THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Strong Undertone to Wheat Caused By Big Short Sellers Covering.

GOOD DEMAND FOR CASH CORN.

A Large Business in May Oats Early in the Day—Provisions Quiet —Cattle Active—Hogs in Fair Demand.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—There was a strong undertone in wheat today, which was partly due to some covering by the big short sellers, good buying by Hutchinson and general buying on the prospect of colder weather. Liverpool was simply steady. The weather helped prices some. It was below zero at Minneapolis and freezing hard in the southwest, where it had been raining. California reported that re-seeding was stopped by general rains. Out-inspection of wheat here was also significant, including 35,000 bushels of No. 3 red winter and 122,000 bushels of No. 2 spring. The market opened weak, but the early buying was of a character to cause the trade to hesitate about shorting the market. Hutchinson was a free buyer. W. T. Baker was a buyer. Pardridge covered some wheat very quietly, although he filled the crowd by selling on the bulge. Still later Cudahy was credited with covering. There was considerable long wheat sold early and McCormick & Co. led the selling. May sold here at 77c, to 77¼@77⅜c, to 76⅞c, to 77½c at 10 o'clock. June sold at 77½@77⅝c and July at 75⅞@76c at the same time. There was very fair strength in wheat late in the day. March touched 75¼@75½c, closing at 75½c; May 77⅜c, closing at 77⅝c; June 77⅞c, closing at 77½c; July 76⅝@76¾c, closing at 76¾@76⅞c.

Corn was not much changed in price until near the close, when a few brokers from the provision pit went over and bought considerable July. It was credited to Cudahy and others. There was a good demand for cash corn to load, old No. 2 stock, and it was thought that some vessel room was taken. March sold at 28@28⅛c, May at 29⅝@30c, July at 30⅛@30⅜c, closing at the best prices for the day.

In oats there was a large business in May early, but only a moderate trade in other deliveries. Later quietness prevailed. The opening was rather stronger, first sales for May being the same as yesterday's close—21c. A fractional advance was recorded, but it only lasted a short time, as a broker representing a large "long" began selling heavily. A weak feeling developed and prices receded ¼@⅜c. There was liberal buying on the decline, mostly to cover "shorts," and prices reacted and closed at the same prices as yesterday. March and June were a trifle lower early. July remained steady. No. 2 in store and to go to store was slow at 19½@19⅝c. No. 2 white for May sold slowly at 22½@22½c.

The provision trade spent another quiet day, price of May pork holds close around $10.00. There was a little heaviness early, when May pork touched $9.92½, June $9.95 and July $10.02½. The recovery was to $10.00 for May and to $10.10 for July. Ribs and lard early showed slight declines. May ribs sold at $4.75 and May lard at $5.90. There was a slight recovery later.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—A light run, showing a decrease of 2,000 against last Tuesday and no increase for the corresponding period of last week, would seem to indicate only a moderate run for the remainder of the week, but hundreds of telegrams went out quoting a substantial advance and ordering in cattle. Business was active, with exporters looking sharply after what they wanted and taking about all the good steers. Some salesmen quoted an advance equal to 10c on best steers, while ordinary and medium sold only a shade higher. All classes of butchers' stock sold from strong to a slight advance. There was a fair demand for stockers and feeders, with prices about the same as heretofore. Choice beeves, $4.30@4.65; medium to good steers, 1,350 to 1,500 lbs, $4.00@4.40; 1,200 to 1,350 lbs, $3.50@4.20; 950 to 1,200 lbs, $3.00@3.80. Stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.40; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.40@3.10; bulk, $2.25@2.50. Texas corn-fed steers, $2.75@3.45.

HOGS—The demand was fair and price about the same as at the close yesterday, but 10@15c lower than Saturday. The bulk of mixed sold within a range of $3.85@3.90 and selected heavy at $3.90@3.95. Light sorts sold at $3.90@3.95.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—Trust stocks took secondary place at the opening of the market today. The start was made on active trading, in which all the active stocks of yesterday, except trusts, were prominent. Rock Island led. In the regular list Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific and Atchison were notable for animation, but the majority of the list were dull and without feature. First prices were rather irregular, but generally higher, and among leading stocks further advances extending to ⅝ per cent were established during the first half hour of business. Rock Island, Missouri Pacific and Sugar Refineries rose ⅝ per cent each and Atchison ⅝ per cent, but while stocks of the regular list were afterward well maintained at about the level of the best prices, Sugar developed marked weakness on largely increased business and lost all of the early improvement with something in addition. The general market again displayed considerable strength toward the end of the hour and at 11 o'clock it was fairly active and firm at best prices. The character of business did not change during the hour to 12 o'clock. Sugar again lost ⅝ to 67⅞ and was held close around 68. New England lost ⅝ to 45⅝, but was still higher than the close last night. Nearly all the Coal stocks were firm and received no setback from the best prices. London was buying moderately during the morning and shorts bought Rock Island. Chicago houses were generally bearish. It is claimed the old pool is in existence in St. Paul, the same that put the price to 75 many months ago. The attitude of insiders in Northwestern causes a very hopeful feeling in that stock. Talk last night was decidedly bearish and the bears not only claim to be masters of the situation, but it is hinted that they have an understanding with Mr. Gould. Good buying in stocks continued to the close, but the last prices were not at the best figures. Sugar trusts countered the railroad list and closed 1½ lower. The gains in western stocks were partly due to covering and partly to the improved tone caused by excellent reports of earnings. Burlington gained ⅞ per cent, Rock Island ⅝, Missouri Pacific ⅝ and others smaller fractions. The total sales were 164,000 shares:

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	122½	Northern Pacific	30¾
U. S. 4s coupons	122½	do preferred	73½
U. S. 4½s regular	108½	O. & N. W.	108⅞
U. S. 4½s coupons	109½	do preferred	141
Pacifics of '95	116	N. Y. Central	106
Central Pacific	33⅞	P. D. & E.	18½
Chicago & Alton	150	Rock Island	90⅞
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	87	L. M. & St. P.	68⅞
D., L. & W.	135⅞	do preferred	115
Illinois Central	114⅞	St. Paul & Omaha	31½
L. S. & W.		do preferred	92⅞
Kansas & Texas	9½	Union Pacific	47
Lake Shore	105½	W. St. L. & P.	12½
Michigan Central	92⅞	do preferred	27⅞
Missouri Pacific	71⅞	Western Union	85⅞

MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 3½@5 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@6½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet and steady; sixty-day bills, $4.83; demand, $4.87.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	100	Homestake	750
Caledonia, B. H.	150	Horn Silver	425
Con. Cal. & Va	450	Mexican	300
Deadwood T.	150	Ontario	375
Eureka Con	300	Sierra Nevada	200
El Cristo	175	Small Hopes	175
Gould & Curry	135	Sutter Creek	150
Hale & Norcross	290		

Bond Offerings.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Bonds offered: $570,000 at $1.24; $90,500 at $1.04½.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Firmer; February, 74⅞c; May, 77⅞c.

Corn—Firmer; February, 27⅞c; May, 30c.

Oats—Firmer; February, 19⅝c; May, 21c.

Rye—May, 44½c.

Barley—Nothing doing.

Prime Timothy—$1.18@1.20.

Flax—Cash, $1.38.

Whisky—$1.02.

Pork—Higher; February, $9.70; May, $10.00.

Lard—Steady; February, $5.57½; May, $5.90.

Flour—Quotably unchanged; winter wheat, $2.00@4.35; spring wheat, $1.10@4.75; rye, $2.50@2.85; buck wheat, $1.25@1.50 per cwt.

Provisions—Shoulders, $5.15@5.25; short clear, $4.95@5.00; short ribs, for February, $4.70.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 15@26c; dairy, 10@21c.

Cheese—Unchanged; full cream cheddars and flats, 9½@9¾c; Young Americas, 10½@10¾c.

Eggs—Unchanged; fresh, 13@14c.

Hides—Unchanged; heavy and light green salted, 6½c; salted bull, 3½c; green salted calf, 5½c; dry flint, 6@7c; dry calf, 5@6c; deacons, 2c each.

Tallow—Unchanged: No. 1, solid packed, 4c; No. 2, 3½@3¾c; cake, 4c.

	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.
Flour	18,000	8,000
Wheat	16,000	24,000
Corn	311,000	190,000
Oats	281,000	181,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Wheat—Receipts, 27,500 bushels; exports, 6,000 bushels; spot opened weaker, closed steadier; No. 2 red, 84½@84⅝c in elevator, 85⅝@86c afloat, 85¾@86⅛c f. o. b.; options closed barely steady; No. 2 red, February, 84½c.

Corn—Receipts, 313,200 bushels, exports, 205,800 bushels; spot weaker; No. 2, 34⅝@34¾c in elevator, 35⅝@36c afloat; ungraded mixed, 34@35½c; options firm; February, 35c.

Oats—Receipts, 12,000 bushels; exports, 612 bushels; spot weaker; options lower, February closing at 27c; spot, No. 2 white, 28½@28¾c; mixed western, 26@29c; white western, 29@34c.

Coffee—Options closed barely steady and unchanged to 5 points up; sales, 35,250 bags; February, $16.30; May, $16.15@16.25; spot Rio firm; fair cargoes, $20.00.

Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, easy.

Petroleum—United closed for March at $1.05¾.

Eggs—Firmer; western, 15¾@16c.

Pork—Steady.

Lard—Closed steady; spot quiet; western steam, $6.17¾; May closing at $6.24 asked.

Butter—Quiet; Elgin, 28@28½c; western dairy, 8@17c; creamery, 12@27c.

Cheese—Firm; western, 8@10c.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—Wheat—Higher; cash, 75 5-16c; May, 76⅛@76¼c.

Corn—Higher; cash, 24½c; May, 26⅛.

Oats—Higher; cash, 20½c.

Pork—Dull at $10.00.

Lard—Nominal at $5.00.

Whisky—Steady at $1.02.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 18.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 spring, on track, cash, 72@73c; May, 73½c.

Corn—Steady; No. 3, on track, 26½@27c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white, on track, 22½c.

Rye—Firm; No. 1 in store, 43@43½c.

Barley—Easy; No. 2 in store, 40½c.

Provisions—Unchanged; pork, firm; cash, $9.70.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 18.—Wheat—Active; receipts, 135 cars; shipments, 31 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, February and March, 76c; May, 78c; on track, 77c; No. 1 northern, February, 74½c; May, 76⅞@76¾c; on track, 75½@76c; No. 1 northern, February, 72½c; May, 74⅞c; on track, 72½@74c.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 18.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 hard, cash, 63c; No. 2 red, cash and February, 68c bid.

Corn—Lower; No. 2, cash, 20½c bid; February, 20½c.

Oats—No. 2, cash, 17c; February, 16½c.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 18.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red, 77@77½c.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 31c.

Oats—Lower; No. 2 mixed, 23c.

Whisky—$1.02.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18.—Wheat—Steady; demand fair; holders offer sparingly; red western winter, 6s 11½d per cental.

Corn—Steady; demand good; new mixed western, 3s 8½d per cental.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; market strong to a shade higher; beeves, $4.30@4.65; steers, $3.00@4.40; stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.40; Texas corn-fed steers, $2.75@3.45.

Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; market fairly active, 5c lower; mixed, $3.75@3.95; heavy, $3.75@3.95; light, $3.80@4.00; skips, $3.50@3.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market slow and 5c lower; natives, $3.75@5.30; western corn-fed, $4.80@5.60; Texans, $3.50@5.00; lambs, $5.00@6.30.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,400; shipments, 900; market strong; steers, $3.15@4.75; cows, $1.75@3.80; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,100; shipments, none; market steady; closed weak; all grades, $3.72½@3.80; bulk, $3.75.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, East St. Louis, Feb. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; market higher; fair to fancy native steers, $3.40@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500; market lower; heavy, $3.80@3.90; packing, $3.70@3.85; light, $3.80@3.95.

SIOUX CITY, Feb. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200; shipments, 500; market active; canners, 75c@$1.25; cows, $1.00@1.25; stockers, $1.50@2.25; feeders, $2.25@2.90; veal calves, $2.00@3.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,200; market weak. Everything $3 65@3.72½.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Tuesday, Feb. 18.

Receipts of cattle estimated at 2,300, compared with 889 yesterday. The quality is fairly good. The market opened active and strong on almost everything. A large number of fair steers made trafficking active in the steer line. Steers are active with a strong tendency. Conservative men are of the opinion that prices have not advanced, while the majority quote them up a shade, with a few who think prices have gone up nearly 10c. The bulk of the steers sold at $3.35@3.67½. There was nothing in good enough to bring $4.00. Cows are active at an advance. Some very fine cows, such a bunch has not been on the market for months before—sold at $3.05. The quality of the cow stuff was fairly good, there being quite a number of good stock on the market. A few report the cow market steady with yesterday's prices, while the majority quote it up 5@10c. The bulk of the cows sold at $2.25@2.60. The market is active and strong, with many sales indicating an advance. The prices on cows have advanced during the last six days from 10c to 20c. Feeders and stockers are active and firm, with liberal receipts. The inquiry after feeders and stockers is fully up to receipts. Bulls are active at steady prices. The tone of the market is healthy and most sales are made strong or at an advance.

Hogs.

Receipts of hogs estimated at 3,300, compared with 1,253 yesterday. The quality was fairly good. The market opened with light butcher's hogs not in demand, buyers offering 5c lower than yesterday. All other grades sold at steady prices with yesterday. Three-fifths sold at $3.90. The average price paid was $3.70½, compared with $3.72½ yesterday.

Sheep.

Receipts of sheep estimated at 1,000, compared with 2,082 yesterday. The sheep market continues active at steady prices. Among the receipts were two single decks of ewes, one of wethers and one of lambs, all Nebraskas.

Prevailing Prices.

The following is a table of prices paid in this market for the grades of stock mentioned:

Prime steers, 1300 to 1600 lbs	$3.80	@4.50
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	3.50	@4.15
Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs	3.20	@3.80
Common 1000 to 1150 lb steers	2.90	@3.30
Common canners	1.00	@1.75
Ordinary to fair cows	1.50	@1.90
Fair to good cows	1.90	@2.25
Good to choice cows	2.20	@2.60
Choice to fancy cows	2.65	@3.25
Fair to good bulls	1.50	@2.50
Choice to fancy bulls	2.50	@3.15
Light stockers and feeders	2.00	@2.50
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.20	@3.35
Fair to choice light hogs	3.67½	@3.72½
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3.70	@3.75
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3.65	@3.72½

Average Cost of Hogs.

The following table gives the average cost of hogs on the dates mentioned, including the cost today, as based upon sales reported:

Date.	Price.	Date.	Price.
Feb. 1	$3 65½	Feb. 11	3 75½
Feb. 3	3 72	Feb. 12	3 67½
Feb. 4	3 75	Feb. 13	3 72½
Feb. 5	3 75	Feb. 14	3 72
Feb. 6	3 72½	Feb. 15	3 77½
Feb. 7	3 71½	Feb. 17	3 72½
Feb. 8	3 73½	Feb. 18	3 70½
Feb. 10	3 77½		

Range of Prices—Hogs.

The following table shows the range of prices paid for hogs:

Light and medium hogs	$3 67½	@3 72½
Good to choice mixed hogs	3 65	@3 72½
Good to choice heavy hogs	3 65	@3 75

Range of Prices—Sheep.

The following table shows the range of prices paid for sheep:

Prime fat sheep	$4 50	@5 25
Good fat sheep	3 50	@4 50
Common to medium sheep	2 00	@3 75
Lambs	4 00	@6 00

Comparative Tables.

The following tables show the range in prices on hogs during this and last week:

Days.	This week.	Last week.
Monday	3 65 @3 80	3 75 @3 80
Tuesday	3 65 @3 75	3 65 @3 82½
Wednesday		3 50 @3 77½
Thursday		3 62½ @3 77½
Friday		3 55 @3 80
Saturday		3 70 @3 85

Average Price of Hogs.

Showing the average price paid for loads of hogs on the days indicated in 1887, 1888 and 1890:

Day.	Feb. 1890	Feb. 1888.	Feb. 1887.
13	3 72½	5 21	Sunday.
14	3 72	5 25	5 63
15	3 77½	5 15	5 07
16	Sunday.	5 16	5 17
17	3 72½	5 17	5 19
18	3 70½	5 13	5 17

Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs.

Today.		Yesterday.	
Highest	$3.75	Highest	$3.80
Lowest	3.65	Lowest	3.65

Stock Receipts.

Official Saturday.		Estimated today.	
Cattle, 40 cars	889	Cattle, 114 cars	2300
Hogs, 28 cars	1853	Hogs, 52 cars	3300
Sheep, 14 cars	2082	Sheep, 4 cars	1000

Disposition of Cattle.

Showing the number of cattle bought by the leading buyers on to-day's market:

Buyers.	No.
Swift & Co.	663
George H. Hammond & Co.	339
The Armour-Cudahy Packing company	143
Omaha Packing Co.	30
Lee Rothschild	95
Henton & Underwood	22
Nels Morris	228
W. R. Van Zandt	17
R. Becker	52
Shippers and feeders	186

Hogs.

Showing the number of hogs bought by the leading buyers on today's market:

Armour-Cudahy Packing company	1,656
Omaha Packing company	696
Swift & Co.	398
George H. Hammond Co.	556

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr
3	950	$3 00	13	1162	$3 50
1	1350	3 00	18	1425	3 50
1	900	3 00	33	1261	3 50
31	1097	3 20	16	1197	3 50
22	1096	3 25	18	1194	3 50
21	1099	3 25	27	1158	3 55
15	1053	3 25	6	1273	3 55
84	1082	3 30	7	1219	3 60
4	1095	3 30	20	1080	3 60
19	1119	3 30	14	1296	3 60
13	1093	3 35	6	1033	3 65
16	1072	3 35	5	1260	3 65
9	1213	3 35	18	1321	3 65
1	1040	3 35	33	1263	3 65
14	1147	3 35	24	1236	3 65
1	1170	3 35	18	1297	3 65
7	1087	3 35	114	1210	3 67½
5	1174	3 35	17	1155	3 67½
40	1096	3 35	8	1191	3 67½
7	1236	3 35	18	1273	3 70
34	1139	3 40	17	1290	3 70
11	1064	3 37½	19	1368	3 75
6	1087	3 37½	137	1342	3 75
12	1033	3 37½	50	1253	3 75
16	1096	3 40	36	1331	3 82½
16	1249	3 40	39	1343	3 85
35	1257	3 45	33	1321	3 95
20	1333	3 50			

COWS.

1	1010	1 75	27	997	2 30
5	1000	1 75	16	940	2 35
6	1077	1 90	13	952	2 30
23	988	1 90	19	1101	2 35
24	870	1 95	13	1115	2 35
1	940	2 00	12	1107	2 35
1	1060	2 00	9	1008	2 35
1	910	2 00	3	1277	2 40
1	1020	2 00	3	1050	2 40
3	1080	2 00	1	1050	2 40
2	1290	2 00	9	1018	2 40
2	1075	2 00	3	1067	2 40
16	1005	2 05	2	1225	2 45
9	930	2 10	11	1141	2 45
2	1040	2 10	20	1083	2 45
17	1104	2 12½	14	1119	2 45
5	930	2 15	12	1075	2 40
13	1070	2 15	15	1101	2 45
1	1090	2 20	1	1140	2 50
3	1067	2 25	2	1275	2 50
1	920	2 25	2	1240	2 50
12	1043	2 25	1	1190	2 50
1	1090	2 25	20	1081	2 55
2	1175	2 25	20	1235	2 60
19	1010	2 30	2	1160	2 60
14	1075	2 30	1	1120	2 75
18	991	2 30	12	1172	2 95
19	1163	2 30	18	1354	3 05
9	1091	2 30			

BULLS.

1	1310	1 50	1	1350	2 35
2	1190	1 75	1	1520	2 35
1	1200	1 85	1	1670	2 50
1	1280	2 00	1	1270	2 50
2	1355	2 00	1	1419	2 50
1	1580	2 05	1	1280	2 60
1	1270	2 10	1	1560	2 65
1	1310	2 15	2	1675	2 70
1	1470	2 15	1	1600	2 75
1	1130	2 25	1	1830	2 75
1	1690	2 25	1	1510	2 75
1	1560	2 25	1	1860	2 75
1	1260	2 30	1	1020	2 85
1	1290	2 30	1	1180	3 00
2	1435	2 30	1	1800	3 00
1	1540	2 35			

FEEDERS.

7	853	2 35	7	871	3 10
13	731	2 90	2	1115	3 15
4	977	2 90	45	883	3 2½
1	1040	2 90	4	1040	3 25
12	769	3 00	20	1036	3 25
3	1067	3 00	22	967	3 25
3	743	3 00	20	1079	3 25
15	949	3 10	1	1120	3 25
1	850	3 10	1	1180	3 25

STOCKERS.

4	525	2 10	3	620	2 85
39	619	2 70	1	630	3 10

HEIFERS.

2	810	2 45	8	885	2 75
4	1098	2 75			

STAGS.

4	1290	2 50	1	1500	3 50
1	1160	2 65			

CANNERS.

1	780	1 50

OXEN.

5	1792	3 00

CALVES.

1	330	3 00

WESTERN CATTLE.

Owner.	No.	Av.	Pr.
Standard Cattle Company—37 steers, corn-fed		1330	$3 80

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
79	227	100	$3 65	55	225	—	$3 70
13	275	40	3 65	55	204	80	3 70
68	238	80	3 65	62	228	200	3 70
33	227	—	3 65	73	244	280	3 70
24	262	—	3 65	68	276	80	3 70
57	289	200	3 65	56	224	—	3 70
72	247	120	3 67½	62	224	—	3 70
61	277	300	3 67½	62	224	240	3 70
51	236	120	3 70	21	246	80	3 70
66	244	—	3 70	69	225	200	3 70
45	293	160	3 70	68	270	40	3 70
47	257	160	3 70	59	236	80	3 72½
56	300	40	3 70	54	249	120	3 72½
43	307	40	3 70	63	252	80	3 72½
59	340	280	3 70	73	229	160	3 72½
68	239	120	3 70	60	280	40	3 72½
74	258	40	3 70	108	228	160	3 72½
63	274	160	3 70	29	267	40	3 75
60	268	120	3 70	32	267	—	3 75
60	303	320	3 70	60	278	80	3 75
52	256	80	3 70	66	242	—	3 75
69	245	80	3 70	57	226	—	3 75
49	254	—	3 70	54	277	—	3 75
65	240	160	3 70	57	239	—	3 75
61	276	120	3 70	51	461	—	3 75
70	257	80	3 70				

On the Market With Hogs.

M. Hutton, Sidney, Ia; Dworak, Verdigre; H. C. Leffler, Springfield; H. Rix, Calhoun; Kessler & Co., Craig; F. C. Adams, Logan, Ia.; J. S. Dee, Shelby, Ia.; P. Ehlers, Minden, Ia.; J. Eilts, DeWitt; C. H. Parmelee & Co., Cedar Creek; H. J. Morris, Western; Zabel & D., Wabash; H. Hammer, Muscola, Ia.; M. D. Stevens, Vail, Ia.; H. Ruhlo, Aspinwall, Ia.; I. H. Buda, Portsmouth, Ia.; K. B. Hohn, Wahoo; J. Wiggins, Columbus; T. Harris, Central City; F. Co-operative association, North Bend; T. Van Alst, Elkhorn; Armsburger & Co., Van Buskirk, Oxford; C. A. Powell, Kenesaw; L. & B., Belvidere; J. D. Boyles, Crete; C. Rudat, Norfolk; A. Cash, Rising; Fr. Suda, Milligan; L. Anderson & Co., Mead; L. W. Denton, Waterloo; Well & Osterhout, Surprise; Phillips & L, Inland; J. F. McCartney, Geneva; J. F. Tiedgen, Battle Creek; V. Cruc, Tilden; P. H. Judson, Leigh; John Nob, Clarkson; F. Rockafellow, Shenandoah, Ia.; L. F. Stitt, Coin, Ia.; F. E. Rogers, Maryville, Mo.; C. W. Parks, Burwell; Downey & Toof, Aurora; F. Turney, Broken Bow; L. Cary, Havenna; A. J. Adams, Bradshaw; D. G. Robb, Endicott.

On the Market With Cattle.

M. Hutton, Randolph, Ia.; N. W. Knapp, Cedar Bluffs; William Buckleman, Pierce; J. P. Murphy, Calhoun; George F. Smith, Herman; Perry Brothers, Wayne; Perry & Warner, Concord; G. W. Banks, Council Bluffs, Ia.; J. S. Potter, Shelby, Ia.; J. T. Goodell & Co., Western; A. Laverty, Ashland; L. E. Goodell, B. J. Morris, Western; Abe Cox, DeWitt; John Chrysler, jr., Wilber; J. P. Higgins, Lincoln; J. Wiggins, Columbus; Ed Quigley, Ira Black, D. Elkenberry, Rogers; Standard Cattle company, Ames, C. T. Brewer, Sloan, Ia.; W. C. Hudson & Co., Sioux City, Ia.; W. A. Tibbett, Eustis; J. J. Harmes, Firth; D. B. Palmer, Blue Hill; S. H. & M. Coffman, Ayr; Thomas Lanahan, Harvard; J. W. W. Swallow, Sutton, L. & B., J. W. Price, Belvidere; J. A. Copperthwaite, Friend; McTagart, Crete; J. M. Betz, Syracuse; Stanton B. F. Co., Madison; Perry & Frush, Wahoo; A. Cash, Rising; A. J. Adams, Stromsburg; L. W. Denton, Waterloo; W. J. Turner, Harvard; Phillips & L, Inland; H. C. Hohlt, Bivin & Gordon, Goehner; C. Halsey, Davenport; D. W. Montgomery, Oak; H. Warner, Hooper; Reno Brothers, Oakdale; Ed Schleitzer, Snyder; W. S. Anderson, Wakefield; Bennett Brothers, First National bank, Ran Frazier, Wayne; Hansford & J., S. I. Day, Dovers & J., Eagle; George Dixon, Malvern, Ia.; Thomas Zimmerman, Denison, Ia.; F. McNaughton, George Runnels, Panama; Leonard Small, M. Hammers, Portsmouth, Ia.; H. L. Oldham, Union; J. G. Oldham, Plattsmouth; E. P. Blaisdell, Hamburg, Ia.; Paul Brothers, McPaul, Ia.; W. C. Swarts, Silver City, Ia.; J. J. Hensley, Exaria, Ia.; William McCombs, S. E. Hanna, Merna; W. Z. Tilson, Ravenna; Miller & Co., Bradshaw; John Ward, Ulysses; John Klostermann, David City.

On the Market With Sheep

O. S. Wolcott, Archer, Neb.

Market Mention.

Light hogs 5c lower than yesterday and 25c below Saturday's top.

L. F. Stitt of Wallace & Stitt, Coin, Ia., was over with four cars of hogs.

D. W. Montgomery was in from Oak with a car of cattle of his own feeding.

Bennett Ewing, the well known feeder and shipper of Exeter, was looking over the yards for feeders.

Dr. J. L. Goodell, the extensive and successful feeder of Western, had six cars of cattle on the market.

James Devore and R. Ransford, extensive stockmen of Eagle, brought in a train of ten cars of cattle of their own feeding.

Steers strong and cows advancing.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, 11@12c. Cold storage, pickled, limed, salted, not wanted at any price.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy rolls, prts, 24@25c; creamery, fancy, solid packed, 23@24c; creamery, fancy, choice, 19@22c; dairy, fancy, rolls and prts, 18@20c; dairy, fancy, solid packed, 17@19c; dairy, choice, 13@15c; country roll, choice, 11@12c; country roll, good, 9@10c; country roll, fair, 6@7c; poor stock, 3@5c.

POULTRY—Turkeys, dressed, fancy, dry picked, 11@12c; turkeys, live, per lb, 7@8c; chickens, fancy, 9c; chickens, choice, 7@8c; chickens, live, $3.00@3.50; geese, dressed, fancy, 6@10c; geese, dressed, choice, 8@9c; geese, live, doz., $9.00@7.00; ducks, dressed, fancy, 11c; ducks, choice, 9@10c; ducks, live, doz, $3.50@3.00; pigeons, doz, $1.00.

GAME—Prairie chickens, $2.50@3.00; jack snipe, 1.00@1.25; golden plover $2.00@1.25; mallard ducks, $3.00@3.50; canvasback ducks, $5.00@5.00; redhead ducks, doz, $3.00; teal ducks, doz, $1.50@2.00; mixed ducks, doz, $1.50@2.00; geese, Canada, $5.500@6.00; geese, small, $4.00@4.50.

DRESSED VEAL—Choice medium, 6½@7c; light, 5@6c; heavy, 3@4c.

BEANS—Hand picked navy, $1.50@1.60; hand picked navy, medium, $1.40@1.50; hand picked country, $1.30@1.40; good clean, $1.20@1.30.

HONEY—Per lb, Illinois comb, 16c; California comb, 14c; Nebraska and Iowa comb, 12½@14c.

CHEESE—Per lb, full cream Y. A., 12c; full cream twins, 11½c; full cream Ohio swiss, 15c; full cream Wisconsin swiss, 13c; full cream brick swiss, 11@12c; full cream limburger swiss, 11@12.

SWEET POTATOES—Per bbl, $4.00.

FISH,—Fresh white, trout, pike and pickerel, per lb, 7c; herring, 5½c; sturgeon, 10c.

ORANGES—Per box, Florida brights, $3.15; russets, $3.50; messina, $3.25; California fancy navels, $5.25; choice, $5.00; Los Angeles navels, $4.50; seedlings, Riversude, $3.35@3.50; mountain, $3.25; Los Angeles, $3.00; in five box lots 25c per box less.

LEMONS—Per box, messina fancy, $4.00@5.