THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Bulls Caught Heavily in the July Break.

WHEAT FUTURES TAKE A TUMBLE

The Liquidation of the May Deal Continues—A Decline in Corn—Cattle About All Sold—Hogs Drop.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 8.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The liquidation of the so-called May deal continued to-day, and a further break of 4⅝c in that delivery caused a sharp decline in the later futures. The foot race between the clique and the big tailers, which held the attention of everybody for the better part of last week, was one of the most unique episodes in the history of speculation on the Chicago board of trade. It involved the abandonment of the imminent prospective profits by the heavy holders in their efforts to get rid of one big "tailer," and incidentally a host of others of a like ilk. Bloom, against whom the shake-out raid was principally directed, was the last big holder to let go, apparently, but to-day there was further dumping of miscellaneous lines. The liquidation of the original May wheat deal is now generally conceded to be pretty thoroughly done. Indeed, there is a possibility that it is overdone. In their eagerness to help the decline along many operators put out new lines of short wheat, and there is a bare chance that the foundation has been laid for another dangerous short interest. Conservative commission merchants are advising against the reckless selling of wheat for May and June delivery on the new crop prospects. May wheat opened at 90½c, sold off easily and without excitement to 89c and after a while took a plunge to below 87c. The lowest official quotation on this break was 86⅞c, but there were sales at ¼@⅜c lower. A reaction took the price to 88c, and another break between 12 and 1 o'clock landed it at 86⅝c and still later to 86¼c. May and June kept very close together most of the day and the trading in both months was on a lively scale. The range for June was 86¼@90⅛c. May and June monopolized the lion's share of the attention in the early part of the session, and July did not get fairly under headway until nearly 11 o'clock. Up to that time the price had ranged at 85⅛c early, down to 85¼c and up to 85⅝@85⅞c. Slumpiness and slugging suddenly possessed July, and the market slid off to 84⅝c, with enormous trading on the decline. The rain in the winter wheat districts and the hope of rain in the northwest induced free offerings of July, and the collapse of the May deal intensified the feeling. It was deemed perfectly safe to sell the wheat of the next crop under the circumstances, and this sentiment seemed to control during the last hour of business. The markets were limp as a rag and seemingly without a semblance of support. The pressure was heavy up to the close. July worked down to 83⅝c, recovered spasmodically ⅝c, when some of the big sluggers retired for breath, but it settled again to 84⅛c and closed at 83⅞c. As compared with Saturday. This records a loss of 2⅜c. May and June each closed 4⅝c lower than Saturday, the liquidation all around to-day was very heavy. In May and June the liquidation was compared to the "clearing out sale of a bargain counter." With July it was of a different character. The bulls, who have been warned out of May, felt reasonably secure in July, and the 5c decline in that future has caught a great many of them heavily. The principal buyers to-day were the shorts, who covered only to put out their lines again. Ream and Cudahy, who have been doing little in wheat since the manipulation commenced, appeared to-day as leading sellers. The outside news was not important to-day, and it was not in demand. The other American markets sympathized with the weakness here, and the foreign advices indicated softness abroad. "The foreigners can always beat us on a down-hill race," was the sage remark of a veteran commission merchant years ago, and this truth is as applicable now as then.

The weakness in the wheat market and the very favorable weather for farm work were the depressing influences which caused the decline in corn. Trading, however, was not active, and after a decline in futures of about ¼c, business ceased almost entirely. The buyers of the lower grades for rail shipment were likewise enabled to buy to better advantage to-day, but there was no great pressure to sell at the decline. The decrease of 337,000 bushels in the visible supply, making the total quantity now 16,510,810, was of no assistance to the market, as corn was at its weakest after the statement was announced. The quantity in sight at the parallel time last year was 8,599,987 bushels. From New Orleans 25,000 bushels were cleared for Havre on Saturday. There was more doing in the way of changing from May to July at the ⅞c spread than in direct trading. The continued heaviness in wheat and provisions prevented any reaction in corn, and the closing figures were the lowest of the day, and show a decline since Saturday of from ¼ to ⅜c. The estimated receipts for to-morrow are 450 cars.

The oat market was much more active than recently, and a large speculative business was recorded, with prices quite unsettled. May was the favorite, though the trade extended to all the months recently named. After a quiet opening at 25⅜c May sold up to 26c under liberal buying on the part of a few large operators and rather meager offerings. The improvement was not sustained, for at this point a large number of traders entered and there were free offerings and realizing with a subsequent ⅛c decline and a final easy closing. From 25¼c, June sold down to 24⅞c, with July at nearly the same range and April at 25c early. Cash lots shared in the later weakness, and No. 2 regular was offered at 24⅞c.

Provisions ruled in harmony with other leading lines. The weakness developed by the break in wheat and corn was increased by an easier feeling in hogs, and from the opening the bears were independent and aggressive. The tendency being in their direction and the market not even commanding ordinary support, they showed no hesitancy to sell freely. The hammerers were out in full force, and whenever buyers appeared they were simply loaded down with offerings. It was a bear day, and, as a consequence, the change in prices all around were of one kind, and that on the side of a lower range. Based on Saturday's last quotations, the decline actually made in pork amounted to 32½@40c; in lard to 7½@12½c, and in short ribs to 10@15c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, April 8.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—The run, as will be seen, was the largest for Monday for some time, and among the arrivals were quite a large per cent of light handy steers, such as shippers, exporters and the dressed beef trade want, and for such, especially during the early morning, the demand was active with prices only a shade lower than the highest of Friday, or say about Thursday's prices, but toward the close almost everything in the steer line sold lower, and the undesirable natives a good 10c lower, but the chances were that nearly everything would be sold. The spurt in the morning caused the sending of many dispatches to the country quoting active and steady markets. So far as the activity was concerned, there was no mistake, as it seldom happens that 15,000 cattle were so readily disposed of in this market. There were only about three loads of Texans in sight, and they were corn-fed, and brought satisfactory prices. Butchers' stock of all descriptions sold steady. There was nothing of note going on in the stocker and feeder line. Choice to extra beeves, $4.40@4.60; medium to good steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs, $3.90@4.40; 1200 to 1350 lbs, $3.60@4.10; 950 to 1200 lbs, $3.30@3.75; stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.55; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.60@3.20; bulls, $2.25@2.75; Texas steers, $3.00@3.85.

HOGS—Hogs dropped 5@10c, the bulk going out at $4.87½@4.90. A few fancy sold at $4.95@4.97½, and rough packing sorts at $4.75@4.80. Light sorts sold largely at $4.90@5.00, and a few fancy of the singe variety at $5.05.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, April 8.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—There were no new features in stocks this morning, and no change of sentiment from Saturday. Before the week closed the temporary rally of the preceding two days was at an end, and a feeling of depression, caused in part by the unfavorable bank statement, was felt. The declines begun at the close of the week were continued this morning. The stock market opened with fair activity, while prices were ⅛ to ¾ lower. The activity was largely confined to Atchison, Missouri Pacific, Northwestern, Union Pacific, Burlington and a few others. At the end of the hour additional deliveries were recorded in many securities, while Missouri Pacific yielded ¾ and Atchison went down 1¼ per cent from the close of Saturday. At 11 a. m. there was no sign of a rally and prices were at the bottom for the morning. A half hour later there was a slight recovery, which only served to cause a renewal of the pressure, and a general decline followed, in which Missouri Pacific and Atchison suffered most, each selling 1¼ per cent under the opening figures. The other declines were fractional, while Northwestern, Burlington, Union Pacific and St. Paul were specially active. The decline and activity both ceased about noon and the market was heavy with prices but slightly recovered. The weakness in stocks, due largely to the unfavorable bank statement, continued almost to the close. The principal decline was in Missouri Pacific, New England and Atchison, which lost 1½, 1¾ and 3 per cent respectively. The early bulge in St. Paul was also lost, and Union Pacific became quite weak.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	128¾	Northern Pacific	26
U. S. 4s coupons	128¾	do preferred	60¼
U. S. 4½s regular	108	C. & N. W.	101⅞
U. S. 4½s coupons	108	do preferred	136
Pacific 6s of '95	120	N.Y. Central	106¾
Central Pacific	34	P. D. & E	23
Chicago & Alton	125	Rock Island	91⅛
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	93	C., M. & St. P.	64⅛
		do preferred	104
D., L. & W.	135½	St. Paul & Omaha	32½
Illinois Central	110¼	do preferred	92¾
L., B. & W.	9½	Union Pacific	60½
Kansas & Texas	52¾	W., St. L. & P.	12½
Lake Shore	101¼	do preferred	25¾
Michigan Central	86½	Western Union	81½
Missouri Pacific	69⅛		

MONEY ON CALL—Easier; 3@4 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4½@6 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Dull, firm; sixty-day bills, $4.86¾; demand, $4.88¾.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 8.—Wheat—Weak and lower; cash, 85½c; May, 86¼c; July, 83⅞c.

Corn—Lower; cash, 34⅞c; May, 35⅝c; July, 36⅜c.

Oats—Easier; cash, 25c; May, 25⅝c; July, 25 1-16c.

Rye—43c.

Barley—Nothing doing.

Prime Timothy—$1.28.

Flax—$1.55.

Whisky—$1.03.

Pork—Lower; May, $11.90; July, $12.10.

Lard—Easier; cash, $6.85; May, $6.90.

Flour—Unchanged; winter wheat, $2.25@5.25; spring wheat, $1.40@6.25; rye, $2.65@3.00 in barrels.

Dry Salt Meats—Shoulders, $5.50@5.75; short clears, $4.50@4.62½; short ribs, $6.00@6.10.

Butter—Quiet: creamery, 25@26c; dairy, 14@22c.

Cheese—Dull; full cream cheddars and flats, 10⅝@10¾c; Young Americas, 11¼@11½c.

Eggs—Steady; fresh, 10@10½c.

Hides—Unchanged; heavy green salted, 5½c; light green salted, 5½c; green, 4c; salted bull, 4½c; green salted calf, 6½@6½c; dry flint, 7½@8c; green salted kip, 4@4½c; dry calf, 7c@8c; dry salted, 7c.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, solid packed, 4c; No. 2, 3½c; cake, 4½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour	13,000	5,000
Wheat	17,000	7,000
Corn	115,000	313,000
Oats	81,000	94,000

New York, April 8.—Wheat—Receipts, 1,000; exports, ——; spot weak and lower; No. 2 red, 85½@85¾c in store; 87¼@87½c afloat; 86¼@88c f. o. b.; No. 3 red, 80@81c; options fairly active, heavy and lower. April 85¼c.

Corn—Receipts, 28,000; exports, 56,000; spot moderately active and steady; No. 2 43⅝@43¾c in elevator; 44⅝@45c afloat; ungraded mixed, 44@44½c; options more active and lower.

Oats—Receipts, 14,000; exports, 1,000; spot strong, fairly active and higher; options weak and lower; April, 31c; May, 30½c; spot No. 2 white, 33½@34c; mixed western, 30@33c.

Coffee—Options opened steady; closed steady; 5 to 15 points down; sales, 30,750 bags; April, $16.35; May, $16.45@16.55; July, $16.70@16.75; spot Rio, quiet, fair cargoes $18.75.

Petroleum—Quiet and steady; United closed at 91c.

Eggs—Firm; western, 10@11¾c.

Pork—Steady; new, $13.50@13.75.

Lard—Dull and lower; western steam $7.25; April, $7.22.

Butter—Firmer and active; western, 11@23c.

Cheese—Easy; western, 10¾c.

Liverpool, April 8.—[Special Cablegram to THE BEE.]—3:30 p. m. close.—Pork—In poor demand; prime mess, eastern, 65s, steady; do western, 55s, steady.

Lard—In poor demand; spot and April, 36s, dull; May and June, 36s 3d, dull.

Wheat—In poor demand; new No. 2, winter, 7s 2d, easy; do spring, 7s 10½d, dull.

Flour—In fair demand at 11s 3d; steady.

Corn—In fair demand for spot and poor demand for futures; spot May and June, 3s 10½d, firm; April, 3s 10¼d, firm.

Receipts of wheat for the week from Atlantic ports, 2,800 quarters; Pacific ports, 6,000 quarters; other sources, 75,000. Receipts of American corn, 63,300 quarters.

St. Louis, April 8.—Wheat—Quiet; cash, 88c; May, 88⅛c.

Corn—Lower; cash, 31¼c; May, 30¾c.

Oats—Easier; cash, 26c; May, 26¼@26⅜c.

Pork—Dull at $12.70.

Lard—Nominal at $6 65.

Whisky—Steady at $1.03

Butter—Quiet, steady; creamery, 23@25c; dairy, 21@22c.

Minneapolis, April 8.—Sample wheat dull and lower; receipts for two days, 186 cars; shipments, 50 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, April, 84c; May, 84c; on track, 84@85c; No. 1 northern, April, 91; May, 91¼c; on track, 90½@91c; No. 2. northern, April, 80c; May, 80c; on track, 80@82c.

Milwaukee, April 8.—Wheat—Easy; cash, 83c; May, 83⅝c.

Corn—Firm; No. 3, 33½@34c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2, white, 28@28⅝c.

Rye—Quiet; No. 1, 45½c.

Barley—Dull; No. 2, 55c.

Provisions—Easy. Pork—$11.00.

Kansas City, April 8.—Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 red, cash, 85½c; May, 87c asked; No. 2 soft, cash, no bids nor offerings; May, 86c asked.

Corn—Quiet; No. 2, cash, sales at 25½c; May, 25½c bid.

Oats—No. 2, cash, no bids nor offerings; May, 26c bid.

Cincinnati, April 8.—Wheat—Dull and lower; No. 2 mixed, 85c.

Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 35c.

Oats—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 27½c.

Whisky—Steady at $1.03.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, April 8.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; market active and a shade lower; choice to extra beeves, $4.40@4.60; steers, $3.30@4.40; stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.55; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.60@3.20; Texas steers, $3.00@3.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; market slow and 5 10c lower; mixed, $4.75@4.95; heavy, $5.70@6.00; light, $4.80@5.00; skips, $3.50@3.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; market strong and 10c higher; natives, $3.75@4.60; western corn-fed, $4.90@5.50; lambs $4.75@6.50.

The Drovers' Journal's special cablegram from London quotes a heavy supply of American cattle; demand weak, but prices steady; prices, 12¼c for tops.

National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, April 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; shipments, 400; market steady; choice heavy native steers, $4.00@4.50; fair to good, $3.10@4.00; stockers and feeders, $2.10@3.20; rangers, corn-fed, $2.80@3.50; grass-fed, $2.00@3.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,400; shipments, 2,500; market easy; choice heavy and butchers' selections, $4.70@4.85; packing, $4.60@4.70; light grades, $4.70@4.80.

Sioux City, April 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 154; shipments, 128; market steady; fat steers, $3.00@5.00; stockers, $2.35@2.85; feeders, $2.40@2.90; canners and bulls, $1.00@1.75; veal calves, $2.00@4.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 916; market weaker; light and mixed, $4.55@4.60; heavy, $4.57½@4.62½.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Monday, April 8, 1889.

Everyone bought freely and the market was fairly active, but the buyers took it a little more leisurely and did not "hustle" as they did on Saturday. The bulk of the cattle sold early and a clearance was effected by midday. The market in dressed beef and shipping steers was a little lower on an average, and in some cases salesmen were placing the decline at 5@10c; on the other hand, some cattle sold little or no lower. There was nothing here good enough to bring as high prices as were paid on Saturday, but some pretty good cattle brought $4.00. The beef cattle sold at a range of $3.25@4.00, but the bulk went at $3.60@3.80. Cows, and, for that matter, any kind of butchers' stock or canners, was scarce and sold at fully steady prices. Desirable cows sold largely at $2.50@3.00, with a bunch of choice heifers at $3.25. There were no feeders here to make a market.

Hogs.

The market opened strong at Saturday's prices, but closed dull and weak on account of the reported decline in other markets. The only feature which really kept the market up was the light receipts. The pens were cleared before midday.

Sheep.

There was not a load in the yards and nothing to make a market. The demand continues good, and there is no reason to doubt but what desirable fat muttons would sell at strong prices.

Receipts.

Cattle	1,920
Hogs	1,700
Sheep	1250

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	$3.50	@4.10
Prime steers, 1100 to 1300 lbs	3.40	@3.85
Native feeders	2.80	@3.10
Common to good cows	1.50	@2.60
Choice to fancy cows	2.65	@3.25
Fair to choice bulls	1.75	@2.75
Fair to choice light hogs	4.60	@4.67½
Fair to choice heavy hogs	4.60	@4.65
Fair to choice mixed hogs	4.55	@4.60
Fair to choice western sheep	3.80	@4.30
Fair to choice Nebraskas	3.60	@4.10

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
3	623	$3.00	38	1281	$3.65
27	788	3.25	17	1307	3.65
15	872	3.25	10	1211	3.65
19	1053	3.35	98	1412	3.65
22	1045	3.40	17	1221	3.65
16	1050	3.40	40	1164	3.65
2	1080	3.40	18	1192	3.67½
3	1000	3.40	22	1172	3.67½
1	1210	3.40	19	1265	3.70
21	982	3.40	20	1221	3.70
19	864	3.45	62	1277	3.70
10	1183	3.50	13	1156	3.70
26	940	3.50	37	1289	3.70
1	1560	3.50	20	1225	3.70
12	1180	3.50	6	1325	3.75
50	1017	3.50	14	1355	3.75
15	1244	3.55	21	1264	3.75
1	920	3.55	4	922	3.75
48	1016	3.55	40	1414	3.75
21	1004	3.55	27	1273	3.80
20	1079	3.60	22	1270	3.80
21	1169	3.60	14	1319	3.80
35	1154	3.60	40	1247	3.80
23	1130	3.60	20	1277	3.80
19	1110	3.60	20	1335	3.80
1	1220	3.60	20	1313	3.80
9	1276	3.60	21	1473	3.85
18	1229	3.60	19	1355	3.85
17	1166	3.62½	17	1361	3.87½
21	1209	3.62½	12	1520	3.90
82	1213	3.65	22	1417	4.00

COWS.

4	912	2.00	7	1269	2.80
6	1050	2.35	9	1196	2.80
1	1020	2.50	1	1100	2.80
2	1101	2.50	3	1166	2.85
6	1100	2.50	1	1030	2.85
19	797	2.50	1	1110	2.85
20	1075	2.50	17	1130	2.95
3	1106	2.55	19	1192	2.95
2	1255	2.55	1	1260	3.00
1	970	2.55	4	1200	3.00
4	767	2.55	35	1087	3.00
5	1132	2.55	2	660	3.50
2	950	2.60	1	1030	3.00
6	1119	2.60	1	1200	3.00
3	1163	2.70	1	1310	3.10
2	1200	2.75	3	1060	3.20
6	958	2.80	28	871	3.25

BULLS.

1	1540	2.25	3	1530	2.65
1	1250	2.25	2	1680	2.70
1	1670	2.40	14	1771	2.75
1	1700	2.50	1	1920	2.75
1	1960	2.60	1	1830	2.80
9	1818	2.60	1	1540	2.85
1	1900	2.60			

OXEN.

1	1640	2.60	2	1805	3.00
5	1800	3.30			

STAGS.

1	1020	3.00	2	1460	3.00

STOCKERS.

35	554	2.55	21	677	2.60

CALVES.

3	113	4.00			

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Shk.	Pr.
73	293	40	$4.55	61	308	40	$4.60
67	236	120	4.55	71	269	120	4.60
67	239	...	4.60	62	277	80	4.62½
56	262	120	4.60	70	222	...	4.65
66	254	40	4.60	62	225	40	4.65
62	269	...	4.60	64	273	200	4.65
59	276	80	4.60	55	253	...	4.65
58	290	40	4.60	65	239	80	4.65
60	275	240	4.60	59	233	40	4.65
59	215	...	4.60	54	348	80	4.65
62	233	40	4.60	74	260	40	4.65
64	247	80	4.60	74	218	80	4.65
68	255	80	4.60	73	196	40	4.67½

Review of Prices.

The following are the highest and lowest prices paid for beef and shipping steers on the days indicated during the past three years. Sales of cattle in less than car load lots are included.

Mar. 1886.		Mar. 1887.		Mar. 1888.	
17	4 00 @4 25	4 00 @4 22½		3 75 @4 42½	
18	3 75 @4 25	4 00 @4 75		Sunday.	
19				3 25 @4 10	
20	3 90 @4 30	Sunday		3 25 @4 10	
21	Sunday	4 25 @4 62½		3 60 @4 25	
22		3 85 @4 70		3 40 @4 20	
23	4 00 @4 25	4 00 @4 80		3 60 @4 00	
24	3 40 @4 60	4 25 @4 60		3 60 @4 25	
25	3 85 @4 65	4 00 @4 75		Sunday	
26	4 15 @4 25	3 50 @4 50		3 70 @4 10	
27	4 20 @4 50	Sunday		3 60 @4 65	
28	Sunday	4 35 @4 65		3 30 @4 65	
29	3 75 @4 15	4 00 @4 85		3 50 @4 15	
30	3 75 @4 40	3 75 @4 62½		3 40 @4 45	
31	3 90 @4 25	4 15 @4 65		3 75 @4 30	
April, 1886		April, 1887		April, 1888	
1	3 87½@4 30	4 30 @4 60		Sunday	
2	@4 50	4 15 @4 55		3 60 @4 35	
3	4 20 @4 30	Sunday		3 55 @4 45	
4	Sunday	4 25 @4 60		3 70 @4 50	
5	@4 25	4 20 @4 70		3 60 @4 60	
6	4 10 @4 40	4 15 @4 55		3 50 @4 50	
7	3 90 @4 75	4 20 @4 50		3 65 @4 50	
8	@4 30	4 00 @4 55		3 65 @4 40	

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce, Fruits, Etc.

BUTTER—Creamery—Fancy print, 24@26c; choice print, 21@23c; fancy solid packed, 20@22c: choice solid packed, 19@20c. Dairy—Fancy roll, 17@19c; choice, 15@16c; good, 12@14c; low grades, 10@11c.

CHEESE—Full cream cheddars, choice, 11½@12½c; full cream flats, two in hoop, 11½@13c; full cream Y. A., choice, 12½@13c; off grades and skims, 5@9c; limburger, 10@12c; brick, 11½@12c; Swiss, 14@15c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, 8@9c.

LIVE POULTRY—Chickens, per doz, $4.00@4.50; ducks, $3.75@4.00; geese, $8.50@9.00; turkeys, per lb, 10@12c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Chickens, per lb, 12@13c; turkeys, 14@15c; geese, 11@12c; ducks, 12@13c.

VEAL—Heavy grassers, 150 to 200 lbs, 5@6c; inferior calves, 50 to 60 lbs, 3@5c; medium to good, 70 to 85 lbs, 4@6c; choice to fancy, 100 to 130 lbs, 6@7c.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, Nebraska and Iowa, choice large, 20@25c; common, 18@19c; sweet potatoes, Jersey, per bbl, $2.75@3.00; beets, per doz, 50@70c; carrots, 35@40c; cabbage, California, per lb, 2c; parsnips, per bu, 50@60c; onions, red choice, 50@55c; silver skin, 60@75c; turnips, 20@25c; rutabagas, 35@40c; radishes, 20@25c; lettuce, 25@30c; cucumbers, $1.00; string beans, per box, $1.75@2.25; celery, 50@60; spinach $1.00 per bbl; pie plant, per doz, 50c; parsley, per doz, 25c; soup bunches, 35c; cauliflower, $1.50@1.75; asparagus, 60@70c; beats, new, 40c.

GAME—Mallard, per doz, $3.00@3.50; redhead, per doz, $2.50@3.00; teal, per doz, $1.75@2.00; common small, per doz, $1.00@1.50; rabbits, per doz, 90c@$1.00; jack rabbits, per doz, $3.00@3.50; squirrels, per doz, 90c@$1.00; jack snipe, $1.00@1.25.

APPLES—Per bbl, fancy New York and Michigan, $2.75; choice, $2.25; choice Missouri, $2.25; good, $1.75@2.00.

FOREIGN FRUITS—Malaga grapes, kegs, 40 to 55 lbs, 10c per lb; bananas, per bunch, $1.50@3.00; lemons, fancy new, 300 to 360s, $3.00@3.75; oranges, Los Angeles, $2.50; Riversides, $3.50; Navels, $5.00; Ranchito, $2.50@2.75.

CRANBERRIES—Bell & Bugle, choice, $6.00; Bell & Cherry, choice, $5.50; choice Jersey, $7.25.

HIDES—Green salted No. 1, 5@5½c; No. 2, 3@3½c; calf, 5@5½c; dry flint, 7@8c.

BEANS—Navies, hand picked, per bu, $2.10@2.20; good clean country, $1.65@2.00; off or poor stock, $1.00@1.50, California, $2.00@2.10.

CIDER—Michigan, per bbl, $4.50@5.00; New York, per bbl, $5.00@5.50; half bbl, $2.75@3.00.

FEATHERS—Per lb, prime live geese, white 35@40c; mixed with gray, 25@30; damp and musty, 10@20c; prime live domestic duck, 20@25c; wild duck, 15@20c.

SAUERKRAUT—Per bbl, 30 gal, choice, $3.00; per half barrel, $2.00.

POPCORN—Per lb, rice, 1@1½c; common, ¾@1c.

HONEY—1-lb frames, choice white, 15@16c; dark, 13@14c; strained, 10@12c.

JELLIES—3½@4c per lb; preserves, 10@12c per lb.

LARD—7½c in 50 lb pkgs.

MINCEMEAT—6½@7c per lb.

STRAWBERRIES—3@50c per box.

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BAGGING—Stark A, seamless, 22c; Amoskeag, seamless, 17½c; Lewiston A, seamless, 19c; American, seamless, 17c; burlaps, 4 to 5 bu, 11@14c; gunnies, single, 14c; gunnies, double, 23c; wool sacks, 40c.

TWINES—Flax, 20c; cotton, 18@22c.

DRIED FRUITS—Figs, in boxes, per lb, 9@10c; dates, in boxes, 7@10c; London Dehesa raisins, per box, $5.00; Malaga loose raisins, $2.30@2.50; new Valencia raisins, per lb, 7c; California loose Muscatels, per box, $1.80@2.30; California Londons, 1888, $2.30; pitted cherries, 17c; California pitted plums, per lb, 9@11c; dried blackberries, per lb, 6@7c; dried raspberries, per lb, 20c; evaporated apples, 6@7½; California unpared evaporated peaches, 10c: evaporated California apricots, 14@17c; currants, 5c; Turkish prunes, 4¾@4¾c; citron, 22@24c; orange peel, 15c; lemon peel, 14c; California French prunes, 7@11c.

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.

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