GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Millers Are Good Buyers of Wheat Since Cash Wheat is Cheaper.

CORN IS NOW SELLING FREELY

Opens Steady, but as Wheat Shows Weakness, Corn Follows and Samples Are Offered Considerably Lower.

OMAHA, May 28, 1910.

Millers have been good buyers of wheat since the cash wheat has taken this slump. The discount in values has been heavy and the general opinion is that prices should have some reaction.

With warmer weather farmers are selling their surplus corn freely. As receipts increase cash values are easier and with continued favorable weather further declines are looked for.

Wheat started steady to a fraction higher on moderate offerings. The market was soon sold by professionals. Northwest markets were weak in reports of more rain, which is needed in the spring wheat belt. Cash wheat was nervous and some further decline is likely.

Corn opened steady, but as wheat developed weakness soon after the opening. Warmer weather and prospects of larger receipts caused selling. Cash market was weak and samples were offered ½c to 1c lower. With favorable weather values should gradually work lower.

Primary wheat receipts were 554,000 bu. and shipments were 214,000 bu., against receipts last year of 158,00 bu. and shipments of 153,000 bu.

Primary corn receipts were 589,000 bu. and shipments were 316,000 bu., against receipts last year of 723,000 bu. and shipments of 505,000 bu.

Clearances were 26,000 bu. of corn, 20,000 bu. of oats and wheat and flour equal to 290,000 bu.

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

Local range of options:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat—					
May...	97	97	96	96	97½
July...	90½	.....	.....	90½	91
Corn—					
May...	54½	54½	53½	53½	54¼
July...	54¼	54¼	54	54	54
Oats—					
May...	36	.....	.....	36	36
July...	35½	.....	.....	35½	36

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 95@97c; No. 3 hard, 90@94c; No. 4 hard, 86@90c; No. 2 spring, 93@97c; No. 3 spring, 90@94c; No. 2 durum, 89@91c; No. 3 durum, 79@80c.

CORN—No. 2 white, 55½@55¾c; No. 3 white, 55@55½c; No. 4 white, 54@54½c; No. 2 yellow, 54¾c; No. 3 yellow, 54½@54c; No. 4 yellow, 51¾@52½c; No. 2, 53¾@54; No. 3 53¼@53½c; No. 4, 51½@52½c; no grade corn, 43@48c.

OATS—Standard, 35½@35¾c; No. 3 white, 35@35½c; No. 4 white, 34@34½c; No. 3 yellow, 34½@35¼c; No. 4 yellow, 33½@34¼c; No. 3 mixed, 34½@35c.

BARLEY—No. 4, 46@47c; No. 1, feed, 45@46c; rejected barley, 40@43; No. 2, 70@72c; No. 3, 68@70c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	19	296	163
Minneapolis	207	14	...
Omaha	5	114	10
Duluth	18	...	...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, May 28.—The lowest prices of the season were made in wheat today. A little group of tale-enders gave up the fight for the May option and sold out in amounts all the way down to 98c, a sharp drop of 6¼c from last night's figures. Because of the poor buying support, new crop futures finished ⅝c to 1⅛c to ¼c down. Corn closed ⅛c to 1⅞c off and oats 1 to 1⅝c. The last quotations for provisions was unchanged to 2½c lower.

Disinclination to stand out over two holidays at the new low levels had much to do with the remarkable lack of vitality. Then, too, fine rains all over the Canadian northwest and the Dakotas, further showers for final filling of the winter wheat southwest, and a general warming up of temperatures were far from encouraging any symptoms of bullishness. An official call for 2,000 more harvest hands than were required last year in Kansas was also out of line with short crop prophesies.

The northwest reported country sales of wheat liberal and the elevators hedging purchases. About the only important item of the day from a bull standpoint was the sale of 600,000 bushels of cash wheat here. One local milling concern bought short wheat here today. For new crop futures the close was fairly steady, with September showing a net loss of ⅞c to 1c. The range for the high option was from 91¼c to 93c, and the last price, 91½c to 91⅝c. May closed at the bottom figure.

Corn was weak, cash interests were free sellers of the near deliveries in particular. September ranged from 57½c to 58⅝c and closed ⅝c down at 57⅝c. The cash market also was weak. No. 2 yellow closed at 57½@58½c.

In oats there was general liquidation by longs, with the most pressure on September. That month fluctuated between 35¼c and 36⅝@36¼c, closing at 35¼c.

Although publications were higher earlier on the lighter run of hogs here and west, weakness in the grain list and consequent realizing by the longs caused an easing off later. Pork at the close was 20c to 27½c lower; lard, 5c to 7½c. Ribs were unchanged to 2½c lower.

There will be no cash market Monday, Memorial day.

Leading quotations ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
*Wheat—					
May...	1 02½	1 02½	96	96	1 02¼
July...	95	95 @¾	94	93⅝	94½@¾
Sept...	92⅞	93	91½	91½@⅝	92½
Dec...	92¼	92¼	90⅞	91¼	91⅞
*Corn—					
May...	56¼	56¼	54¼	54¼	56⅛
July...	58	58⅝	56⅝	56⅝@⅞	58⅝
Sept...	58⅝	58⅝	57½	57⅝	58½
Dec...	55⅝	56⅝	55	55⅛	55⅝
*Oats—					
May...	38¼	38⅝	36⅝	36⅝	38¼
July...	37⅝	37½	36⅛	36⅛	38⅛
Sept...	36⅝	36⅝@½	35⅛	35¼@⅜	36⅝
Dec...	37⅛	37⅛	36	36	37
Pork—					
July...	22 55	22 55	22 30	22 25	22 52½
Sept...	22 35	22 40	21 90	22 10	22 30
Lard—					
July...	12 45	12 50	12 40	12 47½	12 40
Sept...	12 35	12 35	12 25	12 32½	12 27½
Ribs—					
July...	12 55	12 62½	12 42½	12 50	12 50
Sept...	12 30	12 32½	12 20	12 27½	12 30

*No 2.

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Barely steady; winter patents, $4.80@5.20; straights, $4.25@4.80; straights, $4.80; bakers, $4.00@5.20.

RYE—No. 2, 74@76c.

BARLEY—Feed or mixing, 46@50c; fair to choice malting, 58@60c.

SEED—Flax, No. 1 southwestern, $2.01½; No. 1 northwestern, $2.01½. Timothy, $4.35. Clover, $11.25.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl., $22.50 (loose), $12.62½@12.87½; short clear sides (loose), $12.62½@12.87½; short clear sides (boxed), $13.25@13.50.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 290,000 bu. Primary receipts were 554,000 bu., compared with 158,000 bu. the corresponding day a year ago.

Estimated receipts for Monday: Wheat: 14, cars; corn, 386 cars; oats, 216 cars; hogs, 27,000 head.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.00@1.03; No. 3 red, 98c@$1.02; No. 2 hard, $1.00@1.03; No. 3 hard, 95c@$1.00; No. 1 northern spring, $1.00@1.05; No. 2 northern spring, 98c@$1.03; No. 3 spring, 92c@$1.00. Corn: No. 2 cash, 57c; No. 3 cash, 55½@56c; No. 2 white, 60@60½c; No. 3 white, 59@59½c; No. 2 yellow, 57½@58¾c; No. 3 yellow, 56@55c. Oats: No. 2 white, 38⅝@39c; No. 3 white, 35@38½c; No. 4 white, 34@36c; standard, 38@39c.

BUTTER—Steady; creameries, 25@27½c; dairies, 23@21.

EGGS—Steady; at mark, cases included, 15½@16½c; firsts, 17½c; prime firsts, 18½c.

CHEESE—Steady; daisies, 14¾@15c; twins, 14@14½c; young Americas, 15@15½c; long horns, 14¾@15.

POTATOES—Steady; choice to fancy, 28@30c; fair to good, 23@27c.

POULTRY—Steady; turkeys, 15c; chickens, 16c.

VEAL—Easy; 50 to 60-pound weights, 8@12c; 60 to 85-pound weights, 9@12; 85 to 110-pound weights, 10c.

Receipts—Today: Wheat, 19 cars; corn, 386 cars; oats, 163 cars. Estimated Monday: Wheat, 14 cars; corn, 386 cars; oats, 216 cars.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, May 28.—WHEAT—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures, dull; May, 6s 4½d; July, 6s 5½d; October, 6s 7¼d.

CORN—Spot, quiet; old American mixed, 5s 7½d; new kiln dried, 5s 5d; via Galveston, 5s 6½d; futures, quiet; July nominal; September, 4s 7¾d.

WEATHER IN THE GRAIN BELT

Temperatures Are Higher Over the Rocky Mountain Slope.

OMAHA, May 28, 1910.

An area of high pressure overlies the eastern portion, and generally clear weather prevails east of the Mississippi river. A barometric depression of considerable energy is central over the extreme upper Missouri valley and Manitoba, and a relatively low pressure overlies the extreme southwest. Showers were general in the upper Mississippi and throughout the Missouri valleys during the past twenty-four hours, and rains continue in the upper valleys this morning. Temperatures are higher over the eastern Rocky mountain slope, and east over the central valleys and lake region. An area of high pressure, accompanied by cooler weather, is moving in over the west, and the outlook is for partly cloudy weather in this vicinity tonight and Sunday, with cooler Sunday.

Temperature and precipitation as compared with the last three years:

	1910.	1909.	1908.	1907.
Minimum temperature ...	57	54	60	50
Precipitation	.00	.00	.49	.00

Normal temperature for today, 66 degrees.

Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, 6.03 inches.

Deficiency coresponding period in 1909, 3.03 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period in 1908, 0.54 inch.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

Corn and Wheat Region Bulletin.

For Omaha, Neb., for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time, Saturday, May 28, 1910:

OMAHA DISTRICT.

Stations.	—Temp.— Max.	Min.	Rain-fall.	Sky.
Ashland, Neb.....	64	50	.00	Cloudy
Auburn, Neb.....	75	52	.53	Cloudy
B'ken Bow, Neb.	64	50	.00	Cloudy
Columbus, Neb...	62	55	.00	Cloudy
Culbertson, Neb..	71	60	.00	Cloudy
Fairbury, Neb....	54	52	.62	Cloudy
Fairmont, Neb....	64	53	.00	Cloudy
Gr. Island, Neb..	62	56	.06	Cloudy
Hartington, Neb.	68	50	.00	Cloudy
Hastings, Neb....	60	52	.00	Cloudy
Holdrege, Neb...	61	52	.00	Cloudy
Oakdale, Neb.....	67	53	.00	Cloudy
Omaha, Neb.....	67	57	.03	Raining
Tekamah, Neb...	68	55	.01	Cloudy
Alta, Ia.....	72	48	.00	Cloudy
Carroll, Ia.....	71	51	.00	Pt. cloudy
Clarinda, Ia.....	64	53	.00	Cloudy
Sibley, Ia.....	72	45	.00	Cloudy
*Sioux City, Ia...	68	55	.00	Cloudy

§ Not included in averages. * Minimum temperature for twelve-hour period ending at 8 a. m.

DISTRICT AVERAGES.

Districts.	No. of Stations.	—Temp.— Max.	Min.	Rain-fall.
Columbus, O.....	17	68	40	.00
Louisville, Ky.....	19	72	46	.00
Indianapolis, Ind..	12	72	44	.00
Chicago, Ill.....	20	68	46	.00
St. Louis, Mo.....	13	68	52	.40
Des Moines, Ia.....	14	74	52	.30
Minneapolis, Minn.	30	78	54	.30
Kansas City, Mo..	24	66	56	.30
Omaha, Neb.....	19	66	54	.50

Showers occurred within the last twenty-four hours in all except the Chicago and extreme eastern districts of the corn and wheat region. The weather is warmer in all portions of the corn and wheat region, but it continues cool in the lake region and Ohio valley, where light frosts occurred.

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

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, May 28.—FLOUR—Dull and easy; spring patents, $5.15@5.35; winter straights, $4.40@4.55; winter patents, $4.80@5.15; spring clears, $4.25@4.50; winter extras No. 2, $4.00@4.40; winter extras No. 3, $3.70@3.90; Kansas straights, $4.80@4.95. Receipts, 1,596 bbls.; shipments, 16,976 bbls. Rye flour, easy; fair to good, $4.15@4.40; choice to fancy, $4.45@4.50.

CORNMEAL—Barely steady; fine white and yellow, $1.40@1.45; coarse, $1.25@1.30; kiln dried, $3.30.

WHEAT—Spot, easy; No. 2 red, $1.04½, nominal, c. i. f.; No. 1 northern, $1.11½, nominal, f. o. b. Option market: Wheat opened steady on covering by shorts and on foreign buying, but declined under renewed selling on large country offerings and weakness in the outside markets, although May was firm, with little offering, and the close was ¼c decline to 2c advance. May, $1.07⅛@1.07½; closed at $1.07⅛. July, $1.00⅞@1.02⅝; closed at $1.01¼. September, 97⅞@99⅛c; closed at 98¼c. Receipts, 25,000 bu.; shipments, 47,875 bu.

CORN—Spot, easy; No. 2, 66c, nominal, elevator, domestic basis; export No. 2, 66c, nominal, f. o. b. Option market was steady on small offering and some less favorable crop advices, closing ½c decline to ¼c advance. July closed at 66¼c; September, 66¾@67c, closed at 66¾c. Receipts, 7,875 bu.

OATS—Spot, quiet; mixed, 32 to 32 lbs., nominal; natural white, 26 to 32 lbs., 44@46c; clipped white, 34 to 42 lbs., 44@49c. Option market was nominal. Receipts, 62,525 bu.

HAY—Barely steady; prime, $1.15; No. 1, $1.10; No. 2, $1.05; No. 3, 90@95c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1909, 21@24c; 1908, nominal; Pacific coast, 1909, 14@18c; 1908, nominal.

HIDES—Quiet; Central America, 23c; Bogota, 22@23c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock firsts, 26@29c; seconds, 23@27c; thirds, 22@25c; rejects, 20@21c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; mess, $24.00@24.50; family, $26.50@27.00; short clear, $25.00@27.00. Beef, steady; mess, $15.00@16.00; family, $19.00@20.00; beef hams, $21.00@25.00. Cut meats, steady; pickled bellies, 10 to 14 lbs., $16.00@18.00; pickled hams, $16.00@16.50. Lard, steady; middle west, prime, $12.80@12.90; refined, steady; continent, $14.40; South America, $14.50; compound, $10.00@10.50.

TALLOW—Quiet; prime city, hhds., 7c; country, 6½@7c.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 5¼@8c; Patna, 5@6c.

POULTRY—Alive, firm; western broilers, 33c; fowls, 19c; turkeys, 10@14c. Dressed, irregular; frozen chickens, 16@23c; western fowls, 14@19c; western turkeys, 16@19c.

POULTRY—Alive, firm; western broilers, 33c; fowls, 19c; turkeys, 10@14c. Dressed, irregular; frozen chickens, 16@23c; western fowls, 14@19c; western turkeys, 16@19c.

BUTTER—Steady and unchanged; creamery specials, 29c; extras, 28½c; thirds to firsts, 26@28c; process seconds to extras, 23@25½c.

CHEESE—Steady; state skims, common, 5½@7½c; full skims, 2½@3½c.

EGGS—Irregular; regular packed, extra firsts, 21½c; firsts, 20@20½c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, May 28.—WHEAT—Futures, lower; July, 92½c; May, 97½c; September, 91@91½c. Cash, lower; track No. 2 red, $1.10; No. 2 hard, $1.00@1.03.

CORN—Futures, lower; July, 58¼c; September, 58⅝@58¼c. Cash, lower; track No. 2, 59¼c; No. 2 white, 62½@62¾c.

OATS—Futures, lower; July, 35⅞c; September, 34½c. Cash, lower; track No. 2, 41c; No. 2 white, 36⅞c.

RYE—Nominal, 79½c.

FLOUR—Lower; red winter patents, $5.00@5.30; extra fancy and straight, $4.40@4.90; hard winter clears, $3.65@3.90.

TIMOTHY SEED—$3.00@3.50.

CORNMEAL—$3.25.

BRAN—Weak; sacked, east track, 98c.

HAY—Steady; timothy, $15.00@18.00; prairie, $13.00@14.00.

BAGGING—7 3-16c; hemp twine, 7c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, lower; jobbing, $22.50. Lard, lower; prime steam, $12.35@12.45. Dry salt meats, steady; boxed extra shorts, 14¼c; clear ribs, 14¼c; short clears, 14¾c. Bacon, steady; boxed shorts, 15½c; clear ribs, 15½c; short clears, 15¾c.

POULTRY—Steady; chickens, 15c; springs, 28@30c; turkeys, 16c; ducks, 13c; geese, 7c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 24@25c.

EGGS—Steady, 17½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.....	6,700	5,100
Wheat, bu	13,000	35,000
Corn, bu	86,900	42,800
Oats, bu	46,400	76,770

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 28.—WHEAT—May, $1.01⅝; July, $1.02¼ to $1.02¼@1.02⅜; September, 92c. Cash No. 1 hard, $1.06¼; No. 1 northern, $1.03¼; No. 2 northern, $1.01¼@1.03¼; No. 3, 98¼@1.01¼.

FLAX—Closed at $2.07.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 52⅝@62¾c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 34½@35¼c.

RYE—No. 2, 67@70c.

BRAN—In 100 pound sacks, $18.00@18.25.

FLOUR—First patents (in wood f. o. b. Minneapolis), $5.00@5.20; second patents, $4.80@5.00; first clears, $3.85@3.95; second clears, $2.60@2.80.

Peoria Grain Market.

PEORIA, May 28.—CORN—Lower; No. 2 white, 60½c; No. 3 white, 60c; No. 2 yellow, 57½c; No. 3 yellow, 56½c; No. 3, 56¼c; No. 4, 55c; no grade, 50@53c.

OATS—Lower; No. 2 white, 37½c; No. 4 white, 36½c.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, May 28.—FLOUR, dull; wheat, No. 1 northern, $1.05@1.06; No. 2 northern, $1.02@1.04; July, 93½c.

OATS—28@28½c.

BARLEY—Samples, 53@60c.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Report of Illness of Morgan Affects the Market.

DENIAL IS CABLED FROM EUROPE

France to Handle St. Paul Railroad Bonds and is Also Anxious for Other American Securities.

NEW YORK, May 28.—(Special Telegram.)—This week's stock market suffered a number of narrow rallies and declines. It lacked much of the listlessness of the week before, and yet it took on a holiday feature through the fact that there was no trading today and will be none on Monday.

There were several rumors and developments which affected the market. One of these was another report that J. P. Morgan, sr., is seriously ill abroad. So persistent was the rumor that today the contents of a cablegram sent from Mr. Morgan in London were made known, showing him to be in the best of health. The board of governors of the Stock exchange has started an investigation to see if it can learn the source of the latest Morgan report, but it is a safe hazard that the source cannot be found. Such reports start without foundation and are exaggerated unconsciously until one has built a mountain of a mole hill.

The stock market felt indirectly the nervousness of the grain and cotton markets due to the assertion of James A. Patten in Chicago that he would retire from all active trading by July 1. This knocked the bottom out of the grain market and investors and speculators who suddenly found themselves caught in grain had to turn to the exchange for relief.

Receipts of Money Large.

The receipts of money from the interior are still large. Despite the fact that this was generally a holiday the bank statement was issued as usual. During the week New York banks gained over $4,000,000 on their currency movements. On transfer operations with the interior there was a net gain amounting to $4,117,000.

On the United States sub-treasury account, instead of a large balance of receipts lately shown, there was a balance of nearly $100,000. Approximately $7,381,000 currency was received from the interior during the week by New York banks, while $3,161,000 was shipped direct to interior institutions from this center.

The shipment of gold from Paris and Berlin to London has eased the foreign exchange here. We are about to enter a month of extraordinary disbursements. Dividend and interest disbursements in June are estimated at $80,000,000, including payments on all classes of stocks and interest coming due during the month on bonds of every character. This is $10,000,000 more than was disbursed in June, 1909. Among the largest dividends paid out in next month are the following:

Atchison, $2,471,229; American Tobacco company, $4,224,000; International Harvester, $1,050,000; Standard Oil, $8,850,454; United States Steel, $6,353,780.

Dividend payments during the month are recorded at $40,000,000, while interest due is $4,000,000.

The various railroads will disburse approximately $5,757,000.

France Takes the Bonds.

A great deal of interest was attached to the announcement that the French banking syndicate, consisting of the Banque de Paris et des Payshas, Credit Lyonnaise and the Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Development du Commerce, has agreed upon an issue price of 97 for the $50,000,000 worth of St. Paul railroad debentures. It is believed that another announcement will be made shortly to cover another placing of American bonds abroad.

There is no doubt that St. Paul will earn its full dividends in this fiscal year. The gross earnings in April of that road were nearly $1,000,000 in excess of the same period a year ago. This will wipe out the deficit, leaving a margin.

Louisville & Nashville, it is estimated, is earning 20 per cent on its outstanding stock. With more than a month of the present fiscal year still remaining, Louisville & Nashville earnings up to May 28 were $1,000,000 in excess of the entire year last year. The enormous gains of the road this year have been a matter of much comment in railroad and financial circles.

Colorado & Southern will not be put on a 4 per cent basis when the directors meet early in June. At the present time the road is earning enough to provide for an increase, but the Hill policy is against early increases. It is shown by figures that the road has earned 8 per cent on its $31,000,000 of common stock, the larger portion of which will go into the surplus fund.

Union Pacific Earnings.

Union Pacific promises a year's surplus for the common stock of approximately 18.8 per cent. The increase in the earnings this fiscal year is estimated at $2,600,000, with a decrease of $1,000,000 in fixed charges.

The Southern Railway has been threatened with labor difficulties. Speaking of the southern field, nothing definite has been done to extend the line of the New Orleans, Mobile & Chicago road—the reorganized Mobile, Jackson & Kansas City—north from Middleton, Tenn., to the Ohio river. Although the gross earnings have increased, they have not yet attained a point where the holders of the line believe they can launch it to $63,000,000 worth of new construction.

The leathers were among the most active shares during the week's trading, due to the action of the directors of the Central Leather company on Tuesday in taking no action upon the common stock dividends. The regular dividend on the preferred was voted.

The officers of the American Smelting and Refining company announce better copper metal conditions. Smelters ought to show up 58 per cent on the common.

The ore conditions in both the Pittsburg and Birmingham centers remain dull.

The bond market this week was more active than usual, interest centering in the $11,000,000 equipment issue of the Pennsylvania railroad.

New York Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The statement of clearing house banks for the week shows that the banks hold $26,236,000 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent reserve rule. This is an increase of $2,412,025 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement was as follows:

	Amount.	Increase.
Loans	$1,189,264,000	$ 6,064,000
Deposits	1,184,566,000	11,019,900
Circulation	47,826,100	145,500
Legal tender	68,215,700	737,100
Specie	253,161,800	4,429,900
Reserve	322,377,500	5,167,000
Reserve required ...	296,141,500	2,754,975
Surplus	26,236,000	2,412,025
Ex. U. S. deposits ...	25,648,250	2,413,085

The percentage of actual reserve of the clearing house banks today was 27.04

The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York not reporting to the clearing house shows:

	Amount.	Increase.
Loans	$1,176,467,400	*$ 440,000
Specie	127,685,500	1,240,700
Legal tender	21,863,400	407,600
Total deposits	1,239,888,000	*6,327,400

*Decrease.

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, May 28.—American securities opened steady today on the stock exchange here on overnight buying orders, which sent values a fraction over the New York closing of yesterday, but dealings were restricted and the market closed dull but steady.

Console, money.....	83⅝	Louisville & N.....	151½
do pfd.....	82	M., K. & T.....	42⅝
Amal. Copper.....	71½	N. Y. Central.....	123
Anaconda	27⅛	Norfolk & W.....	104½
Atchison	112	do pfd.....	92
do pfd.....	104½	Ontario & W.....	43½
Baltimore & Ohio...	117	Pennsylvania	62
Canadian Pacific...	202½	Rand Mines.....	3⅛
Chesapeake & O....	65⅝	Reading	83¼
Chicago G. W.....	28½	Southern Ry.....	27⅝
Chi., Mil. & St. P...	142½	do pfd.....	84½
De Beers.....	17⅝	Southern Pacific.....	129⅞
Denver & Rio G.....	41⅝	Union Pacific.....	188⅝
do pfd.....	82½	do pfd.....	87
Erie	29¼	U. S. Steel.....	63¼
do 1st pfd.....	47⅝	do pfd.....	121
do 2d pfd.....	38	Wabash	21
Grand Trunk.....	8	do pfd.....	46⅝
Illinois Central.....	139	Spanish 4s.....	93¼

SILVER—Bar, steady at 24 11-16d per oz.

MONEY—3½@4 per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅝ per cent; for three months' bills, 3¼@3 9-16 per cent.

Local Securities.

Quotations furnished by Samuel Burns, jr., 633 New York Life building, Omaha:

	Bid.	Asked.
Auditorium, Chicago, 5s, 1929.....	94½	96
City of Omaha 4½s, 1934.....	106½	107½
Cudahy Packing Co. 4s.....	97½	98
Iowa Portland Cement bonds 6s.....	98	100
Iowa P. C. con. bonds 6s.....	98	100
East St. Louis & Sub. 5s.....	96	98½
K. C. Stock Yards stock.....	97	97½
Long Bell Lumber Co.....	99	100
Lincoln, Neb., 4s, 1929.....	95	95½
Nebraska Tel. Stock 6 per cent.....	100	101
Omaha Water Co. 5s, 1918.....	100	101
Omaha Water Co. 5s, 1946.....	93½	95½
Omaha Gas 6s, 1937.....	98½	99
Omaha Gas 5s, 1937.....	98½	99
Omaha E. L. & P. 5s, 1943.....	98½	99
Omaha E. L. pfd, 6 per cent.....	82	83½
Omaha St. Ry. 5s, 1914.....	99½	100½
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. 5s, 1928.....	98	98½
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. pfd.....	84	84½
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. com.....	72	74½
Omaha & C. B. Ry. & B. pfd.....	65	68
South Omaha, city of, 4s, 1943.....	93½	95½
Swartchild & Sulzberger 6s, 1916.....	100½	101½
Pacific T. & T. 5s, 1937.....	97	97½
Topeka Ry. 5s, 1930.....	.....	99
Tri-City Ry. & L. 5s.....	96½	97½
Union Stock Yards, S. O., ex-div.....	97	97½

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The condition of the treasury at the beginning of business today was as follows:

Trust Funds—	
Gold coin	$856,900,869
Silver dollars	488,967,000
Silver dollars of 1890.....	3,712,000
Silver certificates outstanding....	488,967,000
General Fund—	
Standard silver dollars in general fund	3,108,188
Current liabilities	99,674,235
Working balance in treasury offices	17,751,963
In banks to credit of treasurer of the United States	37,973,774
Subsidiary silver coin	21,284,441
Minor coin	1,363,143
Total balance in general fund....	80,413,360

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, 30c; No. 1, in 60-lb. tubs, 29½c; No. 2, in 1-lb. cartons, 28c; in 60-lb. tubs, 27½c; packing stock, solid pack, 20½c; dairy, in 60-lb. tubs, 23c. Market changes every Tuesday.

CHEESE—Twins, 16c; young America, 17c; daisy, 17c; triplets, 16½c; limberger, 18c; No. 1 brick, 16c; No. 2, 15c; domestic swiss, 22c; whole swiss, 24c; imported swiss, 30c.

POULTRY—Dressed broilers, $9.00 doz.; for storage, $6.00; for fresh springs, 20c; hens, 15c; cocks, 12½c; ducks, 20c; geese, 16c; turkeys, 20c; pigeons, per doz., $1.50; homer squabs, $4.00 per doz.; fancy squabs, $3.00 per doz.; No. 1, $3.00 per doz. Alive: broilers, from 1¼ to 1½ lbs., 40c; 1½ to 2 lbs., 25c; hens, 15½c; old roosters, 8½c; young roosters, 15c; ducks, full feathered, 14c; geese, full feathered, 10c; turkeys, 13c; guinea fowls, 50c each; pigeons, 90c per doz.; homers, $1.00 per doz.; squabs, No. 1, $2.00 per doz.; No. 2, 50c.

FISH (all frozen)—Pickerel, 10c; whitefish, 16c; pike, 14c; trout, 15c; large crappies, 18c; spanish mackerel, 18c; eel, 15c; haddock, 15c; flounders, 12c. Green catfish, 18c; trout, 15c; buffalo, 8c; halibut, 20c; white perch, 8c; whitefish, 15c; yellow perch, 8c; bullheads, 12c; white bass, 16c; roeshads, $1.00 each; shadroes, per pair, 50c; frog legs, 50c per doz.

Beef Cuts—Ribs: No. 1, 17c; No. 2, 14½c; No. 3, 13c. Loins, No. 1, 19c; No. 2, 14½c; No. 3, 13½c. Chuck: No. 1, 9½c; No. 2, 8½c; No. 3, 8½c. Round: No. 1, 11½c; No. 2, 11½c; No. 3, 11c. Plate: No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7½c; No. 3, 7½c.

FRUITS—Strawberries, Missouri, 24-qt. cases, per case, $2.75@3.00. Oranges, California Carrella and Producer brands Redland navels, 80-96 sizes, per box, $3.25; 126 size, per box, $3.25; 150 size, $3.10; 176 and smaller sizes, per box, $4. Other brands from Riverside and other districts, per box, $3.00@3.50; 80-96-112 sizes, per box, $2.75; Havana Mediterranean Sweets, 126-112 sizes, per box, $3; 150 and smaller sizes, per box, $3.25. Lemons, Limoniera, extra fancy, 300 -360 sizes, $5.50; choice, 300-360 sizes, per box, $4.75; 240 size, 50c per box less. Bananas, fancy select, per bunch, $2.25@2.50; Jumbo, bunch, $2.75@3.75. Grape fruit, Florida, 46-54-64-80 sizes, per box, $5. Pineapples, Cuban, 30-36-42 sizes, $3.50; Florida, 24-30-36-42 sizes, $4.25. Apples, Ben Davis, per bbl., $4.25; California fancy W. W. Pearmains, per box, $2.25; California extra fancy, Pearmains, Red Wood brands, per box, $2.25; extra fancy Iowa Jonathans, per bbl., $6. Cherries, California, per 10-lb. 1-lb. pkgs. in box, per box, $2. Figs, California, 10c size, 90c.

VEGETABLES—Irish potatoes, Wisconsin and native, per bu., 50@60c; Colorado, per bu., 55c; new potatoes, in sacks per lb., 2c. Seed sweet potatoes, Kansas, per bbl., $2. Cabbage, new California and southern, per lb., 3½c. Onions, Texas crystal wax, per crate, $1.90; yellow, per crate, $1.65. Old vegetables: Parsnips, carrots, beets, turnips, in sacks, per lb. 2c. Celeric, extra fancy, white, per lb., 17c; red, per lb., 16c.

NEW SOUTHERN VEGETABLES—Radishes: Per doz. bunches, 35c. Turnips: Per doz. bunches, 45c. Carrots: Per doz. bunches, 50c. Parsley: Per doz. bunches, 50c. Beets: Per doz. bunches, 50c. Spinach: Per bu., 12 lbs., 50c. Egg plant: Fancy Florida, per doz., $1.50@2.00. Tomatoes: Fancy Florida or Cuba, per 6-bbsk. crate, $2.75; choice, $2.25. String and wax beans: Per hamper, about 25 lbs., $3.00. Green peas: Per hamper, $2.50. Cucumbers: Hot house, per doz., $1.00@1.25; Texas, per doz., 75c; per bu. box, $2.25.

HOMEGROWN VEGETABLES — Radishes: Extra fancy home grown, per doz. bunches, 20c. Lettuce: Extra fancy leaf, per doz., 40c; head lettuce, per doz., 75c. Parsley: Fancy home grown, per doz. bunches, 40c. Rhubarb: Per doz. bunches, 45c. Asparagus: Per doz. bunches, 75c. Green onions: Per doz. bunches, 25c.

MISCELLANEOUS — Horseradish: Two doz. in case, $1.90. Walnuts: Black, per lb., 2c; California, No. 1, per lb., 17c; California, No. 2, per lb., 14c. Hickory nuts: Large, per lb., 4c; small, per lb., 5c. Cocoanuts: Per sack, $5.00; per doz., 65c.

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, May 28.—WHEAT—July, 88⅝c; September, 87½c, sellers. Cash, 2@4c lower; No. 2 hard, 98@$1.03; No. 3, 92@$1.00; No. 2 red, 98@$1.02; No. 3, 90@99c.

CORN—July, 55½c sellers; September, 54½c; December, 50c, bid. Cash, ½@2c lower; No. 2 mixed, 57@58c; No. 3, 56@58c; No. 2 white, 60@60½c; No. 3, 59½@60c.

OATS—Unchanged to 1c lower; No. 2 white, 39@41c; No. 2 mixed, 36@37c.

RYE—No. 2, 70c.

HAY—Unchanged; choice timothy, $15.00; choice prairie, $10.75@11.00.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 27c; firsts, 25c; seconds, 23c; packing stock, 20½c.

EGGS—Steady; current receipts, new cases, $5.20; miscellaneous cases, $5.15; southerns