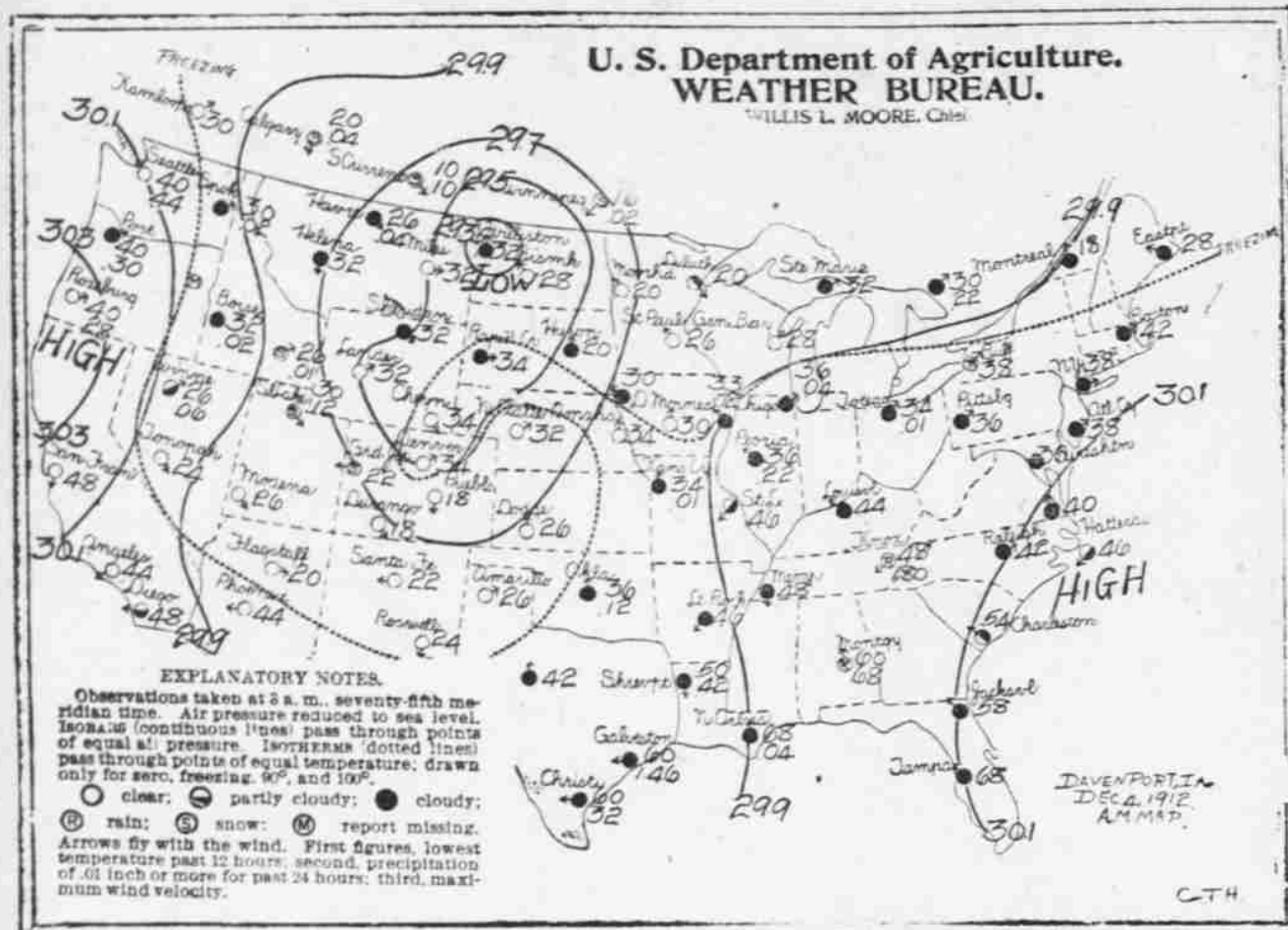


## Daily United States Weather Map



## FORECAST FOR ROCK ISLAND, DAVENPORT, MOLINE AND VICINITY.

Unsettled weather with probably rain tonight or Thursday, warmer tonight with the lowest temperature above freezing, colder Thursday.

## WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The northwestern storm center has advanced to western North Dakota and the attendant rain or snow has fallen on the north Pacific coast, in the northern Rocky mountain states and the Canadian northwest and the territory from the Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys and Texas to the Alleghany mountains. At Knoxville, Tenn., the rainfall to 7 a. m. was 1.88 inches, and at Galveston, Texas, 1.46 inches. High temperatures prevail east of the Rockies and south of the Canadian border, but colder weather in the Canadian northwest and on the north Pacific slope is accompanying a high that

is central over western Oregon. Owing to the eastward movement of these conditions, unsettled weather is indicated for this vicinity, with rain tonight or Thursday and warmer tonight, followed by colder Thursday.

## OBSERVATIONS.

	High.	Low.	Prep.
Atlantic City	50	38	.00
Boston	50	42	.00
Buffalo	40	38	.00
Rock Island	41	33	.02
Denver	54	34	.00
Jacksonville	74	58	.00
Kansas City	44	34	.01
New Orleans	72	68	.04

New York	52	38	.00
Norfolk	52	40	.00
Phoenix	64	44	.00
St. Louis	52	46	.00
St. Paul	42	26	.00
San Diego	64	48	.00
San Francisco	56	48	.00
Seattle	50	40	.44
Washington, D. C.	54	36	.00
Winnipeg	42	16	.02
Yellowstone Park	20	.08	

## RIVER FORECAST.

Only slight changes in the Mississippi will occur from below Dubuque to Muscatine.

J. M. SHERIER, Local Forecaster.

## Today's Market Quotations

(By wire from E. W. Wagner & Co., Grain, Provisions, Stocks and Cotton, Local offices at Rock Island house, Rock Island, Ill. Chicago office, 38-99-100, Board of Trade, Local telephone No. west 330.)

## BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS.

**Wheat.**  
December, 84½, 84½, 84½, 84½.  
May, 90½, 90½, 90½, 90½.  
July, 87½, 87½, 87½, 87½.

**Corn.**  
December, 48½, 49½, 48½, 49½.  
May, 48½, 48½, 48½, 48½.  
July, 49½, 49½, 49½, 49½.

**Oats.**  
December, 31½, 31½, 31½, 31½.  
May, 32½, 32½, 32½, 32½.  
July, 32½, 32½, 32½, 32½.

**Pork.**  
January, 19.25, 19.35, 19.24, 19.27.  
May, 18.57, 18.67, 18.57, 18.65.

**Lard.**  
January, 10.55, 10.62, 10.62, 10.57.  
May, 10.15, 10.22, 10.15, 10.17.

**Ribs.**  
January, 10.17, 10.25, 10.17, 10.22.  
May, 9.87, 9.95, 9.87, 9.90.

**THE GRAIN MARKET.**  
**Chicago Cash Grain.**  
Wheat—No. 2, r. 1.00@1.03; No. 3, r. 86¢@98¢; No. 2, h. 86¢@87¢; No. 3, h. 84¢@86¢; No. 1, ns. 86¢@87¢; No. 2, ns. 84¢@86¢; No. 3, ns. 81¢@83¢; No. 2, spr. 84¢@85¢; No. 3, spr. 81¢@83¢; No. 4, spr. 74¢@78¢.

**Old Corn—No. 3, 46¢@47¢; No. 3, v. 47¢@48¢; No. 3, y. 46¢@47¢; No. 4, 44¢@45¢; No. 4, w. 45¢@46¢; No. 4, y. 45¢@46¢.**

**Oats—No. 2, w. 34¢@35¢; No. 3, w. 22¢@23¢; No. 4, w. 31¢@32¢; standard, 23¢@24¢.**

**Liverpool Cables.**  
Wheat opened unchanged; closed 1-8 to 1-2 up.  
Corn opened unchanged; closed 1-8 to 1-4 off.

**Chicago Receipts.**  
Today, Contract  
Wheat 30 8  
Corn 424 2  
Oats 147 18

**Northwest Cars.**  
To Last Last  
day, week, year.  
Minneapolis 613 593 487  
Duluth 386 298 59  
Winnipeg 622 725 661

**Chicago Estimates Tomorrow.**  
Wheat 30 8  
Corn 165

**Primary Movement.**  
Receipt, Shipments  
Wheat today 1,471,000 965,000  
Year ago 776,000 217,000  
Corn today 725,000 345,000  
Year ago 978,000 373,000

**LIVE STOCK MARKET.**  
**Opening of Market.**  
Hogs 37,000; slow; left over 7,972.  
Light 7.25@7.70, mixed 7.30@7.75, heavy 7.25@7.75, rough 7.25@7.45.  
Cattle 18,000; 10c to 20c off.  
Sheep 30,000; steady.

**Nine O'clock Market.**  
Hogs 5c lower. Light 7.20@7.60, bulk 7.50@7.65, mixed 7.25@7.65, plus 5.25@7.15, heavy 7.25@7.67½, good 7.45@7.67½, rough 7.25@7.45, Yorkers 7.55@7.60.

**Cattle slow; 10c to 20c off. Beeves 5.60@10.90, stockers 4.35@7.65, Texans 4.40@5.65, cows 2.70@7.45, westerns 5.40@9.00, calves 6.50@10.25.**

**Sheep strong. Natives 3.65@4.65, lambs 5.75@7.65, westerns 3.90@4.60, lambs 5.75@7.60.**

**Close of Market.**  
Hogs active to 5c lower. Light 7.20@7.65, bulk 7.50@7.65, mixed 7.25@7.65, plus 5.25@7.15, heavy 7.25@7.70, rough 7.25@7.45.  
Cattle weak; top 10.90.  
Sheep strong; top 4.45.  
Lambs strong; top 7.65.

**Western Live Stock.**  
Hogs, Cattle, Sheep  
Kansas City 15,000 7,900 8,900  
Omaha 12,000 3,900 12,900

**Estimated Chicago Tomorrow.**  
Hogs, Cattle, Sheep  
Chicago 31,000 7,900 22,900

**NEW YORK STOCKS.**  
New York, Dec. 4.—Following are the quotations on the market today:  
Gas 141½  
Union Pacific 169½  
U. S. Steel preferred 110  
Reading 171½  
Rock Island preferred 46  
Rock Island common 24½  
Northern 137½  
Southern Pacific 108½  
New York Central 113½  
Missouri Pacific 136½  
Great Northern 136½  
Northern Pacific 123  
Louisville & Nashville 145½  
Smelters 74½  
Colorado Fuel & Iron 34  
Canadian Pacific 265

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Illinois Central 120½  
Pennsylvania 122½  
Erie 38  
Lead 57½  
Cheesapeake & Ohio 81  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 91  
Baltimore & Ohio 105½  
Atchafalaya 106½  
Locomotive 44  
Sugar 118½  
Copper 82½  
Berkshire Valley 173½  
Republic Steel common 26½

**LOCAL MARKET CONDITIONS.**  
Dec. 4.—Following are the wholesale quotations on the local market today:

Butter, creamery, 35c.  
Dairy Butter, 30c.  
Lard, 12½c per pound.  
Fresh eggs, 33c.  
Storage eggs, 25c.  
Potatoes, 50c.  
Cabbage, 3½c head.  
Onions, 65c per bushel.

**Feed and Fuel.**  
Forage—Timothy hay, 35c.  
Wheat, 90c.  
Wild hay, \$14 to \$15.  
Oats, 33c to 34c.  
Straw, \$8 to \$9.  
Corn, new, 40c to 45c.  
Old cows, 65c.  
Coal—Lump, per ton, 2.75; slack, steady.

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but we very much question if anything has been worked out as yet.

It is said that the steel corporation profits for November are probably about \$12,000,000.

On the basis of a rather more extended short interest last night, the bulls seem to have renewed confidence in their position. Our opinion is that if there is any balance of the argument for the time being, it rests with the adverse view.

**BOLD BURGLARS WORK AT MILAN DURING THE NIGHT**

Jewelry Store and Hardware Establishment Broken Into and Plundered.

**DIAL ON SAFE SMASHED**

Thieves Believed to Have Made Escape in Rig and Authorities Are Trailing.

A series of robberies culminating last night or early this morning in the burglarizing of a jewelry store and a hardware establishment in Milan, gives reason to believe that a regularly organized band of plunderers has been busy here for a week or more past. Several men, armed with shot guns were seen riding south from Milan in a buggy this morning and efforts are being made to trace them in the belief that they are the robbers.

The last of the burglaries to be reported was that of the W. F. Nichols jewelry store in Milan. The entire stock of the little shop excepting a few stick pins, was cleaned out, the total loss being between \$300 and \$500. Entrance was gained with a pass or skeleton key and the door was left open after the job was done.

**HARDWARE STORE ENTERED.**  
Burglars entered the hardware store of Rathbun Brothers of Milan some time last night, getting away with three shot guns, a Marlin repeating rifle, and a safety razor. Their attempts to secure money were unsuccessful. An entrance was effected by means of the front door. The men used a brace and bit to cut out the lock, but after half completing this work found it too slow and broke the glass. The cash register was thrown to the floor and smashed with an axe, but on finding no money there the men knocked the dial off the safe, after a futile attempt to solve the combination. They then made good their escape.

**ANOTHER ATTEMPT.**  
About 1 o'clock Tuesday morning, a lone burglar effected an entrance to the McCullum saloon, but was interrupted in his work, when the family, who have quarters at the rear of the saloon, were aroused. A terrific battle ensued, in which the youth was felled by a terrific blow upon the head, delivered with the butt end of a revolver. The man made his escape. He had pried open a side window and had just begun his work when both father and son entered the room. The man leaped out of the window, closely followed by the son, and the battle occurred in a woodshed at the rear of the establishment.

**ROBBERIES IN CITY.**  
It is supposed that the same gang of plunderers was implicated in the robbery of the Franks residence in this city Sunday afternoon, at which time jewelry in the amount of \$500 or thereabouts was stolen. It may be too that the robbers perpetrated the ice box thefts which occurred just after Thanksgiving in the east part of the city. A half dozen boxes were opened and everything of value taken.

**YOUR GRAY HAIRS QUICKLY VANISH**

A Harmless Remedy, Made from Garden Sage, Restores Color to Gray Hair.

A feeling of sadness accompanies the discovery of the first gray hairs which unfortunately are looked upon as heralds of advancing age. Gray hair, however, handsome it may be, makes a person look old. We all know the advantages of being young. Aside from the good impression a youthful appearance makes on others, simply knowing that you are "looking fit" gives one courage to undertake and accomplish things. So why suffer the handicap of looking old on account of gray hairs, when a simple remedy will give your hair youthful color and beauty in a few days' time?

Most people know that common garden sage acts as a color restorer and scalp tonic as well. Our grandmothers used a "Sage Tea" for keeping their hair dark, soft and luxuriant. In Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy we have an ideal preparation of Sage, combined with Sulphur and other valuable remedies for dandruff, itching scalp and thin, weak hair that is split at the ends or constantly coming out. A few applications of this valuable remedy will bring back the color, and in a short time it will remove every trace of dandruff and greatly improve the growth and appearance of the hair.

Get a fifty cent bottle from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' treatment. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

Special agents, Harper House pharmacy, 15th St., 2nd Ave.—(Advertisement.)

New York.—"Nothing but a hole in the ground," was what John M. Henderson of Waterbury, Conn., testified he saw when he visited the Temagami-Cobalt mines, one of the properties

promoted by Julian Hawthorne and others on trial for using the mails to defraud.

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## 17 BUYING DAYS

## Until Christmas

This is the time to do Christmas Shopping, while the stocks are fresh and 'unbroken, and good service can be had at the least expenditure of time and energy. That's what we're offering these THURSDAY SPECIALS for—to induce you to shop early.

**GLOVES**  
Regular \$1.00 gloves in black, tan and white, Thursday sale ..... **69c**

**SILVER TOILET SET**  
\$6.95 3-piece set of comb, brush and mirror, all in quadruple silver plate, in a lined box Thursday's sale price ..... **\$4.95**

**BEADED BAGS**  
All black and black and silver, and black and gold beaded bags, silk fringed and silk lined, regular \$1.25 bag, Thursday sale ..... **98c**

## DRESS MATERIALS

36 to 45-inch mohairs, Sicilians, etc., in plain, hair-line and shadow stripes, gray, navy, black, reds and other good colors, worth up to 75c a yard, Thursday, a yard ..... **39c**

54-inch all-wool suitings, black barred in white and white barred with black, \$1.89 quality, yard ..... **89c**

## LINENS

Huck towels, size 18x36, bleached white with red borders, our regular 10c grade, Thursday's sale (limited) ..... **7½c**

Turkish bath towels, bleached, size 22x45 heavy quality, double thread, regular price 35c; special, Thursday's sale ..... **22c**

72-inch bleached damask with double satin finish, heavy quality, our regular \$1.75 grade Thursday's price ..... **\$1.29**

## Children's Coats

One lot of children's coats in all sizes and materials, all day Thursday, one-third off.

## CHILDREN'S SWEATERS

One lot of children's white, all wool sweaters, slightly soiled, Thursday 50 percent off.

## STATIONERY

Our regular 39c gift box of linen stationery with initial in gold, not all initials, Thursday ..... **19c**

The Christmas fixin's in this well stocked department are sure to appeal to you. Holly, mistletoe, a complete line of Denison's Xmas stamps, cards, calendars, etc., empty holiday boxes, all of the hundreds of little things you'll need soon.

## TIE CLASPS

\$1.50 best grade gold filled tie clasps, Thursday ..... **79c**

Gold-filled tie pins to match, worth \$2.00, Thursday ..... **79c**

## JAPANESE EMBOSSED JEWEL BOXES

\$3.50 Japanese embossed jewel boxes, lined, Thursday's price ..... **\$1.95**

## RIBBONS

Fancy silk ribbons, 6 and 7-inch widths in brocades, moires and Dresden designs, up to 50c values, Thursday, a yard ..... **25c**

## In Bargain Basement

White oil cloth, 45 inch wide, good quality, our 15c grade, specially priced, Thursday at ..... **10c**

Swift's Pride soap, 10 bars, (limited) for ..... **25c**

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Every sufferer of Rheumatism needs S. S. S. because this great blood purifier is a certain cure for the painful disease. Rheumatism is caused by an excess of uric acid and other corrosive, irritating impurities in the blood, which are carried through the circulation to the different portions of the system. This acid matter coats the nerves, muscles and joints with a fine, caustic deposit and the sharp cutting pains or dull, constant aches are produced. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism because it is a perfect blood purifier. It goes into the blood, neutralizes the acids, and dissolves the irritating particles and forces them out of the system through the natural excretory channels. Then all inflammation and swelling subside, the pains and aches cease, and not only is Rheumatism permanently cured but under the tonic effects of S. S. S. the entire health is benefited and built up. S. S. S. reaches inherited cases as well as those which have been acquired, and good results always follow its use. S. S. S. is an absolutely safe remedy because it contains no strong minerals to damage the system. It is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice free to all who write and request same. S. S. S. is for sale at leading drug stores.

## RHEUMATISM

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