THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS

Wheat Quiet and Easy at Slightly Reduced Prices.

NEWS FROM THE PACIFIC COAST.

No Improvement in the Speculative Branch of Corn—Little Change in Provision Values—Hogs Rule Active.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Wheat ruled rather quiet and easy at slightly reduced prices. The most important news from the outside world came from the Pacific coast. It was a continuation or rather a confirmation of the reports previously sent from there regarding the damage on account of rain. A batch of these California dispatches came in to Bigelow. G. W. McNair telegraphed that "less than one-half the usual amount is seeded at this time, and with the most favorable weather from now on only an indifferent crop is possible." Alexander wired: "Reduced estimates coming in generally. Best posted parties say it will require perfect weather to make a fair crop. Pleasant weather today, but indications of a general rain tomorrow. Continuation of wet weather means disaster." William Dreschbach wired that his correspondents made out a very gloomy outlook, the heavy damage already done to the growing crop being irreparable. Eppinger & Co. wired that "there had been heavy damage by the continued wet weather. Unless we have most favorable weather now the crop must be below the average." The above-mentioned parties will be recognized as the leading grain authorities on the coast. Trading was on the retail order for the most part. The big fish, with the exception of Pardridge, seemed to be taking a rest. Pardridge was about the only heavy seller of grain, and he was only active at and around the top. Until late in the day offerings around 79½c were meagre, but toward the close the tone of the market became easier and trade loosened up materially. As a general thing the news was colored to suit the bullish palate, but the temper of the crowd still favors the theory of lower prices. The majority of the operators follow a bulge reluctantly and help along a decline enthusiastically. They seem to be built and educated that way. Cables were steady, but not specially strong. New York reported that there were quite a number of foreign buying orders there, but generally from ⅛c to 1⅛c below the market. In the Chicago market shippers and exporters were quietly picking up such No. 3 red as happened to be in reach. They secured quite a good deal during the day, but only one lot of five boat loads was reported as actually worked. It is mere a matter of freight than the price of wheat, apparently, that is restricting business in this line. From states south of Ohio reports arrived in confirmation of the previous estimate of a dangerously advanced growth of wheat. The weather there thus far has been providentially favorable. May wheat opened here at 79⅝c sold down to 79⅜@79⅝c, advanced to 79¾@79¾c, receded to 79⅜c, rallied again to 79¾@79⅞c and worked back to 79⅜c, closing at 79⅝@79¾c. In the other months the closings were as follows: January, 75⅝c nominal; February, 77¾c asked; March, 77⅞c; July, 77⅞@78c. These figures mark a net decline of about ¾c.

There was no improvement in the speculative feature of the corn trade, which continued to rule dull, and in the absence of outside business local scalpers controlled the very moderate fluctuations of the day. Some changing was done from January and February into May and July, a disposition to preference for the far-off date being observable. The receipts were 267 car loads, only seventeen of which were No. 2, and the only demand for the latter in the cash crowd was from parties who sold it again for February delivery, gilt edged receipts being now available for delivery in February on the first storage tax. Changes in price since yesterday are seen in the following comparisons: February closed yesterday at 29½c and today at the same; March was 30c bid today against 30c yesterday, and May stood at 31⅛c, at which it closed also on the day preceding.

Oats were more active than for several days recently, chiefly in May, with the market at one time showing an advance of ¼@⅜c, though later the feeling was less firm. The strength was due to the good demand for account of shorts, with few May oats offered until 26⅝c was reached. At that point to a shade above liberal quantities were on sale, with June at ¼@⅜c discount. Near months attracted little attention, with a mild inquiry for February around 21c. Recents slightly exceeded the estimate and nothing was reported as withdrawn from store. No. 2 regular was inactive at 21c.

Provisions ruled rather quiet at prices showing but little or no change from yesterday's closings. Trading was almost wholly local, being confined mainly to May deliveries. Hutchinson was a buyer of pork and Wolff bought about 1,000,000 pounds of ribs. Cudahy sold 500,000 pounds of ribs for May, and White was also a seller of this product. The cash product was steady. Sixteen-pound green hams sold at 7⅝c and green New York shoulders at 3¾c. Some 2,000 tierces of lard changed hands at $5.87½. Pork for May delivery opened at $10.12½, or a fraction lower than last night's closing price, advanced to $10.15, then up to $10.17½, which was the highest point reached, declined with some changes to $10.11, which was the lowest point of the day, and closed at $10.12½. Lard for May-delivery opened a trifle higher than yesterday. It ranged at $6.07½@6.10 and closed at $6.07½, or a fraction lower than yesterday's latest price. Ribs for May delivery were quite active early in the day, but the closing price shows a loss of 2½c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—The demand was about like Monday and Tuesday, with little or no change in prices. Buyers of good cattle and exporters were saying they could not find what they wanted, some even going so far as to say there was not really a first class lot on the market. From their standpoint this may have been the case, while on the other hand there was a plentiful supply of good useful steers that again sold slow at the current low prices for the week so far. Lots of good steers were selling at $3.40@3.65 and but few above this range. The pens were full of cows, bulls and rough native butchers' stock that continue to sell at about the lowest prices on record. There is a fair demand for stockers at the present range of prices. Choice to extra beeves, $4.90@5.15; medium to good steers, 1,350 to 1,500 lbs, $4.00@4.80; 1,200 to 1,350 lbs, $3.50@4.25; 950 to 1,200 lbs, $3.00@3.75. Stockers and feeders, $2.35@3.35; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@2.90; bulk, $2.20@2.40. Texas corn-fed steers, 950 to 1,050 lbs, $2.00@3.60.

HOGS—The demand was active and prices much the same as for Monday or Tuesday. Prime matured hogs, even and smooth, to average 300 lbs and upward, are scarce and sold today at a premium, while light mixed were plentiful and ruled slow, with here and there selling a shade lower. The ordinary run of packers sold at $3.80@3.85, a few at $3.90, and selected heavy sold at from $3.85 to $3.90. Light sorts were plentiful at $3.75@3.85, largely $3.80.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The stock market at the opening today was not as broad as for some days past. It was not generally expected that it would be. Heavy liquidation yesterday caused many to anticipate narrowness and weakness until another quick turn was made by those who got out and would try to get in again at lower figures. The ease with which first one and then another stock has been advanced leads the bulls to think that a general advance will be the natural result after a little more scoring. The west is after St. Paul, Burlington, Rock Island and Union Pacific, and already the enthusiasts predict a business of 500,000 shares a day in the near future when the public comes in. In Sugar trusts, Louisville & Nashville and New England the animation of the past few days was fully equaled this morning. While the market failed to exhibit the strong tone lately so prominent, prices as a rule were well held within narrow limits. Sugar was the feature of the market, and opening down 2 per cent at 62, it rapidly sold off to 59¾ in the first few minutes, when it was taken in hand and later brought up to a fraction above its opening figures. New England followed the same course, but in a small way, as its extreme fluctuation was less than 1 per cent. Louisville & Nashville opened off ¾ per cent at 89½, but was quickly advanced 1 per cent, though it afterward reacted a fraction. The general list developed a weaker tone toward the end of the hour and prices went back to a shade below first figures in most cases. The most marked improvement was in Chicago & Eastern Illinois stocks, common dropping from 35 to 33½ and the preferred from 84 to 82. In the hour which followed the list became irregular, Chicago Gas dropped to 47 and recovered to 48 at noon. From the second decline in Louisville to 89¾ that stock rebounded to 90¼, the top price touched yesterday. Chicago & Eastern Illinois was very weak, going off still further to 31¾, or 4¼ per cent under the opening. Missouri Pacific 1 per cent to 75 and Union Pacific ½ to 68. Grangers and Coalers were heavy, but not materially changed at 12 o'clock. The afternoon brought still further general weakness to the stock list. Grangers and standard western stocks were attacked. Burlington, Northwestern, Rock Island and St. Paul each dropped from ¾ to 1½ per cent. Missouri Pacific lost ½ more to 74¼. Before the close there was a good rally from the bottom figures. One cause of the decline was the talk of a bank failure, which amounted to nothing. Coal stocks held up well and at the close showed but slight loss. Chicago Gas went off a second time to 47 at the close. Chicago & Eastern Illinois recovered to 32¾. The losses among the Grangers were Burlington, Missouri Pacific and Rock Island 1 per cent each and Northwestern and St. Paul each ½ per cent. The total sales were 216,076 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	123½	Northern Pacific	22⅞
U. S. 4s coupons	123½	do preferred	55⅞
U. S. 4½s regular	104½	C. & N. W.	111¼
U. S. 4½s coupons	104½	do preferred	141
Pacific 6s of '95	116	N. Y. Central	106⅝
Central Pacific	34¼	R. O. & R.	23⅞
Chicago & Alton	161	Rock Island	96⅞
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	87	St. L., M. & St. P.	70⅞
D., L. & W.	135⅞	do preferred	116
Illinois Central	110	St. Paul & Omaha	31
L. E. & W.	9¼	do preferred	97½
Kansas & Texas	9¼	Union Pacific	67⅞
Lake Shore	105⅞	W., St. L. & P.	19⅞
Michigan Central	91½	do preferred	28⅞
Missouri Pacific	74⅞	Western Union	85⅞

MONEY—On call 2½@3 per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—4@6½ per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet and steady; sixty-day bills, $4.83½; demand, $4.87½.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	110	Comstock, T. Sep	3 00
Amador	30	Deadwood T.	150
Aspen	700	El Cristo	175
Caledonia B. H.	125	Horn Silver	210
Con. Cal. & Va.	450	Ontario	550
Commonwealth	300	Sutter Creek	210
Comstock, T. bd.	3000		

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Lower; January, 75⅝c; February, 75⅞c; May, 75⅝c.

Corn—Firm; January, 29⅞c; May, 31⅛c.

Oats—Steady; January, 20c; May, 22⅝c.

Rye—January, 44c.

Barley—Nothing doing.

Prime Timothy—$1.20.

Flax—Cash, $1.36.

Whisky—$1.02.

Pork—Steady; January, $9.65; February, $9.72½; May, $10.12½.

Lard—Steady; January, $5.85@5.87½; May, $6.07½.

Flour—Dull, and unchanged; winter wheat, $2.00@4.35; spring wheat, $1.10@4.75; rye, $2.50@2.85; buckwheat, $1.25@1.00 per cwt.

Provisions—Shoulders, $4.30@4.40; short clear, $5.05@5.10; short ribs, January, $4.77½.

Butter—Steady; creamery, 16@26c; dairy, 8@20c.

Eggs—Steady; fresh, 18½@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.

Cheese—Steady; quiet; full cream cheddars and flats, 9¼@9½c; Young Americas, 10@10½c.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour	19,000	21,000
Wheat	24,000	16,000
Corn	213,000	230,000
Oats	156,000	136,000

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Receipts, 29,700 bushels; spot nominally lower, weak; No. 2 red, 85⅞c, 86c in elevator, 87⅛@87½c afloat, 86⅞@88c f. o. b.; options lower; No. 2 red, January, closing at 85⅞c.

Corn—Receipts, 201,000 bushels; exports, 149,400 bushels; spot easier; No. 2, 36⅞@37c in elevator, 37⅞@38½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 36@40½c; options steady; January closing at 37c.

Oats—Receipts, 261,000 bushels; exports, 1,600 bushels; spot easier; options weak, January closing at 28⅝c; spot No. 2, white, 29½c; mixed western, 27@30c; white western, 29½c.

Coffee—Options closed steady, 5@10 points down. Sales: 44,000 bags. January, $15.95@16.00; May, $15.70@15.80; spot Rio, barely steady; fair cargoes, $19.75.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, barely steady.

Petroleum—Steady; United closed at $1.05½ for February.

Eggs—Easy; western, 15⅞@16c.

Pork—Firm; mess, $10.25@10.75.

Lard—Easier; western steam, $6.22½@6.25; closing at $6.22½.

Butter—Fine, firm; Elgin, 28@28½c; western dairy, 8@18c; creamery, 13@17c.

Cheese—Irregular; western, 8@10c.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Quiet; No. 2 spring, on track, cash, 73@74c; May, 74c.

Corn—Firm; No. 3 on track, 28@28½c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, on track, 23@23½c.

Rye—Firmer; No. 1, in store, 44½c.

Barley—Quiet; No. 2 in store, 43c.

Provisions—Steady; pork, $9.70.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Lower; cash, 76½c; May, 78⅝@78¾c.

Corn—Higher; cash, 26½c; May, 28½c.

Oats—Better; cash, 19⅝c; May, 22½c.

Pork—Quiet at $10.25.

Lard—Firm at $5.70.

Whisky—Steady at $1.02.

Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 23@22c; dairy, 20@21c.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Dull; No. 2 red, 77@78c.

Corn—Lower; No. 2 mixed, 31⅛c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 24@24½c.

Whisky—$1.02.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Shade firmer; receipts, 114 cars; shipments, 25 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, January and February, 78½c; May, 81½c; on track, 79c; No. 1 northern, January and February, 76½; May, 78½c; on track, 77½c; No 2 northern, January and February, 77½c; May, 76½c; on track, 78½@75c.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Higher; No. 2 red, 69c; No. 2 hard, 64c.

Corn—Higher; No. 2, 21½c.

Oats—Higher; No. 2, 18½c.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29.—Wheat—Firm; demand poor; holders offer sparingly. California No. 1, 7s 3d@7s 3½d per cental.

Corn—Easy; new mixed western, 3s 11½d per cental.

LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

CATTLE—Receipts, 13,000; market steadier; beeves, $4.90@5.15; steers, $3.00@4.80; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.35; Texas corn-fed steers, $3.00@3.60.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,400; market steady; mixed and light, $3.65@3.85; heavy, $3.65@3.95; skips, $2.00@3.40.

SHEEP—Receipts, 80,000; market easier; native, $3.50@5.65; western corn-fed, $4.90@5.80.

SIOUX CITY, Jan. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 600; shipments, 200; market active and unchanged; canners, 75@$1.25; cows, $1.00@1.25; stockers, $1.75@2.25; feeders, $2.25@2.90; veal calves, $2.00@4.15.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,100; shipments, none; market opened steady and closed weak; light, $3.52½@3.62½; heavy, $3.55@3.65; mixed, $3.30@3.57½.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,100; shipments, 3,000; market weak except for best steers, $4.10@5.10; cows, $1.80@2.75; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.10.

HOGS—Receipts, 82,000; shipments, none; market higher; all grades, $3.67½@3.80; bulk, $3.72½@3.75.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, East St. Louis, Jan. 29.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; shipments, none; market slow; fair to fancy native steers, $3.90@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.00@3.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 6,200; shipments, none; market steady; heavy, $3.70@3.82½; packing, $3.60@3.75; light, $3.55@3.70.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Wednesday, Jan. 29.

The larger proportion of the cattle here were sold, but the market was slow to open. In some instances salesmen who had what the buyers especially wanted called the trade steady. In fact some holdovers brought just what was offered for them yesterday. On the other hand, a good many looked upon their sales as lower, and the buyers admitted that their purchases would not average as high as yesterday. The sales of beeves were principally at $3.10@3.70, there being nothing here equal to the top yesterday. There were plenty of cows, but still not so many as were here yesterday. They did not show very much change from yesterday in the prices at which they sold. The sales were largely at $1.85@2.30. Stockers and feeders were in fair supply to what they were a few days ago, and quite a number changed hands.

Hogs.

The hog market was 5c lower than yesterday and though not so very active everything was sold before midday. The bulk of the hogs sold at $3.60@3.65, with some choice heavy hogs as high as $3.70. The quality of hogs averaged pretty fair today, and in fact, there has been a gradual improvement in the quality for the past week or so. The market is now back about where it was on last Wednesday, when nearly all the hogs sold at $3.60@3.65.

Sheep.

There were no sheep here to make a market, but the demand was good.

Receipts.

Cattle	2,200
Hogs	4,800

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@4.40
Good steers, 1250 to 1350 lbs	3.40@4.00
Good steers, 1050 to 1100 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@2.00
Fair to good cows	1.90@2.10
Good to choice cows	2.10@2.40
Choice to fancy cows	2.40@2.60
Fair to good bulls	1.50@2.50
Choice to fancy bulls	2.50@2.75
Light stockers and feeders	2.00@2.60
Feeders, 900 to 1100 lbs	2.25@3.00
Fair to choice light hogs	3.57½@3.65
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3.60@3.70
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3.50@3.65

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr.
7	1296	2 75	16	1231	3 25
13	1116	3 10	19	1144	3 35
9	944	3 10	40	1207	3 37½
12	1033	3 10	9	1293	3 42½
5	1012	3 10	15	1212	3 45
26	931	3 15	5	1420	3 50
1	1120	3 20	42	1235	3 50
8	1151	3 25	35	1264	3 50
29	1131	3 25	20	1108	3 55
1	1260	3 30	48	1249	3 55
19	1169	3 30	52	1250	3 55
19	1292	3 30	72	1370	3 65
20	1176	3 30	19	1342	3 70
39	1152	3 30	26	1281	3 70
17	1113	3 30			

COWS.

3	983	1 75	43	1010	2 12½
4	1067	1 75	7	1429	2 12½
26	735	1 85	22	1144	2 15
19	1126	1 90	15	891	2 15
15	1074	2 00	2	1165	2 15
11	930	2 00	23	1101	2 50
11	989	2 00	19	1057	2 50
1	12 0	2 00	10	970	2 50
6	1018	2 00	2	875	2 [illegible]
2	945	2 00	21	1026	2 [illegible]
6	950	2 00	1	1140	2 15
10	1088	2 00	18	945	2 25
9	1099	2 05	16	1012	2 30
3	983	2 05	1	880	2 35
34	867	2 05	2	1100	2 35
11	1064	2 05	1	1220	2 35
19	1084	2 05	1	1470	2 40
7	857	2 10	5	1152	2 40
8	1071	2 10	15	1129	2 75

BULLS.

1	1150	1 75	1	820	2 10
1	1210	1 85	1	930	2 25
4	1535	1 90	1	1740	2 35
1	1150	1 90	1	1550	2 35
3	1180	2 00	1	1380	2 50
3	1123	2 00	2	1425	2 50
2	1150	2 00	1	1021	2 50
4	1337	2 00	1	1830	2 55
1	1480	2 00	1	1560	2 60
1	1440	2 00	1	1740	2 85
2	1465	2 10			

FEEDERS.

22	1077	2 45	22	945	3 00
5	1170	2 50	1	1020	3 00
18	1213	2 50	2	1025	3 00
11	944	2 50	5	930	3 00
9	733	2 70	1	1040	3 10
2	895	2 85	5	952	3 10
24	887	2 95	7	1013	3 15
28	972	2 95			

CALVES.

2	90	3 75	1	120	4 75
1	70	3 75	1	190	5 00
2	270	4 00	7	125	5 00
1	110	4 50	1	160	5 00

STOCKERS.

1	520	2 50	55	695	2 90

OXEN.

2	1595	2 85	1	1830	3 25
1	1600	3 00			

CANNERS

2	850	1 35			

MIXED.

2	1170	2 75			

WESTERN CATTLE.

Owner and No.	Av.	Pr.
Standard Cattle Company—		
51 cows, corn-fed	1056	$2 60

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
5	350	40	$3 45	65	300	160	$3 60
74	207	160	3 50	66	227	120	3 60
59	244	40	3 50	75	218	160	3 60
68	230	360	3 55	69	250	160	3 60
60	232	80	3 55	64	260	200	3 60
70	255	160	3 55	65	187	240	3 60
71	218	—	3 57½	61	217	80	3 60
78	232	80	3 57½	67	288	160	3 62½
69	242	120	3 57½	55	308	80	3 62½
67	237	80	3 57½	59	314	240	3 62½
53	252	40	3 57½	64	294	80	3 62½
61	270	80	3 60	65	253	80	3 62½
62	268	120	3 60	50	326	160	3 62½
140	232	—	3 60	62	299	80	3 62½
55	306	120	3 60	57	318	120	3 62½
68	272	120	3 60	44	302	40	3 62½
65	257	80	3 60	66	224	—	3 62½
69	234	160	3 60	66	257	120	3 62½
65	247	120	3 60	53	273	280	3 62½
64	258	80	3 60	58	276	120	3 62½
62	278	120	3 60	59	261	—	3 62½
60	273	160	3 60	66	301	240	3 62½
63	279	280	3 60	64	294	120	3 62½
54	281	80	3 60	62	306	120	3 62½
63	303	200	3 60	61	256	80	3 62½
70	273	160	3 60	63	263	80	3 62½
50	321	120	3 60	57	331	160	3 65
67	274	200	3 60	56	337	160	3 65
72	233	40	3 60	55	314	120	3 65
62	266	240	3 60	58	330	160	3 65
66	263	240	3 60	57	320	120	3 65
65	266	40	3 60	62	272	80	3 65
62	271	120	3 60	48	349	80	3 65
60	301	200	3 60	51	319	120	3 65
62	295	160	3 60	76	266	240	3 65
67	267	360	3 60	51	330	—	3 65
81	208	160	3 60	55	319	40	3 65
56	297	—	3 60	72	357	—	3 70
63	241	—	3 60				

PIGS.

88	185	40	3 40	65	189	120	3 45

Purchases of Hogs.

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

Armour-Cudahy Packing company	2,760
Omaha Packing Co.	810
Swift & Co.	665
George H. Hammond & Co.	617

Purchases of Cattle.

	No.
Swift & Co.	442
George E. Hammond & Co.	173
The Armour-Cudahy Packing company	227
Lee Rothschild	91
Hamilton, Stephens & Co.	132
H. Becker	107
Shippers and feeders	174
Omaha	2
W. R. Van Zandt	107

With Cattle.

On the market with cattle: Counar & H., Nehawka; D. S. Kinsella, Panama, Ia.; Thomas German, Portsmouth, Ia.; L. T. Kellog, Portsmouth, Ia.; M. C. Kinney, Vail, Ia.; W. C. Swarts, Silver City; A. V. Crouk, Pender; Hall & Slocum, Pender; Dan Frazier, Wayne; E. B. Everell, Lyons; O. W. Perley, Yutan; William Abbenhouse, Creighton; Hush Bros., Creighton; J. W. Adams, Logan, Ia.; H. C. Leffer, Springfield; A. Milbrest, Avoca; John C. Denger, Glen Rock; A. A. Doen, Neola; H. F. Ward, Nehawka; Conner & Oldham, Nehawka; J. H. Brooks, York; A. Mittner, Waco; Rivins & Gordon, Seward; Hake & Brass, Mason; S. T. Johnson, Merna; N. Jaquot, Merna; J. P. Taylor, Ashton; W. H. Vanalstine, Arcadia; H. Agor, Farwell; John Frostman, Malmo; Standard Cattle company, Ames; S. Dryfoss, Columbus; L. Cramer, Orleans; Tom Price & Co., Thayer; W. T. Hodgett, Leigh; L. B. Sheppard & Co., West Point; J. H. Nessley, Valisca, Ia.; George I. Storms, Auburn; W. S. Warner, Wood River; H. S. Winn, Wood River; J. W. W., Pauline; John Bryson, Pauline; A. Perry, Wahoo; F. A. Allen, Rising; Hatelman & Dunn, De Witt; J. Grapow, Gretna; J. P. Alberts, Dakota City; Thomas Ashford, Dakota City; D. K. Hancock, Dakota City; H. S. M. Speilman, Tekamah; H. McKinzie, Craig; C. W. McCombs, Wilsonville; H. Rice, Wilsonville; C. J. Duff, Longmont; E. Broquet, Morton, Kan.; Leslie & H., Belvidere.

With Hogs.

On the market with hogs: J. M. Cox, Hampton; R. A. Templeton, Tekamah; J. H. Blonkinson, Coleridge; P. Dedrickson, Bonnington; Nye, W. M. Co., Nickerson; F. M. Soyar, Valentine; Davison & M., Ainsworth; A. D. Warner, Ainsworth, N. S. Bristol & Co., Hay Springs; J. D. Sherbrook, Creighton; J. W. Stocker, Logan, Ia.; J. Grabhon, Gretna; H. S. M. Speilman, Tekamah; Hitchey, Surprise; Tom Price & Co., Thayer; J. Powers, Henderson; Phillips & I., Inland; Reno & Sheets, Elgin; L. B. Sheppard & Co., West Point; A. Axen, Stanton; J. H. Landers, Valisca, Ia.; Heilesbeck, Elmwood; Frank Hart, Dunnebrog; S. R. Black, Kearney; J. R. Allen & B., Alda; E. D. Gould, Kent; Dunn & Nye, Clay Center; Sprague & James, Benedict; Clark B. & Co., Weston; D. C. Earl, Kenesaw; H. Wehrman, Nelson; Conor Bros., Ohiowa; William Fulver, Wilcox; D. B. Sulter, Bladen; P. J. Murphy, Rogers; E. D. Gould, Columbus; C. Rudat, Norfolk; B. F. Siebert, Beaver City; H. M. Lanned, Trenton; C. A. Powell, Kenesaw; Kelly & Co., Republican; Deets & M., Kearney; L. M. Berry, Fairmont; James Miller, Axtell; George B. Laucks, Havens; L. Carey, Ravenna; Dyer & Snaw, Ravenna; A. T. Nichols, Hazard; Titus & T., Litchfield; Hake & Brass, Mason; N. Jaquot, Merna; F. Tierney, Broken Bow; O. McClarty, Aurora; First National bank, Loup City; H. Agor, Farwell; L. Carey, Ravenna; L. N. Adams, Logan, Ia.; H. M. Dickson, Walnut, Ia.; A. Pritchary, Walnut, Ia.; Gruho & Co., Morning, Ia.; H. Kuhl, Aspinwall, Ia.; D. S. Stevens, Denison, Ia.; Hall & Green, Dunlap, Ia.; W. C. Swarts, Silver City, Ia.

LIVE STOCK NOTES.

A fair run of stock.

Hogs 5c lower.

No sheep on sale.

The receipts of hogs yesterday show a falling off of about 700 head as compared with the same day last week, but the total receipts for the first half of the week show a gain over the same time last week.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce, Fruits, Etc.

EGGS—Strictly fresh, 14@16c; cold storage, 8@10c.

HIDES, PELTS, TALLOW, ETC.—Green salted hides, 4½c; No. 2, 2 c. 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@4½; yellow, 2½@3.

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, 4@5c.

PICKLES—Medium, per bbl, $4.75; small, $5.75; gherkins, $1.75; C & H chow chow, qts, $5.85; pts, $3.25.

POULTRY—Dressed, per lb—Chickens, 7@9c; ducks, 9@10c; geese, 10@11c; turkeys, 8@10c.

POTATOES—35@45c for choice; common, 20@25c.

ONIONS—50@70c.

SAUER KRAUT—1 bbl, $4.75; half bbls, $2.75.

GAME—Mallard ducks, $3.00@4.50; 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, 75@$1.00.

CIDER—Bbls, $5.50; half bbls, $3.25.

MAPLE SUGAR—12½c lb per lb.

PTUS—Heavy, per lb, $2.50@4.00; otter, each, $1.00@7.00; wolf, each, $1.50@2.00; opon, each, 25@75c; mink, each, 15@60c; muskrat, fall, 5@8c; skunk, rat, 25@15c; badger, rat, 25@80c; deer skins, full, per lb, 18@27c; winter, 12@22c.

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

PROVISIONS—Hams, No. 1, 16 lb average, 9½c; 20 to 22 lbs, 8½c; 12 to 14 lbs, 9½c; shoulders, 5c; breakfast bacon, No. 1, 8½c; ham sausage, 8½c; dried beef hams, 7c; beef tongues, $6.00 per dozen; dry salt meats, 5@5½c 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—8c per lb.

HONEY—15@16c per lb for choice.

PRESERVES—8@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@5.30.

HAY—$5.00@6.00.

CHOP FEED—$12.00.

BRAN—$10.50.

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@10.75.

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

BUTTERINE—Tubs, 13c; roll, 14c.

COCOANUTS—Per 100, $5.00.

APPLE BUTTER—5c

CRANBERRIES—$10.00@11.50.

ORANGES—Florida, per box, $3.00@5.00.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Per bbl, $4.75@5.50.

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

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, 5½c; prunes, casks 1,300 lbs, 4½c; prunes, bbls or bags, 5c; citron peel, drums, 20 lbs, 22c; lemon peel, drums, 19 lbs, 18c; fard dates, boxes 12 lbs, 10½