Latest Markets of the World

Chicago Grain and Provisions

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Articles—	Opening	Highest	Lowest	Closing
Wheat—				
July	1.05¼@05	1.05¾	1.03½	1.03½@⅝
Sept	1.07@06⅞	1.07⅜@½	1.05¼	1.05⅝
Corn—				
July	69@68⅞	69⅛@69¼	68½	68⅝
Sept	69@68⅞	69¼	68⅝	68¾
Oats—				
July	39¾	39⅞@40	39⅝	39⅝@¾
Sept	38¼@38⅛	38⅜@½	38⅛	38¼
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
July	21.35	21.35	20.80	20.85
Sept	21.02	21.02	20.45	20.55
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
July	12.42	12.42	12.30	12.30
Sept	12.55@52	12.55	12.42	12.42
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
July	12.30	12.30	12.10	12.10
Sept	12.27	12.27	12.10	12.15

Stock Market

New York, June 2.—Additional records were made during a busy forenoon on Wall Street today, Willys-Overland rising 18 to 293 and Beet Sugar 1⅝ to 79. Meanwhile Norfolk & Western eclipsed its previous maximum, touching 133, with gains of 1 to 2 points for New York Central, Canadian Pacific, Louisville & Nashville, Chesapeake & Ohio, Southern Railway preferred and Big Four, the last named controlled by New York Central, rose 7½ points to 59 on rumors of an early resumption of dividends. Reading and Lehigh Valley were under pressure and United States Steel was inactive, with further gains in Gulf States Steel. Bonds were firm.

New high records were registered by three widely divergent issues in today's early stock exchange market. Norfolk and Western rose 1¼ to 130¼, Chandler Motors 1 point to 108⅞, and Gulf-state Steel to 1½ to 85½. The movement otherwise was in keeping with these gains, Mercantile Marines being the most active issues. The preferred opened with a block of 1,600 shares at 95⅝ to 96, an overnight gain of 1¼, soon advancing to 97 on very large transactions, with an advance of a point for the common. Beet Sugar, Allis Chalmers preferred and rubbers comprised the other strong stocks. Later rails as a whole improved materially.

The closing was heavy.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	—Last sale
Allis-Chalmers	27
American Beet Sugar	77½
American Can	55⅝
American Car & Foundry	60
American Locomotive	71½
American Smelting & Refining	96⅝
American Sugar Refining	111
American Tel. & Tel	129⅝
Anaconda Copper	33½
Atchison	105¼
Baldwin Locomotive	88½
Baltimore & Ohio	91⅝
Bethlehem Steel	445B
Brooklyn Rap. Transit	88
Butte and Superior	89
California Petroleum	21½
Canadian Pacific	176
Central Leather	54
Chesapeake & Ohio	63¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	98⅜
Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry	20¾
Chino Copper	52¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	43
Corn Products	19¼
Crucible Steel	82½
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	27¼
Erie	38⅝
General Electric	169⅝
Goodrich Co	76¼
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	38⅝
Great Northern pfd	121½
Illinois Central	104
Interborough Consol. Corp	17¾
Inter. Harvester, N. J	112½
Inter. Merc. Mar. pfd. ctfs	95½
Lackawanna Steel	69⅛
Lehigh Valley	82¼
Louisville & Nashville	130
Maxwell Motor Co	85¼
Mexican Petroleum	108⅝
Miami Copper	35½
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	10¼B
Missouri Pacific	6⅛
National Lead	66⅞
New York Central	106¼
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford	61
Norfolk & Western	130
Northern Pacific	114⅛
Pennsylvania	58⅝
Ray Consolidated Copper	22⅝
Reading	100¼
Republic Iron & Steel	48
Southern Pacific	98½
Southern Railway	23⅛
Studebaker Co	137⅝
Texas Co	190¼
Tennessee Copper	43
Union Pacific	137½
United States Rubber	55¾
United States Steel	83¾
United tSates Steel pfd	117
Utah Copper	80½
Wabash pfd B	28½
Western Union	95
Westinghouse Electric	61⅛
Kennecott Copper	53
Inspiration Copper	44⅜

New York Money; Closing.

New York, June 2.—Mercantile paper—3¼%.

Bar silver—64⅞c.

Mexican dollars—49¾c.

Time loans—3@3½%.

Call money—High, 3%; low, 2½; closing bid, 2¼.

St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis, Mo., June 2.—Poultry—Unchanged except springs, 28@33c; turkeys, 14@24½c; ducks, 12c.

Butter—Creamery, 29c.

Eggs—Unchanged.

Chicago Hay Market.

Chicago, June 2.—Hay—Receipts, 1,027 tons; shipments, 70 tons. Timothy hay, steady. Demand good and offerings slightly larger. Prairie hay easy. Supply liberal and demand only fair. Choice timothy hay quotable at $20@21; No. 1 at $18@19; No. 2 at $16@17; No. 3 at $13@14. Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri prairie hay, choice, $14@14.50; No. 1 $12.50@13.50; No. 2 $11@11.50. Clover hay, $11@12. Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin feeding prairie hay, $9.50@10.50; packing hay, $8@9; alfalfa hay, $11@17.

Sales were: On track—Not graded timothy, 2 cars at $15.50, 1 car at $15.75, 1 car at $17, 1 car at $17.75, 1 car at $18.50, 1 car at $19.50, 1 car at $20. Not graded prairie, 2 cars Kansas at $11.50, 1 car do at $12.

Free on board and switched—Not graded prairie, 1 car at $12.50.

Straw—Rye straw quotable at $10.50@11. Oat straw at $8@8.50. Wheat straw at $7@7.50.

Grain Review

Chicago, June 2.—Weakness of quotations in Liverpool depressed wheat here today. Opening prices which ranged from ¼@⅝c to ⅝@¾c lower, with July at $1.05 to $1.05 ¼and September at $1.06 ⅞to $1.07, were followed by further losses and then a moderate upturn.

The market closed 2@2⅛c to 2⅛@2¼c net lower with July at $1.03½ and September at $1.05⅜.

Corn eased with wheat. After opening ¼c to ⅜@½c lower, the market underwent an additional sag. Downward fluctuations of oats appeared to lack force. Provisions had no aggressive support. Pork especially was weak.

Prices closed at ½@⅝c to ⅝c net decline.

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, June 2.—The cash grain market follows:

Wheat—No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red $1.03; No. 2 hard, $1.05¼@1.05½; No. 3 hard, $1.02@1.05¾.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 69½@70½c; No. 4 yellow, 66@68c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 39@39½c; standard, 39¾@40c.

Rye—No. 2 nominal; No. 3, 96½c.

Barley—60@75c.

Timothy—$5.50@8.

Clover—$7.50@14.

Pork—$21@21.85.

Lard—$12.37.

Ribs—$11.80@12.40.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City, Mo., June 2.—The cash grain market follows:

Wheat—No. 2 hard, 99@$1.05; No. 2 red, 98@$1.04.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 66½@67c; No. 2 white, 68c; No. 2 yellow, 68c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 42@42½c; No. 2 mixed, 38@39c.

Rye—86@87c.

Hay—Steady to 50c lower; timothy, $14.50@15.50; prairie, $9@9.50; alfalfa $12.50@13.50.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

St. Louis, Mo., June 2.—The cash grain market follows:

Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.07@1.07½; No. 3 red, $1@1.03; No. 2 hard, $1.07; No. 3 hard, $1@1.02; No. 4 hard, 90c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 70c; No. 2 white, 71@71½c; No. 2 yellow, 71@71½c; No. 3 white, 70c; No. 4 white, 69c; No. 3 mixed, 69½c; No. 3 yellow, 70½c; No. 4 mixed, 68c.

Oats—No. 2 mixed, 39½c; No. 3 mixed, 36½c; No. 3 white, 39½@41c; No. 4 white, 38@39c.

Minneapolis Closing Grain.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 2.—Closing grain:

Wheat—July, $1.09½@1.09⅝; Sept., $1.08¾; No. 1 hard, $1.16⅛; No. 1 northern, $1.09⅝@1.12⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.06⅛@1.10⅝.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 72@73c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 37¾@38¼c.

Flax—$1.81¾@1.85¾.

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill., June 2.—The cash grain market follows:

Corn—No. 2 white, 70c; No. 2 yellow 70½c; No. 2 mixed, 70c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 38⅛@38½c.

Toledo Grain Seed.

Toledo, O., June 2.—Clover seed—Prime cash, $8.70; Dec., $8.65.

Alsike—Prime cash and Aug., $9.40.

Timothy—Prime cash, $3.50; Sept., $3.32c.

Primary Movement.

Articles—	Receipts	Shipments
Wheat, bu	751,000	561,000
Corn, bu	527,000	471,000
Oats, bu	756,000	873,000

Seaboard clearances—Wheat, 1,091,000; corn, 138,000; oats, 977,000.

Car Lot Receipts.

Wheat—54 cars, with 12 of contract grade.

Corn—84 cars, with 21 of contract grade.

Oats—151 cars, with 8 of contract grade.

Total receipts of wheat at Minneapolis, Duluth and Winnipeg today were 503 cars, compared with 941 cars last week and 417 cars the corresponding day a year ago.

Estimated cars tomorrow, Chicago—Wheat, 28; corn, 126; oats, 163.

New York Produce.

New York, June 2.—Butter—Market unsettled; receipts, 16,078; creamery extras, 30½c; firsts, 29@30c; seconds, 28@28½c.

Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 25,440; fresh gathered storage packed, firsts or extra firsts, 23½@24c; regular packed extra firsts, 23½@24c; do firsts, 22@23c.

Cheese—Easy; receipts, 4,220; state fresh specials, 14¾@15c; do average fancy, 14¼@14½c.

Live poultry—Firmer; broilers, 28@30c; fowls, 20@22c; turkeys, 22c; dressed, weaker; chickens, 18@32c; fowls, 18@23c; turkeys, 28@38c.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, June 2.—Butter, unchanged.

Eggs—Unchanged; receipts, 23,248 cases.

Potatoes—Higher; old, receipts, 22 cars; Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota white, 90@$1; Minnesota and Dakota Ohios, 85@90c; new; receipts, 8 cars; Texas, Louisiana and Alabama sacked triumphs, $1.50@1.60.

Poultry—Alive, unchanged.

St. Louis Horses and Mules.

East St. Louis, Ill., June 2.—Horses—Lower; extra heavy draft, $175@225; eastern chunks, $150@185; good southerns, $85@125.

Mules—Steady, 16 to 16½ hands, $150@275; 15 to 15½ hands, $125@190; 14 to 14½ hands, $65@125.

SHORT SUPPLY OF PORKERG OFFERED

DEMAND AT CHICAGO FOR HOGS IS FAIR AND QUOTATIONS ARE BOOSTED.

Chicago, June 2.—Hog prices hardened a little today on account of the supply here being somewhat restricted.

Cattle offerings lacked finish.

Buyerse were inclined to minimize as much as possible their demand for sheep and lambs.

Chicago Live Stock; Opening.

Chicago, June 2.—The opening live stock market follows:

Hogs—Market slow, weak; receipts, 16,000; estimated tomorrow, 11,000; left over, 6,315; quality poor; bulk $9.50@9.75; light, $9@9.70; heavy, $9.25@9.80; good heavy, $9.40@9.80; mixed, $9.35@9.80; rough, $9.25@9.80; Yorkers, $9.40@9.55; pigs, $7@8.80.

Cattle—Market slow, weak; receipts, 2,000; estimated tomorrow, 200; beeves $8.20@11.05; Texans, $8.60@9.50; westerns, $8.65@9.65; cows and heifers, $4.50@9.80; stockers and feeders, $6@9; calves, $8@11.25.

Sheep—Market steady; receipts, 9,000; estimated tomorrow, 2,000; natives $7@8.20; westerns, $7.20@8.25; yearlings, $8.25@9.60; lambs, native, $8@10.35; westerns, $8.50@10.60; spring lambs, $8.50@11.85.

Chicago Live Stock; Closing.

Chicago, June 2.—The closing live stock market follows:

Hogs—Market fairly active and steady to shade higher; receipts, 17,000; estimated tomorrow, 12,000; bulk $9.50@9.75; light, $9@9.70; mixed, $9.35@9.80; heavy, $9.25@9.85; rough, $9.25@9.40.

Cattle—Market slow and weak; receipts, 2,000; top, $11.05.

Sheep—Market steady; receipts, 9,000; top, $8.25; lambs, top, $10.60.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Mo., June 2.—The live stock maket follows:

Hogs—Market steady; receipts, 6,500; pigs and lights, $7.50@9.60; heavy, $9.65@9.70; bulk, $9.35@9.65.

Cattle—Market steady; receipts 450; steers, $7.50@10.50; heifers, $8.50@10; cows, $5.50@8.50; calves, $6@11.

Sheep—Market steady; receipts, 4,000; wethers, $7@8.50; clipped ewes $6.50@7.50; clipped lambs, $8.50@10.25; spring lambs, $10@12.25.

Omaha Live Stock.

Omaha, Nebr., June 2.—The live stock market follows:

Hogs—Market steady; receipts, 8,400; heavy, $9.20@9.50; light, $9@9.40; pigs, $7@9; bulk, $9.30@9.40.

Cattle—Market steady; receipts, 2,100; steers, $8.75@10.25; cows and heifers, $7@9.

Sheep—Market steady; receipts, 1,100; yearlings, $7.25@8.75; wethers, $6.50@7.75; lambs, $9@12.

St. Louis Wool, Hides, Etc.

St. Louis, Mo., June 2.—Wool, lower, with 36½c the prevailing price now on sales of the best medium wools. Receipts are fairly liberal, and some of the largest buyers up to this week are holding off, contending for lower prices. Mills are not buying. Quote:

Missouri, Ill., southeastern Iowa and northeastern Arkansas: Clear, fleece tjed, 36½c; untied, loose, 35½@36c; low and braid, 33@33½c; clear and burry mixed, 32@35c; slightly burry, 30@30½c; hard burry, 21@22c; light fine, 24@29c; heavy fine, 16@23c.

Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska: Bright medium 32@34c; dark medium, 22@27c; slightly burry, 22@26c; light fine, 22@28c; heavy fine 16@22c.

Tub washed: No. 1, 46@47c; No. 2, 35@42c; burry, 28@38c.

Angora goat: Long lustrous, 37c; short coarse, 30@32c; slight burry, 24@30c; hard burry, 15@20c.

Cotted, black, seedy, chaffy, damp, etc., as well as wool sheared in near-by States from western sheep range from 3c to 5c per lb. less Very defective or unmerchantable below even the inside figures.

Sales: 87 sks at quotation; 2 sks at 36½c 1 sack at 36c, 3 sks at 31c, 1 sack at 30c, 2 sks at 23c; 15,000 lbs yesterday at from 20c to 37c; 8 sks at 36½c, 1 sack cotted at 30c; 3,500 lbs at 35,80c round; 700 lbs at 36½c; 5 sks at 36½c; 8 sks at 36½; 1,100 lbs 36c; 7 sks and 4 bags 33c to 36½c; 4 sks 30c to 36½c; 60sks (yesterday) at from 20c for heavy fine Texas to 37c for clear bright medium, 3,000 lbs (do) at 28c to 36½c.

Hides—Firm and comparatively high locally, but receipts are light, and local dealers are taking the offerings. Quote current receipts (less 1 lb tare per hide on Green Salted:

Wet salted: Round, 19½c; No. 1, 20c; No. 2, 19c; bull, 14½c; gluestock, 13½c.

Dry—Flint, round, 33½c; salted, 30½c; flint, bull, 25c; culls, 24c; culls, salted, 22c.

New York Sugar.

New York, June 2.—Sugar—Market easy; centrifugal, 6.33c; molasses, 5.56c.

Refined—Steady; fine granulated, $7.65.

VILLAGE CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Metzer of South Ottumwa spent Sunday at the E. G. Harsch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Black and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gift were entertained Sunday at the Lyman Cohagan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Albertson and son Earl spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tilbot Blanchard.

Fred Myers and sister Anna visited Sunday at the Edgington home in South Ottumwa.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dexter and family visited Sunday at the G. W. Workman home.

Miss Bernice Baum spent Sunday night with Miss Hattie Hinds.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Harsch and family enjoyed an outing near Cliffland Sunday in company with Dr. Ralston and family and Dr. Dunning and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kosman and family and Joseph McDermont were entertained Sunday at the home of Mrs. John Rouch.

J. M. Arnold left Tuesday to visit a few days at the home of his brother Will Arnold near Blakesburg.

NO CHANGE SHOWN IN LOCAL MARKET

PRICES IN THE OTTUMWA HOG LIST REMAIN THE SAME AS ON THURSDAY.

The quotations given out in the Ottumwa hog market today are the same as on Thursday. The other lists are also the same. Following are the markets:

Sheep—Choice spring lambs, $7@9; fair to good spring lambs $6@6.50; yearling lambs, $6@7; choice ewes, $4@6; fair to good ewes, $3@4.

Ottumwa Hay Market.

Good timothy $10; No. 2 timothy and No. 1 light clover mixed, $8@9; No. 3 timothy and No. 2 mixed $6@8; clover hay, $7@10.

Corn—65@80c; rye, 50@70c; oats, 34@35c.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter fat—No. 1, 29½; No. 2, 26½.

Poultry—(These prices paid to producers)—straight run hens, 14c lb.; old roosters, 7½c; ducks, 9c; geese, 8c.

Eggs—17c.

Wool and Hides.

Wool—Clear bright medium, 31@32c; chaffy or slightly burry, 24@26c; semi-burry, 24@26c; hard burry, 17@18c; light fine long staple, 24@26c; light fine short, staple, 20@22c; heavy, fine line staple, 13@18c; angora goat long luster, 25@27c.

Hides—Cured, 13c; green No. 1, 10@12c.

Furs—Skunk 50c@$3; mink 75c@$3; opossum, 10@60c; coon 50c@$2; fox, $2@4. Prices according to condition and size.

THE RETAIL PRICES.

Flour and Feed.

Flour and feed—Graham flour, per sack, 45c; corn chops, per cwt., $1.80; shorts, per cwt., $1.65; bran, per cwt., $1.40; corn, per bu., $1; hay, per cwt., 70@80c; straw, per cwt., 40@50c; meal per sack, 25c; corn and oat chop, per cwt., 2.10; corn chop, 20c lb., 40c; oil meal, per cwt., $2.25; wheat flour, per sack new wheat $1.50@2.10; wheat, bu., $1.35.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Creamery butter—35c; country butter, 25@30c.

Eggs—Candled, 23@25c.

Poultry—Geese, dressed, 20c; turkeys, dressed, 30c; dressed hens, 22@23c; spring chickens, 35c.

Fresh and Salt Fish.

Frozen, not fresh caught—Salmon, 16c lb.; halibut, 18c lb.; red snapper, 16c lb.; white fish, 18c; Smelts, 20c.

Fresh fish—Catfish 20c; bass 25c; trout, 20c; halibut ,20c; salmon 20c; pike, 35c; live lobsters, 45c lb.; broiled lobsters, 60c each; white fish, 20c lb.; crabs, hard shell, 15c each.; soft shell, 30c each; perch, 12½c; shrimp, 35c lb.; native mackerel, 40c each; shads, 60c each; shadroc, 40c pair; frog legs, 15c pair; Spanish mackerel, 20c lb.; fresh herring, 15c; white fish 20c; smelts, 15c.

Salt fish—Mackerel, 10@35c; herring Norway 3 for 25c; cod 10@20c; lake fish pail, 70c; salt mackerel, 10@25c; salt white fish 10@25c lb.; salt cod, 10@25c lb.; smoked sturgeon, 25c lb.; finan haddie, lb., 20c; Holland herring, pail, $1.25; Holland herring, $1.75 keg mixed; $1.90 a keg milchners; salt eil, 25c lb., pail anchovies, $1.25.

Smoked fish—White fish 20c lb.; sardines, 5@25c; spiced sardines, 3 for 10c; box cod, 12½@20c; fancy smoked bloaters, 3 for 25c; smoked boneless herring 25c lb.; smoked herring 25c lb.; smoked salmon 25c lb.; smoked halibut 25c lb.; smoked sturgeon, 25c lb.; stockfish, 20c.

Fruits.

Fruits—Bananas 10@30c doz; lemons 30c; oranges, 35@45c dozen; apples, 40@60c peck; grape fruit, 5@10c; Hawaiian pineapples, 15@25c; pears 30c doz.; kumquats, 30c; strawberries, qt., 12½c; watercress, 10c; 3 for 25c.

Vegetables.

Vegetables—Cabbage, per lb., old, 4c; new 7c; mangoes 3 10c; hot house cucumbers 10@15c; tomatoes, ripe, 10@12½c; parsley 5@10c; shallots 2 for 5c; oyster plants, 2 for 15c; celery, 10 cents bunch; leek, 5 and 10c bunch; endive, 5c; potatoes, per pk., 40c; bu., $1.60; mushrooms, 85 cents; green beans 12½c per pound; horseradish root 10c; beets, lb., 3c; lettuce, 30c lb.; egg plant, 20@25c; cauliflower 15@25c; beets, 25c pk.; turnips, 25c; asparagus 8½c; fancy hot house radishes, 2 for 15c; artichokes, 20c; wax beans, 25c lb.; new potatoes, 6c per pound; parsley, 5 and 10c per bunch; Early Ohio seed potatoes, $1.25@1.50 bu. Early Rose seed potatoes, $1.50 bu.; Triumph seed potatoes $1.50; new potatoes, 8c per lb.; seed sweet potatoes, bbl., $3.85.

TRAIN PLUNGES INTO CREEK BED

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The storm, which reached the proportions of a cloudburst, nearly paralyized wire communication and it was long after daylight before the first rescue train, dispatched from Waterloo, reached the scene. Other trains are en route from Cedar Rapids and Mason City.

The sleeping cars remained on the track and passengers in the sleeper turned out to help in the work of rescue.

Train No. 19 is the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific's fast night train between Chicago and Minneapolis. It left Chicago at 3:45 p. m., yesterday and was due in Minneapolis this morning at 8:45.

TRAIN BLOWN OFF TRACK.

Bloomington, Ill., June 2.—Twenty persons were reported injured, one of whom physicians say will die, when Wabash Chicago-St. Louis fast mail train No. 17 was blown from the track one mile south of Saunemin at 2 o'clock this morning by one of the most severe windstorms that has visited central Illinois in years. The accident occurred in a deep cut which kept the cars from overturning and prevented a heavy loss of life. The combination baggage and smoking car and four coaches were blown from the track. A Pullman sleeper crashed through the smoking car, literally tearing it to pieces. It was in the smoking car that the most injuries to passengers occurred. The other Pullmans remained on the track. One woman was thrown through a window, a distance of twenty feet and received no further injuries than a few scratches. A heavy deluge of rain occurred following the accident and the passengers who rushed from the cars were drenched.

GERMAN FLEET WINS A VICTORY

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The artillery action on both sides was exceptionally heavy throughout yesterday and last night.

Aside from the Verdun fighting the night passed quietly along the front.

WAR SUMMARY.

The Germans have entered the French first line trenches between Ft. Douaumont and Vaux, northeast of Verdun, having changed their offensive from the region of Le Mort Homme for the present.

The attack was made over a front of about two miles and was preceded by violent bombardment. The French met the German assaults with their machine guns and held them back at every point, except between Ft. Douaumont and Vaux. Heavy losses were inflicted on the Germans, according to Paris.

In the Vosges mountains near Altkirch the Germans report the occupation of French positions 350 meters long and 350 deep and the capture of some prisoners and booty.

Fighting on the Austro-Italian front has been especially severe in Tyrol and while the Austrians are still on the offensive, the Italians claim to have stopped them and in several instances to have driven them back.

On the Russian front fighting is in progress all along the line, though no changes of importance in positions have been reported by either the Russians or Germans.

In Asia Minor the Turks have taken the offensive and temporarily halted the Russian advance toward Mesopotamia. All the Turkish attacks were repulsed, except at Mamakatum, which was evacuated by the Russians. Here the fighting was over a front of twenty miles. The Turks are said to have been heavily reinforced by Germans and Austrians.

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Mo., June 2.—Butter, eggs and poultry unchanged.

Constipation and Indigestion.

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets and must say they are the best I have ever used for constipation and indigestion. My wife also used them for indigestion and they did her good," writes Eugene S. Knight, Wilmington, N. C. Chamberlain's Tablets are mild and gentle in their action. Give them a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the agreeable laxative effect which they produce. Obtainable everywhere.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

C. C. CREMER

Candidate on the republican ticket for sheriff of Wapello county.

MUSCATINE PASTOR IS DANGEROUSLY ILL

Muscatine, June 1.—Word was received here that another operation upon Rev. J. W. Graves, pastor of the First Baptist church may be necessary. The information was received by members of the family here from St. Paul, Minn., from Mrs. Graves who is at the bedside of her husband. The first operation was performed last Friday, at the Baptist hospital in St. Paul. He was suddenly stricken with appendicitis, while attending the Baptist convention in Minneapolis. His relapse according to the word received may necessitate another operation at once. It is not expected that Rev. Graves will be able to return to Muscatine for some time and no arrangements have as yet been made for services at the Baptist church during his absence.

ELECTION CARRIES.

Muscatine, June 1.—The special school election held for the purpose of authorizing a bond issue in the sum of $75,000 to be used for an addition to the present high school was carried by a majority of 155 votes. A very light vote was cast and the indications were in the afternoon that the voting of the issue would be a failure, however, later in the evening the voters responded to the call and a total of 1,129 votes were cast.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

EDWIN DUNGAN

Candidate for

Clerk District Court

REPUBLICAN TICKET

Primary June 5

Many Praise the Treatment Given by DR. BONHAM

Mr. Scott of Salem, Iowa, says: "Dr. Bonham cured my wife of a very bad case of piles without chloroform. She is very thankful."

Zeb Smith, Ottumwa, says: "I was cured after suffering for twenty years and had suffered everything."

John Sharp of Selma, Iowa, says: "I was cured of piles without chloroform or much suffering."

H. M. Chidester of Albia, Iowa, says: "I was cured of a rupture I had for forty years."

Mr. L. Goodwin Oswalt, Albia, says: "I was cured of a very bad rupture by Dr. Bonham. I am much pleased. Write me if you want to know about it."

Charles Lowe of Mystic says: "My little girl is cured of umbilical rupture taking four treatments."

Chronic diseases of all kinds are treated and cured by modern methods. Electricity and mechanical means are used in many cures.

Diseases of Women.

I treat a great many women for their ailments and cure many cases where it is said surgical operation is the only method. Healing, soothing methods are better in many cases than radical means.

Catarrh of nose, throat, bronchial troubles treated by methods that remove the obstruction from nose and throat. Diseases of the stomach and bowels cured by electrical massage and vibration.

Rheumatism is treated by electro-thermol baths which start the circulation and eliminates the cause of the disease.

Varicocele or false rupture. This resembles rupture, but is an enlargement of the veins, causes pain in back and becomes larger in standing. Over 200 cases cured.

Hydrocele (water in sack) resembles rupture, cured without knife operation.

Private blood and skin diseases cured and patient so afflicted should have the best treatment obtainable.

I have been located in Ottumwa twenty years. Call for further reference.

DR. J. C. BONHAM

Elks' Block, Ottumwa, Iowa.

SAYS CONDITIONS IN DES MOINES BAD

Des Moines, June 1.—Dr. J. Edward Kirby, pastor of the Plymouth Congregational church, and known as "the laboring man's friend," sent an open letter to Chief of Police Jackson calling that official's attention to the large increase in the amount of drunkenness and crime since the recent city election.

"Drunkenness has increased 50 per cent in the city," said the letter. "The liberals believe they have gained by the recent city election and by your appointment and results seem to bear this out."

Chief Jackson has replied that more arrests have been made and more liquor confiscated in the last month than in any two months previously. He denied that there was any letting down of the bars.

TEACHER CHAMPION PENMAN.

Cedar Falls, June 1.—Miss Ella Murphy, Cedar Falls school teacher, who recently won a gold medal valued at $50, besides $15 in gold for winning both first and second prizes in an interstate penmanship contest conducted by a Chicago business college, now has a standing offer to head the penmanship department of the school. The contest was participated in by school teachers from eight middle western states.

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Strongly endorsed by business men of Eldon and farmers of that vicinity and representative republicans throughout the county.

If you are in favor of a strictly business administration of your county affairs, Mr. Roberts, respectfully solicits your support at the June 5th Primary.