# OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

## Desirable Cattle Generally Command About Steady Prices.

## HOGS FIVE TO TEN CENTS OFF

### Sheep and Lambs in Large Receipt and Trade More or Less Demoralized, with Prices Very Sharply Lower.

SOUTH OMAHA, April 4, 1911.

| Receipts were: | Cattle. | Hogs. | Sheep. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Official Monday | 2,475 | 3,121 | 6,323 |
| Estimate Tuesday | 4,300 | 9,800 | 9,800 |
| Two days this week | 6,775 | 12,921 | 16,123 |
| Same days last week | 9,144 | 13,159 | 10,919 |
| Same days 2 weeks ago | 10,133 | 12,395 | 17,908 |
| Same days 3 weeks ago | 12,813 | 25,446 | 29,808 |
| Same days 4 weeks ago | 10,958 | 15,275 | 18,224 |
| Same days last year | 4,376 | 11,240 | 11,340 |

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. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cattle | 280,036 | 262,362 | 17,674 |
| Hogs | 625,724 | 585,462 | 40,262 |
| Sheep | 471,935 | 399,664 | 70,271 |

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. 27... | 6 28 | * | 6 72 | 5 22 | 6 11 | 6 27 | 5 15 |
| Mar. 28... | 6 41½ | 10 70 | * | 5 50 | 6 23 | 6 27 | 5 19 |
| Mar. 29... | 6 31½ | 10 71 | 6 68 | * | 6 31 | 6 28 | 5 09 |
| Mar. 30... | 6 24½ | 10 88 | 6 58 | 5 57 | 6 39 | 6 30 | 5 09 |
| Mar. 31... | 6 28½ | 10 57 | 6 65 | 5 78 | * | 6 26 | 5 14 |
| April 1... | 6 26½ | 10 60 | 6 73 | 5 70 | 6 48 | * | 5 16 |
| April 2... | * | 10 61 | 6 72 | 5 72 | 6 45 | 6 30 | * |
| April 3... | 6 27½ | * | 6 76 | 5 67 | 6 47 | 6 28 | 5 16 |
| April 4... | 6 19½ | 10 60 | * | 5 74 | 6 48 | 6 22 | 5 21 |

*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. | 21 | .. | 1 | 1 |
| Wabash | 7 | .. | .. | .. |
| Missouri Pacific | 3 | 2 | .. | .. |
| Union Pacific | 28 | 28 | 24 | 2 |
| C. & N. W. (east) | 10 | 6 | .. | .. |
| C. & N. W. (west) | 46 | 46 | 5 | 3 |
| C., St. P., M. & O. | 21 | 8 | .. | .. |
| C., B. & Q. (east) | .. | .. | 3 | .. |
| C., B. & Q. (west) | 54 | 24 | 13 | 4 |
| C., R. I. & P. (east) | 3 | 5 | .. | .. |
| C., R. I. & P. (west) | 1 | 1 | .. | .. |
| Illinois Central | 5 | 4 | 1 | .. |
| C., G. W. | 4 | 7 | .. | .. |
| Totals | 203 | 131 | 47 | 10 |

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

| | Cattle. | Hogs. | Sheep. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Omaha Packing Co. | 315 | 1,243 | 1,433 |
| Swift & Co. | 1,042 | 2,472 | 1,169 |
| Cudahy Packing Co. | 1,293 | 1,395 | 2,193 |
| Armour & Co. | 380 | 2,746 | 1,544 |
| Schwartz-Boien Co. | .... | 182 | .... |
| J. B. Cosgrove | .... | 289 | .... |
| Murphy | .... | 547 | .... |
| Sinclair | 87 | .... | .... |
| W. B. Vansant Co. | 22 | .... | .... |
| Benton Vansant & Lush | 116 | .... | .... |
| F. B. Lewis | 59 | .... | .... |
| Huston & Co. | 80 | .... | .... |
| J. B. Root & Co. | 7 | .... | .... |
| J. H. Bulla | 10 | .... | .... |
| McCreary & Carey | 29 | .... | .... |
| Mo. & Kan. Calf Co. | 45 | .... | .... |
| Connaghy | 2 | .... | .... |
| Klein & Christy | 26 | .... | .... |
| Other buyers | 262 | .... | 1,242 |
| Totals | 3,875 | 8,974 | 7,551 |

CATTLE—Receipts of cattle were large this morning, 174 cars being reported in; but owing to the light run Monday the total for the two days shows a heavy falling off as compared with recent weeks, although being about 2,000 head larger than a year ago.

Buyers all seemed to want handy light cattle and anything on that order sold quite readily at steady prices. In fact, now and then a salesman could be found who thought he secured even strong prices for his more desirable cattle. On the other hand there were a good many heavy cattle in the yards, many of them of pretty good quality, for which the demand was slow. Packers were neglecting the heavy cattle and would not try very hard to buy them until the light cattle were disposed of. It will be readily understood from this that the tendency on heavy cattle was downward.

Cows and heifers commanded steady prices and good heifers were a little stronger again than yesterday. Mixed yearling heifers and steers sold up to $6.00.

The market on feeders was poorly supplied, there being comparatively few of that kind of cattle on sale, but still the demand was limited and there were probably as many as were wanted. The prices showed practically no change as compared with yesterday.

**Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beef steers, $6.00@6.25; fair to good beef steers, $5.75@6.00; common to fair beef steers, $4.75@5.75; good to choice cows and heifers, $4.75@5.75; fair to good cows and heifers, $4.40@4.75; common to fair cows and heifers, $3.00@4.40; good to choice stockers and feeders, $5.35@6.00; fair to good stockers and feeders, $5.00@5.35; common to fair stockers and feeders, $4.25@5.00; stock heifers, $3.75@4.75; veal calves, $4.00@7.50; bulls, stags, etc., $3.75@5.00.**

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 21 | 584 | 5 10 | 9 | 1392 | 6 00 |
| 10 | 1071 | 5 45 | 25 | 1403 | 6 00 |
| 6 | 706 | 5 55 | 14 | 1302 | 6 00 |
| 20 | 708 | 5 55 | 47 | 1302 | 6 05 |
| 35 | 687 | 5 70 | 35 | 1303 | 6 05 |
| 22 | 1032 | 5 75 | 20 | 1376 | 6 10 |
| 36 | 1315 | 5 75 | 20 | 1131 | 6 10 |
| 20 | 1124 | 5 75 | 19 | 1407 | 6 10 |
| 9 | 1202 | 5 80 | 20 | 1292 | 6 10 |
| 9 | 1192 | 5 80 | 30 | 1404 | 6 15 |
| 27 | 1036 | 5 80 | 38 | 1571 | 6 15 |
| 46 | 1044 | 5 85 | 9 | 1365 | 6 15 |
| 13 | 1232 | 5 85 | 17 | 1330 | 6 20 |
| 21 | 1157 | 5 90 | 20 | 1231 | 6 20 |
| 20 | 1106 | 5 90 | 19 | 1372 | 6 20 |
| 20 | 748 | 5 90 | 19 | 1254 | 6 20 |
| 14 | 937 | 5 90 | 20 | 1276 | 6 20 |
| 20 | 1074 | 5 95 | 34 | 4166 | 6 25 |
| 19 | 1132 | 6 00 | 27 | 1320 | 6 25 |
| 8 | 1225 | 6 00 | | | |

STEERS AND HEIFERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 1220 | 5 40 | 9 | 1060 | 5 65 |
| 9 | 855 | 5 40 | 8 | 706 | 5 75 |

COWS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 980 | 4 00 | 8 | 995 | 4 75 |
| 2 | 1110 | 4 40 | 3 | 1153 | 4 85 |
| 4 | 1060 | 4 50 | 11 | 1080 | 5 00 |
| 22 | 975 | 4 65 | 6 | 938 | 5 10 |
| 21 | 1019 | 4 65 | 9 | 1224 | 5 20 |
| 12 | 920 | 4 75 | 8 | 1153 | 5 20 |
| 3 | 713 | 4 75 | 7 | 1215 | 5 25 |
| 3 | 995 | 4 75 | 8 | 1187 | 5 25 |

HEIFERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4 | 467 | 4 25 | 23 | 872 | 5 40 |
| 4 | 795 | 4 40 | 10 | 851 | 5 40 |
| 4 | 362 | 4 50 | 4 | 853 | 5 50 |
| 10 | 687 | 4 50 | 24 | 840 | 5 50 |
| 4 | 635 | 4 75 | 13 | 878 | 5 55 |
| 4 | 540 | 4 90 | 4 | 1110 | 5 70 |
| 4 | 1000 | 5 40 | | | |

BULLS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1610 | 4 75 | 1 | 1270 | 5 00 |
| 1 | 1150 | 4 75 | 1 | 1410 | 5 05 |
| 1 | 1380 | 4 85 | 1 | 1440 | 5 10 |

CALVES.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 335 | 5 00 | 11 | 158 | 7 25 |
| 6 | 455 | 5 15 | 8 | 156 | 7 50 |
| 8 | 420 | 5 15 | | | |

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|
| 7 | 772 | 5 25 |

HOGS—Conditions ruling the hog trade were more insistently bearish today than in some time past. Receipts were reasonably large, advices from the east were lower and reports of provision stocks just issued indicate a very heavy increase for the month of March. A dull speculative demand also had more or less influence upon the trade and demand was very slack from the opening.

In point of prices, the market for bulk was almost a dime lower. Long strings showed declines of 5@10c, but anything at all weighty, even in the butcher class, usually had to move at the larger reduction. Some business in bacon weights was transacted early at figures no worse than steady, [illegible] lower.

Movement was slow throughout the session and packers purchased the big end of receipts. Orders from shippers called for less than 10 per cent of total supply and discriminated sharply in favor of light animals. Clearance was not made until after 11 o'clock.

Butcher weight hogs moved at $6.15@6.20 and lard offerings were especially draggy at the lowest figures reported. Bacon grades sold up as high as $6.45, which was also yesterday's high price.

Representative sales:

| No. | Av. | Sh. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Sh. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | 236 | ... | 6 00 | 49 | 244 | ... | 6 20 |
| 6 | 266 | ... | 6 05 | 57 | 275 | ... | 6 20 |
| 69 | 231 | 40 | 6 15 | 48 | 248 | ... | 6 20 |
| 60 | 296 | 80 | 6 15 | 69 | 249 | 80 | 6 20 |
| 60 | 277 | ... | 6 15 | 68 | 254 | ... | 6 20 |
| 64 | 206 | ... | 6 15 | 74 | 240 | ... | 6 20 |
| 64 | 322 | 160 | 6 00 | 70 | 277 | ... | 6 20 |
| 64 | 261 | ... | 6 00 | 72 | 233 | 40 | 6 20 |
| 57 | 260 | ... | 6 05 | 31 | 242 | ... | 6 20 |
| 64 | 214 | ... | 6 05 | 64 | 255 | 40 | 6 20 |
| 64 | 311 | ... | 6 05 | 63 | 256 | ... | 6 20 |
| 64 | 204 | ... | 6 05 | 69 | 247 | 80 | 6 25 |
| 64 | 282 | 40 | 6 07½ | 65 | 224 | 80 | 6 25 |
| 73 | 278 | ... | 6 10 | 60 | 222 | 40 | 6 25 |
| 54 | 273 | ... | 6 10 | 6 | 306 | ... | 6 25 |
| 63 | 305 | ... | 6 10 | 70 | 233 | ... | 6 25 |
| 62 | 306 | ... | 6 10 | 41 | 240 | ... | 6 25 |
| 65 | 292 | 80 | 6 10 | 71 | 251 | ... | 6 25 |
| 68 | 315 | 80 | 6 10 | 70 | 243 | ... | 6 25 |
| 66 | 273 | ... | 6 12½ | 64 | 244 | 80 | 6 25 |
| 67 | 264 | ... | 6 15 | 66 | 271 | ... | 6 25 |
| 41 | 256 | ... | 6 15 | 72 | 240 | 40 | 6 27½ |
| 51 | 269 | ... | 6 15 | 68 | 231 | 80 | 6 30 |
| 70 | 247 | ... | 6 15 | 70 | 234 | ... | 6 30 |
| 49 | 244 | ... | 6 15 | 65 | 229 | 40 | 6 30 |
| 54 | 294 | 80 | 6 15 | 64 | 222 | ... | 6 30 |
| 64 | 254 | ... | 6 15 | 63 | 225 | 80 | 6 10 |
| 55 | 262 | 80 | 6 15 | 64 | 221 | 40 | 6 30 |
| 60 | 270 | ... | 6 15 | 70 | 228 | ... | 6 30 |
| 63 | 264 | ... | 6 15 | 87 | 213 | ... | 6 30 |

| No. | Av. | Sh. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Sh. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 70 | 275 | 80 | 6 15 | 14 | 242 | 120 | 6 30 |
| 28 | 299 | ... | 6 15 | 65 | 265 | ... | 6 30 |
| 25 | 320 | ... | 6 15 | 72 | 228 | 80 | 6 30 |
| 46 | 263 | ... | 6 15 | 63 | 205 | 40 | 6 35 |
| 61 | 264 | ... | 6 15 | 68 | 245 | ... | 6 35 |
| 67 | 266 | 80 | 6 15 | 6 | 203 | ... | 6 35 |
| 64 | 292 | ... | 6 15 | 74 | 224 | ... | 6 35 |
| 64 | 254 | ... | 6 15 | 76 | 232 | 80 | 6 37½ |
| 63 | 222 | ... | 6 15 | 75 | 210 | ... | 6 37½ |
| 70 | 240 | ... | 6 17½ | 83 | 208 | ... | 6 40 |
| 72 | 248 | 40 | 6 17½ | 85 | 202 | ... | 6 40 |
| 69 | 245 | ... | 6 20 | 18 | 204 | ... | 6 40 |
| 74 | 283 | ... | 6 20 | 91 | 177 | ... | 6 45 |
| 64 | 257 | 80 | 6 20 | 42 | 192 | ... | 6 45 |
| 65 | 252 | 160 | 6 20 | | | | |

SHEEP—Existence of a sheep and lamb market was rather doubtful this morning, despite the fact that there were various buyers in the alleys at all times. Inquiry was practically lifeless and there were not enough bids, much less actual business, to afford anything like a broad view of the trade. The feeling was bearish, of course, and lambs were expected to be the least salable, as recent supplies have been heavily freighted with this class of stock.

Assortment of offerings was much larger today than on yesterday, increased receipts including a very fair percentage of sheep. Right around forty-five doubles made up the run. Western animals were more plentiful than high dressing Mexicans, but specialty feeders in western Nebraska fattening districts are beginning to ship freely and the Mexican branch of the market was fairly well filled.

When trading finally started, it was plainly evident that everything would have to sell on a much lower basis. Prices on both sheep and lambs showed uneven declines of 10@25c, the better classes of stock suffering least. Mexican lambs that sold at $6.40 yesterday have to move at $6.30. Ordinary western lambs brought $5.70, more or less, and extra good shorn lambs were quotable at $5.15@5.25.

Sheep sold more readily than lambs, as a rule, but a more responsive demand was about the best that could be said of the trade in general. Ewes that went at $5.25 yesterday, commanded $5.10, and a single deck of another shipment made a top of $5.15. Wethers at $4.80 were almost identical with $4.95 wethers last week.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Good to choice lambs, $6.10@6.40; fair to good lambs, $5.75@6.10; handy weight yearlings, $5.25@5.50; heavy yearlings, $5.00@5.25; good to choice wethers, $5.00@5.25; fair to good wethers, $4.65@5.00; good to choice ewes, $4.85@5.10; fair to good ewes, $4.50@4.85. Sheep, culls to feeders, $3.00@4.25.

Representative sales:

| No. | | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 188 | western lambs | 80 | 5 85 |
| 461 | western lambs | 83 | 5 75 |
| 464 | western lambs | 90 | 5 60 |
| 399 | western ewes | 115 | 5 10 |
| 135 | western yearlings | 98 | 5 15 |
| 9 | western ewes | 97 | 5 15 |
| 66 | western wethers | 115 | 5 15 |
| 255 | western lambs | 77 | 5 90 |
| 490 | Mexican lambs | 83 | 6 30 |
| 523 | western ewes | 107 | 4 70 |

## CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

### Demand for Cattle Slow—Hogs Weak —Sheep Steady.

CHICAGO, April 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500 head; market, slow and steady; beeves, $5.25@6.90; Texas steers, $4.50@5.75; western steers, $4.90@5.90; stockers and feeders, $4.00@5.75; cows and heifers, $2.70@5.90; calves, $4.75@6.75.

HOGS—Receipts 15,000 head; market weak; generally 5c lower; light, $6.35@6.80; mixed, $6.15@6.70; heavy, $6.00@6.45; rough, $6.00@6.20; good to choice heavy, $6.20@6.45; pigs, $6.30@6.75; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.45.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts 14,000 head; market steady; native, $3.00@5.20; western, $3.25@5.35; yearlings, $4.50@5.60; native lambs, $5.00@6.50; western, $5.20@6.50.

### Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, April 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 9,000 head, including 100 southerns; market, steady to strong, active; top, $6.60; dressed beef and export steers, $6.10@6.60; fair to good, $5.40@6.00; western steers, $5.00@6.25; stockers and feeders, $4.50@5.90; southern steers, $4.75@6.10; southern cows, $3.50@5.00; native cows, $3.00@5.50; native heifers, $4.75@6.15; bulls, $4.50@5.25; calves, $4.00@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 18,000 head; market, 5c lower; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.55; heavy, $3.50@6.35; packers and butchers, $6.30@6.50; lights, $6.45@6.60.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,000 head; market, steady to 10c higher; spring lambs, $8.00; lambs, $5.50@6.35; yearlings, $4.60@5.75; wethers, $4.25@5.30; ewes, $4.00@5.00; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.50.

### St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, April 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,500 head including 300 Texans; market, steady; native shipping and export steers, $6.00@6.75; dressed beef and butcher steers, $5.50@6.50; steers under 1,000 pounds, $5.75@6.75; stockers and feeders, $4.50@5.75; cows and heifers, $4.25@6.25; canners, $2.85@3.25; bulls, $3.75@5.50; calves, $5.00@7.75; Texas and Indian steers, $4.50@5.00; cows and heifers, $3.50@5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 11,000 head; market 5c to 10c lower; pigs and lights, $6.00@6.85; packers, $6.40@6.50; butchers and best heavy, $[illegible]@6.30.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 5,500 head; market, steady; native muttons, $3.75@5.00; lambs, $5.75@6.50; culls and bucks, $2.50@3.25; stockers, $2.50@3.25.

### St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, April 4.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000 head; market steady; steers, $4.50@6.25; cows and heifers, $3.50@6.00; calves, $3.50@7.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000 head; market, 5c lower; top, $6.55; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 3,000 head; market steady; lambs, $4.50@6.25.

### Stock in Sight.

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

| | Cattle. | Hogs. | Sheep. |
|---|---|---|---|
| South Omaha | 4,200 | 9,800 | 9,800 |
| St. Joseph | 2,000 | 5,000 | 3,000 |
| Kansas City | 9,000 | 18,000 | 4,000 |
| St. Louis | 3,500 | 11,000 | 5,500 |
| Chicago | 3,500 | 15,000 | 14,000 |
| Totals | 22,200 | 58,800 | 36,300 |

### Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, April 4.—COTTON—Spot, closed quiet, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 14.50c; middling gulf, 14.75c; no sales.

ST. LOUIS, April 4.—COTTON—Unchanged; middling, 14⅝c; no sales; receipts, 415 bales; shipments, 367 bales; stock, 20,876 bales.

New York cotton market, as furnished by Logan & Bryan, members New York Cotton exchange, 315 South Sixteenth street:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes'y. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 12 55 | 12 62 | 12 53 | 12 61 | 12 49 |
| May | 14 33 | 14 45 | 14 32 | 14 44 | 14 29 |
| July | 14 10 | 14 22 | 14 10 | 14 22 | 14 08 |
| Aug. | 13 62 | 13 72 | 13 64 | 13 71 | 13 60 |
| Oct. | 12 64 | 12 73 | 12 63 | 12 71 | 12 60 |

### Wool Market.

BOSTON, April 4.—WOOL—The drop in wool values have at last found ready takers and local transfers are running heavier than for many months. Buying extends throughout the lists and fleece wools are moving as freely as other lines. Montana staple brings 20c and is figured at 54 to 55c scoured. Medium fleeces are fairly firm with half blood Ohio bringing 26c, while some Michigan one-quarter blood has changed hands at 24c. There is no interest as yet in the new clip although a little Arizona finds some demand.

ST. LOUIS, April 4.—WOOL—Unchanged; territory and western mediums, 19@22c; fine mediums, 16@18c; fine, 12@13c.

### Metal Market.

NEW YORK, April 4.—Standard copper, dull; spot and futures $11.70 to $11.85. London, market steady; spot £54, 10s; futures £55, 1s, 3d. Lake copper, locally $12.37½@12.50; electrolytic $12.25@12.37½; casting $12.00@12.12½. Tin quiet; spot and futures $41.50 to $42.50. London steady, spot £192, 10s; futures £189, 15s. Lead dull; $4.45@4.50 New York; $4.25@4.30 East St. Louis. London £12, 17s 6d. Smelter dull; $5.45@5.55 New York; $5.25@5.30 East St. Louis. London £23, 7s 6d. Antimony, dull; Cookson's $9.00@9.50. Iron, Cleveland warrants 57s in London. Locally iron was steady. No. 1 foundry northern $15.75@16.25; No. 2 northern, No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft, $15.50@16.00.

### Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, April 4.—Coffee futures closed steady at a net decline of 8 to 17 points, under selling by trade interests and renewed liquidation in the late trading. Sales 44,500 bags. April, May, June and July 10.15c; August 10.07c; September 9.99c; October 9.72c; November 9.75c; December 9.71c; January 7.72c; February 9.73c; March 9.74.

Spot coffee, quiet; No. 7 Rio 13⅛c; No. 4 Santos 13⅛c; Mild quiet; Cordova 13¾@15½c.

### Oils and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 4.—TURPENTINE—Unchanged; last sales, 102 bbls.; receipts, 678 bbls.; shipments, none; stocks, 2,872 bbls.

ROSIN—Firm; sales, 1,386 bbls.; receipts, 2,545 bbls.; shipments, 702 bbls.; stocks, 22,242 bbls. Quotations: B, $8.17½; D, $8.25; E, $8.35; F, G, $8.42½; H, $8.45; I, J and K, $8.52½; N, WG and WW, $8.60.

### Omaha Produce Exchange.

Creamery butter, 19@22c; packing stock, 15c; fresh eggs, 13⅛c; broilers, 20@25c; hens, 13c.

# NEW YORK STOCKS AND BONDS

## Price Movements Narrow Except in Case of Few Issues.

## RAILWAY ISSUES MOVE UPWARD

### Outlook for General Industrial Conditions Left Unchanged by Day's Developments—National Biscuit Advances to High Record.

NEW YORK, April 4.—Price movements were narrow on the stock market today except in the case of a few issues which apparently were especially selected for manipulation to lend some appearance of animation to the market.

Almost the only consistent movement of the day was the advance of railroad stocks which would be affected most directly by the conclusion of a reciprocity agreement with Canada. The Hill stocks were especially strong. Canadian Pacific gained 4 points more advancing to a new high record.

The outlook for general industrial conditions was left unchanged by the day's developments. Complete figures of March bank clearings over the country revealed a decrease of 10.5 per cent from last year, due not only to slowness of trade, but to the small demand in New York for financial operations and speculative purposes.

National Biscuit was active and advanced 5 points to another high record. Associated Oil dropped 4 points on authoritative denial of the report that it was to be purchased from the Southern Pacific by important interests. The general list hardened somewhat in the final dealings and closed with a preponderance of small gains.

Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, $1,763,000. United States 4s, coupons, advanced ¼ on call.

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

| | Sales. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allis-Chalmers pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 30½ |
| Amalgamated Copper | 1,400 | 63 | 62⅞ | 62⅞ |
| Am. Agricultural | ...... | .. | .. | 47 |
| Am. Beet Sugar | ...... | .. | .. | 42⅞ |
| Am. Can | 100 | 9⅝ | 9⅝ | 9¼ |
| Am. Car & Foundry | 100 | 54 | 54 | 53½ |
| Am. Cotton Oil | 100 | 60 | 60 | 59½ |
| Am. Hide & Leather pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 22 |
| Am. Ice Securities | 100 | 24 | 24 | 23 |
| Am. Linseed | 100 | 11¼ | 11¼ | 10⅞ |
| Am. Locomotive | ...... | .. | .. | 37 |
| Am. Smelting & Ref | 900 | 74⅞ | 74¼ | 74⅞ |
| do pfd | 1,100 | 104½ | 104¼ | 104⅝ |
| Am. Steel Foundries | ...... | .. | .. | 46 |
| Am. Sugar Refining | ...... | .. | .. | 118 |
| Am. Tel. & Tel | 900 | 145¼ | 145 | 144⅞ |
| Am. Tobacco pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 97½ |
| Am. Woolen | 1,700 | 34¼ | 33¼ | 33⅞ |
| Anaconda Mining Co | ...... | .. | .. | 38 |
| Atchison | 1,900 | 109⅞ | 109¼ | 109⅝ |
| do pfd | 100 | 102⅝ | 102⅝ | 102⅞ |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 300 | 119¼ | 118¼ | 119 |
| B. & O. | 200 | 104¼ | 104¼ | 104½ |
| Bethlehem Steel | ...... | .. | .. | 32½ |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 1,600 | 78⅝ | 77⅞ | 78 |
| Canadian Pacific | 16,700 | 227⅞ | 226 | 227 |
| Central Leather | 600 | 28⅝ | 82¼ | 28 |
| do pfd | 100 | 99⅝ | 99⅛ | 99⅞ |
| Central of New Jersey | 100 | 277⅞ | 299⅞ | 278 |
| Ches. & Ohio | 400 | 81½ | 81⅝ | 81⅝ |
| Chicago & Alton | ...... | .. | .. | 20 |
| Chicago Gt. Western, new | 400 | 22 | 21¼ | 21½ |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 43⅞ |
| C. & N. W. | 200 | 146 | 145 | 145 |
| C., M. & St. P. | 1,400 | 121⅝ | 121⅛ | 121⅞ |
| C., C., C. & St. L. | ...... | .. | .. | 63 |
| Colorado Fuel & Iron | ...... | .. | .. | 31 |
| Colorado & Southern | ...... | .. | .. | 52 |
| Consolidated Gas | 900 | 145⅝ | 145¼ | 145¼ |
| Corn Products | 300 | 14¼ | 14⅛ | 14 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 400 | 167 | 167 | 164 |
| D. & R. G. | 100 | 31½ | 31½ | 31 |
| do pfd | 400 | 70⅝ | 70 | 70¼ |
| Distillers' Securities | 200 | 35½ | 35½ | 35 |
| Erie | 1,700 | 30⅝ | 30⅛ | 30¼ |
| do 1st pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 48½ |
| do 2d pfd | 400 | 38 | 37⅝ | 37⅝ |
| General Electric | ...... | .. | .. | 148 |
| Great Northern pfd | 5,750 | 128⅝ | 127⅝ | 128¼ |
| do Oregon ctfs | 700 | 62 | 61⅝ | 62⅞ |
| Illinois Central | 100 | 138 | 138 | 137⅞ |
| Inter. Met | ...... | .. | .. | 18⅞ |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 53 |
| Inter. Harvester | 200 | 118½ | 118 | 117½ |
| Inter. Marine pfd | 100 | 17¼ | 17¼ | 17⅛ |
| Inter. Paper | ...... | .. | .. | 10½ |
| Inter. Pump | ...... | .. | .. | 40½ |
| Iowa Central | 200 | 16⅛ | 16⅛ | 16½ |
| K. C. Southern | 200 | 34 | 34 | 33⅞ |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 66 |
| Laclede Gas | 300 | 103⅛ | 103 | 103 |
| L. & N. | 300 | 145⅛ | 145⅛ | 145 |
| Minn. & St. L. | 100 | 23⅞ | 23⅞ | 22 |
| Minn., St. P. & S. Ste M. | 2,100 | 147⅞ | 146½ | 147¼ |
| M., K. & T. | 100 | 33¼ | 33¼ | 33¼ |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 69 |
| Missouri Pacific | 7,400 | 51⅝ | 50⅝ | 50⅞ |
| National Biscuit | 9,300 | 141 | 136⅝ | 140¼ |
| National Lead | ...... | .. | .. | 52⅞ |
| Nat'l Ry of M., 2d pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 35¼ |
| N. Y. Central | 700 | 106⅞ | 106⅝ | 106½ |
| N. Y., Ont. & W. | ...... | .. | .. | 41⅞ |
| Norfolk & Western | 1,500 | 108⅝ | 108¼ | 108⅞ |
| North American | 100 | 71⅞ | 71⅞ | 71⅞ |
| Northern Pacific | 10,000 | 126 | 124⅞ | 125⅞ |
| Pacific Mail | 1,100 | 26 | 24⅞ | 25½ |
| Pennsylvania | 2,100 | 126⅛ | 125⅞ | 125⅞ |
| People's Gas | 200 | 107⅞ | 107½ | 107⅞ |
| P., C., C. & St. L. | ...... | .. | .. | 96 |
| Pittsburg Coal | 300 | 21¼ | 21 | 21 |
| Pressed Steel Car | ...... | .. | .. | 32 |
| Pullman Palace Car | ...... | .. | .. | 159 |
| Railway Steel Spring | ...... | .. | .. | 30½ |
| Reading | 33,700 | 156⅝ | 155½ | 156 |
| Republic Steel | ...... | .. | .. | 23 |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 94½ |
| Rock Island Co. | 400 | 29¼ | 29¼ | 29⅞ |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 59 |
| St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 41½ |
| St. L. S. W. | ...... | .. | .. | 21 |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 66⅝ |
| Sloss-Sheffield S. & I. | 200 | 52⅝ | 52⅝ | 52 |
| Southern Pacific | 3,000 | 116¼ | 115⅞ | 116¼ |
| Southern Railway | ...... | .. | .. | 26½ |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 64 |
| Tennessee Copper | 600 | 37½ | 37⅛ | 37⅛ |
| Texas & Pacific | 100 | 28⅞ | 28⅞ | 28⅞ |
| Toledo, St. L. & W. | 100 | 20⅞ | 20⅞ | 20 |
| do pfd | 300 | 49½ | 49⅛ | 48 |
| Union Pacific | 30,400 | 177⅞ | 176⅞ | 177½ |
| do pfd | 400 | 93⅞ | 93¼ | 93⅞ |
| U. S. Realty | ...... | .. | .. | 72⅞ |
| U. S. Rubber | 800 | 42⅞ | 42⅛ | 42⅛ |
| U. S. Steel | 24,300 | 78⅞ | 77⅞ | 78 |
| do pfd | ...... | .. | .. | 118⅞ |
| Utah Copper | 200 | 44⅛ | 44 | 44 |
| Va.-Caro. Chemical | 200 | 65⅛ | 65 | 67 |
| Wabash | 100 | 16⅞ | 16⅞ | 16⅞ |
| do pfd | 1,500 | 38 | 37⅞ | 38⅞ |
| Western Maryland | ...... | .. | .. | 50 |
| Westinghouse Electric | ...... | .. | .. | 66 |
| Western Union | 200 | 73⅞ | 73 | 73⅞ |
| W. & Lake Erie | ...... | .. | .. | 4½ |
| Lehigh Valley | 1,200 | 174⅞ | 174 | 174⅞ |

Total sales for the day, 182,700.

### London Stock Market.

LONDON, April 4.—American securities opened steady and a fraction higher today. During the first hour Canadian Pacific was active and strong and gained 3½ points, while the rest of the list advanced from ¼ to ⅝ over parity.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Consols, money | 82 | Louisville & N. | 148½ |
| do account | 82⅝ | M., K. & T. | 34½ |
| Amal. Copper | 64⅞ | N. Y. Central | 111¼ |
| Anaconda | 7⅝ | Norfolk & W. | 111½ |
| Atchison | 113⅝ | do pfd | 91 |
| do pfd | 106 | Ontario & W. | 42⅞ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 106⅝ | Pennsylvania | 64⅞ |
| Canadian Pacific | 233 | Rand Mines | 8⅝ |
| Chesapeake & O. | 83⅝ | Reading | 80¼ |
| Chicago G. W. | 22¼ | Southern Ry. | 27⅝ |
| Chi., Mil. & St. P. | 126 | do pfd | 67 |
| De Beers | 18⅝ | Southern Pacific | 119⅝ |
| Denver & Rio G. | 32¼ | Union Pacific | 182½ |
| do pfd | 73¼ | do pfd | 96 |
| Erie | 31½ | U. S. Steel | 80⅝ |
| do 1st pfd | 50½ | do pfd | 122⅝ |
| do 2d pfd | 40 | Wabash | 17½ |
| Grand Trunk | 28⅝ | do pfd | 39⅞ |
| Illinois Central | 142 | Spanish 4s | 90 |

SILVER—Bar, steady at 24½d per ounce.

MONEY—2⅝@3⅛ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills is 2 5-16@2⅜ per cent.

### Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, April 3.—Closing quotations on stocks were as follows:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Allouez | 31½ | Mohawk | 35 |
| Amal. Copper | 61⅝ | Nevada Con. | 18¼ |
| Am. Zinc, L. & S. | 24½ | Nipissing Mines | 10⅜ |
| Ariz. Commercial | 13⅛ | North Butte | 27⅞ |
| Atlantic | 4 | **North Lake | 6 |
| Boston & C. Copper | 12 | Old Dominion | 36⅞ |
| Butte Coalition | 17⅝ | Osceola | 106 |
| Calumet & Arizona | 50 | Parrott | 11½ |
| Calumet & Hecla | 460 | Quincy | 67½ |
| Centennial | 12 | Shannon | 10 |
| Copper Range | 60 | Superior | 34 |
| East Butte Copper | 12 | Superior & Boston | 3⅞ |
| Franklin | 9 | Superior & Pittsburg | 14⅛ |
| Giroux Con. | 6 | Tamarack | 39 |
| Granby Con. | 30 | U. S. Smelting | 38⅞ |
| Greene Cananea | 6⅝ | do pfd | 45⅛ |
| Isle Royalle Copper | 12 | Utah Con. | 12 |
| Kerr Lake | 6⅛ | Utah Copper Co. | 44 |
| Lake Copper | 32 | Winona | 7 |
| La Salle Copper | 4 | *Wolverine | 116 |
| Miami Copper | 19 | | |

*Bid. **Asked.

### New York Curb Market.

The following quotations are furnished by Logan & Bryan, members New York Stock exchange, 315 South Sixteenth street:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Amer. Tobacco | 440 | Larose | 4⅛ |
| Bay State Gas | 28 | Nevada Cons. | 18⅞ |
| Butte Coalition | 18 | Newhouse | 90 |
| Cactus | 51 | Nevada-Utah | 1 11-16 |
| Chino | 22⅛ | Ohio Copper | 1½ |
| Chief Cons. | 1⅝ | Swift Pkg. Co. | 101⅞ |
| Fraction | 12 | Kerr Lake | 6⅛ |
| Davis-Daly | 1⅝ | Superior & Pitts. | 14⅞ |
| Ely Central | 3 | Tonopah Mining | 7⅛ |
| Ely Cons. | 19 | Trinity Copper | 4⅛ |
| Franklin | 9 | North Lake | 5 |
| Giroux | 6 | Bohemia | 2⅝ |
| Goldfield Florence | 1⅝ | Ojibway | 6 |
| Greene Cananea | 6⅝ | Hollinger | 9⅛ |
| Inspiration | 7⅛ | | |

### Local Securities.

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

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| Colorado Tele. Co. 7s | 54½ | 55 |
| Cudahy Packing Co. 5s, 1924 | 99⅞ | 99⅞ |
| Dempster Mill Mfg. Co. stock | 124 | 133 |
| Fairmont Creamery 1st g. 6 per cent. | 99⅛ | 100 |
| Fairmont Creamery pfd. 7s | 99 | 100 |
| Iowa Portland Cement 1st mtg. 6s | 97 | 98 |
| Kansas City R. & L. 5s, 1913 | 97⅞ | 98½ |
| Kansas City Stock Yards stock | 98 | 98 |
| Michigan State Tele. 5s, pfd | 98 | 98⅞ |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| New York Central 4½s notes | 99⅞ | 100⅛ |
| Omaha Country Club 5s, 1921 | 99⅛ | 100 |
| Omaha Water 5s, 1946 | 89½ | 90 |
| Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. 5s, 1928 | 97 | 97½ |
| O. & C. B. St. Ry. pfd, 5 p. c., ex-div | 82 | 83⅞ |
| Omaha & C. B. St. Ry. com., ex-div. | 47½ | 49⅞ |
| Omaha & C. B. Ry. & Bridge | 64 | 65½ |
| Omaha Electric Lt. pfd 5s | .. | 90 |
| Pacific T. & T. 5s, 1933 | 97⅞ | 97⅞ |
| Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone | 83 | 84 |
| Swift & Co., 1914 | 100⅛ | 101 |
| Southern Bell, T. & T. 5s | 96⅞ | 97 |
| Union Stock Yards stock | 93 | 94 |

### New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, April 4.—MONEY—On call, steady; 2@2⅝ per cent; ruling rate, 2¼ per cent; closing bid, 2 per cent; offered at 2¼ per cent; time loans, easy; sixty days, 2½@2⅝ per cent; ninety days, 2⅝@3 per cent; six months, 3@3¼ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@4¼ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.84 for sixty-day bills and at $4.8610@4.8615 for demand; commercial bills, $4.83½.

SILVER—Bar, 53⅛c; Mexican dollars, 45c.

BONDS — Government, firm; railroad, steady.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| U. S. ref. 2s, reg. | 101¼ | *Ill. Cen'l 1st ref. 4s | 96⅝ |
| do coupon | 101¼ | Inter. Met. 4½s | 78⅝ |
| U. S. 3s, reg. | 101⅝ | Inter. M. M. 4½s | 65½ |
| do coupon | 101⅝ | *Japan 4s | 88 |
| U. S. 4s, reg. | 115 | do 4½s | 93⅞ |
| do coupon | 115⅝ | *K. C. So. 1st 3s | 73⅝ |
| Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s | 76½ | *L. S. deb. 4s, 1931 | 92½ |
| *Am. Agri. 5s | 101¼ | L. & N. uni. 4s | 98⅛ |
| Am. T. & T. cv. 4s | 108⅛ | M., K. & T. 1st 4s | 97⅛ |
| Am. Tobacco 4s | 82⅛ | *do gen. 4½s | 86⅛ |
| do 6s | 108 | Mo. Pacific 4s | 75½ |
| Armour & Co. 4½s | 91⅞ | *N. Y. Cen'l g. 3½s | 88⅛ |
| Atchison gen. 4s | 98⅞ | do deb. 4s | 93⅛ |
| do cv. 4s | 109⅞ | *N. Y., N. H. & H. cv. 6s | 133 |
| do cv. 5s | 111 | N. & W. 1st c. 4s | 98⅝ |
| Atlantic C. L. 1st 4s | 94 | *do cv. 4s | 105 |
| B. & O. 4s | 98⅝ | No. Pacific 4s | 99⅛ |
| do 3½s | 92⅞ | do 3s | 70⅞ |
| *do S. W. 3½s | 90½ | Ore. S. L. rfdg. 4s | 94 |
| *Brooklyn Tr. cv. 4s | 84¼ | Penn. cv. 3½s, 1915 | 96⅝ |
| *Central of Ga. 5s | 107⅝ | *do con. 4s | 102 |
| Central Leather 5s | 94 | Reading gen. 4s | 97⅛ |
| *Cen'l of N. J. g. 5s | 122⅞ | St. L. & S. F. fg. 4s | 81⅞ |
| Ches. & O. 4½s | 100⅝ | do gen. 5s | 87⅛ |
| do ref. 5s | 96 | St. L. S. W. con. 4s | 78½ |
| *Chi. & Alton 3½s | 69½ | do 1st gold 4s | 91½ |
| C., B. & Q. jt. 4s | 96⅞ | Seaboard A. L. 4s | 75⅝ |
| do gen. 4s | 97 | *So. Pacific c. 4s | 91⅝ |
| C., M. & St. P. g. 3½s | 92⅞ | *do cv. 4s | 97⅞ |
| C., R. I. & P. c. 4s | 73⅞ | do 1st ref. 4s | 95⅛ |
| do rfg. 4s | 88⅝ | *So. Railway 5s | 106⅝ |
| Colo. Ind. 5s | 5½ | do gen. 4s | 78⅛ |
| *Colo. Midland 4s | 64 | Union Pacific 4s | 100⅞ |
| *Colo. & So. ref. and ext. 4½s | 98 | do cv. 4s | 104⅞ |
| | | do 1st and ref. 4s | 96⅞ |
| Del. & H. cv. 4s | 96⅛ | U. S. Rubber 6s | 103½ |
| *D. & R. G. 4s | 92⅛ | U. S. Steel 2d 5s | 106⅞ |
| do ref. 5s | 92½ | Va.-Caro. Chem'l 5s | 101⅛ |
| Distillers' 5s | 78⅛ | Wabash 1st 5s | 108½ |
| Erie prior lien 4s | 84⅞ | do 1st and ext. 4s | 69⅞ |
| *do gen. 4s | 75⅛ | *Western Md. 4s | 86½ |
| do cv. 4s, series A | 79 | *West. Elec. cv. 5s | 93½ |
| do cv. 4s, series B | 71½ | Wis. Central 4s | 92⅞ |
| **Gen'l Elec. cv. 5s | 147½ | Mo. Pacific cv. 5s | 94⅛ |

*Bid. **Offered.

### New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Alice | 200 | *Little Chief | 5 |
| Com. Tunnel, stock | 24 | Mexican | 300 |
| *do bonds | 19 | Ontario | 150 |
| Con. Cal. & Va. | 107 | Ophir | 132 |
| Horn Silver | 35 | *Standard | 100 |
| *Iron Silver | 160 | Yellow Jacket | 85 |
| *Leadville Con. | 10 | | |

*Offered.

### Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, April 4.—Bank clearings for today were $2,325,510.69 and for the corresponding date last year $2,627,148.94.

### Weather in the Grain Belt.

Generally unsettled weather prevails throughout the entire country. Snows are falling in the northwest, the upper Missouri valley, and rains are general in the central valleys and east to the Atlantic coast. The rains were quite heavy at points in the middle valleys within the last twenty-four hours, and were excessive in the lower Missouri valley. A fall of 3.76 inches was reported at Shreveport, La., and 3.02 inches at Memphis, Tenn. A change to slightly warmer has occurred in the upper valleys and east over the Ohio valley and lake region. No important change in temperature is shown in the west, except a change to colder weather is moving in over the extreme northwest, and this change will extend down the valleys, bringing colder to this vicinity by Wednesday. The weather will continue unsettled, with rain or snow, in this vicinity tonight and Wednesday.

| | 1911. | 1910. | 1909. | 1908. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lowest last night | 33 | 43 | 44 | 42 |
| Precipitation | .06 | .00 | .00 | .00 |

Normal temperature for today, 45 degrees.

Deficiency in precipitation since March 1, .27 of an inch.

Deficiency corresponding period, 1910, 1.59 inches.

Deficiency corresponding period, 1909, .85 of an inch.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

Record for the twenty-four hours ending 8 a. m. Tuesday:

OMAHA DISTRICT.

| Stations. | Temp. Max. | Temp. Min. | Rain-fall | Sky. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ashland, Neb. | 37 | 32 | .04 | Cloudy |
| Auburn, Neb. | 44 | 33 | .12 | Cloudy |
| Columbus, Neb. | 36 | 29 | .11 | Cloudy |
| Culbertson, Neb. | 45 | 25 | 1.05 | Cloudy |
| Fairbury, Neb. | 38 | 33 | .09 | Cloudy |
| Fairmont, Neb. | 35 | 29 | .17 | Raining |
| Gr. Island, Neb. | 42 | 30 | .00 | Cloudy |
| Hartington, Neb. | 32 | 28 | .12 | Cloudy |
| Hastings, Neb. | 36 | 28 | .16 | Cloudy |
| Holdrege, Neb. | 32 | 29 | .10 | Cloudy |
| *No. Platte, Neb. | 36 | 28 | .26 | Sleeting |
| Oakdale, Neb. | 31 | 29 | .06 | Cloudy |
| Omaha, Neb. | 37 | 32 | .06 | Raining |
| Tekamah, Neb. | 38 | 32 | .25 | Cloudy |
| *Valentine, Neb. | 32 | 26 | .01 | Snowing |
| Alta, Ia. | 33 | 25 | .00 | Cloudy |
| Carroll, Ia. | 45 | 25 | .00 | Cloudy |
| Clarinda, Ia. | 40 | 32 | .21 | Cloudy |
| Sibley, Ia. | 30 | 25 | .00 | Cloudy |
| *Sioux City, Ia. | 34 | 30 | .00 | Cloudy |

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

DISTRICT AVERAGES.

| District. | No. of Stations. | Temp. Max. | Temp. Min. | Rain-fall. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus, O. | 17 | 42 | 32 | .40 |
| Louisville, Ky. | 20 | 66 | 42 | .50 |
| Indianapolis, Ind. | 11 | 48 | 36 | .40 |
| Chicago, Ill. | 25 | 40 | 32 | .30 |
| St. Louis, Moo | 25 | 54 | 42 | .50 |
| Des Moines, Ia. | 17 | 34 | 30 | .40 |
| Minneapolis, Minn. | 30 | 32 | 24 | .10 |
| Kansas City, Mo. | 24 | 46 | 36 | .40 |
| Omaha, Neb. | 21 | 36 | 28 | .30 |

Snows are falling in the Dakotas and central Nebraska, and rains are general in all other portions of the corn and wheat region. Excessive falls are reported in all except the Columbus, Indianapolis, Chicago and Minneapolis districts. Freezing temperatures are still reported, except in the southern and eastern portions of the belt.

L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster Weather Bureau.

### Available Supply of Grain

NEW YORK, April 4.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies as compared with previous accounts: Available supplies, wheat, United States, east of Rockies, decreased 1,330,000 bushels; Canada, increased 543,000 bushels; total, United States and Canada, decreased 787,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, decreased 684,000 bushels. Total American and European supply decreased 1,471,000 bushels. Corn, United States and Canada, increased 147,000 bushels. Oats, United States and Canada, decreased 698,000 bushels. The leading decreases reported this week follow: Manitoba, 499,000 bushels; Omaha, 112,000 bushels; Portland, Me., 93,000 bushels; Chicago private elevators, 80,000; Louisville, 71,000 bushels. The visible supply of wheat in Canada April 1 was 11,966,000 bushels, an increase of 704,000 bushels.

### Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, April 4.—BUTTER—Steady; extra western creamery, 22c nearby prints, 24c.

EGGS—Firm; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, $5.10 per case; current receipts, free cases, $4.95 per case; western firsts, free cases, $5.10 per case; current receipts, $4.95 per case.

CHEESE—Quiet; New York full cream, fancy September, 13@13¼c; fair to good, 12@12¾c.

### Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 4.—WHEAT—May, 90⅝c; July, 92¼c; September, 88⅛@88⅞c. Cash No. 1 hard, 93⅛c; No. 1 northern, 92⅛@93c; No. 2 northern, 89@91c; No. 3 86@90c.

Flax closed at $2.48. Corn No. 3 yellow 45½@46c. No. 3 white oats 28⅛@29⅛c. Rye No. 2, 84c. Bran in 100 pound sacks $21.50@$22.00. Flour first patents $4.25@4.55; second patents $4.15@4.45; first clears $2.75@3.20; second clears $1.75@2.40.

### Peoria Market.

PEORIA, April 4.—CORN—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 45½@46c; No. 3 yellow, 44⅝c; No. 4 yellow, 42½c; No. 3 mixed, 44⅛c; No. 4 mixed, 42⅛c; samples, 35c.

OATS—Higher; No. 3 white, nominal, 30@30½c.

### Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, April 4.—Wheat No. 1 northern 95½@96½c; No. 2 northern 93½@94½c; May 85⅛c; July 86⅛c. Oats standard 31@1⁄2c. Barley malting 98@$1.08.

### Omaha Hay Market.

OMAHA, April 4.—HAY—No. 1, $11.00; No. 2, $10.00; packing, $9.00; alfalfa, $12.00. Straw: Wheat, $5.50; rye, $6.50; oats, $7.00.

### Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, April 4.—WHEAT—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures very firm; May, 6s 7⅛d; July, 6s 6⅛d; October, 6s 6⅛d.

CORN—Spot, easy; American mixed, new, 2s 11d; American mixed, old, 4s 11d; futures, firm; May, 4s 3½d; July, 4s 4⅛d.

### OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

BUTTER—Creamery, No. 1, delivered to the retail trade in 1-lb. cartons, 23c; No. 2, in 30-lb. tubs, 21c; No. 2, in 1-lb. cartons, 21c; packing stock, solid pack, 13c; dairy, in 60-lb. tubs, 14@16c. Market changes every Tuesday.

CHEESE—Twins, 14@15½c; Young Americas, 17@18c; daisies, 16c; triplets, 16c; limberger, 18c; No. 1 brick, 16c; imported Swiss, 32c; domestic Swiss, 22c; block Swiss, 19c.

POULTRY—Dressed broilers, under 2 lbs., $5.00 per doz.; hens, 15c; cocks, 11c; ducks, 18c; geese, 15c; turkeys, 26c; pigeons, per doz., $1.20; homer squabs, per doz., $4.00; fancy squabs, per doz., $3.50; No. 1, per doz., $3.00. Alive: Broilers, 35c, 1¼ to 1½ lbs., and 1½ to 2 lbs., 20c; smooth legs, 14c; hens, 12½c; stags, 10c; old roosters, 7c; old ducks, full feathered, 13½c; geese, full feathered, 5½c; turkeys, 14c; guinea fowls, 20c each; pigeons, per doz., 60c; homers, per doz., $3.00; squabs, No. 1, per doz., $1.50; No. 2, per doz., 50c; capons, over 8 lbs., 14c; old turkeys, 19c.

FISH (all frozen)—Pickerel, 6c; white, 7@10c; pike, 9c; trout, 11c; large crappies, 12@15c; Spanish mackerel, 19c; eel, 18c; haddock, 13c; flounders, 12c; green catfish, 16c; roe shad, 80c each; shad roe, per pair, 55c; frog legs, per doz., 35c; salmon, 8c; halibut, 9c; herring, 5½c.

FRUITS—Apples: Washington, Mo., Pippins, 4½ tier, per box, $2.25; Washington Red-cheek Pippins, 54-64-80-112 sizes, per box, $2.50; Washington Ganos, per box, $2.50. Bananas: Fancy select, per bunch, $2.25@2.50; Jumbo, bunch, $2.75@3.75. Dates: Anchor brand, new, 30 1-lb. pkgs. in boxes, per box, $2.00; bulk in 70-lb. boxes, per lb., 6½c. Figs: Turkish, 7-crown, per lb., 16c; 5-crown, per lb., 14c; 4-crown, per lb., 13c. Grape Fruit: Florida, 46-54-64-80 sizes, per box, $4.00; choice stock, 25c less. Lemons: Limoneira brand, extra fancy, 300-360 sizes, per box, $4.50; fancy, 300-360 sizes, per box, $4; 240 size, 50c per box less. Oranges: Camelia Redlands navels, all sizes, per box, $3.25; fancy navels, 80-96-126 sizes, $2.85; 150 and smaller sizes, $3. Pears: California Winter Nellis, per box, $2.75. Strawberries: Louisiana, per 24-pint case, $4.

VEGETABLES—Beans, string and wax, per hamper, $3.50@4.50. Beets, per bu., 75c. Cabbage, New York, per lb., 1⅜c. Carrots, per bu., 75c. Celery, California Jumbo, per doz. bunches, 85c. Cucumbers, hothouse, 1½ and 2 doz. in box, per doz., $2.00. Eggplant, fancy Florida, per doz., $2.00. Garlic, extra fancy, white, per lb., 15c. Lettuce, extra fancy leaf, per doz., 45c. Onions, Iowa, red and yellow, per lb., 3c; Indiana white, per lb., 3½c. Onion sets, white, per bu., 32 lbs., $1.75; yellow, per bu., 32 lbs., $1.25; red, per bu., 32 lbs., $1.50. Parsley, fancy southern, per doz. bunches, 50@65c. Parsnips, per lb., 2c. Potatoes, Early Ohio seed, sand soil, in sacks, per bu., $1.10; genuine Red River Early Ohio seed, per bu., $1.35; Iowa and Wisconsin, white stock, per bu., 75c; Colorado, per bu., 90c. Rutabagas, per lb., 1¼c. Tomatoes, Floridas, per 6-basket crate, fancy, $2.00@2.25; choice, $1.75. Turnips, per bu., 75c.

MISCELLANEOUS — Almonds: California soft shell, per lb., 18c; in sack lots, 1c less. Brazil Nuts: Per lb., 13c; in sack lots, 1c less. Cocoanuts: Per sack, $5.00; per doz., 75c. Filberts: Per lb., 14c; in sack lots, 1c less. Hickorynuts: Large, per lb., 5c; small, per lb., 6c. Peanuts: Roasted, per lb., 8c; raw, per lb., 6½c. Pecans: Large, per lb., 2½c; in sack lots, 1c less. Walnuts: Black, per lb., 2½c; California, per lb., 19c; in sack lots, 1c less. Cider: New York, Mott's, per bbl., $6.75. Honey: New, 24 frames, $3.75.

### NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

#### Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, April 4.—FLOUR—Quiet; spring patents, $4.75@5.05; winter straights, $3.65@3.80; winter patents, $4.00@4.40; spring clears, $3.70@4.00; winter extras, No. 1, $3.20@3.40; winter extras, No. 2, $3.05@3.15; Kansas straights, $4.10@4.25. Rye flour, firm; fair to good, $4.40@4.50; choice to fancy, $4.55@4.80. Buckwheat flour, quiet; American, $1.65 per 100 lbs., c. i. f., New York.

CORNMEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.15@1.20; coarse, $1.10@1.15; kiln dried, $2.75.

WHEAT—Spot market firm; No. 2 red, 91½c in elevator and 92½c, f. o. b., afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.04, f. o. b., afloat. Futures market was dull, but prices were firmer on the cables reports of a better cash demand and the firmness in the northwest, closing ⅜@½c net higher; May closed at 92⅛c; July, 92⅝c.

CORN—Spot market firm; export No. 2, 53½c, f. o. b., afloat. Futures market was without transactions, closing unchanged to ½c net advance; May closed at 54½c; July, 55½c.

OATS—Spot market steady. Futures market was without transactions, closing nominal.

HAY—Firm; prime, $1.05; No. 1, $1.00; No. 2, 95c; No. 3, 70@80c.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice, 1910, 25@29c; 1909, 18@21c; Pacific coast, 1910, 20@22c; 1909, 14@17c.

HIDES—Steady; Central America, 20¾c; Bogota, 21¼@22¼c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock firsts, 23½@25½c; seconds, 21½@23c; thirds, 21¼@23c; rejects, 16@17c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; mess, $20.50@21.00; family, $19.00@20.50; short clears, $17.50@19.00. Beef, steady; mess, $13.50@14.00; family, $15.00@15.50; beef hams, $27.00@29.00. Cut meats, quiet; pickled bellies, 10 to 14 pounds, 11@12½c; pickled hams, 11¼@12c. Lard, weak; middle west prime, $8.15@8.25; refined, barely steady; continent, $8.80; South America, $10.00; compound, $7.25@7.50.

TALLOW — Dull; prime city (hogsheads), 6c; country, 5⅝@6¼c.

CHEESE—Easy; state, whole milk, specials, 14¼@16c; September quality, fancy colored, 14c; September quality, white, 13@13½c; summer and fall make, choice, 12½@13c; summer and fall make, white, 11½@12½c.

EGGS—Steady; state and Pennsylvania and nearby hennery white, 18@21c; state, Pennsylvania and nearby gathered white, 17@19c; western gathered white, 17@18c; storage packed, firsts, 15¼@16½c.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery specials, 20½@21c; extras, 19¾c; firsts, 17@18c; seconds, 15½@16½c; factory, current make, firsts, 15½c; seconds, 14¼@15c.

POULTRY—Dressed, steady; western fowls, 14¼@16½c; turkeys, 15@20c.

### Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, April 4.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; muscovado, 89 test, 3.36c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.86c; molasses sugar, 89 test, 3.11c; refined, steady.

### Chicago Produce Market.

VEAL—Steady; 50 to 60-lb. wts., 6@7c; 60 to 85-lb. wts., 7@9c; 85 to 110-lb. wts., 9½@10c.

## PIONEER RANCHER TAKES STRYCHNINE AT CHEYENNE

### Phillip Hamm Ends His Life Following Application of His Wife for Divorce.

SHERIDAN, Wyo., April 4.—(Special Telegram.) — Phillip Hamm, a prominent rancher and one of the pioneers of Sheridan county, committed suicide yesterday on his ranch, two and one-half miles south of this city, by swallowing strychnine. His body was discovered lying on a lounge in the house by two of the ranch hands when they returned from work in the evening. He had apparently been dead for several hours. At the inquest, held at Sheridan this morning, a coroner's jury confirmed the suicide theory. Worry over domestic troubles is supposed to have been the cause. He and his wife separated several days ago, the latter applying for a divorce. Notice of the suit was served upon him last week.

## CARDINAL INJURED BY AUTO

### Archbishop of Malines Has Narrow Escape From Death When Machine Collides with Tree.

WATERLOO, Belgium, April 4.—Cardinal Desideratus Mercier, archbishop of Malines, had a narrow escape from death today in an automobile collision. The chauffeur, in seeking to avoid a woman, swerved the machine, which dashed into a tree and was wrecked. The cardinal was badly cut about the face and several of his teeth were knocked out. The chauffeur was seriously injured.

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# ALASKAN LOCATORS WIN POINT

## Court Leaves Government Little Ground to Secure Conviction.

## PROSECUTION PROBABLY TO END

### Judge Raises New Point and Refuses to Grant Motion to Acquit Defendants of Fraudulent Locations.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 4.—The government lost its first battle today in the effort to punish the alleged fraudulent locators of Alaska coal lands. Judge Cornelius H. Hanford, in the United States district court, although he overruled the motion to instruct the jury to acquit Charles F. Munday, E. E. Siegley and Archie Shiels, sustained all the vital points contended for by the defendants.

The ground on which the court refused to grant the motion to acquit was not raised by counsel for either side in the suit, but by the judge himself. It leaves the government so little room to stand on that it is said to be practically assured that the prosecution will be dropped.

The lands in question are the English, or Sir Edward Stracey group. They are said to be richer even than the Cunningham claims. Estimates of their value range from $100,000,000 to a much larger sum.

The defendants, together with Algernon Stracey, a brother of Sir Edward Stracey, were indicted at Tacoma last fall, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government. Stracey remained in Vancouver, B. C., and avoided arrest.

The court's decision today sustained all the contentions of the defendants, but raised a new one in the following words: "A foreign corporation cannot lawfully acquire or hold a coal claim in Alaska either in its corporate name or in the name of any agent or trustee. Therefore, for the reason that the indictment charges a conspiracy to acquire coal claims or proprietary rights to coal claims in Alaska for a foreign corporation, it must be sustained as a valid indictment and the objection to the introduction of evidence must be overruled."

## DEATH CUTS SHORT PRISON SENTENCE OF BOY SLAYER

### Sidney Kennison Preble, Eighteen Years Old, Dies After Serving Three Years.

THOMASTON, Me., April 4.—Death brought to an early end today the life sentence which Sidney Kennison Preble, 18 years old, was serving in the state prison here for the murder of his chum, Norris W. Heath. Young Preble was but 15 years old and weighed eighty pounds when committed to prison on September 6, 1907. His health had failed during his imprisonment.

It was fear of a bigger boy that led young Preble to cimmit the crime, according to the lad's confession.

"Because I kicked Norris' dog, he said he'd kill me. He was bigger than me, so I had to kill him," was the substance of the boy's statement.

## NEGROES CAN'T BE STOPPED

### Canadian Minister of the Interior Oliver Says Laws Do Not Prohibit Entry of Colored People.

OTTAWA, April 4.—The movement of negroes into western Canada to take up free homesteads was brought up in Parliament today by Mr. Thoburn, an Ontario member.

He said they are not suited to Canadian conditions and would not make desirable settlers. The government, he declared, should do something to discourage the movement.

Minister of the Interior Oliver replied that the Canadian laws do not prohibit the entry of negro settlers and the government could only administer the law. While the situation was being carefully watched, the government had not yet seen fit to take drastic action.

J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of Greensburg, Ky., says, "We use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our own household and know it is excellent." For sale by all dealers.

# United States and England to Arbitrate New Zealand Claim

### Heirs of Captain Webster Want Compensation for Claims Asserted Deeded by Maori Chiefs.

VANCOUVER, April 4.—Great Britain and the United States have agreed to arbitrate the Webster claim, involving ownership of millions of acres of land in New Zealand. This was announced today by Dr. J. G. Findlay, attorney general of New Zealand, who, with Sir Joseph Ward, premier of the commonwealth, reached here today from the Antipodes, en route to London. The personnel of the board has not yet been settled.

The claimants are descendants of Captain J. Webster, a New Bedford (Mass.) whaler who operated in the south seas in the early '30s, making his headquarters in New Zealand at a period before Great Britain established a government in the islands.

The claim has been pending before the American State department for years. The claimants demand compensation for lands which, it is maintained, were given Captain Webster by various Maori chiefs. These lands, after the captain's death, became vested in the crown and were subsequently occupied by settlers. They comprise some of the most fertile areas in New Zealand.

Webster, dying in the United States, left a will bequeathing his New Zealand rights to his heirs, whose claim has been pressed by the United States for many years.

The claim will be opposed on the ground that Great Britain, by its early navigators, had proclaimed sovereignty over New Zealand long before a colonial government was set up there, and that in any event any agreement between Captain Webster, an American citizen, and Maori chiefs is not binding on the British government.

# Mabray Pugilist is to Be Brought Back to Council Bluffs

### Harry Forbes Arrested When United States Court Refuses to Grant New Trial.

CHICAGO, April 4.—Harry Forbes, former bantamweight champion pugilist, who fought Champion Coulon at Menosha last week, was arrested late today and turned over to a deputy United States marshal from Council Bluffs, Ia. The marshal departed for Council Bluffs with Forbes tonight.

The prize fighter was arrested when the United States district court refused to grant him a new trial in the Mabray swindling cases, for which he was convicted two years ago.

Forbes was convicted in the United States court, together with eleven others, for participation in a series of swindles by means of "fake" foot races and boxing and wrestling matches. He was sentenced to a year in the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, but was released on bond after serving a month.

He said today he would appeal to the United States supreme court and expects to be released again on bond.

AINSWORTH, Neb., April 4.—(Special Telegram.)—Jimmie Griffin alias J. E. Wilson under indictment of the federal court at Omaha for complicity in the Mabray case was apprehended twelve miles south of here yesterday by Sheriff Reed on information furnished by daughters of Postmaster Short. Griffin was stopping at the Bert Creamer ranch and had called for mail here and was arrested on suspicion. He was today identified by Postoffice Inspector Ranger, who will take him to Omaha. A reward of $200 was offered for Griffin's apprehension.

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# State Bonds For Sale

The State of Nebraska owns in various school funds the following state bonds, and the Legislature has passed a law authorizing the sale of same, bonds to be sold at not less than par, and accrued interest:

| Name. | Amount. | Rate. | Date When Due. | Optional. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alabama | $100,000 | 4 | July 1 .....1956 | No. |
| California | 525,000 | 4 | Jan. 2 .....1924 | Jan. 2, 1914. |
| Colorado | 35,000 | 4 | Sept. 1 .....1922 | Sept. 1, 1912. |
| Delaware | 20,000 | 3 | Dec. 1 .....1927 | Dec. 1, 1922. |
| Idaho | 430,500 | 4 | July 1 .....1925 | July 1, 1910-15. |
| Idaho | 256,000 | 4 | April 1 .....1927 | April 1, 1917. |
| Idaho | 18,000 | 4 | May 8 .....1927 | May 8, 1917. |
| Idaho | 5,000 | 4 | July 1 .....1927 | July 1, 1917. |
| Louisiana | 57,600 | 4 | July 1 .....1914 | No. |
| Maryland | 150,000 | 3 | May 18.....1914 | Jan. 8, 1909. |
| Massachusetts | 92,000 | 3½ | Jan. 1 .....1942 | No. |
| Massachusetts | 213,000 | 3½ | Jan. 1 .....1938 | No. |
| Massachusetts | 212,000 | 3½ | July 1 .....1935 | No. |
| Massachusetts | 120,000 | 3½ | Jan. 1 .....1943 | No. |
| Massachusetts | 3,000 | 3½ | May 1 .....1923 | No. |
| Massachusetts | 198,000 | 3½ | Jan.-Apr. 1, 1945 | No. |
| Massachusetts | 25,000 | 3½ | Aug. 1 .....1913 | No. |
| Massachusetts | 99,000 | 3-3½ | Serially..12 years | No. |
| Minnesota | 100,000 | 4½ | Aug. 1 .....1911 | No. |
| Mississippi | 200,000 | 3½ | July 1 .....1934 | July 5, 1914. |
| Mississippi | 347,000 | 4 | Aug. 1 .....1916 | No. |
| Mississippi | 10,000 | 4 | Jan. 1 .....1919 | No. |
| North Carolina | 50,000 | 4 | Jan. 1 .....1913 | No. |
| Tennessee | 718,700 | 3 | July 1 .....1913 | No. |
| Tennessee | 4,000 | 4½ | Oct. 1 .....1913 | No. |
| Tennessee | 67,400 | 3 | Jan.-July 1, 1913 | July 1, 1888. |
| Tennessee | 3,100 | 3 | July 1 .....1913 | July 1, 1888. |
| Utah | 40,000 | 4 | July 1 .....1916 | No. |

All of the said bonds, excepting California bonds, are stamped with rubber stamp as follows: "This belongs to the Permanent School Fund of the State of Nebraska, and is not negotiable. Walter A. George, State Treasurer." The same is released by House Roll No. 49.

Sealed bids will be received for said bonds at the office of the State Treasurer at 10 A. M., on April 20, 1911. Bidders must be prepared to accept delivery or put up forfeits for delivery on above date.

Lincoln, Neb., 3-31-11.

WALTER A. GEORGE, State Treasurer.