GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Expert Snow's Estimate on Reserves in Wheat Raises Figures.

CORN MOVEMENT IS LIGHTER

Market Has Reached New High Prices and with Lighter Receipts and Active Cash Demand It Should Keep Bulls Busy

OMAHA, March 1, 1912.

There was a correction made in Expert Snow's estimate on wheat reserves, raising the figures to about 125,000,00 bu. It took the trade some little time at the opening to get their bearings, but with this correction even the situation is still bullish, compared with reserves a year ago of 100,000,000 bu.

The cash wheat business and demand have improved and Liverpool is very active and higher and the strength in corn values is also a help in putting wheat prices higher.

The movement in corn is becoming lighter, and all arrivals during the recent run have been readily absorbed at higher price levels.

The market has reached new high price levels and with lighter receipts and continued active cash demand it should be easy to keep the bull market going.

Wheat advanced steadily on higher cables, improved cash demand and higher corn market. Cash wheat was ½@1c higher.

Lighter receipts of corn and a very active cash demand brought out new buying and values made new high points. Cash corn was 1@2c higher.

Primary wheat receipts were 314,000 bu. and shipments were 525,000 bu., against receipts last year of 230,000 bu. and shipments of 247,000 bu.

Primary corn receipts were 671,000 bu. and shipments were 324,000 bu., against receipts last year of 632,000 bu. and shipments of 411,000 bu.

Clearances were 208,000 bu. of corn, 2000 bu. of oats and wheat and flour equal to 229,000 bu.

Liverpool closed ½@¾d higher on wheat and ½@¾d higher on corn.

The following cash sales were reported: Wheat, none sold. Corn: No. 3 white, 1 car, 64½c; 1 car, 64¼c; No. 4 white, 1 car, 64½c; No. 4 color, 1 car, 63c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car, 65c; No. 4 yellow, 4 cars, 64½c; 1 car, 63½c; 1 car, 62c; 5 cars, 61½c; 1 car, 61c; No. 5 mixed, 1 car, 60c; 1 car, 59½c; 2 cars, 59c; No. 4 mixed, 4 cars, 62c; 6 cars, 61½c; 1 car, 61c; no grade, 1 car, 60c; 1 car, 59c. Oats: No. 3 white, 3 cars, 31½c; No. 4 white, 1 car, 31½c; no grade, 1 car, 30½c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.01@1.04½; No. 3 hard, $1.00@1.02½; No. 4 hard, 96½c@$1.02.

CORN—No. 2 white, 64½@64¾c; No. 4 white, 63½@64½c; No. 3 color, 63½@64½c; No. 3 yellow, 63½@64c; No. 4 yellow, 62½@63c; No. 3 white, 63½@65c; No. 4, 60½@62c; no grade, 58@60c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 31½@32c; standard, 31½@31½c; No. 3 white, 31½@31½c; No. 4 white, 30½@31½c; No. 3 yellow, 31½@31½c; No. 4 yellow, 30½@31c.

BARLEY—Malting, 86c@$1.28; No. 1 feed, 84@86c; rejected, heavier than feed, 82@84c.

RYE—No. 2, 89@92c; No. 3, 90@91c.

Carlot Receipts.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	54	206	124
Minneapolis	113	...	...
Omaha	13	62	21
Duluth	9	...	...

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, March 1.—Wheat shot upward today impelled by news that the stock on hand in Liverpool was not enough to last two weeks. The market closed strong, 1½c to 1⅝@1¾c over the figures of twenty-four hours before. All the other leading staples, too, scored a sharp advance—corn 1@1½c to 1⅝@1¾c, oats ⅝@¾c, and hog products 7@10c. Last trading left wheat at the topmost point of the session and nearly 4c up in two days. The pit was bare of offerings at the start, speculators almost unanimously plunging on the bull side because of the unexpected strength of prices at Liverpool. Crop complaints from winter wheat states added to the explosive force under the market. Active cash demand at Minneapolis had a similar effect. Heavy realizing was in evidence on the bulge, but failed to bring about any important setback. Between the opening and the close May ranged from $1.00⅝ to $1.04, with the finish at $1.04⅛@1.04, a rise of 1⅝@1¾c net.

Corn made another high record, going to 70½c for May and all other months. May fluctuated from 69⅝c to 70½c, closing firm, with a ⅝@¾c net advance, 70⅛@70½c. Cash grades were strong. No. 2 yellow was quoted at 67½@68c for carlots. The feature of a new high record for the crop was duplicated in oats. Outside limits for May were 31⅝c and 32⅝c, with the close 32½c, a gain of ⅝@¾c since last night.

In the end pork showed a greater cost of 10@15c and the rest of the list 7½@10c.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday.
Wheat—					
May	1 00⅝	1 04⅛	1 00⅝	1 04⅛	1 01⅛
July	97⅝	97⅞	96⅝	97⅝@¾	96⅝@⅞
Sept.	95⅛@⅜	96⅝	95	96⅝	94⅝
Corn—					
May	69⅝@⅞	70½	69⅝	70⅛@¼	68⅝@⅞
July	69⅝@⅞	70⅛	69⅝	70⅛	69⅛@⅜
Sept.	69⅝@⅞	70⅛	69⅝	70⅛	69⅛@⅜
Oats—					
May	32⅛@⅜	32⅝	32⅛	32⅝@¾	32⅛
July	31⅝@32	32⅛@¼	31⅝	32⅛	31⅝@⅞
Sept.	31⅝	32	31⅝	31⅞	31⅝
Pork, per bbl—					
May	15 22½	15 30	15 22½	15 45	15 32½
July	15 05	15 17½	15 05	15 12½@	15 05
Sept.	15 07½	15 02½	15 07½	15 00	14 95
Lard, per 100 lbs—					
May	9 27½	9 35	9 27½	9 30	9 22½
July	9 42½	9 50	9 42½	9 47½	9 37½
Sept.	9 57½	9 67½	9 57½	9 65	9 55
Ribs, per 100 lbs—					
May	4 62½	4 62½	4 60	4 62½	4 57
July	4 80	4 70	4 60	4 70	4 62½
Sept.	4 80	4 87½	4 80	4 87½	4 77½

Cash quotations were as follows: FLOUR—Steady; winter patents, $4.20@4.40; winter straights, $3.80@4.80; spring patents, $5.70@6.80; spring straights, $4.80@4.70; bakers, $3.60@5.00.

RYE—No. 2, 90c.

BARLEY—Feed or mixing, 70@90c; fair to choice malting, $1.12@1.28.

SEED—Timothy, $11.00@14.50; clover, $14.00@22.00.

PROVISIONS—Mess pork, new $15.30; old, $15.25; lard (in tierces), $9.00; short ribs (loose), $9.37½.

GRAIN STATISTICS.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 229,000 bushels. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreet's, were equal to 3,280,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 314,000 bushels, compared with 235,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 322 cars; corn, 1175 cars; oats, 177 cars; hogs, 24,000 head.

Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat, No. 2 red, $1.02@1.04; No. 3 red, $1.00@1.03½; No. 2 hard, $1.02@1.04; No. 3 hard, $1.00@1.02; No. 4 hard, $1.00@1.04; No. 1 northern, $1.03@1.12; No. 2 northern, $1.01@1.11; No. 3 northern, $1.00@1.08; No. 2 spring, $1.00@1.08; No. 3 spring, $1.00@1.08; No. 4 spring, 90c@$1.03; velvet chaff, 90@$1.08; durum, 90c@$1.07. Corn, No. 2 yellow, 72c; No. 3, 69@69½c; No. 4 white, 69c; No. 3 yellow, 69½@70c; No. 4, 68½@69c; No. 4 white, 64½@64½c; No. 4 yellow, 67@68c. Oats, No. 2 white, 32½@34c; No. 3 white, 31@33½c; No. 4 white, 30@32c; standard, 33½@34c.

RYE—No. 2, 90c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

TIMOTHY SEED—$11.00@14.50.

CLOVER SEED—$16.00@22.00.

BUTTER—Steady; creameries, 26@32c; dairies, 22@28c.

EGGS—Weak; receipts, 5,292 cases; at mark, cases included, 20½@21c; ordinary firsts, 21c; firsts, 22c.

CHEESE—Steady; daisies, 17½@17¾c; twins, 16½@17c; young Americas, 17½@17¾c; long horns, 14½@17½c.

POTATOES—Steady; receipts 78 cars; Wisconsin, $1.65@1.70; Michigan and Minnesota, $1.60@1.70.

POULTRY—Easy; turkeys, live, 14c; turkeys, dressed, 18c.

VEAL—Steady at 7@11c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 1.—WHEAT—Spot, nominal; futures, strong; March, 7s 11¾d; May, 7s 8¾d; July, 7s 5¼d.

CORN—Spot, steady; American mixed, new, 5s 6d; American mixed, old, 5s 11½d; American, mixed, new, kiln dried, 6s 7d; futures, firm; March, 5s 7½d; May, 5s 7¾d.

Provision Stocks at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, March 1.—The following are the stocks of breadstuffs and provisions in Liverpool: Flour, 180,000 sacks; wheat, 67,000 centals; corn, 174,000 sacks; lard, 2,700 boxes; bacon, 4,900 boxes; shoulders, 1,800 boxes; butter, 1,400 cwts.; cheese, 23,300 boxes; lard, 8,000 tierces of prime western steam and 1,500 tons of other kinds.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, March 1.—FLOUR—Firm; $4.30@4.35; winter patents, $4.50@4.80; spring clears, $4.30@4.45; Kansas straights, $4.70@4.85. Rye flour, steady; fair to good, $4.85@4.95; choice to fancy, $5.00@5.25. Buckwheat flour, dull, $2.90.

CORNMEAL—Firm; fine white and yellow, $1.65@1.70; coarse, $1.55@1.60; kiln dried, $1.85.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2, 91c c. i. f., Buffalo.

BARLEY—Steady; malting, $1.22@1.32, c. i. f., Buffalo.

WHEAT—Spot market strong; No. 2 red, $1.09⅛, elevator, export basis and $1.05½, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.22, f. o. b. afloat. Futures market was strong and higher on the cables, further bullish private reports on the farm reserves and crop outlook and in sympathy with the outside markets, closing 1¼@1⅝c net higher. May, $1.06⅛@1.07⅛, closed at $1.07 1-16; July, $1.02⅞@1.03⅛, closed at $1.02⅞. Receipts, 37,600 bu.; shipments, 119,196 bu.

CORN—Spot market firm; No. 2, 75½c, elevator, domestic basis, and export, 1c, nominal, f. o. b. afloat. Futures market was nominal. Receipts, 49,500 bu.; shipments, 129,189 bu.

OATS—Spot market firm; standard white, 60½c, elevator; No. 2, 61c; Nos. 3 and 4, 60½c; natural white and white clipped, 60@63½c. Futures market nominal. Receipts, 61,000 bu.; shipments, 2,185 bu.

HAY—Steady; prime, $1.35; No. 1, $1.30@1.35; No. 2, $1.15@1.20; No. 3, $1.05.

HIDES—Steady; Central America, 23½c; Bogota, 23½@24½c.

LEATHER—Firm; hemlock firsts, 23@26c; seconds, 24@26c.

PROVISIONS—Pork, steady; mess, $17.25@17.50; family, $18.50@19.50; short clears, $17.00@18.50. Beef, firm; mess, $18.00@19.50; family, $19.00@21.50; beef hams, $27.50@29.50. Cut meats, quiet; pickled bellies, 10 to 14 pounds, $9.00; pickled hams, $11.00. Lard, firm; middle west prime, $9.60@9.65; refined, quiet; continent, $9.40; South America, $10.10; compound, 6.87½@7.12½.

TALLOW—Dull; prime city, hhds., $6.00; special, $6.10; country, $5.75@6.25.

BUTTER—Receipts, 5,582 pkgs.; process, specials, 27@27½c; extra, 26½c.

CHEESE—Receipts, 1,670 pkgs.; market firm; state, whole milk, held, specials, white, 18c; daisies, fall and earlier, best, 18c.

EGGS—Receipts, 15,468 cases; market unchanged; fresh gathered, extras, 26@26c; first, 27c; seconds, 20@24½c; western, gathered, whites, 27@28c.

POULTRY—Alive, steady; western chickens, 13c; fowls, 15½@16c; turkeys, 18c. Dressed, quiet; western chickens, 12½@16c; fowls, 12½c; turkeys, 12@21c.

St. Louis General Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 1.—WHEAT—Cash, firm; track, No. 2 red, $1.02½; No. 2 hard, $1.02@1.11½.

CORN—Higher; track, No. 2, 66@67c; No. 3 white, 67@68c.

OATS—Higher; track, No. 2, 54c; No. 3 white, 54½c.

Closing prices of futures:

WHEAT—Higher; May, $1.01⅛@1.02; July, 96⅝c.

CORN—Higher; May, 70⅝c; July, 71⅞c.

OATS—Higher; May, 53⅝c; July, 48½c.

RYE—Unchanged; 90c.

FLOUR—Steady; red winter patents, $4.60@4.75; extra fancy and straight, $3.50@4.25; hard winter clears, $3.25@3.35.

SEED—Timothy, $10.00@10.50.

CORNMEAL—$2.30.

BRAN—Lower, sacked east track, $1.27@1.30.

HAY—Firm; timothy, $21.00@25.00; prairie, $13.00@18.00.

PROVISIONS—Pork, unchanged; jobbing, $15.25. Lard, unchanged; prime steam, $9.67½@9.87. Dry salt meats, higher; boxed extra shorts, $9.25; clear ribs, $9.25; short clears, $9.62½. Bacon, higher; boxed extra shorts, $9.75; clear ribs, $9.75; short clears, $9.87½.

POULTRY—Firm; chickens, 13c; spring, 16c; turkeys, 16c; ducks, 15c; geese, 9c.

BUTTER—Firm; 24@29c.

EGGS—Lower, 21½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	6,400	9,200
Wheat, bu.	25,000	21,000
Corn, bu.	62,000	62,000
Oats, bu.	60,000	28,000

Kansas City Grain and Provisions.

KANSAS CITY, March 1.—WHEAT—½c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.00@1.06; No. 1, 99½c@$1.06½; No. 2 red, $1.00@1.01; No. 3, 96@99½c.

CORN—½c higher; No. 2 mixed, 66@66½c; No. 3, 66@67c; No. 2 white, 69@70c; No. 3, 68c.

Closing prices of futures:

WHEAT—May, $1.01⅝@1.02; July, 93½@93c sellers.

CORN—May, 71½c; July, 69½@70c sellers.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 35½@36c; No. 3 mixed, 33½@35c.

RYE—$1@94c.

HAY—Steady; choice timothy, $20.00@21.50; choice prairie, $14.00@15.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, 27c; firsts, 24c; seconds, 22c; packing stock, 22@23½c.

EGGS—Extras, 22c; firsts, 20c; seconds, 16c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Wheat, bushels	1,000	45,000
Corn, bushels	56,000	72,000
Oats, bushels	4,000	16,000

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 1.—WHEAT—May, $1.07⅛; July, $1.00⅞. Cash: No. 1 hard, $1.09⅛; No. 1 northern, $1.08⅛@1.09⅛; No. 2 northern, $1.06⅛@1.06⅞; No. 3, $1.04@1.04½.

FLAX—$2.00.

BARLEY—70@$1.25.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 65@66c.

OATS—No. 3 white, 30@30½c.

RYE—No. 2, 87@87½c.

BRAN—$25.00@25.50.

FLOUR—First patents, $5.00@5.30; second patents, $4.60@4.80; first clears, $3.40@3.60; second clears, $2.30@2.70.

Philadelphia Produce Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 1.—BUTTER—Unchanged.

EGGS—Sixty cents per case lower; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, $7.80 per case; current receipts, free cases, $7.10 per case; western firsts, free cases, $7.80 per case; current receipts, free cases, $7.10 per case.

CHEESE—Firmer; New York full creams, fancy, 18½c; fair to good, 17½@18c.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, March 1.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, $1.11@1.12; No. 2 northern, $1.09@1.10; No. 2 hard winter, $1.04; May, $1.03@1.03½; July, 97½c.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 66½c; No. 3 white, 66½c; No. 3, 65@66½c; May, 70½c; July, 71½c.

OATS—Standard, 33½@33½c.

Peoria Market.

PEORIA, March 1.—CORN—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 64½c; No. 4 yellow, 63½c; No. 3 mixed, 64½c; No. 4 mixed, 61½c; sample, 60½c.

OATS—Higher; No. 2 white, 35c; standard, 33½c; No. 3 white, 32½c.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.—METALS—Copper, firm; spot, $14.20@14.37½; March and April, $14.25@14.37½; May, June and July, $14.37½@14.37½. London market, firm; spot, £64 12s 6d; futures, £65 7s 6d. Custom house returns show exports of 24,407 tons for February. Lake copper, $14.50@14.75; electrolytic, $14.50@14.62½; casting, $13.87½@14.12½. Tin, easy; spot, $42.50@43.00; March, $42.62½@42.50; April, $42.00@42.50; May, $41.95@42.00; June, $41.62½@41.87½; July, $41.25@41.50. London market, steady; spot, £189 15s; futures, £189 5s. Local sales, ten tons May at $42.00. Lead, firm; $4.00@4.10, New York and $3.95@4.00 at East St. Louis. London, £15 12s 9d. Spelter, firm; $6.70@6.80, New York and $6.62½@6.75 at East St. Louis. London, £26 10s. Antimony, quiet; Cookson's, $7.25. Iron, Cleveland warrants, 49s 7d in London. Locally iron was quiet; No. 1 foundry northern, $14.75@15.25; No. 2, $14.25@14.75; No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft, $14.75@15.25.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 1.—METALS—Lead, firm at $4.00@4.05; spelter, higher at $6.75.

Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.—COTTON—Spot closed unchanged; middling uplands, 10.40c; middling gulf, 10.65c. Sales, 32,500 bales.

Cotton futures closed quiet and steady. Closing bids: March, 10.13c; April, 10.19c; May, 10.20c; June, 10.34c; July, 10.39c; August, 10.52c; September, 10.31c; October, 10.41c; November, 10.43c; December, 10.46c; January, 10.46c.

New York Mining Stocks.

BOSTON, March 1.—Closing quotations on mining stocks were:

Adventure	300	*Little Chief	5
Allouez	300	*Ophir	140
Amalgamated	11	Osceola	85
Arcadian Consol.	3	Parrot	15
Arizona Comm'l	11	Pond Creek	1
Bingham	50	Quincy	74
Calumet & Hecla	525	Santa Fe	2
Centennial	12	Shannon	7
Copper Range	55	Superior	111
Daly West	20	Tamarack	70
Elm River	1	Trinity	12
Franklin	8	Tuolumne	1
Granby	100	U. S. Smelting	57
Greene-Cananea	6	U. S. Smelting, pfd.	44
Hancock Consol.	15	Utah Apex	2
Indiana	25	Utah Consol.	14
Indiana Mining	3	Utah Copper	57
Isle Royale	29	Vulcan	3
Kerr Lake	5	Wolverine	170
Lake	3	Wyandot	1
Mass. Gas	48		
Mass. Gas, pfd.	92		
Michigan	1		
Mohawk	58		
Nevada Con.	17		
Old Dominion	60		
Osceola	85		

*Ex-dividend.

Total sales for the day, 421,300 shares.

Boston Stock Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Closing quotations on stocks were as follows:

Allouez	41	Mohawk	54
Amal. Copper	68⅛	Nevada Con.	19
A. T. & S. F.	134	Nipissing Mines	8
B. & O.	108	North Butte	73
Can. & Arizona	41½	North Lake	2½
Can. & Hecla	480	Old Dominion	65
Centennial	21½	Osceola	89½
Chi. Range C. C.	55½	Parrot S. & C.	34
East Butte C. M.	18	Shannon	7½
Franklin	13	Superior	111
Greene Cananea	6	Superior & P. M.	158
Isle Royale Copper	24½	do pfd	47½
Kerr Lake	5	Utah Con.	14½
Lake Copper	3½	Utah Copper Co.	57½
La Salle Copper	7	Winona	7½
Miami Copper	21	Wolverine	169½

*Ex-dividend.

Imports at New York.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Imports of merchandise and dry goods at the port of New York for the week ending February 24 were valued at $16,985,472.

Imports of specie at this port for the week ending today were $155,949 silver and $56,004 gold; exports, $1,050,036 silver and $287,700 gold.

REPORT OF CLEARING HOUSE

Transactions of Associated Banks for the Week.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending February 29 shows an aggregate of $3,110,522,000, as against $2,705,029,000 last week and $3,275,581,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the cities:

CITIES.	Amount.	Inc.	Dec.
New York	$1,735,575,000	.....	10.2
Chicago	291,458,000	2	.....
Boston	202,234,000	22.7	.....
Philadelphia	145,029,000	.....	17.2
St. Louis	74,994,000	.....	2.2
Kansas City	49,294,000	.....	3.0
Pittsburgh	35,294,000	.....	10.4
San Francisco	50,058,000	2.7	.....
Baltimore	24,812,000	.....	2.1
Cincinnati	25,352,000	.1	.....
Minneapolis	20,402,000	5.2	.....
New Orleans	27,396,000	45.7	.....
Cleveland	17,885,000	.....	5.0
Detroit	19,679,000	8.9	.....
Los Angeles	21,812,000	.....	4.0
OMAHA	16,826,000	1.2	.....
Milwaukee	15,135,000	.....	5.9
Louisville	15,600,000	7.2	.....
Atlanta	14,000,000	18.2	.....
Portland, Ore.	11,089,000	.....	2.2
Seattle	10,925,000	.....	5.9
St. Paul	14,261,000	7.7	.....
Buffalo	10,302,000	1.2	.....
Denver	8,869,000	.....	5.1
Indianapolis	8,454,000	.....	17.1
Providence	8,348,000	7.2	.....
Richmond	8,768,000	13.3	.....
Washington	7,625,000	4.3	.....
Memphis	5,761,000	21.7	.....
St. Joseph	7,750,000	.....	22.4
Salt Lake City	8,250,000	29.1	.....
Fort Worth	4,045,000	28.5	.....
Albany	6,611,000	15.4	.....
Columbus	5,173,000	.....	6.4
Savannah	4,196,000	.....	17.9
Toledo	4,172,000	.....	11.4
Nashville	5,422,000	22.4	.....
Hartford	4,702,000	.....	.4
Spokane	3,949,000	.....	6.5
Tacoma	4,305,000	1.6	.....
Des Moines	4,234,000	.....	24.4
Rochester	4,656,000	.....	10.9
Duluth	3,091,000	4.6	.....
Macon	3,760,000	21.6	.....
Oakland	3,500,000	11.8	.....
Norfolk	3,620,000	5.8	.....
Wichita	2,225,000	2.5	.....
Peoria	3,727,000	.....	3.9
New Haven	2,859,000	.....	13.8
Jacksonville, Fla.	3,476,000	20.5	.....
Scranton	2,574,000	.....	1.3
Grand Rapids	2,903,000	1.1	.....
Birmingham	2,770,000	.....	3.2
Sioux City	2,551,000	.....	6.1
Augusta, Ga.	2,262,000	177.2	.....
Syracuse	2,531,000	.....	7.5
Evansville	2,195,000	.....	2.0
Worcester	2,451,000	.....	11.6
Springfield, Mass.	2,213,000	4.7	.....
Dayton	2,028,000	.....	19.0
Oklahoma City	1,890,000	.....	29.9
Portland, Me.	2,152,000	3.8	.....
Chattanooga	2,732,000	67.6	.....
Little Rock	1,992,000	2.	.....
Charleston	1,880,000	13.	.....
Wheeling	1,778,000	2.6	.....
Knoxville	2,105,000	19.3	.....
San Diego	2,625,000	30.2	.....
Lincoln	1,702,000	.....	2.9
Reading	1,676,000	.....	5.7
Topeka	1,556,000	.....	14.7
Wilmington	1,570,000	.....	3.6
Davenport	1,598,000	.....	18.2
Sacramento	1,382,000	.....	3.0
Mobile	1,812,000	13.4	.....
Wilkesbarre	1,294,000	.....	7.0
Cedar Rapids	1,127,000	.....	38.5
Akron	1,286,000	61.9	.....
Youngstown	1,537,000	45.5	.....
Waterloo	1,190,000	.....	20.0
Fall River	1,504,000	14.2	.....
Canton	1,162,000	.....	.6
Springfield, Ill.	1,283,000	.....	9.0
Fort Wayne	1,042,000	.....	17.4
New Bedford	1,033,000	2.8	.....
Helena	906,000	12.1	.....
Lexington	1,385,000	13.9	.....
York, Pa.	949,000	.....	9.9
Columbia, S. C.	842,000	.....	8.8
Erie	831,000	19.9	.....
Stockton	658,000	.....	.....
Boise	702,000	2.8	.....
Rockford	897,000	5.7	.....
Muskogee	784,000	.....	22.7
Kalamazoo	659,000	.....	7.1
Quincy	741,000	.....	13.4
Bloomington	835,000	.....	22.7
Tulsa	1,578,000	.....	10.3
Ogden	669,000	.....	.....
Lowell	535,000	.....	6.5
Chester, Pa.	619,000	.....	.4
Springfield, O.	570,000	.....	37.3
South Bend	460,000	.....	.4
Binghamton	599,000	17.5	.....
Sioux Falls	504,000	.....	14.5
Jackson, Miss.	837,000	48.7	.....
Decatur	504,000	.....	25.2
Mansfield	393,000	.....	14.7
Fargo	634,000	18.8	.....
Fremont	434,000	.6	.....
Vicksburg	401,000	36.8	.....
Jacksonville, Ill.	311,000	.....	34.4
*Houston	41,542,000	89.8	.....
*Galveston	16,468,000	2.1	.....

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

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, March 1.—MONEY—On call, steady, 2½@2½ per cent; ruling rate, 2⅝ per cent; closing bid, 2⅝ per cent; offered at 2½ per cent. Time loans, stronger; sixty days, 3 per cent; ninety days, 3⅛ per cent; six months, 3½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@4½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8440 for sixty-day bills and at $4.8710 for demand; commercial bills, $4.83⅛.

SILVER—Bar, 58⅛c; Mexican dollars, 45c.

BONDS—Government, railroad, firm.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	100⅝	*Inter M. M. 4½s	40
do coupon	100⅝	Japan 4s	87½
U. S. 3s, reg.	102⅞	do 4½s	93½
do coupon	102⅞	N. Y. C. 3½s	78½
U. S. 4s, reg.	113½	L. S. deb. 4s, 1931	94½
do coupon	113½	L. S. & M. S. gen. 4s	97½
*Atlis-Chal. 1st 5s	105	M. K. & T. 1st 4s	96½
Amer. Ag. 5s	102⅝	do gen. 4½s	93½
A. T. & T. cv. 4s	111½	Mo. Pacific 4s	74½
Am. Tobacco 6s	95½	N. R. R. of M. 4½s	87
do 4s	100⅝	N. Y. C. g. 3½s	65
Armour & Co. 4½s	87	do deb. 4s	81½
Atchison gen. 4s	100⅝	N. Y. N. H. & H.	
do cv. 4s	105⅝	cv. 6s	132
do cv. 4s	106	N. & W. 1st c. 4s	94⅝
A. C. L. 1st 6s	105	do cv. 4s	109½
Bal. & Ohio 4s	94⅝	No. Pacific 4s	99⅝
do 3½s	84⅝	do 3s	69½
*do S. W. 3½s	81	O. S. L. reg. 4s	97½
Brook. Tr. cv. 4s	105½	Penn. cv. 3½s 1915	97½
Can. of Ch. 5s	100⅝	do con. 4s	102
Cent. Leather 5s	104⅝	Reading gen. 4s	94½
C. of N. J. g. 5s	122	S. L. & S. F. fg. 6s	109
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	96½	do gen. 4s	86½
do ref. 4s	91	St. L. & S. W. c. 4s	81½
*Chicago & A. 3½s	69½	do 1st pfd 4s	82½
C. B. & Q. 4s	87⅝	A. L. 4s	79⅝
do gen. 4s	104⅝	*So. Pac. col. 4s	92
*C. M. & S. P. & S. 4s	87	do cv. 4s	86½
C. R. I. & P. 4s	71½	do 1st ref. 4s	86⅝
do rfg. 4s	70	So. Railway 5s	106⅝
Colo. Ind. 5s	72	do gen. 4s	79⅝
Colo. Mid. 4s	49½	Union Pacific 4s	100⅝
*C. & E. I. & c. 4½s	95½	do cv. 4s	102⅝
D. & H. cv. 4s	98½	do 1st & ref. 4s	97½
*D. & R. G. 4s	90	U. S. Rubber 5s	101
do ref. 4s	88½	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	102
Distillers' 5s	74½	Va.-Car. Chem. 5s	100⅝
Erie p. l. 4s	81	*Wabash 1st 5s	107
do gen. 4s	73½	do 1st & ext. 4s	88½
do cv. 4s, ser. A	84	Western Md. 4s	87½
do series B	76½	*West. Elec. cv. 5s	94½
Gen. Elec. cv. 5s	159	Wis. Central 4s	93
Ill. Cen. 1st ref. 4s	95½	Mo. Pac. cv. 5s	87½
Inter. Met. 4½s	41½	*Panama 3s	101⅝

*Bid. **Offered.

London Stock Market.

LONDON, March 1.—American securities opened quiet and unchanged today. Trading was light during the first hour, but prices declined and at noon the list showed losses ranging from ⅛@⅝.

London closing stocks:

*Consols, money	77 11-16	Louisville & N.	158
*do account	78 3-16	K., K. & T.	27½
Amal. Copper	49⅝	N. Y. Central	112½
Anaconda	27½	Norfolk & W.	112½
Atchison	100⅞	do pfd.	92
do pfd.	106⅝	Ontario & W.	17⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	106	Pennsylvania	61
Canadian Pacific	233½	Rand Mines	6
Chesapeake & O.	72⅝	Reading	17⅝
Chicago G. W.	16⅝	Southern Ry.	29⅝
Chi., Mil. & St. P.	119⅝	do pfd.	71½
De Beers	18⅝	Southern Pacific	108⅝
Denver & Rio G.	22	Union Pacific	163⅝
do pfd.	42	do pfd.	92½
Erie	31⅝	U. S. Steel	62⅞
do 1st pfd.	52⅝	do pfd.	116⅝
do 2d pfd.	42⅝	Wabash	7⅝
Grand Trunk	32½	do pfd.	18
Illinois Central	139		

*Ex-dividend.

SILVER—Bar, steady at 27 11-16d per oz.

MONEY—2@3½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅝ per cent; for three months' bills, 3⅝ per cent.

Bank Clearings.

OMAHA, March 1.—Bank clearings for today were $2,111,539.12, and for the corresponding day last year $2,087,623.90. The clearings for the month amounted to $67,707,343.95, and for the same month last year $53,364,530.12.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Greater Activity, Breadth and Strength Marks Day.

OUTSIDE INTEREST IS REVIVED

Majority Opinion Inclines to Expectation of Amicable Settlement of British Coal Troubles and Lawrence Strike.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Greater activity, breadth and strength marked today's operations on the Stock exchange. At frequent periods the market showed a tendency to throw off its temper of the past fortnight and, on the surface, at least, the movement was suggestive of a partial revival of outside interest.

The day's trading comprised more than the usual number of relatively inactive and minor issues, but later spread to stocks of influence such as United States Steel, Union Pacific and Reading. The two first named sold "ex-division" and soon recovered its 1¼ per cent with a substantial gain for Union Pacific.

The shares of the southern railroad companies, especially of Louisville & Nashville and Atlantic Coast Line, were in excellent demand at smart gains and buying was attributed to inside sources. Of the grangers, St. Paul was one of the most active features.

Majority opinion inclined to expectations of an amicable settlement of the British coal troubles, in spite of the negative results of the day's conferences, and the probable