

EASTERN SALES SEND PRICE OF CORN TUMBLING

Chicago, May 8.—Persistent heavy selling on the part of a house with eastern connections tended today to weaken the corn market.

Furthermore, there was apparently a disposition to anticipate gradual improvement in railway traffic conditions.

Oats paralleled the action of corn. After opening 1/4c to 1 1/2c off, including July at 92 1/2c to 92 1/2c, the market sagged further before beginning to react.

Advances in hog values gave only transient strength to provisions. Grain weakness was an offset.

Subsequently, week end covering by shorts nearly overcame the effects of the early weakness, but the upturns failed to last.

The close was heavy 1/2c to 2c net lower, with July 1.71% to 1.71%, and September 1.61% to 1.61%.

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OIL AND RAIL STOCKS SPLIT DAY'S RECORD

New York, May 8.—Oils and rails divided the honors of today's stock market, displaying greater activity than such favorites as steels, equipments and motors.

Royal Dutch rose 4 points to a new high record and Mexican Petroleum was bought extensively, advancing 12 points.

The demand for rails began with heavy buying of Texas & Pacific, at a gain of almost 3 points.

The closing was strong. Sales approximated 375,000 shares.

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Moline and East Moline MOLINE PUPIL WINS CONTEST VACCINATE OR LEAVE SCHOOL

Cyrus Churchill First in Oratorical Honors of Big Eight at Canton.

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TODAY IN ALEDO AND MERCER COUNTY

ALEDO MEN GO WEST TO LIVE. Eight Former Soldiers Propose to Take Up Government Land in Wyoming.

Nine ex-service men are expected to leave tonight for Gillett, Wyo., where they will take up claims which the government offers ex-soldiers.

At the installation of Rev. Judson Arrick, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Alejo, Wednesday evening, May 12, Rev. Thomas B. Terhune, D. D., of New Albany, Ind., a close personal friend of Rev. Mr. Arrick, will assist at the ceremonies.

Rev. Mr. Arrick succeeded in the local pastorate Rev. A. E. Moody, who resigned last fall to take up work in the new era movement.

Searching inquiry reveals the extreme modesty of the 16 Alejo men who bowled in the Wisconsin and Illinois state tournaments at Chicago and Milwaukee respectively.

Four or five of the men returned home by auto, being driven to this city by D. E. Farr, who was returned from Chicago Friday.

A Mercer county division of the American commission on Irish independence has been organized.

On account of the favorable weather conditions, according to J. M. Sherier of the local weather bureau in his weekly road report, all roads have improved greatly.

Rock Island-Chicago via Geneseo, Mendota and Aurora.—Rough between Alton and Sheffield, especially had place one mile out of Alton, going east.

Rock Island-Chicago via Clinton and Lincoln Highway.—From Cedar Rapids to Rock Island via Clinton and Lincoln Highway.

Rock Island-Peria via Both Galva and Galveston.—Generally good and fair to rough, with the roughest spots where low places are drying up.

Peoria, Ill., May 8.—Hogs: receipts, 500; hog overs, 500; offerings cleared; steady, active; top price, \$14.75; bulk, \$13.50 to \$14.75; lights, \$14.50 to \$14.75; mediums, \$14.00 to \$14.75; heavies, \$13.00 to \$14.25.

Peoria Grain. Peoria, Ill., May 8.—Corn: unchanged to 2c higher; No. 2 yellow, 2.02; No. 3 yellow, 1.98; No. 4 mixed, 1.99; No. 4 mixed, 1.95; No. 6 mixed, 1.93 1/2.

FOR SALE. Forty-two room hotel in Rock Island; 26-room rooming house in Davenport; modern with long lease. Phone Dav. 7362Y or Dav. 2899Y.

MONEY TO LOAN. I CAN ARRANGE A LOAN FOR YOU on chattel, real property or by contract at 7% annually. 412 Best building. Phone R. 1, 31.

BICYCLES, MOTORCYCLES. THREE (ALL MARKS), ACCESSORIES for bicycles, motorcycles, auto, \$45 bicycles, complete, \$14.00 (all colors).

FIRST CLASS HOMES. 1.—House, 7 rooms, oak finish, built very substantial, \$10,000, half cash.

NEW YORK SUGAR. New York, May 8.—Raw sugar, firm; centrifugal, 19.56; refined, firm; fine granulated, 18.50 to 23.00.

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LODGE DIRECTORY

MASSONIC TEMPLE, ROCK ISLAND, ILL. THE STATED MEETING OF THE GRAND LODGE OF MASSONIC TEMPLE, ROCK ISLAND, ILL., WILL BE HELD ON THE FIRST DAY OF EACH MONTH AT 7:30 P. M. IN THE MASSONIC TEMPLE, ROCK ISLAND, ILL.

AMOO GROTTO NO. 57, M. O. G. P. E. R. The stated meeting of the Amoo Grotto No. 57, M. O. G. P. E. R., will be held on the first day of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the Amoo Grotto, Rock Island, Ill.

THE STATED CONVENTION OF THE ROCK ISLAND LODGE NO. 53, A. O. U. W. The stated convention of the Rock Island Lodge No. 53, A. O. U. W., will be held on the first day of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the Rock Island Lodge, Rock Island, Ill.

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ROCK ISLAND CHAPTER NO. 200, SECOND WYOMING OF THE I. O. O. F. The stated meeting of the Rock Island Chapter No. 200, Second Wyoming of the I. O. O. F., will be held on the first day of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the Rock Island Chapter, Rock Island, Ill.

ROCK ISLAND COUNCIL NO. 53, A. O. U. W. The stated meeting of the Rock Island Council No. 53, A. O. U. W., will be held on the first day of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the Rock Island Council, Rock Island, Ill.

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