GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Wheat Scores Another Sharp Advance and Rules Four to Five Cents Higher.

RECORD FOR YEAR IS MADE

Omaha, Aug. 19, 1916.

Wheat scored another sharp advance and ruled from 4@5 cents higher.

Cash wheat reached the highest point of the season, a car of No. 2 hard selling at $1.48.

The bulk of the No. 2 hard sold well above yesterday's highest quotations, prices ranging from $1.46@1.47, with the bulk selling at $1.46.

The receipts were very heavy and the cash demand was excellent at the present high prices.

Corn sold from ¼@1½c higher with fairly light receipts and a good cash demand.

Oats sold from 1@1½c higher, rye was strong at a 1c advance and barley sold from 1@3c higher.

There was a good demand for all three cereals, but there was very little rye or barley on the floor and only a moderate run of oats.

Clearances were: Wheat and flour equal to 422,000 bushels; corn, 115,000 bushels; oats, 4,000 bushels.

Liverpool close: Wheat 2d to 4d higher; corn 1½d to 1d higher.

Primary wheat receipts were 1,348,000 bushels and shipments 1,452,000 bushels, against receipts of 125,000 bushels and shipments of 1,251,000 bushels last year.

Primary corn receipts were 414,000 bushels, and shipments 440,000 bushels, against receipts of 328,000 bushels and shipments of 349,000 bushels last year.

Primary oats receipts were 1,829,000 bushels and shipments 1,194,000 bushels, against receipts of 1,457,000 bushels, and shipments of 693,000 bushels last year.

CARLOT RECEIPTS

	Wheat	Corn	Oats
Chicago	191	122	632
Minneapolis	246	...	...
Duluth	75	...	...
Omaha	174	42	34
St. Louis	148	39	37
Winnipeg	268	...	...

These sales were reported today:

Wheat—No. 1 hard winter: 2 cars, $1.48½; 4 cars, $1.46. No. 2 hard winter: 1 car, $1.48; 2 cars, $1.47; 2 cars, $1.46½; 15 cars, $1.46; 2 cars, $1.45¾; 3 cars, $1.45. No. 3 hard winter: 1 car, $1.47½; 2 cars, $1.46; 1 car, $1.45¾; 8 cars, $1.45; 1 car, $1.44½; 4½ cars, $1.44; 2 cars, $1.43; 2 cars, $1.42; 1 car, $1.41. No. 4 hard winter: 1 car, $1.42; 2 cars, $1.40½; 2 cars, $1.40; 1⅗ cars, $1.39½; 2 cars, $1.39; 4 cars, $1.38; 1 car, $1.37½; 4 cars, $1.37; 1 car, $1.36; 1 car, $1.35. Sample hard winter: 2 cars, $1.34; 4 cars, $1.32; 3 cars, $1.30; 1 car, $1.28. No. 3 durum: 1 car, $1.38. No. 4 durum: 1 car, $1.30. Sample durum: 1 car, $1.28. No. 3 mixed: 1 car, $1.42; 1 car, $1.41. Sample mixed: 1 car, $1.37.

Rye—No. 2: 3 cars, $1.21. No. 3: 1 car, $1.20.

Barley—No. 3: 1 car, 95c. No. 4: 1 car, 95c; 1 car, 94c.

Corn—No. 2 white: 3 cars, 82c. No. 3 white: 3 cars, 81½c; 1 car, 81c. No. 4 white: 1 car, 81c. No. 6 white: 1 car, 79½c. No. 2 yellow: 1 car, 82½c. No. 3 yellow: 2 cars, 82¼c. No. 6 yellow: 1 car, 79½c. No. 3 mixed: 2 cars, 81c. No. 5 mixed: 1 car, 80c. No. 6 mixed: 1 car, 78c; 1 car, 77c. Sample mixed: 1 car, 78c; 1 car, 67½c.

Oats—No. 2 white: 2 cars, 44½c. Standard: 4 cars, 44c. No. 3 white: 11 cars, 43½c. No. 4 white: 2 cars, 43c. Sample white: 1 car, 43c; 1 car, 42½c; 5 cars, 42c; 1 car, 41½c.

Omaha Cash Prices—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.46@1.48; No. 3 hard, $1.41@1.47½; No. 4 hard, $1.35@1.42; No. 2 spring, $1.40@1.49; No. 3 spring, $1.35@1.45; No. 2 durum, $1.32@1.39; No. 3 durum, $1.30@1.31. Corn: No. 2 white, 81½@82c; No. 3 white, 81@81½c; No. 4 white, 79¾@81c; No. 5 white, 79½@80½c; No. 6 white, 79@79½c; No. 2 yellow, 82¼@82½c; No. 3 yellow, 82@82½c; No. 4 yellow, 81@82c; No. 5 yellow, 80@81c; No. 6 yellow, 79@79½c; No. 2 mixed, 81@81½c; No. 3 mixed, 80½@81c; No. 4 mixed, 80@80½c; No. 5 mixed, 79½@80c; No. 6 mixed, 77@79c. Oats: No. 2 white, 44@44½c; standard, 43½@44c; No. 3 white, 43¼@43½c; No. 4 white, 42½@43c. Barley: Malting, 82@95c; No. 1 feed, 68@75c. Rye: No. 2, $1.20@1.21; No. 3, $1.19@1.20.

OMAHA FUTURES MARKET.

Omaha, August 19, 1916.

Following the sensational advance in the Chicago pit, the local wheat market showed a gain of several cents at the opening.

Today's rise was the result of the extremely bullish news on wheat from the Canadian districts and also the fact that foreigners are heavy buyers of our wheat.

While crop conditions on corn are considered good, the bulge in the wheat market is enough to hold the price of corn up for the present.

Oats showed little independant strength and followed wheat and corn on the advance.

September wheat closed 1½c higher, December, 1⅝c higher and May advanced 3c.

Corn closed ⅝c higher on September and about 1⅛c up on December.

September oats advanced ⅝c, December closed ⅝c higher and the May ruled 1⅜c higher.

Omaha closing prices on futures for this day:

Art.	Open	High	Low	Close	Yes.
Wht.					
Sept.	1 43½	1 45⅛	143½	145	140⅞
Dec.	143½-46	1 48	144⅞	147⅜	142⅞
May	1 48	1 51	148	151	147⅛
Corn					
Sept.	81	81¾	81	81⅝	80¾
Dec.	69¼	70⅜	69¼	70⅜	69⅛
Oats					
Sept.	42⅞	43¼	42⅞	43⅛	42½
Dec.	45½	46⅞	45½	46⅞	45¼
May	48	49¼	48	49¼	47⅞

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

Art.	Open	High	Low	Close	Yes.
Wht.					
Sept.	1 46½	1 48⅝	144½	1 47½	143¼
Dec.	1 48½	1 52	148½	1 51⅝	147¼
May	152-153	1 55¼	152	155½-¼	150⅞
Corn					
Sept.	85½-⅝	87¾	85	86⅝	84⅞
Dec.	74½-⅝	75⅞	74	75-⅛	73⅞
May	77½-¼	78½	77½	77⅞-⅞	75⅞
Oats					
Sept.	44¾-⅞	45⅝	44½	45¼	44⅝
Dec.	48¼	49	47⅞	48½	47⅞
May	51¾-51	52½-⅝	51	51⅞	50⅝
Pork					
Sept.	27 00-47	27 47	27 00	27 47	26 80
Oct.	26 20-25	26 25	26 15	26 25	25 75
Dec.	23 45	23 50	23 45	23 50	23 35
Lard					
Sept.	13 77	13 85	13 77	13 82	13 72
Oct.	13 80	13 85	13 77	13 80	13 75
Dec.	13 17	13 25	13 12	13 12	13 10
Ribs					
Sept.	14 45	14 47	14 40	14 42	14 40
Oct.	14 20	14 22	14 16	14 12-18	14 10

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Trading in Wheat Reaches Largest Volume in History of Market.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—The volume of trade in wheat here today was said to have been the largest on record. New price records for the crop was obtained. Top prices were 5 cents over yesterday. Heavy profit-taking sales was absorbed on the bulge, but the close showed net gains of 3¼c to 4¼c. Corn advanced 1½c to 2c; oats ⅝c to 1c and provisions closed 2½c to 65c up. Snow's estimate of a total wheat yield of 596,000,000 bushels against domestic requirements of 610,000,000 bushels, was the new big bull factor in the market for that cereal. This and the damage reports now grown familiar under Canadian and northwestern date lines provided all the impetus needed by an awakened trade to establish new high records for the crop. An acknowledged expert wired from Brandon, Manitoba, that he saw two threshing outfits at work and his firm became a heavy buyer. Cash premiums advanced, but offerings were not large. Buying by foreigners was reported in all markets. Liverpool was sharply higher—another bull factor.

Corn also gained a new price altitude. The factors were dry hot weather, Snow's estimate of a crop of 2,565,000,000 bushels, and the fact that spot corn was selling at a good premium over September. Shorts covered freely and a good investment demand was noted. There was some recession from the top on profit taking.

Further sharp advances were witnessed in oats. The strength of other grains and the theory that oats are much too low as compared with other cereals, asserted a strengthening influence and inspired general buying. There was a scattered investment demand, much of it from influential sources, and spot concerns were active on the buying side.

Higher hogs and the strength of grain brought about an advance in provisions. Shorts in September pork bid that market up 65 cents. Lard was the most active commodity. May lard lost 2½c, but December advanced 5c and September 10c. Ribs gained 2½c to 5c.

Cash prices: Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.51@1.51½; No. 3 red, $1.49@1.49½; No. 2 hard, $1.48¾@1.51½; No. 3 hard, $1.46½@1.48½. Corn: No. 2 yellow, 89½@90½c; No. 4 yellow, nominal; No. 4 white, nominal. Oats: No. 3 white, 44¾@45¾; standard, 45¾@46c. Rye: No. 2, $1.18¾. Barley: 78c@$1.10. Seeds: Timothy, nominal; clover, $13.00. Provisions: Pork, nominal; lard, $13.85; ribs, nominal.

Cheese—Firm; unchanged.

Eggs—Firm; unchanged; receipts, 6,161 cases.

Butter—Strong; receipts, 11,615 tubs; creamery extras, 30½; extra firsts, 28½@30c; firsts, 27½@28½c.

Potatoes—Firm; receipts, 75 cars; Jersey bulk cobblers, $1.20@1.22; barrel cobblers, $4.00@4.50; Minnesota Ohios, $1.00@1.10.

Poultry—Alive, easy; fowls, 14@16c; springs, 20c.

OMAHA GENERAL MARKET.

Butter—No. 1 creamery, in cartons or tubs, 30c; No. 2, 29c.

Poultry—Broilers, 20c; hens, 15c; geese, full feathered, 10c; roosters and stags, 10½c; ducks, 12c; turkeys, 23c; capons, 21c; guineas, 25c; squabs, $3.00@4.00 per doz.; pigeons, $1.00 per doz.

Cheese—Imported Swiss, lb., 46c; domestic Swiss, 30c; block Swiss, 28c; twins, 17c; triplets, 17½c; daisies, 17½c; Young America, 17½c; blue label brick, 18½c; limburger, 20c; New York white, 20c; Roquefort, 60c.

The wholesale price of beef cuts was: No. 1 ribs, 19c; No. 2 ribs, 18c; No. 3 ribs, 13½c; No. 1 loins, 22½c; No. 2 loins, 20½c; No. 3 loins, 17½c; No. 1 chucks, 11¼c; No. 2 chucks, 11c; No. 3 chucks, 10¾c; No. 1 rounds, 16¾c; No. 2 rounds, 15½c; No. 3 rounds, 12½c; No. 1 plates, 10c; No. 2 plates, 9¾c; No. 3 plates, 9c.

FRESH FISH—Halibut, 17c; catfish, small, 17c; catfish, large steaks, 18c; red salmon, 14c; fall salmon, 11c; whitefish, superior Selkirk and other northern stock, 15c; trout, No. 1, 17c; yellow pike, No. 1, 14c; bullheads, 18c; carp, No. 1, 9c; black bass, 25c; croppies, medium, 14c; pickerel, dressed, 11c; steak codfish, 10c; shore fish, 13c; bluefish (snow), 9c; red snapper, 12c; spanish mackerel, 15c; Lake Erie jumbo whitefish, 15c; flounders, fancy stock, 11c; fresh headless shrimps, per gal., $1.25; fresh cooked shrimp, per gal., $2.00.

Fruit and vegetable prices furnished by Gillinsky Fruit Co.:

Fruits—Oranges: 96s, 100s, 324s, 360s, box, $4; 126s, 288s, $4.50; 150s, $5; 176s, 200s, 216s, 250s, $5.25. Lemons: Golden Bowl, 300s, 360s, box, $5.50; Hill's Reds, 300s, 360s, $5. Apples: Gravenstein, box, $2.25; Bellflower, idaho, 100 lbs., $1.75; cooking apples, bu., $1.

Deciduous Fruits—Peaches: Elberta, Cal., crate, $1.25; Carmen, Colo., extra, $1.05; Carmen, Colo., fancy, $1; Carmen, Colo., choice, 90c. Grapes: Malagas, crate, $2. Pears: Cal. Bartletts, crate, $3.50; choice Cal. Bartletts, $3.25; Colo. Clapps, $2.50; fancy 6-tier $2.75; choice 5-tier $2.25; choice 6-tier $2; Colo. Bartletts $2.75; 5-tier $2.50; fancy 6-tier $2.50. Watermelons, lb., 1½c. Cantaloupes: Standards, crate, $3; ponies, $2.25; flats, $1.25; Mission Bell, lb., $1.25. Bananas: Bunch, $1.75 to $3.50.

Vegetables — Sweet potatoes, hamper, $1.75; Cal., 100 lbs., crates, $4.25; potatoes, bu., $1; Spanish onions, crate, $2; Cal. onions, lb., 2½c; tomatoes, basket, 40c; Michigan celery, doz., 40c; peppers, basket, 40c; peas, basket, $2; head lettuce, doz., $1; corn, doz., 15c; garlic, lb., 25c.

Miscellaneous — Crackerjack, cornpops and checkers, case, $3.50; half cases, $1.75; peanuts, Special No. 1, lb., 8½c; jumbo peanuts, 9c; popcorn, case, $2.50; honey, new, case, $3.75.

Poultry—Broilers, 1½ to 2½ lbs., 18c; broilers, over 2½ lbs., 18c; hens, over 4½ lbs., 15c; hens, under 4½ lbs., 14c; roosters and stags, 10½@11c; geese full feathered, fat, 10c; young and old ducks, full feathered, fat, 12c; turkeys, any size over 8 pounds, 24c; turkeys, less than 8 pounds, half price; old toms, 24c; capons, 9 lbs. and over, 21c; guineas, each, 25c; squabs, homers, 14 oz. each, per doz., $4.00; squabs, homers, 12 oz. each, per doz., $3.00; squabs, homers, 8 oz. each, per doz., $1.50; squabs, homers under 8 oz. each, per doz., 50c; pigeons, per doz., 75c.

Minneapolis Grain Market.

Minneapolis, Aug. 19.—Wheat—September, $1.52⅛@1.53½; December, $1.51½@1.54⅝. Cash: No. 2 hard, $1.62½; No. 1 northern, $1.56⅛@1.61½; No. 2 northern, $1.53½@1.59⅝.

Flour—Fancy patents, $8.50; first clears, $6.75; second clears, $4.50.

Barley—71@87c.

Rye—$1.14@1.15½.

Bran—$19.25@21.00.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 85@88c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 43½@44½c.

Flax Seed—$2.18½@2.20½.

Kansas City General Market.

Kansas City, Aug. 19.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.42@1.52; No. 2 red, $1.46@1.53; September, $1.42⅝; December, $1.44⅜@1.44⅝; May, $1.49@1.49⅛.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 84@85c; No. 2 white, 84@84½c; No. 2 yellow, 86½c; September, 82⅞c; December, 83⅞@84c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 46@47c; No. 2 mixed, 45@48c.

St. Louis Grain Market.

St. Louis, Aug. 19.—Wheat—September, $1.46⅝; December, $1.50⅝; No. 2 red, $1.55@1.59; No. 2 hard, $1.50@1.51.

Corn—September, 86⅝c; December, 74⅝c; No. 2, 87c; No. 2 white, 88c.

Oats—No. 2, 45@44c; No. 2 white, 45@45½c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

Liverpool, Aug. 19.—Wheat—Spot No. 1 Manitoba, 14s 1d; No. 2 red western winter, 13s 11d.

Corn—Spot American mixed, new, 10s 6¾d.

New York oMney Market.

New York, Aug. 19.—Mercantile Paper—3¾ per cent.

Sterling—60-day bills, $4.71⅝; demand, $4.75⅝; cables, $4.76½.

Silver—Bar, 65⅛c; Mexican dollars, 50⅝c.

Bonds—Government, steady; railroad steady.

*U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	99	L. & N. unl. 4s	93¾
*do coupon	99	*M. K. & T. 1st 4s	74⅝
*U. S. 3s, reg.	100½	M. Pac. col. 6s	101⅞
*do coupon	101½	Mont. Power 5s	97⅞
*U. S. 4s, reg.	109½	N. Y. C. deb. 6s	112⅝
*do coupon	110	N. Y. City 4½s	105¾
Am. Smelters 6s	104¾	N. Y., N. H. & H.	
A. T. & T. cv. 4½s	115⅝	cv. 6s	112½
Anglo-French 5s	95⅝	*No. Pac. 4s	91½
Atch. gen. 4s	92⅝	do 3s	65½
Balt. & Ohio 4s	90¼	Ore. S. L. ref. 4s	91½
Beth. St. ref. 5s	100¾	Pac. T. & T. 5s	101
Cent. Pac. 1st	88	Penn. con. 4½s	104⅞
Ches. & O. cv. 4½s	87	do gen. 4½s	101½
C. B. & Q. J. 4s	98	Reading gen. 4s	93
*C., M. & St. P.		**St. L. & San F.	
cv. 5s	107	ref. 4s	81½
C. R. I. & P. Ry.		So. Pac. cv. 5s	101
ref. 4s	71⅞	do ref. 4s	95⅞
Colo. & S. r. 4½s	87	So. Railway 5s	100⅞
*D. & R. G. r. 4s	78	Union Pacific 4s	98⅞
do ref. 5s	65	do cv. 4s	93½
*Erie gen. 4s	73½	U. S. Rubber 6s	103⅞
*Gen. Elec. 5s	103⅞	U. S. Steel 5s	105⅞
Gt. No. 1st 4½s	100	*W. Union 4½s	95
*Ill. Cent. ref. 4s	88	W. Elec. cv. 5s	119½
Int. M. M. 4½s	108½		
*K. C. S. ref. 5s	90	*Bid. **Offered.	

Coffee Market.

New York, Aug. 19.—The market for coffee futures was very quiet today and fluctuations were correspondingly narrow. Talk of rather free offerings from Brazil seemed to restrict buying, while there was a little trade selling at prices a point or two under last night's closing figures, with December selling at 8.70c, and March at 8.84c. The market opened unchanged to 2 points lower, and closed at the same level. Sales for the day amounted to 5,750 bags. August and September, 8.65c; October, 8.67c; November, 8.68c; December, 8.68c; January, 8.75c; February, 8.79c; March, 8.83c; April, 8.88c; May, 8.92c; June, 8.97c; July, 9.01c.

The spot market was quiet. Rio 7s, 9½c; Santos 4s, 10¾c. oN change was reported in cost and freight offers. The official cables reported no change in milreis prices in Brazil, and a decline of 1-32d in Rio exchange on London.

Metal Market.

New York, Aug. 19.—Metals—The copper market has shown continued firmness on foreign and domestic buying. Offerings of electrolytic for delivery after the first of the year are reported from some sources at $26.00, but little activity in copper is offered for nearby delivery and the quotations named by the larger agencies today ranged from $26.50@27.00 for deliveries up to January 1. Iron was unchanged.

Omaha Hay Market.

Omaha, Aug. 19.—Hay—Choice upland, $10.50; No. 1, $9.50@10.00; No. 2, $8.00@9.00; No. 3, $6.00@8.00; No. 1 midland, $9.00@9.50; No. 2, $7.00@8.00; choice lowland, $7.00; No. 1, $6.00; No. 2, $4.00@5.00; No. 3, $3.00@4.00.

Dry Goods Market.

New York, Aug. 19.—Additional advances were announced today on leading lines of bleached muslins. Business on finished cotton goods for home consumption and export continued steady. Linens were in better demand for prompt delivery. Burlaps were firm.

Successful, Prosperous, going manufacturing institution, now enlarging business, desires a few competent, capable, honest salesmen. See us today. Salary and commission.

ALFALFA BUTTER CO.,
11th and Capitol Ave.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Cattle Sharply Higher For the Week—Sheep and Lambs Also Make Advances.

HOGS FIFTEEN QUARTER UP

Omaha, August 19, 1916.

Receipts were—	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Official Monday	11,326	3,4[illegible]	14,4[illegible]
Official Tuesday	8,543	8,[illegible]	14,784
Official Wednesday	4,118	10,4[illegible]	8,857
Official Thursday	2,455	8,17[illegible]	[illegible]
Official Friday	793	6,[illegible]	[illegible]
Estimate Saturday	50	4,400	2,100
Total this week	27,514	45,200	45,095
Total last week	20,962	46,799	74,479
Total two weeks ago	15,41[illegible]	74,141	48,979
Total three weeks ago	11,491	45,157	69,814
Total four weeks ago	16,144	45,350	42,101
Total last year	27,859	49,939	103,722

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.
Aug. 1	9 14¾	*	8 29	8 63	7 16	6 64
Aug. 2	9 06¼	6 80	*	8 48	7 85	6 69
Aug. 3	8 95¼	6 60	8 04	*	7 93	6 76
Aug. 4	9 14¼	6 81	7 88	8 43	*	6 92
Aug. 5	9 18¾	6 43	7 70	8 23	8 03	7 34
Aug. 6	*	6 80	7 85	8 17	7 98	*
Aug. 7	9 38¼	6 87	8 22	8 19	7 80	7 16
Aug. 8	9 40¾	*	8 55	8 26	7 59	7 25
Aug. 9	9 46¼	6 52	*	8 18	7 78	7 27
Aug. 10	9 64¾	6 58	8 90	*	7 90	7 28
Aug. 11	9 62¼	6 65	9 02	8 19	*	7 31
Aug. 12	9 63¼	6 78	8 79	7 96	8 04	7 11
Aug. 13	*	6 [illegible]	8 85	7 88	8 08	*
Aug. 14	9 62	6 50	8 94	7 70	8 12	7 10
Aug. 15	9 72	*	8 94	7 72	8 12	7 08
Aug. 16	9 40¼	6 36	*	7 77	8 14	7 17
Aug. 17	9 62½	6 46	8 72	*	8 05	7 12
Aug. 18	9 50¼	6 25	8 60	7 78	*	7 17
Aug. 19	[illegible]	6 25	8 85	7 72	8 08	7 19

*Sunday.

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

RECEIPTS—CARLOADS.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep	H'r's
C., M. & St. P.		1		
Missouri Pacific		1		
Union Pacific	4	14	7	
C. & N. W., east		1		
C. & N. W., west		22		4
C., St. P., M. & O.		3		
C., B. & Q., east		1		
C., B. & Q., west		15		
C., R. I. & P., east		3		
C., R. I. & P., west		1		
Chicago Gt. West		2		
Total receipts	4	64	7	4

DISPOSITION—HEAD.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Morris & Co.		874	
Swift & Co.		730	
Cudahy Packing Co.		1,420	
Armour & Co.		576	
Schwartz & Co.		311	
J. W. Murphy		844	
Totals		4,785	

Cattle—Receipts of cattle this week have been very large, in fact the largest of any week for a long time back, and very much larger than for the corresponding time a year ago. The big run is due entirely to range cattle coming earlier than a year ago.

In spite of large receipts the market has been in splendid condition, the demand having been good every day and the trade reasonably active. Prices have been gradually firming up until at the close of the week the market on beef steers, stockers and feeders is 15@25c higher than the close of the previous week. Cows and heifers while showing some little changes are at the close of the week steady with the previous week's close. Altogether the market has been in splendid condition from a seller's standpoint.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice beeves, $9.75@10.25; fair to good beeves, $9.00@9.75; common to fair beeves, $7.75@9.00; good to choice yearlings, $9.75@10.40; fair to good yearlings, $9.00@9.75; common to fair yearlings, $8.25@9.00; good to choice grass beeves, $7.75@9.25; fair to good grass beeves, $7.25@7.75; common to fair grass beeves, $6.15@7.25; good to choice heifers, $6.75@7.50; good to choice cows, $6.50@7.25; fair to good cows, $5.50@6.50; common to fair cows, $4.00@5.00; good to choice feeders, $7.50@8.40; fair to good feeders, $6.90@7.50; common to fair feeders, $6.00@6.60; good to choice stockers, $7.40@8.00; stock heifers, $[illegible]@6.75; stock cows, $5.00@6.50; stock calves, $6.50@8.25; veal calves, $8.25@11.25; beef bulls, stags, etc., $5.99@7.22; Bologna bulls, $5.75@6.1[illegible].

Hogs—The market was a good active 10c higher affair all through, with very light local supplies, and good hogs none too plentiful. Shippers filled their orders early, taking between a fourth and a third of the offerings on a 10c higher basis. Packing request was fairly broad, and as killer buyers had such a limited supply to pick from there was little for them to do except follow the shipper lead and pay fully 10c higher prices.

Everything was cleaned up by 9 o'clock or shortly after. Bulk of the packing hogs sold at $9.70@9.90, as against $9.60@9.75 for similar stuff yesterday, while there was a good showing of shippers as high as $10.00, and quite a sprinkling above. The top showed no advance again, landing at $10.35. This was due to no lack of strength in prices, but to the fact that no straight load of choice lights or butchers were on offer.

Prices are 15@25c higher than at the close of last week, today's average setting a new high mark for the year.

Representative sales:

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
20	302	...	$9 60	66	273	...	$9 75
71	251	...	9 75	51	169	...	9 80
53	246	...	9 85	63	282	...	9 87½
66	212	80	9 90	54	187	...	10 05
74	241	...	10 10	74	229	40	10 35

Sheep—The lamb market this week has been the most uneven in a long time. Radical changes in the quality of the lambs from one day to the next, along with a good deal of irregularity in prices, has made markets very hard to quote. However, for the whole week there has not been a great deal of change. In fact, on paper values look just about steady, though quality was not so good yesterday as at the close of last week, and for that reason a good many sellers called the market 10@15c higher for the week. Yesterday's offerings sold largely at $10.50@10.85, with one bunch of an undesirable sort down to $10.25. A nominal top of $11.00 was quoted on choice lambs.

Old sheep are selling 25@50c higher than at last week's close. After packers broke the market $1.00 per hundred last week buyers of feeding and breeding stock were able to take nearly everything that was offered, and in order to get a few muttons they needed killers had to put back part of what they had taken off. Good handy weight ewes are selling as high as $7.00, with wethers up to $7.25, and range yearlings quoted up to $7.50.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

St. Louis, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts 300 head; market steady; native beef steers, $7.00@10.75; yearling steers and heifers, $8.50@10.25; cows, $5.50@7.75; stockers and feeders, $5.25@8.00; southern steers, $5.50@8.50; prime southern steers, $8.00@9.00; cows and heifers, $4.50@6.00; prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@9.00; native calves, $6.00@11.75.

Hogs—Receipts 2,500 head; market higher; pigs and lights, $7.50@10.85; mixed and butchers, $10.40@10.90; good heavy, $10.50@10.90; bulk of sales, $10.65@10.85.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 250 head; market steady; lambs, $7.00@10.65; slaughter ewes, $6.00@7.25; bleating ewes, $9.00@10.00; yearlings, $6.00@9.50.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts 200 head; market steady; prime fed steers, $9.85@10.75; dressed beef steers, $8.00@9.50; western steers, $7.85@9.60; stockers and feeders, $6.00@8.25; bulls, $5.25@6.50; calves, $6.50@11.00.

Hogs—Receipts 500 head; market higher; bulk of sales, $10.00@10.40; heavy, $9.90@10.30; packers and butchers, $10.00@10.45; lights, $10.20@10.50; pigs, $8.00@9.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts none; market steady; lambs, $10.25@11.25; yearlings, $7.75@8.25; wethers, $7.25@7.75; ewes, $6.75@7.25.

St. Joseph Live Stock Market.

St. Joseph, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts 100 head; market steady; steers, $7.00@10.50; cows and heifers, $4.00@9.50; calves, $7.00@11.00.

Hogs—Receipts 3,400 head; market steady. Top, $10.50; bulk of sales, $10.00@10.40.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 100 head; market steady; lambs, $10.25@11.00; ewes, $6.00@7.25.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts 500 head; market steady; native beef cattle, $7.10@11.50; western steers, $[illegible]@9.80; stockers and feeders, $5.00@8.50; cows and heifers, $3.70@9.60; calves, $8.25@12.20.

Hogs—Receipts 8,000 head; market strong, mostly 10c higher; bulk of sales, $10.20@11.00; light, $10.20@10.50; mixed, $9.65@10.90; heavy, $9.75@[illegible]; rough, $9.75@9.85; pigs, $8.00@9.60.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2,000 head; market weak; wethers, $[illegible]; ewes, $3.40@7.95; lambs, $7.50@11.[illegible].

Sioux City Live Stock Market.

Sioux City, Ia., Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts 300 head.

Hogs—Receipts 3,100 head; market 10c higher; light, $9.65@9.80; mixed, $9.80@9.90; heavy, $9.50@10.00; bulk, $9.[illegible]@9.90.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,500 head.

NEW YORK GENERAL MARKET.

Quotations of the Day on the Leading Commodities.

New York, Aug. 19.—Sugar—Futures were quiet today, the undertone was steady and closing quotations were unchanged to 3 points higher. September, 4.53c; December, 4.47c; March, 4.0[illegible]c; May, 4.1[illegible]c. Raw and refined, holiday.

Butter—Firm; receipts, 8,423 tubs; creamery extras, 31¾@32½c; firsts, 29½@31c; seconds, 27½@29c.

Eggs—Steady; receipts, 8,962 cases; unchanged.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 3,448 boxes; unchanged.

Poultry—Live, weak; broilers, 22@23c; fowls, 16½@17c; turkeys, 15@16c. Dressed, firm and unchanged.

New York Cotton Market.

New York, Aug. 19.—Cotton—Futures opened steady; October, 14.3[illegible]c; December, 14.45c; January, 14.60c; March, 14.81c; May, 14.72c.

Cotton futures closed steady; October, 14.28c; December, 14.41c; January, 14.4[illegible]c; March, 14.62c; May, 14.72c.

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands, 14.40c. No sales.

Wellington Inn Being Remodeled

Considerable remodeling is being done at the Wellington Inn. Contractor John Harte is in charge of the work. There will be a big ground floor lobby with a tiled floor, oak beam ceiling, wall paneling, mezzanine balcony and stairs, a cigar stand, taxi stand, check room and telephone booths. This work is all to be in fumed oak finish. A barber shop and lavatory will be provided in the basement. The Wellington Coffee room will open on Farnam street, with a side entrance from the main lobby. The cafe or main dining room is to be located at the rear of the lobby and coffee room, with an entrance from both. This room is to be 35x35 feet, and is to have solid oak paneling, beam ceiling, art glass sky lights and windows. The estimated cost of all the improvements is approximately $25,000.

FALSE MODESTY DON'T EXIST

Swedes Do Not Share American Idea That Body Stops at the Collar.

The great American secret that the human body stops where the conventional collar begins is not shared by the Swedes. Here in Stockholm the print-shop windows are full of pictures by Zorn and his imitators; jolly peasant nymphs sunning themselves on rocks, splashing each other in the surf, squinting at you and the sunlight from the grass by the riverside, where they have just slipped out of their clothes—pictures full of youth and health and sunshine, which the late guardian of New York's morals would never for a moment have allowed in New York, and which, thanks to the encouragement of such self-consciousness, would doubtless block the sidewalk if they were put on view, but which scarcely attract a glance here from the street boys as they pass by.

Bath attendants in the Stockholm hotels and public bathhouses are generally women. These white-armed Brunhildas pursue into the nethermost corner of the bath room the trembling American—trembling not so much from modesty perhaps as at the poverty of his own ignoble and clothes degenerated shape—and there flop him about and scrub him as if he were so many square yards of kitchen floor. At family bathing places—that is to say, places where only one family swims—bathing suits are not infrequently dispensed with altogether, and the rocks and blue waters of the archipelago between Stockholm and the sea are full in summer, so one is told, of these "pink seals."—Arthur Ruhl in Collier's.

SWIMMING POOLS NEED CARE

Writer Discusses the Question of Sanitary Water for Bathers.

A simple, inexpensive and convenient method of disinfecting swimming pools has now been discovered. Not only will it reduce the number of bacteria, but it will actually make the pool completely sterile and keep it so for several days. This method consists of sprinkling into the water chloride of lime in the ratio of one part to two million parts of water.

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NEW YORK STOCKS

Traders in Securities Watching Railroad Situation With Keen Interest.

RAIL ISSUES GO LOWER

New York, Aug. 19.—Wall street's keen interest in the railroad labor situation submerged all other considerations and developments during today's two-hour session. Trading was light and was [illegible] United States Steel was [illegible] and fell within a fractional limit.

[illegible] was more the [illegible] for Atlantic [illegible] at 72¼ and an extreme [illegible] points for Pacific Mail, the closing [illegible] with that company's [illegible] of [illegible] service.

[illegible] and investment stocks were at [illegible] that before the close, when the financial district received word that the Washington conference had as yet [illegible] without definite results.

Irregular gains were registered by [illegible] shares, Pullman, Sears-Roebuck, Marine companies, Mexican Petroleum and tobaccos, but these were devoid of significance. Total sales of stocks amounted to [illegible] shares.

The bank statement was [illegible] because of the large [illegible] $22,000,000, with an increase of [illegible] in reserves. [illegible] reported a continuance of [illegible] despite prevailing uncertain factors.

The day's bond dealings were [illegible] with a steady tone. Total sales, par value, $1,[illegible],000.

Government bonds were unchanged on call during the week.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Beet Sugar	200	89	88½	88½
American Can	2,100	53¾	53⅛	53
Am. Car & Foundry	400	61¼	60¾	61
Am. Locomotive	2,800	73½	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Smelt & Ref.	1,400	95⅝	94¾	94¾
Am. Sugar Ref.	200	110¾	110¼	110
Am. Tel. & Tel.				131½
Am. Z. L. & S.				32½
Anaconda Copper	1,600	85⅞	84⅝	84½
Atchison	1,100	75⅝	75⅜	[illegible]
Bald. Locomotive	1,500	75¾	75⅛	[illegible]
Baltimore & Ohio	500	86⅝	86½	86½
Brook. Rap. Tran.				84½
B. & S. Copper	400	67¾	67½	67½
Cal. Petroleum				19½
Canadian Pacific	400	178¾	177½	177¾
Central Leather	1,600	57	[illegible]	56¾
Chesapeake & Ohio	300	61½	61	61
C., M. & St. P.	1,200	94½	93½	93½
Chi. & Northwestern				126¾
C., R. I. & P. Ry.	2,400	16¾	16¼	16¾
Chino Copper	2,000	51¾	51	50¾
Colo. Fuel & Iron	5,000	45¾	43⅞	43⅞
Corn Products Ref.				14⅝
Crucible Steel	1,900	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Distillers' Securities	300	45½	45	45
Erie	2,100	36⅝	36⅜	36½
General Electric				167
Gt. Northern pfd.	300	118	117½	117¼
Gt. Nor. Ore ctfs.	2,000	39¾	38	38¾
Illinois Central	1,300	82¼	81½	81¾
Inter. Con. Corp.				16½
Inspiration Copper	1,300	62⅛	61½	61½
Inter. Harvester				114
I. M. M. pfd. ctfs.	17,300	101⅝	92½	101
K. C. Southern				24½
Kennecott Copper	1,300	49	48⅝	48⅝
Louis. & Nash.				129¾
Mexican Petroleum	1,200	101	100⅞	100¾
Miami Copper	800	35	34¾	34½
M., K. & T. pfd.				10
Missouri Pacific				5
Montana Power				82
National Lead				65½
Nevada Copper	1,600	16½	16¼	16¼
New York Central	600	103⅞	103½	103⅝
N. Y., N. H. & H.				60½
Norfolk & Western	300	129⅛	129	128¾
Northern Pacific	1,500	111	111	110¾
Pacific Mail	9,500	29	26⅞	27
Pac. Tel. & Tel.				35
Pennsylvania	1,200	55¾	55⅝	55⅝
Ray Con. Copper	500	24⅞	24½	24½
Reading	2,600	102⅞	102	102⅞
Rep. Iron & Steel	2,300	51½	51	51
Shat. Arizona Cop.				25½
Southern Pacific	600	98½	98¼	98¼
Southern Railway	500	23⅞	23¾	23¾
Studebaker Co.	1,300	131½	130⅞	131
Tennessee Copper	400	25½	25¼	25⅛
Texas Company	500	194½	193	192½
Union Pacific	3,100	139⅞	139¼	139¼
Union Pacific pfd.	600	82⅞	82	82½
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	400	112	111¾	111⅝
U. S. Steel	25,300	91⅞	91¼	91¼
U. S. Steel pfd.	200	118	118	117
Utah Copper	200	82	81½	81½
Wabash pfd. "B"				27½
Western Union	300	96	96	95
West. Electric	1,100	59⅝	59¼	59¼

Total sales for the day, 215,000 shares.

Statement of Clearing House Banks.

New York, Aug. 19.—The statement of the actual condition of banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $127,593,220 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $24,596,080 over last week. Actual condition:

		Decrease.
Loans, discounts, etc.	$3,232,712,000	$13,351,000
Reserve in own vaults (b)	410,924,000	*13,769,000
Reserve in Federal Reserve bank	169,681,000	*12,202,000
Reserve in other depositaries	53,056,000	*401,000
Net demand deposits	3,166,612,000	*19,447,000
Net time deposits	209,489,000	10,397,000
Circulation	31,222,000	126,000
Aggregate reserve	672,665,000	
Excess reserve	127,593,220	*24,596,080

Summary of state banks and trust companies in Greater New York not included in clearing house statement:

		Increase.
Loans, discounts, etc.	$ 712,179,300	$ 3,850
Specie	59,534,500	*505,900
Legal tenders	8,654,700	*544,000
Total deposits	878,018,100	4,179,100
Bank cash reserve in vaults	11,218,700	....
Trust companies cash reserve in vaults	56,470,500	....

(b) Of which $389,850,000 is specie.

Bank Clearings.

Omaha, Aug. 19.—Bank clearings for Omaha today were $1,545,267.23, and for the corresponding day last year $2,440,732.95. The total clearings for the week were $25,192,274.75, and for the corresponding week last year $17,699,385.19.

Elgin Butter Market.

Elgin, Ill., Aug. 19.—Butter—Twenty-five tubs sold at 30½c.

REALTY MEN WIN THEIR BOND FIGHT

Judge Leslie Decides Paving and Grading Bonds Did Not Get Votes Enough.

COMMISSIONERS TO APPEAL

The Omaha Real Estate Exchange won the first round of the fight to hold the Douglas county road bonds illegal.

Judge Leslie, in the district court, has declared the bonds not legally carried at the spring primary, because the bonds did not receive a two-thirds majority of all the votes cast at the primary.

The county commissioners intend to go to the supreme court with the case.

The proposition was for a bond issue of $[illegible],000 for paving Douglas county roads and $[illegible],000 for grading Douglas county roads.

Immediately after the election there was much talk as to whether the bonds had legally carried. John Paul Breen at that time gave it as his opinion that they had carried since a mere majority was enough. Now John Paul Breen was retained by H. A. Patterson, nominal plaintiff for the Real Estate Exchange, to fight the legality of the bonds, and a good fight he made.

Magney of Same Opinion

County Attorney Magney gave it as his opinion immediately after the election that the bonds had passed and that a mere majority was enough. Others, who were looked upon as authority, declared they were carried, while still others held they were not legally carried.

This controversy led the Omaha Real Estate Exchange to get into the fight to save the taxpayers money. The exchange declared that if the bonds were legal they wanted the world to know it before the county board would go to a lot of expense to advertise them and seek to sell them only to learn at the last minute that there were no legal bonds to be sold.

Activities on Various Playgrounds This Week

The following schedule of activities in the public playgrounds, beginning next Tuesday and closing August 31:

Tuesday, 2 p. m., pushmobile contest, Hanscom park; 4 p. m., pushmobile contest, Kountze park.

Wednesday, 2 p. m., pet show, Fontenelle park.

Thursday, 2 p. m., pet show, Hanscom park; 4 p. m., pet show, Kountze park.

Saturday, 4 p. m., pushmobile contest, Fontenelle park; 8 p. m., lantern parade, Kountze park.

Sunday, 2 p. m., pet show, Mandan park; 4 p. m., pushmobile contest, Miller park.

Tuesday, 2 p. m., doll show, Spring Lake park; 4 p. m., doll show, Hanscom park.

Wednesday, 12:30 p. m., pushmobile parade and contest, city championship, all playgrounds represented.

Thursday, 2 p. m., pet show, Miller park.

Several Lots Sold in Victor Place This Week

The Willis Realty company reports the following sales for the week in Victor Place:

G. W. Beerman, bungalow, $4,000.
Charles Damm, lot 9, Victor Place, $1,000.
H. Krinn, lot 4, Victor Place, $1,[illegible].

APARTMENT HOUSES IN GREAT DEMAND

Most Rooms Taken, Even Though Buildings Will Not Be Done for a Month.

STILL OTHERS ON THE WAY

With apartment houses being built in any direction one may take from any given point in the city almost, there seems still to be a dearth of apartment houses. Practically the contractors are considering the jobs on some of the big new apartment houses, the apartments of which are already spoken for, even though the buildings themselves are not to be wholly completed before October 1.

The Berkeley apartment, Nineteenth avenue and Jones street, is a fair example. This structure has just been completed, and there is but one apartment left in the building for rent.

The Melrose, Thirty-third and California streets, is to be completed by October 1, but most all of the best apartments are gone.

The Idalia, 11[illegible] South Thirty-third street, is also to be completed by October 1, and already the apartments are rented almost to the limit.

These are only representative examples of how readily the desirable apartments in the new apartment houses are being snapped up. Dozens of new apartment houses were built during the year, and although many of them cannot be completed before October and others cannot be completed until early winter, there are those who are willing to rent them now, and wait until they are ready for occupancy. The demand for up-to-date apartments is this fall even heavier than before and this demand has been growing steadily for several years in Omaha. Every spring brings up foundations for dozens of apartment houses and every fall finds them all rented up to the limit.

Payne Investment Co. Reports Many Sales

Payne Investment company reports the following city sales during last thirty days:

Charles Jackson bought the business lots of D. O. Clark for the sum of $3,[illegible].

Fred Carlson bought the Richards home in Prairie park for $4,500.

William Bruner bought the property of Mrs. Hart in North Omaha for $450.

George Kinder bought the property of William Deppe, Thirty-fourth and Meredith, for $2,[illegible].

Mrs. Weigel purchased the property of Mrs. Parker, Twenty-first street and Grand avenue, for $2,850.

Mrs. Dellanoy purchased the property of Mr. Hess, 1811 Laird, for $3,500.

Mr. Hytra purchased property from Otto Thomsen.

George Hurd purchased Thorpe property, 115 South Forty-second street.

Mr. Filter purchased Dr. Ellis' business lot, Twenty-sixth street and Dewey avenue, $1,[illegible].

Dr. Ellis purchased Mr. Filter's property, Forty-eighth street and Underwood avenue, $6,000.

Mr. Wilson purchased the Brande property, Twenty-eighth and Pinkney, $2,000.

Mrs. Marquette purchased the Galloway property on Florence boulevard, $4,000.

Mrs. Harriett Brown purchased the following: 420 South Twenty-ninth street, 4157 Lafayette avenue, 271 Charles street.

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L. C. Thrane, 1007 Jackson St.
Josef V. Kosnar, 4829 South Twenty-fourth St.
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