THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

"Old Hutch" Creates a Flurry in the Wheat Pit.

BEATEN AT THEIR OWN GAME.

The Frightened Shorts Forced to Settle at Heavy Losses—Corn Weak—Oats Steady—Provisions Higher—Cattle Unchanged.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Dollar-and-a-quarter wheat got here before it was expected. It arrived a few minutes before 1 o'clock to-day. Eggleston bidding that price for September in the pit and Tom Seymour, standing a few paces distant, bid $1.20 for car lots. Later a goodly quantity was bought at $1.25 in a settlement of contracts. Cash wheat was also bought at $1.25 before the close. There were horns on the wheat market to-day. Bullish but faintly describes the situation. It was more kinds of a bull market than has been seen in five years. There was nothing deceptive about it. It may be stated in this connection that "Old Hutch" is true to his record. He is not running a corner. In conjunction with Fairbanks and two or three others he owns all the cash wheat in this market, and he says he has searched the statute books in vain for a law compelling him to sell his wheat to shorts unless they pay him his price for it. Refusal to part with his own at terms sought to be dictated by people who had sold him something they didn't have is the extent of his sinning, he says. The wheat market opened ⅝@1⅛c off. For October only 96⅝c was obtainable at the beginning. December was quoted at 97@97⅛c and May at 99⅝c. Everybody was on top of the market. The crowd couldn't sell wheat fast enough or in quantities large enough to suit. Just when the change floated over the spirit of the crowd's dream is not clear. Possibly it was when some belated short undertook to buy a little wheat "on the break" to fill his September contract. Anyhow the change came, and it came suddenly. One minute millions of bushels of December were offered at 96⅝c and the next not a pound could be had within ⅛c of that price. Every time anybody wanted wheat it was necessary to bid over the last price paid to get it. In a very short space of time the market traveled back over the lost ground. From 96⅝c, December went to 98⅛c and then to 99c, May at the same time climbing from 99⅛c to $1.00⅞. This was thought to mark the top range for the day. But no, in a little while 99⅞c was bid for December and $1.01⅛ for May. Here there was a pause but only a brief one. December moved up to 99⅞c, then to 99⅞@99⅞c and a second later Ed Denver paid $1.00 for 5,000 bushels, getting it of Helmholz. At the same time, or within a few seconds of it, May was quoted at $1.01⅞, October at $1.01 and September at anywhere from $1.15 to $1.20. Cash and the whole list of futures was at or above the $1 line. A shout went up that fairly raised the roof. The wheat dial explained to those not in the vicinity of the wheat pit the cause of the excitement and the shout was echoed from all parts of the hall! December broke with a rush to 99⅞c, and a few minutes later it was selling at 98⅞c, with May at $1.00⅞. The market did not stay down more than thirty seconds. In a brief period 99⅛c was bid for December and above $1.01⅛ for May. December got as low as 99c several times, but that seemed to be the bottom. During the last hour trading was within the limits of 98⅞c and 99⅞c. May did not stray far away from $1.01.

While this was going on in more distant futures there was a rapidity of action in near months that made spectators dizzy. Trading in September began at $1.04@1.05. The successive upward steps may be seen by the following record of the "tape:" $1.07½, $1.08, $1.11, $1.15, $1.14, $1.16, $1.17, $1.18, $1.19, $1.18, $1.20, $1.22, $1.25. There were bids as high as $1.28 later. As before stated, Seymour established the market for car lots at $1.20 and he did considerable business on that basis during the morning. October sympathized to the extent of going from 95⅝c to $1.01⅛.

Hutchinson occupied his accustomed seat by the pillar at the foot of the gallery stairs during the entire session, looking as undisturbed as when the bears were pounding the market to force him to let go at 80c. His brokers were rather more active, but he evinced not the faintest signs of nervousness or excitement. During the session many shorts came to him to make terms. They were usually accommodated. When the market was $1.10 a party who was "short five" proposed to settle with him direct "at the market."

"What is the market?" asked the old gentleman.

"It was $1.10 when I left the pit," was the reply.

"Well, it will be $1.15 before you can get back," and a second later Ryder, one of his brokers, was bidding that.

Not long afterwards Eggleston and Bliss were offering $1.18, and the former gradually "tilted" the price to $1.25, where it rested. Outside news was scarce, but nobody cared. The Chicago board of trade was sufficient unto itself for one day. Business on other exchanges lagged. The entire trade world had its attention riveted on Chicago. Cables were dull, and no change of note occurred in the grain movement.

The opening of the corn market showed considerable weakness, with much selling pressure at from ¼c to ½c decline in near futures and about ⅛c on more remote. The opening weakness in wheat, larger receipts than expected, and clear, cool weather, all contributed to the weakness, but there was a good demand developed for October corn at 41c, although it sold as low as 40⅝c. It firmed up with the strength in wheat, advancing ⅝@⅝c from the lowest point but trading was light, speculative interest centering in the neighboring pit. Closing prices for to-day show a decline of ¼@⅝c and about ⅛c lower on more distant futures.

Oats ruled nearly steady with little activity displayed or few outside trading orders, as the interest appeared to be directed elsewhere, and price changes were few and unimportant.

In the provision pit there was no great activity at any time. Operators exhibited more than ordinary interest, but there was not much disposition to trade and the major portion of the buying, especially for October and November delivery, was for the purpose of covering short contracts. The stocks of all kinds of product are now small, even for this season, and with lard and pork in strong hands, the shorts realize that the market for near months is in good shape for an upward turn. Higher prices all around prevailed to-day, and at the adjournment October pork showed an advance of 32½c, October lard of 7½c, October short ribs 15c, November pork of 20c, year and January lard and January short ribs of 2½c, year pork of 12½c, and January pork of 10c. The feeling was bullish from the start, and the lowest quotations reported were very generally made early.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE.—The trade was in about the same condition as yesterday, and that means prices are as low as at any time in the history of trade on the average run of Texan rangers and medium native steers, and the same may be said of common natives. Cows, bulls, rough stock and veal calves are all down to low water mark, with the chances that prices will rule lower for some time to come at least. The flood of westerns seems on the ebb; that is, receipts up to this evening are 2,500 less than this time last week, but that number, either one way or the other, is barely noticeable these times. All markets are full of beef and shipments of cattle to eastern markets are the largest ever known, and many lots of the cheapest cattle ever sent east went out yesterday. One lot of excellent westerns, averaging about 1,400, were sent to Pittsburg and cost only $3.00, good enough for any market in the world. A few lots of prime natives sold pretty well up in the 66c column, but these sales are only a drop in the bucket, as the saying is, and have no influence whatever, and the great bulk of good cattle sold down in the $3 and $4 classes. Westerns are the best ever marketed in Chicago, many of the lots showing best short-horn and Hereford blood. Quotations are as follows: Choice to extra beeves, $6.15@6.60; medium to good steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs, $5.00@5.75; 1200 to 1350 lbs, $4.25@5.70; 950 to 1000 lbs, $3.40@4.15; stockers and feeders, $1.90@3.10; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.35@2.80; bulls, $2.10@2.45; Texas steers, $2.00@2.90; cows, $1.75@2.20; natives and half-breeds, $2.75@4.00; cows, $2.00@2.90; wintered Texans, $2.35@3.85.

HOGS—Business was brisk with a slight upturn but no essential advance, as best heavy sold largely at $6.75@6.40, fancy butcher weights $5.50. Mixed sold at $6.00@6.25 for best and $5.75@5.90 for the ordinary run of packers. About all the strings of packers were made up at $5.80@5.90. Light sorts sold at $6.00@6.10 for Yorkers and $5.75@5.90 for common light. The market closed rather easier than at the opening but about everything desirable was sold.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The stock market was active in spots at the opening to-day, coalers, Northern Pacific, Western Union and St. Paul being conspicuous, while yesterday's animation in New England was continued. First prices were generally slightly higher and the market continued strong and advancing. Reading was not a bull stock in early hours nor was New England, while Norfolk & Western preferred was lower. There was considerable realizing by traders, the leading commission houses taking a good share of the offerings. Western Union and other Gould stocks showed more life than of late and fractional gains were made. After 11 o'clock there was less animation, though the undertone continued firm, and at noon the market was steady at or near the best prices of the morning. Favorable reports from London and anticipated benefits arising from the granger meeting in Chicago were the main factors in the advance. The granger roads led in improvement, and the upward trend of values met with little opposition. St. Paul sold 6 points higher, up to 68⅞ near the close, finally resting 2½ points above the opening. Preferred gained 1 point, Rock Island advanced 1⅛, Burlington 1¼, Northwestern 2 points, Omaha 1, Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, Pacific Mail, Northern Pacific preferred and Lackawanna each at out 1 point, closing in some instances a trifle below the top. New England did not get above 49⅝ all day, generally hanging around 49, and the Reading close was but ⅜ higher. In most of the other stocks a slight improvement was made.

The following are the closing quotations.

U. S. 4s regular	129	Northern Pacific	27¼
U. S. 4s coupons	130	do preferred	61⅝
U. S. 4½s regular	107½	C. & N. W.	114⅛
U. S. 4½s coupons	107½	do preferred	143
Pacific 6s of '95	121	N. Y. Central	109½
Central Pacific	35	R., D. & E.	27½
Chicago & Alton	130	Rock Island	119¾
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	117¾	C., M. & St. P.	68½
		do preferred	109¾
D., L. & W.	143½	St. Paul & Omaha	41¼
Illinois Central	118	do preferred	109¼
L. E. & W.	18¼	Union Pacific	61⅝
Kansas & Texas	12	W., St. L. & P.	14¼
Lake Shore	102	do preferred	27½
Michigan Central	90⅞	Western Union	81½
Missouri Pacific	81⅛		

MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 1½@2 per cent; last loan at 2 per cent, and closed offered at 2 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5¼@7½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Dull but steady at $4.83¾ for sixty-day bills, $4.87¾ for demand.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—Wheat—Strong and higher; September, $1.25 asked; October, $1.01⅛; December, 98⅝@98⅞c; May, $1.01⅞.

Corn—Steady; September, 43½c asked; October, 40½c; December, 37¾c; May, 38¼c.

Oats—Easy; September, 23½c; October, 23⅝c; December, 24½c; May, 28⅛c.

Rye—51c.

Barley—Nominal.

Prime Timothy—$1.50@1.52.

Whisky—$1.20.

Flax—$1.31.

Pork—Higher; September and October, $14.90; November, $14.95; January, $13.77½.

Lard—September and October, $10.55; November, $9.22; January, $8.12½.

Flour—Market ruled quiet but firmer, and dealers were asking higher prices and in some cases it was obtained; patents, $5.90@6.10; bakers', in sacks, $4.00@4.25; straight, $5.00@5.25; winters, $4.75@5.10.

Dry Salt Meats—Shoulders, 8⅝@8¾c; short clear, 9½@9⅝c; short ribs, September, $8.67½@8.70.

Butter—Quiet; creamery, 15@23c; dairy, 13@20c.

Cheese—Steady; full cream cheddars, fancy, 8¼@8½c; flats, 8⅜@8c; fancy Young Americas, 8½@8¾c; skims, good, 6@7c; flats, 4@5c.

Eggs—Firm; fresh northern, 18¼@19c.

Hides—Unchanged; heavy green salted, 7@7½c; light green salted, 7½c; salted bull, 5c; dry flint, 9c; damaged, 7c; dry calf, 7@8c; branded hides 15 per cent off; deacons, 25@30c each; dry salted, 7c.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, solid packed, 5¼@5½c; No. 2, 4@4¼c; cake, 5½@5¾c per lb.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	14,000	28,000
Wheat bu.	78,000	45,000
Corn, bu.	302,000	463,000
Oats, bu.	234,000	171,000
Rye, bu.	....	....
Barley, bu.	....	....

Milwaukee, Sept. 27.—Wheat—Excited; cash 98c; October, 96⅝c; December, 96⅝c.

Corn—Quiet; No. 3, 40c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 white, 29½c.

Rye—Firm; No. 1, 51@52⅝c.

Barley—Unsettled; No. 2 not quoted.

Provisions—Dull. Pork—Cash and September, $14.85.

Cincinnati, Sept. 27.—Wheat—Stronger, held higher; No. 2 red, 96c.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 45½c.

Oats—Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 27@25½c.

Rye—Firmer; No. 2, 55c.

Whisky—Steady at $1.14.

St. Louis, Sept. 27.—Wheat—Unsettled; cash, 96½c; October, 96½c bid.

Corn—Firm but dull; cash, 40c; October, 38⅝c bid.

Oats—Firm; cash, 23c bid; October, 22⅞c bid.

Pork—Higher; cash, $15.50.

Lard—Firm at $10.25.

Whisky—Steady at $1.14.

Butter—Quiet; creamery, 18@20c; dairy, 15@17c.

Minneapolis, Sept. 27.—Wheat—Local receipts were 264 cars, and shipments 42. Excitement at other points had but little effect, though sellers made the customary advance in asking prices. Sales of No. 1 hard ranged up to $1.43, and northern sold from $1.07 to 1.10 as outside buying was fairly active. Closing: No. 1 hard, cash and October, $1.10; December, $1.10½; May, $1.12¼; No. 1 northern, cash and October, $1.06; December, $1.06½; May, $1.08; No. 2 northern, cash and October, $1.02; December, $1.02½; May, $1.04.

New York, Sept. 27.—Wheat—Receipts, 298,300; exports, 19,200; spot market stronger and irregular with moderate business; No. 2 red, $1.00⅝@1.01 in elevator, $1.01⅞@1.02 afloat, $1.02@1.02¾ f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 96½@96c; No. 4 red, 87c; ungraded red, 96⅛@$1.03⅛c; options stood 1@1¼c higher on reports from Chicago of sharp squeezing in September options, but closed only ⅛@¼c better than last night; weaker; trading active; No. 2 red, October closing $1.01⅝.

Corn—Receipts, 328,100; exports, 148,140; spot market active and ½c lower; No. 2, 50½c in elevator, 50⅝@51¼c afloat; ungraded mixed, 49@51½c; options less active, weak and ¼@⅜c lower on early deliveries; ¼@⅜c higher on January and May; October closing at 50½c.

Oats—Receipts, 141,000; exports none; spot market a shade firmer; fairly active; options ⅛c higher and quiet; October 29⅝c; No. 2 white, 33¼c; mixed western, 26@31c; white western, 27@45c.

Coffee—Options steady; sales, 47,000 bags, including September at $13.05@13.20; October, $12.25@12.45; November, $11.55@11.75; spot Rio quiet and steady; fair cargoes $14.75.

Petroleum—Steady and quiet. United closed at 94¼c.

Eggs—Firm; fair trade; western, 17½@19⅝c.

Pork—Steady; mess, $15.25@15.75.

Lard—Easier and dull; sales of western steam, $10.80; option sales of October, $10.55, closing at $10.55.

Butter—Barely steady; moderate demand; western dairy, 12@14½c; western creamery, 13@23c.

Cheese—Higher; Western, 7¾@8⅝c.

Kansas City, Sept. 27.—Wheat—Stronger; No. 2, red, cash, 85c asked; October, 84½c bid; December sales at 88@88¼c; No. 2 soft, cash, 92c bid; October 92c bid.

Corn—Quiet; No. 2, cash, 37c asked; October 32½c asked.

Oats—No. 2, cash, 20c asked.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Sept. 27.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 13,500 head, including 8,000 Texas and western cattle; good cattle steady, common lower; choice to extra beeves, $6.15@6.60; common to good, $3.40@5.75; stockers and feeders, $1.90@3.10; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.35@2.80; Texas steers, $2.00@2.90; cows, $1.75@2.20; natives and half breeds, $2.75@4.00; wintered Texans, $2.35@3.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,500; market stronger; mixed, $5.75@6.20; heavy, $5.75@6.20; light, $5.50@6.10; skips, $3.50@5.40.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,500; market steady; natives, $2.75@4.10; westerns, $3.20@3.75; Texans, $2.75@3.50; lambs, $4.75@5.55.

Kansas City, Sept. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; shipments, none. Supply chiefly grass range and native cows; grass range slow and weak; good cows about 5c higher; common dull and stockers and feeding steers steady; good to choice corn-fed $5.00@5.50; common to medium, $3.25@4.75; grass range steers, $1.75@3.00; stockers and feeding steers, $1.60@3.40; cows, $1.25@2.70.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,240; shipments, 2,250; market opened weak and 5c lower; closing a shade stronger; good to choice, $6.00@6.10; common to medium, $5.25@5.90; skips and pigs, $4.00@5.00.

National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, Sept. 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 1,400; market slow; choice heavy native steers, $4.80@5.40; fair to good native steers, $4.20@4.90; butchers' steers, medium to choice, $3.25@4.30; stockers and feeders, fair to good, $2.00@3.30; rangers, corn-fed, $3.00@4.10; grass-fed, $2.00@3.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; shipments, 1,000; market lower; choice heavy and butchers' selections, $6.10@6.30; packing, medium to prime, $6.00@6.20; light grades, ordinary to best, $4.75@6.00.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Thursday, Sept. 27, 1888.

The cattle market continues in a very unsatisfactory condition. Although the fresh receipts were not heavy to-day, the supply was large and the trade extremely dull and slow. Even feeders moved slowly, and butchers' stock was not in very heavy demand. The prices paid for cows ranged from $1.60 to $2.80, principally from $1.90 to $2.10. Feeders sold from $2.25½ to $3.10. The packers paid $4.15 for a few corn-fed steers averaging 1278 lbs., and $2.50 for some 1200-lb. Texans.

Hogs.

There were not far from eighty loads of hogs on sale to-day. The market as a whole was about steady with yesterday's general market; but heavy hogs, such as were wanted by the Boston buyers, sold strong, while light and common mixed hogs were easier. The increased demand caused by the presence of the Boston buyers was sufficient to take all the offerings, and the market closed with everything sold.

Sheep.

There were no sheep on sale to-day and nothing to make a market.

Receipts.

Cattle	1,300
Hogs	4,600
Horses	50

Prevailing Prices.

The following is a table of prices paid in this market for the grades of stock mentioned.

Prime steers, 1300 to 1500 lbs.	$4.50	@5.00
Prime steers, 1100 to 1300 lbs.	4.00	@4.75
Native feeders	2.50	@3.10
Western feeders	2.50	@2.75
Range steers, com'on to choice	2.75	@3.60
Common to good cows	1.40	@2.00
Choice to fancy cows	2.00	@2.50
Common to choice bulls	1.25	@1.75
Fair to choice light hogs	5.50	@5.70
Fair to choice heavy hogs	5.90	@6.05
Fair to choice mixed hogs	5.75	@5.90

Representative Sales.

CATTLE.

No.	Av.	Pr.
1 bull	1,850	$1.60
3 cows	923	1.60
3 cows	950	1.60
23 cows	965	1.77½
43 calves	538	1.85
5 steers, western tailings	1,234	1.85
2 cows	990	1.90
3 cows	926	1.90
2 cows	1,195	2.00
1 bull	1,460	2.00
1 cow	800	2.00
1 cow	1,120	2.00
17 yearlings	666	2.00
20 cows	991	2.05
21 cows	1,018	2.10
18 feeders	1,037	2.27½
9 calves	415	2.45
16 feeders, natives	879	2.65
17 feeders	848	2.65
17 feeders, natives	981	2.70
8 steers, westerns	1,177	2.75
18 steers, westerns	1,381	2.75
4 cows	1,162	2.80
15 feeders	984	2.90
1 calf	300	3.00
19 feeders	930	3.05
25 feeders	952	3.05
23 feeders, natives	980	3.10
3 calves	127	3.50
37 steers, c. f. natives, Neb.	1,278	4.15

RANGE CATTLE.

Owner.		Av.	Pr.
Bay State C. Co.,	17 steers, Tex.	1192	$2.50
"	1 steer, Tex.	1320	2.50
"	2 steers, Tex.	1475	2.50
Reel & Rosendale,	22 cows	1185	2.25
Whitewood Banking Co.,	20 cows	1098	2.15
"	1 stag	1760	1.90
"	23 steers	1100	2.85

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
73	199	320	$5.50	64	282	80	$5.85
60	219	80	5.50	63	263	—	5.85
81	192	80	5.55	66	272	160	5.85
60	207	160	5.60	64	229	80	5.85
60	235	120	5.60	61	259	120	5.85
83	199	40	5.60	62	216	120	5.85
71	177	—	5.60	68	254	160	5.85
62	234	240	5.65	70	229	80	5.85
79	245	280	5.67½	78	229	160	5.85
63	236	320	5.70	63	240	40	5.85
53	239	—	5.70	72	266	160	5.85
81	217	200	5.70	72	251	160	5.85
75	204	120	5.70	48	247	120	5.85
13	193	—	5.70	70	271	160	5.85
10	199	—	5.70	62	258	200	5.85
66	246	—	5.75	54	258	—	5.85
67	249	200	5.75	67	266	280	5.87½
71	238	—	5.75	72	261	240	5.90
64	239	80	5.75	72	284	360	5.90
78	237	160	5.75	48	288	120	5.90
71	239	80	5.75	62	288	40	5.90
63	228	200	5.75	69	274	160	5.90
75	240	160	5.75	63	260	40	5.90
57	240	40	5.75	67	246	240	5.90
53	231	80	5.75	60	276	120	5.90
82	235	160	5.77½	67	265	80	5.90
80	226	40	5.77½	59	260	160	5.90
60	239	—	5.80	67	259	160	5.90
73	246	320	5.80	57	313	240	5.92½
68	259	120	5.80	72	269	200	5.95
70	239	40	5.80	63	283	240	5.95
61	236	160	5.80	59	327	200	5.95
74	222	—	5.80	61	252	80	5.95
68	225	160	5.80	71	288	120	5.95
71	243	160	5.80	58	268	120	5.95
51	231	80	5.80	66	271	160	5.95
81	241	80	5.80	67	293	80	6.00
85	212	80	5.80	71	294	80	6.02½
60	246	80	5.85	64	269	—	6.05

Packers Purchases.

Showing the number of hogs bought by the leading buyers on the market to-day:

G. H. Hammond & Co.	572
Omaha Packing Co.	1,157
Armour C. P. Co.	2,630
C. C. C.	116

Highest and Lowest.

The following are the highest and lowest prices paid for mixed and heavy loads of hogs on this market on the dates indicated in 1887, 1886 and 1885.

	Sept. 1887.		Sept. 1886.		Sept. 1885.	
12	5 10	@5 35	Sunday.		$3 55	@3 65
13	Sunday		4 45	@4 85	3 50	@3 70
14	5 10	@5 35	4 45	@4 85	3 50	@3 70
15	5 00	@5 35	4 50	@4 70	No sales.	
16	5 00	@5 35	4 45	@4 60	3 50	
17	4 85	@5 10				
18	4 60	@5 00	4 45	@4 55	3 35	@3 60
19	4 50	@4 80	Sunday.		3 60	@3 80
20	Sunday		4 30	@4 62½	Sunday	
21	4 70	@4 85	4 40	@4 60	3 45	@3 50
22	4 70	@4 90	4 40	@4 50	3 45	@3 50
23	4 65	@5 00	4 30	@4 45	3 40	@3 50
24	4 40	@4 80	4 25	@4 50	3 40	@3 45
25	Sunday.		4 25	@4 40	3 40	@3 50
26	4 50	@4 70	Sunday.		3 45	

Live Stock Notes.

L. C. Gilbert, Cowles, was here with cattle.

Joe Cameron, of Raymond, was a visitor at the yards.

W. E. Bryson, Adams, was in with two loads of cattle.

E. E. Rankin came in with a load of cattle from Long Pine.

Captain Lavender, Scotland, Dak., was in looking for sheep.

O. E. Whittaker, of Red Oak, Ia., was here looking for feeders.

R. O. Briggs came over from Red Oak, Ia., to look for feeders.

Steufer & B., Dodge, were among those who sold hogs at $5.90.

Jake Paul, a well-known stockman of Dorchester, was at the yards.

S. H. Babbitt and John F. Roberts, Ashland, were here with stock.

Gus Bredenberg, Malmo, was in and marketed a load of hogs at $5.90.

E. B. Shutt, Craig, Neb., marketed a load of 263-lb. hogs at the top price, $6.05.

B. J. Tierney, Ansley, came in with two cars of hogs, which sold on the market.

J. E. Doud is back from his eastern trip, during which he visited all the packing points of any importance.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce, Fruits, Etc.

Trade continues very good and all hands in the jobbing trade are fairly busy. Money is getting harder but there is a supply in bankers' hands ample for all legitimate wants at the ruling rates, 10 per cent.

BUTTER—Fancy, solid-packed creamery, 18@23c; choice country, 16@18c; common grades, 10@13c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, 18@19c candled.

CALIFORNIA GRAPES—$1.25@1.50 per case.

CONCORD GRAPES—46@60c per 10-lb basket.

PEACHES—California, $1.00@1.50 per box; Michigan, 50c@$1.00 per basket.

BANANAS—Common, $1.50@2.25 per bunch; choice, $2.50@3.50.

LEMONS—$4.00@5.00 per case.

CANTELOPES—40@75c per dozen.

PLUMS—50@75c per bu.

POTATOES—40@60c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—75@80c per bu.

POULTRY—No dressed fowl in the market; live chickens, $3.50@3.75 per doz.; spring chickens, $2.25@3.00.

TOMATOES—20c@$1.00 per bu.

WATERMELONS—$5.00@10.00 per 100.

PEARS—California, $3.00@3.50 per bu box; Southern, 75 per ½ bu.

CELERY—25@30c per dozen.

EGG PLANT—75@$1.00 per dozen.

ONIONS—5@75c per bu.

APPLES—$2.00@4.00 per bbl.

CRABAPPLES—75c per bushel.

CIDER—Michigan, $4.50@5.50 per bbl 32 gals; California pear cider, $15.00 per bbl.

POP CORN—Rice, 3@4c; common, 2@3c.

CARROTS—50c per bushel.

BEANS—Choice eastern handpicked navies, $2.00 per bushel; western hand picked navies, $1.75@1.80; mediums, $1.50@1.60. Lima beans 5c per pound.

HAY—f. o. b. cars, No. 1 upland, $6.00; No. 2 upland, $5.00.

BRAN—$10.00.

CHOPPED FEED—$17.00 per ton.

VINEGAR—Cider, 10@18c per gal. White wine, 10@20c per gal.

CRANBERRIES—$7.00@9.00 per bbl.

Grocers' List.

Revised prices are as follows:

BAGGING—Stark A, seamless, 22c; Amoskeag, seamless, 17½c; Lewiston A, seamless, 19c; American, seamless, 17c; burlaps, 4 to 5 bu, 11@14c; gunnies, single, 13c; gunnies, double, 20c; wool sacks, 35c. Twines—Flax, 38c; extra sail, 20@21c sail B, 19@20c; cotton, 21c; jute, 10c.

COFFEES—Mocha, 25@26c; Rio, good, 16@17c; Mandahling, 25@28c; roasting Rio, 15@16c; O. G. Java, 24@26c; Java, interior, 22@25c; Rio, fancy, 16@19c; Santos and Maracaibo, 17@19c; Arbuckles, 19¼c.

SUGAR—Granulated, 8¼c; conf. A, 8c; white extra C, 7¾c; extra C, 7⅜c; yellow C, 7c; powdered, 7c; cubes, 9c.

HONEY—16@18c for one pound frames; strained honey, 6@8c per pound.

BEESWAX—Choice yellow, 20@22½c; dark colored, 13@14c.

CHEESE—Young America, full cream, 10@11c; full cream cheddars, 9½@10c; full cream flats, 9½c; good to choice skimmed cheddars, 7½c; skimmed flats, 6½c.

PICKLES—Medium, in bbls, $5.5½; do in half bbls, $3.00; small, in bbls, $6.50; do in half bbls, $3.75; gherkins, in bbls, $8.00; do in half bbls $4.50

TOBACCO—Plug, 26@65c; smoking, 16@90c.

JELLIES—$1.25 per 30-lb pail.

SALT—$1.30@1.35 per bbl.

ROPE—7-16, 11½c.

MAPLE SUGAR—Bricks, 11@12c per lb; penny cakes, 12@13c per lb; pure maple syrup, $1.00 per gal.

TEAS—Young Hyson, common to fair, 18@25c; Young Hyson, good to fancy, 30@55c; Gunpowder, common to good, 22@25c; Gunpowder, choice to fancy, 40@65c; Japan, common to medium, 15@25 Japan, choice to fancy, 30@45c; Oolong, common to good, 25@35c; Oolong, choice to fancy, 50@70c; Imperial, common to medium, 25@35c; Imperial, good to fancy, 40@50c.

NUTS—Almonds, 15@17c; filberts, 11@12c; Brazil, 9@10c; walnuts, 12c; pecans, 10@11c; peanuts, 5@7c.

CRACKERS—5@10c per lb; assorted cakes, 7@25c per lb, as per list.

DRIED FRUITS—Figs, in boxes, per lb, 13@16c; dates, in boxes, 7@10c; London Malaga layer raisins, per box, $3.50@3.75; Malaga loose raisins, $2.30@2.50; new Valencia raisins, per lb, 8@ c; California loose muscatels, per box, $1.50, pitted cherries, per lb, 20@21c; California pitted plums, per lb, 12@13c; dried blackberries, per lb, 8¼@9c; dried raspberries, per lb, 23@24c; evaporated apples, 8½@14c; California sun dried peaches, 13c; California unpared evaporated peaches, 15@18c; evaporated California apricots, 19c; Zantee currants, 6½@7c; Turkish prunes, 4½@4¾c; citron, 22@24c; orange peel, 15c; lemon peel, 16c.

FISH.—Holland Herring, 85c@90c. per keg, White Fish, ½ bbls., No. 1, $6.00, Family $3.75; Trout, No. 1, $5.50; Mackerel, ½ bbls. No. 1 Shore, $15.00, Large Family, $10.50; Labrador Herring, $4.50; Columbia River Salmon, $17.00 per bbl.

CODFISH—Per lb, whole, 6c; bricks and strips, 7@8c.

CANDY—Mixed, 8@13c; stick, 8¾@9½c; rock candy, 10¼@13c; fancy candy, 7@22c.

Dry Goods.

COTTON FLANNELS—10 per cent dis.; LL, 5½c; CC, 6¾c; SS, 7¾c; Nameless, 5c; RX, 18c; R, 20c; No. 10, 8½c; No. 40, 10½c; No. 60, 12½c; No. 80, 13½c; No. 30, colored, 9c; No. 50, colored, 12c; No. 70, colored, 12½c; Bristol, 12½c; Union Pacific, 17c

CARPET WARP—Bib White, 19c; colored, 22c

BATTS—Standard, 8c; Gem 10c; Beauty, 12½c; Boone, 14c; B, cased, $6.5u.

PRINTS—Solid colors—Atlantic, 6c; Slater 5½c; Berlin oil, 6½c; Garner oil, 6@7c.

CORSET JEANS—Androscoggin, 7½c; Kearsarge, 7¾c; Rockport, 6¾c; Conestoga, 6½c.

TICKS—York, 30 in., 12½c; York, 32 in., 13½c; Swift River, 8c; Thorndike OO, 8¼c; Thorndike EF, 8¼c; Thorndike 120, 9½c; Thorndike XX, 15c; Cordis No. 5, 9½c; Cordis No. 4, 11c.

DENIMS—Amoskeag, 9oz, 16½c; Everett, 7 oz, 13½c; York, 7 oz, 13½c; Haymaker, 8½c; Jaffrey XX, 11½c; Jaffrey XXX, 12½c; Beaver Creek AA, 12c; Beaver Creek BB 11c; Beaver Creek CC, 10c.

KENTUCKY JEANS.—Memorial, 15c; Dakota 18c; Durham, 27½c; Hercules, 18c; Leamington, 22½c; Cottswold, 27½c.

CRASH.—Stevens' B, 6c; Stevens' B bleached, 7c; Stevens' A, 7½c; Stevens A bleached, 8½c; Stevens' F, 8½c; Stevens' P, bleached, 9½c; Stevens' N, 9½c; Stevens' N, bleached, 10½c; Stevens, SRt, 12½c

MISCELLANEOUS.—Tanté on cloth, $2.50; plain Holland, 9½c; Dado Holland, 12½c.

Brown sheeting—Atlantic A, 4-4, 7½c; Atlantic H, 4-4, 7½c; Atlantic D, 4-4, 6¾c; Atlantic P, 4-4, 6c; Aurora LL, 4-4, 6c; Aurora C, 4-4, 4½c; Crown XXX, 4-4, 6¾c; Hoosier LL, 4-4, 6c; Indian Head, 4-4, 7½c; Lawrence LL, 4-4, 6c; Old Dominion, 4-4, 5½c; Pepperell R, 4-4, 7c; Pepperell O, 4-4, 6¾c; Pepperell, 8-4, 18½c; Pepperell, 9-4, 21c; Pepperell, 10-4, 23c; Utica C, 4-4, 4½c; Wachusett, 4-4, 7½c; Aurora R, 4-4, 7c; Aurora B, 4-4, 6½c.

DUCK—West Point 79 in, 8 oz, 10½c; West Point 29 in, 10 oz, 13c; West Point 29 in, 12 oz, 15c; West Point 40 in, 11 oz, 16c.

FLANNELS—Red, C, 24 in, 15½; E, 24 in, 21c; G G, 24 in, 18c; H A F, ¾, 25c; J R F, ¾, 27½c.

PRINTS—Pink and Robes—Richmond, 6½c; Allen, 6c; Riverpoint, 5c; Steel River, 6½c; Richmond, 6½c; Pacific, 6½c.

PRINTS—Dress—Charter O