THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Sells Down at the Opening But Recovers Later.

CORN VALUES ABOUT THE SAME.

Oats Continue Quiet With No Essential Change in Prices—More Doing in Provisions—Cattle in Fair Demand.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Wheat sold down in the market ½c today, recovering a portion of the loss and closing steady at only ¼c depreciation from yesterday. Trading was almost wholly confined to May, which opened at 82c, sold off to 81¾c, rallied to 81¾@81¼c, down to 81¾c, up to 81¾c, off again to 81¼c and up to 81⅝@81¾c, closing at 81¾@81¾c, with January resting at 77c and February at 78½c. There were no features of special interest in the local deal. New York reported three boat loads of new business, but that market was weak on heavy selling by Cottrell. The feeling here was influenced bearishly to some extent by the appearance of snow over considerable areas in the winter wheat territory. Snow is not yet general south of the Chicago line, but indications point to more snow. The storm is spending its violence in the east, and more settled winter weather is not expected. The volume of business was light today and the market had little public support from any quarter. The undertone of the market seems firm, but speculative raids for ¾c or for such a matter have become quite common of late. Spot No. 1 California and No. 2 red winter in Liverpool were quoted at 7s 5d and 7s 1½d respectively, or ½d higher than yesterday. A year ago quotations were 7s 9d for No. 1 California and 7s 11d for No. 2 red winter, showing a decline of 4d for No. 1 California and 10½d for No. 2 red winter compared with the same day last year.

The corn market was very quiet and prices did not vary much from the previous day's figures. Some firmness was imparted when the estimate of only thirty-three cars for tomorrow's receipts was made public, but there was no animation in the demand and at 32c for May, which price was reached early in the day, there was much more for sale than was wanted. There was a decline to 31¾c, succeeded by a rally to 31¾c, and the closing figure for May was 31¾@32c, which is about the same as on the day before. Business was of a local scalping character and small in extent. The weaker tone of wheat had probably some influence with local speculators. January closed at 29c and February at 29¼@29⅝c, which is nearly the same as on Monday.

Oats continued quiet at prices not essentially altered. The feeling in May was at times a little firmer, as the demand was slightly improved, with moderate trading as high as 25¾@25¼c. The visible supply report shows a decrease for last week of nearly 142,000 bushels and the estimate for tomorrow is less than the recent average. No interest of consequence was shown in near deliveries and No. 2 cash in store was nominally 30½@30¾c. No. 2 white for May sold at 29¾@29¼c.

There was more doing in future deliveries of provisions today, and although fluctuations in prices were not wide, the feeling was that the speculative trade has narrowed down to a point where the scalping crowd jump at a profit of 25c or 5c or cover quickly on small losses. As a result of this policy the pit will be deserted one minute and filled with traders the next. The Sawyer-Wallace deal in pork being still on, the movements of the clique's representatives are of course closely watched. Pointers were out this morning that May pork would be put up to $10.00 again today and the crowd bought a little, Mitchell taking 10,000 or 15,000 barrels and Ryan about as much more around $9.90. Norton & Worthington then began to feed out May pork and the price eased off to $9.87½@9.90. They sold about 50,000 barrels altogether, Wolff taking 35,000 of it. Later the market firmed up again to $9.95 and at the close $9.92½ was the price for May, being a shade better than yesterday's closing. Less deferred deliveries showed a corresponding improvement. Lard ruled quiet and steady throughout the session, the range for May being $6.05@6.07½, or the same as yesterday. The only feature in rules was the buying of 50,000 pounds of May early by S. V. White & Co. at around $4.12½@4.15. The buoyancy in the hog market helps to stimulate the product at the yards. Prices were up 5c again to-day.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—The demand was fair and prices steady at the decline noted yesterday which leaves prices 25@30c lower than last week and the decline covers everything in the steer line except the very best, but cow stock is only 10@15c lower than last week. A few grass Texans are coming along from day to day, consisting largely of cows. The run of stockers and feeders was fair, the demand steady and prices about the same as last week, yet there were salesmen who voted the market 10@15c lower. Choice to extra beeves, $4.50@5.05; medium to good steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs, $4.25@4.75; 1200 to 1350 lbs, $3.40@4.30; 950 to 1200 lbs, $3.00 @4.00. Stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.15; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@3.00; bulls, $2.25@2.50; Texas corn-fed steers, $3.50@ 3.90; cows, $1.50@2.20.

HOGS—Business was active and prices strong to a nickel higher. Packers paid $3.70@3.80, largely $3.75, and shippers $3.75@ 3.85, largely $3.80. Light, either mixed or selected, were neglected, yet sold largely at $3.75.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The expressions of operators at the resorts last night gave little indication of what the market would be today. With the great bugbear—tight money—out of the way there are many outside professional traders who hope to see lesser obstacles removed and decisive action of some sort take place in stocks. A dragging market the first two weeks of the year has been very discouraging. Business to-day early showed little sign of improvement. The excitement in Coal stocks seemed to have died away and the market was strong all the way through, and first prices were generally from ⅛ to ¼ per cent higher than last evening's quotations and was followed by very moderate business, but further fractional advances in the regular list, which, however, failed to develop any special feature whatever beyond an advance of 1 per cent in Manitoba to 114. Later in the hour, however, prices reacted and weak spots began to show in the list, Atchison at 31⅞ showing a loss of ⅜, and Wisconsin Central a like amount at 33¼. Sugar was a strong point in the market, rising 1¼ to 53⅝, but it also gave way with the regular list and lost most of the improvement. Toward the end of the hour the downward movement became more pronounced. Atchison went off to 30¾ and before noon other shares went lower. Western Union dropped from 84 to 83¾. Pacific Mail from 38¼ to 37⅝ and Missouri Pacific from 73 to 72½. Northern Pacific was quite buoyant, touching 74½, and in the downward movement losing but ¼ to 73¾, remaining ¼ per cent over last night. Chicago Gas weakened from 46¾ early to 45¼ at 12 o'clock. Coal stocks did nothing remarkable during the morning. After 12 o'clock there was some pressure for money and 8 per cent was the prevailing rate. The bears took advantage of this and sold stocks all through the list. There was little or no reaction from the bottom prices of the day. Atchison went off to 30⅝, Burlington to 106½, Rock Island to 90¾, Jersey Central to 122, Sugar to 52⅜, New England to 44⅝, Lackawanna to 135¼ and Reading to 32¾, with other less active stocks showing smaller losses. The total sales were 202,500 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	126	Northern Pacific	30¼
U. S. 4s coupons	126	do preferred	73¾
U. S. 4½s regular	108¼	C. & N. W.	110¼
U. S. 4½s coupons	108¼	do preferred	140
Pacific 6s of '95	116	N. Y. Central	106¾
Central Pacific	34¼	P. D. & E.	14
Chicago & Alton	150	Rock Island	90¾
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	106½	C., M. & St. P.	68¼
do preferred	119½	do preferred	119½
D., L. & W.	145	St. Paul & Omaha	35¾
Illinois Central	119	do preferred	94
L. E. & W.	90	Union Pacific	67¼
Kansas & Texas	19¾	W., St. L. & P.	16¾
Lake Shore	104½	do preferred	31¾
Michigan Central	93	Western Union	83¾
Missouri Pacific	72¼		

MONEY—Easy at 2@7 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5¼@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet but heavy; sixty-day bills, $4.81¼; demand, $4.86.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	115	Hale & Norcross	230
Aspen	440	Homestake	830
Con. Cal. & Va.	275	Horn Silver	210
Caledonia B. H.	140	Iron Silver	150
Commonwealth	301	North Belle Isle	100
Comstock, T. bd.	3600	Ontario	3600
Deadwood T.	145	Savage	140
El Cristo	140		

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Firmer; January, 77c; May, 81¾c.

Corn—Firm; January, 29c; May, 31¾c.

Oats—Steady; January, 20¼c; May, 22½c.

Rye—Nominal.

Barley—No trading.

Prime Timothy—$1.30.

Flax—Cash, $1.85.

Whisky—$1.02.

Pork—Firm; January, $9.52½; May, $9.92½.

Lard—Firmer; January, $5.82½; May, $6.07½.

Flour—Steady; unchanged; wheat, patent, $4.50@4.75; winter wheat flour, $4.30 @4.40 for patents, $3.60@4.00 for clears.

Provisions—Shoulders, $4.12½@4.25; short clear, $4.95@5.00; short ribs, January, $4.67½.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 15@25c; dairy, 11@21c.

Cheese—Unchanged; full cream cheddars and flats, 9½@9¾c; fancy Young Americas, 10@10¼c.

Eggs—Easy; fresh 12½@13½c.

Hides—Unchanged; heavy and light green salted, 4¼c; salted buff, 5¼c; green salted calf, 8½c; dry salted, 6c; dry flint, 6@7c; dry calf, 5@6c; deacons each, 20c.

Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1, solid packed, 4c; No. 2, 3½@3¾c; cake, 4c.

	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.
Flour	14,000	11,000
Wheat	35,000	11,000
Corn	250,000	434,000
Oats	195,000	178,000

CINCINNATI, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, 76@80c.

Corn—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 33c.

Oats—Easier; No. 2 mixed, 24c.

Whisky—$1.02.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 spring, on track, cash, 72@75c; May, 75¾c.

Corn—Dull; No. 3 on track, 26½c.

Oats—Slow; No. 2 white, on track, 22@ 22½c.

Rye—Quiet; No. 1, in store, 45c.

Barley—Quiet; No. 2 in store, 43½@44c.

Provisions—Easier; pork, $9.45.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Lower; cash, 77½c; May, 77¼c.

Corn—Firm; cash, 25½c; May, 28¼@ 28¾c.

Oats—Dull; cash, 20½c; May, 21¾c.

Pork—Steady; $9.75.

Lard—Dull at $5.60@5.65.

Butter—Steady; creamery, 18@24c; dairy, 16@21c.

Whisky—$1.02.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Receipts, 5,500 bushels; spot, weaker; No. 2 red, 86¼c in elevator, 87½@87⅝c afloat, 87½@88⅝c f. o. b.; ungraded red, 72@84⅝c; options steady; No. 2 red, January, closing at 86¼c.

Corn—Receipts, 176,400 bushels; exports, 140,100 bushels; spot steady; No. 2, 38@38½c in elevator, 39¼c afloat; ungraded mixed, 37 @41c; options closed strong; January 38⅜c.

Oats—Receipts, 107,000 bushels; exports, 2,100 bushels; spot easier; options lower; January closing at 29⅛c; spot No. 2, white, 30¼c; mixed western, 27@30½c; white, 30@34c.

Coffee—Options closed dull at 5 points down. Sales, 23,250 bags. February, $16.05; May, $16.10@16.15; spot Rio firm; fair cargoes, $19.75.

Sugar—Raw, firmer but quiet; refined, fairly active and firm.

Petroleum—Quiet; United closed at $1.04⅝ for February.

Eggs—Firm; western, 16½@16¾c.

Pork—Firm; new mess, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—Stronger; western steam, spot, and to arrive, $6.15@6.20, closing at $6.17½ bid.

Butter—Fancy steady; others dull and weak; Elgin, 28@28½c western dairy, 8@ 16c; creamery, 12@26½c.

Cheese—Dull; western, 8@16c.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Stronger; No. 2 cash and January, 62½c.

Corn—Steady; No. 2, cash and January, 21½c bid.

Oats—No. 2, cash, 28½c bid; January, 18½c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Lower today and samples moved along more actively. Receipts, 222 cars; shipments, 47 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, January and February, 79c; May, 80¼c, on track, 79½c; No. 1 northern, January, and February, 77c; May 81c; on track, 77½@78c; No. 2 northern, January and February, 74c; May, 78c; on track, 74@76c.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Firm; demand improving; holders offer sparingly; California No. 1, 7s 1½d per cental; red western winter, 7s 5½d.

Corn—Steady; demand fair; new mixed western, 4s 2¾ per cental.

The Visible Supply.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The visible supply for the week ending January 11, as compiled by the secretary of the board of trade is as follows:

	Bushels.
Wheat	33,178,000
Corn	10,834,000
Oats	4,977,000
Rye	1,280,000
Barley	2,283,000

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 9,500; market stronger; good grades of beeves, $4.50@5.05; steers, $3.00@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.15; Texas cattle, $1.50@3.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,600; market steady; mixed, $3.55@3.80; heavy, $3.55@3.85; light, $3.55@3.85.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; market strong and active; natives, $3.25@5.50; western corn-fed Texans, $4.50@4.90.

The Drovers' Journal special cablegram from London quotes moderate supplies of cattle and a steady demand; medium to extra beeves, 11@12½c per pound, estimated dead weight.

SIOUX CITY, Jan. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 350; shipments, 100; market unchanged; canners, 75c@$1.30; cows, $1.00@2.15; stockers and feeders, $1.50@2.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,500; market higher; light, $3.52½@3.57½; heavy, $3.50@3.62½; mixed, $3.40@3.52½.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, EAST ST. LOUIS, Jan. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,600; shipments, 300; market strong; fair to fancy native steers, $3.40@5.00; stockers and feeders, $1.90@4.00; range steers, $3.00 @3.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,800; shipments, 200; market strong; heavy, $3.60@3.72½; packing, $3.50@3.65; light, $3.45@3.60.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,700; shipments, 900; market strong; natives, $3.10@4.60; cows, $1.80@2.60; stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.05.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,700; shipments, none; market higher; all grades, $3.62½@3.70; bulk, $3.65@3.67½.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Tuesday, Jan. 14.

It was one of those days when it is rather difficult to give a report that would be entirely satisfactory to all concerned. No two operators looked upon the trade in exactly the same light, and even the buyers were far from agreeing upon the state of the market and were calling it all the way from steady to 10c lower. The market on beef cattle taken as a whole was in reality not much different from yesterday, but there was an easier feeling and some sales were undoubtedly lower. Most every one was agreed that the market was at the least 15c lower than at the close of last week. The beeves sold at $3.00@4.00, principally $3.35@ 3.75. There were no very choice cattle, a few that were pretty fair but a good many more that were common. In fact the most of the cattle were of common and medium quality. The market was not very active and the operators were slow in getting down to business. There was quite a sprinkling of cow stuff in the yards and a good many head changed hands. There was not much change in values from yesterday. The sales ranged from $1.75 to $2.50, with the bulk at $2.05@2.35. There were practically no stockers or feeders in the yards. There was some inquiry for desirable cattle of that description but nothing to fill the demand. A few head changed hands at $2.75@3.00.

Hogs.

There were only a few hogs here to-day, and the market was active and 2½@5c higher. The hogs sold at $3.62½@3.65, the latter price catching the bulk, with one load at $3.67½. The buyers apparently want the hogs and buy them up readily at the prices. The hog market averaged the highest to-day since November 25. During the early part of that month the hogs sold at above $4.70, but they dropped down steadily until the close of the month, when they were selling at $3.50@3.60, or about where the market was last week.

Sheep.

There were two single decks of good corn-fed western ewes on the market, which sold at $4.50.

Receipts.

Cattle	2,000
Hogs	2,000
Sheep	196

Prevailing Prices.

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

Prime steers, 1300 to 1600 lbs	3.90	@4.50
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	3.40	@4.10
Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs	3.10	@3.80
Common 1000 to 1150 lb steers	2.90	@3.25
Common canners	1.25	@1.60
Ordinary to fair cows	1.60	@2.00
Fair to good cows	2.00	@2.20
Good to choice cows	2.20	@2.40
Choice to fancy cows	2.40	@2.90
Fair to good bulls	1.50	@2.50
Choice to fancy bulls	2.50	@3.25
Light stockers and feeders	2.00	@2.60
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.50	@2.90
Fair to choice light hogs	3.62½	@3.65
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3.65	@3.67½
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3.62½	@3.65

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
1	1000	$3 00	18	1236	$3 45
84	1157	3 00	41	1180	3 45
3	1200	3 00	4	1167	3 50
19	1018	3 05	38	1261	3 50
5	1024	3 05	7	1149	3 50
1	1030	3 05	7	1149	3 50
16	1059	3 17½	20	1235	3 55
7	1034	3 20	38	1330	3 55
14	1001	3 20	20	1250	3 65
38	1161	3 35	18	1244	3 65
20	1124	3 35	19	1256	3 70
8	1112	3 40	12	1213	3 70
10	1191	3 40	20	1322	3 75
59	1072	3 40	11	1284	3 80
91	1209	3 40	17	1305	3 85
90	1228	3 45	18	1327	3 85
19	1256	3 45	18	1434	4 00

COWS.

2	980	1 75	4	1235	2 20
2	1055	1 75	22	1070	2 20
2	1150	1 87½	16	1065	2 22½
1	1130	1 90	5	1158	2 25
6	1017	1 90	22	1059	2 25
5	1014	2 00	15	1003	2 25
2	1085	2 00	17	1095	2 25
29	900	2 05	16	940	2 25
18	1107	2 07½	14	991	2 25
17	923	2 10	15	1004	2 25
33	914	2 10	21	1002	2 25
25	1190	2 10	14	1051	2 25
0	1008	2 10	18	1220	2 27½
27	1161	2 15	23	1013	2 30
1	1012	2 15	21	1016	2 30
23	1068	2 15	19	956	2 30
1	1150	2 15	20	1040	2 35
16	956	2 15	17	831	2 35
15	955	2 17½	14	1093	2 35
1	1030	2 17½	4	1035	2 35
4	1235	2 20	1	1150	2 35
8	1095	2 20	5	1164	2 35
11	1137	2 20	1	1100	2 40
7	1037	2 20	1	980	2 40
4	1090	2 30	11	1027	2 40
6	1047	2 30	13	1101	2 40
25	956	2 20	5	962	2 45
15	990	2 20	23	842	2 50

BULLS.

4	1395	2 00	1	1800	2 20
1	1370	2 00	1	1430	2 25
1	1300	2 00	3	1400	2 25
1	1580	2 00	1	1840	2 25
1	1630	2 00	1	1230	2 30
4	1407	2 10	1	1680	2 35
5	1516	2 10	1	1560	2 50
1	1550	2 10	1	1420	2 50
3	1520	2 10	1	1610	2 60
2	1550	2 10	1	1200	2 75
1	1070	2 15	1	2180	3 25

FEEDERS.

1	800	2 65	20	1012	3 00
3	957	2 75	1	1020	3 00
17	858	2 75	12	1086	3 00
3	1093	2 85			

CANNERS.

1	970	1 50	1	940	1 50
1	870	1 50	1	910	1 60
5	1066	1 50			

CALVES.

1	260	3 75	5	344	2 00
2	155	4 50			

HEIFERS.

1	910	2 50	2	995	2 60

OXEN.

4	1722	3 00			

STAGS.

1	1580	2 80			

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sk.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sk.	Pr.
75	217	100	$3 55	55	283	240	$3 65
10	278	—	3 60½	37	300	80	3 65
60	282	240	3 62½	75	250	120	3 65
60	255	160	3 62½	64	280	80	3 65
63	340	200	3 62½	50	347	120	3 65
60	286	120	3 62½	61	233	120	3 65
69	264	40	3 62½	70	242	—	3 65
74	234	40	3 62½	54	333	440	3 65
74	219	120	3 62½	66	252	120	3 65
62	277	160	3 62½	56	280	240	3 65
69	246	120	3 65	17	218	—	3 65
56	355	—	3 65	54	255	120	3 65
67	230	80	3 65	69	246	120	3 65
69	274	80	3 65	53	352	280	3 65
64	270	160	3 65	59	332	120	3 65
62	300	200	3 65	25	272	160	3 65
64	277	120	3 65	60	326	40	3 67½
70	345		3 65				

SHEEP.

No.	Av.	Prices.
196 westerns, ewes corn fed	117	$4 50

Purchases of Cattle.

Buyers.	No.
Swift & Co	876
George H. Hammond & Co	301
The Armour-Cudahy Packing company	370
Lee Rothschild	46
Hamilton, Stephen & Co	8
R. Becker	57
Shippers	145
Omaha	5

Purchases of Hogs.

Showing the number of hogs bought by the packers and leading buyers on today's market:

Armour-Cudahy Packing company	300
Omaha Packing company	700
Swift & Co	545
George H. Hammond & Co	401

Sheep.

Hill	196

Live Stock Notes.

Some $4.50 sheep.

Easier feeling on beeves.

Not much change in cows.

Hogs nearly 5 cents higher.

Beeves 15 cents lower than close of last week.

The average price paid for hogs today was $3.64½.

Sheep are coming now in comparatively small numbers and of unusually poor quality for this season of the year. A prominent dealer remarked: "Outside of the few car loads of good corn-fed western sheep coming the supply is the poorest I ever saw it at this season of the year." Another man of great experience gave it as his opinion that the present high prices were the attraction for the unfinished muttons coming to market. "Feeders calculate that present prices are pretty good and that they can get as much now for them as after feeding a month or so longer." At any rate the sheep coming are lacking in mutton quality.—Chicago Drovers' Journal.

On the market with cattle: C. E. White, J. M. Patten, Creighton; J. R. Burkeholder, Woodbine, Ia.; J. Hastie, Brock; Sims & Houghton, Portsmouth, Ia.; J. J. Hensley, Exira, Ia.; Harris & Batelle, Hancock, Ia.; M. H. Hegarty, Oakland, Ia.; G. M. Winters, Shelby, Ia.; J. M. Harrett, Malvern, Ia.; J. J. Doherty, Dunlap, Ia.; C. F. Burch, Bellwood; H. C. Smith, Milford; J. P. Higgins, Lincoln; Hobelman & D., R. Davis, DeWitt; W. A. Finlay, Greenwood; R. H. Morton, J. H. Lehmkuhl, Wahoo; F. Aldritt, Friend; S. Galley, Nelson; Tickner, Hogarth & M., Beatrice; M. Kaigers, Silver Creek; C. F. Planer, Fisher Brothers, Central City; John Grove, Cedar Rapids; W. H. Corey, Elba; Ira Griffin, St. Paul; F. W. & A. J. West, Wisner; H. Hogrefe, Battle Creek; J. H. Harding, Meadow Grove; Robert McDonald, Tilden; Dodge & Weatherby, Reno Brothers, Oakdale; R. McDonald, Tilden; Wallace & S. Coin, Ia.; E. W. Jeffries & Co., Horace; J. W. Nicholson, Marquette; A. R. Marben, J. R. McKee, William Francis, Palmyra; J. H. Dickson, Bennett; J. Roach, Litchfield; William Marshall, McPaul, Ia.; J. R. Maynes, Henderson, Ia.; E. M. Vanderen, Blue Rapids; S. S. Griffin, Jamaica.

On the market with hogs: W. Dworaz, Harton Brothers, Verdigre; J. W. Stocker, Logan, Ia.; Reams & Riley, Defiance, Ia.; William Osborne, Neola, Ia.; J. B. Seeley, Mary Ville, Mo.; Mitchell & Co., M. D. Stevens & Co., Denison, Ia.; J. J. Dorherty, G. P. Moorhead, Dunlap, Ia.; R. Davis, DeWitt; Haworth & Roles, Elwood; James Miller, Axtell; R. H. Gilson, Minden; Thomas Powers, Sutton; J. D. Lehmkuhl, Wahoo; J. F. R. M. Co., Ithaca; Spruck & Greenwood, Nelson; F. Hoy, agent, Silver Creek; F. Hart, Dannebrog; Engle & Mustard, Onawa, Ia.; J. Brodham, Dodge; Reno & Sheets, Elgin; M. J. Hughes, West Point; Reno Bros., Oakdale; Coburn, H. & S., Atkinson; Skinner & Kavan, Morse Bluffs; Clark & Hamilton, Buel Junction, Mo.; J. W. Nicholson, Marquette; Henry Schulz, B. C. Hiner, Brainard; Perry Hayden, Weston; Perry Bros., Wayne; Joseph Hoyer, Craig; F. F. Snyder, Tekamah; A. Lewis, Wm. Wilson, Lyons; E. W. Jeffres & Co., Horace.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce, Fruits, Etc.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, 13@14c; cold storage, nominal.

HIDES, PELTS, TALLOW, ETC—Green salted hides, 4½c; No. 2, g. s. hides, 3c; dry flint hides, 5@7c; calf hides, 4½@4½c; damaged hides, 2c less; sheep pelts, green, each, 25c@ $1.00; sheep pelts, dry, per lb, 7@13½c; tallow, No. 1, 4c; No. 2, 3c@3½c; grease, white, 4@4½c; yellow, 2½@3c.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy 20@22c; choice, 19@20c. Dairy, fancy, 14@16c; choice, 12@ 14c. Country, fancy, 11@12c; good to choice, 9@11c; fair, 7@8c; inferior, 5@6c.

PICKLES—Medium per bbl, $5.00; small, $6.00; gherkins, $7.00; C & B chow chow, qts, $5.85; pts, $3.35.

POTATOES—25@30c for choice.

ONIONS—50@70c.

SAUER KRAUT—Bbls, $4.75; half bbls, $2.85.

GAME—Mallard ducks, $3.00@3.50; mixed ducks, $1.50@2.00; teal, $1.25@1.50; jack snipes, $1.00@1.25; jack rabbits, $1.50@4.00; small rabbits, $1.00@1.20; squirrels, $1.00@ 1.10; plover, 75c@$1.00.

LEMONS—Fancy, $5.00@6.00; choice, $3.50 @5.00.

CELERY—Per doz; 30c.

CALIFORNIA GRAPES—$2.00; pears, $2.75.

MESS PORK—Per bbl, $9.75@10.50.

BANANAS—According to size, per bunch, $2.00@3.00.

BUTTERINE—Tubs, 13c; roll, 14c.

COCOANUTS—Per 100, $5.00.

APPLE BUTTER—6c.

CIDER—Bbls, $5.50; half bbls, $3.00.

MAPLE SUGAR—12½@15c per lb.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, $10.00@11 a bl.

ORANGES—Florida, per box, $3.00@5.00.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Per bbl, $5.50@6.00.

WOOL—Fine, average, 22@23c; medium, average, 21@22c; quarter blood, average, 20 @21c; coarse, average, 15@17c; cotts and rough, average, 14@16c.

FURS—Beaver, per lb, $3.50@4.00; otter, each, $3.00@7.00; wolf, each, $15.00@20.00; coon, each, 25@75c; mink, each, 15@60c; muskrat, fall, 5@9c; skunk, rat, 25@60c; badger, rat, 25@80c; deer skins, fall, per lb, 18@27c; winter, 12@22c.

BEANS—Choice hand picked navy, $1.75@ 1.80; choice hand picked medium, $1.65@ 1.70; choice hand picked country, $1.50@1.65; clean country, $1.50@1.60; inferior country, $1.00@1.25.

PROVISIONS—Hams, No. 1, 16 lb average, 9½c; 20 to 22 lbs 8½c; 12 to 14 lbs, 10½c; shoulders, 5c; breakfast bacon, No. 1, 8½c; ham sausage, 8½c; dried beef hams, 7½c. beef tongues, $6.00 per dozen; dry salt meats, 5@5½c per per lb; ham roulette, 6½c; add 1c per lb for small lots.

APPLES—Per bbl, common, $2.00@2.25; choice, $2.50@4.00; fancy, $4.00@5.00.

MINCE MEAT—20 lb cans, 7½c.

HONEY—15c per lb for choice.

PRESERVES—9½@10c per lb.

JELLIES—4@4½c per lb.

BEESWAX—No. 1, 16@19c.

PIGS FEET—Pickled kits, 70c; spiced pigs tongues, kits, $2.35; pickled tripe, kits, 65c; pickled H. C. tripe, kits, 85c; spiced pigs hocks, kits, $1.15.

FLOUR—State, $4.00@5.00; fancy, $5.00@ 5.40.

LARD—Tierce—Refined, 5½c; pure leaf, 6½c; kettle rendered, 6¾c. Add ½c to ¾c for smaller quantities.

BEEF TONGUES—Salt, per bbl, $20.00.

HAY—$5.00@6.00.

CHOP FEED—$12.00.

BRAN—$10.00.

CORN—18c.

OATS—16c.

VEAL—Choice, medium size, 6@8c; choice, heavy, 4@6c.

LIVE PIGEONS—Per doz, $1.50.

Groceries.

DRIED FRUIT—Currants, new, 6c; prunes, casks 1,300 lbs, 4¾c; prunes, bbls or bags, 5c; citron peel, drums, 20 lbs, 22½c; lemon peel, drums, 19lbs, 20c; fard dates, boxes 12 lbs, 9c; apricots, choice evaporated, 14c; apricots, jelly, cured, 25 lb boxes, 15c; apricots, fancy, Mount Hamilton, 25 lb boxes 16c; apricots, choice, bags, 80 lbs, 14½c; apples, evaporated, Alden, 50 lb boxes, 9½c; apples, star, 8½c; apples, fancy, Alden, 50 lb, 10c; apples, fancy, Alden, 3 lb, 10½c; Salt Lake, 5½c, blackberries, evaporated, 50 lb boxes, 5½@6½c; cherries, pitted, dry cured, 18c; pears, California fancy, ¼s boxes, 25 lb, 12c; peaches, Cal. No. 1, fancy, ¼s, unp bags, 80 lb, 15c; nectarines, red, 14c; nectarines, silver boxes, 15c; pitted plums, Cal. 25 lb boxes, 8½c; raspberries, evap, N. Y., new, 25c; prunes, Cal. H. C. 90-100, boxes, 25 lbs, 7c; prunes, H. C. 60-70, 9c; orange peel, 18c; raisins, California Londons, crop 1889, $2.25; Cal. loose, muscatels, crop 1889, $2.00; Valencias, 1888, 6¾c; Valencias, new, 8½c; Cal. seedless, new, 7½c.

CANNED GOODS—Fruits, California Canned Goods, Standard Brands, 2½ lbs, per doz.—Apricots, $1.70@1 85; apricots, pie fruit, $1.55; gallons, $4.05; blackberries, $2.25; cherries, black, $2.00@2 25; cherries, white, $2.25@2.50; grapes, $1.65@1.80; pears, Bartlett, $2.10@2 25; peaches, yellow, $2.10@2 25; peaches, lemon cling, $2.35; plums, egg, $1.65@1.80; plums, gold drops, $1.80; plums, green gages, $1.65@1.80; peaches, Bay City, with pits in, $1.60; currants, $2.35; gooseberries, $2.30; nectarines, $2.05; quinces, $2.10; raspberries, $2.90; strawberries, $2.70; peaches, 3 lb eastern standards, $1.85; 3 lb eastern seconds, $1.35@1.50; 3 lb pie, $1.10; 6 lb pie, $2.00; gallon, pie, $3.00; Crescent apples, high standards, $2.50; 2 lb gooseberries, 90c; 2 lb strawberries, 90@95c; 2 lb raspberries, $1.00; 2 lb blueberries, 80@90c; 2 lb blackberries, 65@75c; 2 lb strawberries, preserved, $1.80; 2 lb raspberries, preserved, $1.80; 2 lb blackberries, preserved, $1.30; pineapples, Bahama chopped, $2.00; 2 lb Bahama grated $2.75; 2 lb Bahama sliced, $2.50; 2 lb Standard sliced, $1.25@1.50; cherries, 2 lb red, Baltimore, 85c@95c.

VEGETABLES—Tomatoes—3 lb extra, $1.00; 3 lb Standard, Western brands, 90@95c; Galls, Sterling Can Co., strictly standard, $2.00. Corn—Preferred stock sugar corn, finest grown