THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Prospects That the Big Local Operators Are Going to Make Another Winning.

CORN GETS SOME ATTENTION.

Prominent Scalpers Make an Onslaught on Pork—Cattle Prices Dull, Weak and Lower—A Boom in Hogs—Quotations.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—It begins to look as if the big local operators were going to make another winning. Wheat for about a month advanced so persistently when they sold and declined so certainly when they bought that it began to look as if Ream and others had lost or given away their mascot. But May wheat has now declined nearly 3c a bushel since the big operators here turned sellers. The crowd is actually beginning to get over its sympathy and to have a little respect for Ream again. Cables helped sellers again this morning. They described foreign sellers and buyers as a good ways apart. Ream at the opening was in the wheat pit and sold small lots of wheat liberally to all bidders. When the market was 85¾c he offered at 85¼@85⅝c and in that way by selling perhaps 250,000 bushels got the price down to 85⅛@85¼c. Each little decline now puts the big shorts at a bigger advantage, as their profits are accruing and their confidence increasing in proportion. After Ream had finished his selling there were no important incidents in wheat estimates on the next visible or the clearances. The news attitude of outside markets was all bearish. Ream predicts that May wheat will sell at 80c and May corn at 35c. Rather heavy selling by Stauffer gave the crowd the impression that Cudahy, who has been simply sitting still on the line of short wheat, was increasing that line. Even the news from New York was not of a bullish character. Milmine, Bodman & Co. were pretty heavy sellers. Bloom, one of the large scalpers, it is believed, bought something like 500,000 bushels on the break. Hutchinson was quoted as predicting an advance before the day was over, but this prediction was not realized. On the regular board up to 1 o'clock the range was between 85⅛c and 85¾c. It moved about between these limits very freely and without much apparent reason. Lindbloom predicts an increase in the visible supply of wheat of at least 500,000 bushels Monday. May wheat closed at 85¼c, and January at 78c. February sold at 78¼@78⅝c and closed at 78½c, and March at 79¾c. Corn received moderate attention early, but toward the close became dull. Liverpool was firmer and higher. The reports here were liberal and the shipping demand light. There was less pressure to sell. A fair demand from shorts existed, and the market remained steady. May opened at 42c, sold at 42⅛@42⅜c, and closed at 1 o'clock at 42¼c bid, January at 36⅝c. Oats kept at one figure all day for future delivery, and show a trifle advance, but the volume of business transacted was light. January 25¼c, February 26⅛c, March, 26¾c, May 31@31⅛c. The big scalping operators turned their attention to pork this morning. They have this week moved from pit to pit raiding prices. Yesterday they made a dash at corn, the day before at wheat. This morning Singer and Charles Wright sold "May pork from $12.80 to $12.42½ within a very few minutes. The crowd is long and does not easily take big lots except at a considerable decline. The slaughter so far this year is only 45,000 head under last year, showing that Omaha and Kansas City houses which were started into special activity at the time of the strike have kept up their speed in killing although the strike was settled more speedily than everybody in the trade imagined. The interest centered largely in pork on the afternoon session. The May option started at $12.55 bid, which was the figure at 1 o'clock, but under free selling it declined to $12.47½, where it closed. Wheat was quiet and unchanged, with no outside news to influence the market. Corn was dull and neglected. May sold at 42¼@42⅜c at the close. May wheat closed at 85⅝c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—CATTLE—A glance over the record of the week shows that Monday prices declined 15c, and by Thursday this had been fully recovered, the market being about the same as on the closing day of last year, when it was the best it had been for many weeks. The general market to-day was dull, weak and lower, as the supply was large for Friday and receipts for the week are decidedly heavy. Sales to-day were made very unevenly and of course the opinions of good judges varied, but on the general average prices were 10c lower, the market losing nearly or quite as much as it gained Thursday. The sales included some fancy heavy cattle at $5.37½. As a showing of how little importance is weight compared with quality, some fancy 1008 to 1084 lb steers sold at $4.15 @4.40, with one lot of 1143 lb steers at $4.75, while 1400 to 1500 lb steers sold at the same prices. Some late sales of cattle were 15@20c lower, and many late arrivals went over unsold. Good to extra, $4.50@5.37½; medium, $4.00@4.25; common, $3.40@3.75; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.75; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@3.40; bulk, $2.25@2.75.

HOGS—The market opened with a considerable boom, first sales showing an advance of 5@10c over the closing of yesterday and at the advance the great bulk of hogs were sold. The prime cause of the strength was the belief that the run would fall far short of the estimates, but toward 10 or 11 o'clock it became evident that the receipts would reach 25,000 instead of 18,000, as was estimated in the morning, hence late sales were about 5@10c lower than those made early, or at about the same as at the close last night. Fancy heavy sold at the opening at $4.95@5.00, but the same, and all others, would not sell as high within 10c at the close. The market closed dull.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—MONEY—On call easy at 4@6 per cent; closing at 4@5 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—6@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet at $4.80¾ for sixty day bills; $4.84¼ for demand.

GOVERNMENTS—Government bonds were dull and heavy.

STOCKS—The stock market was more active but feverish and irregular, subject to sudden and spasmodic movements in prices. The opening was somewhat irregular, but the majority of stocks were lower, the declines from last evening's prices ranging from ⅛@⅜ per cent. Further slight losses were established in early dealings, Pacific Mail losing 1 per cent. Prices soon rallied, and under the lead of Jersey Central showed advances throughout the list before the end of the first hour. Later the entire market yielded and became quiet, Jersey Central being a notable exception. There was a fractional rally in the afternoon, but in the last hour the decline gathered force and the close was weak at the lowest prices reached.

STOCKS ON WALL STREET.

3 cent bonds	100	C. & N. W.	113⅞
U. S. 4½'s	109½	preferred	139
New 4's	125½	N. Y. C.	111¾
Pacific 6's of '95	125	Oregon Trans	39¼
Central Pacific	41¼	Pacific Mail	49
C. & A.	143	P. D. & E.	31
preferred	155	P. P. C.	140
C. B. & Q.	137	Rock Island	125⅜
D. L. & W.	133½	St. L. & S. F.	31½
D. & R. G.	29	preferred	65½
Erie	33	C., M. & St. P.	89
preferred	71½	preferred	117¼
Illinois Central	133	St. P. & O.	50⅛
L. S. & W.	16	preferred	108¾
Kansas & Texas	31½	Texas Pacific	22½
Lake Shore	94½	Union Pacific	56¾
L. & N.	64½	W., St. L. & P.	16⅞
Mich. Central	92	preferred	31
Mo. Pacific	107¼	Western Union	74½
Northern Pacific	20⅜	O., R. & N.	101
preferred	50¼	*Assessment paid.	

PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Following quotations are the 2:30 closing figures:

Flour—Steady and firm; winter wheat flour, $4.25@4.80; southern, $4.10@4.20; Wisconsin, $4.30@4.80; Michigan soft spring wheat $3.70@4.30; Minnesota bakers, $3.70@4.30; patents, $4.50@4.80; low grades, $1.95@2.95; rye flour, quiet at $3.35@3.70 in barrels, and $3.30@3.40 in sacks.

Wheat—Opened about ⅝@¾c below closing yesterday and closed ¾c under yesterday; cash, 78¾c; February, 78¾c; May, 85¾c.

Corn—Dull; moderately active; opening was ¼@⅜c below yesterday's closing, and close was ⅛c better; cash, 36¼c; February, 36¾c; May, 42 5-16c.

Oats—Dull and featureless, with no change; cash, 30¼c; February, 26½c; May, 31 1-16c.

Rye—Quiet at 53c.

Barley—Dull at 52½@54c.

Timothy seed—Prime, $1.85.

Flaxseed—$1.00

Whisky—$1.18.

Pork—Active; advanced early; closing easier; cash, and February, $12.15; May, $12.47½.

Lard—Less active; 12½@15c under yesterday; cash, and February, $6.55; May, $6.77½.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $4.85@4.90; short ribs, $6.15; short clear, $6.55@6.60.

Butter—Quiet; creamery, 22½@30c; dairy, 17½@26c.

Cheese—Quiet; full cream cheddars, 12¼@13¼c; flats, 12½@12½c; young Americas, 12½@13c; skims, 7½@9c.

Eggs—11½@20c.

Hides—Steady and unchanged; Green, 6½c; heavy green salted, 7½c; salted bull, 6½c; dry salted, 11@12c; dry flint, 13@14c; deacons, 25c each.

Tallow—No. 1 country, 3½c; No. 2, 2¾c; cake, 4c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	17,000	17,000
Wheat, bu.	61,000	8,000
Corn, bu.	168,000	21,000
Oats, bu.	115,000	74,000
Rye, bu.	2,000	
Barley, bu.	30,000	

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Weak and lower; No. 2 red, cash, 82½c; February, 83¼c; May, 88@88⅝c.

Corn—Easy; No. 2 mixed, cash, 34⅝@35¼c; February, 35½c; May, 39⅝c.

Oats—About steady; No. 2 mixed, cash, 28⅝c; February, 29c; May, 31c.

Rye—Nominal at 53c.

Whisky—$1.13.

Pork—Steady at $12.50.

Lard—Firm at $6.30.

Butter—Quiet but steady; creamery, 24@28c; dairy, 15@23c.

Afternoon Board—Wheat—Firmer and ⅛@¼c higher. Corn—Unchanged. Oats—Firm and ⅛c higher.

Kansas City, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red, cash, 70c bid; May, 78¼c bid.

Corn—Quiet; No. 2, cash, 30½c asked; February, 31½c bid; May, 35½c.

Oats—Nominal; 27c bid for cash.

New Orleans, Jan. 7.—Corn—Quiet and steady; white, 46@47c; mixed, 48c; yellow, 48@49c.

Oats—Firmer; choice western, 39@40c.

Corn Meal—Quiet at $2.30.

Hog Products—Light demand, but holders firm; pork, $12.02½; lard, refined tierce, $6.37½.

Bulkmeats—Shoulders, $5.00; long clear and clear ribs, $6.37½.

New York, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Easier; receipts, 54,500; exports, 121,000; ungraded red, 87@95½c; No. 3 red, 97½c; No. 2 red, 99@99¼c in elevator, 94@94⅝c afloat; No. 1 red, 96½c; extra red, 95½c; No. 2 red, February, closed at 93c.

Corn—Spot firm and fairly active for exports; options opened steady, later declined ¼@¾c, closing steadier; receipts, 64,000; exports, 87,500; ungraded, 47@47½c; No. 3, 46¾c; for new, 47½c for old; No. 2, 48½c; f. o. b., 47½c in elevator, 48¾c afloat; February, closing at 48½c.

Oats—Moderately active; receipts, 31,000; exports, 130; mixed western, 36@37c; white western, 38@43c.

Petroleum—United closed at 70½c.

Eggs—Easier and less active; western, fresh, 31@33c.

Pork—Quiet and barely steady.

Lard—Lower but fairly active; western steam, spot, 86,82½.

Butter—Quiet and firm; western, 12@28c; Elgin creamery, 35c.

Milwaukee, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Steady; cash, 78c; February, 78¾c; May, 85c.

Corn—Steady; No. 2, 36½c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2, 26½c.

Rye—Dull; No. 1, 50c.

Barley—Weak; No. 2, 51c.

Provisions—Lower; pork, January, $12.15; February, $12.15.

Cincinnati, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Quiet but firm; No. 2, red, 84c.

Corn—Easy; No. 2 mixed, 38c.

Oats—Easier; No. 2 mixed, 30½c.

Rye—Dull; No. 2, 59@60c.

Pork—Quiet at $12.62½.

Lard—Dull at $6.37½@6.50.

Whisky—Steady at $1.13.

Minneapolis, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Active and in demand at lower prices; No. 1 hard, cash, 77½c; February, 78c; May, 84c; No. 1 northern, cash, 76½c; February, 77c; May, 82c; No. 2 northern, cash, 74½c; February, 75c; May, 80c.

Flour—Firm; patents, $4.50@4.70; bakers, $3.60@3.75.

Receipts—Wheat, 105,000 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 11,000 bu.; flour, 14,000 bbls.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—The Drover's Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; weak and 10@15c lower; good to extra, $4.50@5.37½; common to medium, $3.40@4.25; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.75; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@3.40; bulk, $2.25@2.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; strong; early closing lower; rough and mixed, $4.00@4.70; packing and shipping, $4.70@5.00; light, $3.85@4.65; skips, $2.75@3.85.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; steady; natives, $2.50@5.10; western, $2.75@4.50; Texans, $2.25@4.00; lambs, $4.00@5.25.

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 500; shipments, 400; ruled firm; choice heavy native steers, $4.35@4.80; fair to good shipping steers, $3.60@4.30; butchers' steers, common to prime, $3.10@4.15; feeders, fair to good, $2.10@2.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; shipments, 2,000; shade higher; choice heavy and butchers' selections, $4.80@4.95; packing, fair to good, $4.55@4.75; Yorkers, medium to fancy, $4.30@4.50; pigs, common to good, $3.30@4.35.

Kansas City, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 800; shipments, none; active and firm; common to choice, $3.50@4.25; stockers, $2.40@2.80; feeding steers, $2.90@3.50; cows, $1.50@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; shipments, 900; strong and higher for choice heavy; medium to good, 10c higher; good to choice, $4.55@4.75; common to medium, $4.20@4.50.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Friday, Jan. 7.

Cattle.

The receipts of cattle were extremely light and there were hardly enough to make a market. The demand was active and what were in sold readily. Prices remain strong.

Hogs.

The receipts of hogs were the same as yesterday. The market was fairly active at yesterday's prices and the pens were cleared.

Sheep.

The market is very quiet and nothing doing of any account.

Receipts.

Cattle	200
Hogs	3,800

Prevailing Prices.

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

Choice steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs.	$4.30@4.50
Choice steers, 1100 to 1350 lbs.	4.00@4.20
Good teeders	2.75@3.00
Good to choice corn-fed cows	2.75@3.25
Fair to medium grass cows	2.00@2.50
Good to choice bulls	1.50@3.00
Light and medium hogs	4.35@4.45
Good to choice heavy hogs	4.55@4.70
Good to choice mixed hogs	4.40@4.50
Good to choice sheep	2.75@3.20
Fair to good sheep	2.25@2.50

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1060	$3.25	60	1035	$3.35
30	835	3.40	14	1330	4.00
46	825	3.40			

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1180	$2.25	19	1002	$2.80
1	1030	2.50	20	1128	3.15
6	1000	2.65			

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1200	$3.00			

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
67	206	240	$4.30	62	240	80	$4.50
70	228	200	4.40	58	228	120	4.50
69	271	160	4.40	68	230	80	4.50
85	194	160	4.40	71	276	280	4.50
74	218	80	4.45	65	263	80	4.50
82	198	160	4.45	66	256	200	4.47½
71	270	80	4.45	60	285	160	4.55
62	292	200	4.45	58	268	160	4.55
76	213	40	4.45	59	322	200	4.55
84	204	80	4.45	58	292	1160	4.55
60	237	80	4.45	63	275	240	4.55
66	259	80	4.50	69	255	280	4.55
63	305	120	4.50	58	279	200	4.55
66	257	200	4.50	55	302	200	4.55
69	225	120	4.50	55	350	160	4.55
58	278	200	4.50	64	286	160	4.60
70	252	240	4.50	53	324	200	4.60
66	282	120	4.50	60	280	220	4.60
75	264	80	4.50	55	348	280	4.60
66	285	240	4.50	63	327	160	4.60
67	312	80	4.50	70	283	160	4.60
52	280	200	4.50	65	326	120	4.65
66	235	120	4.50	51	371	40	4.70

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:

	Dec. 1886.		Jan. 1887.		Jan. 1886	
1st	3.60	@3.70	Holiday.		Holiday.	
2nd	3.70	@3.85	Sunday		3.25	@3.52½
3rd	3.75	@3.90	4.40	@4.70	Sunday	
4th	3.75	@3.90	4.40	@4.75	3.37½	@3.55
5th	3.75	@3.85	4.35	@4.70	3.37½	@3.55
6th	3.75	@3.85	4.35	@4.70	3.45	@3.60
7th	3.70	@3.85	4.30	@4.70	3.45	@3.55

All sales of stock in this market are made per cwt. live weight unless otherwise stated. Dead hogs sell at ¾c 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, by the public inspector.

Notes.

No hogs left over.

Hog market steady.

Light receipts of cattle.

Fowler Bros. bought 2,631 hogs on to-day's market.

F. N. Jeffrey, Osceola, was here and sold a load of hogs.

I. Manlon, Wabash, was in to-day and sold two loads of hogs.

D. N. Wheeler, Pender, Neb., was in and marketed a load of hogs.

Mr. Shafer, of Jones & Shafer, Haddom, Kan., was in and sold two loads of hogs.

Watson Tyson, the representative of Washington county, was looking over the yards to-day.

Mr. Bramble, of the firm of Farrell & Bramble, Newmarket, Ia., came in to-day with two loads of hogs.

W. F. Brown, of the commission firm of W. F. Brown & Co., has returned from a two weeks' visit to Chicago.

W. R. Adams, Falls City, was at the yards to-day. Mr. Adams has just located in Omaha and is interested in the real estate business.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

General Produce.

Friday, Jan. 7.

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 are not heavy, but the market is very dull and stocks more slowly. The majority of the sales of fresh stock are made at 24c.

BUTTER—The market is firmer and more active. Old stock has been largely cleaned up and fresh receipts of choice grades is moving more readily. Choice dairy, 16@18; good country, 14@16c; common grades, 6@12.

POULTRY—The demand for chickens is a little better, and good stock is selling at 8c, with an occasional sale at 9c. Turkeys are slow sale at any price. The outside for choice stock is 11c, and a good deal is selling at 10c. Geese and ducks sell fairly well at 9@10c.

CHEESE—Fullcream cheddars, single, 13½c; full cream flats, twins, 13¾c; young American, 14c; fancy Swiss, 14@15c; Swiss, imported, 25c; Limburger, 13c; brick, 14@15c.

GAME—Quail, per doz, $1.75@2.00; ducks, mallard, per doz, $1.75@2.00; ducks, teal, per doz, $1.25@1.50; ducks, mixed, per doz, $1.25; geese, per doz, $3.50.

APPLES—The market is very firm and stocks are very small. Choice Missouri are quoted at $3.50@3.75, Michigan, $3.75@4.00.

POTATOES—The trade is limited to the sale of small lots, a few sacks at a time. Choice stock sells at 60c.

CELERY—The market is steady. Choice stock per doz., 35c; extra large, per doz., 40c.

OYSTERS—Mediums, 20c; standards, 25c; selects, 28; extra selects, 35c; N. Y. counts, 40c.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, fancy, per bbl, $11.00@12.00; bell and bugle, per bbl, $10.00.

BANANAS—Bananas, yellow, per bunch, $2.00@2.25; bananas, yellow, large, per bunch, $2.50@3.50.

LEMONS—Messina, per box $6.00.

ORANGES—Florida, choice, 150@240 to box $5.00; do, 5 box lots, $4.75; Valencia, per case, $8.50; California Riverside, pes box, $4.75.

MAPLE SUGAR—Strictly pure, 50 lb boxes, per lb, 15c; choice 5c bricks, 25 lb boxes, per lb, 12c; choice penny cakes, 25 lb boxes, per lb, 12½c.

SAUER KRAUT—Per 32 gal bbl, $6.00; 16 gal, half bbl $3.50.

PROVISIONS—Ham, sugar-cured, 11½c; breakfast bacon, sugar cured, boneless, 10½; shoulders, 6c; clear side bacon, 8c; dry salt sides, 7c; dried beef, hams, 14c; dried beef, regular, 11c; mess pork, per bbl, $12.50; lard, 50 lb cans, Fairbanks, 6¾c; lard, 10, 5 and 3 lb pails, Fairbanks, 7¼@7½c.

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.

Grocers' List.

PICKLES—Medium, in bbls, $6.50; do, in half bbls, $3.75; small, in bbls, $7.50; do, in half bbls, $4.25; eghrkins, 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; 8½ rup, half bbls, "old time," per gallon, 72c 1 gallon cans, per doz, $10.00; half gallon cans, per doz, $5.50; quart cans, $3.00.

STARCH—Mirror glass, 1 lb, 5½c; 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, 3 lb, 7½c; Kingsfords bulk, 4c.

TOBACCO—Plug, climax, 43c; horseshoe, 37c; star, 39c; spearhead, 39c; piperheidsick, 60c; gold shield, 34c; merry war, 29c; J. T. J., 52c.

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, 7½.

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 whitecap, $6.50; dome, $3.85; washboard, $3.10; white cloud, $3.75.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters, standard, per case, $3.15@3.25; strawberries, 2 lb, per case, $2.20; raspberries, 2 lb, per case, $2.20; California pears, per case, $4.50; apricots, per case, $4.50; 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, $1.40; 1 lb salmon, per doz, $1.55@1.60; 2 lb goose, berries, 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, $2.10@2.25; 2 lb corn $2.10@2.25.

DRIED FRUIT—No. 1 quarter apples, 5½@6c; in evaporated boxes, 12½@13c; blackberries, boxes, 11@11½c; peaches, Salt Lake, 1886, 10@10½c; peaches, evaporated, 15½c; 17c; raspberries, new, 22c; currents, 7@8c; prunes, new, 5½@6c.

SUGARS—Powdered, 7c; cut loaf, 6¾@7c; granulated, 6¼@6½c; confectioners' A, 6½c; standard extra C, 5¾@6c; extra C, 5¾@5½c; medium yellow, 4¾@5c.

COFFEES—Ordinary grades, 14½@15c fai 15@15½c; prime, 15½@16c; choice, 16@16½c; fancy green and yellow, 16@17c; old government Java, 20@26c; interior Java, 16½@20c; Mocha, 22@24c; Arbuckle's roasted 19½c; McLaughlin's XXXX roasted, 19½c; Dilworth's, 19c; Red Cross, 19½c.

General Markets.

HIDES—Green butchers, 5½@6c; geeen cured, 5c; dry flint, 11@12c; dry salt, 9@10c; green calf skins, 9@9½c; damaged hides, two-thirds price. Tallow—3½c. Grease—Prime white, 3½c; yellow, 2½c; brown, 1¾. Sheep Pelts, 25@75c.

HEAVY HARDWARE—Iron, rate $2.60; plow steel special cast, 4½c; crucible steel, 6½c; cast tools, do, 12@15c; wagon spokes, per set, $2.00@3.50; hubs, per set, $1.25; fellows, sawed dry, $1.50; tongues, each, 8c; axels, each, 75c; square nuts, per lb, 1c@7½c; coil chain, per lb, 6c@12c; malleable, 7c@8c; iron wedges, 6c; crowbars, 6c; harrow teeth, 4¼c, spring steel, 7c@9c; Burden's horse shoes, $4.50; Burden's mule shoes, $5.50. 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 19 feet, 65c. Lead bar, $16

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 161 proof, $1.18; spirits, second quality, 161 proof, $1.17; do 188 proof, $1.16 Alcohol, 188 proof, $2.20 per wine gallon. Redistilled whiskies, $1.00@1.50. Gin, blended, $1.50@2.00; Kentucky bourbons, $2.00@4.00; 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, $1.50@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, English, in oil, 75c; red, 10c; rose pink, 14c; Venetian red, Cookson's, 2½c; Venetian red, American, 1½c; red lead, 7½c; chrome yellow, genuine, 26c; 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.

DRY PAINTS—White lead, 8c; French zinc, 12c; Paris whiting, 2½c; whiting, gilders, 2½c; whiting, com'l, 1½c; lampblack, Germanstown, 12c; lampblack, ordinary, 8c; Prussian blue, 55c; ultramarine, 18c; vandyke 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; vermillion American, 18c; Indian raw and burnt umber, 1 lb cans, 12c; raw and burnt sienna, 12c; vandyke brown, 15c; 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, 13c; Venetian red, 9c; Tuscan, 22c; American vermillion, L. & D., 20c; yellow ochre, 2c; L. M. & O. D., 18c; good ochre, 10c; baten 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, 45c; 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, 35c; 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, $3.20; quinine, P. & W. and R. & S., per oz, 70c; potassium iodide, per lb, $2.75; salicin, per oz, 40c; sulphate morphine, per oz, $2.60; sulphur, per lb, 4c; strychnine, per oz, $1.25.

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2x8	16.50	16.50	16.50	17.00	18.00	21.00	22.00
2x10	16.50	16.50	16.50	17.00	18.00	22.00	22.00
2x12	16.5	16.50	16.50	17.00	18.00	22.00	22.00
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