LOW RECEIPTS BOOST HOG VALUES

STOCKS REACH HIGHEST POINT ON BULL MOVE

U. S. Steel Common Hits Top Following Judge Gary's Speech.

Average Stock Prices

Average price of twenty industrial stocks for Saturday, was 153.29 (new high), up 1.10.

Average price of twenty rails for Saturday, was 104.51, off .27.

By United Press

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The short session was featured by heavy trading with numerous representative industrials touching new highs. The most important was U. S. Steel common getting to a new 1925 top on a heavy turnover, following optimistic news of the steel trade by Judge Gary and other leaders.

The other episode of Chandler Motors advancing 10 points in the last few minutes of trading yesterday had caused some apprehension as to its effect on the general list. However, the stock opened down 7 points at 45 and settled under that figure in the late trading.

With strength and heavy activity in the list, sufficient reactions developed in other parts to prevent any runaway affair such as resulted in the drastic reaction of the close a week ago. Rails were dull throughout, while oils showed a quiet firmness. Various motors were featured, General Motors gaining several points, while Chrysler made a new top on a move of about 5 points. Cast Iron Pipe had an erratic movement after opening up 4 points to a 214.

New York Stocks

By Thomson & McKinnon

—Oct. 24—	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Railroads—				
Atchison	124½	123⅝	124	123⅝
Atl Cst L	195¾	194	195	194¼
B & O	86¾	85¾	86¼	86⅛
Can Pacific	149	...	149	148⅝
C & O	107¾	107¼	107½	107⅝
C & NW Ry	70¾	69¾	70⅝	69⅝
C R I & P	46⅞	46⅛	46⅞	46½
Del & Hud	144¾	...	144½	144¾
Erie	34¾	34¼	34⅞	33⅞
Erie 1st pf	42¾	42	42¼	42
Gt North pf	74⅝	...	74¼	74⅜
Lehigh Val	80⅛	80	80⅛	80⅜
M K & T	41½	...	41¼	41⅝
Mo Pac pfd	83¾	83¼	83½	83⅝
N Y Cent	127¼	126¾	127¼	126⅝
NY NH & H	38	...	37¾	37⅝
North Pac	72⅜	71⅞	71⅞	71⅞
Nor & Wn	139¾	139¼	139¼	139⅜
Pere Marq	75½	...	75¼	75½
Penmy	49	48¾	49	48¾
Reading	87	85⅝	87	85⅝
So Railway	114⅛	...	113½	113⅝
South Pac	98⅝	98¼	98½	98
St Paul	...	...	...	8
St Paul pf	16	...	15¾	15¾
St L & SW	53	...	53	55
St L & S F	97	...	97	97
Union Pac	142⅞	142½	142⅞	142¾
Wabash	40	...	40	40
Wabash pf	69⅞	...	69⅝	70¼
Rubbers—				
Fisk Rubbr	26¾	26⅜	26½	26½
Goodrich R	69⅞	...	69	69⅜
Goodyr pfd	112¼	111¾	112¼	111½
Kelly-Spgfld	16⅝	...	16⅝	17
U S Rubber	80¾	79⅝	80⅛	80
Equipments—				
Am C & F	110¾	...	110¼	110
Am Stl Fdy	43¼	42¾	43	42⅛
Amer Loco	123¼	123	123	122
Bald Loco	125	123⅞	124¾	124½
Gen Elec	309	...	305	303¾
Lima Loco	67	67	67	67¼
N Y Airb	32½	32¼	32¼	...
Pullman	162	...	160½	162
Rv Stl Spg	174	171	172	171
West Abk	128¼	127½	128¼	127½
Westh Elec	75⅞	74⅞	74⅞	75
Steels—				
Bethlehem	46⅞	44⅝	47	44
Colo Fuel	41⅞	...	41½	41½
Crucible	76	...	75⅝	74½
Gulf States	85⅞	85½	85¾	84¼
P R C & I	40⅞	...	40	40
Rep Ir & St	56	...	55	54⅝
Sloss-Shef	114	...	111½	113
US Steel	130	128⅞	129⅞	128
Vanadium	32⅞	32	32⅞	31½
Motors—				
Am Bosch	37¾	36¾	36¾	37
Chand Mot	46	43	45	52
Gen Mot	134	131	132⅝	131¾
Mack Mot	230¼	226¾	229¾	228¾
Chrysler	204	199	219¼	199½
Hudson	98¼	...	96⅝	97
Martin Pry	...	...	...	22¾
Moon Mot	38¾	37⅝	38	36½
Studebaker	64¾	62⅞	64⅞	64
Dodge	43	...	42¼	42
Stew-Warn	86¾	...	85	85
Timken	56	55	55½	55½
Willys-Over	29¼	28¾	28⅞	28⅞
Pierce Ar	43½	43	43½	42½
Minings—				
Dome Mines	14½	...	14½	14½
Gt Na Ore	32½	31¾	32⅛	31⅞
Int Nickel	37¾	...	37	37¼
Tex G & S	119	117	117½	117¾
Coppers—				
Am Smelt	116½	115	116	115⅝
Araconda	46½	...	46⅛	46¼
Inspiration	...	...	...	28
Kennecott	57⅝	...	57½	57⅝
Kay Con	14¼	14	14⅛	14
U S Smelt	46	...	45¾	45⅛
Oils—				
Cal Petrol	29⅞	29¼	29½	29⅞
Cosden	34¼	...	33¾	34¼
Houston Oil	...	...	...	72½
Marland Oil	54⅞	54	54¼	54¾
P-A Pete	71½	...	71	70⅛
P-A Pete B	72⅝	71½	71½	71⅞
Pacific Oil	55⅝	55¼	55½	55¾
Phillips et	43¾	43¼	43½	43¼
Gen Pete	48⅞	48¼	48½	48¾
Pure Oil	27½	...	27½	27¾
Royal Dutc	51⅞	...	51⅞	51⅛
Std Oil Cal	57⅝	...	57½	57
Std Oil NJ	41½	41¼	41½	41¾
Sinclair	20¼	19⅝	19¾	20
Texas Co	51¾	...	51¼	51¼
Tr Ct Oil	4	...	3⅞	4
Industrials—				
Allied Che	107½	107	107	106¾
Adv Rumely	20	...	19½	20
Allis-Chal	92¼	91½	91¾	92½
Am Can	256¾	254¼	255	256
Am Ice	121	115	121	113¼
Am Woolen	44½	44⅛	44½	44
Cent Leath	20¾	20½	20¾	21
Coca-Cola	153	...	152	153
Congoleum	24¼	...	24	24¼
Cont Can	78⅞	...	78	78½
Dupont	207½	204	205	204½
Fm Player	113¼	112½	113	113⅝
Gen Asphalt	59	58½	59	55⅞
Int Paper	63½	63¼	63⅝	63¼
Int Harv	127⅞	127¾	127¾	127⅞
May Stores	...	...	...	123½
Mont Ward	73⅞	73¾	73⅞	73¾
Natl Lead	163⅞	163	163	163
Owen Bottle	72¾	62	62⅝	...
Radio	54⅝	54¾	54¾	54½
Sears-Roeb	214¾	211½	213½	211½
Uni Drug	148	145½	147¾	145½
U S Ind Al	98	97	97¼	96¾
Woolworth	195¼	194⅞	195	194¼
Utilities—				
Am T & T	141⅝	141¾	141⅝	141½
Con Gas	93⅞	93¼	93¾	92⅞
Col Gas	87	...	84⅛	84⅞
Peo Gas	120	...	120	120
West Un	141	140½	141	141
Shipping—				
Am Int Cr	40¼	39¾	39¾	40⅞
Am S & C	7⅝	7⅝	7¼	7⅛
Atl Gulf	...	...	...	67
Int M M pf	35	34	34	35⅝
Uni Fruit	...	...	...	235
Foods—				
Am Sugar	66⅞	...	66¼	66
Am Bt Sug	31¾	31	31	31½
Aust Nich	30⅞	30½	30½	30⅞
Corn Prod	38	37⅛	37½	38⅛
Fleischman	144½	...	142½	143½
Cu-Am Sug	20½	...	20⅛	20½
Punta Alegr	33⅜	33⅛	33⅛	33¼
Ward Bay	84¾	81⅛	82	84
Tobaccos—				
Am-Sumat	...	...	...	12
Am Tob	119½	...	119⅛	120
Gen Cigar	106	...	106	106
Tob Prod B	96¼	95⅝	95¾	96
Lorillard	38½	...	37⅞	37⅝
Un Ci Str	97⅞	95	97⅞	95⅝

GRAIN TREND IS IRREGULAR

Wheat Higher, Corn Lower and Oats Up.

By United Press

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Grains finished irregular on the Board of Trade today. Wheat made fractional gains. Corn was steady to lower. Coats followed wheat.

Oversold market and bull statistics were back of wheat's higher finish. Scattered covering at the outset broadened during the short session until all short interests were representatives. Best prices failed to hold in belated evening up.

New investment buying failed to hold corn in check. Professionals dumped overwhelming offers in the pit because of the increased movement reported from primary markets.

Oats were quiet. Higher hogs and cables improved buying in provisions.

Chicago Grain Table

—Oct. 24—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
WHEAT—					
*Dec	1.43½	1.43⅝	1.42⅝	1.42½	1.42⅛
†Dec	1.42⅝	1.43	1.41¾	1.42	1.41¾
*Ma	1.41½	1.42	1.40⅞	1.40⅞	1.40½
†Ma	1.41¼	1.41¼	1.39¾	1.39⅞	1.40
CORN—					
Dec.	.75	.75	.73¼	.73¼	.74⅛
May	.79⅝	.79⅝	.78⅛	.79⅛	.79
OATS—					
Dec.	.39	.39½	.38¾	.38⅞	.38¾
May	.43½	.43½	.43⅛	.43¾	.43¼
LARD—					
Oct	14.90	15.10	14.90	15.10	14.70
RIBS—					
Oct	...	...	...	15.40	15.40
RYE—					
Dec.	.80¾	.81	.80¼	.80¾	.79¾
May	.86¼	.86¼	.85⅝	.86	.85¼

*New wheat. †Old wheat.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Carlot receipts were; Wheat, 7; corn, 173; oats, 40; rye, 2.

Cash Grain

Saturday's receipts, 49 cars. Prices quoted 41½c f. o. b. basis to New York. Hay on track Indianapolis. Bids for grain at the Indianapolis Board of Trade were:

Wheat—Steady: No. 2 red, $1.57@1.57; No. 2 hard, $1.45@1.49.

Corn—(Old) firm: No. 2 white, 75@76c; No. 3 white, 74@75c; No. 2 yellow, 74@75c; No. 3 yellow, 73@74c; No. 2 mixed, 73@74c. No. 3 mixed, 72@73c.

Oats—Easier: No. 2 white, 35½@36½c; No. 3 white, 35@36c.

Hay—Firm and unchanged.

—Inspections—

Wheat—No. 2 red, 5 cars; No. 3 red, 1 car; No. 5 red, 1 car; No. 2 hard, 1 car; No. 2 mixed, 1 car; No. 4 mixed, 1 car. Total, 10 cars.

Corn—No. 2 white, 2 cars; No. 3 white, 2 cars; No. 6 white, 1 car; sample white, 1 car; No. 1 yellow, 2 cars; No. 2 yellow, 8 cars; No. 3 yellow, 1 car; No. 6 yellow, 1 car; sample yellow, 3 cars; No. 1 mixed, 1 car; No. 2 mixed, 2 cars. Total, 26 cars.

Oats—No. 2 white, 7 cars; No. 3 white, 1 car; sample white, 5 cars. Total, 13 cars.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Wheat No. 2 hard, $1.53½. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 81¼@81¾c; No. 3, 75@76c; No. 4, 79½; No. 5, 70@75c; No. 6, 69@77½c; No. 2 mixed, 80@82½c; No. 3, 79½; No. 4, 78½@79c; No. 5, 77½c; No. 6, 72c; No. 2 white, 81½@82c; No. 3, 80@81½; No. 4, 79; No. 5, 78½. Oats—39½@39¾; No. 3 white, 38¾@39c. Barley—64@77c. Rye—No. 1, 83½c. Timothy, $6.75@7.50. Clover, $20.75@29.25.

TOLEDO, Oct. 24.—Wheat—Cash No. 2, $1.64. Corn—Cash No. 2, 86c; No. 3, 87c. Rye—Cash No. 2, 85c. Oats—Cash No. 2, 43½c; No. 3, 42½c. Barley—Cash No. 2, 75c. Cloverseed—Cash, $18; October $18; November, $16.40; December $16; February, $16.90. Timothy—Cash, $3.50; October, $3.50; December, $3.55; March, $3.65. Alsike—Cash, December, $15.50; March, $15.75. Butter—55@56c. Eggs—44@46c. Hay—$25.

WEEKLY REPORT

—Output of Flour—

Oct. 24, 1925	7,669 barrels
Oct. 17, 1925	9,113 barrels
Oct. 25, 1924	14,46[illegible] barrels
Oct. 27, 1923	10,742 barrels

—Inspections for Week—

	In.	Out.
Wheat	52,000	21,000
Corn	282,000	104,000
Oats	188,000	38,000

Rye, none. Hay, 3 cars.

—Stock in Store—

Date.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Rye.
10 24	25,507,610	135,460	791,000	2,210
10 23	24,857,400	270,000	529,000	49,000
10 27	23,868,600	236,000	99,000	2,900

In the Sugar Market

(By Thomson & McKinnon)

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—Selling pressure in the sugar market subsided somewhat this afternoon following a morning of general liquidation with the close about unchanged to two points higher. Reports of heavy crop cutting among western beet growers had an unsettling influence for a time, but later in the day sentiment changed when the actual market was reestablished on a basis. We regard current levels as offering excellent investment opportunity in view of the fact that the commodity is selling so far below cost of production.

RAW SUGAR PRICES

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
January	2.02	2.01	2.02	2.03
March	2.13	2.13	2.13	2.14
May	2.25	2.24	2.24	2.26
July	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36
September	2.45	2.44	2.44	2.46
December	1.96	1.95	1.95	1.96

New York Curb Market

—Closing—	Bid.	Ask.
Anglo American	22⅞	23
Atlantic Lobos	3	2⅛
Continental Oil	24¼	24½
Galena Signal	38	39½
Humble Oil	67⅛	67½
Imperial Oil of Canada	32½	33
Ind Pipe Line	64	65
Int Pete	27⅜	27½
Ohio Oil	64¼	65
Prairie Oil and Gas	48⅞	49¼
Prairie Pipe Line	123	123½
S O Indiana	63¾	63⅞
S O Kansas	31½	32
S O Kentucky	135	136
S O New York	44¾	45
S O Nebraska	252	256
S O Ohio	360	365
Vacuum Oil	103¼	103½
Cities Service com	38¾	39
Cities Service pfd	83¾	84
Cities Service bkrs	19¼	19¼
Mountain Prod	22⅞	23
New Mex and Ariz Ld	16½	16¾
Salt Creek Prod	27¾	27½
Am Power Light	58⅛	58½
Cont Baking B	33⅝	33¾
Curtiss Aero	20⅝	21
Dow-et Motors Del	15⅛	16
Dubilier	15¼	15½
Elec Bond and Share	65	65½
Elec Investors	63¼	63¾
Ford of Canada	615	625
Goodyear Tire and Rub	45½	46
Glenn Cunningham	19	22
National Leather	4½	5¼
Reo Motors	23½	23¾
Serv El	30	30½
Stutz Motor	16	16½
Thermiodyne	8¾	9
Va Car Chem (WI)	18	18½
Wilson Common (WI)	13¼	13½

Local Wagon Wheat

Indianapolis mills and grain elevators are paying $1.55 for No. 2 red wheat. Other grades on their merits.

Calves Go $1 Lower—Sheep and Choice Lambs Steady.

Hog Prices Day by Day

Oct.	Bulk.	Top.	Receipts.
19.	12.00	12.00	7,500
20.	11.70	12.00	8,500
21.	11.90	12.00	6,000
22.	11.75@11.90	12.25	5,000
23.	11.35@11.50	11.75	8,000
24.	11.65	11.75	5,000

Low receipts, estimated at 5,000 and holdovers from the previous session numbering 428, forced a rise of 15@30c on swine today at the Indianapolis Livestock Exchange. Higher prices in other market centers helped the advance in the local market. The entire run sold early at an average price of $11.65. Top price of $11.75 was placed on pigs and a few of the choice light weight material.

Over the past week, hog prices have receded steadily from $12.25 to $11.75. Farmers and traders at the local exchange anticipate still further drops in price. Some even predict $10 hogs before the present price slump is at an end.

Hig Price Scale

Trading was done over the following scale of prices; heavies brought $11.50@11.65; medium weight material csahed at $11.65; light and light lights sold also at $11.65. pigs commanded a price of $11.65@11.75; smooth packing sows moved at $10.25@10.50; rough packing sows averaged $9.25@9.75; stags were $9@10.50.

Catle moved slowly all during the short week-end session and prices remained steady on choice stuff showing finish. About 100 cattle were in the market for trading purposes. The lesser grades of materials were sold at th ebuyers' prices. Steers sold over a price range of $7@13.50; heifers averaged $5@10; cows, $3@7.25.

Over the past week the cattle market has shown an uninteresting aspect and no features or definite price trend has been seen. Prices on the better quality of material has held steady, except on cows. Price recessions from 25c to 50c have taken place on this type stuff from time to time, and the end of the week finds cows definitely priced lower.

Calves Go Lower

A run of sheep and lambs estimated at 100 were absorbed at steady prices. Lambs sold from $10 to $14 and sheep moved at $5@7.

In the last seven days sheep prices have been fully steady. Choice lambs have sold at $14 with only a few exceptions. These were of extra fine quality and commanded a 50c premium.

In the final session of the week in the calf division of the exchange prices on best veals ruled $1 lower. A top price of $13.50 was placed on toppy stuff and the bulk of the transactions were made at $13@13.50. A low demand was probably the cause of the drop. Receipts were estimated at only 300.

Best veals experienced a price swing of $1.50 over the past week and the last trading period of the week finds calves within 50c of the lowest point.

—Hogs—	
Heavies	$11.50@11.65
Mediums	11.65
Light hogs	11.65
Light lights	11.65
Pigs	11.65@11.75
Smooth sows	10.25@10.50
Rough sows	9.25@ 9.75
Stags	9.00@10.50
—Cattle—	
Good to choice fat steers	$ 7.00@13.50
Medium steers	6.00@ 7.00
Choice heifers	5.00@10.00
Common to fat heifers	3.00@ 5.00
Prime fat cows	3.00@ 7.25
Medium cows	2.00@ 3.00
Canners and cutter cows	1.00@ 2.00
—Calves—	
Fancy veals	$13.50
Good veals	12.00@13.50
Medium calves	8.00@11.00
Common veals	5.00@ 8.00
—Sheep and Lambs—	
Choice lambs	$14.00
Medium lambs	10.00@13.50
Good to choice sheep	5.00@ 7.00
Fair to medium	3.50@ 5.00
Culls to common	1.00@ 3.50

Other Livestock

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—Hogs—Receipts, 2,500; market, 10@25c higher; top, $11.50; bulk, $9.90@11.10; heavyweight, $11@11.35; medium weights, $11@11.35; lightweights, $11.10@11.40; light lights, $10.90@11.50; packing sows, $9@9.85. Cattle—Receipts, 1,100; market, compared week ago, fed steers of value to sell at $12 and below and most yearlings 25@50c lower; grass fed matured steers, steady, choice kinds with weight, strong; range and grass kilting steers mostly 25@35c lower; stockers and feeders steady to 25c lower; approximately 23,000; western offers as compared with 24,000 a week ago; extreme top $14.83 and 1,491-pound steers, $10.60; prime yearlings up to $11.50; weight Montanas, $11.25; fat she-stock about steady; canners and cutters strong to 10c up; bologna bulls around 25c higher; veal calves 75c@$1 up; week's prices; grain fed steers, $9.50@13.25, grass steers, $7@7.85; fat cows, $4.15@6; heifers, $5.25@6.50; canners and cutters $3.15@3.65; veal calves, $11.50@12.25; stockers and feeders, $5@7.75. Sheep—Receipts, 500; for week around 5,000 direct and 125 cars from feeding station; today's market nominal compared week ago: slaughter lambs steady; feeding lambs strong to 25c up; fat sheep strong; top for week, fat lambs, both native and range $15.50; feeding lambs, $16; fat yearlings weathers $12.25; ewes, $8.35; week's prices: fat lambs, $14.50@15.50; feeding lambs, $15@16; cull native lambs, $11@11.50; fat native ewes, $5@6.50.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Oct. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; market, 50@75c lower than week ago; native steers, $7.50@12.50; yearling heifers, $5@8; cows, $4@5.25; canners and cutters, $2.65@3.50; calves, $12@12.50; stockers and feeders $5.25@6.85. Hogs—Receipts, 3,500, market, 10@15c up; heavies $11.15@11.5; mediums, $11.40@11.70; light, $11.50@11.75; light lights $11.50@11.90; packing sows, $9.50@10.10; pigs, $11.50@12; bulk, $11.55@11.75. Sheep—Receipts, 400; market nominally strong; ewes, $5@7.50; canners and cutters, $1.50@3.50; wooled lambs, $13.25@15.

EAST BUFFALO, Oct. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 325; market, slow and steady; shipping steers, $9@12; butcher grades, $6.50@8.75; cows, $2@6. Calves—Receipts, 555; market, slow to 50c lower; cull to choice, $3@15. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 600; market, active and steady; choice lambs, $15@15.50; cull to fair, $8@10; yearlings, $8@12; sheep, $3@9. Hogs—Receipts, 800; market active, 25@40c higher; Yorkers, $12.35; pigs, $12.35; mixed $12.25@12.35; heavies, $11.50@12; roughs, $9@9.75; stags, $6.50@8.50.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 24.—Cattle—Receipts light; market slow; choice, $10.50@11; good, $9.50@10; fair, $6.50@7.75; veal calves, $13.50@14. Sheep and lambs—Receipts light; market steady; prime wethers, $8.25@8.75; good, $7.50@8; fair mixed, $6.25@7; lambs, $10@15.25. Hogs—Receipts, 12 double-decks; market steady; prime heavy, $12.20@12.25; mediums, $12.20@12.25; heavy Yorkers, $12.20@12.25; lights, $12.20@12.25; pigs $12.20@12.25; roughs, $9.50@10.50; stags, $6@7.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 24.—Hogs—Receipts, 1,500; market, 10@15c higher; Yorkers, $11.85; mixed, $11.75; mediums, $11.75; pigs, $11.85; roughs, $9.75; stags, $6.50. Cattle—Receipts, 200; market, slow; good to choice bulls, $5@6.50; good to choice steers, $8@9.50; good to choice heifers, $9@10.50; good to choice cows, $5@6; fair to good cows, $4@5; common cows, $2@4; milchers, $50@$100. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 500; market, slow; top, $15.50. Calves—Receipts, 200; market, slow, weak; top, $14.

TOLEDO, Oct. 24.—Hogs—Receipts, 300; market, 40@50c up; heavies, $11@11.25; mediums, $11.40@11.65; yorkers, $11.90@12; good pigs, $12@12.25. Calves—Market steady. Sheep and lambs—Market, steady.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 24.—Cattle—Receipts 250; market, steady; shipping steers good to choice, $11.50. Calves—Market, steady; good to choice, $12@13.50. Hogs—Receipts, 2,400; market, steady; good to choice packers and butchers, $11.75@11.85. Sheep—Receipts, 50; market, steady; good to choice, $4@7. Lambs—Market, steady; good to choice, $14@14.50.

KEITH QUARTET TO REPRESENT CITY IS CHOSEN

Will Go to Cleveland in Sectional Contest for National Honors.

The Paramount Popular Four will represent Indianapolis in Cleveland next month at the Keith's-Albee sectional contest to determine a winner to represent eight cities at the national quartet contest.

This quartet is composed of Paul L. Walters, basso; C. C. Lloyd, baritone; Robert A. Halter, first tenor and William Peacry, second tenor.

The judges were Elmer Andrew Steffen, conductor of the Mendelssohn Choir; Mrs. Fred Newell Morris, identified with music in this city for years, and John B. Reynolds, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

The winning qiuartet tried out Wednesday night at Keith's. Two other quartets, the Anderson Aerie Quartet of the Anderson Aerie No. 174, F. O. E., of Anderson, Ind., and the E. C. Quartet of Columbus, Ind., tried out on other nights.

The Keith-Albee theaters in all cities have been holding such contests in their theaters.

The next step of the contest as far as Indianapolis is concerned, will take place at Cleveland, Ohio, when quartets from eight or nine other cities will take part. The winner at Cleveland goes to New York to compete against the winners of the other sectional contests.

CITY MARKETS OFFER RABBITS

New York Dressed Ducks Also Appear—Price High.

Rabbits, selling at 50 cents each, and New York dressed ducks, selling at 35 cents a pound, were found on many stands in the produce section of the city market house today. English hot house grapes reappeared at $1 a pound. New arrivals were French endive at 90 cents a pound and California seedless grapes at 15 and 20 cents a pound. Lima beans, at 70 cents a pound, and shell out beans, at 60 cents a pound, were higher.

Other prices included: Satsuma oranges 30 to 60 cents a dozen; Florida oranges 40 to 75 cents a dozen; tangerines, 60 cents a dozen; Florida grapefruit, 10 and 15 cents each; Concord grapes, 10 to 15 cents a pound; chestnuts, 40 cents a pound; Italian chestnuts, 30 cents a pound; new figs, 40 cents a pound; new dates, 20 cents a pound, and lemons, 30 to 60 cents a dozen.

FIGHT TYPHOID AT PENDLETON

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said the disease crept into the institution through an infected new arrival and that each new arrival was a potential carrier of typhoid.

Hospital facilities at the reformatory have been bad.

"We are using the strictest economy, in accordance with the plan laid out by the State Legislature," said Miles.

"Model" Reformatory

The institution has cost the State millions of dollars, and was announced by State officials it would be "the model reformatory" of the Middle West. Morale of the prisoners is at a low ebb, a sullen and dispirited air pervades the institution, it was said.

Prisoners spend thirteen of each twenty-four hours in the cells, which are about six feet wide, ten feet long and eight feet high, with a double deck bunk system.

The old Reformatory at Jeffersonville, which was supplanted by the new one at tremendous cost, was better equipped to handle the situation than the present one, some observers say.

New Building

A new dormitory, which will take care of 300 men, is nearing completion, Miles said.

Thirty per cent of the prisoners come to the institution for automobile stealing, the superintendent said.

Dr. Rice said the crowded condition at the Reformatory did not aid the health situation there. He said it was difficult to determine the cause of the typhoid cases unless it had been brought in by flies.

Water O. K.

Three samples of the Reformatory's drinking water supply were received by the State board of health Oct. 9 and an analysis was made, showing no presence of typhoid germs, the water chemist said today.

Three other samples, the source of which was not reported, were analyzed Sept. 28 and showed presence of coli bacteria, cause of dysentery, typhoid fever and other intestinal disorders in man and animal.

Since all drinking water at the reformatory is chlorinated as a preventive measure against typhoid, State health board chemists believe the present epidemic was transmitted through food or by means of human carriers.

Chicago Stocks

—Oct. 24—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Armour pfd	91½	...	...	...
Armour Del	97½	97½	97¾	97¼
Auburn Mo	47	47½	47	47½
Balban-Katz	74	74½	74	74½
Kraft Chse	90	...	...	...
Middle Wst	113½	...	...	...
Real Silk	56¾	57	55¾	55¾
Swift & Co	113¾	113¾	113½	113¾
Swift Intl	28¾	28¾	28⅝	28¾
Un Carbide	72	72¼	72	72¼
Wrigley	56½	56½	56¼	56½

NEW YORK COFFEE PRICES

—October 24—

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close
January	17.06	16.95	17.06	17.40
March	17.06	16.95	17.06	17.08
May	16.55	16.45	16.52	16.60
July	16.00	15.80	16.00	16.37
September	15.51	15.35	15.51	15.57
December	18.18	18.05	18.18	18.20

SCHOOL HELPS

CORAL—How the Tiny Architects of the Sea Build Their Houses.

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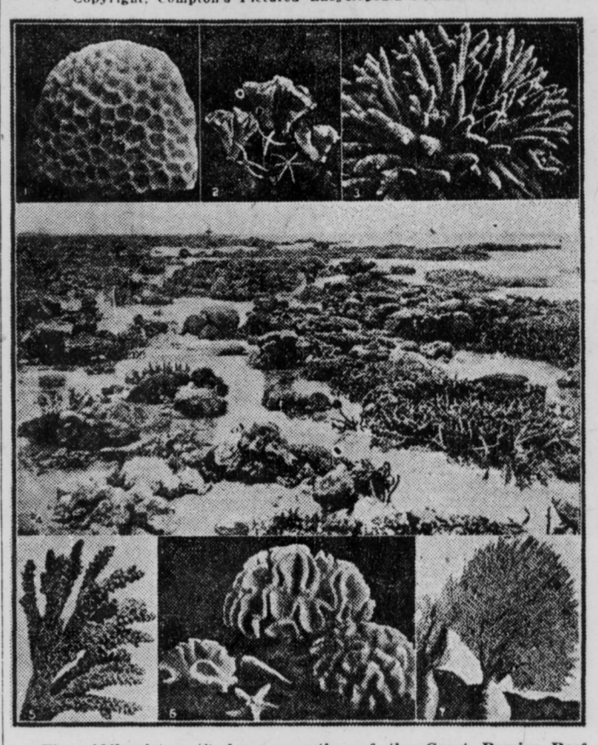

The middle picture (4) shows a portion of the Great Barrier Reef, over 1,000 miles long, which tiny coral builders have constructed east of Australia. Picture (1) shows the sponge coral and the cup coral (2) and the stag's horn coral (3). The Madrepore coral (5) is particularly interesting on account of the unusual size of the individual polyps and their tendency to form trunks and branches that give the colonies the appearance of trees. The leaf coral group (6), shows a superb specimen of the noble leaf variety. The beautiful fan coral (7), when inhabited is white soft and flexible and waves in the water like a brightly colored palm leaf.

AMONG the greatest architects in the world are the little coral-making animals, creatures of shallow water in the warmer seas. Small as are these tiny workmen, each one does his bit, until speck by speck a new land is created to become the home of man. If you visit the "keys" at the southern end of Florida you may see some of these islands in the making, looking like ocean gardens of wonderful beauty, below the water surface. You will see many leaf corals, and others shaped like huge vases; some branch out like the horns of a stag. The sea-feathers, near relatives of corals, branch in delicate tendrils like plants. Other near relatives are the georgeously colored sea-fans. Beautiful as they are, however, these can not be used for making beads and brooches. They lose their color upon being taken from the water and are not hard enough to take a good polish. The red and delicate salmon-pink coral is a different species and occurs at its best only in certain parts of the Mediterannean sea, off the coast of Africa and the west coast of Italy, where coral fishing is an important industry. The finest rose pink in large pieces is valued at $400 or more an ounce.

The parent coral animal originates as an egg, and begins life as a free-swimming little creature, but after a time it settles down as a polyp on a rock or a piece of dead coral, and begins to live like a plant, having lost its power of moving from place to place. Indeed, corals were thought for a long time to be sea flowers. As a coral develops, little feelers like petals appear about the mouth. Day by day, stretching out these tender arms, the polyp catches and feeds upon the tiny organisms floating in the sea, and builds a solid skeleton with secretions of life. A few kinds of coral continue to live as solitary individuals, but most of them live in vast colonies of many thousands of polyps so closely connected that you cannot see where one individual leaves off and another begins. The parent polyp produces little buds, which develop feelers and stomachs of their own, and these in turn produce new buds—all remaining joined together into one great family, sometimes living for hundreds of years. Year by year coral skeletons accumulate, cementing together in one mass, until after centuries new land is formed consisting of billions of dead polyps. Fresh colonies are being continually formed by eggs which hatch and escape from the mouth of the parents and float off to attach themselves elsewhere. The flesh or living part of most corals is orange yellow in color, although the limy sekleton is pure white.

Coral Islands and reefs are most numerous in the warmer portions of the Pacific and in the Indian Ocean, occurring to a less extent in the Gulf of Mexico and along the shores of the West Indies. According to their various forms, they belong to three classes. "Barrier reefs" lie at some distance from the land, the space between being filled by a shallow lagoon of salt water. Usually some parts of the reef rise above the ocean islets, supporting a scanty vegetation, while the greater part is submerged. The great barrier reef of Australia, over 1,000 miles long and ten to ninety miles in breadth, is an illustration of this type. "Atolls" are not atached to any visible land. They are circular in form, surrounding a central lagoon of placid, transparent water. When, as usually happens, there are passages through the reefs they form an excellent harbor for ships during a storm. "Fringing reefs" simply skirt the coast line and extend the beaches.

Corals are closely related to the sea anemones, belonging to the class anthozoa of the division coelenterata. Often assisting much in the formation of coral islands are lime-forming seaweeds as well as polyps of the class hydrozoe.

TEACHERS