THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Surprises Those Who Looked for a Down Turn.

BUT A LIMITED CORN TRADE.

Oats Traded in Quite Freely—A More Favorable Outlook for Provisions—Cattle Slow and Hogs Still Active.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The strength which developed in wheat today was a surprise to those who sold for a down turn early on the very pleasant weather. No one was more surprised perhaps than Mr. Hutchinson, who sold several hundred thousand bushels the first half hour and perhaps 1,000,000 bushels before the advance fairly set in. His was the only selling of the day up to 1 o'clock. The market started steady at 78⅝c for May. The heavy selling referred to put the price off to 78⅛c, but very free buying by W. G. McCormick & Co. and Jones & Kennett helped to stop a decline and later news helped to put the trade in a better buying mood. To begin with, private cables were about the only support of the market. Then there was a confirmation of the rumored injury to the wheat fields in Tennessee and Kentucky by letter and by wire. Then the Price Current estimate giving 800,000 bushels less of exportable surplus than Dodge gave early in the week was received. Then followed reports of sales of cash wheat by Dunn & Co. for export and advices from Sawyer, Wallace & Co., New York, that sixteen loads had been taken there for Lisbon. On the top of this Boyden & Co., it was said, bought 45,000 bushels of No. 2 red wheat ½c under May. The clearances helped still more. Gradually all this information was received the market gained strength. Jones & Kennett bought still more heavily. Cottrell of New York bought here freely. Logan & Co. and Schwartz & Dupee joined the buying forces. Even Hutchinson, after his enormous sales early, bought quite a round lot on the advance around 78⅝c. The bulge took May up to 78⅝@78¾c at noon with a slight drop to 78½@78⅝c, and on a second and stronger bulge the price went to 79c just at 1 o'clock. June sold at 77¾@78⅛c and July at 76⅞@76⅝c. The last half hour saw a scramble for wheat. Hutchinson called all "calls" around 78⅝@78¾c and proceeded to take wheat. Everybody else wanted it and offerings were light. May touched 79⅜c on the strong bulge and closed at 79¼c. Other closing prices were: March 78⅜c, June 79c, July 77¼c.

Corn was traded in to a moderate extent within narrow limits. The feeling was steady early and firmer later and transactions were within narrow limits. Operations were mainly of a local character, the selling being mainly by parties against purchases in the country, and the demand confined to room operators. A large trader sold freely of May and purchased April. There was a very pressing demand for May at 29½c. The speculative market opened a shade under the closing prices of yesterday, was easy and sold off some, ruled firmer and closed a trifle better than yesterday. Cash property was in fair supply, the demand moderate and prices without any special change. No. 2 was in moderate demand and sold at 28⅛@28¼c and closed at 28⅛c. No. 2 yellow sold at 28½c and closed at 28⅜@28½c. No. 3 sold in a special location at 26¾@27c and closed at 26@27c, depending on location. No. 3 yellow was quotable ¼c premium over No. 3, with nothing doing.

Oats were traded in with more freedom but the feeling was steady and the range of prices was narrow. A large operator sold May freely at 21¼@21⅜ and buyers had no difficulty in securing all they wanted at those figures. This prevented any advance. A little more trading was noted in June and July and sales were at a ⅛c advance. March remained neglected. Car lots of No. 2 in store were dull but quiet at 20½c. No. 2 white was slow at 22½c for May.

In provisions the conditions are very favorable for more business and higher prices. During the dull season quite a short interest developed in all products in the pit. The key to the firm feeling now seems to be at the yards. The receipts of hogs are falling away below the estimates and below last year. The prices of hogs have been making small advances lately on natural conditions. This has started a buying of hog products. Then shorts are nervous and when they attempt to cover the market moves up away from them. The strength started in pork and later was felt in ribs. The feature of the day was the buying by the clique of houses of last fall—Norton & Worthington, Chandler & Brown and Baxter & Co. May pork sold at $10.25@10.27½ to $10.50 to $10.42½@10.47½ at the close. July was a little changed. Short ribs sold up to $5.00@5.07½ for May and $5.15@5.17½ for July. May lard sold at $6.10@6.15.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, March 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—The general market opened slow and prices were again a shade lower, some salesmen quoting heavy cattle 10c lower, which wipes out entirely the advance of the fore part of the week. The alleged cause of this unexpected turn was a lack of the usual export demand, that element of trade being forced out on account of the inability to get steamer space on outgoing steamers. The effect of this down turn was felt all around, and about everything in the beef line sold a shade lower. The stocker and feeder trade was a trifle more active than a day or two past, as stock was more plentiful and salesmen seemed to be more accommodatig toward their customers. Choice to extra beeves, $4.70@$4.75; medium to good steers, 1,350 to 1,500 lbs, $4.00@4.50; 1,200 to 1,350 lbs, $3.50@4.20; 950 to 1,200 lbs, $3.30@3.90; stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.60; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@3.50; bulk, $2.40@2.70; Texas corn-fed steers, $3.00@3.70.

Hogs—Business in this market continues active, receipts light with prices again a shade stronger, making an advance of about a nickle in two days. The great bulk of mixed sold within a range of $4.12½@4.15. There were a few early sales in the northwest division at $4.10, while assorted heavy butcher weights and shipping classes sold at $4.17½@4.20. Light sorts sold at $4.15@4.20.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, March 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.] — STOCKS — The transfer of Burlington & Northern stock to the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy shortly before the close yesterday was a most desirable event for the bulls. The trade now looks for a speedy settlement of the existing rate troubles west of Chicago. It will not be a patched-up settlement either, as the Burlington proper is pledged to the protection of its net earnings and its officers have the public's confidence. It is an uncertain question how much of the short interest in western stocks was covered on the bulge late yesterday. The popular belief is that much of the short sales are still outstanding and may be obliged to cover at a greater cost. The first action this morning was in keeping with the strong and active closing yesterday. There was a rush to buy and the continuing anxiety of operators on the short side to cover their contracts made first prices generally from ⅛ to ¾ per cent better than the closing figures of last evening, while Burlington and Quincy was up 1¼, at 108⅛ and Rock Island 1 per cent at 95. There was some disappointments over the failure of London to respond to our rise of last evening more fully, and while bidding for stock was very large in the first half hour there seemed to be plenty of stock for sale at going prices and in but few cases were the opening figures maintained, almost everything sagging off slowly under the pressure to sell. New England showed the most strength among active stocks and Southern Pacific in low priced shares, rising ⅝@¾ per cent respectively. While in the decline they lost only a small fraction each. Rock Island reacted to 94 and Burlington & Quincy to 107½ and Oregon Transcontinental from 37½ to 36¾. The market became quieter toward the end of the hour and prices showed a firmer front. The weakest stock on the list was Louisville, New Albany & Chicago, which dropped from 49¾ to 47, while Consolidated bonds retired from 102½ to 100, rallying fractionally. Grangers naturally led the market in point of activity, but Missouri Pacific, Louisville & Nashville, Reading and New England were not far behind, while the activity reached all portions of the list. During the hour to noon there was less force to the market and prices did not rally from the decline at the end of the first hour. Chicago Gas was off to 44, Sugar to 63½ and Reading to 39¼. The closing hours of the stock market brought no rally. A great deal of liquidation was in progress. Burlington went off to 107 and closed steady at 107¼. Northwestern and Rock Island each lost all the early advance also and closed at yesterday's last prices. St. Paul showed a ½ net loss at 69 and Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific each lost ⅝ for the day. Atchison held strong and gained ¼ at 36⅝. Sugar closed 1 per cent off at 67⅞. Louisville to 83¾, and New England ⅞ up at 47. Tennessee Coal went off sharply to 53½ and other coal stocks closed with small losses, with Reading at 39. Chicago Gas, after its slump to 41½ about midday, recovered to 42⅞ at the close. The total sales were 291,787 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	121½	Northern Pacific	30¼
U. S. 4s coupons	122½	do preferred	73½
U. S. 4½s regular	109½	C. & N. W.	119¾
U. S. 4½s coupons	109½	do preferred	141
Pacifics of '95	116	N. Y. Central	107¼
Central Pacific	32½	P. D. & E.	19
Chicago & Alton	159	Rock Island	95⅞
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	107½	C., M. & St. P.	69
		do preferred	116⅞
D., L. & W.	135⅞	St. Paul & Omaha	32
Illinois Central	114½	do preferred	93
L. B. & W.		Union Pacific	63⅝
Kansas & Texas	10½	W., St. L. & P.	12⅞
Lake Shore	105⅞	do preferred	27⅞
Michigan Central	95¼	Western Union	83
Missouri Pacific	74¼		

MONEY—Easy at 3@4½ per cent.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5½@7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Quiet; heavy; sixty-day bills, $4.81½; demand, $4.84¼.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, March 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	100	El Cristo	140
Adams Con	100	Freland	105
Aspen	800	Homestake	750
Caledonia, B. H.	175	Horn Silver	230
Con. Cal. & Va	425	Iron Silver	175
Commonwealth	320	Mexican	290
Comstock, T. bd	3400	Ontario	3850
Comstock, T. scrp	3000	Sutter Creek	165
Deadwood T.	140		

Bond Offerings.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Bonds offered: $512,700 at $1.23; $110,000 at $1.03½.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 13.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Steady; March, 78⅝c; May, 79¼c.
Corn—Steady; March, 28⅛c; May, 29¼c.
Oats—Steady; March, 20½c; May, 21¼c.
Rye—Nominal; March, 42½c.
Barley—Nothing doing.
Prime Timothy—$1.18.
Flax—Cash, $1.48.
Whisky—$1.02.
Pork — Firm; March, $10.22½; May, 10.47½.
Lard—Steady; March, $6.05; May, $6.10.
Flour—Quiet and unchanged; winter wheat, $2.00@4.40; spring wheat, $3.75@4.60; rye, $2.50@2.80; buckwheat, 75c@$1.00 per cwt.
Provisions—Shoulders, $4.40@4.50; short clear, $5.30@5.35; short ribs, March, $5.02½.
Butter—Easier; creamery, 16@25c; dairy, 13@22c.
Cheese—Steady; full cream cheddars and flats, 9½@10c; Young Americas, 10@11c.
Eggs—Steady; fresh, 12@13c.
Hides—Unchanged; heavy and light green salted, 4½@4¾c; salted bull, 3½c; green salted calf, 5½c; dry flint, 6@7c; dry salted hides, 6c; dry calf, 5@6c; deacons, 20c each.
Tallow—Unchanged; No. 1 solid packed, 3¾c; No. 2, 3¼c; cake, 4c.

	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.
Flour	11,000	7,000
Wheat	15,000	10,000
Corn	367,000	215,000
Oats	112,000	121,000

Liverpool, March 13.—Wheat—Steady; demand poor; holders offer moderately.
Corn—Quiet; new mixed western, 3s 6½d per cental.

New York, March 13.—Wheat—Receipts, 11,000 bushels; exports, 98,250 bushels; spot higher; No. 2 red, 87@87½c in elevator; 88¼@88⅞c, afloat, 88¼@90c f. o. b.; options firm; No. 2 red, March, closing at 87c.
Corn—Receipts, 45,400 bushels; exports, 310,650 bushels; spot firmer; No. 2, 36@36⅛c in elevator, 37½@37¾c afloat; ungraded mixed, 28½@30c; options firm; March closing at 36¼c.
Oats—Receipts, 16,000 bushels; exports, 43,300; spot firmer; No. 2 white, 29@31c; mixed 27@30c; options firm; March closing at 28c.
Coffee—Options closed barely steady; unchanged to 20 points up; sales, 74,500 bags; March $18.15@18.25; May, $17.95@18.05; spot Rio unsettled; fair cargoes at $20.50.
Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady; fair refining, 5 1-16c.
Petroleum—United closed April 91.
Eggs—Steady; western, 14@14¼c.
Pork—Firm; new mess, $11.00@11.50.
Lard—Steady; quieter; western steam closing at $6.50.
Butter—Western dairy, 5@18c; creamery, 13@26c; Elgin, 27½c.
Cheese—Firmer; western, 10@12c.

Cincinnati, March 13.—Wheat—Lower to sell; No. 2 red, 76½@77c.
Corn—Stronger; No. 2 mixed, 29½@30½c.
Oats—Firm; No. 2 mixed, 23@23½c.
Whisky—$1.02.

St. Louis, March 13.—Wheat—Higher; cash, 76⅞c; May, 77⅛c.
Corn—Stronger; cash, 25c; May, 26¼c.
Oats—Firm; cash, 20¼c; May, 21c.
Pork—Steady at $10.37½.
Lard—Firm at $5.80@5.85.
Whisky—$1.02.
Butter—Unchanged; creamery, 20@25; dairy, 16@21c.

Minneapolis, March 13. — Wheat — Firmer; receipts, 212 cars; shipments, 39 cars. Closing: No. 1 hard, March, 77c; May, 79c; on track, 78c; No. 1 northern, March, 75¾c; May, 78c; on track, 76¾@77c; No. 2 northern, March, 73¾c; May, 76c; on track, 74@75½c.

Milwaukee, March 13.—Wheat—Steady; No. 2 spring, cash, 71@72c; May, 72½@72⅞c.
Corn—Firm; No. 3, 27¾@28c.
Oats—Steady; No. 2, white, 22¾c.
Rye—Lower; No. 1, 43½c.
Barley—Firmer; No. 2, 39½c.
Provisions—Higher; pork, $10.30.

Kansas City, March 13. — Wheat — Steady; No. 2 red, 70c; No. 2 hard, cash, 64c; No. 3 hard, 60c; No. 2 red, 70c.
Corn—Steady; No. 2, 21½c.
Oats—Steady at 18½c.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 13.—The Drovers' Journal reports as follows:

Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; shipments, ——; market dull and weaker; beeves, $4.70@5.00; steers, $3.30@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2.40@3.60; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.50@3.50; Texas corn-fed steers, $3.00@3.70.

Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; shipments, ——; market strong to 5c higher; mixed $4.00@4.20; heavy, $4.00@4.22½; light, $4.05@4.25; skips, $3.50@4.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; shipments, ——; market strong; natives, $3.50@6.00; western corn-fed, $4.90@5.60; Texans, $3.50@5.25; lambs, $5.00@6.50.

National Stock Yards, East St. Louis, March 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 800; shipments, 400; market strong; fair to fancy native steers, $3.40@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,400; shipments, 2,400; market higher; heavy, $4.00@4.10; packing, $3.90@4.00; light, $3.90@4.10.

Sioux City, March 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,100; shipments, 400; market steady; canners, 75c@$1.25; cows, $1.00@1.25; stockers, $1.50@2.25; feeders, $2.25@2.90; veal calves, $2.00@3.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,400; market opened steady; closed 2½c higher; everything, $3.80@3.92½.

Kansas City, March 13—Cattle—Receipts, 5,800; shipments, 3,700; market steady; steers, $3.25@4.75; cows, $1.80@3.00; stockers and feeders, $2.80@3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 700; shipments, 1,200; market steady; all grades, $4.77½@4.00.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Thursday, March 13.

Receipts of cattle estimated at 2,400, compared with 2,870 yesterday and 3,074 last Thursday. The market on steers opened active at good, steady prices, several reporting their sales particularly on the less desirable grades of steers at a shade's advance. More than the usual amount of trading was done early in the forenoon, giving the market an animated appearance, and not a few on that account were of the opinion that the market was stronger. The number of sales at and above $4.00 is more than a dozen, while the bulk of steers sold at or above $3.70. About forty cars of cows were on market, the better grades selling readily at firm and in some cases strong prices, while the less desirable and commonish kinds were disposed to be slow and weak. The receipts of bulls continue liberal and the prices remain firm on a steady, strong demand. Stockers and feeders are being received quite liberally, the better grades of native stockers and almost any kind of feeders being in demand at strong prices. The demand for feeders has been so great in proportion to the receipts that many half-fat steers are being bought for feeders as high as $3.45 being paid while almost everything sells at or above $3.00. The limited receipts of veals keeps the prices steady, the best veal selling at $5.00@5.50.

Hogs.

Receipts of hogs estimated at 3,300 compared with 2,914 yesterday and 3,740 last Thursday. The quality of the receipts was very fair. The market opened at an advance and active. The market was the highest this year, the average being about $3.87½ and the top being $3.95. The bulk sold at $3.85@3.90. The receipts have been unsufficient to meet the demand and there has been a steady advance, the average rising from $3.71½ on the 6th to $3.87 today.

Sheep.

Receipts of sheep estimated at 697 compared with 475 yesterday and 458 last Thursday. The market in sheep continues active at steady prices.

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	@4.50	
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs.	3.50	@4.35	
Good steers, 1050 to 1300 lbs.	3.20	@3.80	
Common 1000 to 1150 lb steers.	2.90	@3.60	
Common canners	1.00	@2.10	
Ordinary to fair cows	1.60	@2.25	
Fair to good cows	1.90	@2.45	
Good to choice cows	2.20	@3.00	
Choice to fancy cows	2.65	@3.50	
Fair to good bulls	1.75	@2.50	
Choice to fancy bulls	2.50	@3.50	
Light stockers and feeders	2.00	@2.80	
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.20	@3.50	
Fair to choice light hogs	3.85	@3.95	
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3.80	@3.85	
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3.80	@3.87½	

Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs.

Today.		Yesterday.	
Highest	$3.95	Highest	$3.90
Lowest	3.80	Lowest	3.80

Stock Receipts.

Official Yesterday.		Estimated Today.	
Cattle, 138 cars	2,870	Cattle, 119 cars	2,400
Hogs, 45 cars	2,914	Hogs, 48 cars	3,300
Sheep, 3 cars	475	Sheep, 5 cars	697
		Horses, 1 car	20

Range of Prices—Hogs.

The following table shows the range of prices paid for hogs:

Light and medium hogs	$3 85	@3 95
Good to choice mixed hogs	3 80	@3 87½
Good to choice heavy hogs	3 80	@3 85

Range of Prices—Sheep.

The following table shows the range of prices paid for sheep:

Prime fat sheep	$4 40	@5 50
Good fat sheep	3 50	@4 60
Common to medium sheep	2 00	@4 75
Lambs	4 00	@6 00

Average Cost of Hogs.

The following table gives the average cost of hogs on the dates mentioned, including the cost today, as based upon sales reported:

Date.	Price.	Date.	Price.
March 1	$3 75	March 8	3 73⅝
March 3	3 76½	March 10	3 78
March 4	3 77	March 11	3 81
March 5	3 74⅜	March 12	3 83
March 6	3 71½	March 13	3.87½
March 7	3 72½		

Average Price of Hogs.

Showing the average price paid for loads of hogs on the days indicated in 1887, 1888, 1889 and 1890:

Day.	Mar. 1890.	Mar. 1889.	Mar. 1888.	Mar. 1887.
7	3 72½	4 54	5 13	5 61
8	3 73⅝	4 48	5 11	5 61
9	Sunday	4 48	5 09	5 56
10	3 78	Sunday	5 08	5 58
11	3 81	4 49	Sunday.	5 50
12	3 83	4 42	5 09	5 54
13	3 87½	4 51	5 14	Sunday

Comparative Tables.

The following tables show the range in prices on hogs during this and last week:

Days.	This week.		Last week.	
Monday	3 65	@3 85	3 65	@3 80
Tuesday	3 75	@3 85	3 65	@3 77½
Wednesday	3 80	@3 90	3 60	@3 75
Thursday	3 80	@3 95	3 62½	@3 75
Friday			3 65	@3 80
Saturday			3 60	@3 80

Disposition of Stock.

Showing the number of cattle, hogs and sheep bought by the packers and leading buyers on to-day's market:

CATTLE.

Buyers.	No.
Swift & Co.	749
George H. Hammond & Co.	360
The Armour-Cudahy Packing company	356
Lee Rothschild	113
Benton & Underwood	111
Nels Morris	140
Becker & Degan	36
Crane & Van Zant	16
Shippers and feeders	249

HOGS.

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

Armour-Cudahy Packing company	1,004
Omaha Packing Co.	761
Swift & Co.	483
George H. Hammond & Co.	733
Teufel & McVicker	130

Hogs yesterday averaged 253 pounds, and 75 to the car.

Representative Sales.

STEERS.

No.	Av.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Pr
1	660	$3 05	23	1229	$3 70
3	1100	3 25	4	1187	3 75
1	870	3 25	12	1187	3 75
2	1225	3 25	1	1280	3 75
9	1152	3 40	40	1202	3 75
5	920	3 40	22	1213	3 80
24	1062	3 45	15	1137	3 80
40	1114	3 50	20	1189	3 80
9	975	3 50	16	1216	3 80
2	1115	3 50	23	1254	3 80
20	1070	3 50	97	1207	3 85
12	1104	3 50	17	1280	3 85
37	1108	3 52½	1	1340	4 00
17	1050	3 55	1	1430	4 00
55	1163	3 55	17	1355	4 00
30	1036	3 55	11	1310	4 00
32	1032	3 55	27	1266	4 05
12	1125	3 60	20	1287	4 05
3	1053	3 60	4	1305	4 05
24	983	3 60	57	1415	4 10
15	1088	3 60	24	1314	4 10
29	1023	3 60	37	1375	4 15
11	1180	3 65	13	1326	4 25
11	1268	3 70	1	1540	4 25

COWS.

20	1004	2 00	19	901	2 55
1	800	2 00	1	1170	2 55
1	1160	2 00	9	721	2 55
1	1060	2 10	2	1160	2 60
5	978	2 15	44	1077	2 60
3	857	2 15	6	953	2 60
15	965	2 15	12	1077	2 60
4	995	2 25	19	1034	2 60
1	970	2 25	7	1123	2 60
5	608	2 25	6	1015	2 65
14	993	2 25	4	1007	2 65
3	967	2 25	1	850	2 65
7	956	2 25	13	1073	2 65
1	890	2 25	9	1029	2 70
25	1014	2 30	16	1131	2 70
20	1055	2 30	20	887	2 70
11	580	2 30	2	1105	2 75
6	1108	2 35	13	915	2 75
1	1190	2 40	8	1290	2 75
4	940	2 40	2	1150	2 75
7	1100	2 40	1	1120	2 80
18	964	2 40	5	1188	2 80
9	1128	2 40	13	1027	2 80
13	1040	2 50	16	1027	2 82½
1	1060	2 50	37	1024	2 85
2	840	2 50	5	1102	2 90
2	965	2 50	1	1270	3 00

BULLS.

1	1500	1 75	1	1460	2 60
1	1160	2 00	1	1590	2 60
1	1370	2 00	1	1510	2 65
2	1550	2 10	1	1600	2 65
1	1430	2 10	2	1660	2 75
1	1170	2 10	1	1550	2 75
1	1290	2 20	4	1515	2 75
1	1230	2 25	1	1800	2 80
1	1130	2 25	2	1695	2 95
2	1260	2 25	1	1620	3 00
1	1700	2 25	2	1580	3 00
2	1350	2 25	1	2230	3 00
3	1667	2 50	2	1705	3 20
2	1420	2 60			

FEEDERS.

1	860	2 90	24	826	3 30
1	730	3 05	12	985	3 35
2	980	3 10	10	957	3 35
4	800	3 20	49	844	3 35
1	832	3 20	21	1156	3 45
5	800	3 25	25	999	3 45
9	948	3 30	6	911	3 45
17	764	3 30	7	1015	3 45

CANNERS.

3	1033	1 50	3	1060	1 75
1	1110	1 60	2	1195	2 00
5	964	1 60	5	1012	2 00
3	1033	1 75	16	869	2 10
1	860	1 75			

STAGS.

1	1230	1 75	2	1300	2 60
1	1300	2 60	1	1140	2 70

CALVES.

1	100	5 50	1	300	4 50
2	200	3 75			

STOCKERS.

2	325	2 30	8	627	3 10
1	670	3 00			

HEIFERS.

29	635	2 10	17	787	2 70

MIXED.

8	1132	2 90

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.	Av.	Price.
Middlesex Live Stock Co.— 49 canners	936	1 55
Standard Cattle Company— 100 heifers	832	3 00
Superior Cattle Company— 84 steers	1227	3 75

HOGS.

No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.	No.	Av.	Sh.	Pr.
5	292	40	3 70	65	257	160	3 85
7	285	—	3 75	61	303	200	3 85
4	395	—	3 75	69	286	120	3 85
7	314	—	3 75	60	242	40	3 85
10	328	160	3 75	61	265	120	3 85
6	280	—	3 80	80	230	240	3 87½
58	201	80	3 80	65	256	240	3 87½
55	443	160	3 80	73	210	80	3 87½
5	370	—	3 80	62	247	80	3 90
64	275	40	3 82½	67	234	120	3 90
81	234	120	3 85	70	230	—	3 90
68	218	200	3 85	61	212	40	3 90
65	278	240	3 85	52	241	—	3 90
55	303	120	3 85	78	190	160	3 90
62	245	120	3 85	64	242	—	3 90
58	262	200	3 85	72	177	120	3 90
54	276	80	3 85	73	247	40	3 90
70	241	80	3 85	72	206	—	3 90
60	301	80	3 85	70	236	80	3 90
66	262	200	3 85	74	250	160	3 90
68	242	40	3 85	73	106	80	3 90
44	256	120	3 85	73	252	—	3 92½
69	223	80	3 85	69	269	—	3 95
71	240	80	3 85	54	259	—	3 95
62	190	—	3 85	55	314	—	3 95
75	196	80	3 85				

On the Market With Sheep.

Morse Rogers & Co., Morse Bluffs; E. M. Gibson, Clarks.

On the Market With Hogs.

Mitchell & F., Sprague; C. Philpot, Weeping Water; O. Nelson, Cedar Bluffs; F. E. Gillett, Aldsworth; John Pfeifer, Johnstown; John Lemke, Millard; Crandall & M., Panama; Hayes & McC., Edgar; J. D. Prouty, Wilcox; J. T. Goodell & Co., Western; E. Filley, Filley; H. M. Larned, Trenton; M. Cobb, Funk; G. H. Warren & Co., Grafton; L. & B., Belvidere; H. Millard, Dunlap, Ia.; F. Kropf, Schuyler; E. D. Welker, St. Edwards; Roden & Z., Modale, Ia.; W. W. Baker, Laretto; Reno & Sheets, Elgin; L. Gutru, Newman's Grove; Wagers & Doyle, O'Neill; Coburn, H. & S., Atkinson; A. J. Adams, Bradshaw; J. W. Devore, Phillips; William Haynes, G. A. Dove, Cairo; First National bank, Hake & Brass, Ravenna; M. Jacquot, Merna; Titus & T., Litchfield; Walbach L. & G. company, Walbach; J. L. McDonough & Co., Ord; L. W. Haythorn, Burwell; Berryman & L., Cordova; H. C. Holt, Goehner; D. Henderson, Hastings; F. M. Buffington, Glenwood, Ia.; J. S. Thorsen, Nodaway, Ia.; M. Hutton, Randolph; N. Nelson, Dannebrog.

On the Market With Cattle.

B. & W. C. company, Tilden; Miller & Co., Bradshaw; William Haynes, Cairo; First National bank, Ravenna; George Beagle, Ansley; C. W. Parks, L. W. Haythorn, Burwell; S. C. Gregory, Talmage; H. Messner, Louisville; F. Knapp, Cedar Bluff; F. Woodall, Plainview; Perry & M., Swedeburg; T. J. Caffee, Ponca; Senseng & G., Craig; J. R. Burkholder, Woodbine, Ia.; George Boetel, Elkhorn; Davis & C., Tabor, Ia.; W. C. Swartz, Silver City; Todd & Co., Millard; D. G. Robb, Endicott; Hayes & McC., Edgar; D. Detrick, Upladd; J. R. Hayward, Memphis; B. J. Morris, Western; C. D. Phelps, Culbertson; H. M. Larned, Trenton; C. J. Brewer, McCook; B. F. Downer, Arapahoe; Frontier County Bank, Moorefield; W. Pulver, Holdrege; M. Cobb, Funk; Fuller & G., Cowles; M. D. Spaulding, Sutton; L. & B. Belvidere; Smith & S., Waverly; Peter Burke, Curtis; J. W. Nicholsen, Marquette; P. Unitt, Seward; H. C. Holt, Goehner; H. Schinstock, West Point; C. Ludwig, Wisner; J. G. Matherson & Co., Pilger; F. Odell; J. Clysdale, Stanton; William Miller, Laporte, Ia.; M. Johnson, W. N. Neff, Audubon, Ia.; George Boetel, Millard; R. C. Taylor, Elkhorn; S. H. Neff, Schuyler; C. Oskamp, Clarks; W. Reynolds, St. Edwards; Standard Cattle company, Ames; Ran Frazier, Wayne; J. Yeaton, Lyons; F. G. Kiene, Albion; H. F. Boll, Scribner; H. Rhine, Pleasanton; C. F. Peterson, Dannebroz; A. Able, Lexington; Middlesex Live Stock company, W. A. Johnson, Wood River.

Market Mention.

D. G. Robb of Endicott was in with a load of cattle.

Mr. Taylor of Elkhorn was in with a load of cattle.

B. F. Downer of Arapahoe sent in two cars of cattle.

F. Gillett brought in a load of hogs from Ainsworth.

Peter Burke shipped in a car of cattle from Curtis.

Fred Odell came in from Stanton with two cars of cattle.

Phil Unitt, Seward's well known shipper, sent in cattle.

B. J. Morris of Western came in with two loads of cattle.

G. A. Dove of Cairo furnished a car of hogs for the market.

Frontier county bank sent in a car of cattle from Moorefield.

J. G. Mathewson & Co. of Piger marketed four cars of cattle.

S. C. Gregory of Talmage added a car of cattle to the receipts.

C. Oskamp, a regular shipper, sent in a car of cattle from Clarks.

E. M. Gibson of Clarks contributes two loads of good muttons.

E. M. Gibson of Clark contributed two loads of good mutons.

Walbach L. & G. Co. of Walbach had a car of hogs on the market.

Charley Philpot was in from Weeping Water with a car of hogs.

D. Detrick, a regular dealer, brought in two cars of cattle from Upland.

W. Palmer of Pulver & Co. came in from Holdrege with two loads of cattle.

The Superior Cattle company was on the market with five cars of western cattle.

F. M. Brown of the commission firm of Crill & Co., has returned from Chicago.

J. H. Thornson, who is feeding cattle near Nodaway, Ia., was here with a load of hogs.

F. B. Buffington & Co., regular Iowa shippers, sent over a car of hogs from Glenwood.

Colonel E. P. Savage of the commission firm of Savage, Kelley &