THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Increased Activity and Better Prices in All Kinds of Cereals.

A GENUINE BULL DAY IN THE WHEAT PIT.

Numerous Influences Combine to Strengthen Corn—May the Big Month in Oats—The Provision Market.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The wheat market was active enough and strong enough through the entire session to compensate for any weakness or dullness displayed recently. There was scarcely a minute from opening to closing that the prices were not on the move up or down. The tendency was upward, and as prices advanced the market became broader and broader until a genuine bull market was witnessed. Several things contributed to the strength, and ahead of everything else was the change of sentiment to the bull side. The strength showed itself on the curb, where the price of December was bid up to $1.02⅞ against $1.02 as the top and closing price Saturday. When regular trading opened there were trades from $1.02⅞ to $1.02¾ the first minute, with a little depression at once to $1.02. This was the bottom for the day. May sold at $1.06¾ to $1.07¼ the first few minutes and on the first rally December went to $1.03 and May to $1.07⅝. From these figures there was a little decline before 11 o'clock, but the market took all offerings and about midday moved up on excellent buying until December touched $1.03½ and May $1.07⅝. There was a decline of less than ½c from the top at once, but this was followed by a steady, well supported market before 1 o'clock, with December around $1.03. About the only thing to count against the market from the outside was the receipts at Minneapolis, 82 cars, and 23 at Duluth, making nearly 1,20 cars at the two points. In the local trade the principal hindrance to a more swift advance was the selling out by Bloom of a large line of wheat. Many others sold in a similar way on early bulges. This was more than balanced by the attitude of Hutchinson. He became a big buyer and kept at it till top prices were reached. His following on the bear side got run in and had to suffer losses. Buying was led by Comstock, Mitchell, and many others who have been working for an advance for a week past. The visible supply report was bullish and showing 9,000 bushels decrease, whereas an increase of 40,000 bushels was expected. The visible supply increased nearly 1,900,000 bushels the same week last year. Local stocks were decreased 78,000 bushels. Liverpool cables were bullish, but largely a reflection of the closing strength here Saturday. Receipts were but 99 cars, with only 15 cars of No. 2 grade. Wheat was held strong to the close. Last prices were: October, 99½c; December, $1.03¼; May, $1.07⅝. Sales ranged from 98¼c to $1.09. Duluth reported some export business and New York reported five boat loads worked. Country elevator stocks in the northwest increased 1,351,000 bushels, a total of 4,271,000 against 5,900,000 bushels a year ago.

Corn was strong and higher today because the receipts were much less than the estimate, because wet weather over the west threatened to interfere with the movement still further, because such reports as came in from early husking were disappointing, because local stocks were reduced for the week, because wheat was very strong, and because Hutchinson became an active buyer from the bottom to the top. Receipts were 438 cars against the estimate of 610 cars. Shipments were 436,000 bushels. Local stocks were reduced 400,000 bushels. The visible supply increased 20,000 bushels for the week. May corn started at the first flash at the curb price of 52½c. It sold off at once to 52c. This was the bottom price. The advance was slow at first to 52⅛c, the opening price, when good buying carried the price to 53c, with slight reaction to 52½c. October sold at 49⅜c to 50½c and off to 50c; December started around 49½c, sold at 50⅜c and down to 50⅛c. Last prices on corn were: October, 50c; November, 50⅛c; December, 50⅛c; May, 52⅝c.

Prices of oats were advanced with other cereals. Buying was led by Hutchinson and Presse. Sales for the month were from 39c to 39⅝c at the close. May was a big month. After the opening at 42⅛c the price touched 41⅞@42, moved up to 42¾c and closed at 42¾@42⅞c.

The provision market was much more active than usual, and after displaying considerable strength, closed with fair gains all around. Dispatches from the yards gave but 19,000 hogs received and prices 5c to 10c higher early. Later advices said the market was strong and nearly all disposed of readily. The upward movement in prices of cereals also helped provisions. Hutchinson was a seller of pork and lard early, but scalpers were eager to take offerings. January pork sold at $11.80 to $11.75 to $11.90 to $11.87½ and $11.85 at the close. Lard was firm all day, selling at $5.52½ to $6.55 and closing at $6.52½@6.55. Short ribs touched $5.80 and closed at $5.77½ for January.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Business for the week opened about like the close of last week. Good cattle were scarce and sold quickly, while ordinary and common stock ruled slow and sold at whatever the salesman could get. There were at least 5,000 cows, heifers, calves and bulls among the arrivals, about all of which sold down to as low prices as any day this year. Texans and rangers, when not first class, sold a shade lower. The top price for good steers was $4.90@5.10; others, $4.60@4.85; common and medium, $4.00@4.50; butchers' stock, $1.50@3.00; stockers, $1.95@3.00; Texas steers, $2.10@2.60. Rangers sold 10c lower, although the brands known as western ranchers made $4.15 and averaged 1350 pounds. Other range steers, $2.80@3.25.

HOGS—Active and 5@10c higher. Packers paid $4.20@4.40 for mixed, and shippers $4.40@4.65 for prime heavy and butchers' weights. A few Philadelphias sold at $4.70@4.75. First class light, including the singe sort, sold at $4.65@4.75; second class, $4.00@4.50; pigs, $3.30@3.75.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Stocks were very irregular during the first hour. Messages sent abroad after the close Saturday and expressions heard at Windsor and elsewhere over Sunday indicated that even the leaders are badly at sea over the immediate future of stocks. Selling by London has gone beyond all expectations. The gloomy outlook at the close Saturday prepared trade for still lower figures this morning. The list showed declines at the opening of ¼ to ¾ all around, with Chicago Gas at ¼ advance—about the only exception. Burlington opened steady at 92⅞, rose to 93⅛ on a spurt of buying, dropped back to 92⅜, and again rallied to 93. There was the greatest irregularity everywhere, but on the whole there was a quick rally from the early depression, caused by short buying. After prices were on a par with or better than the close last week selling was renewed and a second decline resulted, but prices did not go off to the low points of the first few minutes. Chicago Gas sold at 44⅛ and off to 42⅞, up to 43¾ and again off to 42½. Sugar was not greatly changed, ruling between 76⅝ and 77⅜. New England touched 41 and rallied to 42½. Northern Pacific preferred sold at 74⅝, up to 75, and dropped to 74. The bottom for Atchison was 35⅛, with a rally to 36¼. Rock Island sold at 77¾, up to 78⅛, and off to 77⅛. The low figures in St. Paul, Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific were 61⅝, 66⅝ and 50¾ respectively. Towards midday the market was more settled. The depression in stocks continued until late in the day, and some very low figures were touched—Atchison 35, Rock Island 76⅞, St. Paul 60⅝, Union Pacific 50¼, Louisville 79 and others in proportion. During the closing hours there was a great change and shorts became open and heavy buyers. The recovery was excellent. Rock Island closed steady with Saturday; Burlington and Missouri Pacific each showed a small net gain; St. Paul was still off ½; Louisville recovered to 80⅜. Business was the heaviest for months, reaching 333,387 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	122⅝	Northern Pacific	28⅝
U. S. 4s coupon	122⅝	do preferred	74⅛
U. S. 4½s regular	104	C. & N. W.	106⅜
U. S. 4½ coupon	104	do preferred	140
Pacific 6s of '95	114	New York Central	104⅛
Central Pacific	30⅛	P., D. & E.	17⅛
Chicago & Alton	132	Rock Island	77⅜
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	92⅜	C. M. & St. Paul	61⅞
D. L. & W	143⅜	do preferred	109⅛
Illinois Central	103	St. Paul & Omaha	28
I. B. & W		do preferred	88
Kansas & Texas	16	Union Pacific	51⅜
Lake Shore	106⅝	W., St. L. & P.	10⅜
Michigan Central	92⅝	do preferred	21⅛
Missouri Pacific	68⅜	Western Union	81⅝

MONEY—Easy at 4@7 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5½@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet and steady; sixty-day bills, $4.82; demand, $4.87.

Mining Shares.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Commonwealth	140	Ontario	4200
Homestake	1000	Plymouth	100
Horn Silver	330	Sutter Creek	130
Iron Silver	160		

The Visible Supply.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6—The visible supply for the week ending October 4, as compiled by the secretary of the Chicago board of trade, is as follows:

Wheat, bu	17,079,000
Corn, bu	8,721,000
Oats, bu	4,025,000
Rye, bu	584,000
Barley, bu	3,221,000

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—Close. Wheat—Firm; cash 99⅝@99¾c; December, $1.03¼; May, $1.07⅝@1.07¾.

Corn—Steady; cash, 50c; December, 50⅛c; May, 52⅝c.

Oats—Firm; cash, 39⅝c; December, 39⅞c; May, 42⅞c.

Mess Pork—Dull: cash, $9.75; January, $11.82½; May, $12.45.

Lard—Steady: cash, $6.22½; January, $6.52½@6.55; May, $6.92½.

Rye—Firm; 60@60c.

Barley—Quiet; 75c.

Flax—Easy; $1.46.

Timothy—Dull; $1.25@1.26.

Whiskey—$1.13.

Flour—Firm and unchanged; winter wheat, $2.25@5.25; spring wheat, $2.00@5.50; rye, $3.25@3.50.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $5.62½@5.75; short clear, $5.75@5.80; short ribs, $5.40.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 15@23c; dairy, 11@19c.

Cheese—Unchanged; full cream cheddars, 8@8½c; flats, 8¾@9c; young Americas, 9¼@9½c.

Eggs—Unchanged: fresh, 17@18c.

Hides—Unchanged; heavy green salted, 6½c; light green salted, 6½c; green, 5½c; salted bull hides, 5c; dry calf, 8@9c; deacons, each, 25c.

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

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	18,000	11,000
Wheat, bu	99,000	59,000
Corn, bu	269,000	436,000
Oats, bu	256,000	216,000

NEW YORK, Oct. 6.—Wheat—Receipts, 18,000; exports, ——; spot more active and higher; No. 2 red, $1.04⅝@1.05 in elevator; $1.06⅛@1.06⅝ afloat; $1.05⅝@1.07⅝ f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 98½c; ungraded red, 91@1.08⅛; options excited, active, 7⅛@2⅛c up on taking up of stock in Chicago; Hutchinson buying frightened shorts and fewer export business, closing strong; No. 2 red, November, closing at $1.05½.

Corn—Receipts, 119,000; exports, 31,000; spot quiet, firm; No. 2, 57½@57⅝c in elevator; 57⅝c afloat; ungraded mixed, 55½@57½c; options 1@1⅛c higher, active on bull manipulation; November closing at 57⅝c.

Oats—Receipts, 113,000; exports, ——; spot stronger; No. 2 white, 46@46⅛c; mixed western, 42@49c; white western, 45@53; options active and higher; November closing at 45½c.

Coffee—Options closed steady, 5 points down to 10 points up; sales, 25,000 bags; October, $18.00; November, $17.30@17.45; December, $17.00@17.10; spot rio firm; fair cargoes, $20.75.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, quiet.

Petroleum—Steady; united closed at 79⅝c for November.

Eggs—Steady; western, 20½@21½c.

Pork—Firm; mess, $11.50@12.25; extra prime, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—Stronger; western, $6.50; November, $6.85 asked.

Butter—Fairly active; western dairy, 10@15c; creamery, 12@24c; Elgin, 25½c.

Cheese—Strong; light skims, 5@7½c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 6.—Wheat—In good demand; receipts of wheat over Sunday were 882 cars; shipments, 3 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard October, $1.01; on track, $1.02; No. 1 northern October, 94½c; November, 95¼c; December 97c; May, $1.01¼; on track, 97c; No. 2 northern October, 91c; December, 92c; on track, 92@93c.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 6.—Wheat—Higher; No. 2 hard, cash and October, 88½c bid; No. 2 red, cash, 98c bid.

Corn—Stronger; No. 2 cash, 47c; October, 46⅞@46½c.

Oats—Higher; No. 2 cash, 38c; October, 35@37½c.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 6.—Wheat—Strong; No. 2 red, 99½c@$1.00.

Corn—Demand active; No. 2 mixed, 53@53½c.

Oats—Strong; No. 2 mixed, 43@43½c.

Whisky—$1.13.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 6.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 spring, cash, 96@97c; No. 1 northern, $1.00.

Corn—Firm; No. 3, 50c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2, white, 40c.

Provisions—Quiet; January pork, $11.87½.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; market slow; good cattle scarce and in demand; steers, $4.00@5.10; butcher's stock, $1.50@3.00; stockers, $1.95@3.00; Texas steers, $2.10@2.60; rangers, $2.80@4.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; market active and higher; mixed, $4.20@4.40; prime, heavy and butcher weights, $4.40@4.65; light, $4.40@4.65.

Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; market active and steady; natives, $4.00@4.60; westerns, $4.00@4.20; lambs, $4.50@5.70.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 6.—Wheat higher; cash, 99½c; May, $1.07½@1.08.

Corn—Higher; cash, 48½@51c; May, 50½@50⅝c.

Oats—Higher; cash, 39½c; May, 42½c.

Pork—Firm at $10.00.

Lard—Firm at $6.00.

Whisky—$1.13

Butter—Better grades steady, others dull; creamery, 18@22c; Elgin, 25c; dairy, 6@17c.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,700; shipments, blank; market slow; fair to fancy, natives, $3.70@4.90; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.00; Texans and Indians, $2.35@3.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,300; shipments, 1,300; market steady; heavy, $4.40@4.50; mixed grades, $4.00@4.30; light, $4.30@4.40.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000; shipments, 5,700; market dull and lower; steers, $3.00@3.60; cows, $1.00@2.40; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.40; range steers, $1.90@2.50; range cows, $1.25@2.70.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000; shipments, 3,600; market lower; all grades, $4.15@4.30.

SOUTH OMAHA MARKETS.

Cattle.

Monday, Oct. 6.

Estimated receipts of cattle, 2,800, as compared with 1,233 Saturday and 4,836 Monday of last week. Two-thirds of the receipts were western cattle. The receipts of good steers were light and prices steady on an active market; poorer grades slow and sagging. Good cows steady; some range grass cows sold at $3.10; poorer ones slow and lower. Feeders accumulating, and anything but good tending lower.

Hogs.

Estimated receipts of hogs, 4,300; as compared with 4,078 Saturday and 4,341 Monday of last week. The market opened active and firm; all sold early. Range of prices, $4.00@4.25, the bulk at $4.15@4.20; light, $4.10@4.20; heavy, $4.00@4.25; mixed, $4.10@4.20. The average of the prices paid was $4.13½, as compared with $4.12½ Saturday and $4.07 Monday of last week.

Sheep.

Sheep—Receipts, 201; market unchanged; natives, $2.50@4.00; westerns, $2.00@3.90.

Prevailing Prices.

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

Prime steers, 1300 to 1600 lbs	4.35	@4.74
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	4.00	@4.30
Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs	3.85	@4.15
Fair, 1000 to 1150 lbs	3.50	@4.00
Common, 800 to 1200 lbs	3.25	@3.60
Common canners	1.00	@1.00
Ordinary to fair cows	2.00	@2.30
Fair to good cows	2.30	@2.65
Good to choice cows	2.75	@3.00
Choice to fancy cows	2.35	@3.25
Fair to good bulls	1.75	@2.65
Choice to fancy bulls	2.50	@3.00
Light stockers and feeders	2.00	@2.60
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.25	@2.85
Fair to choice light hogs	4.10	@4.23
Fair to choice heavy hogs	4.00	@4.25
Fair to choice mixed hogs	4.10	@4.20

Disposition of Stock.

Showing the number of head of stock purchased on this market as reported by the weighmasters of the Stockyards company for the week ending Saturday October 4.

CATTLE.

Buyers—	
Swift & Co	4,437
The George H. Hammond company	1,200
The Armour-Cudahy packing company	3,236
Omaha packing company	82
Other buyers	9,941
Total	18,899

HOGS.

The Armour-Cudahy packing company	7,966
Omaha packing company	2,911
Swift & Co	3,703
G. H. Hammond & Co	3,139
J. P. Squires & Co	2,344
Kingan & Co	3,523
North P. & P. company	827
Brittain & Co	1,165
White & Sons	149
Jones & Stiles	165
Other buyers	797
Total	26,635

SHEEP.

Swift & Co	768
The Armour-Cudahy packing company	197
George H. Hammond & Co	145
Hamilton & Stephens	648
Others	582
Total	2,340

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1040	$3 50	10	1187	$4 30	21	1380	$4 40
18	1223	4 20						

COWS.

1	1000	1 00	13	804	1 65	1	906	2 00
3	920	1 15	1	1210	1 70	6	1091	2 10
26	925	1 15	7	721	1 75	12	1062	2 10
1	1090	1 40	8	827	1 75	10	1170	2 10
2	1050	2 40	26	900	1 80	4	947	2 15
2	1113	1 40	12	1112	1 80	1	920	2 25
6	866	1 60	3	1050	1 80	3	1066	2 25
5	874	1 65	4	1115	1 80	14	1110	2 30
19	882	1 65	9	874	1 85	15	1015	2 30
2	680	1 65	9	1308	1 90	8	1048	2 35

BULLS.

1	1170	1 60	1	1320	1 70	3	1316	1 85
1	1210	1 60	2	1410	1 70	3	1553	2 00
1	1400	1 35	1	1210	1 70	1	540	2 00
1	1100	1 65	1	1280	1 75	1	1970	2 10
2	1165	1 65						

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

44	976	2 35	25	981	2 65	7	997	2 90
31	817	2 45	24	1081	2 60	19	1045	3 00
32	979	2 65	10	964	2 70	5	1038	3 15
1	1100	2 65	21	736	2 75			

HEIFERS.

7	642	1 70	1	850	2 50

STEERS, YEARLINGS.

18	1023	3 65	17	1022	3 85

CALVES.

8	251	1 15

STAGS.

1	1000	2 10	2	1235	2 25

CALVES.

8	38	2 10

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.		Av.	Pr.
63	cows	865	$1 75
47	cows	883	2 10
2	steers	1015	2 40
144	feeders	972	2 40
133	feeders	1125	2 50
	Reel & Friend—		
15	cows	1156	1 60
92	heifers	989	2 30
	William Boot—		
12	cows	944	1 80
77	steers	1144	2 55
	Dowling & Rush—		
11	cows	1175	1 55
4	steers	1122	2 40
9	steers	1228	2 40
	H. G. Rand—		
87	steers, Idaho	1173	2 95
83	steers, Idaho	1194	2 95
287	steers, Idaho	1199	2 95
	Standard Cattle Co—		
30	heifers spayed	1146	3 10
6	steers	1288	3 60
60	steers, corn fed	1247	4 30
	William Marr—		
153	steers	1182	3 25
1	bull	1630	2 00
62	cows	1077	2 10
23	steers	968	2 75
8	feeders	1125	2 40

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
3	183	40	$1 50	74	165	40	4 02
3	200	49	3 75	150	181	240	4 05½
31	162	40	3 75	84	200	240	4 05
3	346	—	3 80	66	228	320	4 05
3	433	—	3 90	10	361	120	4 05
2	296	320	3 90	102	181	240	4 05
13	350	—	3 93	6	225	—	4 05
4	330	—	3 95	16	325	80	4 10
12	344	—	3 95	64	245	160	4 10
30	270	40	3 95	70	255	520	4 10
87	217	120	4 00	72	255	160	4 10
65	182	80	4 00	4	202	—	4 10
4	320	—	4 00	73	177	200	4 10
69	165	80	4 00	57	237	280	4 10
102	222	480	4 00	87	213	240	4 10
82	242	120	4 10	81	183	160	4 17½
64	216	160	4 10	75	248	80	4 17½
63	329	160	4 10	79	221	80	4 17½
72	256	280	4 10	79	209	280	4 20
54	302	320	4 12½	53	266	120	4 20
76	180	80	4 15	65	209	—	4 20
76	193	200	4 15	69	210	120	4 20
70	251	200	4 15	60	202	—	4 20
74	219	120	4 15	62	281	120	4 20
61	276	160	4 15	55	267	120	4 20
28	188	—	4 15	63	247	200	4 20
69	270	160	4 15	73	241	80	4 20
51	271	80	4 15	56	275	80	4 20
64	287	120	4 15	54	191	—	4 50
82	196	80	4 15	4	225	40	4 20
62	205	40	4 15	88	194	40	4 20
61	290	80	4 15	54	235	—	4 22½
77	224	80	4 15	73	233	280	4 22½
71	262	160	4 15	49	354	160	4 25
78	248	80	4 15	85	180	80	4 25
48	283	—	4 15				

PIGS AND SKIPS.

1	470	—	1 50	6	108	—	2 90
2	135	—	2 00	2	255	—	3 00
25	121	—	2 00	30	118	—	3 00
12	63	—	2 25	50	129	80	3 00
39	67	—	2 25	6	270	240	3 00
152	65	—	2 50	25	153	—	3 00
79	72	—	2 65	54	135	40	3 00
87	69	—	2 65	31	125	40	3 10
4	122	—	2 75	11	120	—	3 30
15	166	120	2 80				

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS

Groceries.

DATES—Persian, 6-lb box, 9½c.

TWINES—Cotton twine, "Bibb," very fine, ¼-lb bales, 22c; cotton twine, XX brand, ¼-lb bales, 18c; hemp twine, ¼-lb bales, 18c; sail twine, 28c; candle wick, 22c; 40-ft cotton clothes lines, 85c; 60-ft cotton clothes lines, $1.05; 60-ft cotton lines, $1.40; 60-ft sisal lines, $1.75; 60-ft jute, $1.00; wool twines, 8½c.

RAISINS—London layers, California lily, per box, $2.75; "horseshoe," $2.60; loose muscatels, California lily, $2.40; horseshoe, $2.35; "star," loose muscatels, $2.20; seedless California, $2.00; California seedless sultans, in sacks, per lb, 8c; California muscatels, in sacks, 8½c; new Valencias, 9½c; ondura, layer, new, 10½c.

FARINACIOUS GOODS—Barley, 3½c; farina, 5c; peas, 2¾c; oatmeal, bbls, $5.75@6.25; half bbls, $3.00@3.25; macaroni, 10@11c; vermicelli, 10@11c; rice, choice, 5¾@6c; fancy, 6¼@7c; head, 7c; sago and tapioc, 6@7c; lima beans, 6½c; split peas, 3c; spagetti, 11c.

WRAPPING PAPER—Straw, per lb, 1½@1¾c; rag, 3½c; manilla B, 5@6c; No. 1, 8c.

MOLASSES—Bbls, N. O. fancy, pergal, 55@57c; choice, 45@47c; good, 30@32c; Cuba, baking, 28@30c; black strap, 20@22c.

SODA—Pkgs, 60 lbs to box, 5½c; kegs, 4½c.

VINEGAR—30 gr. N. Y. apple cider, 10c; D. S. cider, 12c; white wine, 15c; fancy, fruit, 18c.

OILS—150 prime white, 11c; 150 water white, 13c; 175 headlight, 14½c; 74 gasoline, 13c.

SALSODA—Bbls, 1½c; granulated, 2c; in bbls, 1¾c.

STOVE POLISH—$2.00@5.85 per gross.

BAGS—Am. per 100, $17.75; Lewiston, per 100, $17.75; Union square, 40 per cent off list.

SALT—Dairy, 20 lbs in bbl, bulk, $2.10; best grade, 60 5s, $2.30; best grade, 100 3s, $2.40; best grade, 18 10s, $2.25; rock salt, crushed, $1.80; common, bbl, $1.25.

CANNED MEATS—Corned beef, 1 lb, $1.20; corned beef, 2 lbs, $1.90; lunch tongues, 1 lb, $2.60; lunch tongues, 2 lbs, $4.75; brawn, 1 lb, $2.60; brawn, 2 lbs, $2.00; ox tongues, 1½ lbs, $5.00; ox tongues, 2 lbs, $5.00; chipped beef, 1½ lbs, round cans, $2.35; roast beef, 2-lb round cans, $2.00; potted ham, ¼ lb, round cans, 65c; potted ham, ½ lb, round cans, $1.20; deviled ham, ¼ lb, round cans, 65c; deviled ham, ½ lb, round cans, $1.20; potted ox tongue, ½ lb, round cans, $1.20; compressed ham, 1 lb, square cans, $1.20; compressed ham, 5 lbs, square cans, $2.75; tripe, 2 lb, round cans $1.80; minced calops, 2 lb, round cans, $2.20; boneless pigs' feet, 2 lb, square cans, $2.25.

SUGAR—Per lb.—Cut loaf, 7½c; Cubes, 7½c; Standard, powdered, 7½c; XXXX, powdered, 8c; granulated, standard, 7c; confectioners' A, 6¾@7c; white, extra C, brilliant, 7½c; extra C, royal, 6½c; central C, 5½c; golden C, 5¾c; dark C, 5c.

MAPLE SUGAR—Per lb.—5c cakes, 30-lb boxes, 13c; 10c cakes, 30-lb boxes, 12½c; 1-lb bricks, 30 lbs in box, pure, 14c.

COFFEE—Roasted—Arosia, 25½c; Bunola, 25½c; German, 25½c; Dilworth's 25½c; Lion, 30c; Mailpouch, 25½c; Cordova, 25½c; Mocha, 5½c; O. G. Java, 30c.

DRIED FRUITS—Turkish prunes, less than hhds, 1889, 7½c; original hhds, ½c less; Bosnia prunes, 6-lb boxes, 100 to 110, 7½c; apples, evaporated, new ring choice, 16c; evaporated, new ring prime, 15½c; apricots, fancy, in sacks, 20c; blackberries, new, 10½c; raspberries, 25 lbs to box, 34c; currants, new, 5¼@6c; original casks, ¼c less; Vostizza currants, extra, in boxes, 6½c.

CHEESE—Premium F. C., twin flats, per lb, 10½c; Premium F. F., Young American, 11½c; brick, 13c; domestic Swiss, 14@17c; Edam, in foil, each $1.00; Limberger, 12½c.

NUTS—Almonds, 18c; Brazils, 17c; filberts, 13c; pecans, 16c; walnuts, 18c; peanut cocks, 10½c; roasted, 12½c; Tennessee peanuts, 9c.

BROOMS—5-tie, parlor, $3.60; 4-tie, $2.75; 3-tie, $2.25; 3-tie, plain, $1.85; warehouse, $3.00; toy, $1.25; whisk, $1.00@1.25.

OLIVES—Quarts, per doz., $4.00; pints, per doz, $2.50; bulk, per gal, 95c.

CORDAGE—Manilla rope—All sizes from 7-16 to 1 in., 15c; sisal rope, all sizes from 7-16 to 1 in., 11½c; "new processes," all sizes from 7-16 to 1 in., 8c.

COTTON ROPE—¼ in, 18c.

SOAP—Castile, mottled, per lb, 9@10c; do, white, per lb, 14c.

PICKLES—Medium, per bbl, $9.00; small, $10.00; gherkins, $11.00; Imp. Dill, $18.00 65-gal casks; 32-gal bbl, $10.00.

CIDER—Per bbl, refined, $6.50; half bbl, $3.50; hard cider, pure, per bbl, $5.00; orange cider, half bbl, $6.50; pear cider, half bbl, $6.50.

CANNED VEGETABLES—Tomatoes—3-lb extra, $1.15@1.20; 3-lb standard western brands, $1.10; gallons, Archer's standard, $3.00. Corn—Finest grown, $1.60; Gate City sugar corn, very fine, $1.50; Gilman 2-lb sugar corn, $1.20; 2-lb extra Beemer, $1.10; 2-lb standard western brands, $1.05. Mushrooms—1-lb French, extra fine, 22@25c; 1-lb French, fine, 18@22c; 1-lb French, ordinary, 16@18c. Peas—Tres, fine, per can, 25c; demi-fine, per can, 16c; 2-lb sifted, $1.60; 2-lb early June, $1.50; 2-lb marrow, standard brands, $1.25; 2-lb soaked, 75c. String beans—2-lb high grade, Refugee, $1; 2-lb Golden wax beans, $1; 2-lb string beans, 85c; Lima beans—2-lb soaked, 85c. Boston-baked beans—2-lb Lewis, $1.65; Crown Brands, $1.35. Sweet potatoes—3-lb New Jersey, $1.60. Pumpkins—3-lb, $1.10. Okra and tomatoes—$1.65; okra, $1.60; succotash, $1.20.

Provisions.

FRESH PORK—Fresh hams, 16 to 20 lbs avg, 8c; 12 lbs avg, 8½c; shoulders, 5c; pork loins, 7½c; pork tenderloins, 12c; leaf lard, not rendered, 6½c; spare ribs, 4½c.

SALT MEATS—Bbls—Mess pork, bbls, $11.00; clear pork backs, heavy, $11.50; medium, $11.75; short cut clear pork, $10.00@12.00; pig pork, $13.50; new extra mess beef, $5.00; new extra plate beef, $7.00; new plate beef, $6.50; new rolled boneless beef, $8.50; new boneless rumps, $8.50.

LARD—Tierces, pure leaf, 6½c.

SMOKED MEATS—Sugar-cured hams, 12 to 14 lbs avg, 10½c; medium, 15 to 16 lb avg, 10¾c; skinned slicing, 18 to 20 lb avg, 11c; shoulders, 6½c; boneless ham, 9c; breakfast bacon, clear, 5 to 7 lb strips, 8c; dried beef hams, sets, 8½c; regular, 7c.

DRY SALT MEATS—Clear backs, 6¾c; extra short clear, 6c; bellies, 18 to 20 lbs average, 6½c; short ribs, 5¾c; loin clean, 5¾c.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, 4c; bologna in weasands, 4½c; frankfurts, 7c; tongue, 8c; blood, 4½c; liver, 4½c; headcheese, 4½c; Polish, 7c; pork sausage (links), 6c; pork sausage (meats) in tin pails, 5½c.

Fish.

FRESH—Per lb—Perch, 5c; buffalo, dressed, 7c; pickerel, 9c; pike, 9c; trout, 9c; white, 10c; croppie, 11c; catfish, 11c; cod steak, 13c; flounders, 13c; Oregon salmon, 15c; black bass, 18c; lobsters, 18c; blue fish, 16c.

Salt and pickled—Codfish, extra Georges, new, 5½c; grand bank, new, 4½c; Silver, 2-lb blocks, 6½c; snow white, 2-lb bricks, new, 8½c; turkey cod, large middle bricks, 9c; snow whites, crates, 125 lb boxes, 8½c; medium scaled herring, 25c; No. 1 scaled herring, 20c; domestic Holland herring, 40c; Hamburger spiced herring, 60c; Russian sardines, spiced, 90c; Russian sardines, plain, 50c; imported Holland herring, Crown brand, 80c; do fancy milkers, $1.00; mackerel, No. 1 shore, half bbls, $12.50; bloaters, half bbls, $10.00; white fish, half bbls, $1.75; trout, half bbls, $5.50; family white fish, $3.25; salmon, $8.50 per half bbl; 2-lb broiled mackerel, $2.60; 3-lb, in mustard, $2.60; 3-lb, in tomato sauce, $2.60; 5-lb Mayo mess mackerel, $9.00; 1-lb brook trout, $1.25; 3-lb brook trout, $2.25; 1-lb salmon, $1.25; 2-lb white fish, $2.25; 1-lb white fish, $1.35; 2-lb lobsters, $3.15; 1-lb lobsters, $2.30; 2-lb oysters, 12 oz, $1.95; 1-lb oysters, 5 oz, $1.15; 2-lb oysters, 10 oz, $2.10; 1-lb oysters, 5 oz, $1.15; 2-lb select, 12 oz, $2.35; 2-lb Baratatia, 10 oz, $2.05; 1-lb Baratatia, 5 oz, $1.05; Fairmont, 4 oz, $1.05; Fairmont, 8 oz, $2.00; 1-lb clams, little necks, $1.35; 2-lb clams, little necks, $1.75; 3-lb clam chowder, $2.60; 1-lb crabs, $2.25; 2-lb crabs, $2.50.

Fresh Fruit.

APPLES—Fancy fall and winter apples, $3.50@3.75.

CRANBERRIES—The market is very active, fancy dark Cape Cods, per barrel, $9.00; Bell and Cherry, per barrel, $8.00.

ORANGES—Jamaies per box, $4.00.

LEMONS—Prices have again advanced, fancy Malori, 300's per box, $10.00.

CALIFORNIA FRUIT—Receipts light, demand good—Pears, Winter Nells, Vicar and other varieties, per box, $3.00@3.25; quinces, per box, $3.00; peaches per box, $2.00; plums, per box, $1.50@2.00; grapes, Tokay, per box, $1.75@2.00; grapes, Muscat, per box, $1.50@1.75.

BANANAS—Fancy, per bunch, $2.00@3.00; Honduras, per bunch, $1.50@2.50.

Vegetables.

ONIONS—The supply is not large and the demand is mostly in a small way at $1.00@1.25 per bushel; Spanish onions per crate $1.50.

BEANS—Choice hand picked navy, $2.75.

POTATOES—Good stock is generally selling at 90c, but the market is weak.

SWEET POTATOES—Supply fair; Jersey stock per bbl, $4.00.

OTHER VEGETABLES—Rutabagas, per bbl, $2.50; white turnips, per bbl, $2.00; carrots, per bbl, $2.25; parsnips, per bbl, $2.25; beets, per bbl, $2.00; celery, 25@40c; celery roots; German celery, per doz, 50c; cauliflower, fancy, per doz, $2.00@2.25; garlic, per double string, 75c; horse radish roots, per bbl, $8.00; horse radish roots, per lb, 10c.

Street Produce.

EGGS—The receipts have been moderate and the market steady at 18c.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy, 22@23c; creamery, choice, 18@20c; dairy, fancy, 17@18c; dairy, choice, 14@16c; country, choice, 14@15c; country, good, 12@13c; country, fair, 10@11c; country, inferior, 5@9c.

GAME—Prairie chickens, per dozen, $2.50@3.00; mallard ducks, $2.50@3.00; teal ducks, $1.25@1.50; mixed ducks, $1.00@1.50; plover, 50@60c; jack snipe, $1.00@1.25; quail, $1.00@1.25; jack rabbits, $1.00; small rabbits, $1.00@1.25.

POULTRY—Only a few turkeys, geese and ducks are arriving. Dressed poultry is not being handled to any extent as the weather is too warm. Choice hens, per doz., $3.00@3.25; choice mixed, $2.50@2.75; roosters, $2.50@2.75; large spring chickens, $2.50@2.75; medium, $2.25@2.50; small, $1.75@2.00.

TURKEYS—Live, per lb, 9@10c; dressed, 12@13c.

GEESE—Live, per doz, $5.00@8.00; dressed, 11@12c.

DUCKS—Live, per doz, $2.50@3.00; dressed, 11@12c.

PIGEONS—Live, per doz, $1.25.

Dry Goods.

HEAVY BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic A, 7¼c; Atlantic H, 7c; Atlantic D, 6¼c; Atlantic P, 6c; Aurora C, 4¾c; Buck's head, 7c; Cabot W, 6½c; Darlington, 6½c; Farmers' No. 1, 4¾@4½c; Hoosier LL, 5½c; Indian head, 7½c; Lawrence LL, 5¼c; Henrietta LL, 5½c.

FINE BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic LL, 6c; Aurora B, 6½c; Aurora R, 6½c; Atlas ON B, 7½c; cheese cloth, 4c; Clinton FF, 5½c; Pepperell, R, 6½c, Langdon G B, 8c.

BLEACHED COTTONS—Berkley Cambric—No 60, 9¼c; Best Yet, 6½c; Butter cloth, XX, 4½c; Cabot, 7½c; First Call, 6½c; Fruit of the Loom, 9c; Hill Semper Idem, 8c; Housekeeper, 8½c; King Philip cambric, 10c; Langdon G B, 9½c; Lonsdale, 9c; Lonsdale cambric, 10½c; New York Mills, 11c; Oak Lawns, 7c.

SHEETINGS AND PILLOW CASINGS—Brown—Net—Pepperell, 45-in, 13½c; Pepperell, 8-4, 18c; Pepperell, 9-4, 20c; Pepperell, 10-4, 22½; Utica, 48-in, 15c; Utica, 58-in, 15½c; Utica, 72-in, 24c; Utica, 8-in, 26c; Utica, 9-in, 28½c. Bleached—Net—Pepperell, 42-in, 10½c; Pepperell, 46-in, 11½c; Pepperell, 6-4, 15c; Pepperell, 8-4, 20c; Pepperell, 9-4, 22½c; Pepperell 10-4, 25c; Utica, 8-4, 24c; Utica, 9-4, 26c; Utica, 10-4, 28c.

GINGHAMS—Amoskeag, 6½c; Amoskeag dress, 8½c; Bates, 6½c; Warwick dress, 7½c; Lancaster, 6½c; Glenaire, 6½c; Whittenton dress, 8½c.

PRINTS—Indigo blue—Net—Martha Washington, 5½c; American, 6¼c; Arnold, 6½c; Arnold B, long cloth, 10c; Stifel A, 12c; Merrimack, 7½, 10c; Gold Leaf, 8½c; Hamilton, 5½c; Allen Pinks, 6¼; Allen Chambray, 6c; Gloucester, 5½c; Hartel, 5½c.

PRINTS—Fancies—Eddystone, 6½c; Steel River, 6c; Ramapo, 4½c; St. Ledger, 5½c. Shirting—Martha Washington, 4½c; Merrimack, 4½c. Turkey Reds—Fountain, 6½c; Garner, 7c; Crenfield, 8½c; Berlin, 6½c.

WIGANS—Net—Thistle, 6¼c; Red Cross, 7c.

COLORED CAMBRICS—Crown, 4½c; Red Star, 4½c; Rolled Clover, 5c; Slater, 6c; high colors, ½c extra.

CRASH—Stevens' B, 16 in, 5½c; Stevens' D, 18 in, 6c; Stevens' A, 16 in, 7c; Stevens' P, 18 in, 7½c; Stevens' M, 18 in, 8½c; Stevens N, 20 in, 8½c; Stevens' N N, 22 in, 9½c; Stevens' SRT, 20 in, 11½c; bleached, ½c extra.

DENIMS—Net—Amoskeag, 9 oz, 19½c; York camlet, 12c; Everett, standard, 12½c; Haymaker's, 7½c; Old York, XX, 10½c; Lawrence, 22½, 13½c; Lawrence, 9 oz, 15½c; fancy stripes and checks, 11½c.

COTTONADES—York Nankin, 10½c; Everett 8 oz, 18c; Lewiston, 10 oz, 22½c; Workingman's, 14c; corkscrew cashmere, 22c.

Hides, Tallow, Etc.

HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—Green salted hides, No. 1, heavy, 6½@6¾c; No. 1, light, 6½@6¾c; No. 2, light, 5@5½c; dry flint hides, 7½@8c; calf hides, 7@9c; damaged hides, 1½c less; Sheep pelt, green, each, 35c@$1.25. Sheep pelt, dry, per lb, 10@14c.

TALLOW—A No. 1, 4½c; No. 2, 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, $10.00@13.00; dry country, damp and meaty, $8.00@10.00.

Miscellaneous.

BEESWAX—Per lb, 20c.

JELLIES—5c per lb.

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

HONEY—Strained, 60-lb cans per lb, 9c; new comb honey, fancy, 17@18c; choice, 14@16c.

COCOANUTS—Per 100, $5.50.

CHESTNUTS—Ohio and Pennsylvania chestnuts are now in fair supply, selling at 18c per pound.

Lumber.

BOARDS—No. 1 com., $18.00; No. 2 com., $16.00; No. 3 com., $15.00; No. 4 com., $12.50.

SHIPLAP—No. 1 plain, 8 and 10 inch, $18.00; No. 2 plain, 8 and 10 inch, $16.00; No. 3, plain, 8 and 10 inch, $15.00; O. G. 8 inch, 16@19c.

FENCING—White Pine—No. 1, 4 and 6 in., 12 and 14 ft., $19.50; No. —, 4 and 6 inch, 12 and 14 ft.; $14.00; No. 2, 4 and 6 in., 16 ft., $16.50; No. 3, 4 and 6 in., all lengths, $11.00.

SIDING—A, $22.00; B, $20.50; C, $16.00; D, $13.00.

FLOORING—White Pine—A and B, $33.00; D, $21.00; C, $27.00; E, $17.50.

CEILING—No. 1 white, ⅜-in, $11.50; No. 1 hard pine, ⅜-in, $3.50; No. 1 hard pine, ½-in, $20.00; No. 1 hard pine, ⅝-in, $21.00.

STOCK BOARDS—A and B, 12-in, $42.00; D, 12-in, $27.00.

STOCK BOARDS—No. 1 common, 12 and 14 ft, $20.00; 16 ft, $19.00; No. 2 common, 12 and 14 ft, $18.00; 16 ft, $17.00; No. 2 common, 10, 18 and 20 ft, $19.50.

GROOVED ROOFING—No. 1 common white pine, 12, 14 and 16 ft, $19.00; No. 1 common Y pine, 12, 14 and 16 ft, $18.00.

POPLAR—Clear, 1-in, all widths, $34.00; clear, ½-in, all widths, $29.50.

BATTENS, WELL TUBING, PICKETS—O G bats, 2½-in, 65c; ⅛x3c, 81c, 35c; 3-in well tubing, D. & M. and Bev, $23.00; pickets, D. & H flat, $22.00; D. & H. sq, $21.00.

FINISHING, WHITE PINE—1st and 2d clear, 1 in., $50.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in., $50.00; 3d clear, 1 in., $45.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in., $46.00; A select, 1 in., $42.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in., $42.00; B select, 1 in., $40.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in., $39.00; C select, 1 in., $30.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in., $34.00.

FINISHING, YELLOW PINE—Clear, 1 in., $26.00; 1¼, 1½ and 2 in., $27.00; star, 1 in., $24.00.

SHINGLES, LATH—Extra, XAX, $2.75; standard, XAX, $2.60; 6 in., $2.20; 5 in., $2.00; No. 1, $1.20; Cedar, XAX, $2.75.

POST—White cedar—6 in., ¼S., 12½c; 9 in. sq., 15c; 5½ in., ¼S., 11c; 8 in., 9c; 4 to 5 inch round, 13½c; oak, split, 9c; red cedar, 15c.

Sash, 50 per cent; doors, 40 per cent; blinds, 40 per cent; mouldings, 40 per cent; lime, 80c; hair 20c; cement, American, $1.50; cement, imported, $3.50; plaster, $2.25; straw board, $1.30; tar board, $1.60; tar felt, $2.40.

Metals.

BLOCK TIN—Small pig, 30c per lb; bar, 30c per lb.

COPPER—Planished boiler sizes, 32c per lb; cold rolled, 30c per lb; sheeting, 28c per lb; pit and flats, 31c per lb.

GALVANIZED SHEET IRON—Discount 50-10 per cent; pat. plan. iron, Nos. 24 and 27, A, 10½c; B, 9½c.

TIN PLATE—I. C., 10x20, $7.50; I. X., 10x14, $9.25.

TIN PLATE—Coke, 14x20, 112, $6.50.

ROOFING—Charcoal, I. C., 14x20, 112, $6.00; I. X., $7.25.

SHEET IRON—No. 26, $3.50; No. 27, $3.60.

SOLDER—Strictly half and half, 18c.

STEEL NAILS—Base, $2.25.

STEEL WIRE NAILS—Base, $2.85.

WIRE—Jap. barb, $3.25; galv., $3.85.

The presence of dandruff indicates a diseased scalp, and if not cured, blanching of the hair and baldness will result. Hall's Hair Renewer will cure it.

Removal.

The Skandia plow company is moving from Thirteenth and Izard streets to 1349 and 1351 Sherman avenue. In their new quarters they will have four floors with convenient trackage facilities. It is so arranged that they can load their heavy machinery on board cars without having to raise or lower it, the floor of the warehouse being on a level with the platform of the cars.

FREIGHT RATES ON COAL.

How They Rob the People of Two Dollars a Ton.

The local coal dealers threaten an advance in the price of hard coal on October 10. They claim, at present, they are selling coal at cost and in some cases at an actual loss and that an advance is an imperative necessity for the protection of their own interests be it ever so burdensome upon the great mass of consumers who groan even when they think of their empty bins and the present stiff price of this necessity.

The burden appears to fall upon the purchasers of hard coal as the price of soft coal is comparatively reasonable when the distance from the various sources of supply is considered.

At present hard coal is selling at $8.75 for range and $9 for stove coal per ton, and the dealers claim there is no profit in the traffic at those prices. They assert that they pay $5.50 a ton for hard coal in Chicago. The freight from Chicago to Omaha is $3.20 a ton. To this is added 10 cents a ton for switching, another 10 cents for shoveling fees and waste and 50 cents a ton cartage, and the customer's ton of coal is thus figured out to cost the dealer $9.50. This is the present price, and the dealer who sells at $9 loses 50 cents on each ton. The only hard coal that can be delivered now at $9 a ton without loss to the dealer, it is claimed, is that which was purchased by the dealer prior to July 1, when the wholesale price was 75 cents a ton less than it is now. Even on the sale of July purchases the dealer claims there is but a margin of 25 cents per ton, and that at such figures there is no living profit for him.

There are two items of profit that the average customer does not know of and on which the dealer never takes pains to enlighten him. The latter buys his black diamonds at mine weight, 2,240 pounds to the ton, so that on each car of twenty tons—retailed at 2,000 pounds to the ton—there is a margin of 4,800 pounds to the dealers' credit. They claim, however, that this margin is lost in shrinkage, screening, etc. Then the charge of 50 cents a ton for cartage brings in a good revenue to the dealers, especially as most of them keep their draymen employed in other work when not actually engaged in hauling coal for customers.

But whatever the dealers may claim in support of their stiff prices, there is one item of cost in the business that all agree is exorbitant and should be reduced, and that is the freight rate on the commodity. The rate on hard coal from Chicago to Omaha is $3.20 a ton and it makes no difference, the dealers claim, whether they buy in carload or train load lots, the rate is the same. All efforts to secure a reduction of the rates have been futile. Prior to the passage of the interstate commerce law the rate on hard coal from Chicago to Omaha was $1.90 a ton and the roads were all apparently anxious to handle the commodity at that figure. When the commission met to examine the rates with a view of equalizing them, the railroad companies pooled on a $3.20 rate—nearly double the old tariff—and that figure has since been maintained. It is a highly profitable business, this coal hauling, from the railroad standpoint. Omaha annually consumes about sixty thousand tons of hard coal, on which the railroads derive a tariff revenue of nearly $200,000. There is now on hand about thirty thousand tons of hard coal, most of it purchased in July, which will supply the local demand until about December 1.

In soft coal the sources of supply are more numerous and prices are generally more reasonable. The mines of Wyoming, Colorado, Illinois, Dakota, Iowa, Indiana, Missouri and the Indian Territory contribute to the soft supply, and the prices range from $7 to $4 per ton for stove coal, while furnace coal is furnished at from $1.35 to $2.10 per ton delivered. On this cheaper grade of soft coal dealers claim to make a profit of less than 25 cents a ton.

The rate on soft coal from Chicago to Omaha is $2.63 a ton. Prices on soft coal will not be advanced much during the month.

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Army News.

Company E, Eighth infantry, arrived at Fort McKinney on October 3, and Company F of the same regiment arrived at Fort Washakie on the 4th, each taking station at the posts named.

Captain Spencer, assistant surgeon at Fort Bridger, will not be able to reach Fort Omaha as relief to Dr. Bradley before October 11, when the latter will take station in this city.

Colonel Guy V. Henry, Ninth cavalry, Fort McKinney; Lieutenant Mat Kern, Twentieth infantry, Fort Omaha, and the following officers of the last graduating class at West Point, were visitors at department headquarters yesterday morning: Lieutenants Merillat, Davis, Gatley, Fifth artillery, and Lyon, Seventeenth infantry. The first three are en route to their regiment on the Pacific coast, and the latter to Fort Russell. All are guests at the Muarray.

A general court martial will meet at Fort Niobrara, October 9, composed of the following officers: Lieutenant Colonel Smith, Captains Porter and Whitney, Eighth infantry; Captain Cusick, Ninth cavalry; Captain Ernest and Lieutenants Mott and Pitcher, Eighth infantry; Lieutenant Cobell, assistant surgeon; Lieutenants Stafford and Richardson, Eighth infantry; Lieutenant Bingham, Ninth cavalry; Lieutenants Ruthers and Jones, Eighth infantry; Lieutenant Hutcheson, Ninth cavalry, judge advocate.

A general court-martial will meet at Fort du Chesne, October 13, composed of the following officers: Captain Rose, Sixteenth infantry; Captain Tucker, Ninth cavalry; Captain Robinson, assistant surgeon; Captain Dimmick, Ninth cavalry; Lieutenants Newton and George, Sixteenth infantry; Lieutenants Alexander, Horne and Young, Ninth cavalry; Lieutenant Tyler, Sixteenth infantry, judge advocate.

Lieutenant Kinzie, adjutant of the Second infantry, Fort Omaha, has had his leave extended five months.

Sergeant Condon, company C, Sixteenth infantry, Fort Du Chesne, and Private Staren, company E, Eighth infantry, Fort McKinney, have been ordered discharged from the army under general orders No. 81, A. G. O.

Second Lieutenant Guy H. Preston, Ninth cavalry, is ordered to proceed to Fort Myer, Va. for temporary duty. Lieutenant Preston is at present on duty at Fort Robinson.

Private Baines of the hospital corps at Fort Washakie, is ordered discharged from the army to enable him to enter the soldiers' home at Washington.

Private William Kemp, company C, Twenty-first infantry, Fort Sidney, is ordered discharged under general orders No. 81, A. G. O., and also Privates Emmet Johnson, troop M, Ninth cavalry, Fort Robinson; Rudolf Schmid, Fort Robinson, hospital corps, and Frank A. and John H. Sears, company A, Sixteenth infantry, Fort Du Chesne.

The only railroad train out of Omaha run expressly for the accommodation of Omaha, Council Bluffs, Des Moines and Chicago business is the Rock Island vestibuled limited, leaving Omaha at 4:15 p. m. daily. Ticket office 1602, Sixteenth and Farnam sts. Omaha.

The Fort Omaha Gamblers.

Edward Girleigh, Sergeant Ed Rivers, W. Ogers, E. W. Barnes, the four soldiers arrested for gambling near Fort Omaha last Saturday night, and William Ringer, a laborer, arrested for the same offense, were arraigned in police court yesterday afternoon. Judge Helsley told them that the case was one over which he had no jurisdiction, but he could sit as an examining magistrate and hear the case if they preferred that rather than to go at once to the district court. They all asked for a hearing before the police judge and it was granted. They will be tried on the 9th of the month at 3 p. m. They all furnished a satisfactory bond for their appearance and were released from jail.

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NEGLIGENT INSPECTORS.

They are the Subject of a Roast at the Hands of Major Furay.

The members of the board of public works held a special session yesterday afternoon.

The sidewalk estimate of $2,870.98 in favor of Edward Burns was called up for passage.

Mr. Birkhauser had seen the walks and found them in bad condition. The new walks on Smith street are not to grade and besides they are not in place. This finding resulted in the estimate being disallowed, and the money will not be forthcoming until the inspector puts the walks where they belong.

Mr. Furay roasted Sidewalk Inspector Birmingham to a turn. He said: "The complaint is universal, and we will not allow another estimate until the inspector sees the walks are laid according to specifications. We want an inspector who can read and understand the terms of a contract. We have concluded to sit down on this kind of business and if the inspector can't do his work as he is instructed we want to know it, so that we can get some one who will. The man pays no attention to ordinances and in every instance pays more attention to the wishes of the property owners than he does to the law governing him."

The following estimates were allowed: Ed Callahan, grading Institute boulevard from Hamilton to Nelson street, $141.77; grading Nelson street from Instititute boulevard to Lowe avenue, $197.82; Ed Phelan, grading Thirty-fourth street from Pacific street to Woolworth avenue, $203.03; Karl Stefan, painting the Eleventh street viaduct, $1,450.

By resolution the chairman of the board and the city engineer were instructed to examine the Eleventh street viaduct with a view to making repairs.

The fountain donated by the late O. F. Davis and now located at Eighteenth and Farnam, was ordered painted and placed in a presentable appearance.

Fits, spasms, St. Vitus' dance, nervousness and hysteria are soon cured by Dr. Miles Nervine. Free samples at Kuhn & Co.'s, 15th and Douglas.

Object to the Slaughter House.

C. B. Benjamin was in police court yesterday, and he was in a bad humor. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Shoemaker had displeased him by dismissing a case against E. A. Marsh and S. L. Riebert for maintaining a slaughter house within the city limits, on Charles street between Seventh and Eighth.

Mr. Benjamin lives at Charles and Fifth streets, and he declares that the slaughter house kept by Marsh & S. L. Riebert is a nuisance to public health. He was deeply interested in the case, he said, because he has a family of children, and the slaughter house he believes is a breeder of diphtheria now prevalent in that part of the city.

Mr. Shoemaker explains why he had dismissed the case before it came to trial. He said that the only ordinance under which they could hope to make a case against Marsh & Riebert was defective, and that the case would have been a failure when brought to trial. He says the ordinance reads that no one shall be allowed to slaughter animals within the city limits as defined in 1886, but the place where Marsh & Riebert are now located was not within the city limits at that time.

Mr. Benjamin has begun a case against Marsh & Riebert for maintaining a nuisance, and he believes that the business of killing animals out there so near a residence portion of the city can be broken up if the prosecuting attorney will only push the cases when once they are begun.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething produces natural, quiet sleep. 25 cents a bottle.

The Council.

Members Bechel, Blumer, Cooper, Wheeler, Lowry, Madsen, Shriver, Sander, Kaspar, Chaffee and Osthoff met in special session of the city council last night to fill vacancies in the boards of registration in several of the voting precincts. The following were appointed to fill vacancies: M. Waltemeyer, First district, Ninth ward; J. D. Lee, Third district, Ninth ward; W. A. Spencer, Second district, Ninth ward; John Warracks, First district, First ward.

The places for registration in the first division of the First ward was changed from 713 South Thirteenth street to 712 South Thirteenth street.

No household is complete without a case of Cook's Extra Dry Imperial Champagne. It's the best sparkling wine made.

Assaulted the Constable.

Constable C. W. Allen, while replevining some goods on South Tenth street yesterday afternoon, got into a dispute with M. O. Daxton, who manages a sewing machine business at 1607 Farnam street. Daxton claimed a sewing machine that was among the goods Allen had replevined. He was about to take the machine away from the constable when they got into a fight over the matter. Officer Vizzard took the two men to the station, where Daxton was fined $5 and costs.

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Ran Into the Viaduct.

In switching a freight train upon a temporary switch in the Union Pacific yards yesterday morning a caboose and six cars were run off the track and against the viaduct, breaking one of the crossbeams that hold the piers together at the bottom, and bending another one. The stones upon which the piers stand were moved about three inches and the entire span was thrown slightly out of line.

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A Big Meeting at Bennington.

There is going to be a rousing big meeting at Bennington on the 27th. The speakers will be Mose P. O'Brien, M. L. Roeder, Chris Specht and one or two others. Prominent farmers of that community are deeply interested in the meeting and a grand time and a large crowd are looked for.

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To the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway belongs the credit of being the first in the country to reduce the matter of electric lighting of trains to scientific perfection. One of the novel features introduced in the sleeping cars is a patent electric reading lamp in each section. With this luxurious provision reading at night before and after retiring becomes as comfortable as by day, and when retiring the toilet may be made in comfort and seclusion. The berth reading lamp in the Pullman sleeping cars run on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, between Omaha and Chicago, is patented, and cannot be used by any other railroad company. It is the greatest improvement of the age. Try it and be convinced.

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