THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS

But Little Change in Prices From Monday's Closing Figures.

LARD GOES ALL TO PIECES.

The Reported Corner in the September Option Proven False—But Little Business Done in Wheat and Corn.

ON CHICAGO 'CHANGE.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—There was frost last night in Wyoming, Nebraska, Kansas, Wisconsin and the northwest, and the temperature as compared with Monday is decidedly lower all over the country. During the last twenty-four hours there has been rain in the Mississippi, Ohio, and Tennessee valleys, the lake region, Louisianna and the eastern states, but the precipitation has not been heavy. The opening prices were very little changed from yesterday's closing. November wheat started out at 75¼c, but fell back to 74⅞c. Corn for November sold at 35⅝@35¾c, but eased back a fraction. November pork was first quoted at $9.60, but showed every disposition to sell lower. Before 10:30 wheat had firmed up to 75¼@75⅝c, but reacted to 75¼c. The volume of business was very light. Corn kept between 35⅝@35¾c. Scalpers bought pork quite freely and put November up to $9.67½. The narrow range exhibited by wheat around the opening kept up pretty much all day. Whenever it sagged back to 75c for November, it would invariably recover to 75¼c, but outside of these limits it was very slow about going. It is said that Ream sold a good deal of wheat, but the reports could not be traced to any reliable source. This side of the market was taken by the general trade, but sales of wheat were not forced. Very many expected a bulge this morning on the theory of "natural reaction," but it failed to get here.

Trading toward the close of the session became slow and draggy. Corn improved in volume of business, but traders were mostly on the selling side, and as a consequence prices dropped ¼@⅜c by noon, but after that time revived a little and closed moderately steady. The big break of the day was in September lard, which went all to pieces. But it went so quickly that very many operators outside of the provision pit did not hear of it for some time afterward. There has been an unfounded belief for weeks past that September lard was cornered, but it petered out to-day and prices for that option dropped with extreme suddenness from $7.37½ to $6.30. Yesterday lard was at 75c premium between the two months. To-day the discount is 10c.

Traders flopped around to the buying side and took in wheat very actively on the afternoon session, November going to 75⅝c on reports of twenty-one boat loads taken at New York and talk that heavy financial men there were buying wheat both at home and here. But the exports were believed to be made up largely of 70c Danville wheat which sold on shipboard at 77c. This is said to have saved it being posted.

The close was as follows: Wheat, strong and higher; 75⅜c September; 75¼c October; 75⅝c November; 77⅞c December; 84c May. Corn, firmer, 36⅛c September; 35⅞@36⅛c October; 35⅝c November; 43¾c May. Oats steady; 25c September; 25½c October. Pork, firmer; $9.55 September; $9.55 October; $9.55½ November; $9.35 year; $10.50 January. Lard steady; $6.37½ September; $6.10 October; $6.05 November. Short ribs, easy; $6.85 September; $6.85 October; $5.40 January.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—CATTLE—The fact that there was not so large a proportion of natives as yesterday gave sellers hopes of something better this morning, but after working hard and long they considered that they were fortunate in securing barely steady rates. The market for common, rough cattle was dull. Some tidy fat 1430-lb beeves sold at 4⅝, but some very fat but rather coarse 1700-lb cattle could not be sold better than $4.85. To offset the very few instances in which choice handy cattle sold better to-day there were many cases in which undesirable cattle sold lower. The general trade was dull and closed very weak. The range cattle receipts to-day were 15,000 southern Texans and about 4,500 wintered Texans and territory cattle. The market would have been firm on something choice, but the quality was not so good as on yesterday. Sales of common to fair Texas and thin western cattle were a shade lower and the general market was slow and weak. The Swan company got $3.50 for 188 Wyomings averaging 1125 lbs. Other representative sales: 82 Montanas, 1251 lbs, $3.95; 170 Montanas, 1240 lbs, $4.00; 66 Montana Texans, 1051 lbs, $3.30; 57 Montanas, 1253 lbs, $3.95.

HOGS—The market was active and about 5c higher than Monday. At the close, however, there were salesmen that had late consignments who complained of their inability to get as good prices as at the opening of the market. Rough and common sold at $4.00@4.35; fair to good packing sorts, $4.55@4.65; best heavy and assorted lots, $4.75@4.85; light sorts, $3.70@4.15.

FINANCIAL.

New York, Sept. 28.—MONEY—On call quiet at 3@7 per cent, closing at 3 per cent asked.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@5 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quite strong at $4.82½ for sixty day bills, and $4.84½ for demand.

GOVERNMENTS—Government bonds were dull but firm.

STOCKS—The stock market showed a somewhat better distribution of business and prices were materily higher throughout the day than at the close last night. New England continued to be the feature and its fluctuations were wide and, at times, violent, but it reached higher figures than have yet been attained on any previous day, and showed a handsome gain at the close. Prices at the opening were very irregular. Lackawana being down ½ per cent and New England and Union Pacific up a like amount, other changes being for smaller fractions. Prices hesitated somewhat in early dealings, but the market soon became strong throughout, New York and New England gaining 2⅜ per cent. The advance culminated shortly before noon and some heaviness was displayed, while the advance in New England was nearly all lost. But it soon joined the remainder of the list, and with the exception of a small reaction toward the close, the market was firm all the way up, finally closing steady to firm.

STOCKS ON WALL STREET.

Cent bonds	100½	C. & N. W	117⅝
U. S. 4½'s	112	preferred	142
New 4's	128¼	N. Y. C	113⅛
Pacific 6's of '95	126	Oregon Trans	33½
Central Pacific	49½	Pacific Mail	58⅝
C. & A	142	P. D. & E	30¼
preferred	160	P. P. C	145
C. B. & Q	137¼	Rock Island	127⅜
D. L. & W	158½	St. L. & S. F	32⅜
D. & R. G	32⅜	preferred	65
Erie	25⅞	C., M. & St. P	97⅝
preferred	78	preferred	125
Illinois Central	135	St. P. & O	50
L. S. & W	18	preferred	112¾
Kansas & Texas	36¼	Texas Pacific	17⅜
Lake Shore	91⅜	Union Pacific	61⅞
L. & N	50⅜	W., St. L. & P	20⅜
Mich. Central	87	preferred	36½
Mo. Pacific	112½	Western Union	73⅝
Northern Pac	28⅝	O., R. & N	106
preferred	62½		

PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Flour—Dull and not quotably lower; winter wheat flour, $4.05@4.10; southern, $3.90@4.00; Wisconsin, $4.00@4.10; Michigan soft spring wheat, $3.50@4.10; Minnesota bakers, $3.50@4.10; patents, $4.30@4.60; low grades, $1.75@2.75; rye flour, quiet at $3.25@3.50 in barrels, and $3.00@3.20 in sacks.

Wheat—Opened easy and closed ½c above yesterday; cash, 72⅝@73½c; October, 73 5-16c; November, 75 5-16c; May, 83 9-16c.

Corn—Easier, closing ½c lower than yesterday; cash, 35⅜@35⅝c; October, 36 11-16; November, 38¾c; May, 48 5-16c.

Oats—Quiet and dull with very little change; cash and October, 25¼c; November, 26¾c; May, 31¾c.

Rye—Quiet at 48½c.

Barley—Quiet at 54⅜@55c.

Timothy—Prime, $1.81.

Flax-seed—$1.05½@1.06.

Whisky—$1.17.

Pork—Active, irregular, and moderately active; cash and October, $9.55; November, $9.55@9.47½; January, $10.45@10.47½.

Lard—Declined to 6¾c on September, rallied 7½@10c, closing tame; other deliveries quiet and 5@10c lower; cash, $6.37½; October, $6.10@6.12½; November, $6.05@6.07½; January, $6.12½@6.15.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $6.00@6.10; short clear, $7.10@7.15; short ribs, $6.90.

Butter—Firm but dull; creamery, 15@24c; dairy, 14@18c.

Cheese—Firm; full cream cheddars, 11@14c; flats, 11@11½c; young Americas, 11½@11¾c; skims, 6@8c.

Eggs—15@16c.

Hides—Heavy green salted, 7½c; light, 8c; damaged, 6c; bull hides, 5½c; dry salted 11@12c; dry flint, 13@14c; calf skins, salted, 9c; deacons, 50c each.

Tallow—No. 1 country, 3½@3¾c; cake, 3¾c; No. 2, 3c.

Afternoon board—Wheat firmer; cash, 75¾c; October 75½c; November 75¾c; May, 84c. Corn firm; cash, 36¼c; October, 36 1-16c; November, 38¾c; May, 43¾c. Oats irregular; cash, 25c; October, 25½c; November, 26½c; May, 31½c. Pork firmer; cash and October $9.55; November, $9.57½. Lard unchanged; October, $6.15; November, $6.10.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	18,000	7,000
Wheat, bu	77,000	21,000
Corn, bu	295,000	158,000
Oats, bu	160,000	180,000
Rye, bu	3,000	9,000
Barley, bu	87,000	62,000

New York, Sept. 28.—Wheat—Receipts, 180,000; exports, 132,000; cash, a shade higher and fairly active and in good part for export; options opened wrk and a shade lower, later ruled stronger and advanced ⅝@1c, closing with best figures ruling firm; unraded red, 75@85½c; No. 3 red, 82½c; No. 1 red, 90c; No. 2 red, 84⅞c in elevator, 85¼@86c afloat and delivered; 85@85¼c f. o. b.; October closed at 85¼c.

Corn—Cash a trifle earsier and options ⅛@¼c higher, closing firm; receipts, 149,000; exports, 60,000; ungraded, 45¼@46⅝c; No. 2, 46⅝@46¾c in elevator, 46⅛@46⅝c afloat; October closing at 47¼c.

Oats—Shade stronger; receipts, 130,000; exports, 43; mixed western, 31@33c; white western, 35@40c.

Petroleum—Steady; united, 65c.

Pork—Fairly active but steady; mess, $10.50@10.75 for old; $11.25@11.50 for new.

Lard—Unsettled and lower; western steam spot quoted at 86.65 asked.

Butter—Quiet but firm.

Cheese—Quiet but firm.

Eggs—Firm with fair inquiry; western, 20½@21c.

Minneapolis, Sept. 28.—Wheat—Quiet for futures, but good demand for sample lots for milling and shipment; No. 1 hard and cash, 71c; October, 71½c; November, 75c; No. 1 northern, cash and October, 69c; November, 70½c; No. 2 northern, cash and October, 67c; November, 68½c.

Flour—Slow; patents, $4.20@4.40; bakers', $3.20@3.40.

Receipts—Wheat, 143,000 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 36,000 bu.; flour, 18,000 bbls.

Cincinnati, Sept. 28.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red, 76c.

Corn—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 40c.

Oats—Strong; No. 2 mixed, 28½c.

Rye—Quiet; No. 2, 54c.

Pork—Quiet at $10.00.

Lard—Dull at $6.60 bid.

Whisky—Firm at $1.12.

Milwaukee, Sept. 28.—Wheat—Higher; cash, 73¾c; October, 73c; November, 75c.

Corn—Drooping; No. 2, 36½c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2, 25c.

Rye—Firm; No. 1, nominal.

Barley—Steady; No. 2, 55½c.

Provisions—Lower; pork, September, $9.60.

St. Louis, Sept. 28.—Wheat—Steady; No 2 red, cash, 74c; October, 74¼c bid.

Corn—Easy; No. 2 mixed, cash, 34½@35¼c; October, 34¼c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed, cash, 25¼@25¾c; October, 25¾c; November, 27¼c.

Rye—Weaker at 47½c.

Whisky—$1.12.

Pork—Easy at $10.12½@10.25.

Lard—Stronger at 86.30

Butter—Steady and unchanged; creamery, 21@24c; dairy, 19@20c.

AFTERNOON BOARD — Wheat — Stronger and ½@¾c higher.

Corn—Advanced ¼@½c

Oats—Unchanged; ½c lower.

New Orleans, Sept. 28.—Corn—Unsettled; mixed and white, 48@49c; yellow, 50@51c

Oats—Steady at 33@38½c.

Hog Products—Quiet and weak.

Pork—$10.50.

Lard—$7.00.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $7.00; long clear and clear ribs, $7.12½.

Toledo, Sept. 28.—Wheat—Firm and higher; cash, 76½c.

Corn—Steady; cash, 39½c.

Oats—Nominal.

Liverpool, Sept. 28.—Wheat—In poor demand; No. 2 winter, 6s 7d; new spring, 6s 8½d.

Flour—In poor demand; extra spring, 8s 4d.

Corn—In poor demand; new mixed, spot and September, 4s 4d; October 4s 3½d.

Kansas City, Sept. 28.—Wheat—Quiet; No. 2, red, cash, 61c bid; October, 61½c; November, nominal.

Corn—Steady; No. 2, cash, 30½c bid; October, 30½c; November, 31½c bid.

Oats—Steady at 23½c.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—The Drover's Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 9,000; slow but steady; shipping steers, $3.50@5.20; stockers and feeders, $2.20@3.50; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@3.00; bulk, $2.25@2.70; through Texas cattle a shade lower; cows, $1.75@2.35; steers, $2.70@3.25; western rangers, slow; natives and half-breeds, $3.00@3.75; cows, $2.50@2.90; wintered Texans, $2.80@3.25; Montana, $3.90@4.00; Montana Texans, $3.30; Wyomings, $3.45@3.50; Oregons, $4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; strong and 5c higher, closing with the advance lost; rough and mixed, $3.70@4.00; packing and shipping, $4.00@4.00; light, $3.70@4.05; skips, $2.25@3.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; steady; natives, $2.25@4.00; western, $3.50@3.60; Texans, $2.50@3.10; lambs, $4.40@5.00.

Kansas City, Sept. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,600; shipments, 800; shipping and grass range cattle slow and weak; butchers stuff and feeding steers firmer; good to choice, $4.00@4.50; common to medium, $3.50@3.90; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.60; grass range steers, $2.25@3.20.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,400; shipments, 200; quality better; market steady; good to choice, $4.50@4.75; commonto medium, $4.20@4.45; grassers and pigs, $3.70@4.20.

St. Louis, Sept. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,300; shipments, 1,500; market active but steady; good to choice native shipping grades, $4.20@4.85; butcher steers, $3.25@4.10; Texas and western, $2.00@3.65.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,800; shipments, 1,000; all grades stronger; butchers' and choice heavy, $4.70@4.85; packing grades, $4.25@4.85; Yorkers $4.30@4.50; pigs, $3.75@4.20.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Tuesday Evening, Sept. 28.

Cattle—The cattle market continues about steady. Dressed beef steers are in very fair demand. One bunch of very choice, heavy corn-fed steers brought $4.70 to-day. There is more inquiry for feeders and a better market is anticipated as the season advances. Butchers' stuff was very slow.

Hogs—The receipts of hogs were liberal to-day and the market active. The buyers were well represented on the market to-day and everything was sold at an advance of 5@10c over yesterday's market.

Sheep—There were a few in to-day and all sold.

RECEIPTS.

Cattle	500
Hogs	1,800
Sheep	400

Prevailing Prices.

Showing the prevailing prices paid for live stock on this market.

Choice steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs	$4.25@4.35
Choice steers, 1100 to 1350 lbs	3.75@4.25
Medium steers, 1250 to 1350 lbs	3.60@4.15
Fat little steers, 1050 to 1150 lbs	3.80@4.00
Good feeders	3.00@3.25
Good to choice corn-fed cows	2.90@3.25
Fair to medium grass cows	2.00@2.65
Good to choice bulls	1.50@2.00
Light and medium nogs	4.15@4.30
Good to choice heavy hogs	4.35@4.45
Good to choice mixed hogs	4.25@4.35
Good to choice sheep	3.00@3.25
Fair to good sheep	2.75@3.00
Common sheep	1.50@2.50

Representative Sales.

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
7	1092	$2.50	11	980	$2.50

CORN FED STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
20	1151	$4.00	20	1164	$4.25
58	1248	4.30	58	1306	4.60
21	1167	4.25	133	1466	4.70

SHEEP.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
108	79	$2.50	179	100	$3.10

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
51	248	...	$4.05	79	262	120	$4.35
67	253	280	4.30	79	258	80	4.35
65	288	120	4.30	71	281	120	4.35
66	253	80	4.30	66	275	80	4.35
78	254	80	4.30	65	268	40	4.37½
52	204	200	4.30	65	275	240	4.40
71	243	40	4.30	60	292	160	4.40
72	247	...	4.30	61	280	40	4.40
65	270	80	4.35	21	239	...	4.40
68	220	80	4.35	48	300	40	4.40
62	291	80	4.35	50	272	80	4.40
71	282	80	4.35	55	301	...	4.40
61	261	120	4.35	45	329	160	4.45
79	263	120	4.35				

THROW OUTS.

No	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
3	193	—	$3.65	1	210	—	$4.15
5	193	—	3.65	7	270	—	4.25
1	140	—	3.75	5	274	—	4.25
18	185	80	3.75	4	476	120	4.25
71	198	120	3.90	1	470	80	4.40
35	205	80	3.95				

Range of Prices.

Showing the highest and lowest prices paid for loads of hogs on this market during the past seven days and for the same time last month and last year:

Day.	Aug. 1886.	Sept. 1886.	Sept. 1885.
21st	$4.45 @4.57½	$4.40 @4.60	$3.45 @3.50
22nd	Sunday	4.40 @4.50	3.45 @3.50
23rd	4.40 @4.65	4.30 @4.45	3.40 @3.50
24th	4.55 @4.75	4.25 @4.50	3.40 @3.45
25th	4.40 @4.75	4.25 @4.40	3.40 @3.50
27th	4.30 @4.50	4.15 @4.37½	3.45 @
28th	4.30 @4.60	4.25 @4.45	3.30 @3.42½

Shipments.

Showing the number of cattle, hogs and sheep shipped from the yards to-day:

CATTLE.

No. Cars	Rt.	Dest.
22	N. W.	Chicago
9	R. I.	Chicago
2	B. & M.	Ashland

HOGS.

No. Cars	Rt.	Dest.
10	C. B & Q.	Boston
2	R. I.	Chicago

SHEEP.

2	N. W.	Chicago

All sales of stock in this market are made per cwt. live weight unless otherwise stated. Dead hogs sell at ½c per lb for all weights. "Skins," or hogs weighing less than 100 lbs no value. Pregnant sows are docked 40 lbs and stags 80 lbs.

Notes.

Hogs higher.

Hogs all sold.

Corn fed cattle sell well.

More inquiry after feeders.

The hog market takes a 10c step upward.

Allen & Moore, Utica, topped the hog market to-day.

Mr. Barrett, Weeping Water, was in to-day looking for feeders.

Reno & Storrs, Ewing, had two loads of cattle at the yards.

Joseph Widick, Friend, Neb., was here inquiring after feeders.

C. B. Sanderson, Central City, was here and sold a load of hogs.

J. G. Nordgreen, Chapmans, was here and marketed a load of hogs.

Kiene & Maloney, Albion, were both here with four loads of cattle.

Isaac Shepardson, Riverton, Neb., was a visitor at the yards to-day.

J. C. H. Hester, Stuart, had a load of 107 sheep on the market to-day.

Clarence Brown, Chicago, is visiting his father, W. F. Brown at the yards.

F. Folda, Schuyler, was here and sold three car loads of corn fed cattle.

Thomas Harris, Central City, was here with a load of hogs and two loads of sheep.

Mr. Riley, of the firm of Hawks & Riley, Albion, was on the market with a load of hogs and four loads of cattle.

T. B. Hord, Cheyenne, was looking over the market to-day. Mr. Hord is manager of the Lance Creek Cattle company.

Ed. F. Crider, of Jennings, Crider & Co., live stock commission merchants of Kansas City, paid his first visit to the yards to-day. The firm is considering the project of opening a branch house here.

Among others having hogs on to-day's market were the following: Allen & Moore, Utica; Spelts & K., Bellwood; G. L. Smith, Ulysses; C. L. Champion, Dorchester; Reynolds, Paul & Co., Raymond.

Mr. Tiedgen, of Tiedgen & Reimers, Munson, was here and sold 262 head of choice corn-fed cattle of his own feeding. It was the best bunch of cattle that has been in the yards for some time, and 183 of them sold for $4.70, which is considerably higher than anything that has sold on this market for a long while.

On the market with hogs: H. H. Dorsey & Co., Mead; J. M. Abraham, Valley; Files & Co., Cedar Rapids; Fuller & Paton, Fullerton; Morse & Co., Benton; Morse, Rogers & Co., Dowling & Purcell, South Bend; F. C. Hawks, Kiene & Mallonev, Cedar Rapids; Davis & Co., Emerson; F. J. Hale, Battle Creek; Weeks & Bebee, Ripp & Lampert, Humphreys; M. Kilner, Madison; H. R. Falkner, Gothenburg; Thomas Harris, Central City; J. G. Nordgreen, Chapmans; Snell & Agnew, Ashland.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS

General Produce.

Tuesday Evening, Sept. 28.

The following prices are for round lots of produce, as sold on the market to-day. The quotations on fruits represent the prices at which outside orders are filled.

EGGS—The market was very active during the early part of the week. Receipts since yesterday have been more liberal and prices are not quite as firm. 17c is about outside figure obtainable for strictly fresh, candled stock.

BUTTER—The demand for first class table butter continues very brisk, while lower grades are dull and neglected. Fine creamery and dairy meets with ready sale at quotations. Fresh creamery, 22@24c; fresh dairy, 18@20c; choice country rolls, 18@20c; choice country solid packed, 17@18c; good country roll, 16@17c; fair country solid packed, 11@14c; common, 8@9c.

CHEESE—Fancy full cream cheddars, 12c; fancy full cream flats, two in box, 12½c; fancy full cream young Americas, four in box, 13½@14c; fancy Swiss, 15c; choice, 14c; brick, 12½@13c; Limburg, 12c.

POULTRY—The market is well supplied with live chickens and sales are dragging. There have been a few consignments of dressed chickens in the market which met with rather slow sale, owing to the warm weather. Live—Chickens, old, per doz, $2.50@2.50; spring chickens, $2.00@2.25; ducks, 2.50@2.75; turkeys, 8c; crowders, 6c; geese, $6.00@8.00. Dressed—Chickens, choice per lb, 10c; fair to good, 8@9c; ducks, choice, 11c; geese, 11c; turkeys, 12@13c.

GAME—The weather has again turned warm and the game trade is somewhat weak. Good sound prairie chickens hold about their own, while ducks are extremely dull and low. Prospects favor a very brisk trade in prairie chickens at higher figures as soon as cold weather sets in. Prairie chickens, $2.00@2.50 per dozen; quail, $1.25@1.50; snipe, plover, etc., $1.00@1.25; ducks, (Mallard), $1.50@1.75; ducks, (Teal), $1.00@1.25; ducks, mixed, 75c@$1.00; geese, $2.50@3.50; deer, saddles, per lb, 11@12c; deer, carcasses, per lb., 7@8c; antelope, saddles, 12@13c; antelope, carcasses, 7@8c; elk, saddles, 10@11c; elk, carcasses, 6@7c; jack rabbits, per doz., $3.00@4.00; small, per doz., $1.00@1.25.

OYSTERS.—The exceedingly warm weather of the past few days has had the effect of cutting down the oyster trade. It is as good as could be expected at this season of the year. Prices remain the same as last week. The following are the prices at which country orders are filled: Mediums, 30c; standard, 35c; selects, 40c; extra selects, 45c.

POTATOES—There is very little demand for potatoes just at present, dealers being mostly supplied by local farmers and are not ready yet to lay in their winter stock. The outlook, however, for the month of October is quite favorable. From 150 to 200 car loads of potatoes will be needed to supply the local trade; and no doubt a good many more cars to go to points where the crop is almost a total failure. They are selling in a small way at 50@55c per bushel.

ONIONS—Receipts are more liberal and market not quite as firm as a week ago. Onions, fancy, in bulk, per bushel, $1.10@1.25; good, per bushel, 90c@$1.00; choice, from store, per bbl., $3.25.

GRAPES—Prices are higher, on home grown grapes, and still higher prices are anticipated as the season draws to a close and the supply diminishes. The following are the prices at which outside orders for choice stock are filled: Shipping stock, per lb., 4½c; 10 lb. baskets, 40c. A car load of extra choice New York grapes has arrived in the market and met with very good sale at about the following prices: Concords 8@10lb baskets 40@45c. Delawares, 5lb baskets, 55@60c. Martha 5lb baskets 65@70c. Rogers 5lb baskets 50@55c.

GRAIN—Corn, 25c; new oats, 25c; rye, 40c; **wheat, No. 2, 55c.**

SWEET POTATOES—Choice home grown, per lb., 2c; Jersey, per bbl., $4.50.

CABBAGE—There is a fair demand for choice cabbage at 50@75c per doz. heads.

APPLES—Michigan, fancy eating, per bbl, $2.75@3.00; Michigan, assorted eating, per bbl, $2.50; Michigan, assorted varieties, ten-barrel lots, per bbl $2.40; Missouri, choice eating, per bbl $2.50@2.75; Missouri, assorted varieties, five and ten-barrel lots, per bbl $2.25@1.50.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, fancy, per bbl $8.50; Jersey, choice, $7.50; Wisconsin, $7.25.

BANANAS—Choice stock has been scarce lately; per bunch, $2.00@3.00.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—Clear pears, per box, $3.00.

LEMONS—Choice, 360 size, per box $8.50; fancy bar Malaris, 360 size, per box $10.00.

ORANGES—A consignment of Jamaica oranges arrived in the market this week. They are good bright stock. Jamaica, per box, $6.50; per bbl., $12.50.

UTAH FRUITS—The receipts of Utah fruits have not been heavy the past week. Pears, 40 lb boxes $8.00@3.25; Peaches, 20 lb boxes, $1.50@1.75; Plums, $1.00@1.25.

MICHIGAN PEACHES—The supply on the market is light and better prices are being obtained. The shipments are gradually falling off. The following are the prices at which outside orders are filled: Baskets, according to size, 75c@$1.00; crates, 4 baskets, $3.00@3.50.

MELONS—A few are still coming in, but the demand is light and they are slow sale.

CELERY—Kalamazoo per doz., 40@45c.

MAPLE SUGAR—Strictly pure, 50-lb boxes, 13c per pound; strictly pure, 10-lb tin pails, 14c per pound; choice 5c bricks, 25-lb boxes, 12c per pound; choice penny cakes, 25-lb boxes, 12½c per pound.

HONEY—Nebraska, choice, white clover, 13@16c.; Nebraska, dark, 12@14c.; California, 1-lb sections, 15c.; California, 24-lb frames, 12@12½c.

BEANS—The market is almost cleaned up. Nice clean beans in fair request. H. P. Navy, $1.70@1.75; H. P. Medium, $1.50@1.65; choice clean country, $1.25@1.50; good clean country, 90@$1.00; inferior, 60@75c.

PROVISIONS—Ham, sugar-cured, 14@18½c; boneless, 50-lb boxes, 11½c; picnic ham, 10½c; breakfast bacon, sugar-cured, 9½c; shoulders, sugar-cured, 8c; clear side bacon, 9@9¼c; dry salted sides, 8¼c; dried beef (hams), 15c; dried beef (regular), 13c; lard, 40-lb cans, Fairbanks, 8¼c; 10, 5 and 3-lb pails, Fairbank's, 8½@9c.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS—Winter wheat flour, best quality patent, $3.80; second quality, $2.40@$2.80; best quality spring wheat flour, patent, $2.75; bran, 50c per cwt; chopped feed, 80c per cwt; white corn meal, $1.00; yellow corn meal, 90c per cwt; screening, 60c per cwt; hominy, $2.00 per cwt; shorts, 55c per cwt; graham, $1.60; hay, in bales, $5.00@7.00 per ton.

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PICKLES—Medium, in bbls, $5.50; do in half bbls, $3.00; small, in bbls, $7.00; do in half bbls, $4.25; gherkins, in bbls, $8.00; do in half bbls, $4.75.

SYRUPS—No. 70, 4-gallon kegs, $1.22; New Orleans, 38@40c per gallon; Maple Syrup, ½ barrel, strictly pure, 70c per gallon; 1 gallon cans, $2.25 per doz.; ½ gallon can $1.25 per, s doz; quart cans, $3.00.

SUGARS—Powdered, 7½c; cut loaf, 7@7¼c; granulated, 6¾c; confectioners' A, 6¾c; standard extra C, 6@6¼c; extra C, 5½@5¾c; medium yellow, 5¼@5¾c.

ROPE—¼ inch, 9½c; ⅜ inch, 10½c; ½ inch, 10½c.

DRIED FRUITS—No. 1 quarter apples, 8½@4c; in evaporated boxes, 9½@9¾c; blackberries, boxes, 8½@c; peaches, eastern, 4½@5¼c peaches, evaporated, 15½@17c; Salt Lake, none in mayket; raspberries, new, 18@19c; currents, 7¼@7½c; prunes, new, 4¾@4¾c.

STARCH—Mirror gloss, 1 lb, 5½c; Mirror gloss, 3 lb, 5½c; Mirror gloss, 6 lb, 6¾c; Graves' corn, 1 lb, 6c; Kingsford's corn, 1 lb, 7c; Kingsford's gloss, 1 lb, 7c; Kingsford's gloss, 6 lb, 7¾c; Kingsford's pure, 3 lb, 8½c; Kingsford's bulk, 4c.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters, standard, per cas, $3.30; strawberries, 2 lb, per case, $2.10; raspberries, 2 lb per case, $2.10; California pears, per case, $4.50; apricots, per case, $4.00; peaches, per case, $5.30; white cherries, per case, $4.00; plums, per case, $3.75; blueberries, per case, $1.85; egg plums, 2 lb, per case, $3.50; pineapples, 2 lb, per case, $3.90 @5.50; 1 lb mackerel, per doz. $1.20; 1 lb salmon per doz, $1.55@1.60; 2 lb gooseberies, per case, $1.75; 2 lb string beans, per case, $1.70; 2 lb lima beans, per case, $1.60; 2 lb marrowfat peas, per case, $2.40; 2 lb early June peas, per case, $2.75; 3 lb tomatoes, per case, $2.15@2.25; 2 lb corn, per case, $1.90 @2.10; 2 lb corn beef, per doz, $1.70@2.00.

COFFEES—Ordinary grades, 11@11½c; fair, 11@12½c; prime, 12½@13c; choice, 13@13½c; fancy green and yellow, 13½@14½c; old government Java, 30@32c; interior Java, 16½@20c; Mocha, 22@25c; Arbuckle's roasted, 16½c; McLaughlin's XXXX roasted, 16½c; Dilworth's, 16c; Red Cross, 16½c.

TOBACCO—Plug, 'climax, 42; horseshoe, 37c; star, 59c; spear head, 39c; piper heidsick, 60c; gold shield, 34c; merry war, 25c; J. T. J., 32c.

TOBACCO—Smoking, Durham, 1s 51c; ⅛s, 54c; ¼s, 57c; ½s, 60c; meerschum, 39c; old style, 22c; N. N. O., 15c; spirit cured, 45c.

SOAPS—Kirk's Savon Imperial, $2.70; Kirk's satinet, $3.00; Kirk's standard, $3.05; Kirk's white Russian, $4.60; Kirk's White Can, $6.50; Dome, $5.85; Washboard, $3.10, White Cloud, $3.75.

MATCHES—Per caddie, 28c; round, per case, $1.00; square cases, $1.70; mule square, $1.20.

CANDY—Mixed, 9½@12c; stick, 8½@9½c.

CRACKERS—Garmean's soda, butter and picnic, 5½c; creams, 8½c; ginger snaps, 8½c; city soda, 7½c.

DRIED FRUITS—No 1 quarter apples, 8½@4c; in evaporated boxes, 9½@9¾c; blackberries, boxes, 8½@c; peaches, eastern, 4½@5¼c peaches, evaporated, 15½@17c; Salt Lake none in market; raspberries, new, 18@19c; currants, 7¼@7½c; prunes, new, 4¾@4¾c.

General Markets.

WOOL—Medium, 17@18c per lb; fine heavy, 13@15c; light, 14@17c; coarse, 13@15c; burry wool, 2@3c off.

HIDES—Green butchers, 6½@7c; green cured, 8½@8½c; dry flint, 11@13c; dry salt, 9@10c; damaged hides two-thirds price. Tallow—3c. Grease, prime white, 3c; yellow, 2c; brown, 1½c. Sheep Pelts, 25@75c.

LEATHER—Prime slaughter sole leather, 32c; prime oak sole leather, 36@38c. Upper leather per foot, 20@25c; hem, kip, 75@85c; oak kip, 85@95c; French kip, $1.00@1.20; hem, calf, $1.00@1.10; oak calf, $1.00@1.25; French calf, $1.25@1.80; Morocco boot leg, 30@32c; Morocco oil pebble, 28@32c, toppings and linings, 60@90c.

HEAVY HARDWARE—Iron, rate, $2.25; low steel special cast, 4c; crucib lesteel, 6c; cast tools do, 12@15c; wagon spokes per set, $1.75@3.00; hubs, per set $1.25; felloes, sawed dry, $1.40; tongues, each, 75c; axles, each, 75c; square nuts, per lb, 7@11c; coil chain, per lb, 6@12c; malleable, 6@8c; iron wedges, 6c; crowbars, 6c; harrow teeth, 4c; spring steel, 7@8c; Burden's horseshoes, $4.40; Burden's mule shoes, $5.40. Barbep wire, in car lots, $4.00 per 100 lbs, ron1 Nails, rates, 10 to 50, $2.50; steel nails, $2.65; Shot—$1.65; buckshot, $1.85; oriental powder, kegs, $2.50; do, half kegs, $2.00; do, quarter kegs, $1.50; blasting, kegs, $2.55 fuse, per 10 feet, 65c. Lead Bar, $10.

PAINTS IN OIL.—Whitead, Omaha, P. P. ⅛c; white lead, St. Louis, pure, $7.75; Marseilles green, 1 to 5 lb cans, 2c; French zinc, green seal, 12c; French zinc, red seal, 11c; French zinc, in varnish asst, 20c; French zinc, 75c; vermillion, American, 18c; Indian red, 10c; rose pink, 14c; Venetian red, Cookson's, 2¾c; Venetian red, American, 1¾c; red lead, 7½c; chrome yellow, genuine, 30c; chrome yellow, K., 12c; ochre, roche le, 3c; ochre, French, 2½c; ochre, American, 1½c; Winter's mineral, 2½c; Lehigh brown, 2½c; Spanish brown, 2½c; Prince's mineral, 2c.

VARNISHES—Barrels, per gallon: Furniture, extra, $1.10; furniture, No. 1, $1.00; coach extra, $1.40; coach, No. 1, $1.20; Damar, extra, $1.75; Japan, 70c; asphaltum, extra, 58c; shellac, $3.50; hard oil finish, $1.50.

SPIRITS—Cologne spirits, 188 proof, $1.16; do 101 proof, $1.