THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Wheat Strong, But Not so Active as on the Previous Day.

CROP NEWS VERY CONFLICTING.

Corn Shows Good Strength all Through the Session—Weakness in the Provision Pit—Cattle Slow.

CHICAGO, May 22.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Wheat was not so active as on the previous day, but there was a big, strong market, nevertheless. The opening was steady. Then there was a bulge of 1¼c to 05¾c for July. This was followed by a drop of ½c to 05¼c. A second bulge about noon carried July to 06⅛c and this was followed by a decline to 05½c before 1 o'clock. May and June were nearly neglected, but quoted in advance at 06¼c. There was more than the usual trading in September and the price was advanced during the forenoon from 02¾c to 04½c. There was no sensational news and there more scalping operations by by big and little than for many days. There was less attempt at raiding the market than yesterday and less short interest to get frightened. Crop news was very conflicting. St. Louis reported Missouri conditions at from 50 to 60 and Lindblom's brother wired from Kansas that there could be but part of a crop there. Milwaukee houses had Kansas reports saying that the state will yield a good crop. The Price Current's advance information was that there has been no material improvement anywhere, and worse reports from some states. In early trading Logan & Co. sold, it was said, for the St. Louis and Hutchinson made a pretence of selling. Robert Warren & Co., W. G. McCormick & Co. and Helmholz were the bes buyers. The crowd followed the buyers and gave the market an upturn. Later in the day Cudahy's following bought freely on August and September and Hutchinson began taking July. The report of fifteen boat loads taken for export at New York today added strength. July wheat was firm at 05¾c. Wheat was very active to the close and the strength was maintained during the last half hour. July sold at 05½@05¾c and closed at 05¾c. May changed even with July during the day and closed at 05¾c. June was at a premium all closed at 06c. Other futures sold: August up to 05¼c, closing at 04½c; September to 05½c, closing at 04¼c; December closed at 04¾c. Wheat was excited on the curb. July sold as high at 06⅛c. Puts sold at 04½c@06c and calls at 07¼@08¾c.

There was a good market for corn all day, and while the large receipts—748 cars—caused a slight decline early, there was a good recovery and the closing prices were within ⅛c of the top all around and a fraction better than yesterday. Receipts graded well, giving over 600 cars of No. 2. The best selling early was by Barker and Jones & Kennett. Later a Jones house bought July and sold September. Tickel and Bartlett Frazee bought as if for Hess. Late in the day Hutchinson was a buyer also. May and June were together at 5¾@5⅞c under July, closing at 31c. July sold at 34½c, to 34¾@34⅞c and closed at 34¾@34¾c. August sold at 35¼c, closing at 35¼c; September at 35⅞c, closing at 35½@35¾c.

Oats were closely watched today, but there was not a great amount of heavy trading. The market was strong from first to last and closed at the top prices of the day. May went from 28⅜c to 28¾c, June from 27½c to 27½c, and July from 26¾c to 27c, while August sold at 24¾@24½c. Liberal receipts, including 245 cars of No. 2 grade, caused the market to start moderately, and the taking of nearly 400,000 bushels vessel room may have helped prices at the close.

The provision market was weak all day and at the close short ribs were 5c lower at $5.37½ for July. Lard was off at $6.12½ for June and $6.22½ for July. Mess pork sold off early to $12.80 and recovered to $12.95 at the close. The large run of hogs continues at the yards, with 30,000 received an 12,000 left over. Packers were leading sellers of lard and ribs.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, May 22.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—CATTLE—Trade was slow, with the turn if anything rather lower; that is, according to level-headed and conservative salesmen, buyers were bidding 10c lower. In a rapid decline, such as has been the rule since Tuesday, it is almost impossible to get at the extreme reduction. Now most of the salesmen quoted the decline yesterday at 20@25c for the week so far, yet as smart a salesman as there is in the yards, and a man that can get as much money out of a load of steers as any man on horseback, sold a load of steers at $4.60 that sold for $5.15 on Monday. This is an incidental straw and shows clearly which way the wind is blowing. The run of Texans was fair, business rather slow and prices weak at the recent decline. Among the arrivals were many poor lots of grassers. Large numbers are in sight for the latter part of this week or early next. Choice to extra beeves, $4.65@5.00; medium to good steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs, $4.40@4.60; 1200 to 1350 lbs, $4.00@4.50; 1050 to 1200 lbs, $3.70@4.25. Stockers and feeders, $2.80@4.10; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.75@3.70; bulk, $2.40@2.80; slop-fed steers, $4.00@4.60; Texas grass steers, $2.50@3.25.

HOGS—There was another down-turn of a strong 10c, making a drop of 15@20c since Monday. At the close today packers were offering $3.85@3.90 for good mixed, and shippers that had not filled in early would offer only $3.95@4.00. Light sorts sold at $3.90@4.00, with a few of the singe sort at $4.10.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, May 22.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—STOCKS—The break in values left the stock trade largely at sea after the close yesterday. The superficial elements were ready to think the end of the bull market had come. Conservative operators slept over the matter and came into the street this morning ready to stand by their holdings. Thus it was that a few stocks, still feeling the effects of the raid, were materially lower. First prices here were in most cases small fractions higher than last evening's final figures. Pacific Mail was off ½ and Sugar ⅛ per cent. The influence of the latter was small, however, for within the first fifteen minutes of trading everything traded in, with the exception of Richmond & West Point, was selling above the opening figure, and Sugar, after opening at 90¼, retired to 89½, but rallied to 91¼. Advances in other stocks ranged up to ¾ per cent, with Wheeling & Lake Erie preferred, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis and Missouri Pacific leading. Outside of a few leading stocks, which comprised Sugar, Richmond & West Point, Atchison, Oregon Transcontinental, Northern Pacific and Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis, there was little animation or feature. The market became much less active toward 11 o'clock and prices sagged slightly, and at 11 o'clock the market was comparatively quiet and barely steady, but generally at small fractions better than first prices. The hour to noon found the list receiving even better support. Sugar was off again to 90¾, but other stocks were independent of this influence. Villard stocks recovered quickly from the little break. Atchison held above 48, Rock Island sold up to 85 and St. Paul to 76½. Coal stocks also showed fair gains. The great reaction in stocks late in the day was like a tidal wave. St. Paul led the list and went up over 2 points to 78. Atchison and Burlington & Northwestern were up 1 per cent, Rock Island and Union Pacific 1¼ each and Missouri Pacific 1½. Coal stocks advanced also. There was buying on orders from insiders and the belief is that the next meeting of the managers will result in a settlement of the rate war. The total sales were 350,709 shares.

The following were the closing quotations:

U. S. 4s regular	122	Northern Pacific	38
U. S. 4s coupons	122	do preferred	85¾
U. S. 4½s regular	109¾	C. & N. W.	116⅜
U. S. 4½s coupon	109¾	do preferred	146¼
Pacific 6s of '95	115½	N. Y. Central	109
Central Pacific	35½	N. D. & E.	20½
Chicago & Alton	139	Rock Island	95⅝
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	108¾	C., M. & St. P.	77⅛
D., L. & W.	146¾	do preferred	121
Illinois Central	116⅛	St. Paul & Omaha	36
L. S. & W.		do preferred	99
Kansas & Texas	16¾	Union Pacific	67
Lake Shore	111¼	W., St. L. & P.	14
Michigan Central	99¼	do preferred	30¼
Missouri Pacific	76½	Western Union	86

MONEY—Easy at 5@7 per cent.
PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—5@7 per cent.
STERLING EXCHANGE — Steady; sixty-day bills, $4.83¼; demand, $4.85¼.

Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, May 22.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The following are the mining stock quotations:

Alice	235	Iron Silver	300
Caledonia B H	215	North Belle Isle	115
Crown Point	210	Plymouth	750
Con. Cal. & Va.	450	Phœnix	750
El Cristo	110	Phœnix, Ariz.	135
Hale & Norcross	160	Sierra Nevada	160
Homestake	800	Sutter Creek	150
Horn Silver	320		

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Wheat—Receipts, 786,600 bushels; exports, 62,300 bushels; spot, closed lower. No. 2 red, $1.06@1.06⅛ in elevator, $1.01¼@1.01½ afloat; options closed weak; No. 2 red, May, closed at 99¾c.

Corn—Receipts, 145,400 bushels; exports, 88,400 bushels; spot weaker; No. 2, 39¾@40¼c in elevator, 40@40½c afloat; ungraded mixed, 38@41¼c; options, steady; May closed at 40c.

Oats—Receipts, 95,700 bushels; exports, 20,250 bushels; spot, firmer; No. 2 white, 36¼@36c; mixed western, 33@36c; options firmer; May closed at 34¾c.

Coffee — Options closed steady, 15@35 points higher. Sales, 54,750 bags; May, $17.00@17.15; spot Rio firmer; fair cargoes, $19.75.

Sugar—Raw, firm; centrifugals, 96 test 5¾c; refined, steady; off "A," 5½@5 5-16c; standard "A," 5 15-16c.

Petroleum—United closed for June at 92c.

Eggs—Firm; western, 14½@15c.

Pork—Firm; mess, $14.25@14.25.

Lard—Weak; western steam, $6.35.

Butter—Weak; western dairy, 6@11c; creamery, 6@15c; Elgin, 15½@16.

Cheese—Steady; part skims, 4@6½c.

CHICAGO, May 22.—1:15 p. m. close—Wheat—Firm; cash, 05¾c; June, 06c; July, 05⅞c.

Corn—Steady; cash, 34c; June, 35¼@34c; July, 34¾@34¼c.

Oats—Firm; cash, 28¾c; June, 27⅝c; July, 26¾@27c.

Rye—Firm at 52¼@52½c.

Barley—Steady.

Prime Timothy—Dull at $1.59.

Flax—Firm at $1.48.

Whisky—$1.02.

Pork—Steady; cash $12.50; June, $12.85; July, $13.05.

Lard—Dull; cash, $6.12½; June, $6.15; July, $6.22½.

Flour—Firm and unchanged; winter wheat, $2.00@4.90; spring, $1.30@5.25.

Provisions—Shoulders, $5.10@5.20; short clear, $5.70@5.80; short ribs, $5.25.

Butter—Dull; creamery, 9@14c; dairy, 8@14c.

Cheese—Dull; full cream cheddars, 5¾@6c; flats, 8@8¼c; Young Americas, 8¼@9c.

Eggs—Firm; fresh, 12½@13c.

Hides—Unchanged; light green salted, 5¾@6c; salted bulls, 5c; green salted calf, 6½@7c; dry flint, 6@7c; dry salted hides, 6c; dry calf, 5@6c; deacons, 20c each.

Tallow—Steady; packed, 4⅛@4¼c; No. 2, 3½c; cake, 4¼c.

	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.
Flour	9,000	23,000
Wheat	34,000	9,000
Corn	350,000	363,000
Oats	326,000	427,000

MINNEAPOLIS, May 22.—Wheat—Receipts, 133 cars; shipments, 17 cars; cash wheat firm to strong; demand light; hard wheat and under grades generally slow. Closing: No. 1 hard, May, 01½c; June, 02½c; on track, 03c; No. 1 northern, May, 01¼c; June, 02c; on track, 02½c; No. 2 northern, May, 88c; June, 88¼c; on track, 88@90c.

MILWAUKEE May 22.—Wheat—Easy; No. 2 spring, cash, 01½@02¼c; July, 02½c.

Corn—Firmer; No. 3, 35c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white, 30c.

Rye—Firmer; No. 1, 54½c.

Barley—Firm; No. 2, 52½c.

Provisions—Easier; pork, $12.70.

CINCINNATI, May 22.—Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, 95c.

Corn—Barely steady; No. 2 mixed, 37@38c.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 30@31c.

Whisky—$1.02.

KANSAS CITY, May 22.—Wheat—Lower; No. 2 hard, cash, 84c; No. 2 red, cash, 90c bid.

Corn—Lower; No. 2, cash, 28¾c.

Oats—Lower; No. 2, cash, 27½c.

LIVERPOOL, May 22.—Wheat—Dull; holders offer moderately; red western spring, 7s 3d per cental; red western winter, 7s 7½d per cental.

Corn—Steady; demand fair; new western mixed, 3s 6½d per cental.

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,500; market slow and dull; beeves, $4.65@5.00; steers, $3.70@4.70; stockers and feeders, $2.80@4.10; cows, bulls and mixed, $1.75@3.70; Texas grass steers, $2.50@3.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 34,000; market slow and 10c lower; mixed and light, $3.85@4.00; heavy, $3.85@4.10; skips, $3.25@3.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; market steady; natives, $3.75@6.15; western corn-fed, $4.00@6.00; Texans, $4.00@5.15; lambs, $5.50@7.00.

STOUX CITY, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,100; shipments, 125; market steady; butchers' cattle, $2.70@4.90; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.65; cows, $1.40@2.90; cannersand bulls, $1.00@2.90; veal calves, $2.00@4.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,100; market lower at $3.67½@3.77½.

KANSAS CITY, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 3,400; market lower; steers, $3.60@4.80; stockers and feeders, $3.25@3.80.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; shipments, 1,500; all grades at $3.77½@3.87½; bulk, $3.80@3.85.

ST. LOUIS, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,800; shipments, 2,100; market steady; fair to fancy native steers, $5.75@4.90; stockers and feeders, $2.90@3.80.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,300; shipments, 4,200; market lower; heavy, $4.00@4.00; packing, $3.80@3.90; light, $3.80@3.02½.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Wednesday, May 22.

Estimated receipts of cattle, 1,200, compared with 3,177 yesterday and 3,073 Thursday of last week. The market opened very slow with heavy beeves sagging, buyers in most cases refusing to look at them. The market till midday was almost flat. Light, natty little steers were more or less sought after and changed hands at prices not varying from yesterday's prices. The cow receipts were both light in amount and poor in quality. All changed hands early at steady prices, with occasional sales, considering the quality reported stronger. Stockers were rather plenty, poor in quality and weak in prices, while good feeders were scarce and slow. Bulls remain steady and calves unchanged.

Hogs.

Estimated receipts of hogs, 6,000, compared with 7,619 yesterday and 5,778 Thursday of last week. The market opened 5c lower, was active at the decline, closing with all sold, active and firm. Range of prices, $3.70@3.80; light, $3.70@3.75; mixed, $3.72½@3.77½; heavy, $3.75@3.80. The average of the prices paid was $3.75½, compared with $3.78¼ yesterday and $3.85¼ Thursday of last week.

Sheep.

Estimated receipts of sheep 239, compared with 95 yesterday. The receipts of sheep do not equal the demands and prices on good muttons are firm.

Prevailing Prices.

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

Prime steers, 1300 to 1600 lbs	$4.03	@4.75
Good steers, 1250 to 1450 lbs	3.75	@4.45
Good steers, 1050 to 1200 lbs	3.65	@4.30
Common, 1000 to 1150 lbs	3.25	@3.75
Common canners	1.90	@2.00
Ordinary to fair cows	1.65	@2.25
Fair to good cows	1.90	@2.65
Good to choice cows	2.75	@3.15
Choice to fancy cows	2.95	@3.65
Fair to good bulls	1.75	@2.65
Choice to fancy bulls	2.50	@2.55
Light stockers and feeders	2.35	@3.25
Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs	2.90	@3.70
Fair to choice light hogs	3.70	@3.75
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3.75	@3.80
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3.72½	@3.77½

Comparative Tables.

The following table shows the range in prices on hogs during this and last week:

Days.	This Week.	Last Week.
Monday	$3 80 @3 92½	$3 90 @3 95
Tuesday	3 75 @3 92½	3 85 @3 95
Wednesday	3 65 @3 80	3 85 @3 95
Thursday	3 70 @3 80	3 80 @3 95
Friday		3 80 @4 00
Saturday		3 85 @4 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.
May 1	$3 90½	May 2	$4 01¼
May 3	3 97½	May 5	3 92
May 6	3 88¼	May 7	3 96¼
May 8	3 90	May 9	3 97½
May 10	3 92	May 12	3 93½
May 13	3 90	May 14	3 88¼
May 15	3 85¼	May 16	3 91½
May 17	3 94½	May 19	3 87
May 20	3 85	May 21	3 78¼
May 22	3 75½		

Highest and Lowest Sales of Hogs.

Today.		Yesterday.	
Highest	$3 80	Highest	$3 85
Lowest	3 70	Lowest	3 65

Stock Receipts.

Official Yesterday		Estimated Today.	
Cattle	189 cars, 3,381	Cattle	129 cars, 2,600
Hogs	114 cars, 7,549	Hogs	116 cars, 7,000
Horses	8 cars, 941	Sheep	1 car, 95

Average Price of Hogs.

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

Day.	May '90	May '89.	May '88	May '87.
17	$3 91½	$4 11	$5 26	$4 40
18	Sunday	4 23	5 40	4 43
19	3 87	Sunday	5 42	4 43
20	3 85	4 26	Sunday	4 46
21	3 78¼	4 20	5 45	4 54
17	3 75½	4 22	5 36	Sunday

Range of Prices.

HOGS.

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

Fair to choice light hogs	$3 70	@3 75
Fair to choice heavy hogs	3 75	@3 80
Fair to choice mixed hogs	3 72½	@3 77½

SHEEP.

Prime fat sheep	5 30	@5 75
Good fat sheep	4 50	@5 30
Common to medium sheep	3 00	@4 50

Disposition of Stock.

Showing the number of cattle bought by the leading buyers on today's market.

CATTLE.

Swift & Co.	341
Geo H Hammond & Co.	269
Armour-Cudahy P Co.	373
Benton & Underwood	79
Becker & Degen	3
Lobman & Trauerman	95
Vansant	10
Other buyers	92

HOGS.

Armour-Cudahy Packing Co.	[illegible]
Omaha Packing Co.	1,441
Swift & Co.	394
G. H. Hammond & Co.	333

DRESSED BEEF STEERS.

3	1153	3 60	20	1032	3 85	36	1043 4 00
3	1313	3 30	18	1073	3 87½	1	1240 4 00
1	800	3 60	8	1007	3 90	20	1022 4 00
6	792	3 55	24	964	3 90	20	1064 4 05
7	717	3 65	9	1067	3 90	2	1285 4 05
5	1084	3 65	20	1021	3 90	13	1213 4 05
16	799	3 65	8	1253	3 95	40	1089 4 10
7	994	3 70	15	1169	3 95	20	1157 4 10
78	969	3 70	7	1143	4 00	21	1213 4 17½
2	1085	3 70	15	1223	4 00	7	1271 4 17½
13	980	3 85	19	1148	4 00	14	1244 4 17½
23	1117	3 85	19	1058	4 00	19	1169 4 20
10	1176	3 85	19	1148	4 00	19	1272 4 35

SHIPPING AND EXPORT STEERS.

30	1243	3 75	18	1127	4 45	20	1194 4 30
18	994	3 87½	44	1109	4 90		

COWS.

1	990	2 15	22	544	2 65	3	1083 3 10
8	740	2 20	6	790	2 75	13	1019 3 10
3	1077	2 35	1	1110	2 75	10	727 3 15
2	1045	2 35	1	1060	2 75	21	830 3 15
1	1020	2 50	9	911	2 85	10	1029 3 20
1	1000	2 50	14	990	2 90	2	1050 3 25
1	1240	2 50	18	1025	3 00	4	1102 3 30
15	664	2 50	1	1030	3 00	28	701 3 55
6	915	2 50	5	1058	3 10	1	1530 4 10
29		2 65	4	1115	3 10		

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS

1	450	2 75	7	711	3 47½	14	696 3 55
1	800	3 00	3	680	3 50	3	837 3 55
1	410	3 00	7	717	3 50	1	960 3 60
3	576	3 10	4	835	3 50	6	936 3 60
4	287	3 45	3	993	3 50	3	946 3 60
5	776	3 45	26	633	3 50		

HEIFERS.

2	530	2 85	15	591	3 25	4	830 3 60
1	920	3 00	10	683	3 25	15	873 3 65
6	611	3 05					

BULLS.

1	700	2 25	1	940	2 50
1	1880	2 50	1	1750	2 75

CALVES.

9	135	2 50	1	200	5 00
2	385	4 00	1	220	5 50

CANNERS.

1	890	1 75	1	790	1 90
1	1000	1 90			

OXEN.

2	1305	2 75	2	1965	3 00

STEERS—YEARLINGS.

56	631	3 60			

WESTERN CATTLE.

No.			Av.	Pr.
54 steers, shipping			1416	4 30

HOGS.

18	180	40	3 60	58	278	80	3 75
69	236	—	3 70	65	265	120	3 75
20	268	230	3 70	62	274	360	3 75
56	256	120	3 70	75	253	40	3 75
58	210	160	3 70	78	250	80	3 75
69	239	80	3 70	80	236	80	3 75
62	234	80	3 70	63	250	80	3 75
69	235	80	3 70	64	230	120	3 75
59	211	—	3 70	72	244	—	3 75
67	245	40	3 72½	65	263	160	3 75
64	238	200	3 72½	62	267	240	3 75
60	279	80	3 75	70	262	120	3 75
64	260	80	3 75	65	245	—	3 75
59	268	230	3 75	70	248	40	3 75
61	227	—	3 75	56	260	—	3 75
58	226	40	3 75	61	271	80	3 75
68	296	—	3 75	76	221	120	3 75
62	270	40	3 75	73	243	80	3 75
60	261	160	3 75	65	268	280	3 75
54	253	120	3 75	62	267	240	3 75
54	271	80	3 75	51	229	240	3 77½
66	237	120	3 75	51	342	240	3 77½
58	269	80	3 75	57	262	—	3 77½
55	284	—	3 75	68	241	—	3 77½
12	260	40	3 75	64	250	—	3 77½
63	320	—	3 75	69	290	80	3 77½
61	240	160	3 75	111	204	280	3 77½
71	258	40	3 75	59	295	40	3 77½
61	255	120	3 75	59	257	120	3 77½
51	228	80	3 75	53	303	160	3 77½
51	265	120	3 75	55	275	—	3 77½
61	296	40	3 75	62	270	160	3 77½
75	254	—	3 75	56	278	80	3 77½
55	326	80	3 75	61	281	80	3 77½
73	239	80	3 75	59	287	40	3 77½
63	267	80	2 75	68	286	160	3 80
53	345	80	3 75	68	270	—	3 80
48	313	240	3 75	58	308	—	3 80
71	255	80	3 75	67	256	120	3 80
55	293	80	3 75	54	355	80	3 80
69	250	125	3 75	65	314	160	3 85
59	240	—	3 75	56	290	200	3 80
76	251	80	3 75	62	307	80	3 80
55	279	80	3 75	64	292	80	3 80
66	284	120	3 75	62	263	40	3 80
54	293	—	3 75	62	316	40	3 80
69	248	40	3 75	62	273	—	3 80

SKIPS AND PIGS.

81	139	200	3 25	74	180	280	3 40

STAGS.

1	470	—	2 25	1	390	—	2 25

Market Mention.

Hogs lower.

Cattle steady.

H. B. Dexter of Blair marketed a car of hogs.

R. C. Moran sent in a car of hogs from Creston.

C. J. Furer sent in a car of hogs from Holstein.

L. G. Davis marketed a car of hogs from Valentine.

D. K. Netgley of Pickrell marketed a car of hogs.

John Cogek of Wilber was here with a car of hogs.

William boys of Valparaiso marketed a car of hogs.

Smith & Stabler of Waverly marketed a car of cattle.

Frohn & Johnson sent in a car of hogs from Hanlon.

D. Deaver was down from Tekamah with a car of hogs.

John Frostrom & Co. sent in a car of hogs from Malmo.

Anderson & Johnson sent down a car of hogs from Oakland.

M. W. Colby & Co. sent in two cars of hogs from Bradshaw.

James B. Barnes was in from Loretto with two cars of hogs.

Mr. Farnsworth was over from Neola, Ia., with a car of hogs.

G. D. Streetor had a car of hogs on the market from Raymond.

J. Leslie of Belvidere, was on the market with a car of cattle.

J. F. Humphrey came down from Fullerton with a car of cattle.

F. S. Wilcox marketed a car each of cattle and hogs from McCook.

Doe & Smith, heavy dealers of Shelby, Ia., marketed a car of hogs.

Emley Bros., extensive Wisner shippers, had a load of hogs on the market.

Metcalf & Wood sent up a car of hogs from York. Mr. Wood came with them.

J. L. McDonough, the well known shipper of Ord, was down with a car of cattle.

John McMahon was over from Coin, Ia., with a car of hogs for the Bank of Coin.

The Middlesex live stock company sent in five cars of cattle from Wood River.

Mr. Wilsey of the firm of Wilsey & Hyatt, of Moorfield, was in with a shipment of cattle.

Sol Degen has returned from a trip to Chicago. He says the cattle market there is rotten.

Ira Griffin, the well known St. Paul stockman, sent down a car of cattle from St. Liberty.

The Farmers' Co-operative association of Mead and Cedar Bluffs each marketed a car of hogs.

Herman was represented on the market by M. S. Wilcox and Jonn Curley with a car of cattle each.

B. Trauermann of the firm of Lobmann & Trauermann has gone to Pittsburg to make a short visit at home.

F. S. Campbell and John Roane were over from Neola, Ia., the former with two cars of cattle and the latter with one of hogs.

Clark Howard, the inspector, went to California, Mo., on a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother. He left a man to act in his capacity during his absence.

A. M. Byers, a banker of Aledo, Ill., was the guest of his brother, J. E. Byers, at the yards. He is out here looking after the shipment of a lot of cattle which have been fed on his Nebraska farm.

OMAHA WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Produce.

FISH—Fresh white trout, pike and pickerel, per lb, 8c; sturgeon, 7c.

HIDES, PELTS AND TALLOW—Green salted hides, 5@5½c; dry salted hides, 5@7c; dry flint hides, 6@8c; calf hides, 4½@6½c. Damaged hides 2c less. Sheep pelts, green, each, 50@$1.25; sheep pelts, dry, per lb, 6@11c; tallow, No. 1, 3½@3¾c; No. 2, 3¼@3½c; grease, white, 3½@4c; yellow, 2½@3c.

BEANS—Hand picked navy, $1.60@1.75; hand picked navy, medium, $1.50@1.60; hand picked country, $1.40@1.60; good clean, $1.25@1.40.

APPLE BUTTER—Per lb, 6@8c.

WOOL—Fine unwashed, 13@16c; medium unwashed, 18@21c; coarse unwashed, 18@20c.

FURS—Beaver, per lb, $2.50@4.00; each, $4.00@7.00; otter, each, $5.00@7.00; wolf, each, 50@80c; coon, each, 40@75c; mink, each, 30@50c; muskrat, fall, 8@12c; muskrat, winter, 10@15c; skunk, 25@40c; badger, 40c@$1.00; deer skins, per lb, 20@30c; deer skins, winter, per lb, 12@20c.

HONEY—12½@13½c per lb; strained, 9c.

ORANGES—Per box, Mediterranean sweets, $4.50; California fancy navals, $3.50@5.75; Los Angeles, $3.80; fancy Duarte seedlings, $4.25; in five box lots, 15c per box less.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz, $2.50@3.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Per case, choice shipping stock, $3.50@4.00; good, $2.00@3.00.

CIDER—Per bbl, refined, $6.50; half bbl, $3.50; hard cider, pure, per bbl, $5.00; orange cider, half bbls, $7.00; pear cider, half bbl, $5.00.

CALIFORNIA CHERRIES—Per lb, 25@30c.

MINCE MEAT—5@6c per lb.

LEMONS—Per box, Messina, fancy, $4.50@5.00; strictly choice $4.25@4.50.

BANANAS—Per bunch, $1.50@3.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, fancy rolls, prints, 21@22c; creamery, fancy, solid packed, 20@21c; creamery, choice, 18@19c; dairy, fancy rolls and prints, 16@17c; dairy, fancy, solid packed, 15@16c; dairy, choice, 14@15c; country roll, fancy, 13@14c; choice, 8@9c; country roll, good, 6@8c; country roll, fair, 5@6c; poo stock, 3@5c.

EGGS—11c per doz for strictly fresh; stale stock not saleable.

BONES—Quotations are for delivery in Chicago.) Dry Buffalo, per ton, $16@18.00; dry country, bleached, $10@12.00; dry country, damp and meaty, $8.00@10.00.

VEGETABLES—Old—Sweet potatoes, fancy, Muscatine, per bbl, $4.00; onions, extra fancy, $4.50; onions, fair, $2.50; rutabagas, $2.00; carrots, $2.00; parsnips, $4.50; beets, $2.00; horseradish roots, per bbl, $2.50; per lb 7c; celery roots, per bbl, $6.00; per doz, 60c; horseradish, per doz pints, $1.25.

PRESERVES—6@8c per lb.

JELLYS—3¼@4c per lb.

DRESSED VEAL—Choice medium, 8@8½c; light, 5@6c; heavy, 4@5c.

APPLES—Per bbl, Genitons, $5.00; Willow Twig, $5.00; Ben Davis, $4.75; Romanite, $4.50.

LINSEED OIL—61@63c.

COCOANUTS—Per hundred, $4.00.

PICKLES—Medium, per bbl, $5.50; small, $6.50; gherkins, $7.50; C. & B., chow chow, qts, $5.85; pints, $3.35.

POTATOES—Per bushel, fancy, 30@35c; fair to good, 20@25c.

POULTRY—Per dozen, choice hens, $3.25@4.00; choice, mixed, $3.00@3.35; roosters, $2.50@2.75; spring chickens, $2.50 for small, $3.00@3.50 for medium, $4.00@4.50 for large; live turkeys, per lb, 9@10c.

Groceries.

SUGARS—Cut loaf, 7¼c; cut loaf cubes, 7½c; standard, powdered, 7¼c; XXXX, powdered, 7¾c; granulated, standard, 6¾@6⅞c; confectioners, A, 6½c; white extra, 5¾c; extra C, Neb., 5½c; amber, 5¼c.

COFFEE—Roasted—Arbuckle's Ariosa, 25¾c; McLaughlin's XXXX, 25¾c; German, 25¾c; Dilworth, 25¾c; Alaroma, 25¾c; bulk, 25c.

COFFEE—Green—Fancy old golden Rio, 27c; fancy old peaberry, 27c; Rio, choice to fancy, 24¾c; Rio, prime, 23¾c; Rio, good, 22½c; Santos and common Rio, 19@22c; Mocha, 30c; Java, genuine O. G., 29c; Java, good interior, 25c; African, 22½c.

FARINACEOUS GOODS—Barley, 3@3½c; farina, 5c; peas, 3c; oatmeal, 1¼@3c; macaroni, 10c; vermicelli, 10c; rice, 4@6½c; sago and tapioca, 6@5c; lima beans, 6c.

OILS