THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Takes a Back Seat, as Compared to Corn.

CORN TOUCHES THE FORTY CENT MARK.

Other Cereals Impart a Slight Impetus to Oats—Quite a Change of Sentiment in Provisions.

CHICAGO, July 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The wheat market took a secondary place to corn early in the day, in point of activity, but as far as strength went the advance in price was fully equal to the corn market. There was no sensational news and no plunging or raiding, but on a moderate kind of bull market prices for all months were up 1c straight before the last hour of the session was reached. August sold 88⅝c to 88⅞c to 89c; September 90c to 90¼c to 90c to 90⅛c; December 92½c to 92⅝c to 92⅜c to 92⅝c; May 93¾ to 93⅞c. To begin with, receipts here were short of the estimate. Then cables were firm for both spot and futures. Out inspection here was 97,000 bushels, including 71,000 bushels of No. 2 spring. New York cleared 58,000 bushes of wheat and a quantity of flour. Minneapolis millers reported unusual foreign orders for flour. The domestic demand was also called remarkably good, one big mill selling 20,000 barrels yesterday for home use. From Cairo, Ill., came dispatches saying local millers were bidding St. Louis prices for wheat to grind. New York wired at noon that eighteen loads had been taken for export this morning, including eight loads of No. 2 red wheat. Under all this was the belief by many in the trade that the damage to spring wheat fields has been underestimated. Price Current estimates were unchanged in both winter and spring wheat. In this market Hutchinson bought early, but sold on an advance. Smith & Co., bought 300,000 bushels the first hour. Comstock and Driver tried to bull the market, but did not take much wheat. Baker & Co., and Dunham & Co.'s were buyers. Counselman's house unloaded a half million bushels in small drifts. New York sold here. There was no disposition to short the market, and this made local buyers more bold. Cars for Friday were estimated at 100 and included 7 cars of new wheat. At 1 o'clock the market was firm and fairly active, with September up to 90¼c. At 1:10 the price bounded to 91½c, or 3c over last night. Export business in wheat at New York and Baltimore was enormous today, if dispatches are correct. After 1 o'clock export business at New York was reported at 25 boat loads. Additional later dispatches raised the total to 31 at that port and Baltimore reported 20 boat loads. This was the greatbull influence which put wheat figures up so sharply. September on the final bulge went to 91¾c. Closing prices were just 2c over last night. July at 89⅝c, August 90¼c, September 91½c, December 93½c, May 95½c.

The corn market led all others early and continued a big market all day. The top mark was reached for September, and all indications point to a strong, active market. Receipts were less than estimate, 42 cars, with but 60 cars estimated for tomorrow. Shipments were over a half million bushels. Liverpool cables were 1d up for spot and futures early, and the market advanced on general buying. September opened 5c higher at 39⅝c, sold to 39¾c to 39⅞c to 39⅝c to 40c to 39¾c. The force under the corn market was no doubt the condition of the crop. Each day adds to the need of rain in many states. Kansas City alone had rains last night, and Kansas and Nebraska are dry. The Price Current estimate that many fields in Missouri and the Ohio valley were injured beyond recovery, had a bullish effect in the pit. There were a few sales of September at 40c. Many bulls now think the price will go to 45c on its merits. St. Louis again bought corn here. Wheat operators also took corn on the bulge. September corn closed at 39⅞c, July closed at 39½c, August at 39¾c. October at 40½c and May at 44⅝c.

There was a narrow market in oats all day and while the feeling was firm the advance was but ⅛c for early months, while May was up ¼c or more. It looked as if the strength was largely due to the sharp advance in prices for wheat and corn. There was a dispatch from Primo saying that threshers were turning out less than expected, but the country seat selling orders. This did not bear out Mr. Prime. Hutchinson was also against the market. July sold at 31⅞c to 32⅛c; August closed at 30⅝c; September sold at 29½c to 30c, closing at 29½c; May 32⅝c to 32⅞c to 33⅛c to 33⅛c.

There was quite a change of sentiment in the provision trade today. The corn market, no doubt, had much to do with it. Corn started about ½c higher, and this held prices for hog products steady the first hour, although receipts of hogs were large and the market at the yards acted easier. Later in the day prices of hogs dropped 5c for lightweight and 10c for heavy, according to dispatches, and yet products in the pit not only held firm but advanced. The bull feeling in grain carried the other markets. Mess pork for September sold early at $10.00, but closed at $10.20, with July 10c up at $10.30. Lard recovered from $5.10 to $5.20 for September and short ribs sold for the same month at $5.15 to $5.17½, closing at $5.15.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, July 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—More activity was noticeable in cattle today than for weeks past, and good, dry-fed qualities received sufficient competition from dressed beef men for eastern shippers and exporters to quickly absorb the supply at strong prices. Grassy steers were not in favor, and such moved slowly at the recent low figures, or around the $3.60 basis, while around $4.40 was the basis for ripe, dry-fed, fat beeves. Good cows and heifers met with a healthy inquiry from both local and country butchers and sold firm. Low grades, however, dragged eanners, who bought freely of this class of stock early in the week, neglecting them to some extent this morning. The Texas branch had only 3,900 head on sale and no active trade at firm to strong prices resulted. The stocker and feeder market developed neither life nor strength. Choice to extra beeves, $4.50@4.80; medium to good steers, 1,250 to 1,500 lbs., $4.20@4.40; 1,100 to 1,250 lbs., $3.85@4.25; 950 to 1,200 lbs., $3.35@3.80; stockers and feeders slow at $2.60@3.40; cows, bulls and mixed steady at $1.40@3.40; bulk, $2.00@2.60; Texas cattle, strong and active; steers, 850 to 1,050 lbs., $2.60@3.40; 500 to 900 lbs., $2.30@2.75; cows, $1.90@2.30; western ranges steady, native and half-breeds at $1.00@3.85; cows, $2.75@3.25.

HOGS—The general market opened 5c lower than yesterday's strongest period, or around a $5.85 basis for prime qualities. Even at this decline, the feeling was weak and uncertain, owing to the bearish action of packers, and toward the middle of the forenoon another 5c had been taken off, trade closing weak at a reduction of fully 10c, and the supply not cleaned. A bulk of good heavy early made $5.85; later $5.75 was marked, and at the wind-up $5.70 was secured; desirable packing grades and $5.60 rough packers. Sorted light and butchers early sold around $5.85; later $5.90 was the extreme top, with $5.75 the bases upon which buyers bid for the general run of desirable sorts. Early in the morning some fancy singeing selections made $5.90@5.95; and a few fancy heavy $5.87½@5.90, part of the load selling at the extremely fancy figure of 5.92½.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, July 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The passing days bring little that is new to the street or market. Railroad stocks are sadly neglected. The interest in dealings this morning was confined entirely to Sugar Refineries and New England, both of which were decidedly weak and gave tone to the rest of the market, although fluctuations outside of these two stocks were without significance. First prices were generally only slightly changed from those of last evening, but sugar was up 1 per cent at 79½. This, however, was the highest point, and a sharp decline to 77¾ followed on large business. New England was only ⅝ higher at the opening at 50⅝, and it also dropped quickly to 49¾. There was some animation in the Atchison and Lead trust, but neither moved more than a slight fraction. Sugar and New England recovered a small fraction of loss, but then became dull and steady with the remainder of the market. At 11 o'clock the market was very dull and steady at about first prices. During the hour to noon sugar went off a second time to 77¾. There was not another change of importance in the list. After midday there was much bettterstrength in stocks generally. Sugar rose to 79⅛, the top point for the day, and closed a fraction better than yesterday at 78¾. Transcontinental rose to 4⅞, and Northern Pacific, Grangers and Coal stocks ruled higher. Northwestern and St. Paul each made a net gain of ⅝. Atchison touched 45⅝, but closed ¼ under the figure. The liberal taking of bodes by the government, and a better outlook for peace among the railroads, helped prices. Sales were 86,000 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s coupon	123⅝	Northern Pacific	26⅝
U. S. 4s regular	123⅝	do preferred	65⅝
U. S. 4½s regular	108⅝	C. & N. W.	111⅝
U. S. 4½s coupon	109⅝	do preferred	144
Pacific 6s of '95	119	New York Central	107⅝
Central Pacific	35	P., D. & E.	20
Chicago & Alton	136	Rock Island	91
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	102⅝	C., M. & St. Paul	74⅛
		do preferred	118
D., L. & W.	149⅝	St. Paul & Omaha	33⅛
Illinois Central	116⅝	do preferred	92⅝
L. S. & W.	74⅝	Union Pacific	63⅝
Kansas & Texas	20⅝	W., St. L. & P.	12⅝
Lake Shore	103⅝	do preferred	26⅝
Michigan Central	96	Western Union	83⅝
Missouri Pacific	74		

MONEY—Easy at 3½@4½ per cent.
PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@6½ per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE — Quiet but steady; sixty-day bills, $4.84⅞; demand, $4.88⅞.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, July 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	250	Homestake	1000
Adams Con	100	Horn Silver	850
Belle Isle	115	Iron Silver	190
Caledonia M. H.	190	Mount Diablo	500
Con. Cal. & Va.	300	N. Belle Isle	125
Commonwealth	320	N. Commonwealth	300
Deadwood T.	125	Ontario	400
Deadwood S.	125	Plymouth	590
Eureka Con.	375	Phoenix, Ariz.	120
Hale & Norcross	280		

The Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, July 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Coffee—Options opened barely steady and unchanged to 20 points down. Sales, 21,750 bags, including July, $17.30; August, $17.05@17.10; September, $16.55@16.60; October, $15.80@15.90; December, $15.45@15.50; March, $15.10@15.15; April, $15.10; May, $15.05@15.10. Spot Rio dull but steady; fair cargoes, $20.00. No. 7 flat bean, $18.37½.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, July 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; market steady; beeves, $4.50@4.90; steers, $3.35@4.40; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.40; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.40@3.40; Texas cattle, $1.60@3.40; western rangers, $2.75@3.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; market lower; mixed, $5.60@5.80; heavy, $5.80@5.90; light, $5.65@5.95; skips, $2.40@5.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market strong; natives, $3.50@4.40; western, $4.00@4.50; Texans, $3.00@4.25; lambs $4.75@6.00.

SIOUX CITY, July 24.—Hogs—Receipts, estimated at 2,000; market lively; quotations, best heavy selling at $5.65@5.67½, and $5.57½@5.60 for rough ends and light.

Cattle—Two bunches of heavy cattle brought $3.85@4.00. Stock cattle—Receipts light and no demand and market for miscellaneous butchers stiff and dull.

ST. LOUIS, July 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,800, shipments, 1,300; market steady; fair to fancy native steers, $3.80@4.40; stockers and feeders, $2.20@3.30.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,600; shipments, 3,400; market strong; heavy, $5.70@5.80; packing, $5.65@5.75; light, $5.50@5.65.

CINCINNATI, July 24.—Wheat—Stronger; No. 2 red, 88c.

Corn—Strong; No. 2 mixed, 41½c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2, mixed, 30c.

Whisky—$1.10.

LIVERPOOL, July 24.—Wheat—Firm; demand fair; holders offer sparingly; California No. 1, 7s 4d per cental.

Corn—Firm, demand fair; mixed western, 5s 9½d per cental.

PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, July 24.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Firm; cash, 89½@90c; September, 91½@91¾c.

Corn—Steady; cash, 39⅝c; September, 39¾c.

Oats—Firm; cash, 32½@32¾c; September, 29⅝c.

Rye—Firm at 49@49½c.

Barley—Slow.

Prime Timothy—$1.40.

Flax—Steady at $1.29.

Whisky—$1.10.

Pork—Steady; cash, $11.25; September, $10.15@10.20.

Lard—Firm; cash, $5.80; September, $5.05.

Flour—Steady and unchanged; winter, $1.90@3.40; spring, $1.90@4.85; red, $2.50@2.80.

Shoulders—$5.62½@5.75.

Short clear—$5.35@5.40.

Short ribs—$5.00@5.10.

Butter—Creamery, 10@12½c; dairy, 8@14c.

Cheese—Full cream cheddars, 7@7½c; flats, 7½@7½c; Young Americas, 7½@8c.

Eggs—Easier; fresh, 12@13½c.

Hides—Unchanged; heavy and light green salted, 6@6½c; salted bulls, 5c; green salted calf, 7½@7½c; dry salted hides, 6c; dry calf, 5@6c; deacons 25c each.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, solid packed, 4c; No. 2, 3½c; cake, 4½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour	10,000	3,000
Wheat	38,000	83,000
Corn	393,000	572,000
Oats	181,000	145,000

ST. LOUIS, July 24.—Wheat—Higher; cash, 89c; September, 90½c.

Corn—Higher; cash, 37½c; September, 38½@38⅝c.

Oats—Higher; cash, 30c; September, 30½@30⅞c.

Pork—Firm at $11.00.

Lard—Firm at $5.50.

Whisky—$1.10.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 12@18c; dairy, 6@12c.

MILWAUKEE, July 24.—Wheat—Strong; No. 2 spring, cash, 87c; No. 1 northern, 91c.

Corn—Firm; No. 3, 38½c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 30@30½c.

Rye—Higher; No. 1, 49½c.

Barley—Steady; No. 2, 55c.

Provisions—Firmer. Pork—$11.25; August, $11.75.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 24.—Wheat—Receipts, 64 cars; shipments, 86 cars; good wheat sold well around yesterday's prices, but was slow when slightly better figures were asked for. Closing: No. 1 hard, July and August, 91c; on track, 90c; No. 1, northern, 88½c; July and August, 87¾ on track, 87½@88½c; No. 2 northern, July and August, 82c; on track, 82@86c.

KANSAS CITY, July 24.—Wheat—Higher; No. 2 cash, 88½@90c; July, 78⅞c; No. 2 red, cash, 82½c bid.

Corn—Higher; No. 2 cash, 36½c; July, 36½c.

Oats—Higher; No. 2 cash, 29c; July, 28½c.

KANSAS CITY, July 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,600; shipments, 4,700; market steady, steers, $3.25@4.35; cows, $1.25@3.25; stockers and feeders, $2.60@3.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,300; shipments, 6,800; market higher; all grades, $5.55@5.70.

NEW YORK, July 24.—Wheat—Receipts, 76,000 bushels; exports, 53,700 bushels; spot strong; No. 2 red, 97⅞@98½c in elevator; 98½c@$1.00 afloat; 99c@$1.00¼ f. o. b; options firm and active; 1½@2c higher; No. 2 red, July, closed at 99c.

Corn—Receipts 151,100 bushels; exports 35,600 bushels; spot fairly active; ⅜@1½c higher; firm; No. 2 45½@46½c in elevator; 46½@47c afloat; ungraded mixed, 44@44⅞c; options active; 1@1½c up; strong; July closing at 46½c.

Oats—Receipts 21,000 bushels; exports 550; spot stronger; No. 2 white, 41½@41½c; mixed western, 38@41c; white western, 41@48c; options firmer; July closed at 40c.

Coffee—Options barely steady; unchanged to 20 points down. Sales, 25,750 bags; July, $17.20; August, $17.05@17.10; spot Rio steady; fair cargoes, $20.00.

Sugar—Raw, 1 1-16c higher; fair refining, 4⅜c; centrifugals 96 test, 5¼c; refined, steady and quiet.

Petroleum—United closed for August at 80c.

Eggs—Firm; western, 17½@18c.

Pork—Firm; mess, $12.75@14.50.

Lard—Stronger; western steam, $6.65; August closed at $6.04@6.06.

Butter—Easy; western dairy, 6@11c; creamery, 9@17c; Elgin, 18@18c.

Cheese—Steadier; part skims, 3@5¼c.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Thursday July 24.

Estimated receipts of cattle 800, compared with 1,530 yesterday and 2,289 Thursday of last week. The market opened about steady. Owing to the light receipts, the few good steers were picked up early at prices, though by some a little stronger, while poorer grades were scarcely wanted. The market on the best grades of cows was about steady, and the poorer grades of steers and cows were weak and slow. Quite a number of feeders and stockers were in, the best being in demand at steady prices, while the others were neglected.

Hogs.

Estimated receipts of hogs, 7,500, compared with 6,972 yesterday and 6,926 Thursday of last week. The market opened about steady with yesterday's close. All changed hands early. The market closed weak. The range of prices was $5.40@5.55, the bulk selling at $5.50@5.55. Light, $5.40@5.47½; mixed, $5.47½@5.52½; heavy, $5.50@5.55. The average of the prices paid was $5.51½, compared with $5.53½ yesterday and $5.48½ Thursday of last week.

Sheep.

There were no fresh receipts of sheep. The demand continues and prices rule firm.

Prevailing Prices.

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

Prime steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs	$4.20	@4.50
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	4.00	@4.25
Good steers, 1050 to 1250 lbs	3.85	@4.10
Fair, 1000 to 1150 lbs	3.50	@3.90
Common, 800 to 1200 lbs	3.25	@3.60
Common canners	1.00	@2.00
Ordinary to fair cows	1.60	@2.10
Fair to good cows	1.90	@2.35
Good to choice cows	2.75	@3.15
Choice to fancy cows	2.95	@3.35
Fair to good bulls	1.75	@2.65
Choice to fancy bulls	2.50	@2.75
Light stockers and feeders	2.50	@3.20
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.90	@3.40
Fair to choice light hogs	5.40	@5.47½
Fair to choice heavy hogs	5.50	@5.55
Fair to choice mixed hogs	5.47½	@5.52½

Comparative Tables.

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

Days.	This Week.		Last Week.	
Monday	$5 40	@5 50	$5 50	@5 65
Tuesday	5 45	@5 55	5 40	@5 60
Wednesday	5 50	@5 60	5 40	@5 50
Thursday	5 40	@5 55	5 50	@5 55
Friday			5 50	@5 65
Saturday			5 50	@5 67½

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:

June 30	5 47½	July 12	5 47
July 1	5 43½	July 14	5 50½
July 2	5 44½	July 15	5 51½
July 3	5 45½	July 16	5 46
July 4	5 51½	July 17	5 48½
July 5	5 53	July 18	5 58½
July 7	5 62½	July 19	5 60½
July 8	5 67½	July 21	5 44½
July 9	5 63½	July 22	5 48½
July 10	5 53	July 23	5 53½
July 11	5 44½	July 24	5 51½

Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs.

Today.		Yesterday.	
Highest	$5 55	Highest	$5 60
Lowest	5 40	Lowest	5 50

Stock Receipts.

Official Yesterday.		Estimated Today.	
Cattle	70 cars, 1,538	Cattle	30 cars, 800
Hogs	109 cars, 6,972	Hogs	115 cars, 7,500

Average Price of Hogs.

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

Day.	July '90	July '89.	July '88.	July '87.
19	$5 40½	$4 30	$5 75	$5 20
20	Sunday	4 17	5 88	5 14
21	5 40½	Sunday	5 88	5 10
22	5 48½	4 17	Sunday	4 96
23	5 50½	4 17	5 87	5 08
24	5 51½	4 22	5 97	Sunday

Disposition of Stock.

Showing the number of cattle bought by the packers and leading buyers on today's market.

Swift & Co.	275
The G. H. Hammond Co.	165
The Armour Cudahy Packing Co.	5
Hamilton & Stephen	10
Benton & Underwood	132
Nels Morris	196
VanSant	10
Other Buyers	267

Representative Sales.

DRESSED BEEF STEERS.

2	810	$3 00	15	1057	$3 70	49	1324 $4 00
21	993	3 55	5	1040	3 70	18	1161 4 00
5	1038	3 60	25	1058	3 70	2	1170 4 00
20	1210	3 60	5	1040	3 75	19	1167 4 05
20	1092	3 65	21	978	3 82½	12	1156 4 10
19	1184	3 70	5	1100	3 85		

COWS.

16	996	2 15	4	1142	2 25	21	1013 2 55
21	1091	2 20	18	977	2 30	14	918 2 65
1	700	2 25	1	1230	2 40	3	970 2 85
10	994	2 25	22	934	2 40	1	1270 3 00
1	1150	3 25					

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

1	760	2 25	17	851	2 65	27	809 2 75
21	660	2 25	34	855	2 70	22	880 2 80
37	699	2 25	4	840	2 75	23	945 3 05
29	877	2 50					

BULLS.

2	1290	1 90	1	1590	2 00	3	1273 2 15
2	1340	2 00	1	1670	2 00	1	2000 2 25

CANNERS.

1	900	1 50	1	1150	1 60	6	847 1 60
1	1080	1 50					

CALVES

1	340	2 50	3	187	4 00

HEIFERS.

3	787	2 90			

STAGS.

1	980	2 25			
1	—	2 40			

COW AND CALF.

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.		Av.	Pr.
White River Land & Cattle Co.—			
1 steer, grass		1030	$2 75
194 steers, grass		984	2 75
Standard Cattle Company—			
60 steers, corn fed		1170	4 00

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
5	208	—	$3 35	62	260	—	$3 50
2	360	—	3 35	68	253	160	3 50
3	247	40	3 35	41	374	—	3 50
4	367	80	3 40	154	288	440	3 50
3	230	—	3 40	69	234	80	3 50
41	280	120	3 40	74	216	120	3 50
70	222	240	3 45	55	300	160	3 50
10	311	—	3 45	50	289	160	3 50
61	276	560	3 47½	57	328	120	3 50
64	230	80	3 47½	60	291	200	3 50
44	296	40	3 50	51	332	120	3 50
73	223	80	3 50	57	263	80	3 50
12	174	—	3 50	71	221	40	3 52½
77	225	160	3 50	55	249	—	3 52½
75	227	—	3 50	56	243	40	3 52½
80	234	200	3 50	47	353	120	3 52½
62	252	40	3 50	62	249	120	3 52½
59	274	240	3 50	60	246	40	3 52½
60	283	80	3 50	60	240	—	3 52½
68	239	120	3 50	63	309	80	3 52½
63	255	160	3 50	69	242	80	3 52½
64	270	120	3 50	59	305	80	3 52½
63	259	80	3 50	66	265	80	3 52½
60	316	80	3 50	20	356	—	3 52½
70	235	120	3 50	63	240	40	3 52½
62	290	40	3 50	53	241	—	3 52½
85	206	—	3 50	58	301	160	3 52½
57	308	120	3 50	62	246	40	3 52½
66	237	40	3 50	71	221	40	3 52½
44	215	120	3 50	73	242	120	3 52½
62	339	80	3 50	66	244	160	3 52½
71	259	120	3 50	66	256	160	3 52½
62	271	80	3 50	64	270	120	3 52½
66	242	40	3 50	45	288	80	3 52½
96	288	240	3 50	70	233	120	3 52½
68	268	80	3 50	69	362	80	3 52½
71	267	80	3 50	67	226	120	3 52½
61	277	80	3 50	74	245	80	3 52½
64	296	240	3 50	60	279	80	3 52½
64	287	200	3 50	73	260	40	3 52½
58	295	200	3 50	65	234	40	3 52½
43	281	120	3 50	51	326	160	3 52½
17	253	40	3 50	60	304	120	3 52½
65	227	40	3 50	48	305	40	3 55
71	269	120	3 50	59	321	40	3 55
61	304	200	3 50	56	275	80	3 55
69	268	160	3 50	66	253	—	3 55
67	242	80	3 50	51	258	—	3 55
76	226	80	3 50	60	214	40	3 55
67	260	80	3 50	71	239	80	3 55
48	230	40	3 50	70	237	120	3 55
65	277	120	3 50	57	244	—	3 55
45	183	80	3 50	55	277	80	3 55
97	268	200	3 50	66	266	240	3 55
71	215	240	3 50	64	340	80	3 55
61	229	160	3 50	55	303	40	3 55
65	251	240	3 50	54	318	—	3 55
64	216	40	3 50	71	264	—	3 55
56	241	80	3 50	54	311	80	3 55
59	247	80	3 50	63	282	80	3 55
55	254	—	3 50	51	294	40	3 55
59	280	40	3 50	58	306	—	3 55
60	254	80	3 50	62	306	200	3 55
65	547	—	3 50	49	314	—	3 55
64	259	80	3 50	54	311	120	3 55

Market Mention.

Frank Jones brought in stock from Atkinson and while in the city is visiting Frank G. Shelany.

Editor A. C. Davenport of the Stockman who, with his accomplished wife, has been having a July outing, has returned from Iowa.

Hogs a shade lower.

Cattle steady.

Jones & Shean sent in a car of hogs from Aurora.

C. J. Furser sent in a car of hogs from Holstein.

Metcalf & Wood marketed a car of hogs from York.

H. F. Church of Pierce was here with a car os cattle.

M. E. Bowlin & Co. marketed a car of hogs from Bromfield.

Edward McMahon was in from Arlington with two cars of cattle.

W. Schmeeckle was on the market with a car of hogs from Eustis.

A. T. Nichols had two cars of hogs on the market from Litchfield.

Thomas King & Son of Percival, Ia., were over with five cars of cattle.

Fuller, Smith & Fuller, heavy dealers of Scribner, marketed a car of hogs.

Chambers & Burdick had two cars of hogs on the market from Herman.

T. Foley, jr., was in with a car each of cattle and hogs from Greeley Center.

George Mitchell of the firm of James Powers & Co. was in with two cars of cattle.

T. H. Christy, the well known shipper of Lawrence, was on the market with a car of hogs.

Ryan Brothers of Montana, heavy ranchmen who for a number of years have been shipping to Chicago, called at the yards.

George F. Burch of McCool Junction was on the market with two cars of hogs. He was accompanied by I. F. Bagley, a prominent merchant of that thriving town.

I. N. Shelvin, a hog salesman, was taken violently ill with summer cholera while at work. He was removed to the room at the Exchange.

P. E. Frederick, senior member of the firm of Frederick & Son, Gibbon, was in the yards looking after a car of cattle. Mr. Frederick states that crops in his locality will be poor this year and if rain does not soon fall the corn crop will be very short.

Fred Patterson of the well known firm of Patterson & Co., Stockham, was on the market with eight loads of cattle and three of hogs.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce.

CORN—32c.

OATS—28@30c.

HAY—$6.50@7.00.

MILLSTUFFS—$11.50.

CHOPPED FEED—$13.50.

FISH—Per lb: Perch, 7c; buffalos, 7c; pickerel, 8c; pike, 9c; trout, 9c; white, 9c; croppie, 10c; catfish, 11c; cod steak, 12c; flounders, 12c; Oregon salmon, 15c; black bass, 15c; lobsters, 18c.

HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—Green salted hides, 5½@6c; dry salted hides, 5c; dry flint hides, 6½@8c; calf hides, 4½@6½c. Damaged hides, ½c less. Sheep pelts, green, each, 50c@$1.25; sheep pelts, dry, per lb, 6@11c.

TALLOW—A No. 1, 4½c; No. 2, 3@3½c; grease, white, 3½@4c; yellow, 2½@3c; stearine, 6½c.

BONES—Quotations are for delivery in Chicago.—Dry buffalo, per ton, $16.00@18.00; dry country, bleached, $10@13.00; dry country, damp and neaty, $8.00@10.00.

PLUMS—Purple Duane, per box, $2.25.

POULTRY—Per dozen, choice hens, $1.00@3.50; choice mixed, $3.50@5.00; roosters, $1.50@2.75; spring chickens, $2.00@2.25 for small; $2.50@3.00 for medium; $3.00@3.50 for large.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy rolls, print, 16@16½c; creamery, fancy, solid packed, 13@14c; creamery, choice, 10@12c; dairy, fancy rolls and prints, 12@13c; dairy, fancy solid packed, 10@12c; dairy, choice, 9@10c; country roll, fancy, 8@9c; choice, 7@8c; inferior, 3@5c.

EGGS—8@10c for strictly fresh; stale not salable.

HONEY—Strained—60-lb cans, per lb, 9c; new comb honey, 16@[illegible]c.

BEANS—Hand-picked navy, $1.75@2.00; hand-picked navy, medium, $1.60@1.75; hand-picked country, $1.40@1.60; good clean, $1.10@1.25.

PICKLES—Medium, per bbl, $5.50; small, $6.50; gherkins, $7.50.

BLACKBERRIES—$1.50@2.50 per 24-qt case.

EVAPORATED APPLES—Fancy, 10½@11c per lb.

BLUEBERRIES—Per bu, $3.50@4.00.

CURRANTS—Per 24-qt case, $3.00@4.00.

GOOSEBERRIES—Per bushel-stand, $4.00@5.00.

COCOANUTS—Per 100, $5.00.

WATERMELONS—Per 100, $25.00@30.00.

CANTELOUPE—Per doz, $1.50@2.00.

CHERRIES—Southern, per basket, $1.75.

PEACHES—Arkansas, ⅛ bushel box, $1.00@1.50; California, per box, $2.00@2.50.

LEMONS—Per box, Messina, fancy, $9.00@10.00.

TOMATOES—Four-basket crates, $1.50@2.00.

ONIONS—New southern, per bbl, $4.50@5.00.

PEARS—Bartlett, California, per box, $3.50.

PRUNES—German, per box, $2.25; tragedy, per crate, $2.75.

JELLIES—3½@4c per lb.

DRESSED VEAL—Choice medium, 6@7c; light, 5@5½c; heavy, 4@5c.

LINSEED OIL—Raw, 60c; boiled, 63c.

CIDER—Per bbl, refined, $7.00; half bbl, $3.25; hard cider, pure, per bbl, $8.00; orange cider, half bbl, $7.00; pear cider, half bbl, $7.00.

WOOL—Fine unwashed, 14@16c; medium unwashed, 18@21c; coarse unwashed, 18@20c.

Provisions.

MEATS—Packers' prices—Smoked hams, 16-lb average, 10½c; smoked hams, 20 to 22 lbs, 9½c; smoked hams, 12 to 14 lbs, 10½c; extra heavy hams, 23 to 25 lbs average, 9½c; skinned sliding 18 to 20 lbs average, 10½c; California hams, 8½c; special breakfast bacon, clean, 7½c; rib, 7½c; ham sausage 5c; picnic hams, 7½c; dried beef hams, set, 9½c; regular, 6½c; clods, 7½c; beef tongues, per doz, $6.00; per lb, 9½c; dry salt meats, 5½@6c; mess pork, per bbl, $11.50@12.75; extra mess beef, $8.50; sausage, per lb, bologna, 4c; star, 4½c; liver, 6½c; blood, 4½c; headcheese, 4½c. Add ½c per lb for lots less than 50 lbs. Pig pork, boneless, per bbl, $13.50; half bbl, $7.25; quarter bbl, $3.75; eighth bbl, $2.10; pigs hocks, half bbl, $4.75; quarter bbl, $2.65; eighth bbl, $1.60; kits, 45 lbs, 15c; pigs feet, half bbls, $2.75; quarter bbls, $1.50; eighth bbls, 85c; kits, 15 lbs each, 65c. Boneless breakfast bacon, 10c; boneless ham, 8c; summer sausage, 10c; cervelat sausage,