FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, February 15.

MONEY.

Money closed at 3 per cent.

Exchange closed firm at 4 85@4 90½.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Governments closed firm.

Currency 6's	1 27	bid
4½'s coupons	1 14¾	"
4's coupons	1 17¾	"
6's Continued	1 09¾	"
5's continued	1 02½	"

RAILROAD BONDS.

Pacific railroad bonds closed as follows:

Union 1sts	1 17	@1 18½
Union Land Grants	1 15	@ 16
Union Sinking Fund	1 22½	
Centrals	1 13½	@1 14½

STOCKS

The stock market to-day was very active, sales aggregating over 500,000 shares. There was a great and general pressure to sell, under which prices declined very sharply and closed at a net decline for the day of ½ to 4 per cent. The principal dealings were in Wabash, Lake Shore, Denver & Rio Grande, Louisville & Nashville, Jersey Central, Western Union, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Northwestern, Erie and Kansas & Texas.

The following are the closing bids:

Amer. Dist.	47	M & C.	..
A & T H	33	Preferred	11
Preferred	80	Ind	6
B. & O.	134	M & C.	66
C S	49½	Met. elevated	87½
C C & I C	9½	M L S & W	45½
C & G pf'd	90	M P	100¼
Col Coal	41	M & O	28
C & A	120	L E S	120
C C C & I	77½	Northwestern	133½
CS & C	48	preferred	141½
C I	33¾	Nash. & Chat	74
CP	89½	N J C	92½
Carib n.	2	N Y C	130
Con Coal		N. & A. pfd	54½
C F	15	Nor. Pacific	33½
Cadiz	11½	Preferred	72¾
Con Coal	30	N Y Elevated	106½
C & O	22	New Cen C	17
1st pfd	33	O & W	24⅞
2d pfd	25½	Ohio	31⅝
D & R G	67½	Ohio Cen	18¼
D & H	107	Omaha	33½
D L & W	125⅝	Preferred	99½
Erie	38½	Ore Nav	133
Preferred	76	Ore Trans	68
E Tenn	13½	Pull. Pal. Car	134½
Preferred	21½	P D & E	28¾
Adams	145	Pac Mail	41½
W. F.	124	Quicksilver	12¾
American	90	Preferred	60
U. S.	75	R. I.	131¾
Homestake	17½	R & D	230
H & St J	94	Robinson M Co	2½
Preferred	105	R & W	26¼
I. C.	132	R. & P.	29½
I B & W	40½	Reading	61
K & T	33¾	R & A	2⅞
LS	114½	St. Paul	107¾
L I.	51	San Francisco	39
L & N	87½	Preferred	55
L N A & C	70	1st Preferred	90½
Little P	1¾	Sutro Tun	8
Man Beach	28	Union Pacific	116⅞
Manhattan El	56	Wabash	31½
Preferred	96	Preferred	58½
Md Coal	17	Western Union	80

STATE BONDS.

Tennessee 6's closed at 53c.

CHICAGO MONEY MARKET.

CHICAGO, February 15.

The drop in prices of cereals and provisions was the all-absorbing topic to-day and the margin check business was lively.

Money was rather quiet but steady at 6 @7 per cent per annum

Eastern exchange between the city banks was weak at 75c discount per $1,000.

The clearings of the associated banks were $6,000,000.

Orders for currency from country points were moderate.

NEW ORLEANS FINANCIAL.

NEW ORLEANS, February 15.

Exchange commerce $4 82@4 83; bank, 4 84@4 85; sight, commercial, $1 00@1 25 premium; bank, $2 00 premium.

COMMERCIAL.

Omaha Wholesale Market.

OFFICE OF THE OMAHA BEE, Wednesday Evening, February 15.

No change in quotations reported today.

Local Grain Dealings.

WHEAT.—Cash No. 2, 99½; cash No. 3, 87½c; rejected, 5 c.

BARLEY.—Cash No. 2, 88c; No. 3 60c.

RYE.—Cash, 70c.

CORN.—Cash No. 2, 48c.

OATS.—Cash, 29½c.

STREET PRICES—Corn, 40@45; oats, 40@45.

HAY—$6 00@6 50 per ton.

Provisions.

FLOUR—Spring wheat, straight grade, $5 25@3 50; "Pioneer" California, $4 00; patent, $3 75@4 50; winter wheat straight grade $3 85@4 25; patent, $4 50@5 00; graham rye, $2 50; Wheat, $3 00; Queen Bee, $4 25; Jasper, $3 87; Big Sioux, $3 50.

RYE FLOUR—$3 25.

MILLSTUFFS.—Bran, per cwt. 1 00 per ton 15 00@17 50; creenings, per cwt. 90c; shorts, per cwt 1.00; chopped feed, per cwt. 1 20; meal bolted, yellow, 1 40; white, $1 60.

POTATOES—Nebraskas, 1 15@1 20.

SWEET POTATOES—Genuine Muscatine, 4 @5c per lb.

WILD GEESE—Out of market.

EGGS—15c.

BUTTER—Choice, 28@30c; poor, no market; fair, 18@24; creamery, 30@33c.

APPLES—Good, sound, very scarce at $5 00@5 50 per bbl.

LEMONS—Steady; per box, $4 50@0 00.

MALLAGA GRAPES—Per bbl., $8 50; per half bbl., $4 50.

BEESWAX—Yellow, 20@22c.

ONIONS—1 10@1 40 per bushel.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., $10 00@11 00.

CELERY—Per doz., 60@55c.

DRESSED GEESE—Per lb., 9@11c.

OYSTERS—Selects, 45c; standards, 35c.

DRESSED CHICKENS—Steady at 9@10c.

DRESSED TURKEYS—12½@13c.

CHEESE—10@14c.

Grocers List.

COFFEE.—Rio, fair, 12½c; Rio, good, 13½c; Rio, prime to choice, 14c; Old gov't Java, 24½@28½c, Mocha, 28½c; Arbuckle's, 0.

TEAS.—Gunpowder, good, 45@55c; Choice, 60@75c; Imperial, good, 40@45c; Choice, 60@75c; Young Hyson, good, 36@50c; choice, 65c@$1 00; Japan Nat Leaf, 35c; Japan, choice, 60@75c; Oolong, good, 35@40; Oolong, choice, 40@55; Souchong, good, 35@40c; choice, 35@45c.

SUGARS.—Cut loaf, 10½c; Crushed 10½c; Granulated, 10½c; Powdered, 10½c Fine powdered, 11½c; Standard Coffee A, 9½c; New York Confectioner's Standard A, 9½c; Good A, 9½c; Prairie Extra C, 8½c.

SYRUPS.—Sugar house, bbls, 45c; half bls, 47c; kegs, 4½ gallons, $2 10; choice table syrup, 42c; half bbls, 44c; kegs, $2 10.

SODA.—Dwight's lb papers, $3 00; Deland do, $3 00; Church's, $3 00; Keg soda, 4@4½c.

STARCH.—Pearl, 4½c; Silver Gloss, 8½@8½c; Corn Starch, 8½@9c; Excelsior Gloss, 7c; Corn, 7½c.

SALT.—Dray loads, per bbl, 2 10; Ashton, in sacks, 3 50; bbls dairy 60, 5s, 3 45; bbls dairy, 100, 3s, 3 65.

DRIED FRUITS—Choice halves, peaches, ple, 8 lb boxes, 13c; Michigan, 8½c; New York apples, 8½c; Prunes, old, 6½c; new, 7½c; Currants, 6¾@8c; Blackberries, new, 15c.

CHEESE.—Full Cream, 14c; Part Skim 11½c.

WOODENWARE—Two hoop pails, 2 95; three hoop pails, 3 20; No. 1 tubs 9 50; No. 2 tubs, 8 50; No. 3 tubs, 7 50 pioneer washboards, 1 85 Double Crown, 2 90; Well buckets, 2 25.

LEAD—Bar, $1 65.

SPICES.—Pepper, 19c; Allspice, 19c; Cloves, 40c; Nutmegs, $1 00; 25c; Cassia, Mace $1 00.

MATCHES—Per caddie, 90c; round cases, $7.65; square cases, $5.10.

PROVISIONS—Breakfast bacon, 12½c; choice lard, 14½c; dried beef, 13½c; shoulders, 9c; hams, 13c; bacon, sides, 11c.

NEW PICKLES—Medium, in barrels, $10 00; do in half bbls, 5 75; smalls, in bbls, $2 00 do, in half bbls, 7 00; gherkins, in bbls, 14 00; do, in half bbls, 7 50.

VINEGAR—Pure apple extra, 16c; pure apple, 13c; Pressing vare apple, 16c.

HOMINY—New, $5 50 per bbl.

BEANS—Medium, hand picked $2 00 per bushel; navy, $2 00; choice navy, $4 00

ROPE—Sisal, ½ inch and larger, 8¼@9c; ½ inch, 10c.

SOAPS—Kirk's Savon Imperial, 3 30; Kirk's satinet, 3 30; Kirk's standard, 3 65; Kirk's white Russian, 5 00; Kirk's Eutoca, 2 05; Kirk's Prairie Queen, (100 cakes), 3 40; Kirk's magnolia, 4 55@4 40.

CANDLES—Boxes, 40 lbs, 16 oz, 8s, 16c; boxes 40 lb s., 16 oz., 6s, 16c.

LYE—American, 3 40; Greenwich, $10; Western, 2 75; North Star, 2 50; Lewis' lye, 4 60; Jewell lye, 2 75.

POTASH—Pennsylvania cans, 4 doz., in case, 3 35; Babbitt's Ball, 2 doz. in case, 1 90; Anchor Ball 2 doz in case, 1 50.

FIELD SEED—Red clover, choice new, $6 00 per bushel; mammoth clover new, $7 00; white clover, new, $14 00; alsike clover, new, $12 50; alsike, new, $13 00. Timothy, good, new, $3 00; blue grass, extra clean, $1 50; blue grass, clean, $1 25; orchard grass, $2 50; red top, choice, 1 00; millet, common or Missouri, 80c; millet, German, $1 00 to $1 25; Hungarian, 80c.

HEDGE SEED—Osage orange, 1 to 5 bushels, $5 00; osage orange, 10 bushels or over, $4 50; honey locust, per lb., 85c; per 100 lbs., $25 00.

FISH—Family white fish, 90 lb hf bbls, $3 75; No. 1 white fish, 90 lb hf bbls, 6 50; No. 1 white fish, in 10 lb kits, 1 00; family 10 lb kits, 75c; Lake Holland herring, per keg, 1 25; Russian sardines, 75c; Columbia river salmon, per 100 lbs, $8 00; George's Bank codfish, 6c; Gen. boneless codfish, 9½c; boneless fish, 5½c.

MACKEREL—Half bbls mess mackerel, 100 lbs, $12 50; hf bbl No. 1 ex shore do, 100 lbs, 6 00; hf bbls, fat family do, 100 lbs, 3 85; mess mackerel, 12 lb kits, 2 25; No. 1 ex shore, 12 lb do, 1 50; No. 1 shore, 12 lb do, 1 60; fat family, 10 lb do, 75c.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters, 2 lb (Field's), per case, $4 00; do 1 lb (Field's), per case, 2 50; do 2 lb (Standard), per case, 3 70; do 1 lb (standard), per case, 2 30; do 2 lb (slack), per case, 2 75; do 1 lb (slack), per case, 2 00. Onions, 3 80. Salmon, 1 lb, per dozen, 1 60@1 70; do 2 lb, per dozen 2 55. Sardines, smaller, imported, one quarter boxes per box, 14½c; American, quarter boxes per box, 11c; do half boxes, per box, 21½c. Lobsters, 1 lb per dozen, 1 80. Tomatoes, 2 30; do 3 lb per case, 3 30; Corn 2 lb (Mountain) per case, 3 60; soaked corn, 2 10; do 2 lb (Yarmouth), per case, 3 6; string beans, per case, 2 25; Lima beans per case, 2 30. Succotash per case, 2 25. Peas, common, per case, 2 00; peas, choice, per case, 4 50. Blackberries, 2 lb, per case, 2 40; strawberries, 2 lb, per case, 2 75; raspberries, 2 lb, per case, 2 75@3 00. Damsons, 2 lb, per case, 2 45. Bartlett pears per case, 3 00@4 00. Whortleberries per case, 2 80. Egg plums, 2 lb per case, 3 50; do, choice, 2 lb, per case. 4 50. Green gages, 2 lb per case, 3 50; do choice, 2 lb per case, 4 50. Pine Apples, 2 lb, per case, 4 00@5 75. Peaches, 2 lb per case, 3 10; do 3 lb, case, 6 00@6 50; do, (pie), 3 lb, per case, 3 45; do pie, 6 lb, per dozen, 3 50.

RICE—Carolina, 8@8½c; Louisiana, 7½@8½c; fair, 6½@7.

PEANUTS—Roasted, choice, red Tennessee, 9c per lb; fancy white, 10c per lb; raw—white Virginia raw, 10c; roasted, 11½c.

Dry Goods.

BROWN COTTONS—Atlantic A, 8½c; Appleton XX, 7c; Atlanta A, 8c; Boott FF, 8½c; Buckeye LL, 4-4, 7c; Cabot W, 7½c; Chittenango A, 6½c; Great Falls E, 8½c; Hoosier, 6½c; Honest Width, 7¾c; Indian Head A, 8¾c; Indian Standard A, 8¾c; Indian Orchard d. w., 8½c; Lawrence LL, 7c; Mystic River, 7½c; Pequot A, 8½c; Shawmut LL, 7c; Utica C, 5½c; Wachusett B, 7½c; do A, 8½c; do E 48, 12½c; Walcott BB, 8½c.

FINE BROWN COTTONS—Allendale 4-4; 7½c; Alligator 3-4, 3c; Argyle 4-4, 7½c; Atlantic LL, 6½c; Badger State X 4-4, 7c; Bennington C 4-4, 6¾c; Buckeye S. 4-4, 5½cc Indian Orchard AA 9-8, 8½c; Laconia O 39, 8½c; Lehigh E 4-4, 9½c; Lonsdale 4-4, 10c; Pepperell N 30, 7c; do O 32, 7½c; do R 36, 7¾c; do E 39, 8½c; Pocasset C 4-4, 7¾c; Wamsutta 4-4, 13c.

BLEACHED COTTONS—Androscoggin L 4-4, 10c; Blackstone A A in perial 9c; do do half bleached 4-4, 9c; Cabot 4-4, 8¾; Fidelity 4-4, 9½c; Fruit of the Loom, 11; do cambric 4-4, 13c; do Water Twist, 10½c; Great Falls Q, 10½c; Indian Head shrunk 4-4, 12c; Lonsdale, 10½c; do cambric 27, 13c; New York Mills, 13c; Pequot A, 10c; Pepperell N G Twills, 12½c; Pocahontas 4-4, 9½c; Pocasset 4-4, 8½c; Utica, 11c; Wamsutta O X X, 13c.

DUCKS—Unbleached—Atlantic, 10c; 17c; Baltimore do, 16c; Lone Star, 8 oz., 12c; Savage, 18c.

DUCKS (Colored)—Albany E brown, 8c; do C, drab stripe do XX, stripes and plaids, 12½c; do XXX brown and drab, stripes and plaids, 12½c; Arlington fancy, 19c; Brunswick brown, 8½c; Chariot fancy, 12½c; do extra heavy, 20c; Fall River brown, extra heavy, 11½c; Indiana A brown, 13c; Neponset A brown, 15c.

TICKINGS—Amoskeag A C A 32, 17½c; do XX blue 32, 18½c; Arrowanna, 9½c; Claremont B B, 15½c; Conestoga extra, 17½c; Hamilton D, 11½c; Lewiston A 30, 15c; Minnehaha 4-4, 20c; Omega super extra 4-4, 28c; Pearl River 32, 16½c; Putnam XX blue stripe, 12c; Shetucket S, 10½c; do SS 12c; Yeoman's blue 29, 8½c

DENIMS.—Amoskeak, blue and brown, 16½c; Andover DD blue, 15½c; Arlington blue Scotch, 18½c; Concord OOO, blue and brown, 12½c; do AAA, do do 13½; do XXX do do 14½c; Haymaker's blue and brown, 9½c; Mystic River DD stripe, 16½c; Pearl River, blue and brown, 15½c; Uncasville, blue and brown, 13½c.

CAMBRICS—Barnard, 5½c; Eddystone lining, 24 inch double face, 8½c; Garner A glazed, 5c; Manhattan glove finish, 5½c; Newport do 6c; do glazed, 5½c; Pequot do 5c; Lockwood kid finish, 6c.

CORSET JEANS—Amory, 8c; Androscoggin satteen, 8½c; Clarendon, 8½c; Conestoga satteens, 7½c; Hallowell, 8c; Indian Orchard improved, 7½c; Narragansett, 7½c; Pepperill satteen 9½c; Rockport, 7½c.

PRINTS—Allens, 6½c; American, 5½c; Arnold, 7c; Berwick, 4½c; Cocheco, 7c; Conestoga, 6½c; Dunkirk, 4½c; Dunnell, 6½@7c; Eddystone, 7c; Gloucester, 6c; Harmony, 5½c; Knickerbocker, 6½c; Merrimac D, 7c; Mystic, 5½c; Spragues, 6c; Southbridge, 6c; do. Ginghams, 7c; Marlboro, 5½c; Oriental 6½c.

GINGHAMS—Amoskeag, 10½c; Amoskeag dress 12½; Argyle, 10½c; Atlantic, 9c; Cumberland, 7½c; Highland, 8½c; Kenilworth, 8½c; Plum kett, 10½c; Sussex, 8c.

COTTONADES—Abberville 13½c; Agate, 20c; American, 11c; Artisian, 20c; Cairo D and T, 13½c; Clarion D and T, 17½c; Deccan Co. stripes D and T, 16c; Keystone, 13½c; Nantucket, 12½c; Nonpareil, 16c; Ocean D and T, 13½c; Royal, 16½c; Sussex, 12c; Tioga, 12½c; Wachusett shirting checks, 12½c; do, Nankin, 12½c; York, plain Nankin, 12½c; do, checks, stripes and fancy, 12½c; do, 8 oz, 20c.

SHEETINGS—Androscoggin 10-4, 27½c; do 9-4, 24c; do 8-4, 22c; Continental C 42, 11c; Fruit of the Loom 10-4, 27½; New York mills 98, 35c; do 78, 30c; do 58, 22½c; Pembroke 10-4, 25c; Pequot 10-4, 28½c; do 7-4, 19c; do 49, 16c; Pepperell 96, 29c; do 67, 21c; do 57, 18c; Utica 96, 35c; do 58, 22½c; do 48, 17c

Cigars and Tobaccos.

CIGARS.—Seeds, $15.00; Connecticut, $25.00; Mixed, $35.00; Seed Havana, $50.00; Clear Havana, $75.00.

TOBACCO—PLUG.—Golden Rule, 24 lb, 60c; Spotted Fawn, 61c; Our Rope, fine quality, 62c; Star, pounds, 24 lb, butts, 60c; Horse Shoe, pounds, 24 lb, butts, 60c; Gilt Edge, pounds, 24 lb, butts, 60; Army and Navy, pounds, 55c; Bullion, pounds, 60c; Lorillard's Climax, pounds, 61c.

FINE CUT—In pails.—Hard to Beat, 75c; Golden Thread, 70c; Fountain, 80c; Favorite, 65c; Rocky Mountain, 60c; Fancy, 55c; Daisy, 50c.—In tin foil—Catlin's O. S., 5 lb boxes, per lb 63c; Lorillard's Tiger, 65c; Diamond Crown, 66c.

SMOKING—All grades—Common, 25 to 33c. Granulated—Blackwells Durham, 16 oz 51c; Dukes Durham, 16 oz, 50c; Seal of North Carolina, 16 oz, 46; Seal of Nebraska, 16 oz, 38c; Lone Jack, 4 oz, linen bags per lb, $1.35; Marburgs' Peck, 2 oz, tin foil, 55c; Dog Tail, 65c.

Paints Oils and Varnishes.

PAINTS IN OIL—White lead, Omaha P. P., 7c; white lead, O. P. & C. Co., pure, 6c; Marseilles green, 1 to 5 lb cans, 20c; French zinc, green seal, 12c; French zinc, red seal, 11c; French zinc, in varnish asst, 20c; French zinc, in oil asst, 15c; Raw and burnt umber, 1 lb cans 12c; raw and burnt Sienna, 13c; vandyke brown, 13c; refined lampblack, 12c; coach black, 15c; ivory black, 16c; drop black, 16c; Prussian blue, 35c; ultramarine blue, 18c; chrome green, L. M. & D., 14c; blind and shutter green, L. M. & D., 14c; Paris green, 18c; Indian red, 15c; Venetian red, 9c; Tuscan red, 22c; American Vermilion, I. & P., 18c; chrome yellow, L., M., O. & D. O., 18c; yellow ochre, 9c; golden ochre, 16; patent dryer, 6c; graining colors: light oak, dark oak, walnut, chestnut and ash 12c

Dry Paints

White lead, 6½c; French zinc, 10c; Paris whiteing 2½c; whiting gilders, 1½c; whiting com'l, 1½c; lampblack Germantown, 14c; lampblack, ordinary, 8c; Prussian blue, 45c; ultramarina, 18c; vandyke, brown, 8c; umber, burnt, 4c; umber, raw, 4c; sienna, burn t, 4c; sienna, raw, 4c Paris green genuine, 35c; Paris green com'l 25c; chrome green, N. Y.' 20c; chromgreen K., 12c; vermillion, Eng., 70c; vermillion, America, 18c; Indian red, 10c, rose pink, 14c; venetian read, Cookson's 8½c; venetian red Am., 1½c; red lead, 7½c; chrome yellow, genuine, 20c; chrome yellow, K., 12c; ochre, rochelle, 3c; ochre, French, 2½c; ochre, American, 1½c; Winter's mineral, 2½c; lehigh brown, 2½c; spanish brown, 2½c; Prince's mineral 3c;

VARNISHES—Barrels per gallon. Furniture, extra, $1 10; furniture, No. 1, $1; furniture, No. 2, 85c; coach, extra, $1 40; Coach, No. 1, $1 20; Damar, $1 50; Japan, 70c; asphaltum, 70c; shellac, $3 50; hard oil finish, $1 30

OILS—110° carbon, per gallon, 11½c; 150 headlight, per gallon, 12½c; 175° headlight, per gallon, 16c; crystoline, per gallon, 20c; linseed, raw, per gallon, 66; linseed, boiled, per gallon, 68c; lard, winter st'd, per gallon, 1 05; No. 1, 80c; No. 2, 65c; castor, XXX, per gallon, 1 30; No. 3, 1 15; sweet, per gallon, 85c; sperm, W. B., per gallon, 1 35; fish, W. B. per gallon, 60c; neatsfoot, extra, per gallon, 75c; No. 1, 65c; lubricating, zero, per gallon, 30c; summer, 15c; Golden machine, No. 1, per gallon, 35c; No. 2, 50; sperm, signal, per gallon, 80c; terpentine, per gallon, 64c; naptha, 74°, per gallon, 30c; 64°, 20c

Heavy Hardware List.

Iron, rates, $3 50; plow steel, cast, 7½c; cast tool do, 15@20 wagon spokes, set, 2 45@3 00; hubs, per set, 1 25; felloes, sawed dry, 1 40; tongues, each, 70@85c; axles, each, 75c; square nuts, per lb, 7@11c; washers, per lb, 8@18c; rivets, per lb, 11c; coil chain, per lb, 6@12c; malleable, 8c; iron wedges, 6c; crowbars, 6c; harrow teeth, 4c; horseshoes, per keg, 5 00; spring steel, 7@8c.

NAILS—10 to 20d, 3 60; 8 to 10, 3 75 6d, 4 00; 4d, 4 25; 3d, common, 5 00; 3d, fine, 6 50; clinch, all sizes, 5 25; 6d, casing, 4 75; 8d casing, 4 5; 10d casing, 4 25; 10d finish, 4 75; 8d finish, 5 00; 6d finish, 5 25 half kegs, 10c extra.

SHOT.—Shot, $1.85; Buck shot, $2.10; Oriental Powder, kegs, $6.40; do., half kegs, $3.48; do., quarter kegs, $1.85; Blasting, kegs, $3.35; Fuse, per 100 feet 50c.

Horses and Mules.

The market is brisk and all grades are selling well at a slight advance in prices. The demand for good horses exceeds the supply considerably. Prices range as follows:

Fine single drivers, $150. to 300.; Extra draft horses, $175. to 225.; Common draft horses, $100. to 150.; Extra farm horses, $110. to 125.; Common to good farm horses $90. to $100.; Extra plug, $60. to 75.; Common plugs, $20. to $40.

MULES.—15 to 15½ hands (extra), $125. to 150.; 14½ to 15 hands, $100. to 140.; 14 to 14½ hands, $75. to 100.; 13½ to 14 hands, $60. to 75

Liquors.

ALCOHOL—187 proof, 2 25 per wine gallon; extra California spirits, 187 proof, 1 50 per proof gallon; triple refined spirits, 187 proof, 1 24 per proof gallon; re-distilled whiskies, 1 00@1 50; fine blended, 1 50@2 50; Kentucky bourbons, 2 00@7 00; Kentucky and Pennsylvania ryes, 2 00@7 00

BRANDIES—Imported, $6 00@16 00; domestic 1 40@4 00.

GINS—Imported, 4 50@6 00; domestic, 1 40@3 00.

RUMS—Imported, 4 50@6 00; New England, 2 00@4 00; domestic, 1 50@3 50

PEACH AND APPLE BRANDY—1 75@4 00.

CHAMPAGNES—Imported per case, 26 00@34 00; American, case, 12 00@18 00.

CLARETS—Per case, 4 50@16 00.

WINES—Rhine wine, per case, 6 00@20 00; Catawba, per case, 4 00@7 00.

Lumber.

WHOLESALE.

FENCING—No. 1, 12 to 20 ft, $22 00; No. 2, 12 to 20 ft., 21 00; sheeting dressed, No. 1, 18 00; No. 2, 16 00; common boards, dressed, 20 00.

FRAMING—16 ft. and under, per M, 21 00; 10 ft. studding, 22 00; 22 ft. 22 00; 24 ft. 25 00.

FINISHING—No. 1. finish 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch, $50 00 No. 1 finish 1 inch $45 00; No. 2, finish 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch, $45 00; No. 2 finish, 1 inch, $40 00; No, 3 finish, 1 inch, $35 00; O. G. battens per 100 feet lin., $1 00; well curbing, $22 00; rough ½ and 2 inch battens per 100 feet lin., 50c.

STOCK BOARDS—A stock, $40 00; B $35 00; C, $30 00; common stock, $22 50.

FLOORING—No. 1, $40 00; No. 2, $35 00; No, 3, $22 00 yellow pine, No. 1, $40 00.

SIDING—No 1, $24 00; No. 2, $22 00; No. 3, $18 00.

SHIP LAP—Plain, $22 00; O. G. No. 1, $32 00; No. 2, $22 00.

CEILING—$24 00@$37 00.

LATH AND SHINGLES—A star (best) shingles, $3 85, No. 2, $2 50; No. 3, $2 00. Lath, $3 50.

Building Material.

LIME—Per barrel, $1 35; bulk per bu., 35c. Cement, bbl, $2 50. Iowa plaster, bbl, $2 50. Hair per bu, 35c. Tarred felt 100 lbs, $3 50. Straw board, $4 00

PAPER—Straw paper, 3½c; rag paper, 4c; dry goods paper, 7c; manila paper, 10c; news paper, 8c.

COAL—Cumberland blacksmith, $12; Morris Run Blossburg, $12; Whitebreast lump, $6 50; Whitebreast nut, $6 50; Iowa lump, $6 50; Iowa nut $6 50; Rock Springs, $8; Anthracite, all sizes, $12 00@12 50.

Drugs.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS—Acid Carbolic, 50c; Acid, Tartaric, 58c; Balsam Copabia, per lb, 75c; Bark, Sassafras, per lb, 14c; Calomel, per lb, 75c; Cinchonidia, per oz, $1 00; Chloroform, per lb, 1 00; Dover's powders, per lb, $1 40; Epsom salts, per lb, 3½c; Glycerine, pure, per lb, 45c; Lead, Acetate, per lb, 24c; Oil, Castor, No. 1, per gal, $1 35; Oil, Castor, No. 3, per gal, $1 25; Oil, Olive, per gal, $1 50; Oil, Origanum, 50c Opium, $4 50; Quinine P. & W. & R. & S., per oz, $2 55; Potassium, Iodide, per lb; $2 50; Salacin, per oz, 40c; Sulphate of Morphine, per oz, $3 8; Sulphur flour, per lb, 4½c; Strychnine, per oz. $1 50.

Wool.

Merino unwashed, light, 14@16c; heavy, 13@15c; medium unwashed, light, 18@20c; tub-washed, choice, 32c; fair, 30c; dingy and w., 28c; burry, black and cotted wools 2@6c less

Hides Furs, Etc.

HIDES—Green butcher's hide, 7c; green cured hides, 8c; green salt, part cured hides, 7@7½c; dry flint, sound, 13@14c; dry calf and kip, 12@13c; dry salt hides, sound, 11@12c; green calf, wt. 8 to 15 lbs., 10@11c; green calf, wt, under 8 lbs, per skin, 50c; green pelts, $1 00@1 15; green lamb skins, $1 10@1 25; damaged hides, two-third rate, cut scored and one grub, classed two thirds rate,) branded hides 10 per cent. off. Coon skins, No. 1, 45c; No. 2, 30c; No. 3, 20c; No. 4, 10c. Mink, No. 1, 50c; No. 2, 30c; No. 3, 15c; No. 4, 5c. Fox, No. 1, 60c; No. 2, 25c. Skunk, No. 1, black, 65c; short stripe, 40c; narrow stripe 25c; broad stripe, 10c. Tallow, 5½c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Council Bluffs Market.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, February 15

Flour—Crystal Mills Golden Sheaf, 3 75; California Eureka, patent, 3 9; best brand of Kansas, 3 50@3 90; Kansas and Missouri flour, 3 50@4 25; graham, 3 75; rye flour, 3 40.

Bran and Shorts—15 00 per ton

Chop Corn—22 50 per ton.

Wheat—No. 2, $1 02; No. 3, 72c; rejected, 52c.

Corn—47.

Oats—No. 2, 40c; rejected, 35c.

Barley—No. 2, 90c; No. 3, 75c

Hay—Loose, 5 00@6 00.

Wood—5 50@7 00.

Live Hogs—5 25@5 75.

Cattle—Shipping, 4 50@5 00; milch cows 30 00@45 00 per head; butchers stock, 3 00@3 50.

Sheep—3 75@4 25.

G Hides—5c; G S hides, 7c.

Wool—15@25.

Butter—Creamery, 30c; in rolls, wrapped, 25c; rolls not wrapped, 20c; mixed colors, 15@20c.

Eggs—Packed, 10c; fresh, 12½c.

Potatoes—1 10@1 30; Salt Lake, 1 50.

Onions—1 25@1 40.

Dressed Poultry—Chickens, 10c; ducks, 10c; geese, 8c; turkeys, 12½c.

Live Chickens—2 25 per dozen.

Chicago Produce.

CHICAGO, February 15.

On 'change prices were on the down grade. The receipts of grain were 192 cars, embracing 57 of wheat, 89 of corn, 35 of oats, 4 of rye and 27 of barley.

Flour—Dull and neglected; quotations unchanged; common to choice spring western, 4 50@7 00; Minnesota, 5 00@7 25; patents 7 50@8 50; winter brands, 5 00@7 25; rye flour, 5 35@5 60.

Wheat—To day was undoubtedly the most unsettled and excited market for No. 2 spring witnessed since the recent break set in. Trading was unusually active on speculative account and became greatly excited, and fluctuations were so rapid and severe that it was almost impossible for an operator to keep pace with the market. The unusually fine weather for this season of the year had some effect, and the "bear" interest again had matters pretty much their own way. The market opened about the same to ½c higher than closing figures on the call board yesterday and advanced ⅛@¾c additional almost immediately; then ruled lower and steady with a range of ¾c per bushel, but later in the day began to weaken and declined 1½c from outside prices. The decline was very rapid and sometimes prices fell off ¼@½c with but few transactions. The market finally closed about 4½c per bushel lower on regular board and on call at 1 18½ for February and March; 1 19⅝ for April; 1 26¾ for May; 1 22⅝ for June; 1 04⅝ for year; No. 3 spring 1 00@1 02; rejected, nominal.

Corn—An unsettled and weak feeling prevailed in the corn market during the greater portion of the session and prices ruled very irregular and lower. Early in the day the market was comparatively steady, and prices gradually advanced ½@⅝c, with a fair business reported at the improvement. Offerings were largely increased and prices declined again 2¼@2½c and ruled somewhat irregular to the close. No 2 closed on call at 54½c for February; 54¾@54⅞c for March; 60⅝@60¾ for May; 60¼@60½c for June; 61¼@61⅜c for July, rejected nominal at 54c.

Oats—Weaker and lower, with but very little demand; No. 2 closing on call at 38½c for February; 39½c for March; 39½c for April; 42⅞c for May and June.

Rye—Dull and lower and no demand; No. 2 closed at 80c for March.

Barley—Quiet and steady; No. 2, 1 01½; futures inactive; No. 3, 76c.

Pork—Market unsettled and prices irregular; mess closed at 17 00 for cash; 17 07½ for March; 17 35@17 37½ for April; 17 62½ for May; 17 70@17 75 for June.

Lard—Active and lower, closing at 19 55 for March; 10 72½ for April; 10 85@10 87½ for May; 10 92½ for June.

Bulk Meats—Fairly active, with declining prices; 8 92½ for March; 9 02½ for April 9 15 for May; 9 20 for June.

Whisky—1 19.

Butter—The market remains firm, with a good demand for all offerings of fresh made at full prices. The receipts were moderate, and taken by the local trade. We quote creamery, choice to fancy, 42@44c; fair to good, 36@40c; dairy, choice to fancy, 33@38c; do. fair to good, 22@28c; fresh made packing stock, 20@28c; ladle packed, common to good, 18@32c; roll, 22@26c for common to fair, and 28@30c for good to choice.

Eggs—In ample supply and moderate demand; market weaker; strictly fresh sold at 17@18c per dozen; pickled, 8@10c.

	Rec'ts.	Shipm'ts
Flour	22,698	19 520
Wheat	33,792	8,367
Corn	181,495	144,965
Oats	55,181	59,502
Rye	6,151	1,536
Barley	51,751	9,493

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, February 15.

The Drover's Journal reports as follows:

Hogs—Receipts, 18,000 head. Market somewhat demoralized; prices for common to good 15@20c lower. Trade was irregular and receipts quite full; prices ranged at 6 10@6 60; heavy packing and shipping market steady and somewhat lower at 6 65@7 05; light hogs, prices lower; skips and culls, 6 00@6 50.

Cattle—Receipts, 7,400 head. Shipping cattle was advanced 10@15c. The market was dull and weak, a large volume of business was done and the supply of desirable cattle was well cleaned; medium, 5 10@5 50; good, 5 35@5 75; choice, 5 80@6 00; export, 6 30@7 00. To-day offerings for butchers' cattle were liberal, the demand was pretty good and fleshy, useful cattle were ready sale at a strong prices, but poor stock ruled weak and easier; cows, 2 00@3 40; bulls, 3 25@5 37½; steers, 4 40@4 86; stockers quiet at 3 00@4 25; feeders, 3 35@4 80.

Sheep—Receipts, 250 head. Market active and higher; fair, 4 25@4 40; medium, 4 90@5 30; good, 5 35@5 57½.

Peoria Produce.

PEORIA, February 15.

Wheat—Milling samples scarce and in demand; lower grades plenty and dull.

Corn—Market firm and fairly steady but inactive from short offerings; No. 2 white, 64½c; low mixed, 60c; high mixed, 56½c; mixed, 56½c; rejected, 55½c.

Oats—Market firm, moderately active and fairly steady sale; No. 2 white, 42c; mixed, 41½c; rejected, 41c; rejected mixed, 4 ½c.

Rye—Market firm, moderately active and a shade higher; No. 2, 88c; rejected, 85c.

Barley—Market dull and nominal; low grades plenty but better grades scarce at 73c

Highwines—Market firm and unchanged; now quoted at 1 17.

	Rec'ts.	Ship'ts.
Wheat	450	475
Corn	39,500	68,000
Oats	15,850	27,500
Rye	3,350	4,000
Barley	1,100	600
Highwines	none	290

New York Produce

NEW YORK, February 15.

Flour—Heavy and lower; Minnesota extra, 4 75@8 50; city mill do, 5 75@7 50; southern flour in buyers' favor and in moderate demand; common to choice extra, 5 40@8 00

Wheat—Opened heavy, excited and lower but closed firm at some recovery; No. 2 red, 1 33½@1 34½; No 2 white, 131½@1 32½; No. 3 red, 1 33½@1 33¾; do. for March, 1 32½@1 33½; for April, 1 34⅝@1 37⅜; do. for May, 1 34⅞@1 36¾

Corn—Heavy, lower and unsettled; ungraded mixed, 60@68c; No. 2, 62½@63½c;