

# PORKERS BOOSTED 10 TO 30 CENTS

**PIVOTAL STOCK  
AVERAGE SLUMP  
CAUSES SELLING**

**Dow-Jones Industrial Table  
Falls to 139.93  
Level.**

### Average Stock Prices

Average price of twenty industrial stocks for Monday was 139.93, of 1,024. Average price of twenty rail stocks for Monday was 139.93.

*By United Press*

NEW YORK, April 12.—In view of the renewed decline in the industrial section of the market on Saturday's session which brought Dow-Jones average for this class of stocks down to 139.93, slightly more than four points above the year's low, considerable attention was paid over the weekend to a further drop. Professor Fisher's commodity index, which lost more than a point during the last week, receding to 50.7 from 51.8.

This downward tendency in the price situation caused additional selling at the start of the new week.

### Banks and Exchange

—April 12—  
Indianapolis bank clearings for today amounted to \$3,886,000. Bank debts for today totalled \$5,837,000.

**NEW YORK STATEMENT**  
*By United Press*

NEW YORK, April 12.—Clearings \$947,000,000; balances \$83,000,000.

### GRAIN PRICES ARE IRREGULAR

**Wheat Starts Lower in All Deliveries.**

*By United Press*

CHICAGO, April 12.—Grain prices opened irregular on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

Wheat opened fractionally lower in all deliveries. Despite the lower opening the opinion is prevalent that the real tone of the market is bullish. Today's statistics are expected to be bullish. With the known decrease in world's shipments as compared to a year ago, as well as the expected decrease in contracts, the situation is becoming more favorable to the buying side of the market.

Corn itself was irregular, opening unchanged in May and September and fractionally lower in July. Receipts in this grain are large and the cash market lacks demand.

Oats opened fractionally higher in all deliveries. Provisions opened unchanged.

### Chicago Grain Table

—April 12—  
**WHEAT**  
High, Low, 129.00, 128.00, Prev.  
May 1.60% 1.59% 1.60% 1.59% 1.54%  
May (old) 1.59% 1.58% 1.58% 1.57% 1.54%  
Sept. 1.32% 1.31% 1.31% 1.30% 1.24%  
**CORN**  
July 72% 71% 71% 71% 70%  
Sept. 78% 78% 78% 78% 78%  
**OATS**  
May 42% 41% 41% 41% 41%  
Sept. 42% 42% 42% 42% 42%  
**RYE**  
May .90% .91% .91% .91% .90%  
Sept. 92% .91% .91% .91% .91%  
**LARD**  
May 13.87 13.80 13.87 13.80 13.80  
Sept. 14.37 14.33 14.37 14.27 14.27  
**RIBS**  
May 14.45 14.45 14.45 14.45 14.45  
July 14.60 14.60 14.60 14.60 14.60  
**CHICAGO, April 12—Carlot receipts were: Wheat, 8; corn, 68; oats, 43; rye, 1.**

**CHICAGO, April 12—Primary receipts, Wheat, 63,000,000, against 57,700,000; corn, 57,000,000, against 39,700,000; oats, 507,000,000, against 417,000; rye, 370,000,000, against 502,000; oats, 591,000,000 against 701,000.**

### COUNSEL IN WASHINGTON

Arguments in Water Rate Case Appeal This week.

Taylor E. Groninger, former city corporation counsel, accompanied by Benjamin Park, arrived in Washington, D. C., today preparatory to making oral arguments Thursday or Friday before the United States Supreme Court, on the Indianapolis Water Company rate case.

Attorney General Arthur L. Gilfillom and his assistant, Edward Franklin White, will go later. Gilfillom is to open arguments on the appeal from the \$10,000,000 valuation allowed the company in Federal Court. Appeal was taken by the city and the public service commission.

### FOUR GIVEN SENTENCES

Youth Admits Stealing Auto for "Joy Riding."

Earl Bradley, 18, who admitted he stole an automobile for "joy riding," was fined \$1 and sentenced to one to fourteen years in the Indiana Reformatory today by Criminal Judge James A. Collins. Bradley said he served one year on the Indiana State Farm on a similar charge.

Raymond Taylor, 19, Negro, and John Hawkins, 24, Negro, pleaded guilty to grand larceny and were given a fine and sentence. Everett Smitha, 19, charged with petit larceny, was fined \$1 and sentenced to sixty days.

### WOMAN'S PURSE STOLEN

Man Snatches Pocketbook Containing \$16 and Flees.

Flora Mae Lawrence, 125 N. Noble St., reported a white man snatched her purse containing \$16 in front of 115 N. Noble St., today.

She said she was on the way to a grocery when the man grabbed her pocketbook and ran down an alley. She told Motorpolicemen Mitchell and William Englebright the man jumped on a truck in the alley.

### New York Stocks

(By Thompson & McKinnon)

—April 12—  
(All Quotations New York Time)

**Railroads**  
High, Low, 1.00, 1.00, close.

Atchison, 126 1/2 124 1/2 124 1/2

B & O, 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2

Canadian Pac, 155 1/2 155 1/2 155 1/2

C. & NW, 107 1/2 107 1/2 107 1/2

R. I. & P, 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2

Del. & L. & I, 135 1/2 135 1/2 135 1/2

Emp. 1st, 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Emp. 2nd, 88 1/2 88 1/2 88 1/2

Fr. 1st, 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2

Fr. 2nd, 75 1/2 75 1/2 75 1/2

Fr. 3rd, 72 1/2 72 1/2 72 1/2

Lehigh Val, 126 1/2 124 1/2 124 1/2

Mo. Pac, 77 1/2 75 1/2 75 1/2

N. Y. Central, 128 1/2 127 1/2 127 1/2

N. Y. & H. & B, 121 1/2 120 1/2 120 1/2

N. Y. & W. S, 100 1/2 98 1/2 98 1/2

North Pac, 79 1/2 70 1/2 70 1/2

Pere Mar., 141 1/2 141 1/2 141 1/2

Penn., 51 1/2 51 1/2 51 1/2

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