FRANCE IS ALONE

Breach in Premiers' Council Now More Pronounced.

Allies Ready to Let Huns Remain in Ruhr.

Paris, April 22.—Indications of the breach between the allied premiers in the meeting at San Remo were seen in newspaper dispatches here today.

French correspondents made no effort to conceal the situation. On the one side, they said, stands Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain, favoring modification of the peace treaty with Germany and asking France to pledge herself not to act alone to enforce the treaty in future.

The British leader is backed by Premier Nitti of Italy and Baron Matsui of Japan.

France Stands Alone.

Opposing them is Premier Millerand, holding to the French decision that the treaty of Versailles must be enforced to the letter, reserving for France the right to enforce those clauses which most vitally affect her.

The correspondents agreed that the conference so far has only skirmished about the real business of the meeting—Germany.

Some of them were pessimistic.

"In view of the fact that Italy and Japan have agreed to support Lloyd George, the French have only two alternatives," one correspondent wrote, "to concede or quit San Remo."

Grant Hun Request.

Prolongation of German occupation of the Ruhr district, which the French have opposed, probably will be granted, the Petit Parisien's correspondent said, while a dispatch to the Matin said that Lloyd George and Nitti had proposed to Millerand that the conference call in German representatives, including Chancellor Mueller, to discuss political and economic relations between Germany and the entente.

Le Journal said French military experts had proposed to solve the difficulties confronting the league of nations which refused to accept a mandate over Armenia because it had no power to enforce its orders, by giving the league an army of several thousand men, fully equipped with airplanes.

MILK TO THE THIRSTY

Girls Serve "White Drink of Health" Free at Booth.

The "cost of production" exhibit near The State Journal building on East Eighth street is probably attracting more attention than any other feature of the "white drink of health" campaign in Topeka this week.

An attraction at the exhibit at 5 o'clock this afternoon was to be the giving away of milk free to passers-by. The milk was to be served by Miss Ruth Wood and Miss Edith Connell, workers in the campaign.

A registered Holstein cow belonging to Ira Romig a farmer living southwest of Topeka, occupies a modern stall. In an adjoining stall is a Holstein calf. Feed and bedding required for the cow in one month is on display, together with placards showing the cost of each article. The cost of production is figured down to the quart.

The feed, consisting of four bales of alfalfa, 800 pounds of silage and sacks of bran, corn chop and oil meal and three bales of straw for bedding, represents the amount of feed and material required to produce 252 quarts of milk, which is one month's production. The cost of producing a quart of milk, including labor at thirty cents an hour, is ten cents.

"These figures furnish evidence that Shawnee county dairymen are not making more than a fair and reasonable profit," said W. E. Peterson, state extension specialist in dairying, who assisted F. O. Blecha, county farm agent, in planning the exhibit. "In fact, they do not allow as large a return for the labor involved as is paid equally skilled labor in other occupations. Even at present prices milk is a cheap food compared with many other foods and dairymen are producing at a very narrow margin of profit."

Saturday Flora De Kol Walker, the highest producing cow in Shawnee county and one of the best in the state, also belonging to Ira Romig, will be exhibited where the registered cow is now kept. A miniature silo, pasture and corral lends a realistic farm effect to the exhibit.

Demonstrations of cooking food with milk are being conducted in some of the store windows along Kansas avenue and in other windows milk displays are arranged. Speakers are telling the school children in story form of the beneficial effects of milk as a diet. Addresses will be made today before the Rotary club and in several churches.

A film entitled "Nature's Best Food" was to be shown at the Isis theater. Tomorrow night the play, "Milk Fairies," will be given in the auditorium and reproduced in pageant form on the state house grounds Saturday afternoon if the weather permits.

SIXTH DISTRICT G. O. P. ELECTS

Mullaney and Swayze to National Convention.

Beloit, Kan., April 22.—E. E. Mullaney, Hill City, and A. W. Swayze, Ellsworth, were elected delegates to the national convention at Chicago at the Sixth district Republican convention held here today. They defeated J. R. Harrison, of Mitchell county and Emmett Brusner, of Osborne, opposing candidates, on the first ballot. The vote stood: Mullaney, 116; Swayze, 77; Harrison, 33, and Brusner, 27. Peter Johnson, of Ellis county, and George F. Beasley, of Natoma, were elected alternates. The Republicans expressed no presidential preference in resolutions adopted. This was the last Republican convention held in Kansas. Mrs. Laura Kyner, of Beloit, was selected as presidential elector.

BEAR OIL

For Your Hair

You never saw a bald Indian—They don't use perfumed lotions. For ages they used bear oil, with other potent ingredients from the fields, moors and forests of Nature. A reliable formula is KOTALKO. Indians' elixir for hair and scalp. Astonishing results in overcoming DANDRUFF, stopping FALLING HAIR, and inducing NEW GROWTH in many cases where all else failed. Investigate. $100, money-refund guarantee, for men, women, children. Keep this advertisement. Show others. Positively wonderful. Buy KATALKO at the drug store; or send 18 cents (silver or stamps) for proof box and guarantee, to John Hart Brittain, Sta. F, New York.

M'ADOO CHEERS

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session when difference arose over the interpretation of a motion governing disposition of resolutions. The chair ruled that any resolution might be amended on the floor of the convention and the motion prevailed.

Women to Ask One Place.

Women delegates held a caucus preceding the convention and voted to ask for but one place on the Big Four. A movement to demand an equal division on the delegation failed to meet approval of the women. They voted to ask that one position.

In a second conference to decide as to favorite candidate, Mrs. Carolyn Drennon, of Arkansas City, won over Cora G. Lewis, of Kinsley.

Pre-convention Dope.

Wichita, Kan., April 22.—After thirty-six hours of harmonizing, Kansas Democrats went into their state convention today with a hope of ironing out some of their Big Four troubles. Henderson Martin was withdrawn from the fight and slated for permanent chairman of the convention, while efforts to pull W. H. Thompson, former senator, from the fight held promise of probable success. The Billard wet resolution is seemingly doomed to defeat, while the Bourbons will sidestep all labor issues and forget to mention the industrial court or state problems.

There will be no instructions for the twenty delegates to the 'Frisco convention. Nonetheless, the convention lineup seemed to promise a considerable majority of McAdoo followers. The Hoover sentiment which bubbled over during the banquet gathering in Topeka, has disappeared. Leaders who talked most favorably for the food director, are now certain he is impossible—not mentioning, of course, Hoover's recent public utterances.

Wipe Out Old Rows.

In the effort to harmonize, even some of the radicals forgot their sore spots of four and six years ago. The old rows of the 1914 campaign were last night wiped out just as fully as it is possible to erase them. Of course it doesn't mean that everyone has really joined the same church and forgiven past sins. But there is a tendency toward mental reservations—and that is a big step forward for any Democrat convention.

The Atchison county delegation has wiped out its contest, has divided votes between the Orr and Waggener factions and will show an outward evidence of brotherly love. The dissolution of the Robertson-Thompson law partnership has tended to remove the former United States senator as a big factor. Determination of such leaders as Sam Amidon, national committeeman, to reject consideration of any state issues, brought more harmony. The almost certain defeat of the Billard plank, makes for a clear sky over the convention—except of course a red hot contest for some of the delegate places. But just before the convention it looked as the the meeting should be held without opening new sores.

Jouett Shouse of Kinsley, former congressman and present assistant secretary of the treasury, looked most certain of a place on the dope sheet. Friends of Ed Murphy of Leavenworth were also certain he would win, while supporters of Robert W. Blair of Topeka were making desperate efforts to effect a combination that would insure election of the veteran Democrat warrior. George H. Hodges's supporters also claimed he would win. Other candidates based their hopes largely on a fight extending beyond the first ballot and a division of the present apparent lineup.

Headquarters to Topeka?

Topeka is seemingly to win the Democrat state headquarters. A fight for the headquarters was made by the Topeka Press club in view of the fact that Topeka is the news center of the state. Forrest Luther of Cimmaron, chairman of the state committee, has told his friends that he expects to take the headquarters to the capital city. Early arrangements were to locate the offices in Hutchinson or Wichita.

Sam Amidon is to win a re-election as national committeeman without a contest, according to the present slate. Barney J. Sheridan, Paola editor, is listed for temporary chairman of the convention, while Henderson S. Marton of Lawrence is doped for permanent chairman.

More than 1,500 delegates are represented in the convention—many of them by proxy. The convention is the largest in the state in a number of years in point of voting power. Attendance from over the state is large and practically every active party worker in Kansas is here for the meeting. In addition to the selection of twenty delegates and alternates to the national convention, the naming of a national committeeman, the convention will nominate presidential electors. Party leaders oppose a move to draft candidates for state office at the present meeting.

Women and Labor Well Represented.

Some active sentiment developed late last night for the election of eight delegates at large, each with one-half a vote, but party leaders discouraged the plan.

An unusually large number of women are attending the convention, numbering probably 300 of the 1,200 in attendance. Union labor also is well represented in the convention. W. E. Freeman, president of the State Federation of Labor, estimated that nearly one-fourth of the delegates are affiliated with organized labor.

CONVENTION NOTES

When the late Henry Lassen built his near million dollar hotel, he probably didn't reckon with state wide political conventions. The excellent Wichita hostelry has a lobby that is built for retail sociability—not wholesale. In consequence it was necessary for scores of delegates to find entrance rooms on upper floors or on the curbing.

Al Farmer, of Liberal, former member of the state legislature from Seward county, led the denim parade which didn't develop to extensive proportions. Farmer—who isn't a farmer at all—came to the convention in blue jeans and wore them during his entire stay in the meeting town.

Incidentally, Ed. T. Hackney, who launched the jeans, overalls and hickory shirt idea for the convention, didn't play true to form at all. Hackney came from Wellington in a tailored suit and with an extravagant tie and linen collar. It was a case of the teacher failing to set an example for his class. Hackney is federal fair price commissioner for Kansas.

The convention attendance is larger than in 1916 when the Democrats held their big row in Hutchinson. Wednesday night delegates had arrived from almost every county in the state. Hotel accommodations were taxed to the limit. This morning an additional delegation arrived and it was apparent that more than 1,000 delegates would actually sit in half convention. Distribution of proxies may develop attendance from the districts to nearly the total representation of the state.

It was the apparent effort of party leaders to put aside the old troubles that was easily the feature of the pre-convention mitting. A half dozen fights which had developed earlier in the week were being worked out as rapidly as a Democrat leadership in Kansas can dispose of trouble. In the matter of putting out of the slippery spots on the track, tho, the Republican demonstration at Salina exceeded the back stage work in Wichita.

George Holland, former legislator from Russell county, is here with his buzz saw laugh that provoked hilarity for Kansas house visitors during the 1917 session. Holland may be a candidate for the senate this year.

L. P. King of Cowley county, dean of Kansas Democrat legislators, is with his county delegation. King served a dozen years as senator from his district away back in the late 80's and early 90's. He came back to the senate in 1913 when the Democrats regained control and was four years president pro tem of the upper house.

Mayor Herbert J. Corwine of Topeka was among the first of the Shawnee delegates to arrive. He came early Tuesday. Tom Lillard, law partner of Robert W. Blair of Topeka, is in charge of the Blair campaign for a Big Four place. Blair is himself unable to attend the convention on account of sickness. He has not at any time personally sought a place on the delegation.

Miles H. Mulroy, representative from Ellis county, has switched his support from Bryan to McAdoo as a presidential preference. Mulroy wants on the Big Four. He voted against the industrial court bill and is regarded as one of the few state legislators really close to the organized labor leadership.

There are scores of women attending the convention. It is probable that more women were sent to the convention than have ever gone to a political gathering in Kansas. Wichita women have been hostess to the visiting lady Democrats. Only in rare instances have the women mixed in the milling in the hotel lobby.

W. W. Austin, head of an electric light plant at Strong City, is touted for the congressional nomination in the Fourth district. If he gets into the running opposition may be eliminated. Dudley Doolittle's fellow townsman is not related to W. C. Austin, also of Strong City, a Republican and former state printer.

State Chairman Luther is laying plans to open headquarters at an early date, he told delegates. Luther proposes to conduct an aggressive pre-primary campaign.

Mrs. Cora G. Lewis of Kinsley, sought to start a scare the night before the convention by asserting that the Democrats were playing in bad faith with the women. When it became apparent that she was slipping, Mrs. Lewis is said to have told her friends that she "knew since the first of the year that they didn't intend to put a woman on the delegation." Just the same there was much seemingly genuine sentiment for a woman delegation.

W. H. Carpenter of Marion sought to put over Ben S. Gaitskill of Girard for temporary chairman in the convention. In a caucus of party leaders, Carpenter's candidate was beaten 68 to 17.

Mrs. Harrison Parkman telephoned from Emporia to declare that she was not a candidate for a place on the delegation, didn't want the job and wouldn't have it. In fact she is opposed to the election of a woman. Lyon county will vote solidly—at least on the first ballot—for men only. Mrs. Parkman, who was strongly urged for a place, is rated as perhaps the shrewdest woman organizer in Democrat politics in the state.

Congressman W. A. Ayres of the Eighth district, declined invitations to take a place on the delegation. Ayres is the lone Democrat in congress from the Eighth district. But he is quite pleased with his job in Washington and refused offers passed around to the follows at home.

The forum in which today's convention is being held is the largest hall in the state. It has a seating capacity of 3,500.

J. Ham Lewis, former United States senator from Illinois and Mrs. Antoinette Funk, Democrat organizer for the national committee, will speak at a Democrat meeting in Wichita tonight. It is probable they may also be called before the convention delegates

A Cox delegation from Ohio is here boosting for delegates. Mrs. W. H. Rogland of Ponca City, Okla., is here from Senator Owen. Mrs. England is a delegate to the Democrat national convention, while her husband is a delegate to the Republican gathering in Chicago.

BRYAN WILL BE DELEGATE

Is Third on List in Nebraska Primary —Hitchcock Is First.

Omaha, April 22.—William J. Bryan will be a delegate from Nebraska to the Democrat national convention, returns from 984 precincts out of 1,649 in Tuesday's presidential primary indicated today. These precincts gave Bryan and Berge and the two Hitchcock candidates—Neville and Shallenberger—the lead. Bryan's vote was third.

Senator Hiram Johnson of California continued to hold his lead in the Republican presidential primary vote today. Returns indicated he had carried the state by 25,000, with General Wood second and General Pershing a poor third. Pershing barely carried his home county of Lancaster.

Senator Hitchcock apparently won the Democratic endorsement for president. He had little opposition.

EAST SIDE NOTES

Notes and personals from East Side by Frances Jones. Telephone 3530.

Mr. Ray Pringle will leave Friday for Chillicothe, Mo., to visit relatives. He will be accompanied home by Mrs. J. T. Andrews, who will come to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. P. French, East Tenth avenue.

The Violet club will be entertained Thursday afternoon, April 29, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Snead, Cedar Crest.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Newell have come from Wellington, Kan., and will make their home at 804 East Tenth avenue.

Mrs. M. Watson has returned to her home, 826 Chestnut street, from a visit in Highland, Kan.

Miss Rebecca Hrenchir and Mr. George Shiffelbein were married Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at St. Joseph's church. The attendants were Miss Anna Schoenfeldt and Mr. Raphael Hrenchir. The bride wore a dress of white crepe de chine and carried roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Schoenfeldt carried a bouquet of pink carnations. After the service the guests attended a wedding breakfast given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Degen, 718 Jefferson street. Mr. and Mrs. Shiffelbein left Tuesday afternoon for Kansas City to spend a few days. On their return the last of this week they will be at home at 915 West Sixteenth street. The out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. John Hrenchir, Miss Tessie Hrenchir, Miss Irene and Miss Vlennia Hrenchir, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gerety and son Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Reilly and son Michael Eugene, all of Emmett, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shiffelbein of Horton, Kan.

Mrs. Alvin Acord, who has been ill at her home, 707 Monroe street, is recovering.

Mrs. F. A. Stanley, who has been ill for the past few days at her home, 820 Chestnut street, is improving.

Mr. Arthur Grant will come from Camp Grant, Ill., the first of next month to spend a furlo with his mother, Mrs. J. E. Mellring, and other relatives.

Mrs. C. Dean of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Gifford, of 208 Emmett street.

Japs Give Bolsheviki Beating.

Tokio, April 22.—The war office announces the crushing defeat by the Japanese of 1,500 Bolsheviki troops at Chilnoiski, west of Chita, in eastern Siberia.

Dutch Buy Home for Crown Prince.

Amsterdam, April 22.—Negotiations with the Reformed church at Wieringen for the purchase of a local presbytery "as a permanent residence for the former crown prince of Germany," have been begun by the Dutch government, according to the Wieringen correspondent of the Telegraph.

MAY LOSE BALLOT

Ohio Appeal Case in Supreme Court Decides Suffrage.

To Decide if Legislature Qualified to Ratify.

Washington, April 22.—Whether the suffrage amendment will be declared ratified in time to give all women citizens full voting rights in the election next November now virtually hinges on action of the United States supreme court in a case to be argued late today or tomorrow.

Final action of the court is expected before adjournment early in June. Suffrage leaders estimate that if the court's action is what they consider favorable, twenty million women will be eligible to vote in the next election, but of this number, seven million have full suffrage rights under state statutes, while six million have limited voting privileges.

Appeal Case from Ohio.

The case is an appeal from the Ohio supreme court to determine whether the legislature of that state can ratify an amendment to the federal constitution without submitting it to a referendum. The Ohio supreme court held that the ratification was not complete until the people passed on it.

The suffragists now have thirty-five ratifications to the suffrage amendment, not including that by the Ohio legislature. They feel optimistic about the chances of obtaining favorable action in one or more state legislatures, but admit that it is doubtful if there will be two more ratifications during the next few months.

Would Lack One State.

The suffragists would have only thirty-six ratifications with Ohio, or exactly the necessary three-fourths. Thus if the supreme court should declare that Ohio's ratification cannot be considered complete until after a referendum, the suffragists would lack one ratification as the Ohio laws do not allow the referendum until the general election.

Should the supreme court thus hold, it would be because of the wording of the referendum provision in the Ohio constitution. Its decision might not affect other referendum states.

WEATHER

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this, afternoon. The lowest temperature in the last twenty-four hours was 41 at 6 o'clock this morning.

The highest reading for this date was 90 in 1888 and the lowes 33 in 1894. The wind this afternoon was blowing 30 miles an hour from the west.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Furnished by the weather bureau office, Topeka, Kan., for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 a. m. Thursday.

Stations—	High.	Low.	Prec.	With'r
Boston, Mass	46	42	1.14	Cloudy
Calgary, Alb	38	26	.04	Cloudy
Chicago, Ill	72	58	.08	Cloudy
Cincinnati, O	74	60	0	Clear
Corpus Christi	80	70	.9	Cloudy
Denver, Colo	40	32	0	Clear
Des Moines, Ia	72	44	.01	Clear
Duluth	44	34	.01	Cloudy
El Paso, Tex	74	48	0	Clear
Galveston, Tex	78	70	0	Cloudy
Havre, Mont	42	34	.18	Rain
Jacksonville	84	72	0	Fair
Little Rock, Ark	80	64	0	Clear
Los Angeles	62	48	0	Clear
New Orleans, La	86	72	0	Cloudy
New York, N. Y	58	54	.28	Clear
North Platte, Neb	50	32	.28	Rain
Oklahoma, Okla	82	42	0	Clear
Phoenix, Ariz	74	44	0	Clear
Pittsburgh, Pa	68	52	.20	Clear
Portland, Ore	48	40	.36	Rain
St. Louis, Mo	64	52	T	Clear
St. Paul, Minn	68	50	.22	Cloudy
Salt Lake, Utah	38	32	0	Clear
San Francisco	58	46	0	Clear
Sault Ste. Marie	46	40	.06	Cloudy
Sheridan, Wyo	38	32	.02	Clear
Spokane, Wash	50	34	0	Clear
Tampa, Fla	84	72	0	Fair
Toledo, Ohio	70	48	T	Cloudy
Washington, D. C.	82	56	.06	Clear
Winnipeg, Minn	44	38	.08	Rain

KANSAS WEATHER REPORT.

For twenty-four hours ending 7 a. m. Thursday.

Stations—	High.	Low	Prec.	Roads
Anthony	82	54	T	Good
Coldwater	78	30	0	Good
Concordia	78	36	0	Fair
Dodge City	72	34	0	Good
Dresden	66	28	0	Good
Emporia	80	40	0	Fair
Eureka	80	38	0	Good
Fort Scott	80	44	0	Good
Garden City	66	30	0	Fair
Goodland	74	30	T	Rough
Hanover	78	36	0	Fair
Hays	74	30	0	Fair
Horton	76	38	T	Drying
Hutchinson	80	34	T	Good
Iola	82	42	0	Fair
Liberal	74	28	0	Good
McPherson	78	34	0	Good
Macksville	78	32	0	Fair
Manhattan	80	38	0	Fair
Phillipsburg	64	32	0	Rough
Scott City	64	30	0	Good
TOPEKA	84	41	0	Rough
Wichita	78	40	T	Good
Kansas City	80	42	0	Muddy
St. Joseph	78	42	T	Rough

Stage of river at Topeka 7.0 ft.

OFFER DANDELION PRIZE

Salina Discovers Means of Ridding Court House Lawn of Weeds—Statistician Is Pessimistic.

Salina, Kan., April 22.—Suggestions that the county commissioners offer a reward for the person who digs the most dandelions out of the court house lawn has prompted a court house statistician to figure out that there are 175,000 dandelions on the 70,000 square feet of lawn, allowance being made for space occupied by the building and sidewalks. In numbers, he explained, they range from bare spots up to thirty to the square foot.

At the rate of one plant every 10 seconds, he continues, it would take 486 hours, or 60 eight hour days, to accomplish the job. Then, further: "If it takes 200 dandelion plants to make a quart of wine, the entire court house lawn crop would make 855 quarts, or 214 gallons."

MUST PAY FOR SPUDS OR SUGAR

Concordia, Kan., April 22.—"Good-bye to the sugar bowl and the side dish of spuds—until we meet again."

That is the slogan adopted by restaurant proprietors here, in view of the high prices of those commodities.

"We hate to do it," said one restaurant owner, "but the prices now are way above war prices, when we had only sugar rations. We are paying 10 cents a pound for potatoes. Persons desiring them will have to pay for them."

RUFE KING FREE TODAY

Alleged Triple Slayer Out on $25,000 Bond—Trial May 18.

"Rufe" King, alleged triple murderer, is a free man today. This is his first day out of jail since his arrest in Colorado in August.

Miss Winifred Wilbur, clerk of the Osage county district court, approved a $25,000 bond which King's relatives have raised in recent weeks. King was released from the Shawnee county jail last night.

Upon his release King went to the home of his brother, O. D. King, 400 Buchanan street, where with his faithful, trusting wife he spent the night. Today they went to Eskridge, where King will work on the farm of his brother, "Bud" King, until his trial at Lyndon, May 18.

There was genuine sorrow expressed by King's fellow prisoners when he left the jail. For months the big Maple Hill liveryman has been the dominant figure in the jail. King was absolutely "czar" of the jail.

A man of the open all his life, King probably suffered more in the confinement of the Shawnee county jail than any man locked up there for years. He appreciated the feelings of his fellow prisoners and, when they were ill, Rufe King was their self appointed nurse.

It was largely at King's suggestions that Judge James A. McClure of the first division of the district court investigated the jail and reported to the county commissioners the need of better lighting facilities there. This improvement was made before King left the jail.

King's love for his wife and his resentment at published articles to the effect that she had deserted him were his dominating characteristics as noted by the many friends the big fellow made at the jail. His first statement on his release was to again refute these reports. As he walked from the jail with his wife by his side he said:

"When a woman sticks by a man in the kind of trouble I'm in, it doesn't look like he had mistreated her very bad."

WHEAT CROP CUT IN HALF

Federal Department of Agriculture Urges Farmers to Revise Schedules.

Washington, April 22.—Reports from the spring wheat regions of a plan for reduced acreages this year caused the department of agriculture to issue a statement today urging the farmers to revise their planting plans. Weather conditions and a shortage of farm labor have affected the planting, but statistics presented by the department advised increased production because of the poor condition of the winter crop and the continued world demand for wheat.

The normal requirements for consumption and export are about 800,000,000 bushels. Of this amount only 483,617,000 bushels is indicated from the winter wheat this year. The world demands, it was pointed out, will be as great as usual and none can be expected from Australia because of a poor wheat year and the disorganized transportation conditions make improbable the movement of the 55,000,000 bushels Russia has announced she will have ready for export.

UNION MUST PAY DAMAGES

Arkansas Miners Now Face $300,000 Judgment Given by Court.

Fort Smith, Ark., April 22.—The Pennsylvania Mining company late yesterday won a verdict of $100,000 actual damages against district 21, United Mine Workers, and locals in three counties for violation of the Sherman act.

This law provides that the actual damages shall be tripled so the company's judgment will total $300,000.

PROBE RACE FRICTION.

Washington April 21.—An investigation into the causes of friction between whites and blacks in the United States and of the "increasing discontent" among negroes would be authorized under a bill introduced today by Senator Spencer, Republican, Missouri. A commission of nine members, three of whom would be negroes, and an annual appropriation of $50,000 is proposed.

Man, 71, Kills Woman and Self.

Cedar Rapids, April 21.—George A. Fawcett, 71 years old, shot and perhaps fatally wounded Mrs. Olive Eves and then committed suicide in the Eves home today. Unrequited love is believed to have been the cause.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, April 22.—CORN—Feverish activity and at times acute weakness characterized the corn market today. The weakness was ascribed to fresh breaks in the value of securities in Wall street. On the downturn in the price of corn, however, strong commission houses turned to the buying side, and rallied the market to yesterday's final level, and in some cases well above. The new setbacks quickly ensued. The opening, which ranged from ½c to 6c lower, with May $1.62 to $1.65 and July $1.56 to $1.57½, were followed by extremely rapid fluctuations but in no instance under the initial bottom figures.

Chicago Grain and Provision Market.

(The range of prices on grain futures on Chicago Board of Trade as reported by Empire Commission Co.)

	Chicago, April 22.				—Close—	
	Open	High	Low	Today	Yes.
CORN—					
May	.165	168	162	166¾	166⅝
July	.157½	160¼	156	158	157⅞
Sept.	.151	155	149	151	150
OATS—					
May	.92⅞	94¾	92	94	93½
July	.84⅛	86	82⅝	84¼	84
PORK—					
May				35.25	35.50
July	.36.50	36.40	36.00	36.40	36.50
LARD—					
May	.19.65	19.17	18.90	19.65	19.35
July	.19.85	19.97	19.65	19.80	20.02
RIBS—					
May	.17.77	17.95	17.77	17.85	18.05
July	.18.50	18.70	18.50	18.57	18.75

Kansas City Grain Market.

(The range of prices on grain futures on Kansas City Board of Trade as reported by Empire Commission Co.)

	Kansas City, April 22.				—Close—	
	Open	High	Low	Today	Yes.
CORN—					
May	.160	162¾	160½	161⅝	162¾
July	.157	158¾	155	157⅛	157⅝
Sept.	.150	152¾	149½	151½	152⅞
OATS—					
May	.92½	94⅝	92½	93¾	94¼
July	.83½	85	82½	83⅝	84⅛

Chicago Produce Market.

Chicago, April 22—BUTTER—Market unchanged.

EGGS—Market higher. Firsts, 41½@42½c; ordinary firsts, 38@39c; at mark, cases included, 39@41c.

POULTRY—Market unchanged.

POTATOES—Market weak. Northern round white, sacked and bulk, $7.00@7.25; mixed red and white Wisconsin Bliss Triumphs, $6.90.

Kansas City Grain Market.

Kansas City, April 22—WHEAT—Cash: Market unchanged. No. 1 hard, $2.85@2.95; No. 2 hard, $2.82@2.90; No. 1 red, $2.82@2.84; No. 2 red, $2.80@2.81.

CORN—Market down 2 to 4 cents. No. 2 mixed, $1.65; No. 3 mixed, $1.64; No. 2 white, $1.66; No. 3 white, $1.64@1.65; No. 2 yellow, $1.68@1.70; No. 3 yellow, $1.65@1.66.

OATS—Market 5c lower than previous sales. No. 2 white, $1.22@1.24; No. 2 mixed, $1.00@1.01; No. 2 red, $1.00@1.03.

RYE—$1.96@1.98.

KAFIR AND MILO MAIZE—$2.35@2.40.

HAY—No market.

SHORTS—$2.50@3.00.

BRAN—$2.00@2.05.

WHEAT—Receipts 38 cars.

CORN—Close: May, $1.61⅝; July, $1.57⅛; September, $1.51½@1.51⅝.

Kansas City Produce Market.

Kansas City, April 2.—BUTTER—Market unchanged.

EGGS—Market unchanged.

POULTRY—Market unchanged.

New York Produce Market.

New York, April 22.—BUTTER—Market strong. Creamery higher than extras, 76½@77c.

EGGS—Market irregular. Storage packed, extra firsts, 47½@48c.

CHEESE—Market firm. State whole milk, flats, held, white and color specials, 30@31c.

New York Sugar Market.

New York, April 22.—SUGAR—Raw, steady; centrifugal, 19.56; refined, firm; fine granulated, 17.50@23.00.

Futures opened weak and continued to decline during the early trading under liquidation. At noon prices were 25 to 40 points lower.

Sugar futures closed steady. Sales 700 tons. May, 18.30; July, 18.50; September, 18.60; January, $15.70.

New York Stock Market.

Wall St., New York, April 22.—STOCKS—With the progress of the session the professional character of the market became more obvious. Shorts directed their attack largely against U. S. Steel which was offered in round amounts down to 96¼, a loss of 2¼ points. General Motors forfeited its partial recovery and other leaders of yesterday's reaction established lower records. The decline was orderly in contrast to yesterday's excited dealings, but little support was manifested except at marked concessions. Pressure relaxed appreciably before noon as call money opened at 7 per cent. Sales, up to that time approximately 1,000,000 shares.

Stocks were nervous and unsettled at the opening of today's session but many of the speculative issues which sustained severe losses in yesterday's violent decline recorded substantial recoveries. General Motors made an initial gain of 5 points which soon was extended to 10 points and Crucible steel, Baldwin locomotive, American woolen, U. S. rubber, pressed steel car, Vanadium and Replogle rose 1 to 3 points. These advances were offset by further reactions of 1 to 5 points for Mexican petroleum, Lackawanna steel, shippings and sugars. United States steel also sold a fraction under yesterday's lowest quotation. Liberty bonds were in process of further liquidation with new low records for the second 4¼'s, third 4¼'s, and fourth 4¼'s.

Further recoveries during the intermediate session carried several leading stocks far above best prices of the morning. Actual gains of 3 to almost 15 points were made by General Motors, Baldwin, U. S. rubber, Reogle and Corn Products. Call money was freely supplied at the opening rate.

New York Money Market.

New York, April 22.—MONEY—Mercantile paper, 6¾@7 per cent. Exchange, weak; sterling, 60 day bills, 3.83¾; commercial, 60 day bills on banks, 3.83¾; commercial, 60 day bills, 3.83¾; demand, 3.88¼; cables, 3.89. Francs, demand, 16.52; cables, 16.50. Belgian francs, demand, 15.32; cables, 15.50. Marks, demand, 1.61; cables, 1.62. Government bonds, weak; railroad bonds, heavy. Time loans, strong; 60 days, 90 days and 6 months, 8½.

Call money, steady; high, 7; low, 7; ruling rate, 7; closing bid 7; offered at 7; last loan, 7. Bank acceptances, 6.

New York Liberty Bond Market.

New York, April 22.—Liberty bonds 11:30 a. m.: 3½'s 99.40; first 4's, 86.00; second 4's, 84.20; first 4¼'s, 86.00; second 4¼'s, 84.70; third 4¼'s, 90.38; fourth 4¼'s, 84.80; Victory 3¾'s, 99.10; Victory 4¾'s, 99.10.

Kansas City Livestock Market.

Kansas City, April 2.—HOGS—Receipts 4,000. All weights 50c lower; top, $15; bulk light and mediums, $14.50@15.00; heavies, $13.50@14.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 2,800. Heavy beef steers, weak to 25c lower; best unsold bulk, $12.00@12.50; handy weights and yearlings, about steady; fat she stock and steers, unsteady; good and choice veal calves, $14.25@15.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 6,000. Clipped lambs, mostly 25c higher; best clipped lambs, $18.50; wooled lambs, weak with no choice offering.

Chicago Livestock Market.

Chicago, April 22.—CATTLE—Early beef steer trade limited; few sales, weak to unevenly lower; demand seriously curtailed by shortage of stock and refrigerator cars for outbound movement of livestock and meat products, account of demoralized trade conditions, some shipments to Chicago ordered stopped in transit, she stock weak to unevenly lower; bulls, steady to 25c higher; calves, 50c lower; vealers, mostly $14.00@14.50; feeder outlet, narrow.

HOGS—Receipts 41,000. Market slow, 50c to 60c lower; top, $16.40; bulk of sales, $14.35@16.00; pigs, 50c higher, mostly $14.75@15.85.

SHEEP—Receipts 10,000. Market slow, about steady; choice wooled lambs, $21.50; some held higher.

Kansas City Livestock Market.

(The following sales were made this morning at the Stock Yards, Kansas City and reported over long distance telephone direct to the State Journal by Clay Robinson & Co., live stock commission merchants.)

Kansas City, April 22.—CATTLE—Receipts 3,000 head. Market steady and strong.

HOGS—Receipts 2,800 head. Market 25@50c lower. Bulk of sales, $13.75@14.5; top, $15.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 2,000 head. Market strong and 25c higher. Lambs, $18.50.

KILLING STEERS.

No.	Wt.	Price	No.	Wt.	Price
16	1210	$12.50	21	890	$12.50
14	880	10.50	22	970	10.80

COWS AND HEIFERS.

1	1190	11.25	1	960	10.00
11	790	7.50	1	510	8.50

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS

6	1140	11.50	19	970	10.50
14	1020	10.50			

CALVES.

10	280	10.00	1	170	13.00
4	244	14.25			

HOGS.

25	212	14.85	71	264	14.60
90	192	14.80	70	241	14.65
72	184	14.75			

Topeka Market Report.

(Furnished by Chas. Wolff Packing Co.)

Topeka, Kan., April 22.

HOGS.

MIXED AND BUTCHERS	$11.00@14.25
HEAVY	11.00@13.50
LIGHT	11.00@14.35
PIGS	11.00@13.00
CHOICE PACKING STOCKS	10.00@11.75

Cannot use rough unfinished hogs for packing purposes. Will have to buy at stock prices.

Topeka Poultry and Eggs.

(Furnished by the Topeka Packing Co.)

Topeka, Kan., April 22.

Old roosters, 15c; young roosters, 15c; hens, all sizes, 22c.

Sure Relief

6 BELL-ANS Hot water Sure Relief

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