SLIGHTLY STRONGER.

A Somewhat Better Feeling Shown in the Speculative Pits, But Nothing Like a Boom.

Steadier Cables and Heavy Shipments of Wheat Responsible for the Stiffening of Prices.

Provisions Were Active Within a Narrow Range, Closing Lower --Corn and Oats.

A General Break All Around in the Stock Market, Caused by a Bear Raid.

Grain and Provisions.

Special to the Globe.

CHICAGO, April 29,—Market cables were steady to-day and New York was strong on reported new export business. The market here opened higher and buoyant on yesterday afternoon's lake engagements of wheat, the lighter receipts at primary Western points and signs of outside revival outside confidence. There was nothing in the nature of a tidal wave, but rather of the early stages of recovery from severe sickness. Reports were also afloat that forty-two boat loads had been taken at New York last evening. This like many other reports that have been sent out from New York lately proved to be incorrect, and if it was started to stiffen the market it was a boomerang, for the slight advance scored during the first hour or two of trading was not maintained. The May deal is tapering off with no little abuptness. Considerable business in that near-by option passed to-day and further liquidation was witnessed, but the trade was nothing to what it has been for the past ten days. As a matter of fact trading in other futures was not excessively heavy. May sold up to 78⅝c, and June to 80⅝c, an advance of ½c from yesterday, and after holding steady at very nearly the best prices of the day for quite a while, the market eased off under free offerings and declined to a

POINT BELOW THE RANGE

ruling at the close of business yesterday. St. Louis poured in an unceasing stream of dispatches relating to the glorious crop prospects of the Southwest, but the underlying secret of the weakness was on all pervading fear that the labor agitation would grow to such proportions after May 1, as to paralyze the business interests of the country. This uncertainty unquestionably tends to demoralization in lines of business likely to be first affected by interrupted transportation. Arguments are not necessary to emphasize the points of this phase of the situation and the bears are disposed to let the facts speak for themselves and not harp on the dangers that confront certain industrial interests. The report that lake charters for 160,000 bushels more wheat had been taken in addition to yesterday's engagement, braced up the market slightly, but the drift was downward, and these tidings only served to check the current, not to stop it, and opening figures were very nearly the lowest of the morning. The irrepressible Nightingale telegraphed that a further drop of 4c would be necessary before the export movement

WOULD AMOUNT TO ANYTHING,

but this song has been heard of so often from the same source that the statements, whether correct or otherwise, only excite a smile. Deliveries of wheat will probably be large, and the belief prevails that it will go into strong hands. A majority of the elevator companies have been bending their energies to getting the receipts placed with individuals and firms friendly to their interrets. Several of them have made it an object to investors to agree to hold the property just beyond the reach of shippers. At least three concerns have offered to guarantee the receipts, being satisfied that the condition of the wheat will warrant them in carrying it through another season without risk. They want to collect all the storage on present stocks possible not feeling at all certain that they can fill the bins again. The bird in the hand is worth a whole flock in the bush. "Changing over" continues to be

THE PRINCIPAL FEATURE

of the corn deal through to-day witnessed some covering of shorts. Values were somewhat firmer and higher quotations resulted. Trade was fairly active. Oats slow and easier. Provisions were nervous but prices underwent only minute fluctuations. Trade was light and confined to "changing over." The operators are awaiting developments. Unusually heavy deliveries of pork and lard are anticipated and it is the general belief that after this week the hog product in this city will be even more concentrated than it is now. Changes in quotations to-day are infinitessimal. Wheat was higher on the afternoon board. The close was ¼c above the 1 o'clock quotations. The latest was that the lake charters of wheat for the day aggregated 368,000 bushels, and to this was due the late strength. Corn and provisions easier.

'CHANGE CHATTER.

Large purchases by Crittenden and Cowes, and some buying by Stauffer, were the features to the wheat trading of the day. As the former was the buyer when Kent was the seller, the purchases aro supposed to be for him, and Stauffer's was believed to be either for Cudahy or Ream.

Crop advices were inclined to be bearish. George Watkins of Kansas City wired "Billy" McHenry that prospects in Missouri were never better for a large, fine crop, and that from present appearances Kansas would yield from 20,000,000 to 25,000,000 bushels.

"Puts" on June wheat sold this afternoon at 79¾c; "calls" on May wheat sold at 80⅞c.

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The Quotations.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat opened stronger but closed generally easier. Sales ranged; April 77⅛@78½c, closing 77½c; May, 77 15-16@78¾c, closed 78c; June, 79¾@80⅝c, closing 79 13-16c. Corn quiet and steady; cash, 36⅛@38½c; April, 36@36¾c, closing 36⅛; May, 36⅛@36⅞c, closing 36 11-16c; June, 37⅜@37⅝c, closing 37⅜c. Oats quiet; cash, 29¼c; April, 29c; May, 29½@29 5-16c, closing 29¼c; June, 29¾@29⅞c, closing 29¾c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 62c. Barley dull; No. 2, 59c. Flax seed easy. No 1 on track, $1.04. Mess pork irregular, prices declined 5@7½c, but rallied and ruled steadier; cash, $8.87½@8.90; May, $8.85@8.92½; closed, $8.87½@8.90. Lard steady; cash, May, $5.87½@5.90; June, $5.95@5.97½. Boxed meats steady; dry salted shoulders, $4@4.10; short rib sides, $5.20@5.22½; short clear sides, $5.50@5.60. Whiskey steady at $1.14. Sugar unchanged. Butter ruled quiet and steady; creamery, 15@19c; dairy, 11@15c. Eggs, 10½@10½c. Afternoon board—Wheat firm en; June, 80 3-16c. Corn steady; June, 37½c. The other markets were unchanged.

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The Fluctuations in Detail.

ST. PAUL, April 29.—The following quotations, giving the range of the Chicago markets during the day, were received by M. Doran, commission merchant:

Time.	Wheat. M'y	Wheat. Jne	Corn. M'y	Corn. Jne	Pork. May.	Pork. June.
Yes. close.	78⅛	80	36⅝	37¼	8 92½	9 05
Opening...	78⅜	80¼	36¼	37⅛	8 87½	9 00
9:40 A. M.	78½	80⅜	36¾	37⅜	8 90	9 05
9:50 "	78¾	80⅝	36⅞	37⅛	8 90	9 05
10:00 "	78½	80⅜	36⅞	37½	8 90	9 05
10:10 "	78⅝	80½	36⅞	37⅝	8 92½	9 07½
10:20 "	78½	80⅜	36¾	37½	8 90	9 05
10:30 "	78½	80⅜	36⅝	37⅜	8 92½	9 07½
10:40 "	78⅜	80¼	36¾	37½	8 92½	9 07½
10:50 "	78½	80⅜	36¾	37½	8 92½	9 07½
11:00 "	78½	80⅜	36⅝	37⅜	8 92½	9 07½
11:10 "	78½	80⅜	36¾	37½	8 92½	9 07½
11:20 "	78⅜	80¼	36¾	37½	8 90	9 05
11:30 "	78¼	80¼	36⅝	37⅜	8 90	9 05
11:40 "	78⅜	80¼	36¾	37½	8 90	9 05
11:50 "	78⅜	80¼	36⅝	37⅜	8 92½	9 07½
12:00 "	78¼	80⅛	36⅝	37⅜	8 92½	9 07½
12:10 P. M.	78¼	80⅛	36¾	37½	8 92½	9 07½
12:20 "	78⅛	80	36⅝	37⅜	8 90	9 05
12:30 "	78	79⅞	36⅝	37⅜	8 77½	9 02½
12:40 "	78⅛	80	36⅝	37⅜	8 87½	9 02½
12:50 "	77⅞	79¾	36⅝	37⅜	8 87½	9 02½
1:00 "	78	79⅞	36⅝	37¼	8 90	9 02½
2:00 "	77⅞	79¾	36⅝	37¼	8 90	9 02½
2:10 "	77⅞	79¾	36⅝	37⅝	8 90	9 02½
2:20 "	78	79⅞	36¾	37½	8 90	9 02½
2:30 "	78⅜	80¼	36¾	37½	8 87½	9 02½

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Duluth Wheat.

Special to the Globe.

DULUTH, Minn., April 29.—Curb feeling this morning was firm with stronger indication than last evening. Opening prices were ⅜c higher than closing sales last night, at 84½c for June, with the first sale of May at 82¾c. June afterwards sold at 84⅝c, but not much changed hands at that. When with more selling disposition and liberal offerings, prices dropped off gradually to the close, with sales at nearly all fractions on the way down. By the close May had reached 82c, with June 83⅞ sales. Cash wheat was in light inquiry and sold at 79⅜c for No. 1 Northern, fresh. At the close 81⅞c was bid for May and 83¾c for June, with ½c more asked in each case to close sale were made at 83¾c. June reports from Chicago 20,000 bushels worked for Eastern markets to-day, but the labor troubles prevent any strength in the market. The afternoon market opened about as it closed at 83¾c; June quickly sold off to ⅜c when under the influence of outside markets, it reacted suddenly to 84c, with more liberal trading at near outside figures; no sales of May reported. Sales to-day, 800,000 bushels; receipts to-day, 17,000 bushels.

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Toledo Grain.

TOLEDO, April 29.—Wheat easier; cash, 85½@88c; May, 85½c asked. Corn, easier; cash May, 38c asked. Oats unchanged.

St. Louis Grain.

ST. LOUIS, April 29.—Wheat active, closing lower; No. 2 red, cash, 86c; June, 87¼@87½c, closing at 87¼c. Corn very dull and steady; No. 2 mixed, cash, 32⅜c; May, 32¼@32⅝c, closing at 32½@32⅝c; June 33¾c bid. Oats dull and steady; No. 2 mixed, cash, 29⅜@29½c; May 29¾@29⅞.

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Milwaukee Produce.

MILWAUKEE, April 29.—Flour quiet. Wheat strong; cash, 78½c; May, 78½c; June, 80¼c. Corn dull; No. 2, 36½c. Oats dull; No. 2, 29¼c. Rye nominal; No. 1, 66c. Barley easy; No. 2, 46½c. Provisions steady; mess pork, cash or May, $8.90; June, $9.05. Prime steam lard, cash or May, $5.90; June, $5.95. Butter dull; dairy 15@17c. Cheese steady, 11½@12c. Eggs quiet and steady, 10@10½c

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New York Produce.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Flour—Receipts, 11,588 bbls; exports, 2,691 bbls; 6,870 sacks; dull, heavy; sales, 9,800 bbls. Wheat—Receipts, 1,650 bu; exports, 91,646 bu; sales, 3,864,000 bu future, 7,000 bu spot; ungraded red, 80¾@87¾c; No. 2 red, May, 90⅞@91⅝c, closing at 91c; June, 91¾@92½c, closing at 91⅞c. Corn—Spot higher but less active, options a shade lower. Receipts, 2,400 bu; exports 45,495 bu. Sales, 1,072,000 bu futures, 320,000 bu spot; No. 2 May, 45¾@46c, closing at 45¾c; June, 46⅛@46⅜c, closing at 46⅛c. Oats steady and fairly active; receipts, 55,550 bu; exports, 435 bu; mixed Western, 38@42c; white Western, 41@48c. Hay firm. Coffee, spot, fair; Rio dull at 8⅞@9c; sales, 29,250 bags; April and May, $7.45@7.50; June, $7.35@7.40. Sugar dull and easier; extra C. 6@6¼c; white C, 6⅜c; yellow, 5⅞@5⅞c; mould A, 7⅛@7¼c; off A, 6⅝@6¾c; powdered, 7½c; granulated, 7⅞c; cubes, 7⅛c. Molasses dull and weak at 19@19½c for 50 test. Rice steady and in fair demand. Petroleum steady; united closed at 72¼c. Tallow weak at 3⅞c. Rosin quiet at $1.07½@1.12½. Turpentine weaker at 39c. Eggs lower and dull; receipts, 4,919 packages; western, 12@12½c. Pork fairly active and steady; mess, $9.25@9.50 for old. Cut meats weaker; sales, 5,000 pickled bellies, 5 3-16c; do hams, 9c. Lard less active; Western steam, spot, $6.20; off grade, $6@6.05; May, $6.12@6.13; June, $6.19@6.20; July, $6.27. Butter dull and declining; western, 12@23c; Elgin creamery, 23@24c. Cheese steady; demand moderate.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, April 29.—Wheat firm with fair demand; the supply is poor. Corn firm with fair demand. Turpentine—Spirts, 26s 6d per cwt. Linseed oil, 21s per cwt.

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J. W. WAIT, Assistant Cashier.

FINANCIAL.

New York.

Special to the Globe.

NEW YORK, April 29.—The stock market broke all around to-day. The general fear of further labor troubles has for some time caused quiet selling of long stock. To-day the big bears, confident that the longs were ready to run, raided the list. Cammack, Woerishoffer, Johnes, Durand and all the room traders sold furiously. It was reported that the London holders of Louisville & Nashville had unloaded. At all events, the stock was very weak and responded readily to the heavy selling. Lake Shore was veering and so in fact were all the trunk line stocks. The talk was that a general strike in most lines of business would take place May 1. The troubles at Chicago caused a weak feeling in the Grangers, and St. Paul and Burlington sold off sharply on the prospects of a strike among the freight handlers. It was announced that Northwestern had settled with its shopmen, and this was a source of strength in that stock. The key to the situation was the fear of extensive troubles growing out of the eight hour movement. The coalers responded later to the general feeling of weakness and declined sharply, Delaware and Hudson leading the drop. After the bears had put out their line of shorts, the market steadied, but there were no indications of a rally. It was said that the market was more heavily oversold than at any time this year, and commission houses were advising their customers against selling. The most generally held opinion was that prices would be unsettled and slowly drift lower for some time to come, or until the agitation of the eight-hour question had spent its force. The close was quiet at a considerable decline throughout the list from the opening.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

Henry Clewes: There are a good many long stocks coming out from timid holders, who fear the threats made by the Knights of Labor will be carried out, and a general strike ordered on May 1. Until that time has passed, thre will be a good deal of nervousness and anxiety in the street, and a lack of courage to make new obligations on the part of the operators. This tends to make lower prices, which look inevitable from appearances at present.

Cohn; We do not see much prospect of higher prices for the present, except for such stocks as are really earning dividends, and are conservatively managed.

A prominent broker says that the chief object of pointers given out the past two weeks was to gull outsiders into trading and skin them out of their money.

H. B. Hollins: I don't feel like going short on a market after a break like this. I certainly ought to do better.

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NEW YORK, April 29.—Money on call easy at 2@3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@5. Sterling exchange dull, but firm, at $4.57 for sixty days and $4.88¾ for demand. Government bonds were dull and steady. State bonds were quiet but steady. Railroad bonds were less active; sales $1,214,000, of which Erie second consols contributed $405,000. Prices closed lower in the majority of cases, but chiefly for small percentages. Stocks were somewhat more active, but prices were again weak most of the day. There was no important news this morning, but fear of trouble with the labor organizations and repeated statements that a general strike is likely to take place about May 1, has led to some selling during the past two days. The short interest was increased, especially in some of the more active shares. Delaware and Hudson sold down 1 at 87¾. Consolidated Gas was decidedly weak in view of the adverse legislation at Albany and declined 4 per cent. There was also considerable weakness in some of the low priced fancies. Peoria, Decatur & Evansville lost 1, Manitoba 1⅛, Erie preferred 2. Other declines were only fractional. Western Union was an exception, closing with a gain of ¼. The lowest prices were generally made about 1 o'clock. Later there was a rally for fractional amounts, followed by renewed weakness in the last hour, but the market closed firm, generally ⅛ to ⅝ higher than the lowest prices reached. The only unfavorable report of the afternoon of importance related to the alleged cut by the Granger roads between Chicago and Omaha. Fairly encouraging reports from Liverpool, with some local demand for export account, appeared to neutralize a further slight shading on silver, and prices were increased 3@4 points, closing with indications of steadiness. The total sales of stocks to-day were 309,360 shares, including

Del., Lack & Wes.	43,107	Reading.....	10,000
Del. & Hudson.	3,930	St. Paul.....	40,000
Erie.....	20,675	St. P. & Omaha	6,259
Lake Shore.....	41,630	Tex. & Pacific..	5,680
Louis. & Nash..	23,030	Union Pacific...	11,970
Northwestern ..	6,940	Western Union.	15,100
N. J. Central...	6,775	North. Pac. pfd	4,431
N. Y. Central..	7,980	Oregon Trans..	6,356
Pacific Mail....	9,579		

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Quotations of Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Following are the closing prices bid to-day and the three preceding business days:

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed	Thur.
United States 3s...	*101⅛	101	101	*101
United States 4½s.	+112¾	+112½	+112¾	+112⅜
United States 4s...	+126¼	+126¼	+126⅛	126¼
Pacific 6s of '95....	127½	127⅝	127½	127½
M., K. & T. gen. 6s	93⅝	94	93½	93½
Northern Pac. 1sts	115⅞	116	116	115¾
do 2ds.....	94¾	94¾	94¼	94¼
C. P. bonds, 1sts..	115¾	115½	115½	116
Erie seconds.....	101½	101	99½	*98½
Louisa. stpd. 4s...	72½	.....	73¼	.....
Missouri 6s.....	.....	101½	101½	101½
Tennessee 6s, old..	57½	57	57	57
do new.....	.....	57	57	57
Texas Pac. grant..	38⅜	37½	37	35½
do Rio Grande div	*51½	*51	*50	49½
Union Pac. 1sts....	117¼	117¼	117⅛	117¼
St. L. & S. F. gen. m.	103	103½	103⅜	103⅛
St. Paul consols...	131½	133	133	133⅛
S., C. & P. 1sts.....	121	120	120	122
West Shore.....	102¾	102¾	102¾	102⅞
Adams Express....	145	145	145	144
Alton & T're H'te.	38	39	39	36
do preferred.....	91	90	90	90
American Express.	105	105	105	105
B., C. R. & N.....	65	65	65	65
Canadian Pac.....	64	65	64½	64½
Canada Southern..	39	38½	38⅜	37⅞
Central Pac.....	41⅛	41½	40½	40½
Chesapeake & Ohio.	10	9¾	9	9
do preferred 1sts	17	16¾	15½	15⅜
do 2ds.....	12	11	10	10
Chicago & Alton...	138	139	138	138
do preferred.....	155	150	155	155
C. B. & Q.....	133¼	133½	132¾	131½
C.St. L. & Pittsb'g	10½	10¾	10½	10¾
do preferred.....	30	30	30	32
C. S. & C.....	30	30	30	30
C. C., C. & I.....	51¼	50½	50	48
Delaware & Hudson	100	99¾	99	98
Del., Lac. & West'n	126	126	125¼	124¼
Den. & Rio Grande	16¼	16¼	16¼	15¾
do 1sts.....	122	122½	122½	122½
do West 1sts.....	76	75½	75	75½
Erie.....	24⅞	24¾	24⅝	23⅞
do preferred.....	58	57¾	57½	55
East Tennessee....	1¾	1½	1½	1⅝
do preferred.....	3¾	3⅝	3¾	3½
Ft. Wayne.....	147	146½	146	145
Harlem.....	214	213	213	213
Houston & Texas..	26	26	26	26
Illinois Central....	138½	138½	137	136½
Ind., B. & W	24¼	24	22½	22
Kansas & Texas...	27¼	27¼	26¾	26⅜
Lake Erie & West'n	11½	11½	11¼	10
Lake Shore.....	81⅝	81	80	79¼
Louisville & Nashv	38½	38¾	38⅛	35⅝
Louisville & N. A..	37¾	36	34	33½
Memphis & Charles	31	31	31	31
Michigan Central..	66	66½	66	66
Minn. & St. Louis..	21	21	19½	19
do preferred	46	45½	45	44⅜
Missouri Pac.....	103	103	100	103½
Mobile & Ohio.....	12½	11	11½	11½
Morris & Essex....	142	142	142	142
M., L. S. & W.....	46⅜	46	49	.....
do preferred.....	77⅜	77	76	.....
Nashville & Chat..	45½	45½	45½	44¾
New Jersey Central	49¾	49⅝	48¾	48⅛
Norfolk & W. pref.	29½	29½	29	28
Northern Pac.....	25¼	25⅜	24¾	24¾
do preferred.....	57	56⅞	55¾	55⅞
Chicago & Northw.	107	106⅝	106¼	106
do preferred.....	137¾	138	138	135½
do consols.....	142⅜	143	.....	143
do debenture, 5s	108½	109	.....	109
New York Central.	102¾	102⅜	101½	101⅛
Ohio Central.....	1⅝	1¼	1¼	1¼
Ohio & Mississippi.	22⅞	22⅞	21¾	22
do preferred.....	90	90	90	90
Ontario & Western.	17¾	17½	17⅛	16⅝
Oregon Navigation	99½	98¾	.....	97⅛
do improvement.	21	21	.....	21
do Transcontin'l.	29⅜	29¼	28½	28¼
Pacific Mail	54¾	54⅛	53½	53
Panama.....	98	98	98	98
Peoria, D. & E.....	22¾	22½	22	21
Pittsburg.....	150	150	150	150
Pullman Palace Car	133	133	133	133
Reading.....	21⅞	20¾	20½	20¾
Rock Island.....	125	125	125	125
St. L. & San. Fran.	18	18½	18½	18
do preferred.....	40	40	37½	39
do 1sts preferred	99	99½	100	99
C., M. & St. Paul..	87⅛	87½	86¼	86
do preferred.....	118	118½	118½	118
St. Paul, M. & M.	113	113¾	113	112
St. Paul & Omaha.	40⅝	40¼	39⅜	39¼
do preferred.....	102¾	103	101½	101
Texas Pacific.....	10½	10¼	8⅝	7⅝
Union Pacific stock	51¼	51	49¾	49⅝
U. S. Express.....	62½	62	62	61½
Wab., St. L. & Pac.	7⅝	7¼	7	7
do preferred.....	16	15½	15½	15¾
Wells & Fargo Exp.	120	120	121	120
W. U. Telegraph..	64⅛	63⅝	63¼	63⅝
Colorado Coal.....	23½	23½	22	22½
N. Y., C. & St. L..	6	6	6	6
do preferred.....	13	13	13	12

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CHICAGO, April 29.—Transactions in New York exchange to-day were on a very light scale, but at nearly all banks the nominal quotation was 25c discount to par. The loanable supply fund is reported ample for business requirements, with rates 5@6 per cent on demand, and 3@7 per cent on time favors. General business interests rather than board of trade interests comprise the borrowing class. Associated bank clearings were $6,858,000.

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New York Mining Shares.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Mining shares were dull. Sales:

Standard.....	$80	Ontario.....	$29
Bodie.....	1 25	Quicksilver.....	6
Homestake.....	19	do preferred..	20½
Iron Silver.....	1 75	Sutro.....	10

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San Francisco Mining.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—Mining shares closed here to-day as follows:

Bulwer.....	$ 90	Holmes.....	$2 25
Best & Belcher.	95	Mexican.....	35
Bodie Con.....	1 25	Mono.....	2 25
Chollar.....	70	Ophir.....	50
Con. Cal. old Va	1 25	Potosi.....	50
Central Pacific.	35	Savage.....	90
Crown Point...	90	Sierra Nevada....	30
Gould & Curry.	85	Union Con.....	20
Hale & N.....	2 12½		

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Boston Railroad and Mining Shares.

BOSTON, Mass., April 29.—Following were the closing prices at the stock exchange to-day:

A. & T. 1sts 7s..	126	N. Y. & N. E.....	34
Atch. & T. R. R..	84¼	do 7's.....	126
Boston & Albany.	190	Old Colony.....	165½
C., B. & Q.....	132	Wis. Cent. com..	16
Cin., San. & Cleve.	142	Calumet & H.....	225
Eastern R. R.....	79	Catalpa.....	30
do 6s.....	126	Franklin.....	12¼
F. & P. M.....	20½	Huron.....	3
L. R. & Ft. S.....	36	Pewabic (new)...	3
Mex. Cen. com..	7⅜	Quincy	50
do bond scrip ..	70½	Bell Telephone...	160
do 1st m't'g b'ds	41	Boston Land	6⅞
Water Power....	7⅛		

London Money and Stocks.

LONDON, April 29, 5 p. m.—The following are the quotations of stocks to-day: Consols, 100 15-16 for both money and account.

A. & Gt. Wes. 1sts.	39	Mex. ordinary...	25¾
do 2ds.....	10½	St. Paul common	88½
Canadian Pacific	65⅞	New York Cent..	106¾
Erie.....	24⅝	Pennsylvania....	54¾
do 2ds.....	87¾	Reading.....	10½
Illinois Central..	140½		

Bar silver 46 1-16d per ounce.

The amount of bullion gone into the bank of England on balance to-day is £20,000. The bullion in the bank of England decreased £60,145 during the past week. The proportion of the bank of England reserve to liability, 41 7-16 per cent.

Bank Clearances.

The clearances of six of the leading cities yesterday were as follows:

City.	Exchanges.	Balances.
New York.....	$66,958,920	$4,454,526
Boston.....	12,078,850	1,440,274
	Clearances.	
Philadelphia.....	7,473,076	1,410,077
Baltimore.....	1,705,126	390,695
Chicago.....	6,858,000	.....
St. Louis.....	2,198,356	616,925

LOCAL MARKETS.

St. Paul.

ST. PAUL, April 29, 1886.—Business on the board opened exceedingly dull this morning, and no disposition appeared anywhere to buy. Wheat was very dull and ½c lower. There was very little inquiry for it at any price, and even sample wheat was without any request to amount to anything. Corn was in good demand at an advance of ⅛c. Oats were steady and firm, with a light request. Barley was without change. Rye was in better request and advanced 1c. Millstuffs steady. Hay weak and lower. The call:

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 81½c bid; April, 81½c bid; May, 83c bid; No. 1 Northern, 78c bid; No. 2 Northern, 75c bid.

Corn—No. 2, 33½c bid, 34½c asked; April, 33c bid; May, 34c bid, 35c asked.

Oats—No. 2, mixed, 32c bid, 33c asked; May, 32c bid, 32c asked; No. 2 white, 32½c bid; 33½c asked; No. 3 white, 32c bid.

Barley—57c bid; April, 57c bid; No. 3 extra, 48c bid; No. 3, 40c bid.

Rye—No. 2, 51c bid; April, 51c bid.

Ground Feed—Cedar Rapids, $14 asked; No. 1, $14 bid, $14.85 asked.

Corn Meal—Bolted, $17 asked,

Shorts—$8 asked.

Bran—$8.50 asked.

Hay—Upland, $6.50 bid; wild, $5.50 asked; timothy, $8 bid, $9 asked.

Flax Seed—90c bid.

Timothy Seed—$1.85 asked.

Clover Seed—$6.25 asked.

Potatoes—35c bid, 38c asked.

Eggs—8½c bid, 9½c asked.

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Produce Exchange.

Fruit still continues to command good prices, except apples, which are in a very demoralized condition indeed. As this stock is being overhauled it is found to be in a very bad condition indeed, a very large portion of the fruit being very badly decayed and utterly unmarketable. Oranges and lemons continue in good demand. Live poultry is in fair demand. Butter is without change, the best qualities being in good request, while the lower grades are not much sought after. Cheese steady.

Oranges, Californias—Riversides, selects $3.75@4.25; paper rinds, $4@4.50; Mediterranean sweets, $4@4.50; Washington navals, $5.50@6; budded and seedlings, $3@3.50; St. Michaels sweets, $3.25@3.50.

Foreign Oranges—Valencies, 420 in case, $7; Messinas, 200 to 240 in case, $3.50.

Lemons—California, Eureka and Lisbon, $3.75@4.25. Foreign Lemons—Fancy, $5.50; choice, $5; prime, $4.50.

Grapes—Malaga, $8 per bbl.

Nuts—Pecans, Texas polished, medium to large, 9@12c per ℔; almonds, Terragonas, 17c; California soft shelled, 15c; filberts, Sicily, 9@12c; walnuts, 12@15c; cocoanuts, $6 per 100.

Dates—Persians, 9c; dates in mats, 5c; figs, 14@18c.

Bananas—Yellow, per bunch, $2.50@3.50; red, $1.50@2.50 as to size.

Apples—Choice winter fruit is quoted at $1.50@1.75 for car lots; for nice selected, small lots, $2@2.25; eating or stand appies, $2.50; peddler's stock, 50c@$1.

Live Poultry—6@8c for chickens and 10@12c for turkeys.

Game—Quail, $2.25@2.50; squirrels, $1@1.25 per doz. Mallard ducks, $2@2.25.

Cider—Choice Michigan, 16-gal. kegs, $2.75@3.25 per keg; choice refined, 16-gal. keg, $3@4 per keg; choice refined, 32-gal. barrels, $5.50@6.50 per bbl; Ohio cider, $4 for ½ bbls, $7 for full bbls.

Butter—Extra choice, fresh creamery, 30c; extra creamery, 23c bid, 25c asked; extra firsts, 18c bid. 20c asked; fresh made, sweet dairy, 15 to 19c; choice stock, 15 to 16c; roll and print, choice, 10@12½c; common to fair, 5@8c; packing stock, 4@5c; grease, 2@3c. Most of the butter coming in is of the lower grades.

Cheese—Young Americas and fancy, 11@12c; October and late made full cream, 9½@10c; August and September full cream, 8½@9½c.

Onions, per bbl, $2.75 to $3; new Bermuda onions, $3.25@3.50 per bu.

Potatoes—Sweet potatoes, Muscatines, $3 to $3.50 per bbl; Jerseys, $4@5 per bbl; Bermuda, $3.50.

Oysters—Select, 40c per can; New York counts, 45c per can.

New Minnesota Maple Sugar, 12@13c; Eastern, 10@11c

Strawberries—50c per quart.

Green stuff—Bunches onions, 15 to 20c per doz; lettuce, 25 to