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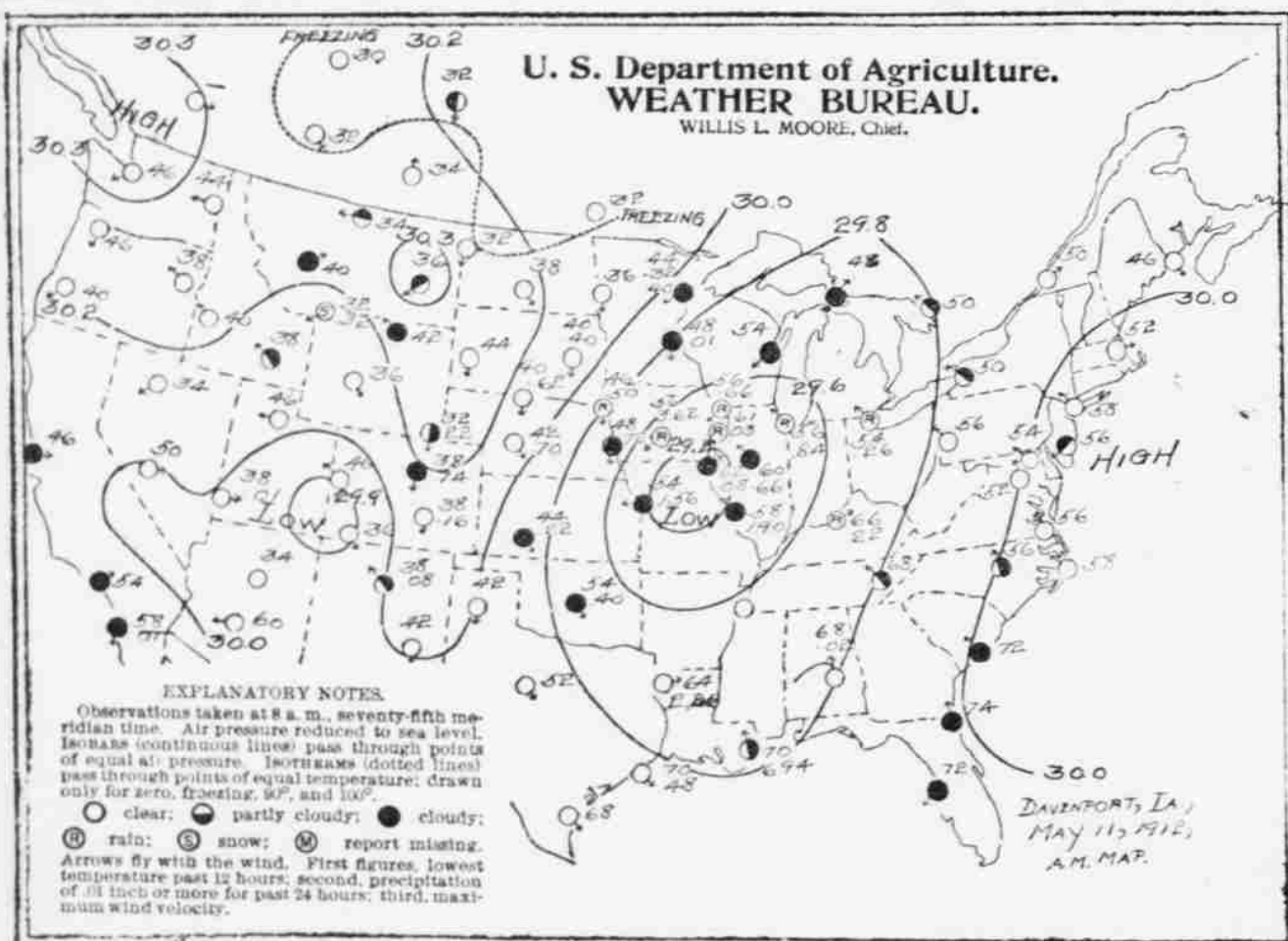
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FORECAST FOR ROCK ISLAND, DAVENPORT, MOLINE AND VICINITY.

Rain and colder tonight, Sunday generally fair with rising temperature. High northerly to northwest winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The southwestern low has moved with increasing intensity to northern Missouri and has been attended by rains on the eastern Rocky mountain slope and in the central valleys and the Gulf and south Atlantic sections. The following heavy rains are reported in inches: New Orleans, 6.94; Des Moines, 3.62; Shreveport, 2.26; St. Louis, 1.90; Kansas City, 1.58. High pressures prevail from the north Pacific coast to the upper Missouri valley and the attendant sharp fall in temperature has extended to Minnesota and western Iowa. The eastward movement of these conditions will be attended by high north to northwest winds, with rain and colder tonight, followed by generally fair

weather and rising temperature Sunday.

OBSERVATIONS.

	High.	Low.	Prop.
Atlantic City	74	56	.00
Boston	68	52	.00
Buffalo	54	50	.00
Chicago	76	61	.03
Denver	48	38	.74
Jacksonville	92	74	.00
Kansas City	74	54	1.56
New Orleans	82	70	6.94
New York	70	58	.00
Norfolk	76	56	.00
Phoenix	80	60	.00
St. Louis	78	58	1.90
St. Paul	70	48	.01
San Diego	60	55	.01
San Francisco	56	46	.00
Seattle	62	46	.00

Washington	76	52	.00
Winnipeg	60	32	.00
Yellowstone Park	32	32	.32

MISSISSIPPI RIVER.

	Flood.	Height.	Chng.
St. Paul	14	10.9	-.03
Red Wing	14	9.8	x0.3
Reed's Landing	12	8.8	x0.4
La Crosse	12	8.4	x0.7
Prairie du Chien	18	7.8	x0.1
Dubuque	18	8.6	0.0
Clinton	16	8.2	-.01
Le Claire	10	4.5	-.01
Rock Island	15	7.0	-.03

RIVER FORECAST.

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

J. M. SHERIER, Local Forecaster.

Calumet avenue, within the city limits of Hammond.

The purchasers will have possession of the land July 1, and will begin construction soon after. The time within which the work of the building of the plant is started depends upon certain necessary municipal improvements by the city of Hammond, concerning which no trouble is anticipated.

This purchase carries with it an obligation on the part of the vendors to complete the Indiana harbor ship canal from the south fork of Indiana avenue west of Wolf lake, dredging it to a width of 200 feet at the surface, 21 feet deep and 84 feet wide at the bottom, this work having been under way for some time and will now be continued with renewed vigor. It is expected that it will take about two years to build the plant. The product of the plant will be similar to that of the Inland Steel company at Indiana harbor.

The works will be served by the New York Central, the Baltimore & Ohio, Pennsylvania, Chicago & North-western railway, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Indiana Harbor Belt railway, Pere Marquette and Wabash, as well as other lines entering Chicago through the agency of the belt roads.

Ferdinand Schlesinger is one of the pioneers of the Mesaba and the Northwestern ore district. He is regarded by many as the ablest ore expert in the country. During the past few years Mr. Schlesinger has amassed a fortune comparable with that of any of the steel magnates of this country, which, with his ability as an ore expert, assures the success of the new enterprise.

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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, 98-99-100, Board of Trade. Local telephone, No. west 320.)

BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS.

Wheat.	
May, 118, 118 1/4, 117 1/2, 118 1/4.	
July, 113 1/2, 114, 112 1/2, 113 1/2.	
September, 108, 108 1/2, 107 1/2, 108 1/2.	
Corn.	
May, 81 1/2, 81 1/2, 80 1/2, 80 1/2.	
July, 78 1/2, 78 1/2, 77 1/2, 77 1/2.	
September, 76, 76 1/2, 75 1/2, 75 1/2.	
Oats.	
May, 58, 58, 57 1/2, 57 1/2.	
July, 54, 54 1/2, 53 1/2, 53 1/2.	
September, 44 1/2, 44 1/2, 43 1/2, 44.	
Pork.	
May, 18.90, —, —, 18.90.	
July, 19.22, 19.22, 19.10, 19.17.	
September, 19.10, 19.10, 19.10, 19.10.	
Lard.	
May, 10.60, —, —, 10.60.	
July, 10.62, 10.70, 10.60, 10.70.	
Ribs.	
May, 10.22, —, —, 10.22.	
July, 10.25, 10.32, 10.25, 10.32.	

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago Cash Grain.	
Wheat—No. 2 r 117 1/2 @ 119, No. 3 r 113 1/2 @ 117 1/2, No. 2 hw 118 @ 119 1/2, No. 3 hw 114 @ 118, No. 1 ns 119 @ 122, No. 2 ns 115 @ 119, No. 3 ns 110 @ 117, No. 2 s 115 @ 118, No. 3 s 104 @ 117, No. 4 s 103 @ 115, ve 110 @ 117, durum 100 @ 113.	
Corn—No. 2 80 1/2 @ 81 1/2, No. 2 w 81 1/2 @ 81 1/2, No. 2 y 81 1/2 @ 82, No. 3 78 @ 78 1/2, No. 3 w 79 1/2 @ 80, No. 3 q 78 1/2 @ 79, No. 4 74 1/2 @ 75, No. 4 w 75 1/2 @ 76, No. 4 y 75 @ 76, sgm 62 @ 65, sgy 62 @ 69.	
Oats—No. 2 w 58 1/2 @ 59, No. 3 w 58 @ 58 1/2, No. 4 w 57 1/2 @ 58, standard 58 1/2 @ 58 1/2.	

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Opening of Market.	
Hogs, 8.00; left over, 6.97; strong to shade higher. Light 7.30 @ 7.80; mixed 7.40 @ 7.90; heavy 7.40 @ 7.90; rough 7.40 @ 7.90.	
Cattle, 2.00; steady.	
Sheep, 3.00; steady to 10c higher.	
Nine O'clock Market.	
Hogs, steady to strong at yesterday's average. Light 7.30 @ 7.80; bulk 7.65 @ 7.80; mixed 7.40 @ 7.90; pigs 5.00 @ 7.00; heavy 7.40 @ 7.90; good 7.60 @ 7.90; rough 7.40 @ 7.90; Yorkers 7.65 @ 7.75.	
Cattle, steady. Beefers 6.00 @ 9.00; stockers 4.20 @ 6.60; Texans 5.40 @ 7.40; cows 2.75 @ 7.75; westerns 5.75 @ 7.60; calves 5.00 @ 7.75.	
Sheep, strong to 10c up. Natives 4.80 @ 7.40.	
Lambs, natives 5.90 @ 9.00.	
Close of Market.	
Hogs, close slow; shade lower than yesterday's average. Light 7.30 @ 7.77 1/2; bulk 7.65 @ 7.80; mixed 7.60 @ 7.87 1/2; heavy 7.40 @ 7.90; rough 7.40 @ 7.60.	
Cattle, steady. Top 9.00.	

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York May 11.—Following are the quotations on the market today:	
Union Pacific	171 1/2
U. S. Steel common	69 1/2
Reading	176
Rock Island preferred	55 1/2
Rock Island common	28 1/2
Northwestern	141
Southern Pacific	112
New York Central	119 1/2
Missouri Pacific	41 1/2
Great Northern	132 1/2
Northern Pacific	119 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	159
Smelters	86 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	29 1/2
Canadian Pacific	25 1/2
Illinois Central	123 1/2
Pennsylvania	123 1/2
Erie	35 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	80 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	83 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	110 1/2
Atchafalpa	106 1/2
Locomotive	43 1/2
Sugar	130 1/2
St. Paul	107 1/2
Copper	84
Lehigh Valley	175 1/2
Republic Steel common	23 1/2

Bank Statement.

New York, May 11.—Clearing house members' average: Loans, increase \$14,092,000; specie, increase \$289,000; legal, increase \$187,000; deposits, increase \$13,961,000; reserve, decrease \$3,123,050; actual loans, increase \$22,996,000; specie, increase \$2,944,000; legal, increase \$330,000; deposits, increase \$31,947,000; reserve, decrease \$21,456,450.

The bank statement shows the banks hold \$13,426,000 reserve in excess of the legal requirements. The loans increased \$14,092,000, and the net deposits increased \$13,961,000.

LOCAL MARKET CONDITIONS.

May 11.—Following are the quotations on the local market today:

Butter—Dairy, 25c; creamery, 30c to 37c.	
Lard, 10c to 12c.	
Potatoes, \$1.35.	
Cabbage, 4c.	
Onions, 5c.	
Feed and Fuel.	
Oats, 50c.	
Clover hay, \$15.	
Forage—Timothy hay, \$20 to \$23.	
Wheat, 80c.	
Wild hay, \$14 to \$17.	
Straw, \$5.	
New corn, 65c.	
Coal—Lump, per bushel, 15c; slack, 10c.	

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ELEVEN MILLION STEEL PLANT FOR HAMMOND, IND.

Chicago, May 11.—That an \$11,000,000 steel plant, that will mean doubling the population of Hammond, Ind., and give that city undoubted supremacy in the keen rivalry of the south shore Indiana towns, will be built at Hammond by Ferdinand Schlesinger

of Milwaukee, and associates, was made public recently.

The negotiations have been conducted by C. W. Hotchkiss, recently general manager of the Chicago, Indiana & Southern railroad, and now president of the Illinois Tunnel company. The details of the transaction were closed Wednesday. Eleven millions will be expended in the erection of the plant, which will be modern in every detail

and will give employment to 3,000 men. The location of this industry means as much to Hammond and East Chicago as did the location of the Baldwin Locomotive works to Calumet and East Chicago.

The land purchased is bounded on the north by the canal and Wolf lake, on the east by White Oak avenue, and on the south One-Hundred-and-Forty-Third street, and on the west by