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Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward, Montreal, May 22.—Close

MONTREAL UNLISTED.
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by Johnston & Ward.
Montreal, May 22.
Argonaut—6,350 at 80, 1,500 at 79.

STANDARD EXCHANGE

SHARP DECLINES ARE FOLLOWED BY RALLY

Traders Hopeful That Downward Swing Is at Last Ended.

BY STUART P. WEST.

Clarke Childs—Old-line standard dividend-paying rails should be purchased.

Harris Winthrop—Fayor the constructive side of standard stocks.

Post & Flagg—We should see more largain hunters in evidence from now on. Laidlaw—Feeling of caution continues to spread. on. Laidlaw—Feeling of caution continues to spread.

Jones, Easton, McCallum—All businesses are so closely related that a change in the one brings about one in the other, and as a result, there is noticeable a gradual change in sentiment and a greater willingness to admit some of the bearish arguments. There is certainly nothing encouraging in the market itself, and further liquidation and lower prices may be antici-

GRAIN.

Lamson Bros—We favor the buying side of wheat on moderate recessions.

Corn looks tregularly lower.

Bartlett Frazier—Believe grains are

a purchase on dips. Hurlburd Warren—Anticipate firmer Stein Alstrin—Favor buying wheat on declines, but corn looks a bulge sale.

Jones, Easton, McCallum—From a standpoint of foreign buying power, European crop outlook and Russian uncertainty, the outlook seems to be for lower prices. On the other hand, the question of total yield of the new crop in the United Statem is considered of m the United States is considered of votal importance, and the prospects at the moment are for a considerable re-

RAILWAY EARNINGS

Canadian National Ruilway earnings statement for second week of May shows gross at \$4,812,088, this being an increase of \$906,376. From January 1, \$81,727,318 increase is \$10,333,077.

GOVERNMENT LOANS

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The following is the Victory bond market, as reported by Aemilius Jarvis & Co., Ltd. Tuesday, May 22.

51/2% VICTORY.
Tuesday Change from Yield close. Monday. about. 1923. 100.55. unch. 4.30 1924. 100.55. — 5 5.13 1927. 103.20. unch. 4.70 1933. 105.25. — 5 4.84 1934. 102.85. unch. 5.17 1937. 102.45. unch. 4.60 1931. 101.40. unch. 4.80 1931. 101.40. unch. 4.80 1931. 101.40. unch. 4.80 1937. 102.45. unc

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Directors of the Pacific Oil Company on Monday declared a dividend of \$1 a share, payable July 20. The company for the last two years has been paying semi-annual dividends of \$1.50 each. A statement said today's action was taken because of known conditions in the cil industry.

Anaconda declared quarterly dividend of 75 cents, payable July 23 to shareholders of record June 16.

Texas Co. declared regular quarterly 75 cents dividend, payable June 30 to shareholders of record June 8.

Canadian General Electric 106 Canadian Pacific Railway 168342 Hudson's Bay 714

Erie 111

SOUTHERN CANADA POWER

The following are the gross and met

EXCHANGE RATES.

New York, May 22.—Sterling exchange irregular. Demand rates in cents: Great Britain, 463½; France, 6.64½; Italy, 4.82; Germany, .0018.

Canadian dollars, 1 31-32 per cent

GOLD AND SILVER

New York, May 21. — Foreign bar silver, per oz. 66%c. New York, May 22.—Foreign bar silver, 66%c.

How the Stocks Closed Today

New York

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company, New York, May 22.—Close.

ward Swing Is at Last

By STUART F. WEST.

Was Street. New York. May 22.—Above the street of the str

Westinghouse ... 634 634 632

FOREIGN EXCHANGE Reported for The Advertiser
by Johnston & Ward.

Tuesday, May 22.
New York.
19.20. France 6.65½ \$4.73¼
19.20. France 6.65½ 5.665
19.30. Belgiam 5.73½ 5.83
19.30. Italy 4.81
19.30. Swittland 18.96 18.43
30.20. Holland 29.16 19.30 . Switt'land . 18.06 18.43 40.00 19.30 . Holland . 39.16 40.00 19.30 . Spain . 15.24 15.56 22.60 . Germany . 56.338 .0017½ 26.80 . Sweden . 26.69 27.29 26.80 . Norway . 16.16 16.54 18.90 26.80 . Denmark . 18.54 18.90 32.44 . Brazil . 10.25 10.40 New York funds, 2 1-32 to 2 1-16 per cent

26.80. Denmark 18.55 18.94

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32.41 Brazil 10.25 10.40

New York funds, 21-32 to 21-16 per cent.

TORONTO EXCHANGE.

Toronto, May 22.—1 p.m.—Reported by Glazebrook & Cronyn.
Money. Buyers. Sellers. Counter.
N.Y. funds. Par Par 18.74

Ster. demand 4.73 4.7325 4.7350

Cable trans. 4.7325 4.7350

Ster. in N.Y. demand. 4.63 7.16

Cables. 5.10

Canadian Westinghouse 127.00 132.00

Dunlop Tire, 6s 99.00

Eastern Car. 6s. 93.25 96.00

English Electric, pfd. 75.50 78.50

Guardian Realty, 6s 85.00

Ster. in N.Y. demand. 4.7325 4.7350

Imperial Tobacco 5.50

Inter. Milling, pfd. 7% 97.501100.00

King Edward Hotel, 7s. 85.50

Mount Royal, 8% deb, 20%

bonus. 100.00

North Mexico Dev. pfd. 27.00 32.00

North Mexico Dev. pfd. 38.500 90.00

North Mexico Dev. pfd. 27.00 32.00

Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward. New York, May 22. cocks. | Bid. | Ask.

Ottawa, May 22.—The export of silver bullion from Canada for year ending April 30, as compared with the same period of last Gross earnings. \$79,999 30 \$65,716 91 Operating expenses and purchased power . 33,813 67 30,242 36

Net earnings. \$45,185 63 \$35,474

Montreal

Toronto Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward. Toronto, May 22—Close. Toronto, May 22.—Close:

Stocks.

Argonaut—6,350 at 80, 1,500 at 79.
Dryden—50 at 19.
Hollinger—200 at 12.16, 150 at 12.15.
Riordon com.—25 at 40.
Riordon pfd.—80 at 4.
Saguenay pfd.—5 at 1½, 20 at 1¼.
St. Maurice Power—9 at 42.
South. Can. Power—100 at 40.
Tramway Power—50 at 14¾.
Argonaut—2,000 at 78, 1,500 at 79.
Hollinger—100 at 12.05, 200 at 12.00, 100 at 11.95, 100 at 12.15, 100 at 12.00.
Eastern Engineering—20 at 22¾, 200 at 22, 10 at 22½, 25 at 25.
South. Can. Power—75 at 40.

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones Easton, McCallum Co. Clifton 23 23 21 22 Dome Mines 35.70 35.70 31.50 34.50

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

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UNLISTED SECURITIES

BANK OF MONTREAL REPORT

SHOWS INCREASED DEPOSIT

Special to The Advertiser.
Toronto, May 22.—Furnished by A.
Pattison, Jun., & Co.:

Consols for money London, May 22.

British 5 per cent loan 101

British 4½ per cent loan 831,

Atchison British 4½ per cent loan 98½
Atchlson 97½
Canadian Pacific 151¾
Chicago, Great Western 4½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 20¾
De Beers 14¾
Denver and Rio Grande 7½
Erie 10½
do, 1st preferred 15¾
Grand Trunk 97½
Illinois Central 167¾
Illinois Central 92½
New York Central 92½
Norfolk and Western 16¾
Ontario and Western 16¾
Rand Mines 2½
Reading 7½
Rand Mines 2½
Reading 7½
Southern Railway 29½
Southern Railway 29½
Southern Pacific 18¾
Union Pacific 18¾ Abitibi G. Mtge., 6s, 1940... 96.50 97.00 Aberta-Pacific Grain, com., 107.00 115.00

New York, May 21.—The raw sugar market was quiet early today, and no sales were reported. The undertone was firm, and holders were asking 6½c for Cubas, cost and freight, equal to 8.28c for centrifugal.

The raw sugar futures market opened 3 to 4 points lower under scattered liquidation, but firmed up on covering and buying by commission houses, prompted by reports of a slight improvement in the demand for refined, and at midday prices were 3 to 4 points net higher.

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While new business in refined sugar is still light, there is a better withdrawal demand reported and less offering in second hand quarters. Prices were unchanged, at \$9.50 to \$3.90 to \$3.90 for fine granulated.

Refined futures were nominal,

Toronto, May 21.—The wholesale quotations to the retail trade on Canadian refined sugar, Toronto delivery, are now as follows: Granulated, 100-lb. bags, \$11.04.
No. 1 yellow, 100-lb. bags, \$10.64.
No. 2 yellow, 100-lb. bags, \$10.54.
No. 3 yellow, 100-lb. bags, \$10.44.

New York, May 22.—The market for coffee futures today closed net 4 to 10 points higher. Sales were estimated at about 6.000 bags. Closing: May, \$9.90; July, \$9.40; Sept., \$8.44; Dec., \$8.08; March, \$8; May, 1924, \$7.95.

Spot coffee quiet. Special to The Advertiser.

Detroit, May 21.—Detroit clearing-house banks' uniform rate of exchange on Canadian currency for Tuesday will be at a discount of \$2.10 per \$100.

FOUR WORKMEN KILLED IN GIANT SNOWSLIDE

New York, May 21.—Money on call stronger, 4½ to 5½ per cent; ruling rate 4½.

Time loans steadys 60-days bills, 5 to 5¼ per cent; 90-days, 5 to 5½; six months, 5 to 5½; prime mercantile paper, 5. Associated Press Despatch. Denver, Col., May 21.-A giant snowslide sweeping down the mountain side at a terrific rate of speed, struck the west end of a tunnel on the Denver and Salt Lake Railroad between Corona and Dixie Lake, Col., today, killing four workmen and in-

FREIGHTER OXONIAN GETS TO ST. JOHNS FOR REPAIRS

Operating expenses and purchased power... 33,813 67 30,242 36

Net earnings... \$45,185 63 \$85,474 55
Seven months ending April 30.

1923. 1922.

Gross earnings expenses and purchased power... 240,718 26 214,001 45

Net earnings... \$206,748 38 \$284,772 15

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WEAKNESS AT NEW YORK STARTS SELLING MOVE

Prevents Drastic

Reported for The Advertiser by Johnston & Ward. Montreal, May 22.—Weakness in Wall session was the signal for the starting of a selling movement on the Montrea Stock Exchange, which, however, was of short duration, a fair amount of support having developed in time to prevent a drastic decline.

Brazilian Traction piled up the biggest turnover on the list, and the price eased off to a new low level on the movement. Later, however, it improved. The foreign exchange situation might have been a factor in the weakness of this issue, in fact Brazilian milreis broke 18 points from yesterday's level, the quotation standing 10.17 cents to the milreis. Montreal Power also displayed great activity around 121 to a fraction better. Twin City, although not very active, eased off to 64. Bell Telephone remained firm at 121, while only broken lots of Quebec Railway changed hands, at 23½ and 23¾.

In the opening period of the session Abitibl sold at 63½, but around the noon hour it was again up to 64. Canadian Cottons was the weakest issue in its group, losing 3½ points from the last board lot at 116.

In the specialty group, Asbestos comof short duration, a fair amount of

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE. Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, May 22.—There was unusual activity on the local stock market this morning, particularly for Barcelona and Brazilian and the mining shares.
On transaction in excess of 1,500 shares Barcelona advanced a point and a half to 18%, but Brazilian was weaker, losing % at 47%c.
Mining stocks were generally lower, with Dome off 50c at \$35.25; McIntyre 45c lower at \$17.65, and Crown Reserve off %c at 72%c.
An odd lot of Mackay changed hands at 108, a decline of 2 points from last night's closing, while Twin City lost a point at 64. Toronto, May 22.-There was un

Canadian Press Despatch. Lake were unchanged.

A gain of ½c in Crown Reserve at 71½c was practically the only one recorded.

Beaver lost 2c at 37c, and Keeiey 2c at \$1.85. Castle Trethewey was down ½c at 25c, and Temiskaming 1c at 40c.

WHEAT ACREAGE IS LESS THAN IN PREVIOUS YEARS!

Northwest is considerably less than last year, according to official reports just made public today. Grain in the south-ern districts is showing a good stand, and meisture has generally been suffi-

has been greatly reduced this year, owing to the poor prices for the 1922

New York. May 21.—Hops quiet; state, 1922, \$17 to \$20; 1921, \$11 to \$12; Pacific coast, 1922, \$14 to \$17; 1921, \$12 to \$18.

Special to The Advertiser.
Detroit, May 21.—Beans, immediate

and prompt shipment, \$7.25 per cwt. at shipping points.

New York, May 21.—Copper steady. Electrolytic—Spot and futures, 15½c to 15½c. Tin—Easy; spot and futures, \$42.75. Iron—Steady; No. 1 northern. \$30 to \$22; No. 2 northern, \$29 to \$31; No. 2 southern. \$27. southern, \$27 to \$31; No. 2 southern, \$27. Lead—Steady; spot, \$7.25. Zinc—Steady; East St. Louis. spot and nearby delivery, \$6.65 to \$6.75. Antimony—Spot, \$7.30.

Montreal, May 21.—The demand for rolled oats continues to be limited. Flour—Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, \$7.30; seconds, \$6.30; strong bakers, \$6.60; winter patents, choice, \$6.15. Rolled oats-Bag, 90 lbs., \$3.10 \$3.20. Shorts—Per ton, \$30. Bran—Per ton, \$28. Middlings—Per ton, \$35.

Toronto, May 21.—Flour quotations: Manitoba flour—First patents, \$7.10; seconds patents, \$6.50.
Ontario flour—90 per cent patents, Montreal. \$5.10 to \$5.20; do., Toronto. \$5.05 to \$5.15; do., bulk, seaboard, \$4.95 to \$5.

Minneapolis, May 21. — Flour unchanged; family patents, \$6.80 to \$7 a barrel; shipments 37,189 barrels.

Bran—Per ton, \$27.

Everything the Farmer Trades In

Wheat is now quoted at \$1.25 per bu, and the one load brought in was sold at this price. One load of straw—the first in some

Barley, per cwt..... 2 00 Buckwheat, per cwt... 2 25

Oats, per cwt...... 1 75 Wheat, per cwt..... 1 90 Hay and Straw.

lorse radish, bunch..

do, head....

Turkeys, hens, over 9 lbs each.....

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9 lbs each ... 26 to
do, young gobblers ... 26 to
do, old gobblers ... 24 to
do, old gobblers ... 24 to
Live Stock.
Hogs, selects, cwt... 10 25 to 10
Figs, small, pair ... 12 00 to 10
Sows, fat, cwt... 6 00 to
Dressed Meats, Wholesale.
Heifers and steers, 500
to 600 lbs. cwt... ... 11 00 to 10

Cow beef, 400 to 500 lbs, per cwt. 900 Beef, hinds, lb. 12 do, fronts, lb. 9 Hogs, per cwt. 14 00 Pork, per quarter. 17 Lamb, choice, cwt. 25 00 Veal, per cwt. 8 00 Hides. Cow hides, No. 1 7

Sheep skins, each.

Good Support Develops and PRODUCE AND PLANTS Reaction.

Large Display of Material For Amateur Gardeners On Local Square.

sold at two quarts for 25c. Spinach was 50c a peck, cucumbers 3 for 25c, tomatoes 25c per lb, green onions 6 bunches for 25c—and so on.

Rhubarb is rather slow of sale at 50c

STANDARD MINING EXCHANGE. Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, May 22.—Trading was widespread and twice as heavy as yesterday
on the Standard Exchange this morning. There was a general drop in the
market, and practically every stock
suffared some loss. Dome Mines again
let the decline, 75c lower at \$35. McIntyre came next with a loss of 50c at
\$17.50. Lake Shore was 5c lower at
\$3.20. Buckingham 2c at 31c, New Ray
2c at 37c, Vipond 2c at 68c, Teck-Hughes
1c at \$1.32. Hollinger and Kirkland
Lake were unchanged.

THAN IN PREVIOUS YEARS

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Paul, Minn., May 22.—The acreage of bread wheat and durum in the Northwest is considerably less than last Calvages.

cient, but continued warm weather is needed.
Jobbers and retailers throughout this section report that this factor is needed in their business no less than in wheat. The cold weather of the last month has had a decided slackening effect on drygoods, notions, men's clothing and furnishings sales.
The potato acreage of the Northwest has been greatly reduced this wear. Turnips, 50 lbs..... 60

Honey, Wholesale.

Honey, 5-lb palis.... 55

do, strained lb.... 12

do, comb, lb.... 25

Honey, Retail. Honey, 5-lb pails.... do, strained, lb....

OILS

Liverpool, May 22.—Turpentine spirits, 116s.

Kerosene No. 1, 1s 1d; kerosene No. 2, 1s 2d.

Rosin—Common, 13s 6d.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Montreal, May 21.—Prices were down 1c per pound in butter. There was a decline of 1o per dozen in the price of No. 2 stock eggs. Other grades were unchanged.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 32c to 33c. Eggs, Selected, 34c; No. 1 stock, 31c; No. 2 stock 28c.

New York, May 21.—Butter unsettled; receipts 8.580. Creamery, higher than extras 41½c to 42c, extras (92 score) 41c, firsts (88 to 91 score) 33%c to 40%c; state dairy, finest, 40%c; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 25c.

Chicago, May 22.—Butter lower; creamery, extras, 39½c.

Eggs higher: receipts, 45,806 cases; firsts, 25c to 25½c. du%c; state dairy, finest, 40%c; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 25c.

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Wool, coarse, lb..... 18 to do, medium, lb.... 21 to do, fine, lb..... 24 to do, rejections, lb... 12 to New York. May 21.—Chese firm; receipts 227,539 pounds; State whole milk flats, fresh fancy, 22%c to 23c; do. average run, 22½c; state whole milk twins, held fancy, 28½c to 29c; do. average run, 27½c to 28c; state whole milk twins, fresh fancy, 22½c; do., average run, 22¼c.

New York, May 21. — Flour quiet spring patents, \$6.30 to \$6.75; spring clears, \$5.50 to \$6; soft winter straights, \$5.75 to \$6; hard winter straights, \$5.96 to \$6.75.

HAY AND STRAW

Liverpool, May 22.—Cheese—Conadian, finest white, 194s; colored, 193s.

Winnipeg, May 21. — With foreign traders observing a holiday, trading was light and of a featureless char-acter on the local wheat market today.

acter on the local wheat market today, although price advances were recorded. Values held firm throughout the session, closing 3/c to 1c up, with October leading the advance.

Both Canadian and United States interests are watching the crop situation closely, and the market appears to be in a position to readily respond to any news that might be construed as a bull-sh factor.

toes 25c per lb, green onions 6 bunches for 25c—and so on.

Rhubarb is rather slow of sale at 50c a dozen, with a heavy supply. Asparagus ranged from \$1 to \$1.25 per dozen bunches.

For dairy butter 35c to 35c per lb was a for and every sold retail at around way.

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disposed of before noon at \$12 to \$10 per ton. If pasturage comes along now the offerings of hay will become smaller Year ago, 239. Oats, 43; barley, 17; flax, 2.

TUESDAY'S OPENING PRICES. Winnipeg, May 22.—Opening futures: Wheat—May unchanged at \$1.18½; uly unchanged to ½c higher at \$1.16½, of \$1.19½; October higher at \$1.16½. Oats—May unchanged at 48%c; July inchanged at 49½c; October ½c lower 443%c t 44%c.

Barley—May 1/2c higher at 561/4c; July inchanged at 58c.

Flax—July unchanged at \$2.42%; Ocober unchanged at \$2.201/2.

Rye—October unchanged at 761/2c.

WINNIPEG GRAIN FUTURES.

Benorted for The Advertiser.

Winnipeg, May

CHICAGO

Chicago, May 21.—Influenced chiefly by unfavorable crop reports and by announcement of a big decrease in the United States visible supply, the wheat market scored something of an increase in price today. Closing quotations were unsettled, at \$2c to \$4c net gain, with July \$1.1614 to \$1.165% and September \$1.146% to \$1.146% and September \$1.146% to \$1.147. Corn finished at a range varying from \$4c decline to \$5c. Calves varied in price according to \$4c advance; oats at \$5c. of to a shade up, and provisions unchanged to pound. shade up, and provisions unchanged to pound. be higher. Reports at hand indicated a wider

wheat.

Cash prices:
Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$1.20 to \$1.2014;

No. 2 hard, \$1.1912 to \$1.2014

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 81c; yellow, 8212c to 8312c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 4414c to 45c; No. 3 white, 4312c to 4414c.

Rye—No. 2, 78c.

Barley—67c to 71c.

CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES.

TUESDAY'S OPENING PRICES.

Chicago, May 22.—Wheat took a fresh upturn in price today during the early dealings. Unfavorable crop reports, especially from the southwest, acted as the chief bullish influence. Buying lacked volume, however, and gains failed to hold well. The opening, which ranged from ½c to ½c up. was followed by a moderate further advance and then something of a reaction.

Unfavorable weather for corn planting gave firmness to corn and oats. After opening unchanged to ½c higher, the corn market scored slight gains. Oats started unchanged to higher and later continued to harden.

Futures opened:

Wheat—May \$1.18%: July \$2.16%.
Corn—May 80%c; July 79%c.
Oats—May \$2½c; July 79%c.
CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.
Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum.
Chicago, May 22.—Close.
Wheat—Open High Low Chose to 600 lbs, cwt.....11 00 to 12 00 Cow beef, 400 to 500

May 80 8014 78% 8014 July 795 80% 7834 8014 Sept. 7814 79 7734 79 May

Toute, May 21.—Market quotations on the least board of trade today were:
Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern. \$1.26%.
Manitoba oats—No. 2 C. W., 56¼c;
No. 3 C. W., 53¼c; No. 1 feed, 51½c.
American corn—No. 2 yellow, \$1.01%;
No. 3 yellow, \$1.00%.
Ontario oats—No. 2 white, 51c to 53c.
Ontario wheat Nowlean Ontario wheat—Nominal.
Peas—No. 2, \$1.45 to \$1.50.
Barley—Malting, 60c to 62c.
Buckwheat—No. 2, 74c to 76c.
Rye—No. 2, 79c to \$1c.

Montreal, May 21.—At the Quebec Agricultural Co-operative Society's auction sale today, there were 1,995 packages of creamery butter offered, of which 375 packages pasteurized creamery sold at 30% o per 1b; 560 packages No. 1 creamery at 29% o per 1b; 560 packages No. 1A creamery at 22% o per 1b; 250 packages No. 2 creamery at 28% o per 1b, and 250 packages No. 2A creamery at 28% o per 1b. MONTREAL.

Montreal, May 21.—Trade in cash grain in the domestic market was again quiet, there being little demand from any source for supplies.

Corn—American, No. 2 yellow. \$1.01.
Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 65c; No. 3, 62c; extra No. 1 feed, 53c; No. 2 local white, 53c. Isle Verte, Que., May 21.—At the meeting of the board 400 packages of creamery butter were offered, and were all sold to a local house at 28 11-16c per lb.

MINNEAPOLIS.
Minneapolis, May 21.—Grain quota-

TRADE HOLDS STEADY Grain Markets THOUGH LESS ACTIVE

Milkers and Springers in Demand-Common Grades Meet Poor Sale.

closely, and the market appears to be in a position to readily respond to any news that might be construed as a bullish factor.

The local market this morning prepresented a fine display of garden plants and a heavy supply of green vegetables, flowers, etc., and it is devoutly hoped by all concerned that spring weather has arrived at last. Many wagon loads of produce were on the market, and the buyers were numerous. The many boxes of plants for the garden were of sturdy growth and in fine shape to set out. Though the season is passing quickly, the conditions are of the best for transplanting, and no doubt the holiday this week will be the chosen itime for this work. The prices of the boxed plants are 25c; parsley, cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley, cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley, cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley, cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley, cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley, cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley, cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley, cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley cosmos and asters, 35c, and salvias, 49c. Sealed states, 31.18½, No. 3, \$1.14½, No. 4, \$1.09\%; boxed plants are 25c; parsley cosmos and asters lower. Quotations: Calves, choice 9 00 to 10 (do, medium

Chicago, May 21.—Cattle — Receipts 19,000; active: most killing classes 10c to 15c higher; desirable beef heifers more in spots; closed firm; top steers \$10.65; best long yearlings \$10.75; mixed steers and heifers \$10.25; bulk beef steers \$8.75 to \$10.10; several loads higher; better grades reflecting advance; bulk desirable bologna bulk \$5.35; bulk vealers to packers \$8.75; \$9.50; bulk canners and cutters \$3.75; \$5: bulk stockers and \$8.25. Hogs—Receipts 58.000; uneven; most/ Hogs—Receipts 58.000; uneven; most/ 240-pound avers

Hogs—Receipts 58,000; uneven; most 1 10c to 20c lower; spots off more; to \$7.75; bulk 180 to 240-pound averag \$7.55 to \$7.70; 256 to 250-pound butch ers \$7.30 to \$7.50; packing sows most! \$6.15 to \$6.50; bulk desirable 110 to 130-pound pigs \$6.25 to \$6.85; estimated holdover 18,000.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000; slow; fed lambs mostly 10c to 25c lower; best 86-pound average to city butchers \$15.25 bulk \$14.50 to \$15; few choice 110-pound average \$13; hand weight sheep an bulk \$14.50 to \$15; few choice 110-pound average \$13; hand weight sheep an yearlings steady to strong; heavy sheep unevenly lower; choice 118-pound California ewes \$7.75; 160-pound nativ. \$5.50; 106-pound California yearling \$14; 121-pound averages out at \$11 seven decks Texas wethers \$8; thre decks choice 72-pound California spring decks choice 72-pound California spring

EAST BUFFALO. area of wheat crop impairment in the southwest than had heretofore been generally believed probable. Some of the counties of largest production in Kansas were pictured as having deteriorated at a rapid rate, and there were also advices that parts of Oklahoma were showing equally at a disadvantage.

On the other hand, weakness of stocks led at times to downturns in wheat values, and so, too, did selling to realize profits.

Rallies to the highest prices of the day in the wheat market took place after it was shown that the domestic visible supply showed a falling off of 4,107.000 bushels.

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Chicago, May 21.—Buying on the par of smaller packers gave firmness to the provision market, after a decline du lower quotations on hogs. Cash prices: Pork-Nominal, Ribs—\$8.75 to \$9.75. Future quotations: Lard—July, \$11.20; Sept., \$11.42. Ribs—July, \$9.25; Sept., \$9.42. Liverpool, May 22.—Hams, short cu 14 to 16 lbs., 67s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 22 to 36 lbs 72s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 35 lbs., 76s; short clear backs, 12 20 lbs., 70s 6d; shoulders, square, 1 to 16 lbs., 57s 6d. Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 6 9d; American, refined, pails, 28 lbs

Montreal, May 21.—A good trade provails in the potato market. Per bag Chicago, May 21.—Timothyseed, \$5. p. \$6.25 per cwt

Toronto, May 22.—Wholesalers algovernment standard No. 1 seed, f.o. quoting the following selling prices for the standard of the second selling prices for the second selling selling prices for the second selling sell oronto:
Red clover, per cwt., \$26.
Alsike, per cwt., \$17.
Timothy, per cwt., \$11 to \$12.
Alfalfa, Ont., per cwt., \$27.

Duluth, May 21.—Linseed: May, \$2. bid: July, \$2.74½ bid; Sept., \$2.53% bid Oct., \$2.46½ bid. EGG MARKET REVIEW

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Ottawa, May 21.—The egg market a little easier, and reports say Ontar country shippers are paying 24c to 2 and making sales of straight gather at 26c to 28c, f.o.b. British Columbia-Unchanged British Columbia—Unchanged.
Chicago—Spot unchanged; refrige
ators, Oct. 29c.
New York—Unchanged.
British cable (prices shillings per
dozen):
Glasgow—Irish 10s to 11s f.o.b., fs
supply; Danish sixteens 10½s to 18
eighteens 12s f.o.b., poor demand;
tail 11-16s to 2s.

COTTON

New York, May 21.—Cotton futuclosed steady. Closing bids: J. 22.35c; May, 27.14c; July, 25.64d; O. 25.03c; Dec., 22.60c. Spot cotton closed steady. Midd uplands 27.35e Wheat—No. 1 northern. \$1.21½
\$1.29½; May, \$1.21½; July, \$1.221
Sept., \$1.19%.
Corn—No. 3 yellow, 80c to 80½c.
Oats—No. 3 white, 29%c to 40%c.
Flax—No. 1, \$2.94 to \$2.99.