

Stock Quotations and Market News

Leased Wire Report.

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LOWER LEVEL SMARK TRADING IN WHEAT

CHICAGO, March 20.—The grain list closed at lower levels, $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ for wheat, $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢ for corn and $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢ for oats. The cash situation was dull, the sales being, wheat 5,000 bushels, corn 30,000 bushels and oats 30,000. None of this grain was for export. The seaboard reported some business on export accounts in both wheat and oats. There were fractional losses in the provision market all around.

BEEF TRADE SLACK DURING HOLY WEEK

Week after next week is holy week, and that means a good period of beef abstinance on part of a big share of the population. This is not a time when beef trade ever is good, and even if there is a little reaction in the market next week it will not be expected to last. The belief obtains, however, that prices have about hit the low point now and that any marked change will be for the better.

The week's run of 32,500 has been small indeed, and compares with 43,377 a week ago, while only 3,800 cattle have gone east. At six markets a five days crop of 116,000 shows 14,000 cut from a week ago, but apparently the demand situation has warranted fewer cattle in the west, since eastern killers have been smaller buyers in Chicago than in the two weeks previous.

The Chicago trade looks for 12,000 to 14,000 cattle for next Monday, but present demand conditions warrant the lighter number. This would compare with 14,335 last Monday and 17,840 a year ago next Monday.

Sermons on Farms

SPRAYING FOR PEARS AND QUINCES.

DORMANT SPRAY—Applied for San Jose scale and blister mite—Same as for apple; see Sermon No. 22.

FIRST SUMMER SPRAY—Applied for each scab, leaf spot, curculio, etc. Use concentrated lime sulphur diluted to test 1 degree Raume and arsenate of lead and the rate of two pounds to 50 gallons of the fungicide. Apply just as the fruit buds burst.

SECOND SUMMER SPRAY—Same as first. Applied just before blossoms open.

THIRD SUMMER SPRAY—Applied for codling moth, curculio, scab, etc. Material the same as first. Applied just as petals fall.

FOURTH SUMMER SPRAY—Applied for same as above using same materials. Apply three weeks after petals fall.

Representative Sales At Indianapolis

No.	HOGS.	Av. Price
7	392 \$6.90
41	325 6.95
47	325 7.00
35	322 7.00
21	263 7.05
53	227 7.25
66	229 7.35
65	128 7.40
65	168 7.40
86	176 7.40
51	189 7.40
22	207 7.40
45	165 7.45
62	202 7.45
67	178 7.50

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO.

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 20.—Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; market, steady; mixed and butchers, \$6.65@6.90; good heavies, \$6.40@6.65; light, \$6.65@6.90; pigs, \$5.50@6.50; bulk of sales \$6.75@6.85.

Cattle—Receipts, 200; market, weak; heaves, \$5.75@5.80; cows and heifers, \$3.90@7.40; calves, \$8.50@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; market, steady; natives, \$5.60@7.75; lambs, \$7.40@9.75.

CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, March 20.—Hogs—Receipts 2500; market, higher; packers and butchers, \$7.20@7.35; common to choice, \$5.50@6.35; pigs and lights, \$5.50@7.35.

Cattle—Receipts, 200; market, steady; calves, \$5.90@8.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 100; market, steady; lambs, steady.

INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 20.—Hogs—Receipts 2500; market, 15¢ higher; best hogs, \$6.95@7.35; heavies, \$7.00@7.40; pigs, \$6.75@7.25; bulk of sales, \$7.05@7.40.

Cattle—Receipts, light; market 10 and 15¢ lower; choice heavy steers, \$7.80@8.50; light steers, \$7.50@8.00; heifers, \$6.25@7.50; cows, \$5.50@8.75; bulls, \$6.00@6.50; calves \$6.00@10.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 100; market strong; prime sheep, \$6.00@6.50; lambs, \$8.50@9.75.

PRODUCE

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, March 20.—Butter: Receipts 7,175 tubs, firsts 25.

Eggs: Receipts 9,176 cases; firsts 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

Live Poultry: Chickens 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, springers 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢, roosters 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

Potatoes: Receipts 18 cars; Wisconsin and Michigan 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

No Business Slump Felt on the Farm

The farmer is a buyer because he is a producer of wealth. His earnings are bound to increase rather than decrease by reason of the war in Europe. Tell him that the war will have an effect in reducing his income and he'll point to the advanced prices for farmstuffs since the war began as the best argument in contradiction of such a prophecy.

This country is bound to be the grocery store for Europe. There will be plenty of response by the farmer to the call of manufacturers. He is going to purchase farm machinery, building materials, household goods and breeding stock.

We're called upon to feed Europe as well as our own people, and this will mean a sure increase in the demand for wheat, corn, beef and pork. Foodstuffs will not alone get the benefit of increasing demand. Cotton, wool, leather and clothing are going to be sold in much greater quantities. We must furnish shoes, clothing, blankets, harness and all the essentials of life to the European nations now at war.

The American farmer must realize—and he does—that no matter how long the war lasts or which of the contending nations may prove victorious in the end, he is bound to have a world-wide market for his products, and this will prove true in the next year as well as for several years longer.

It is time now when the farmer must operate for maximum production. The world demands a big yield and will pay a big price for it. To produce the maximum results the farmer must possess the best equipment. He must not content himself working with worn-out and inefficient tools. Antiquated equipment and wasteful methods of harvesting must give way to the economical and progressive methods.

To gain the best results from an assured greater market the farmer must bring his farming plant up to date and keep it in such condition. He must show his faith in the future prosperity of his industry by being a liberal patron of the manufacturers, spending his money judiciously and helping to establish in this country a sound basis of general business.

Bulletins on Live Stock

CHICAGO.

Receipts—Hogs, 9,000; cattle 200; sheep 4,000.

Market—Hogs, steady; cattle, weak; sheep, steady.

INDIANAPOLIS.

Receipts—Hogs, 2,500; cattle, light; sheep, 100.

Market—Hogs, 15¢ higher; cattle 10 to 15¢ lower; sheep, strong.

CINCINNATI.

Receipts—Hogs 2,500; cattle 200; sheep 100.

Market—Hogs, higher; cattle, steady; sheep, steady.

NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 20.—Dressed poultry dull; chickens 12@17, fowls 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ @17 $\frac{1}{2}$, turkeys 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ @22.

Live poultry, steady: fowls 17@18, turkeys 13@15, roosters 11@13.

Butter, steady: firsts 26@28 $\frac{1}{2}$, Eggs, firmer, white fancy 25@26.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE STOCK QUOTATIONS

BY CORRELL & THOMPSON, Brokers, 1. O. O. F. Bldg. Phone 1446.

American Can	.....	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	29
Amalgamated Copper	.....	56 $\frac{1}{2}$	56 $\frac{3}{4}$
American Smelter	.....	44 $\frac{1}{2}$	65
Beet Sugar	.....	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$
U. S. Steel	.....	44 $\frac{1}{2}$	45 $\frac{1}{2}$
Utah Copper	.....	54 $\frac{1}{2}$	54 $\frac{1}{2}$
Atchafalpa	.....	95 $\frac{1}{2}$	95 $\frac{1}{2}$
Eric	.....	22 $\frac{1}{2}$	22 $\frac{1}{2}$
N. Y. Central	.....	83 $\frac{1}{2}$	84
Lehigh Valley	.....	134	135
Norfolk & Western	.....	103	103
Pennsylvania	.....	104 $\frac{1}{2}$	104 $\frac{1}{2}$
Reading	.....	143 $\frac{1}{2}$	144
Southern Pacific	.....	83 $\frac{1}{2}$	83 $\frac{1}{2}$
Union Pacific	.....	120 $\frac{1}{2}$	120 $\frac{1}{2}$

GRAIN

CHICAGO CASH

CHICAGO, March 20.—Wheat: No. 2 red \$1.57 $\frac{1}{2}$, No. 3 red \$1.56 $\frac{1}{2}$. Corn: No. 4 white 71 $\frac{1}{2}$. Oats: No. 2 white 60 $\frac{1}{2}$, No. 4 white 58 $\frac{1}{2}$ @59 $\frac{1}{2}$, standard 60@60 $\frac{1}{2}$.

TOLEDO.

TOLEDO, March 20.—Wheat: Cash \$1.57. Clovers: Cash and March \$8.40. Alsike: Cash and March \$8.80. Timothy: Prime and March \$3.05.

CHICAGO FUTURES

BY CORRELL & THOMPSON, Brokers, 1. O. O. F. Bldg. Phone 1446.

	WHEAT	Low	Close
May	157 $\frac{1}{2}$	154
July	124 $\frac{1}{2}$	122 $\frac{1}{2}$
May	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	73 $\frac{1}{2}$
July	76 $\frac{1}{2}$	76 $\frac{1}{2}$
May	60 $\frac{1}{2}$	59 $\frac{1}{2}$
July	55 $\frac{1}{2}$	54 $\frac{1}{2}$
May	17.57	17.50
July	18.05	17.92

RICHMOND MARKETS

GLEN MILLER PRICES

	HOGS.	Low	Close
Heavy mixed	\$6.50	\$6.50
Heavy Yorkers	\$6.75	\$6.75
Light Yorkers	\$6.75	\$6.75
Pigs	\$5.00	\$5.00
Stags	\$5.00	\$5.00
Best steers	\$7.00	\$7.00
Good cows	\$5.00	\$5.00
Bulls	\$4.50	\$4.50
Canners	\$2.50	\$2.50
Calves	\$8.00	\$8.00
Top lambs	7c	7c

GRAIN MARKET

(Corrected daily by Richmond Roller Mill, Phone 2013.)

Brn per ton, \$30; wheat, paying 15¢, oats paying 50¢, corn paying 72¢, rye paying 85¢, middlings per ton \$32.

PRODUCE

(Corrected daily by Edward Cooper.) Chickens dressed, paying 18¢, selling 25¢. Country butter, paying 18¢ to 25¢; selling 25¢ to 35¢. Eggs, paying 15¢; selling 20¢. Country lard paying 11¢; selling 15¢. Creamery butter, selling 38¢. Potatoes, selling 60¢ bushel.

FEED QUOTATIONS

Clover hay, \$14.00.
Timothy hay, paying \$18.
Prairie hay, \$14.00.
Rye straw, paying \$7.
Wheat straw, paying \$6.
Oats, paying \$20.
New corn, paying 75¢.
Red clover seed, paying \$7.50.
Red clover, selling \$9.00@9.50.
Timothy seed, paying \$3.25 bushel.
Timothy seed selling \$4.00 bushel.
Ern sillin, \$28 ton.
Middlings, selling \$30 ton.
Salt, \$14.00 barrel.
Clover hay, \$14.
Tankage, \$48.00 ton.
Cotton seed meal, \$33 ton.
Oil meal, \$42 ton.

HORSE MARKET.

Prices corrected by Jones and Mings.
Tele. 1439.
Draft mares, 1400 to 1600 lbs, \$175 to \$250.
Draft geldings, 1400 to 1600 lbs, \$175 to \$200.
Farm chunks, 1200 to 1400 lbs, \$150 to \$200.
Express chunks, 1050 to 1200 lbs, \$125 to \$175.
Drivers, \$75 to \$150.
Plugs, \$40 to \$100.

COAL PRICES

(Quotations corrected daily by Hackman, Klefeth & Co.)
Anthracite nut, \$8.60; Anthracite No. 4 and egg, \$8.35; Pocahontas lump or egg, \$5.75; Pocahontas mine run, \$4.50; Pocahontas slack, \$4.00; Jack son lump or egg, \$5.75; Winifred, \$4.75; Jewel, \$5.25; Tennessee, \$5.50; Hocking Valley, \$4.50; Indiana, \$3.75; coke, \$7; Winifred Washed pea, \$4.00; nut and slack, \$3.00.

BOARD TO TRY

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tion of a street oiling policy in this city similar to that which has been adopted in Muncie. The board has also endorsed this plan and council, at its next meeting, will be asked to make an appropriation for a street oiling equipment, to be paid for out of the general fund.

Under the plan approved by the board property owners in each block would only have to pay the actual cost of putting down the oil, plus a very small charge to provide for depreciation of the equipment. Oiling would be done promptly by the city upon the filing of a petition, providing one or more resident property owners in the block specified in the petition sign a guarantee that the city will be reimbursed the actual cost of putting down the oil.

Place Petition Blanks. Blank petitions and guarantees will be on file at the city engineer's office the first of next week and it will be a case of first petitions filed first being done. This plan offers an exceptional opportunity for the oiling of every street in the city, not permanently improved, at a very nominal cost, much less than property owners have been accustomed to paying, and the work will be better done and more promptly than in the past. It will be under the direct supervision of the city engineer and the street commissioner.

TURKS DESTROY

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only three escaped, says a dispatch from Gallipoli.

The Irresistible did not sink for some time after it received the damage that finally sent it to the bottom. This gave an opportunity for its crew of 750 men to be rescued, but many were lost even after the disaster occurred.

Official Statement. The following official statement was issued today with additional de-

CHEATS U. S. GIRL; IS SENT TO PRISON



LADY SITWELL

Lady Ida Sitwell, sister of Lord Londesborough, wife of Sir George Sitwell, famous student of the spirit world, and one of the few men whose features have been immortalized by Sargent, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment for conspiring to cheat Miss Francis Dobbs, an American girl, out of \$30,000 on two bills of exchange drawn by Lady Ida. The bills were discounted by a money lender and subsequently dishonored. Lady Ida, it is said, was to have introduced Miss Dobbs in London society. Her husband is a publisher in London and has been a vigorous foe of fraud in the study of the occult.

tails of the fleet's attack on Thursday and it's repulse:

"A fleet of 16 iron-clads, including four British and three French battleships, cruisers and several torpedo boats and destroyers, opened fire in the afternoon. A portion of the fleet retired at 2 p. m., but eight iron-clads continued the bombardment until 6 o'clock, when all withdrew with the exception of the French battleship Bouvet and the British battleships Irresistible and Africa, which were torpedoed. Other ships were also hit hard.

"The seven hour fight ended with success for the allies. Only slight damage was done to the earthworks." (Note: Turkish observers of the battle probably mistook the Ocean for the Africa. The British admiral admits the Ocean was sunk.)

MORE SHIPS ARRIVE.

LONDON, March 20.—With three and perhaps four of the big battleships of the Anglo-French fleet sunk, and at least two others out of commission by reason of damage inflicted by Turkish guns, the task of forcing the Dardanelles has now swung into its critical and most dangerous phase. Although the strength of the fleet was materially impaired by the sinking of the Bouvet, the Irresistible and the Ocean, it is expected that the British dreadnoughts Queen Elizabeth and Henry IV which were ordered to reinforce the fleet will have reached the scene of operations within the next 48 hours.

Despite the damage inflicted by the Turkish guns the attack upon the Dardanelles forts will be continued by the Anglo-French fleet. According to a telegram from Athens, at a conference of admirals on board the French battleship Suffren on Friday, it was decided to continue the attack upon the Dardanelles forts from the sea. The decision was communicated to the warship and received with acclamation.

PENNY STARTS

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to merchants for \$5 and admit them to membership for a year.

In addition to the election of Mr. Penny, the section ratified the report of the nominating committee by electing Fred Kennedy vice president, E. M. Haas secretary, and Edgar F. Hiatt treasurer. Five directors were elected. They are Philip Birck, J. F. Hase-meier, Lon Kennedy, M. J. Quigley and O. P. Nusbaum. Mr. Hase-meier and Mr. Kennedy are new members, replacing W. D. Loehr and Jacob Lichtenfels.

Take Up Criticisms. Members took up the criticism made by former President Seidel of the Commercial club, that the merchants were lax in following the honor system of the section. It was charged that the merchants do not discriminate in advertising and thus made the system of protection inefficient.

Members promised that they will not give advertising to unworthy projects, especially those brought in by outside promoters. The newspapers will receive almost the entire patronage of the advertisers and special church and lodge programs will not be patronized unless the sanction committee approves of the scheme.

A new sanction committee will be appointed by Mr. Penny. The names of the committee members are kept secret because of the nature of the work they must perform.

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Architect and Building
Superintendent.
Room 2. Leeds Bldg.

Try Cooper's Blend Coffee

MILTON CONCERT BAND PLAYS FOR NEW CLUB

Heavy Snow Clinging to Telephone Wires Disables Service to Milton Patrons—Mr. Zook Traps Two Chicken Hawks of Unusual Size, Measuring Fifty Inches.

MILTON, Ind., March 20.—The Boosters club met Thursday evening with a good attendance for the inclement night. A miscellaneous program was observed important features of which were a concert by the band. Special numbers given were several Scottish airs, that were very beautiful and pleasing to the audience. By request Miss Kathryn Hoshour gave the song "Tipperary" with accompaniment by the band. The song was enjoyed and Miss Hoshour returned and gave the chorus and by request of Albert Newman, leader of the band all joined in the chorus. Miss Ruth Eberton, Raymond Bryant and Chas. Shank, each gave readings that were loudly applauded and the readers called back several times. Several items of business were brought before the club but plans as yet are not ready for publication. The next meeting will be on Thursday evening at the hall and the special program will be another mock trial of which particulars will be given later.

The M. E. prayer meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Borders, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Hettie Bennett is some improved.

New Members Apply. A number of applicants for charter members for the Tribe of Ben Hur, went to Richmond Friday night to receive the degrees before the Tribe is instituted here.

The Rev. F. C. McCormick will preach at the Christian church, Sunday morning and evening. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mrs. Albert Newman was a Richmond visitor, Friday.

The high school orchestra enjoyed a fine rehearsal Thursday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Heist was among a party of twelve at dinner with Mrs. Hattie Palmer at East Germantown Thursday.

Miss Florence Newman is in receipt of an invitation to the wedding of Frank Nation Champe of Dublin, to Mae Noye Clark, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clark, College Hill, Emporia, Kansas, Wednesday, March 24. The ceremony will be a four o'clock p. m.

Miss Creek, a returned Missionary, will speak at the M. E. church, Sunday evening, under the auspices of the W. F. M. S. The offering will go to the credit of the society. The church orchestra will furnish the music for the evening. Everybody is invited to attend.

Catches Large Hawks. Mr. Zook, tenant on Andrew Kerber's farm, south of town, baited chickens to catch the chicken hawk Thursday. He caught a pair of hawks of great size. The larger measured 50 inches from tip to tip of the wings. He also caught three large crows. The birds were all caught within two hours.

The Rev. Walter Jerge, pastor of Friends church, will hold his regular services Sunday morning and evening. Everybody is invited.

Mrs. Christian Kerber and Miss Clemmie Maret were guests of Mrs. Zook at the farm south of town Thursday.

Jos. Kileber is suffering from a very bad eye, caused by taking cold. His brother, Louis Kileber, is also in ill health.

A heavy snow fell here during Thursday night and Friday morning. Trees and telephone poles and wires were loaded. Several telephone poles were broken from the weight, here, disabling services.

Market Basket News

An excellent variety of fruit is being offered by produce dealers for the Saturday trade, and prices have been so fixed as to be within the range of all. All fruits and green produce are being subjected to more careful grading than has been customary during the winter, and is said to be the result of competition which has developed among produce dealers and others buying from local commission houses.

Grapefruit is priced at two for 5 cents, 5 cents each and six for 25 cents; cranberries 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 10 cents a quart; apples 25 to 50 cents a peck; bananas 10 to 20 cents a dozen; oranges 10 to 30 cents a dozen; pineapples, 20 cents each; coconuts, 10 cents each; strawberries, 40 cents a quart.

Lettuce can be had at 10 to 18 cents a pound, with most grocers selling at the latter price; celery, 5 and 10 cents a bunch; green onions, 5 cents a bunch; cauliflower, 10 and 25 cents each; eggplant 15 cents each; ripe tomatoes, two for 5 cents, 5 cents each and three for 10 cents, or 20 cents a pound; spring spinach, 15¢ pound.

The cost of flour advanced 10 cents a hundred pounds this week, but the price to the consumer was not raised and is steady at \$4 a hundred pounds. Sugar was also increased 15 cents a hundred, but the selling price remains \$1.65 for a 25-pound sack.

Eggs are not so plentiful as last week, and there has been an increase of 1 cent in the price paid farmers. The price is still 10 cents but may be expected to increase at any time