THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Develops a Quieter Tone With a Narrow Price Range.

LITTLE NEWS IN CORN CIRCLES.

Oats Close a Fraction Lower—Lard and Ribs Make Slight Advances —Cattle Rather Slow— Hogs Active.

CHICAGO, April 25.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The wheat market had not its usual force today and up to 1 o'clock the range for July was limited to ¾c, and trading was not of a heavy order. The market was only quiet by comparison with the heavy transactions for three weeks past, and compared with one month ago it was very good. News was conflicting and mostly a rehash of former dispatches. Michigan reported some improvement while Kansas sent some bull news about defects in crops in that state, supposed to be all right. The large receipts at Minneapolis, 339 cars, about upset the bull influence on account of the very low temperature in the northwest. Liverpool cables were simply quiet on wheat early and at the close that market ended California spot wheat and red wheat from ½@¾d lower with futures for California and Indian wheat ½@¾d higher. Export clearances were light. There was some pretty good buying about noon, on the reported taking of seven cargoes for export at New York. In the pit the best buying on export news was by C. H. Smith. Hutchinson made a show of selling, but the trade credited him with buying under cover. The principal business of the day was in July. This future started at 86¾c, sold at 86¾@86⅞c, to 86¾c, to 86¾c, to 86¾@87c, to 86¾c, the opening figure, at 1 o'clock. A little later the price touched 86¼c for the third time during the day and each time the demand for wheat at that price caused a quick rebound. The heavy feeling in wheat continued to the close. Last prices were: May 88c, June 87¼c and July 86¼c.

There was little news in corn circles today. The market was narrow from first to last. The tendency was to lower prices. There was no nervousness and the slight decline for the day was a sort of a drag all the way down. May sold at 31¾c, to 32¼c, to 32⅝c at the close. July sold at 35⅝c early and closed at 35½c. Other closing prices were: June 32¼c August 33⅞c, September 31½c. Vessel room was taken here for nearly half a million bushels, mostly for Buffalo. Some charters were at the extremely low rate of 1¾c.

There was a division of opinion regarding the transaction of Hess in oats today. He had brokers selling early, but there is no doubt that he held the market later against small miscellaneous offerings. Although the feeling was quite bearish the market closed but ¼c under last night. May sold at 25⅜c and closed at 24⅞c, June sold at 24¼c and 24c, and July at 24c and 23½@23⅝c, closing at 23¾c.

The provision market was made up of three independent markets today—pork, lard and ribs. Each acted under a separate influence. Mess pork was moved only as the clique bought or sold it. There was but light trade in pork at best. May sold at $13.50 @13.60 early, and June was up to $13.85 at the start on the clique pressure. July was at $13.70 @13.80 at the same hour. Later in the day Cudahy attempted to cover some May lard and broke the market by selling for deferred futures. This caused a rapid movement and July sold up to $8.45@8.47½. Ribs were advanced on bidding by Hutchinson, which caused others to buy. July sold at $5.40 early, and up to $5.50, while September went to $5.55. Closing prices in provisions were: Short ribs—May $5.37½, June $5.40, July $5.47½, August $5.55, September $5.62½. Lard—May $8.37½, June $8.45, July $8.45, August $8.52½, September $8.62½, October $8.62½@8.65. Mess pork—May $13.60, June $13.80, July $13.70.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, April 25.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Business was rather slow with prices weak and the turn rather lower than otherwise. With the fresh arrivals and the number left last night there were from 13,000 to 14,000 on sale, largely fair to good steers. It is needless to say that that number was far too large for Friday, especially on the heels of the big run, and chances are that quite a number will be carried over. Several late trains yesterday were neither displayed nor offered, and if there are late arrivals today such will undoubtedly have to be carried over. Natives are 10@15c lower than on Tuesday when the decline began to set in. There were only ten cars of Texans on the market, and such sold at strong prices. Butchers' stock was scarce and firm. Stockers and feeders were scarce and prices extremely high Choice to extra steers, $4.60@5.35; medium to good steers, $350 to 1300 lbs, $4.00@4.50; 1250 to 1350 lbs, $3.80@4.40; 950 to 1250 lbs, $3.30@4.00; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.00; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.75@3.50; bulls, $2.25@2.75; Texas corn-fed steers, $3.00@ 3.80; grassers, $2.00@3.00.

HOGS—Business was active with an up turn of 5c on all classes. Packers paid $4.25@4.30 and shippers, $4.35@4.45. Light sorts sold at $4.25@4.32½. The market closed steady with about everything sold.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, April 25.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—London had buying orders in stocks this morning, but they were confined to Erie. The support of Union Pacific by Boston and Washington parties was continued. While the temper of the room was bullish, trade appeared to be working for a reaction. The opening of the market this morning was made up on a moderate amount of business, while first prices were steady as compared with last evening's final figures. There was some pressure to sell at the opening, however, and prices generally receded small fractions. Sugar Trust, Missouri Pacific, and Chicago Gas leading with losses of ¾, ¾ and ½ per cent respectively. Buying in earnest then began and the market rallied sharply with a most marked increase in activity. St. Louis, Lackawanna Sugar Refineries, New England, Missouri Pacific and Rock Island led in point of activity, but New England showed the most strength, rising ¾ per cent, while the others barely recovered early losses. Towards the end of the hour the demand slacked off and prices shaded off again slightly, the market becoming again comparatively quiet. The succeeding hour brought considerable irregularity in the list. New England held firm at 48¾; Sugar Trust offered at ½ up to 72¾, recovered to 73. Chicago Gas lost ¾ from the opening to 48¾. At noon Missouri Pacific was up to 73 and St. Paul to 71¾, with other western shares about steady. Lackawanna surprised even its friends by moving straight up to 144, a gain of 1 per cent from the opening. The early strength in stocks continued and during the closing hour there was a very general advance and some fancy prices were touched. Lackawanna led the list to the close, with last sales at 144¾, the top point on the advance. In the Granger group the most surprising advance was in Northwestern, which went up 1¾ over last night to 114¾. Burlington went to 108, closing with but ½ net gain. St. Paul and Missouri Pacific each made a net gain of 1¼ for the day. Gains in Union Pacific and Atchison were small. Trust stocks showed fair gains also. The silver agitation, foreign buying, pools in Coalers and the belief that western troubles will soon end all helped prices. Total sales were 236,076 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 6s regular	122	Northern Pacific	32
U. S. 4s coupon	122	do preferred	76¾
U. S. 4½s regular	108½	C. & N. W.	114⅞
U. S. 4½s coupon	103½	do preferred	144
Pacific 6s of '95	110	N. Y. Central	107½
Central Pacific	37½	R. I. & P.	71¾
Chicago & Alton	136	Rock Island	93¾
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	107¾	C. M. & St. P.	71¾
		do preferred	117¾
D., L. & W.	140¾	St. Paul & Omaha	54¼
Illinois Central	117¾	do preferred	98
L. E. & W.		Union Pacific	55¾
Kansas & Texas	10¾	W., St. L. & P.	12¾
Lake Shore	108¼	do preferred	27¾
Michigan Central	98¼	Western Union	86¾
Missouri Pacific	73¾		

MONEY—Easy at 3@3½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER, 5@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet; firm; sixty-day bills, $4.85½; demand, $4.87¼.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, April 25.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	150	Homestake	800
Belcher	200	Horn Silver	285
Brunswick	105	Iron Silver	105
Caledonia B H	210	Ontario	4700
Choller	300	Plymouth	100
Crown Point	255	Occidental	110
Con. Cal. & Va	450	Potosi	300
Deadwood T	140	Savage	175
El Cristo	240	Sierra Nevada	240
Gould & Curry	160	Sutter Creek	150
Hale & Norcross	225	Union Con	250

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 25.—1:15 p. m. close.—Wheat—Steady; cash and May, 88¾c; July, 86¾c.

Corn—Steady; cash, 32¼c; May, 32¼c; July, 35⅝@35¾c.

Oats—Steady; cash, 24½c; May, 24⅝c; July, 23¾c.

Rye—Steady at 49½@50c.

Barley—Steady.

Prime Timothy—Steady at $1.35.

Flax—Firm at $1.49.

Whisky—$1.09.

Pork—Quiet; cash, $13.62½; May, $13.65; July, $13.70.

Lard—Firm; cash, $8.32½; May, $8.32½@ 8.35; July, $8.45.

Flour—In better demand for export. Foreign buyers advanced their bids somewhat; spring patents, soft to hard, $4.30@5.25; winter patents, $4.75@5.25.

Provisions—Shoulders $5.00@5.25; short clear, $5.60@5.65; short ribs, $5.40@5.45.

Butter—Firm; creamery, 11@18c; dairy, 9@ 16c.

Cheese—Quiet; full cream cheddars, 9@ 9½c; flats, 9½@10c; Young Americas, 10½@ 11c.

Eggs—Steady; fresh, 10½@11c.

Hides—Firm; heavy and light green salted, 6½@7c; salted bull, 5½c; dry flint, 6@7c; dry salted, 5@6c; dry calf, 6@7c; dogskins, 25c each.

Tallow—Trifle weak; No. 1 solid packed, 3¾c; No. 2, 3½c; cake, 4c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour	9,000	9,000
Wheat	20,000	13,000
Corn	277,000	316,000
Oats	158,000	350,000

NEW YORK, April 25.—Wheat—Receipts, 62,400 bushels; exports 19,400 bushels; spot closed firm; No. 2 red, 96@96½c in elevator, 97⅝@97¾c afloat, 95½@98¾c f. o. b.; options closed higher for May, other months down, No. 2 red April closing at 96c.

Corn—Receipts, 67,650 bushels; exports, 66,400 bushels; spot weak; No. 2, 45¾@46c in elevator, 42@47c afloat; ungraded mixed, 50@54c; options, lower and weak. May closing at 48c.

Oats—Receipts, 103,000 bushels; exports, 62,400 bushels; spot steady; No. 2 white, 34¾@35c; mixed western, 32@36c; white mixed western, 35@40c; options easier, April at 35½c.

Coffee—Options closed steady, 10@15 points higher. Sales, 40,250 bags: April, $16.05; May, $16.75@16.85; Spot Rio steady; fair cargoes, $20.00.

Sugar—Raw, firm; centrifugals, 96 test, 5 9-16c; refined, firm; standard "A," 6¼c, granulated 6¼c.

Petroleum—United closed, May, 81¾c.

Eggs—Firmer; western, 12¼@12½c.

Pork—Firm.

Lard—Firm; western steam, $8.65, May closing at $8.50 bid.

Butter—Choice fresh, firm; western dairy, 9@12c; creamery, 10@18c; Elgin, 19¼@20c.

Cheese—Quiet; Western, 9@10½c.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—Wheat—Irregular; cash and May, 86c.

Corn—Lower; cash and July, 36½c.

Oats—Firm; cash, 26½c; May, 25½c.

Pork—Dull at $13.25.

Lard—Nominally $8.10.

Whisky—$1.09.

Butter—Steady; creamery, 16@17c; dairy, 14@15c.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 25.—Wheat—Receipts, 337 cars; shipments, 26 cars; market lower, rather active; closing: No. 1 hard, April and May, 86c; on track, 85@85½c; No. 1 northern, April and May, 85½c; on track, 86@86½c; No. 2 northern, April and May, 81@82c; on track, 80@82c.

MILWAUKEE, April 25.—Wheat irregular; No. 2 spring, cash, 86½c.

Corn—Quiet; No. 3, 35c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white, 27c.

Rye—Quiet; No. 1, 50½@51½c.

Barley—Quiet; No. 2, 40c.

Provisions—Firm; pork, $13.65.

LIVERPOOL, April 25.—Wheat—Quiet; holders offer moderately; California No. 1, 7s 1d per cental; red western, winter, 6s 11d@7s.

Corn—Unchanged; demand poor; new mixed western, 3s 6½d per cental.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 hard cash, 74c; No. 2 red, cash, 83½c.

Corn—Weaker; No. 2 red, cash, 27¾c.

Oats—24c.

CINCINNATI, April 25.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, 90@91c.

Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 37@37½c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 27@27½c.

Whisky—$1.02.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market steady to strong; beeves, $4.10@5.30; steers, $3.20@4.70; stockers and feeders, $2.50@ 4.00; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.75@3.50; corn-fed steers, $3.00@3.80; grassers, $2.00@3.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000; market strong to 2½@5c higher; mixed, $4.10@4.22½; light, $4.10@ 4.35; heavy, $4.10@4.40; skips, $3.10@3.90.

Sheep—Receipts, 8,000; market weaker; natives, $4.75@5.40; western corn-fed, $5.00@5.90; Texans, $4.50@5.45; lambs, $5.75.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; shipments, 4,200; market strong; steers, $3.50@4.55; cows, $1.50@3.40; stockers and feeders, $2.75@3.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,400; shipments, 200; market higher; all grades, $4.00@4.10.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; shipments, none; market strong; fair to fancy native steers $3.40@4.80; stockers and feeders, $2.30@3.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,400; shipments, 4,200; market higher; heavy, $4.20@4.30; packing, $4.17½@4.25; light, $4.10@4.30.

SIOUX CITY, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; shipments, 1,500; market active.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,200; market about steady; $3.60@4.00.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Friday, April 25.

Estimated receipts of cattle 1,300, compared with 1,568 yesterday and 1,985 Friday of last week. The market on steers opened very slow with 5@10c lower values at about steady prices. Anything right fancy or that just suited the buyer might be quoted strong. There were no prime steers on market with only a few lots that reached the $4.00 line. Twelve or fifteen loads of cows were on the market. Cows opened active and strong on the best lots and steady on others. Bulls like cows, were active and steady. Feeders and stockers were plenty, with a slow, sagging market and few buyers.

Hogs.

Estimated receipts of hogs 2,500, compared with 3,040 yesterday and 4,250 Friday of last week. Hogs opened 5c higher and all changed hands on an active market. The bulk sold at $4.05. The range of prices was $4.00@4.10. The average price was $4.05, compared with $4.09½ yesterday and $4.01 last Friday.

Sheep.

There were a few sheep here today and everything good that was offered on this market met with ready sale. The offerings consisted of a single deck of native Nebraskas and five double decks of mixed westerns. The latter were billed through and the buyers could not get them although they were ready to bid strong prices.

Prevailing Prices.

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

Prime steers, 1300 to 1500 lbs	$4.35@4.55
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	4.05@4.20
Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs	3.85@4.05
Common steers, 1000 to 1150 lbs	3.50@3.75
Common canners	1.00@2.00
Ordinary to fair cows	1.50@2.35
Fair to good cows	1.90@2.45
Good to choice cows	2.50@3.00
Choice to fancy cows	2.85@3.50
Fair to good bulls	1.75@2.60
Choice to fancy bulls	2.60@3.00
Light stockers and feeders	2.50@3.25
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.90@3.60
Fair to choice light hogs	4.00@4.10
Fair to choice heavy hogs	4.00@4.10
Fair to choice mixed hogs	4.00@4.10

Comparative Tables.

The following table shows the range in prices on hogs during this and last week:

Days.	This Week.	Last Week.
Monday	$4 05@4 15	$4 15@4 20
Tuesday	3 90@4 05	4 05@4 15
Wednesday	3 75@4 00	4 10@4 20
Thursday	3 90@4 05	4 00@4 10
Friday	4 00@4 10	3 85@4 10
Saturday		3 95@4 15

Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs.

Today.		Yesterday.	
Highest	$4 10	Highest	$4 05
Lowest	4 00	Lowest	3 95

Stock Receipts.

Official Yesterday.		Estimated Today.	
Cattle	71 cars, 1578	Cattle	64 cars, 1300
Hogs	47 cars, 3040	Hogs	38 cars, 2500
		Sheep	6 cars, 1128

Average Price of Hogs.

Showing the average price paid for loads of hogs on the days indicated in 1887, 1888, 1889 and 1890:

Day.	April. '90	April. '89	April. '88	April. '87
20	Sunday	$4 54	$4 22½	$5 20
21	4 05¼	Sunday	5 20	5 14
22	3 98¾	Holiday	Sunday	5 19
23	3 95¾	4 47	5 12	5 18
24	4 00¾	4 50	5 18	Sunday
25	4 05¾	4 50	5 17	5 25

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.
April 1	$4 07½	April 14	$4 10¾
April 2	4 05¾	April 15	4 09¾
April 3	4 01½	April 16	4 02½
April 4	4 08½	April 17	4 03¾
April 5	4 10¾	April 18	4 07
April 7	4 12	April 19	4 08½
April 8	4 12	April 21	4 07½
April 9	4 08½	April 22	3 98¾
April 10	4 03¾	April 23	3 95¾
April 11	4 04½	April 24	4 00¾
April 12	4 13¾	April 25	4 05¾

Disposition of Stock.

Showing the number of cattle, hogs and sheep purchased on this market by the different buyers during the past week:

CATTLE.

Buyers.	No.
Swift & Co	508
Geo H Hammond & Co	158
Armour-Cudahy P Co	113
Omaha P Co	33
Lee Rothschild	155
Hamilton & Stephen	86
Benton & Underwood	28
Nels Morris	4
Shippers & Feeders	234
Becker & Degen	113
Crone & Vansant	5
Lobmann & Trauerman	88

HOGS.

Armour-Cudahy Packing Co	794
Omaha Packing Co	851
Swift & Co	430
Geo. H. Hammond Packing Co	387

SHEEP.

Swift & Co	118

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
20	1259	$5 50	36	1005	$4 07½	18	1199	$3 85
24	1036	5 00	16	1066	4 05	20	1169	3 85
4	1110	5 00	6	1232	3 70	19	1210	3 85
35	930	5 00	20	1067	3 70	20	1290	3 85
1	1250	5 00	6	1077	3 70	20	1310	3 90
19	853	3 55	5	1142	3 70	17	1121	3 90
36	1479	3 55	23	1530	3 70	18	1264	4 00
16	1051	3 60	18	1103	3 75	21	1342	4 00
21	1087	3 60	28	1060	3 75	20	1295	4 00
4	1177	3 60	40	1060	3 75	5	1440	4 00
5	1024	3 60	20	1154	3 75	2	1455	4 00
5	1034	3 60	7	1315	3 80	18	1354	4 00
15	955	3 60	39	1173	3 80	10	1125	4 05
19	1103	3 65	6	1102	3 80	20	1405	4 10
15	1062	3 65	6	1192	3 80	1	1140	4 10
18	1144	3 65	22	1198	3 82½	1	1440	4 10
15	1060	3 65	4	1272	3 82½	61	1303	4 25

COWS.

4	1100	2 00	13	985	2 60	1	1270	3 00
1	880	2 10	10	1178	2 65	19	958	3 00
2	905	2 00	10	1132	2 75	1	1020	3 00
1	1040	2 10	1	1030	2 75	4	975	3 10
4	895	2 10	7	913	2 75	1	870	3 10
1	910	2 25	1	1180	2 75	7	1043	3 10
1	910	2 25	4	1040	2 80	2	1200	3 15
2	960	2 25	7	1006	2 85	5	1214	3 20
15	658	2 40	2	960	2 85	18	1008	3 25
5	940	2 50	1	930	3 00	4	845	3 25
1	990	2 50	2	1105	3 00	1	1350	3 25
1	1080	2 50	8	956	3 00	1	1200	3 50

BULLS.

1	1060	2 10	1	1450	2 25	1	550	2 50
2	1045	2 10	1	1320	2 25	1	1320	2 50
1	1020	2 10	12	1280	2 40	1	1280	2 75
1	1430	2 20	1	1300	2 40	1	1350	3 00
1	1060	2 20	1	1230	2 40	1	1080	3 20
1	1360	2 25	2	1025	2 50			

FEEDERS.

3	977	3 35	15	533	3 40	18	1008	3 45
16	828	3 35	7	943	3 40	14	959	3 45
1	840	3 35	1	800	3 40	17	935	3 45
5	736	3 35	5	987	3 40	6	705	3 45

STOCKERS.

18	701	3 35	1	610	3 50	1	620	3 55
4	645	3 35	21	515	3 50	5	593	3 55
11	694	3 35	5	684	3 55			

HEIFERS.

4	588	3 40	10	595	3 75	1	550	3 90
5	514	3 50						

CANNERS.

1	920	1 70	9	767	1 75	15	732	1 75
1	990	1 50	5	684	2 35			

STAGS.

1	800	2 87½	1	1040	3 50			

CALVES.

1	320	2 50	2	165	4 00			

WESTERN CATTLE.

Owner.	No.	Av.	Pr.
	31 steers	1291	3 50
	80 stockers	651	3 25
Standard Cattle Company—			
	26 steers, tailings	1275	3 00
	55 steers, tailings	1246	3 00
	48 heifers	820	3 70

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
12	233	160	$4 05	61	272	160	$4 05
79	233	40	4 05	79	231	40	4 05
10	260	80	4 00	69	258	160	4 05
69	227	160	4 05	64	258	80	4 05
76	240	280	4 00	68	278	160	4 05
40	228	1	4 02½	56	245	80	4 05
58	235	80	4 02½	65	284	160	4 05
34	252	80	4 05	64	241	1	4 07½
80	250	120	4 05	70	242	1	4 07½
70	228	40	4 05	74	242	1	4 07½
70	228	120	4 05	61	262	80	4 07½
70	231	160	4 05	61	250	120	4 07½
64	265	40	4 05	67	270	40	4 07½
73	262	80	4 05	61	261	40	4 07½
58	253	80	4 05	64	293	80	4 07½
66	250	120	4 05	73	243	80	4 07½
78	257	80	4 05	82	224	80	4 07½
63	284	40	4 05	73	240	1	4 07½
74	226	80	4 05	62	283	1	4 07½
50	235	80	4 05	66	280	40	4 10
67	287	240	4 05	66	240	1	4 10

STAGS.

1	570	—	2 25

Market Mention.

Keyes & Co. of O'Neil sent in a car of hogs.

Metcalf & Wood sent up a car of hogs from York.

W. J. Forney of Madison marketed a car of hogs.

Emly Brothers sent in a car of hogs from Wisner.

M. Valentine was in from Ohlown with a car of cattle.

O. Manchester had two cars of cattle here from Ashton.

T. L. Jones of Hendley was in with a car of cattle.

C. Penn came in from Neligh with a car each of cattle and hogs.

S. F. Perry had five doubles of sheep on the market from Kearney.

E. M. Platt came in from Red Cloud with a car of native sheep.

G. E. Carr of Anselmo was on the market with two cars of cattle.

H. L. Messner of South Bend was on the market with a car of cattle.

J. J. Burnheimer of Stromsburg was on the market with a car of cattle.

D. C. Clark & Co., of Hartington, had a car of cattle on the market.

Thompson & Pratt of Newman's Grove, had a car or cattle on the market.

Henry Schinstock, the every day shipper of West Point, sent in a car of hogs.

Page Hiatt brought in two cars of cattle and one of hogs from Pickrell.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, 9c; cold storage, pickled, limed, salted not wanted at any price.

POULTRY—Turkeys, dressed, fancy, dry picked, 12@13c; turkeys, live per lb., 9@11c; chickens, fancy, 10@12c; chickens, choice, 9@ 10c; chickens, five, per doz., $4.50@4.75; geese, dressed, fancy, 10@11c; geese, dressed, choice, 9@10c; geese, live, doz., $6.00@7.00; ducks, dressed, fancy, 12c; ducks, choice, 10@10c; ducks, live, doz., $2.50@3.00; pigeons, doz., $1.00 @1.25.

GAME—Jack snipe, $1.00@1.25; golden plover, $1.00@1.25; mallard ducks, $1.75@2.00; canvasback ducks, $4.00@5.00; red-head ducks, doz., $1.25@1.50; teal ducks, doz., 50c@$1.25; mixed ducks, doz., 75c@$1.00; geese, Canada, $2.50@ $3.00; geese, small, $1.00@1.50.

MAPLE SUGAR—Per lb, 11@12½c.

CHEESE—Per lb, full cream Young Americas, 11½c; full cream twins, 10½c; full cream Ohio swiss, 16c; full cream Wisconsin Swiss, 14@16c; full cream brick, 15c; full cream limburger swiss, 14c.

HONEY—13@14c per lb; strained, 6c.

ORANGES—Per box, Florida brights, $4.00@ 4.50; Messina, $3.75@4.00; California fancy navals, $4.00; Los Angeles, $3.00; seedlings, Riverside, $2.25@3.50; mountain, $2.25; in five-box lots, 25c less.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz, $4.00@4.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Per case, 24 qts., $7.00@ $10.00.

CIDER—Per bbl, refined, $6.50; half bbl, $3.75; hard cider, pure, per bbl, $5.00; orange cider, half bbls, $7.00; pear cider, half bbls, $7.00.

MINCE MEAT—5@6c per lb.

LEMONS—Per box, Messina fancy, $4.00@5.00; Verdelli, good, $2.50.

BANANAS—Per bunch, $1.50@3.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy rolls, prints, 23@ 24c; creamery, fancy, solid packed, 20@22c; creamery, choice, 18@20c; dairy, fancy rolls and prints, 18@20c; dairy, fancy solid packed, 17@18c; dairy, choice, 15@16c; country roll, fancy, 15@16c; choice, 12@14c; country roll, good, 10@12c; country roll, fair, 7@8c; poor stock, 3@5c.

BOXES—Quotations are for delivery in Chicago. Dry buffalo, per ton, $16.00@18.00; dry country, bleached, $10.00@13.00; dry country, damp and nasty, $8.00@10.00.

VEGETABLES—Old—Sweet potatoes, fancy Muscatine, per bbl, $4.00; onions, extra fancy, $4.50; onions, fair, $2.50; rutabagas, $2.00; carrots, $2.00; parsnips, $2.50; beets, $2.00; horse radish roots, per bbl, $4.50; per lb, 5c; celery roots, per bbl, $6.00; per doz, 60c.

PIGEON PEAS—$6.00@7.00 per lb.

JELLIES—4½@5½c per lb.

DRESSED VEAL—Choice medium, 8@9c; light, 7@8c; heavy, 3@4c.

APPLES—Per bbl, Genitons, $4.00; Willow Twig, $4.50; Ben Davis, $4.50; Romanite, $4.50.

LINSEED OIL—61@65c.

COCOANUTS—Per hundred, $4.75.

PICKLES—Medium, per bbl, $5.50; small, $6.50; gherkins, $7.50; C. & B. chow chow, qts, $3.85; pts, $2.35.

POTATOES—Per bu, fancy, 35@45c; choice, 30 @35c.

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

HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—Green salted hides, 4½c; dry salted hides, 5@5½c; dry flint hides, 6@10c; calf hides, 4½@6½c. Damaged hides 2c less. Sheep pelts, green, each, 25@35 @1.25; sheep pelts, dry, per lb, 6@7c; tallow, No. 1, 2½@3c; No. 2, 2@2½c; grease, white, 3½@4c; yellow, 2½@3c.

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.

APPLE BUTTER—Per lb, 6@7c.

WOOL—Fine unwashed, 14@17c; medium unwashed, 18@21c; coarse unwashed, 18@20c.

Groceries.

DRIED FRUIT—Currants, new, 6½@7½c; prunes, casks, 1.3@c, 6½c; prunes, bbls or bags, 6½@7½c; citron peel, drums, 20 lbs, 25c; lemon peel, drums, 19c; fard dates, boxes, 12 lbs, 11c; apricots, choice evaporated, 15c; apricots, jelly cured, 25 lb boxes, 16c; apricots, fancy, 25 lb boxes, 19c; apples, choice evaporated, 10c; apples, prime new, 9@9½c; figs, layer, 10 per cent tare, 13½c; in sacks, 5c; Persian dates, 7c; Salt Lake apples, 5c; blackberries, evaporated, 50 lb boxes, 5½c; cherries, pitted, dry cured, 15c; peaches, pared, fancy, 18c; choice, 16c; Salt Lake, 7c; pitted plums, Cal, 1 lb boxes, 8½@9½c; raspberries, evaporated, N. Y., new, 30c; prunes,