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Tork May 4.—Marcantile Paper—

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Turpentine and Rosin. Savannah, Ga. May 4.—Turpentine—Firm, 1%c; sales, 154 bbls.; receipts, 87 bbls.; forments 61 bbls.; stock, 71,530 bbls.; Rogin—Firm; sales, 202 bb.s.; receipts, 246 bis.; shipments, 430 bbls.; stock, 96,572

enpolis, May 4.—Flour—Unchanged.

tye-\$1.67@2.69. Narley-\$1.60@1.69. Nrap-\$23.16.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK

Small Cattle Receipts; Hog Market Uneven; 28,614 Head of Sheep Received During Week.

Receipts and disposition of live stock at the Union Stock Yards, Omaha, Neb., for 24 hours ending at 2 o'clock p. m., May 4, 1918: RECEIPTS-CARLOADS

28 4 1 Cattle. Hogs. Total receipts 16 Morris & Co.
Swift & Co.
Swift & Co.
Cudahy Packing Co.
Armour & Co.
Schwarts & Co.
J. W. Murphy
Cudahy—Sloux City
J. H. Bulla
Other Buyers
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Cattle. Hogs. Sheep. 8,662 8,160 7,126

Same days 2 with ago. 59,853 54,504 42,288
Same days year ago. 29,811 63,247 21,965
Cattle—Only a few cattle were reported for the Saturday market, about 300 head, and prices held just about steady. Receipts for the week have been approximately 32,500 head or nearly 8,000 short of last week, but 8,000 more than for the corresponding week a year ago. On good to choice beeves the market has been active and the trend of values higher, choice grades bringing \$17,00@17.40 making a new high mark for the season. The fair to good grades at \$15.75@76@18.50 have also sold somewhat stronger. Best yearlings are around a dollar higher than a week ago at \$14.00@16.00 while light kinds have shown very little improvement and are selling at \$10.50@13.00 and on down. In general desirable beeves are closing 25@35c higher than a week ago and there has been in the same advance on the good closur. In stockers and feeders the good fleshy kinds are selling stronger than a week ago, while common light stockers have been slow sale at uncertain prices all week.

Quotations: Good to choice beeves, \$15.75@15.05; fair to good beeves, \$15.50@16.50; good to choice yearlings, \$14.00@15.60; fair to good yearlings, \$14.00@15.60; fair to good yearlings, \$15.00@15.60; fair to good yearlings, \$15.00@15.60; fair to good yearlings, \$10.00@13.00; common to fair partings, \$10.00@13.00; common to fair grades, \$12.50@13.50; common to fair to good to choice feeders, \$12.50@13.50; good to choice feeders, \$12.50@15.50; good to choice feeders, \$12.50@15.50; good to choice feeders, \$12.50@15.50; good to choice stockers, \$5.50@10.50; fair to good feeders, \$15.00@15.50; fair to good feeders, \$15.00@15.

Hogs—On supplies of 7,000 head, or about 100 cars, the market opened very uneven, with shippers paying prices early as much as 10@15c higher. During this as much as 10@15c higher. During this resiston they bought choice lightweights as high as \$17.25, the top for the day. The packer market was slow and draggy and sales ranged anywhere from steady to 10c nigher. The bulk of the receipts changed hands at \$16.75@17.10, and the general market was steady to 10c higher.

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Sheep—There were only about 700 sheep
received at the market today, making the
stal supplies on sale this week 28,614
head. Buyers were largely in control of
the market the fore part of the week and
they registered a big decline Monday and
Tuesday, which was broken, however, on
Wednesday. The close of the week finds
the market from 40 500 below a week

In response to the recent protest against
government regulations the green coffee avo. The top price for the week on lamba-was \$20.30, today finding the market with the loss partly regained and a stronger feeling all around.

feeling all around.
Sheep quotations: Good to choice lambs.
\$19.769.030; fair to choice lambs. \$18.50@
19.75; fair to choice yearlings. \$16.50@18.00;
fair to choice wethers. \$14.50@17.00; fair to choice ewes. \$13.50@18.35; feeder lambs.
\$17.50@18.00; spring lambs. \$15.00@20.00.

St Louis Live Stock. St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Lo ano, May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 600 head; market steady; native beef steers, \$11.50@17.60; yearling steers and helfers, \$12.50@15.60; cows, \$7.50@12.50; stockers and feeders, \$8.50@12.00; fair to prime southern beef steers, \$12.00@15.50; beef cows and helfers, \$6.00@12.50; southern yearling steers and helfers, \$7.50@19.00; native calves \$7.75@15.50,

Hogs—Receipts, \$,800 head; market steady; lights, \$17.45@17.60; pigs, \$15.75@17.25; mixed and butchers, \$17.15@17.55; good heavy, \$17.10@17.25; bulk of sales, \$17.25@17.50;

-Receipts, 200 head; market steady; ambs, 20.50@21.25; ewes, \$19.00@17.00 wethers, \$15.50@17.00; canners, \$6.50@9.50

Kansus City Live Stock. Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City. Mo., May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head: market steady; prime fed steers, \$18.50@17.50; dressed beef steers \$15.35@16.75; western steers, \$14.00@17.25; dows, \$7.75@'4.00; heifers, \$3.50@13.00. Hogs—Receipts, 1,900 head; market higher; bulk, \$17.15@17.35; heavy, \$17.00@17.20; packers and butchers, \$17.10@17.40; light, \$17.15, \$3.7.45; pigs, \$14.00@17.40. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 500 head; market steady; lambs, \$12.50@20.60; yearlings, \$16.60@17.50; wethers, \$15.00@17.50; owes, \$15.00@16.75.

Chicago IAve Stock,
Chicago, May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000
head; market steady; native steers, \$10.00
\$17.50; stockers and feeders, \$8.20\$(12.50;
cows and helfers, \$6.75\$(14.00; calves, \$8.00)
\$14.50.
Hogs—Receipts, 13,000 head; market
strons, \$00 to 150 above yesterday's average; bulk, \$17.20\$(71.65; light, \$17.10\$)
17.75; mixed, \$15.20\$(17.75; heavy, \$15.10\$)
17.55; rough, \$16.10\$(15.45; pigs, \$13.50\$)
17.20.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts \$.000 head;

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2,000 head; market steady; sheep, \$12.75@16.75; lambs. \$15.50@21.00. Sloux City Live Stock.

Sloux City Lave Stock.

Stoux City, Ia., May 4.—Receipts, 500 head; market steady; beef steers \$312.00@ 17.50; fat cows and heifers, \$9.00@15.00; canners, \$7.50@55.50; stockers and feeders \$10.00@14.00; calves, \$8.00@13.00; bulls stage, otc., \$8.50@12.75; feeding cows and heifers, \$7.50@11.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 6.000 head; market \$ to 10 cents higher; light, \$17.00@17.10; mixed, \$15.00@16.00; bulk, \$16.85@17.05.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 500 head; market steady.

81 Joseph Live Stock Market, St. Joseph, Me., May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 400 head; market, steady; atters, \$13.00@17.55; cows and heifers, \$7.00@18.00; caives, \$7.00@18.00 head; market, steady to higher; top, \$17.35; bulk, \$16.90@17.25. Sheep—Receipts, none; market, steady; lambs, \$15.00@20,60; ewes, \$10.00@16.75.

Receipts lighter on all grades of prairie hay alfalfa. Better inquiry for top grades, and very little demand for the common

No. 3, \$10.00@11.50. Straw-Oat, \$6.00@7.00; wheat, \$6.00@ 6.50.

Chicago, May 4.—Butter—Market high-or; creamery, 35042c.

Bggs—Market Micher; receipts, 19,009 cases; firsts, 214 @ 334c; ordinary firsts, 314 @ 32c; at mark, cases included, 314 @ 334c.

Polatoss—Receipts, 24 care; unchanged.

London Money. London, May 4,-Silver-Bar, 4944 pe Money—2% res cent.

Discount rates: Short bills, 3% per cent.

hree months, \$ 8-16 per cent.

New York Cotton. New York, May 4.—Cotton futures opened firm; July, 25.0c; October, 24.15c to 24.48c; December, 24.16c; January, 24.05c.
Cotton—Spot, quiet; middling, 2.46c.

Omaha Last Week

CATTLE BECEIPTS. Chicago
Kansas City......
Omaha . Louis CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Corn Prices Swing Downward Under Influ-ence of Fine Weather and Peace Gossip. Chicago, May 4.—Corn prices took a downward swing today, influenced mainly by fine weather and by peace gossip. The market closed weak, 16 % c net lower, with May \$1.27% and July \$1.48% 01.48%. Oats lost % 01c net. In provision: there were gains of 150 5°c.
Official announcement that temperatures would remain above normal until at least Monday gave the bears in corn an advantage from the start. Moreover, hopes of export business had flattened out, and fresh evidenes was at hand that liberal supplies still remained in first hands and the country slevators. Resides, fayorable.

supplies still remained in first hands and in country elevators. Besides, favorable conditions for plowing and seeding were expected to keep primary receipts well in excess of last year's figures. Notice that the railroad movement of export grain would be given preference over domestic shipments had only a transient effect, being offset more or less by word of continued efforts to open negotiations for peace.

Estimate today 300 7,000 to tinued efforts to open assertion of the Saturday market, about 300 head, and prices held just about steady. Receipts for the Saturday market, about 300 head, and prices held just about steady. Receipts for the week have been approximately 32,-

Nye-Schneider-Fowler stock American For. Sec. Corp notes 95% 95% NEBRASKA MUNICIPALS— Hardy 6 pet W. W. (1939)... 99 100 Merna, 5 pet W. W. (1925)... 99 100 Callaway, 5 5 pet W. W. (1926)... 99 100 Village of Oakdale, 6 pet W. W. 99 100 Kimball, 5 pet sewers (1929)... 99 100

New York, May 4 .- The market for cof New York, May 4.—The market for cof-fee futures showed no fresh feature today. The steadler tone noted recently was again in evidence, and after opening 2 points higher the market closed at an advance of 1 to 5 points with July selling around 8.85c, and September \$.49c. Business, however, was very quiet and the price movement re-flected the influence of a few scattering orders, attributed to further covering. May, 8.16c. July 8.35c. Santember 8.48c. Oct. 8.18c; July. 8.28c; September, 8.48c; October 8.52c; December, 8.52c; January, 8.66c; March, 8.78c.
Spot Coffee—Dull; Rio No. 7, 8%c; Santos

trade has received a reply from the food administration that it cannot consent to suspension of present rules and regulations, but that careful consideration will be given any definite changes proposed.

New York, May 4.—Butter—Market firm; receipts, 7,676 tubs; creamery, higher than extras, 47@47%c; extra (92 score), 46%c; firsts, 43%@46c; packing stock, current make No. 2, 31%@32c.

Eggs—Market steady; receipts, 25,466 cases; fresh gathered, 33@33%c; fresh gathered, storage packed, firsts, 36%@37%c; regular packed, extra firsts, 36%@37c; dofiests 35@36c.

firsts 35@26c.

Cheese — Market steady; receipts, 2.897 boxes; state, whole milk flats held specials, 24%@26c; do average run, 24@25c; fresh specials, 22%@23c; do average run, 22@22%c.

Poultry—Alive, firm; dressed, quiet; prices unchanged. Duluth Linseed.

Duluth, Minn., May 4.—Linseed—\$4.00 @
4.05; arrive, \$4.00; May, \$4.00 asked; July,
\$4.03 % bid; October, \$3.60 nominal.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, May 4.—Corn—No. 2, \$1.71;
No. 2 white, \$1.50 @1.85; July, \$1.49 %.

Oats—No. 2, 77%c; No. 3 white, \$0@30%e;
May, 78%c; July, 68%c. Evaporated Fruits.

New Tork, May 4.—Evaporated apples, dull. Prunes, quiet. Apricots and peaches, firm, but quiet. Raisins, steady. Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Mo., May 4.—Corn—No. 2 mixed, \$1.64@1.68; No. 2 white, \$1.72@1.76; No. 6 yellow, \$1.66@1.70; May, \$1.27%.

Oats—No. 2 white, \$1@71½c; No. 2 mixed,

New York Coffee

New Tork, May 4.—Coffee—Rio No. 1

\$\circ{3}{6}\circ{c}{2}\c

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Mo., May 4.—Butter, Eggs and Foultry—Market unchanged. New York Cotton.

New York, May 4.—Cotton closed steady net 5 points higher to 11 points lower.

Maximum Food Prices

Maximum prices of retailers, effective a No merchant is allowed to charge more

Eggs, selects

No. 2

*Bread (U. S. standard loaf wrapped) d (U.S. standard loar wrapped)
42 os. loaf—not made.
16 os. loaf—not made.
24 os. loaf—not made.
35 os. loaf—not made.
48 os. loaf—not made. rackers (Victory) catmeal Corn

per lb. No. 1 pure..... Compound
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Red Star Officials Rush Motorcycle to Camp Dodge



of the Red Star, left this morning for and prompt delivery is to be made Camp Dodge to deliver a motorcycle by the Omaha men driving the mato General Getty, commandant of the chine cross country.

Scout Executive English and H. S. | Iowa post. The order for the ma-Mann, president of the local branch chine, which is for the use of the

GRAIN AND PRODUCE TRAP GAME PLAYS Continued Light Arrivals; Corn

Steady to 3 Cents Lower; Oats Unchanged; Rye Quiet.

Omaha, May 4, 1918. Continued light arrivals were noted again continued light arrivals were noted again today only 140 cars showing up. Wheat receipts were 15 cars; corn, 88 cars; oats, 21 cars, and barley, 6 cars.
Corn generally was steady to 3c lower.
Practically all the offerings of Nos. 2 and 3 white and yellow went at virtually unchanged figures, while the mixed grades. 3 white and yellow went at virtually unchanged figures, while the mixed grades
were lo and 30 off. Some white corn sold
late in the day went at a decline of lo and
20 after the demand for this variety had
cpparently been well filled.
Oats were unchanged to lo up, the bulk
3' the better grades bringing yesterday's
prices, while the lower grades brought an
a vance of %c and 10. Standard oats
sold at 79% o and 79% o and the No. 3 white
at 190 No. 4 white and sample oats went manual of arms.

at 79% and 79% and the No. 3 white at 79c No. 4 white and sample oats went at 78% and 76c, respectively. Rye was quiet, while only one car of barley was disposed -f. This graded No. 3 and brought \$1.65. Clearances were: Oats, 885,000 bushels. Primary wheat receipts were 261,000 bushels and shipments of 27,000 bushels. against receipts of 804,000 bushels and ship-ments of \$1,356,000 bushels last year. Primary corn receipts were \$38,000 bushels and shipments of 421,000 bushels, against receipts of 537,000 bushels and shipments of

receipts of 537,000 bushels and shipments of 417,000 bushels last year.

Primary oats receipts were 856,000 bushels and shipments of 1,230,000 bushels, against receipts of 551,000 bushels and shipments of 787,000 bushels last year.

CARLOT RECEIPTS. Wheat. Corn. Oats.

\$1.72. No. 3 white: 6 cars, \$1.70; % car \$1.70. No. 4 white: 1 car, \$1.65; 5 cars, \$1.62. No. 5 white: 1 car, \$1.56; 1 car \$1.54. No. 6 white: 1 car, \$1.35; 1-3 car \$1.25. Sample white: 2-3 and % car, \$1.00 No. 1 yellow: 7 car, \$1.64. No. 2 yellow: No. 1 yellow: Car. \$1.54. No. 2 yellow: 10 cars, \$1.61 No. 3 yellow: 1 car. \$1.61 No. 4 yellow: 1 car. \$1.57; 4-5 car. \$1.57 No. 5 yellow: 2 cars. \$1.45; No. 6 yellow: 2 cars. \$1.45; No. 6 yellow: 1 car. \$1.32; 3-5 car. \$1.30 Sample yellow: 1 car. \$1.32; 1 car. \$1.10 No. 2 mixed: 1 car. \$1.61; 1 car. \$1.60 No. 2 mixed: 1 car, \$1.61; 1 car, \$1.60 No. 3 mixed: 1 car, \$1.52; 56 cars, \$1.58 No. 4 mixed: 1 car, \$1.54; 2 cars, \$1.52 No. 5 mixed: 2 cars, \$1.42. No. 6 mixed: 1 car, \$1.35; 2 cars, \$1.42. Sample mixed: 1 car, \$1.50; 1 car, \$115; 1 car, \$1.10. Oats—Standard: 5 cars, 79½c; 1 car 79½c. No. 3 white: 10 cars, 79c. No. 4 white: 5 cars 78%c. Sample white: 7 cars, 76c.

Barley—No. 3: 1 car, \$1.65.

Omaha Cash Prices—Corn: No. 2 white, \$1.72@1.73; No. 3 white, \$1.68@1.70; No. 4 white, \$1.62@1.65; No. 6 white, \$1.54@1.56; No. 6 white, \$1.54@1.56; No. 6 white, \$1.54@1.35; sample white, \$1.00; No. 1 yellow, \$1.63; No. 3 yellow, \$1.59@1.61; No. 4 yellow, \$1.57; No. 5 yellow, \$1.45; No. 6 yellow, \$1.57; No. 6 yellow, \$1.50@1.61; No. 4 yellow, \$1.30@1.40; sample yellow, \$1.10@1.22; No. 2 mixed, \$1.40@1.51; No. 3 mixed, \$1.35@1.55; No. 4 mixed, \$1.42; No. 6 mixed, \$1.32@1.35; sample mixed, \$1.10@1.50. Oats: Standard, 79% @79%; No. 3 white, 79c; No. 4 white, 78%; sample, 76c. Barley: No. 3, \$1.65. Chicago closing prices, furnished The Bee by Logan & Bryan, stock and grain brokers, 315 South Sixteenth street, Omaha:

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Article Open | High | Low | Close | Yest. 1 27% 127% 1 27% 127% 1 49% 147% 1:48% 149% 78% 17% 69% 68%

Recently a man named Jones bought a likely locking horse, but hardly had he reached home with the animal before he discovered that it was blind. Immediately he set about to unload, and in a few days the horse again changed owners. Soon after "Look here," he excitedly exclaimed, "that horse you sold me the other day "that horse you sold me the other day is blind!"
"Yes," was the rather indifferent rejoinder of Jones. "I know it is."
"What's that!" shouted the new wher.
"Do you mean to say that you knew it and didn't mention the fact."
"You see, it's this way," explained Jones.
"The man who sold me the horse didn't say a word about it, and I thought perhaps he didn't want it known."—Philadelphia, Telegraph.

Farmer Turnipson had brought his young son, David, to London to see the sights, and toward the end of a long day was dragging his 14-stone up the steps of the great mon-ument, says Tit-Bits. Long before they reached the top the father was regretting that he had allowed his ton to persuade him to undertake such a tiring journey. "Look, father!" exclaimed the boy, when they had at last reached the top. "Isn't it a grand sight down there?"
"Well," puffed the elder Turnipson, "If
it's so grand down there, what in the name
of all that's wenderful did you bring me up
here for?"—London Chronicle.

Stubbs was feeling his way to the kitcher stove in the dark when he fell over the

"Oh, John," called Mrs. Stubbs, sweetly.
"I know what you need. You should get
what they have on battleships."
"What's that?" growled Stubbs, as he
rubbed his shins. "Why, a range finder."

And what Stubbs said about weman's wit

was plenty.—Buffalo Newa.

BIG PART IN WAR

Recruits Who Can Handle Shotgun Take to Rifle Quickly and Are Valuable to Army.

At the close of the Boer war Lord Roberts was greatly impressed with the fact that a handful of untrained and undisciplined Boers, on account of their wonderful marksmanship, had been able to withstand a greatly superior number of British troops. The British were drilled to do everything but shoot straight; they

Lord Roberts said: "Shooting is seven-tenths of a sol-

order: "Never mind how they drill or

whether they know their right foot long job and no man can learn to shoot in a day, or a week, or a month, either with a shotgun or rifle. The man who is familiar with a shotgun

soon becomes a good shot with a rifle. He knows how to judge the shorter distance, knows how to avoid the recoil, and has a general idea of the mechanism of firearms. Because trapshooting teaches all of these things and because it gets a man out in the open where he will meet other fellows in keen but friendly competition, it has been well styled the patriotic sport," and when the history of the present war is recorded,

trapshooting will have a large share. Matrimonial Bureau State Institution in Hungary

the marksmanship of America will be given due credit, and in that credit

Amsterdam, May 4.-The Hungarian government has approved a scheme for the establishment of state matrimonial bureaus in all the larger cities and towns of the kingdom, The plan has the backing of an organiza-tion known as the "Social Association, for the rescue of the nation."

On the Spot.

The teacher of the public school was instructing a juvenile class in history and, try as she would, she couldn't impress on Jimmy Watson's mind that Columbus dis-Jimmy Watson's mind that Columbus dis-covered America in 1492.

"Look hea. Jimmy," she finally said.
"I am going to tell you the date in rhyme so that you won't forget it. 'In fourteen hundred and ninety-two Columbus sailed the ocean blue.' Now can you remember

"Yes, ma'am." was the smiling rejoinder of Jimmy. "I can hold on to that dope all right."
"Jimmy," said the teacher on the follow-ing morning, "when did Columbus discover "I'm right there this morning, Miss Mary," declared the youngster. "In four-teen hundred and ninety-three Columbus sailed the deep blue sea."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Tough Leather from Fish Skin. Leather made from the skins of sturg-ons and sharks has just aroused the intense by Theodore Metzger, a chemist who invented the process of tanning fish akins.

This leather takes every known finish and cannot be told from cowhide except by experts, and these find that it differs from the best ordinary leather only in having a longer fiber and a greater tensile strength. A fest by the bureau of standards gives it a tensile attength of 6,000 pounds to the square inch.

There is such an abundance of sturgeon and shark skin available that the new leather can be sold at a profit for only half what the old costs.—New York World.

Texas barbers, who, through their organization, have been cooperating with the Federal Food Administrator in that state, announce that they will abolish egs shampoos for the period of the war as a conservation measure, many thousands of egs used for the purpose yearly being diverted from human food. Another food article widely used for shampoo purposes in normal times is olive oil.

Abolish Egg Shampoos

"I wonder if Cholly Speedit was talking literally the other day.'

"How so?"
"He said he was out in his machine when some kind of a lower official stood in his way and told him he was the one to regulate way and told him he was the one to regulate the pace. And Cholly said he always made it a point to go to the highest authority, so he just went over his head."—Baltimore

"Papa," asked little Percy, "what is the difference between a city and a village?
"A city, my son," replied the portly plute, "is a large body of books entirely bound up in franchises, while a village is a

Omaha Last Week

City. CORN RECEIPTS. Chicago 1,182
Omaha 611
Kansas City 497
8t. Louis 364
Indianapolis 300 WHEAT RECEIPTS. 300 Omaha Kansas City Chicago OATS RECEIPTS.

Culmination of Liberty Loan Drive Marked by Dullness; Operations Center in Few Speculative Issues.

New York, May 4.—The culmination of the Liberty loan drive was marked by dull and irregular dealings during the two hours of today's stock market. Trading lacked especial features, aside from moderate acespecial features, aside from moderate activity in a few speculative issues.

Investment stocks fluctuated for the most part within fractional limits, United States Steel, for example, varying only half a point and closing at a slight loss.

Rails were utterly neglected until toward the finish, when moderate pressure caused nominal reactions. St. Paul preferred recorded an extreme loss of 2% points.

Aside from United States Steel, a large part of the day's operations, centered in Marine preferred, Distillers' Securities, Willy's Overland, Sumatra Tobacco and Tobacco Products, these issues secring net gains ranging from fractions to 1% points.

Mexican Petroleum, General Motors, Atlantic, Gulf and International Paper averaged 1 point reactions on light offerings. 1 point reactions on light offerings.
Liberty issues again contributed over whelmingly to the trade in bonds. Tota sales (par value) aggregated \$2,850,000.

The bank statement showed depletion of actual reserves to barely more than \$37,-

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Western Union ... 93 % Westinghouse Elec. 200 40 % 40 % 40 % Total sales for the day, 155,000 shares. Joshua Lott sometimes lives up to his name, but there is a conductor on the Prospect line who should be named Josh Moore. Notwithstanding the conductor's urging to "step up in front," Lott clings to a place on the rear platform when he can in order to be able to squeeze off at McGee street with insult and injury to fewer other passengers. This morning Lott was brightening up the corner where he was with some remarks about the service when the conductor horned right in. "Say," he said, "I've often looked at you and wondered why you didn't enlist. But I know now."
"How's that?" asked Lott, helpfully.
"Because you're so all-fired scared of getting up to the front," said the conductor. can in order to be able to squeeze off at

at a transfer point to let about 80 more get on, and Lott was the first to start struggling toward the front to make room for them .- Kansas City Star.

Ever See a Fish Yawn? Ever See a Fish Yawn?

Did you ever see a fish yawn? Richard Elimhirst, an English blologist, tells us that yawning is a common habit of cod, saithe, cobbler, plaice, and various other kinds of fish. From his description, the piscatorial yawn is very much like the human yawn, except that it is done under water. He says: "From numerous observawater. He says: "From numerous observa-tions I am led to think that this action of fishes is a real yawn and serves the true physiological purpose of a yawn; that is flushing the brain with blood during periods of sluggishness. The conditions conducive to yawning are a slight increase in temto yawning are a sugar and accompanying perature, and, I suppose, the accompanying diminution of oxygen."—Popular Science

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BRITISH DEFEAT TURKS IN JORDAN

Tommies Force Passage Across Historic River at Spot Where Christ Vas Baptized.

With the British Army in Palestine, May 1.-It was at Mahadethadilah where the baptism of Christ is said to have taken place, that the British army forced a passage of the River Jordan after a brisk engagement with the Turks and a small body of Germans on the night of March 21.

The crossing was attempted at three spots. The average breadth of the Jordan is 30 yards and even in the driest season the water fords are never less than three and a half to four feet deep. Both banks are lined with a thick jungle, called by the Arabs, "Ezzor," which is the haunt of wild boar. It is traversed by few tracks leading to the fords. At two of the fords even men on

horseback were unable to breast the strong current, while rafts and pontoons were swept away. The Turks, alive to the fact that the crossing was being attempted, set fire to some dry scrub on their side of the bank, which lit up the waters almost with brightness of daylight, revealing with cruel distinctness our men venturing from cover in the thickets at Mahadethadilah. There the river has a straighter run and the current is consequently less swift. Seven volunteers succeeded in swimming to the other bank with a rope, by means of which a pontoon was pulled over, serving as a ferry for a sufficient force. Rush Turkish Posts.

The British established a strong bridgehead before dawn. The Turks were not very numerous, but were plentifully supplied with machine guns, while the ground lent itself for defense. Beyond the belt of scrub, through which it was necessary to cut one's way, was a bare open space about 500 yards wide and then a series of ledges where the Turks were established in trenches with a perfect field for fire in front of them. While daylight lasted it was impossible to cross this lane. After dusk the British rushed the Turkish positions. A steel pontoon bridge was constructed which was crossed most gallantly under shell fire by cavalry which promptly made an end to the Turkish resistance, galloping down the machine gunners and capturing three Maxims and 70 prisoners.

Wheeling to the left the troops secured the opposite bank of the Ghoraniveh ford and soon the infantry was pouring across, followed close on the heels of the Turks, who made another stand at Shunetnimrin, across the old caravan road leading to Es

There the troops were among the foothills of the mountains of Gilead, which rise a thousand feet from the Jordan plain. It was a short struggle and the position was rushed, 35 prisoners, all German, falling into British hands. Then the troops raced toward Es Salt which was entered early in

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