THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Took an Up-Shoot and Closed Strong and Higher.

CORN TAKES A BULLISH TONE.

Oats Dull and Steady—The General Provision List Active and Strong—Hogs Were Brisk and Higher.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The wheat market developed considerable genuine firmness to-day. Several things contributed to this end. The early cables were not particularly encouraging, but the private advices that came later in the day, almost without exception reflected a stronger tone abroad, due to the unfavorable weather, smaller deliveries, lighter shipments from India, and the general statistical outlook. The visible supply statement showed a decrease of about 400,000 bushels, which was the principal piece of bull news up to 12 o'clock. Then a report was received from Prime that winter wheat was in a critical condition, and that exceptionally fine weather would be necessary to insure a good crop. This added to the bullish feeling. Bare wheat fields in the middle of January are not conducive to the growth of a bearish sentiment. This is one of the features that is attracting increased attention. Toward the close Milwaukee reported an export sale of 14,000 sacks of low grade flour, and last, but not least, there was a first rate general buying all day by strong local people, Fairbank leading. The two George Smiths and their followings, Linn, Cudahy, the Dunn following, and most of the large houses, were steady purchasers. Hutchinson led the selling party, and attempted several raids, but without doing anything except to forge temporary depression. The friends of wheat exhibited courage and powers of absorption not shown for many days past. So strong was the undertone that was developed that Hutchinson during the last hour and a half desisted from further drives, and from 12 to 1 o'clock the course of values was steadily upward. May wheat opened at $1.03⅞, and for a considerable period the price ranged between $1.03⅝ and $1.04¼, with quotations momentarily ⅛c outside of these extremes, both ways. When it became apparent that there was going to be a decrease in the visible supply instead of an increase, the price shot up to $1.04½, at which point Hutchinson sold a large quantity, and the price worked back to $1.04. After the figures were posted the price was broken from $1.04⅜ to $1.03⅞, from which figure it climbed with only an occasional setback to $1.05⅛@1.05¼. During the last twenty minutes the scalpers realized freely, and the market "jiggled" back a little, but the undertone remained firm to the close. January opened at 98⅝c, ranged to 98¾@$1.00, and closed at 99⅜c. July opened at 94⅜c, ranged from 94⅜c to 96c, and closed at 95¼c. May closed at $1.04⅜. The announcement of the approach of a cold wave gave the market its final bull twinge. The news from the northwest looked both ways. There was very little in the way of market gossip from the eastern points, but the prevailing sentiment seems to be turning quite strongly in the direction of improvement.

The corn market was sluggish, but fairly steady in price. The receipts were satisfactory, but inspection showed a small proportion of No. 2. There was a noticeable improvement in this respect, however, reported from New York, the proportion of No. 2 received at that point having suddenly advanced from 12 per cent, the former average, to 42 per cent to-day. Export clearances continue on a good scale, and about 100,000 bushels were bought in New York by exporters to-day. Although the amount of business done was small, the feeling generally favored the bull side. There was some hesitation when 1,643,000 bushels was posted as increase to the stocks in sight, but the activity and firmness in wheat made the shorts somewhat anxious, and in their efforts to cover, the market became stronger and more active, particularly in the last five minutes of the session, when the highest figures of the day were reached. Closing prices are about ¼c higher to-day than Saturday's figures, and a firm feeling prevailed to the close.

Oats ruled fairly active early, with quietude tending to dullness later. The feeling was firmer under less pressure to sell, and it was thought that some of the recent bear operators had withdrawn. There was a slight decrease in both the visible supply and the local stocks, though the posted receipts were fairly liberal, containing about 14 per cent of contract grades. May was firm to ⅛@¼c higher, with near futures still at recent quotations. No. 2 in store was in fair request and ⅛@¼c higher at 24⅝@24¾c. The withdrawals from store were 2,636 bushels.

The general provision list was active and strong at a further advance in prices. The market was decidedly more bullish in tone than at any time since it began to show a hardening tendency, and to-day's advance, which amounted to 20@25c in pork, 2½@7½c in lard and 12½@15c in ribs, was fairly maintained to the close. Speculative offerings were only moderate, and the demand from the shorts was quite urgent. That those outstanding are becoming anxious to cover is apparent, in view of the undertone of strength developed of late. In the early dealings Wright was the largest individual seller of pork, while brokers supposed to represent Armour, and others believed to be operating for Ream, were the largest buyers. The local crowd very generally appear to be working on the theory that substantial improvement in values will be witnessed in the near future. Expectations for a continuance of the light receipts of hogs and the good weather for packing operations is equally general. Trading was again chiefly in May options, though February and March lard and ribs received considerable attention. The opening figures were somewhat above Saturday's closings, and the market advanced quite sharply early. May pork selling up from $13.45 to $13.65@13.67½, together with the same option of lard from $7.45 to $7.72½, and ribs from $7.10 to $7.12½. Prices hung steady for a time at the advance, and later May pork improved to $13.72½, but during the last half hour a reaction carried pork down 15c and lard 5@7½c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Trade was fair and prices about steady as compared with the close on Friday. Buyers were keenly disappointed at the moderate run, and many of them sulked until they found there was little or no use in fighting against facts and fate. There were a few loads of corn-fed Texans that made big prices, considering the condition of trade. There was scarcely a load of prime fat natives on sale, and only a few lots that were really good. Butchers' stock was rather slow, and some salesmen were of the opinion that values were rather easier than at the close on Friday. Too many common steers were the main cause of the weakness in some stock. There was little or nothing going on in the stocker and feeder line. Veal calves were scarce, and prices were about the same as last week, but so low that there is no profit for shippers at present. Choice to extra beeves, $4.50@4.65; medium to good steers, 1,350 to 1,500 lbs, $4.00@4.35; 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $3.80@4.00; 950 to 1,200 lbs, $2.90@3.45; stockers and feeders higher, $2.40@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.40@3.00; bulls, $2.20@2.45; Indian steers, 950 to 1,050 lbs, $3.20@3.75.

HOGS—Trade was brisk and a good nickel higher all around. Prices ruled very even, nearly everything selling within a range of $5.25@5.30, a few lots at $5.20@5.22½, and a few fancy heavy at $5.32½@5.35. Prime and fancy light made about the same as heavy, namely $5.25@5.30. The Swift company bought 776, about butcher weight and style, averaging 239 lbs, at $5.30.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The stock market opened strong, with London houses buying their specialties. The cables brought quotations fractionally above Saturday's closing, and prices improved as the day wore on, closing firm. Just before noon the traders began hammering. Reading and that stock declined about 1 per cent, the other active stocks sympathizing fractionally. The bears on coolers argued that the continued mild weather had practically brought the demand for coal down to next to nothing, except for factory supply. Reading continued weak all day, but the grangers and the Vanderbilts soon swung back to to the opening rates, and in some stocks advanced considerably. St. Paul was especially strong. The room traders were inclined to resist the advances, but could not find anything soft except coal stocks. New England was steady on Boston buying. Union Pacific firmed upon rumors that some favorable legislation was probable in the near future from congress. Closing dealings were generally at the highest figures except for Reading, and the tone was quite steady, considering the general dullness. The trading during the afternoon was more active, St. Paul and Missouri Pacific being the features, the former showing a net gain of ½ per cent for the day. Union Pacific was also firm and closed ¾ higher than the opening figures. Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western preferred, however, was most attractive and shows a net gain of 6½ per cent for the day. It is said that the statement of this company for the last year will show very favorably, and that a dividend of 2½ per cent on its preferred stock will be declared at the meeting of the directors to-morrow. Coal stocks all closed lower, Reading, Jersey Central and Lackawanna showing ¼ per cent decline for the day. London houses were said to be selling St. Paul on the advance in a moderate way. The total transactions for the day amounted to 168,483 shares, including Northwestern, 4,500; Union Pacific, 13,000; St. Paul, 30,000; Lackawanna, 12,000, Reading, 41,000; Missouri Pacific, 9,000; New England, 10,000; Northern Pacific preferred, 4,100 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	126¼	Northern Pacific	25⅝
U. S. 4s coupons	126¼	do preferred	59½
U. S. 4½s regular	108⅝	C. & N. W.	107⅝
U. S. 4½s coupons	108⅝	do preferred	140¼
Pacific 6s of '95	119	N. Y. Central	107⅝
Central Pacific	93½	P., D. & E.	22½
Chicago & Alton	135	Rock Island	97⅛
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	109	C., M. & St. P.	63⅝
		do preferred	103¾
D., L. & W.	140½	St. Paul & Omaha	52
Illinois Central	114½	do preferred	94½
L., N. & W.	94½	Union Pacific	64⅛
Kansas & Texas	14½	W., St. L. & P.	12⅛
LakeShore	108⅝	do preferred	24
Michigan Central	87½	Western Union	83½
Missouri Pacific	73		

MONEY ON CALL—Easy, closed offered at 4 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5½@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Firm; $4.84¼ for sixty day bills, $4.88 for demand.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—WHEAT—Firmer; cash, 99⅞c; February, $1.01⅛; May, $1.04⅜.

CORN—Firmer; cash, 33⅜c; February, 34¼c; May, 34 15-16c.

OATS—Firmer; cash 24¼c; February, 23⅝c; May, 28c.

RYE—48c.

BARLEY—No trading.

PRIME TIMOTHY—No trading.

FLAX—$1.02.

WHISKY—$1.03.

PORK—Higher; cash, $13.20; February, $13.25; May, $13.57½.

LARD—Steady; cash, $7.45; February, $7.50; May, $7.67½.

LARD—Cash, $7.45; February, $7.47½; May, $7.62½.

FLOUR—Steady and unchanged.

BULK MEATS — Shoulders, $6.37½@6.50; short clear, $7.12½@7.25; short ribs, $6.95@6.97.

BUTTER—Easy; creamery, 17@27c; dairy, 16@24c.

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

EGGS—Lower; fresh, 15½@18c.

HIDES—Unchanged; heavy green salted; 6½c; light green salted, 6½c; green, 5cn salted bull, 5½c; green bull, 4½c; green dry flint, 7½@8c; dry calf, 7@8c; brands; 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	10,000	10,000
Wheat bu	19,000	23,000
Corn, bu	188,000	243,000
Oats, bu	114,000	119,000

New York, Jan. 7.—WHEAT—Receipts, 3,300; exports, 1,252; spot unsettled and ⅛c lower, closing steady; No. 2 red, $1 01@1.01½c in elevator, $1.01⅞@1.02¼ afloat; No. 3 red, 96c. Options irregular and lower, closing ⅝@⅞c under Saturday, No. 2 red February closing at $1.01⅜.

CORN—Receipts, 434,400; exports, 109,282; spot active and ¼c higher; No. 2, 43¼@43½c in elevator, 45½@46¼c afloat; ungraded mixed, 38@47½c; No. 3, 38¼@39⅜. Options fairly active and higher, February closing at 45⅛c.

OATS—Receipts, 64,000; exports, none; spot a trifle higher. Options ⅛@¼c higher, February closing at 32⅞c; spot No. 2 white, 34½@38c; mixed western, 27½@32c; white western, 33@39½c.

COFFEE — Options opened irregular and closed weak at 30@40 points below Saturday; January, $15.50@15.70; February, $15.25@15.70; March and April, $15.30@15.65; spot Rio easier; fair cargoes at $17.00.

PETROLEUM—Steady; united closed at 86c.

EGGS—Firm; western, 18@18½c.

PORK—Stronger; mess, $14.00@14.50.

LARD—Higher, covering contracts. Sales of western steam, $7.95; February closing at $7.88.

BUTTER—Quiet and weak; western dairy, 14@22c; western creamery, 17@29c; Elgins, 30@31c.

CHEESE—Firm; western, 10@11¼c.

St. Louis, Jan 7.—Wheat—Higher; cash, 97¾c; May, $1.00¾.

CORN—Lower; cash, 29⅝@30c; May, 33⅛c.

OATS—Dull; cash, 24c; May, 27¼c.

PORK—Better at $13.75.

LARD—Higher at $7.30.

WHISKY—Steady at $1.03.

BUTTER—Creamery, 23@25c; dairy, 18@22c.

Kansas City, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 red, cash, 90c bid; May, 97⅜c bid; soft, cash, 99⅝c bid.

CORN—Steady; No. 2, cash. 26c asked; May, 29⅛c bid; No. 2 white, cash, 25¾c bid.

OATS—No. 2 cash, no bids or offerings; May, 24c bid.

Cincinnati, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Easier; No. 2 red, 97c.

CORN—Mixed, 35½c.

OATS—Barely steady; No. 2 mixed, 27c.

Milwaukee, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Firm; cash, 92¾c; May, 97½c.

CORN—Steady; No. 3, 30c.

OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 28@28½c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 1, 48c.

BARLEY—Firm; No. 2, 68c.

PROVISIONS—Firm; pork, cash and January, $13.15.

Minneapolis, Jan. 7.—In sample wheat there was little more inquiry, but actual business done was no larger than on any day last week; receipts, for two days, 188 cars; shipments, 49 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, January, $1.16; February, $1.17; May, $1.22; on track, $1.16; No. 1 northern, January, $1.06; May, $1.10¾; on track, $1.08; No. 2 northern, January, 96c; May, $1.02; on track, 96c.

Liverpool, Jan. 7.—[Special Cablegram to THE BEE.]—3:30 p. m. close.—PORK—In poor demand; prime mess, eastern, 75s, dull; do. western, 67s 6d, dull.

LARD—In poor demand; spot, January, February and March, 39s, 6d, firm.

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

FLOUR—In poor demand; 12s, firm.

CORN—In less demand for spot, with a fair demand for futures; spot, 4s 4¾d, dull; January, 4s, 1¾d, dull; February and March, 4s 1¾d, dull.

Receipts of wheat for the past week from Atlantic ports, 2,300 quarters; Pacific ports, 19,000 quarters; other sources, 84,000 quarters. Receipts of American corn, 33,200 quarters.

LIVE STOCK.

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

CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000; market steady; choice beeves, $4.50@4.65; steers, $2.90@4.35; stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.30; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.40@3.00; Indian steers, $3.20@3.75.

HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; market strong and 5@10c higher; mixed, $5.10@5.30; heavy, $5.15@5.35; light, $5.10@5.35; skips, $3.00@3.15.

SHEEP—Receipts 7,000; market strong; natives, $3.00@4.75; western corn-fed, $4.25@4 67½; lambs, $4.75@6.00; Texans, $2.50@3.50.

National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, Jan. 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 800; shipments, 600; market strong; choice heavy native steers, $4.00@5.80; fair to good native steers, $4.00@4.00; butchers' steers, medium to choice, $3.10@4.03; stockers and feeders, fair to good, $2.00@3.15; rangers, corn fed, $3.00@3.90; grass fed, $2.20@3.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,400; shipments, 700; market higher; choice heavy and butchers' selections, $5.10@5.30; packing, $5.10@5.20; light grades, $4.90@5.10.

Kansas City, Jan. 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 1,000; quality better; active; good to choice corn-fed, $4.35@4.75; common to medium, $3.20@3.40; stockers and feeding steers, $2.00@3.35; cows, $1.25@2.80.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; shipments, 960; strong and 10@15c higher; common to choice, $4.50@5.10.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Monday, Jan. 7, 1889.

Very light receipts and a fair demand caused cattle to sell at stronger prices, but there was a feeling that with more cattle there would have been no more than a steady market. The few cattle here were mostly all sold before the close. The packers paid $3.50@3.95 for fair to good beeves, but there was nothing very choice on sale. Cows sold mostly at $2.25@2.50, but a choice bunch of the Bay States brought $3.10. There was one bunch of good native feeders here which sold at $3.10.

Hogs.

The outlook for the hog trade was a little brighter this morning and the market advanced fully 5c. In some instances salesmen thought that, taking the quality into consideration, they got a little more than 5c higher. The demand was good and the trade active at the advance, everything being cleaned up at an early hour. A few good heavy loads brought $5.20, with good mixed hogs selling at $5.05@5.15.

Sheep.

There were two double decks of good western sheep on sale, but the packers were well supplied, having carried over quite a few from Saturday, and were not in any immediate need of more. The market was nominally steady.

Receipts.

Cattle	400
Hogs	3,000
Sheep	300

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	@3.10
Western feeders	2.60	@2.90
Common to good cows	1.50	@2.00
Choice to fancy cows	2.25	@3.00
Common to choice bulls	1.25	@2.50
Fair to choice neat hogs	4.95	@5.05
Fair to choice heavy hogs	5.10	@5.20
Fair to choice mixed hogs	5.00	@5.10
Fair to choice western sheep	3.50	@4.25
Fair to choice Nebraskas	3.00	@3.75

Representative Sales.

CATTLE.

No.	Av.	Pr.
1 cow	1120	$1.50
1 cow	1120	1.50
2 cows	1010	1.75
1 bull	1390	1.90
1 cow	1350	2.00
1 bull	1550	2.00
1 stocker	960	2.00
1 cow	1170	2.00
15 cows	1064	2.15
2 bulls	1310	2.15
3 bulls and steer	1423	2.25
13 cows	1169	2.25
20 cows	1061	2.25
10 mixed	1153	2.25
15 cows	1091	2.30
2 cows	950	2.30
2 cows	1065	2.35
2 cows	923	2.35
2 cows	1025	2.35
21 cows	1105	2.45
21 cows	1079	2.45
20 stockers	865	2.50
20 cows	1015	2.52½
18 bulls, Bay State	1505	2.75
12 stockers	926	2.80
19 mixed	1000	2.95
2 yearling steers	850	3.00
25 feeders, natives	1109	3.10
38 cows, Bay State	1171	3.10
16 steers	1185	3.50
21 steers	1168	3.60
2 steers	1235	3.75
3 steers	1370	3.75
17 steers	1344	3.85
17 steers	1288	3.90
17 steers	1306	3.95

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
60	253	240	$4.95	64	252	240	$5.05
69	223	40	5.00	61	242	200	5.05
67	274	80	5.00	61	259	120	5.05
65	262	240	5.00	62	241	160	5.07½
61	237	—	5.00	64	268	120	5.07½
80	254	200	5.00	72	303	280	5.07½
65	231	200	5.00	52	302	200	5.07½
63	253	40	5.00	59	262	160	5.10
56	278	120	5.00	71	252	240	5.10
61	251	240	5.05	53	330	80	5.10
58	273	160	5.05	60	299	40	5.10
71	257	280	5.05	53	315	320	5.10
70	263	120	5.05	58	316	80	5.10
75	263	520	5.05	60	289	200	5.10
80	244	120	5.05	62	269	160	5.10
69	274	40	5.05	53	341	—	5.12½
57	263	80	5.05	56	355	40	5.15
63	269	280	5.05	46	383	80	5.15
66	233	80	5.05	52	328	360	5.15
57	245	40	5.05	51	359	120	5.15
48	340	80	5.05	52	348	240	5.15
51	294	200	5.05	51	324	80	5.20
61	277	160	5.05	48	393	40	5.20
58	319	320	5.05	49	357	80	5.20

The Weeks' Record.

The following is the number of head of live stock bought on this market by the different buyers during the past week:

HOGS.

Armour-Cudahy Packing company	4,194
Omaha Packing company	3,383
G. H. Hammond & Co.	3,422
Swift & Co.	1,152
Stewart & Co.	856
East St. Louis Packing company	754
Total	15,161

CATTLE.

Swift & Co.	2,164
George H. Hammond & Co.	1,125
The Armour-Cudahy company	352
Steven Hamilton & Co.	180
Feeders	248
Shippers	53
Total	4,128

SHEEP.

Swift & Co.	453
George H. Hammond & Co.	337
Armour-Cudahy Packing company	124
Steven Hamilton & Co.	68
Total	982

Live Stock Notes.

Hogs again higher.

Cattle go up another notch.

Not much of a sheep market.

C. Sprecher, Dennison, Ia., was among those who marketed 20c hogs.

J. B. Sangster, Stuart; R. Hutchinson, Republican, and Warren Ream, Defiance, Ia., were in with hogs.

W. Underhill, Hoyt; Hon. Watson Tyson, Blair; A. L. Duncan, Randolph, Ia., were taking in the yards to-day.

Among those who came in with cattle were the following: S. P. Lundy, Greenwood; L. E. Stilt, Coin, Ia.; J. A. Johnson, Clarinda, and D. S. Lowslee, Silver Creek.

W. A. Denny, for a good many years in the live stock commission business at Chicago, was at the yards to-day, the guest of his son, William Denny, hog salesman for Byers, Patterson & Co.

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@7.00; Minnesota patents, $6.25@7.25; 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, 17@18c candled.

MALAGA GRAPES—In kegs, 12c per lb.

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

LEMONS—$3.75@4.50 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—$11.00@12.00.

CHOPPED FEED—$12.00@13.00 per ton.

APPLES—Choice, $2.25@2.75 per bbl; fancy, $2.75 per bbl; common, $1.25@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 1, $5.00.

CORN—25@30c.

OATS—21@22c.

VINEGAR—Cider, 10@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, 11½c; rican hams, 10c; dried beef hams, 10½c; dry salted clears, short, 8¾c; extra short, 8½c; short ribs, 8¾c; pickled pigs' feet, 15-lb kits, 80c; lard, 8½@9¾c; 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.

Grocers' List.

Revised prices are as follows:

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

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

DRIED FRUITS—Figs, in boxes, per lb, 13@16c; dates, in boxes, 7@10c; London Malaga layer raisins, per box, $2.50@2.75; 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, 5c@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@25c; Java, interior, 22@25c; Rio, fancy, 18@19c; Santos and Maracaibo, 17@19c; Arbuckles, 22½c; McLaughlin's XXXX, 22¾c.

SUGAR—Granulated, 7¾c; conf. A, 7¼c; white extra C, 7¼c; extra C, 7⅛c; yellow C, 6¾c; powdered, 8½c; cubes, 8½c.

BROWN—Choice yellow, 2@2¾c; dark colored, 1@1¼c.

CHEESE—Young America, full cream, 12@13½c; full cream cheddars, 12@12½c.

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

TOBACCO—Plug, 20@35c; smoking, 16@90c

JELLIES—$1.25 per 30-lb pail.

SALT—$1.35@1.40 per bbl.

ROPE—7-16, 12½@12¾c.

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@20c; Japan, choice to fancy, 30@45c; Oolong, common to good, 10@15c; Oolong, choice to fancy, 50@70c; Imperial, common to medium, 25@35c; Imperial, good to fancy, 40@50c.

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

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.

COD FISH—6¾@7¾c.

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, 6¾c; Garner oil, 6@7c.

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

PRINTS—Dress, Charter Oak, 5½c; Ramapo, 4½c; Lodi, 5¾c; Allen, 6c; Richmond, 6c; Windsor, 6½c; Eddystone, 6½c; Pacific, 6¾c.

BLEACHED SHEETING—Berkely cambric, No. 60, 9¾c; Best Yet, 4-4, 6½c; butter cloth, OO, 4½c; Cabot, 7¾c; Farwell, half bleached, 8½c; Fruit of the Loom, 9¼c; Green G, 6¼c; Hope, 7¾c; 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, 28c; Pepperell, 10-4, 25c; Canton, 4-4, 8¼c; Triumph, 6c; Wamsutta, 11c; Valley, 5½.

FLANNELS—Plaid—Raftsmen, 20c; Goshen; 32½c; Clear Lake, 36½c; Iron Mountain, 20½c.

FLANNELS—White—GH, No. 2 ¾, 22½c; GH, No. 1, ¾, 26c; BH, No. 2, ¾, 23½c; BH, No. 1, ¾, 30c; Quechee, No. 1, ¾, 42c.

CORSET JEANS—Androscoggin, 7¾c; Kearsarge, 7¾c Rockport, 6¾c; Conestoga, 6½c; TICKS—York, 30-in, 12½c; York, 31-in, 13½c; Swift river, 7¾c; Thorndike, OO, 8¾c; 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, 27½c; Hercules, 18c; Leamington, 22½c; Cottswood, 27½c.

CRASH—Stevens' B, 6½c; Stevens' B, bleached, 7c; Stevens' A, 7½c; Stevens' A, bleached, 8½c; Stevens' P, 8½c; Stevens' P, bleached, 9½c; Steuens' 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, 7¼c; Atlantic D, 4-4, 6½c; Atlantic P, 4-4, 6c; Aurora LL, 4-4, 6c; Aurora C, 4-4, 4½c; Crown XXX, 4-4, 6½c; 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, 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, 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, 7¾c; Normandi dress, 8½c; Calcutta dress, 8¾c; Whittenton dress, 8½c; Renfrow dress, 8½@12½c.

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

PRINTS, INDIGO BLUE—Arnold, 6½c; American, 6½c; Glouchester, 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, 1¼ in	$49 00@51 00	
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Third clear, 1¼@1½ in	43 00@46 00	
A select, 1¼@1½ in	37 00	
D select, 1¼@1½ 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. 2 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 H 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, 1¾x3, S I 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; hem