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LAST EDITION LIVE STOCK MARKET

Official Receipts, 8 Cars, 237
Cattle; 54 Cars, 3,992 Hogs;
3 Cars, 797 Sheep.

CATTLE TRADE VERY QUIET

Conditions Prevalent Suggest
Conservative Marketing For
The Coming Week.

DECLINES OF WEEK SEVERE

Not Enough Shee Stock Here to Es-
tablish Regular Market. Good
Kinds Decline 15 to 25c This
Week, Others off 25 to 35c—
Heavy Feeders in Limited Demand
at Late Decline, Fair Inquiry For
Light Stock Cattle—Another 1-2
to 5c Drop in Hog Prices and
Trade Slow—Sheep Slow and
Prices Weak.

RECEIPTS FROM JANUARY 1, 1905.

The following table shows the receipts from January 1, 1905, and receipts for the corresponding time in 1904:

	1905	1904	Inc
Cattle	141,380	163,000	21,620
Hogs	620,680	519,279	101,401
Sheep	468,493	289,959	178,534
Horses	8,569	7,854	715

LIVE STOCK IN SIGHT.

The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets:

Market	Cattle			Hogs			Sheep		
	1905	1904	%	1905	1904	%	1905	1904	%
Chicago	1,500	15,000	10	5,000	4,300	116	1,000	2,800	36
Kansas City	1,000	8,500	12	5,800	2,800	207	1,000	2,000	50
South Omaha	1,800	8,500	21	3,900	3,000	130	2,000	2,000	100
St. Joseph	300	3,000	10	3,000	3,000	100	2,000	2,000	100
East St. Louis	2,000	4,500	44	2,000	2,000	100	2,000	2,000	100
Totals	6,700	41,000	16	24,400	15,000	163	8,000	15,000	53

RECEIPTS OF STOCK BY CARS.

The following shows the number of cars of stock handled today by railroads centering at the stock yards:

Chicago, Burlington and Quincy	11
Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific	10
Great Western	8
Hannibal and St. Joseph	1
Kansas City, St. Joseph and Council Bluffs	14
Missouri Pacific	3
St. Joseph and Grand Island	1
Aitchison, Topeka and Santa Fe	1
Total	67

CATTLE.

Demand Nominal and Market Generally Quiet Today.

In the absence of fresh arrivals and but few holdovers on the yards the trade today was very quiet and the few bids placed were generally a little lower, although some common Missouri short-cut southwest cattle sold at \$4.65, the same as was bid yesterday.

A general summary for the week indicates a decline of 15c to 25c on the good to choice medium and heavy export and dressed beef steers, as well as on the good to choice butcher and shipping kinds, but the common to fair qualities of butcher and shipping steers and the ordinary dressed beef steers varied from 25c to 35c lower. The trade was more or less spotted throughout the week, but exceptional sales were no criterion of the general market.

The market this week, as shown by fluctuations and comparisons of actual sales with competitive points, conclusively shows that South St. Joseph has maintained prices at a higher level than any other market, as the declines here have been less severe and all forward stock to the "market sixty miles below" have invariably sold from 20 to 40c under actual bids made on the South St. Joseph market.

There is no question but what the severe declines of the week have been of a demoralizing nature to the shipping fraternity, but those who heeded the caution to ship low sell at the nearest market suffered less than those who were bullish inclined and either took the long haul east or refused to dispose of their offerings on the day of arrival. The slump in values is due to the practical demoralization of the eastern dressed beef trade. The sharp advances of two weeks ago forced the price of meat on the block to a point that checked consumption, resulting in a great accumulation in eastern coolers and a decline of \$1.00 to \$1.50 in the carcass. This condition practically exists today and unless the congested meat channels of the east are relieved, there is little probability of any permanent reaction for cattle on the hoof. Under these conditions the selling trade is impressing upon the country the necessity for moderate marketing in the near future, with a view of giving the market a breathing spell, but if cattle are

bought to come at once they are urging shipments to the outside points, for the purpose of keeping supplies in Chicago within the demands of the trade.

DRESSED BEEF AND SHIPPING STEERS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Price
1	1295	5 50	115	1037	4 65	
2	967	4 75	68	1074	4 65	

COWS, BULLS AND MIXED.

The trade in butchers' stock today was of a desultory nature, as there were few fresh arrivals and but a nominal number of holdovers. The trade for the week indicates a decline of 15c to 25c on the good to choice cows and heifers, while the common to fair offerings broke from 25c to 35c, which was less of a decline than reported at other markets. Aside from the reduction in values, the feature of the trade was the good buying orders of the packers, who purchased freely regardless of the fact that they were not able to depress prices to the extent warranted by the declines elsewhere. Steers were 10c to 15c lower in sympathy with the decline in beef steers, but buying orders were especially strong, on both packing and shipping account, for good to choice fat bulls, and these grades sold fully as high as last week, but the common grades of bulls indicated a 10c to 15c decline. Veals were in fair supply throughout the week, and prices reached as high as \$7.00 for fancy offerings, but the general run of good to choice calves are quotable at \$4.50 to \$6.75.

HEIFERS.

1	1600	4 65	1	810	3 75
2	1074	3 75	1	559	3 75

COWS.

22 c & h	839	4 10	9	937	3 35
6	1028	4 10	2	865	3 35
1	910	4 00	1	979	3 00
2	862	3 80	3	816	2 85
3	1075	3 75	2	1015	2 90
3	1263	3 75	17	876	2 40
1	1020	3 90	5	1018	2 40
4	1007	3 50	2	910	1 75

BULLS AND STAGS.

3	1403	4 00	1	1330	3 50
2	1540	3 50	1	1240	3 15

VEAL CALVES.

11	142	6 50	4	110	6 00
7	147	6 50	5	110	5 00
1	140	6 25	1	80	5 00
1	120	6 25	2	90	5 00
1	125	6 00	1	80	5 00

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

The depression in beef steer values affected the market on good to choice heavy feeder steers, which suffered a decline for the week of 15c to 25c, and there was but little inquiry on country account at the lower range of prices. However, a better tone was manifested in the trade for good quality steers weighing from 750 pounds down than for the past six weeks. As grass is now at hand the country has a disposition to purchase more freely and as this afforded an outlet for accumulated supplies, regular dealers were very free buyers of this class of offerings at prices mostly 10c to 15c higher than at the close of last week. Common to fair qualities did not show any particular improvement in prices, but there was a better feeling in the trade. The trade in thin young stock cows suffered a decline of 10c to 15c this week, which was the first check to the upward movement in about six weeks, but good young heifers did not show so much decline and were a little better at the close than at the opening of the week. Stock bulls are also in good request and values indicate no particular change for the week.

PACKERS PURCHASES YESTERDAY.

Cattle		Hogs		Sheep	
Maxwell Spayde & Co.	96				
J. V. Aikins	24				
G. Hoffman	41				
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HOGS.

Small Supply Fails to Stimulate Trade, Prices Again Lower.

Slumping conditions again prevailed in the hog trade. Receipts here were very moderate but in the day's total of hogs in sight at five markets there is an apparent increase of 14,000 over number reported at same points one week ago. For five expired days of the week the five market points report a total of 266,000, showing an increase of 11,000 over the like period last week. The provision market has been on declining basis for several days and the opening was again reported lower this morning. This was at once reflected in the market for live hogs and in the face of this, together with the fact of more liberal receipts at outside points than were expected, buyers were again beguiled and forced another decline of 2 1/2c to 3c putting the price basis of today 25c to 35c lower than the market of Monday. Trade was slow, drab and indifferent to the decline and it was late in the day before a clearance could be effected at the decline. The top price today was 27 1/2c under the outside figure of Monday. Quality of hogs was the poorest of the week, including very few loads of smooth even-toned, well finished hogs and a large

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Union Stock Yards, Ill., April 28.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Journal reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 1,500. Market weak, 25c to 30c lower than week ago.

Hogs—Receipts, 18,000. Market 5c to 10c lower, 30c to 35c off for week; top, \$5.25; bulk \$5.15 to 5.25. Estimated tomorrow, 9,000.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000. Market 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 28.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Telegram reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 1,000. Market slow, weak to 10c lower; top, \$5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,800. Market weak to 5c lower; top \$5.25, bulk \$5.10 to 5.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,400. Market slow, lower.

SOUTH OMAHA.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., April 28.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Journal-Stockman reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 1,000. Market slow to 10c lower; top, \$5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,800. Market 5c lower; top, \$5.15; bulk, \$5.05 to 5.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,800. Market slow, weak.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill., April 28.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Journal-Stockman reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 2,000, including 1,700 Texas, dull. Natives quiet.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000. Market 10c lower; top \$5.25; bulk, \$5.05 to 5.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000. Market slow, steady.

showing of mixed weights of not more than ordinary quality. Pigs weighing under 100 pounds were not plentiful and stood quotable at \$4.00 to \$4.50.

Prices ranged from \$5.10 to \$5.25, bulk selling at \$5.15 to 5.20. Bulk yesterday sold at \$5.17 to 5.25, a week ago at \$5.40 to 5.45, a month ago at \$5.22 to 5.27, one year ago at \$4.67 to 4.75, two years ago \$6.82 to 6.95, three years ago at \$6.90 to 7.15, and four years ago at \$5.75 to 5.92.

The average cost was \$5.16, as compared with \$5.20 yesterday, \$5.42 a week ago, \$5.25 a month ago, \$4.73 one year ago, \$6.88, two years ago, \$7.05, three years ago, and \$5.78, four years ago.

PIGS AND LIGHTS—150 LBS. AND UNDER.

No.	Av.	Shk.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Price
81	191	—	5 17 1/2	81	199	80 5 12 1/2
94	170	40 5 10	88	184	—	5 12 1/2
91	193	80 5 15	72	283	80 5 15	
87	198	160 5 15	73	191	80 5 12 1/2	
62	195	—	5 15	43	176	—
85	192	—	40 5 15			

HEAVY AND MIXED—300 LBS. AND OVER.

72	274	—	5 22 1/2	73	242	120 5 17 1/2	
72	251	—	5 22 1/2	75	219	—	
55	320	—	5 22 1/2	75	213	80 5 17 1/2	
61	268	160 5 20	69	277	120 5 17 1/2		
73	299	40 5 20	83	206	80 5 17 1/2		
49	248	—	5 20	81	223	80 5 13 1/2	
51	255	—	5 20	63	283	120 5 17 1/2	
69	243	40 5 20	76	231	—		
59	265	—	5 20	66	303	40 5 17 1/2	
94	252	80 5 20	65	239	—		
66	290	—	5 17 1/2	67	282	—	
61	253	80 5 17 1/2	86	293	40 5 15		
74	245	120 5 17 1/2	71	309	—		
68	246	80 5 17 1/2	40	226	100 5 13 1/2		
77	229	—	44	238	120 5 15		
54	238	40 5 17 1/2	91	210	120 5 15		
90	212	80 5 17 1/2	61	215	120 5 15		
80	214	—	5 17 1/2	73	211	—	
91	219	—	5 17 1/2	72	289	80 5 15	
70	225	—	5 17 1/2	62	224	80 5 15	
82	229	80 5 17 1/2	68	244	80 5 12 1/2		
81	211	—	5 17 1/2				

ODDS, ENDS AND WAGON HOGS.

4	262	80 5 17 1/2	1	480	80 4 25
1	330	80 4 25	1	480	80 4 25
1	510	80 4 25			

PACKERS' HOG PURCHASES.

Swift and Company	1,575
Nelson Morris & Co.	1,112
Hammond Packing Co.	1,045
Totals	3,732

Range of Prices.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5.42	5.35	5.35	5.25	5.35	5.35

Average Cost.

Apr. 26	\$5.34	Apr. 25	\$5.37
Apr. 21	\$5.42	Apr. 20	\$5.27
Apr. 22	\$5.44	Apr. 27	\$5.20
Apr. 24	\$5.47	Apr. 28	\$5.16

Average Weight.

Apr. 19	281	Apr. 24	241
Apr. 20	249	Apr. 25	250
Apr. 21	225	Apr. 26	221
Apr. 22	224	Apr. 27	220

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by F. E. Fleming, Commission company, room No. 2, Cady building, 5th and Edmund streets, St. Joseph, Mo.

Options	Opened	Highest	Lowest	Close	Close Yesterday
WHEAT—					
May	88 1/2	89	88 1/2	88 1/2	88
July	83	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2	83
CORN—					
July	45	46 1/2	45 1/2	46 1/2	46
July	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
OATS—					
July	29 1/2	29 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
PORK—					
July	11 87 1/2	11 87 1/2	11 70	11 72	12 02
July	12 25	12 25	12 05	12 05	12 25
LARD—					
July	7 02	7 02	7 00	7 02	7 07
July	7 22	7 22	7 20	7 22	7 25
RIBS—					
July	6 77	6 83	6 75	6 77	6 82
July	7 10	7 10	7 05	7 07	7 12

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WEDNESDAY'S BUSINESS
CATTLE.
Owing to the decline of 10c on medium and heavy steers in Chicago yesterday and a further depression at that point today, these grades met a very dull demand here today and sales were slow.

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WIDE RANGE IN PRICES.
Denver Record-Stockman: There seems to be a wide range in prices in Texas. Panhandle fairs are being contracted all the way from \$28.50 to \$32 per head and one bunch of three went at \$31.

TWO KINDS OF FARMERS.
Writing from Manly, Iowa, C. E. Wilson says in the Marshalltown, Iowa Times-Republican that doubtless every one whose work requires his presence among the people of the different farming communities in northern Iowa is impressed by the widely different degrees of material prosperity that he finds in different localities.

GERMAN WHEAT GROWERS.
Kansas City Journal: "John Weisthaner, of McPherson, bought sixteen quarters of land, in Hamilton and Stanton counties, while he was here last week," says the Syracuse Journal.

Worry worse than work.
Worry kills more people than does disease or famine, says the Odessa Democrat. It paints wrinkles on your face and draws lines of care on your brow. You worry because you have to work, or because you have no work, and you worry because someone else does not have to work.

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THURSDAY'S BUSINESS
CATTLE.
The bad condition of the eastern dressed beef market which caused a break of 10c in Chicago yesterday and a further decline at that point today, had the effect of creating a very dull and drab market here.

CATTLE.
The proportion of cows and heifers in the supply today was not large and offerings were of about the same quality as for the past few days, although there were less good to choice kinds than were offered yesterday.

HOGS.
Another general slump in hog prices, extending to all leading markets, was noted today. The provision market closed slightly higher yesterday and the total of hogs in sight at five leading markets points was not unusually heavy.

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SHEEP.
The supply in sight at the five principal markets aggregating 34,500 was not large for a Wednesday market, but there was nothing to stimulate activity among buyers at this point. The supply offered, made up entirely of Colorado stock, was only of fair to good quality.

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Syndicate Forming in Creek Nation Looking to Consolidation.

Muskogee, L. T., April 27.—A syndicate represented by Masterson Peyton, of this city has purchased several cotton gins in the Creek nation, and it is understood his intention is to eventually get control of all the gins in the nation. The Muskogee compress went to the hands of a receiver, last year

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SHOWERS IN IOWA.
 Des Moines, Ia., April 27.—The report of the bureau of crops and weather for the past week says: "The first half of the week was dry, cool and favorable for field work. On Thursday and Friday copious showers visited all parts of the state, except a narrow belt in the northern tier of counties from Worth to Lyon. The rain-fall was time-ly and very beneficial, being followed by warm weather. Frost and ice were reported in all districts on several mornings, though generally causing but little damage to crops and fruits."

--HANDKERCHIEFS--

Daintily—Embroidered Sheer—all Linen Women's Handkerchiefs—they are so pretty—so fine—we hesitate at making them so cheap—most stores would price them at 30 cts. each—Not here—Our price 25c.

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Our new line of Silk Gloves "Kaiser Make"—received—ready for you—all the popular colors—Black and White—These are the double Tip fingers—50c—75c—\$1.00.

Silk Pad Hose Supporters
VERY SPECIAL
--Saturday Only--

A few days ago a large store, in a nearby city, advertised, as a great bargain, similar article (not as good) at 19 cts. per pair. Just to let the women of our City know that we are hustling for good things, offer for tomorrow only, a very heavy Moire Silk Pad Supporter—Extra quality, Elastic Webbing—with patented, non-tearable loop. Black and Fancy colors—
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An endless succession of New Patterns and Effects—Correct in every detail—workmanship—style—price—Special counter given up to this important item of Neck-dress.—Special lot at 10 cts.

Then the assortment at 25 cts—50 cts—75 cts—\$1.00 up to \$2.50—is so bewildering, we can not undertake to describe.

--BELTS--BUCKLES--PINS--

Our display of Novelties, as well as the every day sort, made a great stir previous to Easter.—We've replenished this stock with a fine line of Leather Belt Novelties—The swell kind—more than all others together are showing—Belts at 25 cts—50 cts—75 cts—\$1.00—up to \$4.00.
BUCKLES—25 cts—50 cts—65 cts—75 cts—\$1.00 up to \$2.50—Gold or Oxidized.
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Our lines complete—awaiting your ownership.—When you buy Onyx Hosiery, you get the best—you get that sort here—Why buy inferior grades—at same prices—No need of it.

- "ONYX"—Plain black and open work—double heel, toe and sole.—large line to select from.—See if you can find any difference between these and others at 35 cts.—Our price 25 cts.
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- 10 cts.—Special value—if you just want something at a nominal price—splendid quality—19 ct. kind—edged or lace trimmed.—10 cts.
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Kansas and Oklahoma, bright medium..... 20 @ 22 c	Nebraska-Colorado-New Mexico, heavy fine..... 12 @ 14 c
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INDORSE AMERICAN.

Cowan Enthusiastic Over Prospects for New Live Stock Association.

"The American Live Stock association is being indorsed everywhere by cattlemen," said Sam H. Cowan, of Port Worth, one of the moving spirits in the association. "I have been attending cattlemen's conventions in Belle Fourche, Miles City, Helena, Rapid City and other places, and every one of them has indorsed the association.

"The big thing in these conventions, however, has been the spirited discussions on demanding government action on foreign trade in meat. Several of the European governments are set against American meat, have raised the tariff on it until it is prohibitory and have been discriminating against our meat products. We believe it is time for the government of the United States to step in and do something, and I believe that at our convention in Denver next month this will be one of the greatest subjects under discussion."

WILLING FOR NEW TREATY.

A Berlin dispatch says: The Imperial government preparatory to excluding the United States from the privileges of the new reciprocity treaties signed recently with seven European states has formally notified the American government that the tariff agreement between Germany and the United States of July 10, 1900, will terminate March 1, 1905, the day the new treaties go into effect, but that Germany stands ready to negotiate a reciprocity treaty with the United States.

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DROUTH KILLS TICK.

El Paso, Tex., April 28.—Dr. T. A. Bray, representing the United States bureau of animal industry, has just completed an investigation of the tick conditions in Sonora, Mexico, and reports that the long drouth has killed most of the ticks in the northern section. It is probable the quarantine will now be raised. There are many ticks still in other sections, however, he says.

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FLY IN WHEAT.

Lincoln, Neb., April 27.—The Hessian fly is busy in the central section of the state, according to reports of a number of grain men. Prof. Bruner is giving the matter much attention. It is thought that the heavy rains will destroy the pests. Several counties in central Nebraska report a loss of 20 per cent. of the wheat crop.

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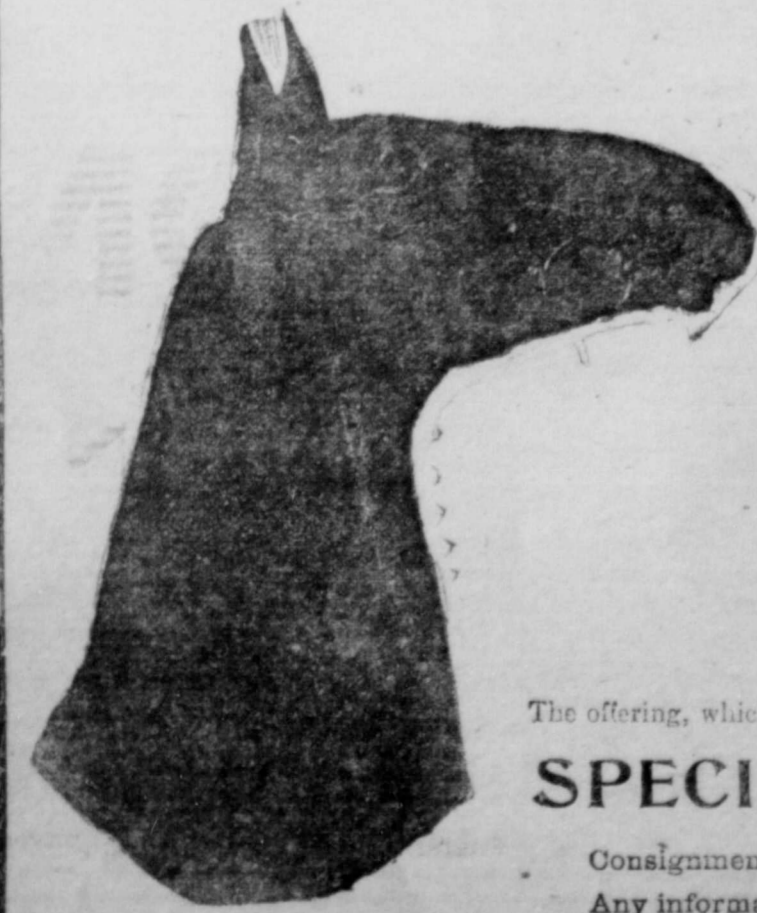
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