THE WHEAT MARKET MUDDLED

Traders Refuse to Do Business Until They Ascertain Their Condition.

PRICE FLUCTUATIONS NARROW.

Corn Quiet With Some Show of Returning Confidence—Provisions Moderately Active—Good Trading in Oats.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, June 16.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—The range of prices in wheat were a very fair indication of the business done. The range was narrow and business extremely light. Most of the firms on 'change were refusing business, owing to the muddled state into which their accounts had been thrown by the wild fluctuations and numerous failures of the last few days. Several conservative concerns declared that no new orders would be executed by them until the books and accounts were straightened out. Confidence has not as yet been restored, though it is thought the worst is over and that no new failures are imminent. But one occurred to-day. Several were crowded quite hard, and it was expected they would be forced to the wall. The oft-repeated promise of Kershaw & Co. that funds would be forthcoming were again renewed to-day, but they fell with no effect on the ears of the crowd. They had already been fed upon promises too long. July wheat opened at 73c, which was ⅛c higher than the close yesterday. For the whole morning session the price fluctuated between 72½c and 73¾c, and after the first flurry of the morning was very quiet. June wheat, which was another of the months which had been under heavy fire, started in unchanged at 71c and sold as high as 71½c and as low as 71c during the morning. Trade in it was also light. At no time after the first half hour around the opening was the wheat pit comfortably filled.

Corn was a quiet deal from first to last, but, as in wheat, there was some show of returning confidence. July opened at 37⅛@37⅛c against the close last night at 37c, and by 12:30 it was selling at 37½c. For the greater part of the session July was between 37c and 37½c. Toward the close of the morning session the announcement of John Bryant's failure caused a little weakness in both wheat and corn, but it was only temporary.

Provisions were only moderately active during the morning. The course of lard and ribs was about the same as in corn and July lard started at $6.50, sold down to $6.45 and back to $6.50. July ribs opened at $7.37½, sold down to $7.30 and back again to $7.37½.

The last half hour of the session was quiet. July wheat, which sold from 73⅛c down to 73 on the Bryant failure, recovered somewhat and closed at 73¼c. July corn, which just before the failure was at 37⅜c and afterward at 37¼@37⅜c, closed at 37⅜c.

At the afternoon session there was a revival of trade in the wheat pit without material change of prices, some futures remaining steady, while others were slightly weaker. Armour was reported to have taken vessel room for 200,000 bushels of wheat at a through rate to New York of 10½c. Corn and oats were moderately active and a shade higher. No further failures were announced. Wheat for June sold at 71@71⅛c, July at 72⅝@73¼c, August at 75@75¼c, September at 76⅛@76⅜c, December at 80⅞@81⅛c, closing at 71⅛c for June, 73c for July, 75⅛c for August, 76⅜c for September, and 80⅛c for December. Corn for July sold at 37⅛@37½c, August at 38⅝@38¾c, September at 39⅝c, closing with sellers at the top. Oats for July 26¼@26⅜c, August 25⅝c. Lard for July $6.52½, August $6.62½@6.63½. Short ribs for July sold at $7.50@7.55, August at $7.60@7.65, September at $7.70@7.75, closing with sellers at the outside.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, June 16.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—CATTLE—Prices again took another substantial down turn, some salesmen declaring that there was a decline of ten cars compared with the best sales yesterday, hence, according to reports yesterday, values are 25@35c lower than last week. Every night for the week so far the market has closed weak, with some good cattle left unsold. The extreme price for the best short horn and Angus cattle this week was $4.85@4.90, a couple of cars of the blacks selling late yesterday within the range quoted above, and one car of short horns on Monday at $4.85. The great bulk of good and useful natives are selling within a range of $4.25@4.50, while as good cattle as stand are selling at $4.00@4.75. The run of Texans is light, with prices fully as high as last week. The trouble with the trade is there are too many fat natives and no outlet for the product. Butchers' stock, especially best cows and heifers, are making a shade more money than in the early part of the week. Light, thin bulls are wanted to average 800 to 900 lbs, and will sell for $2.30@2.50.

HOGS.—Trade was very dull, with another down turn of about 10c, making the decline for the week so far about 20@25c, especially as compared with the high prices of Tuesday, when best heavy sold at $5.30@5.35, against $5.05@5.10 to-day.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, June 16.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—STOCKS—There was a stronger and better tone to the New York stock market, and improvements of ¼@1¼ per cent were recorded on the list. The news from Chicago that the worst was over had a beneficial effect and made operators more disposed to trade. The decision of the inter-state commissioners yesterday, which practically gives railroads having water competition the right to pursue the same course as before the bill went into effect, acted as a stimulant on the southern roads, and they were bid up quite rapidly. Louisville & Nashville going up 1⅜ per cent and maintaining the most of the appreciation until the close. London bought the Grangers, and Northwestern advanced 1 point, Omaha ⅝, and St. Paul ⅝, but the latter weakened ⅜ before the finish. The feeling on Reading continues unsettled. Doubts were expressed about the reorganization plan going through, hence operators were disposed to let it alone. It was said that Cammack and Bateman had turned bulls, and the report had an encouraging effect, as they have been the bear leaders for several weeks, but were understood to have unloaded their shorts yesterday. During the closing hour the market, on a number of stocks, weakened slightly, but all the principal stocks showed net gains. A stock operator of fifty years' experience says he never saw so many circumstances combining at one time calculated to cause an advance in the stock market, and does not wonder that large purchases to cover outstanding contracts are being made. The Chicago stock houses did very little business except in the way of livening up, the operators having enough to do to take care of their grain trades to occupy their time. The total sales were 242,000 shares.

GOVERNMENTS—Government bonds were dull but steady.

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS.

U. S. 4's coupon	129⅜	C. & N. W.	121¼
U. S. 4½'s coup.	109⅜	do preferred	150⅜
Pacific 6's of '95	123⅛	N. Y. C.	112⅝
Canada South'n	61	O. R. & N.	101⅛
Central Pacific	38⅜	O. T.	31⅜
Chicago & Alton	148	Pacific Mail	52⅛
do preferred	162	P., D. & E.	37
C., B. & Q.	145	Pullman Pal. Car	152⅛
D., L. & W.	137¼	Reading	50⅜
D. & R. G.	30	Rock Island	131
Erie	33	St. L. & S. F.	41¼
do preferred	72	do preferred	80⅜
Illinois Central	123½	C., M. & St. P.	91
L., B. & W.	22⅝	do preferred	124¼
K. & T.	25⅜	St. P. & O.	52⅜
Lake Shore	97⅛	do preferred	116⅛
L. & N.	87	Texas Pacific	31⅜
Michigan Cent'l	92⅛	Union Pacific	60⅜
Mo. Pacific	109⅜	W., St. L. & P.	18⅜
No. Pacific	32⅜	do preferred	33⅜
do preferred	60¼	W. U. Telegraph	78⅜

MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 3½@6 per cent. closed offered at 4 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Dull and heavy at $4.84 for sixty day bills, and $4.85 for demand.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, June 16.—Following quotations are the 2:30 closing figures:

Flour—Dull and unsettled; winter wheat flour, $4.35@4.50; southern, $4.20@4.40; Wisconsin, $4.30@4.50; Michigan soft spring wheat, $3.80@4.50; Minnesota bakers, $3.80@4.50; patents, $4.60@5.00; low grades, $2.05@3.20; rye flour, $3.35@3.50; in sacks and barrels, $3.10@3.90.

Wheat—At opening there was flurry and excitement, which soon subsided and the market became quiet and lifeless; cash, 71¼c; June, 73c; August, 75½c.

Corn—Quiet early, later ruled firmer, owing to better tone to wheat: cash, 36⅝c; July, 37 7-16c; August, 38 11-16c.

Oats—Considerably stronger; cash, 25⅝c; July, 26 7-16c; August, 25¾c.

Rye—53c.

Barley—Steady at 59c.

Timothy Seed—Prime, $1.85@1.90.

Flax Seed—$1.17.

Whisky—$1.10.

Pork—Unchanged; June, $22.00.

Lard—Steady; cash, $6.47½; July, $6.52½; August, $6.62½.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $5.60@5.70; short clear, $7.75@7.80; short ribs, $7.52½.

Butter—Firm; creamery, 14@17½c; dairy, 12@16c.

Cheese—Quiet and lower; full cream cheddars, 7⅝@8c; flats, 7½@7¾c; young Americas, 7¾@8c; skims, 2½@5c.

Eggs—Weak at 12½@13c¼.

Hides—Unchanged; heavy green salted 7½c; light do, 7½@8c; salted bull hides, 6c; green salted calf, 8c; dry flint, 12@13c; dry calf, 13@14c; deacons, 40c each; dry salted, 10c.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1 country, 3½c; No. 2, 2½c; cake, 3½@3¾c.

Receipts.		Shipments.
Flour, bbls	13,000	9,000
Wheat, bu	391,000	37,000
Corn, bu	78,000	312,000
Oats, bu	81,000	83,000
Rye, bu	1,000	1,000
Barley, bu	2,000	2,000

NEW YORK, June 16.—Wheat—Receipts, 197,000; exports, 176,000; spot ¼@1c higher and active; options opened firm, advanced ⅜@1⅜c, later ruled easier and declined 1@2c, latter on July, closing steady with a reaction of ⅜@1⅜c; speculation was quite brisk and mainly in July; ungraded red, 80@94c; No. 3 red, nominal; No. 1 red, 94c; No. 2 red, 92@92⅝c delivered, 92¾@92⅞c free on board; July closing at 88⅛c.

Corn—Receipts, 76,000; exports, 92,500; spot firm and moderately active; options ⅛@¼c better but rather weak, closing steady; ungraded, 46¼@47½c; No. 2, 47c in elevator, 46⅝c free on board, 47¼c afloat; July closing at 46⅜c.

Oats—Receipts, 93,300; exports, 93; a shade better but less active; mixed western, 32@36c; white western, 37@41c.

Petroleum—Steady; United closed at 62⅞c.

Eggs—Steady; western, 15½@16¼c.

Pork—Steady and fairly active; old quoted $14.75; new, $15.00@15.25.

Lard—Opened lower and closed firm with the decline recovered; western steam, spot, $6.78@6.80.

Butter—Firm; western, 10@19c; western creamery, 15@19c.

Cheese—Dull and easier; western, 7⅝@9⅛c.

Minneapolis, June 16.—Wheat—Steady; No. 1 hard, cash, 73c; July, 72⅝c; August, 73c. No. 1 northern, cash, 71c; July 71½c; August, 73c. No. 2, northern, cash, 68⅝c; July, 69½c; August, 71c. On track; No. 1 hard, 71c; No. 1 northern, 72c; No. 2 northern, 69½c.

Flour—Firm but lower; patents, $4.25@4.35; bakers', $3.30@3.40.

Receipts—Wheat, 846,000 bu.; flour, 625 bbls.

Shipments—Wheat, 41,500 bu; flour, 17,000 bbls.

Milwaukee, June 16.—Wheat—Steady; cash, 73c; July, 73⅝c; September, 76⅛c.

Corn—Steadier; No. 3, 37c.

Oats—Weak; No. 2 white, 30c.

Rye—Firm; No. 1, 57c.

Barley—Dull; No. 2, 56c.

Provisions—Lower; pork, June, $14.00.

Cincinnati, June 16.—Wheat—Unsettled; No. 2 red, 80c.

Corn—Easier; No. 2 mixed, 39½@40c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 26@26½c.

Rye—Quiet; No. 2, 63c.

Provisions—Pork dull at $15.00; lard firm at $6.25.

Whisky—Steady at $1.05.

St. Louis, June 16.—Wheat—Nervous but firmer; cash, 78@78½c; July, 74⅛c.

Corn—Stronger; cash, 35¼@35½c; July, 34⅞c.

Oats—Nominally unchanged; cash, 27@27⅜c; June, 27c.

Whisky—$1.05.

Pork—$15.00.

Lard—$6.20.

Butter—Steady and unchanged; creamery, 15@18c; dairy, 10@15c.

Afternoon Board—Wheat—Firm; July, 75c; August, 74⅝c; September, 77c. Corn—Strong; June, 34⅝c; July, 34¾c; August, 35⅝c. Oats—Quiet.

New Orleans, June 16.—Corn—Dull and lower; mixed, 49c; yellow, 51c; white, 54@55c.

Oats—Easier at 36c.

Cornmeal—Quiet, at $2.30.

Hog Products—Dull and drooping. Pork—$15.50. Lard—$6.62½.

Bulk Meats—Shoulders, $6.00; long clear and clear rib, $7.75.

Kansas City, June 16.—Wheat—Weak; No. 2 red, cash, 63½c bid, 64¼c asked.

Corn—Strong; No. 2, cash, 27½c asked; July, 28⅝c.

Oats—No. 2 August, 21c bid, 21¾c asked.

Liverpool, June 16.—Wheat—Flats and holders offer freely; California, 8s@8s 1d per cental; winter, 7s 2d@7s 4d per cental.

Corn—Dull and demand poor; new mixed western spot, 4s ½d per cental.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, June 16.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 11,000, including 2,000 Texans; 5@10c lower; shipping steers, $3.60@4.20; fancy, $4.00@4.55; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.75@3.30; slop-fed steers, $4.00@4.40; Texas grassers, $2.60@3.40; fed, $3.30@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; slow and 10@15c lower; rough and mixed, $4.70@5.05; packing and shipping, $5.00@5.15; light, $4.70@5.05; skips, $3.30@4.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 40,000; opened steady and closed lower; natives, $3.00@4.50; bulk, $2.50@3.75; Texans, $2.50@3.75; lambs, per head, $1.50@3.40.

National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, Ill., June 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,300; shipments, 900; steady; choice heavy native steers, $4.40@4.60; fair to good shipping steers, $3.90@4.35; butchers' steers, fair to choice, $3.70@4.25; feeders, fair to good, $3.15@4.00; stockers, fair to good, $2.30@3.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,000; shipments, 300; active but lower; choice heavy and butchers' selections, $5.05@5.15; packing and Yorkers, medium to prime, $4.80@5.00; pigs, common to good, $4.20@4.75.

Kansas City, June 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 900; shipments, none; weak and 5@10c lower; common to choice, $3.50@4.20; stockers, $2.60@3.20; feeding steers, $3.25@3.40; cows, $2.00@3.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,100; shipments, 6,000; weak and 10@15c lower; common to choice, $4.25@4.85; skips and pigs, $3.00@4.40.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Thursday, June 16.

Cattle.

The receipts of cattle were less than yesterday by 200 head. The unfavorable reports received from Chicago, indicating a heavy run and a lower market, had a depressing effect upon the market here and caused a decline of fully 10c. The market was not very active and a good many cattle were left over. Butchers' stock was slow and common grass cows were going very slow.

Hogs.

The hog market opened at a decline of 10c and in some instances 15c, and very slow and dragging. Only about one-third of the hogs were sold in the forenoon. In the afternoon the market livened up. Armour & Co. entered the market and the pens were cleared out early in the afternoon. The market closed about 10c lower than yesterday, with everything sold and with a much better feeling than at the opening.

Sheep.

There was nothing doing on the market, but the receipts were very heavy.

Receipts.

Cattle	500
Hogs	4,600
Sheep	3,200

Prevailing Prices.

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

Choice steers, 1300 to 1500 lbs	$4.00@4.25
Choice steers, 1100 to 1350 lbs	3.90@4.10
Fat little steers 900 to 1050 lbs	3.75@4.00
Extra choice cows and heifers	3.25@3.35
Good to choice corn-fed cows	3.15@3.30
Common to medium cows	2.30@3.00
Good to choice bulls	2.75@3.15
Light and medium hogs	4.40@4.55
Good to choice heavy hogs	4.60@4.75
Good to choice mixed hogs	4.55@4.65

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
9	1127	$3.75	4	1070	$4.00
8	1161	3.75	10	1036	4.05
20	1131	3.90	19	1090	4.05
78	1035	3.90	20	1238	4.05
1	1100	3.95	8	1367	4.10
36	1215	4.00	31	1373	4.10

COWS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
2	1040	$2.10	19	990	2.90
6	1121	2.50	3	1016	3.00
2	1000	2.50	1	910	3.00
2	1275	2.85	9	973	3.10
2	1315	2.90	1	1180	3.25

BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	950	$2.35	1	1810	3.00
2	1145	2.65	1	1770	3.10

COWS AND BULLS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
19	1047	$2.20

STOCKERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.
3	1123	$3.25

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
75	178	40	$4.40	146	227	120	$4.60
77	217	200	4.45	65	246	80	4.60
64	205	—	4.45	72	256	160	4.60
60	214	—	4.45	66	229	—	4.60
60	194	40	4.45	137	249	200	4.50
73	197	120	4.50	60	234	80	4.60
38	241	120	4.50	71	252	—	4.62½
72	221	80	4.50	61	251	—	4.62½
21	222	—	4.50	71	253	80	4.65
66	215	120	4.50	61	272	200	4.65
77	228	40	4.52½	62	252	—	4.65
79	237	80	4.55	54	289	—	4.65
63	230	40	4.55	61	278	80	4.65
79	240	120	4.55	66	256	—	4.65
82	208	—	4.55	62	260	120	4.65
77	223	—	4.55	67	255	240	4.65
93	210	80	4.55	62	255	160	4.65
71	221	80	4.55	60	272	240	4.65
65	230	160	4.55	58	289	200	4.65
65	239	80	4.55	60	257	—	4.65
67	237	—	4.55	53	228	200	4.65
62	226	80	4.55	65	255	—	4.65
62	230	40	4.55	63	257	160	4.65
66	246	160	4.57½	59	274	40	4.67½
67	243	40	4.57½	62	283	120	4.70
66	256	80	4.60	61	295	160	4.70
80	234	80	4.60	62	287	200	4.70
63	265	120	4.60	160	281	80	4.70
64	247	80	4.60	58	296	—	4.70
64	242	80	4.60	59	259	40	4.70
74	259	200	4.60	63	291	80	4.70
62	259	80	4.60	57	236	80	4.70
57	230	120	4.60	62	261	40	4.70
61	242	40	4.60	68	262	80	4.75
71	245	240	4.60	54	333	40	4.75

Live Stock Sold.

Showing the number of head of stock sold on the market to-day

CATTLE.

G. H. Hammond & Co.	136
Swift & Co.	78
Local	88
Shippers	37
Total	339

Hogs.

Anglo-American Packing Co.	3,195
T. J. Lipton	627
Armour & Co.	554
G. H. Hammond & Co.	511
Total	4,887

Shipments.

Showing the number of cattle, hogs and sheep shipped from the yards during the day.

CATTLE.

No. cars.	Rt.	Dest.
2	M. & O.	Sibley, Ia
5	C., B. & Q.	Chicago

HOGS.

8	Mil.	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. by the public inspector.

Live Stock Notes.

Hogs all sold.

Heavy run of sheep.

Cattle dropped 10c.

Hogs a strong 10c lower.

The cow market is demoralized.

Hogs closed better than they opened.

H. Jerger, Craig, came in with a car of hogs.

Mr. Rogers Hooper was here with a load of cattle.

Armour & Co. bought eight loads of hogs on the market.

Lower markets in the east send prices down here.

S. R. Gregory, Yutan, came in with two loads of cattle.

F. P. Arnold, Dakota City, was at the yards with two loads of cattle.

Sam Madole, Elliot, Ia., was in and sold a load of 990 pound cows at $2.90.

Thomas Hanlan, a shipper from Dunbar, was among the visitors at the yards.

Lee Mineer, Craig, was in with a load of hogs which sold at satisfactory prices.

C. Penn, Neligh, Neb., was at the yards and sold two loads of 227-lb hogs at $4.60.

William Frances, Palmyra, came in with a load of cattle, which sold on the market.

J. W. Hoagland, Dunbar, was here and marketed a load of 291 pound hogs at $4.70.

J. Van Eugen, Firth, came in with a load of butchers' stock, which sold on the market.

Scott Harrell, with Byers, Patterson & Co., was married yesterday to Miss Eva Akin at Clarinda, Ia.

John Scheve, a heavy cattle man from Hoag, was here and marketed four loads of 1035 pound cattle at $3.90.

L. Clark, of Ainslie, was in with two loads of hogs, his first shipment here, which sold on the market at good prices.

Fred Bush, of the firm of Bush Bros., Creighton, was at the yards with a load of hogs and a load of cattle, both sold.

D. Holstein, Scribner, a well known buyer and feeder, was in and marketed a load of 292 pound hogs at $4.75. This was his first trip here.

J. R. Alter, Grand Island, of the firm of Alter & Glover, was in and sold a load of 255-lb hogs at $4.65. They also had five loads of cattle on the market.

Sixteen double decks of sheep shipped by R. S. Saltmarsh from The Dalles, Oregon, were received at the yards. This is the largest shipment ever received here. They were good western sheep. The owner came in with them. He has several train loads to come between now and fall, and will also ship some sheep here for feeders if there is any demand for them.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS

General Produce.

Thursday, June 16.

The following prices are for round lots of produce, as sold on the market to-day.

EGGS—The receipts continue light and the market is stronger. The bulk of the stock is moving at 11½@12c.

BUTTER—The best country butter is moving at 12@14c, but only a small proportion of the receipts is bringing that price. The bulk is going at 9@10c.

CHEESE.—Full cream cheddars, single, 14c; full cream flats, wins, 14c; Young Americas, 14½c; fancy Swiss, 18c; Swiss, imported, 25c; Limburger, 15c; brick, 15@16c.

POULTRY—Live fowls are going at $3.00@3.25 per dozen, and spring chickens at $3.00.

POTATOES.—Stock of all kinds is scarce. Old potatoes are going at $1.15@1.25, according to quality. New potatoes at $6.00 per barrel.

BEANS.—Inferior stock, 75c@$1.00; good clean country, $1.00@1.25; medium, hand picked, $1.40@1.50; hand picked navy, $1.50@1.60.

LEMONS—The market here is about steady with an active demand. Messina, choice, per box, $4.50@5.00; fancy, $5.50@6.00.

ORANGES—Riverside, $4.50; Navels, $4.50.

BERRIES—The best strawberries sold to-day at $2.00@2.50 per 16 qt. case. There were a few black raspberries in which brought $6.00 per case.

CHERRIES—There is a fair supply on the market and the average price for 10-lb boxes is $2.00@2.25.

BANANAS—There is a fair supply of choice large bunches on the market. Large bunches, per bunch, $3.00@4.50.

PEACHES—Per ½-bushel box, $1.50@2.00.

RASPBERRIES—Per 12-qt case, $2.75.

APRICOTS—Per 20-lb box, $2.00@2.50.

PROVISIONS.—Ham, 12c; breakfast bacon rib, 10; breakfast bacon, plain, 10½c; dry salt sides, 8½@8¾; dried beef, regular, 10@11; dried beef, ham pieces, 13c; lard, 50 lb cans, 6¼c; lard, 20 lb cans, Fairbanks, 7c; lard, 10 lb cans, Fairbanks, 7⅛c; lard 5 lb cans, Fairbanks, 7¼c; lard, 3 lb cans, Fairbanks, 7⅜c.

General Markets.

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.

DRY PAINTS—White lead, 7c; French zinc, 12c; Paris whiting, 2½c; whiting, gilders, 2¾c; 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, 13c; refined lampblack, 12c; coach black and ivory black, 16c; drop black, 16c; ultramarine black, 18c; chrome green, L., M. & D., 16; blind and shutter green, L. M. & D., 16c; Paris green, 20c; 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, 50c; acid tartaric, 52c; balsam copaiba, per lb, 60c; bark sassafrass, per lb, 10c; calomel, per lb, 78c; chinchonidia, per oz, 25c; chloroform, per lb, 50c; Dover's powders, per lb, $1.25; epsom salts, per lb, 3½c; glycerine, pure, per lb, 30c; lead, acetate, per lb, 20c; oil, castor, No. 1, per gal, $1.60; oil, castor, No. 2, per gal, $1.40c; oil, olive, per gal, $1.40; oil, origannum, 50c; opium, $4.50; quinine, P. & W. and R. & S., per; oz, 70c; potossium, iodide, per lb, $3.25c; salicin, per oz, 40c; sulphate morphine, per oz, $3.35; sulphur, per lb, 4c; strycnnine, per oz, $1.10.

PAINTS IN OIL.—White lead, Omaha, P. P., 6½c; white lead, St. Louis, pure, 7c; Marseilles, green, 1 lb cans, 16c; 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, 2¾c; Venetian red, American, 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.

SPIRITS—Cologne spirits, 188 proof, $1.10; do 101 proof, $1.12; spirits, second quality, 101 proof, $1.10; do 188 proof, $1.09. Alcohol, 188 proof, $2.18 per wine gallon. Redistilled whiskies, $1.00@1.50. Gin, blended $1.50@2.00; Kentucky bourbons, $2.00@6.00, 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, $22.00@33.00; American, per case, $10.00@15.00.

HIDES—Green butchers, 5¼@6c; green cured, 7c; dry flint, 11@12c; dry salt, 9@10c; green calf skins, 8c; damaged hides, two-thirds price. Tallow—3c. Grease—Prime white, 3c; yellow, 2c; brown, 1½c. Sheep pelts, 25@75c.

HEAVY HARDWARE—Iron, rate $2.70; plow steel, special cast, 4½c; crucible steel, 6½c; cast tools, do, 12@18c; wagon spokes, per set, $2.00@3.50; hubs, per set, $1.25; felloes, sawed, dry, $1.60; tongues, each, 80c; axles, each, 75c; square nuts, per lb, 61@71c; coil chain, per lb, 6½@13c; malleable, 8@10c; iron wedges, 6c; crowbars, 6c; harrow teeth, 4½c; spring steel, 4@5c; Burden's horse shoes, $4.75; Burden's mule shoes, $5.75. Barbed wire, in car lots, $4.00 per 100 lbs. Iron nails, rates, 10 to 50, $2.60; steel nails, $2.75. Shot, $1.35; buckshot, $1.60. Hazard powder, kegs, $5.00; do, half kegs, $2.75; do, quarter kegs, $1.50; blasting, kegs, $2.10; fuse, per 10 feet, 65c. Lead bar, $16.00.

Grocer's List.

COFFEE—Ordinary grades, 21@22c; fair, 21@23c; prime, 23@24; choice, 24@25; fancy green and yellow, 24@25c; old government Java, 28@28c; interior Java, 24@26c; Mocha, 28@30c; Arbuckle's, roasted 28¾c; McLaughlin's XXXX, 28¾c; Dilworth's, 27c; Red Cross, 27¼c.

SYRUP—No. 70, 4-gallon kegs, $1.28@1.30; New Orleans, per gallon, 38@46c; maple syrup, half bbls, "old time," per gallon, 70c; 1-gallon cans, per doz, $10.00; half gallon cans, per doz, $5.50; quart cans, $3.00.

CANDY—Mixed, 8½@11c; stick, 8½@9½c.

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

PICKLES—Medium, in bbls, $7.00; do in half bbls, $4.00; small, in bbls, $8.00; do, in half bbls, $4.50; gherkins, in bbls, $9.00; do, in half bbls, $5.00.

SUGAR—Granulated, 6⅜@6½c; conf. A, 6@6⅛c; white extra C, 5⅝@5¾c; extra C, 5⅛@5⅜c; yellow C, 5⅛@5⅜c; cut loaf, 6¾@6⅞c; powdered, 6⅜@7c.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters, standard, per case, $2.90@3.10; strawberries, 2 lb. per case, $2.30; raspberries, 2 lb. per case, $2.25@2.45; California pears, per case, $4.50; apricots, per case, $4.30; peaches, per case, $4.90; white cherries, per case, $5.50; plums, per case, $3.50; 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, $1.50@1.55; 2 lb. gooseberries, 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@2.50; 2 lb. early June peas, per case, $2.75; 3 lb. tomatoes, $2.50; 2 lb. corn, $2.50.

Dry Lumber.

DIMENSIONS AND TIMBERS.

	12 ft	14 ft	16 ft	18 ft	20 ft	22 ft	24 ft
2x4	17.50	17.50	17.50	18.50	19.50	22.50	22.50
2x6	17.50	17.50	17.50	18.50	19.50	22.50	22.50
2x8	17.50	17.50	17.50	18.50	19.50	22.50	22.50
2x10	17.50	17.50	17.50	18.50	19.50	22.50	22.50
2x12	17.5	17.50	17.50	18.50	19.50	23.50	22.50
4x4-8x8	18.50	18.50	18.50	19.50	20.50	23 00	23.00

BOARDS.

No. 1, com, s 1 s	$19.50
No. 2, com, s 1 s	17.50
No. 4, com, s 1 s	13.50

FENCING.

No. 1, 4 & 6 in, 12 & 14 ft, rough	$19.00
No. 2, " " " " " "	15.00

SIDING.

A, 12, 14 and 16 ft	$22.00
B, " " "	20.50
C, " " "	15.00
D, " " "	13.00

CEILING AND PARTITION.

1st com., ⅜ in White Pine Ceiling	$34.00
Clear, ⅜ in. Norway Pine Ceiling	16.00

FLOORING.

A 6 inch, white pine	$35.00
C " " "	29.50
E " " " (Sel Fen'g)	19.50

STOCK BOARDS.

A 12 inch s. 1 s	$45.00
No. 1, com. 12 in s. 1 s., 12, & 14	20.00
" " " " " 16 ft	19.00
No. 2 " " " " 12 & 14 ft	18.00
" " " " " 16 ft	17.00

FINISHING.

1st and 2d, clear, 1¼ inch, s. 2 s.	$50.00
3d, clear, 1 inch, s. 2 s	45.00
B select, 1 inch, s. 2 s 30; 1¼, 1½, 2 in	37.00

POSTS.

White Cedar, 6 in., ⅝s 12c; 9 in. qrs	11c

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