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CONDITION OF THE MARKETS

Wheat Lower with Favorable Crop Reports Throughout the Northwest.

A Moderate Business and Easy Market for Corn—Oats Weak and Lower—Limited Demand for Nearly All Hog Products.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

A Dull and Uninteresting Market, with Slight Losses for the Day.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Money on call was easy, with no loans, closing offered at 2 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 3¾@5¾ per cent.

Sterling exchange quiet but firm at $4.87 for sixty-day bills, and $4.88¾ for demand.

The exports of specie from the port of New York during the week amounted to $3,367,577, of which $3,186,277 was gold and $181,300 silver. Of the total exports $2,801,340 in gold and $174,000 silver went to Europe, and $384,937 in gold and $7,300 silver to South America. The imports of specie for the week amounted to $518,671, of which $504,658 was gold and $14,013 silver.

The total sales of stocks to-day were 123,756 shares, including the following: Atchison, 18,660; Louisville & Nashville, 2,500; Missouri Pacific, 2,550; Northern Pacific, preferred, 5,850; Oregon Transcontinental, 6,600; Reading, 16,200; Richmond & West Point, 4,885; St. Paul, 7,110; Union Pacific, 7,050; Western Union, 3,092.

According to the general expectations the stock market to-day was a narrow and uninteresting one, and was more than usual of late a professional one. Foreigners and Philadelphia brokers had some buying orders in the market, and the Westerners bought some of the grangers, but while the general temper of the room was moderately bullish there was little demand for stocks, and the traders were sellers of specialties, and took profits whenever opportunity offered. The market, as a consequence, was somewhat feverish and irregular, but except in a few shares the changes in quotations were slight and unimportant. The opening was made up on a moderate degree of animation, and first prices were generally slight fractions higher than last evening's figures, but the business done was principally confined to a few leading shares, and the opening prices were not maintained, although outside of the trust stocks there was no decline of moment. Sugar trusts retired from 91⅜ to 89, Chicago Gas from 49⅛ to 48, and cotton oil from 55¼ to 54. Pullman, also, later lost 1¼, to 190, but these were the only marked movements of the day, except a drop of 1¼ in Chattanooga. The general list, after the first decline, recovered, and showed considerable strength in spots, but in the last hour there was a general decline, and Burlington lost ¾, and the rest of the list followed languidly. The close was quiet and rather heavy, at small fractions below the opening figures, as a rule. Pullman lost 2 per cent., and Chattanooga 1¾, but the other changes were for insignificant amounts.

Railroad bonds were also quiet, the sales of all issues aggregating only $964,000, but, unlike the trading in shares, there was a firm tone almost throughout the session, and most of the changes in quotations are in the direction of higher figures. The trading presented no special feature whatever, and the only marked advance was Ohio, Indiana & Western firsts, which rose 2, to 72½. The sales of bonds for the three days of business of this week were $4,769,000 against $12,761,000 for last week.

Government bonds were dull and steady.

State bonds were dull and firm. Closing quotations:

Four per ct. reg.	129¼	Lake Erie & West.	18⅜
Four per ct. coup.	129¼	L. E. & W. pref.	58¾
Four and a½s reg.	106⅛	Lake Shore	103⅛
Four and a½s coup	108	Lou. & Nash.	68⅞
Pacific 6s of '95	121	Lou. & N. A.	41
Louisiana st'p'dis.	90¾	Mem. & Charleston	61
Missouri 6s	101½	Michigan Central.	86½
Tenn. new set. 6s	104½	Mil., L. S. & W.	85⅛
Tenn. new set. 5s	102	Mil., L.S. &W. pref.	112
Tenn. new set. 3s.	73½	Minn. & S. L.	5¾
Can. Southern 2ds.	37¼	M. & S. L. pref.	11
Cen. Pacific 1sts.	115	Missouri Pacific	72⅜
Den. & R. G. 1sts	121½	Mobile & Ohio	10
Den. & R. G. 4s	81⅛	Nashville & Chat.	95¾
Den. & R. G. W. 1sts	100	New Jersey Central	96½
Erie seconds	106⅜	Norfolk & W. pref.	52⅞
M., K. & T. gen. 6s.	58¼	Northern Pacific	25½
M., K. & T. gen. 5s.	55¾	Northern Pac. pref.	62¼
Mutual Union 6s.	101¼	Northwestern	107¼
N. J. C. int. cer.	113	Northwest'n pref.	139
North'n Pac. 1sts.	120¼	New York Central.	107½
North'n Pac. 2ds.	115	N. Y., C. & St. L.	17⅛
N'west'n consols.	143	N.Y.C.&St.L. pref.	70
N'west'n deb's 5s	110⅜	O. & Mississippi	23⅜
Oregon & Trans 6s	104¼	O. & M. pref.	84
St. L. & I.M. gen. 5s.	86	Ontario & West.	17⅜
St.L.&S.F.gen.m.	120	Ore. Improvement	53
St. Paul consols	127	Ore. Navigation	90
St. P., C. & P. 1sts.	119	Ore. & Trans.	33⅝
T. P. L. G. Tr. Rcts	92¾	Pacific Mail	36½
T. P. R. G. T. Rcts.	39⅝	Peoria, D. & E.	24
Union Pacific 1sts.	115	Pittsburg	160
West Shore	107⅛	Pullman Palace	190
Adams Express	150	Reading	45⅛
Alton & T. H.	40	Rock Island	94⅞
Alton & T. H. pref.	90	St. L. & S. F.	23¼
American Express	114	St. L. & S. F. pref	61⅜
Bur., C. R. & N.	20	St.L.&S.F.1st pref	109½
Canada Pacific	55⅞	St. Paul	66⅜
Canada Southern	52⅞	St. Paul pref.	106¼
Central Pacific	33¾	St. Paul, M. & M.	100
Ches. & Ohio	17⅝	St. Paul & Omaha.	34
C. & O. pref. 1sts.	58¾	St. Paul & O. pref.	94½
C. & O. pref. 2ds.	32	Tenn. Coal & Iron.	39¾
Chicago & Alton	133	Texas Pacific	22⅛
C., B. & Q.	98⅝	T. & O. Cen. pref.	51
C., St. L. & P.	17½	Union Pacific	61¼
C., St. L. & P. pref.	39	U. S. Express	84½
C., S. & C.	63	W., St. L. & P.	15⅜
Clevel'n & Colm'b's	68	W., St. L. & P. pref	28¼
Del. & Hudson	136½	Wells & Fargo Ex.	141
Del., Lack. & W.	138¼	Western Union	86¼
Den. & R. G.	17½	Am. Cotton Oil	54⅞
East Tennessee	9	Colorado Coal	24
E. Tenn. 1st pref.	70	Homestake	7½
E. Tenn. 2d pref.	22½	Iron Silver	250
Erie	28⅞	Ontario	34½
Erie preferred	70½	Quicksilver	6½
Fort Wayne	152	Quicksilver pref.	36½
Fort Worth & Den	....	Sutro	10
Hocking Valley	19	Bulwer	30
Houston & Texas.	11	Rich. & W. P.	26⅝
Illinois Central	114	Atch., Top. & S. F.	43¾
L. B. & W.	8½	Den., Tex. & Ft. W.	23
Kansas & Texas	12¾	Den. & R. G. pref.	48

NEW YORK, May 4.—Bar silver, 92c.

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes:

Reserve, decrease	$3,904,375
Loans, increase	1,922,500
Specie, decrease	3,703,300
Legal tenders, decrease	246,400
Deposits, decrease	181,300
Circulation, decrease	10,300

The banks now hold $9,572,575 in excess of the 25 per cent. rule.

Business of the Clearing-Houses.

BOSTON, May 5.—The following table, compiled from dispatches to the Post from the clearing-houses in the cities named, shows the gross exchanges for the week ended May 4, 1889, with rates per cent. of increase or decrease, as compared with the similar amounts for the corresponding week in 1888:

New York	$473,156,024	Decrease..34.2
Boston	85,095,189	Decrease..20.2
Philadelphia	65,007,098	Increase.. 0.3
Chicago	68,984,000	Increase.. 0.2
St. Louis	16,191,782	Decrease..11.7
San Francisco	15,435,163	Decrease. 11.6
Baltimore	11,277,905	Decrease..17.9
Cincinnati	9,766,500	Decrease.. 7.4
Pittsburg	12,267,022	Increase.. 1.6
New Orleans	8,956,155	Increase..14.2
Kansas City	8,597,236	Increase.. 1.5
Louisville	7,618,460	Increase.. 5.9
Providence	4,601,900	Decrease.. 1.8
Detroit	4,452,621	Increase..11.1
Milwaukee	4,979,000	Increase.. 0.6
Omaha	3,883,898	Increase.. 5.5
St. Paul	3,189,711	Increase... 5.6
Minneapolis	4,519,919	Increase.. 0.4
Denver	3,551,323	Increase..24.6
Cleveland	3,264,821	Decrease.. 9.6
Memphis	2,283,554	Decrease..10.0
Indianapolis	1,931,504	Increase..15.4
Hartford	1,583,808	Decrease.. 5.4
Columbus	2,346,308	Increase.. 8.0
Duluth	1,953,488	Increase.. 4.1
Worcester	1,035,483	Decrease.. 3.4
St. Joseph	1,069,856	Decrease.. 4.1
Fort Worth	1,229,933	Increase...45.0
New Haven	1,038,109	Decrease..30.7
Springfield	1,122,489	Increase.. 2.5
Peoria	1,432,969	Increase.. 1.7
Galveston	758,100	Increase..17.7
Lowell	946,223	Increase..11.1
Norfolk	516,142	Decrease..20.3
Grand Rapids	638,474	Increase.. 7.6
Syracuse	927,612	Increase..13.8
Wichita	787,208	Decrease..13.8
Topeka	362,646	Increase.. 3.3
Tacoma	358,826	.. ——
Total	$842,146,143	Decrease..15.8
Outside New York	368,990,119	Increase..27.4

Note—Tacoma not included in totals.

TRADING AT CHICAGO.

The Ups and Downs of the Market, with the Range in Prices of Leading Articles.

CHICAGO, May 4.—Wheat was more active, and the feeling was weaker and unsettled to-day. July opened at about yesterday's closing, receded ⅜@⅞c and closed ½c lower than yesterday. June was firm and closed ⅝c higher. There was rather more disposition to realize among speculative traders. Operators evidently had bought considerable wheat the past few days on reports of dry weather, and some of this wheat was sold out in anticipation of rain in the Northwest before Monday. It was rumored that rain had fallen at Fargo, and the weather bureau reported indications of a severe rainstorm, which is likely to work east from the Northwest. These influences caused the selling of considerable wheat. At the same time, at the decline, there was good buying. A moderate business was reported in corn, and the feeling prevailing was easier. The market opened a shade better than the closing price yesterday, and gradually sold off ¼@⅜c; ruled steady and closed ½@¾c lower than yesterday. There was some changing of June and July at ⅝@¾c premium for the latter month. In oats a weaker feeling prevailed, owing to an absence of outside buying orders of consequence, and a desire on the part of a large trader to sell the May delivery. Offerings of the latter are liberal, and prices declined ⅜c. The more deferred futures, although declining ¼@⅜c, were not so weak as the May futures, and command a greater premium, changes from May to June and July being made at ¼@⅜c, against ½c yesterday. Only a fair business was transacted in hog products, and the feeling was easier. Offerings on speculative account were not very large, and the demand from all sources was exceedingly limited. Prices for the leading articles averaged lower, and the market closed tame.

The leading futures ruled as follows:

Options.	Open'g.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—June	80½	81	80⅜	80⅞
July	78⅝	78⅝	77¾	77⅞
August	77¼	77¼	76¾	76⅞
Year	76½	76¼	75¾	75⅞
Corn—June	34⅜	.....	.....	34⅛
July	35⅛	35⅛	34¾	34⅞
August	35⅞	35⅞	35½	35½
Oats—June	23	23	22⅝	22¾
July	23	.....	.....	22⅞
Pork—June	$11.57½	$11.57½	$11.45	$11.45
July	11.70	11.70	11.55	11.55
August	11.72½	11.75	11.62½	11.65
Lard—June	6.82½	.....	.....	6.77½
July	6.87½	6.87½	6.82½	6.82½
August	.....	.....	.....	6.90
Sh'tribs—June	5.95	.....	.....	5.90
July	6.05	6.05	5.95	5.95
August	6.10	6.10	6.02½	6.02½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 81@82½c; No. 3 spring wheat, nominal; No. 2 red, 81@82c; No. 2 corn, 33⅞c bid; No. 2 oats, 22½c; No. 2 rye, 40½@40¾c; No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 1 flaxseed, $1.56@1.56½; prime timothy-seed, $1.26@1.30; pork, per bbl., $11.40@11.45; lard, per pound, 6.75c; short rib sides (loose), 5.85@5.90c dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 5.25@5.50c; short-clear sides (boxed), 6.25@6.37½c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, $1.02; sugars unchanged.

On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter market was firm; fancy creamery, 21@22c; choice to fine, 18@20c; fine dairy, 16@17c; fair to good, 13@15c; eggs firm at 11½@12c.

Receipts—Flour, 8,000 bbls; wheat, 13,000 bu; corn, 214,000 bu; oats, 124,000 bu; rye, 5,000 bu; barley, 25,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 4,000 bbls; wheat, 53,000 bu; corn, 466,000 bu; oats, 278,000 bu; rye, 41,000 bu; barley, 4,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Flour—Receipts, 21,137 packages; exports, 6,848 brls, 4,262 sacks. Market dull and steady. Sales, 12,900 brls.

Corn-meal dull and unchanged.

Wheat—Receipts, 15,590 bu; exports, 19,235 bu; sales, 1,336,000 bu futures, 48,000 bu spot. Spot market quiet and easier; No. 2 red, 83¾c in store, 84½@84⅝c afloat, 83¾@85¼c f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 77c; No. 1 red, 97½@98c; No. 1 white, 91c. Options dull, ⅛@⅛c lower and weak; No. 2 red, May, 82 3-16@83c, closing at 83¾c; June, 83⅝@84 3-16c, closing at 83⅝c; July, 84⅝@85¼c, closing at 84⅝c; August, 84⅝@85⅛c, closing at 84⅝c; September, 85¼@85⅝c, closing at 85¼c; October, 86⅛@86⅝c, closing at 86⅛c; December, 87¾@88⅜c, closing at 87⅞c.

Rye dull; Western, 49@50c. Barley dull; Canada, 67@74c. Barley malt quiet; Canada, 90c@$1.10 for old and new.

Corn—Receipts, 120,336 bu; exports, 110,381 bu; sales, 240,000 bu futures, 108,000 bu spot. Spot market dull and steady; No. 2, 43@43¼c elevator, 44¼c afloat; No. 2 white, 45c; No. 3, 42@42½c; ungraded, mixed, 41½@45c; steamer, mixed, 42¾@43¼c. Options dull, weak and ⅛c lower; May, 41⅞@42⅛c, closing at 41⅞c; June, 41¾@41 15-16c, closing at 41¾c; July, 42¼@42⅜c, closing at 42¼c; August, 43⅜@43½c, closing at 43⅜c; September, 44¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 48,000 bu; exports, 1,045 bu; sales, 125,000 bu futures, 54,000 bu spot. The spot market was dull and unchanged. Options dull, ⅛c lower and steady; May, 28¾c, June, 28⅜@28½c, closing at 28⅜c; July, 28¾c. Spot, No. 2 white, 34¼@34½c; mixed Western, 28@32c; white Western, 34@39c; No. 2 Chicago, 30½@31c.

Hay quiet and steady; shipping, 65@70c; good to choice, 85c@$1.

Coffee—Opened steady and unchanged to 5 points down, closed firm to 5 points up; sales, 32,250 bags, including May, 16.85c; June, 17.00c; July, 17.10@17.15c; August, 17.25c; September, 17.35@17.40c; October, 17.40@17.50c; November, 17.50c; December, 17.50@17.55c; February, 17.55@17.60c; March, 17.55@17.65c; April, 17.60@17.65c. Spot Rio quiet and steady; fair cargoes, 18¾c. Sugar—Raw dull; fair refining, 6⅜c; centrifugal, 96 test, 7⅜c; refined, dull and steady. Molasses—Foreign firm; New Orleans quiet; open kettle, fair to fancy, 28@44c. Rice quiet and steady; domestic, 4¾@6⅜c; Japan, 4¾@5¼c.

Cotton-seed oil quiet; crude, 41½@42c; yellow, 50@52c. Tallow easy; sales, 100 hhds; city, 4 5-16@4⅜c, closing at 4 5-16c. Rosin quiet and steady.

Eggs firmer and in fair demand; Western, 13½@13¾c; receipts, 3,980 packages.

Pork quiet. Cut meats dull; pickled hams, 10¼@10½c; pickled shoulders, 5⅜@5⅝c; pickled bellies, 6¼@7¼c. Lard easier and quiet; Western steam, 7.17½c; city, 6.65c; May, 7.14c, closing at 7.14c asked; June, 7.15c asked; July, 7.17c; August, 7.20@7.21c; September, 7.25@7.26c.

Butter weak and in fair demand; Western dairy, 10@17c; Western creamery, 15@23c; Elgins, 23@24c. Cheese strong and quiet; Western, 8@9c.

TRADE IN GENERAL.

Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cincinnati, and Other Points.

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—Flour quiet but steady. Wheat—There was a firm feeling early, with small offerings, as other markets were higher; but cables were dull and weaker. Reports of threatening weather in the Northwest caused such selling as to weaken prices materially, though they rallied some later. The close was ⅛@¼c lower for July and August, but for May and June about the same as yesterday; No. 2 red, cash, 77½c; May, 77c, closing at 77c bid; June, 75½@76c, closing at 76c asked; July, 73¾@74⅜c, closing at 73⅞c bid; August, 74@74¼c, closing at 74c. Corn—Trading light and little interest attached; No. 2, mixed, cash, 30⅜@30¾c; May, 30⅜@30½c, closing at 30½c bid; June, 31c, closing at 31c asked; July, 31⅞@32c, closing at 31⅞c asked; August, 33½@33⅝c, closing at 33½c asked. Oats weaker; No. 2 cash, 23½c bid; May, 23½c; June 23¼c bid. Rye—No. 2, 41@42c. Barley—Nothing doing. Hay dull and easy; prairie, $8@8.75; timothy, $10@12.30. Bran, 45@49c. Flaxseed quotable at $1.45. Butter unchanged; creamery, 20@21c; dairy, 17@18c. Eggs lower at 10c. Corn-meal, $1.80@1.85. Whisky, $1.02. Provisions—Sales weak. Pork, $12.25. Lard—Prime steam, 6.50c bid. Dry-salt meats—Shoulders, 5.15c; longs and ribs, 6.10c; short clear, 6.30c. Bacon—Boxed shoulders, 6c; longs and ribs, 6.70@6.75c; short clear, 6.87½@6.90c. Hams, 9.85@12c. Receipts—Flour, 3,000 brls; wheat, 7,000 bu; corn, 24,000 bu; oats, 15,000 bu; rye, 2,000 bu; barley, none. Shipments—Flour, 5,000 brls; wheat, 2,000 bu; corn, 23,000 bu; oats, 6,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, none.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 4.—Some sample men thought there was a slight improvement in the demand for milling wheat, while a majority of the commission men had to offer concessions of some kind to sell their grain. There were more local millers buying wheat, but scarcely an order was being filled for outside parties. The weak disposition of outside markets tended to restrict trading in cash wheat, and the day of the week was against doing much business. Choice No. 2 Northern was in best request, and such sold at about yesterday's prices. Low-grade wheats were dull. The receipts for the day were 198 car-loads, and 42 car-loads were shipped out. Local elevator stocks are expected to decrease 50,000 bu for the week. Following were the closing quotations: No. 1 hard, May, 96c; July, 98c; on track, 96@97c; No. 1 Northern, May, 87¾c; July, 86⅛c; on track, 88@89c; No. 2 Northern, May, 77c; July, 77½c; on track, 77@78c.

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—Flour dull and weak. Wheat quiet and steady; options nominal. No. 2 red, May, 90@91c; June, 90@91c; July, 83@84c; August, 82½@83½c. Corn firm but quiet. Sales: Ungraded mixed, in Twentieth-street elevator, 44c; No. 2 low mixed, in grain depot, 43½c; No. 2 mixed, in Twentieth-street elevator, 44c; No. 2 mixed, May, 42⅛@42½c; June, 42@42¼c; July, 42½@43c; August, 42½@43½c. Oats—Car lots fairly active and firm; No. 3 white, 30⅜c; No. 2 white, 32@32½c; futures firm but quiet; No. 2 white, May, 31½@32c; June, 31⅜@32c; July, 32½@32¾c; August, 31@32c. Receipts—Flour, 700 brls; wheat, 3,000 bu; corn, 27,400 bu; oats, 20,500 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 3,100 bu; corn, 21,500 bu; oats, 9,200 bu.

BALTIMORE, May 4.—Wheat—Western easy; No. 2 winter red, spot, 83¼@83½c; May, 82¾@83c; June, 83¼@83⅜c; July, 82⅛@82⅜c. Corn—Western firm; mixed, spot, 41¾@41⅞c; May and June, 41⅝@41⅞c; July, 42c bid; steamer, 40½c. Oats in good demand; Western white, 32@33½c; Western mixed, 30@31c. Rye dull at 55@56c. Hay steady; prime to choice timothy, $16@16.50. Provisions dull and unchanged. Butter dull; Western packed, 15@18c; creamery, 22@23c. Eggs firm at 12c. Coffee dull; Rio, fair, 18½@18⅝c. Receipts—Flour, 10,000 brls; wheat, 3,000 bu; corn, 25,000 bu; oats, 11,000 bu. Shipments—None. Sales—Wheat, 95,000 bu; corn, 272,000 bu.

CINCINNATI, May 4.—Flour quiet; fancy, $4@4.25. Wheat nominal; No. 2 red, 84@85c; receipts, none; shipments, 2,000 bu. Corn in light demand; No. 2 mixed, 37c. Oats dull and weaker; No. 2 mixed, 26@27c. Rye dull and heavy; No. 2, 48c. Pork in light demand; regular, $12.12½@12.25. Lard in fair demand and lower at 6.57½c. Bulk meats easier; short clear, 7@7⅛c; short ribs, 8.12½@8.20c. Bacon quiet and unchanged. Whisky steady; sales, 797 brls of finished goods on a basis of $1.02. Butter steady and unchanged. Eggs firm and rather scarce at 11½@12c. Cheese in fair demand for best at unchanged prices.

TOLEDO, May 4.—Wheat dull; cash, 88¼c, lake shore; May and June, 82⅞c; July, 78¾@78⅞c; August, 78¾c. Corn active and steady; cash, 35c; May, 35¼c; July, 36c. Oats dull and firm; cash, 24½c. Clover-seed dull and higher; cash, $4.15. Receipts—Wheat, 2,000 bu; corn, 12,000 bu; oats, 1,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 11,000 bu; corn, 65,000 bu; oats, 1,000 bu.

DETROIT, May 4.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 94c; No. 2 red, cash, 87½c; May, 87¼c; June, 86⅜c; July, 79c. Corn—No. 2, cash, 35c; June, 35¾c. Oats—No. 2, 24½c; No. 2 white, 28¾c. Receipts—Wheat, 3,700 bu; corn, 900 bu; oats, 3,400 bu.

Oil.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Petroleum opened steady at 85¼c, and after the first sales became dull, and sagged off slightly, closing dull at 84⅞c. Consolidated Exchange—Sales, 152,000 brls; opening, 85¼c; highest, 85¼c; lowest, 84⅞c; closing, 84⅞c. Stock Exchange—Opening, 85⅛c; highest, 85¼c; lowest, 84¾c; closing, 84⅞c. Total sales, 264,000 brls. Turpentine, 42½@43c.

OIL CITY, May 4.—National Transit certificates opened at 85¼c; highest, 85¼c; lowest, 84¾c; closed, 84⅞c. Sales, 100,000 brls; clearances, 864,000 brls; charters, 95,713 brls; shipments, 54,673 brls; runs, 51,503 brls.

PITTSBURG, May 4.—Petroleum dull; National Transit certificates opened at 85⅜c; closed at 85c; highest, 85⅜c; lowest, 84⅞c.

CLEVELAND, May 4.—Petroleum quiet; standard white, 110°, 7½c.

WILMINGTON, May 4.—Turpentine dull and nominal.

CHARLESTON, May 4.—Turpentine firm at 36c.

SAVANNAH, May 4.—Turpentine firm at 36c.

Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, May 4.—Cotton steady; middling, 10⅜c; low middling, 10¼c; good ordinary, 9 11-16c. Net receipts, 131 bales; gross receipts, 810 bales; exports to the continent, 3,641 bales; sales, 1,000 bales; stock (corrected), 117,924 bales.

LIVERPOOL, May 4.—Cotton quiet and unchanged. Sales, 5,000 bales, of which 800 bales were for speculation and export, and included 4,000 bales of American.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, May 4.—There was a fair Saturday movement with jobbers, but the centennial trade seemed about over. There was more inquiry for goods, however, at first hands, with some transactions for shipments by water routes. The general demand for immediate delivery continued on a moderate basis, but converters and cutters were operating a little more freely. There was a firmer tendency on cotton goods. Androscoggin corset jeans and sateens, were advanced ¼c a yard.

Metals.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Pig-iron dull. Copper dull and irregular; lake, May, 13.25c. Lead strong but quiet; domestic, 3.80c. Tin quiet and easier; Straits, 20.35c.

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—Lead—Demand improved; common, chemical hard and refined, to the amount of 500 tons, sold at 3.50@3.55c.

Wool.

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—Wool—Receipts to-day, 21,059 pounds. Arrivals increased materially during the week, but the larger portion still consisted of burry and inferior stocks. Prices remain firm but unchanged.

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Strong at Prices—Hogs Active and Higher—Sheep Barely Steady.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 4.

CATTLE—Receipts, 75; shipments, 25. But few on sale, and the market was strong at yesterday's prices.

Export grades	$4.10@4.35
Good to choice shippers	3.80@4.10
Fair to medium shippers	3.40@3.70
Common shippers	2.90@3.25
Feeders (1,000 to 1,200 pounds)	3.35@3.70
Stockers (600 to 850 pounds)	2.75@3.15
Good to choice heifers	3.20@3.65
Common to medium heifers	2.40@3.00
Good to choice cows	2.85@3.25
Fair to medium cows	2.40@2.75
Common old cows	1.50@2.00
Veals, common to choice	3.00@4.25
Bulls, good to choice	2.50@3.00
Bulls, common to fair	1.50@2.25
Milkers, common to choice	18.00@35.00

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; shipments, 3,100. Quality fair. Market opened active and a shade higher on light grades; closed steady. All sold.

Selected light	$4.67½@4.72½
Mixed packing	4.60 @4.65
Heavy roughs	4.00 @4.35

SHEEP—Receipts, 275; shipments, 225. Quality fair. Market barely steady. All sold at about the same prices.

Good to choice clipped	$3.60@4.00
Fair to medium clipped	3.00@3.40
Common clipped	2.25@2.75
Spring lambs	6.50@7.50

Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, May 4.—The Live Stock Indicator reports: Cattle—Receipts, 1,262; shipments, 763. Offerings generally ordinary. Dressed beef and shipping steers strong and 5@10c higher; cows, stockers and feeding steers steady; good to choice corn-fed, $3.90@4.10; common to medium, $3@3.75; stockers and feeding steers, $2@3.60; cows, $2.70@3.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,237; shipments, 1,365. Light weights steady to strong; heavy weak to 5c lower; good to choice, $4.45@4.50; common to medium, $4.25@4.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,148; shipments, 112. The market was steady. Good to choice muttons, $4@4.50; common to medium, $2.50@3.75.

CHICAGO, May 4.—The Drovers' Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; shipments, none. The market was steady; beeves, $4.10@4.30; steers, $3.35@4.05; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.60; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.90@3.35; Texas steers, $3@3.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; shipments, 6,000. The market was steady; mixed hogs, $4.50@4.70; heavy, $4.40@4.65; light, $4.60@4.85; skips, $3.50@4.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,500; shipments, 300. The market was steady; native sheep, $3.75@5; Westerns, $3.75@4.80; Texans, $3.25@3.75.

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; shipments, 500. Market steady. Choice heavy native steers, $3.80@4.40; fair to good steers, $3@4; stockers and feeders, fair to good, $2.10@3; rangers, corn-fed, $2.80@3.40; grass-fed, $1.90@2.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,400; shipments, 1,400. Market strong. Choice heavy and butchers' selections, $4.50@4.65; packing, medium to prime, $4.40@4.50; light grades, ordinary to best, $4.45@4.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; shipments, 1,700. Market steady. Fair to choice, $3@4.75.

BUFFALO, May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 329 car-loads through; 15 car-loads on sale. Market fair and prices unchanged. Export trade dull.

Sheep and Lambs—Better feeling and more active at unchanged prices. Receipts, 1 car-load through; 20 car-loads on sale.

Hogs—Receipts, 39 car-loads through; 23 car-loads on sale. Mediums, $5; Yorkers, $5.05@5.10, mostly at $5.10.

EAST LIBERTY, May 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,100; shipments, 800. Nothing doing; all through consignments. Eleven car-loads of cattle shipped to New York to-day.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,800; shipments, 1,800. Market firm. Philadelphias, $5; pigs and Yorkers, $5. Four cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

Sheep—Receipts, 800; shipments, 400. Market firm at unchanged prices.

CINCINNATI, May 4.—Hogs in moderate supply and firm. Common and light, $4@4.80; packing and butchers, $4.65@4.90. Receipts, 1,145; shipments, 744.

INDIANAPOLIS MARKETS.

A Very Satisfactory Closing for the Week, and a Good Business Looked for this Month.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 4.

Trade the last half the week has been very satisfactory in its volume, which demonstrates that only seasonable weather is needed to give snap to business. Traveling salesmen brought in good orders, and they report trade improving with the retail merchants as the farmers get over their hurry about planting. It is thought the grain will begin to move again during the coming week, and this will improve trade in the towns on the lines of railways, and in turn that of those off of the steam lines. In prices to-day there were no important changes. The dry goods market in all lines carries a very firm feeling, and groceries rule steady and strong in nearly all lines. Sugars are firm, but no important advances were established during the week closing to-day. Coffees are firmer than they were a week ago, but the efforts to bull prices have been thus far unavailing. The produce markets are active. Receipts of butter are large, and prices weaker. Eggs are firm, the local demand taking all arrivals. The poultry market is easier. The demand is good for hens and young chickens in good condition. Trade is dropping off with the seed men and prices are easier. Especially is this true of clover. The flour market is more active, but prices show no signs of improvement. Were the mills to run their full capacity, however, the market would soon be glutted. All over the West they are running about one-half time. The hide market still has a downward tendency. Green hides are weak at 4½ cents. Early vegetables are in better supply, and by next week prices will be low enough to largely increase the demand. The receipts of strawberries to-day were the largest of any day in this season, and choice berries sold as low as $3 per crate. Half ripened strawberries are almost unsalable, but plump, ripe fruit meets with ready sale. There is a brisk demand for tomatoes, but the receipts are unusually light. Next week an improvement is looked for.

GRAIN.

The Indianapolis Market report shows the receipts of wheat to-day to have been 3,000 bushels. The market is dull and prices nominal.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 83@85c; No. 3 red 77@80c; rejected, 65@70c.

Corn—Receipts posted to-day, 5,400 bu; yesterday, 10,800 bu. The offerings from the country are light, and the shipping and local demand take all offerings. No. 1 white, 34c; No. 2 white, 33½c; No. 3 white, 32½c; No. 3 white, one color, 33½c; No. 3 white, two colors, 33¼c; No. 4 white, 32c; No. 2 yellow, 31¾@32c; No. 3 yellow, 31@31½c; No. 4 yellow, 30@30½c; No. 2 mixed, 32c; No. 3 mixed, 31½@31¾c; ear, 30½@31c. Shippers are bidding for direct shipment from country points on the basis of Indianapolis freight rates: Mixed corn, 30c; high mixed, 30¾c.

Oats—Receipts posted to-day, 10,000 bu; yesterday, 14,000 bu. Market is quiet, there being no demand but for local use, and that very limited. Quotations nominal; we quote No. 2 white, 26¾@27c; No. 3 white, 25@26c; No. 2 mixed, 25c; rejected, 22@23c.

Hay and Straw—Receipts posted to-day, 4 cars; yesterday, 10 cars. There is fair demand for the better grades, and prices are but little changed.

Timothy hay, choice, $12.50; No. 1, $11.75@12; No. 2, $9.50@10; prairie, No. 1 Iowa, $7.50@8; No. 2, $4@6; straw, $5@6.

Bran—The shippers report demand from the East as light, $8@8.25 being the outside for shipment. Local dealers are paying $9.50@9.75.

Hominy feed selling at $10@10.25.

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CANNED GOODS.

Peaches—Standard 3-pound, $1.80@2.00; 3-pound seconds, $1.40@1.60. Miscellaneous—Blackberries, 2-pound, 80@90c; raspberries, 2-pound, $1.15@1.30; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, $1.40@2.50; seconds, 2-pound, $1.10@1.20; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, 95c@$1; light, 65@70c; 2-pound, full, $1.70@1.80; light, 90c@$1; string beans, 85@95c; Lima beans, $1.20@1.30; peas, marrowfat, $1.20@1.40; small; $1.50@1.75; lobsters, $1.85@2; red cherries, 95c@$1.10; strawberries, $1.20@1.30; salmon, (lbs), $1.90@2.50.

COAL AND COKE.

Anthracite, $6.75@7.00 ₱ ton; Jackson lump, $4.00 ₱ ton; nut, $3.50; Brazil block, $3.50 ₱ ton; nut, $3.00; Pittsburg, $4.00 ₱ ton; nut, $3.75; Raymond and Winifrede, $4.00 ₱ ton; nut $3.75; Duggar lump, $3.75 ₱ ton; nut, $2.75; Island City lump, $3.25 ₱ ton; nut, $3.00; Highland lump, $3.00 ₱ ton; nut, $2.50; Piedmont and Blossburg, $5.00 ₱ ton; Indiana cannel, $5 ₱ ton; gas-house coke, 1½c