

Little Change in Conditions

Slight Improvement Noted in Business Situation. Reserve Bank Review Reports.

Washington, March 31.—Business showed little indication this month of getting away from the uncertainties of the last year, according to the federal reserve board's monthly review.

Regarding trades showing a healthier side, including automobiles, textiles and footwear, the board hesitated in saying they had experienced more than temporary advances due to the spring season.

Reports from reserve banks touching agricultural communities indicated that the crop of the farmers for labor is being answered by persons driven out of cities through unemployment.

South Side Former South Omaha Mayor Dies in Florida

News was received in Omaha last night of the death Wednesday night of Edward Johnston, 74, mayor of South Omaha in 1894. Mr. Johnston died at Orlando, Fla., where he had gone for his health.

During his residence in Omaha he was interested in real estate and constructed the business block at the corner of Twenty-fourth and N streets, the ground floor of which is occupied by the Live Stock National bank.

He is survived by his wife and one daughter, the latter being a resident of Washington, D. C. The body will be brought to Omaha where the funeral will be held under the direction of the Masonic fraternity of which Mr. Johnston had long been a member.

Burial will be in Graceland Park cemetery, where Mr. Johnston bought a lot several years ago by the side of the late William Rawley, his lifelong friend.

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South Side Brevities. Illinois coal, \$10 per ton. Pivonia Coal & Feed Co., No. 6214.

House and lots for sale cheap, 2410 West St., No. 2048, adv.

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Live Stock

Omaha, March 31.—Receipts: Monday, 1,194; Tuesday, 1,194; Wednesday, 1,194; Thursday, 1,194; Friday, 1,194.

Quotations on cattle: Good to choice heifers, \$18.00-\$20.00; fair to good heifers, \$16.00-\$18.00; common to fair heifers, \$14.00-\$16.00.

Quotations on hogs: Good to choice hogs, \$12.00-\$14.00; fair to good hogs, \$10.00-\$12.00; common to fair hogs, \$8.00-\$10.00.

Quotations on sheep: Good to choice lambs, \$10.00-\$12.00; fair to good lambs, \$8.00-\$10.00; common to fair lambs, \$6.00-\$8.00.

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Omaha Grain

Omaha, March 31.—Corn arrivals today showed some increase over a week ago, 31 cars being reported in, against 21 cars last Thursday. Wheat arrivals today were 22 cars and oats 11 cars.

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Foreign Exchange Rates. Following are today's rates of exchange as compared with the par value of the United States dollar.

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Financial

The New York Times. BY ALEXANDER DANA NOYES. Chicago Tribune—Omaha Bee Leased Wire. New York, March 31.—The 7 per cent rate for demand loans was reached again on the stock exchange today, perhaps reflecting the monthly payments, but otherwise not significant.

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New York Quotations

Range of prices of the leading stocks, furnished by Logan & Bryan, Petrus Trust, 111 Broadway, N. Y. City.

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Bonds and Notes

The following quotations furnished by the Omaha Trust Company: Apr. 1921. Amer. T. & C. Co. 1921, \$74.00.

Chicago Produce. Chicago, March 31.—Butter, higher; creamery extras, \$18.00-\$20.00; eggs—Holland, receipts, 23,500 cases; at market, \$1.80-\$2.00.

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New York Cotton. New York, March 31.—The threatened strike of coal miners in England had a bearish effect on the New York cotton market this morning, prices declining 15 to 16 points.

New York Dry Goods. New York, March 31.—Cotton goods and yarns were quiet today; raw silks stronger; wool steady; burials quiet.

Bowen's Are You Going to Move Then Think of The Metropolitan Van & Storage Co. Owned and Operated by H.R. Bowen Company

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SAMPLE BALLOT CITY PRIMARY ELECTION, Apr. 5, 1921

Vote for SEVEN JOHN T. BOHAN, THOMAS HOCTOR, JOHN KILMARTIN, LEO A. BEVERIDGE, JOSEPH J. DUDLEY, DEAN NOYES, JOSEPH B. HUMMEL, S. ARION LEWIS, J. DEAN RINGER, DEAN T. SMITH, CHARLES A. GRIMMEL, BEN A. SHORT, R. R. BUTZER, WALTER S. JARDINE, STEVE MALONEY, T. C. MANNING, W. J. HISLOP, MICHAEL J. SULLIVAN, JR., FRANK MAHONEY, STANLEY P. BOSTWICK, DAN B. BUTLER, THOMAS FALCONER, ED LEEDER, CLAUDE L. NETHAWAY, FRANK S. PARMELEE, TOM P. REYNOLDS, W. G. URE, GEO. B. CURRY, GEO. S. COLLINS, ROY N. TOWL, W. H. WALLWEBER, JAMES C. DAHLMAN, L. B. JOHNSON, ELMER E. ZIMMERMAN, JOHN T. McDONALD, Sr., JOHN HOPKINS, CHARLES A. RIES, JOHN F. MURPHY, HENRY V. DUNN, GEO. B. DYBALL, JOHN B. TRAINOR, JOSEPH KOUTSKY, MARY J. C. ABERLY, HENRY S. PAYNE, RAY J. MADDEN, ABRAHAM L. SUTTON, HENRY F. WULF, HARRY ASHER, FRED BRUNING, W. J. BROATCH, RAY J. SUTTON, JULIUS SMITH COOLEY, BEN E. FISHER, FRANK C. BEST, A. C. KUGEL, FRED B. MARTIN, LEO J. CROSBY, CHARLES W. PIPKIN, THOMAS J. O'CONNOR, JOHN C. WHARTON, HARRY B. ZIMMAN, PATRICK J. BARRETT, ARTHUR H. BRIGGS, W. W. COLE, CHARLOTTE J. MILLER

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