GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Reports from Winter Wheat Belt Promise Good Crop.

FOREIGN NEWS ALSO BEARISH

Cash Trade Continues Dull, with Light Sales—Prices in Corn Decline Under the Selling Pressure.

OMAHA, March 24, 1911.

Crop reports from the winter wheat belt are extremely satisfactory and late reports indicate the best of prospects for the growing crop with expectations of an enormous yield. Foreign news is also mainly bearish. Cash trade continues very dull, total sales being very light. With these bearish features so apparent the liquidation of long wheat by tired holders is forcing values lower.

Selling pressure in the corn market was heavy and prices declined sharply. Weather conditions are favorable and while country offerings and small receivers are looking for a moderate movement at least. The eastern and export demand is poor with no indication of any improvement.

Wheat ruled weak and lower, cables and news was of a bearish trend. Cash wheat was slow and sales were reported ½c to 1c lower on the floor.

Heavy selling pressure and the weak wheat market caused severe liquidation in corn and the cash demand was dull, values ranged ½c lower.

Primary wheat receipts were [illegible] bushels and shipments were [illegible] bushels, against no receipts or shipments last year on account of holiday.

Primary corn receipts were [illegible] bushels and shipments were [illegible] bushels, against no receipts or shipments last year on account of holiday.

Clearances were [illegible] bushels of corn, [illegible] bushels of oats and wheat and flour equal to [illegible] bushels.

Liverpool closed [illegible] lower on wheat and [illegible] lower on corn.

The following cash sales were reported: WHEAT—No. 2 hard: 1 car, [illegible]. No. 4 hard: 1 car, [illegible].

CORN—No. 3 white: 1 car, [illegible]. No. 3 yellow: 1 car, [illegible]; 2 cars, [illegible]. No. 3 mixed: [illegible] cars, [illegible]. No grade: 1 car, [illegible].

OATS—No sales.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, [illegible]; No. 3 hard, [illegible]; No. 4 hard, [illegible]; rejected hard, [illegible]; No. 2 spring, [illegible]; No. 4 spring, [illegible]; No. 2 durum, [illegible]; No. 3 durum, [illegible].

CORN—No. 2 white, [illegible]; No. 3 white, [illegible]; No. 4 white, [illegible]; No. 2 yellow, [illegible]; No. 3 yellow, [illegible]; No. 4 yellow, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible]; No. 4, [illegible]; no grade, [illegible].

OATS—No. 2 white, [illegible]; standard, [illegible]; No. 3 white, [illegible]; No. 4 white, [illegible]; No. 3 yellow, [illegible]; No. 4 yellow, [illegible].

BARLEY—No. 3, [illegible]; No. 4, [illegible]; No. 1 feed, [illegible]; rejected, [illegible].

RYE—No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible].

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	19	[illegible]	[illegible]
Minneapolis	[illegible]		
Omaha	19	[illegible]	[illegible]
Duluth	[illegible]		

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, March 24.—Depression was the rule today in every pit on 'change. World shipments of wheat more than [illegible] per cent greater than a year ago forced down the price of that cereal and affected all the other leading staples. Net losses were as follows:

Wheat, [illegible] to [illegible]; corn, [illegible] to [illegible]; oats, [illegible] to [illegible], and provisions, [illegible] to [illegible].

Liquidating sales by owners of wheat were incessant. This was especially true of the May delivery, which lost the whole of its premium over July and went to a discount under September. The European situation was reported as so discouraging that importers were said to be re-selling on a large scale. France in particular had bought to an embarrassing extent, according to gossip current here. Adding to the bearish influence of foreign news, rain appeared in Minnesota. Optimistic statements that western Kansas gave promise of two-thirds or more of an average crop removed another source of support. Closing prices were almost the lowest of the session. May ranged between [illegible] and [illegible], with final sales [illegible] down at [illegible].

Corn prices broke sharply on selling by cash houses. May varied from [illegible] to [illegible] and in the end stood at [illegible], a decline of [illegible], compared with last night. Cash corn was weak. No. 2 yellow finished at [illegible].

Oats gave way under unloading by holders and because of pressure from shorts. High and low figures for May were [illegible] and [illegible], with a finish [illegible] down at [illegible].

Hog products suffered from lack of any decided support. The outcome was [illegible] to [illegible] decline in pork, [illegible] to [illegible] on lard and [illegible] to [illegible] on ribs.

Prices in Chicago, furnished by the Updike Grain company. Telephone Douglas [illegible], [illegible] Brandeis building, Omaha.

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat—					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sept.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn—					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sept.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oats—					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sept.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pork—					
May	16 40	16 40	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	16 00	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lard—					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sept.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ribs—					
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sept.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Cash quotations were as follows:

FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, [illegible]; straights, [illegible]; spring straights, [illegible]; spring patents, off [illegible] for best hard.

RYE—No. 2, [illegible].

BARLEY—Feed or mixing, [illegible]; fair to choice malting, [illegible].

SEEDS—Flax, No. 1 southwestern, [illegible]; No. 1 northwestern, [illegible]. Timothy, [illegible]. Clover, [illegible].

PROVISIONS—Pork, mess, per bbl., [illegible]. Lard, per 100 lbs., [illegible]. Short ribs sides (loose), [illegible]; short clear sides (boxed), [illegible].

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to [illegible] bu. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreet's, were equal to [illegible] bu. Primary receipts were [illegible] bu., compared with holiday the corresponding day a year ago.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, [illegible] cars; corn, [illegible] cars; oats, [illegible] cars; hogs, [illegible] head.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 red, [illegible]; No. 3 red, [illegible]; No. 2 hard, [illegible]; No. 3 hard, [illegible]; No. 1 northern spring, [illegible]; No. 2 northern spring, [illegible]; No. 3 spring, [illegible]. Corn: No. 2, [illegible]; No. 2 white, [illegible]; No. 2 yellow, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible]; No. 3 white, [illegible]; No. 3 yellow, [illegible]. Oats: No. 2, [illegible]; No. 2 white, [illegible]; No. 3 white, [illegible]; No. 4 white, [illegible]; standard, [illegible].

BUTTER—Steady; creameries, [illegible]; dairies, [illegible].

EGGS—Steady; receipts, [illegible] cases; at mark, cases included, [illegible]; firsts, [illegible]; prime firsts, [illegible].

CHEESE—Steady; daisies, [illegible]; twins, [illegible]; young Americas, [illegible]; long horns, [illegible].

POTATOES—Steady; choice to fancy, [illegible]; fair to good, [illegible].

POULTRY—Firm; turkeys, dressed, [illegible]; live, [illegible]; chickens, [illegible]; springs, [illegible].

VEAL—Steady; [illegible] to [illegible]-lb. wts., [illegible]; [illegible] to [illegible]-lb. wts., [illegible]; [illegible] to [illegible]-lb. wts., [illegible].

Chicago Receipts—Wheat, [illegible] cars; corn, [illegible] cars; oats, [illegible] cars. Estimated for tomorrow: Wheat, [illegible] cars; corn, [illegible] cars; oats, [illegible] cars.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 24.—WHEAT—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock. Futures, March, [illegible]; May, [illegible]; July, [illegible].

CORN—Spot, steady; American mixed, new, [illegible]; American mixed, old, [illegible]. Futures, quiet; May, [illegible]; July, [illegible].

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, March 24.—CORN—Lower; No. 3 white, [illegible]; No. 2 yellow, [illegible]; No. 3 yellow, [illegible]; No. 3 mixed, [illegible]; No. 4 mixed, [illegible]; no grade, [illegible].

OATS—Lower; No. 3 white, [illegible]; standard, [illegible]; No. 4 white, [illegible].

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 24.—WHEAT—May, [illegible]; July, [illegible]; September, [illegible]. Cash, No. 1 hard, [illegible]; No. 1 northern, [illegible]; No. 2 northern, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible].

FLAX—Flax closed at [illegible].

CORN—No. 3 yellow, [illegible].

OATS—No. 3 white, [illegible].

RYE—No. 2, [illegible].

BRAN—In 100-lb. sacks, [illegible].

FLOUR—First patents, [illegible]; second patents, [illegible]; first clears, [illegible]; second clears, [illegible].

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, March 24.—FLOUR—Weak; spring patents, [illegible]; winter straights, [illegible]; winter patents, [illegible]; spring clears, [illegible]; Kansas straights, [illegible]. Receipts, [illegible] bbl.; shipments, [illegible] bbl. Rye flour, quiet; fair to good, [illegible]; choice to fancy, [illegible]. Buckwheat flour, quiet; American, [illegible].

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, [illegible]; coarse, [illegible]; kiln dried, [illegible].

WHEAT—Spot market weak; No. 2 red, [illegible] elevator, and [illegible] f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, [illegible] f. o. b. afloat. Futures market declined sharply under liquidation due to lower cables, rains in the northwest and prospects of heavy world's shipments, closing [illegible] net lower. May [illegible], closed at [illegible]; July, [illegible], closed at [illegible]. Receipts, [illegible] bu.; shipments, [illegible] bu.

CORN—Spot market easy; export, No. 2, [illegible] f. o. b. afloat; futures market easier under liquidation and in sympathy with wheat, closing [illegible] net lower. May closed at [illegible]; July, [illegible], closed at [illegible]. Receipts, [illegible] bu.; shipments, [illegible] bu.

OATS—Easier; standard white, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible]; No. 4, [illegible]. Futures market without transactions, closing nominal. Receipts, [illegible] bu.; shipments, [illegible] bu.

HAY—Quiet; prime, [illegible]; No. 1, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible].

HIDES—Steady; Central America, [illegible]; Bogota, [illegible].

LEATHER—Quiet; hemlock firsts, [illegible]; seconds, [illegible]; thirds, [illegible]; rejects, [illegible].

PROVISIONS—Pork, easy; mess, [illegible]; family, [illegible]; short clear, [illegible]. Beef, steady; mess, [illegible]; family, [illegible]; beef hams, [illegible]. Cut meats, dull; pickled bellies, [illegible] pounds, [illegible]; pickled hams, [illegible]. Lard, easier; middle west prime, [illegible]; refined, quiet; continent, [illegible]; South America, [illegible]; compound, [illegible].

TALLOW—Easy; prime city hogsheads, [illegible]; country, [illegible].

BUTTER—Weak; creamery specials, [illegible]; extras, [illegible]; firsts, [illegible]; creamery held specials, [illegible]; extras, [illegible]; firsts, [illegible]; state dairy, finest, [illegible]; imitation creamery, firsts, [illegible].

CHEESE—Steady; state, whole milk specials, [illegible]; September, fancy colored [illegible]; white, [illegible]; summer and fall made colored choice, [illegible]; white, [illegible]; late fall, good to prime, colored, [illegible]; white, [illegible]; winter made best, [illegible]; common to fair, [illegible].

EGGS—Steady; fresh gathered, selected extras, [illegible]; western gathered, whites, [illegible]; western gathered, white, [illegible]; western duck, [illegible].

POULTRY—Alive, quiet; western chickens, [illegible]; fowls, [illegible]; turkeys, [illegible]. Dressed, irregular; roasting chickens, [illegible]; fowls, [illegible]; turkeys, [illegible].

Weather in the Grain Belt.

OMAHA, March 24, 1911.

Temperatures have continued to fall in the eastern and southern states during the last twenty-four hours and range from [illegible] to [illegible] above zero in the lower lake region, extreme upper Ohio valley, and the eastern states and freezing weather extends south over the middle Atlantic states. The weather has grown warmer in the central valleys, and temperatures are decidedly higher in the upper lake region, throughout the upper Mississippi and upper Missouri valleys, and west over the northern Rocky mountain slope. Cooler weather is moving in over the Pacific slope and extreme northwest, and will continue eastward, bringing cooler to this vicinity by Saturday. Generally clear weather prevails east of the Rocky mountains, except light snow flurries are reported in the extreme upper Ohio valley, and rains along the gulf coast. Unsettled conditions continue in the mountains, and west to the Pacific coast, with rains and snows in southern Colorado and southern Utah, and rains on the north Pacific slope. With the generally clear conditions now prevailing over the valleys, the outlook is for continued fair in this vicinity tonight and Saturday.

	1911.	1910.	1909.	1908.
Lowest last night	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Precipitation	.00	.00	T.	T.

Normal temperature for today, [illegible] degrees.

Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, [illegible] of an inch.

Deficiency corresponding period, 1910, [illegible] of an inch.

Deficiency corresponding period, 1909, [illegible] of an inch.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 24.—WHEAT—Futures, lower; May, [illegible]; July, [illegible]. Cash, weak; track, No. 2 red, [illegible]; No. 2 hard, [illegible].

CORN—Lower; May, [illegible]; July, [illegible]. Cash, lower; track, No. 2, [illegible]; No. 2 white, [illegible].

OATS—Lower; May, [illegible]; July, [illegible]. Cash, lower; track, No. 2, [illegible]; No. 2 white, [illegible].

RYE—Unchanged; [illegible].

FLOUR—Dull; red winter patents, [illegible]; extra fancy and straights, [illegible]; hard winter clears, [illegible].

SEED—Timothy, [illegible].

CORNMEAL—[illegible].

BRAN—Firm; sacked, east track, [illegible].

HAY—Steady; timothy, [illegible]; prairie, [illegible].

PROVISIONS — Pork, lower; jobbing, [illegible]. Lard, lower; prime steam, [illegible]. Dry salt meats, unchanged; boxed extra shorts, [illegible]; clear ribs, [illegible]; short clears, [illegible]. Bacon, unchanged; boxed extra shorts, [illegible]; clear ribs, [illegible]; short clears, [illegible].

POULTRY—Firm; chickens, [illegible]; springs, [illegible]; turkeys, [illegible]; ducks, [illegible]; geese, [illegible].

BUTTER—Dull; creamery, [illegible].

EGGS—Weak at [illegible].

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wheat, bu.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn, bu.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oats, bu.	[illegible]	[illegible]

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 24.—WHEAT—May, [illegible], sellers; July, [illegible], bid; September, [illegible], bid. Cash, weak to [illegible] lower; No. 2 hard, [illegible]; No. 3 hard, [illegible]; No. 2 red, [illegible]; No. 3 red, [illegible].

CORN—May, [illegible], sellers; July, [illegible], bid; September, [illegible], bid. Cash, [illegible] lower; No. 2 mixed, [illegible]; No. 3 mixed, [illegible]; No. 2 white, [illegible]; No. 3 white, [illegible].

OATS—Unchanged; No. 2 white, [illegible]; No. 2 mixed, [illegible].

RYE—No. 2, [illegible].

HAY—Weak; choice timothy, [illegible]; choice prairie, [illegible].

BUTTER—Creamery, [illegible]; firsts, [illegible]; seconds, [illegible]; packing stock, [illegible].

EGGS—Extras, [illegible]; firsts, [illegible].

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bu.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn, bu.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oats, bu.	[illegible]	[illegible]

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, March 24.—FLOUR—Market steady.

WHEAT—No. 1 northern, [illegible]; No. 2 northern, [illegible]; May, old, [illegible] bid.

OATS—Standard, [illegible].

BARLEY—Sample, [illegible].

Duluth Grain Market.

DULUTH, March 24.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, [illegible]; No. 2 northern, [illegible]; May, [illegible]; July, [illegible].

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, March 24.—COFFEE—Futures opened steady at a decline of 2 points in sympathy with somewhat disappointing European cables, but offerings were light. Firm offers from Brazil showed little change on the average and during the middle of the day prices here worked up to a net advance of about [illegible] points. Realizing caused a slight reaction later, the close being steady net 1 point higher to 2 points lower. Sales, [illegible] bags. March, [illegible]; April and May, [illegible]; June, [illegible]; July, [illegible]; August, [illegible]; September, [illegible]; October, [illegible]; November, [illegible]; December, January and February, [illegible].

Havre reacted after a higher opening, but rallied, closing at a net advance of [illegible] to [illegible] franc. Hamburg was [illegible] to [illegible] pfg. lower. Rio unchanged at [illegible]. Santos [illegible] reis higher. [illegible]. Receipts at the two Brazilian ports, [illegible] bags, against a holiday last year. Jundiahy receipts, [illegible] bags. New York warehouse deliveries yesterday, [illegible] bags against [illegible] bags last year.

Rio coffee, quiet; No. 7 Rio, [illegible]; No. 4 Santos, [illegible]. Mild, quiet; Cordova, [illegible] nominal.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, March 24.—DRY GOODS—In the cotton goods market wide sheetings have been revised to a basis of [illegible] cents for [illegible] pequot bleached, a drop of 2 cents a yard. The cutting up trade is finding difficulty in securing orders that are profitable. The yarn markets are quiet, the best business having been done with knitters. Export trade is light.

NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

Total Sales for Day Smallest Since July, 1908.

CANADIAN PACIFIC FALLS BACK

Some Heaviness Develops in All the Foreign Markets in Keeping with the Movement on the New York Exchange.

NEW YORK, March 24.—To say that all previous records for dullness on the stock exchange this year were broken today gives but a slight conception of the utter stagnation which prevailed. The total for the day was only [illegible] shares, which is the smallest day's business since July, 1908.

Canadian Pacific, which fell back at last after its long climb to new high records, Amalgamated Copper, American Smelting and Chesapeake & Ohio were weak spots in the list.

Some heaviness developed in foreign markets in keeping with the movement here. More circumstantial details dealing with efforts of American bankers to list Atchison on the Paris Bourse point to a successful outcome of these negotiations. The old rumor that United States Steel is to be placed in that same market was revived, but lacked official confirmation.

Bank clearings for the week at the leading cities of the country aggregate nearly [illegible] per cent less than in the corresponding week last year. The recent marked dullness in stock market activities, as well as in general trade conditions, is indicated by statistics of average daily exchanges, revealing a shrinkage of [illegible] since January.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, [illegible]. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Number of sales and leading quotations on stocks were as follows:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers pfd				[illegible]
Amalgamated Copper	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Agricultural	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Beet Sugar	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Can	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American C. & F.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Cotton Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American H. & L. pfd				[illegible]
Am. Ice Securities	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Linseed				[illegible]
American Locomotive				[illegible]
American S. & R. ex-div	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. S. & R. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Steel Foundries	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Sugar Refining	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American T. & T.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Tobacco pfd				[illegible]
American Woolen	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Anaconda Mining Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Atchison	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Atchison pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Atlantic Coast Line				[illegible]
Baltimore & Ohio	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bethlehem Steel				[illegible]
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canadian Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Central Leather	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Central Leather pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Central of N. J.				[illegible]
Chesapeake & Ohio	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago & Alton				[illegible]
Chicago G. W.				[illegible]
C. G. W. pfd				[illegible]
Chicago & N. W.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C., M. & St. P.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C., C., C. & St. L.				[illegible]
Colorado F. & I.				[illegible]
Colorado & Southern	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Consolidated Gas	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn Products	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Delaware & Hudson				[illegible]
Denver & Rio Grande				[illegible]
D. & R. G. pfd				[illegible]
Distillers' Securities				[illegible]
Erie	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Erie 1st pfd				[illegible]
Erie 2d pfd				[illegible]
General Electric				[illegible]
Great Northern pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Great Northern Ore ctfs	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Illinois Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Interborough Met.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Int. Met. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Int. Harvester, ex-div				[illegible]
Int. Marine pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
International Paper				[illegible]
International Pump				[illegible]
Iowa Central				[illegible]
Kansas City So.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
K. C. So. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Laclede Gas	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Louisville & Nashville				[illegible]
Minn. & St. Louis				[illegible]
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
M., K. & T.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
M., K. & T. pfd				[illegible]
Missouri Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Biscuit				[illegible]
National Lead	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. R. R. of M. 2d pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
N. Y., O. & W.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Norfolk & Western	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
North American	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Northern Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pacific Mail	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
People's Gas	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
P., C., C. & St. L.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pittsburg Coal	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pressed Steel Car	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pullman Palace Car				[illegible]
Railway Steel Spring	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Reading	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Republic Steel				[illegible]
Republic Steel pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rock Island Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rock Island Co. pfd				[illegible]
St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Louis S. W.				[illegible]
St. L. S. W. pfd				[illegible]
Sloss-Sheffield S. & I.				[illegible]
Southern Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Southern Railway				[illegible]
So. Railway pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tennessee Copper	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Texas & Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
T., St. L. & W.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
T., St. L. & W. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Union Pacific pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
United States Realty	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
United States Rubber	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
United States Steel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
U. S. Steel pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Utah Copper	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Va.-Carolina Chemical	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wabash				[illegible]
Wabash pfd				[illegible]
Western Maryland				[illegible]
Westinghouse Electric				[illegible]
Western Union	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wheeling & L. E.				[illegible]
Lehigh Valley	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Total sales for the day, [illegible] shares.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, March 24.—American securities opened steady and later advanced on light support. At noon the market was steady with prices ranging from [illegible] above yesterday's New York closing.

London closing stock quotations:

Consols, money	[illegible]	Louisville & N.	[illegible]
do account	[illegible]	M., K. & T.	[illegible]
Amal. Copper	[illegible]	N. Y. Central	[illegible]
Anaconda	[illegible]	Norfolk & W.	[illegible]
Atchison	[illegible]	do pfd	[illegible]
do pfd	[illegible]	Ontario & W.	[illegible]
Baltimore & Ohio	[illegible]	Pennsylvania	[illegible]
Canadian Pacific	[illegible]	Rand Mines	[illegible]
Chesapeake & O.	[illegible]	Reading	[illegible]
Chicago G. W.	[illegible]	Southern Ry.	[illegible]
Ch., Mil. & St. P.	[illegible]	do pfd	[illegible]
De Beers	[illegible]	Southern Pacific	[illegible]
Denver & Rio G.	[illegible]	Union Pacific	[illegible]
do pfd	[illegible]	do pfd	[illegible]
Erie	[illegible]	U. S. Steel	[illegible]
do 1st pfd	[illegible]	do pfd	[illegible]
do 2d pfd	[illegible]	Wabash	[illegible]
Grand Trunk	[illegible]	do pfd	[illegible]
Illinois Central	[illegible]	Spanish 4s	[illegible]

SILVER—Bar, steady at [illegible] per ounce.

MONEY—[illegible] per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is [illegible] per cent; for three months' bills, [illegible] per cent.

Boston Closing Stocks.

BOSTON, March 24.—Closing quotations on stocks were as follows:

*Allouez	[illegible]	Miami Copper	[illegible]
Amal. Copper	[illegible]	Mohawk	[illegible]
A. Z. L. & S.	[illegible]	Nevada Con.	[illegible]
Arizona Com.	[illegible]	Nipissing Mines	[illegible]
Atlantic	[illegible]	North Butte	[illegible]
B. & C. C. & S. M.	[illegible]	North Lake	[illegible]
Butte Coalition	[illegible]	Old Dominion	[illegible]
Cal. & Arizona	[illegible]	Osceola	[illegible]
Cal. & Hecla	[illegible]	Parrott S. & C.	[illegible]
Centennial	[illegible]	Quincy	[illegible]
Copper Range C. C.	[illegible]	Shannon	[illegible]
East Butte C. M.	[illegible]	Superior	[illegible]
Franklin	[illegible]	Superior & B. M.	[illegible]
Giroux Con.	[illegible]	Superior & P. C.	[illegible]
Granby Con.	[illegible]	Tamarack	[illegible]
Greene Cananea	[illegible]	U. S. S. R. & M.	[illegible]
Isle Royale Copper	[illegible]	do pfd	[illegible]
Kerr Lake	[illegible]	Utah Con.	[illegible]
Lake Copper	[illegible]	Winona	[illegible]
La Salle Copper	[illegible]	Wolverine	[illegible]

*Asked.

New York Curb Market.

The following quotations are furnished by Logan & Bryan, members New York Stock exchange, [illegible] South Sixteenth street, Omaha:

Amer. Tobacco	[illegible]	Nevada Cons.	[illegible]
Bay State Gas	[illegible]	Newhouse	[illegible]
Butte Coalition	[illegible]	Ohio Copper	[illegible]
Chino	[illegible]	Rawhide Coalition	[illegible]
Chief Cons.	[illegible]	Ray Central	[illegible]
Frontier	[illegible]	Swift Pkg. Co.	[illegible]
Davis-Daly	[illegible]	Sears-Roebuck Co.	[illegible]
Ely Central	[illegible]	Silver Pick	[illegible]
Ely Cons.	[illegible]	Kerr Lake	[illegible]
Giroux	[illegible]	Superior & Pitts.	[illegible]
Inspiration	[illegible]	Tonopah Mining	[illegible]
Goldfield Florence	[illegible]	Trinity Copper	[illegible]
Greene Cananea	[illegible]	North Lake	[illegible]
Inspiration	[illegible]	Bohemia	[illegible]
Larose	[illegible]	Midway	[illegible]

Local Securities.

Quotations furnished by Burns, Brinker & Co., 449 New Omaha National bank building:

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Con. 5-yr. 6 p. c. notes [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Burroughs adding [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Beatrice School Dist. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cudahy Pkg. Co. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Columbus, Neb., E. L. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cht. Gt. West 1st mtg. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fairmont Creamery [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Firestone Tire & Rubber	[illegible]	[illegible]
Iowa Portland Cement 1st mtg. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kansas City R. & L. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

K. C. R. & L. [illegible]	[illegible]
K. C. Ry. [illegible]	[illegible]
Live Stock Nat. Bank, South Omaha	[illegible]
Mo., St. Ry. R. [illegible]	[illegible]
Omaha Elevator stock	[illegible]
Omaha Country Club [illegible]	[illegible]
Omaha Water [illegible]	[illegible]
Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. [illegible]	[illegible]
Omaha & C. B. St. pfd [illegible]	[illegible]
Omaha & C. B. Ry. & B.	[illegible]
Pacific T. & T. [illegible]	[illegible]
Rosey St. Bell Phone	[illegible]
Tri-State Land Co. pfd and bonus	[illegible]
Tri-City Ry. & L. [illegible]	[illegible]
Betz & Co. [illegible]	[illegible]
Union Stock Yds. stock	[illegible]

REPORT OF THE CLEARING HOUSE

Transactions of the Associated Banks for the Week.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending March 23 shows an aggregate of [illegible], as against [illegible] last week and [illegible] in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the cities:

CITIES.	Clearings.	Inc.	Dec.
New York	[illegible]		[illegible]
Chicago	[illegible]		[illegible]
Boston	[illegible]		[illegible]
Philadelphia	[illegible]	[illegible]	
St. Louis	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Kansas City	[illegible]		[illegible]
San Francisco	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Pittsburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Baltimore	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Cincinnati	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Minneapolis	[illegible]		[illegible]
Cleveland	[illegible]	[illegible]	
New Orleans	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Detroit	[illegible]	[illegible]	
OMAHA	**15,522,000**		**12.8**
Los Angeles	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Louisville	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Milwaukee	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Seattle	[illegible]		[illegible]
St. Paul	[illegible]		[illegible]
Atlanta	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Portland, Ore.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Buffalo	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Denver	[illegible]		[illegible]
Indianapolis	[illegible]		[illegible]
Providence	[illegible]		[illegible]
Richmond	[illegible]		[illegible]
Washington	[illegible]	[illegible]	
St. Joseph	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Fort Worth	[illegible]		[illegible]
Memphis	[illegible]		[illegible]
Salt Lake City	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Columbus	[illegible]		
Albany	[illegible]		[illegible]
Tacoma	[illegible]		[illegible]
Savannah	[illegible]		
Spokane, Wash.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Toledo	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Hartford	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Rochester	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Des Moines	[illegible]		[illegible]
Nashville	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Duluth	[illegible]		[illegible]
Wichita	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Peoria	[illegible]		[illegible]
Norfolk	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Oakland	[illegible]		[illegible]
Sioux City	[illegible]		
New Haven	[illegible]		[illegible]
Grand Rapids	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Scranton	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Birmingham	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Jacksonville, Fla.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Oklahoma City	[illegible]		[illegible]
Syracuse	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Augusta, Ga.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Worcester	[illegible]		[illegible]
Evansville	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Springfield, Mass.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Dayton	[illegible]		[illegible]
Portland, Me.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Wheeling, W. Va.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Little Rock	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Charleston, S. C.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Knoxville	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Chattanooga	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Lincoln	[illegible]		[illegible]
Davenport	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Wilmington, Del.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Mobile	[illegible]		[illegible]
Wilkesbarre	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Kalamazoo	[illegible]		[illegible]
Sacramento	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Topeka	[illegible]		[illegible]
Cedar Rapids	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Macon	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Fall River	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Youngstown	[illegible]	[illegible]	
New Bedford	[illegible]		[illegible]
Springfield, Ill.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Fort Wayne	[illegible]		[illegible]
Canton, O.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Sioux Falls	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Akron	[illegible]		[illegible]
Helena	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Columbia, S. C.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Lexington	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Fargo, N. D.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Erie	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Rockford	[illegible]		[illegible]
Quincy	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Bloomington	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Chester, Pa.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Springfield, O.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
South Bend, Ind.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Lowell	[illegible]		[illegible]
Jackson, Miss.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Binghamton	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Decatur, Ill.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Mansfield, O.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Fremont, Neb.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Vicksburg, Miss.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Jacksonville, Ill.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
York, Pa.	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Waterloo, Ia.	[illegible]		
*Houston	[illegible]		[illegible]
*Galveston	[illegible]	[illegible]	

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

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, March 24.—MONEY—On call, steady, [illegible] to [illegible] per cent; ruling rate, [illegible] per cent; closing bid, [illegible] per cent; offered at [illegible] per cent. Time loans, dull; sixty days, [illegible] per cent; ninety days, [illegible] per cent; six months, [illegible] per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4 to 4½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE — Steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at [illegible] for sixty-day bills and at [illegible] for demand; commercial bills, [illegible].

SILVER—Bar, [illegible]; Mexican dollars, [illegible].

BONDS — Government, steady; railroad, irregular.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	[illegible]	*Int. M. M. 4½s	[illegible]
do coupon	[illegible]	*Japan 4s	[illegible]
U. S. 3s, reg.	[illegible]	do 4½s	[illegible]
do coupon	[illegible]	*K. C. So. 1st 3s	[illegible]
U. S. 4s, reg.	[illegible]	L. S. deb. 4s 1931	[illegible]
do coupon	[illegible]	L. & N. unl. 4s	[illegible]
Allis-Chal. 1st 5s	[illegible]	*M., K. & T. 1st 4s	[illegible]
Am. Ag. 5s	[illegible]	*do 4½s	[illegible]
Am. T. & T. cv. 4s	[illegible]	*Mo. Pacific 4s	[illegible]
Am. Tobacco 4s	[illegible]	*N. R. R. of M. 4½s	[illegible]
do 6s	[illegible]	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	[illegible]
Armour & Co. 4½s	[illegible]	*do deb. 4s	[illegible]
Atchison gen. 4s	[illegible]	N. Y., N. H. & H.	
do cv. 4s	[illegible]	cv. 6s	[illegible]
do cv. 5s	[illegible]	N. & W. 1st c. 4s	[illegible]
*A. C. L. 1st 4s	[illegible]	do cv. 4s	[illegible]
Bal. & Ohio 4s	[illegible]	No. Pacific 4s	[illegible]
*do 3½s	[illegible]	*do 3s	[illegible]
do S. W. 3½s	[illegible]	O. S. L. rfdg. 4s	[illegible]
Brook. Tr. cv. 4s	[illegible]	Penn. cv. 3½s 1915	[illegible]
*Cen. of Ga. 5s	[illegible]	do cv. 4s	[illegible]
Cen. Leather 5s	[illegible]	Reading gen. 4s	[illegible]
C. of N. J. g. 5s	[illegible]	St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s	[illegible]
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	[illegible]	do gen. 5s	[illegible]
do ref. 5s	[illegible]	St. L. & S. F. 2s	[illegible]
*Chicago & A. 3½s	[illegible]	*St. L. S. W. 1st gold 4s	[illegible]
C., B. & Q. 1 4s	[illegible]	S. A. L. 4s	[illegible]
do gen. 4s	[illegible]	So. Pac. col. 4s	[illegible]
C., M. & S. P. g. 4s	[illegible]	do cv. 4s	[illegible]
C., R. I. & P. 4 4s	[illegible]	do 1st ref. 4s	[illegible]
do ref. 4s	[illegible]	*So. Railway 5s	[illegible]
*Col. Ind. 5s	[illegible]	do gen. 4s	[illegible]
Colo. Mid. 4s	[illegible]	Union Pacific 4s	[illegible]
C. & S. 1. & s. 4½s	[illegible]	do cv. 4s	[illegible]
D. & R. G. cv. 4s	[illegible]	do 1st & ref. 4s	[illegible]
*D. & R. G. 4s	[illegible]	U. S. Rubber 6s	[illegible]
*do ref. 5s	[illegible]	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	[illegible]
Distillers' 5s	[illegible]	Va.-Car. Chem. 5s	[illegible]
Erie p. l. 4s	[illegible]	*Wabash 1st 5s	[illegible]
*do gen. 4s	[illegible]	do 1st & ex. 4s	[illegible]
*do cv. 4s, ser. A	[illegible]	*Western Md. 4s	[illegible]
*do series B	[illegible]	West. Elec. cv. 5s	[illegible]
*Gen. Elec. cv. 5s	[illegible]	Wis. Central 4s	[illegible]
Ill. Cen. 1st ref. 4s	[illegible]	Nor. Pac. cv. 5s	[illegible]
Int. Met. 4½s	[illegible]		

*Bid. *Offered.

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

Alice	[illegible]	*Little Chief	[illegible]
*Com. Tunnel stock	[illegible]	Mexican	[illegible]
*do bonds	[illegible]	Ontario	[illegible]
Con. Cal. & Va.	[illegible]	Ophir	[illegible]
Horn Silver	[illegible]	*Standard	[illegible]
*Iron Silver	[illegible]	Yellow Jacket	[illegible]
*Leadville Con.	[illegible]		

*Offered.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 24.—METALS—Standard copper, weak; spot, March, April, May and June, [illegible]. London market steady, [illegible]; futures, [illegible]. Custom house returns show exports so far this month of [illegible] tons. Lake copper, [illegible]; electrolytic, [illegible]; casting, [illegible]. Tin, quiet, but firm; spot and March, [illegible]; April, [illegible]; June, [illegible]. London market steady; spot, [illegible]; futures, [illegible]. Lead, steady, [illegible]; New York, [illegible]; East St. Louis. London market quoted at [illegible]. Antimony, dull; Cookson's, [illegible]. Iron, Cleveland warrants, [illegible] in London. Locally iron was steady; No. 1 foundry, northern, [illegible]; No. 2 foundry, northern, No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern, soft, [illegible].

ST. LOUIS, March 24.—METALS—Lead, firm at [illegible]. Spelter, firm at [illegible].

Imports and Exports.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Imports of merchandise and dry goods at the port of New York for the week ending March 23 were valued at [illegible].

Imports of specie for the port of New York for the week ending today were [illegible] silver and [illegible] gold.

Exports of specie for the week were [illegible] silver and [illegible] gold.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Are Steady to Strong Compared with Thursday.

HOGS OPEN WEAK, CLOSE LOWER

Sheep and Lambs in Fair Receipt, While Demand is Good and Prices Generally Steady to a Little Strong.

SOUTH OMAHA, March 24, 1911.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Official Tuesday	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Official Wednesday	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Official Thursday	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Estimate Friday	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Five days this week	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Same days last week	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Same days 2 weeks ago	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Same days 3 weeks ago	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Same days 4 weeks ago	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Same days last year	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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

	1911.	1910.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Hogs	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Sheep	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	

The following table shows the range of prices on hogs at South Omaha for the last several days, with comparisons:

Dates.	1911.	1910.	1909.	1908.	1907.	1906.	1905.
Mar. 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mar. 11	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	*	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mar. 12	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	*	[illegible]
Mar. 13	*	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mar. 14	[illegible]	*	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mar. 15	[illegible]	[illegible]	*	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mar. 16	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	*	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mar. 17	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mar. 18	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	*	[illegible]	[illegible]

*Sunday.

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, for twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. yesterday:

RECEIPTS—CARS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	H'r's.
C., M. & St. P.		[illegible]	[illegible]	
Wabash		[illegible]		
Missouri Pacific		[illegible]		
Union Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
C. & N. W., east	[illegible]	[illegible]		
C., St. P., M. & O.	[illegible]	[illegible]		
C., B. & Q., east	[illegible]	[illegible]		
C., B. & Q., west	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
C., R. I. & P., east	[illegible]	[illegible]		
C., R. I. & P., west	[illegible]			
Illinois Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
C. G. W.		[illegible]		
Total receipts	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Omaha Packing Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Swift and Company	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cudahy Packing Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Armour & Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Murphy		[illegible]	
Morrell	[illegible]		
Stephens Bros.	[illegible]		
J. B. Root & Co.	[illegible]		
J. H. Bulla	[illegible]		
McCreary & Carey	[illegible]		
Lee Rothschild	[illegible]		
Mo. & Kan.-Calf Co.	[illegible]		
Other buyers	[illegible]		[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

CATTLE—There was another very moderate run of cattle today, leaving the total for the five days something over 1,000 head less than for the same days last week and 2,000 head less than a year ago. As usual on Friday there was very little in the trade to interest buyers, but still the market as a whole was in good shape.

Packers were out in the yards in good season in the morning and they picked up the early arrivals of beef steers at prices that were steady to possibly a little stronger than yesterday. This would mean that light cattle are now a little higher than a week ago, while heavy cattle are a little lower.

Cows and heifers were in fair demand for a Friday and most of the offerings sold in very good season. The prices paid were fully steady with yesterday and just about steady with one week ago. Bulls, however, had been slow sellers during the last few days and they are quite a little lower than last week.

There were no feeders of any consequence in the yards, but the feeling was about steady on that kind.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beef steers, [illegible]; fair to good beef steers, [illegible]; common to fair beef steers, [illegible]; good to choice cows and heifers, [illegible]; fair to good cows and heifers, [illegible]; common to fair cows and heifers, [illegible]; good to choice stockers and feeders, [illegible]; fair to good stockers and feeders, [illegible]; common to fair stockers and feeders, [illegible]; stock heifers, [illegible]; veal calves, [illegible]; bulls, stags, etc., [illegible].

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

HOGS—From the high spot of the shippers' market to the low spot of the packers' market, today's hog trade is quotable at weak to a dime lower. Buyers with speculative orders were out early and purchased fully 10 per cent of a moderate supply on a barely steady to a nickel lower basis. Packers put up the first portions of their droves at the nickel decline, but demand from this quarter became very slack late in the session. One train load of animals that arrived shortly before 11 o'clock had to move at lower margins under yesterday's prices, the market closing on this basis.

Movement was not very active at any time and spreads between bacon, butcher and lard offerings were reasonably narrow. Choice lights met with general preference, of course, and sold at usual premiums over the heavier grades. Midday clearance of all weights was practically complete.

Long strings, consisting mainly of butcher and heavy mixed grades, ranged from [illegible] to [illegible]. Sales at the former price were largely confined to late trade. Extra heavy packing animals landed at the bottom of the list and best bacon offerings made a top of [illegible]. These prices are about a dime lower than average trade at last week's close.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SHEEP—About the only new phases to sheep and lamb trade today were a few slight changes in the tone to demand. Inquiry for the ordinary run of stuff was quiet at prices generally steady, while the call for high dressing animals was lively at figures firm to possibly a little higher. Total receipts were normal for a Friday and several bunches of prime quality stock were included in the run, the same as yesterday.

In the lamb branch of the market the McCulloch Mexicans reached [illegible]. This is the highest price paid for full loads of lambs at this point since November of last year. The Hinsdale Mexicans moved at [illegible] and, while choice western animals were scarce, best ones are safely quotable at [illegible]. Lambs for shearing purposes that sold at [illegible] earlier in the week went at [illegible]. The shorn lamb trade is still of very small volume, most of the week's business being done within a [illegible] spread. All of the prices above noted are strong to probably a dime higher than those in force at last week's close.

Today as well as on previous days this week, good sheep were wanted by all of the regular buyers. Wethers that were weighty sold up as high as [illegible], indicating an extreme limit of [illegible] on something fancy and light. Shorn ewes brought [illegible] and wooled ewes are still quotable up to [illegible]. Handy yearlings have been in very limited supply recently and best ones would probably command [illegible]. Present prices for mutton sheep average just about [illegible] higher than a week ago, this advance applying especially to ewes and wethers.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Good to choice lambs, [illegible]; fair to good lambs, [illegible]; handy weight yearlings, [illegible]; heavy yearlings, [illegible]; good to choice wethers, [illegible]; fair to good wethers, [illegible]; good to choice ewes, [illegible]; fair to good ewes, [illegible]; sheep, culls to feeders, [illegible].

Representative sales:

No.		Av.	Pr.
[illegible]	Mexican lambs	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western short lambs	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western short ewes	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western lambs, feeders	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Mexican yearlings	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Mexican lambs	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western lambs	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	shorn lambs	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western yearlings	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western ewes	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western wethers	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western lambs	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western shorn ewes	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western ewes	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	western wethers	[illegible]	[illegible]
1	goat	[illegible]	[illegible]

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Demand for Cattle and Hogs Strong—Sheep Steady.

CHICAGO, March 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, [illegible] head. Market strong; beeves, [illegible]; Texas steers, [illegible]; western steers, [illegible]; stockers and feeders, [illegible]; cows and heifers, [illegible]; calves, [illegible].

HOGS — Receipts, [illegible] head. Market strong for light grades; others weak; light, [illegible]; mixed, [illegible]; heavy, [illegible]; rough, [illegible]; good to choice heavy, [illegible]; pigs, [illegible]; bulk of sales, [illegible].

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, [illegible] head. Market steady; native, [illegible]; western, [illegible]; yearlings, [illegible]; native lambs, [illegible]; western, [illegible].

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 24. — CATTLE—Receipts, [illegible] head. Market strong; native shipping and export steers, [illegible]; dressed beef and butcher steers, [illegible]; steers under 1,000 lbs., [illegible]; stockers and feeders, [illegible]; cows and heifers, [illegible]; canners, [illegible]; bulls, [illegible]; calves, [illegible]. Texas and Indian steers, [illegible]; cows and heifers, [illegible].

HOGS—Receipts, [illegible] head. Market 5c higher; pigs and lights, [illegible]; packers, [illegible]; butchers and best heavy, [illegible].

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, [illegible] head. Market [illegible] higher; native muttons, [illegible]; lambs, [illegible]; culls and bucks, [illegible]; stockers, [illegible].

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, March 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, [illegible] head, including [illegible] southerns. Market strong; dressed beef and export steers, [illegible]; fair to good, [illegible]; western steers, [illegible]; stockers and feeders, [illegible]; southern steers, [illegible]; southern cows, [illegible]; native cows, [illegible]; native heifers, [illegible]; bulls, [illegible]; calves, [illegible].

HOGS — Receipts, [illegible] head. Market steady to 5c lower; bulk of sales, [illegible]; heavy, [illegible]; packers and butchers, [illegible]; lights, [illegible].

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, [illegible] head. Market steady; lambs, [illegible]; yearlings, [illegible]; wethers, [illegible]; ewes, [illegible]; stockers and feeders, [illegible].

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 24.—CATTLE—Receipts, [illegible] head; market steady; steers, [illegible]; cows and heifers, [illegible]; calves, [illegible].

HOGS—Receipts, [illegible] head; market steady to 5c lower; top, [illegible]; bulk of sales, [illegible].

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, [illegible] head; market steady; lambs, [illegible].

Stock in Sight.

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

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
South Omaha	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Joseph	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kansas City	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Louis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Evaporated Apples and Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, March 24.—EVAPORATED APPLES—Scarce and largely nominal on the spot. Fancy and choice grades, nominal; prime, [illegible].

DRIED FRUITS—Firm, with a fairly active jobbing demand; [illegible] for Californias up to [illegible], and [illegible] for Oregons from [illegible] to [illegible]. Apricots in better demand and prices are firm; choice, [illegible]; extra choice, [illegible]; fancy, [illegible]. Peaches, steady with a little more active trade; choice, [illegible]; extra choice, [illegible]; fancy, [illegible]. Raisins, rather quiet, but prices are steady; loose muscatels, [illegible]; choice to fancy seeded, [illegible]; seedless, [illegible]; London layers, [illegible].

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 24.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet, 5 points higher; middling uplands, [illegible]; middling gulf, [illegible]; sales, [illegible] bales.

LIVERPOOL, March 24.—The following are the weekly cotton statistics: Imports, all kinds, [illegible] bales; imports, American, [illegible] bales; stock, all kinds, [illegible] bales; stock, American, [illegible] bales; American forwarded, [illegible] bales; total exports, [illegible] bales.

New York cotton market, as furnished by Logan & Bryan, members New York Cotton exchange, 322 South Sixteenth street:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Mar.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Aug.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oct.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Distribution of Cotton.

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Census bureau's report on the supply and distribution of cotton for the six-month period ending February 28, 1911, shows the total supply to be [illegible] running bales, made up of stocks at beginning of period, [illegible] bales; ginnings, [illegible] bales; net imports, [illegible] bales. The distribution was: Exports, [illegible] bales; consumption, [illegible] bales; stocks at close of period, [illegible] bales.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 24.—OILS—Turpentine, firm at [illegible]; sales, [illegible] bbls.; receipts, [illegible] bbls.; shipments, [illegible] bbls.; stocks, [illegible] bbls.

ROSIN—Firm; sales, [illegible] bbls.; receipts, [illegible] bbls.; shipments, [illegible] bbls.; stocks, [illegible] bbls. Quote: B, [illegible]; D, [illegible]; E, [illegible]; F, [illegible]; G, [illegible]; H, [illegible]; I, [illegible]; K, [illegible]; M, [illegible]; N, [illegible]; WG, [illegible]; WW, [illegible].

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Reports Vary, but as Whole Indicate Advance.

RETAIL TRADE IS IMPROVING

Construction Work is Being Pushed with Considerable Vigor, Especially in East—Good Volume of Orders in West.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Dun's review of trade tomorrow will say:

Although reports from the leading trades and different sections vary considerably and statistical comparisons do not show uniform gains, conditions on the whole continue to indicate an advance. It is noticeable that retail trade is more satisfactory and many of the important centers make optimistic statements concerning the outlook.

Activity in structural lines has become more pronounced with the opening of spring and conditions in iron and steel are promising, although there is some abatement in the demand for pig iron. This is offset by an increase in the output of foundry and steel making grades, while reports from leading centers indicate that stocks have been reduced within the current month.

Construction work is being pushed with considerable vigor, especially in the east, and there also is a good volume of orders for material in the west, although individual contracts are for a smaller tonnage. Activity in the ore trade continues unabated, the mills having run almost to capacity and manufacturers are expecting heavy consumption.

Sharp revisions in the prices of certain lines of domestic cotton goods led to hesitation in purchases, but reductions did not follow, the changes being confined to a few standard lines. Renewed export trade with China was reported and there was a further revision downward of prices on gray cloths. In dress goods and men's wear values are favorable to the purchaser and a fair volume of business is coming forward. Sock manufacturers are growing more cautious because of the narrow margin of profit. Curtailment of operations is noted in many textile producing centers where cotton is a factor.

The footwear market shows no material change. The demand continues largely for specialties, with staple lines in less active request. The hide markets are generally inactive, but moderate supplies of most varieties keep prices fairly well maintained.

Trade in leather continues quiet and most tanners report business dull. Sales of sole leather are restricted on account of the fact that buyers are mostly stocked up with supplies contracted for in January and also on account of the question of discounts.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Trade Conditions Do Not Differ Materially from Last Week.

NEW YORK, March 24.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Trade reports do not differ materially from last week, and while individual lines show variations business as a whole is quiet. For this caution in buying, irregular weather conditions, the late Easter season and the increasing activity of farmers in crop work are held responsible.

The volume of house buying is smaller at most cities and the returns from travelers on the road are now the chief source of new business at wholesale. Jobbers report demand, as for some time past, to be for small lots for quick shipment.

Retail trade for spring has not opened actively owing partly to cool weather. At some cities price reductions are in evidence in more heavy goods. Clothing is quiet and the shoe trade could be more active. On the other hand the seasonable period being building somewhat.

Collections are still not better than fair, while many centers report them slow.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending March 23 were [illegible], against [illegible] last week, [illegible] in the like week of 1910, [illegible] in 1909, [illegible] in 1908 and [illegible] in 1907. Business failures in Canada for the week number [illegible], which compares with [illegible] last week and [illegible] in the corresponding week of last year.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending March 23 aggregate [illegible] bushels, against [illegible] last week and [illegible] this week last year. For the thirty-eight weeks ending March 23 exports are [illegible] bushels, against [illegible] in the corresponding period last year. Corn exports for the week are [illegible] bushels, against [illegible] last week and [illegible] in 1910. For the thirty-eight weeks ending March 23 corn exports are [illegible] bushels, against [illegible] last year.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Creamery, No. 1, delivered to the retail trade in 1-lb. cartons, [illegible]; No. 1, in 60-lb. tubs, [illegible]; No. 2, in 1-lb. cartons, [illegible]; packing stock, solid pack, [illegible]; dairy, in 60-lb. tubs, [illegible]. Market changes every Tuesday.

CHEESE—Twins, [illegible]; Young Americas, [illegible]; daisies, [illegible]; triplets, [illegible]; Limberger, [illegible]; No. 1 brick, [illegible]; imported Swiss, [illegible]; domestic Swiss, [illegible]; block Swiss, [illegible].

POULTRY—Dressed broilers, under 2 lbs., [illegible] per doz.; hens, [illegible]; cocks, [illegible]; ducks, [illegible]; geese, [illegible]; turkeys, [illegible]; pigeons, per doz., [illegible]; homer squabs, per doz., [illegible]; fancy squabs, per doz., [illegible]; No. 1, per doz., [illegible]. Alive: Broilers, [illegible]; smooth legs, [illegible]; hens, [illegible]; stags, [illegible]; old roosters, [illegible]; old ducks, full feathered, [illegible]; geese, full feathered, [illegible]; turkeys, [illegible]; guinea fowls, [illegible] each; pigeons, per doz., [illegible]; homers, per doz., [illegible]; squabs, No. 1, per doz., [illegible]; No. 2, per doz., [illegible]; capons, over 8 lbs., [illegible]; old turkeys, [illegible].

FISH (all frozen)—Pickerel, [illegible]; white, [illegible]; pike, [illegible]; trout, [illegible]; large crappies, [illegible]; Spanish mackerel, [illegible]; eel, [illegible]; haddock, [illegible]; flounders, [illegible]; green catfish, [illegible]; roe shad, [illegible] each; shad roe, per pair, [illegible]; frog legs, per doz., [illegible]; salmon, [illegible]; halibut, [illegible]; herring, [illegible].

BEEF CUTS—Ribs, No. 1, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible]. Loin, No. 1, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible]. Chuck, No. 1, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible]. Round, No. 1, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible]. Plate, No. 1, [illegible]; No. 2, [illegible]; No. 3, [illegible].

FRUITS — Apples: Washington extra fancy Winesaps, [illegible] sizes, per box, [illegible]; Washington Missouri Pippins, [illegible] tier, per box, [illegible]; Washington Red Cheek Pippins, [illegible] sizes, per box, [illegible]; Washington Ganos, per box, [illegible]; Ben Davis, per box, [illegible]. Bananas: Fancy select, per bunch, [illegible]; Jumbo, per bunch, [illegible]. Dates: Anchor brand, new, [illegible] pkgs. in box, per box, [illegible]; bulk, in [illegible]-lb. boxes, per lb., [illegible]. Figs: Turkish, [illegible]-crown, per lb., [illegible]; [illegible]-crown, per lb., [illegible]; [illegible]-crown, per lb., [illegible]. Grape fruit: Florida, [illegible] sizes, per box, [illegible]; choice stock, [illegible] less. Lemons: Limoneira brand, extra fancy, [illegible] sizes, per box, [illegible]; fancy, [illegible] sizes, per box, [illegible]; [illegible] size, [illegible] per box less. Oranges: Camelia Redlands navels, [illegible] sizes, per box, [illegible]; [illegible] and smaller sizes, [illegible]; choice navels, [illegible] sizes, [illegible]; [illegible] and smaller sizes, [illegible]. Pears: California Winter Nellis, per box, [illegible]. Strawberries: Louisiana, per 24-pint case, [illegible].

VEGETABLES—Beans, string and wax, per hamper, [illegible]. Beets, per bu., [illegible]. Cabbage, New York, per lb., [illegible]. Carrots, per bu., [illegible]. Celery, California Jumbo, per doz. bunches, [illegible]. Cucumbers, hothouse, [illegible] and [illegible] doz. in box, per doz., [illegible]. Egg plant, fancy Florida, per doz., [illegible]. Garlic, extra fancy, white, per lb., [illegible]. Lettuce, extra fancy leaf, per doz., [illegible]. Onions, Iowa red and yellow, per lb., [illegible]; Indiana white, per lb., [illegible]. Onion sets, white, per bu., [illegible]; [illegible] lbs., [illegible]; yellow, per bu., [illegible] lbs., [illegible]; red, per bu., [illegible] lbs., [illegible]. Parsley, fancy southern, per doz. bunches, [illegible]. Parsnips, per bu., [illegible]. Potatoes, Early Ohio seed, sand soil, in sacks, per bu., [illegible]; genuine Red River E. Ohio seed, per bu., [illegible]; Iowa and Wisconsin white stock, per bu., [illegible]; Colorado, per bu., [illegible]. Rutabagas, per lb., [illegible]. Tomatoes, Florida, per [illegible]-basket crate, fancy, [illegible]; choice, [illegible]. Turnips, per bu., [illegible].

MISCELLANEOUS—Almonds, California soft shell, per lb., [illegible]; in sack lots, [illegible] less. Brazil nuts, per lb., [illegible]; in sack lots, [illegible] less. Cocoanuts, per sack, [illegible]; per doz., [illegible]. Filberts, per lb., [illegible]; in sack lots, [illegible] less. Hickorynuts, large, per lb., [illegible]; small, per lb., [illegible]. Peanuts, roasted, per lb., [illegible]; raw, per lb., [illegible]. Pecans, large, per lb., [illegible]; in sack lots, [illegible] less. Walnuts, black, per lb., [illegible]; California, per lb., [illegible]; in sack lots, [illegible] less. Cider, New York, Mott's, per bbl., [illegible]. Honey, new, 24 frames, [illegible].

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 24.—BUTTER—Steady; extra western creamery, [illegible]; extra nearby prints, [illegible].

EGGS—Quiet; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, [illegible] per case; Pennsylvania and other nearby current receipts, free cases, [illegible]; western firsts, free cases, [illegible]; western current receipts, free cases, [illegible].

POULTRY—Live, steady; fowls, [illegible]; old roosters, [illegible]; spring chickens, choice, [illegible]; spring chickens, staggy, [illegible]; ducks, [illegible]; geese, [illegible].