# THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

**Bulls in the Wheat Pit Turn the Tables on the Bears.**

**THE CASH ARTICLE IN DEMAND.**

**Corn Rules Easier for Future Delivery—Continued Dullness in Provision Trading—Cattle Slow —Hogs Brisk.**

### CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The daily contest between the bulls and bears in the wheat pit is likened to the pugilistic encounter at Battery D last night—sparring with soft gloves for scientific points. Yesterday the bears came out ahead. Today the bulls had an inning and recovered the ground that was lost the day before. There were enough bulls after to put the market up 2c. The actual improvement scored was ¾@1¼c. The surrounding markets were decidedly stronger than Chicago. The speculative demand is small, but cash wheat seems to be wanted by shippers and millers. Toledo was 1@1¼c higher for cash wheat. Minneapolis wired that millers were bidding for all the wheat they could lay hold off at ¾c advance over yesterday, and about noon word was received that 100,000 bushels of No. 1 northern had been bought at Minneapolis for direct and immediate export via Newport News, and also that 100,000 bushels more had been bid for and not secured. New York wired that the cash market there was strong and that ocean freights were a shade easier. Cash wheat there is now bringing within 2c of the May price, and one sale at within ¾c of the May price is reported privately. Yesterday afternoon 94,000 bushels was worked at Philadelphia and freight room engaged. Even St. Louis chimed in with bullish advices, mentioning the fact that No. 4 wheat was in active milling demand by millers at 72c. In this market No. 2 red winter is in active request and the market may be quoted as decidedly firm today. An unverified report got out this afternoon that 100,000 bushels had been worked here for rail shipment to the seaboard. The nearest approach to a sensational incident this morning was the purchase of about 1,250,000 bushels by John Bryant. This was soon after the opening and he happened to strike a time when everybody wanted to sell. The opening quotation was 81⅜@81½c and most of the Bryant line was picked up at that figure. Toward the last he had to pay 81½c, taking 300,000 bushels in one lot from Pardridge at that, and bidding for 500,000 bushels more. The market then moved up to 81⅞@81⅝c, once touching 81⅝c, but not sticking. Curiosity as to who Bryant was trading for was measurably relieved when "he gave up" the Weare Commission company and Hoyden. At the advance there was heavy and general selling, but the tone of the market remained firm, and the last quotation was 81⅛@81⅝c, with January resting at 77c, February at 77⅞c and July at 80c. The bulls are showing more courage now than for some time, and a stronger tone is apparently developing.

The corn market ruled easier for future delivery, with a fair amount of business passing at the slight decline which took place. The receipts were about as expected here, and for tomorrow the moderate quantity of 200 cars are looked for. The cold, dry weather now prevailing promises to effect an improvement in grading, which though not apparent in today's receipts, yet influenced trading to some extent. One hundred and ninety-two cars were received, of which thirty were No. 2. Export clearances were heavy, and as freights were reported easier at the seaboard, continued free shipments will be encouraged by that fact. There was a good deal of covering by May shorts at and below 31⅝c. Offerings of cash corn were quite moderate and were readily taken at a slight decline from yesterday's closing figure. The resting quotations today show a trivial decline from those of the afternoon preceding, and were: January, 28⅜@28⅝c against 28⅝c; February, 29¼c against 29⅜@29⅝c; May, 31⅝@31⅝c compared with 31⅝@31¾c yesterday.

In oats there was a little more doing, with prices tending to easiness, induced partly by the continued weakness in corn, which called out a few more sellers. May sold off ⅛@¼c to 22c and barely touched a shade below that, while near months were quiet around 20c. The receipts were small, but there was again an absence of withdrawals from store and cash business was confined to samples. No. 2 regular was in some request at 20c bid, but there were no sellers at that. No. 2 white for May was steady at 23⅝@23⅞c.

The provision market was unrelieved of the dullness that has characterized the speculative trade for so long, but the undertone today was firmer up to within a few minutes of the close and prices averaged a shade stronger. Outside orders were as scarce as ever and the pit operations of room traders were inconsequential. Baldwin and Farnum bought about 3,000 barrels of May pork at $9.90. Chandler & Brown were credited with the purchase of 2,500 tierces of lard for the same month at $6.07½ and John Bagley took 250,000 pounds of May ribs at $4.90@4.92½. Scattering trades were made in less deferred futures, but nine-tenths of the business done was in May. Prices for hogs were again 5c up in the face of continued large receipts. Today's arrivals at six points were 22,000 larger than for the corresponding day in 1889 and 16,000 more than in 1888. The packing of the west for the week, according to the Price Current, foots up 445,000 hogs against 375,000 for the same time last year, being an increase of 70,000 head. Foreign markets were unchanged as to prices, lard being quoted easy at Liverpool. At New York lard futures were steady. May pork sold at $9.87½ low to $9.90@9.92½ high and closed at $9.87½, or the same as yesterday. The same future of lard closed at $6.07½ and sold early at $6.05½@6.07½ together. May ribs sold at $4.90@4.92½c, with some trading on the split, closing at $4.90. Speculative offerings were increased slightly just previous to adjournment and the close was easy. The shipping demand was improved and cash transactions showed an increase, lard selling at $5.81¼@5.85, green hams averaging 15 lbs. at 7½c, green shoulders at 3½c for New York and 4c for Boston cut, sweet pickled hams averaging 16 lbs. at 8¼c and fully cured short ribs at $4.75.

### CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Receipts continue on the increase and now show 8,000 more than this time last week. Business ruled rather slow. Prime steers were scarce and fair to good not at all plentiful, and a few early sales were made at about yesterday's prices, but later on the demand fell off, and so slow was trade that salesmen did not offer late arrivals, preferring to carry the same over and try their luck tomorrow. The pens were full of cows and common stock, with old canners selling a shade lower. There was a fair demand for stockers and feeders at former prices. There were a few loads of corn-fed Texans on sale that made fair prices. Choice to extra beeves, $4.80@5.25; medium to good steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs, $4.00@4.75; 1200 to 1350 lbs, $3.50@4.25; 950 to 1200 lbs, $3.00@3.75. Stockers and feeders, $2.20@3.15; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.25@2.90; bulk, $2.20@2.40. Texas fed steers, $3.30@3.80.

HOGS—Business was brisk and prices strong to 5c higher. Packers paid $3.70@3.75, largely the latter price, and shippers $3.75@3.80. A few assorted fancy heavy sold at $3.82½. Light sorts underwent little or no change, selling at $3.65@3.75, largely at $3.70.

### FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The opening of the stock market today was anything but brilliant. The buying forces were not aggressive, and the bears were not inclined to increase their short interest. The list on the whole was dull, but not heavy. For a time action was confined to a few securities, but in the leaders there was fairly active business and all the movement in the market was confined to these half dozen stocks. The opening prices were generally slightly higher than last evening's closing figures and in most of the active stocks small fractional gains were made in early trading, though Union Pacific was a marked exception, the influence of the action of Chairman Walker being still felt, and it dropped away from 65½ at the opening to 66¾. The movement extended afterward to the rest of the list and Lackawanna and Missouri Pacific, which had been the most prominent in the early improvement, fell back to the opening prices and later a shade below. Sugar Refineries also, which had been a strong feature of the market, rising 10 per cent to 56¼, retired to 55⅝, recovering only a small fraction. After a period of stagnation a better tone prevailed before noon and prices were marked up with scarcely an exception. Sugar led the list, going to 56⅞. Chicago Gas recovered to 46⅞. Canada Southern moved up ⅜ to 53⅞ and New England and the Vanderbilts about a like amount. In Atchison and the Granger group the gain was about ¼ all around. Pacific Mail was very buoyant, going to 39 against 37⅞ at the close yesterday. Missouri Pacific went up to 73 and Union Pacific to 66⅞. Lackawanna recovered to 136 and Reading to 36⅞. Wisconsin Central was heavy at 34. The prices reached on the morning advance in stocks did not hold. The Walker decision regarding the consolidation of the Northwestern and Union Pacific caused a little trouble in those securities and the others quickly followed. The decline from 12 o'clock figures at the close were Atchison ⅛ to 30⅞, Burlington ⅛ to 106, Northwestern ⅜ to 109⅞, St. Paul ⅝ to 68¾, Missouri Pacific ⅞ to 72⅞, Rock Island 1 to 85⅞ and Union Pacific 1 per cent to 65⅞. Wisconsin Central suffered a decline of 1¼ per cent for the day to 33⅛ at the close. Pacific Mail kept strong and closed 1 per cent higher at 38⅞. Trusts closed steady or higher. Coal stocks were firm on the colder weather. Money was easy at 3@4 per cent. It was thought that the list was oversold before the close and a rally is predicted. The total sales were light—175,970 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

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|---|---|---|---|
| U. S. 4s regular | 126 | Northern Pacific | 40¾ |
| U. S. 4s coupons | 126 | do preferred | 73⅜ |
| U. S. 4½s regular | 104¼ | C. & N. W. | 109⅞ |
| U. S. 4½s coupons | 104¼ | do preferred | 140 |
| Pacific 6s of '95 | 116 | N. Y. Central | 106¼ |
| Central Pacific | 33⅞ | P. D. & E. | 16 |
| Chicago & Alton | 130 | Rock Island | 95⅞ |
| Chicago, Burlington & Quincy | 105⅞ | C., M. & St. P. | 68¾ |
| D., L. & W. | 135⅛ | do preferred | 113⅛ |
| Illinois Central | 119⅛ | St. Paul & Omaha | 32⅛ |
| I., B. & W. | 9¼ | do preferred | 94 |
| Kansas & Texas | 9⅞ | Union Pacific | 65⅞ |
| Lake Shore | 104⅞ | W., St. L. & P. | 16 |
| Michigan Central | 93⅞ | do preferred | 31⅞ |
| Missouri Pacific | 72⅞ | Western Union | 83⅞ |

MONEY—On call easy, 3@5 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5¼@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet but steady; sixty-day bills, $4.82¾; demand, $4.86.

#### Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Alice | 110 | El Cristo | 140 |
| Aspen | 700 | Hale & Norcross | 240 |
| Caledonia B. H. | 145 | Homestake | 800 |
| Con. Cal. & Va. | 425 | Horn Silver | 240 |
| Comstock, T. bd. | 2300 | Iron Silver | 220 |
| Comstock, T. scp. | 3100 | Mexican | 225 |
| Deadwood T. | 125 | Ontario | 3700 |

#### Bond Offerings.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Bonds offered: $186,530 at $1.26; $15,000 at $1.04¾.

### PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Steady; January, 77c; May, 81⅝c.

Corn—Steady; January, 28⅝c; May, 31⅝c.

Oats—Easy; January, 20c; May, 22c.

Rye—January, 44⅜c.

Barley—No trading.

Prime Timothy—$1.22.

Flax—Cash, $1.35.

Whisky—$1.02.

Pork—Dull but steady; January, $9.42½; May, $9.87½.

Lard—Dull but steady; January, $5.82½@5.85; May, $6.07½.

Flour—Quiet; firm at old figures, but in some instances spring wheat patents slightly higher. Wheat, patents, $4.50@4.75; winter wheat flour, $4.30@4.40 for patents, $3.60@3.90 for clears.

Provisions—Shoulders, $4.12½@4.25; short clear, $4.95@5.00; short ribs, $4.87½.

Butter—Steady; creamery, 17@26c; dairy, 10@22c.

Cheese—Steady; full cream cheddars and flats, 9¼@9¾c; fancy Young Americas, 10@14c.

Hides—Steady; heavy and light green salted, 4½c; salted bull, 3½c; green salted calf, 5½c; dry salted, 6c; dry flint, 6@7c; dry calf, 5@6c; deacons each, 20c.

Tallow—Steady; No. 1, solid packed, 4c; No. 2, 3¼@3½c; cake, 4c.

Eggs—Firmer; fresh, 13½@14½c.

| | Receipts. | Shipm'ts. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour | 20,000 | 17,000 |
| Wheat | 26,000 | 18,000 |
| Corn | 189,000 | 316,000 |
| Oats | 98,000 | 235,000 |

**New York**, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Receipts, 4,400 bushels; exports, 158,350 bushels; spot, firmer; No. 2 red, 86⅜@87c in elevator, 88@88½c afloat, 87½@89⅛c f. o. b.; ungraded red, 75@88⅝c; options steady; No. 2 red, January, closing at 86⅝c.

Corn—Receipts, 175,800 bushels; exports, 94,850 bushels; spot firmer; No. 2, 38⅝c in elevator, 39¼@39⅝c afloat; ungraded mixed, 25@41c; options firm; January closing at 38⅜c.

Oats—Receipts, 96,000 bushels; exports, 42,600 bushels; spot weaker; options very dull; January closing at 28⅜c; spot No. 2, white, 28⅜c; mixed western, 25¾@29⅛c.

Coffee—Options closed steady, 10 points down, quiet. Sales, 17,000 bags. January, $15.85; May, $15.85@15.90; spot Rio easy; fair cargoes, $19.75.

Sugar—Raw, firmer but quiet; refined, steady, fair demand.

Petroleum—Steady; United closed at $1.05¼ for February.

Eggs—Steady; western, 16@16½c.

Pork—Active, firm; new mess, $10.50@11.00.

Lard—Firm, active export inquiry; western steam, $6.20@6.25, closing at $6.22@6.22½.

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

Cheese—Dull, unsettled; western, 8@10c.

**Milwaukee**, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 spring, on track, cash, 72@72½c; May, 75⅜c.

Corn—Quiet; No. 3 on track, 26¼@27c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white, on track, 22½c.

Rye—Firm; No. 1, in store, 45½c.

Barley—Weak; cash No. 2 in store, 42½c.

Provisions—Steady; pork, $9.45.

**St. Louis**, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Higher; cash, 77⅝c; May, 80⅝@80⅞c.

Corn—Firm; cash, 25⅝c; May, 28@28⅛c.

Oats—Weak; cash, 18c; May, 21⅜c.

Pork—Higher; cash, $9.87½@10.00.

Lard—Higher at $5.70.

Whisky—Steady at $1.02.

Butter—Dull; creamery, 20@22c; dairy, 20@21c.

**Cincinnati**, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Strong; No. 2 red, 80c.

Corn—In moderate demand; No. 2 mixed, 33c.

Oats—Firmer; No. 2 mixed, 24c.

Whisky—$1.02.

**Kansas City**, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 hard, cash, 66c; No. 2 red, cash, 70c.

Corn—Steady; No. 2, cash, 21½c.

Oats—No. 2, cash, 19c.

**Minneapolis**, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Better grades cash wheat active; receipts, 227 cars; shipments, 44 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, January 79c; May, 83⅞c; on track, 79½@80c; No. 1 northern, January 77½c; May, 80⅞c; on track, 78c; No. 2 northern, January, 74c; May, 78c; on track, 74@76c.

**Liverpool**, Jan. 16.—Wheat—Quiet; holders offer moderately; California No. 1, 7s 4½d per cental; red western spring, 7s 5d; red winter, 7s.

Corn—Quiet and holders offer moderately; new mixed western, 4s 3¾d per cental.

### LIVE STOCK.

**Chicago**, Jan. 16.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; market steady, common weaker; choice to extra beeves, $4.80@5.25; steers, $3.00@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.20@3.15; Texas cattle, $3.30@3.80.

Hogs—Receipts, 34,000; market strong to shade higher; mixed, $3.55@3.77½; heavy, and light, $3.55@3.85; skips, $3.00@3.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; market strong and 10c higher; natives, $3.50@5.60; western corn-fed, $4.80@5.25; Texans, $3.50@4.50.

**Sioux City**, Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 450; shipments, 50; market unchanged; canners, 75c@$1.20; cows, $1.00@2.15; stockers and feeders, $1.50@2.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,500; market opened weak, closed firm with yesterday; light, $3.50@3.60; mixed, $3.40@3.52½.

**National Stock Yards, East St. Louis**, Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; shipments, 800; market strong; fair to fancy native steers, $3.20@4.90; stockers and feeders, $1.80@2.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,600; shipments, 1,100; market steady; heavy, $3.60@3.70; packing, $3.50@3.65; light, $3.45@3.60.

**Kansas City**, Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,800; shipments, 3,200; market higher; steers, $3.00@4.50; cows, $1.75@2.50; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 8,300; shipments, none; market higher; all grades, $3.57½@3.67½; bulk, $3.63¼@3.65.

### OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

#### Cattle.

Thursday, Jan. 16.

The cattle market was slow again today, and yet the buyers took hold a little more readily. The fresh receipts of cattle were light for this time of the week, but there were about as many more held over from yesterday, which made the total offerings quite large. For the reason that the fresh receipts were so light there were some who were expecting a better market, but it did not come. In fact, the dressed beef men claimed to be buying their cattle fully as low as yesterday, and salesmen who happened to have something that did not just please the buyer thought it was almost impossible to get steady prices. Taking everything into account, it would be safe to call the cattle market no better than yesterday, only that buyers purchased a little more readily. Cows sold at about yesterday's prices, and the offerings were pretty well cleaned up before the close. There were a few stockers and feeders in the yards today, but not enough to equal the demand, which was very fair. There were a number of orders which could not be filled. Such as there was here sold at about former prices. Some range grade Herefords contracted for in the country were brought in and delivered at $3.00.

#### Hogs.

There was no quotable change in the market today, the prices being about the same as yesterday. The receipts were very light and there were hardly enough hogs to make a market. Everything was sold, even some that did not arrive till afternoon.

#### Sheep.

There were two loads of sheep here which sold readily at strong prices.

#### Receipts.

| | |
|---|---|
| Cattle | 1,000 |
| Hogs | 1,700 |
| Sheep | 204 |

#### 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 | $3.80 | @4.45 |
| Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs | 3.40 | @4.00 |
| Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs | 3.00 | @3.80 |
| Common 1000 to 1150 lb steers | 2.90 | @3.20 |
| Common canners | 1.25 | @1.60 |
| Ordinary to fair cows | 1.60 | @1.90 |
| Fair to good cows | 1.90 | @2.10 |
| Good to choice cows | 2.10 | @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 | 2.20 | @2.90 |
| Fair to choice light hogs | 3.60 | @3.65 |
| Fair to choice heavy hogs | 3.60 | @3.67½ |
| Fair to choice mixed hogs | 3.60 | @3.65 |

#### Representative Sales.

STEERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 12 | 1212 | $2 85 | 60 | 1230 | $3 30 |
| 1 | 970 | 3 00 | 21 | 1187 | 3 35 |
| 21 | 1059 | 3 00 | 7 | 1076 | 3 35 |
| 30 | 1165 | 3 00 | 4 | 925 | 3 35 |
| 19 | 1062 | 3 10 | 20 | 1158 | 3 40 |
| 9 | 1183 | 3 10 | 14 | 1424 | 3 40 |
| 14 | 1190 | 3 15 | 40 | 1310 | 3 40 |
| 24 | 1049 | 3 17½ | 4 | 1120 | 3 40 |
| 16 | 1045 | 3 20 | 16 | 1196 | 3 45 |
| 44 | 1223 | 3 20 | 20 | 1157 | 3 50 |
| 39 | 1077 | 3 25 | 20 | 1305 | 3 55 |
| 46 | 1137 | 3 25 | 14 | 1361 | 3 55 |
| 16 | 1150 | 3 25 | 20 | 1341 | 3 60 |
| 20 | 1171 | 3 30 | 21 | 1241 | 3 75 |
| 47 | 1235 | 3 30 | 6 | 1503 | 4 00 |

COWS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1030 | 1 80 | 17 | 670 | 2 15 |
| 3 | 1080 | 1 85 | 17 | 1035 | 2 17½ |
| 17 | 860 | 1 90 | 25 | 992 | 2 20 |
| 1 | 970 | 1 90 | 3 | 1210 | 2 20 |
| 2 | 1110 | 1 90 | 20 | 937 | 2 20 |
| 2 | 1070 | 1 90 | 3 | 1133 | 2 20 |
| 1 | 1140 | 2 00 | 2 | 1105 | 2 20 |
| 2 | 1165 | 2 00 | 12 | 923 | 2 20 |
| 24 | 948 | 2 05 | 18 | 882 | 2 25 |
| 17 | 934 | 2 05 | 21 | 1045 | 2 25 |
| 2 | 1075 | 2 10 | 18 | 1111 | 2 25 |
| 5 | 830 | 2 10 | 7 | 1095 | 2 25 |
| 10 | 1105 | 2 12½ | 18 | 962 | 2 25 |
| 5 | 1106 | 2 15 | 4 | 1157 | 2 25 |
| 4 | 1020 | 2 15 | 1 | 1570 | 2 25 |
| 10 | 982 | 2 15 | 10 | 1194 | 2 35 |
| 1 | 1080 | 2 15 | 2 | 1260 | 2 65 |
| 18 | 1020 | 2 15 | 3 | 1087 | 2 75 |

BULLS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1630 | 1 85 | 1 | 1400 | 2 25 |
| 3 | 1283 | 1 90 | 1 | 1840 | 2 25 |
| 1 | 1600 | 1 90 | 1 | 1270 | 2 25 |
| 1 | 1290 | 2 00 | 1 | 1720 | 2 50 |
| 2 | 1540 | 2 00 | 1 | 1630 | 2 50 |
| 1 | 1310 | 2 00 | 2 | 1755 | 2 50 |
| 1 | 1620 | 2 10 | 1 | 1850 | 2 50 |
| 3 | 1713 | 2 15 | 1 | 2000 | 2 75 |
| 1 | 1700 | 2 32 | 1 | 2050 | 2 75 |
| 1 | 1280 | 2 25 | 1 | 1270 | 2 80 |

FEEDERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 980 | 2 50 | 8 | 888 | 2 90 |
| 9 | 778 | 2 70 | 21 | 972 | 3 00 |
| 1 | 920 | 2 75 | 4 | 991 | 3 00 |
| 13 | 939 | 2 75 | 8 | 937 | 3 05 |
| 1 | 980 | 2 85 | 19 | 1006 | 3 05 |
| 24 | 911 | 2 90 | | | |

CANNERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 870 | 1 50 | 11 | 991 | 1 60 |
| 1 | 1080 | 1 50 | 9 | 1053 | 1 85 |
| 1 | 1000 | 1 50 | | | |

CALVES.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 185 | 3 00 | 1 | 100 | 4 00 |
| 2 | 150 | 3 50 | | | |

COWS AND HEIFERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|
| 32 | 919 | 2 20 |

STOCKERS.

| No. | Av. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 13 | 624 | 2 75 | 24 | 685 | 2 90 |

WESTERN CATTLE.

| Owner and No. | Av. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|
| Loboar— | | |
| 66 feeders, grade Herefords | 650 | $3 00 |

HOGS.

| No. | Av. | Sk. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Sk. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 70 | 216 | 200 | $3 60 | 45 | 266 | 40 | $3 62½ |
| 10 | 435 | — | 3 60 | 36 | 291 | 40 | 3 62½ |
| 59 | 298 | 80 | 3 60 | 60 | 302 | 240 | 3 62½ |
| 60 | 258 | — | 3 60 | 45 | 330 | 40 | 3 62½ |
| 68 | 244 | 120 | 3 60 | 54 | 275 | 120 | 3 62½ |
| 61 | 296 | 160 | 3 60 | 70 | 225 | 80 | 3 62½ |
| 45 | 306 | 80 | 3 60 | 45 | 236 | — | 3 65 |
| 54 | 328 | 160 | 3 60 | 69 | 219 | 40 | 3 65 |
| 62 | 280 | 360 | 3 60 | 72 | 235 | 120 | 3 65 |
| 62 | 267 | 40 | 3 60 | 67 | 219 | 80 | 3 65 |
| 51 | 313 | 120 | 3 60 | 64 | 237 | 40 | 3 65 |
| 66 | 229 | 80 | 3 62½ | 44 | 238 | — | 3 65 |
| 63 | 266 | 120 | 3 62½ | 55 | 299 | 120 | 3 65 |
| 51 | 330 | 40 | 3 62½ | 54 | 323 | 240 | 3 65 |
| 44 | 361 | — | 3 62½ | 56 | 259 | 120 | 3 65 |
| 62 | 310 | 80 | 3 62½ | 56 | 360 | 120 | 3 67½ |

PIGS.

| No. | Av. | Sk. | Pr. | No. | Av. | Sk. | Pr. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 77 | 120 | — | 3 25 | 19 | 190 | — | 3 50 |
| 66 | 115 | — | 3 25 | | | | |

SHEEP.

| No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|
| 95 | 105 | 4 90 |
| 109 | 78 | 3 85 |

#### Purchases of Cattle.

| Buyers. | No. |
|---|---|
| Swift & Co | 712 |
| George H. Hammond & Co | 163 |
| The Armour-Cudahy Packing company | 154 |
| Hamilton, Stephen & Co | 20 |
| R. Becker | 36 |
| Shippers and feeders | 175 |

#### Purchases of Hogs.

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

| | |
|---|---|
| Armour-Cudahy Packing company | 886 |
| Swift & Co | 252 |
| George H. Hammond & Co | 385 |

#### Sheep.

| | |
|---|---|
| Swift & Co | 109 |
| Boage | 95 |

#### With Cattle.

On the market with cattle: S. H. Neff, Arlington; W. H. Dudley & Co., Woodbine; Smith & M., Blair; R. B Gammel, Herman; J. Hastie, Douglas; Bank of Talmage, Talmage; A. P. Weston, Avoca; Bruen & H., Oakland, Ia.; Crandall & Miller, Panama, Ia.; J. K. Grayner, Imogene; Mrs. M. Byers, Malvern; Delany Bros., Burbank, S. D.; P. J. Murphy, Rogers; J. L. H., Denver, Col.; W. Butler, Octavia; Paul Steufer, West Point; A. Chambers; Beemer; W. Bakhof, Atkinson; W. C. Hudson, Sioux City, Ia.; J. P. Alberts, Dakota City; George E. Bacon, Overton; Ed Isackson, Rockville; P. Unilt, Seward; Snyder Bros., Lincoln; E. G. Nelson, Vesta; Hayes & McClelland, Edgar.

#### With Hogs.

On the market with hogs—Harris & B., Hancock; Swedeburg Elevator company, Swedeburg; Smith & M., Blair; T. J. Caldwell, Harlan; W. L. Bougun, Harlan; Roden & Zahner, Missouri Valley; P. J. Murphy, Roger A. Sutton, Chapman; J. B. Hume, Madison; E. W. Black, Plattsmouth; L. Iska, La Platte; Perking & Co., Octavia; Emley Bros., Wisna; F. W. Sisson, Atkinson; J. F. Kessler, Oakland; Haynes & McClelland, Edgar; R. Hougherud & Co., Madrid; Delaney & Dunn, Saronville.

#### With Sheep.

On the market with sheep: Morriss & H., Fremont; F. E. Schwartz, Max.

#### Live Stock Notes.

Cattle no higher.

Hogs still at steady prices.

The average price paid for hogs yesterday was $3.62 3-5.

Daniel Barbee, a prominent farmer and feeder of Hillsdale, Ia., came over with a car of hogs of his own raising and feeding that brought $3.67½, the top.

### 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, 3@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@75c.

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, $3.50@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; hlf bbls, $3.00.

MAPLE SUGAR—12½@15c per lb.

CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod, $10.00@11.50.

ORANGES—Florida, per box, $3.00@3.00.

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, $2.50@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, 9⅝c; 20 to 22 lbs 8½c; 12 to 14 lbs, 10¼c; shoulders, 5c; breakfast bacon, No. 1, 8¾c; ham sausage, 8½c; dried beef hams, 7½c, beef tongues, $6.00 per dozen; dry salt meats, 5@5¼c per per lb; ham roulette, 6¾c; 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, 7¼c.

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, 5¾c pur leaf, 6¼c; kettle rendered, 6¾c. Add ⅛c 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, 4½c; prunes, bbls or bags, 5c; citron peel, drums, 20 lbs, 22¾c; lemon peel, drums, 19 lbs, 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, 5 lb, 10c; apples, fancy, Alden, 3 lb, 10½c; Salt Lake, 5⅝c, blackberries, evaporated, 50 lb boxes, 5½@6½c; cherries, pitted, dry cured, 13c; 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, 26c; prunes, Cal. R. C. 90-100, boxes, 25 lbs, 7c; prunes, R. C. 60-70, 9c; orange peel, 15c; raisins, California Londons, crop 1889, $2.25; Cal. loose, muscatels, crop 1889, $2.00; Valencias, 1888, 6½c; Valencias, new, 8½c; Cal. seedless, sks, 7½c.

CANNED GOODS—Fruits, California Canned Goods, Standard Brands, 2½ lbs, per doz.—Apricots, $1.70@1.85; apricots, pie fruit, $1.55; gallons, $4.65; 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, Hay City, with pitts in, $1.60; currants, $2.30; gooseberries, $2.30; nectarines, $3.05; 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 appes, 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, $1.20; 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, 85@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, $1.60; gilt-edge sugar corn, very fine, $1.50; McMurray's 2 lb sugar corn, $1.20; 2 lb extra, Western brands, 85c@$1.00; 2 lb standard, Western brands, 70@80c. Mushrooms—1 lb French, extra fine, 22@25c; 1 lb French, fine, 18@22c; 1 lb French, ordinary, 16@18c. Peas—Tres fine, per can, 25c; demi fine, per can, 16c; 2 lb extra, sifted, $2.00; 2 lb Early June, $1.25@1.35; 2 lb Marrow, standard brand, $1.10; 2 lb soaked, 57c. String Beans—2 lb high grade refugee, 90c; 2 lb Golden Wax beans, 75c; 2 lb string beans, 70c. Lima Beans—2 lb soaked, 75c; Boston Baked Beans—3 lb Lewis, $1.65; Crown brand, $1.50. Sweet Potatoes—3 lb New Jersey, $1.60; Daisy, $1.35. Pumpkin—3 lb new pumpkin, 95c.

CANNED FISH—Brook trout, 3 lb, $2.40; salmon trout, 2 lb, $2.25; clams, 1 lb, $1.25; clams, 2 lb, $2.00; clam chowder, 3 lb, $1.25; deviled crabs, 1 lb, $2.25; deviled crabs 2 lb, $3.50; codfish balls, 2 lb, $1.75; caviar, ½ lb, $2.25; eels, 1 lb, $3.40; lobsters, 1 lb, $1.90; lobsters, 2 lb, $2.95; lobsters, deviled, ½ lb, $2.25; mackerel, 1 lb, $1.75; mackerel, mustard sauce, 3 lb, $2.60; mackerel, tomato sauce, 3 lb, $2.60; oysters, 1 lb, $1.10; oysters, 2 lb, $1.85; salmon, C. R., 1 lb, $1.90; salmon, C. R., 2 lb, $2.80; salmon, Alaska, 1 lb, $1.60; salmon, Alaska, 2 lb, $2.65; shrimps, 1 lb, $2.60.

CODFISH—Extra Georges, new, 5½c; Grand Bank, new, 4½c; Turacy cod, large middle, 5¼c; silver 2 lb blocks, 6½c; snow white, 2 lb bricks, 7½c; snow white, crates 12-5 lb boxes, 7½c; Iceland halibut, 12½c; medium scaled herring, 27c; No. 1 scaled herring, 24c; domestic Holland herring, 55c; Hamburg spiced herring, $1.50; Russian sardines, 75c; Russian sardines, plain, 35c; imported Holland herring, Crown brand, 80c; do, fancy milkers, 90c.

CHOCOLATE AND COCOA—21@37c per lb; German chickory, red, 8c.

FISH—Mackerel, No. 1 shore, hlf bbls, $11.50; fancy mess, hlf bbls, $13.50; white fish, hlf bbls, $7.00; trout, hlf bbls, $5.25; family white fish, $2.75; salmon, $8.50; 1 lb mackerel (herring), $1.00@1.10; 1 lb finan haddies, $1.75; 2 lb lobsters, $2.90@3.00; 1 lb lobsters, $1.90@2.00; 1 lb salmon, Cook's Inlet, Arctic brand, fine, $1.75; 1 lb Cuttings Cocktail, very fine, $2.00; 2 lb salmon, Columbia river, $2.75@3.00; 1 lb Alaska salmon, Aleut, $1.60; 2 lb oysters, 10 oz, Baltimore Peerless, $1.85; 1 lb oysters, 5 oz, Baltimore Peerless, $1.10; 2 lb select, 12 oz, Peerless, $2.35; 1 lb clams, little necks, $1.25; 2 lb clams, little necks, $2.10; ¼ lb sardines, imported, per case 100s, $11@16.00; ½ lb sardines, imported, per case 100s, $15.00@20.00; ½ lb imported boneless sardines, 26c; ¼ lb sardines, American, per 100s, French style, $4.50@5.00; ½ lb sardines, American, per case 100s, French style, $7.50@8.00; ¾ lb sardines, mustard, per case 50s, $4.00@4.25; imported key sardines, $13.00.

OILS—Kerosene—P. W., 9½c; W. W., 13c; headlight, 12½c; gasoline, 10@12c; lard, No. 1, 44c; No. 2 40c; salad oil, $1.25@9.00 per dozen.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, 8c; cut loaf, cubes, 7½c; standard, powdered, 7⅞c; XXXX, powdered, 7⅞c; granulated, standard, 7¼@7⅜c; confectioners' A, 6⅞c; white extra C, 6¼c; extra C Neb, 6½c; amber 5¾c.

SOAPS—Castile, mottled, per lb, 8@10c; do, white, per lb, 13@15c.

CANNED MEATS—1 lb lunch tongue, $2.75; 2 lb lunch tongue, $4.75; 1 lb corned beef, $1.25; 2 lb corned beef, $2.05; 6 lb corned beef, $6.50; 14 lb corned beef, $14.00; 2 lb boneless pigs feet, $2.20; 1 lb English brawn, $1.30; 2 lb English brawn, $2.15; 6 lb English brawn, $6.75; 1 lb compressed ham, $1.75; 2 lb compressed ham, $2.75; 1 lb chipped beef, $2.00.

LYE—$1.75@4.50.

SPICES—Whole, per lb—Alspice, 9c; Cassia, China, 9c; cloves, Penang, 28c; nutmegs No. 1, 75c; pepper, 18@19c.

GINGER—Jamaica, ¼ pints, $3.00 per doz.

CHEESE—Young Americas full cream, 11c; factory twins, 11@12½c; off grades, 7@8c; Van Rossen Edam, $11.50 per doz; sap sago, 23c; brick, 12½c; limburger, 11c; domestic Swiss, 13@14c.

WRAPPING PAPER—Straw, per lb, 1½@2½c; rag, 2½c; manilla, B, 5@5½c; No. 1, 7c.

BAGS—Union square, 35 per cent off list.

SALT—Dairy, 280 lbs in bbl, bulk, $2.10; best grade, 60, 5s, $2.30; best grade, 100, 3s, $2.40; best grade, 28, 10s, $2.30; rock salt, crushed, $1.80; dairy salt, Ashton, 56 lb bags, 85c; bulk, 224 lb bags, $3.25; common, in bbls, $1.25.

DRUGS (Grocers.)—Per lb—Borax, 10c; copperas, 2½c; Bey leaves, 15c; glue, 16c; epsom salts, 4c; glauber salts, 3c; sulphur, 5c; blue vitrol, 9c; alum, 4c; tartaric acid, 52c; rosin, 2c; saltpeter, absolutely pure, 10c; gum camphor, 2 lbs in box, 1 oz cakes, 33c; hops, ¼ and ½ lb packages, 20c; sage, ¼ and ½ lb packages, 15c; madder, 13c; saltpeter, 10c; indigo, 3 lb and 5 lb boxes, S F, 65@70c; indigo, 3 lb and 5 lb boxes, Madris, 75c; sealing wax, 25 lb boxes, red, 3½c; sealing wax, 25 lb boxes, white, 4c.

FARINACEOUS GOODS—Barley, 3¼@4c; farina, 4½c; peas, 3c; oatmeal, 2⅜@5c; macaroni, 10c; vermicelli, 10c; rice, 4@6½c; sago and tapioca, 6@7c; lima beans, 6c.

COFFEE—Roasted—Arbuckle's Ariosa, 24⅜c; McLaughlin's XXXX, 24⅜c; German, 24⅜c; Dilworth, 24⅜c; Alaroma, 24⅜c.

COFFEE—Green—Fancy old golden Rio, 24c; fancy old peabury, 23½c; Rio, choice to fancy, 22c; Rio, prime, 21c; Rio, good, 20c; Mocha, 29c; Java, fancy Mandehling, 27c; Java, good interior, 24c; African, 21c.

ROPE—Manilla rope, 14½c basis; sisal rope, 11½c; cotton rope, 16c; new process, 8½c.

COTTON TWINE—Bibb, very fine, 3 or 4 ply, 22c; fine, 22c; Daisy, 18c.

HEMP TWINE—Heavy, 14c; medium, 16c; light, 17c; 18 B. C., 20c; 24, 20c; 36, 19c; 48, 17c; broom twines, colored, 30c.

MATTRESS TWINE—Very fine, 40c; fine, 38c; medium, 35c.

SAIL TWINE—Very fine flax, 33c; fine flax, 29c; fine cotton, 22c; Calcutta hemp, 14c.

SALSODA—1½@4½c per lb.

STARCH—4½@8c per lb.

STOVE POLISH—$2.00@5.87 per gross.

BROOMS—4 tie, $2.60; 3 tie, $2.20; stables, $3.80; common, $1.50@1.75.

BAGS—Am., per 100, $17.00; Lewiston, per 100, $17.00.

NUTS—Almonds, 15c; Brazils, 14c; filberts, 12½c; pecans, 11c; walnuts, 12½c; peanut cocks, 8½c; roasted 11c; Tennessee peanuts, 7c.

OLIVES—Quarts, per doz., $3.75; pints, per doz., $2.25; bulk, per gal., 94c.

#### Dry Goods.

CARPET WARP—Bibb, white, 18½c; colored, 21½c.

BATTS—Standard, 8c; gem, 10c; beauty 12½c; boone, 14c; peerless, case, $7.50.

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

TICKS—Oakland, A, 7½c; International YY, 8c; Shetucket, S, 8½c; Warren, No. 870, 16c; Berwick, BA, 18c; Acme, 13c; York, 30 inch, 12½c; York, 32 inch, 13½c; Swift River, 8c; Thorndike, OO, 8½c; Thorndike, EF, 8½c; Thorndike, 120, 9½c; Thorndike XX, 15c; Cordis No. 5, 9½c; Cordis No. 4, 10½c.

DENIMS—Amoskeag, 9 oz, 16½c; Everett, 7 oz, 13c; York, 7 oz, 13c; Haymaker, 8½c; Jaffrey XX, 12c; Jaffrey XXX, 12½c; Beaver Creek AA, 11½c; Beaver Creek BB, 10½c; Beaver Creek CC, 9½c.

KENTUCKY JEANS—Memorial, 15c; Glenwood, 20c; Ky. Star, 35c; Hercules, 18c; Empire, 25c; Cottswald, 27½c; Melville, 25c; Bang-up, 27½c.

CRASH—Stevens' B, 5½c; Stevens' A, 7c; bleached, 8c; Stevens' P, 7½c; bleached, 8½c; Stevens' N, 8½c; bleached, 9½c; Stevens' SRT, 11½c.

MISCELLANEOUS—Table oil cloth, $2.50; table oil cloth, marble, $2.50; plain Holland, 9½c; dado Holland, 12½c.

FLANNELS—Plaid—Raftsmen, 20c; Clear Lake, 32½c; Iron Mountain, 26½c; White GH No. 2, ¾, 22½c; GH No. 1, ¾, 26½c; BH No. 2, ¾, 22½c; BH No. 1, ¾, 30c; Quechee No. 1, ¾, 42c.

PRINTS—Solid Colors—Atlantic, 6c; Slater, 6c; Berlin oil, 6½c; Garner oil, 6@7c. Pink and Robes—Richmond, 6½c; Allen, 6c; Riverpoint, 5½c; Steel River, 6c; Pacific, 6½c. Indigo Blue—St. Leger, 5½c; Washington, 6½c; American, 6½c; Arnold, 6½c; Arnold Century, 9c; Amand, 12c; Stiefel A, 12c; Windsor gold tk't, 10½c; Arnold B, 10½c; Arnold A, 13c; Arnold Gold Seal, 10½c; Yellow Seal, 10½c.

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

GINGHAM—Plunket checks, 6½c; Whittenton, 6⅞c; York, 6⅞c; Normandi dress, 8½c; Calcutta dress, 7½c; Renfrew dress, 8½@12½c.

CAMBRICS—Slater, 5c; Woods, 5c; Standard, 5c; Peacock, 5c.

FLANNEL—White—Quechee No. 2, ¾ inch 37½c; Quechee, No. 3, ¾ inch, 32½c; Auawan, 32½c; Windsor, 22½c; red—C, 24 inch, 15½c; E, 24 inch, 21½, GG, 24 inch, 20c; H A F, ¾ inch, 25c; J R F, ¾ inch, 27c; G, ¾ inch, 25c.

#### Drugs.

Borax, 11c; citric acid, 45@50c; tartaric acid, 40@44c; carbolic acid, 30@41c; castor oil, $1.24@1.28; balsam tolu, 36@39c; tonka beans, $1.55@1.60; cubeb berries, $1.95; calomel, 95c; camphor, 46@49c; cantharides, $1.25@1.30; cassia buds, 17@20c; chloroform, 50@55c; ergot, 45@50c; glycerine, 20@25c; gum arabic, 60@95c; lycopodium, 40@45c; mercury, 80c; morphine sulph, $2.60@2.90; opium, $3.50; quinine, 33@48c; turpentine, 54c; linseed, raw, 60c; boiled, 63c.

#### Lumber and Building Material.

DIMENSIONS AND TIMBER.

| | 12 ft | 14 ft | 16 ft | 18 ft | 20 ft | 22 ft | 24 ft |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2x4 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 16 00 | 16 00 | 17 00 | 17 00 |
| 2x6 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 16 00 | 16 00 | 17 00 | 17 00 |
| 2x8 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 16 00 | 16 00 | 17 00 | 17 00 |
| 2x10 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 16 00 | 16 00 | 17 00 | 17 00 |
| 2x12 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 16 00 | 16 00 | 17 00 | 17 00 |
| 4x4-8x8 | 16 00 | 16 00 | 16 00 | 17 00 | 17 00 | 18 50 | 18 50 |

FENCING—No. 1, 4 and 6 in, 12 and 14 ft, rough, $16.00@16.50; No. 1, 4 and 6 in, 16 ft, $17.00@17.50; No. 2, 4 and 6 in, 12 and 16 ft, $13.50@14.00; No. 2, 4 and 6 in, 16 ft, $14.50.

FINISHING—1st and 2d clear, 1¼ inch, s 2 s, $49.00@51.00; 1st and 2d clear, 1½ and 2 inch, s 2 s, $47.00@50.00; 3d clear, 1¼ inch, s 2 s, $43.50@46.00; B select, 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch, s 2s, $37.00@38.00; 1st and 2d clear, 1 inch, s 2 s, $45.00; 3d clear, 1 inch, s 2 s, $36.00; A select, 1 inch, s 2 s, $34.00; B select, 1 inch, s 2 s, $29.00.

STOCK BOARDS—A, 12 inch, s 1 s, 14 and 16 feet, $45.00; B, 12 inch, s 1 s, 12, 14 and 16 feet, $41.00; C, 12 inch, s 1 s, 12 and 16 feet, $36.00; D, 12 inch, s 1 s, 12, 14 and 16 feet, $28.00; No 1 com 12 inch, s 1 s, 12 feet, $18.00; No 2 com 12 inch, s 1 s, 14 and 16 feet, $17.50@18.50; No 1 com 12 inch, s 1 s, 10, 18 and 20 feet, $18.50; No 2 com 12 inch, s 1 s, 14 and 16 feet, $15.50.

POPLAR LUMBER—Clear poplar box bds, ⅜ in, s 2 s, $25.00; clear poplar, ⅜ in panel, $29.00; clear poplar, ⅜ in panel, $25.00; clear poplar, ⅜ in panel, stock wide, s 2 s, $28.00; clear poplar corrugated ceiling, ⅜ in, $28.00.

POSTS—White cedar, 6 in havles, 14c; white cedar, 5½ in halves and 8 in quarters, 11c; white cedar, 4 in round, 16c; Tennessee red cedar, split, 17c; split oak, white, 8c; sawed oak, 18c.

SHIP LAP—No. 1 plain, 8 and 18 in, $17.00; No. 2 plain, 8 and 16 in, $15.50; No. 1, O. G., $17.00.

BATTENS, WELL TUBING, PICKETS—O G batts, 2½ inch, 60c; O G batts, 2¾@3, $5.35c; 3 in well tubing, D & M and bev, $21.00; pickets, D & H, flat, $21.00; pickets, D & H, square, $18.50.

FLOORING—1st com 6 inch, white pine, $34.00; 2d com 6 inch, white pine, $31.00; 3d com 6 inch, white pine, $26.00; D com 6 inch, white pine, $20.00; com 4 and 6 inch, yellow pine, $15.00; Star 4 inch, yellow pine, $17.00; 1st and 2d clear yellow pine, 4 and 6 inch, $18.50.

SHINGLES—Per M—XX clear, $3.20; extra "A", $2.80; standard A, $2.40; 5 inch clear, $1.60@1.70; 6 inch clear, $1.75@1.80; No. 1, $1.10@1.15; clear red cedar, mixed widths, from Washington territory, $3.40; California red wood, dimension widths, $4.50; cypress, clear heart, dimension widths, $3.25; laths, $2.40.

BOARDS—No. 1 com, s 1 s, 12, 14 and 16 ft, $18.00; No. 2, do, $15.00; No. 3, do, $14.00; No. 4, do, (ship's cull), $10.50. Add 50c per M ft for rough.

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