THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Locally, Hutchinson Was Counted the Heaviest Seller of Wheat.

CORN VALUES SLIGHTLY UP.

Considerable Interest Manifested in Provisions—Demand For Cattle Rather Better and Prices Higher—Hogs Steady.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The wheat market was seemingly narrow to-day and fluctuations were within a range of about ¾c. The aggregate volume of trade was considerably above the average, though the session was punctuated by periods of distressing dullness. The mean range at which May wheat was dealt in was $1.04¼@1.05, though the price several times went beyond these extremes, the tendency being above, rather than below the limit named. The course of the market for the past thirty days has encouraged short selling, and it is probably true that the short interest is larger now than it has been since the culmination of the advance last fall. A big short interest is usually, but not always, a source of strength, for it sometimes happens that the market is literally overwhelmed with speculative offerings. Whether such is to be the outcome this time is a point upon which a very wide difference of radical opinion exists. Nothing has occurred as yet to show that the strongest holders have lost confidence in the correctness of their position, but "tailers" are subject to frequent fits of nervous tremor. They do not know whether they are "afoot or on horse back." They are strong when the market gets strong, and weak when the market gets weak. Every time values dip they conclude that the bull backbone is telescoping, and run. The situation is not luminous with that clear light which operators delight to see. Locally Hutchinson was counted as the heaviest seller of wheat, and the largest buying was supposed to be for Kent and Fairbank. The big commission houses were on both sides of the market with distinguished impartiality. As a rule they were free sellers early, and buyers later on, but some of them appeared to have selling orders on all the hard spots throughout the session. The news from the northwest was statistically bullish and speculatively bearish. Many of the strong bulls in the spring wheat district have changed front and are sending forth sorrowful messages. The receipts are smaller than they have been yet, and a rather better tone to the flour market is reported. The gist of foreign advices is that the feeling in the breadstuff market is getting better, and some private cablegrams are quite bullish in tenor. From the seaboard points the burden of the news was somewhat encouraging. Little export business at New York and Philadelphia is reported, and San Francisco dispatches make mention of large shipments by steamers for Antwerp and other European points. The Atlantic ports business is quite small, but it shows that the eastern markets are low enough to stimulate foreign interests. The closing range here and elsewhere shows no particular change in values as compared with yesterday. The initial trading in May wheat was $1.05¼@1.05⅝. The price went down to $1.04⅜, up to $1.05⅛, down to $1.04⅜, up to $1.05⅛, off to $1.04⅜, up to $1.05, and back and forth between $1.04⅜@1.04⅜ a dozen times, then off to $1.04⅝@1.04⅛, up to $1.05⅜, and off to $1.04⅜, which was the close. January opened at $1.00, ranged to 99¾c@$1.00¼, and closed at 99⅜c. July opened at 96c, ranged to 95¼c low, and 96⅝c@96¾c high, and closed at 96c.

The opening of the corn market was at somewhat improved prices, but there was no activity or urgency in the demand. The favorable weather conditions continued, and although the receipts were light today, there exists no fears of their drying up with the present encouragement of roads and temperature. For to-morrow the estimated receipts of 238 cars gave confidence to the prevailing impression. The movement from and through Chicago is heavy and evinces a very free use of this cereal at present prices, and exporters continue to take liberal quantities. New Orleans continues to be a point of shipment for the European markets, 23,000 bushels clearing from there yesterday. Liverpool imported over 200,000 bushels of American corn during the last three days. Fluctuations were narrow and the day's business of a local scalping kind, with a firm undertone. The changes at the close of the market from the values current at the corresponding time yesterday show about ¼c advance on near futures, with May 1-16 of a cent under yesterday's closing quotation.

Oats were more active than recently, and after a nearly steady opening declined about ¼c, with a partial reaction later. Trading in futures was almost exclusively in May. The receipts and estimates were both small and the weakness was due to the rather liberal selling. Enough demand appeared to prevent any severe shrinkage in price, with near months dull and weak. No. 2 in store was about ¼c lower at 24½c. Out of the inspected receipts about 20 per cent were contract grade.

Considerable interest was manifested in provisions to-day, and increased business was transacted in speculative articles. The feeling early was a little easier, especially for mess pork and lard, as prices were tending down for live hogs at the stock yards, but later, under the good buying by strong local parties, Kent taking the lead, a hardening of speculative values was witnessed on the whole list. Fluctuations, however, were within comparatively narrow limits, and most of the business passing was in May options. Outside orders were light both ways, the deal, as for some time past, being largely in the hands of the local professionals and packers. It is believed that with the healthy and strong undertone existing, a little boost could be given the market, should it receive anything like substantial support in May outside buying orders. The best prices of the day were established during the last half hour of the session, and the improvement was well maintained. In pork there was an advance of 17½@20c, in lard of 5@7½c, and in ribs of 7½@10c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—The demand was rather better than yesterday, with a slight upturn all around, some salesmen sending dispatches out quoting advances of 15@20c over the lowest prices of last week. The New York market was quoted substantially higher with only eighty cars on sale. The receipts at other points showed up light, indicating a light run for the first part of next week. At Kansas City at least there were no Texans on the market, and native cow stock sold quicker, and in some cases stronger. The general market closed steady, with less stock unsold than for any Friday night for the past three weeks. The stocker and feeder trade continues slow. The receipts include 600 Texans. Choice beeves, $4.60@4.85; medium to good steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs. $4.00@4.40; 1200 to 1350 lbs, $3.50@4.00; 950 to 1200 lbs. $2.90@3.35; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.40@3.10; bulk, $2.10@2.35; Texans, slop fed, $3.75@4.00; grass steers, $2.40@3.00; cows, $2.00@2.20.

HOGS—The demand was fair and prices steady at the big decline noted yesterday, that is in the Burlington and Rock Island divisions. Prices ruled steady, but the early sales in the Northwestern division were 5@10c lower than in the Burlington and Rock Island divisions. Some common stock sold at $4.90@4.95, and fair to good at $5.00@5.05; best packers largely at $5.10, and best heavy at $5.15@5.20. One lot of fancy sold at $5.25, and light sorts sold within a range of from $5.10 to $5.20, and pigs at $4.00@5.05.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The stock market this morning opened tame. London sent a few buying orders, and the first prices were a shade better than last night's closing figures. The improvement was of short duration, however, as traders generally were inclined to sell their stocks on the rallies. The reported rate cutting by the Missouri Pacific yesterday was a bear card, and an attack was immediately made on that stock, and a decline of 1¼ per cent followed. It is believed by many that Jay Gould is opposed to doing anything which will insure peace and harmony among the southwestern lines, and a great deal of distrust and disappointment prevails. Lackawanna stock was selling exdividend at 1⅝ per cent this morning, and there appeared to be a great deal of long stock offering. The room traders jumped in for a turn on the short side, and, as there was very little resistance shown, the stock easily yielded 1¼ per cent. Jersey Central, however, was active and stronger, and advanced 1¼ per cent, reaching par. Grangers, New England, and Oregon Transcontinental followed in the downward course, and at noon no recovery of note had taken place, and the market was dull and heavy at about the lowest prices of the day. There was some covering of short sales during the afternoon and the market rallied sharply. It was currently reported that a dividend was near at hand on Union Pacific, and that stock was being freely bought. New England was being picked up by Boston houses. Money has ruled easy, and a favorable bank statement is looked for to-morrow, and while prices at the close were not fully up to the opening, the market closed quite firm. New England shows a net gain of ⅝, Union Pacific ½, St. Paul ¾ and Northwestern ⅜ per cent, Lackawanna shows a net loss for the day of of ¾, Reading ⅜, Jersey Central ⅜ and Missouri Pacific ½ per cent. The total sales amounted to 212,364 shares, including Lackawanna, 22,000; Jersey Central, 8,000; Reading, 27,000; Northwestern, 10,000; St. Paul, 3,000; New England, 17,000; Oregon Transcontinental, 10,000, and Missouri Pacific, 11,000 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	126½	Northern Pacific	25¾
U. S. 4s coupons	126½	do preferred	59⅝
U. S. 4½s regular	109¼	C. & N. W.	107¾
U. S. 4½s coupons	108¾	do preferred	140¾
Pacific 6s of '95	119	N. Y. Central	105¾
Central Pacific	35⅞	R., D. & E.	25½
Chicago & Alton	134	Rock Island	97¼
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	108½	C., M. & St. P.	62⅜
		do preferred	102¾
D., L. & W.	140⅞	St. Paul & Omaha	31
Illinois Central	114½	do preferred	90¾
L., R. & W.	10	Union Pacific	64⅝
Kansas & Texas	13¾	W., St. L. & P.	13
Lake Shore	103¼	do preferred	24½
Michigan Central	89½	Western Union	85⅝
Missouri Pacific	71½		

MONEY ON CALL—Easy at 3½@5 per cent; last loan 4 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@6½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Dull but steady; sixty days, $4.84¼; demand, $4.88¼.

PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Wheat—Firmer; cash, 99½c; February, $1.01; May, $1.04⅜.

Corn—Steady; cash, 33¼c; February, 34½c; May, 36¾c.

Oats—Steady; cash 24½c; February, 25¼c; May, 27 15-16c.

Rye—40½c.

Barley—No trading.

Prime Timothy—No trading.

Flax—$1.62.

Whisky—$1.03.

Pork—Firmer; cash, $12.75; February, $12.90; May, $13.20.

Lard—Firm; cash, $7.37½; February, $7.37½; May, $7.52½.

Flour—Unchanged.

Bulk Meats — Shoulders, $6.25@6.37½; short clear, $7.00@7.12½; short ribs, $8.75.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 19@28c; dairy, 17@23c.

Cheese—Firm; full cream cheddars, 10¾@11c; flats, 10¾@11¼c; Young Americas, 11¼@12c.

Eggs—Unchanged; fresh, 17@18c.

Hides — Unchanged; heavy green salted; 6½c; light green salted, 6¾c; green, 5cn salted bull, 5¼c; green bull, 4½c; greed dry flint, 7½@8c; dry calf, 7@8c; brande: hides, 15 per cent off; deacons, 25@30c each, dry salted, 10@15c.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, solid 5¼c; No. 2, 4½c; cake, 5½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	12,000	1,000
Wheat bu.	20,000	9,000
Corn, bu.	158,000	471,000
Oats, bu.	137,000	92,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Wheat—Receipts, 3,300; exports, none; spot dull, unsettled and lower; No. 2 red, $1 03⅜@1.01 in elevator, $1.02½@1.02¾ afloat, $1.02@1.03½ f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 95½c. Options less active and irregular, closing ¼@¾c under yesterday; January closing at $1.00¾.

Corn—Receipts, 445,000; exports, 110,000; spot fairly active, weak and ½@¾c lower; No. 2, 45¼c in elevator, 46¼@47½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 38@47c; No. 3, 39@41c. Options moderately active but weak and ¼@1c lower.

Oats—Receipts, 82,000; exports, 580; spot moderately active and steady. Options fairly active and lower, January closing at 31½c; February, 32c; May, 33c; mixed western, 30@32c.

Coffee—Options steady and closed firm at 5 to 10 points above yesterday; sales, 94,500 bags; January, $15.05@15.75; February, $15.50@15.75; March, $15.55@15.80; Spot Rio strong; fair cargoes at $14.14.

Petroleum—Steady but quiet; united closed at 86¼c.

Eggs—Weak and quiet; western, 18c.

Pork—Lower and quiet; mess, $13.75@14.25.

Lard—Firm but less active; western steam, $7.90; January, $7.77½@7.80.

Butter—Dull and weak; creamery, 18@29c; western dairy, 14@23c; Elgins, 31c.

Cheese—Quiet but firm; western, 10@11¼c.

Minneapolis, Jan. 4.—Wheat—About steady; receipts, 82 cars; shipments, 61 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, January, $1.17; May, $1.23¾ on track, $1.16; No. 2 northern, January, $1.17; May, $1.10¾; on track, $1.09@1.10; No. 2 northern, January, 97c; May, $1.03; on track, 96@98c.

Milwaukee, Jan. 4.—Wheat—Active; cash, 92½c; May, 98¾c.

Corn—Dull; No. 1, 31c.

Oats—Dull; No. 2 white, 28@28¼c.

Rye—Easy; No. 1, 48½c.

Barley—Firm; No. 2, 67½c.

Provisions—Easy; pork, $12.40.

Cincinnati, Jan. 4.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red, 98c.

Corn—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 35½c.

Oats—Fair demand and steady. No. 2 mixed, 27¼@27¾c.

Whisky—Active at $1.03.

St. Louis, Jan. 4.—Wheat—Steady; cash, 95½c; May, $1.01.

Corn—Cash, 30½c; May, 33¼c.

Oats—Easier; cash, 24½c; May, 27¾@28c.

Pork—Firm at $13.50.

Lard—Quiet at $7.25.

Whisky—$1.03.

Butter—Dull; creamery, 23@25c; dairy, 10@22c.

Kansas City, Jan. 4.—Wheat—Unsettled; No. 2 red, cash, 91½c; May, 97@98c; No. 2 soft, May, 98¼c bid.

Corn—Steady; No. 2, cash, 25½c; May, sales, 29½c; No. 2 white, May, 30c bid.

Liverpool, Jan. 4.—[Special Cablegram to THE BEE.]—3:30 p. m. close.—Pork—Is in poor demand; prime mess eastern, 75s, dull; do. western, 67s 6d, dull.

Lard—Is in better demand; spot, 39s, dull; January, 39s, dull; February and March, 38s 9d, dull.

Wheat—In fair demand; new No. 2 winter, 8s, steady; do. spring, 8s 1d, steady.

Flour—Is in fair demand, 12s, firm.

Corn—Is in fair demand; spot 4s 5d, steady; January, 4s 2d, dull; February, 4s 1½d, dull; March, 4s 1½d, dull.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; market active and 10c higher; choice beeves, $4.60@4.85; steers, $2.90@4.40; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.40@3.10; Texas cattle, $2.00@3.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,500; shipments, 6,000. market steady; mixed, $4.95@5.15; heavy, $5.15@5.25; light, $4.95@5.25; skips, $4.00@5.00.

Sheep—Receipts 4,500; shipments, none; natives, $1.75@2.75; western corn-fed, $4.30@4 65; lambs, $4.00@6.00; Texans, $2.50@3.50.

National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, Jan. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 500; shipments, 600; market strong; choice heavy native steers, $4.70@5.20; fair to good native steers, $4.10@4.80; butchers' steers, medium to choice, $3.00@4.00; stockers and feeders, fair to good, $2.00@3.20; rangers, corn fed, $3.00@3.75; grass fed, $2.00@3.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,100; shipments, 1,200; market steady; choice heavy and butchers' selections, $5.00@5.10; packing, $4.85@5.00; light grades, ordinary to best, $4.90@5.05.

Sioux City, Jan. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 497; shipments, 95; market fairly active; prime, $3.00@4.50; feeders, $2.25@3.00; fat cows, $1.50@2.60; stockers, $1.50@2.50; canners and bulls, $1.00@1.75; veal calves, $2.00@4.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,350; market weaker, closing easy; light and mixed, $4.70@4.80; heavy, $4.80@5.00.

Kansas City, Jan. 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,400; shipments, 1,300; more active; beef steers strong and 10c higher; best cows strong and 5@10c higher; common slow but about steady; good to choice corn-fed, $4.30@4.75; common to medium, $3.20@4.20; stockers and feeding steers, $2.00@3.30; cows, $1.25@2.80.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; shipments, 1,000; active, 1c lower; common to choice, $4.60@4.85.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Friday, Jan. 4, 1889.

Owing to the light receipts, both here and at other points, the market showed some little improvement, but the buyers were slow to admit of any advance, and in some cases they bought cattle at no more than steady prices. As one remarked he had bought cattle at $3.05 that were just as good as others for which he had paid $3.15. The beeves on sale were not as good as yesterday, and the bulk sold at $3.00@3.80. There was nothing here to be compared with the the cattle which sold for $4.25 on yesterday. Butchers' stock was also stronger and cows sold largely for $2.00@2.75, with a few canners at $1.00@1.85. The few feeders here met with prompt sale at steady prices, a few which had been fed a little corn bringing $3.10. The demand for feeders continues very fair but the supply extremely light.

Hogs.

After the opening the trade was 5c higher, and in some cases perhaps 10c higher than the lowest point yesterday. The fresh receipts were rather light, but there were eighteen state loads on the market, which made the total offerings about the same as yesterday. The quality of the hogs, though better than yesterday, was not very good. Everything was sold before the close. The best hogs here brought $5.00, but the bulk of the mixed hogs sold at $4.85@4.90.

Sheep.

There were only two loads here, but the market was lower and they sold for $4.10, which was 15c less than some of the same bunch brought yesterday.

Receipts.

Cattle	600
Hogs	3,100

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.	$3.75	@4.25
Prime steers, 1100 to 1300 lbs.	3.10	@3.75
Native feeders	2.75	@3.00
Western feeders	2.60	@2.90
Common to good cows	1.50	@2.00
Choice to fancy cows	2.25	@2.65
Common to choice bulls	1.25	@2.50
Fair to choice light hogs	4.75	@4.85
Fair to choice heavy hogs	4.95	@5.05
Fair to choice mixed hogs	4.85	@4.95

Representative Sales.

CATTLE.

No.		Av.	Pr.
2 bulls		1,000	$1.25
1 cow		1,350	1.60
1 cow		1,170	1.65
3 bulls		1,310	1.65
1 ox		1,360	1.70
10 cows		890	1.70
1 cow		1,330	1.75
1 bull		1,800	1.75
4 cows		825	1.85
6 cows		1,045	1.85
2 bulls		1,680	2.00
1 stag		1,550	2.00
5 cows		1,000	2.10
3 cows		1,033	2.15
5 cows		1,154	2.25
8 cows		1,016	2.30
1 bull		1,350	2.35
1 cow		1,430	2.35
6 cows		1,061	2.35
4 oxen		1,577	2.40
3 cows		736	2.40
2 cows		1,375	2.40
10 cows		1,076	2.40
1 stag		1,560	2.50
1 cow		870	2.50
3 cows		1,096	2.50
1 cow		1,120	2.50
15 cows		1,073	2.50
2 cows		1,070	2.50
21 stockers		766	2.70
10 cows		1,145	2.75
17 mixed		1,512	2.75
12 steers		1,185	3.00
12 steers		1,021	3.05
18 steers		1,122	3.10
19 feeders		1,152	3.10
14 steers		1,137	3.15
13 steers		1,034	3.35
41 steers		1,077	3.35
8 steers		1,075	3.35
39 steers		1,202	3.40
5 steers		1,170	3.40
17 steers		1,244	3.45
20 steers		1,150	3.45
34 steers		1,334	3.75
14 steers		1,262	3.80

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
39	161	—	$4.75	53	336	240	$4.90
31	184	40	4.80	56	282	40	4.90
69	255	160	4.80	54	286	280	4.90
58	268	360	4.80	57	279	80	4.90
67	251	280	4.80	62	288	240	4.90
60	235	160	4.80	59	288	120	4.90
71	231	160	4.80	69	248	40	4.90
63	246	80	4.80	64	274	160	4.90
63	266	200	4.80	74	221	120	4.90
67	291	360	4.82½	58	278	120	4.90
46	266	120	4.82½	54	308	160	4.90
72	288	360	4.85	60	281	120	4.90
63	285	240	4.85	56	279	160	4.90
42	330	160	4.85	55	299	240	4.90
107	268	280	4.85	63	267	520	4.90
70	300	440	4.85	56	348	560	4.92½
60	304	400	4.85	52	282	80	4.92½
61	251	160	4.85	56	308	240	4.95
63	280	200	4.85	59	356	240	4.95
73	277	200	4.85	55	327	360	4.95
69	267	120	4.85	47	311	80	4.95

SHEEP.

No.		Av.	Pr.
172	westerns, corn-fed	126	$4.10

Live Stock Notes.

Hogs advance.

Cattle market stronger.

Sioux City received 1,800 hogs.

Sheep receipts light; market lower.

W. M. Sage, Chicago, general traffic manager of the Rock Island, was at the yards.

C. C. Smith and J. F. Haverstock, Milford, were at the yards with cattle and hogs.

Among those who were seen at the yards with cattle were S. G. Rothwell, Creighton, and J. T. Goodell, Western.

A good deal of faultfinding is being indulged in on account of the errors in the weighing of stock on the track. An error made to-day caused a difference of $14 on a car of stock.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Fruits, Produce, Etc.

BUTTER—Fancy, solid-packed creamery, 26@28c; choice country, 22@25c; medium grades, 18@21c; common grades, 13@15c.

FLOUR—Nebraska patents, $6.00@7.50; Minnesota patents, $6.25@7.75; straight grades, $5.00@5.50; bakers' flour, $5.25@5.75 per bbl.

POTATOES—Nebraska, 40@50c per bu; Colorado, 60@70c.

SWEET POTATOES—3@3½c per lb.

POULTRY—Live chickens, $2.50@2.75 per doz; dressed chickens, 7@8c per lb; turkeys, 9@11c; ducks and geese, 9@10c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, 21@22c candied.

MALAGA GRAPES—In kegs, 12c per lb.

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

LEMONS—$3.75@5.00 per case.

ORANGES—Florida, $3.25@3.75 per box.

GAME—Per dozen: Mallards, $3.25; teal, $1.50; rabbits, $1.00; squirrels, $1.00; venison, 7@12c per lb.

BRAN—$12.00@13.00.

CHOPPED FEED—$13.00@14.00 per ton.

CORN—25@26c.

OATS—21@22c.

VINEGAR—Cider, 16@18c per gal.; white wine, 10@25c per gal.

HONEY—1-lb frames, 16@18c.

CRANBERRIES—$8.00@9.00 per bbl.

PROVISIONS—Hams, No. 1, 11c; No. 2, 10½c; shoulders, 7¾c; rib bacon, 11c; clear bacon, 11¼c; picnic hams, 10c; dried beef hams, 10½c; dry salted clears, short, 8¼c; extra short, 8¼c; short ribs, 8¼c; pickled pigs' feet, 15-lb kits, 80c; lard, 8¼@9½c; smoked sausage, 6@8c per lb; hog casings, 17@18c.

CELERY—25@30c per doz: fancy, 40c.

ONIONS—30@40c per bu.

CABBAGE—$3.00 per 100.

BEETS—40c per bu.

TURNIPS—25c per bu.

SAUER KRAUT—Bbls., $4.75; half bbls., $2.75.

APPLES—Choice, $2.50@2.75 per bbl; fancy, $3.00 per bbl; common, $1.50@1.75 per bbl.

CIDER—Michigan, $5.00@6.50 per bbl of 32 gals; California pear cider, $15.00 per bbl.

POP CORN—Rice, 3c; common, 2½c.

CARROTS—40c per bu.

BEANS—Choice eastern hand picked navies, $2.25 per bu.; western hand picked navies, $1.75@1.80; mediums, $1.50; Lima beans, 5c per lb.

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

Grocers' List.

Revised prices are as follows:

HAGGING—Stark A, seamless, 22c; Amoskeag, seamless, 17½c; Lewistown, A, seam less, 19c; American, seamless, 17c; burlaps 4 to 5 bu., 11@14c; gunnies, single, 13c; gunnies, double, 20c; wool, sack, 35c.

TWINES—Flax, 38c; extra sail, 20@21c; sail B, 20@21c; cotton, 22c; jute, 9c.

DRIED FRUIT—Figs, in boxes, per lb, 13@16c; dates, in boxes, 7@10c; London Malaga layer raisins, per box, $2.50@3.75; Malaga loose raisins, $2.30@2.50; new Valencia raisins per lb, 8½c; California loose muscatels, per box, $2.00@2.10; California Londons, 1888, $2.40; pitted cherries, per lb, 18c; California pitted plums, per lb, 12@13c; dried blackberries, per lb, 7½@8c; dried raspberries, per lb, 24@25c; evaporated apples, 7½@8c; California sun-dried peaches, 13c; California unpared evaporated peaches, 14c; evaporated California apricots, 18c; currants, 6½@7c; Turkish prunes, 5@5½c; citron, 22@24c; orange peel, 15c; lemon peel, 16c; California French prunes, 11@16c.

COFFEE—Mocha, 25@26c; Rio, good, 17@18c; Mandahling, 26@28c; roasting Rio, 15@16c; O. G. Java, 24@26c; Java, interior, 22@25c; Rio, fancy, 18@19c; Santos and Maracaibo, 17@19c; Arbuckles, 22½c; McLaughlin's XXXX, 22½c.

SUGAR—Granulated, 7¾c, conf. A, 7¾c; white extra C, 7¼c; extra C, 7¼c; yellow C, 6¾c; powdered, 8¼c; cubes, 8¼c.

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

CHEESE—Young America, full cream, 12@13¼c; full cream cheddars, 12@12½c.

PICKLES—Medium, in bbls, $5.00; do, in half bbls, $3.00; small, in bbls, $6.00; do, in half bbls, $3.50; gherkins, in bbls, $7.00; do, in half bbls, $4.00.

TOBACCO—Plug, 20@65c; smoking, 16@90c.

JELLIES—$1.25 per 30-lb pail.

SALT—$1.35@1.40 per bbl.

ROPE—7-16, 12c

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@35c; Gunpowder, common to good, 22@25c; Gunpowder, choice to fancy, 40@65c: Japan, common to medium, 15@20c; Japan, choice to fancy, 30@45c; Oolong, common to good, 30@35c; Oolong, choice to fancy, 50@70c; Imperial, common to medium, 25@35c; Imperial, good to fancy, 40@50c.

NUTS—Almonds, 13@18c; filberts, 12@15c; Brazil, 9@10c; walnuts, 12c; pecans, 10@11c; peanuts, 6@8c.

CRACKERS—6@10c per lb; assorted cakes, 8@25c per lb as per list.

CANDY—Mixed, 9½@12½c; stick, 9½@11c; rock candy, 10½@13c; fancy candy, 7@28c.

HOLLAND HERRING—90c.

CODFISH—6½@7½c.

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—Bid, white, 19c; colored, 22c.

BATTS—Standard, 8c; gem, 10c; beauty, 12½c; boone, 4c; B, cased, $6.50.

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

PRINTS—Pink and Robes—Allen, 6c; Riverpoint, 5½c; Steel River, 6½c; Richmond, 6½c; Pacific, 7c.

PRINTS—Dress, Charter Oak, 5½c; Rampo, 4½c; Lodi, 5½c; Allen, 6c; Richmond, 6c; Windsor, 6½c; Eddystone, 6½c; Pacific, 6½c.

BLEACHED SHEETING—Berkeley cambric, No. 60, 9½c; Best Yet, 4-4, 6¾c; butter cloth, OO, 4¾c; Cabot, 7½c; Farwell, half bleached, 8½c; Fruit of the Loom, 9½c; Greene G, 6¼; Hope, 7½c; King Phillip cambric, 11c; Lonsdale cambric, 11½c; Lonsdale, 9c; New York mills, 10½c; Pepperell, 42-in, 11c; Pepperell, 46-in, 12c; Pepperell, 6-4, 16c; Pepperell, 8-4, 21c; Pepperell, 9-4, 24c; Pepperell, 10-4, 25c; Canton, 4-4, 8½c; Triumph, 6c; Wamsutta, 11c; Valley, 5c.

FLANNELS—Plaid—Raftsmen, 20c; Goshen, 32½c; Clear Lake, 36½c; Iron Mountain, 26½c.

FLANNELS—White—GH, No. 2 ¾, 22½c; GH, No. 1, ¾, 26c; BH, No. 2, ¾, 22½c; BH, No. 1, ¾, 30c; Quechee, No. 1, ¾, 42c.

CORSET JEANS—Androscoggin, 7¾c; Kearsarge, 7¾c; Rockport, 6¾c; Conestoga, 6¼c.

TICKS—York, 30-in, 12½c; York, 31-in, 13½c; Swift river, 7¾c; Thorndike, OO, 8¼c; Thorndike, EE, 8½c; Thorndike, 120, 9½c; Thorndike, XX, 15c; Cordis, No. 5, 9½c; Cordis, No. 4, 7½c.

DENIMS—Amoskeag, 9 oz, 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, 21½c; Hercules, 18c; Leamington, 22½c; Cottswood, 27½c.

CRASH—Stevens' B, 6¼c; Stevens' B, bleached, 7c; Stevens' A, 7½c; Stevens' A, bleached, 8½c; Stevens' P, 8½c; Stevens' P, bleached, 9½c; Stevens' N, 9½c; Stevens' N, bleached, 10½c; Stevens' SRt, 12½c.

MISCELLANEOUS—Table 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, 6½c; Pepperell, 9-4, 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 29 in. 8 oz, 10½c; West Point 29 in. 10 oz, 12½c; West Point 29 in. 12 oz, 15c; West Point 40 in. 11 oz, 16c.

FLANNELS—Red, C, 24 in, 15½c; E, 24 in, 21½c; GG, 24 in, 20c; HAF, ¾, 25c; JRF, ¾, 27c.

GINGHAM—Plunkett checks, 7½c; Whittenton 7¾c; York, 7½c; Normandi dress, 8½c; Calcutta dress, 8½c; Whittenton dress, 8½c; Renfrow dress, 8¾@12½c.

CAMBRICS—Slater, 5½c; Woods, 5½c; Standard, 5½c; Peacock, 5½c.

PRINTS, INDIGO BLUE—Arnold, 6½c; American, 6½c; Gloucester, 6½c; Arnold C long cloth, 9c; Arnold B long cloth, 10½c; Arnold Gold Seal, 10½c; Steifel A, 12c; Windsor Gold Ticket, 10½c.

Lumber.

First and second clear, 1¾ in	$49 00@51 00
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Third clear, 1¼@1¾ in	43 00@46 00
A select, 1¼@1¾ in	37 00
B select, 1¼@1¾ in	33 00
A stock boards, 12@16 ft, 12 in	46 00
B stock boards, 12@16 ft, 12 in	41 00
C stock boards, 12@16 ft, 12 in	36 00
D stock boards, 12@16 ft, 12 in	23 00
Flooring, first common, 6 in	34 00
Flooring, second common, 6 in	31 00
Select fencing flooring	19 00
Siding, first and second clear, 14 @16 ft	25 00
Siding, first common, 16 ft	22 00
Siding, second common	19 00
Common boards	16 00
No. 3 boards, all lengths	14 50
Fencing, No. 1, 12@20 ft	16 50
Fencing, No. 2, 12, 14@16 ft	15 50
Joist and scantling, 2x4, 14@16 ft	16 00
Timber, 4x4, 8x8, 12@16 ft	17 00
Pickets, D and H flat	22 00
Pickets, D and R square	22 00
Shingles, extra A	2 80
Shingles, standard A	2 60
Lath	2 40
O G Batts, 2½ in	35
O G Batts, 1½x8, S 1 S	60
3-in well tubing, D and M bev.	22 00

Leather.

Hemlock sole, 18@27c per lb; oak sole, 33@36c per lb; oak harness, 30@32c per lb; selected oak and trace, 35c per lb.; oak and hemlock upper, 20@22c per foot; hemlock calf skin, No. 1, 80@90c per lb, according to weight; oak calf skin, No. 1, 90c@$1.00 per lb.; Philadelphia calf skin, extra, $1.00@1.10 per lb.; hemlock kip skin, No. 1, 60@70c per lb; oak kip skin, No. 1, 70@80c per lb; Philadelphia kip skin, extra, 80@90c per lb; French calf skin (according to weight and quality), $1.15@1.75 per lb; French kip skin, do, 80c@$1.10 per lb.; Cordovan russet, 18c; satin finish, 30c per foot; welt leather, $3.50 @4.00 per side; morocco, (pebble goat),