DO YOU WANT A HOUSE? DO YOU WANT A ROOM? -:- ALL WANTS ARE SUPPLIED! -:- DO YOU WANT TO SELL? DO YOU WANT TO BUY?

WHEAT CLOSED LOW.

Denials of Crop Damage and Heavy Selling by Gotham the Cause.

Corn and Oats Follow Wheat Down Out of Sympathy.

Provisions Start Strong and Close With Advances for All Products.

Realizing Sales and Bear Attacks Force a Decline in Stocks.

CHICAGO, April 6.—The wheat, corn and oats market closed weak after many changes. Provisions started strong, and so continued to the end. Rye awakened at last to the fact that weather which had killed wheat was not unlikely to have injured rye, and it accordingly had a rise of 2c per bu. The clique houses bought a good deal of wheat at the opening, and were credited with free selling later on a bulge. Compared with last night wheat is 3c off for May and 5c for July. Corn is down 1c, and oats 3c. Pork shows an advance of 6 c; lard, 42½c, and ribs, 20c.

In addition to what was considered a disappointment by the bulls in the status of the Kansas crop, there was also a report that an early rain was probable in Kansas and Missouri, which would relieve the situation and give the crop a big start. New York had big selling orders here and the local crowd got quite bearish, with Geddes, Lamson, Weare, Norton and Worthington all selling freely. For a time the market found little support from any quarter, but it soon underwent a sudden change. Cudahy's brokers began to pick up the wheat, and it was estimated that they secured fully 1,500,000 bu in short order. This alarmed the bears, and the Cincinnati Price-Current's report coming in, reporting that the crop damage was greater than previously indicated, created quite a boom—more especially in July. May wheat is fast losing its interest and the trade is now centering in July. At one time today the premium on May was only 2½c. July opened ⅜@⅝c lower, declined ¼c more, then advanced irregularly 1⅛@1¼c above inside prices, became weak and declined 1⅛c, closing steady at the lowest figures of the day. The late decline was due to heavy selling by Beaman and Hard realizing by early buyers. Renewed attention was given to the possibility of rain in the West.

The corn market was inclined to sell lower, but any material decline was prevented more than once by the bullishness which prevailed for some time in the wheat market in the latter half of the session. The trading was moderately active and was largely confined to local dealers. Last prices were the lowest.

Oats followed suit with wheat and corn, and were quite a little lower. The greater part of the business was done by longs realizing on their transactions yesterday. McIntyre, Wardell & Co. were the principal buyers. News continued to arrive of the wheat fields being plowed up and oats sown in place of it.

The provision market was remarkably strong on buying by the heavy local dealers, particularly Cudahy and Armour, and following their example the scalpers' orders from outside were scarce and the firmness which prevailed was unaccompanied by much activity except for about fifteen minutes at the opening and again at the close.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 180 cars; corn, 110 cars; oats, 110 cars; hogs, 12,000.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—				
April	77	77½	76¾	77⅜
May	78¾@79	79½	78¾	79¼
July	75⅝@¾	76⅝	75⅜@½	75½
Corn, No. 2—				
April	43⅜	43⅜	40	40⅛@¼
May	41½@⅝	41⅝	41⅛	41¼@⅜
July	42¾	42⅞	42⅜@½	42⅝
Oats, No. 2—				
May	30½	30½	29¾	29⅞
June	30⅜@½	30½	30⅛	30¼
July	30	30	29½	29½
Mess Pork—				
May	16 45	16 85	16 42½	16 77½
July	16 60	16 90	16 55	16 87½
September	16 65	17 02½	16 65	17 00
Lard—				
May	9 80	10 10	9 75	10 10
July	9 85	10 15	9 80	10 12½
September	9 92½	10 27½	9 90	10 25
Short Ribs—				
May	9 30	9 42½	9 25	9 35
July	9 15	9 37½	9 15	9 32½
September	9 15	9 25	9 15	9 20

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour dull, unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 spring, 75¾@77c; No. 3 spring, nothern, 71c; No. 3 red, 76¼@77c. Corn—No. 2, 40¾c. Oats—No. 2, 29⅜@⅝c; No. 2 white, f. o. b., 31c; No. 3, white, 34½c. Rye—No. 2, 51c. Barley—No. 2, 62c; No. 3, f. o. b., 43@56c; No. 4, f. o. b., 50@48c. Flaxseed—No. 1, $1.12. Timothy seed—Prime, $4.50. Mess Pork—Per bbl, $16.75@16.78½. Lard—Per 100 lbs, $10.05. Ribs—Short sides (loose), $9.37½@9.35; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $9.25@9.37½; short clear sides (boxed), $9.75@9.80. Whisky—Distillers' finished goods, per gal, $1.15. Sugar—Cut loaf, unchanged. Corn—No. 3, 38c. Receipts—Flour, 9,000 bbls; wheat, 140,000 bu; corn, 108,000 bu; oats, 131,000 bu; rye, 1,000 bu; barley, 17,000 bu. Shipments—Flour 11,000 bbls; wheat, 17,000 bu; corn, 40,000 bu; oats, 185,000 bu; rye, 4,000 bu; barley, 38,000 bu. On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 21@30c; dairy, 22@27c. Eggs firm; strictly fresh, 14@14½c.

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Duluth Wheat.

Special to the Globe.

DULUTH, April 6.—Wheat opened here this morning quite weak, being 8c below yesterday's close. The market was fairly active, with advancing tendencies, and at noon May had advanced 8c above the opening figures, and July had advanced ¾@⅞c higher. The trading was active and about equally divided between the two futures, while cash was dull, being held firm at advancing figures. Foreign cables reported firm, while at Chicago the bulls were working the reported crop damage with good effect. The scene is now changed from Illinois to Kansas.

The postings showed the following: Total cars inspected, 42; receipts of wheat, 45,887 bu; cars on track, wheat, 44.

The afternoon was dull and easier, July showing quite a falling off. The falling off from the top prices was ½@⅝c. The close was dull at ½c off from yesterday all round, except for rejected, which was unchanged. The close:

Cash, No. 1 hard, 66¾c; No. 1 northern 64¼c; No. 2 northern, 58⅝c; No. 3, 52¾c; rejected, 46c; April, No. 1 hard, 66¾c; No. 1 northern, 64½c; May, No. 1 hard, 70½c; No. 1 northern, 67⅝c bid; July, No. 1 hard, 72⅝c; No. 1 northern, 70⅝c bid; on track, No. 1 northern, 66½c; No. 2 northern, 62c.

Milwaukee Grain.

MILWAUKEE, April 6.—Flour quiet. Wheat steady; July, 68⅝c; No. 2, spring, 66c; No. 1 northern, 71@72c. Corn firm; No. 3, 40c. Oats steady; No. 2 white, 33½@34c; No. 3 white, 31⅝@33c. Barley quiet; No. 2, in store, 63c; sample, 4 @66 c. Rye higher; No. 1 in store, 55@56c. Provisions steady. Pork —$16.65. Lard—$9.95.

St. Louis Quotations.

ST. LOUIS, April 6.—Flour firm at yesterday's advances. Wheat was hammered by the bears from the start, closing ¾@1⅛c off; No. 2 red, cash, higher at 68c; April, 67½c; May, 68⅝@69c, closing at 68⅝c; July, 71⅝@72⅝c, closing at 71¾c; August, 72½c. Corn, affected by wheat, closed ¼c off; No. 2 mixed, cash, higher at 36⅝c; April, 36½c; May, 37⅝c; July, 39c. Oats firm but dull; No. 2, cash, 31⅝c; May, 31¾c. Rye lower; No. 2, 51c. Barley—No trade. Flaxseed lower at $1.10. Clover and timothy unchanged.

Kansas City Grain.

KANSAS CITY, April 6.—Wheat in poor demand; soft one cent higher; No. 2 red, 68@68½c; No. 2 hard, 62@63½c. Corn weak, steady; No. 2 mixed, 33½@34c; No. 2 white, 35½c. Oats—Fair demand at yesterday's prices; No. 2 mixed, 28@28¾c; No. 2 white, 31@31½c.

New York Produce.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Flour—Receipts, 27,161 pkgs; exports, 1,980 bbls, 20,422 sacks; sales, 17,320 bbls; market quiet, steady. Cornmeal dull, steady; yellow Western, $2.6.@2.75.

Rye—Dull, steady; Western, 58@62c. Barley dull, firm; Western, 6.@75c. Barley malt steady, quiet; Western, 6.@90.

Wheat—Receipts, 1,100 bu; exports, 224,507 bu; sales, 8,450,000 bu futures, 57,000 bu spot; spot market moderately active, lower, with options closing firm; No. 2 red, store and elevator, 76½c; afloat, 78c; f. o. b., 77⅝@78⅜c; No. 1 northern, 83¼c; No. 1 hard, 84¼@87c; No. 2 northern, 81¾c; options were again active, excited and irregular; the opening was heavy, and prices declined 1⅜c on the Kansas state report, showing 74 per cent, raising ¼c on the reports showing only 60 per cent and 14 per cent winter killed, further advanced ⅜@¾c on higher cables, lighter receipts expected, declined on weak and local unloading, closing steady at ⅛c under yesterday; No. 2 red, May, 77⅝@78 7-16c, closing at 77¾c; June, 78⅝@79¼c, closing at 78¾c; July, 79¼@80⅛c, closing at 79⅝c; August, 80c; September, 80⅝@81½c, closing at 80⅞c; December, 83⅝@84½c, closing at 83¾c.

Corn—Receipts, 19,200 bu; exports, 9,227 bu; sales, 650,000 bu futures, 66,000 bu spot; spots firm, quiet; No. 2, 51@51½c elevator, 52½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 48½@50½c; steamer mixed, 49¾@50c; No. 3, 49c; options declined early ⅜c, advanced ¼c and fell ¼c as following wheat and the West, closing dull but firm at ¼@⅛c under yesterday; May, 48⅛@48⅜c, closing at 48¼c; June, 48⅛@48⅜c, closing at 48⅛c; July, 48⅝@48⅞c, closing at 48⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 68,150 bu; exports, 14,000 bu; sales, 230,000 bu futures, 131,000 bu spot; spots fairly active, easier; May, 33@33⅛c, closing at 33c; July, 33½@33¾c, closing at 33½c; spot No. 2 white, 33½@40c; No. 2 Chicago, 36c; No. 3, 33½c; No. 3 white, 38½@38¾c; mixed Western, 36@38½c; white Western, 3 @40c.

Hay—Fair demand, firm.

Hops—Dull, firm.

Hides—Dull, easy.

Cut Meats—Dull, easy; pickled shoulders, 8½c; pickled hams, 1.@12½c; middles quiet, firm; short clear, 10c. Lard quiet, firmer; Western steam closed at $10.20; sales, 250 tres, at $10.23; option sales, 250 tres; April, $10.15, nominal; May, $10.17 asked; July, $10.35; September, $10.15, closing at $10.30. Pork firmer, quiet, old mess, $17.75; new mess, $18.25.

Butter—Moderate demand; about steady. Cheese, fair demand, steady. Eggs firm, fair demand; receipts, 8,383 pkgs.

Tallow quiet, steadier; city ($ per package), 5⅜c. Cottonseed oil dull, firmer; crude, 42c bid; yellow, 46@47c. Petroleum quiet; refined, nominal; United closed at 6⅝c. Rosin quiet, steady. Turpentine dull, weak; 32½@33½c.

Rice—Fairly active, firm. Molasses—New Orleans open kettle, good to choice, firm, fair demand. Coffee — Options opened steady, 5 points down to 10 points up, closing weak at 10@25 points decline; sales, 21,500 bags, including: April, 16.05@16.10c; May, 15.80@16c; June, 15.80c; July, 15.60@15.75c; August, 15.50@15.75c; September, 15.6.@15.50c; October, 15.50c; December, 15.30@15.50c; spot Rio dull, nominal; No. 7, 16⅝c. Sugar—Raw firm, fair demand; fair refining, 3¼c; centrifugals, 96-test, 3⅜c; sales, 650 tons muscovado at breakwater, 80-test, at 3⅛c, and two cargoes centrifugals, 96-test, at 3¾c; refined active, firm.

Pig Iron—Quiet, steady; American, $12.75@15.50. Copper weak; lake, $11.40. Lead strong; domestic, $4.10. Tin quiet; straits, $20.50 bid, $20.60 asked; plates quiet, steady. Spelter steady; domestic, $4.30.

FINANCIAL.

New York.

NEW YORK, April 6.—There was a lull in speculation at the stock exchange today. The market was not weak at any time, but under sales to realize profits by the bulls and a renewal of the bear attacks prices reacted at intervals. The commission houses received liberal buying orders for local and out-of-town account early in the day, and prices advanced ¼@1¼ per cent. The Eastern and Western trunk line shares, New England, Cordage and Louisville & Nashville were especially strong. Subsequently there was a decline of 1½ in Sugar to 105½ and a reaction of ¼@1¼ in the remainder of the list on the talk of heavy gold exports and the passage of the maximum freight bill by the Nebraska legislature. Prior to the setback the quotations attained were the highest for some time, Rock Island having reached 85, Northwestern 115¼, St. Paul 79, Burlington & Quincy 98, Atchison 35⅝, New England 35¾ and Missouri Pacific 52½. The strength in the list named continued to attract attention, for the reason that it is indicative of a more bullish spirit among the Gould contingent. It subsequently transpired that the gold shipments on Saturday will fall away below the estimates. Most of the bankers who have shipped heretofore state that they will not forward any gold by Saturday's steamers. Lazard Freres, it is announced, will ship $500,000. This caused a fractional recovery in the late dealings, and a rise in Manhattan from 164 to 167 tended to make the market close steady in tone.

The Post says: "Much of yesterday's enthusiasm was dissipated before today's stock market opened. The buying was of a less responsible character, and some of the steady selling was for the account of yesterday's buyers. This might have been foreseen, and it is not indeed by any means a novelty, even in successful bull movements. Large upward movements usually begin on such a basis, and the confidence of the organizers in the financial future must be such that they will buy for their own account the stocks thrown over by the timid traders and will put them at an advance, but well grounded confidence is positively essential. The professionals may be enthusiastic and the pool may be powerful, but if the outside speculator and investor holds aloof, or, worse still, if he himself sells at the higher range, the bull movement is surely wrecked. And there are very few intelligent operators who will trust their dollars to buy in the face of currency entanglements."

The Total Sales of Stocks

today were 283,600 shares, including:

Atchison	35⅝	Northern Pacific	17¼
Adams Express	155	do pfd	43⅝
Alton & Terre H.	32	U. P. D. & Gulf	15¼
do pfd	150	Northwestern	114¼
American Ex	116	do pfd	143
Baltimore & O	90	N. Y. Central	108¼
Canada Pacific	84½	N. Y. & N. Eng	33⅛
Can. Southern	57	Ont. & Western	17¾
Central Pacific	27	Oregon Imp	18
Ches. & Ohio	23¼	Oregon Nav	77
Chicago & Alton	143	Or. S. L. & U. Nav.	19
C., B. & Q.	96¾	Pacific Mail	25
Chicago Gas	92⅛	P., D. & E.	14
Consol. Gas	130½	Pittsburg	155
C., C., C. & St. L.	52½	Pullman P. Car	197
Cotton Oil cert's.	40	Reading	24¼
Del. & Hudson	131½	Richmond Ter.	9¼
Del., L. & W	145	do pfd	34
D. & G. R. pfd	56⅛	Rio G. Western	22½
Distillers & C. P.	32⅛	do pfd	69
East Tennessee	5½	Rock Island	84¼
Erie	24¼	St. Paul	78⅝
do pfd	46	do pfd	121¾
Fort Wayne	152	St. Paul & Omaha	54
Great Nor. pfd	138	do pfd	119
Chi. & E. Ill. pfd.	105	Southern Pacific	32
Hocking Valley	23¾	Sugar Refinery	105½
Illinois Central	102	Tenn. C. & I.	26½
St. Paul & Duluth	43	Texas Pacific	9¼
Kan. & Tex. pfd.	26⅜	Tol. & O. Cen. pfd	77
Lake Erie & W.	23½	Union Pacific	37¾
do pfd	89	U. S. Express	63½
Lake Shore	131⅛	W., St. L. & P pfd	11
Lead Trust	42¾	do pfd	23⅛
Louisville & N.	75⅛	Wells-Fargo Ex.	145
Louisville & N.A.	23	Western Union	93½
Manhattan Con.	166½	Wheeling & L. E.	18
Memphis & Char.	40	do pfd	57⅜
Mich. Central	107	Mpls & St. L.	15½
Missouri Pacific	52⅛	D. & R. G.	16⅜
Mobile & Ohio	25¼	Gen. Electric	107
Nash. Chatt	88	Nat'l Linseed	35½
Nat. Cordage	6¾	Col. Coal & Iron	68⅞
do pfd	109¾	do pfd	103
N. J. Central	132	Houston & T. C.	4
Norfolk & W. pfd	32⅜	Tol. A. A. & N. M.	39½
North Amer. Co.	11⅛		

Government and State Bonds

Government bonds steady. State bonds dull.

U.S. 4s reg	113	St. L. & I.M.G.5s	85¼
do 4s coup	113	St L.& S. F. G.M.	108
do 4½s reg	109½	St. Paul consols	128½
Pacific 6s of '95	105	L.P.C.& P.1sts.	117
La. stamped 4s	94½	T. P. L. G. Tr. R.	78
Missouri 6s	101½	T. P. R. G. Tr. R.	26½
Tenn. new set. 6s.	101⅛	Union Pac. 1sts	106
do 5s	101	West Shore	101¾
do 3s	75⅜	R. & G. W. 1sts	77
Canada So. 2ds	102	Atchison 4s	82¾
Cen. Pacific 1sts	106	do 2½ class a	53⅞
D. & R. G. 1st	118¾	G. H. & S. A. 5s	107
do 4s	87¼	do 2d 5s	104
Erie 2ds	97¾	H. & T. C. 5s	105½
M. K. & T. Gen 6s.	82¾	do con. 6s	102
do 5s	67⅜	N. Carolina 6s	122
Mut. Union 6s	109	do do 4s	99
N. J. C. Int. cert.	111¼	S. C. Brown con.	97
N. Pacific 1sts	117½	Tenn. old 6s	62
N. Pacific 2ds	112	Virginia 6s	50
N. W. consols	137⅜	do ex mat. con	35
do deb. 5s	110	do consols 2d s	5

New York Mining Stocks—West.

Crown Point	$0 45	Plymouth	$0 85
Con. Cal. & Va	2 10	Sierra Nevada	90
Deadwood	1 30	Standard	1 30
Gould & Curry	60	Union Con.	90
Hale & Norcross	85	Yellow Jacket	60
Homestake	13 00	Ironsilver	35
Mexican	1 15	Quicksilver	2 50
Ontario	13 50	do pfd	12 00
Ophir	1 40	Bulwer	15

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	$0 20	Hale & Norcross	$0 95
Belcher	1 05	Mexican	1 35
Best & Belcher	1 40	Mono	20
Bodie Con.	20	Ophir	1 50
Bulwer	30	Potosi	1 45
Common wealth	05	Savage	55
Challar	55	Sierra Nevada	90
Con. Cal. & Va	2 30	Union Con	70
Crown Point	1 00	Utah	05
Gould & Curry	65	Yellow Jacket	65

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Money Markets.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Bank clearings today, $22,195,124. New York exchange, 75c premium; sterling exchange firm; 60-day bill, $4.86¼; demand, $4.88¼; money firm, 6@6½ per cent.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Money on call irregular, ranging from 6 to 3 per cent; last loan 3½; closed offered at 2½. Prime mercantile paper, 6@7 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.86¼@4.86½ for sixty days and $4.87¾@4.88 for demand.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, April 6.—The dry goods market was weak as regards demands at first hands for seasonable goods. Fall articles were doing very well, and large sales have been reached in cotton flannels, dress goods, wool flannels and blankets. There was some initial trade for fall in silks. An important sale was made by H. B. Claflin & Co. in Canton ginghams. Merrimac shirting prices will be reduced to 5c tomorrow.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, April 6.—Wheat firm; demand steady; holders offer moderately. No 2 red winter, 5s 8d per cental. Corn steady; demand moderate. Peas—Canadian, 6s 3½d per central.

Petroleum.

NEW YORK, April 6.—The petroleum market was neglected, only 5,000 barrels changing hands at 69⅝c, which was the only quotation of the day. Pennsylvania Oil—Spot sales none. May option sales, 5,000 bbls. Lima Oil—Sales none; 29½c bid. Total sales, 5,000 bbls.

OIL CITY, April 6.—National Transit certificates opened at 69½c; highest, 69⅝c; lowest, 69¼c; closed, 69½c; sales, 26,000 bbls; clearances, 268,000 bbls; shipments, 50,759 bbls; runs, 78,568 bbls.

PITTSBURG, April 6.—National Transit Certificates opened at 69c; closed at 69½c; highest, 69⅝c; lowest, 69c; sales, 5,000 bbls.

Union Stockyards.

Receipts—Hogs, 81; cattle, 198; calves, 15; no sheep; no horses, 6.

Hogs—10c higher, and active. Quality rather common. Yards clearing early to a packer at the advance. All sold at $6.15@6.35.

Cattle—Steady. Rather a light run, but several bunches of hold overs were in the pens. Only a fair demand for butcher cattle, but prices were fully steady. Feeders firm and active. Good stocks steady and active; scrubs weak.

Quotations: Prime steers, $4.25@4.75; good steers, $4.7.@4.25; prime cows, $3.25@4; good cows, $2.75@3.20; common to fair cows, $1.50@2.50; light veal calves $3.50@4.50; heavy calves, $2@3; stockers, $2@2.90; feeders, $2.50@3.65; bulls, $1.50@3.

Sheep—No receipts, and no trading.

Quotations: Muttons, $4.75@4.90; lambs, $4@5; stockers and feeders, $3@4.50.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; shipments, 4,000; market slow; choice steers, $5.50@5.70; medium, $4.80@5.25; others, $4.50@4.75; Texans, $2.90@4.50; stockers and feeders, $3.10@4.25; fat cows and heifers, $3.25@4.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; shipments, 5,000; market active, 10@20c higher; common and mixed, $6.10@6.75; prime heavy and butchers' weights, $6.80@6.95; prime light, $6.40@6.50; other lights, $6@6.30.

Sheep—Receipts, 9,000; shipments, 1,500; market steady; natives, $4.50@5.85; clipped Texans, $3.90@4.80; Westerns, $5.15@5.75; lambs, $4.7.@6.50.

Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, April 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,700 head; shipments, 2,000 head; the market was active and steady to strong throughout; dressed beef and shipping steers, $3.90@4.65; Texas and Indian steers, $3.6@4; cows and heifers, $2@4.15; stockers and feeders, $3.35@4.32½. Hogs—Receipts, 4,700 head; shipments, 1,400 head; the market was brisk and 10c higher, with occasional sales, 15@20c higher; all grades, $5.50@6.50; bulk, $6.10@6.30.

Sheep — Receipts, 900 head; shipments, none; the demand was strong, and prices 10@25c higher; muttons, $4.50@5.

MINNEAPOLIS MARKETS.

Chamber of Commerce.

The markets were generally firmer for wheat for future months, caused by some disposition to cover shorts in July, and more by the late talk of crop damage. The Kansas state crop report makes the prospect about 74 per cent of a full crop. While that is poor, it is not so bad as some people thought it would be. Cables were said to be improving, so far as the French markets go. French markets were quoted steady and firmer. Receipts were 245 cars and shipments 151. Considerable of these are going to Chicago to go on that deal. Four principal Atlantic ports cleared 351,400 bu wheat and 71,400 pkgs of flour. Wheat ranged as follows:

April, opening, 64½c; highest, 64½c; lowest, 64½c; closing, 64½c; May, opening, 65⅝c; highest, 66@66⅛c; lowest, 65⅝c; closing, 65⅝c; July, opening, 68⅝c; highest, 68⅝c; lowest, 67⅝c; closing, 68c.

On Track—No. 1 hard, 66½c; No. 1 northern, 65c; No. 2 northern, 62@63c.

FLOUR AND COARSE GRAINS.

Flour—Receipts, 1,500 bbls; shipments, 30,155 bbls. Quoted at $3.55@4 for first patents; $3.25@3.65 for second patents; $2.25@2.50 for fancy and export bakers'; $1.10@1.45 for low grades in tags, including red dog. Local millers advise that demand is fair.

Bran and Shorts—Quoted at $9 for bran, $9.50@10 for shorts.

Corn—Receipts, 2,280 bu; shipments, none. Corn is somewhat easier, with but few sales; 36@36½c was paid for No. 3 today and No. 3 yellow. See sales.

Oats—Receipts, 10,670 bu; shipments, 15,000; quoted at 30@30½c for No. 3 white; 30½@31c for No. 3 oats. Demand good. See sales for other grades.

Barley—Receipts, 2,040 bu; shipments, 11,200 bu; quoted at 30@50c for No. 3; really choice, see sales.

Rye—Receipts, none; shipments, 530 bu; No. 2 rye quoted at 44@45c on track.

Flax—The market is based on Chicago markets, less the freight. Flax, $1.12½.

Feed—Millers held at $15@15.50 per ton; less than car lots, $15@16; white cornmeal, $14@14.50; granulated meal, $19.

Hay—Receipts, 74 tons; shipments, none. The market is steady for choice upland at about $7@7.50 for Iowa upland. There is a great deal of poor hay arriving, which has become heated, and, while not without value, sells at such low prices that really choice stock suffers. Seven dollars per ton for choice is perhaps the best that can be obtained.

Some Sample Sales—No. 1 hard, 1 car, 66c; No. 1 northern, 30 cars, 65½c; No. 1 northern, 6 cars, 65c; No. 1 northern, 4 cars, 64½c; No. 1 northern, f. o. b., 1 car, 66c; No. 2 northern, 24 cars, 63c; No. 2 northern, 8 cars, 62c; No. 2 northern, 5 cars, choice, 64c; No. 2 northern, 2 cars, choice, 63½c; No. 2 northern, 1 car, choice, 64¼c; No. 2 northern, 1 car, 61c; No. 2 northern, 4 cars, 62½c; No. 2 northern, 1 car, 61c; No. 2 northern, 5 cars, 63½c.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 27th day of March, A. D. 1893.

JASON W. COOPER.
WILLIAM J. FOOTNER.
DANIEL D. MERRILL.
E. S. WARNER.
JESSE A. GREGG.
EDWARD C. STRINGER.
GEO. H. HAZZARD.
CHAS. SCHUNEMAN.
CHAS. E. MACKEAN.
WILLIAM CANBY.
WILLIAM H. LIGHTNER.
H. KNOX TAYLOR.
T. A. SCHULZE.
WM. A. VAN SLYKE.
WILLIAM BICKEL.

In the presence of—
EDWARD H. OZMUN,
E. L. DANFORTH,
G. W. LEWIS.
E. A. BAKER.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
COUNTY OF RAMSEY, }

Be it known that on this 27th day of March, A. D. 1893, personally appeared before me Jason W. Cooper, Charles Schuneman, H. Knox Taylor, William Canby, William H. Lightner, William Bickel, W. J. Footner, E. S. Warner, Wm. A. Van Slyke, Charles E. MacKean, Theo. A. Schulze, Daniel D. Merrill, Jesse A. Gregg, Geo. H. Hazzard and Edward C. Stringer, to me known to be the persons executing the foregoing articles of incorporation, and they acknowledged that they executed the same freely and voluntarily, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

[Seal.] G. WINTHROP LEWIS,
Notary Public, Ramsey County, Minnesota.

Building Permits.

The following building permits were issued yesterday:

E W Hilliard, 2-story frame dwelling, Carrol street, between Fry and Pierce streets	$1,500
Emil Bostrom, 2-story frame dwelling, Holly avenue, between Victoria and Avon streets	4,000
Eight minor permits	1,700
Total, 10 permits	$7,200

Health Is Wealth.

DR. E. C. WEST'S NERVE AND BRAIN TREATMENT, a guaranteed specific for Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Fits, Nervous Neuralgia, Headache, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of alcohol or tobacco, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Softening of the Brain resulting in insanity and leading to misery, decay and death, Premature Old Age, Barrenness, Loss of Power in either sex, Involuntary Losses and Spermatorrhœa, caused by overexertion of the brain, self-abuse or overindulgence. Each box contains one month's treatment. $1 a box, or six boxes for $5, sent by mail prepaid. We guarantee six boxes to cure any case. With each order for six boxes, accompanied with $5, we send the purchaser our written guarantee to refund the money if it does not effect a cure. Guarantees issued only by W. K. Collier, successor to Hippler & Collier, druggists, Seventh and Sibley sts., St. Paul, Minn.

WANTED TO BUY.

CASH PAID for horses, harness, wagons, buggies, etc. 61 West Fillmore st., West St. Paul.

BOARD WANTED.

BOARD wanted by two young ladies in a private boarding house; central location. Address C 57, Globe.

Standard Life and Accident INSURANCE COMPANY.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE, - DETROIT, MICH.

(Organized in 1884.)

D. M. Ferry ..... President
Stewart Marks ..... Secretary
Attorney to accept service in Minnesota, Lyster Hayward, St. Paul.

CASH CAPITAL, $200,000.

I. ASSETS.	
Loans secured by mortgages on real estate	$302,391 23
Interest due on said mortgage loans	6,241 82
Market value of bonds and stocks	148,000 00
Loans secured by bonds and stocks as collateral	10,000 00
Cash on hand and in bank	51,660 10
Premiums in course of collection	153,739 98
All other assets	612 50
Total admitted assets	$672,645 63
Assets not admitted	$6,669 21
II. LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid up	$200,000 00
Unpaid losses	37,892 02
Reserve for reinsurance, ordinary policies	350,236 68
Other liabilities	39,972 39
Total liabilities, including capital	$628,101 09
Net surplus	$44,544 54
III. INCOME IN 1892.	
Net cash actually received for premiums	$765,910 93
Received from interest and dividends	18,455 68
Total income	$784,366 61
Excess of income over expenditures	$56,816 15
IV. DISBURSEMENTS IN 1892.	
Net amount paid for losses	$361,413 69
Commissions and brokerage	200,104 72
Salaries of officers and employes	96,027 03
Taxes	17,825 42
All other disbursements	52,179 69
Total disbursements	$727,550 46
V. MISCELLANEOUS.	
Fire risks written in 1892	$107,449,446 00
Premiums received thereon	914,442 12
Total risks in force Dec. 31, 1892	$87,475,696 00
Total premiums received from commencement to date	$3,354,130 28
Total losses paid from commencement to date	1,571,258 00
Excess of premiums over losses	$1,782,872 28
BUSINESS IN MINNESOTA IN 1892. ACCIDENT.	
Risks written	$4,088,950 00
Premiums received	31,245 71
Losses paid—accident	18,555 84
Losses incurred—accident	18,555 84

STATE OF MINNESOTA, DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE, ST. PAUL, April 4, 1893. }

I, the undersigned Insurance Commissioner of the State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the Standard Life and Accident Insurance Company, above named, has complied with the laws of this State relating to insurance, and is now fully empowered, through its authorized agents, to transact its appropriate business of Accident Insurance in this state for the year ending January 31st, 1894.

C. H. SMITH,
Insurance Commissioner.

L. HAYWARD, N. W. R. R. Manager, Germania Life Building.
NEELY & NEELY, State Agents, 25 Fire and Marine Building, St. Paul, Minn.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF the Saint Paul Auditorium Company—Know all men by these presents that we, the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the provisions of title two (2) of chapter thirty-four (34) of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota for the year 1878, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and for that purpose do hereby adopt and sign these articles of incorporation, to wit:

First—The name of said corporation shall be Saint Paul Auditorium Company. The general nature of the business of the said corporation shall be to lease, buy, construct, own and operate a public hall or auditorium, and to let, mortgage, sell or otherwise use or dispose of said public hall or auditorium.

The principal place of transacting business of the said corporation shall be in the City of St. Paul, in the State of Minnesota.

Second—The time of commencement of said corporation shall be the first (1st) day of April, A. D. 1893, and the period of continuance shall be ten (10) years.

Third—The amount of capital stock of said corporation shall be fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000), and the same shall be paid in as called for by the Board of Directors. Said corporation shall commence business when eight thousand dollars ($8,000) of said stock shall be subscribed or taken.

Fourth—The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which said corporation shall at any time be subject is the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

Fifth—The names and places of residence of the persons forming this association for incorporation are as follows:

Jason W. Cooper, Charles Schuneman, H. Knox Taylor, William Canby, Wm. H. Lightner, William Bickel, W. J. Footner, E. S. Warner, Wm. A. Van Slyke, Charles E. MacKean, Theo. A. Schulze, Daniel D. Merrill, Jesse A. Gregg, Geo. H. Hazzard and Edward C. Stringer, to me known to be the persons executing the foregoing articles of incorporation, and they acknowledged that they executed the same freely and voluntarily, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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Notary Public, Ramsey County, Minnesota.

SITUATIONS OFFERED

Males.

BARTENDER—Wanted, young man to tend bar; state wages wanted with board. Address B 57, Globe.

BARBERS—Two barbers wanted immediately; must be first-class. Roy's Palace Baths, West Superior, Wis.

BARBER wanted; steady job year round for a good man. Address Barber, North Branch, Minn.

BARBERS—Two good barbers, steady work, at 86 East Seventh st.

COATMAKER—Wanted, a first-class coatmaker, also a first-class pantsmaker, at Provan's, No. 23 Washington av. south, Minneapolis, second floor.

COACHMAN—Wanted, a good coachman; references required. Apply to H. H. Galusha, 68 Germania Life Building.

COPPERSMITHS — Wanted, coppersmiths; steady work; good pay. American Copper, Brass and Iron Works, Chicago, Ill.

CAB DRIVER at 283 Sibley st.

CANVASSERS—Good men to canvass for St. Paul and Minneapolis $4 to $8 per day; look this up. No. 523½ Wabasha st., St. Paul. Room 26, from 8 to 11 a. m.

CANVASSERS wanted; two good hustlers.