GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET

Wheat is Poor Seller and Declines Cent Under Fairly Heavy Receipts.

CORN PRICES ARE UNCHANGED

OMAHA, APRIL 7, 1916.

Wheat was a poor seller today and the market declined a cent. The receipts were fairly heavy. Eighty-four cars were reported in, and wheat was quoted unchanged to 1c lower.

The corn market was very steady, selling at practically unchanged prices. There was a fair demand for the better grades, but the off-grade stuff was hard to sell.

Oats were also steady, selling at unchanged prices.

Rye and barley were quoted unchanged.

Clearances were: Wheat and flour, equal to 1,134,000 bu.; corn, 38,000 bu.; oats, 2,000 bu.

Liverpool close: Wheat, 1d off to ½d higher; corn, ¼@2d up.

Primary wheat receipts were 849,000 bu. and shipments 759,000 bu., against receipts of 568,000 bu. and shipments of 390,000 bu. last year.

Primary corn receipts were 584,000 bu. and shipments 276,000 bu., against receipts of 143,000 bu. and shipments of 451,000 bu. last year.

Primary oats receipts were 636,000 bu. and shipments 761,000 bu., against receipts of 482,000 bu. and shipments of 632,000 bu. last year.

CARLOT RECEIPTS.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Chicago	206	130	111
Minneapolis	308		
Duluth	24		
Omaha	84	74	15
Kansas City	79	67	8
St. Louis	29	33	15
Winnipeg	337		

These sales were reported today:

Wheat—No. 2 hard winter: 1 car, $1.12; 1 car, $1.11½. No. 3 hard winter: 3 cars, $1.11; 8 cars, $1.10½; 4 3-5 cars, $1.10; 5 cars, $1.09½; 7 3-5 cars, $1.09. No. 4 hard winter: 1 car, $1.08½; 4 cars, $1.08; 8 cars, $1.07; 1 car, $1.06½; 4 cars, $1.06; 1 car, $1.05. Sample hard winter: 1 car, $1.02; 1 car, 99c; 1 car, 98c; 1 car, 83c; 1 car, 80c. No. 2 durum: 2 cars, $1.09. No. 3 durum: 3-5 car, $1.07. No. 3 mixed: 1 car, $1.11½; 2 cars, $1.10. No. 4 mixed: 3-5 car, $1.06. Sample mixed: 2-5 car, 85c.

Rye—No. 3: 2-5 car, 89c.

Barley—No. 4: 1 car, 65c.

Corn—No. 3 white: 1 car, 70c. No. 3 white: 2 cars, 69½c; 5 cars, 69c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 68½c; 7 cars, 68c; 1 car, 67¾c; 1 car, 67½c. No. 5 white: 1 car, 67¼c; 1 car, 66c. No. 3 yellow: 1 car, 70c. No. 4 yellow: 3 cars, 69½c; 1 car, 69c; 2 cars, 68½c. No. 2 mixed: 2 cars, 68½c. No. 3 mixed: 1 car (near yellow), 70c; 1 car, 69½c; 9 cars, 69c; 3 cars, 68½c. No. 4 mixed: 4 cars, 68c. No. 5 mixed: 1 car, 68½c; 1 car, 66c. No. 6 mixed: 2 cars, 66c; 1 car, 65c. Sample mixed: 1 car, 60c.

Oats—No. 3 white: 1 car, 42¼c; 1 car, 42c. No. 4 white: 2 cars, 41½c; 2 cars, 41¼c. Sample white: 1 car, 40½c; 1 car, 40c; 1 car, 39½c; 1 car, 39c; 1 car, 38½c; 1 car, 38c.

Omaha Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.11@1.13; No. 3 hard, $1.08½@1.11; No. 4 hard, $1.05@1.08; No. 3 spring, $1.09@1.17; No. 3 spring, $1.06@1.14; No. 2 durum, $1.08@1.09; No. 3 durum, $1.06@1.07. Corn: No. 2 white, 69½@70c; No. 3 white, 69@69½c; No. 4 white, 67@68½c; No. 5 white, 66@67½c; No. 6 white, 65@66c; No. 3 yellow, 70½@71c; No. 4 yellow, 68½@69½c; No. 5 yellow, 66½@68½c; No. 6 yellow, 65@66½c; No. 2 mixed, 69@69½c; No. 3 mixed, 68@69½c; No. 4 mixed, 67½@68½c; No. 5 mixed, 65½@68c; No. 6 mixed, 63½@66c; sample, 55@60c. Oats: No. 2 white, 43¼@43½c; standard, 43@43½c; No. 3 white, 42@42½c; No. 4 white, 41½@41¾c. Barley: Malting, 62@66c; No. 1 feed, 55@58c. Rye: No. 2, 89@91c; No. 3, 88@89c.

Chicago closing prices, furnished The Bee by Logan & Bryan, stock and grain brokers, 315 South Sixteenth, Omaha:

Article.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'y.
Wheat.					
May.	1 18¼-⅝	1 19⅝	1 17¼	1 17½	1 17½-18
July.	1 17½-¾	1 17⅝	1 15⅝	1 15½	1 16⅝
Sept.	1 15½-⅜	1 15½	1 13⅜	1 13⅝	1 14¼-⅜
	1 14⅜				
Corn.					
May.	76@75¾	76¼-⅜	75¼	75⅜	75⅜
July.	76⅜-⅝	77⅜-⅝	76⅛	76½-⅝	76½-⅝
Sept.	76⅝	76⅝	75⅝	76½-⅝	76⅝
Oats.					
May.	45¼	45⅝-⅞	45	45@45⅛	45¼
July.	43⅝	44	43½	43⅞	43⅞
Sept.	41¼	41½	40¾-⅞	40⅞	40⅞-41
Pork.					
May.	23 17½	23 20	23 15	23 20	23 20
July.	22 90	22 90	22 90	22 90	22 92½
Lard.					
May.	11 42½	11 52½	11 42½	11 47½	11 47½
July.	11 62-67	11 72½	11 62½	11 67-70	11 67½
Sept.	11 85-87	11 92½	11 85	11 90	11 87½
Ribs.					
May.	12 17-20	12 22½	12 17-20	12 20	12 20
July.	12 35	12 40	12 35	12 37½	12 40
Sept.	12 50-52	12 55	12 50	12 52½	12 52½

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

CHICAGO, April 7.—Disturbing aspects of the diplomatic outlook had a bearish influence today on wheat, and more than wiped out early advances due to the government crop report. The markets closed heavy, ⅝@1¼c net lower, with May at $1.17½ and July at $1.15½. Corn finished unchanged to ⅛@¼c down, oats off ⅛@¼c to ⅛@⅜c and provisions varying from 2½c decline to a like advance.

Setbacks in the price of wheat followed each other with increasing force as soon as a lively buying movement had culminated shortly after the issuance of the official report from Washington confirming what the majority of traders had expected as to a big shortage in the 1916 winter crop. A disposition to realize on holdings became more and more evident as advices came in telling of improved field conditions resulting from the prevailing cool weather, especially in Illinois, Missouri and Kansas. Besides, state reports gave higher crop percentages than were shown by the government. Gossip of the lateness of the season in the spring wheat belt where a repetition of midwinter was reported, in some instances seemed to have but little effect as a prop to the market.

Attention of wheat traders in the late dealings centered chiefly on New York stock market declines which were regarded here as indicative to a serious extent of dubious prospects concerning the foreign relations of the United States. Under this handicap not only did trace of preceding gains finally disappear, but substantial losses were brought about, with prices at the finish nearly the lowest of the day.

Hints of export business tended to make corn average higher in price, and so, too, did unfavorable weather. Bullish sentiment was outweighed, however, in the end by sympathy with the weakness of wheat. Oats were governed almost entirely by the action of other grains. In the main, crop reports were bearish, although some delays in seeding were mentioned.

Commission house buying of lard rallied provisions. At first the market had been weak owing to lower prices on hogs. Shipments of lard and meats were liberal as compared with a year ago.

BUTTER—Lower; creamery, 31@35½c.

EGGS—Higher; receipts, 33,734 cases; firsts, 20c; ordinary firsts, 19¼@19½c; at mark, cases included, 18½@19½c.

POTATOES—Unsettled; receipts, 43 cars; Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota whites, [illegible]; Minnesota and Dakota Ohios, [illegible].

POULTRY—Alive, unchanged.

Metal Market.

NEW YORK, April 7.—METALS—Lead, $8.00 asked. Spelter not quoted. Copper, firm; electrolytic, nearby, [illegible]; June and later, [illegible]. Iron, firm and unchanged. Tin, firm; $53.00 bid.

At London: Spot copper, £119; futures, £115; electrolytic, £136. Spot tin, £200; futures, £99 [illegible]. Lead, £32 10s. Spelter, £94.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, April 7.—WHEAT—Spot, No. 1 Manitoba, 13s 6d; No. 2, 13s 5d; No. 3 red western winter, 13s. No. 2 hard winter, gulf, 13s 4d.

CORN—Spot, quiet; American, mixed, new, 10s 4d.

Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, April 7.—SUGAR—Raw, firm; centrifugal, 5.96c; molasses, 5.19c; refined, steady. Sugar futures advanced 3 to 5 points early on decreased crop estimates and the continued strength in raw sugar.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 7.—WHEAT—May, [illegible]; July, [illegible]; cash No. 1 hard, [illegible]; No. 1 northern, [illegible]; No. 2 northern, [illegible].

Cotton Market.

LIVERPOOL, April 7.—COTTON—Spot, firm; good middling, 7.84d; middling, 7.60d; low middling, 7.34d. Sales, 5,000 bales.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Strong and Active and All Selling Early—Sheep and Lambs Steady.

HOGS GENERALLY ABOUT STEADY

OMAHA, April 7, 1916.

Receipts were:	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Official Monday	1,983	5,556	7,590
Official Tuesday	1,701	7,325	4,784
Official Wednesday	2,396	9,528	5,011
Official Thursday	2,772	9,187	5,003
Estimate Friday	650	6,000	5,400
Five days' totals	9,472	37,596	26,957
Same days last week	26,909	55,789	43,665
Same 2 weeks ago	23,133	63,624	29,258
Same 3 weeks ago	30,429	72,673	32,466
Same 4 weeks ago	31,151	58,655	46,886
Same days last year	17,272	48,306	32,180

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

	1916.	1915.	Inc.	Dec.
Cattle	364,897	270,134	94,853	......
Hogs	1,157,130	959,943	197,187	......
Sheep	615,225	753,286	......	138,061

The following table shows the average prices of hogs at the Omaha Live Stock market for the last few days, with comparisons:

Date.	1916.	1915.	1914.	1913.	1912.	1911.	1910.
Mar. 20.	9 29¾	6 65	8 58	8 69	6 86	6 36	*
Mar. 21.	9 24	*	8 54	8 79	7 10	6 45	10 54
Mar. 22.	9 26	6 68	*	8 81	7 06	6 47	10 49
Mar. 23.	9 30	6 61	8 57	*	6 98	6 45	10 61
Mar. 24.	9 35	6 50	8 62	8 90	*	6 41	10 63
Mar. 25.	9 37½	6 44	8 54	8 87	7 01	6 36	10 65
Mar. 26.	*	6 47	8 45	8 84	7 16	*	10 63
Mar. 27.	7 42	*	8 55	8 35	8 86	6 27	6 28
Mar. 28.	9 33½	6 41	*	8 84	7 46	6 42	10 70
Mar. 29.	9 32¾	6 55	*	8 86	7 56	6 32	10 71
Mar. 30.	9 09	6 60	8 42	*	7 71	6 34	10 58
Mar. 31.	9 13¼	6 56	8 36	8 75	*	6 29	10 57
Apr. 1.	9 27¾	6 63	8 28	8 85	7 73	6 37	10 60
Apr. 2.	*	6 65	8 45	8 83	7 79	*	10 61
Apr. 3.	9 38¾	6 70	8 50	8 81	7 79	6 78	*
Apr. 4.	9 35½	*	8 50	8 77	7 61	6 86	10 66
Apr. 5.	9 24	6 66	*	8 74	7 63	6 37	10 42
Apr. 6.	9 25	6 58	8 47	*	7 65	6 21	10 32
Apr. 7.	9 26½	6 65	8 42	8 79	*	6 12	10 15

*Sunday.

CATTLE—Receipts were small today and the total for the five days this week amounts to only 9,472 head, only one-third as large as most recent weeks and 8,000 head smaller than a year ago.

The demand, in spite of the fact that it was a Friday, was active and the market strong. Everything offered changed hands at an early hour. Best beef steers sold up to $9.35, the highest price paid since March 22. Stockers and feeders were in light supply and firm.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beeves, $8.80@9.35; fair to good beeves, $8.50@9.30; common to fair beeves, $7.50@8.50; good to choice heifers, $7.25@8.25; good to choice cows, $7.00@7.75; fair to good cows, $6.25@7.00; common to fair cows, $4.50@6.25; good to choice feeders, $7.85@8.50; fair to good feeders, $7.30@7.85; common to fair feeders, $6.50@7.30; good to choice stockers, $7.75@8.25; stock heifers, $6.75@7.75; stock cows, $5.75@7.00; stock calves, $7.00@8.00; veal calves, $7.00@10.25; bulls, stags, etc., $5.50@7.50.

For the week killing cattle are around 20@30c higher than last week's close, while stockers and feeders are generally a little stronger than last week's close, possibly 10@15c higher.

Representative sales:

BEEF STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	590	$6 00	17	964	$8 50
20	1170	8 85	20	1083	9 00
23	1136	9 10	20	1231	9 35

STEERS AND HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
12	632	8 00	16	804	8 40
9	591	8 65	7	488	8 75

HEIFERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	865	7 50	1	1010	7 40
2	465	8 35			

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1080	5 40	1	1132	6 85
1	1066	6 85	1	1190	7 00
4	1040	7 10	1	1160	7 25
2	1295	7 50	1	1140	7 60

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	700	6 00	1	1110	6 25
1	1600	6 50	1	1590	6 75
1	1690	7 00	1	1370	7 25
1	1669	7 50			

CALVES.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
6	248	7 75	2	250	9 00
1	140	10 50			

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	700	6 00	7	690	7 50
4	414	7 70	24	728	7 75

HOGS—Hog receipts were the smallest of the week, with the exception of Monday. Arrivals were estimated at eighty-four cars, or 6,000 head, bringing the total for the week to date up to 37,596 head. This is 18,000 smaller than last week, 26,000 short of two weeks ago and 11,000 lighter than for the same days a year ago.

The market was in every way a repetition of Thursday's. Shippers, on the strength of weaker markets elsewhere, asked slight declines, and succeeded in buying some of their hogs on a slightly easier basis, although many of them looked steady.

The general market was about steady, although trade was another up-and-down affair, some sales being stronger, while others looked hardly steady. There was practically no change in prices, bulk selling at $9.20@9.30 and tops again landing at $9.40. As compared with last week's close current prices are generally steady.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
1	420	...	$9 00	70	186	80	$9 10
56	204	...	9 10	74	170	40	9 15
67	181	...	9 15	28	216	40	9 20
26	323	40	9 20	64	185	40	9 22½
78	211	...	9 25	47	241	...	9 25
74	231	40	9 25	38	244	40	9 30
66	224	80	9 32½	66	236	80	9 35
26	281	...	9 35	62	315	...	9 40
51	299	...	9 40				

PIGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
18	111	...	8 25	11	116	...	8 35

SHEEP—Good light and handyweight lambs were in fair demand today, and bulk of them sold early at about steady prices. Some of the weighty lambs of high dressing ability also moved in fair season at yesterday's figures, but, as a general thing, packers were inclined to fight a little shy of the heavy offerings, and after the bulk of the stuff was cashed there were still six loads, four of rather heavy wooled Mexican lambs, and two of weighty shorn westerns in the pens awaiting what sellers considered steady bids.

The early sales included several loads of the best light and handy Mexicans at $11.35, which was yesterday's top, most of the good to choice stuff selling upwards from $11.10. Strong weight Mexicans at $11.15 were very well finished, being mates of stuff that brought the price yesterday. Shearing lambs at $10.90 were not of the best. Two loads of clipped lambs at $9.10 were slightly heavier than the $9.35 stock yesterday, and were not thought to be quite so well finished, being quoted steady. As compared with last week's close, sales are 10@15c higher.

Two cars of fairly good ewes, the first here since Wednesday, brought $8.40, while good light clipped ewes landed at $7.10, prices being, if anything, stronger. No toppy ewes have been here this week and the supply has been too slim to make a market on most days, but values on aged sheep are thought to be at least 10@25c higher than last Friday's close, prime ewes being nominally quoted as high as $8.75, as against $8.50 for choice stock a week ago.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice handy, $11.10@11.35; lambs, fair to good handy, $10.85@11.10; lambs, fair to choice heavy, $10.50@11.25; lambs, clipped, $8.50@9.35; yearlings, fair to choice light, $9.50@10.25; yearlings, fair to choice heavy, $8.50@9.25; wethers, fair to choice, $8.00@8.90; ewes, good to choice, $8.25@8.75; ewes, fair to good, $7.50@8.25.

ADD SHEEP.

No.		Av.	Pr.
244	fed lambs	80	11 15
215	fed lambs	84	11 15
498	fed lambs	74	11 35
130	shearing lambs	84	10 90
49	Mexican clipped ewes	85	7 10
15	cull ewes	60	4 75
251	fed ewes	114	8 40
79	fed ewes	114	8 40
136	fed ewes	114	8 40
400	Mexican fed lambs	88	11 15

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Strong—Hogs Weak—Sheep Strong.

CHICAGO, April 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000 head; market strong; native beef steers, $7.90@9.90; western steers, $7.80@8.80; stockers and feeders, $6.10@8.25; cows and heifers, $4.00@9.10; calves, $6.75@9.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 24,000 head; market weak, 5c to 10c lower; bulk of sales, $9.50@9.75; lights, $9.00@9.70; mixed, $9.35@9.80; heavy, $9.25@9.80; rough, $9.25@9.40; pigs, $7.50@8.90.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 4,000 head; market strong; wethers, $8.00@9.25; ewes, $7.00@8.90; lambs, $9.50@11.80.

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., April 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000 head; market steady; native steers, $7.50@9.40; butchers, $6.00@7.50; cows and heifers, $6.00@7.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,500 head; market 5c to 10c lower; heavy, $9.20@9.40; mixed, $9.10@9.25; light, $9.00@9.15; bulk of sales, $9.10@9.30.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Not quoted.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Financial District Alive with Rumors Bearing on International Situation.

CAUSE HURRIED SELLING

NEW YORK, April 7.—The financial district was alive today with rumors bearing on the international situation, more especially the status of relations between Washington and Berlin. These rumors were of such circumstantial and detailed character as to cause hurried selling of stocks, the general list with a few noteworthy exceptions averaging losses of 2 to 3 points.

Some specialties, especially those which led the recent rise, were lower at their minimum by 2 to 6 points. These recessions were partly retrieved in the last hour when short covering, coupled with supporting orders, resulted in rallies of fractions to a full point. The undertone was feverish and heavy at the active close. Total sales of stocks amounted to 610,000 shares. Of this turnover a very large proportion was again contributed by the Mercantile Marines, Crucible Steel, United States Industrial Alcohol, Mexican Petroleum, American Zinc, Baldwin Locomotive and Goodrich. United States Smelting made a new high record at 73¾ and Zinc also scored a new maximum at 97⅝.

United States Steel fared better on the whole than other issues of the same class, yielding only a point to 84¼. Bethlehem Steel made an extreme decline of 25 to 465 and rallied to 479. Motor shares, with Industrial Alcohol and the Petroleums proved most susceptible to pressure.

Prominent rails were lower by a point for New York Central, Canadian Pacific, Union and Southern Pacifics, New Haven and Western Maryland, while Reading and Norfolk & Western were slightly more heavy. The government's winter wheat report showing a rather low average as against the previous estimate was not helpful to the grain carriers.

Further decline in the rates of exchange on Paris, demand bills falling to 601½, was again the foremost feature of the international credit markets, the break being concurrent with reports of another successful German move in the Verdun campaign.

Bonds were heavy, but the market for those securities were more contracted than usual. Total sales, par value, $1,135,000.

United States bonds unchanged on call.

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

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Beet Sugar	1,000	72½	71¼	71¼
American Can	4,200	61¼	59¼	60
American C. & F.	2,500	69⅛	67⅞	68¼
American Locomotive	11,600	73⅜	71	71½
American S. & R.	11,100	101¼	100½	101½
Am. Sugar Refining	500	110¼	109½	109
American Tel. & Tel.	1,200	128⅜	128	128
American Z., L. & S.	14,700	97⅝	89¼	91¼
Anaconda Copper	20,900	87¼	85⅜	85⅞
Atchison	800	103⅜	102⅝	102⅞
Baldwin Locomotive				105⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	1,000	87½	87⅛	87
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.				84⅝
Butte & S. Copper	7,500	94⅜	91½	92
California Petroleum	500	24½	23⅝	23
Canadian Pacific	1,300	167⅜	167	167
Central Leather	1,100	54⅜	54	54⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	500	62⅛	61⅝	61⅝
Chicago, M. & St. P.	600	95⅛	94⅝	94⅝
Chicago & N. W.				129
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry.	1,800	17⅜	17⅛	17⅛
Chino Copper				54
Colorado Fuel & Iron	2,900	44⅞	43⅝	44
Corn Products Refining	2,800	20¼	19⅝	19⅝
Crucible Steel	4,800	90⅜	88¼	91¼
Distillers' Securities				47⅝
Erie	6,300	37⅞	36⅞	36⅞
General Electric	800	168	168	168
Great Northern pfd.				120⅞
Great No. Ore ctfs.	2,200	44	43⅛	43⅛
Guggenheim Exploration	2,300	22¼	22	22
Illinois Central				102
Interborough Con. Corp.	1,700	17⅜	17⅛	17
Inspiration Copper	3,400	47⅛	46⅜	44½
International Harvester	600	110½	111	111
Inter. M. M. pfd. ctfs.	44,900	77⅝	75⅝	75⅝
Kansas City Southern	500	27	26⅝	26⅝
Kennecott Copper	19,400	57⅛	55⅜	55⅛
Louisville & Nashville	200	125⅝	125	125
Mexican Petroleum	16,200	112⅝	109⅝	109⅝
Miami Copper	1,800	38⅞	38⅛	34⅞
Missouri, K. & T. pfd.				10⅝
Missouri Pacific	200	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Montana Power	300	72⅞	72⅛	72⅛
National Lead	400	67⅞	66⅝	66⅝
Nevada Copper	2,600	17⅛	16⅝	16⅞
New York Central	3,700	103⅝	103	103
N. Y., N. H. & H.	500	64	63⅝	63½
Norfolk & Western	3,400	122	121½	121½
Northern Pacific	300	113⅝	113⅛	113⅛
Pacific Mail				24
Pacific Tel. & Tel.	300	31	30	30
Pennsylvania	1,700	57⅛	57	57⅛
Ray Con. Copper	2,400	23	22⅝	22⅝
Reading	5,600	85⅜	84⅜	84⅝
Republic Iron & Steel	1,400	51⅝	50⅝	50⅝
Shattuck Arizona Copper	22,700	39⅞	35	35
Southern Pacific	3,400	99⅞	98⅝	98⅞
Southern Railway	1,400	20⅝	20⅛	20⅛
Studebaker Company	2,400	145	140⅝	141⅝
Tennessee Copper	800	52⅝	52⅛	52⅛
Texas Company	2,100	190¾	189⅝	190⅝
Union Pacific	5,100	132⅝	132⅛	132⅛
Union Pacific pfd.				82⅝
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	33,600	167⅝	160⅝	163⅝
United States Steel	29,300	85⅛	84¼	84⅝
U. S. Steel pfd.	400	117⅛	117⅛	117
Utah Copper	2,700	82	81	81⅛
Wabash pfd. B.	800	28	27⅝	27⅝
Western Union	200	90⅛	90⅛	89⅝
Westinghouse Electric	8,600	65⅛	63⅞	64

Total sales for the day, 610,000 shares.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET

Quotations of the Day on Various Commodities.

NEW YORK, April 7.—FLOUR—Unsettled.

WHEAT—Spot market easy; No. 1 durum, $1.34½; No. 2 hard, $1.31½; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.40½, and No. 1 northern, Manitoba, $1.43 f. o. b. New York. Futures market steady; May, $1.25½.

CORN—Spot market steady; No. 2 yellow, 86c, c. i. f. New York.

OATS—Spot firm; standard, 51½@52½c.

HAY—Firm; No. 1, $1.35@1.40; No. 2, $1.25@1.30; No. 3, $1.00@1.05; shipping, 90@95c.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice, 1915 crop, 14@25c; 1914 crop, 5@9c; Pacific coast, 1915 crop, 12@15c; 1914 crop, 8@10c.

HIDES—Firm; Bogota, 33@34c; Central America, 33c.

LEATHER—Steady; hemlock firsts, 2[illegible]; seconds, [illegible].

PROVISIONS—Pork, firm; mess, $24.50@25.00; family, $23.00@26.00; short clears, $22.00. Beef, steady; mess, $17.50@18.00; family, $19.00@20.00. Lard, firm; middle west, $11.70@11.80.

TALLOW—Firm; city, 9¼c, nominal; country, 9¼@9¾c; special, 10¼c.

BUTTER—Lower; receipts, 6,484 tubs; creamery extras, 36¼@37½c; firsts, 33@36c; seconds, 31@32c.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 32,811 cases; unchanged.

CHEESE—Firm; receipts, 600 boxes; unchanged.

POULTRY—Dressed, stronger; prices unchanged; alive, steady; fowls, 19@22c; turkeys, 30@21c.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, April 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 600 head; market steady; native beef steers, $7.50@9.75; yearling steers and heifers, $8.50@9.50; cows, $5.50@8.00; stockers and feeders, $5.50@8.50; Texas and Indian steers, $6.25@8.75; cows and heifers, $4.00@6.00; native calves, $6.00@9.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,300 head; market steady; pigs and lights, $7.25@9.50; mixed and butchers, $9.40@9.60; good heavy, $9.50@9.60.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 800 head; market steady; yearling wethers, $9.00@10.40; lambs, $9.90@11.40; ewes, $6.75@8.75.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, April 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, [illegible] head; market strong; prime fed steers, $9.25@9.85; dressed beef steers, $8.00@9.25; western steers, $7.50@9.40; stockers and feeders, $6.50@8.75; cows, [illegible]; calves, $6.00@10.00.

HOGS—Receipts, [illegible] head; market lower; bulk of sales, $9.25@9.55; heavy, $9.40@9.60; packers and butchers, $9.30@9.50; lights, $9.15@9.45; pigs, $8.25@9.10.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,400 head; market higher; lambs, $10.50@11.40; yearlings, $9.00@10.30; wethers, $8.50@9.25; ewes, $7.75@8.90.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

ST. JOSEPH, April 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 300 head; market steady; steers, $7.50@9.40; cows and heifers, $4.50@9.25; calves, $6.00@9.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,300 head; market steady; top, $9.50; bulk of sales, $9.40@9.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 800 head; market steady; lambs, $10.75@11.15.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, April 7.—DRY GOODS—Cotton goods were firm today. Wool markets were firm, except low descriptions of cape wools. Ready-to-wear trade was active.

American Telephone & Telegraph Co.

A dividend of Two Dollars per share will be paid on Saturday, April 15, 1916, to stockholders of record at the close of business on Friday, March 31, 1916.

G. D. MILNE, Treasurer.

BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW

Activity Reigns Supreme in All Directions.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Activity reigns supreme in whatever direction one may look, whether to trade, industry or mining, railroading or shipping by water, and a further surge forward is expected when ice-closed harbors open to navigation and country roads improve. The pace is rapid at a record rate, in fact, being neither deterred by high prices nor misgivings over international matters which later at the moment seem rather beclouded.

The only existing drawbacks to final distribution, cold weather and bad roads, are deemed to be but temporary factors. Whatever lulls may be experienced are due either to inability to get goods or to the fact that the producing units of the country are sold up, with perhaps some slight easing in this or that line as the result in seasonal changes. Weekly banking clearings were $4,844,390,000.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, April 7.—MERCANTILE PAPER—3@3¼ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Sixty day bills, $4.72¾; demand, $4.76 7-16; cables, $4.77.

SILVER—Bar, 61⅝c; Mexican dollars, 47¾c.

BONDS—Government, steady; railroad, heavy.

TIME LOANS—Steady; sixty days, 2¾@3 per cent; ninety days and six months, 3@3¼ per cent.

CALL MONEY—Steady; high, 2 per cent; low, 1¾ per cent; ruling rate, 1¾ per cent; last loan, 2 per cent; closing bid, 1¾ per cent; offered, 2 per cent.

Closing quotations on bonds today were as follows:

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	98½	L. & N. unl. 4s	94½
do coupon	98½	M. K. & T. 1st 4s	77⅝
U. S. 3s, reg.	101⅝	*Mo. Pac. con. 6s	100½
do coupon	101⅝	Mont. Power 5s	98⅝
U. S. 4s, reg.	110½	N. Y. C. deb. 6s	113⅝
do coupon	111½	N. Y. City 4½s	107⅝
Am. Smelters 6s	116⅛	N. Y., N. H. & H.	
A. T. & T. c. 4½s	108	cv. 6s	114⅛
Anglo-French 5s	95⅝	No. Pacific 4s	93⅛
Atchison gen. 4s	93	do 3s	66⅝
Bal. & Ohio 4s	92⅝	O. S. L. ref. 4s	93⅝
Beth. Steel r. 5s	102⅛	Pac. T. & T. 5s	100⅝
Cen. Pacific 1st	90⅝	Penn. con. 4½s	105⅝
Ches. & O. cv. 4½s	96⅝	do gen. 4½s	107
C. B. & Q. j. 4s	98⅝	Reading gen. 4s	94⅝
C. M. & S. P. c. 5s	102⅛	*S. L. & S. F. r. 4s	72
C. R. I. & P. r. 4s	68	So. Pac. cv. 5s	104⅝
C. & S. ref. 4½s	84⅝	do ref. 4s	93⅝
D. & R. G. con. 4s	78⅝	So. Railway 5s	102⅝
do ref. 5s	59⅝	Union Pacific 4s	97⅝
Erie gen. 4s	75⅝	do cv. 4s	91
Gen. Electric 5s	104⅝	U. S. Rubber 6s	102⅝
*Gt. No. 1st 4½s	98⅝	U. S. Steel 5s	104
*Ill. Cen. ref. 4s	89	West. Union 4½s	95⅝
Int. M. M. 4½s	98⅝	West. Elec. cv. 5s	130
K. C. So. ref. 5s	93⅝		

Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, April 7.—COFFEE—The market for coffee futures showed renewed firmness today. Demand was not particularly active, but offerings were restricted owing to the continued firmness of Brazil, while some attention was also attracted by private advices denying that France contemplated restrictions on imports. Houses with European connections were among the buyers and after opening 2 to 3 points higher, the market sold about 4 to 6 points above last night's closing figures, with May touching 8.23c, July, 8.33c, and September, 8.42c. The close was a shade off from the best under realizing, but still showed net gains of from 2 to 3 points. Sales, 37,500 bags. April, 8.14c; May, 8.22c; June, 8.27c; July, 8.31c; August, 8.36c; September, 8.41c; October, 8.44c; November, 8.47c; December, 8.51c; January, 8.54c; February, 8.60c; March, 8.66c.

Spot coffee, steady; Rio 7s, 9⅝c; Santos 4s, 10¼c. Cost and freight offers were firm and it was reported that Brazilian shippers were asking from 10.90c to 11.00c for Santos 4s, based on English credits.

The official cables reported milreis prices unchanged at Santos and 75 reis higher at Rio, with Rio exchange 1-32d higher.

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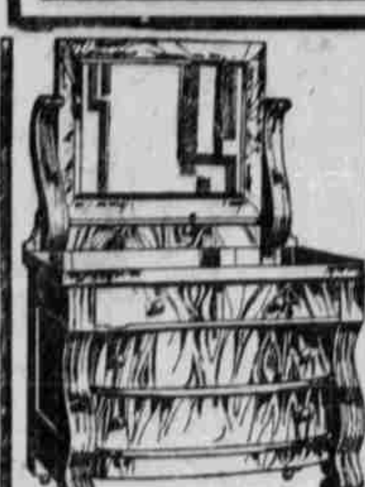

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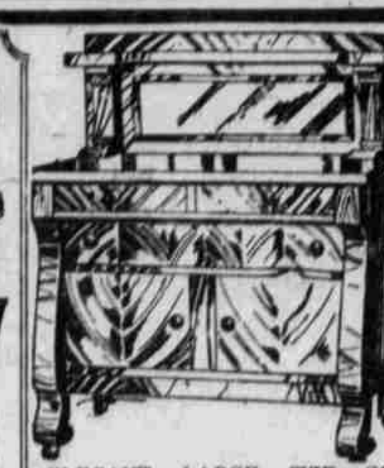

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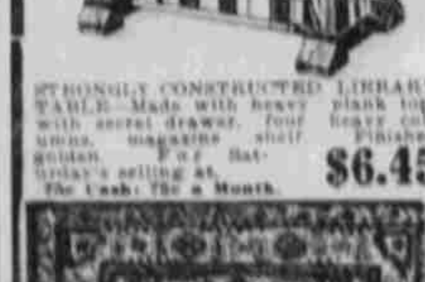
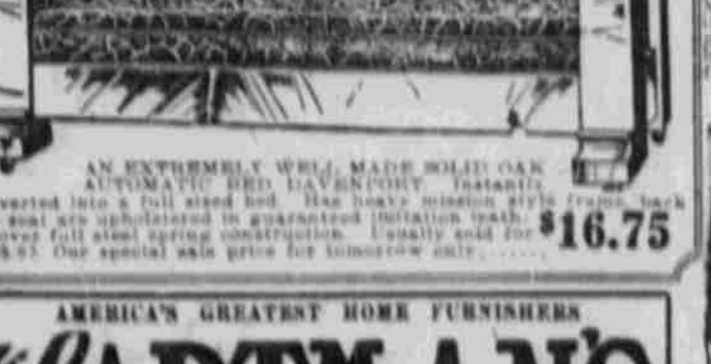


STRONGLY CONSTRUCTED LIBRARY TABLE—Made with heavy plank top, with secret drawer, four heavy columns, magazine shelf. Finished golden. For Saturday's selling at...... **$6.45**

75c Cash; 75c a Month.



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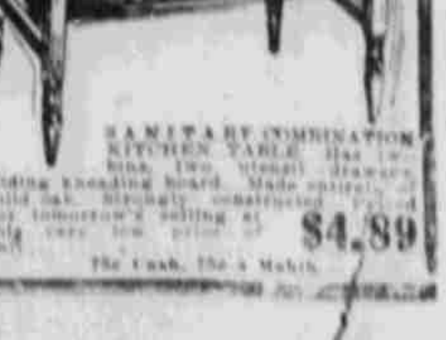

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