THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Heaviness the Ruling Feature on Chicago Board of Trade.

WHEAT DROPS IN CONSEQUENCE.

Corn and Oats Follow the Leader—The Provision Pit Nervous Over Labor Troubles at the Yards—Quotations.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—A feeling of more or less heaviness seemed to overhang the early market and made prices about ¼c lower throughout the grain list and 5c off on provisions. December wheat opened at 74⅝c, sold at 74⅝c, then up to 74¾c, and settled back around 74⅝c. The fresh receipts were 358 cars, 311 of them being spring wheat. There were 507 cars of corn in, which were considered heavy receipts for one day. May opened at 42½c, against a close last night at 42⅝@42¾c. The heavy feature in the provision market was receipts of 30,000 head of hogs. Speculative prices were easier, January pork opening at $10.25 and January lard at $6.02½. Early trading was inclined to be rather spiritless. The big traders were evidently of the opinion that wheat would probably go lower, for they said or did very little to sustain values. Up to 10:30 there was very little movement away from 74⅝c for December. May corn dropped to 42¼@42⅜c, while January pork advanced to $10.30. Before noon wheat got down to 74⅛c for December, but it was not because of any special attempt or disposition to bear the market. The tone was contributed rather by indisposition in any direction to support things, and therefore the tendency was naturally and easily downward. The whole range in the active option was within ¼c and during the morning session no house distinguished itself in any way. There was the usual volume of trade in a local scalping way, but much less than ordinary was contributed on outside orders from any direction. News affecting prices was also very scarce. The great bulk of operators in the corn pit wanted to sell, which unanimity of opinion on the market was reflected in a steadily declining scale of prices, though from all appearances May was no weaker at 42⅛c than it was at 42½c. At no time were prices as high in this or other things as they were yesterday. Pork was a little excited on the board this morning, January selling at the start at $10.35. The pit, however, is exceedingly nervous. In the last two days Charles Wright, one of the big scalpers, has covered from 30,000 to 40,000 barrels, and Cudahy took in half as much yesterday. Wright is known to be bearish, but he, with all the rest of the shorts, has been made timid by the prospect of a general strike at the yards that would close up the houses temporarily right in the midst of the regular packing season. The price eased up this morning when it was seen by the dispatches from the yards that all were buyers, and that all the houses were killing. If this agitation at the stock yards should cease and the men there settle down steadily to their work, pork, it is believed, would drop rapidly until it lost all the advance of the past few days.

In the afternoon wheat was firm and a shade higher on buying against privileges. There were no exports to speak of and very little outside demand. Trading was restricted to operations by the scalpers. Corn was quiet and a shade easier. Provisions were also quiet. Wheat, steady; 73c, November; 74c, December; 75⅛c, January; 81½c, May. Corn, firm; 35⅝c, November; 36⅝c, December; 37c, January; 42c, May. Oats, easier; 25⅝c, November; 26⅝c, December. Pork, steady; $9.90, November; $9.30, December; $10.15@10.17½, January. Lard, easier; $5.92½, November; $5.97½, December; $6.02½, January. Short ribs, lower; $5.30, January; $5.20@5.22½, February.

2:45 p. m.—Puts on December wheat, 74@74⅛c; calls, 74⅝c. Puts on May corn, 41⅞c @41⅝c; calls, 42⅛c@42¼c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—CATTLE.—There was little or no change in the general situation to-day. The receipts are moderate, about 12,000 less than for the same time last week. Orders on shipping account are light and buyers from other markets are not taking half the number they did last week. Texans and rangers have dwindled down to small numbers, consisting mainly of culls, cows and odds and ends of the closing season, all of which are selling as cheap as dirt. The stocker and feeder trade is remarkably slow and dull, and there has not been a sale of stock calves in two days. Shipping steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs., $4.50@5.30; 1200 to 1350 lbs., $4.10@4.50; 950 to 1200 lbs, $3.35. Through Texas cattle, weak; scallawags and cows, $1.50@2.25; steers, $2.40@3.05. Western rangers, steady; natives and half-breeds, $2.75@3.70; cows, $2.25@2.70; wintered Texans, $2.75@3.15. Sales: 57 Montanas, 1344 lbs, $3.70; 37 cows, 1151 lbs, $2.50; 193 Wyomings, 1204 lbs, $3.30; 49 Wyomings, 1006 lbs, $3.15; 42 Wyoming Texans, 951 lbs, $3.15; 252 Wyoming Texans, 952 lbs, $3.00; 40 Wyomings, 1057 lbs, $3.00; 46 Wyoming Texans, 1156 lbs, $2.75; 116 Wyoming Texans, 1004 lbs, $2.60; 379 Montanas, 1221 lbs, $2.85; 120 Montanas, 1164 lbs, $2.85; 99 Montanas, 1150 lbs, $2.85.

HOGS—The market opened active, with an upturn of 5@10c on nearly all grades. The advance was brought about by the competition of speculators. Rough and common sold at $3.50@3.75, good mixed, $3.80@3.90, and best heavy $3.95@4.00. Light sorts sold at $4.00@4.05 for Yorkers and $3.75@3.90 for common and fair grades.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—MONEY—On call, active at 2@3 per cent, closing at 3 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@5 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Dull but strong at $4.80¼ for sixty day bills; $4.84 for demand.

GOVERNMENTS—Government bonds were dull but steady.

STOCKS—The general tenor of news received upon the street to-day was favorable to higher prices for stocks, and the general disposition of the street is in that direction. The opening was generally heavy, although changes from last evening's final prices were generally for insignificant fractions only. Early trading was marked by heaviness over almost the entire list. Consolidated gas, the San Francisco stocks, and Richmond & West Point being notable exceptions. The market continued alternately heavy and firm, with very little feature, the general tendency being downward until the close.

STOCKS ON WALL STREET.

3 per cent bonds	100¾	C. & N. W.	117¾
U. S. 4½'s	111¾	preferred	141¾
New 4's	126½	N. Y. C.	118
Pacific 6's of '95	126½	Oregon Tran.	35¾
Central Pacific	47¾	Pacific Mail	55¼
C. & A.	144	P. D. & E.	22½
preferred	160	P. P. C.	148
C. R. & Q.	138½	Rock Island	127¾
D. L. & W.	141½	St. L. & S. F.	84¾
D. & R. G.	22¾	preferred	70
Erie	35⅝	C., M. & St. P.	94
preferred	76	preferred	120¼
Illinois Central	134	St. P. & O.	50
L. & W.	19¾	preferred	113
Kansas & Texas	35⅛	Texas Pacific	21¾
Lake Shore	95½	Union Pacific	60⅛
L. & N.	56⅛	W., St. L. & P.	19
Mich. Central	95½	preferred	35⅛
Mo. Pacific	117¼	Western Union	78¾
Northern Pac.	28⅝	O., R. & N.	107¾
preferred	62⅝		

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—Flour—Quiet and unchanged; 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—Dull and lower, closing ½c lower for cash and ⅝c for futures; cash, 73c; December 74⅝c; January, 75⅛c; May, 81¼c.

Corn—Dull, opening ¼c below yesterday's close and closed ⅜c below; cash, 35⅝c; December, 36⅝c; January 37c; May, 42c.

Oats—Dull and slow; about ½c lower; cash, 25¾c; December, 26 11-16c; May, 30⅝c.

Rye—Firm at 51c.

Barley—Dull at 52c.

Timothy seed—Prime, $1.65@1.66.

Flax-seed—97c.

Whisky—$1.18.

Pork—Moderately active; tame at opening, declining 5@7½c, rallied 15@17½, later gradually weakened and settled back 17½@20c for cash and December and shade lower for January; cash and December, $9.30; January, $10.15@10.17.

Lard—Market firm and prices about steady; cash, $5.92½; December, $5.97½; January, 6.02½.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $5.10@5.20; short clear, $6.40@6.45; short ribs, $5.30 for January.

Butter—Steady; creamery, 15@25c; dairy, 13@18c.

Cheese—Steady; full-cream cheddars, 11¼@11½c; flats, 11½@12c; young Americas, 11½@12¼c; skims, 5@8c.

Eggs—15½@18c.

Hides—Heavy green salted, fully cured, 8@8¼c; light, do, 8½@8⅝c; damaged, 7@7¾c; bull hides, 6½c; dry salted, 11@12c; dry flint, 13@14c; calf skins, 8@10½c; deacons, 50c each.

Tallow—No. 1 country, 3½@3¾c; No. 2, 3c; cake, 3⅝c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	17,000	26,000
Wheat, bu	61,000	21,000
Corn, bu	80,000	102,000
Oats, bu	71,000	101,000
Rye, bu	2,000	1,000
Barley, bu	35,000	39,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Wheat—Lower, closing heavy; receipts, 275,000; exports, 71,000; ungraded red, 81@85½c; No. 3 red, 82@82½c in elevator, 83½c afloat; No. 1 red, 88c; No. 2 red, 83⅝c in elevator, 84½@85c afloat; December closing at 85½c.

Corn—Lower, closing heavy; receipts, 174,000; exports, 36,000; ungraded, 45½@46½c; No. 3, 46c; new No. 2, 45½@46c in elevator, 46½@46½c afloat; December closing at 46⅝c.

Oats—Lower but fairly active; receipts, 89,000; exports, 445; mixed western, 32@34c; white western, 35@40c.

Petroleum—United closed at 66⅝c.

Eggs—Stronger and demand fair; western, 22@23c.

Pork—Quiet but firm; mess pork was quoted at $9.75@10.00 for old; $10.37½@10.75 for new.

Lard—Opened higher but closed with advance lost; western steam spot, $6.23@6.27½.

Butter—Firm with fair request; western, 12@25c.

Cheese—Firmer and quiet.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 4.—Weak weak and closed lower for futures; No. 1 hard, cash, 73c; December, 73½c; January, 75c; No. 1 northern, 70c cash; 71½c December; 73c January 76c; No. 2 northern, cash, 68c; December, 59½c; January, 71c.

Flour—Quiet but steady; patents, $4.10@4.25; bakers, $3.10@3.25.

Receipts—Wheat, 194,000 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 47,000 bu; flour, 20,000 bbls.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 4.—Wheat—Weak; cash, 71½c; December, 72c; January, 73¼c.

Corn—Quiet; No. 2, 35c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2, 26c.

Rye—Steady; No. 1, 52c.

Barley—Steadier; No. 2, 52½c.

Provisions—Steady.

Pork—November and December, $9.30.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 4.—Wheat—Dull and lower; No. 2 red, 76@76½c.

Corn—Easier; No. 2 mixed, 36c.

Oats—Firmly held; No. 2, mixed, 28c.

Rye—Firmer; No. 2, 53@54c.

Pork—Slow at $9.50@9.57.

Lard—Firm; steam, $5.95.

Whisky—Firm at $1.13.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 4.—Wheat—Weak and lower; No. 2 red, cash, 74⅞c; December, 75⅝c; January, 77⅝c; May, 85½@85⅝c.

Corn—Weak and lower; No. 2 mixed, cash, 34¼@34⅜c; December, 34⅜c; January, 35c; May, 39c.

Oats—Weak; No. 2 mixed, cash, 25¼@26c; November, 25⅜c; December, 26¼c; May, 30⅝c.

Rye—Easy at 48¼@49c.

Whisky—$1.13.

Pork—Strong at $9.25@9.27½.

Lard—Firm at $5.85@5.90.

Butter—Active and steady; creamery, 24@25c; dairy, 12@20c.

Afternoon Board—Wheat—Futures, ⅛@¼c higher. Corn—¼@⅜c lower. Oats—A shade easier.

TOLEDO, Nov. 4.—Wheat—Dull and weak; cash, 77c.

Corn—Weak; cash, 37½c bid.

Oats—Neglected.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 4.—Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 red, cash, 62½c; December, 61½c bid; May, 70c bid.

Corn—Lower; cash, 29⅞c; December, 30¼c; May, 35⅞c.

Oats—No quotations.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 4.—Corn—Steady.

Oats—Quiet.

Cornmeal—Easier at $2.15.

Hog Products—In good demand at fair prices.

Pork—$9.50@9.62½.

Lard—$6.00.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $5.25; long clear and clear ribs, $6.50.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 4.—Wheat—In poor demand and dull; New, No. 2, winter, 6s 8½d; spring, 6s 8d.

Flour—In poor demand but steady at 8s 7d.

Corn—In poor demand and dull; spot, November and December, 4s 4d; January, 4s 3½d.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—The Drover's Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 7,000; steady; shipping steers, $3.35@5.30; stockers and feeders, $1.90@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.25@2.90; bulls, $2.00@2.20; through Texas cattle weak; steers, $2.40@3.05; western rangers, steady; natives and half-breeds, $2.75@3.70; cows, $2.25@2.70; wintered Texans, $2.75@3.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; active and 5@10c higher; rough and mixed, $3.50@3.80; packing and shipping, $3.80@4.05; light, $3.50@4.05; skips, $2.50@3.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; steady; natives, $2.00@3.75; western, $3.00@3.50; Texans, $2.00@4.00; lambs, $2.75@4.50.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,600; shipments, 300; market reacted, active quick clearances being made at strong figures; choice native steers, $3.30@4.80; medium to good shippers, $3.50@4.30; butchers' steers, fair to choice, $3.10@4.15; feeders, fair to good, $2.50@3.25; stockers, fair to good, $2.10@2.80.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; shipments, 2,000; butchers and light grades active and stronger, packing grades dull and weak; choice heavy and butchers' selections, $3.90@4.10; packers, fair to best, $3.70@3.90; Yorkers, medium to extra choice, $3.75@4.00; pigs, common to good, $2.75@3.70.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; shipments, none; good, steady; others, slow and weak; good to choice, $4.10@4.60; common to medium, $3.30@4.00; stockers, $2.25@2.75; feeding steers, $2.80@3.60; cows, $1.50@2.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; shipments, 200; weak and 5@10c lower; good to choice, $3.85 @4.00; common to medium, $3.60@3.80.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Thursday Evening, Nov. 4.

Cattle—There are no new features in the cattle market. The receipts of western range cattle were light and few selling. There were a few small bunches of butchers' stock sold. Corn-fed cattle were in very fair request, and the fresh arrivals of choice stock sold readily. There was considerable inquiry for feeders, but it was difficult for the buyers and sellers to get together on prices.

Hogs—The hog market opened up slow in the morning, but livened up later in the day. The market was about steady with yesterday. The receipts were not quite as heavy as yesterday.

Sheep—The fresh receipts were not heavy and the market not very active.

RECEIPTS.

Cattle	700
Hogs	1,200
Sheep	400

Prevailing Prices.

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

Choice steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs	$4.25@4.50
Choice steers, 1100 to 1350 lbs	3.75@4.30
Medium steers, 1250 to 1350 lbs	3.60@4.15
Good feeders	2.90@3.00
Good to choice corn-fed cows	2.00@3.00
Range cows	2.25@2.50
Fair to medium grass cows	2.00@2.25
Good to choice bulls	1.50@1.75
Light and medium hogs	3.50@3.65
Good to choice heavy hogs	3.50@3.65
Good to choice mixed hogs	3.45@3.50
Rough throw outs	2.50@3.00
Good to choice sheep	2.75@3.25
Fair to good sheep	2.25@2.50

Representative Sales.

CORN-FED STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
18	1190	$4.15	29	1230	$4.35
98	1350	4.25			

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
22	923	$3.00	21	1097	$3.85

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
34	1571	$1.50			

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
48	879	$2.25	13	962	$2.50

STAGS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
3	1120	$2.10	2	1470	$3.00
1	910	2.10			

SHEEP

No.	Av.	Pr
128	78	$2.50

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
55	304	200	$3.45	64	256	120	$3.55
55	254	80	3.46	58	286	120	3.55
64	246	120	3.47½	67	242	200	3.55
14	337	40	3.50	56	283	120	3.55
52	254	160	3.50	65	306	200	3.55
61	250	320	3.50	72	236	360	3.55
57	258	120	3.50	48	291	80	3.60
78	273	280	3.50	128	274	80	3.60
59	288	200	3.52½	47	286	160	3.60
66	270	240	3.52½	62	281	120	3.60
60	265	160	3.52½	56	288	230	3.60
61	267	200	3.55	49	315	80	3.60
67	265	100	3.55	12	295	....	3.65
57	218	...	3.55	53	324	40	3.65
57	317	160	3.55	60	316	80	3.65

THROW OUTS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
1	370	...	$3.00	3	426	40	$3.25
10	342	240	3.15	2	480	80	3.25
1	440	...	3.15	3	550	160	3.35
3	390	80	3.25				

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 year:

	Sept. 1886.	Oct. 1886.	Oct. 1885.
29th	4.30 @4.40	3.65 @3.80	3.10 @3.15
30th	4.10 @4.30	3.65 @3.80	3.15 @3.22½
31st		Sunday.	3.10 @3.20
	Oct.	Nov.	Nov.
1st	3.80 @4.15	3.65 @3.70	Sunday
2nd	3.80 @4.25		
3rd	Sunday	3.50 @3.65	
4th	4.10 @4.25	3.45 @3.65	3.12½@3.15

Shipments.

Showing the number of cars of cattle, hogs and sheep shipped from South Omaha during the day:

CATTLE.

No. cars.	Route.	Destination.
26	R. I.	Chicago
5	B. & M.	Beatrice
2	B. & M.	Friend

HOGS.

No. Cars.	Route.	Destination.
1	C. B. & Q.	Chicago

All sales of stock in this market are made per cwt. live weight unless otherwise stated. Dead hogs sell at ¼c 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.

Hog market steady.

Corn-fed steers sold well.

Hogs averaged 62 to the car.

There is a fair demand for native butchers stock.

C. B. Havens, North Bend, had three loads of sheep at the yards.

Hogs sold to-day at 50c per hundred more than last year at this time.

N. M. Goodle & Son, of Fairbury, Neb., was here looking for feeders.

G. W. Julian, Casey, Ia., was here and marketed two loads of hogs.

J. L. Ritter, of Morse, Rogers & Co., North Bend, was a visitor at the yards.

Melton & Grader, Red Rock, had twenty-eight loads of cattle on the market.

M. H. Larned, Guide Rock, Neb., was here and sold two cars of cattle at satisfactory prices.

J. F. Davison, Kimball, Dak., was here looking over the market with a view to shipping stock cattle here.

H. L. Lydick, Tekamah, was here and marketed five loads of corn-fed cattle. Mr. Dunlap was here with him.

The Union Rendering company have given notice that on and after November 8 they will decline to take the crippled hogs at any standard price, but remain in the market as buyers at standard prices.

On the market with hogs: R. B. Gammel, Herman; Dorsey Bros., Weston; J. F. Lower, Stromsburg; F. Dunning & Co., Shelby; Downing & Purcell, North Bend; C. C. Clifton, Colon; J. R. Reynolds, Atlantic; Dickman & Glass, Persia; Stitt & Bryant, Coin, Ia.; Clark Bros., Council Bluffs; Alder & Shaffer, Atkinson; M. Killner, Madison; Thos. Wollesen, Calhoun; A. R. London & Co., Mason; Holdrege L. S. Co., Holdrege; H. Ford, Marquette; E. E. Silbers, Sutton; Snell & Agnew and James Danley, Ashland.

The commission men and other parties, interested in the appointment of a public inspector, held a meeting this afternoon. The committee, appointed a week ago, reported rules which were adopted, and another committee was appointed to obtain the signatures of all the commission men and buyers to the rules. Another meeting will be held on Saturday afternoon, at which an executive committee will be appointed with power to employ a public inspector. Each load of hogs will be charged 15c for inspection, the same as in Chicago.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

General Produce.

Thursday, Nov. 4.

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 receipts of fresh stock are not large and the market is steady at 20c. A good many cold storage eggs are coming in, which are generally selling at 19c, which keeps the market down.

BUTTER—The butterine law went into effect on the first of the month, and is being strictly enforced. It has had a tendency to increase the demand for butter. Fresh creamery, 28@30c; fresh dairy, 18@20c; choice country roll, 18@20c; choice country, solid packed, 17@18c; good country roll, 16@17c; good country, solid packed, 15@16c; Fair, 11@14c; common, 4@9.

CHEESE—Full—cream cheddars, single, 12¼c, full cream flats, twins, 13c; Young American, 13¾c; fancy Swiss, 14@15c; Swiss, imported, 25@27; Limburger, 12½; brick, 13c.

POULTRY—The market is not very active. The receipts of live poultry are not heavy and they sell slow. The weather has been too warm for handling dressed poultry to the best advantage. Old chickens, choice, per doz., $2.00@2.50; spring chickens, $2.00@2.50; ducks, $2.50@2.75; turkeys, $7.00@9.00; geese, $6.00@8.00. Dressed poultry, chickens, per lb, 8@9c.

POTATOES—There is now a brisk demand for straight cars of strictly choice potatoes at 50@55c per bushel. Mixed varieties, small, or otherwise inferior stock continues very dull and will not sell for more than 45c.

ONIONS—The demand is not heavy and they are selling in a small way: Choice stock, per bu., 80@1.00.

CABBAGE—The market is fairly well supplied: Choice stock, per doz., 40@50c.

APPLES—Prices on choice apples are holding up very well. Missouri apples are in very liberal supply. The following quotations are for apples well packed in barrels: choice Missouri stock, $2.00@2.25; Michigan, $2.50@2.75; fancy Michigan, $3.00@3.25.

CELERY—A great amount of very poor stock has been coming in, which has been sold for what it would bring. Prices on choice stock remains about the same as last week: Choice stock, per doz., 35@40c; extra large, per doz., 40@45c.

OYSTERS—The trade is in very much the same condition as last week on account of the continued warm weather. Prices are low and dealers are well supplied with the choicest stock. Orders from the outside are being filled in good shape: Mediums, 25c; standards, 30; selects, 35c; N. Y. counts, 40c.

CALIFORNIA FRUITS—Stray shipments of California fruits continue to arrive, but in small quantities. Grapes, Tokays, $2.00; grapes, black, $2.00; pears, $3.00; plums, $1.75; quinces, $2.50.

LEMONS—Messina, per box $7.50; Malaga, $6.00.

SWEET POTATOES—The market is glutted with choice sweet potatoes. Very choice stock was sold this week at 1¼c and even lower: Choice shipping stock, per lb., 1@2c.

GRAPES—The market is fairly well supplied with New York grapes. New York, Concords, per 9-lb basket, 40@50c; Catawbas, 5-lb baskets, 50@55c; 10 lb baskets, 80c.

ORANGES—Jamaica, per box, $5.50@6.00; per bbl., $11.00; Florida oranges, per box, $6.00.

CRANBERRIES—Stocks are moving fairly well at the same quotations as last week. Cape cod, fancy, per bbl., $8.50; Jersey, choice, $7.50; Wisconsin, $7.50.

BANANAS—Bananas are selling at the same prices as last week. Bananas, yellow, per bunch, $2.00@2.50; bananas, yellow, large bunch, $2.50@3.50.

HONEY—Nebraska, choice, white clover, 15@16c; Nebraska, dark, 12@14c; California, 1 lb sections, 15c; California, 2 lb sections, 12½@14c.

MAPLE SUGAR—Bricks, per lb, 12½c; penny cakes, per lb, 15c.

MAPLE SYRUP—Bulk, 13 to 17 gal kegs, per gal, $1.00; gal cans, per gal, $1.05; ½ gal cans, per gal, $1.10.

CIDER—New York, per bbl, $6.50; New York, ½ bbl, $4.25; Crab, per doz qts, $2.75; Michigan refined, per bbl, $6.50.

VINEGAR—White wine, 13@15c; cider vinegar, 12@15c; single strength, 12c; triple strength, 15@18c.

PROVISIONS—Ham, 13c; picnic ham 9c; breakfast bacon, 10c; clear side bacon, 9@9¼c; dry salt sides, 8¼c; shoulders, 8c; dried beef, regular, 13c; dried beef, ham pieces, 15c; lard, 50 lb cans, 6⅞c; lard, 20 lb cans, Fairbanks, 7c; 10 lb cans, Fairbanks, 7¼c; 5 lb cans, Fairbanks, 7⅝c; 3 lb cans, Fairbanks, 7⅞c.

BEANS—Inferior stock, $0.75@1.00; good clean country, $1.00@1.25; medium, hand picked, $1.50@1.60; hand picked navy, $1.60 @1.65.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS—Winter wheat flour, best quality patent, $2.75; second quality, $2.40; best quality spring wheat flour, patent, $2.60; bran, 50c per cwt; chopped feed, 70c per cwt; white corn meal, 90c; yellow corn meal, 80c per cwt; screening, 60c per cwt; hominy, $2.00 per cwt; shorts, 55c per cwt; graham, $1.60; hay, in bales, $5.50@6.00 per ton.

GRAIN—Corn, 25c; new oats, 23c; rye 35c; wheat, No. 2, 55c.

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WOOL—Medium 18@20c per lb; fine heavy, 14@16c; light, 16@18c; coarse, 14@16c; burry wool, 2@5c off.

HIDES—Green butchers, 6½c; geeen cured, 8@8¼c; dry flint, 11@13c; dry salt, 9@10c; green calf skins, 9@9½c; damaged hides, two-thirds price. Tallow—3½c. Grease—Prime white, 3c; yellow, 2c; brown, 1¾. Sheep Pelts, 25@35c.

LEATHER—Prime slaughter sole leather, 32c; prime oak sole leather, 36@38c. Upper leather per foot, 20@25c; hem, kip, 25@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 $2.30; plow steel special cast, 4c; crucible steel, 6c; cast tools, do, 12@18c; wagon spokes, per set, $1.75@3.00; hubs, per set, $1.25; felloes, sawed dry, $1.50; tongues, each, 75c; axels each, 75c; square nuts, per lb, 10@71c; coil chain, per lb, 6@12c; malleable, 6@8c; iron wedges, 6c; crowbars, 6c; harrow teeth, 4c; spring steel, 7@8c; Burden's horse shoes, $4.40; Burden's mule shoes, $5.40. Barbed wire, in car lots, $4.00 per 100 lbs. 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, $2.35; fuse, per 10 feet, 65c. Lead bar, $10.

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 85c; shellac, $3.50; hard oil finish, $1.50.

SPIRITS—Cologne spirits, 188 proof, $1.17; do 101 proof, $1.18; spirits, second quality, 101 proof, $1.17; do 188 proof, $1.16. Alcohol, 188 proof, $2.18 per wine gallon. Redistilled whiskies, $1.00@1.50. Gin, blended, $1.50@2.00; Kentucky bourbons, $2.00@5.00; Kentucky and Pennsylvania ryes, $2.00@6.50; Golden Sheaf bourbon and rye whiskies, $1.50@3.00. Brandies, imported, $5.00@8.50; domestic, $1.30@3.00. Gins, imported, $4.50 @6.00; domestic, $1.25@3.00. Champagnes, imported, per case, $28.00@33.00; American, per case, $10.00@16.00.

PAINTS IN OIL—White lead, Omaha, P. P., 7½c; 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, 2⅝c; Venetian red, American, 1¼c; red lead, 7½c; chrome yellow, genuine, 20c; chrome yellow, K, 12c; ochre, rochelle, 3c; ochre, French, 2⅝c; ochre, American, 1½c; Winter's mineral, 2½c; Lehigh brown, 2½c; Spanish brown, 2½c; Prince's mineral, 3c.

DRY PAINTS—White lead, 8c; French zinc, 12c; Paris whiting, 2½c; whiting, gilders, 2⅝c; whiting, com'l, 1¼c; lampblack, Germantown, 12c; lampblack, ordinary, 8c; Prussian blue, 50c; ultramarine, 15c; vandyk-brown, 8c; umber, burnt, 4c; umber, raw, 4c; sienna, burnt, 4c; sienna, raw, 4c; Paris green, genuine, 25c. Paris green, common, 22c; chrome green, N. Y., 20c; chrome green K, 12c; vermillion, English, in oil, 75c; raw and burnt umber, 1 lb cans, 12c; raw and burnt sienna, 12c; vandyke brown, 13c; refined lampblack, 12c; coach black and ivory black, 16c; drop black, 16c; Prussian blue, 40c; ultramarine black, 18c; chrome green, L., M. & D., 16c; blind and shutter green, L., M. & D., 16c; Paris green, 18c; Indian red, 15c; Venetian red, 9c; Tuscan, 22c; American vermillion, L. & D., 20c; yellow ochre, 2c; L. M. & O. D., 18c; good ochre, 16c; patent dryer, 8c; graining color, light oak, dark oak, walnut, chestnut and ash, 12c.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS—Acid, carbolic, 32c; acid, tartaric, 52c; balsam copaiba, per lb, 43c; bark sassafras, per lb, 10c; calomel, per lb, 78c, chinchonidia, per oz, 40c; chloroform, per lb, 50c; Dover's powders, per lb, $1.25; epsom salts, per lb, 3½c; glycerine, pure, per lb, 25c; lead, acetate, per lb, 21c; oil, castor, No. 1, per gal., $1.50c; oil castor, No. 2, per gal., $1.40; oil, olive, per gal., $1.40; oil origanum, 50c; opium, $3.30; quinine, P. & W. and R. & S., per oz, 70c; potassium iodide, per lb, $2.85; salicin, per oz, 40c; sulphate morphine, per oz, $2.35; sulphur, per lb, 4c; strychnine, per oz, $1.25.

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PICKLES—Medium, in bbls, $6.50; do, in half bbls, $3.75; small, in bbls, $7.50; do, in half bbls, $4.25; cherkins, in bbls, $8.50; do, in half bbls, $4.75.

SYRUP—No. 70, 4-gallon kegs, $1.20; New Orleans, per gallon 38@46c; maple syrup, half bbls, "cold time," per gallon, 72c; 1 gallon cans, per doz, $10.00; half gallon cans, per doz, $5.00; quart cans, $3.00.

STARCH—Mirror glass, 1 lb, 5⅝c; mirror gloss, 3 lb, 5½c; mirror gloss, 6 lb, 6½c; Graves' corn, 1 lb, 6c; Kingsford's corn, 1 lb, 7c; Kingsford's gloss, 1 lb, 7c; Kingsford's gloss, 6 lb, 7½c; Kingsford's pure, 5 lb, 7¾c; Kingsfords bulk, 4c.

TOBACCO—Plug, climax, 42c; horseshoe, 37c; star, 38c; spearhead, 39c; piperhelidsieck, 60c; gold shield, 34c; merry war, 23c; J. T. J., 32c.

TOBACCO—Smoking, Durham, 1s, 51c; ⅛s, 51c; ¼s, 57c; ½s, 60c; meerschum, 30c; old style, 22c; V. N. O., 15c; spirit cured, 45c.

MATCHES—Per caddie, 28c; square cases, $1.70; mule square, $1.20.

CANDY—Mixed, 9@11½c; stick, 8½@9½c.

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

SOAPS—Kirk's savon imperial, $2.70; Kirk's satinet, $3.00; Kirk's standard, $3.05; Kirk's white Russian, $4.00; Kirk's white-cap, $6.50; dome, $5.85; washboard, $3.10; white cloud, $3.75.

ROPE—⅜ inch, 9¾c; ⅜ inch, 10½c; ½ inch, 10¾c.

DRIED FRUIT—No. 1 quarter apples, 3⅝@4c; in evaporated boxes, 9⅝@9¾c; blackberries, boxes, 9⅝@9¾c; peaches, Salt Lake, 1886, 7½@7¾c; peaches, evaporated, 15½@17c; raspberries, new, 19@19½c; currents, 6½@6¾c; prunes, new, 4¾@4½c.

SUGARS—Powdered, 7c; 7¼c; cut loaf, 6¾@7c; granulated, 6¼c; confectioners' A, 5¾@6c; standard extra C, 5⅝@5¾c; extra C, 5⅛@5½c; medium yellow, 4½@5c.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters, standard, per case, $3.50; strawberries, 2 lb, per case, $2.00; raspberries, 2 lb, per case, $2.00; California pears, per case, $4.50; apricots, per case, $4.00; peaches, per case, $5.25; white cherries, per case, $6.00; plums, per case, $3.65; blueberries, per case, $1.85; egg plums, 2 lb, per case, $2.50; pineapples, 2 lb, per case, $3.20@5.75; 1 lb mackerel, per doz, $1.30; 1 lb salmon, per doz, $1.50@1.60; 2 lb gooseberries, per case, $1.75; 3 lb string beans, per case, $1.70;