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SMINK IS SMITTEN

FISTS HAVE AN INNING IN THE GAME AT DETROIT.

There is a Question as to the Honesty of Catcher Smink of the Grand Rapids Team, Who Undertakes to Punch Detroit's Captain's Head and Gets a good and Hard One Under the Eye—Uncle Anson Gets in a Telling Blow—Giants Meet the Colonels and Win—Phillies, Reds and Spiders Win.

Detroit, Mich., May 4.—Today's game was marred by a fist fight between Captain Stallings of Detroit and Catcher Smink of Grand Rapids. Detroit was at bat in the fifth inning and had fouled the last ball out of the grounds. Umpire Jevene called for three new balls. Captain Carney protested and all gathered about Detroit's bench. It is alleged that Smink had two balls secreted about his person and tried to ring them in on the play. Captain Stallings talked very plainly and Smink struck him in the face. In an instant Smink was in the dust, one of the players rapping him good and hard just below the eye. It looked for a time like a free-for-all fight but order was again restored and play resumed. Score:

									R	H	E
Detroit	1	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0—	6	7
Grand Rapids	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	2	6

Batteries—Fifield and Trost; Eiteljorg and Smink.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 4.—Score:

									R	H	E
Minneapolis	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0—	3	10
Kansas City	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	4	*—10	13	2

Batteries—Hutchinson and Schirver; Daniels and Lake.

St. Paul, Minn., May 4.—Score:

									R	H	E
St. Paul	0	4	0	0	1	2	0	0	7—14	22	6
Milwaukee	9	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0—13	11	2

Columbus, O., May. 4.—Score:

Columbus	3	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0—	7	8
Indianapolis	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1—	4	6

Batteries—Boswell and Wilson; Phillips, Damon and Buckley.

Western Association Games.

Burlington, Ia., May 4.—Score:

									R	H	E
Burlington	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1—	4	9
Rockford	0	3	3	0	0	4	3	2	*—15	18	4

Batteries—Burget, Walsh and Grimm; Underwood and Snyder.

Des Moines, May 4.—Score:

									R	H	E
Des Moines	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	0	3—10	15	1
Dubuque	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0—	4	11

Batteries—Sonier and Lohman; Kees and Zahner.

St. Joseph, Mo., May 4.—Score:

									R	H	E
St. Joseph	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	1	12
Peoria	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	*—	2	8

Batteries—Colburn and Parker; Souder and Dugdale.

Quincy, May 4.—Score:

									R	H	E
Quincy	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	1—16	18	4
Cedar Rapids	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—	1	6

Batteries—Reidy and Quinn; Carrish and Sullivan.

COLTS 2; BRIDEGROOMS 1.

Chicago, May 4.—The Colts won today in the last inning after a most interesting and exciting game. Shindle was hit by a pitched ball in the fourth and scored the visitors one run on a hit and a field play. Stein kept the locals down to four hits, scattered through eight innings, but was found by Lange and Ryan for singles in the ninth when Uncle Anson came to the rescue and scored Lange on a smashing hit into right field. Attendance 2,500. Score:

										R	H	E
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—	2	7	1
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1—	1	5	2

Batteries: Chicago—Griffith and Kittredge; Brooklyn—Stein and Grim. Earned runs—Chicago 1. Two basehits—Corcoran, Kittredge. Stolen bases—Corcoran 2; Shindle. Double plays—Daly, Corcoran, LaChance; Corcoran, Daly LaChance. Struck out—By Griffith 4; by Stein 1. Base on balls—Off Griffith 2; off Stein 4. Wild pitche—Stein. Hit with the ball—Shindle. Umpire—Weidman.

GIANTS 12; COLONELS 7.

Louisville, Ky., May 4.—The Colonels played like schoolboys today and the Giants were easy winners. Clausen pitched the first three innings, and the Giants took so kindly to his curves that Mcdermott was substituted. Captain O'Brien had the middle finger of his left hand broken by a thrown ball in the eighth inning and retired in favor of Miller. Attendance 800. Score:

										R	H	E
Louisville	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	3—	7	12	9
New York	4	1	2	2	0	0	0	4	1 2—	12	15	3

Batteries: Louisville—Clausen, McDermott and Warner; New York—Meekin and Farrell. Earned runs—New York 3; Louisville 5. Two basehits—Stafford 2; Meekin, Cleyman. Three basehits—Meekin, Van Haltren. Home runs—H. Davis. Stolen bases—Tiernan, VanHaltren. Double plays—Stafford and G. Davis; Van Hartren and Davis. First on balls—Off Clausen 2; off McDermott 5; off Meekin 2. Struck out—By Meekin4; by McDermott 1. Wild pitches—McDermott. Umpire—Sheridan.

PHILLIES 4; BROWNS 3.

St. Louis, May 4.—In a well and closely played game the Phillies today defeated the Browns. Breitenstein, in the box for the home team, pitched good ball, as did also Orth, for the visitors, and the support of each was good. In the seventh inning Holman muffed a grounder from Cooley's hat and allowed two runs to be scored. Hallen immediately took his place at second. Attendance 2,000. Score:

										R	H	E
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0—	3	10	3
Philadelphia	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0—	4	9	2

Batteries St. Louis—Breitenstein and McFarland; Philadelphia—Orth and Grady. Earned runs—St. Louis 3; Philadelphia 1. Two base hits—Brouthers, Quinn. Three base hits—Breitenstein. Stolen bases—Dowd 3; Sullivan 1. First base on balls—Off Breitenstein 2; off Orth 1. Struck out—By Breitenstein 2. Umpire—Keefe.

ORIOLES 5; PIRATES 4.

Pittsburg, May 4.—Hawley met his hoodoo today in the Baltimores. His wild pitching and poor throwing were responsible for the home team's defeat. Ewer kept the hits scattered and was well supported. Attendance 4,200. Score:

										R	H	E
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0 0—	4	9	3
Baltimore	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0 1—	5	12	0

Batteries: Pittsburg—Hawley and Merritt; Baltimore—Esper, Robinson and Clark. Earned runs—Pittsburg 3; Baltimore 2. Two base hits—Stenzel. Three base hits—Ely. Home runs—Smith. Stolen bases—Keller, Jennings 2; Keely. Double plays—Jennings, Reitz and Doyle; Keeler, Reitz and Doyle. First on balls—Smith 2; Lyons, Merritt 2; Doyle, Keele 2; Kelly. Hit by pitched ball—Jennings. Struck out—Beckley, Doyle 2; Reitz 2; Robinson, Esper, Hawley 2. Umpire—Lynch.

REDS 8; BEANEATERS 2.

Cincinnati, O., May 4.—A volley of hits after two men were out in the first inning scored six runs for Cincinnati. The Bostonians could not hit Ehret, and one of their two runs was scored on McPhee's error. Attendance 3,300. Score:

										R	H	E
Cincinnat	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—	8	14	1
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—	2	6	4

Batteries: Cincinnati—Ehret and Vaughn; Boston—Nishols and Ryan. Earned runs—Cincinnati 5; Boston 1. Home run—Miller. Stolen bases—McPhee, Irwin, Hoy. First on balls—Off Ehret 3; off Nishols 1. Struck out—By Ehret 1; by Nichols 4. Umpire—Emslie.

SPIDERS 13; SENATORS 5.

Cleveland, O., May 4.—The Senators could not hit Wilson today, while Boyd was hit hard by the home team. That tells the whole story. Attendance 3,000. Score:

										R	H	E
Cleveland	1	2	4	0	0	0	2	3	*—13	19	1	
Washington	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0—	5	10	3

Batteries: Cleveland—Wilson and O'Connor; Washington—Boyd and McGuire. Earned runs—Cleveland 7; Washington 3. Two basehits—McKena, Childs Tebeau, O'Connor, Wilson, Abbey, Rogers. Three basehits—Joyce. Stolen base—Childs, elehanty, Joyce. ouble plays—McKan, Childs, Tebeau, Childs and Tebeau. First on balls—Off Wilson 4; off Boyd 6. Hit by pitched ball—By Wilson 1. Struck out—By Boyd 4. Umpire—Hurst.

HONORS FOR "BOB" LOOSLEY

All Caldwell Turns Him Out to Bid HIM Farewell.

J. E. Wells, again writing from Caldwell about that Santa Fe change, says:

Yesterday registered the exit of the passenger service of the Santa Fe from Caldwell to Wichita. After this Caldwell, Wellington, Belle Plaine and Mulvane will be dealt by entirely. It knocks Caldwell out of her Sunday mail. There being no Sunday morning Rock Island train, the Santa Fe until the present change, carried it, and to say the people are hot is expressing it rather mildly. When the people of Sumner county voted the bonds for the Santa Fe there was one very important clause made and that clause was to the effect that two passenger trains were to run daily between Caldwell and Mulvane, this clause has been grossly violated for the past two years and now it is entirely disregarded the company has, in other words, stricken it out. But the people of Sumner county have been trifled with long enough; they are going to call a halt in this matter, if they have any rights they are going to have them enforced.

The exit of Bob Loosley's train from Caldwell was a gay one. Every man, woman and child in Caldwell knows Bob and likes him, and as a consequence nearly 500 people congregated at the Santa Fe depot yesterday evening to see him off. The band bid the crowd to the depot where a general leave-taking occurred. "Bob" made a very appropriate little speech to his friends, regretting his departure, but hoped to be back with them sometime. Joseph W. Nyce on behalf of the people answered and eulogized on the Santa Fe as it used to be and as it now is. I t was very witty and replete with good, sound sense. The people along the line are very sorry for the change and hope the officials will see their error and replace this train and old time card.

FRED KOBLER IN JAIL

Arrested on His Island Under the Charge of Insanity.

Sunday morning Deputy Sheriffs Lee Cone and G. C. Kensler went down to the island near Derby to arrest Fred Kobler on a charge of insanity and were very successful.

They expected to have a fight with him for he was said to be vary dangerous the previous day. With this anticipation they were cautious and made their descent upon his shanty so early that he was still lying down. When they entered the dugout he was very much surprised and was preparing to show fight when the two officers put the handcuffs on him. That done he was peacable and came with the officers without a struggle.

Mr. Kobler has been living on the island for some time. He has a dugout there that is a curiosity. It is not more than ten feet square and is very sparsly furnished with one three-legged stool, one soap box for a table, a skillet and a little stove with two holes. There is not the sign of a bed there and a hole through the roof was the only suggestion of a window. Spread out near the stove was a pile of rags without shape or color, and they were supposed to have done duty as a bed for many years.

Kobler, it appears, has lived on corn all winter and it made him so sick that it is given as the basis for his violence a few days ago. A few neighbors knew of his condition and procured him medicine but he would not use it, and threw it away.

All the clothes he had on when taken was a pair of trousers or rather a specie of bloomers made of gunny sacks by himself and if there was a spot on them larger than a man's hand that did not have a patch on it the sheriff and his deputies were unable to find it. He was his own shirtmaker too, evidently, for he wore one of peculiar make and texture. It was all he had apparently, and there is no doubt but what he has worn it for a long time.

There was a report at the sheriff's office, but it could not be verified, that during the past week he had a fire blazing on the floor of his dugout and that he was dancing about it like a Comanche Indian and shouting: "Sacrifice! Sacrifice!"

The island is his by the rights of a squatter. It contains about twenty-seven acres, and whatever little tillage that is there is indifferently done.

It is said that Mr. Kobler has a brother in this county who will provide him a defense against the charge of insanity.

We note that Mrs. Zoe Norris of this city has two accepted sketches in Harper's Round Table, where nothing but bright things find an entrance. Mrs. N. is unquestionably an industrious writer as is evidenced by her many successful contributions to the magazines. Her forte is society, its doings and sayings, she being especially a keen delineator of character. However, in the field of romance she qually delights.

CORNER STONE LAID

COLLEGE AT KINGFISHER IS OFFICIALLY ESTABLISHED.

Everybody Makes Holiday Upon the Laying of the Corner Stone of the New Congregational Institution — Impressive Ceremonies Mark the Occasion, Which is Graced With the Presence of Distinguished Orators Representing Pulpit and Bar—Appropriate Original Poems are Read by Their Authors.

Kingfisher, O. T., May 4.—When many great events in Territorial history shall have been forgotten as the cycle of years rolls on, one will stand forth fresh in the recollection of the many hundreds who were present at Kingfisher Saturday.

Few institutions of learning have been successfully founded under circumstances so well calculated to discourage the organizers as that of the Congressional college of this place. Yet up to date it has surmounted all difficulties, and has ushered in the second step in the erection of an edifice which is destined to be a landmark in the history of Oklahoma territory, under more favorable circumstances than have yet surrounded the enterprise, and with ceremonies befitting the occasion.

On the high elevation east of the city, at the point where a few weeks ago ground was broken for the college, amid solemn and impressive ceremonies, was today laid the corner stone of a great institution of learning which is already the pride of Kingfisher, and shall yet be a distinguishing feature of this territory in its progress and education.

Pursuant to announcement heretofore made the Congressional association which has been in session for three days adjourned at noon to meet at 3 p. m. at the college grounds, to assist in the laying of the corner stone of the Congregational college. A large crowd was on the ground promptly on time, among whom were hundreds of the citizens of Kingfisher, as well as about 100 of the delegates to the association meeting, and visiting officials of the church from the east, notable among the latter being Rev. G. A. Hood and Rev. G. M. Boynton, D. D., of Boston, and Rev. B. M. Wright of Orange, Conn.

The meeting was presided over by Hon. F. L. Boynton, one of the leading lawyers of the city, who called to order at 3:15, and the following program was given:

America was sung by the entire assembly, and this was followed by an invocation by Rev. Bosworth, after which Professor R. H. House of the college, read an original poem appropriate to the occasion.

The chairman, Hon. F. L. Boynton, then informed the people of the object of the gathering in a speech ringing with enthusiasm, and in eloquent language set forth the hopes and ambitions of the people of the city and of the Congregationalists of the territory for the success of the great enterprise. He was followed in an address by Rev. R. B. Foster of Perkins, O. T., who in a hearty and feeling manner presented his sound views, and expressed his high hopes for the venture. After a song by the college student quartette, ex-Governor A. J. Seay, made one of his best speeches, which went straight to the hearts of his hearers, and which was received with applause.

After another song by the college quartette, eloquent and witty addresses were made by Rev. C. W. Queen of uthrie, Judge Hasler of Enid, Rev. G. A. Hood of Boston, Mass.; Rev. G. M. Boynton of Boston, Mass., and Rev. B. M. Wright of Orange, Conn.

An excellent poem composed for the occasion was read by Miss Alma T. Wier of Perry, after which Rev. J. H. Parker, to whose untiring zeal and industry, the credit for so much of the success of the institution is due, made an excellent address, and laid the corner stone of the Congregational college, encasing and sealing therein many articles commemorative of the occasion and contemporary history, including also the program of the day.

As the last word of benediction fell from his lips at the closing of this ceremoney, hundreds of persons looked into their neighbor's moistened eyes, speechless to utter the thoughts that were in their mind, but all impressed alike with the solemnity of the occasion when the corner stone of a great institution is laid, the purpose of which is to be, under divine guidance, the disseminating of knowledge, and the effort to arrive at truth. All felt the hand of God to be in it, and that, having His blessing, it could not fail.

VERY PRETTILY UNITED

Mr. C. W. Hendryx and Miss Belle Wells are Wedded.

One of the most quiet, pretty and impressive weddings which has occurred in the city for some time took place last Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the residence of Mr. G. T. Wells, No. 622 Bonn avenue, West Side.

The marriage was that of Miss Laura Belle Wells, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Wells, to Mr. Clark Warren Hendryk, eldest son of Rev. W. B. Hendryx.

The ceremony was performed in a very beautiful and impressive manner by the father of the groom, assisted by Rev. E. B. Willey, pastor of the Central Cchurch of Christ.

Mr. Hendryx is one of the letter carriers of this city, and although having accepted the position quite recently, is one of the most highly respected and trustworthy employes of the office. The bride is one of the most highly esteemed young ladies of the city, and their many friends tender them their most hearty and sincere well wishes.

Artificial Cream.

That is the nearest thing to compare with the lather made by this new "Corn Oil Soap." It washes delightfully and leaves your hands so soft and smooth. A large cake for five cents, at all stores. 146 1t

CITY IN BRIEF.

A. H. Loose of Illapolis, Ill., is here visiting the family of C. I. Irwin.

The lecture announced for next Friday evening at Lincoln Street Presbyterian church has been postponed indefinitely.

There will be a meeting of O. M. B. at their rooms tonight. Election of officers. Every member requested to turn out.

Mrs. Hattie Bailes came in from Denver, Colo., Monday evening, and is at the bedside of her dying mother, Mrs. Dr. Owens.

Mr. J. A. Deardorff of Salt Lake City, Utah, is visiting with his sisters, Mrs. Mollie Coble and Miss Susie Deardorff, of this city.

Owing to an unusual rush of ads several articles were crowded out Sunday morning. This will explain the disappointment felt in several circles.

William Kassell, one of Wichita's old citizens and business men, spent Sunday in the city, and ordered the Daily Eagle sent to Kansas City, being lost without it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Loose of Kansas City, Mo., are here visiting the family of Mrs. Brown of 329 South Lawrence, and the family of C. I. Irwin of North Lawrence avenue.

Mr. Ben Hitchcock is at the St. Francis hospital where he has had two toes amputated. He feels rather lonesome, and would be very much pleased to have some of his friends call on him.

The funeral of John B. Young, Jr., will be held from the late residence of his father, 733 North Water street, this (Tuesday) morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family invited to attend.

Mrs. Carson, who has enjoyed the hospitality of her cousin, Mrs. D. B. Allen of College Hill, for the past six weeks, returned to her home in Savannah, Mo., Monday noon via the Missouri Pacific.

J. B. Kerfoot is playing a lone hand in the business now, but his lively rustling qualities and good name, for reliability in business established during the past year and a half in this city, are keeping his hands full of business.

Mr. E. F. Day arrived last Friday from the northern part of the state to enter Fairmount college. Middle preparatory year. Mr. Day has arranged to share rooms with Mr. W. P. Roulet and is well pleased with the outlook of our college.

At the invitation of Professor Pence, principal of the Lincoln street school, Rev. George H. Smith, pastor of the Lincoln Presbyterian church, delivered his entertaining and instructive lecture on "Travels in Italy" before the eighth grade pupils in that school last Friday afternoon. The occasion was one of especial interest and profit to all present. A very cordial vote of thanks was tendered Rev. Smith for the rare treat his lecture offered.

The Wichita stove and industrial iron works—Moore Bros. proprietors—start up the first of this week for the season, which promises to be a very busy one for them. The demand for their manufactures, especially their cooking stoves—which are strictly first class in every respect—is growing constantly. The firm finished and shipped, yesterday, the column plates and other necessary castings, for a double-front business block in Madison, Kan.

Last Saturday was the thirteenth birthday of Miss Mabel Earp, and in the evening a number of her young friends called in a body at the family home, 723 South Main street, and gave her a happy surprise. The party was made up of Misses Mae and Hattie Shields, Emma Franck, Carrie Tatgenhorst, Tootsie Herrig; Masters Frank Gehring, Henry Shields, George Tatgenhorst, Carroll Fosnot. What with games and light refreshments the evening was most joyously passed.

Miss Edna Kirkwood is recovering from her narrow escape from death by being thrown from her carriage on the railroad track. Miss Gates and Miss Edna were attempting to cross the track when the horse took fright at an approaching hand-car and started down the track at a rapid rate. The buggy was demolished and the occupants thrown out. Miss Gates escaped with slight injuries, but Miss Edna was knocked seneless. Her father, Dr. Kirkwood, arrived and took his daughter home, where it was feared she had received internal injuries, but the doctor said last night that the danger had passed and all were repoicing over his child's narrow escape from death.

Yesterday Fred Bentley received $5.200 from the treasurer of the Santa Fe company to pay to Miss Shaw as damages. A few years ago Miss Shaw was shaken up by a Santa Fe train and received injuries to the exact extent of one sixteenth of an inch. She sued the company for $10,000 and was given a verdict for the above amount. The railroad company appealed the case to the supreme court and the lower court was sustained. When Mr. Bentley received the money eight lawyers jumped on him with attorneys' bills against Miss Shaw and he knowing nothing about their claims he refused to pay it. He will appeal to the district court today for a settlement of the case. In the meantime Miss Shaw has moved away.

Dr. R. Love of Perry was in the city yesterday, he having brought to the city a lady patient to undergo a very delicate surgical operation at the St. Francis hospital. He called the entire staff of the hospital in consultation with him and they decided to leave the case for some days, when he will return. The doctor had nothing but words of the highest commendation of his treatment here by both the physicians and those in charge of the hospital. He said that the physicians now looked upon Wichita as the Chicago of the west, and difficult cases would be brought here for surgical treatment from Oklahoma. The staff of both hospitals are fully equipped for such cases and can give them the necessary treatment they demand.

The W. F. M. S. held a most interesting meeting at South Emporia avenue church Sunday evening. Mrs. Youngmire, the president, presided with due grace and dignity and the program was carried out complete. The duet by Mrs. Smythe and Mrs. Simmons was especially appropriate, while the paper written by Mrs. Zimmerman and read by Miss May Zimmerman, reflected much credit on both writer and reader. The recitation by Birdie Allen was beautiful, while Mrs. Sawyer also recited in her best style. The songs by the little girls, Mrs. Smythe at the organ, was a success. Rev. W. V. Burns made a short address which pleased the audience immensely. Altogether it was a happy evening and those who missed it will have many regrets that they did so. The Foreign Missionary society is the strongest society in the Emporia avenue church, and many new names were added to the already large membership. The ladies of the Foreign Missionary society are to be heard from often this year, and you cannot afford to miss any of their entertainments.

YOUR BOY WON'T LIVE A MONTH

So Mr. Gilman Brown of 34 Mill St., South Gardner, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had Lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave him up, saying: Your boy won't live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present good health to use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and knows it to be the best in the world for Lung trouble. Trial bottles free at George Van Werden's Pharmacy, 328 N. Main street and G. Gehring's drug store northeast corner Topeka and Douglas avenues.

COMING LOCAL EVENTS.

Be sure and remember the ice cream supper on Thursday, May 7, at the Salvation Army tent, corner of First and Fourth avenue. Ice cream and cake.

The Wichita Musical club holds its annual election today at 4 o'clock p. m. Every member is urgently requested to be present. C. H. Clapp, President.

Regular meeting of Caroline Harrison Circle No. 56, Ladies of the G. A. R. May 5, 1896, at 2:30 p. m., in Sons of Herman hall, corner of Main and Second streets.

Regular meeting of Peerless Lodge No. 68, Degree of Honor, this evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urgently requested to be present. Business of importance to come before the lodge. Nora Ledgerwood, Recorder.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the First M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. Dr. Noble, 421 North Lawrence avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A full attendance is desired. Mrs. George E. Campbell, Secretary.

GOLD GOING AGAIN

EFFECT ON THE MARKET TO A GREAT EXTENT OFFSET.

What With the Extraordinary Ease in Money, Further Improvements Reported in General Trade, the Progress in Crop Planting, a Higher Market for Americans in London and a Flattering Exhibit by the Grangers, the Stock Market Contents Itself With Merely a Slight Contraction in Business.

New York, May 4.—The only appreciable effect of continued engagements of gold for export on today's stock market was a contraction in business. Trading was on a limited scale but, so far as it went, was fairly well distributed. In no instance reducing American Tobacco to full stock was the 10,000 share market reached. The influence of the gold engagements, amounting to ationfl,00$002,trex5wstheem ffsetl byo $2,150,000, was offset by the extreme ease in money, further reported improvement in general trade, more encouraging advices regarding the progress made in planting the crops, and a higher market for American securities in London and a moderate purchase in this market for that account. Railroad earnings continue mainly favorable and in grangers the exhibit of the St. Paul for the fourth week in April, showing an increase in gross of $75,012, and for the month an increase of $312,508, exerted a strengthening influence. All of the gold engaged for shipment goes to Germany, and indications point to the outgo of a similarly large amount at the end of the week. The bold is exported under exceptional conditions, a premium being paid for the metal incidental to the reformation of the Russian currency system. The premium of 3-16 per cent required for gold bars apparently renders impracticable the export of gold in that form. The foregoing exchange market reflected freer drawings of bankers bills against the shipments and an increase in commercial bills, but the inquiry for remittances was large enough to keep rates about on a parity with Saturday's figures. Speculative interest was chiefly confined to the industrials. Bay State Gas was manipulated 6⅛ per cent, to 32 per cent, on fairly large transactions. Boston was alleged to be chiefly responsible for the movement, which was attended by more or less circumstantial reports of a settlement of the gas war in the city mentioned. Rubber, on the other hand, on rumors of impending strong opposition headed by its late president, was conspicuous for weakness. The common stock sold off 2⅜ per cent and the preferred 2½ per cent. The common subsequently rallied 1 per cent. A concession of a point in sugar was ostensibly due to reductions in the foreign an ddomestic grades of the product. A full recovery was made in the later dealings. Chicago Gas on the familiar argument of early favorable action on the divident question, advanced 1 per cent and Leather preferred rose 1½ on alleged ,improveing trade conditions. The market at times reflected realizing sales in a general way, the current of prices was upward and the closing was at about the best figures ad showing fractional gains in most instances. A raise of 1¼ per cent was established in Manhattan on the expected extension of the company's facilities.

Bonds were quite firm on transactions of $912,000. Governments displayed strength on purchases of $10,000. State issues figured for $41,000, without important change in price.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Furnished by R. L. BOSTICK, Commission Merchant, room 10, over Kansas National bank.

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Wheat—Cash	60	60¼	60	60¼
July	61⅝	62	61⅝	62⅛
Sep	62½	62⅝	62⅛	62½
Corn—Cash	25			28
July	29⅝	29⅝	29¼	29⅝
Sep	30⅝	30⅝	30½	30⅝
Oats—Cash	17⅞			17¼
July	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
Sep	19¼	19⅝	19½	19⅝
Pork—Cash	7 90			7 90
July	8 15	8 15	7 95	8 02
Lard—Cash	4 75			4 75
July	4 92	4 92	4 82	4 87
Ribs—Cash	4 10			4 10
July	4 27	4 27	4 22	4 22

Cattle—Common to prime dressed beef and shipping steers were wanted at $3.40@4.40, with sales largely at $3.85@4.30, and exporters were again good buyers of choic droves. There was a firm market for butchers cattle and cows and heifers sold largely at $2.50@3.25, while bulls sold mostly at $2.25@2. Veal calves were in only moderate supply and sold readily at strong prices. Texas cattle were in fair supply and sold freely at steady prices.

Hogs—There was an active packing demand and prices were strong 10 cents higher than on Saturday with the bulk of the sales at $3.40@3.50. The pens were cleared rapidly at $3.10@3.65 for common to fancy light with prime selected weight heavy fetching $3.62½. Prices for sheep ruled stronger to 10 cents higher with fancy Colorado. Mexican lambs selling actively again at $5.

Sheep—Were in demand at $2.75@3.80 for inferior to fancy and lambs were active at $3.75@5, according to quality.

Receipts—Cattle 17,000; hogs 29,000; sheep 7,000.

KANSAS CITY MARKETS

Kansas City, May 4.—Wheat 2c lower; No. 2 hrd 56@57c; No. 3 45@50c; No. 2 red 62@65c; No. 3 spring 56@57c.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 mixed 22@22½c; No. 2 white 23½c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed 15½c; No. 2 white 19½c.

Rye—Lower; No. 2, 32c.

Hay—Weak; quotations unchanged.

Butter—Creamery, 12@14c; dairy 8@12c.

Eggs—Steady; strictly fresh, 7@7½c.

Cattle—Receipts 4,800; shipments 300; strong to 10c higher. Texas steers $2.80; beef steers $3@4.90; native cows $1.70@3.30; stockers and feeders, $2.75@3.90.

Hogs—Receipts 5,900; shipments 500; 5@10c higher; bulk sales $3.30@3.55; heavies $3.60@3.65; mixed $3.30@3.55; lights $3.25@3.40.

Sheep—Receipts 5,400; shipments none; lambs $3.00@4.15; muttons $2.50@3.75.

ST. LOUIS MARKETS

St. Louis, May 4—Flour—Receipts 10,000; wheat 11,000; corn 36,000; oats 23,000.

Shipments—Flour 6,000; wheat 7,000; corn 7,000; oats 32,000.

Flour—qiet and unchanged.

Wheat—Opened easier on news of bersh purport but reports of rain in the northwest checked the downward tendency. There was nothing special in the late news, but the market did not decline any more, closing quiet for futures and a shade under Saturday. Spot dull; No. 2 red cash 62c bid elevator; sales 68c track May 56⅝@57c; July 58⅝@59c; August 60⅝@60c.

Corn—Futures weak and lower, with good buying at the decline, spot lower; No. 2 mixed cash 25½c; May 25½c; July 26⅝c; September 27⅝@28c.

Oats—Futures firm considering the weakness in wheat and corn; closing steady to ½c above Saturday; spot nominal. No. 2 cash 18c; May 17½c; July 17½c.

Rye—Dull, 36@37c; east side.

Barley—Nominal.

Cattle—Receipts 4,000. Market strong; native steers $3.25@4.35; Texas steers $2.75@3.85; stockers and feeders 2.00@3.65; cows and heifers $2.00@3.35.

Hogs—Receipts 4,000; 5c higher; heavy $3.30@3.45; mixed $3.30@3.40; lights $3.30@3.40.

Sheep—Receipts 1,000. Strong; natives $3@4.75; spring lambs $4.25@5.50.

Corn meal—$2.25@2.40.

Bran—Lower to sell east track, where the best bid was 36c for sacked.

Flaxseed—Lower, 65c.

Timothy seed—$2.50@3.00.

Hay—Prime choice scarce and firm, with liberal receipts of lower grades, which are weak. Prairie $4@8; timothy $8.50@14.50 this side.

Butter—Firm and unchanged.

Eggs—Steady in demand; fresh 7c.

Whisky—$1.22.

Cotton ties—70c.

Bagging—4@5c.

Pork—Lower; standard mess jobbing 7.75.

Lard—Lower; prime steam $4.30; choice $4.62½.

Bacon—Boxed shoulders $4.75; longs $4.12½; ribs $4.37½; shorts $4.37½.

Wool—Offerings heavier but prices unchanged.

Cotton—Steady to 1-16c, sales 1,500. Middling 7 11-16. Receipts 962, shipments 1,464 bales; stock 46,428 bales.

NEW ORLEANS MARKETS

New Orleans, May 4.—Cotton—Strong; middling 7 11-16c; receipts 2,225 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,300; to the continent 4,497; sales 3,300; stock 136,716.

NEW YORK MARKETS

New York, May 4.—Flour—Receipts 19,100 barrels; exports 700 barrels. Market dull and weaker to sell, concessions granted on lines and a further cut in spring patents is predicted.

Rye flour—Dull.

Buckwheats—Dull.

Corn meal—Weaker; yellow western coarse 70c.

Rye—Dull, 43@45c.

Barley—quiet.

Barley malt—Nominal.

Wheat—Receipts 224,800; exports 106,300 bushels; spot lower; No. 2 red 71⅝c. No. 1 hrd 70½c. Options weakened to day under liquidation lower cables and fine winter wheat crop declining all the session except for a brief rally on talk of rains in the northwest. Sentiment was bearish af the close, which was 5@6c below Saturday. No. 2 red May 69⅝and 1-16; closed 68⅝c.

Corn—Receipts 89,700 bushels; exports 102,700 bushels; spot inactive; No. 2, 34½c. Options were fairly active and weaker influenced by larger receipts and favorable crop prospect; closed ⅛@½c net lower. May 34⅛@34½c, closed 34⅛c; September 36⅛@36⅜c, closed 36⅛c.

Oats—Receipts 344,000 bushels; spot easier; No. 2, 24½c. Options quiet but generally firmer on local covering, closed ⅛c net higher; May 22⅞@23c, closed 22⅞c.

Beeves—Receipts 2,106; active and higher native steers poor to prime $4.05@4.75; stags and oxen $2.75@4.25; bulls $2.00@3.60; dissbling $2.25@3.65; dry cows $1.90@3.10.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 12,122; quiet unshorn sheep inferior to prime $3.35@4.60; clipped do common to prime $3.00@3.95; unshorn lambs ordinary to choice $5.25@5.62½; clipped do comon to choice $4.25@5.20. Southern spring lambs $3.87@4.25 each; state do $1.25@4.

Hogs—Receipts 14,735; dull at $3.30@4.00.

Hay—Firm, good to choice 90@$1.

Hops—Dull.

Hides—quiet.

Leather—Steady.

Wool—quiet.

Beef—quiet.

Beef hams—$11.50.

Cut meats—Easy; pickled hams 9@10c.

Lard—Steady; western steam closed 5@5.45; refined, steady.

Pork—Steady.

Petroleum—Dull.

Tallow—quiet