⅝
Sept.	41⅝	.....	.....	41⅝	41⅝

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.31@1.33; No. 3 hard, $1.28@1.30; No. 4 hard, $1.22@1.26; No. 3 spring, $1.27@1.30.
CORN—No. 2, 69¾@70c; No. 3, 69¾@70c; No. 4, 69¾c; no grade, 68c; No. 2 yellow, 70c; No. 3 yellow, 70c; No. 2 white, 72c; No. 3 white, 71½c.
OATS—No. 3 mixed, 55½@55¾c; No. 3 yellow, 56½c; No. 3 white, 56@56½c; No. 4 white, 55@55¾c.
RYE—No. 2, 79½@80½c; No. 3, 78@79c.

Car Lot Receipts

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	4	219	109
Minneapolis	110	...	...
Duluth	6	...	...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, June 12.—Fears of floods in the southwest and congestion in the July delivery in the western markets offset bearish crop reports and caused a firm finish in the wheat market here today, final quotations showing net gains of ½c to ¾@⅞c. Corn closed firm, oats steady and provisions strong.
The wheat market was an erratic affair the greater part of the session, but the predominating sentiment was one of bullishness. Early in the day the market derived considerable strength from an advance of 4⅝c at Winnipeg in the July option, owing to the manipulation of that delivery, and later, when the flurry in the northwestern market had subsided, reports of impending floods in the southwest imparted fresh bullish enthusiasm. Shorts, apparently afraid to hold off over Sunday in view of the possible damage to the winter crop by floods, bought freely and there was also general buying by commission houses. Foreign crop news was bearish. The Russian crop outlook was further improved by additional rains, and estimates on the world's shipments for the week indicated a liberal movement. In addition to the selling pressure on the July delivery, which at times was heavy, the September option also was subjected to selling by influential interests. The range on July for the day was between $1.16⅝ and $1.17¼. The market closed firm, with July at $1.17¼.
Wet weather was again a bullish influence in the corn market, sentiment in the pit being inclined to the buying side. The market closed firm, with prices ⅛@¼c to ⅜c above yesterday's close.
Oats were rather weak. The market closed barely steady, with prices a shade lower to ⅛c higher.
Provisions ruled substantial advances. Pork displayed the greatest strength and at the close showed net gains of 30@40c. Lard and ribs closed 7½@10c to 10@12½c higher.
The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesy.
*Wheat					
July	1 16⅝-7	1 17½	1 16⅜	1 17¼	1 16⅝½
Sept.	1 10⅝½	1 10¼	1 09⅝½	1 10¼	1 10
Dec.	1 08⅝½	1 08	1 08	1 08⅜	1 08⅜½
*Corn—					
July	73@73½	73½@¾	73⅜@⅞	73	73⅜@⅞
Sept.	70⅝@⅞	70⅝@¾	70⅛	70⅝@⅞	70@70⅛
Dec.	58⅝@⅞	59⅝	59¼	59⅝	59⅝
*Oats—					
July	53⅝	53@53½	52⅝@⅝	53⅝	53⅝@⅞
Sept.	44⅝@⅞	44⅝	44	44⅝	44⅛
Dec.	45	45	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝
Pork—					
July	20 07½	20 40	20 07½	20 40	20 05
Sept.	20 25	20 60	20 25	20 60	20 20
Lard—					
July	11 62½	11 70	11 62½	11 70	11 60
Sept.	11 70	11 77½	11 70	11 77½	11 65
Ribs—					
July	10 90	11 00	10 90	11 00	10 70
Sept.	10 82½	11 00	10 82½	10 97½	10 90

*No. 2.
Cash quotations were as follows:
FLOUR—Firm; winter patents, $6.40@6.75; winter straights, $6.10@6.50; spring patents, $6.25@6.60; spring straights, $4.80@5.15; bakers, $4.40@4.60.
BUTTER—Weak; creamery specials, 26½@27c; official price, 26½c; extras, 26c; third to first, 22@25½c.
CHEESE—Easy and unchanged; weekly exports, 236 boxes.
EGGS—Steady; western seconds, 20@21c; southern, 18@20½c.
POULTRY—Alive, dull; western chickens, broilers, 23@25c; fowls, 15½@16c; turkeys, 13c. Dressed, dull; western chickens, 22@25c; fowls, 14½@15c.
RYE—No. 2, 88@90c.
BARLEY—Feed or mixing, $1@1½c; fair to choice malting, $1½@1½c.
SEEDS—Flax, No. 1 southwestern, $1.61½; No. 1 northwestern, $1.71½. Timothy, $3.90. Clover, $10.60.
PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $20.40@20.45. Lard, per 100 lbs., $11.70. Short ribs, sides (loose), $10.55@11.05. Short clear sides (boxed), $11.12½@11.50.
Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 128,000 bu. Primary receipts were 190,000 bu., compared with 236,000 bu. the corresponding day a year ago.
Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat, 4 cars; corn, 220 cars; oats, 170 cars; hogs, 42,000 head.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 12.—BUTTER—Dull, ½c lower; extra western creamery, 27½c; extra nearby prints, 28c.
EGGS—Steady; fair demand; Pennsylvania, other nearby firsts, 23c at mark; current receipts in returnable cases, 22c; western firsts, 23c at mark; current receipts, 21@22c.
CHEESE—Firm, fair demand; New York full creams choice, 14@14½c; fair to good, 13@13½c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 12.—WHEAT—July, $1.33¾; September, $1.13¾; December, $1.09. Cash: No. 1 hard, $1.38⅝@1.39⅝; No. 1 northern, $1.37⅝@1.38⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.33⅝@1.34⅝; No. 3 northern, $1.33⅝@1.34⅝.
FLAX—Closed at $1.80½.
BRAN—In bulk, $22.50@24.00.
FLOUR—First patents, $6.45@6.75; second patents, $6.45@6.85; first clears, $5.15@5.35; second clears, $3.70@5.95.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, June 12.—WHEAT—Futures higher; no cash market; track, No. 2 red cash, $1.30@1.38, nominal; No. 3 hard, $1.32½@1.45; July, $1.13½; September, $1.06⅝@1.06⅞.
CORN—Firm; cash lower; track, No. 2 cash, 74c; No. 3 white, 70½c; July, 73½c; September, 70½c.
OATS—Weak; track, No. 2 cash, 57½c; No. 3 white, 60½c; July, 50½c; September, 43½c.
RYE—Nominal at 88c.
SEED—Timothy, $1.50@2.25.
CORNMEAL—$2.50.
IRON COTTON TIES—80c.
FLOUR—Unchanged; red winter patents, $5.50@7.00; extra fancy and stright, $5.75@6.40; hard winter clears, $4.75@5.10.
BRAN—Unchanged; sacked, east track, $1.25@1.27.
HAY—Unchanged; timothy, $13.00@17.50; prairie, $10.00@12.50.
BAGGING—7½c.
HEMP TWINE—7c.
PROVISIONS—Pork, higher; jobbing, $20.00. Lard, higher; prime steam, $11.40@11.50. Dry salt meats, unchanged; boxed extra shorts, $11.62½; clear ribs, $11.62½; short clears, $11.75. Bacon, unchanged; boxed extra short, $12.62½; clear ribs, $12.62½; short clears, $12.75.
POULTRY—Firm; chickens, 12½c; springs, 18@22c; turkeys, 12@14c; ducks, 8c; geese, 4c.
BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 21@25c.
EGGS—Steady at 18½c, case count.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	1,800	3,000
Wheat, bu	12,000	1,800
Corn, bu	56,300	41,300
Oats, bu	48,000	34,000

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT

Unsettled, with Showers Sunday and the Same Temperature.

OMAHA, June 12, 1909.
Showers occurred within the last twenty-four hours in the northwest, the central valleys, the west gulf states and along the Atlantic coast, and continue this morning in the upper Missouri valley and southwest. No important change in temperature has occurred in any section since the preceding report, but a slight and general rise is shown in all portions, except in the lower Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys, where the weather is slightly cooler. The barometric pressure is very unevenly distributed over all portions of the country and conditions are favorable for continued unsettled weather, with showers, in this vicinity tonight and Sunday, and not much change in temperature.
Record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1909.	1908.	1907.	1906.
Minimum temperature	58	56	58	56
Precipitation	.00	.08	.53	.00

Normal temperature for today, 71 degrees.
Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, 2.11 inches.
Excess corresponding period in 1908, 2.19 inches.
Deficiency corresponding period in 1907, 5.41 inches.
L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

Corn and Wheat Region Bulletin.

Corn and wheat region bulletin for Omaha, Neb., for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, Saturday, June 12, 1909:

OMAHA DISTRICT.

Stations.	—Temp.— Max.	Min.	Rain- fall.	Sky.
Ashland, Neb.	67	58	.00	Cloudy
Auburn, Neb.	69	57	.03	Foggy
Broken Bow, Neb.	68	48	.00	Cloudy
Columbus, Neb.	68	51	.00	Cloudy
Culbertson, Neb.	70	56	.57	Cloudy
Fairbury, Neb.	70	55	T	Cloudy
Fairmont, Neb.	65	51	.00	Clear
Gr. Island, Neb.	70	54	.00	Clear
Hartington, Neb.	71	56	.00	Clear
Hastings, Neb.	69	53	.00	Cloudy
Holdrege, Neb.	69	54	.00	Cloudy
Oakdale, Neb.	73	51	.00	Pt. cloudy
Omaha, Neb.	65	58	T	Cloudy
Tekamah, Neb.	68	58	.00	Cloudy
Alta, Ia.	75	57	.23	Cloudy
Carroll, Ia.	75	57	.10	Cloudy
Clarinda, Ia.	69	59	.07	Clear
Sibley, Ia.	78	57	.25	Cloudy
*Sioux City, Ia.	72	60	T	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.	26	78	56	.01
Columbus, O.	17	76	54	.00
Des Moines, Ia.	14	78	58	.16
Indianapolis, Ind.	12	80	60	.00
Kansas City, Mo.	21	76	60	.22
Louisville, Ky.	19	82	62	.01
Minneapolis, Minn.	29	80	50	.10
Omaha, Neb.	19	70	56	.06
St. Louis, Mo.	13	80	62	.20

Light but general showers occurred in all portions of the corn and wheat region within the last twenty-four hours, except the Columbus district. A heavy fall occurred at Warrenton, Mo. Temperature changes have been slight and unimportant.
L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecaster, Weather Bureau.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, June 12.—FLOUR—Receipts, 11,862 bbls.; exports, 5,113 bbls.; market dull and unchanged; Minnesota patents, $6.25@6.60; winter straights, $6.65@6.85; Minnesota bakers, $5.35@5.65; winter extras, $4.85@5.70; winter patents, $6.70@7.00; winter low grades, $4.75@5.60; Kansas straights, $5.85@6.00. Rye flour, dull; fair to good, $4.60@4.70; choice to fancy, $4.80@5.00.
CORN MEAL—Firm; fine white and yellow, $1.65@1.70; coarse, $1.55@1.60; kiln dried, $3.90@3.95.
RYE—Dull; No. 2 western, 97½c nominal, f. o. b., afloat, New York.
BARLEY—Steady; feeding, 85@87c, f. o. b., New York.
WHEAT—Receipts, 74,800 bu.; spot market firm; No. 2 red, $1.51 nominal elevator; No. 2 red, $1.65 nominal, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.37½ f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.36½, f. o. b., afloat. On account of sensational northwest strength in July wheat, the local market was active and about 1 cent higher. Shorts were also influenced by excessive rains in the southwest and fears of floods, but late realizing caused a slight set back. Final prices were ¼@⅝c net higher. July closed $1.25½c. September closed $1.17½c December closed $1.15⅝c.
CORN—Receipts, 37,875 bu.; spot market firm; No. 2, 86c elevator and 88c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 2 white, 85½c and No. 2 yellow, 85½c f. o. b., afloat, all nominal. Option market was without transactions, closing net unchanged. July closed at 82½c; September closed at 79c; December closed at 69½c.
OATS—Receipts, 6,100 bu.; exports, 4,318 bu.; spot market dull; mixed 26 to 32 pounds, 62½c nominal; natural white, 26 to 32 pounds, 62@62½c; clipped white, 34 and 42 pounds, 66½@68c.
FEED—Steady; spring bran, $26.85; middlings, $27.85; city, $27.50.
HAY—Quiet; No. 3, 80@85c; good to choice, 95c@$1.00.
HIDES—Firm; Bogota, 20½@21½c; Central America, 21½c.
LEATHER—Steady; acid 22@29c.
PROVISIONS—Beef quiet; family, $12.50@14.00; mess, $10.50@11.00; beef hams, $24.00@26.00; packet, $12.00@12.50; city, extra India mediums, $20.50@21.00. Cut meats, firm; pickled bellies, $12.25@12.50; pickled hams, $12.50. Lard, western, $11.00@12.05; refined firm; continent, $12.25; South America, $12.75; compound, $8.00@8.27. Pork, firm; family, $21.00@22.00; short clear, $20.50@22.00; mess, $21.50.
TALLOW—Steady; city 5⅝c; country, 5⅛@5¼c.
RICE—Steady; domestic fair to extra, 3@6½c; Japan, nominal.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, June 12.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 2 red winter, nominal; futures, steady; July, 9s., ¼d.; September, 8s., 6⅝d.; December, 8s., 4¼d.
CORN—Firm; new American mixed, via Galveston, 6s., 6½d.; futures, steady; July, 5s., 6¼d.; September, 5s., 6¼d.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, June 12.—WHEAT—No. 1, $1.39¼; No. 2 northern, $1.36@1.37; July, $1.17¼, bid.
OATS—Standard, 58½@59½c.
BARLEY—58½@59½c.

Oils and Rosin.

NEW YORK, N. Y., June 12.—OIL—Cottonseed, irregular; prime crude, $4.67@4.75; yellow, $5.65@5.72; July, $5.71@5.73. Petroleum, steady; refined, New York, $8.50; Philadelphia and Baltimore, $8.45; Philadelphia and Baltimore in bulk, $4.85. Turpentine, firm; 43½c.
ROSIN—Quiet; strained, common to good, $3.20@3.25.
SAVANNAH, Ga., June 12.—OIL—Turpentine, steady at 46½c.
ROSIN—Firm; B, $2.65; D, $2.90; E, $3.25; F, $3.75; G, $3.80; H, $4.00; I, $4.30; K, $5.05; N, $5.30; WG and WW, $5.40.

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, N. Y., June 12.—COFFEE—Market for coffee futures opened dull at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points, the easier tendency of some months being in sympathy with the French market, which was ¼ to ½ francs lower. Trading was very quiet and the market closed dull, net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales were reported of 1,750 bags, including July at 6.45c, September at 5.95c, and May at 5.80c. Spot market, quiet; Rio No. 7, 7¾@8c; Santos No. 4, 9c. Mild, dull; Cordova, 9¾@12¾c.

Movements of Merchandise.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Imports of merchandise and dry goods at the port of New York for the week ending June 5 were valued at $17,097,330. Imports of specie for the port of New York for the week ending today were $156,974 silver and $101,621 gold. Exports of specie from the port of New York for the week ending today were $629,098 silver and $282,550 gold.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

General Market is Languid and the Tone Becomes Heavy.

BIG GAIN IN BANK CLEARINGS

Increase, However, as Shown by Statement, Proves Due in Large Part to New York City Figures.

NEW YORK, June 12.—The demonstrative bidding up in today's market of a miscellaneous lot of industrial stocks and specialties not usually conspicuous, did not serve to keep up an effective demand for the usually active trading stocks. The general market was languid and the tone became heavy after the probability of another large loan expansion by the banks came into discussion.
The large percentage of the increase in bank clearings this week over the corresponding week last year proves due in large part to the New York City figures. Those figures for this year are almost double those of last year, the increase reaching nearly $1,000,000,000. The degree to which increased speculation is responsible for the increase is implied in the comparison of this week's sales at the Stock exchange of 5,629,000 shares of stock and $35,926,000 par value of bonds, while for the week ending June 13, 1908, sales were 1,967,300 shares of stock and $11,317,000 par value of bonds.
The large bond transactions by new issues going on at the financial center also account for the violent expansion in banking activity. Intimations of further large financial operations in view, the approach of the semi-annual settlement and the expectation of the yearly demand from the interior for funds to move the crops all add to the attention given to the money situation.
Reports that efforts had failed to patch up the dispute among the trunk line railroads over the freight rates on import traffic made a bad impression. The copper industrials were weak and discussion of the Copper Producers' association statistics bore on the possibility of a concealed surplus of stocks in second hands and of raw copper not ready for delivery in the producers' hands. A rise of a point in United States Steel in the late dealings had a rallying effect on stocks, but the market closed irregular.
The cash item of the banks yielded the expected increase, but the loan expansion again proved the deciding factor in the statement, cutting down the surplus $1,000,000 in the average and the actual surplus $2,678,575. The New York City bond sale plays a part in the increase of $18,976,500 in the loan by averages, which figures at $26,289,000 increase in the actual comparison.
Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,848,000. United States 4s, registered, have declined ¼ per cent on call during the week.
Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks were as follows:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers pfd	400	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
Amalgamated Copper	6,900	66	65⅛	65⅝
American Agricultural	300	44	43	43
American Beet Sugar	6,900	43⅝	42⅝	43⅝
American Can pfd	1,300	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
Am. C. & F.	200	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝
Am. Cotton Oil	4,000	76⅝	75	75⅝
Am. H. & L. pfd	400	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
Am. Ice Securities	1,300	39⅝	39	39⅝
American Linseed	2,000	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
American Locomotive	1,200	61⅝	61	61⅛
Am. S. & R.	1,000	96	95	95⅝
Am. S. & R. pfd	300	111⅝	111⅝	111⅝
Am. Sugar Refining	400	133⅝	133	133
Am. T. & T.	2,500	142⅝	142	142
Am. Tobacco pfd	200	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
American Woolen	200	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝
Anaconda Mining Co.	1,600	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
Atchison	7,800	116⅝	115⅝	116⅝
Atchison pfd	600	106	106	106⅝
Atlantic Coast Line	400	133⅝	133	133
Baltimore & Ohio	700	119	118⅝	119
Bethlehem Steel	100	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	1,500	80⅝	79⅝	80⅝
Canadian Pacific	200	163⅝	163⅝	163⅝
Central Leather	300	30⅝	30⅝	30
Central Leather pfd	100	104	104